

Report of Environmental Monitoring carried out at: -

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Introduction

This report relates to a visit to the premises of Burbidge & Son Ltd. at Awson Street in Coventry on 2nd February 2010 and subsequent dates to complete measurements. The purpose of this visit was to carry out emissions monitoring as part of compliance with The Pollution Prevention and Control (England and Wales) Regulations 2000. The process is authorised by City of Coventry, permit number PPC/045.

The emission points were monitored for particulate matter and Isocyanate as appropriate. Emission limits for particulates and Isocyanate are 50mg/m³ and 0.1mg/m³ respectively.

The process conditions at the time of monitoring were typical operating conditions unless noted.

Reference documents

The reference documents used for the emissions monitoring were

- PG6/33 Secretary of State's Guidance- Wood Coating Processes
- EN 13284-1:2001, tangential method for particulates
- MDHS 25/3 for Isocyanates.

Sampling protocols

The following protocols were used in the emissions monitoring

- Stack sampling protocol- Measurement of airflow
- Stack sampling protocol- Measurement of particulate matter
- Stack sampling protocol- Measurement of Isocyanate

These protocols are included in this report in Appendix 1.

Equipment used

The following equipment was used in the emissions monitoring

- DPM TT570S micromanometer and pitot tube
- SKC Highlite high volume sampling pump and rotameter
- In-stack particulate filter head using 4mm nozzle unless specified
- Midget impinger and treated filter for Isocyanate
- SKC Aircheck sampler pump and rotameter

Information on the equipment and appropriate calibration details are included in this report in Appendix 2.

Location and identification of sampling points

The location and identification of the sampling points are shown diagrammatically in Appendix 3 of this report.

Deviations from standards

1. Due to the variable work patterns at the spraying positions and the need to run extended sampling times it was not always possible to sample the same coating process each time in each stack. This can potentially lead to a larger variation between measurements than might be expected.

2. The air flow in the stacks was generally turbulent and did not follow the normal velocity gradient across the diameter of the stack. In order to minimise error in the measurement of particulate emissions additional air velocity measurements were taken where necessary at the 0.15D and 0.85D particulate sampling points and used to determine the isokinetic sampling rate.
3. The occupancy of some spray positions was generally low with a small quantity of material being sprayed. It was therefore not always possible to take the requisite number of samples. In some instances specific spraying operations have been targeted to give an indication of potential worst case situations.
4. **Sampling ports**
The sampling ports in the manual spray booths, in particular spray booth 4, have been sited closer to the extraction fans than normally recommended for representative sampling.

Results

A summary of results is given in the following table. The results in detail are given in Appendix 4.

It is difficult to estimate the accuracy of the results given the variability of the process and plant. Probable significant errors in the measurement of particulate matter are from air turbulence (10%) and low weight sample weighing (10%).

Stack Position	Particulate emissions average mg/m ³	Isocyanate mg.m ⁻³
Spraybooth 1- left	2.2	
Spraybooth 1- right	2.2	0.0133
Spraybooth 2- left	0.5	
Spraybooth 2- right	2.0	0.0125
Spraybooth 4	1.8	
Stain Cab 1	16.6	
Lacquer Cab 2	1.3	

Conclusions and Discussion

The particulate emissions were lower than normal for the manual spray booths due to the nature of the work undertaken and to the effective maintenance programme. Typical emissions for the furniture industry are 0-10 mg/m³ for normal conditions and 10-15 mg/m³ for high use or poor filter condition.

The occupancy of some spray booths was relatively low reflecting the reduced workload for these positions. The particulate measurements were taken when these positions were in use.

Emissions from the stain cab were taken when spraying patina. This is an occasional process that generates significant quantities of dry particulates.

Emissions of Isocyanate were below analytical detectable limits.

Appendix 1- Sampling Protocols

Stack Sampling Protocol- Measurement of airflow

1. Instrumentation

The preferred instrument for measuring airflow in stacks is the pitot tube. This is a differential pressure probe designed to cause minimal turbulence when inserted into the airflow. The total pressure within the stack comprises of Velocity pressure, caused by the movement of the air, and Static pressure, exerted in all directions by compression or expansion of the air caused by the process e.g. extraction fan. The BS 1042 pitot tube has an ellipsoidal tip that is aligned into the direction of flow. The pitot tube has two separate tappings. The tip is affected by total pressure in the stack whereas the tappings perpendicular to the tip are affected by the static pressure only. The velocity pressure is the difference between the two.

The pressures exerted on the pitot tube are measured by an electronic micromanometer. This provides the static and velocity pressures and the air velocity in the stack.

The micromanometer can be set to display true velocity readings by automatically correcting for actual test point gas density using independently measured test temperature and barometric pressure.

2. Measuring site location

Wherever possible the sampling port should be located in a region with sufficiently high and homogeneous air flow. As a guideline the minimum distances, in terms of stack diameters, from points of turbulence should be as follows; fan (3), junction (2) and bend (1). The location should be at least one diameter upstream of the next point of turbulence. In practice the greater the distances, the more reliable the airflow. In some cases these conditions cannot be met and measurements in these situations must be taken with some caution.

3. Measurements

Measurements are taken at a series of points across the ducts. The positions of the points, along with alternative strategies, are given in the relevant particulate sampling standard. In situations where the airflow is not linear, preference is given to measuring air velocity at the points where sampling will occur.

Stack Sampling Protocol- Measurement of particulate matter

1. Air velocity in stack

Measure the airflow in the stack using pitot tube, micromanometer, barometer and thermometer. The micromanometer can be set to display true velocity readings by automatically correcting for actual test point gas density using independently measured test temperature and barometric pressure.

2. Isokinetic sampling for particulate matter

In isokinetic sampling the volume of flow into the sampling head is matched to the airflow velocity in the stack. This ensures an even flow of lighter particles into the head. If the sampling flow is set too low the light particles tend to be carried around the head by the airflow. If set too high, the light particles are pulled into the head from outside sampled volume of air. The required sampling rates can be determined by calculation or from standard tables.

3. Sampling

Particulate sampling is taken over an approximate 30-120 minute period where the process allows, at points specified in EN 13284-1:2001, tangential method. The samples are collected onto a pre-weighed glass fibre filters. The filters are reweighed to determine the quantity of particulate matter collected. Dummy filters are used for internal calibration.

4. Presentation of results

Particulate sampling is assessed by weight (gravimetrically). The weight is normally expressed in milligrams.

The volume of air sampled is derived from the sampling flow rate and the sampling time. The volume is expressed in cubic metres. Measurements are taken without correction for water vapour content.

The concentration of particulate matter is expressed as milligrams per cubic metre or mg.m^{-3} .

Stack Sampling Protocol- Measurement of Isocyanate

1. Measurements and Analysis

The quantity of isocyanate in stack flue gases is measured by collecting a sample onto both a 1-(2-methoxyphenol)piperazine solution and a 1-(2-methoxyphenol)piperazine impregnated filter. These are supplied by a UKAS accredited laboratory and the sample is subsequently analysed by the same laboratory.

2. Sampling

A 6mm stainless steel probe is inserted into the stack and connected to a glass midget impinger backed by a filter in a stainless steel sampling head. The sampling procedure is carried out in accordance with HSE occupational method MDHS 25/3. The sample is collected anisokinetically. The flue gasses are pumped through the impinger and filter for 20-30 minutes at a rate of 1000 ml/min.

3. Presentation of results

The volume of air sampled is derived from the sampling flow rate and the sampling time. The volume is expressed in cubic metres.

The flue gasses are analysed to give the weight of Isocyanate.

The concentration of Isocyanate is expressed as milligrams per cubic metre or mg.m^{-3} .

Appendix 2-Equipment Used

DPN SERIES MICROMANOMETER



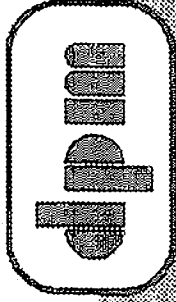
BACK LIGHT

SINGLE BATTERY

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AIR DENSITY CORRECTION

AVERAGE VELOCITY/PRESSURE



Instrument shown actual size

Flow Measurement of Air Velocity and Pressure
Positive, Negative or Differential

Fundamental improvements to the TT Series Micromanometers include

- ✓ **Large Display** Easy to read
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- ✓ **Manual Logging** Press store key
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- ✓ **Extra Damping** For turbulent flow / pressure
- ✓ **Down Loading Data** PC or thermal printer
- ✓ **Pressure** Minimum 1 Pa resolution
- ✓ **Velocity Range** From 1.3m /s
- ✓ **Auto Zero** Manual or preset

SPECIFICATIONS

<u>Pressure</u>	
Pa	± 0 to 999 ± 1.00 to 7.50 Kpa
mmH2O	± 0 to 9.99 ± 10.0 to 9.99 ± 100 to 750
inH2O	± 0 to 9.99 ± 10.0 to 30.0
mbar	± 0 to 9.99 ± 10.0 to 75.0
<u>Velocity</u>	m/sec: 1.3 to 99.9 ft/min: 256 to 20,000
<u>Accuracy @ 20°C</u>	Readings < 100 counts ± 2 counts
Pressure, Velocity	Readings > 100 counts ± 1% of reading ± 1 count
<u>Recommended operational limits</u>	0° to 50°C (32° to 123°F)
<u>Span Stability v Temperature</u>	Better than 0.1% of range in use per °C (per 2°F) Negligible due to autozero system.
<u>Zero Drift</u>	When auto zero set at 1 minute intervals. (2 minute warm up)
<u>Zero System Accuracy</u>	± 1 count (any range)
<u>Orientation Effect</u>	(any 45° change) 0.1 pascal typical
<u>Output Socket</u>	RS 232 (baud rate 9600)
<u>Data Logging</u>	Up to 2500 any units.
<u>Software</u>	Down load readings to PC in a very basic form.
<u>Power Source</u>	Dry cell Rechargeable (MN1604, PP3) 8.4v 120mAh
<u>System Air Leak (Typical)</u>	0.1ml/minute at 5Kpa
<u>Safe Line / Differential Pressure</u>	15Kpa
<u>Storage Temperature Limits</u>	-5 to +50°C
<u>Dimensions</u>	45 x 92 x 185 mm
<u>Weight</u>	555 grammes with battery

MODELS 570 S 570 M 570 A 570 B 570 C 570 D

Pressure

pascals	✓				✓	✓
mmH2O		✓			✓	✓
in H2O			✓		✓	✓
mbar				✓	✓	✓

Velocity

m/sec	✓	✓		✓	✓	
ft/min			✓			✓

APPLICATIONS

HVAC Commissioning and maintenance. Gas flow measurement. Aerodynamics and air flow research. COSHH requirements relating to airflow and pressure. Furnace draught measurement. Paint booth and clean room measurement. Wind tunnel testing.

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www.ttseries.com

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Date Received : 06 January 2010

Instrument -	System ID :	59589
	Description :	Micromanometer
	Manufacturer :	D. P. Measurements
	Model Number :	TT570S
	Serial Number :	6012
	Procedure Version :	MA275V2

Environmental Conditions

Temperature : 20°C +/- 4°C
Relative Humidity : <70% +/- %

Mains Voltage : 240V +/- 10V
Mains Frequency : 50Hz +/- 1Hz

Comments

Instrument calibrated with "Fast" averaging and Auto zero enabled.

Results recorded as received. No adjustment performed.

Traceability Information

Instrument description	Serial number	Certificate number	Cal. Date	Cal. Period
FCO550 Pressure Calibrator	0010275	UK02970	09/10/2009	26

Calibrated By : D. M. Tovey

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'D.M. Tovey'.

Date of Calibration : 08 January 2010

This certificate provides traceability of measurement to recognised National Standards, and to the units of measurement realised at the National Physical Laboratory or other recognised National Standards laboratories.

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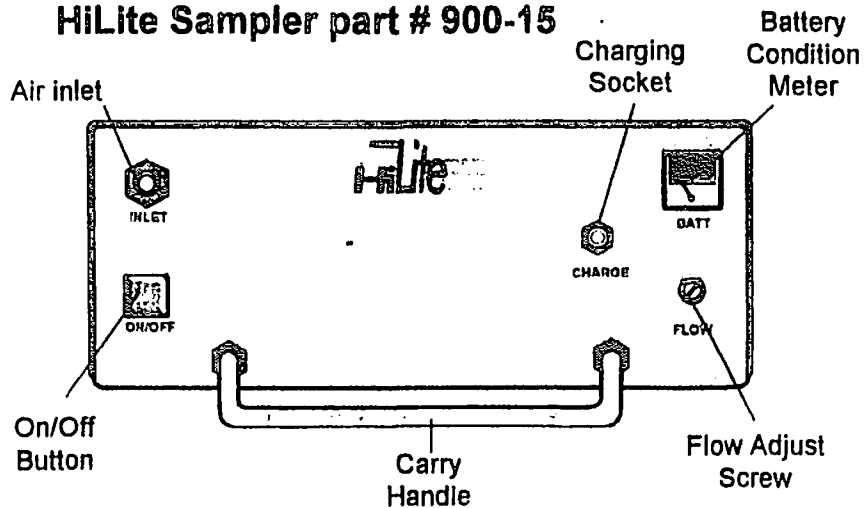
FEATURES

Where are the controls located? All the controls of the HiLite series are located on the front panel.

ON/OFF SWITCH. When pressed down to the ON position the pump will start to run, and the LCD (if fitted) activate showing eight ZEROS. If left running the timer will increase in one minute steps to a maximum of 99999999 minutes.

TIMER (if fitted). The red button on the timer is disabled on the HiLite pump and has no effect when pressed. Once the pump has been started the timer will record the run time in minutes. At the end of the sample the pump is stopped and the timer will freeze displaying the total run time. When the pump is next restarted the timer will zero and commence recording the run time once again.

HiLite Sampler part # 900-15



FLOW ADJUST. Below the level of the hole marked FLOW is a small screw. To adjust the flow use a small screwdriver, making sure the screwdriver end is located in the slot. To increase the flow turn clockwise. The span of this screw is around 5 turns. **DO NOT FORCE** the flow adjust screw, and Flow range by this adjuster is approximately 3-12 l/min. to free air.

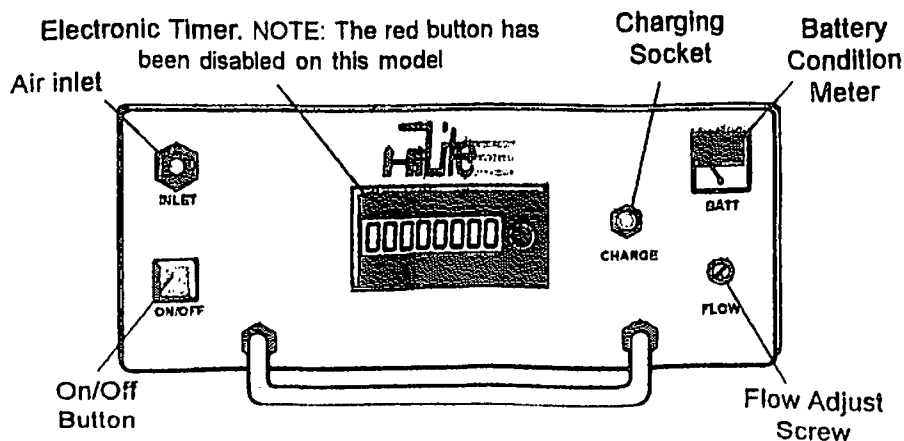
BATTERY CHARGE METER. The meter gives an indication of the battery capacity available. If the meter is in the RED area the pump should be recharged before use.

INLET. Connect the sampling device to this pipe stub using flexible tubing of 8mm diameter.

FUSE. An internal fuse is fitted which can only be accessed by removal of the case top. Please refer to page 4 for instructions on how to remove case top. The fuse is rated at 2 Amp anti surge and must be replaced with an equivalent. Replacement of the fuse with a higher or lower value can cause damage to your pump.

CHARGING. The charger for the HiLite will automatically switch to a trickle charge after the battery has reached full charge. This prevents overheating of the battery and increases its life.

HiLite Sampler with Timer part # 900-15T



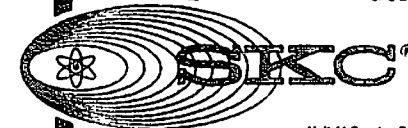
HiLite

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

FEATURING

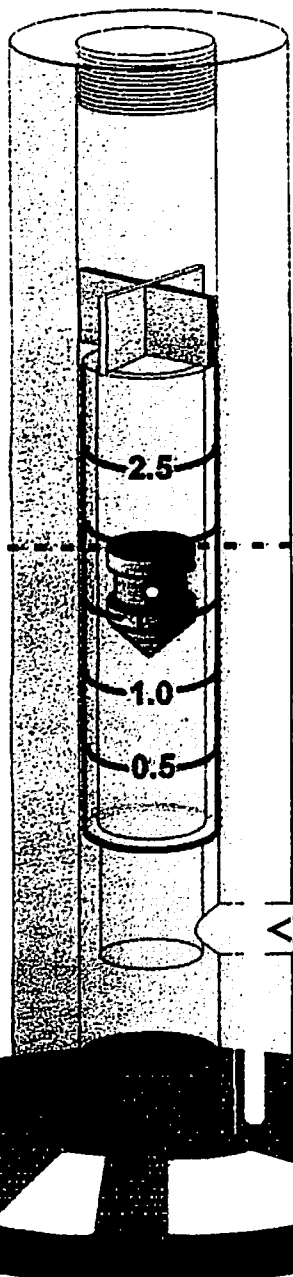
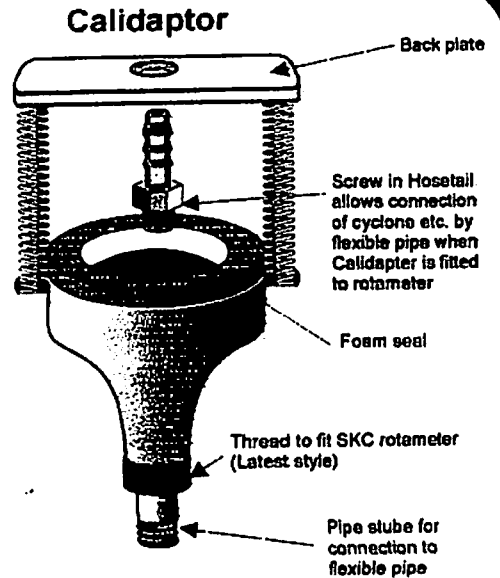
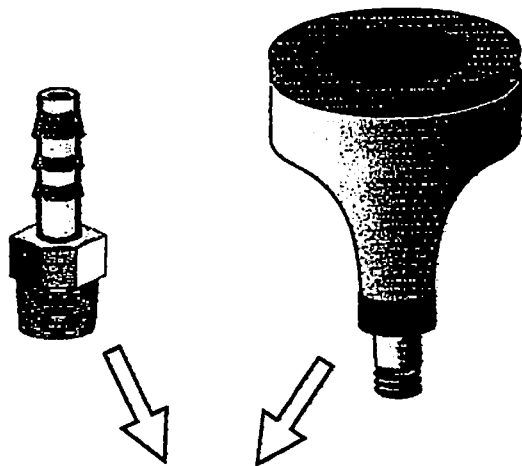
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Always read from the TOP of the float

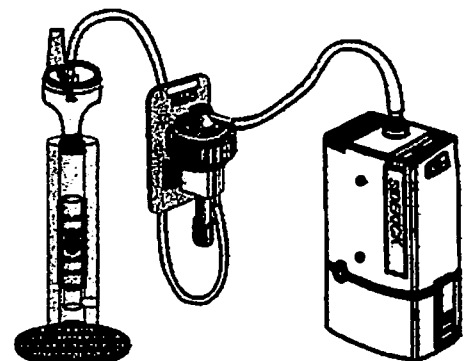
The SKC rotameter is supplied with an adapter and two pipe stub fittings which should be screwed into position as shown in the diagram opposite. This provides a method of connecting either a sampling head or flexible pipe to the rotameter.

When using an I.O.M. head or similar, where there is no facility to connect a flexible pipe the SKC CALIDAPTOR allows hands free calibration and ensures a good air seal at all times.

To fit simply remove the pipe stub (if fitted) and replace it with the CALIDAPTOR. The sample head is now clipped between the spring loaded back plate and the foam seal. Once in place both hands are left free to set the pump flow rate.

Adjustment screws

Pipe stub fitting



Set up showing cyclone being calibrated

Universal Pumps

PCXR8

1000 to 5000 ml/min

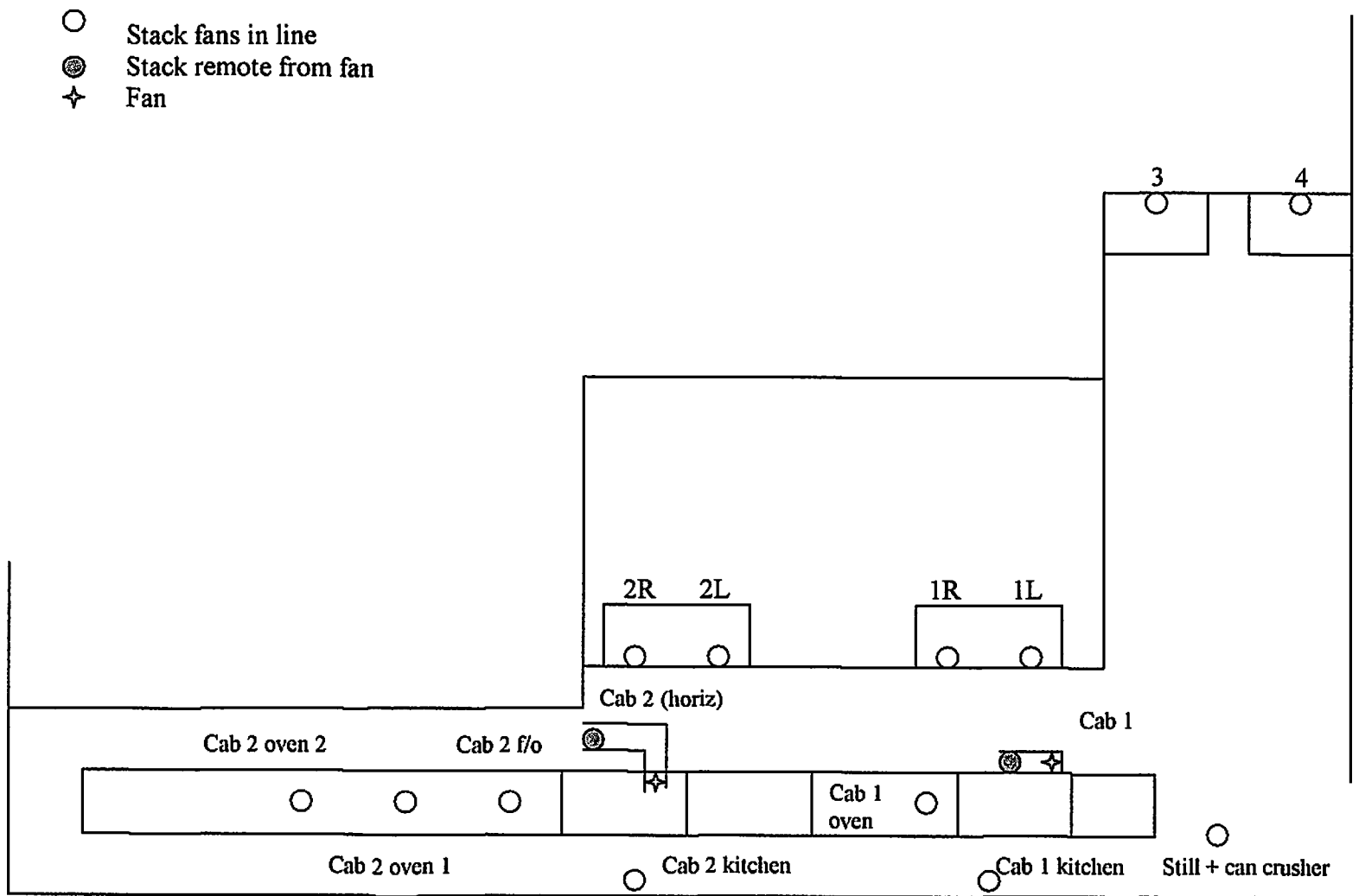
(5 to 500 ml/min Low Flow Applications)

Unexcelled Personal or Area Air Sampling Pump

Programmable Start and Stop Times



Appendix 3- Location and Identification of Sampling Points



Schematic of location and identification of sampling points

Appendix 4- Results

Particulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Left stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spraybooth 1	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
perpendicular port, 0.15D	9.4	7.1	209	2.6	164	1164.4	2.2	

Particulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Right stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spraybooth 1	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
perpendicular port, 0.85D	10.1	7.6	436	1.4	125	950.0	1.5	
parallel port, 0.85D	11.4	8.6	433	5.3	222	1909.2	2.8	

Particulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Left stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spraybooth 2	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
parallel port, 0.15D	9.5	7.2	382	0.6	155	1116.0	0.5	overspray from right stack

articulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Right stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spraybooth 2	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
parallel port, 0.15D	14.0	10.6	84	4.3	210	2226.0	1.9	
perpendicular port, 0.15D	5.3	8.9	345	3.9	219	1949.1	2.0	6mm nozzle

articulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spray Cab 1	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
top port, 0.15D	7.8	5.9	461	9.5	97	572.3	16.6	patina, occasional process

articulate Matter Stack Monitoring

Stack Identification/Position	Stack	Stack dimensions	700mm
Plant identification	Spray Cab 2	Process operation	Spraying mixed materials

Sample Point	Air Velocity m/s	Isokinetic flow rate l/min	Filter Number	Particulate Weight milligrams	Total Time minutes	Total Volume litres	Particulate Concentration mg/m ³	Comments
right port, 0.15D	15.9	12.0	325	2.7	125	1500.0	1.8	
right port, 0.85D	16.5	12.4	353	1.5	175	2170.0	0.7	

Isocyanate Emissions

Sample	Stack Identification	Total NCO	Pump Rate	Pump Time	Air Volume	Emission	Comments
		microgram	ml/min	min	litre	mg/m3	
Bur 1	2R	0.2	1000	16	16.00	0.0125	below detectable limit of 0.2 microgram, toluene diisocyanate
Bur 2	1R	0.2	1000	15	15.00	0.0133	below detectable limit of 0.2 microgram, toluene diisocyanate

Air Flow Measurement

duct identification	diameter mm	air velocity m/s										average velocity m/s	measured air volume m ³ /hr	static pressure pascals
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
spraybooth 1 left stack, perpendicular port	700	10.4	12.3	9.4	7.8	8.1	8.6	8.7	8.8	11.0	12.3	9.74	13,494	-10
spraybooth 1 left stack, parallel port	700	11.4	10.9	10.2	10.9	10.3	8.9	8.7	9.6	11.8	12.5	10.52	14,574	
spraybooth 1 right stack, perpendicular port	700	8.9	9.0	9.9	10.9	10.6	10.7	10.2	10.1	10.5	10.0	10.08	13,965	-10
spraybooth 1 right stack, parallel port	700	12.8	13.8	16.3	15.8	12.4	11.0	9.9	11.4	14.2	14.2	13.18	18,260	
spraybooth 2 left stack, perpendicular port	700	5.0	7.8	6.6	7.4	9.4	11.0	11.9	9.4	6.8	4.6	7.99	11,069	0
spraybooth 2 left stack, parallel port	700	6.6	8.4	9.5	9.8	10.3	11.3	12.8	11.0	8.9	5.6	9.42	13,050	
spraybooth 2 right stack, perpendicular port	700	0.0	0.0	5.3	7.2	8.8	8.7	8.6	5.9	2.5	0.0	4.7	6,511	-10
spraybooth 2 right stack, parallel port	700	10.4	13.5	14.0	13.7	11.0	10.8	12.9	14.2	13.6	10.4	12.45	17,248	

Air Flow Measurement

duct identification	diameter mm	air velocity m/s										average velocity m/s	measured air volume m ³ /hr	static pressure pascals	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
spraybooth 3 perpendicular port	700				not in use								0	0	
spraybooth 3 parallel port	700												0	0	
spraybooth 4 perpendicular port	700	0.0	2.6	5.6	7.0	9.8	11.0	9.8	9.4	9.5	9.3	7.4	10,252	-25	
spraybooth 4 parallel port	700	14.2	16.8	17.2	17.3	15.1	12.1	15.5	15.3	15.0	12.3	15.08	20,892		
spray cab 1 top port	650	7.1	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.2	7.3	7.5	8.2	9.0	8.1	7.76	9,270	-20	
spray cab 1 side port	650	7.6	8.6	9.4	9.7	10.4	10.5	11.0	11.5	11.3	11.0	10.1	12,065		
spray cab 2 right port	550	19.1	16.5	15.9	17.2	17.9	17.8	17.1	16.5	15.1	14.7	16.78	14,351	-40	
spray cab 2 left port	550	13.9	18.2	18.6	18.2	18.2	18.7	18.5	18.1	17.5	15.9	17.58	15,036		

Air Flow Measurement

duct identification	diameter mm	air velocity m/s										average velocity m/s	measured air volume m3/hr	static pressure pascals
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
spray cab 2 flash-off right port	350	6.4	7.8	8.7	8.8	8.6	8.6					8.2	2,823	-5
spray cab 2 flash-off left port	350	6.7	8.4	8.1	8.7	9.0	9.7					8.4	2,921	
spray cab 2 oven 1 right port	250	9.8	10.0	12.8	13.5	13.0	11.5					11.8	2,079	-10
spray cab 2 oven 1 left port	250	10.5	12.1	12.4	11.7	11.3	11.4					11.6	2,044	
spray cab 2 oven 2 right port	250	11.3	11.6	12.7	13.1	14.1	12.9					12.6	2,229	-10
spray cab 2 oven 2 left port	250	12.3	12.6	13.1	12.7	12.3	10.6					12.3	2,168	
cab 1 kitchen	250	7.3	8.1	9.3	9.6	9.0	7.9					8.5	1,508	-55
cab 2 kitchen	250	8.6	8.9	9.2	9.3	9.0	8.8					9.0	1,584	-65
still + can crusher	250	7.5	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.5	5.8					6.9	1,210	-80