

**SAE G-12 Fluids Subcommittee  
Lisbon, May 2006**

**AS5900  
Some changes**

# Change #1



1.1

**Objective:**

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**Note: These test methods are based on glycol based fluids, other testing may be required for non-glycol based fluids.**

*Suggestion by Aerodynamics Working Group and shown to Fluids group in Pittsburgh, :*

## Change #2



*Change for new reference fluid formulation*

Paragraph 2.1.3

Reference fluid:

<b>Component</b>	<b>Percent by Weight</b>
Propylene Glycol	68.0
Tripropylene Glycol	20.0
Demineralized Water	12.0

The fluid shall be homogenous.



## Change #3

### Some additions for clarity

- 3.1.3 Design Features: The test duct floor shall be horizontal, while the ceiling shall slope upward linearly 8 mm from Station 2 to Station 3.
- a. for High Speed Ramp Tests duct surfaces shall be hydraulically smooth, resulting in a dry BLDT  $\leq 3.0$  mm at Station 3, at 65 m/s  $\pm 5$ .
  - b. or Low Speed Ramp Tests duct surfaces shall be hydraulically smooth, resulting in a dry BLDT  $\leq 3.3$  mm at Station 3, at 35 m/s  $\pm 3$ .



## Change #4

To reflect reality: change 4 mm to 3 mm

### 3.5.2 Test Duct Gas Pressures:

3.5.2.1 Total Pressure,  $P_1$ : May be measured as the static pressure in the settling chamber immediately upstream of the test duct, Station 1, using a 3 mm diameter flush orifice tapped into the chamber sidewall if the velocities are low, in accordance with standard wind tunnel practice.

3.2.5.2 Inlet Static Pressure,  $P_2$ : Measured using a 3 mm diameter flush orifice tapped into the middle of the ceiling at Station 2, free of flow disturbances from the Station 2 temperature probe.

3.2.5.3 Outlet Static Pressure,  $P_3$ : Measured using a 3 mm diameter flush orifice tapped into the middle of the ceiling at Station 3.

AMIL This is what AMIL has always been using in both wind tunnels, equivalent to 1/8''

## Change #5



### Paragraph 5.1

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[A1] Change voted at Fluids meeting Pittsburgh May05



## Issue

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**Can be interpreted to: 0, -20 and LOUT**



## Probably

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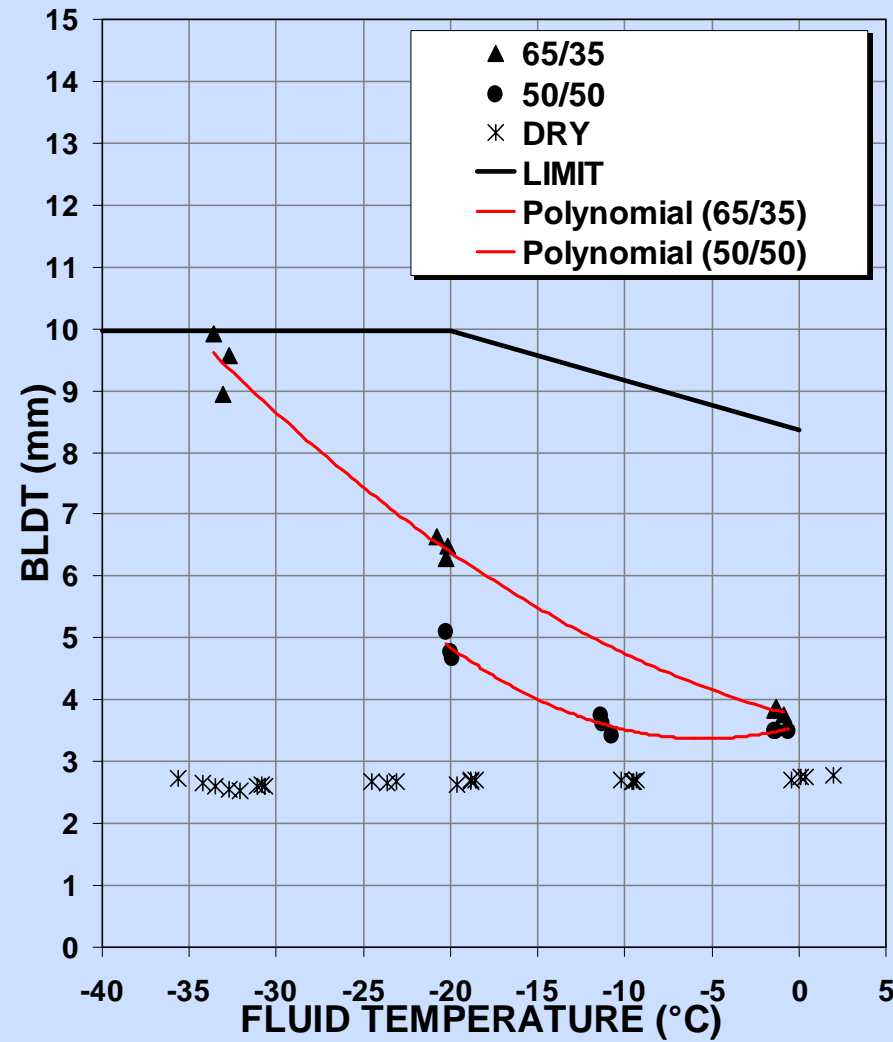
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**Must be:** 0, -10, -20 (-30) and LOUT





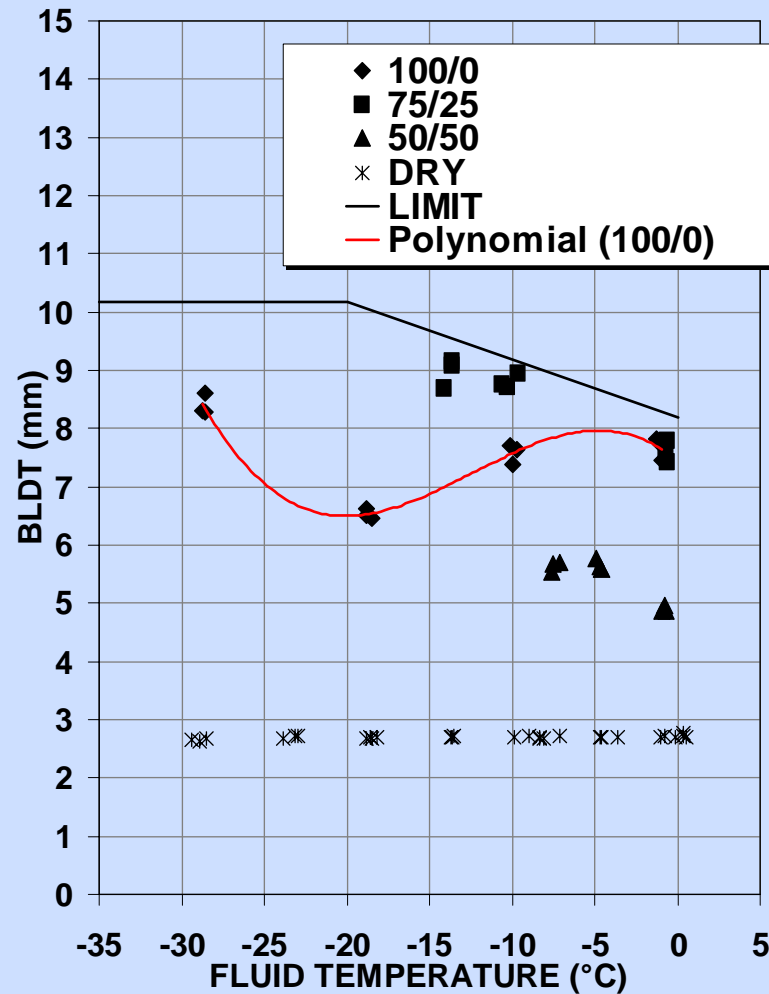
# Type I Example Trend



BLDT  $\uparrow$  with  
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## Type IV Example Trend



BLDT  $\uparrow$  with  
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then  $\uparrow$



## Suggested Change

If we decide not to move the coma back to its intent, at least:

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## Change #6



### Request from Aerodynamics Working Group for better reproducibility of the results

- 5.5.1 General Accuracy: A measure of accuracy of the overall procedure is provided by test duplication. Expected accuracy on  $\delta^*_f$  value (at a given precise temperature) is about  $\pm 0.1$  mm. Consequently, taking into account the temperature sensitivity of the results (about  $0.2$  mm/ $^{\circ}$ C), the  $\delta^*_f$  and  $\delta^*_r$  values from various identical tests performed at temperatures within  $\pm 1$   $^{\circ}$ C shall be within  $\pm 0.3$  mm.

## Next Step



Check the reference fluid in low speed ramp

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