

Project Summary

The summary below provides a quick understanding of our scope of work and general testing procedures. Enclosed in the report are further details 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.

FCU's w/ Diffusers

Each of the FCU's were measured at their terminal devices utilizing a flow hood. The sum of these readings is equal to the total flow for that particular unit. The total flow of each FCU was then adjusted to within tolerance of the specified design. Each terminal diffuser was balanced to within tolerance of the engineer's design volume utilizing the provided hand damper located at the takeoff of the main & branch trunk line(s). Any equipment that fell outside of this tolerance is noted throughout the report.

Kitchen Exhaust Hood & Associated Fans

Each kitchen exhaust fan was measured at the hood filter bay utilizing a velocity matrix and a manufacturer's correction factor. Each filter velocity is multiplied by the manufacturer's corrected area. The sum of these readings equals the total flow of the exhaust fans. The total flow of the exhaust was then adjusted to within tolerance of the design flow. Any EF's that fell outside of this tolerance is noted throughout the report.

MUA (Make Up Air Unit) w/ PSP

Total flow for the MAU (Make-up Air Unit) unit was measured by readings taken at the discharge of the hood's perforated supply plenum. Readings taken with a velocity matrix were averaged and multiplied by a manufacturer's corrected area. Adjustments to the fan speed were made in order to bring the unit to within design tolerance. Any MUA's that fell outside of this tolerance is noted throughout the report.

Ceiling Exhaust Fans

The ceiling exhaust fans were measured using a flow hood. If speed adjustment was provided, the fan speed was adjusted to within design tolerance. Any equipment that fell outside of this tolerance is noted throughout the report.

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.