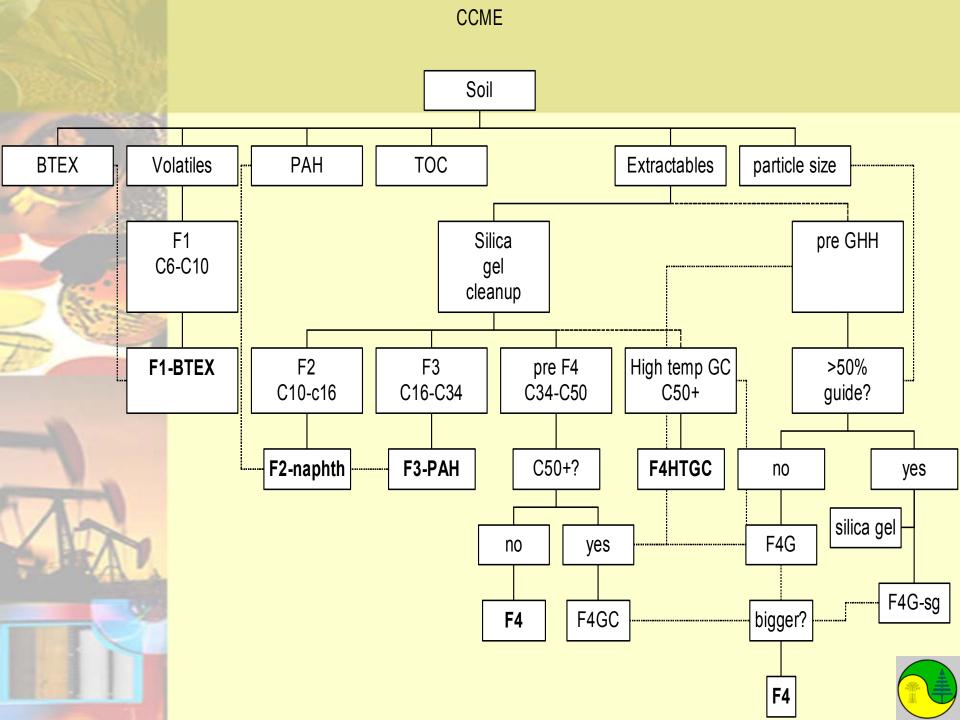


Norwest Labs Experience





Method

- Recognized need to follow the prescribed method
 - No modifications -- AENV
 - High variability
 - Clients



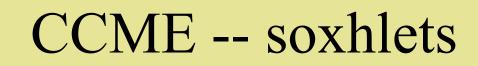
Action

- Build a dedicated CCME lab
- Audited to the method as written
- Accredited to method as written



CCME -- Lab

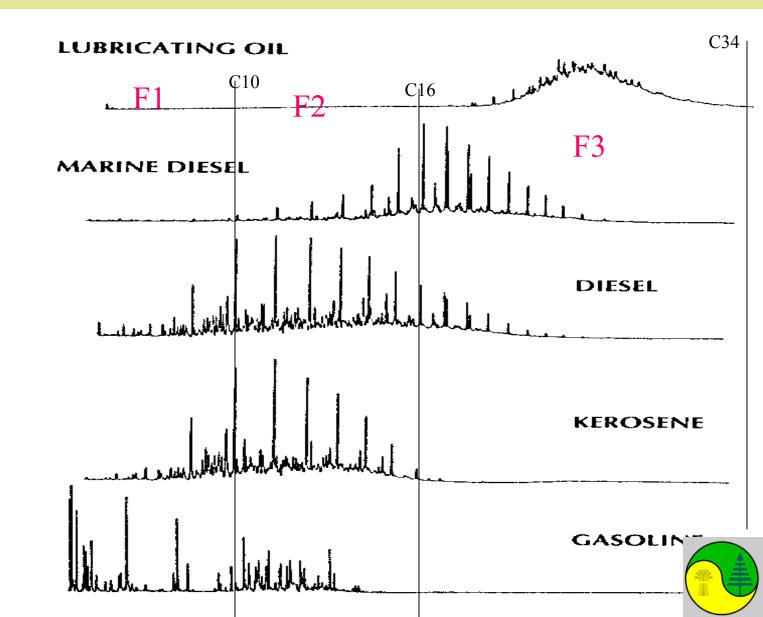




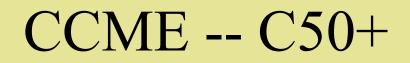




Various Product Types



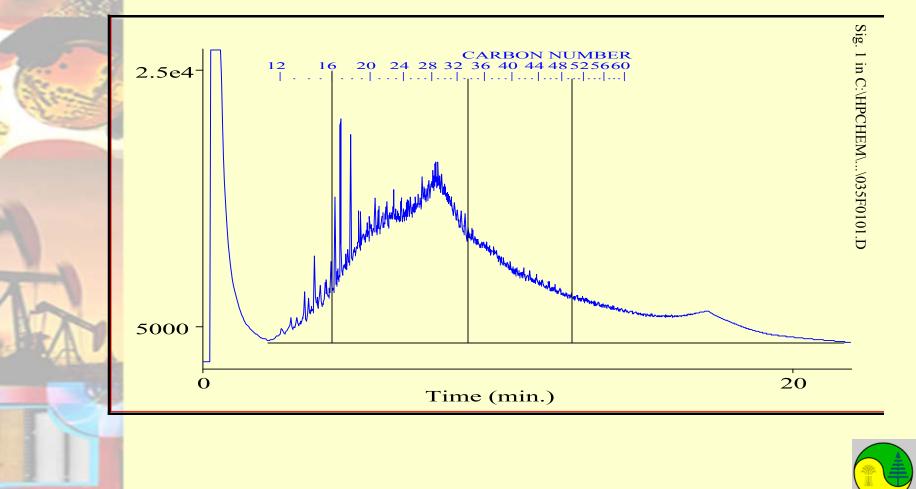




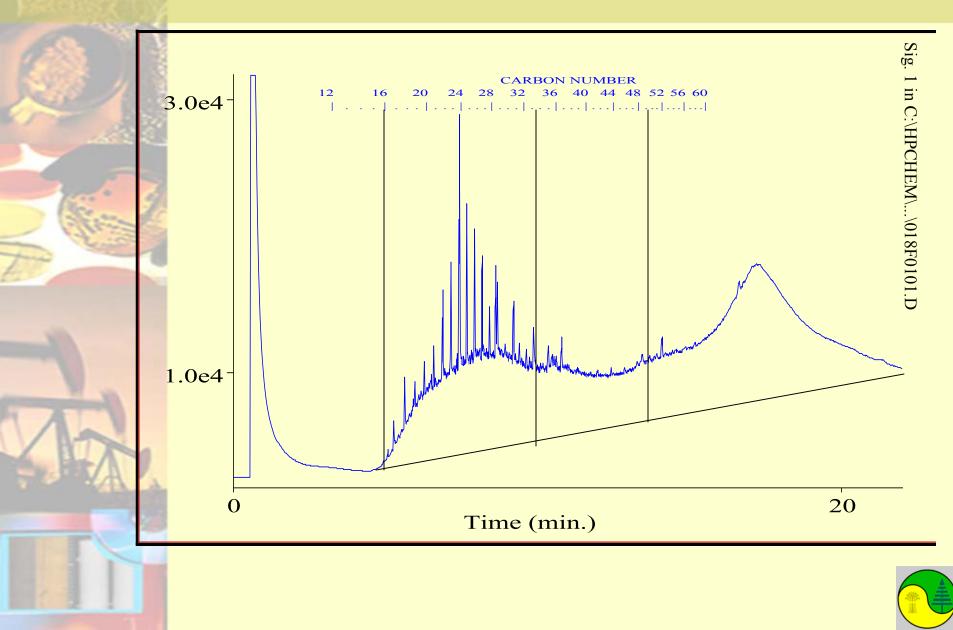




C50+ Assessment



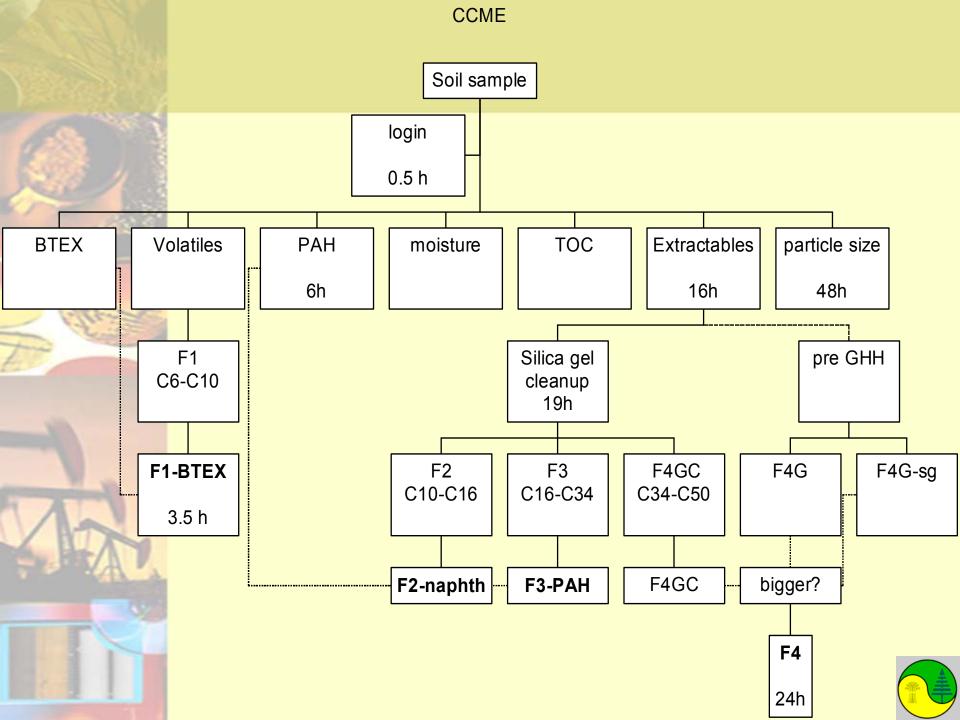
GHH - fractions



Sampling and holding times

- Wide-mouth glass jar with Teflon lid
- no headspace, cool, no preservation
- extract for F1(C6-C10) within
 - 48 h of sample receipt, or
 - 7 days from sample collection
- other fractions
 - 14 days from sample receipt





Pros and

cons

- Can be done
- set up as routine as possible

- Takes longer (2x at least)
- more labour intensive
- more expensive



Results

- Educate clients about prescribed and performance based elements
- Ensure clients they are getting the 'full' analysis
 - what is the 'full' analysis?
 - BTEX by P&T or by Headspace?
 - PAHs included?
 - F4 determination?



CCME -- concentration

