METHOD STATEMENT



Determinand:

Dusts Deposits by Dry Frisbee Dust Deposit Gauge

Matrix:

Rain waters

Principle of Method:

Gravitational filtering separates the dust from any solution and the deposit is weighed and calculated over a set time period.

Sampling and Sample Preparation:

Testing is carried out on samples as received.

Interferences:

No known interferences

Performance of Method:

LOD = 1.93 mg. The range of application is 1.93 mg upwards.

Determinand	Spike	
	%RSD	%Rec
Mass of Undissolved Solids	6.83	97.03

The reported uncertainty is an expanded uncertainty calculated using a coverage factor of 2, which gives a level of confidence of approximately 95%.

Determinand	Uncertainty of Measurement %
Mass of Undissolved Solids	16.62

References:

Protocol for using the dry Frisbee (with foam insert) dust deposit gauge. H. W. Vallack (Stockholm Environment Institute at York) February 1995.