

AR4027

NITROGEN IN SOIL STANDARD

LOT # 082699

% NITROGEN

MEAN = 1.64%

ONE SIGMA = +/- 0.13%

TWO SIGMA = +/- 0.26%

RANGE = 1.38% - 1.90%

Standards Employed:

Acetanilide

Atropine

Methionine

NIST 1573a

METHOD OF ANALYSIS

This standard was analyzed by various instrumentation, utilizing the inert gas combustion with thermal conductivity detection techniques.

Notes:

At the time of certification there were no known primary certified reference materials of this matrix available. Organic Analytic Standards were used for calibration with one lab reporting NIST 1573a as a quality control check sample.

The precision values represent the standard deviation, two times the standard deviation, and complete range of analytical data obtained. 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 at Alpha Resources.

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