



30 June 2016

Nathan Wood  
Hamcon Civil Pty Ltd  
PO Box 2356  
Orange NSW 2800

Our ref: L8072.3

Dear Nathan,

**Water analysis - Bald Hill Quarry**

Discharge water from the monitoring point of the Final Sediment Basin Overflow was collected on 22 June 2016 by Nathan Wood (sample ID BH1407). The total rainfall collected in the preceding 5 days prior to sampling was 131.4mm.

The water was analysed for oil and grease, pH and total suspended solids at the NATA accredited laboratory of ALS Environmental Smithfield. Concentration limits are listed in the EPA licence and Table 1 however they do not apply when rainfall exceeds a total of 44mm over a 5 day period.

Results for the analysis are listed in Table1.

Table 1. Results of discharge water analysis.

Pollutant	Units	BH1407	Licence concentration limit*
Oil and grease	mg/L	<5	10
pH	pH	7.65	6.5-8.5
Total suspended solids	mg/L	44	50

\*does not apply when rainfall exceeds a total of 44mm over a 5 day period

Regards,

Greg Madafiglio CPSS  
Senior Environmental Scientist

**Attachments**

Appendix 1. ALS Laboratory report ES1613767

## CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

**Work Order** : **ES1613767**  
**Client** : **ENVIROWEST CONSULTING**  
**Contact** : **MS LEAH DESBOROUGH**  
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**Project** : **8072.2**  
**Order number** : **8072.2**  
**C-O-C number** : **8072.2**  
**Sampler** : **----**  
**Site** : **8072.2**  
**Quote number** : **----**  
**No. of samples received** : **1**  
**No. of samples analysed** : **1**

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**Laboratory** : Environmental Division Sydney  
**Contact** :  
**Address** : 277-289 Woodpark Road Smithfield NSW Australia 2164  
**Telephone** : +61-2-8784 8555  
**Date Samples Received** : 24-Jun-2016 09:20  
**Date Analysis Commenced** : 24-Jun-2016  
**Issue Date** : 30-Jun-2016 10:25



This report supersedes any previous report(s) with this reference. Results apply to the sample(s) as submitted.

This Certificate of Analysis contains the following information:

- General Comments
- Analytical Results

**Additional information pertinent to this report will be found in the following separate attachments: Quality Control Report, QA/QC Compliance Assessment to assist with Quality Review and Sample Receipt Notification.**

### Signatories

This document has been electronically signed by the authorized signatories below. Electronic signing is carried out in compliance with procedures specified in 21 CFR Part 11.

<i>Signatories</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Accreditation Category</i>
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Where moisture determination has been performed, results are reported on a dry weight basis.

Where a reported less than (<) result is higher than the LOR, this may be due to primary sample extract/digestate dilution and/or insufficient sample for analysis.

Where the LOR of a reported result differs from standard LOR, this may be due to high moisture content, insufficient sample (reduced weight employed) or matrix interference.

When sampling time information is not provided by the client, sampling dates are shown without a time component. In these instances, the time component has been assumed by the laboratory for processing purposes.

Where a result is required to meet compliance limits the associated uncertainty must be considered. Refer to the ALS Contact for details.

Key : CAS Number = CAS registry number from database maintained by Chemical Abstracts Services. The Chemical Abstracts Service is a division of the American Chemical Society.  
 LOR = Limit of reporting  
 ^ = This result is computed from individual analyte detections at or above the level of reporting  
 ø = ALS is not NATA accredited for these tests.  
 ~ = Indicates an estimated value.

## Analytical Results

Sub-Matrix: WATER (Matrix: WATER)		Client sample ID			BH2206	----	----	----	----
		Client sampling date / time			[22-Jun-2016]	----	----	----	----
Compound	CAS Number	LOR	Unit	ES1613767-001	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
				Result	----	----	----	----	----
<b>EA005P: pH by PC Titrator</b>									
pH Value	----	0.01	pH Unit	7.65	----	----	----	----	----
<b>EA025: Total Suspended Solids dried at 104 ± 2°C</b>									
Suspended Solids (SS)	----	5	mg/L	44	----	----	----	----	----
<b>EP020: Oil and Grease (O&amp;G)</b>									
Oil & Grease	----	5	mg/L	<5	----	----	----	----	----

## QUALITY CONTROL REPORT

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Telephone	: +61 63614954	Telephone	: +61-2-8784 8555
Project	: 8072.2	Date Samples Received	: 24-Jun-2016
Order number	: 8072.2	Date Analysis Commenced	: 24-Jun-2016
C-O-C number	: 8072.2	Issue Date	: 30-Jun-2016
Sampler	: ----		
Site	: 8072.2		
Quote number	: ----		
No. of samples received	: 1		
No. of samples analysed	: 1		



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This Quality Control Report contains the following information:

- Laboratory Duplicate (DUP) Report; Relative Percentage Difference (RPD) and Acceptance Limits
- Method Blank (MB) and Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) Report; Recovery and Acceptance Limits
- Matrix Spike (MS) Report; Recovery and Acceptance Limits

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- Key :
- Anonymous = Refers to samples which are not specifically part of this work order but formed part of the QC process lot
  - CAS Number = CAS registry number from database maintained by Chemical Abstracts Services. The Chemical Abstracts Service is a division of the American Chemical Society.
  - LOR = Limit of reporting
  - RPD = Relative Percentage Difference
  - # = Indicates failed QC

### Laboratory Duplicate (DUP) Report

The quality control term Laboratory Duplicate refers to a randomly selected intralaboratory split. Laboratory duplicates provide information regarding method precision and sample heterogeneity. The permitted ranges for the Relative Percent Deviation (RPD) of Laboratory Duplicates are specified in ALS Method QWI-EN/38 and are dependent on the magnitude of results in comparison to the level of reporting: Result < 10 times LOR: No Limit; Result between 10 and 20 times LOR: 0% - 50%; Result > 20 times LOR: 0% - 20%.

Sub-Matrix: **WATER**

				Laboratory Duplicate (DUP) Report					
Laboratory sample ID	Client sample ID	Method: Compound	CAS Number	LOR	Unit	Original Result	Duplicate Result	RPD (%)	Recovery Limits (%)
<b>EA005P: pH by PC Titrator (QC Lot: 498029)</b>									
ES1613766-011	Anonymous	EA005-P: pH Value	----	0.01	pH Unit	7.17	7.22	0.695	0% - 20%
EW1602377-011	Anonymous	EA005-P: pH Value	----	0.01	pH Unit	7.32	7.47	2.03	0% - 20%
<b>EA025: Total Suspended Solids dried at 104 ± 2°C (QC Lot: 501042)</b>									
ES1613763-011	Anonymous	EA025H: Suspended Solids (SS)	----	5	mg/L	24	31	24.2	No Limit
ES1613842-009	Anonymous	EA025H: Suspended Solids (SS)	----	5	mg/L	146	136	7.10	0% - 20%



### Method Blank (MB) and Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) Report

The quality control term Method / Laboratory Blank refers to an analyte free matrix to which all reagents are added in the same volumes or proportions as used in standard sample preparation. The purpose of this QC parameter is to monitor potential laboratory contamination. The quality control term Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) refers to a certified reference material, or a known interference free matrix spiked with target analytes. The purpose of this QC parameter is to monitor method precision and accuracy independent of sample matrix. Dynamic Recovery Limits are based on statistical evaluation of processed LCS.

Sub-Matrix: **WATER**

Method: Compound	CAS Number	LOR	Unit	Method Blank (MB) Report	Laboratory Control Spike (LCS) Report				
				Result	Spike Concentration	Spike Recovery (%)		Recovery Limits (%)	
						LCS	Low	High	
<b>EA025: Total Suspended Solids dried at 104 ± 2°C (QCLot: 501042)</b>									
EA025H: Suspended Solids (SS)	----	5	mg/L	<5	150 mg/L	115	83	129	
				<5	1000 mg/L	109	82	110	
<b>EP020: Oil and Grease (O&amp;G) (QCLot: 502384)</b>									
EP020: Oil & Grease	----	5	mg/L	<5	5000 mg/L	99.1	81	121	

### Matrix Spike (MS) Report

The quality control term Matrix Spike (MS) refers to an intralaboratory split sample spiked with a representative set of target analytes. The purpose of this QC parameter is to monitor potential matrix effects on analyte recoveries. Static Recovery Limits as per laboratory Data Quality Objectives (DQOs). Ideal recovery ranges stated may be waived in the event of sample matrix interference.

- **No Matrix Spike (MS) or Matrix Spike Duplicate (MSD) Results are required to be reported.**

## QA/QC Compliance Assessment to assist with Quality Review

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Sampler	: ----	No. of samples received	: 1
Order number	: 8072.2	No. of samples analysed	: 1

This report is automatically generated by the ALS LIMS through interpretation of the ALS Quality Control Report and several Quality Assurance parameters measured by ALS. This automated reporting highlights any non-conformances, facilitates faster and more accurate data validation and is designed to assist internal expert and external Auditor review. Many components of this report contribute to the overall DQO assessment and reporting for guideline compliance.

Brief method summaries and references are also provided to assist in traceability.

### Summary of Outliers

#### Outliers : Quality Control Samples

This report highlights outliers flagged in the Quality Control (QC) Report.

- **NO** Method Blank value outliers occur.
- **NO** Duplicate outliers occur.
- **NO** Laboratory Control outliers occur.
- **NO** Matrix Spike outliers occur.
- For all regular sample matrices, **NO** surrogate recovery outliers occur.

#### Outliers : Analysis Holding Time Compliance

- Analysis Holding Time Outliers exist - please see following pages for full details.

#### Outliers : Frequency of Quality Control Samples

- **NO** Quality Control Sample Frequency Outliers exist.



### Outliers : Analysis Holding Time Compliance

Matrix: **WATER**

Method Container / Client Sample ID(s)	Extraction / Preparation			Analysis		
	Date extracted	Due for extraction	Days overdue	Date analysed	Due for analysis	Days overdue
<b>EA005P: pH by PC Titrator</b>						
<b>Clear Plastic Bottle - Natural</b> BH2206	----	----	----	24-Jun-2016	22-Jun-2016	<b>2</b>

### Analysis Holding Time Compliance

If samples are identified below as having been analysed or extracted outside of recommended holding times, this should be taken into consideration when interpreting results.

This report summarizes extraction / preparation and analysis times and compares each with ALS recommended holding times (referencing USEPA SW 846, APHA, AS and NEPM) based on the sample container provided. Dates reported represent first date of extraction or analysis and preclude subsequent dilutions and reruns. A listing of breaches (if any) is provided herein.

Holding time for leachate methods (e.g. TCLP) vary according to the analytes reported. Assessment compares the leach date with the shortest analyte holding time for the equivalent soil method. These are: organics 14 days, mercury 28 days & other metals 180 days. A recorded breach does not guarantee a breach for all non-volatile parameters.

Holding times for VOC in soils vary according to analytes of interest. Vinyl Chloride and Styrene holding time is 7 days; others 14 days. A recorded breach does not guarantee a breach for all VOC analytes and should be verified in case the reported breach is a false positive or Vinyl Chloride and Styrene are not key analytes of interest/concern.

Matrix: **WATER**

Evaluation: ✘ = Holding time breach ; ✔ = Within holding time.

Method Container / Client Sample ID(s)	Sample Date	Extraction / Preparation			Analysis		
		Date extracted	Due for extraction	Evaluation	Date analysed	Due for analysis	Evaluation
<b>EA005P: pH by PC Titrator</b>							
<b>Clear Plastic Bottle - Natural (EA005-P)</b> BH2206	22-Jun-2016	----	----	----	24-Jun-2016	22-Jun-2016	✘
<b>EA025: Total Suspended Solids dried at 104 ± 2°C</b>							
<b>Clear Plastic Bottle - Natural (EA025H)</b> BH2206	22-Jun-2016	----	----	----	29-Jun-2016	29-Jun-2016	✔
<b>EP020: Oil and Grease (O&amp;G)</b>							
<b>Amber Jar - Sulfuric Acid or Sodium Bisulfate (EP020)</b> BH2206	22-Jun-2016	----	----	----	29-Jun-2016	20-Jul-2016	✔





## Quality Control Parameter Frequency Compliance

The following report summarises the frequency of laboratory QC samples analysed within the analytical lot(s) in which the submitted sample(s) was(were) processed. Actual rate should be greater than or equal to the expected rate. A listing of breaches is provided in the Summary of Outliers.

Matrix: **WATER** Evaluation: ✖ = Quality Control frequency not within specification ; ✔ = Quality Control frequency within specification.

Quality Control Sample Type	Method	Count		Rate (%)			Quality Control Specification
		QC	Regular	Actual	Expected	Evaluation	
<b>Analytical Methods</b>							
<b>Laboratory Duplicates (DUP)</b>							
pH by PC Titrator	EA005-P	2	20	10.00	10.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard
Suspended Solids (High Level)	EA025H	2	19	10.53	10.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard
<b>Laboratory Control Samples (LCS)</b>							
Oil and Grease	EP020	1	20	5.00	5.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard
Suspended Solids (High Level)	EA025H	2	19	10.53	10.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard
<b>Method Blanks (MB)</b>							
Oil and Grease	EP020	1	20	5.00	5.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard
Suspended Solids (High Level)	EA025H	1	19	5.26	5.00	✔	NEPM 2013 B3 & ALS QC Standard



## Brief Method Summaries

The analytical procedures used by the Environmental Division have been developed from established internationally recognized procedures such as those published by the US EPA, APHA, AS and NEPM. In house developed procedures are employed in the absence of documented standards or by client request. The following report provides brief descriptions of the analytical procedures employed for results reported in the Certificate of Analysis. Sources from which ALS methods have been developed are provided within the Method Descriptions.

Analytical Methods	Method	Matrix	Method Descriptions
pH by PC Titrator	EA005-P	WATER	In house: Referenced to APHA 4500 H+ B. This procedure determines pH of water samples by automated ISE. This method is compliant with NEPM (2013) Schedule B(3)
Suspended Solids (High Level)	EA025H	WATER	In house: Referenced to APHA 2540D. A gravimetric procedure employed to determine the amount of 'non-filterable' residue in a aqueous sample. The prescribed GFC (1.2um) filter is rinsed with deionised water, oven dried and weighed prior to analysis. A well-mixed sample is filtered through a glass fibre filter (1.2um). The residue on the filter paper is dried at 104+/-2C . This method is compliant with NEPM (2013) Schedule B(3)
Oil and Grease	EP020	WATER	In house: Referenced to APHA 5520 B. Oil & grease is a gravimetric procedure to determine the amount of oil & grease residue in an aqueous sample. The sample is serially extracted three times n-hexane. The resultant extracts are combined, dehydrated and concentrated prior to gravimetric determination. This method is compliant with NEPM (2013) Schedule B(3)