

AFPC Rock Check Program

Sample No. 2023-01

	Method #	# of Anal.	Grand Median	Std Dev
Moisture				
Ground Sample AFPC IX.2.A	101	23	1.07	0.165
Other (describe)	102			
Method Group 100		23	1.07	0.16
P₂O₅				
Gravimetric AFPC IX.3.B	201	4	32.84	0.141
ICP-induced coupled plasma AFPC IX.3.D	202	4	33.00	0.359
AOAC 962.02-15th	203	2	33.03	0.017
Photometric-AFPC IX.3.C	204	22	33.01	0.063
Automated -AOAC 978.01-15th	205	2	32.92	0.123
Method Group 200		34	33.00	0.10
P₂O₅ (on Dry Basis)				
Gravimetric AFPC IX.3.B	211	3	33.09	0.097
ICP-induced coupled plasma AFPC IX.3.D	212	4	33.32	0.367
AOAC 962.02-15th	213	2	33.39	0.019
Photometric-AFPC IX.3.C	214	13	33.37	0.050
Automated -AOAC 978.01-15th	215	1	33.03	0.000
Method Group 210		23	33.36	0.12
Fe₂O₃				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.6.B	301			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.6.C	302	23	1.09	0.034
Other(describe)	303	5	1.19	0.078
Method Group 300		28	1.09	0.07
Al₂O₃				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.7.B	401	2	1.51	0.015
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.7.C	402	23	1.44	0.063
Other(describe)	403	3	1.59	0.030
Method Group 400		28	1.45	0.08
MgO				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.8.A	501	1	0.42	0.000
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.8.B	502	24	0.36	0.008
Other(describe)	503	3	0.37	0.019
Method Group 500		28	0.36	0.01
Acid Insoluble				
Insoluble-AFPC IX.4.A	601	20	3.24	0.087
Other(describe)	602	1	3.19	0.000
Method Group 600		21	3.24	0.08
Carbon Dioxide				
Gasometric-AFPC IX.13.B	651	15	3.50	0.112
Other(describe)	652	6	4.41	0.831
Method Group 650		21	3.56	0.30
CaO				
Gravimetric sulfate-AFPC IX.12.A	701	4	47.81	0.313
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.12.D	702	19	47.81	0.227
Ceric Sulfate volumetric-AFPC IX.12.B	703			
Permanganate	704	1	47.93	0.000
EDTA Volumetric-AFPC IX.12.C	705			
Other(describe)	706	6	48.07	0.827
Method Group 700		30	47.84	0.29
CaO (on Dry Basis)				
Gravimetric sulfate-AFPC IX.12.A	711	2	47.74	0.361
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.12.D	712	12	48.28	0.121
Ceric Sulfate volumetric-AFPC IX.12.B	713			
Permanganate	714	1	48.30	0.000
EDTA Volumetric-AFPC IX.12.C	715			
Other(describe)	716	6	48.62	0.686
Method Group 710		21	48.29	0.15

	Method #	# of Anal.	Grand Median	Std Dev
Fluorine, F				
Volumetric-AFPC IX.14.A	801			
Specific Ion Electrode-AFPC IX.14.B	802	24	3.76	0.062
Other(describe)	803	3	3.83	0.144
Method Group 800		27	3.77	0.07
Arsenic, As				
Atomic Absorption	911			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.15.B	912	11	7.8	2.47
Other(describe)	913	2	8.3	0.93
Method Group 900		13	7.8	1.72
Cadmium, Cd				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.11.A	921			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.11.B	922	14	6	0.4
Other(describe)	923			
Method Group 910		14	6	0.4
Cobalt, Co				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	931			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	932	11	3	1.7
Other(describe)	933			
Method Group 920		11	3	1.7
Mercury, Hg				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	941			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	942	1	0.1	0.00
Other(describe)	943	1	79.0	0.00
Method Group 930		2	39.5	29.44
Molybdenum, Mo				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	951			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	952	10	8	0.9
Other(describe)	953			
Method Group 940		10	8	0.9
Nickel, Ni				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	961	1	7	0.0
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	962	10	9	1.3
Other(describe)	963			
Method Group 950		11	9	1.7
Lead, Pb				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	971			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	972	14	18	5.3
Other(describe)	973			
Method Group 960		14	18	5.3
Selenium, Se				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	981			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	982	1		0.0
Other(describe)	983			
Method Group 970		1	0	0.0
Zinc, Zn				
Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B	991			
ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A	992	11	68	12
Other(describe)	993	1	62	0
Method Group 980		12	65	10

101 Ground Sample AFPC IX.2.A		
Lab	%	H ₂ O
55	1.45	-2.304
Std Dev	1.23	-1.000
24	1.16	-0.546
15	1.15	-0.515
15	1.15	-0.515
26	1.13	-0.394
21	1.12	-0.333
26	1.12	-0.333
49	1.11	-0.273
21	1.09	-0.152
9	1.09	-0.121
24	1.09	-0.121
9	1.07	0.000
Median	1.07	0.000
10	1.05	0.091
10	1.03	0.212
13	0.98	0.546
16	0.95	0.673
16	0.90	0.982
Std Dev	0.90	1.000
13	0.90	1.031
77	0.84	1.364
27	0.78	1.728
77	0.64	2.607
113	0.54	3.183
270	0.49	3.486

102 Other (describe)		
Lab	%	H ₂ O
Median	0.00	0.000

201 Gravimetric AFPC IX.3.B		
Lab	%	P2O5
22	33.04	-1.438
Std Dev	32.98	-1.000
113	32.92	-0.550
Median	32.84	0.000
77	32.76	0.550
55	32.75	0.621

202 ICP-induced coupled plasma AFPC IX.3.D		
Lab	%	P2O5

10	33.10	-0.292
16	33.07	-0.209
Median	33.00	0.000
10	32.92	0.209
Std Dev	32.64	1.000
270	31.63	3.815

203 AOAC 962.02-15th			
Lab	%	P2O5	
9	33.05	-1.340	
Std Dev	33.04	-1.000	
Median	33.03	0.000	
Std Dev	33.01	1.000	
9	33.01	1.340	

204 Photometric-AFPC IX.3.C			
Lab	%	P2O5	
13	33.12	-1.720	
10	33.12	-1.720	
51	33.09	-1.160	
24	33.08	-1.080	
Std Dev	33.08	-1.000	
24	33.08	-1.000	
13	33.07	-0.840	
21	33.06	-0.760	
10	33.05	-0.600	
21	33.05	-0.520	
16	33.04	-0.368	
49	33.03	-0.280	
Median	33.01	0.000	
51	33.00	0.280	
15	32.99	0.360	
15	32.99	0.360	
237	32.98	0.520	
26	32.98	0.520	
26	32.98	0.520	
92	32.97	0.760	
92	32.95	1.000	
Std Dev	32.95	1.000	
78	32.85	2.600	
78	32.84	2.840	
27	32.64	5.960	

205 Automated -AOAC 978.01-15th			
Lab	%	P2O5	
22	33.08	-1.340	
Std Dev	33.04	-1.000	
Median	32.92	0.000	
Std Dev	32.79	1.000	
77	32.75	1.340	

211 Gravimetric AFPC IX.3.B			
Lab	%	P2O5	dB
55	33.23	-1.402	
Std Dev	33.19	-1.000	
113	33.09	0.000	
Median	33.09	0.000	
Std Dev	33.00	1.000	
77	32.97	1.278	

212 ICP-induced coupled plasma AFPC IX.3.D			
Lab	%	P2O5	dB
10	33.44	-0.338	
16	33.37	-0.139	
Median	33.32	0.000	
10	33.27	0.139	
Std Dev	32.95	1.000	
270	31.78	4.189	

213 AOAC 962.02-15th			
Lab	%	P2O5	dB
9	33.41	-1.340	
Std Dev	33.41	-1.000	
Median	33.39	0.000	
Std Dev	33.37	1.000	
9	33.36	1.340	

214 Photometric-AFPC IX.3.C			
Lab	%	P2O5	dB
24	33.46	-1.743	
13	33.45	-1.438	
24	33.44	-1.373	
21	33.42	-1.005	
Std Dev	33.42	-1.000	
21	33.42	-0.905	
49	33.40	-0.536	
15	33.37	0.000	

15	33.37	0.000
Median	33.37	0.000
13	33.36	0.203
26	33.36	0.335
16	33.35	0.400
26	33.35	0.402
Std Dev	33.32	1.000
27	32.90	9.489

215 Automated -AOAC 978.01-15th			
Lab	%	P2O5	dB
77	33.03	0.000	
Median	33.03	0.000	

301 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.6.B			
Lab	%	Fe2O3	
Median	0.00	0.000	

302 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.6.C			
Lab	%	Fe2O3	
15	1.35	-7.699	
78	1.25	-4.590	
15	1.24	-4.294	
78	1.18	-2.665	
Std Dev	1.12	-1.000	
13	1.12	-0.740	
13	1.12	-0.740	
10	1.11	-0.592	
49	1.11	-0.592	
51	1.11	-0.444	
9	1.10	-0.148	
9	1.09	0.000	
10	1.09	0.000	
21	1.09	0.000	
21	1.09	0.000	
Median	1.09	0.000	
270	1.09	0.000	
51	1.08	0.296	
16	1.07	0.533	
16	1.06	0.814	
Std Dev	1.06	1.000	
92	1.02	2.221	
92	1.01	2.517	
24	0.97	3.554	

237	0.95	4.146
24	0.92	5.034

303 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	Fe2O3
77	1.29	-1.340
77	1.27	-1.085
Std Dev	1.26	-1.000
22	1.19	0.000
Median	1.19	0.000
22	1.17	0.255
Std Dev	1.11	1.000
27	0.53	8.359

401 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.6.B		
Lab	%	Al2O3
22	1.53	-1.340
Std Dev	1.52	-1.000
Median	1.51	0.000
Std Dev	1.50	1.000
55	1.49	1.340

402 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.6.C		
Lab	%	Al2O3
78	1.71	-4.162
78	1.70	-4.083
51	1.58	-2.112
51	1.51	-1.088
24	1.51	-1.009
Std Dev	1.50	-1.000
92	1.50	-0.930
92	1.48	-0.536
16	1.45	-0.158
13	1.45	-0.142
13	1.45	-0.142
24	1.45	-0.063
16	1.44	0.000
Median	1.44	0.000
9	1.43	0.252
21	1.43	0.252
10	1.42	0.331
9	1.42	0.410
270	1.41	0.568
49	1.40	0.646

21	1.40	0.725
10	1.39	0.804
Std Dev	1.38	1.000
15	1.36	1.356
15	1.36	1.356
237	1.35	1.435

403 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	Al2O3
77	1.63	-1.173
Std Dev	1.62	-1.000
77	1.59	0.000
Median	1.59	0.000
Std Dev	1.56	1.000
22	1.55	1.508

501 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.8.A		
Lab	%	MgO
55	0.42	0.000
Median	0.42	0.000

502 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.8.B		
Lab	%	MgO
27	0.46	-12.507
78	0.38	-2.978
24	0.37	-1.787
49	0.37	-1.787
13	0.37	-1.191
Std Dev	0.36	-1.000
10	0.36	-0.596
21	0.36	-0.596
21	0.36	-0.596
78	0.36	-0.596
13	0.36	0.000
15	0.36	0.000
15	0.36	0.000
51	0.36	0.000
92	0.36	0.000
Median	0.36	0.000
9	0.35	0.596
9	0.35	0.596
10	0.35	0.596
24	0.35	0.596
Std Dev	0.35	1.000

51	0.35	1.191
92	0.35	1.191
16	0.34	1.846
16	0.34	1.906
270	0.32	4.169
237	0.31	5.956

503 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	MgO
77	0.37	-0.268
77	0.37	0.000
Median	0.37	0.000
Std Dev	0.35	1.000
22	0.32	2.412

601 Insoluble-AFPC IX.4.A		
Lab	%	Al
55	4.10	-9.971
22	3.47	-2.651
10	3.37	-1.556
24	3.33	-1.037
Std Dev	3.32	-1.000
26	3.31	-0.865
9	3.30	-0.749
26	3.30	-0.749
24	3.26	-0.288
16	3.25	-0.115
15	3.24	0.000
15	3.24	0.000
Median	3.24	0.000
9	3.22	0.173
21	3.22	0.231
51	3.21	0.346
16	3.20	0.461
49	3.16	0.865
51	3.16	0.865
Std Dev	3.15	1.000
10	3.13	1.210
13	2.98	2.997
13	2.92	3.689

602 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	Al
21	3.19	0.000

Median	3.19	0.000
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651 Gasometric-AFPC IX.13.B		
Lab	%	CO2
24	3.93	-3.797
24	3.91	-3.618
55	3.88	-3.350
Std Dev	3.61	-1.000
16	3.58	-0.715
9	3.56	-0.536
9	3.54	-0.357
13	3.53	-0.223
16	3.50	0.000
21	3.50	0.000
21	3.50	0.000
Median	3.50	0.000
13	3.43	0.625
77	3.41	0.804
49	3.41	0.849
Std Dev	3.39	1.000
15	3.28	1.965
15	3.28	1.965

652 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	CO2
237	5.23	-0.987
78	4.95	-0.644
78	4.89	-0.578
Median	4.41	0.000
51	3.93	0.578
51	3.78	0.758
22	3.66	0.908

701 Gravimetric sulfate-AFPC IX.12.A		
Lab	%	CaO
113	47.97	-0.488
113	47.86	-0.152
Median	47.81	0.000
22	47.77	0.152
Std Dev	47.50	1.000
55	46.58	3.960

702 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.12.I		
Lab	%	CaO

78	51.01	-14.060
78	49.37	-6.865
92	48.16	-1.518
92	48.15	-1.474
16	48.12	-1.382
Std Dev	48.04	-1.000
10	47.92	-0.484
51	47.92	-0.484
21	47.88	-0.286
16	47.83	-0.073
10	47.81	0.000
Median	47.81	0.000
13	47.80	0.066
49	47.79	0.088
51	47.78	0.154
9	47.75	0.286
13	47.69	0.528
9	47.68	0.594
21	47.66	0.660
Std Dev	47.58	1.000
270	47.32	2.156
237	46.88	4.093

703 Ceric Sulfate volumetric-AFPC IX.12.B		
Lab	%	CaO
Median	0.00	0.000

704 Permanganate		
Lab	%	CaO
27	47.93	0.000
Median	47.93	0.000

705 EDTA Volumetric-AFPC IX.12.C		
Lab	%	CaO
Median	0.00	0.000

706 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	CaO
77	49.70	-1.967
77	49.15	-1.302
Std Dev	48.90	-1.000
24	48.10	-0.033
Median	48.07	0.000
24	48.05	0.033

15	47.69	0.462
15	47.69	0.462

711 Gravimetric sulfate-AFPC IX.12.A			
Lab	%	CaO	dB
113	48.23	-1.340	
Std Dev	48.10	-1.000	
Median	47.74	0.000	
Std Dev	47.38	1.000	
55	47.26	1.340	

712 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.12.D			
Lab	%	CaO	dB
16	48.56	-2.359	
10	48.43	-1.248	
21	48.42	-1.155	
Std Dev	48.40	-1.000	
49	48.33	-0.402	
10	48.31	-0.246	
16	48.29	-0.076	
Median	48.28	0.000	
9	48.27	0.076	
13	48.27	0.102	
9	48.19	0.744	
21	48.19	0.768	
Std Dev	48.16	1.000	
13	48.12	1.303	
270	47.55	6.008	

713 Ceric Sulfate volumetric-AFPC IX.12.B			
Lab	%	CaO	dB
Median	0.00	0.000	

714 Permanganate			
Lab	%	CaO	dB
27	48.30	0.000	
Median	48.30	0.000	

715 EDTA Volumetric-AFPC IX.12.C			
Lab	%	CaO	dB
Median	0.00	0.000	

716 Other(describe)			
Lab	%	CaO	dB

77	50.12	-2.191
77	49.46	-1.234
Std Dev	49.30	-1.000
24	48.63	-0.015
Median	48.62	0.000
24	48.61	0.015
15	48.24	0.542
15	48.24	0.542

801 Volumetric-AFPC IX.14.A		
Lab	%	Fluorine, F
Median	0.00	0.000

802 Specific Ion Electrode-AFPC IX.14.B		
Lab	%	Fluorine, F
22	3.97	-3.370
27	3.89	-1.990
26	3.86	-1.584
Std Dev	3.82	-1.000
21	3.80	-0.609
16	3.79	-0.447
26	3.79	-0.447
9	3.78	-0.284
9	3.78	-0.284
24	3.78	-0.284
49	3.78	-0.203
16	3.78	-0.203
21	3.77	-0.122
Median	3.76	0.000

51	3.76	0.122
13	3.74	0.365
237	3.73	0.609
13	3.71	0.853
51	3.71	0.934
Std Dev	3.70	1.000
113	3.70	1.015
270	3.70	1.015
113	3.60	2.639
55	3.42	5.563
24	3.38	6.294
15	3.04	11.768
15	3.04	11.768

803 Other(describe)		
Lab	%	Fluorine, F
22	4.09	-1.845
Std Dev	3.97	-1.000
77	3.83	0.000
Median	3.83	0.000
77	3.71	0.835

911 Atomic Absorption-AFPC		
Lab	ppm	Arsenic, As
Median	0.0	0.000

912 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.15.I		
Lab	ppm	Arsenic, As
113	24.6	-6.753
24	10.6	-1.093
Std Dev	10.3	-1.000
24	9.3	-0.588
270	9.0	-0.467
51	8.5	-0.265
16	7.8	0.000
Median	7.8	0.000
51	7.5	0.139
16	7.2	0.247
Std Dev	5.4	1.000
237	4.4	1.378
78	3.8	1.635
78	3.4	1.817

913 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Arsenic, As
77	9.5	-1.340
Std Dev	9.2	-1.000
Median	8.3	0.000
Std Dev	7.3	1.000
77	7.0	1.340

921 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.11.A		
Lab	ppm	Cadmium, Cd
Median	0	0.000

922 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.11.I		
Lab	ppm	Cadmium, Cd
78	8	-5.956

77	8	-5.672
78	8	-5.204
Std Dev	6	-1.000
16	6	-0.255
16	6	-0.199
51	6	0.000
77	6	0.000
270	6	0.000
Median	6	0.000
55	6	0.142
113	6	0.142
Std Dev	6	1.000
51	6	1.418
24	5	3.261
24	3	8.508
237	3	8.721

923 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Cadmium, Cd
Median	0	0.000

931 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Cobalt, Co
Median	0	0.000

932 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Cobalt, Co
77	8	-2.651
78	6	-1.473
78	5	-1.178
Std Dev	5	-1.000
16	3	-0.227
16	3	-0.127
55	3	0.000
270	3	0.000
Median	3	0.000
237	2	0.333
24	1	0.942
24	1	0.972
Std Dev	1	1.000
77	1	1.178

933 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Cobalt, Co

Median	0	0.000
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941 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Mercury, Hg
Median	0.0	0.000

942 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Mercury, Hg
270	0.1	0.000
Median	0.1	0.000

943 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Mercury, Hg
24	79.0	0.000
Median	79.0	0.000

951 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Iolybdenum, Mo
Median	0	0.000

952 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Iolybdenum, Mo
77	11	-3.617
77	11	-3.617
Std Dev	9	-1.000
55	9	-0.837
78	8	-0.003
78	8	-0.003
Median	8	0.000
16	8	0.003
16	8	0.186
24	7	0.887
Std Dev	7	1.000
24	6	1.832
237	4	4.184

953 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Iolybdenum, Mo
Median	0	0.000

961 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Nickel, Ni
77	7	0.000
Median	7	0.000

962 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Nickel, Ni
77	13	-3.373
16	10	-1.027
Std Dev	10	-1.000
16	10	-0.750
55	10	-0.750
78	9	0.000
78	9	0.000
Median	9	0.000
24	8	0.112
270	8	0.750
Std Dev	7	1.000
24	7	1.387
237	2	5.240

963 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Nickel, Ni
Median	0	0.000

971 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Lead, Pb
Median	0	0.000

972 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Lead, Pb
16	21	-0.510
270	20	-0.345
51	20	-0.317
55	20	-0.317
51	19	-0.128
16	18	-0.079
113	18	-0.061
Median	18	0.000
77	18	0.061
77	17	0.156
Std Dev	13	1.000
78	12	1.035
78	12	1.082
24	11	1.271
24	9	1.621
237	4	2.625

973 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Lead, Pb
Median	0	0.000

981 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Selenium, Se
Median	0	0.000

982 ICP-inducte coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Selenium, Se
237	0	0.000
Median	0	0.000

983 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Selenium, Se
Median	0	0.000

991 Atomic Absorption-AFPC IX.16.B		
Lab	ppm	Zinc, Zn
Median	0	0.000

992 ICP-induced coupled plasma-AFPC IX.16.A		
Lab	ppm	Zinc, Zn
24	104	-3.149
24	90	-1.924
78	80	-1.074
Std Dev	79	-1.000
78	73	-0.473
77	69	-0.086
77	68	0.000
Median	68	0.000
16	62	0.458
16	62	0.489
55	60	0.644
Std Dev	56	1.000
270	51	1.418
237	37	2.616

993 Other(describe)		
Lab	ppm	Zinc, Zn
22	62	0.000
Median	62	0.000

