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ABSTRACT

This report presents the results of the U.S. Geological Survey's analytical evaluation program for 7 standard reference samples--T-135 (trace constituents), M-134 (major constituents), N-45 (nutrients), N-46 (nutrients), P-24 (low ionic strength), Hg-20 (mercury), Sed-5 (bed material)--that were distributed in May 1995 to 153 laboratories registered in the U.S. Geological Survey sponsored interlaboratory testing program. Analytical data that were received from 136 of the laboratories were evaluated with respect to: overall laboratory performance and relative laboratory performance for each analyte in the seven reference samples. Results of these evaluations are presented in tabular form. Also presented are tables and graphs summarizing the analytical data provided by each laboratory for each analyte in the seven standard reference samples. The most probable value for each analyte was determined using nonparametric statistics.

INTRODUCTION

The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) conducts an interlaboratory evaluation program semiannually. This program provides a variety of reference materials to accomplish quality assurance testing of laboratories and to provide an adequate supply of samples that contribute to quality control programs of participating laboratories. Natural-matrix reference materials are preferred for use in this interlaboratory evaluation program. A series of samples are prepared and distributed each spring and fall. Occasionally, sediment samples are provided.

The program began in 1962 with a single sample containing major constituents that was prepared from distilled water and reagent grade chemicals. Twenty-three USGS laboratories participated in the 1962 determinations of six analytes in the major standard reference sample (SRS). Since that time, objectives of the program have been to:

- (1) evaluate and improve the performance of USGS and other participating laboratories;
- (2) provide a library of carefully prepared, homogeneous, stable reference materials for use in the quality control programs of laboratories;
- (3) identify analytical problem areas;
- (4) identify quality assurance needs with respect to environmental analyses and develop new reference materials to meet these needs; and
- (5) ascertain the accuracy and precision of analytical methods.

One hundred eighty-five USGS and non-USGS laboratories are registered in the program, which can currently provide eight standard reference sample types:

1. Trace constituents.
2. Major constituents.
3. Nutrients.
4. Low ionic strength.
5. Mercury.
6. Whole water (water with suspended sediment).
7. Acid mine drainage.
8. Sediment (bed material) for major and trace constituents.

When sufficient data are available, a most probable value is statistically determined for each analyte in the SRS.

Though this is not a laboratory certification program, participation in this continuing quality assurance program is mandatory for all laboratories providing water-analyses data for USGS data storage or use (publications). Federal, State, municipal, and university laboratories can participate even though they do not provide data to the USGS. Analyses of these SRS provides the means to alert participating laboratories of possible deficiencies in their analytical operations, and also provides reference materials for in-house quality control programs. Participating laboratories are identified only by a confidential code number.

A library of SRS, from previous evaluations, are available on request. Participating laboratories can request previous SRS for further testing, continuing quality assurance, and quality control programs by contacting:

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U.S. Geological Survey
Branch of Technical Development and Quality Systems
Denver Federal Center
Box 25046 MS 401
Denver, CO 80225-0046

Purpose and Scope

This report summarizes the analytical results submitted by 136 (table 1) of the 153 laboratories that requested and were shipped SRS for the May 1995 evaluation. Not all SRS are requested, nor necessarily analyzed by all the laboratories; nor do all laboratories enrolled in the program participate in each evaluation. Analytical results for the following, which were mailed the week of June 16, 1995, are presented in this report:

T-135	Trace constituents
M-134	Major constituents
N-45	Nutrients
N-46	Nutrients
P-24	Low ionic strength (precipitation)
Hg-20	Mercury
Sed-5	Bed material (sediment)

The USGS requested that analytical results be returned by June 16, 1995 for evaluation and preparation of this report. This due date was extended until June 28, 1995. Each participating laboratory is requested to perform those determinations routinely made on the respective SRS for

USGS investigations and to indicate the analytical method used to determine the concentration of each analyte. When analytical-method information was provided, it has been included in the respective data table. The analytical data are presented in ways that allow participants to evaluate data distribution, scatter, outliers, central tendency, bias, skewness, and method relationships.

Table 1.—Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in May 1995

State	City	Participating Laboratory
Alaska	Fairbanks	Alaska Department of Natural Resources
Alabama	Tuscaloosa	Geological Survey of Alabama
Arizona	Phoenix	Arizona Department of Health Services
	Yuma	Burns and Roe Services Corporation
	Yuma	Nestech
Arkansas	Fayetteville	University of Arkansas
California	Davis	University of California - Davis
	La Verne	Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
	Lakeside	Helix Water District
	Oakland	East Bay Municipal Utility District
	Riverside	University of California - Riverside
	Sacramento	Anlab
	Sacramento	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Sacramento	USGS WRD
	San Diego	USGS WRD
	San Jacinto	Eastern Municipal Water District
	Santa Fe Springs	West Coast Analytical Service, Inc.
	West Sacramento	California Department of Water Resources
Colorado	Arvada	Quanterra
	Arvada	USGS National Water Quality Laboratory
	Aurora	Core Laboratories, Inc.
	Denver	Denver Water Department
	Denver	Metro Wastewater Reclamation
	Denver	USGS (Acid rain/Global climate change)
	Denver	USGS (Earth Science Investigation Program)
	Denver	USGS - Hydrologic Research Unit
	Fort Collins	City of Fort Collins - Water Quality
	Fort Collins	Colorado State University (Soil Testing Laboratory)
	Fort Collins	US Department of Agriculture - Forest Service
	Golden	EG & G Rocky Flats
	Loveland	Northern Colorado Water Conservation District
	Northglenn	Northglenn Water Treatment Plant
	Westminster	City of Westminster
Florida	Brooksville	SW Florida Water Management District
	Ocala	USGS WRD
	Orlando	Post, Buckley, Schuh, and Jernigan, Inc.
	Ormond Beach	Environmental Laboratory
	Palatka	St. John's River Management District
	Tallahassee	City of Tallahassee
	Tallahassee	Florida Department of Environmental Regulations
	Tallahassee	Savannah Laboratories
	Tampa	Hillsborough County Environmental Protection Commission
Georgia	Athens	University of Georgia
	Atlanta	Georgia Department of Natural Resources
	Atlanta	USGS WRD
	Decatur	Dekalb County Water Quality Laboratory
	Tifton	United States Department of Agriculture

Table 1.--Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in May 1995--Continued

State	City	Participating Laboratory
Hawaii	Honolulu	Hawaii Institute of Geophysics
Idaho	Boise	US Bureau of Reclamation
Illinois	Champaign	Hazardous Waste Research Center
	Champaign	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
	Chicago	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Iowa	Des Moines	University Hygienic Laboratory, Des Moines Branch
Kansas	Lawrence	Kansas Geological Survey
	Topeka	City of Topeka
	Topeka	Kansas Department of Health and Environment
	Wichita	City of Wichita
Kentucky	Lexington	Kentucky Geological Survey
	Louisville	Metropolitan Sewer District
Maine	Orono	University of Maine
	Orono	Sawyer Environmental Center
Maryland	Baltimore	Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
Massachusetts	Wellesley Hills	Massachusetts Highway Department
Michigan	Ann Arbor	University of Michigan - Department of Geological Science
	Ann Arbor	University of Michigan
	Detroit	Detroit Water and Sewerage Department
	Minneapolis	Braun Intertec Environmental, Inc.
Minnesota	Minneapolis	University of Minnesota, Department of Geology and Geophysics
	St. Paul	Metro Waste Control Commission
	St. Paul	University of Minnesota
	Columbia	University of Missouri
Missouri	Jefferson City	Missouri Department of Health
	Butte	Montana Bureau of Mines & Geology
Montana	Helena	Department of Health and Environmental Sciences
Nevada	Boulder City	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Las Vegas	City of Las Vegas
	Las Vegas	University of Nevada - Las Vegas
	Reno	Desert Research Institute
	Reno	Nevada State Health Laboratory
	Reno	Reno-Sparks Wastewater Treatment
	Sutcliffe	Pyramid Lake Fisheries
New Mexico	Albuquerque	City of Albuquerque
New York	Albany	USGS WRD
	Brockport	State University of New York - Brockport
	Buffalo	Erie County Laboratory
	Grahamsville	New York City Department of Environmental Protection
	Hempstead	Nassau County Department of Health
	Ithaca	Cornell University, Agronomy Department
	Milbrook	Institute of Ecosystem Studies
	North Babylon	Ecotest Laboratories, Inc.
	Oakdale	Suffolk County Water Authority
	Rochester	Monroe County
	Shokan	New York City Department of Environmental Protection
	Syracuse	State University of New York - Syracuse
	Valhalla	Department of Environmental Protection
North Carolina	Wantaugh	Cedar Creek Projects Laboratory
	Charlotte	Mecklenburg County
	Durham	Duke University

Table 1.--Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in May 1995--Continued

State	City	Participating Laboratory
North Carolina	Durham	City of Durham
	Greensboro	City of Greensboro
North Dakota	Bismarck	North Dakota State Health Department
	Bismarck	North Dakota State Water Commission
Ohio	Cincinnati	US EPA
	Cuyahoga Heights	Northeastern Ohio Regional Sewer District
	Medina	Medina County Sanitary Engineering
	Tiffin	Heidelberg College
Oklahoma	Norman	Oklahoma Geological Survey
	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma State Department of Health
Oregon	Corvallis	US Department of Agriculture
	Tigard	Unified Sewerage Agency
Pennsylvania	Harrisburg	Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources
	Somerset	Geochemical Testing
Puerto Rico	San Juan	Department of Natural Resources
South Dakota	Brookings	Northern Great Plains Laboratory
	Brookings	SDSU - Water Quality Laboratory
	Vermillion	South Dakota Geological Survey
Tennessee	Chattanooga	TVA Environmental Chemistry
	Jackson	Jackson Branch Laboratory
	Knoxville	Cooperative Park Studies Unit
Texas	College Station	Texas A & M
	Tyler	Analytical Testing Laboratories
Vermont	Waterbury	Vermont Agency of Natural Resources
Virginia	Culpepper	ESS Laboratories
	Manassas	Occoquan Watershed Monitoring Laboratory
Washington	Richmond	Consolidated Laboratory Services
Washington	Seattle	Brooks-Rand, Ltd.
West Virginia	Morgantown	University of West Virginia
Wisconsin	Madison	Madison Department of Public Health
	Madison	University of Wisconsin
	Milwaukee	Milwaukee Metro Sewerage District
Wyoming	Laramie	Wyoming Department of Agriculture

Preparation of Standard Reference Samples

All of the SRS used in this evaluation were prepared by personnel of the USGS in Golden, Colo. and were analyzed for analyte concentrations and physical property values prior to mailing. A library of reference samples is maintained and can be requested by participating laboratories for use in their quality control programs.

Trace constituent sample T-135 was prepared using water collected from the Big Thompson River near Drake, Colorado. The water was pumped through 2- and 0.1-µm filters, in series, into a 1300-L polypropylene drum. The water was continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1-µm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 24 hours. Following this circulation, the water was acidified to pH 2 with nitric acid and chlorinated to 5 ppm free chlorine. The trace constituent concentrations were adjusted by adding reagent grade chemicals. The sample was circulated an additional 24 hours prior to bottling. During bottling the sample was pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1-µm filter. The 500-mL polypropylene bottles used were acid leached and deionized-water rinsed, and autoclave sterilized.

Major constituent sample M-134 was prepared using tapwater from the Golden, Colorado potable water. The water was pumped through a 0.1- μm filters into a 1300-L polypropylene drum. The water was chlorinated to 5-ppm free chlorine with sodium hypochlorite, continuously circulated, and passed through a 0.1- μm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 24 hours prior to bottling. During bottling the sample was pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1- μm filter. The 500-mL polypropylene bottles used were acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, and autoclave sterilized.

Nutrient sample N-45 was prepared using 20 liters of deionized water. This sample was prepared the week prior to the mailing for this SRS evaluation. Desired concentrations were obtained by adding reagent grade chemicals. The sample was stirred 24 hours prior to bottling. The 12-mL vials used were acid leached, deionized water rinsed, and autoclave sterilized. This sample is a concentrate which has to be diluted 10:100 prior to analysis.

Nutrient sample N-46 was prepared using water collected from the Fall River near Idaho Springs, Colorado. This sample was prepared the week prior to the mailing for this SRS evaluation. The water was pumped through 2- and 0.1- μm filters, in series, into a 600-L polypropylene drum and continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1- μm filter for 48 hours. The desired nutrient concentrations were obtained by adding reagent-grade chemicals. The sample was circulated an additional 24 hours. The sample was continuously circulated for 24 hours prior to being bottled. The 250-mL polyethylene bottles used were new, amber, acid leached, and deionized-water rinsed.

Sample P-24 was prepared in a 400-L polypropylene drum using snow collected at Genesee Park, Colorado. The collected snow was allowed to melt; then it was pumped into the drum through 2- and 0.1- μm filters in series. Desired phosphate and fluoride concentrations were obtained by adding reagent-grade chemicals. Prior to bottling, the sample was continuously mixed for 48 hours while being circulated through a 0.1- μm filter and an ultraviolet sterilizer. During bottling the sample was pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1- μm filter. The 500-mL polypropylene bottles used were acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, and autoclave sterilized.

Sample Hg-20 was prepared using water collected from the Fall River near Idaho Springs, Colorado. The sample was prepared in a 190-L polypropylene drum. The river water was pumped into this drum through 2- and 0.1- μm filters in series. The water was continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1- μm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 72 hours. Nitric acid (5-percent, v/v) and dichromate ion (0.05-percent, w/w) were added to stabilize the sample. The desired mercury concentration was obtained by adding a mercury standard solution. Following an additional 24 hours of circulation, the sample was bottled. The 125-mL glass bottles and tetrafluoroethylene fluorocarbon resin caps used were new, acid leached, and deionized-water rinsed.

Sediment sample Sed-5 (bed material) was prepared from composited samples collected at Globeville, Colorado. Approximately 75 pounds of sediment was collected and composited. The washed sediment was dried. The material was then sieved through stainless steel sieves and the 125 to 300 μm fractions were retained. These fractions were composited, well mixed, quartered and packaged in 20-mL polyethylene vials as Sed-5.

LABORATORY ANALYSES

The participating laboratories were asked to determine analytes which are summarized in table 2. The number of analytes varied from 26 in T-135 (trace constituents) to 1 in Hg-20 (mercury).

Table 2.--Analytes determined in standard reference samples distributed in May 1995

[mg/L, milligrams per liter; µg/L, micrograms per liter; µS/cm, microsiemens per centimeter at 25 degrees Celsius]

Analyte or property		Units	T-135	M-134	N-45, 46	P-24	Hg-20	Sed-5
Acidity	Acidity as CaCO ₃	mg/L				X		
Alk	Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	mg/L		X				
Ag	Silver	µg/L	X					X
Al	Aluminum	µg/L	X					X
As	Arsenic	µg/L	X					X
B	Boron	µg/L	X	X				X
Ba	Barium	µg/L	X					X
Be	Beryllium	µg/L	X					X
Ca	Calcium	mg/L	X	X		X		X
Cd	Cadmium	µg/L	X					X
Co	Cobalt	µg/L	X					X
Cr	Chromium, total	µg/L	X					X
Cu	Copper	µg/L	X					X
<u>DSRD</u>	Dissolved solids	mg/L		X				
F	Fluoride	mg/L		X		X		
Fe	Iron	µg/L	X					X
Hg	Mercury	µg/L				X		
K	Potassium	mg/L	X	X		X		X
Li	Lithium	µg/L	X					X
Mg	Magnesium	mg/L	X	X		X		X
Mn	Manganese	µg/L	X					X
Mo	Molybdenum	µg/L	X					X
Na	Sodium	mg/L	X	X		X		X
<u>NH₃ as N</u>	Ammonia	mg/L			X			
NH ₃ +Org N as N	Ammonia + Organic N	mg/L			X			
Ni	Nickel	µg/L	X					X
NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	Nitrate + Nitrite	mg/L			X			
Pb	Lead	µg/L	X					X
pH	unit			X		X		
PO ₄ as P	Orthophosphate	mg/L			X			
total P as P	Phosphorus	mg/L		X		X		
Sb	Antimony	µg/L	X					X
Se	Selenium	µg/L	X					X
SiO ₂	Silica	mg/L	X	X				X
SO ₄	Sulfate	mg/L		X			X	
Sp Cond	Specific conductance	µS/cm		X			X	
Sr	Strontium	µg/L	X	X				X
V	Vanadium	µg/L	X	X				X
Zn	Zinc	µg/L	X					X

Laboratories were requested to identify the method used for each analyte according to table 3 analytical method codes.

Table 3.—Analytical-method codes

Code	Method
0	Other
1	Atomic absorption: direct, air
2	Atomic absorption: direct, nitrous oxide
3	Atomic absorption: graphite furnace
4	Inductively coupled plasma
5	Direct current plasma
6	Inductively coupled plasma/Mass spectrometry
7	Ion chromatography
8	Atomic absorption: cold vapor
10	Atomic absorption: extraction [<i>specify chelating agents</i>]
11	Atomic absorption: hydride [<i>specify reducing agent</i>]
12	Flame emission
20	Titration: colorimetric [<i>specify color reagent</i>]
21	Titration: electrometric [<i>specify reducing or oxidizing agent/color reagent</i>]
22	Colorimetric: [<i>specify reducing or oxidizing agent/color reagent</i>]
40	Ion selective electrode
41	Electrometric [<i>pH and Specific Conductance</i>]
50	Gravimetric: [<i>specify filtration, evaporation, and so forth</i>]
51	Turbidimetric

Participating laboratories were also asked to use the references listed below to further define the methods.

1. American Public Health Association and others, 1992, Standard methods for the examination of water and wastewater 18th ed: Washington, D.C., American Public Health Association, 981p.
2. American Society for Testing and Materials, Annual book of ASTM standards: Philadelphia, v. 11.01, and v. 11.02.
3. Kopp, J.F., and McKee, G.F., 1979, Methods for chemical analysis of water and wastes: Cincinnati, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA 600/4-79-020, rev. 1983, 460 p.
4. Fishman, M.J., and Friedman, L.C., eds., 1989. Methods for determination of inorganic substances in water and fluvial sediments (3d ed.): U.S. Geological Survey Techniques of Water-Resources Investigations, Book 5, Chapter A1, 545 p.
5. Miscellaneous manufacturer's instrument manuals or references.

LABORATORY PERFORMANCE RATINGS

To facilitate interlaboratory performance comparisons, laboratory performance ratings, based on the analyses reported for each SRS, are included in tables 4 through 11 in this report. Averages of the analyte ratings and the number of analyte values reported for each SRS are given for each participating laboratory. Laboratory performance for each analyte is rated on a scale 4 to 0, based on the absolute Z-value, as listed below:

<u>Rating</u>	<u>Absolute Z-value</u>
4 (Excellent)	0.00 to 0.50
3 (Good)	0.51 to 1.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 to 1.50
1 (Questionable)	1.51 to 2.00
0 (Poor).	Greater than 2.00

Overall laboratory performance ratings greater than 2.4 are considered satisfactory. Overall laboratory performance ratings between 2.0 and 2.39 are considered marginal; those less than 2.0 are considered poor.

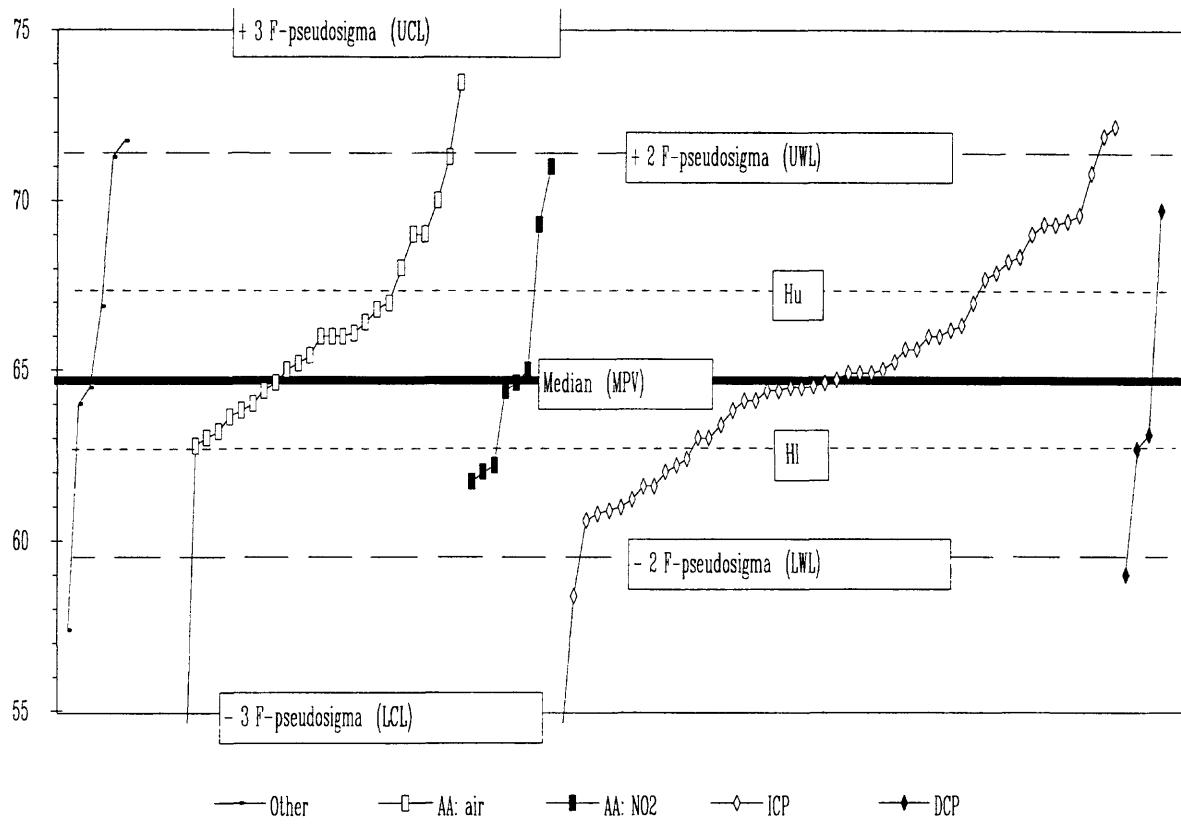
STATISTICAL PRESENTATION OF DATA

Data in this report have been evaluated using nonparametric statistics as described by Hoaglin and others (1983). This statistical approach is a resistant statistic because the median is not influenced by outliers as is the mean in traditional statistics.

Analytical data for each analyte are presented in tabular and graphical forms in tables 11 through 18. Tabulated data for each analyte include the laboratory code number, reported values, analytical method, most probable value (MPV), number of reported values - excluding less than values (N), data range, Z-value, and the F-pseudosigma. (The Z-value is equivalent to the Z-score of traditional statistics, being the number of deviations the reported value is from the MPV. The F-pseudosigma is equivalent to the standard deviation (σ) of traditional statistics when the data has a Gaussian distribution.) If an analyte has a sufficient number of determinations by a given method, usually 7, the σ for that analytical method is reported in the block of data listed for each analyte.

The median value is considered the MPV. Reported values of "less than" are used to establish the median, but are not considered in determining the data range. The median (midpoint) divides the ordered data into halves and is designated the MPV. The hinges include the middle 50-percent of the data and are the mid-values of the upper and lower halves of the data. (The hinges are similar to quartiles, but are not mathematically equivalent.) The range of data between the upper hinge (Hu) and the lower hinge (Hl), the hinge spread (H-spr), is used to calculate the F-pseudosigma, the laboratory performance rating, the upper warning level (UWL) and lower warning level (LWL), the upper control level (UCL) and the lower control level (LCL). The F-pseudosigma is calculated by comparison of the H-spr value to the Gaussian distribution relation; 67.45 percent of the data "hinges" between plus and minus 1σ , resulting in a H-spr of $2 \times 0.6745 = 1.349\sigma$. This relation allows the calculation of the F-pseudosigma = (H-spr)/1.349. Laboratories reporting "less than" values are not performance rated unless their reported "less than" values are greater than two Z-values from the MPV.

The graphical plot of the reported data is shown in figure 1. The upper and lower boundaries of the graphical plots generally are +3 and -3 F-pseudosigma deviations from the median. (Computer-program scaling constraints do not permit these boundaries to always be graphed at exactly these values.) The graphical plot is a box plot/control chart with reported values grouped by analytical method in ascending order of value. Lines designate the MPV, Hu, Hl, and the (UWL) and (LWL) at +2 and -2 F-pseudosigma, respectively. "Less than" values are not plotted.



NOTE: vertical scale is the concentration value of the individual analyte in appropriate units (see table 2.) Methods shown are defined in Tables 3 and 10 through 17.

Figure 1.-Statistical parameters shown on reported-data graphs

DISCUSSION

The sediment used to prepare Sed-5 is from an abandoned smelter site. We consider the analytes available for transport to be of interest in this sample.

REFERENCE

Hoaglin, D.C., Mosteller, F., and Tukey, J.W., eds., 1983, Understanding Robust and Exploratory Data Analysis: John Wiley and Sons, Inc., 447p.

Table 4. -Overall laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water samples distributed in May 1995

[Lab, laboratory number; OWR, overall weighted rating for all sample types; OLR, overall laboratory rating for reported values of a sample type; V/90, number of reported values of 90 total possible values from all sample types; V/26, V/16, V/5,V/5,V/11,V/1,V/26 are number of reported values possible for T-135, M-134, N-45,N-46, P-24, Hg-20, and SED-5 respectively]

Standard reference sample =		T-135		M-134		N-45		N-46		P-24		Hg-20		SED-5		
Lab	OWR	V/90	OLR	V/26	OLR	V/16	OLR	V/5	OLR	V/5	OLR	V/11	OLR	V/1	OLR	V/26
1	3.0	84	3.5	26	3.1	15	2.8	4	3.6	5	2.8	11	3	1	2.1	22
2	2.0	2									2.0	2				
3	3.1	81	3.2	25	2.6	14	3.8	4	3.8	5	3.5	8	4	1	2.8	24
4	0.1	18	0.0	16	0.5	2										
7	2.8	47	3.0	25	2.5	12	4.0	2	1.8	4	3.3	4				
9	2.8	21			2.8	13	3.0	5	2.7	3						
10	3.2	23	3.7	3	2.9	10	3.8	5	3.0	5						
11	2.1	44	2.1	20	2.1	13					2.0	10	4	1		
12	2.7	7					3.3	3	2.3	4						
13	2.6	62	2.2	22	2.3	12	1.3	4	2.5	4			3	1	3.4	19
15	3.1	78	3.0	24	2.4	12	3.5	4	3.4	5	2.4	7	4	1	3.6	25
16	2.4	45	2.9	21	2.6	13	0.8	5	1.6	5			2	1		
18	3.2	73	3.3	23	3.1	15	3.2	5	4.0	5			4	1	3.0	24
19	2.3	26	1.8	11	2.7	10	2.0	3	3.5	2						
21	3.8	6	3.0	1			4.0	5								
22	3.5	2					4.0	1	3.0	1						
23	2.5	41	1.9	8	2.7	6	2.3	4	3.8	5	3.0	6			2.2	12
24	2.7	39	2.6	25	3.0	13							1	1		
25	1.5	49	1.4	21	1.4	14	2.0	2	1.3	3	2.1	9				
26	3.0	42	3.1	16	3.1	11	2.3	3	2.3	3	3.0	9				
27	1.6	9	1.0	3	1.6	5					3.0	1				
28	1.6	73	1.8	23	1.3	15	1.0	5	2.8	5	2.4	7			1.0	18
30	3.3	33	3.4	20	3.3	4			1.5	2					3.6	7
32	2.1	65	2.8	24	2.6	14	0.5	2					3	1	1.3	24
33	3.4	32	2.9	10	3.8	11	4.0	1	1.0	1	3.6	9				
34	3.7	3	3.5	2									4	1		
35	4.0	3	4.0	3												
36	1.4	50	1.3	22	1.4	14	2.3	4	0.0	5	3.3	4	1	1		
38	3.4	24			3.5	8	3.8	5	2.8	5	3.3	6				
39	2.5	50	2.5	22	2.6	14	3.0	4			2.2	9	3	1		
40	3.3	35	3.5	21	3.1	14										
42	3.3	47	3.6	25	3.3	15	2.0	3	3.3	3			2	1		
43	3.2	20	3.7	7	3.2	11	1.0	1	2.0	1						
45	1.8	6	2.0	5									1	1		
46	3.0	43	2.9	19	2.6	8	3.8	5	3.6	5	2.6	5	4	1		
48	2.2	77	2.3	22	2.3	12	1.2	5	1.4	5	1.3	9	0	1	3.0	23
50	2.8	30	2.4	16	3.5	13							2	1		
52	3.2	77	3.4	24	3.3	14	3.8	5	2.2	5	3.1	7	4	1	3.2	21
53	2.7	6					2.7	3	2.7	3						
54	3.3	17	3.5	6	3.2	11										
55	2.9	45	2.8	23	2.6	14	3.2	5	3.5	2			4	1		
56	2.1	17			2.0	9	2.3	4	2.0	4						
57	2.1	17			2.4	12			1.4	5						
58	1.7	69	1.6	18	1.5	12	1.8	5	0.0	5	1.7	11	0	1	2.3	17
59	3.0	50	3.2	22	2.5	13	2.4	5	3.2	5	3.4	5				
60	2.8	19	2.7	11			2.0	3	3.6	5						
64	3.3	33	3.0	6	3.1	10	4.0	4	3.5	4	3.3	9			2.9	13
68	1.8	53	1.0	25	1.7	11			2.8	4			4	1	2.3	3
69	3.3	35	3.2	19	3.6	10	4.0	1	2.0	1						
70	3.2	46	3.2	23	3.5	13	3.3	4	3.0	5			2	1		
73	3.0	9	3.0	9												
75	3.6	41	3.5	22	3.7	10	3.5	4	3.5	4			4	1		
76	3.3	23	3.1	11	3.6	7	3.0	2	3.5	2			4	1		
80	2.0	26	2.9	8	1.8	12	2.0	3	1.0	3						
81	2.5	68	2.2	23	3.1	13					1.3	10	2	1	3.0	21
83	3.0	30	3.4	16	2.5	8	2.7	3	3.0	3						
84	2.6	17	2.8	5	3.1	7	3.0	2	1.0	3						
85	3.3	47	3.1	23	3.4	14	3.6	5	3.2	5						
86	3.0	41	3.4	21	2.9	11	2.5	4	2.3	4			0	1		
87	2.5	40	2.4	18	3.0	11	2.0	5	2.8	5			0	1		
88	1.0	3					1.0	3								
89	2.9	57	2.5	22	3.4	13	3.4	5	3.2	5	2.7	11	4	1		
90	2.8	19	1.8	4	3.6	5	3.2	5	2.6	5						
91	2.8	12	3.5	2			3.2	5	2.0	5						
92	1.8	40	1.5	13	2.3	10	1.3	4	2.0	4	1.5	8	3	1		
93	2.7	10			1.3	3	4.0	1	4.0	1	3.0	5				
94	3.7	10			4.0	2	3.3	4	4.0	4						
96	3.1	29	3.1	11	2.4	7	3.6	5	3.2	5			4	1		
97	2.8	48	2.5	24	2.5	13	3.0	5	4.0	5			3	1		
100	2.4	68	2.3	25	2.3	7	2.3	3	2.7	3	3.0	3	4	1	2.5	26

Table 4. -Overall laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water samples distributed in May 1995

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Standard reference sample =		T-135		M-134		N-45		N-46		P-24		Hg-20		SED-5		
Lab	OWR	V/90	OLR	V/26	OLR	V/16	OLR	V/5	OLR	V/5	OLR	V/11	OLR	V/1	OLR	V/26
101	3.0	19	2.8	4	3.6	8					2.4	7				
102	1.7	51	2.1	22	1.8	12	1.8	5	1.4	5	0.4	7				
103	2.2	30	2.2	23	2.1	7										
104	3.8	8					3.5	4	4.0	4						
105	3.2	79	3.5	25	3.1	14	2.4	5	3.6	5	3.6	8	4	1	2.9	21
107	2.8	34	3.4	11	2.5	11	3.8	4	1.8	4	1.8	4				
108	1.0	17	0.8	8			2.3	3	0.4	5			2	1		
109	2.3	24	2.2	12	2.4	11							2	1		
110	3.3	4									3.3	4				
111	3.1	34	3.0	6	2.7	11	3.3	3	3.8	4	3.4	9	3	1		
114	2.4	32	2.7	15	2.1	11	2.5	2	2.7	3			0	1		
116	2.3	17	2.4	9	2.1	8							4	1		
118	2.1	28	1.2	12	3.0	5	2.6	5	2.6	5						
119	3.0	46	2.9	22	2.9	14	3.4	5	3.4	5						
121	3.2	41	3.2	17	3.7	7	3.3	4	1.3	4	1.0	4			3.1	17
126	1.4	7	1.2	6			3.0	1								
127	3.4	76	3.4	25	3.6	15	3.4	5	3.2	5			2	1	3.4	25
128	2.7	46	2.7	23	2.5	12	3.0	5	3.0	5			4	1		
129	2.2	29	1.7	6	2.1	13	2.8	5	2.8	5						
132	2.4	49	2.5	16	2.0	7	3.3	4	1.3	4	1.0	4			2.8	14
133	2.7	27	2.6	14	3.5	2	3.2	5	2.2	5			3	1		
134	3.6	62	3.7	25	3.7	16	3.4	5	3.2	5	3.4	10	3	1		
136	2.2	18			2.3	9	4.0	1			1.9	8				
138	3.3	60	3.6	25	2.7	15	3.6	5	3.8	5	3.6	9	2	1		
140	2.8	56	3.1	13	3.0	11	2.4	5	3.0	5	1.8	10			3.4	12
141	2.9	72	3.0	23	3.2	13	2.5	4	3.0	5	2.1	7	4	1	2.9	19
142	2.8	52	3.3	26	2.7	15	1.4	5	1.8	5			4	1		
143	3.6	19			3.8	5	3.8	5	3.2	5	3.8	4				
145	3.1	59	3.2	22	2.9	15	3.2	5	2.6	5	3.0	11	4	1		
146	3.1	66	3.4	22	2.1	12	4.0	3	1.7	3	1.7	3	4	1	3.7	22
149	2.8	19	3.0	5	2.8	8	4.0	2	2.0	3			3	1		
151	3.3	35	3.3	15	3.7	12	2.8	4	2.5	4						
153	2.7	10			2.7	10										
154	2.6	53	2.8	24	2.2	15	3.3	4	3.0	5			1.8	5		
180	2.1	49	1.4	19	2.1	11	3.6	5	3.2	5	2.6	8	0	1		
182	1.1	49	0.8	26	1.8	16	0.0	3	1.7	3			0	1		
183	1.1	9	2.0	1	1.0	2	1.0	3			1.0	3				
185	2.3	11			4.0	1	2.8	5	1.8	4	0.0	1				
190	2.7	50	2.5	17	2.7	13	3.4	5	3.2	5	2.5	10				
191	2.9	30	2.6	16	3.9	8	2.0	3	3.0	3						
193	2.6	21	2.9	14	2.7	3	1.5	2	1.0	2						
194	2.6	51	2.6	18	2.7	9	2.7	3	2.5	4	2.5	2	4	1	2.7	14
196	2.9	44	3.2	23	2.1	10	3.0	2			3.0	9				
197	3.2	6			1.5	2	4.0	2	4.0	2						
198	2.7	31	2.7	20			3.2	5	2.8	5			1	1		
203	2.2	38	2.0	18	2.7	6	3.0	5	1.4	5	1.7	3	4	1		
204	2.2	13	3.1	7	0.5	4			1.0	1	3.0	1				
208	3.0	5			2.3	3	4.0	2								
209	2.7	17	1.8	4			2.7	3	2.3	3	3.4	7				
210	2.3	70	2.4	24	2.4	14	0.0	3	2.8	5			2.3	24		
212	2.2	74	1.4	25	1.9	16	3.0	4	2.8	5			2.9	24		
213	2.9	15	2.9	11	2.7	3							4	1		
215	2.4	78	2.7	22	1.6	14	2.8	4	3.0	4	1.1	10	0	1	3.2	23
219	2.0	24	2.2	17	1.2	6							2	1		
221	3.0	44	3.4	19	2.9	8	2.6	5	3.0	5	2.7	6	3	1		
224	2.4	52	2.1	19	2.7	12	1.8	5	2.0	5	3.0	11				
226	3.0	17			3.4	9	3.3	4	1.8	4						
227	3.3	4					4.0	2	2.5	2						
228	0.0	2	0.0	2												
230	2.3	6			2.3	6										
231	2.8	36	2.3	17	3.1	8	3.0	5	3.4	5			4	1		
234	3.2	51	3.5	26	3.1	16	2.3	4	2.0	4			4	1		
235	3.3	47	3.3	23									0	1	3.5	23
236	2.6	40	2.8	24	2.4	16										
237	2.2	12			2.3	10			1.5	2						
240	1.1	18			2.4	8	0.0	5	0.2	5						
241	2.2	41	2.2	18	1.5	12	3.4	5	2.4	5			4	1		

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value		Rating	Absolute Z-value								
	4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00							
	3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00		O (Poor)	greater than 2.00							
	2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)								
Analyte = Ag (Silver)	Al (Aluminium)	As (Arsenic)	B (Boron)	Ba (Barium)	Be (Beryllium)							
MPV = 9.81 µg/L	10.5 µg/L	10.0 µg/L	13.1 µg/L	67.8 µg/L	59.0 µg/L							
F-pseudosigma = 1.05	6.8	1.1	11.1	4.3	2.6							
Lab	OLR	V/26	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	3.5	26	10.33	4	11.4	4	10.0	4	13.3	4	70.6	3
3	3.2	25	8.40	2	43.0	0	10.0	4	< 10	NR	65.5	3
4	0.0	16							< 10	NR	140.0	0
7	3.0	25	11.20	2	23.2	1	10.0	4			70.2	3
10	3.7	3									57.5	3
11	2.1	20					70.0	0	74.0	2	60.0	4
13	2.2	22	12.00	0	9.0	4	9.2	3			72.0	3
15	3.0	24	9.13	3	< 50	NR	8.5	2	< 50	NR	69.5	4
16	2.9	21	9.60	4	< 300	NR	< 60	NR	< 500	NR	70.0	3
18	3.3	23	11.00	2	< 50	NR	11.6	2	14.0	4	69.0	4
19	1.8	11										
21	3.0	1										
23	1.9	8			10.3	4						
24	2.6	25	11.50	1	25.0	0	13.5	0			69.7	4
25	1.4	21	< 6	0	< 19	NR	< 50	NR	< 23	NR	61.7	2
26	3.1	16	8.58	2			9.0	3				
27	1.0	3										
28	1.8	23			55.6	0	9.0	3	20.6	3	67.7	4
30	3.4	20	10.20	4	10.5	4	11.3	2			68.8	4
32	2.8	24	10.60	3	9.0	4	10.3	4	21.0	3	68.7	4
33	2.9	10			18.0	2					68.0	4
34	3.5	2					10.8	3				
35	4.0	3					9.8	4				
36	1.3	22	6.38	0	< 100	NR			50.6	0	66.0	4
39	2.5	22					8.7	2			60.1	1
40	3.5	21	10.00	4			9.4	3			68.0	4
42	3.6	25	9.60	4	10.7	4	10.3	4			65.5	3
43	3.7	7										
45	2.0	5					9.5	4				
46	2.9	19	8.45	2			9.7	4			68.4	4
48	2.3	22	12.00	0	12.1	4	10.7	3	20.0	3	85.2	0
50	2.4	16	9.00	3	7.0	3	6.0	0				60.0
52	3.4	24	8.40	2	7.6	4	9.0	3	< 40	NR	68.0	4
54	3.5	6										
55	2.8	23	9.76	4			11.9	1			56.0	0
58	1.6	18	9.00	3	184.0	0	24.0	0	68.0	0		60.4
59	3.2	22	9.90	4	< 100	NR	10.0	4			88.0	4
60	2.7	11	9.88	4			12.1	1				
64	3.0	6										
68	1.0	25	11.40	1	415.0	0	8.0	1	4.9	3	61.5	2
69	3.2	19	11.30	2			10.2	4			98.5	0
70	3.2	23	9.93	4	< 100	NR	9.4	3	< 50	NR	65.3	3
73	3.0	9	11.10	2	13.4	4						
75	3.5	22	9.46	4	< 30	NR	8.9	2	< 20	NR	62.3	2
76	3.1	11	10.60	3			11.4	2				56.8
80	2.9	8					11.0	3				60.7
81	2.2	23	8.00	1	7.0	3	12.0	1			55.0	0
83	3.4	16			15.0	3					63.9	3
84	2.8	5										56.1
85	3.1	23	10.20	4	< 100	NR	9.5	4	< 20	NR	70.5	3
86	3.4	21	9.70	4			8.1	1			68.5	4
87	2.4	18	11.00	2			10.2	4			67.0	4
89	2.5	22	9.80	4	12.2	4	10.8	3			65.5	3
90	1.8	4									230.0	0
91	3.5	2										69.8
92	1.5	13										
96	3.1	11	9.79	4			10.1	4			79.0	0
97	2.5	24	6.36	0	5.6	3	10.1	4			56.6	0
100	2.3	25	11.50	1	< 40	NR	8.7	2	9.5	4	61.8	2
101	2.8	4									60.5	3

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)
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Analyte = Ag (Silver)				Al (Aluminium)		As (Arsenic)		B (Boron)		Ba (Barium)		Be (Beryllium)					
	MPV =	9.81	µg/L		10.5	µg/L		10.0	µg/L		13.1	µg/L		67.8	µg/L	59.0	µg/L
	F-pseudosigma =	1.05			6.8			1.1			11.1			4.3		2.6	
Lab	OLR	V/26	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
102	2.1	22	8.80	3	7.9	4	22.0	0			59.0	1	59.0	4			
103	2.2	23	< 5	0	< 30	NR	< 10	NR	8.0	4	61.0	1	57.0	3			
105	3.5	25	8.90	3	10.3	4	10.4	4			67.2	4	57.0	3			
107	3.4	11	9.27	3	9.0	4											
108	0.8	8	6.20	0			8.0	1									
109	2.2	12					10.4	4									
111	3.0	6					10.2	4							58.0	4	
114	2.7	15	10.00	4													
116	2.4	9															
118	1.2	12	8.90	3			14.7	0									
119	2.9	22	9.70	4	10.5	4	10.0	4	10.0	4	73.0	2	53.9	1			
121	3.2	17			40.0	0			21.0	3	68.0	4					
126	1.2	6					10.9	3									
127	3.4	25	8.63	2	8.3	4	10.4	4	< 15	NR	66.4	4	57.5	3			
128	2.7	23	9.87	4	7.6	4	9.6	4	< 10	NR	60.1	1	58.2	4			
129	1.7	6							105.0	0							
132	2.5	16			41.0	0			9.0	4							
133	2.6	14	9.85	4			10.1	4			68.3	4	64.0	1			
134	3.7	25	10.00	4	10.1	4	10.0	4	11.6	4	65.8	4	57.6	3			
138	3.6	25	9.90	4	9.5	4	9.2	3	9.8	4	70.5	3	59.0	4			
140	3.1	13															
141	3.0	23	10.00	4	14.0	3	< 50	NR	30.0	1	73.0	2	61.0	3			
142	3.3	26	10.26	4	8.0	4	9.6	4	10.8	4	69.2	4	58.2	4			
145	3.2	22			17.1	3	14.7	0	< 2.4	NR	66.7	4	59.1	4			
146	3.4	22	10.90	2	35.6	0	8.5	2			66.6	4	58.5	4			
149	3.0	5	9.70	4							70.0	3					
151	3.3	15	< 10	NR	9.0	4	8.7	2									
154	2.8	24	10.20	4	8.4	4	10.1	4	14.5	4	62.1	2	60.0	4			
180	1.4	19	12.60	0	< 36.5	NR	< 33.4	NR	< 10	NR	72.2	2	60.9	3			
182	0.8	26	1.15	0	25.5	0	8.5	2	28.9	2	54.2	0	31.0	0			
183	2.0	1															
190	2.5	17	9.94	4	7.7	4	10.0	4			64.0	3					
191	2.6	16			17.0	3					64.0	3					
193	2.9	14	9.80	4			8.0	1									
194	2.6	18	10.00	4	< 500	NR	10.0	4	< 100	NR	< 100	NR	675.0	0			
196	3.2	23	8.88	3	9.5	4	10.5	4			67.8	4	56.8	3			
198	2.7	20	11.00	2	8.2	4	11.6	2			82.2	0	62.4	2			
203	2.0	18	7.00	0	4.9	3	9.3	3			76.3	1					
204	3.1	7															
209	1.8	4			< 27	NR											
210	2.4	24	14.50	0	< 0.2	NR	20.5	0	12.0	4	63.5	3	59.5	4			
212	1.4	25	12.00	0	< 200	NR	9.9	4	13.0	4	79.0	0	61.0	3			
213	2.9	11	8.80	3			11.7	1					67.0	0			
215	2.7	22	3.35	0	< 40	NR	14.0	0	57.0	0	66.0	4	56.0	2			
219	2.2	17			8.0	4	9.6	4					57.0	3			
221	3.4	19	9.51	4	14.1	3	9.9	4			67.5	4					
224	2.1	19			5.9	3	9.4	3			24.5	0	56.1	2			
228	0.0	2			130.0	0											
231	2.3	17	5.38	0			10.6	3			79.7	0					
234	3.5	26	9.81	4	16.0	3	10.2	4	11.0	4	67.7	4	59.7	4			
235	3.3	23	10.30	4	13.7	4	11.3	2	10.0	4	67.0	4	58.5	4			
236	2.8	24	6.00	0	44.0	0	48.0	0	0.0	NR	65.0	3	58.0	4			
241	2.2	18	9.04	3			9.2	3					22.0	0			

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Ca (Calcium)			Cd (Cadmium)		Co (Cobalt)		Cr (Chromium)		Cu (Copper)		Fe (Iron)		K (Potassium)	
MPV =	10.4	mg/L	50.5	µg/L	40.0	µg/L	79.0	µg/L	62.0	µg/L	228	µg/L	0.96	mg/L
F-pseudosigma =	0.6		3.2		2.6		5.5		4.2		11		0.09	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	10.8	3	49.1	4	39.6	4	80.9	4	61.9	4	235	3	0.90	3
3	10.2	4	48.6	3	41.0	4	81.0	4	65.0	3	250	1	1.02	3
4	22.3	0			62.0	0	139.0	0	124.0	0	465	0		
7	10.4	4	57.0	1	39.8	4	83.6	3	60.8	4	220	3	1.27	0
10											230	4		
11	9.4	1	50.0	4	40.0	4	90.0	1	60.0	4	250	1	0.94	4
13	11.5	1	53.0	3	42.0	3	86.0	2	70.0	1	238	3	0.80	1
15	10.8	3	51.3	4	42.7	2	82.0	3	64.5	3	222	3	0.91	3
16	10.2	4	53.0	3	38.5	3	70.0	1	61.5	4	211	1	1.10	1
18	10.6	4	53.0	3	42.0	3	79.0	4	63.0	4	228	4	0.90	3
19	10.8	3	55.0	2			86.0	2	69.0	1	241	2	0.84	2
21											220	3		
23	8.6	0							56.4	2				
24	10.2	4	48.0	3	40.2	4	75.8	3	65.0	3	218	3	0.94	4
25	9.6	2	51.0	4	32.0	0	66.0	0	56.0	2	201	0	< 1.21	NR
26	10.6	4	51.0	4			81.2	4	63.5	4	228	4	1.16	0
27	13.9	0												
28	10.5	4	49.1	4			197.8	0	59.4	3	209	1	2.10	0
30	10.6	4	53.8	2	41.0	4	80.3	4	62.9	4				
32	10.8	3	53.9	2	39.0	4	75.0	3	63.0	4	270	0	1.22	0
33	10.4	4									220	3	0.92	4
34														
35											226	4		
36	8.6	0	47.1	2	44.6	1	66.0	0	60.0	4	216	2	0.72	0
39	9.6	2	47.1	2	39.5	4	73.0	2	60.6	4	213	2		
40	10.2	4	52.0	4	43.0	2	81.0	4	65.0	3	231	4	0.97	4
42	10.6	4	50.6	4	40.0	4	79.0	4	62.4	4	235	3	0.89	3
43	10.0	3									230	4	0.90	3
45			11.4	0			70.0	1	60.3	4				
46	10.7	3	45.9	2	43.0	2	83.1	3	65.4	3	229	4	0.96	4
48	11.0	2	54.0	2	< 50	NR	87.9	1	70.0	1	200	0	1.03	3
50			53.0	3	37.0	2	80.0	4	61.0	4	196	0		
52	11.0	2	50.0	4	41.0	4	79.0	4	61.0	4	220	3	0.93	4
54	11.0	2									230	4	0.90	3
55	10.7	3	46.4	2	38.5	3	81.0	4	61.3	4	223	4	0.94	4
58	9.6	2	53.0	3			72.0	2	65.0	3	160	0	0.97	4
59	10.4	4	52.0	4	40.0	4	81.0	4	64.0	4	226	4	1.00	4
60			54.8	2			85.4	2	63.0	4				
64	10.5	4											0.90	3
68	9.0	0	44.0	0	20.5	0	70.0	1	51.5	0	200	0	< 0.15	0
69	10.4	4	48.3	3			80.5	4	59.0	3	232	4	1.00	4
70	11.1	2	50.0	4	40.4	4	79.6	4	60.9	4	225	4	1.00	4
73			53.5	3			83.9	3	62.0	4	237	3		
75	10.1	3	50.6	4	40.6	4	77.3	4	61.0	4	219	3	0.93	4
76			52.8	3					62.0	4	233	4		
80			46.0	2					62.0	4	240	2		
81	9.5	2	50.0	4	37.0	2	60.0	0	60.0	4	182	0	0.88	3
83	10.2	4	49.1	4			77.9	4	62.1	4	222	3	0.89	3
84	10.0	3							71.6	0				
85	10.2	4	53.1	3	44.8	1	83.8	3	66.0	3	232	4	1.02	3
86	10.7	3	49.3	4	41.3	4	65.7	0	61.3	4	232	4	0.97	4
87	30.0	0	50.0	4			83.0	3	60.0	4	230	4	1.13	1
89	10.1	3	47.9	3	46.5	0	71.2	2	57.6	2	231	4	1.00	4
90											233	4		
91											227	4		
92	9.0	0	50.0	4	36.0	1	70.0	1	55.0	1	215	2	2.00	0
96			46.8	2			78.9	4	58.2	3	220	3		
97	10.2	4	53.1	3	38.4	3	70.2	1	57.2	2	217	3	0.90	3
100	11.0	2	51.7	4	50.0	0	77.0	4	63.3	4	235	3	0.75	0
101	10.7	3											1.10	1

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)
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Analyte =	Ca (Calcium)		Cd (Cadmium)		Co (Cobalt)		Cr (Chromium)		Cu (Copper)		Fe (Iron)		K (Potassium)	
MPV =	10.4	mg/L	50.5	µg/L	40.0	µg/L	79.0	µg/L	62.0	µg/L	228	µg/L	0.96	mg/L
F-pseudosigma =	0.6		3.2		2.6		5.5		4.2		11		0.09	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
102	8.2	0	48.0	3	38.0	3	73.0	2	59.0	3	230	4	0.50	0
103	9.3	1	49.0	4	37.0	2	75.0	3	55.0	1	215	2	1.00	4
105	10.6	4	49.0	4	38.9	4	74.4	3	58.6	3	233	4	0.99	4
107	9.7	2							59.0	3	230	4	0.96	4
108							62.0	0	82.0	0				
109	10.0	3									227	4	0.99	4
111	12.3	0											1.08	2
114	9.0	0	50.0	4			85.0	2	56.0	2	225	4	1.00	4
116	10.1	3					96.5	0	51.2	0	245	1	< 3	NR
118			54.0	2							274	0		
119	11.0	2	49.3	4			85.5	2	65.0	3	233	4	1.00	4
121	10.2	4	48.0	3	35.0	1			56.0	2	225	4	1.00	4
126			62.0	0			64.0	0						
127	10.4	4	53.1	3	41.9	3	81.9	3	63.4	4	235	3	0.97	4
128	10.4	4	51.2	4	41.3	4	76.0	3	58.0	3	206	1	< 0.5	0
129	15.0	0											1.04	3
132	11.2	2	47.0	2	40.0	4	81.0	4	64.0	4	255	0	1.18	0
133	9.9	3	53.3	3			90.0	1	64.2	3	261	0		
134	10.8	3	50.7	4	40.2	4	77.8	4	61.8	4	223	4	0.89	3
138	10.9	3	50.6	4	40.2	4	78.6	4	63.6	4	239	3	0.90	3
140	10.4	4	50.0	4			85.0	2	62.0	4	210	1	0.88	3
141	10.6	4	54.0	2	40.0	4	79.0	4	65.0	3	241	2	0.93	4
142	10.8	3	52.6	3	37.9	3	73.9	3	58.6	3	238	3	1.38	0
145	10.6	4	52.7	3	42.7	2	80.0	4	65.2	3	225	4	0.91	3
146	9.8	2	48.7	3	38.6	3	77.9	4	61.7	4	224	4	0.96	4
149			44.0	1			76.0	3						
151	10.4	4	50.0	4					63.0	4	230	4	0.87	2
154	10.5	4	50.0	4	39.6	4	71.2	2	65.4	3	207	1	1.52	0
180	11.2	2	57.2	0	44.6	1	87.4	1	69.2	1	244	2	1.39	0
182	10.3	4	33.6	0	23.4	0	89.3	1	33.4	0	304	0	1.02	3
183									67.0	2				
190	9.0	0	57.6	0			82.5	3	67.2	2	234	3	0.78	1
191	9.4	1	58.9	0	40.0	4	78.1	4	62.6	4	265	0	0.89	3
193	10.2	4	47.5	3	39.0	4	76.0	3	54.0	1	248	1	0.93	4
194	9.5	2	47.5	3	41.0	4	170.0	0	70.0	1	240	2	1.01	3
196	12.1	0	50.7	4	41.1	4	78.3	4	65.2	3			0.94	4
198	11.2	2	48.7	3			79.6	4	63.2	4	233	4	1.02	3
203	10.2	4	43.5	0			80.0	4	54.5	1	217	3	0.95	4
204	9.9	3							56.6	2	228	4	0.87	2
209	10.7	3											1.25	0
210	9.8	2	52.5	3	39.5	4	70.0	1	60.0	4	216	2	2.34	0
212	11.6	0	58.0	0	46.0	0	75.0	3	70.0	1	250	1	1.00	4
213			49.5	4	38.6	3	76.9	4	64.7	3	224	4		
215	10.4	4	52.0	4	36.0	1	77.0	4	64.0	4	217	3	1.06	2
219	11.0	2			56.0	0	64.0	0	61.0	4	300	0	700.00	0
221	10.3	4	50.5	4	42.7	2	82.4	3	62.0	4	221	3	0.92	3
224	10.9	3	46.3	2	35.9	1			57.0	2	217	3	0.96	4
228														
231	10.6	4	54.8	2			81.3	4	52.8	0	197	0	0.92	4
234	10.5	4	49.6	4	41.4	3	77.2	4	65.1	3	222	3	0.95	4
235	10.4	4	47.0	2	38.0	3	75.0	3	59.0	3	233	4	0.74	0
236	10.0	3	51.0	4	49.0	0	78.0	4	63.0	4	224	4	0.98	4
241	10.2	4	53.0	3			78.7	4	63.8	4	221	3	1.00	4

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Li (Lithium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Mn (Manganese)	Mo (Molybdenum)	Na (Sodium)	Ni (Nickel)	Pb (Lead)
MPV = 73.7 $\mu\text{g/L}$	2.00 mg/L	423 $\mu\text{g/L}$	63.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	30.8 mg/L	65.6 $\mu\text{g/L}$	103 $\mu\text{g/L}$
F-pseudosigma = 5.2	0.09	20	5.1	1.2	5.0	7
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	73.6	4	2.02	4	432	4
3	77.0	3	2.00	4	405	3
4	142.0	0	4.23	0	825	0
7	72.3	4	2.00	4	418	4
10					425	4
11			1.82	1	470	0
13			2.10	2	440	3
15	78.1	3	2.12	2	440	3
16	77.0	3	2.00	4	398	2
18			2.00	4	427	4
19			2.28	0	454	1
21						
23					390	1
24	74.0	4	2.00	4	435	3
25	67.0	2	1.92	3	384	1
26	74.0	4	2.07	3	440	3
27			2.24	0		
28	86.5	0	2.10	2	391	1
30	69.6	3	1.94	3	423	4
32	79.0	2	2.18	1	409	3
33			2.04	4	220	0
34						
35					30.9	4
36			2.06	3	350	0
39	70.7	3	1.97	4	386	1
40	75.0	4	2.00	4	435	3
42	73.2	4	2.10	2	424	4
43			2.00	4	430	4
45						
46			2.09	2	420	4
48			2.05	3	440	3
50					428	4
52			2.00	4	420	4
54			2.00	4	430	4
55	66.0	2	2.19	0	431	4
58			25.00	0	440	3
59			2.20	0	425	4
60					70.0	2
64	80.0	2	1.95	3		
68	65.0	1	1.05	0	65.7	3
69	80.5	2	2.10	2	440	3
70			2.13	2	426	4
73					415	4
75	70.3	3	2.00	4	56.8	2
76					414	4
80					61.3	4
81			1.95	3	452	2
83			1.99	4	399	2
84			2.00	4	412	3
85	75.7	4	1.98	4	59.0	3
86			2.07	3	426	4
87			1.90	2	408	3
89			2.00	4	58.6	3
90					424	4
91					352	0
92					435	3
96			2.00	4		
97			2.00	4	422	4
100	80.3	2	2.10	2	58.2	3
101			2.00	4	437	3

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)
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Analyte = Li (Lithium)	MPV = 73.7 µg/L	Mg (Magnesium)	Mn (Manganese)	Mo (Molybdenum)	Na (Sodium)	Ni (Nickel)	Pb (Lead)					
F-pseudosigma = 5.2		2.00 mg/L	423 µg/L	63.0 µg/L	30.8 mg/L	65.6 µg/L	103 µg/L					
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
102			1.80	0	405	3	18.2	0	62.0	3	95	2
103	69.0	3	1.90	2	426	4	63.0	4	30.0	3	54.0	0
105	79.0	2	2.05	3	424	4	66.9	3	31.6	3	60.1	2
107			2.01	4	430	4			29.4	2		104
108							57.9	3			55.0	0
109	57.3	0	2.00	4	417	4	74.4	0	28.5	1		74
111			2.04	4					30.6	4		0
114			2.00	4	420	4			17.0	0	67.0	4
116	< 80	NR	1.96	4	425	4			31.4	3		160
118					337	0					73.4	1
119			2.30	0	442	3	55.0	1	32.8	1	68.0	4
121			2.03	4	410	3			31.0	4	62.0	3
126											75.0	1
127	66.9	2	2.07	3	417	4	61.6	4	29.6	2	63.3	4
128			1.85	1	407	3	56.9	2	26.2	0	55.3	0
129			0.31	0	420	4			30.0	3		106
132			2.06	3	403	3	69.0	2	31.8	3	70.0	3
133			1.93	3							68.0	4
134	79.0	2	2.05	3	430	4	60.8	4	30.3	4	68.2	3
138			2.09	2	416	4	67.7	3	31.8	3	64.2	4
140			2.00	4	430	4			38.0	0	62.0	3
141			2.13	2	428	4	66.0	3	30.0	3	67.0	4
142	73.7	4	2.03	4	425	4	66.7	3	29.8	3	59.8	2
145	71.1	4	2.02	4	425	4	62.5	4	30.2	3	68.0	4
146			1.96	4	418	4	61.5	4	30.8	4	64.3	4
149												102
151	71.0	3	2.00	4	435	3			31.5	3		4
154			1.80	0	396	2	61.5	4	30.5	4	61.0	3
180			2.20	0	462	1	67.6	3	33.2	1	73.7	1
182	65.0	1	1.98	4	475	0	74.8	0	23.9	0	78.8	0
183												89
190			2.29	0	416	4			31.4	3	64.1	4
191			1.99	4	417	4			30.1	3	66.2	4
193			1.98	4					30.8	4		113
194			1.88	2	450	2	80.0	0	31.3	4	< 100	NR
196	71.5	4	1.90	2	469	0	63.4	4	31.9	3	64.9	4
198			2.16	1	456	1	62.0	4	29.3	2	69.6	3
203			2.02	4	360	0			30.3	4	57.0	1
204			2.01	4	417	4			30.2	3		87
209			2.11	2					29.1	2		0
210			1.76	0	406	3	65.0	4	27.6	0	70.5	3
212	77.0	3	2.20	0	480	0	71.0	1	35.3	0	77.0	0
213											69.0	3
215			1.98	4	406	3	60.0	3	29.6	2	65.0	4
219	72.0	4	1.90	2	400	2			26.0	0	68.0	4
221			1.95	3	440	3	70.0	2	31.2	4	70.3	3
224			2.09	2	396	2	22.0	0	30.9	4	59.1	2
228											94	2
231			2.05	3	408	3			31.3	4	53.0	0
234	72.1	4	1.95	3	404	3	60.9	4	30.8	4	64.4	4
235			1.97	4	430	4	70.0	2			64.0	4
236	74.0	4	1.98	4	417	4	66.0	3	32.0	2	63.0	3
241			1.90	2	419	4			27.5	0	34.2	0

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)

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Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value									
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00									
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00									
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)										
Analyte = Sb (Antimony)	Se (Selenium)	SiO ₂ (Silica)	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)	Zn (Zinc)							
MPV = 76.3 µg/L	10.0 µg/L	4.28 mg/L	46.0 µg/L	52.8 µg/L	48.2 µg/L							
F-pseudosigma = 8.7	1.4	0.31	2.3	3.6	4.7							
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating		
1	82.3	3	10.1	4	4.29	4	47.1	4	52.9	4	65.3	0
3	78.0	4	9.4	4	4.46	3	44.3	3	54.0	4	48.2	4
4					9.50	0	98.7	0			85.0	0
7	69.7	3	25.0	0	4.66	2	46.5	4	54.4	4	48.2	4
10											51.0	3
11	70.0	3			4.62	2			50.0	3	40.0	1
13	74.5	4	7.6	1	4.40	4			57.0	2	52.0	3
15	67.2	2	8.9	3	4.15	4	44.2	3	56.6	2	52.7	3
16	63.0	1	< 70	NR			46.0	4	51.0	4	51.0	3
18	76.0	4	11.6	2			46.0	4	54.0	4	87.0	0
19											66.0	0
21												
23					3.01	0	43.6	2				
24	82.8	3	42.6	0	4.28	4	48.6	2	58.1	2	76.5	0
25	89.0	2	9.2	3	4.92	0	42.0	1	43.0	0	< 4	0
26			6.0	0							46.1	4
27												
28			11.0	3	3.50	0	45.5	4	55.4	3	35.2	0
30	82.8	3	12.2	1					55.6	3	49.4	4
32	79.6	4					46.6	4	56.9	2	46.5	4
33					4.07	3	50.0	1				
34			10.1	4								
35			9.3	4								
36	68.6	3	9.1	3					47.6	2	60.5	0
39	81.2	3	11.0	3	1.94	0	44.1	3	47.5	2	48.5	4
40	81.0	3					46.0	4	54.0	4	57.0	1
42	81.5	3	11.0	3	4.30	4	48.0	3	53.0	4	49.2	4
43					4.20	4						
45			12.4	1								
46			22.7	0					54.1	4	48.2	4
48	68.8	3	9.0	3					51.7	4	60.0	0
50			10.0	4					37.0	0	46.0	4
52	65.0	2	< 5	0	4.21	4	46.0	4	49.0	2	52.0	3
54												
55	74.7	4	9.9	4	3.84	2			53.0	4	48.0	4
58			3.0	0							71.0	0
59	84.0	3	10.0	4			48.0	3	47.0	1	45.0	3
60			11.2	3							50.0	4
64					3.90	2						
68	73.0	4	9.3	4			41.5	1	31.5	0	41.0	1
69	71.2	3	10.6	4							46.0	4
70	65.4	2	11.0	3	4.00	3	47.0	4	53.3	4	82.4	0
73											51.1	3
75	82.8	3	9.6	4							52.7	4
76	75.2	4									52.8	3
80			12.0	2			41.5	1	31.5	0	49.0	4
81	89.0	2	10.0	4					51.0	4	43.0	2
83					3.97	3					44.9	3
84												
85	96.0	0	9.5	4			46.6	4	49.1	2	47.9	4
86			9.0	3					53.5	4	47.6	4
87			< 2	0	4.36	4					49.0	4
89	69.6	3	< 2	0	4.00	3			45.8	1	36.9	0
90											45.0	3
91												
92					4.47	3					110.0	0
96					9.7	4					46.0	4
97	75.4	4	18.6	0	4.32	4	43.5	2	47.4	2	43.7	3
100	79.0	4	7.8	1	4.03	3	37.8	0	51.8	4	52.0	3
101												

Table 5. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)
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Analyte = Sb (Antimony)	Se (Selenium)	SiO ₂ (Silica)	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)	Zn (Zinc)								
MPV =	10.0 µg/L	4.28 mg/L	46.0 µg/L	52.8 µg/L	48.2 µg/L								
F-pseudosigma =	8.7	0.31	2.3	3.6	4.7								
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
102	75.0	4	17.0	0	41.0	0	54.0	4	46.0	4			
103	< 30	0	< 30	NR	3.50	0	44.0	3	50.0	3	47.0	4	
105	75.9	4	10.6	4	4.19	4	48.0	3	50.6	3	49.2	4	
107					4.51	3						66.0	0
108			8.1	2									
109			12.2	2			71.7	0					
111					4.35	4							
114	156.0	0			4.28	4	37.0	0				46.0	4
116					4.39	4						60.0	0
118			5.1	0								38.0	0
119	76.5	4	10.0	4	4.50	3						54.0	2
121					4.10	3	45.0	4	53.0	4	48.0	4	
126			< 1	0									
127	78.6	4	9.3	4	4.03	3	44.3	3	51.8	4	46.2	4	
128	72.7	4	10.2	4	3.92	2			48.6	2	47.2	4	
129													
132												47.0	4
133			12.4	1								48.0	4
134			10.6	4	4.30	4	47.5	3	52.0	4	49.4	4	
138	77.4	4	8.9	3	4.42	4	46.6	4	54.3	4	48.3	4	
140					4.47	3						47.0	4
141	86.0	2	10.7	4	4.07	3			56.0	3	50.0	4	
142	84.3	3	8.1	2	4.61	2	46.8	4	52.4	4	46.0	4	
145					4.16	4	43.9	3	54.0	4	59.3	0	
146	73.1	4	10.8	3					50.0	3	50.1	4	
149													
151			9.8	4	4.30	4	47.0	4				58.0	0
154	66.5	2	9.0	3			41.1	0	58.5	1	48.5	4	
180	86.7	2	< 45.1	NR					59.1	1	44.6	3	
182	245.9	0	10.1	4	2.28	0	41.1	0	38.0	0	24.4	0	
183													
190			10.8	3	4.48	3						42.4	2
191			15.3	0			45.0	4				67.8	0
193			9.4	4								< 50	NR
194	74.0	4	11.0	3			< 100	NR				50.0	4
196	76.6	4	11.1	3			46.6	4	56.7	2	47.4	4	
198			8.6	3					54.4	4	45.5	3	
203			7.2	1	3.69	1						42.0	2
204													
209													
210	66.5	2	11.0	3	4.42	4	42.0	1	52.0	4	45.0	3	
212	71.0	3	11.0	3	4.70	2	55.0	0	60.0	1	53.0	2	
213												48.0	4
215	80.0	4	18.0	0	4.28	4						49.0	4
219							46.0	4	49.0	2	45.0	3	
221			9.8	4								46.0	4
224			7.6	1					47.3	1	42.5	2	
228					1.99	0							
231			8.4	2	4.26	4						44.3	3
234	82.8	3	9.2	3	4.44	3	45.4	4	50.9	3	48.5	4	
235	76.0	4	9.2	3			46.0	4	55.0	3	45.0	3	
236	0.0	0	0.0	NR	3.97	3	45.0	4	58.0	2	47.0	4	
241	93.8	1	13.5	0	4.05	3						56.0	1

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating
 for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value		Rating	Absolute Z-value	
	0.00 - 0.50	0.51 - 1.00		1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00	
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)		
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50				

Lab	OLR	F-pseudosigma =	Analyte = Alkalinity		B (Boron)		Ca (Calcium)		Cl (Chloride)		DSRD	
			MPV =	62.9 mg/L	8.5	33.7 µg/L	2.4	RV	Rating	65.0 mg/L	2.1	370 mg/L
1	3.1	15	64.6	2	35.1	4	45.6	3	64.6	4	369	4
3	2.6	14	72.8	0	24.0	2	45.3	3	68.0	2	374	4
4	0.5	2					43.4	4	58.7	0		
7	2.5	12					44.3	4	68.5	1	368	4
9	2.8	13	64.6	2	< 50	NR	44.1	4	63.5	3		
10	2.9	10	64.6	2	60.0	0	40.6	2	71.7	0	354	3
11	2.1	13	62.2	4			47.4	1	63.3	3	374	4
13	2.3	12	60.2	1			44.6	4	59.3	0		
15	2.4	12	59.0	0	< 50	NR	40.7	2	66.9	3	369	4
16	2.6	13	62.8	4	< 500	NR					377	4
18	3.1	15	60.8	2	35.0	4	42.4	3	65.9	4	372	4
19	2.7	10	65.7	1			44.4	4	65.0	4	377	4
23	2.7	6	61.9	3					66.5	3		
24	3.0	13	59.8	1	25.3	3	45.0	3	64.5	4		
25	1.4	14	67.0	0	52.0	0	38.8	0	61.0	1	384	3
26	3.1	11	64.5	3			44.6	4	66.5	3	370	4
27	1.6	5					49.1	0				
28	1.3	15	66.7	0	36.6	4	42.6	3	71.9	0		
30	3.3	4					46.3	2	65.9	4	299	0
32	2.6	14	62.2	4	33.0	4	43.4	4	63.4	3	450	0
33	3.8	11	62.1	4			44.0	4	64.8	4	351	2
36	1.4	14	68.0	0	103.0	0	19.1	0	64.0	4	390	2
38	3.5	8					43.0	4			344	2
39	2.6	14	70.0	0	11.2	0	41.0	2	63.0	3		
40	3.1	14	63.8	3	30.0	4	41.6	3	66.9	3	386	3
42	3.3	15	61.8	3	29.7	4	44.9	4	68.0	2	376	4
43	3.2	11	64.0	3			44.0	4	66.0	4	382	3
46	2.6	8	62.8	4					103.3	0	369	4
48	2.3	12	58.0	0	20.0	1	45.5	3	64.0	4		
50	3.5	13	61.0	2	31.0	4	43.0	4	64.0	4	370	4
52	3.3	14	63.0	4	< 40	NR	43.0	4	65.0	4		
54	3.2	11	60.0	1			44.0	4	64.9	4	390	2
55	2.6	14	66.0	1			45.7	3	67.4	2		
56	2.0	9	65.2	2			37.0	0	56.1	0	330	0
57	2.4	12	62.0	3	< 100	NR	46.0	3	64.0	4	355	3
58	1.5	12	61.0	2			32.5	0	63.0	3		
59	2.5	13	62.0	3			43.6	4			374	4
64	3.1	10	68.0	0	285.0	0	45.2	3	65.6	4		
68	1.7	11					39.5	1	66.8	3	364	4
69	3.6	10	64.0	3			43.0	4	65.0	4		
70	3.5	13	62.0	3	< 50	NR	45.5	3	65.0	4	374	4
75	3.7	10	63.7	4	31.8	4	42.6	3	65.1	4	357	3
76	3.6	7	61.1	2			51.1	0	58.6	0	370	4
80	1.8	12	64.0	3			41.0	2	62.6	2		
81	3.1	13	62.2	4			42.1	3			360	3
83	2.5	8	54.6	0			43.7	4	66.2	3		
84	3.1	14	61.5	3			42.0	3	65.3	4	348	2
85	3.4	14					44.9	4	75.7	0		
86	2.9	11					41.0	2	65.0	4	352	3
87	3.0	11					43.2	4	65.1	4	366	4
89	3.4	13	62.8	4			42.0	3			347	2
90	3.6	5	63.0	4			40.0	1	65.4	4		
92	2.3	10	62.8	4					65.9	4	363	4
93	1.3	3					43.8	4	63.7	3	676	0
94	4.0	2							59.5	0	384	3
96	2.4	7	65.0	2			43.8	4	66.6	3	367	4
97	2.5	13	63.8	3					64.3	4		
100	2.3	7	64.6	2			35.4	0				
101	3.6	8										
102	1.8	12										

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)
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	Analyte = Alkalinity MPV = 62.9 mg/L			B (Boron) 33.7 µg/L			Ca (Calcium) 43.8 mg/L			Cl (Chloride) 65.0 mg/L			DSRD	
	F-pseudosigma =	OLR	V/16	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	Rating	RV	Rating
103	2.1	7				35.0	4	39.0	1				370	mg/L
105	3.1	14	63.0	4				44.5	4	67.0	3	370	19	4
107	2.5	11	60.2	1				32.8	0	66.7	3			
109	2.4	11	75.4	0				42.8	4	66.9	3	384		3
111	2.7	11	63.3	4				49.9	0	62.7	2			
114	2.1	11	64.0	3				38.5	0	64.0	4	400		1
116	2.1	8				< 30	NR	45.6	3	69.2	1			
118	3.0	5	64.0	3								394		2
119	2.9	14	62.0	3	40.0	3	43.2	4	66.0	4	347		2	
121	3.7	7				30.0	4	44.5	4					
127	3.6	15	63.8	3	33.7	4	43.0	4	64.8	4	370		4	
128	2.5	12	63.2	4	13.8	0	43.7	4	65.2	4				
129	2.1	13	69.0	0	120.0	0	46.0	3	66.0	4	348		2	
132	2.0	7	0.1	0	8.0	0	44.3	4						
133	3.5	2						46.0	3					
134	3.7	16	64.3	3	34.8	4	43.9	4	65.6	4	392		2	
136	2.3	9	65.3	2				35.1	0	67.7	2			
138	2.7	15	64.0	3	30.1	4	46.2	2	61.7	1	367		4	
140	3.0	11						43.0	4	64.5	4	361		4
141	3.2	13	63.8	3	42.0	3	44.4	4	62.8	2	346		2	
142	2.7	15	66.0	1	30.1	4	45.7	3	64.5	4	375		4	
143	3.8	5								65.0	4	371		4
145	2.9	15	55.0	0	29.7	4	44.0	4	64.1	4				
146	2.1	12	62.6	4				42.8	4	70.0	0	361		4
149	2.8	8				170.0	0			64.0	4	368		4
151	3.7	12	64.0	3				43.0	4	67.0	3	369		4
153	2.7	10	62.0	3				44.2	4	61.8	1			
154	2.2	15	61.6	3	35.0	4	42.1	3	65.2	4	341		1	
180	2.1	11	63.0	4	23.4	2	47.6	1	66.0	4				
182	1.8	16	62.0	3	87.9	0	45.8	3	65.0	4	387		3	
183	1.0	2								68.0	2			
185	4.0	1										410		0
190	2.7	13	61.0	2				38.8	0	64.9	4			
191	3.9	8						42.0	3	65.2	4			
193	2.7	3								69.3	1			
194	2.7	9			< 100	NR	43.6	4	69.2	1	354		3	
196	2.1	10	59.0	0			46.5	2	66.1	3				
197	1.5	2								51.0	0			
203	2.7	6	58.8	0						65.2	4			
204	0.5	4												
208	2.3	3								64.1	4			
210	2.4	14	64.0	3	32.0	4	43.8	4	59.0	0				
212	1.9	16	62.2	4	41.0	3	49.2	0	50.8	0	371		4	
213	2.7	3	61.0	2						62.5	2			
215	1.6	14	63.6	4	175.0	0	38.7	0	65.0	4	378		4	
219	1.2	6						51.0	0					
221	2.9	8						46.9	2	63.5	3	394		2
224	2.7	12	60.0	1				44.6	4	65.0	4	398		1
226	3.4	9	63.2	4				44.2	4	63.4	3			
230	2.3	6						45.3	3	65.7	4			
231	3.1	8	66.2	1				43.9	4	64.5	4			
234	3.1	16	61.9	3	31.6	4	46.3	2	66.8	3	388		3	
236	2.4	16	62.2	4	30.0	4	41.7	3	62.5	2	125		0	
237	2.3	10	62.4	4				44.5	4	63.2	3			
240	2.4	8	63.2	4				44.0	4	56.0	0	340		1
241	1.5	12	50.1	0				41.0	2	54.5	0			

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value								
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00								
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00								
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)									
Analyte = F (Fluoride)	K (Potassium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Na (Sodium)								
MPV = 0.561 mg/L	2.40 mg/L	9.75 mg/L	60.7 mg/L								
F-pseudosigma = 0.030	0.22	0.41	2.4								
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	(total Phosphorus) as P 0.010 mg/L				
1	0.620	1	2.39	4	9.66	4	60.4	4	0.016	RV	Rating
3	0.691	0	2.57	3	9.53	3	62.9	3	< 0.01	NR	
4	0.700	0									
7	0.850	0	2.77	1	9.57	4	61.2	4	< 0.01	NR	
9	0.558	4	2.69	2	9.90	4	62.2	3	0.001	3	
10	0.590	3	2.35	4	10.40	1	61.4	4			
11	0.581	3	2.49	4	8.90	0	65.2	1			
13	0.630	0	2.10	2	9.50	3	63.0	3	< 0.05	NR	
15	0.589	3	2.39	4	10.10	3	60.3	4	< 0.02	NR	
16	0.550	4	2.00	1	9.50	3	59.0	3	0.027	2	
18	0.557	4	2.30	4	9.30	2	60.0	4	0.002	4	
19			2.50	4	10.60	0	60.3	4			
23									< 0.1	NR	
24	0.590	3	2.30	4	9.98	3	62.5	3			
25	0.540	3	2.09	2	8.80	0	56.2	1	< 0.121	NR	
26	0.670	0	2.47	4	10.00	3	62.1	3			
27			2.58	3	9.08	1	53.9	0			
28	0.500	0	4.60	0	10.10	3	57.6	2	0.500	0	
30					9.39	3					
32	0.575	4	2.52	3	10.30	2	67.6	0			
33			2.37	4	9.80	4	61.2	4			
36	0.600	2	1.99	1	9.72	4	59.2	3	< 0.025	NR	
38			2.39	4	9.90	4	58.9	3	0.008	4	
39	0.570	4			9.69	4	60.5	4	0.005	4	
40	0.550	4	2.41	4	9.14	2	61.2	4			
42	0.560	4	2.40	4	10.00	3	62.9	3	0.015	4	
43			2.40	4	9.90	4	63.0	3			
46	0.571	4									
48			2.15	2	9.64	4	57.8	2	3.400	0	
50	0.550	4	2.40	4	10.00	3	61.0	4			
52	0.518	2	2.40	4	9.80	4	60.0	4	0.032	2	
54	0.568	4	2.40	4	10.00	3	61.0	4			
55	0.500	0	2.46	4	10.50	1	59.4	3	0.011	4	
56			2.50	4	9.10	1	56.3	1			
57	0.540	3	3.00	0	10.00	3	61.0	4	< 0.02	NR	
58	0.430	0	2.50	4	114.00	0	66.0	0	0.040	1	
59	0.550	4	2.70	2	10.50	1	87.0	0	0.020	3	
64			2.35	4	9.40	3	59.2	3	0.005	4	
68			< 0.15	0	7.60	0	57.5	2	0.170	0	
69	0.560	4	2.62	3	9.48	3	59.4	3			
70	0.560	4	2.28	3	9.87	4	62.0	3	< 0.1	NR	
75			2.40	4	9.65	4	61.9	4			
76	0.561	4									
80	0.680	0	2.70	2	10.30	2	58.6	3			
81	0.560	4	2.30	4	9.41	3	59.9	4	< 0.005	NR	
83	0.610	1	1.92	0	9.42	3	60.3	4			
84					10.10	3	59.9	4			
85	0.560	4	2.66	2	9.45	3	59.0	3	< 0.005	NR	
86	0.450	0	2.43	4	10.10	3	63.3	2			
87			2.32	4	9.36	3	59.2	3	0.010	4	
89	0.557	4	2.30	4	9.30	2	61.6	4	0.005	4	
90											
92			3.50	0	9.00	1	23.0	0	< 0.01	NR	
93	0.980	0									
94	0.550	4									
96	0.580	3									
97	0.583	3	2.36	4	10.10	3	63.1	3	< 0.001	NR	
100	0.530	2									
101			2.40	4	9.40	3	63.0	3			
102	0.580	3	1.60	0	8.50	0	41.8	0	0.001	3	

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)
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Analyte = F (Fluoride)			K (Potassium)		Mg (Magnesium)		Na (Sodium)		(total Phosphorus) as P	
MPV =	0.561 mg/L		2.40 mg/L		9.75 mg/L		60.7 mg/L		0.010 mg/L	
F-pseudosigma =	0.030		0.22		0.41		2.4		0.016	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
103			2.70	2	8.60	0	60.0	4	< 0.05	NR
105	0.540	3	2.57	3	9.85	4	61.5	4	0.040	1
107	0.590	3	2.43	4	9.69	4	59.0	3	0.006	4
109	0.580	3	2.65	2	9.50	3	58.6	3		
111			2.94	0	9.57	4	60.3	4	0.009	4
114	0.590	3	2.50	4	10.00	3	53.5	0	< 0.01	NR
116			5.00	0	9.95	4	62.3	3		
118									< 0.01	NR
119	0.590	3	1.90	0	9.70	4	61.8	4	0.010	4
121			2.40	4	9.75	4	62.5	3		
127	0.555	4	2.55	3	9.52	3	59.0	3	0.013	4
128	0.560	4	1.73	0	8.94	1	52.9	0		
129	0.518	2	4.00	0	9.55	4	63.0	3	1.203	0
132			2.45	4	2.91	0	63.4	2		
133					9.91	4				
134	0.539	3	2.37	4	9.91	4	60.1	4	0.005	4
136			2.23	3	9.18	2	56.7	1		
138	0.610	1	2.37	4	10.10	3	64.1	2	0.003	4
140	0.600	2	2.12	2	9.60	4	62.0	3	< 0.01	NR
141	0.510	1	2.41	4	9.87	4	60.7	4	< 0.05	NR
142	0.590	3	2.82	1	10.13	3	61.8	4	< 0.018	NR
143									0.005	4
145	0.660	0	2.27	3	9.63	4	60.1	4	0.010	4
146	0.552	4	3.15	0	10.20	2	63.2	2		
149	0.600	2							0.001	3
151			2.28	3	9.70	4	62.0	3	0.007	4
153	0.480	0	2.20	3	9.86	4	63.0	3		
154	0.530	2	3.40	0	10.20	2	63.3	2	0.003	4
180	0.550	4	3.07	0	10.70	0	67.6	0	< 0.025	NR
182	0.488	0	2.53	3	9.75	4	47.7	0	0.030	2
183										
185									0.004	4
190	0.567	4	2.03	1	9.54	3	61.9	4	0.002	4
191			2.31	4	9.56	4	60.7	4	0.005	4
193										
194			2.53	3	9.84	4	64.2	2	< 0.10	NR
196	0.563	4	2.30	4	10.20	2	62.6	3		
197										
203										
204										
208	0.270	0								
210	0.480	0	4.20	0	9.85	4	60.5	4	< 0.10	NR
212	0.560	4	2.60	3	11.00	0	69.8	0	0.044	0
213									< 0.02	NR
215	0.620	1	1.88	0	8.35	0	53.4	0	0.040	1
219			2.20	3	11.00	0	55.0	0		
221			2.55	3	10.10	3	62.0	3	0.001	3
224	0.645	0	2.43	4	10.29	2	60.6	4	< 0.01	NR
226			2.40	4	9.78	4	60.3	4	0.012	4
230			2.70	2	10.40	1	65.5	1		
231			2.34	4	9.69	4	61.6	4		
234	0.530	2	2.61	3	9.45	3	59.3	3	0.014	4
236	0.690	0	2.24	3	9.39	3	63.4	2	0.020	3
237			3.00	0	9.80	4	58.0	2		
240									0.008	4
241	0.580	3	2.32	4	8.20	0	55.0	0	0.008	4

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)
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(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value		Rating	Absolute Z-value		Sp Cond			Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)		
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00					291 µg/L		3.55 µg/L	
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00								
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)									
Analyte = pH	SiO ₂ (Silica)	5.34 mg/L	SO ₄ (Sulfate)	78.0 mg/L	Sp Cond	615 µS/cm	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)				
MPV =	7.72	0.27	2.4	18	14	1.24						
F-pseudosigma =	0.17											
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	7.52	2	5.43	4	74.9	2	606	3	299	3	2.73	3
3	7.79	4	5.77	1	76.8	4	620	4	281	3	< 10	NR
4					74.1	1						
7	7.48	2	5.73	2	75.0	2	605	3	291	4	3.70	4
9			5.33	4	75.3	2	569	0	301	3		
10	8.08	0	5.30	4			615	4				
11	7.51	2	5.82	1	79.0	4	606	3				
13	7.83	3	6.20	0	77.0	4	623	4			< 20	NR
15	7.30	0	5.39	4	75.0	2	645	1	285	4	< 10	NR
16	7.60	3			72.2	0	598	3	271	2	< 100	NR
18	7.78	4	4.49	0	73.8	1	602	3	282	3	< 5	NR
19	6.74	0			78.3	4	634	2				
23	7.78	4			93.4	0	592	2				
24	7.80	4	5.60	3	77.6	4	618	4	322	0		
25	7.75	4	7.28	0	82.0	1	630	3	263	1	< 4	NR
26	7.87	3			78.4	4	627	3				
27							613	4				
28	7.60	3	4.50	0	98.7	0	668	0	278	3	4.90	2
30					78.4	4						
32	7.82	3			75.9	3	611	4	302	3	10.60	0
33	7.78	4	5.10	3	77.4	4	616	4	302	3		
36	7.60	3	11.00	0	53.0	0	642	1			2.09	2
38			5.25	4			633	3				
39	7.90	2	5.39	4	80.0	3	481	0	289	4		
40	7.91	2	5.50	3	79.0	4	618	4	270	1		
42	7.50	2	5.60	3	78.0	4	629	3	308	2	3.00	4
43	7.49	2	5.50	3	74.0	1	616	4				
46	8.01	1	5.35	4	78.7	4	746	0				
48	6.50	0			79.0	4	618	4			< 200	NR
50	7.35	0	5.30	4	77.0	4	615	4				
52	7.60	3	5.30	4	78.8	4	590	2	300	3	2.10	2
54	7.85	3			88.0	0	621	4				
55	7.70	4	5.02	2	77.0	4	620	4	299	3		
56	7.75	4			80.6	2	616	4				
57	7.60	3	5.30	4	85.0	0	590	2			< 100	NR
58	7.48	2			79.4	3	603	3				
59	7.78	4	5.70	2	76.6	3	634	2	308	2		
64	8.16	0	5.01	2	78.6	4	618	4				
68	7.90	2	5.31	4			621	4	280	3	< 3	NR
69	7.72	4			78.0	4						
70	7.69	4	5.15	3	76.4	3	603	3	295	4	< 50	NR
75	7.97	2			77.7	4	613	4				
76	7.73	4			77.4	4	606	3				
80	7.50	2	7.00	0	81.1	2	618	4				
81	7.70	4	4.99	2	70.8	0	622	4	283	3	< 4	NR
83			4.96	2	76.2	3						
84	7.75	4					621	4				
85	7.76	4	5.30	4	77.6	4	619	4	294	4	< 20	NR
86	7.77	4			79.0	4	618	4	290	4	4.40	3
87	7.70	4	5.23	4	76.0	3	555	0				
89	3.50	0	5.20	4	77.0	4	598	3				
90	7.78	4					628	3				
92	7.61	3	5.32	4	77.9	4						
93	7.80	4					531	0				
94					79.0	4						
96	7.70	4					82	0	658	0		
97	8.00	1	5.37	4	40.3	0	622	4	269	1	< 3.15	NR
100	7.61	3			77.6	4	595	2				
101	7.68	4					613	4				
102			4.91	1	80.0	3	625	3	264	1	3.00	4

Table 6. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)
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Analyte = pH	SiO ₂ (Silica)	SO ₄ (Sulfate)	Sp Cond	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)
MPV =	5.34 mg/L	78.0 mg/L	615 μ S/cm	291 μ g/L	3.55 μ g/L
F-pseudosigma =	0.17	2.4	18	14	1.24
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV
103	7.72	0	4.70	0	285
105	7.77	4	5.63	2	316
107	4.76	0	5.48	3	< 10
109	6.78	0		75.7	3
111	7.84	3	5.19	3	NR
114	7.60	3		75.3	4
116			5.37	4	< 13
118	7.50	2	5.40	4	NR
119	7.96	2	6.00	0	
121			5.30	4	
127	7.70	4	5.36	4	309
128	7.69	4	5.18	3	284
129	7.81	3		78.0	3
132	7.73	4		78.0	2
133					300
134	7.71	4	5.38	4	284
136	7.84	3		78.8	3
138	7.98	1	5.56	3	291
140	7.52	2	5.54	3	298
141	7.86	3	5.45	4	2.90
142	7.72	4	6.43	0	3
143	7.82	3		74.0	4
145	7.20	0	5.27	4	3.72
146	7.36	0		79.1	4
149	7.96	2	5.30	4	4
151	7.67	4	5.30	4	2.90
153	7.52	2		75.5	3
154	8.19	0		81.5	3
180	7.70	4		80.0	2
182	7.60	3	2.63	0	< 10
183					NR
185					
190	7.91	2	5.56	3	11.80
191				78.4	0
193				74.8	4
194	7.55	3		79.0	3
196	6.44	0		76.9	2
197				79.7	3
203	7.67	4	5.26	4	3.80
204	7.29	0	5.96	0	2.60
208				241.0	3
210	8.11	0	5.89	0	2.60
212	7.60	3	6.10	0	NR
213	7.78	4		76.2	0
215	7.86	3	4.78	0	3.59
219				82.0	4
221	7.70	4		76.5	4
224	7.70	4		78.3	0
226			5.34	4	1.80
230				61.1	2
231				76.2	3
234	7.89	2	5.23	4	2.02
236	7.70	4	5.30	4	2
237	8.20	0	5.02	2	7.00
240	7.97	2	55.00	0	0
241	7.79	4	4.88	1	2.02
				84.5	0
				80.4	3
				77.1	4
				77.0	4
				77.0	4
				550	0
				639	2
				550	0
				730	0

Table 7. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/5, number of reported values of 5 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating		Absolute Z-value		Rating		Absolute Z-value						
4 (Excellent)		0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable)		1.51 - 2.00						
3 (Good)		0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor)		greater than 2.00						
2 (Satisfactory)		1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)								
Analyte = NH3 as N (Ammonia)		NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)		NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate + Nitrite)		total P as P (total Phosphorus)		PO4 as P (Orthophosphate as P)				
MPV = 0.060 mg/L		0.300 mg/L		0.286 mg/L		0.139 mg/L		0.120 mg/L				
F-pseudosigma = 0.021		0.249		0.028		0.012		0.012				
Lab	OLR	V/5	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
1	2.8	4	0.054	4	< 0.2	NR	0.214	0	0.130	3	0.123	4
3	3.8	4	0.062	4	< 1	NR	0.303	3	0.144	4	0.119	4
7	4.0	2	< 0.1	NR			0.280	4	0.140	4		
9	3.0	5	0.051	4	0.540	3	0.307	3	0.161	1	0.117	4
10	3.8	5	0.054	4	0.340	4	0.290	4	0.143	4	0.126	3
12	3.3	3					0.290	4	0.130	3	0.113	3
13	1.3	4	0.060	4			0.240	1	0.250	0	0.060	0
15	3.5	4	0.052	4	< 0.5	NR	0.312	3	0.139	4	0.126	3
16	0.8	5	0.174	0	0.406	4	0.401	0	0.097	0	0.072	0
18	3.2	5	0.054	4	0.224	4	0.028	0	0.137	4	0.125	4
19	2.0	3					0.300	4	0.120	1	0.140	1
21	4.0	5	0.050	4	0.241	4	0.280	4	0.142	4	0.119	4
22	4.0	1							0.144	4		
23	2.3	4	0.073	3			0.281	4	0.112	0	0.137	2
25	2.0	2	< 0.05	NR	< 0.05	NR	0.280	4	< 0.121	NR	0.038	0
26	2.3	3	0.083	2			0.247	2			0.131	3
28	1.0	5	0.100	1	2.200	0	0.040	0	0.200	0	0.120	4
32	0.5	2	0.096	1							0.095	0
33	4.0	1	0.060	4								
36	2.3	4	0.200	0	< 0.5	NR	0.243	1	0.140	4	0.120	4
38	3.8	5	0.054	4	0.240	4	0.291	4	0.146	3	0.116	4
39	3.0	4	0.044	3			0.288	4	0.145	3	0.105	2
42	2.0	3					0.250	2	0.153	2	0.135	2
43	1.0	1					0.340	1				
46	3.8	5	0.053	4	0.260	4	0.286	4	0.132	3	0.121	4
48	1.2	5	0.050	4	6.400	0	0.240	1	1.200	0	0.138	1
52	3.8	5	0.060	4	0.394	4	0.286	4	0.149	3	0.124	4
53	2.7	3	0.018	1			0.291	4			0.129	3
55	3.2	5	0.077	3	0.166	3	0.297	4	0.147	3	0.131	3
56	2.3	4			0.150	3	0.250	2	0.160	1	0.130	3
58	1.8	5	0.030	2	0.550	3	0.660	0	0.260	0	0.120	4
59	2.4	5	0.050	4	0.300	4	0.230	1	0.200	0	0.110	3
60	2.0	3	0.093	1	0.570	2	0.271	3				
64	4.0	4	0.060	4			0.280	4	0.141	4	0.125	4
69	4.0	1					0.280	4				
70	3.3	4	< 0.1	NR	0.418	4	0.247	2	0.134	4	0.114	3
75	3.5	4	0.055	4			0.269	3	0.132	3	0.123	4
76	3.0	2	0.050	4			0.244	2				
80	2.0	3	0.250	0			0.260	3			0.110	3
83	2.7	3					0.290	4	0.100	0	0.124	4
84	3.0	2	0.049	3			0.260	3				
85	3.6	5	0.054	4	0.320	4	0.280	4	0.130	3	0.114	3
86	2.5	4	0.081	3			0.282	4	0.133	3	0.157	0
87	2.0	5	0.030	2	0.150	3	0.290	4	0.165	0	0.144	1
88	1.0	3	0.048	3			0.496	0			0.194	0
89	3.4	5	0.070	4	0.587	2	0.290	4	0.136	4	0.126	3
90	3.2	5	0.048	3	0.154	3	0.318	2	0.136	4	0.124	4
91	3.2	5	0.060	4	0.230	4	0.280	4	0.160	1	0.110	3
92	1.3	4	0.630	0			0.284	4	0.194	0	0.143	1
93	4.0	1	0.050	4								
94	3.3	4	0.070	4	0.110	3	0.290	4	0.125	2		
96	3.6	5	0.045	3	0.165	3	0.280	4	0.140	4	0.118	4
97	3.0	5	0.052	4	0.190	4	0.300	4	0.060	0	0.110	3
100	2.3	3	0.040	3	1.310	0	0.300	4				
102	1.8	5	0.080	3	0.080	3	0.230	1	0.120	1	0.100	1
104	3.5	4			0.211	4	0.291	4	0.139	4	0.133	2
105	2.4	5	0.060	4	0.660	2	0.440	0	0.146	3	0.127	3
107	3.8	4	0.058	4			0.304	3	0.140	4	0.121	4
108	2.3	3					0.270	3	0.600	0	0.120	4
111	3.3	3					0.266	3	0.141	4	0.130	3

Table 7. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)
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Lab	OLR	V/5	Analyte = NH ₃ as N (Ammonia)		NH ₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)		NO ₃ + NO ₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite)		total P as P (total Phosphorus)		PO ₄ as P (Orthophosphate as P)	
			MPV =	0.060 mg/L	F-pseudosigma =	0.300 mg/L	0.286 mg/L	0.028 <th>0.139 mg/L</th> <td>0.012<th>0.120 mg/L</th><td>0.012</td></td>	0.139 mg/L	0.012 <th>0.120 mg/L</th> <td>0.012</td>	0.120 mg/L	0.012
				0.021		0.249						
114	2.5	2	< 0.1	NR			0.290	4	0.120	1		
118	2.6	5	0.100	1	0.320	4	0.240	1	0.130	3	0.120	4
119	3.4	5	0.090	2	0.230	4	0.300	4	0.140	4	0.110	3
126	3.0	1					0.270	3				
127	3.4	5	0.057	4	0.177	4	0.266	3	0.133	3	0.126	3
128	3.0	5	0.090	2	0.420	4	0.310	3	0.150	3	0.130	3
129	2.8	5	0.147	0	0.162	3	0.304	3	0.136	4	0.117	4
132	3.3	4	0.050	4			0.250	2	0.140	4	0.110	3
133	3.2	5	0.076	3	0.220	4	0.230	1	0.140	4	0.120	4
134	3.4	5	0.070	4	0.200	4	0.300	4	0.120	1	0.120	4
136	4.0	1	0.069	4								
138	3.6	5	0.052	4	0.284	4	0.294	4	0.133	3	0.113	3
140	2.4	5	0.080	3	0.350	4	0.290	4	0.100	0	0.100	1
141	2.5	4	0.101	1	< 1	NR	0.284	4	0.140	4	0.140	1
142	1.4	5	0.018	1	0.536	3	0.306	3	0.173	0	0.151	0
143	3.8	5	0.040	3	0.300	4	0.281	4	0.137	4	0.118	4
145	3.2	5	0.050	4	0.350	4	0.240	1	0.150	3	0.120	4
146	4.0	3	0.055	4			0.279	4			0.121	4
149	4.0	2	0.050	4					0.136	4		
151	2.8	4	0.040	3			0.290	4	0.160	1	0.130	3
154	3.3	4	0.056	4			0.270	3	0.127	2	0.119	4
180	3.6	5	0.051	4	0.194	4	0.298	4	0.153	2	0.124	4
182	0.0	3	0.010	0					0.180	0	0.480	0
183	1.0	3	0.080	3			1.000	0			0.270	0
185	2.8	5	0.053	4	0.611	2	0.300	3	0.127	2	0.114	3
190	3.4	5	0.080	3	0.150	3	0.282	4	0.139	4	0.131	3
191	2.0	3					0.250	2	0.134	4	0.075	0
193	1.5	2					0.320	2			0.142	1
194	2.7	3	0.160	0	0.210	4	0.290	4				
196	3.0	2					0.251	2			0.115	4
197	4.0	2	0.052	4			0.296	4				
198	3.2	5	0.055	4	0.324	4	0.306	3	0.156	2	0.128	3
203	3.0	5	0.066	4	0.316	4	0.215	0	0.133	3	0.125	4
208	4.0	2					0.289	4			0.120	4
209	2.7	3	0.060	4	0.160	3	0.330	1				
210	0.0	3	0.300	0	1.300	0	< 0.5	NR	< 0.25	NR	0.146	0
212	3.0	4	0.110	0	< 0.5	NR	0.290	4	0.140	4	0.120	4
215	2.8	4	0.080	3			0.290	4	0.130	3	0.100	1
221	2.6	5	0.060	4	0.560	2	0.350	0	0.139	4	0.110	3
224	1.8	5	0.560	0	0.580	2	0.319	2	0.126	2	0.109	3
226	3.3	4	0.072	3	0.428	3	0.304	3	0.139	4		
227	4.0	2							0.139	4	0.120	4
231	3.0	5	0.050	4	0.230	4	0.260	3	0.110	0	0.120	4
234	2.3	4	0.076	3			0.262	3	0.148	3	0.084	0
240	0.0	5	1.960	0	3.040	0	0.530	0	0.016	0	< 0.01	0
241	3.4	5	0.053	4	0.271	4	0.256	2	0.136	4	0.127	3

Table 8. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/5, number of reported values of 5 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating		Absolute Z-value		Rating		Absolute Z-value			
4 (Excellent)		0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable)		1.51 - 2.00			
3 (Good)		0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor)		greater than 2.00			
2 (Satisfactory)		1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)					
Analyte = NH3 as N (Ammonia)		NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)		NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate + Nitrite)		total P as P (total Phosphorus)		PO4 as P (Orthophosphate as P)	
MPV = 1.04 mg/L		1.81 mg/L		1.23 mg/L		1.23 mg/L		0.920 mg/L	
F-pseudosigma = 0.09		0.30		0.06		0.06		0.045	
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV
1	3.6	5	1.082	4	1.68	4	1.18	3	1.20
3	3.8	5	1.100	3	1.80	4	1.25	4	0.909
7	1.8	4	0.980	3			1.26	3	0.850
9	2.7	3	1.050	4	1.92	4		1.37	0
10	3.0	5	1.040	4	1.86	4	1.24	4	1.27
12	2.3	4	1.000	4	2.40	1	1.28	3	0.840
13	2.5	4	1.060	4			1.19	3	0.750
15	3.4	5	1.100	3	1.67	4	1.30	2	1.24
16	1.6	5	0.928	2	2.67	0	1.28	3	1.08
18	4.0	5	1.060	4	1.70	4	1.24	4	1.25
19	3.5	2	0.970	3			1.21	4	
22	3.0	1						1.30	3
23	3.8	5	1.040	4	2.08	3	1.23	4	1.26
25	1.3	3	< 0.05	0	< 0.05	0	1.15	2	0.286
26	2.3	3	1.020	4			1.17	2	0.990
28	2.8	5	1.040	4	5.50	0	1.24	4	1.23
30	1.5	2					1.26	3	0.970
33	1.0	1	1.190	1					2.730
36	0.0	5	0.520	0	1.10	0	0.97	0	1.020
38	2.8	5	1.129	3	4.03	0	1.24	4	1.27
42	3.3	3					1.25	4	1.27
43	2.0	1					1.30	2	0.954
46	3.6	5	1.013	4	1.93	4	1.31	2	1.21
48	1.4	5	1.060	4	9.40	0	1.10	0	2.60
52	2.2	5	0.595	0	1.96	3	1.19	3	1.35
53	2.7	3	1.019	4			1.28	3	1.003
55	3.5	2	1.090	3			1.24	4	0.920
56	2.0	4			1.67	4	1.08	0	1.000
57	1.4	5	1.000	4	9.10	0	0.90	0	0.470
58	0.0	5	0.550	0	2.59	0	0.67	0	
59	3.2	5	1.020	4	1.60	3	1.23	4	1.20
60	3.6	5	1.115	3	1.82	4	1.29	3	1.24
64	3.5	4	1.060	4			1.19	3	1.27
68	2.8	4	1.040	4	1.62	3	1.27	3	1.14
69	2.0	1					1.30	2	0.870
70	3.0	5	1.010	4	1.84	4	1.17	2	1.33
75	3.5	4	1.080	4			1.20	3	1.18
76	3.5	2	0.997	4			1.19	3	
80	1.0	3	0.400	0			1.05	0	0.960
83	3.0	3					1.34	1	1.21
84	1.0	3	0.830	0			1.17	2	0.908
85	3.2	5	1.070	4	2.00	3	1.22	4	1.17
86	2.3	4	1.130	3			1.27	3	1.27
87	2.8	5	0.990	3	1.73	4	1.22	4	1.51
89	3.2	5	1.100	3	1.91	4	1.27	3	1.20
90	2.6	5	1.070	4	1.67	4	1.30	2	1.30
91	2.0	5	0.940	2	1.85	4	1.16	2	1.30
92	2.0	4	1.320	0			1.30	2	1.31
93	4.0	1	1.040	4				2	0.919
94	4.0	4	1.050	4	1.73	4	1.22	4	1.24
96	3.2	5	0.972	3	1.77	4	1.29	2	1.26
97	4.0	5	1.020	4	1.73	4	1.25	4	1.21
100	2.7	3	1.000	4	2.73	0	1.24	4	
102	1.4	5	1.580	0	1.78	4	1.08	0	0.720
104	4.0	4			1.78	4	1.22	4	0.919
105	3.6	5	1.100	3	1.87	4	1.28	3	1.24
107	1.8	4	1.150	2			1.34	1	1.35
108	0.4	5	8.000	0	4.41	0	1.37	0	1.10
111	3.8	4	1.030	4			1.23	4	1.27
114	2.7	3	0.970	3			1.21	4	1.12

Table 8. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)
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Lab	OLR	V/5	Analyte = NH3 as N (Ammonia)		NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)		NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate+Nitrite)		total P as P (total Phosphorus)		PO4 as P (Orthophosphate as P)		
			MPV =	1.04 mg/L		1.81 mg/L		1.23 mg/L		1.23 mg/L		0.920 mg/L	
			F-pseudosigma =	0.09		0.30		0.06		0.06		0.045	
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
118	2.6	5	1.170	2	2.10	3	1.17	2	1.30	2	0.920	4	
119	3.4	5	0.970	3	1.70	4	1.16	2	1.22	4	0.910	4	
127	3.2	5	1.540	0	1.80	4	1.24	4	1.25	4	0.916	4	
128	3.0	5	1.010	4	1.77	4	1.07	0	1.20	3	0.920	4	
129	2.8	5	1.109	3	2.00	3	1.24	4	1.20	3	0.850	1	
132	1.3	4	0.770	0			1.09	0	1.29	3	0.980	2	
133	2.2	5	0.565	0	0.93	0	1.24	4	1.20	3	0.910	4	
134	3.2	5	1.100	3	1.80	4	1.30	2	1.20	3	0.920	4	
138	3.8	5	1.060	4	1.79	4	1.22	4	1.19	3	0.919	4	
140	3.0	5	1.050	4	1.81	4	1.24	4	1.43	0	0.960	3	
141	3.0	5	1.060	4	0.94	0	1.21	4	1.22	4	0.890	3	
142	1.8	5	0.978	3	1.89	4	1.31	2	1.54	0	1.060	0	
143	3.2	5	1.030	4	1.50	2	1.15	2	1.23	4	0.926	4	
145	2.6	5	1.060	4	1.72	4	1.08	0	1.16	2	0.960	3	
146	1.7	3	0.114	0			1.12	1			0.936	4	
149	2.0	3	0.940	2			1.25	4	1.08	0			
151	2.5	4	1.040	4			1.27	3	1.32	2	1.000	1	
154	3.0	5	1.070	4	1.68	4	1.24	4	1.14	1	0.863	2	
180	3.2	5	1.070	4	1.58	3	1.26	3	1.32	2	0.899	4	
182	1.7	3	0.880	1					1.26	4	3.350	0	
185	1.8	4			3.23	0	1.24	4	1.09	0	0.957	3	
190	3.2	5	1.000	4	2.27	1	1.22	4	1.27	3	0.932	4	
191	3.0	3					1.21	4	1.17	2	0.879	3	
193	1.0	2					1.31	2			1.300	0	
194	2.5	4	1.260	0	1.65	3	1.19	3	1.21	4			
197	4.0	2	1.020	4			1.22	4					
198	2.8	5	0.900	1	1.75	4	1.20	3	1.16	2	0.930	4	
203	1.4	5	0.506	0	1.91	4	1.17	3	1.07	0	0.578	0	
204	1.0	1	1.182	1									
209	2.3	3	1.050	4	1.58	3	1.42	0					
210	2.8	5	1.100	3	2.10	3	1.20	3	1.20	3	0.968	2	
212	2.8	5	1.100	3	1.50	2	1.30	2	1.20	3	0.930	4	
215	3.0	4	1.120	3			1.22	4	1.24	4	1.010	1	
221	3.0	5	1.040	4	1.79	4	1.46	0	1.20	3	0.900	4	
224	2.0	5	0.950	3	2.85	0	2.17	0	1.23	4	0.960	3	
226	1.8	4	1.034	4	2.56	0	1.26	3	1.72	0			
227	2.5	2							1.20	3	0.972	2	
231	3.4	5	0.960	3	1.75	4	1.21	4	1.17	2	0.900	4	
234	2.0	4	1.100	3			1.20	3	0.98	0	0.867	2	
237	1.5	2	0.590	0			1.20	3					
240	0.2	5	2.700	0	5.10	0	1.07	0	0.12	0	0.840	1	
241	2.4	5	0.970	3	3.80	0	1.19	3	1.26	4	0.864	2	

Table 9. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)

(MPV,most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for for all reported values; V/11, number of reported values of 11 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Lab	OLR	V/11	Analyte = Acidity as CaCO ₃			Ca (Calcium)			Cl (Chloride)			F (Fluoride)			K (Potassium)			Mg (Magnesium)			
			MPV =	Absolute Z-value		0.325 mg/L	Absolute Z-value		1.20 mg/L	Absolute Z-value		0.110 mg/L	Absolute Z-value		0.118 mg/L	Absolute Z-value		0.055 mg/L	Absolute Z-value		
				F-pseudosigma =	Rating		RV	Rating		RV	Rating		RV	Rating		RV	Rating		0.007	Rating	
1	2.8	11	1.00	0	0.330	4	1.19	4	0.120	3	0.120	4	0.120	3	0.120	4	0.054	4			
2	2.0	2																			
3	3.5	8	< 10	NR	0.311	4	1.34	3	0.113	4	< 0.1	NR	0.050	3							
7	3.3	4							1.03	3	< 0.5	NR									
11	2.0	10			0.310	3	0.46	0	0.111	4	0.110	3	0.046	2							
15	2.4	7	4.08	4	0.302	3	1.39	3	0.110	4	< 0.5	NR	< 0.1	NR	< 0.1	NR					
23	3.0	6			< 2	0	1.14	4	0.104	3											
25	2.1	9	5.00	3	0.200	0	1.30	3	0.090	1	< 1.21	NR	0.050	3							
26	3.0	9			0.340	3	1.14	4	0.140	0	0.100	1	0.056	4							
27	3.0	1																			
28	2.4	7	2.70	3	0.300	3	1.10	3										0.050	3		
33	3.6	9			0.320	4	1.20	4										0.050	3		
36	3.3	4	2.80	3	< 0.5	NR	< 5	NR	0.110	4	< 0.5	NR	< 0.5	NR	< 0.5	NR					
38	3.3	6			0.340	3												0.057	4		
39	2.2	9	3.75	4	0.295	2	2.00	0	0.130	1								0.059	4		
46	2.6	5							0.098	2	0.117	4									
48	1.3	9			0.270	1	2.00	0			0.070	0	0.010	0							
52	3.1	7			0.334	4	1.00	2	0.104	3	< 0.2	NR	0.060	3							
58	1.7	11	4.20	4	0.450	0	3.70	0	0.090	1	0.130	2	0.390	0							
59	3.4	5					1.30	3	0.120	3											
64	3.3	9			3.330	0	1.20	4			0.110	3	0.060	3							
81	1.3	10			0.277	1	0.40	0	0.090	1	< 0.092	0	0.043	1							
89	2.7	11	3.75	4	0.304	3	1.40	2	0.092	1	0.107	3	0.049	3							
92	1.5	8	2.55	3	2.900	0					0.500	0	0.600	0							
93	3.0	5					1.19	4	0.140	0											
100	3.0	3					< 4	NR	0.126	2											
101	2.4	7			0.350	3	2.80	0			0.130	2	0.050	3							
102	0.4	7			0.200	0	1.30	3			0.080	0	0.040	0							
105	3.6	8	4.80	3	0.329	4	1.17	4	< 0.2	NR	< 0.5	NR	0.063	2							
107	1.8	4					< 1.5	NR	0.100	3											
110	3.3	4					1.10	3													
111	3.4	9			0.310	3	1.05	3			0.110	3	0.060	3							
132	1.0	4	0.01	0	0.445	0					0.413	0									
134	3.4	10			0.339	4	1.18	4	0.106	4	0.104	2	0.056	4							
136	1.9	8	5.70	2	0.260	0					0.120	4	0.090	0							
138	3.6	9			0.347	3	1.04	3	0.112	4	0.118	4	0.054	4							
140	1.8	10			0.325	4	1.36	3	0.121	3	0.093	0	0.062	3							
141	2.1	7	6.10	1	0.280	1	1.69	0	0.114	4	< 0.2	NR	< 0.1	NR							
143	3.8	4					1.17	4													
145	3.0	11	3.40	4	0.300	3	1.24	4	0.110	4	0.140	1	0.050	3							
146	1.7	3	< 10	NR	< 0.5	NR	1.46	2	< 0.2	NR	< 1	NR	< 0.5	NR							
180	2.6	8			0.330	4	1.07	3	0.110	4	< 1.14	NR	0.070	1							
183	1.0	3					14.20	0													
185	0.0	1																			
190	2.5	10			0.230	0	1.13	4	0.113	4	0.120	4	0.055	4							
194	2.5	2			< 5	NR					< 0.5	NR	< 1	NR							
196	3.0	9			0.370	1	1.24	4	0.109	4	0.120	4	0.058	4							
203	1.7	3					1.60	0													
204	3.0	1																			
209	3.4	7			0.330	4	1.25	4			0.100	1	0.050	3							
215	1.1	10	3.00	3	0.580	0	4.00	0	0.110	4	< 1	NR	0.080	0							
221	2.7	6			0.312	4					0.118	4	0.052	4							
224	3.0	11	3.75	4	0.339	4	1.18	4	0.051	0	0.122	4	0.058	4							

Table 9. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)

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Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Na (Sodium)			pH		PO4 as P		SO4 (Sulfate)		Specific Conductance		
MPV =	0.246 mg/L	F-pseudosigma = 0.025	4.73	0.13	0.028 mg/L	0.003	0.338 mg/L	0.508	13.3	μS/cm	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
1	0.267	3	4.92	2	0.190	0	0.320	4	12.1	3	
2			4.52	1					12.4	3	
3	0.250	4	4.72	4	0.030	3	< 1	NR	14.6	3	
7			4.83	3	< 0.16	NR	0.650	3	13.8	4	
11	0.260	3	4.46	1	0.040	0	1.650	0	12.8	4	
15	< 0.5	NR	5.90	0	0.038	0	< 0.5	NR	14.8	3	
23	< 0.5	NR	4.78	4	0.030	3	< 2.5	NR	12.6	4	
25	0.245	4	4.78	4	0.009	0	< 5	NR	16.0	1	
26	0.230	3	4.77	4	< 0.1	NR	0.330	4	13.8	4	
27									14.3	3	
28			4.90	2	0.030	3			660	0	
33	0.240	4	4.72	4	0.030	3	0.300	4	14.4	3	
36	< 0.5	NR	4.60	3	< 0.025	NR	< 5	NR	11.8	3	
38	0.230	3			0.028	4			13.3	4	
39	0.244	4	4.80	3	0.022	1			10.4	1	
46			5.00	1	0.026	3			14.3	3	
48	0.250	4	5.20	0	0.031	3	2.000	0	12.5	4	
52	< 0.3	NR	4.70	4	0.026	3	< 10	NR	12.0	3	
58	0.200	1	4.69	4	0.030	3	5.350	0	13.7	4	
59			4.65	3	< 0.05	NR	0.310	4	12.6	4	
64	0.240	4	4.73	4	0.028	4	0.320	4	13.1	4	
81	0.151	0	4.70	4	0.030	3	5.100	0	12.0	3	
89	0.243	4	4.50	1	0.030	3	0.320	4	11.2	2	
92	1.000	0	4.88	2	0.026	3	0.160	4			
93			4.70	4			0.780	3	13.0	4	
100			4.79	4			< 7	NR	12.0	3	
101	0.270	3	4.54	2					13.0	4	
102	0.100	0			0.015	0	2.000	0			
105	0.246	4	4.73	4	0.027	4	< 1	NR	12.8	4	
107			7.81	0	0.033	2			14.9	2	
110			4.72	4					15.0	2	
111	0.250	4	4.85	3	0.027	4	0.300	4	13.6	4	
132			4.74	4							
134	0.274	2	4.75	4	0.030	3	0.348	4	14.2	3	
136	0.230	3	4.40	0	0.030	3			14.4	3	
138	0.252	4	4.61	3	0.026	3	0.280	4			
140	0.340	0	4.38	0	0.015	0	1.000	2	14.6	3	
141	0.260	3	4.90	2	< 0.05	NR	< 10	NR	13.2	4	
143			4.72	4	0.028	4			12.0	3	
145	0.220	2	4.70	4	0.040	0	0.240	4	14.0	4	
146	< 0.5	NR	3.54	0	< 0.05	NR	< 5	NR	14.3	3	
180	0.271	2	4.70	4	0.025	3	< 2.5	NR	10.0	0	
183							1.600	0	12.0	3	
185					0.019	0					
190	0.290	1	4.48	1	0.002	0	0.315	4	14.2	3	
194	< 5	NR	4.87	2	< 0.1	NR	< 10	NR	12.3	3	
196	0.270	3			0.030	3	0.332	4	40.9	0	
203			4.76	4			< 2.5	NR	10.2	1	
204					0.031	3					
209	0.240	4	4.74	4			0.340	4			
215	0.640	0	4.90	2	0.020	0	1.000	2	24.4	0	
221	0.200	1	4.80	3	0.005	0					
224	0.241	4	4.07	0	0.026	3	0.401	4	15.0	2	

Table 10. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample Hg-20 (mercury)

(MPV,most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; Lab, laboratory number;
V/1 number of reported values of 1 value; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Hg (Mercury)

MPV = 4.42 μ g/L

Lab	V/1	RV	Rating
1		4.62	3
3		4.33	4
11		4.40	4
13		4.68	3
15		4.40	4
16		4.00	2
18		4.40	4
24		5.10	1
32		4.17	3
34		4.50	4
36		3.78	1
39		4.10	3
42		3.93	2
45		5.14	1
46		4.31	4
48		6.35	0
50		4.80	2
52		4.60	4
55		4.33	4
58		3.30	0
69		4.37	4
70		4.82	2
75		4.25	4
76		4.38	4
81		3.90	2
86		3.54	0
87		3.40	0
89		4.50	4
92		4.76	3
96		4.42	4
97		4.77	3
100		4.47	4
105		4.35	4
108		4.83	2
109		4.02	2
111		4.12	3
114		1.00	0
118		4.60	4
127		4.87	2
128		4.50	4
133		4.70	3
134		4.62	3
138		3.90	2
141		4.55	4
142		4.40	4
145		4.60	4
146		4.45	4
149		4.70	3
180		5.78	0
182		5.50	0
194		4.50	4
198		3.70	1
203		4.25	4
213		4.60	4
215		6.00	0
219		3.90	2
221		4.10	3
231		4.40	4
234		4.43	4
235		6.00	0
241		4.26	4

Table 11. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/g, micrograms per gram; mg/g, milligrams per gram; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value		Rating	Absolute Z-value													
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00													
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00													
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)														
Analyte = Ag (Silver)	MPV = 0.72	μg/g	Al (Aluminium)	4227	μg/g	As (Arsenic)	216	μg/g	B (Boron)	9.90	μg/g	Ba (Barium)	110	μg/g	Be (Beryllium)	0.305	μg/g
F-pseudosigma = 0.25				979			20			11.82			14		0.096		
Lab	OLR	V/26	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	
1	2.1	22	0.89	3	4771	3	235	3	< 0.27	NR	126	2	< 1	NR			
3	2.8	24	0.60	4	2760	2	205	3	< 0.6	NR	90	2	0.280	4			
13	3.4	19	< 1.0	NR	5300	2	200	3			120	3					
15	3.6	25	0.80	4	4430	4	232	3	4.03	4	119	3	0.300	4			
18	3.0	24	0.50	3	2920	2	207	4	4.60	4	98	3	0.200	2			
23	2.2	12	0.90	3	5540	2											
28	1.0	18			1790	0			19.60	3	75	0					
30	3.6	7					217	4									
32	1.3	24	0.72	4	7590	0	294	0	4.70	4	153	0	< 0.2	NR			
48	3.0	23	0.60	4	4552	4	223	4	11.40	4	122	3	0.400	3			
52	3.2	21	< 1.0	NR	3200	2	220	4	5.00	4	100	3	0.269	4			
58	2.3	17	0.50	3	4900	3	163	0					0.400	3			
68	2.9	13			4250	4			28.00	1							
69	2.3	3															
81	3.0	21	0.47	3	3710	3	211	4			111	4	0.157	1			
100	2.5	26	1.02	2	4118	4	235	3	34.70	0	100	3	30.100	0			
105	2.9	21	0.78	4	3900	4	198	3			120	3	< 0.6	NR			
121	3.1	17			5380	2			22.00	2	104	4					
127	3.4	25	0.37	2	3920	4	240	2	3.43	3	112	4	0.271	4			
132	2.8	14			4204	4											
140	3.4	12															
141	2.9	19	< 2.5	NR	3450	3	204	3	6270	0	105	4	< 0.5	NR			
146	3.7	22	0.71	4	4270	4	217	4			119	3	0.400	3			
154	1.8	5			4700	4	240	2									
194	2.7	14	< 10.0	NR	2330	1	224	4	7.20	4	92	2	< 10	NR			
210	2.3	24			5640	2	163	0	7.37	4	108	4	0.318	4			
212	2.9	24	< 7.5	NR	2540	1	211	4	9.20	4	93	2	0.300	4			
215	3.2	23	2.31	0	3660	3	207	4	10.60	4	115	4	0.310	4			
235	3.5	23	1.00	2	4540	4	215	4	14.40	4	110	4	0.500	1			

Table 11. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/g, micrograms per gram; mg/g, milligrams per gram; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Ca (Calcium)	Cd (Cadmium)	Co (Cobalt)	Cr (Chromium)	Cu (Copper)	Fe (Iron)	K (Potassium)
MPV =	mg/g	µg/g	µg/g	µg/g	µg/g	mg/g
F-pseudosigma =	8.18 0.64	158 16	3.40 0.54	11.70 3.20	56.9 25.6	10800 3050
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	9.71	0	171	3	7.10	0
3	7.75	3	159	4	3.40	4
13	8.60	3	140	2	3.30	4
15	8.43	4	167	3	3.84	3
18	8.35	4	153	4	3.10	3
23			155	4	15.80	2
28	7.09	1	123	0	6.33	1
30			158	4	11.40	4
32	9.50	0	171	3	3.99	2
48	9.68	0	157	4	3.60	4
52	8.20	4	200	0	3.70	3
58	2.20	0	160	4		
68	8.60	3	150	4	16.00	2
69					12.00	4
81	7.29	2	164	4	4.00	3
81	7.29	2	150	4	2.99	3
100	7.81	3	190	0	11.70	4
105	7.81	3	143	3	5.77	0
121			143	3	3.97	2
127	8.65	3	133	1	3.00	3
132	9.33	1	170	3	12.50	4
140	8.61	3	181	2	3.34	4
141	7.74	3	160	4	10.70	4
146	8.13	4	148	3	4.88	3
154			147	3	< 5	NR
194	7.34	2	172	3	14.72	3
210	0.14	0	116	0	9.36	3
212	8.07	4	147	3	12.50	4
215	8.16	4	160	4	8.80	3
235	8.40	4	155	4	2.81	2
					9.06	3
					55.4	4
					59.7	4
					48.2	4
					42.3	3
					40.0	3
					51.7	4
					58.4	4
					59.7	4
					44000	2
					11200	4
					11150	4
					11200	4
					7390	2
					6490	2
					83.8	2
					7860	3
					10800	4
					11200	4
					14400	2
					1.72	3
					1.14	2
					1.23	2
					1.60	4

Table 11. -Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)

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(MPV, most probable value; ug/g, micrograms per gram; mg/g, milligrams per gram; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Li (Lithium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Mn (Manganese)	Mo (Molybdenum)	Na (Sodium)	Ni (Nickel)	Pb (Lead)
MPV =	ug/g,	mg/g	ug/g	g/g	ug/g	ug/g
F-pseudosigma = 0.98	3.82	0.24	257	0.290	6.68	309
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	5.30	1	1.96	4	285	1
3	3.80	4	1.52	1	224	< 0.6
13			1.90	4	270	3
15	4.46	3	2.16	2	268	3
18			1.62	2	246	3
23			0.94	0	292	< 6
28			1.41	1	190	< 0.5
30						
32	5.70	1	3.20	0	322	0
48			2.34	1	257	4
52			1.80	4	250	< 2.2
58			52.00	0	309	0
68			1.80	4	260	4
69						
81			1.85	4	245	< 0.692
100	3.31	3	1.92	4	266	4
105			1.93	4	251	4
121			1.96	4	245	3
127	3.82	4	1.97	4	273	3
132			2.74	0	295	0
140			2.10	3	257	4
141			1.83	4	238	2
146			2.05	3	259	4
154						
194	< 1000		1.50	1	253	4
210			1.77	3	237	2
212	2.00	1	1.47	1	249	< 10
215			1.87	4	243	3
235			2.10	3	270	3

Table 11. -*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)**--Continued*

(MPV, most probable value; ug/g, micrograms per gram; mg/g, milligrams per gram; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported value V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

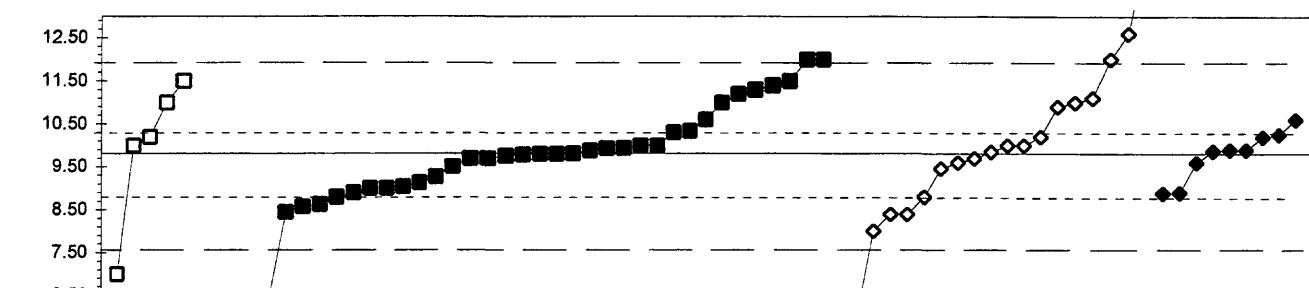
Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Sb (Antimony)			Se (Selenium)		SiO ₂ (Silica)		Sr (Strontium)		V (Vanadium)		Zn (Zinc)	
MPV =	9.28	μg/g	6.69	μg/g	5.71	mg/g	41.0	μg/g	14.4	μg/g	598	μg/g
F-pseudosigma =	3.12		5.41		4.16		5.2		5.0		47	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1			0.36	2	9.96	2	52.4	0	17.8	3	714	0
3	3.10	1	13.80	2	4.04	4	36.6	3	11.2	3	584	4
13	10.00	4	< 1	NR	9.40	3			14.5	4	630	3
15	9.98	4	< 25	NR	6.75	4	42.0	4	16.5	4	634	3
18	6.20	3	3.70	3			39.0	4	8.9	2	576	4
23			14.80	2							618	4
28					3.61	3	27.3	0	5.6	1	424	0
30							50.9	1			611	4
32	12.40	3	11.00	3					33.0	0	755	0
48	2.80	0	9.10	4					14.2	4	598	4
52	< 10	NR	3.50	3			40.0	4	11.0	3	560	3
58			9.50	3							43	0
68											600	4
69											7	0
81	8.50	4					41.1	4	14.3	4	538	2
100	14.10	1	0.51	2	8.00	3	34.7	2	13.8	4	622	3
105	11.60	3	11.60	3					23.5	1	588	4
121					7.53	4	41.0	4	16.0	4	520	1
127	7.84	4	0.83	2	5.71	4	45.7	3	11.8	3	645	3
132									20.9	2	604	4
140											628	3
141	10.10	4	3.79	3	0.0126	NR					547	2
146	8.58	4	9.37	4							619	4
154											729	0
194	< 100	NR	< 200	NR			36.9	3	< 50	NR	593	4
210	7.28	3	11.20	3	0.23	2	409.0	0	21.4	2	480	0
212	15.60	1	6.60	4	0.69	2	36.8	3	11.1	3	558	3
215	6.89	3	6.69	4	0.53	2					564	3
235	11.00	3	5.70	4			42.0	4	18.0	3	620	4

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)

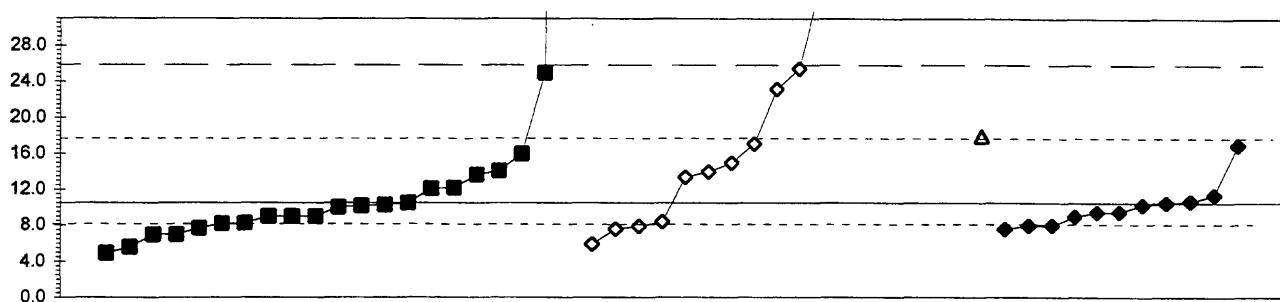
Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols					
<u>Analytical methods</u>					
0. Other/Not reported			=		
1. AA: direct, air			= atomic absorption: direct,air		
2. AA: direct, N ₂ O			= atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide		
3. AA: graphite furnace			= atomic absorption: graphite furnace		
4. ICP			= inductively coupled plasma		
5. DCP			= direct current plasma		
6. ICP/MS			= inductively coupled plasma/mass spectrometry		
10. AA: extraction			= atomic absorption: extraction [chelating agent(s) specified]		
11. AA: hydride			= atomic absorption: hydride [reducing agent specified]		
12. AA: flame emission			= atomic absorption: flame emission		
22. Color:			= colorimetric [color reagent specified]		
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>					
N =			number of samples		
St dev =			traditional standard deviation		
MPV =			most probable value		
F-pseudosigma =			nonparametric statistic deviation		
Hu =			upper hinge value		
HI =			lower hinge value		
μg/L =			micrograms per liter		
mg/L =			milligrams per liter		
Lab =			laboratory code number		
NR =			not rated, less than value reported		
< =			less than		
<u>Constituent</u>		<u>page</u>	<u>Constituent</u>		
Ag	Silver	39	Li	Lithium	52
Al	Aluminium	40	Mg	Magnesium	53
As	Arsenic	41	Mn	Manganese	54
B	Boron	42	Mo	Molybdenum	55
Ba	Barium	43	Na	Sodium	56
Be	Beryllium	44	Ni	Nickel	57
Ca	Calcium	45	Pb	Lead	58
Cd	Cadmium	46	Sb	Antimony	59
Co	Cobalt	47	Se	Selenium	60
Cr	Chromium	48	SiO ₂	Silica	61
Cu	Copper	49	Sr	Strontium	62
Fe	Iron	50	V	Vanadium	63
K	Potassium	51	Zn	Zinc	64

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Ag (Silver) $\mu\text{g/l}$



Lab	Rating	Z-value	6. ICP/MS		
			1	3	4
1. AA: direct air					
3	2	-1.34		8.40	
7	2	1.33	11.20		
13	0	2.09		12.00	
15	3	-0.65	9.13		
16	4	-0.20		9.60	
18	2	1.13		11.00	
24	1	1.61	11.50		
25	0		< 6		
26	2	-1.17	8.58		
30	4	0.37		10.20	
32	3	0.75		10.60	
36	0	-3.27	6.38		
40	4	0.18		10.00	
42	4	-0.20		9.60	
46	2	-1.30	8.45		
48	0	2.09	12.00		
50	3	-0.77	9.00		
52	2	-1.34		8.40	
55	4	-0.05	9.76		
58	3	-0.77	9.00		
59	4	0.09		9.90	
60	4	0.07	9.88		
68	1	1.52	11.40		
69	2	1.42	11.30		
70	4	0.11	9.93		
73	2	1.23		11.10	
75	4	-0.33		9.46	
76	3	0.75	10.60		
81	1	-1.73		8.00	
85	4	0.37	10.20		
86	4	-0.10		9.70	
87	2	1.13	11.00		
89	4	-0.01	9.80		
96	4	-0.02	9.79		
97	0	-3.29	6.36		
100	1	1.61	11.50		
102	3	-0.96		8.80	
103	0		< 5		
105	3	-0.87		8.90	
107	3	-0.51	9.27		
108	0	-3.44	6.20		
114	4	0.18	10.00		
118	3	-0.87	8.90		
119	4	-0.10	9.70		
127	2	-1.12	8.63		
128	4	0.06		9.87	
133	4	0.04		9.85	
134	4	0.18	10.00		
138	4	0.09		9.90	

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Al (Aluminum) $\mu\text{g/l}$

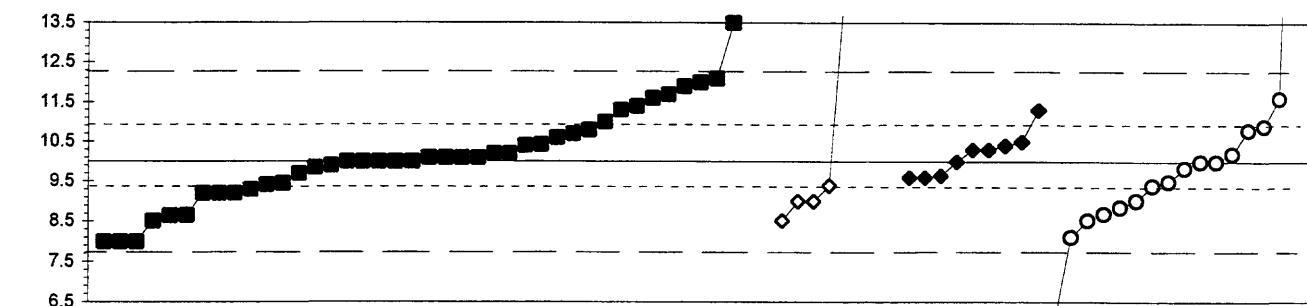


2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	5. DCP
3. AA: graphite furnace	6. ICP/MS
4. ICP	22. Colorimetric
N = 0	21 17 1 11 1
Minimum = 4.9	5.9 18.0 7.6 130.0
Maximum = 184.0	415.0 17.0
Median = 10.1	23.2 9.5
F-pseudosigma = 3.0	20.5 1.6

MPV = 10.5
 F-pseudosigma = 6.8
 N = 51
 Hu = 17.6
 HI = 8.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	2	3	4	5	6	22
1	4	0.13						11.4
3	0	4.76						43.0
7	1	1.86						23.2
13	4	-0.22						9.0
15	NR							< 50
16	NR							< 300
18	NR							< 50
23	4	-0.03						10.3
24	0	2.12						25.0
25	NR							< 19
28	0	6.60						55.6
30	4	0.00						10.5
32	4	-0.22						9.0
33	2	1.10						18.0
36	NR							< 100
42	4	0.03						10.7
48	4	0.23						12.1
50	3	-0.51						7.0
52	4	-0.42						7.6
58	0	25.39						184.0
59	NR							< 100
68	0	59.18						415.0
70	NR							< 100
73	4	0.42						13.4
75	NR							< 30
81	3	-0.51						7.0
83	3	0.66						15.0
85	NR							< 100
89	4	0.25						12.2
97	3	-0.72						5.6
100	NR							< 40
102	4	-0.38						7.9
103	NR							< 30
105	4	-0.03						10.3
107	4	-0.22						9.0
111	4	-0.04						10.2
119	4	0.00						10.5
121	0	4.32						40.0
127	4	-0.33						8.3
128	4	-0.42						7.6
132	0	4.46						41.0
134	4	-0.07						10.1
138	4	-0.15						9.5
141	3	0.51						14.0
142	4	-0.37						8.0
145	3	0.97						17.1
146	0	3.67						35.6
151	4	-0.22						9.0
154	4	-0.31						8.4
180	NR							< 36.5

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 As (Arsenic) $\mu\text{g/l}$



3. AA: graphite furnace				11. AA: hydride			
4. ICP				6. ICP/MS			
N = 42 8 9 16				MPV = 10.0			
Minimum = 8.0	8.5	9.6	6.0	F-pseudosigma = 1.1			
Maximum = 14.7	48.0	11.3	24.0	N = 75			
Median = 10.1	12.1	10.3	9.7	Hu = 10.9			
F-pseudosigma = 1.2	9.1	0.6	1.3	HI = 9.4			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	3	4	6	11
1	4	0.00	10.0			
3	4	0.00	10.0			
7	4	0.00	10.0			
13	3	-0.72	9.2			
15	2	-1.33	8.5			
16	NR	< 60				
18	2	1.44			11.6	
24	0	3.15	13.5			
25	NR		< 50			
26	3	-0.87			9.0	
28	3	-0.90		9.0		
30	2	1.17			11.3	
32	4	0.27			10.3	
34	3	0.72	10.8			
35	4	-0.14			9.8	
36	2	-1.21	8.7			
39	3	-0.54			9.4	
42	4	0.27			10.3	
45	4	-0.49	9.5			
46	4	-0.27	9.7			
48	3	0.63	10.7			
50	0	-3.60			6.0	
52	3	-0.90		9.0		
55	1	1.71	11.9			
58	0	12.59			24.0	
59	4	0.00			10.0	
60	1	1.89	12.1			
68	1	-1.80	8.0			
69	4	0.18	10.2			
70	3	-0.52	9.4			
75	2	-1.03			8.9	
76	2	1.26	11.4			
80	3	0.90	11.0			
81	1	1.80	12.0			
85	4	-0.45			9.5	
86	1	-1.69			8.1	
87	4	0.18			10.2	
89	3	0.72			10.8	
96	4	0.09	10.1			
97	4	0.09	10.1			
100	2	-1.21	8.7			
102	0	10.79		22.0		
103	NR		< 10			
105	4	0.36			10.4	
108	1	-1.80	8.0			
109	4	0.39	10.4			
118	0	4.23	14.7			
119	4	0.00			10.0	
126	3	0.81			10.9	
127	4	0.36	10.4			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	3	4	6	11
128	4	-0.36			9.6	
133	4	0.09	10.1			
134	4	0.00				10.0
138	3	-0.72		9.2		
141	NR				< 50	
142	4	-0.32			9.6	
145	0	4.23			14.7	
146	2	-1.33			8.5	
151	2	-1.17				8.7
154	4	0.09	10.1			
180	NR				< 33.4	
182	2	-1.31				8.5
190	4	0.00	10.0			
193	1	-1.80	8.0			
194	4	0.00	10.0			
196	4	0.45				10.5
198	2	1.44	11.6			
203	3	-0.63	9.3			
210	0	9.44			20.5	
212	4	-0.09	9.9			
213	1	1.53	11.7			
215	0	3.60	14.0			
219	4	-0.36				9.6
221	4	-0.13	9.9			
224	3	-0.54			9.4	
231	3	0.54	10.6			
234	4	0.18	10.2			
235	2	1.17	11.3			
236	0	34.17			48.0	
241	3	-0.72	9.2			

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
B (Boron)

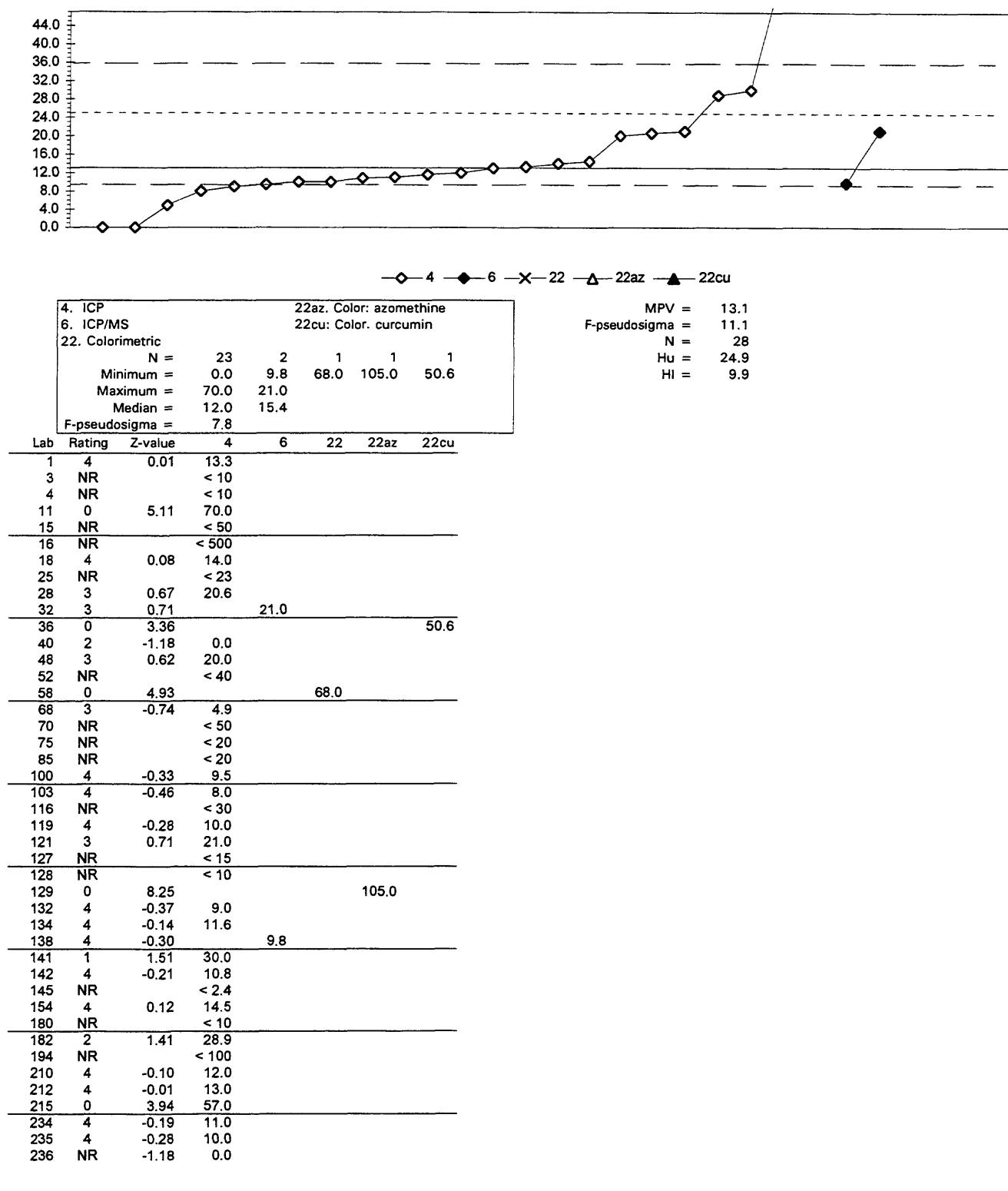
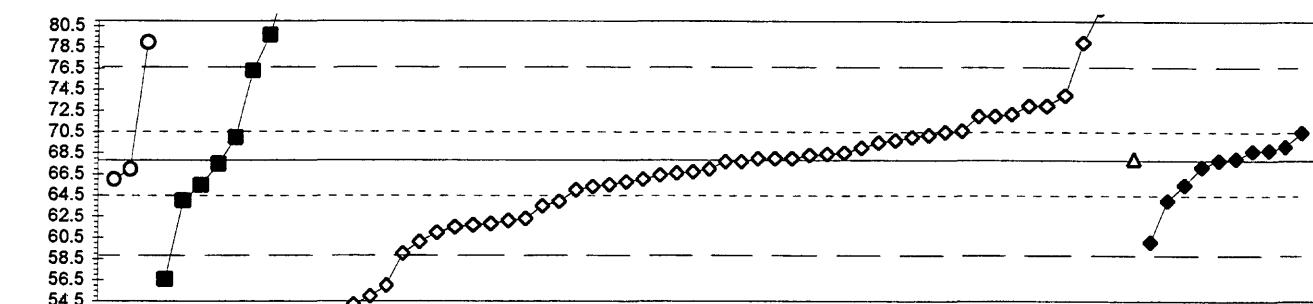
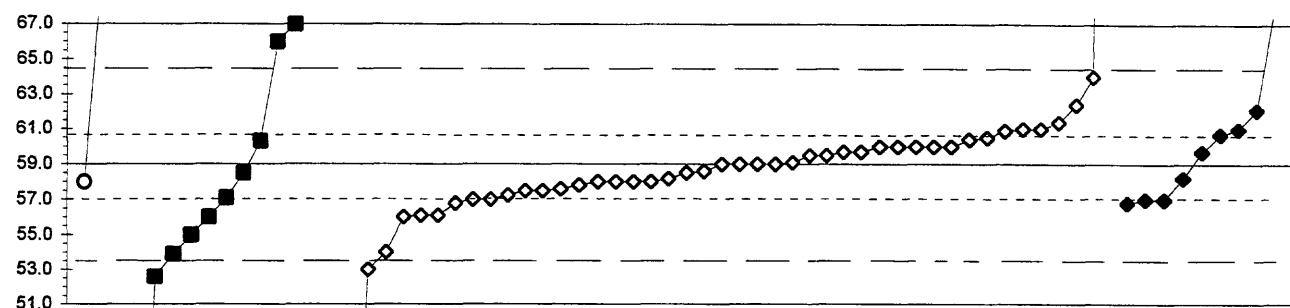


Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Ba (Barium) µg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	2	3	4	5	6
			142	145	146	149	154
1	3	0.65	70.6				69.2
3	3	-0.53	65.5				66.7
4	0	16.65	140.0				66.6
7	3	0.55	70.2				70.4
11	2	1.43	74.0				64.5
13	3	0.97	72.0				
15	4	0.39	69.5				
16	3	0.51	70.0				
18	4	0.28	69.0				
24	4	0.44	69.7				
25	2	-1.41	61.7				
28	4	-0.02	67.7				
30	4	0.23		68.8			
32	4	0.21		68.7			
33	4	0.05		68.0			
36	4	-0.42	66.0				
39	1	-1.78		60.1			
40	4	0.05		68.0			
42	3	-0.53			65.5		
46	4	0.14		68.4			
48	0	4.01	85.2				
52	4	0.05		68.0			
55	0	-2.72		56.0			
59	4	0.05			68.0		
68	2	-1.45		61.5			
69	0	7.08	98.5				
70	3	-0.58		65.3			
75	2	-1.27		62.3			
81	0	-2.95		55.0			
83	3	-0.90		63.9			
85	3	0.62		70.5			
86	4	0.16		68.5			
87	4	-0.18	67.0				
89	3	-0.53		65.5			
90	0	37.40	230.0				
96	0	2.58	79.0				
97	0	-2.58		56.6			
100	2	-1.38			61.8		
102	1	-2.03			59.0		
103	1	-1.57			61.0		
105	4	-0.14			67.2		
116	3	0.97			72.0		
119	2	1.20			73.0		
121	4	0.05			68.0		
127	4	-0.32			66.4		
128	1	-1.78			60.1		
133	4	0.12			68.3		
134	4	-0.47			65.8		
138	3	0.62			70.5		
141	2	1.20			73.0		

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Be (Beryllium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



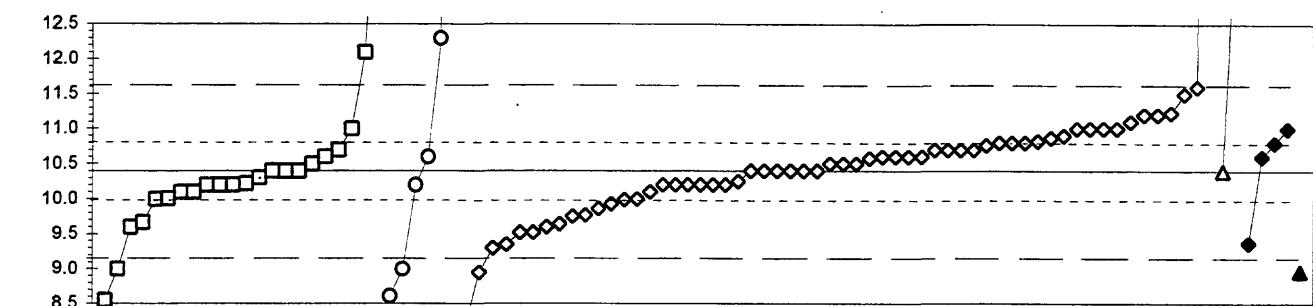
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	
4. ICP	
N =	3 12 44 9
Minimum =	58.0 22.0 31.0 56.8
Maximum =	78.8 675.0 119.0 68.0
Median =	70.4 57.8 59.0 59.7
F-pseudosigma =	8.9 1.9 3.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	2	3	4	6
1	3	-0.67			57.2	
3	3	-0.76			57.0	
4	0	22.80			119.0	
7	3	-0.57			57.5	
11	4	0.38			60.0	
13	4	0.38			60.0	
15	4	0.27			59.7	
16	4	-0.38			58.0	
18	4	0.00			59.0	
24	0	2.66		66.0		
25	4	0.19			59.5	
28	0	4.33	70.4			
30	2	1.18			62.1	
32	0	3.42			68.0	
36	0	7.52	78.8			
39	4	-0.46			57.8	
40	4	0.38			60.0	
42	4	0.27			59.7	
46	3	0.91			61.4	
48	4	0.38			60.0	
50	1	-1.52		55.0		
52	4	-0.38			58.0	
55	3	0.53			60.4	
58	2	-1.14		56.0		
59	3	0.76			61.0	
60	3	-0.72		57.1		
68	0	-2.28			53.0	
69	4	0.49		60.3		
70	4	-0.38			58.0	
75	3	-0.84			56.8	
76	3	0.65			60.7	
81	1	-1.90			54.0	
83	2	-1.10			56.1	
85	4	0.00			59.0	
86	4	-0.15			58.6	
89	0	4.10		69.8		
97	0	-2.43		52.6		
100	3	0.57			60.5	
102	4	0.00			59.0	
103	3	-0.76			57.0	
105	3	-0.76			57.0	
114	4	-0.38	58.0			
119	1	-1.94	53.9			
127	3	-0.57			57.5	
128	4	-0.30			58.2	
133	1	1.90			64.0	
134	3	-0.54			57.6	
138	4	0.00			59.0	
141	3	0.76			61.0	
142	4	-0.32			58.2	

MPV = 59.0
F-pseudosigma = 2.6
N = 68
Hu = 60.6
Hi = 57.1

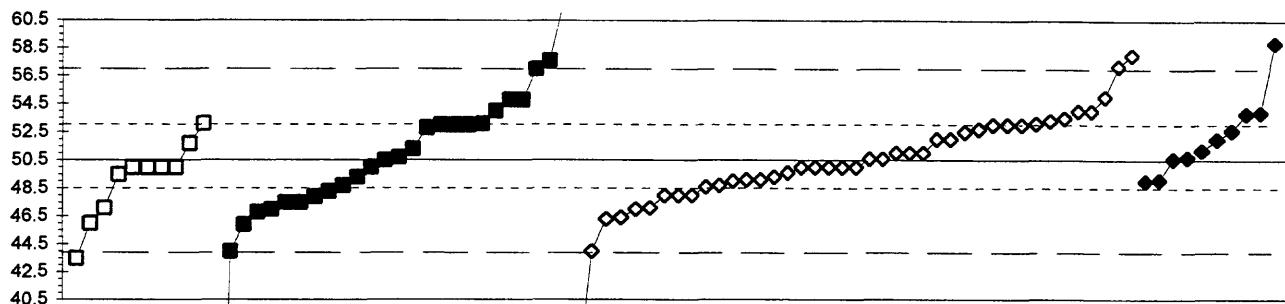
Lab	Rating	Z-value	2	3	4	6
145	4	0.04			59.1	
146	4	-0.19			58.5	
154	4	0.38			60.0	
180	3	0.72			60.9	
182	0	-10.63			31.0	
194	0	234.08	675.0			
196	3	-0.84				56.8
198	2	1.29			62.4	
210	4	0.19			59.5	
212	3	0.76			61.0	
213	0	3.04	67.0			
215	2	-1.14			56.0	
219	3	-0.76				57.0
224	2	-1.10			56.1	
234	4	0.27			59.7	
235	4	-0.19			58.5	
236	4	-0.38			58.0	
241	0	-14.06	22.0			

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Ca (Calcium)
 mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	4	5	6	7	Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	4	5	6	7
1	3	0.72			10.8				107	2	-1.25	9.7					
3	4	-0.34			10.2				109	3	-0.67	10.0					
4	0	20.32			22.3				111	0	3.24		12.3				
7	4	0.00			10.4				114	0	-2.39		9.0				
11	1	-1.79			9.4				116	3	-0.51			10.1			
13	1	1.88			11.5				119	2	1.02			11.0			
15	3	0.68			10.8				121	4	-0.34			10.2			
16	4	-0.34			10.2				127	4	0.00			10.4			
18	4	0.34			10.6				128	4	0.00			10.4			
19	3	0.68			10.8				129	0	7.85	15.0					
23	0	-3.16	8.6						132	2	1.41			11.2			
24	4	-0.34			10.2				133	3	-0.80			9.9			
25	2	-1.30			9.6				134	3	0.68			10.8			
26	4	0.34			10.6				138	3	0.85			10.9			
27	0	5.98			13.9				140	4	0.00	10.4					
28	4	0.17			10.5				141	4	0.34			10.6			
30	4	0.34		10.6					142	3	0.61			10.8			
32	3	0.68				10.8			145	4	0.31			10.6			
33	4	0.00				10.4			146	2	-1.11			9.8			
36	0	-3.06		8.6					151	4	0.00	10.4					
39	2	-1.37			9.6				154	4	0.17			10.5			
40	4	-0.34			10.2				180	2	1.37			11.2			
42	4	0.34			10.6				182	4	-0.26			10.3			
43	3	-0.68			10.0				190	0	-2.44						9.0
46	3	0.51			10.7				191	1	-1.76						
48	2	1.02			11.0				193	4	-0.34	10.2					
52	2	1.02			11.0				194	2	-1.50			9.5			
54	2	1.02	11.0						196	0	2.90	12.1					
55	3	0.51			10.7				198	2	1.37			11.2			
58	2	-1.37	9.6						203	4	-0.31	10.2					
59	4	0.00			10.4				204	3	-0.92			9.9			
64	4	0.17	10.5						209	3	0.51			10.7			
68	0	-2.48			9.0				210	2	-1.08			9.8			
69	4	0.00	10.4						212	0	2.05			11.6			
70	2	1.20			11.1				215	4	0.00			10.4			
75	3	-0.51	10.1						219	2	1.02			11.0			
81	2	-1.50			9.5				221	4	-0.17	10.3					
83	4	-0.34			10.2				224	3	0.80			10.9			
84	3	-0.68	10.0						231	4	0.34	10.6					
85	4	-0.34	10.2						234	4	0.17			10.5			
86	3	0.51			10.7				235	4	0.00			10.4			
87	0	33.47		30.0					236	3	-0.70			10.0			
89	3	-0.51	10.1						241	4	-0.34	10.2					
92	0	-2.39	9.0														
97	4	-0.34	10.2														
100	2	1.02			11.0												
101	3	0.51	10.7														
102	0	-3.76			8.2												
103	1	-1.88			9.3												
105	4	0.34			10.6												

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Cd (Cadmium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS			
3. AA: graphite furnace					
4. ICP					
N =	10	26	41	10	
Minimum =	43.5	11.4	33.6	49.0	
Maximum =	53.1	62.0	58.0	58.9	
Median =	50.0	50.6	50.0	51.6	
F-pseudosigma =	2.1	4.2	3.2	2.4	

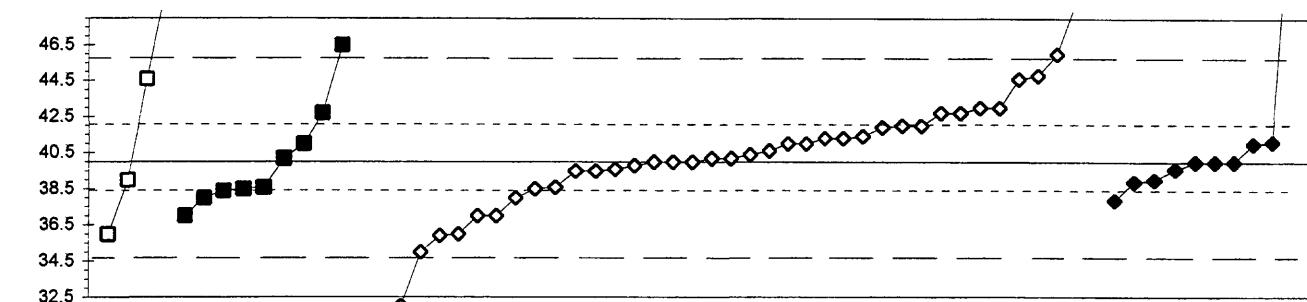
Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6
1	4	-0.43			49.1	
3	3	-0.59			48.6	
7	1	2.02		57.0		
11	4	-0.16			50.0	
13	3	0.78			53.0	
15	4	0.25		51.3		
16	3	0.78			53.0	
18	3	0.78			53.0	
19	2	1.40			55.0	
24	3	-0.78			48.0	
25	4	0.16			51.0	
26	4	0.16			51.0	
28	4	-0.43			49.1	
30	2	1.02			53.8	
32	2	1.05			53.9	
36	2	-1.05	47.1			
39	2	-1.05			47.1	
40	4	0.47			52.0	
42	4	0.03			50.6	
45	0	-12.13		11.4		
46	2	-1.43			45.9	
48	2	1.09			54.0	
50	3	0.78			53.0	
52	4	-0.16			50.0	
55	2	-1.27			46.4	
58	3	0.78			53.0	
59	4	0.47			52.0	
60	2	1.33			54.8	
68	0	-2.02			44.0	
69	3	-0.68		48.3		
70	4	-0.16			50.0	
73	3	0.93			53.5	
75	4	0.03			50.6	
76	3	0.71		52.8		
80	2	-1.40	46.0			
81	4	-0.16			50.0	
83	4	-0.43			49.1	
85	3	0.81	53.1			
86	4	-0.37			49.3	
87	4	-0.16	50.0			
89	3	-0.81			47.9	
92	4	-0.16	50.0			
96	2	-1.15			46.8	
97	3	0.81			53.1	
100	4	0.37	51.7			
102	3	-0.78			48.0	
103	4	-0.47			49.0	
105	4	-0.47				
114	4	-0.16	50.0			
118	2	1.09			54.0	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6
119	4	-0.37		49.3		
121	3	-0.78			48.0	
126	0	3.57			62.0	
127	3	0.81				53.1
128	4	0.22				51.2
132	2	-1.09			47.0	
133	3	0.87				53.3
134	4	0.06			50.7	
138	4	0.03				50.6
140	4	-0.16	50.0			
141	2	1.09				54.0
142	3	0.65				52.6
145	3	0.68				52.7
146	3	-0.56				48.7
149	1	-2.02			44.0	
151	4	-0.16			50.0	
154	4	-0.16				50.0
180	0	2.08				57.2
182	0	-5.23				33.6
190	0	2.20			57.6	
191	0	2.60				58.9
193	3	-0.93			47.5	
194	3	-0.93			47.5	
196	4	0.06				50.7
198	3	-0.56			48.7	
203	0	-2.17	43.5			
210	3	0.62				52.5
212	0	2.33				58.0
213	4	-0.31	49.5			
215	4	0.47				52.0
221	4	0.00			50.5	
224	2	-1.30				46.3
231	2	1.33			54.8	
234	4	-0.28				49.6
235	2	-1.09			47.0	
236	4	0.16				51.0
241	3	0.78			53.0	

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued

Co (Cobalt)

µg/l



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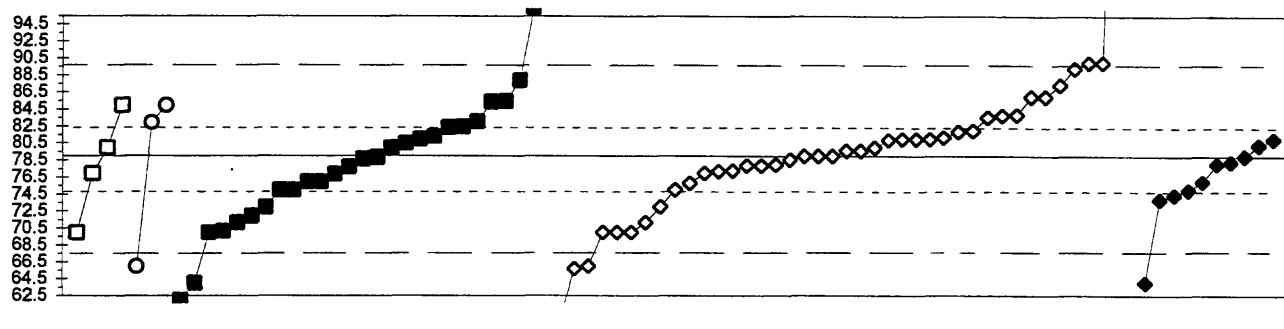
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS			
3. AA: graphite furnace				
4. ICP				
N =	4	9	39	10
Minimum =	36.0	37.0	20.5	37.9
Maximum =	50.0	46.5	62.0	56.0
Median =	41.8	38.6	40.2	40.0
F-pseudosigma =	1.9	2.6	1.5	

MPV = 40.0
F-pseudosigma = 2.6
N = 62
Hu = 42.0
HI = 38.5

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6
1	4	-0.15			39.6	
3	4	0.39		41.0		
4	0	8.48		62.0		
7	4	-0.08		39.8		
11	4	0.00		40.0		
13	3	0.77		42.0		
15	2	1.04		42.7		
16	3	-0.58		38.5		
18	3	0.77		42.0		
24	4	0.08		40.2		
25	0	-3.08		32.0		
30	4	0.39			41.0	
32	4	-0.39			39.0	
36	1	1.77	44.6			
39	4	-0.19		39.5		
40	2	1.16		43.0		
42	4	0.00			40.0	
46	2	1.16		43.0		
48	NR			< 50		
50	2	-1.16		37.0		
52	4	0.39			41.0	
55	3	-0.58		38.5		
59	4	0.00			40.0	
68	0	-7.52		20.5		
70	4	0.15		40.4		
75	4	0.23		40.6		
81	2	-1.16		37.0		
85	1	1.85		44.8		
86	4	0.50		41.3		
89	0	2.51		46.5		
92	1	-1.54	36.0			
97	3	-0.62		38.4		
100	0	3.85	50.0			
102	3	-0.77		38.0		
103	2	-1.16		37.0		
105	4	-0.42			38.9	
121	1	-1.93		35.0		
127	3	0.73		41.9		
128	4	0.50		41.3		
132	4	0.00		40.0		
134	4	0.08		40.2		
138	4	0.08		40.2		
141	4	0.00		40.0		
142	3	-0.82			37.9	
145	2	1.04		42.7		
146	3	-0.54			38.6	
154	4	-0.15			39.6	
180	1	1.77		44.6		
182	0	-6.41		23.4		
191	4	0.00			40.0	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6
193	4	-0.39	39.0			
194	4	0.39		41.0		
196	4	0.42				41.1
210	4	-0.19			39.5	
212	0	2.31			46.0	
213	3	-0.54		38.6		
215	1	-1.54			36.0	
219	0	6.17				56.0
221	2	1.04			42.7	
224	1	-1.58			35.9	
234	3	0.54				41.4
235	3	-0.77			38.0	
236	0	3.47				49.0

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Cr (Chromium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



1. AA: direct air	4. ICP			
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS			
3. AA: graphite furnace				
N = 4 3 27 41 10				
Minimum = 70.0	66.0	62.0	60.0	64.0
Maximum = 85.0	85.0	170.0	197.8	81.0
Median = 78.5	83.0	78.7	79.6	77.1
F-pseudosigma =	6.3	4.9	3.4	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.35			80.9		
3	4	0.36			81.0		
4	0	10.94			139.0		
7	3	0.84			83.6		
11	1	2.01			90.0		
13	2	1.28			86.0		
15	3	0.55			82.0		
16	1	-1.64			70.0		
18	4	0.00			79.0		
19	2	1.28			86.0		
24	3	-0.58			75.8		
25	0	-2.37			66.0		
26	4	0.40			81.2		
28	0	21.66			197.8		
30	4	0.24			80.3		
32	3	-0.73			75.0		
36	0	-2.37	66.0				
39	2	-1.09			73.0		
40	4	0.36			81.0		
42	4	0.00			79.0		
45	1	-1.64			70.0		
46	3	0.75			83.1		
48	1	1.62			87.9		
50	4	0.18			80.0		
52	4	0.00			79.0		
55	4	0.36			81.0		
58	2	-1.28			72.0		
59	4	0.36			81.0		
60	2	1.17			85.4		
68	1	-1.64			70.0		
69	4	0.27			80.5		
70	4	0.11			79.6		
73	3	0.89			83.9		
75	4	-0.31			77.3		
81	0	-3.46			60.0		
83	4	-0.20			77.9		
85	3	0.88			83.8		
86	0	-2.42			65.7		
87	3	0.73	83.0				
89	2	-1.42			71.2		
92	1	-1.64	70.0				
96	4	-0.02			78.9		
97	1	-1.60			70.2		
100	4	-0.36	77.0				
102	2	-1.09			73.0		
103	3	-0.73			75.0		
105	3	-0.84			74.4		
108	0	-3.10			62.0		
114	2	1.09	85.0				
118	0	3.19			96.5		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	3	4	6
119	2	1.18			85.5		
126	0	-2.73			64.0		
127	3	0.53					81.9
128	3	-0.55					76.0
132	4	0.36			81.0		
133	1	2.01			90.0		
134	4	-0.23			77.8		
138	4	-0.07			78.6		
140	2	1.09	85.0				
141	4	0.00			79.0		
142	3	-0.93			73.9		
145	4	0.18			80.0		
146	4	-0.20			77.9		
149	3	-0.55			76.0		
154	2	-1.42			71.2		
180	1	1.53			87.4		
182	1	1.88			89.3		
190	3	0.64			82.5		
191	4	-0.16			78.1		
193	3	-0.55			76.0		
194	0	16.59			170.0		
196	4	-0.13					78.3
198	4	0.11			79.6		
203	4	0.18	80.0				
210	1	-1.64			70.0		
212	3	-0.73			75.0		
213	4	-0.38			76.9		
215	4	-0.36			77.0		
219	0	-2.73			64.0		
221	3	0.62			82.4		
231	4	0.42			81.3		
234	4	-0.33			77.2		
235	3	-0.73			75.0		
236	4	-0.18			78.0		
241	4	-0.05			78.7		

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Cu (Copper)

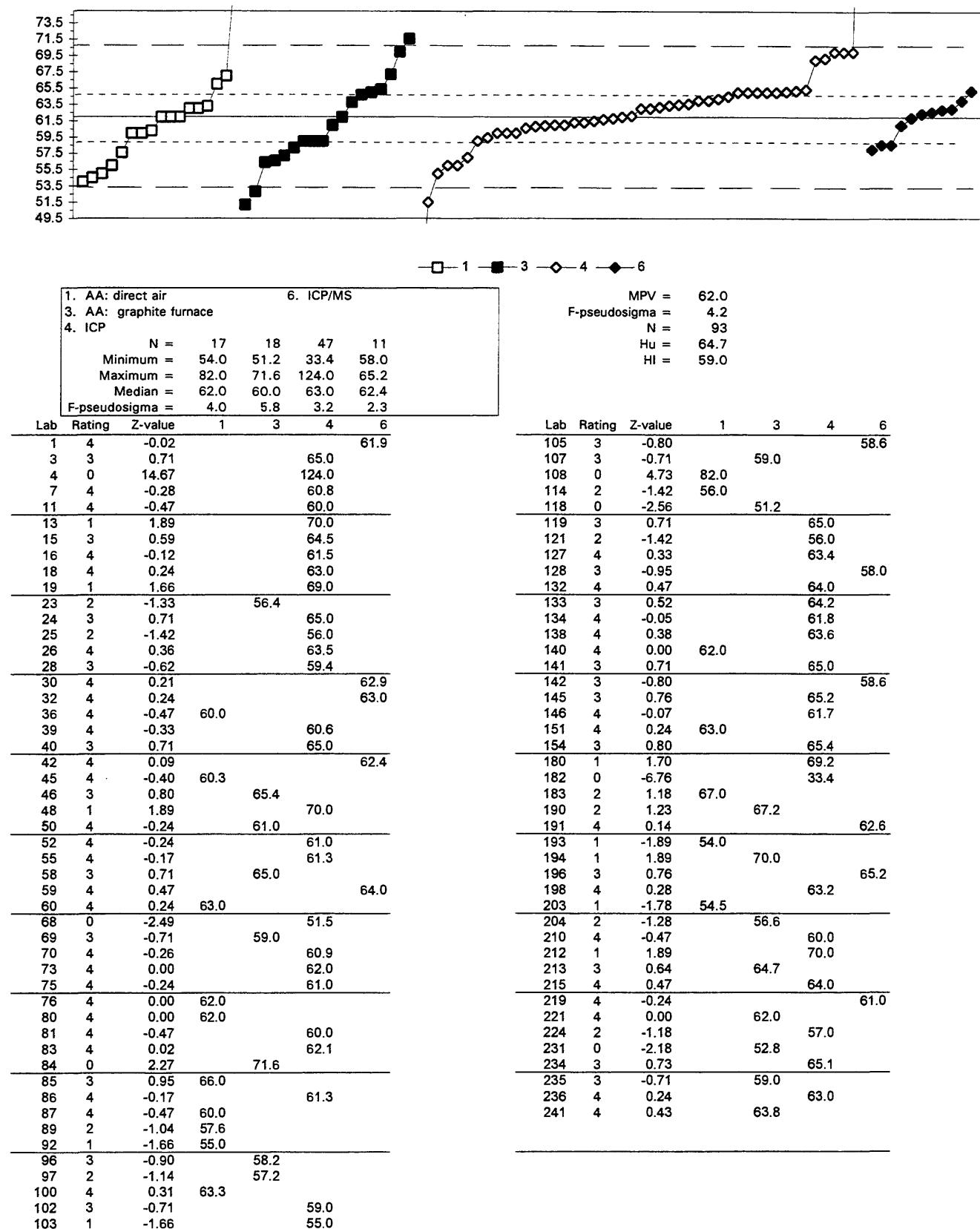
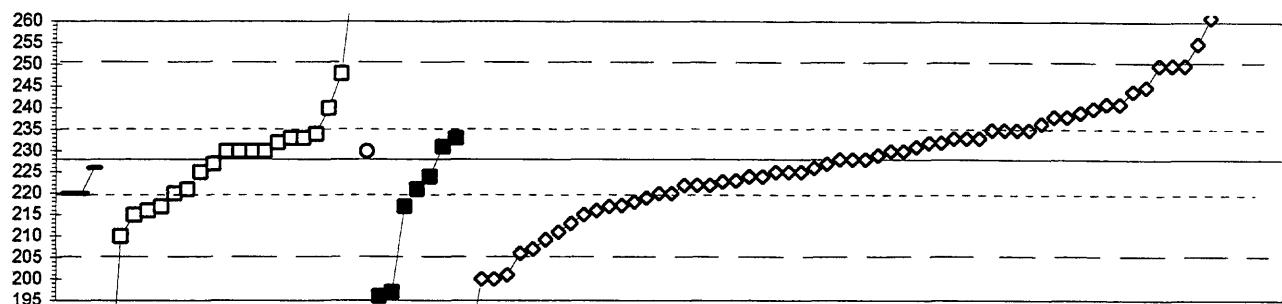


Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued



O. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace					
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP					
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS					
N = 3	20	1	7	61	3	
Minimum = 220	160	230	196	182	265	
Maximum = 226	274		233	465	300	
Median = 220	230		221	228	270	
F-pseudosigma =	11		15	12		

MPV =	228
F-pseudosigma =	11
N =	95
Hu =	235
Hi =	220

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4
1	3	0.63					235
3	1	1.98					250
4	0	21.31					465
7	3	-0.72					220
10	4	0.18	230				
11	1	1.98					250
13	3	0.90					238
15	3	-0.54					222
16	1	-1.53					211
18	4	0.00					228
19	2	1.17					241
21	3	-0.72	220				
24	3	-0.90					218
25	0	-2.43					201
26	4	0.00					228
28	1	-1.69					209
32	0	3.78					270
33	3	-0.72	220				
35	4	-0.18	226				
36	2	-1.08	216				
39	2	-1.35					213
40	4	0.27					231
42	3	0.63					235
43	4	0.18					230
46	4	0.09					229
48	0	-2.52					200
50	0	-2.88			196		
52	3	-0.72					220
54	4	0.18	230				
55	4	-0.45					223
58	0	-6.12	160				
59	4	-0.18					226
68	0	-2.52					200
69	4	0.36	232				
70	4	-0.27					225
73	3	0.76					237
75	3	-0.81					219
76	4	0.45	233				
80	2	1.08	240				
81	0	-4.14					182
83	3	-0.54					222
85	4	0.36					232
86	4	0.36					232
87	4	0.18		230			
89	4	0.27			231		
90	4	0.45	233				
91	4	-0.09					227
92	2	-1.17	215				
93	3	-0.72	220				
97	3	-0.99					217

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
100	3	0.63					235	
102	4	0.18					230	
103	2	-1.17					215	
105	4	0.45					233	
107	4	0.18	230					
109	4	-0.09	227					
114	4	-0.27	225					
116	1	1.53					245	
118	0	4.14	274					
119	4	0.45					233	
121	4	-0.27					225	
127	3	0.63					235	
128	1	-1.98					206	
132	0	2.43					255	
133	0	2.97					261	
134	4	-0.47					223	
138	3	0.99					239	
140	1	-1.62	210					
141	2	1.17					241	
142	3	0.90					238	
145	4	-0.27					225	
146	4	-0.36					224	
151	4	0.18	230					
154	1	-1.89					207	
180	2	1.44					244	
182	0	6.86					304	
190	3	0.54	234					
191	0	3.33						265
193	1	1.80	248					
194	2	1.08					240	
198	4	0.45					233	
203	3	-0.99	217					
204	4	0.00					228	
210	2	-1.08					216	
212	1	1.98					250	
213	4	-0.36				224		
215	3	-0.99					217	
219	0	6.48						300
221	3	-0.63				221		
224	3	-0.97					217	
231	0	-2.79				197		
234	3	-0.54					222	
235	4	0.45				233		
236	4	-0.36					224	
241	3	-0.63	221					

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
K (Potassium)

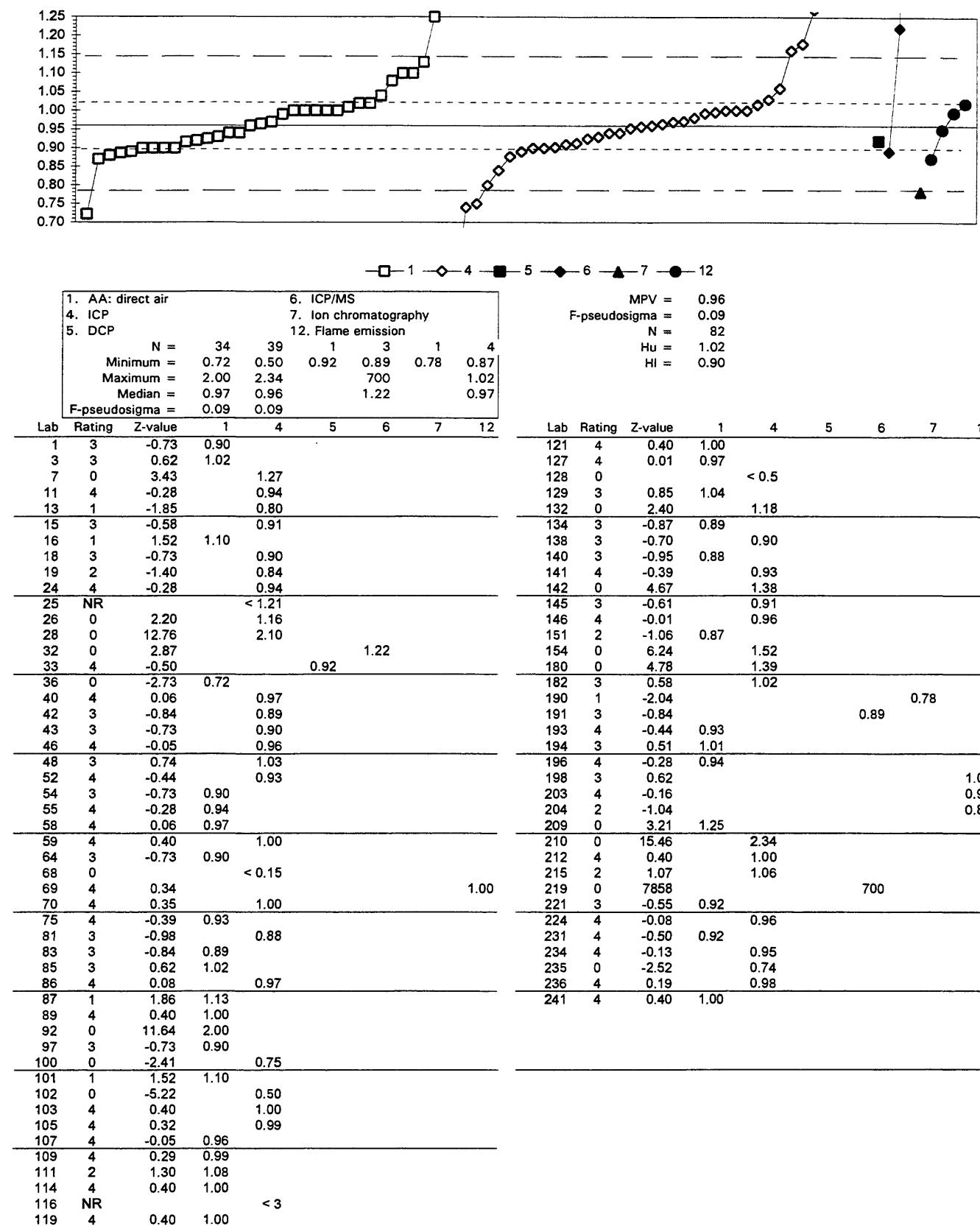
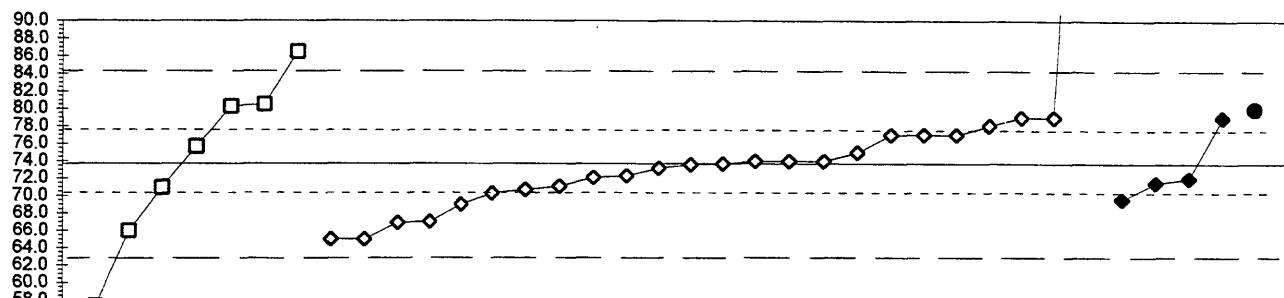


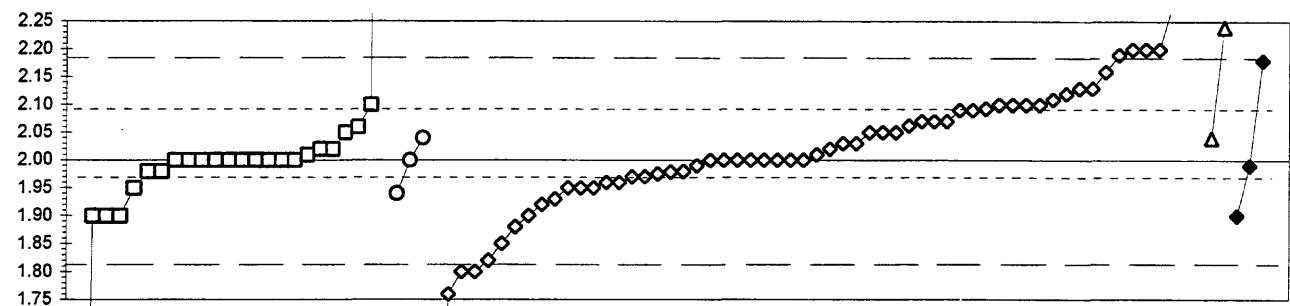
Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Li (Lithium)



1. AA: direct air					12. Flame emission				
4. ICP									
6. ICP/MS									
N =	7	24	4	1	MPV =	73.7			
Minimum =	57.3	65.0	69.6	80.0	F-pseudosigma =	5.2			
Maximum =	86.5	142.0	79.0		N =	36			
Median =	75.7	73.7	71.8		Hu =	77.6			
F-pseudosigma =	8.8	4.8			HI =	70.5			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	4	6	12
1	4	-0.01			73.6	
3	3	0.64			77.0	
4	0	13.08			142.0	
7	4	-0.26			72.3	
15	3	0.85			78.1	
16	3	0.64			77.0	
24	4	0.07			74.0	
25	2	-1.27			67.0	
26	4	0.07			74.0	
28	0	2.46	86.5			
30	3	-0.77			69.6	
32	2	1.02			79.0	
39	3	-0.56			70.7	
40	4	0.26			75.0	
42	4	-0.09			73.2	
55	2	-1.46	66.0			
64	2	1.22			80.0	
68	1	-1.66			65.0	
69	2	1.31	80.5			
75	3	-0.64			70.3	
85	4	0.39	75.7			
100	2	1.27	80.3			
103	3	-0.89			69.0	
105	2	1.02			79.0	
109	0	-3.12	57.3			
116	NR				< 80	
127	2	-1.29			66.9	
134	2	1.02			79.0	
142	4	0.01			73.7	
145	4	-0.49			71.1	
151	3	-0.51	71.0			
182	1	-1.66			65.0	
196	4	-0.41			71.5	
212	3	0.64			77.0	
219	4	-0.32			72.0	
234	4	-0.30			72.1	
236	4	0.07			74.0	

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Mg (Magnesium) mg/l



1. AA: direct air	5. DCP				
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS				
4. ICP	7. Ion chromatography				
N = 24 3 59 2 3 1					
Minimum = 0.31	1.94	1.05	2.04	1.90	2.29
Maximum = 25.00	2.04	4.23	2.24	2.18	
Median = 2.00	2.00	2.01	2.14	1.99	
F-pseudosigma = 0.03	0.10				

MPV = 2.00
F-pseudosigma = 0.09
N = 92
Hu = 2.09
HI = 1.97

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	4	5	6	7	Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	4	5	6	7
1	4	0.22	2.02						109	4	0.00	2.00					
3	4	0.00		2.00					111	4	0.45		2.04				
4	0	25.07			4.23				114	4	0.00		2.00				
7	4	0.00		2.00					116	4	-0.45						
11	1	-2.02			1.82				119	0	3.37						
13	2	1.12		2.10					121	4	0.34						
15	2	1.35		2.12					127	3	0.79						
16	4	0.00		2.00					128	1	-1.69						
18	4	0.00		2.00					129	0	-19.05	0.31					
19	0	3.15		2.28					132	3	0.70						
24	4	0.00		2.00					133	3	-0.79						
25	3	-0.90			1.92				134	3	0.56						
26	3	0.79			2.07				138	2	1.01						
27	0	2.70				2.24			140	4	0.00	2.00					
28	2	1.12		2.10					141	2	1.46						
30	3	-0.67	1.94						142	4	0.34						
32	1	2.02			2.18				145	4	0.22						
33	4	0.45			2.04				146	4	-0.45						
36	3	0.67	2.06						151	4	0.00	2.00					
39	4	-0.34		1.97					154	0	-2.25						
40	4	0.00		2.00					180	0	2.25						
42	2	1.12		2.10					182	4	-0.28						
43	4	0.00		2.00					190	0	3.26						2.29
46	2	1.01		2.09					191	4	-0.11						1.99
48	3	0.56		2.05					193	4	-0.22	1.98					
52	4	0.00		2.00					194	2	-1.35						
54	4	0.00	2.00						196	2	-1.12	1.90					
55	0	2.14		2.19					198	1	1.80						
58	0	258.56	25.00						203	4	0.22	2.02					
59	0	2.25		2.20					204	4	0.11		2.01				
64	3	-0.56		1.95					209	2	1.24						
68	0	-10.68		1.05					210	0	-2.70						
69	2	1.12	2.10						212	0	2.25						
70	2	1.46		2.13					215	4	-0.22						
75	4	0.00	2.00						219	2	-1.12						
81	3	-0.56		1.95					221	3	-0.56	1.95					
83	4	-0.11		1.99					224	2	1.05						
84	4	0.00	2.00						231	3	0.56	2.05					
85	4	-0.22	1.98						234	3	-0.56						
86	3	0.79		2.07					235	4	-0.34						
87	2	-1.12	1.90						236	4	-0.24						
89	4	0.00	2.00						241	2	-1.12	1.90					
92	4	0.00	2.00														
97	4	0.00	2.00														
100	2	1.12		2.10													
101	4	0.00	2.00														
102	0	-2.25		1.80													
103	2	-1.12		1.90													
105	3	0.56		2.05													
107	4	0.11	2.01														

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Mn (Manganese) $\mu\text{g/l}$

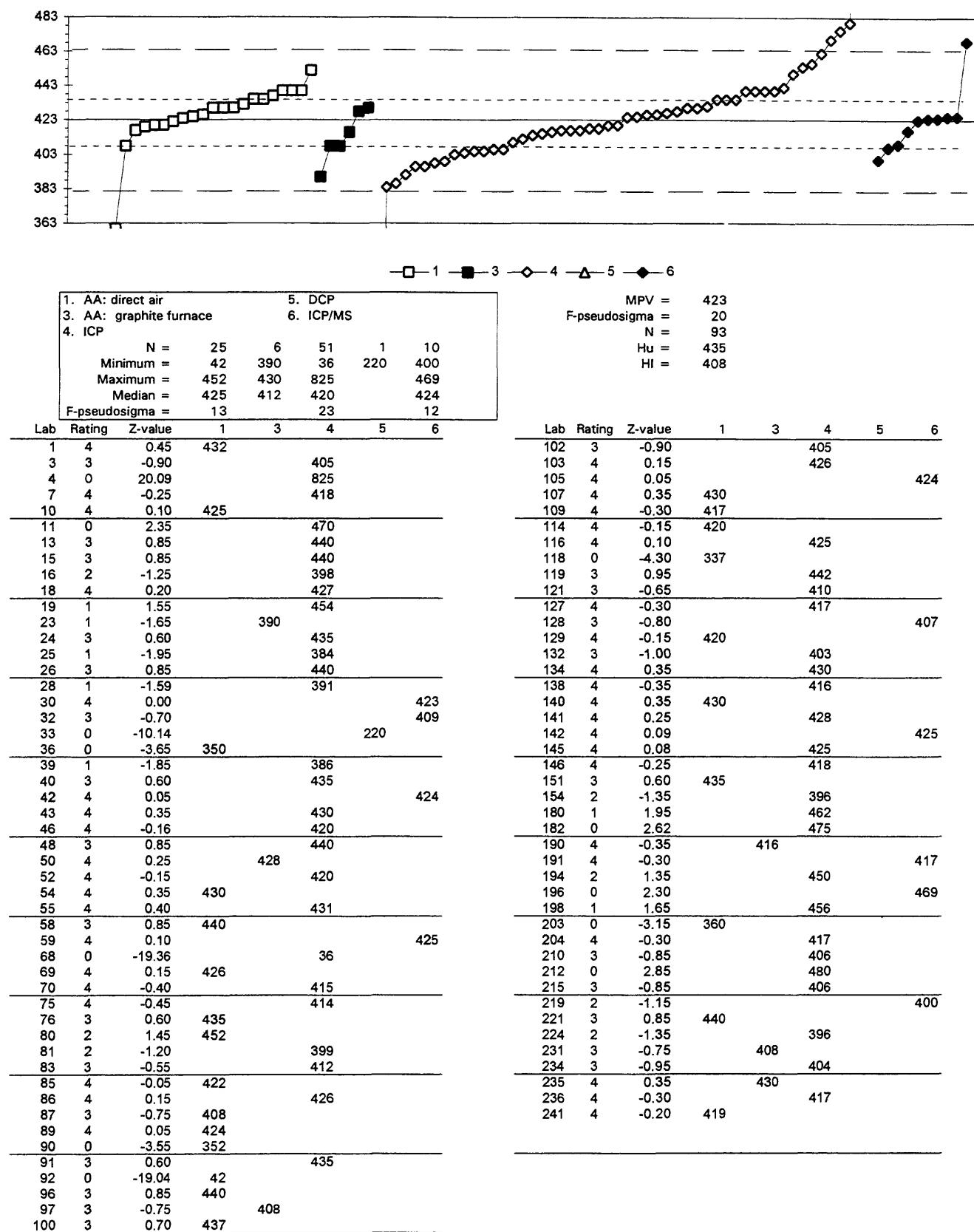
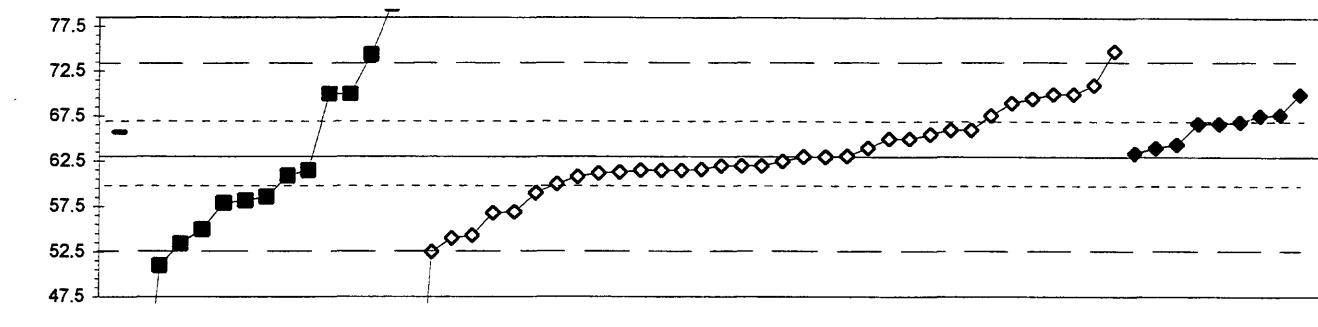
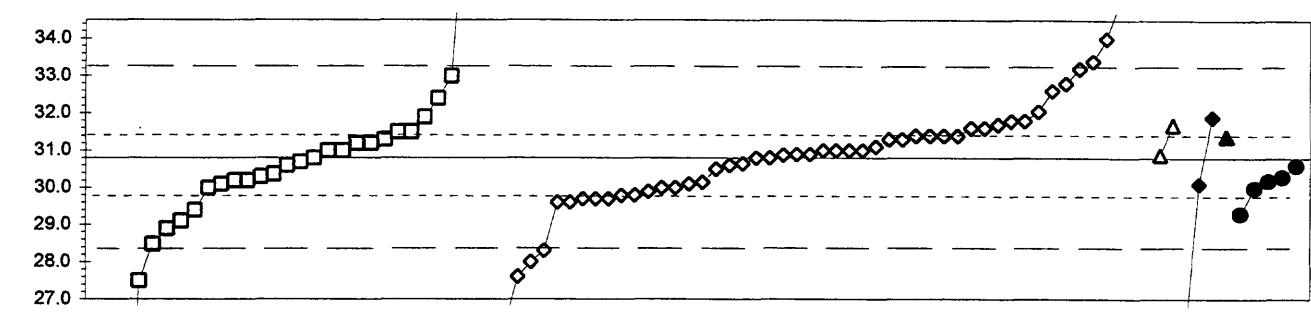


Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Mo (Molybdenum)



0. Other		6. ICP/MS							
3. AA: graphite furnace									
4. ICP		N =	1	13	35	9	MPV =	63.0	
		Minimum =	65.7	27.3	22.0	63.4	F-pseudosigma =	5.1	
		Maximum =			74.8	70.0	N =	58	
		Median =			62.0	66.7	Hu =	66.9	
		F-pseudosigma =			3.5	2.4	Hi =	60.0	
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	3	4	6	Lab	Rating	Z-value
1	3	0.72				66.7	210	4	0.39
3	1	-1.76			54.0		212	1	1.56
7	4	-0.29			61.5		215	3	-0.59
11	2	1.37			70.0		221	2	1.37
15	1	-1.88		53.4			224	0	-8.02
16	4	-0.20			62.0		234	4	-0.41
18	4	0.00			63.0		235	2	1.37
24	4	0.39			65.0		236	3	0.59
28	4	0.49			65.5				66.0
30	4	0.27				64.4			
32	3	0.90				67.6			
36	0	-6.98		27.3					
39	4	0.02			63.1				
40	4	0.20			64.0				
42	4	0.20				64.0			
48	4	-0.29			61.5				
50	0	-2.35			51.0				
52	4	-0.20			62.0				
55	0	-2.05			52.5				
59	2	1.37				70.0			
60	3	0.53	65.7						
68	2	1.27			69.5				
70	2	-1.21			56.8				
75	4	-0.33			61.3				
81	3	-0.78			59.0				
85	2	1.37			70.0				
86	4	-0.35			61.2				
87	3	-0.86		58.6					
97	3	-0.94		58.2					
100	1	-1.70			54.3				
103	4	0.00			63.0				
105	3	0.76				66.9			
108	3	-1.00		57.9					
109	0	2.23		74.4					
119	1	-1.56		55.0					
127	4	-0.27			61.6				
128	2	-1.19			56.9				
132	2	1.17			69.0				
134	4	-0.43			60.8				
138	3	0.92				67.7			
141	3	0.59			66.0				
142	3	0.72				66.7			
145	4	-0.10			62.5				
146	4	-0.29			61.5				
154	4	-0.29			61.5				
180	3	0.90			67.6				
182	0	2.31			74.8				
194	0	3.32		80.0					
196	4	0.08				63.4			
198	4	-0.20			62.0				

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Na (Sodium)

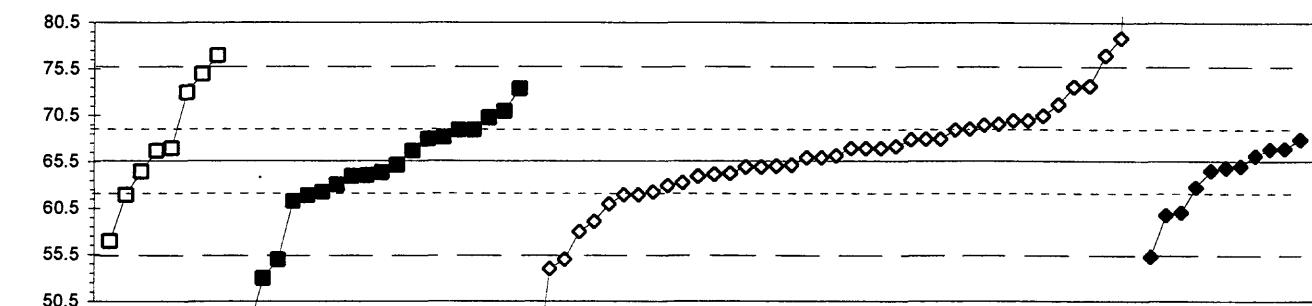


1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
4. ICP	7. Ion chromatography
5. DCP	12. Flame emission
N = 28	51
Minimum = 10.0	18.2
Maximum = 38.0	63.9
Median = 30.5	30.9
F-pseudosigma = 1.5	1.3

MPV = 30.8
F-pseudosigma = 1.2
N = 90
Hu = 31.4
HI = 29.8

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	4	5	6	7	12	Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	4	5	6	7	12
1	4	-0.36	30.4						109	1	-1.96	28.5					
3	4	0.42		31.3					111	4	-0.17	30.6					
4	0	27.91			63.9				114	0	-11.64	17.0					
7	4	0.08		30.9					116	3	0.51		31.4				
11	1	1.52		32.6					119	1	1.69		32.8				
13	0	2.19		33.4					121	4	0.17		31.0				
15	4	0.08		30.9					127	2	-1.01		29.6				
16	3	-0.93		29.7					128	0	-3.88		26.2				
18	4	0.17		31.0					129	3	-0.67	30.0					
19	3	0.51		31.4					132	3	0.84		31.8				
23	2	1.35	32.4						134	4	-0.42	30.3					
24	3	-0.59		30.1					138	3	0.84		31.8				
25	3	-0.93		29.7					140	0	6.07	38.0					
26	4	0.25		31.1					141	3	-0.67		30.0				
27	3	0.76			31.7				142	3	-0.85		29.8				
28	0	-2.11		28.3					145	3	-0.55		30.2				
32	3	0.93				31.9			146	4	0.00		30.8				
33	4	0.08			30.9				151	3	0.59	31.5					
36	3	-0.51	30.2						154	4	-0.25		30.5				
39	3	-0.76		29.9					180	1	2.02		33.2				
40	4	-0.17		30.6					182	0	-5.85		23.9				
42	3	0.51		31.4					190	3	0.51						31.4
43	4	0.17		31.0					191	3	-0.59						30.1
46	3	0.67		31.6					193	4	0.00	30.8					
48	3	-0.84		29.8					194	4	0.42		31.3				
52	4	0.17		31.0					196	3	0.93	31.9					
54	4	0.17	31.0						198	2	-1.26						29.3
55	3	-0.59	30.1						203	4	-0.42						30.3
58	1	1.85	33.0						204	3	-0.51						30.2
59	0	3.54		35.0					209	2	-1.43	29.1					
64	4	-0.08	30.7						210	0	-2.70		27.6				
68	0	-2.36		28.0					212	0	3.79		35.3				
69	3	-0.67				30.0			215	2	-1.01		29.6				
70	3	0.76		31.7					219	0	-4.05						26.0
75	4	0.17	31.0						221	4	0.34	31.2					
81	3	-0.93		29.7					224	4	0.07		30.9				
83	4	-0.13		30.7					231	4	0.42	31.3					
84	4	-0.17			30.6				234	4	0.00		30.8				
85	3	-0.51	30.2						236	2	1.05		32.0				
86	3	0.51		31.4					241	0	-2.78	27.5					
87	0	-17.54	10.0														
89	1	-1.60	28.9														
92	0	-9.11	20.0														
97	4	0.34	31.2														
100	0	2.70	34.0														
101	3	0.59	31.5														
102	0	-10.62	18.2														
103	3	-0.67	30.0														
105	3	0.67	31.6														
107	2	-1.18	29.4														

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Ni (Nickel) $\mu\text{g/l}$



Lab	Rating	Z-value	6. ICP/MS			
			1	3	4	6
1	4	-0.10			65.1	
3	4	0.28		67.0		
4	0	10.75		119.0		
7	3	-0.66		62.3		
11	3	0.89		70.0		
13	1	-1.53		58.0		
15	4	0.46		67.9		
16	4	-0.32		64.0		
18	4	0.08		66.0		
24	4	0.12		66.2		
25	0			< 49		
26	4	0.22	66.7			
28	3	0.68		69.0		
30	4	0.26			66.9	
32	4	-0.20			64.6	
36	0	-3.72	47.1			
39	2	1.23		71.7		
40	4	0.28		67.0		
42	3	-0.56			62.8	
46	1	1.61		73.6		
48	4	-0.08		65.2		
50	2	1.09		71.0		
52	4	-0.12		65.0		
55	3	-0.66		62.3		
58	3	0.68		69.0		
59	4	0.28			67.0	
60	0	2.30	77.0			
68	0	-2.13		55.0		
69	4	-0.22	64.5			
70	3	0.70		69.1		
73	4	0.32		67.2		
75	4	-0.10		65.1		
76	4	-0.50	63.1			
81	0	-5.15		40.0		
83	3	0.79		69.5		
85	4	0.08		66.0		
86	4	-0.08		65.2		
87	2	1.49	73.0			
89	3	-0.74		61.9		
97	3	-0.87		61.3		
100	4	0.22	66.7			
102	3	-0.72		62.0		
103	0	-2.34		54.0		
105	2	-1.11			60.1	
108	0	-2.13		55.0		
114	4	0.28	67.0			
118	1	1.57		73.4		
119	4	0.48		68.0		
121	3	-0.72		62.0		
126	1	1.89	75.0			

MPV = 65.6
F-pseudosigma = 5.0
N = 80
Hu = 69.0
HI = 62.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6
127	4	-0.46			63.3	
128	0	-2.07				55.3
132	3	0.89			70.0	
133	4	0.48			68.0	
134	3	0.52		68.2		
138	4	-0.28			64.2	
140	3	-0.72	62.0			
141	4	0.28			67.0	
142	2	-1.17				59.8
145	4	0.48			68.0	
146	4	-0.26			64.3	
154	3	-0.93			61.0	
180	1	1.63			73.7	
182	0	2.66			78.8	
190	4	-0.30		64.1		
191	4	0.12				66.2
194	NR				< 100	
196	4	-0.14				64.9
198	3	0.81			69.6	
203	1	-1.73	57.0			
210	3	0.99			70.5	
212	0	2.30			77.0	
213	3	0.68		69.0		
215	4	-0.12			65.0	
219	4	0.48				68.0
221	3	0.95		70.3		
224	2	-1.31				59.1
231	0	-2.54			53.0	
234	4	-0.24			64.4	
235	4	-0.32			64.0	
236	3	-0.52				63.0
241	0	-6.32		34.2		

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Pb (Lead)

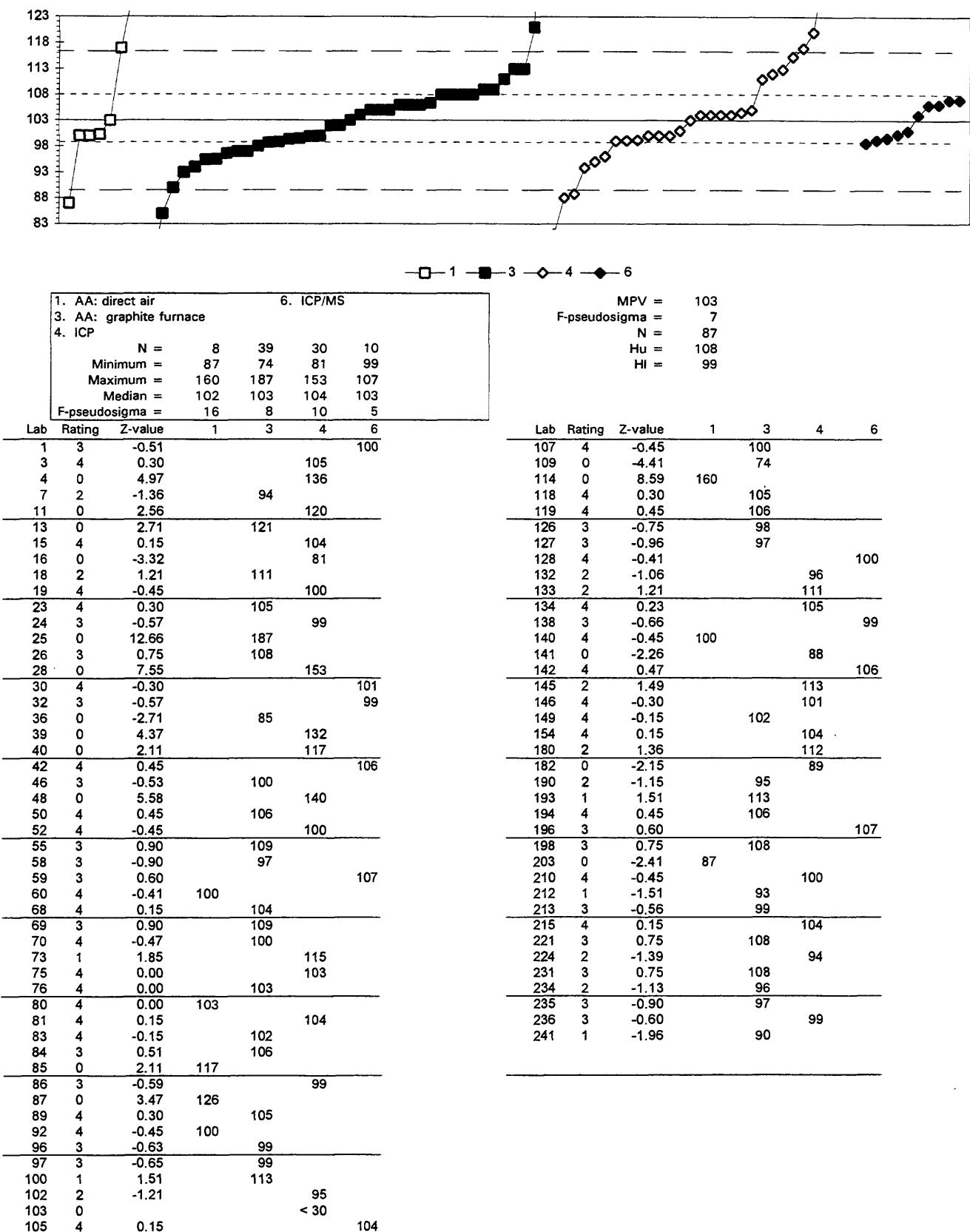
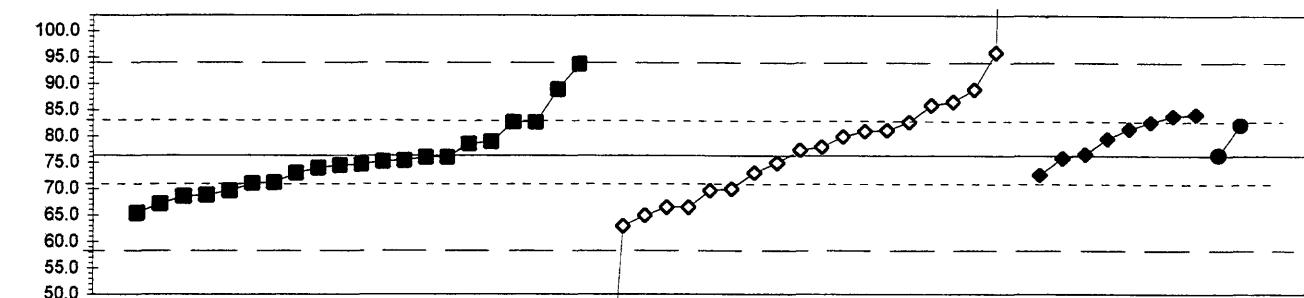


Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Sb (Antimony) $\mu\text{g/l}$

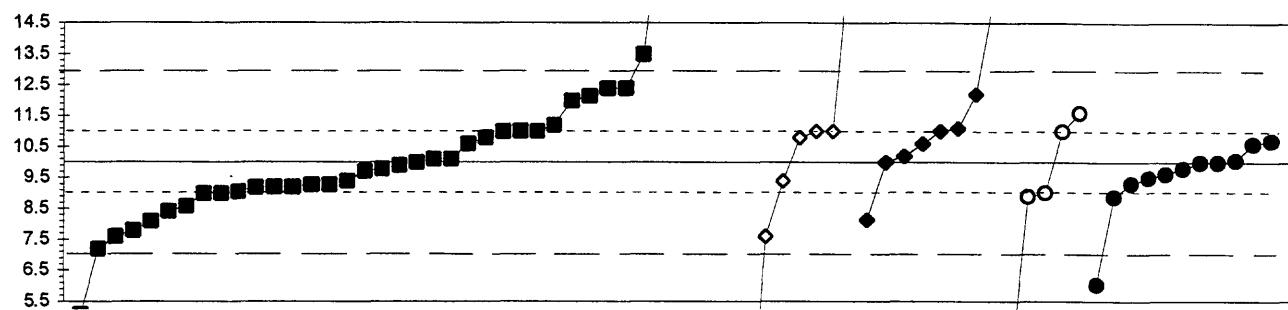


1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	11na. AA: hydride NaBH4
4. ICP	
N = 1 21 20 8 2	
Minimum = 156.0 65.4 0.0 72.7 76.5	
Maximum = 93.8 245.9 84.3 82.3	
Median = 74.7 77.7 80.6 79.4	
F-pseudosigma = 5.6 12.1 5.3	

MPV = 76.3
F-pseudosigma = 8.7
N = 52
Hu = 82.8
HI = 71.1

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	3	4	6	11na
1	3	0.70					82.3
3	4	0.20			78.0		
7	3	-0.76			69.7		
11	3	-0.72			70.0		
13	4	-0.20		74.5			
15	2	-1.04		67.2			
16	1	-1.53			63.0		
18	4	-0.03		76.0			
24	3	0.76		82.8			
25	2	1.47		89.0			
30	3	0.76			82.8		
32	4	0.39			79.6		
36	3	-0.88		68.6			
39	3	0.57			81.2		
40	3	0.55			81.0		
42	3	0.61			81.5		
48	3	-0.86		68.8			
52	2	-1.30			65.0		
55	4	-0.18		74.7			
59	3	0.89			84.0		
68	4	-0.37		73.0			
69	3	-0.58		71.2			
70	2	-1.25		65.4			
75	3	0.76			82.8		
76	4	-0.12		75.2			
81	2	1.47			89.0		
85	0	2.28			96.0		
89	3	-0.77		69.6			
97	4	-0.10		75.4			
100	4	0.32		79.0			
102	4	-0.14		75.0			
103	0			< 30			
105	4	-0.04			75.9		
114	0	9.20	156.0				
119	4	0.03			76.5		
127	4	0.27		78.6			
128	4	-0.41			72.7		
138	4	0.13			77.4		
141	2	1.12			86.0		
142	3	0.93			84.3		
146	4	-0.36			73.1		
154	2	-1.12			66.5		
180	2	1.20			86.7		
182	0	19.56			245.9		
194	4	-0.26		74.0			
196	4	0.04			76.6		
210	2	-1.12			66.5		
212	3	-0.61		71.0			
215	4	0.43			80.0		
234	3	0.76		82.8			

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
Se (Selenium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



3. AA: graphite furnace	11. AA: hydride
4. ICP	11na. AA:hydride NaBH4
6. ICP/MS	
N = 38	7 8 5 11
Minimum = 5.1	0.0 8.1 3.0 6.0
Maximum = 42.6	17.0 15.3 11.6 10.7
Median = 10.0	10.8 10.8 9.0 9.8
F-pseudosigma = 2.2	1.9 1.1 0.5

Lab	Rating	Z-value	3	4	6	11	11na
1	4	0.07	10.1				
3	4	-0.42		9.4			
7	0	10.43	25.0				
13	1	-1.67	7.6				
15	3	-0.78				8.9	
16	NR	< 70					
18	2	1.11				11.6	
24	0	22.67	42.6				
25	3	-0.56	9.2				
26	0	-2.75				6.0	
28	3	0.70		11.0			
30	1	1.53				12.2	
34	4	0.07	10.1				
35	4	-0.47				9.3	
36	3	-0.65	9.1				
39	3	0.70				11.0	
42	3	0.70				11.0	
45	1	1.67	12.4				
46	0	8.82	22.7				
48	3	-0.70	9.0				
50	4	0.00				10.0	
52	0			< 5			
55	4	-0.07	9.9				
58	0	-4.87				3.0	
59	4	0.00				10.0	
60	3	0.83	11.2				
68	4	-0.49	9.3				
69	4	0.42	10.6				
70	3	0.70	11.0				
75	4	-0.26				9.6	
80	2	1.39	12.0				
81	4	0.00	10.0				
85	4	-0.35				9.5	
86	3	-0.67				9.0	
87	0			< 2			
89	0			< 2			
96	4	-0.20	9.7				
97	0	5.98	18.6				
100	1	-1.53	7.8				
102	0	4.87		17.0			
103	NR		< 30				
105	4	0.42				10.6	
108	2	-1.32	8.1				
109	2	1.50	12.2				
118	0	-3.41	5.1				
119	4	0.00				10.0	
126	0					< 1	
127	4	-0.50	9.3				
128	4	0.14				10.2	
133	1	1.67	12.4				

MPV = 10.0
F-pseudosigma = 1.4
N = 69
Hu = 11.0
HI = 9.1

Lab	Rating	Z-value	3	4	6	11	11na
134	4	0.42					10.6
138	3	-0.76					8.9
141	4	0.49					10.7
142	2	-1.29					8.1
146	3	0.56				10.8	
151	4	-0.14					9.8
154	3	-0.70				9.0	
180	NR					< 45.1	
182	4	0.05					10.1
190	3	0.56				10.8	
191	0	3.69					15.3
193	4	-0.42				9.4	
194	3	0.70				11.0	
196	3	0.76					11.1
198	3	-0.99				8.6	
203	1	-1.95				7.2	
210	3	0.70					11.0
212	3	0.70				11.0	
215	0	5.56				18.0	
221	4	-0.15				9.8	
224	1	-1.67					7.6
231	2	-1.10					8.4
234	3	-0.56					9.2
235	3	-0.56					9.2
236	NR	-6.95					0.0
241	0	2.43				13.5	

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
SiO₂ (Silica) mg/l

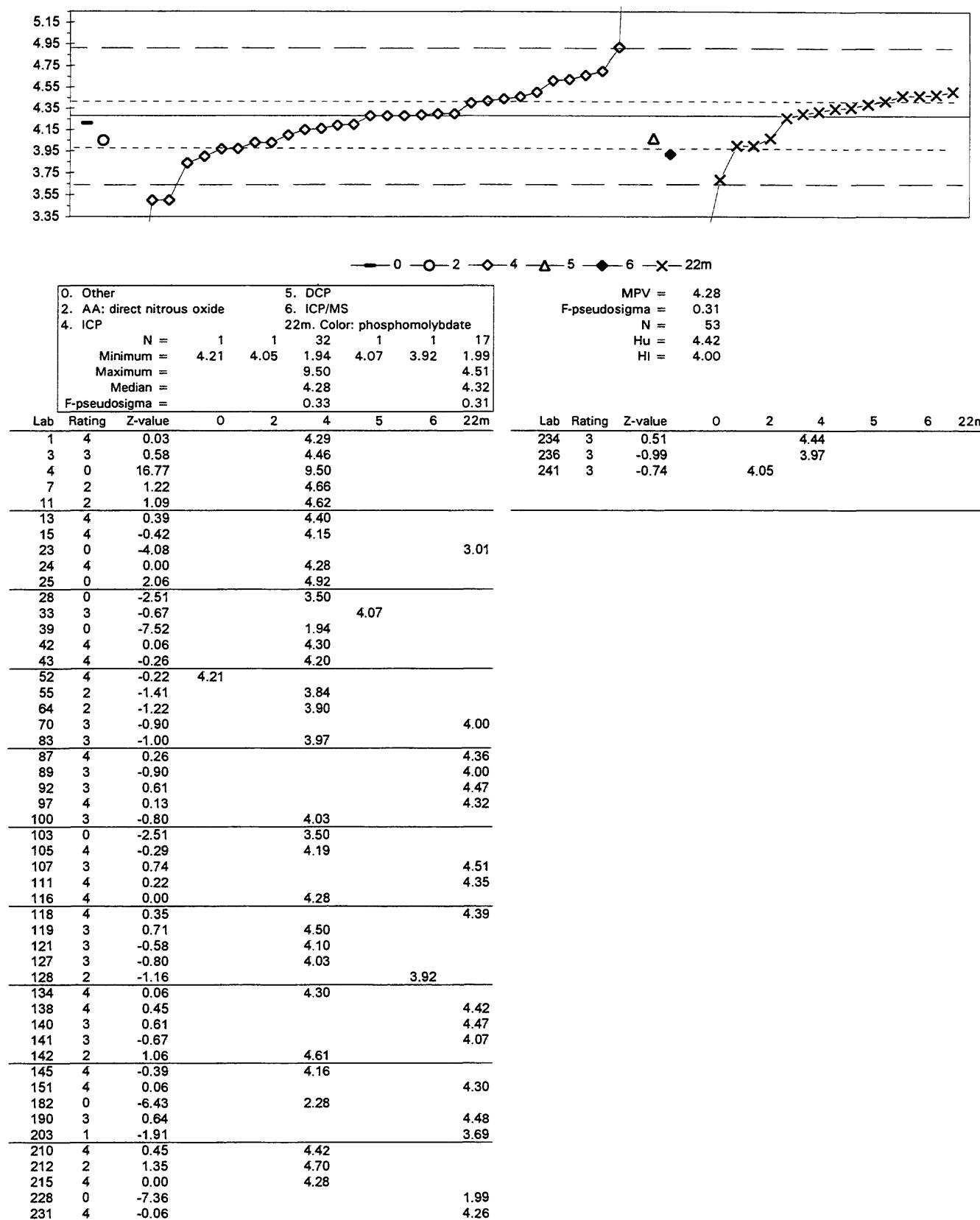
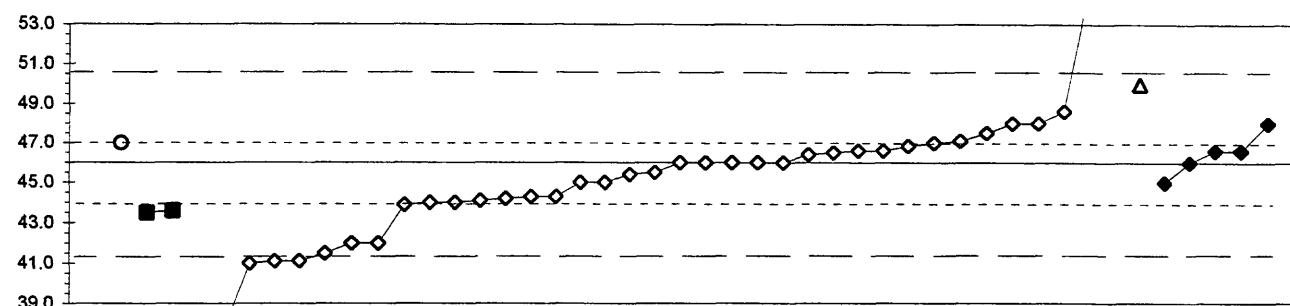


Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Sr (Strontium) $\mu\text{g/l}$

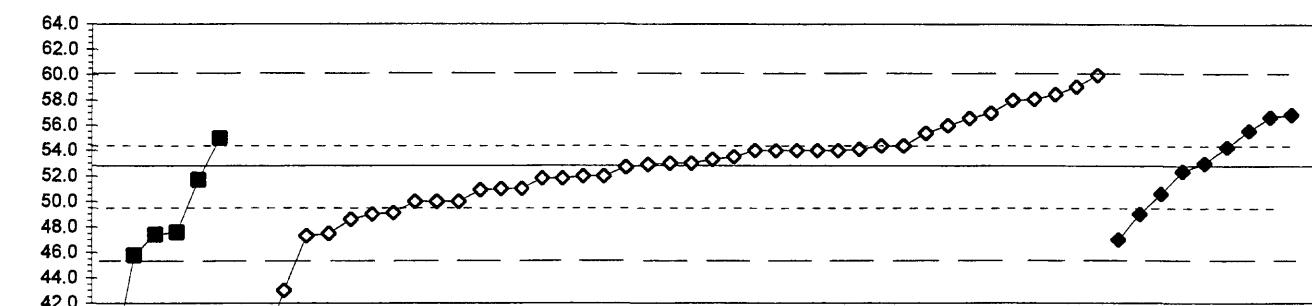


1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	5. DCP
3. AA: graphite furnace	6. ICP/MS
N = 1	37
Minimum = 71.7	1
Maximum = 43.6	2
Median = 43.6	37.0
F-pseudosigma = 1.9	1
	5
	5

MPV = 46.0
 F-pseudosigma = 2.3
 N = 47
 Hu = 47.0
 HI = 44.0

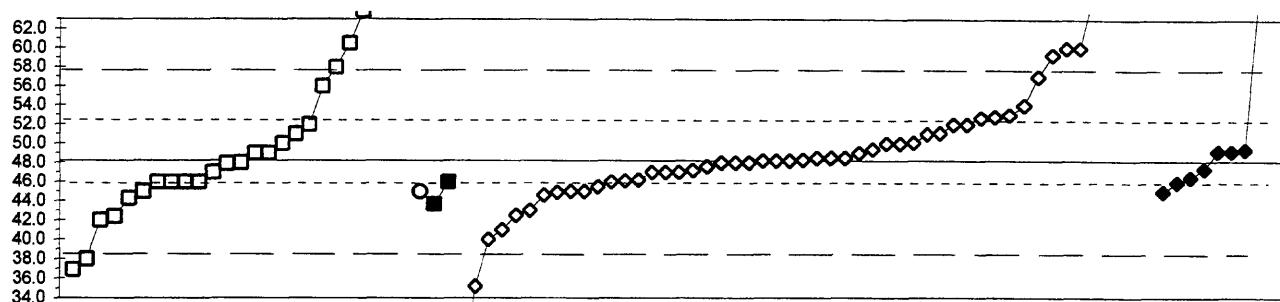
Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	4	0.49				47.1		
3	3	-0.75				44.3		
4	0	23.31				98.7		
7	4	0.22				46.5		
15	3	-0.80				44.2		
16	4	0.00				46.0		
18	4	0.00				46.0		
23	2	-1.06			43.6			
24	2	1.15				48.6		
25	1	-1.77				42.0		
28	4	-0.22				45.5		
32	4	0.27				46.6		
33	1	1.77				50.0		
39	3	-0.84				44.1		
40	4	0.00				46.0		
42	3	0.88				48.0		
52	4	0.00				46.0		
59	3	0.88				48.0		
68	1	-1.99				41.5		
70	4	0.44				47.0		
81	3	-0.88				44.0		
85	4	0.27				46.6		
86	4	0.18				46.4		
97	2	-1.11		43.5				
100	0	-3.63				37.8		
102	0	-2.21				41.0		
103	3	-0.88				44.0		
105	3	0.88				48.0		
109	0	11.34	71.7					
116	0	-3.98				37.0		
121	4	-0.44				45.0		
127	3	-0.75				44.3		
134	3	0.66				47.5		
138	4	0.27				46.6		
142	4	0.37				46.8		
145	3	-0.93				43.9		
151	4	0.44	47.0					
154	0	-2.17				41.1		
182	0	-2.16				41.1		
191	4	-0.44				45.0		
194	NR				< 100			
196	4	0.27				46.6		
210	1	-1.77				42.0		
212	0	3.98				55.0		
219	4	0.00				46.0		
234	4	-0.27				45.4		
235	4	0.00				46.0		
236	4	-0.44				45.0		

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 V (Vanadium) μg/l



3. AA: graphite furnace				MPV = 52.8		
4. ICP				F-pseudosigma = 3.6		
6. ICP/MS				N = 56		
		N =	6 41 9			
		Minimum =	37.0 31.5 47.0			
		Maximum =	55.0 60.0 56.9			
		Median =	47.5 53.0 53.0			
		F-pseudosigma =	3.3 3.7			
Lab	Rating	Z-value		3	4	6
1	4	0.03		52.9		
3	4	0.33		54.0		
7	4	0.45		54.4		
11	3	-0.78		50.0		
13	2	1.17		57.0		
15	2	1.06		56.6		
16	4	-0.50		51.0		
18	4	0.33		54.0		
24	2	1.47		58.1		
25	0	-2.73		43.0		
28	3	0.72		55.4		
30	3	0.78			55.6	
32	2	1.14			56.9	
36	2	-1.45	47.6			
39	2	-1.47	47.5			
40	4	0.33		54.0		
42	4	0.06			53.0	
46	4	0.36		54.1		
48	4	-0.31	51.7			
50	0	-4.39	37.0			
52	2	-1.06		49.0		
55	4	0.06		53.0		
59	1	-1.61	47.0			
68	0	-5.92		31.5		
70	4	0.14		53.3		
75	4	-0.03		52.7		
81	4	-0.50		51.0		
85	2	-1.03		49.1		
86	4	0.19		53.5		
89	1	-1.95	45.8			
97	2	-1.50	47.4			
100	4	-0.28		51.8		
102	4	0.33		54.0		
103	3	-0.78		50.0		
105	3	-0.61		50.6		
121	4	0.06		53.0		
127	4	-0.28		51.8		
128	2	-1.17		48.6		
134	4	-0.22		52.0		
138	4	0.42		54.3		
141	3	0.89		56.0		
142	4	-0.12			52.4	
145	4	0.33		54.0		
146	3	-0.78		50.0		
154	1	1.59		58.5		
180	1	1.75		59.1		
182	0	-4.10		38.0		
196	2	1.08	56.7			
198	4	0.45		54.4		
210	4	-0.22		52.0		

Table 12. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-135 (trace constituents)--Continued
 Zn (Zinc) $\mu\text{g/l}$



1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	
N = 25	1 2 51 9
Minimum = 36.9	45.0 43.7 24.4 45.0
Maximum = 110.0	46.0 87.0 67.8
Median = 48.0	44.9 48.3 49.2
F-pseudosigma = 7.4	4.6 2.1

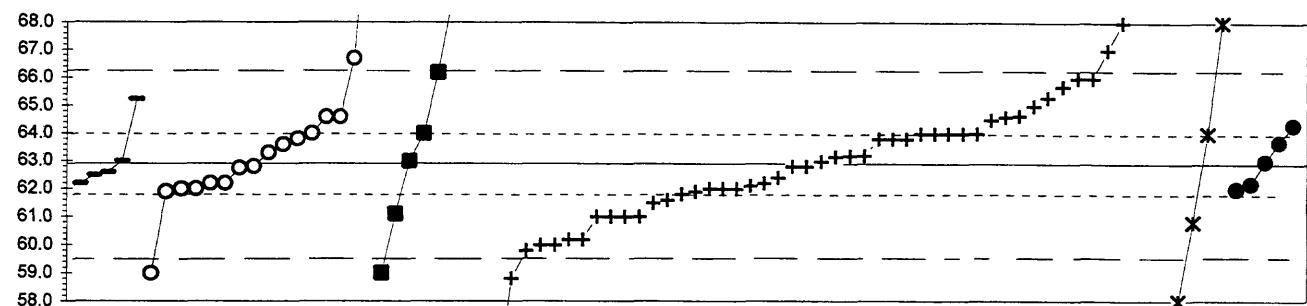
Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	3	4	6	
1	0	3.63						65.3
3	4	0.00						48.2
4	0	7.82						85.0
7	4	0.00						48.2
10	3	0.59	51.0					
11	1	-1.74						40.0
13	3	0.81						52.0
15	3	0.96						52.7
16	3	0.59						51.0
18	0	8.24						87.0
19	0	3.78						66.0
24	0	6.01						76.5
25	0					< 4		
26	4	-0.45						46.1
28	0	-2.76						35.2
30	4	0.25						49.4
32	4	-0.36						46.5
36	0	2.61	60.5					
39	4	0.06						48.5
40	1	1.87						57.0
42	4	0.21						49.2
46	4	0.00						48.2
48	0	2.51						60.0
50	4	-0.47		46.0				
52	3	0.81						52.0
55	4	-0.04						48.0
58	0	4.84	71.0					
59	3	-0.68						45.0
60	4	0.38	50.0					
68	1	-1.53						41.0
69	4	-0.47	46.0					
70	0	7.27						82.4
73	3	0.62						51.1
75	3	0.98						52.8
76	0	3.34	63.9					
80	4	0.17	49.0					
81	2	-1.10						43.0
83	3	-0.70						44.9
85	4	-0.06	47.9					
86	4	-0.13						47.6
87	4	0.17	49.0					
89	0	-2.40	36.9					
90	3	-0.68	45.0					
92	0	13.13	110.0					
96	4	-0.47	46.0					
97	3	-0.96		43.7				
100	3	0.81	52.0					
102	4	-0.47				46.0		
103	4	-0.25				47.0		
105	4	0.21						49.2

Lab	Rating	Z-value	1	2	3	4	6
108	0	3.78	66.0				
114	4	-0.47	46.0				
116	0	2.51					60.0
118	0	-2.17	38.0				
119	2	1.23					54.0
121	4	-0.04					48.0
127	4	-0.42					46.2
128	4	-0.21					47.2
132	4	-0.25					47.0
133	4	-0.04					48.0
134	4	0.25					49.4
138	4	0.02					48.3
140	4	-0.25	47.0				
141	4	0.38					50.0
142	4	-0.48					46.0
145	0	2.36					59.3
146	4	0.40					50.1
151	0	2.08	58.0				
154	4	0.06					48.5
180	3	-0.76					44.6
182	0	-5.06					24.4
190	2	-1.23	42.4				
191	0	4.16					67.8
193	NR		< 50				
194	4	0.38					50.0
196	4	-0.17					47.4
198	3	-0.57					45.5
203	2	-1.32	42.0				
210	3	-0.68					45.0
212	2	1.02					53.0
213	4	-0.04	48.0				
215	4	0.17					49.0
219	3	-0.68					45.0
221	4	-0.47	46.0				
224	2	-1.21					42.5
231	3	-0.83	44.3				
234	4	0.06					48.5
235	3	-0.68		45.0			
236	4	-0.25					47.0
241	1	1.66	56.0				

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)

Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols	
<u>Analytical methods</u>	
0 Other/Not reported	=
1 AA: direct, air	= atomic absorption: direct,air
2 AA: direct, N ₂ O	= atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide
3 AA: graphite furnace	= atomic absorption: graphite furnace
4 ICP	= inductively coupled plasma
5 DCP	= direct current plasma
6 ICP/MS	= mass spectrometry/inductively coupled plasma
7 IC	= ion chromatography
12 Flame emission	= flame emission
20 Titrate: color	= titration: colorimetric [color reagent specified]
21 Titrate: electro	= titration: electrometric
22 Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]
40 Ion electrode	= ion selective electrode
41 Electro	= electrometric: [type meter specified]
50 Gravimetric	= gravimetric: [precipitate specified]
51 Turbidimetric	= turbidimetric: [precipitate specified]
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>	
N	= number of samples
St dev	= traditional standard deviation
MPV	= most probable value
F-pseudosigma	= nonparametric statistic deviation
Hu	= upper hinge value
HI	= lower hinge value
µg/L	= micrograms per liter
mg/L	= milligrams per liter
µS/cm	= microsiemens per centimeter at 25 C
Lab	= laboratory code number
NR	= not rated, less than value reported
<	= less than
Constituent	page
Alk Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	66
B Boron	67
Ca Calcium	68
Cl Chloride	69
DSRD Dissolved solids	70
F Fluoride	71
K Potassium	72
Mg Magnesium	73
Na Sodium	74
total P Phosphorus	75
pH	76
SiO ₂ Silica	77
SO ₄ Sulfate	78
Sp Co Specific Conductance	79
Sr Strontium	80
V Vanadium	81

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Alk (Alkalinity as calcium carbonate) mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	0		20		20 br		21		22		41	
			0	20	20	br	21	22	41					
1	2	1.07					64.6							
3	0	6.07		72.8										
9	2	1.04					64.6							
10	2	1.04		64.6										
11	4	-0.43					62.2							
13	1	-1.66				60.2								
15	0	-2.39		59.0										
16	4	-0.09		62.8										
18	2	-1.29				60.8								
19	1	1.72			65.7									
23	3	-0.61			61.9									
24	1	-1.90			59.8									
25	0	2.51			67.0									
26	3	0.98			64.5									
28	0	2.33		66.7										
32	4	-0.43	62.2											
33	4	-0.49			62.1									
36	0	3.13			68.0									
39	0	4.35			70.0									
40	3	0.55		63.8										
42	3	-0.67			61.8									
43	3	0.67			64.0									
46	4	-0.06			62.8									
48	0	-3.00			58.0									
50	2	-1.17			61.0									
52	4	0.06	63.0											
54	1	-1.78			60.0									
55	1	1.90			66.0									
56	2	1.43	65.2											
57	3	-0.55		62.0										
58	2	-1.17			61.0									
59	3	-0.55			62.0									
68	0	3.13				68.0								
69	3	0.67				64.0								
70	3	-0.55			62.0									
75	4	0.49				63.7								
76	2	-1.10			61.1									
80	3	0.67		64.0										
81	4	-0.43		62.2										
83	4	-0.25	62.5											
84	0	-5.09			54.6									
85	3	-0.86			61.5									
89	4	-0.06		62.8										
90	4	0.06		63.0										
92	4	-0.06			62.8									
96	2	1.29			65.0									
97	3	0.55			63.8									
100	2	1.04	64.6											
105	4	0.06			63.0									
107	1	-1.66			60.2									
109	0	7.69			75.4									
111	4	0.25		63.3										
114	3	0.67			64.0									
118	3	0.67			64.0									
119	3	-0.55		62.0										

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
B (Boron)

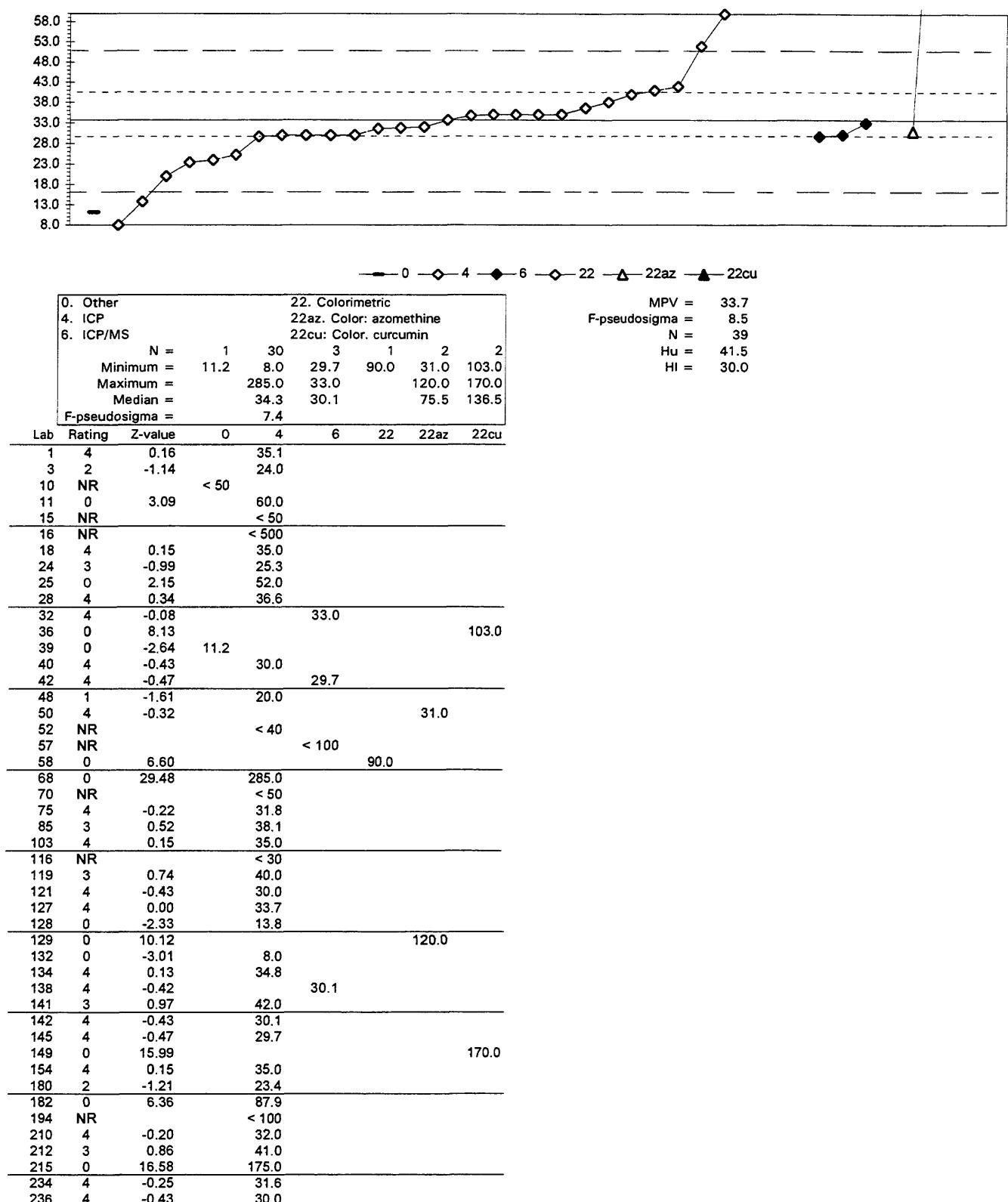
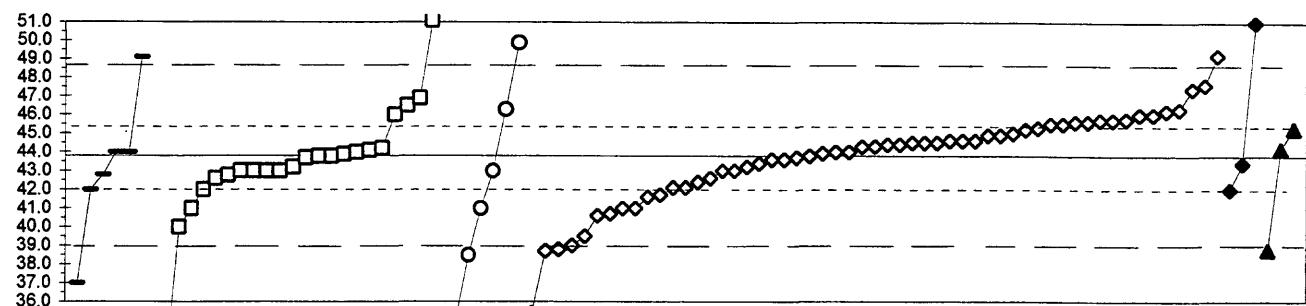


Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Ca (Calcium)

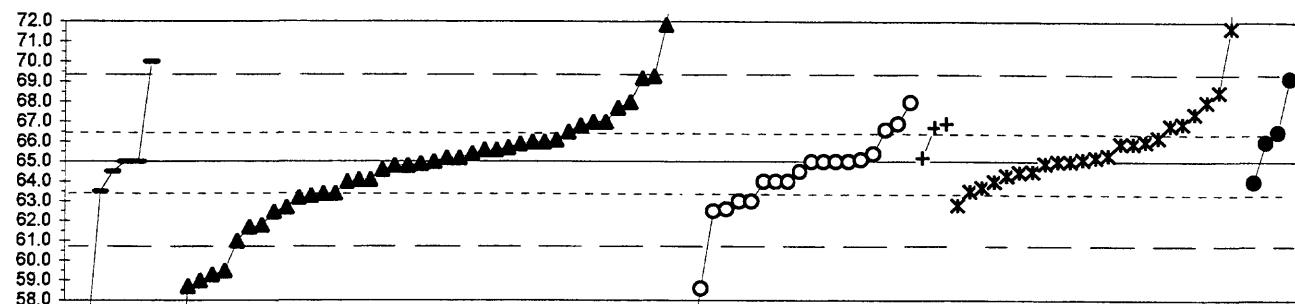


0. Other		4. ICP					
1.	AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS					
2.	AA: direct nitrous oxide	7. Ion chromatography					
N =	6	23	7	55	3	3	
Minimum =	37.0	32.5	19.1	35.4	42.0	38.8	
Maximum =	49.1	51.1	49.9	49.2	51.0	45.3	
Median =	43.4	43.2	41.0	44.3	43.4	44.2	
F-pseudosigma =			1.0	5.8	2.1		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	7
1	3	0.76				45.6		
3	3	0.63			45.3			
7	4	-0.17			43.4			
9	4	0.21			44.3			
10	4	0.13	44.1					
11	2	-1.35			40.6			
13	1	1.52			47.4			
15	4	0.34			44.6			
16	2	-1.31			40.7			
18	3	-0.59			42.4			
19	4	0.25			44.4			
24	3	0.51			45.0			
25	0	-2.11			38.8			
26	4	0.34			44.6			
27	0	2.23	49.1					
28	3	-0.51			42.6			
30	2	1.05	46.3					
32	4	-0.17			43.4			
33	4	0.08	44.0					
36	0	-10.41			19.1			
38	4	-0.34			43.0			
39	2	-1.18			41.0			
40	3	-0.93			41.6			
42	4	0.46			44.9			
43	4	0.08			44.0			
48	3	0.72			45.5			
50	4	-0.34	43.0					
52	4	-0.34			43.0			
54	4	0.08	44.0					
55	3	0.80			45.7			
56	0	-2.87	37.0					
57	3	0.93			46.0			
58	0	-4.76	32.5					
59	4	-0.08			43.6			
64	3	0.59			45.2			
68	1	-1.81			39.5			
69	4	-0.34	43.0					
70	3	0.72			45.5			
75	3	-0.51	42.6					
80	0	3.08	51.1					
81	2	-1.18			41.0			
83	3	-0.72			42.1			
84	4	-0.04	43.7					
85	3	-0.76	42.0					
86	4	0.46			44.9			
87	2	-1.18	41.0					
89	4	-0.25	43.2					
90	3	-0.76	42.0					
92	1	-1.60	40.0					
97	4	0.00	43.8					
101	4	0.00	43.8					
102	0	-3.54			35.4			
103	1	-2.02			39.0			
105	4	0.30			44.5			
107	0	-4.64	32.8					

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	7
109	4	-0.43	42.8					
111	0	2.57		49.9				
114	0	-2.23			38.5			
116	3	0.76				45.6		
119	4	-0.25				43.2		
121	4	0.30				44.5		
127	4	-0.34				43.0		
128	4	-0.04				43.7		
129	3	0.93	46.0					
132	4	0.20				44.3		
133	3	0.93				46.0		
134	4	0.05				43.9		
136	0	-3.67				35.1		
138	2	1.01				46.2		
140	4	-0.34	43.0					
141	4	0.25				44.4		
142	3	0.81				45.7		
145	4	0.08				44.0		
146	4	-0.42	42.8					
151	4	-0.34	43.0					44.2
153	4	0.17						42.0
154	3	-0.72					42.1	
180	1	1.60				47.6		
182	3	0.82				45.8		
190	0	-2.11				38.8		
191	3	-0.76						42.0
194	4	-0.08				43.6		
196	2	1.14	46.5					
210	4	0.00				43.8		
212	0	2.28				49.2		
215	0	-2.15				38.7		
219	0	3.04					51.0	
221	2	1.31	46.9					
224	4	0.34				44.6		
226	4	0.17	44.2					
230	3	0.63						45.3
231	4	0.04	43.9					
234	2	1.05				46.3		
236	3	-0.88				41.7		
237	4	0.30				44.5		
240	4	0.08	44.0					
241	2	-1.18	41.0					

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Cl (Chloride)

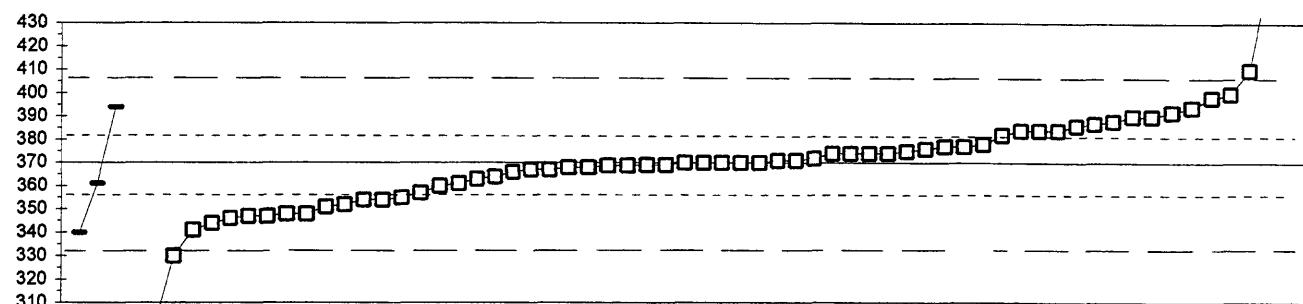


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0. Other			21. Titrate: electrometric					
7. Ion chromatography			22. Colorimetric					
20. Titrate: colorimetric			40. Ion selective electrode					
	N =	7	43	19	3	24	4	
	Minimum =	56.0	50.8	54.5	66.9	63.7	58.6	
	Maximum =	70.0	75.7	68.0	68.0	103.3		
	Median =	64.5	64.9	64.5	65.6	65.0		
	F-pseudosigma =	3.9	2.3	1.5		1.8		
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	21	22	40
1	4	-0.19	64.6					
3	2	1.42			68.0			
7	0	-2.98	58.7					
9	1	1.66			68.5			
10	3	-0.71			63.5			
11	0	3.17			71.7			
13	3	-0.80	63.3					
15	0	-2.70	59.3					
16	3	0.90		66.9				
18	4	0.43			65.9			
19	4	0.00		65.0				
23	3	0.71			66.5			
24	4	-0.24	64.5					
25	1	-1.89		61.0				
26	3	0.71	66.5					
28	0	3.24	71.9					
30	4	0.43	65.9					
32	3	-0.76	63.4					
33	4	-0.09	64.8					
36	4	-0.47		64.0				
39	3	-0.95		63.0				
40	3	0.90			66.9			
42	2	1.42	68.0					
43	4	0.47			66.0			
46	0	18.13			103.3			
48	4	-0.47		64.0				
50	4	-0.47			64.0			
52	4	0.00	65.0					
54	4	-0.05			64.9			
55	2	1.14			67.4			
56	0	-4.21	56.1					
57	4	-0.47		64.0				
58	3	-0.95		63.0				
64	4	0.28	65.6					
68	3	0.85			66.8			
69	4	0.00			65.0			
70	4	0.00		65.0				
75	4	0.05			65.1			
76	4	0.19	65.4					
80	0	-3.03		58.6				
81	2	-1.14		62.6				
84	3	0.57			66.2			
85	4	0.14			65.3			
86	0	5.06	75.7					
87	4	0.00			65.0			
89	4	0.05		65.1				
92	4	0.19		65.4				
96	4	0.43			65.9			
97	3	-0.62			63.7			
100	0	-2.60	59.5					
101	3	0.76		66.6				
102	4	-0.33			64.3			
105	3	0.95	67.0					
107	3	0.80			66.7			
109	3	0.90			66.9			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	21	22	40
111	2	-1.09	62.7					
114	4	-0.47						64.0
116	1	1.99			69.2			
119	4	0.47			66.0			
127	4	-0.09			64.8			
128	4	0.09			65.2			
129	4	0.47			66.0			
134	4	0.28			65.6			
136	2	1.28			67.7			
138	1	-1.56			61.7			
140	4	-0.26						64.5
141	2	-1.04						62.8
142	4	-0.24						64.5
143	4	0.00	65.0					
145	4	-0.43			64.1			
146	0	2.37	70.0					
149	4	-0.47			64.0			
151	3	0.95			67.0			
153	1	-1.51			61.8			
154	4	0.09						65.2
180	4	0.47						66.0
182	4	0.00			65.0			
183	2	1.41			68.0			
190	4	-0.05			64.9			
191	4	0.09			65.2			
193	1	2.04			69.3			
194	1	1.99						69.2
196	3	0.52			66.1			
197	0	-6.62			51.0			
203	4	0.09						65.2
208	4	-0.43			64.1			
210	0	-2.84			59.0			
212	0	-6.72			50.8			
213	2	-1.18						62.5
215	4	0.00						65.0
221	3	-0.71	63.5					
224	4	0.00			65.0			
226	3	-0.76			63.4			
230	4	0.33			65.7			
231	4	-0.24						64.5
234	3	0.85			66.8			
236	2	-1.19			62.5			
237	3	-0.85			63.2			
240	0	-4.26	56.0					
241	0	-4.97						54.5

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
DSRD (Dissolved solids) mg/l



0. Other
 50. Gravimetric

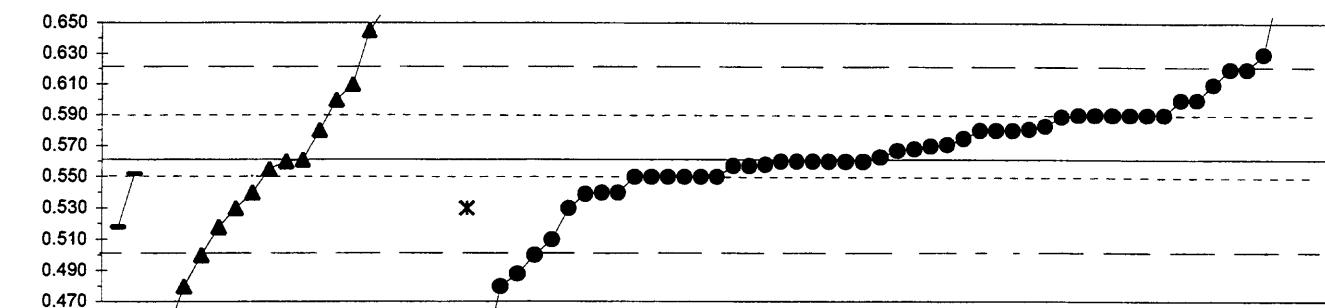
N =	3	62
Minimum =	340	125
Maximum =	394	676
Median =	361	370
F-pseudosigma =	19	

MPV =	370
F-pseudosigma =	19
N =	65
Hu =	382
HI =	357

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	50
1	4	-0.07	369	
3	4	0.22	374	
9	4	-0.11	368	
11	3	-0.86	354	
13	4	0.22	374	
16	4	-0.07	369	
18	4	0.38	377	
19	4	0.11	372	
23	4	0.38	377	
25	3	0.76	384	
26	4	0.00	370	
32	0	-3.83	299	
36	0	4.32	450	
38	2	-1.03	351	
39	2	1.08	390	
40	2	-1.40	344	
43	3	0.86	386	
46	4	0.32	376	
48	3	0.65	382	
50	4	-0.05	369	
54	4	0.00	370	
55	2	1.08	390	
57	0	-2.16	330	
59	3	-0.81	355	
69	4	-0.32	364	
70	4	0.22	374	
76	4	0.22	374	
80	3	-0.70	357	
81	4	0.00	370	
85	3	-0.54	360	
87	2	-1.19	348	
89	3	-0.97	352	
90	4	-0.22	366	
92	2	-1.24	347	
96	4	-0.38	363	
97	0	16.51	676	
100	3	0.76	384	
101	4	-0.16	367	
105	4	0.00	370	
109	3	0.76	384	
114	1	1.62	400	
118	2	1.30	394	
119	2	-1.24	347	
127	4	0.00	370	
129	2	-1.19	348	
134	2	1.19	392	
138	4	-0.16	367	
140	4	-0.49	361	
141	2	-1.30	346	
142	4	0.27	375	
143	4	0.05	371	
146	4	-0.49	361	
149	4	-0.11	368	
151	4	-0.05	369	
154	1	-1.56	341	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	50
182	3	0.92	387	
190	0	2.16	410	
194	3	-0.86	354	
212	4	0.05	371	
215	4	0.43	378	
221	2	1.30	394	
224	1	1.52	398	
234	3	0.97	388	
236	0	-13.22	125	
240	1	-1.62	340	

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
F (Fluoride)



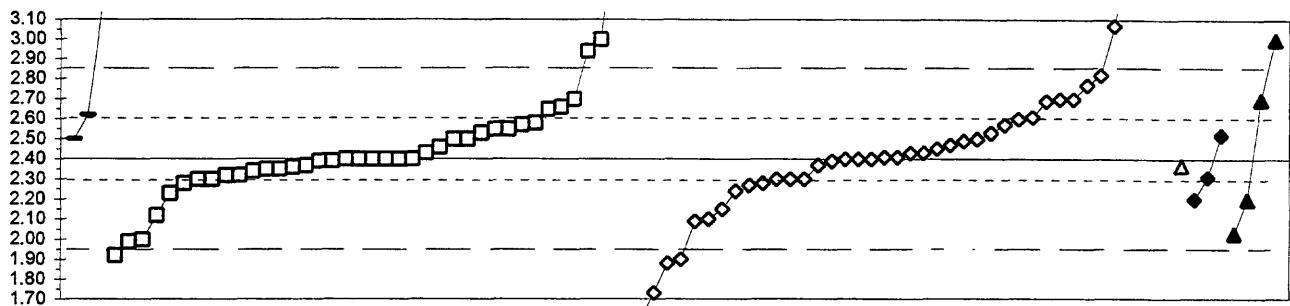
O. Other					40. Ion selective electrode			
7. Ion chromatography								
22. Colorimetric								
	N =	2	19	1	51			
	Minimum =	0.518	0.270	0.530	0.430			
	Maximum =	0.552	0.850		0.980			
	Median =	0.535	0.561		0.567			
	F-pseudosigma =		0.095		0.030			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	40
1	1	1.99				0.620
3	0	4.38				0.691
4	0	4.69		0.700		
7	0	9.75		0.850		
9	4	-0.10				0.558
10	3	0.98				0.590
11	3	0.67				0.581
13	0	2.33				0.630
15	3	0.94				0.589
16	4	-0.37				0.550
18	4	-0.13				0.557
24	3	0.98				0.590
25	3	-0.71				0.540
26	0	3.68		0.670		
28	0	-2.06		0.500		
32	4	0.47				0.575
36	2	1.32				0.600
39	4	0.30				0.570
40	4	-0.37				0.550
42	4	-0.03				0.560
46	4	0.34				0.571
50	4	-0.37				0.550
52	2	-1.45	0.518			
54	4	0.24				0.568
55	0	-2.06				0.500
57	3	-0.71				0.540
58	0	-4.42				0.430
59	4	-0.37				0.550
69	4	-0.03				0.560
70	4	-0.03				0.560
76	4	0.00	0.561			
80	0	4.01				0.680
81	4	-0.03				0.560
83	1	1.65				0.610
85	4	-0.03				0.560
86	0	-3.74		0.450		
89	4	-0.13				0.557
93	0	14.13				0.980
94	4	-0.37				0.550
96	3	0.64				0.580
97	3	0.74				0.583
100	2	-1.05				0.530
102	3	0.64	0.580			
105	3	-0.71		0.540		
107	3	0.98				0.590
109	3	0.64				0.580
114	3	0.98				0.590
119	3	0.98				0.590
127	4	-0.20		0.555		
128	4	-0.03		0.560		
129	2	-1.45	0.518			
134	3	-0.74				0.539
138	1	1.65		0.610		
140	2	1.32				0.600
141	1	-1.72				0.510

MPV = 0.561
F-pseudosigma = 0.030
N = 73
Hu = 0.590
HI = 0.550

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	40
142	3	0.98				0.590
145	0	3.34				0.660
146	4	-0.30	0.552			
149	2	1.32				0.600
153	0	-2.73				0.480
154	2	-1.05				0.530
180	4	-0.37				0.550
182	0	-2.46				0.488
190	4	0.20				0.567
196	4	0.07				0.563
208	0	-9.81	0.270			
210	0	-2.73				0.480
212	4	-0.03				0.560
215	1	1.99				0.620
224	0	2.83	0.645			
234	2	-1.05	0.530			
236	0	4.35	0.690			
241	3	0.64				0.580

13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
K (Potassium) mg/l



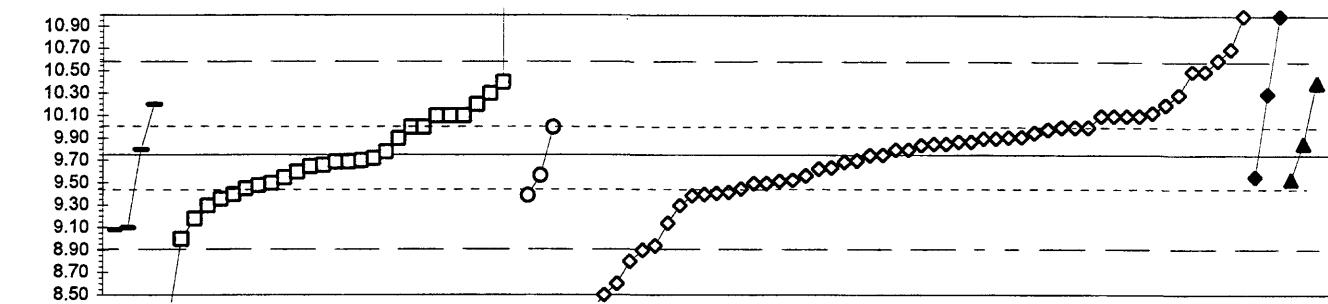
0. Other		5. DCP				
1.	AA: direct air	6.	ICP/MS	7.	Ion chromatography	
4.	ICP	N =	3 39 40 1 3 4			
		Minimum =	2.50 1.92 1.60 2.37 2.20 2.03			
		Maximum =	3.15 4.00 5.00 2.52 3.00			
		Median =	2.62 2.40 2.42 2.31 2.45			
		F-pseudosigma =	0.16 0.27			

MPV = 2.40
F-pseudosigma = 0.22
N = 90
Hu = 2.60
HI = 2.30

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	7
1	4	-0.04		2.39				
3	3	0.76		2.57				
7	1	1.66			2.77			
9	2	1.30			2.69			
10	4	-0.22		2.35				
11	4	0.40			2.49			
13	2	-1.35			2.10			
15	4	-0.04			2.39			
16	1	-1.80		2.00				
18	4	-0.45			2.30			
19	4	0.45			2.50			
24	4	-0.45			2.30			
25	2	-1.39			2.09			
26	4	0.31			2.47			
27	3	0.81		2.58				
28	0	9.89			4.60			
32	3	0.54				2.52		
33	4	-0.13				2.37		
36	1	-1.84		1.99				
38	4	-0.04		2.39				
40	4	0.04			2.41			
42	4	0.00			2.40			
43	4	0.00			2.40			
48	2	-1.12			2.15			
50	4	0.00		2.40				
52	4	0.00			2.40			
54	4	0.00		2.40				
55	4	0.27			2.46			
56	4	0.45	2.50					
57	0	2.70		3.00				
58	4	0.45		2.50				
59	2	1.35			2.70			
64	4	-0.22		2.35				
68	0			< 0.15				
69	3	0.99	2.62					
70	3	-0.54			2.28			
75	4	0.00		2.40				
80	2	1.35		2.70				
81	4	-0.45			2.30			
83	0	-2.16		1.92				
85	2	1.17		2.66				
86	4	0.13			2.43			
87	4	-0.36		2.32				
89	4	-0.45		2.30				
92	0	4.95		3.50				
97	4	-0.18		2.36				
101	4	0.00		2.40				
102	0	-3.60			1.60			
103	2	1.35			2.70			
105	3	0.76		2.57				
107	4	0.13		2.43				
109	2	1.12		2.65				
111	0	2.43		2.94				
114	4	0.45		2.50				
116	0	11.69		5.00				

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	7
107	4	0.13	2.43					
109	2	1.12	2.65					
111	0	2.43	2.94					
114	4	0.45	2.50					
116	0	11.69	5.00					
119	0	-2.25		1.90				
121	4	0.00	2.40					
127	3	0.67	2.55					
128	0	-3.01		1.73				
129	0	7.19	4.00					
132	4	0.23		2.45				
134	4	-0.14	2.37					
136	3	-0.76	2.23					
138	4	-0.13		2.37				
140	2	-1.26	2.12					
141	4	0.04		2.41				
142	1	1.89	2.82					
145	3	-0.58		2.27				
146	0	3.37	3.15					
151	3	-0.54	2.28					
153	3	-0.90		2.20				
154	0	4.50	3.40					
180	0	3.01	3.07					
182	3	0.59	2.53					
190	1	-1.66		2.03				
191	4	-0.40		2.31				
194	3	0.58	2.53					
196	4	-0.45	2.30					
210	0	8.09	4.20					
212	3	0.90	2.60					
215	0	-2.34	1.88					
219	3	-0.90		2.20				
221	3	0.67	2.55					
224	4	0.13		2.43				
226	4	0.00	2.40					
230	2	1.35		2.70				
231	4	-0.27	2.34					
234	3	0.94		2.61				
236	3	-0.72	2.24					
237	0	2.70		3.00				
241	4	-0.36	2.32					

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Mg (Magnesium) mg/l



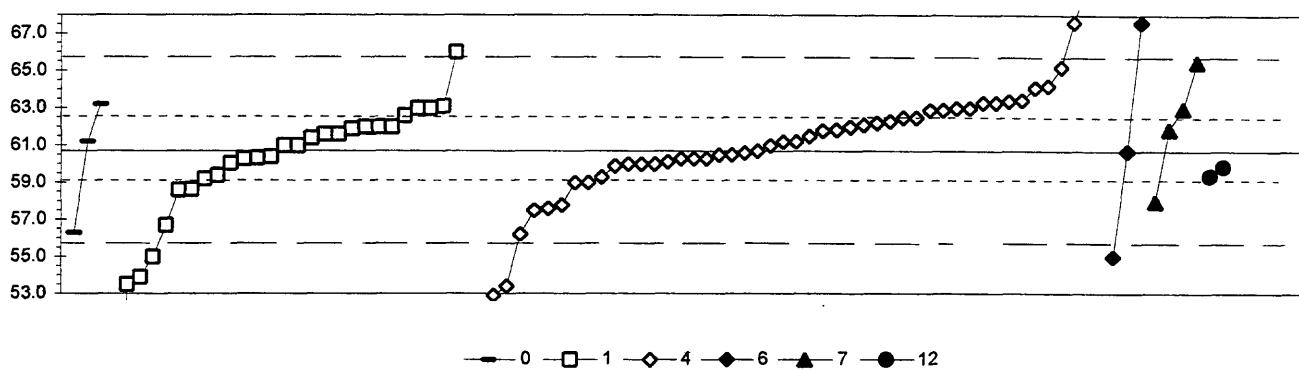
0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	7. Ion chromatography
N = 4	28
Minimum = 9.08	8.20
Maximum = 10.20	114.00
Median = 9.45	9.69
F-pseudosigma =	0.43

MPV = 9.75
F-pseudosigma = 0.41
N = 95
Hu = 10.00
HI = 9.45

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	7
1	4	-0.22		9.66				
3	3	-0.54			9.53			
7	4	-0.44			9.57			
9	4	0.37			9.90			
10	1	1.59		10.40				
11	0	-2.08			8.90			
13	3	-0.61			9.50			
15	3	0.86			10.10			
16	3	-0.61			9.50			
18	2	-1.10			9.30			
19	0	2.08			10.60			
24	3	0.56			9.98			
25	0	-2.33			8.80			
26	3	0.61			10.00			
27	1	-1.64	9.08					
28	3	0.86			10.10			
30	3	-0.88		9.39				
32	2	1.35			10.30			
33	4	0.12	9.80					
36	4	-0.07		9.72				
38	4	0.37		9.90				
39	4	-0.15			9.69			
40	2	-1.50			9.14			
42	3	0.61			10.00			
43	4	0.37			9.90			
48	4	-0.27			9.64			
50	3	0.61	10.00					
52	4	0.12			9.80			
54	3	0.61	10.00					
55	1	1.84			10.50			
56	1	-1.59	9.10					
57	3	0.61			10.00			
58	0	255.70	114.00					
59	1	1.84			10.50			
64	3	-0.86			9.40			
68	0	-5.27			7.60			
69	3	-0.66	9.48					
70	4	0.29			9.87			
75	4	-0.25	9.65					
80	2	1.35	10.30					
81	3	-0.83			9.41			
83	3	-0.81			9.42			
84	3	0.86	10.10					
85	3	-0.74	9.45					
86	3	0.86			10.10			
87	3	-0.96	9.36					
89	2	-1.10	9.30					
92	1	-1.84	9.00					
97	3	0.86	10.10					
101	3	-0.86	9.40					
102	0	-3.07			8.50			
103	0	-2.82			8.60			
105	4	0.25			9.85			
107	4	-0.15	9.69					
109	3	-0.61	9.50					

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	7
111	4	-0.44			9.57			
114	3	0.61				10.00		
116	4	0.49					9.95	
119	4	-0.12					9.70	
121	4	0.00						9.75
127	3	-0.56						9.52
128	1	-1.99						8.94
129	4	-0.49				9.55		
132	0	-16.78					2.91	
133	4	0.39						9.91
134	4	0.40						9.91
136	2	-1.40			9.18			10.10
138	3	0.86						
140	4	-0.37			9.60			
141	4	0.29						9.87
142	3	0.93					10.13	
145	4	-0.29						9.63
146	2	1.10	10.20					
151	4	-0.12			9.70			
153	4	0.27						9.86
154	2	1.10				10.20		
180	0	2.33					10.70	
182	4	0.01						9.75
190	3	-0.52						9.54
191	4	-0.47						9.56
194	4	0.22					9.84	
196	2	1.10			10.20			
210	4	0.25				9.85		
212	0	3.07				11.00		
215	0	-3.43				8.35		
219	0	3.07					11.00	
221	3	0.86			10.10			
224	2	1.32				10.29		
226	4	0.07			9.78			
230	1	1.59						10.40
231	4	-0.15			9.69			
234	3	-0.74				9.45		
236	3	-0.89				9.39		
237	4	0.12				9.80		
241	0	-3.80			8.20			

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Na (Sodium)
 mg/l

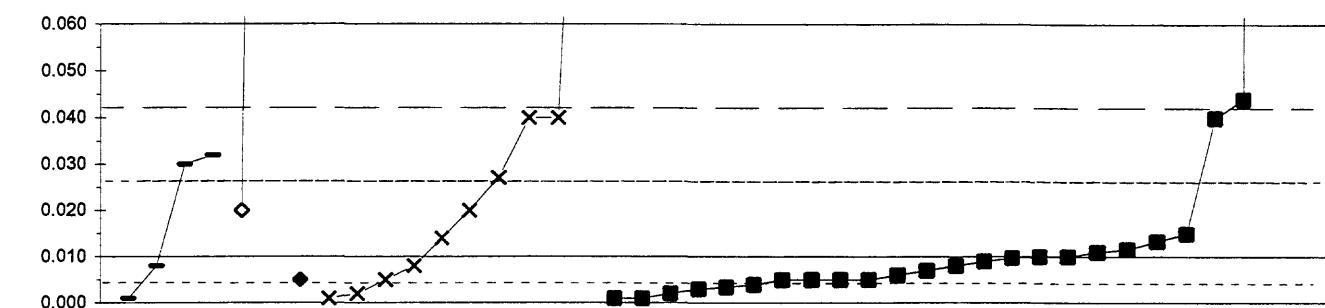


O. Other		6. ICP/MS					
1. AA: direct air		7. Ion chromatography					
4. ICP		12. Flame emission					
N =	3 32 49 3 4 2	Minimum =	56.3 23.0 41.8 55.0 58.0 59.4	Maximum =	63.2 66.0 87.0 67.6 65.5 59.9	Median =	61.2 60.3 61.2 60.7 62.5 59.7
F-pseudosigma =	2.0 2.1						

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6	7	12
1	4	-0.12		60.4				
3	3	0.90			62.9			
7	4	0.20				61.2		
9	3	0.61				62.2		
10	4	0.29		61.4				
11	1	1.84			65.2			
13	3	0.94			63.0			
15	4	-0.16			60.3			
16	3	-0.69			59.0			
18	4	-0.29			60.0			
19	4	-0.16			60.3			
24	3	0.74			62.5			
25	1	-1.84			56.2			
26	3	0.57			62.1			
27	0	-2.78		53.9				
28	2	-1.27			57.6			
32	0	2.82				67.6		
33	4	0.20	61.2					
36	3	-0.61		59.2				
38	3	-0.74		58.9				
39	4	-0.08			60.5			
40	4	0.20			61.2			
42	3	0.90			62.9			
43	3	0.94			63.0			
48	2	-1.19			57.8			
50	4	0.12		61.0				
52	4	-0.29			60.0			
54	4	0.12		61.0				
55	3	-0.53			59.4			
56	1	-1.80	56.3					
57	4	0.12			61.0			
58	0	2.17		66.0				
59	0	10.75			87.0			
64	3	-0.61		59.2				
68	2	-1.31			57.5			
69	3	-0.53				59.4		
70	3	0.53			62.0			
75	4	0.49		61.9				
80	3	-0.86		58.6				
81	4	-0.33			59.9			
83	4	-0.16			60.3			
84	4	-0.33				59.9		
85	3	-0.69		59.0				
86	2	1.06			63.3			
87	3	-0.61		59.2				
89	4	0.37		61.6				
92	0	-15.41		23.0				
97	3	0.98		63.1				
101	3	0.94		63.0				
102	0	-7.73			41.8			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6	7	12
103	4	-0.29			60.0			
105	4	0.33			61.5			
107	3	-0.69			59.0			
109	3	-0.84			58.6			
111	4	-0.16			60.3			
114	0	-2.94			53.5			
116	3	0.65			62.3			
119	4	0.45			61.8			
121	3	0.74			62.5			
127	3	-0.69			59.0			
128	0	-3.19			52.9			
129	3	0.94			63.0			
132	2	1.09			63.4			
134	4	-0.26			60.1			
136	1	-1.64			56.7			
138	2	1.39			64.1			
140	3	0.53			62.0			
141	4	0.00			60.7			
142	4	0.47			61.8			
145	4	-0.24			60.1			
146	2	1.02	63.2					
151	3	0.53			62.0			
153	3	0.94				63.0		
154	2	1.06			63.3			
180	0	2.82			67.6			
182	0	-5.33			47.7			
190	4	0.49				61.9		
191	4	0.00				60.7		
194	2	1.43			64.2			
196	3	0.78		62.6				
210	4	-0.08			60.5			
212	0	3.72			69.8			
215	0	-2.98			53.4			
219	0	-2.33				55.0		
221	3	0.53			62.0			
224	4	-0.04			60.6			
226	4	-0.15			60.3			
230	1	1.96				65.5		
231	4	0.37			61.6			
234	3	-0.57			59.3			
236	2	1.11			63.4			
237	2	-1.10				58.0		
241	0	-2.33			55.0			

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
 total P (total Phosphorus) mg/l

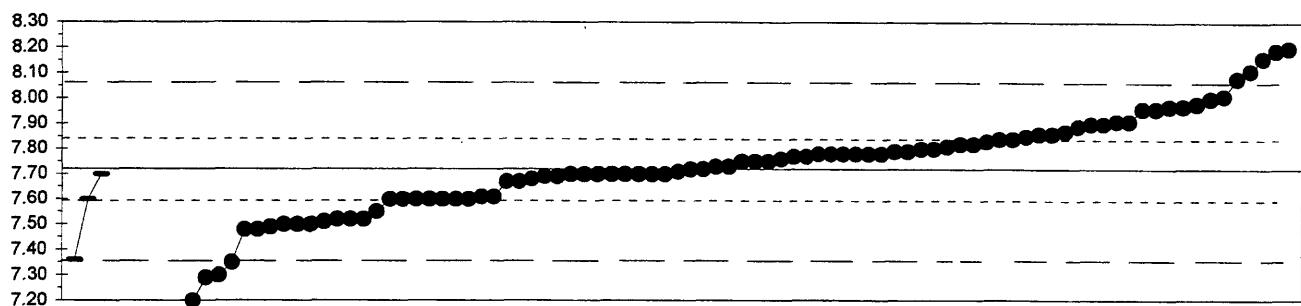


		22. Colorimetric 22m. Color: phosphomolybdate					
0. Other		N =	4	2	1	10	25
4.	ICP	Minimum =	0.001	0.020	0.005	0.001	0.001
6.	ICP/MS	Maximum =	0.032	0.500		0.170	3.400
		Median =	0.019	0.260		0.017	0.008
		F-pseudosigma =				0.026	0.005
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	22	22m
3	NR					< 0.01	
7	NR					< 0.01	
9	3	-0.52				0.001	
13	NR					< 0.05	
15	NR					< 0.02	
16	2	1.07				0.027	
18	4	-0.46				0.002	
23	NR					< 0.1	
25	NR					< 0.121	
28	0	29.94				0.500	
36	NR					< 0.025	
38	4	-0.09				0.008	
39	4	-0.27				0.005	
42	4	0.34				0.015	
48	0	206.96				3.400	
52	2	1.37	0.032				
55	4	0.09				0.011	
57	NR					< 0.02	
58	1	1.86				0.040	
59	3	0.64				0.020	
64	4	-0.27				0.005	
68	0	9.80				0.170	
70	NR					< 0.1	
81	NR					< 0.005	
85	NR					< 0.005	
87	4	0.03				0.010	
89	4	-0.27				0.005	
92	NR					< 0.01	
97	NR					< 0.001	
102	3	-0.52				0.001	
103	NR					< 0.05	
105	1	1.86				0.040	
107	4	-0.21				0.006	
111	4	-0.03				0.009	
114	NR					< 0.01	
118	NR					< 0.01	
119	4	0.03				0.010	
127	4	0.23				0.013	
129	0	72.85				1.203	
134	4	-0.27				0.005	
138	4	-0.37				0.003	
140	NR					< 0.01	
141	NR					< 0.05	
142	NR					< 0.018	
143	4	-0.27				0.005	
145	4	0.03				0.010	
149	3	-0.52				0.001	
151	4	-0.15				0.007	
154	4	-0.40				0.003	
180	NR					< 0.025	

MPV = 0.010
 F-pseudosigma = 0.016
 N = 42
 Hu = 0.027
 HI = 0.005

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	22	22m
182	2	1.25	0.030				
185	4	-0.34				0.004	
190	4	-0.46				0.002	
191	4	-0.27				0.005	
194	NR					< 0.10	
210	NR					< 0.10	
212	0	2.11				0.044	
213	NR					< 0.02	
215	1	1.86				0.040	
221	3	-0.52	0.001				
224	NR					< 0.01	
226	4	0.13				0.012	
234	4	0.27				0.014	
236	3	0.64				0.020	
240	4	-0.09	0.008				
241	4	-0.09				0.008	

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
pH



0. Other
41. Direct reading

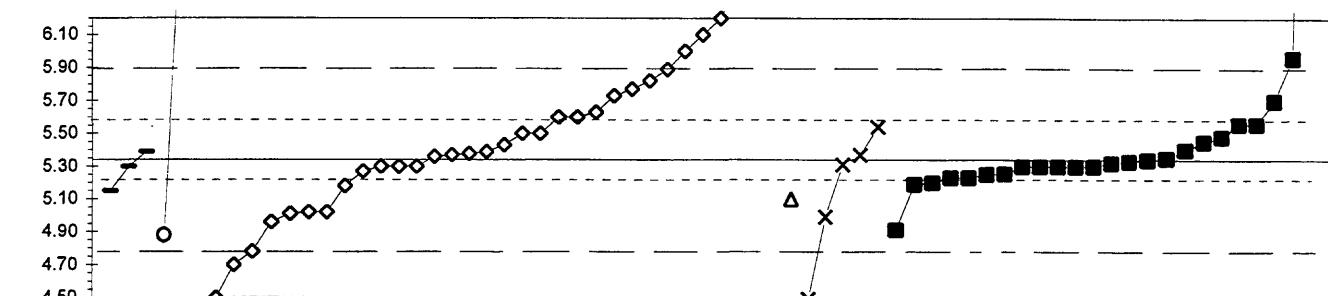
N =	3	91
Minimum =	7.36	3.50
Maximum =	7.70	8.20
Median =	7.60	7.72
F-pseudosigma =	0.17	

MPV =	7.72
F-pseudosigma =	0.17
N =	94
Hu =	7.83
Hi =	7.60

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
1	2	-1.14	7.52	
3	4	0.44	7.79	
7	2	-1.38	7.48	
10	0	2.14	8.08	
11	2	-1.20	7.51	
13	3	0.67	7.83	
15	0	-2.43	7.30	
16	3	-0.67	7.60	
18	4	0.38	7.78	
19	0	-5.72	6.74	
23	4	0.38	7.78	
24	4	0.50	7.80	
25	4	0.21	7.75	
26	3	0.91	7.87	
28	3	-0.67	7.60	
32	3	0.62	7.82	
33	4	0.38	7.78	
36	3	-0.67	7.60	
39	2	1.09	7.90	
40	2	1.14	7.91	
42	2	-1.26	7.50	
43	2	-1.32	7.49	
46	1	1.73	8.01	
48	0	-7.13	6.50	
50	0	-2.14	7.35	
52	3	-0.67	7.60	
54	3	0.79	7.85	
55	4	-0.09	7.70	
56	4	0.21	7.75	
57	3	-0.67	7.60	
58	2	-1.38	7.48	
59	4	0.38	7.78	
64	0	2.61	8.16	
68	2	1.09	7.90	
69	4	0.03	7.72	
70	4	-0.15	7.69	
75	2	1.50	7.97	
76	4	0.09	7.73	
80	2	-1.26	7.50	
81	4	-0.09	7.70	
84	4	0.21	7.75	
85	4	0.26	7.76	
86	4	0.32	7.77	
87	4	-0.09	7.70	
89	0	-24.72	3.50	
90	4	0.38	7.78	
92	3	-0.62	7.61	
93	4	0.50	7.80	
96	4	-0.09	7.70	
97	1	1.67	8.00	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
100	3	-0.62	7.61	
101	4	-0.21	7.68	
105	4	0.32	7.77	
107	0	-17.33	4.76	
109	0	-5.48	6.78	
111	3	0.73	7.84	
114	3	-0.67	7.60	
118	2	-1.26	7.50	
119	2	1.44	7.96	
127	4	-0.09	7.70	
128	4	-0.15	7.69	
129	3	0.56	7.81	
132	4	0.09	7.73	
134	4	-0.03	7.71	
136	3	0.73	7.84	
138	1	1.55	7.98	
140	2	-1.14	7.52	
141	3	0.85	7.86	
142	4	0.03	7.72	
143	3	0.62	7.82	
145	0	-3.02	7.20	
146	0	-2.08	7.36	
149	2	1.44	7.96	
151	4	-0.26	7.67	
153	2	-1.14	7.52	
154	0	2.79	8.19	
180	4	-0.09	7.70	
182	3	-0.67	7.60	
190	2	1.14	7.91	
194	3	-0.97	7.55	
196	0	-7.48	6.44	
203	4	-0.26	7.67	
204	0	-2.49	7.29	
210	0	2.32	8.11	
212	3	-0.67	7.60	
213	4	0.38	7.78	
215	3	0.85	7.86	
221	4	-0.09	7.70	
224	4	-0.09	7.70	
234	2	1.03	7.89	
236	4	-0.09	7.70	
237	0	2.84	8.20	
240	2	1.50	7.97	
241	4	0.44	7.79	

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
SiO₂ (Silica)



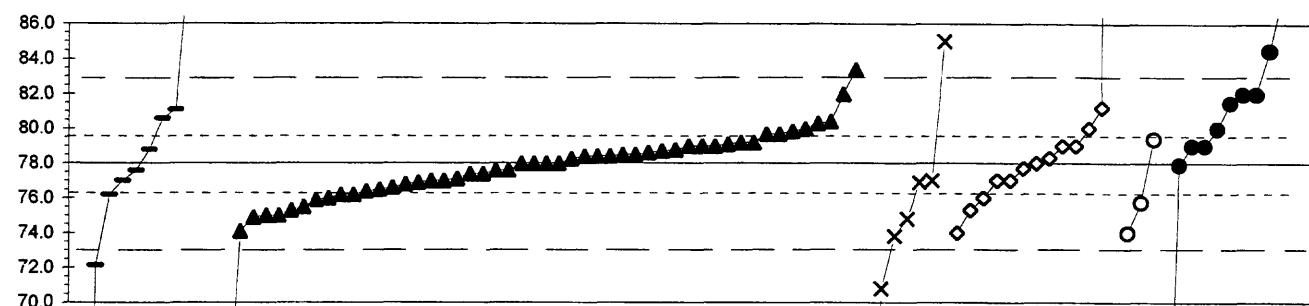
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0. Other	5. DCP
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	22. Colorimetric
4. ICP	22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
N = 3 2 33 1 5 24	
Minimum = 5.15 4.88 2.63 5.10 4.49 4.91	
Maximum = 5.39 7.00 55.00 5.54 11.00	
Median = 5.30 5.94 5.39 5.31 5.31	
F-pseudosigma = 0.44	0.16

MPV = 5.34
F-pseudosigma = 0.27
N = 68
Hu = 5.58
Hi = 5.22

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	4	5	22	22m
1	4	0.35			5.43			
3	1	1.61			5.77			
7	2	1.46			5.73			
9	4	-0.02					5.33	
10	4	-0.13					5.30	
11	1	1.79			5.82			
13	0	3.20			6.20			
15	4	0.20			5.39			
18	0	-3.12				4.49		
24	3	0.98			5.60			
25	0	7.19			7.28			
28	0	-3.09			4.50			
33	3	-0.87				5.10		
36	0	20.94					11.00	
38	4	-0.31					5.25	
39	4	0.20	5.39					
40	3	0.61			5.50			
42	3	0.98			5.60			
43	3	0.61			5.50			
46	4	0.06				5.35		
50	4	-0.13					5.30	
52	4	-0.13	5.30					
55	2	-1.16			5.02			
57	4	-0.13			5.30			
59	2	1.35				5.70		
64	2	-1.20			5.01			
68	4	-0.09				5.31		
70	3	-0.68	5.15					
80	0	6.15		7.00				
81	2	-1.28			4.99			
83	2	-1.39			4.96			
85	4	-0.13				5.30		
87	4	-0.39					5.23	
89	4	-0.50					5.20	
92	4	-0.06					5.32	
97	4	0.13			5.37			
102	1	-1.57				4.91		
103	0	-2.35			4.70			
105	2	1.09			5.63			
107	3	0.54				5.48		
111	3	-0.54					5.19	
116	4	0.13			5.37			
118	4	0.24					5.40	
119	0	2.46			6.00			
121	4	-0.13			5.30			
127	4	0.09			5.36			
128	3	-0.57			5.18			
134	4	0.16			5.38			
138	3	0.83				5.56		
140	3	0.76			5.54			

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
SO₄ (Sulfate) mg/l



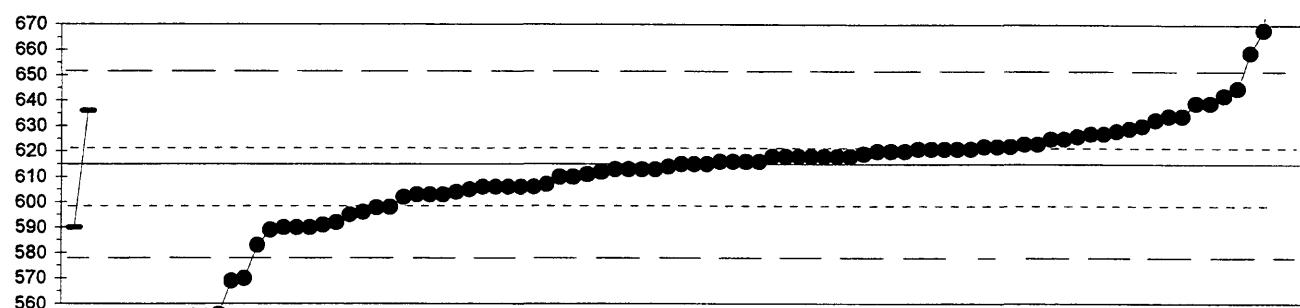
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0. Other	22mtb. Color: methyl thymol blue					
7. Ion chromatography	50. Gravimetric					
22. Colorimetric	51. Turbidimetric					
N =	11	50	7	13	3	11
Minimum =	8	61	40	74	74	53
Maximum =	123	83	85	241	79	93
Median =	79	78	75	78	76	82
F-pseudosigma =	7	2	3	1	3	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22mtb	50	51
1	2	-1.29		74.9				
3	4	-0.50		76.8				
4	1	-1.62		74.1				
7	2	-1.25		75.0				
9	2	-1.12			75.3			
11	4	0.42				79.0		
13	4	-0.42		77.0				
15	2	-1.25		75.0				
16	0	-2.43	72.2					
18	1	-1.74		73.8				
19	4	0.12			78.3			
23	0	6.39				93.4		
24	4	-0.17	77.6					
25	1	1.66		82.0				
26	4	0.17		78.4				
28	0	8.59	98.7					
30	4	0.17		78.4				
32	3	-0.87		75.9				
33	4	-0.25		77.4				
36	0	-10.38			53.0			
39	3	0.83		80.0				
40	4	0.42		79.0				
42	4	0.00		78.0				
43	1	-1.66			74.0			
46	4	0.29		78.7				
48	4	0.42			79.0			
50	4	-0.42			77.0			
52	4	0.33	78.8					
54	0	4.15				88.0		
55	4	-0.42			77.0			
56	2	1.08	80.6					
57	0	2.91		85.0				
58	3	0.58			79.4			
59	3	-0.58		76.6				
64	4	0.25		78.6				
69	4	0.00			78.0			
70	3	-0.66		76.4				
75	4	-0.12			77.7			
76	4	-0.25		77.4				
80	2	1.29	81.1					
81	0	-2.99			70.8			
83	3	-0.75	76.2					
85	4	-0.17		77.6				
86	4	0.42		79.0				
87	3	-0.83			76.0			
89	4	-0.42		77.0				
92	4	-0.04			77.9			
94	4	0.42			79.0			
97	0	-15.65			40.3			
100	4	-0.17		77.6				

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22mtb	50	51
102	3	0.83				80.0		
105	3	0.95			80.3			
109	3	-0.94					75.7	
111	2	-1.12			75.3			
114	1	1.66						82.0
116	0	2.24			83.4			
119	4	0.00			78.0			
127	4	0.50			79.2			
128	4	0.21			78.5			
129	4	0.00			78.0			
134	4	0.32			78.8			
136	4	0.46			79.1			
138	2	-1.04			75.5			
140	2	1.45					81.5	
141	3	0.83					80.0	
142	1	-1.66				74.0		
145	4	0.21			78.5			
146	0	18.68	123.0					
149	3	-0.83			76.0			
151	4	0.42			79.0			
153	4	0.17			78.4			
154	2	-1.33				74.8		
180	4	0.42					79.0	
182	0	4.98	90.0					
190	4	0.50			79.2			
191	4	-0.46			76.9			
193	3	0.71			79.7			
194	4	-0.46				76.9		
196	3	-0.75			76.2			
197	3	0.77			79.9			
203	0	67.66				241.0		
204	2	1.33				81.2		
208	3	-0.62			76.5			
210	4	0.00			78.0			
212	3	0.71			79.7			
215	1	1.66						82.0
224	4	0.10			78.3			
226	0	-7.03			61.1			
230	3	-0.75			76.2			
231	0	2.70						84.5
234	3	1.00			80.4			
236	4	-0.37			77.1			
237	4	-0.42			77.0			
240	4	-0.42			77.0			
241	0	-29.06	8.0					

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
Sp Cond (Specific Conductance) $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$



O. Other
 41. Direct reading

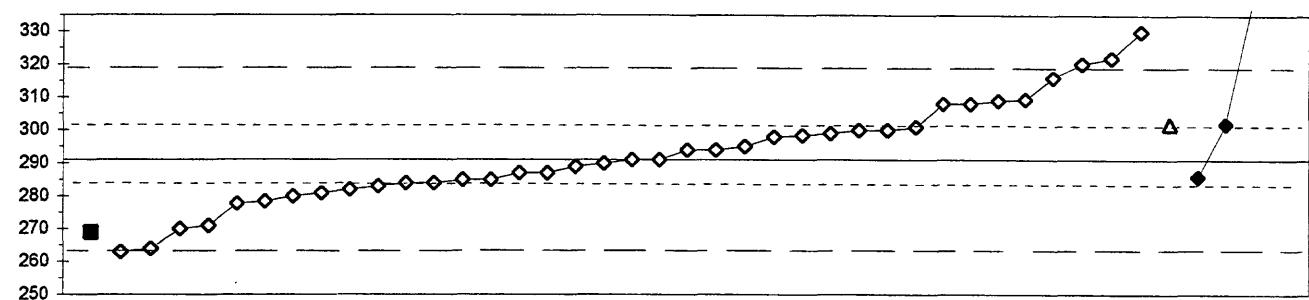
N =	2	91
Minimum =	590	58
Maximum =	636	746
Median =	613	615
F-pseudosigma =	16	

MPV =	615
F-pseudosigma =	18
N =	93
Hu =	622
HI =	598

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
1	3	-0.51	606	
3	4	0.28	620	
7	3	-0.56	605	
9	0	-2.59	569	
10	4	0.00	615	
11	3	-0.51	606	
13	4	0.45	623	
15	1	1.69	645	
16	3	-0.97	598	
18	3	-0.73	602	
19	2	1.07	634	
23	2	-1.29	592	
24	4	0.17	618	
25	3	0.84	630	
26	3	0.67	627	
27	4	-0.11	613	
28	0	2.98	668	
32	4	-0.22	611	
33	4	0.06	616	
36	1	1.52	642	
38	3	0.98	633	
39	0	-7.53	481	
40	4	0.17	618	
42	3	0.79	629	
43	4	0.06	616	
46	0	7.36	746	
48	4	0.17	618	
50	4	0.00	615	
52	2	-1.41	590	
54	4	0.34	621	
55	4	0.28	620	
56	4	0.06	616	
57	2	-1.41	590	
58	3	-0.67	603	
59	2	1.07	634	
64	4	0.17	618	
68	4	0.34	621	
70	3	-0.67	603	
75	4	-0.11	613	
76	3	-0.51	606	
80	4	0.17	618	
81	4	0.39	622	
84	4	0.34	621	
85	4	0.22	619	
86	4	0.17	618	
87	0	-3.37	555	
89	3	-0.96	598	
90	3	0.73	628	
93	0	-4.75	531	
96	0	-29.94	82	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
97	4	0.39	622	
100	2	-1.12	595	
101	4	-0.11	613	
102	3	0.56	625	
105	4	0.17	618	
107	3	0.56	625	
109	2	-1.07	596	
111	4	-0.28	610	
114	1	-1.80	583	
118	4	-0.17	612	
119	3	-0.67	603	
127	3	-0.62	604	
128	2	1.35	639	
129	2	-1.35	591	
134	4	0.06	616	
136	4	0.34	621	
140	3	0.62	626	
141	4	0.39	622	
142	3	0.67	627	
143	4	-0.45	607	
145	2	-1.46	589	
146	2	1.18	636	
151	4	0.00	615	
153	3	-0.51	606	
154	3	-0.51	606	
180	0	-7.59	480	
182	0	-3.32	556	
183	0	-3.37	555	
190	4	0.45	623	
193	4	-0.06	614	
194	0	-2.53	570	
196	0	2.47	659	
203	4	-0.28	610	
204	0	-31.31	58	
210	2	-1.41	590	
212	4	-0.11	613	
215	4	0.34	621	
224	2	-1.41	590	
234	4	0.28	620	
236	0	-3.65	550	
237	2	1.35	639	
240	0	-3.65	550	
241	0	6.46	730	

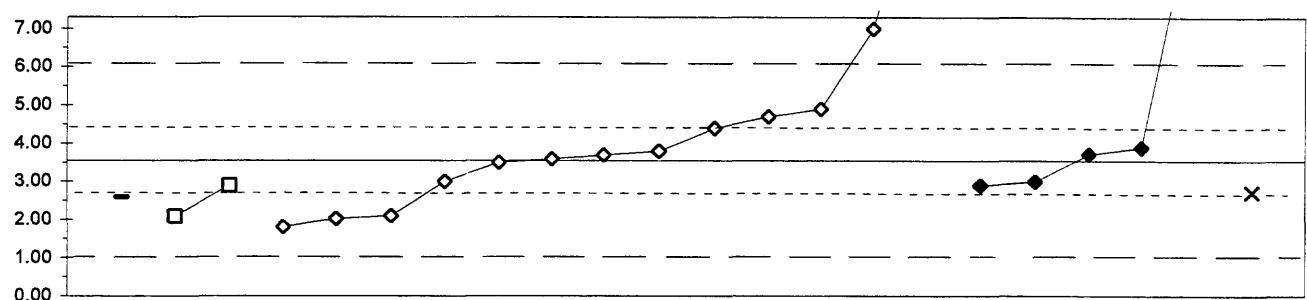
Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
 Sr (Strontium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



3. AA: graphite furnace		6. ICP/MS				
4. ICP		7. Ion chromatography				
5. DCP		41. Direct reading				
N =	1	37	1	3	0	1
Minimum =	269	263	302	286		658
Maximum =		330		340		
Median =		291		302		
F-pseudosigma =		13				

Lab	Rating	Z-value	3	4	5	6	7	41
1	3	0.55		299				
3	3	-0.73		281				
7	4	0.00		291				
9	3	0.73		301				
15	4	-0.44		285				
16	2	-1.46		271				
18	3	-0.66		282				
24	0	2.26		322				
25	1	-2.04		263				
28	3	-0.97		278				
32	3	0.80			302			
33	3	0.80				302		
39	4	-0.15			289			
40	1	-1.53			270			
42	2	1.24			308			
52	3	0.66			300			
55	3	0.58			299			
59	2	1.24			308			
68	3	-0.80			280			
70	4	0.29			295			
81	3	-0.58			283			
85	4	0.22			294			
86	4	-0.07			290			
96	0	26.76				658		
97	1	-1.60	269					
102	1	-1.97		264				
103	4	-0.44		285				
105	1	1.82		316				
116	2	1.31		309				
121	3	0.66		300				
127	3	-0.51		284				
134	4	-0.29		287				
138	3	0.51		298				
142	2	1.34		309				
145	3	-0.92		278				
154	3	-0.51		284				
182	0	2.13		320				
190	0				< 0.05			
191	4	-0.36			286			
210	4	0.00		291				
212	0	2.84		330				
219	0	3.57			340			
234	4	0.22		294				
236	4	-0.29		287				

Table 13. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-134 (major constituents)--Continued
 V (Vanadium) $\mu\text{g/l}$



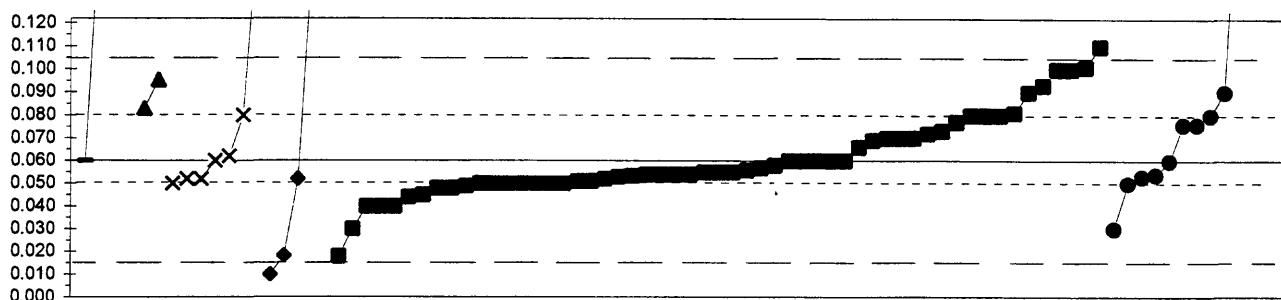
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3. AA: graphite furnace	22. Colorimetric
4. ICP	
N =	1 2 13 5 1
Minimum =	2.60 2.09 1.80 2.90 2.73
Maximum =	2.90 11.80 10.60
Median =	2.50 3.70 3.72
F-pseudosigma =	1.21

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	3	4	6	22
1	3	-0.66				2.73	
3	NR				< 10		
7	4	0.12			3.70		
13	NR				< 20		
15	NR				< 10		
16	NR				< 100		
18	NR				< 5		
25	NR				< 4		
28	2	1.09			4.90		
32	0	5.70				10.60	
36	2	-1.18		2.09			
42	4	-0.44				3.00	
48	NR				< 200		
52	2	-1.17			2.10		
57	NR				< 100		
68	NR				< 3		
70	NR				< 50		
81	NR				< 4		
85	NR				< 20		
86	3	0.69			4.40		
97	NR				< 3.15		
102	4	-0.44			3.00		
103	NR				< 10		
105	NR				< 13		
127	NR				< 4		
128	NR				< 5		
134	3	-0.52		2.90			
138	3	-0.52			2.90		
141	NR				< 10		
142	4	0.14			3.72		
145	4	0.20			3.80		
146	3	-0.76	2.60				
154	0	6.67			11.80		
180	NR				< 4.1		
182	4	0.04			3.59		
210	4	-0.04			3.50		
212	3	0.93			4.70		
219	4	0.29			3.90		
224	2	-1.41			1.80		
234	2	-1.23			2.02		
236	0	2.79			7.00		

Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)

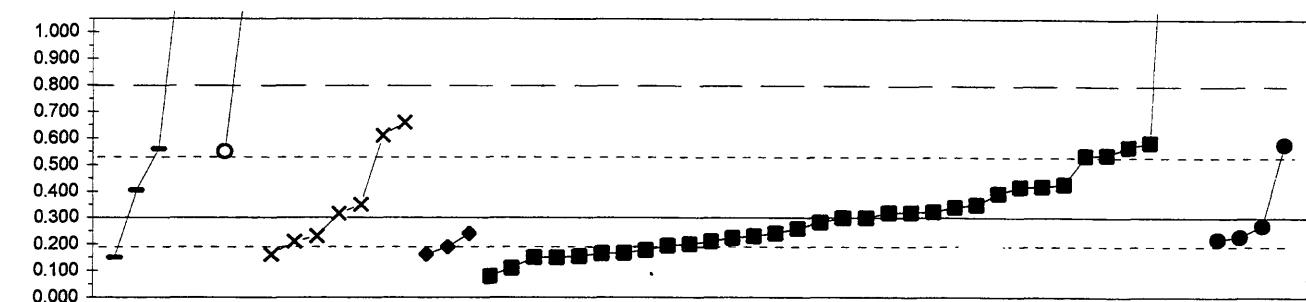
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<u>Analytical methods</u>		
0. Other/Not reported		
4. ICP	= inductively coupled plasma	
5. DCP	= direct coupled plasma	
7. IC	= ion chromatography	
20. Titrate: color	= titration: colorimetric (color reagent specified)	
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]	
40. Ion electrode	= ion selective electrode	
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>		
N =	number of samples	
St dev =	traditional standard deviation	
MPV =	most probable value	
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation	
Hu =	upper hinge value	
HI =	lower hinge value	
mg/L =	milligrams per liter	
Lab =	laboratory code number	
NR =	not rated, less than value reported	
< =	less than	
<u>Constituent</u>		
NH3 as N	Ammonia as nitrogen	page
NH3+Org N as N	Ammonia plus organic nitrogen	83
NO3+NO2 as N	Nitrate plus nitrite as nitrogen	84
Total P as P	Total Phosphorus as phosphorus	85
PO4 as P	Orthophosphate as phosphorus	86
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Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)--Continued
NH₃ as N (Ammonia) mg/l



0. Other			22n. Color: Nesslerization						MPV = 0.060		
7. Ion chromatography			22p. Color: phenate						F-pseudosigma = 0.021		
22. Colorimetric			40. Ion selective electrode						N = 85		
			N =	4	2	7	5	55	12		
			Minimum =	0.060	0.083	0.050	0.010	0.018	0.030		
			Maximum =	1.960	0.096	0.160	0.250	0.110	0.630		
			Median =	0.237	0.089	0.060	0.052	0.055	0.076		
			F-pseudosigma =			0.014		0.015	0.068		
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22n	22p	40	Lab	Rating	Z-value
1	4	-0.28				0.054			132	4	-0.47
3	4	0.09			0.062			133	3	0.74	
7	NR				< 0.1			134	4	0.47	
9	4	-0.42				0.051			136	4	0.42
10	4	-0.28					0.054		138	4	-0.37
13	4	0.00				0.060			140	3	0.93
15	4	-0.37			0.052			141	1	1.91	
16	0	5.30	0.174						142	1	-1.95
18	4	-0.28				0.054			143	3	-0.93
21	4	-0.47				0.050			145	4	-0.47
23	3	0.60				0.073			146	4	-0.23
25	NR				< 0.05				149	4	-0.47
26	2	1.07			0.083			151	3	-0.93	
28	1	1.86				0.100			154	4	-0.19
32	1	1.65			0.096			180	4	-0.42	
33	4	0.00				0.060			182	0	-2.33
36	0	6.51				0.200			183	3	0.93
38	4	-0.28				0.054			185	4	-0.31
39	3	-0.74				0.044			190	3	0.93
46	4	-0.33				0.053			194	0	4.65
48	4	-0.47				0.050			197	4	-0.37
52	4	0.00				0.060			198	4	-0.23
53	1	-1.94			0.018				203	4	0.28
55	3	0.79				0.077			209	4	0.00
58	2	-1.40				0.030			210	0	11.16
59	4	-0.47				0.050			212	0	2.33
60	1	1.54				0.093			215	3	0.93
64	4	0.00				0.060			221	4	0.00
70	NR					< 0.1			224	0	23.26
75	4	-0.23				0.055			226	3	0.56
76	4	-0.47				0.050			231	4	-0.47
80	0	8.84			0.250			234	3	0.74	
84	3	-0.51				0.049			240	0	88.38
85	4	-0.28				0.054			241	4	1.960
86	3	0.98				0.081					0.053
87	2	-1.40				0.030					
88	3	-0.56				0.048					
89	4	0.47				0.070					
90	3	-0.56				0.048					
91	4	0.00				0.060					
92	0	26.51				0.630					
93	4	-0.47				0.050					
94	4	0.47				0.070					
96	3	-0.70				0.045					
97	4	-0.37			0.052						
100	3	-0.93				0.040					
102	3	0.93				0.080					
105	4	0.00			0.060						
107	4	-0.09				0.058					
114	NR					< 0.1					
118	1	1.86				0.100					
119	2	1.40				0.090					
127	4	-0.14				0.057					
128	2	1.40				0.090					
129	0	4.05				0.147					

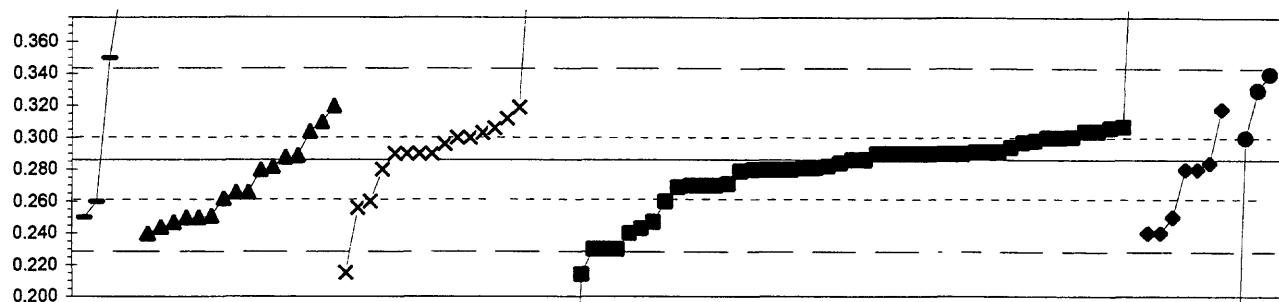
Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)--Continued
NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	NH ₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) mg/l				
			0	20	22	22n	22p
1	NR				< 0.2		
3	NR			< 1			
9	3	0.96			0.540		
10	4	0.16			0.340		
15	NR			< 0.5			
16	4	0.43	0.406				
18	4	-0.31			0.224		
21	4	-0.24			0.241		
25	NR			< 0.05			
28	0	7.63			2.200		
36	NR			< 0.5			
38	4	-0.24			0.240		
46	4	-0.16			0.260		
48	0	24.49			6.400		
52	4	0.38			0.394		
55	3	-0.54			0.166		
56	3	-0.60	0.150				
58	3	1.00		0.550			
59	4	0.00			0.300		
60	2	1.08			0.570		
70	4	0.47			0.418		
85	4	0.08			0.320		
87	3	-0.60			0.150		
89	2	1.15			0.587		
90	3	-0.59			0.154		
91	4	-0.28			0.230		
94	3	-0.76			0.110		
96	3	-0.54			0.165		
97	4	-0.44			0.190		
100	0	4.06	1.310				
102	3	-0.88			0.080		
104	4	-0.36			0.211		
105	2	1.45		0.660			
118	4	0.08			0.320		
119	4	-0.28			0.230		
127	4	-0.49			0.177		
128	4	0.48			0.420		
129	3	-0.55			0.162		
133	4	-0.32			0.220		
134	4	-0.40			0.200		
138	4	-0.06			0.284		
140	4	0.20		0.350			
141	NR				< 1		
142	3	0.95			0.536		
143	4	0.00			0.300		
145	4	0.20			0.350		
180	4	-0.43			0.194		
185	2	1.25		0.611			
190	3	-0.60			0.150		
194	4	-0.36		0.210			
198	4	0.10			0.324		
203	4	0.06		0.316			
209	3	-0.56			0.160		
210	0	4.01	1.300				
212	NR				< 0.5		

Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)--Continued
NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite)

mg/l



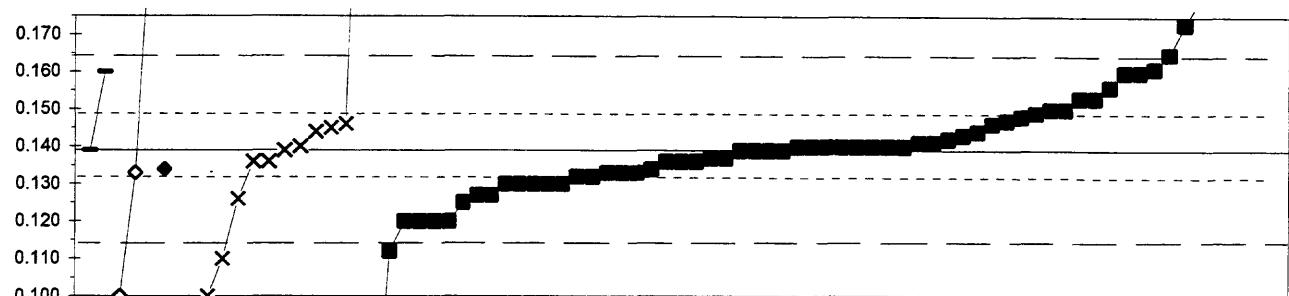
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0. Other	22cd. Color: cd diazo
7. Ion chromatography	22h. Color: hydrazine diazo
22. Colorimetric	22s. Color:sulfanilamide
N =	5 16 18 47 7 4
Minimum =	0.250 0.240 0.215 0.028 0.240 0.040
Maximum =	1.000 0.320 0.660 0.496 0.318 0.340
Median =	0.350 0.266 0.298 0.286 0.280 0.315
F-pseudosigma =	0.029 0.016 0.034 0.027

MPV = 0.286
F-pseudosigma = 0.028
N = 97
Hu = 0.300
HI = 0.262

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22cd	22h	22s	Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22cd	22h	22s
1	0	-2.56				0.214			111	3	-0.71	0.266					
3	3	0.60			0.303				114	4	0.14			0.290			
7	4	-0.21			0.280				118	1	-1.63				0.240		
9	3	0.75			0.307				119	4	0.50		0.300				
10	4	0.14			0.290				126	3	-0.57			0.270			
12	4	0.14			0.290				127	3	-0.71	0.266					
13	1	-1.63	0.240						128	3	0.85	0.310					
15	3	0.92		0.312					129	3	0.64	0.304					
16	0	4.08	0.401						132	2	-1.28			0.250			
18	0	-9.16		0.028					133	1	-1.99			0.230			
19	4	0.50		0.300					134	4	0.50			0.300			
21	4	-0.21			0.280				138	4	0.28			0.294			
23	4	-0.18			0.281				140	4	0.14		0.290				
25	4	-0.21		0.280					141	4	-0.07			0.284			
26	2	-1.38	0.247						142	3	0.71	0.306					
28	0	-8.73			0.040				143	4	-0.18			0.281			
36	1	-1.53			0.243				145	1	-1.63			0.240			
38	4	0.18			0.291				146	4	-0.25			0.279			
39	4	0.07		0.288					151	4	0.14	0.290					
42	2	-1.28	0.250						154	3	-0.57	0.270					
43	1	1.92			0.340				180	4	0.43			0.298			
46	4	0.00			0.286				183	0	25.35	1.000					
48	1	-1.63			0.240				185	3	0.51			0.300			
52	4	0.00			0.286				190	4	-0.14	0.282					
53	4	0.18			0.291				191	2	-1.28	0.250					
55	4	0.39			0.297				193	2	1.21	0.320					
56	2	-1.28	0.250						194	4	0.14	0.290					
58	0	13.28		0.660					196	2	-1.24	0.251					
59	1	-1.99			0.230				197	4	0.36	0.296					
60	3	-0.53			0.271				198	3	0.71	0.306					
64	4	-0.21			0.280				203	0	-2.52	0.215					
69	4	-0.21			0.280				208	4	0.11	0.289					
70	2	-1.38			0.247				209	1	1.56			0.330			
75	3	-0.60			0.269				210	NR		< 0.5					
76	2	-1.49	0.244						212	4	0.14	0.290					
80	3	-0.92	0.260						215	4	0.14	0.290					
83	4	0.14		0.290					221	0	2.27	0.350					
84	3	-0.92		0.260					224	2	1.17		0.319				
85	4	-0.21		0.280					226	3	0.64		0.304				
86	4	-0.14		0.282					231	3	-0.92	0.260					
87	4	0.14		0.290					234	3	-0.85	0.262					
88	0	7.46		0.496					240	0	8.66		0.530				
89	4	0.14		0.290					241	2	-1.07		0.256				
90	2	1.14			0.318												
91	4	-0.21			0.280												
92	4	-0.07			0.284												
94	4	0.14			0.290												
96	4	-0.21			0.280												
97	4	0.50			0.300												
100	4	0.50			0.300												
102	1	-1.99			0.230												
104	4	0.18			0.291												
105	0	5.47		0.440													
107	3	0.64			0.304												
108	3	-0.57			0.270												

Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)--Continued
 Total P as P (total Phosphorus) mg/l



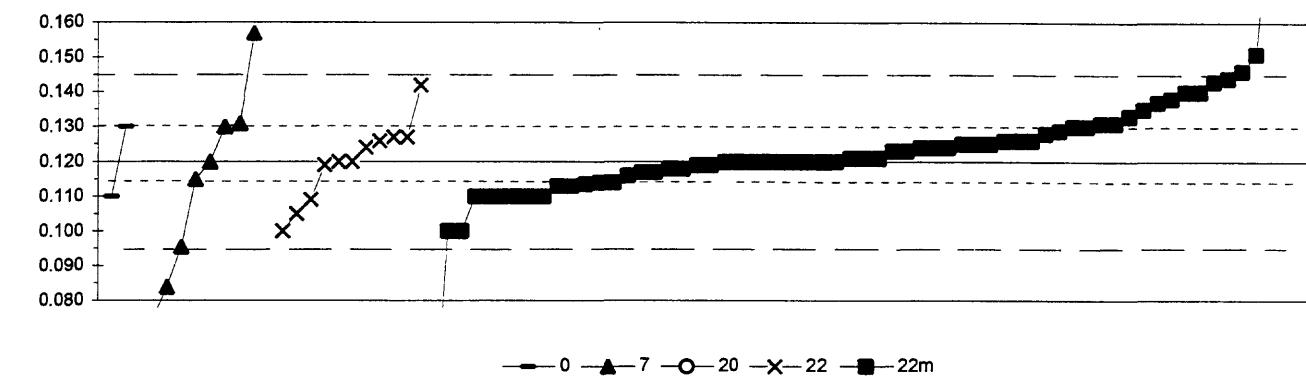
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0. Other	20. Titrate: colorimetric
4. ICP	22. Colorimetric
6. ICP/MS	22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
N = 2	3 1 1 12 62
Minimum = 0.139	0.100 0.134 0.097 0.016 0.060
Maximum = 0.160	0.200 0.260 1.200
Median = 0.150	0.133 0.138 0.140
F-pseudosigma =	0.020 0.013

MPV = 0.139
 F-pseudosigma = 0.012
 N = 81
 Hu = 0.148
 HI = 0.132

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	20	22	22m	Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	20	22	22m
1	3	-0.76						0.130	134	1	-1.60						0.120
3	4	0.42					0.144		138	3	-0.51						0.133
7	4	0.08					0.140		140	0	-3.29						0.100
9	1	1.85					0.161		141	4	0.08						0.140
10	4	0.34					0.143		142	0	2.87						0.173
12	3	-0.76					0.130		143	4	-0.17						0.137
13	0	9.36					0.250		145	3	0.93						0.150
15	4	0.00					0.139		149	4	-0.25						0.136
16	0	-3.52					0.097		151	1	1.77						0.160
18	4	-0.17					0.137		154	2	-1.01						0.127
19	1	-1.60					0.120		180	2	1.18						0.153
21	4	0.25					0.142		182	0	3.46						0.180
22	4	0.42					0.144		185	2	-1.01						0.127
23	0	-2.28					0.112		190	4	0.00						0.139
25	NR	< 0.121							191	4	-0.42					0.134	
28	0	5.14	0.200						198	2	1.43						0.156
36	4	0.08					0.140		203	3	-0.51						0.133
38	3	0.59					0.146		210	NR						< 0.25	
39	3	0.51					0.145		212	4	0.08						0.140
42	2	1.18					0.153		215	3	-0.76						0.130
46	3	-0.59					0.132		221	4	0.00	0.139					
48	0	89.46					1.200		224	2	-1.10						0.126
52	3	0.84					0.149		226	4	0.00						0.139
55	3	0.67					0.147		227	4	0.00						0.139
56	1	1.77	0.160						231	0	-2.45						0.110
58	0	10.20					0.260		234	3	0.76						0.148
59	0	5.14					0.200		240	0	-10.37						0.016
64	4	0.17					0.141		241	4	-0.25						0.136
70	4	-0.42					0.134										
75	3	-0.59					0.132										
83	0	-3.29	0.100														
85	3	-0.76					0.130										
86	3	-0.51	0.133														
87	0	2.19					0.165										
89	4	-0.25					0.136										
90	4	-0.25					0.136										
91	1	1.77					0.160										
92	0	4.64					0.194										
94	2	-1.18					0.125										
96	4	0.08					0.140										
97	0	-6.66					0.060										
102	1	-1.60					0.120										
104	4	0.00					0.139										
105	3	0.59					0.146										
107	4	0.08					0.140										
108	0	38.87					0.600										
111	4	0.17					0.141										
114	1	-1.60					0.120										
118	3	-0.76					0.130										
119	4	0.08					0.140										
127	3	-0.51					0.133										
128	3	0.93					0.150										
129	4	-0.25					0.136										
132	4	0.08					0.140										
133	4	0.08					0.140										

Table 14. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-45 (nutrients)--Continued
 PO₄ as P (Orthophosphate) mg/l



0. Other	22. Colorimetric
7. Ion chromatography	22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
20. Titrate: colorimetric	
N = 2 9 1 11 63	
Minimum = 0.110 0.060 0.072 0.100 0.038	
Maximum = 0.130 0.157 0.142 0.480	
Median = 0.120 0.115 0.120 0.121	
F-pseudosigma = 0.034 0.009 0.010	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	22	22m
1	4	0.25				0.123	
3	4	-0.08			0.119		
9	4	-0.25				0.117	
10	3	0.51				0.126	
12	3	-0.59			0.113		
13	0	-5.06	0.060				
15	3	0.51			0.126		
16	0	-4.01		0.072			
18	4	0.42				0.125	
19	1	1.69			0.140		
21	4	-0.08			0.119		
23	2	1.43			0.137		
25	0	-6.91			0.038		
26	3	0.93	0.131				
28	4	0.00			0.120		
32	0	-2.07	0.095				
36	4	0.00			0.120		
38	4	-0.34			0.116		
39	2	-1.26		0.105			
42	2	1.26			0.135		
46	4	0.08			0.121		
48	1	1.52			0.138		
52	4	0.34			0.124		
53	3	0.74			0.129		
55	3	0.93			0.131		
56	3	0.84	0.130				
58	4	0.00		0.120			
59	3	-0.84			0.110		
64	4	0.42			0.125		
70	3	-0.51			0.114		
75	4	0.25			0.123		
80	3	-0.84			0.110		
83	4	0.34	0.124				
85	3	-0.51			0.114		
86	0	3.12	0.157				
87	1	2.02			0.144		
88	0	6.24			0.194		
89	3	0.51			0.126		
90	4	0.34			0.124		
91	3	-0.84			0.110		
92	1	1.94			0.143		
96	4	-0.17			0.118		
97	3	-0.84			0.110		
102	1	-1.69			0.100		
104	2	1.10			0.133		
105	3	0.59		0.127			
107	4	0.08			0.121		
108	4	0.00			0.120		
111	3	0.84			0.130		
118	4	0.00			0.120		
119	3	-0.84			0.110		
127	3	0.51			0.126		
128	3	0.84	0.130				
129	4	-0.25			0.117		
132	3	-0.84			0.110		

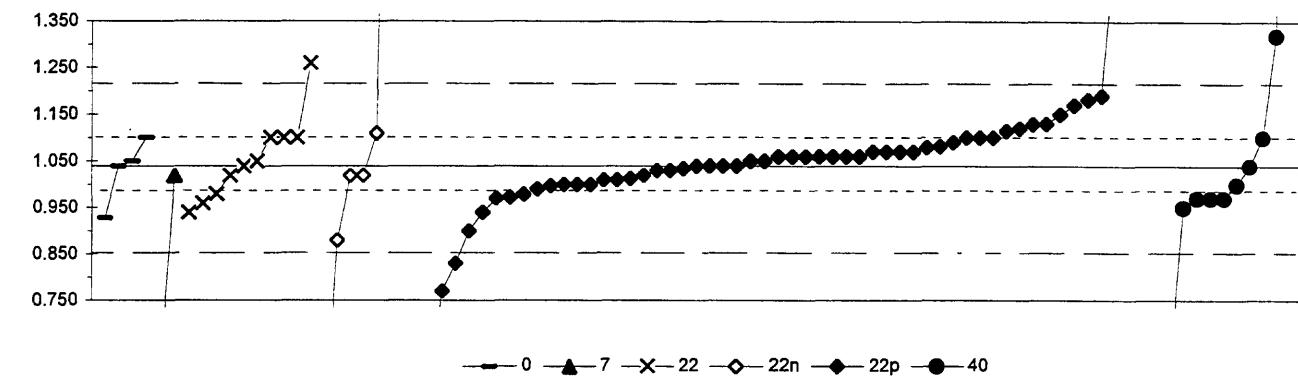
MPV = 0.120
 F-pseudosigma = 0.012
 N = 86
 Hu = 0.130
 HI = 0.114

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	22	22m
133	4	0.00				0.120	
134	4	0.00				0.120	
138	3	-0.59				0.113	
140	1	-1.69			0.100		
141	1	1.69				0.140	
142	0	2.61				0.151	
143	4	-0.17				0.118	
145	4	0.00				0.120	
146	4	0.08				0.121	
151	3	0.84				0.130	
154	4	-0.08				0.119	
180	4	0.34				0.124	
182	0	30.35				0.480	
183	0	12.65				0.270	
185	3	-0.54				0.114	
190	3	0.93				0.131	
191	0	-3.79	0.075				
193	1	1.85			0.142		
196	4	-0.42	0.115				
198	3	0.67			0.128		
203	4	0.42				0.125	
208	4	0.00	0.120				
210	0	2.19				0.146	
212	4	0.00				0.120	
215	1	-1.69				0.100	
221	3	-0.84	0.110				
224	3	-0.93				0.109	
227	4	0.00				0.120	
231	4	0.00				0.120	
234	0	-3.04	0.084				
240	0	< 0.01					
241	3	0.59				0.127	

Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)

Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols		
<u>Analytical methods</u>		
0. Other/Not reported		
4. ICP	= inductively coupled plasma	
5. DCP	= direct coupled plasma	
7. IC	= ion chromatography	
20. Titrate: color	= titration: colorimetric (color reagent specified)	
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]	
40. Ion electrode	= ion selective electrode	
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>		
N =	number of samples	
St dev =	traditional standard deviation	
MPV =	most probable value	
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation	
Hu =	upper hinge value	
Hi =	lower hinge value	
mg/L =	milligrams per liter	
Lab =	laboratory code number	
NR =	not rated, less than value reported	
< =	less than	
<u>Constituent</u>		
NH3 as N	Ammonia as nitrogen	page
NH3+Org N as N	Ammonia plus organic nitrogen	89
NO3+NO2 as N	Nitrate plus nitrite as nitrogen	90
Total P as P	Total Phosphorus as phosphorus	91
PO4 as P	Orthophosphate as phosphorus	92
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Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)--Continued
NH₃ as N (Ammonia)

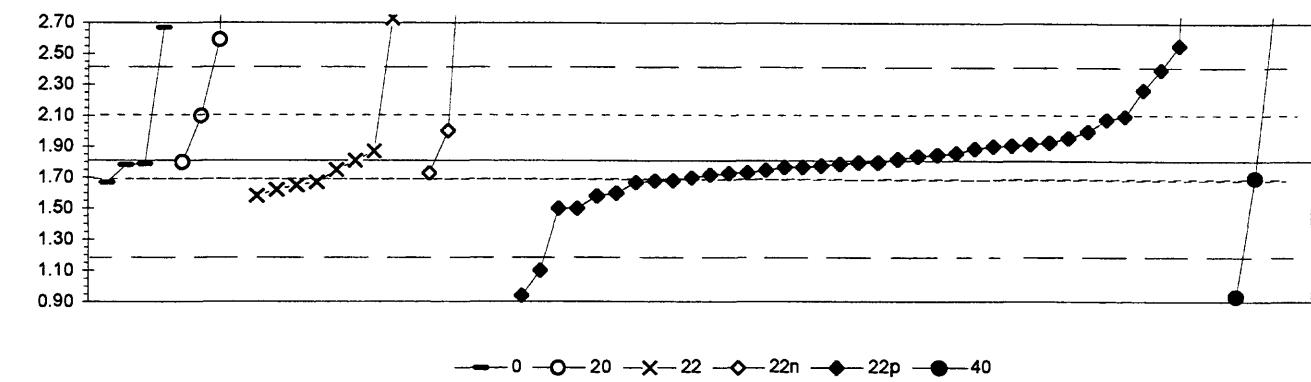


0. Other	22n. Color: Nesslerization
7. Ion chromatography	22p. Color: phenate
22. Colorimetric	40. Ion selective electrode
N = 4 2 10 6 55 12	
Minimum = 0.93 0.59 0.94 0.40 0.11 0.52	
Maximum = 1.10 1.02 1.26 2.70 1.58 8.00	
Median = 1.05 0.81 1.05 1.02 1.05 0.97	
F-pseudosigma = 0.09 0.23	

MPV = 1.04
F-pseudosigma = 0.09
N = 89
Hu = 1.10
HI = 0.98

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22n	22p	40	Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22n	22p	40	
1	4	0.46					1.08		128	4	-0.33					1.01		
3	3	0.66				1.10			129	3	0.76					1.11		
7	3	-0.66				0.98			132	0	-2.99					0.77		
9	4	0.11					1.05		133	0	-5.25					0.57		
10	4	0.00					1.04		134	3	0.66					1.10		
12	4	-0.44					1.00		138	4	0.22					1.06		
13	4	0.22					1.06		140	4	0.11					1.05		
15	3	0.66				1.10			141	4	0.22					1.06		
16	2	-1.24	0.93						142	3	-0.69					0.98		
18	4	0.22					1.06		143	4	-0.11					1.03		
19	3	-0.77					0.97		145	4	0.22					1.06		
23	4	0.00					1.04		146	0	-10.24					0.11		
25	0					< 0.05			149	2	-1.11					0.94		
26	4	-0.22		1.02					151	4	0.00					1.04		
28	4	0.00					1.04		154	4	0.33					1.07		
33	1	1.66					1.19		180	4	0.33					1.07		
36	0	-5.75					0.52		182	1	-1.77					0.88		
38	3	0.98					1.13		190	4	-0.44					1.00		
46	4	-0.30					1.01		194	0	2.43					1.26		
48	4	0.22					1.06		197	4	-0.22					1.02		
52	0	-4.92					0.60		198	1	-1.55					0.90		
53	4	-0.23			1.02				203	0	-5.90					0.51		
55	3	0.55					1.09		204	1	1.57					1.18		
57	4	-0.44					1.00		209	4	0.11	1.05						
58	0	-5.42					0.55		210	3	0.66	1.10						
59	4	-0.22					1.02		212	3	0.66					1.10		
60	3	0.83					1.12		215	3	0.88					1.12		
64	4	0.22					1.06		221	4	0.00	1.04						
68	4	0.00			1.04				224	3	-1.00						0.95	
70	4	-0.33					1.01		226	4	-0.07					1.03		
75	4	0.44					1.08		231	3	-0.88					0.96		
76	4	-0.48					1.00		234	3	0.66						1.10	
80	0	-7.08			0.40				237	0	-4.98					0.59		
84	0	-2.32					0.83		240	0	18.36					2.70		
85	4	0.33					1.07		241	3	-0.77						0.97	
86	3	1.00					1.13											
87	3	-0.55					0.99											
89	3	0.66					1.10											
90	4	0.33					1.07											
91	2	-1.11					0.94											
92	0	3.10					1.32											
93	4	0.00					1.04											
94	4	0.11					1.05											
96	3	-0.75					0.97											
97	4	-0.22			1.02													
100	4	-0.44					1.00											
102	0	5.97					1.58											
105	3	0.66			1.10													
107	2	1.22					1.15											
108	0	76.96					8.00											
111	4	-0.11					1.03											
114	3	-0.77					0.97											
118	2	1.44					1.17											
119	3	-0.77					0.97											
127	0	5.53					1.54											

Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)--Continued
NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) mg/l

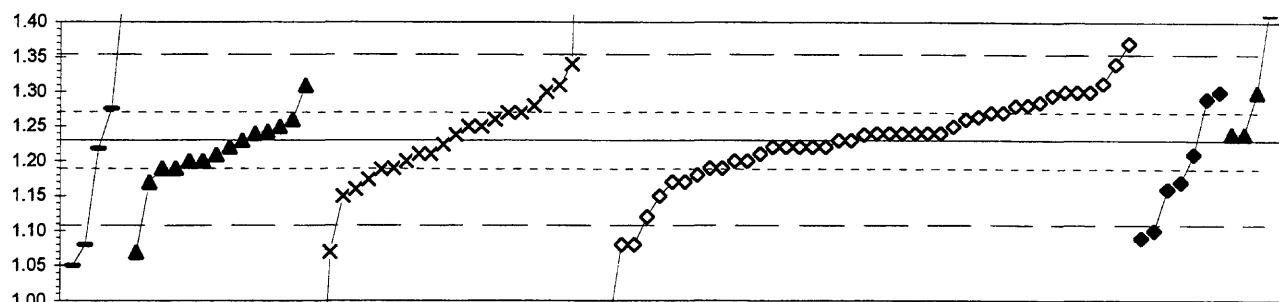


O. Other	22n. Color: Nesslerization
20. Titrate: colorimetric	22p. Color: phenate
22. Colorimetric	40. Ion selective electrode
N = 4 4 9 5 38 4	
Minimum = 1.67 1.80 1.58 1.73 0.94 0.93	
Maximum = 2.67 9.10 3.23 5.10 9.40 3.80	
Median = 1.79 2.35 1.75 4.03 1.80 2.28	
F-pseudosigma = 0.16 0.17	

MPV = 1.81
F-pseudosigma = 0.30
N = 64
Hu = 2.10
HI = 1.70

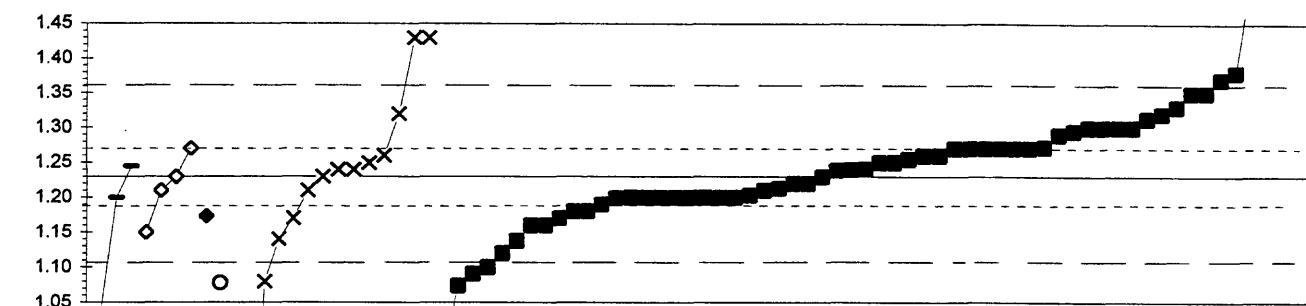
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3	4	-0.02		1.80				
9	4	0.39				1.92		
10	4	0.19				1.86		
12	1	2.01				2.40		
15	4	-0.46			1.67			
16	0	2.91	2.67					
18	4	-0.35				1.70		
23	3	0.93				2.08		
25	0	< 0.05						
28	0	12.46				5.50		
36	0	-2.38				1.10		
38	0	7.50			4.03			
46	4	0.42				1.93		
48	0	25.61				9.40		
52	3	0.52				1.96		
56	4	-0.46	1.67					
57	0	24.60		9.10				
58	0	2.65		2.59				
59	3	-0.69			1.60			
60	4	0.05				1.82		
68	3	-0.62		1.62				
70	4	0.12			1.84			
85	3	0.66				2.00		
87	4	-0.25			1.73			
89	4	0.35				1.91		
90	4	-0.46				1.67		
91	4	0.15				1.85		
94	4	-0.24				1.73		
96	4	-0.12				1.77		
97	4	-0.25			1.73			
100	0	3.12		2.73				
102	4	-0.08				1.78		
104	4	-0.07	1.78					
105	4	0.22		1.87				
108	0	8.79			4.41			
118	3	0.99				2.10		
119	4	-0.35				1.70		
127	4	-0.02			1.80			
128	4	-0.12				1.77		
129	3	0.66			2.00			
133	0	-2.94				0.93		
134	4	-0.02			1.80			
138	4	-0.05				1.79		
140	4	0.02		1.81				
141	0	-2.92				0.94		
142	4	0.29				1.89		
143	2	-1.03				1.50		
145	4	-0.29				1.72		
154	4	-0.42				1.68		
180	3	-0.76				1.58		
185	0	4.79		3.23				
190	1	1.57				2.27		
194	3	-0.52		1.65				
198	4	-0.19				1.75		

Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)--Continued
NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite) mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	22cd. Color: cd diazo						22h. Color: hydrazine diazo						22s. Color:sulfanilamide						
			0	7	22	22cd	22h	22s	0	7	22	22cd	22h	22s	0	7	22	22cd	22h	22s	
1	3	-0.84				1.18									114	4	-0.34		1.21		
3	4	0.34			1.25										118	2	-1.01			1.17	
7	3	0.51			1.26										119	2	-1.18		1.16		
10	4	0.17				1.24									127	4	0.17	1.24			
12	3	0.84			1.28										128	0	-2.70	1.07			
13	3	-0.67	1.19												129	4	0.22	1.24			
15	2	1.18			1.30										132	0	-2.36			1.09	
16	3	0.78	1.28												133	4	0.17		1.24		
18	4	0.17				1.24									134	2	1.18	1.30			
19	4	-0.34			1.21										138	4	-0.17	1.22			
23	4	0.00				1.23									140	4	0.13	1.24			
25	2	-1.35				1.15									141	4	-0.34			1.21	
26	2	-1.01			1.17										142	2	1.35		1.31		
28	4	0.17							1.24						143	2	-1.35		1.15		
30	3	0.51			1.26										145	0	-2.53		1.08		
36	0	-4.47				0.97									146	1	-1.85			1.12	
38	4	0.17				1.24									149	4	0.34		1.25		
42	4	0.34			1.25										151	3	0.67		1.27		
43	2	1.18							1.30						154	4	0.13		1.24		
46	2	1.38							1.31						180	3	0.51		1.26		
48	0	-2.19							1.10						185	4	0.17		1.24		
52	3	-0.67				1.19									190	4	-0.17	1.22			
53	3	0.86				1.28									191	4	-0.35	1.21			
55	4	0.17				1.24									193	2	1.35	1.31			
56	0	-2.53	1.08												194	3	-0.67		1.19		
57	0	-5.56				0.90									197	4	-0.10		1.22		
58	0	-9.44				0.67									198	3	-0.51			1.20	
59	4	0.00				1.23									203	3	-0.94		1.17		
60	3	0.93				1.29									209	0	3.20			1.42	
64	3	-0.67				1.19									210	3	-0.51		1.20		
68	3	0.67			1.27										212	2	1.18		1.30		
69	2	1.18				1.30									215	4	-0.17		1.22		
70	2	-1.01				1.17									221	0	3.88	1.46			
75	3	-0.51				1.20									224	0	15.85		2.17		
76	3	-0.67			1.19										226	3	0.57		1.26		
80	0	-3.04	1.05												231	4	-0.34			1.21	
83	1	1.85				1.34									234	3	-0.51		1.20		
84	2	-1.01							1.17						237	3	-0.51		1.20		
85	4	-0.17				1.22									240	0	-2.70		1.07		
86	3	0.67				1.27									241	3	-0.71		1.19		
87	4	-0.17				1.22															
89	3	0.67				1.27															
90	2	1.18							1.30												
91	2	-1.18							1.16												
92	2	1.10				1.30															
94	4	-0.17				1.22															
96	2	1.01							1.29												
97	4	0.34				1.25															
100	4	0.17							1.24												
102	0	-2.53				1.08															
104	4	-0.20	1.22																		
105	3	0.84				1.28															
107	1	1.85							1.34												
108	0	2.36							1.37												
111	4	0.00				1.23															

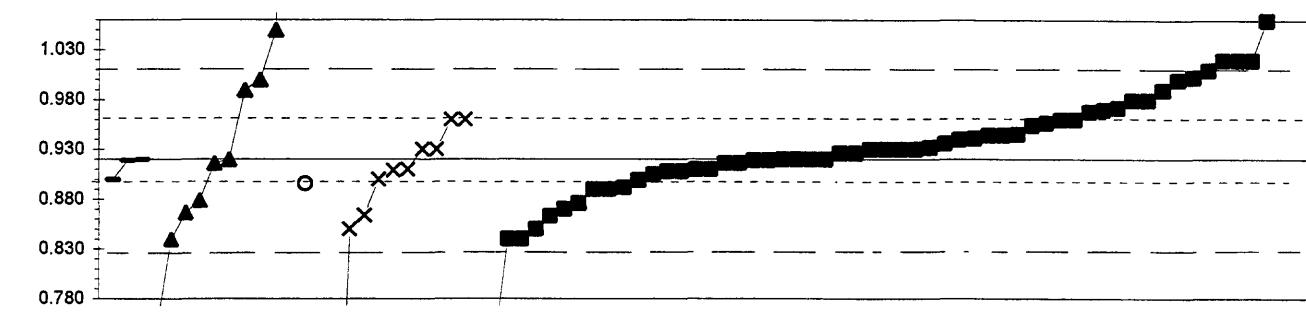
Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)--Continued
 Total P as P (total Phosphorus) mg/l



O. Other	20. Titrate: colorimetric
4. ICP	22. Colorimetric
6. ICP/MS	22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
N =	3 4 1 1 14 59
Minimum =	1.04 1.15 1.17 1.08 0.12 0.98
Maximum =	1.25 1.27 - 1.43 2.60
Median =	1.20 1.22 - 1.24 1.24
F-pseudosigma =	0.09 0.07

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	20	22	22m	Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6	20	22	22m
1	3	-0.52						1.20	140	0	3.22						1.43
3	4	0.25					1.25		141	4	-0.24						1.22
7	0	3.22					1.43		142	0	5.03						1.54
9	0	2.23						1.37	143	4	-0.07						1.23
10	3	0.58					1.27		145	2	-1.23						1.16
13	3	0.58					1.27		149	0	-2.54						1.08
15	4	0.09					1.24		151	2	1.41						1.32
16	0	-2.57				1.08			154	1	-1.59						1.14
18	4	0.25					1.25		180	2	1.41						1.32
22	3	1.00					1.30		182	4	0.42						1.26
23	4	0.42					1.26		185	0	-2.36						1.09
25	2	-1.39	1.15						190	3	0.58						1.27
28	4	-0.07	1.23						191	2	-1.01						1.17
36	0	2.39					1.38		194	4	-0.40						1.21
38	3	0.62					1.27		198	2	-1.23						1.16
42	3	0.58					1.27		203	0	-2.64						1.07
46	4	-0.35					1.21		210	3	-0.57						1.20
48	0	22.46					2.60		212	3	-0.57						1.20
52	1	1.90					1.35		215	4	0.09						1.24
56	0	-3.20	1.04						221	3	-0.57	1.20					
57	2	1.08					1.30		224	4	-0.07						1.23
58	0	-9.45				0.66			226	0	7.92						1.72
59	3	-0.57					1.20		227	3	-0.57						1.20
60	4	0.10					1.24		231	2	-1.06						1.17
64	3	0.58					1.27		234	0	-4.24						0.98
68	1	-1.55				1.14			240	0	-18.29						0.12
70	1	1.57					1.33		241	4	0.42						1.26
75	3	-0.90					1.18										
83	4	-0.40	1.21														
85	2	-1.06					1.17										
86	3	0.58	1.27														
87	0	4.53					1.51										
89	3	-0.57					1.20										
90	2	1.08					1.30										
91	2	1.08					1.30										
92	2	1.29					1.31										
94	4	0.07					1.24										
96	4	0.34					1.26										
97	4	-0.40					1.21										
102	3	-0.90					1.18										
104	4	0.17	1.25														
105	4	0.09				1.24											
107	1	1.90					1.35										
108	0	-2.21					1.10										
111	3	0.58					1.27										
114	1	-1.88					1.12										
118	2	1.08					1.30										
119	4	-0.24					1.22										
127	4	0.25					1.25										
128	3	-0.57					1.20										
129	3	-0.58					1.20										
132	3	0.91					1.29										
133	3	-0.57					1.20										
134	3	-0.57					1.20										
138	3	-0.73					1.19										

Table 15. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-46 (nutrients)--Continued
PO₄ as P (Orthophosphate) mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	22	22m
			0	7	20	22	22m
1	4	0.00				0.920	
3	4	-0.24			0.909		
7	1	-1.55			0.850		
10	0	2.21				1.020	
12	1	-1.77				0.840	
13	0	-3.76	0.750				
15	4	-0.22			0.910		
16	3	-0.53		0.896			
18	4	0.46			0.941		
23	4	0.22			0.930		
25	0	-14.02			0.286		
26	1	1.55	0.990				
28	2	1.11			0.970		
30	0	40.03	2.730				
36	0	2.21			1.020		
38	4	-0.27			0.908		
42	3	0.75			0.954		
46	4	0.22			0.930		
48	3	0.53			0.944		
52	4	-0.09			0.916		
53	1	1.84			1.003		
56	4	0.00	0.920				
57	1	1.77			1.000		
58	0	-9.95		0.470			
59	2	-1.11			0.870		
60	4	-0.34			0.905		
64	4	0.44			0.940		
70	4	-0.27			0.908		
75	4	-0.09			0.916		
80	3	0.88			0.960		
83	4	0.22		0.930			
84	1	-1.77			0.840		
85	3	-0.97			0.876		
86	0	2.87	1.050				
87	3	0.53			0.944		
89	3	-0.66			0.890		
90	1	1.55			0.990		
91	0	2.21			1.020		
92	4	-0.02			0.919		
96	3	-0.62			0.892		
97	4	0.00			0.920		
102	0	-4.42			0.720		
104	4	-0.02	0.919				
105	4	0.22		0.930			
107	3	0.55			0.945		
108	2	1.33			0.980		
111	4	0.13			0.926		
118	4	0.00			0.920		
119	4	-0.22			0.910		
127	4	-0.09	0.916				
128	4	0.00	0.920				
129	1	-1.55			0.850		
132	2	1.33			0.980		
133	4	-0.22			0.910		
134	4	0.00			0.920		

Table 16. *Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)*

Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols	
<u>Analytical methods</u>	
0 Other/Not reported	=
1 AA: direct, air	= atomic absorption: direct,air
2 AA: direct, N ₂ O	= atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide
3 AA: graphite furnace	= atomic absorption: graphite furnace
4 ICP	= inductively coupled plasma
5 DCP	= direct current plasma
6 ICP/MS	= mass spectrometry/inductively coupled plasma
7 IC	= ion chromatography
12 Flame emission	= flame emission
20 Titrate: color	= titration: colorimetric [color reagent specified]
21 Titrate: electro	= titration: electrometric
22 Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]
40 Ion electrode	= ion selective electrode
41 Electro	= electrometric: [type meter specified]
50 Gravimetric	= gravimetric: [precipitate specified]
51 Turbidimetric	= turbidimetric: [precipitate specified]

<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>	
N	= number of samples
St dev	= traditional standard deviation
MPV	= most probable value
F-pseudosigma	= nonparametric statistic deviation
Hu	= upper hinge value
HI	= lower hinge value
mg/L	= milligrams per liter
µS/cm	= microsiemens per centimeter at 25 C
Lab	= laboratory code number
NR	= not rated, less than value reported
<	= less than

<u>Constituent</u>	<u>page</u>	
Acid	Acidity as CaCO ₃	95
Ca	Calcium	96
Cl	Chloride	97
F	Fluoride	98
K	Potassium	99
Mg	Magnesium	100
Na	Sodium	101
pH		102
PO ₄ as P	Orthophosphate as Phosphorus	103
SO ₄	Sulfate	104
Sp Cond	Specific Conductance	105

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
Acidity as CaCO₃

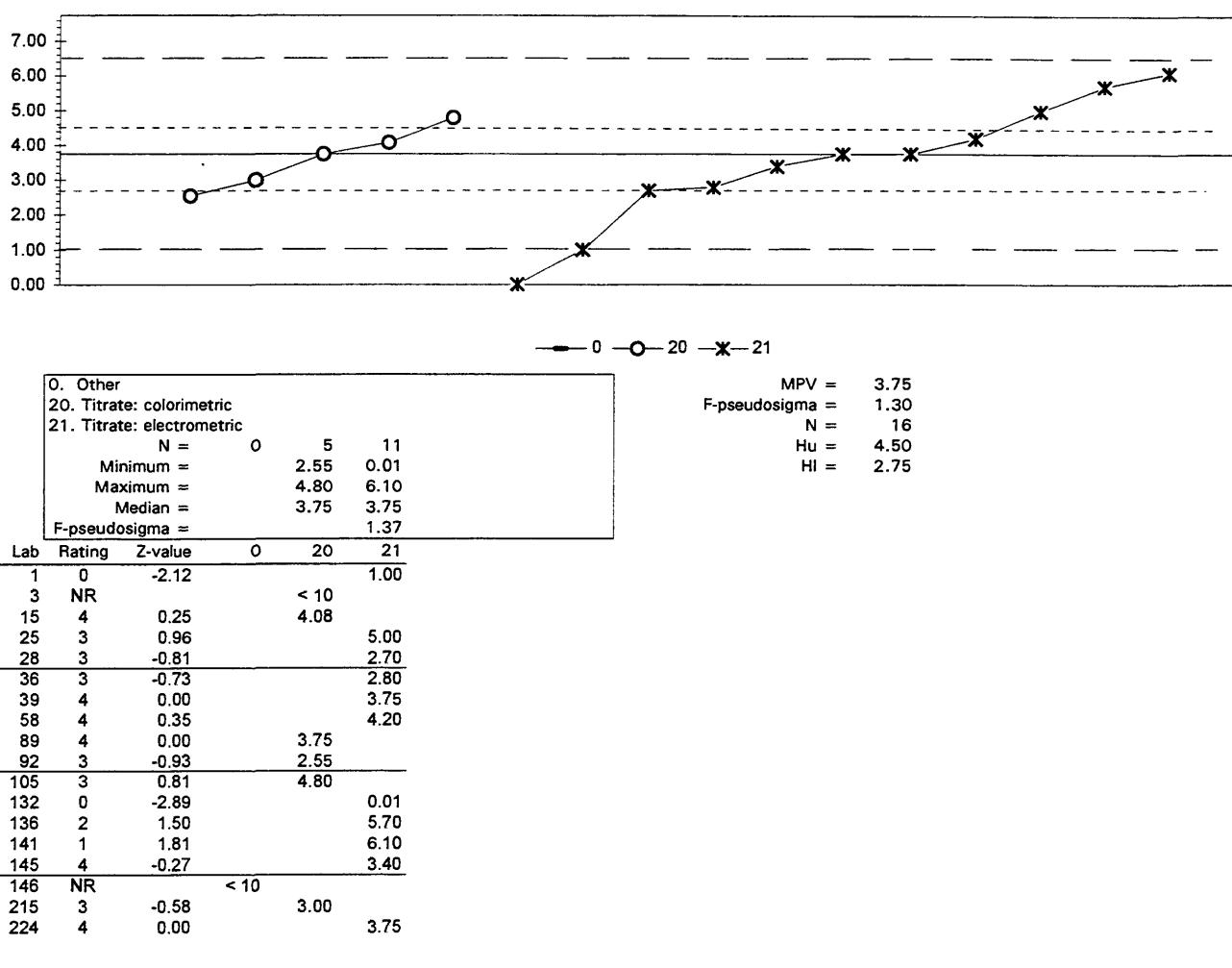
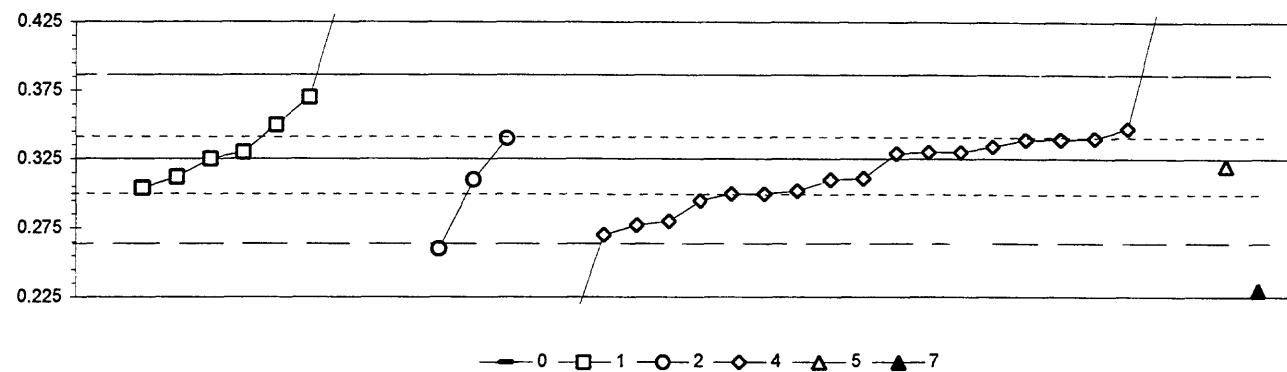


Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued

Ca (Calcium)

mg/l

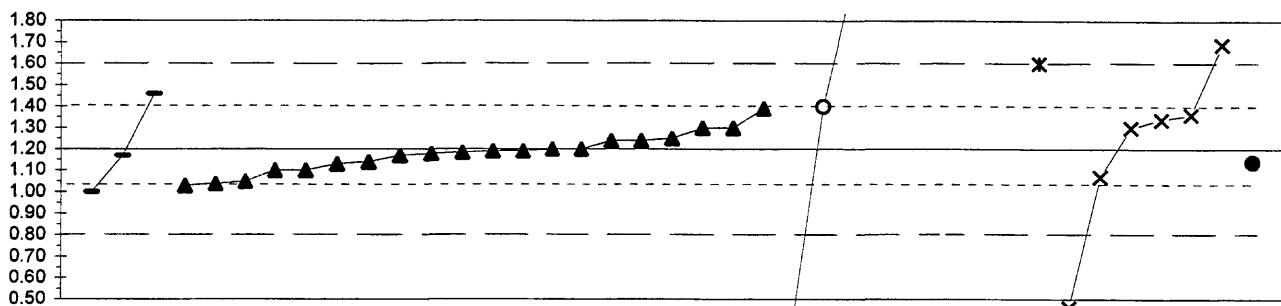


0. Other		4. ICP				
1. AA: direct air		5. DCP				
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide		7. Ion chromatography				
N =	0	9	3	21	1	1
Minimum =		0.304	0.260	0.200	0.320	0.230
Maximum =		3.330	0.340	0.580		
Median =		0.350	0.310	0.311		
F-pseudosigma =		0.093	0.033			

MPV = 0.325
F-pseudosigma = 0.030
N = 35
Hu = 0.340
HI = 0.300

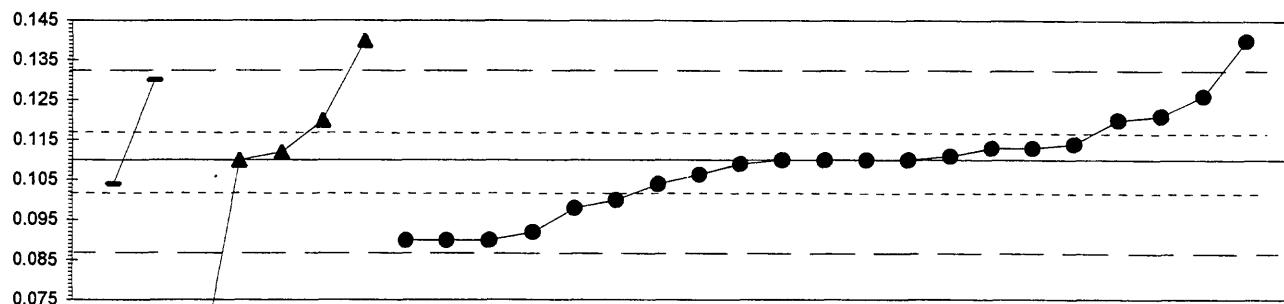
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	5	7
1	4	0.17		0.330				
3	4	-0.47			0.311			
11	3	-0.51			0.310			
15	3	-0.78			0.302			
23	0		< 2					
25	0	-4.22			0.200			
26	3	0.51			0.340			
28	3	-0.84			0.300			
33	4	-0.17				0.320		
36	NR		< 0.5					
38	3	0.51		0.340				
39	2	-1.01			0.295			
48	1	-1.85			0.270			
52	4	0.30			0.334			
58	0	4.22	0.450					
64	0	101.34	3.330					
81	1	-1.62			0.277			
89	3	-0.71	0.304					
92	0	86.84	2.900					
101	3	0.84	0.350					
102	0	-4.22			0.200			
105	4	0.13			0.329			
111	3	-0.51		0.310				
132	0	4.05			0.445			
134	4	0.47			0.339			
136	0	-2.19		0.260				
138	3	0.74			0.347			
140	4	0.00	0.325					
141	1	-1.52			0.280			
145	3	-0.84			0.300			
146	NR		< 0.5					
180	4	0.17			0.330			
190	0	-3.20				0.230		
194	NR				< 5			
196	1	1.52	0.370					
209	4	0.17			0.330			
215	0	8.60			0.580			
221	4	-0.44	0.312					
224	4	0.48			0.339			

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
Cl (Chloride) mg/l



Lab	Rating	Z-value	Titrate: electrometric				
			0	7	20	21	22
1	4	-0.05		1.19			
3	3	0.73				1.34	
7	3	-0.88			1.03		
11	0	-3.84					0.46
15	3	0.99		1.39			
23	4	-0.31					1.14
25	3	0.52		1.30			
26	4	-0.31		1.14			
28	3	-0.52		1.10			
33	4	0.00		1.20			
36	NR				< 5		
39	0	4.15			2.00		
48	0	4.15			2.00		
52	2	-1.04	1.00				
58	0	12.97			3.70		
59	3	0.52		1.30			
64	4	0.00		1.20			
81	0	-4.15			0.40		
89	2	1.04			1.40		
93	4	-0.05		1.19			
100	NR				< 4		
101	0	8.30			2.80		
102	3	0.52				1.30	
105	4	-0.16		1.17			
107	NR					< 1.5	
110	3	-0.52		1.10			
111	3	-0.78		1.05			
134	4	-0.08		1.18			
138	3	-0.83		1.04			
140	3	0.83			1.36		
141	0	2.54				1.69	
143	4	-0.16	1.17				
145	4	0.21		1.24			
146	2	1.35	1.46				
180	3	-0.67			1.07		
183	0	67.45		14.20			
190	4	-0.36		1.13			
196	4	0.21		1.24			
203	0	2.08			1.60		
209	4	0.26		1.25			
215	0	14.53			4.00		
224	4	-0.11		1.18			

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
F (Fluoride)



0. Other	MPV = 0.110
7. Ion chromatography	F-pseudosigma = 0.011
40. Ion selective electrode	N = 28
	Hu = 0.117
	HI = 0.102
N = 2 5 21	
Minimum = 0.10 0.05 0.09	
Maximum = 0.13 0.14 0.14	
Median = 0.12 0.11 0.11	
F-pseudosigma = 0.01	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	40
1	3	0.90		0.120	
3	4	0.27			0.113
7	NR			< 0.5	
11	4	0.09			0.111
15	4	0.00			0.110
23	3	-0.54			0.104
25	1	-1.80			0.090
26	0	2.70		0.140	
36	4	0.00			0.110
39	1	1.80	0.130		
46	2	-1.08			0.098
52	3	-0.54	0.104		
58	1	-1.80			0.090
59	3	0.90			0.120
81	1	-1.80			0.090
89	1	-1.62			0.092
93	0	2.70			0.140
100	2	1.44			0.126
105	NR			< 0.2	
107	3	-0.90			0.100
134	4	-0.32			0.106
138	4	0.18	0.112		
140	3	0.99			0.121
141	4	0.36			0.114
145	4	0.00		0.110	
146	NR		< 0.2		
180	4	0.00			0.110
190	4	0.27			0.113
196	4	-0.09			0.109
215	4	0.00			0.110
224	0	-5.31		0.051	

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
K (Potassium)

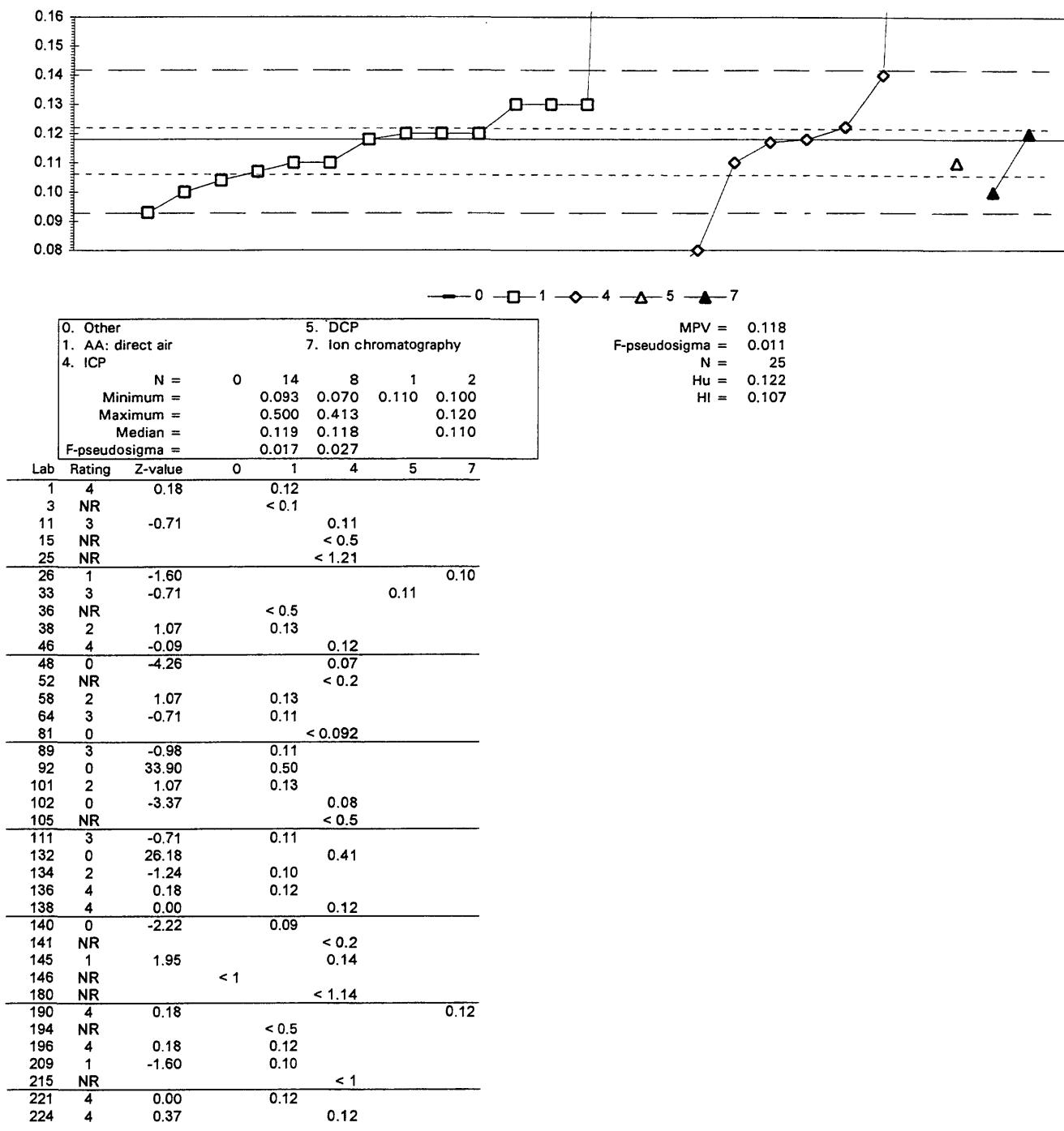
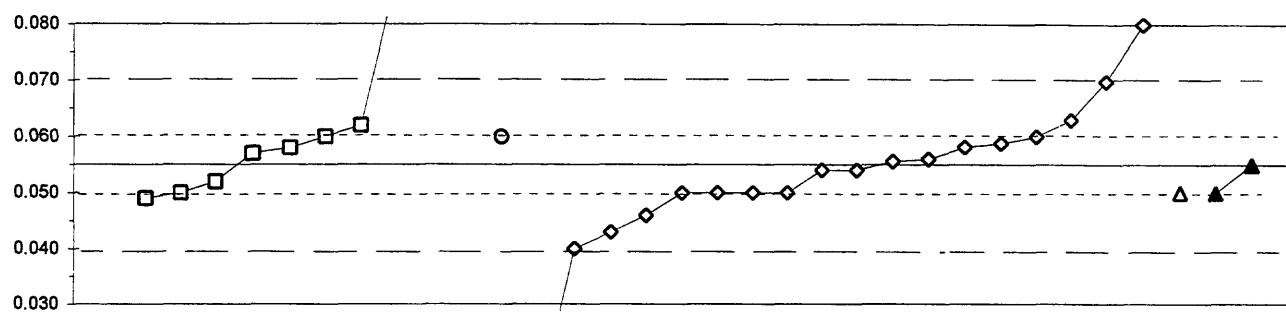


Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
Mg (Magnesium) mg/l



— 0 — □ — 1 — ○ — 2 — ◆ — 4 — △ — 5 — ▲ — 7

0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	5. DCP
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	7. Ion chromatography
N = 0	10 1 18 1 2
Minimum = 0.049	0.060 0.010 0.050 0.050
Maximum = 0.600	0.080 0.055
Median = 0.059	0.054 0.053
F-pseudosigma = 0.028	0.007

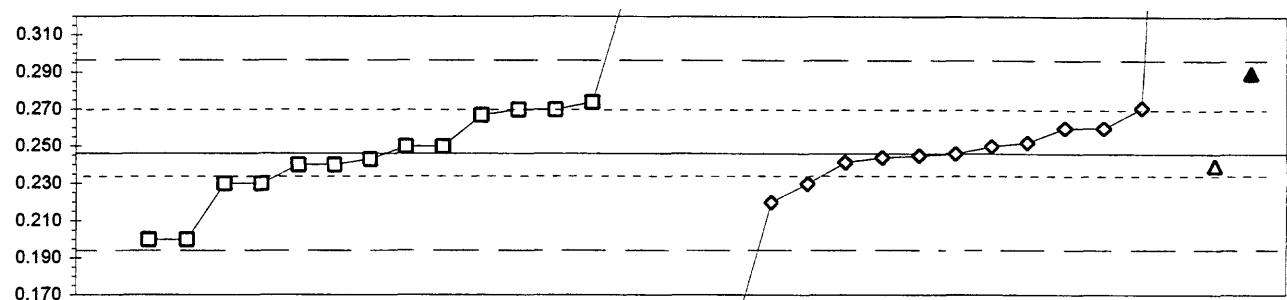
MPV = 0.055
F-pseudosigma = 0.007
N = 32
Hu = 0.060
HI = 0.050

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	5	7
1	4	-0.18				0.054		
3	3	-0.71				0.050		
11	2	-1.25				0.046		
15	NR					< 0.1		
25	3	-0.71				0.050		
26	4	0.09				0.056		
28	3	-0.71				0.050		
33	3	-0.71				0.050		
36	NR		< 0.5					
38	4	0.23		0.057				
39	4	0.47				0.059		
48	0	-6.11				0.010		
52	3	0.63				0.060		
58	0	45.15		0.390				
64	3	0.63		0.060				
81	1	-1.66				0.043		
89	3	-0.85		0.049				
92	0	73.48		0.600				
101	3	-0.71		0.050				
102	0	-2.06				0.040		
105	2	1.04				0.063		
111	3	0.63		0.060				
134	4	0.04				0.056		
136	0	4.68		0.090				
138	4	-0.18				0.054		
140	3	0.90	0.062					
141	NR					< 0.1		
145	3	-0.71				0.050		
146	NR		< 0.5					
180	1	1.96				0.070		
190	4	-0.04				0.055		
194	NR					< 1		
196	4	0.36		0.058				
209	3	-0.71				0.050		
215	0	3.33				0.080		
221	4	-0.45		0.052				
224	4	0.38				0.058		

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued

Na (Sodium)

mg/l

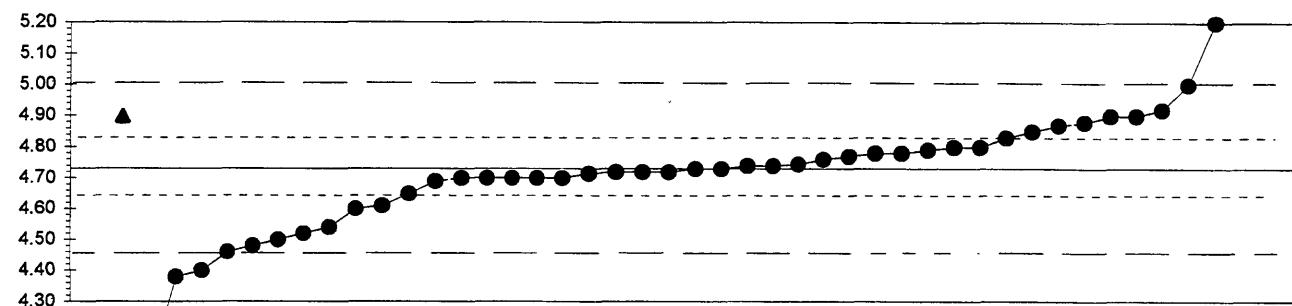


0. Other		5. DCP				
1. AA: direct air		7. Ion chromatography				
4. ICP		N =	0	15	14	1
		Minimum =		0.200	0.100	0.240
		Maximum =			1.000	0.640
		Median =			0.250	0.246
		F-pseudosigma =			0.026	0.022

MPV = 0.246
F-pseudosigma = 0.025
N = 31
Hu = 0.269
HI = 0.235

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	7
1	3	0.85			0.267		
3	4	0.16			0.250		
11	3	0.56				0.260	
15	NR					< 0.5	
23	NR				< 0.5		
25	4	-0.04			0.245		
26	3	-0.64			0.230		
33	4	-0.24				0.240	
36	NR				< 0.5		
38	3	-0.64			0.230		
39	4	-0.08			0.244		
48	4	0.16			0.250		
52	NR				< 0.3		
58	1	-1.85			0.200		
64	4	-0.24			0.240		
81	0	-3.83			0.151		
89	4	-0.12			0.243		
92	0	30.36			1.000		
101	3	0.97			0.270		
102	0	-5.88			0.100		
105	4	0.00			0.246		
111	4	0.16			0.250		
134	2	1.13			0.274		
136	3	-0.64			0.230		
138	4	0.24			0.252		
140	0	3.79			0.340		
141	3	0.56			0.260		
145	2	-1.05			0.220		
146	NR				< 0.5		
180	2	1.01			0.271		
190	1	1.77			0.290		
194	NR				< 5		
196	3	0.97			0.270		
209	4	-0.24			0.240		
215	0	15.87			0.640		
221	1	-1.85			0.200		
224	4	-0.19			0.241		

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
pH



O. Other
7. Ion chromatography
41. Direct reading
N = 1 1 44
Minimum = 3.54 4.90 4.07
Maximum = 7.81
Median = 4.73
F-pseudosigma = 0.11

MPV = 4.73
F-psaudosigma = 0.13
N = 46
Hu = 4.83
HI = 4.65

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	41
1	2	1.42		4.92	
2	1	-1.57		4.52	
3	4	-0.07		4.72	
7	3	0.75		4.83	
11	1	-2.02		4.46	
15	0	8.77		5.90	
23	4	0.37		4.78	
25	4	0.37		4.78	
26	4	0.30		4.77	
28	2	1.27	4.90		
33	4	-0.07		4.72	
36	3	-0.97		4.60	
39	3	0.52		4.80	
46	1	2.02		5.00	
48	0	3.52		5.20	
52	4	-0.22		4.70	
58	4	-0.30		4.69	
59	3	-0.60		4.65	
64	4	0.00		4.73	
81	4	-0.22		4.70	
89	1	-1.72		4.50	
92	2	1.12		4.88	
93	4	-0.22		4.70	
100	4	0.45		4.79	
101	2	-1.42		4.54	
105	4	0.00	4.73		
107	0	23.08		7.81	
110	4	-0.11		4.72	
111	3	0.90		4.85	
132	4	0.07	4.74		
134	4	0.11		4.75	
136	0	-2.47		4.40	
138	3	-0.90		4.61	
140	0	-2.62		4.38	
141	2	1.27	4.90		
143	4	-0.07		4.72	
145	4	-0.22		4.70	
146	0	-8.92	3.54		
180	4	-0.22		4.70	
190	1	-1.87		4.48	
194	2	1.05		4.87	
203	4	0.22		4.76	
209	4	0.07		4.74	
215	2	1.27		4.90	
221	3	0.52		4.80	
224	0	-4.95		4.07	

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
PO₄ as P (Orthophosphate)

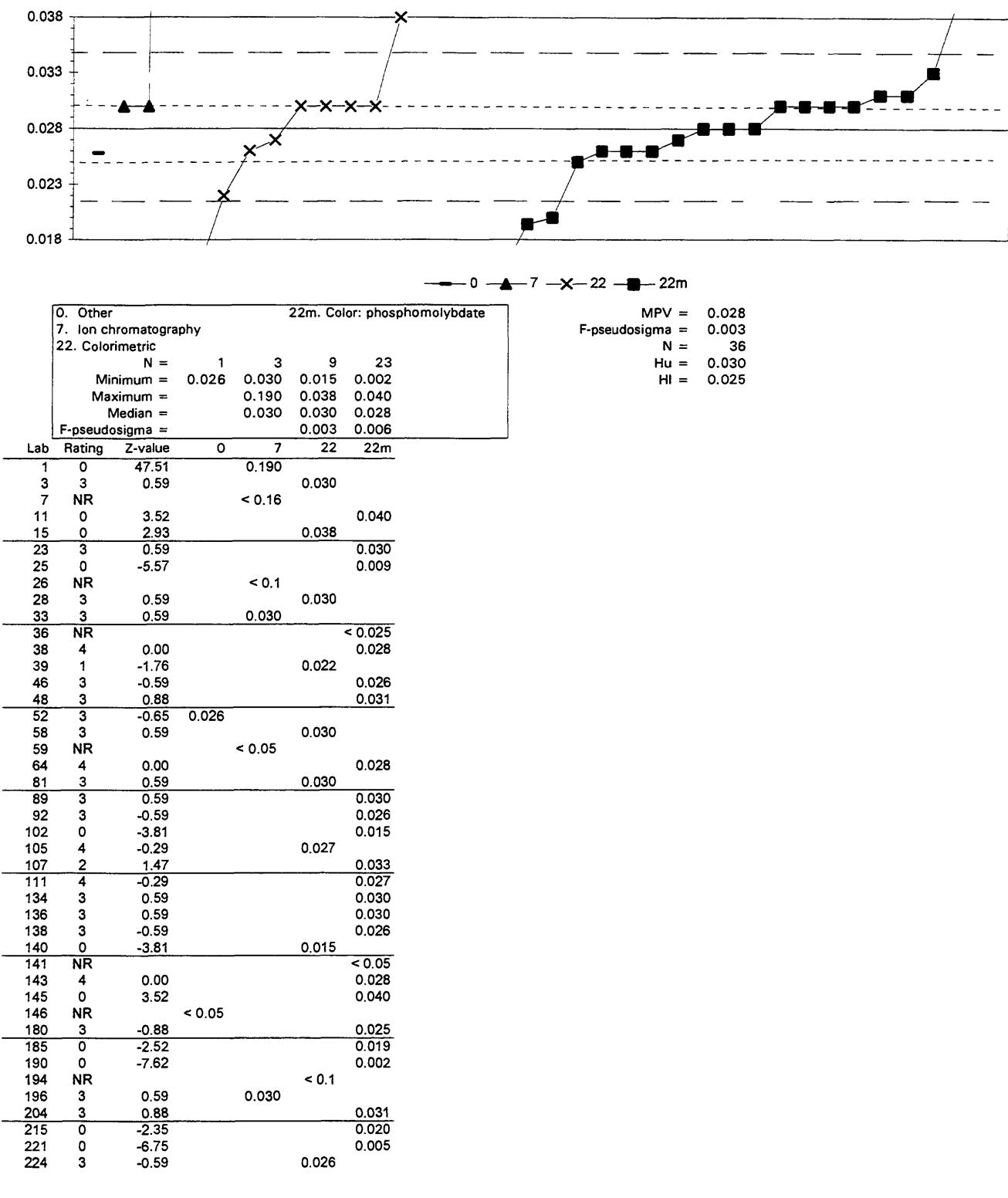
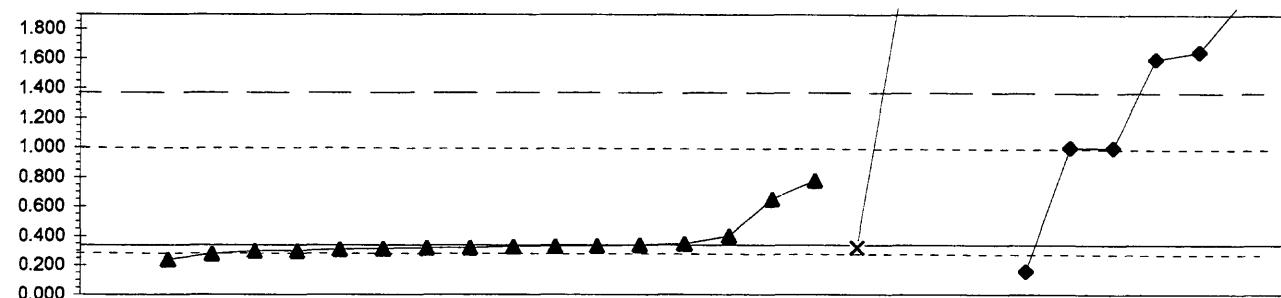


Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
SO₄ (Sulfate)

mg/l

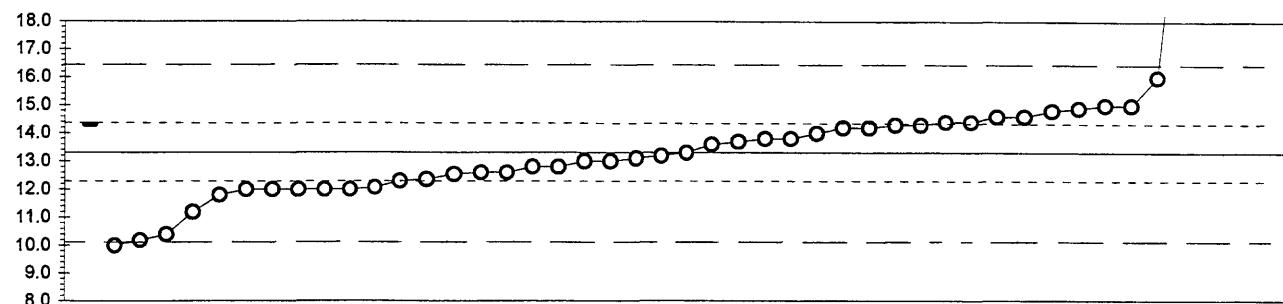


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0. Other	50. Gravimetric
7. Ion chromatography	51. Turbidimetric
22. Colorimetric	
N = 0	16
Minimum = 0.000	0.240
Maximum = 0.780	5.100
Median = 0.325	2.000
F-pseudosigma = 0.029	1.300

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	50	51
1	4	-0.03	0.320				
3	NR		< 1				
7	3	0.62	0.650				
11	0	2.58				1.650	
15	NR		< 0.5				
23	NR			< 2.5			
25	NR			< 5			
26	4	-0.01	0.330				
33	4	-0.07	0.300				
36	NR				< 5		
48	0	3.27				2.000	
52	NR		< 10				
58	0	9.87			5.350		
59	4	-0.05	0.310				
64	4	-0.03	0.320				
81	0	9.38			5.100		
89	4	-0.03	0.320				
92	4	-0.35				0.160	
93	3	0.87	0.780				
100	NR		< 7				
102	0	3.27		2.000			
105	NR		< 1				
110	4	0.00	0.335				
111	4	-0.07	0.300				
134	4	0.02	0.348				
138	4	-0.11	0.280				
140	2	1.30			1.000		
141	NR				< 10		
145	4	-0.19	0.240				
146	NR		< 5				
180	NR		< 2.5				
183	0	2.49			1.600		
190	4	-0.04	0.315				
194	NR		< 10				
196	4	-0.01	0.332				
203	NR		< 2.5				
209	4	0.00	0.340				
215	2	1.30			1.000		
224	4	0.13	0.401				

Table 16. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-24 (low ionic strength)--Continued
Specific Conductance $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$



0. Other
 41. Direct reading

MPV =	13.3
F-pseudosigma =	1.6
N =	45
Hu =	14.4
HI =	12.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
1	3	-0.79	12.1	
2	3	-0.60	12.4	
3	3	0.84	14.6	
7	4	0.32	13.8	
11	4	-0.32	12.8	
15	3	0.96	14.8	
23	4	-0.45	12.6	
25	1	1.73	16.0	
26	4	0.32	13.8	
27	3	0.64	14.3	
28	0	415.43	660.0	
33	3	0.71	14.4	
36	3	-0.96	11.8	
38	4	0.00	13.3	
39	1	-1.86	10.4	
46	3	0.64	14.3	
48	4	-0.49	12.5	
52	3	-0.84	12.0	
58	4	0.26	13.7	
59	4	-0.45	12.6	
64	4	-0.13	13.1	
81	3	-0.84	12.0	
89	2	-1.35	11.2	
93	4	-0.19	13.0	
100	3	-0.84	12.0	
101	4	-0.19	13.0	
105	4	-0.32	12.8	
107	2	1.03	14.9	
110	2	1.09	15.0	
111	4	0.19	13.6	
134	3	0.58	14.2	
136	3	0.71	14.4	
140	3	0.84	14.6	
141	4	-0.06	13.2	
143	3	-0.84	12.0	
145	4	0.45	14.0	
146	3	0.64	14.3	
180	0	-2.12	10.0	
183	3	-0.84	12.0	
190	3	0.58	14.2	
194	3	-0.64	12.3	
196	0	17.73	40.9	
203	1	-1.99	10.2	
215	0	7.13	24.4	
224	2	1.09	15.0	

Table 17. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample Hg-20 (mercury)

Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols

Analytical methods

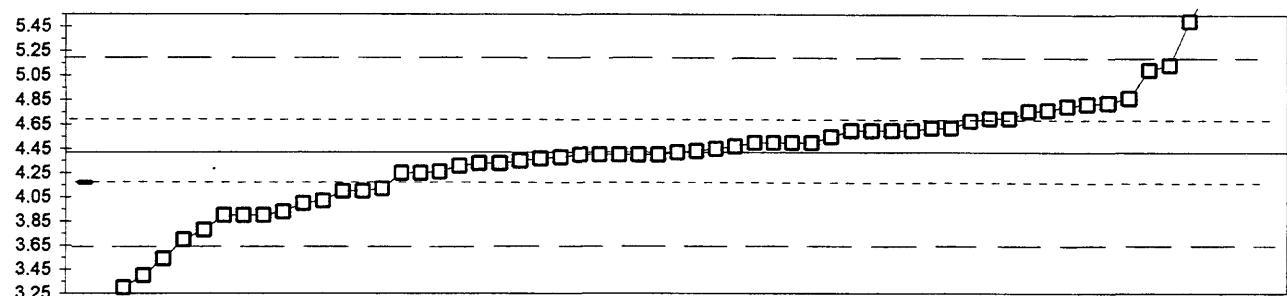
0. Other/Not reported
8. AA: cold vapor = atomic absorption: cold vapor
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Abbreviations and symbols

N =	number of samples
St dev =	traditional standard deviation
MPV =	most probable value
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation
Hu =	upper hinge value
HI =	lower hinge value
µg/L =	micrograms per liter
Lab =	laboratory code number
NR =	not rated, less than value reported
< =	less than

<u>Constituent</u>		<u>page</u>
Hg	Mercury	107

Table 17. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample Hg-20 (mercury)--Continued
Hg (Mercury) $\mu\text{g/l}$



O. Other

8. AA: cold vapor

O. Other

N =	1	60
Minimum =	4.17	1.00
Maximum =		6.35
Median =		4.43
F-pseudosigma =		0.37

MPV = 4.42

F-pseudosigma = 0.38

N = 61

Hu = 4.68

Hi = 4.17

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	8
1	3	0.53	4.62	
3	4	-0.24	4.33	
11	4	-0.05	4.40	
13	3	0.69	4.68	
15	4	-0.05	4.40	
16	2	-1.11	4.00	
18	4	-0.05	4.40	
24	1	1.80	5.10	
32	3	-0.66	4.17	
34	4	0.21	4.50	
36	1	-1.69	3.78	
39	3	-0.85	4.10	
42	2	-1.30	3.93	
45	1	1.90	5.14	
46	4	-0.29	4.31	
48	0	5.11	6.35	
50	2	1.01	4.80	
52	4	0.48	4.60	
55	4	-0.24	4.33	
58	0	-2.96	3.30	
69	4	-0.13	4.37	
70	2	1.06	4.82	
75	4	-0.45	4.25	
76	4	-0.11	4.38	
81	2	-1.38	3.90	
86	0	-2.33	3.54	
87	0	-2.70	3.40	
89	4	0.21	4.50	
92	3	0.90	4.76	
96	4	0.00	4.42	
97	3	0.93	4.77	
100	4	0.13	4.47	
105	4	-0.19	4.35	
108	2	1.08	4.83	
109	2	-1.06	4.02	
111	3	-0.79	4.12	
114	0	-9.05	1.00	
118	4	0.48	4.60	
127	2	1.19	4.87	
128	4	0.21	4.50	
133	3	0.74	4.70	
134	3	0.53	4.62	
138	2	-1.38	3.90	
141	4	0.34	4.55	
142	4	-0.05	4.40	
145	4	0.48	4.60	
146	4	0.08	4.45	
149	3	0.74	4.70	
180	0	3.60	5.78	
182	0	2.86	5.50	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	8
194	4	0.21	4.50	
198	1	-1.90	3.70	
203	4	-0.45	4.25	
213	4	0.48	4.60	
215	0	4.18	6.00	
219	2	-1.38	3.90	
221	3	-0.85	4.10	
231	4	-0.05	4.40	
234	4	0.03	4.43	
235	0	4.18	6.00	
241	4	-0.42	4.26	

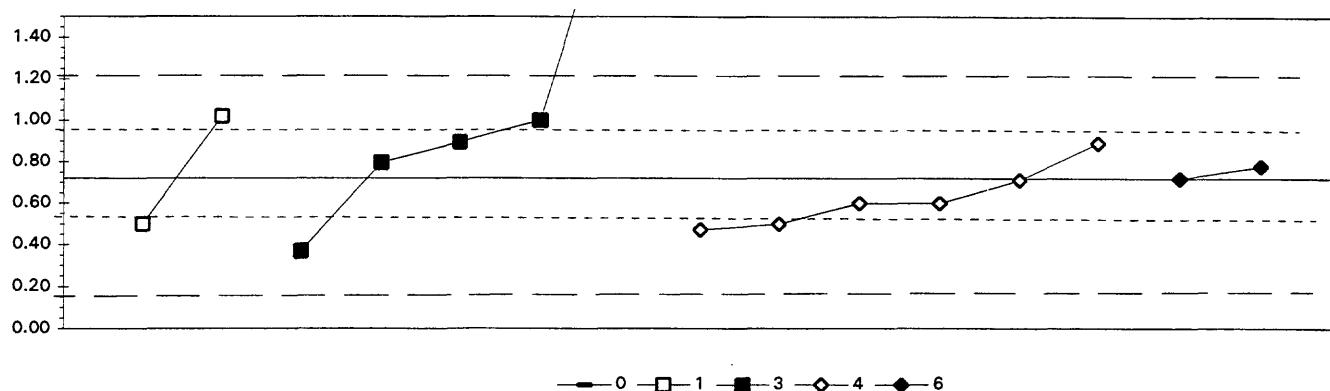
Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>				
<u>Analytical methods</u>				
0. Other/Not reported	=			
1. AA: direct, air	=	atomic absorption: direct,air		
2. AA: direct, N ₂ O	=	atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide		
3. AA: graphite furnace	=	atomic absorption: graphite furnace		
4. ICP	=	inductively coupled plasma		
5. DCP	=	direct current plasma		
6. ICP/MS	=	inductively coupled plasma/mass spectrometry		
10. AA: extraction	=	atomic absorption: extraction [chelating agent(s) specified]		
11. AA: hydride	=	atomic absorption: hydride [reducing agent specified]		
12. Flame emission	=	flame emission		
22. Color:	=	colorimetric [color reagent specified]		
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>				
N =		number of samples		
St dev =		traditional standard deviation		
MPV =		most probable value		
F-pseudosigma =		nonparametric statistic deviation		
Hu =		upper hinge value		
Hi =		lower hinge value		
µg/g =		micrograms per liter		
mg/g =		milligrams per liter		
Lab =		laboratory code number		
NR =		not rated, less than value reported		
< =		less than		
Constituent	page	Constituent	page	
Ag	109	Li	Lithium	122
Al	110	Mg	Magnesium	123
As	111	Mn	Manganese	124
B	112	Mo	Molybdenum	125
Ba	113	Na	Sodium	126
Be	114	Ni	Nickel	127
Ca	115	Pb	Lead	128
Cd	116	Sb	Antimony	129
Co	117	Se	Selenium	130
Cr	118	SiO ₂	Silica	131
Cu	119	Sr	Strontium	132
Fe	120	V	Vanadium	133
K	121	Zn	Zinc	134

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Ag (Silver)

µg/g



0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		N =	0	2	5	6	
		Minimum =		0.50	0.37	0.47	0.72
		Maximum =		1.02	2.31	0.89	0.78
		Median =		0.76	0.90	0.60	0.75
		F-pseudosigma =					

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	3	0.67				0.89	
3	4	-0.47				0.60	
13	NR				< 1.0		
15	4	0.30			0.80		
18	3	-0.87				0.50	
23	3	0.69			0.90		
32	4	0.00				0.72	
48	4	-0.47				0.60	
52	NR				< 1.0		
58	3	-0.87			0.50		
81	3	-0.98				0.47	
100	2	1.18			1.02		
105	4	0.24				0.78	
127	2	-1.38			0.37		
141	NR				< 2.5		
146	4	-0.03				0.71	
194	NR		< 10.0				
212	NR				< 7.5		
215	0	6.26			2.31		
235	2	1.10			1.00		

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
 Al (Aluminum) μg/g

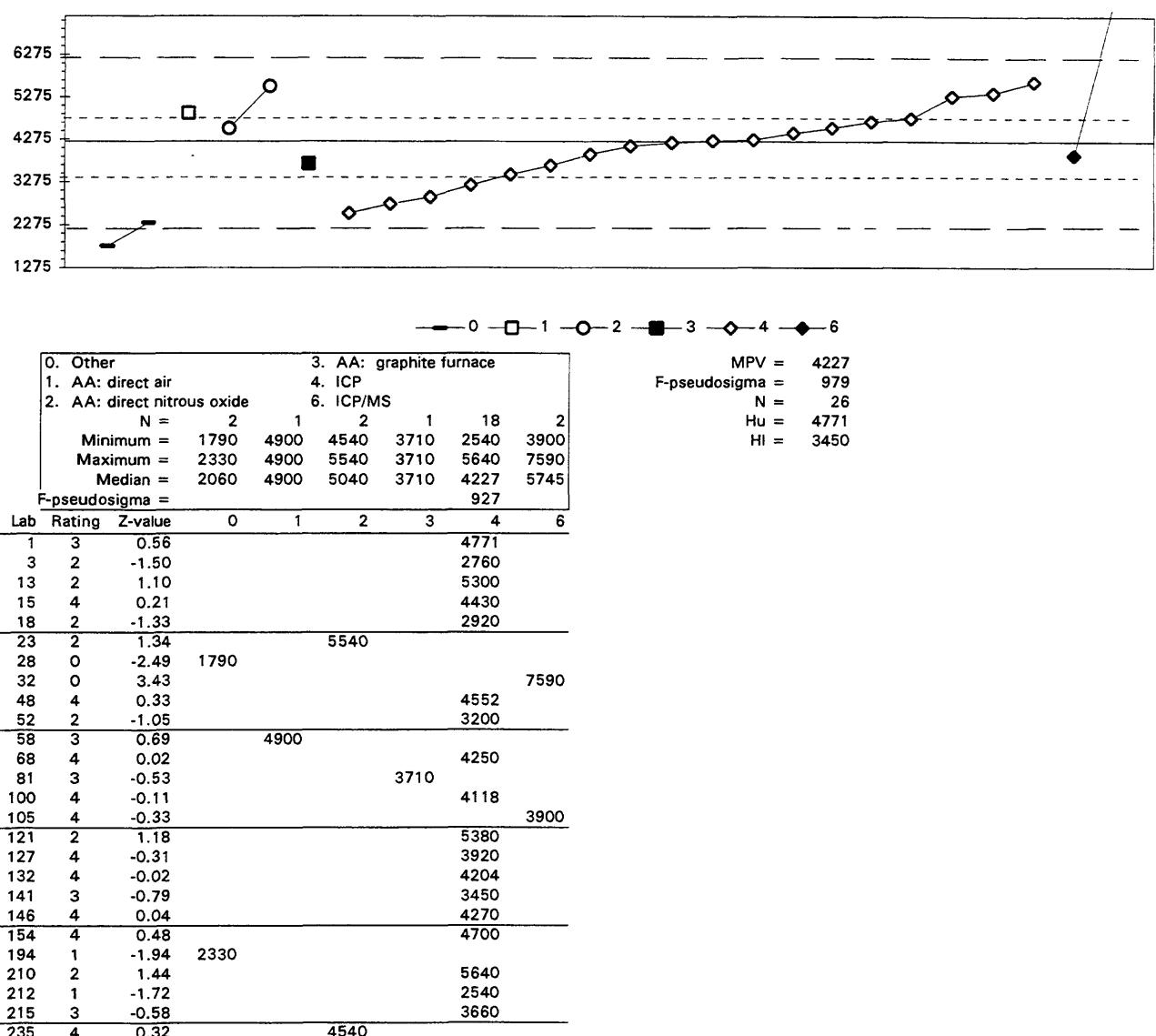
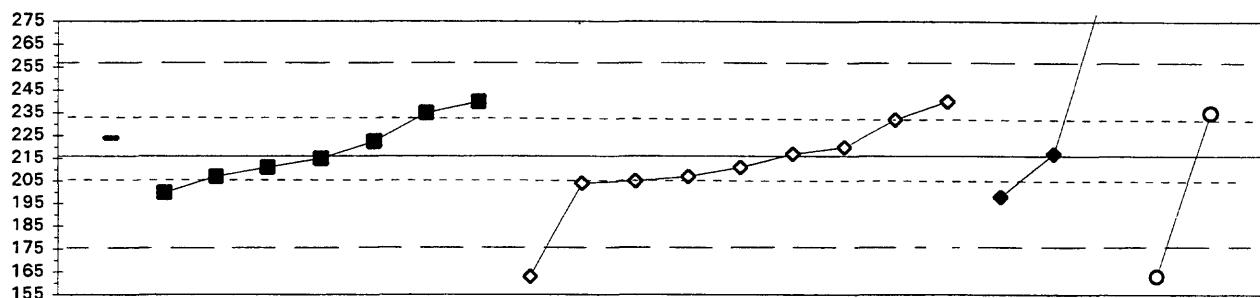


Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

As (Arsenic)

µg/g

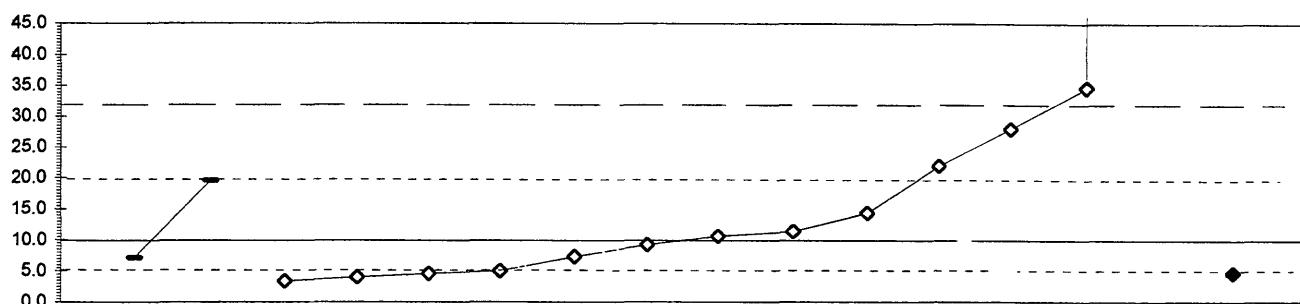


0. Other		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		11. AA: hydride					
4. ICP		N =	1	7	9	3	2
		Minimum =	224	200	163	198	163
		Maximum =		240	240	294	235
		Median =		215	211	217	199
		F-pseudosigma =		15	11		

MPV = 216
F-pseudosigma = 20
N = 22
Hu = 232
HI = 205

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	3	4	6	11
1	3	0.95				235	
3	3	-0.55			205		
13	3	-0.80		200			
15	3	0.80			232		
18	4	-0.45		207			
30	4	0.05				217	
32	0	3.90				294	
48	4	0.32		223			
52	4	0.20			220		
58	0	-2.65				163	
81	4	-0.25			211		
100	3	0.95		235			
105	3	-0.90				198	
127	2	1.20			240		
141	3	-0.60			204		
146	4	0.05			217		
154	2	1.20			240		
194	4	0.40	224				
210	0	-2.65			163		
212	4	-0.25			211		
215	4	-0.45		207			
235	4	-0.05		215			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
 B (Boron) $\mu\text{g/g}$



0. Other

4. ICP

6. ICP/MS

	N =	2	13	1
Minimum =	7.2	3.4	4.7	
Maximum =	19.6	6270.0		
Median =	13.4	9.9		
F-pseudosigma =		12.6		

	MPV =	9.9
F-pseudosigma =	11.8	
N =	16	
Hu =	20.8	
HI =	4.9	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	6
1	NR		< 0.27		
3	NR		< 0.6		
15	4	-0.50		4.0	
18	4	-0.45		4.6	
28	3	0.82	19.6		
32	4	-0.44		4.7	
48	4	0.13		11.4	
52	4	-0.41		5.0	
68	1	1.53		28.0	
100	0	2.10		34.7	
121	2	1.02		22.0	
127	3	-0.55		3.4	
141	0	529.46		6270.0	
194	4	-0.23	7.2		
210	4	-0.21		7.4	
212	4	-0.06		9.2	
215	4	0.06		10.6	
235	4	0.38		14.4	

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
Ba (Barium)

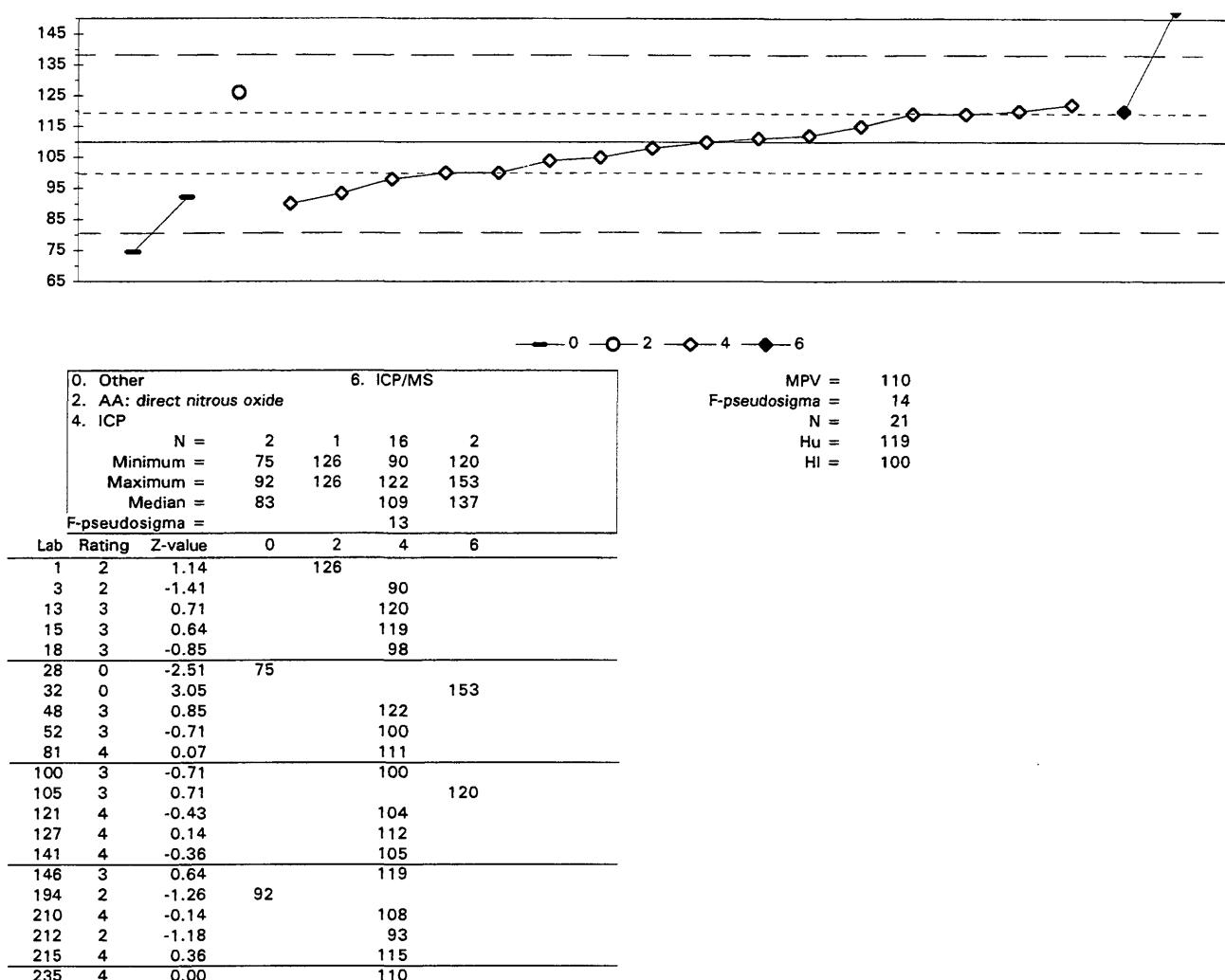
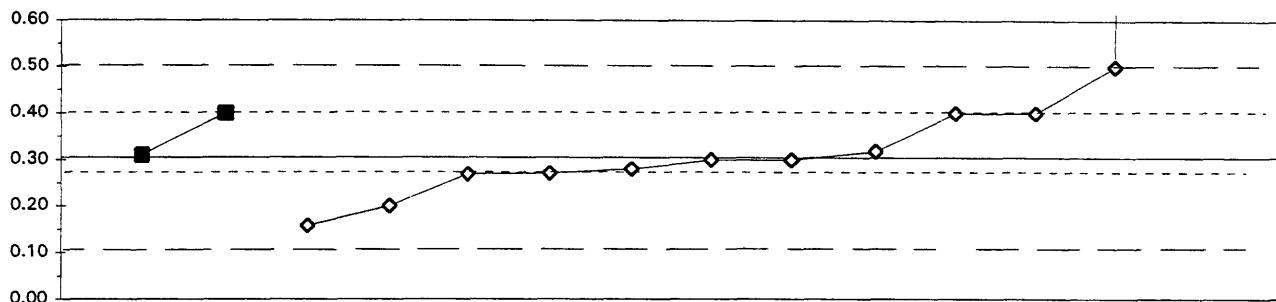


Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Be (Beryllium)

µg/g



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0. Other	4. ICP
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	
N = 0	0 2 12 0
Minimum =	0.31 0.16
Maximum =	0.40 30.10
Median =	0.36 0.30
F-pseudosigma =	0.10

MPV = 0.31
F-pseudosigma = 0.10
N = 14
Hu = 0.40
HI = 0.27

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6
1	NR		< 1				
3	4	-0.26				0.28	
15	4	-0.05				0.30	
18	2	-1.10				0.20	
32	NR					< 0.2	
48	3	0.99				0.40	
52	4	-0.38				0.27	
58	3	0.99			0.40		
81	1	-1.55				0.16	
100	0	311.58				30.10	
105	NR					< 0.6	
127	4	-0.36				0.27	
141	NR					< 0.5	
146	3	0.99				0.40	
194	NR		< 10				
210	4	0.14				0.32	
212	4	-0.05				0.30	
215	4	0.05			0.31		
235	1	2.04				0.50	

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
Ca (Calcium)

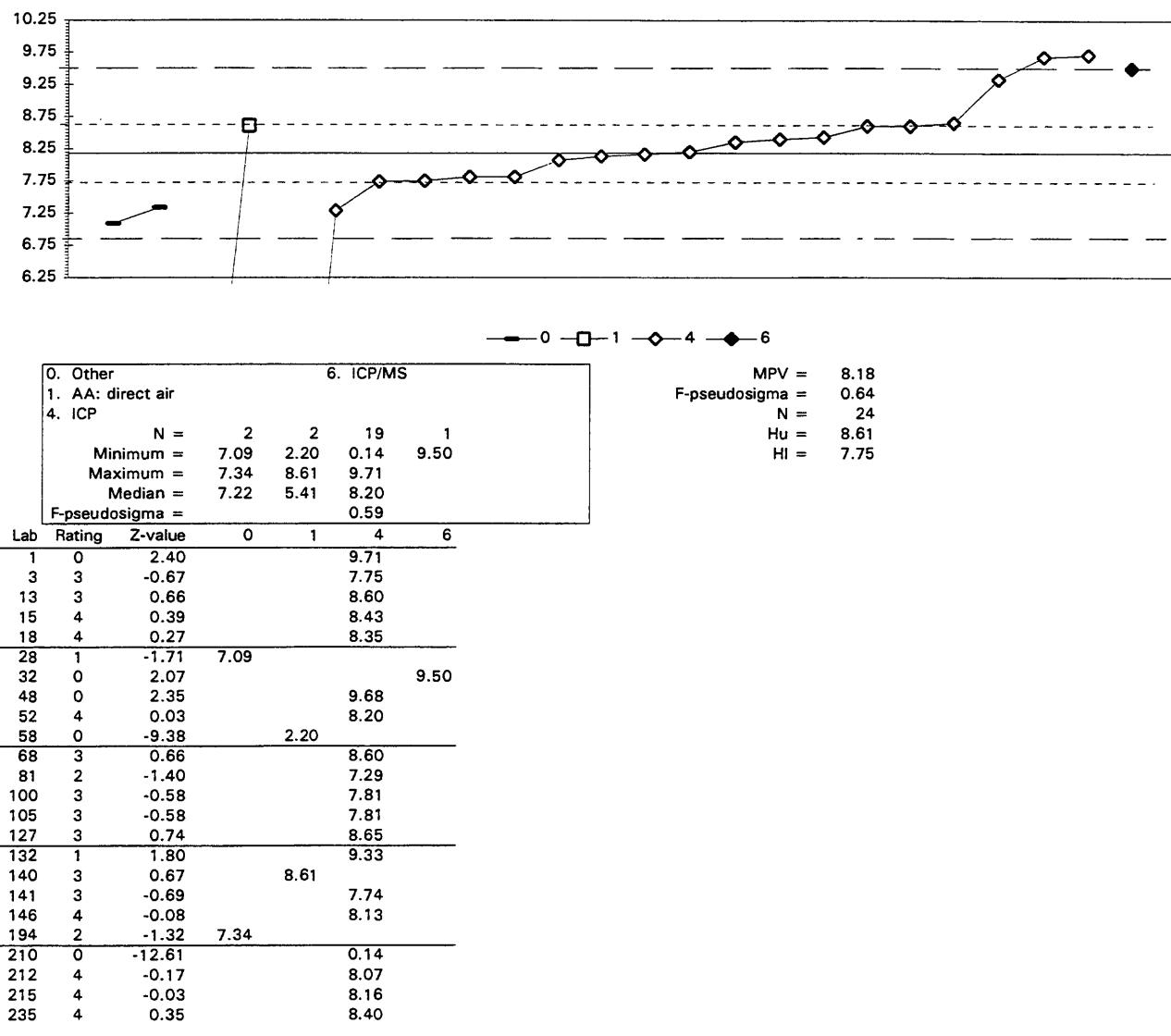
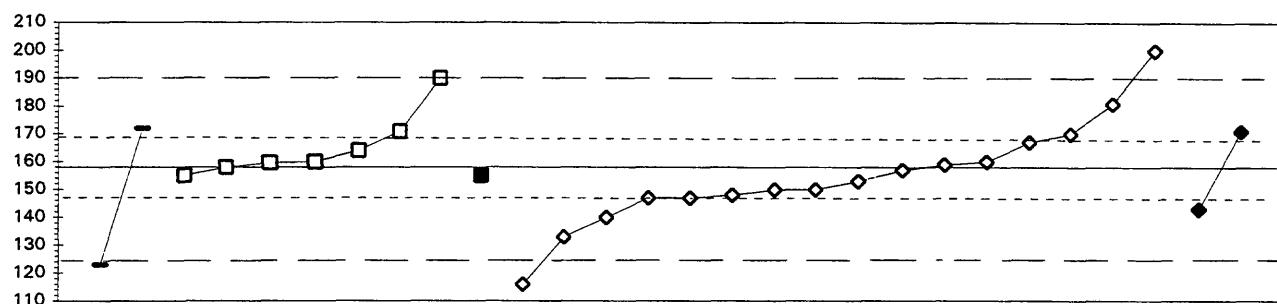


Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Cd (Cadmium)

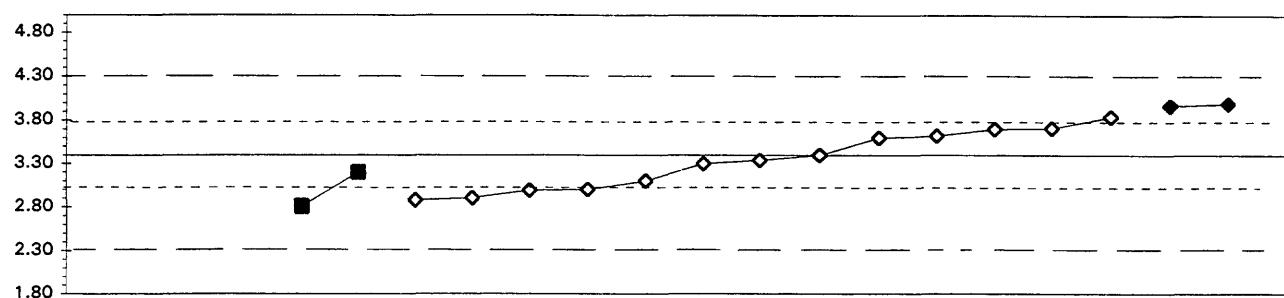
µg/g



0. Other		4. ICP				
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS				
3. AA: graphite furnace		N =	2	7	1	16
Minimum =		123	155	155	116	143
Maximum =		172	190	200	171	
Median =		148	160	152	157	
F-pseudosigma =			6	12		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	3	0.87		171			
3	4	0.10			159		
13	2	-1.12			140		
15	3	0.61			167		
18	4	-0.29			153		
23	4	-0.16	155				
28	0	-2.22	123	158			
30	4	0.03			171		
32	3	0.87				157	
48	4	-0.03				200	
52	0	2.73					160
58	4	0.16					150
68	4	-0.48					164
69	4	0.42					150
81	4	-0.48					190
100	0	2.09					143
105	3	-0.93					133
121	1	-1.57					170
127	3	0.80					181
132	2	1.50					148
140	4	0.14	160				
141	3	-0.61					147
146	3	-0.67					147
194	3	0.93	172				
210	0	-2.67					116
212	3	-0.67					147
215	4	0.16					160
235	4	-0.16		155			

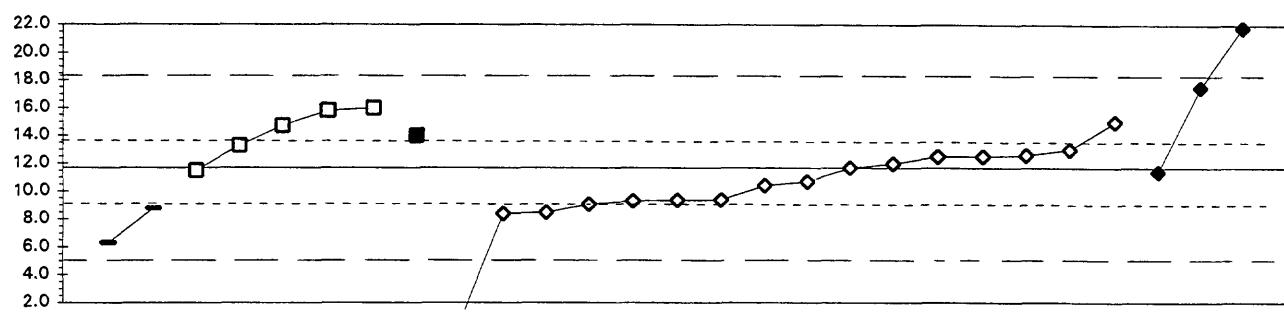
Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
Co (Cobalt)
µg/g



0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		N =	0	2	2	13	2
		Minimum =		5.77	2.81	2.88	3.97
		Maximum =		7.10	3.20	3.84	3.99
		Median =		6.44	3.01	3.34	3.98
		F-pseudosigma =				0.46	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	0	6.88			7.10		
3	4	0.00				3.40	
13	4	-0.19				3.30	
15	3	0.82				3.84	
18	3	-0.56				3.10	
32	2	1.10				3.99	
48	4	0.37				3.60	
52	3	0.56				3.70	
81	3	-0.76				2.99	
100	0	4.41		5.77			
105	2	1.06				3.97	
121	3	-0.74				3.00	
127	4	-0.11				3.34	
132	3	-0.97				2.88	
141	NR				< 5.0		
146	4	0.41				3.62	
194	NR		< 10.0				
210	3	0.58				3.71	
212	3	-0.93				2.90	
215	2	-1.10			2.81		
235	4	-0.37			3.20		

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
 Cr (Chromium) $\mu\text{g/g}$



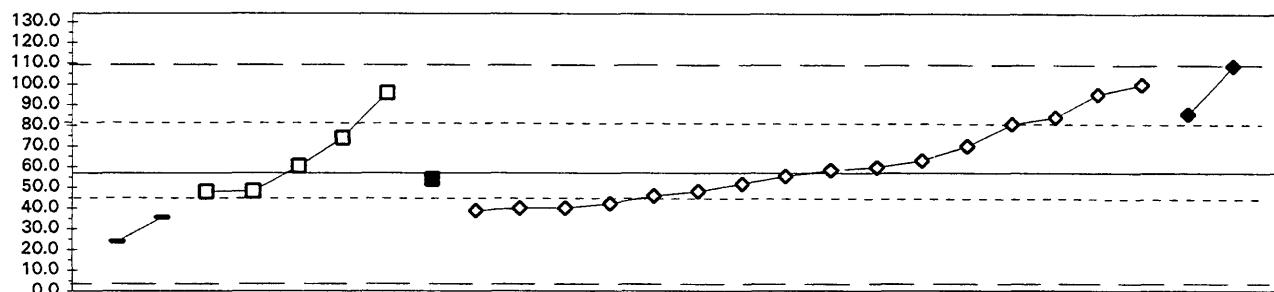
0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		N	2	5	1	16	3
		Minimum =	6.3	11.5	14.0	0.6	11.4
		Maximum =	8.8	16.0		15.0	21.8
		Median =	7.6	14.7		10.6	17.5
		F-pseudosigma =				2.5	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	4	-0.06		11.5			
3	2	-1.03			8.4		
13	4	0.41				13.0	
15	4	0.28			12.6		
18	3	-1.00				8.5	
23	2	1.28		15.8			
28	1	-1.68	6.3				
30	4	-0.09			11.4		
32	0	3.15			21.8		
48	0	-3.47			0.6		
52	3	-0.72				9.4	
58	2	1.34	16.0				
68	4	0.09			12.0		
81	4	0.00				11.7	
100	4	0.50	13.3				
105	1	1.81			17.5		
121	4	0.25			12.5		
127	4	-0.31			10.7		
132	4	-0.40			10.4		
140	3	0.94	14.7				
141	3	-0.73			9.4		
146	4	0.25			12.5		
194	3	-0.91	8.8				
210	2	1.03			15.0		
212	3	-0.75			9.3		
215	3	-0.82			9.1		
235	3	0.72		14.0			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Cu (Copper)

µg/g



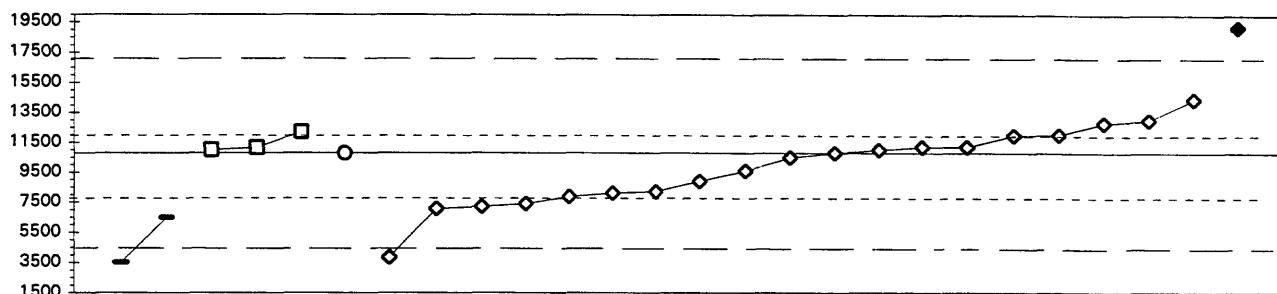
0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		N =	2	5	1	16	2
		Minimum =	24	48	54	39	86
		Maximum =	36	96	100	109	
		Median =	30	60	57	97	
		F-pseudosigma =				23	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	4	0.13		60			
3	3	-0.71			39		
13	4	0.24			63		
15	4	-0.34			48		
18	4	-0.42			46		
23	1	1.52	96				
28	2	-1.28	24				
32	1	2.03			109		
48	3	0.92			81		
52	3	-0.66			40		
58	3	0.67	74				
68	1	1.68			100		
81	2	1.49			95		
100	4	-0.35	48				
105	2	1.12			86		
121	3	-0.66			40		
127	4	-0.20			52		
132	4	0.11			60		
140	4	-0.34	48				
141	3	-0.57			42		
146	4	-0.06			55		
194	3	-0.83	36				
210	3	0.51			70		
212	2	1.05			84		
215	4	0.06			58		
235	4	-0.11		54			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Fe (Iron)

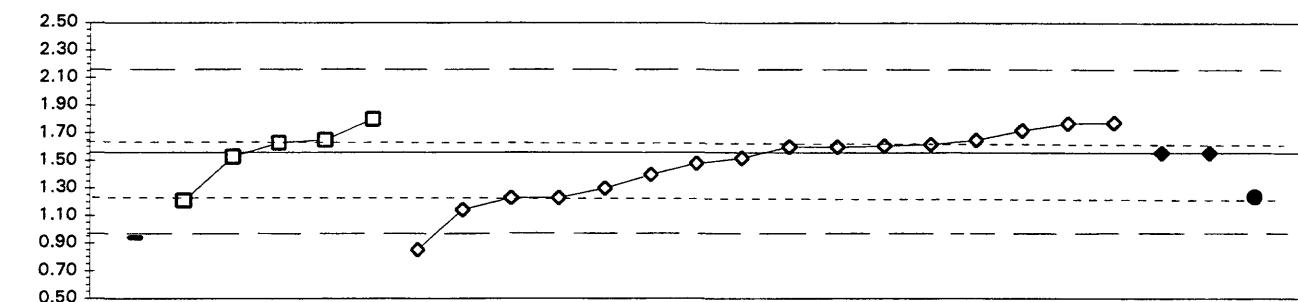
µg/g



0. Other		4. ICP				
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS				
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide		N =	2	3	1	19
		Minimum =	3530	11000	10800	3856
		Maximum =	6490	12200		14400
		Median =	5010	11150		10500
		F-pseudosigma =				2674

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6
1	4	0.46		12200			
3	2	-1.18				7210	
13	3	0.72				13000	
15	4	-0.10				10500	
18	2	-1.22				7080	
28	0	-2.38	3530				
32	0	2.75				19200	
48	4	0.07				11004	
52	3	-0.89				8100	
58	4	0.07		11000			
68	3	-0.62				8900	
81	4	0.00				10800	
100	0	-2.28				3856	
105	3	0.66				12800	
121	4	0.39				12000	
127	4	-0.40				9590	
132	4	0.38				11974	
140	4	0.11	11150				
141	2	-1.12				7390	
146	4	0.13				11200	
154	2	1.18				14400	
194	2	-1.41	6490				
210	4	0.13				11200	
212	3	-0.85				8200	
215	3	-0.96				7860	
235	4	0.00		10800			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
K (Potassium)
mg/g

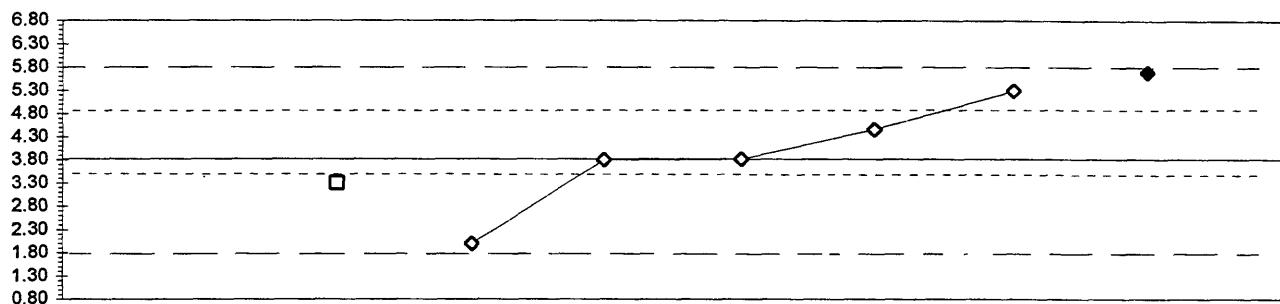


0. Other			6. ICP/MS					
1. AA: direct air			12. Flame emission					
4. ICP			N =	1	5	16	2	1
			Minimum =	0.94	1.21	0.85	1.56	1.24
			Maximum =			1.80	1.78	1.56
			Median =			1.63	1.56	1.56
			F-pseudosigma =			0.27		
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6	12	
1	4	0.31		1.65				
3	0	-2.46			0.85			
13	4	0.14				1.60		
15	4	0.31			1.65			
18	2	-1.14				1.65		
28	0	-2.14	0.94					
30	2	-1.11			1.24			
32	4	0.00				1.56		
48	3	0.75			1.78			
52	3	-0.55				1.40		
58	3	0.83	1.80					
68	3	-0.90			1.30			
81	4	-0.28			1.48			
100	4	0.21			1.62			
105	4	0.00		1.56				
121	2	-1.21		1.21				
127	4	-0.10		1.53				
132	4	0.16			1.61			
140	4	0.24	1.63					
141	4	-0.14		1.52				
146	3	0.73			1.77			
210	3	0.55			1.72			
212	2	-1.45			1.14			
215	2	-1.14			1.23			
235	4	0.14			1.60			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Li (Lithium)

$\mu\text{g/g}$



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0. Other					6. ICP/MS			
1. AA: direct air								
4. ICP								
	N =	0	1	5	1			
	Minimum =		3.31	2.00	5.70			
	Maximum =				5.30			
	Median =				3.82			
	F-pseudosigma =							

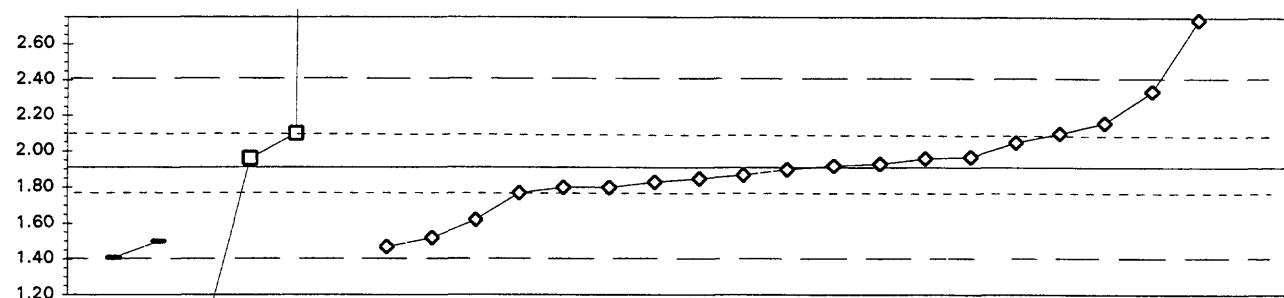
MPV = 3.82
F-pseudosigma = 0.98
N = 7
Hu = 4.88
HI = 3.56

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6
1	1	1.51			5.30	
3	4	-0.02			3.80	
15	3	0.65			4.46	
32	1	1.91				5.70
100	3	-0.52		3.31		
127	4	0.00			3.82	
194	NR	< 1000				
212	1	-1.85			2.00	

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Mg (Magnesium)

mg/g



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0. Other		6. ICP/MS			
1. AA: direct air					
4. ICP					
N =		2	4	19	1
Minimum =		1.41	0.94	1.47	3.20
Maximum =		1.50	52.00	2.74	
Median =		1.46	2.03	1.90	
F-pseudosigma =				0.16	

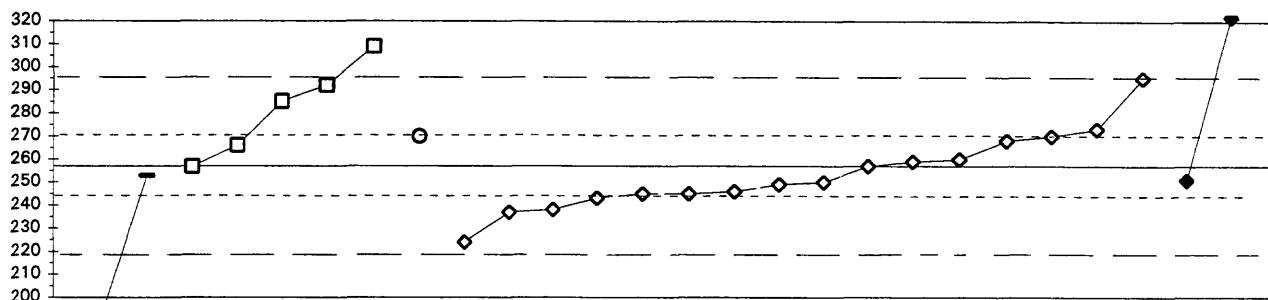
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6
1	4	0.20		1.96		
3	1	-1.59			1.52	
13	4	-0.04			1.90	
15	2	1.02			2.16	
18	2	-1.19			1.62	
23	0	-3.97	0.94			
28	1	-2.04	1.41			
32	0	5.27		3.20		
48	1	1.75		2.34		
52	4	-0.45		1.80		
58	0	204.76	52.00			
68	4	-0.45		1.80		
81	4	-0.25		1.85		
100	4	0.04		1.92		
105	4	0.08		1.93		
121	4	0.20		1.96		
127	4	0.25		1.97		
132	0	3.38		2.74		
140	3	0.78	2.10			
141	4	-0.33		1.83		
146	3	0.57		2.05		
194	1	-1.68	1.50			
210	3	-0.57		1.77		
212	1	-1.80		1.47		
215	4	-0.16		1.87		
235	3	0.78		2.10		

MPV = 1.91
F-pseudosigma = 0.24
N = 26
Hu = 2.10
HI = 1.77

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Mn (Manganese)

µg/g



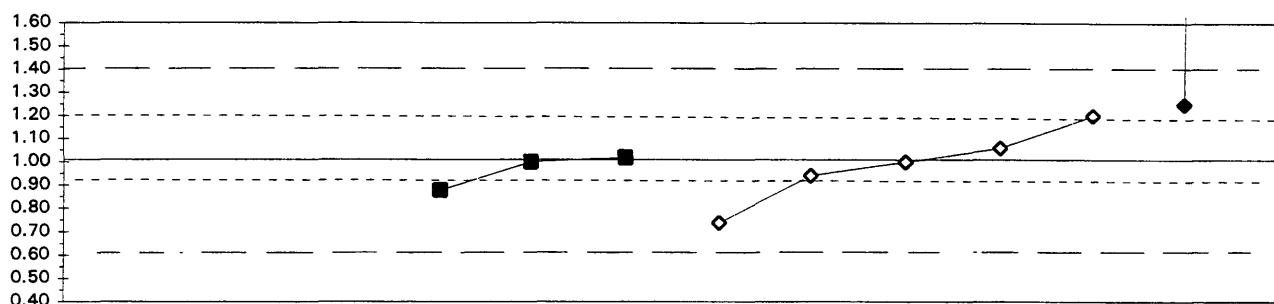
0. Other		4. ICP				
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS				
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide		N	2	5	1	16
		Minimum =	190	257	270	224
		Maximum =	253	309	295	322
		Median =	222	285	250	287
		F-pseudosigma =			15	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6
1	1	1.52		285			
3	1	-1.78			224		
13	3	0.71			270		
15	3	0.60			268		
18	3	-0.59			246		
23	1	1.89	292				
28	0	-3.61	190				
32	0	3.51			322		
48	4	0.01			257		
52	4	-0.37			250		
58	0	2.81	309				
68	4	0.17			260		
81	3	-0.64			245		
100	4	0.49	266				
105	4	-0.32			251		
121	3	-0.64			245		
127	3	0.87			273		
132	0	2.06			295		
140	4	-0.01	257				
141	2	-1.02			238		
146	4	0.11			259		
194	4	-0.21	253				
210	2	-1.07			237		
212	4	-0.43			249		
215	3	-0.75			243		
235	3	0.71		270			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Mo (Molybdenum)

µg/g



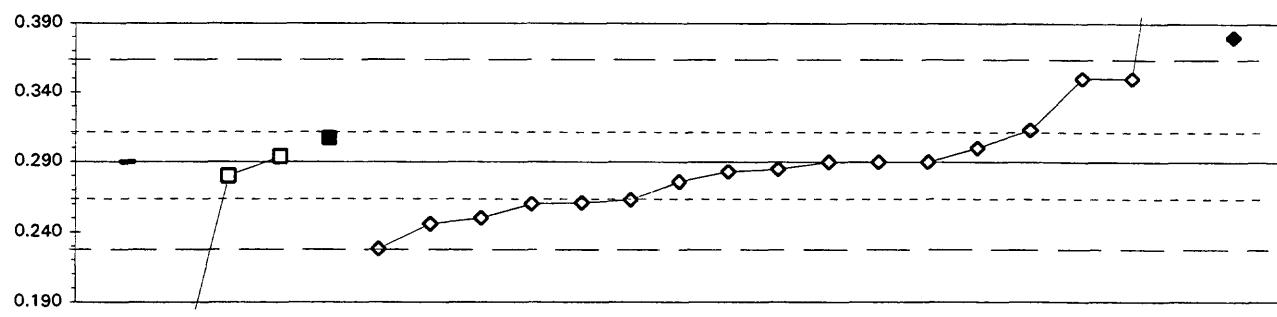
1. Other		4. ICP		
2. AA: direct nitrous oxide		6. ICP/MS		
3. AA: graphite furnace				
N =	0	0	3	2
Minimum =		0.88	0.74	1.25
Maximum =		1.02	1.20	634.00
Median =		1.00	1.00	317.63
F-pseudosigma =				

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6
1	NR				< 1.4		
3	NR				< 0.6		
15	4	0.26				1.06	
18	3	0.99				1.20	
23	NR			< 6			
28	NR			< 0.5			
32	0	#####				634.00	
48	4	0.05			1.02		
52	NR				< 2.2		
68	NR				< 3.7		
81	NR				< 0.692		
100	2	-1.41				0.74	
105	2	1.25				1.25	
127	NR				< 2		
141	NR				< 5		
146	4	-0.36				0.94	
194	NR			< 50			
210	4	-0.05				1.00	
212	NR					< 10	
215	3	-0.68			0.88		
235	4	-0.05			1.00		

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Na (Sodium)

mg/g



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0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	
N = 1 3 1 17 1	
Minimum = 0.290 0.133 0.307 0.228 0.380	
Maximum = 0.294 0.592	
Median = 0.280 0.285	
F-pseudosigma = 0.029	

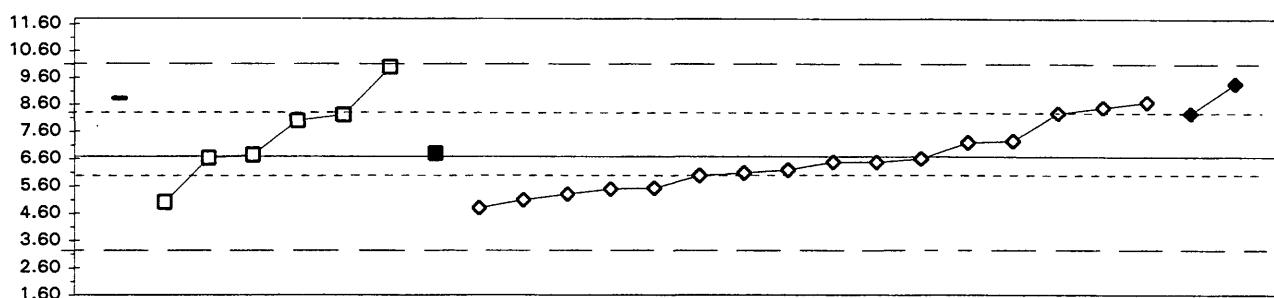
MPV = 0.290
 F-pseudosigma = 0.031
 N = 23
 Hu = 0.304
 HI = 0.262

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	1	1.95				0.350	
3	4	0.00				0.290	
13	4	0.33				0.300	
15	3	0.55			0.307		
18	3	-0.94				0.261	
23	0	-5.10	0.133				
28	4	0.00	0.290				
32	0	2.93				0.380	
48	0	9.82				0.592	
52	3	-0.88				0.263	
58	4	-0.33	0.280				
81	2	-1.43				0.246	
100	1	1.95				0.350	
105	1	-2.02				0.228	
121	4	0.00				0.290	
127	4	-0.23				0.283	
132	4	-0.16				0.285	
140	4	0.13	0.294				
141	2	-1.30				0.250	
146	3	0.75				0.313	
194	NR	< 1					
210	4	-0.46				0.276	
212	4	0.00				0.290	
215	3	-0.98				0.260	

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Ni (Nickel)

µg/g



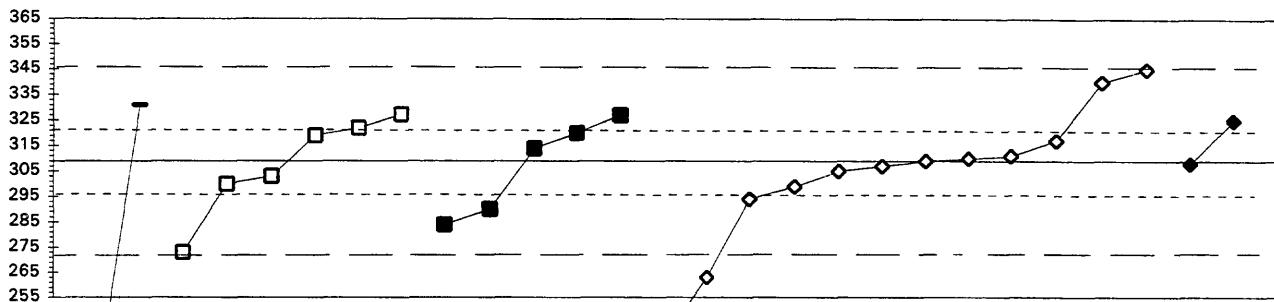
0. Other		4. ICP				
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS				
3. AA: graphite furnace						
N =		1	6	1	16	2
Minimum =		8.83	5.01	6.80	4.80	8.28
Maximum =				10.00	8.70	9.40
Median =				7.37	6.34	8.84
F-pseudosigma =					1.27	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	1	1.96		10.00			
3	3	-0.70				5.50	
13	4	-0.28				6.20	
15	4	-0.04				6.61	
18	2	-1.11				4.80	
23	4	0.04		6.74			
28	2	1.27	8.83				
30	3	0.91		8.21			
32	1	1.61				9.40	
48	4	-0.12			6.48		
52	3	-0.93				5.10	
58	3	0.78		8.00			
68	2	1.20			8.70		
81	2	1.08				8.50	
100	4	-0.04		6.62			
105	3	0.95				8.28	
121	4	-0.40			6.00		
127	4	-0.35			6.09		
132	3	0.95				8.28	
140	3	-0.99	5.01				
141	4	0.34			7.26		
146	4	-0.12			6.48		
194	NR		< 10				
210	3	-0.68			5.53		
212	4	0.31			7.20		
215	3	-0.81			5.31		
235	4	0.07		6.80			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Pb (Lead)

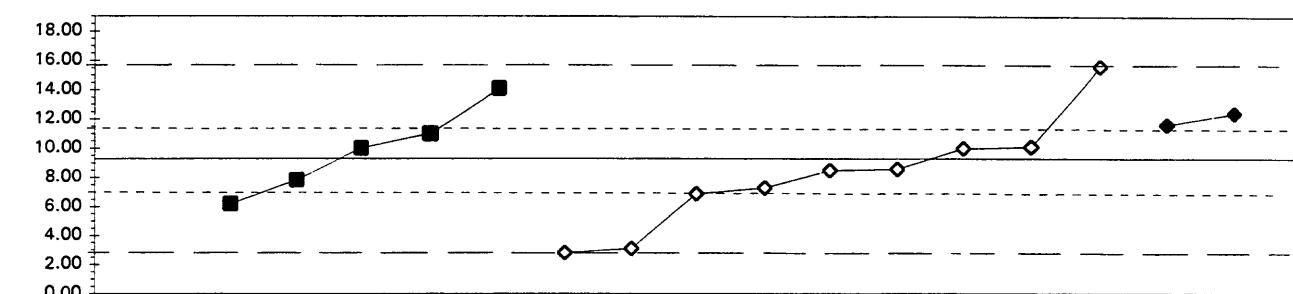
µg/g



0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		N	2	6	5	12	2
		Minimum =	216	273	284	239	308
		Maximum =	331	327	327	345	325
		Median =	274	311	314	308	317
		F-pseudosigma =				13	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6
1	1	-1.98		273			
3	3	-0.55			299		
13	3	0.61			320		
15	4	0.11				311	
18	3	0.99		327			
23	3	0.55	319				
28	0	-5.12	216				
30	4	-0.33		303			
32	3	0.88			325		
48	4	0.44			317		
52	4	0.06				310	
58	4	-0.50		300			
68	1	1.71			340		
69	3	0.72		322			
81	0	-2.53			263		
100	4	0.28			314		
105	4	-0.06				308	
127	2	-1.38			284		
140	2	1.01	327				
141	3	-0.83			294		
146	4	-0.22			305		
154	1	1.98			345		
194	2	1.21	331				
210	0	-3.85			239		
212	4	-0.11			307		
215	4	0.00			309		
235	2	-1.05		290			

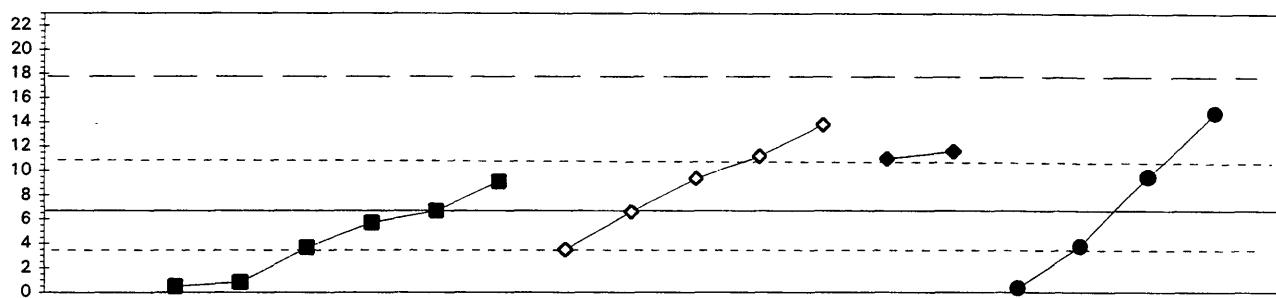
Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued



O. Other		6. ICP/MS				
3. AA: graphite furnace						
4. ICP		N =	0	5	9	2
		Minimum =		6.20	2.80	11.60
		Maximum =		14.10	15.60	12.40
		Median =		10.00	8.50	12.00
		F-pseudosigma =			2.29	
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	3	4	6
3	1	-1.98			3.10	
13	4	0.23		10.00		
15	4	0.22			9.98	
18	3	-0.99		6.20		
32	3	1.00				12.40
48	0	-2.07			2.80	
52	NR				< 10	
81	4	-0.25			8.50	
100	1	1.54		14.10		
105	3	0.74				11.60
127	4	-0.46		7.84		
141	4	0.26			10.10	
146	4	-0.22			8.58	
194	NR		< 100			
210	3	-0.64			7.28	
212	1	2.02			15.60	
215	3	-0.76			6.89	
235	3	0.55		11.00		

MPV =	9.28
F-pseudosigma =	3.12
N =	16
Hu =	11.30
Hi =	7.09

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
 Se (Selenium) $\mu\text{g/g}$



0. Other		6. ICP/MS					
3. AA: graphite furnace		11. AA: hydride					
4. ICP		N =	0	6	5	2	4
		Minimum =		0.51	3.50	11.00	0.36
		Maximum =		9.10	13.80	11.60	14.80
		Median =		4.70	9.37	11.30	6.65
		F-pseudosigma =					

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	3	4	6	11
1	2	-1.17				0.36	
3	2	1.31			13.80		
13	NR			< 1			
15	NR				< 25		
18	3	-0.55		3.70			
23	2	1.50				14.80	
32	3	0.80			11.00		
48	4	0.45		9.10			
52	3	-0.59			3.50		
58	3	0.52				9.50	
100	2	-1.14	0.51				
105	3	0.91			11.60		
127	2	-1.08	0.83				
141	3	-0.54				3.79	
146	4	0.50		9.37			
194	NR	< 200					
210	3	0.83			11.20		
212	4	-0.02			6.60		
215	4	0.00		6.69			
235	4	-0.18		5.70			

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued
 SiO₂ (Silica) mg/g

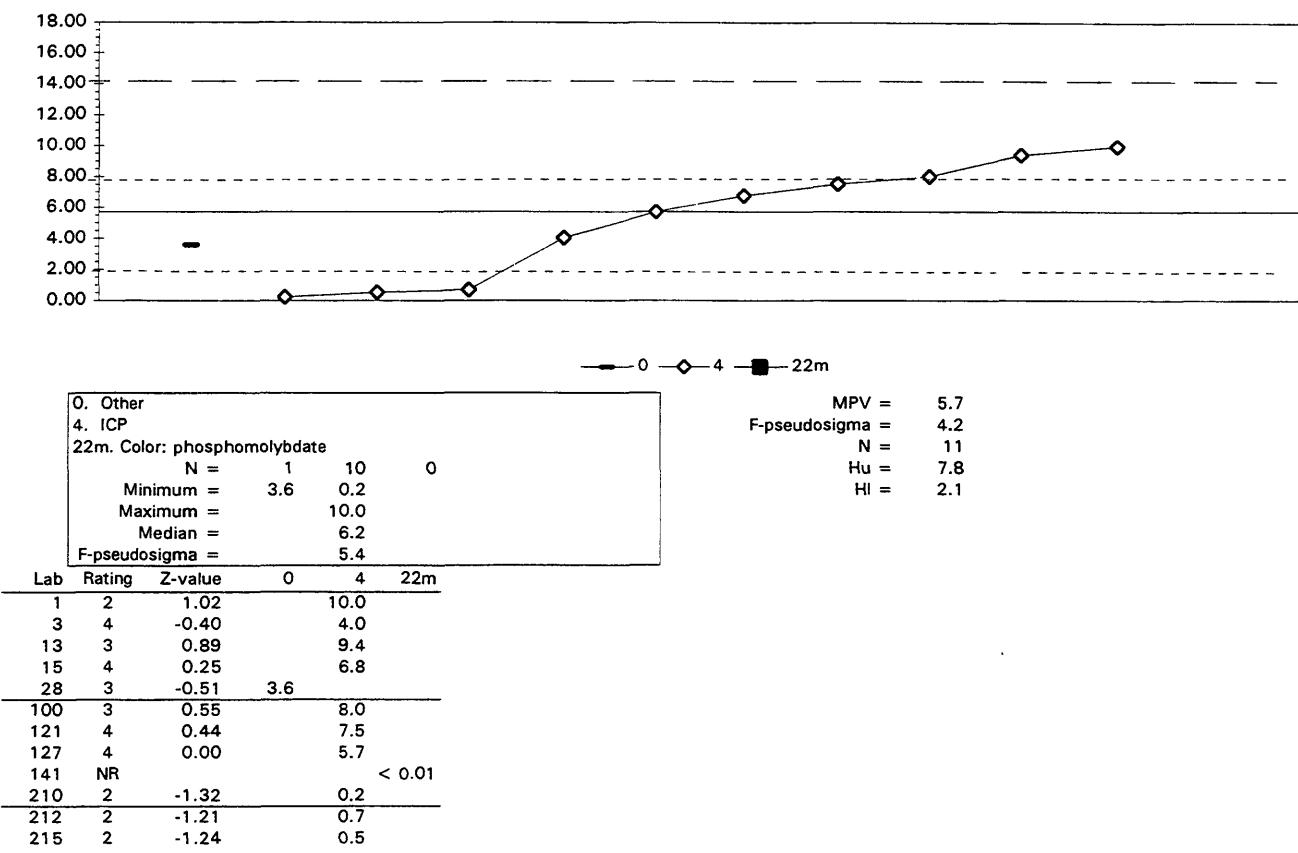


Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Sr (Strontium)

µg/g

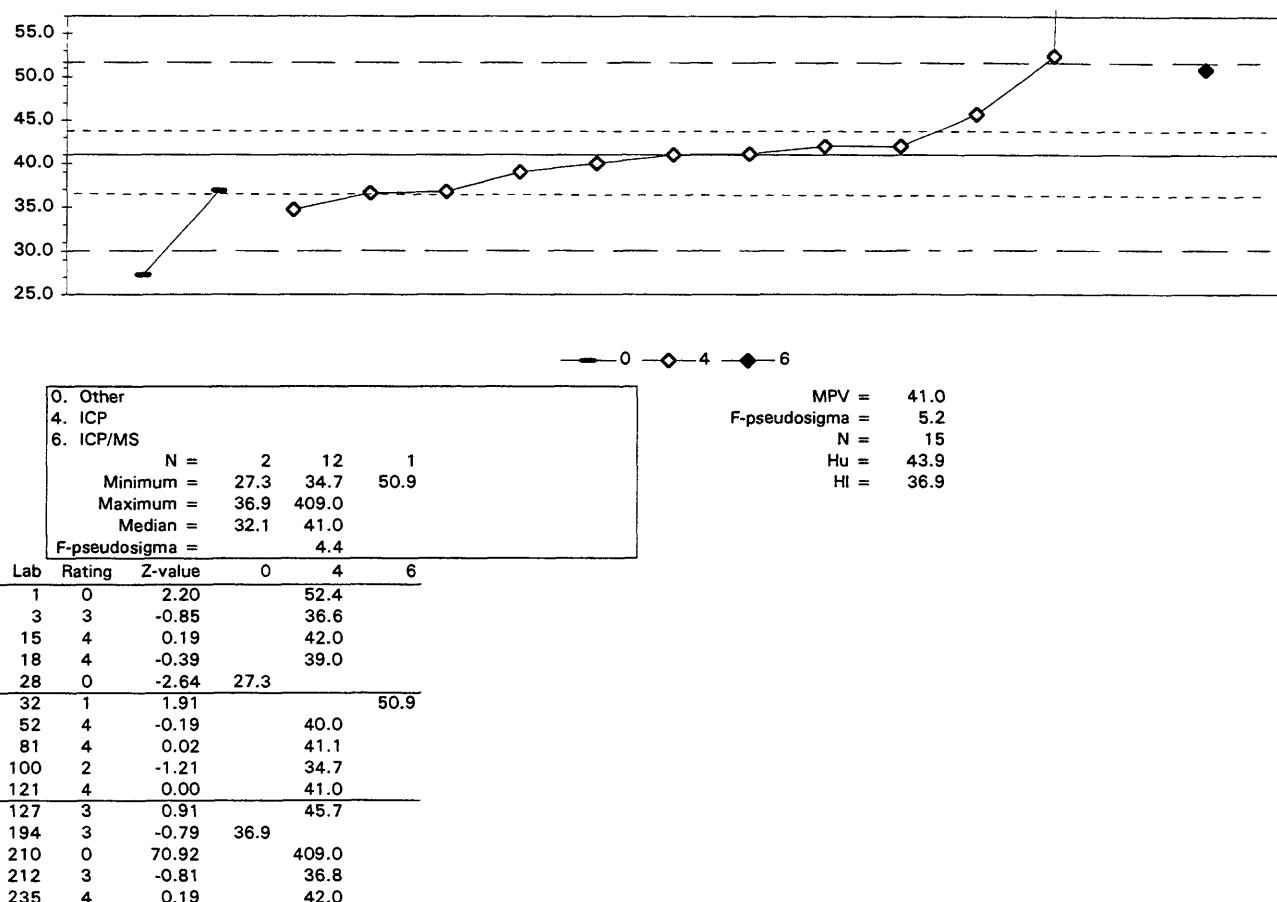
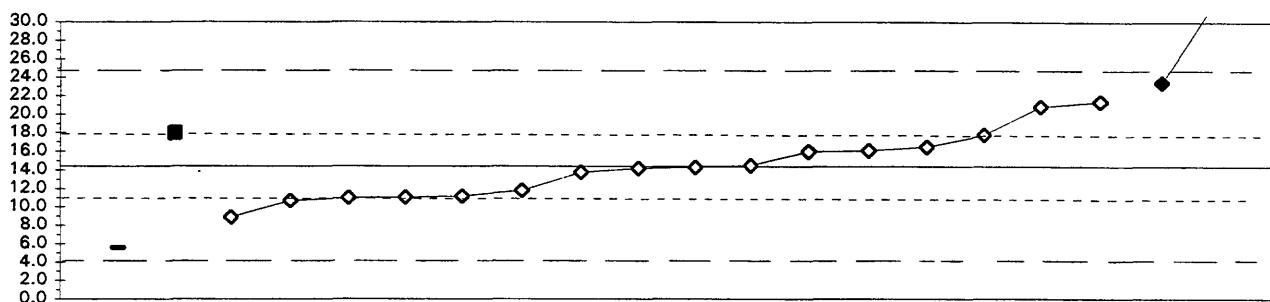


Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

V (Vanadium)

µg/g



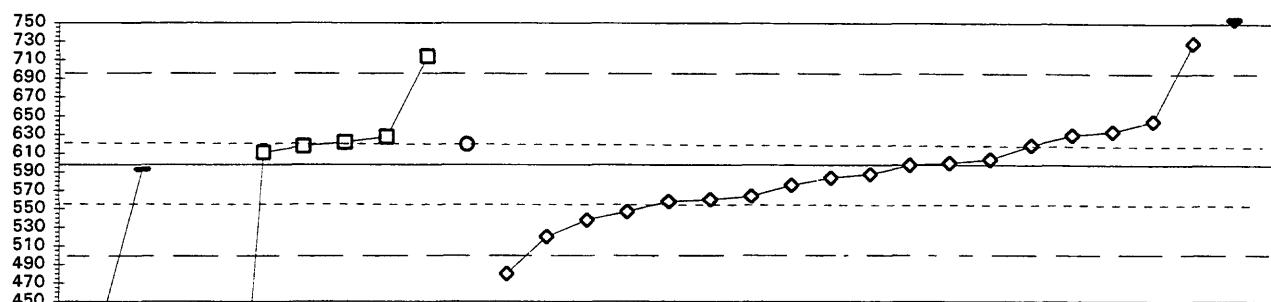
Lab	Rating	Z-value	6. ICP/MS		
			0	3	4
1	3	0.68		17.8	
3	3	-0.64		11.2	
13	4	0.02		14.5	
15	4	0.42		16.5	
18	2	-1.10		8.9	
28	1	-1.76	5.6		
32	0	3.72		33.0	
48	4	-0.04		14.2	
52	3	-0.68		11.0	
81	4	-0.02		14.3	
100	4	-0.12		13.8	
105	1	1.82			23.5
121	4	0.32		16.0	
127	3	-0.52		11.8	
132	2	1.29		20.9	
141	3	-0.74		10.7	
146	4	0.34		16.1	
194	NR	< 50			
210	2	1.40		21.4	
212	3	-0.66		11.1	
235	3	0.72		18.0	

MPV = 14.4
 F-pseudosigma = 5.0
 N = 20
 Hu = 17.9
 HI = 11.2

Table 18. Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sediment sample SED-5 (bed material)--Continued

Zn (Zinc)

µg/g



Lab	Rating	Z-value	Zn (µg/g)				
			0	1	2	4	6
1	0	2.45		714			
3	4	-0.30			584		
13	3	0.67			630		
15	3	0.76			634		
18	4	-0.46			576		
23	4	0.42		618			
28	0	-3.67	424				
30	4	0.27		611			
32	0	3.31			755		
48	4	0.00			598		
52	3	-0.80			560		
58	0	-11.70		43			
68	4	0.04			600		
69	0	-12.46		7			
81	2	-1.26			538		
100	3	0.51	622				
105	4	-0.21			588		
121	1	-1.64			520		
127	3	0.99			645		
132	4	0.12			604		
140	3	0.63	628				
141	2	-1.07			547		
146	4	0.44			619		
154	0	2.76			729		
194	4	-0.11	593				
210	0	-2.49			480		
212	3	-0.84			558		
215	3	-0.72			564		
235	4	0.46		620			

Table 19. --Most probable values for constituents and properties in standard reference samples distributed in May 1995

[MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, microgram per liter; mg/L , milligram per liter; $\mu\text{S/cm}$, microsiemens per centimeter at 25 degrees Celsius]

T-135 (trace constituents)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma	Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
Ag	9.81 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.05	Li	73.7 $\mu\text{g/L}$	5.2
Al	10.5 $\mu\text{g/L}$	6.8	Mg	2.00 mg/L	0.09
As	10.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.1	Mn	423 $\mu\text{g/L}$	20
B	13.1 $\mu\text{g/L}$	11.1	Mo	63.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	5.1
Ba	67.8 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.3	Na	30.8 mg/L	1.2
Be	59.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	2.6	Ni	65.6 $\mu\text{g/L}$	5.0
Ca	10.4 mg/L	0.6	Pb	103.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.0
Cd	50.5 $\mu\text{g/L}$	3.2	Sb	76.3 $\mu\text{g/L}$	8.7
Co	40.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	2.6	Se	10.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.4
Cr	79.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	5.5	SiO ₂	4.28 mg/L	0.31
Cu	62.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.2	Sr	46.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	2.3
Fe	228 $\mu\text{g/L}$	11	V	52.8 $\mu\text{g/L}$	3.6
K	0.96 mg/L	0.09	Zn	48.2 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.7

M-134 (major constituents)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma	Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
Alkalinity	62.9 mg/L	1.6	Na	60.7 mg/L	2.4
B	33.7 mg/L	8.5	total P	0.010 mg/L	0.016
Ca	43.8 mg/L	2.4	pH	7.72	0.17
Cl	65.0 mg/L	2.1	SiO ₂	5.34 mg/L	0.27
DSRD	370 mg/L	19	SO ₄	78.0 mg/L	2.4
F	0.561 mg/L	0.030	Sp Cond	615 $\mu\text{S/cm}$	18
K	2.40 mg/L	0.22	Sr	291 $\mu\text{g/L}$	14
Mg	9.75 mg/L	0.41	V	3.55 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.24

N-45 (nutrients)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
NH ₃ as N	0.060 mg/L	0.021
NH ₃ +OrgN as N	0.300 mg/L	0.249
NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	0.286 mg/L	0.028
total P as P	0.139 mg/L	0.012
PO ₄ as P	0.120 mg/L	0.012

N-46 (nutrients)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
NH ₃ as N	1.04 mg/L	0.09
NH ₃ +OrgN as N	1.81 mg/L	0.30
NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	1.23 mg/L	0.06
Total P as P	1.23 mg/L	0.06
PO ₄ as P	0.920 mg/L	0.045

P-24 (low ionic strength constituents)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma	Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
Acidity	3.75 mg/L	1.30	Na	0.246 mg/L	0.025
Ca	0.325 mg/L	0.030	pH	4.73	0.13
Cl	1.20 mg/L	0.19	PO ₄ as P	0.028 mg/L	0.003
F	0.110 mg/L	0.011	SO ₄	0.338 mg/L	0.508
K	0.118 mg/L	0.011	Sp Cond	13.3 $\mu\text{S/cm}$	1.6
Mg	0.055 mg/L	0.007			

Hg-20 (mercury)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
Hg	4.42 $\mu\text{g/L}$	0.38

SED-5 (bed material)

Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma	Analyte	MPV	F-pseudosigma
Ag	0.72 $\mu\text{g/g}$	0.25	Li	3.82 $\mu\text{g/g}$	0.98
Al	4227 $\mu\text{g/g}$	979	Mg	1.91 mg/g	0.24
As	216 $\mu\text{g/g}$	20.0	Mn	257 $\mu\text{g/g}$	19
B	9.90 $\mu\text{g/g}$	11.82	Mo	1.01 $\mu\text{g/g}$	0.19
Ba	110 $\mu\text{g/g}$	14	Na	0.290 mg/g	0.031
Be	0.305 $\mu\text{g/g}$	0.096	Ni	6.68 $\mu\text{g/g}$	1.69
Ca	8.18 mg/g	0.64	Pb	309 $\mu\text{g/g}$	18
Cd	158 $\mu\text{g/g}$	16	Sb	9.28 $\mu\text{g/g}$	3.12
Co	3.40 $\mu\text{g/g}$	0.54	Se	6.69 $\mu\text{g/g}$	5.41
Cr	11.70 $\mu\text{g/g}$	3.20	SiO ₂	5.71 mg/g	4.16
Cu	56.9 $\mu\text{g/g}$	25.6	Sr	41.0 $\mu\text{g/g}$	5.2
Fe	10800 $\mu\text{g/g}$	3050	V	14.4 $\mu\text{g/g}$	5.0
K	1.56 mg/g	0.29	Zn	598 $\mu\text{g/g}$	47