

**Unapproved Minutes of the
Sequence III Surveillance Panel
Conference Call
January 31, 2013
11:00 EST**

1.0) Attendance

The attendance is shown in **Attachment 1**. The Lubrizol member has changed from Greg Seman to George Szapponos.

2.0) Approval of minutes

2.1) Minutes from November 13, 2012. - The minutes were approved without objection.

3.0) Action Item Review

3.1) 03/28/12–Continue to use RO 435 targets for RO 435-2 until next review. Grundza

Results are shown in **Attachment 2** and were reviewed by Rich Grundza of the TMC. To date 18 tests have been run. Rich noted that viscosity increase is a little more severe. Without objection, the panel decided to continue with 435 targets for 435-2. The 435-2 results will be reviewed after 30 tests.

3.2) 03/28/12-SRI to forward FTIR data on RO 434 and RO 434-1 used oil samples to Doyle Boese for statistical review. Lang/Boese

SwRI provided data and Doyle reported back on the November call; there wasn't enough data to make a conclusion. In November, labs were requested to provide more data if it was available. This item will stay on the next meeting's agenda; if no new data comes forward then at that point this issue will be dropped.

3.3) 03/28/12-TMC to review IIIG LTMS wording for potential improvements to Section 5. Grundza

Rich Grundza and Jeff Clark reviewed the wording and advised against any wording changes. It was agreed to drop this action item.

4.0) Old Business

4.1) Lab's adherence to Section 7.1.3; quarterly fuel analysis reporting. Labs

The TMC has had difficulty getting labs to comply with the quarterly reporting of fuel analyses. The Chair reminded the labs with the need to comply in a timely fashion. **<Action Item: report quarterly fuel analysis in timely manner; test labs>**

4.2) Drop 99 h NOx measurement in D6984, reference ASTM Rating Manual and ASTM Rating Workshop in D6984. Grundza

Rich Grundza noted the need to clean up the IIIF procedure by removing the 99 h NOx measurement and correcting several references to parts ratings and rating workshops that are outdated. He will be cleaning these via a future Information Letter. **<Action Item: issue clean-up IL when appropriate; Rich Grundza>**

4.3) Reference ASTM Manual 20 and ASTM Rating Workshop in D7320. Grundza

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5.0) New Business

5.1) Introduction of Batch Code 11 rings into IIIF Test. BC 11 rings, size 3 are now secured from a different vendor. OH Technologies seeks direction from the SP regarding the introduction of the material. Bowden, J

Jason Bowden noted the change of vendor for all sizes of top and second rings for IIIF and IIIG (BC11 for IIIF, BC10 for IIIG). OHT is out of inventory of run 3 BC-10. Current supplies of IIIF batch code 10 rings are limited and OHT is currently out of stock for IIIF Run 3 BC10. Supplies of IIIG batch code 9 rings should last approximately 1.5 years (so we will hold off on running donated tests for the IIIG at this time). OHT is looking to the panel for guidance on introducing the new batches to the IIIF. After discussion, it was generally agreed to run a set of donated reference oil tests: each lab will donate a test, OHT will donate hardware, and TMC review fees will not be applied. Jason will craft the introduction method in greater detail and distribute for final approval. **<Action Item: draft and circulate a method for introducing new rings; Jason Bowden>**

5.2) Update of IIIF PVIS Severity Task Force activities and proposal. Szapponos

George Szapponos reviewed task force activities (**Attachment 3**). George noted that the task force has not identified the cause of the severity shift(s). George also addressed the Lubrizol proposal (**Attachment 4**) which uses a complex correction factor as a backup to solving the severity issue. George requested a separate teleconference and/or face-to-face meeting to

examine the proposal in greater detail. It was generally agreed to have a teleconference on the morning of Tuesday, Feb. 12. **<Action Item: finalize teleconference details; Dave Glaenzer>**

5.3) Update of Test Longevity Task force activities. Altman

Due to time constraints, this item was not addressed and it will be postponed until the next meeting.

5.4) Annual calibration of Sunnen honing machine load system. Leverett

Charlie Leverett stated that Sunnen's calibration machine is currently out of service. Jerry Brys stated that Sunnen expects the machine to be back online in mid-February.

5.5) Batch Code 16 oil ring experiences. Bowden, J

Jason Bowden noted that some labs have contacted OHT regarding some oil consumption issues. OHT has had the vendor inspect Batch 15 and 16 samples and each type of inspection has concluded the parts are to print, close to mean of tolerance, and the batches are very similar to each other. The vendor's opinion is that nothing has been found that would be related to changes in oil consumption. Jason stressed that OHT will continue working with the labs on this issue.

5.6) Oil Pan Gaskets- There have been changes made to the most recent oil pan gasket and two labs have provided observations to OHT. Bowden, J

Matt and Jason Bowden updated the panel on this issue. The new pan gasket has an angle that may cause the oil pickup screen to rest on the gasket. OHT will modify the gasket to make sure that there are no clearance issues. **<Action Item: modify oil pan gasket as noted; OHT>**

5.7) Critical Part Modification statement. Grundza

Rich Grundza noted that both IIIF and IIIG have statements prohibiting parts modifications. Dave Glaenzer stressed the need for labs to be aware of this.

6.0) Review Scope and Objectives

6.1) All

Due to time constraints, this item was not addressed and it will be postponed until the next meeting

7.0) Next Meeting

7.1) The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for the morning of February 12, 2013. Dave Glaenzer will finalize the meeting details as noted in item 5.2, above.




8.0) Meeting Adjourned: at approximately 12:10 p.m.

Teleconference 01/31/2013
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


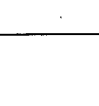

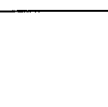


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




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Sequence IIIG 435-2 Results

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Summary of Results

- 18 tests reported from six labs
- Summary in next few slides

Target Values

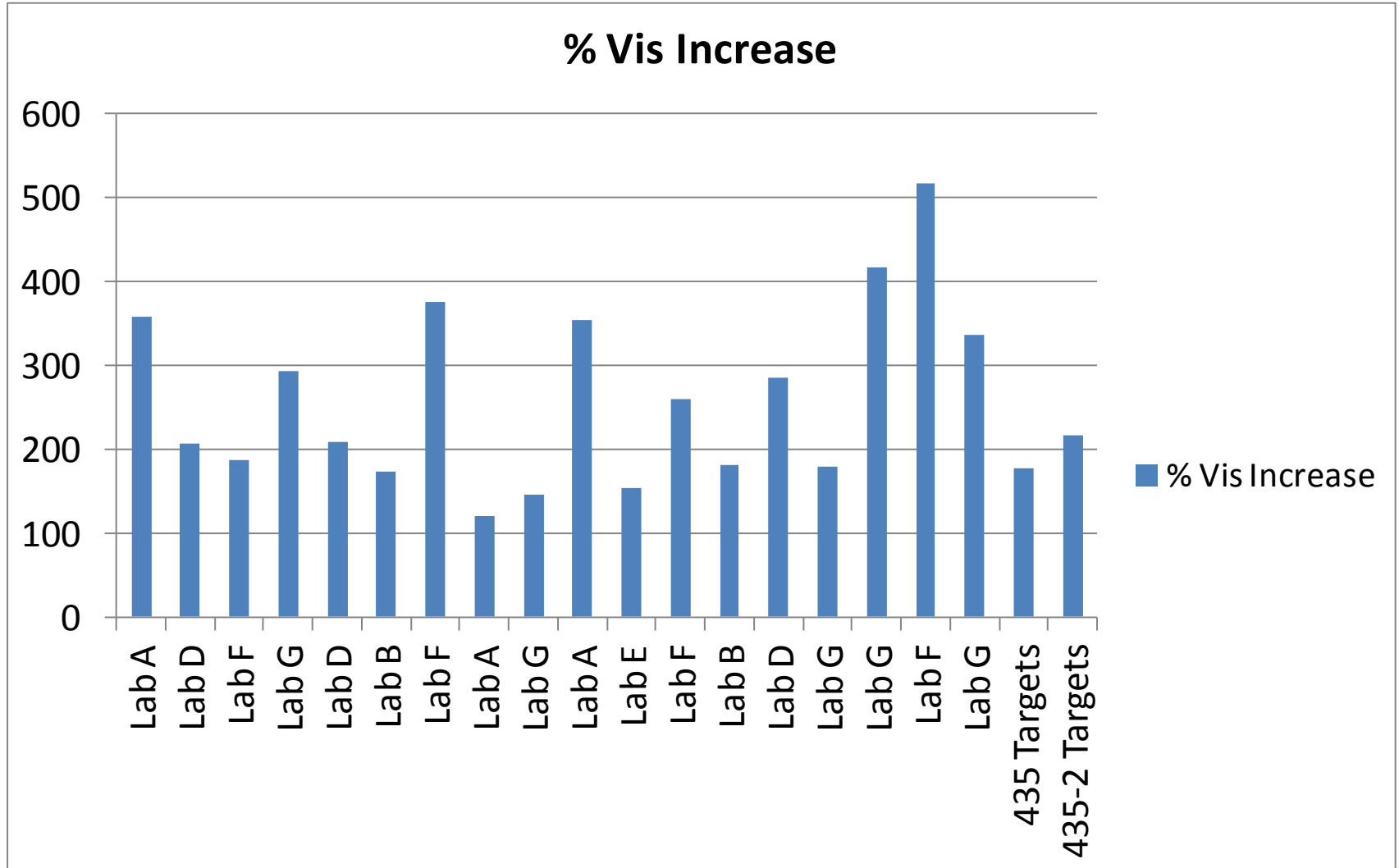
Parameter	Mean	Standard Deviation
ACLW	3.5096	0.4405
PVIS	5.3792	0.3607
WPD	3.61	0.31
PHOS	82.2	1.59

Means and standard deviations in transformed units for ACLW and PVIS

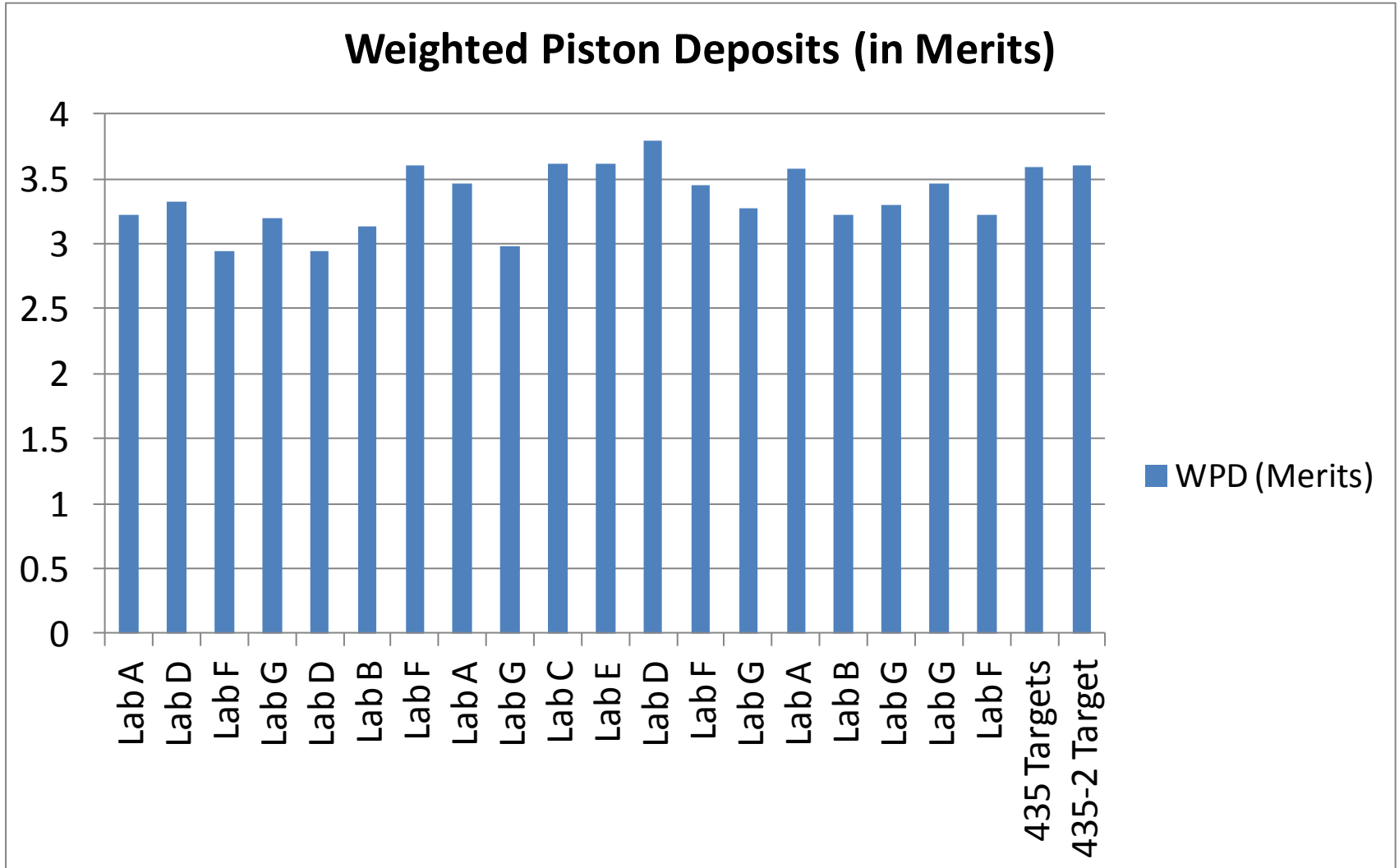
Summary of Test Results

LTMSLAB	TESTKEY	PVIS	PVIS _{ti}	SA	Adjusted	ACLW _{ti}	SA	Adjusted	WPD _{ti}	SA	Adjusted
D	80559-IIIG	208.4	5.339459	0	5.339459	3.2958	0.3647	3.6605	3.33	0	3.33
A	80562-IIIG	358.4	5.88165	-0.28715	5.5945	3.5205	0.3874	3.9079	3.23	0.337	3.567
F	80561-IIIG	188.8	5.240688	0	5.240688	2.9497	0.1771	3.1268	2.94	0	2.94
G	81512-IIIG	293.7	5.682559	-0.27444	5.408121	3.1001	0.4048	3.5049	3.2	0.4164	3.6164
D	80560-IIIG	208.8	5.341377	-0.24998	5.091393	3.8754	0.1767	4.0521	2.95	0.4446	3.3946
B	80564-IIIG	173	5.153292	0	5.153292	3.6763	0.219	3.8953	3.13	0.4268	3.5568
F	82083-IIIG	376.2	5.930121	0	5.930121	3.4078	0.1908	3.5986	3.6	0.337	3.937
A	81940-IIIG	162	5.087596	-0.29715	4.790451	3.6533	0.2947	3.948	3.46	0.335	3.795
G	82617-IIIG	176.3	5.172187	-0.17878	4.993409	3.0493	0.3817	3.431	2.98	0.3734	3.3534
E	80552-IIIG	153.7	5.035003	0	5.035003	3.0865	0.1693	3.2558	3.62	0	3.62
D	80852-IIIG	286.2	5.656691	0	5.656691	2.4069	0	2.4069	3.8	0.5032	4.303
F	82084-IIIG	259.6	5.559142	-0.37931	5.179832	3.74715	0	3.74715	3.45	0	3.45
G	84613-IIIG	417.7	6.034763	-0.181521	5.853242	3.5086	0.2921	3.8007	3.27	0.4163	3.6863
A	81941-IIIG	355	5.872118	-0.378336	5.493782	2.77882	0.1993	0.297212	3.58	0.3571	3.9371
B	82079-IIIG	181.6	5.201806	0	5.201806	3.605498	0.1141	3.719598	3.22	0.4747	3.6947
G	88571-IIIG	180.3	5.194622	-0.186113	5.008509	2.5878	0.2252	2.813	3.3	0.4174	3.7174
G	90683-IIIG	337	5.82009	0	5.82009	3.70868	0.2250	3.93368	3.46	0.3406	3.80
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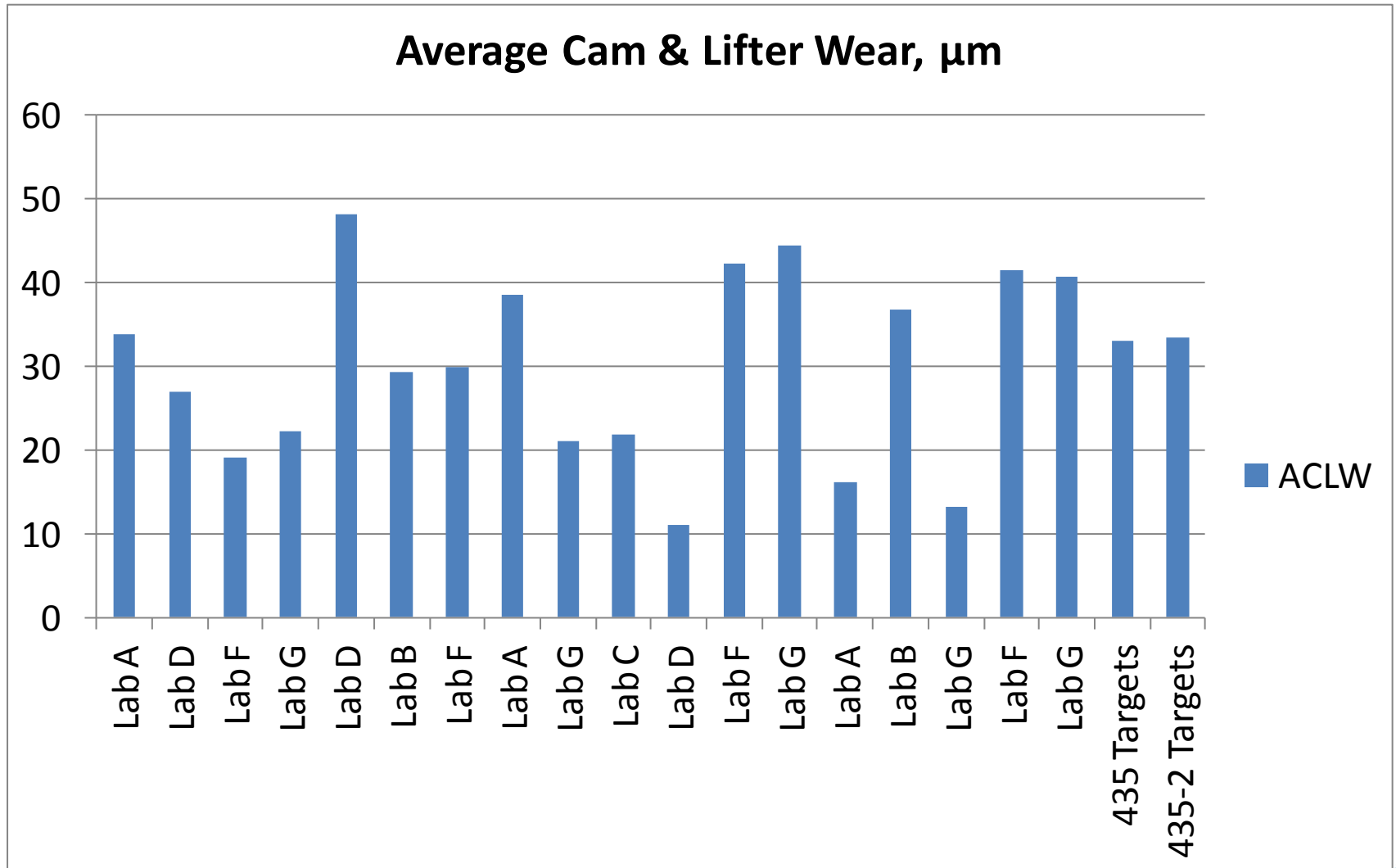
RO 435-2 Results for PVIS



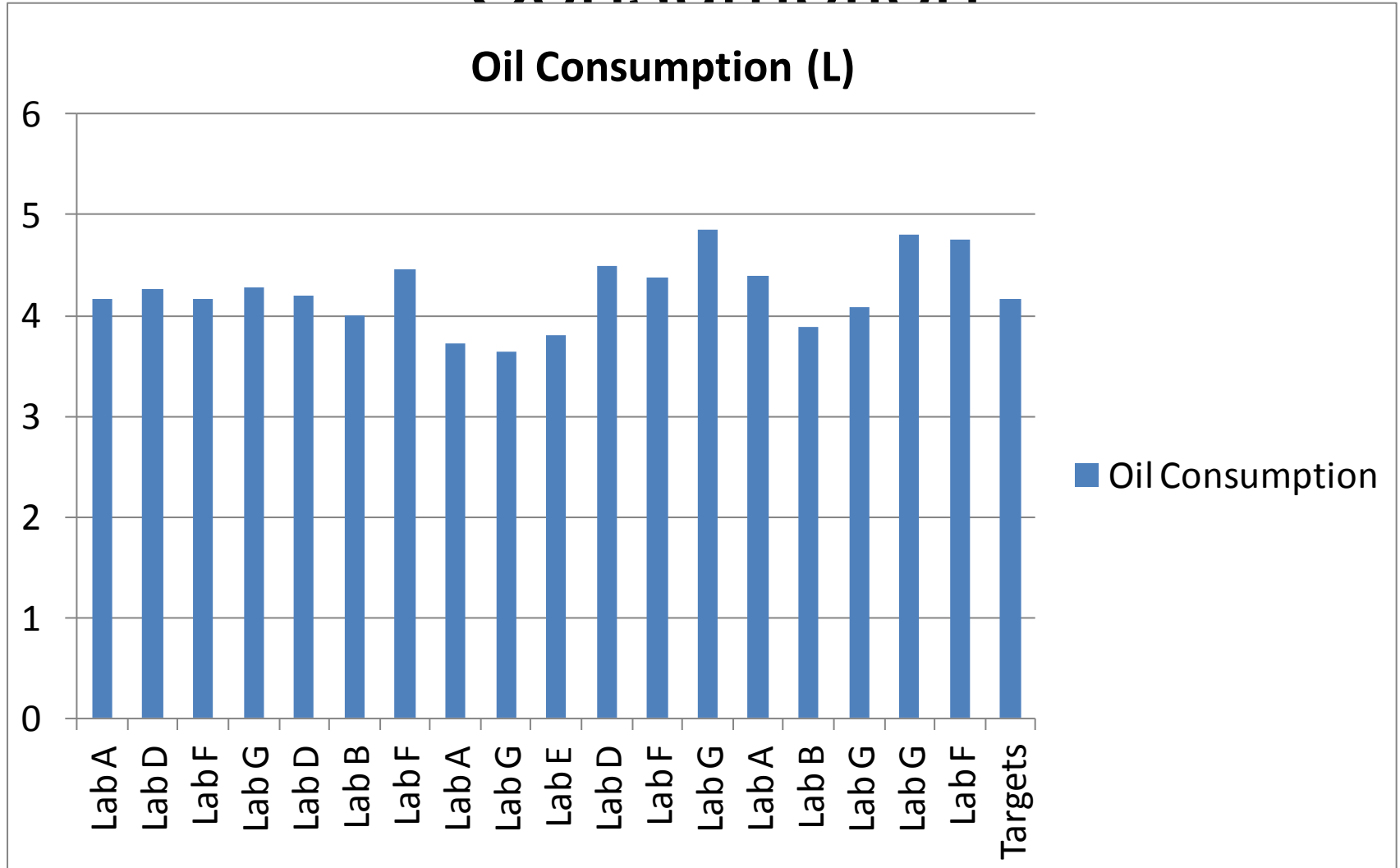
RO 435-2 Results for WPD



RO 435-2 Results for ACLW



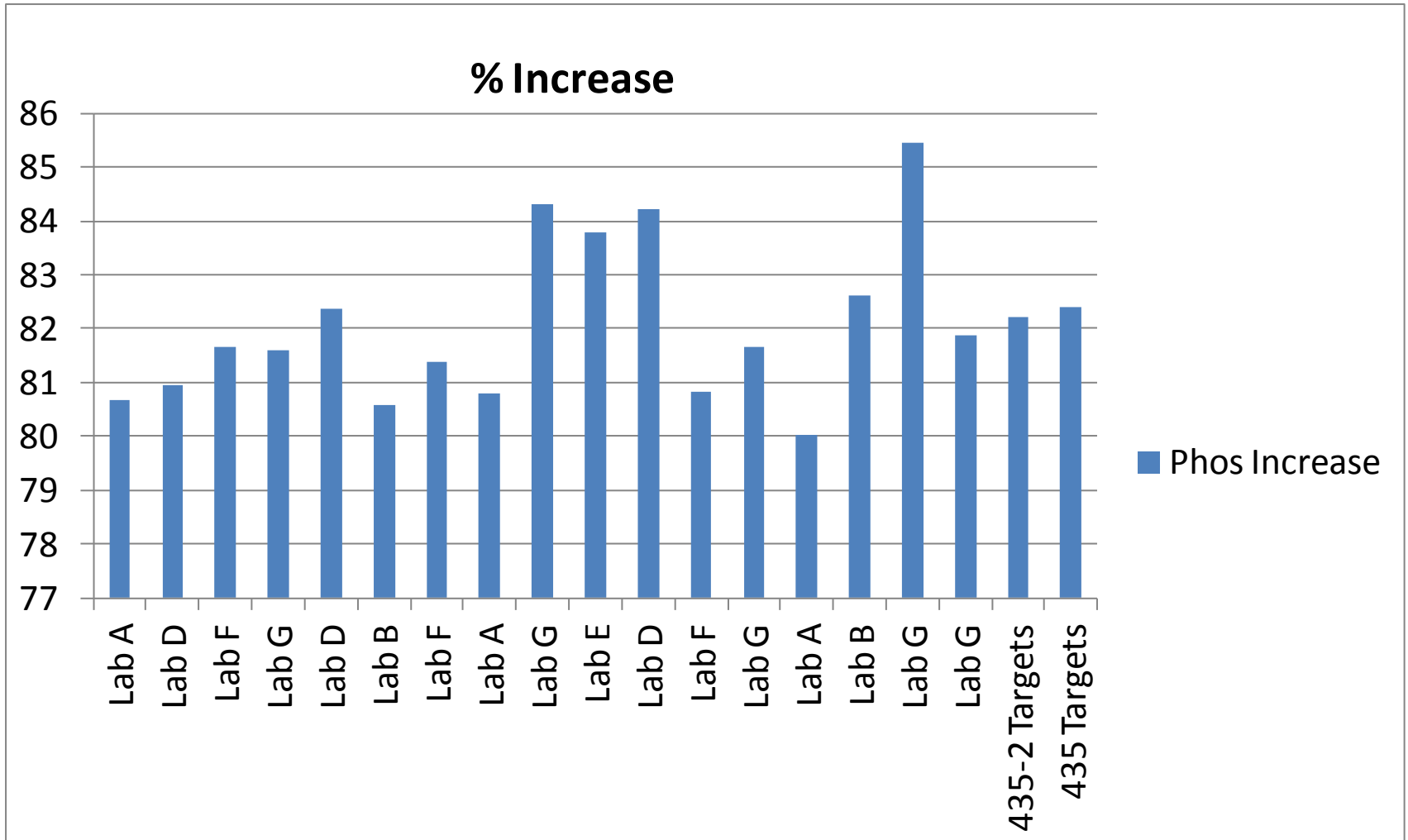
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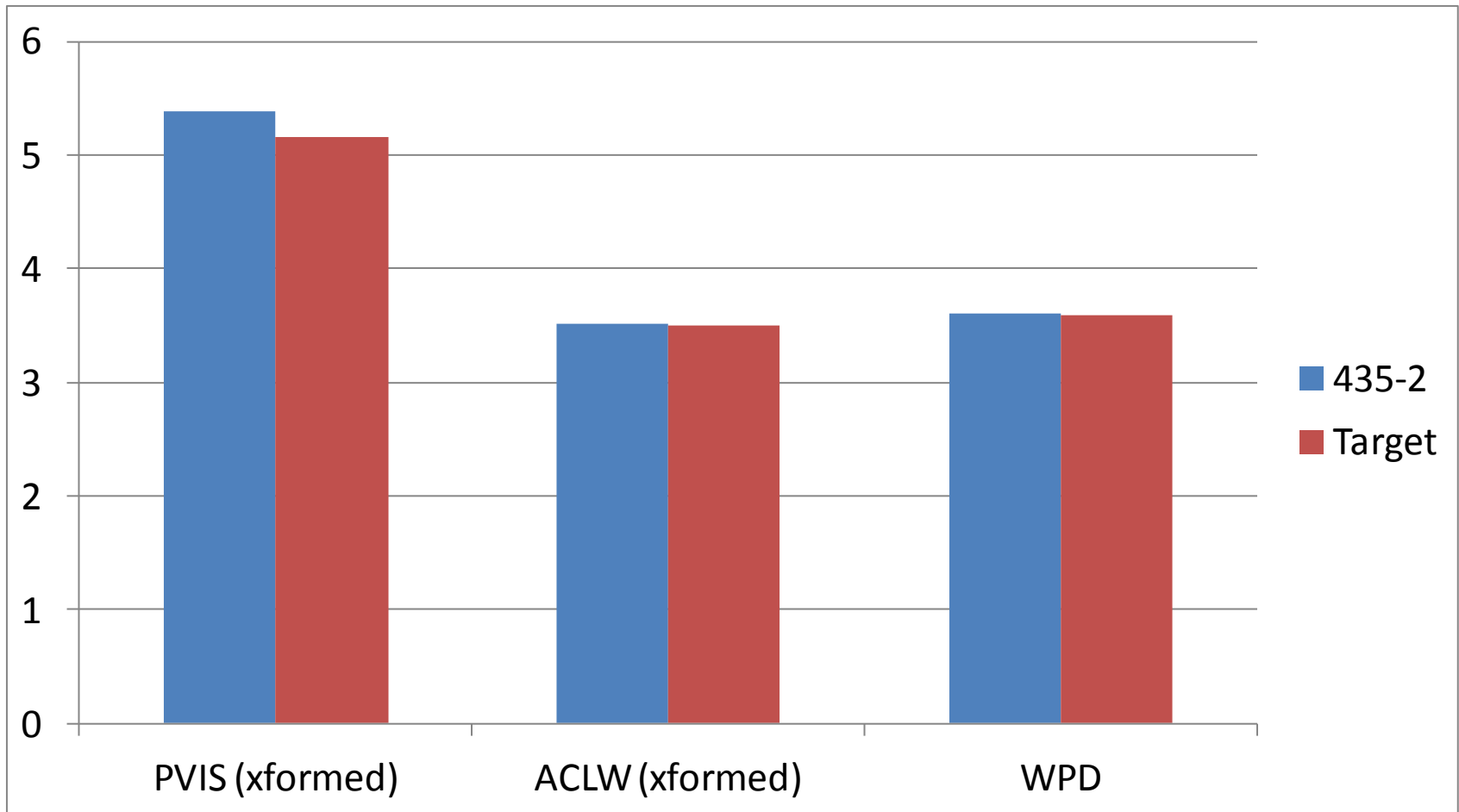
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RO 435-2 Results for Phos Retention



Comparison of Mean Performance of 435-2 (n= 18) with 435 targets



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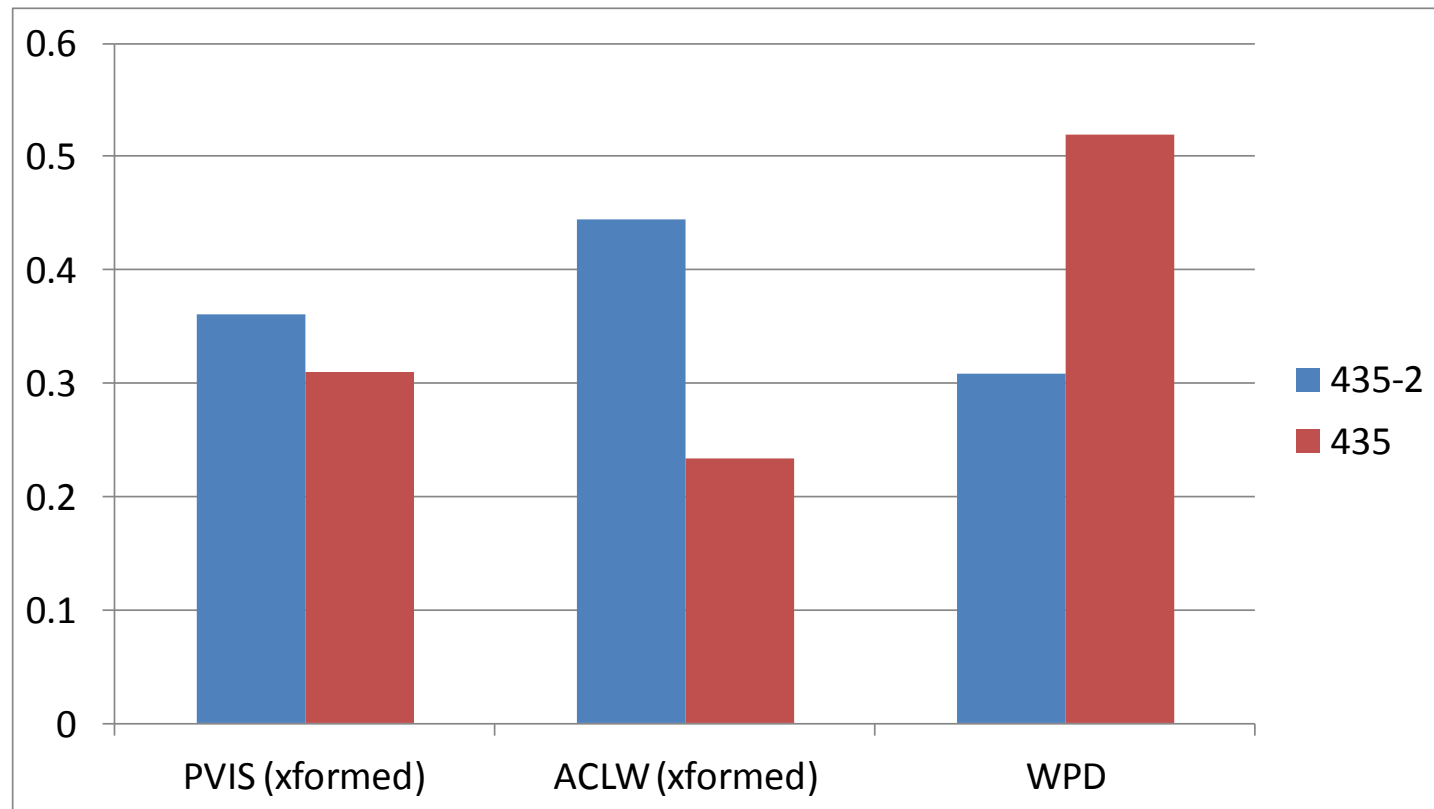
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Comparison of Standard Deviations of 435-2 (n= 18) with 435 targets



All 435-2 results severity adjusted using candidate model, where appropriate.



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Subject: Sequence IIIF PVIS Task Force Proceedings

Background:

On November 13, 2012 Lubrizol presented data indicating that the Sequence IIIF test has gotten significantly more severe in PVIS than what industry reference tests reflect. The analysis showed that due to the severity shift, a “break point” was being detected in current tests that coincides with a period in which the oil’s viscosity is temporarily low. If a test EOTs during this period it will artificially make the test appear mild when in fact the exact opposite is the case. This break-point was previously undetected since it would normally occur much later than 80 hours. With the current severity shift, this break-point is occurring progressively sooner.

During the SP teleconference of Nov 13, there was overall agreement that a PVIS shift has occurred and that it should be studied in more detail. A task force was formed to investigate the possible causes. Members of the task force are listed in the Appendix.

Objective:

The objective of the task force was 1) to validate the occurrence of a severity shift, and 2) to identify which aspect of the test was responsible for the PVIS shift. The areas of focus were to include: hardware, changes to test protocol, engine build, fuel, and oil.

Summary:

- A distinct PVIS severity shift was observed in 2007, and in again in 2010
- All labs are affected
- Thus far been unable to determine which test component(s) are responsible

Task Force Proceedings:

The first TF teleconference was held on 12/12/12 during which various analyses were presented:

- a. Rich Grundza of the TMC presented CUSUM charts, marked with the timing of hardware changes; based on this analysis it was not evident if any particular component was responsible (“IIIF plots.pdf”)
- b. Rich Grundza also presented an analysis of PVIS at 60, 70, and 80 hours that corroborated Lubrizol’s analysis of 11-12 (“TMC Presentation IIIF.pdf”)
- c. Doyle Boese of Infineum presented his analysis of the ‘break-point’, which also corroborated the severity shift (“IIIF Pvis 433-1 Severity Change.pptx”)
- d. Todd Dvorak and Ed Altman from Afton presented “Seq-IIIF-Severity-Trend-12-11-12.pptx” that showed that coincident to the PVIS shift, blowby has been increasing. He suggested that

possible factors may be ring and piston batches, however the correlation may be only to calendar date and have no relationship to the parts batches.

- e. Jessica Buchanan's analysis ("PVIS severity 12-12-12 LZ.ppt") showed that an oil consumption shift may be related to an oil seal batch change, and possibly to oil filter batch. Also, a shift in APV was shown that also seems to correlate with the timing of PVIS.
- f. It was anecdotally mentioned repeats of candidate oils have also shown significant shift, thus implying that the reference oil quality is not at issue. However, there was interest in looking at volatility through calcium drain analysis.
- g. George Szappanos and Ed Altman discussed their analysis of oil pressure, explaining that there exists a large inconsistency in the profile of oil pressure and that it was difficult to decipher any correlation between severity and curve signature.
- h. Lubrizol offered to run an investigative test to examine the impact of reducing blowby (given Dvorak's findings)

The next teleconference was January 22, 2013 to discuss Lubrizol's investigative run, the Calcium drain analysis, and next steps.

- a) The "low blowby" test was reviewed ("IIIF low blowby test.pptx"), which did not improve the PVIS severity at all. The conclusion from the test was that either it was not possible to reduce blowby significantly by closing ring end-gap, or that such a small change in blowby does not impact PVIS significantly.
- b) An analysis of Calcium drain oil was presented by George Szappanos of Lubrizol ("IIIF 1006 Ca.ppt"), which showed that there is a higher concentration of Ca at EOT at current versus 10 years ago. This would suggest a higher level of oil volatilization, which may be indicative of higher (local) temperatures in the engine.
- c) No additional analyses or experiments were suggested.
- d) Lubrizol offered that a correction factor may be a viable solution and that a proposal would be made available for review in the next week.

Appendix:

Task Force members:

Afton: Ed Altman; Dave Glaenzer; Todd Dvorak
GM: Angela Willis; Bruce Matthews
Lubrizol: Jerome Brys; Buchanan, Jessica; Szappanos, George
Infineum: Doyle Boese; Ritchie, Andrew
Intertek: Charlie Leverett
SWRI: Janet Buckingham; Patrick Lang; Karin Haumann
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Lubrizol Now What?

How to Better Numerically Assess Sequence IIF Viscosity Increase

January 28, 2013

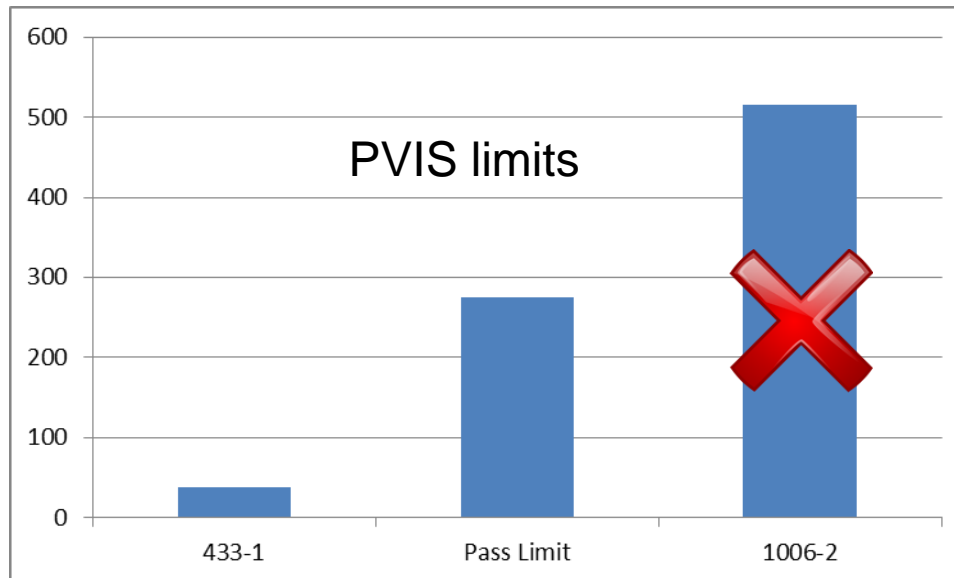


IIIF PVIS Severity - Background

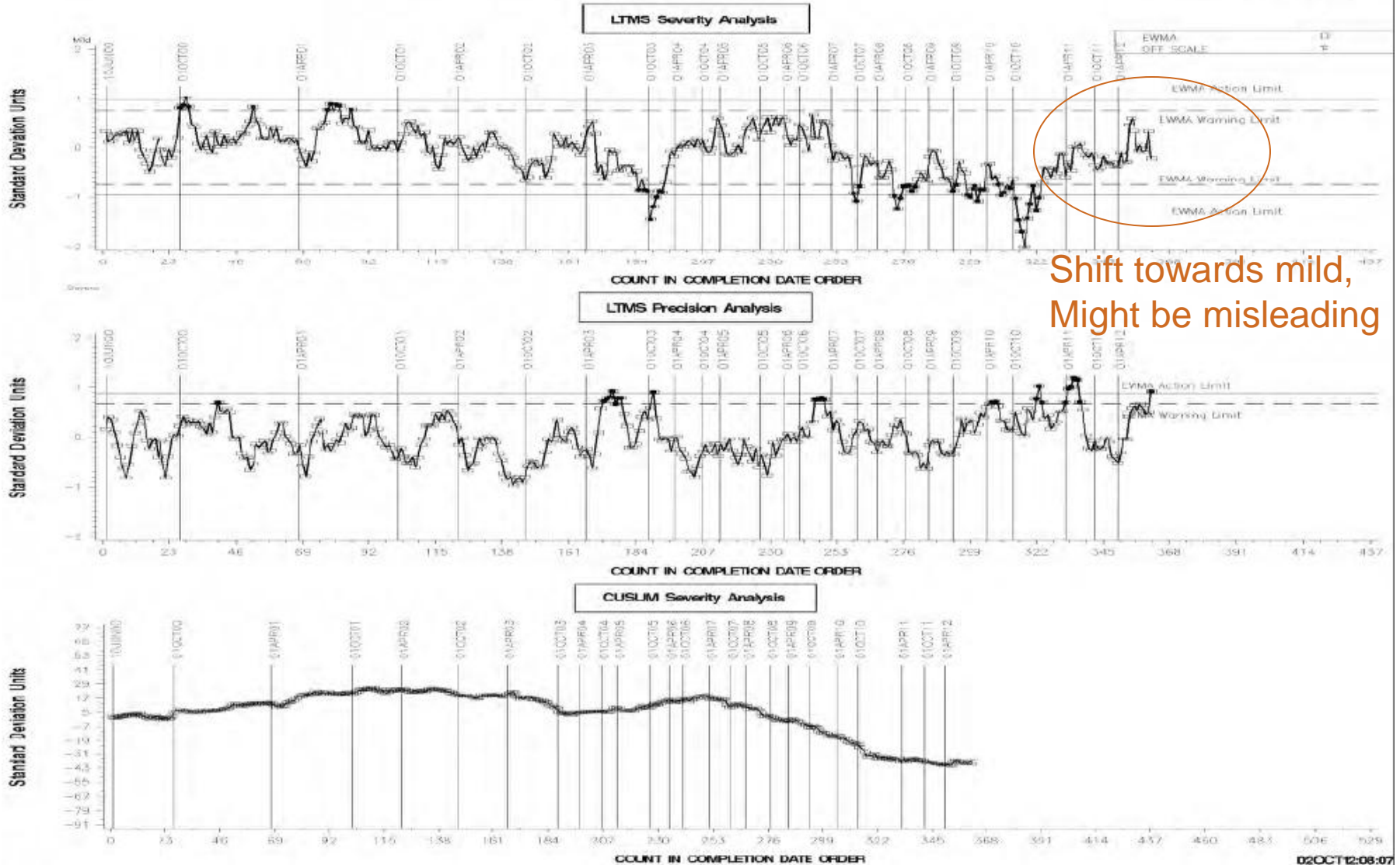
- IIIF PVIS has become more severe
- Difficult to detect the change in severity by looking at EOT PVIS due to the nature of RO 433-1
- LZ presented evidence of severity change to the Sequence III Surveillance Panel November 12, 2012
- Subsequently, IIIF PVIS Severity Task Force was created, and severity change confirmed by others in the industry

Reference oils

- IIIF 1006 reference oil dropped (PVIS target = 515%)
 - Labs could not calibrate; removed late 2010
 - 433, high reference, left as the only reference oil (PVIS target = 37%)
 - There is concern that without a severe reference oil to bracket the pass/fail limit, it's difficult to determine if the test severity has shifted.



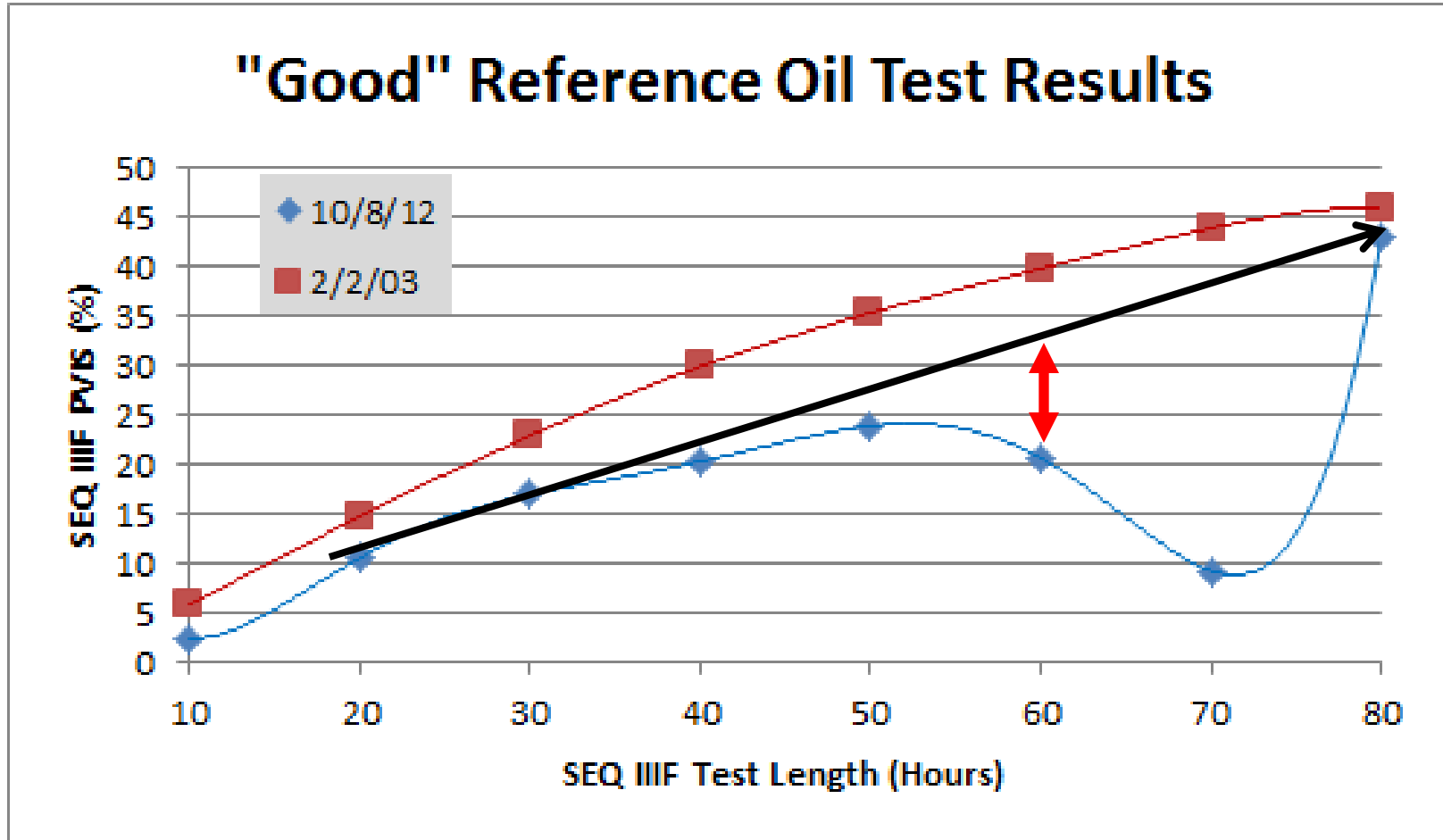
TMC Data, PVIS severity



Shift towards mild,
Might be misleading

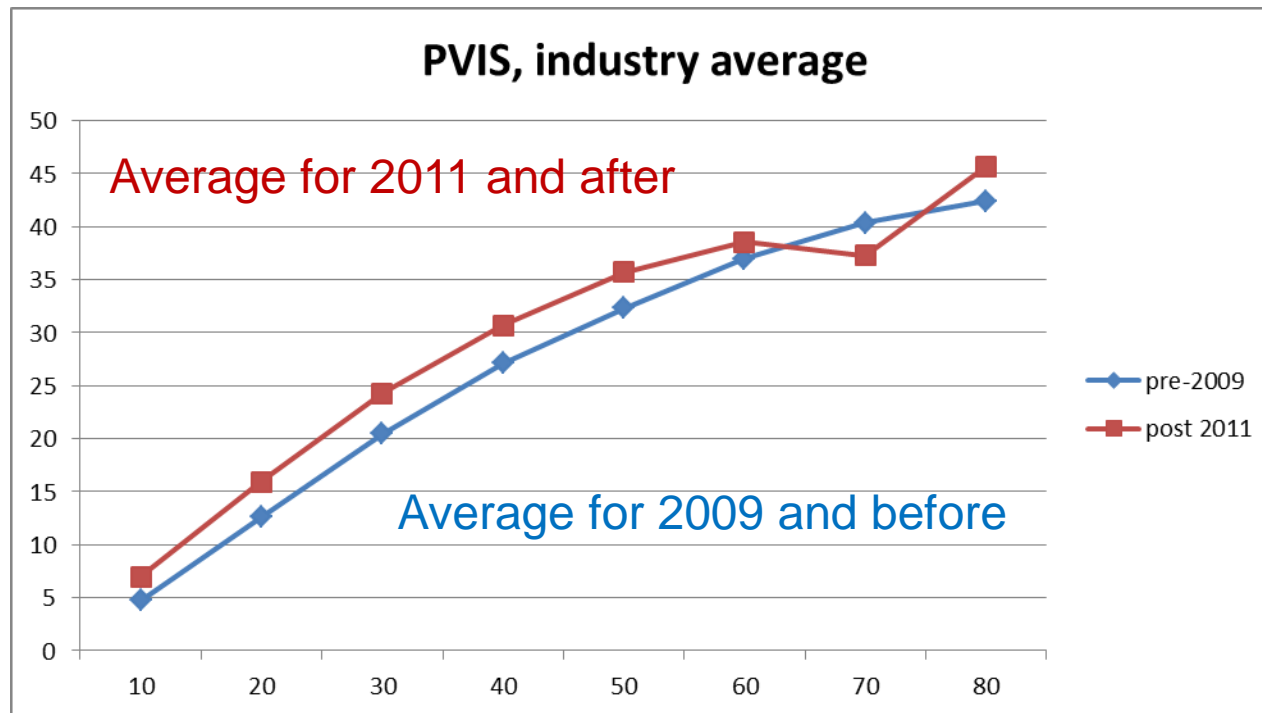
Why SEQ IIIF-HD Reference Considered “Mild”

During more severe SEQ IIIF test run, if the 60Hr data point falls inside the “Negative Viscosity Increase” during the oil breaking period, the SEQ IIIF-HD result appears to be mild when in actuality, the test is running much more severe. The “Good” reference oil generally did not “break” before 70hrs until testing after 2010.



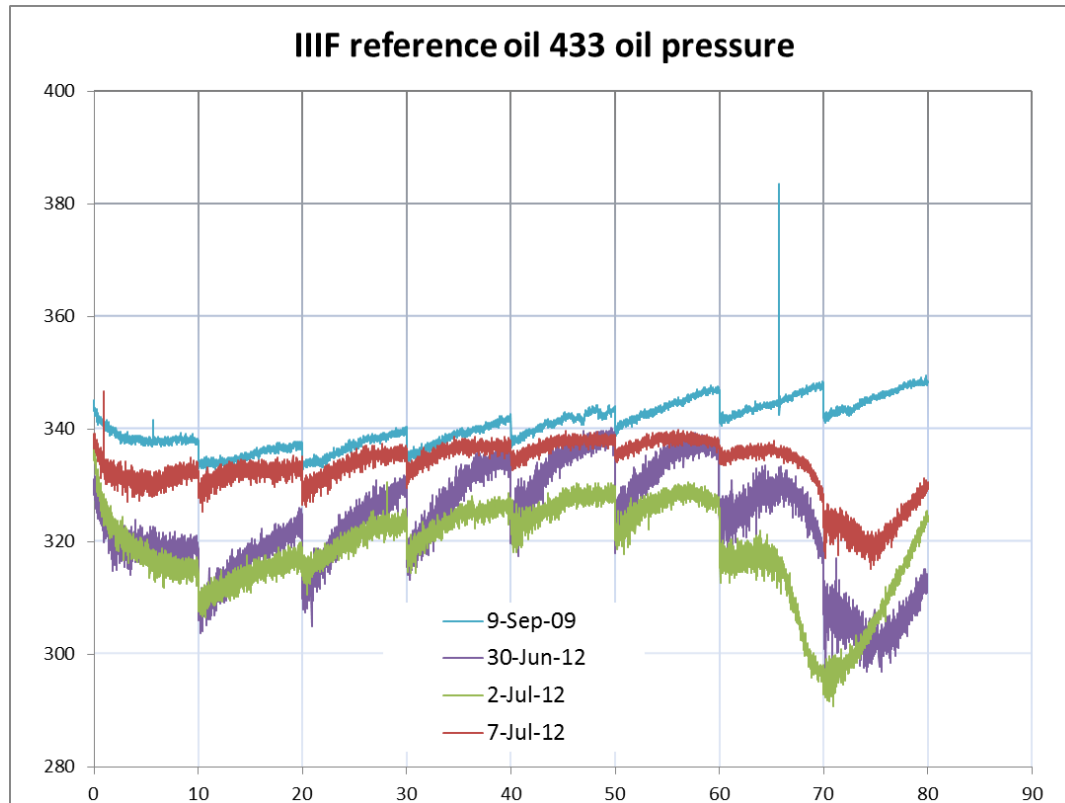
RO 433 PVIS break point, industry average

- Data analyzed before and after 2010
- Note that latest data shows a 'break point' at 70 hrs
- An analysis was performed to examine the PVIS delta near EOT



Oil pressure break point (LZ data)

- Shows break point occurring around 70-75 hrs
- Earlier tests do not show any break point



A Shift in Delta70

- A model was fit to look for evidence of a shift in severity
- The Shift was defined as 6/13/2010
- The effect of shift is significant; the interaction between lab and shift is not significant → a shift happens, and all labs experience it

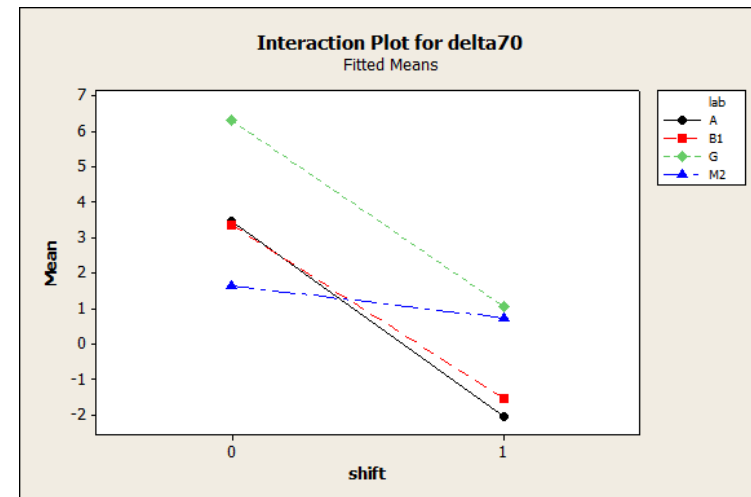
General Linear Model: delta70 versus lab, shift

Factor	Type	Levels	Values
lab	fixed	4	A, B1, G, M2
shift	fixed	2	0, 1

Analysis of Variance for delta70, using Adjusted SS for Tests

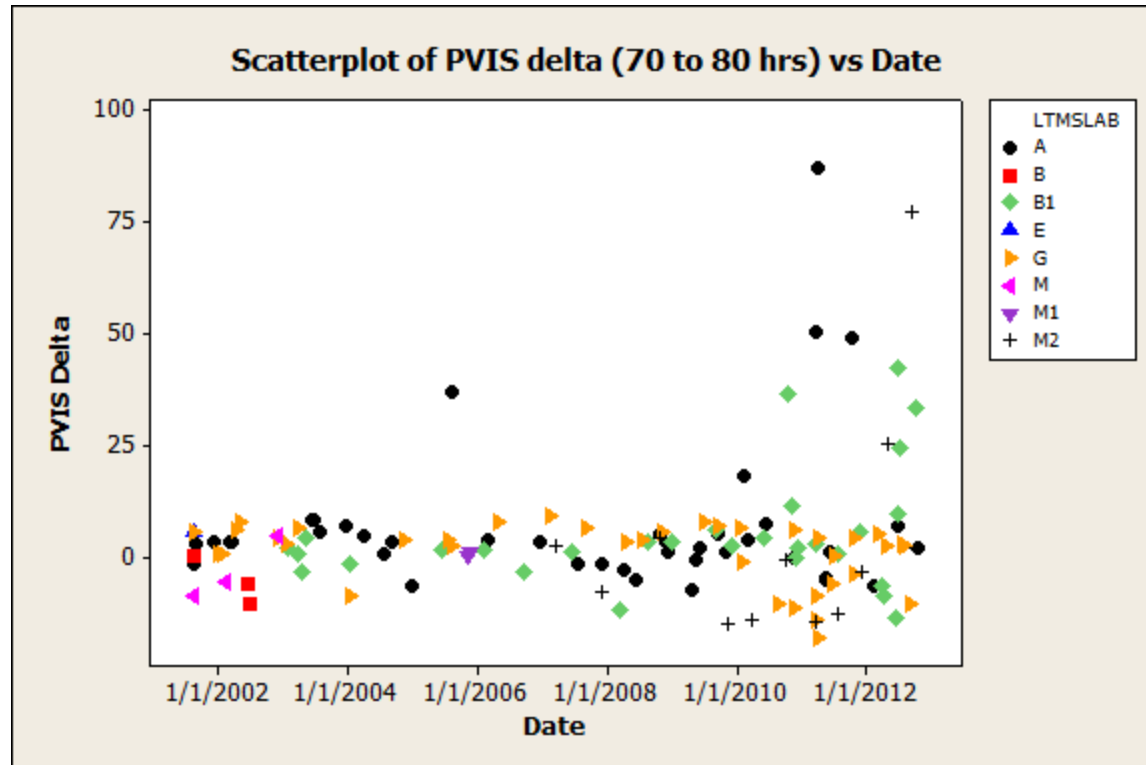
Source	DF	Seq SS	Adj SS	Adj MS	F	P
lab	3	192.98	198.29	66.10	1.54	0.207
shift	1	632.60	388.40	388.40	9.07	0.003
lab*shift	3	50.60	50.60	16.87	0.39	0.758
Error	113	4841.36	4841.36	42.84		
Total	120	5717.53				

S = 6.54552 R-Sq = 15.32% R-Sq(adj) = 10.08%



Reference Data from TMC for RO 433-1

- Beginning 2010, a change is also evident in the change in PVIS from 70 to 80 hours



A Shift in Delta80

- A model was fit to look for evidence of a shift in severity
- The Shift was defined as 6/13/2010
- The interaction between lab and shift is significant → labs are experiencing a shift differently

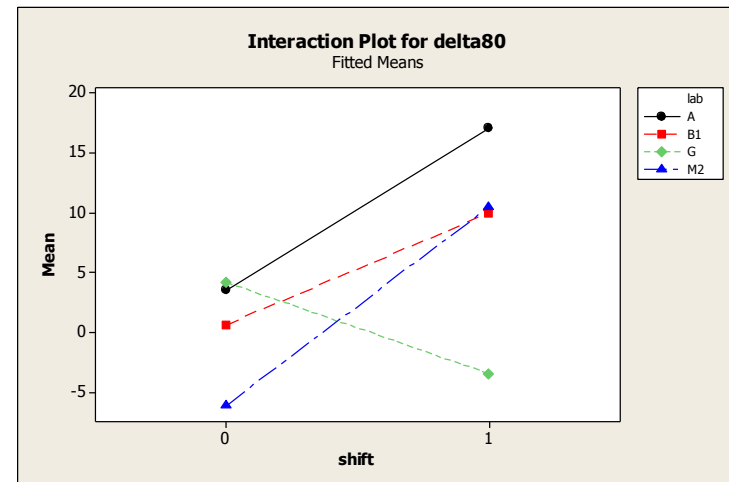
General Linear Model: delta80 versus lab, shift

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shift	fixed	2	0, 1

Analysis of Variance for delta80, using Adjusted SS for Tests

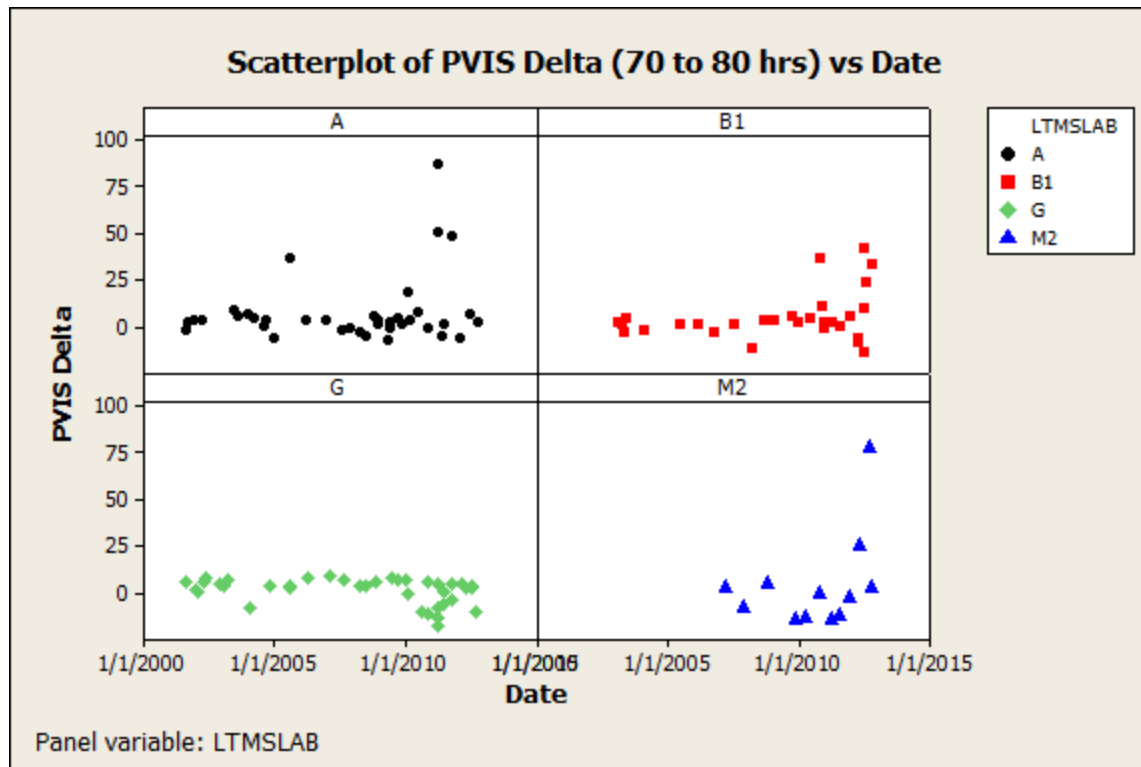
Source	DF	Seq SS	Adj SS	Adj MS	F	P
lab	3	775.4	1797.9	599.3	2.88	0.039
shift	1	868.1	1416.1	1416.1	6.80	0.010
lab*shift	3	2581.8	2581.8	860.6	4.13	0.008
Error	113	23539.8	23539.8	208.3		
Total	120	27765.0				

S = 14.4332 R-Sq = 15.22% R-Sq(adj) = 9.97%



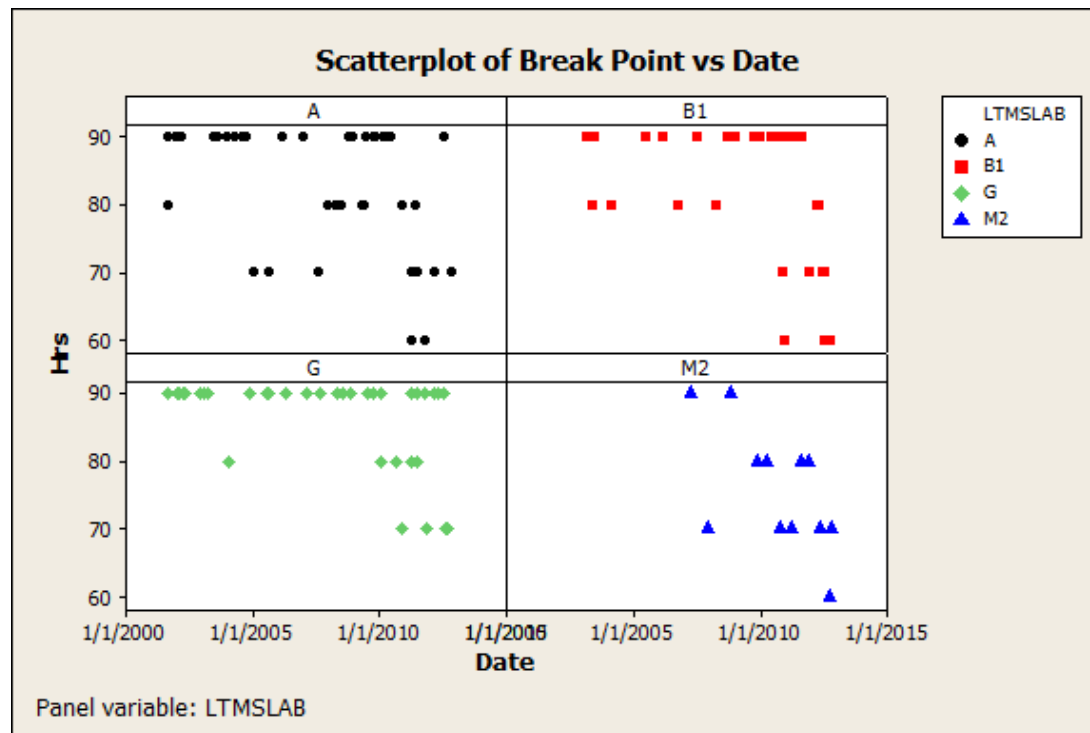
Delta80 by Lab

- Plot of Delta80 by lab, to examine interaction
- By EOT, the RO could be at three places: not yet broke, currently breaking, or already broke
- Difficult to tell using just the EOT PVIS



RO 433-1 Breaking point

- Look for the time of breaking point for RO 433-1.
- Break Point = hours when viscosity change first goes negative
 - 90 hrs means did not break before EOT
- **Conclusion: the oil is breaking sooner → the test is increasing in severity**



Executive Summary

- RO1006-2 dropped in 11/2010 because the test became too severe, but this DOES NOT magically make severity problem disappear
- Buchanan presentation shows statistical evidence that PVIS has shifted for RO433 since 06/2010 (not coincidentally, about the same time RO1006-2 shifted)
- IF we cannot find an engineering solution:
 - This presentation shows how PVIS severity can be properly assessed using HOURS to 275% PVIS for the Reference Oils
 - Lubrizon proposes using HOURS in LTMS and then applying any severity adjustments based on HOURS to candidate oil PVIS

Problem

- We only have one reference oil and it is a high-performing oil
- PVIS has shifted severe even though PVIS values at 80 hours for RO433-1 are the same or even LOWER than before the shift
- Test hours are not long enough to assess the ramifications of an earlier break in the oil for RO433-1, using EOT PVIS
- Introducing new, borderline reference oils is expensive and time consuming (although this should be highly considered for the future)
 - It may not be a good idea to introduce a new reference oil when there are questions concerning the severity or precision of the test

Proposed Solution

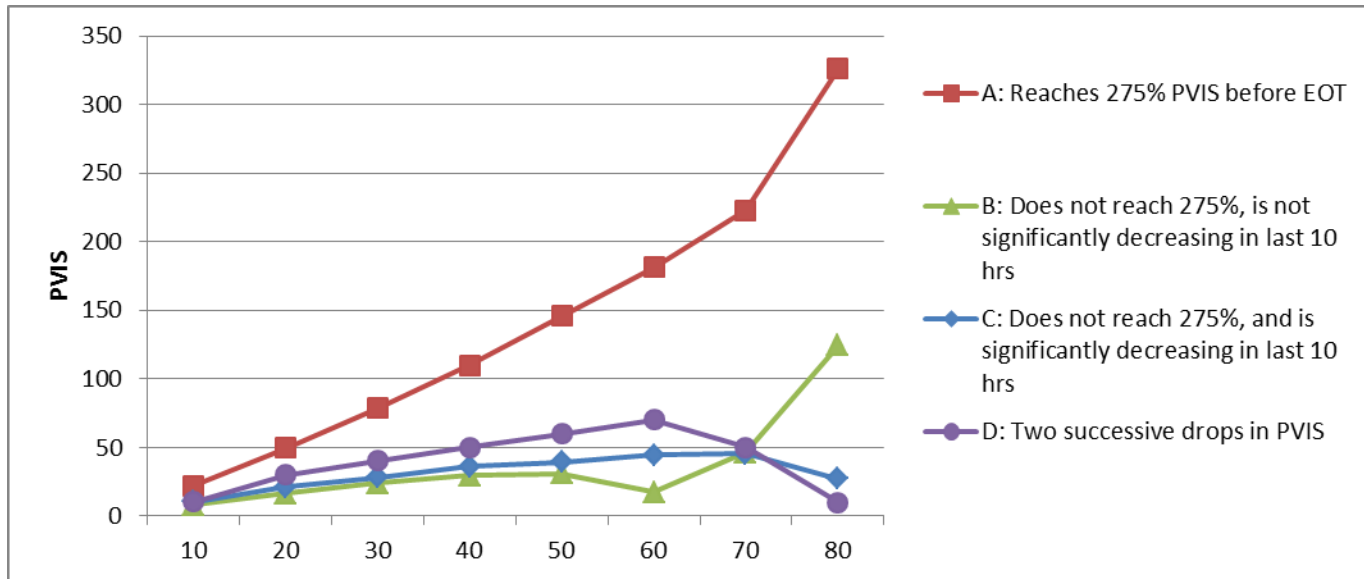
- Use HOURS to 275% Viscosity Increase for LTMS and Reference Oils ONLY
 - use HOURS to adjust where EOT PVIS is measured for candidate oils
 - We are not changing the parameter, we are just using a different transformation
 - We are not changing the pass/fail limit for candidates or how MTAC results are calculated
 - We are still using PVIS and the inverse square root transformation for MTAC

Proposed Solution

- Monitor IIF using both RO433-1 and RO1006-2
 - Both oils demonstrate a similar severity shift when assessed using HOURS
 - Note that some data suggest that RO1006-2 may not be able to complete 80 hours in the new severity regime
- If the switch is made to HOURS for LTMS
 - Severity adjustments would change the point at which PVIS is measured for candidate oils, based on HOURS
 - No change in the pass/fail parameter for candidate oils; it remains PVIS although EOT PVIS (whether EOT is at 60 or 80 Hours) may be evaluated earlier in the test depending on test severity
 - Other test parameters continue to be measured at 80 hours

How to calculate HOURS to 275% PVIS for Reference Oils

- The Reference Oil test will fall into one of these situations:



A: Interpolate to get HOURS to 275% PVIS

B: Extrapolate HOURS to 275%, based on slope estimate

C: Extrapolate HOURS to 275%, considering the decrease in PVIS

D: Invalid Test, i.e. two successive drops in PVIS

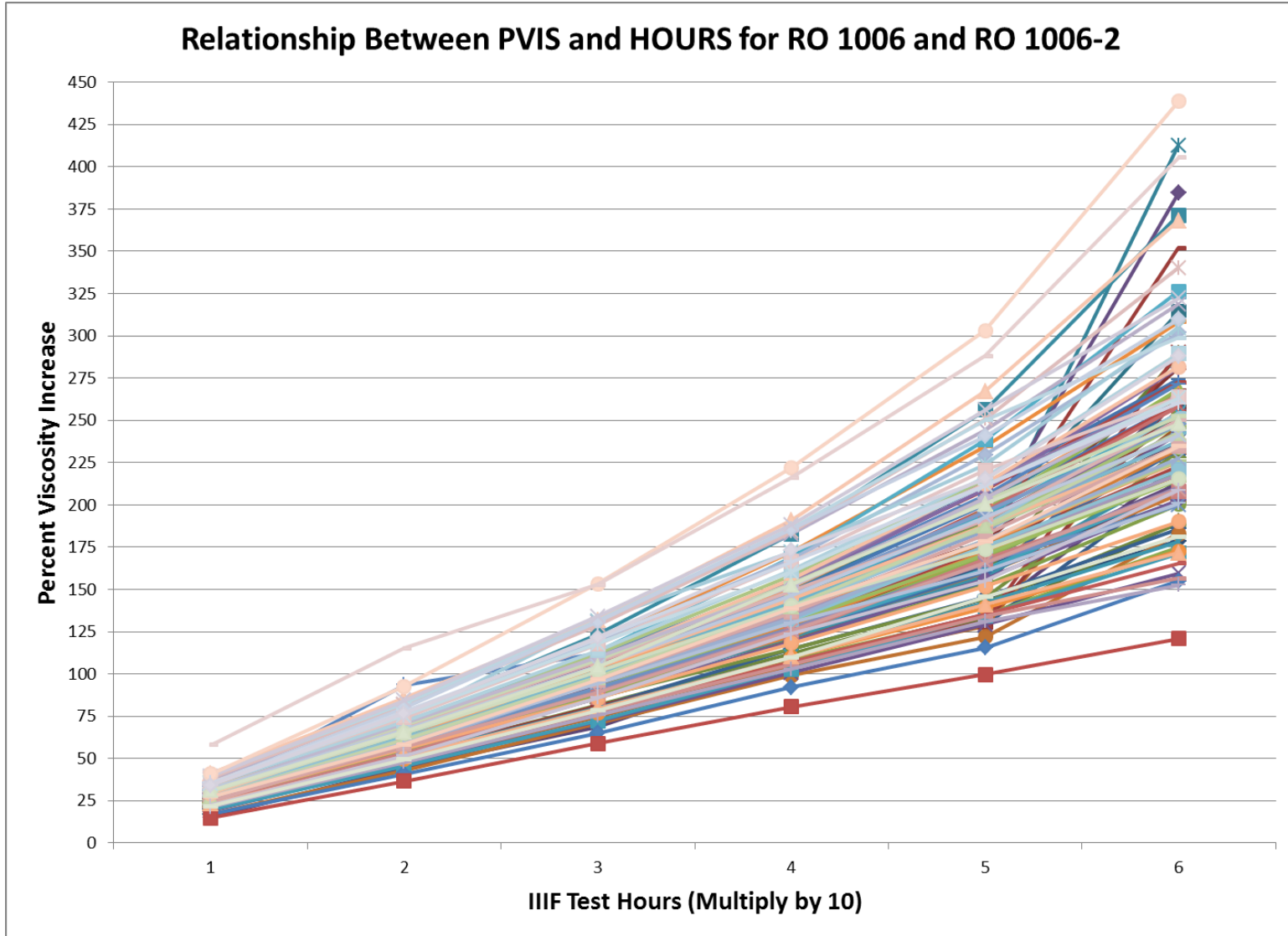
Calculating HOURS to 275% PVIS

- For Reference Oils ONLY
 - HOURS calculation is not made for candidate oils
- Case A (PVIS exceeds 275%) for a single reference test
 - Easy, just interpolate to calculate the HOURS to 275% PVIS
 - Transformation used to be determined later in presentation
- Case B (does not exceed 275%, but PVIS is not significantly decreasing) for a single reference test
 - Bit more complicated
 - Can be determined by studying the body of case A data

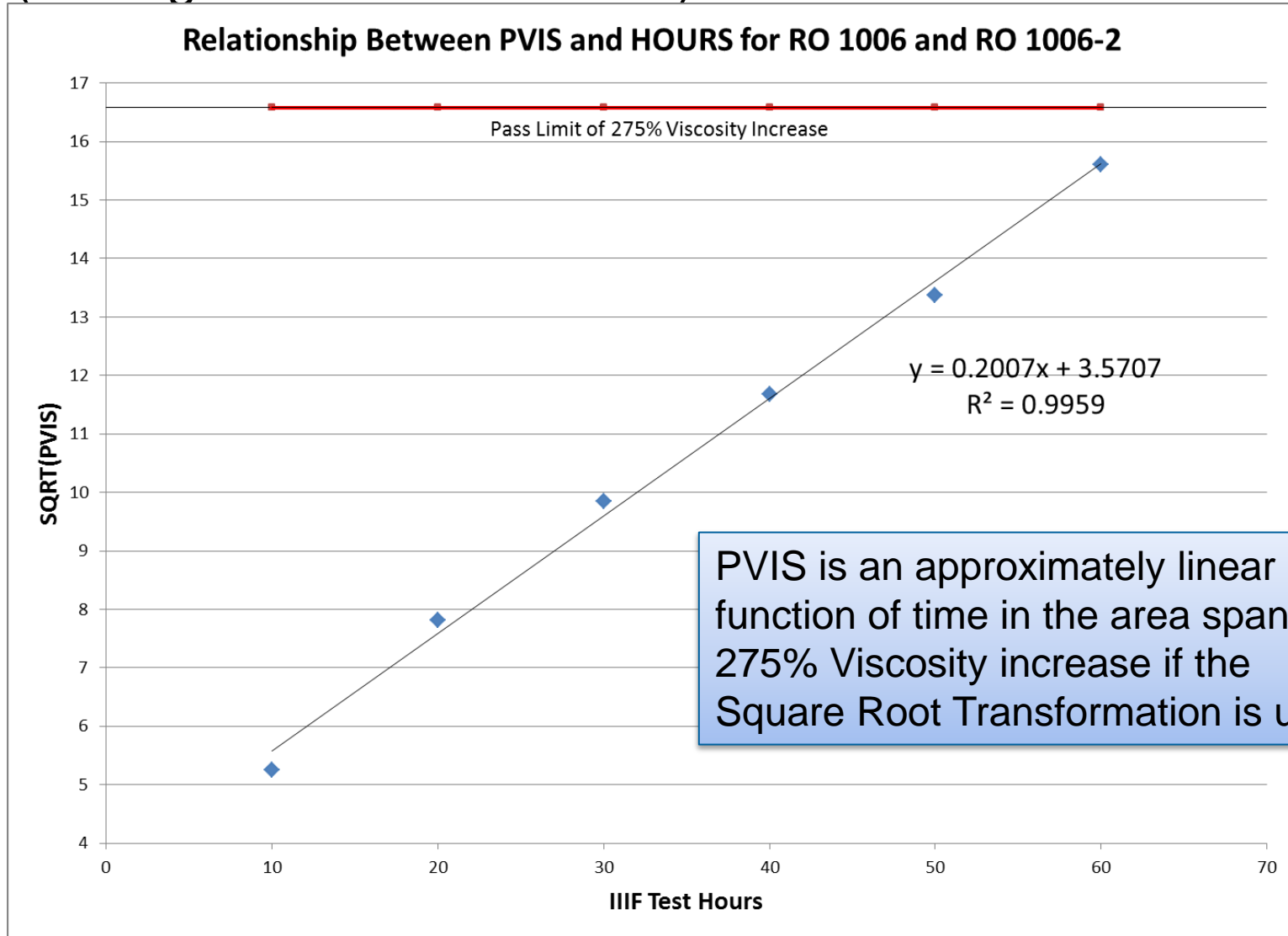
Solution: Step 1 for Case B

- Want the distribution for oils APPROACHING 275%
- Establish the distribution and nature of PVIS data at or around 275% Viscosity Increase
- RO1006 between 20 and 60 hours is best used to establish this distribution
 - Oil approaches and sometimes spans 275% Viscosity Increase during this interval and is currently our only measure of Viscosity Rate of Increase at or around 275%

Need a transformation to make linear



Square Root Transformation is much better (averaged over all RO 1006)



Solution: Step 2 for Case B

- This means that for tests on oils that have reached 275% Viscosity Increase before end of test (Case A), we should use the square root transformation in interpolating HOURS
- For Case B (PVIS has not reached 275% but is not significantly decreasing)
 - Use square root transformation for linear relationship between PVIS and Test Hours at or around 275% Viscosity Increase
 - The slope in the relationship is 0.2007
- Note that this means that a slope of 0.2007 is our best guess estimate of a slope for oils that have not yet reached 275% Viscosity Increase by end of test and have not yet reached a slope of 0.2007

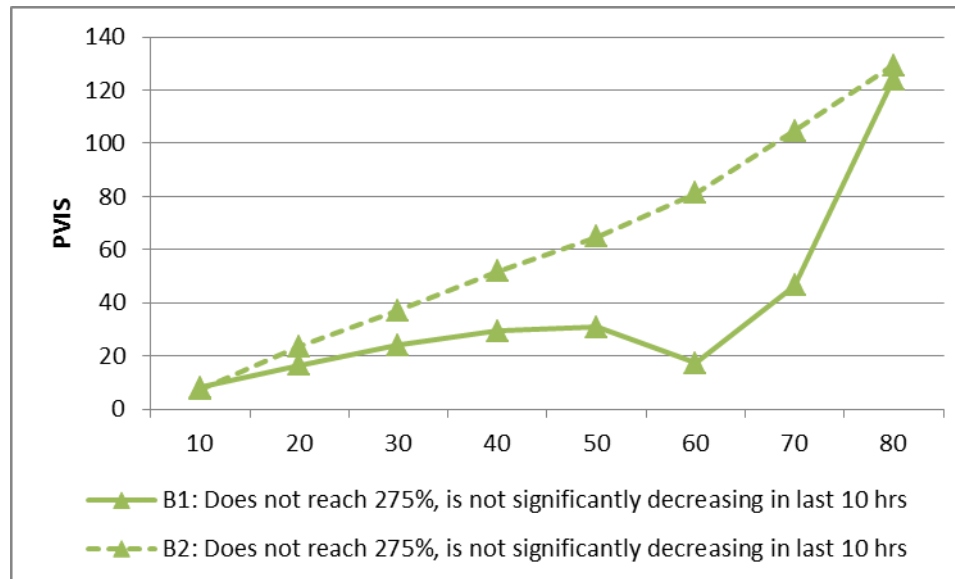
Solution: Step 3 for Case B

- Estimate the slope for tests on oils that have not reached 275%, but have a slope from 70 Hours to 80 Hours that is greater than 0.2007
- 0.2007 is our default estimate
 - We assume that all oils will increase to **at least** this slope after 80 Hours based on the RO1006 analysis
- If we have a greater slope than 0.2007 at 80 Hours, we use that slope in calculating HOURS to 275% Viscosity Increase

Solution: Case B Summary

Reference Oil does not reach 275% PVIS before EOT, and PVIS is not significantly decreasing in the last 10 hours

- Note that B1 would use the slope from 70 to 80 hours (using square root transformation), and B2 would use slope of 0.2007. This would make B1 more severe – as it should be.



Solution: Step 1 for Case C

- Estimate the slope for tests on oils that have not reached 275%, but have a 'significant decrease' in PVIS from 70 Hours to 80 Hours
 - This is a problem because we know that the slope will increase after the decrease in PVIS, but what will it increase to?
- Now that we are now seeing decreases in PVIS before 80 Hours, we can estimate the slope after the decrease for RO433
 - There have been 20 test results on 433 (2) and 433-1 (18) where there is a 'significant decrease' before 70 Hours which allows us to estimate the slope after the decrease
 - "Significant" to be defined
 - The mean slope after the decrease is 0.2301 and the median is 0.2386

Solution: Step 2 for Case C

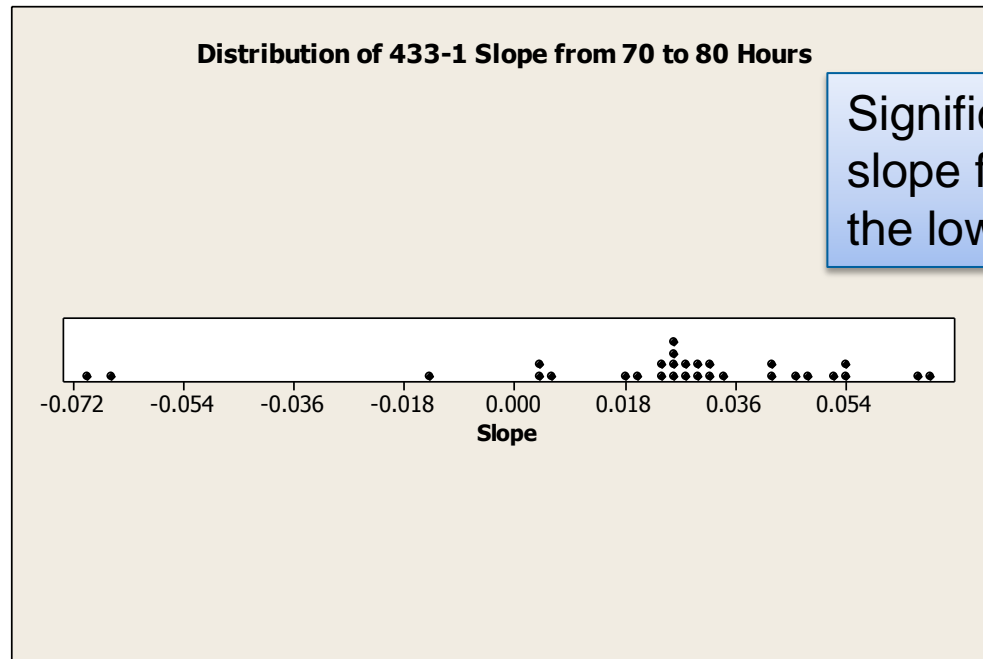
Defining 'significant decrease'

- In dealing with decreasing oils, we have to make sure that it is a “real” decrease and not just natural variation
- Data was analyzed from before the identified date of the shift (June 2010) to estimate the average slope from 70 to 80 hours and the standard deviation of that slope
- First 30 non-outlier runs at SwRI and Intertek used
 - Enough data to assess lab effects
 - No difference between the labs
 - 8/16/2001 to 2/16/2007
 - One outlier at SwRI (8/9/2005) removed

Solution: Step 2 for Case C

Analysis of first 30 non-outlier runs at SwRI and Intertek

- Mean Slope = 0.02464
- Standard Deviation = 0.0310682
- Standard Error = 0.00567
- 95% Prediction Interval is (-0.03996, 0.08923)



Significant Decrease = when the slope from 70 to 80 hours exceeds the lower bound of the PI (-0.03996)

Solution: Case C Summary

- On any reference test, if we see a slope from 70 to 80 hours (calculated on the square root scale) of less than (-0.03996) we need to use our best estimate of the slope **AFTER** the oil decreases
 - We suggest using an estimate from the 20 tests on RO433 of the median slope for the after the decrease, which is 0.2386
 - This makes sense because if we use the lower slope of 0.2007 then test results from oils that decrease at 80 hours would be incorrectly less severe than test results at similar PVIS80 from oils that do not decrease

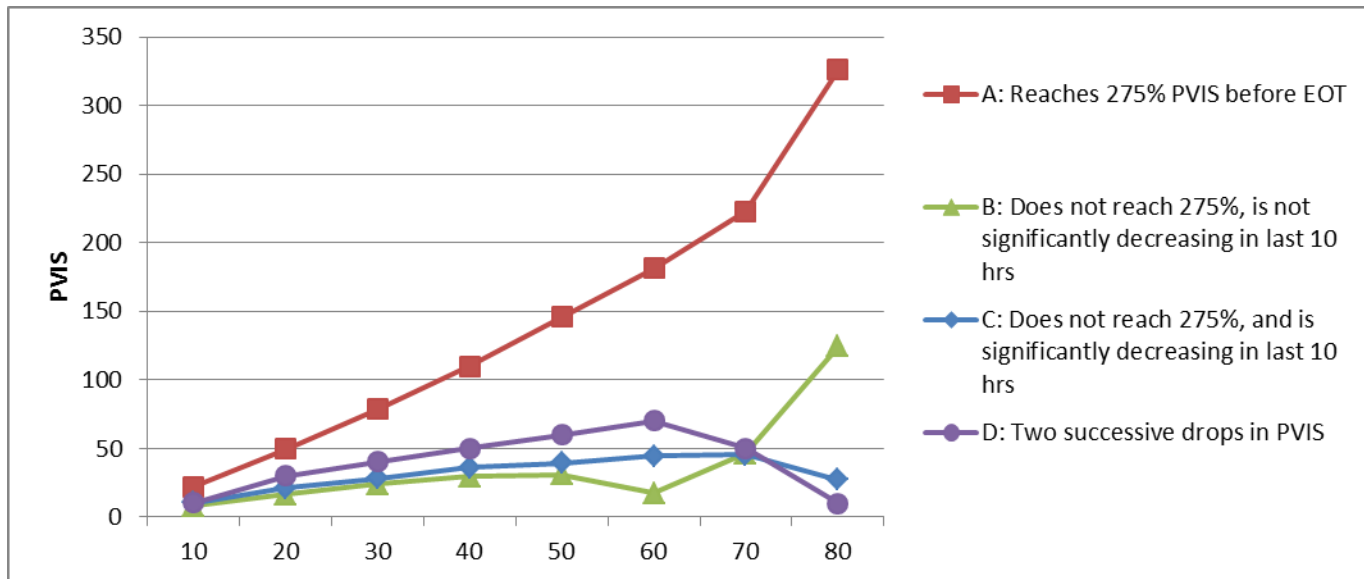
Solution: Summary of how to calculate HOURS for Reference Oils

- Oil reaches 275% Viscosity Increase before end of test
 - Interpolate HOURS on the square root scale
- Oil does not reach 275% Viscosity Increase before end of test AND is not decreasing from 70 to 80 Hours
 - Extrapolate HOURS as $\frac{\sqrt{275}-\sqrt{PVIS80}}{r} + 80$ $r = \text{MAX}(0.2007, \text{Slope from 70 to 80})$
- Oil does not reach 275% Viscosity Increase before end of test AND has a significant decrease from 70 to 80 Hours
 - Extrapolate HOURS as $\frac{\sqrt{275}-\sqrt{PVIS80}}{r} + 80$ $r = \text{MAX}(0.2007, 0.2386)$
- Oil has a significant decrease from 60 to 70 hours AND from 70 to 80 hours, i.e. two successive drops in PVIS
 - Invalid test

Solution Summary

Situation A: RO reaches 275% PVIS before EOT

- Interpolate to get HOURS to 275% PVIS
 - use square root transformation

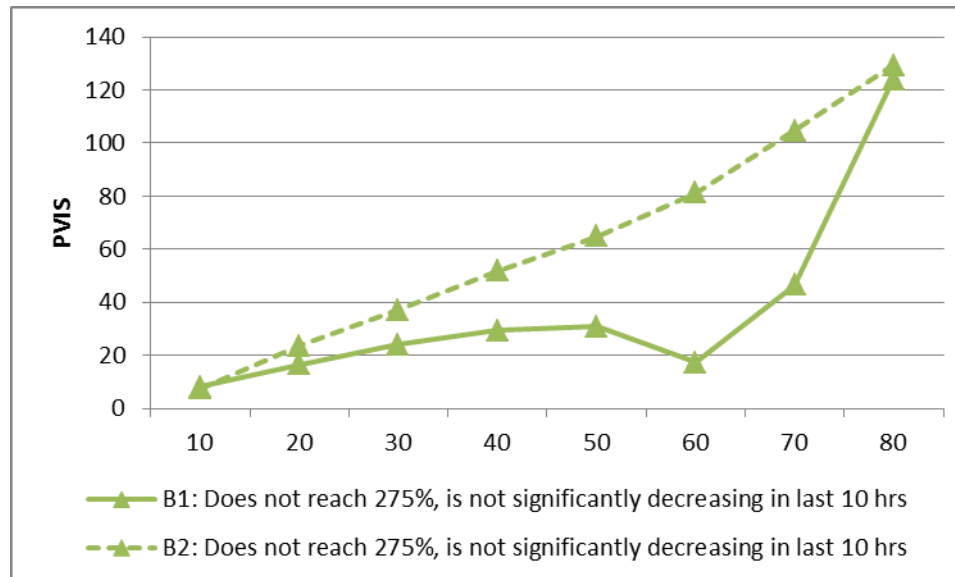


Solution Summary

Situation B: RO does not reach 275% PVIS before EOT, and is not significantly decreasing in the last 10 hours

– Extrapolate HOURS as

$$\frac{\sqrt{275} - \sqrt{PVIS_{80}}}{r} + 80 \quad r = \text{MAX}(0.2007, \text{Slope from 70 to 80})$$

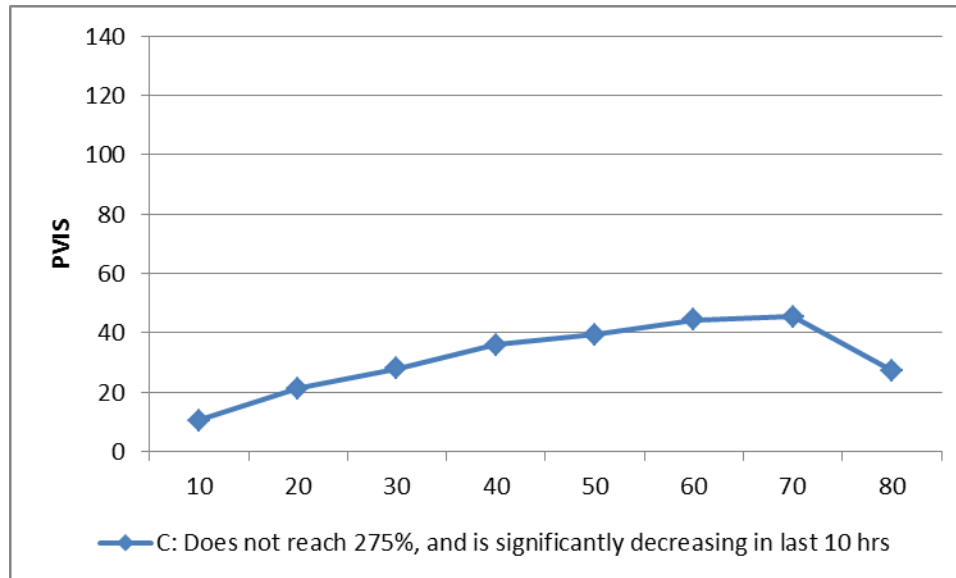


Solution Summary

Situation C: RO does not reach 275% PVIS before EOT, and PVIS is significantly decreasing in the last 10 hours

- Extrapolate HOURS as

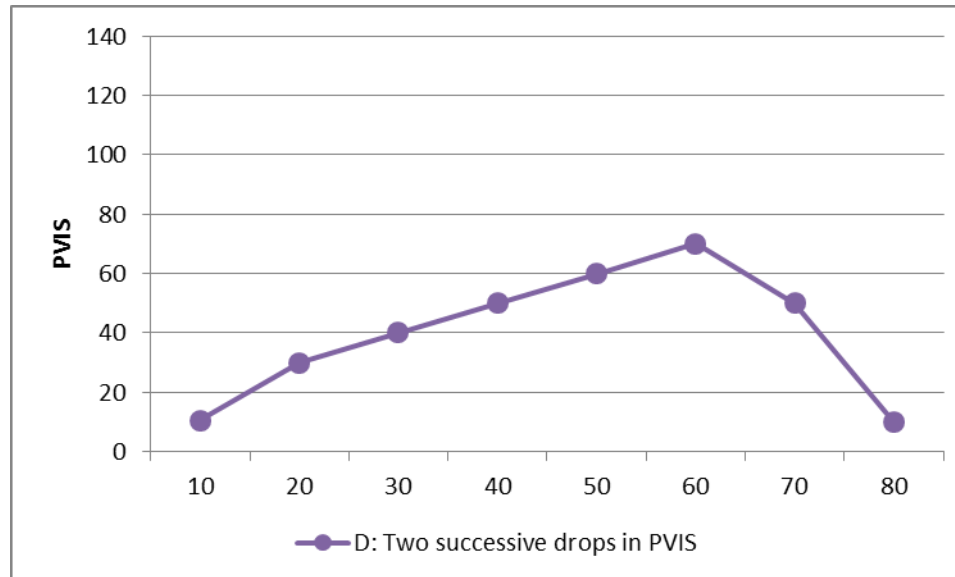
$$\frac{\sqrt{275} - \sqrt{PVIS_{80}}}{r} + 80 \quad r = \text{MAX}(0.2007, 0.2386)$$



Solution Summary

Situation D: RO has a significant decrease in PVIS from 60 to 70 hours AND from 70 to 80 hours, i.e. two successive drops in PVIS

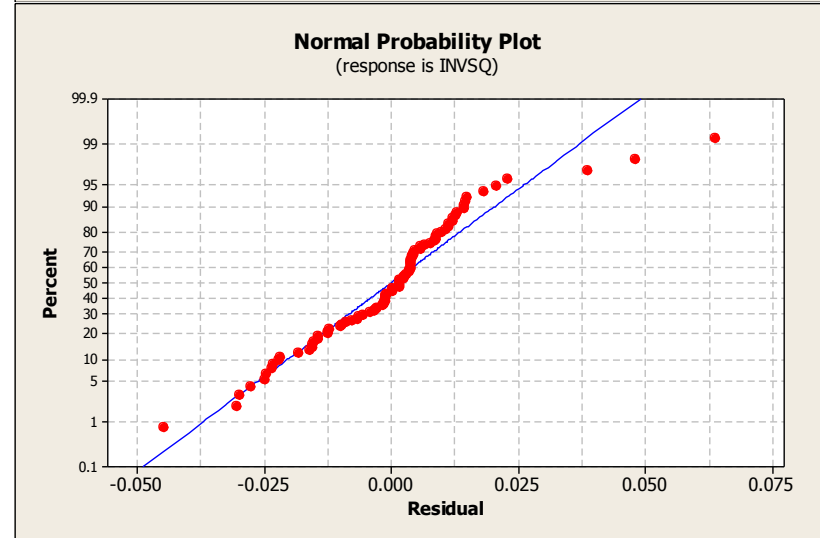
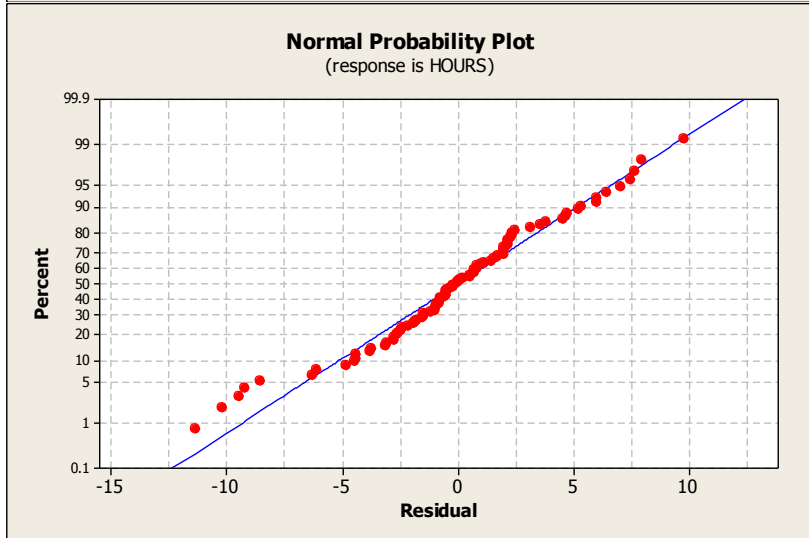
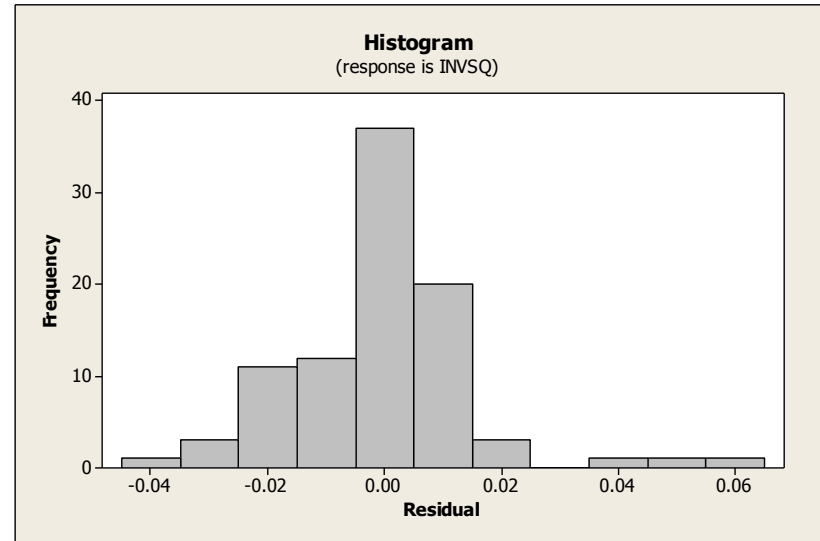
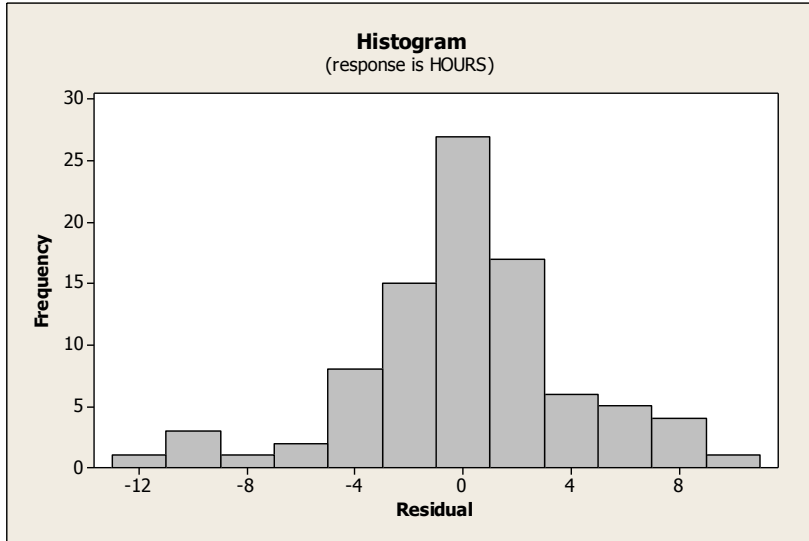
- Invalid Test
- This has not previously occurred



Assessment

- HOURS better than 1/SQRT
 - Better residuals
 - See residual plots based on model (lab, oil) of first 30 points of 1006-2, 433-1, and 1008-1
 - More uniform variance
 - See 'Target and Statistics' slide
 - Note that LS Means and Standard Deviations are calculated in hours using the first 30 data points for each reference oil
 - Better discrimination among reference oils
 - F statistic for HOURS = 1818
 - F statistic for 1/SQRT = 369
 - Added bonus of ability to detect severity shifts

Assessment



Statistics and Targets

Oil	LS Mean	Within Lab Standard Deviation	Standard Deviation	Target Mean
1006-2	66.832	4.6715	5.61	66.1958
1008-1	110.524	3.54722	3.60	109.0961
433-1	131.032	3.12695	4.09	132.1539
Pooled s		3.8377	4.5152	

- Target Mean calculation
 - Plug the official LTMS reference oil PVIS target into the HOURS calculation
 - Use the target at 60 hours for 1006-2
 - Note how close the LS Means and Target Means match
 - That is really cool!!!!!!

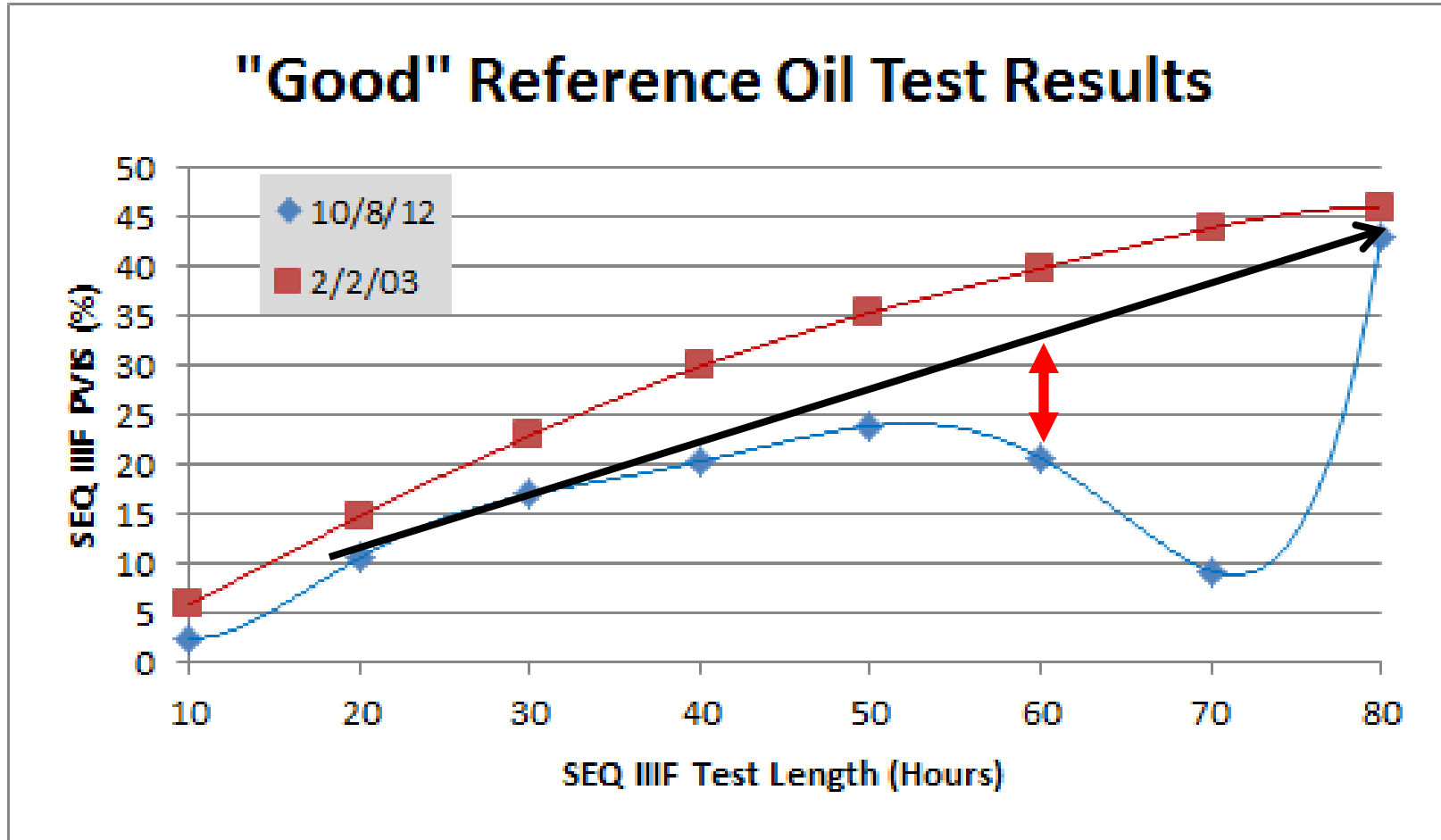
*All calculations are in hours

Reality Check

- This may be a good story, but is it reality?
- 1006-2 was dropped because it was too severe to calibrate (according to the logic)
- Life is assumed to be good because 433-1 relatively on target
- Next slide shows that we were fooling ourselves and that the fairytale is today's reality and the true picture lies in using HOURS to assess severity

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Reality Check

Oil	PVIS Yi	HOURS Yi	Target Mean
1006-2	-1.7175 (n=9)	-1.37909 (n=9)	7.7 Hours Severe
433-1	-0.20933 (n=49)	-2.42659 (n=49)	9.9 Hours Severe

- 1006-2 said we had a severity problem back in 2010
 - We dropped the oil
- Current methods DO NOT pick up on the severity for 433-1, BUT the use of HOURS does pick up on the severity issue (seen by comparing the Yi's for 433-1)
- The way we are currently monitoring Percent Viscosity Increase is insensitive to the severity change

Recent run using RO1006-2

Test Hours:	New Oil	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80
Viscosity 40C, Cst	59.0	56.0	73.5	92.9	112.3	134.4	150.8	225.5	832.0	8000.0
Percent Increase			31.2%	65.9%	100.5%	140.0%	169.3%	302.7%	1385.7%	#####
Oil Consumption (ml low)		0	450	928	1129	1295	1941	1718	1941	2174

58.138 = Interpolated hours to 275% PVIS (using sqrt transformation)

66.2 = Target for 1006 (current PVIS target into hours)

8.1 = Difference in hours → 8.1 hours severe

- This is very close to the 7.7 hours estimate
- This confirms that the hours model fits well, even on an oil not run in a while

New Problem

- We are currently about 10 HOURS severe
 - Due to the current severity, labs will have a difficult time calibrating to the original targets
- To avoid problems with calibration, we should implement an Industry Correction Factor of 10 HOURS to both reference oil tests and candidate oil tests for PVIS
 - It is 10 HOURS based on either Y_i or difference in HOURS of most recent 49 data points versus target
 - This means that 10 Hours needs to be added to reference test results monitored by HOURS
 - This means that PVIS at EOT for an 80 hour test should be measured at 70 hours for candidates and that PVIS at EOT for a 60 hour test should be measured at 50 hours for candidates

Why a Correction Factor of 10 Hours?

- We wish to do as little interpolation for the candidates as possible
- Best case: CF = 10 hours, no lab severity adjustments
 - Candidate EOT PVIS simply measured at 70 hours (or 50)
- Worst case: CF = something not 10 hours, and there are lab severity adjustments
 - Candidate EOT PVIS is interpolated
 - This isn't bad, but we would rather be in the best case

Additional Problem

- With the test being more severe, oils will encounter rapid viscosity increase before 80 Hours at an increased rate
 - This is a problem because it will mean more variability in the test

Oil	Target Standard Deviation (hours)	Standard Deviation since June 2010 (hours)
1006-1	5.61	8.54
433-1	4.09	11.94

- Unfortunately, this is **NOW** the test with this variability
 - It does not make sense to use the target standard deviations because they are not reality with the current state of the test
- We will need to use current standard deviations

Next Steps

- Continue to work on an Engineering solution
- In the meantime:
 - Within next 2 weeks
 - Task Force verify calculations and technical conclusions
 - Labs assess impact on their LTMS
 - Test sponsors assess impact on their candidates
 - Within 2 to 3 weeks
 - Adopt the use of HOURS for LTMS calibration and severity adjustments
 - Use an Industry Correction factor of 10 HOURS
 - Use HOURS adjustments for PVIS measurements on candidate oils
 - Use both RO 433-1 and 1006-2 to monitor the test

Next Steps Specifics

- As of 2/2013, use HOURS for IIIF LTMS, and evaluate candidate oils using HOURS adjusted PVIS
 - So, if the test is 10 HOURS severe, that would mean that EOT PVIS would be evaluated at 70 Hours and not 80 Hours, and EOT PVIS for API SH, SJ, CG-4, and CH-4 would be evaluated at 50 Hours and not 60 Hours
 - Use interpolation on the square root scale for PVIS when HOURS adjustments are not in exact 10 Hour increments
 - Implement an Industry Correction Factor of 10 HOURS for candidate oils as of 2/2013
 - Re-calculate LTMS history using HOURS and RO433 and RO1006
 - Implement an Industry Correction Factor of 10 HOURS for reference oils retroactive to June 1, 2010 for LTMS charting purposes
 - Use RO433-1 and possibly RO1006-2 to monitor the test

Reference Oil Test Targets Suggested

Oil	Target Mean (hrs)	Standard Deviation (hrs)
1006-1	66.20	8.54
433-1	132.15	11.94

- Use a pooled standard deviation of 10.3802 to calculate the HOURS adjustment for any severity adjustments to candidate oils