

CERTIFICATE

Aqueous calibration solution

ASTASOL® AN90781H

This Certificate is designed in accordance with ISO Guide 31

Category: Certified reference material

Analyte: Sulfates (SO₄²⁻)

Product code: AN90781H

Starting primary compound and its purity: (NH₄)₂SO₄ 99.9999%

Matrix:

Ultrapure demineralized water (resistivity $\geq 18\text{M}\Omega\cdot\text{cm}$, 0.22 μm filtered)

Density and its expanded uncertainty (k = 2): 0.9990 \pm 0.0005 g/cm³ (at 20 °C)

Certified value of concentration and its expanded uncertainty (k = 2) at 20 °C

1 000 \pm 2 mg/l

1 001 \pm 3 mg/kg*

*Mass fraction in mg/kg is derived from density

Specification:

Batch No.: 9008

The date of production: 29.06.2022

Shelf life: 5 years from the date of production

The date of first opening of the aluminium bag:

Expiry date:.....12 months from the first opening of the aluminium bag within shelf life period, which should be indicated on the label of the bottle as well.

Intended use:

For calibration and validation of analytical methods analysing aqueous solutions such as atomic spectrometry (AAS, AES, ICP-OES, ICP-MS), molecular absorption spectrometry and selected electroanalytical methods

Certification and traceability:

This CRM is certified on the basis of gravimetric preparation. This procedure also ensures a direct traceability to SI unit – kg. Certified concentration, its uncertainty and traceability were verified by gravimetric determination of sulfates (as BaSO₄) and by simultaneous determination of sulfates in independent reference solution (SRM NIST 3181).

Trace impurities in bottled solution (in mg/l):

Determination of trace impurities was performed by IC chromatography. Impurity levels are supplied only for information of the user and should not be used as calibration data.

| Br ⁻ | Cl ⁻ | F ⁻ | I ⁻ | NO ₂ ⁻ | NO ₃ ⁻ | PO ₄ ³⁻ | SO ₄ ²⁻ |
|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <0.02 | <0.02 | <0.02 | <0.02 | <0.02 | <0.02 | <0.02 | A |

< x = below detection limit

A = analyte

Homogeneity and stability:

It has been demonstrated that this CRM is homogeneous and its stability is guaranteed during the whole shelf life provided the solution is kept under conditions presented below.

Storing and instruction for use:

This CRM must be stored in the original closed bottle between 5 – 30 °C. The producer guarantees a declared shelf life and expiration time provided the CRM is properly stored and professionally handled. The temperature of the solution must be 20 ± 0.5 °C before every use. It is necessary to indicate on this certificate and the label the expiration time, which depends on the date of the first time the aluminium bag was opened. After use, the bottle must be immediately tightly capped, and it is recommended to put it back into the reclosable aluminium bag. It is not recommended to use the standard solution when the bottle contains less than 10 % of the solution. Therefore, in case of non-transparent bottle, it is important to indicate the amount of the solution used, e.g. on the label. Do not pipette from the bottle. Do not return removed aliquots to bottle.

Note:

Detailed information about the production, homogeneity, stability, coding, characterization and storing of this CRM are described in the document “Detailed information about the production of aqueous calibration solutions ASTASOL®” which is available for download on the website www.analytika.net.

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