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NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION
CLIMATE MONITORING AND DIAGNOSTICS LABORATORY
DIGITAL OZONESONDE CHECKLIST

FLT # Hu 500

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 3-8-08 PUMP CURRENT: 97.14 30 MINUTES HI O₃ (v)
INITIALS: DUN PUMP PRESSURE: 9 5 MINUTE NO O₃ (v)
PUMP NUMBER: 277302 PUMP VACUUM: 20

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: = 0.222 μ amps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DRY T100

DATE (LOCAL): 3/22/2008 #1: 28.37
INITIALS: B #2: 28.27
Cathode solution date written on bottle: 8/24/07 #3: 28.43
CHANGE CATHODE SOLUTION (3cc): (v) FLOWRATE #1: 28.57 sec DRY AVG: 28.36
CHANGE ANODE SOLUTION (1.5cc): (Yes/No) FLOWRATE #2: 28.67
RUN ON NO O₃ FOR 5 MINUTES: (v) FLOWRATE #3: 29.02
RECORD THE NO O₃ BACKGRND#1: BG1 = 0.01 μ amps FLOWRATE #4: 28.80 **WET T100**
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v) FLOWRATE #5: 28.60 #1: 28.72
AVERAGE T100: 28.72 #2: 28.81
#3: 28.84

WET AVG: 28.79

RESONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.

RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μ amps: 30.50 sec. *T100 Flowrate correction. _____ %

RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 11 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 32

1.516

RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: Hu 500
GMT DATE: 3/22/08 LOCAL DATE: 3/22/08
GMT LAUNCH TIME: 1359 LOCAL TIME: 1359

BALLOON TYPE 1200 Gram: Kaymont Scientific Sales (v one)

O₃ BACKGROUND (μ amps from F9 key): 0.010

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 320303104

SKY CONDITIONS: _____

SURFACE PRESSURE: _____

SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____

SURFACE HUMIDITY: _____

~ BURST PRESSURE (mb): _____

REMARKS: No O₃ Data... Had to reset Strato - no result

Shut down early b/c no data coming in

weighoff = _____ grams

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