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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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1.0 ACCREDITATION / REGISTRATION

INORGANIC VENTURES is accredited to ISO Guide 34, "General Requirements for the Competence of Reference Material Producers" and ISO/IEC 17025, "General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories". Inorganic Ventures is also an ISO 9001 registered manufacturer (SAI Global File Number 010105).

2.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Product Code: Single Analyte Atomic Absorption Solution

Catalog Number: AAW1

Lot Number: J2-W02014R

Matrix: 0.2% (v/v) HNO3

2% (v/v) HF

Value / Analyte(s): 1 000 μg/mL ea:

W

3.0 CERTIFIED VALUES AND UNCERTAINTIES

Certified Value: $1000 \pm 10 \mu g/mL$

Certified Density: 1.010 g/mL (measured at 20 \pm 1 °C)

4.0 TRACEABILITY TO NIST

The concentration of this solution standard has been verified by Inductively Coupled Plasma Spectroscopy (ICP) and is traceable to NIST SRM 3163

4.1 Thermometer Calibration

- All thermometers are NIST traceable through thermometers that are calibrated by an accredited calibration laboratory.

4.2 Balance Calibration

- All analytical balances are calibrated by an accredited calibration laboratory and procedure. The weights used for testing are annually compared to master weights and are traceable to NIST.

4.3 Glassware Calibration

- An in-house procedure is used to calibrate all Class A glassware used in the manufacturing and quality control of CRM/RMs.

5.0 TRACE METALLIC IMPURITIES (TMI) DETERMINED BY ICP-MS AND ICP-OES (µg/mL)

N/A

6.0 INTENDED USE

- For the calibration of analytical instruments and validation of analytical methods as appropriate.

7.0 INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CORRECT USE OF THIS REFERENCE MATERIAL

7.1 Storage and Handling Recommendations

- Keep cap tightly sealed when not in use. Store and use at $20 \pm 4^{\circ}$ C. Do not pipette from the container. Do not return removed aliquots to container.

Atomic Weight; Valence; Coordination Number; Chemical Form in Solution - 183.85 +6 6,7,8,9 WOF5-2(chemical form as received)

Chemical Compatibility -W is very readily hydrolyzed requiring 0.1 to 1% HF solutions for stabile acidic solutions. The [WOF5]-2 is soluble in % levels of HCl and HNO3 provided it is in the [WOF5]-2 form. Stable at ppm levels with some metals provided it is fluorinated. <U>Do not mix with Alkaline or Rare Earths</U>. W is best to be mixed only with other fluorinated metals (Ti, Zr, Hf, Nb, Ta, Mo, Si, Sn, Ge). Look for yellow WO3 precipitate if mixed with other transitions at higher levels indicating instability. The yellow WO3 will form over a period of weeks even in trace HF, therefore, <U>HF levels of W multi-element blends should be ∼ 1%</U>.

Stability - 2-100 ppb levels stable (alone or mixed with all other metals that are at comparable levels) as the [WOF5]-2 for months in 1% HNO3 / LDPE container. 1-10,000 ppm single element solutions as the [WOF5]-2 chemically stable for years in 1% HF in a LDPE container.

W Containing Samples (Preparation and Solution) -Metal (Soluble in HF / HNO3); Oxide (soluble in HF or NH4OH); Organic Matrices (dry ash at 450 0C in Pt0 and dissolve oxide with HF).

Atomic Spectroscopic Information (ICP-OES D.L.s are given as radial/axial view):

| Technique/Line | Estimated D.L. | Order | Interferences (underlined indicates severe) |
|--------------------|------------------|-------|---|
| ICP-MS 182 amu | 5 ppt | N/A | 166Er16O |
| ICP-OES 207.911 nm | 0.03/0.001 μg/mL | 1 | Ru, In |
| ICP-OES 209.475 nm | 0.05/0.008 μg/mL | 1 | Мо |
| ICP-OES 224.875 nm | 0.05/0.005 μg/mL | 1 | Co, Rh, Ag |

HF Note: This standard should not be prepared or stored in glass.

8.0 HAZARDOUS INFORMATION

- Please refer to the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding this CRM/RM.

9.0 HOMOGENEITY

- This solution was mixed according to an in-house procedure and is guaranteed to be homogeneous. Homogeneity data indicate that the end user should take a minimum sample size of 0.2 mL to assure homogeneity.

10.0 QUALITY STANDARD DOCUMENTATION

10.1 10CFR50 Appendix B - Nuclear Regulatory Commission

- Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities

10.2 10CFR21 - Nuclear Regulatory Commission

- Reporting defects and Non-Compliance

10.3 ISO 9001 Quality Management System Registration

- SAI Global File Number 010105

11.0 CERTIFICATION, EXPIRATION AND PERIOD OF VALIDITY

11.1 Certification Issue Date

September 08, 2015

11.2 Expiration Date

11.3 Period of Validity

- The certification is valid within the measurement uncertainty specified provided the CRM/RM is handled and stored in accordance with instructions given in Sec 7.0 and used prior to the date given in Sec 11.2. This certification is nullified if the CRM/RM is damaged, contaminated, or otherwise modified.

12.0 NAMES AND SIGNATURES OF CERTIFYING OFFICERS

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