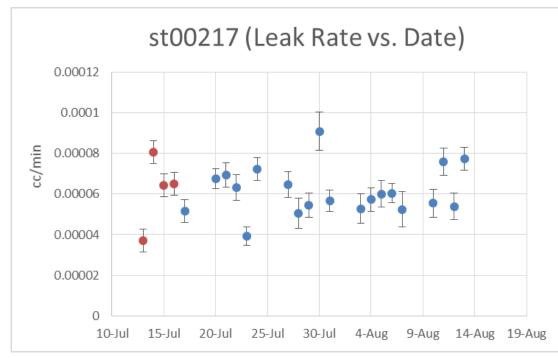
Leak test update

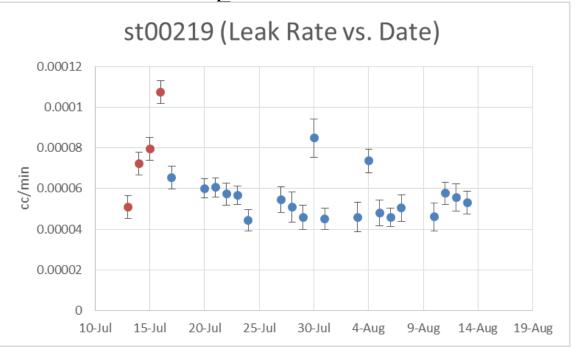
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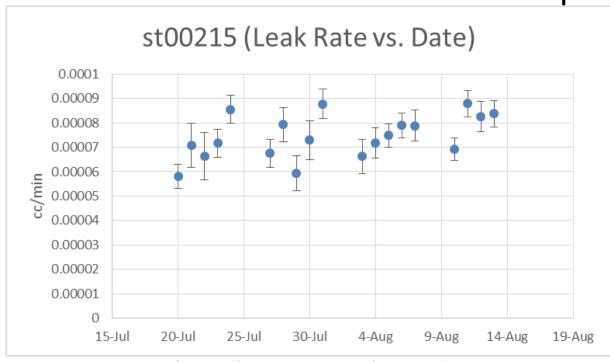
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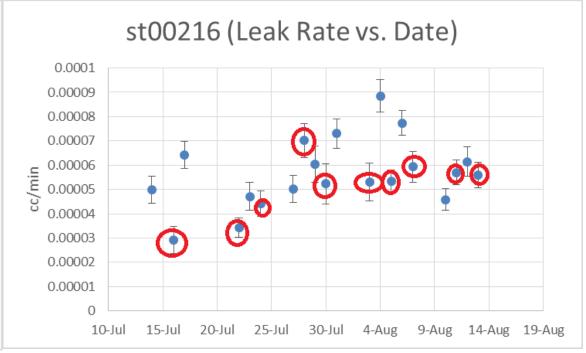
Consistency test results update --straws flushed with N₂--





Consistency test results update --straws replace viton--





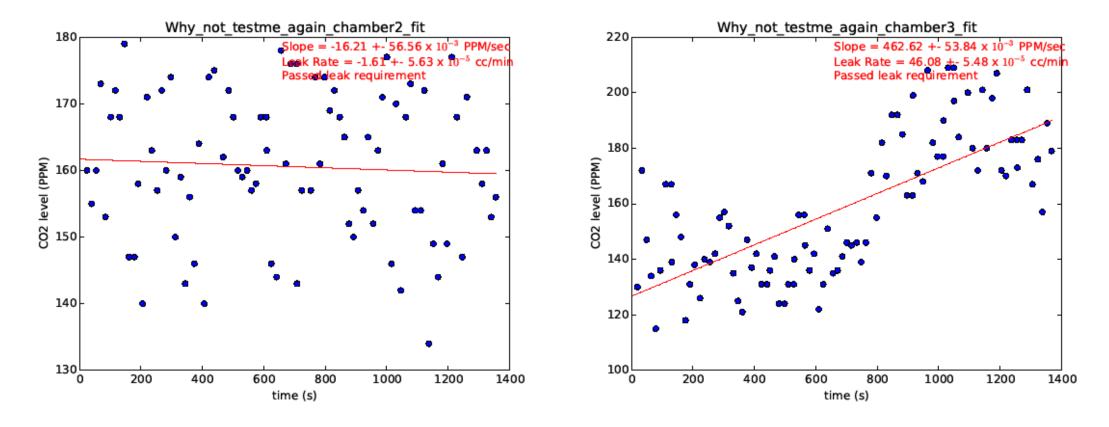
 St00215 has been replaced viton every time before measurement.

- St00216 has been replace viton every other day.
- Measurement didn't decrease this time

Kink investigation

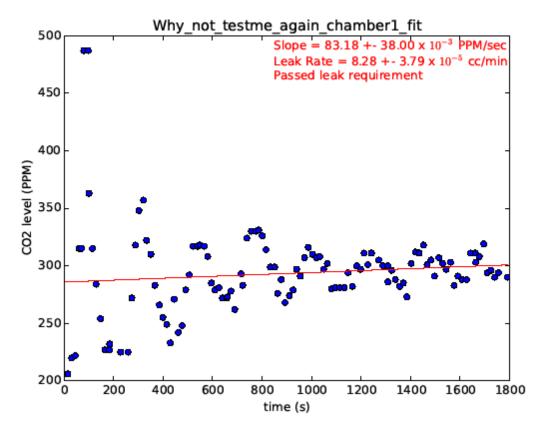
- I try to imitate the case of CO₂ stay between straw and plastic tube
- 1. Flush straw with N₂ and sealed it.
- 2. Insert straw into chamber and flush chamber with N_2 for 5 SCFH for half minute .
- 3. Turn off the sensor and fan. Close valve Let the end of the tube stay close to where eye can see it.
- 4. Use the syringe to impale the plastic tube cap and then get some CO₂ inside the syringe.
- 5. Put the syringe end inside the tube and then push the syringe inside the chamber as deep as possible.
- 6. Inject 0.05ml CO_2 .
- 7. Take the syringe out, close the valve.
- 8. Turn on the fan and detector. Begin recording data.

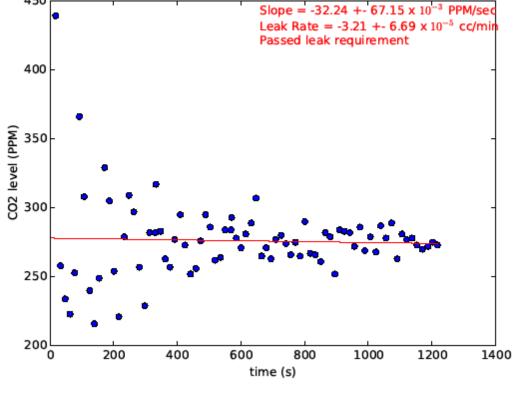
Kink test result



- Chamber #3 fluctuate a lot after injection.
- Chamber #2 seems good.

Kink test result with comparison





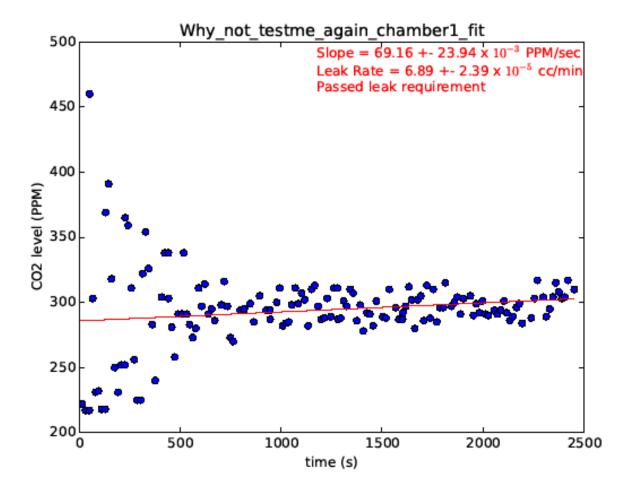
Why not testme again chamber1 fit

 Injected 0.05ml CO₂ between plastic tube and straw

- Injected 0.05ml CO₂ into chamber without straw in chamber.
- It takes much more time to become stable if CO₂ is injected to the place between Tube and straw.

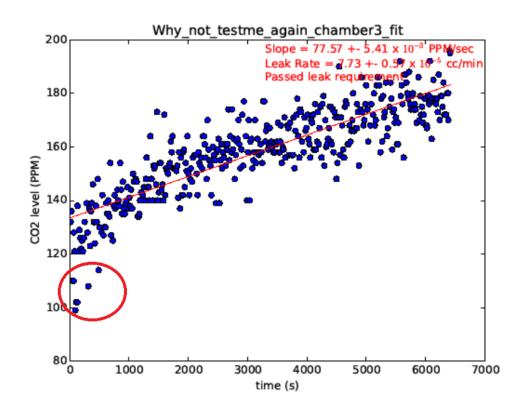
Inject CO₂ outside to the place between tube and

chamber



 Therefore gas outside tube flows well

Flush tube with N₂, no kink thing but this





N₂ nozzle fit in well to the plastic tube

• There are five points didn't behave well