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# **ANALYTICAL REPORT**

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## Laboratory Job ID: 280-143583-1

Client Project/Site: Gadsden PFC Sampling

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#### CASE NARRATIVE

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**Client: Gadsden Water Works** 

#### Project: Gadsden PFC Sampling

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With the exceptions noted as flags or footnotes, standard analytical protocols were followed in the analysis of the samples and no problems were encountered or anomalies observed. In addition all laboratory quality control samples were within established control limits, with any exceptions noted below. Each sample was analyzed to achieve the lowest possible reporting limit within the constraints of the method. In some cases, due to interference or analytes present at high concentrations, samples were diluted. For diluted samples, the reporting limits are adjusted relative to the dilution required.

Calculations are performed before rounding to avoid round-off errors in calculated results.

All holding times were met and proper preservation noted for the methods performed on these samples, unless otherwise detailed in the individual sections below.

#### **RECEIPT**

The samples were received on 12/9/2020 10:00 AM; the samples arrived in good condition, and where required, properly preserved and on ice. The temperature of the cooler at receipt was 1.2° C.

#### PERFLUORINATED HYDROCARBONS (PFC)

Samples GADSDEN-RW (280-143583-1) and GADSDEN-FW (280-143583-2) were analyzed for Perfluorinated Hydrocarbons (PFC) in accordance with SOP DV-LC-0012. The samples were prepared on 12/18/2020 and analyzed on 12/21/2020.

Method DV-LC-0012: The Isotope Dilution Analyte (IDA) recovery associated with the following samples is below the method recommended limit: GADSDEN-RW (280-143583-1) and GADSDEN-FW (280-143583-2). Generally, data quality is not considered affected if the IDA signal-to-noise ratio is greater than 10:1, which is achieved for all IDA in the samples. preparation batch 280-520935 and analytical batch 280-521232 PFC

The method required MS/MSD could not be performed due to insufficient sample volume, however, a LCS/LCSD pair was analyzed to demonstrate method precision and accuracy.

No additional analytical or quality issues were noted, other than those described above or in the Definitions/Glossary page.

# **Detection Summary**

#### Client: Gadsden Water Works Project/Site: Gadsden PFC Sampling

# Client Sample ID: GADSDEN-RW

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	MDL	Unit	Dil Fac D	Method	Prep Type
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	0.089		0.017	0.0071	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA)	0.018		0.017	0.0084	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	0.037		0.017	0.0068	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS)	0.033		0.026	0.011	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	0.029		0.017	0.0084	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPA)	0.065		0.026	0.0094	ug/L	1	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA

### **Client Sample ID: GADSDEN-FW**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	MDL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	0.087		0.016	0.0068	ug/L	1	_	DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA)	0.015	J	0.016	0.0081	ug/L	1		DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	0.036		0.016	0.0065	ug/L	1		DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS)	0.026		0.025	0.011	ug/L	1		DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	0.023		0.016	0.0081	ug/L	1		DV-LC-0012	Total/NA
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPA)	0.051		0.025	0.0090	ug/L	1		DV-LC-0012	Total/NA

This Detection Summary does not include radiochemical test results.

Job ID: 280-143583-1

Lab Sample ID: 280-143583-2

# 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

# Lab Sample ID: 280-143583-1 3

## Method: DV-LC-0012 - Fluorinated Alkyl Substances

#### Client Sample ID: GADSDEN-RW Date Collected: 12/07/20 20:18

Date Received: 12/09/20 10:00						_			
Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	MDL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	0.089		0.017	0.0071	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA)	0.018		0.017	0.0084	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	0.0079	U	0.017	0.0079	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	0.0067	U	0.017	0.0067	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	0.013	U	0.026	0.013	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	0.011	U	0.026	0.011	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	0.0060	U	0.026	0.0060	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	0.037		0.017	0.0068	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	0.0065	U	0.034	0.0065	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS)	0.033		0.026	0.011	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	0.029		0.017	0.0084	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPA)	0.065		0.026	0.0094	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTeA)	0.013	U	0.026	0.013	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTriA)	0.015	U	0.034	0.015	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	0.0059	U	0.017	0.0059	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:01	1
Surrogate	%Recovery	Qualifier	Limits				Prepared	Analvzed	Dil Fac

Surrogate	%Recovery	Qualifier	Limits
13C8 PFOA	110		60 - 155
13C8 PFOS	121		45 - 130

#### Client Sample ID: GADSDEN-FW Date Collected: 12/08/20 11:00 Date Received: 12/09/20 10:00

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	MDL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	0.087		0.016	0.0068	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA)	0.015	J	0.016	0.0081	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorodecanesulfonic acid (PFDS)	0.0075	U	0.016	0.0075	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	0.0064	U	0.016	0.0064	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	0.012	U	0.025	0.012	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	0.011	U	0.025	0.011	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	0.0057	U	0.025	0.0057	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	0.036		0.016	0.0065	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	0.0062	U	0.033	0.0062	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS)	0.026		0.025	0.011	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	0.023		0.016	0.0081	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPA)	0.051		0.025	0.0090	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTeA)	0.012	U	0.025	0.012	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTriA)	0.015	U	0.033	0.015	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	0.0057	U	0.016	0.0057	ug/L		12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
Surrogate	%Recovery	Qualifier	Limits				Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
13C8 PFOA	108		60 - 155				12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1
13C8 PFOS	114		45 - 130				12/18/20 06:54	12/21/20 11:10	1

#### Lab Sample ID: 280-143583-1 Matrix: Water

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#### Lab Sample ID: 280-143583-2 Matrix: Water

12/18/20 06:54 12/21/20 11:01

12/18/20 06:54 12/21/20 11:01

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### Method: DV-LC-0012 - Fluorinated Alkyl Substances Matrix: Water

			Perce	nt Surrogate Recovery (Acceptance Limits)
		C8PFOA	C8PFOS	
ab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	(60-155)	(45-130)	
280-143583-1	GADSDEN-RW	110	121	
280-143583-2	GADSDEN-FW	108	114	
DLCK 280-500633/14	Lab Control Sample	108	91	
CS 280-520935/2-A	Lab Control Sample	106	122	
CSD 280-520935/3-A	Lab Control Sample Dup	107	124	
MB 280-520935/1-A	Method Blank	108	114	
Surrogate Legend				
C8PFOA = 13C8 PFOA	A			

C8PFOS = 13C8 PFOS

Prep Type: Total/NA

12/22/2020