

SDG NARRATIVE

USEPA
SDG # MBHCN1
CASE # 51698
CONTRACT # 68HERH20D0011
SOW# SFAM01.1
LAB NAME: Alliance Technical Group, LLC
LAB CODE: ACE
LAB ORDER ID # P4500

A. Number of Samples and Date of Receipt

20 Soil samples were delivered to the laboratory intact on 10/23/2024.

B. Parameters

Test requested for Metals CLP Full = Aluminum, Antimony, Arsenic, Barium, Beryllium, Cadmium, Calcium, Chromium, Cobalt, Copper, Iron, Lead, Magnesium, Manganese, Nickel, Potassium, Selenium, Silver, Sodium, Thallium, Vanadium, Zinc, Mercury, Cyanide.

C. Cooler Temp

Indicator Bottle: Presence/Absence

Cooler: 2.3°C, 2.1°C

D. Detail Documentation (related to Sample Handling Shipping, Analytical Problem, Temp of Cooler etc):

Issue 1: A "P" or "M" prefix was listed at the beginning of a CLP sample ID.

E. Corrective Action taken for above:

Resolution 1: To maintain COC integrity, ASB requests no changes to the Sample IDs. The laboratory will note the issue in the SDG Narrative and proceed with the analysis of the samples.

F. Analytical Techniques:

All analyses were based on CLP Methodology by method SFAM01.1.

Inter Element correction factors (IECs) are determined annually and correction factor are applied during ICP-AES analysis.



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G. Calculation:

Calculation for ICP-AES Soil Sample:

Conversion of Results from mg/L or ppm to mg/kg (Dry Weight Basis):

Concentration (mg/kg) =
$$C \times \frac{Vf}{W \times S} \times DF$$

Where,

C = Instrument value in ppm (The average of all replicate exposures)

Vf = Final digestion volume (mL)

W = Initial aliquot amount (g) (Sample amount taken in prep)

S = % Solids / 100 (Fraction of Percent Solids)

DF = Dilution Factor

Example Calculation For Sample MBHCN1 For Antimony:

If
$$C = 0.0045792 \text{ ppm}$$

$$Vf = 100 \text{ ml}$$

$$W = 1.34g$$

$$S = 0.788(78.8/100)$$

$$DF = 1$$

Concentration (mg/kg) =
$$0.0045792 \times 100 \times 1.34 \times 0.788$$

$$= 0.4336 \text{ mg/kg}$$

= 0.43 mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)

Calculation for Hg Soil Sample:

Conversion of Results from µg /L or ppb to mg/kg:

Concentration (mg/kg) =
$$C \times \frac{Vf}{W \times S} \times DF / 1000$$

Where,

C = Instrument response in μ g/L from the calibration curve.

Vf = Final prepared (absorbing solution) volume (mL)

W = Initial aliquot amount (g) (Fraction of Sample amount taken in prep)

S = % Solids / 100 (Fraction of Percent Solids)

DF = Dilution Factor



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Example Calculation For Sample MBHCN1:

If C = 1.6186 ppb
Vf = 100 mL
W = 0.53g
S = 0.788(78.8/100)
DF = 1
Concentration (mg/kg) =
$$1.6186 \frac{100}{0.53 \times 0.788} \times 1/1000$$

= 0.3875 mg/kg
= 0.39 mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)

Calculation for CN Soil Sample:

Conversion of Results from µg /L or ppb to mg/kg:

Concentration (mg/kg) =
$$C \times \frac{Vf}{W \times S} \times DF / 1000$$

Where,

C = Instrument response in μ g/L CN from the calibration curve.

Vf = Final prepared (absorbing solution) volume (mL)

W = Initial aliquot amount (g) (Fraction of Sample amount taken in prep)

S = % Solids / 100 (Fraction of Percent Solids)

DF = Dilution Factor

Example Calculation For Sample MBHCN1:

If C =
$$6.3628 \text{ ppb}$$

Vf = 50 ml
W = 1.05 g
S = $0.788(78.8/100)$
DF = 1
Concentration (mg/kg) = $6.3628 \times \frac{50}{1.05 \times 0.788} \times 1/1000$
= 0.3845 mg/kg
= 0.39 mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)



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H. QA/QC

Calibrations met requirements. Interference check met requirements. Blank analyses did not indicate any presence of contamination. Laboratory Control sample was within control limits. Spike sample did meet requirements except for Antimony, Arsenic, Lead, Thallium. Duplicate sample did meet requirements except for Barium, Calcium, Cobalt, Manganese and Nickel. Serial Dilution did meet requirements.

Some samples have % solids results less than 50% but more than 30%. Please see below table for detail. Laboratory has processed these samples according to the SFAM01.1 SOW, Exhibit D, sections 10.1.1.8.

EPA Sample ID	% Solids
MBHCP7	32.4

I certify that the data package is in compliance with the terms and conditions of the contract both technically and for completeness, for other than the conditions detailed above. Release of the data contained in this hard copy data package has been authorized by the Laboratory Director or his designee, as verified by the following signature.

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