Question 3.12

Topic: Test Method 2H -- Minimum Acceptable Calculated Wall Effects Adjustment Factor (WAF)

Question: If I calculate the WAF based on a Method 1 traverse consisting of more than 16 traverse points, do the minimum acceptable wall effects adjustment factors of 0.9800 for a partial traverse and 0.9700 for a complete traverse still apply?

Answer: Yes. These limits always apply. The likely results of using more than 16 Method 1 traverse points are twofold: (1) a lower average velocity; and (2) a WAF that is greater than or equal to 0.9800 for a partial traverse and 0.9700 for a complete traverse.

References: 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A-2 (RM 2H, Section 12.6)

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