

SAF-RC-040
300 Area D&D Waste Characterization
Sampling - Other Solid
FINAL DATA PACKAGE

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Renee Nielson L1-01

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COMMENTS:

SDG 07-T-3117

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Rad only

Chem only

Rad & Chem

Complete

Partial

Sample Location/Waste Site: 300 Area / 3746 Building

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REFERENCE DATA

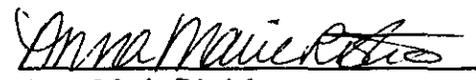
Client Sample Nos.:	J155N9
P.O. Number:	Not Available
Sample Location:	300 Area / 3746 Building
Sample Type:	Dust Collected on Textile
Method Reference:	EPA/600/R-93/116, Asbestos by TEM, modified
DCL Set ID No.:	07-T-3117
DCL Sample ID Nos.:	07-17778
Date Received:	6/8/2007
Preparation Date:	6/13/2007
Analysis Date:	6/13/2007

We certify that the samples indicated on the following data sheet were analyzed by Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM) using the method, EPA/600/R-93/116, for determining the amount and type of asbestos present in bulk building materials, with a modified prep for dust collected on textile. We initially examined the material by stereomicroscope and polarized light microscopy (PLM) for large-sized asbestos fibers. To test for asbestos fibers that would be too small to detect using PLM, we cut open the seams of the textile, and sonicated the sample in a DI water/alcohol mixture, to remove the dust collected in the seams. We filtered portions of the suspension onto 0.22-micron MCE filters, then prepared the filters for TEM analysis.

Analysis was performed on a Philips CM-12 TEM with EDAX Genesis System. Selected area electron diffraction (SAED) patterns and EDXA spectra were used to determine fiber species. Estimates of asbestos concentration are made on an area basis. Representative EDXA spectra of asbestos types detected are included. Results apply only to portions of samples analyzed and are tabulated on the following data sheet. DataChem Laboratories will dispose of bulk samples after 60 days unless other arrangements are made.



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DataChem Laboratories
TEM Bulk Asbestos Test Report

DCL Sample Set ID: 07-T-3117
Client: Washington Closure Hanford
Sample Location: 300 Area 3746 Building

ANALYSIS DATA

Calibration Date:	6/12/2007	Magnification:	9,690 X
EDXA Resolution:	167.4 eV	Calibration Constant:	1 cm = 1.03 μ m
Accelerating Voltage:	100 keV	Camera Constant:	31.97 mm-Å

SAMPLE ID

Client Sample ID	**J155N9
DCL Sample ID	07-17778

MACROSCOPIC EXAMINATION

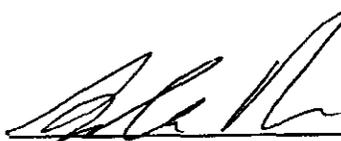
Accepted/Rejected	Accepted
Homogeneity	Homog.
Color	Grey
Texture	Powdery
Description	Dust Collected on Textile

ASBESTIFORM MINERALS

% Chrysotile	>3 \le 5
% Amosite	
% Crocidolite	
% Tremolite - Actinolite	
% Anthophyllite	
% TOTAL ASBESTOS	>3 \le 5

NOTES: *ND* = None Detected *TRACE* = <1%

****Comments:** Per client request, the dust collected in the seams of Sample J155N9 was separated from the textile and analyzed for asbestos.

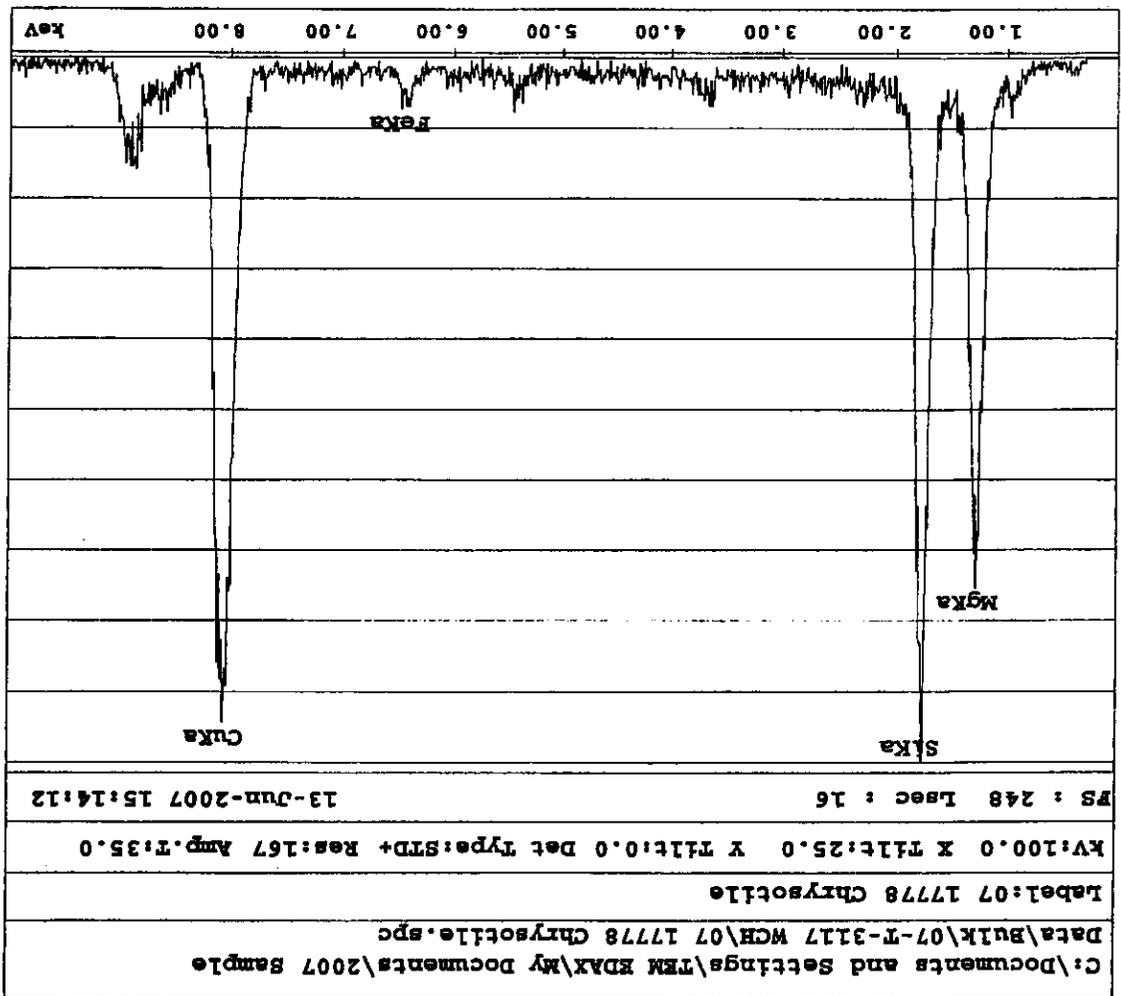


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From: Anna Ristich [amristich@datachemlabs.com]
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To: Kessner, Joan H
Subject: TEM Results for Dust on Hood Seams 3117
Attachments: 07-AT-3117 TEM Dust.pdf

Hi Joan,

Angela was able to finish the TEM analysis of J155N9 (the dust collected in the hood seams). She did find chrysotile asbestos in the dust; the fibers would have been too small to detect by PLM, which is why Shawn did not find them.

We did not really try to identify the non-asbestos particles in the dust in this sample. The material listed as "Other Fibers" on the PLM report are the fibers of the textile itself.

Anna

PS I have not sent this to the group yet.

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