



Barrel DIRC – Material Screening Test Set-Up

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Detection of possible impacts on the bar surface caused by outgassing of bar box materials.

- 4 independent bar/material container (1 for reference)
- System monitoring and data logging with Siemens SPS S7-1500
- Adjustable nitrogen flow rate in range 0.002...0.1 l/min
- Optional material container heating
- Measurements started end of Jan 2023



Nitrogen Supply

inlet temperature sensor

Pressure regulator inside: work pressure 1 bar (relative) Nitrogen batteries outdoor: DIN 1066 – Nitrogen 5.0 99.999 Vol. % Safety issue: single gas detector for oxygen





inlet pressure transmitter





Nitrogen outlet: outdoor line

Test-Container Design

Separated bar/test-material container to enable the exchange of material containers.



Material Stacks (CFRP)

- First measurements started with "common" CFRP stack
- "original" CFRP stack will be ready soon (manufactured ca. 1 year ago)
- Replacement with a recently manufactured material is possible





"common" CFRP stack:

- stacked 0.3mm sheets on 2mm spacers
- reached surface area ≈ 3.99m² (bar-box inner surface ≈ 0.95m²)
- exact composition of sample is unknown



"original" CFRP stack:

- · remaining material from first bar-box prototype
- stacked 2.6mm sheets on 2mm spacers
- reached surface area ≈ 0.4m² (bar-box inner surface ≈ 0.95m²)
- exact composition is known

Loading and Unloading Bars







stabilizing aluminum plate



Data-Logging

- Records interval: 5min
- SPS webserver access











Thank you for your attention.