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# **NAPT Newsletter**

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### Special Interest Articles:

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   Welcomes
   NASA
- What does NAPT have that the other ILC/PT providers do not?

# NAPT Welcomes the NASA Metrology and Calibration Working Group

The National Association for Proficiency Testing (NAPT) is proud to welcome the NASA Metrology and Calibration Working Group (MCWG) as NAPT's newest participants!

NAPT looks forward to working the NASA MCWG showing them just how easy proficiency testing can be with the help of NAPT!

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What does NAPT have that the other ILC/PT providers do not?



Customer Service, Customer Service!

Exceptional Customer Service is the key to any business. At NAPT, whether you are a new participant, a returning participant or a current participant NAPT listens to your needs and goes the extra mile to make sure your proficiency testing experience brings you back time and time again.



NAPT has more than 80 kits in distribution. Each ILC/PT kit is inspected before leaving NAPT and upon return to NAPT. Working together with each participant is how NAPT is able to insure all kits are well transported and in their best working condition upon receipt at another participant's facility.

Reward Programs. There are several ways to save money using NAPT. Becoming a member of NAPT allows your organization to receive membership discounts on ILC/PT participation and to start earning *Appreciation Points*. Members can earn up to 10 points per ILC/PTs and after just 40 points you will earn a free ILC/PT of your choice. *Quarterly Discounted ILC/PTs*. Each quarter NAPT offers discounted ILC/PT kits to any participant, whether or not you are a member. Listing of all the discounted ILC/PT kits can be found on NAPT's website and/or in the Quarterly Newsletter.

Top Ranked Services. 80+ ILC/PT kits to choose from; Intra Laboratory Comparisons for those ILC/PT kits NAPT has not already developed; The Online Management Application (OMA) to manage your own Proficiency Testing and The Customer Portal including easy viewing of current and past participations, a place to request an ILC/PT kit, enter data and more!

Experience. NAPT is an accredited ILC/PT provider with 19+ years of doing business with the Metrology Community. A proud supporter of the MSC and NCSLI NAPT has demonstrated it is the only ILC/PT provider that can provide same day results.

# Announcements



### **New Referral Program:**

NAPT is rolling out a new referral program. Receive \$50 off your next invoice when you refer a NEW participant who purchases ILC/PT(s) and/or a membership with ILC/PT(s) participation.

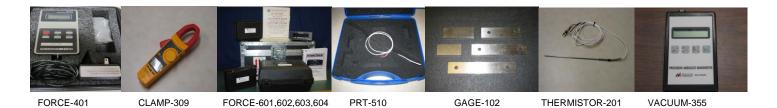
\*\*NAPT members who refer a new participant can request to add 5 Appreciation Points in lieu of the \$50 off.

New ILC/PT: Acoustic Digital Sound Level Meter - NAPT-Sound level-115

In July, NAPT will begin the Round Robin for the DC 10Volt NAPT-ELECTRICALs732B ILC/PT, to secure your place in line, please contact a NAPT staffer today.

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# Quarterly Reduced Priced ILC/PTs



Each quarter NAPT offers select proficiency tests at a reduced fee. NAPT is offering the following ILC/PTs this quarter only for \$300:

CLAMP-309

FORCE-401

FORCE-601, 602, 603, 604

**GAGE-201** 

PRT-510

THERMISTOR-201

VACUUM-355

This is a \$275 savings!

\*These artifacts are outside PTs purchased in a member's ILC/Package at the time of enrollment or renewal.

You need not be a member of NAPT to take advantage of these reduced prices!

### Sign Up Today!

If you have questions, feel free to contact Karen at karen@proficiency.org

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REMINDER: NAPT's ADDRESS HAS CHANGED

Please have your accounting department change NAPT's address to 4445 West 77<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 212, Edina, MN 55435.

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## **SPOTLIGHT**

### **Quarterly Featured ILC/PTs**

NAPT offers members and nonmembers each quarter the opportunity to order reduced ILC/PTs, these ILC/PTs can save a participant \$275.

As a thank you, members earn 5
Appreciation Points automatically for enrollment in one of the Quarterly Featured ILC/PTs. These ILC/PTs are also outside any packages purchased by a member.

You may view a listing of the Quarterly Featured ILC/PTs on NAPT's website at <a href="https://www.proficiency.org/News/Quarterly">www.proficiency.org/News/Quarterly</a> Featured ILC/PT Plan.

## **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.

## About Our Organization...

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



"You folks have a good organization there. I like having you as our PT provider."

G. Greiner, Alcoa Howmet Research Center Member 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 to provide our industry with the appropriate types of tests related to our scope of accreditation. We appreciate your organization! Thanks."

Member Testimonial