

DECLARATION OF QUALITY METRANAL® 31

Quality Control Material (QCM)

Light sandy soil, normal analyte levels **Matrix:**

Powdered material, grain size < 100 μm

The material is primarily designed for internal and external quality control purposes in the determination of total element contents and contents of element fraction extractable by the below described conventional procedures in soils and materials of similar matrix (quality control charts, interlaboratory comparisons, estimation of bias etc.) but not for ensuring traceability of measurements and calibration purposes.

	Total element content	Extract by aqua regia*
Element	(μg/g, dry weight)**	(μg/g, dry weight) **
	Mean ± Unc.***	Mean ± Unc. ***
As	12.3	$\textbf{10.4} \pm \textbf{1.0}$
Ва	970	108
Be	3.32 ± 0.26	1.02 ± 0.10
Cd	0.32 ± 0.05	0.29 ± 0.04
Co	9.66 ± 0.61	$\textbf{9.15} \pm \textbf{0.47}$
Cr	89.6 ± 4.2	71.9 ± 5.9
Cu	30.8 ± 0.9	28.9 ± 0.8
Hg	0.087 ± 0.006	0.085
Mn	540 ± 20	479 ± 18
Ni	31.9 ± 1.6	31.8 ± 1.2
Pb	43.8 ± 3.7	24.1 ± 1.7
V	58.7 ± 6.3	52.0 ± 3.4
Zn	120 ± 7	108 ± 3.5

Matrix composition (% of the oxides, dry weight)		
Oxide	%	
SiO_2	65.06	
Al_2O_3	15.41	
CaO	1.50	
MgO	1.27	
Fe ₂ O ₃	4.73	
K ₂ O	3.16	
Na ₂ O	2.35	
P_2O_5	0.34	
TiO ₂	0.52	
Loss on ignition at 900 °C	5.10	

The property values were assigned in 5 – 25 experienced accredited laboratories (ISO 17025) by using validated analytical methods.

The sample is stabilized by radiation (25 kGy).

RM is valid until expiry date indicated in the certificate, provided the RM is properly stored in the original closed bottle and professionally handled. This Certificate of Analysis is nullified if the RM is damaged, contaminated, or otherwise modified.



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Aqua regia extractable content according to ISO 11466 (1995)

Dry weight at 105 °C

The half-width of a 95% confidence interval



Analytika[®], spol. s r.o. will monitor this RM over the period of its validity. If substantive changes of reference values occur, Analytika[®], spol. s r.o. will notify the purchaser.

Packing: 80 g in an amber HDPE bottle

Batch No.: 004

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