



REPORT FOR TOTAL
CHROMIUM EMISSION
TESTING

52nd Paint Central Plant
SV-Scrubber Outlet

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To the best of our knowledge, the data presented in this report are accurate, complete, error free and representative of the actual emissions during the test program. Clean Air Engineering operates in conformance with the requirements of ASTM D7036-04 Standard Practice for Competence of Air Emission Testing Bodies.

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ACRONYMS & ABBREVIATIONS

AAS (atomic absorption spectrometry)	ft ³ (cubic feet)	MW (megawatt(s))
acfm (actual cubic feet per minute)	ft/sec (feet per second)	NCASI (National Council for Air and Stream Improvement)
ACI (activated carbon injection)	FTIR (Fourier Transform Infrared Spectroscopy)	ND (non-detect)
ADL (above detection limit)	FTRB (field train reagent blank)	NDIR (non-dispersive infrared)
AIG (ammonia injection grid)	g (gram(s))	NDO (natural draft opening)
APC (air pollution control)	GC (gas chromatography)	NESHAP (National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants)
AQCS (air quality control system(s))	GFAAS (graphite furnace atomic absorption spectroscopy)	ng (nanogram(s))
ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)	GFC (gas filter correlation)	Nm ³ (Normal cubic meter)
ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)	gr/dscf (grains per dry standard cubic feet)	% (percent)
BDL (below detection limit)	> (greater than)/ ≥ (greater than or equal to)	PEMS (predictive emissions monitoring systems)
Btu (British thermal units)	g/s (grams per second)	PFGC (pneumatic focusing gas chromatography)
CAM (compliance assurance monitoring)	H ₂ O (water)	pg (picogram)
CARB (California Air Resources Board)	HAP(s) (hazardous air pollutant(s))	PJFF (pulse jet fabric filter)
CCM (Controlled Condensation Method)	HI (heat input)	ppb (parts per billion)
CE (capture efficiency)	hr (hour(s))	PPE (personal protective equipment)
°C (degrees Celsius)	HR GC/MS (high-resolution gas chromatography and mass spectrometry)	ppm (parts per million)
CEMS (continuous emissions monitoring system(s))	HRVOC (highly reactive volatile organic compounds)	ppmdv (parts per million, dry volume)
CFB (circulating fluidized bed)	HSRG(s) (heat recovery steam generator(s))	ppmwv (parts per million, wet volume)
CFR (Code of Federal Regulations)	HVT (high velocity thermocouple)	PSD (particle size distribution)
cm (centimeter(s))	IC (ion chromatography)	psi (pound(s) per square inch)
COMS (continuous opacity monitoring system(s))	IC/PCR (ion chromatography with post column reactor)	PTE (permanent total enclosure)
CT (combustion turbine)	ICP/MS (inductively coupled argon plasma mass spectroscopy)	PTFE (polytetrafluoroethylene)
CTI (Cooling Technology Institute)	ID (induced draft)	QA/QC (quality assurance/quality control)
CTM (Conditional Test Method)	in. (inch(es))	QI (qualified individual)
CVAAS (cold vapor atomic absorption spectroscopy)	in. H ₂ O (inches water)	QSTI (qualified source testing individual)
CVAFS (cold vapor atomic fluorescence spectrometry)	in. Hg (inches mercury)	QSTO (qualified source testing observer)
DI H ₂ O (de-ionized water)	IPA (isopropyl alcohol)	RA (relative accuracy)
%dv (percent, dry volume)	ISE (ion-specific electrode)	RATA (relative accuracy test audit)
DLL (detection level limited)	kg (kilogram(s))	RB (reagent blank)
DE (destruction efficiency)	kg/hr (kilogram(s) per hour)	RE (removal or reduction efficiency)
DCI (dry carbon injection)	< (less than)/ ≤ (less than or equal to)	RM (reference method)
DGM (dry gas meter)	L (liter(s))	scf (standard cubic feet)
dscf (dry standard cubic feet)	lb (pound(s))	scfm (standard cubic feet per minute)
dscfm (dry standard cubic feet per minute)	lb/hr (pound per hour)	SCR (selective catalytic reduction)
dscm (dry standard cubic meter)	lb/MMBtu (pound per million British thermal units)	SDA (spray dryer absorber)
ESP (electrostatic precipitator)	lb/TBtu (pound per trillion British thermal units)	SNCR (selective non-catalytic reduction)
FAMS (flue gas adsorbent mercury speciation)	lb/lb-mole (pound per pound mole)	STD (standard)
°F (degrees Fahrenheit)	LR GC/MS (low-resolution gas chromatography and mass spectrometry)	STMS (sorbent trap monitoring system)
FB (field blank)	m (meter)	TBtu (trillion British thermal units)
FCC (fluidized catalytic cracking)	m ³ (cubic meter)	TEOM (Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance)
FCCU (fluidized catalytic cracking unit)	MACT (maximum achievable control technology)	TEQ (toxic equivalency quotient)
FEGT (furnace exit gas temperatures)	MASS [®] (Multi-Point Automated Sampling System)	ton/hr (ton per hour)
FF (fabric filter)	MATS (Mercury and Air Toxics Standards)	ton/yr (ton per year)
FGD (flue gas desulfurization)	MDL (method detection limit)	TSS (third stage separator)
FIA (flame ionization analyzer)	µg (microgram(s))	USEPA or EPA (United States Environmental Protection Agency)
FID (flame ionization detector)	min. (minute(s))	UVA (ultraviolet absorption)
FPD (flame photometric detection)	mg (milligram(s))	WFGD (wet flue gas desulfurization)
FRB (field reagent blank)	ml (milliliter(s))	%wv (percent, wet volume)
FSTM (flue gas sorbent total mercury)	MMBtu (million British thermal units)	
ft (feet or foot)		
ft ² (square feet)		

1. PROJECT OVERVIEW

TEST PROGRAM SUMMARY

Lacks Enterprises, Inc. contracted CleanAir Engineering (CleanAir) to complete testing on the SV-Scrubber Outlet at the 52nd Paint Central Plant located in Kentwood, Michigan.

The objective of the test program was to perform testing to demonstrate compliance with applicable limits outlined in the Michigan Permit to Install 110-18A.

A summary of the test program results is presented below. Section 2 Results provides a more detailed account of the test conditions and data analysis.

**Table 1-1:
 Summary of Results / Permit Limits**

Source Constituent	Sampling Method	Average Emission	Permit Limit ¹
SV-Scrubber Outlet Total Cr (lb/hr)	EPA 306	6.33E-05	1.06E-04

¹ Permit limits obtained from Michigan Permit to Install 110-18A.

TEST PROGRAM DETAILS

PARAMETERS

The test program included the following measurements:

- total chromium (Cr)
- flue gas composition (e.g., O₂, CO₂, H₂O)
- flue gas temperature
- flue gas flow rate

SCHEDULE

Testing was performed on October 21, 2021. Table 1-2 outlines the on-site schedule followed during the test program.

**Table 1-2:
 Test Schedule**

Run Number	Location	Method	Analyte	Date	Start Time	End Time
1	SV-Scrubber Outlet	EPA Method 306	Total Chromium	10/21/21	07:42	09:54
2	SV-Scrubber Outlet	EPA Method 306	Total Chromium	10/21/21	10:06	12:11
3	SV-Scrubber Outlet	EPA Method 306	Total Chromium	10/21/21	12:24	14:28

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DISCUSSION

Three 120-minute isokinetic test runs were performed at the SV-Scrubber Outlet using EPA Method 306 for the determination of total chromium. The source was ambient, therefore 20.9% dv for O₂ and 0.0% dv for CO₂ were used.

The Method 306 chromium sampling train included the following equipment:

- borosilicate-glass nozzle
- unheated borosilicate glass probe liner
- set of four Greenburg-Smith (GS) impingers:
 - first modified GS impinger contained 100 mL of 0.1N sodium hydroxide (NaOH)
 - second standard GS impinger contained 100 mL of 0.1N NaOH
 - third modified GS impinger was dry
 - fourth modified GS impinger contained a known quantity of silica gel

At the conclusion of the sample runs after the final leak check of the sample system, the interior of the nozzle, probe liner, and all glassware up to the fourth impinger was rinsed with 0.1N NaOH.

The 0.1N NaOH rinses were collected in a pre-cleaned sample container. Prior to recovering the impingers, gravimetric analyses (post-test weights) were obtained for the determination of moisture content of the stack gases. The contents of the impinger were then collected in the sample container. The samples were shipped to Element One, Inc., located in Wilmington, North Carolina, for analysis using inductively coupled plasma mass spectroscopy (ICP/MS) in accordance with USEPA Method 306.

Verification of the Absence of Cyclonic Flow

A cyclonic flow check was performed in accordance with EPA Method 1, Section 11.4. This procedure is referred to as the "nulling" technique. An S-type pitot tube connected to an inclined manometer was used in this method. This is the same apparatus as referenced in EPA Method 2.

The pitot tube was positioned at each of the EPA Method 1 traverse point locations so that the face openings of the pitot tube are orientated perpendicular to the stack or duct cross-sectional plane. This position was referenced as the "0° reference." The velocity pressure (ΔP) measurement at this position was recorded. If the ΔP reading was zero, a cyclonic angle of 0° is recorded. If the ΔP reading was not zero, the pitot tube was rotated clockwise (positive) or counterclockwise (negative) as required to obtain a zero ΔP reading. The angle required to obtain the zero reading was measured using a digital protractor ($\pm 0.1^\circ$) attached to the pitot tube.

After all the traverse points had been checked, the average of the absolute values of each angle was calculated. If this resultant angle is $\leq 20^\circ$, the flow condition at the location is considered acceptable. Measured resultant angle was 5.9°. The field data is in Appendix E.

2. RESULTS

This section summarizes the test program results. Additional results are available in the report appendices.

**Table 2-1:
 SV-Scrubber Outlet Stack – Chromium Results**

Run No.	1	2	3	Average
Date (2021)	Oct 21	Oct 21	Oct 21	
Start Time (approx.)	07:42	10:06	12:24	
Stop Time (approx.)	09:54	12:11	14:28	
Gas Conditions				
O ₂ Oxygen (dry volume %)	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9
CO ₂ Carbon dioxide (dry volume %)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
T _s Stack temperature (°F)	65	63	61	63
B _w Actual water vapor in gas (% by volume)	2.15	2.00	1.85	2.00
Gas Flow Rate				
Q _a Volumetric flow rate, actual (acfm)	13,500	13,900	13,700	13,700
Q _s Volumetric flow rate, standard (scfm)	13,100	13,600	13,400	13,400
Q _{std} Volumetric flow rate, dry standard (dscfm)	12,900	13,300	13,200	13,100
Sampling Data				
V _{mstd} Volume metered, standard (dscf)	63.72	65.57	65.13	64.81
%I Isokinetic sampling (%)	100.8	100.2	100.5	100.5
Laboratory Data				
m _n Total matter corrected for allowable blanks (µg)	2.12	1.67	3.29	
Chromium Results - Total				
C _{sd} Concentration (lb/dscf)	7.35E-11	5.63E-11	1.11E-10	8.04E-11
C _{sd} Concentration (mg/dscm)	1.18E-03	9.01E-04	1.79E-03	1.29E-03
E _{lb/hr} Rate (lb/hr)	5.67E-05	4.50E-05	8.83E-05	6.33E-05

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3. DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

PROCESS DESCRIPTION

Lacks Enterprise Inc. is a privately owned company based in Grand Rapids, Michigan, which produces molded, painted, or plated plastic products. The SV-Scrubber Outlet has a Composite Mesh Pad (CMP) Scrubber control device as part of the 52nd Paint Central Plant.

The testing reported in this document was performed at the SV-Scrubber Outlet Stack located on the roof.

TEST LOCATION

The sample point placement was determined by EPA Method 1 specifications. The first and twelfth and sampling points were relocated to the minimum distance of 1-inch from the stack wall (stacks greater than 24 inches in diameter) per EPA Method 1 Section 11.3.2.1. Table 3-1 presents the sampling information for the test location. The figure represents the layout of the test location.

**Table 3-1:
 Sampling Information**

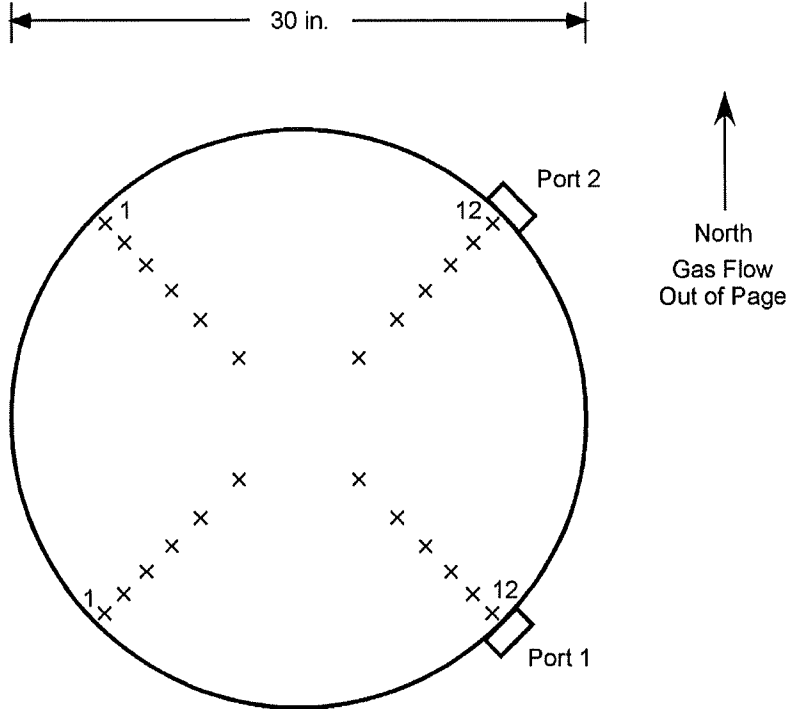
<u>Source</u> Constituent	Method	Run No.	Ports	Points per Port	Minutes per Point	Total Minutes	Figure
<u>SV-Scrubber Outlet</u> Total Cr	EPA 306	1-3	2	12	5	120	3-1

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**Figure 3-1:
 SV-Scrubber Outlet Sample Point Layout (EPA Method 1)**



Sampling Point	% of Stack Diameter	Port to Point Distance (inches)
1	97.9	29.0
2	93.3	28.0
3	88.2	26.5
4	82.3	24.7
5	75.0	22.5
6	64.4	19.3
7	35.6	10.7
8	25.0	7.5
9	17.7	5.3
10	11.8	3.5
11	6.7	2.0
12	2.1	1.0

Duct diameters upstream from flow disturbance (A): 1.0 Limit: 0.5
 Duct diameters downstream from flow disturbance (B): 2.1 Limit: 2.0

4. METHODOLOGY

PROCEDURES AND REGULATIONS

The test program sampling measurements followed procedures and regulations outlined by the USEPA and Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE). These methods appear in detail in Title 40 of the CFR and at <https://www.epa.gov/emc>.

Appendix A includes diagrams of the sampling apparatus, as well as specifications for sampling, recovery, and analytical procedures. Any modifications to standard test methods are explicitly indicated in this appendix. In accordance with ASTM D7036 requirements, CleanAir included a description of any such modifications along with the full context of the objectives and requirements of the test program in the test protocol submitted prior to the measurement portion of this project. Modifications to standard methods are not covered by the ISO 17025 and TNI portions of CleanAir's A2LA accreditation.

CleanAir follows specific QA/QC procedures outlined in the individual methods and in USEPA "Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems: Volume III Stationary Source-Specific Methods," EPA/600/R-94/038C. Appendix D contains additional QA/QC measures, as outlined in CleanAir's internal Quality Manual.

TITLE 40 CFR PART 60, APPENDIX A

- Method 1 "Sample and Velocity Traverses for Stationary Sources"
- Method 2 "Determination of Stack Gas Velocity and Volumetric Flow Rate (Type S Pitot Tube)"
- Method 3 "Gas Analysis for the Determination of Dry Molecular Weight"
- Method 4 "Determination of Moisture Content in Stack Gases"
- Method 306 "Determination of Chromium Emission from Decorative and Hard Chromium Electroplating and Chromium Anodizing Operations – Isokinetic Method"

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5. APPENDIX

Appendix A: Test Method Specifications

Appendix B: Sample Calculations

Appendix C: Parameters

Appendix D: QA/QC Data

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APPENDIX B: SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

**EPA Method 306 (Total Chromium)
 Sampling, Velocity and Moisture Sample Calculations**

Sample data taken from Run 1

Note: The tables presenting the results are generated electronically from raw data. It may not be possible to exactly duplicate these results using a calculator. The reference method data, results, and all calculations are carried to sixteen decimal places throughout. The final table is formatted to an appropriate number of significant figures.

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1. Volume of water collected (wscf)

$$V_{wstd} = (0.04706)(V_{lc})$$

Where:

V_{lc}	= total volume of liquid collected in impingers and silica gel (ml)	=	31.4	ml
0.04706	= ideal gas conversion factor (ft ³ water vapor/ml or gm)	=	0.04706	ft ³ /ml
V_{wstd}	= volume of water vapor collected at standard conditions (ft ³)	=	1.48	ft ³

2. Volume of gas metered, standard conditions (dscf)

$$V_{mstd} = \frac{(17.64)(V_m) \left(P_{bar} + \frac{\Delta H}{13.6} \right) (Y_d)}{(460 + T_m)}$$

Where:

P_{bar}	= barometric pressure (in. Hg)	=	28.90	in. Hg
T_m	= average dry gas meter temperature (°F)	=	65.27	°F
V_m	= volume of gas sample through the dry gas meter at meter conditions (dcf)	=	65.28	dcf
Y_d	= gas meter correction factor (dimensionless)	=	1.0036	
ΔH	= average pressure drop across meter box orifice (in. H ₂ O)	=	0.86	in. H ₂ O
17.64	= standard temperature to pressure ratio (°R/in. Hg)	=	17.64	°R/in. Hg
13.6	= conversion factor (in. H ₂ O/in. Hg)	=	13.6	in. H ₂ O/in. Hg
460	= °F to °R conversion constant	=	460	
V_{mstd}	= volume of gas sampled through the dry gas meter at standard conditions (dscf)	=	63.724	dscf

3. Stack gas pressure (in. Hg)

$$P_s = P_{bar} + \left(\frac{P_g}{13.6} \right)$$

Where:

P_{bar}	= barometric pressure (in. Hg)	=	28.90	in. Hg
P_g	= sample gas static pressure (in. H ₂ O)	=	0.20	in. H ₂ O
13.6	= conversion factor (in. H ₂ O/in. Hg)	=	13.6	in. H ₂ O/in. Hg
P_s	= absolute stack gas pressure (in. Hg)	=	28.91	in. Hg

8. Actual water vapor in gas (% by volume)

$$B_w = \text{MINIMUM} [B_{wO}, B_{wS}]$$

Where:

B_{wS}	= proportion of water vapor in the gas stream by volume at saturated conditions	=	0.0215	
B_{wO}	= proportion of water measured in the gas stream by volume	=	0.0227	
B_w	= actual water vapor in gas	=	0.0215	
		=	2.15	%

9. Nitrogen (plus carbon monoxide) in gas stream (% by volume, dry)

$$N_2 + CO = 100 - CO_2 - O_2$$

Where:

CO_2	= proportion of carbon dioxide in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	0.0	%
O_2	= proportion of oxygen in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	20.9	%
100	= conversion factor (%)	=	100	%
N_2+CO	= proportion of nitrogen and CO in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	79.10	%

10. Molecular weight of dry gas stream (lb/lb·mole)

$$M_d = \left(M_{CO_2} \right) \frac{(CO_2)}{(100)} + \left(M_{O_2} \right) \frac{(O_2)}{(100)} + \left(M_{N_2+CO} \right) \frac{(N_2 + CO)}{(100)}$$

Where:

M_{CO_2}	= molecular weight of carbon dioxide (lb/lb·mole)	=	44.00	lb/lb·mole
M_{O_2}	= molecular weight of oxygen (lb/lb·mole)	=	32.00	lb/lb·mole
M_{N_2+CO}	= molecular weight of nitrogen and carbon monoxide (lb/lb·mole)	=	28.00	lb/lb·mole
CO_2	= proportion of carbon dioxide in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	0.0	%
O_2	= proportion of oxygen in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	20.9	%
N_2+CO	= proportion of nitrogen and CO in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	79.1	%
100	= conversion factor (%)	=	100	%
M_d	= dry molecular weight of sample gas (lb/lb·mole)	=	28.84	lb/lb·mole

11. Molecular weight of stack gas (lb/lb·mole)

$$M_s = (M_d)(1 - B_w) + (M_{H_2O})(B_w)$$

Where:

B_w	= proportion of water vapor in the gas stream by volume	=	0.0215	
M_d	= dry molecular weight of stack gas (lb/lb·mole)	=	28.84	lb/lb·mole
M_{H_2O}	= molecular weight of water (lb/lb·mole)	=	18.00	lb/lb·mole
M_s	= molecular weight of stack gas, wet basis (lb/lb·mole)	=	28.60	lb/lb·mole

16. Dry flow of stack gas corrected to 7%O₂ (dscfm)

$$Q_{std7} = (Q_{std}) \left(\frac{20.9 - O_2}{20.9 - 7} \right)$$

Where:

Q _{std}	= volumetric flow rate at standard conditions, dry basis (dscfm)	=	12,865	dscfm
O ₂	= proportion of oxygen in the gas stream by volume (%)	=	20.9	%
20.9	= oxygen content of ambient air (%)	=	20.9	%
7	= oxygen content of corrected gas (%)	=	7.0	%
Q _{std7}	= volumetric flow rate at STP and 7%O ₂ , dry basis (dscfm)	=	0	dscfm

17. Hourly time basis conversion of volumetric flow rate (Q_{std} example)

$$Q_{std-hr} = (Q_{std-min}) (60)$$

Where

Q _{std-min}	= volumetric flow rate, english units (ft ³ /min)	=	12,865	dscfm
60	= conversion factor (min/hr)	=	60	min/hr
Q _{std-hr}	= volumetric flow rate, hourly basis (dscf/hr)	=	771,889	dscf/hr

18. Metric Conversion of Gas Volumes (Q_{std} example)

$$Q_{std-metric} = (Q_{std-english}) \left(\frac{60}{35.31} \right)$$

Where:

Q _{std-english}	= volumetric flow rate, english units (ft ³ /min)	=	12,865	dscfm
35.31	= conversion factor (ft ³ /m ³)	=	35.31	ft ³ /m ³
60	= conversion factor (min/hr)	=	60	min/hr
Q _{std-metric}	= volumetric flow rate, metric units (m ³ /hr)	=	21,860	dry std m ³ /hr

19. Standard to Normal Conversion of Gas Volumes (Q_{std} example)

$$Q_{Normal} = (Q_{std-metric}) \left(\frac{32 + 460}{68 + 460} \right)$$

Where:

Q _{std-metric}	= volumetric flow rate, metric units (dry std m ³ /hr)	=	21,860	dry std m ³ /hr
32	= normal temperature (°F)	=	32	°F
68	= standard temperature (°F)	=	68	°F
460	= standard temperature in Rankine (68°F)	=	460	
Q _{Normal}	= volumetric flow rate, metric units (dry Nm ³ /hr)	=	20,370	dry Nm ³ /hr

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LOGIC FOR TREATING DETECTION LIMITS

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1. Logic for Determining Maximum Allowable Front-Half Blank Correction ($m_{FB-allow}$)

	CASE 1	CASE 2
	$m_{FB} = D$	$m_{FB} = ND$
Rule		
$ND = 0$	$m_{FB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{FB-allow} = 0$
$ND = 1x$	$m_{FB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{FB-allow} = 0$
$ND = 0.5x$	$m_{FB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{FB-allow} = 0$

2. Logic for Determining Blank-Corrected Front-Half Sample Amount (m_F)

	CASE 1	CASE 2
	$m_{FS} - m_{FB-allow} \geq MDL$	$m_{FS} - m_{FB-allow} < MDL$
Rule		
$ND = 0$	$m_F = m_{FS} - m_{FB-allow}$	$m_F = < MDL$
$ND = 1x$	$m_F = m_{FS} - m_{FB-allow}$	$m_F = < MDL$
$ND = 0.5x$	$m_F = m_{FS} - m_{FB-allow}$	$m_F = < MDL$

3. Logic for Determining Maximum Allowable Back-Half Blank Correction ($m_{BB-allow}$)

	CASE 1	CASE 2
	$m_{BB} = D$	$m_{BB} = ND$
Rule		
$ND = 0$	$m_{BB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{BB-allow} = 0$
$ND = 1x$	$m_{BB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{BB-allow} = 0$
$ND = 0.5x$	$m_{BB-allow} = M29 \text{ Rule}$	$m_{BB-allow} = 0$

4. Logic for Determining Blank-Corrected Back-Half Sample Amount (m_B)

	CASE 1	CASE 2
	$m_{BS} - m_{BB-allow} \geq MDL$	$m_{BS} - m_{BB-allow} < MDL$
Rule		
$ND = 0$	$m_B = m_{BS} - m_{BB-allow}$	$m_B = < MDL$
$ND = 1x$	$m_B = m_{BS} - m_{BB-allow}$	$m_B = < MDL$
$ND = 0.5x$	$m_B = m_{BS} - m_{BB-allow}$	$m_B = < MDL$

5. Logic for Adding Front and Back-Half Corrected Samples (m_n)

	CASE 1	CASE 2	CASE 3
	Both are D	One is D, other is ND	Both are ND
Rule			
$ND = 0$	$m_n = m_F + m_B$	$m_n = D$	$m_n = < \text{Sum ND}$
$ND = 1x$	$m_n = m_F + m_B$	$m_n = < [D + ND]$	$m_n = < \text{Sum ND}$
$ND = 0.5x$	$m_n = m_F + m_B$	$m_n = < [D + 0.5ND]$	$m_n = < 0.5 \text{ Sum ND}$

Definitions and Notes

The term "Rule" refers to the rule being implemented for handling non-detectable quantities in summations.

MDL = minimum detection limit.

D = Detectable quantity reported as D.

ND = Non-Detectable quantity reported at a value of ND.

If Front and Back-Half fractions are combined, then only Items 1 and 2 are used.

**EPA Method 306 (Total Chromium)
 Chromium Sample Calculations**

Sample data taken from Run 1

Note: The tables presenting the results are generated electronically from raw data. It may not be possible to exactly duplicate these results using a calculator. The reference method data, results, and all calculations are carried to sixteen decimal places throughout. The final table is formatted to an appropriate number of significant figures.

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1. Chromium concentration (lb/dscf)

$$C_{sd} = \left(\frac{m_n}{V_{mstd}} \right) \left(\frac{2.205 \times 10^{-3}}{10^6} \right)$$

Where:

m_n	= chromium collected in sample (total μg)	= 2.1230	μg
V_{mstd}	= volume metered, standard (dscf)	= 63.7242	dscf
2.205×10^{-3}	= conversion factor (lb/g)	= 2.205E-03	lb/g
10^6	= conversion factor ($\mu\text{g/g}$)	= 1.0E+06	$\mu\text{g/g}$
C_{sd}	= chromium concentration (lb/dscf)	= 7.3461E-11	lb/dscf

2. Chromium concentration ($\mu\text{g/dscm}$)

$$C_{sd} = \left(\frac{m_n}{V_{mstd}} \right) (35.31)$$

Where:

m_n	= chromium collected in sample (total μg)	= 2.1230	μg
V_{mstd}	= volume metered, standard (dscf)	= 63.7242	dscf
35.31	= conversion factor (dscf/dscm)	= 35.31	dscf/dscm
C_{sd}	= chromium concentration ($\mu\text{g/dscm}$)	= 1.1764	$\mu\text{g/dscm}$

3. Chromium concentration (mg/dscm)

$$C_{sd} = \left(\frac{m_n}{V_{mstd}} \right) \left(\frac{35.31}{1000} \right)$$

Where:

m_n	= chromium collected in sample (total μg)	= 2.1230	μg
V_{mstd}	= volume metered, standard (dscf)	= 63.7242	dscf
35.31	= conversion factor (dscf/dscm)	= 35.31	dscf/dscm
1000	= conversion factor ($\mu\text{g/mg}$)	= 1000	$\mu\text{g/mg}$
C_{sd}	= chromium concentration (mg/dscm)	= 1.1764E-03	mg/dscm

4. Chromium concentration ($\mu\text{g/Nm}^3$ dry)

$$C_{sd} = \left(\frac{m_n}{V_{mstd}} \right) (35.31) \left(\frac{68 + 460}{32 + 460} \right)$$

Where:

m_n	= chromium collected in sample (total μg)	= 2.1230	μg
V_{mstd}	= volume metered, standard (dscf)	= 63.7242	dscf
35.31	= conversion factor (dscf/dscm)	= 35.31	dscf/dscm
68	= standard temperature ($^{\circ}\text{F}$)	= 68	$^{\circ}\text{F}$
32	= normal temperature ($^{\circ}\text{F}$)	= 32	$^{\circ}\text{F}$
460	= $^{\circ}\text{F}$ to $^{\circ}\text{R}$ conversion constant	= 460	
C_{sd}	= chromium concentration ($\mu\text{g/Nm}^3$ dry)	= 1.2624	$\mu\text{g/Nm}^3$ dry

End of Appendix Section