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SDG NARRATIVE

USEPA

SDG # ME2922

CASE # 51847

CONTRACT # 68HERH20D0011

SOW# SFAM01.1

LAB NAME: Alliance Technical Group, LLC

LAB CODE: ACE

LAB ORDER ID # P5352

A. Number of Samples and Date of Receipt

04 Soil samples were delivered to the laboratory intact on 12/19/2024.

B. Parameters

Test requested for Metals CLP12 = Aluminum, Calcium, Iron, Magnesium, Potassium, Sodium & Mercury, Cyanide.

Test requested for Metals CLP MS FULL = Antimony, Arsenic, Barium, Beryllium, Cadmium, Chromium, Cobalt, Copper, Lead, Manganese, Nickel, Selenium, Silver, Thallium, Vanadium, Zinc

C. Cooler Temp

Indicator Bottle: Presence/Absence

Cooler: 2.3°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.

Issue 2: There are no samples designated on the COC for laboratory QC for SDGs E2922 and ME2922. The laboratory has selected sample E2926 and ME2926 for laboratory QC. The laboratory has confirmed that the samples are not PT, blanks, or rinsate samples.

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.



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Resolution 2: Per SFAM01.1 Exhibit A, Section 5.5.4.1., the laboratory should note the issue in the SDG Narrative and proceed with 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.

G. Calculation:

Calculation for ICP-AES Soil Sample:

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

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

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 ME2922 For Aluminum :

If C = 101.9298 ppm

Vf = 100 ml

W = 1.25g

S = 0.814(81.4/100)

DF = 1

$$\text{Concentration (mg/kg)} = 101.9298 \times \frac{100}{1.25 \times 0.814} \times 1$$

$$= 10017.67 \text{ mg/kg}$$

$$= 10000 \text{ mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)}$$

Calculation for ICP-MS Soil Sample:

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



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

Where,

C = Instrument value in ppb (The average of all replicate integrations)

V_f = Final digestion 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 ME2922 For Arsenic :

If C = 12.41 ppb

V_f = 500 ml

W = 1.16 g

S = 0.814 (81.4/100)

DF = 1

$$\text{Concentration (mg/kg)} = 12.41 \times \frac{500}{1.16 \times 0.814} \times 1 / 1000$$

$$= 6.5714 \text{ mg/kg}$$

$$= 6.6 \text{ mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)}$$

Calculation for Hg Soil Sample:

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

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

Where,

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

V_f = 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 ME2922:

If C = 0.1539 ppb
Vf = 100 mL
W = 0.55g
S = 0.814(81.4/100)
DF = 1

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Concentration (mg/kg)} &= 0.1539 \times \frac{100}{0.55 \times 0.814} \times 1 / 1000 \\ &= 0.03437 \text{ mg/kg} \\ &= 0.034 \text{ mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)}\end{aligned}$$

Calculation for CN Soil Sample:

Conversion of Results from $\mu\text{g/L}$ or ppb to mg/kg:

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

Where,

C = Instrument response in $\mu\text{g/L}$ 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 ME2922:

If C = 5.1766 ppb
Vf = 50 ml
W = 1.01 g
S = 0.814(81.4/100)
DF = 1

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Concentration (mg/kg)} &= 5.1766 \times \frac{50}{1.01 \times 0.814} \times 1 / 1000 \\ &= 0.3148 \text{ mg/kg} \\ &= 0.32 \text{ mg/kg (Reported Result with Signification)}\end{aligned}$$



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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 Antimony, Arsenic, Cadmium, selenium, Thallium. Duplicate sample did meet requirements. Serial Dilution did meet requirements.

Collision cell is being used to remove potential interferences. The analytes Na, Mg, Al, K, V, Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni, Cu, Zn, As are being analyzed with collision cell and analytes Be, B, Ca, Ti, Se, Sr, Zr, Mo, Ag, Cd, Sn, Sb, Ba, Tl, Pb, U are being analyzed with Non-Collision Cell. Helium gas is used for the Collision Cell analysis.

Internal Standard Association for ICP-MS analysis.

Target Analyte	Associated Internal Standard
Antimony	159Tb
Arsenic	89Y
Barium	159Tb
Beryllium	6Li
Cadmium	159Tb
Chromium	45Sc
Cobalt	45Sc
Copper	45Sc
Lead	209Bi
Manganese	45Sc
Nickel	45Sc
Selenium	89Y
Silver	159Tb
Thallium	209Bi
Vanadium	45Sc



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Zinc	45Sc
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