

Project Summary

The summary below provides a quick understanding of our scope of work and general testing procedures. Enclosed in the report is further detail about your building performance including recommendations, asset data, and pictures. Our focus is to work with the trades to remedy any issues or deficiencies during the actual field balancing and not after the balancing has occurred to achieve a positive environment and outcome. The level of success is determined by the availability of the trades, possible parts needed, or time constraints.

RTU's (Roof Top Units) w/ Diffusers

Each of the RTU's were measured at their terminal devices or via traverse to establish a total flow for that unit. Each RTU was adjusted to within tolerance of the engineer's design flow. Each outlet was then adjusted to within tolerance of the design flow. Outside air was measured by reading the intake air opening with a velocity grid and multiplying by the free area. The outside air damper was adjusted until the airflow was within the design requirements. Any equipment that fell outside of that tolerance is noted throughout the report.

Variable Air Volume (VAV) Terminals

The VAV's were calibrated in a call for max cooling and the correction factors are reported on the individual asset. While in a call for full cooling, the individual air devices were then balanced within design tolerance. The VAVs were then stroked to minimum cool and the airflow values reported. The VAV was then stroked to heating and the airflow values reported. It was verified that there was a sufficient temp rise on each VAV.

Kitchen Exhaust Hood & Associated Fans (Halton)

Each kitchen exhaust fan was measured by taking static pressure at the exhaust plenum and comparing to OEM performance data. The total flow of the exhaust was then adjusted to tolerance of the engineers design flow.

Final Building Tests

After completing the test and balance the final building pressure was measured. It was confirmed that the building pressure fell within acceptable tolerances of $-0.02''$ wc to $+0.02''$ wc and that the pressure measurement coincides with the actual and design net airflow. Any deviations from these standards are noted throughout the report.

The hood capture was tested at the perimeter of the hood and the cook top level with the equipment heat on to ensure satisfactory hood capture and containment