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CHAPTER 1. INTRODUCTION AND RESEARCH APPROACH

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Under National Cooperative Highway Research Programs (NCHRP) Project 9-26, the AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory (AMRL) is conducting a multi-phase research project to improve estimates of precision in AASHTO test methods for various highway construction materials. The report from Phase 1 of Project 9-26 includes precision estimates of selected volumetric properties of HMA using non-absorptive aggregates [1]. The report from Phase 2 discusses the results of an investigation into the cause of variations in HMA bulk specific gravity test results using non-absorptive aggregates [2]. The report from Phase 3 includes a robust technique developed by AMRL for analyzing proficiency sample data for the purpose of obtaining reliable single-operator and multilaboratory estimates of precision [3]. The report from phase 4 includes two parts. Part one covers the precision estimates of selected volumetric properties of HMA using absorptive aggregates. Part two of the report investigates the effect of aging period on the volumetric properties of the absorptive aggregates [4]. The report from Phase 5 includes update of precision estimates for AASHTO Standard Test Method T 269 [5].

This report includes the results for Part 3 of the 3 in Task 1 of NCHRP 9-26 where data from the CCRL Proficiency Sample Program (PSP) collected from the state laboratories are used to update precision estimates for AASHTO Standard Test Method T 105, “Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement” [6].

Data used in this study are from the chemical analysis of hydraulic cement samples that were sent to the state laboratories participating in the CCRL Proficiency Program. The laboratories receive annual or biannual shipments of CCRL paired proficiency samples, which are tested according to specified ASTM test methods [7]. The hydraulic cement samples for the chemical analysis were prepared and tested according to the methods explained in ASTM C 114 [8]. The data from 14 chemical components were analyzed and are provided in this report. The proficiency samples included in these programs cover a wide range of test values and cement types.

The technique developed by AMRL in Phase 3 was utilized for analyzing proficiency sample data. This technique is a four step methodology for shaving off extraneous results and analyzing the core data of a paired data set. The results of the analysis of the “core data” can then be used to obtain reliable single-operator and multilaboratory estimates of precision.

The precision statement for Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement Test Method in this study resulted from analysis of 107 paired data sets from 14 chemical tests on seven shipments of CCRL paired proficiency samples. Only the most recent proficiency samples were used in order to account for changes in test precision resulting from recent improvements in the test methods.

1.1.1 Problem Statement

AASHTO Standard Test Methods applicable to highway materials require periodic studies to determine estimates of precision. Some precision estimates become outdated as a result of improvements in the methods while other estimates need to be verified to see if they are still accurate. Some test methods need to be expanded to take into account a wider range of materials while other newer test methods may not have precision estimates of any kind.

AASHTO T 105 covers the test methods for chemical analysis of hydraulic cements. Although a set of specific chemical test methods are suggested in T 105, any test method of demonstrated acceptable precision and bias may be used for the analysis of hydraulic cements. To ensure the reliability of the user selected test methods, it is important that the precision estimates of T 105 are updated. The precision estimates also need to be expanded to include chemical components that are not included in AASHTO T 105-06 but are frequently measured by in state and private laboratories.

1.1.2 Research Objectives

The objective of this study as Part 3 of the 3 in task 1 of NCHRP 9-26A study is to verify, update, and expand single-operator and multilaboratory precision estimates for the AASHTO T 105, “Standard Method of Test for Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement.” Only the most recent CCRL proficiency cement samples that were tested according to the latest version of the test method will be analyzed.

1.2 SCOPE OF STUDY

This work is limited to an evaluation of the data collected from the laboratories participating in the chemical analysis of hydraulic cement for the CCRL proficiency sample program. There are a total of 107 data sets analyzed and included in this report. The resulting precision estimates will reflect a wide range of test values and cement types that are included in the scope of the CCRL Proficiency Sample Program.

1.3 PROFICIENCY SAMPLES USED IN STUDY

Included in the study are the most recent CCRL proficiency samples that were tested in accordance to AASHTO T 105-06 (ASTM C 114-05), “Standard Test Method for Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement.” The various cement types included in the study are Type I and Type I/II with and without limestone and Type V with limestone. Table 1-1 provides the sample designation and sample type of the CCRL cement samples and the date of the final report on the chemical analysis of the samples.

Table 1-1- Sample Designation and Date of Final Report of Proficiency Samples

Sample Designation	Cement Type	Date of Final Report
147 & 148	Type I/II	March-03
149 & 150	Type I	September-03
151 & 152	Type I	April-04
153 & 154	Type I	October-04
155 & 156	Type I	April -05
157 & 158	Type V w/ limestone (157) & Type I/II w/ limestone (158)	October-05
159 & 160	Type I w/ limestone (159) & Type I/II w/ limestone (160)	April-06
161 & 162	Type I (161) & Type I w/ limestone (162)	October-06
163 & 164	Type I (163) & Type I / II (164)	April-07
165 & 166	Type I /II w/ limestone	September-07

CHAPTER 2. RESULTS OF ANALYSIS AND ESTIMATES OF PRECISION

2.1 TEST DATA

The test data analyzed in this study are the percentages of 14 chemical components of hydraulic cement. Table 2-1 provides the list of components and the number of data sets used for precision estimate determination of each component. To capture the recent advancement in chemical analysis of hydraulic cement, only the most recent sets of CCRL data were analyzed. As indicated from the table, in most cases 8 sets of data were available for each component. The number of data sets that have been analyzed comes to a total of 107. The results of analysis of each data set can be found in Appendices A through N. This chapter includes summaries of the data and the resulting precision estimates.

Table 2-1- Chemical Components and Number of Data Sets Analyzed

Number	Chemical Components	Number of Data Sets Analyzed
1	SiO ₂ (silicon dioxide)	8
2	Al ₂ O ₃ (aluminum oxide)	8
3	Fe ₂ O ₃ (ferric oxide)	8
4	CaO (calcium oxide)	8
5	MgO (magnesium oxide)	8
6	SO ₃ (sulfur trioxide)	8
7	LOI (loss on ignition)	8
8	Na ₂ O (sodium oxide)	10
9	K ₂ O (potassium oxide)	8
10	TiO ₂ (titanium dioxide)	8
11	Cl (chloride)	8
12	IR (insoluble residue)	8
13	Cx (free calcium oxide)	6
14	CO ₂ (carbon dioxide)	3

2.2 ANALYSIS OF THE DATA

Several sets of chemical analysis data of 14 chemical components of hydraulic cement were included in the precision estimate determination for AASHTO T 105. Table 2-2 through Table 2-15 provide the results of the analyses. Precision estimates are based, where appropriate, on either the coefficients of variation (CV%) or the pooled standard deviation (1s) values.

2.2.1 Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂)

There were 8 sets of percent Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-2 and Appendix A. A review of the data shown in Table 2-2 indicates that there are no specific trends between the averages and standard deviations of SiO₂ measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.119 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.196 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using the following equation from Ku [9]:

$$s_p = \sqrt{\frac{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2 + \dots + (n_k - 1)s_k^2}{n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_k - k}} \quad (\text{Equation 1})$$

Where:

s_p = pooled standard deviation

s_k = kth standard deviation

n_k = number of laboratories analyzed resulting in kth standard deviation

Table 2-2- Summary of Statistics for % Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	141	19.66	20.24	0.100	0.5	0.5	0.180	0.9	0.140	0.7
149 & 150	154	20.15	20.70	0.090	0.4	0.4	0.200	1.0	0.170	0.8
153 & 154	207	20.87	22.13	0.100	0.5	0.4	0.160	0.8	0.190	0.8
157 & 158	208	21.11	20.84	0.130	0.6	0.6	0.210	1.0	0.220	1.1
159 & 160	209	20.02	20.51	0.100	0.5	0.5	0.210	1.1	0.210	1.0
161 & 162	218	20.38	20.34	0.100	0.5	0.5	0.180	0.9	0.190	0.9
163 & 164	212	20.58	20.20	0.131	0.6	0.6	0.217	1.1	0.182	0.9
165 & 166	221	20.63	19.03	0.164	0.8	0.9	0.201	1.0	0.230	1.2

2.2.2 Aluminum Oxide (Al₂O₃)

There were 8 sets of percent Aluminum Oxide (Al₂O₃) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-3 and Appendix B. A review of the data shown in Table 2-3 indicates that there are no specific trends between the averages and standard deviations of Al₂O₃ measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the

sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.073 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.110 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-3- Summary of Statistics for % Aluminum Oxide (Al_2O_3)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	126	4.32	4.79	0.060	1.4	1.3	0.130	2.9	0.130	2.6
149 & 150	144	4.98	4.64	0.050	1.0	1.0	0.160	3.3	0.140	3.1
153 & 154	199	5.02	3.46	0.070	1.3	1.9	0.100	2.1	0.100	3.0
157 & 158	210	3.73	3.99	0.080	2.0	1.9	0.100	2.6	0.130	3.4
159 & 160	196	5.11	5.12	0.050	1.0	1.0	0.100	1.9	0.100	1.9
161 & 162	203	5.18	4.75	0.040	0.9	0.9	0.080	1.6	0.070	1.5
163 & 164	208	4.93	5.13	0.077	1.6	1.5	0.108	2.2	0.092	1.8
165 & 166	218	4.49	5.26	0.114	2.54	2.2	0.082	1.8	0.141	2.7

2.2.3 Ferric Oxide (Fe_2O_3)

There were 8 sets of percent Ferric Oxide (Fe_2O_3) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-4 and Appendix C. A review of the data shown in Table 2-4 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of Fe_2O_3 measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.029 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.051 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-4- Summary of Statistics for % Ferric Oxide (Fe_2O_3)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	143	3.26	3.16	0.027	0.8	0.9	0.051	1.6	0.050	1.6
149 & 150	156	3.03	3.19	0.029	0.9	0.9	0.047	1.6	0.050	1.6
153 & 154	194	3.45	2.91	0.020	0.6	0.7	0.044	1.3	0.039	1.3
157 & 158	211	3.37	3.00	0.022	0.7	0.7	0.065	1.9	0.060	2.0
159 & 160	198	1.99	3.62	0.031	1.6	0.9	0.039	2.0	0.053	1.5
161 & 162	217	3.66	3.53	0.032	0.9	0.9	0.057	1.6	0.055	1.6
163 & 164	208	2.75	4.24	0.037	1.4	0.9	0.041	1.5	0.066	1.5
165 & 166	219	2.90	2.38	0.026	0.89	1.1	0.042	1.5	0.046	1.9

2.2.4 Calcium Oxide (CaO)

There were 8 sets of percent Calcium Oxide (CaO) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-5 and Appendix D. A review of the data shown in Table 2-5 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of CaO measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.199 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.384 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-5- Summary of Statistics for % Calcium Oxide (CaO)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	147	63.88	64.28	0.190	0.3	0.3	0.330	0.5	0.360	0.6
149 & 150	153	62.23	63.99	0.230	0.4	0.4	0.370	0.6	0.350	0.5
153 & 154	208	63.71	63.57	0.170	0.3	0.3	0.330	0.5	0.330	0.5
157 & 158	205	63.49	64.96	0.160	0.3	0.2	0.520	0.8	0.490	0.8
159 & 160	203	64.34	62.90	0.160	0.3	0.3	0.390	0.6	0.390	0.6
161 & 162	215	63.91	61.88	0.220	0.4	0.4	0.370	0.6	0.430	0.7
163 & 164	210	63.98	63.68	0.212	0.3	0.3	0.337	0.5	0.345	0.5
165 & 166	217	62.63	63.47	0.236	0.4	0.4	0.327	0.5	0.390	0.6

2.2.5 Magnesium Oxide (MgO)

There were 8 sets of percent Magnesium Oxide (MgO) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing of hydraulic cement are found in Table 2-6 and Appendix E. A review of the data shown in Table 2-6 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of MgO measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.049 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.070 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-6- Summary of Statistics for % Magnesium Oxide (MgO)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	140	3.50	1.35	0.070	2.0	5.2	0.090	2.7	0.070	5.5
149 & 150	160	2.46	2.21	0.040	1.5	1.7	0.110	4.3	0.090	4.3
153 & 154	198	1.18	2.37	0.040	3.4	1.7	0.050	3.9	0.060	2.4
157 & 158	200	2.53	1.66	0.050	2.0	3.1	0.090	3.5	0.060	3.8
159 & 160	197	1.27	0.92	0.020	2.0	2.7	0.050	4.0	0.060	6.0
161 & 162	206	1.17	3.55	0.060	5.5	1.8	0.050	4.0	0.090	2.4
163 & 164	203	1.87	1.07	0.038	2.0	3.6	0.052	2.8	0.053	4.9
165 & 166	210	2.60	2.08	0.058	2.23	2.8	0.071	2.7	0.054	2.6

2.2.6 Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃)

There were 8 sets of percent Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-7 and Appendix F. A review of the data shown in Table 2-7 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of SO₃ measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.047 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.076 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-7- Summary of Statistics for % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	153	2.60	2.90	0.050	2.0	1.8	0.070	2.9	0.080	2.8
149 & 150	160	3.48	2.37	0.040	1.3	1.8	0.080	2.3	0.060	2.7
153 & 154	206	2.78	2.73	0.050	1.6	1.7	0.070	2.7	0.070	2.6
157 & 158	200	2.22	2.35	0.030	1.2	1.1	0.070	3.0	0.070	3.1
159 & 160	199	3.68	3.16	0.040	1.2	1.4	0.100	2.6	0.070	2.3
161 & 162	213	2.73	3.00	0.050	1.8	1.7	0.060	2.3	0.080	2.5
163 & 164	211	2.88	3.58	0.051	1.8	1.4	0.070	2.4	0.082	2.3
165 & 166	213	3.23	3.68	0.055	1.69	1.5	0.080	2.5	0.091	2.5

2.2.7 Loss on Ignition (LOI)

There were 8 sets of percent Loss on Ignition (LOI) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-8 and Appendix G. A review of the data shown in Table 2-8 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of LOI measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.055 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.085 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-8- Summary of Statistics for % Loss on Ignition (LOI)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability		Reproducibility		Reproducibility		
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	177	1.61	1.63	0.040	2.2	2.2	0.060	3.9	0.060	3.9
149 & 150	179	1.98	1.66	0.070	3.4	4.1	0.090	4.4	0.080	4.7
153 & 154	199	2.00	1.80	0.050	2.7	3.0	0.080	4.2	0.090	5.0
157 & 158	209	2.91	2.70	0.070	2.3	2.5	0.110	3.8	0.110	4.1
159 & 160	204	2.65	2.48	0.040	1.6	1.7	0.070	2.5	0.070	3.0
161 & 162	213	1.67	2.00	0.060	3.6	3.0	0.080	4.8	0.090	4.4
163 & 164	204	1.43	1.08	0.040	2.8	3.7	0.063	4.4	0.057	5.3
165 & 166	220	2.13	2.39	0.056	2.63	2.4	0.097	4.5	0.110	4.6

2.2.8 Sodium Oxide (Na₂O)

There were 10 sets of percent sodium oxide (Na₂O) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-9 and Appendix H. A review of the data shown in Table 2-9 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of Na₂O measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the ten pairs of samples analyzed is 0.013 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.024 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-9- Summary of Statistics for % Sodium Oxide (Na₂O)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	120	0.13	0.13	0.015	11.49	11.6	0.020	15.7	0.018	13.8
149 & 150	132	0.32	0.07	0.022	6.94	33.7	0.031	9.8	0.024	35.6
151 & 152	141	0.27	0.19	0.012	4.53	6.5	0.025	9.2	0.022	11.5
153 & 154	191	0.11	0.11	0.009	7.77	7.8	0.022	19.8	0.024	21.3
155 & 156	200	0.08	0.14	0.012	15.00	8.9	0.025	29.7	0.026	18.9
157 & 158	195	0.21	0.11	0.014	6.65	12.5	0.031	14.3	0.026	22.8
159 & 160	184	0.12	0.06	0.008	7.04	13.6	0.021	17.8	0.021	34.6
161 & 162	193	0.09	0.13	0.012	12.45	9.1	0.023	24.4	0.022	17.5
163 & 164	199	0.20	0.06	0.015	7.78	27.0	0.021	10.9	0.019	34.2
165 & 166	205	0.16	0.16	0.007	4.60	4.7	0.023	14.6	0.024	15.4

2.2.9 Potassium Oxide (K₂O)

There were 8 sets of percent Potassium Oxide (K₂O) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-10 and Appendix I. A review of the data shown in Table 2-10 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of K₂O measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.009 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.016 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-10- Summary of Statistics for % Potassium Oxide (K₂O)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	114	0.69	0.82	0.008	1.2	1.0	0.016	2.4	0.017	2.1
149 & 150	128	0.83	0.69	0.009	1.2	1.4	0.019	2.3	0.019	2.7
153 & 154	195	0.42	0.69	0.010	3.1	1.9	0.015	3.5	0.021	3.0
157 & 158	186	0.47	0.31	0.000	1.5	2.2	0.014	3.0	0.012	4.0
159 & 160	188	0.51	0.75	0.007	1.3	0.9	0.012	2.4	0.015	2.0
161 & 162	180	0.63	0.53	0.007	1.1	1.3	0.011	1.7	0.011	2.1
163 & 164	195	0.68	0.38	0.009	1.3	2.3	0.015	2.2	0.013	3.3
165 & 166	197	0.73	1.17	0.014	2.0	1.22	0.017	2.3	0.025	2.1

2.2.10 Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂)

There were 8 sets of percent Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-11 and Appendix J. A review of the data shown in Table 2-11 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of TiO₂ measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.005 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.007 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-11- Summary of Statistics for % Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	71	0.25	0.23	0.003	1.3	1.4	0.008	3.3	0.008	3.4
149 & 150	88	0.21	0.30	0.008	3.7	2.6	0.006	3.0	0.009	3.1
153 & 154	139	0.26	0.16	0.006	2.4	3.9	0.008	3.1	0.007	4.1
157 & 158	116	0.17	0.22	0.005	2.7	2.1	0.007	3.9	0.004	1.9
159 & 160	143	0.26	0.23	0.006	2.2	2.5	0.009	3.4	0.007	3.1
161 & 162	116	0.23	0.25	0.003	1.2	1.1	0.005	2.0	0.005	2.1
163 & 164	126	0.30	0.33	0.004	1.2	1.1	0.009	3.1	0.010	2.9
165 & 166	143	0.23	0.22	0.003	1.40	1.44	0.006	2.7	0.006	2.9

2.2.11 Chloride (Cl)

There were 5 sets of percent Chloride (Cl) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-12 and Appendix K. A review of the data shown in Table 2-12 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of Cl measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the five pairs of samples analyzed is 0.002 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.004 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-12- Summary of Statistics for % Chloride (Cl)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
157 & 158	66	0.009	0.003	0.003	33.39	105.2	0.004	52.3	0.003	116.8
159 & 160	76	0.004	0.005	0.002	42.27	28.8	0.003	82.0	0.003	61.1
161 & 162	90	0.017	0.009	0.003	20.29	39.9	0.007	43.9	0.005	58.7
163 & 164	80	0.005	0.004	0.001	24.18	30.6	0.003	48.5	0.003	60.9
165 & 166	82	0.011	0.009	0.001	13.75	16.5	0.005	42.9	0.004	40.6

2.2.12 Insoluble Residue (IR)

There were 8 sets of Insoluble Residue (IR) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-13 and Appendix L. A review of the data shown in Table 2-13 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of IR measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.048 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.080 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-13- Summary of Statistics for % Insoluble Residue (IR)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	160	0.20	0.33	0.040	19.1	11.7	0.060	28.4	0.070	20.5
149 & 150	166	0.19	0.17	0.040	20.3	22.4	0.068	35.5	0.071	40.9
153 & 154	175	0.23	0.54	0.060	25.4	11.1	0.080	33.3	0.090	17.0
157 & 158	179	0.50	0.31	0.050	10.0	16.4	0.090	18.5	0.090	28.5
159 & 160	189	0.23	0.23	0.040	19.0	18.9	0.070	32.5	0.080	35.7
161 & 162	197	0.52	0.47	0.051	9.9	10.9	0.096	18.7	0.088	18.8
163 & 164	198	0.23	0.18	0.042	18.4	23.6	0.078	34.2	0.075	42.2
165 & 166	202	0.45	0.16	0.055	12.19	33.7	0.086	19.0	0.075	45.6

2.2.13 Free Calcium Oxide

There were 8 sets of percent Free Calcium Oxide data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-14 and Appendix M. A review of the data shown in Table 2-14 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of Free CaO measurements; therefore, form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard

deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for the eight pairs of samples analyzed is 0.125 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.214 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-14- Summary of Statistics for % Free Calcium Oxide (Free CaO)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
147 & 148	147	1.22	1.84	0.200	17.4	11.5	0.260	21.2	0.440	24.1
149 & 150	140	0.64	1.45	0.130	20.4	9.0	0.140	22.5	0.240	16.6
153 & 154	160	1.15	0.76	0.100	8.4	12.8	0.220	19.2	0.160	21.5
157 & 158	162	1.12	0.46	0.140	12.2	29.4	0.220	19.7	0.150	31.7
159 & 160	159	1.07	1.13	0.080	7.6	7.2	0.170	15.7	0.190	16.7
161 & 162	167	1.43	0.50	0.150	10.5	30.1	0.250	17.7	0.160	31.4
163 & 164	170	0.64	0.60	0.070	10.9	11.6	0.134	20.9	0.147	24.5
165 & 166	180	0.77	0.97	0.088	11.54	9.08	0.174	22.7	0.217	22.2

2.2.14 Carbon Dioxide (CO₂)

There were 3 sets of percent Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) data included in the precision estimate determination of AASHTO T 105. The results from analyzing the data are found in Table 2-15 and Appendix N. A review of the data shown in Table 2-15 indicates that there are no trends between the averages and standard deviations of CO₂ measurements; therefore, the form of the precision estimates should be based on the sample standard deviation. The pooled repeatability sample standard deviation for three available pairs of samples analyzed is 0.083 percent. The corresponding pooled reproducibility sample standard deviation is 0.219 percent. The pooled estimates are derived using Equation 1.

Table 2-15- Summary of Statistics for % Carbon Dioxide (CO₂)

Sample Number	No. of Labs	Average Results		Repeatability			Reproducibility		Reproducibility	
		Odd Samples	Even Samples	1s	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Odd Samples	Odd Samples	Even Samples	Even Samples
					CV%	CV%	1s	CV%	1s	CV%
157 & 158	136	1.82	1.93	0.115	6.33	6.0	0.304	16.7	0.223	11.6
159 & 160	141	1.34	1.33	0.064	4.81	4.8	0.175	13.1	0.166	12.5
165 & 166	155	1.48	1.78	0.062	4.16	3.5	0.209	14.1	0.216	12.1

2.2.15 Comparison of the Existing and Developed Precision Estimates

Table 2-16 shows the table of precision estimates in AASHTO T 105-06, with the current precisions crossed out and the new precisions underlined. As indicated from the table, the precision estimates of 6 out of 13 chemical components have been changed significantly, which could be due to the changes in chemical analysis procedure. In addition, precision estimate for CO₂ has been added to the table since it is being frequently measured in the state and private laboratories.

Table 2-16- Comparison of the Existing and Proposed Precision Estimates

(Column 1) Component	(Column 2) Maximum Difference between Duplicates ^d	(Column 3) Maximum Difference of the Average of Duplicates from CRM Certificate Values ^{bcd}	(Column 4) Maximum Difference between Two Laboratories ^e
SiO ₂ (silicon dioxide)	0.16 <u>0.34</u>	± 0.20	<u>0.56</u>
Al ₂ O ₃ (aluminum oxide)	0.20 <u>0.21</u>	± 0.20	<u>0.31</u>
Fe ₂ O ₃ (ferric oxide)	0.10 <u>0.08</u>	± 0.10	<u>0.15</u>
CaO (calcium oxide)	0.20 <u>0.56</u>	± 0.30	<u>1.09</u>
MgO (magnesium oxide)	0.16 <u>0.14</u>	± 0.20	<u>0.20</u>
SO ₃ (sulfur trioxide)	0.10 <u>0.13</u>	± 0.10	<u>0.22</u>
LOI (loss on ignition)	0.10 <u>0.16</u>	± 0.10	<u>0.24</u>
Na ₂ O (sodium oxide)	0.03 <u>0.04</u>	± 0.05	<u>0.07</u>
K ₂ O (potassium oxide)	0.03 <u>0.03</u>	± 0.05	<u>0.05</u>
TiO ₂ (titanium dioxide)	0.02 <u>0.01</u>	± 0.03	<u>0.02</u>
P ₂ O ₅ (phosphorus pentoxide)	0.03	± 0.03	
ZnO (zinc oxide)	0.03	± 0.03	
Mn ₂ O ₃ (manganic oxide)	0.03	± 0.03	
S (sulfide sulfur)	0.01	/	
Cl (chloride)	0.02 <u>0.01</u>	/	<u>0.01</u>
IR (insoluble residue)	0.10 <u>0.14</u>	/	<u>0.23</u>
Cx (free calcium oxide)	0.20 <u>0.35</u>	/	<u>0.61</u>
Alk _w (water-soluble alkali) ^f	0.75/w	/	
Chl _o (chloroform-soluble organic substances)	0.004		
CO ₂ (carbon dioxide)	<u>0.24</u>	/	<u>0.62</u>

CHAPTER 3. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

3.1 COMMENTARY

This study was conducted to update and expand the precision estimates for AASHTO Standard Test Method T 105, “Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement.” The data analyzed in this study are from the most recent data sets collected from the laboratories participating in the CCRL Proficiency Sample Program. The data reflect wide range of test values and cement types. In most cases the data sets used to derive the precision estimate included well over 150 laboratories.

3.2 CONCLUSION

AASHTO T 105 covers the test methods for chemical analysis of hydraulic cements. Although a set of specific chemical test methods are suggested in T 105-03, any test method of demonstrated acceptable precision and bias may be used for analysis of hydraulic cements. Since reliability of the user selected chemical analysis test methods are determined by T 105 precision and bias estimates, the verification and update of the precision estimates are of particular importance. To update and expand T 105 precision estimates, the most recent chemical analysis data that have been collected from the laboratories participating in the CCRL Proficiency Sample Program were analyzed. To capture the advancement in some of the chemical analysis methods only the most recent sets of CCRL data were analyzed. Also, only 14 of the most frequently measured chemical components by the state and private laboratories were included in the analysis. The comparison of the precision estimates developed in this study and the existing precisions in AASHTO T 105-06 indicated significant change in precisions of a number of chemical analysis.

3.3 RECOMMENDATIONS

In order for the precision estimates of AASHTO T 105 to reflect the recent advancement in chemical testing of hydraulic cement, it is recommended that the updated precision and bias statement in Section 3.4 be adopted for AASHTO T 105.

3.4 PRECISION STATEMENT FOR AASHTO T 105, “CHEMICAL ANALYSIS OF HYDRAULIC CEMENT”

X. Precision and Bias

X.1 Precision - Criteria for judging the acceptability of percentages of chemical components that are obtained using AASHTO T 105 for hydraulic cement are:

X.1.1 Single-Operator Precision (Repeatability) – The figures in Column 2 of Table X are the standard deviations that have been found to be appropriate for the chemical components in Column 1. Two results obtained in the same laboratory, by the same operator using the same equipment, in the shortest practical period of time, should not be considered suspect unless the difference in the two results exceeds the values given in Table X, Column 3.

X.1.2 Multilaboratory Precision (Reproducibility) – The figures in Column 4 of Table X are the standard deviations that have been found to be appropriate for the chemical components in Column 1. Two results submitted by two different operators testing the same material in different laboratories shall not be considered suspect unless the difference in the two results exceeds the values given in Table X, Column 5.

Table X – Precision Estimates

Chemical Components	Standard Deviation (1s) ^a	Acceptable Range of Two Test Results (d2s) ^a	Standard Deviation (1s) ^a	Acceptable Range of Two Test Results (d2s) ^a
	Single Operator Precision:		Multilaboratory Precision:	
SiO ₂ (silicon dioxide)	0.119	0.333	0.196	0.549
Al ₂ O ₃ (aluminum oxide)	0.073	0.204	0.110	0.308
Fe ₂ O ₃ (ferric oxide)	0.029	0.081	0.051	0.143
CaO (calcium oxide)	0.199	0.557	0.384	1.075
MgO (magnesium oxide)	0.049	0.137	0.070	0.196
SO ₃ (sulfur trioxide)	0.047	0.132	0.076	0.213
LOI (loss on ignition)	0.055	0.154	0.085	0.238
Na ₂ O (sodium oxide)	0.013	0.036	0.024	0.067
K ₂ O (potassium oxide)	0.009	0.025	0.016	0.045
TiO ₂ (titanium dioxide)	0.005	0.014	0.007	0.020
Cl (chloride)	0.002	0.006	0.004	0.011
IR (insoluble residue)	0.048	0.134	0.080	0.224
Cx (free calcium oxide)	0.125	0.350	0.214	0.599
CO ₂ (carbon dioxide)	0.083	0.232	0.219	0.613

^a These values represent the 1s and d2s limits described in ASTM Practice C670.

Note – The precision estimates given in Table X are based on the analysis of test results from 107 pairs of CCRL proficiency samples. The data analyzed consisted of results from 66 to 221 laboratories for each of the pairs of samples. The analysis included five cement types: Type I and Type I/II with and without limestone and Type V with limestone.

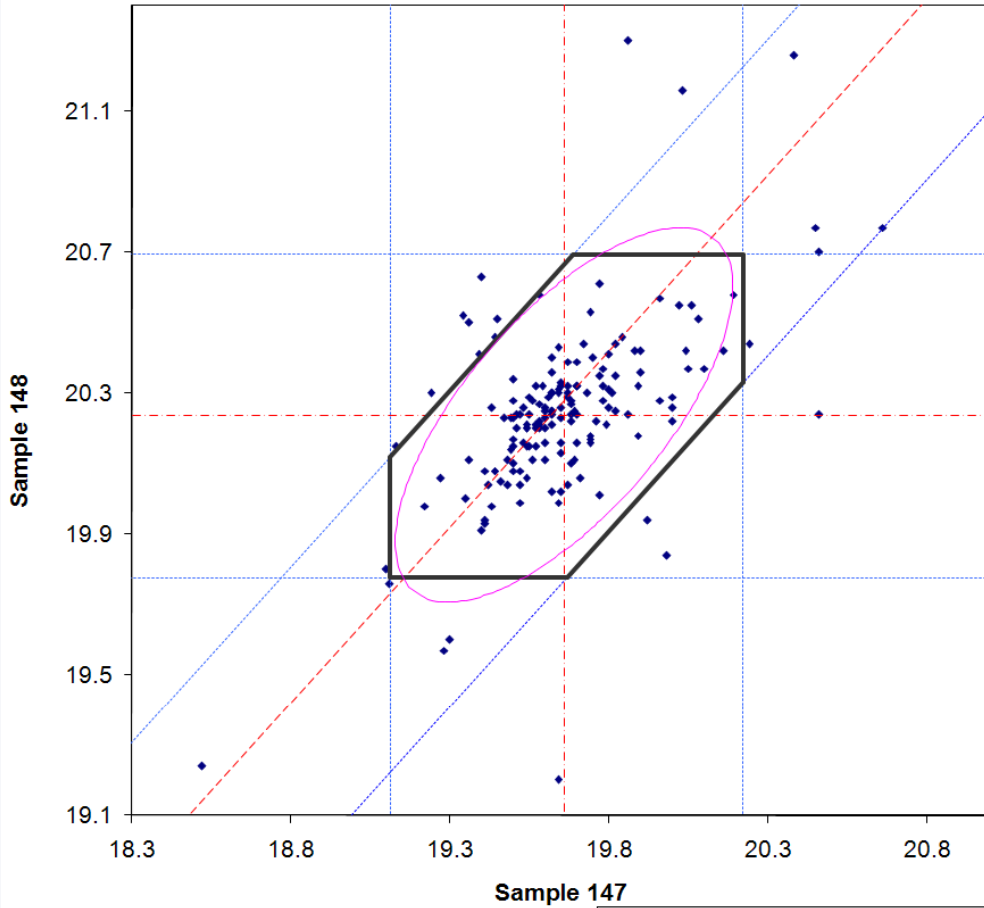
X.2 Bias – No information can be presented on the bias of the procedure because no comparison with the material having an accepted reference value was conducted.

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APPENDIX A: SILICON DIOXIDE (SiO₂)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂) , Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

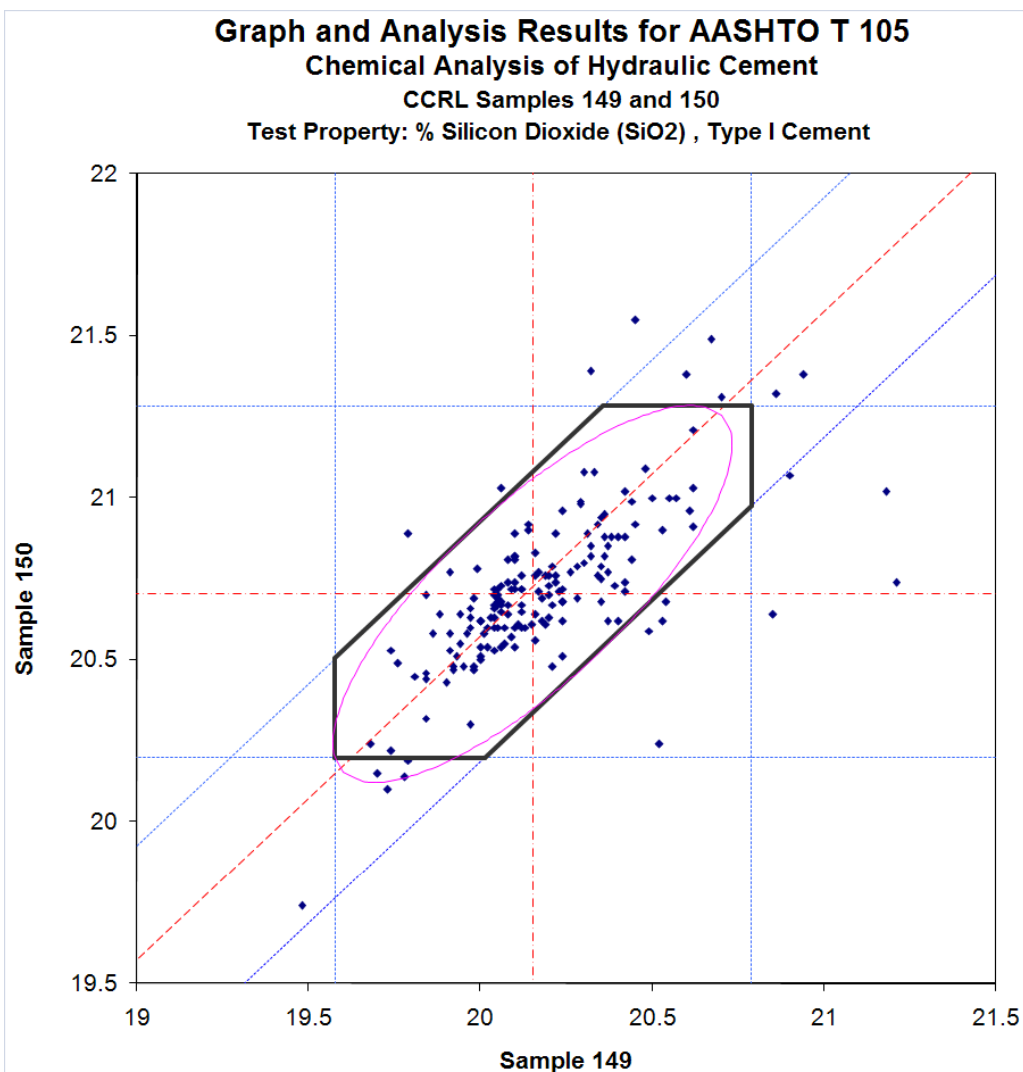
Participation: 165 Total Laboratories
 5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 141 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
19.66	20.24

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.10	0.28	0.50	0.49

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.18	0.51	0.91

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.14	0.41	0.71



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

178	Total Laboratories
6	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
18	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
154	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

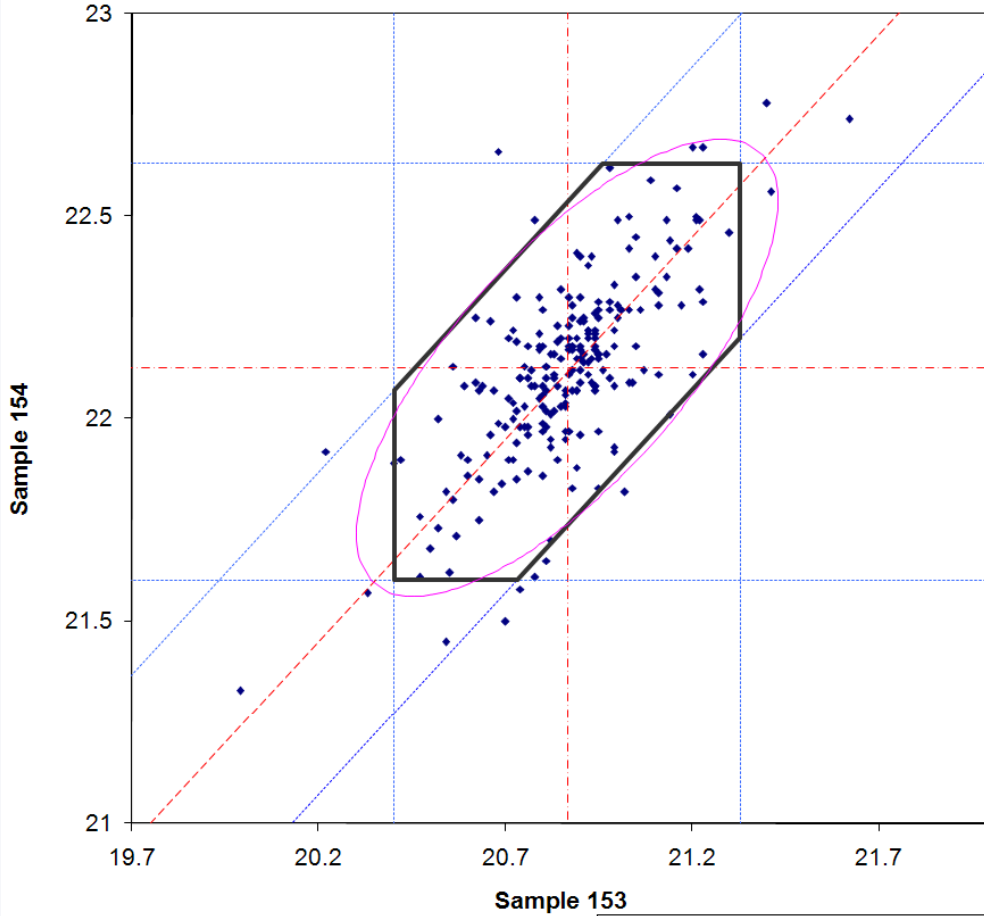
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
20.15	20.70

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.09	0.25	0.44	0.43

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.20	0.55	0.97

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.17	0.48	0.82

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂) , Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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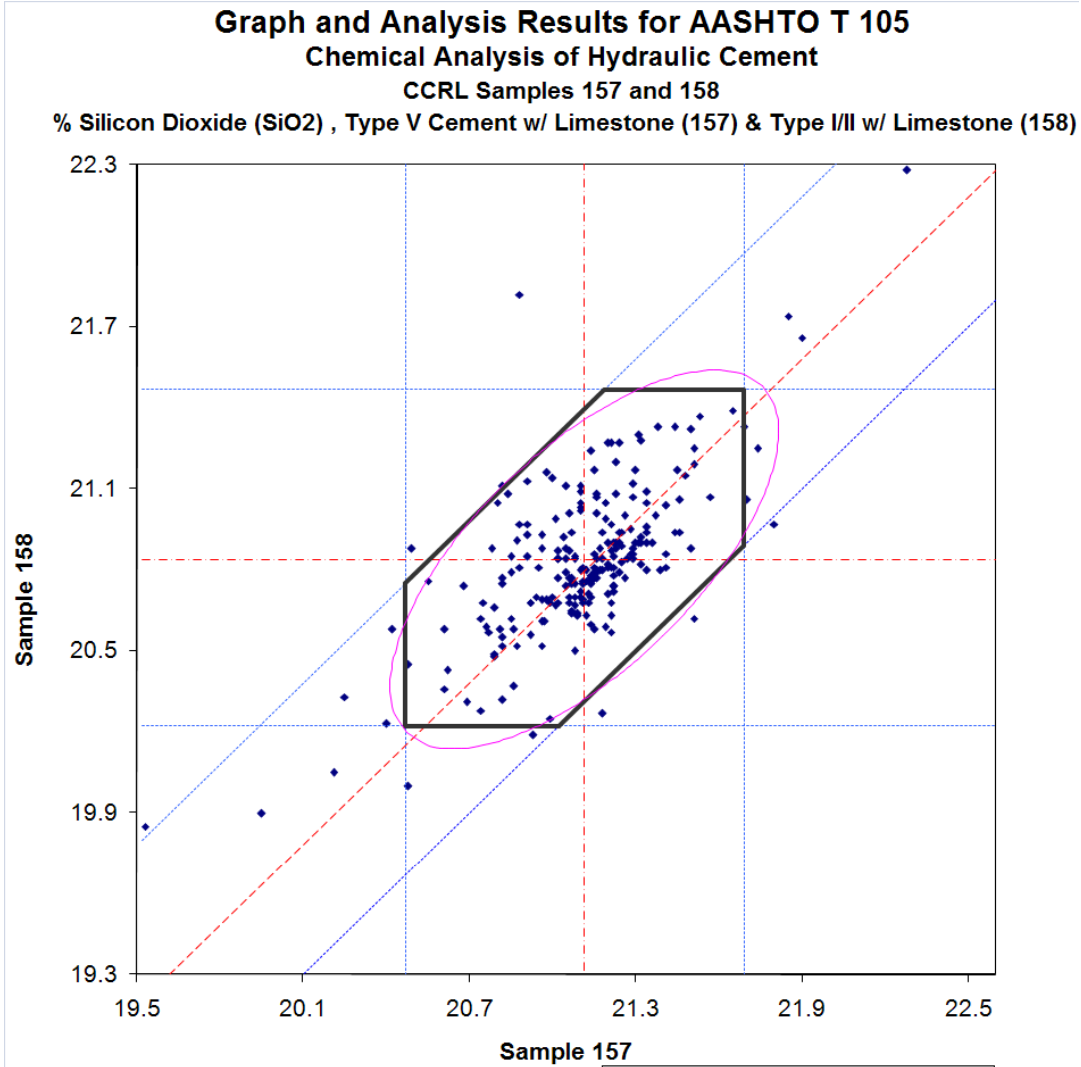
Participation: 230 Total Laboratories
 7 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 207 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
20.87	22.13

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.10	0.28	0.47	0.44

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.16	0.46	0.79

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.19	0.52	0.84



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
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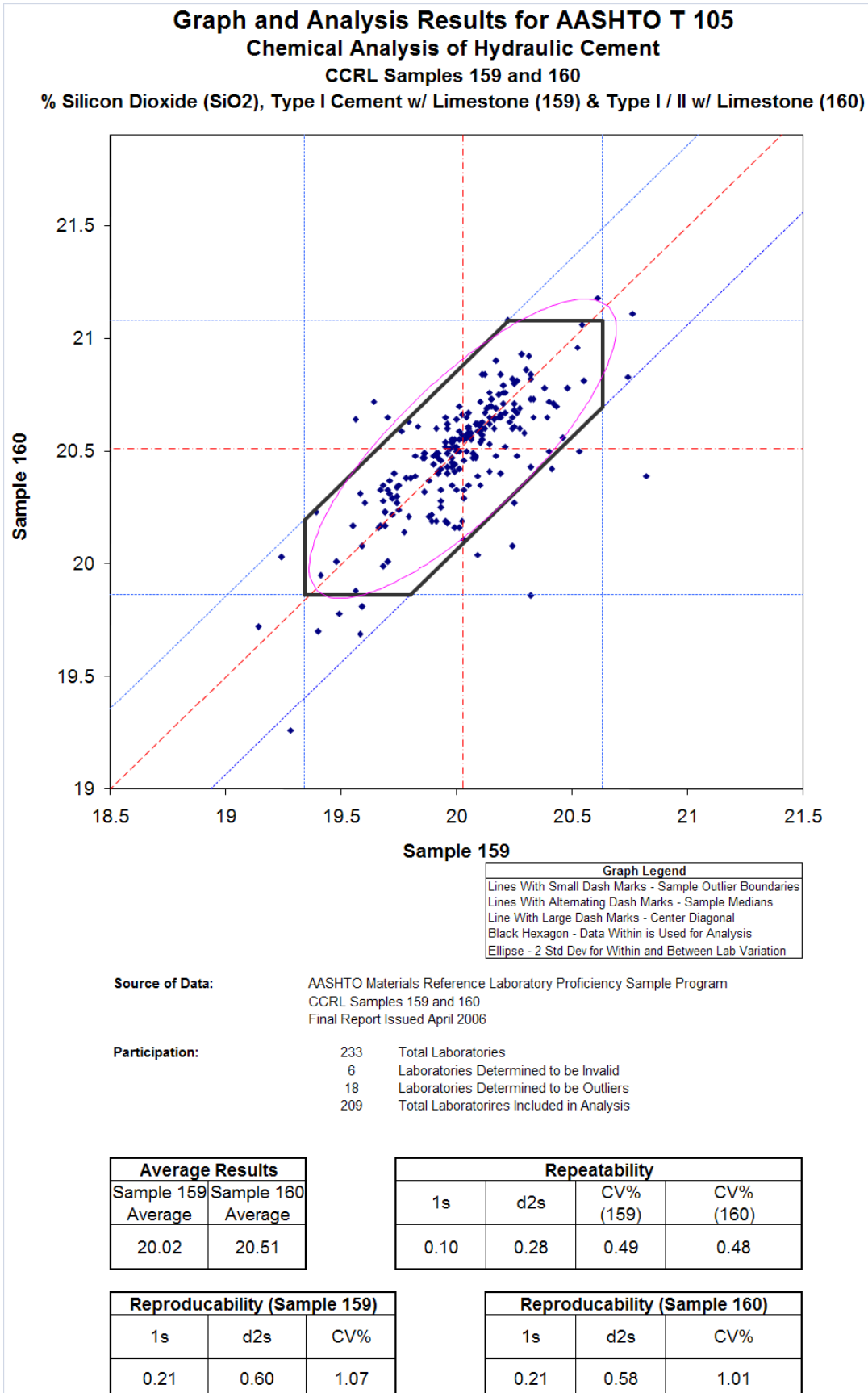
Participation: 231 Total Laboratories
8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
15 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
208 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

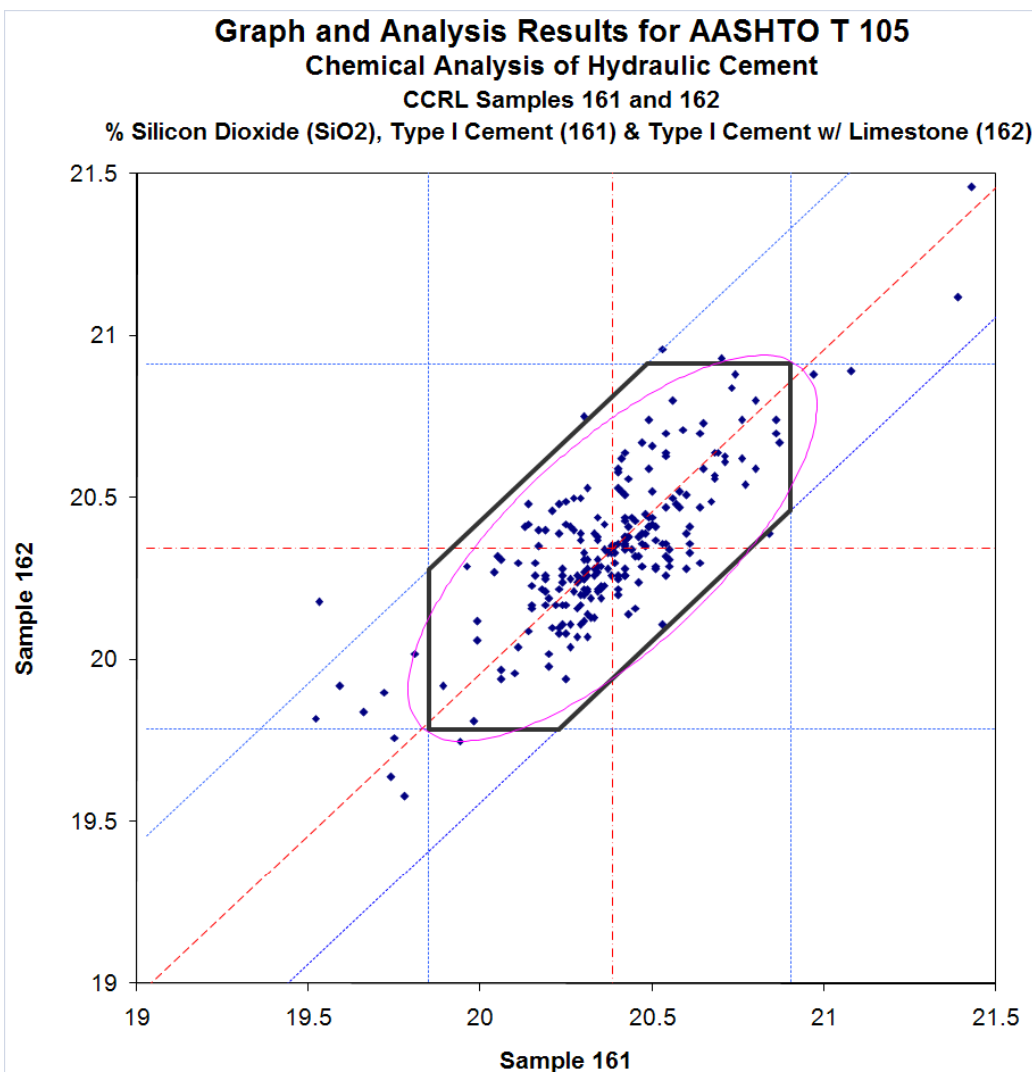
Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
21.11	20.84

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.13	0.38	0.63	0.64

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.21	0.59	0.99

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.62	1.05





Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct 2006

Participation: 238 Total Laboratories
4 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
218 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

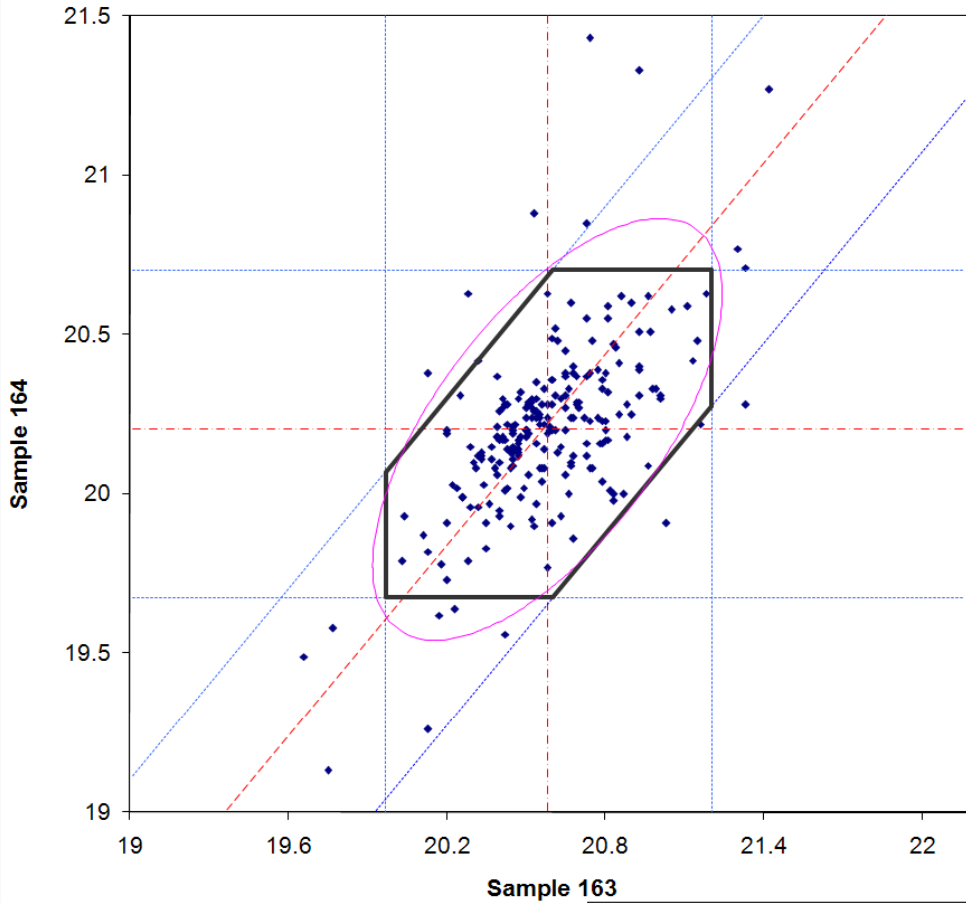
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
20.38	20.34

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.10	0.29	0.50	0.50

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.18	0.51	0.89

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.19	0.53	0.92

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
% Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 235 Total Laboratories
 8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 15 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 212 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

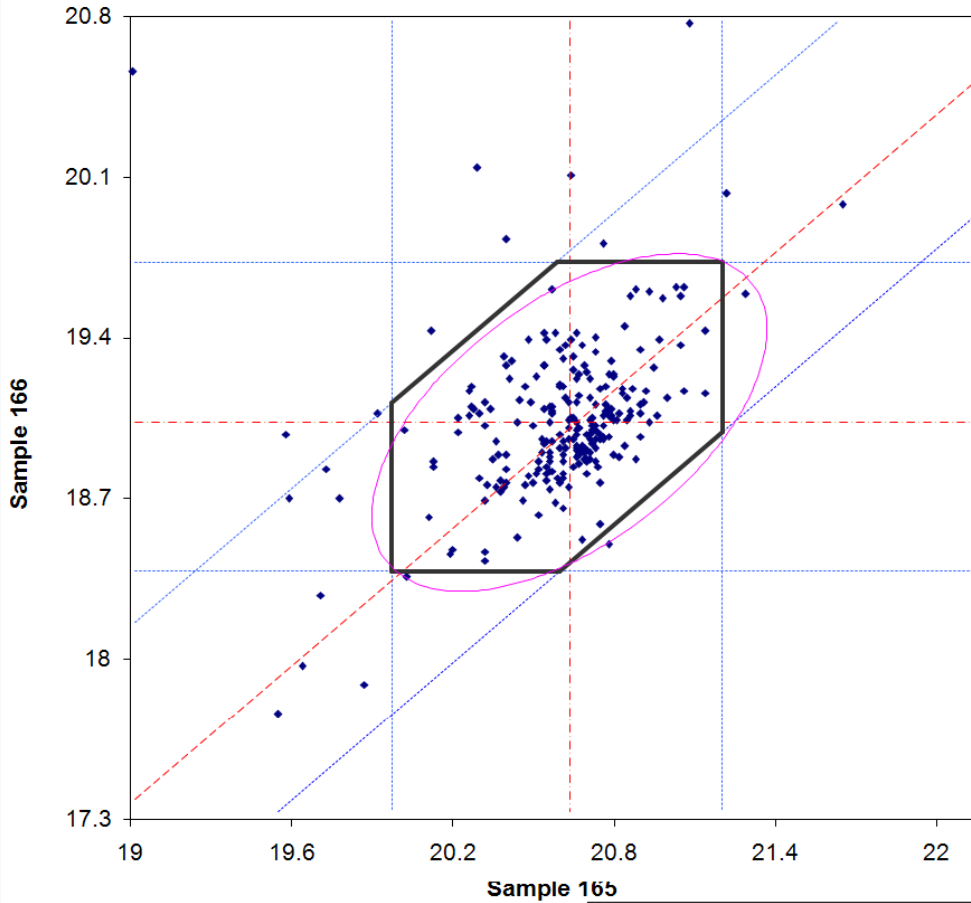
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
20.58	20.20

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.13	0.37	0.64	0.65

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.61	1.05

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.18	0.51	0.90

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
% Silicon Dioxide (SiO₂), Type I /II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation: 244 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 17 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 221 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
20.63	19.03

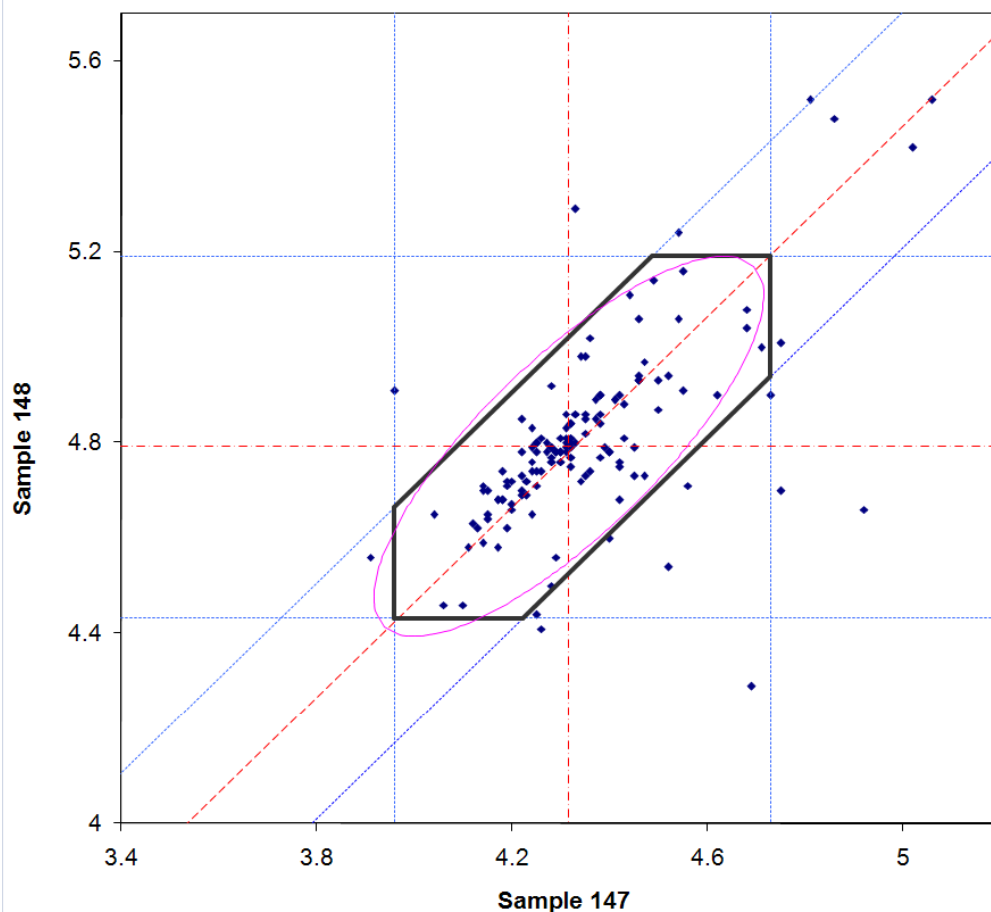
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.16	0.47	0.80	0.86

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.20	0.57	0.97

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.23	0.65	1.21

APPENDIX B: ALUMINUM OXIDE (AL₂O₃)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: Aluminium Oxide (Al₂O₃) %, Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation:

148	Total Laboratories
6	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
16	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
126	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

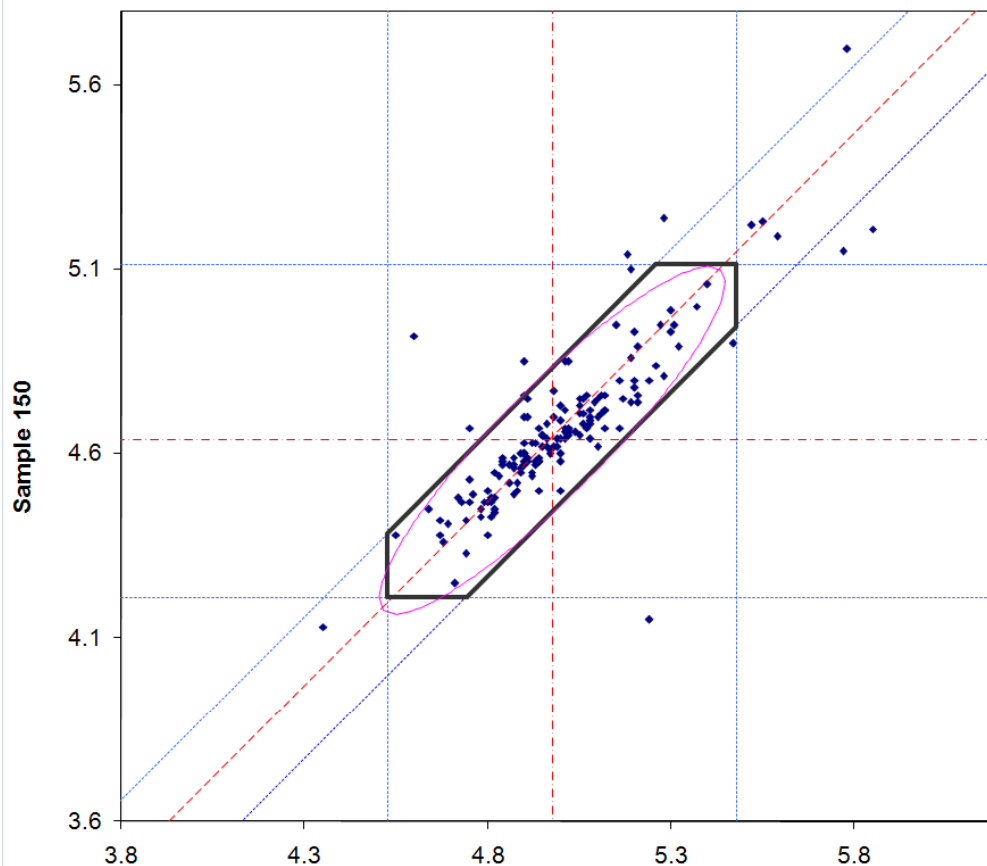
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
4.32	4.79

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.06	0.17	1.40	1.26

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.13	0.35	2.91

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.13	0.36	2.64

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: Aluminium Oxide (Al₂O₃) %, Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

162	Total Laboratories
5	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
13	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
144	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

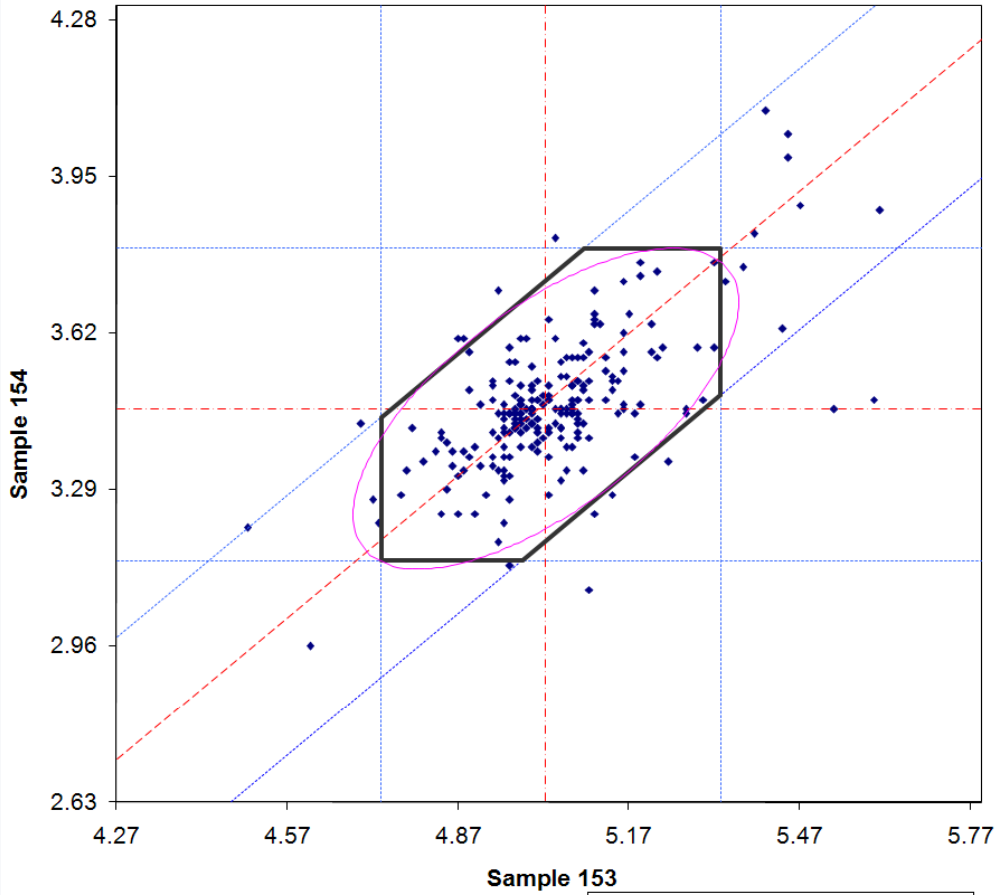
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
4.98	4.64

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.05	0.14	0.96	1.03

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.16	0.46	3.25

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.14	0.41	3.12

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: Aliminum Oxide (AL2O3) %, Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
 Final Report Issued Oct. 2004

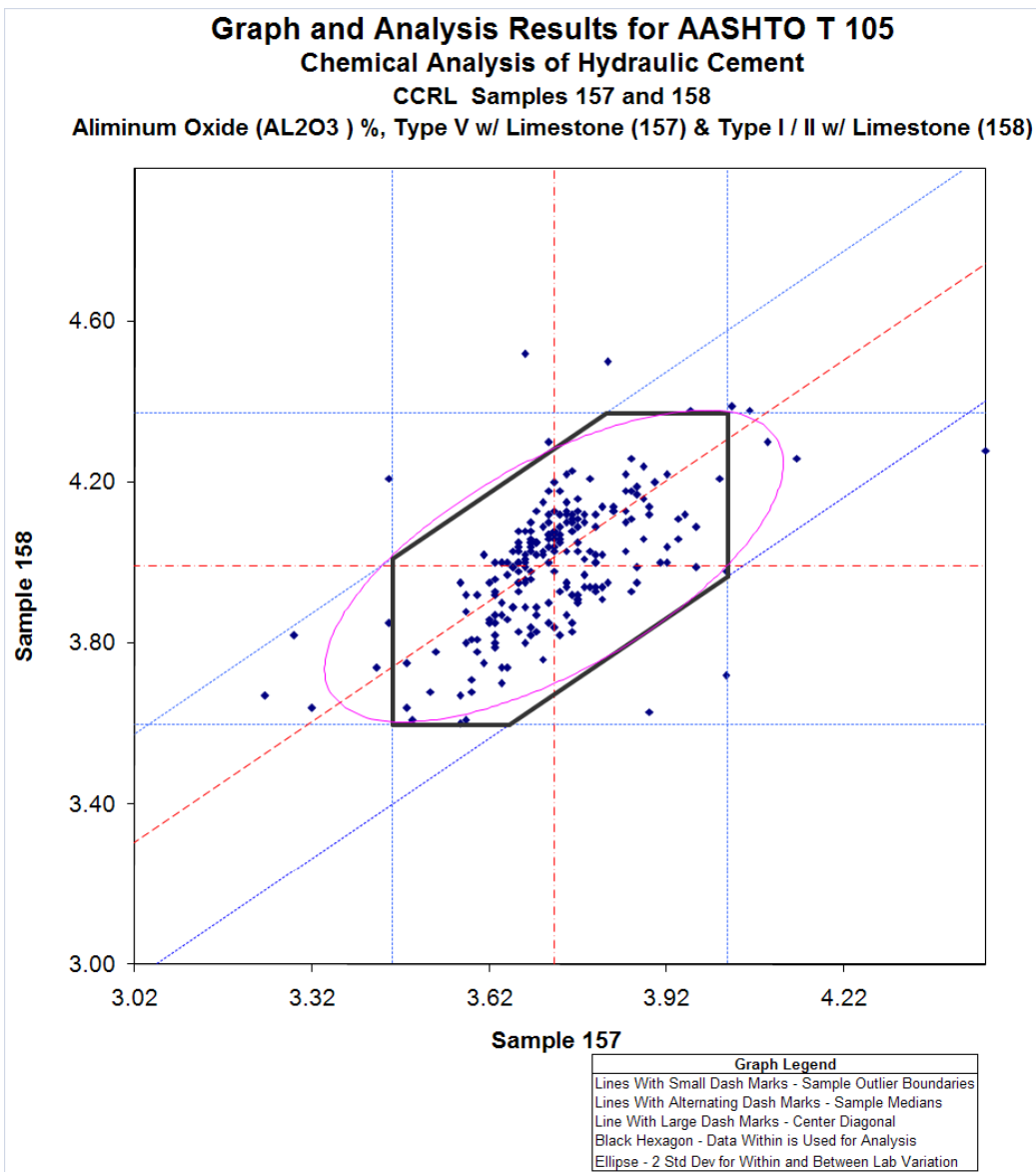
Participation: 228 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 23 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 199 Total Laboratorires Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
5.02	3.46

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.07	0.19	1.30	1.89

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.29	2.05

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.29	2.97



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
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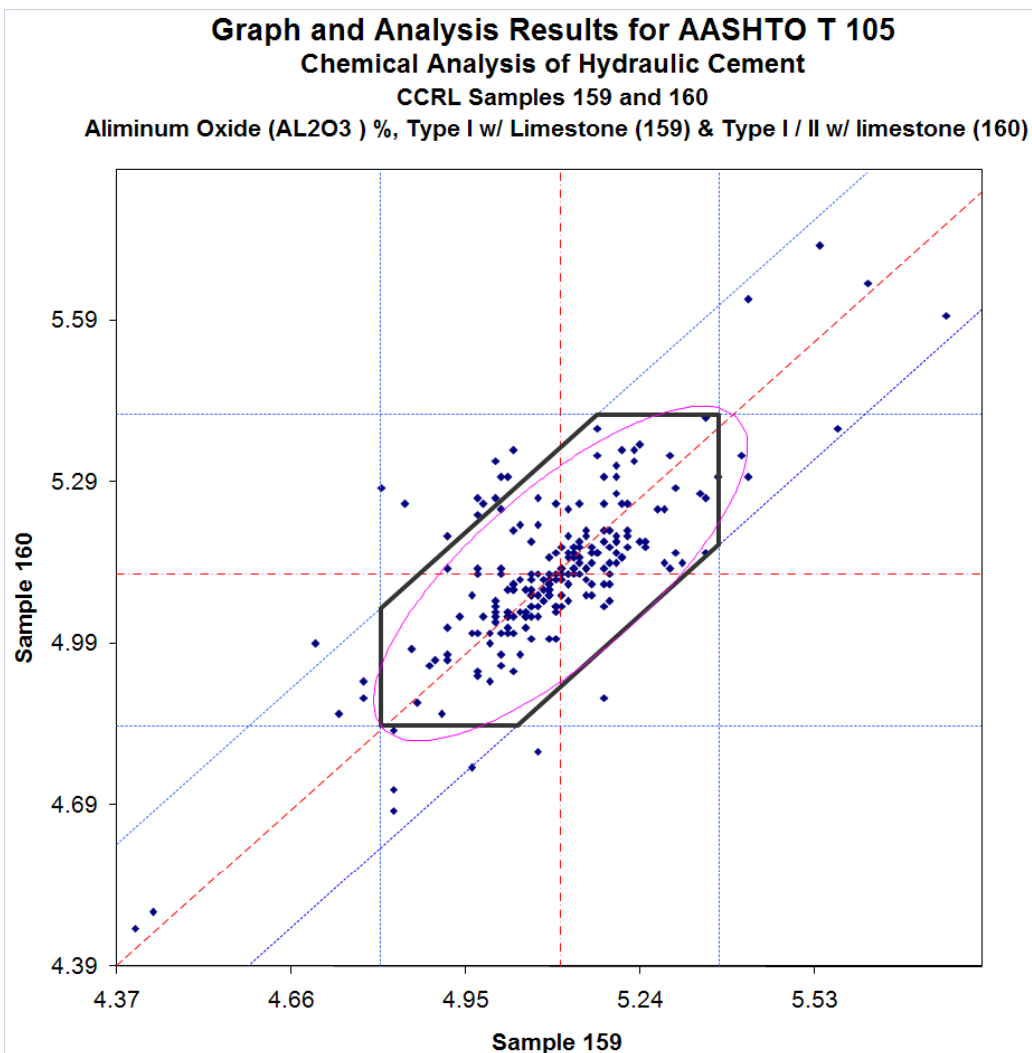
Participation: 229 Total Laboratories
5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
210 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
3.73	3.99

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.08	0.21	2.03	1.89

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.28	2.64

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.13	0.38	3.37



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
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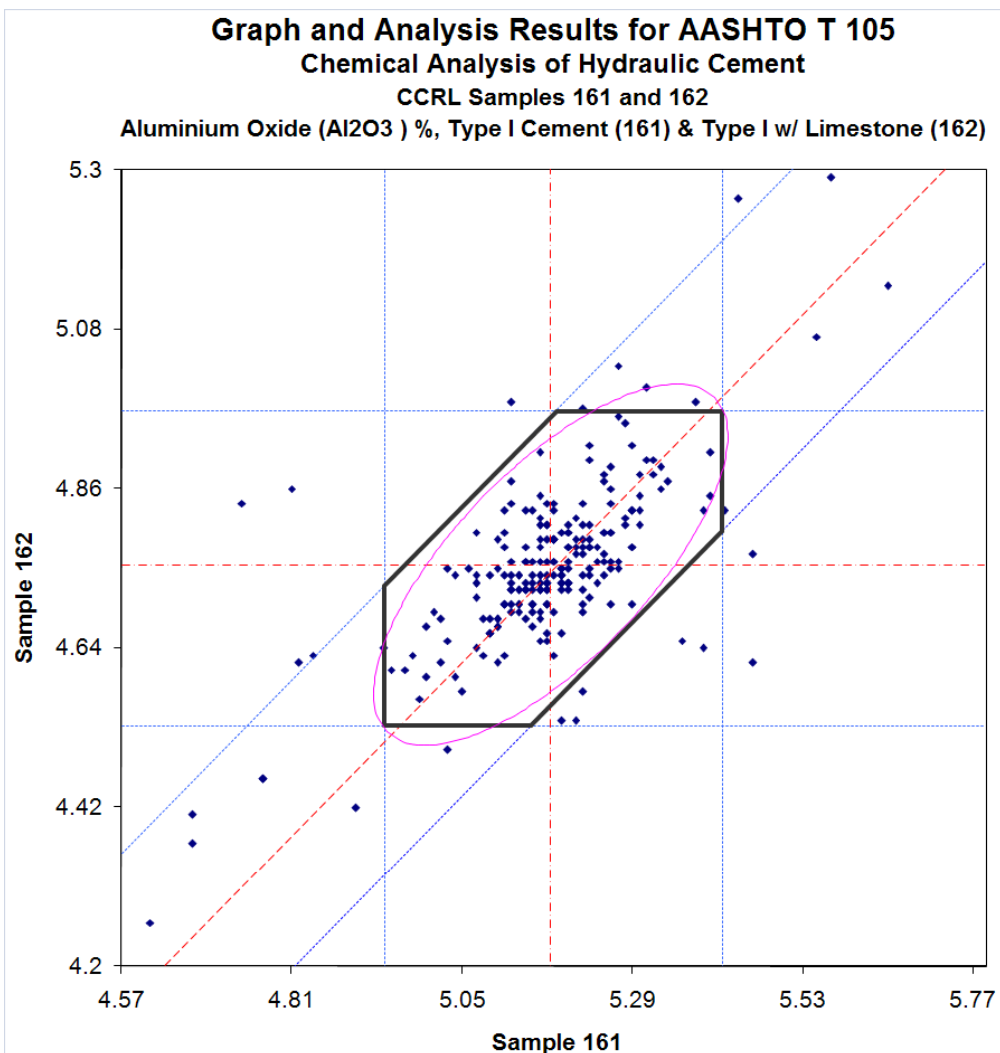
Participation: 230 Total Laboratories
10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
24 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
196 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
5.11	5.12

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.05	0.14	0.99	0.99

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.28	1.93

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.27	1.87



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct. 2006

Participation: 236 Total Laboratories
13 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
20 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
203 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

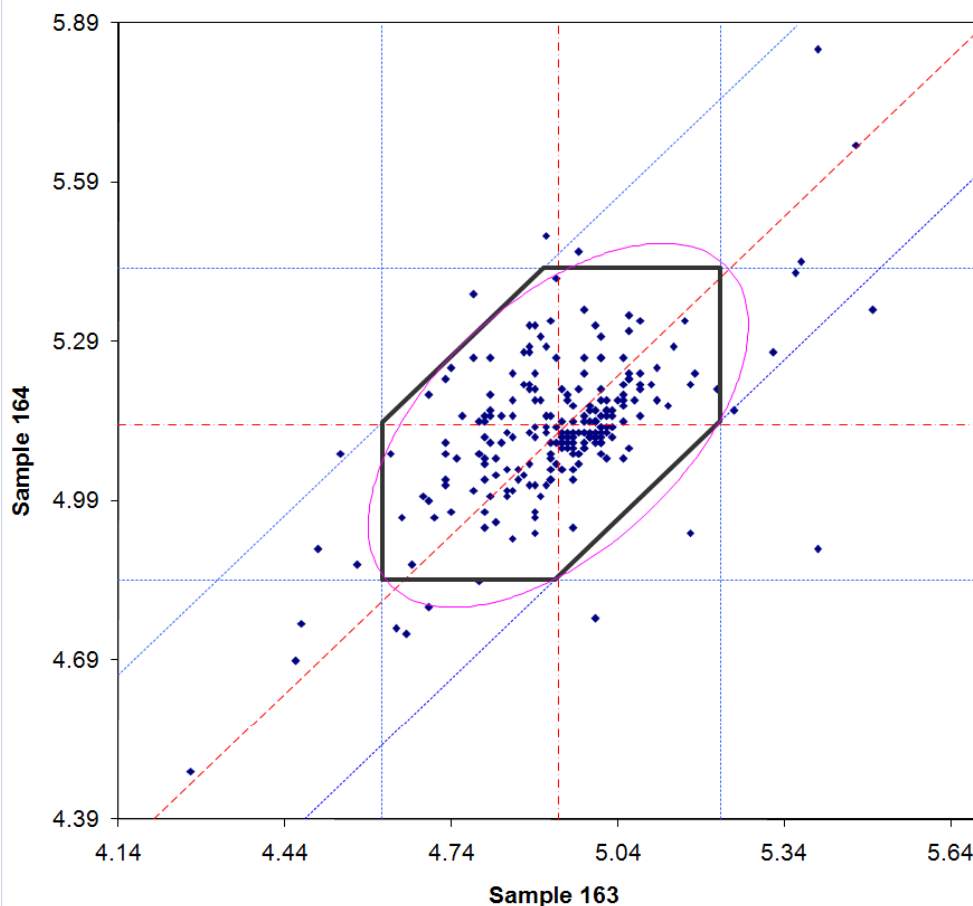
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
5.18	4.75

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.04	0.13	0.86	0.94

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	1.55

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	1.54

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Aluminium Oxide (Al₂O₃) %, Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued Oct. 2006

Participation: 235 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 18 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 208 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

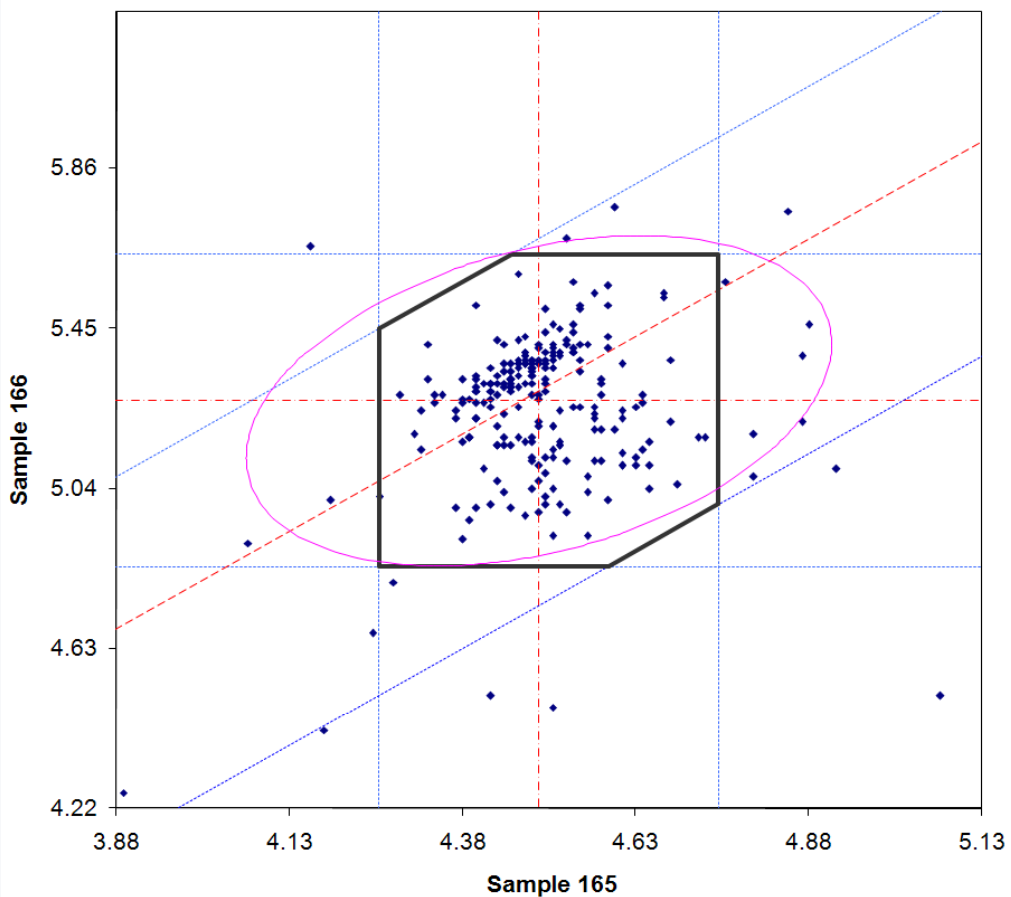
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
4.93	5.13

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.08	0.22	1.55	1.49

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.11	0.31	2.19

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.26	1.80

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Aluminium Oxide (Al₂O₃) %, Type I / II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2007

Participation: 241 Total Laboratories
 7 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 218 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
4.49	5.26

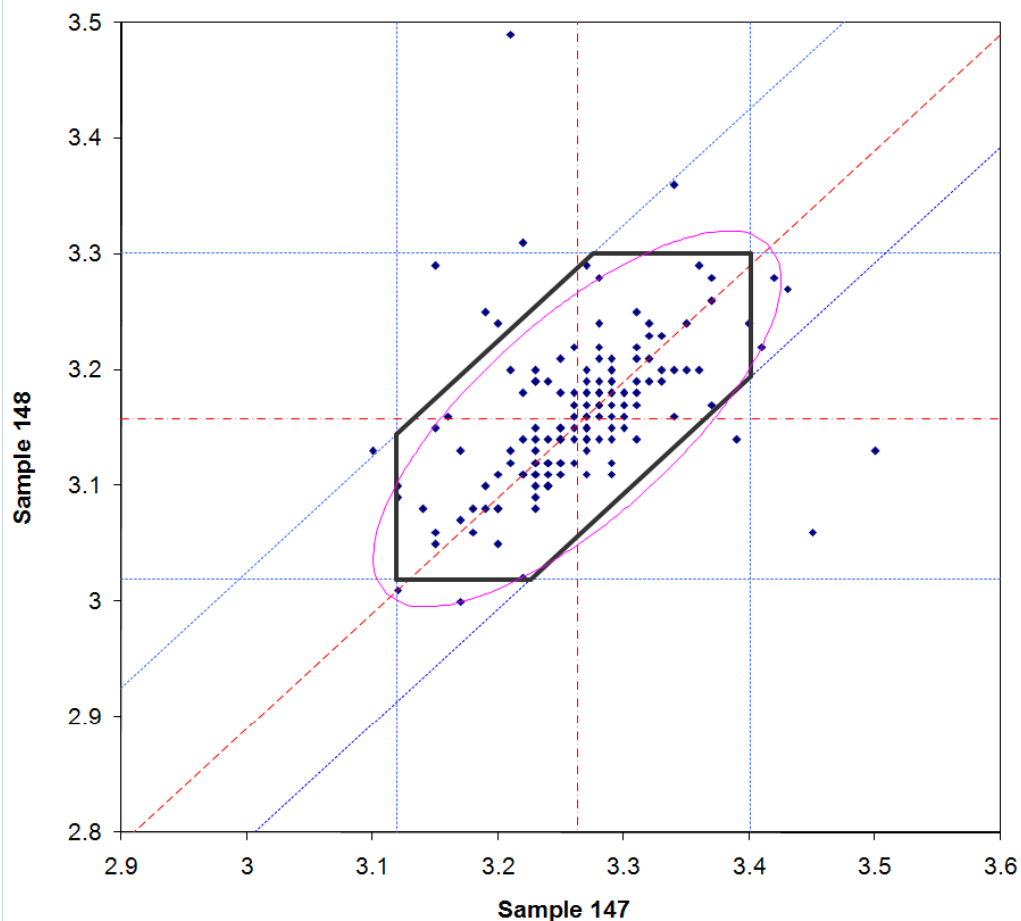
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.11	0.32	2.54	2.16

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	1.83

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.14	0.40	2.68

APPENDIX C: FERRIC OXIDE (FE₂O₃)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Ferric Oxide (Fe₂O₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 160 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 143 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

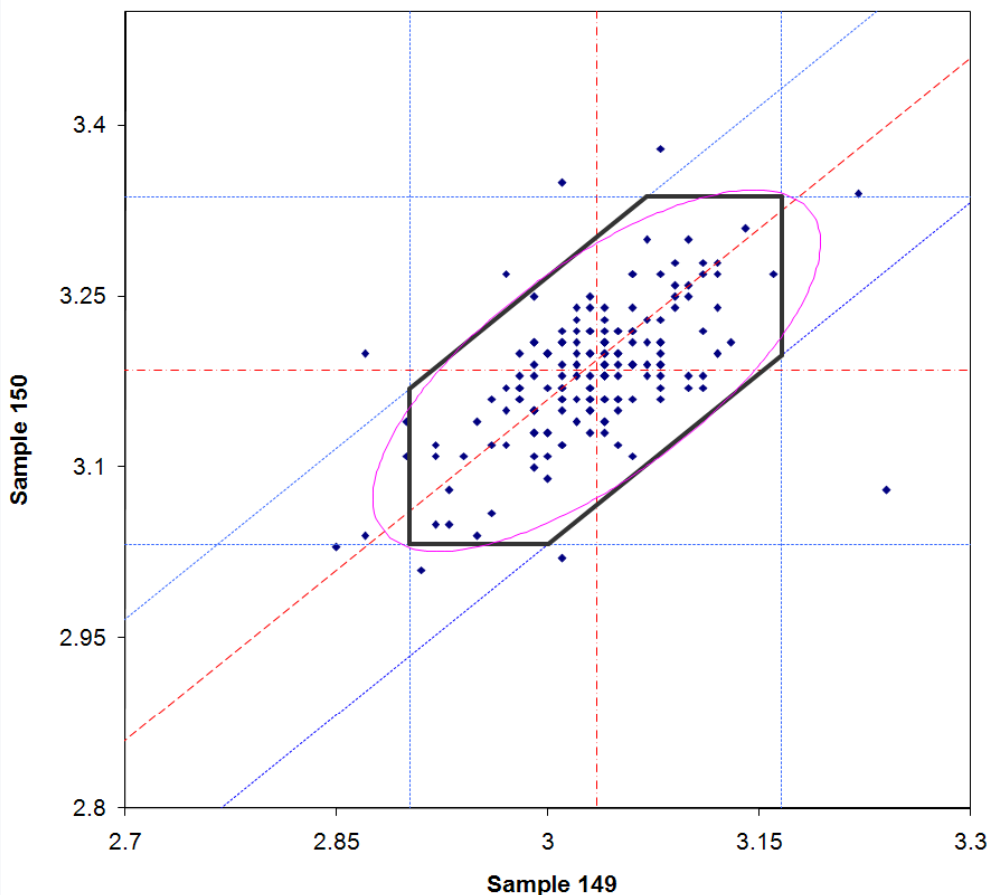
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
3.26	3.16

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.027	0.078	0.84	0.87

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.051	0.144	1.56

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.050	0.142	1.59

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: % Ferric Oxide (Fe₂O₃), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation: 174 Total Laboratories
 7 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 156 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

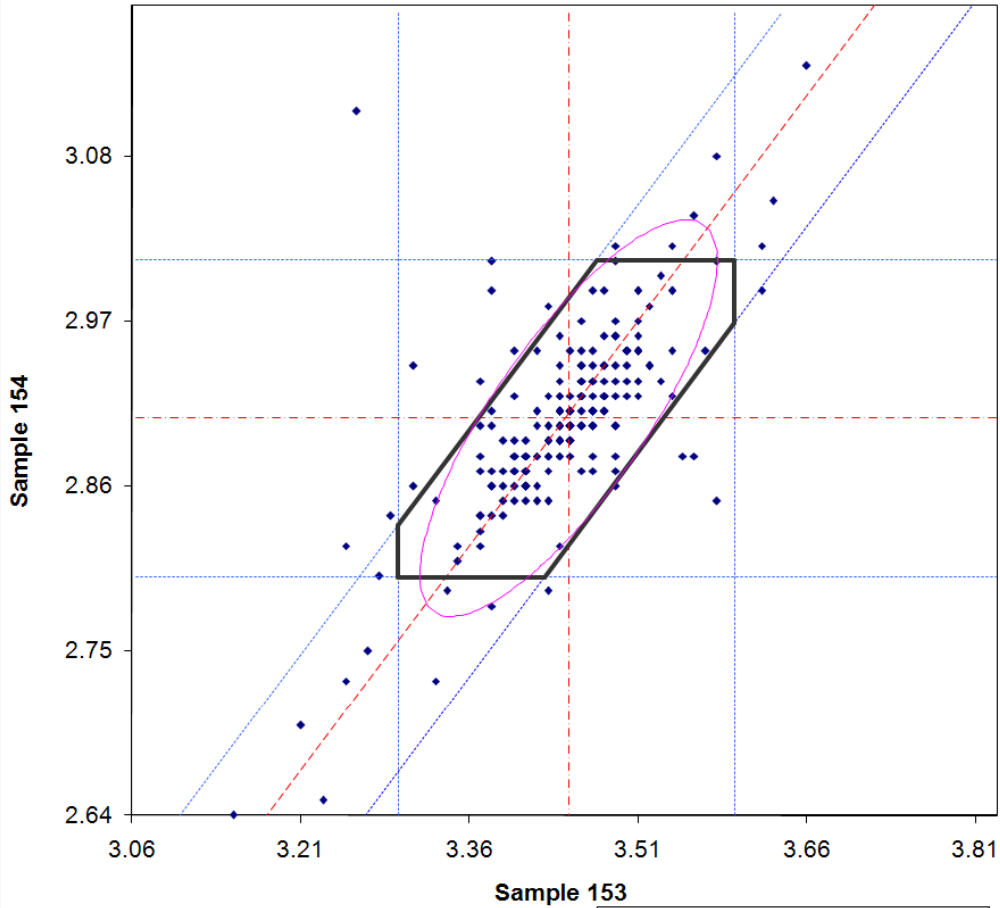
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
3.03	3.19

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.029	0.081	0.94	0.90

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.047	0.134	1.56

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.050	0.143	1.58

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Ferric Oxide (Fe₂O₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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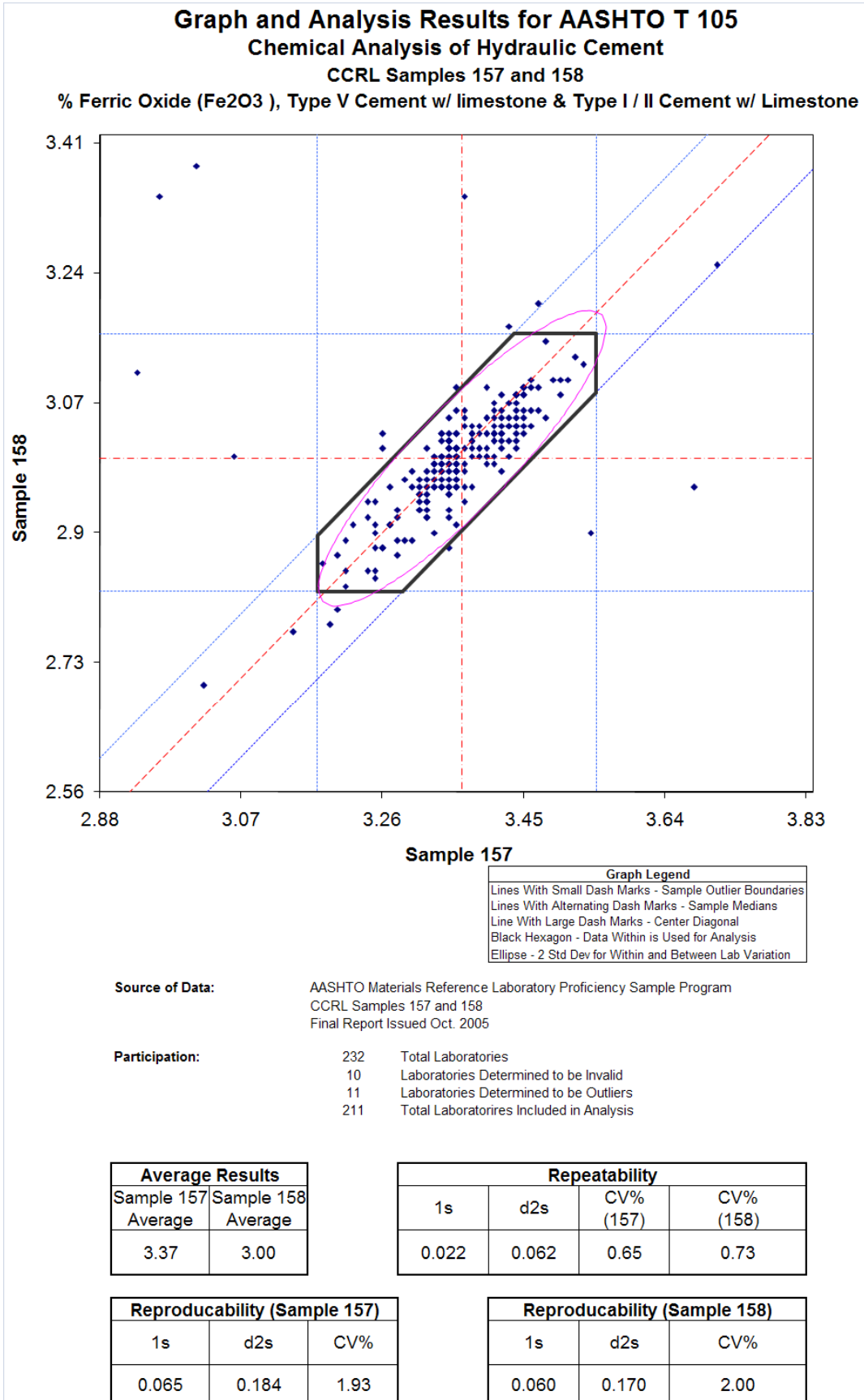
Participation: 231 Total Laboratories
 12 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 25 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 194 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

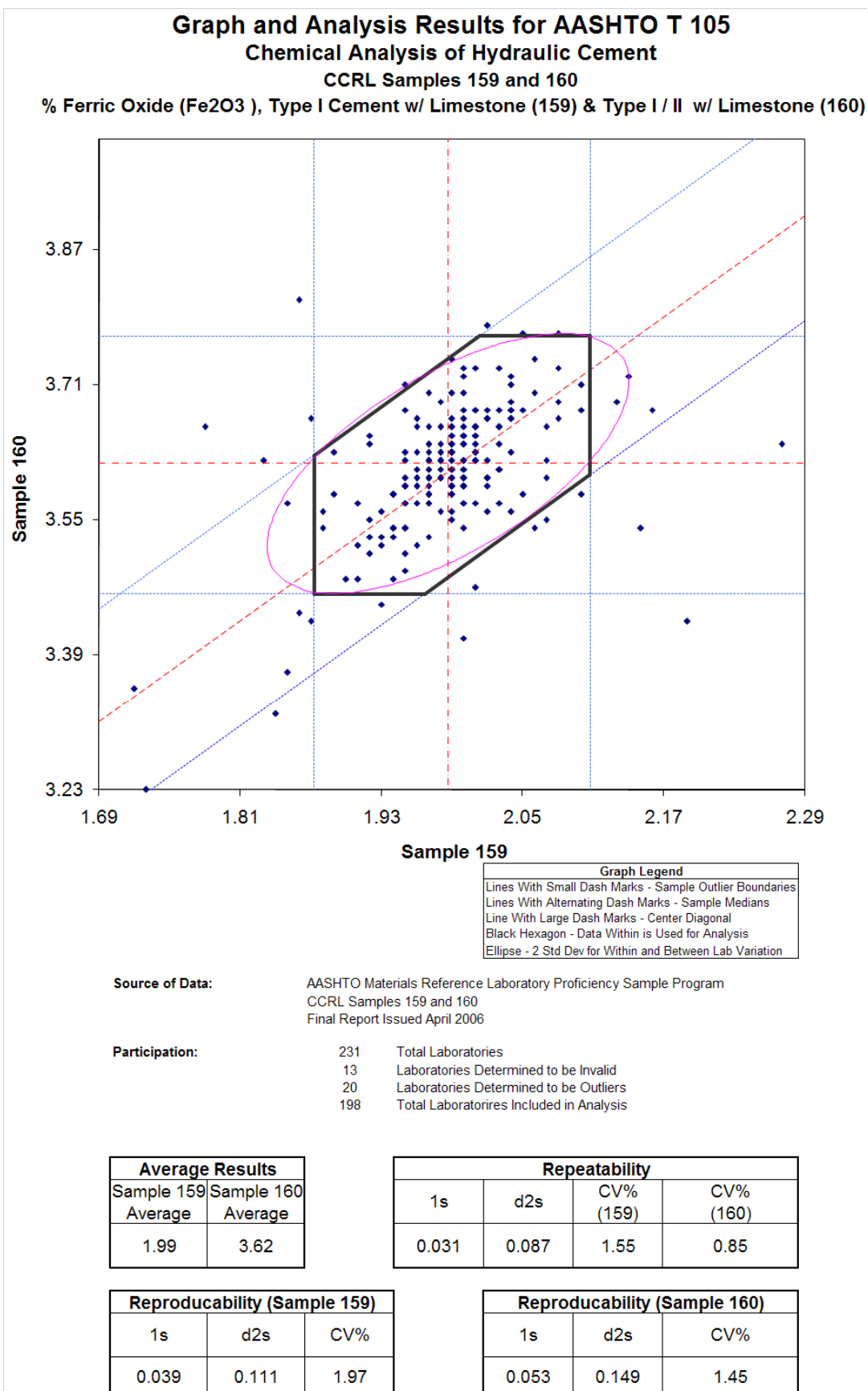
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
3.45	2.91

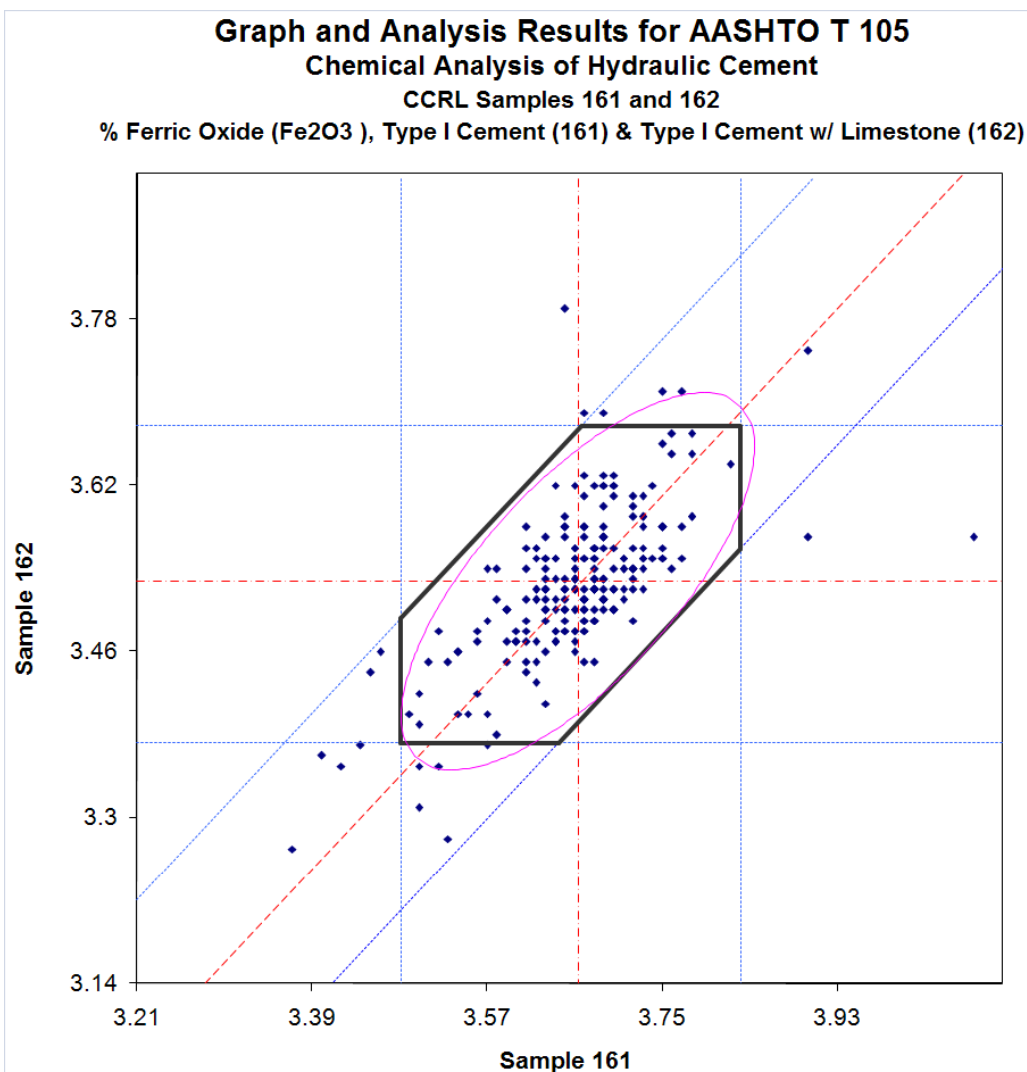
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.020	0.057	0.58	0.69

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.044	0.126	1.29

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.039	0.110	1.34







Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct 2006

Participation: 239 Total Laboratories
5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
17 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
217 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

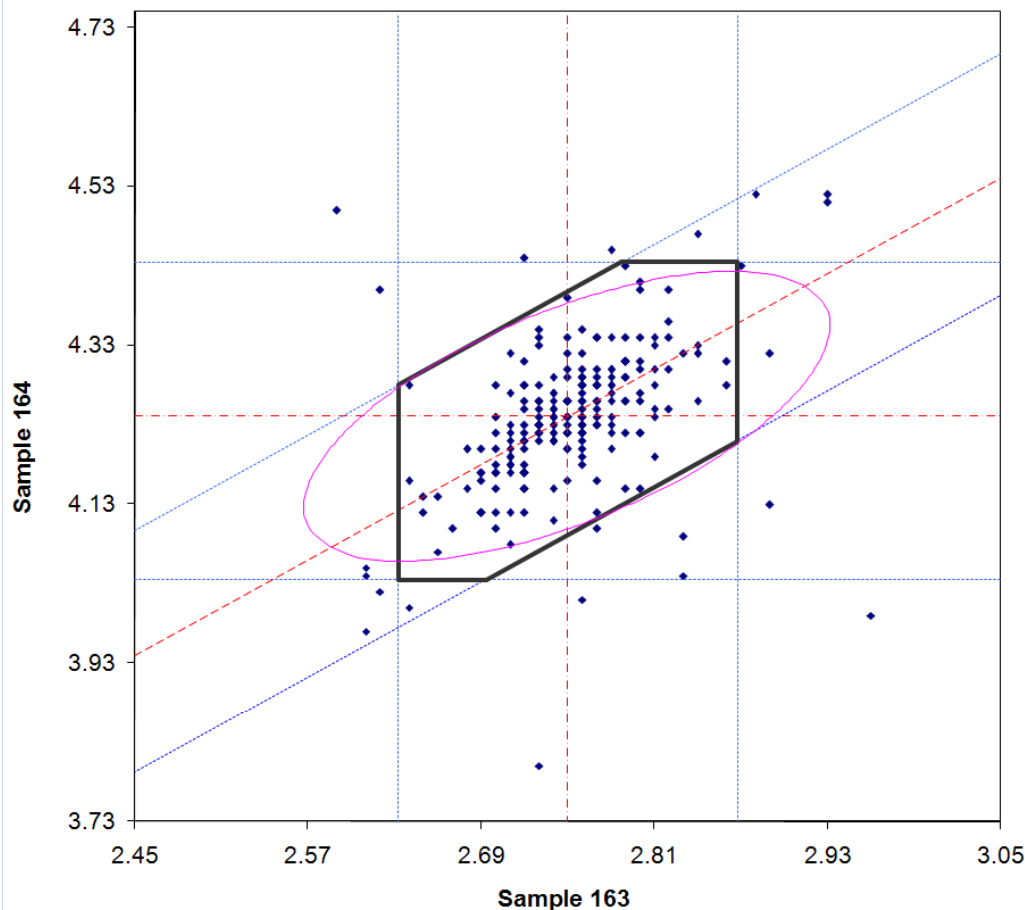
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
3.66	3.53

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.032	0.092	0.88	0.92

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.057	0.162	1.56

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.055	0.155	1.55

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
% Ferric Oxide (Fe₂O₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
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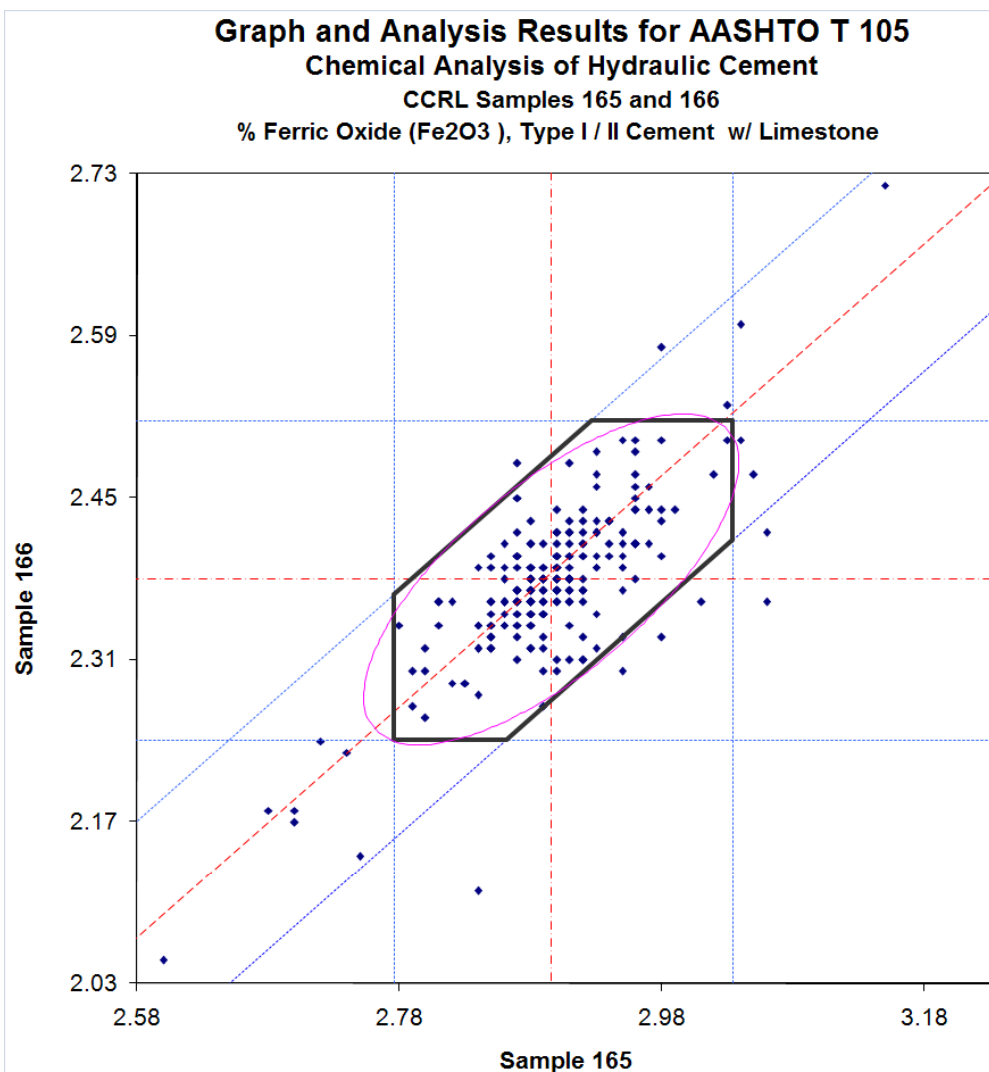
Participation: 238 Total Laboratories
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 208 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
2.75	4.24

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.037	0.105	1.35	0.88

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.041	0.117	1.51

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.066	0.185	1.55



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued Sept. 2007

Participation: 243 Total Laboratories
8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
219 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
2.90	2.38

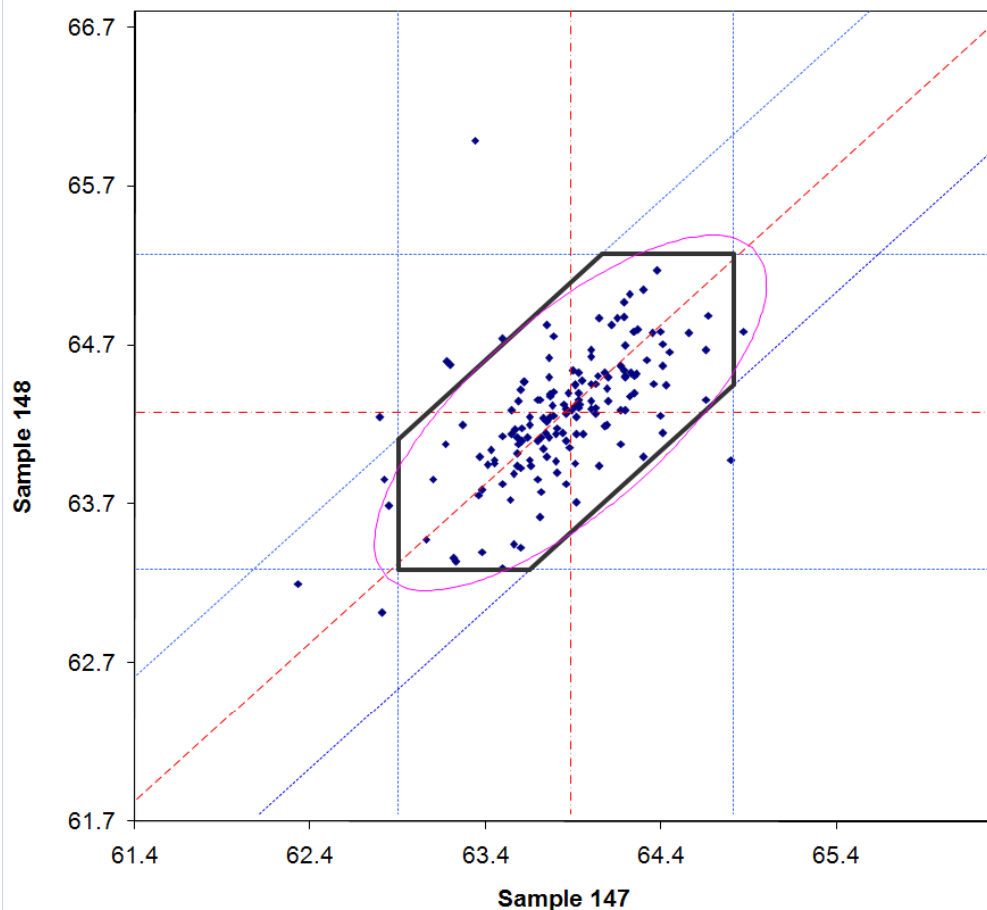
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.026	0.073	0.89	1.08

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.042	0.120	1.46

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.046	0.129	1.92

APPENDIX D: CALCIUM OXIDE (CAO)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 160 Total Laboratories
 3 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 10 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 147 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

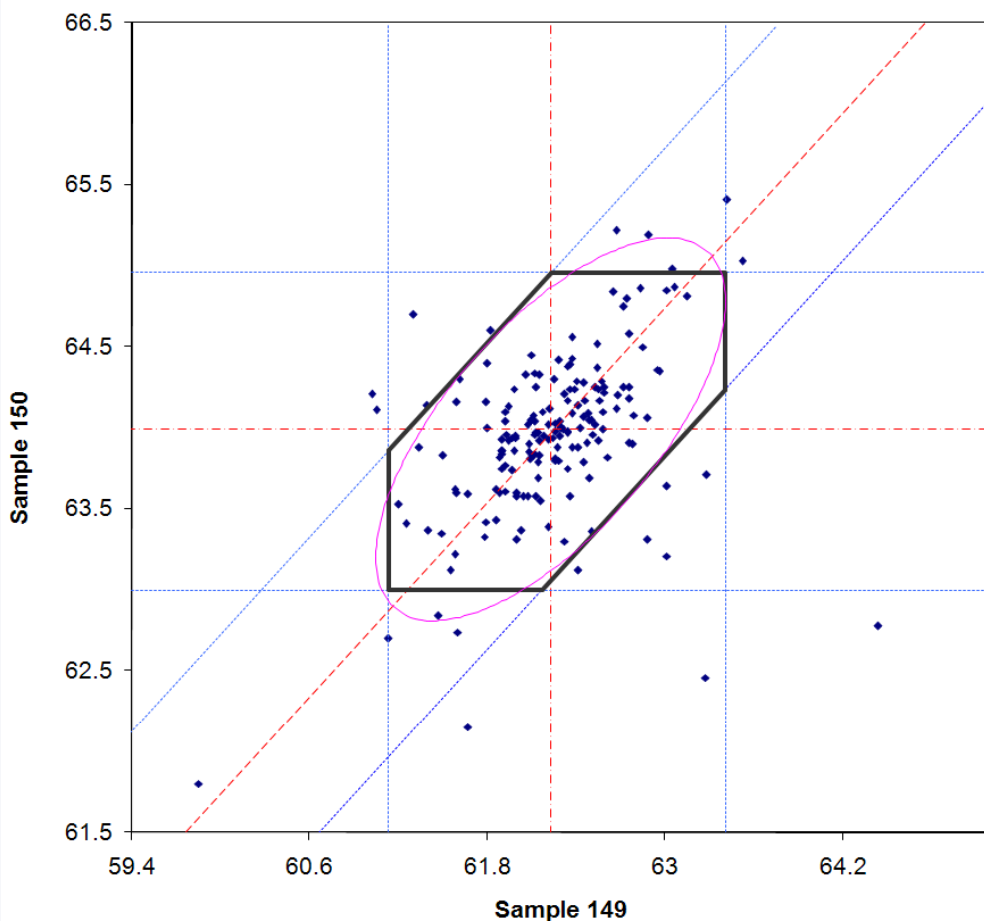
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
63.88	64.28

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.19	0.55	0.30	0.30

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.33	0.93	0.52

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.36	1.02	0.56

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: % Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation: 175 Total Laboratories
 3 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 153 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

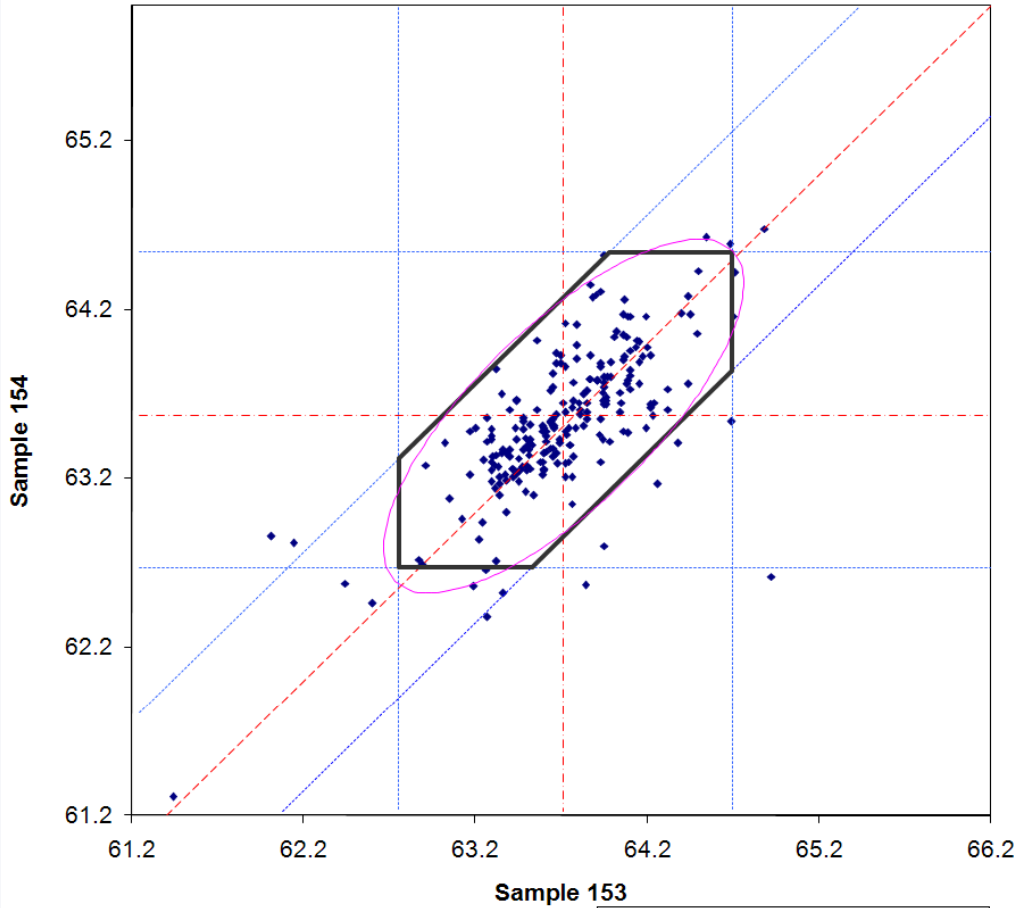
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
62.23	63.99

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.23	0.64	0.36	0.35

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.37	1.05	0.60

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.35	0.98	0.54

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
 Final Report Issued Oct. 2004

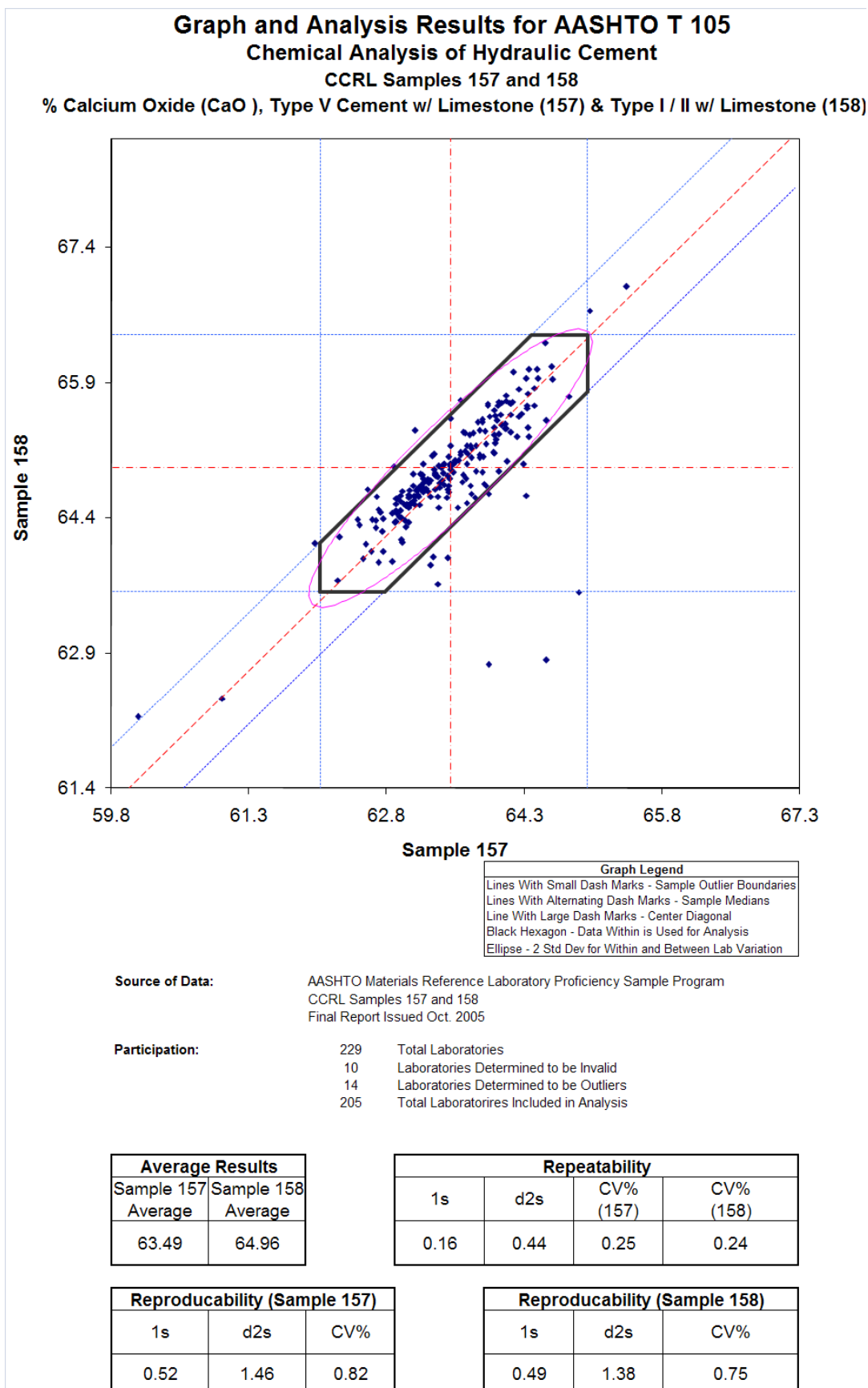
Participation: 230 Total Laboratories
 3 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 208 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

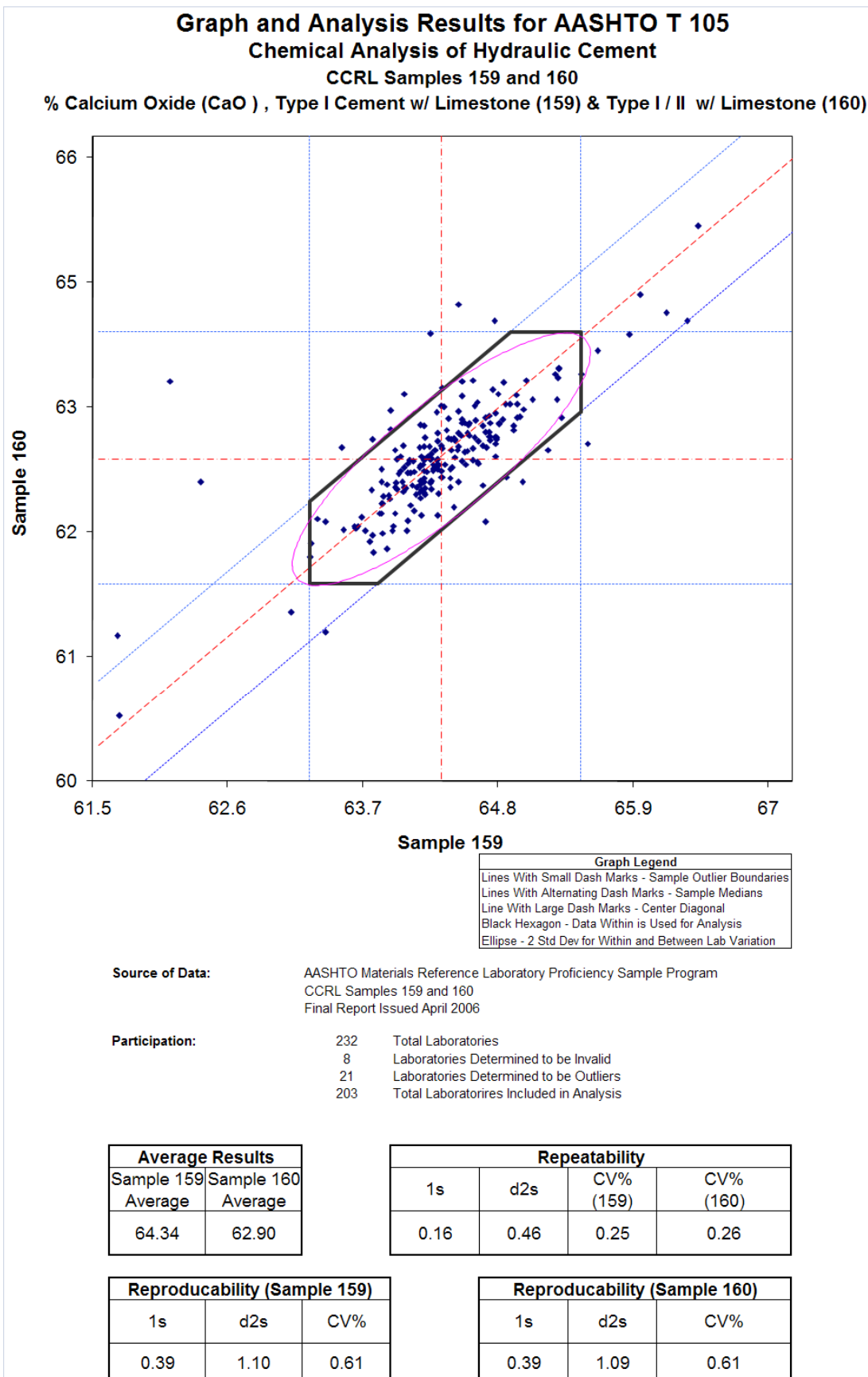
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
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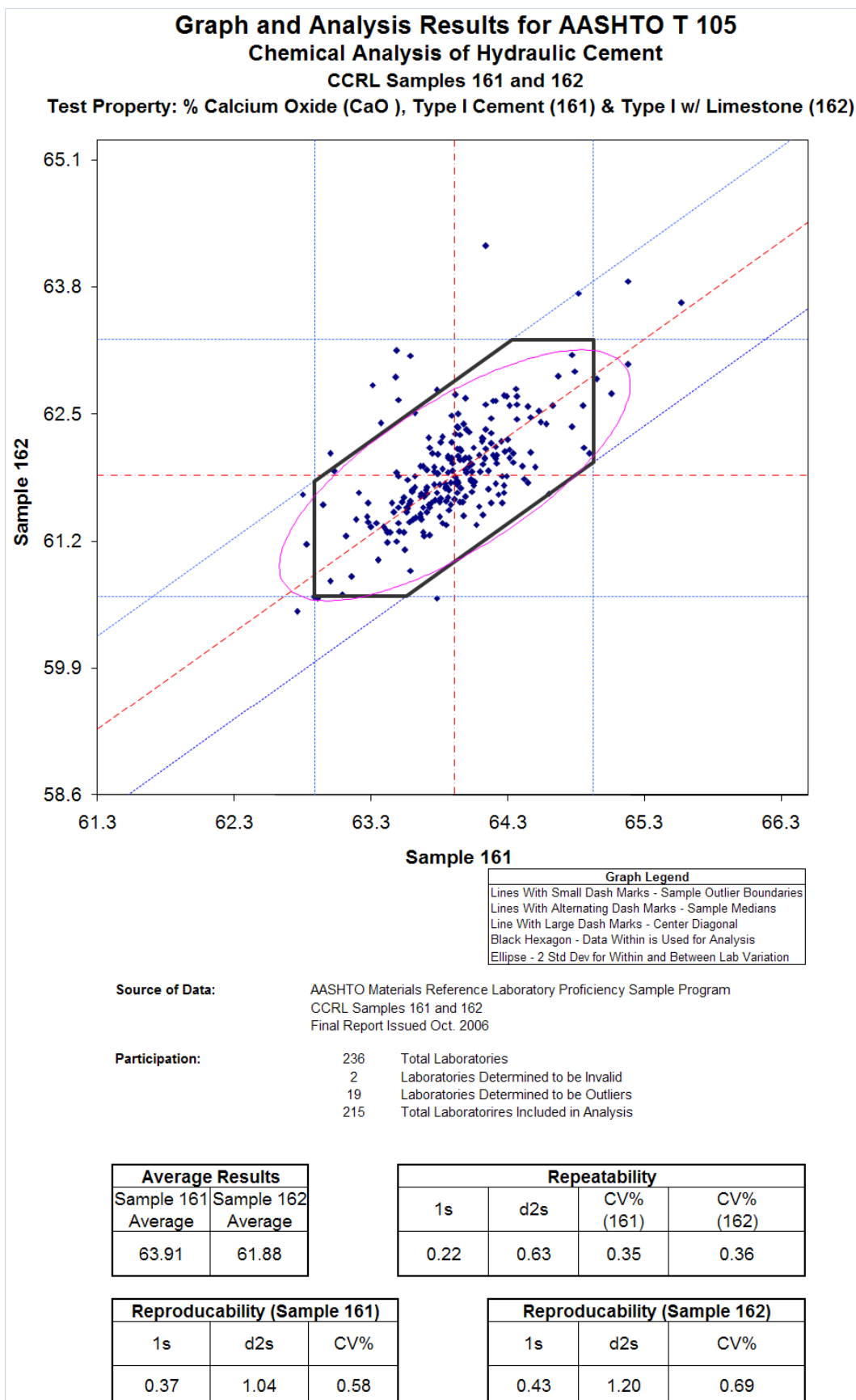
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.17	0.49	0.27	0.27

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.33	0.93	0.52

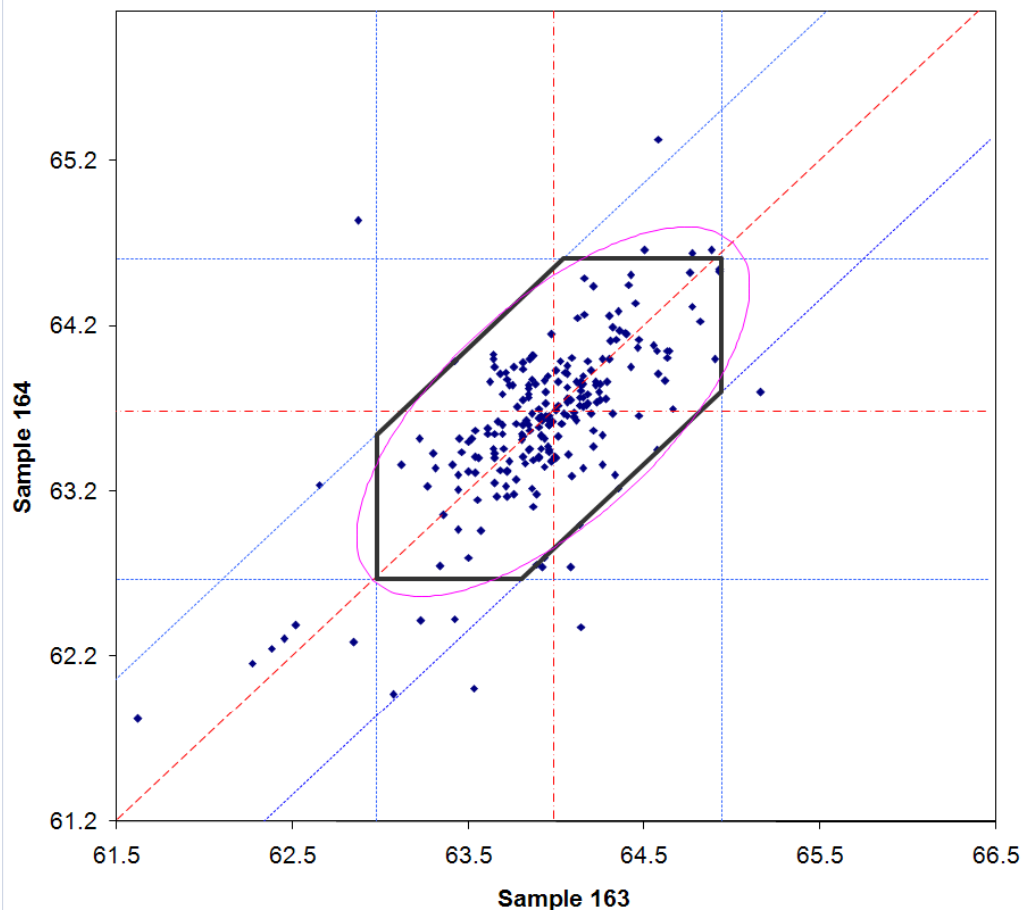
Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.33	0.92	0.51







Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Test Property: % Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

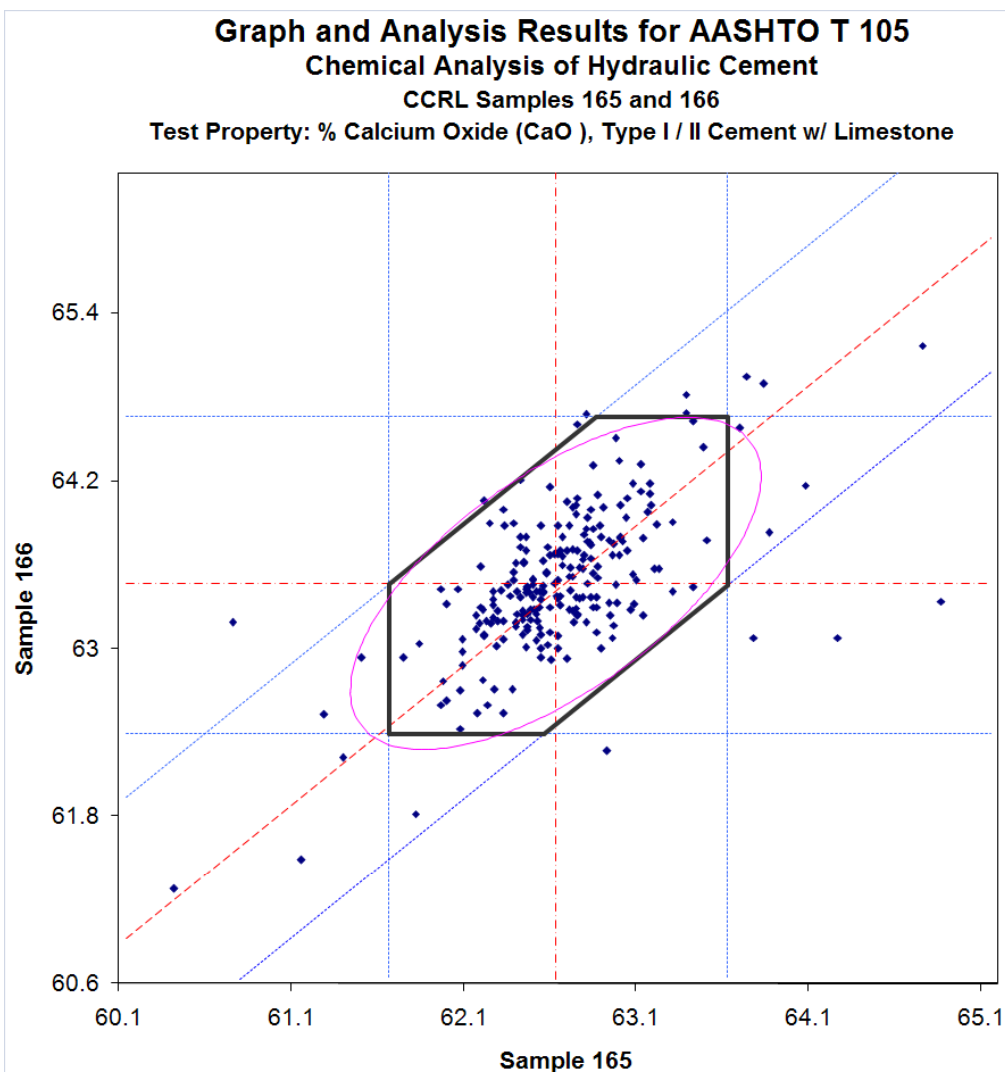
Participation: 235 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 210 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
63.98	63.68

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.21	0.60	0.33	0.33

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.34	0.95	0.53

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.34	0.97	0.54



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation: 242 Total Laboratories
8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
17 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
217 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
62.63	63.47

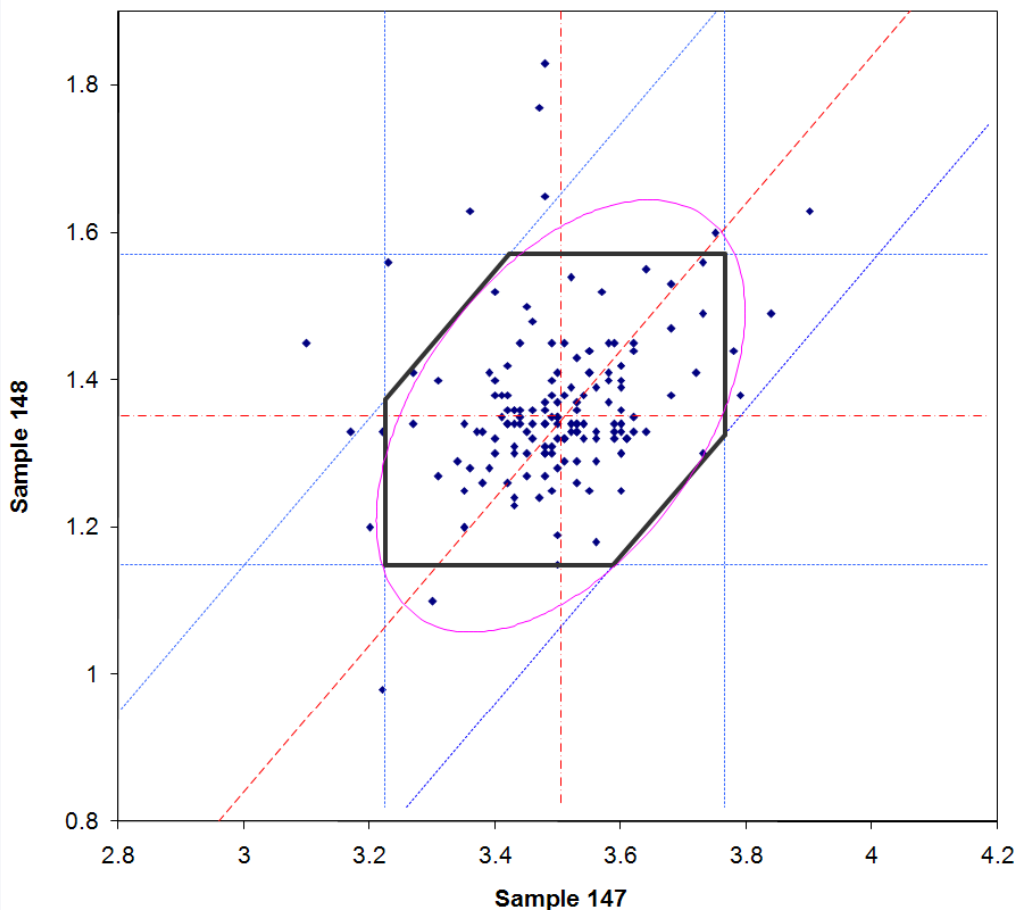
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.24	0.67	0.38	0.37

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.33	0.92	0.52

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.39	1.10	0.61

APPENDIX E: MAGNESIUM OXIDE (MGO)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Magnesium Oxide (MgO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 159 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 13 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 140 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

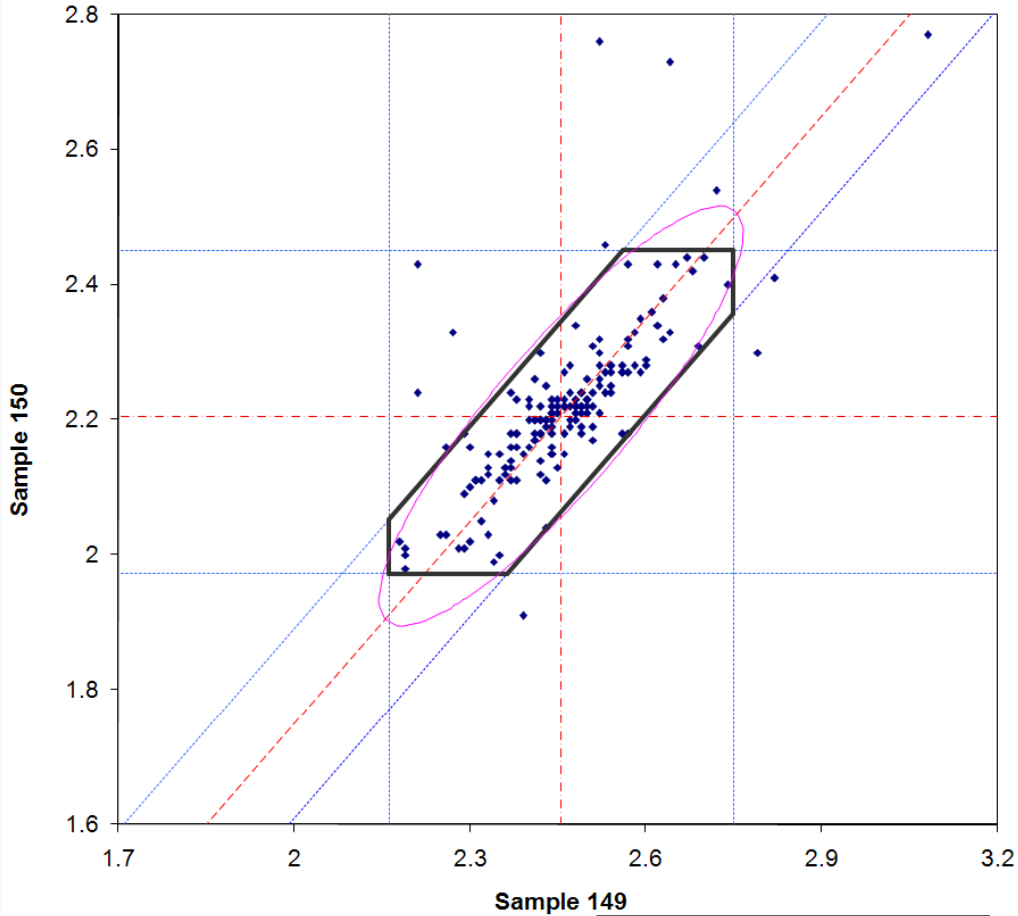
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
3.50	1.35

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.07	0.20	2.01	5.20

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.26	2.65

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	5.52

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: % Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation: 175 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 160 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

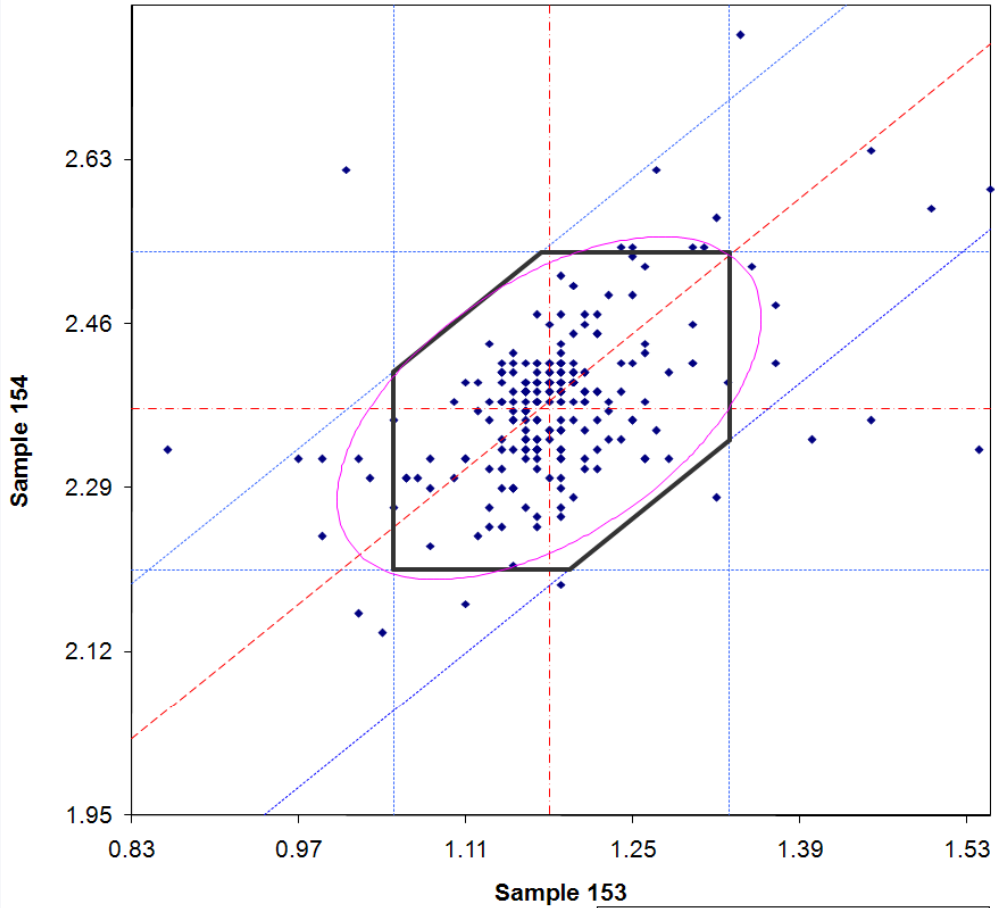
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
2.46	2.21

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.04	0.10	1.48	1.65

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.11	0.30	4.30

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.27	4.29

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Magnesium Oxide (MgO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
 Final Report Issued Oct. 2004

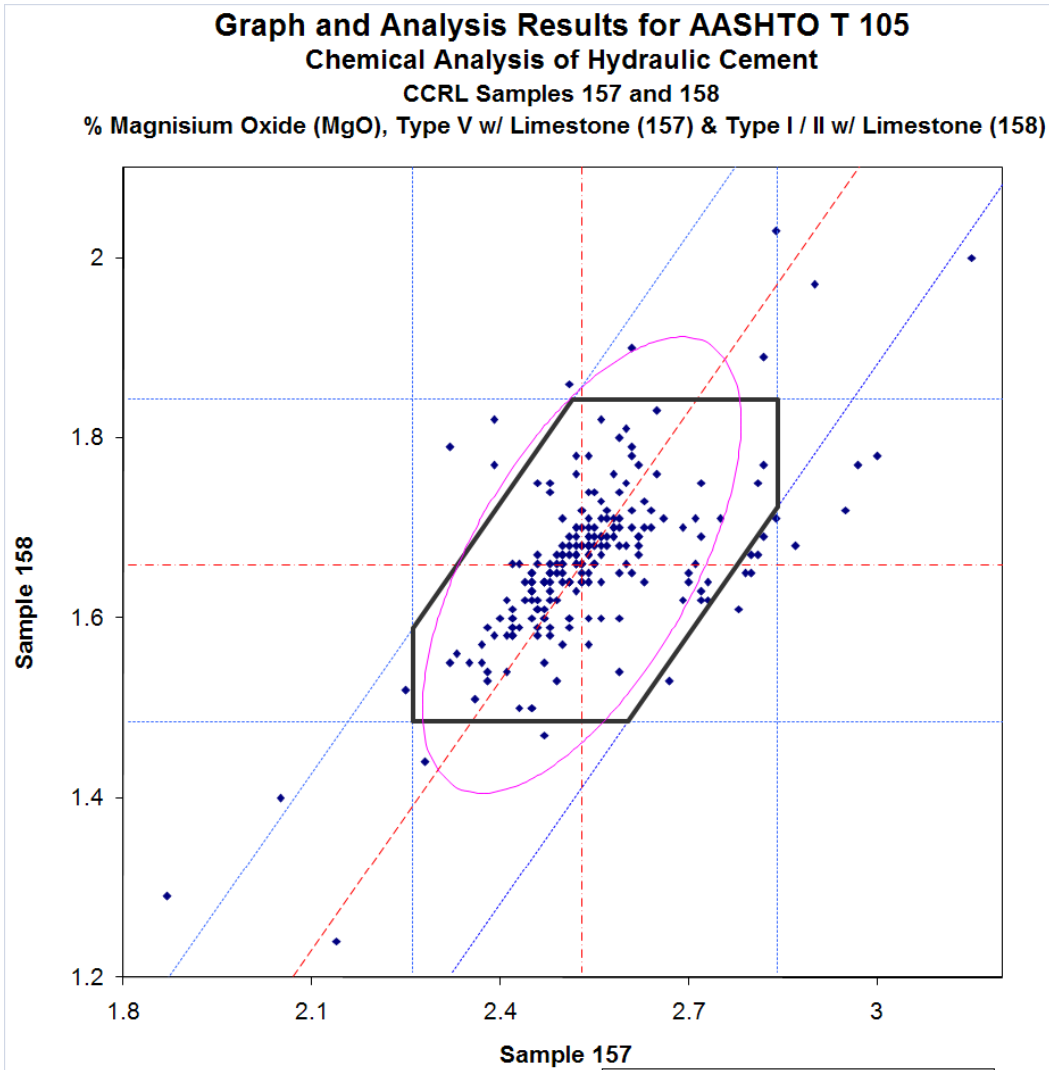
Participation: 232 Total Laboratories
 12 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 22 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 198 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
1.18	2.37

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.04	0.11	3.44	1.71

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.05	0.13	3.86

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.16	2.42



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
Final Report Issued Oct. 2005

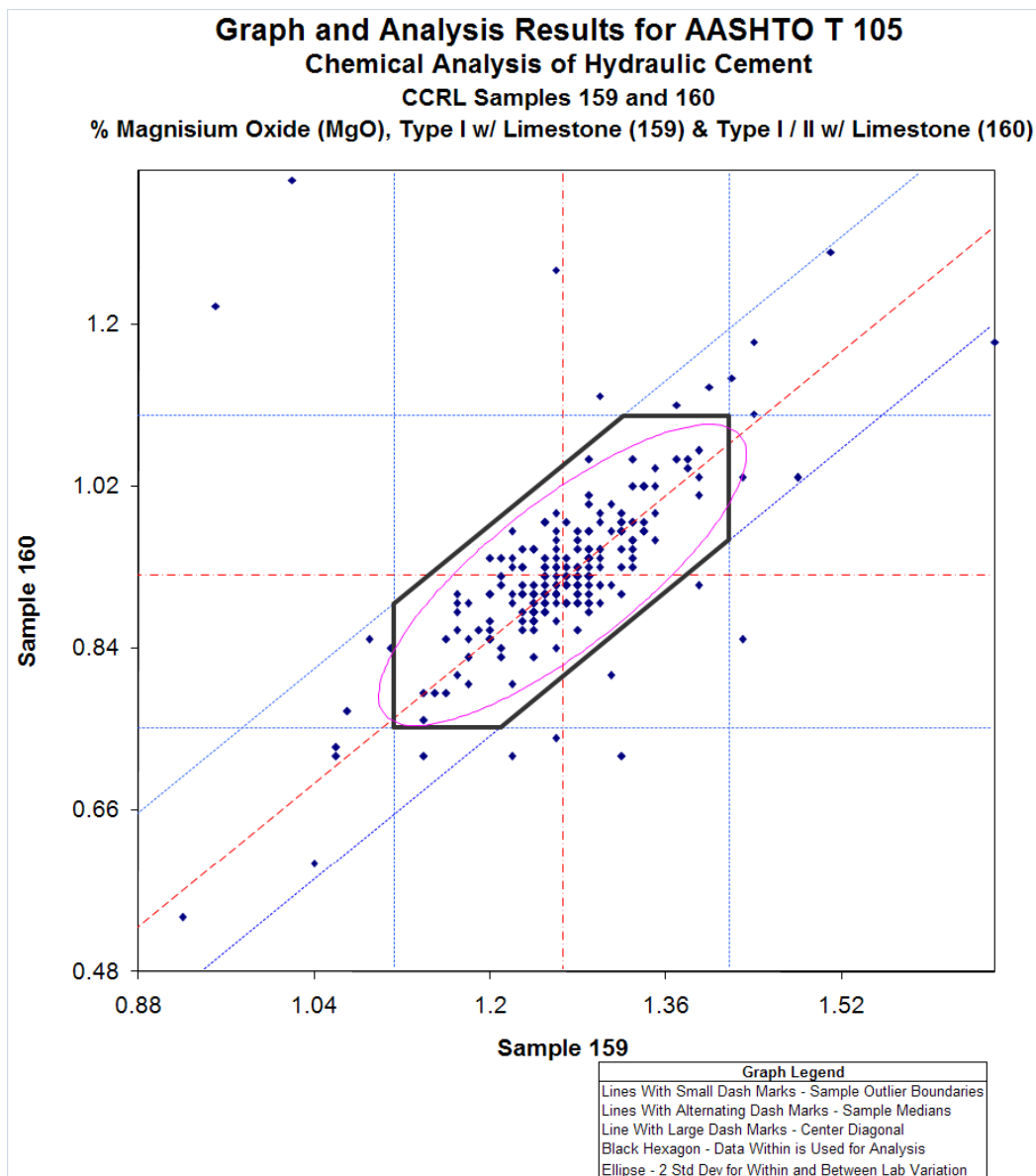
Participation: 232 Total Laboratories
9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
23 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
200 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
2.53	1.66

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.05	0.15	2.04	3.11

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.25	3.47

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	3.77



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
Final Report Issued April 2006

Participation:

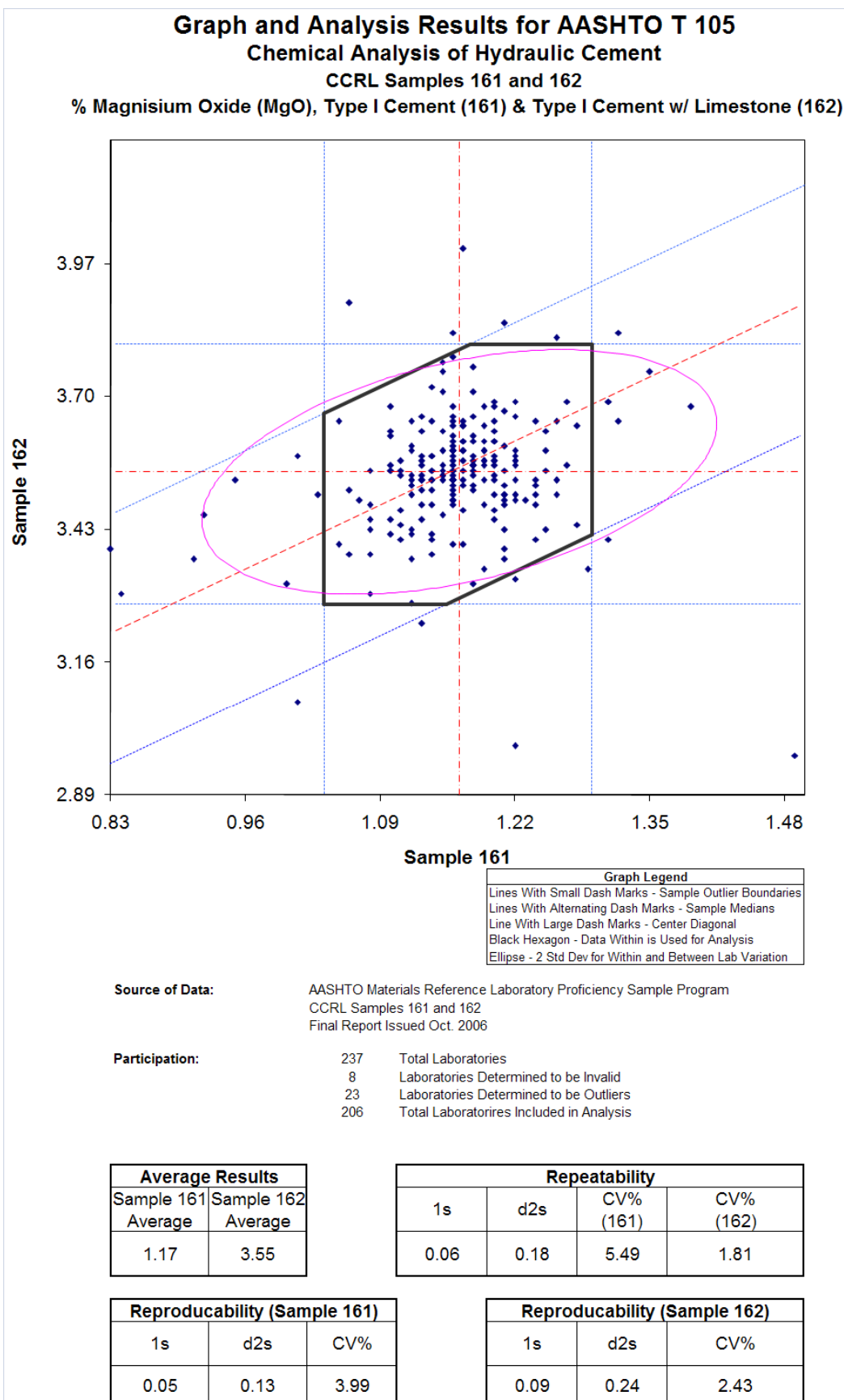
232	Total Laboratories
14	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
21	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
197	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

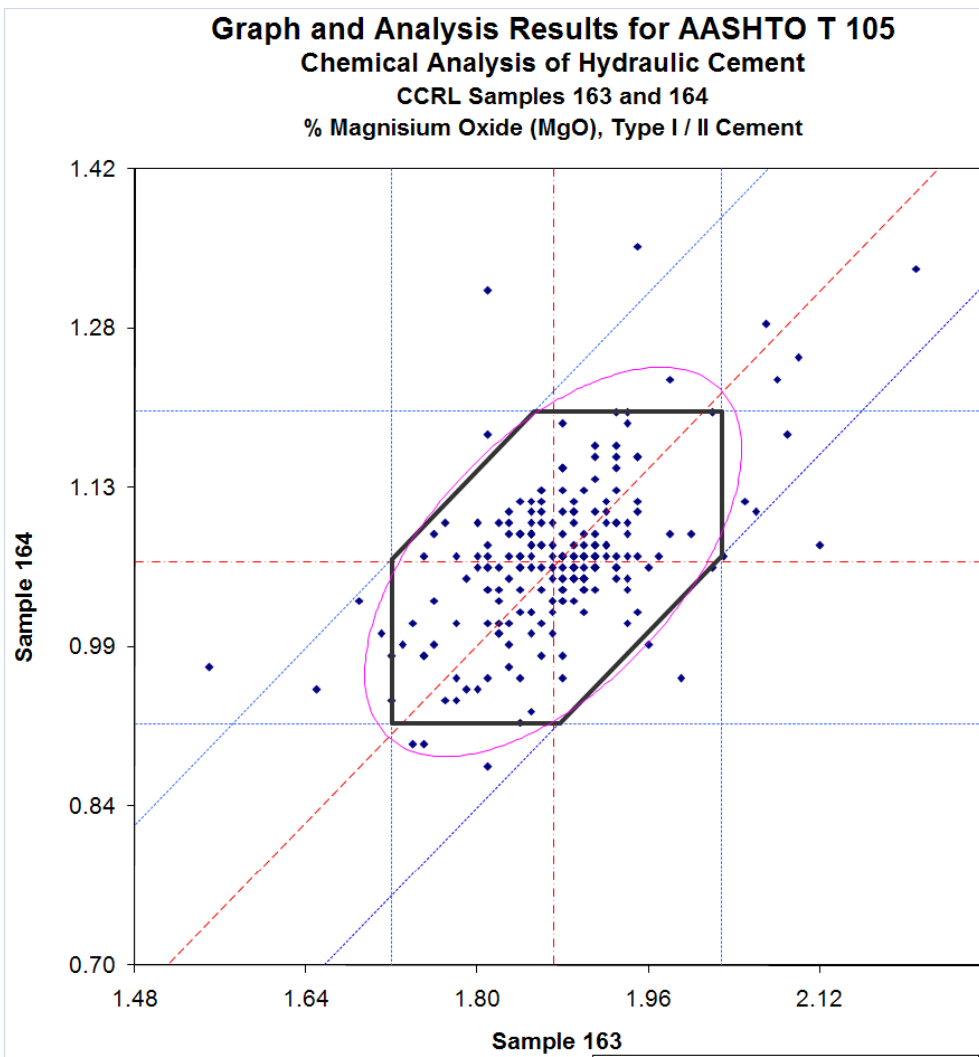
Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
1.27	0.92

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.02	0.07	1.96	2.69

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.05	0.14	4.00

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.16	5.99





Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 237 Total Laboratories
13 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
21 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
203 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

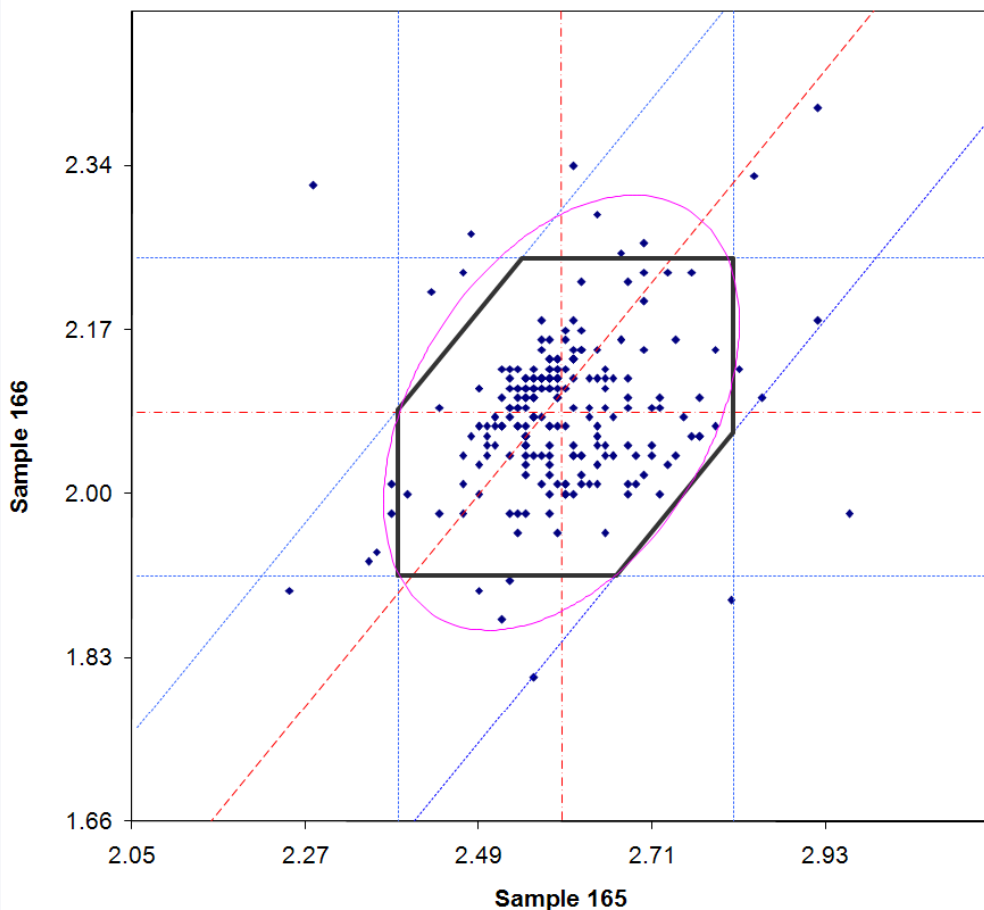
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
1.87	1.07

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.04	0.11	2.05	3.60

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.05	0.15	2.75

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.05	0.15	4.93

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
% Magnesium Oxide (MgO), Type I/II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation: 243 Total Laboratories
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 22 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 210 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
2.60	2.08

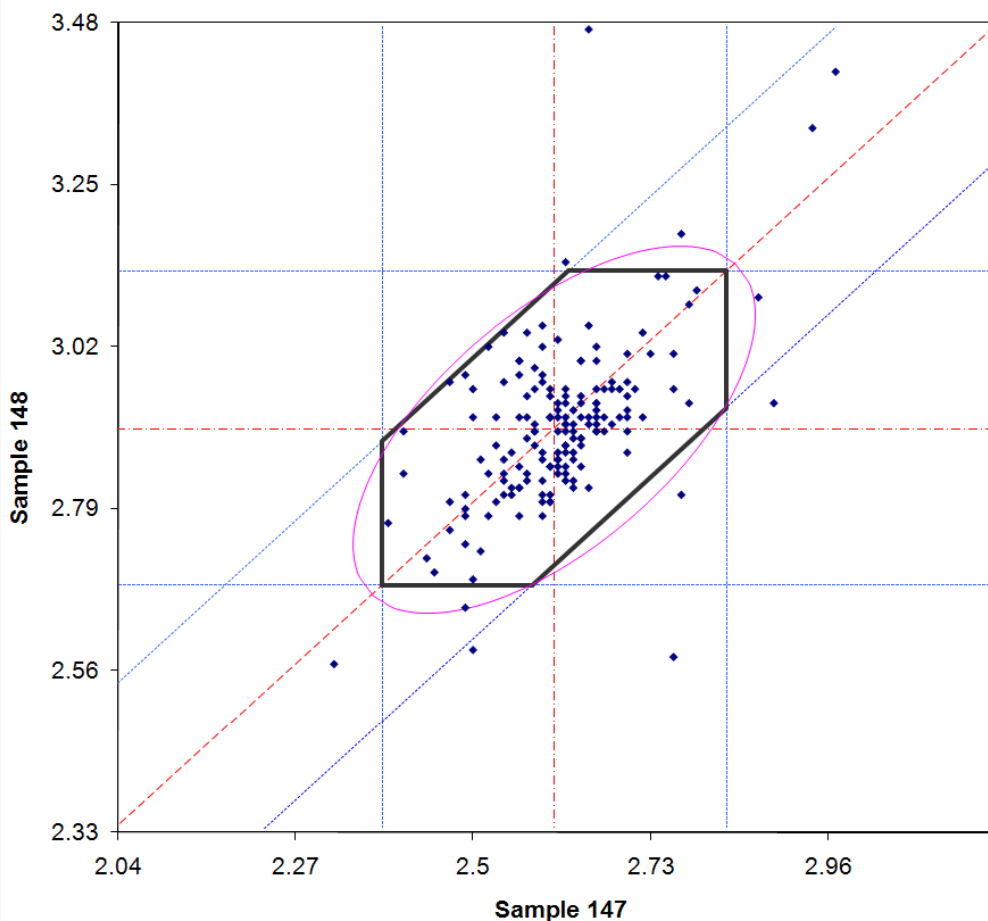
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.06	0.16	2.23	2.77

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.20	2.72

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.05	0.15	2.61

APPENDIX F: SULFUR TRIOXIDE (SO₃)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 166 Total Laboratories
 5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 8 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 153 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

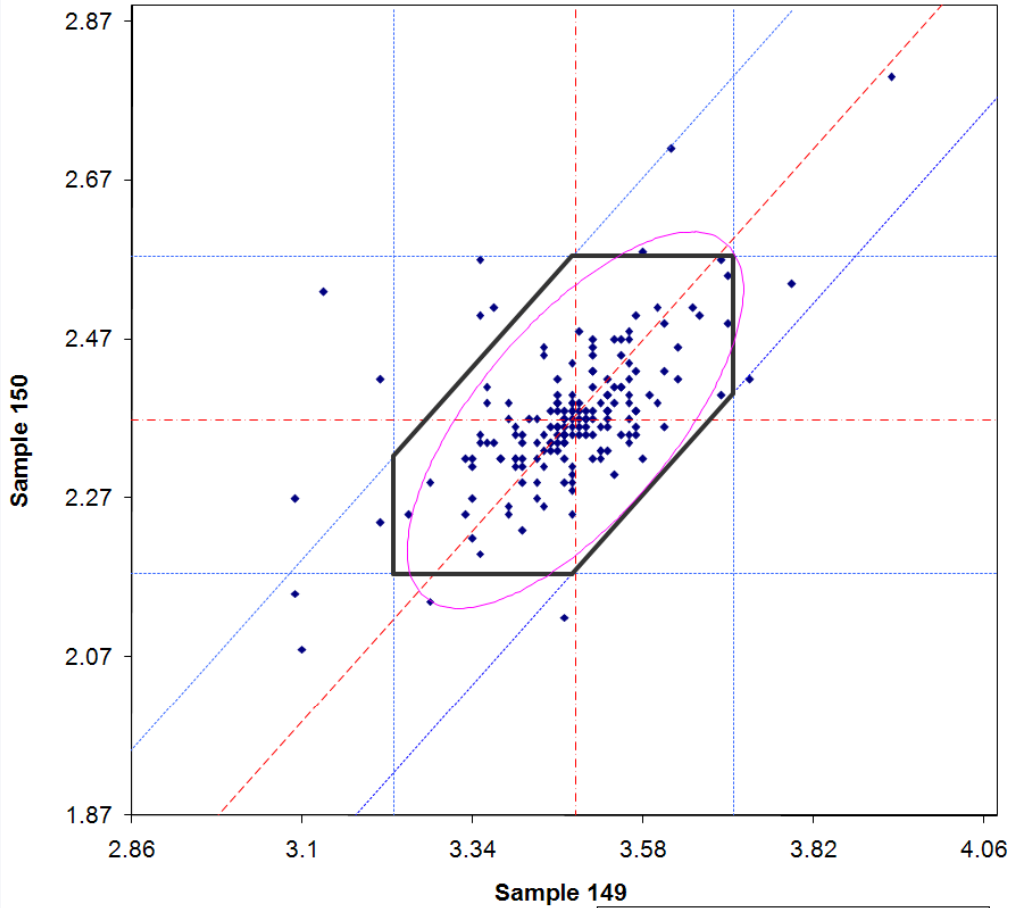
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
2.60	2.90

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.05	0.15	2.04	1.83

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	2.87

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	2.82

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation: 179 Total Laboratories
 5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 160 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
3.48	2.37

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.04	0.12	1.25	1.84

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	2.33

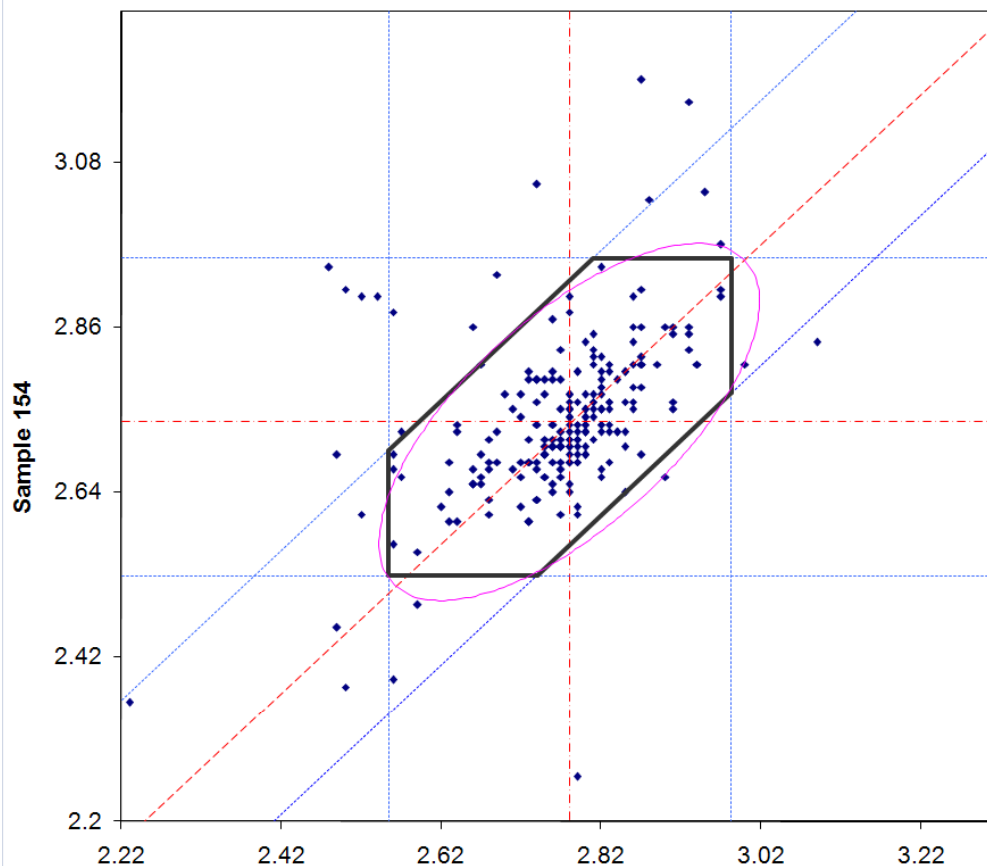
Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	2.66

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105

Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement

CCRL Samples 153 and 154

Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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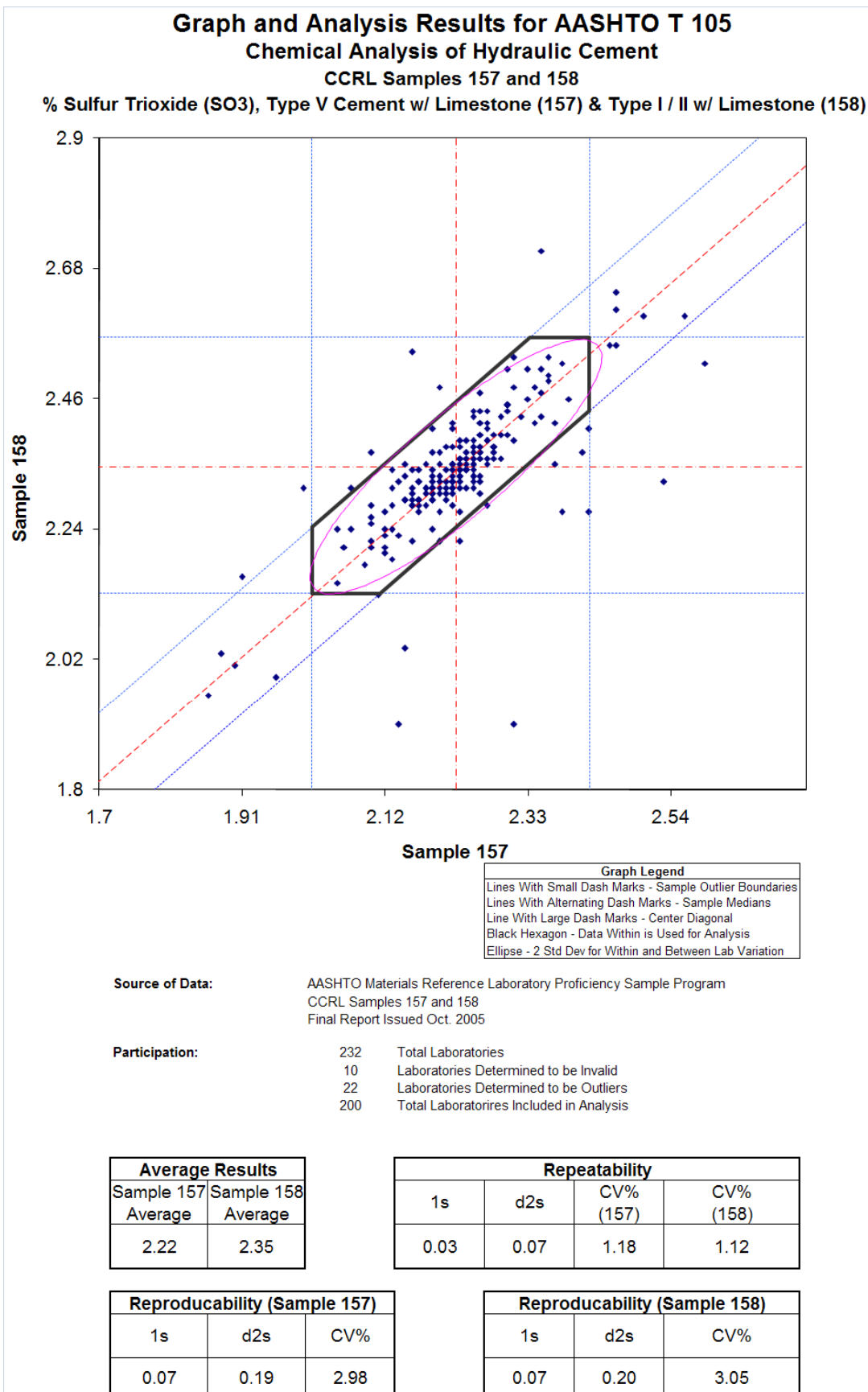
Participation: 233 Total Laboratories
 10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 17 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 206 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

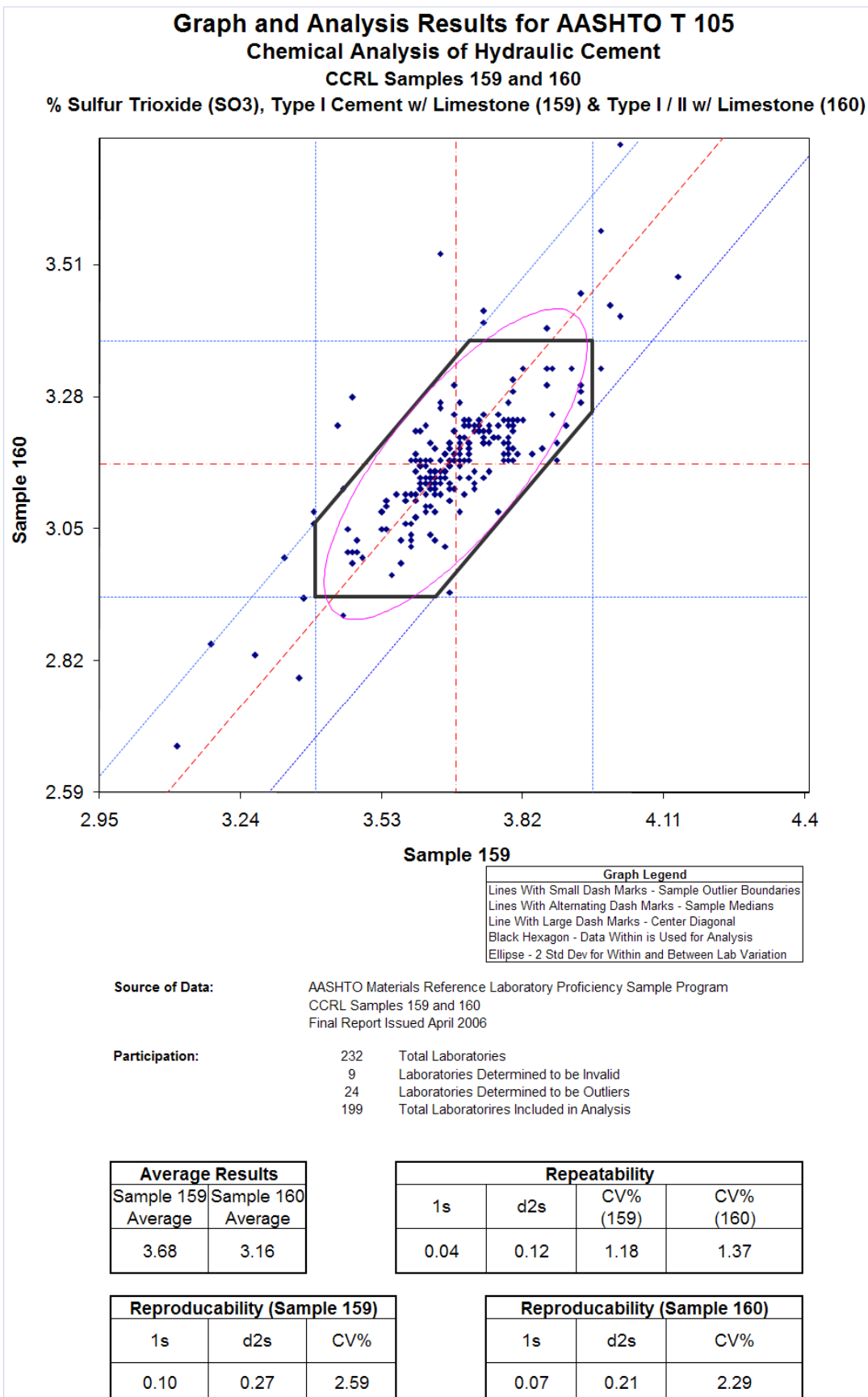
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
2.78	2.73

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.05	0.13	1.62	1.65

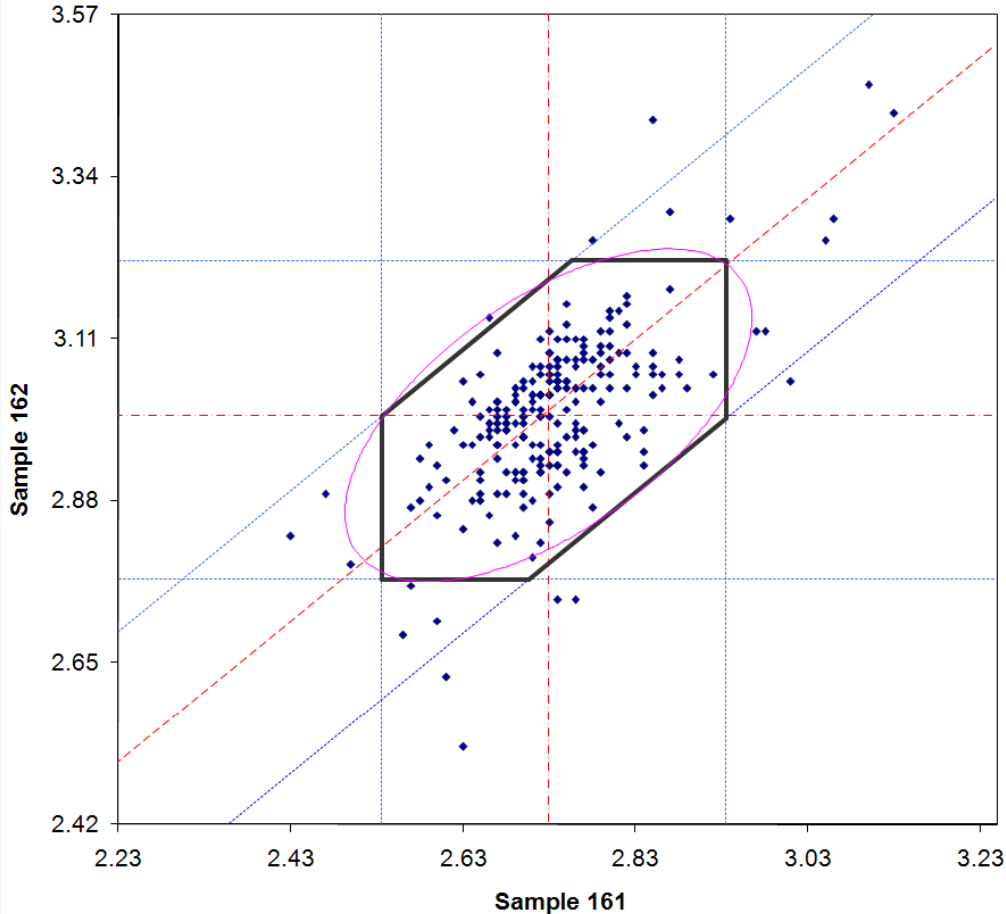
Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	2.65

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.20	2.62





Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I Cement (161) & Type I w/ Limestone (162)



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 161 and 162
 Final Report Issued Oct 2006

Participation:

240	Total Laboratories
8	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
19	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
213	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

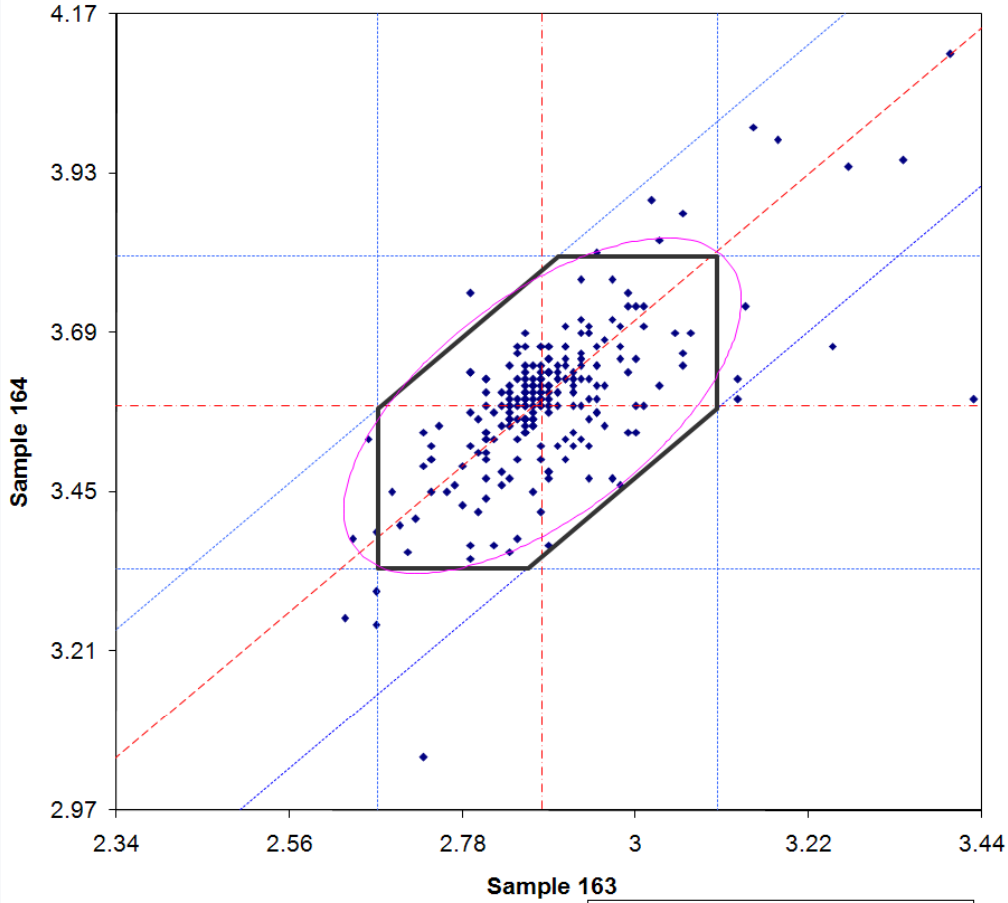
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
2.73	3.00

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.05	0.14	1.84	1.67

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	2.33

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.22	2.54

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 239 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 211 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
2.88	3.58

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.05	0.15	1.78	1.43

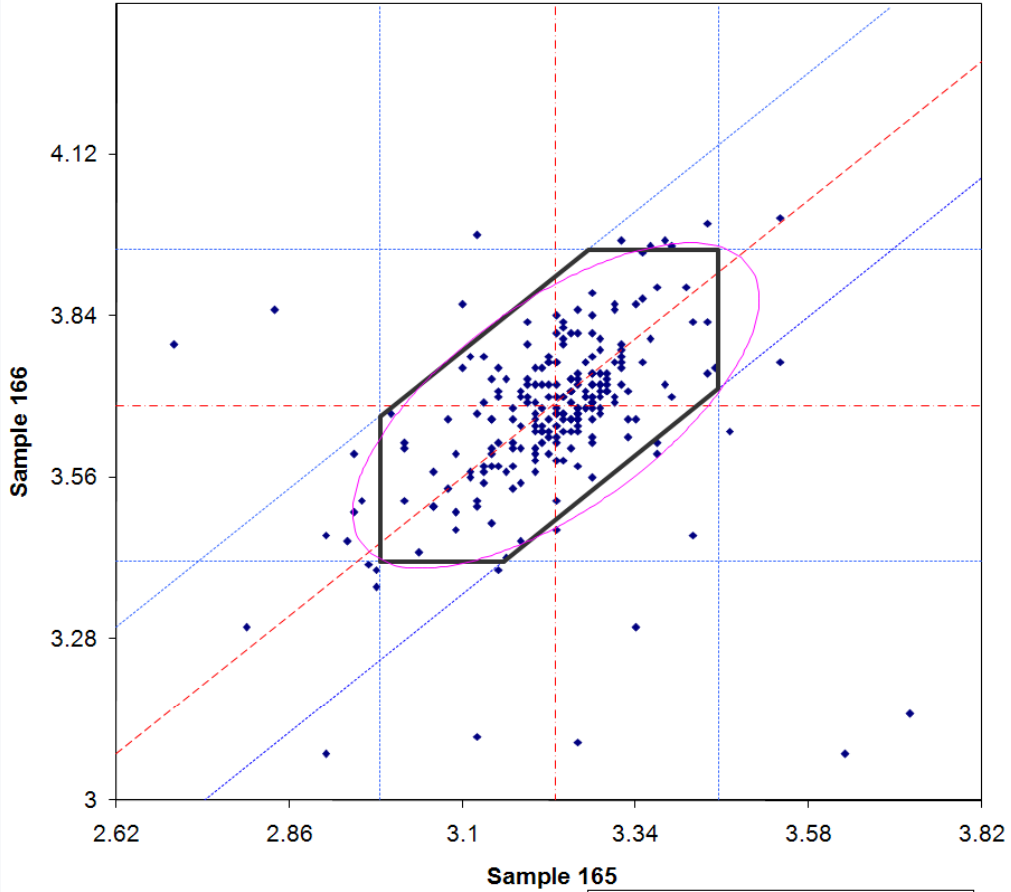
Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.20	2.42

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	2.28

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105 Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement

CCRL Samples 165 and 166

Test Property: % Sulfur Trioxide (SO₃), Type I/III Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation: 247 Total Laboratories
11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
23 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
213 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
3.23	3.68

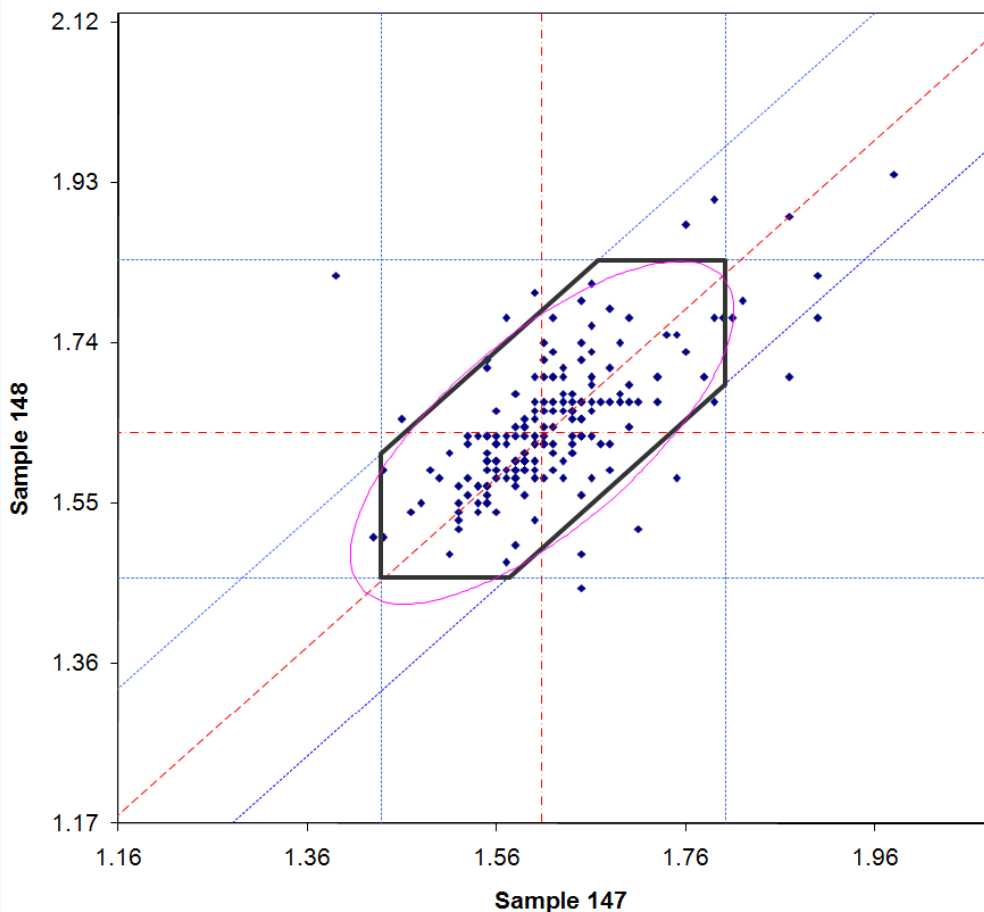
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.05	0.15	1.69	1.48

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	2.48

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.26	2.47

APPENDIX G: LOSS ON IGNITION

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: Loss on Ignition (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 199 Total Laboratories
 4 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 18 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 177 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

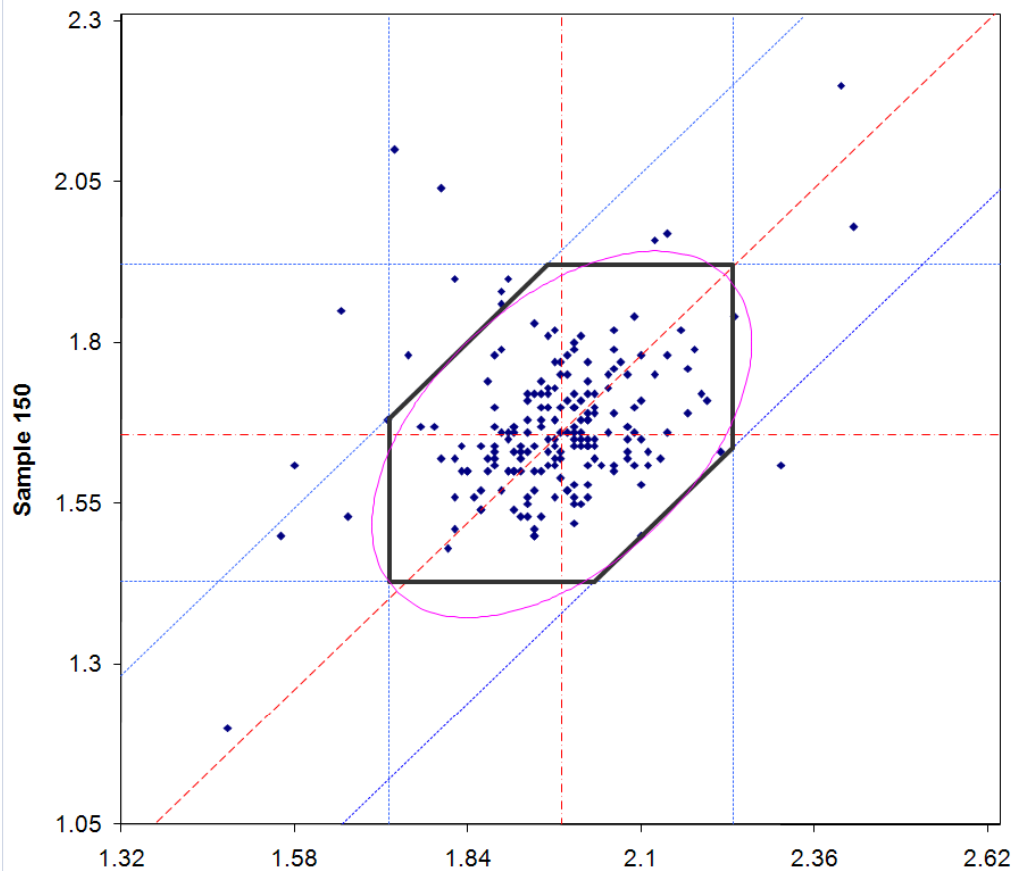
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
1.61	1.63

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.04	0.10	2.23	2.19

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	3.89

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	3.85

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: Loss on Ignition (%), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

203	Total Laboratories
9	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
15	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
179	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

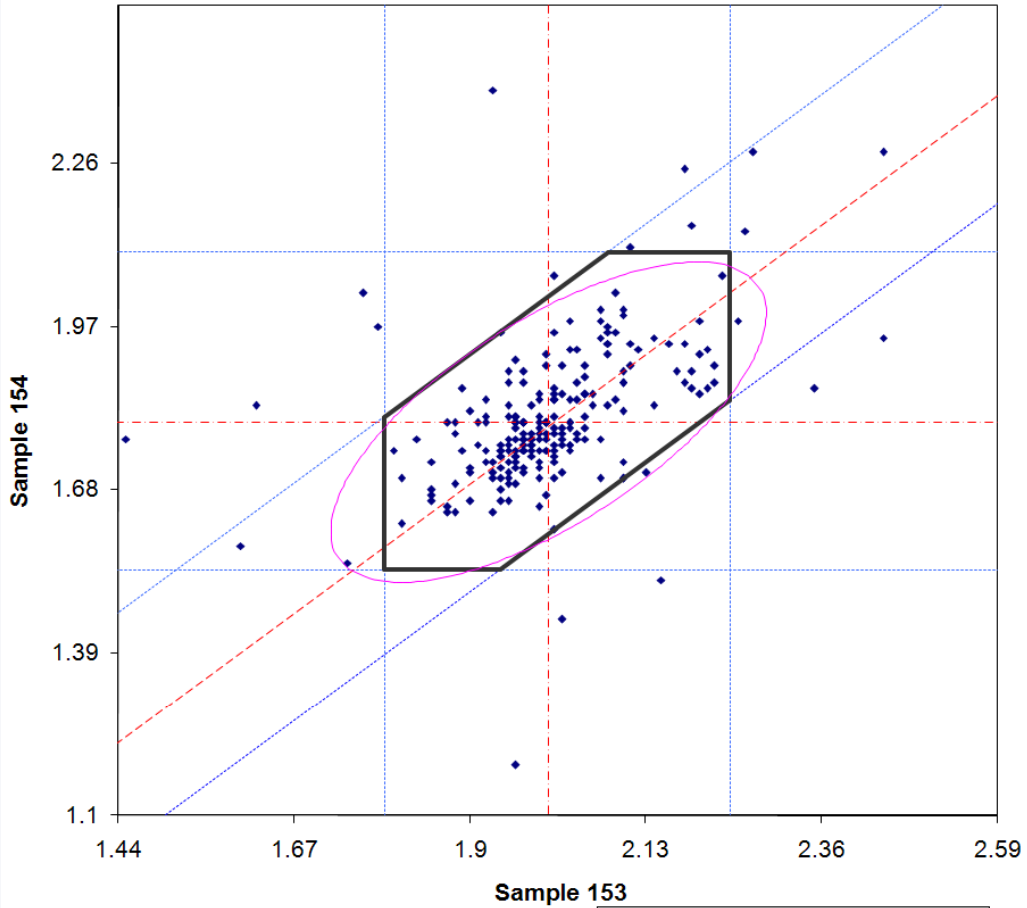
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
1.98	1.66

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.07	0.19	3.40	4.06

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.25	4.39

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.22	4.65

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: Loss on Ignition (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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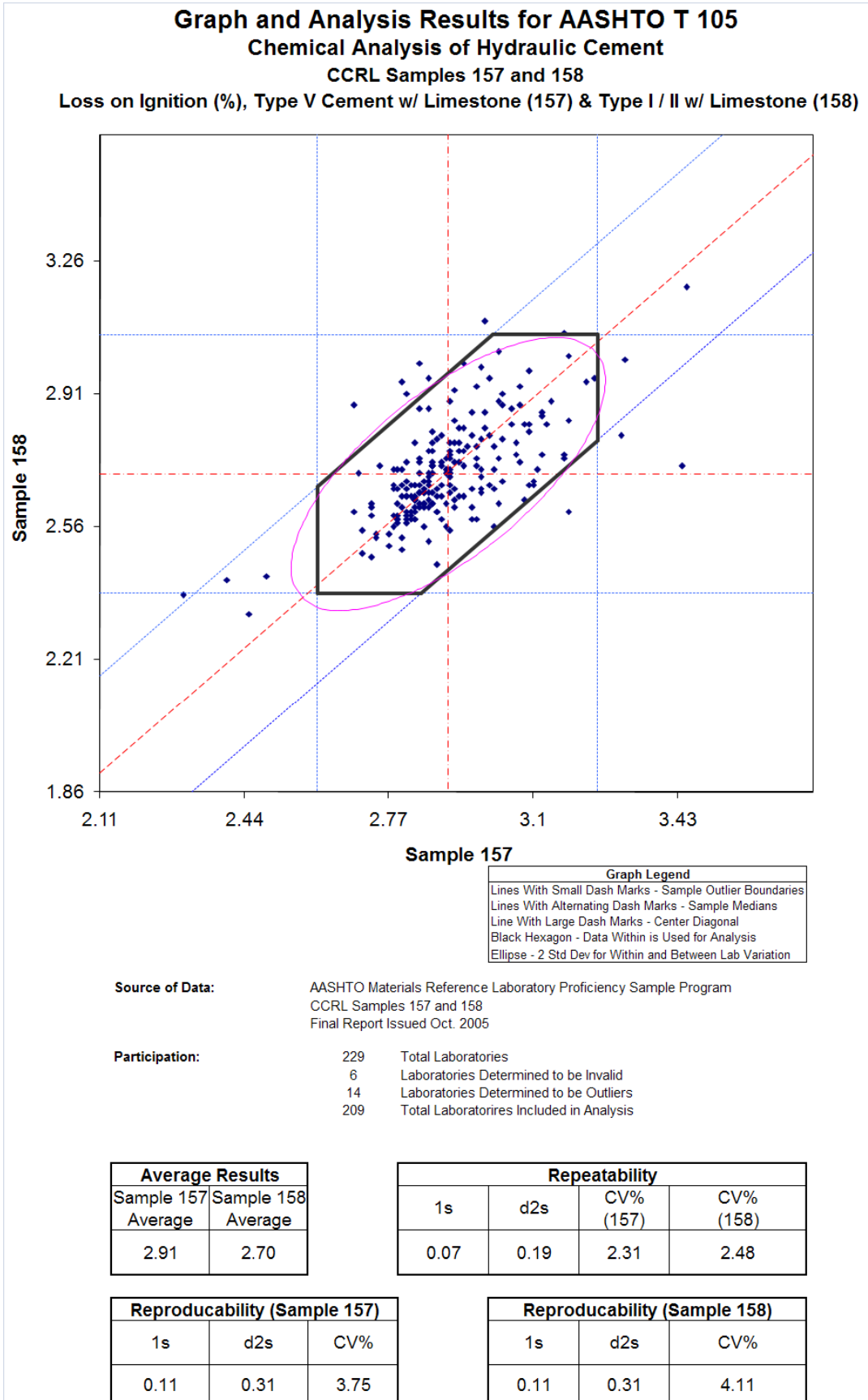
Participation: 227 Total Laboratories
 12 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 199 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

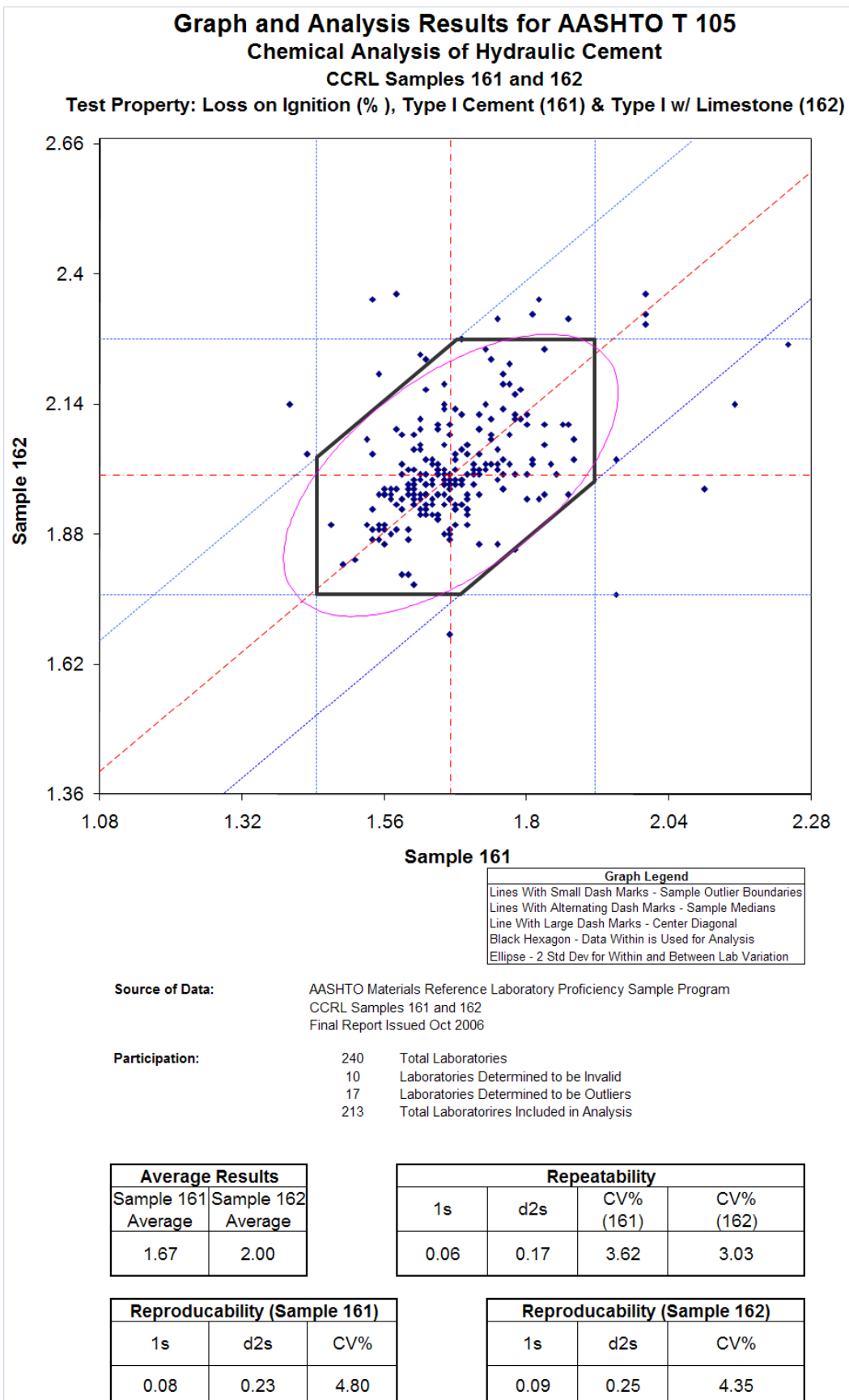
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
2.00	1.80

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.05	0.15	2.67	2.97

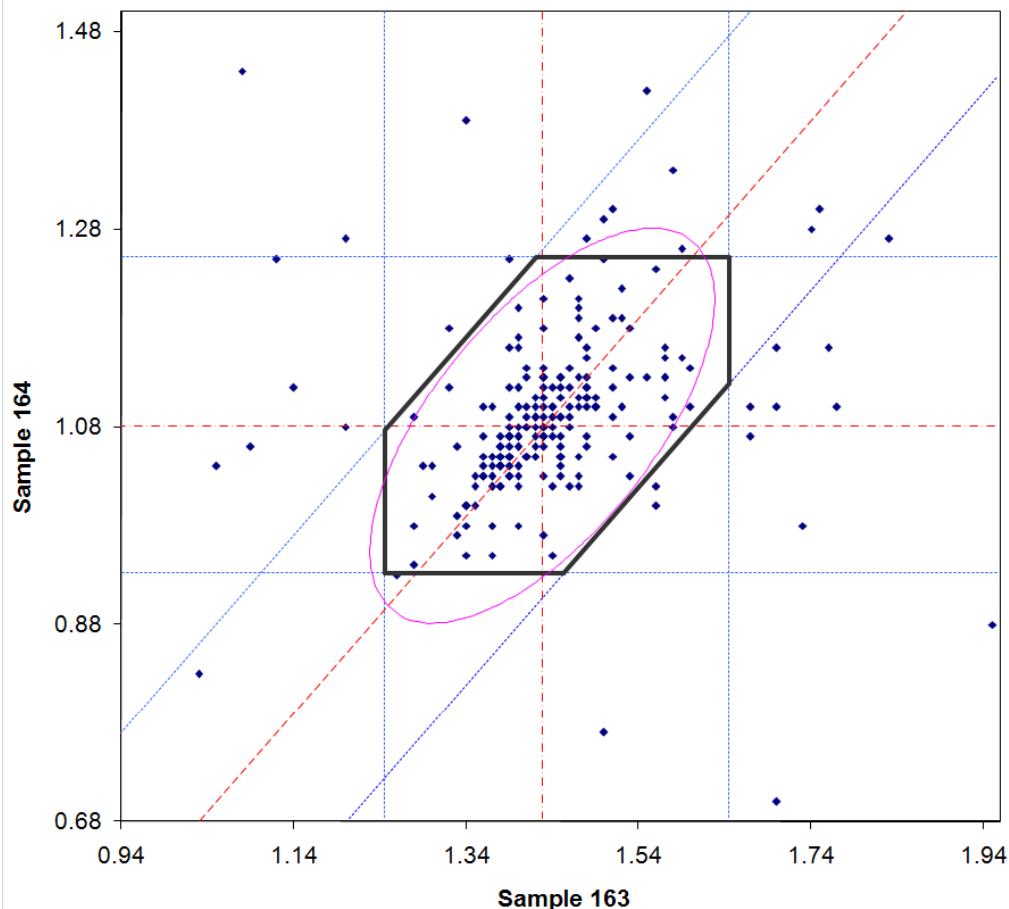
Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.24	4.24

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.25	4.96





Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Test Property: Loss on Ignition (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
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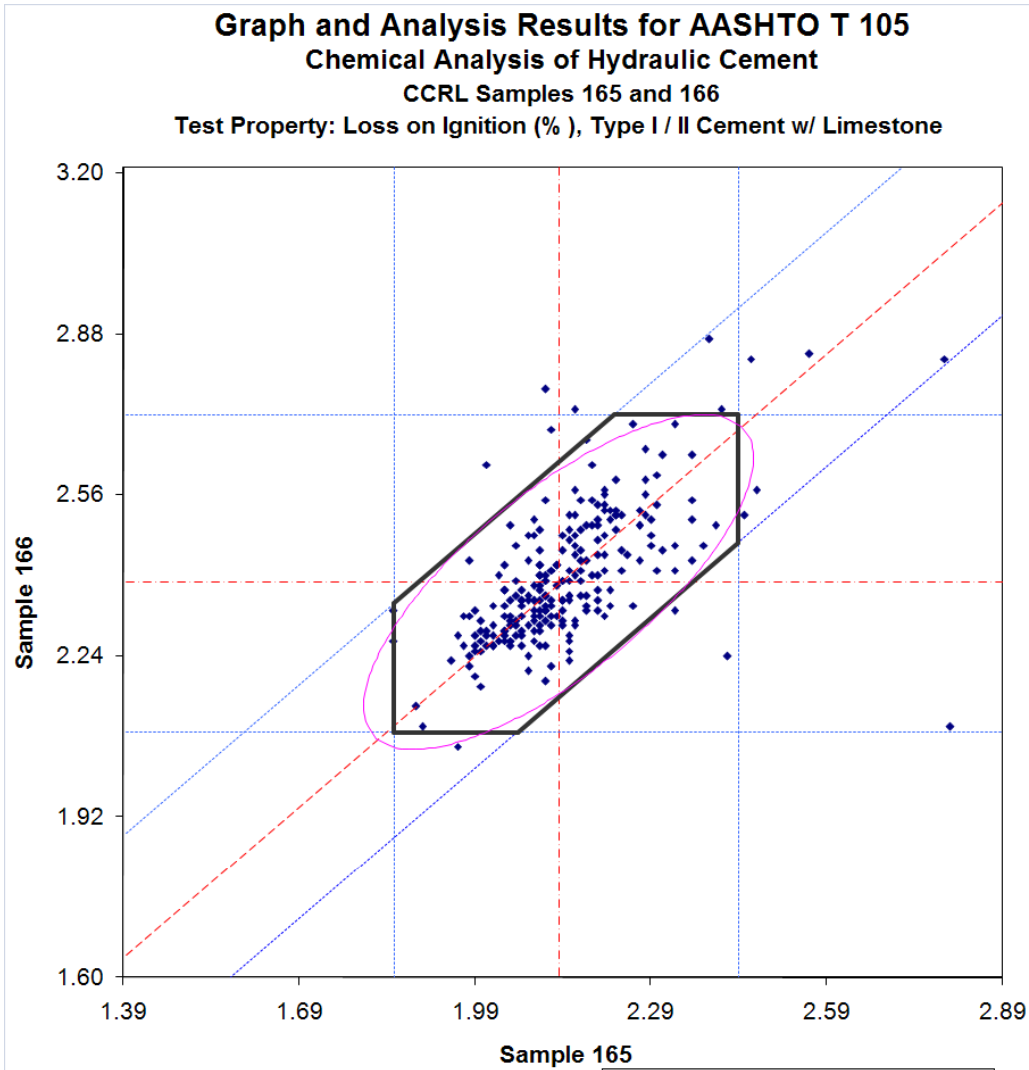
Participation: 242 Total Laboratories
 14 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 24 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 204 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
1.43	1.08

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.04	0.11	2.79	3.69

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.18	4.44

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.16	5.29



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
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Participation: 242 Total Laboratories
8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
220 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

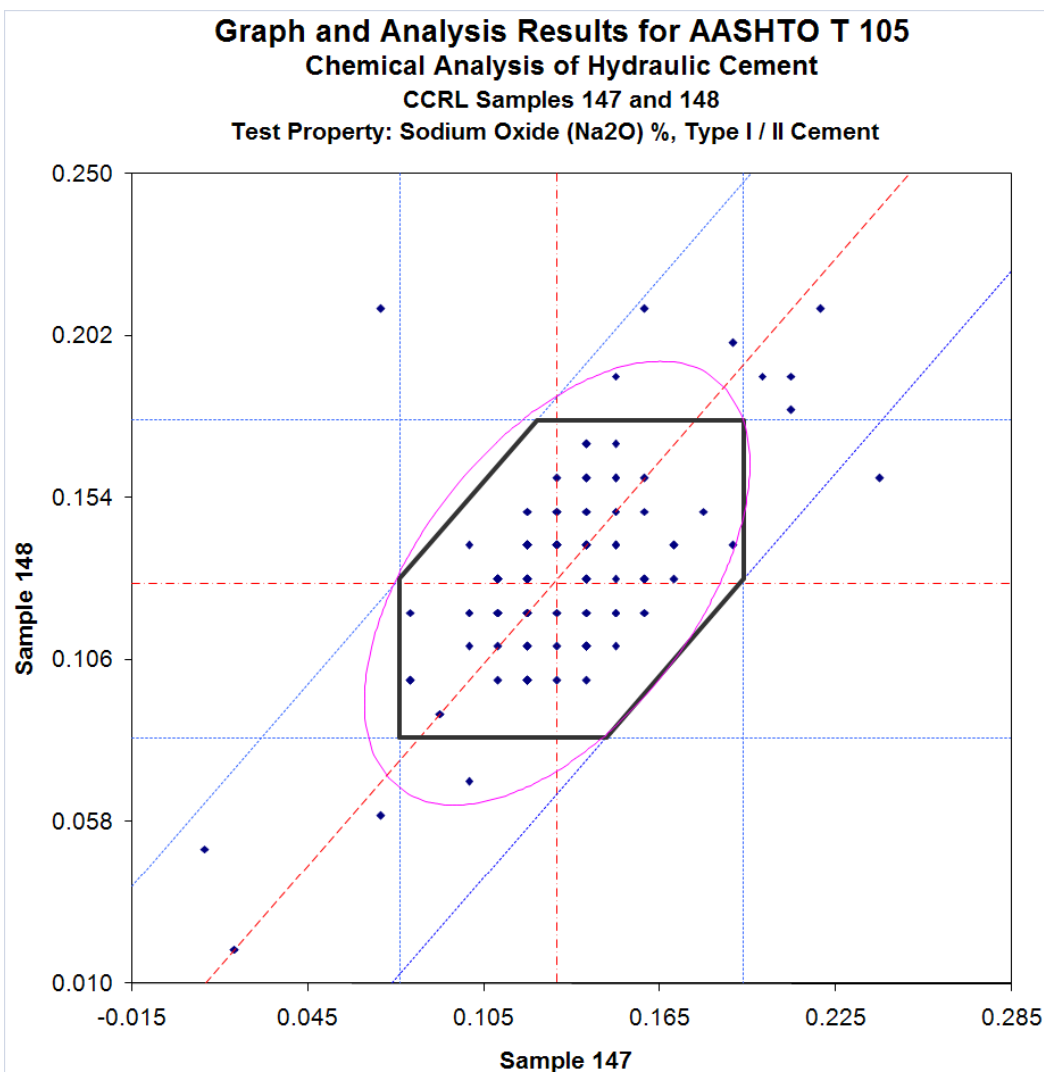
Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
2.13	2.39

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.06	0.16	2.6	2.4

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.27	4.5

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.11	0.31	4.6

APPENDIX H: SODIUM OXIDE (NA₂O)



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation:

135	Total Laboratories
6	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
9	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
120	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

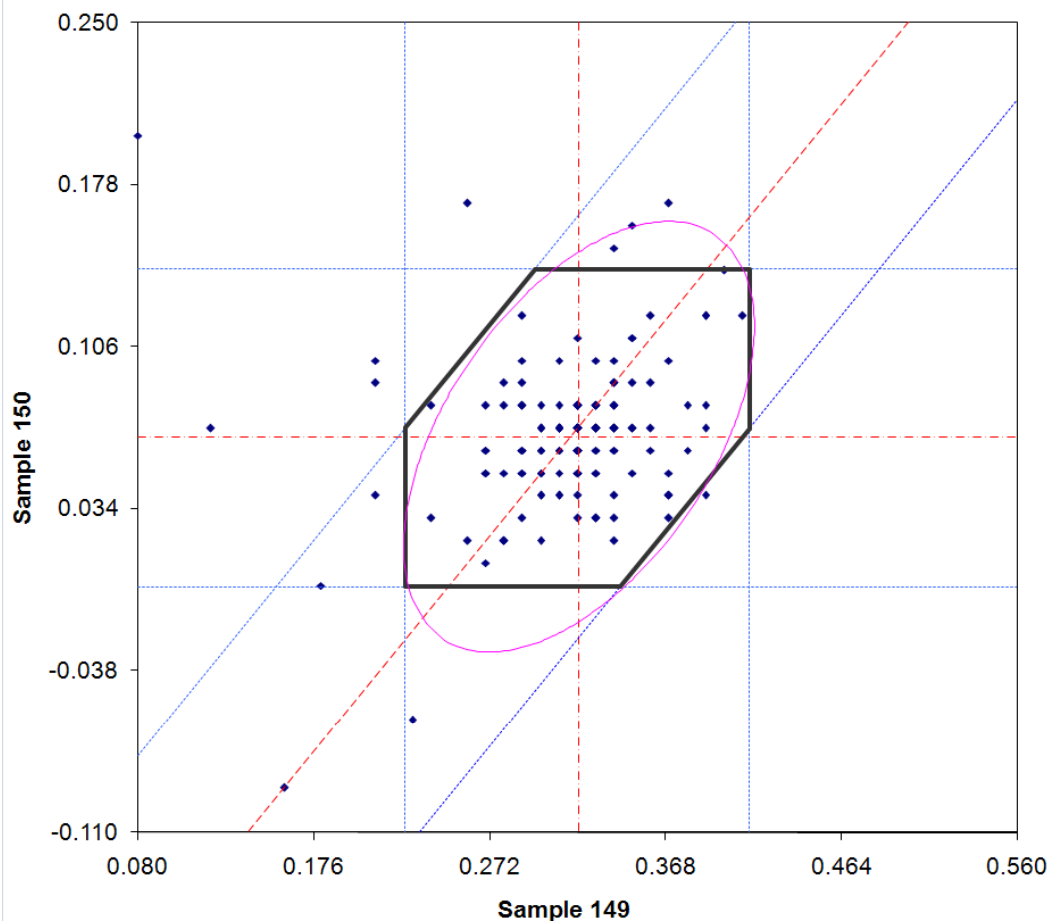
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
0.130	0.129

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.015	0.042	11.5	11.6

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.020	0.058	15.7

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.018	0.050	13.8

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: Sodium Oxide (Na₂O) %, Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

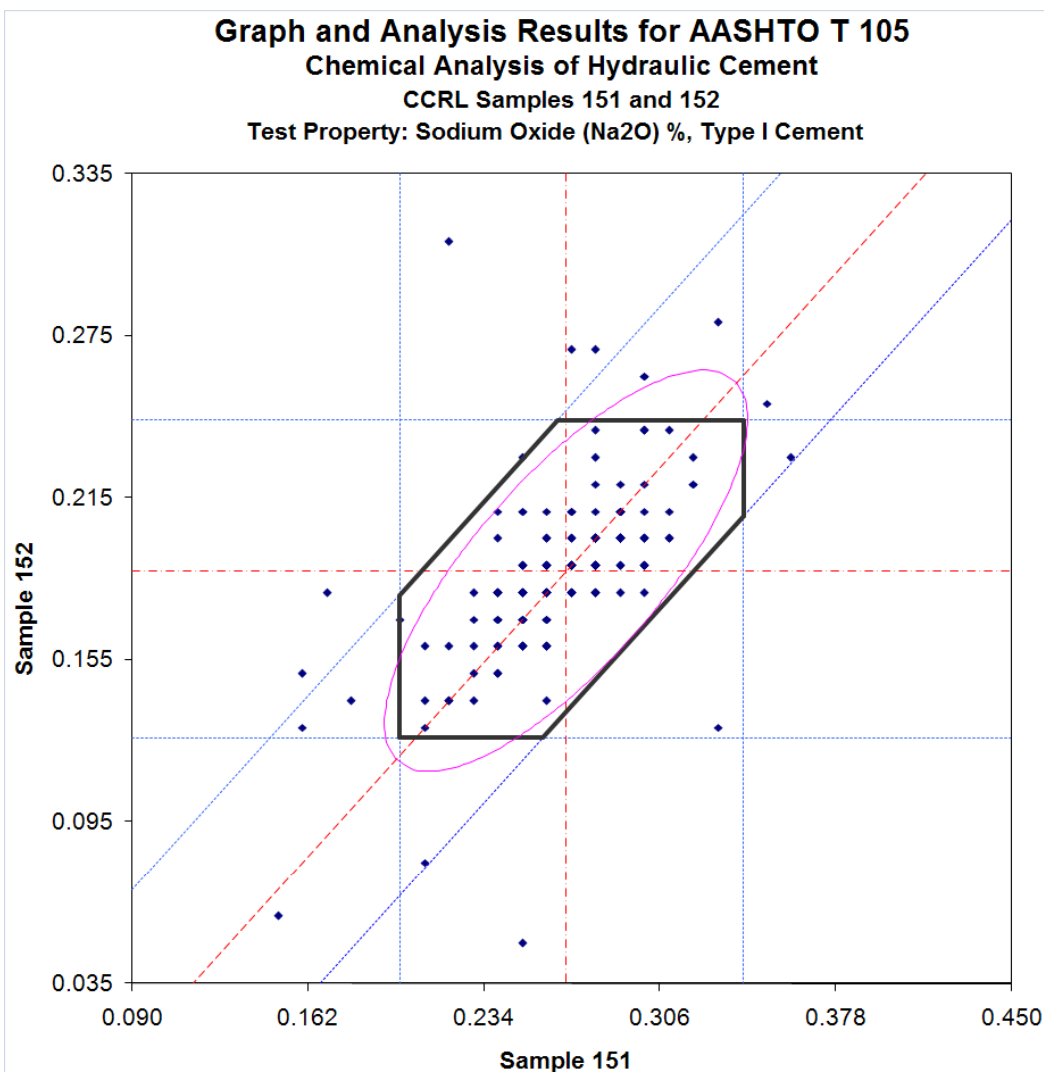
Participation: 149 Total Laboratories
 8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 132 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
0.321	0.066

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.022	0.063	6.9	33.7

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.031	0.089	9.8

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.024	0.067	35.6



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 151 and 152
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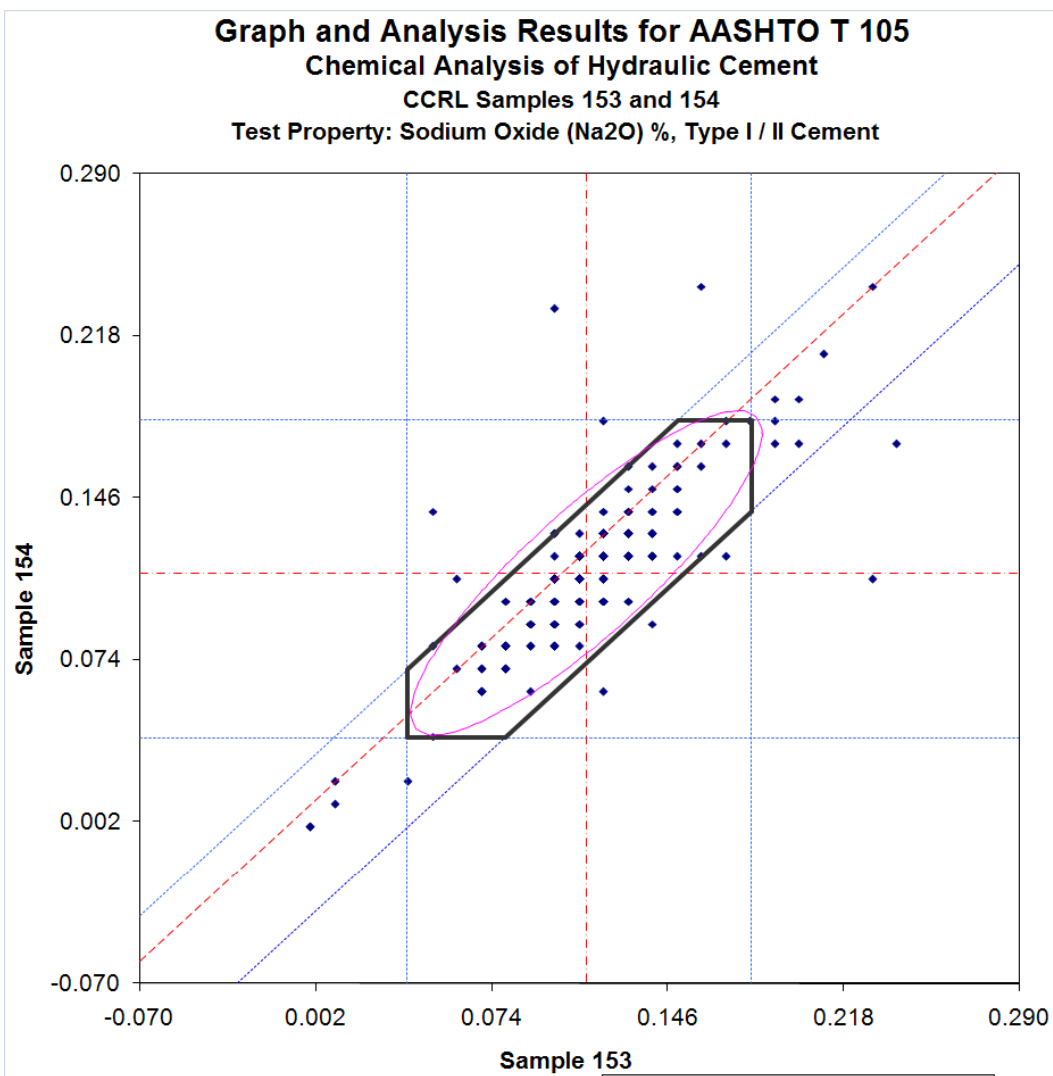
Participation: 165 Total Laboratories
10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
141 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 151	Sample 152
Average	Average
0.268	0.188

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (151)	CV% (152)
0.012	0.034	4.5	6.5

Reproducibility (Sample 151)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.025	0.070	9.2

Reproducibility (Sample 152)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.022	0.061	11.5



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Final Report Issued Oct. 2004

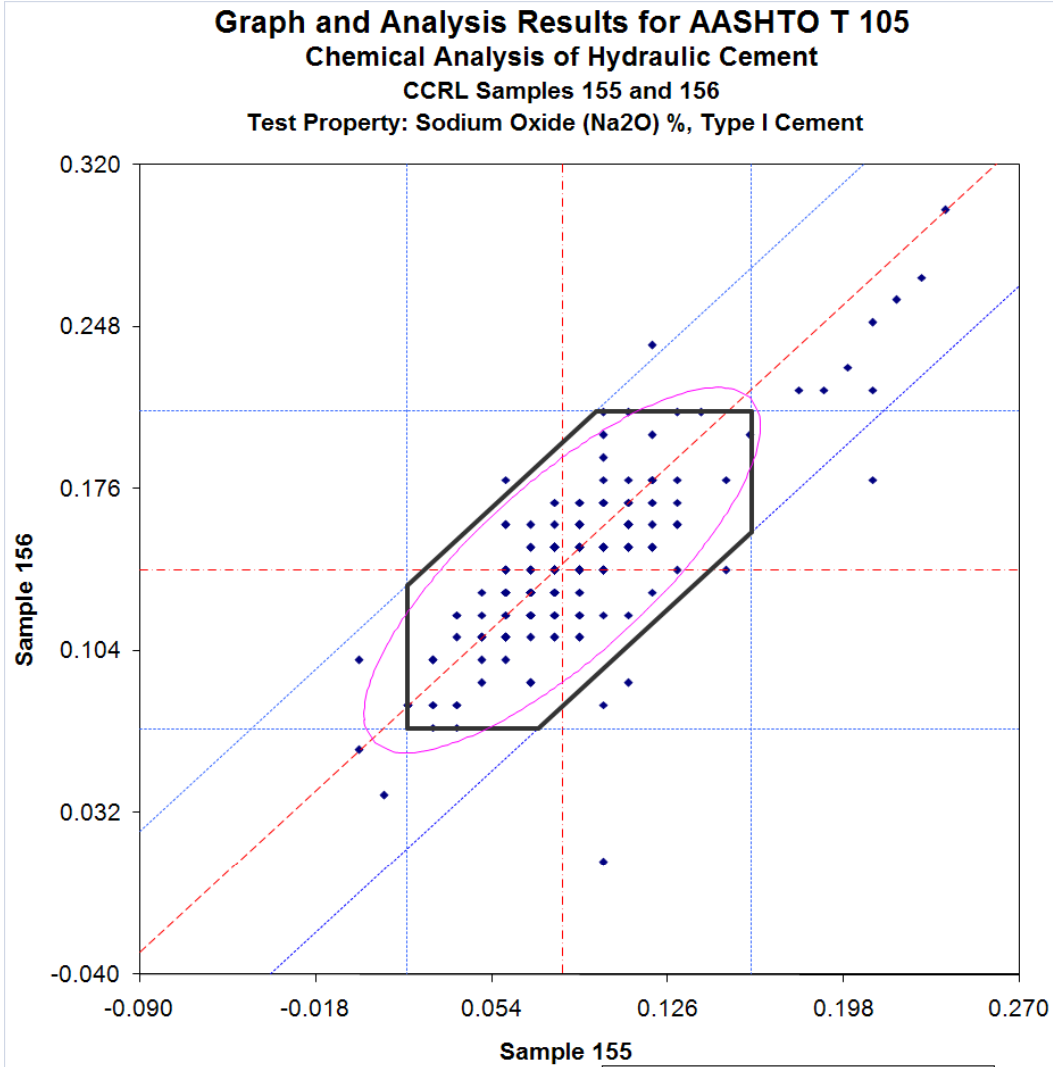
Participation: 218 Total Laboratories
11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
191 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
0.113	0.113

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.009	0.025	7.8	7.8

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.022	0.063	19.8

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.024	0.068	21.3



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 155 and 156
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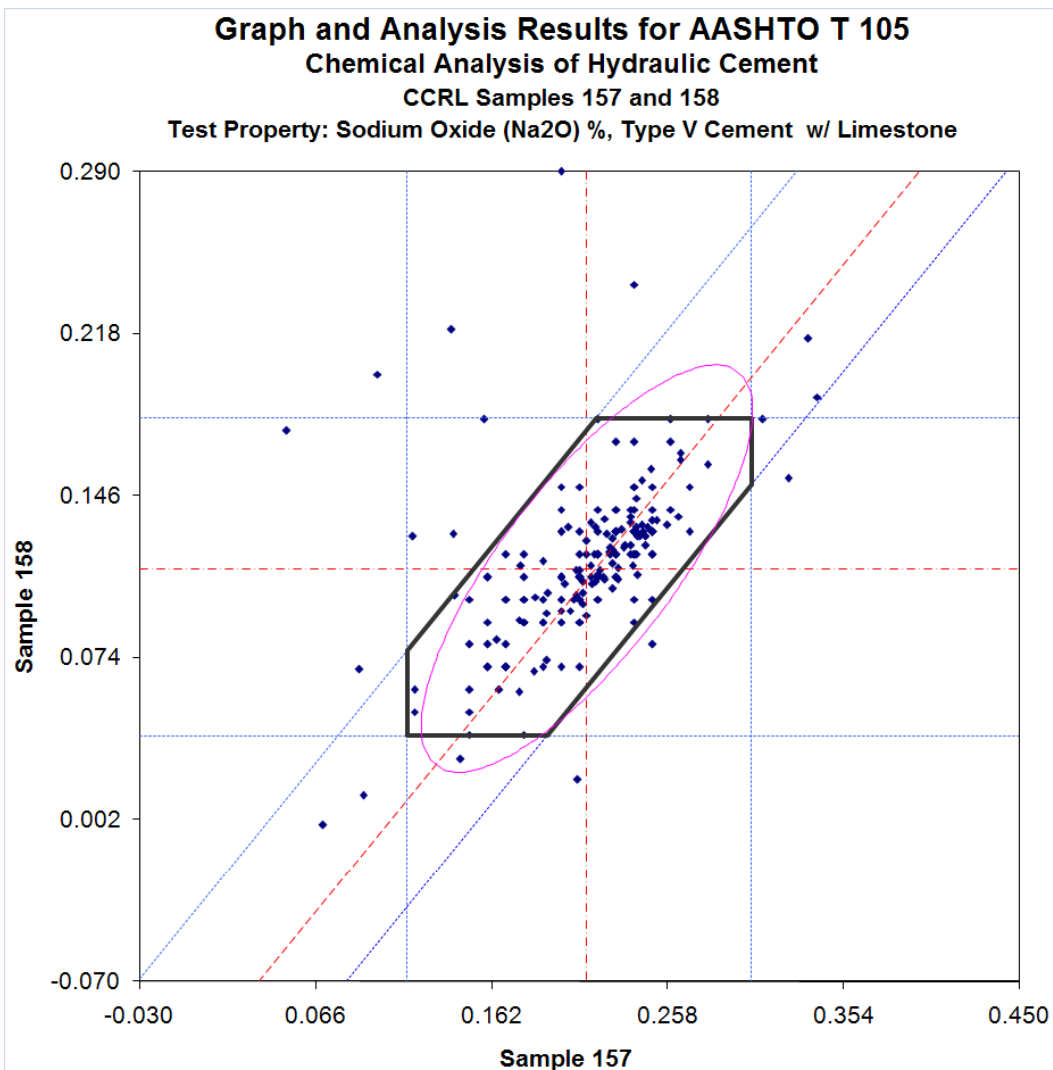
Participation: 225 Total Laboratories
11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
200 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 155	Sample 156
Average	Average
0.083	0.140

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (155)	CV% (156)
0.012	0.035	15.0	8.9

Reproducibility (Sample 155)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.025	0.070	29.7

Reproducibility (Sample 156)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.026	0.075	18.9



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 157 and 158
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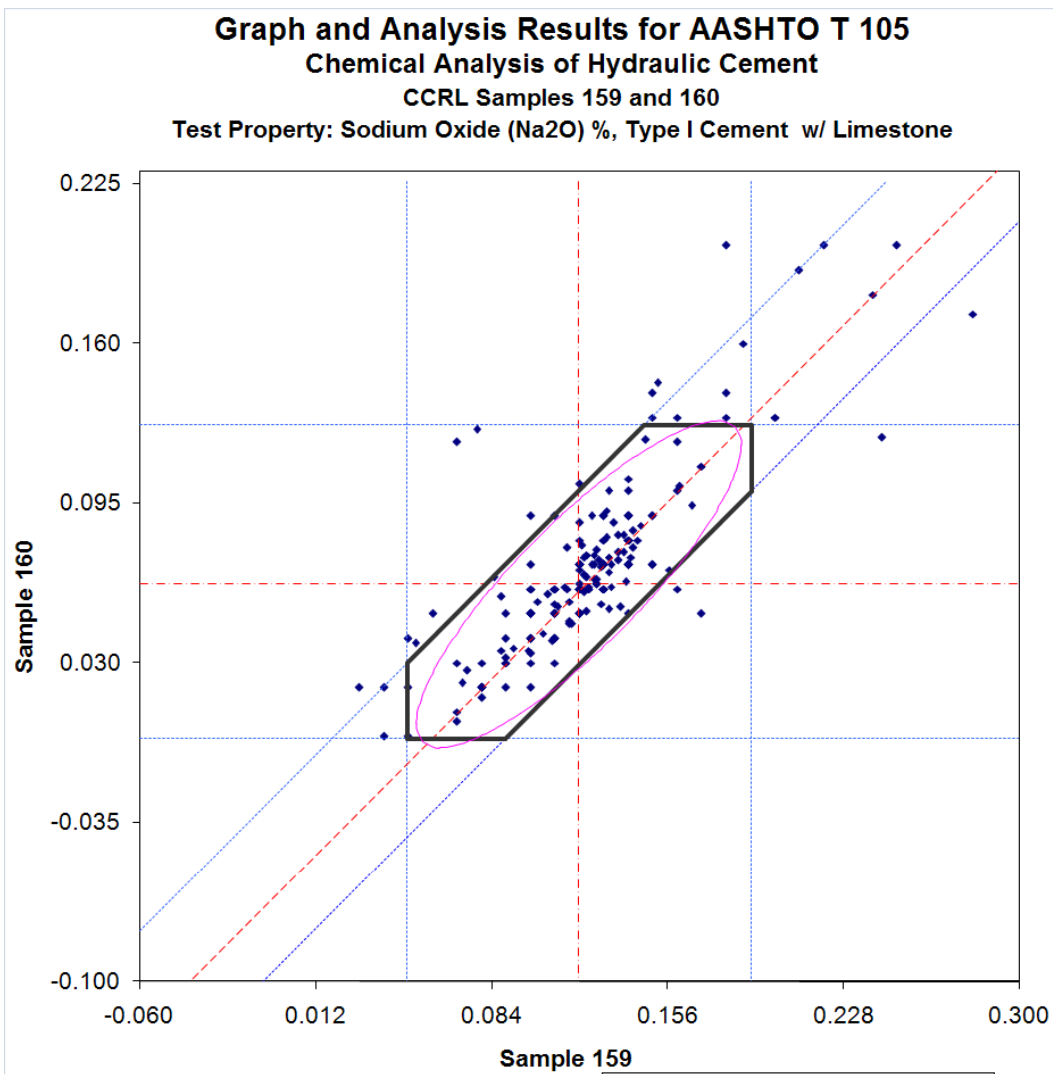
Participation: 217 Total Laboratories
 10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 12 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 195 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
0.214	0.114

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.014	0.040	6.6	12.5

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.031	0.087	14.3

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.026	0.073	22.8



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
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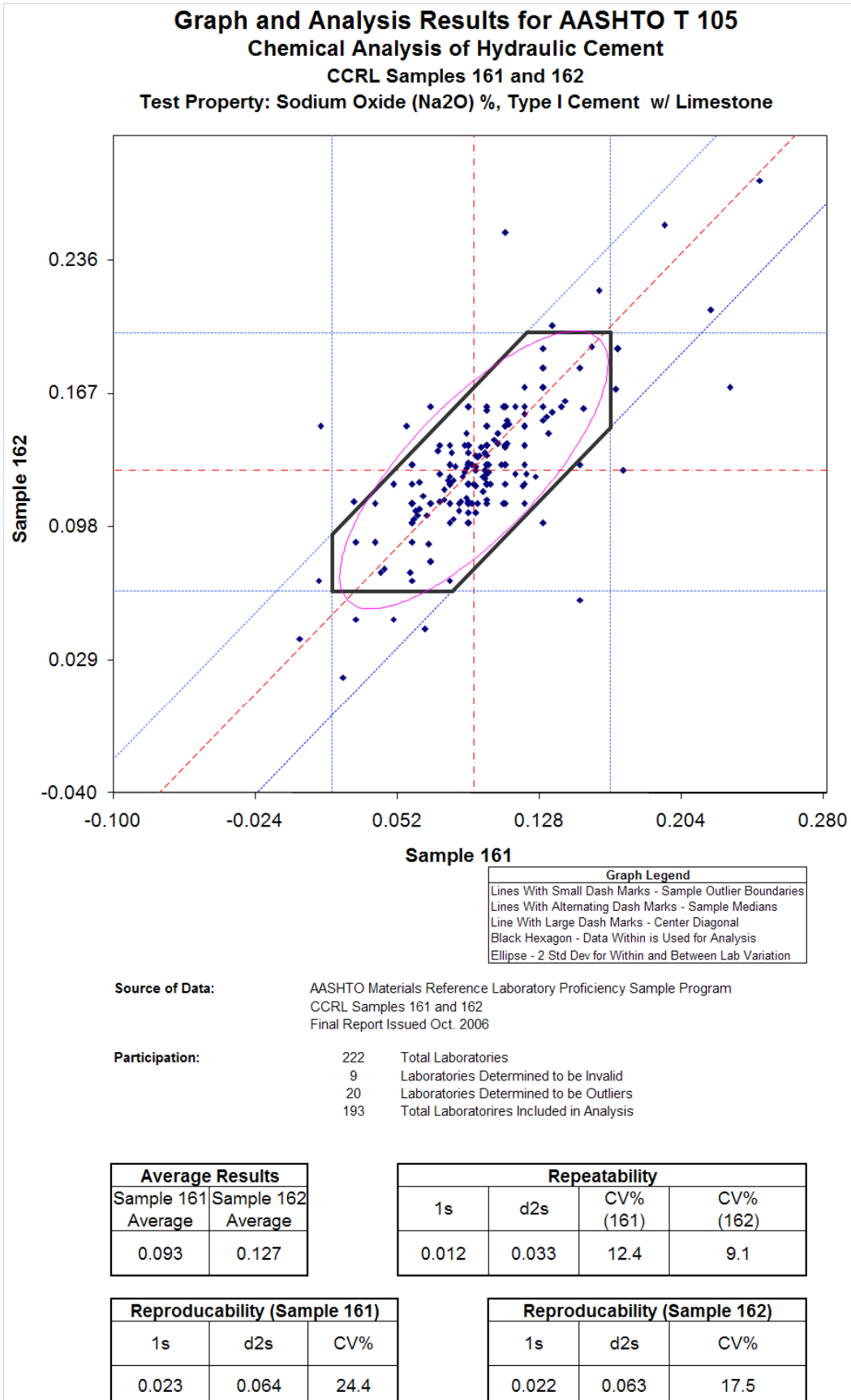
Participation: 219 Total Laboratories
11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
24 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
184 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
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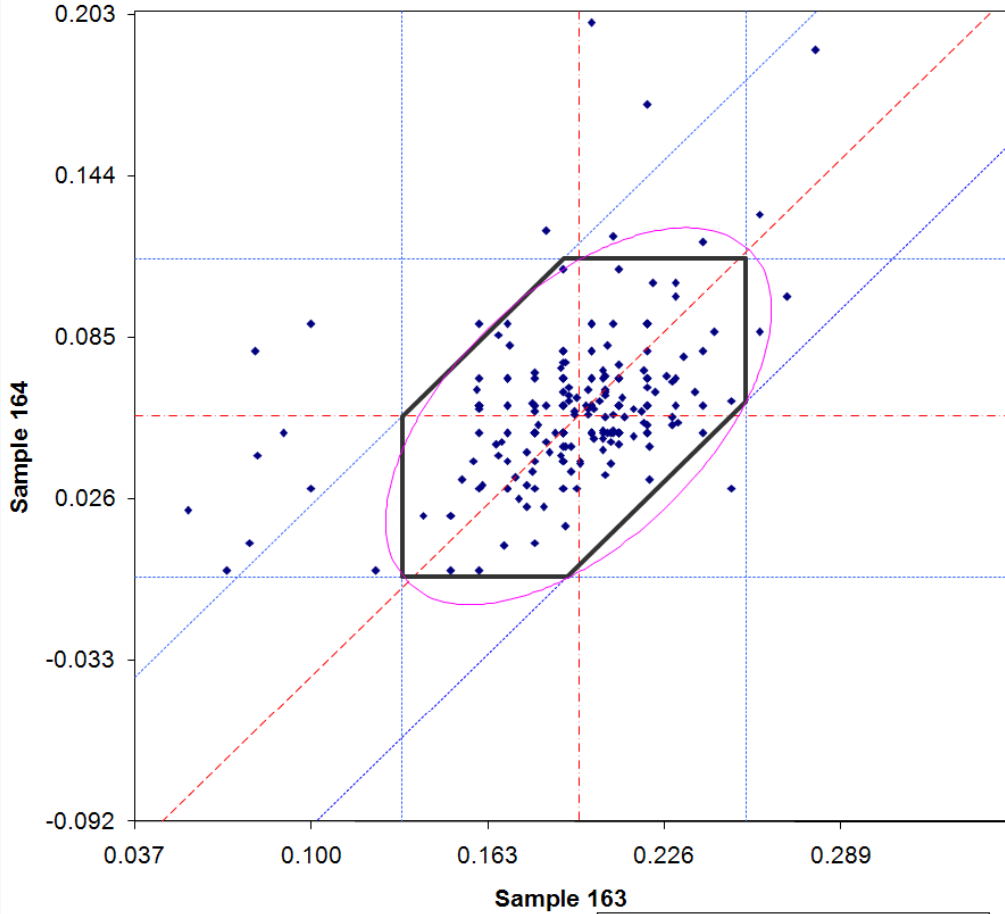
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.008	0.024	7.0	13.6

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.021	0.060	17.8

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.021	0.061	34.6



Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Test Property: Sodium Oxide (Na₂O) %, Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

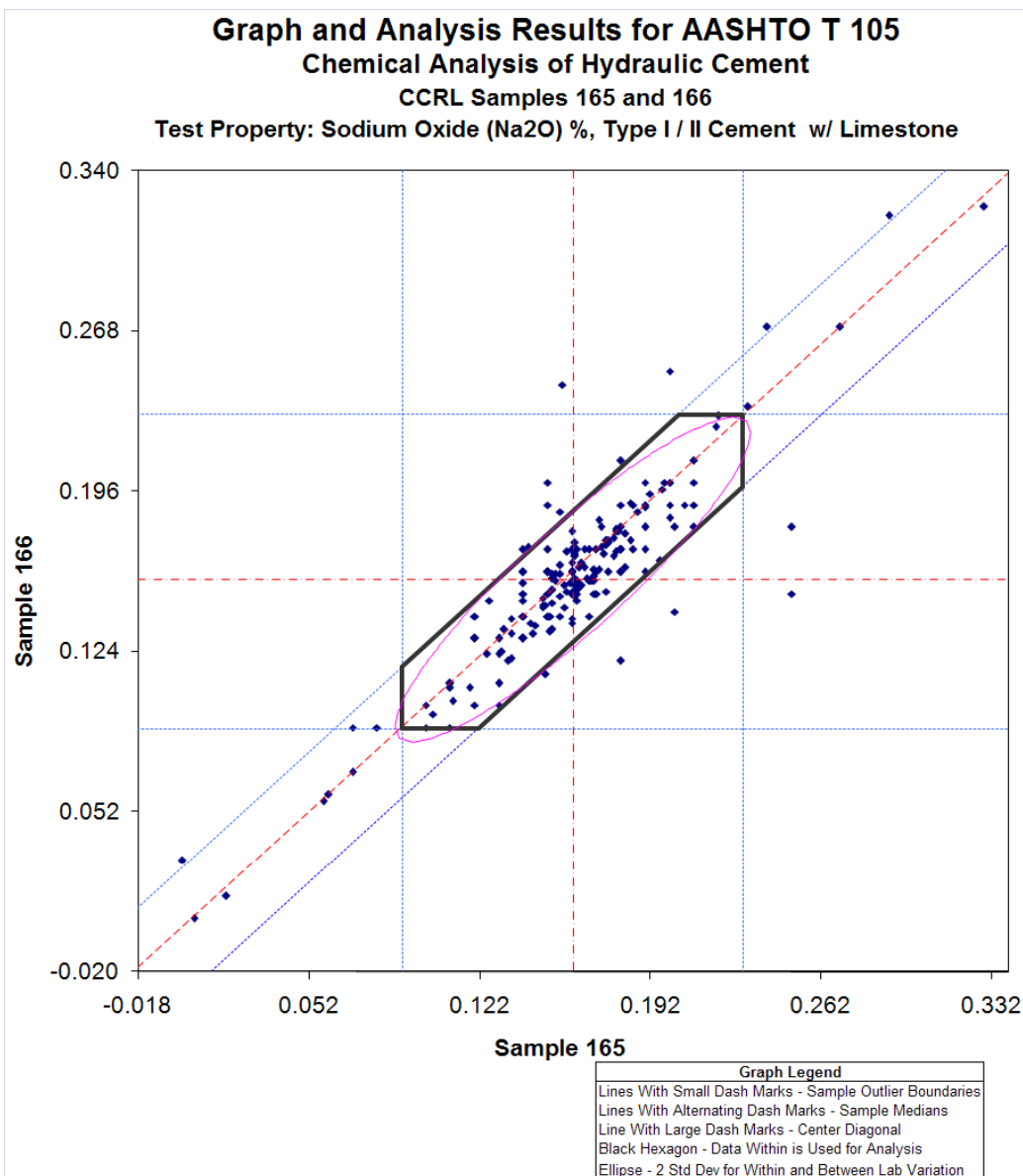
Participation: 224 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 199 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.196	0.056

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.015	0.043	7.8	27.0

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.021	0.060	10.9

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.019	0.055	34.2



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued Sept. 2007

Participation:

231	Total Laboratories
10	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
16	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
205	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.160	0.156

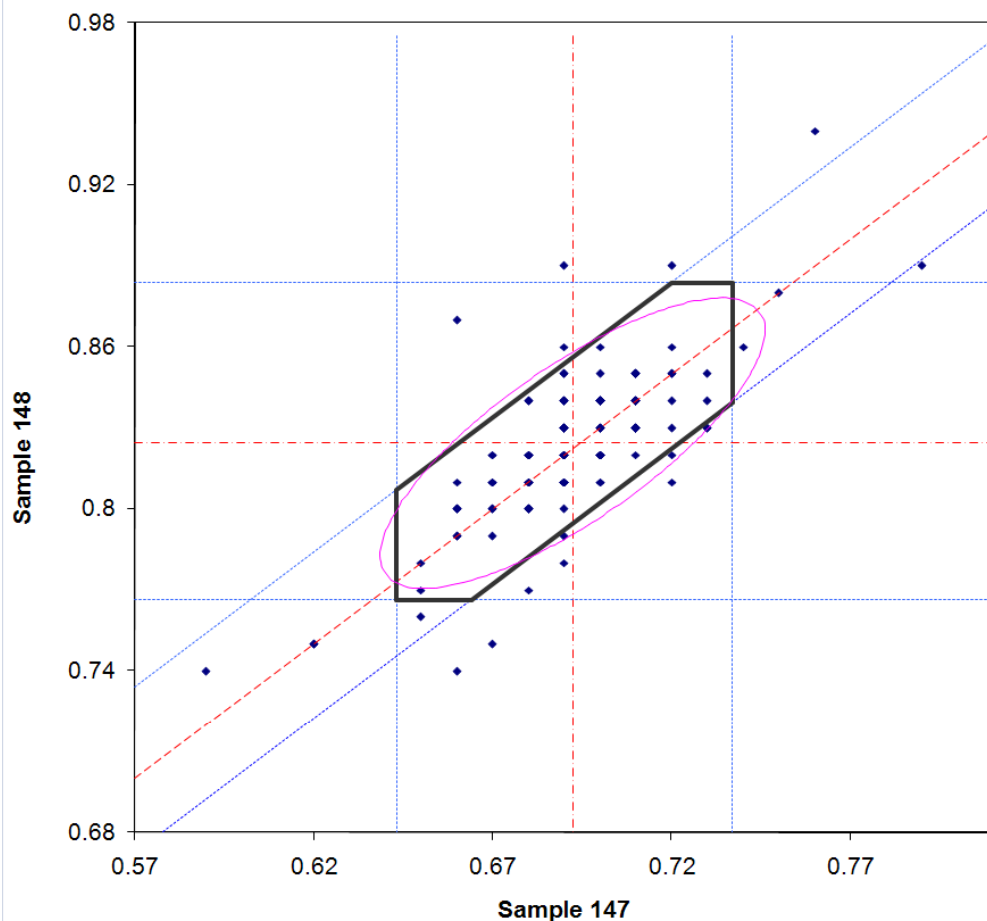
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.007	0.021	4.6	4.7

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.023	0.066	14.6

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.024	0.068	15.4

APPENDIX I: POTASSIUM OXIDE (K₂O)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Potassium Oxide (K₂O), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 138 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 18 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 114 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

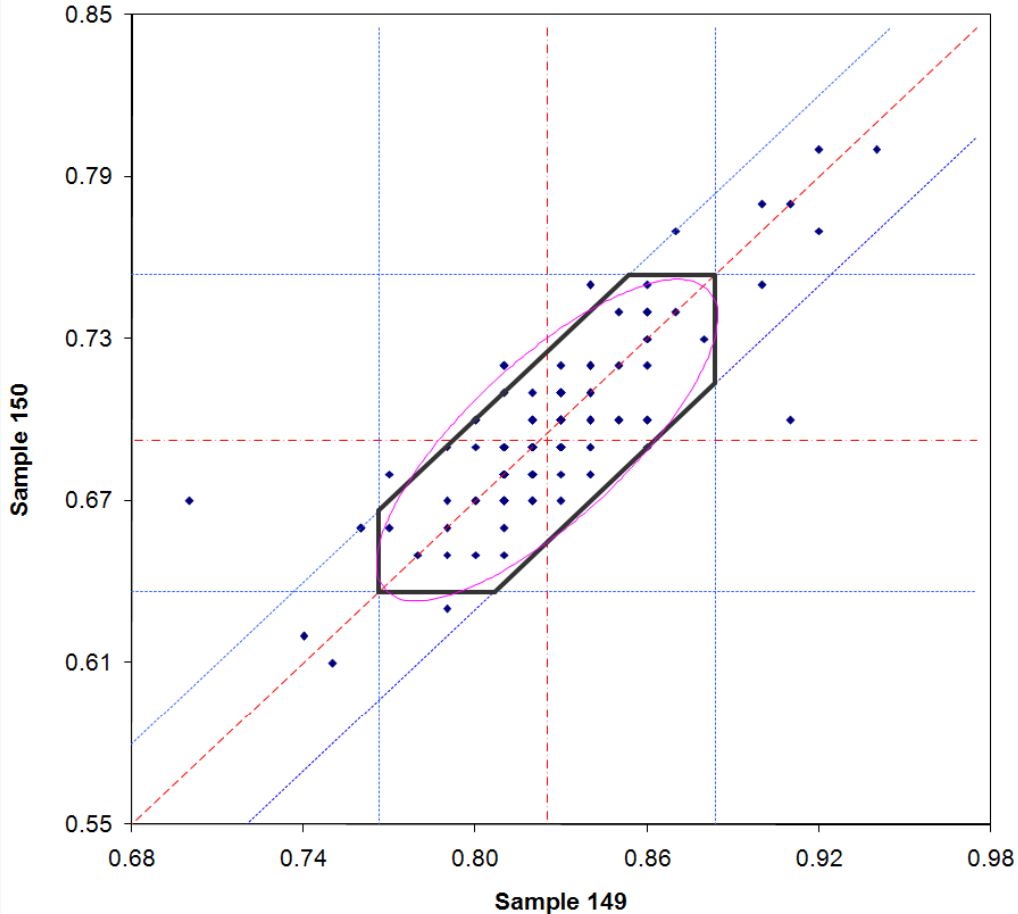
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
0.69	0.82

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.01	0.02	1.22	1.02

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.02	0.05	2.36

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.02	0.05	2.12

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: % Potassium Oxide (K₂O), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

154	Total Laboratories
9	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
17	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
128	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

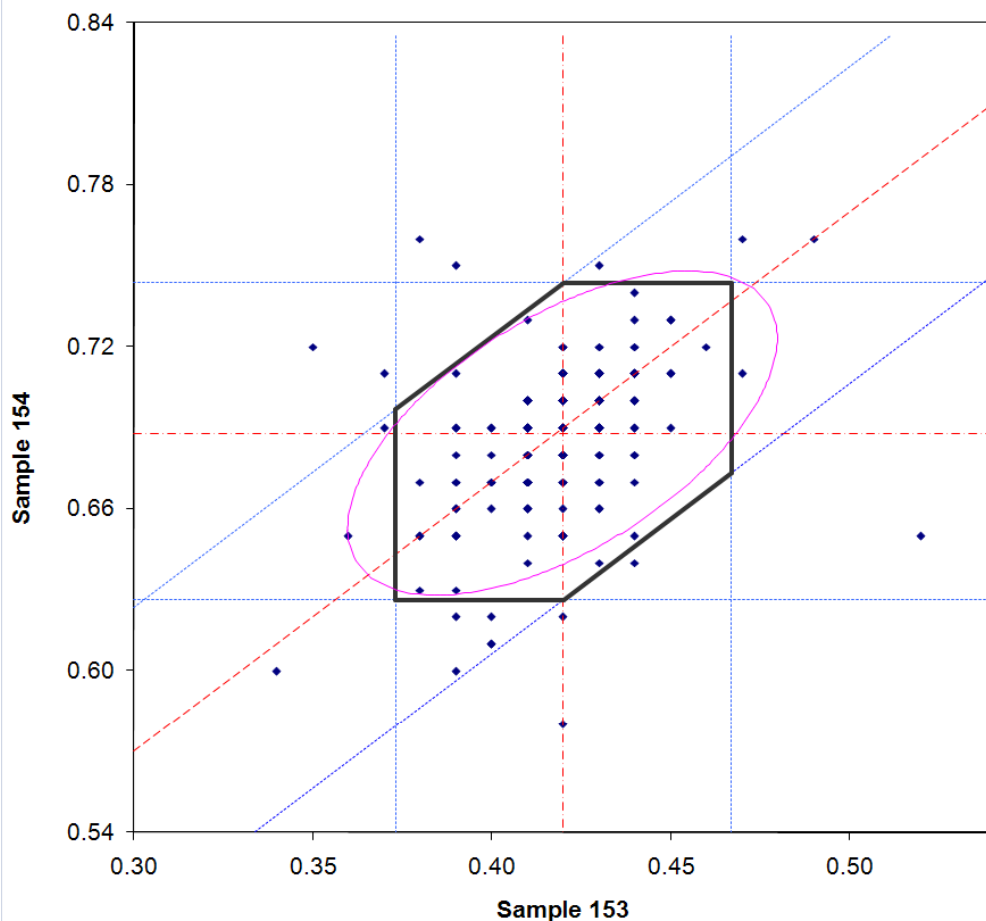
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
0.83	0.69

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.01	0.03	1.15	1.37

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.02	0.05	2.25

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.02	0.05	2.72

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Potassium Oxide (K₂O), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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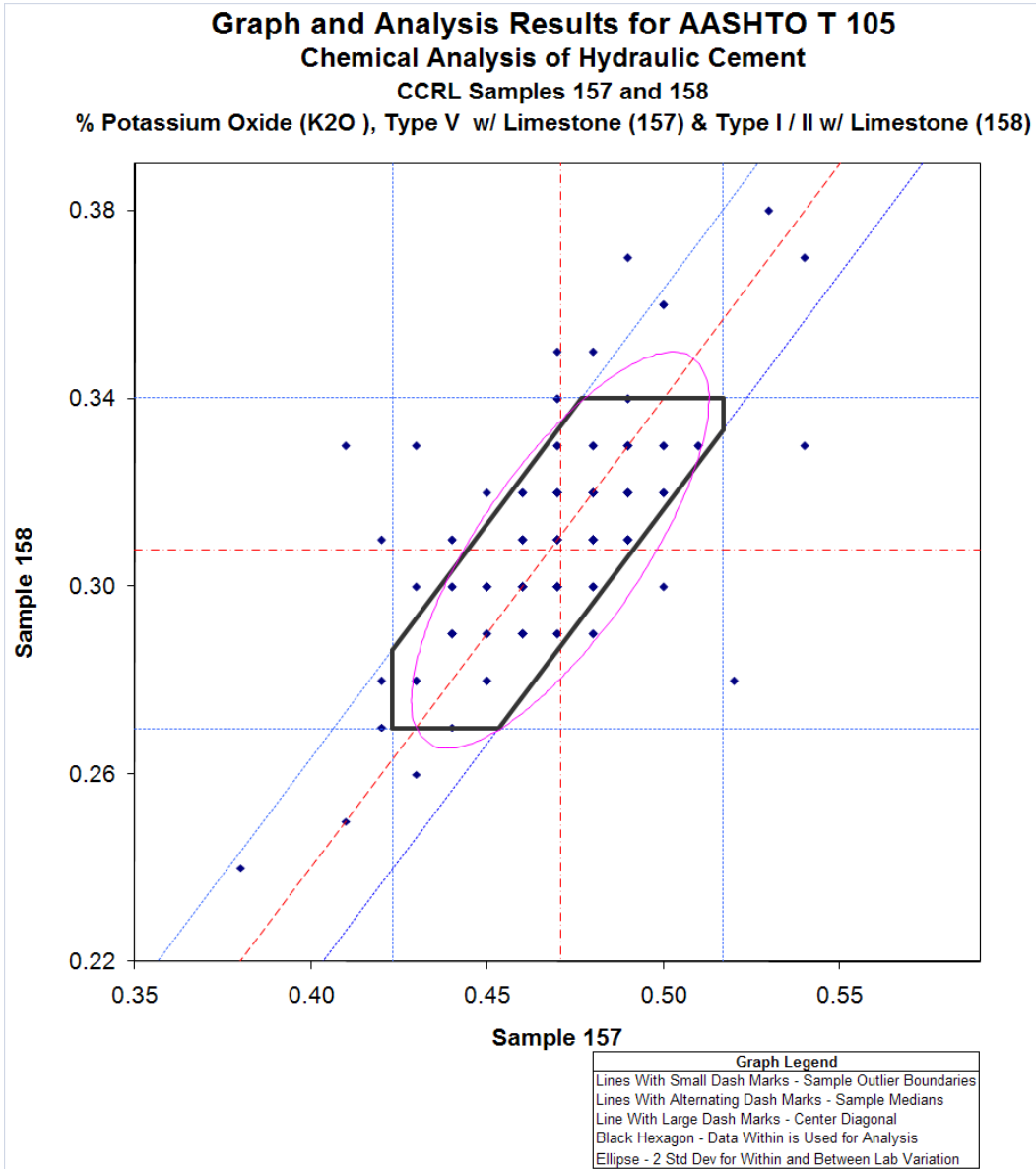
Participation: 220 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 195 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
0.42	0.69

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.01	0.04	3.07	1.87

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.01	0.04	3.49

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.02	0.06	2.98



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
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Participation:

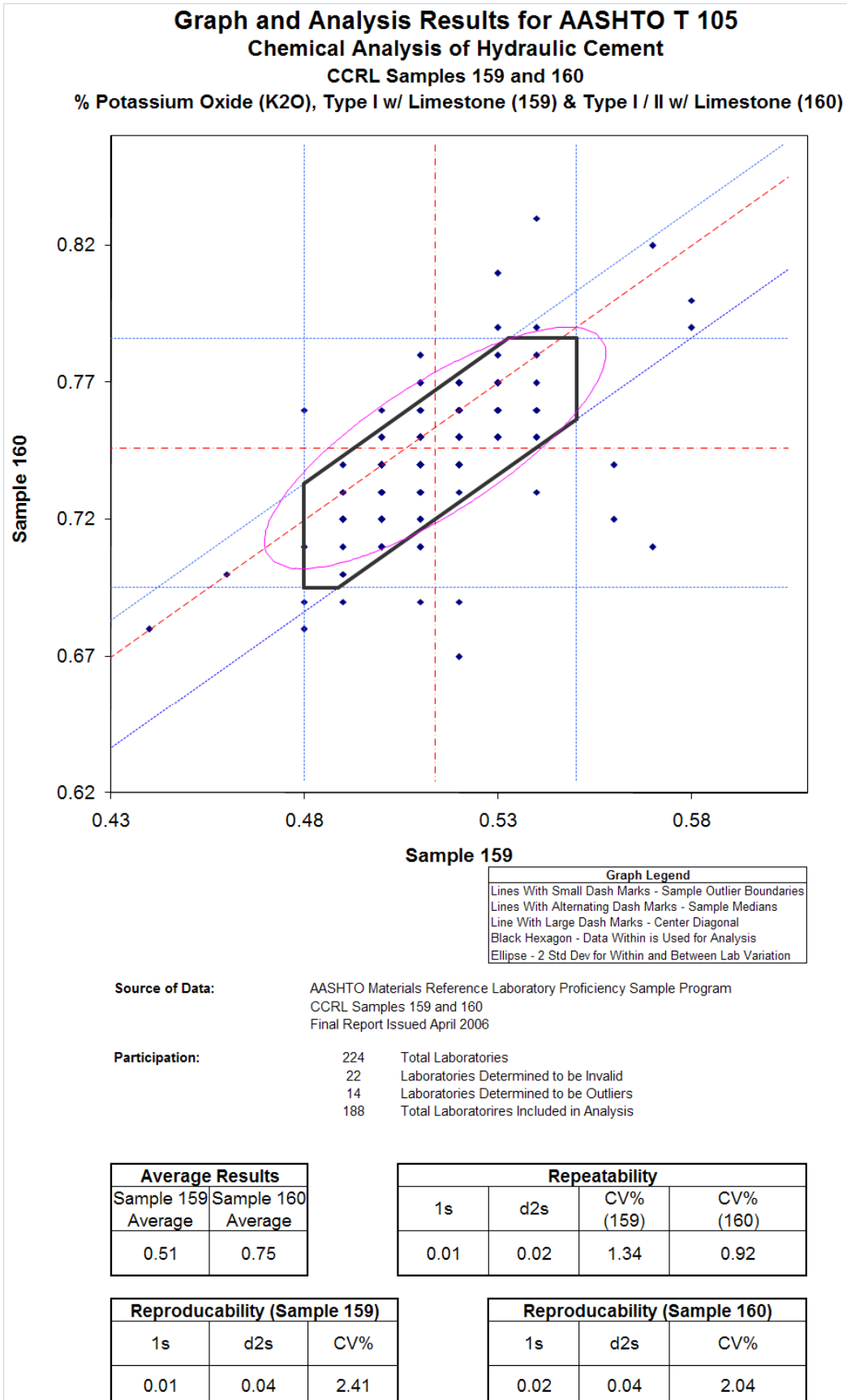
222	Total Laboratories
12	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
24	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
186	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

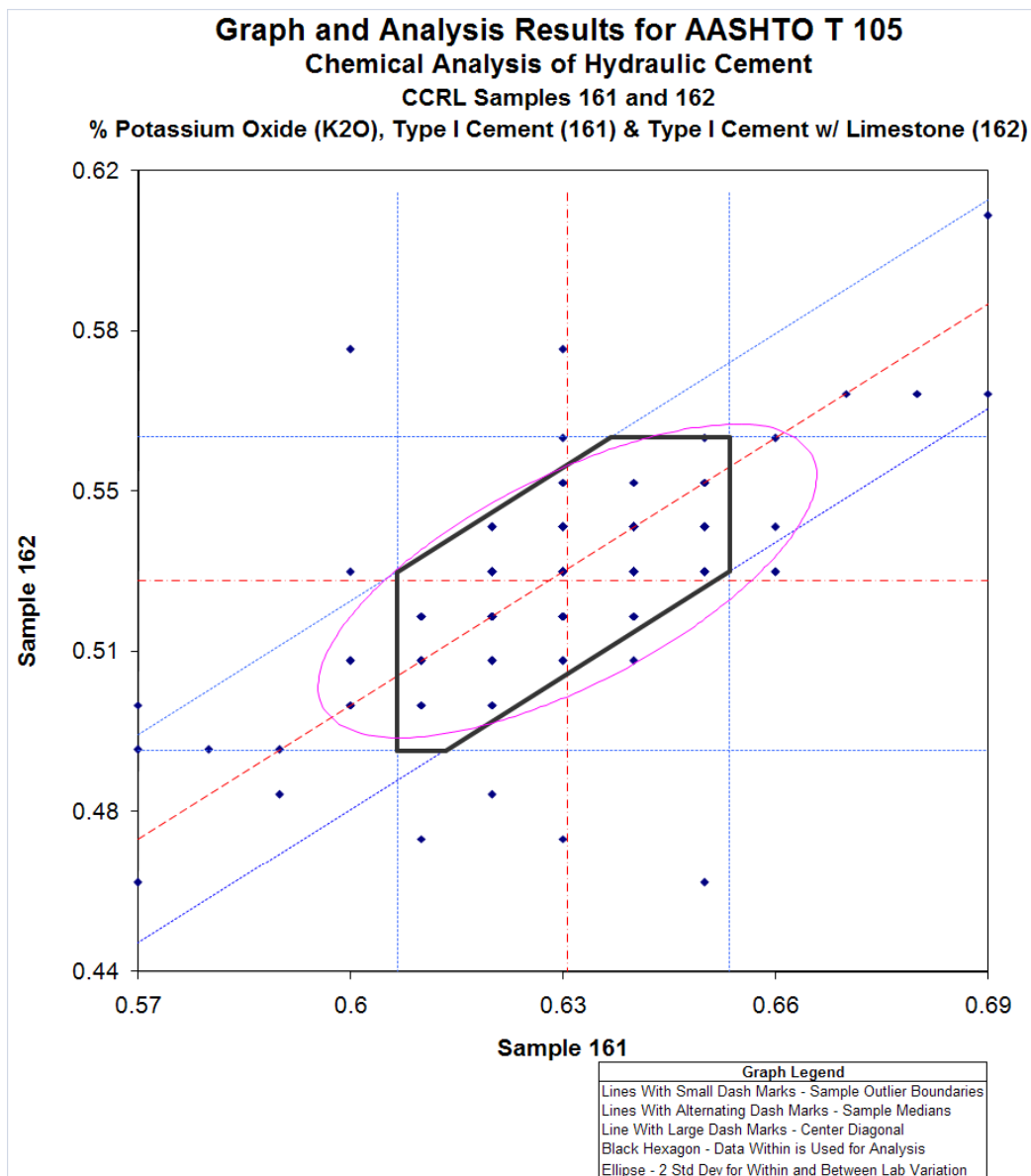
Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
0.47	0.31

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.01	0.02	1.46	2.24

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.01	0.04	2.99

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.01	0.03	4.00





Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct. 2006

Participation:

228	Total Laboratories
24	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
24	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
180	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

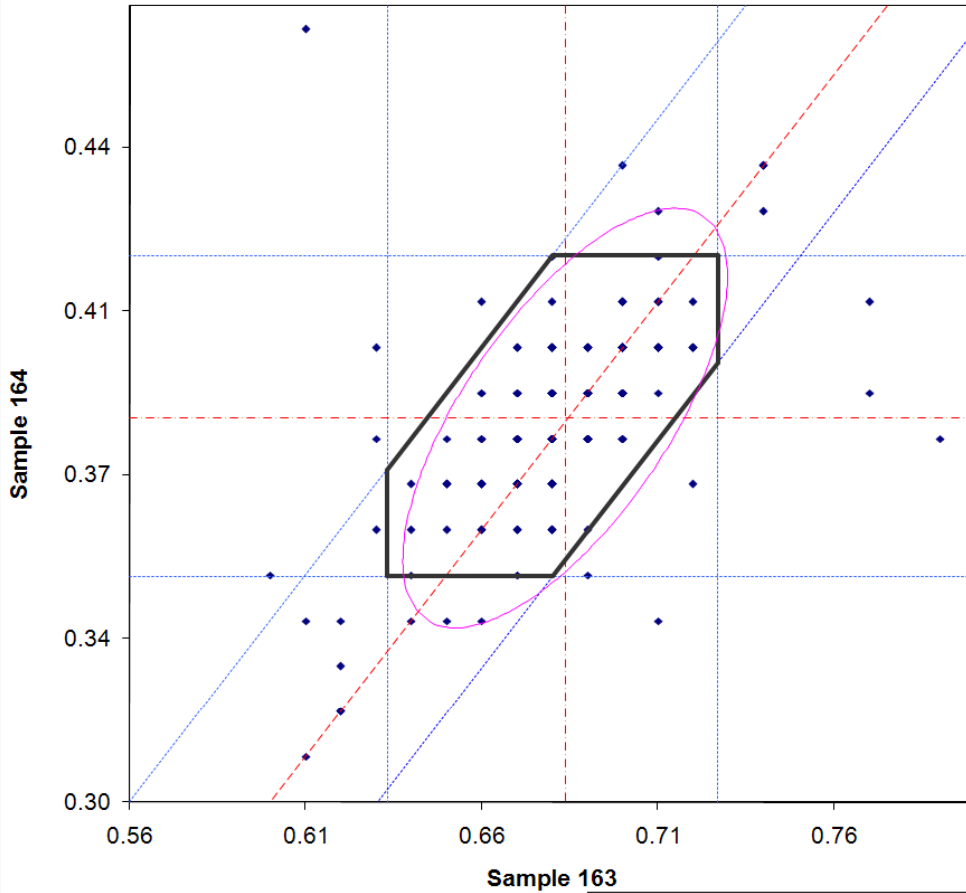
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
0.63	0.53

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.007	0.019	1.06	1.26

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.011	0.030	1.67

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.011	0.031	2.08

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
% Potassium Oxide (K₂O), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 229 Total Laboratories
 14 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 20 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 195 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

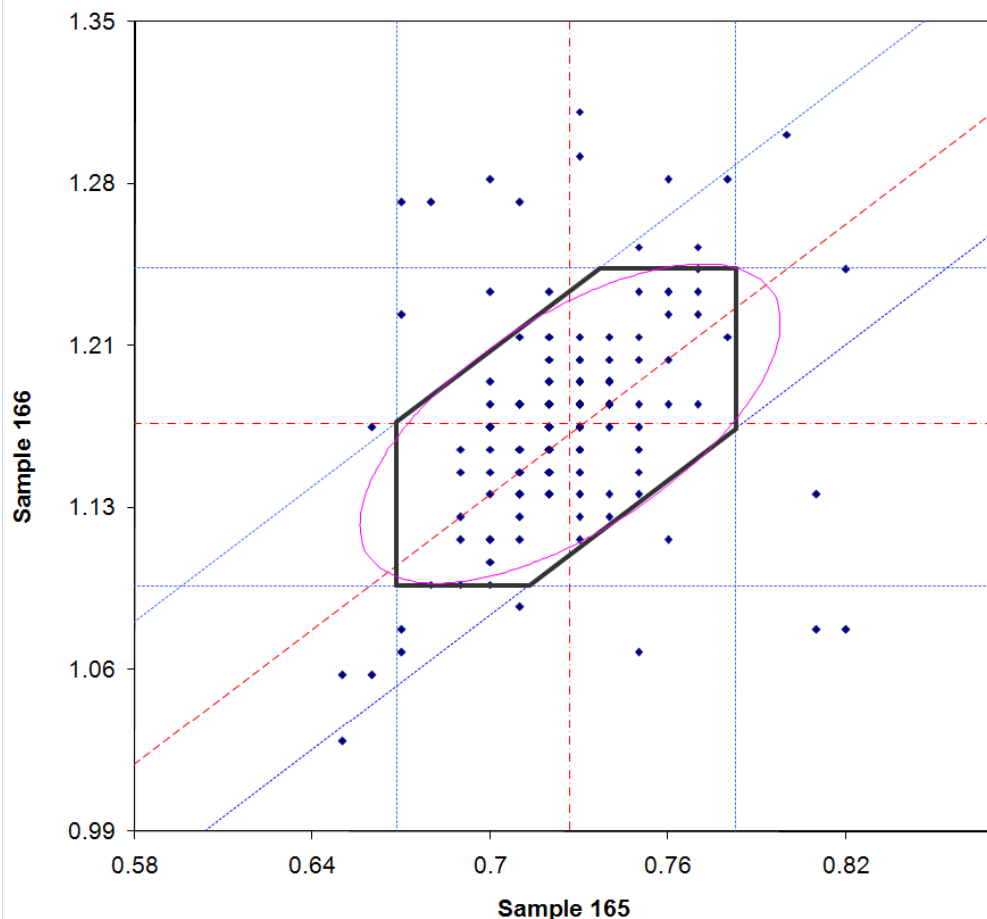
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.68	0.38

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.009	0.025	1.27	2.26

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.015	0.043	2.23

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.013	0.036	3.33

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
% Potassium Oxide (K₂O), Type I / II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation:

234	Total Laboratories
16	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
21	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
197	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.73	1.17

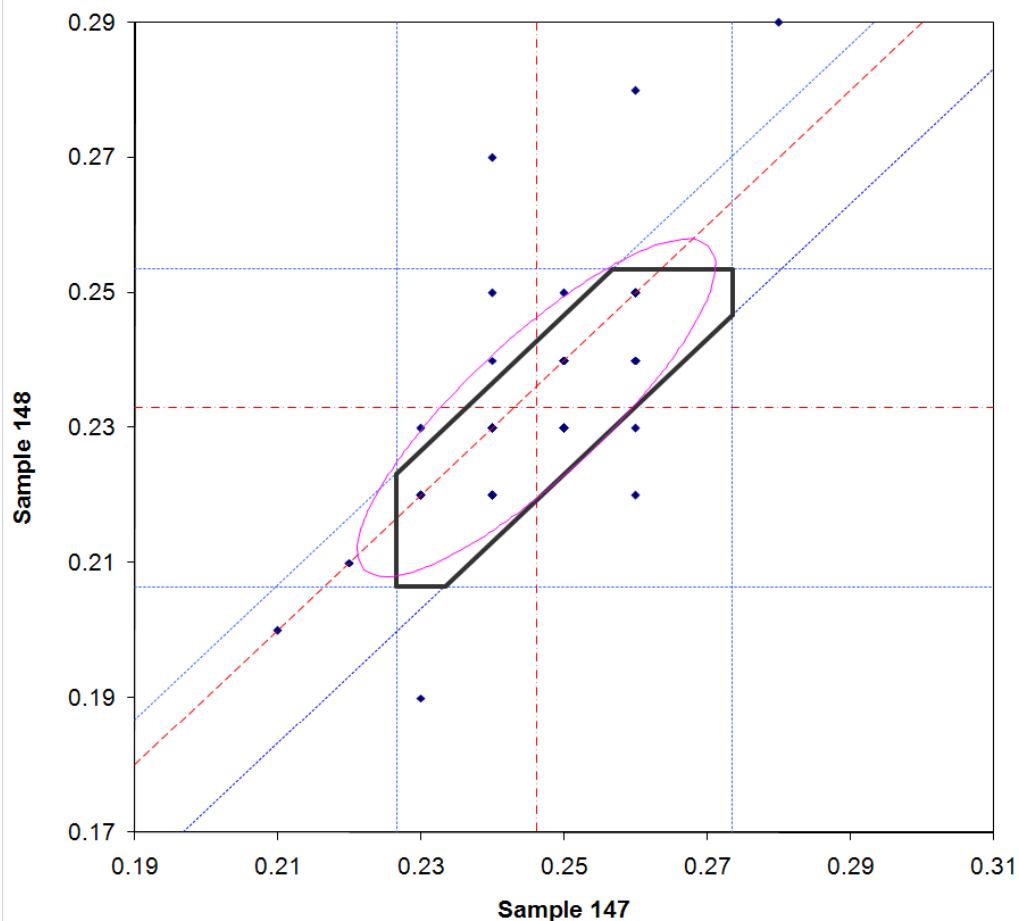
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.014	0.040	2.0	1.2

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.017	0.047	2.3

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.025	0.071	2.1

APPENDIX J: TITANIUM DIOXIDE (TiO₂)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: % Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 88 Total Laboratories
 10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 7 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 71 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

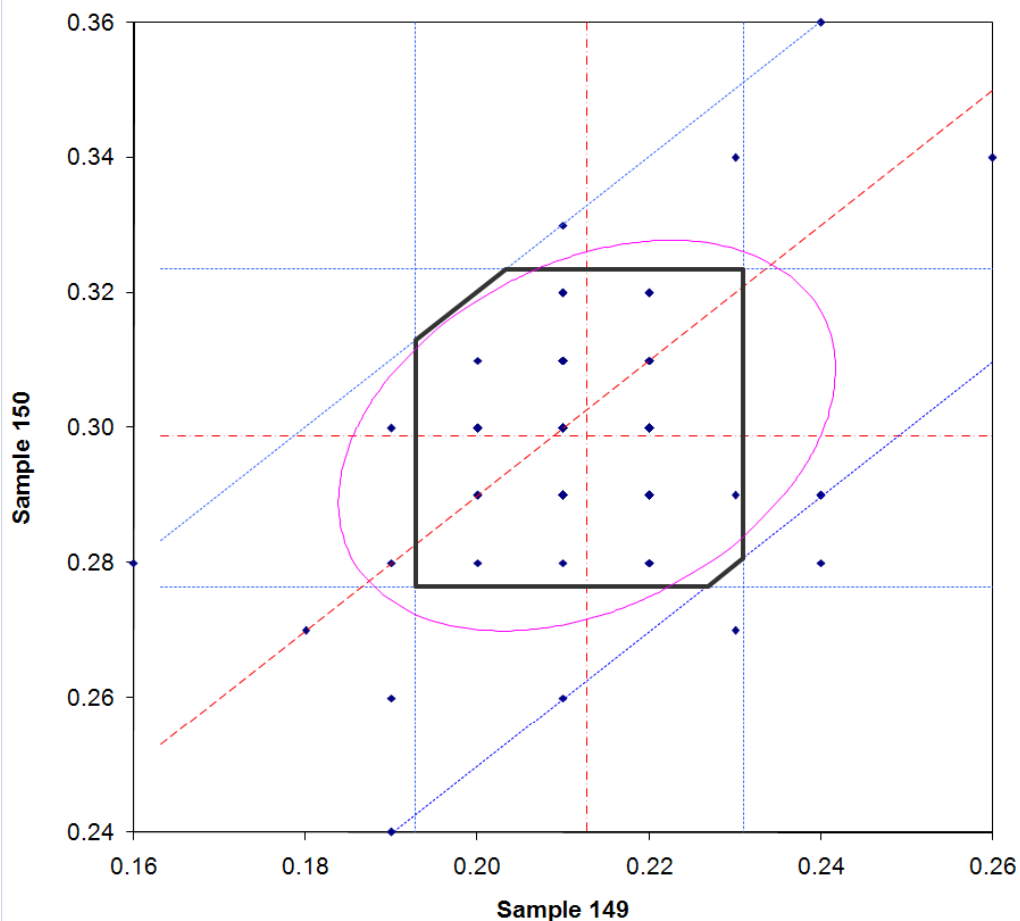
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
0.246	0.233

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.003	0.009	1.34	1.41

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.008	0.023	3.33

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.008	0.022	3.36

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂) %, Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation: 108 Total Laboratories
 8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 12 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 88 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

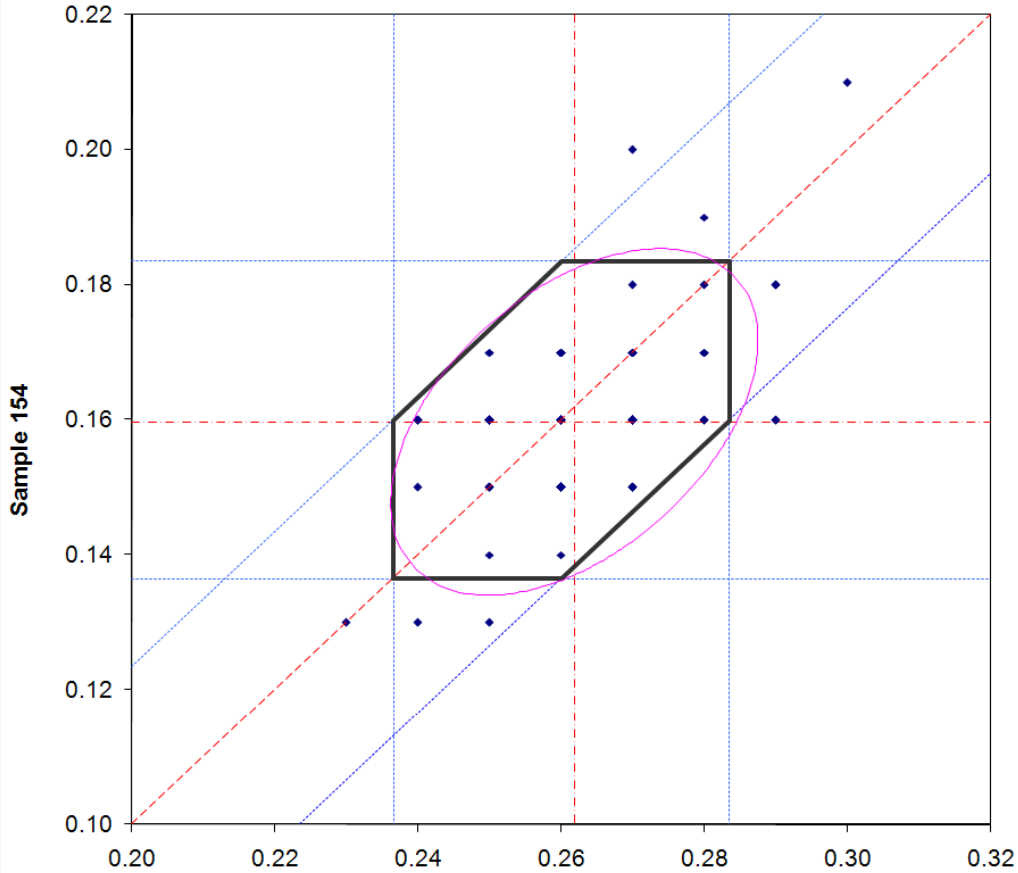
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
0.213	0.299

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.008	0.022	3.68	2.62

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.006	0.018	3.00

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.009	0.026	3.06

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: % Titanium Dioxide (TiO₂), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
 Final Report Issued Oct. 2004

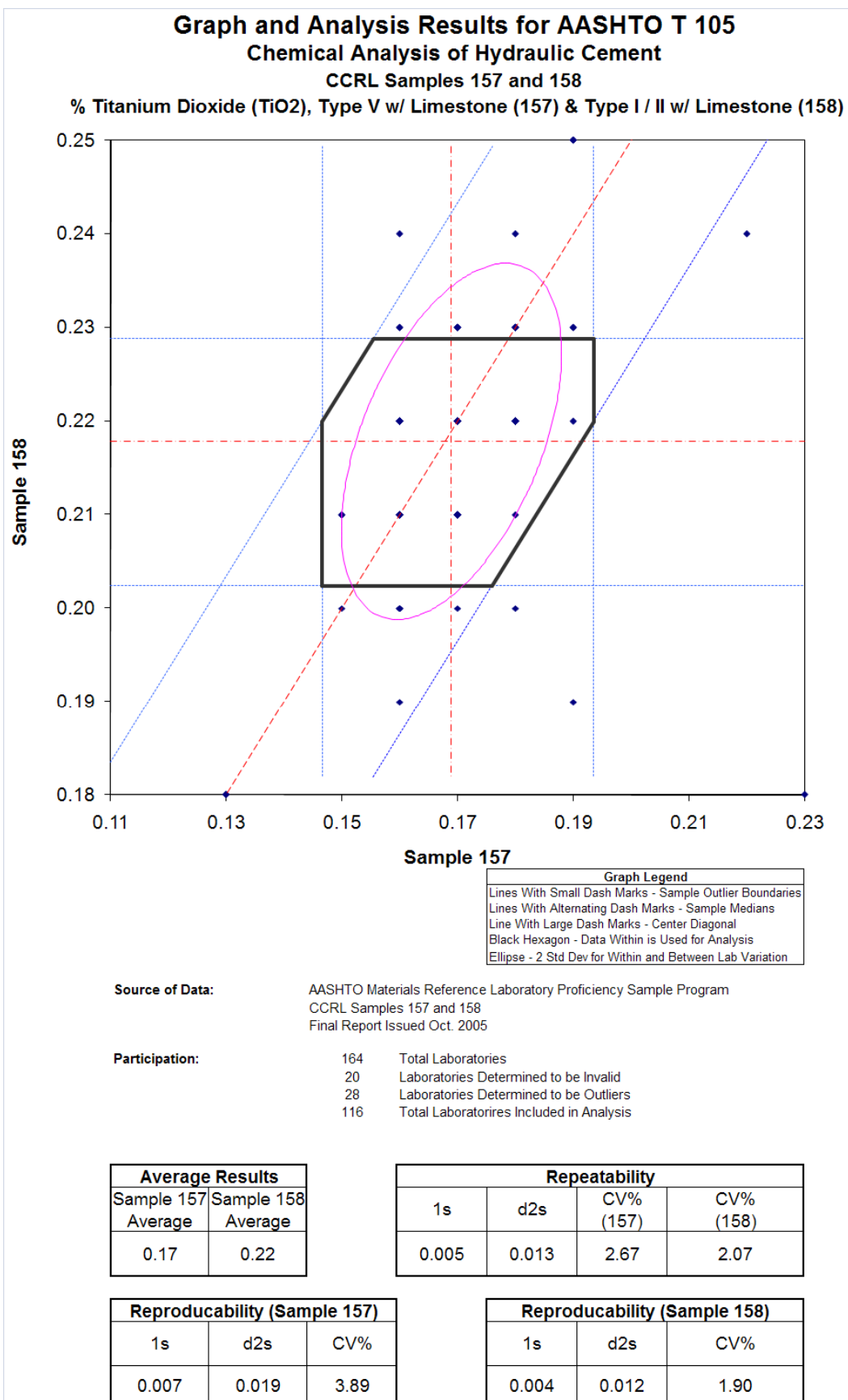
Participation: 158 Total Laboratories
 10 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 139 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

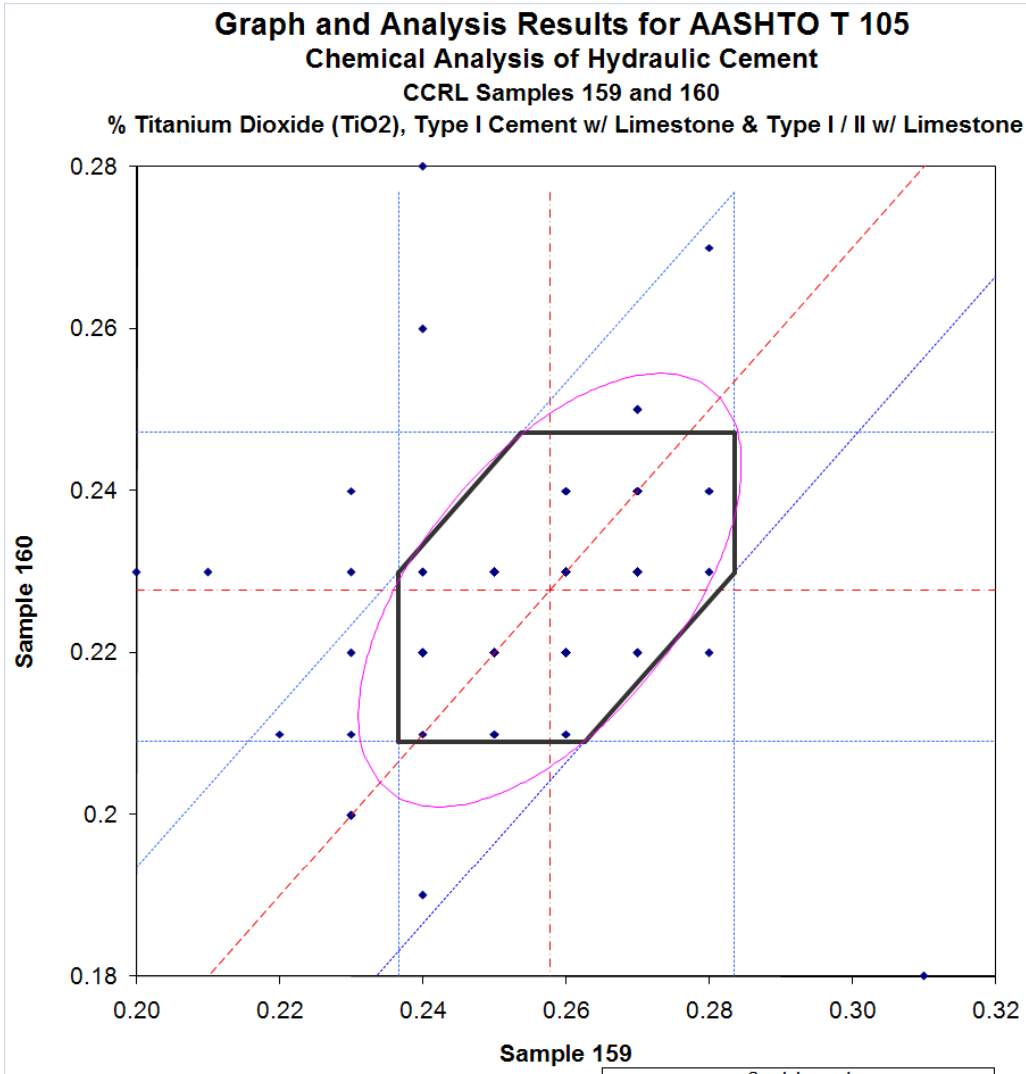
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
0.26	0.16

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.006	0.018	2.38	3.90

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.008	0.023	3.09

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.006	0.018	4.06





Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
Final Report Issued April 2006

Participation:

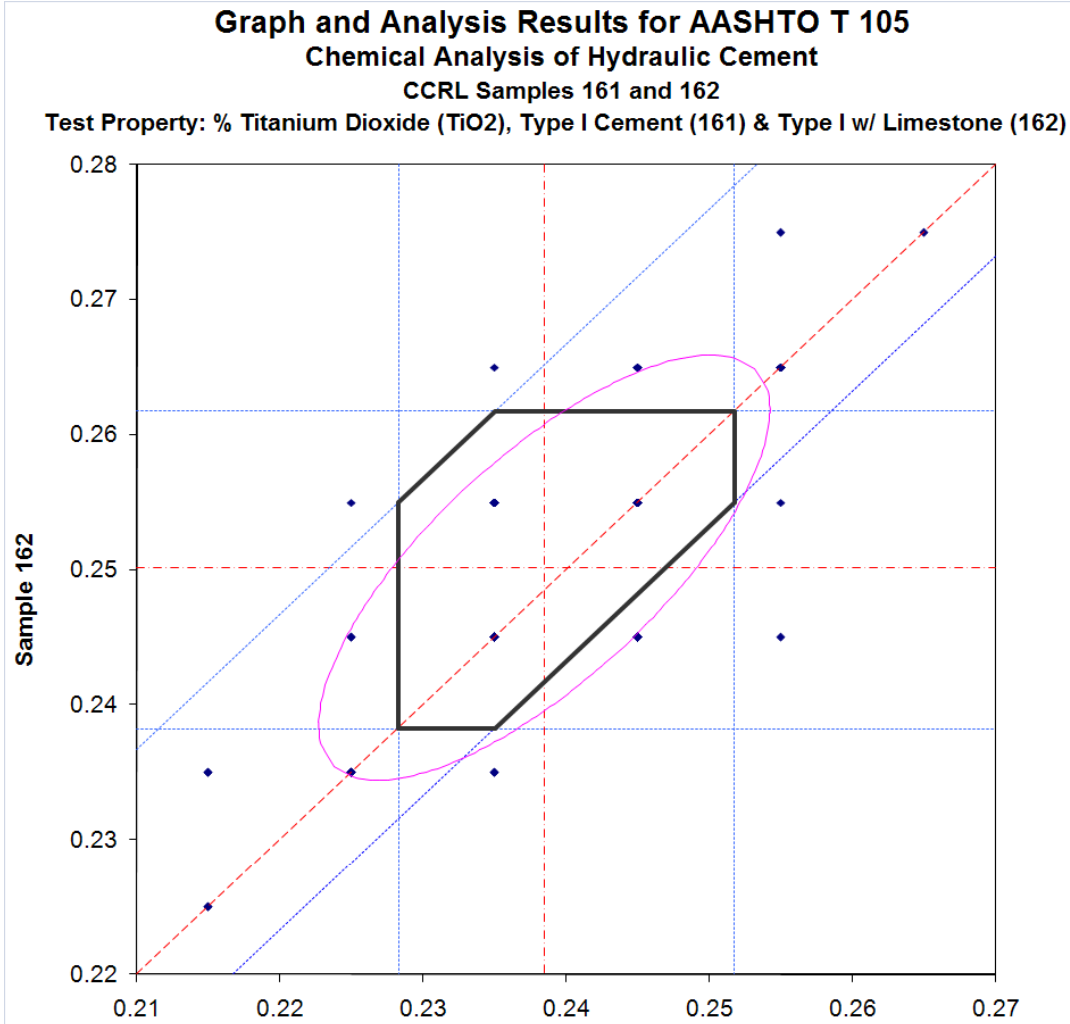
173	Total Laboratories
17	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
13	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
143	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
0.26	0.23

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.006	0.016	2.24	2.54

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.009	0.025	3.41

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.007	0.020	3.06



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct 2006

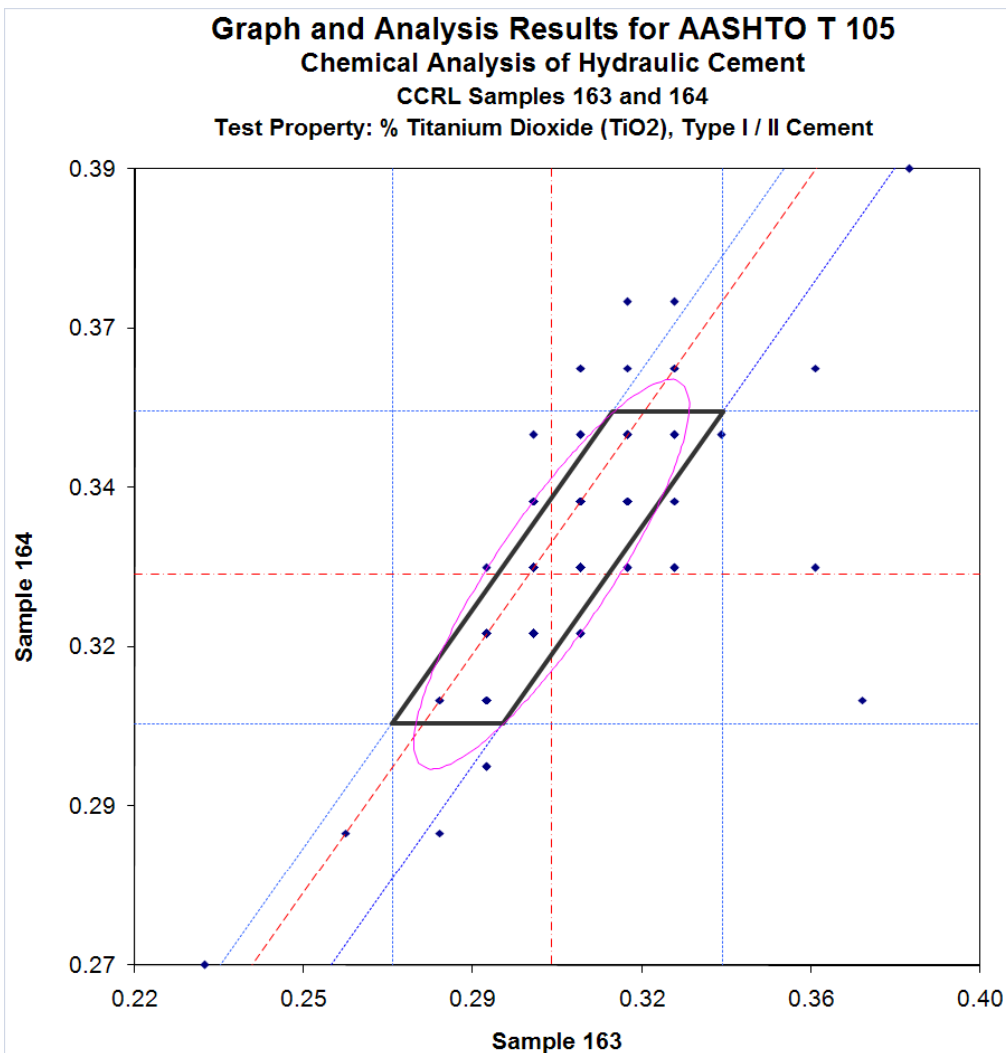
Participation: 175 Total Laboratories
12 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
47 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
116 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
0.23	0.25

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.003	0.008	1.15	1.09

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.005	0.014	2.04

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.005	0.014	2.05



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
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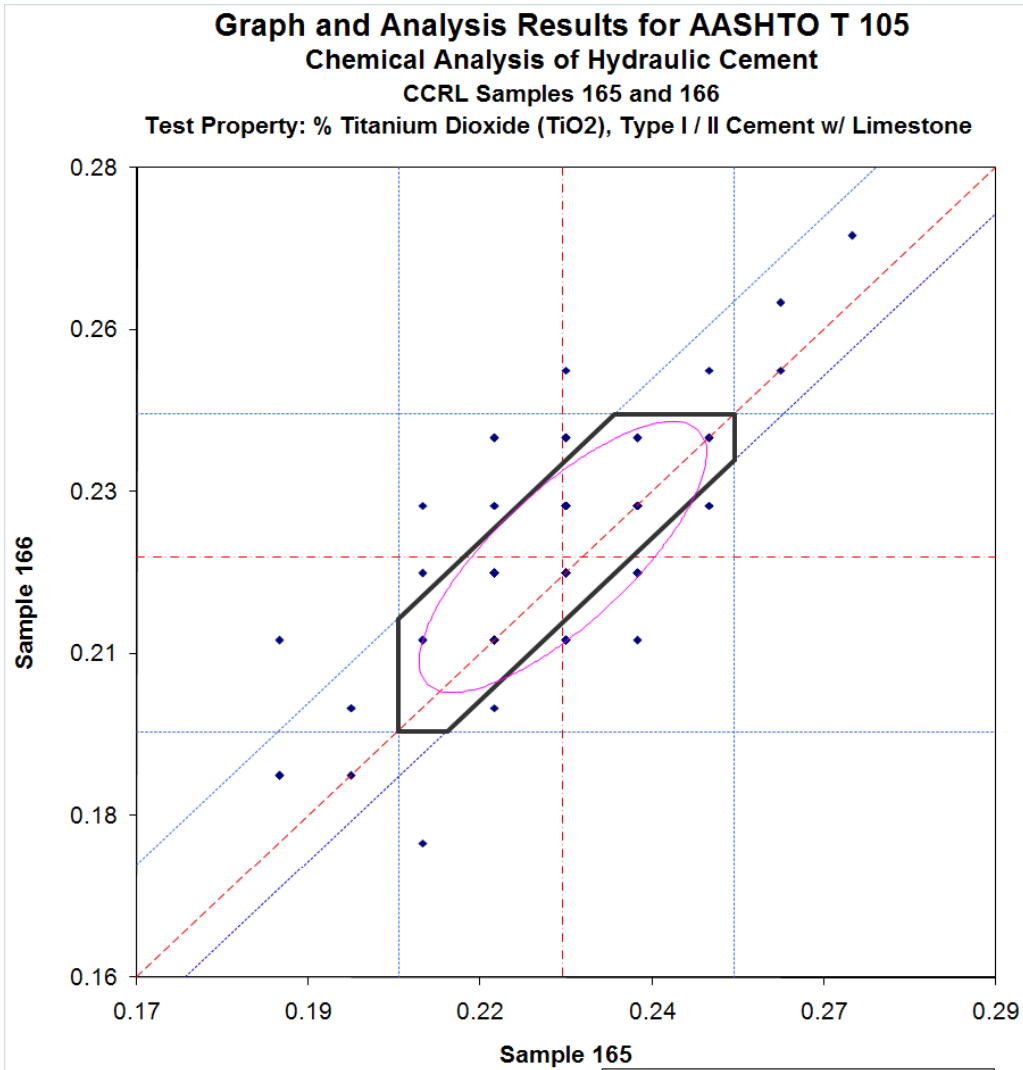
Participation: 167 Total Laboratories
16 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
25 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
126 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.30	0.33

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.004	0.010	1.17	1.08

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.009	0.026	3.08

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.010	0.027	2.90



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation: 182 Total Laboratories
11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
28 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
143 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

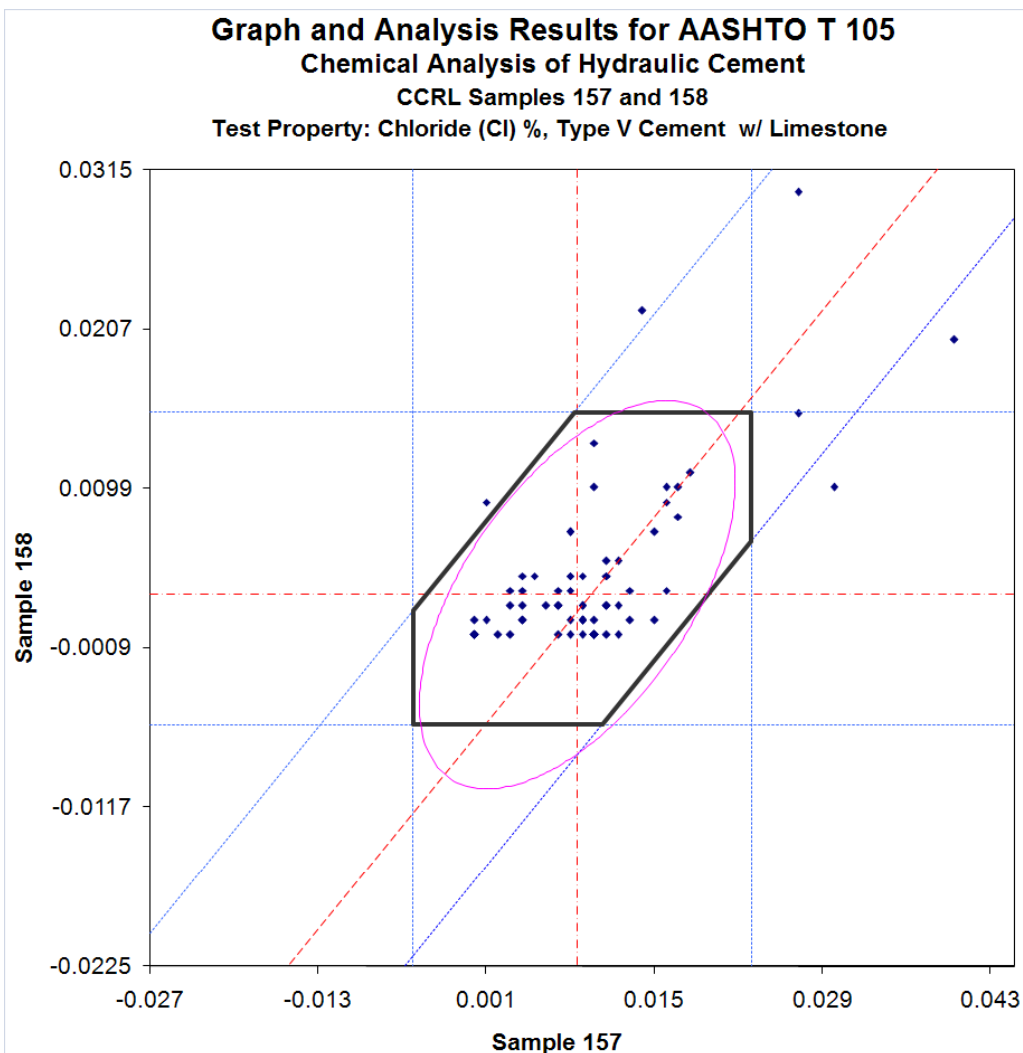
Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.23	0.22

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.003	0.009	1.4	1.4

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.006	0.018	2.7

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.006	0.018	2.9

APPENDIX K: CHLORIDE (CL)



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
Final Report Issued Oct. 2005

Participation: 76 Total Laboratories
6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
4 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
66 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

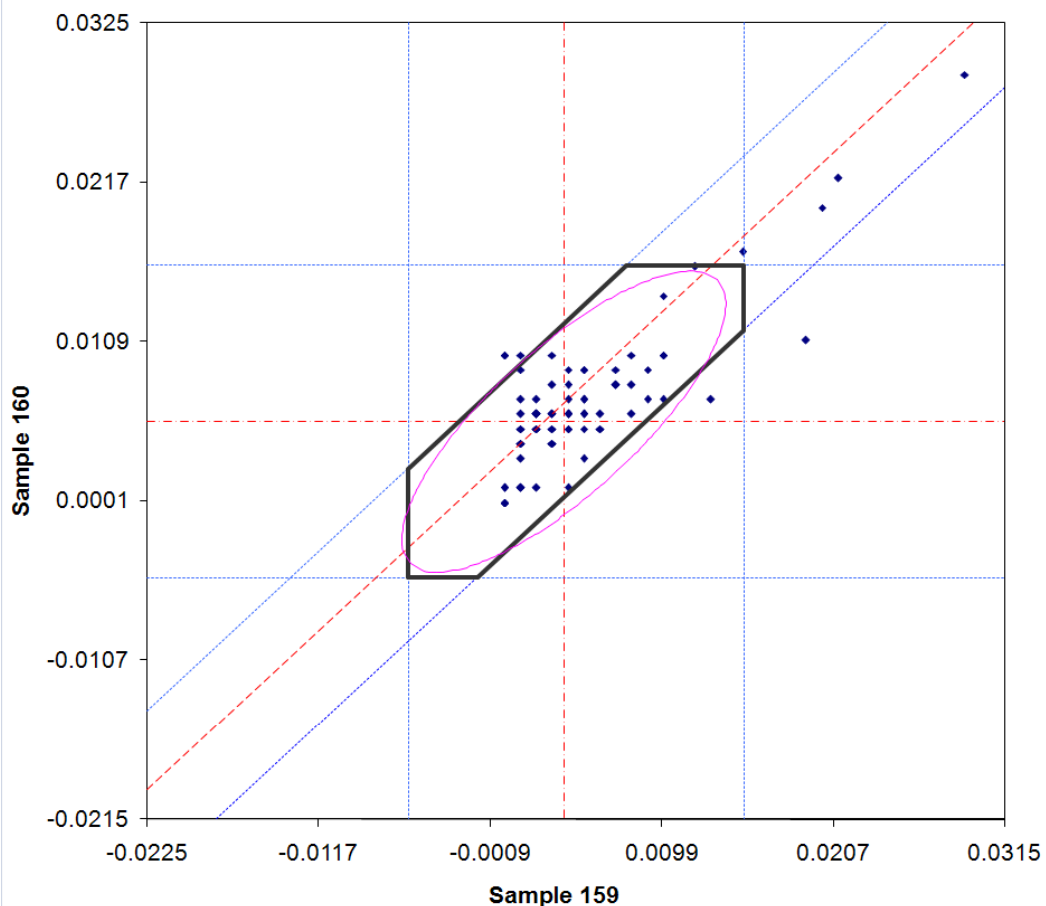
Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
0.009	0.003

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.0029	0.0081	33.4	105.2

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0045	0.0127	52.3

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0032	0.0090	116.8

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
Test Property: Chloride (Cl) %, Type I Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 159 and 160
 Final Report Issued April 2006

Participation: 87 Total Laboratories
 2 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 76 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

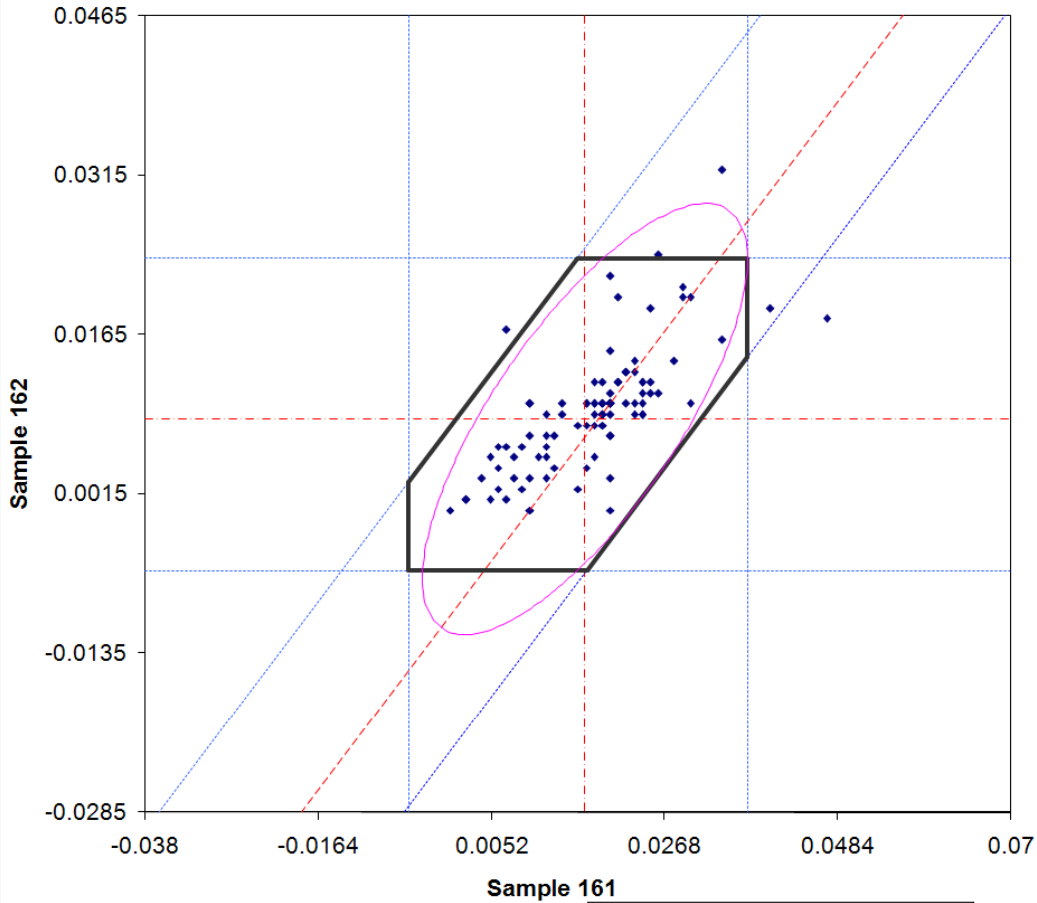
Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
0.004	0.005

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.0016	0.0045	42.3	28.8

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0031	0.0087	82.0

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0034	0.0095	61.1

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Test Property: Chloride (Cl) %, Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 161 and 162
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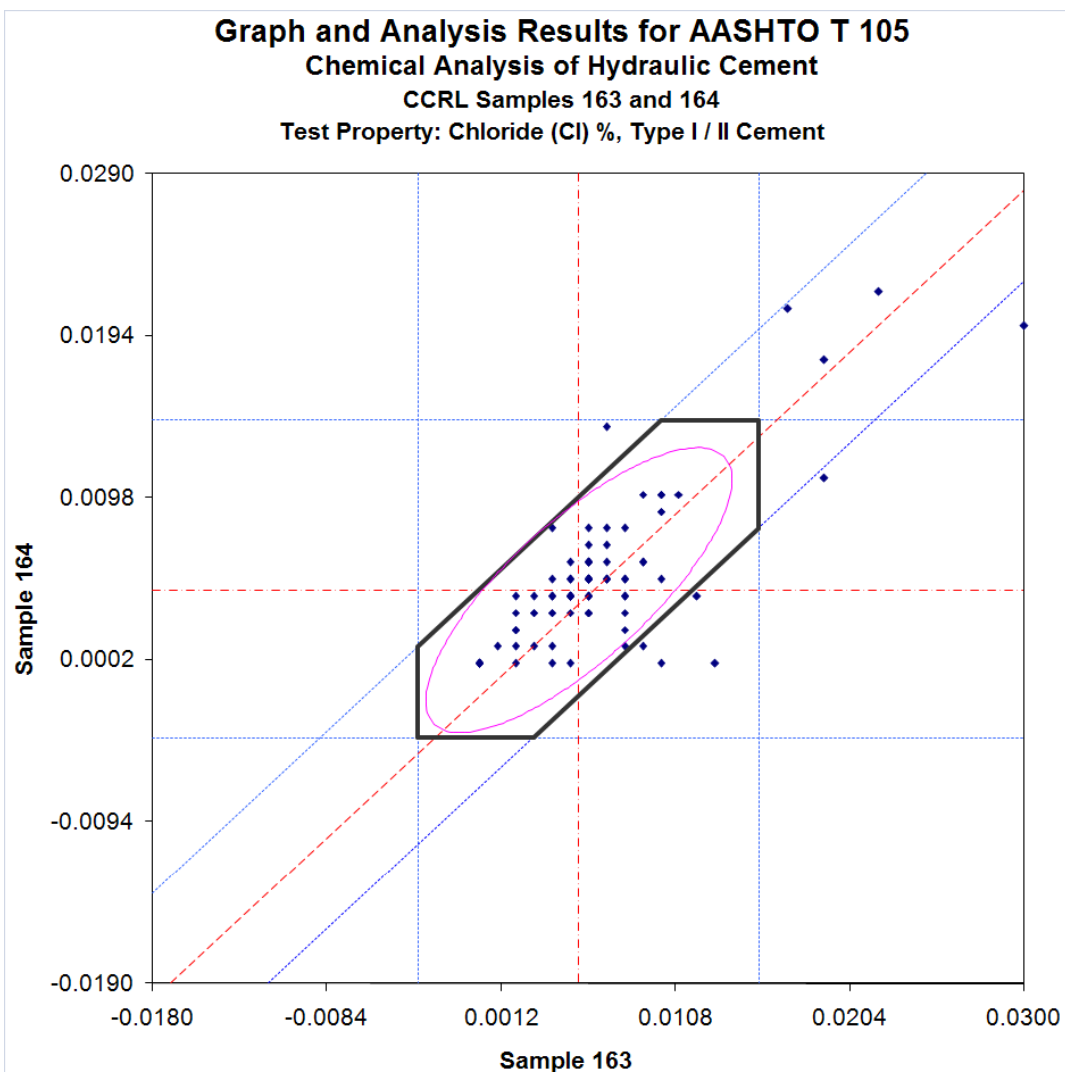
Participation: 100 Total Laboratories
 5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 5 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 90 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
0.017	0.009

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.0034	0.0097	20.3	39.9

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0074	0.0209	43.9

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0050	0.0142	58.7



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Final Report Issued April 2007

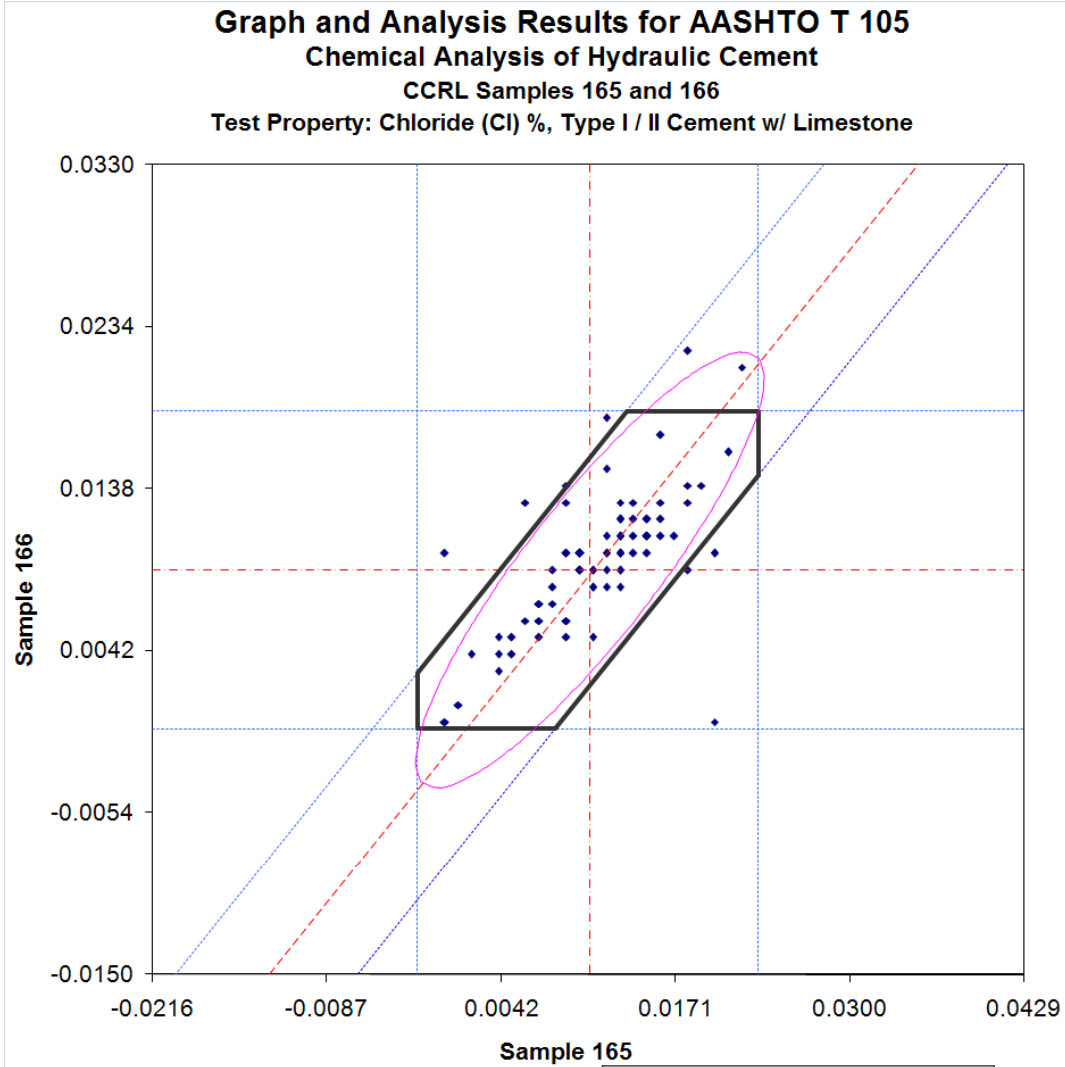
Participation: 95 Total Laboratories
6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
9 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
80 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.005	0.004

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.0013	0.0038	24.2	30.6

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0027	0.0075	48.5

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0026	0.0075	60.9



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Final Report Issued Sept. 2007

Participation: 94 Total Laboratories
3 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
9 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
82 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.011	0.009

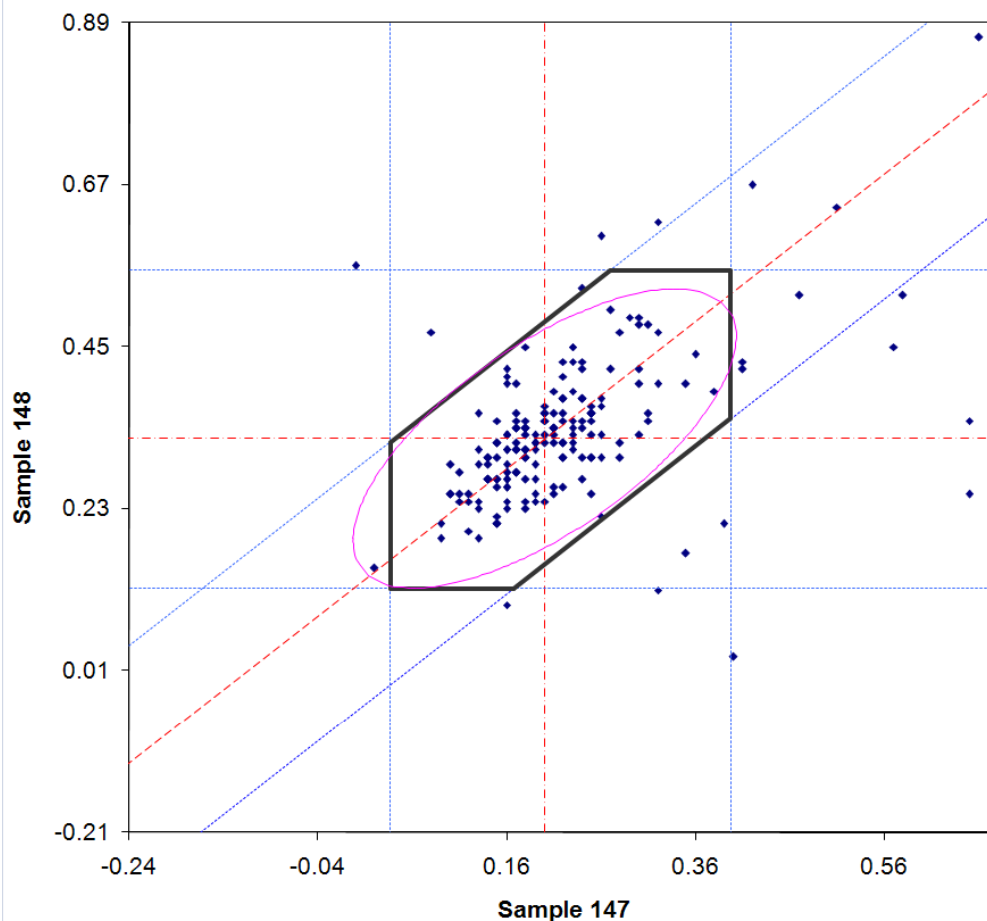
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.0015	0.0042	13.8	16.5

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0046	0.0131	42.9

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.0037	0.0103	40.6

APPENDIX L: INSOLUABLE RESIDUE

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 147 and 148
Test Property: Insoluble Residue (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
 Final Report Issued March 2003

Participation: 183 Total Laboratories
 9 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 160 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

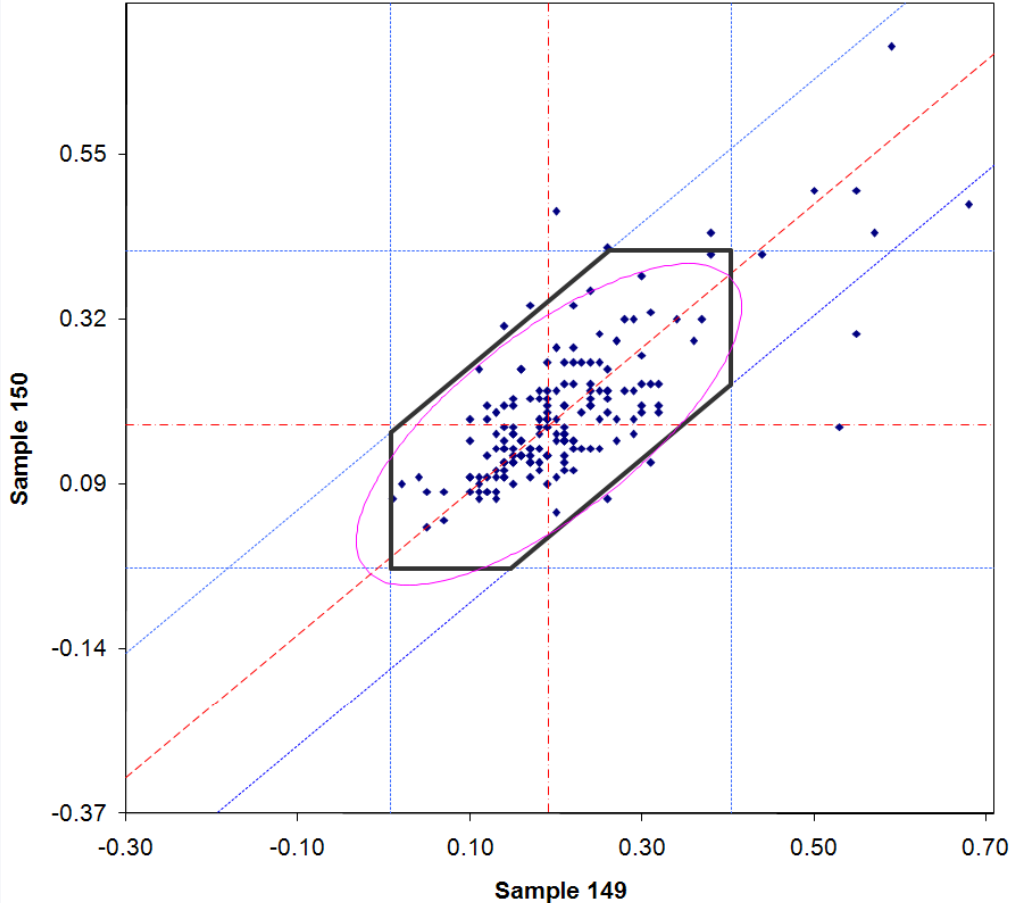
Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
0.20	0.33

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.04	0.11	19.05	11.71

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.06	0.16	28.43

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.19	20.52

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Test Property: Insoluble Residue (%), Type I Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 149 and 150
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

183	Total Laboratories
5	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
12	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
166	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

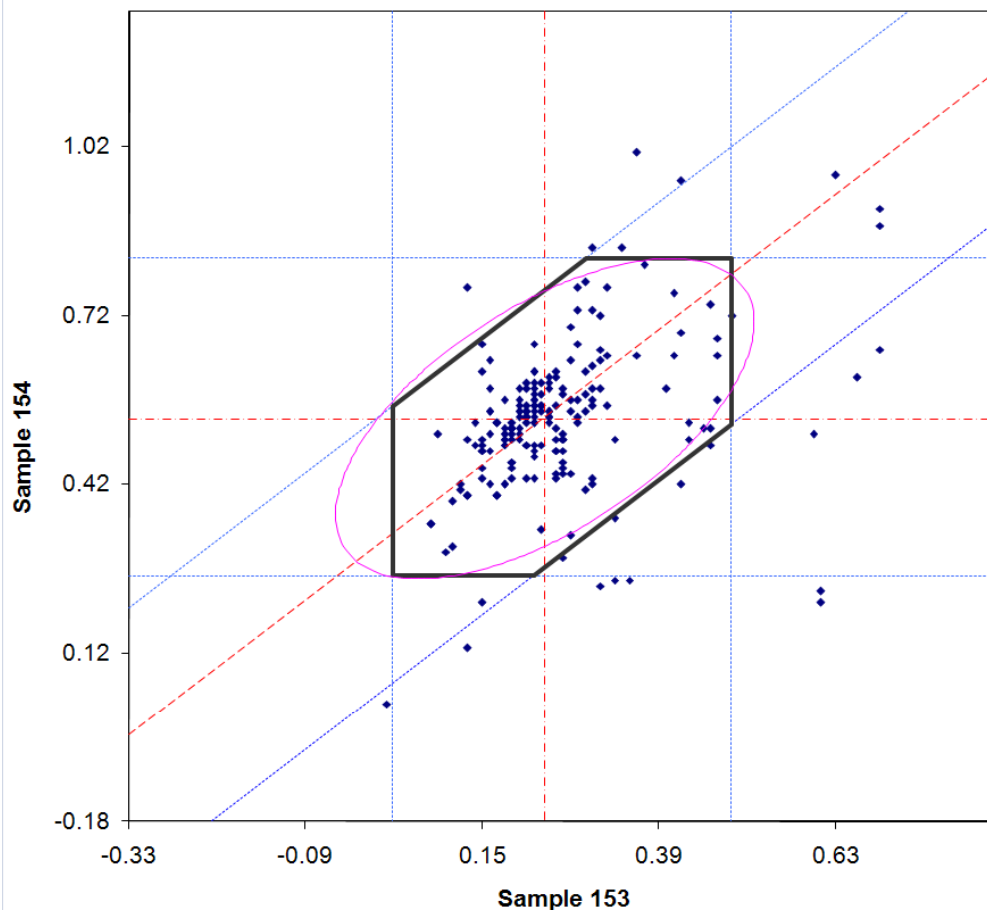
Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
0.19	0.17

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.04	0.11	20.27	22.37

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.19	35.51

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.20	40.86

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
Test Property: Insoluble Residue (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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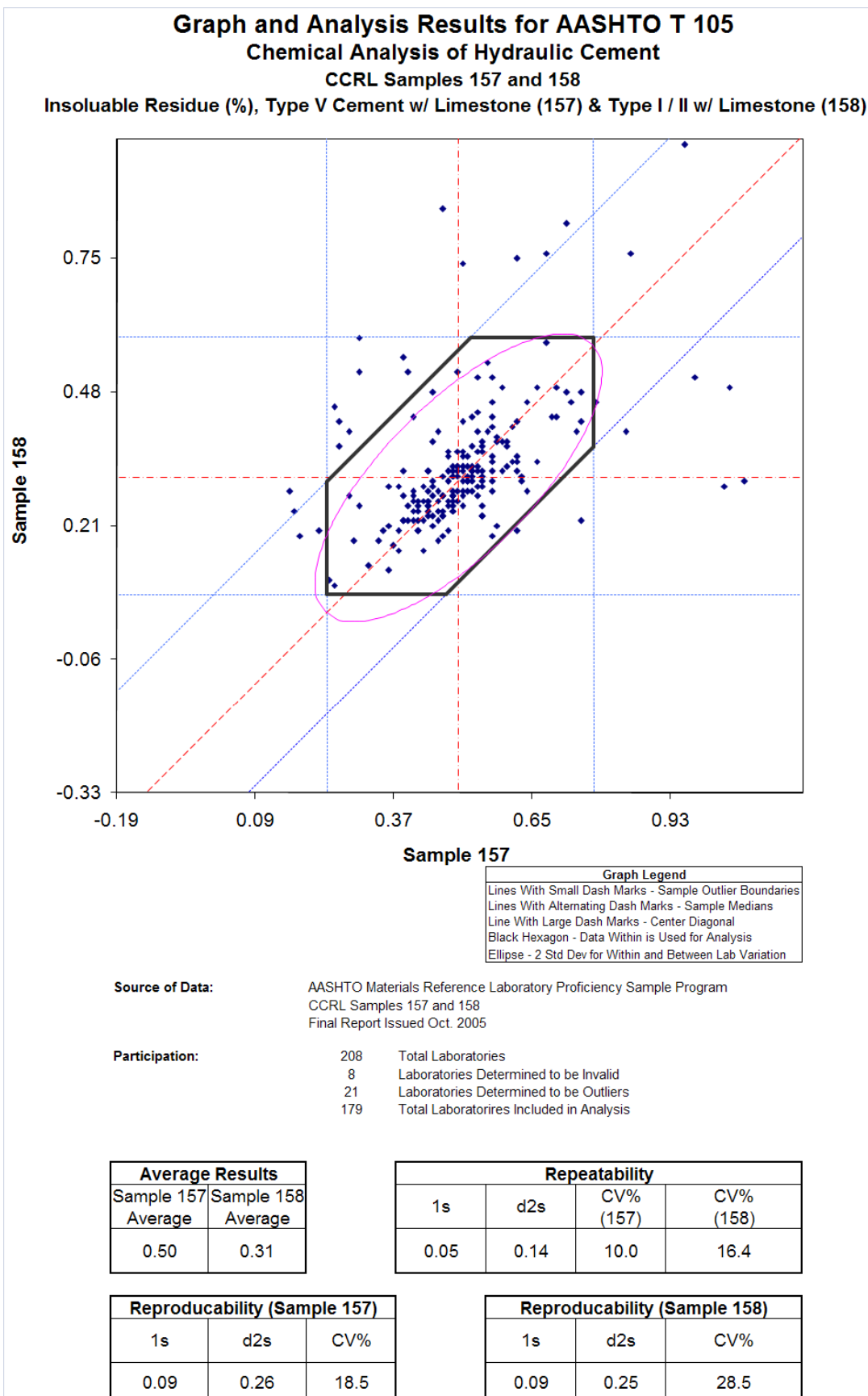
Participation: 202 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 21 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 175 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

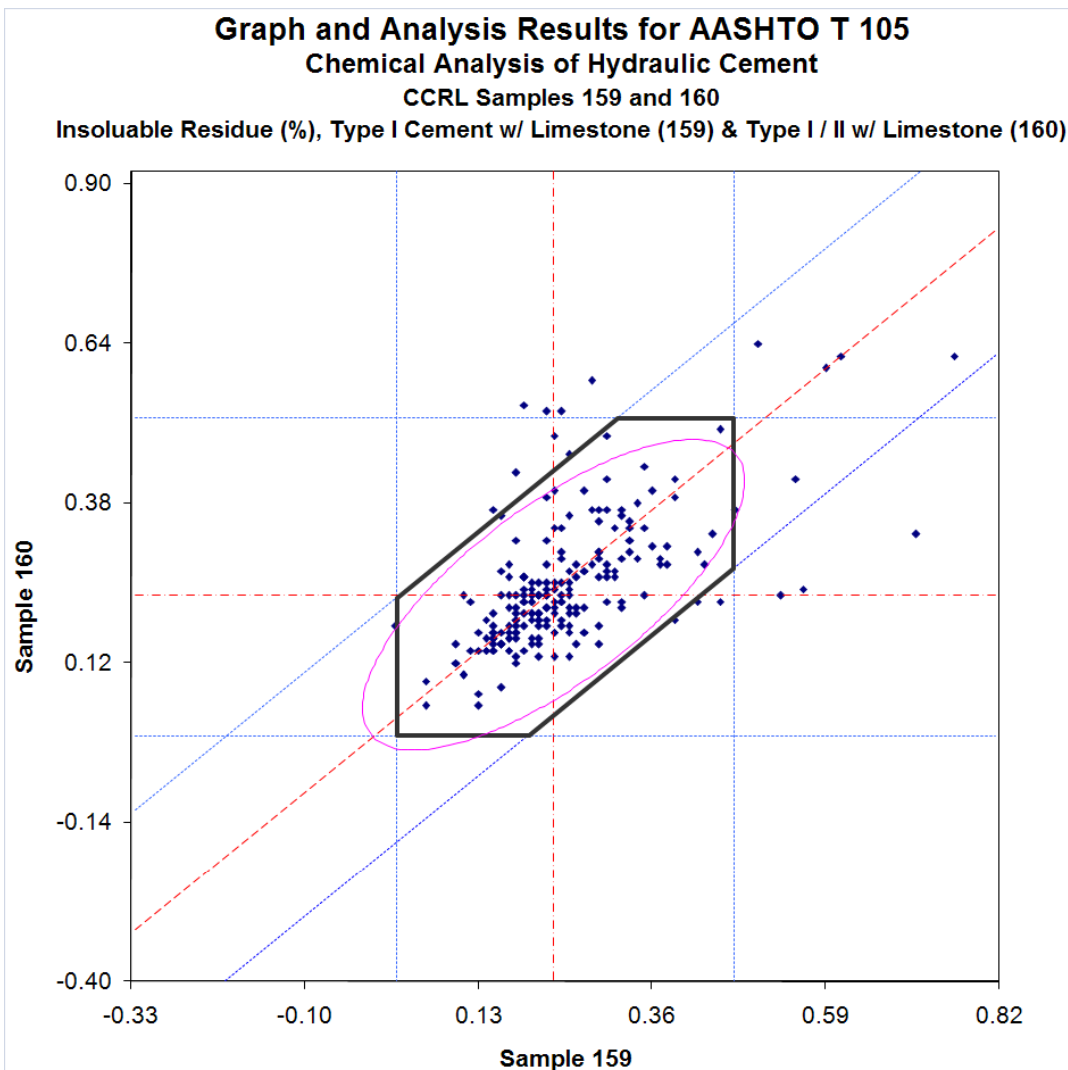
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
0.23	0.54

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.06	0.17	25.44	11.12

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.22	33.28

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.26	16.98





Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
Final Report Issued April 2006

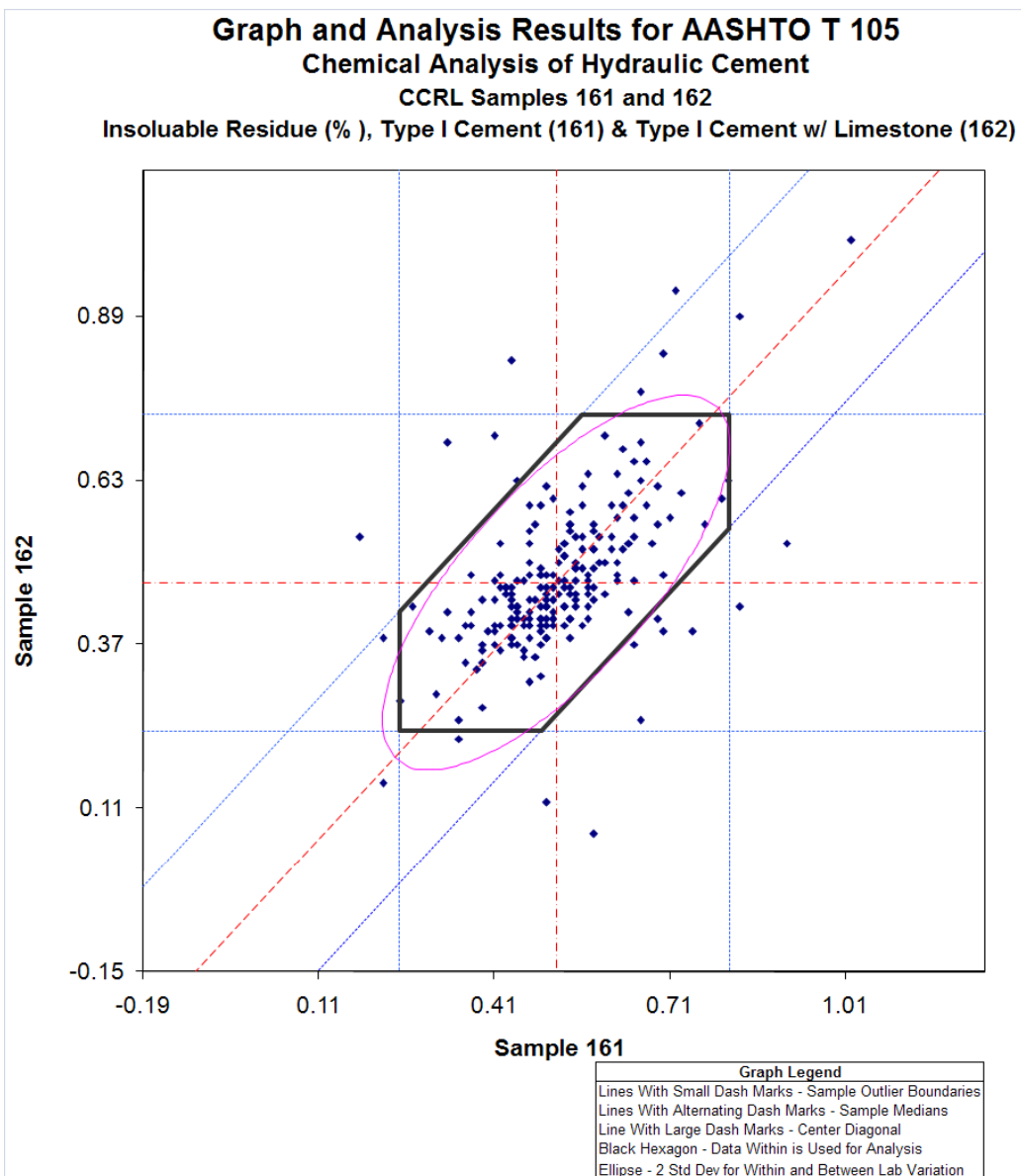
Participation: 212 Total Laboratories
4 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
189 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
0.23	0.23

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.04	0.12	19.02	18.9

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	32.5

Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.23	35.7



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
Final Report Issued Oct 2006

Participation:

220	Total Laboratories
6	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
17	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
197	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

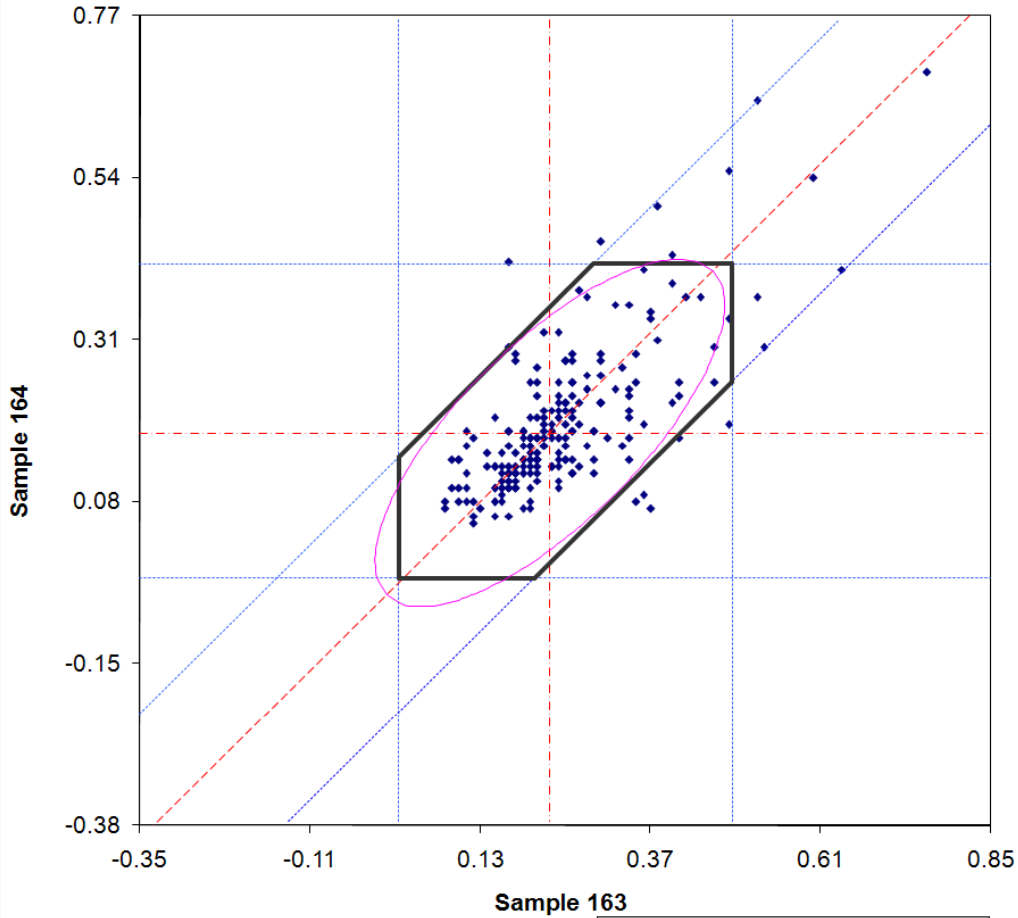
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
0.52	0.47

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.05	0.14	9.86	10.88

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.10	0.27	18.67

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.25	18.81

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
Insoluble Residue (%), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 221 Total Laboratories
 8 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 15 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 198 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

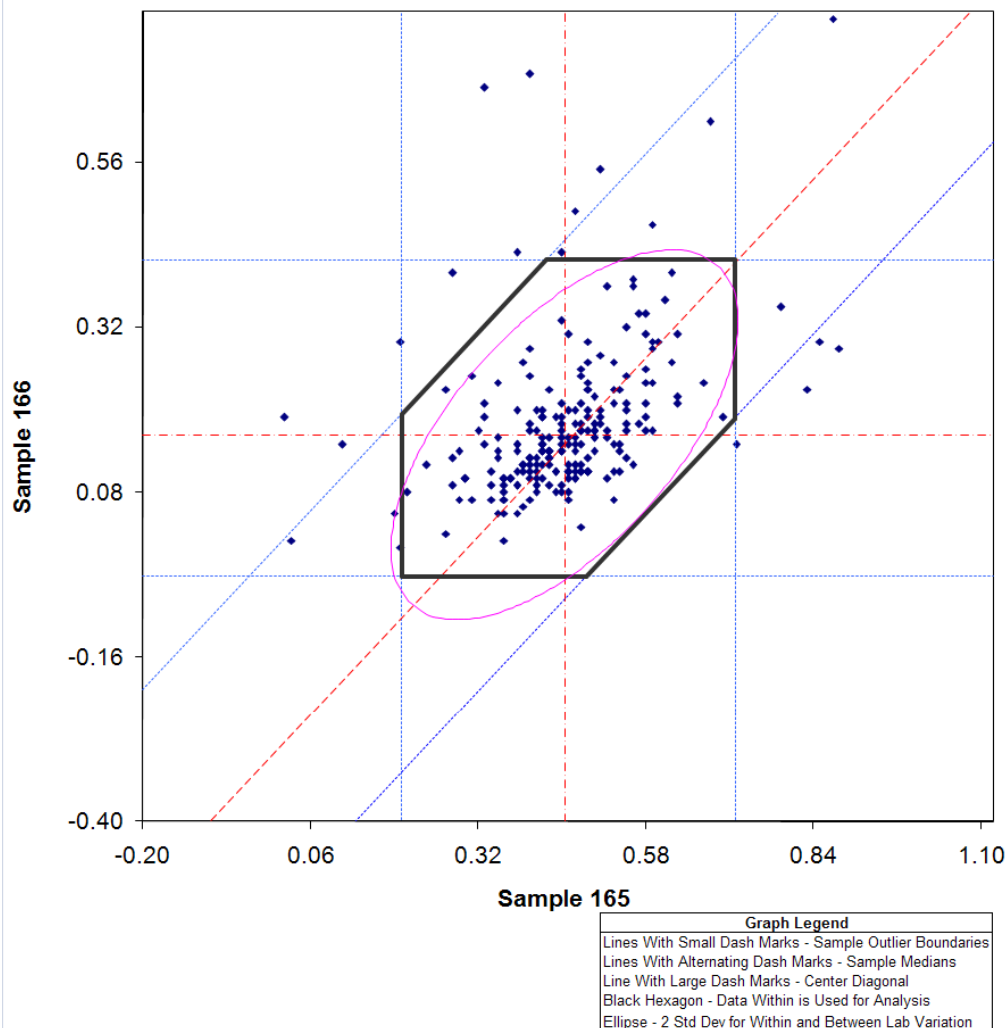
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.23	0.18

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.04	0.12	18.44	23.64

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.22	34.25

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.08	0.21	42.22

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
Insoluble Residue (%), Type I / II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued September 2007

Participation:

228	Total Laboratories
8	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
18	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
202	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.45	0.16

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.06	0.16	12.19	33.75

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.09	0.24	19.00

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.07	0.21	45.62

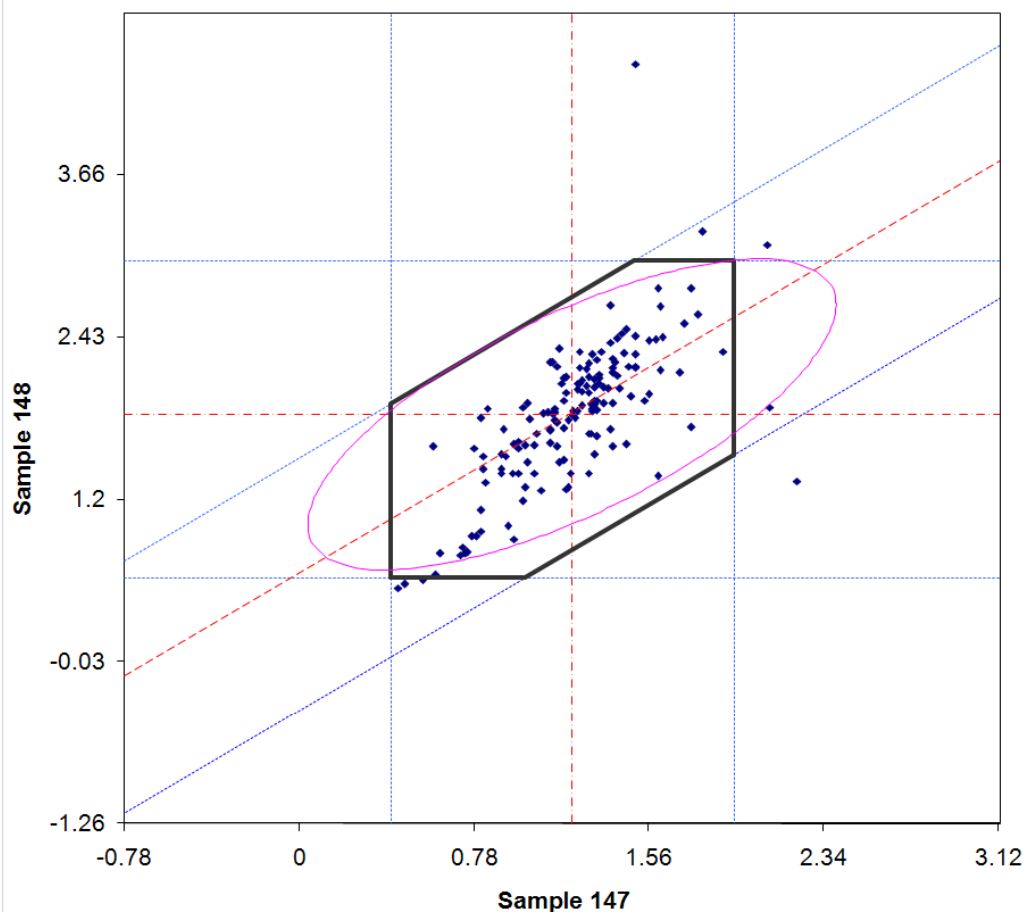
APPENDIX M: FREE CALCIUM OXIDE (CX)

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105

Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement

CCRL Samples 147 and 148

Test Property: % Free Calcium Oxide (Free CaO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 147 and 148
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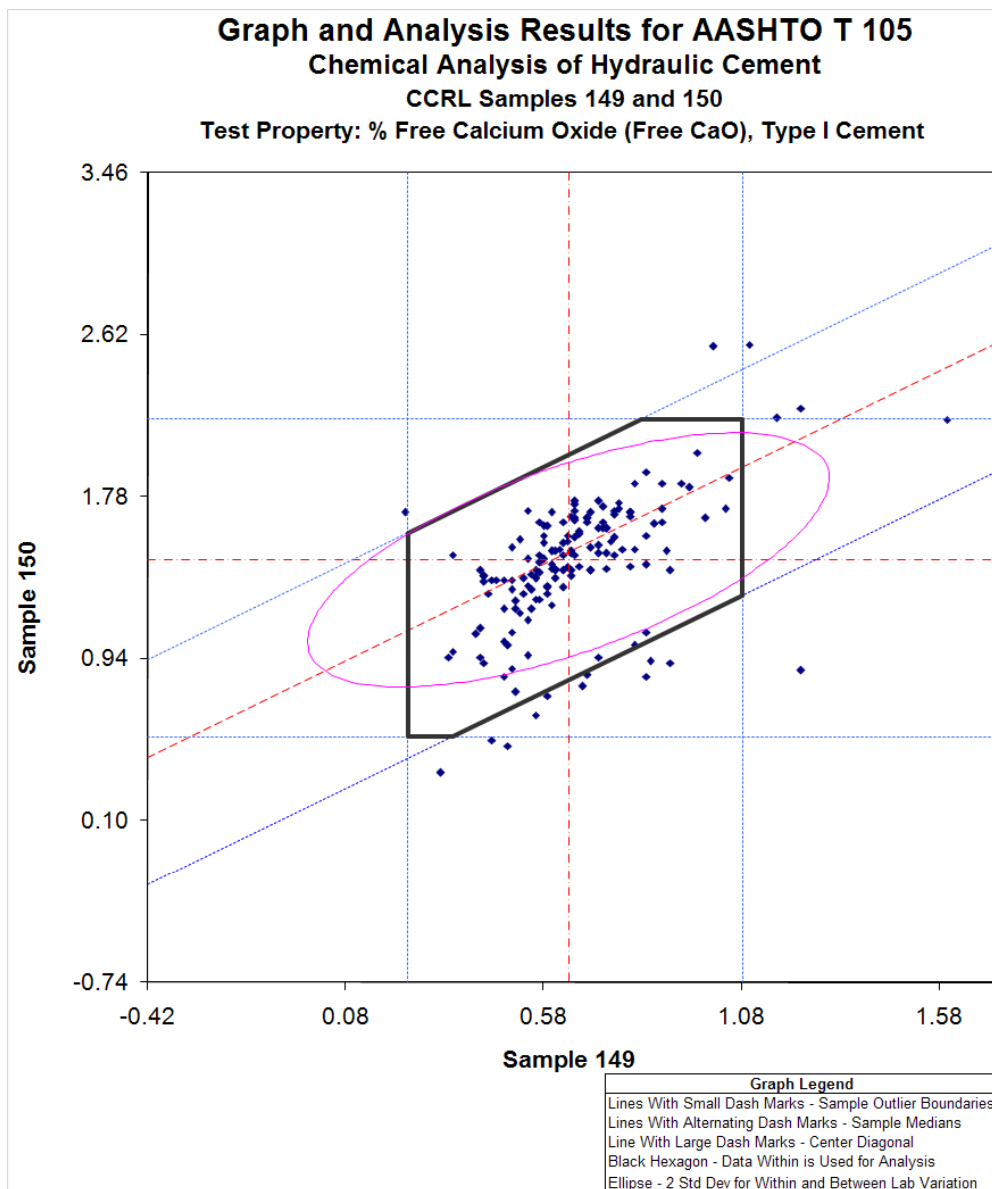
Participation: 155 Total Laboratories
 1 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 7 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 147 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 147	Sample 148
Average	Average
1.22	1.84

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (147)	CV% (148)
0.21	0.60	17.41	11.48

Reproducibility (Sample 147)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.26	0.73	21.15

Reproducibility (Sample 148)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.44	1.26	24.10



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 149 and 150
Final Report Issued Sept. 2003

Participation:

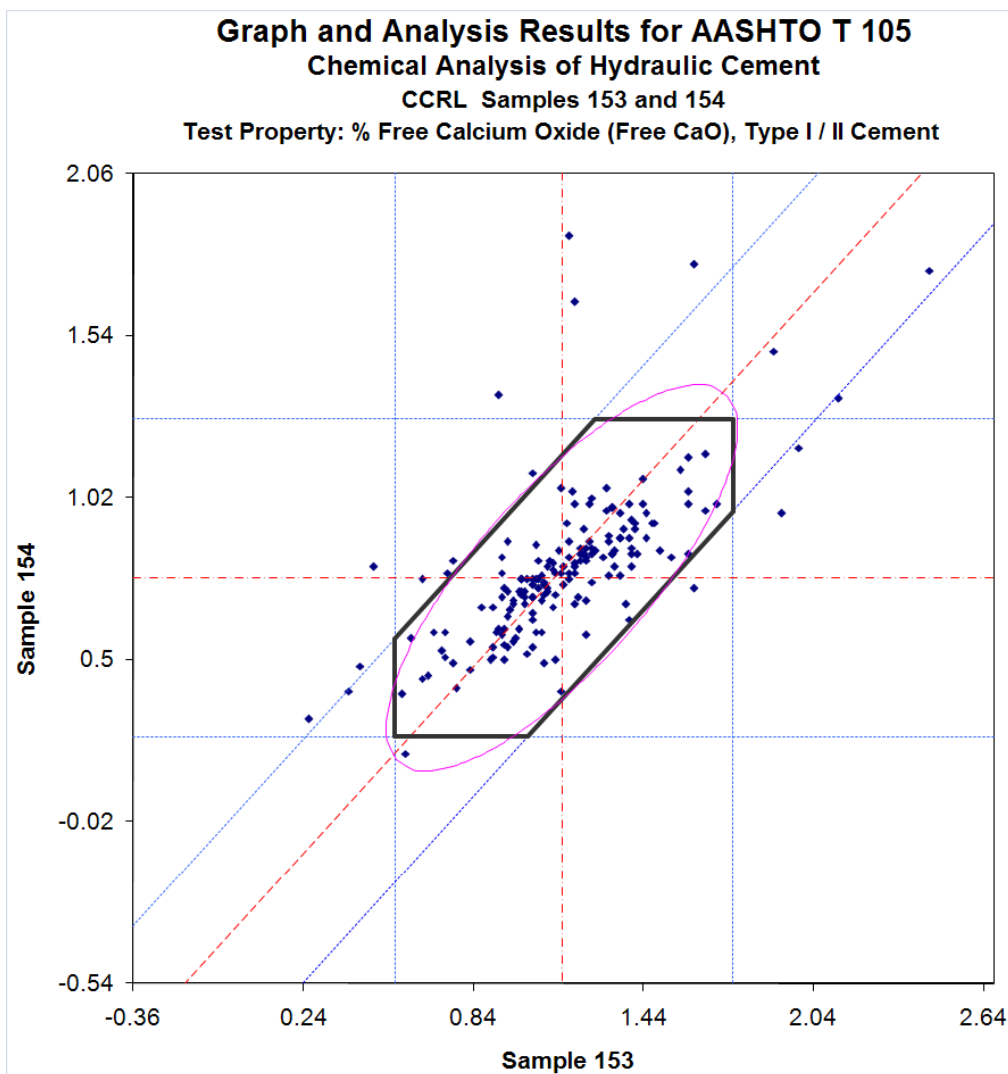
159	Total Laboratories
4	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
15	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
140	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 149	Sample 150
Average	Average
0.64	1.45

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (149)	CV% (150)
0.13	0.37	20.42	9.03

Reproducibility (Sample 149)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.14	0.41	22.54

Reproducibility (Sample 150)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.24	0.68	16.61



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 153 and 154
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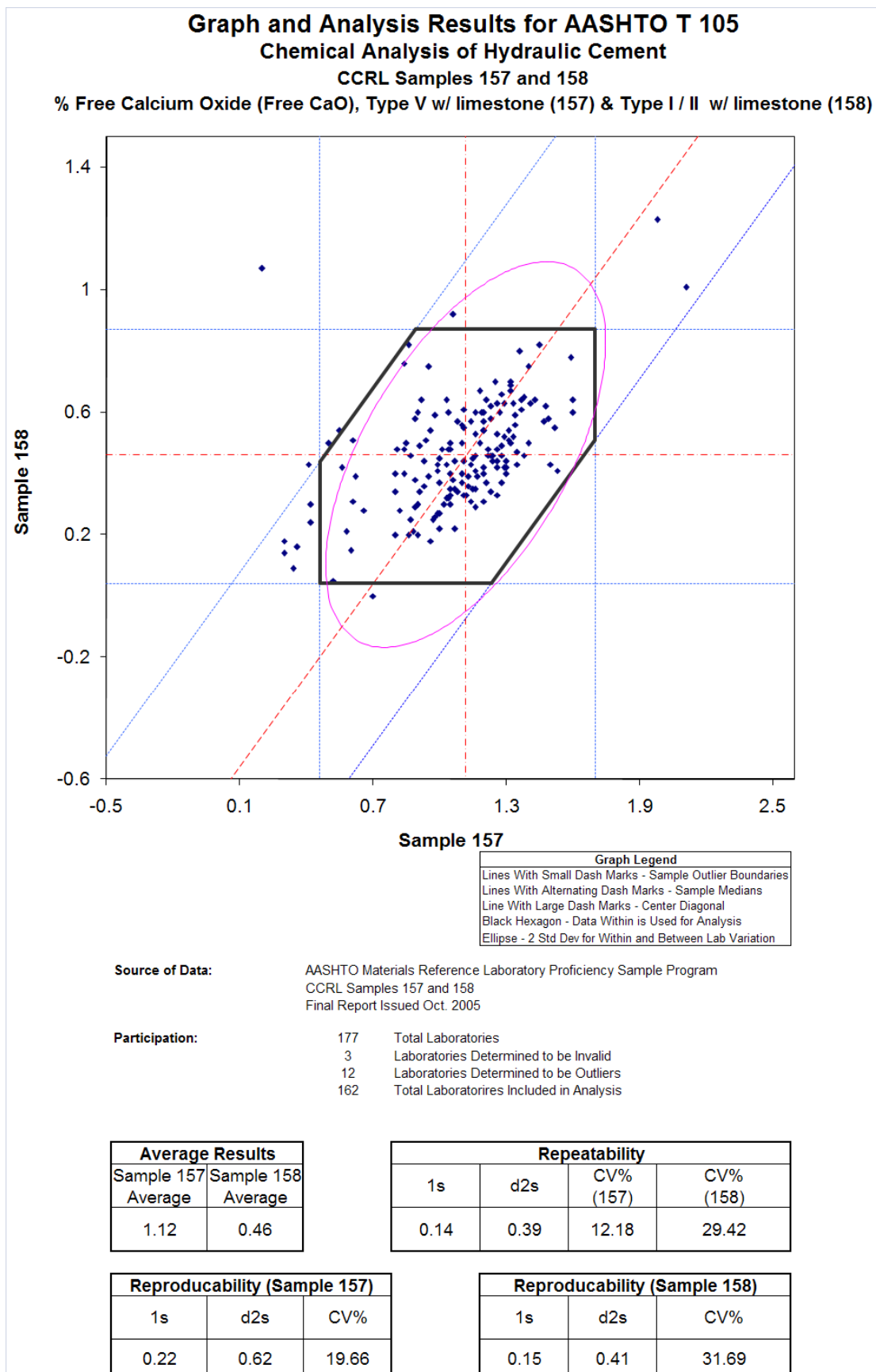
Participation: 179 Total Laboratories
5 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
14 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
160 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

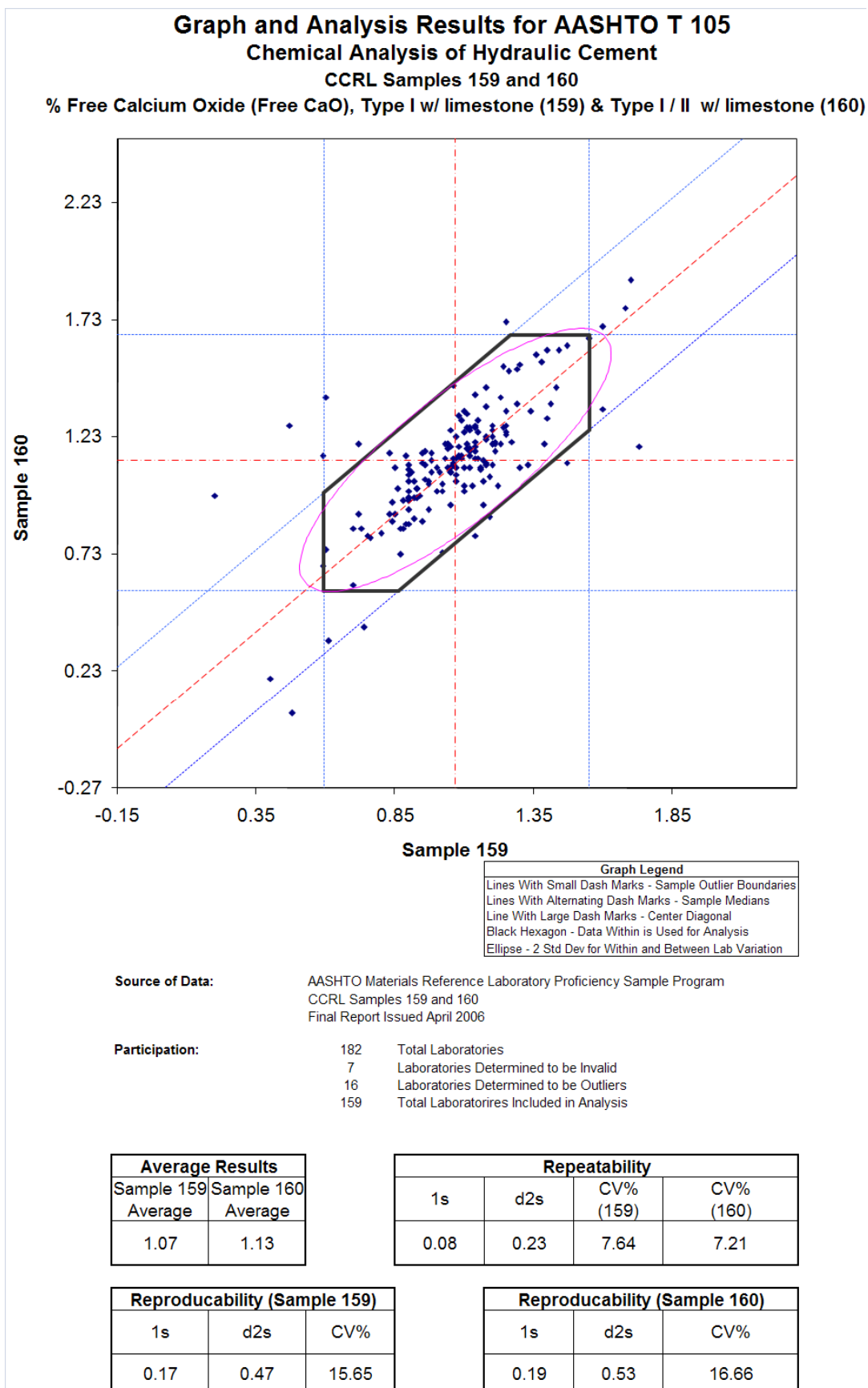
Average Results	
Sample 153	Sample 154
Average	Average
1.15	0.76

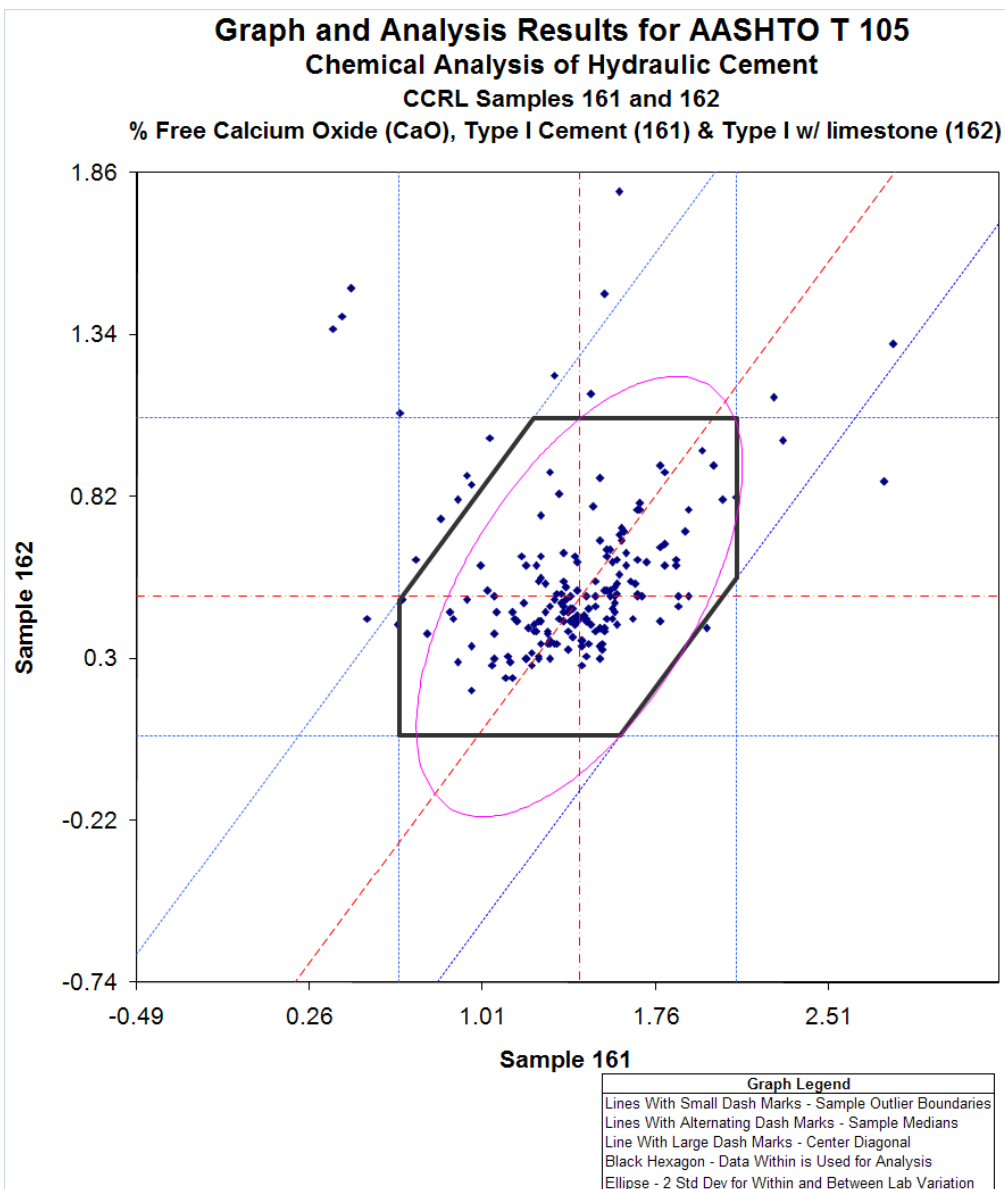
Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (153)	CV% (154)
0.10	0.28	8.44	12.75

Reproducibility (Sample 153)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.63	19.21

Reproducibility (Sample 154)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.16	0.46	21.47







Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 161 and 162
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Participation:

188	Total Laboratories
6	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
15	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
167	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

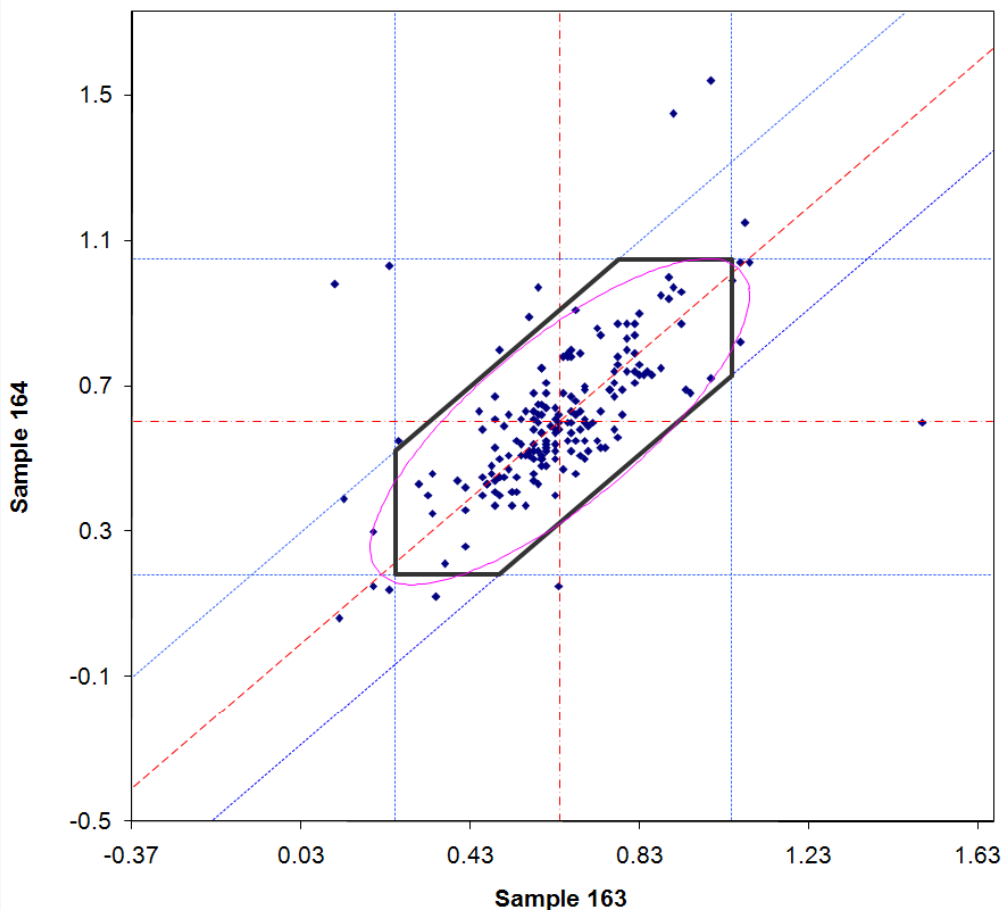
Average Results	
Sample 161	Sample 162
Average	Average
1.43	0.50

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (161)	CV% (162)
0.15	0.43	10.54	30.09

Reproducibility (Sample 161)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.25	0.71	17.68

Reproducibility (Sample 162)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.16	0.44	31.38

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 163 and 164
% Free Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I / II Cement



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 163 and 164
 Final Report Issued April 2007

Participation: 192 Total Laboratories
 6 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 16 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 170 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

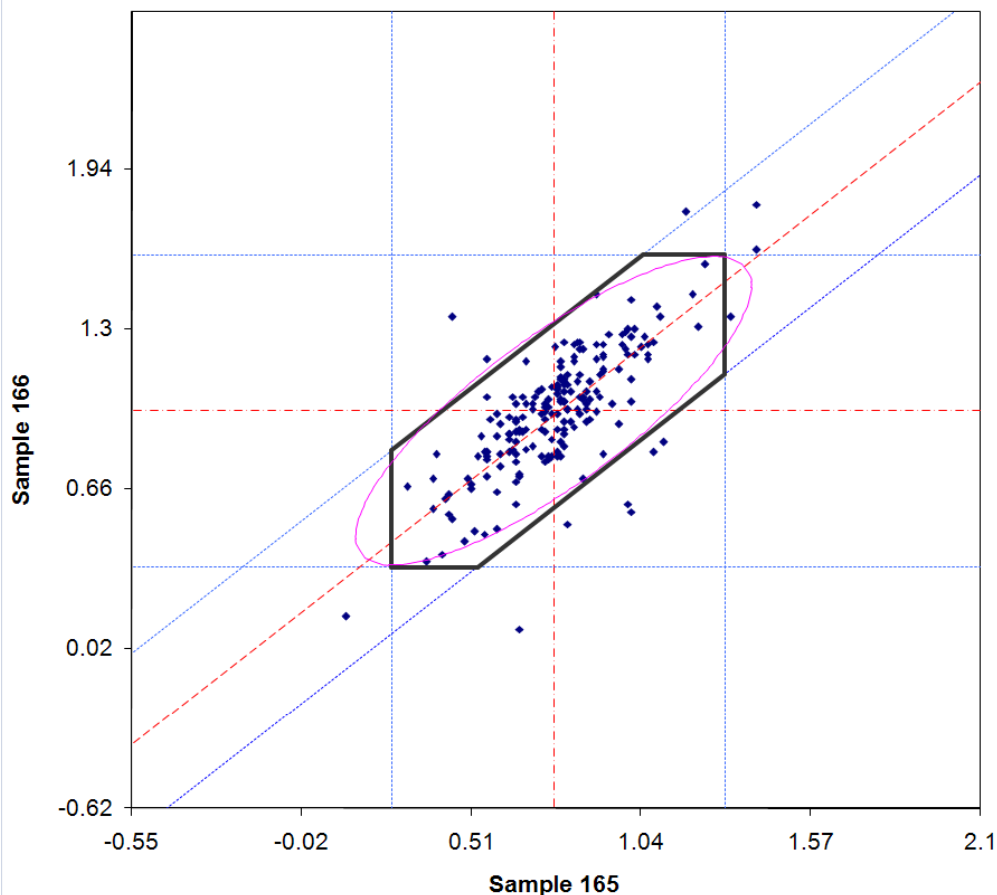
Average Results	
Sample 163	Sample 164
Average	Average
0.64	0.60

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (163)	CV% (164)
0.07	0.20	10.89	11.62

Reproducibility (Sample 163)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.13	0.38	20.90

Reproducibility (Sample 164)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.15	0.42	24.50

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105
Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement
CCRL Samples 165 and 166
% Free Calcium Oxide (CaO), Type I / II Cement w/ limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
 Final Report Issued Sept. 2007

Participation: 193 Total Laboratories
 2 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 180 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

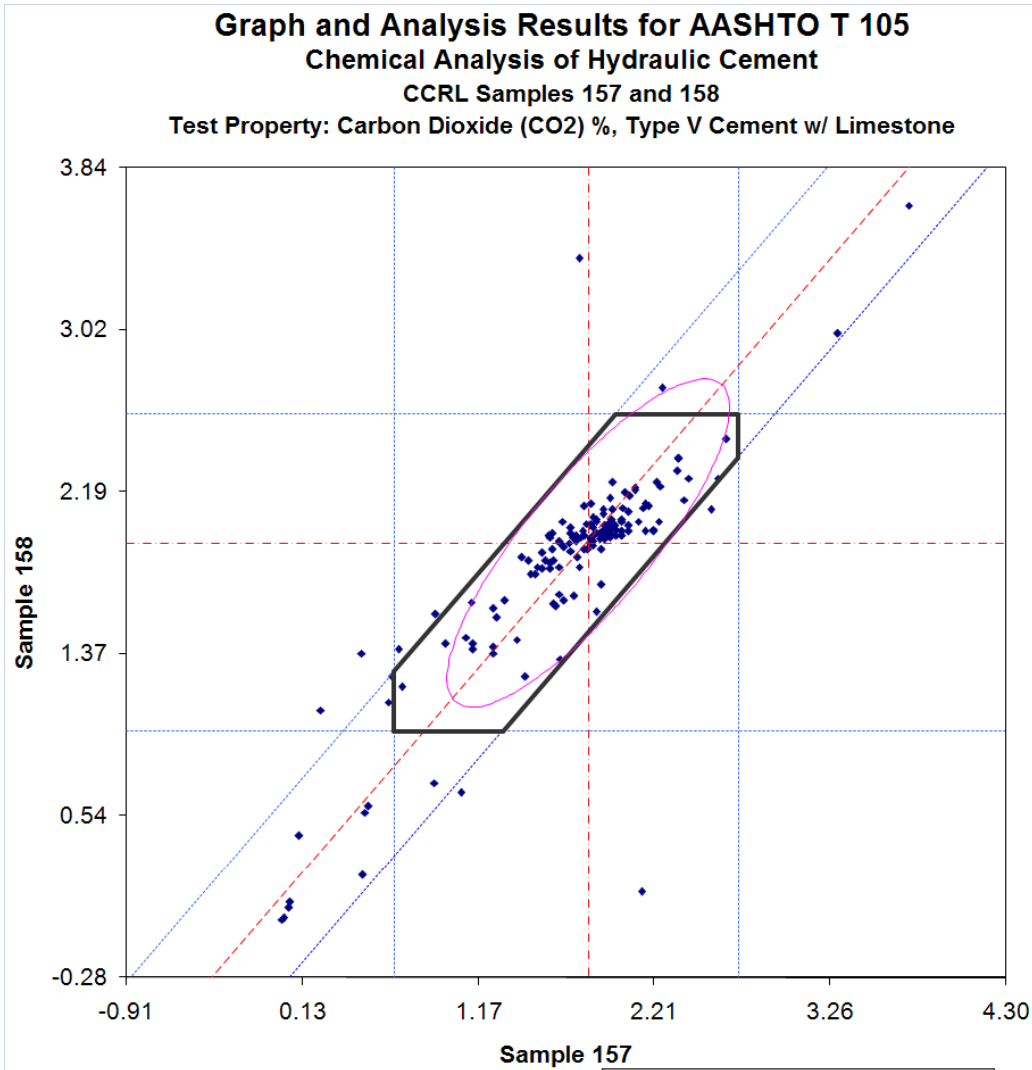
Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
0.77	0.97

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.09	0.25	11.5	9.1

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.17	0.49	22.7

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.61	22.2

APPENDIX N: CARBON DIOXIDE (CO₂)



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 157 and 158
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Participation:

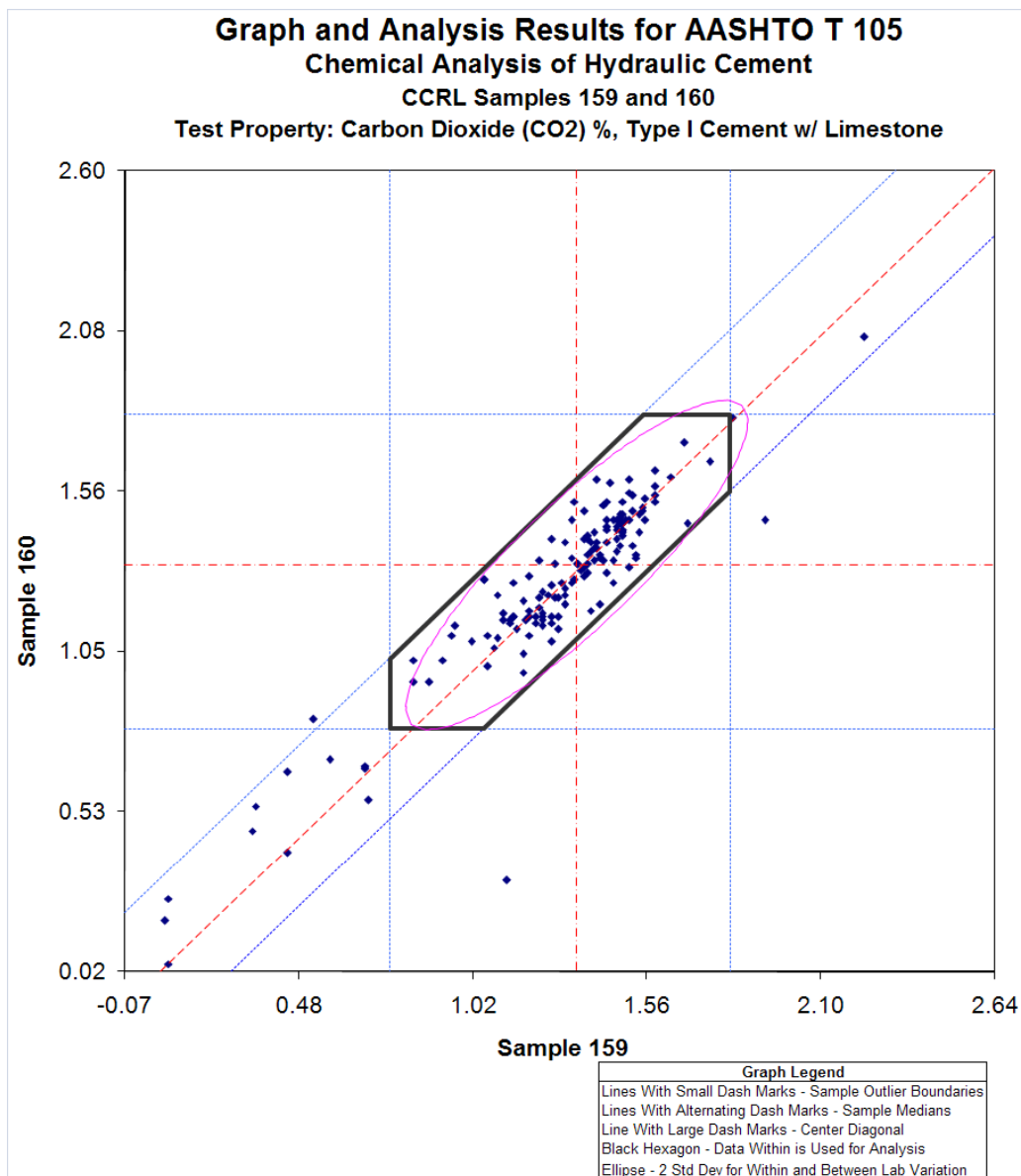
158	Total Laboratories
7	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
15	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
136	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 157	Sample 158
Average	Average
1.82	1.93

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (157)	CV% (158)
0.12	0.33	6.3	6.0

Reproducibility (Sample 157)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.30	0.86	16.7

Reproducibility (Sample 158)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.63	11.6



Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
CCRL Samples 159 and 160
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Participation:

161	Total Laboratories
8	Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
12	Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
141	Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 159	Sample 160
Average	Average
1.34	1.33

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (159)	CV% (160)
0.06	0.18	4.8	4.8

Reproducibility (Sample 159)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.17	0.49	13.1

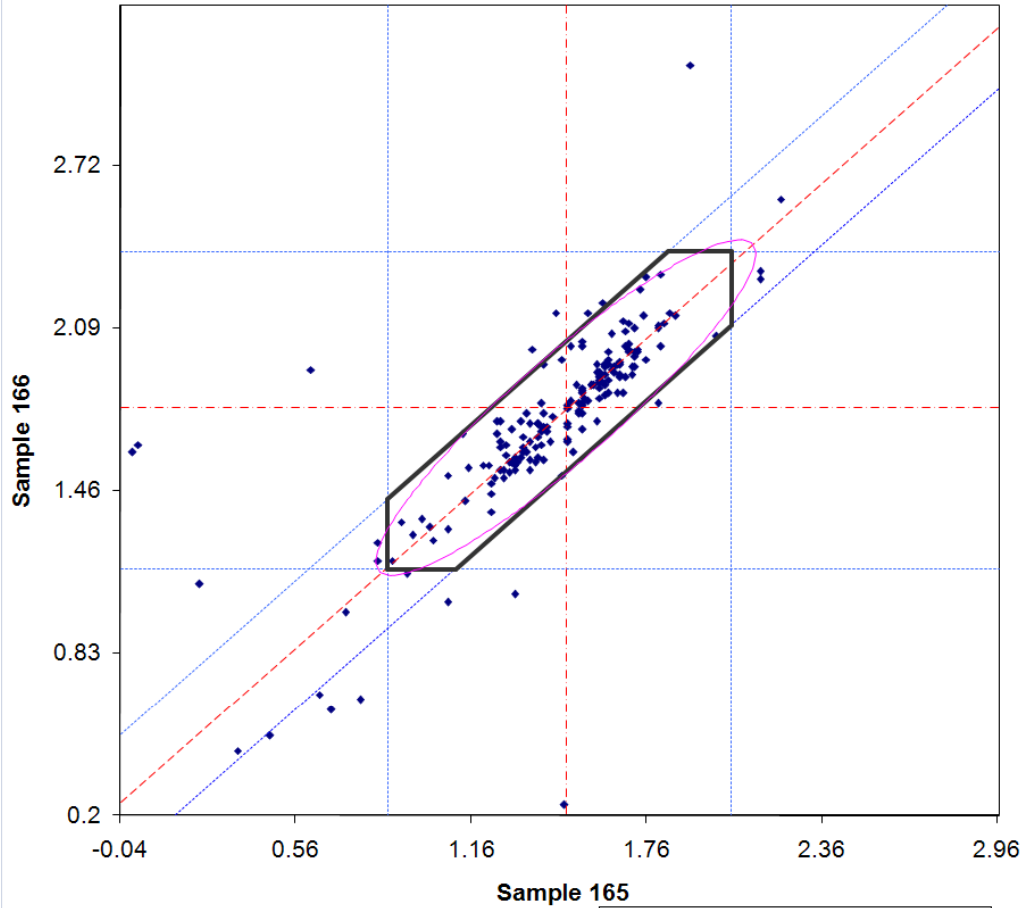
Reproducibility (Sample 160)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.17	0.47	12.5

Graph and Analysis Results for AASHTO T 105

Chemical Analysis of Hydraulic Cement

CCRL Samples 165 and 166

Test Property: Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) %, Type I / II Cement w/ Limestone



Graph Legend	
Lines With Small Dash Marks	- Sample Outlier Boundaries
Lines With Alternating Dash Marks	- Sample Medians
Line With Large Dash Marks	- Center Diagonal
Black Hexagon	- Data Within is Used for Analysis
Ellipse	- 2 Std Dev for Within and Between Lab Variation

Source of Data: AASHTO Materials Reference Laboratory Proficiency Sample Program
 CCRL Samples 165 and 166
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Participation: 185 Total Laboratories
 11 Laboratories Determined to be Invalid
 19 Laboratories Determined to be Outliers
 155 Total Laboratories Included in Analysis

Average Results	
Sample 165	Sample 166
Average	Average
1.48	1.78

Repeatability			
1s	d2s	CV% (165)	CV% (166)
0.06	0.17	4.2	3.5

Reproducibility (Sample 165)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.21	0.59	14.1

Reproducibility (Sample 166)		
1s	d2s	CV%
0.22	0.61	12.1