WESTERN WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ASSOCIATION

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2024 ITEM NET 24.1- Section 3.11. Ice Cream Novelties



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER / WEIGHTS AND MEASURES



PURPOSE OF ITEM

Provide technical guidance on preparation & maintenance of ice water at the required temperature to test ice cream novelties such as ice cream bars, ice cream sandwiches, or cones.



JUSTIFICATION

<u>"Prepared chilled water"</u> was not able to be maintained at required temperature once poured into the displacement vessel

> Temperature to be kept at [1 °C (33 °F) or below]

CURRENT METHODOLOGY (NO INSULATION)



INCONSISTENT TEMPERATURE (CURRENT HB 133 PROCEDURE)

Data from acrylic and metal displacement vessels:

Tester Material	Time (min: sec)
Metal	00:00
Acrylic	00:53

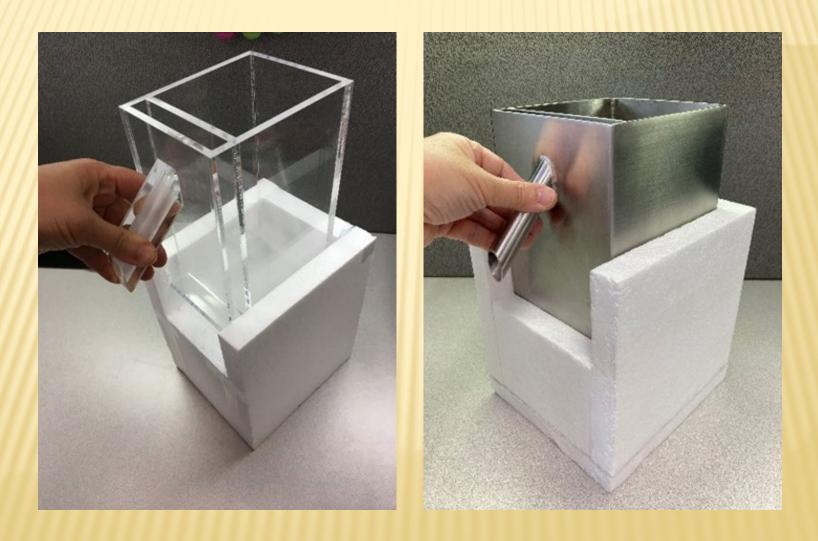
KEY ADDITIONS / CHANGES

 Preparation guidelines for chilled water

Addition of insulation shield

Prior chilling of insulation shield and displacement vessel

EXAMPLES OF INSULATION SHIELD



PREPARING CHILLED WATER





UPDATED SETUP OF DISPLACEMENT UNIT

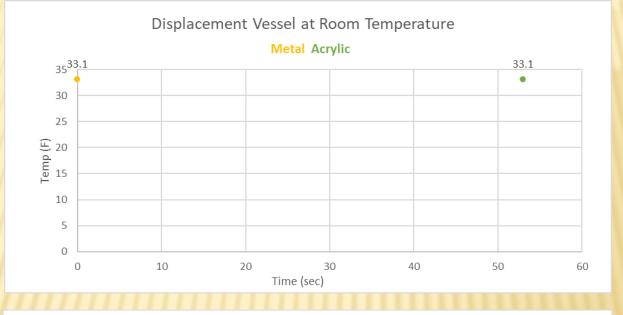




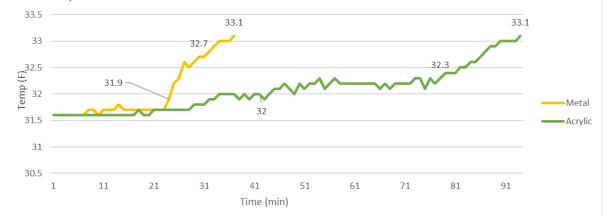
FILLING DISPLACMENT VESSEL WITH CHILLED WATER



TEMPERATURE STABILITY



Displacement Vessel and Insulation Shield Chilled in Freezer Prior for 30 mins



SUBMERGING ICE CREAM / FROZEN NOVELTY



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Questions & Comments?



