

**GF-4 Matrix Status Report No. 5  
May 28, 2003**

**Summary of Progress**

Test Type	Planned Tests	Tests Started	Aborted / Invalid	Completed Tests <sup>a</sup>
IIIG	24	26	3	20


**a Reported to the TMC and confirmed operationally valid**

**Comments**

As of today, 20 matrix tests have been reported to the TMC. Two other tests have been completed and will be reported soon. One test is currently running and is expected to complete on Thursday, May 29. Three tests have been terminated early due to high oil consumption. The first of these was re-run successfully. The re-run of the second aborted test has now also been aborted. The laboratory is currently performing stand checks and a second re-run is projected to start on Friday, May 30.

A telephone conference for industry statisticians has been scheduled for June 5. The purpose of this conference is to discuss the IIIG matrix analysis and develop a consensus report for presentation to the Sequence IIIG Surveillance Panel on June 10. If necessary, initial data analysis will proceed with 23 of the 24 planned data points. Statistical estimates can be recalculated when the last data point becomes available.

Please see the summary Excel spreadsheet for matrix test results.



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