# ATTACHMENT 1: QUALITY ASSURANCE/QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY

This attachment summarizes the field quality assurance, laboratory quality assurance, data verification and data validation procedures utilized for the JPL groundwater monitoring program. Data validation was performed by an independent subcontractor, Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. of Carlsbad, California. Data verification and validation indicated that the all volatile organic compounds (VOCs), perchlorate and metals data obtained from the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 2009 sampling event were acceptable for their intended use of characterizing aquifer quality.

# ATTACHMENT 1: QUALITY ASSURANCE/QUALITY CONTROL SUMMARY

Field and laboratory quality control samples were collected and analyzed to fulfill the quality requirements established in the Quality Assurance Project Plan included in the Groundwater Monitoring Plan (Ebasco, 1993). Proper sample collection and handling procedures were utilized to ensure the integrity of the analytical data.

### FIELD QUALITY ASSURANCE/QUALITY CONTROL

The field QC samples collected for JPL groundwater monitoring included field duplicate samples, equipment rinsate blanks, trip blanks and a source blank. The QC sample results were used for the qualitative evaluation of the data. Table 1-1 summarizes analytical results for VOCs and metals detected in the field quality control samples during the third quarter 2009 groundwater sampling event.

*Field Duplicate Samples.* Duplicate samples were collected to evaluate the precision of the laboratory analyses. Duplicate samples for volatile organic compounds (VOCs), perchlorate, total chromium and hexavalent chromium [Cr(VI)] analyses were collected from monitoring wells MW-4 (Screen2), MW-12 (Screen 2), MW-14 (Screen 1), MW-18 (Screen 3), MW-19 (Screen 2), MW-20 (Screen 3) and MW-21 (Screen 3). The analytical results for the field duplicate samples were comparable to the results of the original groundwater samples for VOCs (Table 1) and Metals (Table 2).

*Equipment Rinsate Blanks.* Equipment rinsate blanks were collected each day that nondedicated sampling equipment was used. The equipment rinsate blanks, consisting of distilled water run through the sampling equipment after decontamination, were analyzed for all contaminants of concern to monitor possible cross-contamination of the samples due to inadequate decontamination. One equipment rinsate blank had a detection of methyene chloride that was near the reporting limit. No other VOC contaminants were detected in the equipment rinsate blanks as shown in Table 1-1.

The tentatively identified compounds (TICs), isobutylene and/or tert-butyl alcohol (TBA) were detected in several equipment blanks in varying amounts (Table 1-1) however isobutylene and TBA were not detected in any of the groundwater monitoring well samples.

*Trip Blanks.* Trip blanks, which consisted of reagent-grade water in vials transported with the sample bottles to and from the field, were submitted to the laboratory with each shipment of groundwater samples. Trip blanks were used to help identify cross-contamination of groundwater samples during transport and sample handling procedures. No VOC contaminants were detected in the trip blanks as shown in Table 1-1. In addition, no TICs were detected in the trip blanks, as shown in Table 4.

*Source Blank.* A source blank which consisted of distilled water used by sampling personnel for equipment decontamination was submitted to the laboratory for analysis. This QC sample served as a check for any contamination present in the source water. No VOC contaminants were detected in the source blank as shown in Table 1-1. The tentatively identified compound TBA was detected in the source blank at a low

concentration; however TBA was not detected in any of the groundwater monitoring well samples.

# LABORATORY QUALITY ASSURANCE/QUALITY CONTROL

Laboratory QC samples included surrogate compounds (for VOC analyses), matrix spike samples, blank spike samples, and method blanks. The results of the laboratory QC samples were used by the laboratory to determine the accuracy and precision of the analytical techniques, and to identify anomalous results due to laboratory contamination or instrument malfunction.

#### DATA VERIFICATION AND VALIDATION

The purpose of data verification and validation is to assure that the data collected meet the data quality objectives (DQOs) outlined in the Quality Assurance Project Plan included in the Groundwater Monitoring Plan (Ebasco, 1993).

*Data Verification.* Data verification is a review of the analytical data that includes confirming that the sample identification numbers on the laboratory reports match those on the chain-of-custody records. Data verification also includes a review of the analytical data reports to confirm that all samples were analyzed and all required analytes were quantified for each sample.

*Data Validation.* Data validation is a systematic review of the analytical data to determine the compliance with established method performance criteria. Validation of the data included review of the technical holding time requirements, review of sample preparation, review of the initial and continuing calibration data, review and recalculation of the laboratory QC sample data, review of the equipment performance, reconciliation of the raw data with the reduced results, identification of any data anomalies, and qualification of data to identify data usability limitations.

Data validation was performed by an independent subcontractor, Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. (LDC) of Carlsbad, CA. All of the data provided by Alpha Analytical, Inc. and Columbia Analytical Services, Inc. (CAS) were validated. Ninety percent of the data were subjected to Level III validation and ten percent of the data were subjected to Level IV validation in accordance with the EPA Contract Laboratory Program (CLP) National Functional Guidelines for Organic and Inorganic Data Review (U.S. EPA, 2008; 2004).

*Data Validation Qualifiers.* Analytical data were qualified based on data validation. Data qualifiers were assigned in accordance with EPA guidelines. All samples were analyzed within the analytical holding times. Data verification and validation indicated that the all volatile organic compounds (VOCs), perchlorate and metals results obtained from the third quarter 2009 sampling event were acceptable for their intended use of characterizing aquifer quality.

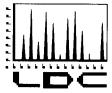
The data validation reports are included in Attachment 2.

#### REFERENCES

- Ebasco. 1993. *Work Plan for Performing a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study*. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, California. December.
- U.S. EPA. 2008. Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review. June.
- U.S. EPA. 2004. Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review. October.

# ATTACHMENT 2: DATA VALIDATION REPORTS (SUMMARY SHEETS)

This attachment contains the summary sheets from the data validation performed by an independent subcontractor, Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. (LDC), Carlsbad, California. Complete data validation reports are available upon request.



LABORATORY DATA CONSULTANTS, INC.

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August 7, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fraction listed below. These SDGs were received on July 31, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

### LDC Project # 21251:

## <u>SDG #</u>

### **Fraction**

P0902483, P0902513, Hexavalent Chromium P0902528, P0902542

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Hexavalent Chromium

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 22, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 5, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Columbia Analytical Services

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902483

# Sample Identification

MW-14-3 MW-14-2 MW-14-1 DUPE-2-3Q09 EB-2-7/22/09 MW-14-3MS MW-14-3MSD

## Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

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Samples MW-14-1 and DUPE-2-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-2-7/22/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902483

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902483

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Collection Date: July 23, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 5, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Columbia Analytical Services

Hexavalent Chromium

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902513

# Sample Identification

MW-18-4 MW-18-3 MW-18-2 DUPE-3-3Q09 EB-3-7/23/09 MW-3-4 MW-3-3 MW-3-3 MW-3-2 MW-18-2MSD MW-18-2MSD MW-3-4MS MW-3-4MSD

### Introduction

This data review covers 12 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
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- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

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Samples MW-18-3 and DUPE-3-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-3-7/23/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902513

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902513

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Hexavalent Chromium

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 24, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 6, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Columbia Analytical Services

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P090528

## Sample Identification

MW-21-5\*\* MW-21-4 MW-21-3 MW-21-2 MW-21-1 DUPE-4-3Q09 EB-4-7/24/09 MW-21-5MS MW-21-5MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

### Introduction

This data review covers 9 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

# II. Calibration

## a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

# b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

## III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

# IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

# V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

# VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-21-3 and DUPE-4-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-4-7/24/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P090528

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P090528

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 27, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 5, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Columbia Analytical Services

Hexavalent Chromium

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902542

# Sample Identification

MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09 EB-5-7/27/09 MW-20-5MS MW-20-5MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 9 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

# II. Calibration

# a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

# b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

# III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

# IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

# V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

# VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

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Samples MW-20-3 and DUPE-5-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-5-7/27/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

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No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902542

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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August 14, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed is the final validation report for the fraction listed below. This SDG was received on August 3, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

### LDC Project # 21260:

SDG # Fraction

P0902557 Hexavalent Chromium

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

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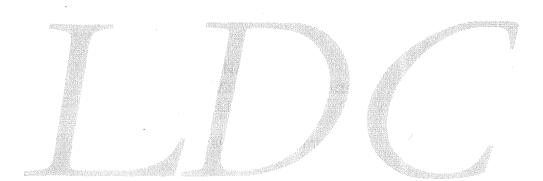
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Érlinda T. Rauto <sup>U</sup> Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21260

Hexavalent Chromium



#### **LDC Report#** 21260A6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: N
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Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Columbia Analytical Services

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902557

### Sample Identification

MW-17-4 MW-17-3 MW-17-2 EB-6-7/28/09 MW-4-3 MW-4-3 MW-4-2 MW-4-1 DUPE-6-3Q09 MW-17-4MS MW-17-4MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-4-2 and DUPE-6-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

### X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-6-7/28/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

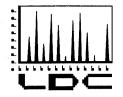
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No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902557

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



LABORATORY DATA CONSULTANTS, INC.

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August 14, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fraction listed below. These SDGs were received on August 3, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21268:

#### <u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

P0902567, P0902600 Hexavalent Chromium

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

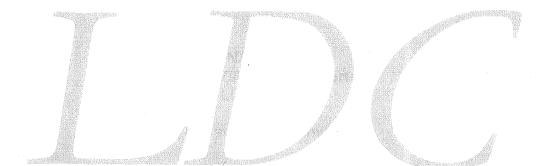
Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

É∲linda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21268

# Hexavalent Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 29, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Columbia Analytical Services

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902576

### Sample Identification

MW-23-4 MW-23-3 MW-23-2 MW-23-1 EB-7-7/29/09 MW-23-4MS MW-23-4MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-7-7/29/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902576

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902576

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Columbia Analytical Services

### Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902600

#### Sample Identification

MW-24-4 MW-24-3 MW-24-1 EB-8-7/30/09 MW-11-3 MW-11-2\*\* MW-11-1 MW-24-2MS MW-24-2MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-8-7/30/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902600

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902600

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



LABORATORY DATA CONSULTANTS, INC.

7750 El Camino Real, Suite 2L Carlsbad, CA 92009 Phone: 760/634-0437 Fax: 760/634-0439

August 14, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed is the final validation report for the fraction listed below. This SDG was received on August 6, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21294:

<u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

P0902614 Hexavalent Chromium

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

frela Ouques for Erlinda T. Rauto

Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21294

Hexavalent Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 31, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Parameters:

Water

August 10, 2009

rs: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Columbia Analytical Services

#### Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902614

#### Sample Identification

MW-22-3 MW-22-2 MW-22-1 EB-9-7/31/09 MW-22-3MS MW-22-3MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 6 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-9-7/31/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902614

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902614

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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7750 El Camino Real, Suite 2L Carlsbad, CA 92009 Phone: 760/634-0437 Fax: 760/634-0439

August 13, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed is the final validation report for the fraction listed below. This SDG was received on August 7, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21304:

<u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

P0902633 Hexavalent Chromium

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21304

Hexavalent Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: August 3, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 12, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

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**Columbia Analytical Services** 

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902633

# Sample Identification

MW-12-3 MW-12-2 MW-12-1 DUPE-7-3Q09 EB-10-8/3/09 MW-12-3MS MW-12-3MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-12-2 and DUPE-7-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No hexavalent chromium was detected in any of the samples.

### X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-10-8/3/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

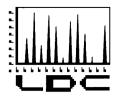
NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902633

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902633

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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August 14, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fraction listed below. These SDGs were received on August 10, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21314:

#### <u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

P0902658, P0902674, Hexavalent Chromium P0902698, P0902714

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

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Sincerely,

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Erlinda T. Rauto <sup>0</sup> Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21314

# Hexavalent Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Columbia Analytical Services

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: August 4, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 12, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902658

# Sample Identification

MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-11-8/4/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902658

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902658

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

#### LDC Report# 21314B6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Columbia Analytical Services

Water

Project/Site Name: NASA JP
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Collection Date: August 5, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 12, 2009

Matrix:

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902674

### Sample Identification

MW-7 MW-16 MW-16MS MW-16MSD

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902674

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902674

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Columbia Analytical Services

Project/Site Name:	JASA	JPL
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Collection Date: August 6, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 12, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902698

### Sample Identification

MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 MW-13MS MW-13MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902698

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902698

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## LDC Report# 21314D6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: August 7, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 12, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Columbia Analytical Services

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902714

## Sample Identification

MW-10 MW-15 SB-1-3Q09 MW-10MS MW-10MSD

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample SB-1-3Q09 was identified as a source blank. No hexavalent chromium was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902714

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902714

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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August 28, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. This SDG was received on August 18, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21346:

# SDG # Fraction

BMI09072241 Volatiles, Perchlorate

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto U Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21346

Volatiles



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 21, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 26, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072241

#### Sample Identification

MW-19-5 MW-19-4\*\* MW-19-3 MW-19-2 MW-19-1 DUPE-1-3Q09 EB-1-7/21/09 TB-1-07/21/09 MW-19-4MS MW-19-4MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Compound	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-19-4MS/MSD (MW-19-4**)	Styrene	65 (69-130)	68 (69-130)	-	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### **XI. Target Compound Identifications**

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

All tentatively identified compounds were within validation criteria for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-19-2 and DUPE-1-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentration (ug/L)		
Compound	MW-19-2	DUPE-1-3Q09	RPD
Trichloroethene	0.94	1.1	16

#### XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-1-07/21/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-1-7/21/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072241

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072241	MW-19-4**	Styrene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

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Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072241

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21346

Perchlorate



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 21, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 26, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072241

## Sample Identification

MW-19-5 MW-19-4\*\* MW-19-3 MW-19-2 MW-19-1 DUPE-1-3Q09 EB-1-7/21/09 MW-19-4MS MW-19-4MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 9 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## IX. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-19-2 and DUPE-1-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentration (ug/L)		
Analyte	MW-19-2	DUPE-1-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	4.81	4.80	0

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-1-7/21/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072241

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072241

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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August 19, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fraction listed below. This SDG was received on August 18, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21385:

<u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

P0902673, Hexavalent Chromium

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

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Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

## NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21385

Hexavalent Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 12, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 19, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Hexavalent Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Columbia Analytical Services, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): P0902763

## Sample Identification

MW-5 MW-5MS MW-5MSD

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 3 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 7196A for Hexavalent Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No hexavalent chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

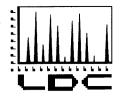
NASA JPL Hexavalent Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902763

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Hexavalent Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG P0902763

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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September 3, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on August 19, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

## LDC Project # 21404:

<u>SDG #</u>	Fraction
BMI09072343, BMI09072442	Volatiles, Chromium, Perchlorate

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

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Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21404

Volatiles



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 22, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072343

## Sample Identification

MW-14-5\*\* MW-14-4 MW-14-3 MW-14-2 MW-14-1 DUPE-2-3Q09 TB-2-7/22/09 EB-2-7/22/09

#### \*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 8 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### **IV. Continuing Calibration**

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses were not required by the method.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

#### X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

All tentatively identified compounds were within validation criteria for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-14-1 and DUPE-2-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concent		
Compound	MW-14-1	DUPE-2-3Q09	RPD
Trichloroethene	2.1	2.2	5

## XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-2-7/22/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-2-7/22/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

# No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 23, 2009

LDC Report Date: August 31, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072442

### Sample Identification

MW-18-5\*\* MW-18-4 MW-18-3 MW-18-2 DUPE-3-3Q09 EB-3-7/23/09 TB-3-7/23/09 MW-3-4 MW-3-4 MW-3-3 MW-3-2 MW-18-2MS MW-18-2MSD MW-3-4MS MW-3-4MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 14 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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All technical holding time requirements were met.

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Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

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Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

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All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Compound	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-18-2MS/MSD (MW-18-2)	Styrene	65 (69-130)	62 (69-130)	-	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A
MW-3-4MS/MSD (MW-3-4)	Styrene	63 (69-130)	63 (69-130)	-	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

## XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

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## XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-18-3 and DUPE-3-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentr		
Compound	MW-18-3	DUPE-3-3Q09	RPD
Chloroform	1.5	1.6	6
Carbon tetrachloride	6.1	6.8	11
Trichloroethene	0.67	0.71	6

## XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-3-7/23/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-3-7/23/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072442	MW-18-2 MW-3-4	Styrene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

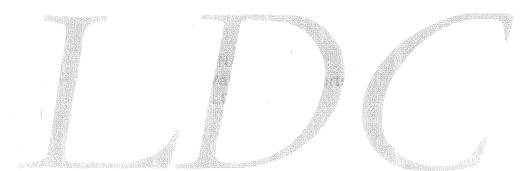
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Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21404

Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 22, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 2, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072343

## Sample Identification

MW-14-3 MW-14-2 MW-14-1 DUPE-2-3Q09 EB-2-7/22/09

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### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
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- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

## III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

## IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

### XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## **XIV. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-14-1 and DUPE-2-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

#### XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-2-7/22/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

# No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 23, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 2, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072442

## Sample Identification

MW-18-4 MW-18-3 MW-18-2 DUPE-3-3Q09 EB-3-7/23/09 MW-3-4 MW-3-3 MW-3-2 MW-3-4MS MW-3-4MSD

### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

## III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

## IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

## XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-18-3 and DUPE-3-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

### XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-3-7/23/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21404

Perchlorate



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 22, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 2, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072343

## Sample Identification

MW-14-5\*\* MW-14-4 MW-14-3 MW-14-2 MW-14-1 DUPE-2-3Q09 EB-2-7/22/09

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met.

## III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike analyses were not performed for this SDG.

### V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-14-1 and DUPE-2-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concent		
Analyte	MW-14-1	DUPE-2-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	2.58	2.48	4

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-2-7/22/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072343

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 23, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 2, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

## Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072442

## Sample Identification

MW-18-5\*\* MW-18-4 MW-18-3 DUPE-3-3Q09 EB-3-7/23/09 MW-3-4 MW-3-3 MW-3-2 MW-18-2MS MW-18-2MS

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

### Introduction

This data review covers 11 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

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# IX. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-18-3 and DUPE-3-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concent		
Analyte	MW-18-3	DUPE-3-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	49.3	49.7	1

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-3-7/23/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

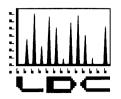
## NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

# No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072442

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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September 10, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on August 25, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

### LDC Project # 21430:

<u>SDG #</u>	<u>Fraction</u>
BMI09072804, BMI09072805	Volatiles, Chromium, Perchlorate

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

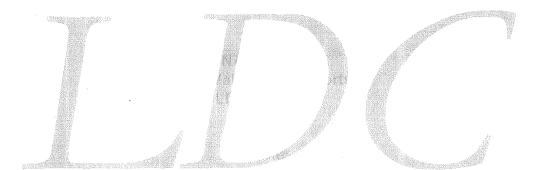
Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21430

Volatiles



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 24, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072804

# Sample Identification

MW-21-5\*\* MW-21-4 MW-21-3 MW-21-2 MW-21-1 DUPE-4-3Q09 EB-4-7/24/09 TB-4-7/24/09 MW-21-5MS MW-21-5MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination ( $r^2$ ) was greater than or equal to 0.990

### IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
7/30/09	2-Butanone 4-Methyl-2-pentanone	55.6 28.6	All samples in SDG BMI09072804	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects)	A
				UJ (all non-detects)	

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

### XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

All tentatively identified compounds were within validation criteria for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-21-3 and DUPE-4-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentra		
Compound	MW-21-3	DUPE-4-3Q09	RPD
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	0.82	0.68	14
Chloroform	1.8	1.6	12
Trichloroethene	0.93	0.76	20
Tetrachloroethene	4.3	3.4	23

## XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-4-7/24/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-4-7/24/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072804	MW-21-5** MW-21-4 MW-21-3 MW-21-2 MW-21-1 DUPE-4-3Q09 EB-4-7/24/09 TB-4-7/24/09	2-Butanone 4-Methyl-2-pentanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Continuing calibration (%D)

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NA
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Collection Date: July 27, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072805

## Sample Identification

MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09 EB-5-7/27/09 TB-5-7/27/09

#### Introduction

This data review covers 8 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
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- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

#### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### IV, Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
7/31/09	Bromomethane	28.1	EB-5-7/27/09 MBLK MS15W0731M	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A
7/30/09	2-Butanone 4-Methyl-2-pentanone	55.6 28.6	MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09 MBLK MS15W0730M	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

## VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### **XI. Target Compound Identifications**

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-20-1 and DUPE-5-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples.

## XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-5-7/27/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-5-7/27/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank with the following exceptions:

Equipment Blank ID	Compound	Concentration (ug/L)
EB-5-7/27/09	Dichloromethane	1.2

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

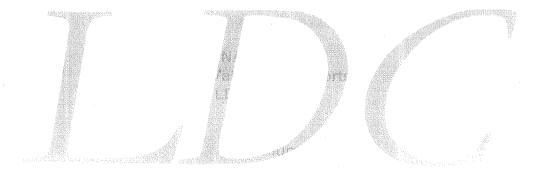
SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072804	EB-5-7/27/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09072804	MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09	2-Butanone 4-Methyl-2-pentanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Continuing calibration (%D)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21430

Chromium



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 24, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072804

## Sample Identification

MW-21-5\*\* MW-21-4 MW-21-3 MW-21-2 MW-21-1 DUPE-4-3Q09 EB-4-7/24/09 MW-21-5MS MW-21-5MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 9 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

## XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

#### XII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-21-3 and DUPE-4-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

#### XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-4-7/24/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 27, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072805

## Sample Identification

MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09 EB-5-7/27/09

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

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## II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

## III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

## IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

# XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

## **XII. Sample Result Verification**

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-20-3 and DUPE-5-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

## XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-5-7/27/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21430

Perchlorate



#### LDC Report# 21430A6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 24, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072804

## Sample Identification

MW-21-5\*\* MW-21-4 MW-21-3 MW-21-2 MW-21-1 DUPE-4-3Q09 EB-4-7/24/09

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. Calibration

## a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

## III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## **IX. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-21-3 and DUPE-4-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concent		
Analyte	MW-21-3	DUPE-4-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	2.40	2.70	12

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-4-7/24/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072804

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 27, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072805

## Sample Identification

MW-20-5 MW-20-4 MW-20-3 MW-20-2 MW-20-1 DUPE-5-3Q09 EB-5-7/27/09

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

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- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. Calibration

## a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

## III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-20-3 and DUPE-5-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-5-7/27/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072805

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

September 14, 2009

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on August 27, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21443:

<u>SDG #</u>	Fraction
BMI09072905, BMI09072906	Volatiles, Chromium, Perchlorate

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21443

Volatiles

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072905

# **Sample Identification**

MW-4-3 MW-4-2 MW-4-1 DUPE-6-3Q09 MW-4-3MS MW-4-3MSD

## Introduction

This data review covers 6 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

## II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

## III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination ( $r^2$ ) was greater than or equal to 0.990.

## IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Compound	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-4-3MS/MSD (MW-4-3)	Styrene	68 (69-130)	68 (69-130)	-	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS M515W0805M	Bromomethane	67 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09072905	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р

# IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

# X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

# XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-4-2 and DUPE-6-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentr		
Compound	MW-4-2	DUPE-6-3Q09	RPD
Trichloroethene	0.56	0.70	22

# XVII. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072906

# Sample Identification

MW-17-4 MW-17-3 MW-17-2 EB-6-7/28/09 TB-6-7/28/09

### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

# II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for all compounds.

# IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

# V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

# VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were not within QC limits. Since there were no associated samples, no data were qualified.

# VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

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LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS M515W0805M	Bromomethane	67 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09072906	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ

# IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

# X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

# XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# **XV. Overall Assessment of Data**

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

### XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-6-7/28/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-6-7/28/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072906	MW-17-4 MW-17-3 MW-17-2 EB-6-7/28/09 TB-6-7/28/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21443

Chromium

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072905

Sample Identification

MW-4-3 MW-4-2 MW-4-1 DUPE-6-3Q09

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### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

# IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

# XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

# XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

### XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-4-2 and DUPE-6-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

# XV. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072906

# Sample Identification

MW-17-4 MW-17-3 MW-17-2 EB-6-7/28/09

#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

# VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

# VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

# IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

# XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

# XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XIV. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-6-7/28/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21443

Perchlorate

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# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072905

# Sample Identification

MW-4-3 MW-4-2 MW-4-1 DUPE-6-3Q09

### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

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Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

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# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

# II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

# IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

# V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

# VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

Samples MW-4-2 and DUPE-6-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concentration (ug/L)		
Analyte	MW-4-2	DUPE-6-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	1.91	1.96	3

# X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# LDC Report# 21443B6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 28, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 1, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09072906

# Sample Identification

MW-17-4 MW-17-3 MW-17-2 EB-6-7/28/09

### Introduction

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# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

# II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

# V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

# VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-6-7/28/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

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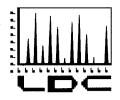
NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072906

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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September 21, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on August 28, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

#### LDC Project # 21449:

### <u>SDG #</u>

#### **Fraction**

BMI09073021, BMI09073102, Volatiles, Chromium, Wet Chemistry BMI09073103

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

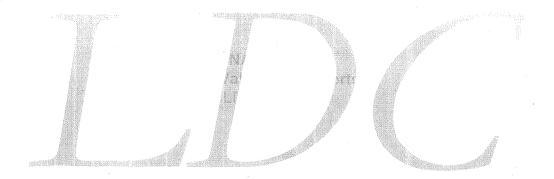
Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21449

Volatiles



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 29, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073021

# Sample Identification

MW-23-3 MW-23-2 MW-23-1 EB-7-7/29/09 TB-7-7/29/09

#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination (r<sup>2</sup>) was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were not within QC limits. Since there were no associated samples, no data were qualified.

# VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS M515W0805M	Bromomethane	67 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09073021	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ

# IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

# X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

# XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

### **XVII. Field Blanks**

Sample TB-7-7/29/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-7-7/29/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09073021	MW-23-3 MW-23-2 MW-23-1 EB-7-7/29/09 TB-7-7/29/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL

# Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073102

### Sample Identification

MW-11-4 MW-11-2\*\* MW-11-1 MW-11-3

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

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Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

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#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### **IV. Continuing Calibration**

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were not within QC limits. Since there were no associated samples, no data were qualified.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

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## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

#### X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

## XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

All tentatively identified compounds were within validation criteria for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XVII. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

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## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

## No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073103

## Sample Identification

MW-24-3 MW-24-2\*\* MW-24-1 EB-8-7/30/09 TB-8-7/30/09 MW-24-2MS MW-24-2MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

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#### Introduction

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## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for all compounds.

#### **IV. Continuing Calibration**

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Compound	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-24-2MS/MSD (MW-24-2**)	Styrene	-	68 (69-130)	-	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

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## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

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## XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-8-7/30/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

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Sample EB-8-7/30/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09073103	MW-24-2**	Styrene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

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# Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21449

Chromium



## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 14, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 29, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073021

## Sample Identification

MW-23-4 MW-23-3 MW-23-2 MW-23-1 EB-7-7/29/09

#### Introduction

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## I. Technical Holding Times

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### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

## IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

## VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

### XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### **XIV. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-7-7/29/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

## No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 14, 2009

Matrix:

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Water

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073102

## Sample Identification

MW-11-3 MW-11-2\*\* MW-11-1

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 3 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### **IX. Internal Standards**

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

#### XII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### **XIV. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

## No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

#### NASA JPL

Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

<b>Project/Site</b>	Name:	
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Water

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 14, 2009

Matrix:

Parameters: Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073103

## Sample Identification

MW-24-4 MW-24-3 MW-24-2\*\* MW-24-1 EB-8-7/30/09 MW-24-2MS MW-24-2MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 7 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

## X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

## XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

### XII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XIV. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

Sample EB-8-7/30/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

## No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21449

Wet Chemistry



### LDC Report# 21449A6

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 29, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 14, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Perchlorate

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073021

## Sample Identification

MW-23-3 MW-23-2 MW-23-1 EB-7-7/29/09

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

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- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-7-7/29/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073021

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## LDC Report# 21449B6

## Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 14, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters: Wet Chemistry

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073102

#### Sample Identification

MW-11-4 MW-11-3 MW-11-2\*\* MW-11-1 MW-11-1MS MW-11-1MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 6 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 300.0 for Chloride, Nitrate as Nitrogen, Nitrite as Nitrogen, Orthophosphate as Phosphorus, and Sulfate and EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No contaminant concentrations were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-11-1MS/MSD (MW-11-1)	Orthophosphate as P	125 (80-120)	125 (80-120)	-	J (all detects)	A

#### V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	LCS %R (Limits)	LCSD %R (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
LCS/D (MW-11-1)	Orthophosphate as P	158 (90-110)	-	44.5 (≤10)	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р

## **VII. Sample Result Verification**

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

### **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09073102	MW-11-1	Orthophosphate as P	J (all detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)
BMI09073102	MW-11-1	Orthophosphate as P	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р	Laboratory control samples (%R)(RPD)

# NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073102

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 30, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 14, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Wet Chemistry

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09073103

#### Sample Identification

MW-24-3 MW-24-2\*\* MW-24-1 EB-8-7/30/09 MW-24-2MS MW-24-2MSD

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 6 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 300.0 for Chloride, Nitrate as Nitrogen, Nitrite as Nitrogen, Orthophosphate as Phosphorus, and Sulfate and EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No contaminant concentrations were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-11-1MS/MSD (MW-24-1)	Orthophosphate as P	125 (80-120)	125 (80-120)	-	J (all detects)	A

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	LCS %R (Limits)	LCSD %R (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
LCS/D (MW-24-1)	Orthophosphate as P	158 (90-110)	-	44.5 (≤10)	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ

## VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-8-7/30/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No contaminant concentrations were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09073103	MW-24-1	Orthophosphate as P	J (all detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)
BMI09073103	MW-24-1	Orthophosphate as P	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)(RPD)

# NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09073103

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG



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September 22, 2009

Battelle 505 King Avenue Room 10-1-170 Columbus, OH 43201 ATTN: Ms. Betsy Cutie

SUBJECT: NASA JPL, Data Validation

Dear Ms. Cutie,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on September 1, 2009. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

### LDC Project # 21469:

<u>SDG #</u>

### **Fraction**

BMI09080404, BMI09080502, BMI09080602, BMI09080703, BMI09081341 Volatiles, Chromium, Wet Chemistry

The data validation was performed under EPA Level III and Level IV guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004
- EPA SW 846, Third Edition, Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, update 1, July 1992; update IIA, August 1993; update II, September 1994; update IIB, January 1995; update III, December 1996; update IIIA, April 1998; IIIB, November 2004; Update IV, February 2007

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21469

Volatiles



#### LDC Report# 21469A1

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: July 31 through August 3, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080404

#### Sample Identification

MW-22-3 MW-22-2 MW-22-1 EB-9-7/31/09 TB-9-7/31/09 MW-12-5 MW-12-5 MW-12-4\*\* MW-12-3 MW-12-3 MW-12-2 MW-12-1 DUPE-7-3Q09 EB-10-8/3/09 TB-10-8/3/09 MW-12-3MS MW-12-3MS

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 15 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent an EPA Level IV review. An EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

#### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination (r<sup>2</sup>) was greater than or equal to 0.990

#### IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0%.

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

#### X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

All tentatively identified compounds were within validation criteria for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XIV. System Performance

The system performance was within validation criteria for samples on which an EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

#### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-12-2 and DUPE-7-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No volatiles were detected in any of the samples.

## XVII. Field Blanks

Samples TB-9-7/31/09 and TB-10-8/3/09 were identified as trip blanks. No volatile contaminants were found in these blanks.

Samples EB-9-7/31/09 and EB-10-8/3/09 were identified as equipment blanks. No volatile contaminants were found in these blanks.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09072905	MW-4-3	Styrene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)
BMI09072905	MW-4-3 MW-4-2 MW-4-1 DUPE-6-3Q09	Bromomethane	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09072905

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

### NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

# No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 4, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 10, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080502

#### Sample Identification

MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 TB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MW-26-1 MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 11 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
8/7/09	Bromomethane Trichlorofluoromethane 2-Butanone	44.7 32.2 41.0	TB-11-8/4/09 MBLK MS15W0807A	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ
8/14/09	Bromomethane 2-Butanone	32.3 87.9	MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MSD MBLK MS15W0814M	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Sample	Surrogate	%R (Limits)	Compound	Flag	A or P
MW-25-3	1,2-Dichloroethane-d4	188 (70-130)	All TCL compounds	J (all detects)	Ρ

#### VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS MS15W0807A	Bromomethane	55 (70-130)	TB-11-8/4/09 MBLK MS15W0807A	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ
LCS MS15W0807A	Trichlorofluoromethane	132 (70-130)	TB-11-8/4/09 MBLK MS15W0807A	J (all detects)	Ρ
LCS MS15W0814M	Bromomethane	132 (70-130)	MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MBLK MS15W0814M	J (all detects)	Ρ

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

## X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### **XVI. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-11-8/4/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

Sample EB-11-8/4/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

## NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080502	TB-11-8/4/09	Bromomethane Trichlorofluoromethane 2-Butanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09080502	MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1	Bromomethane 2-Butanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09080502	MW-25-3	All TCL compounds	J (all detects)	Р	Surrogate spikes (%R)
BM109080502	TB-11-8/4/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р	Laboratory control samples (%R)
BMI09080502	TB-11-8/4/09	Trichlorofluoromethane	J (all detects)	Р	Laboratory control samples (%R)
BMI09080502	MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1	Bromomethane	J (all detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 5, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 11, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080602

# Sample Identification

MW-7 MW-16 TB-12-8/5/09 MW-16MS MW-16MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### **IV.** Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
8/14/09	Bromomethane	32.3	All samples in SDG BMI09080602	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р
	2-Butanone	87.9		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS MS15W0814M	Bromomethane	132 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09080602	J (all detects)	Р

## IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

#### X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

#### XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **XVI. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# XVII. Field Blanks

Sample TB-12-8/5/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080602

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BM109080602	MW-7 MW-16 TB-12-8/5/09	Bromomethane 2-Butanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09080602	MW-7 MW-16 TB-12-8/5/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects)	Р	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL

Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080602

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 6, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 11, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080703

# Sample Identification

MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 TB-13-8/6/09

#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

# IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
8/14/09	Bromomethane	32.3	All samples in SDG BMI09080703	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Р
	2-Butanone	87.9			

#### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

#### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS MS15W0814M	Bromomethane	132 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09080703	J (all detects)	Р

# IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

# X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

## XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### **XIV. System Performance**

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **XVI. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### **XVII. Field Blanks**

Sample TB-13-8/6/09 was identified as a trip blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080703	MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 TB-13-8/6/09	Bromomethane 2-Butanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09080703	MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 TB-13-8/6/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

## LDC Report# 21469E1

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name:

NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 7 through August 12, 2009

LDC Report Date: September 11, 2009

Matrix: Water

Parameters: Volatiles

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory: Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09081341

# Sample Identification

MW-10 TB-14-8/7/09 SB-1-3Q09 MW-5 TB-15-8/12/09

#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 524.2 for Volatiles.

This review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### **II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check**

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

#### III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 20.0% for selected compounds.

A curve fit, based on the initial calibration, was established for quantitation for selected compounds. The coefficient of determination  $(r^2)$  was greater than or equal to 0.990.

#### **IV.** Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

All of the continuing calibration percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were less than or equal to 30.0% with the following exceptions:

Date	Compound	%D	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
8/14/09	Bromomethane	32.3	All samples in SDG BMI09081341	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	Ρ
	2-Butanone	87.9		· · /	

### V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No volatile contaminants were found in the method blanks.

### VI. Surrogate Spikes

Surrogates were added to all samples and blanks as required by the method. All surrogate recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

# VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Although matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were not required by the method, MS and MSD samples were reported by the laboratory. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

# VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

LCS ID	Compound	%R (Limits)	Associated Samples	Flag	A or P
LCS MS15W0814M	Bromomethane	132 (70-130)	All samples in SDG BMI09081341	J (all detects)	Р

# IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

# X. Internal Standards

All internal standard areas and retention times were within QC limits.

# XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XII. Compound Quantitation and CRQLs

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# **XIV. System Performance**

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### XV. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

# XVII. Field Blanks

Samples TB-14-8/7/09 and TB-15-8/12/09 were identified as trip blanks. No volatile contaminants were found in these blanks.

Sample SB-1-3Q09 was identified as a source blank. No volatile contaminants were found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09081341

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09081341	MW-10 TB-14-8/7/09 SB-1-3Q09 MW-5 TB-15-8/12/09	Bromomethane 2-Butanone	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	P	Continuing calibration (%D)
BMI09081341	MW-10 TB-14-8/7/09 SB-1-3Q09 MW-5 TB-15-8/12/09	Bromomethane	J (all detects)	Ρ	Laboratory control samples (%R)

# NASA JPL Volatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09081341

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21469

Chromium



#### **LDC Report#** 21469A4

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name:

NASA JPL

**Collection Date:** 

July 31 through August 3, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters:

Validation Level:

EPA Level III

Chromium

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080404

## Sample Identification

MW-22-3 MW-22-2 BB-9-7/31/09 MW-12-3 MW-12-2 MW-12-1 DUPE-7-3Q09 EB-10-8/3/09

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 9 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### **II. ICPMS Tune**

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-25-3MS/MSD (All samples in SDG BMI09080404)	Chromium	-	124 (80-120)	-	J (all detects)	A

# VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

#### XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-12-2 and DUPE-7-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No chromium was detected in any of the samples.

#### XV. Field Blanks

Samples EB-9-7/31/09 and EB-10-8/3/09 were identified as equipment blanks. No chromium was found in these blanks.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080404	MW-22-3 MW-22-2 MW-22-1 EB-9-7/31/09 MW-12-3 MW-12-2 MW-12-1 DUPE-7-3Q09 EB-10-8/3/09	Chromium	J (all detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

# NASA JPL Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name:

Collection Date: August 4, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

NASA JPL

Parameters:

Chromium

EPA Level III

Validation Level:

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080502

## Sample Identification

MW-25-5 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MSD

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-25-3MS/MSD (All samples in SDG BMI09080502)	Chromium	-	124 (80-120)	-	J (all detects)	A

### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### **IX. Internal Standards**

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

#### XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### XIV. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### **XV. Field Blanks**

Sample EB-11-8/4/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No chromium was found in this blank.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080502	MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1	Chromium	J (all detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

# NASA JPL Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# LDC Report# 21469C4

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 16, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JF
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Collection Date: August 5, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Chromium

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

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Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080602

## Sample Identification

MW-7 MW-16

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#### Introduction

This data review covers 2 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
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- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

# V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-25-3MS/MSD (All samples in SDG BMI09080602)	Chromium	-	124 (80-120)	-	J (all detects)	A

# VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### **XI. ICP Serial Dilution**

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

# XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

#### **XIV. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080602

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080602	MW-7 MW-16	Chromium	J (all detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R)

#### NASA JPL

Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080602

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 16, 2009

Project/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: August 6, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters:

Chromium

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

# Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080703

# Sample Identification

MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 MW-13MS MW-13MSD

#### Introduction

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

## I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

# X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

## XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **XIV. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

# NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# **LDC Report#** 21469E4

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 16, 2009

Project/Site Name:

NASA JPL

**Collection Date:** 

August 7 through August 12, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Water

**Parameters:** 

Matrix:

Chromium

Validation Level:

EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09081341

# Sample Identification

MW-10 MW-15 SB-1-3Q09 MW-5

#### Introduction

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 200.8 for Chromium.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Methods Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the method stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

### I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. ICPMS Tune

The mass calibration was within 0.1 AMU and the percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) was less than or equal to 5%.

#### III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

The frequency and analysis criteria of the initial calibration verification (ICV) and continuing calibration verification (CCV) were met.

#### IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No chromium was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

#### VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

#### VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

#### IX. Internal Standards

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

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# X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

#### XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution was not performed for this SDG.

## XII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

### XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# **XIV. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

#### XV. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

## NASA JPL Chromium - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09081341

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Chromium - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09081341

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# NASA JPL Data Validation Reports LDC# 21469

Wet Chemistry



# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: July 31 through August 3, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Perchlorate

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III & IV

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

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Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080404

## Sample Identification

MW-22-3 MW-22-2 MW-22-1 EB-9-7/31/09 MW-12-5 MW-12-5 MW-12-3 MW-12-3 MW-12-2 MW-12-1 DUPE-7-3Q09 EB-10-8/3/09

\*\*Indicates sample underwent EPA Level IV review

#### Introduction

This data review covers 11 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a EPA Level IV review. A EPA Level III review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

# I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

### IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

### V. Duplicates

Duplicate sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

### VII. Sample Result Verification

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which a EPA Level IV review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Level III criteria.

### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

Samples MW-12-2 and DUPE-7-3Q09 were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

	Concent		
Analyte	MW-12-2	DUPE-7-3Q09	RPD
Perchlorate	2.77	2.66	4

#### X. Field Blanks

Samples EB-9-7/31/09 and EB-10-8/3/09 were identified as equipment blanks. No perchlorate was found in these blanks.

NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080404

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

	Proje	ect/Site Name:	NASA JPL
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Collection Date: August 4, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters:

Perchlorate

Validation Level:

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

EPA Level III

## Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080502

## Sample Identification

MW-25-5 MW-25-4 MW-25-3 MW-25-2 MW-25-1 EB-11-8/4/09 MW-26-2 MW-26-1 MW-25-3MS MW-25-3MSD

This data review covers 10 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. Calibration

### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

## b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

## III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits.

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

Sample EB-11-8/4/09 was identified as an equipment blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

NASA JPL Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

NASA JPL

Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080502

## LDC Report# 21469C6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 5, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters:

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

Wet Chemistry

## Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080602

## Sample Identification

MW-7 MW-16 MW-16MS MW-16MSD

This data review covers 4 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 300.0 for Chloride, Nitrate as Nitrogen, Nitrite as Nitrogen, Orthophosphate as Phosphorus, and Sulfate and EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No contaminant concentrations were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### **IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates**

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-16MS/MSD (All samples in SDG BMI09080602)	Orthophosphate as P	-	-	18.6 (≤10)	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## **VIII. Overall Assessment of Data**

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

### X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

## NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080602

SDG	Sample	Analytə	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080602	MW-7 MW-16	Orthophosphate as P	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (RPD)

NASA JPL

Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BM109080602

## **LDC Report#** 21469D6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name: NASA JPL

Collection Date: August 6, 2009

LDC Report Date:

Matrix:

Water

Parameters:

Validation Level:

EPA Level III

Wet Chemistry

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

## Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09080703

## Sample Identification

MW-13 MW-8 MW-6 MW-13MS MW-13MSD

This data review covers 5 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 300.0 for Chloride, Nitrate as Nitrogen, Nitrite as Nitrogen, Orthophosphate as Phosphorus, and Sulfate and EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

#### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No contaminant concentrations were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

#### **IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates**

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were within QC limits with the following exceptions:

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
MW-13MS/MSD (MW-13 MW-8)	Nitrite as N	-	-	20.0 (≤10)	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

## V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable.

#### VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

## VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

## **IX. Field Duplicates**

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

## NASA JPL Wet Chemistry - Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason
BMI09080703	MW-13 MW-8	Nitrite as N	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (RPD)

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Wet Chemistry - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG BMI09080703

## **LDC Report#** 21469E6

# Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

September 15, 2009

Project/Site Name:

NASA JPL

**Collection Date:** 

August 7 through August 12, 2009

LDC Report Date:

**Parameters:** 

Matrix:

Perchlorate

Water

Validation Level: EPA Level III

Laboratory:

Alpha Analytical, Inc.

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Sample Delivery Group (SDG): BMI09081341

## Sample Identification

MW-10 SB-1-3Q09 MW-5

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This data review covers 3 water samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

The review follows a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004) as there are no current guidelines for the methods stated above.

A qualification summary table is provided at the end of this report if data has been qualified. Flags are classified as P (protocol) or A (advisory) to indicate whether the flag is due to a laboratory deviation from a specified protocol or is of technical or advisory nature.

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG. The review was based on QC data.

- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- J Indicates an estimated value.
- R Quality control indicates the data is not usable.
- N Presumptive evidence of presence of the constituent.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore gualification was not required.

All technical holding time requirements were met.

The chain-of-custodies were reviewed for documentation of cooler temperatures. All cooler temperatures met validation criteria.

### II. Calibration

#### a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration of each method were met.

#### b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met for each method when applicable.

#### III. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No perchlorate was found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks.

## IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## V. Duplicates

The laboratory has indicated that there were no duplicate (DUP) analyses specified for the samples in this SDG, and therefore duplicate analyses were not performed for this SDG.

## VI. Laboratory Control Samples

Laboratory control samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

## VII. Sample Result Verification

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

#### VIII. Overall Assessment of Data

Data flags are summarized at the end of this report if data has been qualified.

# IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

## X. Field Blanks

No field blanks were identified in this SDG.

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No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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