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TEST Engineering & Management magazine's purpose is to provide a forum for the exchange of state-of-the-art ideas and information among reliability/qualification testing professionals who perform physical and mechanical testing and/or environmental simulation. We specifically seek to inform and educate our subscribers through technically bylined articles written by those who work hands-on in the field, and through material generated by the editorial staff. We seek to deal with areas of the physical and mechanical testing and environmental simulation test industry that are emerging, controversial, not sufficiently understood, and/or little-discussed, some at a tutorial level. In addition, we channel news of the industry and offer discussions of state-of-the-art test equipment and techniques. We direct our publication to test engineers, managers, scientists, executives, consultants, educators, technical marketers, test technicians, and service engineers whose work relates to physical and mechanical testing and environmental simulation itself, or the production of equipment, instruments, and/or components for such testing.

**—Eve Mattingley-Hannigan
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