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Chemical Testing Laboratory

Accreditation Number 414

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Conformance Standard

ISO/IEC 17025:2017

General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories

Laboratory Services Summary

Water/Environmental

2.41 Waters

ICP-MS/OES

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**Sampling**

2.41

Waters

2.58

Environmental Monitoring

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Water/Environmental

2.41 Waters

- (a) Potable waters
- (b) Non-potable waters
- (c) Sewage
- (d) Effluents and trade wastes

2.58 Environmental Monitoring

(a) Waters

Absorbance at 254, 270 & 440 nm	In-house
Acidity	2310 B
Alkalinity	2320 B
Alkalinity to pH 4.5	2320 B
Alkalinity to pH 8.3	2320 B
Ammoniacal nitrogen (ammonium)	4500-NH ₃ H
Ammoniacal nitrogen (ammonium)	4500-NH ₃ H (modified)
Ammoniacal nitrogen (ammonium)	Discrete analyser
Ammoniacal nitrogen (ammonium) (acidified)	Discrete analyser
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD)	5210 B
Calcium	3500-Ca B
Calcium hardness	3500-Ca B
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD)	5220 D
Chloride	4500-Cl ⁻ B
Chlorine	4500-Cl F
Chlorophyll	10200 H
Chromium (VI)	In-house based on 3500-Cr B
Colour	2120 C (modified)
Colour @ 270 nm (calculation)	In-house
Conductivity	2510 B
Cyanides – total	4500-CN C & E
Cyanides – weak acid dissociable	4500-CN I & E
Dissolved Oxygen	4500-O G
Free carbon dioxide	4500-CO ₂ C
Hydrogen sulphide	4500-S ²⁻ H
Ion balance	1030 E
Magnesium hardness	3500-Mg B
Nitrogen – Inorganic	By calculation
Nitrogen – Nitrate	By calculation
Nitrogen – Nitrate Nitrite	4500-NO ₃ ⁻ I (FIA)
Nitrogen – Nitrate Nitrite	Discrete analyser

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Nitrogen – Nitrite	4500-NO ₂ ⁻ B (automated FIA)
Nitrogen – Nitrite	Discrete analyser
Nitrogen – Organic	By calculation
Nitrogen – total	4500-NO ₃ ⁻ I
Nitrogen – total	4500-N C
Nitrogen – total	By calculation
Nitrogen – total organic	By calculation
Nitrogen – total oxidised	By calculation
Non-purgeable Organic Carbon – dissolved	5310 B
Non-purgeable Organic Carbon – total	5310 B
Oil and Grease	5520 B (modified)
Oil and Grease	5520 D
pH	4500-H ⁺ B
Phosphorus – dissolved reactive	4500-P G
Phosphorus – dissolved reactive	Discrete analyser
Phosphorus – total	4500-P G
Phosphorus – total	4500-P B
Phosphorus – total	Discrete analyser
Phosphorus – total dissolved	4500-P B
Phosphorus – total dissolved	4500-P G
Phosphorus – total dissolved	Discrete analyser
Saturation Index	By calculation (2330 B)
Solids – settleable	2540 F
Solids – total	2540 B
Solids – total dissolved	2540 C
Solids – total suspended	2540 D
Solids – total volatile	2540 G
Solids – volatile suspended	2540 E
Sulphide	4500-S ²⁻ B
Sulphide	4500-S ²⁻ C
Sulphide	4500-S ²⁻ F
Sulphite	4500-SO ₃ ²⁻ B
Temperature	2550 B
Total Hardness (calculation)	2340 B
Total Hardness	2340 C
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	4500-N _{org} C
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	By calculation
Total Sediment Concentration	ASTM D3977
Turbidity	2130 B
Turbidity	ISO 7027:1999
Unionised Ammonia	By calculation

The following elements by ion chromatography using 4110 B:

Bromide
NitriteChloride
PhosphateFluoride
Sulphate

Nitrate

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The following elements by ion chromatography using 4110 D:

Bromate Chlorate Chlorite

(f) Swimming pools and spas

Alkalinity	2320 B
Calcium Hardness	3500-Ca B
Chloride	4500-Cl B
Chlorine	4500-Cl ₂ F
Conductivity	2510 B
pH	4500-H ⁺ B

(h) Boiler waters

Alkalinity	BS 1427:2009
Chloride	4110 B
pH	4500-H B
Phosphorus (total reactive)	Discrete analyser
Sulphite	4500-SO ₃ ²⁻ B

ICP-MS/OES

2.05 Clays, Ceramics and Related Materials

(a) Clays, ceramics and refractories

The performance of the following tests on leaching from ceramics and glazes, and on leachates as received by in-house ICP-MS and ICP-OES methods:

Antimony Arsenic Cadmium Lead

2.31 Foods

- (a) Cereals and cereal products**
- (b) Edible oils, fats and their products**
- (c) Nuts, fruits and vegetables and derived products**
- (d) Sauces, herbs, spice and condiments**
- (e) Sugars and sugar confectionery**

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- (f) Dairy products
 (g) Meat, poultry and derived products
 (h) Fish and fish products
 (i) Eggs and egg products
 (j) Alcoholic beverages
 (k) Non-alcoholic beverages

The following analytes in accordance with in-house ICP-OES methods following in-house digestion.

Aluminium	Chromium	Tin	Zinc
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The following analytes in accordance with in-house ICP-MS methods following in-house digestion.

Aluminium	Antimony	Arsenic	Cadmium
Calcium	Chromium	Copper	Iron
Lead	Magnesium	Manganese	Mercury
Nickel	Potassium	Selenium	Silver
Sodium	Thallium	Tin	Zinc

- (f) Dairy products

(butter and AMF – analysis of the extracted samples only)

The following analytes by ICP-MS in accordance with APHA Online Edition 3125 (modified).

Copper	Iron
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(milk, milk powders, whey products, milk powder concentrates)

The following analytes by ICP-MS in accordance with BS/EN 15111(modified).

Iodine

2.36 Agricultural Products and Agricultural Materials

- (c) Stockfoods and licks

The performance of the following tests in accordance with in-house ICP-MS and ICP-OES methods following microwave digestion.

Aluminium	Arsenic	Cadmium	Chromium
Lead	Tin	Zinc	

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2.41 Waters

- (a) Potable waters
- (b) Non-potable waters
- (c) Sewage
- (d) Effluents and trade wastes
- (f) Swimming pools and spas
- (h) Boiler waters

The following metals using inductively coupled argon plasma optical emission spectroscopy (ICP-OES)
In-house method based on APHA 3120 B using APHA 3030E (modified) digest:

Aluminium	Antimony	Barium	Boron
Calcium	Chromium	Cobalt	Copper
Iron	Lithium	Magnesium	Manganese
Molybdenum	Nickel	Phosphorus	Potassium
Selenium	Silica	Silicon	Silver
Sodium	Strontium	Sulphate (calculation)	Sulphur
Thallium	Tin	Titanium	Vanadium
Zinc			

Phosphate (ICP-OES)

By calculation

Potassium Absorption Ratio (ICP-OES)

By calculation

Sodium Absorption Ratio (ICP-OES)

By calculation

The following metals using inductively coupled plasma mass spectroscopy (ICP-MS) in-house method
based on APHA 3125 B using APHA 3030E (modified) digest:

Aluminium	Antimony	Arsenic	Barium
Beryllium	Bismuth	Boron	Cadmium
Caesium	Calcium	Chromium	Cobalt
Copper	Iron	Lead	Lithium
Magnesium	Manganese	Mercury	Molybdenum
Nickel	Potassium	Selenium	Silver
Sodium	Strontium	Thallium	Tin
Titanium	Tungsten	Uranium	Vanadium
Zinc			

Potassium Absorption Ratio (ICP-MS)

By calculation

Sodium Absorption Ratio (ICP-MS)

By calculation

2.50 Gases

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(c) Fumes and emissions
(d) Atmospheric pollution

Performance of the following tests on filters or extracted filters and impinger solutions as received by the laboratory, in accordance with in-house methods by ICP-MS and ICP-OES:

Antimony	Arsenic	Boron	Cadmium
Chromium	Cobalt	Copper	Iron
Lead	Manganese	Mercury	Molybdenum
Nickel	Selenium	Silver	Thallium
Tin	Titanium	Tungsten	Vanadium
Zinc			

2.58 Environmental Monitoring

- (a) Waters**
(b) Air (filters, extracts or impinger solutions as received)
(c) Soils and sludges

In accordance with In-house methods by ICP-MS and ICP-OES:

Aluminium	Antimony	Arsenic	Barium
Beryllium	Boron	Cadmium	Caesium
Calcium	Chromium	Cobalt	Copper
Gallium	Gold	Iron	Lead
Lithium	Magnesium	Manganese	Mercury
Molybdenum	Nickel	Palladium	Platinum
Potassium	Selenium	Silicon	Silver
Sodium	Strontium	Thallium	Tin
Titanium	Tungsten	Uranium	Vanadium
Zinc			

- (a) Waters**
(b) Air (filters, extracts or impinger solutions as received)

Reactive Silica

APHA 3120 B

2.61 Biological Specimens

- (a) Biological fluids including urine**

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The performance of the following tests on pre-prepared samples as received by the laboratory in accordance with in-house methods by ICP-MS:

Aluminium
Lead
Zinc

Cadmium
Mercury

Cobalt
Nickel

Copper
Thallium

(b) Residues in specified veterinary specimens

The performance of the following tests on pre-prepared canine and equine urine screening and confirmation samples as received by the laboratory in accordance with in-house methods by ICP-MS:

Cobalt

2.81 Other Specified Inorganic Material

(a) Toys and playthings

Analysis of the following tests in graphic materials, in accordance with in-house ICP-MS and ICP-OES methods and to AS/NZS ISO 8124.3:2003:

Antimony
Chromium

Arsenic
Lead

Barium
Mercury

Cadmium
Selenium

Organics

2.31 Foods

- (a) Cereals and cereal products
- (b) Edible oils, fats and their products
- (c) Nuts, fruits and vegetables and derived products
- (d) Sauces, herbs, spice and condiments
- (e) Sugars and sugar confectionery
- (f) Dairy products
- (i) Eggs and egg products
- (k) Non-alcoholic beverages

GC-MS

Dithiocarbamates and Thiram Disulphide Pesticides as CS₂ by in-house method.

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GC-MS/MS

Pesticide residues by In-house method based on AOAC 2007.1 for the above sample types.

LC-MS/MS

Pesticide residues by In-house method based on AOAC 2007.1 for the above sample types.

(c) Fruits and derived products

LC-MS/MS

Paraquat and Diquat	In-house method
Maleic Hydrazide	In-house method
Fosetyl-aluminium and phosphorus acid	In-house method

(f) Dairy products

(o) Other specified foods (pet food)

LC-MS/MS

Melamine, dicyandiamide (DCD) and cyanuric acid	In-house method
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2.36 Agricultural Products and Agricultural Materials

(a) Wheat and other cereal grains and by-products

(b) Oil seeds and by-products

(h) Plants

GC-MS/MS

Pesticide residues by In-house method based on AOAC 2007.1 for the above types.

(a) Wheat and other cereal grains and by-products

(b) Oil seeds and by-products

(h) Plants

(j) Residues in agricultural products and related materials

LC-MS/MS

Pesticide residues by In-house method based on AOAC 2007.1 for the above sample types.

(h) Plants

GC-MS

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Dithiocarbamates and Thiram Disulphide Pesticides as CS2 In-house method

2.41 Waters

- (a) Potable waters
- (b) Non-potable waters
- (c) Sewage
- (d) Effluents and trade wastes

GC-FID

Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and total xylenes (BTEX) In-house method based on those of the USEPA
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) In-house method

GC-MS

Acrylamide In-house method based on USEPA 8032A
Dithiocarbamates and Thiram Disulphide Pesticides as CS2 In-house method

Semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) compound classes in accordance with in-house methods based on those of the USEPA:

- Carbamate pesticides
- Organochlorine pesticides (OCs)
- Organonitrogen pesticides (ONs)
- Organophosphorus pesticides (OPs)
- Phenols and their derivatives
- Polychlorinated benzenes
- Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)
- Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)
- Synthetic pyrethroids

Pesticide residues of the following compound classes by tandem mass spectrometry (GC-MS/MS) in accordance with in-house methods based on those of the USEPA:

- Carbamate and dithiocarbamate pesticides
- Organochlorine pesticides
- Organonitrogen pesticides
- Organophosphorus pesticides
- Phenoxyacetic acid herbicides
- Synthetic pyrethroids

Static Headspace (SHS) GC-MS

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Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) by Static Headspace (SHS) GC-MS in the following compound classes in accordance with an in-house method:

- Hydrocarbons
- Halogenated hydrocarbons and haloforms
- Aromatics and BTEX
- Halogenated aromatics
- Carbon disulphide

Solid Phase Microextraction (SPME) GC-MS

Taste and Odour Compounds

In-house method based on APHA 6040D

- (a) Potable waters
(b) Non-potable waters

LC-MS/MS

Pesticide Residues in water by In-house method based on USEPA 3510C, 3500, 5000, 8000D
Acid Herbicides by In-house method

Fluoroacetate sodium / 1080	In-house method
Glyphosate, AMPA, Glufosinate	In-house method
Maleic Hydrazide	In-house method
Paraquat and Diquat	In-house method
Phenols and Chlorinated Phenols	In-house Method
Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)	In-house Method

- (a) Potable waters

LC-MS/MS

Bromochloroacetic acid	In-house method
Dibromoacetic acid	In-house method
Dichloroacetic acid	In-house method
2,4-D	In-house method
2,4-Dichlorophenol	In-house method
Monobromoacetic acid	In-house method
Monochloroacetic acid	In-house method
Trichloroacetic acid	In-house method
2, 4, 6-Trichlorophenol	In-house method

GC-MS/MS

Epichlorohydrin in water by In-house method based on the Journal of Chromatography 1201 (2008)

2.58 Environmental Monitoring

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(a) **Waters**
(c) **Soils and sludges**

GC-FID

Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and total xylenes (BTEX) In-house method based on those of the USEPA
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) In-house method

GC-MS

Semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs) in the following compound classes in accordance with in-house methods based on those of the USEPA:

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Static Headspace (SHS) GC-MS

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- Aromatics and BTEX
- Halogenated aromatics
- Carbon disulphide

(a) **Waters**

LC-MS/MS

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Pesticide Residues in water by In-house method based on USEPA
Acid Herbicides by In-house method

Bromochloroacetic acid	In-house method
Dibromoacetic acid	In-house method
Dichloroacetic acid	In-house method
2,4-Dichlorophenol	In-house method
Fluoroacetate sodium / 1080	In-house method
Glyphosate, AMPA, Glufosinate	In-house method
Maleic Hydrazide	In-house method
Monobromoacetic acid	In-house method
Monochloroacetic acid	In-house method
Paraquat and Diquat	In-house method
Phenols and Chlorinated Phenols	In-house method
Trichloroacetic acid	In-house method
2, 4, 6-Trichlorophenol	In-house method
Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)	In-house method

GC-MS

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(c) Soils and sludges

LC-MS/MS

Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) In-house method

Sampling

2.41 Waters

- (a) Potable waters
- (b) Non-potable waters (e.g. receiving waters, ground waters)
- (c) Sewage
- (d) Effluents and trade wastes
- (e) Cooling tower and industrial waters
- (f) Swimming pools and spas
- (g) Marine waters

Sampling in accordance with in-house procedures based on AS/NZS 5667

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2.58 Environmental Monitoring

- (a) Waters
- (c) Soils and sludges

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AOAC AOAC International
 APHA American Public Health Association
 ASTM American Society for Testing and Materials
 AS/NZS Australian/New Zealand standards
 BS British Standards
 BS/EN British Standard implementation of English language versions of European standard
 ISO International Organization for Standardization
 USEPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

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