

BASE Buildings HVAC Characteristics: Frequency of Testing and Balancing

Frequency of Testing and Balancing	Number of Buildings Reporting ¹
None	43
As Needed	52
Daily	0
Weekly	0
Bi-Weekly	0
Monthly	0
Semi-Quarterly	0
Quarterly	0
Semi-Annually	0
Annually	3
Total Number of Buildings Reporting	98
<u>Notes:</u> ¹ Data represent 98 BASE buildings, which indicated a frequency for testing and balancing.	

Variable Descriptions:

Frequency of Testing and Balancing refers to the frequency that testing and balancing is implemented on the building's air distribution system.

The frequency categories are as follows:

None means that no testing and balancing takes place.

As Needed refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs only when deemed necessary.

Daily refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs each day.

Weekly refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs on a weekly cycle.

Bi-weekly refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs twice a month.

Monthly refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs on a monthly schedule.

Semi-Quarterly refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs twice every three months.

Quarterly refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs every three months.

Semi-annually refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs every six months.

Annually refers to a schedule where testing and balancing occurs once a year.