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# **ANALYTICAL REPORT**

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TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

Client Project/Site: HDP

For:

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#### **Case Narrative**

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Narrative

#### **CASE NARRATIVE**

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**Project: HDP** 

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With the exceptions noted as flags or footnotes, standard analytical protocols were followed in the analysis of the samples and no problems were encountered or anomalies observed. In addition all laboratory quality control samples were within established control limits, with any exceptions noted below. Each sample was analyzed to achieve the lowest possible reporting limit within the constraints of the method. In some cases, due to interference or analytes present at high concentrations, samples were diluted. For diluted samples, the reporting limits are adjusted relative to the dilution required.

TestAmerica St. Louis attests to the validity of the laboratory data generated by TestAmerica facilities reported herein. All analyses performed by TestAmerica facilities were done using established laboratory SOPs that incorporate QA/QC procedures described in the application methods. TestAmerica's operations groups have reviewed the data for compliance with the laboratory QA/QC plan, and data have been found to be compliant with laboratory protocols unless otherwise noted below.

The test results in this report meet all NELAP requirements for parameters for which accreditation is required or available. Any exceptions to NELAP requirements are noted in this report. Pursuant to NELAP, this report may not be reproduced, except in full, without the written approval of the laboratory.

Calculations are performed before rounding to avoid round-off errors in calculated results.

All holding times were met and proper preservation noted for the methods performed on these samples, unless otherwise detailed in the individual sections below.

All solid sample results for Chemistry analyses are reported on an "as received" basis unless otherwise indicated by the presence of a % solids value in the method header. All soil/sediment sample results for radiochemistry analyses are based upon sample as dried and disaggregated with the exception of tritium, carbon-14, and iodine-129 by gamma spectroscopy unless requested as wet weight by the client.

This laboratory report is confidential and is intended for the sole use of TestAmerica and its client.

#### **RECEIPT**

The samples were received on 02/19/2015; the samples arrived in good condition, properly preserved and on ice. The temperature of the coolers at receipt was 18.0° C.

### RADIUM-226 BY GAMMA SPEC (21 DAY INGROWTH)

Sample L10-03-13-B-E-B-00 (160-10553-1) was analyzed for Radium-226 by gamma spec (21 day ingrowth) in accordance with EPA GA 01 R. The samples were dried on 02/19/2015, prepared on 02/23/2015 and analyzed on 03/16/2015.

No additional analytical or quality issues were noted, other than those described above or in the Definitions/Glossary page.

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## **Chain of Custody Record**

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Revision: 3

Earth City, MO 63045 phone 314.298.8566 fax Regulatory Program: DW NPDES RCRA Other: TestAmerica Laboratories, Inc. Client Contact Project Manager: Brian Miller Site Contact: Ellen Jakub Date: 02/19/2015 COC No: 021915-FSS1 Perma-Fix Environmental Services Tel/Fax: (314) 810-3333 ab Contact: Ivan Vanya Carrier: Courier Page 1 of 1 2800 Solway Road **Analysis Turnaround Time** Sampler: Knoxville, TN 37931 CALENDAR DAYS WORKING DAYS For Lab Use Only: Gamma Spec (Westinghouse HDP Library) (865) 690-0501 Phone TAT if different from Below Walk-in Client: (865) 539-9868 FAX 2 weeks Lab Sampling: Project Name: Hematite Decommissioning Project 7 1 week Site: Westinghouse Hematite, MO 2 days ICP/MS (Tc-99) Gamma Spec (with ingrowth) Job / SDG No.: P O # 832953 1 day Type Sample Sample # of (C=Comp, Sample Identification Date Time G=Grab) Matrix Cont. Sample Specific Notes: L10-03-13-B-E-B-00 2/17/15 1420 G Soil Χ Х Х Matt Cushman (~ 19 Kcpm) Ν Δ Preservation Used: 1= Ice, 2= HCI; 3= H2SO4; 4=HNO3; 5=NaOH; 6= Other None Possible Hazard Identification: Sample Disposal ( A fee may be assessed if samples are retained longer than 1 month) Are any samples from a listed EPA Hazardous Waste? Please List any EPA Waste Codes for the sample in the Comments Section if the lab is to dispose of the sample. ☐ Flammable Skin Irritant Poison B Unknown Return to Client Disposal by Lab Archive for\_ Months Special Instructions/QC Requirements & Comments: Potential for Radiological Contamination Custody Seals Intact: Custody Seal No .: ✓ Yes ☐ No Cooler Temp. (°C): Obs'd: Corr'd: Therm ID No .: Relinquished by: Company: Date/Time: Received by: Company: Date/Time: DRIL Kerma - V 2-19-15 2/19/15 08.53 Crossroad, Relinguished by: Company: Date/Time: Date/Time: Company: HAIS WIR 2-19-15 ( rossriad TA 1020 Relinquished by Company: Date/Time: Received in Laboratory by: Company: Date/Time:

Permafix (for Westinghouse) Non-Proprietary Class 3

Procedure: HDP-PR-QA-006. Chain of Custody

Hematite Decommissing Project

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Job Number: 160-10553-2

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

List Source: TestAmerica St. Louis

Login Number: 10553 List Number: 1 Creator: Clarke, Jill C

Question	Answer	Comment
Radioactivity wasn't checked or is = background as measured by a survey</td <td>True</td> <td>Comment</td>	True	Comment
meter.		
The cooler's custody seal, if present, is intact.	True	
Sample custody seals, if present, are intact.	N/A	
The cooler or samples do not appear to have been compromised or tampered with.	True	
Samples were received on ice.	N/A	
Cooler Temperature is acceptable.	True	
Cooler Temperature is recorded.	True	
COC is present.	True	
COC is filled out in ink and legible.	True	
COC is filled out with all pertinent information.	True	
Is the Field Sampler's name present on COC?	N/A	
There are no discrepancies between the containers received and the COC.	True	
Samples are received within Holding Time.	True	
Sample containers have legible labels.	True	
Containers are not broken or leaking.	True	
Sample collection date/times are provided.	True	
Appropriate sample containers are used.	True	
Sample bottles are completely filled.	True	
Sample Preservation Verified.	True	
There is sufficient vol. for all requested analyses, incl. any requested MS/MSDs	True	
Containers requiring zero headspace have no headspace or bubble is <6mm (1/4").	N/A	
Multiphasic samples are not present.	True	
Samples do not require splitting or compositing.	True	
Residual Chlorine Checked.	N/A	

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## **Definitions/Glossary**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Not Calculated

**Quality Control** 

Relative error ratio

Practical Quantitation Limit

Toxicity Equivalent Factor (Dioxin)

Toxicity Equivalent Quotient (Dioxin)

Not detected at the reporting limit (or MDL or EDL if shown)

Relative Percent Difference, a measure of the relative difference between two points

Reporting Limit or Requested Limit (Radiochemistry)

Project/Site: HDP

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### **Qualifiers**

#### Rad

NC

ND PQL

QC RER

RL

RPD

TEF

TEQ

Qualifier	Qualifier Description
U	Result is less than the sample detection limit.

## **Glossary**

Abbreviation	These commonly used abbreviations may or may not be present in this report.
¤	Listed under the "D" column to designate that the result is reported on a dry weight basis
%R	Percent Recovery
CFL	Contains Free Liquid
CNF	Contains no Free Liquid
DER	Duplicate error ratio (normalized absolute difference)
Dil Fac	Dilution Factor
DL, RA, RE, IN	Indicates a Dilution, Re-analysis, Re-extraction, or additional Initial metals/anion analysis of the sample
DLC	Decision level concentration
MDA	Minimum detectable activity
EDL	Estimated Detection Limit
MDC	Minimum detectable concentration
MDL	Method Detection Limit
ML	Minimum Level (Dioxin)

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# **Method Summary**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Project/Site: HDP

TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

Method	Method Description	Protocol	Laboratory
GA-01-R	Radium-226 & Other Gamma Emitters (GS)	DOE	TAL SL

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Protocol References:

DOE = U.S. Department of Energy

Laboratory References:

TAL SL = TestAmerica St. Louis, 13715 Rider Trail North, Earth City, MO 63045, TEL (314)298-8566

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# **Sample Summary**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Project/Site: HDP

TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Matrix	Collected	Received
160-10553-1	L10-03-13-B-E-B-00	Solid	02/17/15 14:20	02/19/15 10:20

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# **Client Sample Results**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Project/Site: HDP

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TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

Lab Sample ID: 160-10553-1

Matrix: Solid

Client Sample ID: L10-03-13-B-E-B-00

0.458

0.0703

Date Collected: 02/17/15 14:20 Date Received: 02/19/15 10:20

			Count	Total						
			Uncert.	Uncert.						
Analyte	Result	Qualifier	(2σ+/-)	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Actinium 228	1.36		0.183	0.230		0.131	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Bismuth 212	1.42		0.495	0.516		0.514	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Bismuth 214	1.61		0.174	0.242		0.109	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Lead 212	1.21		0.101	0.186		0.102	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Lead 214	1.63		0.148	0.225		0.104	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Potassium 40	18.5		1.42	2.37		0.324	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Protactinium 231	0.545	U	0.437	0.441		1.54	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Radium 226	1.61		0.174	0.242	1.00	0.109	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Thorium 232	1.36		0.183	0.230		0.131	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Thorium 234	2.68		0.531	0.600		1.26	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Uranium 235	0.442		0.172	0.178		0.284	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Americium 241	0.00172	U	0.0955	0.0955		0.161	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
Protactinium 234m	8.03		4.74	4.81		7.02	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	1
			Count	Total						
Other Detected			Uncert.	Uncert.						
Radionuclides	Result	Qualifier	(2σ+/-)	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Pb-210	1.78		0.872	0.896		1.08	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:30	

0.0849

0.0518 pCi/g

02/23/15 15:07

03/16/15 13:30

3/19/2015

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Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Project/Site: HDP

TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

### Method: GA-01-R - Radium-226 & Other Gamma Emitters (GS)

Lab Sample ID: MB 160-175826/1-A

Matrix: Solid

Analysis Batch: 179434

Client Sample ID: Method Blank Prep Type: Total/NA

**Prep Batch: 175826** 

-			Count	Total					-	
	MB	MB	Uncert.	Uncert.						
Analyte	Result	Qualifier	(2σ+/-)	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Actinium 228	0.01161	U	0.0180	0.0180		0.0545	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Bismuth 212	0.0000	U	0.0958	0.0958		0.257	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Bismuth 214	0.006926	U	0.00801	0.00805		0.0383	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Lead 212	0.01227	U	0.0120	0.0121		0.0196	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Lead 214	-0.01397	U	0.559	0.559		0.0366	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Potassium 40	-0.07816	U	3.13	3.13		0.328	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Protactinium 231	0.05209	U	0.154	0.154		0.275	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Radium 226	0.006926	U	0.00801	0.00805	1.00	0.0383	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Thorium 232	0.01161	U	0.0180	0.0180		0.0545	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Thorium 234	-0.05951	U	0.301	0.301		0.261	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Uranium 235	0.01312	U	0.0347	0.0347		0.0604	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Americium 241	0.004197	U	0.0131	0.0131		0.0229	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
Protactinium 234m	0.0000	U	0.341	0.341		0.888	pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1
			Count	Total						
Other Detected	MB	MB	Uncert.	Uncert.						
Radionuclides	Result	Qualifier	(2σ+/-)	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Other Detected	None						pCi/g	02/23/15 15:07	03/16/15 13:28	1

Lab Sample ID: LCS 160-175826/2-A

**Matrix: Solid** 

Radionuclide

Analysis Batch: 179436

**Client Sample ID: Lab Control Sample** 

Prep Type: Total/NA

**Prep Batch: 175826** 

				Total						
	Spike	LCS	LCS	Uncert.					%Rec.	
Analyte	Added	Result	Qual	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	%Rec	Limits	
Americium 241	101	102.9		10.7		0.479	pCi/g	102	87 - 116	 
Cesium 137	34.9	35.32		3.70		0.170	pCi/g	101	87 - 120	
Cobalt 60	36.4	36.35		3.67		0.109	pCi/g	100	87 _ 115	

Lab Sample ID: 160-10553-1 DU

**Matrix: Solid** 

Analysis Batch: 179436

Client Sample ID: L10-03-13-B-E-B-00

Prep Type: Total/NA

**Prep Batch: 175826** 

Analysis Daten	. 175466				Total				r rep batch. r	7 3020
	Sample	Sample	DU	DU	Uncert.					RER
Analyte	Result	Qual	Result	Qual	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	RER	Limit
Actinium 228	1.36		1.373		0.238		0.157	pCi/g	0.02	1
Bismuth 212	1.42		1.391		0.463		0.559	pCi/g	0.03	1
Bismuth 214	1.61		1.608		0.222		0.0912	pCi/g	0.01	1
Lead 212	1.21		1.403		0.204		0.0731	pCi/g	0.51	1
Lead 214	1.63		1.815		0.226		0.100	pCi/g	0.41	1
Potassium 40	18.5		20.45		2.50		0.268	pCi/g	0.40	1
Protactinium 231	0.545	U	-0.7694	U	0.957		1.57	pCi/g	0.94	1
Radium 226	1.61		1.608		0.222	1.00	0.0912	pCi/g	0.01	1
Thorium 232	1.36		1.373		0.238		0.157	pCi/g	0.02	1
Thorium 234	2.68		4.046		0.820		0.975	pCi/g	0.97	1
Uranium 235	0.442		0.6269		0.244		0.273	pCi/g	0.44	1
Americium 241	0.00172	U	0.08658	U	0.0721		0.116	pCi/g	0.51	1

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## **QC Sample Results**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Sample Sample

Result Qual

Method: GA-01-R - Radium-226 & Other Gamma Emitters (GS) (Continued)

Project/Site: HDP

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TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

Lab Sample ID: 160-10553-1 DU Client Sample ID: L10-03-13-B-E-B-00 Matrix: Solid **Prep Type: Total/NA** Analysis Batch: 179436

Uncert.

(2σ+/-)

RL

**Prep Batch: 175826** Total

MDC Unit

Protactinium	8.03		8.868		3.57		3.00	pCi/g	0.1	1
234m										
					Total					
Other Detected	Sample	Sample	DU	DU	Uncert.					RER
Radionuclides	Result	Qual	Result	Qual	(2σ+/-)	RL	MDC	Unit	RER	Limit
Pb-210	1.78		1.880		0.866		1.05	pCi/g	0.05	1
TI-208	0.458		0.4205		0.0764		0.0492	pCi/g	0.24	1

DU DU

Result Qual

RER

Limit

RER

# **QC Association Summary**

Client: Perma-Fix Environmental Services Inc.

Project/Site: HDP

TestAmerica Job ID: 160-10553-2

### Rad

## Leach Batch: 174830

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
160-10553-1	L10-03-13-B-E-B-00	Total/NA	Solid	Dry and Grind	
160-10553-1 DU	L10-03-13-B-E-B-00	Total/NA	Solid	Dry and Grind	

## Prep Batch: 175826

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
160-10553-1	L10-03-13-B-E-B-00	Total/NA	Solid	Fill_Geo-21	174830
160-10553-1 DU	L10-03-13-B-E-B-00	Total/NA	Solid	Fill_Geo-21	174830
LCS 160-175826/2-A	Lab Control Sample	Total/NA	Solid	Fill_Geo-21	
MB 160-175826/1-A	Method Blank	Total/NA	Solid	Fill_Geo-21	

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