



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	Sample CK17			Sample CK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3MN773		7.674	-0.016	-0.20	9.394	-0.124	-1.16	EM
3VXVLM		7.718	0.028	0.33	9.459	-0.059	-0.56	LB
489LKF		7.665	-0.025	-0.31	9.488	-0.030	-0.28	TA
6JK66W		7.764	0.074	0.89	9.632	0.114	1.07	LW
8LXTDX		7.727	0.037	0.44	9.491	-0.027	-0.26	LW
8MC68W		7.721	0.031	0.37	9.513	-0.005	-0.05	LW
8R4M8U		7.667	-0.023	-0.28	9.479	-0.039	-0.37	LW
AT84BH		7.496	-0.194	-2.35	9.294	-0.224	-2.10	XX
B3TFCM		7.702	0.012	0.14	9.691	0.173	1.62	EM
BQKKAK		7.831	0.141	1.70	9.765	0.247	2.31	EM
CN8AUR		7.693	0.002	0.03	9.488	-0.030	-0.28	LW
DG96FG	X	7.332	-0.358	-4.33	9.201	-0.317	-2.97	EM
DJBZ4Q		7.729	0.039	0.47	9.510	-0.008	-0.08	LC
E4VEYQ		7.575	-0.116	-1.40	9.520	0.001	0.01	LC
FYDNXN		7.652	-0.038	-0.47	9.402	-0.116	-1.09	LA
G3U9NB		7.762	0.072	0.87	9.558	0.040	0.37	LW
GX3WTE		7.579	-0.111	-1.35	9.353	-0.165	-1.55	XX
HRR62R		7.578	-0.112	-1.36	9.517	-0.001	-0.01	OK
JEZ6JN		7.776	0.086	1.03	9.624	0.106	0.99	PP
MPQT62		7.597	-0.093	-1.13	9.470	-0.048	-0.45	EM
MW6LEC		7.750	0.060	0.72	9.540	0.022	0.20	LW
MXV39K		7.814	0.124	1.49	9.700	0.182	1.70	PP
QJ76W2		7.772	0.082	0.99	9.602	0.083	0.78	LW
RLPJZ2		7.697	0.007	0.08	9.533	0.015	0.14	TA
TWL2VZ		7.630	-0.060	-0.73	9.360	-0.158	-1.48	XX
U8MNKC		7.613	-0.077	-0.94	9.422	-0.096	-0.90	XX
VM9U6B		7.580	-0.110	-1.33	9.520	0.002	0.02	XX
XZ7MMX		7.745	0.055	0.66	9.566	0.048	0.45	EM
YL9UJ9		7.743	0.053	0.63	9.553	0.035	0.33	XX
YRVFQU		7.809	0.118	1.43	9.643	0.125	1.17	XX
Z86LJ6		7.655	-0.035	-0.43	9.461	-0.057	-0.54	XX

Summary Statistics	Sample CK17	Sample CK18
Grand Means	7.69 mils	9.52 mils
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.08 mils	0.11 mils
Statistics based on 30 of 31 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3501

DG96FG (X) - Data for both samples are low.



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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	OK	Oakland
PP	Technidyne Profile/Plus	TA	Thwing-Albert
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



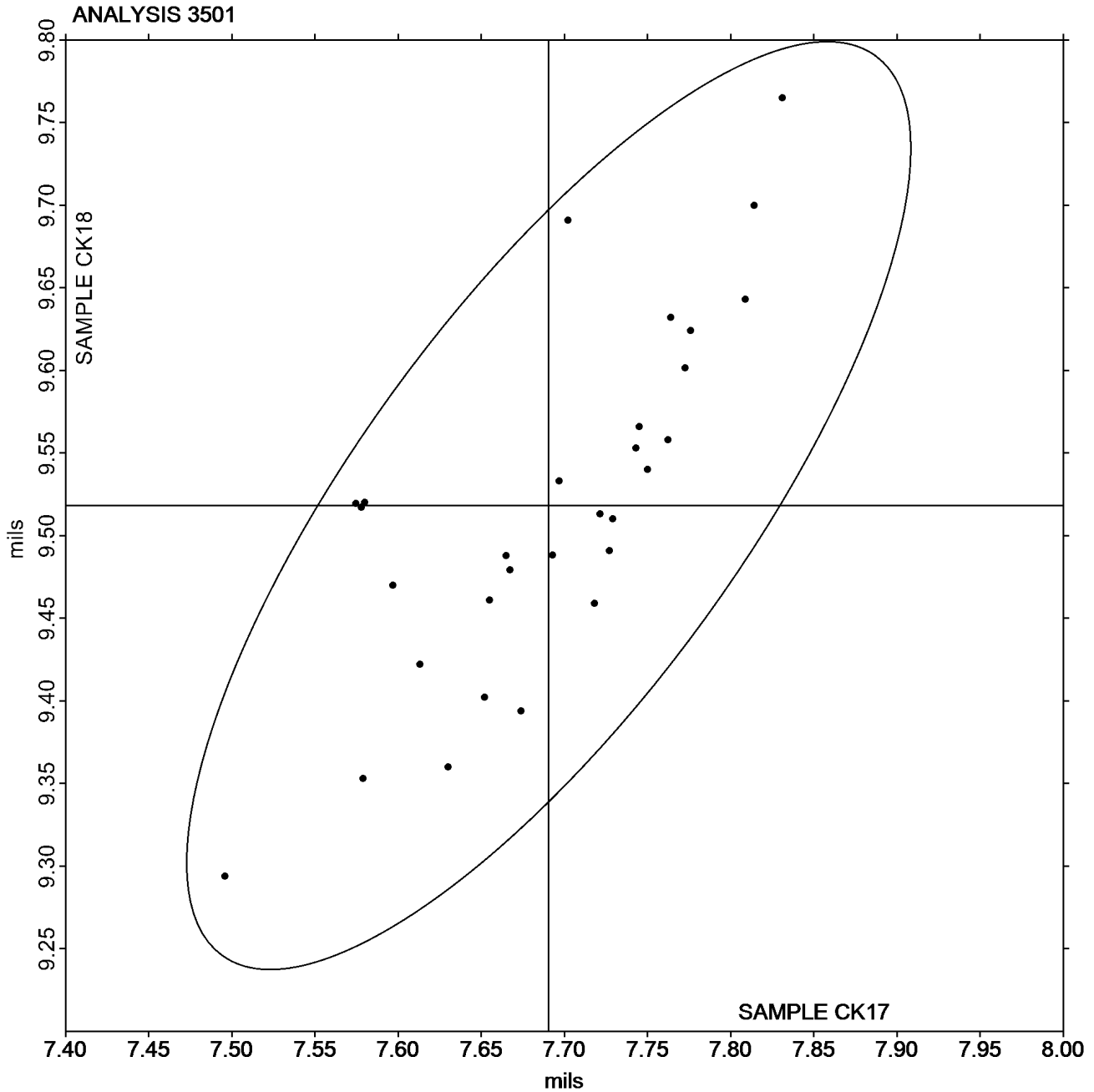
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Grand Mean Sample CK17 = 7.6905
mils

Grand Mean Sample CK18 = 9.5182
mils





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

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample BK17			Sample BK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
489LKF		54.10	-2.63	-0.54	70.25	1.09	0.19	ZZ
8R4M8U		54.78	-1.95	-0.40	67.18	-1.98	-0.35	ZZ
AGWC8H		57.70	0.97	0.20	69.20	0.04	0.01	ZZ
CN8AUR		57.65	0.92	0.19	72.11	2.95	0.53	ZZ
G3U9NB		54.30	-2.43	-0.50	67.50	-1.66	-0.30	ZZ
HRR62R		57.30	0.57	0.12	69.00	-0.16	-0.03	ZZ
KDJ9RP		54.00	-2.74	-0.56	65.12	-4.04	-0.72	ZZ
M3BDPV		57.40	0.67	0.14	67.47	-1.69	-0.30	ZZ
MW6LEC		52.30	-4.43	-0.91	65.30	-3.86	-0.69	ZZ
QEZB6Q		51.40	-5.33	-1.10	61.20	-7.96	-1.42	ZZ
QJ76W2		58.32	1.58	0.33	67.42	-1.74	-0.31	ZZ
R8QGJU		53.95	-2.78	-0.57	66.65	-2.51	-0.45	ZZ
UABZJH		54.82	-1.91	-0.39	66.95	-2.21	-0.40	ZZ
UY6FWF		68.68	11.94	2.46	81.90	12.73	2.27	ZZ
YRVFQU		53.65	-3.08	-0.63	66.96	-2.20	-0.39	ZZ
ZZ2NML		67.40	10.67	2.19	82.40	13.24	2.36	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample BK17	Sample BK18
Grand Means	56.73 psi	69.16 psi
Std Dev Btwn Labs	4.86 psi	5.60 psi
Statistics based on 16 of 16 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



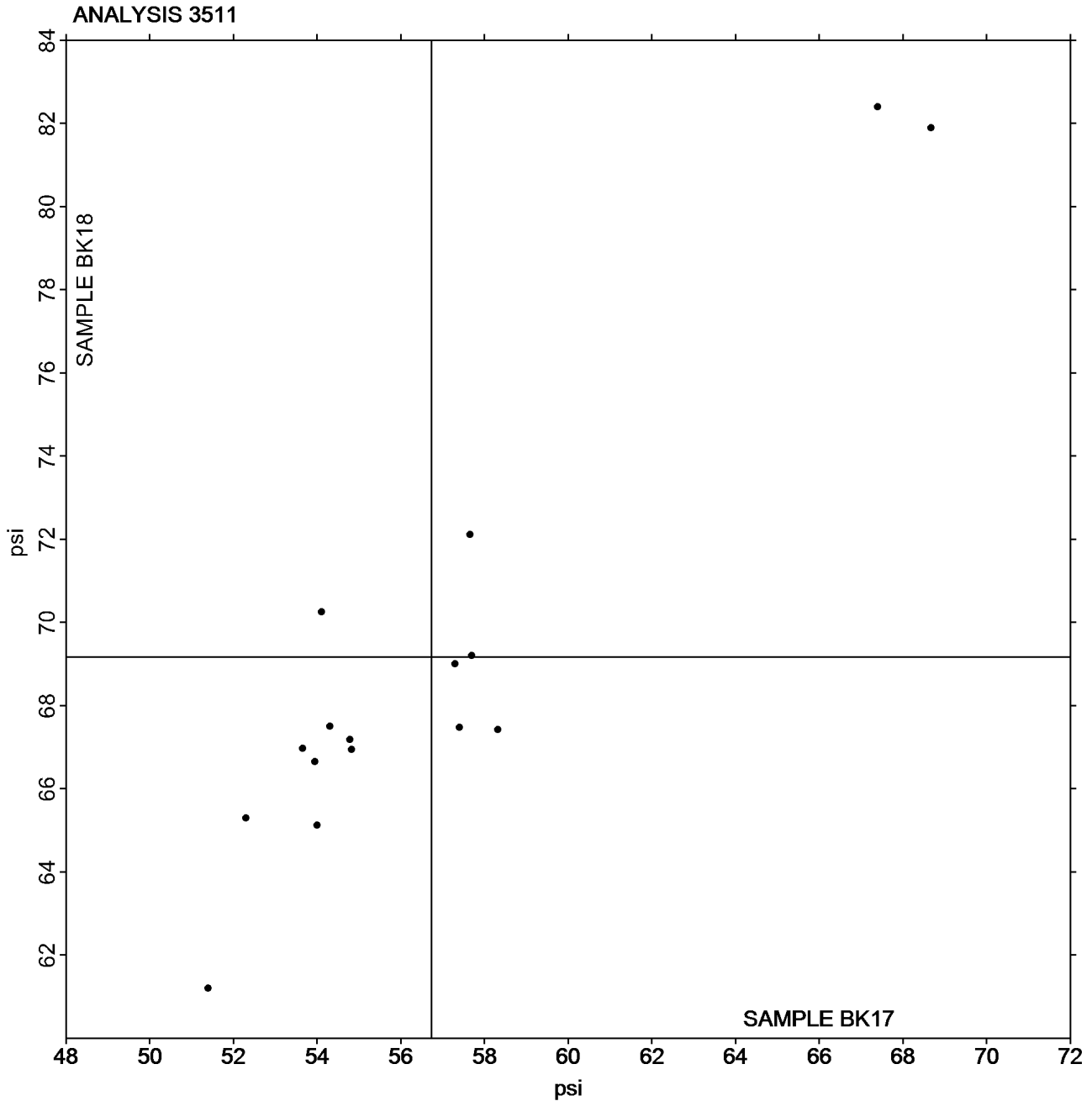
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Grand Mean Sample BK17 = 56.734
psi

Grand Mean Sample BK18 = 69.164
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

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample RK17			Sample RK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
44B4MN		101.21	1.56	0.18	132.3	-4.6	-0.32	ZZ
6JK66W		95.60	-4.05	-0.46	132.6	-4.4	-0.31	ZZ
8MC68W		94.51	-5.14	-0.59	129.5	-7.5	-0.52	ZZ
8R4M8U		99.67	0.02	0.00	132.8	-4.1	-0.29	ZZ
9JRHZV		97.54	-2.11	-0.24	133.2	-3.8	-0.26	ZZ
B3TFCM		93.95	-5.70	-0.65	124.6	-12.3	-0.86	ZZ
BQKKAK		103.70	4.05	0.46	141.3	4.4	0.31	ZZ
E4VEYQ		95.20	-4.45	-0.51	141.5	4.5	0.32	ZZ
FEAUGJ		113.23	13.58	1.55	155.8	18.9	1.32	ZZ
FJ6PXX		91.84	-7.81	-0.89	118.2	-18.7	-1.31	ZZ
FYDNXN		93.10	-6.55	-0.75	131.9	-5.0	-0.35	ZZ
G3U9NB		107.71	8.06	0.92	139.1	2.2	0.15	ZZ
GP8WEL		85.60	-14.05	-1.61	127.6	-9.3	-0.65	ZZ
GX3WTE		90.20	-9.45	-1.08	115.4	-21.5	-1.50	ZZ
HCFWWH		107.48	7.83	0.90	153.8	16.9	1.18	ZZ
HRR62R		102.00	2.35	0.27	137.1	0.2	0.01	ZZ
JTYANF		79.80	-19.85	-2.27	110.3	-26.7	-1.86	ZZ
M3BDPV		116.00	16.35	1.87	156.0	19.1	1.33	ZZ
MPQT62	*	101.10	1.45	0.17	117.4	-19.6	-1.37	ZZ
MW6LEC	X	26.90	-72.75	-8.32	30.3	-106.6	-7.45	ZZ
PQQXGD		103.30	3.65	0.42	139.1	2.2	0.15	ZZ
QEZB6Q		107.70	8.05	0.92	143.0	6.1	0.43	ZZ
QJ76W2		102.96	3.31	0.38	134.6	-2.3	-0.16	ZZ
RLPJZ2		98.60	-1.05	-0.12	135.2	-1.7	-0.12	ZZ
TN83E4		103.47	3.82	0.44	148.5	11.6	0.81	ZZ
TWL2VZ		101.20	1.55	0.18	156.4	19.5	1.36	ZZ
XQKE93		94.90	-4.75	-0.54	139.0	2.0	0.14	ZZ
XZ7MMX		84.86	-14.79	-1.69	119.9	-17.0	-1.19	ZZ
YL9UJ9		114.51	14.86	1.70	173.0	36.0	2.52	ZZ
YRVFQU		108.88	9.23	1.05	152.0	15.1	1.05	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample RK17	Sample RK18
Grand Means	99.65 Grams	136.93 Grams
Std Dev Btwn Labs	8.75 Grams	14.30 Grams
Statistics based on 29 of 30 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3513

MW6LEC (X) - Extreme Data.



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Analysis Notes:

FJ6PXX - Data appear to be reported as mN, not gf as indicated on data entry form. CTS will not correct the Units going forward.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



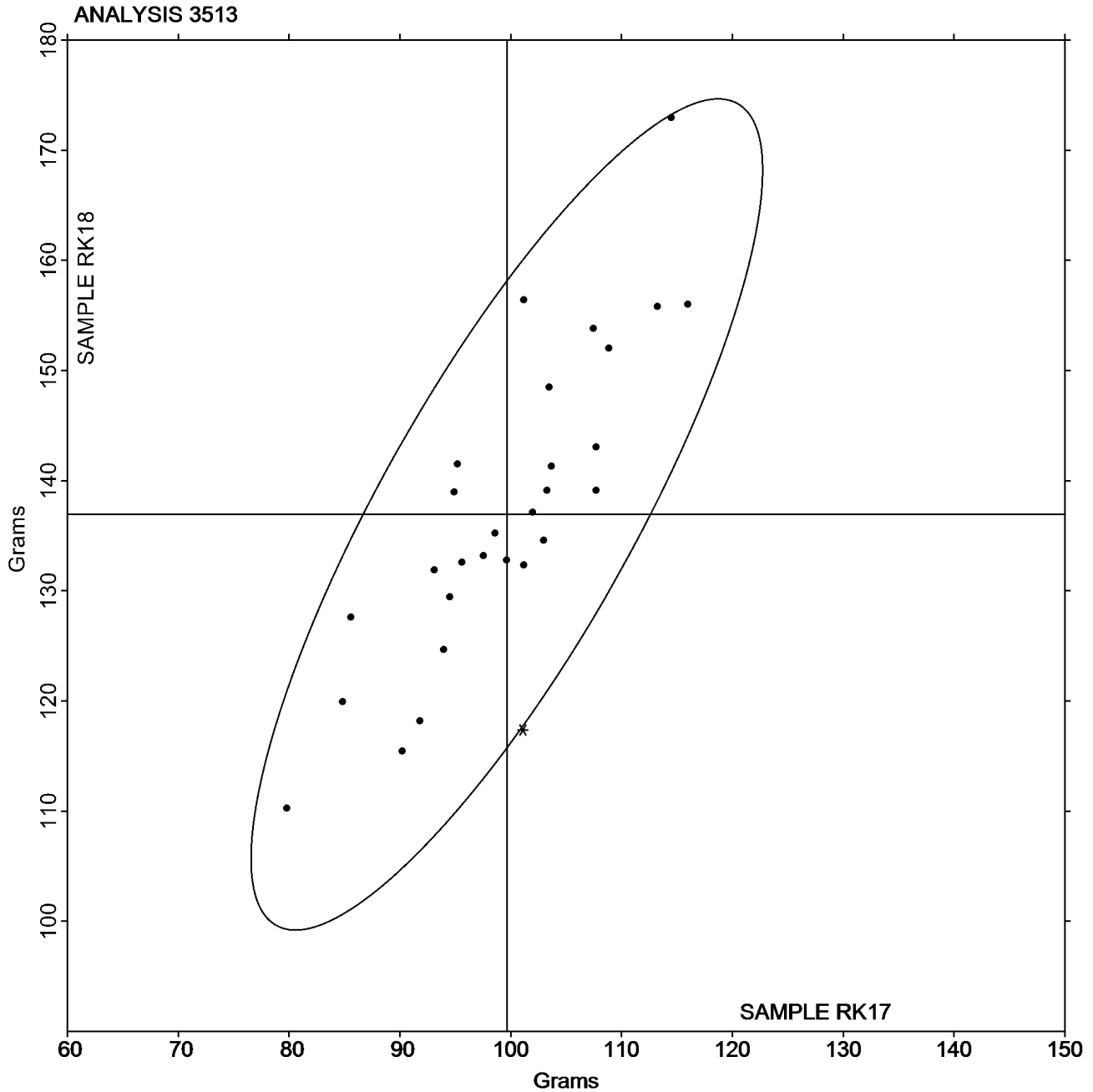
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Grand Mean Sample RK17 = 99.649
Grams

Grand Mean Sample RK18 = 136.93
Grams





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Analysis 3515

Tensile Breaking Strength - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK17			Sample NK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		8.656	-0.658	-1.36	10.46	-0.65	-1.13	TS
44B4MN		8.853	-0.461	-0.95	10.81	-0.30	-0.52	LH
489LKF		9.133	-0.181	-0.37	10.50	-0.61	-1.06	TO
6JK66W		9.253	-0.060	-0.12	11.31	0.20	0.34	LW
8LXTDX		9.366	0.052	0.11	11.02	-0.09	-0.15	TH
8MC68W		9.620	0.306	0.63	11.53	0.42	0.73	LE
8R4M8U		9.607	0.293	0.60	11.38	0.27	0.47	LH
9JRHZV		9.220	-0.093	-0.19	11.40	0.28	0.49	LE
AT84BH	X	0.320	-8.994	-18.53	0.34	-10.77	-18.70	TB
B3TFCM		9.805	0.492	1.01	11.58	0.47	0.82	TO
CD8URU		8.750	-0.564	-1.16	10.37	-0.74	-1.29	IR
DG96FG		9.881	0.568	1.17	11.56	0.45	0.78	LE
DJBZ4Q	X	12.353	3.039	6.26	14.62	3.51	6.09	LB
E4VEYQ		8.783	-0.530	-1.09	10.37	-0.74	-1.28	IF
EV2A6P		8.765	-0.549	-1.13	10.55	-0.56	-0.98	XX
FEAUGJ		9.003	-0.310	-0.64	11.16	0.05	0.08	TR
FJ6PXX		10.058	0.745	1.53	12.02	0.91	1.58	LW
FYDNXN		9.274	-0.039	-0.08	11.26	0.15	0.26	LA
FZQ9TJ		8.877	-0.436	-0.90	10.61	-0.50	-0.87	DM
G3U9NB		10.028	0.714	1.47	12.03	0.92	1.60	TX
G6X2KU		9.299	-0.014	-0.03	11.27	0.16	0.27	TH
GP8WEL		9.044	-0.269	-0.56	10.77	-0.34	-0.59	TX
KDJ9RP		9.788	0.475	0.98	11.76	0.65	1.13	LW
LMKB9R		9.818	0.505	1.04	11.64	0.52	0.91	LA
M3BDPV		8.923	-0.391	-0.81	10.91	-0.20	-0.35	XX
MW6LEC		9.812	0.499	1.03	11.85	0.74	1.28	LX
PQQXGD		8.879	-0.435	-0.90	10.53	-0.58	-1.01	LE
QEZB6Q		8.685	-0.629	-1.30	10.47	-0.64	-1.11	LE
QJ76W2		9.031	-0.282	-0.58	10.91	-0.20	-0.35	LE
RLPJZ2		9.268	-0.046	-0.09	10.94	-0.17	-0.30	TB
TN83E4		10.322	1.009	2.08	12.05	0.94	1.63	LA
TWL2VZ	X	10.144	0.831	1.71	12.85	1.73	3.01	XX
UY6FWF		9.881	0.568	1.17	11.98	0.87	1.50	PT
VM9U6B	X	6.918	-2.396	-4.94	9.09	-2.02	-3.51	XX
WNJVRA		10.157	0.844	1.74	11.62	0.51	0.89	LI
YKTDHM	*	8.619	-0.694	-1.43	9.75	-1.36	-2.36	TT
YL9UJ9		9.195	-0.119	-0.25	10.85	-0.26	-0.46	ID
YRVFQU		9.387	0.074	0.15	10.96	-0.15	-0.26	XX
ZNTW78		8.931	-0.382	-0.79	10.71	-0.40	-0.69	IM



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Analysis 3515

Tensile Breaking Strength - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

Summary Statistics	Sample NK17	Sample NK18
Grand Means	9.31 kN/m	11.11 kN/m
Stnd Dev Btwn Labs	0.49 kN/m	0.58 kN/m

Statistics based on 35 of 39 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3515

TWL2VZ (X) - Data for sample NK18 are high. Inconsistent within the determinations of sample NK18.

VM9U6B (X) - Data for both samples are low.

DJBZ4Q (X) - Extreme Data.

AT84BH (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
LB	L & W Tensile - Autoline 400	LE	L & W Tensile Tester 066
LH	L & W Alwetron TH1 (Horizontal) SE 060	LI	Lloyds Instruments
LW	L & W Tensile Tester SE062	LX	L & W (model not specified)
PT	PTA Horizontal Tensile Tester	TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000
TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A	TO	Thwing-Albert QC-1000
TR	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester	TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58
TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT	TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		

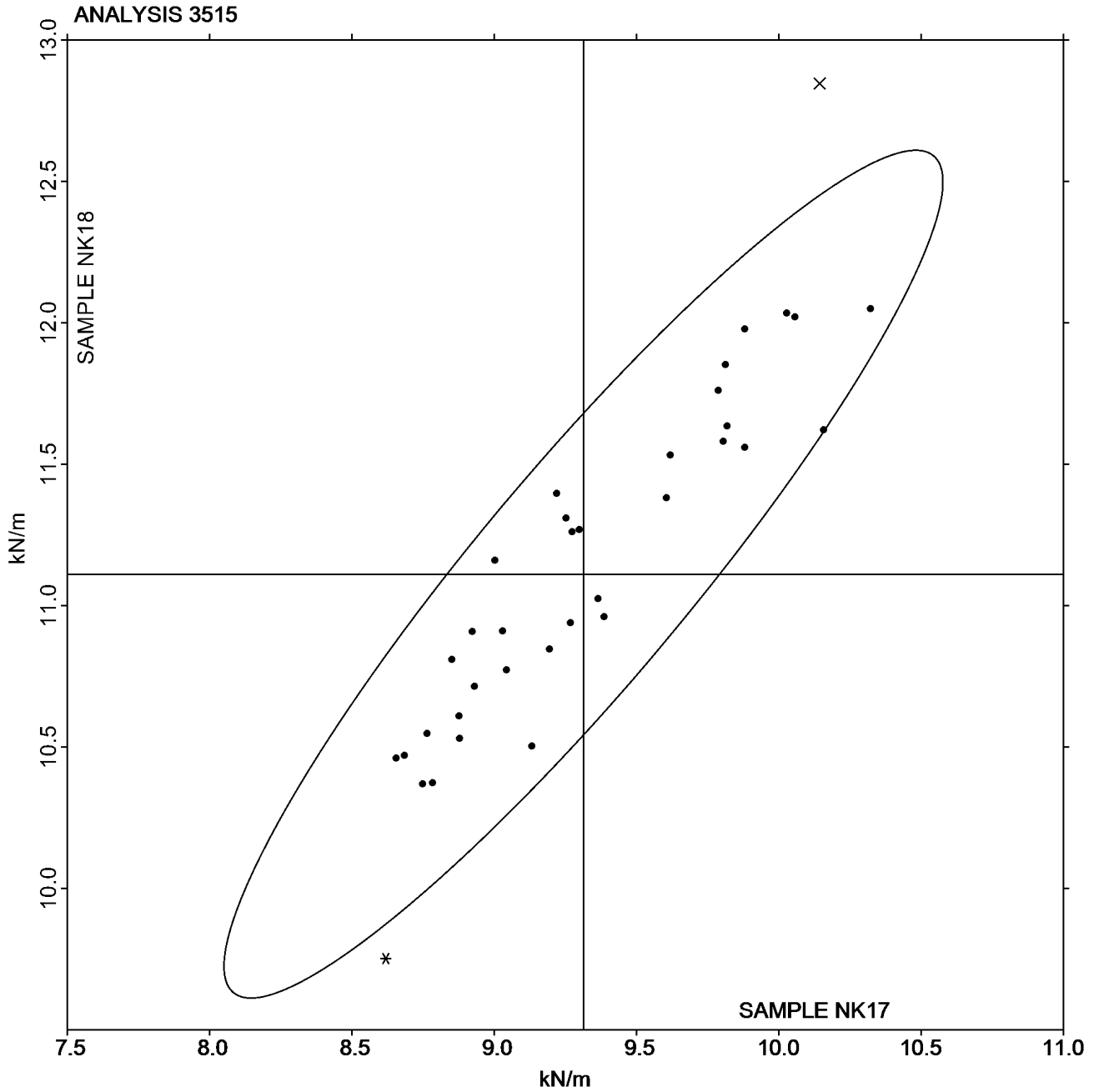


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Grand Mean Sample NK17 = 9.3135
kN/m

Grand Mean Sample NK18 = 11.111
kN/m





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Analysis 3516

Tensile Energy Absorption - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK17			Sample NK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		138.9	-2.6	-0.21	192.5	4.9	0.31	TS
489LKF		151.6	10.1	0.81	186.2	-1.4	-0.09	TO
6JK66W		129.2	-12.4	-0.99	188.9	1.3	0.08	LW
8LXTDX		160.1	18.6	1.48	192.4	4.7	0.30	TH
8MC68W		132.6	-8.9	-0.71	173.2	-14.4	-0.92	LE
8R4M8U		136.6	-4.9	-0.39	175.7	-12.0	-0.77	LH
9JRHZV		128.9	-12.7	-1.01	188.3	0.6	0.04	LE
AT84BH	X	791.2	649.7	51.81	970.8	783.1	50.27	TB
B3TFCM		151.7	10.1	0.81	189.7	2.0	0.13	TO
CD8URU		149.1	7.6	0.61	193.3	5.7	0.37	IR
DG96FG		156.9	15.4	1.23	198.5	10.9	0.70	LE
DJBZ4Q		124.6	-16.9	-1.35	171.0	-16.7	-1.07	LB
E4VEYQ		120.8	-20.8	-1.66	181.4	-6.2	-0.40	IF
EV2A6P		145.5	4.0	0.32	195.7	8.1	0.52	XX
FEAUGJ		125.0	-16.5	-1.32	188.4	0.8	0.05	TR
FJ6PXX		138.7	-2.8	-0.23	177.9	-9.7	-0.62	LE
FYDNXN		157.5	15.9	1.27	211.3	23.7	1.52	LA
FZQ9TJ	*	168.8	27.3	2.17	231.7	44.1	2.83	DM
G3U9NB		153.6	12.1	0.96	203.0	15.4	0.99	LE
GP8WEL		154.7	13.2	1.05	200.7	13.1	0.84	TX
KDJ9RP		139.3	-2.2	-0.17	175.1	-12.6	-0.81	LW
LMKB9R		141.7	0.2	0.02	188.9	1.3	0.08	LA
M3BDPV		154.8	13.3	1.06	205.0	17.4	1.11	XX
MW6LEC		156.4	14.9	1.19	211.6	24.0	1.54	TH
PQXGD		124.5	-17.1	-1.36	167.2	-20.4	-1.31	LE
QEZB6Q		132.4	-9.1	-0.73	182.9	-4.8	-0.31	LE
QJ76W2		130.3	-11.2	-0.89	179.5	-8.1	-0.52	LE
TN83E4		148.9	7.4	0.59	191.8	4.1	0.27	LC
TWL2VZ		139.9	-1.6	-0.13	181.1	-6.5	-0.42	XX
UY6FWF		132.5	-9.0	-0.72	183.3	-4.4	-0.28	PT
VM9U6B	X	58.5	-83.0	-6.62	107.7	-79.9	-5.13	TH
YKTDHM	*	129.8	-11.7	-0.94	146.9	-40.7	-2.61	TT
YRVFQU		141.6	0.1	0.01	177.8	-9.8	-0.63	XX
ZNTW78		131.6	-9.9	-0.79	173.3	-14.3	-0.92	IM

Summary Statistics	Sample NK17	Sample NK18
Grand Means	141.52 Joules/sq m	187.63 Joules/sq m
Std Dev Btwn Labs	12.54 Joules/sq m	15.58 Joules/sq m
Statistics based on 32 of 34 reporting participants.		



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Analysis 3516

Tensile Energy Absorption - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3516

VM9U6B (X) - Extreme Data.

AT84BH (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

DM	IDM MTC-100 Tensile Tester	IF	Instron 3340 Series
IM	Instron 5500 Series	IR	Instron 5900 Series
LA	L & W Autoline	LB	L & W Tensile - Autoline 400
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
PT	PTA Horizontal Tensile Tester	TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000
TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A	TO	Thwing-Albert QC-1000
TR	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester	TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58
TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT	TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



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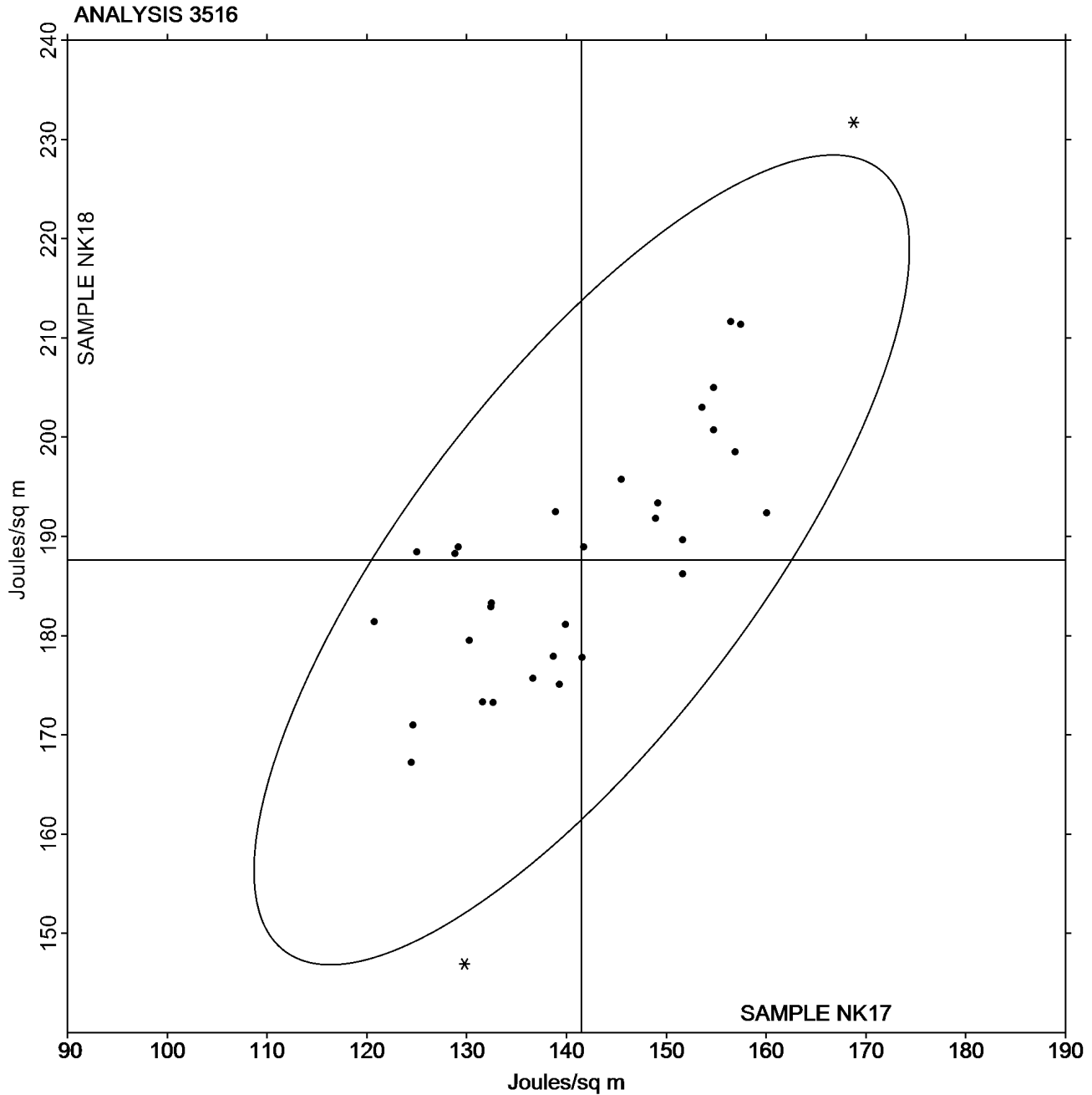
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Grand Mean Sample NK17 = 141.52
Joules/sq m

Grand Mean Sample NK18 = 187.63
Joules/sq m





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Analysis 3517

Elongation to Break - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample NK17			Sample NK18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		2.426	0.106	0.46	2.743	0.196	0.80	TS
489LKF		2.583	0.263	1.14	2.743	0.196	0.80	TO
6JK66W		2.071	-0.249	-1.08	2.428	-0.119	-0.49	LW
8LXTDX		2.847	0.527	2.28	2.922	0.375	1.54	TH
8MC68W		2.068	-0.252	-1.09	2.222	-0.325	-1.34	LE
8R4M8U		2.295	-0.025	-0.11	2.371	-0.176	-0.73	LX
9JRHZV		2.074	-0.246	-1.06	2.411	-0.136	-0.56	LE
AT84BH		2.442	0.122	0.53	2.667	0.120	0.49	XX
B3TFCM		2.366	0.046	0.20	2.482	-0.065	-0.27	TO
CD8URU		2.559	0.239	1.04	2.765	0.218	0.89	XX
DG96FG		2.343	0.023	0.10	2.514	-0.033	-0.14	LE
DJBZ4Q		2.260	-0.060	-0.26	2.399	-0.148	-0.61	LB
E4VEYQ	*	2.061	-0.259	-1.12	2.605	0.058	0.24	XX
EV2A6P		2.463	0.143	0.62	2.732	0.185	0.76	XX
FEAUGJ		2.252	-0.068	-0.29	2.628	0.081	0.33	TR
FJ6PXX		2.056	-0.264	-1.14	2.188	-0.359	-1.48	LW
FYDNXN		2.520	0.200	0.87	2.897	0.350	1.44	LX
FZQ9TJ	*	2.865	0.545	2.36	3.237	0.690	2.83	DM
G3U9NB	X	0.087	-2.232	-9.66	0.087	-2.461	-10.11	LE
GP8WEL		2.534	0.214	0.93	2.739	0.192	0.79	TX
KDJ9RP		2.122	-0.198	-0.86	2.242	-0.305	-1.26	LW
LMKB9R		2.009	-0.311	-1.34	2.328	-0.219	-0.90	XX
M3BDPV		2.520	0.200	0.87	2.790	0.243	1.00	XX
MW6LEC		2.630	0.310	1.34	2.900	0.353	1.45	LX
PQQXGD		2.077	-0.243	-1.05	2.311	-0.236	-0.97	LE
QJ76W2		2.118	-0.202	-0.87	2.381	-0.166	-0.68	LE
RLPJZ2		2.301	-0.019	-0.08	2.484	-0.063	-0.26	TB
TN83E4		2.107	-0.213	-0.92	2.298	-0.249	-1.03	LC
TWL2VZ		2.139	-0.181	-0.78	2.455	-0.092	-0.38	XX
UY6FWF		2.085	-0.235	-1.02	2.375	-0.173	-0.71	PT
VM9U6B	X	1.370	-0.950	-4.11	3.240	0.693	2.85	XX
YKTDHM		2.365	0.045	0.20	2.338	-0.209	-0.86	TT
YL9UJ9		2.316	-0.003	-0.01	2.478	-0.069	-0.29	XX
YRVFQU		2.210	-0.110	-0.47	2.346	-0.201	-0.83	XX
ZNTW78		2.463	0.143	0.62	2.648	0.101	0.41	IM



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Analysis 3517

Elongation to Break - Packaging Papers

TAPPI Official Test Method T494

Summary Statistics	Sample NK17	Sample NK18
Grand Means	2.32 Percent	2.55 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.23 Percent	0.24 Percent

Statistics based on 33 of 35 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3517

G3U9NB (X) - Extreme Data.

VM9U6B (X) - Data for sample NK17 are low and data for sample NK18 are high. Inconsistent in testing between samples. Inconsistent within the determinations of sample NK18.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

DM	IDM MTC-100 Tensile Tester	IM	Instron 5500 Series
LB	L & W Tensile - Autoline 400	LC	L & W Tensile - Autoline 600
LE	L & W Tensile Tester 066	LW	L & W Tensile Tester SE062
LX	L & W (model not specified)	PT	PTA Horizontal Tensile Tester
TB	Thwing-Albert EJA/1000	TH	Thwing-Albert QC-3A
TO	Thwing-Albert QC-1000	TR	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester
TS	TMI Horizontal Tensile Tester 84-58	TT	Tinius Olsen Model MHT
TX	Thwing-Albert (model not specified)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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Analysis 3517

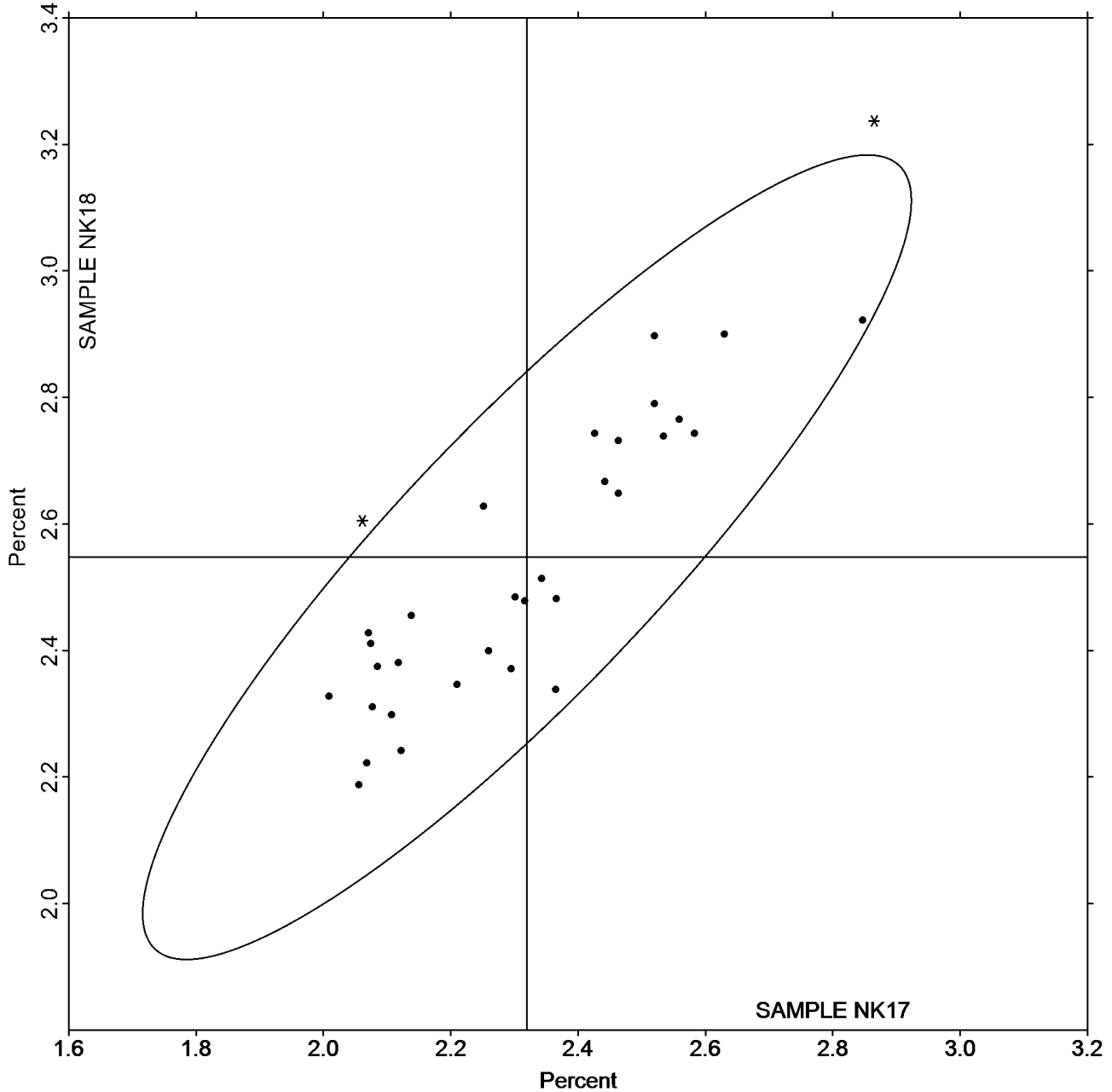
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Grand Mean Sample NK17 = 2.3196
Percent

Grand Mean Sample NK18 = 2.5475
Percent

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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program

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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 PS17			Sample PS18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		2.034	-0.212	-0.60	2.307	0.107	0.55	ZZ
3VXVLM		2.665	0.419	1.20	2.319	0.119	0.61	ZZ
3VYUFV		2.542	0.296	0.84	2.222	0.022	0.11	ZZ
4J6N7W		2.850	0.604	1.72	2.571	0.371	1.90	ZZ
72F4HN		2.540	0.294	0.84	2.070	-0.130	-0.66	ZZ
8LXTDX		2.000	-0.246	-0.70	2.089	-0.111	-0.57	ZZ
8R4M8U		2.047	-0.199	-0.57	2.196	-0.004	-0.02	ZZ
A3JYVC		1.999	-0.247	-0.70	2.238	0.038	0.20	ZZ
AFJ2UB		2.128	-0.118	-0.34	2.426	0.226	1.16	ZZ
AT84BH	X	35.397	33.151	94.56	40.001	37.801	193.18	ZZ
BQKKAK		2.132	-0.114	-0.32	2.312	0.112	0.57	ZZ
DG96FG		2.451	0.205	0.59	2.271	0.071	0.36	ZZ
DJBZ4Q		1.795	-0.451	-1.29	1.888	-0.312	-1.59	ZZ
GER8FG		1.833	-0.413	-1.18	1.956	-0.244	-1.25	ZZ
GX3WTE		2.120	-0.126	-0.36	2.307	0.107	0.55	ZZ
GXEXDR		2.295	0.049	0.14	2.359	0.159	0.81	ZZ
HGAQUJ	*	1.545	-0.701	-2.00	1.648	-0.552	-2.82	ZZ
HRR62R		2.215	-0.031	-0.09	2.268	0.068	0.35	ZZ
MPQT62		2.046	-0.200	-0.57	1.897	-0.303	-1.55	ZZ
NY78LA		2.877	0.631	1.80	2.170	-0.030	-0.15	ZZ
P9QVXM		2.226	-0.020	-0.06	2.378	0.178	0.91	ZZ
PBHVVY		2.092	-0.154	-0.44	2.250	0.050	0.26	ZZ
PEF9XQ		2.040	-0.206	-0.59	2.400	0.200	1.02	ZZ
XZ7MMX		2.758	0.512	1.46	2.113	-0.087	-0.44	ZZ
Z9WQPX		2.884	0.638	1.82	2.273	0.073	0.37	ZZ
ZGPZFF		2.163	-0.083	-0.24	2.099	-0.101	-0.51	ZZ
ZZ2NML		2.113	-0.133	-0.38	2.165	-0.035	-0.18	ZZ

Summary Statistics	Sample PS17	Sample PS18
Grand Means	2.25 Microns	2.20 Microns
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.35 Microns	0.20 Microns
Statistics based on 26 of 27 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3531

AT84BH (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



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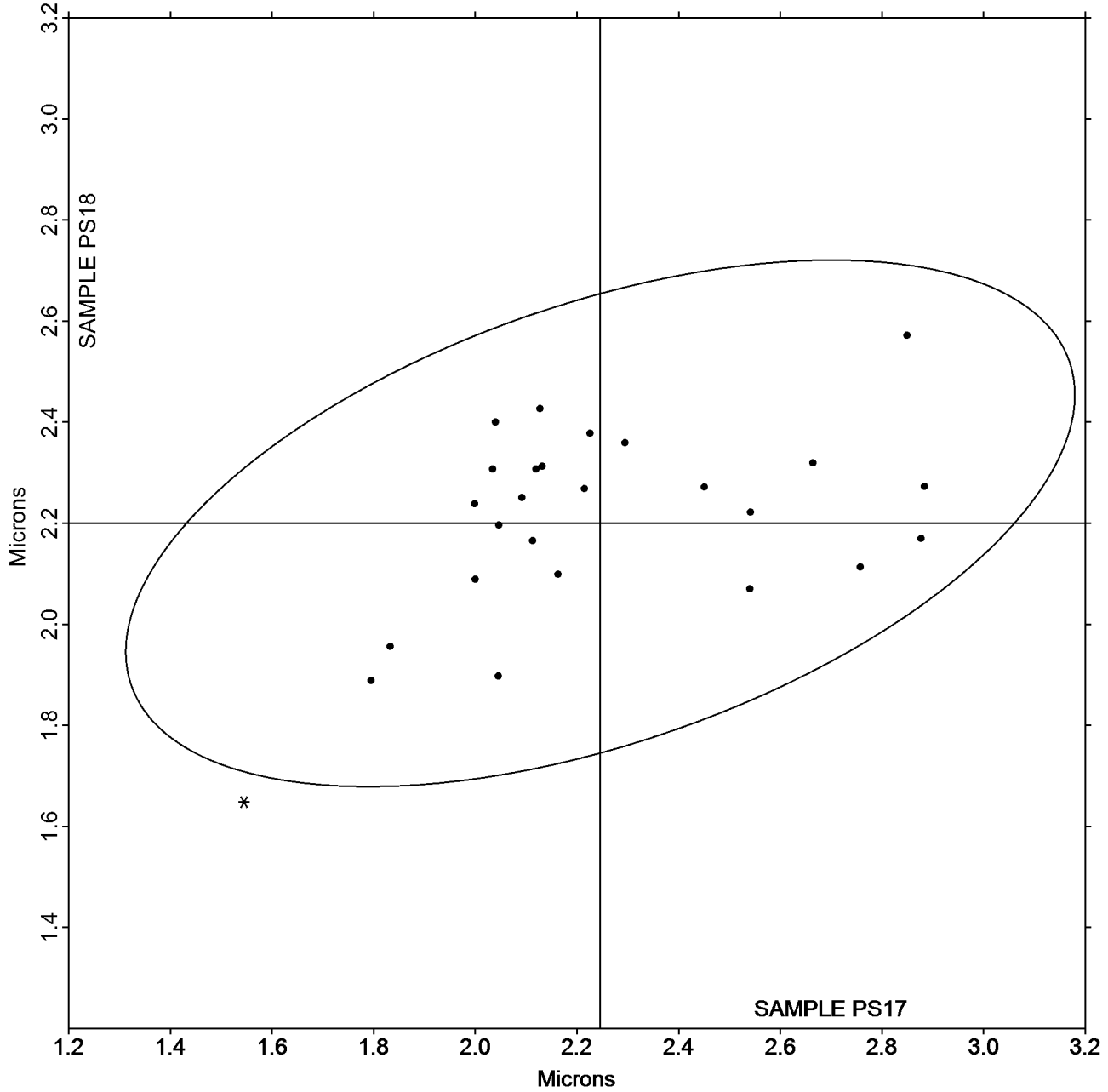
Roughness - Print Surf Method - 0.5 to 4.0 Microns

TAPPI Official Test Method T555

Grand Mean Sample PS17 = 2.2458
Microns

Grand Mean Sample PS18 = 2.1997
Microns

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Analysis 3545
Directional Brightness
TAPPI Official Test Method T452

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample BR17			Sample BR18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		84.63	-0.91	-0.69	84.96	-0.54	-0.47	TS
3Q8KA3		86.94	1.39	1.04	86.21	0.71	0.62	TP
3VYUFV		87.07	1.52	1.14	86.96	1.47	1.27	TD
4ERM8K	X	72.50	-13.05	-9.80	85.07	-0.42	-0.37	XX
6JK66W		84.78	-0.77	-0.58	84.73	-0.77	-0.67	TS
72F4HN		84.08	-1.47	-1.11	84.25	-1.25	-1.08	TD
8LXTDX		84.45	-1.10	-0.82	84.33	-1.17	-1.02	TP
BQKKAK		85.40	-0.15	-0.11	85.33	-0.17	-0.15	HG
DG96FG		85.07	-0.48	-0.36	85.07	-0.43	-0.37	HG
GX3WTE	X	72.01	-13.53	-10.16	72.65	-12.85	-11.13	XX
HGAQUJ		84.62	-0.93	-0.70	84.73	-0.77	-0.67	HZ
HRR62R		85.96	0.42	0.31	86.02	0.52	0.45	HG
M3BDPV		85.85	0.30	0.23	85.84	0.34	0.29	XX
MPQT62		85.58	0.03	0.02	85.86	0.36	0.31	TP
PBHVYV		84.61	-0.94	-0.70	84.44	-1.06	-0.92	TP
PEF9XQ		84.34	-1.21	-0.91	84.27	-1.23	-1.06	PP
Q98BK4	*	89.56	4.02	3.02	88.80	3.30	2.86	PE
RLPJZ2		85.36	-0.18	-0.14	85.50	0.00	0.00	XD
TWL2VZ		86.15	0.60	0.45	86.23	0.73	0.63	XX
XZ7MMX		86.63	1.08	0.81	86.51	1.01	0.88	TP
ZDTBZ9		84.34	-1.21	-0.91	84.45	-1.05	-0.91	TS

Summary Statistics	Sample BR17	Sample BR18
Grand Means	85.55 Percent	85.50 Percent
Std Dev Btw Labs	1.33 Percent	1.15 Percent

Statistics based on 19 of 21 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3545

- 4ERM8K (X) - Extreme Data for Sample BR17.
- GX3WTE (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

HG Hunter Labscan / XE	HZ Hunter Lab ColorFlex EZ Series
PE Photovolt 577	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	

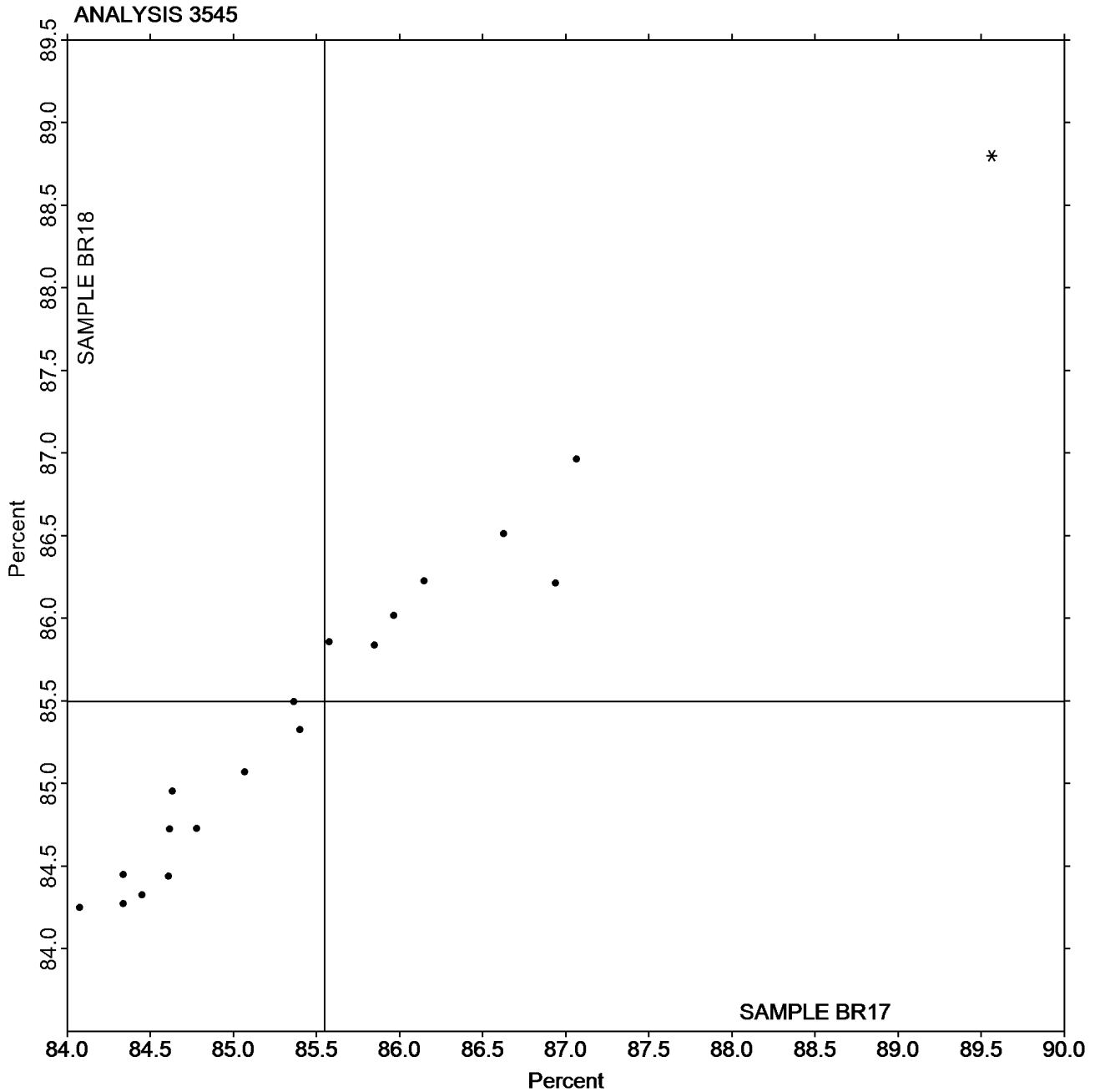


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Analysis 3545
Directional Brightness
TAPPI Official Test Method T452

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Grand Mean Sample BR17 = 85.547
Percent

Grand Mean Sample BR18 = 85.498
Percent



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 3547
Diffuse Brightness**

TAPPI Official Test Method T525

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample BR17			Sample BR18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		85.75	0.94	2.13	86.08	1.20	2.62	LT
3VYUFV		84.78	-0.02	-0.05	84.83	-0.04	-0.09	TC
6PP7YY		84.89	0.09	0.20	84.95	0.07	0.16	LE
8LXTDX		83.87	-0.93	-2.11	84.21	-0.67	-1.47	LT
8R4M8U		84.49	-0.31	-0.70	84.50	-0.37	-0.82	LT
DKNRUL		84.52	-0.29	-0.65	84.54	-0.34	-0.75	LE
FEAUGJ		84.94	0.14	0.32	84.95	0.07	0.16	TC
FJ6PXX		84.69	-0.11	-0.26	84.69	-0.18	-0.40	LT
HRR62R		85.21	0.41	0.93	85.22	0.34	0.74	TC
MPQT62		84.82	0.02	0.04	84.88	0.00	0.00	EA
NRL4E8	X	68.84	-15.96	-36.07	68.99	-15.88	-34.71	TC
NY78LA	X	68.76	-16.04	-36.25	69.15	-15.73	-34.36	TC
XZ7MMX		84.78	-0.02	-0.05	84.85	-0.03	-0.06	TC
ZGPZFF		84.89	0.09	0.20	84.84	-0.04	-0.08	TC

Summary Statistics	Sample BR17	Sample BR18
Grand Means	84.80 Percent	84.88 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.44 Percent	0.46 Percent
Statistics based on 12 of 14 reporting participants.		

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3547

NY78LA (X) - Extreme Data.

NRL4E8 (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

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



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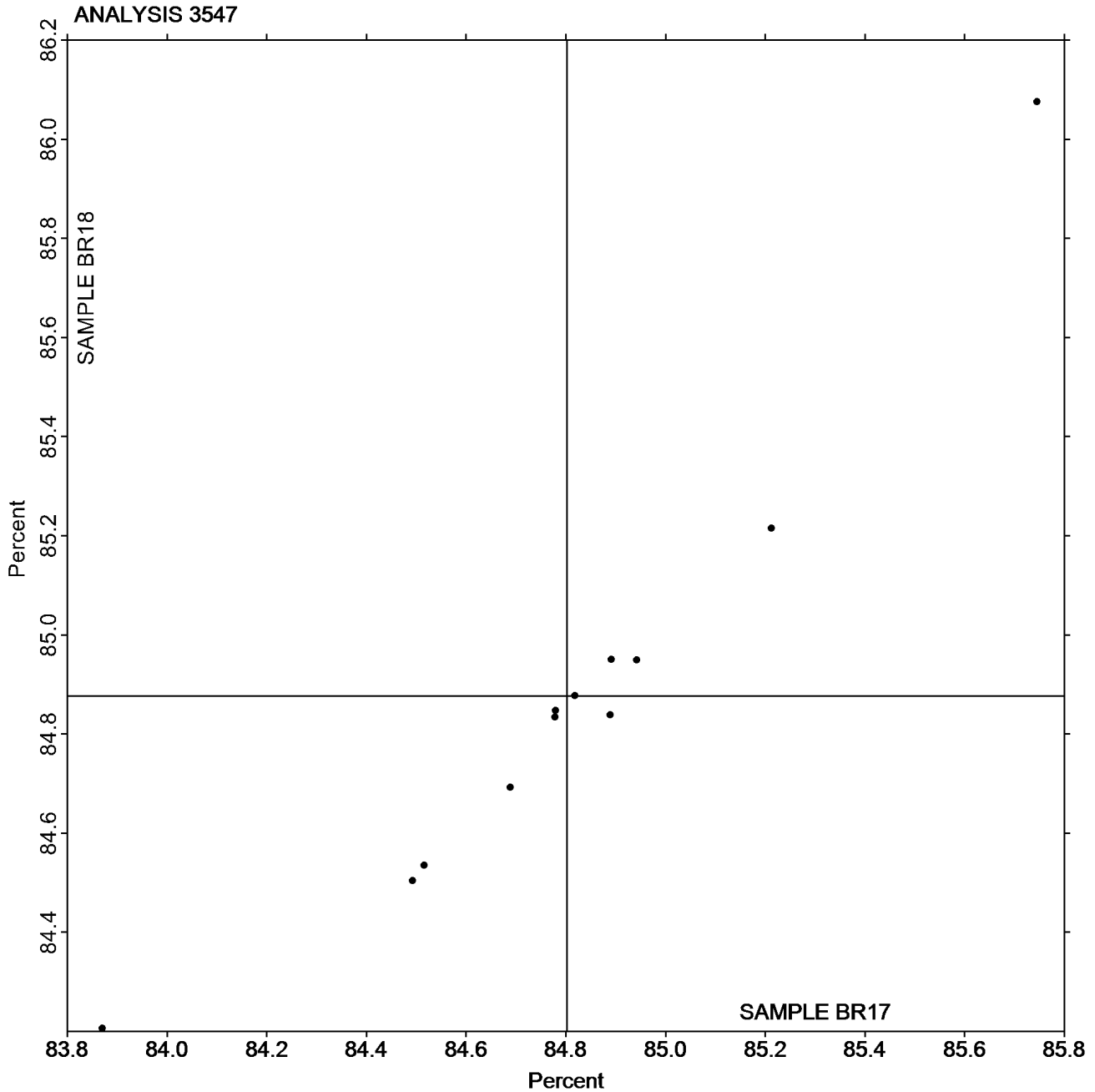
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Analysis 3547 Diffuse Brightness

TAPPI Official Test Method T525

Grand Mean Sample BR17 = 84.802
Percent

Grand Mean Sample BR18 = 84.877
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**

**Report #4242,
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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	ΔL	Δa	Δb	ΔE	
3DHCXV	X	CA17	92.64	0.02	1.24	-0.11	-0.04	-0.08	0.15	TS
		CA18	92.52 *	-0.02	1.16					
3MN773		CA17	94.77	-0.49	1.86	0.01	-0.03	0.00	0.03	TC
		CA18	94.78	-0.52	1.86					
3VYUFV		CA17	93.25	-0.61	1.94	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	TC
		CA18	93.27	-0.61	1.95					
6CG6LU		CA17	94.92	-0.44	2.21	-0.02	-0.03	-0.01	0.04	XX
		CA18	94.89	-0.47	2.20					
72F4HN		CA17	92.32	-0.22	1.24	0.04	0.02	0.00	0.04	TC
		CA18	92.36	-0.20	1.24					
8CUDPE	X	CA17	92.38	0.07	1.36	0.10	0.01	0.02	0.10	TS
		CA18	92.48	0.08	1.38					
BQKKAK		CA17	93.50	-0.44	1.72	0.00	-0.06	0.08	0.10	HK
		CA18	93.50	-0.50	1.80					
DAGWPH	X	CA17	94.09	0.42	0.68	-0.09	-0.01	-0.06	0.11	TS
		CA18	94.00	0.40	0.63					
DG96FG		CA17	93.67	-0.59	1.65	-0.02	0.00	-0.01	0.02	HK
		CA18	93.65	-0.59	1.64					
DKNRUL		CA17	94.65	-0.55	1.92	0.00	0.01	-0.01	0.01	LS
		CA18	94.65	-0.54	1.91					
GX3WTE	X	CA17	86.07	-0.28	-0.58	0.18	-0.01	-0.03	0.18	XX
		CA18	86.25	-0.29	-0.61					
HRR62R		CA17	93.82	-0.40	1.86	0.02	0.02	-0.01	0.03	HF
		CA18	93.85	-0.38	1.85					
PEF9XQ		CA17	93.32	-0.56	1.95	0.04	-0.06	0.04	0.08	TC
		CA18	93.35	-0.62	1.99					
Q98BK4		CA17	92.58	-0.56	1.53	0.04	-0.03	0.05	0.07	XX
		CA18	92.62	-0.59	1.58					
TWL2VZ		CA17	93.80	-0.68	3.52	-0.01	0.06	-0.02	0.07	XX
		CA18	93.80	-0.61	3.50 *					
XZ7MMX		CA17	93.31	-0.61	1.90	0.03	0.05	-0.07	0.09	TC
		CA18	93.34	-0.56	1.83					



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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Grand Means			Summary Statistics				
CA17	93.534	-0.494	1.773				
CA18	93.538	-0.498	1.768	0.013	-0.004	0.004	0.051
Std Dev Btw Labs							
CA17	0.839	0.135	0.619				
CA18	0.825	0.133	0.625	0.022	0.039	0.037	0.029

Statistics based on 12 of 16 reporting participants

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3549

- 3DHCXV (X) - High "a" values for both samples. Inconsistent within replicate readings of "a" for both samples. Small delta L. Large delta E.
- 8CUDPE (X) - High "a" values for both samples. Inconsistent within replicate readings of "a" for both samples. Large delta L.
- DAGWPH (X) - Extreme data for both "a" values. Inconsistent within replicate readings of "a" for Sample CA18. Small delta L.
- GX3WTE (X) - Extreme data for both "L" values. Low "b" values for both samples. Inconsistent within replicate readings of "b" for Sample CA18. Large delta L & E.

Analysis Notes:

- DAGWPH - Due to CTS graphs using Absolute Values, data Flag is located within consensus data. However, "a" data is higher than the negative Grand Mean as shown above graphs.
- GX3WTE - Due to CTS graphs using Absolute Values, data Flag is located within consensus data. However, "b" data is lower than the positive Grand Mean as shown above graphs.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

HF	Hunter LabScan II	HK	Hunter LabScan XE
LS	L & W Elrepho SE 070	TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series
TS	Technidyne Brightimeter Micro S-5	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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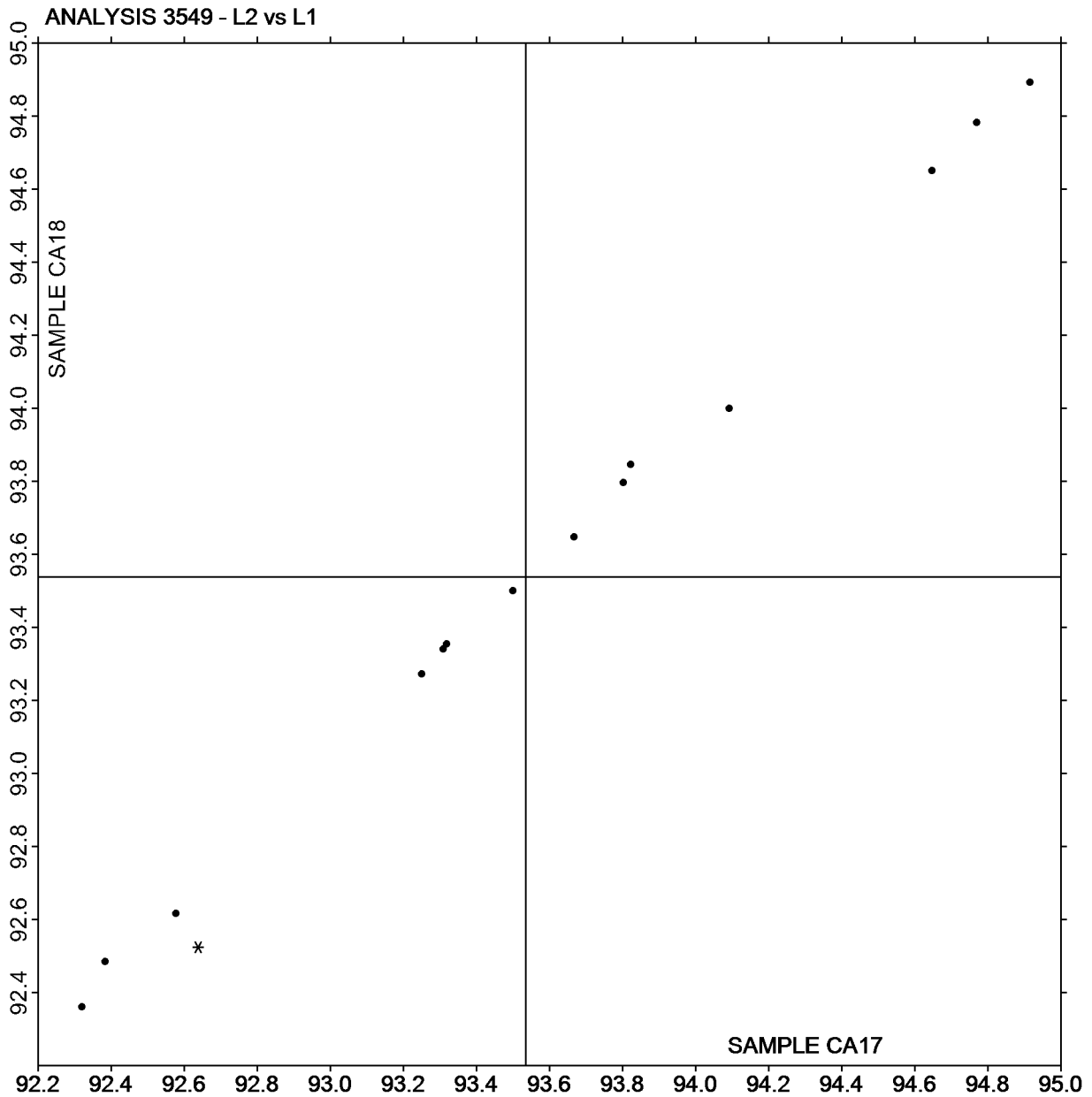
Analysis 3549

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Plot of L values CA18 vs L values CA17



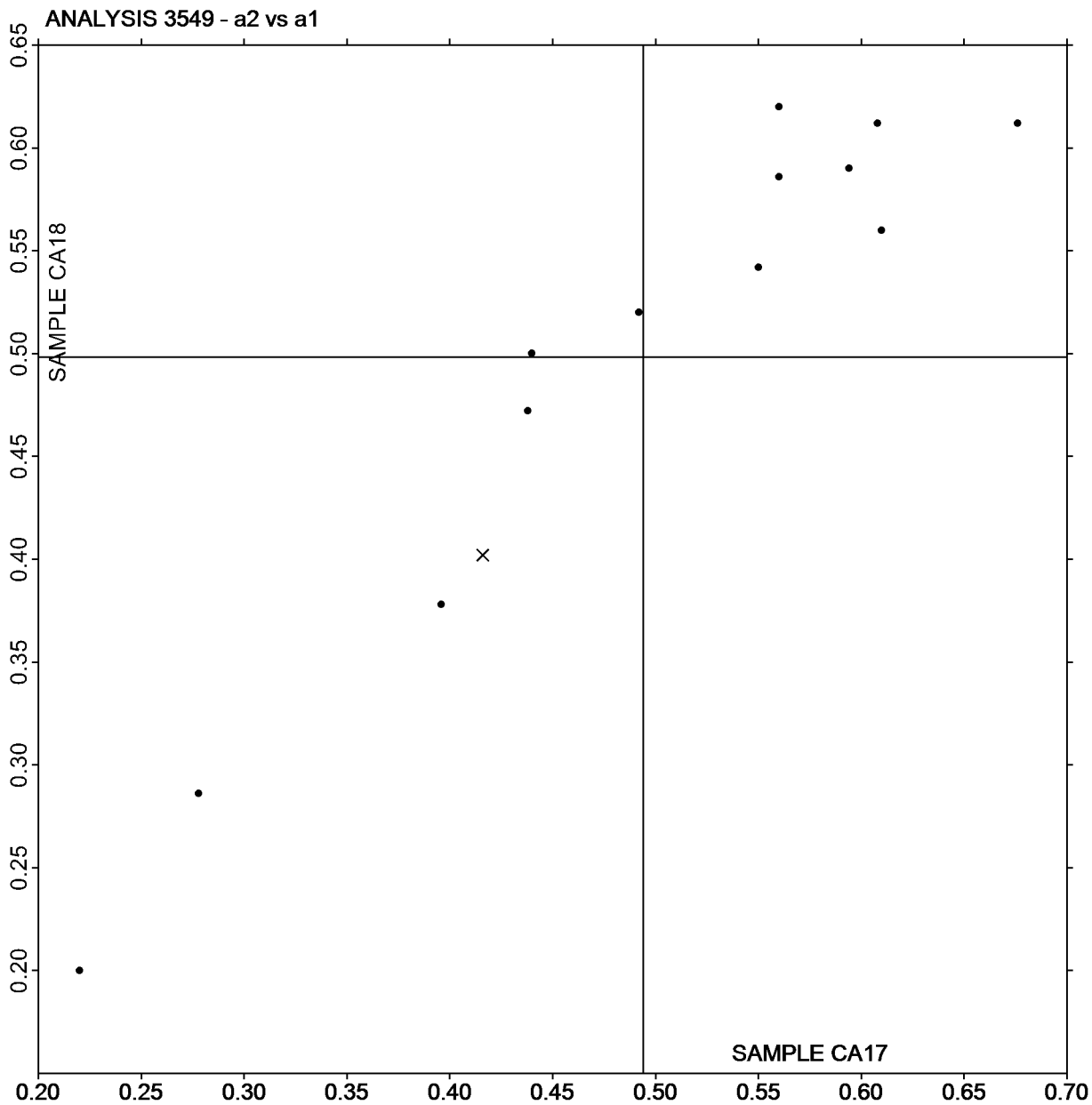
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant C - 2 Degree Observer

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Plot of a values CA18 vs a values CA17



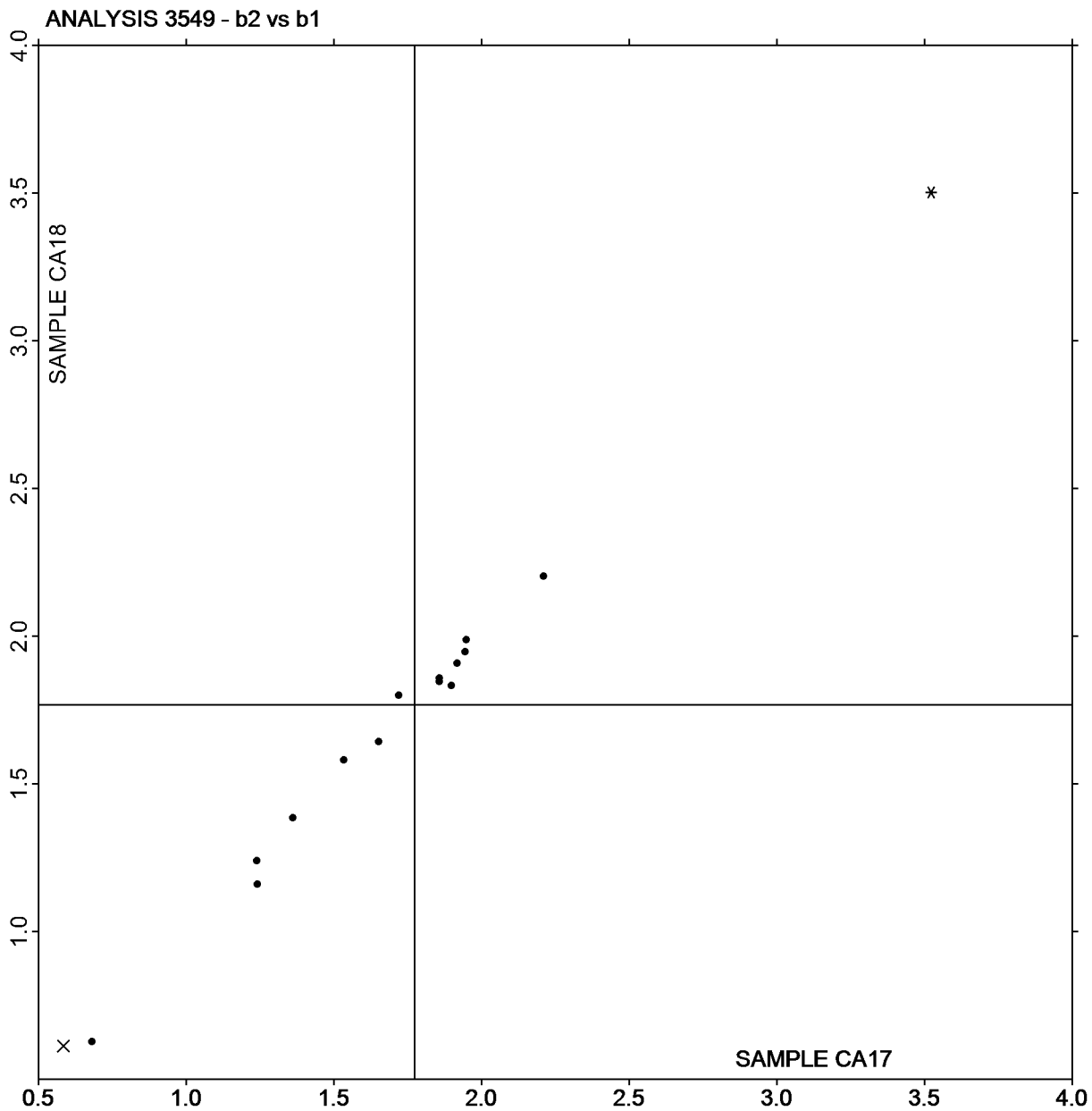
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Analysis 3549
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant C - 2 Degree Observer

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Plot of b values CA18 vs b values CA17



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Analysis 3551**

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**Color & Color Difference - Near White Papers - D65/10deg obs
Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer**

Web Code	Data Flag	Samples	Hunter L, a, b Color Values			Color Difference Values				Instr Code
			L	a	b	ΔL	Δa	Δb	ΔE	
4MJ9BX		CA17	94.77	-0.71	1.86	-0.02	0.03	-0.05	0.06	TC
		CA18	94.75	-0.68	1.81					
7DAFY9		CA17	94.45	-0.57	1.79	-0.05	-0.01	0.00	0.05	XC
		CA18	94.40	-0.58	1.79					
8LXTDX		CA17	94.77	-0.53	2.05	0.02	-0.01	0.00	0.02	LT
		CA18	94.78	-0.54	2.05					
8XDJDN		CA17	94.93	-0.55	1.96	0.00	0.01	-0.05	0.05	XX
		CA18	94.94	-0.54	1.91					
B43CTK	X	CA17	94.07	-5.80	8.33	0.03	1.21	5.71	5.83	XC
		CA18	94.10	-4.58	14.03					
BHPG6M		CA17	95.14	-0.51	1.65	-0.03	-0.02	0.11	0.12	NF
		CA18	95.11	-0.53	1.77					
FJ6PXX		CA17	94.75	-0.54	2.01	-0.01	-0.01	0.01	0.02	LS
		CA18	94.74	-0.54	2.02					
HRR62R		CA17	93.30	-0.55	1.56	-0.03	0.02	0.00	0.03	TC
		CA18	93.27	-0.53	1.56					
JEZ6JN		CA17	94.71	-0.53	2.03	0.11	0.08	-0.50	0.52	MN
		CA18	94.82	-0.45	1.53					
MPQT62		CA17	94.73	-0.61	1.95	-0.01	-0.01	-0.03	0.03	EH
		CA18	94.72	-0.62	1.92					
P9QVXM		CA17	94.76	-0.55	1.91	0.00	-0.01	0.03	0.04	TC
		CA18	94.75	-0.56	1.94					
PBHVYV		CA17	93.82	-0.44	1.73	-0.01	0.02	-0.08	0.08	HE
		CA18	93.81	-0.42	1.65					
RYG69G		CA17	94.82	-0.51	2.10	-0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	XX
		CA18	94.81	-0.51	2.10					
T2FXH7		CA17	95.07	-0.46	1.80	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	XX
		CA18	95.09	-0.44	1.82					
XM6V2T		CA17	95.21	-0.42	1.55	0.15	-0.04	0.03	0.16	XX
		CA18	95.37	-0.46	1.58					



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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Grand Means			Summary Statistics					
CA17	94.621	-0.534	1.853					
CA18	94.631	-0.529	1.818	0.009	0.005	-0.035	0.087	
Stnd Dev Btwn Labs								
CA17	0.520	0.072	0.179					
CA18	0.539	0.071	0.185	0.056	0.028	0.141	0.131	

Statistics based on 14 of 15 reporting participants

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3551

B43CTK (X) - Extreme data for both "a" & "b" values. Large delta a, b and E.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

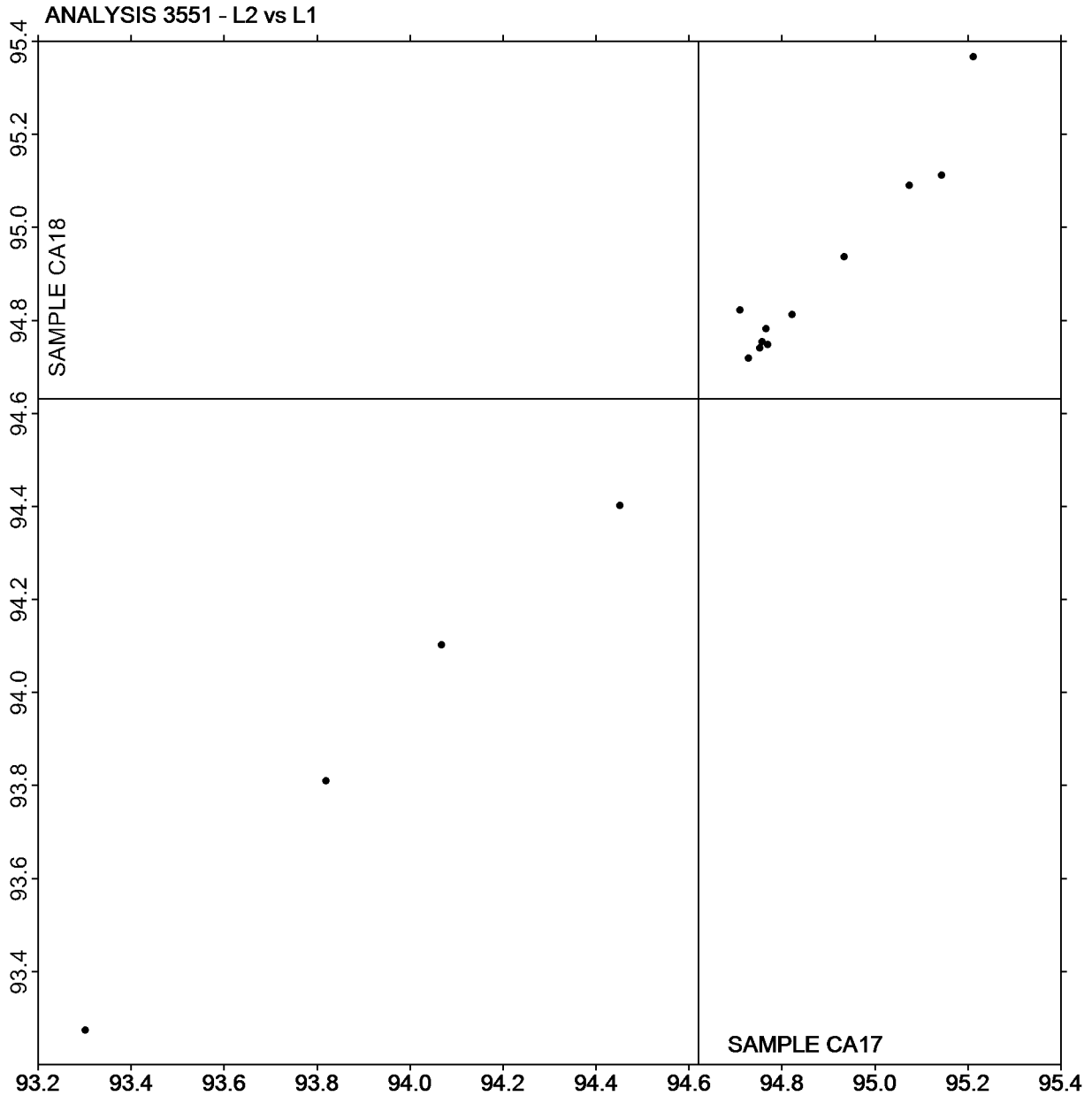
EH	Datacolor Elrepho SF450	HE	Hunter LabScan
LS	L & W Elrepho SE 070	LT	L & W Elrepho SE 071
MN	Minolta (model not specified)	NF	Minolta CM-3600d Spectrophotometer
TC	Technidyne Color Touch Series	XC	X-Rite eXact Series
XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab		



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Analysis 3551
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of L values CA18 vs L values CA17



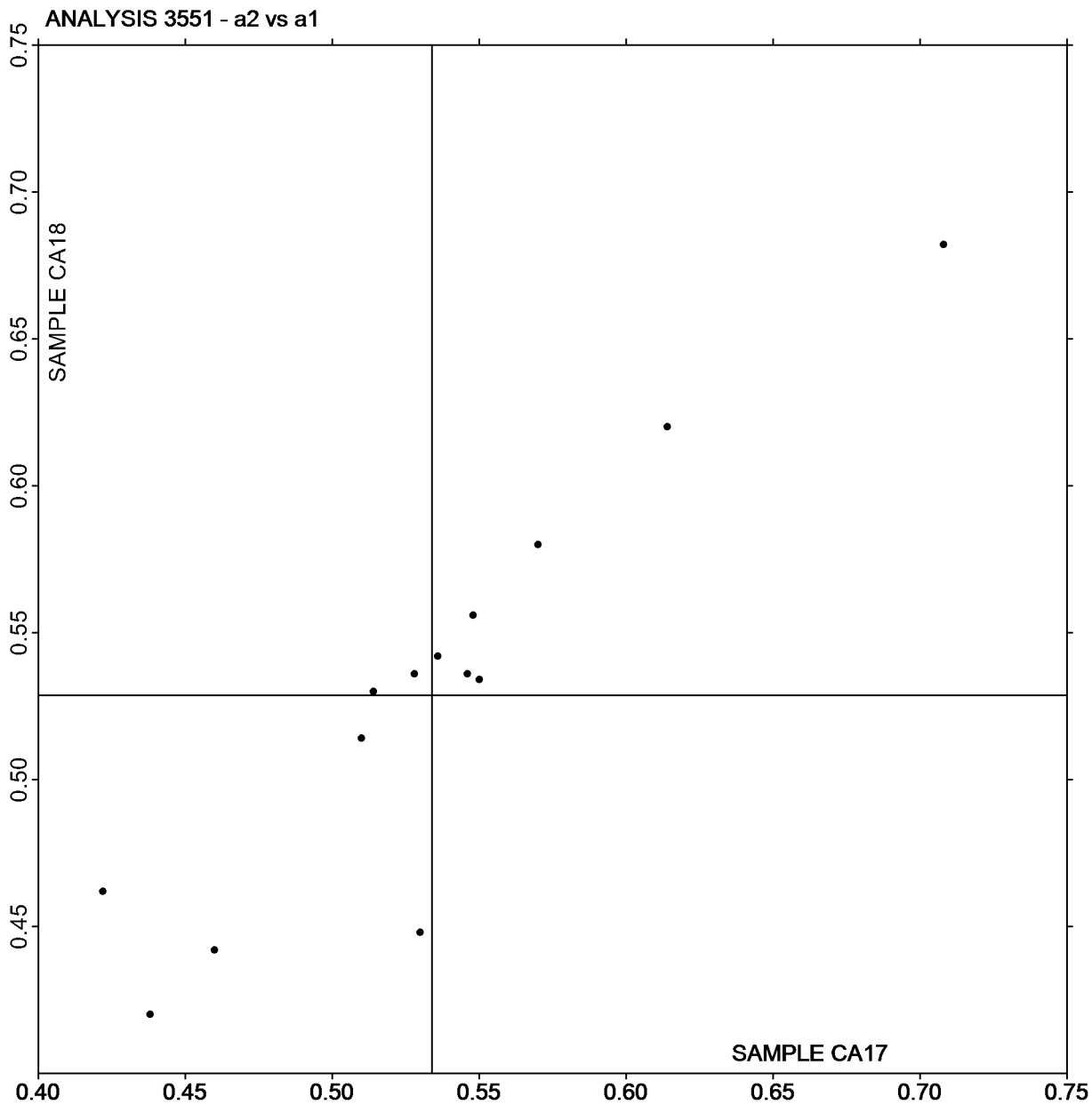
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of a values CA18 vs a values CA17



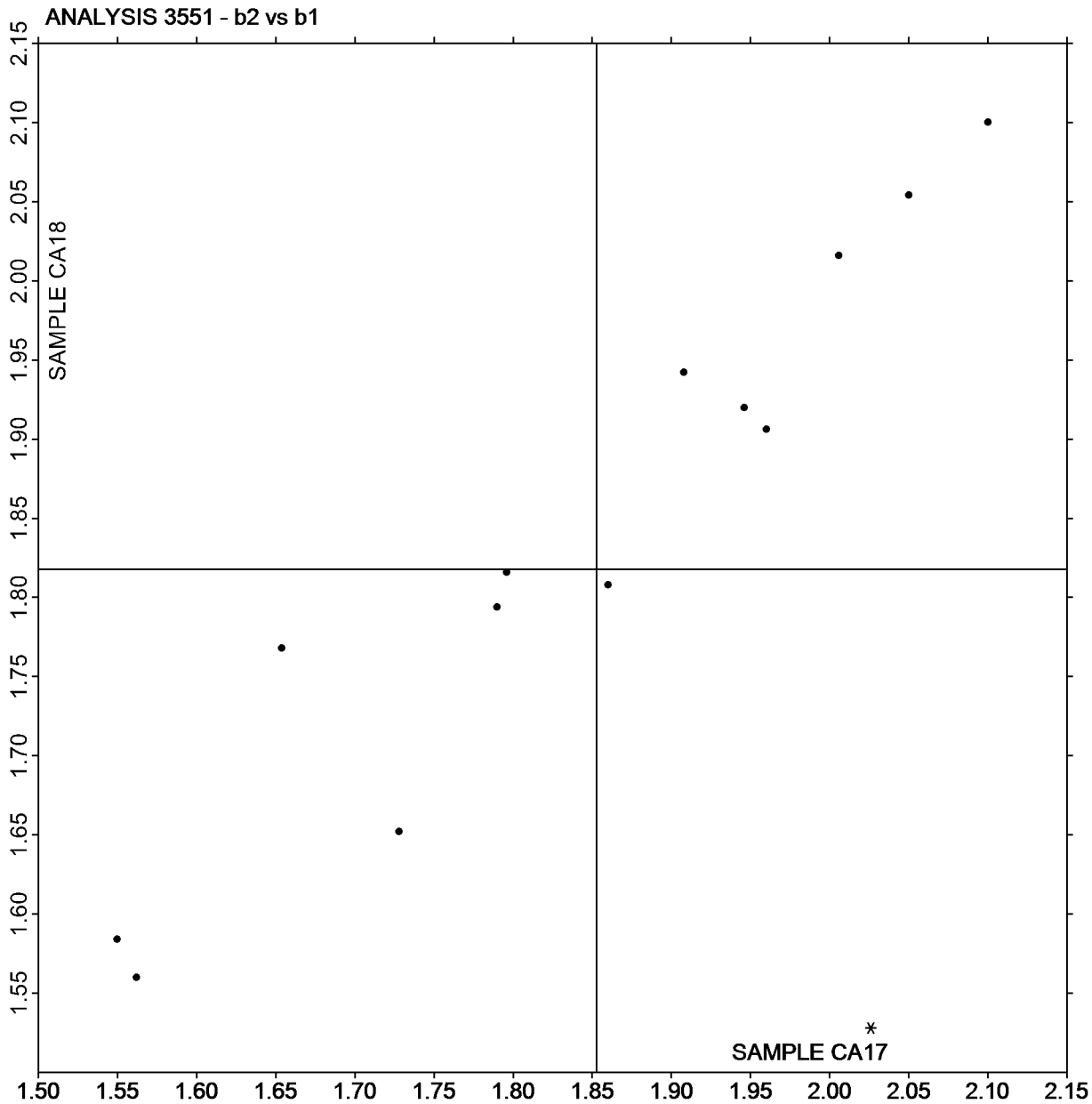
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Analysis 3551
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Hunter L,a,b - Illuminant D65 - 10 Degree Observer

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Plot of b values CA18 vs b values CA17



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 3553

Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - High Range

TAPPI Official Test Method T480

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GH17			Sample GH18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3VXVLM		65.11	-0.51	-0.28	64.34	-0.66	-0.43	LG
3VYUFV		68.78	3.16	1.71	67.79	2.79	1.80	XX
72F4HN		60.89	-4.73	-2.56	61.42	-3.58	-2.32	LA
8LXTDX		63.20	-2.42	-1.31	63.71	-1.29	-0.83	GA
8R4M8U		64.52	-1.10	-0.60	65.65	0.65	0.42	LW
A3JYVC		66.97	1.35	0.73	65.45	0.45	0.29	VM
B43CTK		65.37	-0.25	-0.14	64.39	-0.61	-0.39	GM
BQKKAK		64.82	-0.80	-0.44	63.55	-1.45	-0.94	TP
DAGWPH		65.99	0.37	0.20	64.48	-0.52	-0.34	PT
DG96FG		66.38	0.76	0.41	64.90	-0.10	-0.06	PP
DJBZ4Q		67.37	1.75	0.94	67.03	2.03	1.31	LF
MPQT62		65.92	0.30	0.16	66.42	1.42	0.92	TH
P9QVXM		66.02	0.40	0.21	64.49	-0.51	-0.33	LF
PEF9XQ		66.56	0.94	0.51	65.57	0.56	0.37	PP
XZ7MMX		66.47	0.85	0.46	65.82	0.82	0.53	GM

Summary Statistics	Sample GH17	Sample GH18
Grand Means	65.62 Gloss Units	65.00 Gloss Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	1.85 Gloss Units	1.55 Gloss Units

Statistics based on 15 of 15 reporting participants.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

GA BYK-Gardner (model not specified)	GM BYK-Gardner micro-gloss
LA L & W Gloss - Autoline 300	LF L & W Autoline 400
LG L & W Autoline 600	LW L & W Gloss Tester
PP Technidyne Profile/Plus	PT PTA Line Gloss Meter
TH Technidyne T480A	TP Technidyne Profile Plus
VM Valmet PaperLab (was Kajaani/Robotest)	XX Instrument make/model not specified by lab



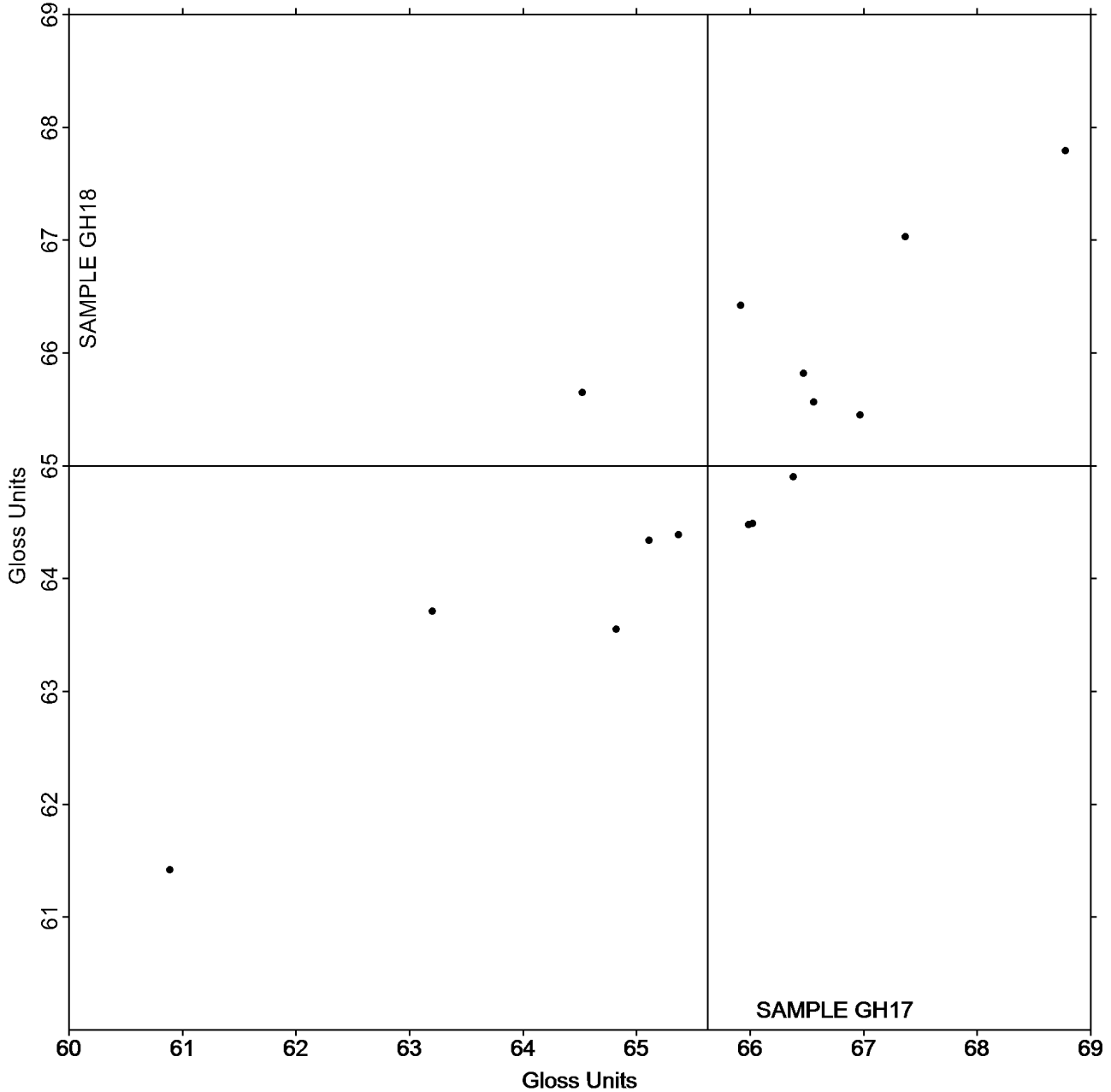
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Grand Mean Sample GH17 = 65.625
Gloss Units

Grand Mean Sample GH18 = 65.000
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.



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Analysis 3555

Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range

TAPPI Official Test Method T480

WebCode	Data Flag	Sample GL17			Sample GL18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3VYUFV		48.95	2.58	1.38	49.47	1.18	0.67	XX
4J6N7W		43.06	-3.31	-1.77	45.74	-2.55	-1.44	WJ
8CUDPE		46.53	0.16	0.08	48.01	-0.28	-0.16	TP
8MC68W		44.42	-1.95	-1.04	45.93	-2.36	-1.33	GM
8R4M8U		47.12	0.75	0.40	50.21	1.92	1.08	LW
HGAQUJ		46.45	0.08	0.04	47.95	-0.34	-0.19	GS
HRR62R		47.95	1.58	0.84	50.41	2.12	1.20	PP
RLPJZ2		46.50	0.13	0.07	48.60	0.31	0.18	TH

Summary Statistics	Sample GL17	Sample GL18
Grand Means	46.37 Gloss Units	48.29 Gloss Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	1.87 Gloss Units	1.77 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
LW	L & W Gloss Tester	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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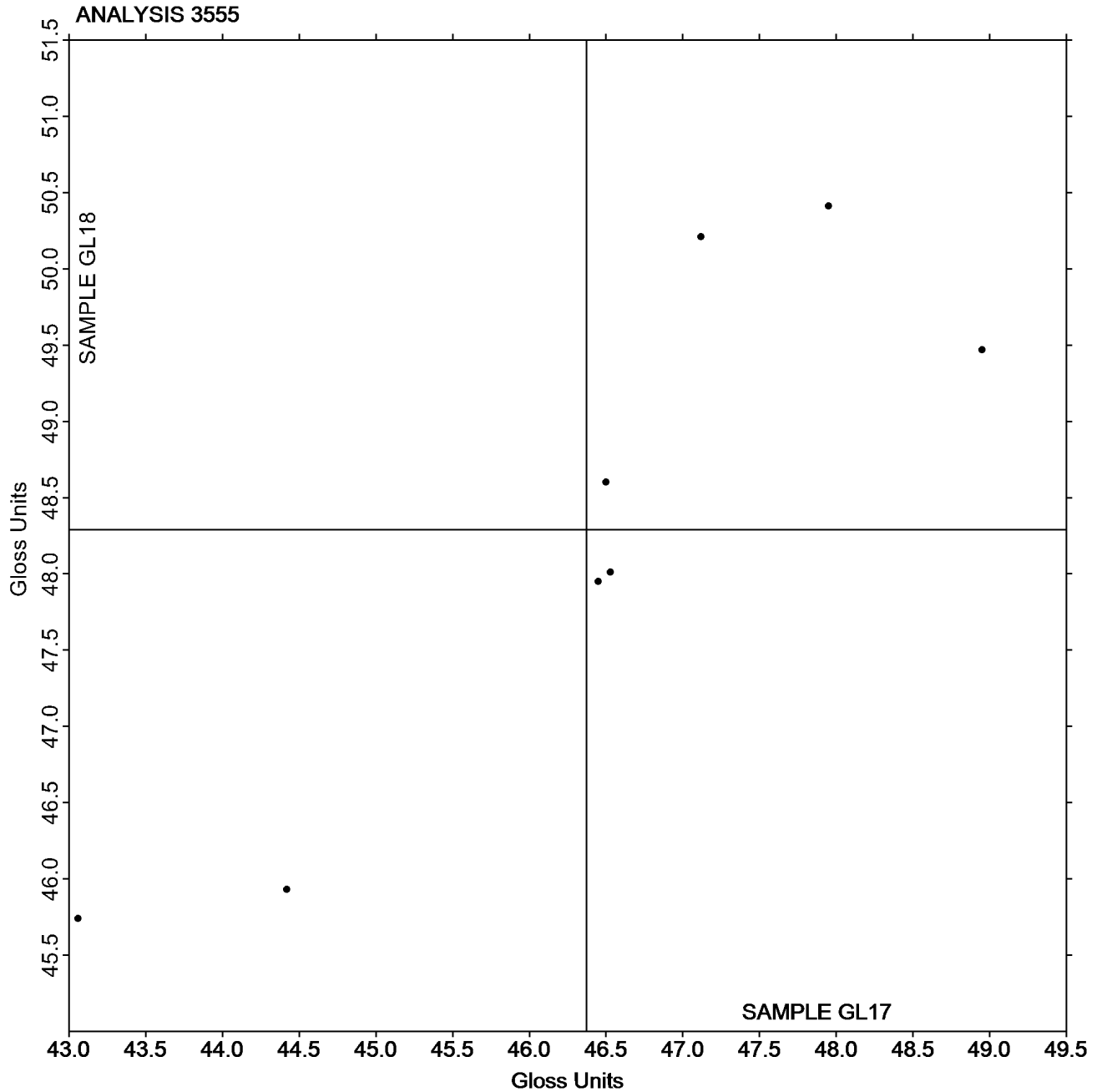
Analysis 3555

Specular Gloss at 75 Degrees - Low Range

TAPPI Official Test Method T480

Grand Mean Sample GL17 = 46.373
Gloss Units

Grand Mean Sample GL18 = 48.290
Gloss Units



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Paper & Paperboard Interlaboratory Testing Program
Analysis 3601
Folding Endurance (MIT) - Double Folds
TAPPI Official Test Method T511

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WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample MT17</u>			<u>Sample MT18</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
8LXTDX		42.10	-1.00	-0.09	46.70	-1.56	-0.10	MT
8XDJDN		34.70	-8.40	-0.77	41.50	-6.76	-0.44	XX
A3JYVC		46.00	2.90	0.27	52.20	3.94	0.26	MT
BWPJKA		51.10	8.00	0.74	64.20	15.94	1.04	XX
GER8FG		48.30	5.20	0.48	47.60	-0.66	-0.04	MT
RLPJZ2		23.70	-19.40	-1.79	20.00	-28.26	-1.84	MT
YKU7FV		55.80	12.70	1.17	65.60	17.34	1.13	MT

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample MT17</u>	<u>Sample MT18</u>
Grand Means	43.10 Double Folds	48.26 Double Folds
Std Dev Btwn Labs	10.87 Double Folds	15.37 Double Folds
Statistics based on 7 of 7 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

MT MIT - Tinius Olsen

XX Instrument make/model not specified by lab



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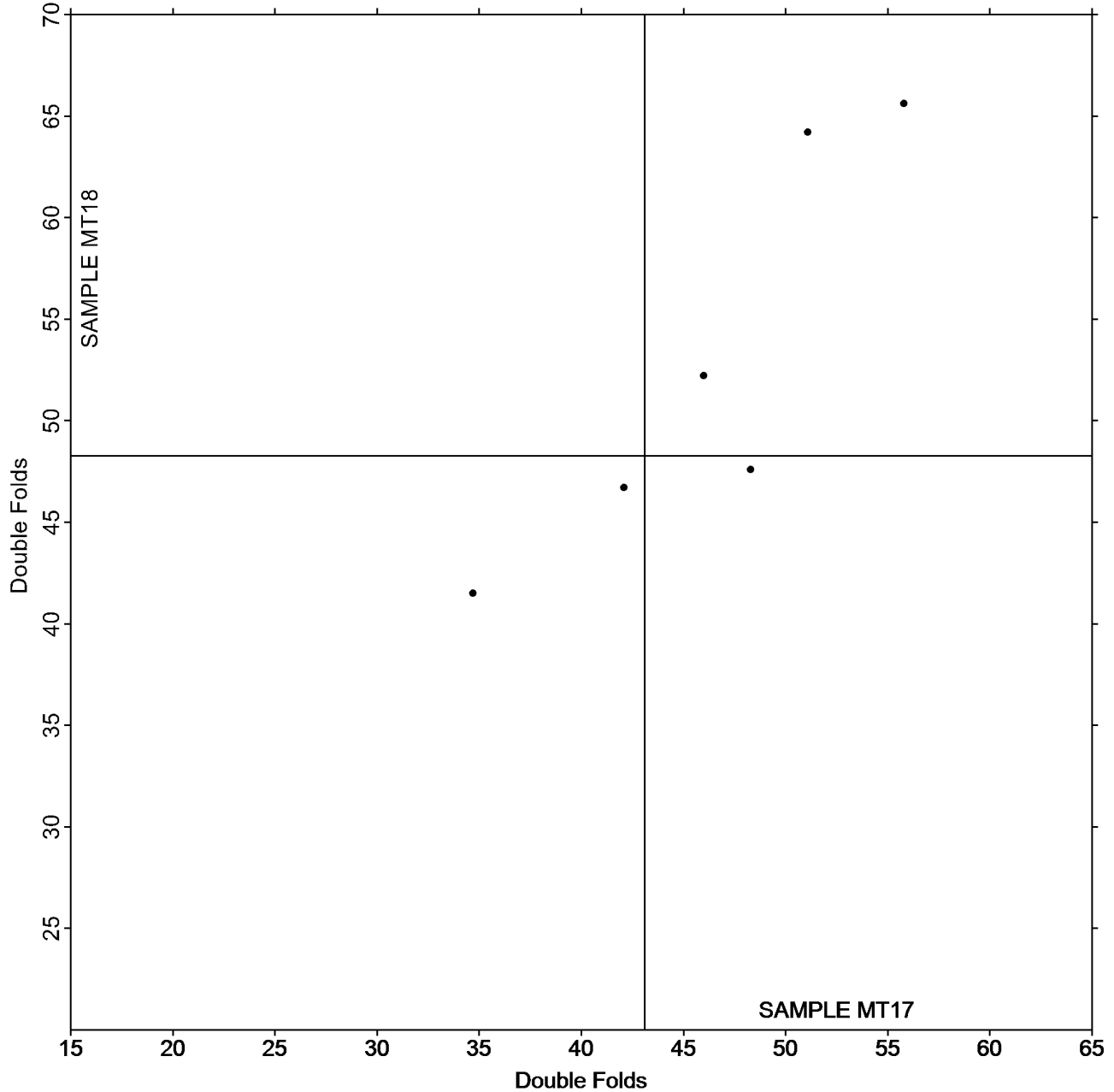
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Analysis 3601 Folding Endurance (MIT) - Double Folds TAPPI Official Test Method T511

Grand Mean Sample MT17 = 43.100
Double Folds

Grand Mean Sample MT18 = 48.257
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 BG17</u>			<u>Sample BG18</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
4ERM8K		157.0	12.3	1.53	151.5	9.1	1.47	ZZ
6L7V72		148.7	4.0	0.50	139.9	-2.5	-0.40	ZZ
7DAFY9		152.5	7.8	0.97	148.1	5.7	0.92	ZZ
A3JYVC	X	229.8	85.1	10.55	220.2	77.8	12.51	ZZ
GER8FG		132.1	-12.6	-1.57	135.8	-6.6	-1.06	ZZ
JEZ6JN		136.5	-8.2	-1.01	132.8	-9.6	-1.54	ZZ
LKH7ZD		150.5	5.8	0.72	148.7	6.4	1.03	ZZ
PBHVVY		138.3	-6.4	-0.79	138.9	-3.4	-0.55	ZZ
QZD7Q3		138.2	-6.5	-0.80	137.8	-4.6	-0.73	ZZ
RLPJZ2		148.4	3.7	0.46	144.1	1.7	0.28	ZZ
ZGPZFF		144.7	0.0	0.00	146.1	3.7	0.59	ZZ

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample BG17</u>	<u>Sample BG18</u>
Grand Means	144.71 Gurley Units	142.36 Gurley Units
Std Dev Btwn Labs	8.07 Gurley Units	6.22 Gurley Units
	Statistics based on 10 of 11 reporting participants.	

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3603

A3JYVC (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



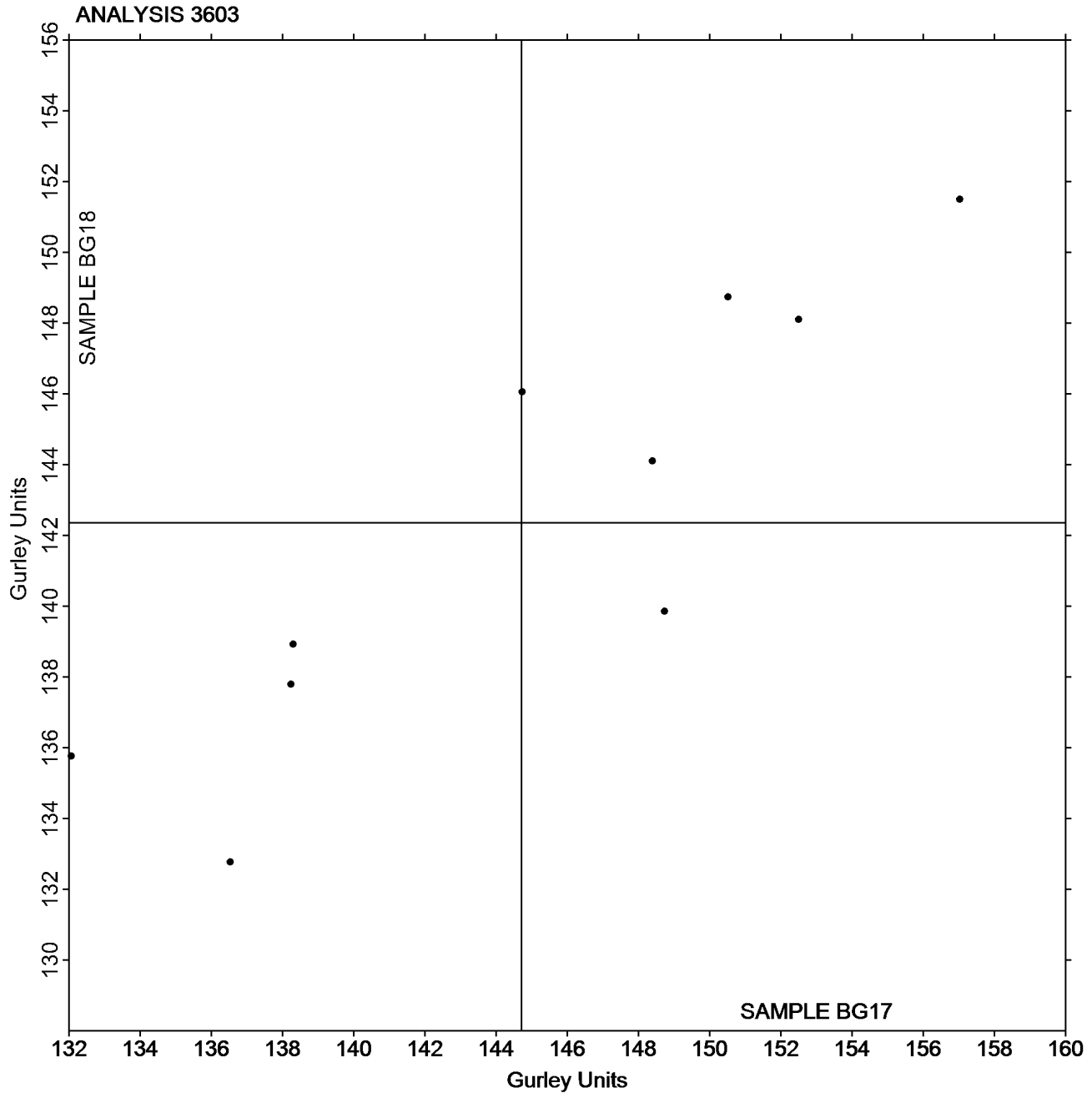
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Analysis 3603 Bending Resistance, Gurley Type TAPPI Official Test Method T543

Grand Mean Sample BG17 = 144.71
Gurley Units

Grand Mean Sample BG18 = 142.36
Gurley 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 3611
Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample CF17			Sample CF18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		0.5980	0.0254	0.25	0.5378	-0.0589	-0.88	TA
6CG6LU	X	527.2000	526.6274	5,211.08	484.2000	483.6033	7,244.77	XX
8CUDPE		0.6552	0.0826	0.82	0.6108	0.0141	0.21	TA
CD6AUT		0.3260	-0.2466	-2.44	0.5380	-0.0587	-0.88	XX
GER8FG		0.6320	0.0594	0.59	0.6696	0.0729	1.09	XX
GXEXDR		0.6563	0.0837	0.83	0.6363	0.0396	0.59	TN
JEZ6JN		0.6020	0.0294	0.29	0.6700	0.0733	1.10	TP
LKH7ZD		0.6520	0.0794	0.79	0.6740	0.0773	1.16	TA
PBHVVY		0.5322	-0.0404	-0.40	0.5166	-0.0801	-1.20	TA
TN83E4		0.5650	-0.0076	-0.08	0.6076	0.0109	0.16	TA
TWL2VZ		0.5074	-0.0652	-0.65	0.5060	-0.0907	-1.36	XX

Summary Statistics	Sample CF17	Sample CF18
Grand Means	0.57 COF	0.60 COF
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.10 COF	0.07 COF

Statistics based on 10 of 11 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3611

6CG6LU (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

TA	Thwing-Albert Friction Tester	TN	TMI 32-07 Monitor/Slip and Friction
TP	TMI 32-25 COF Tester (Inclined Plane)	XX	Instrument make/model not specified by lab

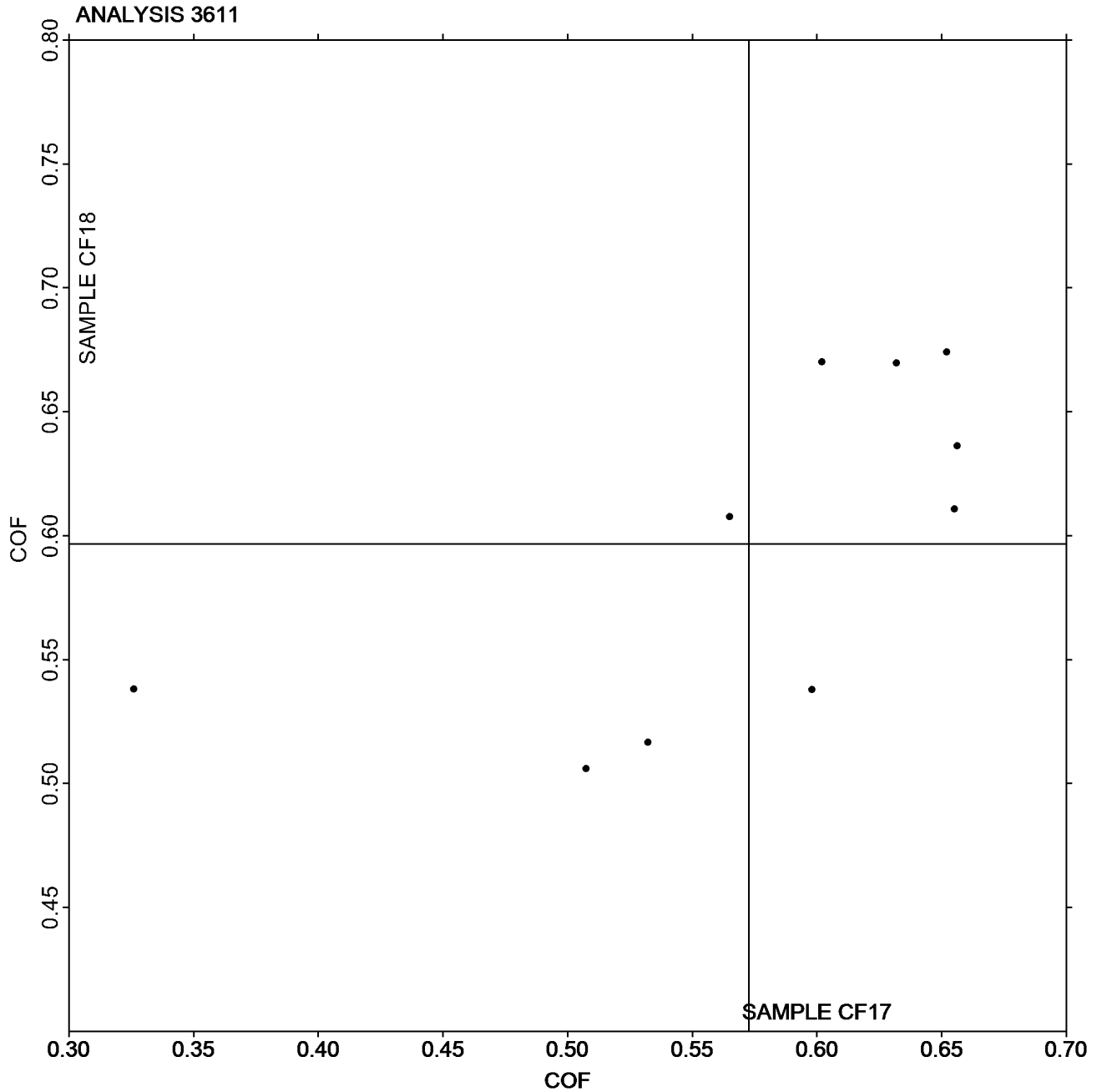


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Analysis 3611
Coefficient of Static Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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Grand Mean Sample CF17 = 0.57261
COF

Grand Mean Sample CF18 =
0.59667 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 3612
Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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WebCode	Data Flag	Sample CF17			Sample CF18			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
3DHCXV		0.4328	-0.0530	-0.61	0.3966	-0.0947	-1.52	TA
6CG6LU	X	475.0000	474.5142	5,429.64	472.8000	472.3087	7,586.57	XX
8CUDPE		0.5502	0.0644	0.74	0.4696	-0.0217	-0.35	TA
CD6AUT		0.2800	-0.2058	-2.35	0.4740	-0.0173	-0.28	XX
GER8FG		0.5196	0.0338	0.39	0.5678	0.0765	1.23	XX
GXEXDR		0.5648	0.0790	0.90	0.5495	0.0582	0.94	TN
LKH7ZD		0.5420	0.0562	0.64	0.5440	0.0527	0.85	TA
PBHVVY		0.4722	-0.0136	-0.16	0.4500	-0.0413	-0.66	TA
TN83E4		0.5178	0.0320	0.37	0.5462	0.0549	0.88	TA
TWL2VZ		0.4926	0.0068	0.08	0.4240	-0.0673	-1.08	XX

Summary Statistics	Sample CF17	Sample CF18
Grand Means	0.49 COF	0.49 COF
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.09 COF	0.06 COF

Statistics based on 9 of 10 reporting participants.

Comments on Assigned Data Flags for Test #3612

6CG6LU (X) - Extreme Data.

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

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

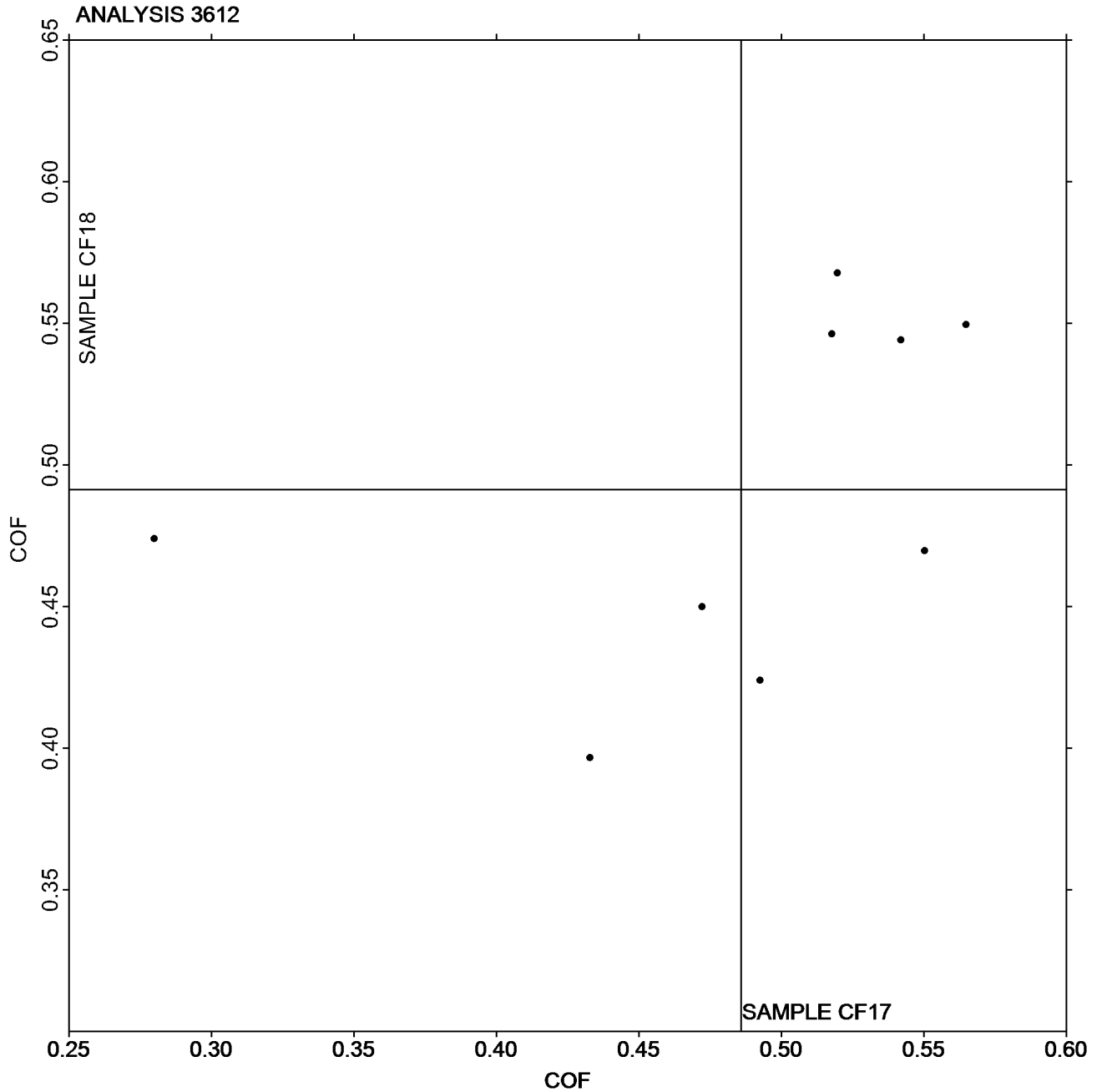


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Analysis 3612
Coefficient of Kinetic Friction - Horizontal Plane Method - Printing Papers
TAPPI Official Test Method T549

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Grand Mean Sample CF17 = 0.48577
COF

Grand Mean Sample CF18 =
0.49130 COF



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 3613
Moisture in Paper**

TAPPI Official Test Method T412

WebCode	Data Flag	<u>Sample MC17</u>			<u>Sample MC18</u>			Instr Code
		Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	Lab Mean	Diff from Grand Mean	CPV	
4J6N7W		3.845	-0.154	-0.34	3.825	-0.177	-0.39	ZZ
6L7V72		4.091	0.092	0.21	4.077	0.076	0.17	ZZ
9JRHZV		3.750	-0.249	-0.55	3.820	-0.182	-0.40	ZZ
DKNRUL		3.024	-0.975	-2.17	3.015	-0.987	-2.19	ZZ
LKH7ZD		4.358	0.359	0.80	4.302	0.300	0.67	ZZ
QRH3M6		3.829	-0.170	-0.38	3.879	-0.123	-0.27	ZZ
T2FXH7		3.940	-0.059	-0.13	4.110	0.108	0.24	ZZ
YKTDHM		4.378	0.380	0.85	4.404	0.403	0.89	ZZ
YL9UJ9		4.100	0.101	0.23	3.883	-0.119	-0.26	ZZ
ZJDFN3		4.670	0.671	1.50	4.700	0.698	1.55	ZZ

Summary Statistics	<u>Sample MC17</u>	<u>Sample MC18</u>
Grand Means	4.00 Percent	4.00 Percent
Std Dev Btwn Labs	0.45 Percent	0.45 Percent
Statistics based on 10 of 10 reporting participants.		

Key to Instrument Codes Reported by Participants

ZZ Instruments No Longer Tracked



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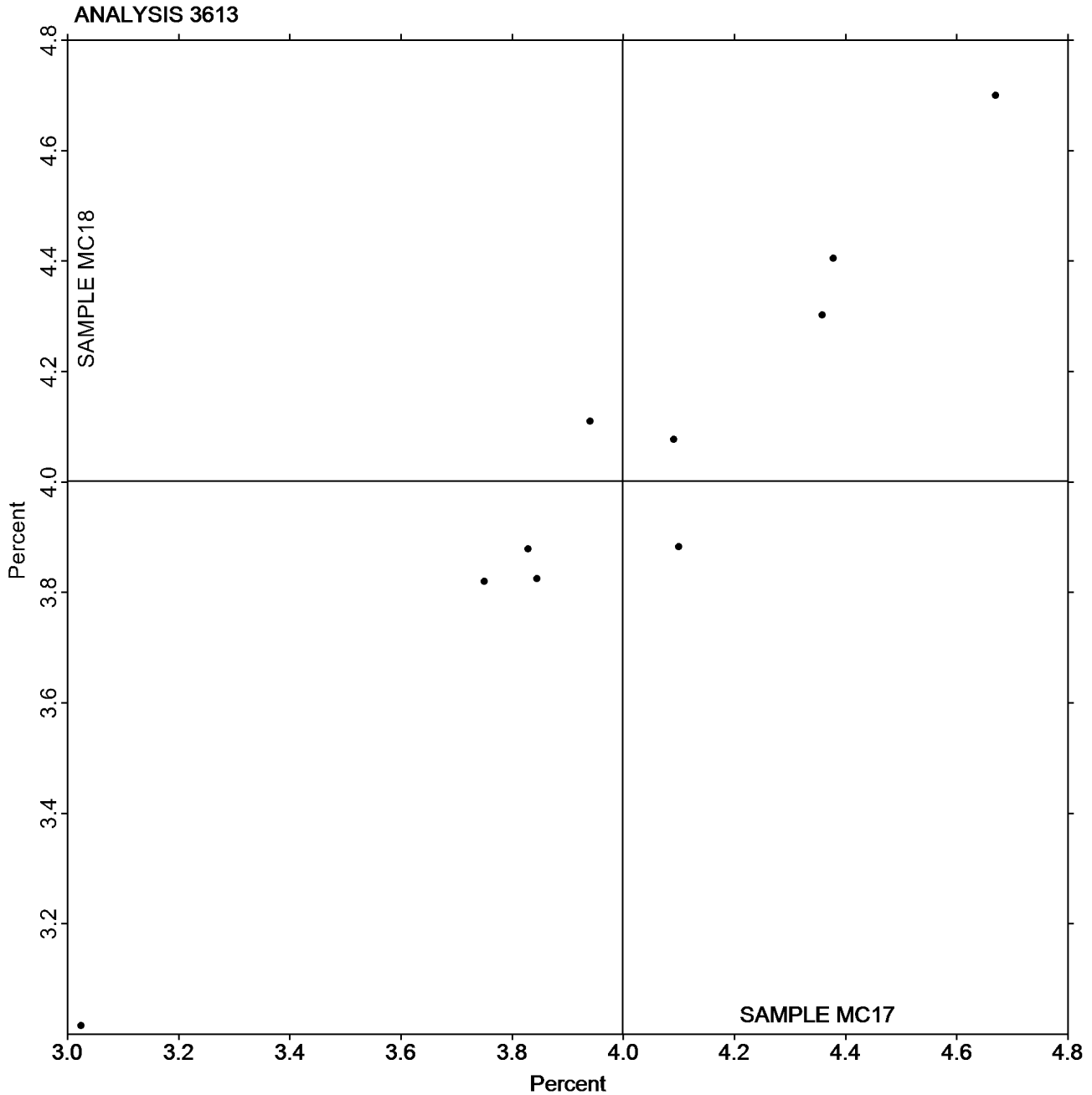
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Analysis 3613 Moisture in Paper

TAPPI Official Test Method T412

Grand Mean Sample MC17 = 3.9985
Percent

Grand Mean Sample MC18 = 4.0015
Percent



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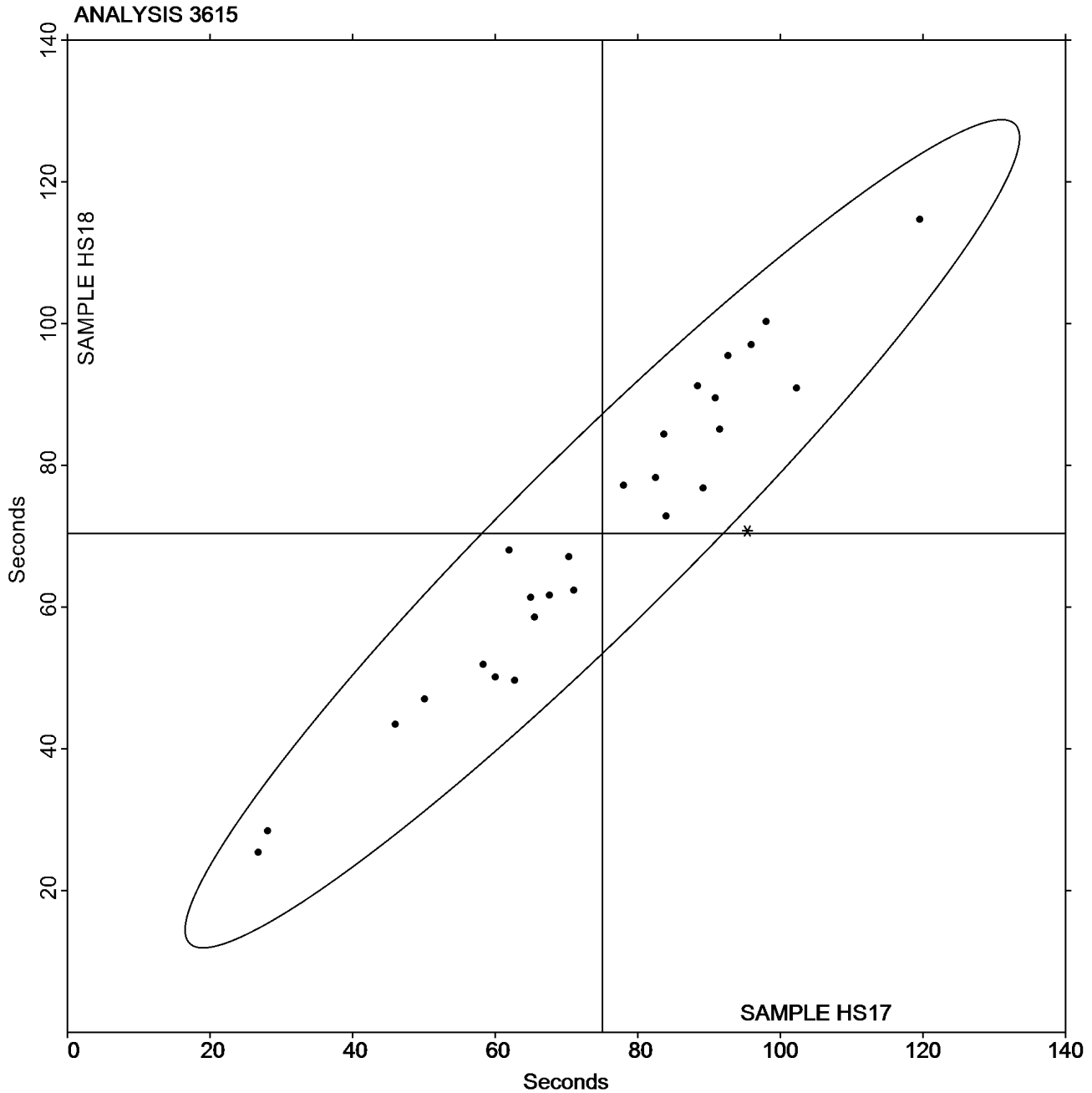
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Analysis 3615 Sizing Test (Hercules Type) TAPPI Official Test Method T530

Grand Mean Sample HS17 = 75.023
Seconds

Grand Mean Sample HS18 = 70.349
Seconds



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