



Fuel System Check e-Form

Important : This form must be fully completed and send together with the fuel sample

To be filled in by vessel's staff				For laboratory use		
Vessel Information	Name :			Sample number		
	IMO no. :	Call Sign :				
Billing Information	Analysis for account of :	Owner	Charterer	Other	Analysis	
	Company name :					
Bunkering information	Bunkering date :			Pending		
	Bunkering port :			Delay	Full	Cut off
	Mixed with other fuel :				LOI	Other
System settings at time of sampling	Bunker tank in use :			Type	V	O
	Separator configuration :				C	
	Fuel temp at separator inlet :			Label	VPS	MARPOL
					FSC	Other
Reported problems	Are these samples submitted due to fuel related problems :			Ch. Eng	Y	N
	<i>Use reverse to provide more info on the experienced problems</i>					
Sample 1	Sampling position* :	#		Supplier	Y	N
	Sampling date :	Time :		Surveyor	Y	N
	Seal number :			VPS Bottle	Y	N
Sample 2	Sampling position* :	#		Seal intact	Y	N
	Sampling date :	Time :		Extra seal info		
	Seal number :					
Sample 3	Sampling position* :	#		AWB		
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
Sample 4	Sampling position* :	#		Date sent		
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
Sample 5	Sampling position* :	#		Sent from		
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
Sample 6	Sampling position* :	#		Comments		
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
Sample 7	Sampling position* :	#				
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
Sample 8	Sampling position* :	#				
	Sampling date :	Time :				
	Seal number :					
*See reverse for instructions Use multiple forms in case more than eight (8) samples are submitted						
Chief Engineer's Signature		Date	Vessel's stamp	Verified by / Date / Time		

Additional information

Recommended sampling position & identification *(please also refer to Instruction Manual part 1)*

For analysis results to be useful, sampling must be carefully carried out at key locations throughout the fuel oil system.

- Transfer pump sample, to assess whether settling has taken place in the storage tank.
- Before separator sample, to assess the performance of the settling tank and to be able to assess the efficiency and performance of the separators.
- After separator sample(s), to assess the efficiency and performance of the individual separators. When multiple separators are in use one sample should be drawn after each separator in use. When multiple separators are in use please indicate the number behind the sampling location in this form.
- After service tank sample, to assess the quality of the fuel in the service tank and whether any impurities has entered the fuel after the separators.
- Before engine, to assess the quality of the fuel as consumed by the engines.

In order to make the assessment of the analysis results to be as meaningful as possible, the samples should be drawn within a short period of time and when the fuel from the last bunkering has displaced the fuel oil from the previous delivery.

Before/after separator sampling should take place in between the de-sludging cycles. For instance, if discharge interval is set to two hours, the samples should be taken one hour after a discharge. First the separator inlet sample is taken, and immediately after that, the sample of the cleaned oil at the separator outlet should be taken.

For safety reasons it is NOT recommended to take samples from the booster system. Safety precautions should be taken if such samples need to be drawn because the fuel oil at this point has an elevated temperature and is kept under relatively high pressure.