

Sample tube	[ug/cig]	Used std. curve (0.10, 0.25, 0.50, 1.0, and 5.0 ug/ml stds.)
T1	0.5	Test samples fall at midpoint to upper part of std. curve
T2	0.3	
Blank tube	[ng/ml]	Used std. curve (5, 10, 25, 50, and 100 ng/ml stds.)
1	0.9	Same level of 162 ion in the I.S. solution as in the blank tubes
2	0.7	
3	3.7	
4	0.8	
5	1.4	
Mean =	1.50	
Stdev. =	1.26	
Mean + 3(stdev.) =	5.3	Limit of detection
Mean + 10(stdev.) =	14.1	Limit of quantitation

Based on
m/e 162

interfer @ m/e 84

impurity from Carvone
separated w/ Temp prog.

$$0.6 \pm 0.54$$

$$LOD = 3 \times 0.504 = 1.5 \text{ ng/cig.}$$

LOQ

5.0 ng/cig.

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