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Dear Solutech Comércio e Serviços de Análises Químicas Ltda.,

Thank you for your participation in analyzing 3M™ Monitors. In March, 2008 laboratories were sent three monitors spiked with different amounts of benzene, toluene and xylene. The amounts detected on each monitor were then reported back to 3M. In order for a laboratory to be recommended by 3M, results must be within +/-18 % of the true value. This is similar to the limits used in the Proficiency Analytical Testing (PAT) Program, which is sponsored by the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA). Each laboratory is also required to submit a copy of their quality control plan to the local 3M subsidiary. In lieu of the above requirements, 3M will also recommend analysis laboratories that have been accredited by a recognized agency.

You reported the following amounts:

	ug 1	ug 2	ug 3			ppm 1	ppm 2	ppm 3	
Benzene	81.36	28.73	121.76			2.05	0.73	3.08	
Toluene	163.24	54.78	249.52			3.83	1.29	5.86	
Xylene	93.00	31.35	142.92			2.25	0.76	3.45	

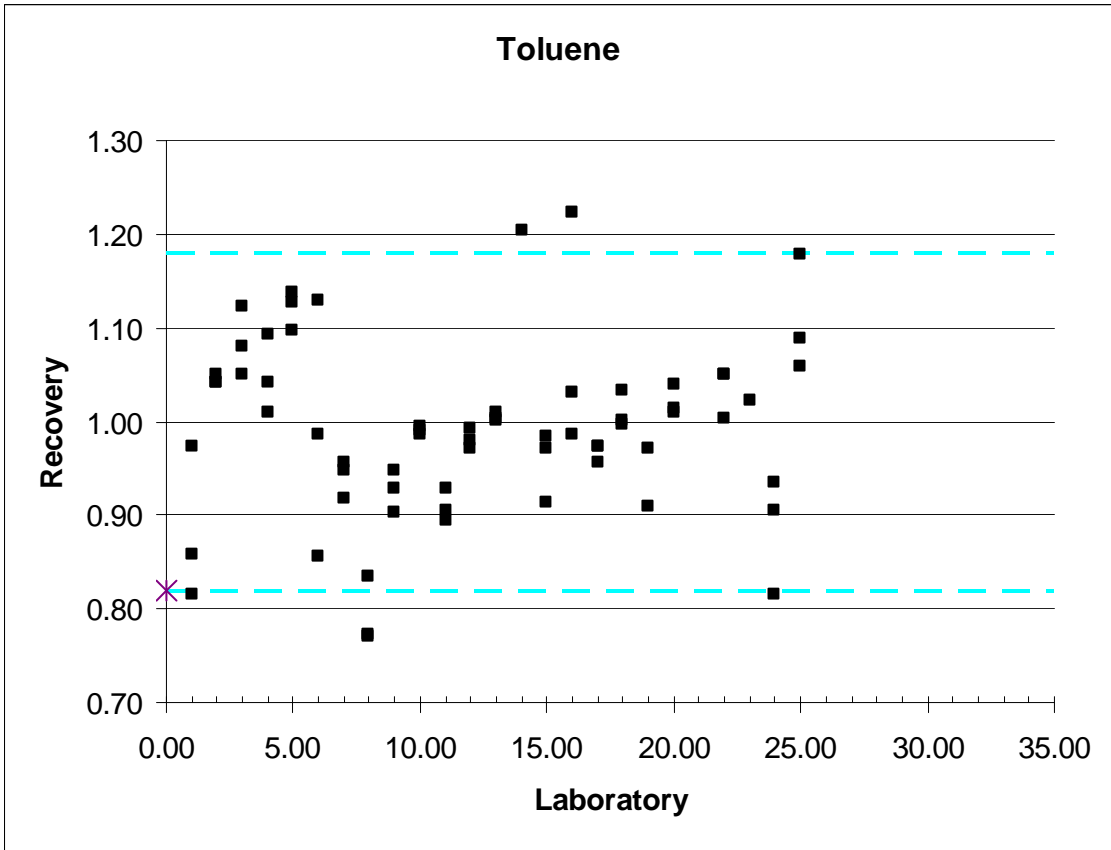
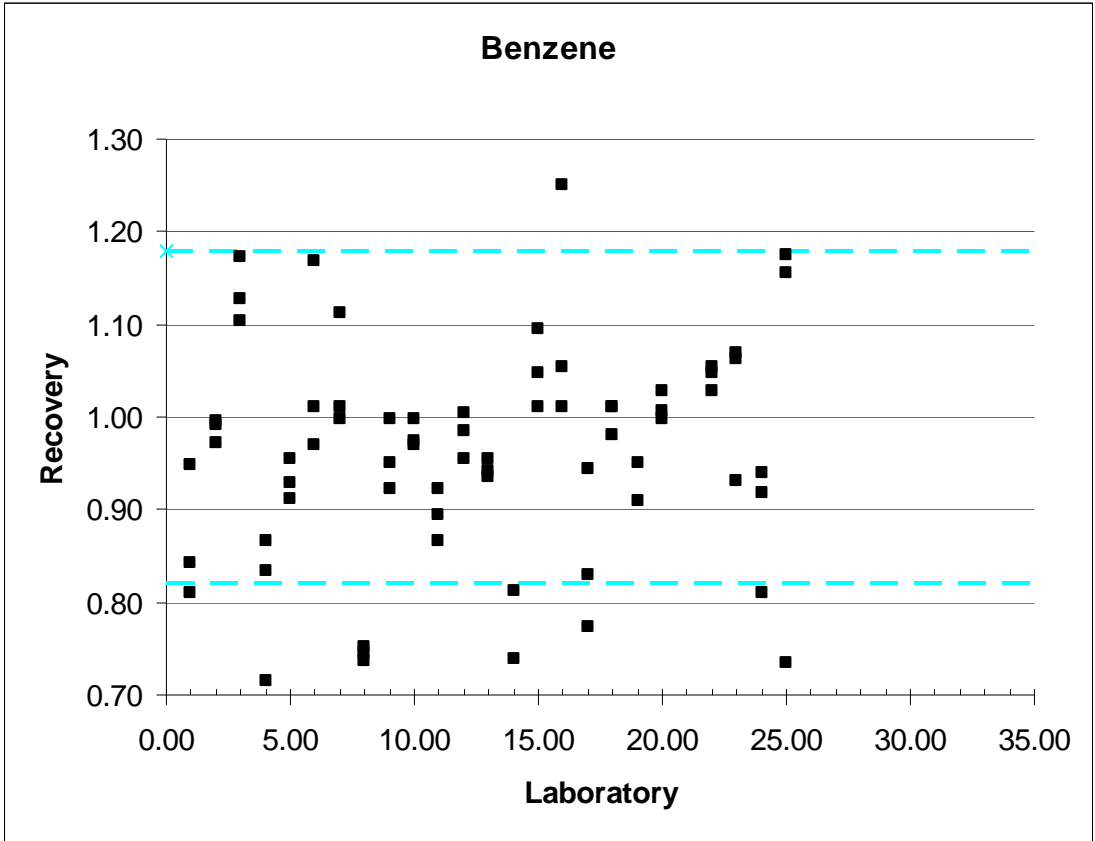
The recovery (amount reported / spiked amount) is as follows. The ideal recovery is 1.0.

	Rec 1	rec 2	rec 3	avg.		rec 1	rec 2	rec 3	avg.
Benzene	1.05	1.05	1.03	1.04		1.05	1.05	1.03	1.04
Toluene	1.05	1.00	1.05	1.03		1.05	1.00	1.05	1.03
Xylene	1.07	1.02	1.07	1.05		1.07	1.02	1.07	1.06

I have also enclosed charts showing the trends between the different laboratories. Your laboratory is #22. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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Xylene

