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Problem

New validity of test results : see within 5 % and within 10 %
It is not very clear from what value the 5 % and 10 % should be taken:

Possible solutions :

- Within 5 (10) % of the minimum value
- Within 5 (10) % of the maximum value
- Within 5 (10) % of the average of the 3 results

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To be validated, test results shall comply with the criteria in the specified range of values given in Table 1.

Table 1 — Criteria for the validity of test results

Gross heat of combustion	Max. and min. of the three replicated tests	Range of validity
Q_{PCS} (MJ/kg)	$\leq 0,2$ MJ/kg Within 5 % Within 10 %	From 0 MJ/kg to 3,2 MJ/kg From 3,2 MJ/kg to 20,0 MJ/kg Greater than 20,0 MJ/kg
Q_{PCS} (MJ/m ²) ^a	$\leq 0,1$ MJ/m ² Within 5 % Within 10 %	From 0 MJ/m ² to 4,1 MJ/m ² From 4,1 MJ/m ² to 20 MJ/m ² Greater than 20 MJ/m ²
^a For non-substantial components only.		

Agreement

The value should be taken from within 5 (10) % of the average of the 3 results