



JIG Committees Update

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<https://www.jig.org/about/jig-committees-and-working-groups/operations-committee/>



OpsCom Core Activities



Oversight and updating of the JIG Standards



- Issue 14 preparation and updates
- Bulletins that modify the Standards
- Review of other industry Standards that JIG refers to



Other Technical Publications that support the Standards



- Technical Newsletters
- Technical Information Documents



JIG Inspection Programme



- Inspection Policy
- Inspector Training and Qualification
- Oversight and improvement of JITS
- JITS/Site performance KPIs



Technical content for JIG Member Events and content



- Members' Technical Forum
- Manager Workshops
- Inspector Workshops
- Review of online learning



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- JIG Bulletin 155 review/update
- Update to EI/JIG1530 3rd Edition
 - Support the review with JIG Inspections data
- Second edition of EI 1533
 - **EI 1533 Inspection Checklist** added to EI/JIG 1530 Checklist
- Approved the online training modules JIG Fundamentals (JIG Learning Hub)
- Keep working on the review of items for JIG Issue 14
 - Over 280 items reviewed, **156 items agreed and approved by OpsCom**
 - **JIG 4:** Inputs from Members to review the Standard “smaller airports”
- Review all New Filtration Technologies (DDF+EWS, WBF) operational requirements in JIG Standards
 - FWG reviewing all the filtration sections in JIG with data received from Filtration Survey



OpsCom Core Activities



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- **New Filtration Technologies Bulletin (coming soon)**
 - Updates on technologies requirements.
- **New TN14 Filtration Field Issues (coming soon)**
 - Summary of issues with WBF filtration.
- **TID #2 & TID #3 are 5 years now**
 - Agreed to update TID#2 in 2025 (filter membrane testing)



OpsCom Core Activities



JIG Inspection Programme



- Inspection Policy
- Inspector Training and Qualification
- Oversight and improvement of JITS
- JITS/Site performance KPIs

- **Monitoring the JIG Inspection Programme**
 - Trend monitoring of JIG Inspection Recommendations
 - Monitor sites with LTS (Less Than Satisfactory) and potential actions
 - Monitor Inspectors that submitted Inspections Report “out of date”
 - Agree topics/items to cover in JIG Inspector Workshops
- **New “Training to Inspect to JIG Standards” Materials/Format/Assessment**
 - All IJS Trainers have been refreshed in Training materials and approach
 - New Training course format implemented and new assessment of candidates
- **Keep updating Issue 13 Inspection Checklist (new Bulletins, etc)**
- **Monitoring the effect of the updated JIG Inspection Policy (RBP)**



OpsCom Working Groups



Standards Working Group



Filtration Working Group



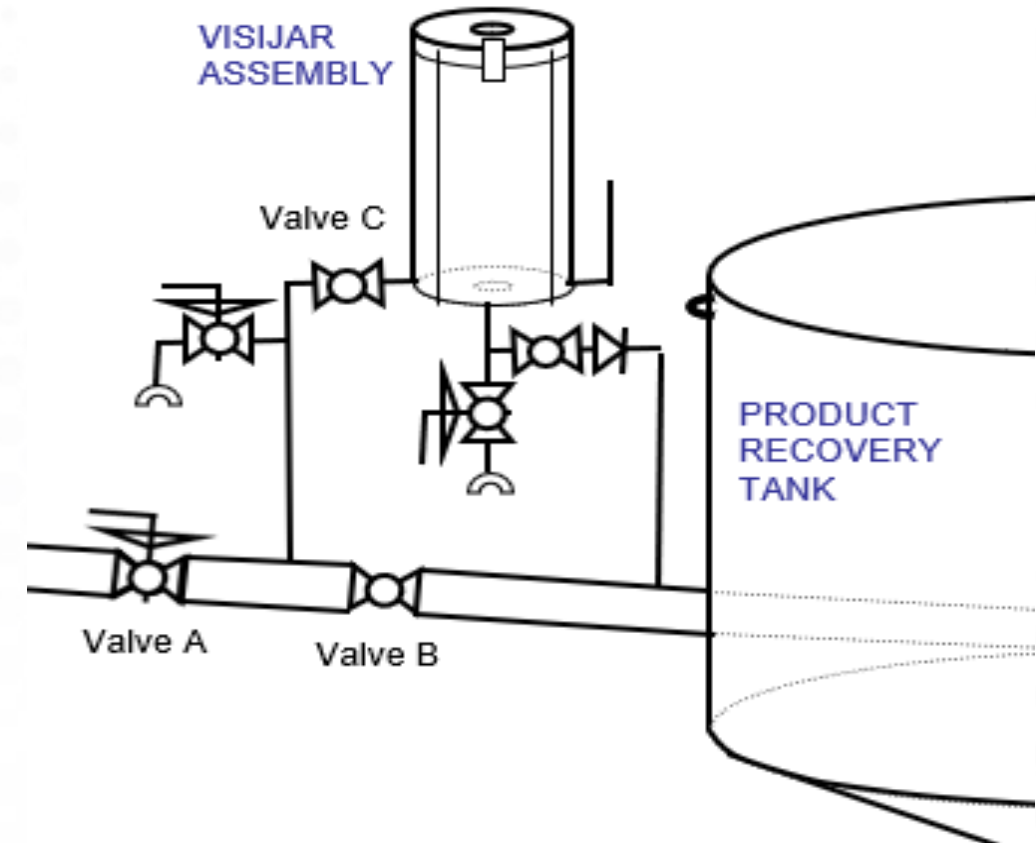
**Additional Working Groups
SME collaboration**



Taking a sample (best practice)

What is the best practice to take a sample from a tank low point?

1. Open A & B, flush, close B, open C
2. Open A & C
3. Open A & B, flush, close A & B, open A & C
4. Open A & B, flush, open C
5. Open A & B, flush, open C, close B

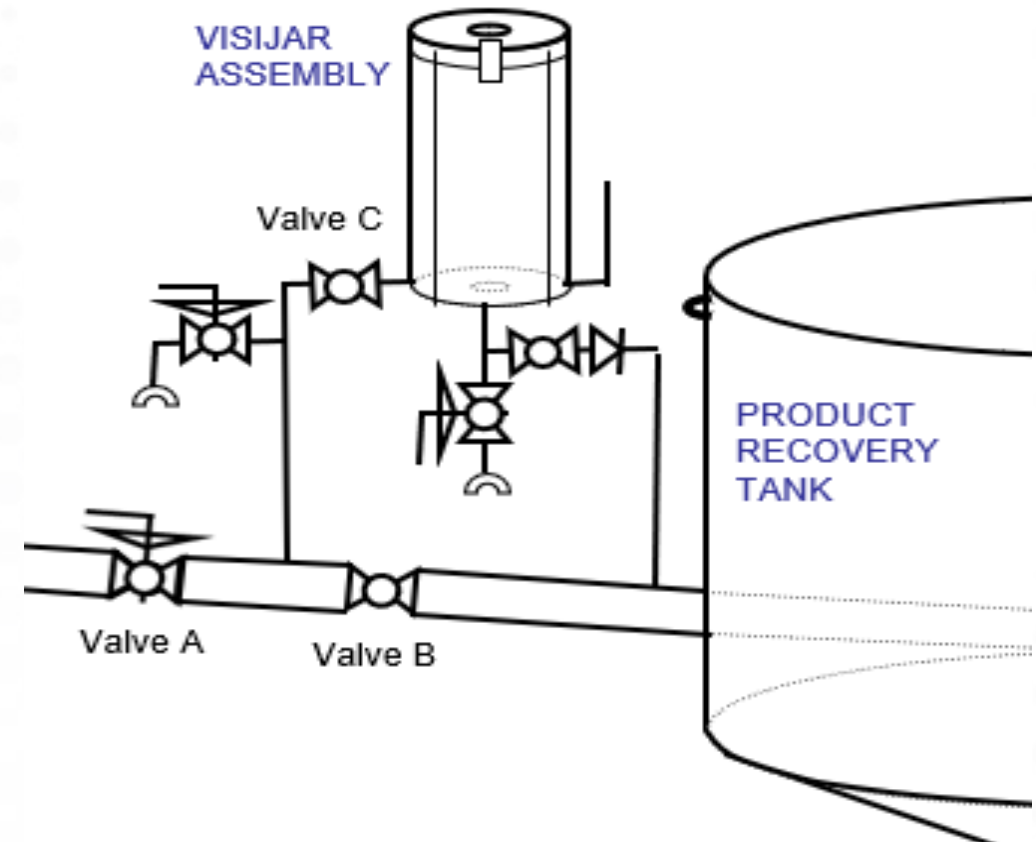


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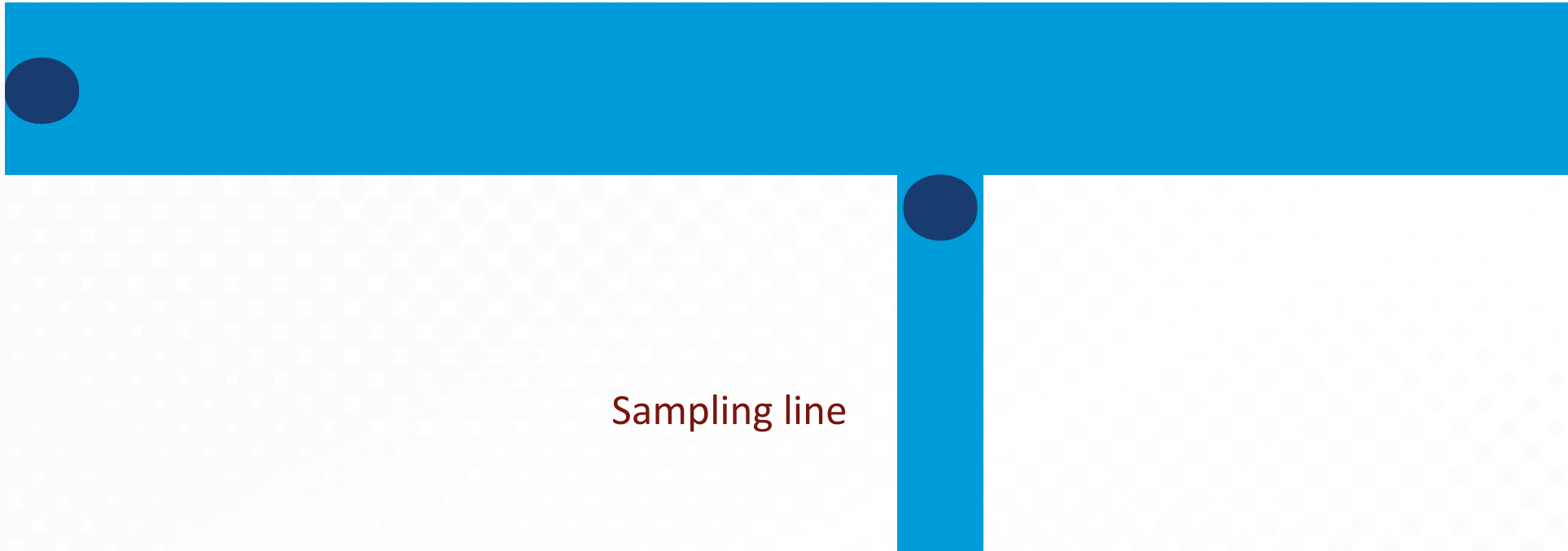
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What if flow into the visijar is poor??



Line sampling

Main line – (the one you want to sample from)

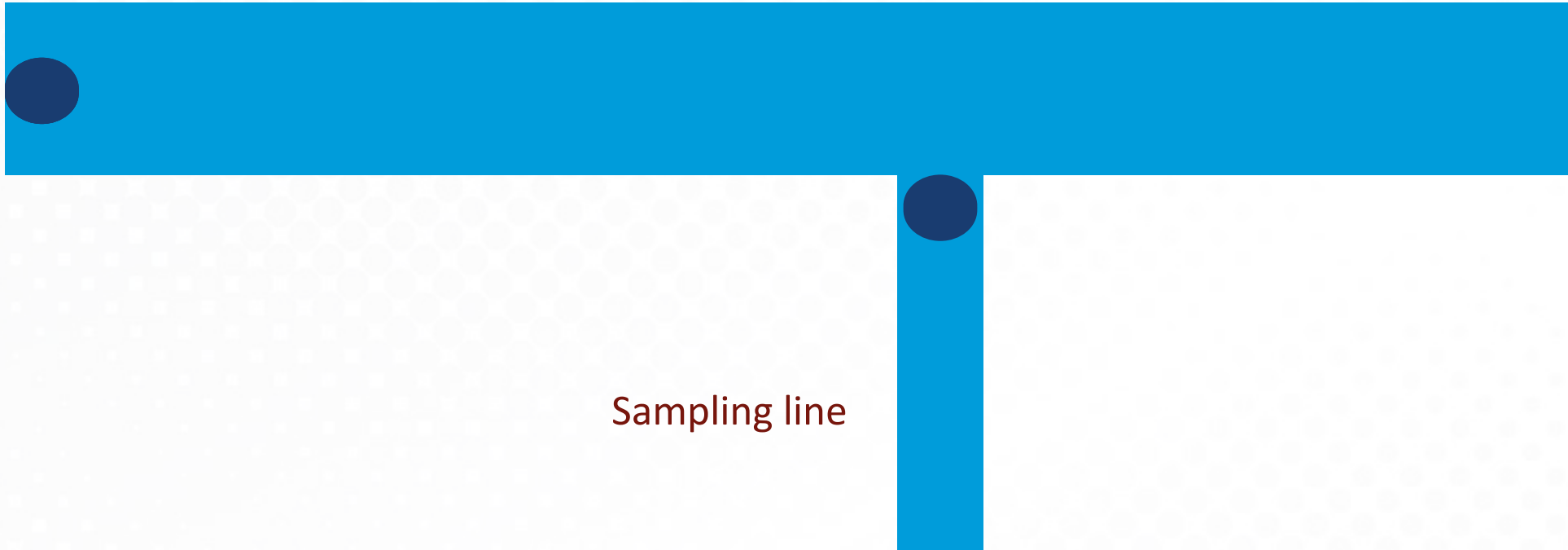


Sampling line



Line sampling (stalling)

Main line – (the one you want to sample from)



Sampling line

Line sampling

Key thoughts

If the equipment is poorly designed or operated without achieving good flushing velocity, it will almost always result in a 'Clear & Bright' sample being drawn...

It does not mean the system contains '**Clear & Bright**' fuel.

We also need to, as a minimum, check for 'enough' line content displacement and encourage **generous line content displacement**.

Equipment design and how we operate them is key to achieve representative samples, after flushing.



Sampling Records

DAILY STORAGE & FILTER CHECKS JET A-1

AIRPORT TERMINAL

TANK SAMPLES

Date	Tank No	Tank in use Retention Sample No	Temp °C	Cu (pS/m)	Density @ Observed Temp	Density @ 15°C	Drain Sample	Colour & Appearance	Time	Signature and QA number
							C	S		
24/02/24	K1									TANK Not in use
	K2						N	NIL	0145	SC
	K3						N	NIL	0115	SC
	K4						N	NIL	0128	SC
	K5						N	NIL	0135	SC

SHEET No 1
DATE 24/02/24

RECORD ANY FURTHER TANKS ON STREAM BELOW : RETENTION SAMPLES TO BE HELD FOR 7 DAYS

24/02	K2	38	+3.0	216	0.7970	0.7882	N	NIL	0520	SC
24/02	K4	39	+6.0	340	0.7980	0.7914	N	NIL	1000	SC
24/02	K5	40	+12.0	320	0.7932	0.7906	N	NIL	1100	SC

Code: Mod 2424-A1P

Edition: 3

Effective date: 24-Feb-2017

WEEKLY DRAIN OF HYDRANT LOW POINTS FOR JET A-1

Instructions regarding frequency for completing

Airport Facility		Week No		From		Day		Month		Year		To		Day		Month		Year			
		27						07		2022						07		2022			
Date	Staff No	Performance				Element drained (1)	Origin Stor. Fac.	Destination Stor. Fac.	LOCATION	Results quality control (2)										Remarks	Performed by
		Start		End						Tank or container	Bridger	Filter	Represent. Sample	QUANTITY DRAINED (RS + 120 + 200)	Hydrant flushing vehicles						
		Hour	Min.	Hour	Min.																
07/05/22	32	16	00	16	05	LP01R	TK2	TK3	FUEL FARM	PIT			245	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	05	16	20	LP01L	TK2	TK3	FUEL FARM	PIT			145	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	10	16	15	LP02R	TK1	TK2	CARGO ACCESS	PIT			85	500			C43	SC			
07/05/22	33	16	15	16	20	LP02L	TK1	TK2	CARGO ACCESS	PIT			50	500			C43	SC			
07/05/22	NO ACCESS / ON CHAINAGE					LP03R			SOUTH APRON JET BLAST FENCE	PIT			270					SC			
07/05/22	NO ACCESS / ON CHAINAGE					LP03L			SOUTH APRON JET BLAST FENCE	PIT			295					SC			
07/05/22	32	16	10	16	15	LP04R	TK1	TK2	RIVER NORTH	PIT			260	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	15	16	20	LP04L	TK1	TK2	RIVER NORTH	PIT			255	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	20	16	25	LP05R	TK1	TK2	RIVER SOUTH	PIT			190	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	25	16	30	LP05L	TK1	TK2	RIVER SOUTH	PIT			225	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	30	16	35	LP06R	TK1	TK2	V14 GATE	PIT			105	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	35	16	40	LP06L	TK1	TK2	V14 GATE	PIT			85	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	40	16	45	LP07R	TK1	TK2	VCHY1	PIT			320	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	45	16	50	LP07L	TK1	TK2	VCHY1	PIT			120	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	16	55	17	00	LP08	TK1	TK2	STAND 406	PIT			85	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	17	10	17	15	LP09	TK1	—	STAND 405	PIT			85	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	17	00	17	05	LP10R	TK1	TK2	VCHY1 ROAD	PIT			110	500			C43	RG			
07/05/22	32	17	05	17	10	LP10L	TK1	TK2	VCHY1 ROAD	PIT			115	500			C43	RG			
NO ACCESS						LP11R			GRASS AREA 19	PIT			197								
						LP11L			GRASS AREA 19	PIT			208								
07/05/22	33	16	20	16	25	LP12R	TK1	TK2	GRASS AREA 27	PIT			405	580			C43	SC			
07/05/22	33	16	25	16	30	LP12L	TK1	TK2	GRASS AREA 27	PIT			414	580			C43	SC			
(1) Element purged										(2) Results Quality Control										Approval:	
FWS = Filter Water										A = Water in suspension / Free water										Name and surname(s)	
M = Microfilter/Microm										B = Clear and bright											
FM = Filter Monitor										C = Solid Contaminants											
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 - HF = Hydrant flushing vehicle (daily)
 - MFD = Hydrant flushing vehicle (daily)
 - HFB = Hydrant flushing vehicle (before operation)
 - HFA = Hydrant flushing vehicle After operation
 - TK = Tank
 - BR = Bridger

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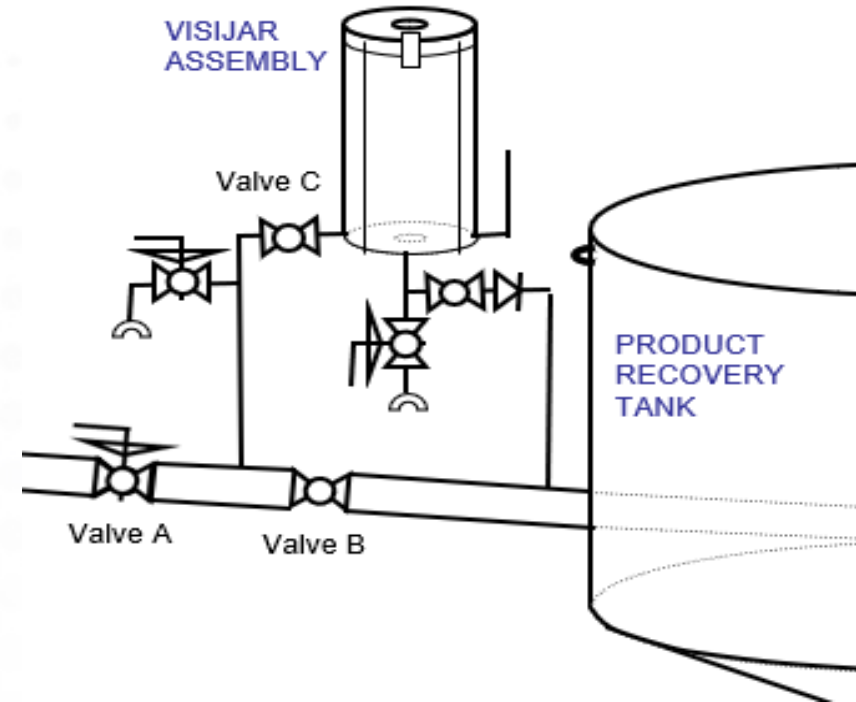


Taking a sample

Sampling procedure



What else to consider for best sampling?



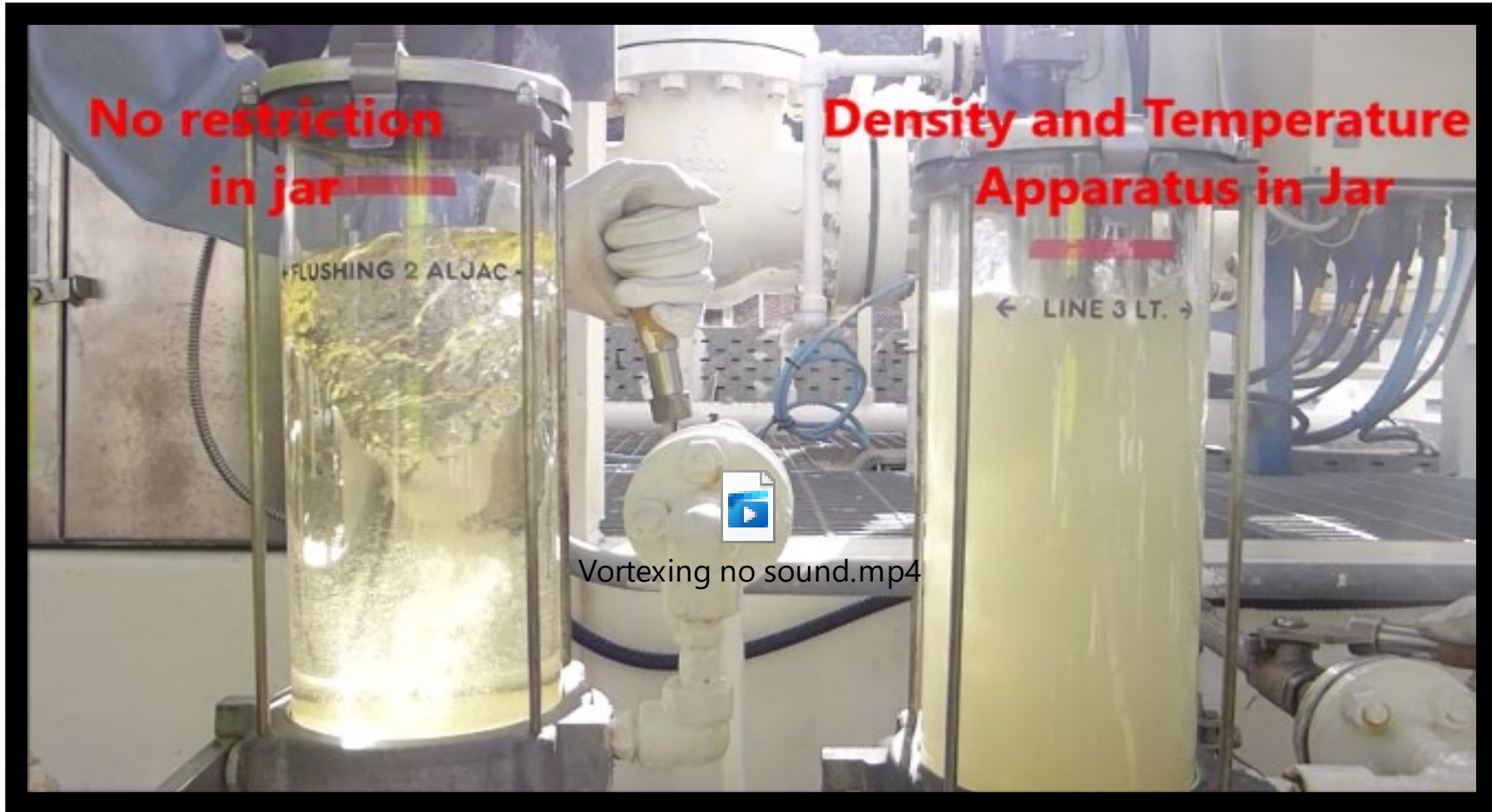
Thermometer / Hydrometer inserts



Capsule catchers



Does it *really* matter?



Reminder: Visual Appearance Check



Pre-use checks

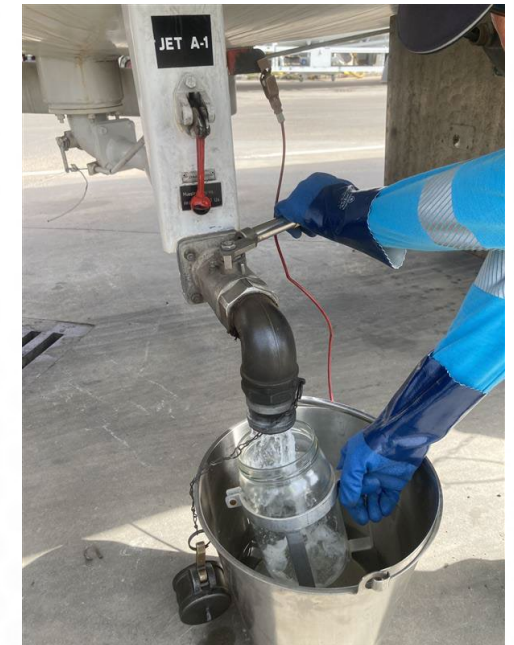
- Clean the sample container
- Confirm a 'representative' sample taken..... after flushing!

Procedure

- Create a vortex
- Observe the sample thoroughly
 - Dense contaminants congregate at the base
 - Lighter contaminants remain in suspension longer

Don't

- Rush
- Rely on CWD



Control Check

The **primary quality check** to determine fuel compliance in dedicated systems is the ‘Control Check’

What is a Control Check??

Control Check	The Control Check consists of a Visual Appearance Check plus density determination with comparison to the expected density.
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If fuel contains excess **water / particulate**, the **visual appearance check** should identify this

If fuel is contaminated by **another grade** during transport, the **density should change**



Control Check

An airport receives fuel by road. Prior to discharge a Control Check is performed.

What density shall the receipt density be compared to?

- a) The density on the certificate from the supply tank
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Reminder: Incidents during fuellings



Members of our Operations Committee

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2025 COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS

In order to maintain the valuable Member participation in JIG's activities, we are seeking nominations from Members who wish to be represented on JIG Committees and Working Groups. From July 2025 there will be vacancies on the following Committees:

- Operations Committee, 2 places
- HSSE Committee, 2 places
- Product Quality Committee, 1 place
- Governance Processes Committee, 1 place

Successful nominees will be given a 2-year mandate. Members should note that 50% of Committee places are free for election every year, thereby giving Members more frequent opportunities to contribute to JIG's work.

All Members of JIG (excluding Guarantor Members) can nominate a suitable person from within their organisation. To ensure that a nominee is suitable, the Member nominee must provide a skills-set summary, available via this [link](#), and a short biography using the guidance template provided [here](#). This may be used in the event of a ballot being required. Individuals may be nominated to a maximum of two Committees. Existing Member representatives may be nominated again. If selected, Member Representatives are also eligible to be elected Chair of the Committee they serve on.

- 2-member representative position have completed their 2-year mandate:
- Deadline for nominations is **13th June**
- Voting to commence end of June
- Election results expected **end of July 2025**





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