

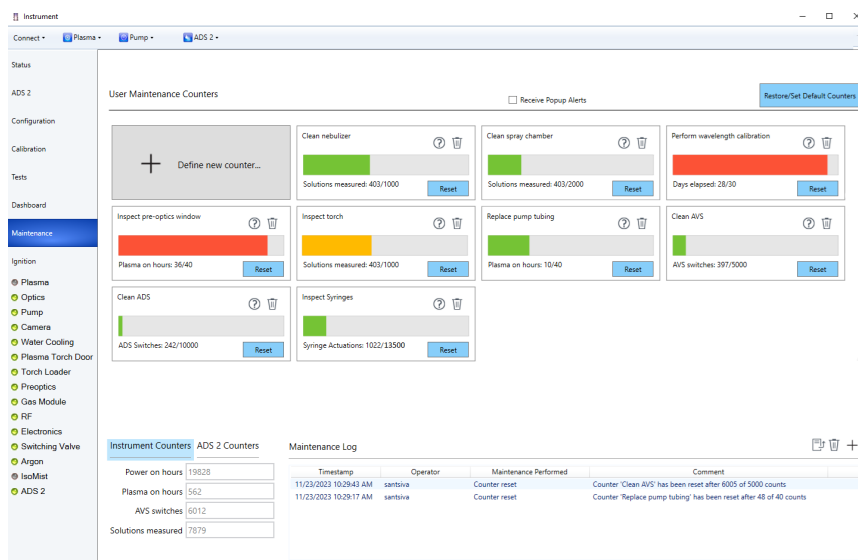


# Early Maintenance Feedback for ICP-OES

Programmed notifications of instrument maintenance requirements

## Benefits of Agilent EMF

- Tracks maintenance tasks on a sample throughput basis to reduce unnecessary maintenance
- Provides links to step-by-step instructions showing how to do maintenance tasks
- Ensures peak ICP-OES system performance whilst reducing wasted time
- Stores your maintenance log onboard so you never lose another paper logbook again
- Maintenance intervals of Agilent accessories such as the Advanced Valve System 6/7 and Advanced Dilution System 2 are also tracked



Alerts address common reasons for service calls, such as poor precision due to worn pump tubes, or poor sensitivity due to a dirty pre optic window. By alerting the analyst of a problem and then guiding them through the process of fixing it, the expense and downtime of a service call can be avoided.

## Smart instrument health tracking

ICP-OES maintenance activities are often based on a calendar schedule. This approach doesn't factor in the sample load—which is a better indicator of when maintenance is required.

Insufficient maintenance can lead to costly unplanned downtime, or analysis failures. Maintenance that is too frequent wastes time and can increase the cost of consumables.

## Smart maintenance log

It is common for labs to keep paper records of all of the maintenance completed for an ICP-OES.

Over the lifetime of the instrument it is easy for this hardcopy book to be misplaced or lost, leading to an incomplete story of maintenance for the instrument.

## Smart tools signal when ICP maintenance is actually needed

Both the Agilent 5800 and 5900 ICP-OES instruments have sensors and counters that generate an alert when maintenance is needed. The counters monitor the number of samples measured and can be adjusted to suit the type of samples you typically run, so your maintenance schedule is appropriate to maintain instrument performance. For example, if you typically run samples with high dissolved solids your instrument will need more frequent maintenance than one running drinking water samples.

**For more information visit:**

[www.agilent.com/chem/5800icpoes](http://www.agilent.com/chem/5800icpoes)

Clean nebulizer

Clean spray chamber

Solutions measured

Inspect torch

Solutions measured

Maintenance Log

Maintenance performed:

- ☐ Cleaned Spray Chamber
- ☐ Changed Spray Chamber
- ☐ Changed Sample Peristaltic Pump Tubing
- ☐ Changed Drain Peristaltic Pump Tubing
- ☐ Changed Internal Standard Peristaltic Pump Tubing
- ☐ Changed Autosampler Peristaltic Pump Tubing
- ☐ Checked Calibration Standards
- ☐ Checked Internal Standard
- ☐ Checked Drain Vessel
- ☐ Checked Rinse Solution
- ☐ Checked Air Filter
- ☐ Inspected ADS Syringes
- ☐ Changed ADS Syringes
- ☐ Cleaned ADS Valve A Rotor
- ☐ Cleaned ADS Valve B Rotor
- ☐ Changed ADS Valve A Rotor
- ☐ Changed ADS Valve B Rotor
- ☐ Miscellaneous

The maintenance log can be updated with manual entries for tasks the instrument cannot capture automatically

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