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You shall respect the HSE policy of your laboratory for each performed test.

Instructions to participant laboratories

Please read these instructions carefully BEFORE starting the tests.

- 1. One specimen (\emptyset 16 x 12 mm) is supplied to each participant 5 results must be provided. In case of :
 - loss or deterioration of PTP sample, please contact your sponsor for replacement kit.
 - exclusion of a test specimen results by yourself, you shall provide a short root cause analysis.
- 2. No additional machining of the specimen is required.
- 3. Each participant is required to prepare the **non-identified face** of the specimen for evaluation using their usual polishing and etching techniques for this evaluation.

The measurements shall be performed on the outer diameter of the specimen. Please ignore any location where surface defect is present.

4. The following information is to be reported :

Characteristic	Unit	Significant digits	Mandatory / Not mandatory	Evaluated Yes/no
Description of the sample preparation	N/A	N/A	Mandatory	No
Depletion depth	μm	XX	Mandatory	Yes

All evaluated characteristics will be analysed according to the algorithm A (ISO 13528 – 2015) and evaluated using z-score.

5. Testing shall start **as soon as test specimens are received**. Please contact the following email address for any technical or administrative query.

Submission date :	May 1 st , 2018
Technical and administrative support :	info@ptpscheme.com

6. Instructions for submission of results are detailed on the website:

https://ptpscheme.com

- 7. To ensure the confidential treatment of your results in the final report, you will be allocated a unique identity number when you register for the program.
- 8. Collusion and falsification of your PTP results are totally forbidden. In case of identification or suspicion of collusion or falsification, the laboratory will be excluded from the program and the sponsors will be immediately informed. The sponsors could ask you proofs of your records and analyses, so be sure to conserve data, curves and specimens.

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9. The tested specimen does not need to be sent back to PTP.

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