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These are the unapproved minutes of the 03.18.2014 Sequence VI Surveillance Panel meeting.

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The meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM by Chairman Charlie Leverett.

### Agenda

The Agenda is the included as **Attachment 1**.

#### 1.0 Roll Call

The Attendance list **Attachment 2**.

## 2.0 Approval of minutes

2.1 Approval of the minutes of the 02.04.2014 meeting.

**Motion** – Accept the minutes of the 02.04.2014 VID SP CC.

Charlie Leverett, Dave Glaenzer, second. Unanimous.

The date was incorrect on those minutes and a corrected version sent to TMC.

## 3.0 Action Item Review

- 3.1 OHT to report Vix engine usage and depletion date of VID engines.  
There are 23 2009 and 120 2012 engines in inventory.
- 3.2 Update on 0W 16 donated runs. – TMC See Old Business.
- 3.3 SwRI has torn down a couple of engines for oil consumption review and will report on these findings. – Dan GM has recommended a lower oil consumption level. SwRI has not found any mechanical issue that would reduce oil consumption. Lubrizol has found high levels of ring deposits in 1500-2000 hours similar to deposits on the VIB at 5000 hours. Afton said they had not seen deposits on dealer engines.
- 3.4 TMC will review and dispose of consortium reference oils. – Charlie to contact Jim Linden. Done
- 3.5 VIE Draft - Table 5 information which cannot be generated until sufficient testing/precision matrix has taken place (stats group).
- 3.6 VIE Draft - Consideration of the weighting of BLB2 and BLA for Candidate 1 & 2 calculations. It is based on the hours from Cand 1 & 2 evaluation relative to BLB2 & BLA evaluations. With aging moving from 16 plus 84 hours to 16 plus 109 hours, I believe the stats group may want to reconsider. *At this time I'd like to make a formal request for the Stats Group to review and report their findings to me.*
- 3.7 VIE Precision Matrix – Charlie to inform AOAP we are ready and need to know their plans along with the engines to be used, in the VID we ran engines in different ranges of hours to determine Engine Hour Correction. – Done at Feb. AOAP meeting.
- 3.8 Requested Database from Haltermann – Charlie sent request on February 06, 2014

## 4.0 Old Business

- 4.1 Obtaining 0W 16 reference oil – Bruce has obtained a 0W 16 oil and it will be shipped to  
Four labs have reported results on the 0W-16 oil. See Attachment 3.

## 5.0 New Business

- 5.1 Sulfur in EEE w/DCA - Labs have noticed that the sulfur is quite close to the upper limit (15 ppm) for the fuel? Labs have reports 13 ppm, and the upper limit is 15 ppm.

- 5.2 Currently the D7589 has the current wording concerning the fuel batch used in each test:

**7.2.2 Fuel Batch Usage/Documentation—A complete test shall be run on a single batch of test fuel.** If a new batch of test fuel is introduced to the laboratory fuel supply system, it shall be done between finite tests. Document the fuel batch designation in the test report. In cases where the run tank contains more than one fuel batch, document the most recent fuel batch in the report.

**Dan would like this motion considered for the VID:**

**Motion – 7.2.2 Fuel Batch Usage/Documentation—A lab should strive to complete test on a single batch of test fuel. If a lab is not able to complete a test on a single fuel batch, the lab may switch to the next available fuel batch. Fuel is consumed at the stand level on a first in-first out basis. Once a stand migrates to the next fuel batch, it can no longer use a prior batch. Document the fuel batch in use at the start of the test in the test report. In cases where the run tank contains more than one fuel batch, document the most prevalent fuel batch in the report.**

**Dan Worcester / Nathan Moles, second. The motions passes with 8 yes and 4 waives, noted in the attendance list. There will be an information letter and data dictionary change.**

- 5.3 Engine Life VIE/Oil Consumption – As previously discussed the engine life of the VIE is only ~ 10 tests counting the 3 reference tests for a new engine. There has been some discussion on the possibility of increasing the maximum allowable oil consumption on the VIE engines. **IAR did some experimentation on oil levels, included as Attachment 4.**

*Robert Stockwell noted:*

Background: The VIE is about 27% longer than the VID. The VID oil consumption limit is 1400 ml low. Since engine brake specific oil consumption is pretty stable, it is reasonable to add 27% to the VID limit, which would be 1800 ml low maximum.

Bruce Matthews noted that oil level and oil consumption are critical to the life of the VIE test.

**ACTION:** Charlie Leverett will supply a procedure for the oil level experiment and all labs are recommended to run the procedure. A conference call will then be scheduled to review results.

## **6.0 Next Meeting or Conference Call**

At the call of the Chairman

**Meeting Adjourned**

**The meeting adjourned at 10:30 AM.**

# Sequence VI Surveillance Panel conference Call Agenda March 18<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00 CDT

## Call-in information is included below:

Call-in Number: 800-391-9177  
Conference Code: 4875645502

### 1.0) Roll Call

*Do we have any membership changes or additions?*

### 2.0) Approval of minutes

2.1) Approve the minutes from the Feb. 04, 2014 Sequence VI Surveillance Panel CC.

### 3.0) Action Item Review

3.1 OHT to report VID & VIE engine usage and expected depletion date of VID engines. - OHT

3.2 Update on 0W 16 donated runs. – TMC

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Due to the addition of the additized VIE fuel and the likely possibility of additional fuels in GF-6 it has/will be a burden on the Labs due to the lack of available storage tanks.

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We did some experiments at IAR, see attachment below:



IAR VIE Oil Level  
Experiment 3-11-14.r

## **6.) Next Meeting**

Call of the chairman

## **7.) Meeting Adjourned**

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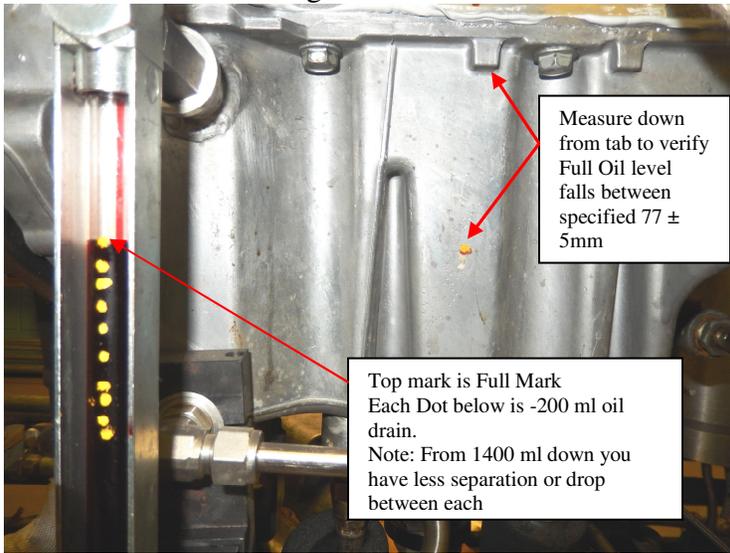
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Dealer engine  
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# IAR VIE Oil Level Experiment

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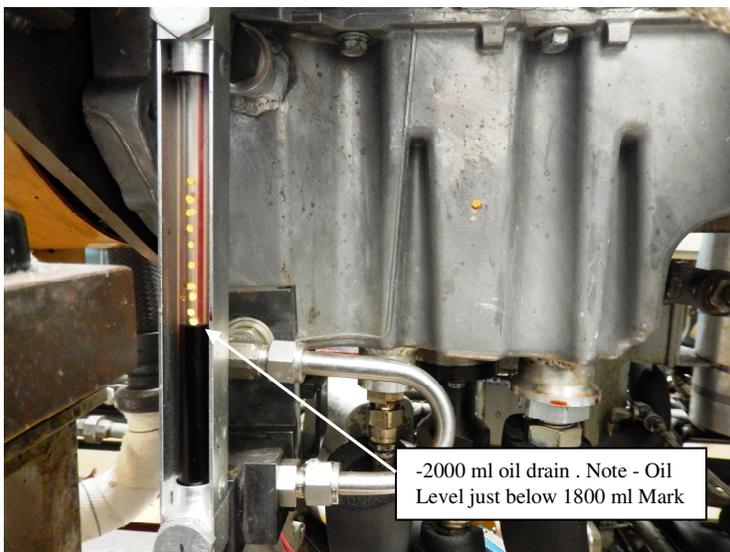
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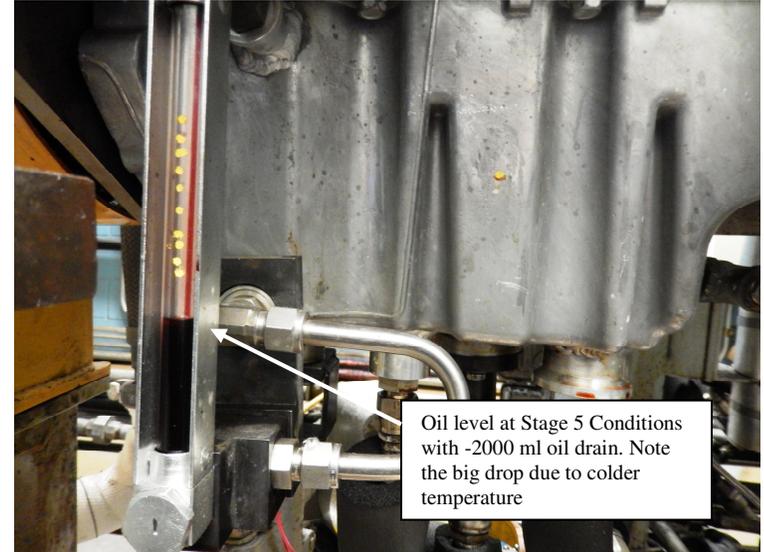
2000 ml Oil Drain



Oil Level @ -2000 ml at Stage Flush Conditions



Oil Level @ -2000 at Stage 5 Conditions



Experiment Completed with Engine At Stage 5 Conditions. Start Point @ -2000ml, added 100 ml at a time then measured oil pressure.

Oil Level @ -2000 ml	Oil pressure Fluctuating between 423 – 457	Oil avg. had smaller delta then would see more of a bounce
Oil Level @ -1900 ml	Oil pressure Fluctuating between 463 – 485	Oil bounce less but still there
Oil Level @ -1800 ml	Oil Pressure between 502 – 508	Less Bounce @ 1800 ml
Oil Level @ -1700 ml	Oil Pressure between 523 – 525	More stable
Oil Level @ -1600 ml	Oil pressure between 523 – 525	Stable and No Real Change
Oil Level @ -1500 ml	Oil pressure between 524 – 526	Stable