

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

FLT # Hu517

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 6/28/08 PUMP CURRENT: 97.18 30 MINUTES HI O₃ (v)
INITIALS: SL PUMP PRESSURE: >10 5 MINUTE NO O₃ (v)
PUMP NUMBER: 227462 PUMP VACUUM: 21.5

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: = 0.335 μ amps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DATE (LOCAL): 7/12/08 **DRY T100**
INITIALS: B #1: 28.47
Cathode solution date written on bottle: 8/24/07 #2: 28.59
CHANGE CATHODE SOLUTION (3cc): (v) #3: 28.67
CHANGE ANODE SOLUTION (1.5cc): (Yes/No) DRY AVG: 28.58
RUN ON NO O₃ FOR 5 MINUTES: (v)
RECORD THE NO O₃ BACKGRND#1: **BG1**= 0.923 μ amps
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v)

T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:
FLOWRATE #1: 29.48 sec
FLOWRATE #2: 29.49
FLOWRATE #3: 29.52
FLOWRATE #4: 29.77
FLOWRATE #5: 29.67
AVERAGE T100: 29.59

WET T100
#1: 29.19
#2: 29.13
#3: 29.10
WET AVG: 29.14

RESONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.
RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μ amps: 23.51 sec. *T100 Flowrate correction 6.96 %
RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 23 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 70
RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: Hu517
GMT DATE: 7/12/08 LOCAL DATE: 7/12/08
GMT LAUNCH TIME: 17:59 LOCAL TIME: 12:59

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

O₃ BACKGROUND (μ amps from F9 key): _____

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 118308302 SKY CONDITIONS: Very Overcast
SURFACE PRESSURE: _____
SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____
SURFACE HUMIDITY: _____
~ BURST PRESSURE (mb): 7.199 mb
83.63 km

REMARKS: _____

weighoff = _____ grams

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