

# WLTP-DTP Subgroup Additional Pollutants

## Progress report

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## Additional pollutants subgroup – Terms of reference

The Additional Pollutants subgroup received a **mandate for the development of test procedures for pollutants not currently regulated** such as **NO<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>3</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O** including **measurement equipment** and **formulae for the measurement** for light duty vehicles.

### Scope of Activity

The subgroup **undertakes the following** tasks on the **basis of procedures in existing legislation** and **expert knowledge within the group**:

1. **Agree** on additional pollutants to be addressed. ✓ 
2. **Identify** appropriate **measurement methods** for each pollutant. ✓
3. **Describe measurement, calibration** procedures as well as calculations based on existing legislation and on output from lab procedure subgroup.
4. **Drafting** of GTR legislation text.

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## Meeting schedule

- First Meeting:** Telephone/Web Conference  
Date: 20th July 2010  
16 participants
- 2nd Meeting:** Telephone/Web Conference  
Date: 20th July 2010  
20 participants
- 3rd Meeting:** Face to face meeting at JRC/Ispra  
Date: 9/10 Dec. 2010  
14 participants
- 4th Meeting:** Face to face meeting at BMW/Munich  
Date: 7/8 March 2011  
18 participants
- 5th Meeting:** Face to face meeting at JRC/Ispra  
**10/11 May 2011**

**5 meetings (2 phone conferences and 3 face to face meetings in December 2010, March and May 2011)**

for the time being, no further face to face meeting planned

## Pollutants to be addressed:

**NO<sub>2</sub>**

**NH<sub>3</sub>**

**N<sub>2</sub>O**

**Ethanol (EtOH)**

**Aldehydes:** Formaldehyde, Acetaldehyde (RCHO, R = H or Me)

***NOTE: Any other pollutants not included in this list should be supported by an assessment on negative effects to health or to the environment.***



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<b>Title</b>	Open issues
<b>Working Paper Number</b>	WLTP-DTP-AP-07-02 Open Issues May 2011

OIL – resolved 11.05.2011

- Possible reference methods have been identified. Possible source of text has been added where possible.
- **Performance criteria**
- Gathering of performance data for **candidate methods** has been tasked within group.
- Based on the Range of emission level to be measured performance criteria (LoD, LoQ, rise time and max. interference) have been derived.
- A **table of candidate methods** to be evaluated has been set up.

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## Table of candidate methods for additional pollutants

Pollutant	Method	bag	diluted	raw	online	off line	LoD [ppm]	LoQ [ppm]	transformation time [s]	rise time [s]	interference	Base
NO2	CLD differential		x		x		0.3	0.9		1	< 2% H2O+CO2	ECE Reg. 83/EPA 1065.272
	NDUV-RAS direct		x		x		0.04	0.12		3	none	ECE Reg. 83/EPA 1065.272
	QCL direct		x		x		0.1	0.3	1	1	none	
	FTIR direct		x		x		0,9 (0,2 possi	2.7		1	managed	
N2O	GC-ECD	x				x	0.01	0.03	na	na	none	EPA 1065.275
	NDIR	x			x		0.1	0.3		5	multiple	EPA 1065.275
	QCL	x			x		0.01	0.03			none	
	FTIR	x			x		0,9 (0,2 possi	2.7		1	managed	EPA 1065.275
	ring down cavity	x			x		0.0003	0.001	2.5	1	none	in research
	Photo Acoustic	x			x						multiple	EPA 1065.275
NH3 (SCR systems)	LDS (in situ)			x	x						H2O, p, T, managed	Commitology EUVI
	LDS (extractive)			x	x		0.2	0.6	definition necessary		H2O, managed	Commitology EUVI
	FTIR			x	x		0,3 (0,06 poss	0.9	definition necessary		managed	Commitology EUVI
	QCL			x	x		0.1	0.3	definition necessary		none	
Ethanol (E21+)	Impinger + GC-FID		x			x	0,1 µg/ml -> 0,18?					CARB NMOG Part C METHOD 1001 EPA 1065.805
	Photo Acoustic	x			x		0.06				H2O, CO2, NH3, ROH managed	MSO 2000-08
	GC-FID from bag	x				x	0.18				none	
	QCL	x			x		not yet available					
	FTIR (bag)	x			x		1 (0,2 possible)				managed	
Aldehydes (E21+)	Cartridge + HPLC		x			x	0,0075 µg/ml					CARB NMOG Part F METHOD 1004
	FTIR		x		x		0,3/0,9				managed	
	QCL		?		x		not yet available					
	<i>(reference methods)</i>											

LoD determined by  
use of traceable cal. gases

General: EPA 1065.205



## **Definitions:**

### **Linearization:**

application of a range of concentrations or materials including zero to **establish** the mathematical relationship between concentration and system response

### **Linearization check:**

application of a range of concentrations or materials including zero to **verify** the mathematical relationship between concentration and system response

### **Calibration:**

zero, span adjustment with calibration gases or calibration materials

### **Verification:**

zero, span check with calibration gases or calibration materials, no adjustment

## **Abbreviations/Definitions:**

<b>RCHO</b>	<b>Formaldehyde plus Acetaldehyde</b>
<b>HCHO</b>	<b>Formaldehyde</b>
<b>CH<sub>3</sub>CHO</b>	<b>Acetaldehyde</b>
<b>EtOH</b>	<b>Ethanol</b>
<b>THC</b>	<b>Total Hydrocarbons (All compounds measurable by FID)</b>
<b>NMOG</b>	<b>Non-methane organic gases (NMHC plus EtOH and RCHO)</b>
<b>NMHC</b>	<b>Non-methane hydrocarbons (THC excluding CH<sub>4</sub> and EtOH, response factors are applied)</b>
<b>NO<sub>x</sub></b>	<b>Oxides of nitrogen</b>
<b>NO</b>	<b>Nitric oxide</b>
<b>NO<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>Nitrogen dioxide</b>
<b>N<sub>2</sub>O</b>	<b>Nitrous oxide</b>
<b>NH<sub>3</sub></b>	<b>Ammonia</b>

## **Open Issues - resolved**

- **Handling of lost sample in raw exhaust sample**

→ **Proposal:**

**Limit sample flow (10 l/min) and return sample (no drying, heated or diluted return)  
or (at manufacturers request)**

**Additional cycle**

- **Linearization of *in situ* instruments** → **According to instrument manufacturer at least once a year**
- **Verification of *in situ* instruments** → **within 24 h at concentration of standard**
- **FTIR: linearization** → **after manufacture and after major analyzer repair**
- **FTIR: Verification** → **within 24 h**

## Open Issues - resolved

- Allow calculation of NO<sub>x</sub> from NO + NO<sub>2</sub> → no
- Allow QCL and other technologies for NO and NO<sub>2</sub> from modal dilute → yes
- Calibration/verification of CLD for NO-Mode → to be done separately
- linearization of CLD for NO-Mode → can be taken over from NO<sub>x</sub>
- Applicability of ETOH and aldehyde measurement → E21+

## **Open Issues**

### **NH<sub>3</sub> sampling during engine off**

#### **Temperature for NH<sub>3</sub> sampling (110 – 190?° C)**

proposal: → set-point between 110 ° C and 190 ° C with range of +/- 10 K  
→ JAMA position: between 110 ° C and 133 ° C due to decomposition of urea

#### **Traceability to national standards of calibration gas for AP**

→ DTP → gas industry → difficulties for NH<sub>3</sub>, EtOH to be expected, achievable accuracy/stability has to be established

## Next Steps

- Continue drafting of GTR [\*] in small groups (as well as OIL):

Tasks have been assigned within group and the outcome will be delivered for the next meeting

- Next face-to-face workshop:  
(.....)
- Additional Tel/web conferences

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- Additional pollutants contact persons:

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***Ref.: CIRCA documents WLTP-DTP-AP***

**Draft GTR proposal:  
WLTP-DTP-LabProcICE-061**

***& open questions:***  
***WLTP-DTP-AP-07-02 Open Issues May 2011***

*THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENCION*

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