

Real-time and accelerated aging tests and beyond

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1. Introduction & Motivation
2. Real-time testing using an analytical instrument
3. Physical acceleration using another analytical instrument
4. Summary & Outlook



1. Introduction of LUM GmbH

1994 | 1998 Company foundation
| 1st Instrument sold
to Pharma company

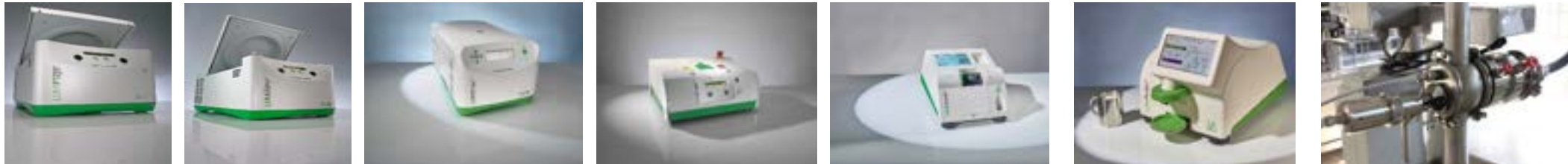


2022

51 People

Subsidiaries: Lab, at-line, inline instruments to characterize particles, suspensions, emulsions, coatings, composites, materials.

LUM Corp. (USA)
LUM China
LUM Japan
LUM France



The Next STEP™ in Dispersion Analysis & Materials Testing

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1. Motivation for (Accelerated) Stability Testing

- Market demands: short development cycles + products stable for a long time + *shelf life* of cosmetic, home and personal care products: months till years.
- **But**, the formulations are **complex**, have **many** ingredients, **various** influences and interactions (internal + external) during product lifetime.



Face Make up 6-12 months

(Liquid: liquid foundation, concealing liquids, liquid/cream blush, eyeshadow, etc.) <http://www.buzzle.com/articles/makeup-expiration-dates-shelf-life-of-makeup.html> (15.2.2012)

What to do? & How to do?

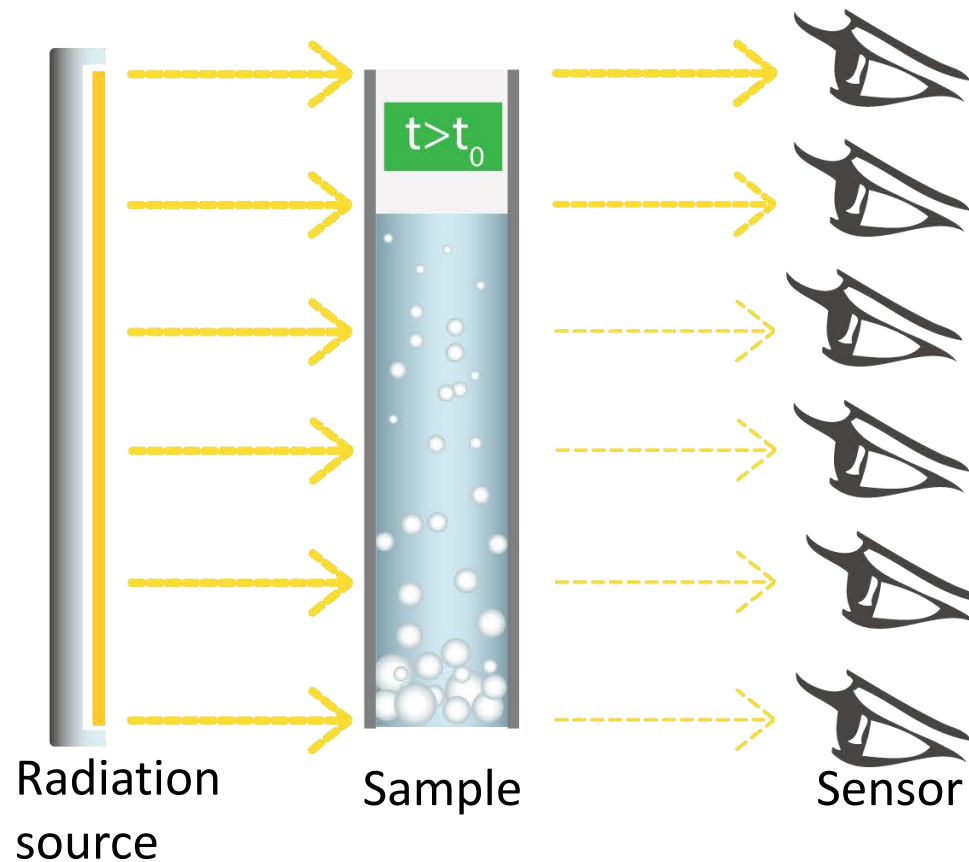
Instrumental methods for accelerated stability testing are suggested by ISO/TR 13097:2013 (Guidelines for the characterization of dispersion stability)

<https://www.iso.org/standard/52802.html>, 28.9.2020, 09:58

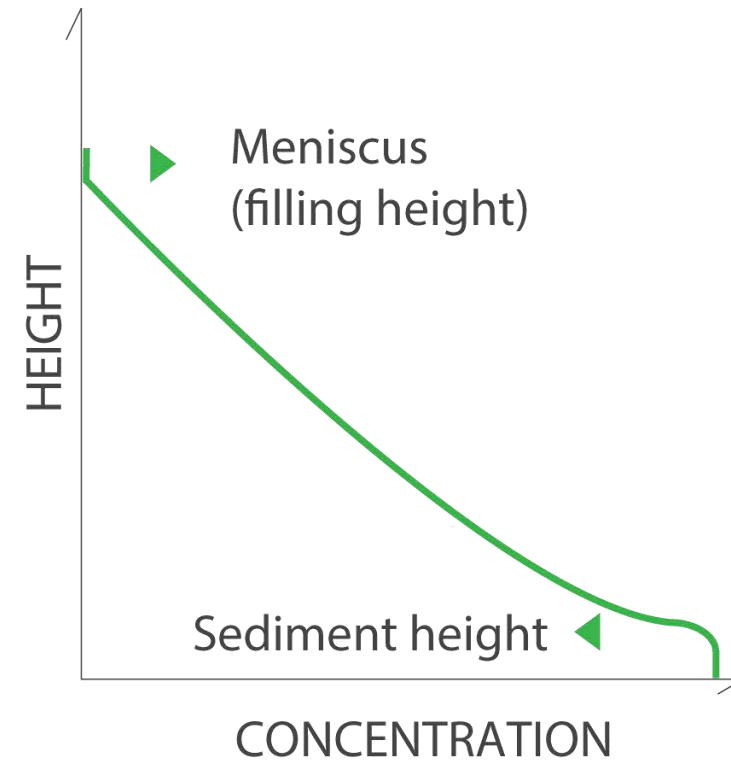
and ISO/TR 18811:2018 (Cosmetics -Guidelines on the stability testing of cosmetic products).

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2. STEP: Space and Time resolved Extinction Profiles

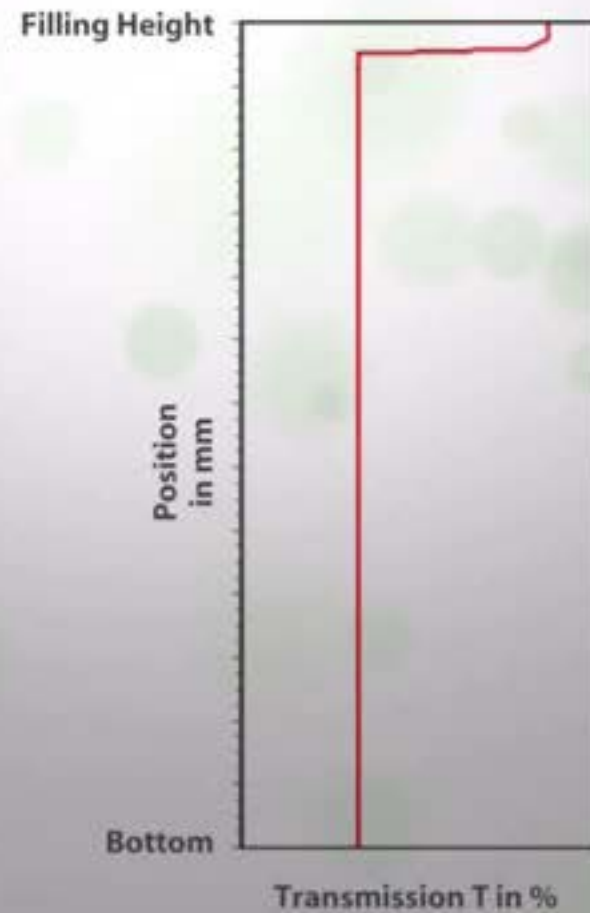


NIR light for almost all samples
Blue light for nanoparticles, transparent formulations
X-ray for high concentrated sediments and inorganic particles



Concentration at any position
at a selected time
or at any time at a selected position

Polydisperse Creaming



2. Basics of STEP-Technology[®] at gravity

Particle migration

Low particle concentration

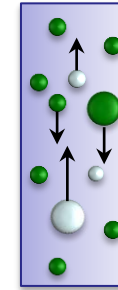
Stokes law*:

$$v_{Stokes} = \frac{h}{t} = \frac{(\rho_p - \rho_l) \cdot x^2 \cdot g}{18 \cdot \eta} = K \cdot x^2 \cdot g$$

High particle concentration :

$$v = v_{Stokes} \cdot H(\phi)$$

- v particle velocity
- h settling distance
- t settling time
- ρ density
- η dynamic viscosity of continuous phase
- x particle size (diameter)
- g gravity
- $H(\phi)$ hindrance function
- ϕ volume concentration



*Comprehensive characterization of nano- and microparticles by in-situ visualization of particle movement using advanced sedimentation techniques, D. Lerche, KONA Powder and Particle Journal 34 (2017), https://www.jstage.jst.go.jp/article/kona/advpub/0/advpub_2019012/_article/21.1.19

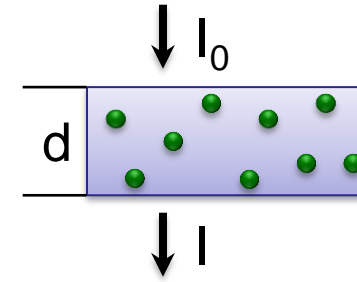
2. Basics of STEP-Technology®

Optical detection of particle concentration
Lambert-Beer law

$$-\ln \frac{I}{I_0} = E = \varepsilon \cdot \phi \cdot d$$

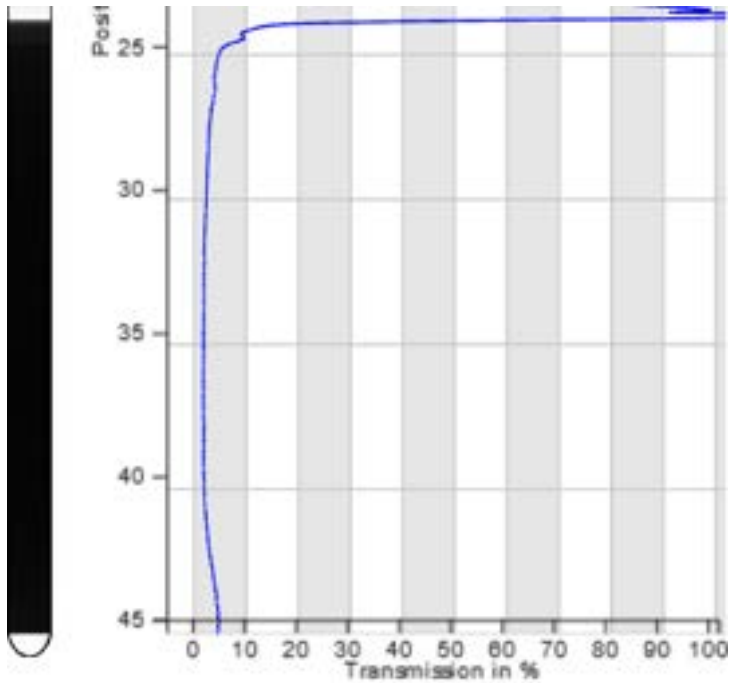
$$\varepsilon = f(\lambda, x, n, \dots)$$

- I_0 light factor | light intensity
- ε extinction coefficient
- d optical pathlength (sample cell thickness)
- λ wavelength
- n refractive index

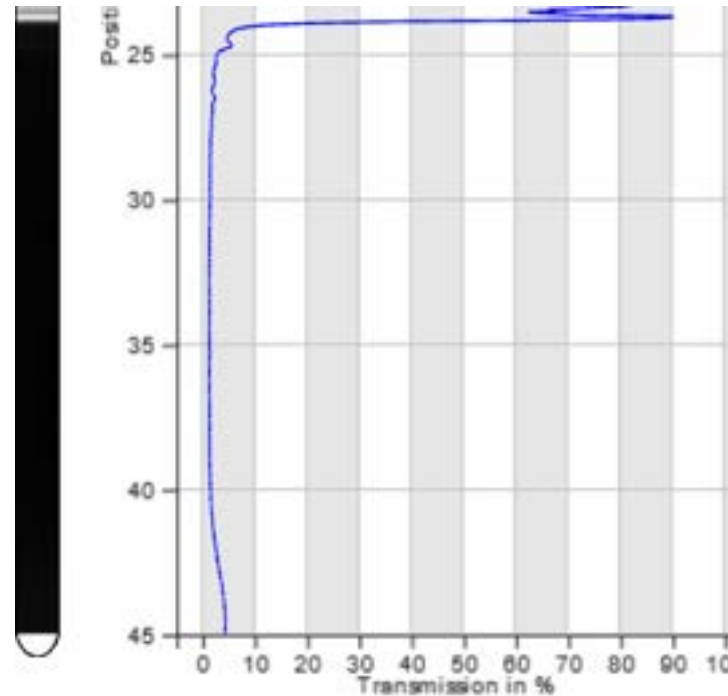


2. Real-time at gravity @constant temperature

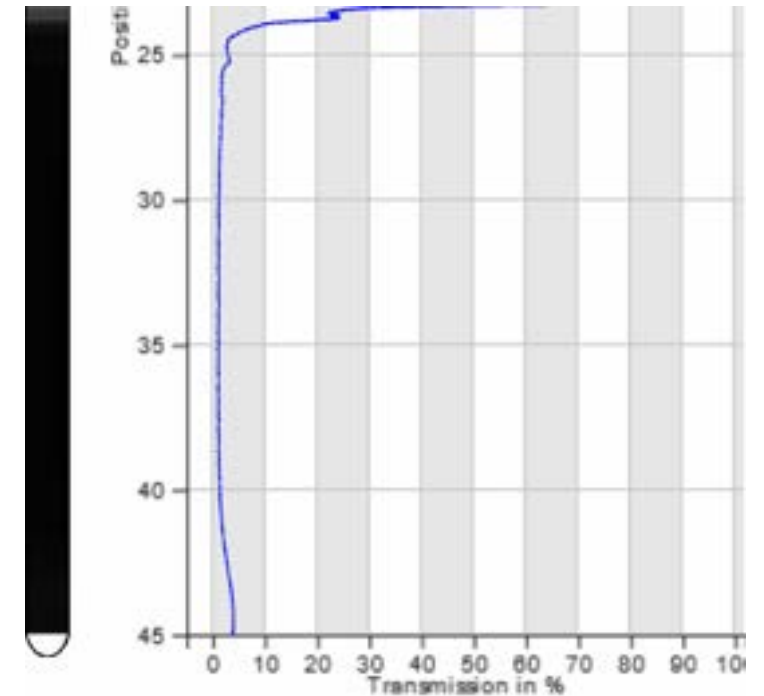
NIR 870 nm



Red 630 nm



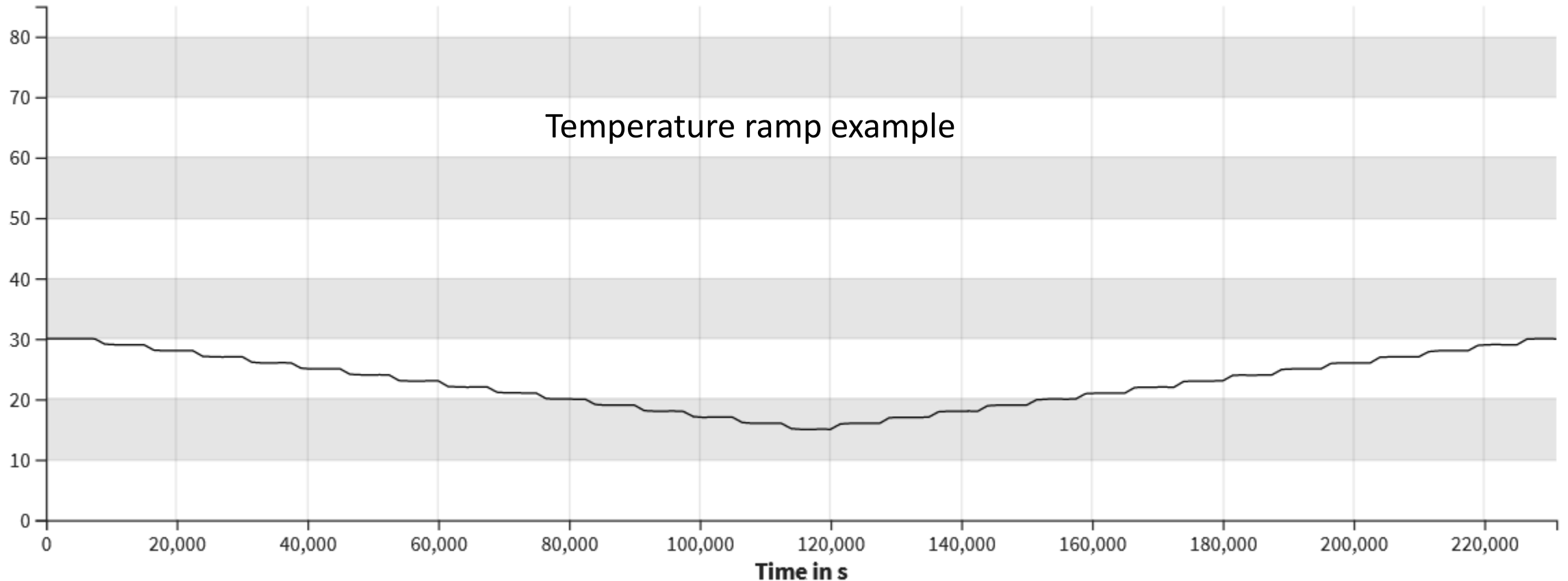
Blue 410 nm



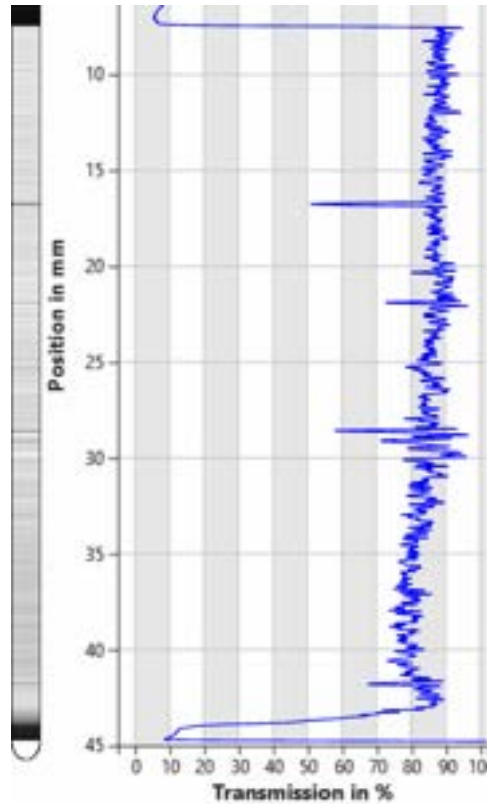
O/W-emulsion real-time separation at gravity, detected by LUMiReader PSA, three wavelengths simultaneously, 2 mm cell, 25 °C, first changes identified by NIR.

2. Quality of ingredients, real-time @gravity

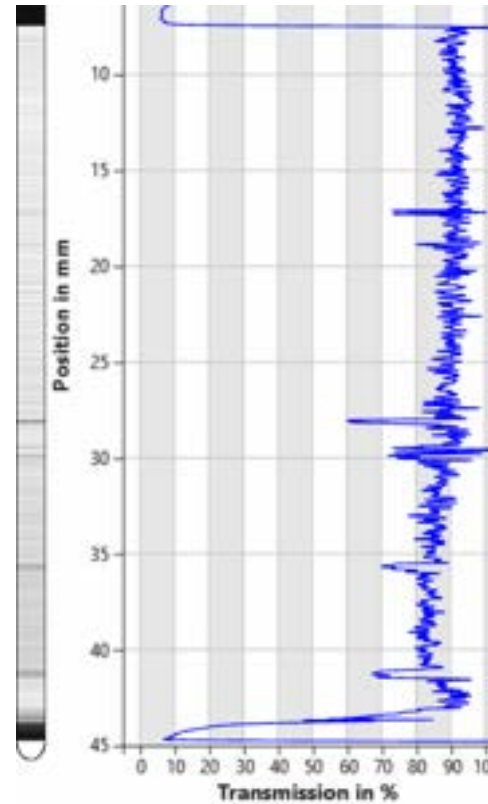
Temperature in °C



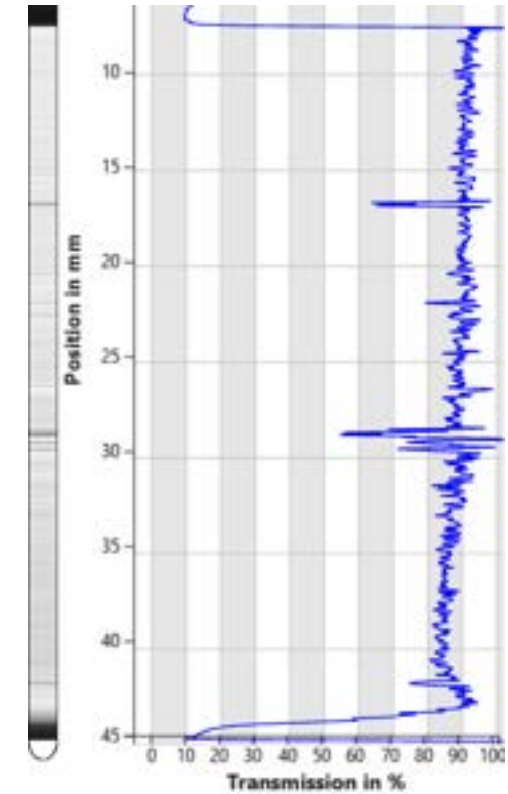
2. Three parallel views on a pure coconut oil



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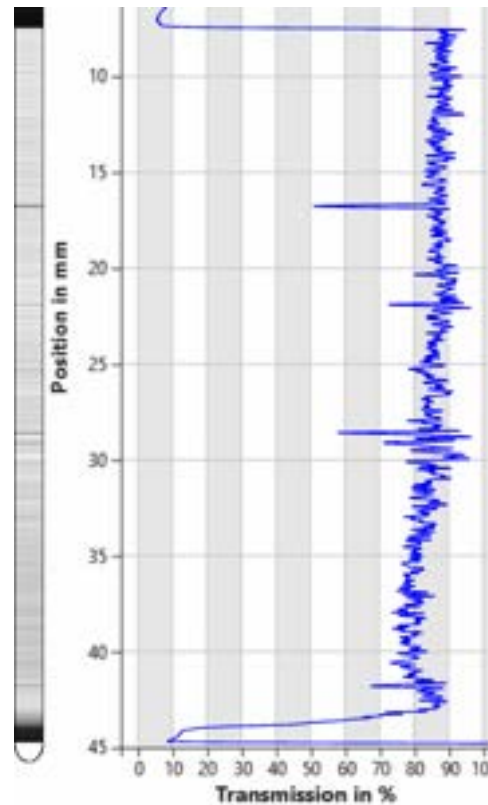
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Clear @30°C -> turbid @15°C -> again clear @30 °C, fully reversible

2. Comparing a **pure** with a **contaminated** coconut oil



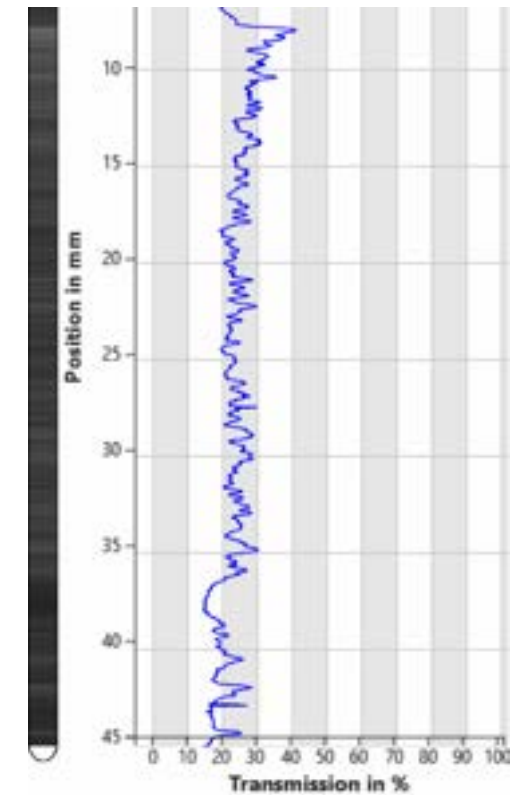
NIR 870 nm

Clear @30°C
-> turbid @15°C
-> again clear @30 °C
fully reversible

Less transparent @30°C,
Sedimentation of some
contaminants

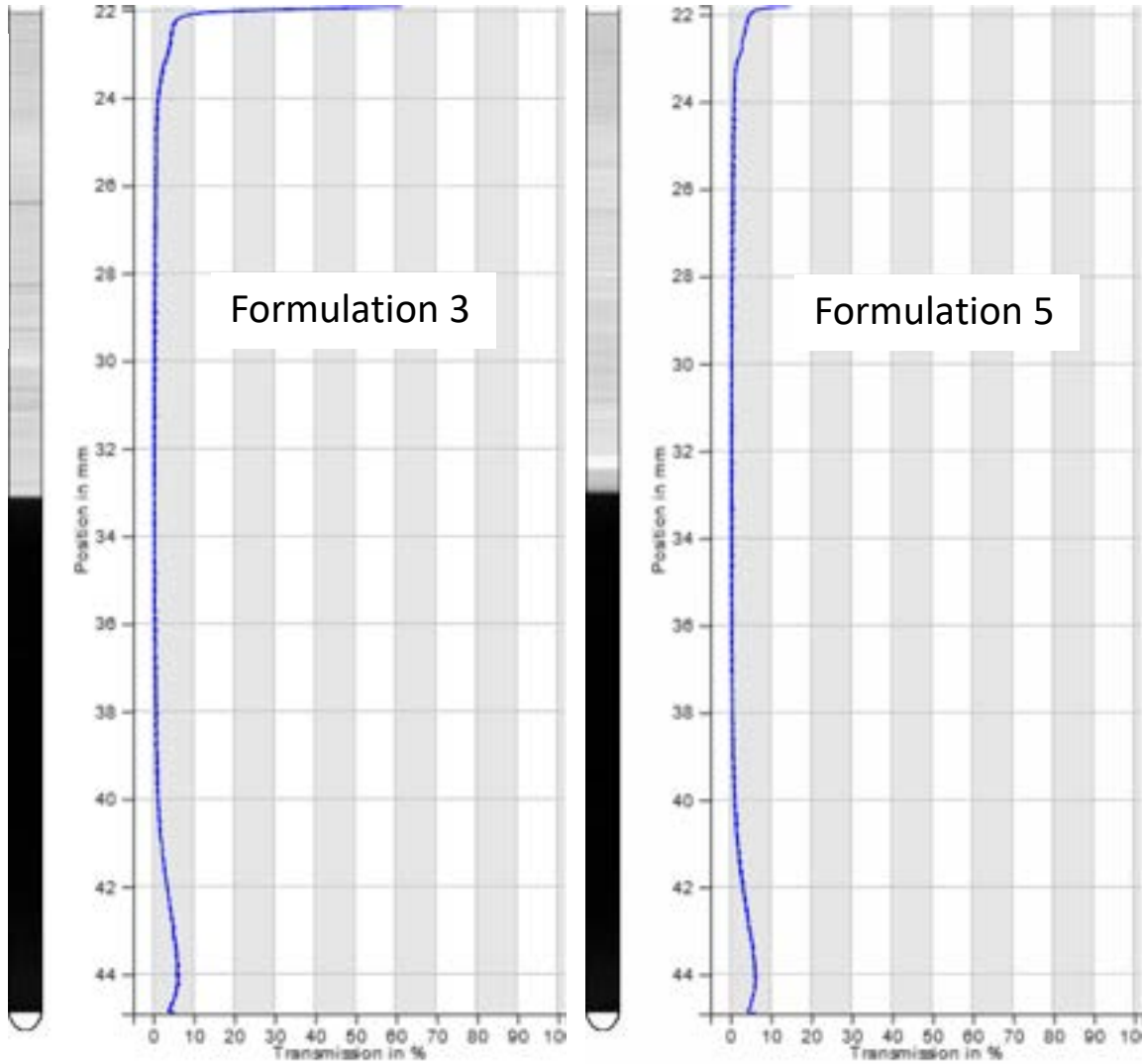
-> turbid @15°C

-> more transparent @30 °C,
non-settled particles scatter
NIR = remains contaminated

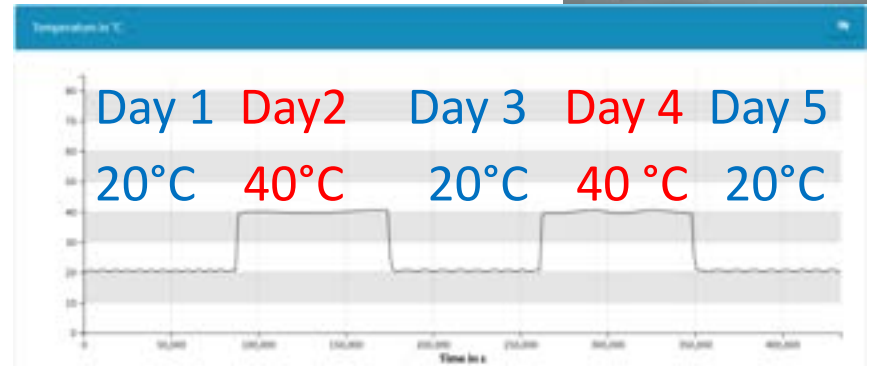


NIR 870 nm

2. Challenges of Real-time Testing (5 days, gravity, temp. ramp)



Replay of all NIR measurement data of 5 days – animated gifs.



-> **NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE** detected by naked eye or by the more sensitive instrument LRPSA 452 using near-infrared (NIR) wavelength.

Do we need much longer than 5 days?
Is there another chance for quick results?

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3. Basics of STEP-Technology[®] at **higher** gravity

Particle migration

Low particle concentration

Stokes law:

$$v_{Stokes} = \frac{h}{t} = \frac{(\rho_p - \rho_l) \cdot x^2 \cdot g \cdot RCA}{18 \cdot \eta} = K \cdot x^2 \cdot g \cdot RCA$$

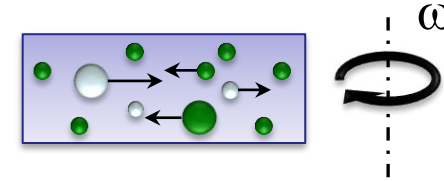
$$RCA = a/g^*$$

$$a = (2 \cdot \pi \cdot n)^2 \cdot r = \omega^2 \cdot r$$

High particle concentration:

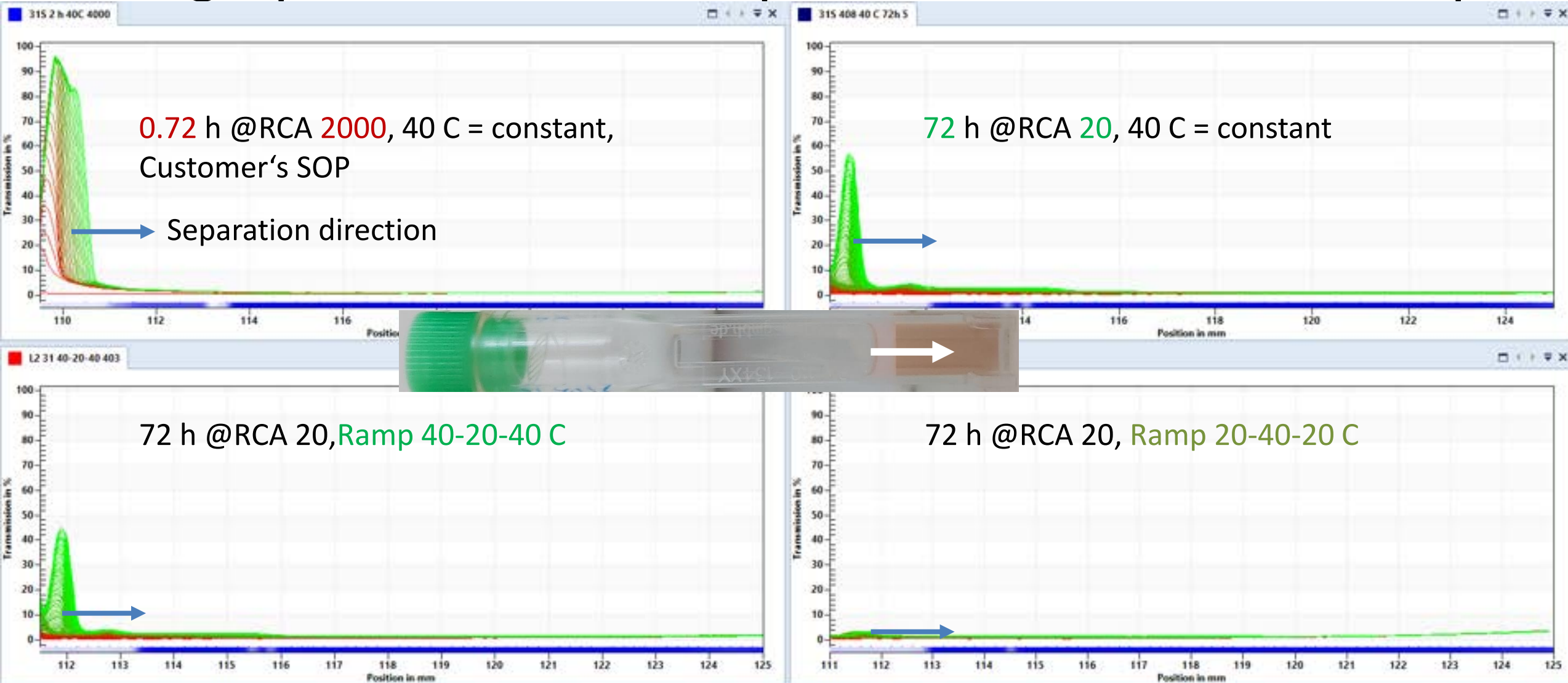
$$v = v_{Stokes} \cdot H(\phi)$$

- a applied local gravity
- n frequency of revolution
- r distance from the axis of rotation
- ω angular speed
- RCA relative centrifugal acceleration



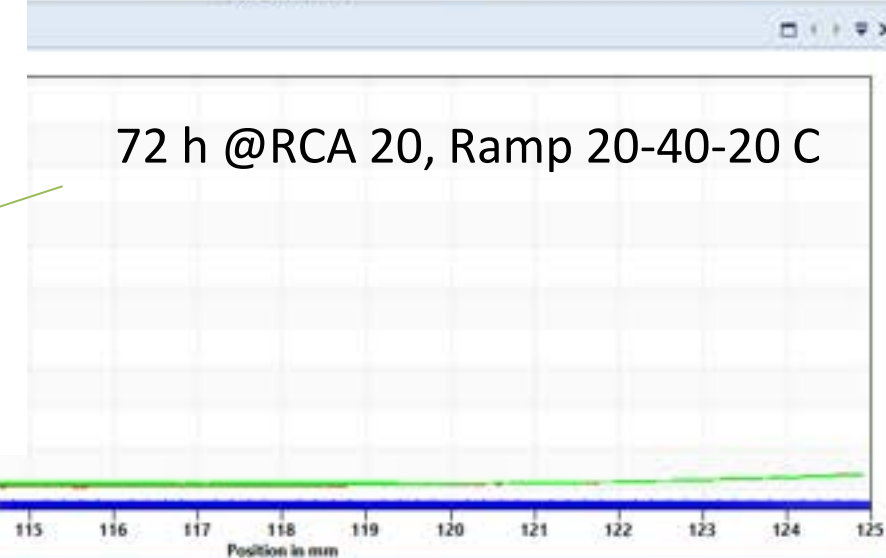
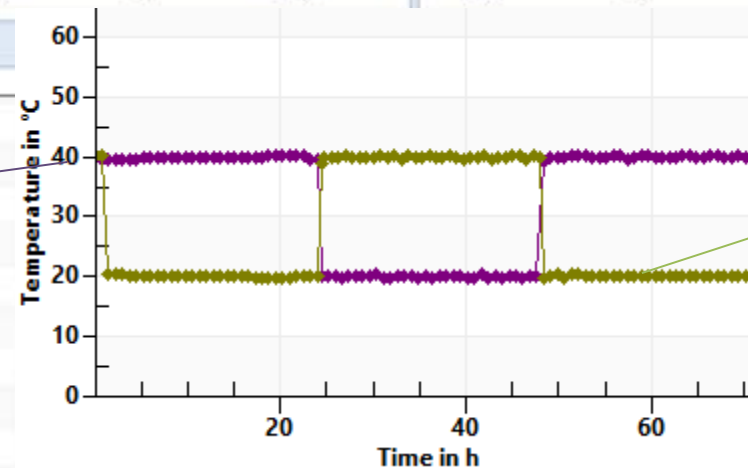
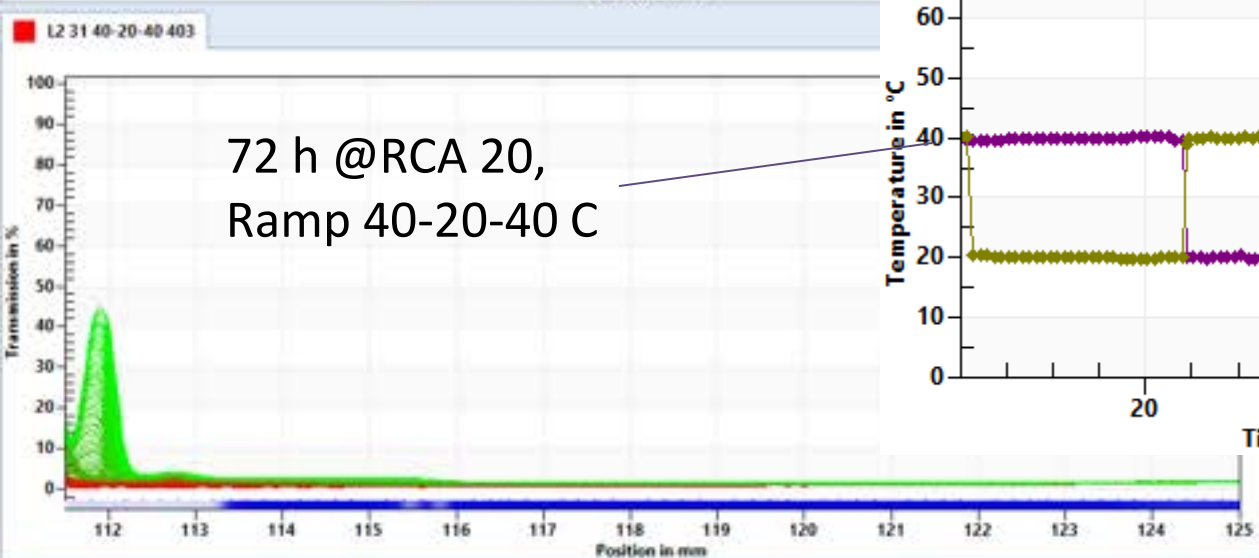
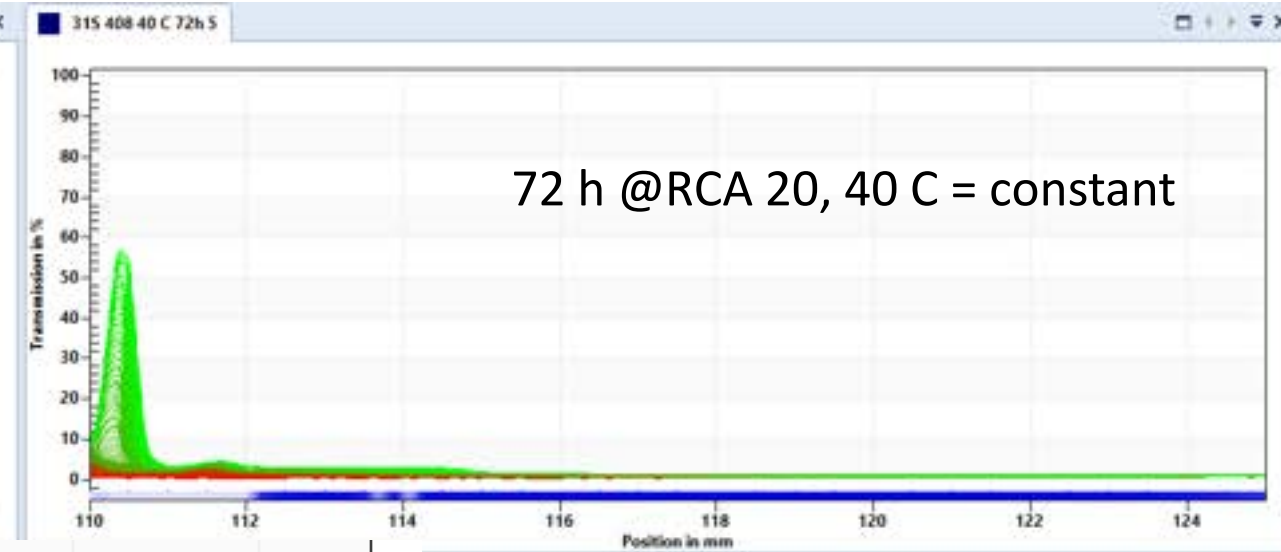
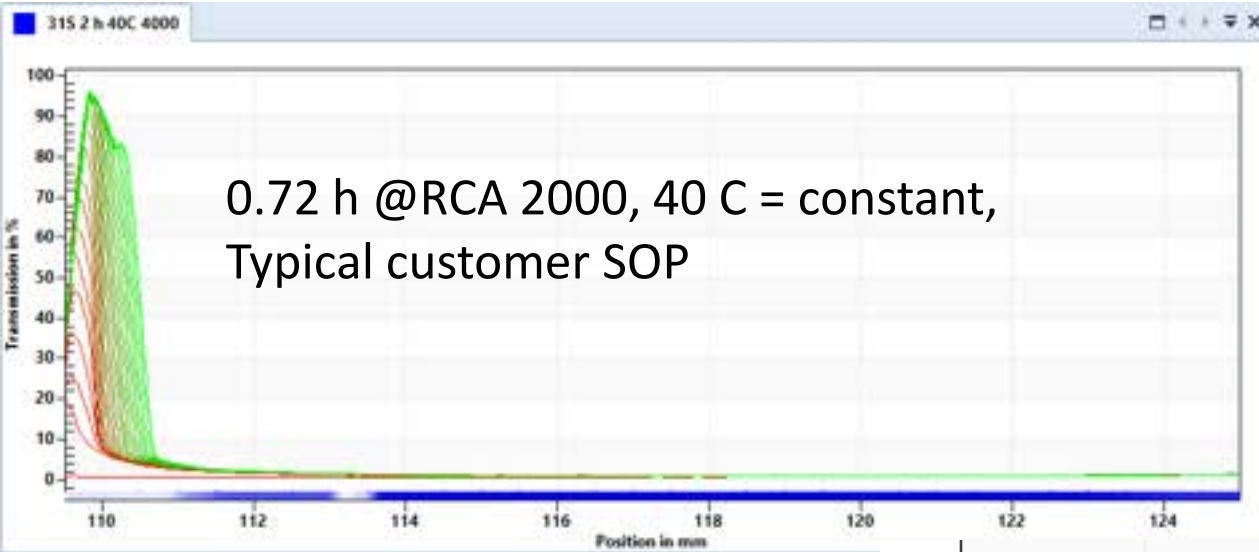
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3. Fingerprints of 1 Make up without and with T-Ramp

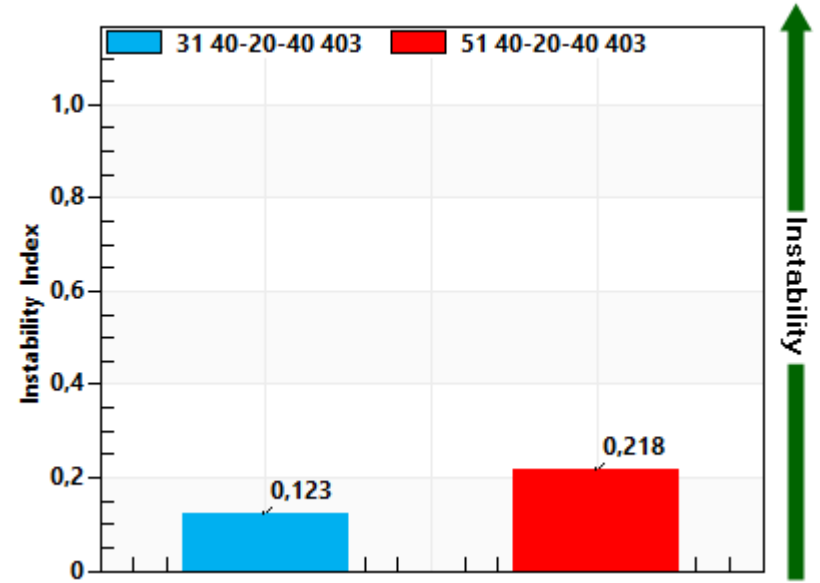


Measured as purchased, in original concentration. Photo after 2.25 h @RCA 2000, 40 C.

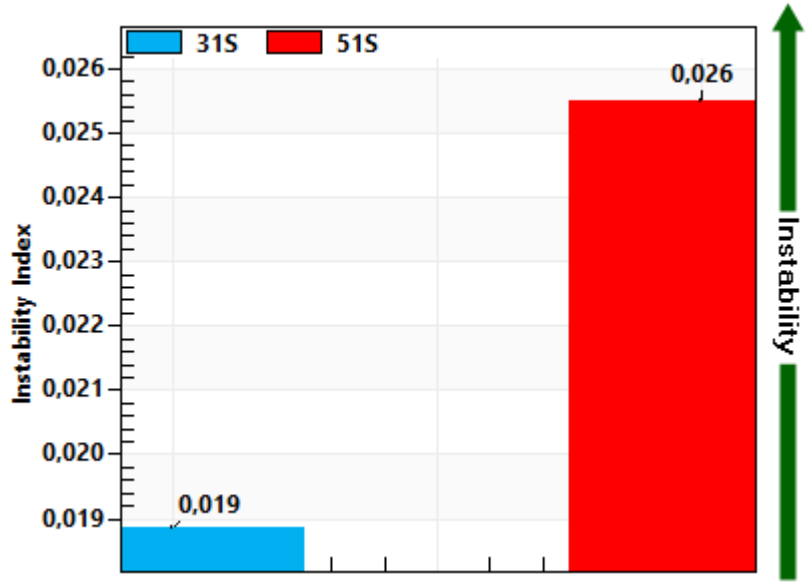
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3. Comparison of two commercial Make up formulations



After 70 h @RCA 20, Ramp 40-20-40 C.



After 70 h @RCA 20, Ramp 20-40-20 C.

Same ranking at all conditions. **Temperature ramp at low RCA allows for more detailed investigation of diffusion driven destabilization processes.**

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4. Real-time *view* on cosmetic products and ingredients

Multiwavelength-Separation Analyser LUMiReader® PSA 452

1. **Real-time** testing at constant temperature or with a temperature ramp.
2. **Faster** detection of changes than by naked eye.
3. Samples are measured in their **original concentration**.
4. ISO/TR 13097, ISO/TR 18811 applied.



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Further opportunities in
the same
Multi-wavelength
LUMiReader PSA 452.

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4. Accelerated *view* on cosmetic products & ingredients

Multiwavelength-Dispersion Analyser LUMiSizer® 651

1. **Direct** stability testing of up to 12 samples in original concentration under identical conditions.
2. **Direct** physically accelerated testing with RCA 6-2300.
3. **NOW with temperature ramping as additional option**, besides constant temperature between +4 and +60 C.
4. **Rapid** formulation **screening** due to accelerated testing.
5. **SAVE TIME & MONEY & STORAGE SPACE.**
Reduce the no. of formulations for subsequent real-time tests.
6. For further opportunities of the instrument see next slide, please.



Your further opportunities
with the same
Multi-wavelength-LUMiSizer.



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Thank you!



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