

Paper & Paperboard Testing Program

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The CTS Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Program

In 1969, the National Bureau of Standards (now designated the National Institute for Standards and Technology) and the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry (TAPPI) developed an interlaboratory program for paper and paperboard testing. Since 1971, Collaborative Testing Services has operated the Collaborative Reference Program for Paper and Paperboard. With hundreds of organizations from around the world participating in these tests, this program has become one of the largest of its kind. The program allows laboratories to compare the performance of their testing with that of other participating laboratories, and provides a realistic picture of the state of paper testing.

About CTS

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Key for Web Summary Reports (Page 1 of 2)

WebCode	Assigned laboratory identification number (temporary) used to ensure lab confidentiality while permitting a lab to locate its data in the Paper Report published on the CTS Website. The WebCode for each analysis can be found on the datasheets and in the Performance Analysis Report mailed to each participant.
Lab Mean	The average of the values obtained for each sample by the participant.
Grand Mean	The average of the LAB MEANS for all included participants. Laboratories flagged with an X or an M (see DATA FLAG column) are excluded from the GRAND MEAN.
Difference from Grand Mean	The difference of the LAB MEAN from the GRAND MEAN.
Between-Lab Standard Deviation	An indication of the precision of measurement between the laboratories. The greater the spread of the LAB MEANS about the GRAND MEAN, the larger the BETWEEN-LAB STANDARD DEVIATION (and vice versa).
Comparative Performance Value	An indication of how well a laboratory's results agree with the other participants. The CPV is a ratio indicating the number of standard deviations from the GRAND MEAN. The closer a laboratory's COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE VALUE is to zero, the more consistent its results are with the other participants' data (and vice versa). The critical value for each CPV will vary depending on the number of labs participating in a test.
Inst Code	A code indicating the manufacturer of the instrument used to perform the test (see separate INSTRUMENT CODE LIST for each test section), if instruments are tracked.
Data Flag	DATA FLAGS are assigned based on the simultaneous analysis of both samples tested. Refer to the following chart for an explanation of each symbol:

<u>DATA FLAG</u>	<u>STATISTICALLY INCLUDED/EXCLUDED</u>	<u>ACTION REQUIRED</u>
*	INCLUDED	CAUTION - review testing procedure and monitor future results. Results fall outside 95% ellipse but within a 99% ellipse that is calculated but not drawn.
X	EXCLUDED	STOP - immediate review of data and/or testing procedure is required. Results fall outside the 99% ellipse. See specific notes following each table for more information on why the data is excluded.
M	EXCLUDED	PROCEED - lab was unable to report data for at least one sample.

Graph - For each laboratory, the LAB MEAN for the first sample (x-axis) is plotted against the LAB MEAN for the second sample (y-axis) with each point representing a laboratory. The horizontal and vertical cross-hairs are the GRAND MEANS for each sample. When 20 or more laboratories are in the statistics, an ellipse is also drawn so that 95% of the time a randomly selected laboratory will be included inside the ellipse. Plotted data flags are explained on the previous page.

Common Problems Highlighted in Footnotes

1. **Extreme data** - The laboratory's results for one or both samples are so inconsistent with those of the other participants that the lab mean(s) fall outside the plot. The participant is advised to immediately review his data and/or testing procedure.
2. **Systematic bias** - The laboratory's results are either consistently high or low for both samples when compared to the other participants (the plotted point falls near the top or bottom of the ellipse). This indicates that the participant is performing the test with a constant bias. Causes of systematic errors include improper calibration, the particular make/model of equipment or a modification to the testing procedure.
3. **Inconsistency in testing between samples/sample sets** - The laboratory's results indicate that there are differences in the way the two samples tested (the plotted point falls to the side of the ellipse). This type of error may be attributed to the analyst deviating from the procedure when testing one of the samples or a material interaction occurrence with the instrument or room conditions. The inconsistency is reflected in the CPVs for the two samples, such as a +1.5 CPV for sample A and a -2.2 CPV for sample B. CTS also will specify if the laboratory's data for one sample are high/low compared to the other participants. If this inconsistency is slight, the lab's plotted point will be an * that falls on the edge of the ellipse.
4. **Inconsistency in testing within a sample** - The laboratory's within-lab standard deviation for a specified sample is high when compared to the other participants, often causing the lab's plotted point to fall outside of the ellipse.

Labs flagged with an * are not typically included in the footnotes of a data table. These labs may locate their position in the control ellipse and use the definitions above to help identify the type of testing error. An * should serve as a caution flag, a "yellow light", to a lab. If this error is repeated in future rounds, a lab may need to stop and review its testing procedures. The initial data flag is not cause for alarm. Interlaboratory tests conducted at regular intervals permit a lab to recognize trends in testing.



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**Analysis 3501
Thickness (Caliper), Packaging papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T411**

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample CK51</u>			<u>Sample CK52</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		13.65	0.01	0.10	13.68	0.03	0.25	LB
6FTTRF		13.67	0.04	0.29	13.67	0.02	0.19	PP
6JR4MF		13.60	-0.03	-0.20	13.65	0.01	0.08	LW
7EREGR		13.71	0.08	0.55	13.68	0.04	0.27	TA
8J3PAL		13.54	-0.09	-0.63	13.61	-0.03	-0.27	TA
B8UGWK		13.92	0.29	2.01	13.86	0.21	1.67	LW
CVYMYG		13.40	-0.23	-1.62	13.42	-0.23	-1.78	XX
CZTJLM		13.82	0.19	1.33	13.73	0.08	0.64	LW
E2YKMB		13.84	0.21	1.45	13.79	0.15	1.14	LC
EL8QC7		13.76	0.13	0.89	13.78	0.14	1.10	PP
EYT3NF		13.75	0.11	0.79	13.78	0.13	1.03	TM
JQHMN9		13.34	-0.30	-2.05	13.38	-0.26	-2.06	XX
JRCFG8		13.57	-0.06	-0.42	13.61	-0.03	-0.25	XX
KJ2DV7		13.60	-0.03	-0.19	13.75	0.11	0.84	PP
KMVBHC		13.82	0.19	1.32	13.83	0.19	1.46	EM
LEK9WB		13.72	0.09	0.63	13.70	0.05	0.42	EM
NC4V86		13.43	-0.20	-1.39	13.46	-0.18	-1.44	XX
NEC4E4		13.61	-0.02	-0.14	13.50	-0.15	-1.16	MS
QDT47Y		13.59	-0.04	-0.26	13.62	-0.03	-0.21	OK
R3BJL3		13.60	-0.03	-0.22	13.62	-0.02	-0.19	LW
R4WMUZ		13.80	0.17	1.19	13.73	0.09	0.68	LW
RH47W2		13.64	0.01	0.06	13.68	0.04	0.31	LW
RUXML2		13.56	-0.07	-0.50	13.50	-0.14	-1.12	LC
V7GB6Q		13.55	-0.08	-0.58	13.66	0.01	0.11	LC
VGEE7Y		13.63	0.00	-0.03	13.63	-0.01	-0.10	LW
VVCJEW	*	13.43	-0.20	-1.37	13.65	0.01	0.08	LW
YCRVER		13.41	-0.22	-1.53	13.36	-0.28	-2.22	TA
ZGHRGN		13.71	0.08	0.56	13.70	0.06	0.48	LW
ZHU8BP		13.63	-0.01	-0.03	13.65	0.00	0.03	LA

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample CK51</u>	<u>Sample CK52</u>
Grand Means	13.63 mils	13.64 mils
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.14 mils	0.13 mils
Statistics based on 29 of 29 reporting participants.		



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Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

EM	Emveco	LA	L & W Autoline
LB	L & W Autoline 600	LC	L & W Autoline 400
LW	L & W	MS	Messmer
OK	Oakland	PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus
TA	Thwing-Albert	TM	TMI
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		

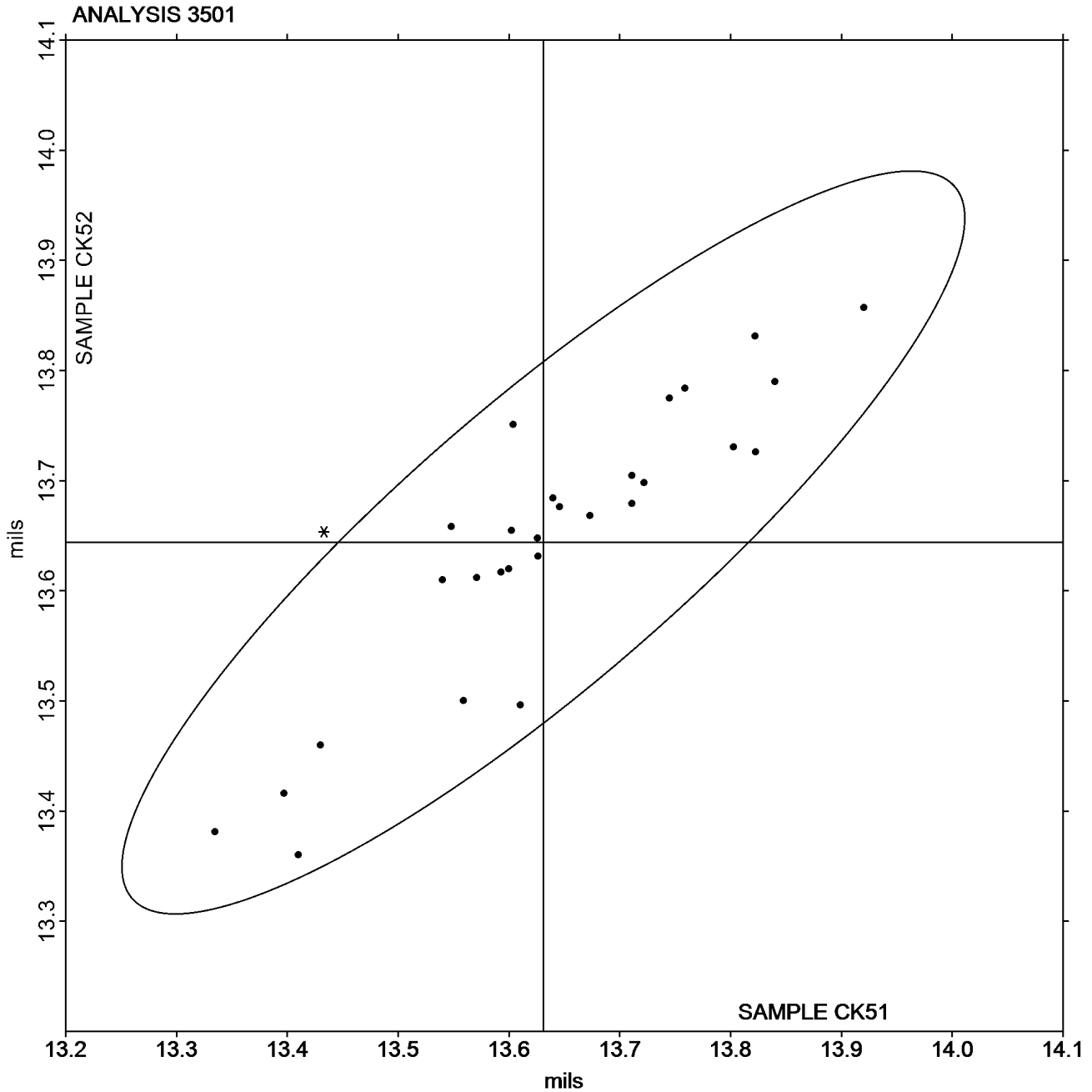


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Grand Mean Sample CK51 = 13.631
mils

Grand Mean Sample CK52 = 13.644
mils





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Analysis 3511
Bursting Strength - Packaging Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T403

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample BK51</u>			<u>Sample BK52</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
6JR4MF		49.69	1.63	0.42	49.60	1.65	0.47	ZZ
6M7Y8J		47.30	-0.76	-0.19	46.50	-1.45	-0.41	ZZ
B8UGWK		49.58	1.52	0.39	49.30	1.35	0.38	ZZ
CZTJLM		43.91	-4.14	-1.06	42.96	-4.99	-1.41	ZZ
GWEF48		55.30	7.24	1.84	53.60	5.65	1.60	ZZ
KJ2DV7		53.80	5.74	1.46	52.60	4.65	1.32	ZZ
N94KC6		45.20	-2.85	-0.73	46.61	-1.34	-0.38	ZZ
R4WMUZ		42.08	-5.97	-1.52	41.89	-6.06	-1.72	ZZ
XEHHWV		46.92	-1.14	-0.29	47.56	-0.39	-0.11	ZZ
YCRVER		47.25	-0.81	-0.21	48.20	0.25	0.07	ZZ
Z3KF9K		47.57	-0.48	-0.12	48.63	0.68	0.19	ZZ

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample BK51</u>	<u>Sample BK52</u>
Grand Means	48.06 psi	47.95 psi
Std Dev Btwn Labs	3.93 psi	3.53 psi

Statistics based on 11 of 11 reporting participants.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked

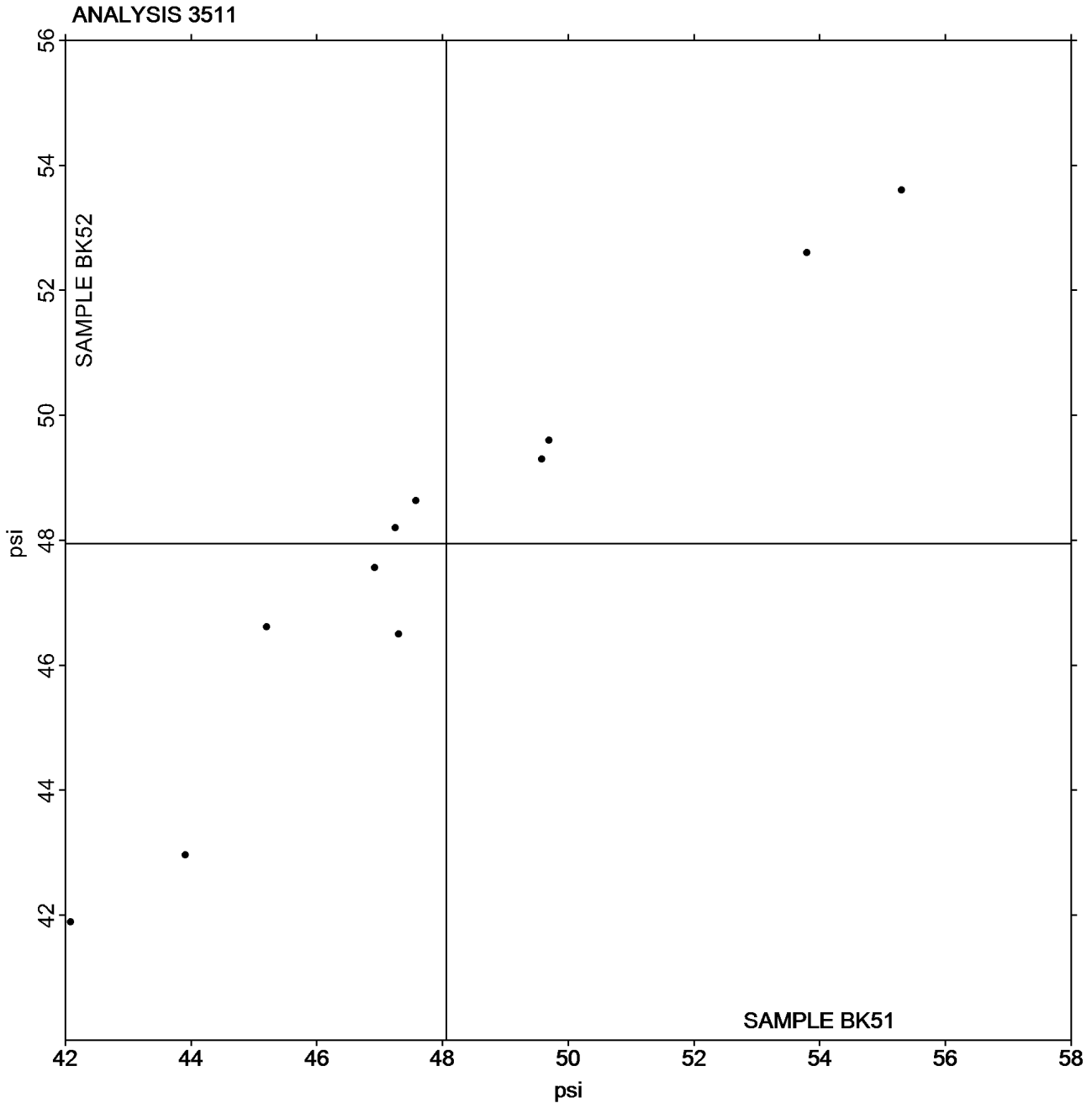


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Grand Mean Sample BK51 = 48.055
psi

Grand Mean Sample BK52 = 47.951
psi



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



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**Analysis 3513
Tearing Strength - Packaging Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T414**

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample RK51			Sample RK52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
6FTTRF		105.7	-5.1	-0.61	106.8	-3.6	-0.43	ZZ
6M7Y8J		115.4	4.6	0.54	111.5	1.2	0.14	ZZ
7EREGR		103.5	-7.4	-0.88	103.4	-7.0	-0.83	ZZ
B8UGWK		110.7	-0.2	-0.02	109.1	-1.3	-0.15	ZZ
CZTJLM		113.2	2.4	0.28	110.6	0.2	0.03	ZZ
EYT3NF		110.5	-0.3	-0.04	111.1	0.7	0.08	ZZ
KH8K39		112.6	1.7	0.20	110.9	0.5	0.06	ZZ
KJ2DV7		111.7	0.9	0.10	112.2	1.8	0.22	ZZ
KXXTVZ		96.7	-14.1	-1.67	99.2	-11.1	-1.32	ZZ
LEK9WB		108.4	-2.5	-0.30	106.4	-4.0	-0.47	ZZ
N94KC6		106.4	-4.4	-0.53	108.6	-1.8	-0.21	ZZ
NC4V86		120.8	10.0	1.18	120.8	10.4	1.24	ZZ
PKF8ZW		129.4	18.5	2.20	130.6	20.2	2.40	ZZ
QDUTE3		110.3	-0.6	-0.07	107.1	-3.3	-0.39	ZZ
QENL8Z		109.9	-0.9	-0.11	110.2	-0.1	-0.01	ZZ
R4WMUZ		107.7	-3.1	-0.37	107.0	-3.4	-0.40	ZZ
RH47W2		105.4	-5.5	-0.65	104.8	-5.6	-0.67	ZZ
RUXML2		98.8	-12.1	-1.43	98.1	-12.3	-1.46	ZZ
VGEE7Y	*	133.1	22.2	2.64	133.2	22.8	2.72	ZZ
Y7L3KW		113.6	2.8	0.33	112.7	2.4	0.28	ZZ
YBY3LU	X	111.1	0.2	0.03	88.2	-22.2	-2.64	ZZ
ZGHRGN		107.7	-3.2	-0.38	107.0	-3.4	-0.40	ZZ
ZHU8BP		107.2	-3.7	-0.44	106.8	-3.6	-0.43	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample RK51	Sample RK52
Grand Means	110.84 Grams	110.36 Grams
Std Dev Btwn Labs	8.43 Grams	8.41 Grams
Statistics based on 22 of 23 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3513

YBY3LU (X) - Data for sample RK52 are low.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



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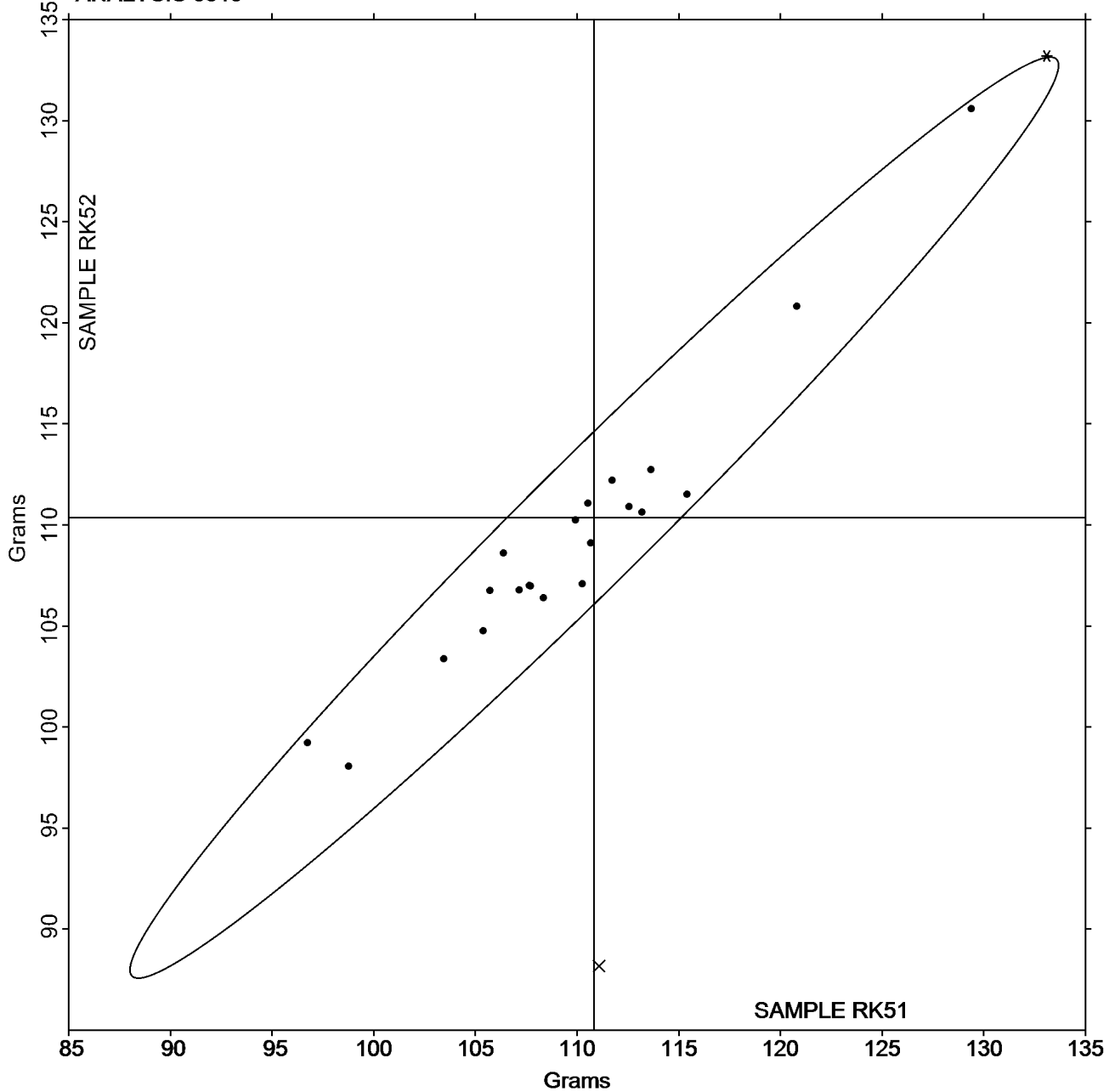
Tearing Strength - Packaging Papers

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Grand Mean Sample RK51 = 110.84
Grams

Grand Mean Sample RK52 = 110.36
Grams

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Analysis 3515

Tensile Breaking Strength - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK51			Sample NK52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		8.886	0.773	1.63	8.647	0.554	1.13	LC
3CJTLP		7.684	-0.429	-0.90	7.752	-0.341	-0.69	TS
6M7Y8J		8.481	0.368	0.78	8.324	0.231	0.47	LE
7EREGR		8.109	-0.004	-0.01	7.911	-0.182	-0.37	TB
8J3PAL		8.896	0.783	1.65	9.019	0.926	1.89	TX
B8UGWK		7.641	-0.472	-1.00	7.847	-0.246	-0.50	LE
CZTJLM		7.868	-0.245	-0.52	7.874	-0.218	-0.44	IM
EYT3NF		8.371	0.258	0.54	8.360	0.267	0.54	ID
HQLUBB		8.663	0.550	1.16	8.655	0.563	1.15	LI
J8PNHB	X	1,006.988	998.874	2,105.19	1,016.468	1,008.375	2,053.07	DM
JRCFG8		8.035	-0.078	-0.16	7.814	-0.279	-0.57	TB
KH8K39		7.599	-0.514	-1.08	7.646	-0.447	-0.91	LE
KJ2DV7		8.255	0.142	0.30	8.199	0.107	0.22	TA
KMVBHC		8.519	0.406	0.86	8.539	0.446	0.91	LE
LL22R8		7.716	-0.397	-0.84	7.736	-0.357	-0.73	IR
N94KC6		7.832	-0.282	-0.59	7.793	-0.300	-0.61	TX
NC4V86		8.600	0.487	1.03	8.669	0.576	1.17	XX
QDUTE3		7.870	-0.243	-0.51	7.884	-0.209	-0.42	LE
R3BJL3	*	7.900	-0.213	-0.45	7.513	-0.580	-1.18	TH
R4WMUZ		8.236	0.123	0.26	8.218	0.125	0.25	LH
REHNCV		8.884	0.771	1.63	9.002	0.909	1.85	XX
RH47W2		7.743	-0.370	-0.78	7.793	-0.300	-0.61	LW
RUXML2		7.727	-0.387	-0.81	7.759	-0.334	-0.68	IF
RVRFEZ	*	7.052	-1.061	-2.24	6.842	-1.251	-2.55	TT
U6M9ZV		8.620	0.507	1.07	8.638	0.545	1.11	LA
VGEE7Y		7.837	-0.277	-0.58	7.887	-0.206	-0.42	LW
Y7L3KW		7.515	-0.599	-1.26	7.541	-0.552	-1.12	LH
YBY3LU		7.572	-0.541	-1.14	7.713	-0.380	-0.77	TV
YCRVER		8.585	0.472	0.99	8.546	0.453	0.92	TV
Z3KF9K		8.660	0.547	1.15	8.682	0.589	1.20	LE
ZGHRGN		8.021	-0.092	-0.19	8.009	-0.084	-0.17	LE
ZHU8BP		8.131	0.017	0.04	8.065	-0.027	-0.06	LA

Summary Statistics	Sample NK51	Sample NK52
Grand Means	8.11 kN/m	8.09 kN/m
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.47 kN/m	0.49 kN/m
Statistics based on 31 of 32 reporting participants.		



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Analysis 3515

Tensile Breaking Strength - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3515

J8PNHB (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

DM	IDM MTC-100 Tensile Tester	ID	Instron 4200 Series
IF	Instron 3340 Series	IM	Instron 5500 Series
IR	Instron 5900 Series	LA	L & W Autoline
LC	L & W Tensile - Autoline 600	LE	L & W Tensile Tester 066
LH	L & W Alwetron TH1 (Horizontal) SE 060	LI	Lloyds Instruments
LW	L & W Tensile Tester SE062	TA	Thwing-Albert Tensile Tester
TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000	TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A
TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58	TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT
TV	Thwing-Albert Vantage NX	TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



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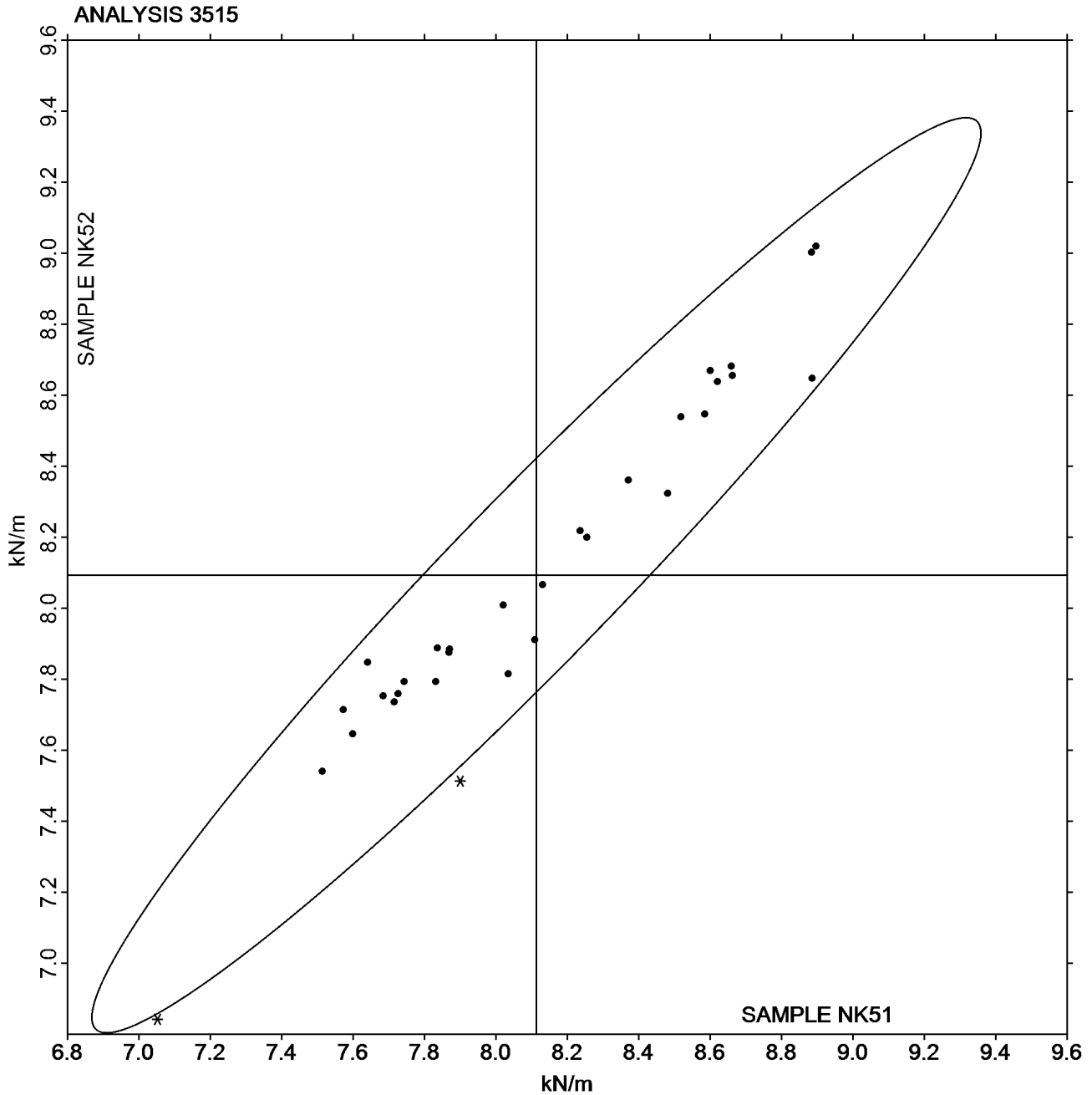
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Tensile Breaking Strength - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

Grand Mean Sample NK51 = 8.1132
kN/m

Grand Mean Sample NK52 = 8.0929
kN/m





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Analysis 3516

Tensile Energy Absorption - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK51			Sample NK52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		114.3	-0.9	-0.08	104.4	-10.5	-0.79	LC
3CJTLP		115.7	0.5	0.05	115.9	1.0	0.07	TS
6M7Y8J	*	117.0	1.9	0.16	101.7	-13.2	-0.99	LE
8J3PAL		111.5	-3.7	-0.32	112.9	-2.0	-0.15	TX
B8UGWK		102.7	-12.5	-1.07	107.5	-7.4	-0.55	LE
CZTJLM		117.1	1.9	0.17	117.9	3.0	0.22	IM
EYT3NF		124.3	9.1	0.78	125.2	10.3	0.78	ID
J8PNHB		132.3	17.1	1.46	134.2	19.3	1.46	DM
JRCFG8		110.7	-4.5	-0.39	104.5	-10.4	-0.78	TB
KH8K39		100.4	-14.8	-1.27	101.7	-13.1	-0.99	LE
KJ2DV7		114.1	-1.1	-0.09	116.6	1.7	0.13	TA
KMVBHC		126.2	11.0	0.94	126.9	12.0	0.90	LE
LL22R8		110.7	-4.5	-0.38	110.3	-4.6	-0.35	IR
N94KC6		118.7	3.6	0.30	118.8	3.9	0.29	TX
NC4V86	*	148.8	33.6	2.88	152.5	37.6	2.83	XX
QDUTE3		107.3	-7.9	-0.68	108.7	-6.2	-0.47	LE
R3BJL3		122.9	7.7	0.66	124.8	9.9	0.75	TH
R4WMUZ		115.7	0.5	0.05	114.4	-0.5	-0.04	LH
REHNCV		120.1	4.9	0.42	122.9	8.0	0.60	XX
RH47W2		102.3	-12.9	-1.10	103.0	-11.9	-0.89	LW
RUXML2		107.1	-8.1	-0.69	112.3	-2.6	-0.20	IF
RVRFEZ	*	88.8	-26.4	-2.26	77.5	-37.4	-2.82	TT
U6M9ZV		110.5	-4.7	-0.40	108.4	-6.5	-0.49	LA
VGEE7Y		103.4	-11.8	-1.01	104.9	-10.0	-0.75	LW
Y7L3KW	X	1,018.4	903.2	77.36	978.5	863.6	65.05	LH
YBY3LU		107.4	-7.8	-0.67	118.8	3.9	0.29	TV
YCRVER		125.1	9.9	0.85	122.3	7.4	0.56	TV
Z3KF9K		126.1	10.9	0.93	122.9	8.0	0.60	LE
ZGHRGN		109.9	-5.3	-0.45	111.2	-3.7	-0.28	LE
ZHU8BP		129.3	14.1	1.21	128.9	14.0	1.05	LA

Summary Statistics	Sample NK51	Sample NK52
Grand Means	115.19 Joules/sq m	114.90 Joules/sq m
Std Dev Btwn Labs	11.68 Joules/sq m	13.28 Joules/sq m
Statistics based on 29 of 30 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3516

Y7L3KW (X) - Extreme Data.



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Analysis 3516
Tensile Energy Absorption - Packaging Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T494

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Analysis Notes:

JRCFG8 - One determination removed from the Lab Mean of Sample NK51 per Grubb's Test at 1% risk (TAPPI 1205).

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

DM	IDM MTC-100 Tensile Tester	ID	Instron 4200 series
IF	Instron 3340 Series	IM	Instron 5500 Series
IR	Instron 5900 Series	LA	L & W Autoline
LC	L & W Tensile - Autoline 600	LE	L & W Tensile Tester 066
LH	L & W Alwetron TH1 (Horizontal) SE 060	LW	L & W Tensile Tester SE062
TA	Thwing-Albert Tensile Tester	TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000
TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A	TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58
TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT	TV	Thwing-Albert Vantage NX
TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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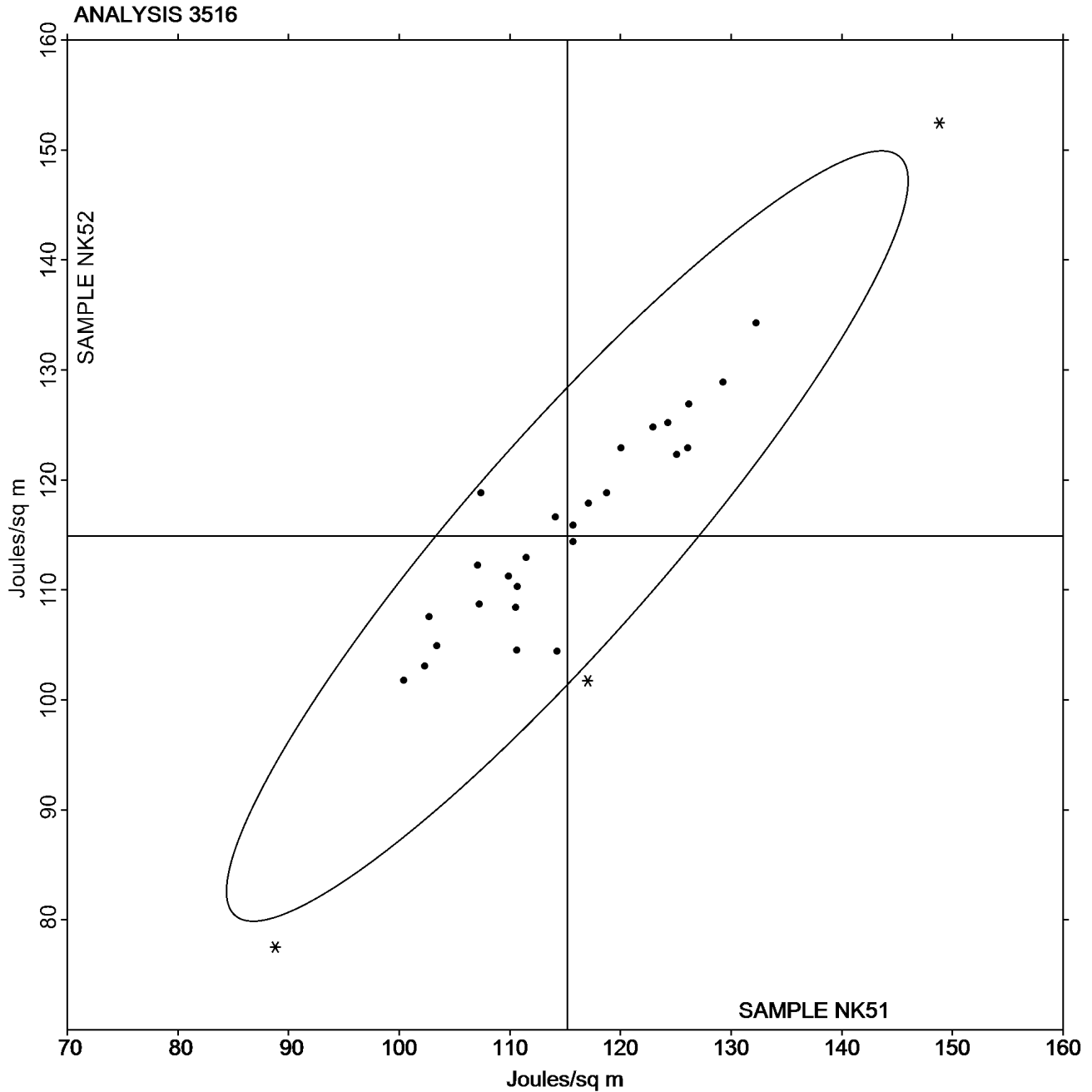
Analysis 3516

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Grand Mean Sample NK51 = 115.19
Joules/sq m

Grand Mean Sample NK52 = 114.90
Joules/sq m





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Elongation to Break - Packaging Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T494

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK51			Sample NK52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		1.740	-0.294	-1.82	1.641	-0.386	-1.99	LC
3CJTLP		2.229	0.195	1.21	2.215	0.188	0.97	TS
6M7Y8J		1.988	-0.046	-0.28	1.808	-0.219	-1.13	LE
7EREGR		2.020	-0.014	-0.09	1.983	-0.044	-0.22	TB
8J3PAL		1.978	-0.056	-0.35	1.983	-0.044	-0.22	TX
B8UGWK		1.927	-0.107	-0.66	1.957	-0.070	-0.36	LE
CZTJLM		2.100	0.066	0.41	2.108	0.082	0.42	IM
EYT3NF		2.042	0.008	0.05	2.057	0.031	0.16	ID
J8PNHB		2.330	0.296	1.83	2.342	0.316	1.63	DM
JRCFG8		2.040	0.006	0.04	1.983	-0.044	-0.22	XX
KH8K39		1.881	-0.153	-0.95	1.868	-0.159	-0.82	LE
KJ2DV7	X	2.183	0.149	0.92	2.579	0.552	2.84	TA
KMVBHC		2.133	0.099	0.61	2.136	0.109	0.56	LE
LL22R8		2.101	0.067	0.42	2.085	0.058	0.30	XX
N94KC6		2.212	0.178	1.10	2.227	0.200	1.03	TX
NC4V86		1.826	-0.208	-1.28	1.827	-0.199	-1.03	XX
QDUTE3		1.955	-0.079	-0.49	1.974	-0.053	-0.27	LE
R3BJL3	*	2.415	0.381	2.36	2.546	0.519	2.67	TH
R4WMUZ		2.003	-0.031	-0.19	1.972	-0.055	-0.28	LX
REHNCV		1.800	-0.234	-1.45	1.822	-0.205	-1.05	XX
RH47W2		1.907	-0.127	-0.79	1.910	-0.117	-0.60	LW
RUXML2		2.014	-0.020	-0.12	2.097	0.070	0.36	IF
RVRFEZ		1.958	-0.076	-0.47	1.779	-0.248	-1.27	TT
U6M9ZV		1.818	-0.216	-1.34	1.784	-0.243	-1.25	XX
VGEE7Y		1.917	-0.117	-0.72	1.930	-0.097	-0.50	LW
Y7L3KW	X	19.650	17.616	109.07	19.050	17.023	87.66	LH
YBY3LU		2.086	0.052	0.32	2.245	0.218	1.12	TV
YCRVER		2.260	0.226	1.40	2.220	0.193	1.00	TV
Z3KF9K		2.098	0.064	0.40	2.054	0.027	0.14	LE
ZGHRGN		1.983	-0.051	-0.31	2.005	-0.022	-0.11	LE
ZHU8BP		2.219	0.185	1.15	2.211	0.184	0.95	LX

Summary Statistics	Sample NK51	Sample NK52
Grand Means	2.03 Percent	2.03 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.16 Percent	0.19 Percent
Statistics based on 29 of 31 reporting participants.		



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Elongation to Break - Packaging Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T494

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Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3517

Y7L3KW (X) - Extreme Data.

KJ2DV7 (X) - Data for sample NK52 are high. Inconsistent within the determinations of both samples.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

DM	IDM MTC-100 Tensile Tester	ID	Instron 4200 Series
IF	Instron 3340 Series	IM	Instron 5500 Series
LC	L & W Tensile - Autoline 600	LE	L & W Tensile Tester 066
LH	L & W Alwetron TH1 (Horizontal) SE 060	LW	L & W Tensile Tester SE062
LX	L & W (model not specified)	TA	Thwing-Albert Tensile Tester
TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000	TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A
TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58	TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT
TV	Thwing-Albert Vantage NX	TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



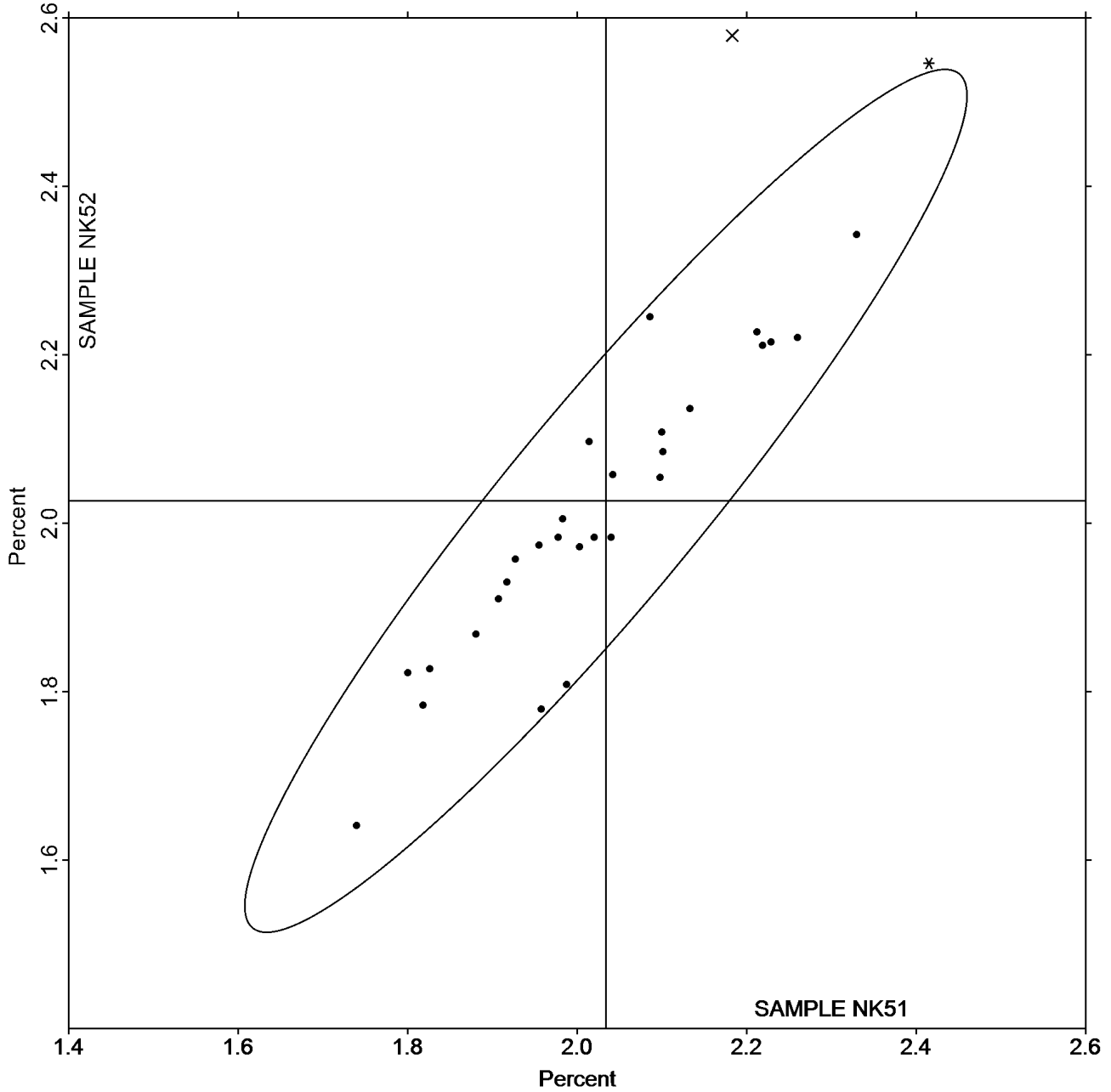
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Grand Mean Sample NK51 = 2.0338
Percent

Grand Mean Sample NK52 = 2.0265
Percent

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Analysis 3531

Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample PS51			Sample PS52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		0.8890	0.0476	0.33	0.7920	-0.0522	-0.32	ZZ
38LC6P		0.8010	-0.0404	-0.28	0.8200	-0.0242	-0.15	ZZ
3CJTLP		0.7680	-0.0734	-0.51	0.7840	-0.0602	-0.37	ZZ
4XUFGT		0.8170	-0.0244	-0.17	0.8030	-0.0412	-0.25	ZZ
E2YKMB		0.7040	-0.1374	-0.96	0.6920	-0.1522	-0.94	ZZ
HHEQQ8		0.7990	-0.0424	-0.30	0.8220	-0.0222	-0.14	ZZ
JL6PCF	*	1.3210	0.4796	3.36	1.3420	0.4978	3.07	ZZ
JRCFG8		0.8010	-0.0404	-0.28	0.8260	-0.0182	-0.11	ZZ
KMVBHC		0.8270	-0.0144	-0.10	0.8440	-0.0002	0.00	ZZ
LEK9WB		0.8490	0.0076	0.05	0.8200	-0.0242	-0.15	ZZ
LHZZN4		0.9030	0.0616	0.43	0.8020	-0.0422	-0.26	ZZ
QDT47Y	*	0.9830	0.1416	0.99	1.1620	0.3178	1.96	ZZ
R3BJL3		0.8010	-0.0404	-0.28	0.8110	-0.0332	-0.20	ZZ
T736RV		0.8510	0.0096	0.07	0.8270	-0.0172	-0.11	ZZ
VGEE7Y		0.7080	-0.1334	-0.93	0.7230	-0.1212	-0.75	ZZ
Y2UV3N		0.7480	-0.0934	-0.65	0.7550	-0.0892	-0.55	ZZ
YVZXDW		0.7340	-0.1074	-0.75	0.7260	-0.1182	-0.73	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample PS51	Sample PS52
Grand Means	0.84 Microns	0.84 Microns
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.14 Microns	0.16 Microns

Statistics based on 17 of 17 reporting participants.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



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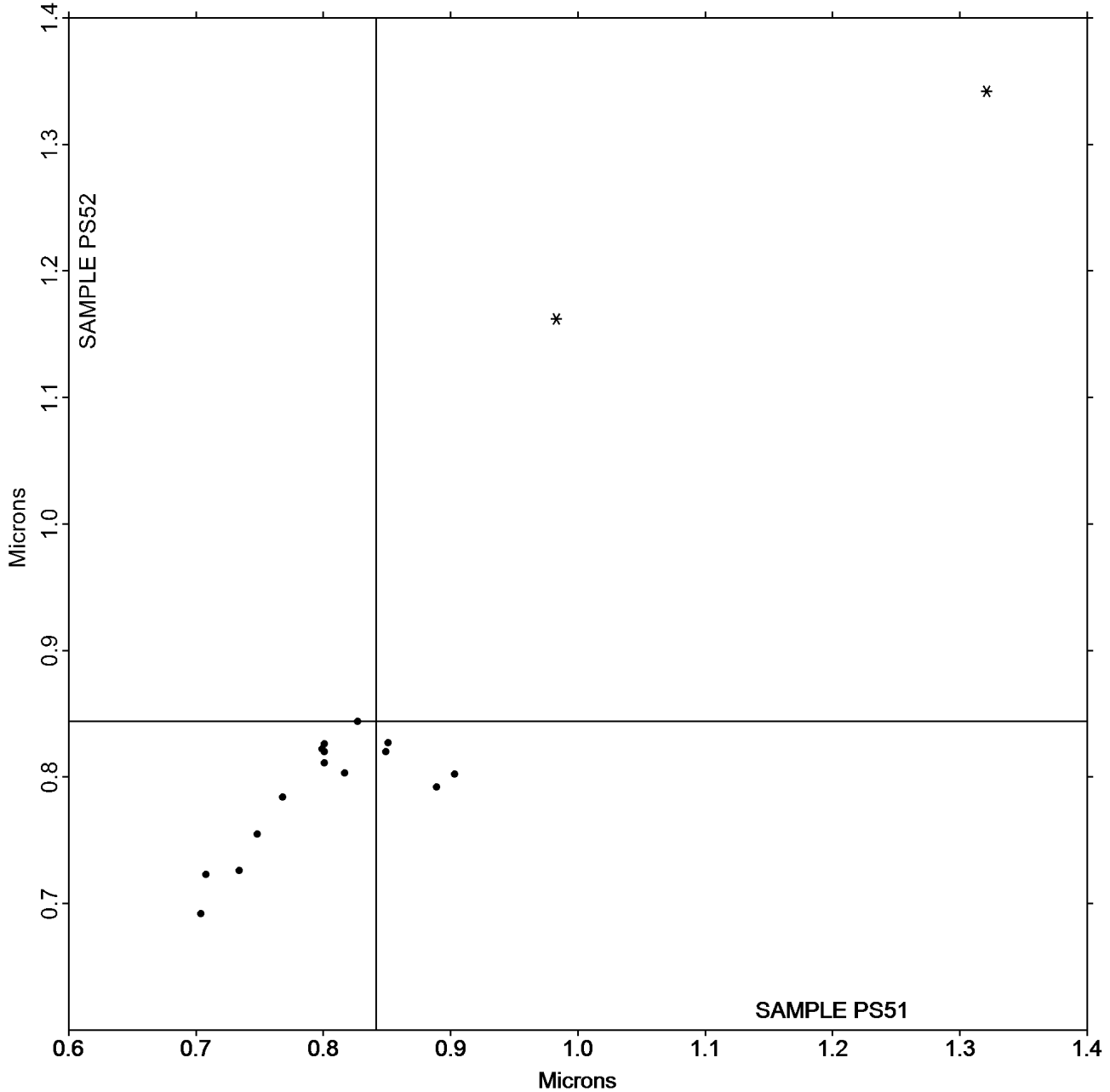
Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

Grand Mean Sample PS51 = 0.84141
Microns

Grand Mean Sample PS52 =
0.84418 Microns

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If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3545
Directional Brightness
TAPPI Official Test Method T452

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample BR51			Sample BR52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
22ZYQW		75.96	-1.18	-0.83	75.82	-1.34	-0.93	XX
38LC6P		76.02	-1.12	-0.78	75.77	-1.39	-0.97	TP
3CJTLP		76.75	-0.40	-0.28	76.92	-0.25	-0.17	TS
7EREGR		76.45	-0.70	-0.49	76.39	-0.78	-0.54	XD
94JDD		76.76	-0.38	-0.26	76.73	-0.43	-0.30	TP
AHKFAK		78.23	1.08	0.75	78.01	0.85	0.59	TS
EYR6DK		75.70	-1.45	-1.01	75.65	-1.52	-1.06	TD
EYT3NF		78.33	1.18	0.83	78.43	1.27	0.89	TD
HHEQQ8		75.67	-1.47	-1.02	75.86	-1.30	-0.91	PP
KMVBHC		80.09	2.94	2.05	80.10	2.93	2.04	HG
LEK9WB		79.57	2.43	1.69	79.59	2.43	1.69	HG
NC4V86		77.62	0.48	0.33	77.62	0.46	0.32	XX
QDT47Y		77.60	0.45	0.32	77.80	0.63	0.44	HG
R3BJL3		74.85	-2.29	-1.60	74.98	-2.19	-1.52	TP
RH47W2		78.23	1.08	0.75	78.39	1.23	0.85	TS
T736RV		76.28	-0.87	-0.60	76.29	-0.87	-0.60	HZ
VGEE7Y		76.11	-1.03	-0.72	76.30	-0.86	-0.60	TP
WYCUBW		78.38	1.24	0.86	78.28	1.12	0.78	TP

Summary Statistics	Sample BR51	Sample BR52
Grand Means	77.14 Percent	77.16 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	1.44 Percent	1.44 Percent
Statistics based on 18 of 18 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

HG Hunter Labscan / XE	HZ Hunter Lab ColorFlex EZ Series
PP Technidyne Profile/Plus	TD Technidyne Color Touch 45X
TP Technidyne Test/Plus	TS Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5
XD X-Rite Color Ci7600	XX Instrument make/model not specified by lab

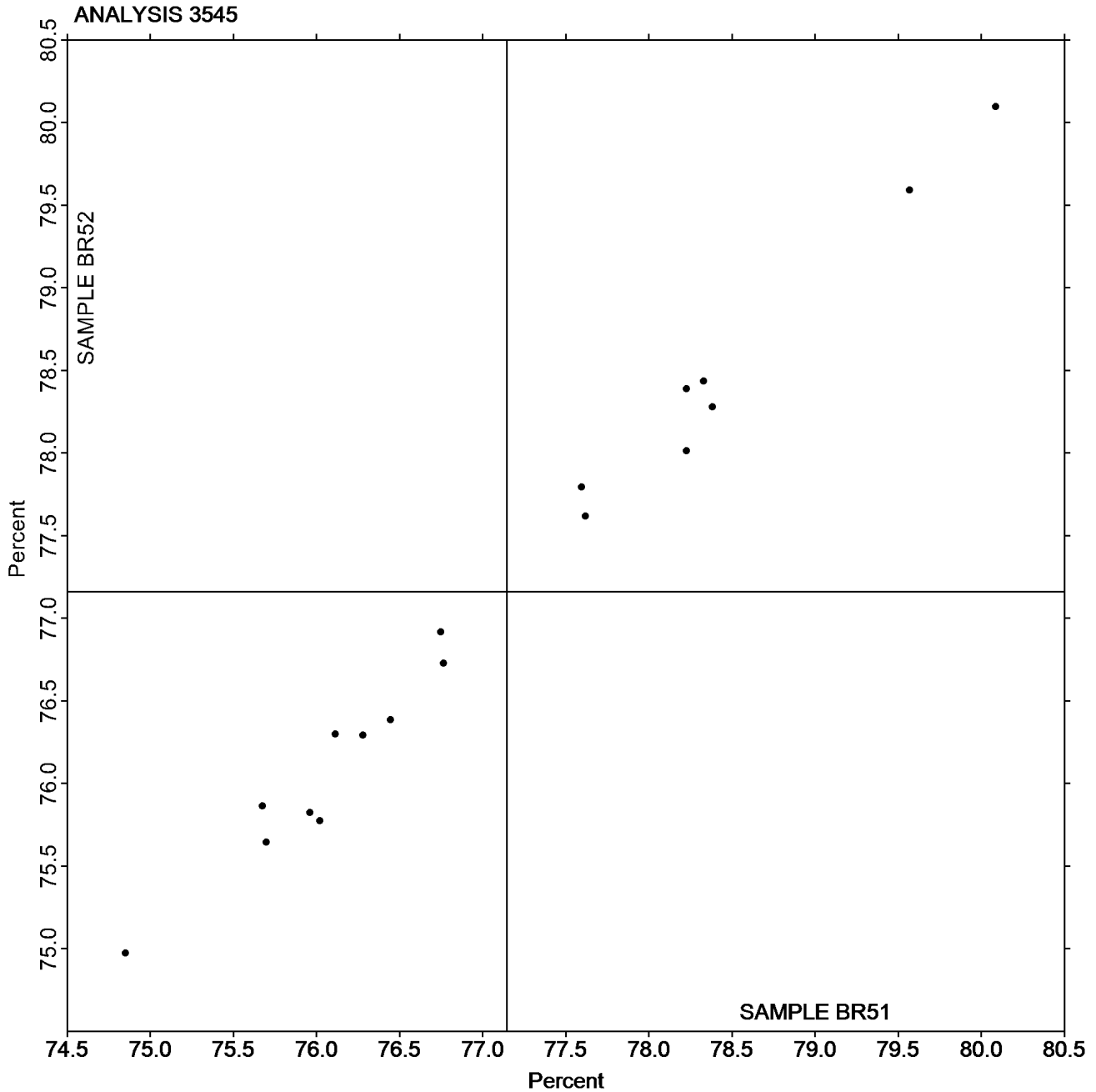


Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3545
Directional Brightness
TAPPI Official Test Method T452

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Grand Mean Sample BR51 = 77.143
Percent

Grand Mean Sample BR52 = 77.162
Percent



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3547
Diffuse Brightness
TAPPI Official Test Method T525

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample BR51			Sample BR52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FLC6R		76.31	-0.10	-0.41	76.26	-0.23	-0.69	LE
3CJTLP		76.96	0.54	2.23	77.19	0.70	2.06	LT
4XUFGT		76.10	-0.31	-1.28	76.16	-0.33	-0.97	LE
6NNVTQ		76.45	0.03	0.13	76.47	-0.02	-0.06	LA
QDT47Y		76.36	-0.06	-0.24	76.87	0.38	1.11	TC
R3BJL3		76.29	-0.13	-0.52	76.34	-0.15	-0.45	LT
R4WMUZ		76.27	-0.14	-0.58	76.23	-0.26	-0.77	LT
VGEE7Y		76.40	-0.01	-0.05	76.33	-0.16	-0.48	EA
WZ6M4U		76.59	0.18	0.72	76.58	0.08	0.25	LE

Summary Statistics	Sample BR51	Sample BR52
Grand Means	76.42 Percent	76.49 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.24 Percent	0.34 Percent
Statistics based on 9 of 9 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

EA	Datacolor Elrepho	LA	L & W Elrepho - Autoline
LE	L & W Elrepho	LT	L & W Elrepho SE 071
TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series		



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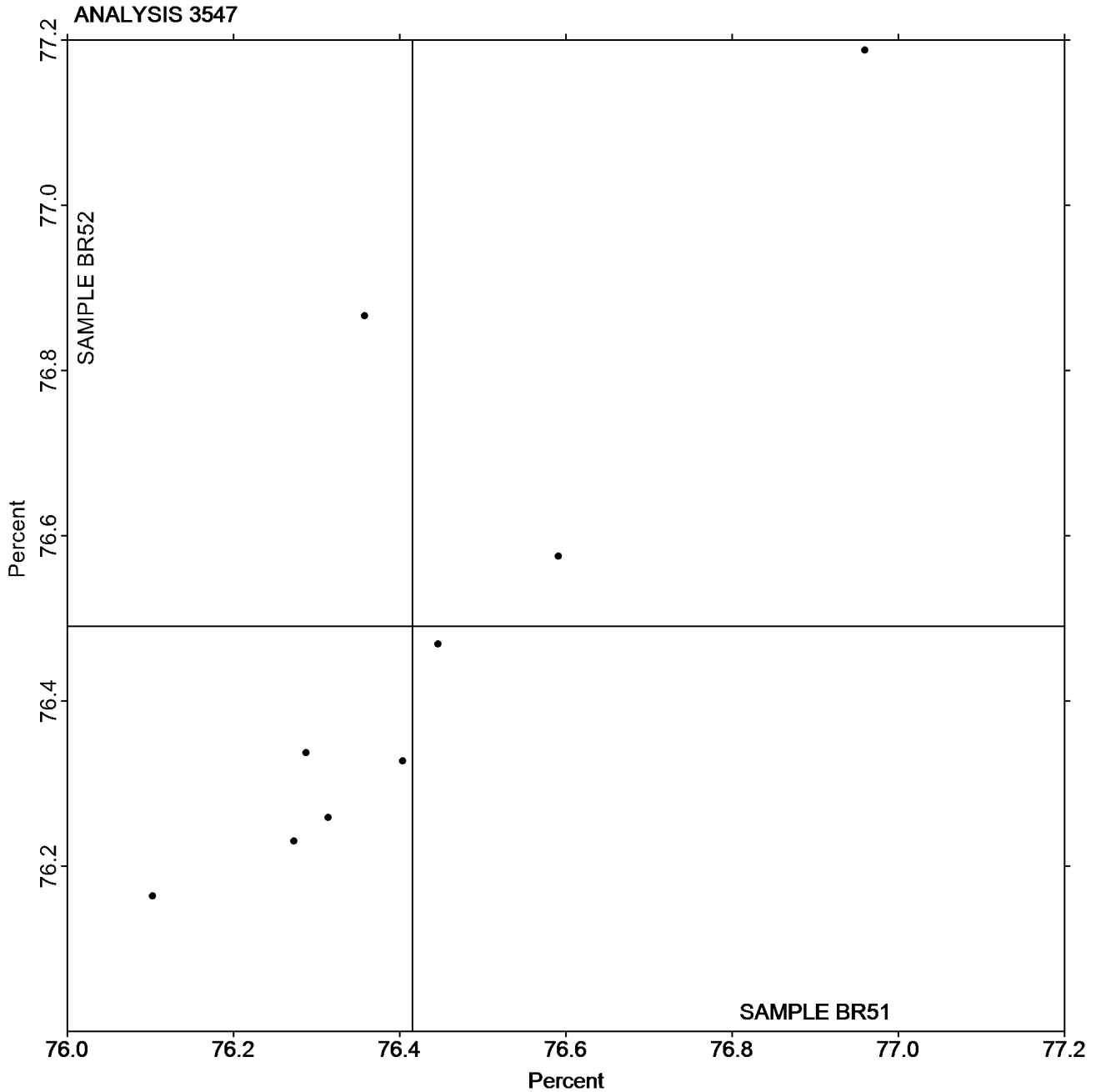
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Analysis 3547
Diffuse Brightness

TAPPI Official Test Method T525

Grand Mean Sample BR51 = 76.415
Percent

Grand Mean Sample BR52 = 76.491
Percent



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3549
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - C/2deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant C - 2 Degree Observer

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Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	Hunter L, a, b Color Values			Color Difference Values				Instr Code
			L	a	b	ΔL	Δa	Δb	ΔE	
2FLC6R		CA51	89.32	0.38	-0.65	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.06	LS
		CA52	89.33	0.42	-0.62					
3CJTLP		CA51	85.52	1.90	-1.65	0.00	0.21	-0.02	0.21	TS
		CA52	85.52	2.10	-1.67					
8ELKBR		CA51	85.52	0.81	-1.31	-0.15	0.02	-0.10	0.18	TD
		CA52	85.38	0.83	-1.41					
HHEQQ8		CA51	86.64	0.30	-0.43	0.00	0.03	-0.02	0.03	TC
		CA52	86.64	0.33	-0.45					
KMVBHC		CA51	87.33	0.82	-0.98	0.00	-0.01	0.07	0.07	HK
		CA52	87.33	0.81	-0.91					
LEK9WB		CA51	86.96	-0.25	-0.36	0.09	-0.02	0.13	0.16	HK
		CA52	87.06	-0.27	-0.23					
LHZZN4		CA51	89.43	0.42	-0.60	0.07	-0.06	0.17	0.20	TC
		CA52	89.50	0.35	-0.43					
NC4V86		CA51	90.28	0.25	-0.39	-0.18	0.08	-0.12	0.23	XX
		CA52	90.10	0.34	-0.50					
QDT47Y		CA51	87.22	0.82	-0.69	0.07	0.11	-0.09	0.16	HK
		CA52	87.29	0.93	-0.78					
WZ6PTY		CA51	89.80	-0.43	-0.02	-0.05	0.02	-0.03	0.06	NH
		CA52	89.75	-0.42	-0.05					
Y2UV3N		CA51	85.04	1.00	-1.63	0.02	-0.01	0.00	0.02	TC
		CA52	85.06	0.99	-1.63					

<u>Grand Means</u>			Summary Statistics						
CA51	87.551	0.546	-0.792	-0.009	0.037	0.003	0.124		
CA52	87.542	0.583	-0.789						
<u>Std Dev Btwn Labs</u>									
CA51	1.872	0.635	0.537	0.086	0.073	0.091	0.077		
CA52	1.859	0.681	0.556						

Statistics based on 11 of 11 reporting participants



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Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

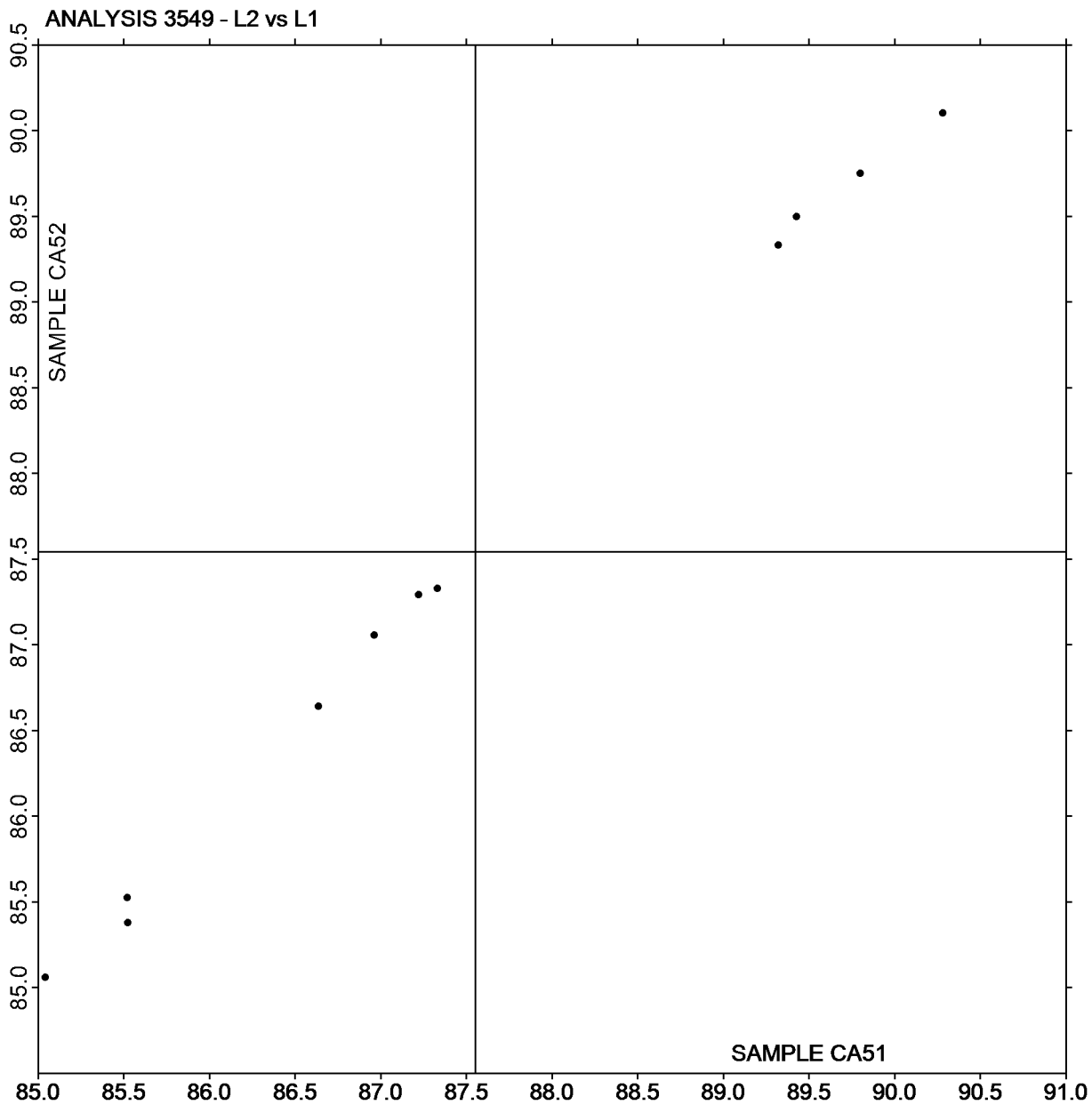
HK	Hunter LabScan XE	LS	L & W Elrepho SE 070
NH	Minolta CM-3700A Spectrophotometer	TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series
TD	Technidyne Color Touch X45	TS	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



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Plot of L values CA52 vs L values CA51



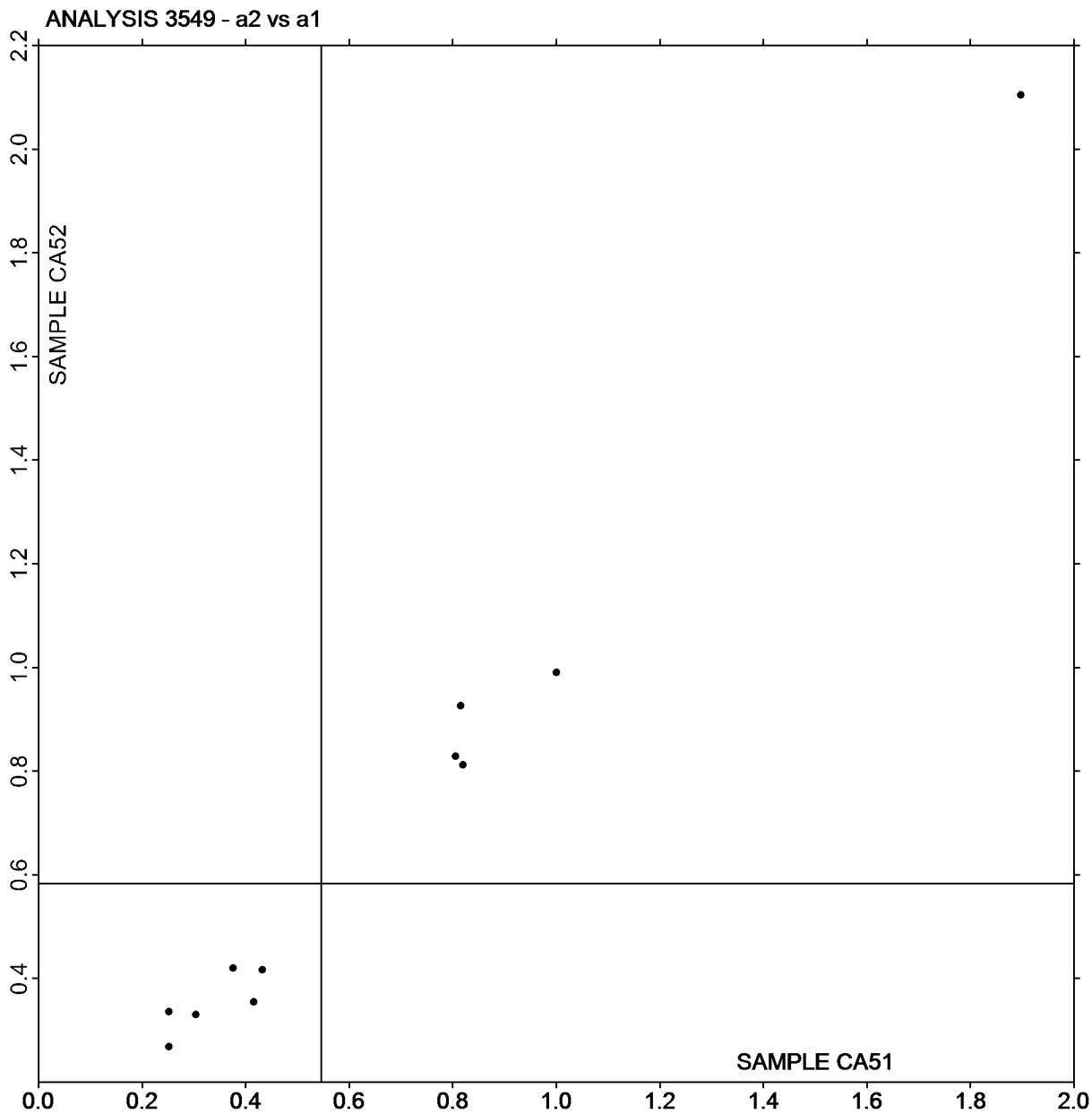
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant C - 2 Degree Observer

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Plot of a values CA52 vs a values CA51



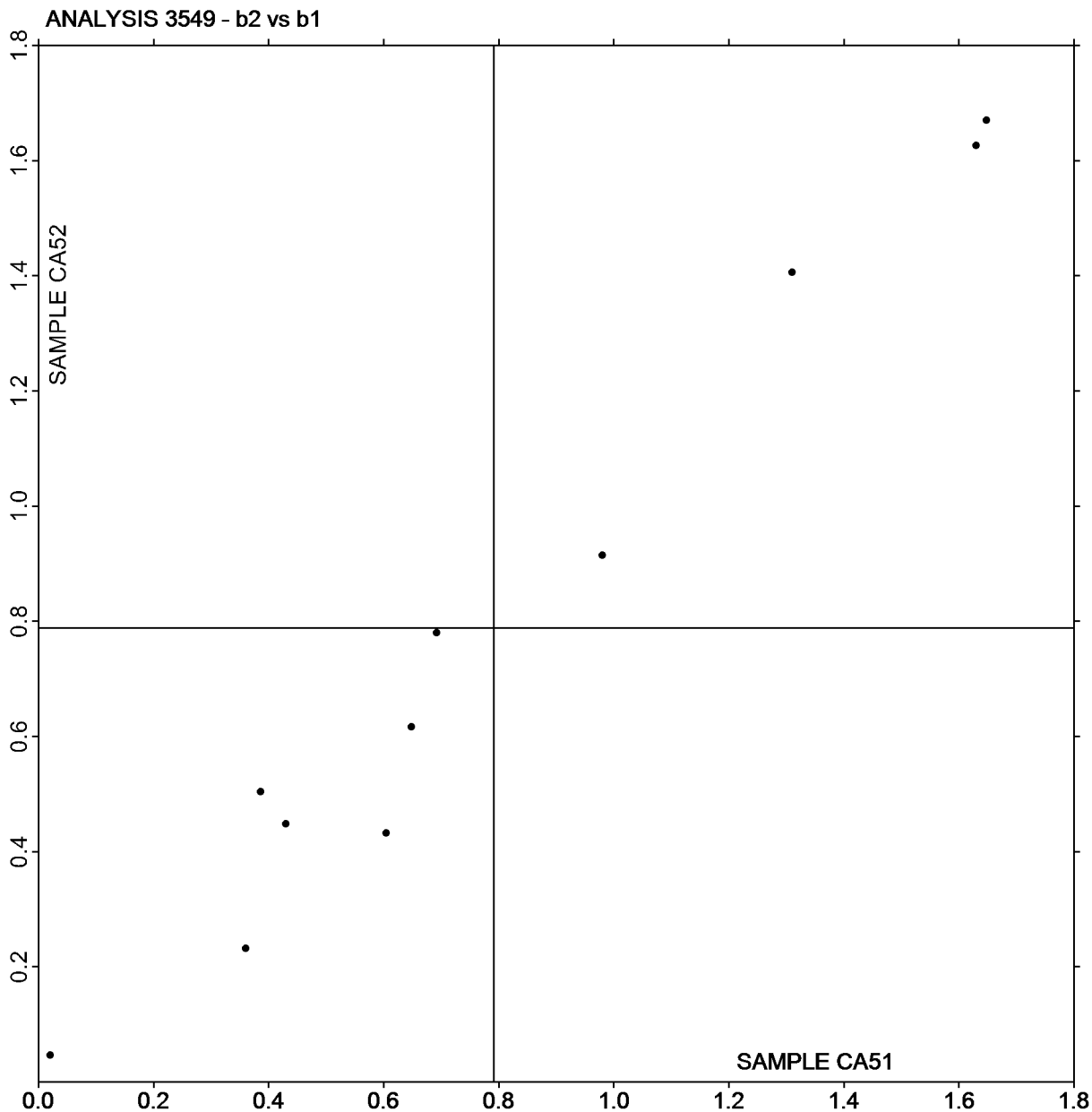
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Analysis 3549
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - C/2deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant C - 2 Degree Observer

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Plot of b values CA52 vs b values CA51



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3551
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - D65/10deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	Hunter L, a, b Color Values			Color Difference Values				Instr Code
			L	a	b	ΔL	Δa	Δb	ΔE	
38LC6P		CA51	87.76	-0.50	-0.14	-0.01	-0.01	-0.06	0.06	HL
		CA52	87.75	-0.51	-0.20					
3DCLEM		CA51	89.72	-0.55	0.00	-0.08	-0.01	-0.09	0.12	XX
		CA52	89.64	-0.56	-0.10					
HHUCW3		CA51	89.77	-0.43	-0.17	0.05	0.26 X	-0.38 X	0.46 X	TC
		CA52	89.82	-0.17	-0.54					
MP2CJ2		CA51	89.49	-0.40	0.15	0.01	-0.02	0.01	0.02	XX
		CA52	89.50	-0.41	0.16					
QDT47Y		CA51	86.73	-0.59	-0.22	0.14	0.10	-0.06	0.18	TC
		CA52	86.87	-0.49	-0.28					
R3BJL3		CA51	89.53	-0.52	-0.01	-0.06	0.01	-0.12	0.13	LT
		CA52	89.47	-0.50	-0.13					
TTE3A4		CA51	89.50	-0.56	-0.01	0.00	0.00	-0.01	0.01	XX
		CA52	89.50	-0.56	-0.02					
VGEE7Y		CA51	89.47	-0.56	-0.17	0.02	0.05	0.08	0.10	EG
		CA52	89.49	-0.51	-0.09					

Grand Means			Summary Statistics								
CA51	88.996	-0.514	-0.072	0.009	0.048	-0.079	0.136	0.067	0.093	0.136	0.143
CA52	89.005	-0.466	-0.150								
Std Dev Btwn Labs											
CA51	1.120	0.067	0.123								
CA52	1.079	0.126	0.205								

Statistics based on 8 of 8 reporting participants

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

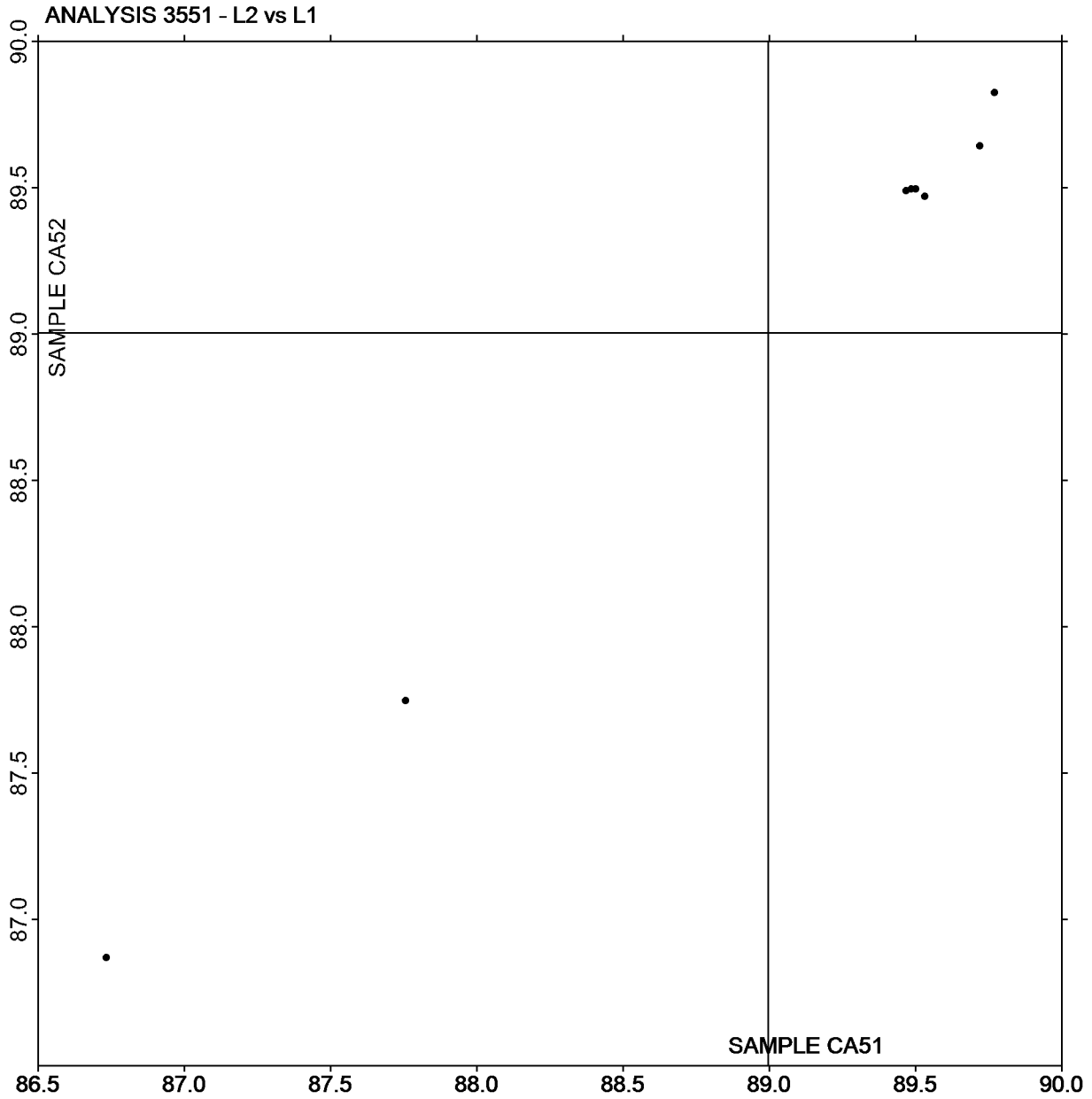
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|----|--|----|-------------------------------|
| EG | Datacolor Elrepho | HL | Hunter Agera |
| LT | L & W Elrepho SE 071 | TC | Technidyne Color Touch Series |
| XX | Instrument make/model not specified by lab | | |



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3551
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - D65/10deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of L values CA52 vs L values CA51



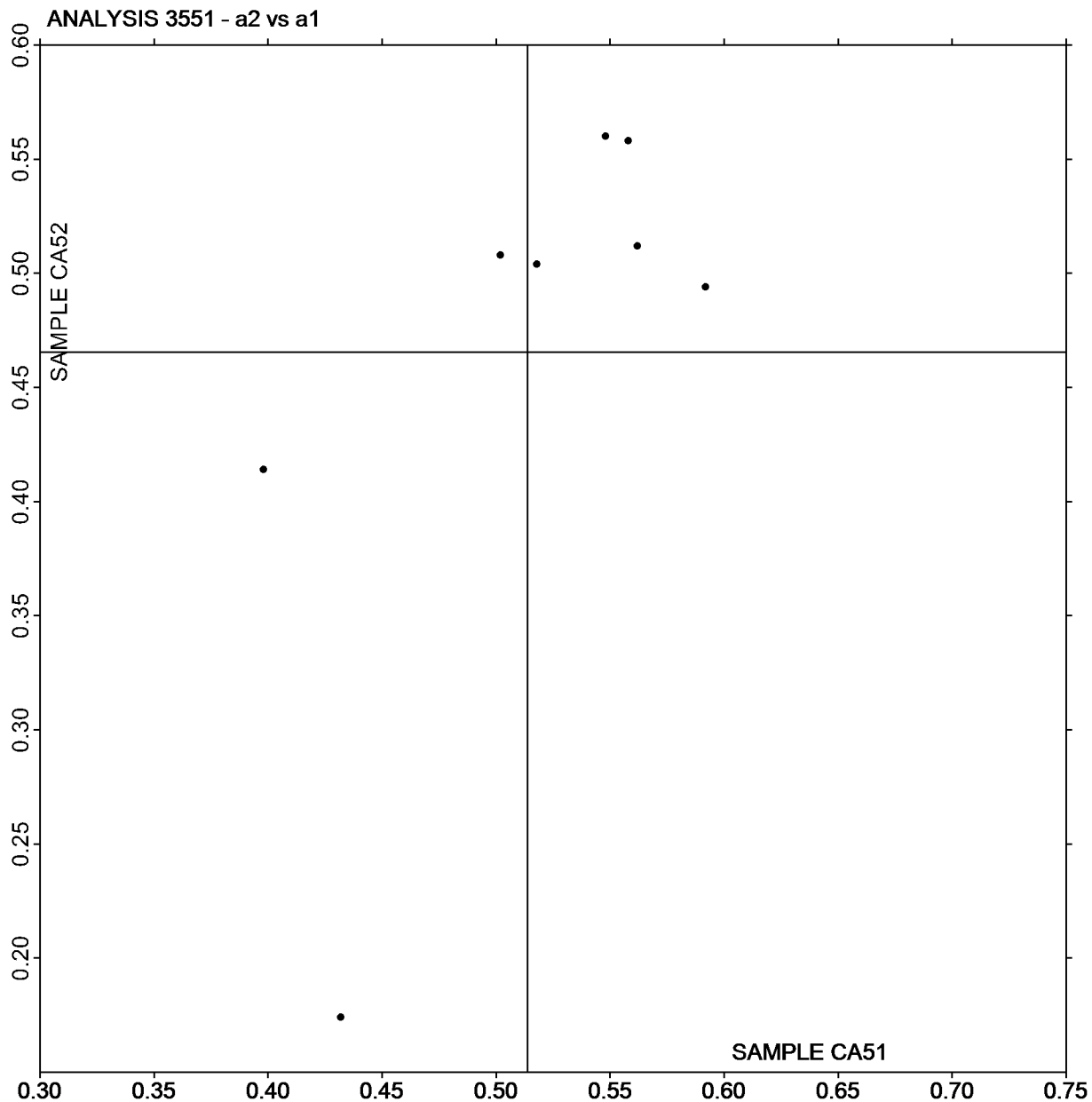
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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3551
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - D65/10deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of a values CA52 vs a values CA51



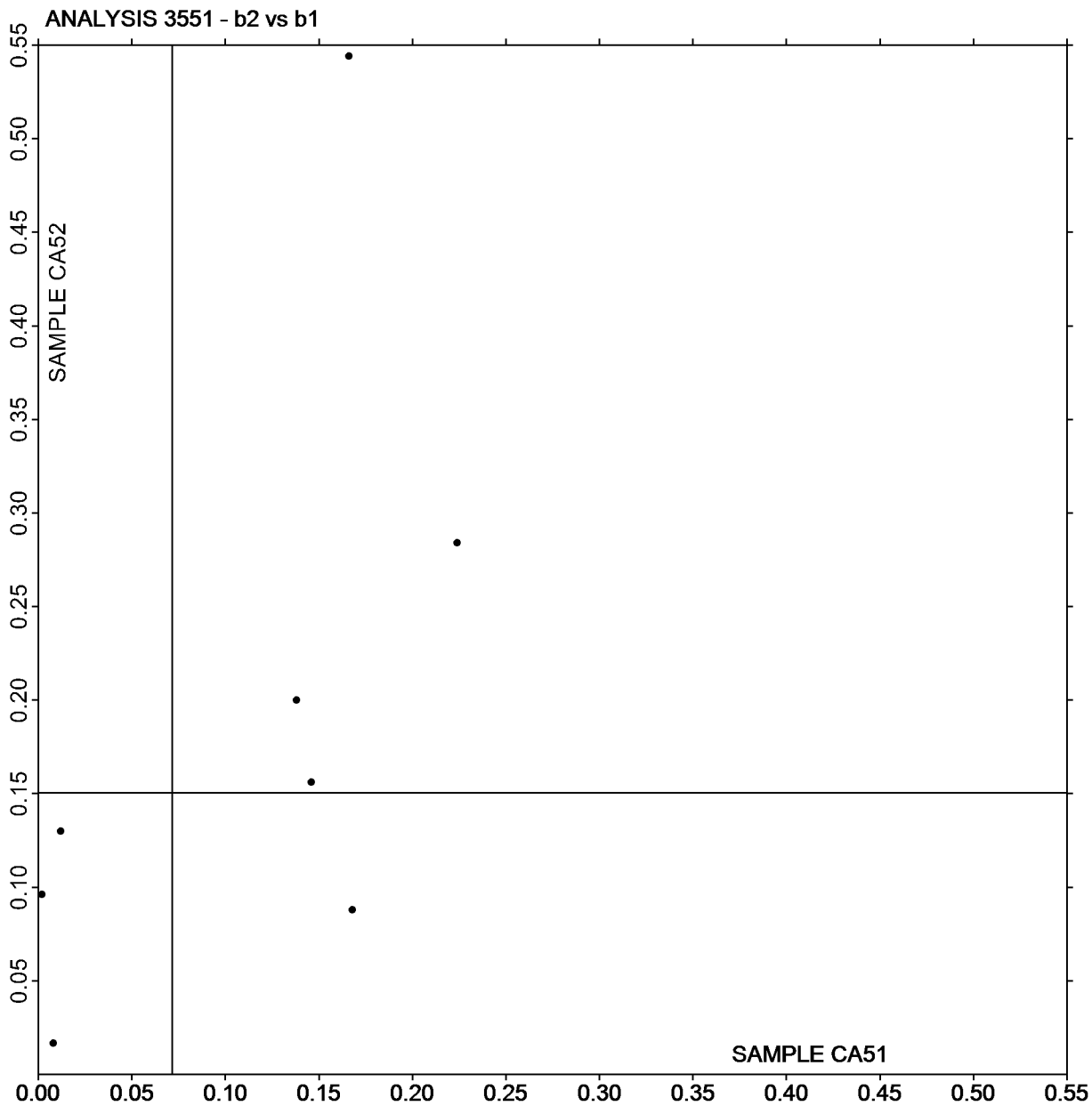
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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3551
Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - D65/10deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of b values CA52 vs b values CA51



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3553
Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - High Range
TAPPI Official Test Method T480

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GH51			Sample GH52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
37PVTR		65.23	-2.57	-1.21	64.08	-3.47	-1.23	LG
E2YKMB		65.83	-1.97	-0.93	63.31	-4.24	-1.50	LF
HHEQQ8		69.49	1.69	0.80	69.56	2.01	0.71	PP
JL6PCF		70.58	2.78	1.31	71.39	3.84	1.36	VM
KMVBHC		68.21	0.41	0.19	66.67	-0.88	-0.31	PP
LEK9WB		66.95	-0.85	-0.40	66.78	-0.77	-0.27	TP
LHZZN4		67.69	-0.11	-0.05	68.91	1.36	0.48	LF
R3BJL3		65.45	-2.35	-1.10	66.43	-1.12	-0.40	GA
VGEE7Y		70.74	2.94	1.38	70.79	3.24	1.15	TH

Summary Statistics	Sample GH51	Sample GH52
Grand Means	67.80 Gloss Units	67.55 Gloss Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	2.13 Gloss Units	2.82 Gloss Units
Statistics based on 9 of 9 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

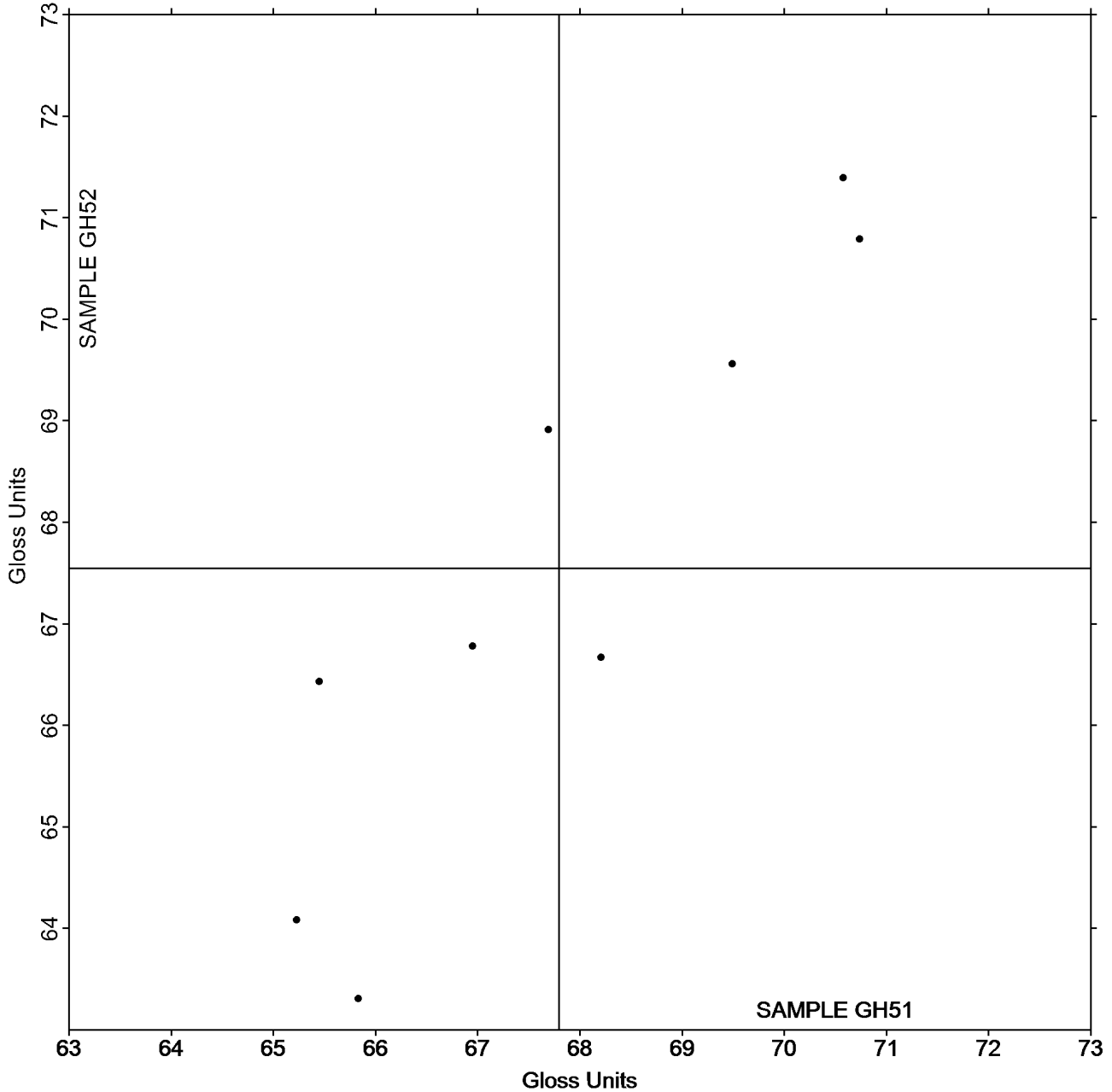
GA	BYK-Gardner (model not specified)	LF	L & W Autoline 400
LG	L & W Autoline 600	PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus
TH	Technidyne T480A	TP	Technidyne Profile Plus
VM	Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani/Robotest)		



Grand Mean Sample GH51 = 67.797
Gloss Units

Grand Mean Sample GH52 = 67.547
Gloss Units

ANALYSIS 3553



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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Analysis 3555

Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range

TAPPI Official Test Method T480

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GL51			Sample GL52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
7EREGR		32.21	-4.25	-1.24	32.07	-3.88	-1.44	TH
8ELKBR		35.41	-1.05	-0.30	35.40	-0.55	-0.20	TP
LMUUK6		42.90	6.44	1.88	39.89	3.95	1.47	XX
QDT47Y		37.54	1.08	0.32	36.95	1.01	0.37	PP
T736RV		35.22	-1.24	-0.36	35.64	-0.30	-0.11	GS
UQ7BVV		39.11	2.65	0.77	38.99	3.04	1.13	XX
XEHHWV		36.26	-0.20	-0.06	35.72	-0.23	-0.08	WJ
ZGHRGN		33.00	-3.46	-1.01	32.90	-3.05	-1.13	GM

Summary Statistics	Sample GL51	Sample GL52
Grand Means	36.46 Gloss Units	35.95 Gloss Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	3.43 Gloss Units	2.69 Gloss Units
Statistics based on 8 of 8 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

GM	BYK-Gardner micro-gloss	GS	BYK-Gardner Glossgard II
PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus	TH	Technidyne T480A
TP	Technidyne Profile Plus	WJ	Zehntner ZLR 1020
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



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Analysis 3555

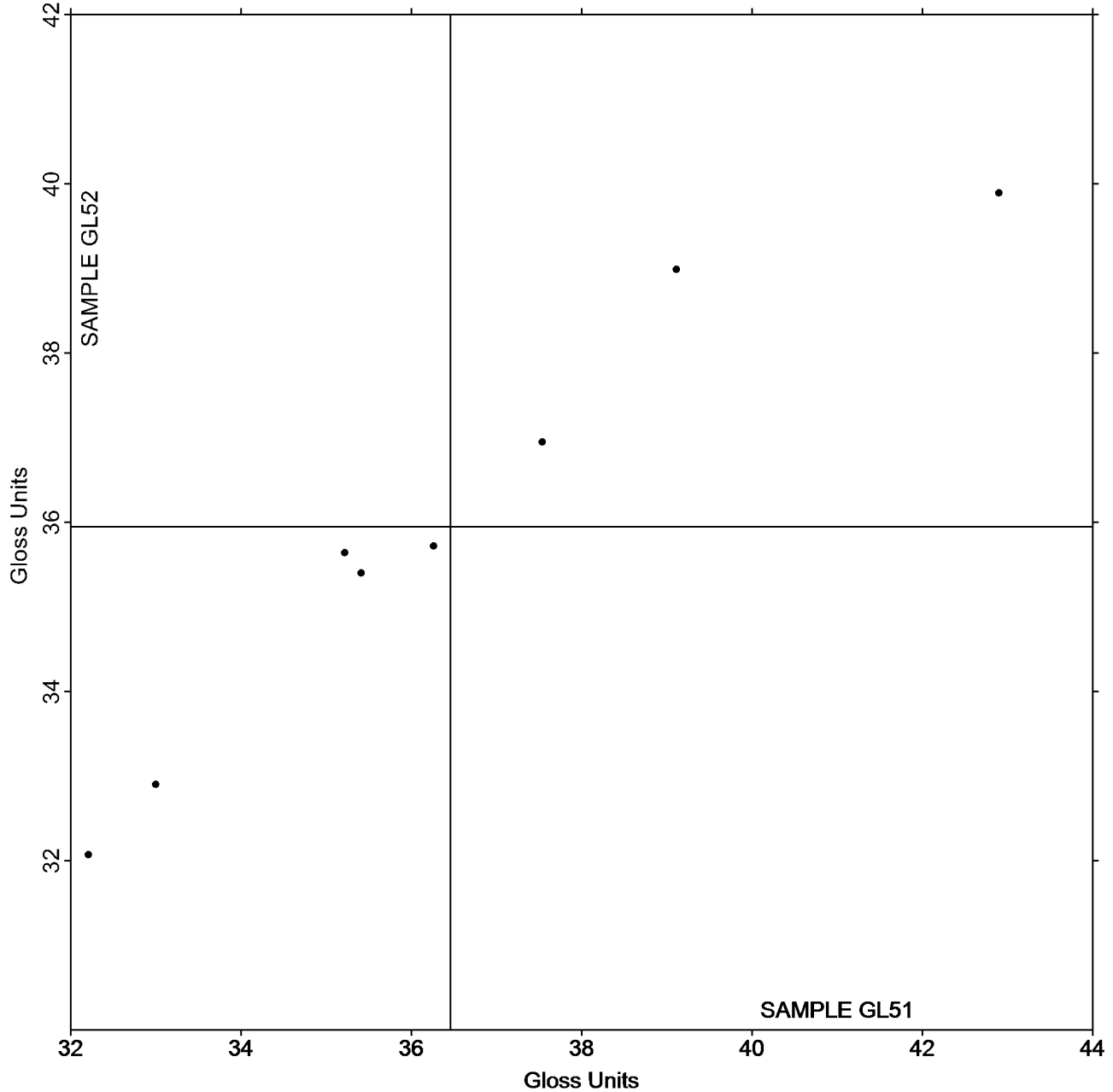
Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range

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Grand Mean Sample GL51 = 36.456
Gloss Units

Grand Mean Sample GL52 = 35.945
Gloss Units

ANALYSIS 3555



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

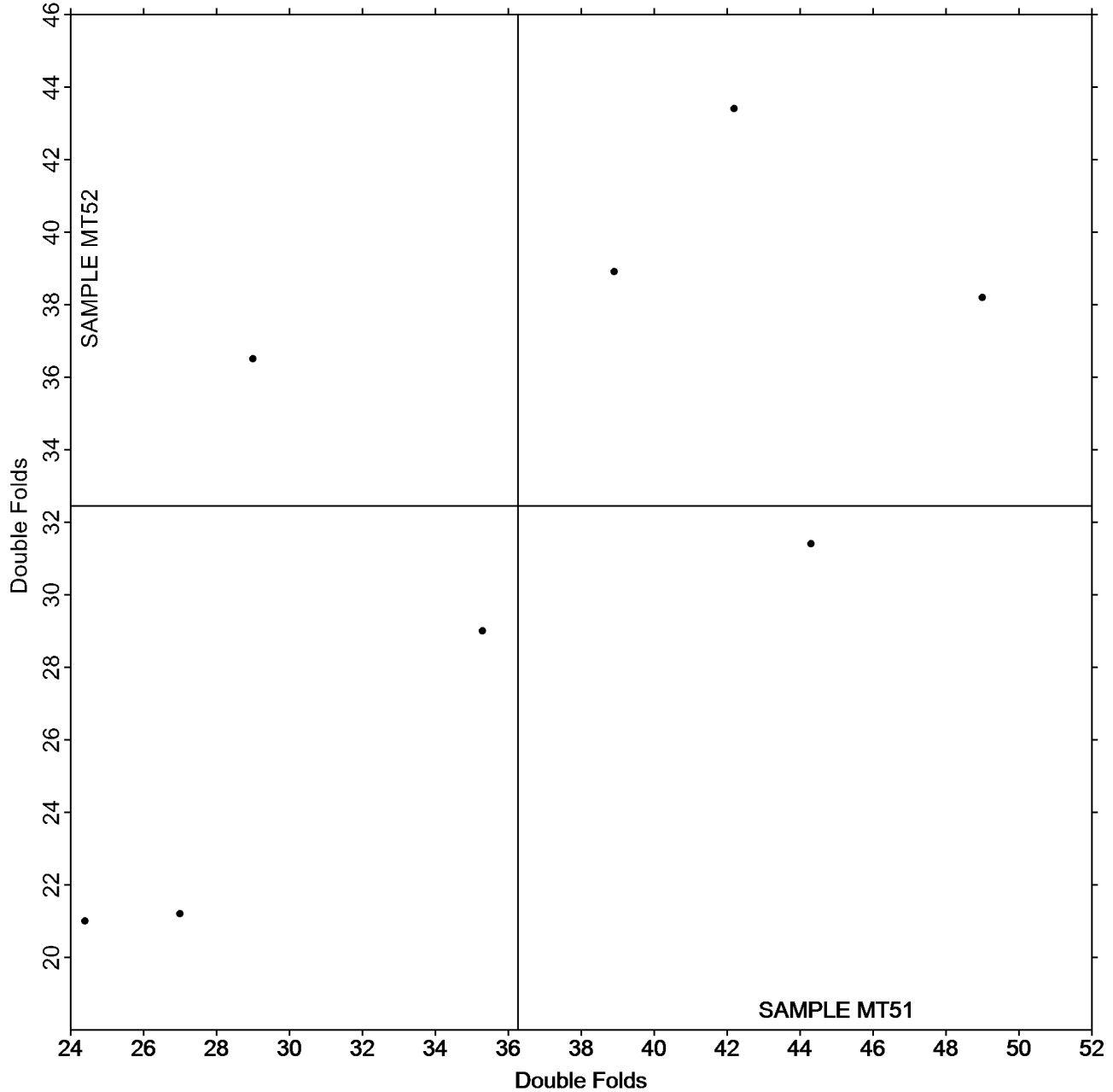
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Analysis 3601 Folding Endurance (MIT) - Double Folds TAPPI Official Test Method T511

Grand Mean Sample MT51 = 36.263
Double Folds

Grand Mean Sample MT52 = 32.450
Double Folds

ANALYSIS 3601



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3603
Bending Resistance, Gurley Type
TAPPI Official Test Method T543

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample BG51</u>			<u>Sample BG52</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
22ZYQW	X	16.6	-99.0	-3.09	16.2	-96.4	-3.17	ZZ
38LC6P		127.0	11.4	0.35	124.8	12.1	0.40	ZZ
4XUFGT		124.8	9.1	0.29	124.8	12.1	0.40	ZZ
7EREGR		134.2	18.6	0.58	136.8	24.2	0.79	ZZ
8NFQBK	X	1.8	-113.8	-3.55	1.9	-110.7	-3.64	ZZ
EL8QC7		60.4	-55.2	-1.72	60.6	-52.0	-1.71	ZZ
EYR6DK		120.3	4.7	0.15	121.0	8.4	0.27	ZZ
HU7MMD		153.2	37.6	1.17	134.1	21.5	0.70	ZZ
JL6PCF		72.5	-43.1	-1.35	67.6	-45.0	-1.48	ZZ
WZ6PTY	X	3.0	-112.6	-3.51	2.9	-109.7	-3.60	ZZ
YVZXDW		132.5	16.9	0.53	131.4	18.8	0.62	ZZ

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample BG51</u>	<u>Sample BG52</u>
Grand Means	115.62 Gurley Units	112.63 Gurley Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	32.04 Gurley Units	30.46 Gurley Units
Statistics based on 8 of 11 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3603

- 8NFQBK (X) - Data for both samples are low.
- 22ZYQW (X) - Data for both samples are low.
- WZ6PTY (X) - Data for both samples are low.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

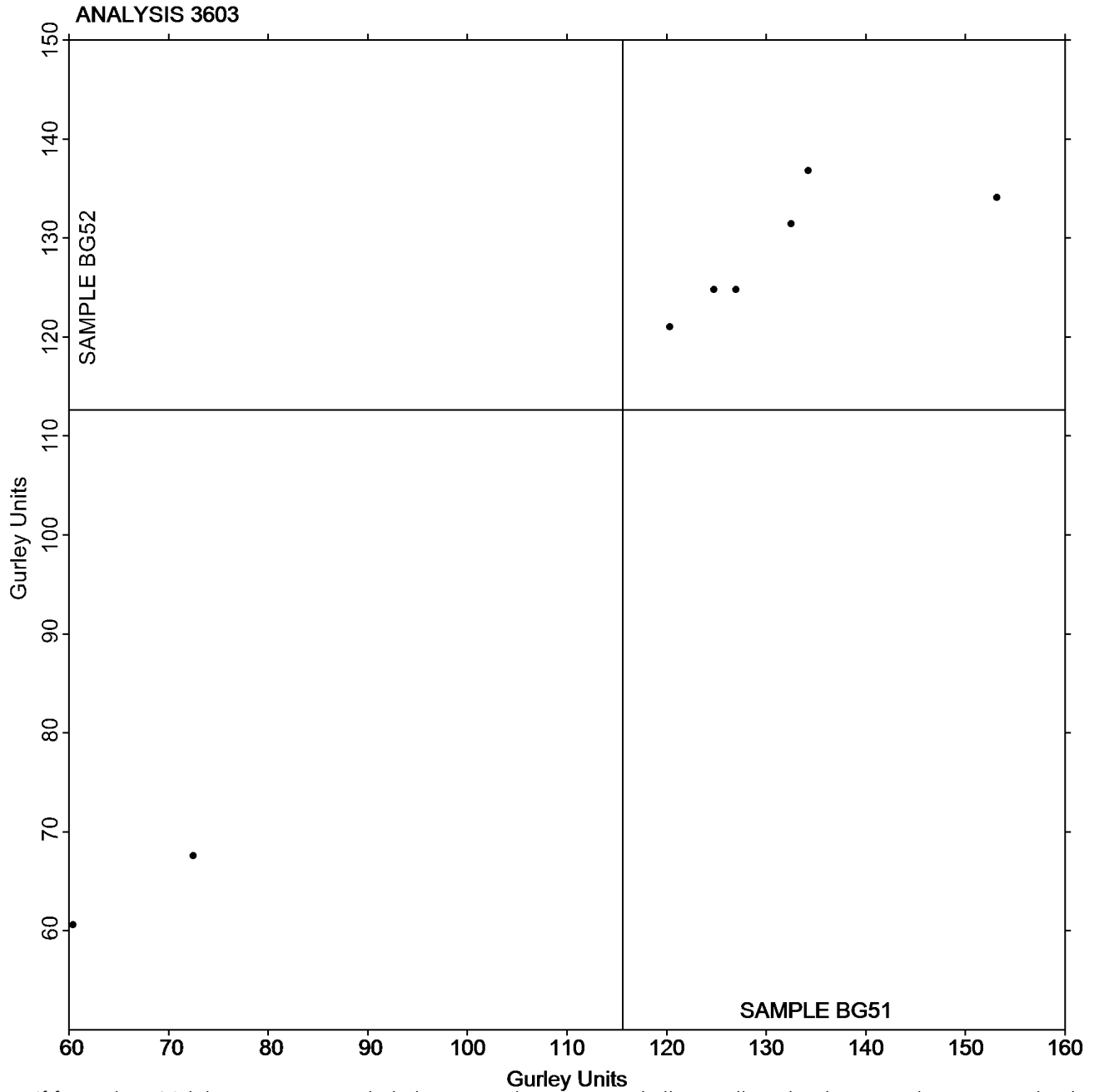
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Analysis 3603
Bending Resistance, Gurley Type
TAPPI Official Test Method T543

Grand Mean Sample BG51 = 115.62
Gurley Units

Grand Mean Sample BG52 = 112.63
Gurley Units



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3611
Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

Report #4412,
April 2026

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample CF51			Sample CF52			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3CJTLP		0.5250	-0.0141	-0.18	0.5384	0.0323	0.25	TA
8ELKBR		0.6378	0.0987	1.25	0.5712	0.0651	0.50	TA
8NFQBK		0.4620	-0.0771	-0.97	0.4740	-0.0321	-0.24	TA
CZTJLM		0.6226	0.0835	1.06	0.6298	0.1237	0.94	TM
NC4V86		0.5068	-0.0323	-0.41	0.5142	0.0081	0.06	XX
WZ6PTY		0.4326	-0.1065	-1.35	0.2312	-0.2749	-2.10	TX
YVZXDW		0.5870	0.0479	0.61	0.5836	0.0775	0.59	TA

Summary Statistics	Sample CF51	Sample CF52
Grand Means	0.54 COF	0.51 COF
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.08 COF	0.13 COF

Statistics based on 7 of 7 reporting participants.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

TA	Thwing-Albert Friction Tester	TM	TMI 32-06 Monitor/Slip and Friction
TX	TMI (model not specified)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab

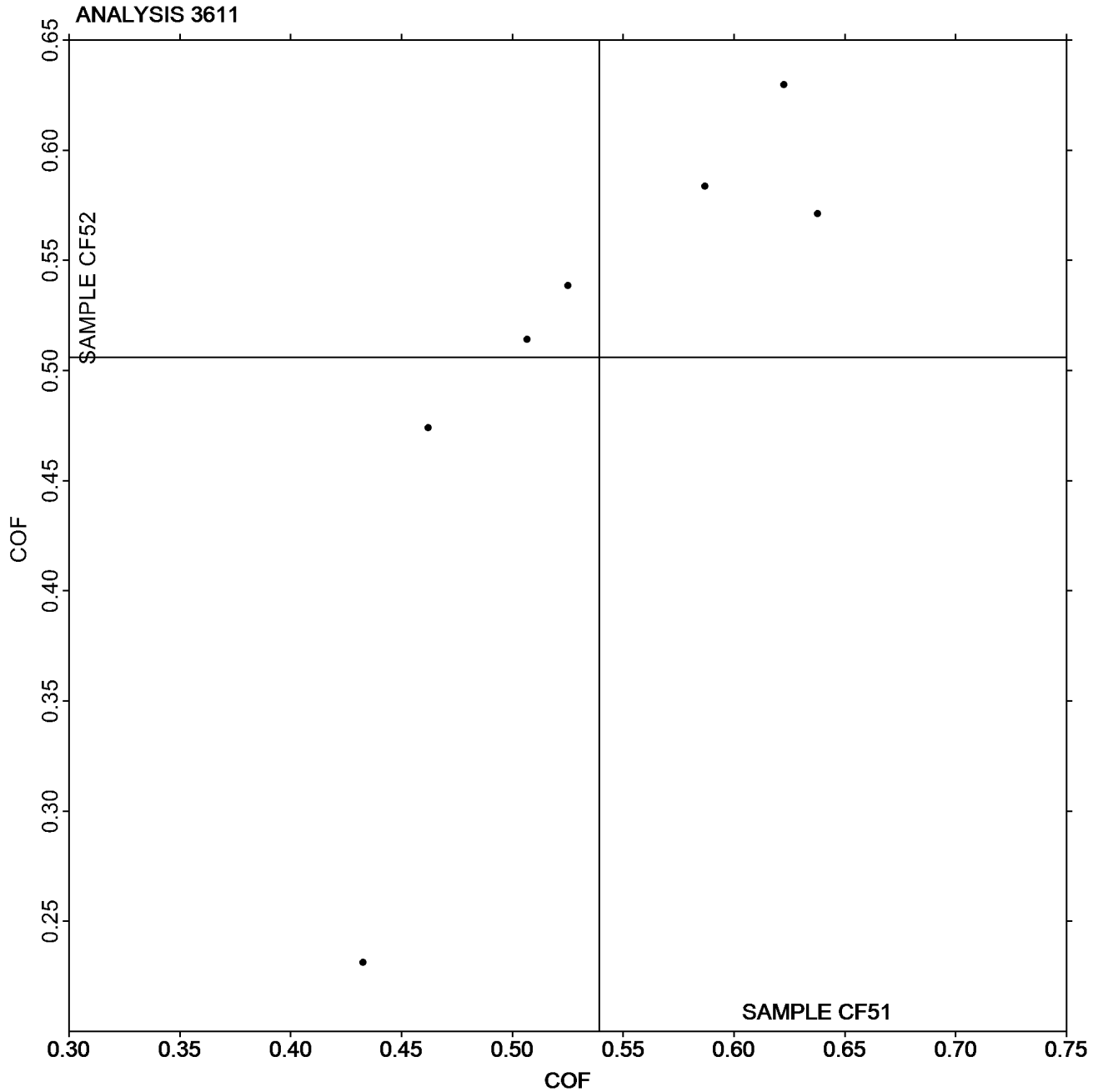


Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3611
Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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Grand Mean Sample CF51 = 0.53911
COF

Grand Mean Sample CF52 =
0.50606 COF



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3612
Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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April 2026

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample CF51</u>			<u>Sample CF52</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3CJTLP		0.4556	-0.0468	-1.16	0.4482	-0.0566	-1.45	TA
8ELKBR		0.5194	0.0170	0.42	0.5072	0.0024	0.06	TA
8NFQBK		0.4620	-0.0404	-1.00	0.4720	-0.0328	-0.84	TA
CZTJLM		0.5650	0.0626	1.56	0.5568	0.0520	1.33	TM
NC4V86		0.5020	-0.0004	-0.01	0.5200	0.0152	0.39	XX
WZ6PTY	X	0.5168	0.0144	0.36	0.1764	-0.3284	-8.42	TX
YVZXDW		0.5104	0.0080	0.20	0.5246	0.0198	0.51	TA

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample CF51</u>	<u>Sample CF52</u>
Grand Means	0.50 COF	0.50 COF
Stnd Dev Btwn Labs	0.04 COF	0.04 COF

Statistics based on 6 of 7 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3612

WZ6PTY (X) - Extreme Data for sample CF52.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

TA	Thwing-Albert Friction Tester	TM	TMI 32-06 Monitor/Slip and Friction
TX	TMI (model not specified)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab

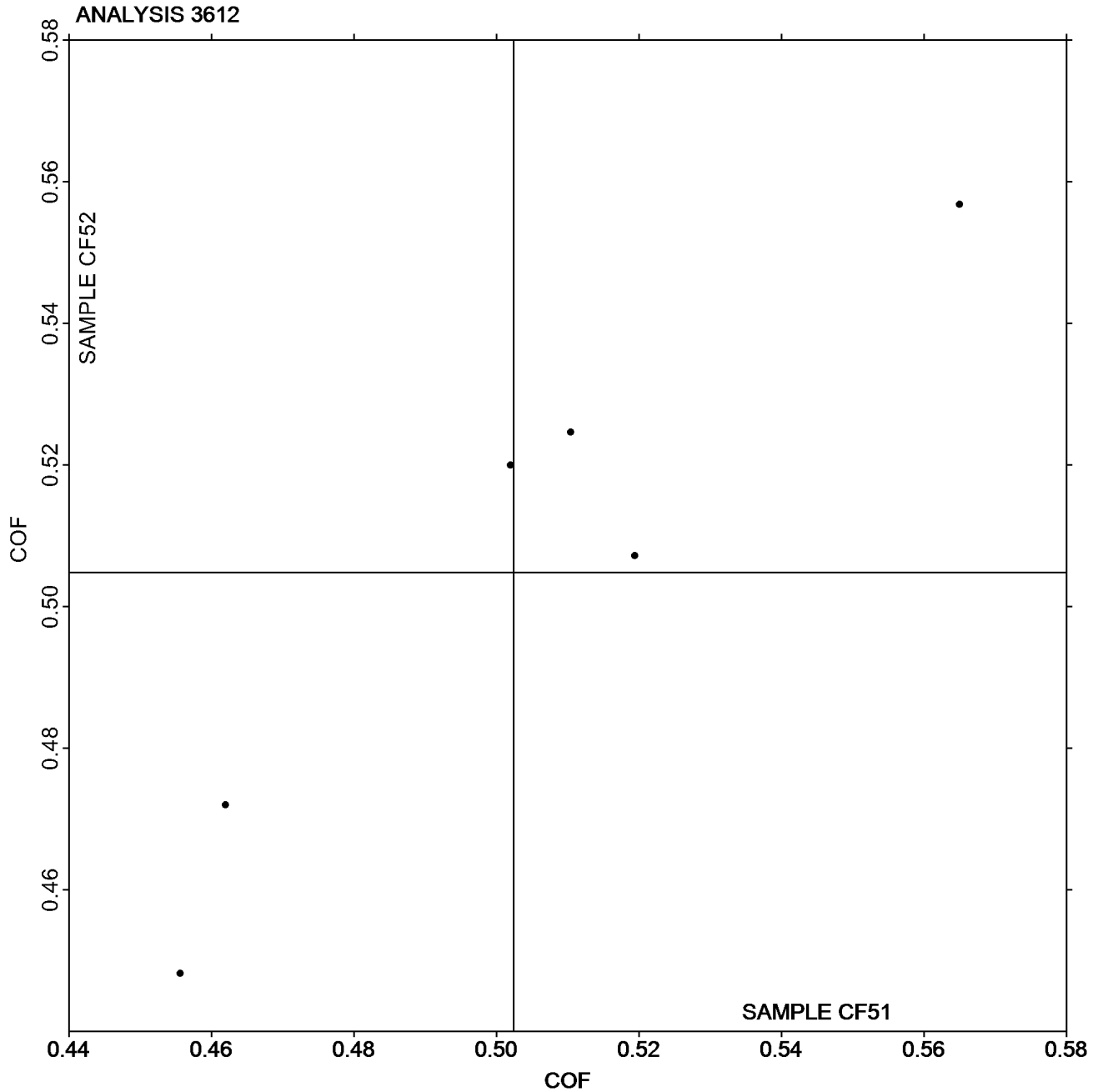


Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3612
Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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Grand Mean Sample CF51 = 0.50240
COF

Grand Mean Sample CF52 =
0.50480 COF



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3613
Moisture in Paper
TAPPI Official Test Method T412

Report #4412,
April 2026

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample MC51</u>			<u>Sample MC52</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FLC6R		3.213	-1.050	-2.11	3.280	-0.809	-1.98	ZZ
8NFQBK		4.191	-0.073	-0.15	4.255	0.166	0.41	ZZ
ALJWME		3.898	-0.366	-0.74	3.876	-0.213	-0.52	ZZ
EYR6DK		4.598	0.334	0.67	4.740	0.651	1.59	ZZ
EYT3NF		4.445	0.182	0.37	4.521	0.432	1.06	ZZ
FCBAZ8		4.719	0.455	0.92	4.339	0.250	0.61	ZZ
QDUTE3		4.360	0.097	0.19	3.830	-0.259	-0.64	ZZ
RVRFEZ		4.350	0.086	0.17	4.000	-0.090	-0.22	ZZ
WWLVTR		4.960	0.697	1.40	4.120	0.031	0.08	ZZ
XEHHWV		3.903	-0.361	-0.73	3.933	-0.157	-0.38	ZZ

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample MC51</u>	<u>Sample MC52</u>
Grand Means	4.26 Percent	4.09 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.50 Percent	0.41 Percent
Statistics based on 10 of 10 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

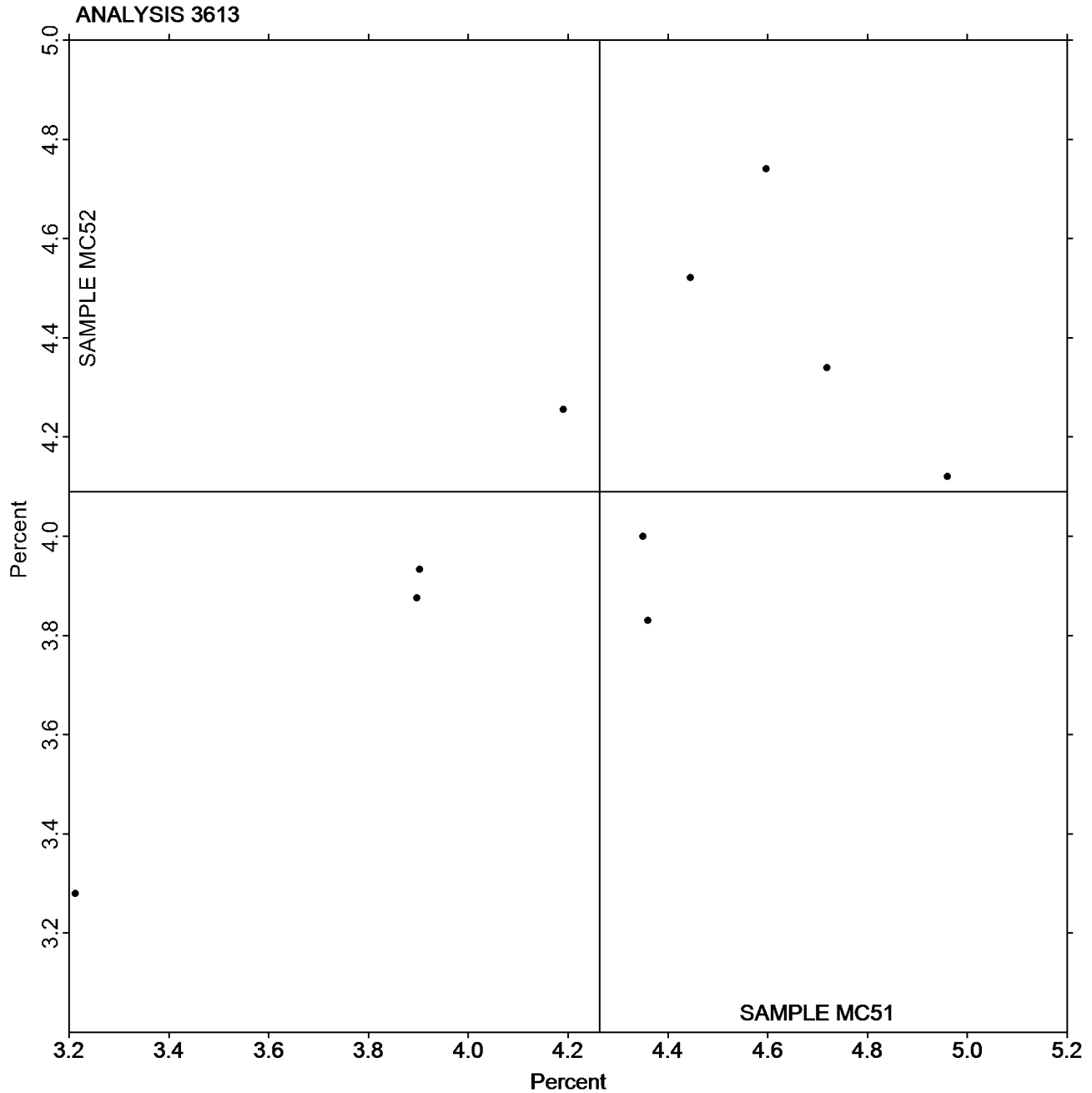
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Analysis 3613 Moisture in Paper

TAPPI Official Test Method T412

Grand Mean Sample MC51 = 4.2634
Percent

Grand Mean Sample MC52 = 4.0893
Percent



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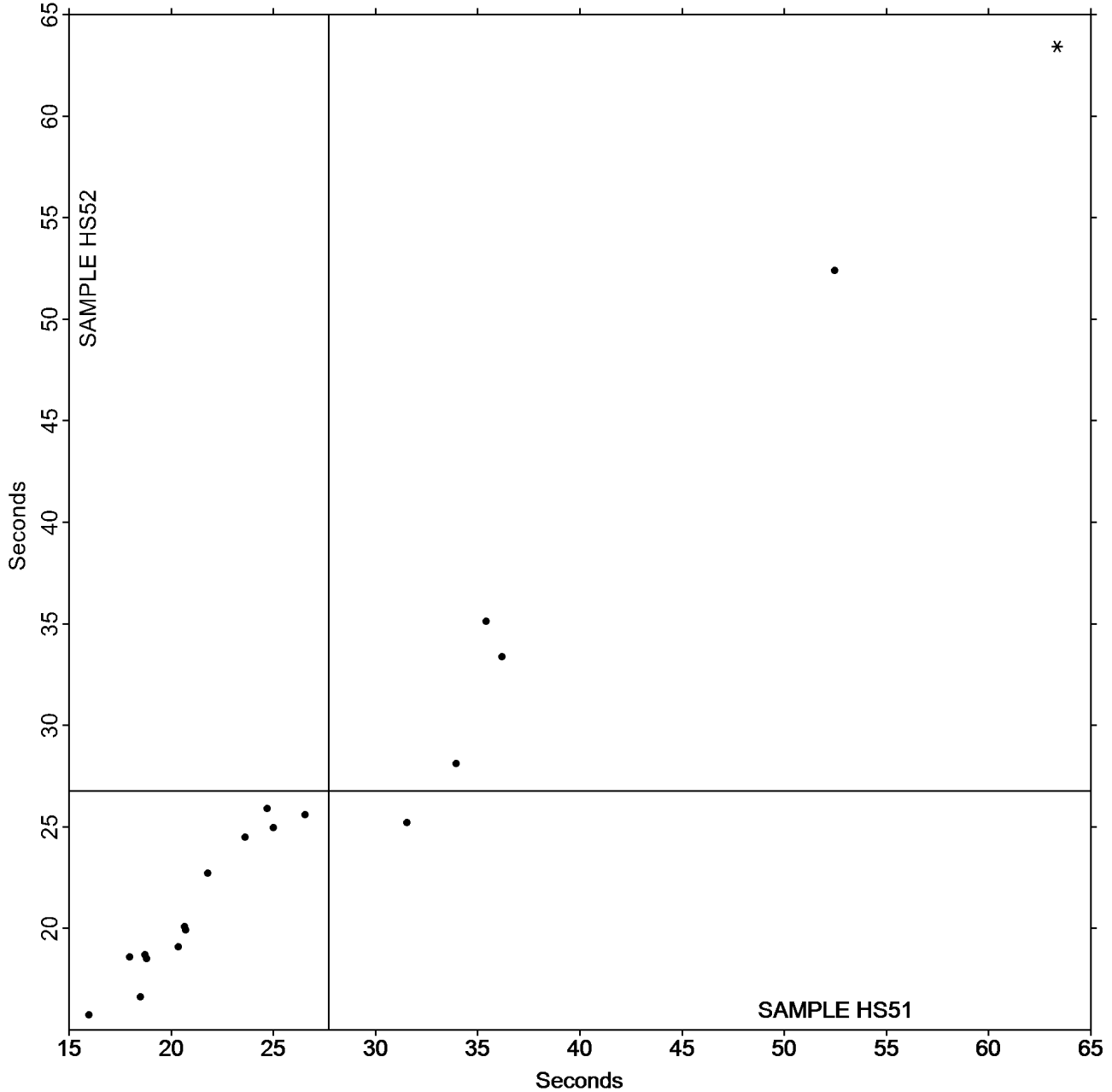


Analysis 3615
Sizing Test (Hercules Type)
TAPPI Official Test Method T530

Grand Mean Sample HS51 = 27.703
Seconds

Grand Mean Sample HS52 = 26.758
Seconds

ANALYSIS 3615



If fewer than 20 laboratories are included in an analysis, a control ellipse will not be drawn on the two-sample plot.

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