

Eliquids Organoleptic Taste Evaluation: Vaping

- A minimum of 3 testers should be used, each testing independently and alone with no conferring
- Testing should be carried out alone, not in company, in a quiet and comfortable environment with no distractions
- Testing should not be rushed
- It is preferable for testing to be done at the same time of day, for consistency, and preferably in the morning
- Testing should be carried out using identical equipment of identical power, using batteries from the same batch
- It is important not to consume coffee (or similar) before testing, as the roast pyrazines notes interfere with the taste senses
- It is preferable to initially test at zero nicotine, to focus on the taste elements. A further phase of tests can be conducted on standardized nicotine content liquids

Each flavouring has three samples, numbered 1 to 3. Sample 1 is the Control Sample to be evaluated first by each tester. Use this page as a form to record the results.

Date:

Time:

Name of Tester:

What flavouring is being tested?

1
Identical

2
Similar

3
Slight
difference

4
Dissimilar

Sample #2 How similar is
it to the first sample?

Try to describe any
difference?

Sample #3 How similar is
it to the first sample?

Try to describe any
difference?

Which sample number do
you prefer?

#1

#2

#3

How strongly do you rate
your preference?

1
Very Strongly

2
Strongly

3
Slightly

4
Nothing in it