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SAMPLE ANALYSIS

The ICP-MS was down for almost 6 weeks during this quarter. This greatly reduced the number of samples processed through the laboratory.

Ash Meadows 6 and Death Valley 6 were analyzed and are now undergoing review. The fourth sampling of the Pahrnagat springs were also analyzed and the review should be completed during the next quarter.

DATA REDUCTION

Data for the Ash Meadows six week study, eight wells south and west of the NTS, J-12, J-13 and Tippipah, Topopah and Cane springs have been verified and are included in this report. The three NTS springs, Tippipah, Topopah and Cane, are being studied under a grant from the NTS, but the data are also included here because of the proximity to the Yucca Mountain Site. Latitude and longitude for each well and the three NTS springs are shown on table one.

What we have termed the six week study was conducted between 29 March, 1993 and 30 April, 1993 to evaluate short term variability in water chemistry and variability in our sampling and analysis methods. Fairbanks spring was sampled six times and Bradford spring was sampled five times. Both springs are located in Ash Meadows National Wildlife Refuge, Nevada.

DATA ANALYSIS

Three journal articles have been accepted for publication. "The solubility control of rare earth elements in natural terrestrial waters and the significance of PO_4^{3-} and CO_3^{2-} in limiting dissolved rare earth concentrations: A review of recent information" will be published in the journal of Aquatic Geochemistry, Volume 1, Number 2.

"Multivariate statistical analysis of arsenic and selenium concentrations on groundwaters from south-central Nevada and Death Valley, California" will be published in the Journal of Hydrology.

"Speciation of the rare earth element neodymium in groundwaters of the Nevada Test Site and Yucca Mountain and implications for actinide solubility" will be published in Applied Geochemistry. Copies of the papers are included in this report.

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TABLE 1.

Name	Alternate Names	Date Sampled	Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)
Wells				
Coffer Ranch		9/19/94	NA	NA
Windmill		9/19/94	37 00.25	116 33.42
Airport	Jackass Aero Park or AD-2	5/23/94	36 38.40	116 24.59
Army Well	MV-1	6/23/94	36 35.49	116 02.28
Cind-R-Lite		5/23/94	NA	NA
Lathrop Wells	NDOT Rest Stop or AD-2a	5/23/94	36 38.35	116 23.40
Saga	VH-2 or CF-2a	6/23/94	36 48.21	116 34.37
Gexa #3	CF-1a	6/23/94	36 54.45	116 38.39
J-12		3/3/94	36 45.54	116 23.24
J-13		3/3/94	36 48.32	116 23.75
Springs				
Tippipah Spring		12/8/94	NA	NA
Cane Spring		12/8/94	36 47.64	116 05.96
Topopah Spring		12/8/94	36 56.27	116 16.18

WELLS										
		SAGA	ARMY	GEXA #3	AIRPORT	CIND-R-LITE	LATHROP	C-RANCH	WINDMILL	DL
		6/23/94	6/23/94	6/23/94	5/23/94	5/23/94	5/23/94	9/19/94	9/19/94	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	
		S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D.	S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D	
ANIONS										
Bromide	PPM	0.111	0.157	0.555	0.049	0.046	0.098	0.31	0.07	0.01
		0.002	0.008	0.1	0.009	0.004	0.004	0.01	0	
Chloride	PPM	13.114	17.875	152	6.22	8.729	11.893	65.84	7.6	0.002
		0.009	0.006	1	0.001	0.049	0.006	0.77	0.18	
Fluride	PPM	0.913	0.922	ND	1.723	2.324	1.636	3.32	3.73	0.006
		0.001	0.008		0.001	0.001	0.001	0.03	0.06	
Nitrate	PPM	1.691	1.448	0.097	6.033	4.64	8.721	0.93	1.59	0.01
		0.002	0.003	0.001	0.014	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.02	
Sulfate	PPM	143.6	52.478	413.4	42.564	43.081	106.204	109.95	30.35	0.02
			0.268	1.3	0.129	0.101	0.128	0.34	0.11	
MAJOR METALS										
Ca	PPM	92.7	47	114.4	5.8	13.3	17.4	21.8	18.3	0.046
		0.4	0.3	0.4	0	0	0.4	0.9	0.2	
Mg	PPM	34.7	21.6	84.8	0.185	6.7	0.911	1.52	0.19	0.009
		0.3	0.2	0.9	0.002	0.3	0.005	0.03	0.01	
K	PPM	7.76	5.41	3.55	1.45	3.9	1.45	9.54	0.91	0.077
		0.1	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.2	0.04	0.13	0.01	
Na	PPM	75.5	42	73.7	68	73	68	176	73	1.7
		0.8	2	0.8	3	2	3	2	2	
TRACE METALS										
Li 7	PPB	92.4	44	72	73	64.9	80	166	111	0.04
		0.1	1	1	2	0.7	3	4	3	
Al 27	PPB	0.43	0.7	0.33	2.22	1.08	0.62	NM	NM	0.04
		0.06	0.03	0.04	0.07	0.04	0.03			
Ti 47	PPB	0.543	0.53	0.73	0.72	0.93	0.72	1.08	0.63	0.02
		0.009	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.06	74	27	
V 51	PPB	1.51	1.57	0.069	10.15	4.79	9.83	2.67	0.99	0.003
		0.03	0.02	0.006	0.09	0.06	0.02	0.03	0.03	
Cr 52	PPB	3.2	3.38	2.4	5.6	1.4	7.7	0.8	0.26	0.02
		0.2	0.06	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.01	0.01	
Mn 55	PPB	0.82	0.165	47.3	0.36	0.187	0.216	0.341	11.8	0.01
		0.02	0.004	0.5	0.007	0.008	0.008	0.003	0.3	
Ni 60	PPB	0.56	0.98	1.38	ND	0.11	0.11	0.105	0.6	0.03
		0.05	0.02	0.07		0.02	0.03	0.005	0.02	
Cu 63	PPB	1.85	1.97	1.50	1.31	1.47	1.97	0.9	2.92	0.012
		0.08	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.04	0.06	0.03	0.03	

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		SAGA	ARMY	GEXA #3	AIRPORT	CIND-R-LITE	LATHROP	C-RANCH	WINDMILL	DL
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	
		S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D.	S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D	
Zn 66	PPB	4.2 0.2	2.01 0.09	629 2	10.6 0.6	69 1	62.4 0.6	7.07 0.08	41.25 0.61	0.03
Ge 73	PPB	0.548 0.009	0.3 0.03	0.23 0.01	0.92 0.02	0.82 0.06	1.08 0.03	1.55 50	0.775 13	0.007
As 75	PPB	8.72 0.08	9.6 0.2	3.01 0.09	23.2 0.2	19.7 0.4	22.2 0.3	6.36 0.19	7.82 0.09	0.007
Se 77	PPB	1.56 0.07	1.31 0.07	0.61 0.06	2.7 0.1	1.05 0.08	2.5 0.2	0.57 0.07	0.4 0.1	0.03
Rb 85	PPB	26.7 0.4	8.8 0.1	5 0.2	5.73 0.08	12.7 0.6	11 0.2	18.1 0.7	4.7 0.1	0.003
Sr 86	PPB	610 10	740 20	4210 20	24.1 0.5	105 5	101 2	163 4	183 8	0.01
Mo 95	PPB	5.32 0.08	5.6 0.3	3.6 0.2	1.99 0.02	5.5 0.1	6.6 0.2	12.22 0.58	11.23 0.22	0.007
Sn 117	PPB	0.039 0.004	0.044 0.007	0.041 0.007	0.027 0.002	0.034 0.005	0.033 0.006	0.023 0.007	0.034 0.013	0.006
Sb 121	PPB	0.278 0.004	0.191 0.008	0.022 0.002	0.295 0.006	0.41 0.02	0.5 0.02	0.192 0.005	0.227 0.015	0.002
Cs 133	PPB	3.3 0.1	1.79 0.03	1.6 0.1	1.35 0.05	1.52 0.04	1.41 0.01	0.0616 0.0009	3.99 0.08	0.0005
Ba 135	PPB	50 1	80 2	39.7 0.8	1.74 0.04	1.34 0.04	8.8 0.2	9.8 0.1	1.82 0.04	0.024
W 182	PPB	0.118 0.004	0.17 0.01	0.005 0.002	1.81 0.02	1.9 0.1	1.32 0.05	0.755 0.02	1.464 0.07	0.001
Ti 205	PPB	0.385 0.009	0.096 0.004	0.051 0.001	0.031 0.003	0.03 0.001	0.049 0.002	0.074 0.004	0.046 0.005	0.008
U 238	PPB	6.1 0.2	2.34 0.06	0.023 0.003	0.6 0.02	2.54 0.07	2.34 0.08	15.4 0.2	5.08 0.16	0.005
Be 9	PPT	140 40	210 30	190 60	150 30	200 60	120 40	ND	ND	20
Co 59	PPT	19 5	28 1	75 4	23 3	27 2	12 3	30 2	130 2	1
Ga 71	PPT	ND	10 4	13 3	39 2	48 2	4 2	2.7 0.9	18 1	0.8
Zr 90	PPT	17 2	17 3	ND	62 4	14 4	ND	28 2	17 2	0.6
Nb 93	PPT	9 3	19 3	10 3	13 2	20 4	ND	1.6 0.2	2.4 0.5	4

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WELLS PAGE 3		SAGA	ARMY	GEXA #3	AIRPORT	CIND-R-LITE	LATHROP	C-RANCH	WINDMILL	DL
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	
		S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D.	S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D	
Ru 99	PPT	ND	8	ND	ND	ND	ND	3.3	2.2	1.5
			2					0.5	0.5	
Rh 103	PPT	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1.8	2.7	2
								0.2	0.6	
Ag 107	PPT	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	9	3
									3	
Cd 114	PPT	30	ND	23	ND	12	10	16.6	47	5
		8		4		4	2	0.6	6	
In 115	PPT	ND	6	7	14	20	ND	0.2	ND	0.4
			1	2	3	2		0.1		
Te 125	PPT	15	50	ND	19	ND	13	ND	ND	9
		2	10		4		6			
Hf 177	PPT	ND	ND	ND	6	ND	18	ND	ND	3
					3		3			
Ta 181	PPT	ND	28	ND	12	25	25	5	6	0.03
			3		3	3	4	1	1	
Re 187	PPT	25	24	ND	25	16	31	7	7.2	0.12
		2	4		2	4	2	0.3	0.6	
Ir 193	PPT	ND	29	ND	12	8	14	1	1.2	0.6
			2		2	2	2	0.1	0.2	
Pt 195	PPT	ND	25	ND	11	ND	ND	1.7	1.1	0.3
			2		2			0.3	0.1	
Au 197	PPT	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	11	5	3
								2	2	
Pb 208	PPT	100	897	20	69	697	165	13	418	8
		10	9	5	4	9	9	1	3	
Bi 209	PPT	ND	ND	26	ND	ND	ND	6.7	0.8	2
				5				0.3	0.3	

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		SAGA	ARMY	GEXA #3	AIRPORT	CIND-R-LITE	LATHROP	C-RANCH	WINDMILL	DL
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	
		S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D.	S.D	S.D	S.D	S.D	
Y 89	PPT	21.7 0.7	3.2 0.2	10 1	1.52 0.07	6.4 0.2	4.7 0.1	5.5 0.5	2.3 0.4	1
La 139	PPT	5.9 0.3	1.2 0.1	0.6 0.1	1.7 0.2	0.78 0.06	2.2 0.1	1.57 0.25	0.8 0.3	1
Ce 140	PPT	14 2	ND	ND	0.7 0.3	ND	ND	10 1	0.8 0.2	0.8
Pr 141	PPT	1.73 0.03	0.309 0.009	0.189 0.003	0.2 0.03	0.63 0.01	0.35 0.02	0.35 0.06	0.14 0.02	0.6
Nd 146	PPT	6 0.05	1.31 0.09	0.69 0.03	0.758 0.007	1.77 0.09	1.26 0.07	1.65 0.24	0.68 0.11	5
Sm 147	PPT	1.94 0.04	4.7 0.2	0.43 0.03	0.17 0.03	0.141 0.004	0.28 0.01	0.32 0.09	ND	1
Eu 153	PPT	0.2 0.03	0.07 0.02	0.05 0.003	0.057 0.003	0.082 0.009	0.1 0.03	0.03 0.02	NM	0.6
Gd 158	PPT	1.4 0.03	0.28 0.03	0.121 0.009	0.16 0.03	0.24 0.01	0.3 0.01	0.46 0.09	0.14 0.05	3
Tb 159	PPT	0.22 0.004	0.051 0.007	0.026 0.006	0.02 0.01	0.039 0.006	0.046 0.006	0.06 0.02	0.02 0.01	0.7
Dy 163	PPT	1.54 0.06	0.24 0.03	0.09 0.02	0.13 0.02	0.29 0.01	0.32 0.03	0.3 0.1	ND	4
Ho 165	PPT	0.4 0.02	0.065 0.006	0.033 0.006	0.032 0.003	0.084 0.004	0.1 0.01	0.1 0.02	ND	0.8
Er 166	PPT	1.39 0.06	0.2 0.02	0.11 0.03	0.1 0.02	0.29 0.009	0.33 0.03	0.37 0.04	0.17 0.04	2
Tm 169	PPT	0.21 0.02	0.031 0.002	0.015 0.005	ND	0.035 0.002	0.042 0.005	0.06 0.01	ND	0.5
Yb 174	PPT	1.36 0.03	0.14 0.02	0.12 0.02	0.07 0.02	0.22 0.02	0.265 0.008	0.4 0.1	0.15 0.05	2
Lu 175	PPT	0.22 0.01	0.029 0.002	0.022 0.008	0.015 0.005	0.031 0.004	0.04 0.01	0.06 0.02	0.018 0.008	0.8
Th 232	PPT	0.7 0.1	0.4 0.1	0.5 0.2	0.7 0.2	0.5 0.1	1.0 0.2	0.21 0.04	0.14 0.03	0.8

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J-12 and J-13 WELLS

		J-12 Sample#1	J-13 Sample #2	J-13 Sample #3	Detection
		March 1994	March 1993	March 1994	Limit
		Mean	Mean	Mean	
		SD	SD	SD	
ANIONS					
Bromide	PPM	0.08	0.85	0.135	0.05
		0.007	0.02	0.005	
Chloride	PPM	6.9	7.48	6.52	0.08
		0.18	0.14	0.03	
Fluoride	PPM	1.67	2.12	2.045	0.03
		0.03	0.10	0.003	
Nitrate	PPM	8.47	8.84	8.89	0.004
		0.01	0.09	0.03	
Sulfate	PPM	22.32	18.07	18.09	0.03
		0.002	0.07	0.03	
MAJOR ELEMENTS					
Ca	PPM	14.8	12.3	12.81	0.06
		0.2	0.1	0.03	
Mg	PPM	2.09	1.6	1.69	0.3
		0.03	0.1	0.03	
K	PPM	4.78	4.58	4.60	0.05
		0.03	0.06	0.06	
Na	PPM	41.8	44.9	44.4	1.5
		0.4	0.5	0.5	
TRACE ELEMENTS					
Li 7	ppb	39.2	41.6	39.2	0.009
		0.9	0.6	0.6	
Al 27	ppb	0.43	NM	0.75	0.02
		0.01		0.03	
Ti 47	ppb	0.86	1.35	0.74	0.009
		0.02	0.06	0.04	
V 51	ppb	5.39	11.4	9.4	.003
		0.05	0.4	0.2	
Cr 52	ppb	1.00	2.25	1.41	0.02
		0.01	0.03	0.05	
Mn 55	ppb	0.104	3.5	2.96	0.005
		0.001	0.1	0.05	
Ni 60	ppb	0.32	0.36	0.46	0.01
		0.01	0.02	0.02	
Cu 63	ppb	1.130	NM	1.52	0.07
		0.002		0.04	

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		J-12 Sample#1	J-13 Sample #2	J-13 Sample #3	Detectio
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Limit
		SD	SD	SD	
Zn 66	ppb	0.668	NM	0.61	0.01
		0.008		0.01	
Ge 73	ppb	0.36	0.40	0.350	0.0009
		0.02	0.01	0.003	
As 75	ppb	10.2	17.3	12.2	0.009
		0.3	0.7	0.1	
Se 77	ppb	0.69	1.6	0.7	0.10
		0.07	0.2	0.1	
Rb 85	ppb	13.7	12.7	9.93	0.001
		0.2	0.7	0.08	
Sr 86	ppb	44.5	55	39.2	0.4
		0.6	2	0.7	
Mo 95	ppb	7.4	8.2	7.87	0.025
		0.1	0.4	0.03	
Sn 117	ppb	ND	0.23	0.012	0.004
			0.02	0.004	
Sb 121	ppb	0.219	0.516	0.509	0.005
		0.004	0.008	0.002	
Cs 133	ppb	0.82	1.94	1.61	0.0005
		0.02	0.09	0.03	
Ba 135	ppb	1.81	1.6	1.19	0.002
		0.03	0.2	0.02	
W 182	ppb	0.493	1.18	1.02	0.018
		0.009	0.07	0.03	
Tl 205	ppb	ND	0.059	0.074	0.002
			0.009	0.002	
U 238	ppb	0.58	0.62	0.51	0.0002
		0.02	0.01	0.01	
Be 9	ppt	ND	136	ND	20
			69		
Co 59	ppt	ND	20	ND	1
			4		
Ga 71	ppt	ND	11	ND	0.8
			3		
Zr 90	ppt	16	43	28	0.6
		3	16	4	
Nb 93	ppt	ND	7	30	4
			1	4	

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		J-12 Sample#1	J-13 Sample #2	J-13 Sample #3	Detectio
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Limit
		SD	SD	SD	
					1.5
Ru 99	ppt	ND	4.4	4.3	
			0.8	0.3	2
Rh 103	ppt	15.1	2.3	20.0	
		0.5	0.3	0.4	3
Ag 107	ppt	ND	3	ND	
			1		5
Cd 114	ppt	ND	13	ND	
			5		0.4
In 115	ppt	ND	0.3	4	
			0.6	1	9
Te 125	ppt	ND	87	ND	
			17		3
Hf 177	ppt	ND	35	ND	
			14		0.03
Ta 181	ppt	6	6	17	
		3	1	3	0.12
Re 187	ppt	2.6	2.3	11.4	
		0.2	0.5	0.5	0.6
Ir 193	ppt	ND	0.9	7.3	
			0.2	0.6	0.3
Pt 195	ppt	ND	5	ND	
			2		3
Au 197	ppt	ND	33	ND	
			4		8
Pb 208	ppt	100	287	289	
		5	14	8	2
Bi 209	ppt	ND	3	47.7	
			2	0.5	

J-12 and J-13 WELLS PAGE 4

		J-12 Sample#1	J-13 Sample #2	J-13 Sample #3	Detectio
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Limit
		SD	SD	SD	
Y 89	ppt	1.98	1.2	0.82	1
		0.07	0.4	0.04	
La 139	ppt	2.9	2.3	2.2	1
		0.1	0.2	0.2	
Ce 140	ppt	2.4	2.7	1.44	0.8
		0.6	0.5	0.08	
Pr 141	ppt	0.149	0.3	0.135	0.6
		0.006	0.1	0.008	
Nd 143	ppt	0.61	2.5	0.5	5
		0.06	0.4	0.2	
Sm 147	ppt	6.77	16	7.34	1
		0.04	1	0.05	
Eu 153	ppt	ND	0.3	ND	0.6
			0.3		
Gd 158	ppt	0.20	0.4	0.23	3
		0.04	0.2	0.01	
Tb 159	ppt	ND	0.07	ND	0.7
			0.07		
Dy 163	ppt	0.23	0.7	0.171	4
		0.03	0.3	0.005	
Ho 165	ppt	0.047	0.13	0.03	0.8
		0.007	0.10	0.01	
Er 166	ppt	0.108	0.3	0.068	2
		0.009	0.1	0.007	
Tm 169	ppt	ND	0.10	ND	0.5
			0.06		
Yb 173	ppt	ND	0.6	0.05	2
			0.5	0.02	
Lu 175	ppt	ND	0.07	ND	0.8
			0.03		
Th 232	ppt	0.37	0.7	ND	0.8
		0.09	0.4		

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Fairbanks Spring

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Sample #6			
		3/29/93	4/2/93	4/10/93	4/16/93	4/23/93	4/30/93			
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Average	SD of	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	mean	means	Limit
ANIONS										
Bromide	PPM	0.14 0.01	0.18 0.01	0.26 0.01	0.15 0.01	0.13 0.01	0.21 0.01	0.18	0.05	0.03
Chloride	PPM	20.8 0.2	20.8 0.2	21.7 0.2	21.3 0.1	20.9 0.3	21.0 0.1	21.08	0.32	0.08
Fluoride	PPM	1.49 0.01	1.51 0.02	1.48 0.02	1.59 0.01	1.46 0.01	1.54 0.02	1.51	0.04	0.03
Nitrate	PPM	0.79(H) 0.09	0.83(H) 0.01	0.43 (H) 0.01	0.26(H) 0.01	0.28(H) 0.01	0.51(H) 0.01	0.52	0.22	0.02
Sulfate	PPM	79.0 0.1	78.4 0.5	79.1 0.1	78.3 0.1	78.2 0.1	81.2 0.2	79.03	1.03	0.03
MAJOR METALS										
Ca	PPM	48.20 0.02	47.70 0.02	50.0 0.7	49.6 0.02	49.7 0.7	49 1	49.03	0.83	0.06
Mg	PPM	21 1	20.5 0.6	21.0 0.4	20.9 0.4	21.1 0.4	21.0 0.2	20.92	0.20	0.3
K	PPM	7.77 0.09	7.75 0.09	7.83 0.09	7.81 0.07	7.75 0.09	7.72 0.03	7.77	0.04	0.05
Na	PPM	70.1 0.5	69 2	69 2	70.6 0.9	69 3	72 2	69.95	1.11	1.5
TRACE METALS - NOT BLANK SUBTRACTED										
Li 7	PPB	121 5	109 9	119 5	123 12	121 12	116 9	118.17	4.63	0.009
Al 27	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.02
Ti 47	PPB	2.2 0.1	2.1 0.2	2.0 0.2	1.22 0.09	1.19 0.07	0.80 0.07	1.59	0.54	0.009
V 51	PPB	0.92 0.02	0.85 0.01	0.78 0.01	1.06 0.04	1.13 0.04	1.11 0.02	0.98	0.13	0.003
Cr 52	PPB	4.35 0.04	1.1 0.1	3.18 0.09	1.10 0.04	1.39 0.06	3.94 0.07	2.51	1.36	0.02
Mn 55	PPB	0.50 0.01	0.31 0.01	0.23 0.01	0.30 0.01	0.26 0.01	0.28 0.01	0.31	0.09	0.005
Ni 60	PPB	0.99 0.06	0.69 0.05	0.44 0.02	0.14 0.02	0.16 0.02	0.36 0.03	0.46	0.30	0.01
Cu 63	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.07

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Fairbanks (pg.2)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Sample #6	Average	SD of	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			Limit
Zn 66	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.01
Ge 73	PPB	1.0 0.1	0.9 0.2	0.91 0.08	0.54 0.05	0.55 0.05	0.42 0.03	0.72	0.22	0.0009
As 75	PPB	18 2	15 1	17 2	16 2	16 2	14 2	16.00	1.29	0.009
Se 77	PPB	1.0 0.1	1.15 0.04	0.9 0.1	1.4 0.2	2.1 0.1	1.2 0.1	1.29	0.39	0.10
Rb 85	PPB	18.3 0.9	18.2 0.8	18.9 1.0	19.8 0.9	19.3 1.8	17.9 1.2	18.73	0.66	0.001
Sr 86	PPB	1110 20	1060 30	1120 30	1130 30	1120 10	1160 40	1116.67	29.81	0.40
Mo 95	PPB	8 2	12 2	9 3	11 2	(ND)	12 2	10.40	1.80	0.025
Sn 117	PPB	0.42 0.03	0.35 0.02	0.25 0.04	0.17 0.02	0.28 0.02	0.186 0.005	0.28	0.09	0.004
Sb 121	PPB	0.23 0.02	0.56 0.03	0.25 0.02	0.30 0.02	0.24 0.02	0.24 0.01	0.30	0.12	0.005
Cs 133	PPB	3.8 0.1	3.5 0.1	3.40 0.05	3.7 0.1	3.51 0.03	4.4 0.2	3.72	0.33	0.0005
Ba 135	PPB	72 5	73 3	72 6	75 7	76 7	67 5	72.50	2.87	0.002
W 182	PPB	0.89 0.04	0.74 0.04	0.83 0.05	0.38 0.02	0.19 0.02	0.29 0.02	0.55	0.28	0.018
Tl 205	PPB	0.32 0.02	0.30 0.01	0.28 0.01	0.31 0.02	0.29 0.01	0.36 0.02	0.31	0.03	0.002
U 238	PPB	2.80 0.09	2.46 0.07	2.32 0.06	2.69 0.04	2.48 0.07	3.08 0.13	2.64	0.25	0.0002
Be 9	PPT	90 20	90 10	70 20	150 30	140 50	160 60	116.67	34.48	20
Sc 45	PPT	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.1
Co 59	PPT	81 3	97 3	48 2	24 3	26 6	37 6	52.17	27.59	1
Ga 71	PPT	13 1	7 2	6 1	(ND)	5 3	7 4	7.60	3.10	0.8
Zr 90	PPT	170(A) 5	17 5	392(A) 17	83 3	59 10	23 2	45.50	31.10	0.6
Nb 93	PPT	2 1	(ND)	4 1	153(A) 5	2 1	3 1	2.75	0.96	4

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Fairbanks (pg.3)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Sample #6	Average	SD of	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			Limit
Ru 99	PPT	9 3	10 5	8 3	9 4	11 4	5 1	8.67	1.89	1.5
Rh 103	PPT	27 5	29 4	27 2	11 1	12 3	7 1	18.83	8.99	2
Ag 107	PPT	5 1	4 1	11 2	8 2	ND	7 3	7.00	2.70	3
Cd 114	PPT	16 3	16 3	14 2	11 4	ND	11 5	13.60	2.50	5
In 115	PPT	0.5 0.1	(ND)	0.6 0.2	ND	ND	1 1	0.70	0.26	0.4
Te 125	PPT	98 3	135 3	113 3	137 39	146 32	87 10	119.33	21.64	9
Hf 177	PPT	18 7	9 3	40 7	10 3	10 3	10 1	16.17	11.08	3
Ta 181	PPT	4.1 0.6	3.2 0.8	5.0 0.9	51 (A) 4	2 1	4 1	3.66	1.13	0.03
Re 187	PPT	17 2	15 3	14 2	12 2	11 2	6 1	12.50	3.50	0.12
Ir 193	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	2 1	(ND)	0.6 0.2			0.6
Pt 195	PPT	(ND)	14 3	8 1	9 3	9 3	6 3	9.20	2.95	0.3
Au 197	PPT	6 2	5 2	13 5	16 4	10 5	25 2	12.50	6.75	3
Pb 208	PPT	106 (A) 5	15 2	39 2	40 5	450 (A) 10	21 4	28.75	12.66	8
Bi 209	PPT	3 1	2 1	5 1	4 1	2 1	5 3	3.50	1.26	2

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Fairbanks (pg.4)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Sample #6	Average	SD of	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			Limit
Y 89	PPT	8 2	10 3	9 2	8 2	8 2	6 1	8.17	1.21	1
La 139	PPT	21.1(A) 1	6 1	113(A) 5	3 1	2.4 0.5	3 1	3.60	1.60	1
Ce 140	PPT	2.1 0.3	11 2	12 1	1.3 0.5	0.8 0.3	0.8 0.3	4.67	4.86	0.8
Pr 141	PPT	0.9 0.3	(ND)	0.9 0.4	0.9 0.3	1.1 0.4	0.5 0.2	0.86	0.22	0.6
Nd 143	PPT	(ND)	6 3	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			5
Sm 147	PPT	2 1	(ND)	5 2	4 2	6 2	4 1	4.20	1.50	1
Eu 153	PPT									0.6
Gd 158	PPT	2 1	2 1	(ND)	2 1	2 1	(ND)	2.00	0.00	3
Tb 159	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			0.7
Dy 163	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			4
Ho 165	PPT	0.7 0.2	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	0.6 0.3	(ND)			0.8
Er 166	PPT	2.1 0.9	(ND)	1.4 0.7	1.4 0.7	2 1	(ND)	1.72	0.38	2
Tm 169	PPT	0.4 0.2	0.4 0.2	(ND)	0.6 0.3	(ND)	(ND)	0.47	0.12	0.5
Yb 173	PPT	4 2	2 1	1.5 0.7	4 2	(ND)	(ND)	2.88	1.31	2
Lu 175	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	0.6 0.3	(ND)	(ND)			0.8
Th 232	PPT	2 1	1.4 0.5	2 1	1.5 0.6	0.7 0.3	3 1	1.77	0.70	0.8

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Bradford Spring

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5			
		4/2/93	4/10/93	4/16/93	4/23/93	4/30/93			
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Average mean	SD of means	Detection Limit
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			
ANIONS									
Bromide	PPM	0.25	0.33	0.22	0.21	0.25	0.25	0.04	0.03
		0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01			
Chloride	PPM	40.5	40.7	40.1	38.4	38.7	39.68	0.95	0.08
		0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1			
Fluoride	PPM	1.65	1.61	1.76	1.57	1.64	1.65	0.06	0.03
		0.05	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.01			
Nitrate	PPM	1.04 (H)	0.62 (H)	0.50 (H)	0.48 (H)	0.70 (H)	0.67	0.2	0.02
		0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01			
Sulfate	PPM	165.2	166.9	160.9	159.6	161.3	162.78	2.78	0.03
		0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2			
MAJOR METALS									
Ca	PPM	62.2	62	62	61.1	61.5	61.76	0.40	0.06
		0.7	1	1	0.7	0.7			
Mg	PPM	30.5	30	30.3	30.1	29.0	29.98	0.52	0.3
		0.7	1	0.6	0.7	0.6			
K	PPM	11.1	11.0	11.03	10.87	10.87	10.97	0.09	0.05
		0.1	0.1	0.05	0.05	0.05			
Na	PPM	119	115	116	113	115	115.60	1.96	1.5
		2	3	6	1	1			
TRACE METALS - NOT BLANK SUBTRACTED									
Li 7	PPB	143	158	160	156	145	152.40	7.00	0.009
		6	10	6	8	6			
Al 27	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.02
Ti 47	PPB	2.77	2.6	1.4	1.5	0.95	1.84	0.71	0.009
		0.06	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.02			
V 51	PPB	2.00	1.92	2.71	2.63	2.9	2.43	0.40	0.003
		0.04	0.02	0.08	0.07	0.1			
Cr 52	PPB	5.1	3.43	2.64	1.79	3.1	3.21	1.09	0.02
		0.1	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.1			
Mn 55	PPB	0.40	0.44	0.58	0.52	0.53	0.49	0.06	0.005
		0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02			
Ni 60	PPB	0.18	0.60	0.28	0.26	0.56	0.38	0.17	0.01
		0.10	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.05			
Cu 63	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.07

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Bradford (pg.2)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Average	SD of	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			Limit
Zn 66	PPB	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.01
Ge 73	PPB	0.99 0.08	0.88 0.07	0.66 0.04	0.62 0.05	0.42 0.03	0.71	0.20	0.0009
As 75	PPB	24 3	27.8 0.8	33 2	29 4	24 2	27.56	3.38	0.009
Se 77	PPB	1.7 0.1	1.33 0.07	1.04 0.07	2.07 0.27	2.20 0.06	1.67	0.44	0.10
Rb 85	PPB	19.7 0.9	23 2	24 1	23 1	20.4 0.7	22.02	1.66	0.001
Sr 86	PPB	1520 40	1760 50	1800 60	1770 50	1580 50	1686.00	113.42	0.40
Mo 95	PPB	18 2	14 1	20 3	18 2	17 1	17.40	1.96	0.025
Sn 117	PPB	0.50 0.04	0.36 0.03	0.13 0.02	0.12 0.02	0.20 0.01	0.26	0.15	0.004
Sb 121	PPB	0.84 0.05	0.49 0.01	0.45 0.02	0.60 0.03	0.23 0.01	0.52	0.20	0.005
Cs 133	PPB	3.37 0.02	3.47 0.04	4.3 0.1	4.0 0.1	4.7 0.2	3.97	0.50	0.0005
Ba 135	PPB	51 2	60 7	60 3	61 4	55 5	57.40	3.83	0.002
W 182	PPB	1.23 0.04	1.09 0.10	0.52 0.03	0.51 0.03	0.32 0.01	0.73	0.36	0.018
Tl 205	PPB	0.29 0.01	0.29 0.01	0.38 0.03	0.34 0.02	0.39 0.01	0.34	0.04	0.002
U 238	PPB	7.2 0.2	7.2 0.1	9.6 0.2	8.4 0.3	9.6 0.2	8.40	1.07	0.0002
Be 9	PPT	70 20	90 30	170 50	150 50	180 70	132.00	44.00	20
Sc 45	PPT	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM			0.1
Co 59	PPT	70 4	67 2	42 8	38 5	56 4	54.60	12.86	1
Ga 71	PPT	6 1	4 2	7 3	ND	5 3	5.50	1.30	0.8
Zr 90	PPT	67 8	480 (A) 40	59 10	46.5 0.2	24 1	49.12	18.75	0.6
Nb 93	PPT	4 2	4 2	3 1	3 1	7 1	4.20	1.47	4

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Bradford (pg.3)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Average	SD of	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			Limit
Ru 99	PPT	14 4	10 5	9 3	9 4	6 1	7.50	4.45	1.5
Rh 103	PPT	54 3	48 8	18 2	16 2	14 1	30.00	17.30	2
Ag 107	PPT	12 2	9 2	17 2	8 3	6 2	10.40	3.83	3
Cd 114	PPT	27 6	28 6	20 8	17 6	29 5	24.20	4.79	5
In 115	PPT	(ND)	ND	ND	1.7 0.6	(ND)			0.4
Te 125	PPT	(ND)	135 3	190 60	181 3	102 12	152.00	41.00	9
Hf 177	PPT	(ND)	32 4	30 10	8 2	14 2	21.00	12.00	3
Ta 181	PPT	3 1	5 2	3 1	2.0 0.2	17 1	6.00	5.59	0.03
Re 187	PPT	33 2	35 4	22 3	21 4	13 1	24.80	8.16	0.12
Ir 193	PPT	(ND)	2 1	2 1	2 1	0.6 0.3	1.65	0.70	0.6
Pt 195	PPT	10 2	8 1	8 2	8 2	6 1	8.00	1.26	0.3
Au 197	PPT	7 3	9 3	40 (A) 10	17 1	68 (A) 5	11.00	5.00	3
Pb 208	PPT	45 4	43 2	31 5	24 3	15 4	31.60	11.34	8
Bi 209	PPT	3 1	5 1	21 3	8 1	7 1	8.80	6.34	2

Ash Meadows Six Week Study - Bradford (pg.4)

		Sample #1	Sample #2	Sample #3	Sample #4	Sample #5	Average	SD of	Detection
Direct		Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	mean	means	Limit
Measurements		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	S.D.			
Y 89	PPT	10	11	10	10	9	10.00	0.63	1
		1	1	2	2	1			
La 139	PPT	5	3	4	3	3.3	3.66	0.76	1
		2	1	1	1	0.3			
Ce 140	PPT	4	1.4	2	(ND)	4	2.85	1.35	0.8
		1	0.4	1		1			
Pr 141	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.77	0.15	0.6
				0.2	0.4	0.2			
Nd 143	PPT	6	4	6	5	4	5.00	0.89	5
		2	1	3	2	2			
Sm 147	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	6	8	(ND)			1
				3	2				
Eu 153	PPT	5	4	4	5	4.8	4.56	0.46	0.6
		1	1	1	1	0.3			
Gd 158	PPT	(ND)	2	2	2	(ND)	2.00	0.00	3
			1	1	1				
Tb 159	PPT	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	(ND)	0.45	0.06	0.7
		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2				
Dy 163	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	2	(ND)	(ND)			4
				1					
Ho 165	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			0.8
Er 166	PPT	2	(ND)	2	(ND)	(ND)			2
		1		1					
Tm 169	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	0.4	(ND)			0.5
					0.2				
Yb 173	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			2
Lu 175	PPT	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)	(ND)			0.8
Th 232	PPT	1.8	1.3	4.0	1.0	0.8	1.78	1.16	0.8
		0.5	0.3	2	0.4	0.3			

NEVADA TEST SITE SPRINGS						
		Tippipah	Cane	Topopah		
		Dec 1994	Dec 1994	Dec 1994		
		Mean	Mean	Mean		Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.		Limit
ANIONS						
Bromide	PPM	0.07	0.15	ND		0.01
		0.002	0.01			
Chloride	PPM	7.48	20	3.23		0.002
		0.08	0.82	0.03		
Fluoride	PPM	0.15	0.52	0.09		0.006
		0.01	0.01	0.003		
Nitrate	PPM	5.9	15.4	2.48		0.01
		0.08	0.16	0.01		
Sulfate	PPM	15.5	27.1	8.8		0.02
		0.04	0.69	0.02		
MAJOR METALS						
Ca	PPM	5.5	36.1	8.9		0.62
		0.2	0.3	0.1		
Mg	PPM	0.35	9.45	1.8		0.15
		0.01	0.05	0.1		
K	PPM	2.66	5.9	5.62		0.037
		0.08	0.1	0.03		
Na	PPM	42.5	42.1	13.9		1.1
		0.2	0.1	0.3		
TRACE METALS						
"Li 7"	PPB	11.77	27.40	4.55		0.021
		0.07	7.00	0.06		
"Al 27"	PPB	348	0.9	101		0.025
		2	0.07	2		
"Ti 47"	PPB	4.1	1.27	1.94		0.018
		0.2	0.04	0.02		
"V 51"	PPB	1.4	9.5	1.34		0.004
		0.01	0.1	0.04		
"Cr 52"	PPB	0.087	0.802	0.086		0.009
		0.004	0.002	0.006		
"Mn 55"	PPB	1.39	1.12	5.2		0.008
		0.04	0.02	0.1		
"Ni 60"	PPB	0.087	0.106	0.2		0.012
		0.004	0.002	0.01		
"Cu 63"	PPB	0.65	320	0.54		0.013
		0.01	0.004	0.01		

A = ANOMALOUS VALUE ND = NOT DETECTED

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		Tippipah	Cane	Topopah	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	Limit
"Zn 66"	PPB	1.15	9.9	7.32	0.021
		0.03	0.3	0.08	
"Ge 73"	PPB	0.041	0.2	0.034	0.022
		0.006	0.02	0.005	
"As 75"	PPB	2.04	7.2	1.64	0.01
		0.03	0.2	0.04	
"Se 77"	PPB	0.56	2.2	0.17	0.13
		0.05	0.1	0.06	
"Rb 85"	PPB	7.07	9.7	10	0.0022
		0.02	0.2	0.2	
"Sr 86"	PPB	6.24	108	6.9	0.018
		0.09	2	0.3	
"Mo 95"	PPB	0.7	4.23	0.387	0.009
		0.02	0.03	0.004	
"Sn 117"	PPB	ND	ND	ND	0.013
"Sb 121"	PPB	1.94	0.07	0.269	0.0015
		0.06	0.001	0.0069	
"Cs 133"	PPB	0.13	0.079	0.7	0.004
		0.002	0.0009	0.01	
"Ba 135"	PPB	0.34	18.6	0.258	0.02
		0.02	0.1	0.007	
"W 182"	PPB	0.0119	0.28	0.024	0.0042
		0.0007	0.01	0.0014	
"TI 205"	PPB	0.0429	0.0597	0.053	0.004
		0.0006	0.0007	0.005	
"U 238"	PPB	0.524	1.726	0.076	0.004
		0.015	0.042	0.001	
"Be 9"	PPT	67.75	ND	65.47	25
		14.6		12.46	
"Co 59"	PPT	28	42	45	8
		2	2	3	
"Ga 71"	PPT	76	ND	93	9
		2		4	
"Zr 90"	PPT	290	ND	261	8
		20		7	
"Nb 93"	PPT	41	13	28	1.5
		3	6	3	

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		Tippipah	Cane	Topopah	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	Limit
"Ru 99"	PPT	ND	2.4 0.8	ND	1.8
"Rh 103"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	4
"Ag 107"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	21
"Cd 114"	PPT	ND	ND	23 3	8
"In 115"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	3
"Te 125"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	14
"Hf 177"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	18
"Ta 181"	PPT	17 1	ND	20 2	2.1
"Re 187"	PPT	11 1	21 2	17 1	2.2
"Ir 193"	PPT	ND	3.2 0.7	ND	2.8
"Pt 195"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	6
"Au 197"	PPT	ND	30 10	ND	24
"Pb 208"	PPT	101 1	15 2	183 2	8
"Bi 209"	PPT	ND	ND	ND	6

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		Tippipah	Cane	Topopah	
		Mean	Mean	Mean	Detection
		S.D.	S.D.	S.D.	Limit
"Y 89"	PPT	146	97	205	1.2
		7	2	8	
"La 139"	PPT	320	19.6	136	1.4
		20	0.9	4	
"Ce 140"	PPT	720	22.1	450	1.9
		40	0.2	20	
"Pr 141"	PPT	68	5.5	32.6	1
		5	0.4	0.1	
"Nd 143"	PPT	240	22	125	2.4
		20	2.1	5	
"Sm 147"	PPT	69	5.4	25	1.9
		5	0.8	3	
"Eu 151"	PPT	3.5	3	2.4	1.7
		0.7	0.4	0.3	
"Gd 158"	PPT	42	8.4	31	1.4
		1	1.3	2	
"Tb 159"	PPT	6.3	2.3	5.1	1.4
		0.6	0.1	0.1	
"Dy 163"	PPT	29	11	30	2.4
		2	2	2	
"Ho 165"	PPT	5.5	2.8	6.6	0.9
		0.8	0.3	0.3	
"Er 166"	PPT	15.1	7.7	19	1.5
		0.6	0.2	2	
"Tm 169"	PPT	1.9	1.1	3.2	1.1
		0.2	0.2	0.1	
"Yb 173"	PPT	15	8.8	21	1
		2	0.6	2	
"Lu 175"	PPT	1.9	ND	3.6	1.4
		0.1		0.3	
"Th 232"	PPT	63	1.2	14.3	15.4
		2	0.2	0.8	1.1

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