

## Question 23.6

**Topic:** Appendix D Fuel Sampling -- Time for Results

**Question:** Appendix D requires results of sampling within 30 days of sampling.  
Does this mean onsite or entered into the DAHS for processing?

**Answer:** The results of sampling should be available onsite at the plant within 30 days of sampling. Also, in the event of an audit, EPA may request that these values be made available to the Agency within five days of the request. As a standard operating procedure it is acceptable to enter the data at the end of the quarter.

However, in the event of an onsite audit by EPA or State agency staff, the operator must be able to enter the data in the DAHS and generate the calculated values. Furthermore, the data must be retrievable from the DAHS on the day of an onsite audit.

**References:** Appendix D, Sections 2.2.8, 2.3.3.1.4

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