

Microcystin, Cylindrospermopsin, & Saxitoxin Report
Project: Utah DEQ – Division of Water Quality

<u>Sample ID</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Date Collected</u>
4990880	State Canal at Rd Xing	7/26/16
4990890	Jordan R at Burnham Dam	7/26/16
4991310	Surplus at I-80	7/26/16
4992290	Jordan R 1700 S	7/26/16
4992320	Jordan R 2100 S	7/26/16
4992890	Jordan R 3900 S	7/26/16
4992970	Big Cottonwood ab Jordan	7/26/16
4993580	Little Cottonwood ab Jordon	7/26/16
4994100	Jordan R 6400 S	7/26/16
4994520	Jordan R Bangerner	7/26/16
4994720	Jordan R Narrows	7/26/16
4994790	Jordan R at Lake Outlet	7/26/16

Toxins – microcystins/nodularins (MCs), cylindrospermopsin (CYN), saxitoxin (STX),

Sample Prep

The samples were ultra-sonicated to lyse cells and release toxins. Duplicate samples were prepared for lab fortified matrices (LFMs) with CYN (1.0 µg/L) and STX (0.2 µg/L) and MC-LR (1.0 µg/L).

Analytical Methodology**MC**

The Adda (Abraxis) microcystins enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) was utilized for the quantitative and sensitive congener-independent detection of MCs. The current assay is sensitive to down to a LOD/LOQ of 0.15 µg/L for total MCs. The average recovery of a laboratory fortified blank (LFB) spiked with 1.0 µg/L MCLR was 96%.

CYN

A cylindrospermopsin ELISA (Abraxis) was utilized for the quantitative detection of CYN. The current assay is sensitive down to a LOD/LOQ limit of 0.10 µg/L for CYN. The average LFB recovery was 101%.

STX

A saxitoxin enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) was utilized for the quantitative detection of STX. The current assay is sensitive down to a LOD/LOQ limit of 0.05 µg/L STX. The average LFB recovery was 100%.

Summary of Results

<u>Sample</u>	<u>MC levels</u> (µg/L)	<u>CYN levels</u> (µg/L)	<u>STX levels</u> (µg/L)
4990880	ND	ND	ND
4990890	ND	ND	ND
4991310	ND	ND	ND
4992290	ND	ND	ND
4992320	ND	ND	ND
4992890	ND	ND	ND
4992970	ND	ND	ND
4993580	ND	ND	ND
4994100	ND	ND	ND
4994520	ND	ND	ND
4994720	ND	ND	ND
4994790	ND	ND	ND
<i>Detection Limits (µg/L)</i>	<i>0.15</i>	<i>0.10</i>	<i>0.05</i>

ND = Not detected above the detection limit

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