

U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION
CLIMATE MONITORING AND DIAGNOSTICS LABORATORY
DIGITAL OZONESONDE CHECKLIST

FLT # HU492

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 1-12-08 PUMP CURRENT: 75.22 30 MINUTES HI O₃ (v)
INITIALS: DLN PUMP PRESSURE: 9 5 MINUTE NO O₃ (v)
PUMP NUMBER: 227298 PUMP VACUUM: 22

ADD 3.0 CC CATHODE SOLUTION: (v) Short the cell leads: (v)
WAIT 2 MINUTES: (v) Add about 2.5 CC more Cathode Solution (2Z) (v)
ADD 1.5 CC ANODE SOLUTION: (v) Place Instrument inside plastic bag: (v)
RUN 20 MINUTES ON NO O₃ (v) Store inside Styrofoam flight box: (v)
Record the current after the 20 MINUTES ON NO O₃: = 0.238 μamps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DATE (LOCAL): 1-26-08 **DRY T100**
INITIALS: DLN #1: 28.17
Cathode solution date written on bottle: 8-24-07 #2: 28.24
CHANGE CATHODE SOLUTION (3cc): (v) #3: 28.43
CHANGE ANODE SOLUTION (1.5cc): (Yes/No) DRY AVG: 28.28
RUN ON NO O₃ FOR 5 MINUTES: (v)
RECORD THE NO O₃ BACKGRND#1: BG1 = 0.015 μamps
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v)

T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:
FLOWRATE #1: 29.23 sec
FLOWRATE #2: 29.15
FLOWRATE #3: 29.21
FLOWRATE #4: 29.29
FLOWRATE #5: 29.31
AVERAGE T100: 29.24

WET T100
#1: 28.93
#2: 28.97
#3: 29.04
WET AVG: 28.98

RESPONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.
RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μamps: 24.81 sec. *T100 Flowrate correction 2.48%
RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 18 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 24
RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: HU492
GMT DATE: 1-26-08 LOCAL DATE: 1-26-08
GMT LAUNCH TIME: 19:09:06 LOCAL TIME: 13:09:06

BALLOON TYPE _____ Gram: _____ Kaymont _____ Scientific Sales _____ (v one)

O₃ BACKGROUND (μamps from F9 key): 0.015

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 516101708

SKY CONDITIONS: Overcast + rain

SURFACE PRESSURE: _____

SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____

SURFACE HUMIDITY: _____

~ BURST PRESSURE (mb): 9.734

30.83

REMARKS: _____

weighoff = _____ grams

*T100 flow corr (%) = [(WET/DRY)-1.0] X 100