



## Test Monitoring Center

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REPORT PACKET REVISION NOTICE: D5800-20040205

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An updated D5800 report packet has been approved by an Email ballot of the D02.B0.07 Engine Oil Volatility Tests Surveillance Panel and has been beta tested by the ASTM Data Communications Committee. A table with three fields has been added to accommodate the optional reporting of a translated result (as expected to be allowed in a future version of test method D5800). Also, a field for Test Method-Version has been added to monitor that the latest method and version are being used (for example, D5800-03a).

**Please note that the TMC will NOT use translated values for calibration acceptance criteria. As agreed by the surveillance panel at the December 2003 meeting (in Phoenix), the TMC will continue to use the original, non-translated result (SAMEVALS) for evaluating the acceptance of D5800 calibration tests. Test data submitted to the TMC should be reported with the three translation fields left blank (no variable data). The reporting of translated values is optional for non-reference testing.**

The revised report packet version 20040205 will replace the current version 20020325 effective March 22, 2004. Version 20040205 report forms (in PDF format), data dictionary, repeating fields specification, summary of changes and flatfile template (in text format) are available from the TMC's website:

<http://www.astmtmc.cmu.edu/>

(Select "FTP Directories for Data Dictionaries", then the "d5800" folder. The new report packet files can be found under the "d5800/beta/current" directory. They will be moved to the d5800/current directory on the effective date.)

Please direct any inquiries to my attention.

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