

Water Sample Results - General Chemistry and Metals

Parameter	Units	Canadian Drinking Water Guideline	Detection Limit	Sheet Harbour (056)
				05-Dec-08
General Chemistry				
Total Alkalinity (Total as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	5	96
Chloride (Cl)	mg/L	250 AO	1	7
Colour	TCU	15 AO	5	ND
Hardness (CaCO ₃)	mg/L	500 AO	-	81
Nitrate + Nitrite	mg/L	10	0.05	ND
Nitrite (N)	mg/L	1	0.01	ND
Nitrate (N)	mg/L	10	0.05	ND
Nitrogen (Ammonia Nitrogen)	mg/L	-	0.05	ND
Total Organic Carbon (C)	mg/L	-	0.5	0.6
Orthophosphate (P)	mg/L	-	0.01	ND
pH	pH	6.5 - 8.5 AO	-	7.99
Reactive Silica (SiO ₂)	mg/L	-	0.5	11
Sulphate (SO ₄)	mg/L	500 AO	2	4
Turbidity	NTU	5 AO	0.1	0.3
Conductivity	uS/cm	-	-	220
Anion Sum	me/L	-	-	2.19
Bicarb. Alkalinity (calc. as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	1	95
Calculated TDS	mg/L	-	1	121
Carb. Alkalinity (calc. as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	1	ND
Cation Sum	me/L	-	-	2.07
Ion Balance (% Difference)	%	-	-	2.82
Langelier Index (@ 20C)	N/A	-	-	0.053
Langelier Index (@ 4C)	N/A	-	-	-0.198
Saturation pH (@ 20C)	N/A	-	-	7.94
Saturation pH (@ 4C)	N/A	-	-	8.19
Calcium (Ca)	mg/L	-	0.1	27
Magnesium (Mg)	mg/L	-	0.1	2.9
Phosphorus (P)	mg/L	-	0.1	ND
Potassium (K)	mg/L	-	0.1	1.9
Sodium (Na)	mg/L	200 AO	0.1	9.5
Bromide (Br)	mg/L	-	0.5	ND
Fluoride (F)	mg/L	1.5	0.1	0.1
Metals				
Aluminum (Al)	ug/L	-	10	ND
Antimony (Sb)	ug/L	6	2	ND
Arsenic (As)	ug/L	10	2	10
Barium (Ba)	ug/L	1000	5	7
Beryllium (Be)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Bismuth (Bi)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Boron (B)	ug/L	5000	5	18
Cadmium (Cd)	ug/L	5	0.3	ND
Chromium (Cr)	ug/L	50	2	ND
Cobalt (Co)	ug/L	-	1	ND
Copper (Cu)	ug/L	1000 AO	2	ND
Iron (Fe)	ug/L	300 AO	50	77
Lead (Pb)	ug/L	10	0.5	ND
Manganese (Mn)	ug/L	50 AO	2	160
Molybdenum (Mo)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Mercury (Hg)	ug/L	1	0.01	ND
Nickel (Ni)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Selenium (Se)	ug/L	10	2	ND
Silver (Ag)	ug/L	-	0.5	ND
Strontium (Sr)	ug/L	-	5	170
Thallium (Tl)	ug/L	-	0.1	ND
Tin (Sn)	ug/L	-	2	2
Titanium (Ti)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Uranium (U)	ug/L	20	0.1	1
Vanadium (V)	ug/L	-	2	ND
Zinc (Zn)	ug/L	5000 AO	5	ND

Notes:

AO = Aesthetic Objective.

ND = not detected

ND() = not detected at the elevated detection limit shown in brackets ()

All guidelines are health-based MACs or IMACs, unless otherwise indicated.

Shaded values exceed guidelines.