RESULTS OF WATER ANALYSIS

2 samples supplied by Richmond Valley Council on 20/08/2024. Lab Job No. R7853. Samples submitted by Water Results. Your Job: RVC Raw & Finished Monthly

Parameter	Methods reference	Sample 1	Sample 2
		RVC Finished 20/08/24	RVC Raw 20/08/24
	Job No.	R7853/1	R7853/2
рН	APHA 4500-H*-B	7.32	7.45
Conductivity (EC) (dS/m)	APHA 2510-B	0.309	0.240
Total Dissolved Salts (mg/L)	** Calculation using EC x 680	210	163
Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	GFC equiv. filter - APHA 2540-D	<1	25
Turbidity (NTU)	APHA 2130	0.370	44.1
True Colour (Pt-Co)	** APHA 2120	3	10
Apparent Colour (Pt-Co)	** APHA 2120	57	337
Bicarbonate (Alkalinity) (mg/L CaCO ₃ equivalent)	** Bicarbonate Alkalinity - APHA 2320	81	85
Water Hardness (mg/L CaCO ₃ equivalent)	** Using Ca and Mg calculation	81	81
Total Phosphorus (mg/L P)	In house method W4	0.011	0.197
Nitrate (mg/L N)	APHA 4500 NO ₃ '-F	0.205	0.191
Nitrite (mg/L N)	APHA 4500 NO ₂ '-I	<0.005	0.009
Total Coliforms (cfu/100 ml)	APHA 9222-B	<1	10,800
E.Coli (cfu/100 ml)	ColiBlue Membrane Filtration	<1	330
Total Plate Count (cfu/1 ml)	** Inhouse	<1	
Total Organic Carbon (mg/L)	APHA 5310-B	2.79	4.86
Dissolved Organic Carbon (mg/L)	APHA 5310-B	2.79	4.70
Aluminium (mg/L)	Total Available - APHA 3125 ICPMS note 182	0.022	0.468
Iron (mg/L)	Total Available - APHA 3125 ICPMS note 182	<0.005	1.19
Manganese (mg/L)	Total Available - APHA 3125 ICPMS*note 182	0.003	0.097
Aluminium (mg/L)	Dissolved - APHA 3125 ICPMS rote 182	0.020	0.114
Iron (mg/L)	Dissolved - APHA 3125 ICPMS ^{*note 1&2}	<0.005	0.235
Manganese (mg/L)	Dissolved - APHA 3125 ICPMS*rote 182	0.002	0.008
Calcium (mg/L)	Dissolved - APHA 3125 ICPMS*rote 182	16.5	16.0
Magnesium (mg/L)	Dissolved - APHA 3125 ICPMS*rote 182	9.62	9.87
Geosim (ng/L)	Subcontracted: ENVIROLAB report PFH1338		<1
2-Methylisoborneol (2-MIB) (ng/L)	Subcontracted: ENVIROLAB report PFH1338		<1
TRIHALOMETHANES (THM)			
Chloroform (THM) (µg/L)	Subcontracted: SGS report SE 269940	40	
Bromodichloromethane (THM) (μg/L)	Subcontracted: SGS report SE 269940	7.9	
Dibromochloromethane (THM) (μg/L)	Subcontracted: SGS report SE 269940	<0.5	
Bromoform (THM) (μg/L)	Subcontracted: SGS report SE 269940	<0.5	
Total THM (µg/L)	Subcontracted: SGS report SE 269940	47	
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- 1. Total metals samples digested with nitric acid; Total available (acid soluble/ extractable) metals samples acidified with nitric acid to pH <2;
- Dissolved metals samples filtered through 0.45µm cellulose acetate and then acidified with nitric acid prior to analysis
- 2. Metals and salts analysed by Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectrometry (ICP-MS).
- $3.\ 1\ mg/L\ (milligram\ per\ litre) = 1\ ppm\ (part\ per\ million) = 1000\ \mu g/L\ \ (micrograms\ per\ litre) = 1000\ ppb\ \ (part\ per\ billion).$
- 4. For conductivity 1 dS/m = 1 mS/cm = 1000 μ S/cm.
- 5. Analysis performed according to APHA (2017) 'Standard Methods for the Examination of Water & Wastewater', 23rd Edition, except where stated otherwise.
- 6. Analysis conducted between sample arrival date and reporting date.
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- 11. Results relate only to the samples tested.
- 12. This report was issued on 6/09/2024.



