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8/18/2016

Kenai Watershed Forum 44129 Sterling Highway Soldotna, AK 99669 Attn: Branden Bornemann Work Order #: A1607439 Date: 8/18/2016

Work ID: KWF Baseline Monitoring 2016

Date Received: 7/26/2016

Proj #: 2016

Sample Identification

Lab Sample Number Client Description Lab Sample Number Client Description Rm 79.5 Juneau Creek A1607439-01

Enclosed are the analytical results for the submitted sample(s). Please review the CASE NARRATIVE for a discussion of any data and/or quality control issues. Listings of data qualifiers, analytical codes, key dates, and QC relationships are provided at the end of the report.

Sincerely,

Jerry Baker **Project Manager**

"The Science of Analysis, The Art of Service"

Case Narrative

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Samples were prepared and analyzed according to EPA or equivalent methods outlined in the following references:

Methods for the Determination of Metals in Environmental Samples, EPA/600/R-94/111, May 1994.

Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater, 21st Edition, 2005.

SAMPLE RECEIPT:

One (1) sample was received 7/28/2016 12:25 PM at ARS Aleut Analytical - Anchorage. The sample was received in good condition and in order per chain of custody.

REVIEW FOR COMPLIANCE WITH ANALYTICA QA PLAN:

A summary of our review is shown below.

All analytical results contained in this report have been reviewed under Analytica's internal quality assurance and quality control program. Any deviations in quality control parameters for specific analyses are noted in the following text.

All method specifications were met for the following tests, unless otherwise noted:

Test Method: SM4500-NO3E - Nitrogen (Nitrate), Cadmium Reduction Method - nitrate+nitrite pres f - Aqueous

The following is a subcontracted test and has been represented to us as having met criteria:

Test Method: 200. 7 - Metals by ICP - 200.7 metals - Aqueous

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Report Section: Client Sample Report

CASNo

7440-70-2

7439-89-6

7439-96-4

Result

14,000

1,100

ND

Client Sample Name: Rm 79.5 Juneau Creek

Matrix:	Aqueous				Collection Date:	7/26/2016	10:30:00AM
The following test was	conducted by: ARS Aleut	Analytical,L	LC				
Lab Sample Number:	A1607439-01A				Analysis Date:	8/11/201	6 4:35:00PM
Prep Date:	08-11-2016 16:08				Instrument:	Thermos	spectr
Analytical Method ID:	SM4500-NO3E - Nitroge	n (Nitrate), (Cadmium Reduct	tion Method	- N ile Name:		
Prep Method ID:					Dilution Factor:	1	
Prep Batch Number:	A160811011						
Report Basis:	As Received				Analyst Initials:	LL	
Sample prep wt./vol:	25.00 ml				Prep Extract Vol:	25.00	ml
pH on receipt:	< 2.00						
Analyte Nitrate-Nitrite as Nitrogen	CASNo	Result ND	Flags Units mg/L	PQL MDL 0.10 0.02			<u>run #:</u> 1
	<u>CASNo</u> A1607439-01B					8/6/2016	1
Nitrate-Nitrite as Nitrogen					8	8/6/2016	1
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Flags Units

ug/L

ug/L

ug/L

PQL MDL

35

22 11

200

100

200

<u>run #:</u>

Analyte

Calcium

Magnesium

Iron

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Report Section: Method Blank Report

Client Sample Name: MB

Matrix: Aqueous Collection Date: 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM

The following test was conducted by: ARS Aleut Analytical, LLC

Lab Sample Number: A160811011-MB Analysis Date: 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM

Prep Date: 08-11-2016 16:08 Instrument: Thermospectr

Analytical Method ID: SM4500-NO3E - Nitrogen (Nitrate), Cadmium Reduction Method - Nile Name:

Prep Method ID: Dilution Factor:

Prep Batch Number: A160811011

Report Basis: As Received Analyst Initials: LL

Sample prep wt./vol: 25.00 ml Prep Extract Vol: 25.00 ml

pH on receipt: 0.00

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Workorder (SDG): A1607439

Project: KWF Baseline Monitoring 2016

Client: Kenai Watershed Forum

Client Project Number: 2016

Report Section: Method Blank Report

Client Sample Name: MB 280-336543/1-A

Matrix: Collection Date: 8/5/2016 2:40:00PM

Lab Sample Number: MB 280-336543/1-A Analysis Date: 8/6/2016 9:02:00PM

Prep Date: 08-05-2016 14:08 Instrument: Analytical Method ID: 200. 7 - Metals by ICP - 200.7 metals File Name:

Prep Method ID: Dilution Factor:

Prep Batch Number: R1608181628-28

Report Basis: As Received Analyst Initials: CMK

Sample prep wt./vol: Prep Extract Vol: ml

Analyte **CASNo** Result Flags Units PQL MDL <u>run #:</u> Calcium 7440-70-2 ND 200 35 ug/L ND 100 22 Iron 7439-89-6 ug/L Magnesium 7439-96-4 ND ug/L 200 11

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Tests Run at: Analytica Environmental Laboratories - Anchorage, Alaska

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Project: KWF Baseline Monitoring 2016

Project Number: QUALITY CONTROL REPORT

Prep Batch: A160811011

LCS REPORT

Analysis: SM4500-NO3E - Nitrogen (Nitrate), Cadmium Reduction Method -MB: A160811011-MB

Prep Date: 8/11/2016

Analyte Name SampResult LCSRes. SPLev Recov. Recov. Recov Lim RPDLim Flag

Nitrate-Nitrite as Nitrogen ND 0.567 0.614 92.3 90 - 110

FOOTNOTES TO QC REPORT

Note 1: Results are shown to three significant figures to avoid rounding errors in calculations.

Note 2: If the sample concentration is greater than 4 times the spike level, a recovery is not meaningful, and the result should be used as a replicate. In such cases the spike is not as high as expected random measurement variability of the sample result itself.

Note 3: For sample duplicates, if the result is less than the PQL, the duplicate RPD is not applicable. If the sample and duplicate results are not five times the PQL or greater, then the RPD is not expected to fall within the window shown and the comparison should be made on the basis of the absolute difference. Analytica uses the criterion that the absolute difference should be less than the PQL for water or less than 2XPQL for other matrices.

Note 4: For serial dilutions, if the result is less than the PQL, the duplicate RPD is not applicable. If the sample result is not 50 times the MDL or greater, then the fact that the RPD does not meet the 10% criterion has little significance. Otherwise it indicates that a matrix bias may exist at the analytical step.

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Tests Run at:

Workorder (SDG): A1607439

Project: KWF Baseline Monitoring 2016

Project: Number: QUALITY CONTROL REPORT

Prep Batch: **R1608181628-28**

LCS REPORT

Analysis: 200. 7 - Metals by ICP - 200.7 metals MB: MB 280-336543/1-A

Prep Date: 8/5/2016

MB Anal. Date: 8/6/2016 9:02:00PM Units: ug/L

LCS Anal. Date: 8/6/2016 9:05:00PM Matrix:

Analyte Name Calcium	SampResult ND	LCSRes. 50,600	<u>SPLev</u> 50,000	<u>Recov.</u> 101.2	Recov Lim RPDLim Flag 90 - 111
Iron	ND	1,020	1,000	102.0	89 - 115
Magnesium	ND	51,500	50,000	103.0	90 - 113

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QC BATCH ASSOCIATIONS - BY METHOD BLANK

Lab Project ID: 181,165 Lab Project Number: A1607439

Prep Date: 8/5/2016

Lab Method Blank Id: MB 280-336543/1-A
Prep Batch ID: R1608101338-11

Method: 200.8 - Metals by ICP/MS - Total

This Method blank and sample preparation batch are associated with the following samples, spikes, and duplicates:

<u>SampleNum</u> <u>ClientSampleName</u> <u>DataFile</u> <u>AnalysisDate</u>

LCS 280-336543/2-A LCS 280-336543/2-A 8/6/2016 9:05:00PM

Prep Date: 8/11/2016

Lab Method Blank Id: A160811011-MB
Prep Batch ID: A160811011

Method: SM4500-NO3E - Nitrogen (Nitrate), Cadmium Reduction Method -

This Method blank and sample preparation batch are associated with the following samples, spikes, and duplicates:

DataFile AnalysisDate SampleNum ClientSampleName A1607319-01H Batch QC 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM Rm 79.5 Juneau Creek 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM A1607439-01A **LCS** 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM A160811011-LCS 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM A1607319-01H-DUP DUP 8/11/2016 4:35:00PM MS A1607319-01H-MS

Prep Date: 8/5/2016

Lab Method Blank Id: MB 280-336543/1-A Prep Batch ID: R1608181628-28

Method: 200. 7 - Metals by ICP - 200.7 metals

This Method blank and sample preparation batch are associated with the following samples, spikes, and duplicates:

SampleNum ClientSampleName <u>DataFile</u> <u>AnalysisDate</u>

A1607439-01B Rm 79.5 Juneau Creek 8/6/2016 9:37:00PM LCS 280-336543/2-A LCS 280-336543/2-A 8/6/2016 9:05:00PM

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DATA FLAGS AND DEFINITIONS

The PQL is the Method Quantitation Limit as defined by USACE.

Reporting Limit: Limit below which results are shown as "ND". This may be the PQL, MDL, or a value between. See the report conventions below.

Result Field:

ND = Not Detected at or above the Reporting Limit

NA = Analyte not applicable (see Case Narrative for discussion)

Qualifier Fields:

LOW = Recovery is below Lower Control Limit

HIGH = Recovery, RPD, or other parameter is above Upper Control Limit

E = Reported concentration is above the instrument calibration upper range

Organic Analysis Flags:

B = Analyte was detected in the laboratory method blank

J = Analyte was detected above MDL or Reporting Limit but below the Quant Limit (PQL)

Inorganic Analysis Flags:

J = Analyte was detected above the Reporting Limit but below the Quant Limit (PQL)

W = Post digestion spike did not meet criteria

S = Reported value determined by the Method of Standard Additions (MSA)

Several ways of defining the limit of detection and quantitation are prevalent in the laboratory industry and may appear in Analytica reports. These include the following:

MRL = "minimum reporting level", from the EPA Safe Drinking Water program (SDW)

PQL = "practical quantitation limit", from SW-846

EQL = "estimated quantitation limit", from SW-846

LOQ = "limit of quantitation", from a number of authoritative sources

In Analytica's work, all of these terms have the same meaning, equivalent to the EPA definition of the MRL. This reporting level is supported by a satisfactory calibration data point which is at that level or lower, and also is supported by a method detection limit (MDL) determined by the procedure in 40CFR. The MDL is lower than the MRL and represents an estimate of the level where positive detections have a 99% probability of being real, but where quantitation accuracy is unknown.

The MRL as defined by Analytica is the lowest demonstrated point of known quantitation accuracy.

The MRL should not be confused with the MCL, which is the EPA-defined "maximum contaminant level" allowed for certain regulated targets under specific regulations, such as the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations. Normally, the MRL is set at a level which is much lower than the MCL in order to ensure that levels are well below those limits. Not all target analytes have MCL levels established.

Other Flags may be applied. See Case Narrative for Description

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REPORTING CONVENTIONS FOR THIS REPORT

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TestPkgName	Basis	# Sig Figs	Reporting Limit
200.7 (Aqueous) - 200.7 metals	As Received	2	Report to PQL
4500-NO3E (Aqueous) - Nitrate+Nitrite pres	As Received	3	Report to PQL



AAA Chain of Custody Form

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