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ACCIDENT # 0053    INDIVIDUAL#: 001    NAME: [REDACTED]    MODE: AVIATION  
DATE OF ACCIDENT 03/26/2016    DATE RECEIVED 04/05/2016    PUTREFACTION: No  
N # 911GF    NTSB # ERA16FA140    CAMI REF # 201600053001  
LOCATION OF ACCIDENT Enterprise, AL  
SPECIMENS Muscle

**FINAL FORENSIC TOXICOLOGY FATAL ACCIDENT REPORT**

**CARBON MONOXIDE:** The carboxyhemoglobin (COHb) saturation is determined by spectrophotometry with a 10% cut off and confirmed by chromatography.

>> NOT PERFORMED

**CYANIDE:** The presence of cyanide is screened by Conway Diffusion, when the COHb level is equal to or greater than 10% or upon special request. Cyanides are quantitated by spectrophotometry and confirmed by chromatography. The reporting cutoff for cyanide is 0.25 ug/mL. Normal blood cyanide concentrations are less than 0.15 ug/mL, while lethal concentrations are greater than 3 ug/mL.

>> NOT PERFORMED

**VOLATILES:** The volatile concentrations are determined by headspace gas chromatography at a cut off of 10 mg/dL. Where possible, positive ethanol values are confirmed by Radiative Energy Attenuation.

>> Muscle unsuitable for analysis of Volatiles

**DRUGS:** Specimens are analyzed using immunoassay, chromatography, GC/MS, HPLC/MS, or GC/FTIR. Concentrations (ug/mL) at or above those in ( ) can be determined for, but not limited to, the following drugs: amphetamines (0.010), opiates (0.010), marijuana (0.001), cocaine (0.020), phencyclidine (0.002), benzodiazepines (0.030), barbiturates (0.060), antidepressants (0.100), and antihistamines (0.020). Drugs and/or their metabolites, that are not impairing or abused, may be reported from the initial tests. See the CAMI Drug Information Web Site for additional information (<http://jag.cami.jccbi.gov/toxicology/>).

>> NO DRUGS listed above detected in Muscle

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