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NAPT Newsletter

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What does NAPT have that the other calibration PT providers don't have?

National Association for Proficiency Testing (NAPT) dares you to compare its services against other calibration PT providers. Take a closer look...you'll find NAPT rises to the top every time.

	NAPT	THEM
Full Time Staff	✓	✗
Price	\$	\$\$\$
Access to Technical Advisors	✓	✗
Years of Experience & Trust	25+	?
Data Compared to National Labs	✓	?
Full Service	✓	✗
Customer Portal	✓	✗
Customers Can Use Same Metrology Tools as NAPT	✓ <small>GMS Navigator</small>	✗

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Call 952-303-6126 or email nap@proficiency.org today to get started!

*For New Customers: Switch to use NAPT and Receive \$200 off your first invoice. Valid through December 20, 2019.

Metrology Terminology

Datum — In metrology, a datum is simply an idealized reference feature from which another features' orientation, position, or other characteristic is defined. Datums can be many types of features, planes, cylinders, points, centerlines, constructions or offsets from other features, anything that can be measured or established for use in locating other features.

Measurand - Any quantity being measured. The term applies to any type of measurement, mass, force, luminosity, etc. in dimensional metrology, one could also call an object, or a feature of an object being measured a measurand and be understood.

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NAPT & International Shipping

It is a real pleasure for NAPT to serve the metrology community both domestically as well as internationally. National Association for Proficiency Testing has increased over the years the number of international participants. But with the increase of international participants comes with it the logistical side of shipping kits.

NAPT makes it a firm policy that a minimum of two labs must be signed up in the same country in order for a kit to ship to the requesting country. The reason being is NAPT is trying to balance the cost for an international participant. When NAPT has multiple labs sign up for the kit labs share the cost which elevates any one international participant from paying both the importing and exporting fees. This information may be found in NAPT's General Instructions.


We are fortunate to have staff who will provide all the required documentation leaving a participant with only the printing, signing, and slapping a label on the protective cardboard box. All international shipping is done via Ground service.

Please do not hesitate to contact NAPT staff with any questions.

****BETTER THAN EVER, see the new updates to the QMS NAVIGATOR** – *Quality Management Software*

Basic Pack – ISO 17025 Companion / **ILC/PT Pro Pack** – ISO 17043 Companion / **360° Pack** – Combines the Basic and ILC/PT Pro Pack in one.

100% Web Based - Built on Industry Standard Technology – Accessible through modern browsers

Login to the demo site today to test drive the QMS  Navigator.
Site: <https://secure.gcmtotalsolutions.com/>

Username: demo@demosite.com
Password: [admin](#)



NAPT wants to hear what kind of proficiency test you need. Chances are other labs need it to. Help NAPT develop new kits in 2019.

Featured SPOTLIGHT

New ILC/PT now available- Coming soon

**Please contact NAPT for kit availabilities*

**You do not need to be a member of NAPT to take advantage of these reduced prices! This is a \$275 savings!*

ANNOUNCEMENT:

Watch for a price increase to ILC/PTs October 1, 2019.

Quarterly ILC/PTs - \$300

Each quarter NAPT offers select proficiency tests at a reduced fee. (These ILC/PTs are purchased outside membership packages.) NAPT is offering the following ILC/PTs this quarter for \$300.

- ANTR-dB Loss-210
- PRESSURE-1318
- FORCE-203
- MASS-417
- RESISTANCE-415
- DUROMETER-218

Quarterly Reduced ILC/PTs

[Sign Up Today!](#)

If you have questions, feel free to contact Liz at elizabeth@proficiency.org or Bobbie at bobbie@proficiency.org

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SPOTLIGHT

NAPT has a *Referral Program* that rewards a lab for referring another lab who does proficiency testing with NAPT. **Receive \$50 off** your next invoice when you refer a lab.



About Our Organization...

NAPT is incorporated as a 501(c) (3) scientific and educational nonprofit organization dedicated to the improvement of measurement quality.

MISSION

Our Mission Our mission is to provide our customers with the best information, tools and service to help them improve measurement processes and results through participation in intra laboratory comparisons, proficiency testing and round-robins.

Our Quality Policy NAPT provides our clients with an unbiased analysis of measurement processes to enhance awareness of their technical competence and data integrity.

Our Objectives NAPT's main objective is to support our mission by providing professional management and program administration, coordination, data processing and reporting for intra laboratory comparisons, proficiency testing, and round-robins.

“Very pleased with the NAPT operation. Each step is clear and documented. Responses are prompt and professional. Preliminary and final reports are very comprehensive.”

Anonymous testimonial

“The people are friendly and helpful. A good crew. Thank you so much.”

“You guys are doing a good job, keep it up!”

Member Testimonial

“NAPT has been able provide our industry with the appropriate types of tests related our scope of accreditation. We appreciate your organization! Thanks.”

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