Chemistry**

Approaches / Methods...

- Lab Analysis
- •XRF
- •OES
- •(and more...)







Yield Strength ≠ Grade

25000 27500 30000 32500 35000 37500 40000 42500 45000 47500 50000 52500 55000 57500 60000 62500 65000 67500 70000 72500 75000 77500 80000

•Sample Yield Strength = 70,400

•Sample Grade = ???

Unknown vs Tested

Grade A Grade B X42 X46 X52 X56 X60 X65 X70 X80

	YS min	YS max
Grade A	25400	60000
Grade R	35500	65300
X42	42100	71800
X46	46400	76100
X52	52200	76900
X56	56600	79000
X60	60200	81900
X65	65300	87000
X70	70300	92100
X80	80500	102300



More Considerations

- •NDT How to manage validation data set as proof of "comparable"
- Code and Standard Evolutions
 - -Tolerance Variances
- Unconfirmed vs. Confirmed Unexpected Results
 - -Consider ISO 17025 and related standards
- Sample and Data Handling



