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**Test Manufacturer's Information****Spring 2016 Footwear Comparison Proficiency Test #16301**

The assigned values are:

<b>Questioned Impressions Q-#</b>	<b>Conclusion</b>	<b>Known Shoe K-#</b>
Q-1	Identification	K-1 Left Shoe
Q-2	Identification	K-2 Right Shoe
Q-3	Exclusion	
Q-4	Identification	K-1 Left Shoe
Q-5	Identification	K-2 Right Shoe
Q-6	Identification	K-3 Left Shoe
Q-7	Identification	K-4 Right Shoe

The test consisted of seven questioned impressions and four known shoe prints in hard copy photograph and/or digital image formats. The assigned values were determined through the ground truth information and verified through unanimous agreement during pre-distribution testing.

Individual reports will be provided to participants on or before May 16, 2016. The final summary report for this test will be posted on the Ron Smith and Associates website at <http://www.ronsmithandassociates.com/proficiency/footwear.html> by June 1, 2016.

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