

### HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> & John Deere Constituent Sensing

### Training

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### John Deere - HarvestLab™







### What is John Deere Constituent Sensing?



HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> enhanced with John Deere Constituent Sensing provides the capability to measure not just moisture but also constituents in fresh and ensiled crops for the first time.

- ➢ on the SPFH and
- > as mobile/stationary unit









### HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> Sensor

NIRS Technology: Near Infrared Reflectance Spectroscopy sensor.

• Depending on the moisture content of the material, a certain portion of the light in the infrared range is reflected. The higher the moisture content, the lower the amount of reflected light.

• The intensity of the reflected light is registered by a sensor and transformed to a signal, which is transmitted to the CAN bus.





### LEGEND:

- A Light
- B Special Glass (Flange)
- C Crop Flow
- D Dispersion Unit
- E Photodiodes
- F Emitted Light
- G Reflected Portion of Light
- H Dispersed Light (Spectrum Colors)





- In a graphic display an reflection curve (similar to the one shown) would be obtained.
- This reflection curve corresponds to the absorptive capacity of the crop in the wavelength monitored.
- The absorptive capacity depends on the crop and its constituent content.



- The activation of the NIR sensor contains a very large number of these curves called calibration curves.
- When the NIR sensor performs a measuring procedure resulting in a reflection curve. Then this curve is compared with the reflection curves for the individual crop type previously entered.
- The NIR sensor is not like a moisture sensor on the combine, which is calibrated.
- The NIR sensor is loaded with calibration curves developed by laboratory. It has to be Black and White referenced once a year.



- The sensor was introduced into the market in 2007, with the main focus on John Deere SPFH.
- To enable the sensor to be used in other applications, a turntable had also been introduced to allow stationary measurements of forage material.
- At introduction HarvestLab was only able to measure moisture. Since August 2015, it can also measure other constituents within corn.



# BENEFITS TO THE CUSTOMER

### **Calibration accuracy and sampling**



Is that representative? → It shows at least a pretty good trend where the results are going to (totals/field or average accuracy value over the silo stock)



### How it works on the SPFH



- Sensor is mounted on spout
- → Calibrations are on sensor
- Analyzes material passing by
- Tests almost continuously; more than once per second!



You cannot measure more precise than with HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> all over the entire field!



### **Difference fresh and ensiled material**



### Calibration designed for <u>fresh</u> material

Calibration for <u>ensiled</u> material





BUT: Just ONE corn bundle



### **Product Overview –** stationary usage

- Identify feed quality
- Consistently measure & monitor silage quality
- Ability to measure continuously and receive the results directly (causes no shipping delays to laboratories and further delays in receiving the results)
- With permanent measuring, silage quality can be monitored and feed rations can be adopted immediately before the milk yield decreases
- Feed rations can be optimized economically as well
- Biogas plants can monitor and document starch content (e.g) based on corn varieties which helps for
- agronomic decisions
- Billing advantages based on quality
- The quality indicates the amount of gas production based on ton of silage





### **Available Activations**

Crop	<b>Region 2</b>	<b>Region 4</b>	Note
Corn Silage	Released	Released	Annual update
Alfalfa	Not available	Released	Annual update
Grass	Released	Not available	Annual update
WCS	Not available	Planned 2016	

Activations for freshly harvested and ensiled material are in each crop type included.



### **Constituents by Crop**

Crop	Moisture	ADF	NDF	Starch	Protein	Sugar
Corn Silage	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Alfalfa	Х	Х	Х		Х	Х
Grass	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х



### **John Deere Customer Value**





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# SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS AND UPDATE PROCEDURE

### **Components & Software versions**

Component	Software Version/ Part number
HarvestLab <sup>™</sup> Sensor	V51
GS3 2630 display (only)	SU2016-01
HMS controller (7000 Series SPFH)	AXE55856A (3.42E)
SPFHDOCC (8000 Series SPFH)	AXE30192B
Constituent Sensing Activation	(see next slide)
Programming Harness/ Connection box	KJD10568/ BZ100168
Turntable for stationary usage	BPF10844

Status: Feb 2016



### **Price page**

	Description	Order code	Base code
	Corn	881AZ	1010
R2	Corn Update 2015	881BZ	1005
	Grass	881CZ	2000
	Corn	0369PC	1051
D /	Corn Update 2015	0363PC	1070
K4	Alfalfa	0369PC	1052
	Alfalfa Update 2015	0363PC	1071

Please check AMS Price pages for latest updates.



### John Deere Constituent Sensing Activation

- 1. HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> Software update  $\rightarrow$  V51.
- 2. Open Web and write down challenge code. Follow instructions in HarvestLab Stationary use installation guide: PFP16068
- 3. StellarSupport  $\rightarrow$  Constituent Sensing Activation  $\rightarrow$  Sign in
- 4. Enter HarvestLab<sup>TM</sup> sensor serial number  $\rightarrow$  Challenge code  $\rightarrow$  COMAR order number
- 5. Download calibration file bundle (.zip file) and save it on PC.
- 6. Click "Activate" and receive activation code from StellarSupport
- Go back to HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> sensor → open website → navigate to "Calibration Administration page"
- 8. Upload calibration file bundle (.zip file) from PC to the HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> sensor
- 9. Do not unzip the file. The .zip file needs to be uploaded.
- 10. Calibrations will appear on "Calibration Administration page"  $\rightarrow$  Status "inactive"
- 11. Enter Activation code received from StellarSupport
- 12. Calibrations will appear on "Calibration Administration page" -> Status "active"
- 13. HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> sensor is ready for John Deere Constituent Sensing use



### **Points to remember**

- Update HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> sensor for JD Constituent Sensing functionality → V51
- Use USB stick for software update from:
  - V40  $\rightarrow$  V51. unzip file to USB stick
  - V42  $\rightarrow$  V51 and higher, <u>do not</u> unzip the update file!
  - → Connect USB Stick to HarvestLab<sup>™</sup> sensor and update from stick via website
- Wait until update is done. This may take up to 20 minutes!!!
- Use website for calibration upload and activation.
- Upload calibrations first before entering the activation code.
- Upload calibrations from PC; *not* from USB stick.
- Corn bundle includes fresh and ensiled calibrations
- Calibration bundles and updates based on crop types
- Just ONE bundle for machine and stationary usage no more updates needed!
- SPFH will display the "fresh" calibration automatically



# STELLAR SUPPORT UPDATE PROCEDURE

### Step 1: Go to StellarSupport.deere.com





### **Step 2: Select Product Activation**





### Step 3: Select Search and the Search by Customer

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### **Step 4: Viewing the Customer's My Software Page, select Manage Product, then Activate in the Constituent Sensing Tile**





### Step 5: Select "Activate New Sensor" radio button, enter challenge code and select "Next"

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### **Step 8: The Activation Code will be generated. Download the file form. You will upload this to the sensor later.**





### **Step 9: The sensor serial number will be displayed on the screen**

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### **Step 10: Upload calibration file from Laptop/PC**

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	9	inactive	Delete	Corn Silage ensiled	Starch	Dairyland Labs	1121	0	06/13/2012
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### Step 13: Enter Activation Code (Step 8)

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# ANALYZING SAMPLES AND EXPECTED RESULTS

### **Range of measurements**

- The accuracy is different for each constituent due to the nature of the amount of each within the crop.
- The expected results for fresh corn are as follows based on dry matter:

Constituent	Expected Values (%)
Dry Matter (DM)	28 to 35
Acid Detergent Fiber (ADF)	28 to 32
Neutral Detergent Fiber (NDF)	45 to 55
Starch	25 to 40
Crude Protein	7 to 10





### **Range of measurements**



Corage Harvester - Settings and Totals           Mass Flow         Constituents         Inoculants Dosing		
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C5 Corn C5 Crude Protein	0.0 %	

Starch = 38.8%

• Values displayed on SPFH's GS3 2630 Display take dry matter into consideration.

• Values displayed in the website while in stationary mode are displayed "as is".

• After calculating website values with dry matter values they will be the same as on the SPFH.



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Starch = 12.4%

Use this formula to convert website values:

(Constituent value (starch)/Dry matter value) x 100% = Starch% with DM ( 12.4 (starch)/32) 0,3875x100 = 38,8% Starch with DM



### **Range of Measurements**

Results from the laboratory will be different, as they analyze only a small sample taken from a large trailer.

HarvestLab	Laboratory
Analyzes 40 kg/sec	Analyzes 3 kg in 24 hours (oven dry)
Analyzes entire field/trailer	Analyzes 0,03 % of 10 t sample
10 t equals 250 measurements	10 t equals 3 measurements







# Sample preparation for the stationary measurements

- Measure the sample 3 times.
- Mix the sample between each measurement.
- The Repacks should be set to 3 so that after 3 measurements an average will be calculated.



- Check the Validation
- If invalid, do a Black and White reference and
- check DTAC solution 76169.







# **DIAGNOSTIC TOOLS**

### **Wavelength Validation - Definition**



- The wavelength validation checks sensor functionality.
  - o It should be done if results appear to be wrong
  - Or at the customers discretion (i.e. once, twice a week)
- It does this by checking the known/expected wavelength to be reflected from this wavelength Validation Standard.
- The value will then be compared to the known value from the sensor's memory.
- If it is valid, it is functioning properly.
- If it is invalid, the percent displayed indicates the offset from the expected value. A black and white reference should be done, followed by another wavelength standard check.
- This invalidity could be due to:
  - Dirt on the flange or glass bowl
  - The wrong wavelength validation can
  - Bulb brightens deterioration bulbs cannot be changed and are not available as spare parts. When bulb is broken, please replace the HarvestLab Sensor.



### **Black and White Reference**

- The Black and White reference procedure is done by the Dealer to "calibrate" the HarvestLab Sensor.
- When is it necessary to do the Black and White Reference:
  - Optical way changes: new flange installed; switched between SPFH and Stationary mode
  - Validation is invalid
  - Measurement results are in question
  - SPFH is in inspection (once a year)
- The kit KJD10569a includes an absolute white reference material and a black pipe, which will demonstrate absolute black.
- If this procedure still does not bring the validation reading back to valid, after doing it 3 times, DTAC should be contacted for further actions to be taken.



# **DTAC SOLUTIONS**

### **DTAC solutions for Constituent Sensing**

• Protein inaccuracy: readings fluctuate between 0 and 100% on the SPFH display while on the WebUI in stationary use a red 'x' is displayed i.e. reading out of range or negative.

 $\circ$  DTAC solution 94646, and upload V46 software to the sensor.

- NDF ensiled reads the same as ensiled moisture while in WebUI.
  - DTAC solution 93993 using the NDF correction wizard
- HarvestLab does not boot up after the V42 software update.

## • DTAC solution 93763 using the Time fix wizard (T-Fix is included since V44)

- Analyzing constituents sensing data using Apex or LandData desktop software is limited.
  - Fixed with Apex version 3.4.0.538 and LandData Agrar-Office 5.0
- HarvestLab inaccurate
  - DTAC solution 76169



# HARVESTLAB CHANGES

### **HarvestLab Flanges**

There are 3 flange kits available:







BPF10670 For 70x0 Series SPFH only BPF11048 For 8000 Series SPFH only BPF11146 For John Deere Manure Sensing and 8000 Series SPFH



### **Changes to HarvestLab Parts**

• REMAN sensor SE502945 will be delivered without a flange.

• There are different reasons that you may not receive the complete core credit after sending a broken HarvestLab Sensor back to REMAN. The core reductions can be found in DTAC solution 75752.

Description	Core Credit Reduction in %
HarvestLab RMA sensor return sheet has to be attached	Deduction depends on Region
Core Return Form (JDPoint) has to be attached	10 Euro (Region 2) and \$25 (Region 4)
Wavelength standard is missing	50%
Wavelength standard damaged or flange missing	0%
Glass window damaged (top side)	0%
Sensor housing damaged or defective	50%
Mounting brackets damaged or defective	50%
Mounting brackets removed	100%
Any housing screws (also on bottom side) removed	100%
Sensor not in its original packaging	50%
Uncleaned, manure contaminated sensors	50%



### **HarvestLab Parts**

		R2	R4
	Sensor Bundle	BPF1	0582
HLab Sensor	REMAN Sensor	SE50	2945
	Bracket Kit 7x50/7x80 (- MY13)	BZ10	0157
7000 series	Bracket Kit 7x80 (MY14 - )	BPF1	0768
SPFH	Flange Kit 7000 series SPFH	BPF10670	
	Bracket	HXE64878	
	Turn Table	BPF10844	
Stationary	Glass Bowl	BPF10842	
	Press Plate	BZ10	0213
8000 series	Bracket Kit 8000 series SPFH	BXE10574	
SPFH	Flange Kit 8000 series SPFH	BPF11048	
	Black and White Refernce Kit	KJD10	0569a
Special Tools	Programming Harness	KJD10568	
	Magnetic Reference Holder	KJD10833	



