

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

FLT # H4526

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 14/08/2008 PUMP CURRENT: 82.5 30 MINUTES HI O₃ (v)
INITIALS: S/B PUMP PRESSURE: >10 5 MINUTE NO O₃ (v)
PUMP NUMBER: 227865 PUMP VACUUM: 21

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: = 0.562 μ amps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DATE (LOCAL): 08/16/08
INITIALS: S/BH
Cathode solution date written on bottle: 8/24/07
CHANGE CATHODE SOLUTION (3cc): (v)
CHANGE ANODE SOLUTION (1.5cc): Y (Yes/No)
RUN ON NO O₃ FOR 5 MINUTES: (v)
RECORD THE NO O₃ BACKGRND#1: BG1=0.035 μ amps
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v)

DRY T100
#1: 28.93
#2: 28.69
#3: 28.57
DRY AVG: 28.73
WET T100
#1: 29.05
#2: 29.00
#3: 29.13
WET AVG: 29.06

T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:
FLOWRATE #1: 28.92 sec
FLOWRATE #2: 28.88
FLOWRATE #3: 28.87
FLOWRATE #4: 28.88
FLOWRATE #5: 28.93
AVERAGE T100: 28.90

RESONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.
RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μ amps: 38.17 sec.
RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 22 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 60
RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

*T100 Flowrate correction. 2.68%

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: H4526
GMT DATE: 08/16/08 LOCAL DATE: 08/16/08
GMT LAUNCH TIME: 18:56 LOCAL TIME: 13:56

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

O₃ BACKGROUND (μ amps from F9 key): 0.035

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 219110449
SURFACE PRESSURE: _____
SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____
SURFACE HUMIDITY: _____

SKY CONDITIONS: cloudy, windy
~ BURST PRESSURE (mb): 10.187 / at 31.36km

REMARKS: _____

weighoff = _____ grams

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