

Question 28.4

Topic: Source Evaluation Society Exams

Question: Which qualification exams provided by the Source Evaluation Society (SES) are relevant to Part 75 emission testing and monitoring applications?

Answer: Three SES qualification exams, Group 1, Group 3, and Group 5, cover reference methods that are used for Part 75 applications. The Group 1 exam covers EPA Methods 1 (for traverse point location), 2, 2F, 2G, 2H (for volumetric flow rate), and 4 (for moisture). The Group 3 exam covers instrumental Methods 3A (for CO₂ and O₂), 6C (for SO₂), and 7E (for NO_x) and Performance Specification 2 (for SO₂ and NO_x CEMS).

Note, however, that the Group 1 and 3 exams also cover numerous other test methods and performance specifications that are not relevant to Part 75. The recently developed Group 5 exam covers only the methods and performance specifications that pertain to Part 75 testing and monitoring.

References:

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