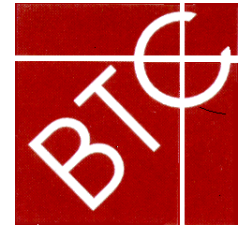


# **BTC Testing Advisory Group**

**An Introduction to  
the Work of BTC**

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# BTC-Laboratory Management Committee



## Purpose

- Opportunity to share knowledge and experiences of the operation of engine test cell, vehicle chassis dynamometer and associated facilities amongst senior managers in the industry

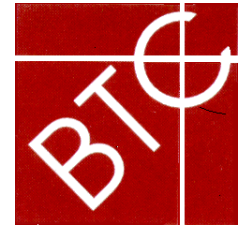
## Process

- Regular meetings to discuss legislation and industry developments
- Creation and monitoring of Groups and their activities

## Payoff

- Networking with other professionals within the automotive testing environment
- Involvement in industry discussion on operational best practice

# BTC-Emissions Testing Group



## Purpose

- Opportunity to share knowledge and experiences of engine and vehicle exhaust emissions measurement amongst those who work in the industry

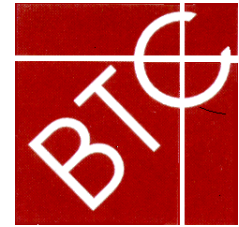
## Process

- Regular meetings to discuss legislation and equipment developments
- Running of vehicle round robin exercises and gas PT audits

## Payoff

- Networking with other professionals working within the automotive emissions area
- Data to highlight correlation or raise concerns within own facility

# BTC-Measurement, Metrology & Calibration Group



## Purpose

- To share advice on measurement & calibration techniques. To investigate common problems within the industry and establish 'best practice' methodology for various measurement applications.

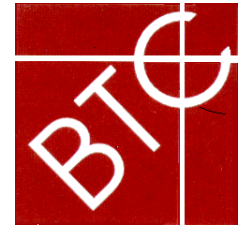
## Process

- The group meets twice a year to discuss different topics. Any specific problems can be put forward to try and find solutions. Guest speakers from industry suppliers & round robin measurement applications can be used if required.

## Payoff

- A broad knowledge base to help you improve & develop your measurement & calibration applications.

# BTC -Technician Training Initiative



## Purpose

- The Technician Training Initiative works to maintain, develop and recognise the competence of technicians working in engine and vehicle testing industries

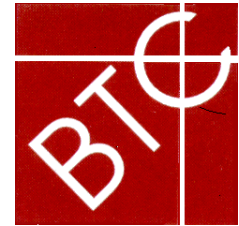
## Process

- A range of IMechE-approved Awards is operated by BTC to enable technicians to develop their skills in a managed framework of workplace study and competence demonstration. More details at [www.btctag.org](http://www.btctag.org)

## Payoff

- BTC member companies and their employees benefit from increased competence, understanding and growth in engine and vehicle test knowledge

# BTC-Engine Coolants Technical Committee



## Purpose

- To monitor developments in testing and standardization of engine coolants globally and to ensure that the BS6580 standard remains relevant and fit for purpose.

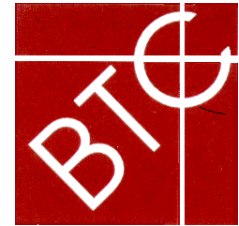
## Process

- This is achieved through liaison with other committees and by meeting twice a year to review developments.

## Payoff

- This enables members to keep pace with Industry trends and have up to date standards available for use by the Industry.

# BTC – Health & Safety Group



## Purpose

- Understand Industry Health, Safety and Environmental issues through a sharing of data and experiences

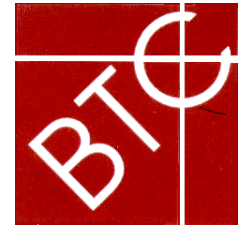
## Process

- The group collects and collates industry wide statistics which are discussed in an open forum and then documents guidance recommendations on common issues

## Payoff

- Individual member companies are able to better understand and re-evaluate their own approach to Health and Safety issues ensuring Industry best practices are met at all times

## How to Join



- Please send a brief application email informing us of your main areas of interest to [btc@pdc.is](mailto:btc@pdc.is)
- BTC subscription year commences 1st July
- Annual Membership costs £ 1,750 + VAT. This entitles all companies to be a member of all groups.
- Correlation Exercises cost approximately £500 + VAT
- Gas Bottle Audit costs approximately £150 + VAT
- Registration for Technician Training Awards costs £250 per Candidate, per Award