

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

FLT # HU 707

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 10/13/2011 PUMP CURRENT: 9376 30 MINUTES HI O₃ (v)
INITIALS: WTC PUMP PRESSURE: 711 5 MINUTE NO O₃ (v)
PUMP NUMBER: 2210210 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: = 0.406 μ amps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DATE (LOCAL): 10/22
INITIALS: BH
Cathode solution date written on bottle 05/24/2011
CHANGE CATHODE SOLUTION (3cc): (v)
CHANGE ANODE SOLUTION (1.5cc): (Yes/No)
RUN ON NO O₃ FOR 5 MINUTES: (v)
RECORD THE NO O₃ BACKGRND#1: BG1=0.079 μ amps
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v)

T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:
FLOWRATE #1: 29.59 sec
FLOWRATE #2: 29.49
FLOWRATE #3: 29.36
FLOWRATE #4: 29.21
FLOWRATE #5: 29.29
AVERAGE T100: 29.39

DRY T100
#1: 27.83
#2: 27.93
#3: 27.97
DRY AVG: 27.92
WET T100
#1: 28.28
#2: 28.27
#3: 28.19
WET AVG: 28.25

RESONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.
RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μ amps: 27.19 sec.
RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 19.3 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 31
RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

*T100 Flowrate correction. 1.18%

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: HU 707
GMT DATE: _____ LOCAL DATE: _____
GMT LAUNCH TIME: _____ LOCAL TIME: _____

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

O₃ BACKGROUND (μ amps from F9 key): _____

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 148190448
SURFACE PRESSURE: _____
SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____
SURFACE HUMIDITY : _____

SKY CONDITIONS: _____
~ BURST PRESSURE (mb) : 29.49

REMARKS: _____

weighoff = _____ grams

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