




# Test Monitoring Center

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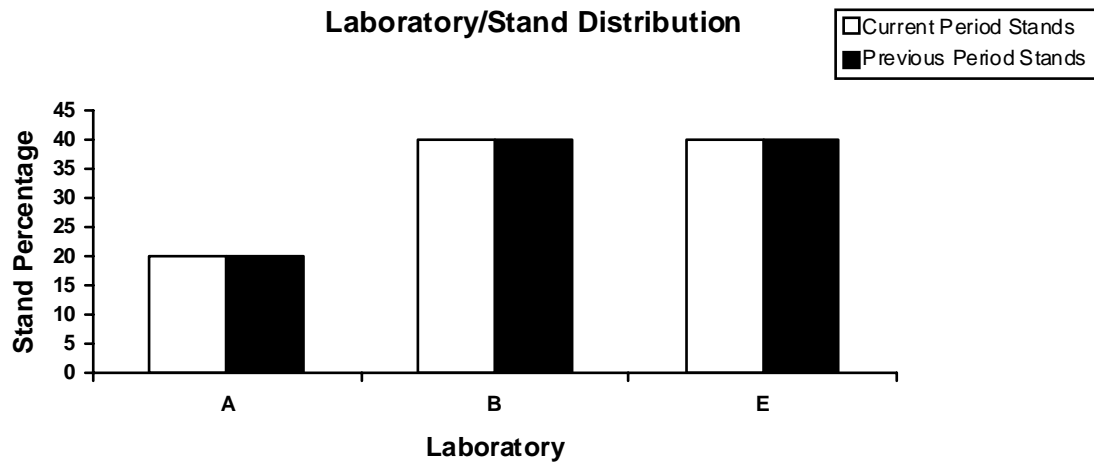
MEMORANDUM: 09-046  
DATE: November 4, 2009  
TO: Dale Smith, Chairman, L-33-1 Surveillance Panel  
FROM: Donald Lind   
SUBJECT: L-33-1 Reference Test Status from April 1, 2009 through September 30, 2009

The following is a summary of the L-33-1 reference oil tests that were reported to the Test Monitoring Center during the period April 1, 2009 through September 30, 2009.

### Lab and Stand Summary

|                         | Reporting Data | Calibrated as of 9/30/09 |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| Number of Laboratories  | 3              | 3                        |
| Number of Storage Boxes | 5              | 5                        |

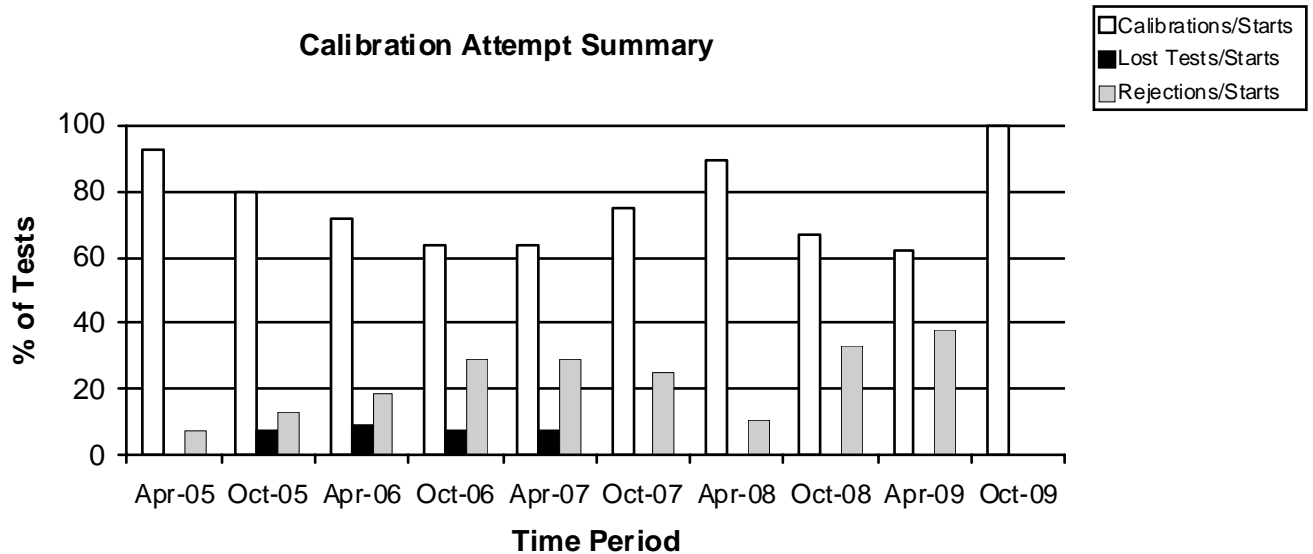
The following chart shows the laboratory/stand distribution:



The following summarizes the status of the reference oil tests reported to the TMC:

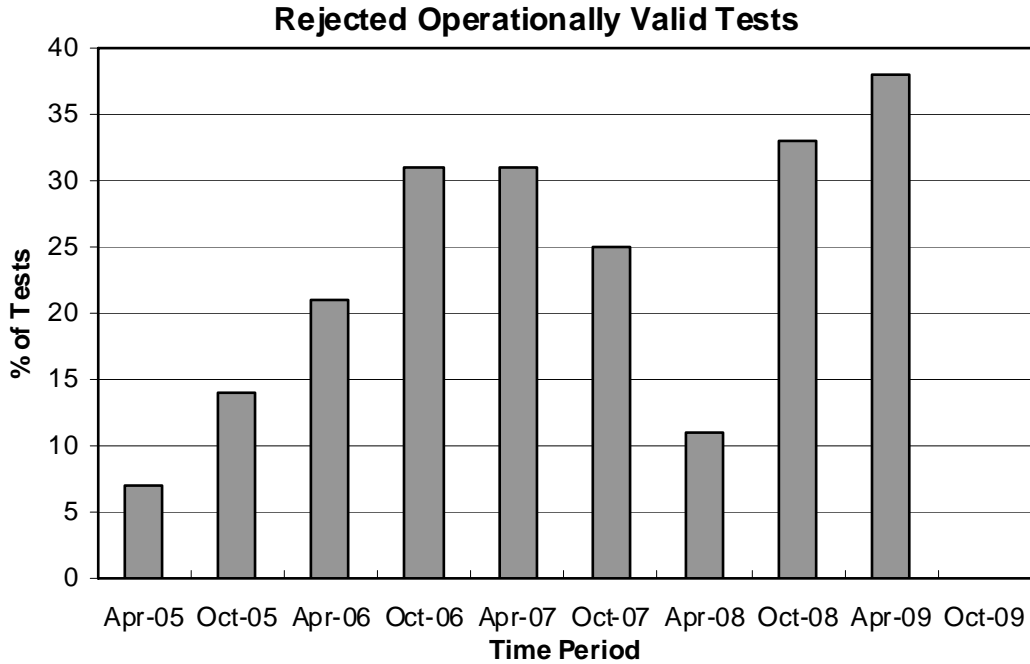
|   | TMC Validity Codes | No. of Tests |
|---|--------------------|--------------|
| Operationally and Statistically Acceptable  | AC                 | 7            |
| Failed Acceptance Criteria                  | OC                 | 0            |
| Operationally Invalid (Lab Judgement)       | LC                 | 0            |
| Operationally Invalid (Lab / TMC Judgement) | RC                 | 0            |
| Aborted                                     | XC                 | 0            |
| <b>Total</b>                                |                    | <b>7</b>     |

Calibrations per start, lost tests per start and rejection per start rates are summarized below:



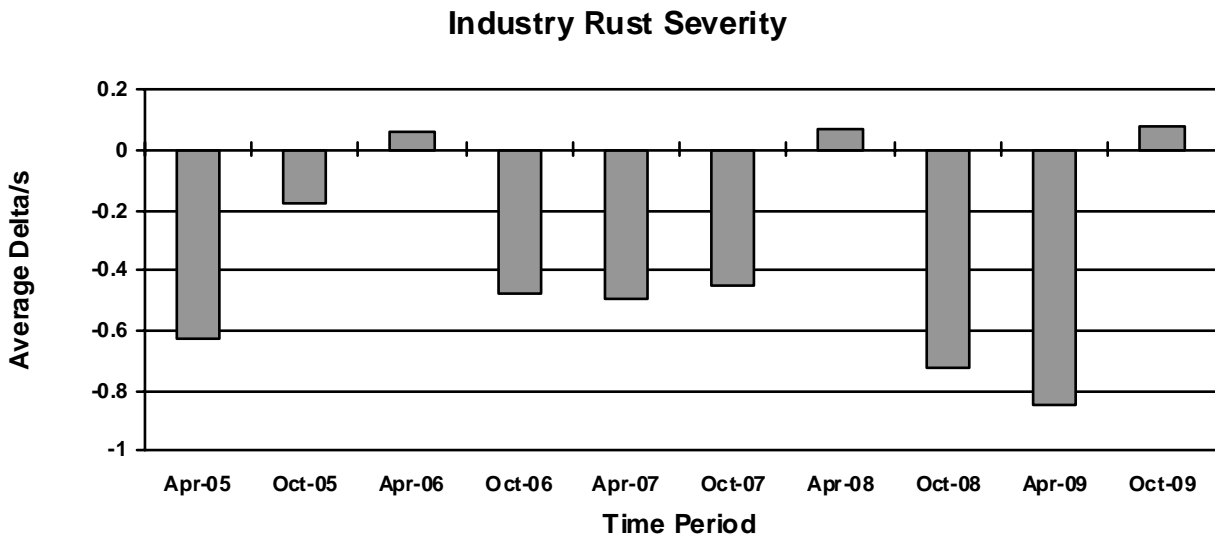
The calibration per start rate has increased with respect to the previous period. The rejected per start rate has decreased with respect to the previous period and the lost test per start rate has remained the same with respect to the previous period.

There were no statistically rejected operationally valid tests reported this report period. The statistically rejected operationally valid test rate has decreased with respect to the previous report period.

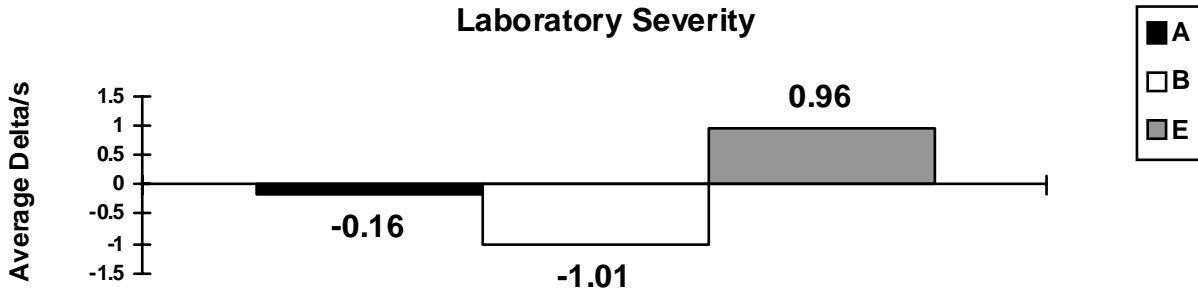


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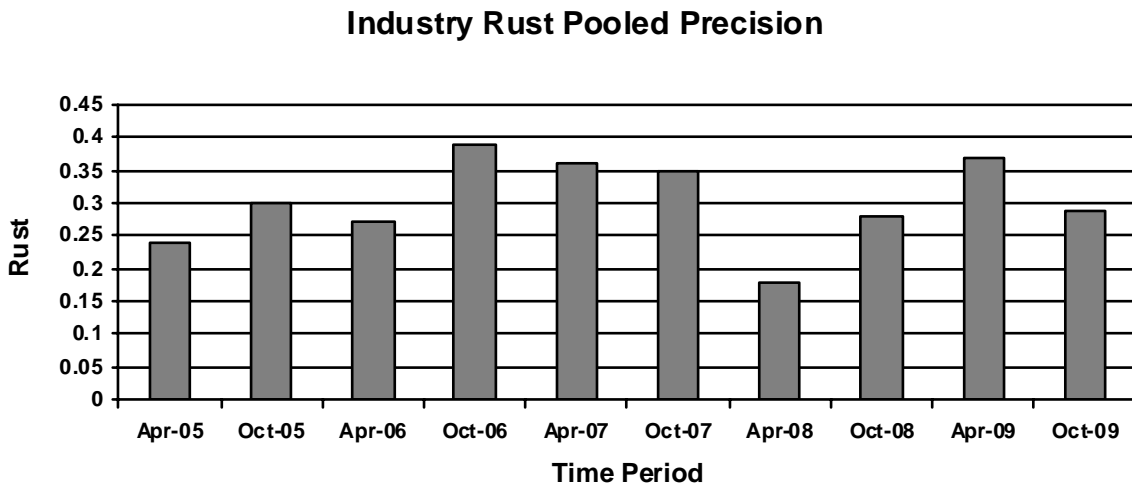
A total of 7 operationally valid test results were reported this period. The mean delta/s for this period is 0.08 mild, which equates to 0.02 merits. All of the 7 operationally valid tests reported this period were conducted on V01.1 hardware. Severity for the 7 operationally valid test results is slightly mild of target as indicated in the chart below and Figure 1.



Shown below is a summary of the average rust  $\Delta/s$  for all laboratories reporting data this report period.



The industry precision estimate for this report period is 0.29 merits (pooled s). Precision this report period has improved compared to previous period as shown below:



Industry Control Charts

Figure 1 is the Industry EWMA severity and precision charts of tests completed through September 30, 2009. Figure 2 is the Industry EWMA severity and precision charts of the last 30 tests completed through September 30, 2009. There were no industry EWMA severity alarms and two industry EWMA precision warning alarms triggered this report period. The alarms were not caused by any one lab, stand or oil.

TMC Lab Visits

There were two lab visits conducted this report period. There was one discrepancy to report. Incorrect severity adjustments were being applied to candidate tests.

Information Letters

There were no information letters issued this report period.

Reference Oils

The following is a listing of reference oils with the expected number of tests remaining at the Test Monitoring Center and at the testing laboratories. L-33-1 reference oils are shipped in quantities of 1 gallon per test.

| Reference Oil | Lab A | Lab B | Lab E | TMC |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| 123-2         | 2     | 2     | 3     | 206 |
| 151-3         | 4     | 0     | 0     | *   |
| 155           | 3     | 2     | 4     | **  |

\* 0 Gallons (Multiple test area usage)

\*\* 226 Gallons (Multiple test area usage)

Attachments

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**Listing of Tables and Figures Included as Part of This Report to the L-33-1 Surveillance Panel**

Table 1 is the L-33-1 Industry Timeline.

Figure 1 is the Industry Control Chart for L-33-1 Rust.

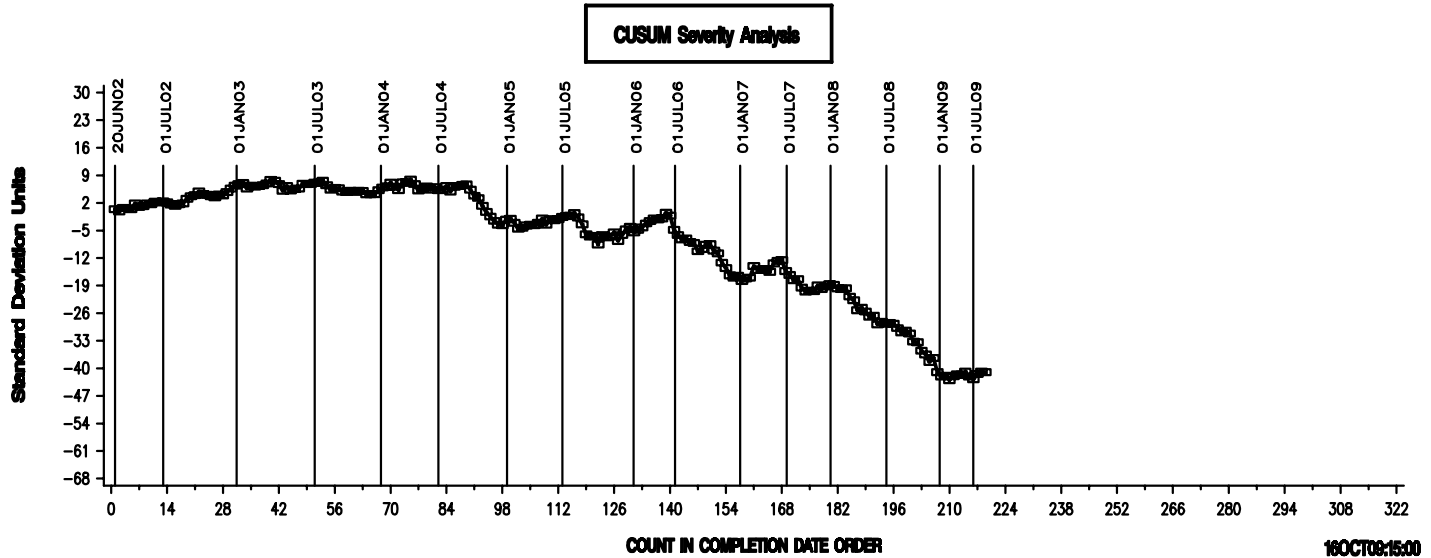
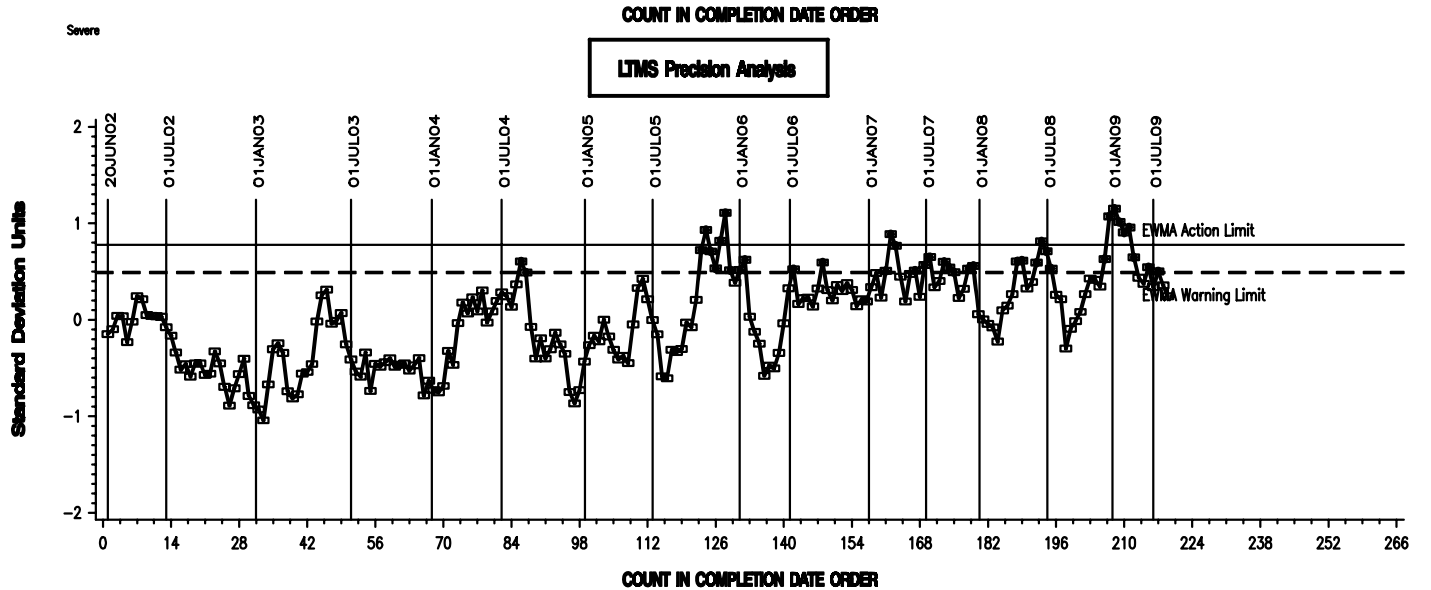
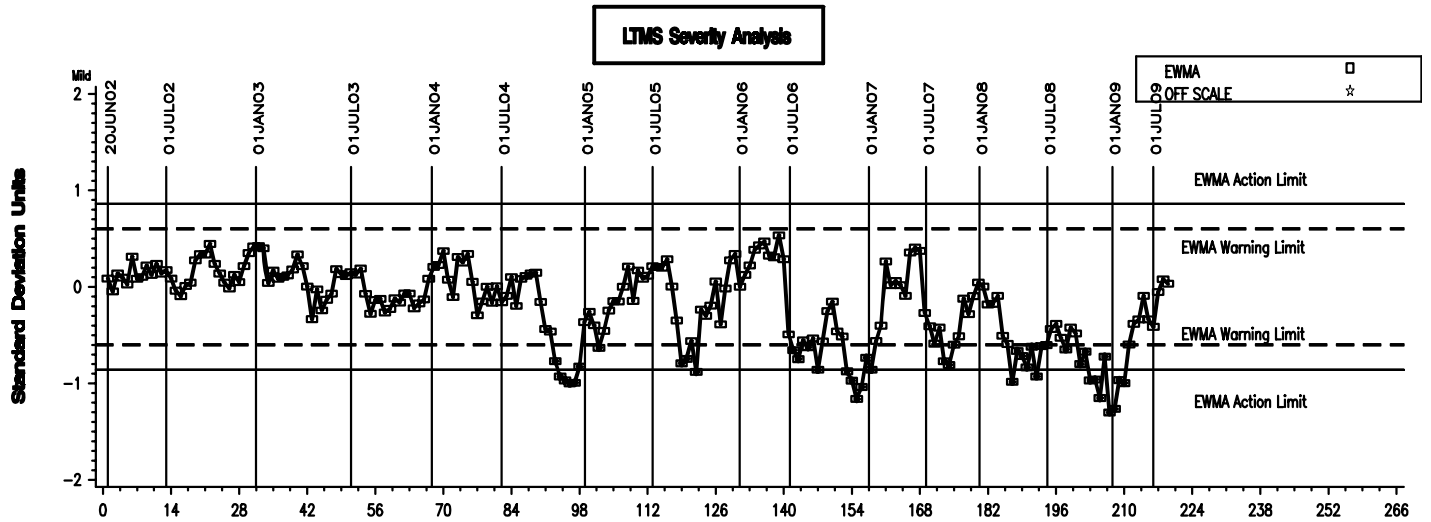
Figure 2 is the Industry Control Chart of the last 30 test results for L-33-1 Rust.

**Table 1**  
**L-33-1 Industry Timeline**

| Effective Date | Topic  | Information Letter Number |
|----------------|--|---------------------------|
| 20030106       | New L-33-1 test procedure  | 02-1                      |
| 20030507       | Revised test unit assembly procedure   | 03-1                      |
| 20030507       | Revised specification for the abrasive blasting cabinet regulator                              | 03-1                      |
| 20030507       | Revised electric fan motor RPM specification   | 03-1                      |
| 20030507       | Tests run on non-calibrated stands are deemed non-interpretable tests                          | 03-1                      |
| 20030507       | Revision to light rust definition  | 03-1                      |
| 20030507       | Editorial changes  | 03-1                      |
| 20030916       | Addition of bearing replacement guidelines   | 03-2                      |
| 20030916       | Addition of Dana Bulletin No. 5304-2 for Drive Pinion Shaft Installation                       | 03-2                      |
| 20040101       | Change in cleaning solvent specification   | 03-2                      |
| 20050221       | Revised Solvent Specification  | 05-1                      |
| 20050221       | Revised Cover Plate Guide Pin Requirement  | 05-1                      |
| 20050221       | Updated Test Precision   | 05-1                      |
| 20050221       | Donated Reference Oil Test Programs/Calibration Period Length Adjustment                       | 05-1                      |
| 20050221       | Revised Footnote 2   | 05-1                      |
| 20060207       | Axle Cover Rating Template Serialization   | 06-1                      |
| 20060721       | Housing Cover Gasket Supplier Name and Address Change  | 06-2                      |
| 20061009       | Aluminum Differential Case, Area 2, Hub Inside Diameter Rating Template                        | 06-3                      |
| 20061009       | Editorial changes  | 06-3                      |
| 20070214       | Revised Area 1 Rating Surface Description  | 07-1                      |
| 20070214       | Editorial Changes to Figures A1.8, A1.14, and A1.15  | 07-1                      |
| 20070411       | Revised Wording for Downtime Occurrences   | 07-2                      |
| 20070411       | Editorial Changes to Sections A2.2.1 and A2.2.2  | 07-2                      |
| 20070525       | Rating Procedure Using Aluminum Differential Case, Area 2, Hub Inside Diameter Rating Template | 07-3                      |
| 20071114       | Revised Start-up Procedure   | 07-4                      |
| 20080114       | Revised Section 11.1.6.1   | 08-1                      |
| 20090323       | Revision to Percent Deviation Calculation  | 09-1                      |

L-33-1 INDUSTRY OPERATIONALLY VALID DATA

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