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Case Narrative

Unless otherwise noted, all samples included in this report were received in accordance with protocols referenced in Chapter 62-160, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). Results published in this report pertain only to the samples as submitted to, and received by the laboratory. All times in this report are adjusted to the applicable Eastern Time Zone (EST or EDT).

Results for the following analytical groups are included in this report: Chlorophyll/Grain Size/BOD, Microbiology and Molecular.

Scientific notation may be used in reporting very large or small values. Values reported using scientific notation will take the form of the following example: 1.3E+03, which is equivalent to 1.3×10^3 or 1300.

Unless otherwise noted, analytical values for soil and sediment samples are reported on a dry weight basis, and analytical values for waste and tissue samples are reported on a wet weight basis.

Results for TNI accredited tests met requirements established by The NELAC Institute. A double asterisk (**) is used to indicate an analyte/matrix/method for which the laboratory is not TNI accredited by the Florida Department of Health Environmental Laboratory Certification Program or where accreditation for that field of testing is not applicable.

Any significant anomalies or deviations from established protocols are documented in Non-Conformance Reports, which, where appropriate, are included within this analytical report. Additional comments related to specific analytical tests may be included as remarks following the analytical results for each sample. Such comments and remarks are for informational purposes only and are not intended to convey judgement about the usability of the reported data.

A quality control report on the performance of the test method for the submitted samples is included. Uncertainty associated with the analytical results contained in this report can be estimated from the reported quality assurance results and from published quality control acceptance limits for each analytical test. Matrix quality control results (matrix spike recoveries and matrix sample precision) pertain only to the matrix sample tested and do not necessarily reflect test method performance for other samples.

Typical matrix quality control (QC) measurements may include matrix spike recovery, matrix spike duplicate recovery, matrix spike precision and matrix sample precision. Not all matrix QC results may be available or reportable; where they are not an explanation is provided. Typical reasons for unavailable QC results include, but are not limited to, a) insufficient matrix sample to perform some or all QC measurements; b) analyte concentration in the sample replicated was too low for a meaningful measurement of precision and c) analyte concentration in the matrix sample spiked was too high (relative to the amount of analyte spiked) for a meaningful measurement of recovery. Where matrix QC results are unavailable, other method performance metrics (e.g., LCS recovery, LCS precision, surrogate recovery) may be used to assess performance of the method. Comments explaining any missing QC measurements are not intended to convey any adverse conclusions about the quality of the reported data.

Precision is reported as relative percent difference unless otherwise noted.

Quality Control codes as defined below may be used in this report to indicate results that are associated with one or more quality control elements which did not fall within established test method criteria. Such results may be qualified as estimates using a J qualifier as required by 62-160 F.A.C. Explanations are included in the report for any results that were reported as estimates for other reasons.

QC Codes used in this report may include:

- LCS – Recovery for the batch Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) was outside existing control limits;
- MS – Recovery for the batch matrix spike (MS) was outside existing control limits;
- CCV – Recovery for a continuing calibration verification (CCV) standard was outside existing control limits;
- SUR – Recovery of a surrogate (SUR) for associated analytes was outside existing control limits;
- RPD – The precision, measured as relative percent difference (RPD), of batch replicate measurements was outside existing control limits;
- RSD – The precision, measured as relative standard deviation (RSD), of batch replicate measurements was outside existing control limits;
- SMP – Sample - used precision derived from replicate analyses of a sample;

The following data qualifiers are used, where applicable, in this report as specified in 62-160 F.A.C.

- A - Value reported is the mean of two or more determinations.
- B - Results based on colony counts outside the acceptable range.
- I - The reported value is between the laboratory method detection limit and the laboratory practical quantitation limit.
- J - Estimated value and/or the analysis did not meet established quality control criteria.
- K - Actual value is known to be less than value given.
- L - Actual value is known to be greater than value given.
- N - Presumptive evidence of presence of material.
- O - Sampled, but analysis lost or not performed.
- Q - Sample held beyond normal holding time.
- T - Value reported is less than the criterion of detection.
- U - Material was analyzed for but not detected. The reported value is the method detection limit for the sample analyzed.
- V - Analyte was detected in both sample and method blank.
- X - Too few individuals to calculate SCI value.
- Y - The laboratory analysis was from an unpreserved or improperly preserved sample. The data may not be accurate.
- Z - Colonies were too numerous to count (TNTC).

Quality control information from overflow laboratories may not be included in this report. Please refer to the associated report from the overflow laboratory for additional information.

Sample Location: Mosquito Creek @ 70

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 08:10

Field ID: G1SE0006

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336877	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	133.4	Q	MPN/100 mL	P415937	

Sample Location: Nubbin Slough 1.4 miles upstream of 710

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 08:40

Field ID: G1SE0031

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336875	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	185.0	Q	MPN/100 mL	P415937	
2336878	SOP-PCR-1.0	HF183-qPCR**	3.3E+03	U	TSC/100 mL	P415559	
	SOP-PCR-1.4	BacR-qPCR**	1.31E+05		TSC/100 mL	P415559	
	SOP-PCR-1.5	DG3-qPCR**	2.6E+03	U	TSC/100 mL	P415559	

Sample Location: Nubbin Slough upstream of STA

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 08:50

Field ID: G1SE0004

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336874	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	191.8	Q	MPN/100 mL	P415937	

Sample Location: Lettuce Creek @ 710

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 09:15

Field ID: G1SE0015

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336871	SM 10200 H (mod.)	Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	11		ug/L	P416570	
		Phaeophytin-a	3.6	I	ug/L	P416570	
		Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected	14		ug/L	P416570	
2336876	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	248.1	Q	MPN/100 mL	P415937	
2336879	SOP-PCR-1.0	HF183-qPCR**	3.3E+03	U	TSC/100 mL	P415559	
	SOP-PCR-1.4	BacR-qPCR**	2.1E+04		TSC/100 mL	P415559	
	SOP-PCR-1.5	DG3-qPCR**	2.6E+03	U	TSC/100 mL	P415559	

Ref. Method and Comment:

SM 10200 H (mod.): Precision data is not available for at least one component due to the small amount of analyte in the QC sample. Refer to QA report for available precision data.

Sample Location: L-65 upstream of S-153

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 10:00

Field ID: G1SE0050

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336869	SM 10200 H (mod.)	Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	12		ug/L	P416570	
		Phaeophytin-a	0.90	U	ug/L	P416570	
		Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected	12		ug/L	P416570	
2336872	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	1.0	UQ	MPN/100 mL	P415937	

Ref. Method and Comment:

SM 10200 H (mod.): Precision data is not available for at least one component due to the small amount of analyte in the QC sample. Refer to QA report for available precision data.

Sample Location: S-153 Unnamed Creek @ 710

Collection Date/Time: 06/22/2022 11:00

Field ID: G4SE0137

Matrix: W-SURF-FRH

Sample ID	Ref. Method	Component	Result	Code	Units	Batch ID	QC Codes
2336870	SM 10200 H (mod.)	Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	5.0		ug/L	P416570	
		Phaeophytin-a	0.90	U	ug/L	P416570	
		Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected	5.7		ug/L	P416570	
2336873	SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	10.0	Q	MPN/100 mL	P415937	

Ref. Method and Comment:
SM 10200 H (mod.): Precision data is not available for at least one component due to the small amount of analyte in the QC sample. Refer to QA report for available precision data.

Quality Assurance Report Method Blank Results

Reference Method: SM 10200 H (mod.)
Batch ID: P416570

Component	Result	Code	Units
Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	0.89	U	ug/L
Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected	0.65	U	ug/L
Phaeophytin-a	0.98	U	ug/L

Reference Method: SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray
Batch ID: P415937

Component	Result	Code	Units
Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	1.0	U	MPN/100 mL

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.0
Batch ID: P415559

Component	Result	Code	Units
HF183-qPCR	3.3E+03	U	TSC/100 mL

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.4
Batch ID: P415559

Component	Result	Code	Units
BacR-qPCR	3.0E+03	U	TSC/100 mL

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.5
Batch ID: P415559

Component	Result	Code	Units
DG3-qPCR	2.6E+03	U	TSC/100 mL

Quality Assurance Report Laboratory Control Sample Accuracy

Reference Method: SM 10200 H (mod.)
Batch ID: P416570

Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	91.9		P	84 - 116

Quality Assurance Report Laboratory Control Sample Accuracy

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.0
Batch ID: P415559

Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
HF183-qPCR	105	75.9	P/P	50 - 175

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.4
Batch ID: P415559

Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
BacR-qPCR	106	83.9	P/P	50 - 175

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.5
Batch ID: P415559

Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
DG3-qPCR	94.4	75.9	P/P	50 - 175

Quality Assurance Report Matrix Spike Accuracy

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.0
Batch ID: P415559

Spiked Sample	Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	HF183-qPCR	91.3	92.6	P/P	50 - 175
2336412	HF183-qPCR	87.2		P	50 - 175
2336878	HF183-qPCR	93.9		P	50 - 175
2336879	HF183-qPCR	90.7		P	50 - 175
2337579	HF183-qPCR	96.7		P	50 - 175
2337628	HF183-qPCR	96.5		P	50 - 175
2337649	HF183-qPCR	104		P	50 - 175
2337666	HF183-qPCR	89.0		P	50 - 175
2337667	HF183-qPCR	87.2		P	50 - 175
2337896	HF183-qPCR	83.8		P	50 - 175
2338283	HF183-qPCR	85.8		P	50 - 175
2338285	HF183-qPCR	85.8		P	50 - 175

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.4
Batch ID: P415559

Spiked Sample	Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	BacR-qPCR	78.4	78.1	P/P	50 - 175
2336412	BacR-qPCR	66.5		P	50 - 175
2336878	BacR-qPCR	65.6		P	50 - 175
2336879	BacR-qPCR	56.8		P	50 - 175
2337628	BacR-qPCR	66.4		P	50 - 175
2337649	BacR-qPCR	76.2		P	50 - 175
2337667	BacR-qPCR	55.1		P	50 - 175
2337896	BacR-qPCR	82.9		P	50 - 175
2338283	BacR-qPCR	76.3		P	50 - 175
2338285	BacR-qPCR	81.3		P	50 - 175

Quality Assurance Report Matrix Spike Accuracy

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.5

Batch ID: P415559

Spiked Sample	Component	% Rec.1	% Rec.2	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	DG3-qPCR	85.6	84.1	P/P	50 - 175
2336412	DG3-qPCR	98.7		P	50 - 175
2336878	DG3-qPCR	81.8		P	50 - 175
2336879	DG3-qPCR	83.3		P	50 - 175
2337579	DG3-qPCR	68.2		P	50 - 175
2337628	DG3-qPCR	83.8		P	50 - 175
2337649	DG3-qPCR	87.1		P	50 - 175
2337666	DG3-qPCR	79.1		P	50 - 175
2337667	DG3-qPCR	77.9		P	50 - 175
2337896	DG3-qPCR	80.6		P	50 - 175
2338283	DG3-qPCR	75.2		P	50 - 175
2338285	DG3-qPCR	84.8		P	50 - 175

Quality Assurance Report Precision

Reference Method: SM 10200 H (mod.)

Batch ID: P416570

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2337077	Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	2.52	Sample	P	0 - 25
2337077	Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected	2.77	Sample	P	0 - 25

Reference Method: SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray

Batch ID: P415937

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336807	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	79.8	Sample	P	0 - 80
2336969	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray	34.9	Sample	P	0 - 80

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.0

Batch ID: P415559

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	HF183-qPCR	1.39	Spike	P	0 - 25

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.4

Batch ID: P415559

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	BacR-qPCR	0.355	Spike	P	0 - 25

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.5

Batch ID: P415559

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
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Quality Assurance Report Precision

Reference Method: SOP-PCR-1.5
Batch ID: P415559

Replicated Lab Sample	Component	% RSD/RPD	Sample/Spike/LCS*	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
2336411	DG3-qPCR	1.78	Spike	P	0 - 25

* Sample, spike and/or laboratory control sample precision (LCS) is reported.

Quality Assurance Report Surrogates

Lab Sample ID: 2336878
Field Sample ID: G1SE0031

Reference Method	Surrogate	% Rec.	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
SOP-PCR-1.0	SKETA-qPCR	89.7	P	50 - 300
SOP-PCR-1.4	SKETA-qPCR	87.1	P	50 - 300
SOP-PCR-1.5	SKETA-qPCR	81.8	P	50 - 300

Lab Sample ID: 2336879
Field Sample ID: G1SE0015

Reference Method	Surrogate	% Rec.	Pass/Fail	Control Limits
SOP-PCR-1.0	SKETA-qPCR	77.7	P	50 - 300
SOP-PCR-1.4	SKETA-qPCR	82.5	P	50 - 300
SOP-PCR-1.5	SKETA-qPCR	79.5	P	50 - 300

Quality Assurance Report Summary

Ref. Method	Analyte	LCS % Recovery			MS % Recovery			LCS	Precision	
									SMP	MS
SM 10200 H (mod.)	Chlorophyll-a, Corrected	91.9							2.52	
	Chlorophyll-a, Uncorrected								2.77	
SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia Coli-Quanti-Tray								79.8	34.9
SOP-PCR-1.0	HF183-qPCR	75.9	105		91.3	92.6	87.2			1.39
					93.9					
SOP-PCR-1.4	BacR-qPCR	83.9	106		78.4	78.1	66.5			0.355
					65.6					
SOP-PCR-1.5	DG3-qPCR	75.9	94.4		85.6	84.1	98.7			1.78
					81.8					

Reference Method Descriptions

Method	Description	Associated Samples
SM 10200 H (mod.)	Phytoplankton chlorophyll-a corrected, uncorrected, and phaeophytin by spectrophotometry	2336869, 2336870, 2336871
SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	Escherichia coli by Colilert 18 Quanti-Tray method - non-chlorinated water systems	2336872, 2336873, 2336874, 2336875, 2336876, 2336877
SOP-PCR-1.0	Detection and quantification of human-specific HF183 Bacteroides genetic marker with quantitative polymerase chain reaction	2336878, 2336879
SOP-PCR-1.4	Detection and quantification of Ruminant specific Bacteroidetes BacR genetic marker with quantitative polymerase chain reaction	2336878, 2336879

Reference Method Descriptions

Method	Description	<u>Associated Samples</u>
SOP-PCR-1.5	Detection and quantification of canine-specific DG3 Bacteroides genetic marker with quantitative polymerase chain reaction	2336878, 2336879

Preparation and Analysis Log

Ref. Method	Received Date	Prep Date/Time	Prepared By	Analysis Date/Time	Analyzed By	Associated Samples
SM 10200 H (mod.)	06/23/2022	06/23/2022 14:45	Tynan A Branch	06/30/2022 13:20	Jillian G Hanley	2336869, 2336870, 2336871
SM 9223 B Quanti-Tray	06/23/2022	06/23/2022 16:37	Austin Nolan	06/24/2022 10:40	Austin Nolan	2336872, 2336873, 2336874, 2336875, 2336876, 2336877
SOP-PCR-1.0	06/23/2022	06/23/2022 13:20	Claudia Castro	07/26/2022 09:08	DeAsia Armster	2336878, 2336879
SOP-PCR-1.4	06/23/2022	06/23/2022 13:20	Claudia Castro	07/27/2022 10:43	DeAsia Armster	2336878, 2336879
SOP-PCR-1.5	06/23/2022	06/23/2022 13:20	Claudia Castro	07/27/2022 15:05	Roberta Tatti	2336878, 2336879