

## CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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**PROJECT** Compost 1186-202

**PROJECT INFO**

**WORK ORDER** 8052599

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## TEST RESULTS

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Analyte	Result	RL	Units	Analyzed	Qualifier
<b>Ogogrow 5% Zeolite (8052599-01)   Matrix: Soil   Sampled: 2018-05-28</b>					
<b>General Parameters</b>					
Foreign Matter	< 1	1	% dry	2018-06-04	
Organic Matter (LOI)	81.2	0.10	% dry	2018-06-04	
Conductivity (EC)	2.82	0.010	ds/m	2018-06-04	
Moisture	46.7	1.0	% wet	2018-06-01	
Nitrate, Water-Soluble (as N)	1.71	0.050	mg/kg dry	2018-05-31	
Nitrite, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 0.486	0.050	mg/kg dry	2018-05-31	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	2.64	0.002	% dry	2018-06-01	
pH (1:2 H2O Solution)	6.98	0.10	pH units	2018-06-01	PH1

### Calculated Parameters

Nitrogen, Total	2.64	0.0100	% dry	N/A	
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### Fertility / Nutrient Parameters

Potassium, Available	5500	5	mg/kg dry	2018-06-08	
Carbon to Nitrogen Ratio	11.3	0.1	-	2018-05-31	
Ammonia, Water-Soluble (as N)	1370	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-01	
Phosphorus, Available	4000	2	mg/kg dry	2018-06-08	

### Strong Acid Leachable Metals

Arsenic	2.89	0.30	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Boron	28.5	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Cadmium	1.22	0.040	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Calcium	21500	100	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Chromium	13.6	1.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Cobalt	1.73	0.10	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Copper	199	0.40	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Lead	8.73	0.20	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Mercury	0.172	0.040	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Molybdenum	2.94	0.10	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Nickel	6.72	0.60	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Selenium	1.78	0.20	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Zinc	298	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	

### Ogogrow 10% Zeolite (8052599-02) | Matrix: Soil | Sampled: 2018-05-28

#### General Parameters

Foreign Matter	< 1	1	% dry	2018-06-04	
Organic Matter (LOI)	72.9	0.10	% dry	2018-06-04	
Conductivity (EC)	2.75	0.010	ds/m	2018-06-04	
Moisture	51.0	1.0	% wet	2018-06-01	
Nitrate, Water-Soluble (as N)	756	0.050	mg/kg dry	2018-05-31	
Nitrite, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 0.495	0.050	mg/kg dry	2018-05-31	
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	3.04	0.002	% dry	2018-06-01	

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<b>Ogogrow 10% Zeolite (8052599-02)   Matrix: Soil   Sampled: 2018-05-28, Continued</b>					
<i>General Parameters, Continued</i>					
pH (1:2 H2O Solution)	5.91	0.10	pH units	2018-06-01	PH1
<i>Calculated Parameters</i>					
Nitrogen, Total	3.04	0.0100	% dry	N/A	
<i>Fertility / Nutrient Parameters</i>					
Potassium, Available	5600	5	mg/kg dry	2018-06-08	
Carbon to Nitrogen Ratio	10.3	0.1	-	2018-05-31	
Ammonia, Water-Soluble (as N)	829	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-01	
Phosphorus, Available	4300	2	mg/kg dry	2018-06-08	
<i>Strong Acid Leachable Metals</i>					
Arsenic	3.00	0.30	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Boron	25.7	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Cadmium	1.14	0.040	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Calcium	18600	100	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Chromium	10.9	1.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Cobalt	1.82	0.10	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Copper	192	0.40	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Lead	8.55	0.20	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Mercury	0.207	0.040	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Molybdenum	2.88	0.10	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Nickel	6.49	0.60	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Selenium	1.55	0.20	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	
Zinc	273	2.0	mg/kg dry	2018-06-03	

### Sample Qualifiers:

PH1 Due to limited sample volume or matrix, the ratio of water to soil was greater than 2:1

## APPENDIX 1: SUPPORTING INFORMATION

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Analysis Description	Method Ref.	Technique	Location
Ammonia, Water-Soluble in Soil	Carter 15.2.2 / SM 4500-NH <sub>3</sub> G* (2011)	Fixed Ratio H <sub>2</sub> O Ext (1:5) / Automated Colorimetry (Phenate)	Kelowna
Anions in Soil	Carter 15.2.2 / SM 4110 B (2011)	Fixed Ratio H <sub>2</sub> O Ext (1:5) / Ion Chromatography	Kelowna
Available Cations in Soil	MSSMA 4.51	1N Ammonium Acetate Extraction, Atomic Spectroscopy	Sublet
Conductivity in Soil	Carter 15.2.2 / SM 2510 B (2011)	Fixed Ratio H <sub>2</sub> O Ext (1:5) / Conductivity Meter	Kelowna
Foreign Matter in Soil	TMECC 03.06	Visual Inspection	Kelowna
Moisture in Soil	ASTM D2974-87*	Gravimetry (Dried at 105C)	N/A
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl in Soil	SM 4500-Norg D* (2011)	Block Digestion and Flow Injection Analysis	Kelowna
Organic Matter in Soil	AASHTO T267-86	Gravimetry	Richmond
pH in Soil	Carter 16.2 / SM 4500-H+ B (2011)	1:2 Soil/Water Slurry / Electrometry	Richmond
Phosphorus, Available in Soil	UBCPLMM 6.1	Bray Extraction, Colorimetric	Sublet
SALM in Soil	BCMOE SALM V.2 / EPA 6020B	HNO <sub>3</sub> +HCl Hot Block Digestion / Inductively Coupled Plasma-Mass Spectroscopy (ICP-MS)	Richmond

*Note: An asterisk in the Method Reference indicates that the CARO method has been modified from the reference method*

### Glossary of Terms:

RL	Reporting Limit (default)
% dry	Percent (dry weight basis)
% wet	Percent (as received basis)
<	Less than the specified Reporting Limit (RL) - the actual RL may be higher than the default RL due to various factors
ds/m	Decisiemens per metre
mg/kg dry	Milligrams per kilogram (dry weight basis)
pH units	pH < 7 = acidic, pH > 7 = basic
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, Methods of Sampling and Testing
ASTM	ASTM International Test Methods
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency Test Methods
MSSMA	Manual on Soil Sampling and Methods of Analysis, J.A. McKeague
SM	Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, American Public Health Association
TMECC	Test Method for the Examination of Composting and Compost, US Composting Council
UBCPLMM	Methods Manual, Pedology Laboratory, 1977/1981, L.M. Lavkulich, UBC Department of Soil Science

### General Comments:

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## APPENDIX 2: QUALITY CONTROL RESULTS

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The following section displays the quality control (QC) data that is associated with your sample data. Groups of samples are prepared in "batches" and analyzed in conjunction with QC samples that ensure your data is of the highest quality. Common QC types include:

- **Method Blank (Blk):** A blank sample that undergoes sample processing identical to that carried out for the test samples. Method blank results are used to assess contamination from the laboratory environment and reagents.
- **Duplicate (Dup):** An additional or second portion of a randomly selected sample in the analytical run carried through the entire analytical process. Duplicates provide a measure of the analytical method's precision (reproducibility).
- **Blank Spike (BS):** A sample of known concentration which undergoes processing identical to that carried out for test samples, also referred to as a laboratory control sample (LCS). Blank spikes provide a measure of the analytical method's accuracy.
- **Matrix Spike (MS):** A second aliquot of sample is fortified with with a known concentration of target analytes and carried through the entire analytical process. Matrix spikes evaluate potential matrix effects that may affect the analyte recovery.
- **Reference Material (SRM):** A homogenous material of similar matrix to the samples, certified for the parameter(s) listed. Reference Materials ensure that the analytical process is adequate to achieve acceptable recoveries of the parameter(s) tested.

Each QC type is analyzed at a 5-10% frequency, i.e. one blank/duplicate/spike for every 10-20 samples. For all types of QC, the specified recovery (% Rec) and relative percent difference (RPD) limits are derived from long-term method performance averages and/or prescribed by the reference method.

Analyte	Result	RL Units	Spike Level	Source Result	% REC	REC Limit	% RPD	RPD Limit	Qualifier
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### Fertility / Nutrient Parameters, Batch B8E2479

<b>Blank (B8E2479-BLK1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-01							
Ammonia, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 2.0	2.0 mg/kg wet							
<b>LCS (B8E2479-BS1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-01							
Ammonia, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 2.0	2.0 mg/kg wet	1.00		103	85-115			

### General Parameters, Batch B8E2381

<b>Blank (B8E2381-BLK1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-30, Analyzed: 2018-05-31							
Nitrate, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 0.050	0.050 mg/kg dry							
Nitrite, Water-Soluble (as N)	< 0.050	0.050 mg/kg dry							
<b>LCS (B8E2381-BS1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-30, Analyzed: 2018-05-31							
Nitrate, Water-Soluble (as N)	3.93	0.050 mg/kg dry	4.00		98	93-110			
Nitrite, Water-Soluble (as N)	2.03	0.050 mg/kg dry	2.00		102	86-111			

### General Parameters, Batch B8E2452

<b>Blank (B8E2452-BLK1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-01							
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	< 0.010	0.010 % wet							
<b>Duplicate (B8E2452-DUP1)</b>		<b>Source: 8052599-01</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-01					
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	2.74	0.002 % dry		2.64			3	20	
<b>Reference (B8E2452-SRM1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-01							
Nitrogen, Total Kjeldahl	0.302	0.010 % wet	0.226		133	58.8-150			

### General Parameters, Batch B8E2542

<b>Blank (B8E2542-BLK1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-06-04, Analyzed: 2018-06-04							
Organic Matter (LOI)	< 0.10	0.10 % dry							
<b>Reference (B8E2542-SRM1)</b>		Prepared: 2018-06-04, Analyzed: 2018-06-04							
Organic Matter (LOI)	2.18	0.10 % dry	2.90		75	75-125			

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<b>General Parameters, Batch B8E2543</b>									
<b>Blank (B8E2543-BLK1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-04					
Conductivity (EC)	< 0.010	0.010 ds/m							
<b>LCS (B8E2543-BS1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-04					
Conductivity (EC)	1.38	0.010 ds/m	1.41		98	95-105			
<b>Duplicate (B8E2543-DUP1)</b>				Source: 8052599-01 Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-04					
Conductivity (EC)	2.82	0.010 ds/m		2.82			< 1	7	
<b>General Parameters, Batch B8F0047</b>									
<b>Reference (B8F0047-SRM1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-06-01, Analyzed: 2018-06-01					
pH (1:2 H2O Solution)	7.14	0.10 pH units	7.27		98	95-105			
<b>Reference (B8F0047-SRM2)</b>				Prepared: 2018-06-01, Analyzed: 2018-06-01					
pH (1:2 H2O Solution)	7.28	0.10 pH units	7.27		100	95-105			
<b>Strong Acid Leachable Metals, Batch B8E2496</b>									
<b>Blank (B8E2496-BLK1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-03					
Arsenic	< 0.30	0.30 mg/kg dry							
Boron	< 2.0	2.0 mg/kg dry							
Cadmium	< 0.040	0.040 mg/kg dry							
Calcium	< 100	100 mg/kg dry							
Chromium	< 1.0	1.0 mg/kg dry							
Cobalt	< 0.10	0.10 mg/kg dry							
Copper	< 0.40	0.40 mg/kg dry							
Lead	< 0.20	0.20 mg/kg dry							
Mercury	< 0.040	0.040 mg/kg dry							
Molybdenum	< 0.10	0.10 mg/kg dry							
Nickel	< 0.60	0.60 mg/kg dry							
Selenium	< 0.20	0.20 mg/kg dry							
Zinc	< 2.0	2.0 mg/kg dry							
<b>LCS (B8E2496-BS1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-03					
Arsenic	1.91	0.30 mg/kg dry	2.00		95	80-120			
Boron	2.2	2.0 mg/kg dry	2.00		112	80-120			
Cadmium	2.03	0.040 mg/kg dry	2.00		101	80-120			
Calcium	199	100 mg/kg dry	200		99	80-120			
Chromium	1.8	1.0 mg/kg dry	2.00		91	80-120			
Cobalt	1.87	0.10 mg/kg dry	2.00		93	80-120			
Copper	1.82	0.40 mg/kg dry	2.00		91	80-120			
Lead	2.05	0.20 mg/kg dry	2.00		103	80-120			
Mercury	0.086	0.040 mg/kg dry	0.100		86	80-120			
Molybdenum	1.94	0.10 mg/kg dry	2.00		97	80-120			
Nickel	1.89	0.60 mg/kg dry	2.00		95	80-120			
Selenium	1.97	0.20 mg/kg dry	2.00		98	80-120			
Zinc	< 2.0	2.0 mg/kg dry	2.00		93	80-120			
<b>Reference (B8E2496-SRM1)</b>				Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-03					
Arsenic	14.6	0.30 mg/kg dry	15.1		97	70-130			
Boron	2.7	2.0 mg/kg dry	3.00		89	70-130			
Cadmium	0.230	0.040 mg/kg dry	0.216		107	70-130			
Calcium	2910	100 mg/kg dry	3290		88	70-130			
Chromium	24.1	1.0 mg/kg dry	27.5		87	70-130			
Cobalt	11.1	0.10 mg/kg dry	12.4		90	70-130			

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<b>Strong Acid Leachable Metals, Batch B8E2496, Continued</b>									
<b>Reference (B8E2496-SRM1), Continued</b>					Prepared: 2018-05-31, Analyzed: 2018-06-03				
Copper	39.0	0.40 mg/kg dry	45.3		86	70-130			
Lead	13.7	0.20 mg/kg dry	13.8		99	70-130			
Mercury	0.095	0.040 mg/kg dry	0.103		92	70-130			
Molybdenum	0.68	0.10 mg/kg dry	0.731		93	70-130			
Nickel	15.5	0.60 mg/kg dry	17.4		89	70-130			
Zinc	59.8	2.0 mg/kg dry	66.8		90	70-130			