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# MEASURING MOISTURE IN BLENDED NICKEL ORE

# **Application Note**

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### Customer

Our customer is located in Australia. They occupy significant positions in major commodity businesses, including aluminium, energy coal and metallurgical coal, copper, manganese, iron ore, uranium, nickel, silver and titanium minerals, and have substantial interests in oil, gas, liquefied natural gas and diamonds.

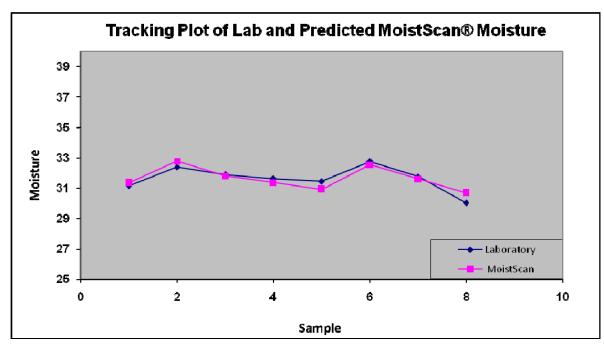


#### Installation

A MoistScan® MA-500HD online moisture analyser is installed under a small shelter along the conveyor leading from the quarantine zone to the Ore Preparation Plant.

#### **Benefit**

The MoistScan® analyser is used to provide moisture content to allow calculation of dry tonnages for mass balance.



## **Application Summary**

Material	Blended Nickel Ore
Instrument	MA-500HD
Location	On Conveyor
Bed Depth	100 - 500mm
Particle Size	Mud to 200+mm

Moisture	25 - 35%
Belt Speed	3m/s
Temperature	Ambient
Precision	0.15%
Use	Mass balance