

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

FLT # H0715

Huntsville

INITIAL PREPARATION 3-7 DAYS BEFORE FLIGHT.

DATE (LOCAL): 11/7/2011 PUMP CURRENT: 22.81 30 MINUTES HI O₃
INITIALS: WTC PUMP PRESSURE: 10 5 MINUTE NO O₃
PUMP NUMBER: 2220683 PUMP VACUUM: 18

ADD 3.0 CC CATHODE SOLUTION: Short the cell leads:
WAIT 2 MINUTES: Add about 2.5 CC more Cathode Solution (2Z)
ADD 1.5 CC ANODE SOLUTION: Place Instrument inside plastic bag:
RUN 20 MINUTES ON NO O₃: Store inside Styrofoam flight box:
Record the current after the 20 MINUTES ON NO O₃: = 0.610 μ amps

FLIGHT PREPARATION IN LAB.

DATE (LOCAL): 12/17/2011
INITIALS: JKR
Cathode solution date written on bottle: 11/16/2011
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= 0.015 μ amps
RUN ON 5 microamps of O₃ for 10 Minutes: (v)

T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:
FLOWRATE #1: 29.11 sec
FLOWRATE #2: 29.07
FLOWRATE #3: 29.00
FLOWRATE #4: 29.08
FLOWRATE #5: 29.15
AVERAGE T100: 29.066

DRY T100
#1: 27.69
#2: 27.69
#3: 27.70
DRY AVG: 27.69
WET T100
#1: 28.33
#2: 28.31
#3: 28.29
WET AVG: 28.31

RESONSE TIME

SWITCH TO NO O₃ AIR.
RECORD: THE TIME TO DROP FROM 4 TO 1.5 μ amps: 25.37 sec.
RECORD: ROOM TEMP (C) 20.2 ROOM REL. HUMID. (%) 23
RECORD: 5 - T100 FLOWRATE TIMES:

*T100 Flowrate correction. 2.23 %

DAY OF FLIGHT @ THE LAUNCH SITE.

FLIGHT NUMBER: H0715
GMT DATE: 12/17/2011 LOCAL DATE: 12/17/2011
GMT LAUNCH TIME: _____ LOCAL TIME: _____

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

O₃ BACKGROUND (μ amps from F9 key): _____

VAISALA NUMBER (9 digit): 16074641
SURFACE PRESSURE: _____
SURFACE TEMP. (C): _____
SURFACE HUMIDITY : _____

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

REMARKS: _____

weighoff = _____ grams

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