## **Certificate of Analysis**

## AR-745 GREEN PETROLEUM COKE CRM LOT # 745622 LID # 745622

ALL ANALYSIS REPORTED ON A DRIED BASIS VALUE	MEAN	Exp. Un	c. n=	: k=	METHODS USED
MASS PERCENT SULFUR	0.55	± 0.04	46	2.0	ASTM D4239, D1552
MASS PERCENT ASH	*(0.07)		19		ASTM D3174, D4422
MASS PERCENT VOLATILE MATTER	6.11	± 0.78	20	2.1	ASTM D3175, D7582
MEAN BTU/lb.	14,878	± 173	8	2.4	ASTM D5865
FIXED CARBON (CALCULATED)	*(93.82)				ASTM D3172
MASS PERCENT CARBON	94.97	± 2.14	8	2.4	ASTM D5373
MASS PERCENT HYDROGEN	1.87	± 0.40	8	2.4	ASTM D5373
MASS PERCENT NITROGEN	0.90	± 0.10	8	2.4	ASTM D5373
PPM- ug/g NICKEL	(111)		7		ASTM D5056, D6357, D5600
PPM- ug/g IRON	171	± 67	7	2.5	ASTM D5056, D6357, D5600
PPM- ug/g VANADIUM	(78)	/	6		ASTM D5056, D6357, D5600
PPM- ug/g CALCIUM	(39)		8		ASTM D5056, D6357, D5600
PPM- ug/g SILICON	(95)		8		ASTM D5056, D6357, D5600

<sup>\*() -</sup> indicates informational or reference value only

This Certified Reference Material is traced to NIST SRM 2775, 2776 NCS FC93005, FC28120, FC28014; High purity materials: EDTA. The BTU is traceable to Benzoic Acid NIST 39j

The intended use of this material is for the verification of test analysis by the above listed or other valid methods. The precision value represents the expanded degree of uncertainty based on errors from analytical assay by a consensus of approved labs, at a 95% confidence level utilizing ANOVA, ISO Guide 35, and the Guide to Uncertainty Measurement. Metrological traceability is to the SI derived unit of mass fraction expressed as mass fraction percent, ug/g, or BTU/lb. When necessary, professional judgment is applied toward consideration of data and statistical information. The statistical analysis and the overall direction and coordination of the analytical measurements leading to certification were performed by K.E. Dyer Chief Chemist at Alpha Resources. Normal testing procedures should be employed when using this standard; this includes using the *reproducibility* and *repeatability* factors based upon your test method. Refer to your test method or instrument manufacturer for typical and minimum sample size.

The material used for the production of this CRM was identified in accordance with ARI-LAB-603. The samples for round robin testing were selected in accordance with ARI-LAB-625. The above values relate only to the material used to produce this standard. The analytical samples are recommended to be dried per the test method used. This bottle contains 50g, -60 mesh (250u) green petroleum coke powder. Keep bottle sealed immediately after use and store under normal laboratory conditions. While unable to determine a definite shelf life this reference should be reviewed 20 years from date of certification. Once opened this certificate is valid for 2 years. Remedies for any claimed defect in this product will be limited to product replacement or refund of the purchase price. In no event shall Alpha Resources be liable for incidental or consequential damages. This certificate cannot be reproduced except in full.

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EXPIRATION DATE
THIS CRM IS VALID FOR TWO YEARS FROM THE DATE OF OPENING

Certified October 12, 2022 Kent Dyer Chief Chemist