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**Test Manufacturer's Information** 

**Tire Track Comparison Proficiency Test #22401** 

This proficiency test consisted of sectional photographs of a known tire, known impressions of the tire, and four (4) questioned impressions. The participant was expected to compare the known tire sections and standards to the questioned impressions for a determination of inclusion/exclusion. The assigned values were as follows:

Questioned (Q-#)	Conclusion	Known Tire Section #
Q-1	Identification	Section G
Q-2	Identification	Section C
Q-3	Identification	Section E
Q-4	Exclusion	N/A

The assigned values below were determined through the ground truth information and verified through unanimous agreement during pre-distribution testing.

**Known Tire Information:** Firestone All Season, passenger front tire (Section A through Section I) Firestone All Season, driver rear tire (Exclusions)

Individual reports will be provided to participants by mid August 2022. The final summary report for this test will be posted on the Ron Smith and Associates website by late August 2022 using the following link: <a href="http://www.ronsmithandassociates.com/proficiency/tiretrackcomparison.html">http://www.ronsmithandassociates.com/proficiency/tiretrackcomparison.html</a>

It is recommended to postpone evaluating an individual's performance until after you have received the statistical averages contained in the summary report.

For any questions or further information, contact our Proficiency Testing Coordinator by emailing testing@ronsmithandassociates.com or by calling toll free at 1-866-832-6772.

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