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Sent: Tuesday, September 1, 2020 9:28 AM
To: Lab.Receiving
Cc: Swanson, Cheryl; Rankin, Amelia
Subject: Re: BLOOM-RESP RQ Comments

Just a reminder this change is for BLOOM-RESP, not for HAB-ROUTNE.

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Kalina/Alicia/Curtis:

Cheryl and I will bring this up as an update at the beginning of today's teleconference. Its a bit off topic but would be helpful to get this to schedulers ASAP. Please distribute to necessary staff.

Please have schedulers edit the bottle groups to move the phytoplankton tests INTO bottle group B. And update the comments to the below. Make sure the RQs are tagged as **Priority 1** (some are still tagged as Priority 3).

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RQ-~~2021-~~ 2020-08-17-26

Login Checklist

Login Station ID: #2

Shipping Method: FedEx | UPS | HD | Greyhound

Date/Time of Receipt: 4/13/2021 10:00

*Cooler Temperature	Samples Frozen?	* All Samples in Cooler Preserved with		Number of Sample Containers in Cooler	Evidence Tape				Waybill Tracking #
					Present?		*Intact?		
	YES	HNO ₃	Formalin		Yes	No	Yes	No	
1.6				6		✓			9293 8011 7648

COOLER CHECK

*All samples received on ice unless otherwise noted. HNO₃ and Formalin preserved samples do NOT have a temperature requirement.

- If the temperature of a cooler exceeds 6.0 oC (above 10.0 oC for W-1-4-DIOX and microbiology) or received without ice, identify affected samples in an NCR. NCR# _____
- DOH coolers can exceed 2.0 °C above the standard temperature (6.0 or 10.0 °C for W-1-4-DIOX) without login confirmation from customer for samples requiring ice preservation; identify affected samples in an NCR. NCR# _____
- If cooler or samples are received with a damaged Evidence Seal; identify the affected samples in an NCR. NCR# _____
- If coolers or samples are received late; identify the affected samples in an NCR. NCR# _____

Chain of Custody/ Field Sheet(s) Included?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Micro-Biology Overflow Chain of Custody/ Field Sheet(s) Included?

Yes ☐ No ☒

CONTAINER CHECK

Evidence Tape on Bottles?

Yes ☐ No ☐ NA ☒Evidence Tape intact? Yes ☐ No ☐

If Criminal, photographs taken?

Yes ☒ No ☐Containers intact? Yes ☒ No ☐

Caps on tight?

Yes ☐ No ☐

Sufficient Sample Volume:

Yes ☒ No ☐If **NO** is checked above, generate an NCR listing affected sample IDs in its appropriate category. NCR# _____

CHLORINE CHECK REQUIRED? (Blue dot on container)

Yes ☐ No ☒ Init: IM

Chlorine detected? (One container checked per Field ID)

Yes ☐ No ☐ Init: _____

If chlorine is detected, generate an NCR listing affected sample IDs . NCR# _____

PRESERVATION CHECK (EXCLUDING SAMPLES SENT TO OVERFLOW LABS, "OV-")

**Acid Preserved Samples: pH < 2.0?

Yes ☒ No ☐ NA ☐ Init: IM

**W-1-4-DIOX (Green dot on container) preserved to pH < 4.0?

Yes ☐ No ☐ NA ☒ Init: IM

If samples were not preserved correctly, generate an NCR listing affected sample IDs . NCR# _____

Coolers Unpacked/Checked by: IM

Date: 4/13/2021

Event contains NCRs (Y/N)? ☒

Event ID:

Algal Bloom Response -SOROC
 WQAP-2021-04-13-01 (BLOOM-RESP)
 Date Received: 13-APR-2021 10:00

Login Checklist

Login Preservation Equipment

Lot # & Exp: Date

Infrared Thermometer ID:	IR TEMP GUN #2 exp:10/28/21
pH Test Strips 0 – 6	
pH Paper 0 – 3	
pH Paper 0 – 13	231019 exp: 11/1/22
Chlorine Test Strips	0129 exp: 03/2023

Additional Comments:

ENCORE SAMPLES

S-VOC-MS samples in Encores must be frozen within 48 hours of collection.

Were Encore samples received? Yes _____ Init: _____

Date and time placed in freezer _____

Were all samples placed in freezer within 48 hours of collection? Yes _____ No _____

If no, were samples shipped on dry ice? Yes _____ No _____

If S-VOC-MS samples were not preserved correctly, generate an NCR listing affected sample IDs . NCR# _____

FOR CLEAN LAB USE ONLY – Total Mercury Preservation Check(W-HG-AF;W-HG-AF-F):

Samples preserved within 48 hours? Yes _____ No _____

Date and time samples preserved: _____



Cyanobacteria Bloom Response Field Data Sheet (2019-12-16 v4)

Email scanned submittal forms to lab.receiving@FloridaDEP.gov

RQ - 2020-08-17-26		Collected By: Nicole Reistad, William Mullen									
Customer: SO-DIST	Field Report Prepared By: Nicole Reistad										
Project ID: ALGAL BLOOM RESP	Sampling Agency: FDEP-50ROC										
Location: Lake Okechobee - Clewistown Boat Ramp		Comments: green algae in water column and in sticks w/ concentrated sticks near the shoreline									
Field ID: SD-HAB-041221-001		Coordinates: 26°45'40.232"N, 80°55'10.782"W									
WIN ID:		Collection Equip: Pole, Bottles, Syringe									
Matrix: Fresh		High Tide Time:	Low Tide Time:								
Grab		Tide: ☐ Rising ☐ Falling ☐ Slack ☒ N/A									
Water Quality											
Date	Time ☒ EST ☐ CEN	D.O. (%)	D.O. (mg/L)	Temp (°C)	pH (SU)	Sample Depth (m)	Total Depth (m)	Secchi Disk (m)	Sp. Cond. (µmho/cm)	Salinity (PPT)	
6/12/21	1150	23.4 NR	5.83	23.4	7.70	0.3	2.2	0.2	396.5	0.19	
11	1152	67.7	5.78	23.2	7.67	1.7	-	-	394.0	0.19	
Bloom Observations											
Algal Bloom Observed? ☒ Yes ☐ No											
Water Surface	☐ Clear	☐ Scum	☐ Globs	☒ Slick							
Water Clarity	☐ Clear	☐ Slightly Turbid	☒ Turbid	☐ Opaque							
Bloom Color	☒ Green	☐ Red	☐ Brown	☐ Other: ☐ N/A							
Algae Distribution	☒ Suspended in water column	☒ On surface	☐ Other: ☐ N/A								
Water Odors	☒ Normal	☐ Sewage	☐ Petroleum	☐ Chemical	☐ Other:						
Parameter Suite	Parameter Methods			Preservation	pH Check	#Bottles Sent to Lab	Bottle Group				
Bloom ID (PT-50mL)	☒ BLOOM-ID			☒ Ice		1	NR CA				
Chlorophyll (BP-1L)	☒ CHLSUITE-W			☒ Ice		1	NR AB				
Toxins (BG-WD250)	☒ W-MCYST-AA			☒ Ice		1	B				
Preserved Nutrients (500mL HDPE)	☒ W-NH3 / W-NO2NO3 / W-TKN / W-S-A-TP			☒ Ice	☒ H2SO4	☒ <2	1	NR AB			
	Acid Lot:	SA0293040		Exp:	10/19/21		NR				
Filtered Nutrients (P125mL)	☒ W-PO4-F		☒ Field Filtered 0.45µm Filter		☒ Ice		1	NR AB			
Quantitative Algae	☒ DTY-QN-C / PKD-QN-C			☒ Ice	Lugols? Y / N		1	C			
Relinquished By:	Date/Time	Number of Coolers Shipped		Received By:		Date/Time					
W. Reistad	6/12/21 1600	1		IM		6/13/21 10:00					

Date of Request: 27-JUL-2020
 Created By: WOLFE_K On: 27-JUL-2020
 Modified By: JASROTIA_P On: 28-JUL-2020
 Customer: WQAP
 Project: BLOOM-RESP
 Division: Division of Environmental Assessment and Restoration
 District: SROC
 Event Description: Algal Bloom Response -SOROC

Send Coolers To:

Phone: 850-245-8416
 2295 Victoria AVE
 Suite 364
 Fort Myers, FL 33901
 Attn: Kirby Wolfe
 Cooler Ship Email: kirby.wolfe@dep.state.fl.us

Priority: 1
 Event Status: R
 Criminal Investigation: NO
 Chemistry Request Reviewed By: WATTS_J On: 27-JUL-2020
 Biology Request Reviewed By: JASROTIA_P On: 28-JUL-2020
 Sampling Kit Required: YES Ship on: 07-AUG-2020
 Sampling Kit Shipped: YES On: 03-AUG-2020
 Sampling Kit Packed By: REYNOLDS_T
 Preservatives Needed: NO
 Date to Receive Samples: 17-AUG-2020
 Logged In By: REYNOLDS_T On: 20-NOV-2020

Send Final Report To:

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Comments: Unless peak algal bloom season, may analyze toxin after consultation with Biology's Taxonomy Manager.

Bottle Groups A/B - separate event, priority 1
 Bottle Group C - separate event, priority 12

Bottle Group A - Priority 1
 For algal dominant taxon.

Bottle Group B - Priority 1
 For toxin testing, nutrients, and chlorophyll.

Bottle Group C - Priority 12
 For algal full ID

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Bottle Group A (Biological) With 2 Samples:

Bottle Type: PT-50ML	Number of Bottles: 2	Preserved With: ICE
BLOOM-ID	Template: DEFAULT	(SOP-AB05) Assessment of dominant algal taxa in bloom or mat sample

Bottle Group B (Water) With 2 Samples:

Bottle Type: BP-1L	Number of Bottles: 2	Preserved With: ICE
CHLSUITE-W	Template: DEFAULT	(SM 10200 H (mod.)) Phytoplankton chlorophyll-a corrected, uncorrected, and phaeophytin by spectrophotometry

Bottle Type: BG-250ML-WDMTH	Number of Bottles: 2	Preserved With: ICE
W-MCYST-AA	Template:	(EPA 8321B) Microcystins in water matrices by HPLC/MS/MS

Bottle Type: P-500ML	Number of Bottles: 2	Preserved With: ICE And H2SO4
W-NH3	Template: DEFAULT	(EPA 350.1 Rev. 2.0) Ammonia in aqueous matrices as mg N/L
W-NO2NO3	Template: DEFAULT	(EPA 353.2 Rev. 2.0) Nitrite/Nitrate in aqueous matrices as mg N/L
W-S-A-TP	Template: DEFAULT	(EPA 365.1 Rev. 2.0) Total Phosphorus in aqueous matrices as mg P/L
W-TKN	Template: DEFAULT	(EPA 351.2 Rev. 2.0) Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen in aqueous matrices

Bottle Group B (Water) With 2 Samples:

Bottle Type: P-125ML Number of Bottles: 2 Preserved With: FILTER-ICE
W-PO4-F Template: DEFAULT (EPA 365.1 Rev. 2.0) Ortho-phosphate, dissolved, in filtered, aqueous matrices as mg P/L

Bottle Group C (Water) With 2 Samples:

Bottle Type: BP-1L Number of Bottles: 2 Preserved With: Lugols
DTY-QN-C Template: DEFAULT (SOP-AB05_1) No. of diatom taxa of quantitative phytoplankton sample.
PKD-QN-C Template: DEFAULT (SOP-AB05) No. of wet taxa of quantitative phytoplankton sample.

* - The laboratory is not NELAP certified for this analyte/method, or certification is not applicable.