

$$\bar{X} = \frac{X_1 + X_2 \cdots + X_n}{n}$$

and the variance is calculated by:

$$s^2 = \frac{(X_1 - \bar{X})^2 + (X_2 - \bar{X})^2 \cdots + (X_n - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}$$

where "n" denotes the number of observations in the set of data.

The t-test uses these data summary measures to calculate a t-statistic (t*) and a comparison t-statistic (t_c). The t* value is compared to the t_c value and a conclusion reached as to whether there has been a statistically significant change in any indicator parameter.

The t-statistic for all parameters except pH and similar monitoring parameters is:

$$t^* = \frac{X_m - \bar{X}_s}{\sqrt{\frac{S_m^2}{n_m} + \frac{S_b^2}{n_b}}}$$

If the value of this t-statistic is negative then there is no significant difference between the monitoring data and background data. It should be noted that significantly small negative values may be indicative of a failure of the assumption made for test validity or errors have been made in collecting the background data.

The t-statistic (t_c), against which t* will be compared, necessitates finding t_b and t_m from standard (one-tailed) tables where, t_b=t-tables with (n_b-1) degrees of freedom, at the 0.05 level of significance. t_m=t-tables with (n_m-1) degrees of freedom, at the 0.05 level of significance.

Finally, the special weightings W_b and W_m are defined as:

$$W_B = \frac{S_b^2}{n_b} \quad \text{and} \quad W_m = \frac{S_m^2}{n_m}$$

and so the comparison t-statistic is:

$$t_c = \frac{W_b t_b + W_m t_m}{W_b + W_m}$$

The t-statistic (t*) is now compared with the comparison t-statistic (t_c) using the following decision-rule:

If t* is equal to or larger than t_c, then conclude that there most likely has been a significant increase in this specific parameter. If t* is less than t_c, then conclude that most likely there has not been a change in this specific parameter.

The t-statistic for testing pH and similar monitoring parameters is constructed in the

same manner as previously described except the negative sign (if any) is discarded and the caveat concerning the negative value is ignored. The standard (two-tailed) tables are used in the construction t_c for pH and similar monitoring parameters.

If t* is equal to or larger than t_c, then conclude that there most likely has been a significant increase (if the initial t* had been negative, this would imply a significant decrease). If t* is less than t_c, then conclude that there most likely has been no change.

A further discussion of the test may be found in *Statistical Methods* (6th Edition, Section 4.14) by G. W. Snedecor and W. G. Cochran, or *Principles and Procedures of Statistics* (1st Edition, Section 5.8) by R. G. D. Steel and J. H. Torrie.

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Degrees of freedom	t-values (one-tail)	t-values (two-tail)
1	6.314	12.706
2	2.920	4.303
3	2.353	3.182
4	2.132	2.776
5	2.015	2.571
6	1.943	2.447
7	1.895	2.365
8	1.860	2.306
9	1.833	2.262
10	1.812	2.228
11	1.796	2.201
12	1.782	2.179
13	1.771	2.160
14	1.761	2.145
15	1.753	2.131
16	1.746	2.120
17	1.740	2.110
18	1.734	2.101
19	1.729	2.093
20	1.725	2.086
21	1.721	2.080
22	1.717	2.074
23	1.714	2.069
24	1.711	2.064
25	1.708	2.060
30	1.697	2.042
40	1.684	2.021

Adopted from Table III of "Statistical Tables for Biological, Agricultural, and Medical Research" (1947, R. A. Fisher and F. Yates).

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APPENDIX V TO PART 264—EXAMPLES OF POTENTIALLY INCOMPATIBLE WASTE

Many hazardous wastes, when mixed with other waste or materials at a hazardous waste facility, can produce effects which are harmful to human health and the environment, such as (1) heat or pressure, (2) fire or explosion, (3) violent reaction, (4) toxic dusts, mists, fumes, or gases, or (5) flammable fumes or gases.

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Below are examples of potentially incompatible wastes, waste components, and materials, along with the harmful consequences which result from mixing materials in one group with materials in another group. The list is intended as a guide to owners or operators of treatment, storage, and disposal facilities, and to enforcement and permit granting officials, to indicate the need for special precautions when managing these potentially incompatible waste materials or components.

This list is not intended to be exhaustive. An owner or operator must, as the regulations require, adequately analyze his wastes so that he can avoid creating uncontrolled substances or reactions of the type listed below, whether they are listed below or not.

It is possible for potentially incompatible wastes to be mixed in a way that precludes a reaction (e.g., adding acid to water rather than water to acid) or that neutralizes them (e.g., a strong acid mixed with a strong base), or that controls substances produced (e.g., by generating flammable gases in a closed tank equipped so that ignition cannot occur, and burning the gases in an incinerator).

In the lists below, the mixing of a Group A material with a Group B material may have the potential consequence as noted.

GROUP 1-A

Acetylene sludge
Alkaline caustic liquids
Alkaline cleaner
Alkaline corrosive liquids
Alkaline corrosive battery fluid
Caustic wastewater
Lime sludge and other corrosive alkalies
Lime wastewater
Lime and water
Spent caustic

GROUP 1-B

Acid sludge
Acid and water
Battery acid
Chemical cleaners
Electrolyte, acid
Etching acid liquid or solvent
Pickling liquor and other corrosive acids
Spent acid
Spent mixed acid
Spent sulfuric acid

Potential consequences: Heat generation; violent reaction.

GROUP 2-A

Aluminum
Beryllium
Calcium
Lithium
Magnesium
Potassium
Sodium

Zinc powder
Other reactive metals and metal hydrides

GROUP 2-B

Any waste in Group 1-A or 1-B

Potential consequences: Fire or explosion; generation of flammable hydrogen gas.

GROUP 3-A

Alcohols
Water

GROUP 3-B

Any concentrated waste in Groups 1-A or 1-B

Calcium
Lithium
Metal hydrides
Potassium
SO₂, Cl₂, SOCl₂, PCl₃, CH₃ SiCl₃
Other water-reactive waste

Potential consequences: Fire, explosion, or heat generation; generation of flammable or toxic gases.

GROUP 4-A

Alcohols
Aldehydes
Halogenated hydrocarbons
Nitrated hydrocarbons
Unsaturated hydrocarbons
Other reactive organic compounds and solvents

GROUP 4-B

Concentrated Group 1-A or 1-B wastes
Group 2-A wastes

Potential consequences: Fire, explosion, or violent reaction.

GROUP 5-A

Spent cyanide and sulfide solutions

GROUP 5-B

Group 1-B wastes

Potential consequences: Generation of toxic hydrogen cyanide or hydrogen sulfide gas.

GROUP 6-A

Chlorates
Chlorine
Chlorites
Chromic acid
Hypochlorites
Nitrates
Nitric acid, fuming
Perchlorates
Permanganates
Peroxides
Other strong oxidizers

GROUP 6-B

Acetic acid and other organic acids

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Concentrated mineral acids
 Group 2-A wastes
 Group 4-A wastes
 Other flammable and combustible wastes
 Potential consequences: Fire, explosion, or violent reaction.

SOURCE: "Law, Regulations, and Guidelines for Handling of Hazardous Waste." California Department of Health, February 1975.

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APPENDIX VI TO PART 264—POLITICAL JURISDICTIONS¹ IN WHICH COMPLIANCE WITH §264.18(a) MUST BE DEMONSTRATED

ALASKA

Aleutian Islands	Kodiak
Anchorage	Lynn Canal-Icy Straits
Bethel	
Bristol Bay	Palmer-Wasilla-Talkeena
Cordova-Valdez	
Fairbanks-Fort Yukon	Seward
Juneau	Sitka
Kenai-Cook Inlet	Wade Hampton
Ketchikan-Prince of Wales	Wrangell Petersburg Yukon-Kuskokwim

ARIZONA

Cochise	Greenlee
Graham	Yuma

CALIFORNIA

All

COLORADO

Archuleta	Mineral
Conejos	Rio Grande
Hinsdale	Saguache

HAWAII

Hawaii

IDAHO

Bannock	Franklin
Bear Lake	Fremont
Bingham	Jefferson
Bonneville	Madison
Caribou	Oneida
Cassia	Power
Clark	Teton

MONTANA

Beaverhead	Flathead
Broadwater	Gallatin
Cascade	Granite
Deer Lodge	Jefferson

Lake
 Lewis and Clark
 Madison
 Meagher
 Missoula
 Park
 Powell

Sanders
 Silver Bow
 Stillwater
 Sweet Grass
 Teton
 Wheatland

NEVADA

All

NEW MEXICO

Bernalillo	Sante Fe
Catron	Sierra
Grant	Socorro
Hidalgo	Taos
Los Alamos	Torrance
Rio Arriba	Valencia
Sandoval	

UTAH

Beaver	Piute
Box Elder	Rich
Cache	Salt Lake
Carbon	Sanpete
Davis	Sevier
Duchesne	Summit
Emery	Tooele
Garfield	Utah
Iron	Wasatch
Juab	Washington
Millard	Wayne
Morgan	Weber

WASHINGTON

Chelan	Mason
Clallam	Okanogan
Clark	Pacific
Cowlitz	Pierce
Douglas	San Juan Islands
Ferry	Skagit
Grant	Skamania
Grays Harbor	Snohomish
Jefferson	Thurston
King	Wahkiakum
Kitsap	Whatcom
Kittitas	Yakima
Lewis	

WYOMING

Fremont	Teton
Lincoln	Uinta
Park	Yellowstone National Park
Sublette	

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¹These include counties, city-county consolidations, and independent cities. In the case of Alaska, the political jurisdictions are

election districts, and, in the case of Hawaii, the political jurisdiction listed is the island of Hawaii.