Sequence III Surveillance Panel

March 09, 2016 11:00 - 12:30 EST

Agenda

1.0) Attendance

The attendance is shown in Attachment 1.

2.0) Chairman Comments

Chairman Glaenzer noted that both the IIIH improvement Task Force and the Stats Group are making progress. Membership changes: Mark Overaker replaces Tracey King for Haltermann and Dan Lanctot replaces Zack Bishop for TEI.

3.0) Approval of minutes

3.1) Minutes from 03/2/2016 Conference Call The minutes of March 2, 2016 were approved unanimously.

4.0) Action Item Review

4.1) Analysis of IIIF & IIIG run 7-10 data for differences.

Todd Dvorak gave the presentation prepared by the Statistical Analysis group regarding severity of 7 – 10 pistons. WPD does not appear to be influenced by the use of the increased piston size while PVIS may be influenced, but date may also have some influence as well. ACLW was not analyzed. Conclusions were that piston size and data may be influencing PVIS results. All oils appear to be trending upward for PVIS, while only oils 435 and 438 may not be trending for WPD. Correction factor may not consistent for 7 – 10 pistons, but may be appropriate for 9-10 size pistons on PVIS, while a linear correction factor may be appropriate for WPD. Pooled s has changed over time for PVIS and has improved for WPD recently. Adopting a continuous SA may provide some relief for WPD, but would do little for PVIS as all calibrated labs have a severity adjustment in effect. A motion was made to amend the ltms document for IIIG to allow for continuous severity adjustments for all three parameters, PVIS, WPD and ACLW. Motion, Ed Altman, second Robert Stockwell. Effective two weeks from today (3/23/16). Motion was approved 13-0-3. An action item was assigned to review the implementation in 4 months.

<u>Old Business</u>

5.1) Test Improvement Task Force.

George Szappanos updated the group. Meetings have been ongoing and the task force is closing in on its remaining work. Sid has been working on the build manual and is currently out for lab comment. The blowby ventilation configuration has also been identified as an area of improvement via standardization. There is still some work to do on addressing the blowby system design. A review of the proposed system was undertaken during the call. Additional work is still needed before the final configuration can be put forward. A conference call is planned for Friday, March 11, 2016. Sid asked every member be present or have someone who can make a decision at that meeting represent them.

5.2) Test procedure update.

Karin Haumann is putting the final touches on the draft procedure and will forward the draft to the TMC for posting on the website.

5.3) Engine Build manual update.

Sid has incorporated a number of changes in the document and labs are reviewing.

6.0) New Business

6.1) Determine if Precision Matrix stands can be considered calibrated based on their matrix tests in light of test procedure enhancements. This item will be addressed after seeing additional changes put forth by the test improvement task force.

- **6.2)** Review and finalize the Qi Limits Rich Grundza indicated that this item was discussed during a previous test improvement task force call. Rich indicated the task force felt limits for Fuel Temperature and Intake air pressure are the only parameters needing review. Rich will put together limits based on worst tests from the matrix.
- **6.3)** Update on LTMS plans for Sequence IIIH. Several members of the statistics working group are working on ltms proposals. This will be addressed during the face to face meeting on March 29, 2016

7.0) Work Remaining

- 7.1 Set up LTMS. **Underway** The statistical methods group is working on a draft.
- 7.2) Determine calibration and referencing protocols. **Discuss at SAT March 29**
- 7.3) Appendix K Update. Martinez
- 7.4) Surveillance Panel recommendation regarding test readiness for the category. June, 2015
- 7.5) Publish research report **TBD**
- 7.6) The chair was asked if the status of critical test parts was known. The chair agreed to attempt to complete a survey of the test labs to determine the amount of critical parts remaining. Dave hoped to have this completed in time for the March 29, 2016 meeting.

8.0) Next Meeting

- 8.2) Tentative, teleconference on March 16, 2016.
- 8.3) Face-to-Face on March 29, 2016.

9.0) Meeting Adjourned

The meeting adjourned at 12:22 pm.

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IIIG Severity Review

Industry Statistician Team — Data Review

Date: 03-03-16

Statistics Group - Team Members

- Art Andrews, Exxon Mobil
- Martin Chadwick, Intertek
- Jo Martinez, Chevron Oronite
- Richard Grundza, TMC
- Travis Kostan, SwRI
- Lisa Dingwell, Afton Chemical
- Todd Dvorak, Afton Chemical
- Doyle Boese, Infineum
- Kevin O'Malley, Lubrizol

Executive Summary

- Are the WPD and PVIS test results different with size 7-10 pistons?
 - There is some evidence that the PVIS parameter has been more severe with piston sizes 7 through 10 but not significant in WPD parameter.
 - PVIS severity could also be coincidental with time (date \geq 01/01/14) or other hardware changes.
 - Data also suggests that average blow-by has increased with piston sizes 7-10.
 Analysis of PVIS, WPD, and average blow-by data suggests that an increase in average blow-by negatively affects PVIS and WPD test severity.
- Is a correction factor warranted? If so, what kind?
 - A linear correction for the WPD parameter is technically feasible. It may also be technically feasible to create a correction factor for PVIS with piston sizes 9 10. However, it's difficult to attribute any kind of severity shift to only piston sizes because there have been other hardware changes, reference oil blend changes, a potential time related shift, and a potential blow-by effect.

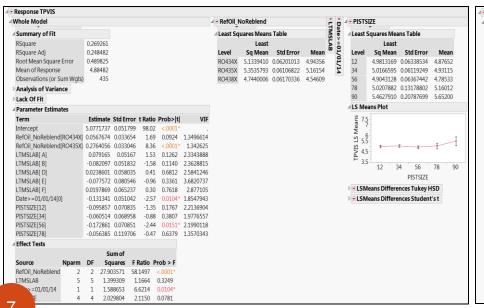
Executive Summary

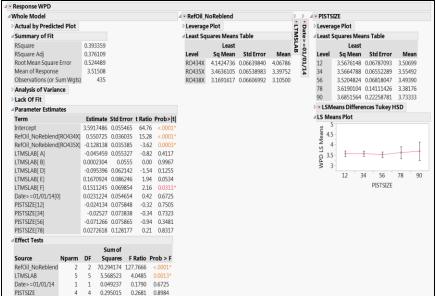
- Are all three ROs acting similarly in terms of Y_i performance?
 - RO434X tends to be more severe in terms of PVIS and WPD (Y_i) test results as compared to RO435X and RO438X.
 - All oils have generally trended up in PVIS over time.
 - All oils have remained in varying degrees on the severe side for a long time for WPD. 435 and 438 are trending slightly less severe in the recent past.
- Is the pooled s we currently use for severity adjustments still appropriate?
 - The pooled standard deviations have increased and decreased for the PVIS and WPD test parameters, respectively. This will affect the magnitude of SA's that are applied to candidate test results.
- Adoption of continuous SAs?
 - Continuous SAs will provide some help for the WPD parameter. It will not have any impact for the PVIS parameter. SAs are a way to bring labs to parity and ensure equitable assessment of candidate oils across the industry. There is general consensus among the industry statisticians to implement continuous SAs where applicable.

Agenda

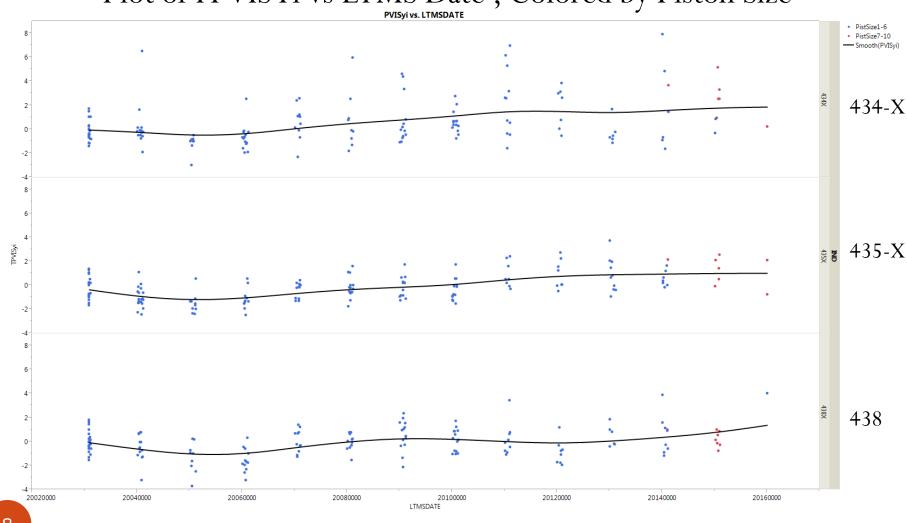
- Review data and analyses to answer below list of questions from the Sequence III Surveillance Panel Chair:
 - 1. What data set should be used? Look at both historic and recent data.
 - 2. Are the wpd, pvis, and aclw-test results different with size 7-10 pistons?
 - 3. Are all three ROs acting similarly in terms of Yi performance?
 - 4. There are also different ring batches associated with size 7-10 pistons.
 - 5. Are there gaps in the data? Is there data you would like to see to help render a decision?
 - 6. Is a correction factor warranted? If so, what kind?
 - 7. Is the pooled s we currently use for severity adjustments still appropriate?
- Reach consensus on next steps

- Previous analysis (presented at SP conference call) suggests that TPVIS is different with piston sizes 7–10 as compared to sizes 1–6.
 - When considering date (results $\geq 01/01/14$), piston sizes 7–10 are no longer significant.
- No evidence that 7-10 piston sizes have different WPD severity as compared to sizes 1-6.

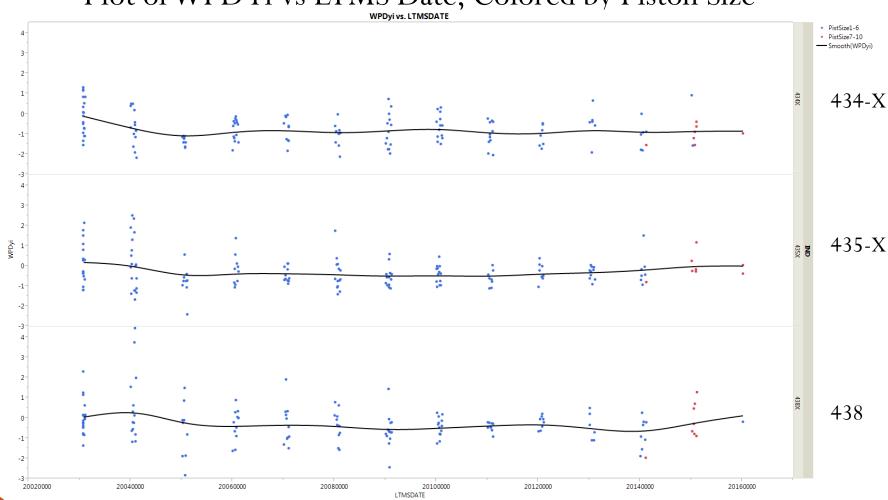




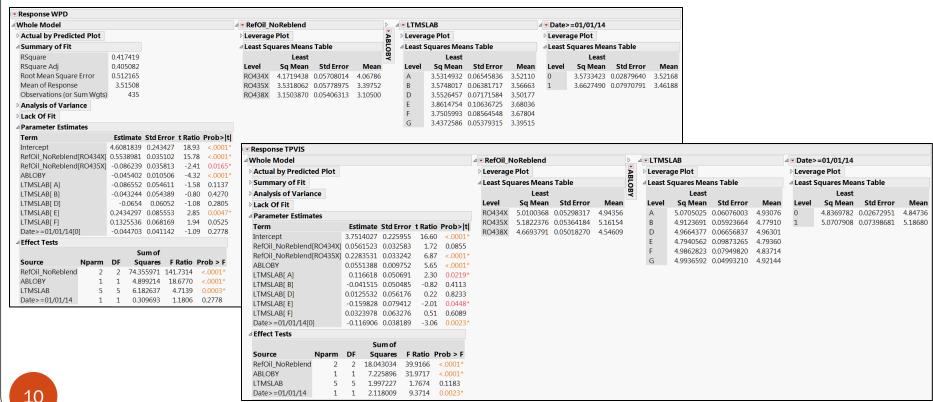
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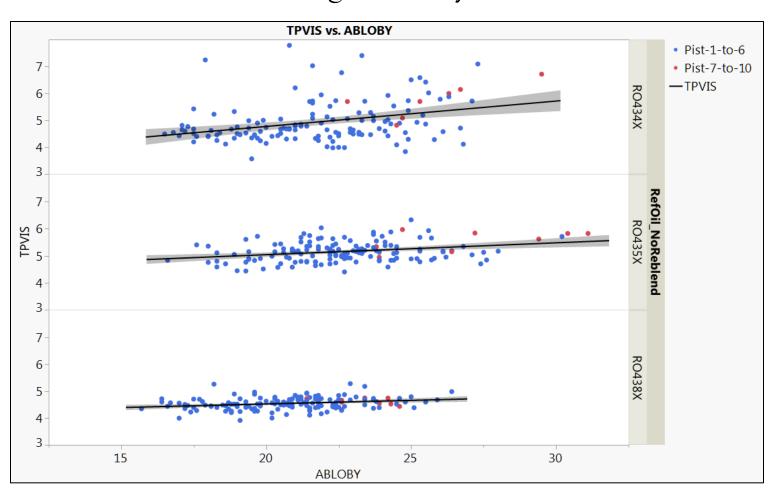
• Plot of WPDYi vs LTMS Date, Colored by Piston Size



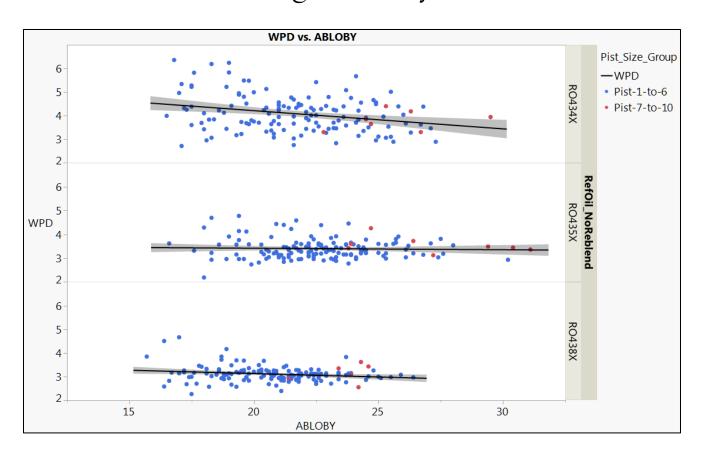
- Is TPVIS severity for Piston Sizes 7 -10 related to Blow-by?
 - Analysis suggests a significant relationship with TPVIS and WPD w.r.t. Avg Blow-by (and calendar date for TPVIS).



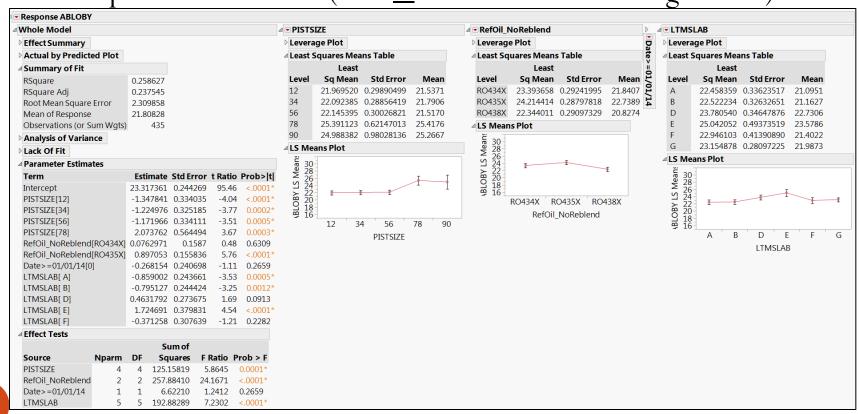
• Plot of TPVIS vs. Average Blow-by



Plot of WPD vs. Average Blow-by

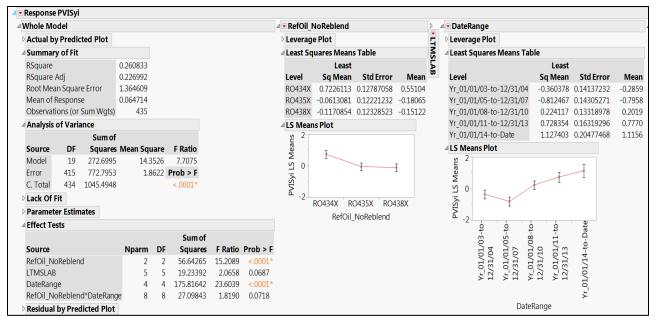


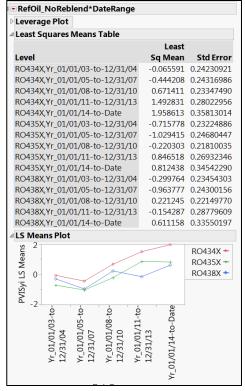
- Is Average blow-by different with Piston Sizes 7 10?
 - Analysis suggests a significant increase in average blow-by for piston sizes 7 10 (date $\geq 01/01/2014$ is not significant).



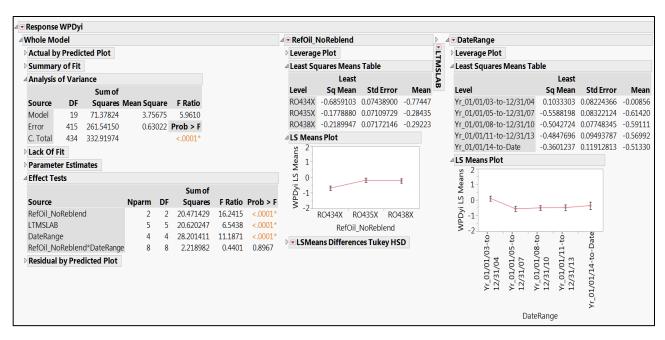
- Conclusions / Highlights:
 - Calendar date (\geq 01/01/14) and piston sizes 7 10 do coincide with recent severity change in PVIS.
 - However, piston sizes 7-10 do not coincide with WPD severity.
 - Analysis suggests a significant increase in average blow-by for piston sizes 7 10.
 - There is a *significant relationship in TPVIS and WPD test severity w.r.t. the average blow-by
 - WPD decreases with increased levels of average blow-by
 - TPVIS increases with increased levels of average blow-by

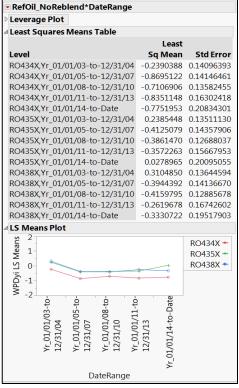
- Data was analyzed with date coded as a categorical factor
- Analysis of Y_i data for TPVIS suggests that oil RO434X > (RO435X, RO438X)





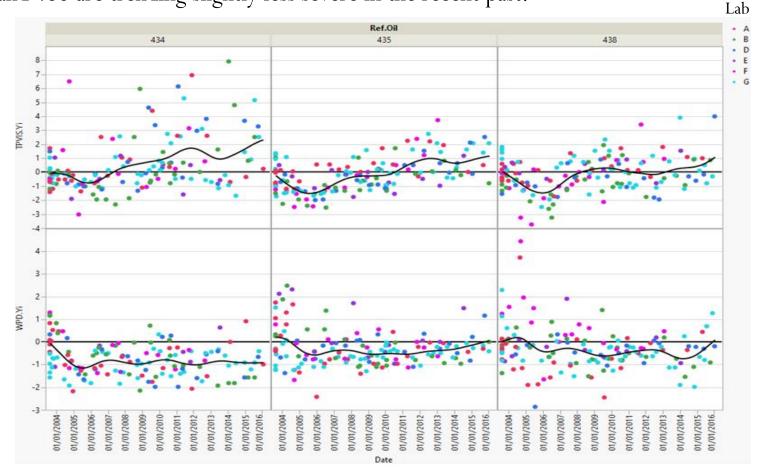
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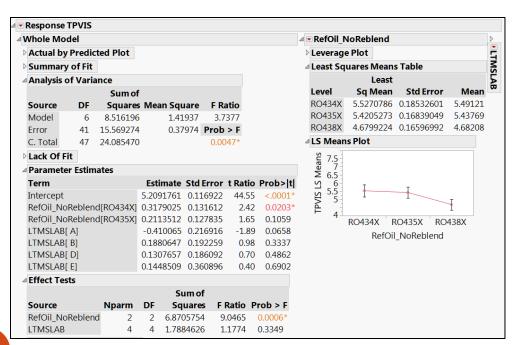
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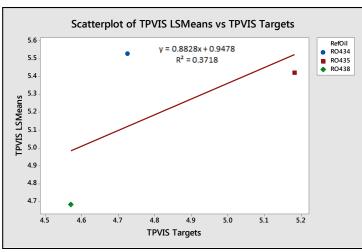
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- Conclusions / Highlights:
 - All oils have generally trended up in PVIS over time.
 - Data suggests that there is a significant difference in Y_i test results for RO434X as compared to RO435X and RO438X for WPD and TPVIS parameters.

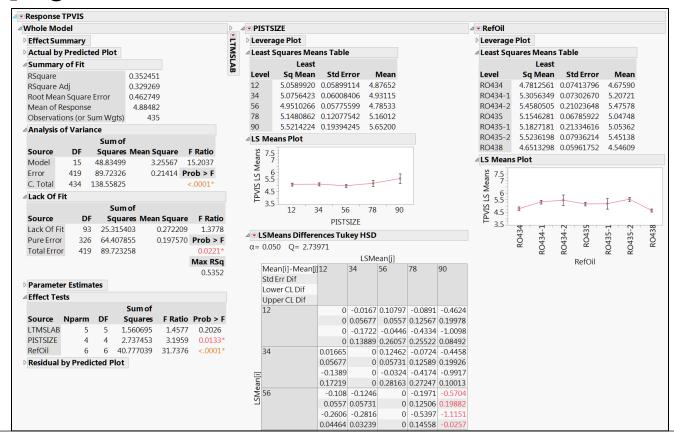
- How does TPVIS severity differ from the target values?
 - LSMean Summary below for TPVIS with LTMS data dates $\geq 01/01/14$
 - Relationship between TPVIS targets and LSMeans is neither a constant or linear.



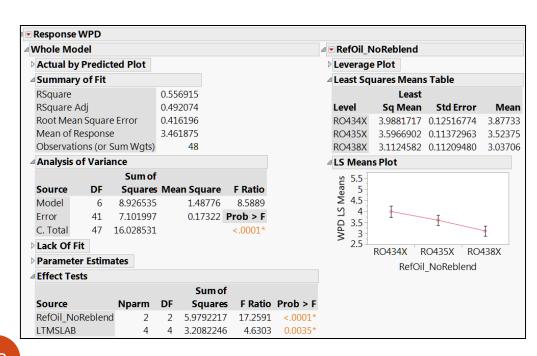


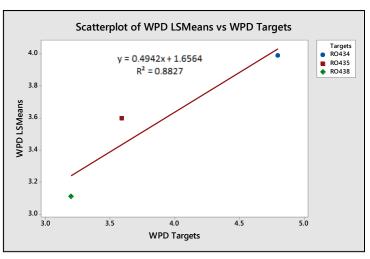
RefOil	TPVIS Targets	TPVIS LSMeans
RO434	4.7269	5.527
RO435	5.1838	5.4205
RO438	4.5706	4.68

• TPVIS LSMeans for piston sizes 9-10 are significantly higher than piston sizes 5-6. A correction factor could be created for this piston size grouping.



- How does WPD severity differ from the target values?
 - LSMean summary below for WPD with LTMS data dates $\geq 01/01/14$
 - Relationship between WPD targets and LSMeans suggests a linear trend could be used as a correction factor.





RefOil	WPD Targets	WPD LSMeans	
RO434	4.80	3.99	
RO435	3.59	3.60	
RO438	3.20	3.11	

- Conclusions / Highlights:
 - Relationship between TPVIS LSMeans and Targets is not a constant or linear. As such, it may be difficult to develop a suitable linear/constant correction factor with this approach.
 - It may be possible to based a TPVIS correction approach which is based on the difference in LSMeans for piston sizes 9-10.
 - With current data set, it may be difficult to ascertain that the severity shift is due to piston sizes exclusively because there have been other hardware changes, reference oil blend changes, a potential time related shift, and a potential blow-by effect.
 - Difference between WPD LSMeans and Targets tends to be linear. With this data, it is technically feasible to develop a linear correction factor.

Is the Pooled S we currently use for severity adjustments still appropriate?

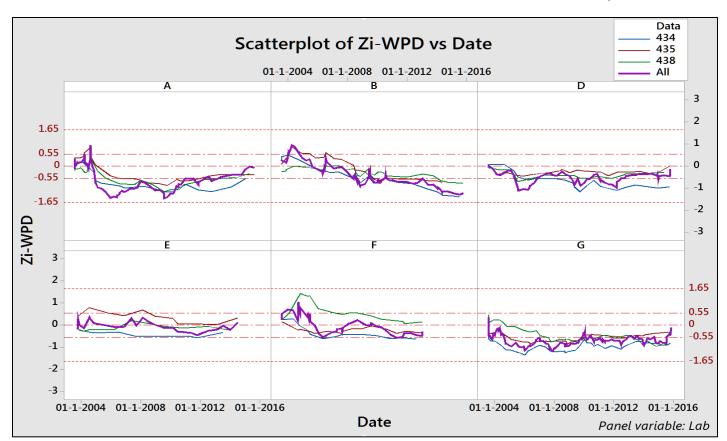
Is the Pooled S we currently use for severity adjustments still appropriate?

 Relative magnitude of the pooled standard deviations have changed over time for the TPVIS and WPD parameter

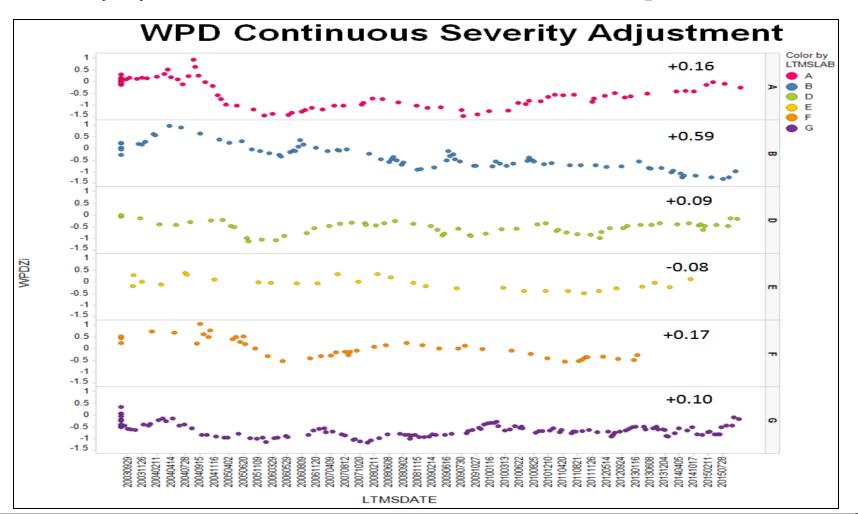
RefOil	S _p (Targets)	S _p (All Data)	S _p (Date>01/01/14)
TPVIS	0.2919	0.4675	0.624
WPD	0.6000	0.5208	0.412
Sample Size		435	48

- Changes to S_p will affect severity adjustment corrections
 - ullet Increases in the actual S_p will under correct candidate test results
 - \bullet Decreases in the actual $S_{\rm p}$ will over correct candidate test results

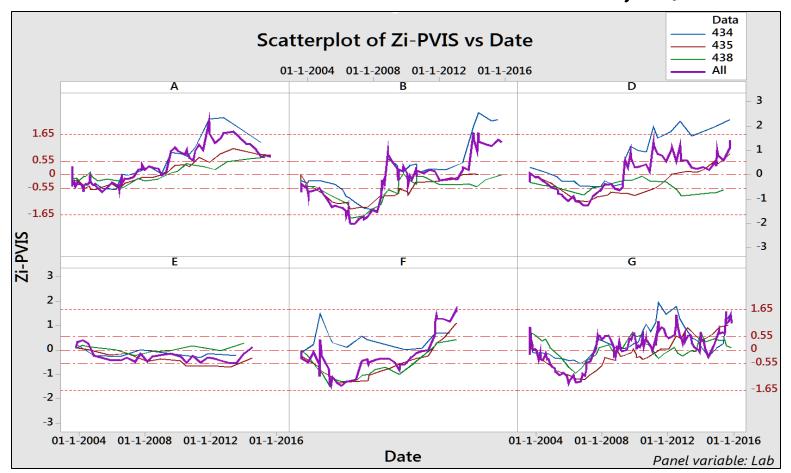
• WPD parameter is currently running severe of target. Only 1 of the 4 calibrated labs (A, B, D, & G) have a severity adjustment.



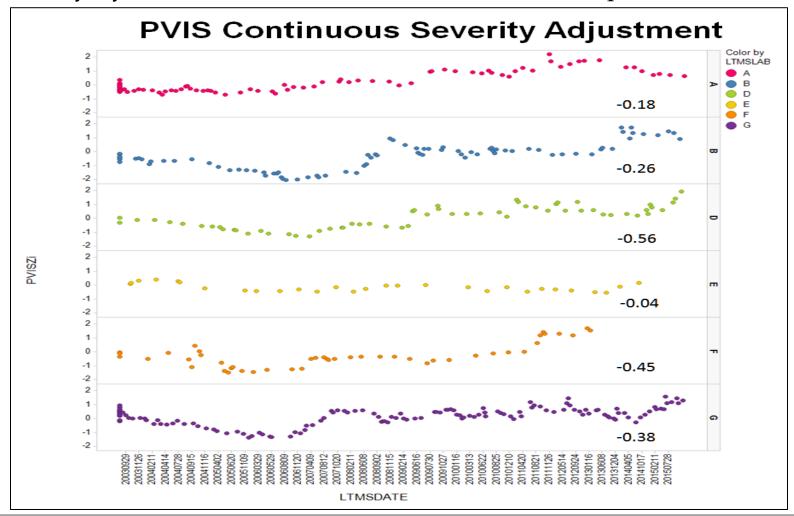
• Summary by lab if continuous (WPD) SAs were adopted across all labs



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• Summary by lab if continuous (PVIS) SAs were adopted across all labs



Consider adopting Continuous SAs?

- Conclusions / Highlights:
 - Data suggests that WPD parameter is running severe of target. Yet, only 1 of the 4 labs have a severity adjustment. Continuous SAs would provide some benefit to the labs for those who do not currently have an SA.
 - All 4 of the calibrated labs have a PVIS severity adjustment. As such, adopting a continuous SAs would have no impact on the PVIS parameter.
 - Continuous SAs are a way to bring labs to parity and ensure equitable assessment of candidate oils across the industry. There is general consensus among the industry statisticians to implement continuous SAs where applicable.

Seq IIIH crankcase ventilation system standardization

3/4/2016

Objectives

The presumption is that the primary consideration is how the design impacts oil consumption.

The objective is therefore to standardize the configuration of the blowby ventilation system such that there is consistency in:

- A. The balance of flow between left and right sides
- B. The amount of oil trapped in the system
- C. The tendency of the oil to coalesce and drain back, or escape the system

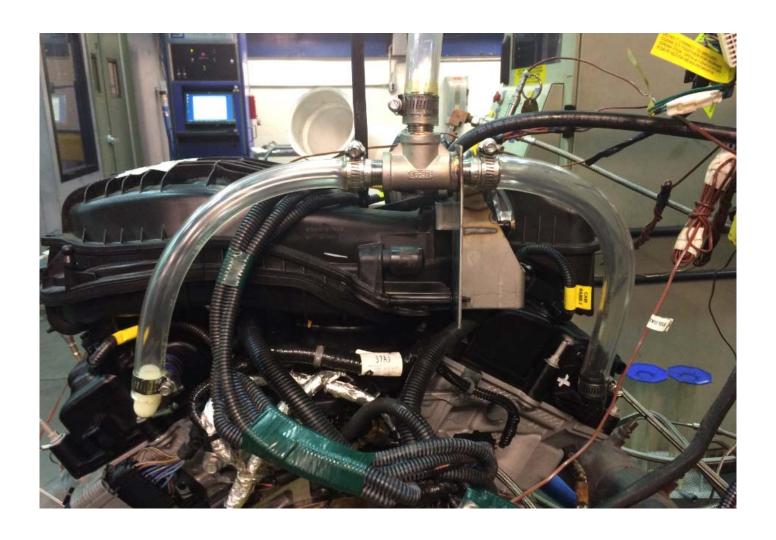
Practical considerations

- Hose material that's suitable for the application (temperature and oil resistance)
- Robust, positive connections that won't leak or become disconnected
- Easily cleaned and maintained
- Cost effective to manufacture

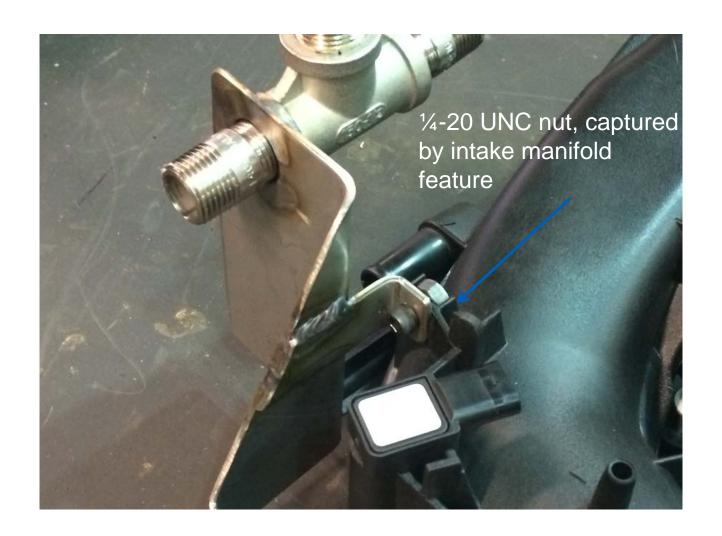
Secondary considerations

- The temperature of the oil / vapor mixture in the hoses might impact tendency of oil to coalesce
 - Standardized hose material
 - No insulation on hose
- Total restriction of the system, and thus the resulting crankcase pressure
 - Although testing has shown that the impact may be negligible on oil consumption, and minimum and maximum pressure should be set
 - This can be impacted by
 - Downstream hose length
 - Downstream hardware (3-way valve, JTEC, etc)
 - Vacuum draw from Aercology system

Support bracket (shown with non-reinforced hoses)



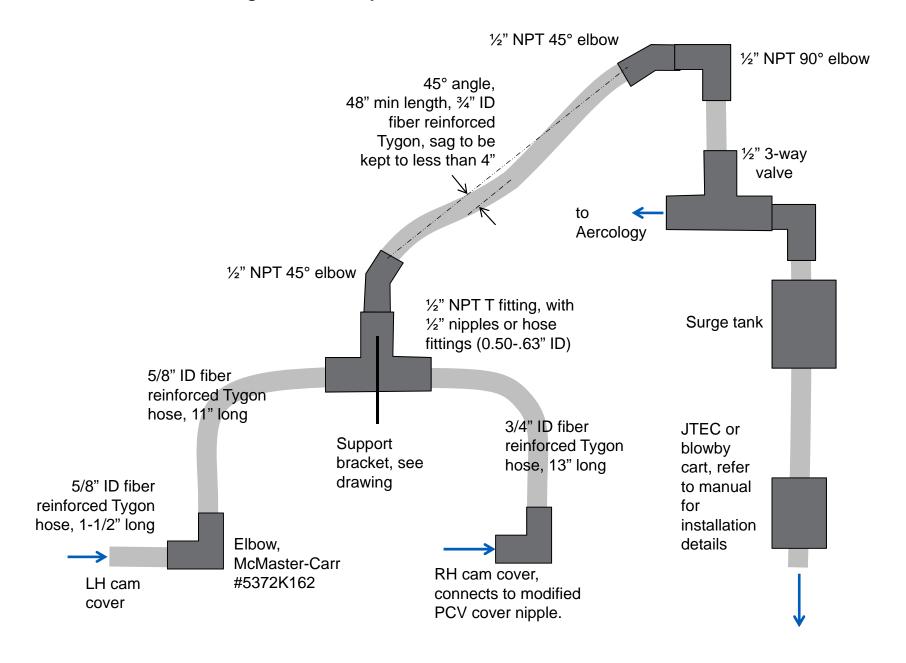




Design summary

- 5/8" ID x 11" long "Tygon" hose on LH
 - To match elbow and nipple size
- 3/4" ID x 13" long "Tygon" hose on RH
 - To match PCV separator nipple size
- ½" NPT stainless steel "T" (0.50" ID)
- ½" NPT barbs or machined close nipples to accept the hoses
- ¾" hose from T going 45° vertically, with no droops or horizontal runs
- Installation of 3-way valve optional

Figure xx Chrysler IIIH Crankcase Ventilation



Correction factor

To standardize the measured LPM flow, two measures are required:

Blowby gas temp (TC installed just prior to the JTEC)
Absolute pressure at meter (gauge pressure measurement prior to the JTEC + local barometric pressure)

The correction factor is already in many ASTM procedures (and GMOD) for correcting sharp edge orifice flow, and is actually missing from the IIIH draft procedure –

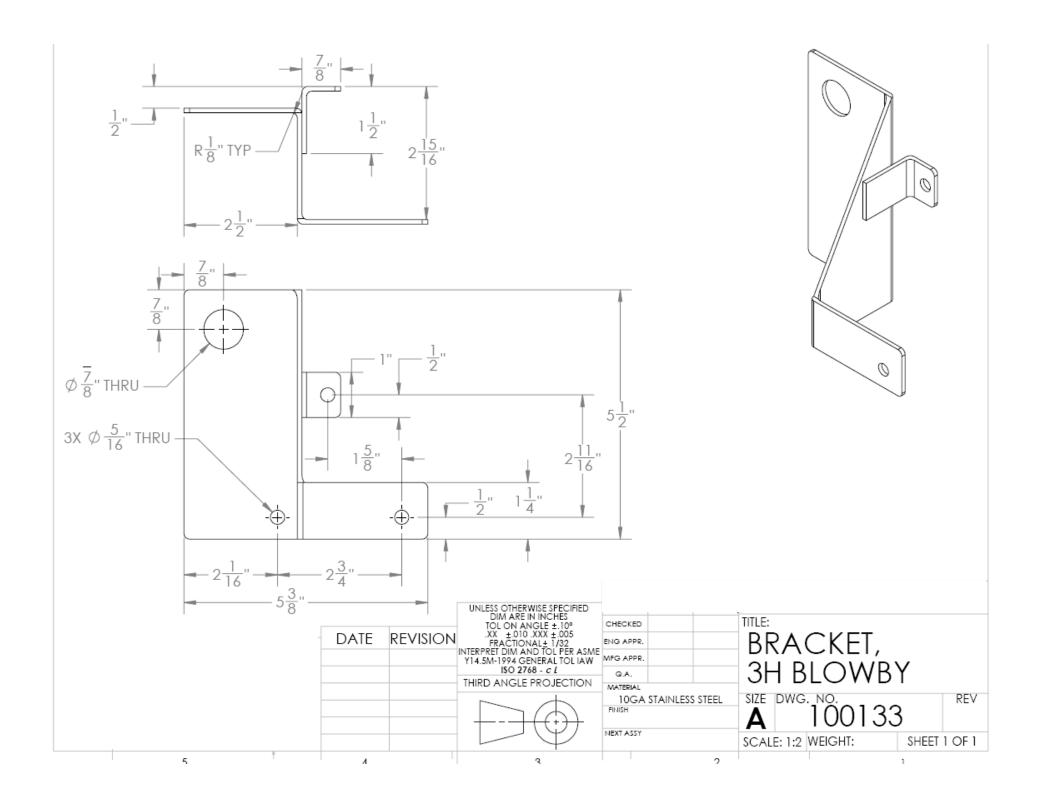
Record the uncorrected blowby flow rate in liters per minute and correct it for an atmospheric pressure of 100 kPa and a temperature of 37.8 °C.

Use the following equation to correct the blowby flow rate:

CF=(3.1002*P/(273.15+T))^0.5

where:

CF = corrected blowby flow rate, L/min,P = blowby pressure, kPa, absoluteT = temperature, °C



JTEC Installation

J-TEC Model VF563AA Setup and Maintenance

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

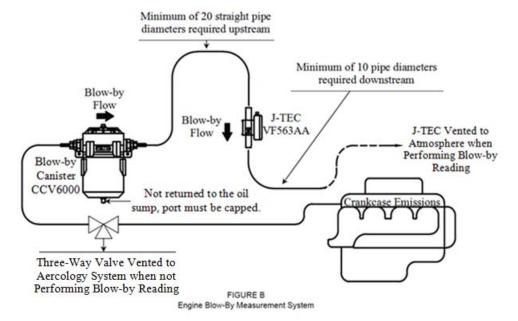
The J-TEC Model VF563AA flow meter should be installed with a minimum of 20 pipe diameters of straight pipe upstream and 10 pipe diameters downstream from the flow meter. For example, a one-inch tube or hose should have 20 inches of straight length immediately before the flow meter inlet tube. This condition provides a more symmetrical flow profile, which is necessary to obtain accurate and repeatable results.

A typical connection to the flow meter is made by placing flexible hose onto the outside of the inlet tube and outlet tube.

Install the flow meter vertical with flow into the top and out the bottom to encourage liquids to drain out of the flow meter.

Install a CCV6000 filter canister (or buffer chamber) in the pipe between the crankcase and the flow meter to minimize the effect of pulsating flows, and collect oil and water droplets to keep the flow meter cleaner.

A typical J-TEC Model VF563AA flow meter and CCV6000 filter canister with three-way valve is shown below in Figure B:



CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

The inside of the flow tube and strut must be kept clean. This cleaning procedure is to be completed prior to every test start.

To clean the flow tube and strut, gently brush the inside of the tube with a soft brush or cotton swab. A solvent cleaner, such as a brake parts cleaner that degreases and leaves no residue, may be used to loosen deposits. Ensure the solvent is compatible with aluminum, viton, and Teflon.

DO NOT use wire brushes or use high-pressure liquids. These may cause damage to the transducers.