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ATTN: Ms. Cindy Arnold

June 21, 2010

**SUBJECT: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada,
Data Validation**

Dear Ms. Arnold,

Enclosed are the final validation reports for the fractions listed below. These SDGs were received on June 3, 2010. Attachment 1 is a summary of the samples that were reviewed for each analysis.

LDC Project # 23310:

SDG #

Fraction

280-3100-7, 280-3153-1, 280-3153-3	Semivolatiles, Chlorinated Pesticides,
280-3153-4, 280-3197-1, 280-3197-7	Metals, Perchlorate
280-3264-1, 280-3264-3, 280-3264-6	
280-3624-2	

The data validation was performed under Stage 2B/4 guidelines. The analyses were validated using the following documents, as applicable to each method:

- Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation, BRC 2009
- Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson Nevada, June 2009
- NDEP Guidance, May 2006
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review, June 2008
- USEPA, Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review, October 2004

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

Sincerely,

Erlinda T. Rauto
Operations Manager/Senior Chemist

LDC #23310 (Tronox LLC-Northgate, Henderson NV / Tronox PCS)

LDC	SDG#	DATE REC'D	DATE DUE (3)	SVOA (8270C)		Pest. (8081A)		As (6020)		Co (6020)		Pb (6020)		Mn (6020)		Mg (6020)		CLO ₄ (314.0)		S		W		S		W		S		W		S		W			
				W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W	S	W			
Matrix: Water/Soil																																					
A	280-3100-7	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
B	280-3153-1	06/03/10	06/24/10	-	-	-	0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
C	280-3153-3	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
D	280-3153-4	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
E	280-3197-1	06/03/10	06/24/10	-	-	0	9	0	9	0	6	0	3	0	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
E	280-3197-1	06/03/10	06/24/10	-	-	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
F	280-3197-7	06/03/10	06/24/10	-	-	-	-	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
G	280-3264-1	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	6	-	-	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
G	280-3264-1	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	5	-	-	0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
H	280-3264-3	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
H	280-3264-3	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
I	280-3264-6	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J	280-3624-2	06/03/10	06/24/10	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Shaded cells indicate Stage 4 validation (all other cells are Stage 2B validation). These sample counts do not include MS/MSD, and DUPs

EDD CHECKLIST

LDC #: 23310

SDG #: 280-3100-7, 280-3153-1, 280-3153-3, 280-3153-4, 280-3197-1
280-3197-7, 280-3264-1, 280-3264-3, 280-3264-6, 280-3624-2

Tronox Northgate Henderson Worksheet

EDD Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Completeness				
Is there an EDD for the associated Tronox validation report?	X			
II. EDD Qualifier Population				
Were all qualifiers from the validation report populated into the EDD?	X			
III. EDD Lab Anomalies				
Were EDD anomalies identified?		X		
If yes, were they corrected or documented for the client?			X	See EDD_discrepancy_form_LDC23310_061810.doc
IV. EDD Delivery				
Was the final EDD sent to the client?	X			

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Data Validation Reports
LDC #23310**

Semivolatiles

LDC

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada

Collection Date: April 30, 2010

LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010

Matrix: Soil

Parameters: Semivolatiles

Validation Level: Stage 2B

Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3100-7

Sample Identification

SSAK6-02-5BPC

Introduction

This data review covers one soil sample listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

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

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

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

Sample FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) was identified as a field blank. No semivolatile contaminants were found in this blank with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04072010-RZD	4/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.2 ug/L	All samples in SDG 280-3100-7

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3100-7	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3100-7**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3100-7	SSAK6-02-5BPC	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3100-7**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3100-7**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

Tronox Northgate Henderson

VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

Stage 2B

LDC #: 23310A2a
 SDG #: 280-3100-7
 Laboratory: Test America

Date: 6/10/10
 Page: 1 of 1
 Reviewer: SVL
 2nd Reviewer: A

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 4/20/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	2 RSD 12
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CW/ICV = 25%
V.	Blanks	A	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	N	client spec
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	N	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	N	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	N	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	N	
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	FB = FB-04072010 - RZD (280-2216-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:

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1+	SSAK6-02-5BPC	11	MB 280-15242 / 1-A	21		31	
2		12		22		32	
3		13		23		33	
4		14		24		34	
5		15		25		35	
6		16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

LDC #: 73310 Ara

SDG #: Sa Grv

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

Field Blanks

Page: 1 of 1

Reviewer: JG

2nd Reviewer: [Signature]

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y/N N/A Were field blanks identified in this SDG?

Y/N N/A Were target compounds detected in the field blanks?

Blank units: ug/L Associated sample units: ug/kg

Sampling date: 4/07/10

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Associated Samples: All (ND)

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
	<u>FB-04072010-R2D</u>	
<u>EE</u>	<u>2.2</u>	
<u>EE = bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate</u>		
CRQL		

Blank units: _____ Associated sample units: _____

Sampling date: _____

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Associated Samples: _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
CRQL		

5x Phthalates
2x All others

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 3, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Semivolatiles
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3153-3

Sample Identification

SSAK7-06-1BPC
SSAL2-03-1BPC
SSAK7-06-1BPCMS
SSAK7-06-1BPCMSD

Introduction

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I. Technical Holding Times

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All ion abundance requirements were met.

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Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No semivolatile contaminants were found in the method blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Extraction Date	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Concentration	Associated Samples
MB280-14276/1-A	5/6/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	60.1 ug/Kg	All samples in SDG 280-3153-3

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified with the following exceptions:

Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Reported Concentration	Modified Final Concentration
SSAK7-06-1BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	79 ug/Kg	79U ug/Kg

Sample FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) was identified as a field blank. No semivolatiles were found in this blank with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04072010-RZD	4/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.2 ug/L	All samples in SDG 280-3153-3

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3153-3	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-3**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3153-3	SSAK7-06-1BPC SSAL2-03-1BPC	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-3**

SDG	Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Modified Final Concentration	A or P	Code
280-3153-3	SSAK7-06-1BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	79U ug/Kg	A	bl

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-3**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET**

LDC #: 23310C2a
SDG #: 280-3153-3
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B

Date: 6/10/10
Page: 1 of 1
Reviewer: SVL
2nd Reviewer: CA

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: <u>5/03/10</u>
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	<u>7. RSD r²</u>
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	<u>CV/1W = 25%</u>
V.	Blanks	SW	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	A	
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	<u>LCS</u>
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	N	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	N	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	N	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	N	
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	<u>FB = FB-04072010-RZD (280-2216-2)</u>

Note: A = Acceptable
N = Not provided/applicable
SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
R = Rinsate
FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
TB = Trip blank
EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:

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1	SSAK7-06-1BPC	11	<u>MB 280-14276/1-A</u>	21		31	
2	SSAL2-03-1BPC	12		22		32	
3	SSAK7-06-1BPCMS	13		23		33	
4	SSAK7-06-1BPCMSD	14		24		34	
5		15		25		35	
6		16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(a)pyrene**
B. Bis (2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	JJJ. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT.
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes: * = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each concentration preparation level?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank associated with every sample?
- Y N N/A Was the blank contaminated? If yes, please see qualification below.

Blank extraction date: 5/6/10 Blank analysis date: 5/13/10

Conc. units: ng/kg Associated Samples: A11 (6)

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification									
EEF	MB 280-19276/A-1 60.1										

Blank extraction date: _____ Blank analysis date: _____ Associated Samples: _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification									

CIRCLED RESULTS WERE NOT QUALIFIED. ALL RESULTS NOT CIRCLED WERE QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT: Common contaminants such as the phthalates and TICs noted above that were detected in samples within ten times the associated method blank concentration were qualified as not detected, "U". Other contaminants within five times the method blank concentration were also qualified as not detected, "U".

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y/N N/A Were field blanks identified in this SDG?
Y/N N/A Were target compounds detected in the field blanks?
Blank units: 40 / L Associated sample units: 45 / kg
Sampling date: 4 / 6 / 10

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other: AM Associated Samples:

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
	FB-0407 2010-R3D	
EEE	2.2	(> 5X FB)
EEE = bis (2-ethylhexyl phthalate)		
CRQL		

Blank units: _____ Associated sample units: _____
Sampling date: _____
Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
CRQL		

5x Phthalates
2x All others

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada

Collection Date: May 3, 2010

LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010

Matrix: Soil

Parameters: Semivolatiles

Validation Level: Stage 4

Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3153-4

Sample Identification

SSAL2-02-4BPC

Introduction

This data review covers one soil sample listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No semivolatile contaminants were found in the method blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Extraction Date	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Concentration	Associated Samples
MB280-14475/1-A	5/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	62.7 ug/Kg	All samples in SDG 280-3153-4

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

Sample FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) was identified as a field blank. No semivolatile contaminants were found in this blank with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04072010-RZD	4/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.2 ug/L	All samples in SDG 280-3153-4

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria.

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3153-4	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Tentatively identified compounds were not reported by the laboratory.

XIV. System Performance

The system performance was acceptable.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-4**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3153-4	SSAL2-02-4BPC	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-4**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-4**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

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 SDG #: 280-3153-4
 Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B 4

Date: 6/10/10
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METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/03/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	2 RSD ✓
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CW/ICV = 25%
V.	Blanks	SW	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	A	SSAQ5-02-5BPC
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	UCS
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	*A	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	*A	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	*A	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	N	
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	FB = FB-04072010-R2D (280-2216-2)

Note: A = Acceptable ND = No compounds detected D = Duplicate
 N = Not provided/applicable R = Rinsate TB = Trip blank
 SW = See worksheet FB = Field blank EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:

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1 ⁺	SSAL2-02-4BPC	11		21		31	
2	MB 280-14475/A	12		22		32	
3		13		23		33	
4		14		24		34	
5		15		25		35	
6		16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

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VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

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Method: Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical holding times				
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
II. GC/MS Instrument performance check				
Were the DFTPP performance results reviewed and found to be within the specified criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all samples analyzed within the 12 hour clock criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
III. Initial calibration				
Did the laboratory perform a 5 point calibration prior to sample analysis?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a curve fit used for evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Did the initial calibration meet the curve fit acceptance criteria of > 0.990 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) $\leq 30\%$ and relative response factors (RRF) > 0.05 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IV. Continuing calibration				
Was a continuing calibration standard analyzed at least once every 12 hours for each instrument?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) $\leq 25\%$ and relative response factors (RRF) ≥ 0.05 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
V. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix and concentration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VI. Surrogate spikes				
Were all surrogate %R within QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If 2 or more base neutral or acid surrogates were outside QC limits, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If any %R was less than 10 percent, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
VII. Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates				
Were a matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD. Soil / Water.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a MS/MSD analyzed every 20 samples of each matrix?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VIII. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
X. Internal standards				
Were internal standard area counts within -50% or +100% of the associated calibration standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were retention times within + 30 seconds from the associated calibration standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XI. Target compound identification				
Were relative retention times (RRT's) within + 0.06 RRT units of the standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Did compound spectra meet specified EPA "Functional Guidelines" criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were chromatogram peaks verified and accounted for?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XII. Compound quantitation/CRQLs				
Were the correct internal standard (IS), quantitation ion and relative response factor (RRF) used to quantitate the compound?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XIII. Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)				
Were the major ions (> 10 percent relative intensity) in the reference spectrum evaluated in sample spectrum?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were relative intensities of the major ions within + 20% between the sample and the reference spectra?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Did the raw data indicate that the laboratory performed a library search for all required peaks in the chromatograms (samples and blanks)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XIV. System performance				
System performance was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XV. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XVI. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target compounds were detected in the field duplicates.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
XVII. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target compounds were detected in the field blanks.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(e)pyrene**
B. Bis(2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	JJJ. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT.
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes: * = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each concentration preparation level?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank associated with every sample?
- X N N/A Was the blank contaminated? If yes, please see qualification below.

Blank extraction date: 5/07/00 Blank analysis date: 5/12/00

Conc. units: ug/kg Associated Samples: A 11

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
<i>5X</i> <i>7/3.9</i>	MB 260-14475-1-A 62.7	<u>1</u> <u>700</u>

Blank extraction date: _____ Blank analysis date: _____
Conc. units: _____ Associated Samples: _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification

CIRCLED RESULTS WERE NOT QUALIFIED. ALL RESULTS NOT CIRCLED WERE QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
Common contaminants such as the phthalates and TICs noted above that were detected in samples within ten times the associated method blank concentration were qualified as not detected, "U". Other contaminants within five times the method blank concentration were also qualified as not detected, "U".

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Blanks

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METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y / N / N/A Were field blanks identified in this SDG?

Y / N / N/A Were target compounds detected in the field blanks?

Blank units: ug / L Associated sample units: ug / kg

Sampling date: 4/07/03

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other: A11 Associated Samples:

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
	FP-04072610- RZD	
EEE	2,2	(7 5x FA)
CRQL		

Blank units: _____ Associated sample units: _____
 Sampling date: _____
 Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
CRQL		

5x Phthalates
 2x All others

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The Relative Response Factor (RRF), average RRF, and percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculations:

$RRF = (A_x)(C_{is}) / (A_{is})(C_x)$
 average RRF = sum of the RRFs/number of standards
 $\%RSD = 100 * (S/X)$
 A_x = Area of Compound
 C_x = Concentration of compound,
 S = Standard deviation of the RRFs,
 A_{is} = Area of associated internal standard
 C_{is} = Concentration of internal standard
 X = Mean of the RRFs

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Internal Standard)	Reported		Recalculated		Reported		Recalculated	
				RRF (50 std)	RRF (50 std)	Average RRF (Initial)	Average RRF (Initial)	%RSD	%RSD		
1	ICAL	4/30/2010	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.6144	0.6144	0.6180	0.6180	8.1	8.1	8.07	8.07
	MSS B		Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0782	1.0782	1.0369	1.0369	7.2	7.2	7.22	7.22
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.3039	1.3039	1.2373	1.2373	6.2	6.2	6.18	6.18
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2568	0.2568	0.2487	0.2488	3.5	3.5	3.49	3.49
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0391	1.0391	1.0410	1.0410	8.7	8.7	8.69	8.69
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.1004	1.1004	1.0287	1.0287	7.1	7.1	7.06	7.06

Inc IS/Cpd	Area cpd	Area IS
40/50	277357	361148
40/50	1929425	1431528
40/50	1337620	820708
40/50	428206	1334038
40/50	1933691	1488789
40/50	1971811	1433541

Conc	1,4-Dioxane	Naphthalene	Fluorene	Hexachlorob	Chrysene	Benzo(a)py
4.00	0.7314	1.1235	1.3073	0.2613	1.1789	0.8958
10.00	0.6399	1.1005	1.2691	0.2452	1.1157	0.9510
20.00	0.6119	1.0879	1.3046	0.2572	1.1100	1.0198
50.00	0.6144	1.0782	1.3039	0.2568	1.0391	1.1004
80.00	0.5875	1.0390	1.2554	0.2441	1.0374	1.0995
120.00	0.5915	0.9971	1.2055	0.2473	0.9838	1.0793
160.00	0.5793	0.9530	1.1343	0.2411	0.9498	1.0491
200.00	0.5880	0.9156	1.1184	0.2370	0.9131	1.0345
X =	0.6180	1.0369	1.2373	0.2488	1.0410	1.0287
S =	0.0499	0.0748	0.0765	0.0087	0.0905	0.0726

Comments: Refer to Initial Calibration findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Continuing Calibration Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent difference (%D) of the initial calibration average Relative Response Factors (RRFs) and the continuing calibration RRFs were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

Where:
 $\% \text{ Difference} = 100 * (\text{ave. RRF} - \text{RRF}) / \text{ave. RRF}$
 $\text{RRF} = (\text{Ax}) / (\text{Cis}) / (\text{Ais}) / (\text{Cx})$
 ave. RRF = initial calibration average RRF
 RRF = continuing calibration RRF
 Ax = Area of compound Ais = Area of associated internal standard
 Cx = Concentration of compound Cis = Concentration of internal standard

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Reference IS)	Average RRF (Initial RRF)	Reported (CC RRF)	Recalculated (CC RRF)	Reported %D	Recalculated %D
1	B7318	05/12/10	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.6180	0.5683	0.5683	8.0	8.0
			Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0369	1.0471	1.0471	1.0	1.0
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.2373	1.2615	1.2615	2.0	2.0
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2487	0.2530	0.2530	1.7	1.7
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0410	1.0246	1.0246	1.6	1.6
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0287	1.1047	1.1047	7.4	7.4

Compound (Reference IS)	Concentration (IS/Cpd)	Area Cpd	Area IS
1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	40/80	401060	352839
Naphthalene (IS2)	40/80	2927544	1397951
Fluorene (IS3)	40/80	2119328	840002
Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	40/80	671556	1327446
Chrysene (IS5)	40/80	2965580	1447209
Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	40/80	2997507	1356655

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Surrogate Results Verification

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METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) of surrogates were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery: $SF/SS * 100$

Where: SF = Surrogate Found
 SS = Surrogate Spiked

Sample ID: # 1

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5	100	76.6	77	77	0
2-Fluorobiphenyl	↓	74.3	74	74	↓
Terphenyl-d14	↓	81.1	81	81	↓
Phenol-d5	150	118.1	79	79	↓
2-Fluorophenol	↓	115.8	77	77	↓
2,4,6-Tribromophenol	↓	117.9	79	79	↓
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID: _____

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID: _____

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent Difference (RPD) of the laboratory control sample and laboratory control sample duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = $100 \cdot (SC/SA)$ Where: SSC = Spike concentration
 SA = Spike added
 $RPD = |LCS - LCSD| \cdot 2 / (LCS + LCSD)$ LCS = Laboratory control sample percent recovery LCSD = Laboratory control sample duplicate percent recovery
 LCS/LCSD samples: LCS 280 - 14475 / 2-A

Compound	Spike Added (ng/kg)		Spike Concentration (ng/kg)		LCS Percent Recovery		LCSD Percent Recovery		LCS/LCSD RPD	
	LCS	LCSD	LCS	LCSD	Reported	Recalc	Reported	Recalc	Reported	Recalculated
Phenol										
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine										
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol										
Acenaphthene	2670	NA	2080	NA	79	79				
Pentachlorophenol	2670	NA	2190	↓	83	83				
Pyrene										

Comments: Refer to Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

Sample Calculation Verification

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METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

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Y N N/A

Were all reported results recalculated and verified for all level IV samples?

Were all recalculated results for detected target compounds agree within 10.0% of the reported results?

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{(A_x)(I_s)(V_i)(DF)(2.0)}{(A_{is})(RRF)(V_o)(V_t)(\%S)}$$

A_x = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the compound to be measured

A_{is} = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the specific internal standard

I_s = Amount of internal standard added in nanograms (ng)

V_o = Volume or weight of sample extract in milliliters (ml) or grams (g).

V_i = Volume of extract injected in microliters (ul)

V_t = Volume of the concentrated extract in microliters (ul)

Df = Dilution Factor.

%S = Percent solids, applicable to soil and solid matrices only.

2.0 = Factor of 2 to account for GPC cleanup

Example:

Sample I.D. # 1, SS

$$\text{Conc.} = \frac{(172561)(40)(1 \text{ ml})(100)()}{(147988)(0.2987)(0.925)(31.0 \text{ g})()}$$

= 654.0 ng/kg

#	Sample ID	Compound	Reported Concentration ()	Calculated Concentration ()	Qualification

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 5 through May 6, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Semivolatiles
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3264-1

Sample Identification

SSAQ5-02-1BPC**
SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD
SSAQ5-02-3BPC
SSAQ5-02-5BPC
SSAQ5-02-7BPC
SSAQ5-02-9BPC
SA156-1BPC
SA156-2BPC**
SA175-8BPC**
SA84-6BPC**
SSAL2-01-4BPC**
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 13 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No semivolatile contaminants were found in the method blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Extraction Date	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Concentration	Associated Samples
MB280-14475/1-A	5/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	62.7 ug/Kg	All samples in SDG 280-3264-1

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified with the following exceptions:

Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Reported Concentration	Modified Final Concentration
SSAQ5-02-1BPC**	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	75 ug/Kg	75U ug/Kg
SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	76 ug/Kg	76U ug/Kg
SSAQ5-02-3BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	78 ug/Kg	78U ug/Kg
SSAQ5-02-5BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	73 ug/Kg	73U ug/Kg
SSAQ5-02-7BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	72 ug/Kg	72U ug/Kg
SSAQ5-02-9BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	71 ug/Kg	71U ug/Kg

Samples FB04062010-RZB (from SDG 280-2131-2), FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2), and FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2) were identified as field blanks. No semivolatile contaminants were found in these blanks with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB04062010-RZB	4/6/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.7 ug/L	SSAQ5-02-1BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD SSAQ5-02-3BPC SSAQ5-02-5BPC SSAQ5-02-7BPC SSAQ5-02-9BPC SA156-1BPC SA156-2BPC** SA84-6BPC**
FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE	4/13/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate Di-n-octylphthalate	1.1 ug/L 1.6 ug/L	SA175-8BPC**
FB-04072010-RZD	4/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.2 ug/L	SSAL2-01-4BPC**

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria with the following exceptions:

Sample	Compound	Finding	Flag	A or P
SA84-6BPC**	Benzo(b)fluoranthene Benzo(k)fluoranthene	Due to lack of resolution between these compounds in the samples, the laboratory performed the quantitation using the total peak area.	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	P

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3264-1	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Tentatively identified compounds were not reported by the laboratory.

XIV. System Performance

The system performance was acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAQ5-02-1BPC** and SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD were identified as field duplicates. No semivolatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Compound	Concentration (ug/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAQ5-02-1BPC**	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD				
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	75	76	-	1 (≤ 360)	-	-

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3264-1	SA84-6BPC**	Benzo(b)fluoranthene Benzo(k)fluoranthene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	P	Project Quantitation Limit (q)
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-1BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD SSAQ5-02-3BPC SSAQ5-02-5BPC SSAQ5-02-7BPC SSAQ5-02-9BPC SA156-1BPC SA156-2BPC** SA175-8BPC** SA84-6BPC** SSAL2-01-4BPC**	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

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Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

SDG	Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Modified Final Concentration	A or P	Code
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-1BPC**	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	75U ug/Kg	A	bl
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	76U ug/Kg	A	bl
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-3BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	78U ug/Kg	A	bl
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-5BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	73U ug/Kg	A	bl
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-7BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	72U ug/Kg	A	bl
280-3264-1	SSAQ5-02-9BPC	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	71U ug/Kg	A	bl

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Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

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METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/05 - 06/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	2 RSD r _y
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CV/1W ≤ 25%
V.	Blanks	SW	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	A	
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	NA	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	SW	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	NA	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	SW	D = 1, r
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	FB = FB04062010 - R2B (280-2181-2) = FB-04072010 - R2D (280-2216-2) = FB-04132010 - RFG2-RZF (280-2400-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet
 ND = No compounds detected D = Duplicate
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:
 ** Stage 4

1	SSAQ5-02-1BPC ** D	11	SSAL2-01-4BPC **	21	MB 280-14475/-A	31
2	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD D	12	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS	22		32
3	SSAQ5-02-3BPC	13	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD	23		33
4	SSAQ5-02-5BPC	14		24		34
5	SSAQ5-02-7BPC	15		25		35
6	SSAQ5-02-9BPC	16		26		36
7	SA156-1BPC	17		27		37
8	SA156-2BPC **	18		28		38
9	SA175-8BPC **	19		29		39
10	SA84-6BPC **	20		30		40

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VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

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Method: Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical holding times				
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
II. GC/MS Instrument performance check				
Were the DFTPP performance results reviewed and found to be within the specified criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all samples analyzed within the 12 hour clock criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
III. Initial calibration				
Did the laboratory perform a 5 point calibration prior to sample analysis?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a curve fit used for evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Did the initial calibration meet the curve fit acceptance criteria of > 0.990 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) $\leq 30\%$ and relative response factors (RRF) > 0.05 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IV. Continuing calibration				
Was a continuing calibration standard analyzed at least once every 12 hours for each instrument?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) $\leq 25\%$ and relative response factors (RRF) ≥ 0.05 ?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
V. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix and concentration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VI. Surrogate spikes				
Were all surrogate %R within QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If 2 or more base neutral or acid surrogates were outside QC limits, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If any %R was less than 10 percent, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
VII. Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates				
Were a matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD. Soil / Water.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a MS/MSD analyzed every 20 samples of each matrix?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VIII. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
X. Internal standards				
Were internal standard area counts within -50% or +100% of the associated calibration standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were retention times within + 30 seconds from the associated calibration standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XI. Target compound identification				
Were relative retention times (RRT's) within + 0.06 RRT units of the standard?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Did compound spectra meet specified EPA "Functional Guidelines" criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were chromatogram peaks verified and accounted for?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XII. Compound quantitation/CRQLs				
Were the correct internal standard (IS), quantitation ion and relative response factor (RRF) used to quantitate the compound?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XIII. Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)				
Were the major ions (> 10 percent relative intensity) in the reference spectrum evaluated in sample spectrum?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were relative intensities of the major ions within $\pm 20\%$ between the sample and the reference spectra?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Did the raw data indicate that the laboratory performed a library search for all required peaks in the chromatograms (samples and blanks)?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
XIV. System performance				
System performance was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XV. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XVI. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Target compounds were detected in the field duplicates.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XVII. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Target compounds were detected in the field blanks.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(e)pyrene**
B. Bis (2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	J.J. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT.
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes: * = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each concentration preparation level?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank associated with every sample?
- Y N N/A Was the blank contaminated? If yes, please see qualification below.

Blank extraction date: 5/17/06 Blank analysis date: 5/12/06

(bl)

Conc. units: ug/kg Associated Samples: All

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification					
DEE	MB 280-14751-A 62.7	1 75/4	2 76/4	3 78/4	4 79/4	5 72/4	6 71/4

Blank extraction date: _____ Blank analysis date: _____ Associated Samples: _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification					

CIRCLED RESULTS WERE NOT QUALIFIED. ALL RESULTS NOT CIRCLED WERE QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
Common contaminants such as the phthalates and TICs noted above that were detected in samples within ten times the associated method blank concentration were qualified as not detected, "U". Other contaminants within five times the method blank concentration were also qualified as not detected, "U".

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Blanks

LDC #: 22310 G24
 SDG #: [Signature]

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y/N N/A Were field blanks identified in this SDG?
 Y/N N/A Were target compounds detected in the field blanks?

Blank units: 13 / L Associated sample units: 65 / kg

Sampling date: 4/27/10
 Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Associated Samples: 11 (ND)

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
[Shaded]	FB-04072010-22D	
EEE	2,2	
CRQL		

Blank units: _____ Associated sample units: _____
 Sampling date: _____
 Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other:

Associated Samples:

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
[Shaded]		
CRQL		

LDC #: 2310 524
SDG #: JJA Cmy

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Compound Quantitation and Reported CRQLs

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Reviewer: JJC
2nd Reviewer: SCL

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".
Were the correct internal standard (IS), quantitation ion and relative response factor (RRF) used to quantitate the compound?
Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?

Y N / N/A
Y N / N/A

#	Date	Sample ID	Finding	Associated Samples	Qualifications
		10	GGG HHH unresolved		J/MS / PS (g)

Comments: See sample calculation verification worksheet for recalculations

LDC #: 23310 G2A
 SDG #: Salmon

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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 Reviewer: OV
 2nd reviewer: AN

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y N N/A Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
 Y N N/A Were target compounds identified in the field duplicate pairs?

Compound	Concentration (<u>ug/kg</u>)		RPD
	1	2	
EEE	75	76	1 (≤ 360 D)

Compound	Concentration ()		RPD

Compound	Concentration ()		RPD

Compound	Concentration ()		RPD

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The Relative Response Factor (RRF), average RRF, and percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculations:

$RRF = (A_x)(C_{is}) / (A_{is})(C_x)$ A_x = Area of Compound A_{is} = Area of associated internal standard
 average RRF = sum of the RRFs/number of standards C_x = Concentration of compound, C_{is} = Concentration of internal standard
 %RSD = $100 * (S/X)$ S = Standard deviation of the RRFs, X = Mean of the RRFs

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Internal Standard)	Reported		Recalculated		Reported		Recalculated	
				RRF (50 std)	RRF (50 std)	Average RRF (Initial)	Average RRF (Initial)	%RSD	%RSD		
1	ICAL	4/30/2010	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.6144	0.6144	0.6180	0.6180	8.1	8.1	8.07	8.07
	MSS B		Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0782	1.0782	1.0369	1.0369	7.2	7.2	7.22	7.22
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.3039	1.3039	1.2373	1.2373	6.2	6.2	6.18	6.18
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2568	0.2568	0.2487	0.2488	3.5	3.5	3.49	3.49
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0391	1.0391	1.0410	1.0410	8.7	8.7	8.69	8.69
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.1004	1.1004	1.0287	1.0287	7.1	7.1	7.06	7.06

Inc IS/Cpd	Area cpd	Area IS
40/50	277357	361148
40/50	1929425	1431528
40/50	1337620	820708
40/50	428206	1334038
40/50	1933691	1488789
40/50	1971811	1433541

Conc	1,4-Dioxane	Naphthalene	Fluorene	Hexachlorob	Chrysene	Benzo(a)py
4.00	0.7314	1.1235	1.3073	0.2613	1.1789	0.8958
10.00	0.6399	1.1005	1.2691	0.2452	1.1157	0.9510
20.00	0.6119	1.0879	1.3046	0.2572	1.1100	1.0198
50.00	0.6144	1.0782	1.3039	0.2568	1.0391	1.1004
80.00	0.5875	1.0390	1.2554	0.2441	1.0374	1.0995
120.00	0.5915	0.9971	1.2055	0.2473	0.9838	1.0793
160.00	0.5793	0.9530	1.1343	0.2411	0.9498	1.0491
200.00	0.5880	0.9156	1.1184	0.2370	0.9131	1.0345
X =	0.6180	1.0369	1.2373	0.2488	1.0410	1.0287
S =	0.0499	0.0748	0.0765	0.0087	0.0905	0.0726

Comments: Refer to Initial Calibration findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The Relative Response Factor (RRF), average RRF, and percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculations:

$RRF = (A_x)(C_{is}) / (A_{is})(C_x)$
 average RRF = sum of the RRFs/number of standards
 $\%RSD = 100 * (S/X)$
 A_x = Area of Compound
 C_x = Concentration of compound,
 S = Standard deviation of the RRFs,
 A_{is} = Area of associated internal standard
 C_{is} = Concentration of internal standard
 X = Mean of the RRFs

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Internal Standard)	Reported	Recalculated	Reported	Recalculated	Reported	Recalculated
				RRF (50 std)	RRF (50 std)	Average RRF (Initial)	Average RRF (Initial)	%RSD	%RSD
1	ICAL	5/12/2010	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.5630	0.5630	0.5686	0.5686	2.7	2.68
	MSS K		Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0281	1.0281	1.0211	1.0211	6.6	6.60
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.3033	1.3033	1.2978	1.2978	7.0	6.96
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2320	0.2322	0.2313	0.2312	2.4	2.45
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0597	1.0597	1.0588	1.0588	7.7	7.74
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0950	1.0950	1.0629	1.0629	4.0	4.02

Conc	Area cpd	Area IS
4.00	180207	256060
10.00	1276874	993578
20.00	950651	583548
50.00	283964	978167
80.00	1394199	1052500
120.00	1407224	1028084

Conc	1,4-Dioxane	Naphthalene	Fluorene	Hexachlorob	Chrysene	Benzo(a)py
4.00	0.5835	1.1259	1.4452		1.1823	0.9940
10.00	0.5929	1.0644	1.3682	0.2384	1.1293	1.0380
20.00	0.5646	1.0578	1.3466	0.2340	1.1090	1.0835
50.00	0.5630	1.0281	1.3033	0.2320	1.0597	1.0950
80.00	0.5874	1.0313	1.2950	0.2362	1.0775	1.1324
120.00	0.5574	1.0018	1.2565	0.2294	0.9858	1.0769
160.00	0.5566	0.9425	1.1967	0.2264	0.9750	1.0450
200.00	0.5559	0.9170	1.1712	0.2222	0.9515	1.0380
	0.5559					
X =	0.5686	1.0211	1.2978	0.2312	1.0588	1.0629
S =	0.0152	0.0673	0.0903	0.0057	0.0819	0.0427

Comments: Refer to Initial Calibration findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Continuing Calibration Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent difference (%D) of the initial calibration average Relative Response Factors (RRFs) and the continuing calibration RRFs were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

Where:
 ave. RRF = initial calibration average RRF
 RRF = continuing calibration RRF
 $RRF = (Ax)(Cis)/(Ais)(Cx)$
 Ax = Area of compound Ais = Area of associated internal standard
 Cx = Concentration of compound Cis = Concentration of internal standard

% Difference = $100 * (ave. RRF - RRF) / ave. RRF$
 $RRF = (Ax)(Cis)/(Ais)(Cx)$

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Reference IS)	Average RRF (Initial RRF)	Reported (CC RRF)	Recalculated (CC RRF)	Reported %D	Recalculated %D
1	K3652	05/12/10	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.5700	0.5809	0.5809	1.9	1.9
			Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0211	1.0507	1.0507	2.9	2.9
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.2978	1.3270	1.3270	2.2	2.2
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2313	0.2323	0.2323	0.4	0.4
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0588	1.0848	1.0848	2.5	2.5
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0629	1.1394	1.1394	7.2	7.2
2	K3697	05/13/10	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.5700	0.5421	0.5421	4.9	4.9
			Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0211	0.9918	0.9918	2.9	2.9
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.2978	1.2768	1.2768	1.6	1.6
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2313	0.2205	0.2205	4.6	4.7
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0588	1.0259	1.0259	3.1	3.1
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0629	1.0888	1.0888	2.4	2.4

Compound (Reference IS)	CCV1		CCV2	
	Concentration (IS/Cpd)	Area Cpd	Area IS	Area IS
1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	40/80	280135	241131	307267
Naphthalene (IS2)	40/80	1955602	930630	1229307
Fluorene (IS3)	40/80	1467082	552792	746739
Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	40/80	430763	927227	1288916
Chrysene (IS5)	40/80	2115549	975059	1399559
Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	40/80	2111923	926789	1288674

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Continuing Calibration Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent difference (%D) of the initial calibration average Relative Response Factors (RRFs) and the continuing calibration RRFs were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Difference = $100 * (\text{ave. RRF} - \text{RRF}) / \text{ave. RRF}$
 RRF = $(Ax)(Cis) / (Ais)(Cx)$
 Where:
 ave. RRF = initial calibration average RRF
 RRF = continuing calibration RRF
 Ax = Area of compound
 Ais = Area of associated internal standard
 Cx = Concentration of compound
 Cis = Concentration of internal standard

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Reference IS)	Average RRF (Initial RRF)	Reported (CC RRF)	Recalculated (CC RRF)	Reported %D	Recalculated %D
1	B7318	05/12/10	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.6180	0.5683	0.5683	8.0	8.0
			Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0369	1.0471	1.0471	1.0	1.0
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.2373	1.2615	1.2615	2.0	2.0
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2487	0.2530	0.2530	1.7	1.7
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0410	1.0246	1.0246	1.6	1.6
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0287	1.1047	1.1047	7.4	7.4

Compound (Reference IS)	Concentration (IS/Cpd)	Area Cpd	Area IS
1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	40/80	401060	352839
Naphthalene (IS2)	40/80	2927544	1397951
Fluorene (IS3)	40/80	2119328	840002
Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	40/80	671556	1327446
Chrysene (IS5)	40/80	2965580	1447209
Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	40/80	2997507	1356655

LDC #: 2371062a
 SDG #: Sre Cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Surrogate Results Verification

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 Reviewer: JV
 2nd reviewer: A

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) of surrogates were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery: $SF/SS * 100$

Where: SF = Surrogate Found
 SS = Surrogate Spiked

Sample ID: # 1

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5	100	81.0	81	81	0
2-Fluorobiphenyl	↓	77.8	78	78	↓
Terphenyl-d14	↓	85.1	85	85	↓
Phenol-d5	150	124.2	83	83	↓
2-Fluorophenol	↓	123.8	83	83	↓
2,4,6-Tribromophenol	↓	123.2	82	82	↓
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID:

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID:

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent Difference (RPD) of the matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = $100 * (SSC - SC) / SA$ Where: SSC = Spiked sample concentration SC = Sample concentration SA = Spike added
 RPD = $100 * |MSC - MSC1| * 2 / (MSC + MSC1)$ MSC = Matrix spike concentration MSC1 = Matrix spike duplicate concentration

MS/MSD samples: 12/13

Compound	Spike Added (ug/kg)		Sample Concentration (ug/kg)	Spiked Sample Concentration (ug/kg)		Matrix Spike Percent Recovery		Matrix Spike Duplicate Percent Recovery		MS/MSD RPD	
	MS	MSD		MS	MSD	Reported	Recalc	Reported	Recalc	Reported	Recalculated
Phenol											
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine											
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol											
Acenaphthene	2750	2720	0	1960	2000	71	74	74	74	2	2
Pentachlorophenol											
Pyrene	2750	2720	↓	2170	2200	79	79	81	81	2	1

Comments: Refer to Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent Difference (RPD) of the laboratory control sample and laboratory control sample duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = 100 * (SC/SA) Where: SSC = Spike concentration
SA = Spike added

RPD = |LCSC - LCSDC| * 2 / (LCSC + LCSDC) LCSC = Laboratory control sample concentration LCSDC = Laboratory control sample duplicate concentration

LCS/LCSD samples: LCS 280 - 14475 / 2-A

Compound	Spike Added (ug/kg)		Spike Concentration (ug/kg)		LCS Percent Recovery		LCSD Percent Recovery		LCS/LCSD RPD	
	LCS	LCSD	LCS	LCSD	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalculated
Phenol										
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine										
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol										
Acenaphthene	2360	NA	2080	NA	79	79				
Pentachlorophenol										
Pyrene	7060		2190		83	83				

Comments: Refer to Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 23310 G2a
 SDG #: Sea Covey

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET Sample Calculation Verification

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 Reviewer: JMC
 2nd reviewer: [Signature]

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

~~Y/N N/A~~
~~Y/N N/A~~

Were all reported results recalculated and verified for all level IV samples?
 Were all recalculated results for detected target compounds agree within 10.0% of the reported results?

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{(A_x)(L_s)(V_i)(DF)(2.0)}{(A_s)(RRF)(V_o)(V_i)(\%S)}$$

- A_x = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the compound to be measured
- A_s = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the specific internal standard
- L_s = Amount of internal standard added in nanograms (ng)
- V_o = Volume or weight of sample extract in milliliters (ml) or grams (g).
- V_i = Volume of extract injected in microliters (ul)
- V_t = Volume of the concentrated extract in microliters (ul)
- Df = Dilution Factor.
- %S = Percent solids, applicable to soil and solid matrices only.
- 2.0 = Factor of 2 to account for GPC cleanup

Example:

Sample I.D. # 9 , SS:

$$\text{Conc.} = \frac{(10811) (40) (1 \mu\text{l}) (1000) ()}{(14015) (0.2313) (2.4 \mu\text{g}) (6.88 \mu\text{l}) ()}$$

$$= 572.0 \mu\text{g/kg}$$

#	Sample ID	Compound	Reported Concentration ()	Calculated Concentration ()	Qualification

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 5, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Semivolatiles
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3264-3

Sample Identification

SSAM7-05-1BPC**
SSAO3-02-1BPC
SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 3 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No semivolatile contaminants were found in the method blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Extraction Date	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Concentration	Associated Samples
MB280-14738-/9-A	5/10/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	72.7 ug/Kg	All samples in SDG 280-3264-3

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified with the following exceptions:

Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Reported Concentration	Modified Final Concentration
SSAM7-05-1BPC**	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	110 ug/Kg	110U ug/Kg

Samples FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) and FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2) were identified as field blanks. No semivolatile contaminants were found in these blanks with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE	4/13/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate Di-n-octylphthalate	1.1 ug/L 1.6 ug/L	SSAM7-05-1BPC**

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria with the following exceptions:

Sample	Compound	Finding	Flag	A or P
SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD	Benzo(b)fluoranthene Benzo(k)fluoranthene	Due to lack of resolution between these compounds in the samples, the laboratory performed the quantitation using the total peak area.	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	P

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3264-3	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Tentatively identified compounds were not reported by the laboratory.

XIV. System Performance

The system performance was acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAO3-02-1BPC and SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD were identified as field duplicates. No semivolatiles were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Compound	Concentration (ug/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAO3-02-1BPC	SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD				
2-Methylnaphthalene	340	310	-	30 (≤ 460)	-	-
Benzo(a)anthracene	35	41	-	6 (≤ 460)	-	-
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	53	52	-	1 (≤ 460)	-	-
Chrysene	76	73	-	3 (≤ 460)	-	-
Fluoranthene	160	150	-	10 (≤ 460)	-	-
Octachlorostyrene	5800	6200	7 (≤ 50)	-	-	-
Phenanthrene	420	420	-	0 (≤ 460)	-	-
Pyrene	95	98	-	3 (≤ 460)	-	-
Hexachlorobenzene	28000	29000	4 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

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SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3264-3	SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD	Benzo(b)fluoranthene Benzo(k)fluoranthene	J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects) J (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	P	Project Quantitation Limit (q)
280-3264-3	SSAM7-05-1BPC** SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

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Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-3**

SDG	Sample	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Modified Final Concentration	A or P	Code
280-3264-3	SSAM7-05-1BPC**	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	110U ug/Kg	A	bl

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-3**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

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 SDG #: 280-3264-3
 Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B / 4

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METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/05/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	2 RSD ✓
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CV/ICV ≤ 25%
V.	Blanks	SW	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	N	Client Spec
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	*A	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	SW	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	*A	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	SW	D = 2, 3
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	FB = FB-04132010 - REG2-RZE (280-2400-2) j = FB-04072010 - R2C (280-2280-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

* ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:
 ** Stage 4 Soil

1	SSAM7-05-1BPC **	11	MB 286-14738-4-A	21		31	
2	SSAO3-02-1BPC	12		22		32	
3	SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD	13		23		33	
4		14		24		34	
5		15		25		35	
6		16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

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 2nd Reviewer: AM

Method: Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical holding times				
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
II. GC/MS Instrument performance check				
Were the DFTPP performance results reviewed and found to be within the specified criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all samples analyzed within the 12 hour clock criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
III. Initial calibration				
Did the laboratory perform a 5 point calibration prior to sample analysis?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a curve fit used for evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Did the initial calibration meet the curve fit acceptance criteria of > 0.990?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) ≤ 30% and relative response factors (RRF) > 0.05?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IV. Continuing calibration				
Was a continuing calibration standard analyzed at least once every 12 hours for each instrument?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) and relative response factors (RRF) within method criteria for all CCCs and SPCCs?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) ≤ 25% and relative response factors (RRF) ≥ 0.05?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
V. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix and concentration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VI. Surrogate spikes				
Were all surrogate %R within QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If 2 or more base neutral or acid surrogates were outside QC limits, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
If any %R was less than 10 percent, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
VII. Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates				
Were a matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD. Soil / Water.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a MS/MSD analyzed every 20 samples of each matrix?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
VIII. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	/			
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the QC limits?	/			
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?		/		
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?			/	
X. Internal standards				
Were internal standard area counts within -50% or +100% of the associated calibration standard?	/			
Were retention times within + 30 seconds from the associated calibration standard?	/			
XI. Target compound identification				
Were relative retention times (RRT's) within + 0.06 RRT units of the standard?	/			
Did compound spectra meet specified EPA "Functional Guidelines" criteria?	/			
Were chromatogram peaks verified and accounted for?	/			
XII. Compound quantitation/CRQLs				
Were the correct internal standard (IS), quantitation ion and relative response factor (RRF) used to quantitate the compound?	/			
Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	/			
XIII. Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)				
Were the major ions (> 10 percent relative intensity) in the reference spectrum evaluated in sample spectrum?			/	
Were relative intensities of the major ions within \pm 20% between the sample and the reference spectra?			/	
Did the raw data indicate that the laboratory performed a library search for all required peaks in the chromatograms (samples and blanks)?			/	
XIV. System performance				
System performance was found to be acceptable.	/			
XV. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	/			
XVI. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target compounds were detected in the field duplicates.	/			
XVII. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target compounds were detected in the field blanks.	/			

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(e)pyrene**
B. Bis(2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	JJJ. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT.
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes: * = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each concentration preparation level?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank associated with every sample?
- Y N N/A Was the blank contaminated? If yes, please see qualification below.

Blank extraction date: 5/10/10 **Blank analysis date:** 5/12/10

Conc. units: ug/kg **Associated Samples:** All (6 L)

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
	MP 280-147 28-9/A	1
EE	72.7	110/4

Blank extraction date: _____ **Blank analysis date:** _____ **Associated Samples:** _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification

CIRCLED RESULTS WERE NOT QUALIFIED. ALL RESULTS NOT CIRCLED WERE QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
 Common contaminants such as the phthalates and TICs noted above that were detected in samples within ten times the associated method blank concentration were qualified as not detected, "U". Other contaminants within five times the method blank concentration were also qualified as not detected, "U".

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

Field Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Y N N/A Were field blanks identified in this SDG?
 Y N N/A Were target compounds detected in the field blanks?

Blank units: W/L Associated sample units: W/L

Sampling date: 4/12/10

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other: 1 Associated Samples: _____

Compound		Blank ID	Sample Identification	
EET		1.1	(ND OT > 5x FB)	
FFF		1.6		
		CRQL		

Blank units: _____ Associated sample units: _____

Sampling date: _____

Field blank type: (circle one) Field Blank / Rinsate / Other: _____ Associated Samples: _____

Compound		Blank ID	Sample Identification	
		CRQL		

5x Phthalates
 2x All others

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Compound Quantitation and Reported CRQLs

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".
 Y N N/A Were the correct internal standard (IS), quantitation ion and relative response factor (RRF) used to quantitate the compound?
 Y N N/A Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?

#	Date	Sample ID	Finding	Associated Samples	Qualifications
		23	GGG, HHH Unresolved		JHI/P (8)

Comments: See sample calculation verification worksheet for recalculations

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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METHOD: GC/MS PAH (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)
Y N NA Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
Y N NA Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Compound Name	Conc (ug/Kg)		RPD (≤50%)	Diff	Diff Limits	Quals (Parent Only)
	2	3				
2-Methylnaphthalene	340	310		30	≤460	
Benzo(a)anthracene	35	41		6	≤460	
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	53	52		1	≤460	
Chrysene	76	73		3	≤460	
Fluoranthene	160	150		10	≤460	
Octachlorostyrene	5800	6200	7			
Phenanthrene	420	420		0	≤460	
Pyrene	95	98		3	≤460	
Hexachlorobenzene	28000	29000	4			

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The Relative Response Factor (RRF), average RRF, and percent relative standard deviation (%RSD) were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculations:

$RRF = (A_x)(C_{is}) / (A_{is})(C_x)$
 average RRF = sum of the RRFs/number of standards
 $\%RSD = 100 * (S/X)$
 A_x = Area of Compound
 A_{is} = Area of associated internal standard
 C_x = Concentration of compound,
 C_{is} = Concentration of internal standard
 S = Standard deviation of the RRFs,
 X = Mean of the RRFs

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Internal Standard)	Reported	Recalculated	Reported	Recalculated	Reported	Recalculated		
				RRF (50 std)	RRF (50 std)	Average RRF (Initial)	Average RRF (Initial)	%RSD	%RSD	Average RRF (Initial)	Average RRF (Initial)
1	ICAL	5/8/2010	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.5851	0.5851	0.5791	0.5791	6.8	6.8	6.82	6.82
	MSS D		Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0818	1.0818	1.0917	1.0917	2.8	2.8	2.83	2.83
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.3573	1.3573	1.3205	1.3205	6.7	6.7	6.66	6.66
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2608	0.2608	0.2633	0.2633	9.5	9.5	9.48	9.48
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0472	1.0472	1.0309	1.0309	3.1	3.1	3.14	3.14
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0983	1.0983	1.0834	1.0834	13.3	13.3	13.28	13.28

Inc IS/Cpd	Area cpd	Area IS
40/50	223629	305776
40/50	1535127	1135207
40/50	1281626	755377
40/50	450249	1381076
40/50	2196814	1678262
40/50	2123114	1546473

Conc	1,4-Dioxane	Naphthalene	Fluorene	Hexachlorob	Chrysene	Benzo(e)py
4.00	0.5215	1.1002	1.1947		1.0331	0.8317
10.00	0.6382	1.0477	1.2120	0.2263	1.0128	0.9476
20.00	0.6300	1.0478	1.2639	0.2397	1.0223	1.0101
50.00	0.5851	1.0818	1.3573	0.2608	1.0472	1.0983
80.00	0.5842	1.0953	1.3253	0.2600	1.0539	1.1259
120.00	0.5666	1.1092	1.3832	0.2754	1.0748	1.1887
160.00	0.5529	1.1267	1.3955	0.2815	1.0367	1.2251
200.00	0.5544	1.1249	1.4319	0.2996	0.9663	1.2400
X =	0.5791	1.0917	1.3205	0.2633	1.0309	1.0834
S =	0.0395	0.0309	0.0879	0.0250	0.0324	0.1439

Comments: Refer to Initial Calibration findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

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METHOD: GC EPA SW 846 Method 8270C

Parameter: Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate

Date	Column	Compound	X area ratio	Y conc ratio	X ²
05/08/2010	Not specified	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.03296	0.100	
			0.10897	0.250	
			0.25643	0.500	
			0.74457	1.250	
			1.23205	2.000	
			1.89372	3.000	
			2.42838	4.000	
	3.08978	5.000			

0.3296
 0.4359
 0.5129
 0.5957
 0.6160
 0.6312
 0.6071
 0.6180
 0.5433

Ave

Regression Output:		Reported WLR
Constant	-0.03649	b = 0.05090
Std Err of Y Est	0.02921	
R Squared	0.99944	r ² = 0.9968000
No. of Observations	8.00000	
Degrees of Freedom	6.00000	
X Coefficient(s)	0.62601	m = 0.61540
Std Err of Coef.	0.006027	

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Continuing Calibration Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS SVOA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent difference (%D) of the initial calibration average Relative Response Factors (RRFs) and the continuing calibration RRFs were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

Where:
 ave. RRF = initial calibration average RRF
 RRF = continuing calibration RRF
 Ax = Area of compound Ais = Area of associated internal standard
 Cx = Concentration of compound Cis = Concentration of internal standard

$$\% \text{ Difference} = 100 * (\text{ave. RRF} - \text{RRF}) / \text{ave. RRF}$$

$$\text{RRF} = (Ax) / (Cis) / (Ais) / (Cx)$$

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound (Reference IS)	Average RRF (Initial RRF)	Reported (CC RRF)	Recalculated (CC RRF)	Reported %D	Recalculated %D
1	D4891	05/12/10	1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	0.5791	0.5249	0.5249	9.4	9.4
			Naphthalene (IS2)	1.0917	1.0945	1.0945	0.3	0.3
			Fluorene (IS3)	1.3205	1.3456	1.3456	1.9	1.9
			Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	0.2633	0.2713	0.2713	3.0	3.1
			Chrysene (IS5)	1.0309	1.0161	1.0161	1.4	1.4
			Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	1.0834	1.1127	1.1127	2.7	2.7

Compound (Reference IS)	Concentration (IS/Cpd)	Area Cpd	Area IS
1,4-Dioxane (IS1)	40/80	383501	365302
Naphthalene (IS2)	40/80	2883187	1317169
Fluorene (IS3)	40/80	2383317	885592
Hexachlorobenzene (IS4)	40/80	850720	1567635
Chrysene (IS5)	40/80	4037721	1986787
Benzo(a)pyrene (IS6)	40/80	4197272	1886084

LDC #: 23310 H2A
 SDG #: Src Cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Surrogate Results Verification

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 Reviewer: JG
 2nd reviewer: A

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) of surrogates were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery: $SF/SS * 100$

Where: SF = Surrogate Found
 SS = Surrogate Spiked

Sample ID: F 1

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5	100	75.3	75	75	0
2-Fluorobiphenyl	↓	78.6	79	79	↓
Terphenyl-d14	↓	93.7	94	94	↓
Phenol-d5	150	124.4	83	83	↓
2-Fluorophenol	↓	122.9	82	82	↓
2,4,6-Tribromophenol	↓	83.0	55	55	↓
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID: _____

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

Sample ID: _____

	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery Reported	Percent Recovery Recalculated	Percent Difference
Nitrobenzene-d5					
2-Fluorobiphenyl					
Terphenyl-d14					
Phenol-d5					
2-Fluorophenol					
2,4,6-Tribromophenol					
2-Chlorophenol-d4					
1,2-Dichlorobenzene-d4					

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates Results Verification

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent Difference (RPD) of the laboratory control sample and laboratory control sample duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = $100 * (SC/SA)$ Where: SSC = Spike concentration
 SA = Spike added
 RPD = $1 LCSC - LCSDC \div 2(LCSC + LCSDC)$ LCSC = Laboratory control sample concentration LCSDC = Laboratory control sample duplicate concentration

LCS/LCSD samples: ACS 280 - 14738 / 10 - A

Compound	Spike Added (ug/kg)		Spike Concentration (ug/kg)		Percent Recovery		Percent Recovery		RPD	
	LCS	LCSD	LCS	LCSD	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalculated
Phenol										
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine										
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol										
Acenaphthene	2570	NA	1990	NA	77	77				
Pentachlorophenol	2570		2260		88	84				
Pyrene										

Comments: Refer to Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicates findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 23310 H2K
SDG #: See Comm

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET Sample Calculation Verification

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Reviewer: JG
2nd reviewer: AA

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270)

Y N N/A
 Y N N/A

Were all reported results recalculated and verified for all level IV samples?
Were all recalculated results for detected target compounds agree within 10.0% of the reported results?

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{(A_x)(L)(V_i)(DF)(2.0)}{(A_s)(RRF)(V_o)(V_i)(\%S)}$$

- A_x = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the compound to be measured
- A_s = Area of the characteristic ion (EICP) for the specific internal standard
- L = Amount of internal standard added in nanograms (ng)
- V_o = Volume or weight of sample extract in milliliters (ml) or grams (g).
- V_i = Volume of extract injected in microliters (ul)
- V_i = Volume of the concentrated extract in microliters (ul)
- Df = Dilution Factor.
- $\%S$ = Percent solids, applicable to soil and solid matrices only.
- 2.0 = Factor of 2 to account for GPC cleanup

Example:

Sample I.D. # 1, EEF

$$\text{Conc} = \frac{\left(\frac{29195}{1600827} \right) \times \dots \times \dots}{0.6152} + (0.0509) \quad (40)$$

$$\chi = 3.221$$

$$\text{final conc} = 3.221 (1.0 \text{ ml}) (1000)$$

#	Sample ID	Compound	Reported Concentration ()	Calculated Concentration ()	Qualification
				<u>30.46</u>	<u>0.946</u>
			<u>= 112.0</u>		
			<u>2 110 ug/kg</u>		

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 5, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Semivolatiles
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3264-6

Sample Identification

SSAO3-03-9BPC
SSAO3-03-9BPCMS
SSAO3-03-9BPCMSD

Introduction

This data review covers 3 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XVI.

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

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
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- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

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

Sample FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) was identified as a field blank. No semivolatile contaminants were found in this blank.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Although the MS/MSD relative percent differences (RPD) were not within QC limits for some compounds, the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits and no data were qualified.

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3264-6	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-6**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3264-6	SSAO3-03-9BPC	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-6**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-6**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

LDC #: 23310I2a
SDG #: 280-3264-6
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B

Date: 6/10/10
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Reviewer: SVL
2nd Reviewer: AA

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

Validation Area		Comments	
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/05/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	~ RSD ~
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CV/IV ≤ 25%
V.	Blanks	A	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	SW	
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	N	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	N	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	N	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	N	
XVII.	Field blanks	ND	FB = FB-04072010-RZE (280-2280.2)

Note: A = Acceptable
N = Not provided/applicable
SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
R = Rinsate
FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
TB = Trip blank
EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples: Soi)

1	SSAO3-03-9BPC	11	MB 280-15592/1-A	21	31
2	SSAO3-03-9BPCMS	12		22	32
3	SSAO3-03-9BPCMSD	13		23	33
4		14		24	34
5		15		25	35
6		16		26	36
7		17		27	37
8		18		28	38
9		19		29	39
10		20		30	40

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(a)pyrene**
B. Bis (2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	JJJ. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT. <i>1,4-Dioxane</i>
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU. <i>Octa Chloro Styrene</i>
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes: * = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

Y/N N/A
 Were a matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD. Soil / Water.

Y N/A
 Y N N/A
 Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the QC limits?

#	Date	MS/MSD ID	Compound	MS %R (Limits)	MSD %R (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Associated Samples	Qualifications
		2/3	TTT	()	()	50 (30)	1	No qual (2 R 1)
			RRR	()	()	43 (1)	↓	
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	Compound	QC Limits (Soil)	RPD (Soil)	QC Limits (Water)	RPD (Water)	Compound	QC Limits (Soil)	RPD (Soil)	QC Limits (Water)	RPD (Water)
A.	Phenol	26-90%	< 35%	12-110%	< 42%	Acenaphthene	31-137%	< 19%	46-118%	< 31%
C.	2-Chlorophenol	25-102%	< 50%	27-123%	< 40%	4-Nitrophenol	11-114%	< 50%	10-80%	< 50%
E.	1,4-Dichlorobenzene	28-104%	< 27%	36-97%	< 28%	2,4-Dinitrotoluene	28-89%	< 47%	24-96%	< 38%
J.	N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine	41-126%	< 38%	41-116%	< 38%	Pentachlorophenol	17-109%	< 47%	9-103%	< 50%
R.	1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	38-107%	< 23%	39-98%	< 28%	Pyrene	35-142%	< 36%	26-127%	< 31%
V.	4-Chloro-3-methylphenol	26-103%	< 33%	23-97%	< 42%					

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 17, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Semivolatiles
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3624-2

Sample Identification

RSAJ5-7BPC
RSAJ5-8BPC
RSAJ5-8BPCMS
RSAJ5-8BPCMSD

Introduction

This data review covers 4 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8270C for Semivolatiles.

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

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/MS Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was checked at 12 hour intervals.

All ion abundance requirements were met.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration was performed using required standard concentrations.

Percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) were less than or equal to 30.0% for all compounds.

In the case where the laboratory used a calibration curve to evaluate the compounds, all coefficients of determination (r^2) were greater than or equal to 0.990 .

Average relative response factors (RRF) for all compounds were within method and validation criteria.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at the required frequencies.

Percent differences (%D) between the initial calibration RRF and the continuing calibration RRF were within the method criteria of less than or equal to 20.0% for calibration check compounds (CCCs) and 25.0% for all other compounds.

The percent differences (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 25.0% for all compounds.

All of the continuing calibration relative response factors (RRF) were within method and validation criteria.

V. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No semivolatile contaminants were found in the method blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Extraction Date	Compound TIC (RT in minutes)	Concentration	Associated Samples
MB280-16304/1-A	5/19/10	Di-n-octylphthalate	58.8 ug/Kg	All samples in SDG 280-3624-2

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

Sample FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) was identified as a field blank. No semivolatile contaminants were found in this blank with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Compound	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04072010-RZD	4/7/10	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.2 ug/L	All samples in SDG 280-3624-2

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Internal Standards

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

XI. Target Compound Identifications

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3624-2	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs)

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIV. System Performance

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XV. Overall Assessment

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

XVI. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3624-2	RSAJ5-7BPC RSAJ5-8BPC	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Semivolatiles - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

LDC #: 23310J2a
 SDG #: 280-3624-2
 Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B

Date: 6/10/10
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 Reviewer: SVL
 2nd Reviewer: [Signature]

METHOD: GC/MS Semivolatiles (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/17/10
II.	GC/MS Instrument performance check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	2 RSD rT
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CW / W ≤ 25%
V.	Blanks	SW	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	A	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	A	
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	LES
IX.	Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control	N	
X.	Internal standards	A	
XI.	Target compound identification	N	
XII.	Compound quantitation/CRQLs	N	
XIII.	Tentatively identified compounds (TICs)	N	
XIV.	System performance	N	
XV.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XVI.	Field duplicates	N	
XVII.	Field blanks	SW	FB = FB-04072010-RZD (280-2216-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:

Soil

1	RSAJ5-7BPC	11	MB 280-16304/1-A	21		31
2	RSAJ5-8BPC	12		22		32
3	RSAJ5-8BPCMS	13		23		33
4	RSAJ5-8BPCMSD	14		24		34
5		15		25		35
6		16		26		36
7		17		27		37
8		18		28		38
9		19		29		39
10		20		30		40

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METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

A. Phenol**	P. Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	EE. 2,6-Dinitrotoluene	TT. Pentachlorophenol**	III. Benzo(a)pyrene**
B. Bis (2-chloroethyl) ether	Q. 2,4-Dichlorophenol**	FF. 3-Nitroaniline	UU. Phenanthrene	JJJ. Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene
C. 2-Chlorophenol	R. 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	GG. Acenaphthene**	VV. Anthracene	KKK. Dibenz(a,h)anthracene
D. 1,3-Dichlorobenzene	S. Naphthalene	HH. 2,4-Dinitrophenol*	WW. Carbazole	LLL. Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
E. 1,4-Dichlorobenzene**	T. 4-Chloroaniline	II. 4-Nitrophenol*	XX. Di-n-butylphthalate	MMM. Bis(2-Chloroisopropyl)ether
F. 1,2-Dichlorobenzene	U. Hexachlorobutadiene**	JJ. Dibenzofuran	YY. Fluoranthene**	NNN. Aniline
G. 2-Methylphenol	V. 4-Chloro-3-methylphenol**	KK. 2,4-Dinitrotoluene	ZZ. Pyrene	OOO. N-Nitrosodimethylamine
H. 2,2'-Oxybis(1-chloropropane)	W. 2-Methylnaphthalene	LL. Diethylphthalate	AAA. Butylbenzylphthalate	PPP. Benzoic Acid
I. 4-Methylphenol	X. Hexachlorocyclopentadiene*	MM. 4-Chlorophenyl-phenyl ether	BBB. 3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	QQQ. Benzyl alcohol
J. N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine*	Y. 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol**	NN. Fluorene	CCC. Benzo(a)anthracene	RRR. Pyridine
K. Hexachloroethane	Z. 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	OO. 4-Nitroaniline	DDD. Chrysene	SSS. Benzidine
L. Nitrobenzene	AA. 2-Chloronaphthalene	PP. 4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	EEE. Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	TTT.
M. Isophorone	BB. 2-Nitroaniline	QQ. N-Nitrosodiphenylamine (1)**	FFF. Di-n-octylphthalate**	UUU
N. 2-Nitrophenol**	CC. Dimethylphthalate	RR. 4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	GGG. Benzo(b)fluoranthene	VVV.
O. 2,4-Dimethylphenol	DD. Acenaphthylene	SS. Hexachlorobenzene	HHH. Benzo(k)fluoranthene	WWW.

Notes.* = System performance check compound (SPCC) for RRF; ** = Calibration check compound (CCC) for %RSD.

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Blanks

METHOD: GC/MS BNA (EPA SW 846 Method 8270C)

Please see qualifications below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".

- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank analyzed for each concentration preparation level?
- Y N N/A Was a method blank associated with every sample?
- Y N N/A Was the blank contaminated? If yes, please see qualification below.

Blank extraction date: 5/16/10 Blank analysis date: 5/27/10

Conc. units: ug/kg Associated Samples: A11 (ND)

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification
	<u>ND 280-</u>	<u>16304 / A</u>
<u>FFF</u>	<u>58.0</u>	

Blank extraction date: _____ Blank analysis date: _____
 Conc. units: _____ Associated Samples: _____

Compound	Blank ID	Sample Identification

CIRCLED RESULTS WERE NOT QUALIFIED. ALL RESULTS NOT CIRCLED WERE QUALIFIED BY THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
 Common contaminants such as the phthalates and TICs noted above that were detected in samples within ten times the associated method blank concentration were qualified as not detected, "U". Other contaminants within five times the method blank concentration were also qualified as not detected, "U".

Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Data Validation Reports
LDC #23310

Chlorinated Pesticides

LDC

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 4, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Chlorinated Pesticides
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.
Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3197-1

Sample Identification

SSAL3-05-1BPC
SSAL3-05-3BPC
SSAL3-05-5BPC
SSAL3-05-7BPC
SSAL3-05-9BPC**
SSAM5-03-1BPC
SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD
SSAM5-03-3BPC
SSAM5-03-5BPC
SSAM5-03-7BPC
SSAM5-03-9BPC**
SSAM5-03-5BPCMS
SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 13 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 8081A for Chlorinated Pesticides.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Superfund Organic Methods Data Review (June 2008).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section V.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. GC/ECD Instrument Performance Check

Instrument performance was acceptable unless noted otherwise under initial calibration and continuing calibration sections.

III. Initial Calibration

Initial calibration of single compounds were performed for the primary (quantitation) column and confirmation column as required by this method.

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

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

Retention time windows were evaluated and considered technically acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples on which a Stage 2B review was performed.

IV. Continuing Calibration

Continuing calibration was performed at required frequencies.

The percent differences (%D) of calibration factors in continuing standard mixtures were within the 20.0% QC limits.

The percent difference (%D) of the second source calibration standard were less than or equal to 20.0% for all compounds.

Retention times (RT) of all compounds in the calibration standards were within QC limits for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples on which a Stage 2B review was performed.

The individual 4,4'-DDT and Endrin breakdowns (%BD) were less than or equal to 15.0%.

V. Blanks

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

Samples FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) and FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2) were identified as field blanks. No chlorinated pesticide contaminants were found in these blanks.

VI. Surrogate Spikes

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

Sample	Column	Surrogate	%R (Limits)	Compound	Flag	A or P
SSAM5-03-5BPC	Col. 1	Decachlorobiphenyl	130 (63-124)	All TCL compounds	J+ (all detects)	A

VII. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

Matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) samples were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Although the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent differences (RPD) were not within QC limits for several compounds, the MS, MSD, or LCS percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits and no data were qualified.

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control

Not applicable.

X. Pesticide Cleanup Checks

a. Florisil Cartridge Check

Florisil cleanup was not required and therefore not performed in this SDG.

b. GPC Calibration

GPC cleanup was not required and therefore not performed in this SDG.

XI. Target Compound Identification

All target compound identifications were within validation criteria for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XII. Project Quantitation Limit

All compound quantitation and CRQLs were within validation criteria for samples on which an Stage 4 review was performed.

All compounds reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3197-1	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

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

XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAM5-03-1BPC and SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD were identified as field duplicates. No chlorinated pesticides were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Compound	Concentration (ug/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flag	A or P
	SSAM5-03-1BPC	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD				
4,4'-DDE	490	370	-	120 (≤ 650)	-	-
4,4'-DDT	410	280	-	130 (≤ 650)	-	-
Hexachlorobenzene	6500	4100	45 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

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Chlorinated Pesticides - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

SDG	Sample	Compound	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3197-1	SSAM5-03-5BPC	All TCL compounds	J+ (all detects)	A	Surrogate spikes (%R) (s)
280-3197-1	SSAL3-05-1BPC SSAL3-05-3BPC SSAL3-05-5BPC SSAL3-05-7BPC SSAL3-05-9BPC** SSAM5-03-1BPC SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD SSAM5-03-3BPC SSAM5-03-5BPC SSAM5-03-7BPC SSAM5-03-9BPC**	All compounds reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Project Quantitation Limit (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Chlorinated Pesticides - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Chlorinated Pesticides - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET
 Stage 2B / 4

LDC #: 23310E3a
 SDG #: 280-3197-1
 Laboratory: Test America

Date: 6/10/10
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 Reviewer: NL
 2nd Reviewer: AA

METHOD: GC Chlorinated Pesticides (EPA SW 846 Method 8081A)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/04/10
II.	GC/ECD Instrument Performance Check	A	
III.	Initial calibration	A	? RSD r ²
IV.	Continuing calibration/ICV	A	CV/ICV ≤ 25%
V.	Blanks	A	
VI.	Surrogate spikes	SW	
VII.	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates	SW	
VIII.	Laboratory control samples	A	UCS
IX.	Regional quality assurance and quality control	N	
Xa.	Florisil cartridge check	N	
Xb.	GPC Calibration	N	
XI.	Target compound identification	NA	
XII.	Compound quantitation and reported CRQLs	NA	
XIII.	Overall assessment of data	A	
XIV.	Field duplicates	SW	D = 6, 7
XV.	Field blanks	ND	FB = FB-0407 2010 - RZD (280-2216-2) J = FB-0413 2010 - RZG2-RZE (280-2400-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:
 ** Stage 4 Soil

+	1	SSAL3-05-1BPC	11	SSAM5-03-9BPC **	21	MB 280-14291/A	31
+	2	SSAL3-05-3BPC	12	SSAM5-03-5BPCMS	22		32
+	3	SSAL3-05-5BPC	13	SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD	23		33
+	4	SSAL3-05-7BPC	14		24		34
+	5	SSAL3-05-9BPC **	15		25		35
	6	SSAM5-03-1BPC D	16		26		36
	7	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD D	17		27		37
	8	SSAM5-03-3BPC	18		28		38
	9	SSAM5-03-5BPC	19		29		39
	10	SSAM5-03-7BPC	20		30		40

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 SDG #: See Cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

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 Reviewer: JVG
 2nd Reviewer: AS

Method: Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical holding times				
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
II. GC/ECD instrument performance check				
Was the instrument performance found to be acceptable?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
III. Initial calibration				
Did the laboratory perform a 5 point calibration prior to sample analysis?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a linear fit used for evaluation? If yes, were all percent relative standard deviations (%RSD) \leq 20%?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a curve fit used for evaluation? If Yes, what was the acceptance criteria used?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Did the initial calibration meet the curve fit acceptance criteria?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the RT windows properly established?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the required standard concentrations analyzed in the initial calibration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IV. Continuing calibration				
What type of continuing calibration calculation was performed? <u> </u> %D or <u> </u> %R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were Evaluation mix standards analyzed prior to the initial calibration and sample analysis?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were endrin and 4,4'-DDT breakdowns \leq 15% for individual breakdown in the Evaluation mix standards?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a continuing calibration analyzed daily?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all percent differences (%D) \leq 20% or percent recoveries 80-120%?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all the retention times within the acceptance windows?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
V. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank analyzed for each matrix and concentration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were extract cleanup blanks analyzed with every batch requiring clean-up?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was there contamination in the method blanks or clean-up blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VI. Surrogate spikes				
Were all surrogate %R within the QC limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If the percent recovery (%R) of one or more surrogates was outside QC limits, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If any %R was less than 10 percent, was a reanalysis performed to confirm %R?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VII. Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates				

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VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

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 2nd Reviewer: AM

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
Were a matrix spike (MS) and matrix spike duplicate (MSD) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD. Soil / Water.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was a MS/MSD analyzed every 20 samples of each matrix?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VIII. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
X. Target compound identification				
Were the retention times of reported detects within the RT windows?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XI. Compound quantitation/CRQLs				
Were compound quantitation and CRQLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions, dry weight factors, and clean-up activities applicable to level IV validation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XII. System performance				
System performance was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XIII. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XIV. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target compounds were detected in the field duplicates.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
XV. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target compounds were detected in the field blanks.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

LDC #: 100210 E 3a
 SDG #: SA Green

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Surrogate Spikes

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 2nd Reviewer: [Signature]

METHOD: GC Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

Please see qualification below for all questions answered "N". Not applicable questions are identified as "N/A".
 Were surrogates spiked into all samples, standards and blanks?
 Did all surrogate percent recoveries (%R) meet the QC limits?

#	Date	Sample ID	Column	Surrogate Compound	%R (Limits)	Qualifications
		6 (250x)	Col. 1	A	210 (59-115)	No qual
				B	0 (63-124)	
		7 (250x)		A	280 (59-115)	
				B	0 (63-124)	
		8 (250x)		B	763 ()	↓
		9 (50x)		B	130 ()	J+ acts / A
		10 (10x)		A	139 (59-115)	No qual
				B	151 (63-124)	↓
					()	
					()	
					()	
					()	
					()	
					()	
					()	
					()	

Letter Designation	Surrogate Compound	Recovery QC Limits (Soil)	Recovery QC Limits (Water)	Comments
A	Tetrachoro-m-xylene			
B	Decachlorobiphenyl			

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SDG#: See cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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Reviewer: nlb
2nd Reviewer: A

METHOD: GC Chlorinated Pesticides (EPA SW 846 Method 8081A)

Y N NA Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?

Y N NA Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Compound Name	Conc (ug/Kg)		RPD (≤50%)	Diff	Diff Limits	Quals (Parent Only)
	6	7				
4,4'-DDE	490	370		120	≤650	
4,4'-DDT	410	280		130	≤650	
Hexachlorobenzene	6500	4100	45			

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC EPA SW 846 Method 8081A

Parameter: 4,4'-DDT

Date	Column	Compound	X Area	Y Conc	X ²
04/26/2010	CLP1	4,4'-DDT	22286.00	4.00	
	GCS_P2		54850.00	10.00	
139559.00			25.00		
294636.00			50.00		
443277.00			75.00		
597478.00			100.00		

5571.50
 5485.00
 5582.36
 5892.72
 5910.36
 5974.78
 Ave RF 5736.12

Regression Output:	Reported
Constant	c = 0.00000
Std Err of Y Est	4961.04943
R Squared	r ² = 0.99953
No. of Observations	6.00000
Degrees of Freedom	5.00000
X Coefficient(s)	5928.760416
Std Err of Coef.	36.118827
	0.11

5850

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

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METHOD: GC EPA SW 846 Method 8081A

Parameter: Hexachlorobenzene

Date	Column	Compound	X Area	Y Conc	X ²
04/26/2010	CLP1	Hexachlorobenzene	39031.00	4.00	
			92016.00	10.00	
			218583.00	25.00	
			438324.00	50.00	
			653554.00	75.00	
			861853.00	100.00	
	GCS_P2				

9757.75
 9201.60
 8743.32
 8766.48
 8714.05
 8618.53
 Ave RF 8966.96

Regression Output:	Reported
Constant	c = 0.00000
Std Err of Y Est	4707.31355
R Squared	r ² = 0.99979
No. of Observations	6.00000
Degrees of Freedom	5.00000
X Coefficient(s)	8674.807007
Std Err of Coef.	34.271508
	0.11
	m1 = 8633
	0.999900
	0.00000

LDC # 23310 E9a
 SDG# Se Con

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

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METHOD: GC EPA SW 846 Method 8081A

Parameter: 4,4'-DDT

Date	Column	Compound	X Area	Y Conc	X ²
04/26/2010	CLP2	4,4'-DDT	26707.00	4.00	16.00
	GCS_P2		68045.00	10.00	100.00
171312.00			25.00	625.00	
355511.00			50.00	2500.00	
525805.00			75.00	5625.00	
705006.00			100.00	10000.00	

6676.75
 6804.50
 6852.48
 7110.22
 7010.73
 7050.06

Ave RF 6917.46

Regression Output:	Reported
Constant	c = -2800.24293
Std Err of Y Est	3336.78918
R Squared	r ² = 0.99991
No. of Observations	6.00000
Degrees of Freedom	3.00000
X Coefficient(s)	a = 7098.583493
Std Err of Coef.	b = 159.475846
	1.53

c = -2800.24293
 r² = 0.99990
 a =
 b =

NR
 NR

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 SDG# Se Gm

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial Calibration Calculation Verification

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 Reviewer: MG
 2nd Reviewer: SA

METHOD: GC EPA SW 846 Method 8081A

Parameter: Hexachlorobenzene

Date	Column	Compound	X Area	Y Conc	X ²
04/26/2010	CLP2	Hexachlorobenzene	58418.00	4.00	16.00
			134526.00	10.00	100.00
			312150.00	25.00	625.00
			605013.00	50.00	2500.00
			879444.00	75.00	5625.00
			1132166.00	100.00	10000.00

Ave RF 12615.16

Regression Output:		Reported
Constant	8023.22168	c = NR
Std Err of Y Est	2267.04743	
R Squared	0.99998	r ² = 1.000000
No. of Observations	6.00000	
Degrees of Freedom	3.00000	
X Coefficient(s)	12623.434031	a = NR
Std Err of Coef.	108.349460	b = NR
		1.04

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Continuing Calibration Calculation Verification

METHOD: GC HPLC

The percent difference (%D) of the initial calibration average Calibration Factors (CF) and the continuing calibration percent difference (%D) values were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

Percent difference (%D) = $100 * (N - C) / N$

Where:

- N = Initial Calibration Factor or Nominal Amount
- C = Calibration Factor from Continuing Calibration Standard or Calculated Amount

#	Standard ID	Calibration Date	Compound	CCV Conc	Reported		Recalculated	
					Conc	% D	Conc	% D
1	005F0501	5/12/2010	Hexachlorobenzene CLP1	50	49.60	0.8	50.12	0.2
			4,4'-DDT CLP1	50	52.00	3.9	51.70	3.4
			Hexachlorobenzene CLP2	50	50.10	0.3	50.13	0.3
			4,4'-DDT CLP2	50	56.00	11.9	55.97	11.9
2	018F1801	5/13/2010	Hexachlorobenzene CLP1	50	49.40	1.1	49.96	1.2
			4,4'-DDT CLP1	50	53.60	7.2	53.33	7.2
			Hexachlorobenzene CLP2	50	50.10	0.2	50.10	0.2
			4,4'-DDT CLP2	50	56.80	13.6	56.82	13.6

Compound	CCV1			CCV2		
	a	b	c	Area	Area	Area
HCB CLP1		8633.00		432727		431328
4,4'-DDT CLP1		5850.00		302463		311953
HCB CLP2	-13.727283	12623.43	8023.22	606349		606955
4,4'-DDT CLP2	-0.256471	7098.58	-2800.24293	393735		399704

LDC #: 23310 E 3a
 SDG #: Su Cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Surrogate Results Verification

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 Reviewer: JV
 2nd reviewer: A

METHOD: GC Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

The percent recoveries (%R) of surrogates were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery: $SF/SS * 100$

Where: SF = Surrogate Found
 SS = Surrogate Spiked

Sample ID: # 5

Surrogate	Column	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery	Percent Recovery	Percent Difference
				Reported	Recalculated	
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Tetrachloro-m-xylene	<u>Ent. CLP1</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>14.78</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>0</u>
Decachlorobiphenyl	<u>↓</u>	<u>↓</u>	<u>22.34</u>	<u>112</u>	<u>112</u>	<u>↓</u>
Decachlorobiphenyl						

Sample ID:

Surrogate	Column	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery	Percent Recovery	Percent Difference
				Reported	Recalculated	
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Decachlorobiphenyl						
Decachlorobiphenyl						

Sample ID:

Surrogate	Column	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery	Percent Recovery	Percent Difference
				Reported	Recalculated	
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Decachlorobiphenyl						
Decachlorobiphenyl						

Sample ID:

Surrogate	Column	Surrogate Spiked	Surrogate Found	Percent Recovery	Percent Recovery	Percent Difference
				Reported	Recalculated	
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Tetrachloro-m-xylene						
Decachlorobiphenyl						
Decachlorobiphenyl						

Notes: _____

METHOD: GC Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent difference (RPD) of the matrix spike and matrix spike duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = $100 \cdot (SSC - SC) / SA$

Where: SSC = Spiked sample concentration
SA = Spike added

SC = Concentration

RPD = $|MS - MSD| \cdot 2 / (MS + MSD)$

MS = Matrix spike percent recovery

MSD = Matrix spike duplicate percent recovery

MS/MSD samples: 12/13

Compound	Spike Added (ug/kg)		Sample Concentration (ug/kg)	Spiked Sample Concentration (ug/kg)		Matrix Spike Percent Recovery		Matrix Spike Duplicate Percent Recovery		MS/MSD RPD	
	MS	MSD		MS	MSD	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalculated
gamma-BHC	18.9	19.0	0	17.8	15.5	94	94	81	81.5	14	14
4,4'-DDT	↓	↓	57.8	98.0	102	218	217	236	237	4	4

Comments: Refer to Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 2310 E34
 SDG #: Sec Com

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicate Results Verification

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 Reviewer: JL
 2nd Reviewer: AT

METHOD: GC Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

The percent recoveries (%R) and Relative Percent difference (RPD) of the laboratory control sample and laboratory control sample duplicate were recalculated for the compounds identified below using the following calculation:

% Recovery = $100 * (SSC-SC)/SA$ Where: SSC = Spiked sample concentration SC = Concentration
 SA = Spike added

RPD = $100 * |LCS - LCSD| / (LCS + LCSD)$ LCS = Laboratory control sample percent recovery LCSD = Laboratory control sample duplicate percent recovery

LCS/LCSD samples: LCS 240-14 291 / 5-A

Compound	Spike Added (45 kg)		Spiked Sample Concentration (45 kg)		LCS		LCSD		LCS		LCSD	
	LCS	LCSD	LCS	LCSD	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.	Reported	Recalc.
gamma-BHC	16.0	NA	12.55	NA	78	78						
4,4'-DDT	f	f	14.01	f	87	87						
Aroclor 1260												

Comments: Refer to Laboratory Control Sample/Laboratory Control Sample Duplicate findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 23310 E31
 SDG #: San Juan

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Sample Calculation Verification

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 Reviewer: DV
 2nd reviewer: SA

METHOD: GC Pesticides/PCBs (EPA SW 846 Method 8081/8082)

Y N N/A
 Y N N/A

Were all reported results recalculated and verified for all level IV samples?
 Were all recalculated results for detected target compounds agree within 10.0% of the reported results?

Example:

Sample I.D. # 11 Hexachlorobenzene

$$\text{Conc.} = \frac{(450.97) (10 \text{ ml}) (10)}{(8633) (30.8 \text{ g}) (0.87)}$$

$$= 194.8$$

~ 195 ug/kg

#	Sample ID	Compound	Reported Concentration ()	Calculated Concentration ()	Qualification

Note: _____

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Data Validation Reports
LDC #23310**

Metals

LDC

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 3, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Arsenic
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.
Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3153-1

Sample Identification

SSAK8-06-1BPC
SSAK8-06-5BPC
SSAK8-07-1BPC
SSAK8-07-5BPC
SSAK8-06-1BPCMS
SSAK8-06-1BPCMSD

Introduction

This data review covers 6 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 6020 for Arsenic.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

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

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
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- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. ICPMS Tune

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

III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

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

IV. Blanks

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

Sample FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) was identified as a field blank. No arsenic was found in this blank.

V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

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

VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution analysis was performed by the laboratory. The analysis criteria were met.

XII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3153-1	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

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

XIV. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-1**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3153-1	SSAK8-06-1BPC SSAK8-06-5BPC SSAK8-07-1BPC SSAK8-07-5BPC	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (PQL) (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3153-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

LDC #: 23310B4
 SDG #: 280-3153-1
 Laboratory: Test America

Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET
 Stage 2B

Date: 6/15/10
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 Reviewer: CR
 2nd Reviewer: W

METHOD: As (EPA SW 846 Method 6020)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/3/10
II.	ICP/MS Tune	D	
III.	Calibration	D	
IV.	Blanks	A	
V.	ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis	A	
VI.	Matrix Spike Analysis	A	MS/D
VII.	Duplicate Sample Analysis	N	
VIII.	Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	A	LCS
IX.	Internal Standard (ICP-MS)	A	
X.	Furnace Atomic Absorption QC	N	Not utilized
XI.	ICP Serial Dilution	A	
XII.	Sample Result Verification	N	
XIII.	Overall Assessment of Data	A	
XIV.	Field Duplicates	N	
XV.	Field Blanks	NO	FB = FB-04072010- RZD (280-2216-2)

Note: A = Acceptable ND = No compounds detected D = Duplicate
 N = Not provided/applicable R = Rinsate TB = Trip blank
 SW = See worksheet FB = Field blank EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples: Soil

1	SSAK8-06-1BPC	11	PBS	21		31	
2	SSAK8-06-5BPC	12		22		32	
3	SSAK8-07-1BPC	13		23		33	
4	SSAK8-07-5BPC	14		24		34	
5	SSAK8-06-1BPCMS	15		25		35	
6	SSAK8-06-1BPCMSD	16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

Notes: _____

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 4, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Metals
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3197-1

Sample Identification

SSAN8-02-1BPC
SSAN8-02-5BPC
SSAO8-03-1BPC
SSAO8-03-5BPC
SSAN8-01-1BPC**
SSAN8-01-5BPC
SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD
SSAM5-03-1BPC
SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD
SSAM5-03-5BPC
SSAN8-01-1BPCMS
SSAN8-01-1BPCMSD
SSAM5-03-5BPCMS
SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 14 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 6020 for Metals. The metals analyzed were Arsenic, Cobalt, Lead, and Manganese.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
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- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
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- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
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- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. ICPMS Tune

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

III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

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

IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No metal contaminants were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Analyte	Maximum Concentration	Associated Samples
ICB/CCB	Cobalt	0.142 ug/L	SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC**
ICB/CCB	Lead	0.373 ug/L	SSAM5-03-1BPC SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD SSAM5-03-5BPC
PB (prep blank)	Cobalt Manganese	0.0113 mg/Kg 0.372 mg/Kg	SSAN8-02-1BPC SSAN8-02-5BPC SSAO8-03-1BPC SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC** SSAN8-01-5BPC SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

Samples FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2) and FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) were identified as field blanks. No metal contaminants were found in these blanks with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Analyte	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB-04072010-RZC	4/8/10	Cobalt	0.016 ug/L	SSAN8-02-1BPC SSAN8-02-5BPC SSAO8-03-1BPC SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC** SSAN8-01-5BPC SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

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

Spike ID (Associated Samples)	Analyte	MS (%R) (Limits)	MSD (%R) (Limits)	RPD (Limits)	Flag	A or P
SSAN8-01-1BPCMS/MSD (SSAN8-02-1BPC SSAN8-02-5BPC SSAO8-03-1BPC SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC** SSAN8-01-5BPC SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD)	Cobalt	71 (75-125)	-	-	J- (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A

VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution analysis was performed by the laboratory. The analysis criteria were met.

XII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed.

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3197-1	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

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

XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAN8-01-5BPC and SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD and samples SSAM5-03-1BPC and SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD were identified as field duplicates. No metal contaminants were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAN8-01-5BPC	SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD				
Arsenic	3.7	3.2	14 (≤ 50)	-	-	-
Cobalt	14	10	33 (≤ 50)			
Manganese	880	630	33 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAM5-03-1BPC	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD				
Arsenic	19	15	24 (≤ 50)	-	-	-
Lead	410	290	34 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3197-1	SSAN8-02-1BPC SSAN8-02-5BPC SSAO8-03-1BPC SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC** SSAN8-01-5BPC SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD	Cobalt	J- (all detects) UJ (all non-detects)	A	Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates (%R) (m)
280-3197-1	SSAN8-02-1BPC SSAN8-02-5BPC SSAO8-03-1BPC SSAO8-03-5BPC SSAN8-01-1BPC** SSAN8-01-5BPC SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD SSAM5-03-1BPC SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD SSAM5-03-5BPC	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (PQL) (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET**

LDC #: 23310E4
SDG #: 280-3197-1
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B 14

Date: 6-15-10
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Reviewer: CR
2nd Reviewer: W

METHOD: Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6020)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: <u>5/4/10</u>
II.	ICP/MS Tune	A	
III.	Calibration	A	
IV.	Blanks	SW	
V.	ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis	A	
VI.	Matrix Spike Analysis	SW	<u>MS/D</u>
VII.	Duplicate Sample Analysis	N	
VIII.	Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	A	<u>LCS</u>
IX.	Internal Standard (ICP-MS)	A	
X.	Furnace Atomic Absorption QC	N	<u>Not utilized</u>
XI.	ICP Serial Dilution	A	
XII.	Sample Result Verification	A	<u>Not reviewed for ZB</u>
XIII.	Overall Assessment of Data	A	
XIV.	Field Duplicates	SW	<u>(6,7), (8,9)</u>
XV.	Field Blanks	SW	<u>FB=FB-04132010-RIGA-RZE, FB-04072010-RZC</u> <u>(280-2400-2) (280-2280-2)</u>

Note: A = Acceptable ND = No compounds detected D = Duplicate
N = Not provided/applicable R = Rinsate TB = Trip blank
SW = See worksheet FB = Field blank EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples: Soil **** Level 14**

1	SSAN8-02-1BPC	11	SSAN8-01-1BPCMS	21	<u>PBS</u>	31
2	SSAN8-02-5BPC	12	SSAN8-01-1BPCMSD	22		32
3	SSAO8-03-1BPC	13	SSAM5-03-5BPCMS	23		33
4	SSAO8-03-5BPC	14	SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD	24		34
5	SSAN8-01-1BPC **	15		25		35
6	SSAN8-01-5BPC	16		26		36
7	SSAN8-01-5BPC_FD	17		27		37
8	SSAM5-03-1BPC	18		28		38
9	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD	19		29		39
10	SSAM5-03-5BPC	20		30		40

Notes: _____

Method: Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/7000/6020)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical Holding Times				
All technical holding times were met.	✓			
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	✓			
II. Calibration				
Were all isotopes in the tuning solution mass resolution within 0.1 amu?	✓			
Were %RSD of isotopes in the tuning solution < 5%?	✓			
Were all instruments calibrated daily, each set-up time?	✓			
Were the proper number of standards used?	✓			
Were all initial and continuing calibration verification %Rs within the 90-110% (80-120% for mercury and 85-115% for cyanide) QC limits?	✓			
Were all initial calibration correlation coefficients > 0.995?	✓			
III. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	✓			
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	✓			
IV. ICP Interference Check Samples				
Were ICP interference check samples performed daily?	✓			
Were the AB solution percent recoveries (%R) with the 80-120% QC limits?	✓			
IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix spike duplicates				
Were a matrix spike (MS) and duplicate (DUP) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD or MS/DUP. Soil / Water.	✓			
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the 75-125 QC limits? If the sample concentration exceeded the spike concentration by a factor of 4 or more, no action was taken.		✓		
Were the MS/MSD or duplicate relative percent differences (RPD) ≤ 20% for waters and ≤ 35% for soil samples? A control limit of +/- RL (+/-2X RL for soil) was used for samples that were ≤ 5X the RL, including when only one of the duplicate sample values were < 5X the RL.	✓			
V. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	✓			
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	✓			
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the 80-120% QC limits for water samples and laboratory established QC limits for soils?	✓			

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
VI. Flame/AAS/Absorption/AIC				
If MSA was performed, was the correlation coefficients > 0.995?			/	
Do all applicable analyses have duplicate injections? (Level IV only)			/	
For sample concentrations > RL, are applicable duplicate injection RSD values < 20%? (Level IV only)			/	
Were analytical spike recoveries within the 85-115% QC limits?			/	
VII. ICP Serial Dilution				
Was an ICP serial dilution analyzed if analyte concentrations were > 50X the IDL?	/			
Were all percent differences (%Ds) < 10%?	/			
Was there evidence of negative interference? If yes, professional judgement will be used to qualify the data.		/		
VIII. Internal Standards (EPA SW-846 Method 820)				
Were all the percent recoveries (%R) within the 30-120% of the intensity of the internal standard in the associated initial calibration?	/			
If the %Rs were outside the criteria, was a reanalysis performed?	/			
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?		/		
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?			/	
X. Sample Result Verification				
Were RLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	/			
XI. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	/			
XII. Field Duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target analytes were detected in the field duplicates.	/			
XIII. Field Blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target analytes were detected in the field blanks.	/			

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 SDG #: See Cover
VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
PB/ICB/CCB QUALIFIED SAMPLES

METHOD: Trace metals (EPA SW 864 Method 6010B/6020/7000)
 Soil preparation factor applied: 100x x 5xdlil
 Sample Concentration units, unless otherwise noted: mg/Kg
 Associated Samples: 4, 5

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Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Co			0.142		

Sample Concentration units, unless otherwise noted: mg/Kg
 Associated Samples: 8-10

Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Pb			0.373		

Sample Concentration units, unless otherwise noted: mg/Kg
 Associated Samples: 1-7

Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Co	0.0113				
Mn	0.372			3.72	

Note: a - The listed analyte concentration is the highest ICB, CCB, or PB detected in the analysis of each element.

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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METHOD: Metals (EPA Method 6020/7000)

- Y N NA Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
 Y N NA Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		(≤50)	(mg/Kg)	(mg/Kg)	Qualifications (Parent Only)
	6	7	RPD	Difference	Limits	
Arsenic	3.7	3.2	14			
Cobalt	14	10	33			
Manganese	880	630	33			

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Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		(≤50)	(mg/Kg)	(mg/Kg)	Qualifications (Parent Only)
	8	9	RPD	Difference	Limits	
Arsenic	19	15	24			
Lead	410	290	34			

LDC #: 233065
 SDG #: See cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial and Continuing Calibration Calculation Verification

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METHOD: Trace Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/6020/7000)

An initial and continuing calibration verification percent recovery (%R) was recalculated for each type of analysis using the following formula:

$\%R = \frac{\text{Found} \times 100}{\text{True}}$ Where, Found = concentration (in ug/L) of each analyte measured in the analysis of the ICV or CCV solution
 True = concentration (in ug/L) of each analyte in the ICV or CCV source

Standard ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found (ug/L)	True (ug/L)	Recalculated		Reported		Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R		%R		
	ICP (Initial calibration)								
	GFAA (Initial calibration)								
	CVAA (Initial calibration)								
	ICP (Continuing calibration)								
	GFAA (Continuing calibration)								
	CVAA (Continuing calibration)								
ICV	ICP/MS (Initial calibration)	Co	39.3	40.0	98		98		Y
CCV (6/05)	ICP/MS (Continuing calibration)	Mn	51.3	50.0	103		103		Y

Comments: Refer to Calibration Verification findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 233067
 SDG #: See cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Level IV Recalculation Worksheet

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METHOD: Trace Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/7000)

Percent recoveries (%R) for an ICP interference check sample, a laboratory control sample and a matrix spike sample were recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%R = \frac{\text{Found} \times 100}{\text{True}}$$

Where, Found = Concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the sample. For the matrix spike calculation,
 Found = SSR (spiked sample result) - SR (sample result).
 True = Concentration of each analyte in the source.

A sample and duplicate relative percent difference (RPD) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$RPD = \frac{|S-D|}{(S+D)/2} \times 100$$

Where, S = Original sample concentration
 D = Duplicate sample concentration

An ICP serial dilution percent difference (%D) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%D = \frac{|I-SDR|}{I} \times 100$$

Where, I = Initial Sample Result (mg/L)
 SDR = Serial Dilution Result (mg/L) (Instrument Reading x 5)

Sample ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found / S / I (units)	True / D / SDR (units)	Recalculated		Reported		Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R / RPD / %D	%R / RPD / %D			
ISAB	ICP interference check	As	103 ug/L	100 ug/L	103	103	103		Y
LCS	Laboratory control sample	Mn	20.2	20	101	101	101		Y
1A	Matrix spike	Co	(SSR-SR) 18.2	21.9	83	83	84		Y
11/12	Duplicate	As	27.7	29.5	6	6	6		
5	ICP serial dilution	Mn	3500	3510	1	1	0.8		Y

Comments: Refer to appropriate worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 4, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Arsenic
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3197-7

Sample Identification

SSAN8-01-2BPC
SSAN8-01-2BPCMS
SSAN8-01-2BPCMSD

Introduction

This data review covers 3 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 6020 for Arsenic.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

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

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. ICPMS Tune

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

III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

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

IV. Blanks

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

Sample FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) was identified as a field blank. No arsenic was found in this blank.

V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

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

VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution analysis was performed by the laboratory. The analysis criteria were met.

XII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3197-7	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

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

XIV. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-7**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3197-7	SSAN8-01-2BPC	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (PQL) (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-7**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Arsenic - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-7**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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 SDG #: 280-3197-7
 Laboratory: Test America

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET
 Stage 2B

Date: 6-15-10
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 Reviewer: CR
 2nd Reviewer: W

METHOD: As (EPA SW 846 Method 6020)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	D	Sampling dates: 5/4/10
II.	ICP/MS Tune	D	
III.	Calibration	D	
IV.	Blanks	D	
V.	ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis	A	
VI.	Matrix Spike Analysis	A	MS/D
VII.	Duplicate Sample Analysis	N	
VIII.	Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	A	LCS
IX.	Internal Standard (ICP-MS)	A	
X.	Furnace Atomic Absorption QC	N	Not utilized
XI.	ICP Serial Dilution	A	
XII.	Sample Result Verification	N	
XIII.	Overall Assessment of Data	A	
XIV.	Field Duplicates	N	
XV.	Field Blanks	ND	FB=FB-04072010-RZC (280-2280-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples: Soil

1	SSAN8-01-2BPC	11	PBS	21		31	
2	SSAN8-01-2BPCMS	12		22		32	
3	SSAN8-01-2BPCMSD	13		23		33	
4		14		24		34	
5		15		25*		35	
6		16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

Notes: _____

Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc. Data Validation Report

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 5, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Metals
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3264-1

Sample Identification

SSAM7-05-1BPC
SSAM7-05-5BPC**
SSAO3-02-1BPC
SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD
SSAO3-02-5BPC
SSAO3-03-1BPC
SSAO3-03-5BPC
SSAO7-03-1BPC
SSAO7-03-5BPC**
SSAQ4-05-1BPC
SSAQ4-05-5BPC
SSAQ5-02-1BPC**
SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD
SSAQ5-02-5BPC
SA156-1BPC
SA156-2BPC**
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 18 soil samples listed on the cover sheet including dilutions and reanalysis as applicable. The analyses were per EPA SW 846 Method 6020 for Metals. The metals analyzed were Arsenic and Magnesium.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blanks are summarized in Section IV.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section XIV.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UU Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. ICPMS Tune

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

III. Calibration

An initial calibration was performed.

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

IV. Blanks

Method blanks were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. No metal contaminants were found in the initial, continuing and preparation blanks with the following exceptions:

Method Blank ID	Analyte	Maximum Concentration	Associated Samples
ICB/CCB	Magnesium	6.70 ug/L	SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD SSAO3-02-5BPC
ICB/CCB	Magnesium	1.19 ug/L	SSAO3-03-1BPC SSAO3-03-5BPC
PB (prep blank)	Magnesium	5.86 mg/Kg	SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD SSAO3-02-5BPC SSAO3-03-1BPC SSAO3-03-5BPC

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the method blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

Samples FB04062010-RZB (from SDG 280-2131-2), FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2), and FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) were identified as field blanks. No metal contaminants were found in these blanks.

V. ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis

The frequency of analysis was met.

The criteria for analysis were met.

VI. Matrix Spike Analysis

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

VII. Duplicate Sample Analysis

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

VIII. Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)

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

IX. Internal Standards

All internal standard percent recoveries (%R) were within QC limits.

X. Furnace Atomic Absorption QC

Graphite furnace atomic absorption was not utilized in this SDG.

XI. ICP Serial Dilution

ICP serial dilution analysis was performed by the laboratory. The analysis criteria were met.

XII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed.

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3264-1	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

XIII. Overall Assessment of Data

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

XIV. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAO3-02-1BPC and SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD and samples SSAQ5-02-1BPC** and SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD were identified as field duplicates. No metal contaminants were detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAO3-02-1BPC	SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD				
Arsenic	5.2	5.2	0 (≤50)	-	-	-
Magnesium	10000	10000	0 (≤50)	-	-	-

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAQ5-02-1BPC**	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD				
Arsenic	3.6	3.6	0 (≤50)	-	-	-

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3264-1	SSAM7-05-1BPC SSAM7-05-5BPC** SSAO3-02-1BPC SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD SSAO3-02-5BPC SSAO3-03-1BPC SSAO3-03-5BPC SSAO7-03-1BPC SSAO7-03-5BPC** SSAQ4-05-1BPC SSAQ4-05-5BPC SSAQ5-02-1BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD SSAQ5-02-5BPC SA156-1BPC SA156-2BPC**	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (PQL) (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Metals - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

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VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET**

LDC #: 23310G4
SDG #: 280-3264-1
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B / 4

Date: 6-15-16
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Reviewer: crz
2nd Reviewer: [initials]

METHOD: As & Mg (EPA SW 846 Method 6020)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: <u>5/5/10</u>
II.	ICP/MS Tune	A	
III.	Calibration	A	
IV.	Blanks	SW	
V.	ICP Interference Check Sample (ICS) Analysis	A	
VI.	Matrix Spike Analysis	A	<u>MS/D</u>
VII.	Duplicate Sample Analysis	N	
VIII.	Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)	A	<u>LCS</u>
IX.	Internal Standard (ICP-MS)	A	
X.	Furnace Atomic Absorption QC	N	<u>Not utilized</u>
XI.	ICP Serial Dilution	A	
XII.	Sample Result Verification	A	<u>Not reviewed for 2B</u>
XIII.	Overall Assessment of Data	A	
XIV.	Field Duplicates	SW	<u>(3,4), (12,13)</u>
XV.	Field Blanks	ND	<u>FB= FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE, FB-04072010-RZC,</u> <u>(280-2400-2) (280-2280-2)</u>

Note: A = Acceptable
N = Not provided/applicable
SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
R = Rinsate
FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
TB = Trip blank
EB = Equipment blank

FB04062010-RZB
(280-2131-2)

Validated Samples:

Soil

** Level 4

1	SSAM7-05-1BPC	11	SSAQ4-05-5BPC	21	<u>PBS</u>	31	
2	SSAM7-05-5BPC **	12	SSAQ5-02-1BPC **	22		32	
3	SSAO3-02-1BPC	13	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD	23		33	
4	SSAO3-02-1BPC_FD	14	SSAQ5-02-5BPC	24		34	
5	SSAO3-02-5BPC	15	SA156-1BPC	25		35	
6	SSAO3-03-1BPC	16	SA156-2BPC **	26		36	
7	SSAO3-03-5BPC	17	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS	27		37	
8	SSAO7-03-1BPC	18	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD	28		38	
9	SSAO7-03-5BPC **	19		29		39	
10	SSAQ4-05-1BPC	20		30		40	

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VALIDATION FINDINGS CHECKLIST

Method: Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/7000/6020)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
I. Technical holding times				
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
II. Calibration				
Were all isotopes in the tuning solution mass resolution within 0.1 amu?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were %RSD of isotopes in the tuning solution < 5%?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all instruments calibrated daily, each set-up time?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the proper number of standards used?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all initial and continuing calibration verification %Rs within the 90-110% (80-120% for mercury and 85-115% for cyanide) QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all initial calibration correlation coefficients > 0.995?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
III. Blanks				
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
IV. ICP Interference Check Samples				
Were ICP interference check samples performed daily?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the AB solution percent recoveries (%R) with the 80-120% QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
IV. Matrix spike/Matrix spike duplicates				
Were a matrix spike (MS) and duplicate (DUP) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD or MS/DUP. Soil / Water.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the 75-125 QC limits? If the sample concentration exceeded the spike concentration by a factor of 4 or more, no action was taken.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the MS/MSD or duplicate relative percent differences (RPD) ≤ 20% for waters and ≤ 35% for soil samples? A control limit of +/- RL (+/-2X RL for soil) was used for samples that were ≤ 5X the RL, including when only one of the duplicate sample values were < 5X the RL.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
V. Laboratory control samples				
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the 80-120% QC limits for water samples and laboratory established QC limits for soils?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
VI. Tubing/Atomizer Absorption QC				
If MSA was performed, was the correlation coefficients > 0.995?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Do all applicable analyses have duplicate injections? (Level IV only)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
For sample concentrations > RL, are applicable duplicate injection RSD values < 20%? (Level IV only)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were analytical spike recoveries within the 85-115% QC limits?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
VII. ICP Serial Dilution				
Was an ICP serial dilution analyzed if analyte concentrations were > 50X the IDL?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all percent differences (%Ds) < 10%?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was there evidence of negative interference? If yes, professional judgement will be used to qualify the data.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
VIII. Internal Standards (EPA SW-846 Method 6020)				
Were all the percent recoveries (%R) within the 30-120% of the intensity of the internal standard in the associated initial calibration?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
If the %Rs were outside the criteria, was a reanalysis performed?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
IX. Regional Quality Assurance and Quality Control				
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
X. Sample Result Verification				
Were RLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XI. Overall Assessment of Data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XII. Field Duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Target analytes were detected in the field duplicates.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
XIII. Field Blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Target analytes were detected in the field blanks.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Mg			6.70		

Sample Concentration units, unless otherwise noted: mg/Kg Associated Samples: 6, 7

Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Mg			1.19		

Sample Concentration units, unless otherwise noted: mg/Kg Associated Samples: 3-7

Analyte	Maximum PB ^a (mg/Kg)	Maximum PB ^a (ug/L)	Maximum ICB/CCB ^a (ug/L)	Action Limit	No Qualifiers
Mg	5.86			58.6	

Note: a - The listed analyte concentration is the highest ICB, CCB, or PB detected in the analysis of each element.

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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METHOD: Metals (EPA Method 6020/7000)

Y N NA Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
 Y N NA Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		(≤50)	(mg/Kg)	(mg/Kg)	Qualifications (Parent Only)
	3	4	RPD	Difference	Limits	
Arsenic	5.2	5.2	0			
Magnesium	10000	10000	0			

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Compound	Concentration (mg/Kg)		(≤50)	(mg/Kg)	(mg/Kg)	Qualifications (Parent Only)
	12	13	RPD	Difference	Limits	
Arsenic	3.6	3.6	0			

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 SDG #: see cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Initial and Continuing Calibration Calculation Verification

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 2nd Reviewer: R

METHOD: Trace Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/6020/7000)

An initial and continuing calibration verification percent recovery (%R) was recalculated for each type of analysis using the following formula:

$\%R = \frac{\text{Found}}{\text{True}} \times 100$ Where, Found = concentration (in ug/L) of each analyte measured in the analysis of the ICV or CCV solution
 True = concentration (in ug/L) of each analyte in the ICV or CCV source

Standard ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found (ug/L)	True (ug/L)	Recalculated		Reported		Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R		%R		
	ICP (Initial calibration)								
	GFAA (Initial calibration)								
	CVAA (Initial calibration)								
	ICP (Continuing calibration)								
	GFAA (Continuing calibration)								
	CVAA (Continuing calibration)								
ICV	ICPMS (Initial calibration)	As	41.0	40	103		102		Y
CCV	ICPMS (Continuing calibration)	As	50.1	50	100		100		J

Comments: Refer to Calibration Verification findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Level IV Recalculation Worksheet

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METHOD: Trace Metals (EPA SW 846 Method 6010/7000)

Percent recoveries (%R) for an ICP interference check sample, a laboratory control sample and a matrix spike sample were recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%R = \frac{\text{Found}}{\text{True}} \times 100$$

Where, Found = Concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the sample. For the matrix spike calculation,
 Found = SSR (spiked sample result) - SR (sample result).
 True = Concentration of each analyte in the source.

A sample and duplicate relative percent difference (RPD) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$RPD = \frac{|S-D|}{(S+D)/2} \times 100$$

Where, S = Original sample concentration
 D = Duplicate sample concentration

An ICP serial dilution percent difference (%D) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%D = \frac{|I-SDR|}{I} \times 100$$

Where, I = Initial Sample Result (mg/L)
 SDR = Serial Dilution Result (mg/L) (Instrument Reading x 5)

Sample ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found / S / I (unit) mg/L	True / D / SDR (unit) mg/L	Recalculated		Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R / RPD / %D	%R / RPD / %D	
ICSPB	ICP interference check	As	98 ug/L	100 ug/L	98	98	Y
LCS	Laboratory control sample		19.0	20	95	95	Y
17	Matrix spike		20.1 (SSR-SR)	20.9	96	96	Y
17/18	Duplicate		23.4	23.3	0	0	
14	ICP serial dilution		3.3	3.45	4.5	4.1	Y

Comments: Refer to appropriate worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

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**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 4, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Perchlorate
Validation Level: Stage 2B
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.
Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3197-1

Sample Identification

SSAM5-03-1BPC
SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD
SSAM5-03-5BPC
SSAM5-03-5BPCMS
SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD
SSAM5-03-5BPCDUP

Introduction

This data review covers 6 soil samples listed on the cover sheet. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. Calibration

a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration were met.

b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met.

III. Blanks

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

Sample FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2) was identified as a field blank. No perchlorate was found in this blank.

IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Results were within QC limits.

VI. Laboratory Control Samples

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

VII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3197-1	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not reviewed for this SDG.

VIII. Overall Assessment

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

IX. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAM5-03-1BPC and SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Analyte	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAM5-03-1BPC	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD				
Perchlorate	2.4	1.5	46 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

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 Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3197-1	SSAM5-03-1BPC SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD SSAM5-03-5BPC	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, 2009 Phase B Investigation, Henderson, Nevada
 Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Perchlorate - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3197-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET**

LDC #: 23310E6
SDG #: 280-3197-1
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B

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METHOD: (Analyte) Perchlorate (EPA Method 314.0)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: <u>5/4/10</u>
IIa.	Initial calibration	A	
IIb.	Calibration verification	A	
III.	Blanks	A	
IV.	Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates	A	<u>MS/D</u>
V.	Duplicates	A	<u>DUP</u>
VI.	Laboratory control samples	A	<u>LCS</u>
VII.	Sample result verification	N	
VIII.	Overall assessment of data	A	
IX.	Field duplicates	<u>SW</u>	<u>(1,2)</u>
X.	Field blanks	<u>ND</u>	<u>FB=FB-01B2010-RIG2-RZE</u> <u>(280-2400-2)</u>

Note: A = Acceptable
N = Not provided/applicable
SW = See worksheet
ND = No compounds detected
R = Rinsate
FB = Field blank
D = Duplicate
TB = Trip blank
EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples:

1	SSAM5-03-1BPC	11		21		31	
2	SSAM5-03-1BPC_FD	12		22		32	
3	SSAM5-03-5BPC	13		23		33	
4	SSAM5-03-5BPCMS	14		24		34	
5	SSAM5-03-5BPCMSD	15		25		35	
6	SSAM5-03-5BPCDUP	16		26		36	
7		17		27		37	
8		18		28		38	
9		19		29		39	
10		20		30		40	

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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Y N NA Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
 Y N NA Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Analyte	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (≤ 50)	Difference	Limits	Qualification (Parent only)
	1	2				
Perchlorate	2.4	1.5	46			

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**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 5, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Perchlorate
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3264-1

Sample Identification

SSAM7-05-1BPC
SSAM7-05-5BPC**
SSAO7-03-1BPC
SSAO7-03-5BPC**
SSAQ5-02-1BPC**
SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD
SSAQ5-02-5BPC
SA156-1BPC
SA156-2BPC**
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS
SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD
SSAQ5-02-5BPCDUP

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 12 soil samples listed on the cover sheet. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. Calibration

a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration were met.

b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met.

III. Blanks

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

Samples FB04062010-RZB (from SDG 280-2131-2), FB-04132010-RIG2-RZE (from SDG 280-2400-2), and FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) were identified as field blanks. No perchlorate were found in these blanks with the following exceptions:

Field Blank ID	Sampling Date	Analyte	Concentration	Associated Samples
FB04062010-RZB	4/6/10	Perchlorate	92 ug/L	SSAQ5-02-1BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD SSAQ5-02-5BPC SA156-1BPC SA156-2BPC**

Sample concentrations were compared to concentrations detected in the field blanks as required by the QAPP. No sample data was qualified.

IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

V. Duplicates

Duplicate (DUP) sample analyses were reviewed for each matrix as applicable. Results were within QC limits.

VI. Laboratory Control Samples

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

VII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed.

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3264-1	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

VIII. Overall Assessment

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

IX. Field Duplicates

Samples SSAQ5-02-1BPC** and SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD were identified as field duplicates. No perchlorate was detected in any of the samples with the following exceptions:

Analyte	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (Limits)	Difference (Limits)	Flags	A or P
	SSAQ5-02-1BPC**	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD				
Perchlorate	0.14	0.15	7 (≤ 50)	-	-	-

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3264-1	SSAM7-05-1BPC SSAM7-05-5BPC** SSAO7-03-1BPC SSAO7-03-5BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC** SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD SSAQ5-02-5BPC SA156-1BPC SA156-2BPC**	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, 2009 Phase B Investigation, Henderson, Nevada
Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Perchlorate - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3264-1**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

LDC #: 23310G6
 SDG #: 280-3264-1
 Laboratory: Test America

Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET
 Stage 2B /4

Date: 6-15-10
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 Reviewer: CF
 2nd Reviewer: W

METHOD: (Analyte) Perchlorate (EPA Method 314.0)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	A	Sampling dates: 5/5/10
IIa.	Initial calibration	A	
IIb.	Calibration verification	A	
III.	Blanks	A	
IV	Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates	A	MS/D
V	Duplicates	A	OP
VI.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS/D
VII.	Sample result verification	A	No+ reviewed for 2B
VIII.	Overall assessment of data	A	
IX.	Field duplicates	SW	(5,6) 13
X.	Field blanks	SW	FB=FB-04132010-R162-RZE, FB-04072010-RZC, (280-2400-2), (280-2280-2), FB04062010-RZB (280-2431-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
 N = Not provided/applicable
 SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
 R = Rinsate
 FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
 TB = Trip blank
 EB = Equipment blank

FB04062010-RZB
 (280-2431-2)

Validated Samples: soil

*# Level 4

1	SSAM7-05-1BPC	11	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMS	21	PBS	31	
2	SSAM7-05-5BPC **	12	SSAQ5-02-5BPCMSD	22		32	
3	SSAO7-03-1BPC	13	SSAQ5-02-5BPCDUP	23		33	
4	SSAO7-03-5BPC **	14		24		34	
5	SSAQ5-02-1BPC **	15		25		35	
6	SSAQ5-02-1BPC-FD	16		26		36	
7	SSAQ5-02-3BPC	17		27		37	
8	SSAQ5-02-5BPC	18		28		38	
9	SA156-1BPC	19		29		39	
10	SA156-2BPC **	20		30		40	

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Method: Inorganics (EPA Method see cover)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all instruments calibrated daily, each set-up time?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the proper number of standards used?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all initial calibration correlation coefficients > 0.995?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were all initial and continuing calibration verification %Rs within the 90-110% QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were titrant checks performed as required? (Level IV only)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were balance checks performed as required? (Level IV only)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Were a matrix spike (MS) and duplicate (DUP) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD or MS/DUP. Soil / Water.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the 75-125 QC limits? If the sample concentration exceeded the spike concentration by a factor of 4 or more, no action was taken.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the MS/MSD or duplicate relative percent differences (RPD) ≤ 20% for waters and ≤ 35% for soil samples? A control limit of ≤ CRDL (≤ 2X CRDL for soil) was used for samples that were ≤ 5X the CRDL, including when only one of the duplicate sample values were < 5X the CRDL.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the 80-120% (85-115% for Method 300.0) QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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 SDG #: see cover

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
VII. Sample Result Verification				
Were RLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	/			
Were detection limits < RL?	/			
VIII. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	/			
IX. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target analytes were detected in the field duplicates.	/			
X. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	/			
Target analytes were detected in the field blanks.	/			

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VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Field Duplicates

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Inorganics, Method: See Cover

- ~~Y~~ ~~N~~ ~~NA~~ Were field duplicate pairs identified in this SDG?
 ~~Y~~ ~~N~~ ~~NA~~ Were target analytes detected in the field duplicate pairs?

Analyte	Concentration (mg/Kg)		RPD (≤ 50)	Difference	Limits	Qualification (Parent only)
	5	6				
Perchlorate	0.14	0.15	7			

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LDC #: 2331066
 SDG #: see cover

Validatin Findings Worksheet
Initial and Continuing Calibration Calculation Verification

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 Reviewer: CR
 2nd Reviewer: LD

Method: Inorganics, Method 340
 The correlation coefficient (r) for the calibration of ClO₂ was recalculated. Calibration date: 4/21/10

An initial or continuing calibration verification percent recovery (%R) was recalculated for each type of analysis using the following formula:

$\%R = \frac{\text{Found} \times 100}{\text{True}}$ Where, Found = concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the ICV or CCV solution
 True = concentration of each analyte in the ICV or CCV source

Type of analysis	Analyte	Standard	Conc. (ug/l)	Area	Recalculated	Reported	Acceptable (Y/N)
					r or r ²	r or r ²	
Initial calibration	ClO ₂	s1	1	0.0025	0.998765	0.998771	Y
		s2	2.5	0.00841			
		s3	5	0.01661			
		s4	10	0.03291			
		s5	20	0.06345			
		s6	40	0.14097			
Calibration verification		ICV	20	Found (ug/L) 18.890	94	—	Y
Calibration verification		CCV	30	28.727	96	—	Y
Calibration verification		CCV	10	10.747	103	—	Y

Comments: Refer to Calibration Verification findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

LDC #: 233066
 SDG #: Seecover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
 Level IV Recalculation Worksheet

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METHOD: Inorganics, Method Seecover

Percent recoveries (%R) for a laboratory control sample and a matrix spike sample were recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%R = \frac{\text{Found}}{\text{True}} \times 100 \quad \text{Where, Found} = \text{concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the sample. For the matrix spike calculation, Found} = \text{SSR (spiked sample result) - SR (sample result). True} = \text{concentration of each analyte in the source.}$$

A sample and duplicate relative percent difference (RPD) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$RPD = \frac{|S-D|}{(S+D)/2} \times 100 \quad \text{Where, S} = \text{Original sample concentration, D} = \text{Duplicate sample concentration}$$

Sample ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found / S (units) mg/Ls	True / D (units) mg/Ls	Recalculated		Reported %R / RPD	Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R / RPD	%R / RPD		
LCS	Laboratory control sample	ClO ₄	0.0908	0.0985	92	92	92	Y
11	Matrix spike sample	↓	0.21 (SSR-SR)	0.22	95	93	93	Y
13	Duplicate sample	↓	0.51	0.51	0	1	1	Y

Comments: Refer to appropriate worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

**Laboratory Data Consultants, Inc.
Data Validation Report**

Project/Site Name: Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
Collection Date: May 17, 2010
LDC Report Date: June 16, 2010
Matrix: Soil
Parameters: Perchlorate
Validation Level: Stage 2B & 4
Laboratory: TestAmerica, Inc.

Sample Delivery Group (SDG): 280-3624-2

Sample Identification

SSAM5-02-5BPC
SA15-1BPC
SA15-3BPC
SA15-5BPC
SA15-7BPC
SA15-9BPC
SSAN5-03-1BPC
SSAN5-03-5BPC
SA104-7BPC
SSAL5-05-3BPC**

**Indicates sample underwent Stage 4 review

Introduction

This data review covers 10 soil samples listed on the cover sheet. The analyses were per EPA Method 314.0 for Perchlorate.

This review follows the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) 40, Data Review/Validation (BRC 2009), the Quality Assurance Project Plan Tronox LLC Facility, Henderson, Nevada (June 2009), NDEP guidance (May 2006), and a modified outline of the USEPA Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (October 2004).

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

Blank results are summarized in Section III.

Field duplicates are summarized in Section IX.

Samples indicated by a double asterisk on the front cover underwent a Stage 4 review. A Stage 2B review was performed on all of the other samples. Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria since this review is based on QC data.

The following are definitions of the data qualifiers:

- J+ Data are qualified as estimated, with a high bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J- Data are qualified as estimated, with a low bias likely to occur. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- J Data are qualified as estimated; it is not possible to assess the direction of the potential bias. False positives or false negatives are unlikely to have been reported.
- U Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected at or above the stated limit.
- R Data are qualified as rejected. There is a significant potential for the reporting of false negatives or false positives.
- UJ Indicates the compound or analyte was analyzed for but not detected. The sample detection limit is an estimated value.
- B The analytical result may be a false positive totally attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JB The analytical result may be biased high and partially attributable to blank contamination. This qualifier is applicable to radiochemistry analysis only.
- JK The analytical result is an estimated maximum possible concentration (EMPC).
- X The analytical result is not used for reporting because a more accurate and precise result is reported in its place.
- J-TDS The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) correctness check performed in accordance with the Standard Method 1030E.
- J-CAB The analytical result is estimated based on failure of the cation-anion balance correctness check performed in accordance with Standard Method 1030E.
- J-TDS & CAB The analytical result is unreliable based on the failure of the cation-anion balance and TDS correctness check performed in accordance with standard Method 1030E.
- A Indicates the finding is based upon technical validation criteria.
- P Indicates the finding is related to a protocol/contractual deviation.
- None Indicates the data was not significantly impacted by the finding, therefore qualification was not required.

I. Technical Holding Times

All technical holding time requirements were met.

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

II. Calibration

a. Initial Calibration

All criteria for the initial calibration were met.

b. Calibration Verification

Calibration verification frequency and analysis criteria were met.

III. Blanks

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

Samples FB-04072010-RZD (from SDG 280-2216-2) and FB-04072010-RZC (from SDG 280-2280-2) were identified as field blanks. No perchlorate were found in these blanks.

IV. Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates

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

V. Duplicates

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

VI. Laboratory Control Samples

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

VII. Sample Result Verification and Project Quantitation Limit

All sample result verifications were acceptable for samples on which a Stage 4 review was performed.

All analytes reported below the PQL were qualified as follows:

Sample	Finding	Flag	A or P
All samples in SDG 280-3624-2	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A

Raw data were not evaluated for the samples reviewed by Stage 2B criteria.

VIII. Overall Assessment

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

IX. Field Duplicates

No field duplicates were identified in this SDG.

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Perchlorate - Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

SDG	Sample	Analyte	Flag	A or P	Reason (Code)
280-3624-2	SSAM5-02-5BPC SA15-1BPC SA15-3BPC SA15-5BPC SA15-7BPC SA15-9BPC SSAN5-03-1BPC SSAN5-03-5BPC SA104-7BPC SSAL5-05-3BPC**	All analytes reported below the PQL.	J (all detects)	A	Sample result verification (sp)

**Tronox LLC Facility, 2009 Phase B Investigation, Henderson, Nevada
 Perchlorate - Laboratory Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

**Tronox LLC Facility, PCS, Henderson, Nevada
 Perchlorate - Field Blank Data Qualification Summary - SDG 280-3624-2**

No Sample Data Qualified in this SDG

Tronox Northgate Henderson
VALIDATION COMPLETENESS WORKSHEET

LDC #: 23310J6
SDG #: 280-3624-2
Laboratory: Test America

Stage 2B /4

Date: 6-16-10
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Reviewer: CR
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METHOD: (Analyte) Perchlorate (EPA Method 314.0)

The samples listed below were reviewed for each of the following validation areas. Validation findings are noted in attached validation findings worksheets.

	Validation Area		Comments
I.	Technical holding times	D	Sampling dates: <u>5/17/10</u>
IIa.	Initial calibration	D	
IIb.	Calibration verification	D	
III.	Blanks	A	
IV.	Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicates	N	Client spec. Field
V.	Duplicates	N	↓
VI.	Laboratory control samples	A	LCS
VII.	Sample result verification	A	Not reviewed for 2B
VIII.	Overall assessment of data	A	
IX.	Field duplicates	N	
X.	Field blanks	NO	FB = FB-04072010-RZD, FB-04072010-RZC (280-2216-2) (280-2280-2)

Note: A = Acceptable
N = Not provided/applicable
SW = See worksheet

ND = No compounds detected
R = Rinsate
FB = Field blank

D = Duplicate
TB = Trip blank
EB = Equipment blank

Validated Samples: soil **** Level 4**

1	SSAM5-02-5BPC	11		21		31	
2	SA15-1BPC	12		22		32	
3	SA15-3BPC	13		23		33	
4	SA15-5BPC	14		24		34	
5	SA15-7BPC	15		25		35	
6	SA15-9BPC	16		26		36	
7	SSAN5-03-1BPC	17		27		37	
8	SSAN5-03-5BPC	18		28		38	
9	SA104-7BPC	19		29		39	
10	SSAL5-05-3BPC **	20		30		40	

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LDC #: 2331056
 SDG #: see cover

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 Reviewer: CR
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Method: Inorganics (EPA Method See cover)

Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
All technical holding times were met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Cooler temperature criteria was met.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all instruments calibrated daily, each set-up time?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the proper number of standards used?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all initial calibration correlation coefficients > 0.995?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were all initial and continuing calibration verification %Rs within the 90-110% QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were titrant checks performed as required? (Level IV only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were balance checks performed as required? (Level IV only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Was a method blank associated with every sample in this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was there contamination in the method blanks? If yes, please see the Blanks validation completeness worksheet.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were a matrix spike (MS) and duplicate (DUP) analyzed for each matrix in this SDG? If no, indicate which matrix does not have an associated MS/MSD or MS/DUP. Soil / Water.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD percent recoveries (%R) and the relative percent differences (RPD) within the 75-125 QC limits? If the sample concentration exceeded the spike concentration by a factor of 4 or more, no action was taken.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Were the MS/MSD or duplicate relative percent differences (RPD) ≤ 20% for waters and ≤ 35% for soil samples? A control limit of ≤ CRDL (≤ 2X CRDL for soil) was used for samples that were ≤ 5X the CRDL, including when only one of the duplicate sample values were < 5X the CRDL.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Was an LCS analyzed for this SDG?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Was an LCS analyzed per extraction batch?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the LCS percent recoveries (%R) and relative percent difference (RPD) within the 80-120% (85-115% for Method 300.0) QC limits?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were performance evaluation (PE) samples performed?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were the performance evaluation (PE) samples within the acceptance limits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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 SDG #: see cover

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Validation Area	Yes	No	NA	Findings/Comments
VI. Sample Result Verification				
Were RLs adjusted to reflect all sample dilutions and dry weight factors applicable to level IV validation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Were detection limits < RL?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VII. Overall assessment of data				
Overall assessment of data was found to be acceptable.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
IX. Field duplicates				
Field duplicate pairs were identified in this SDG.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target analytes were detected in the field duplicates.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
X. Field blanks				
Field blanks were identified in this SDG.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Target analytes were detected in the field blanks.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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 SDG #: see cover

Validatin Findings Worksheet
Initial and Continuing Calibration Calculation Verification

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 Reviewer: CEK
 2nd Reviewer: h

Method: Inorganics, Method 3140
 The correlation coefficient (r) for the calibration of ClO₄ was recalculated. Calibration date: 5/7/10

An initial or continuing calibration verification percent recovery (%R) was recalculated for each type of analysis using the following formula:

$\%R = \frac{\text{Found} \times 100}{\text{True}}$ Where, Found = concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the ICV or CCV solution
 True = concentration of each analyte in the ICV or CCV source

Type of analysis	Analyte	Standard	Conc. (ug/l)	Area	Recalculated	Reported	Acceptable (Y/N)
					r or r ²	r or r ²	
Initial calibration	ClO ₄	s1	1	0.00137	0.999878	0.999700	Y
		s2	2.5	0.00562			
		s3	5	0.01434			
		s4	10	0.03176			
		s5	20	0.06198			
		s6	40	0.12605			
Calibration verification		ICV	20	Found (ug/L) 20.471	102	-	
Calibration verification		CCV	30	33.397	111	-	
Calibration verification		CCV	10	10.439	104	-	

Comments: Refer to Calibration Verification findings worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

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 SDG #: see cover

VALIDATION FINDINGS WORKSHEET
Level IV Recalculation Worksheet

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 Reviewer: ERS
 2nd Reviewer: LS

METHOD: Inorganics, Method see cover

Percent recoveries (%R) for a laboratory control sample and a matrix spike sample were recalculated using the following formula:

$$\%R = \frac{\text{Found} \times 100}{\text{True}} \quad \text{Where, Found} = \text{concentration of each analyte measured in the analysis of the sample. For the matrix spike calculation, Found} = \text{SSR (spiked sample result) - SR (sample result).}$$

$$\text{True} = \text{concentration of each analyte in the source.}$$

A sample and duplicate relative percent difference (RPD) was recalculated using the following formula:

$$\text{RPD} = \frac{|S-D|}{(S+D)/2} \times 100 \quad \text{Where, S} = \text{Original sample concentration}$$

$$D = \text{Duplicate sample concentration}$$

Sample ID	Type of Analysis	Element	Found / S (units)	True / D (units)	Recalculated		Acceptable (Y/N)
					%R / RPD	%R / RPD	
LCS	Laboratory control sample	ClO ₄	0.103	0.098	105	105	Y
N	Matrix spike sample	↑	(SSR-SR)				
N	Duplicate sample						

Comments: Refer to appropriate worksheet for list of qualifications and associated samples when reported results do not agree within 10.0% of the recalculated results.

