

Test Monitoring Center

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MEMORANDUM: 11-017

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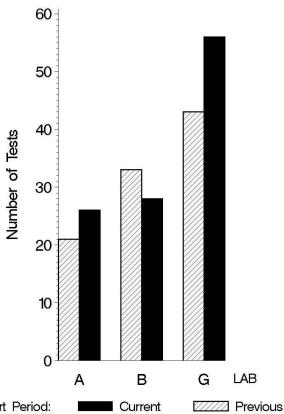
SUBJECT: EOFT Testing from October 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011

A total of 110 EOFT tests were reported to the Test Monitoring Center during the period from October 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011. Following is a summary of testing activity this period.

	Reporting Data
Number of Labs	3

Tests reported this period were distributed as shown below:

NUMBER OF TESTS REPORTED BY LAB AND REPORT PERIOD

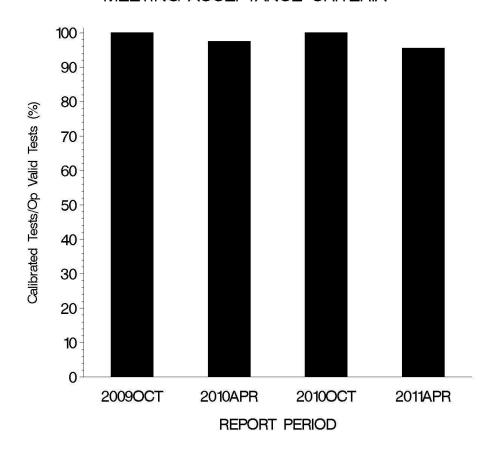


Report Period:

Test Distribution by Oil and Validity

			Totals		
		78-1	This Period	Last Period	
Accepted for Calibration	AC	104	104	97	
Accepted for Target Generation	AG	0	0	0	
Rejected Mild	OC	5	5	0	
Rejected Severe	OC	0	0	0	
Operationally Invalid (lab)	LC	0	0	0	
Operationally Invalid (lab/TMC)	RC	0	0	0	
Aborted Calibration	XC	1	1	0	
Total		110	110	97	

OPERATIONALLY VALID TESTS MEETING ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA



The above chart shows the percentage of accepted operationally valid tests. Five tests failed this period.

CAUSES FOR LOST TESTS

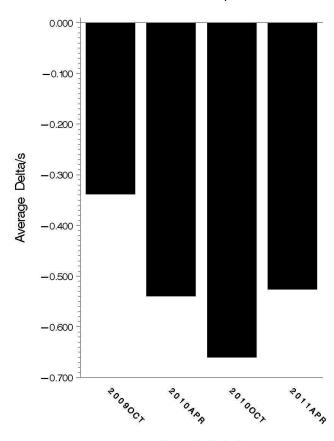
			Oil	Validity		Loss Rate		•	
Lab Cause		78-1	LC	RC	XC	Lost	Starts	%	
В	Sample Heated Too Long		•			•	1	110	0.9%
		Total Lost	1	0	0	1			_
		Starts	110	110	110	110			
		%	0.9%	0%	0%	0.9%			

AVERAGE Δ/s:

Average Δ /s by Lab

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Lab	n	CIFAYI			
A	26	-0.572			
В	27	-1.730			
G	56	0.077			
Industry	109	-0.525			

AVERAGE DELTA/S

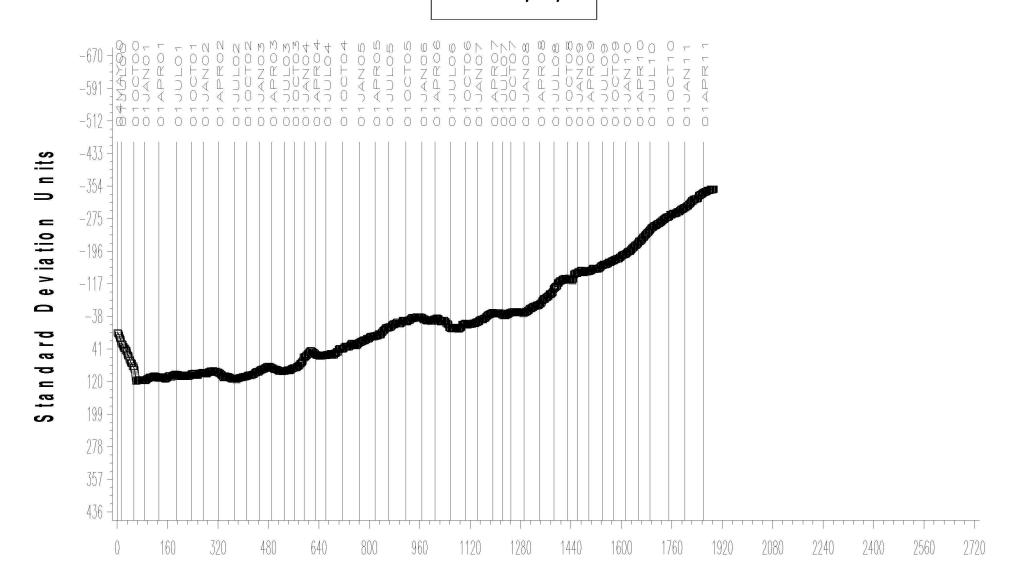


Report Period

EOFT INDUSTRY OPERATIONALLY VALID DATA 20 - 25 ML CHANGE IN FLOWRATE AVERAGE (%)

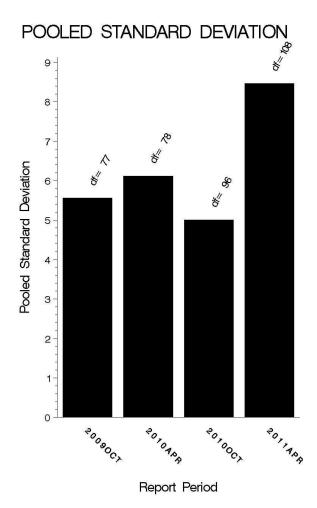


CUSUM Severity Analysis



POOLED S:

Pooled s this period was 8.45. Shown below are bar charts comparing the pooled s values for the EOFT test over the last four report periods.



STATUS OF REFERENCE OIL SUPPLY:

At the end of this report period, the testing oil supply stood as outlined in the following table:

		@ T	MC
Oil	Cans @ Labs	Cans	Gallons
78-1	60	0	0
78-2	21	3487	268.5
Total	81	3487	268.5

Be aware that this table presumes that all of each of these oils is dedicated to the EOFT test area. This is not the case, as oils 78-1 and 78-2 are also used in the EOWT test. Oil 78-2 has also not been formally approved for use in the EOFT at this time, although work to that end is ongoing.

INFORMATION LETTERS:

No information letters were issued during this report period.

SUMMARY

- Over the course of this report period, CIFA severity as measured by cusum plotting was slightly mild overall.
- Precision as measured by pooled standard deviation has degraded significantly compared to previous periods.

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