

Program Schedule July 2017 to June 2018

PROGRAM	DETERMINATIONS	SAMPLE DISPATCH DATE
Chemical		
Waters/215	Priority Pollutant Phenols	4 Jul-17
Waters/216	Calcium, Magnesium, Sodium, Potassium	8 Aug-17
Waters/217	Bromide, Chloride, Fluoride, Iodide	28 Aug-17
Waters/218	Total Solids, Total Suspended Solids, Total Dissolved Solids	12 Sep-17
Waters/219	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen, Total Phosphorus	3 Oct-17
Waters/220	Total Recoverable Oil and Grease	24 Oct-17
Waters/221	Sulphate, Conductivity, pH, Turbidity, Colour	13 Nov-17
Waters/222	Metals (Aluminium, Barium, Bismuth, Boron, Lithium, Manganese, Silver, Strontium)	17 Dec-17
Waters/223	Minerals (Physical parameters, anions, cations)	23 Jan-18
Waters/224	Nitrate, Ammonia, Orthophosphate	27 Feb-18
Waters/225	Hardness	19 Mar-18
Waters/226	Organophosphorus Pesticides	10 Apr-18
Waters/227	Biochemical Oxygen Demand, Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand, Chemical Oxygen Demand, Total Organic Carbon	23 Apr-18
Waters/228	Metals (Chromium, Copper, Iron, Lead, Nickel, Thallium, Zinc)	15 May-18
Waters/229	Total Cyanide, Weak Acid Dissociable Cyanide, Free Cyanide	29 May-18
Waters/230	Sulphate, Conductivity, pH, Turbidity, Colour	19 Jun-18
SeaWaters/3	Trace Elements	18 Jul-17
SeaWaters/4	To be determined	17 Apr-18

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Asbestos ID/16	Bulk sample identification	Oct-17
Asbestos/36	Slide fibre count	Mar-17
Asbestos/37	Slide fibre count	Mar-18
Asbestos in Soil/8	Sample identification in soil	Mar-17
Asbestos in Soil/9	Sample identification in soil	Mar-18
Food/41	Whole Milk Powder (Protein, Fat, Moisture, Ash, Carbohydrate, Energy)	18 Jul-17
Paint/27	Liquid Paint - Wet film thickness, Density, Application, Consistency, Hard dry, Recoating properties, Specular gloss	Mar-18
Metal Alloys/33	Ferrous	Oct-17
Metal Alloys/34	Ferrous	May-18
Soils(Chemical)/14	To be determined	Nov-17
Soils (Chemical)/15	To be determined	Apr-18
Wine/25	Total Acidity, Volatile Acidity, Actual Alcohol, Total Sulfur Dioxide, Residual Sugars, Reducing Sugars (glucose and fructose), pH, Specific Gravity	Aug-17
Coal/36	Proximate analysis + trace elements	Nov-17
Bitumen/9	Viscosity, Density, Penetration, RTFOT, Vacuum viscosity	Jan-18
Cement/9	Chemical composition, Loss on ignition, Insoluble residue, Specific surface area, Fineness, Laser granulometry	Aug-17
Geochemical/13	Iron Ore – chemical compositional analysis	Dec-17
Air & Emissions/11	Particulate Matter on filter paper	Nov-17
Air & Emissions/12	To be determined	May-18
Textiles/3	Breaking Load, Extension, Threads/Unit Length, Mass per Unit Area, Quantitative Fibre Analysis	Nov-17
PCBs in Oil/10	Aroclors 1016, 1242, 1254 & 1260	Mar-18
Biological		
Waters/60	Effluent - E. coli, Faecal & Total Coliforms, Plate, Strep.	5 Sep-17
Waters/61	Potable - <i>E. coli</i> , Faecal & Total Coliforms, Plate, Strep.	26 Feb-18

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Waters/62	Effluent - <i>E. coli</i> , Faecal & Total Coliforms, Plate, Strep.	12 Jun-18
Dialysis in Waters/3	Total viable counts	20 Feb-18
Pathogens in Food/36	Salmonella & Listeria	26 Sep-17
Pathogens in Food/37	Salmonella & Listeria	3 Apr-18
Legionella/55	Enumeration & identification	22 Aug-17
Legionella/56	Enumeration & identification	20 Feb-18
Non-Pathogens in Food/23	E. coli, Total plate count, Coliforms, Yeast, Moulds	16 Oct-17
Non-Pathogens in Food/24	E. coli, Total plate count, Coliforms, Yeast, Moulds	8 May-18
Algae/18	Enumeration & identification	Nov-17
Crypto & Giardia/40	Enumeration & identification	Oct-17
Crypto & Giardia/41	Enumeration & identification	Apr-18
Construction Materials		
Soils/23	Classification	Jan-18
Soils/24	Classification, CBR	Jun-18
Concrete/23	Compressive strength, dimensions	Mar-18
Aggregates/19	Particle size distribution, particle shape particle density, water absorption	Apr-18
Mechanical		
Hardness Testing of Metals/13	Hardness testing of metal	Dec-17
Hardness Testing of Metals/14	Hardness testing of metal	May-18
Tensile Testing of Metals/11	Tensile testing of metal	Jan-18
Fastener/1	Tensile testing of bolts	Jul-17
Impact Testing of Metals/3	Charpy impact	Oct-17
NDT		
Magnetic Particle Inspection/3	Steel pipe, plate and tee and Y	Schedule to start Jul-17

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Radiography	Steel pipe, plate and tee	Upon request
Ultrasonics/3	Steel pipe, plate and tee and Y	Upon request
Calibration		
Digital Multimeter/4	HP 34401A Digital Multimeter - DC Voltage (0.1 ~ 1000 V), AC Voltage (0.1 ~ 750 V), DC Current (0.01 ~ 3 A), AC Current (1 ~ 3 A), and Resistance (1 Ohm ~ 10 Meg Ohm)	Schedule from Jul-17
Gravimetric/5	Five or six point balance to determine inhalable/respirable dust, welding fumes and gases	Upon request
Mass/3	10mg, 1g, 10g, 200g	Upon request
Temperature/3	Digital Temperature Indicator System - 0°C to 420°C in 20°C steps	Upon request
Gauge Blocks/2	Nominal lengths - 2mm, 8mm, 20mm and 100mm	Upon request
Flow Meter/1	Flow rate between 0.5 and 65 m ³ h ⁻¹	Upon request
Measurement Audits		
Optics & Radiometry	Upon request	Various
Metrology	Upon request	Various
Acoustic & Vibration	Upon request	Various
Electrical	Upon request	Various
Heat & Temperature	Upon request	Various
Optics & Radiometry	Upon request	Various

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Additional sample sets may be ordered which includes PTA evaluation of the additional results submitted and will incur a fee of approximately 80% of the quoted participation fee.

Additional results may be submitted for PTA evaluation for each set of samples supplied per laboratory and will incur a fee of approximately 40% of the quoted participation fee.

Spare samples may be available from completed rounds and will incur a fee of approximately 80% of the quoted participation fee.

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