

# GEOSTATS PTY LTD

Mining Industry Consultants  
Reference Material Manufacture and Sales

Certified Geochem Base Metal Reference Material Product Code

## GBM922-10

Certified Control Values

### Total Digest

Element	Grade	Standard Deviation	Num of Analyses	Confidence Interval
Nickel (ppm)	683	34	54	+/- 9.5
Copper (ppm)	65	5	54	+/- 1.3
Zinc (ppm)	31	6	55	+/- 1.6
Lead (ppm)	20	3	51	+/- 1
Arsenic (ppm)	477	25	49	+/- 7.2
Cobalt (ppm)	59	3	57	+/- 0.9
Silver (ppm)	0.3	0.1	28	+/- 0.04

### Partial Digest

Element	Grade	Standard Deviation	Num of Analyses	Confidence Interval
Nickel (ppm)	455	103	60	+/- 26.9
Copper (ppm)	52	10	75	+/- 2.4
Zinc (ppm)	23	10	57	+/- 2.7
Lead (ppm)	20	4	58	+/- 1
Arsenic (ppm)	323	82	62	+/- 21.1
Cobalt (ppm)	48	6	55	+/- 1.6
Silver (ppm)	0.3	0.1	38	+/- 0.04

### CRM Details

Control Statistic Details	Neutron Activation Analysis Results (ppm, unless otherwise noted)	Major Elements by Fusion / XRF (%)
Control statistics were produced from results accumulated in the October-2022 round robin. The number of results used to certify each analyte is shown in the table above.	Antimony <0.2	Fe 20.8
	Arsenic 494	SiO <sub>2</sub> 28.21
	Barium <100	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> 18
	Bromine 13	TiO <sub>2</sub> 0.69
	Cadmium <20	MnO 0.05
	Caesium 2	CaO 4.22
	Calcium (%) nr	P 0.009
	Cerium 71	S 0.04
	Chromium 6440	MgO 3.02
	Cobalt 65	K <sub>2</sub> O 0.31
	Europium 0.8	Na <sub>2</sub> O 0.39
	Gold (ppb) 4050	LOH1000 13.94
	Hafnium <5	
	Iridium (ppb) <50	Neutron Activation
	Iron (%) 21.3	Analyses and Fusion /
	Lanthanum 16	XRF Analyses are
	Lutetium 0.4	single results and are
	Mercury nr	indicative only. These
	Molybdenum <10	are provided for matrix
	Neodymium nr	identification purposes.
	Nickel 730	
	Potassium (%) nr	
	Rubidium <20	'nr': Not Reported
	Samarium 4	
	Scandium 90.1	
	Selenium <10	
	Silver <5	
	Sodium (%) 0.28	
	Strontium nr	
	Tantalum <2	
	Tellurium <20	
	Terbium <1	
	Thorium 17.8	
	Tin <200	
	Tungsten 10	
	Uranium 8	
	Ytterbium 2.4	
	Zinc <200	
	Zirconium <500	

<b>Material Description</b> This material is described as a Laterite ore.
<b>Colour Designation (ISCC-NBS, SP440)</b> This material is moderate brown in colour.
<b>Usage</b> This product is for use in the mining industry as a reference material for monitoring and testing the accuracy of laboratory assaying.
<b>Preparation and Packaging</b> All CRMs are dried in an oven for a minimum of 12 hours at 110°C. The dry material is then pulverised to better than 75 micron (nominal mean of 45 micron) using an air classifier. The material is then homogenised and stored in a sealed, stable container ready for final packaging.  Materials are statistically sampled from stores, then packaged into either heat sealed, air tight, plastic pulp packets or screw top sealed plastic containers ready for distribution. All packaging has been chosen to ensure minimal contamination from outside sources during shipment, use and storage.
<b>Assay Testwork</b> All standards are tested thoroughly in the Geostats bi-annual laboratory survey. This involves assaying by multiple laboratories from around the world. Results are compiled into a comprehensive report detailing statistics for each standard. Assay distributions are checked and processed statistically, producing monitoring statistics for these standards. Materials are tested regularly to ensure stability and homogeneity.
<b>Stability</b> This product remains stable in its original packaging, away from direct sunlight.
<b>Material Safety</b> This product is not hazardous and non-toxic.

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