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36"  
 Job No: V-3107

Meter Size : 36-inch Pipe I.D. (in) : 36.0000  
 Tested For : TRI FLO Throat I.D. (in) : 15.8880  
 Test Fluid : Water 45 deg F Beta : 0.4413  
 Flow range 8314 gpm to 19635 gpm

beta = throat I.D. / pipe I.D.  $Q_{gpm} = Q_{cfs} \times 448.831$   
 $Q_{cfs} = A_o C \text{SQRT}(2g \text{ dH ft.}) / \text{SQRT}(1 - \text{beta}^4)$   
 $Q_{gpm} = C_d \text{SQRT}(\text{dH in.} / \text{S.G. of fluid})$   
 $C_d = 1039.765 A_o C / \text{SQRT}(1 - \text{beta}^4)$

. CALIBRATION DATA

Run	Sonic Hz	FLOW gpm	Re pipe	R1+R2	dH in. H2O	Cd	C
1	833.33	8,314	5.2E+05	7.45 M	36.92	1368.27	0.9375
2	1043.55	10,422	6.6E+05	11.95 M	59.22	1354.24	0.9279
3	1167.13	11,661	7.4E+05	14.80 M	73.35	1361.55	0.9329
4	1385.11	13,846	8.7E+05	21.10 M	104.57	1354.04	0.9278
5	1529.50	15,294	9.6E+05	25.40 M	125.88	1363.15	0.9340
6	1643.55	16,438	1.0E+06	29.70 M	147.19	1354.87	0.9283
7	1962.44	19,635	1.2E+06	42.30 M	209.64	1356.11	0.9292
MEAN Cd		= 1358.89		Minus Scatter=		-0.36	I #
MEAN C		= 0.9311		I STND DEV =		0.38	I #

Meter calibrated against a secondary flowmeter  
 Flow Coefficient C is from ASME "Fluid Meters" 6th Ed, sect. 1-5-12