



## Paper & Paperboard Testing Program

### Summary Report #3122 G - June 2021

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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**

Founded in 1971, Collaborative Testing Services, Inc. (CTS) is a privately - owned company that specializes in interlaboratory tests for a variety of industrial sectors: rubber, plastics, fasteners and metals, CKPG, paper, color and wine, as well as proficiency tests for forensic laboratories. All of the tests are designed to assist organizations in achieving and maintaining quality assurance objectives. Labs from the U.S., as well as more than 80 countries, currently participate in CTS programs.

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## Key for Web Summary Reports (Page 1 of 2)

<b>WebCode</b>	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 Web site. The WebCode for each analysis can be found on the datasheets and in the Performance Analysis Report mailed to each participant.
<b>Lab Mean</b>	The average of the values obtained for each sample by the participant.
<b>Grand Mean</b>	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.
<b><math>\Delta E</math></b>	The calculated total color difference between the two samples. For the Hunter L,a,b analyses it is calculated in Hunter units ( $\Delta E$ ). For the L*,a*,b* analyses it is calculated in CIELAB units ( $\Delta E^*$ ).
<b>Difference from Grand Mean</b>	The difference of the LAB MEAN from the GRAND MEAN.
<b>Between-Lab Standard Deviation</b>	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).
<b>Comparative Performance Value</b>	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.
<b>Inst Code</b>	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.
<b>Data Flag</b>	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	<b>CAUTION</b> - 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	<b>STOP</b> - 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	<b>PROCEED</b> - 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.

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### 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.

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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 350**

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

Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	Hunter L, a, b Color Values			Color Difference Values				Instr Code
			L	a	b	$\Delta L$	$\Delta a$	$\Delta b$	$\Delta E$	
3ECQ7E		GA91	93.22	-1.05	3.42	-0.01	-0.01	0.49	0.49	XX
		GA92	93.21	-1.07	3.91					
6RGJWG	X	GA91	94.26	-1.18	4.08	-0.30	0.37	0.11	0.48	HZ
		GA92	93.96	-0.82	4.19					
76ZQ8M		GA91	94.31	-0.75	4.48	-0.61	-0.02	-0.07	0.62	VM
		GA92	93.69	-0.77	4.42					
77B72N		GA91	93.25	-0.33	3.59	-0.24	0.08	0.09	0.27	TS
		GA92	93.01	-0.25	3.68					
7GWG7A		GA91	95.27	-0.63	4.13	-0.36	-0.02	0.09	0.37	EH
		GA92	94.91	-0.65	4.22					
8KN4C3		GA91	95.38	-0.83	4.09	-0.35	0.00	0.02	0.35	TC
		GA92	95.03	-0.83	4.11					
9746K8		GA91	95.20	-0.61	4.31	-0.35	-0.03	0.11	0.37	LS
		GA92	94.85	-0.64	4.42					
APUJYV		GA91	94.71	-0.58	4.01	-0.39	-0.03	0.05	0.39	HE
		GA92	94.32	-0.62	4.07					
DAR2J9		GA91	94.15	-0.83	4.05	-0.46	0.00	0.08	0.47	TC
		GA92	93.69	-0.82	4.13					
DXBGYC		GA91	93.19	-0.65	3.73	-0.50	-0.05	0.06	0.50	TS
		GA92	92.70	-0.71	3.79					
F94LZN		GA91	95.33	-0.89	4.15	-0.33	0.00	0.07	0.33	LS
		GA92	95.01	-0.89	4.22					
H88TFN		GA91	93.32	-0.26	3.46	-0.53	0.09	0.11	0.54	TS
		GA92	92.79	-0.17	3.57					
KJQ8D9		GA91	93.03	-0.53	3.49	-0.37	0.06	0.09	0.39	TS
		GA92	92.66	-0.47	3.57					
LK3BHJ		GA91	94.44	-0.75	4.19	-0.37	0.01	0.06	0.37	HE
		GA92	94.07	-0.74	4.25					
N4PG4F		GA91	95.29	-0.69	3.80	-0.04	0.01	0.01	0.04	XS
		GA92	95.24	-0.68	3.80					
RJ2N7D		GA91	94.09	-0.56	3.89	-0.40	0.00	0.08	0.41	LA
		GA92	93.69	-0.56	3.97					



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Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	Hunter L, a, b Color Values			Color Difference Values				Instr Code
			L	a	b	$\Delta L$	$\Delta a$	$\Delta b$	$\Delta E$	
TWT2D		GA91	94.70	-0.79	4.00	-0.47	-0.02	0.05	0.47	HE
		GA92	94.23	-0.81	4.06					
YJKHAB		GA91	93.93	-0.59	3.88	-0.40	-0.04	0.02	0.40	TC
		GA92	93.53	-0.64	3.90					
YRFLD8		GA91	93.65	-0.68	3.75	-0.41	-0.05	0.09	0.42	TS
		GA92	93.24	-0.73	3.84					
ZTMHX3		GA91	92.06	-0.52	2.88	0.10	0.06	0.42	0.44	TS
		GA92	92.16	-0.46	3.30					

<u>Grand Means</u>			<b>Summary Statistics</b>						
GA91	94.139	-0.660	3.869	-0.341	0.002	0.102	0.403		
GA92	93.800	-0.657	3.971						
<u>Std Dev Btwn Labs</u>									
GA91	0.931	0.187	0.370	0.180	0.042	0.133	0.119		
GA92	0.905	0.213	0.295						

Statistics based on 19 of 20 reporting participants

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #350**

6RGJWG (X) - Low "a" values for for GA91. High delta "a".

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

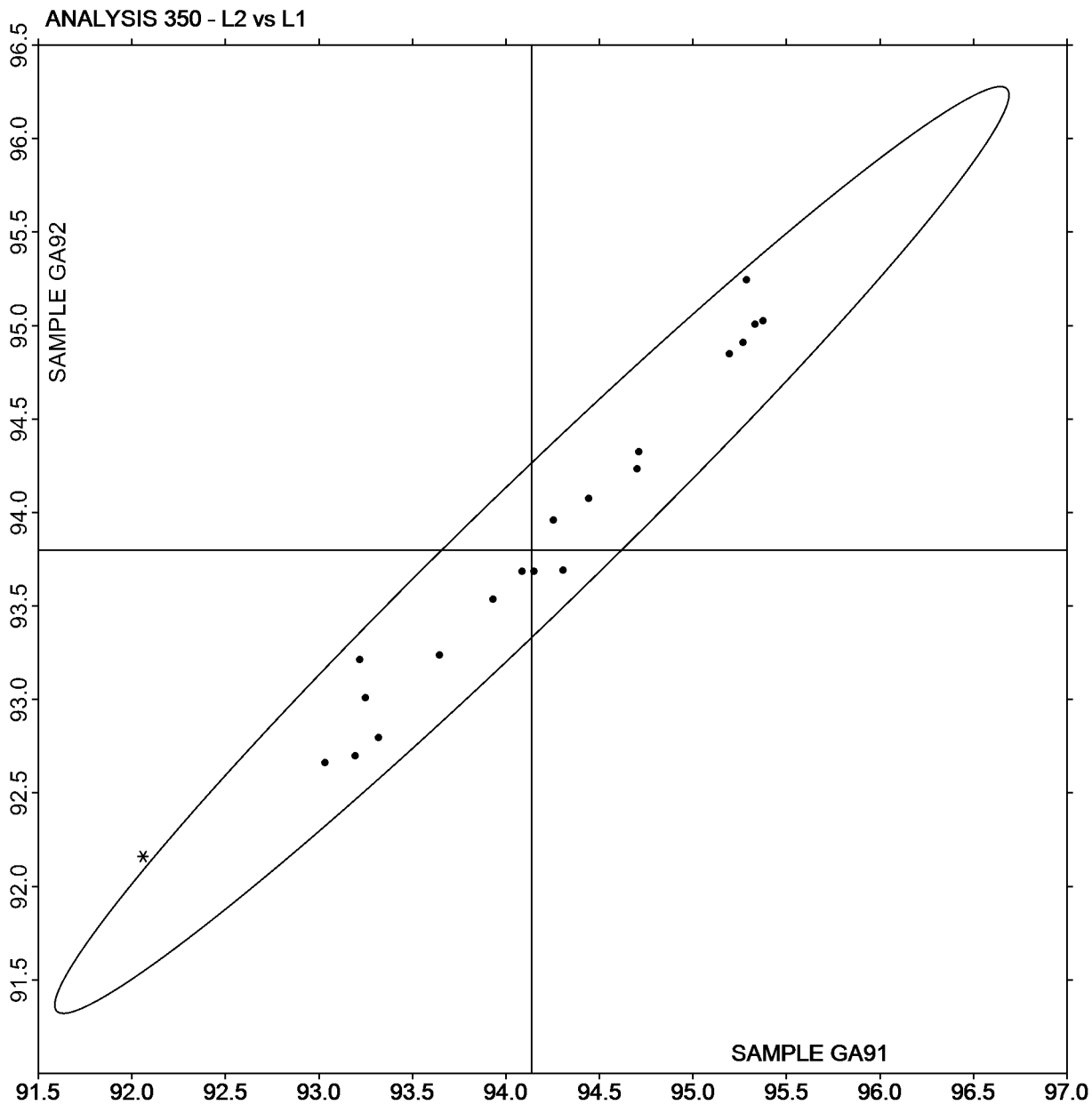
EH	Datacolor Elrepho SF450	HE	Hunter LabScan
HZ	Hunter ColorFlex EZ	LA	L & W Elrepho AL300
LS	L & W Elrepho SE 070	TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series
TS	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5	VM	Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani/Robotest)
XS	X-Rite 938 Spectrodensitometer	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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Plot of L values GA92 vs L values GA91



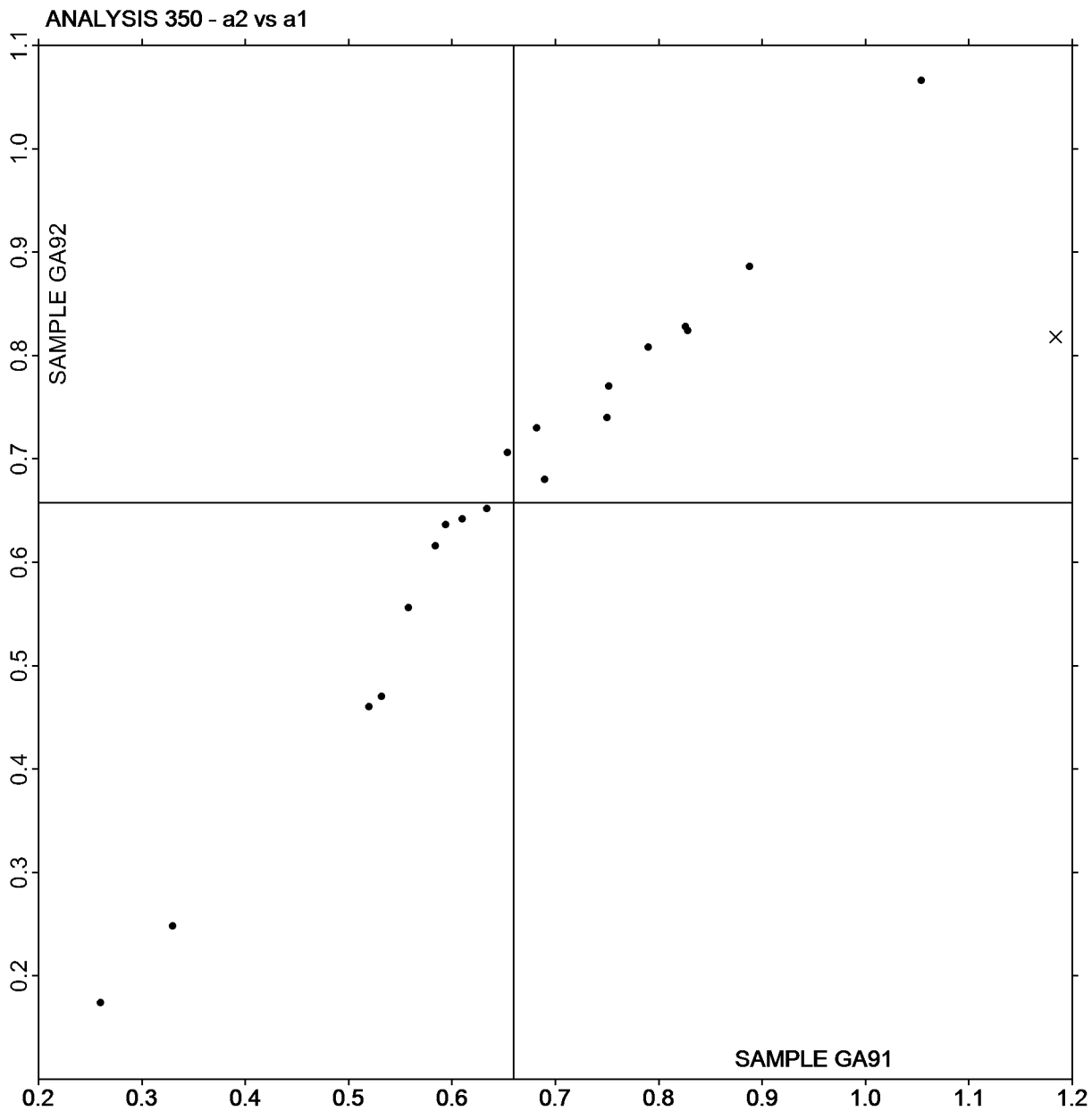
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Plot of a values GA92 vs a values GA91



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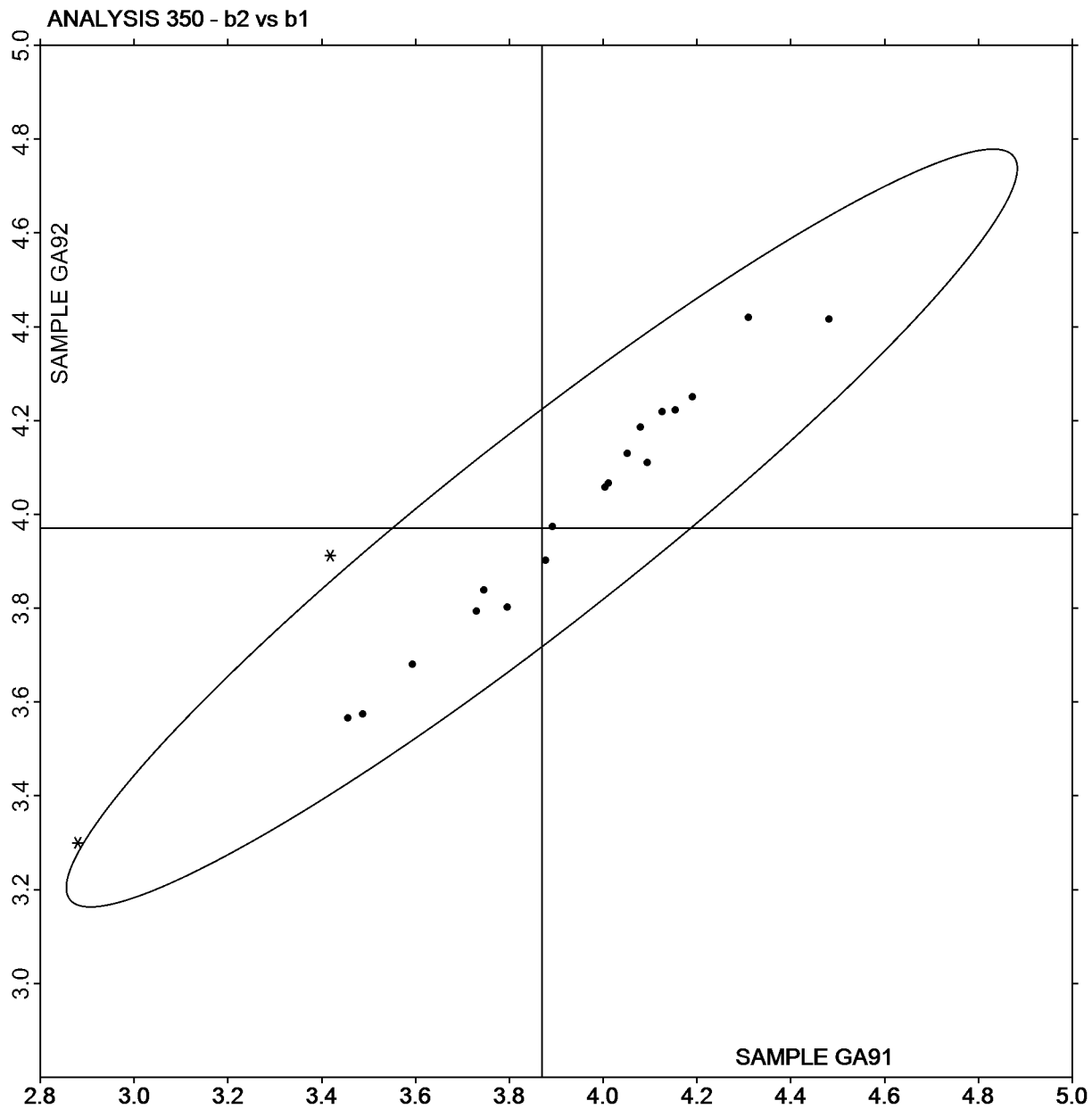




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Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	CIE L* a* b* Color Values			Color Difference Values				InstrCode
			L*	a*	b*	$\Delta L^*$	$\Delta a^*$	$\Delta b^*$	$\Delta E^*$	
2FW2QG		GA91	94.05	-0.50	3.79	-0.37	-0.02	-0.07	0.37	XB
		GA92	93.68	-0.52	3.72					
37LY6F		GA91	92.95	-0.87	3.30	0.16	-0.01	0.35	0.39	TC
		GA92	93.10	-0.88	3.65					
6Z8CXF		GA91	95.57	-0.58	4.07	-0.28	0.01	0.07	0.29	XV
		GA92	95.29	-0.56	4.15					
76EXNX		GA91	95.44	-0.52	4.12	-0.43	-0.04	0.13	0.45	NG
		GA92	95.01	-0.56	4.24					
7GWG7A		GA91	95.26	-0.64	4.20	-0.37	-0.02	0.00	0.37	EH
		GA92	94.89	-0.66	4.20					
9746K8		GA91	95.17	-0.62	4.34	-0.34	-0.02	0.05	0.34	LS
		GA92	94.84	-0.64	4.39					
9748AB		GA91	94.66	-0.78	3.52	0.18	0.00	0.48	0.52	NH
		GA92	94.85	-0.78	4.00					
BL4WE8		GA91	95.33	-0.70	4.15	-0.34	-0.23	0.05	0.42	TC
		GA92	94.99	-0.93	4.20					
CDTWKW		GA91	95.25	-0.58	4.24	-0.33	-0.02	-0.03	0.33	LS
		GA92	94.92	-0.61	4.21					
KN4WVW		GA91	94.73	-0.52	3.70	-0.23	-0.02	0.07	0.24	HE
		GA92	94.50	-0.54	3.77					
LKHPUZ		GA91	95.21	-0.79	3.85	-0.27	0.00	0.04	0.27	XC
		GA92	94.94	-0.79	3.90					
LUP8JK		GA91	95.19	-0.61	4.11	-0.32	-0.03	0.06	0.33	HT
		GA92	94.87	-0.64	4.17					
N8QMHL		GA91	95.35	-0.72	4.14	-0.32	-0.04	0.07	0.33	HT
		GA92	95.03	-0.75	4.21					
UE4LFJ		GA91	96.61	-0.26	1.74	-0.27	0.00	0.34	0.43	XP
		GA92	96.34	-0.26	2.08					
W37H8V		GA91	95.05	-0.58	4.22	-0.34	-0.02	0.02	0.34	EH
		GA92	94.71	-0.60	4.24					
YJKHAB		GA91	94.56	-0.95	3.84	-0.26	0.11	0.18	0.33	HE
		GA92	94.31	-0.84	4.03					



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<u>Grand Means</u>			<b>Summary Statistics</b>				
<b>GA91</b>	95.024	-0.637	3.833				
<b>GA92</b>	94.767	-0.660	3.947	-0.257	-0.023	0.114	0.360
<u>Std Dev Btwn Labs</u>							
<b>GA91</b>	0.778	0.163	0.628				
<b>GA92</b>	0.696	0.165	0.541	0.174	0.066	0.153	0.070

Statistics based on 16 of 16 reporting participants

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

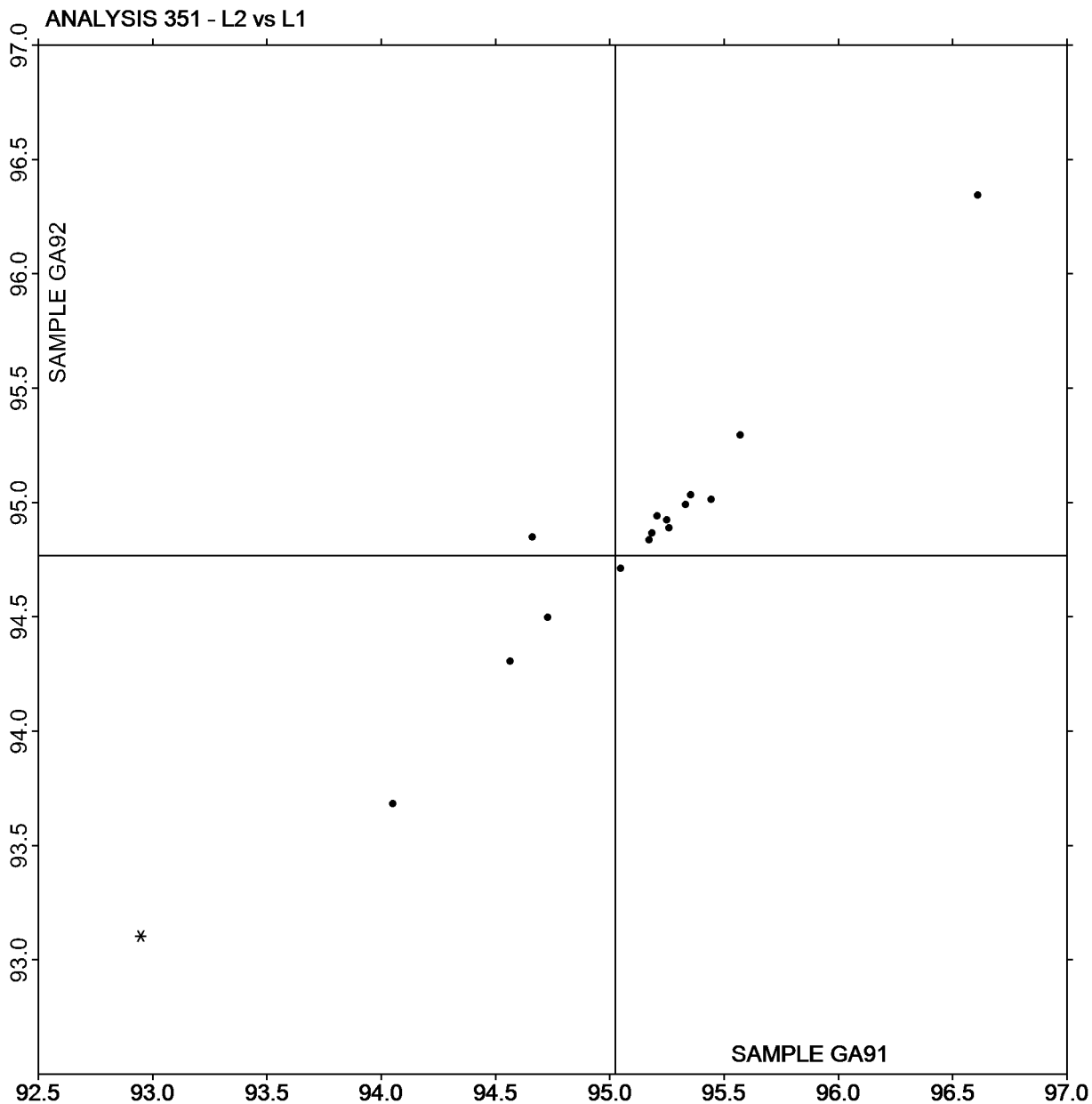
<b>EH</b> Datacolor Elrepho SF450	<b>HE</b> Hunter LabScan
<b>HT</b> Hunter UltraScan Vis	<b>LS</b> L & W Elrepho SE 070
<b>NG</b> Minolta CM-3700d Spectrophotometer	<b>NH</b> Minolta CM-3700A Spectrophotometer
<b>TC</b> Technidyne Color Touch Series	<b>XB</b> X-Rite Ci7
<b>XC</b> X-Rite eXact Series	<b>XP</b> X-Rite Spectrophotometer DTP
<b>XV</b> X-Rite SP60 Series	



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Plot of L values GA92 vs L values GA91



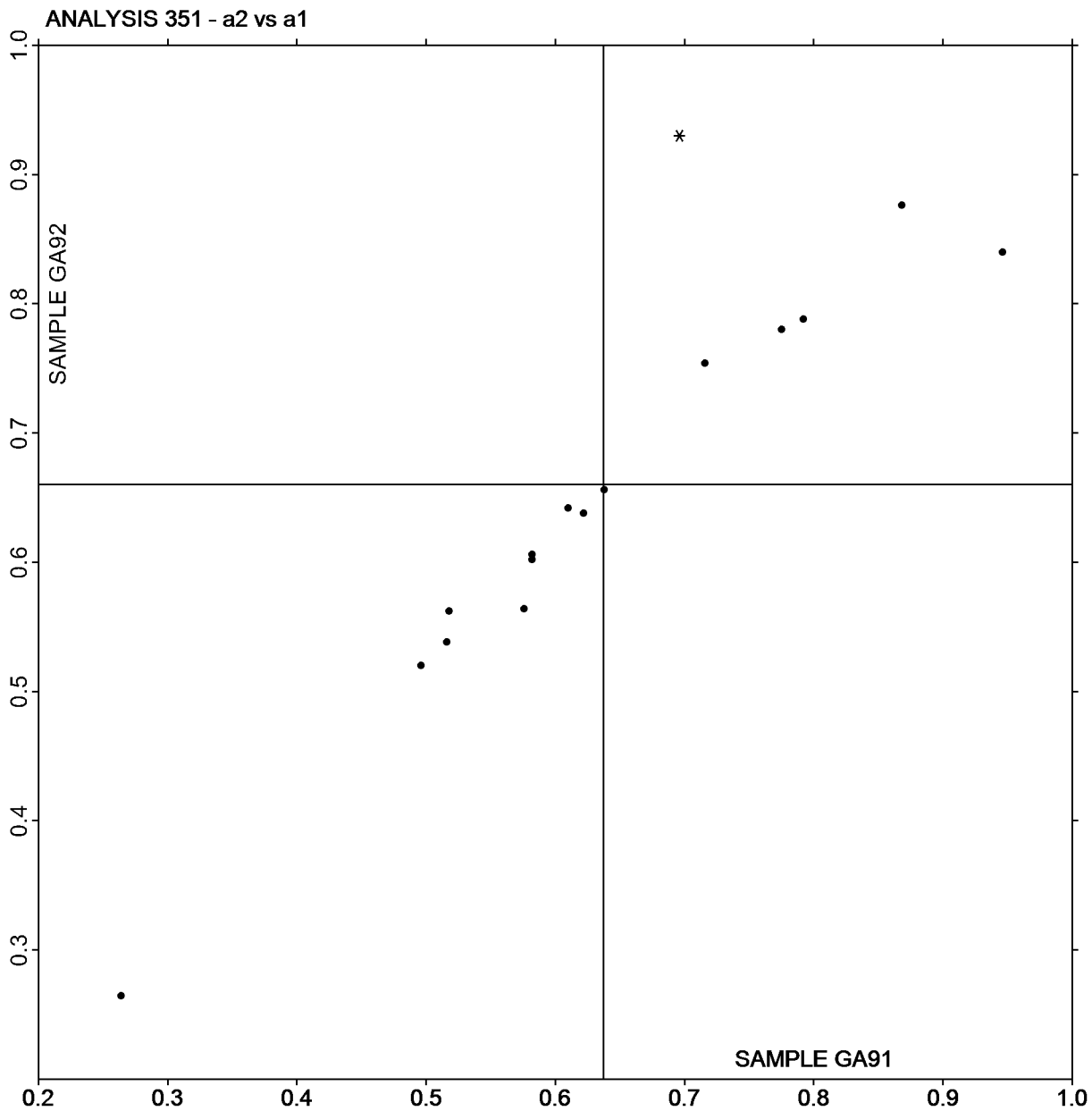
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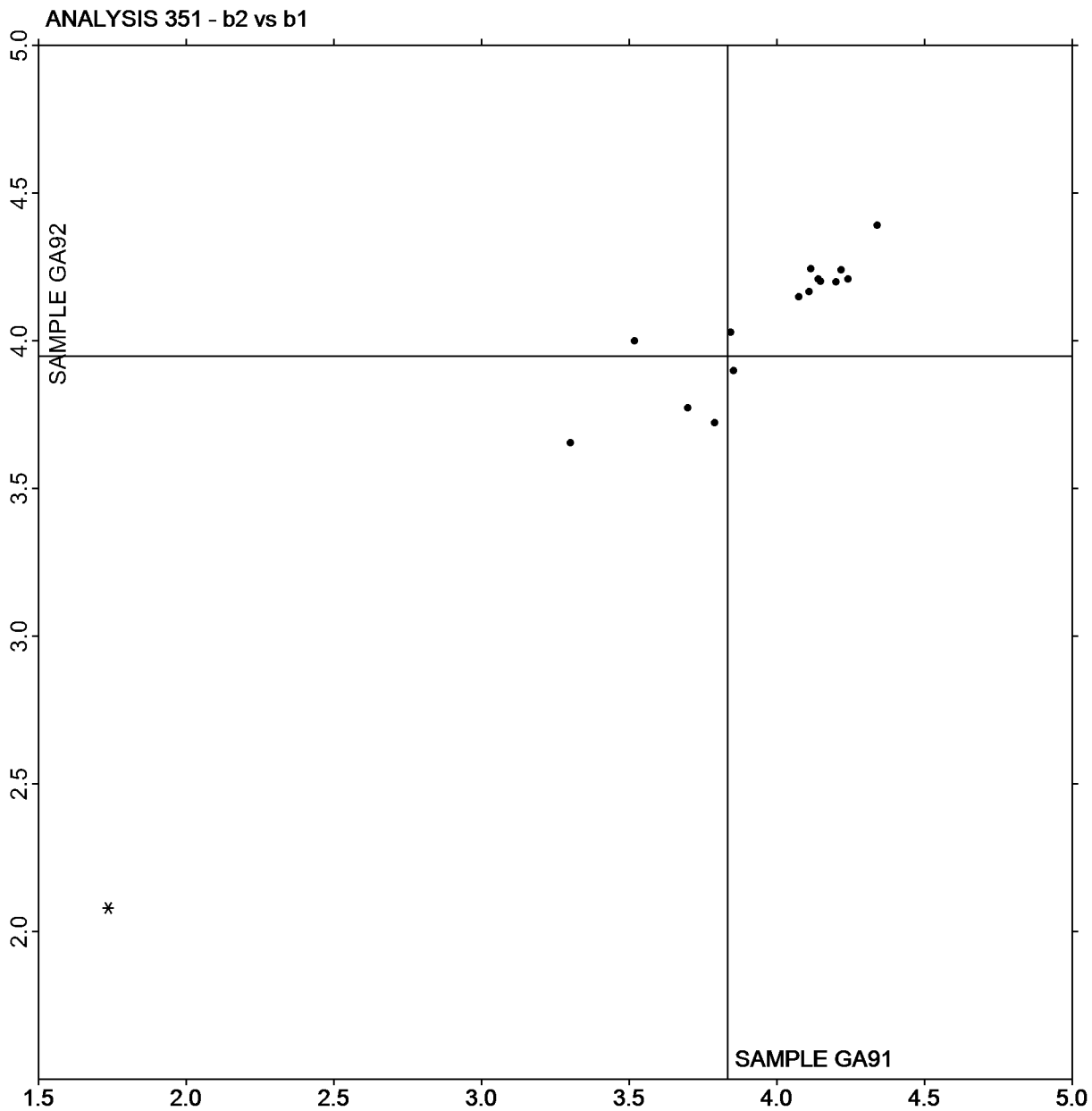
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**Analysis 360  
Thickness (Caliper), Printing papers  
TAPPI Official Test Method T411**

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GV91			Sample GV92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
23AWHJ		5.068	0.121	1.34	5.063	0.101	0.94	LW
26F42C		5.005	0.058	0.64	4.978	0.017	0.15	MT
2FW2QG		5.030	0.083	0.92	5.065	0.104	0.96	TM
37LY6F	X	0.611	-4.336	-48.10	0.612	-4.349	-40.40	TA
3AM6JL		4.971	0.024	0.27	4.987	0.026	0.24	EM
3ECQ7E		5.020	0.073	0.81	5.020	0.059	0.54	XX
3HC33E		4.895	-0.052	-0.58	4.890	-0.071	-0.66	TA
3J9DZ3		5.036	0.089	0.99	5.084	0.122	1.14	LW
49N9QG	*	4.714	-0.233	-2.58	4.660	-0.301	-2.80	LA
6VD9DN		4.880	-0.067	-0.74	4.839	-0.122	-1.14	TA
77B72N		4.878	-0.069	-0.76	4.955	-0.006	-0.06	EM
7GWG7A		4.993	0.046	0.51	4.958	-0.003	-0.03	EM
8KN4C3		4.938	-0.009	-0.10	5.063	0.102	0.94	LA
9748AB		5.028	0.081	0.90	5.034	0.073	0.67	PP
9QAHGZ		4.752	-0.195	-2.17	4.720	-0.241	-2.24	LW
BL4WE8		4.965	0.018	0.20	4.996	0.035	0.32	PP
BVVAGR		5.039	0.092	1.03	5.043	0.082	0.76	LW
BZQ2VG		4.960	0.013	0.15	4.915	-0.046	-0.43	LA
F94LZN		4.948	0.002	0.02	5.048	0.086	0.80	LW
H88TFN		4.915	-0.032	-0.36	4.910	-0.052	-0.48	TM
K9BHE3		4.969	0.022	0.25	4.968	0.007	0.06	TM
KJQ8D9	*	4.701	-0.246	-2.73	4.659	-0.302	-2.81	TM
KN4VWW		4.998	0.051	0.57	4.981	0.020	0.18	PP
L4BDGN		4.922	-0.025	-0.28	4.927	-0.035	-0.32	FR
LKHPUZ		4.917	-0.030	-0.33	4.976	0.015	0.14	LW
LUP8JK		5.052	0.105	1.17	5.082	0.121	1.12	EM
LZWZEF		4.975	0.028	0.31	5.033	0.071	0.66	LW
M3HWL8		4.938	-0.009	-0.10	4.925	-0.036	-0.34	TA
M62YMK		4.931	-0.016	-0.18	4.916	-0.046	-0.42	TM
N4PG4F		4.820	-0.127	-1.41	4.860	-0.101	-0.94	TM
N6ZG72		4.941	-0.006	-0.07	5.078	0.117	1.08	LW
N8QMHL		4.901	-0.046	-0.51	4.837	-0.124	-1.16	EM
PPH7TX	*	5.114	0.167	1.85	4.983	0.022	0.20	TA
PY6BHP		4.817	-0.130	-1.44	4.848	-0.113	-1.05	PP
Q8FUEU	X	4.500	-0.447	-4.96	4.437	-0.524	-4.87	TM
R7YXNF		5.019	0.072	0.80	5.024	0.063	0.58	LW
RJ2N7D		5.030	0.083	0.92	5.059	0.098	0.91	EM
RRHXZ2		4.896	-0.051	-0.56	5.049	0.088	0.81	LA
RVH9QA		4.983	0.037	0.41	4.998	0.036	0.34	LW
RYJCL4		5.059	0.112	1.24	5.035	0.074	0.68	OK
UB776B		4.881	-0.066	-0.73	4.937	-0.024	-0.23	PP



**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 360**  
**Thickness (Caliper), Printing papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T411**

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GV91</u>			<u>Sample GV92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
UE4LFJ		4.900	-0.047	-0.52	4.855	-0.106	-0.99	TM
UGBXFT		5.010	0.063	0.70	4.964	0.003	0.02	PP
UR7DWG		4.943	-0.004	-0.04	5.031	0.070	0.65	TM
W37H8V		5.001	0.054	0.60	4.932	-0.029	-0.27	EM
X9N98V		4.911	-0.036	-0.40	4.948	-0.013	-0.12	PP
XJ7WXM		4.983	0.036	0.40	5.007	0.046	0.42	EM
YHTFMV	*	5.044	0.097	1.07	5.202	0.241	2.23	TM
YRFLD8		4.814	-0.133	-1.47	4.845	-0.116	-1.08	LA

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GV91</u>	<u>Sample GV92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	4.95 mils	4.96 mils
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.09 mils	0.11 mils

Statistics based on 47 of 49 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #360**

37LY6F (X) - Extreme Data.

Q8FUEU (X) - Data for both samples are low.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

EM	Emveco	FR	Frank Instruments
LA	L & W Autoline	LW	L & W
MT	Mitutoyo	OK	Oakland
PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus	TA	Thwing-Albert
TM	TMI	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab





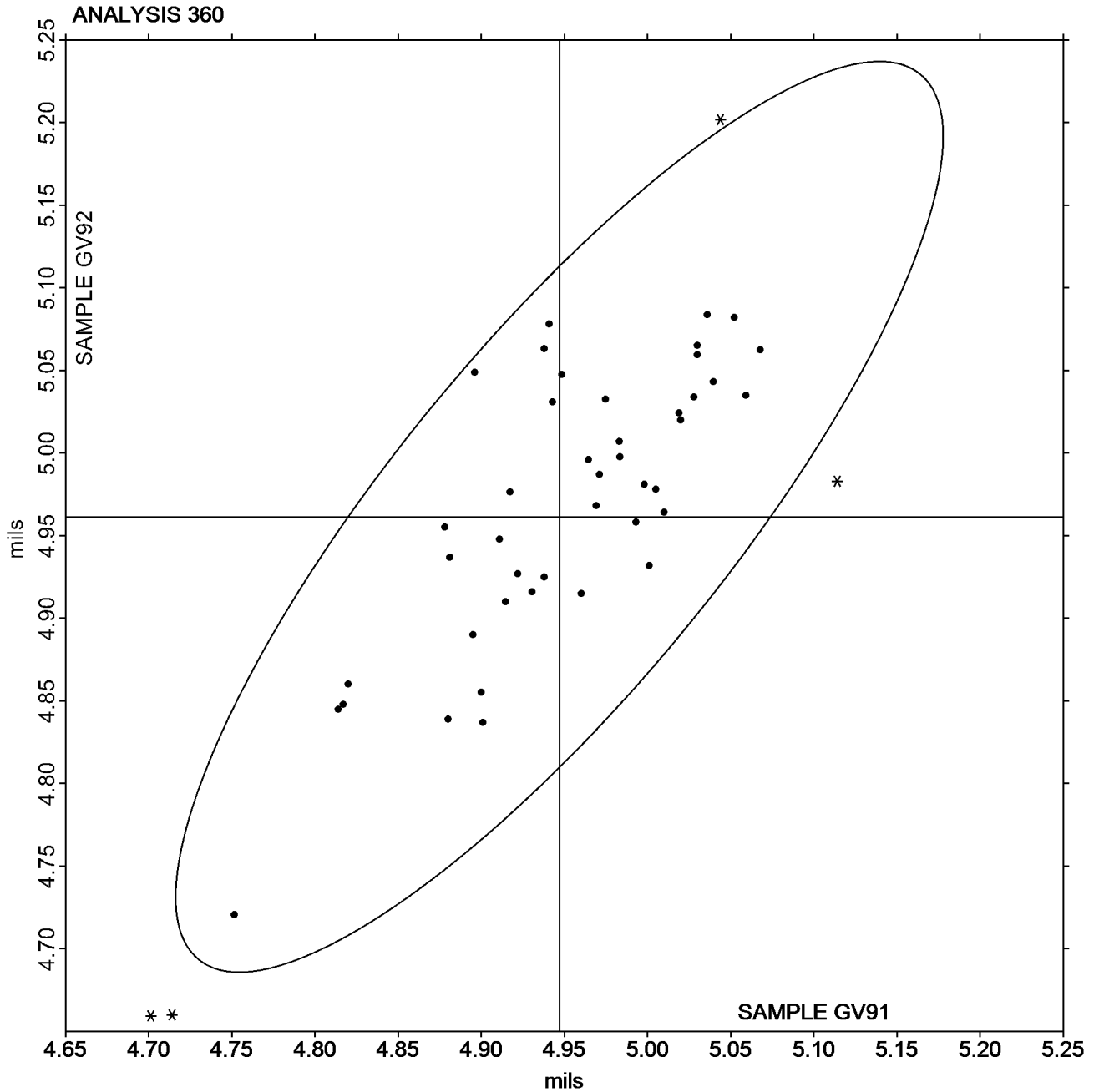
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## Analysis 360 Thickness (Caliper), Printing papers TAPPI Official Test Method T411

Grand Mean Sample GV91 = 4.9469  
mils

Grand Mean Sample GV92 = 4.9614  
mils





**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**

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**Analysis 361**

**Thickness (Caliper), Packaging papers**

**TAPPI Official Test Method T411**

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GY91			Sample GY92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
32AZPF		13.93	-0.21	-1.22	13.95	-0.21	-1.13	LW
32PGJ9		14.04	-0.11	-0.61	14.08	-0.08	-0.44	TA
3HC33E		14.01	-0.14	-0.78	14.02	-0.14	-0.75	TA
6LBQ3L		13.92	-0.22	-1.29	13.91	-0.25	-1.35	LW
76ZQ8M		14.12	-0.03	-0.17	14.04	-0.12	-0.64	TM
7B83G3		13.94	-0.21	-1.20	13.97	-0.19	-1.01	LA
7UKLE7	*	13.69	-0.45	-2.62	13.75	-0.41	-2.23	TM
8AUR6V	X	14.01	-0.14	-0.80	13.75	-0.41	-2.20	TM
9746K8		13.92	-0.23	-1.32	13.95	-0.21	-1.15	TM
9748AB	*	14.35	0.21	1.18	14.51	0.35	1.87	EM
APUJYV		14.25	0.11	0.61	14.32	0.16	0.86	EM
AX63VZ		14.14	-0.01	-0.05	14.17	0.01	0.04	LW
CBMCVB		14.17	0.02	0.12	14.21	0.05	0.24	LA
CDTWKW		14.24	0.10	0.55	14.28	0.12	0.64	LW
D9G6CH		14.24	0.09	0.52	14.19	0.03	0.18	LW
GM3TRX		13.76	-0.39	-2.23	13.73	-0.43	-2.31	LA
H849PZ		14.35	0.20	1.18	14.28	0.12	0.66	PP
KFNFZ2		14.19	0.05	0.27	14.24	0.08	0.42	LW
L8WBQZ		14.24	0.10	0.57	14.30	0.14	0.74	LA
LK3BHJ		14.05	-0.10	-0.57	14.13	-0.03	-0.15	EM
M3HWL8		14.29	0.15	0.84	14.29	0.13	0.70	TA
M7DVRP	X	13.94	-0.21	-1.19	14.22	0.06	0.31	TM
N6YJW7		14.11	-0.04	-0.21	13.99	-0.17	-0.92	TM
N6ZG72		14.20	0.06	0.34	14.17	0.01	0.04	LW
NFYAD8		14.12	-0.02	-0.12	14.18	0.02	0.10	LW
PLJUXX		14.26	0.11	0.65	14.27	0.11	0.58	LW
RJ2N7D		14.38	0.23	1.35	14.39	0.23	1.23	EM
RRHXZ2		14.29	0.14	0.83	14.41	0.25	1.34	LA
RVH9QA		14.26	0.11	0.63	14.22	0.06	0.30	LW
TWTD2D		14.20	0.05	0.29	14.12	-0.04	-0.20	EM
V3P66R		14.41	0.27	1.55	14.45	0.29	1.57	LW
V83ULF		14.20	0.05	0.30	14.23	0.07	0.39	TM
VLGX7P		14.14	-0.01	-0.06	14.20	0.03	0.19	MM
W37H8V		14.22	0.07	0.42	14.32	0.16	0.86	EM
XDJZFR		14.20	0.06	0.34	14.16	0.00	0.00	LA
YJKHAB		14.36	0.21	1.22	14.31	0.14	0.77	EM
ZTMHX3		13.92	-0.23	-1.32	13.90	-0.27	-1.43	OK



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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## Analysis 361

Thickness (Caliper), Packaging papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T411

Summary Statistics	Sample GY91	Sample GY92
<b>Grand Means</b>	14.15 mils	14.16 mils
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.17 mils	0.19 mils
Statistics based on 35 of 37 reporting participants.		

### Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #361

8AUR6V (X) - Inconsistent in testing between samples.

M7DVRP (X) - Inconsistent in testing between samples.

### Analysis Notes:

9746K8 - Data appear to be reported as micrometers, not mm as indicated on data entry form. CTS will not correct the Units going forward.

VLGX7P - Data appear to be reported as mils, not micrometers as indicated on data entry form. CTS will not correct the Units going forward.

### Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

EM	Emveco	LA	L & W Autoline
LW	L & W	MM	Mitutoyo Digital Micrometer
OK	Oakland	PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus
TA	Thwing-Albert	TM	TMI



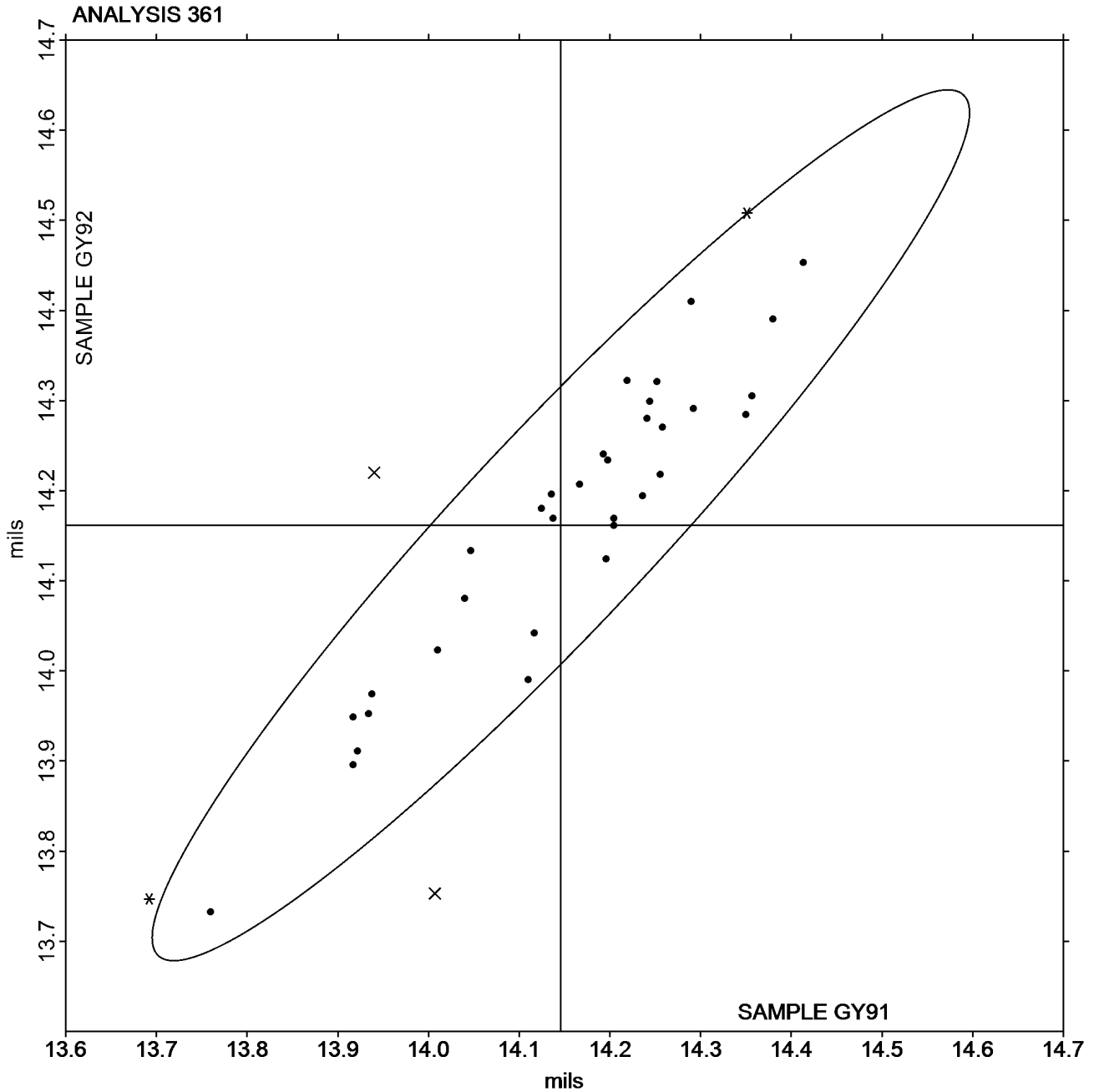
# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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## Analysis 361 Thickness (Caliper), Packaging papers TAPPI Official Test Method T411

Grand Mean Sample GY91 = 14.146  
mils

Grand Mean Sample GY92 = 14.162  
mils





**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 364**  
**Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T549**

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**June 2021**

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GD91</u>			<u>Sample GD92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3AM6JL		0.5580	0.0056	0.08	0.5560	-0.0017	-0.02	TA
77B72N		0.5716	0.0192	0.27	0.6440	0.0863	1.12	TA
7QL9T2		0.5282	-0.0242	-0.34	0.4892	-0.0685	-0.89	TA
9748AB		0.5780	0.0256	0.36	0.6280	0.0703	0.91	TP
9Y797G		0.6424	0.0900	1.27	0.5878	0.0301	0.39	IT
DXBGYC		0.6528	0.1004	1.42	0.6450	0.0873	1.13	TA
GM3TRX		0.5486	-0.0038	-0.05	0.5526	-0.0051	-0.07	TA
KN4WVW		0.4660	-0.0864	-1.22	0.4700	-0.0877	-1.14	TA
N4PG4F		0.4190	-0.1334	-1.88	0.4186	-0.1391	-1.80	XX
V3P66R		0.5594	0.0070	0.10	0.5856	0.0279	0.36	TA

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GD91</u>	<u>Sample GD92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	0.55 COF	0.56 COF
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.07 COF	0.08 COF
Statistics based on 10 of 10 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

IT	IMASS SP-2100	TA	Thwing-Albert Friction Tester
TP	TMI 32-25 COF Tester (Inclined Plane)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab

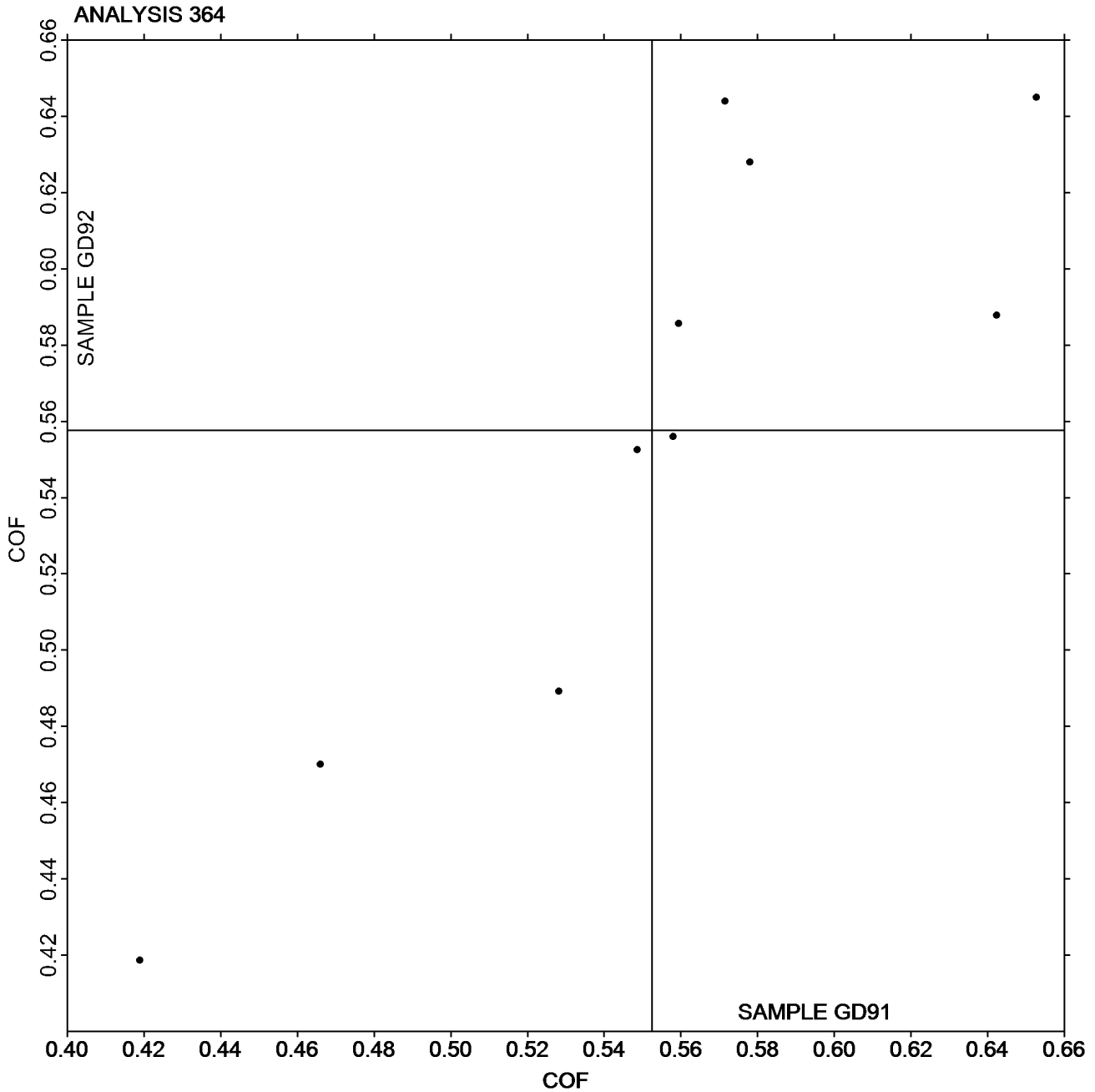


**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 364**  
**Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T549**

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Grand Mean Sample GD91 = 0.55240  
COF

Grand Mean Sample GD92 =  
0.55768 COF



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 365**  
**Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T549**

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GD91</u>			<u>Sample GD92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3AM6JL		0.4440	0.0327	0.51	0.4260	0.0005	0.01	XX
77B72N		0.3782	-0.0331	-0.52	0.4578	0.0323	0.50	TA
7QL9T2		0.3846	-0.0267	-0.42	0.3688	-0.0567	-0.87	TA
9Y797G		0.4336	0.0223	0.35	0.4194	-0.0061	-0.09	IR
DXBGYC		0.4930	0.0817	1.28	0.5000	0.0745	1.14	TA
GM3TRX		0.4438	0.0325	0.51	0.4688	0.0433	0.66	TA
KN4WVW		0.2680	-0.1433	-2.25	0.2900	-0.1355	-2.08	TA
N4PG4F		0.4190	0.0077	0.12	0.4120	-0.0135	-0.21	XX
V3P66R		0.4378	0.0265	0.42	0.4864	0.0609	0.94	TN

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GD91</u>	<u>Sample GD92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	0.41 COF	0.43 COF
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.06 COF	0.07 COF

Statistics based on 9 of 9 reporting participants.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

IR	IMASS SP-2000	TA	Thwing-Albert Friction Tester
TN	TMI 32-07 Monitor/Slip and Friction	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab

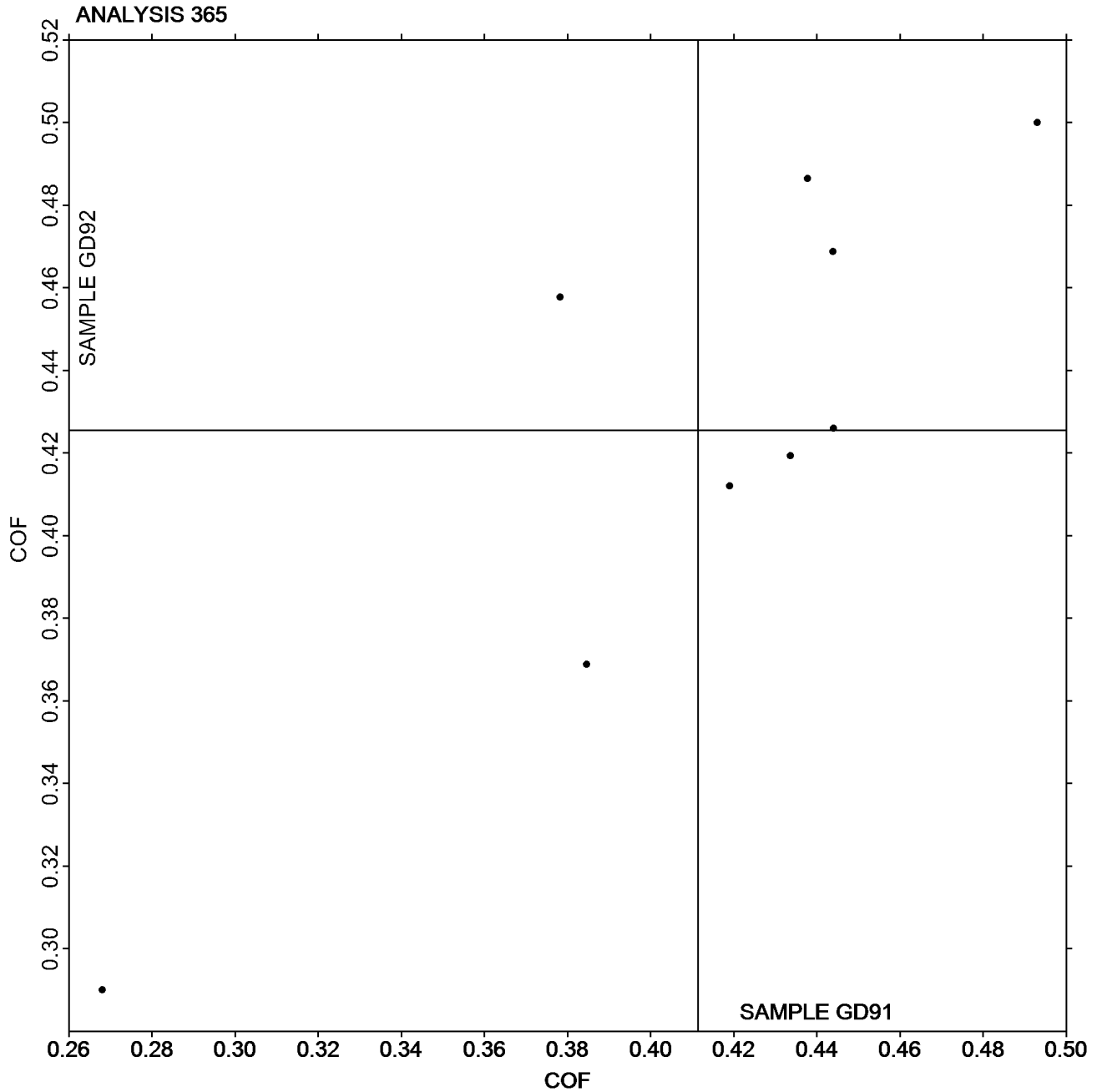


**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 365**  
**Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T549**

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Grand Mean Sample GD91 = 0.41133  
COF

Grand Mean Sample GD92 =  
0.42547 COF



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**

**Report #3122G,  
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**Analysis 370**

**Air Resistance - Gurley Oil Type**

**TAPPI Official Test Method T460**

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GE91			Sample GE92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		19.86	-1.04	-0.88	20.31	-0.57	-0.49	PP
3AM6JL		22.15	1.24	1.05	22.45	1.57	1.35	PP
3ECQ7E		18.97	-1.93	-1.63	18.94	-1.94	-1.67	LP
3LGL9M		22.28	1.38	1.16	21.38	0.50	0.43	TL
667JNJ		22.83	1.93	1.63	22.33	1.45	1.24	TM
6KBU9H		21.69	0.79	0.67	20.77	-0.11	-0.10	LP
6LBQ3L	*	17.69	-3.21	-2.72	17.82	-3.06	-2.63	WG
6VD9DN		20.84	-0.06	-0.05	21.85	0.97	0.83	GA
76ZQ8M		18.52	-2.38	-2.01	18.86	-2.02	-1.73	VM
7GWG7A		20.02	-0.88	-0.74	20.27	-0.62	-0.53	PP
7KAKT6	X	21.81	0.91	0.77	24.34	3.46	2.97	XX
7QL9T2		22.54	1.64	1.38	21.95	1.07	0.92	WG
8A6UN9		21.34	0.44	0.37	22.21	1.33	1.14	PP
9748AB		20.54	-0.36	-0.31	20.76	-0.12	-0.10	PP
AX8MRF		21.21	0.31	0.26	21.44	0.56	0.48	LP
BL4WE8		22.14	1.24	1.04	20.97	0.09	0.08	PP
BVVAGR		21.08	0.18	0.15	21.05	0.17	0.15	LP
BZQ2VG	*	23.66	2.76	2.33	24.50	3.61	3.10	LA
CBMCVB		18.80	-2.10	-1.78	19.23	-1.65	-1.42	LA
D9G6CH	X	16.37	-4.53	-3.83	15.63	-5.25	-4.51	HM
F94LZN		20.34	-0.56	-0.48	21.59	0.71	0.61	LP
FK2KTE	X	16.25	-4.65	-3.93	16.84	-4.04	-3.47	HM
GM3TRX		21.38	0.48	0.40	20.90	0.02	0.02	LA
H88TFN		20.75	-0.15	-0.13	20.58	-0.30	-0.26	LW
KFNFZ2		20.16	-0.74	-0.63	20.25	-0.63	-0.54	LP
KJQ8D9		20.92	0.02	0.01	21.00	0.12	0.10	LP
KN4WVW		21.65	0.75	0.63	20.86	-0.02	-0.02	PP
LKHPUZ		19.90	-1.00	-0.85	19.70	-1.18	-1.01	LW
LPWZ84		21.02	0.12	0.10	21.06	0.18	0.15	GL
LUP8JK		20.39	-0.51	-0.43	21.38	0.49	0.42	PP
M3HWL8		21.51	0.61	0.51	21.71	0.83	0.71	GA
N4PG4F		19.60	-1.30	-1.10	19.50	-1.38	-1.19	GS
N6YJW7		20.40	-0.50	-0.43	21.26	0.38	0.33	TL
N6ZG72		20.65	-0.25	-0.21	21.18	0.30	0.26	PP
N8QMHL		22.30	1.40	1.18	21.96	1.08	0.93	HG
NLKAMR		20.54	-0.36	-0.31	19.87	-1.01	-0.87	PP
PLJUXX		20.88	-0.02	-0.02	20.27	-0.61	-0.52	LW
PY6BHP	X	0.63	-20.27	-17.13	0.63	-20.25	-17.39	HG
REACD3		21.86	0.96	0.81	21.77	0.89	0.76	TL
UB776B		21.71	0.81	0.68	20.91	0.03	0.03	PP
UGBXFT		21.41	0.50	0.43	22.39	1.51	1.29	PP



**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**

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**Analysis 370  
Air Resistance - Gurley Oil Type  
TAPPI Official Test Method T460**

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GE91</u>			<u>Sample GE92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
UR7DWG		22.10	1.20	1.02	20.60	-0.28	-0.24	HG
XDJZFR		21.56	0.66	0.55	20.52	-0.36	-0.31	LA
XJ7WXM		20.79	-0.11	-0.09	20.39	-0.49	-0.42	PP
YHTFMV		20.39	-0.51	-0.43	19.47	-1.41	-1.21	PR
YJKHAB		21.62	0.72	0.60	21.81	0.93	0.80	PP
YRFLD8		20.05	-0.85	-0.72	20.94	0.06	0.05	LA
ZYA4AV		19.68	-1.22	-1.03	19.80	-1.08	-0.93	LP

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GE91</u>	<u>Sample GE92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	20.90 sec/100 cc	20.88 sec/100 cc
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	1.18 sec/100 cc	1.16 sec/100 cc

Statistics based on 44 of 48 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #370**

- D9G6CH (X) - Data for both samples are low. Possible Systematic Error.
- FK2KTE (X) - Data for both samples are low. Possible Systematic Error.
- 7KAKT6 (X) - Data for sample GE92 are high.
- PY6BHP (X) - Extreme Data.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

<b>GA</b> Gurley Precision #4340 Automatic Densometer	<b>GL</b> Gurley #4110
<b>GS</b> Gurley-Hill S-P-S Tester #4190	<b>HG</b> Technidyne - Hagerty Model #1
<b>HM</b> Technidyne - Hagerty Model #538	<b>LA</b> L & W Autoline
<b>LP</b> L & W Densometer, Air Permeance	<b>LW</b> L & W Type Gurley Densometer, Oil Flotation
<b>PP</b> Technidyne Profile/Plus	<b>PR</b> Parker Print-Surf (PPS) Model M590
<b>TL</b> Gurley Densometer #4110, Oil Flotation	<b>TM</b> TMI Densometer 58-03
<b>VM</b> Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani/Robotest)	<b>WG</b> W & LE Gurley Tester
<b>XX</b> Instrument make/model not specified by lab	



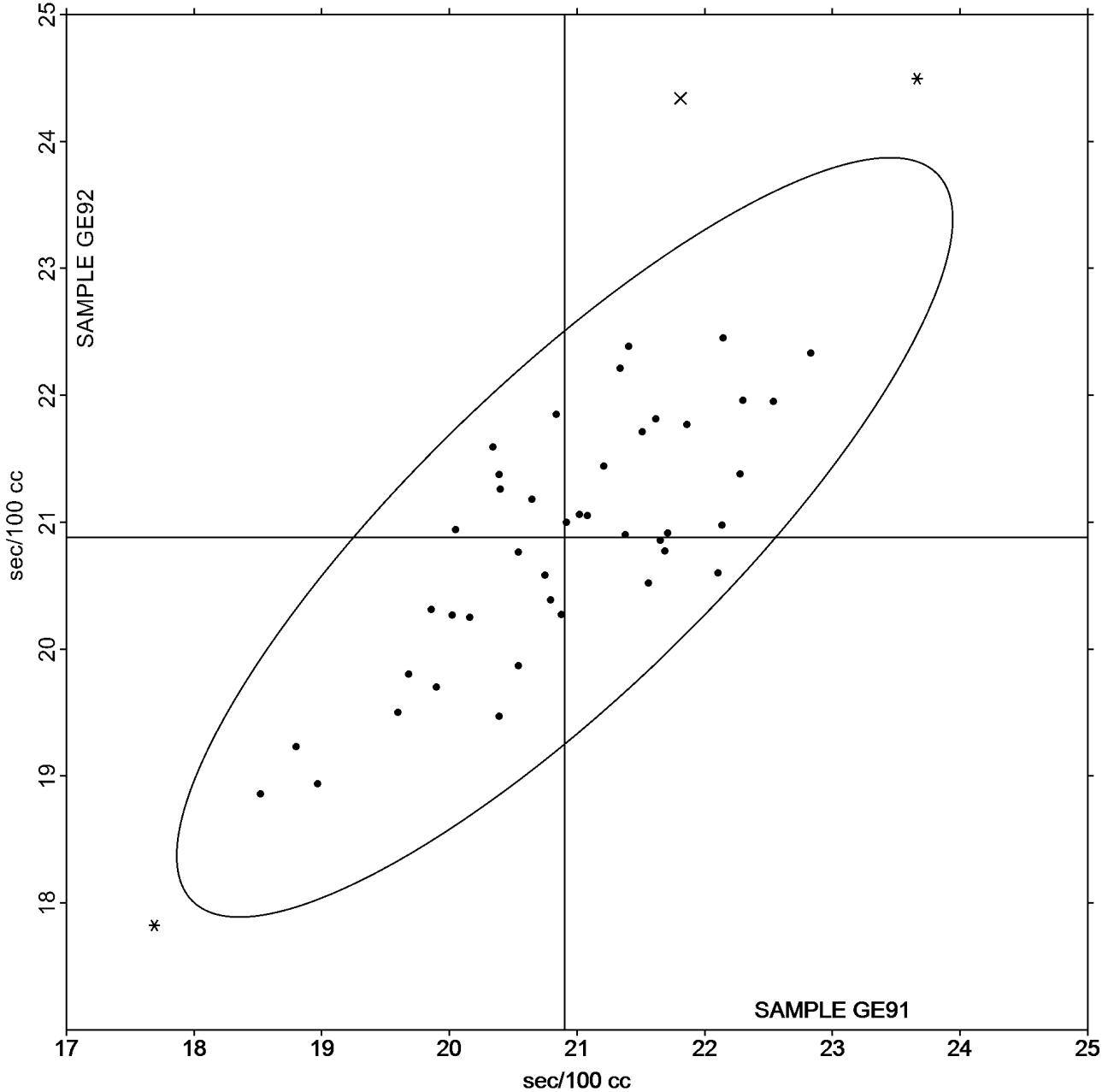
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**Analysis 370**  
**Air Resistance - Gurley Oil Type**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T460**

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Grand Mean Sample GE91 = 20.903  
sec/100 cc

Grand Mean Sample GE92 = 20.881  
sec/100 cc

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**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 372**  
**Porosity - Sheffield Type - Sheffield Units for 3/4 inch Diameter Orifice**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T547**

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GE91</u>			<u>Sample GE92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
76ZQ8M		244.2	104.4	1.86	253.6	109.8	1.87	PP
K9BHE3		74.6	-65.2	-1.16	76.2	-67.6	-1.15	LB
M3HWL8		121.2	-18.6	-0.33	125.4	-18.4	-0.31	GA
N4PG4F		133.1	-6.7	-0.12	136.0	-7.8	-0.13	SH
PPH7TX		128.8	-11.0	-0.20	134.6	-9.2	-0.16	HM
RYJCL4		137.0	-2.8	-0.05	136.9	-6.9	-0.12	LA

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GE91</u>	<u>Sample GE92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	139.82 Sheffield Units	143.78 Sheffield Units
<b>Stnd Dev Btwn Labs</b>	55.98 Sheffield Units	58.58 Sheffield Units
Statistics based on 6 of 6 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

GA	Gurley Precision #4340 Automatic Densometer	HM	Technidyne - Hagerty Model #538
LA	L & W Roughness Sheffield - Autoline	LB	L & W Air Permeance - Autoline
PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus	SH	Sheffield

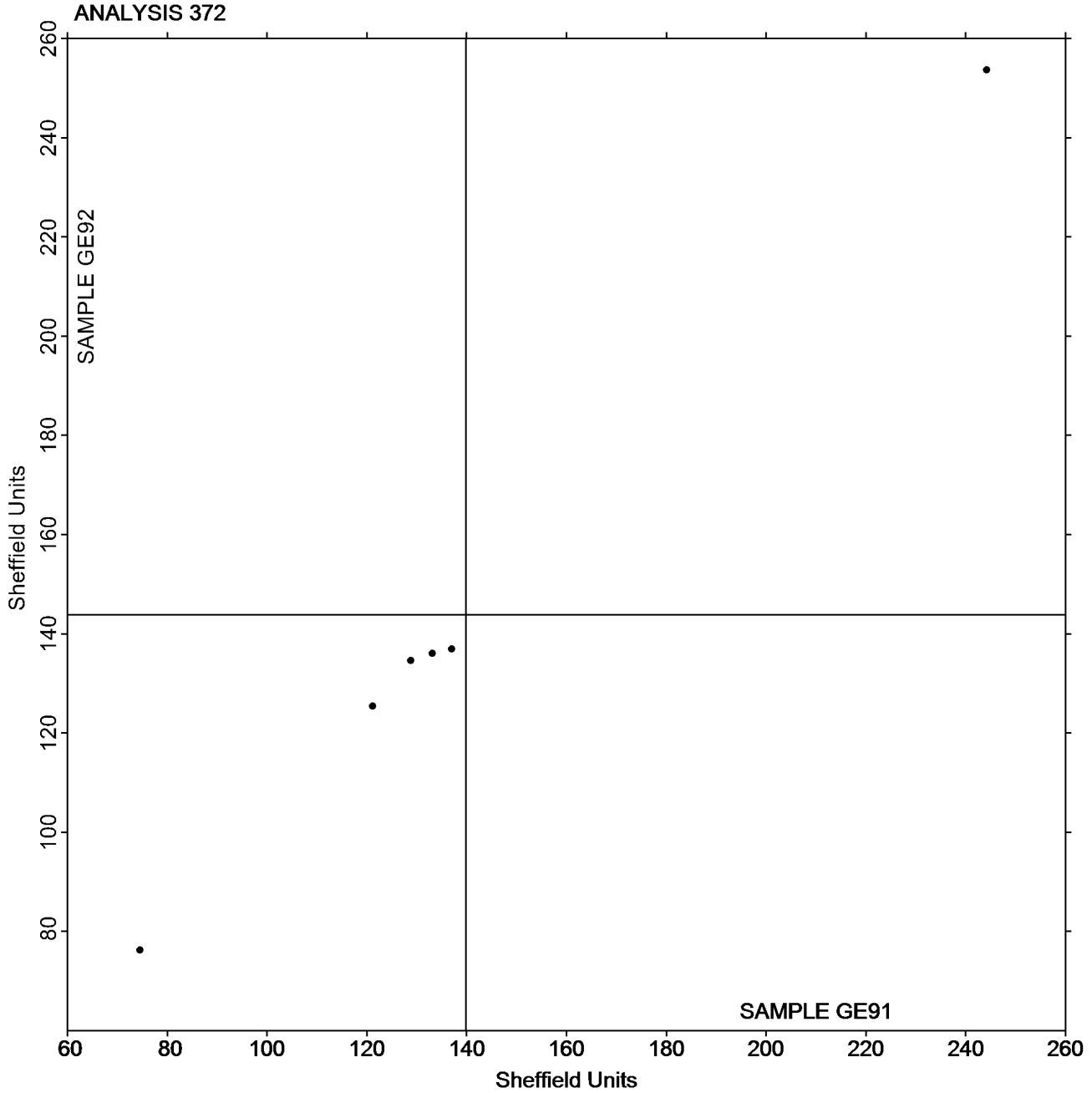


**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 372**  
**Porosity - Sheffield Type - Sheffield Units for 3/4 inch Diameter Orifice**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T547**

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Grand Mean Sample GE91 = 139.82  
Sheffield Units

Grand Mean Sample GE92 = 143.78  
Sheffield Units



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 376

### Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

#### TAPPI Official Test Method T555

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GJ91			Sample GJ92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
23AWHJ		0.8530	-0.1036	-0.88	0.8730	-0.0645	-0.74	ZZ
2NTNXF	X	0.9090	-0.0476	-0.40	1.1150	0.1775	2.02	ZZ
37LY6F		1.0490	0.0924	0.78	0.9380	0.0005	0.01	ZZ
49N9QG		0.9150	-0.0416	-0.35	0.8780	-0.0595	-0.68	ZZ
4ZXMJ	X	6.8360	5.8794	49.87	6.4410	5.5035	62.79	ZZ
6ZRQNE		0.9530	-0.0036	-0.03	0.9160	-0.0215	-0.25	ZZ
76ZQ8M		0.8980	-0.0586	-0.50	0.9540	0.0165	0.19	ZZ
7B83G3		0.9710	0.0144	0.12	0.9450	0.0075	0.09	ZZ
7GWG7A		0.8360	-0.1206	-1.02	0.8580	-0.0795	-0.91	ZZ
7QL9T2		0.8120	-0.1446	-1.23	0.7810	-0.1565	-1.79	ZZ
8KN4C3		1.0090	0.0524	0.44	0.9160	-0.0215	-0.25	ZZ
9746K8	X	3.7000	2.7434	23.27	3.7000	2.7625	31.52	ZZ
AKGXN4		0.9350	-0.0216	-0.18	0.9510	0.0135	0.15	ZZ
APUJYV		0.9030	-0.0536	-0.46	0.8720	-0.0655	-0.75	ZZ
CDTWKW		0.8820	-0.0746	-0.63	0.9180	-0.0195	-0.22	ZZ
DAR2J9		0.9430	-0.0136	-0.12	0.9090	-0.0285	-0.33	ZZ
DXBGYC		0.9140	-0.0426	-0.36	0.8670	-0.0705	-0.80	ZZ
E2QDW2		1.0860	0.1294	1.10	1.0650	0.1275	1.45	ZZ
KJQ8D9		0.8740	-0.0826	-0.70	0.8350	-0.1025	-1.17	ZZ
KN4WVW		0.9640	0.0074	0.06	0.9250	-0.0125	-0.14	ZZ
LK3BHJ		0.9740	0.0174	0.15	0.9640	0.0265	0.30	ZZ
LZWZEF		1.0110	0.0544	0.46	0.9980	0.0605	0.69	ZZ
PLJY4U	*	1.2620	0.3054	2.59	1.1010	0.1635	1.86	ZZ
PY6BHP	X	10.1000	9.1434	77.56	10.5000	9.5625	109.10	ZZ
RRHXZ2		0.8130	-0.1436	-1.22	0.8680	-0.0695	-0.79	ZZ
RVH9QA	*	1.2100	0.2534	2.15	1.1890	0.2515	2.87	ZZ
TWTD2D		0.9780	0.0214	0.18	0.9360	-0.0015	-0.02	ZZ
W37H8V	*	0.7270	-0.2296	-1.95	0.9150	-0.0225	-0.26	ZZ
X9N98V		1.1020	0.1454	1.23	1.0820	0.1445	1.65	ZZ
XJ7WXM		1.0870	0.1304	1.11	0.9970	0.0595	0.68	ZZ
YJKHAB		0.8870	-0.0696	-0.59	0.8600	-0.0775	-0.88	ZZ
ZTMHX3		0.9380	-0.0186	-0.16	0.9400	0.0025	0.03	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample GJ91	Sample GJ92
<b>Grand Means</b>	0.96 Microns	0.94 Microns
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.12 Microns	0.09 Microns
Statistics based on 28 of 32 reporting participants.		



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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## Analysis 376

Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

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### Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #376

9746K8 (X) - Extreme Data.

PY6BHP (X) - Extreme Data.

2NTNXF (X) - Inconsistent in testing between samples.

4ZXMKJ (X) - Extreme Data.

### Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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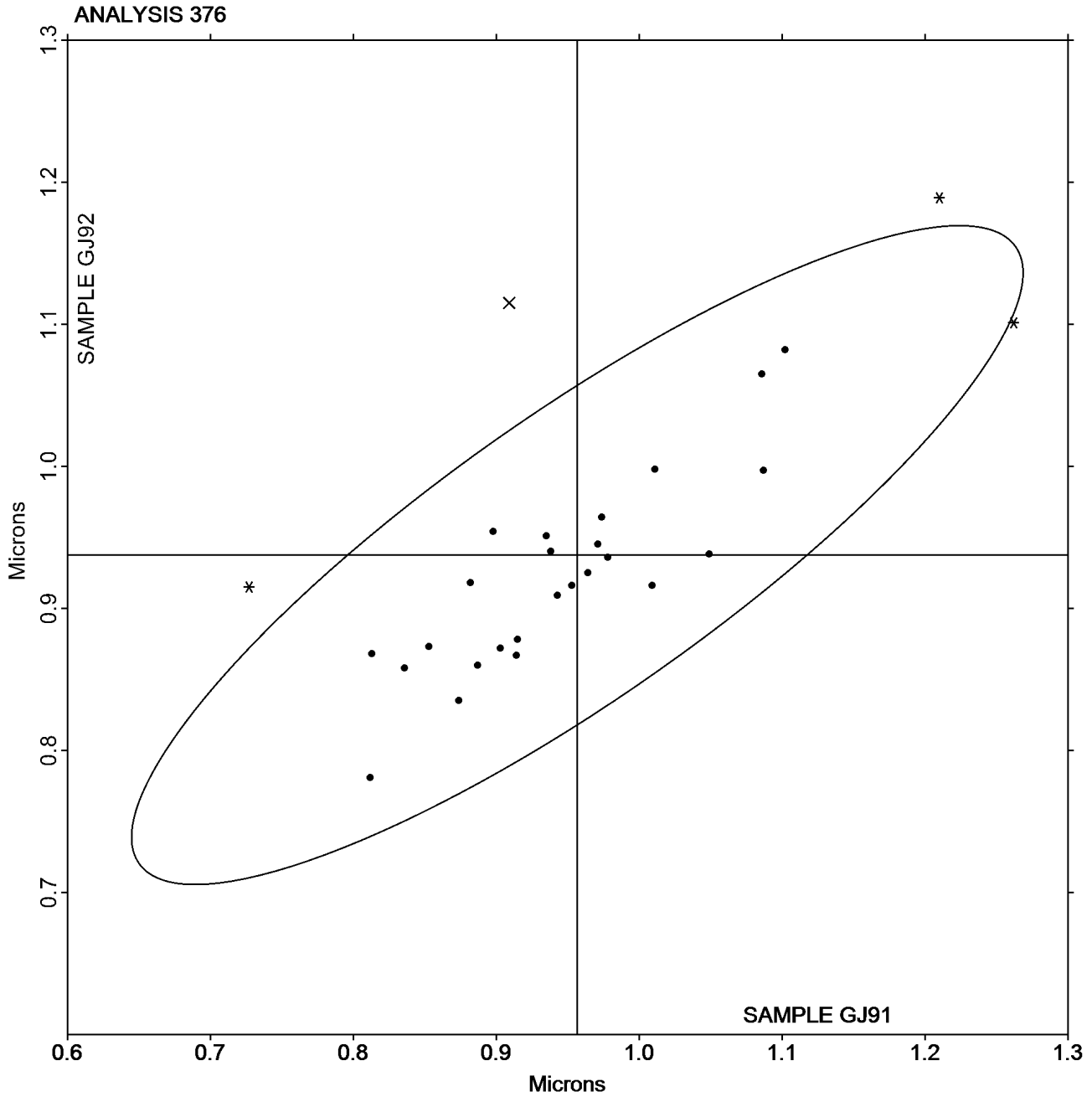
## Analysis 376

Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

Grand Mean Sample GJ91 = 0.95664  
Microns

Grand Mean Sample GJ92 =  
0.93754 Microns







**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 377**  
**Roughness - Print Surf Method - 2.5 to 6.0 Microns**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T555**

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GK91			Sample GK92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3AM6JL		5.850	0.059	0.29	6.038	0.291	1.17	ZZ
77B72N		6.097	0.306	1.52	6.040	0.293	1.18	ZZ
7QL9T2		5.513	-0.278	-1.38	5.668	-0.079	-0.32	ZZ
9748AB	X	15.315	9.524	47.20	14.619	8.872	35.70	ZZ
N6ZG72		5.837	0.046	0.23	5.769	0.022	0.09	ZZ
RRHXZ2		5.802	0.011	0.06	5.572	-0.175	-0.71	ZZ
V3P66R		5.910	0.119	0.59	5.352	-0.395	-1.59	ZZ
W37H8V		5.831	0.040	0.20	5.852	0.105	0.42	ZZ
YJKHAB		5.846	0.055	0.27	5.959	0.212	0.85	ZZ
YRFLD8		5.430	-0.361	-1.79	5.475	-0.272	-1.10	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample GK91	Sample GK92
<b>Grand Means</b>	5.79 Microns	5.75 Microns
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.20 Microns	0.25 Microns
Statistics based on 9 of 10 reporting participants.		

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #377**

9748AB (X) - Extreme Data.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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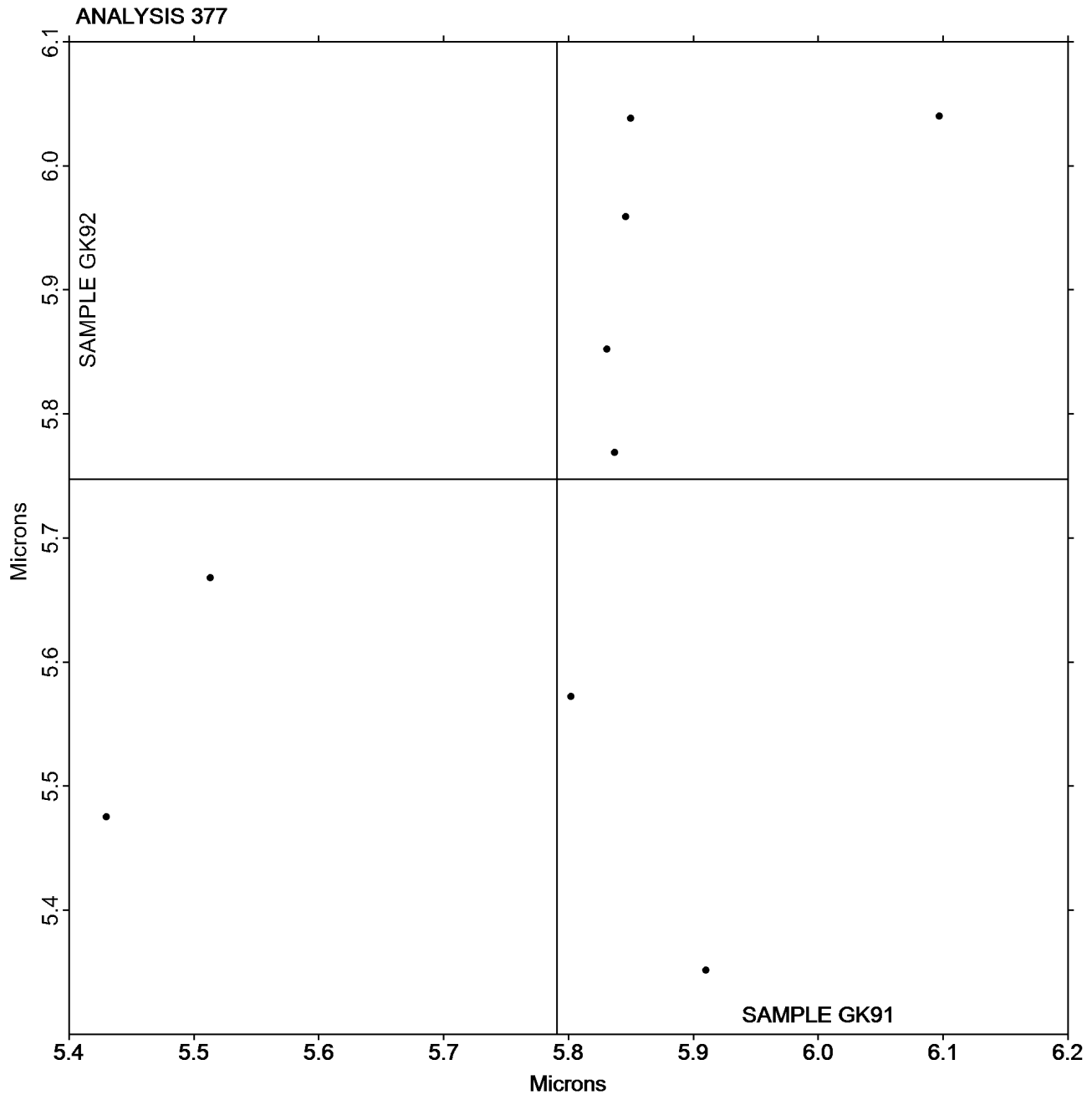
## Analysis 377

Roughness - Print Surf Method - 2.5 to 6.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

Grand Mean Sample GK91 = 5.7907  
Microns

Grand Mean Sample GK92 = 5.7472  
Microns



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 378

### Roughness - Sheffield Type

#### TAPPI Official Test Method T538

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GL91			Sample GL92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		113.6	-11.2	-0.81	115.2	-9.7	-0.71	PP
37LY6F		130.2	5.4	0.39	129.3	4.5	0.33	SS
3AM6JL		117.1	-7.7	-0.56	122.5	-2.3	-0.17	PP
3ECQ7E		102.9	-21.9	-1.59	101.6	-23.2	-1.70	XX
4ZGMLN		96.1	-28.7	-2.08	99.9	-24.9	-1.82	LA
6J3KJ7		123.5	-1.4	-0.10	123.8	-1.0	-0.07	MP
6KBU9H		122.7	-2.1	-0.16	119.0	-5.8	-0.43	LW
6VD9DN		128.5	3.6	0.26	126.7	1.9	0.14	GA
6ZRQNE		125.2	0.4	0.03	123.3	-1.5	-0.11	LW
76ZQ8M		117.2	-7.6	-0.55	116.6	-8.2	-0.60	VM
77B72N		119.3	-5.6	-0.40	119.8	-5.0	-0.36	PP
7B83G3		124.2	-0.6	-0.05	118.4	-6.4	-0.47	LA
7QL9T2		133.0	8.2	0.59	136.4	11.6	0.85	XX
8A6UN9		119.5	-5.3	-0.39	120.1	-4.7	-0.34	PP
9746K8	X	3.7	-121.2	-8.75	3.6	-121.3	-8.87	TT
9748AB		138.8	14.0	1.01	141.6	16.8	1.23	PP
AKGXN4		133.7	8.9	0.64	130.4	5.5	0.41	PP
APUJYV	*	135.2	10.4	0.75	123.5	-1.3	-0.10	PP
BL4WE8		129.2	4.4	0.31	127.9	3.1	0.23	PP
BZQ2VG		109.0	-15.9	-1.15	105.5	-19.3	-1.41	LA
CBMCVB		121.6	-3.2	-0.23	116.6	-8.2	-0.60	LA
CDTWKW		118.9	-6.0	-0.43	122.1	-2.7	-0.20	PP
D9G6CH		117.7	-7.1	-0.52	119.4	-5.4	-0.39	HM
DXBGYC		132.4	7.6	0.55	134.6	9.8	0.72	HM
E2QDW2		113.8	-11.0	-0.80	113.9	-10.9	-0.80	LW
E8ZA3V	*	163.6	38.8	2.80	164.4	39.6	2.90	TT
F94LZN	*	166.8	42.0	3.03	161.9	37.1	2.71	LW
FC4XVM		125.0	0.2	0.01	119.7	-5.1	-0.37	GA
FK2KTE		136.9	12.1	0.87	131.8	7.0	0.51	HM
H88TFN		136.0	11.2	0.81	142.0	17.2	1.26	SH
KJQ8D9		115.3	-9.5	-0.69	113.8	-11.0	-0.81	TS
KN4WVW		116.8	-8.1	-0.58	116.1	-8.7	-0.64	PP
LK3BHJ		130.3	5.5	0.40	137.0	12.1	0.89	PP
LKHPUZ		122.8	-2.0	-0.15	117.8	-7.0	-0.51	TS
LUP8JK		121.2	-3.6	-0.26	126.6	1.8	0.13	SH
M3HWL8		127.9	3.1	0.22	122.3	-2.5	-0.18	PP
N4PG4F		116.4	-8.4	-0.61	121.4	-3.4	-0.25	XX
N6ZG72		126.9	2.0	0.14	132.4	7.6	0.56	PP
N8QMHL		113.2	-11.6	-0.84	118.0	-6.8	-0.50	HM
NLKAMR		114.1	-10.8	-0.78	116.5	-8.3	-0.61	PP
PLJY4U		94.5	-30.3	-2.19	97.5	-27.3	-2.00	LA



**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 378**  
**Roughness - Sheffield Type**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T538**

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GL91			Sample GL92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
PY6BHP		120.7	-4.1	-0.30	112.2	-12.6	-0.92	HM
RRHXZ2		130.4	5.6	0.40	124.1	-0.7	-0.05	LA
RUA2MG		131.7	6.8	0.49	130.1	5.2	0.38	TT
RYJCL4		116.3	-8.5	-0.62	117.0	-7.8	-0.57	LA
TWTD2D		113.3	-11.6	-0.84	114.1	-10.7	-0.78	PP
UB776B	X	433.9	309.0	22.32	432.3	307.5	22.50	PP
UGBXFT		122.3	-2.6	-0.18	124.8	0.0	0.00	PP
UR7DWG		115.2	-9.7	-0.70	124.0	-0.8	-0.06	TS
V3P66R		131.6	6.8	0.49	134.6	9.8	0.72	LW
W37H8V		131.9	7.1	0.51	131.6	6.8	0.50	LW
XJ7WXM		132.7	7.9	0.57	132.9	8.1	0.59	PP
YJKHAB		129.5	4.7	0.34	128.0	3.2	0.23	LW
YRFLD8		123.8	-1.0	-0.08	126.5	1.7	0.12	LA
ZTMHX3	*	166.5	41.7	3.01	168.0	43.2	3.16	GL

Summary Statistics	Sample GL91	Sample GL92
<b>Grand Means</b>	124.85 Sheffield	124.82 Sheffield
<b>Std Dev Btw Labs</b>	13.84 Sheffield	13.67 Sheffield

Statistics based on 53 of 55 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #378**

- UB776B (X) - Extreme Data.
- 9746K8 (X) - Extreme Data.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

<b>GA</b> Gurley Precision #4340 Automatic Densometer	<b>GL</b> Giddings and Lewis Sheffield
<b>HM</b> Technidyne - Hagerty Model #538	<b>LA</b> L & W Roughness Sheffield - Autoline
<b>LW</b> L & W Roughness Tester	<b>MP</b> Metso Paperlab
<b>PP</b> Technidyne Profile/Plus	<b>SH</b> Sheffield (Bendix Precisionaire)
<b>SS</b> Sheffield Smoothchek Tester	<b>TS</b> TMI Monitor/Smoothness, Model 58-02
<b>TT</b> TMI Monitor/Smoothness II, Model 58-24	<b>VM</b> Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani\Robotest)
<b>XX</b> Instrument make/model not specified by lab	



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## Analysis 378

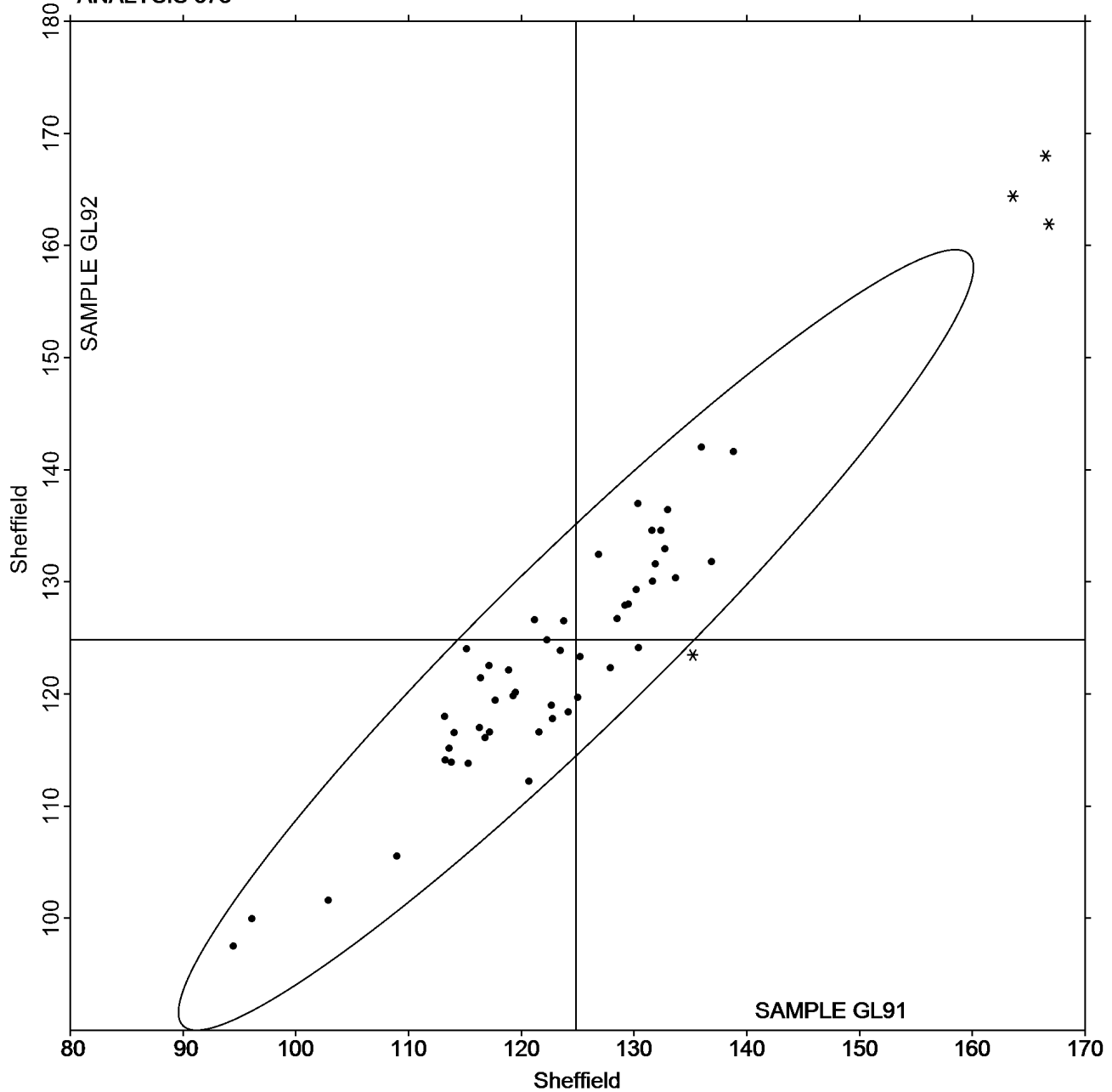
### Roughness - Sheffield Type

#### TAPPI Official Test Method T538

Grand Mean Sample GL91 = 124.85  
Sheffield

Grand Mean Sample GL92 = 124.82  
Sheffield

#### ANALYSIS 378





**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 382**  
**Moisture in Paper**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T412**

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GM91			Sample GM92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3AM6JL		4.518	0.399	0.68	4.613	0.602	0.96	ZZ
4KGPFH		4.420	0.300	0.52	4.420	0.409	0.65	ZZ
4ZRLHH		4.480	0.360	0.62	4.350	0.339	0.54	ZZ
747MUF		4.031	-0.089	-0.15	4.015	0.004	0.01	ZZ
76EXNX		2.770	-1.350	-2.32	2.860	-1.151	-1.83	ZZ
9746K8		4.890	0.770	1.32	5.330	1.319	2.10	ZZ
F94LZN		3.833	-0.287	-0.49	3.812	-0.199	-0.32	ZZ
LZWZEF		3.980	-0.139	-0.24	3.955	-0.056	-0.09	ZZ
MB7XWP		4.110	-0.010	-0.02	4.070	0.059	0.09	ZZ
PPH7TX		4.916	0.796	1.37	3.799	-0.212	-0.34	ZZ
V83ULF		4.090	-0.030	-0.05	4.116	0.105	0.17	ZZ
VLGX7P		3.390	-0.730	-1.25	3.100	-0.911	-1.45	ZZ
XCK4LN		4.126	0.007	0.01	3.703	-0.308	-0.49	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample GM91	Sample GM92
<b>Grand Means</b>	4.12 Percent	4.01 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.58 Percent	0.63 Percent

Statistics based on 13 of 13 reporting participants.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

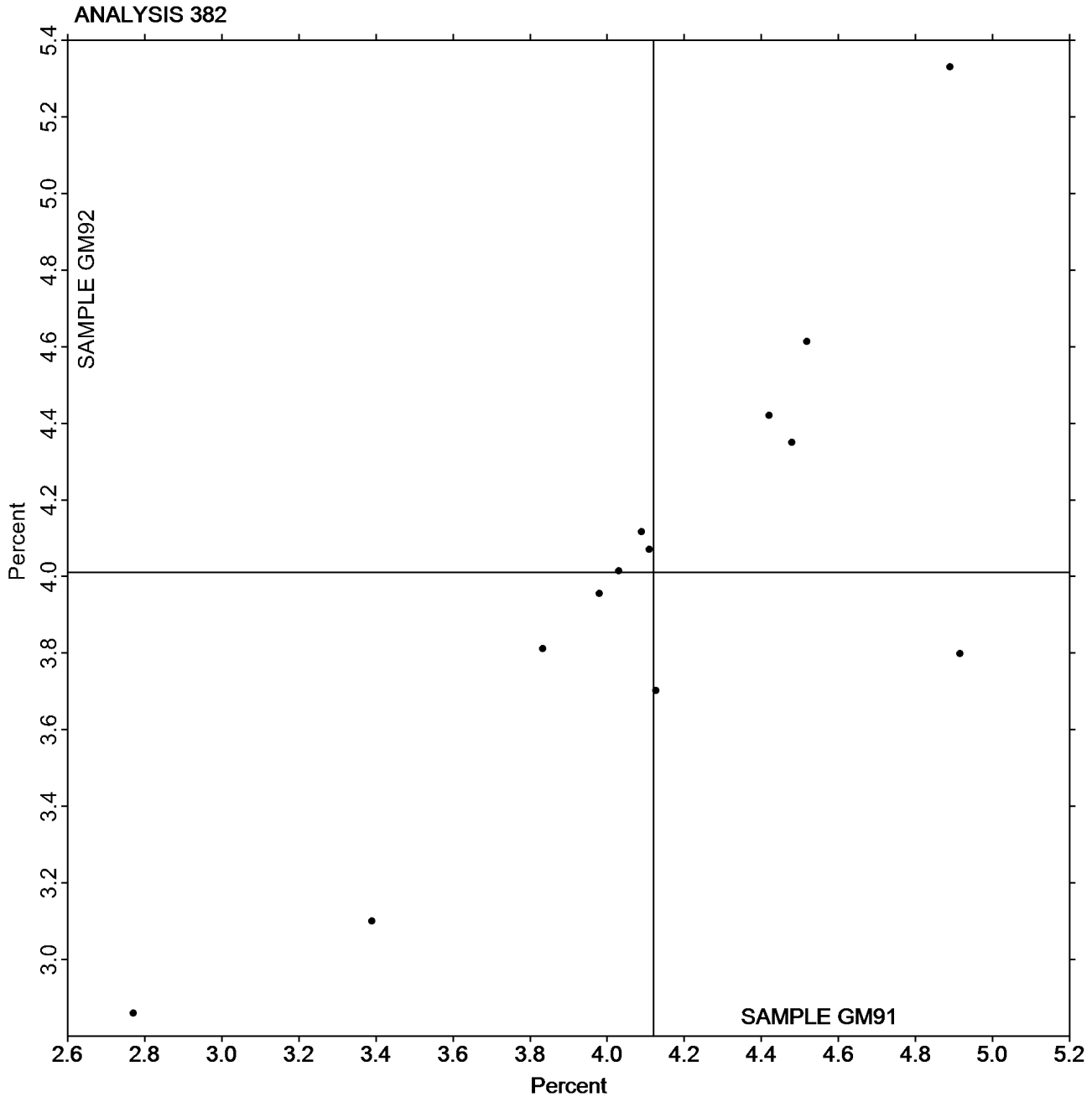
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## Analysis 382 Moisture in Paper

### TAPPI Official Test Method T412

Grand Mean Sample GM91 = 4.1196  
Percent

Grand Mean Sample GM92 = 4.0110  
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 384**  
**Opacity (89% Reflectance Backing) - Fine Papers**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T425**

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GN91			Sample GN92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		93.59	-0.12	-0.34	93.56	-0.10	-0.25	ZZ
37LY6F		93.52	-0.19	-0.55	93.55	-0.11	-0.27	ZZ
3AM6JL		93.64	-0.07	-0.21	93.83	0.17	0.44	ZZ
49N9QG	*	92.69	-1.02	-2.97	92.36	-1.30	-3.32	ZZ
77B72N		93.56	-0.15	-0.43	93.79	0.13	0.34	ZZ
7GWG7A		93.76	0.05	0.15	94.07	0.41	1.06	ZZ
8KN4C3		94.05	0.34	1.00	93.92	0.27	0.68	ZZ
9748AB		93.65	-0.06	-0.16	93.58	-0.08	-0.20	ZZ
BL4WE8		93.66	-0.05	-0.14	93.28	-0.38	-0.97	ZZ
BZQ2VG		94.06	0.35	1.03	94.14	0.48	1.23	ZZ
DAR2J9		93.79	0.08	0.24	93.83	0.17	0.44	ZZ
DXBGYC		94.01	0.30	0.88	93.73	0.07	0.19	ZZ
KN4WVW		93.66	-0.05	-0.14	93.77	0.11	0.28	ZZ
LKHPUZ		93.32	-0.39	-1.13	93.30	-0.36	-0.91	ZZ
LUP8JK		93.80	0.09	0.27	93.65	-0.01	-0.02	ZZ
M3HWL8		93.54	-0.17	-0.49	93.58	-0.08	-0.20	ZZ
N4PG4F		93.82	0.11	0.33	93.94	0.28	0.72	ZZ
N6ZG72		93.59	-0.12	-0.34	93.47	-0.19	-0.48	ZZ
N8QMHL		93.35	-0.36	-1.04	93.66	0.00	0.01	ZZ
PY6BHP		93.61	-0.10	-0.28	93.44	-0.22	-0.55	ZZ
QZT26F		93.77	0.06	0.18	93.30	-0.36	-0.91	ZZ
RYJCL4		93.33	-0.38	-1.10	93.55	-0.11	-0.27	ZZ
UE4LFJ		93.89	0.18	0.53	93.68	0.02	0.06	ZZ
UGBXFT		93.87	0.16	0.46	93.74	0.09	0.22	ZZ
UR7DWG		93.81	0.10	0.30	93.58	-0.07	-0.19	ZZ
YHTFMV		94.15	0.44	1.29	93.73	0.07	0.19	ZZ
YRFLD8	*	94.62	0.91	2.67	94.71	1.05	2.68	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample GN91	Sample GN92
<b>Grand Means</b>	93.71 Percent	93.66 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.34 Percent	0.39 Percent

Statistics based on 27 of 27 reporting participants.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked





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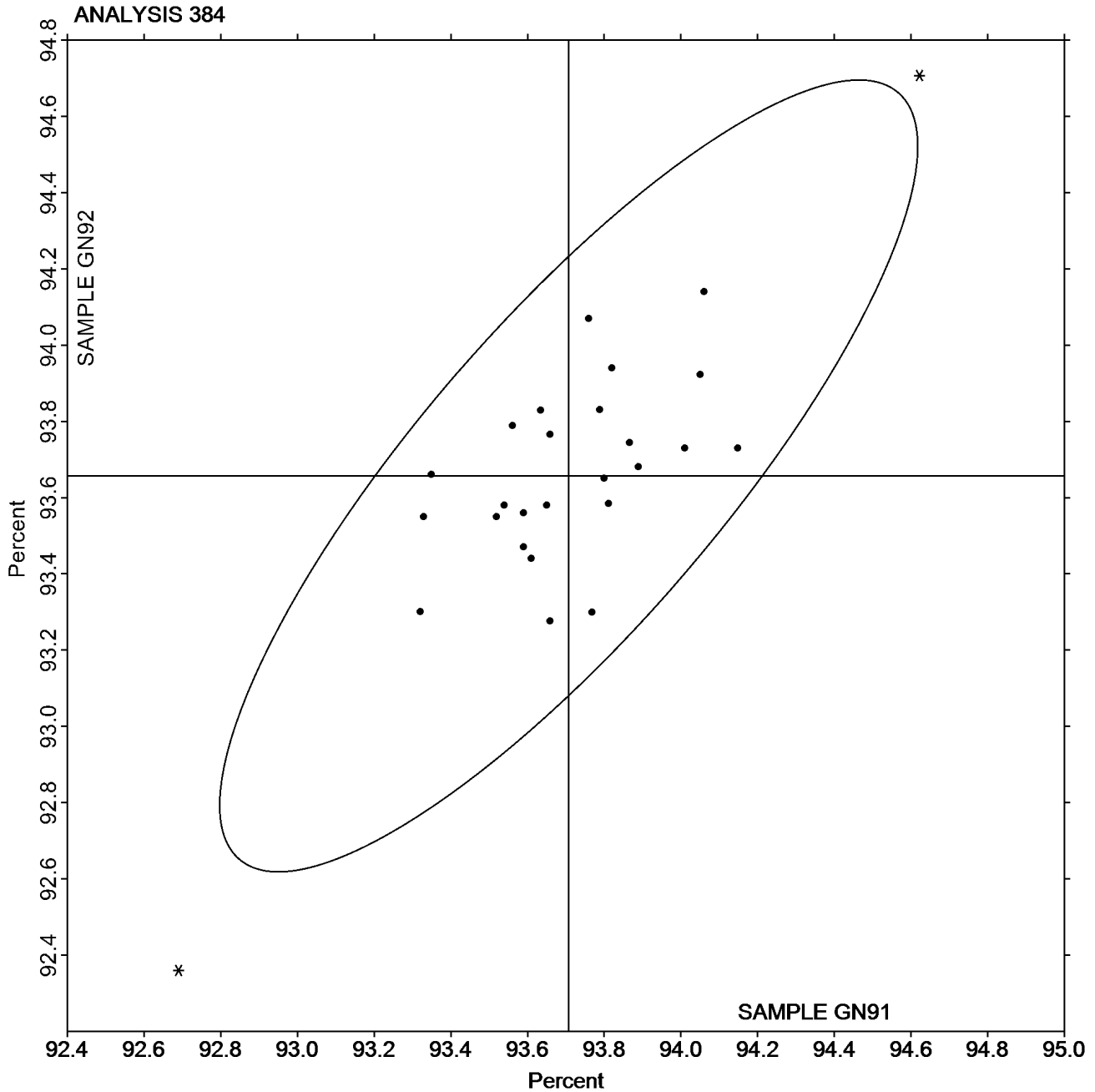
## Analysis 384

Opacity (89% Reflectance Backing) - Fine Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T425

Grand Mean Sample GN91 = 93.707  
Percent

Grand Mean Sample GN92 = 93.657  
Percent





**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 386**  
**Opacity (Paper Backing) - Fine Papers and Newsprint**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T519**

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**June 2021**

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GP91</u>			<u>Sample GP92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3J9DZ3		97.11	0.08	0.87	92.35	0.02	0.11	ZZ
F94LZN		97.07	0.04	0.41	92.47	0.14	0.67	ZZ
K9BHE3		97.10	0.07	0.80	92.35	0.03	0.13	ZZ
KFNFZ2		96.92	-0.12	-1.32	92.54	0.21	1.01	ZZ
N6YJW7		96.95	-0.08	-0.97	91.85	-0.47	-2.27	ZZ
PLJUXX		97.12	0.09	1.03	92.29	-0.03	-0.17	ZZ
RJ2N7D		96.93	-0.11	-1.23	92.31	-0.01	-0.06	ZZ
RVH9QA		97.07	0.04	0.41	92.44	0.12	0.56	ZZ

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GP91</u>	<u>Sample GP92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	97.03 Percent	92.33 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.09 Percent	0.21 Percent
Statistics based on 8 of 8 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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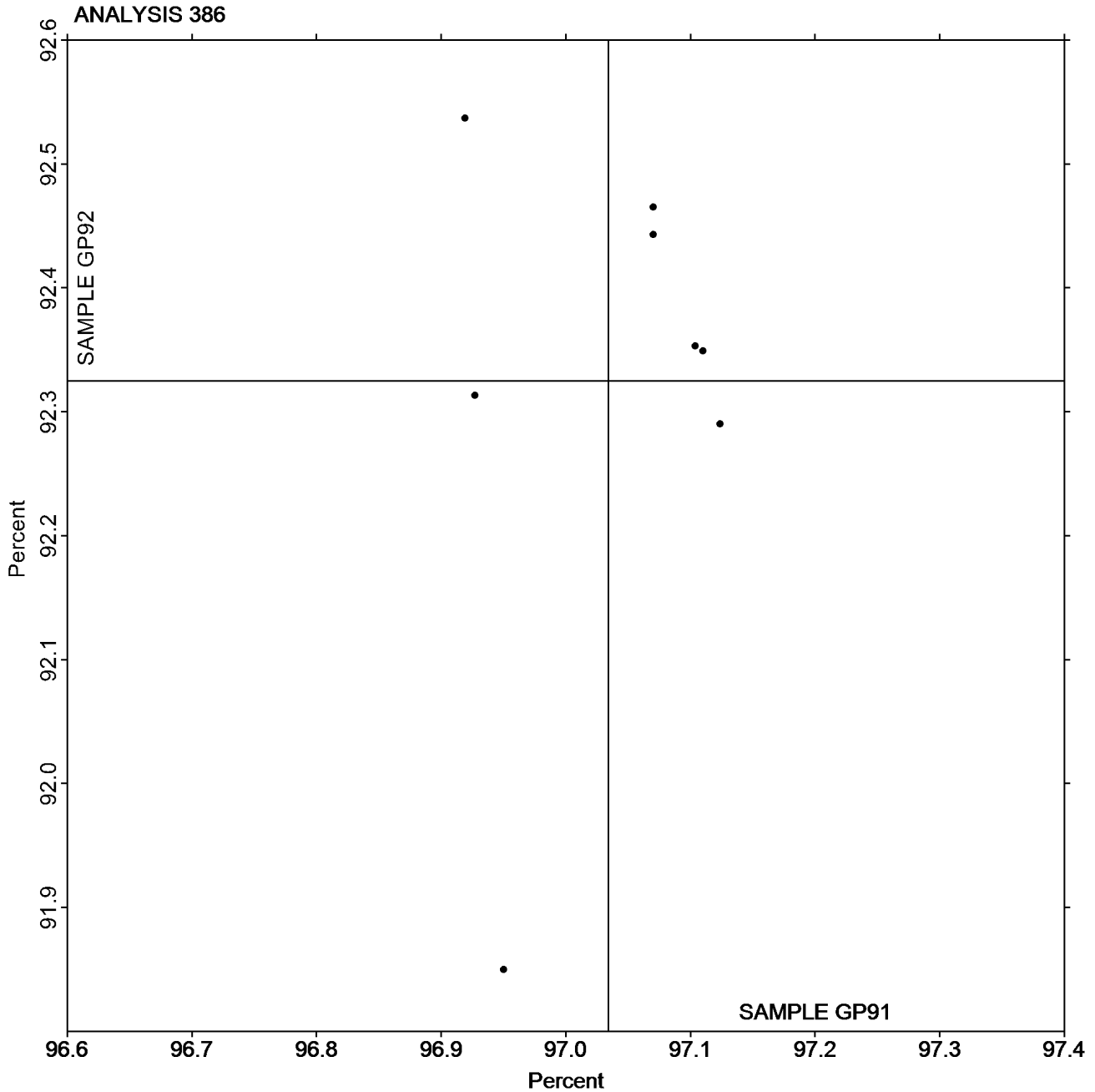
## Analysis 386

Opacity (Paper Backing) - Fine Papers and Newsprint

TAPPI Official Test Method T519

Grand Mean Sample GP91 = 97.034  
Percent

Grand Mean Sample GP92 = 92.325  
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 390**  
**Directional Brightness**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

Report #3122G,  
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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GR91			Sample GR92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		83.20	-0.68	-0.57	82.45	-0.70	-0.62	TT
3ECQ7E	X	71.59	-12.29	-10.34	69.76	-13.39	-11.92	XX
49N9QG		82.86	-1.02	-0.86	82.14	-1.00	-0.89	TS
6ZRQNE	X	86.45	2.57	2.16	86.89	3.74	3.33	HZ
7GWG7A		85.47	1.59	1.34	84.79	1.64	1.46	TP
AKGXN4		85.24	1.36	1.14	84.69	1.54	1.37	TS
APUJYV		84.70	0.82	0.69	84.01	0.86	0.76	HG
CDTWKW		83.31	-0.57	-0.48	82.70	-0.45	-0.40	TT
DXBGYC		82.87	-1.01	-0.85	81.90	-1.25	-1.11	TS
H49C3U		85.26	1.38	1.16	84.25	1.11	0.98	TS
KN4WVW		82.83	-1.05	-0.89	82.13	-1.02	-0.91	PP
LK3BHJ		84.02	0.14	0.12	83.34	0.19	0.17	HG
M3HWL8		83.86	-0.02	-0.02	83.10	-0.05	-0.05	XC
N4PG4F		86.00	2.12	1.78	85.03	1.88	1.68	PE
TWTD2D		85.16	1.28	1.08	84.31	1.16	1.04	TT
UGBXFT		82.89	-0.99	-0.84	82.38	-0.77	-0.69	TP
UR7DWG		82.39	-1.49	-1.26	81.59	-1.56	-1.39	TS
W37H8V		83.43	-0.45	-0.38	82.65	-0.50	-0.44	TT
YJKHAB		84.70	0.82	0.69	83.93	0.78	0.70	HG
YRFLD8		83.70	-0.18	-0.15	82.85	-0.30	-0.27	TS
ZTMHX3	*	81.83	-2.05	-1.73	81.58	-1.57	-1.40	TS

Summary Statistics	Sample GR91	Sample GR92
<b>Grand Means</b>	83.88 Percent	83.15 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	1.19 Percent	1.12 Percent
Statistics based on 19 of 21 reporting participants.		

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #390**

- 3ECQ7E (X) - Extreme Data.
- 6ZRQNE (X) - Data for sample GR92 are high.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

<b>HG</b> Hunter Labscan / XE	<b>HZ</b> Hunter Lab ColorFlex EZ Series
<b>PE</b> Photovolt 577	<b>PP</b> Technidyne Profile/Plus
<b>TP</b> Technidyne Test/Plus	<b>TS</b> Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5
<b>TT</b> Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S4-M	<b>XC</b> X-Rite Color i5
<b>XX</b> Instrument make/model not specified by lab	

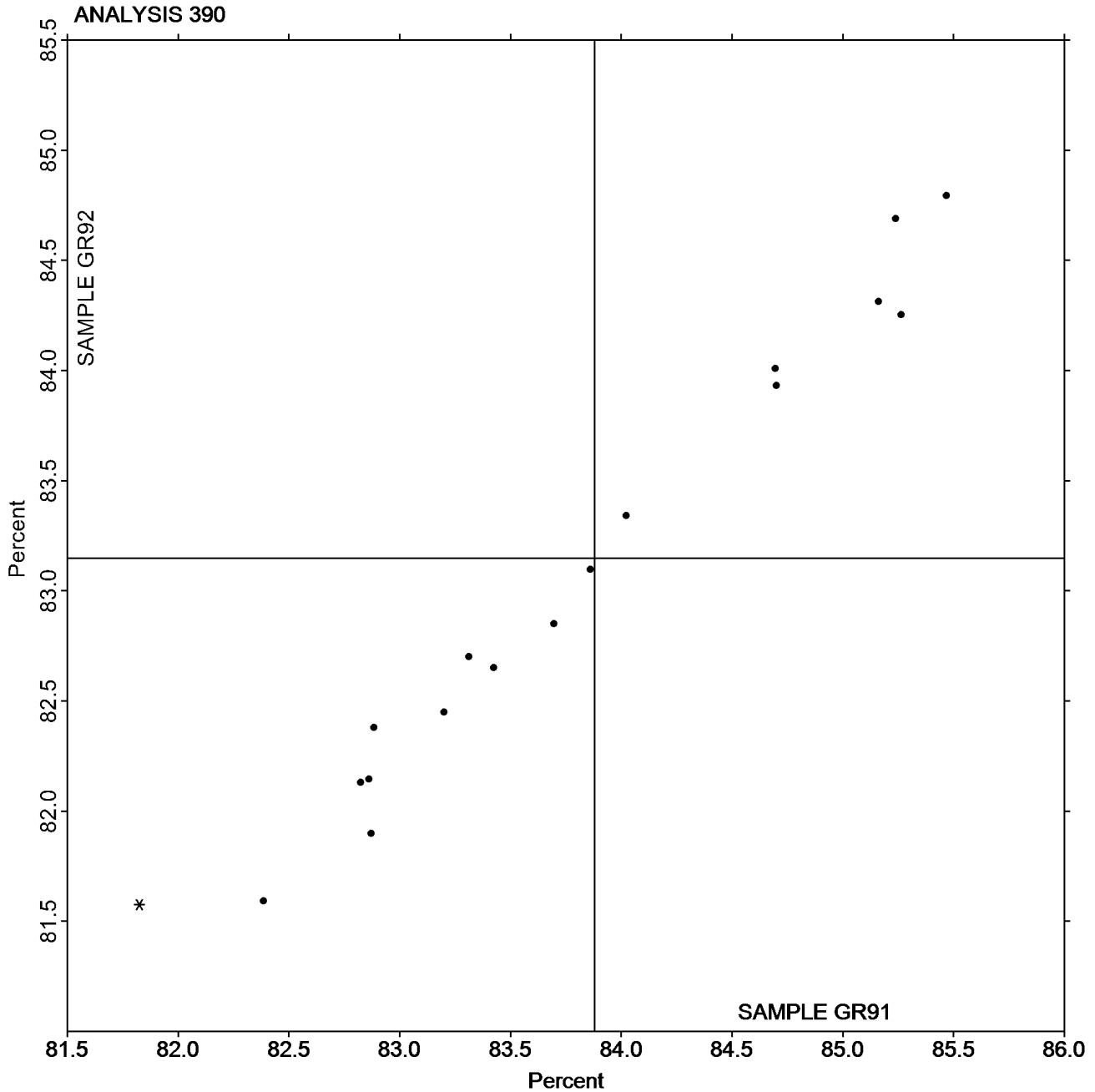


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**Analysis 390**  
**Directional Brightness**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

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**June 2021**

**Grand Mean Sample GR91 = 83.879**  
**Percent**

**Grand Mean Sample GR92 = 83.148**  
**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 391**  
**Directional Brightness of Fluorescent Samples**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GZ91</u>			<u>Sample GZ92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
32AZPF	*	106.33	10.44	3.08	109.50	10.23	3.16	LE
3AM6JL		95.84	-0.05	-0.01	99.16	-0.10	-0.03	TS
8KN4C3		96.03	0.14	0.04	99.39	0.13	0.04	TS
9748AB		96.48	0.59	0.17	99.72	0.45	0.14	TT
BL4WE8		94.90	-0.99	-0.29	98.82	-0.45	-0.14	PP
BZQ2VG		95.74	-0.15	-0.04	99.02	-0.25	-0.08	TT
DAR2J9		95.54	-0.35	-0.10	98.78	-0.49	-0.15	PP
LKHPUZ		95.18	-0.71	-0.21	98.12	-1.15	-0.35	TS
N6ZG72		95.44	-0.45	-0.13	98.62	-0.65	-0.20	TS
PY6BHP		90.62	-5.27	-1.55	94.36	-4.91	-1.51	TT
UE4LFJ		95.02	-0.87	-0.26	98.40	-0.87	-0.27	TT
UGBXFT		95.52	-0.36	-0.11	98.81	-0.46	-0.14	PP
UR7DWG		92.90	-2.99	-0.88	97.28	-1.99	-0.61	TS
YHTFMV		96.88	0.99	0.29	99.78	0.51	0.16	TS

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GZ91</u>	<u>Sample GZ92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	95.89 Percent	99.27 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	3.39 Percent	3.24 Percent
Statistics based on 14 of 14 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

LE	L & W Elrepho	PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus
TS	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5	TT	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S4-M

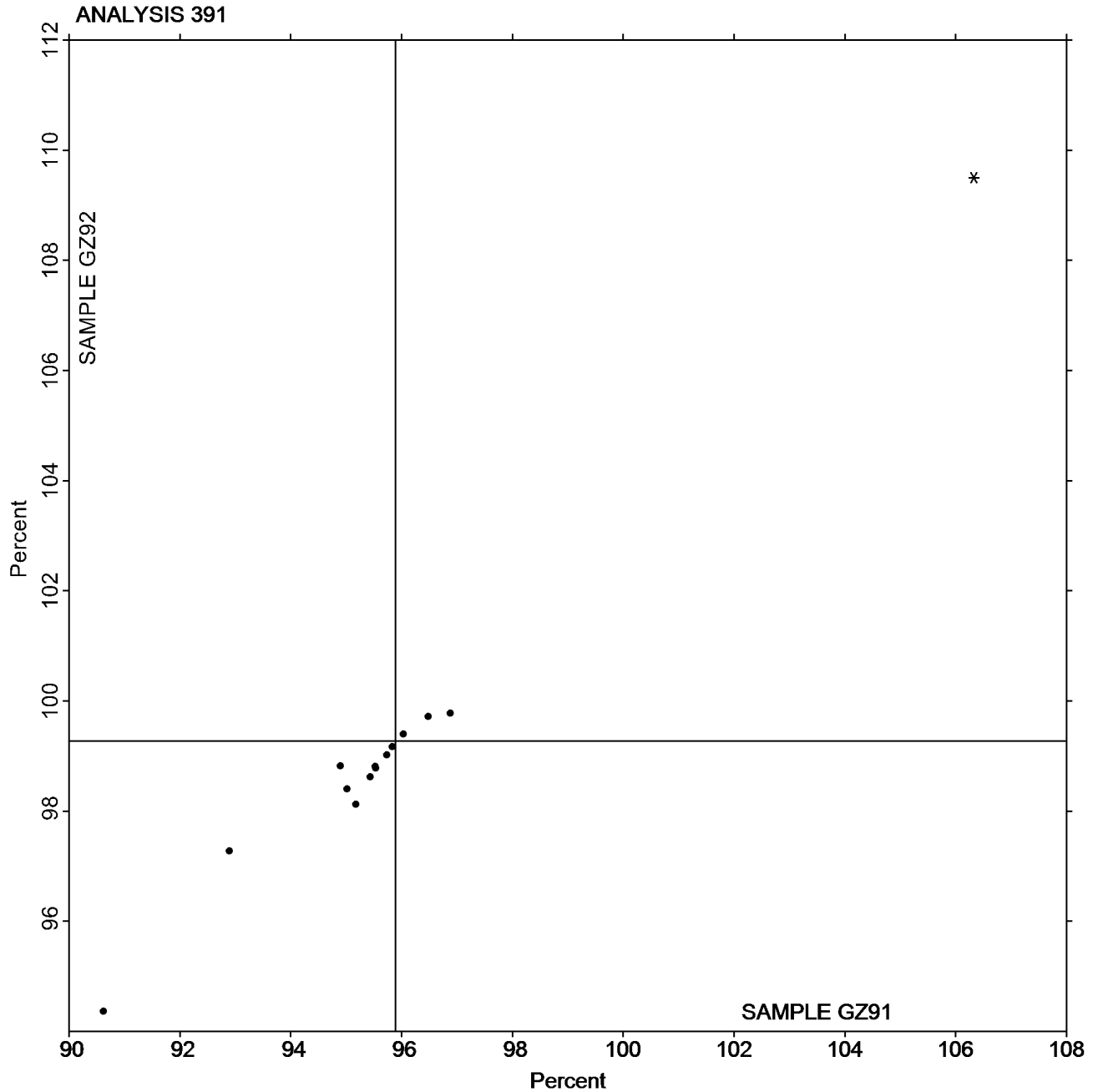


**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 391**  
**Directional Brightness of Fluorescent Samples**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

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**Grand Mean Sample GZ91 = 95.886**  
**Percent**

**Grand Mean Sample GZ92 = 99.269**  
**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 392**  
**Diffuse Brightness**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T525**

Report #3122G,  
June 2021

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GR91			Sample GR92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
23AWHJ		83.73	0.35	0.94	82.80	0.14	0.50	TC
37LY6F		82.86	-0.52	-1.41	82.60	-0.06	-0.19	TC
3J9DZ3		83.69	0.31	0.84	82.73	0.07	0.24	LE
3UD32D		83.35	-0.03	-0.08	82.57	-0.09	-0.30	XX
9746K8		82.89	-0.49	-1.33	82.26	-0.39	-1.36	LE
9QAHGZ		83.44	0.06	0.15	82.61	-0.05	-0.16	LE
AKGXN4		83.53	0.15	0.41	82.70	0.04	0.15	TC
AX8MRF		83.37	-0.01	-0.02	82.52	-0.14	-0.49	TC
CDTWKW		83.20	-0.19	-0.50	82.70	0.04	0.14	LT
DXBGYC		83.25	-0.13	-0.34	82.39	-0.27	-0.94	LT
F3JJYC		82.83	-0.55	-1.48	82.51	-0.15	-0.50	TC
F94LZN		83.23	-0.15	-0.42	82.45	-0.21	-0.72	LE
K9BHE3		83.47	0.08	0.22	82.53	-0.13	-0.46	TC
N6YJW7	*	84.26	0.88	2.37	83.60	0.94	3.24	TM
NLKAMR		83.85	0.47	1.26	82.81	0.15	0.53	TC
Q8FUEU	X	85.35	1.97	5.30	84.23	1.57	5.39	PE
RJ2N7D		83.47	0.09	0.25	82.60	-0.06	-0.22	LA
RVH9QA		83.74	0.36	0.98	83.15	0.49	1.68	AC
TWTD2D		83.76	0.38	1.03	82.84	0.18	0.62	TL
W37H8V		82.89	-0.50	-1.33	82.13	-0.53	-1.82	EG
X9N98V		82.86	-0.52	-1.41	82.58	-0.08	-0.28	TC
X9P7HQ		83.13	-0.26	-0.69	82.74	0.08	0.27	TL
YJKHAB		83.51	0.13	0.34	82.72	0.06	0.21	TC
YRFLD8		83.46	0.08	0.22	82.61	-0.05	-0.17	TC

Summary Statistics	Sample GR91	Sample GR92
<b>Grand Means</b>	83.38 Percent	82.66 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.37 Percent	0.29 Percent

Statistics based on 23 of 24 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #392**

Q8FUEU (X) - Data for both samples are high. Inconsistent within the determinations of both samples.

**Analysis Notes:**

3UD32D - One determination removed from the Lab Mean of Sample GR91 per Grubb's Test at 1% risk (TAPPI 1205).





**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

AC	ACS Spectro-Sensor II	EG	Datacolor Elrepho 450X
LA	L & W Elrepho - Autoline	LE	L & W Elrepho
LT	L & W Elrepho SE 071	PE	Photovolt 577
TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series	TL	Technidyne Technibrite TB-1
TM	Technidyne Technibrite Micro TB-1C	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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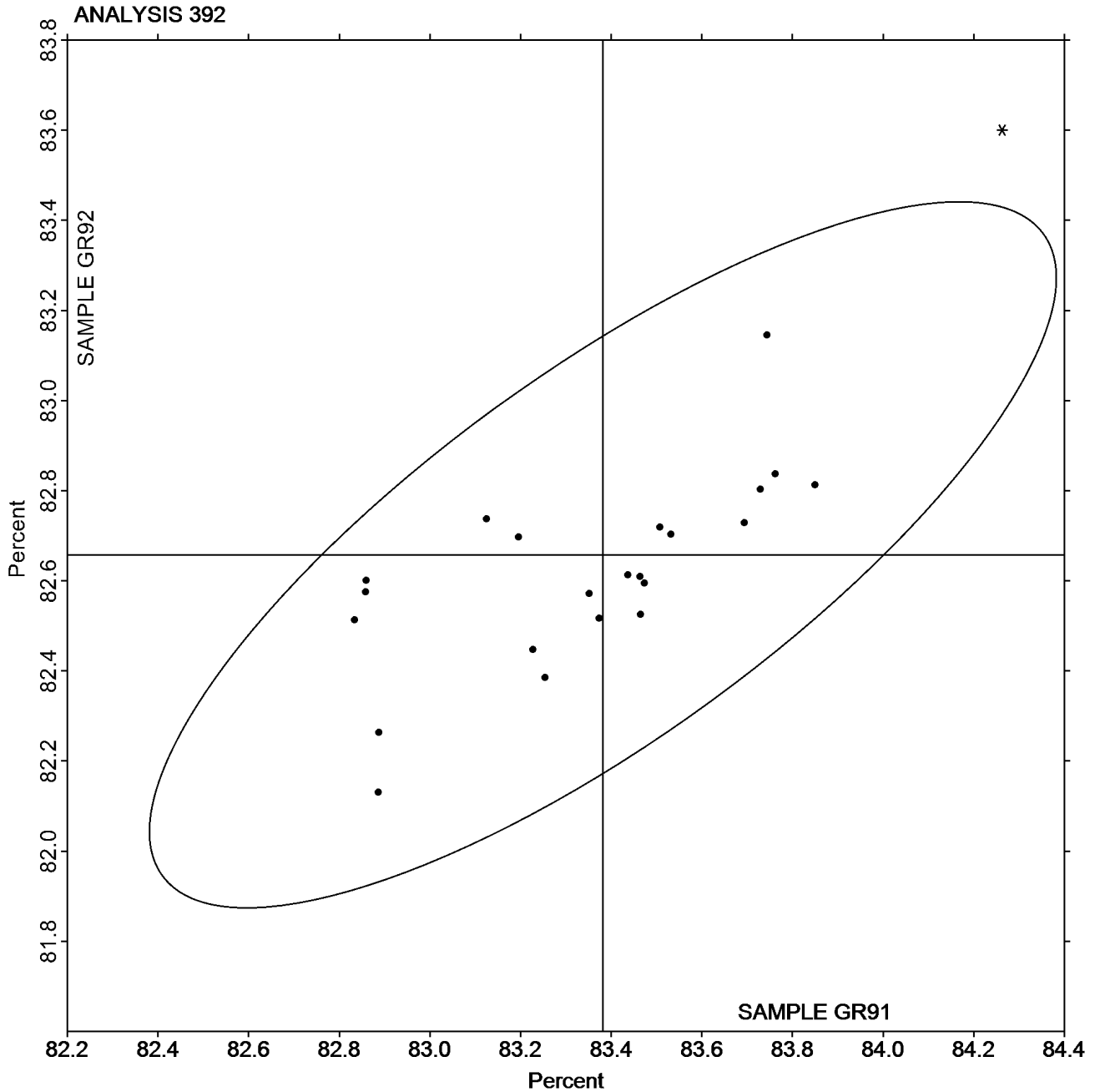
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## Analysis 392 Diffuse Brightness

### TAPPI Official Test Method T525

Grand Mean Sample GR91 = 83.382  
Percent

Grand Mean Sample GR92 = 82.658  
Percent





**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 394**  
**Fluorescent Component of Directional Brightness**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

Report #3122G,  
June 2021

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GZ91			Sample GZ92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
32AZPF	X	106.752	99.058	159.76	109.778	101.197	198.08	LE
3AM6JL		7.850	0.156	0.25	8.810	0.229	0.45	TS
8KN4C3		7.322	-0.372	-0.60	8.190	-0.391	-0.77	TS
9748AB		8.920	1.226	1.98	9.560	0.979	1.92	TT
BL4WE8		7.940	0.246	0.40	8.640	0.059	0.12	PP
BZQ2VG		7.540	-0.154	-0.25	8.580	-0.001	0.00	TT
DAR2J9		7.694	0.000	0.00	8.556	-0.025	-0.05	PP
N6ZG72		7.586	-0.108	-0.17	8.492	-0.089	-0.17	TS
PY6BHP		7.480	-0.214	-0.35	8.140	-0.441	-0.86	TT
UR7DWG		6.484	-1.210	-1.95	7.740	-0.841	-1.65	TS
YHTFMV		8.128	0.434	0.70	9.102	0.521	1.02	TS

Summary Statistics	Sample GZ91	Sample GZ92
<b>Grand Means</b>	7.69 Percent	8.58 Percent
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	0.62 Percent	0.51 Percent

Statistics based on 10 of 11 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #394**

32AZPF (X) - Extreme Data.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

LE	L & W Elrepho	PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus
TS	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5	TT	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S4-M

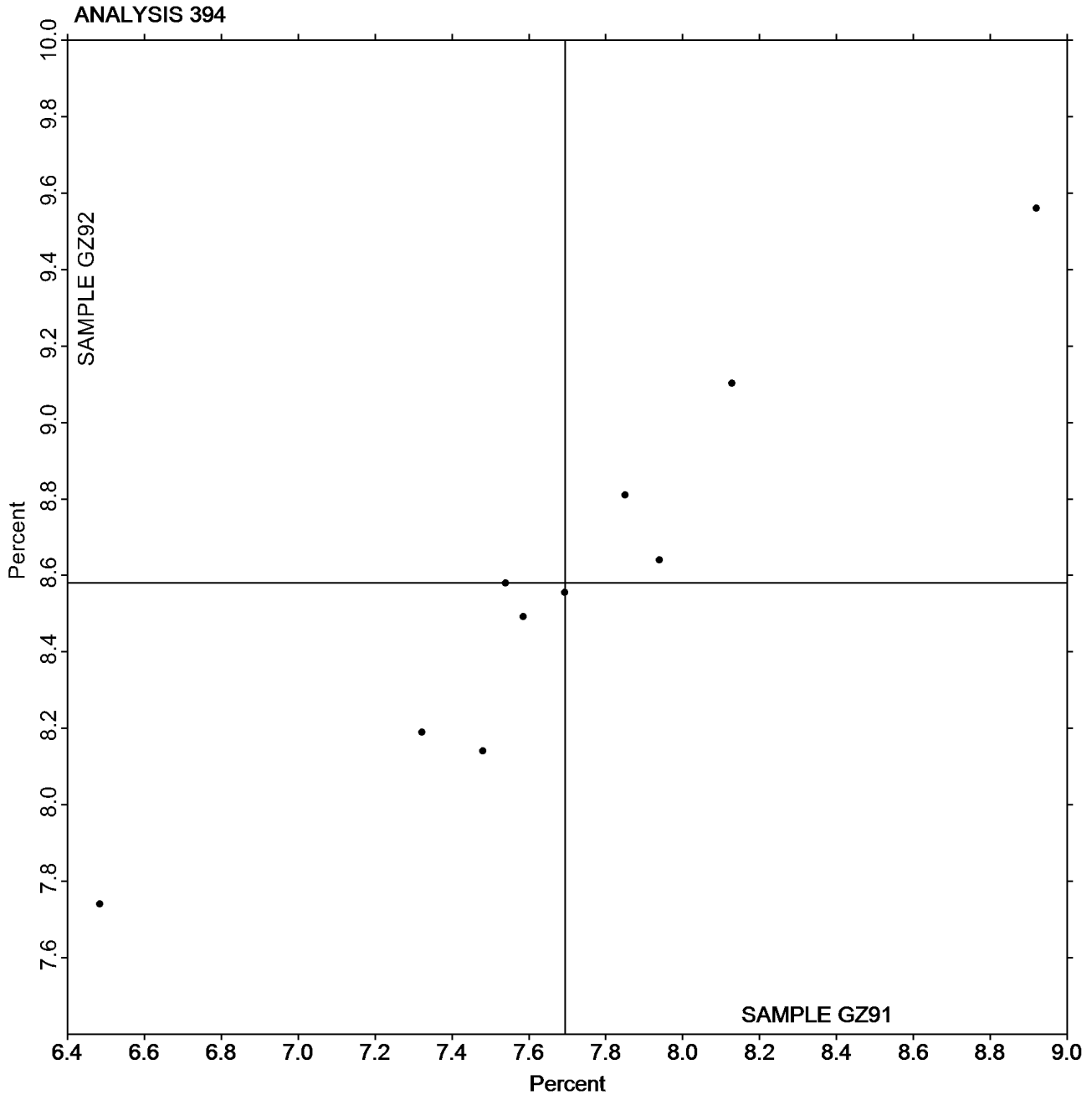


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**Analysis 394**  
**Fluorescent Component of Directional Brightness**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T452**

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**Grand Mean Sample GZ91 = 7.6944**  
**Percent**

**Grand Mean Sample GZ92 = 8.5810**  
**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 395**  
**Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - High Range**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T480**

Report #3122G,  
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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GT91			Sample GT92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
49N9QG		60.92	-2.55	-0.87	65.61	1.41	0.38	LA
76ZQ8M		62.99	-0.48	-0.16	64.19	-0.01	0.00	VM
7B83G3		65.22	1.75	0.60	63.30	-0.90	-0.24	LF
7GWG7A		65.83	2.36	0.81	68.36	4.16	1.13	TH
8KN4C3		65.61	2.14	0.73	67.65	3.45	0.94	LF
APUJYV		61.08	-2.39	-0.82	61.44	-2.76	-0.75	PP
CDTWKW		59.80	-3.67	-1.26	60.72	-3.48	-0.95	GA
DAR2J9		66.19	2.72	0.93	67.98	3.78	1.03	PP
KJQ8D9		60.07	-3.40	-1.16	60.62	-3.58	-0.97	XX
LK3BHJ		60.44	-3.03	-1.04	58.27	-5.93	-1.61	PP
PY6BHP		59.57	-3.90	-1.33	59.49	-4.71	-1.28	PP
RRHXZ2		66.38	2.91	1.00	64.10	-0.10	-0.03	LA
RVH9QA		65.11	1.64	0.56	62.83	-1.37	-0.37	LB
TWTD2D		64.34	0.87	0.30	68.53	4.33	1.18	GM
W37H8V		68.49	5.02	1.72	69.91	5.71	1.55	TH

Summary Statistics	Sample GT91	Sample GT92
<b>Grand Means</b>	63.47 Gloss Units	64.20 Gloss Units
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	2.92 Gloss Units	3.68 Gloss Units
Statistics based on 15 of 15 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

<b>GA</b> BYK-Gardner (model not specified)	<b>GM</b> BYK-Gardner micro-gloss
<b>LA</b> L & W Gloss - Autoline 300	<b>LB</b> L & W Gloss Tester Code 224
<b>LF</b> L & W Autoline 400	<b>PP</b> Technidyne Profile/Plus
<b>TH</b> Technidyne T480A	<b>VM</b> Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani/Robotest)
<b>XX</b> Instrument make/model not specified by lab	



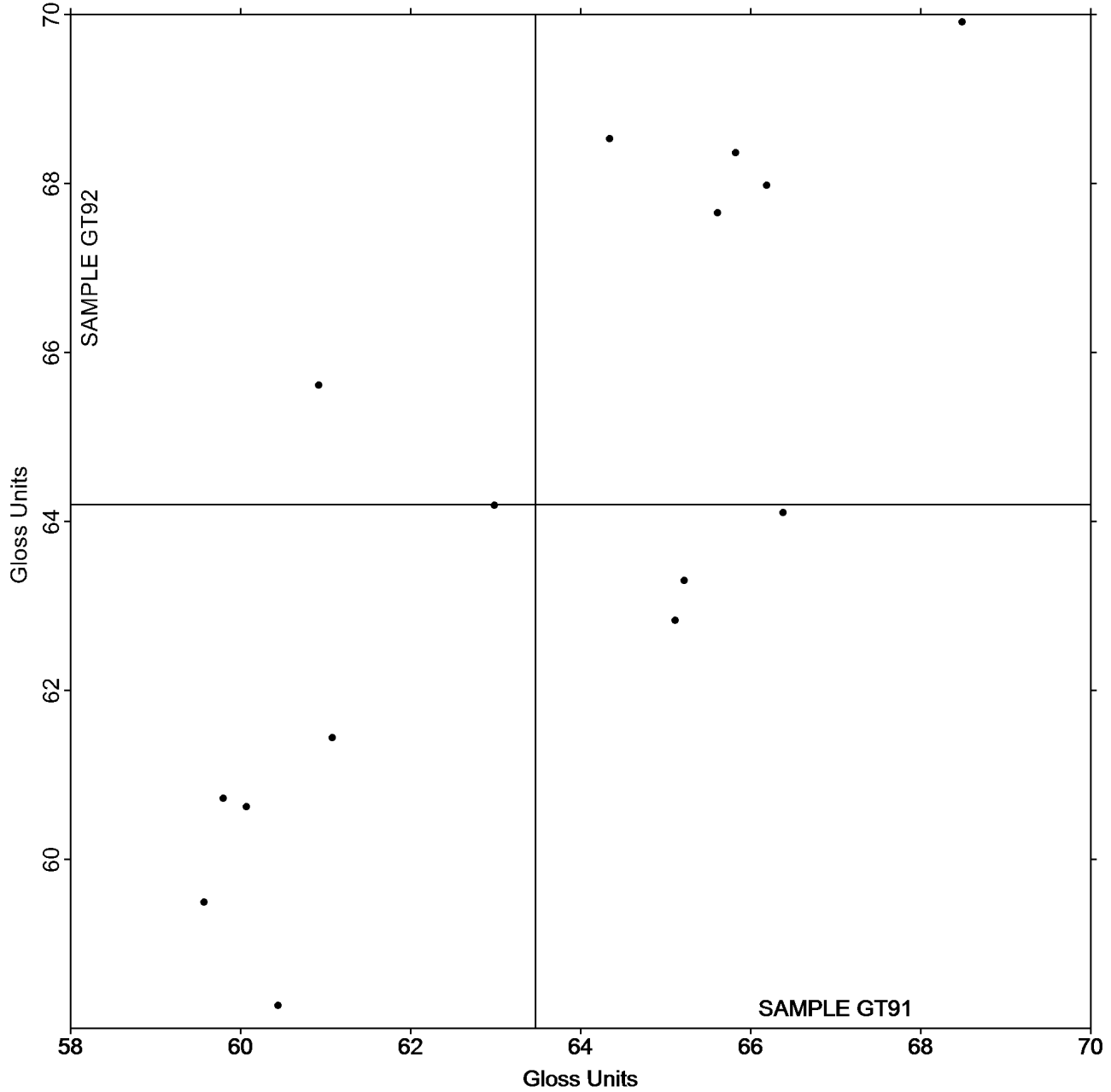
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**Analysis 395**  
**Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - High Range**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T480**

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**Grand Mean Sample GT91 = 63.469**  
**Gloss Units**

**Grand Mean Sample GT92 = 64.200**  
**Gloss Units**

**ANALYSIS 395**



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 396**  
**Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T480**

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GU91			Sample GU92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		52.99	1.05	0.33	52.94	0.92	0.29	TH
37LY6F		53.36	1.43	0.45	55.10	3.08	0.97	TH
6KBU9H		52.70	0.77	0.24	52.86	0.84	0.27	GM
6ZRQNE		52.97	1.04	0.33	53.10	1.08	0.34	GS
77B72N		52.63	0.70	0.22	52.10	0.08	0.03	PP
9746K8		43.97	-7.96	-2.53	44.34	-7.68	-2.42	TH
LZWZEF		49.16	-2.77	-0.88	48.90	-3.12	-0.98	WJ
M3HWL8		52.73	0.80	0.25	52.42	0.40	0.13	TH
RVH9QA		54.36	2.43	0.77	54.31	2.29	0.72	LA
YJKHAB		54.48	2.55	0.81	54.12	2.10	0.66	PP

Summary Statistics	Sample GU91	Sample GU92
<b>Grand Means</b>	51.93 Gloss Units	52.02 Gloss Units
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	3.15 Gloss Units	3.18 Gloss Units
Statistics based on 10 of 10 reporting participants.		

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

<b>GM</b>	BYK-Gardner micro-gloss	<b>GS</b>	BYK-Gardner Glossgard II
<b>LA</b>	L & W Gloss - Autoline 300	<b>PP</b>	Technidyne Profile/Plus
<b>TH</b>	Technidyne T480A	<b>WJ</b>	Zehntner ZLR 1020

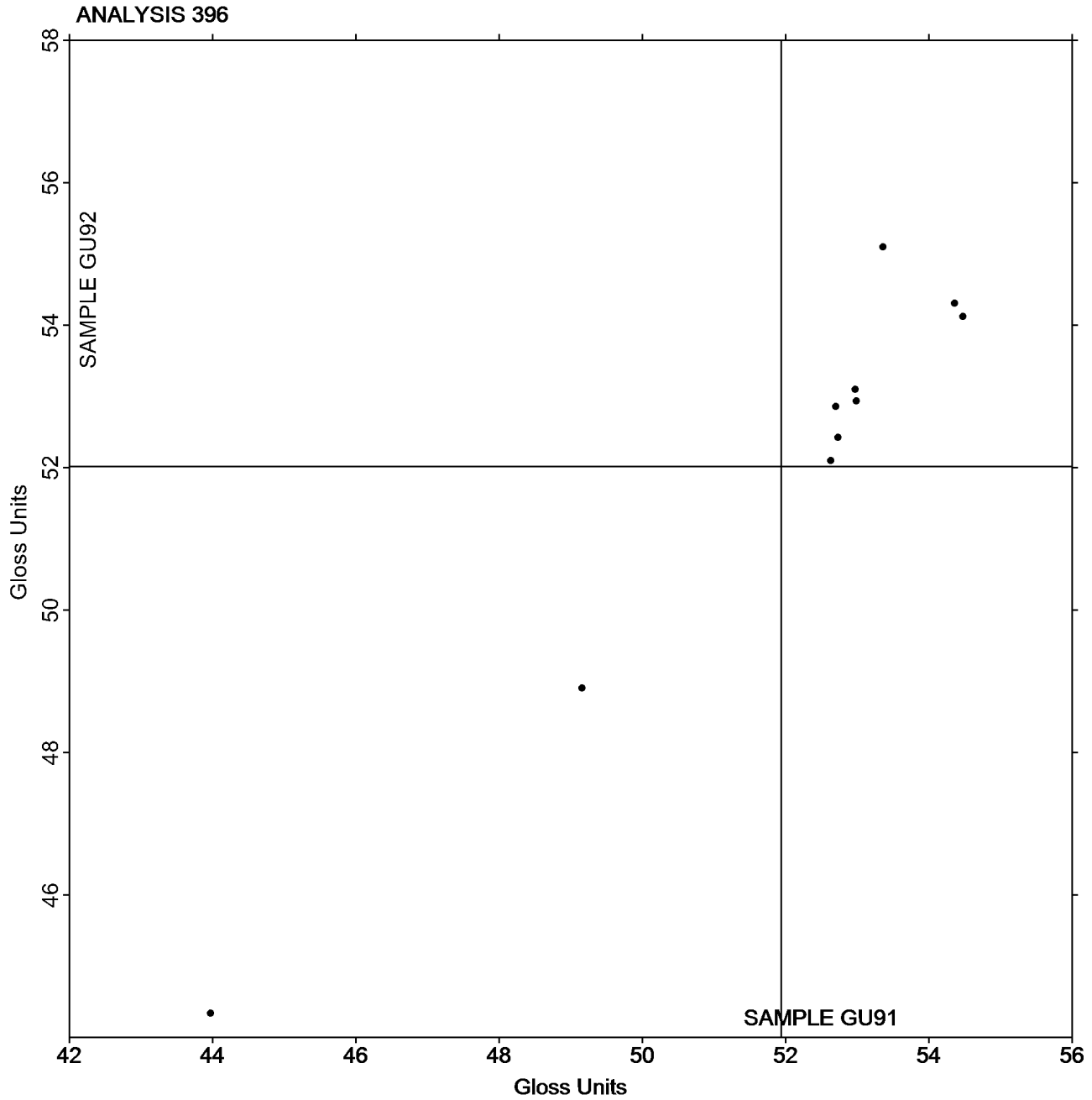


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**Analysis 396**  
**Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T480**

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Grand Mean Sample GU91 = 51.935  
Gloss Units

Grand Mean Sample GU92 = 52.019  
Gloss Units



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 398**  
**Grammage (Mass per Unit Area)**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T410**

Report #3122G,  
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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GW91			Sample GW92			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
2FW2QG		75.05	-0.28	-0.63	89.61	-0.56	-0.88	ZZ
37LY6F	X	68.97	-6.36	-14.53	82.09	-8.08	-12.69	ZZ
6QGN4D		75.55	0.23	0.52	90.20	0.03	0.05	ZZ
6VD9DN		75.45	0.13	0.29	89.87	-0.30	-0.47	ZZ
7UKLE7		75.51	0.19	0.43	89.98	-0.19	-0.29	ZZ
9746K8	X	15.14	-60.18	-137.57	18.12	-72.05	-113.24	ZZ
9EE878		75.00	-0.32	-0.73	90.34	0.18	0.28	ZZ
AX63VZ		75.69	0.37	0.84	90.17	0.00	0.00	ZZ
AX8MRF	X	381.60	306.28	700.14	453.60	363.43	571.18	ZZ
ERZRQ3		75.45	0.13	0.30	89.98	-0.18	-0.29	ZZ
F94LZN		75.30	-0.02	-0.05	90.83	0.66	1.04	ZZ
GM3TRX		75.80	0.48	1.09	89.70	-0.47	-0.73	ZZ
KFNFZ2		75.95	0.63	1.43	89.85	-0.32	-0.50	ZZ
L4BDGN		75.82	0.50	1.15	90.68	0.51	0.81	ZZ
L8WBQZ	X	15.46	-59.86	-136.84	18.56	-71.61	-112.54	ZZ
LKHPUZ		74.80	-0.52	-1.19	89.80	-0.37	-0.58	ZZ
LUP8JK	X	78.00	2.68	6.12	89.90	-0.27	-0.42	ZZ
LZWZEF		75.21	-0.11	-0.26	89.73	-0.44	-0.69	ZZ
M3HWL8		75.95	0.63	1.43	90.67	0.50	0.79	ZZ
MB7XWP		75.38	0.06	0.13	90.76	0.60	0.94	ZZ
N8QMHL	X	76.76	1.44	3.29	89.36	-0.81	-1.27	ZZ
PLJUXX		75.26	-0.06	-0.14	90.46	0.29	0.46	ZZ
PPH7TX		74.22	-1.10	-2.52	89.43	-0.74	-1.16	ZZ
Q8FUEU		74.89	-0.43	-0.98	89.18	-0.99	-1.55	ZZ
RVH9QA		75.53	0.21	0.48	90.40	0.23	0.37	ZZ
RYJCL4		74.76	-0.56	-1.29	89.61	-0.56	-0.88	ZZ
V83ULF		75.63	0.31	0.71	91.08	0.91	1.43	ZZ
VLGX7P	*	75.59	0.26	0.60	91.86	1.69	2.66	ZZ
Y8AB8H		74.63	-0.69	-1.59	89.18	-0.99	-1.55	ZZ
YHTFMV		75.32	-0.01	-0.01	90.64	0.47	0.75	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample GW91	Sample GW92
<b>Grand Means</b>	75.32 g/sq m	90.17 g/sq m
<b>Std Dev Btw Labs</b>	0.44 g/sq m	0.64 g/sq m
Statistics based on 24 of 30 reporting participants.		



**Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program**  
**Analysis 398**  
**Grammage (Mass per Unit Area)**  
**TAPPI Official Test Method T410**

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**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #398**

37LY6F (X) - Extreme Data.

AX8MRF (X) - Extreme Data.

L8WBQZ (X) - Extreme Data.

LUP8JK (X) - Extreme Data for Sample GW91.

N8QMHL (X) - Data for sample GW91 are high. Inconsistent within the determinations of sample GW91.

9746K8 (X) - Extreme Data.

**Analysis Notes:**

2FW2QG - Data appears to be transposed between samples. CTS will not correct going forward.

**Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants**

**ZZ** Instruments No Longer Tracked



# Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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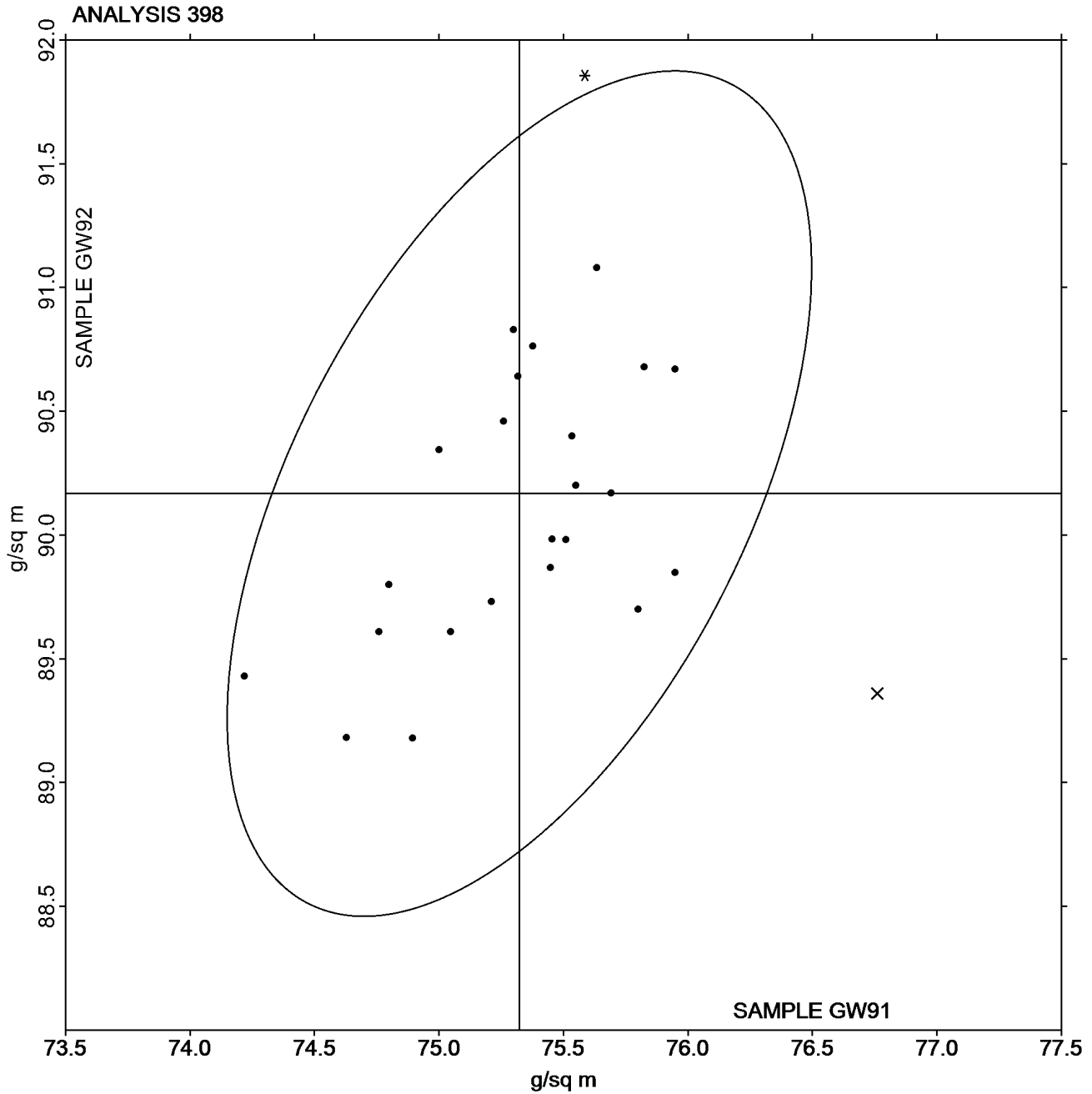
## Analysis 398

Grammage (Mass per Unit Area)

TAPPI Official Test Method T410

Grand Mean Sample GW91 = 75.323  
g/sq m

Grand Mean Sample GW92 =  
90.168 g/sq m





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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample GX91</u>			<u>Sample GX92</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
23AWHJ	X	18.29	5.60	1.74	6.43	-5.15	-1.57	HE
37LY6F		16.74	4.05	1.26	13.48	1.90	0.58	HE
3AM6JL		11.06	-1.63	-0.50	10.68	-0.90	-0.27	HE
3ECQ7E		8.76	-3.93	-1.22	7.47	-4.11	-1.25	HE
3HC33E		10.87	-1.82	-0.56	8.18	-3.40	-1.03	HE
6KBU9H		12.52	-0.17	-0.05	11.10	-0.48	-0.15	HE
6LBQ3L		10.54	-2.15	-0.66	10.91	-0.67	-0.20	HE
76ZQ8M		11.15	-1.54	-0.48	10.81	-0.77	-0.23	HE
77B72N		14.65	1.96	0.61	13.60	2.02	0.61	HE
8KN4C3		11.95	-0.74	-0.23	10.96	-0.62	-0.19	HE
9748AB		11.00	-1.69	-0.52	8.40	-3.18	-0.97	HE
BL4WE8		15.97	3.28	1.02	15.97	4.39	1.34	HE
CBMCVB		9.23	-3.46	-1.07	8.12	-3.46	-1.05	HE
DXBGYC		8.02	-4.67	-1.45	6.38	-5.20	-1.58	HE
H88TFN		12.85	0.16	0.05	11.33	-0.25	-0.08	HE
KJQ8D9		13.66	0.97	0.30	13.04	1.46	0.44	HE
KN4VWW		16.02	3.33	1.03	13.69	2.11	0.64	HE
LKHPUZ		10.20	-2.49	-0.77	9.60	-1.98	-0.60	HE
N4PG4F		19.35	6.66	2.06	18.12	6.54	1.99	HE
N6ZG72		13.02	0.33	0.10	13.88	2.30	0.70	HE
RUA2MG		11.59	-1.10	-0.34	10.94	-0.64	-0.19	HE
RYJCL4		10.89	-1.80	-0.56	10.17	-1.41	-0.43	HE
UE4LFJ		11.23	-1.46	-0.45	10.14	-1.44	-0.44	HE
UGBXFT		18.82	6.13	1.90	18.10	6.52	1.98	HE
UR7DWG		11.75	-0.94	-0.29	9.72	-1.86	-0.57	HE
V3P66R		10.83	-1.86	-0.57	10.20	-1.38	-0.42	HE
XDJZFR		9.77	-2.92	-0.90	8.69	-2.89	-0.88	HE
YRFLD8		20.07	7.38	2.29	18.97	7.39	2.25	HE

<b>Summary Statistics</b>	<u>Sample GX91</u>	<u>Sample GX92</u>
<b>Grand Means</b>	12.69 Seconds	11.58 Seconds
<b>Std Dev Btwn Labs</b>	3.23 Seconds	3.29 Seconds

Statistics based on 27 of 28 reporting participants.

**Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #399**

23AWHJ (X) - Inconsistent in testing between samples. Inconsistent within the determinations of sample GX91.



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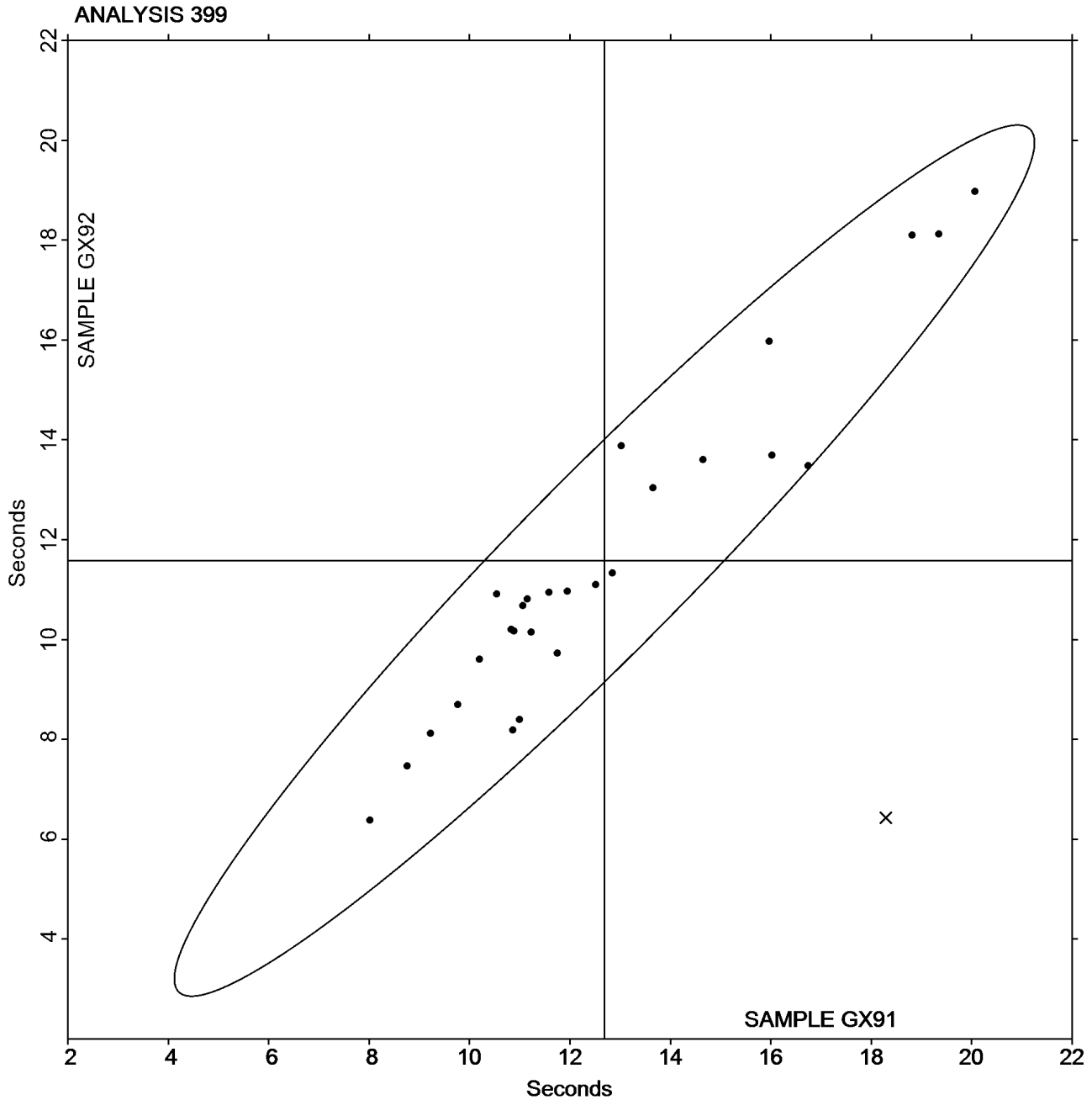
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Grand Mean Sample GX91 = 12.686  
Seconds

Grand Mean Sample GX92 = 11.580  
Seconds



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