



# Procedures for the Determination and Expression of the Volume of Household Microwave and Conventional Ovens

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