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ANALYTICAL METHOD VERIFICATION REPORT: SIEVERS M9 TOC ANALYSIS – URACIL

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1. PURPOSE:

- 1.1. The purpose of this Method Verification Report is to:
 - 1.1.1. Ensure that the Total Organic Carbon (TOC) procedure on the Sievers M9 TOC Analyzer is adequately evaluated and verified for Uracil cleaning.
 - 1.1.2. To summarize the results from the Uracil Cleaning Total Organic Carbon (TOC) Analysis verification and demonstrate that the analytical method meets all requirements for:
 - 1.1.2.1. System Suitability
 - 1.1.2.2. Accuracy
 - 1.1.2.3. Precision
 - 1.1.2.4. Specificity
 - 1.1.2.5. Linearity
 - 1.1.2.6. Range
 - 1.1.2.7. Limit of Detection
 - 1.1.2.8. Limit of Quantitation
 - 1.1.3. To summarize the results from the recovery of Uracil rinse and swab samples from substrates of interest.

2. SCOPE:

- 2.1. This analytical method verification report applies to the Uracil Cleaning Total Organic Carbon (TOC) Analysis for rinse and swab extraction samples using the Sievers M9 TOC Analyzer.
- 2.2. The Uracil Cleaning Total Organic Carbon (TOC) Analysis was verified as a Category II Quantitative test.
- 2.3. **Reaction Chemistry:** The Sievers M9 TOC Analyzer is designed to measure the concentration of total organic carbon (TOC), total inorganic carbon (TIC), and total carbon (TC = TOC + TIC) in water samples. The Analyzer oxidizes organic compounds to form carbon dioxide (CO₂) using UV radiation and a chemical oxidizing agent (ammonium persulfate). CO₂ is measured using selective membrane-based conductometric detection.

3. RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 3.1. The Senior Manager of Product Life Cycle is responsible for the control, implementation, training and maintenance of this procedure.
- 3.2. Qualified personnel are responsible for data review and completing the Method Verification Report using conclusions made from the results obtained from testing.

4. REFERENCES:

- 4.1. BSI-PRL-0564, Sievers M9 TOC Verification Protocol
- 4.2. BSI-SOP-0098, Balance SOP
- 4.3. BSI-SOP-0126, Laboratory Notebooks
- 4.4. BSI-SOP-0133, Blue M Convection Oven Operation and Calibration SOP
- 4.5. BSI-SOP-0134, Pipette SOP
- 4.6. BSI-SOP-0244, VWR Gravity Convection Oven Operation and Calibration
- 4.7. BSI-SOP-0293, Process Cleaning Validation Master Plan
- 4.8. BSI-SOP-0436, Analytical Methods Validation Master Plan
- 4.9. BSI-SOP-0494, Sievers M9 TOC Analyzer SOP
- 4.10. M9 Series Operation and Maintenance Manual
- 4.11. Sievers DataPro2 Software with DataGuard User Guide

5. MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT:

5.1. All materials and equipment utilized in this verification are outlined in this section.

5.2. Equipment

TABLE 1: EQUIPMENT					
Equipment	Model / Part Number	Manufacturer	Serial Number	Calibration Due Date	Date of Last Calibration
TOC Analyzer	M9	Sievers	22027246	2/25	2/29/24
Analytical Balance	MSE224S	Sartorius	24801744	10/31/24	4/12/24
Calibrated Micropipette	Research Plus	Eppendorf	I44338L	8/31/24	2/22/24
			J18397D	9/30/24	3/4/24
			G26211D	10/31/24	4/24/24
			N31016H	9/30/24	3/4/24
Oven	Isotemp / Cat.15-103- 0512	Fisherbrand	42090787	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

5.3. Standards and Reagents


TABLE 2: STANDARDS AND REAGENTS				
Reagent / Standard	Lot ID	Manufacturer	CAS Number	Expiration Date
Uracil	URAC-0123- 00014	BioSpectra Inc.	66-22-8	12/31/25
Purified Water	F9SA14284H	Millipore Sigma	7732-18-5	Not Applicable
Tris Standard	723e	NIST	77-86-1	12/31/25
Acid Cartridge – 6M Phosphoric Acid	24044-ACID037	Suez	7664-38-2	2/13/25
Oxidizer Cartridge – 15% Ammonium Persulfate	24107-OXID104	Suez	7727-54-0	4/16/25

5.4. Supplies

TABLE 3: SUPPLIES		
Supply	Manufacturer	Part Number
Low TOC Vials	Scientific Specialties	376740-TOC
Weight Boat / Paper	Cole Parmer	01017-05

6. PROCEDURE:

6.1. Start Up:



- 6.1.1. Check the consumables levels prior to performing analyses.
 - 6.1.1.1. In the DataPro 2 software, select the Maintenance screen. 
 - 6.1.1.2. Select the Analyzer Panel.
 - 6.1.1.3. Select the Consumables Tab.
 - 6.1.1.4. Check the percentage of useful life remaining for each consumable: Acid, Oxidizer, UV lamp, Pumps, and Resin Bed. Reference the M9 Series Operation and Maintenance Manual if consumables need to be replaced.

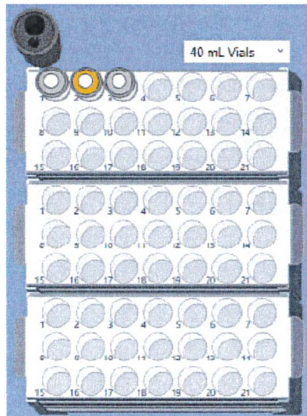
Acid	Oxidizer	UV Lamp	Resin Bed	Pumps
91.2 %	64.4 %	82.2 %	91.2 %	91.2 %
Installed: 03/28/2022 Expires: 03/28/2023 Remaining: 332 Day(s)	Installed: 03/28/2022 Expires: 06/26/2022 Remaining: 57 Day(s)	Installed: 03/28/2022 Expires: 09/24/2022 Remaining: 147 Day(s)	Installed: 03/28/2022 Expires: 03/28/2023 Remaining: 332 Day(s)	Installed: 03/28/2022 Expires: 03/28/2023 Remaining: 332 Day(s)


6.1.2. DI Water Reservoir

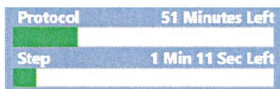
- 6.1.2.1. Confirm that the DI water reservoir is filled to the proper level by observing the float disk in the DI reservoir. Reference the M9 Series Operation and Maintenance Manual, if needed.

6.2. Running a Protocol (Verification or Sample Analysis)

- 6.2.1. Check that the TOC and Conductivity Calibrations are current, prior to analyzing samples.
 - 6.2.1.1. In the DataPro 2 software, select the Data Management  screen.
 - 6.2.1.2. Ensure that the most recent passing TOC and Conductivity Calibrations are current (annually calibrated).
- 6.2.2. Perform a syringe flush daily or if the Analyzer has been idle during the last eight hours.
 - 6.2.2.1. In the DataPro 2 software, select the Maintenance Screen.
 - 6.2.2.2. Select the Analyzer Panel.
 - 6.2.2.3. Select the Analyzer Tab.
 - 6.2.2.4. Insert a flush vial (filled with DI water) into position six (6) of the Autosampler Emergency rack.
 - 6.2.2.5. Change the number of flushes to three (3) minimum.
 - 6.2.2.6. Click Start.
- 6.2.3. In the DataPro 2 software, select the Favorites  screen.
- 6.2.4. Select the Protocol to run and click Load. The Home screen appears with the Setup tab active.
- 6.2.5. Load the sample vials into the Autosampler racks in the positions shown on the Sampling Rack graphic.



- 6.2.5.1. Samples may be added to the Protocol Table as needed by selecting the desired sample vial location on the Sampling Rack Graphic (the selected location will highlight orange) then selecting the “Apply Method to Vials (Insert)” icon on the Protocol Table window.
- 6.2.5.2. Samples may be removed from the Protocol Table as needed by selecting the sample row in the Protocol Table (the selected row(s) will highlight blue) then selecting the “Remove Selected Steps (Delete)” icon on the Protocol Table window.
- 6.2.5.3. Samples may be reordered in the Protocol Table as needed by typing the desired numeric order (starting with one (1)) in the “Step” column in the Protocol Table for each sample.
- 6.2.6. Type the lot number for each vial in the Lot # column.
- 6.2.7. Click the Run Protocol  button to start the analyses.
- 6.2.8. If the Analyzer has been idle during the last eight hours, and a reagent flush has not been performed, a message appears prompting a reagent flush.
 - 6.2.8.1. Click Yes to display the Syringe Flush panel. Enter the number of flushes. (At least 3 flushes).
 - 6.2.8.2. Insert a flush vial (filled with DI water) into position 6 of the Autosampler Emergency rack and click Start. When the flush completes, the Analyzer.
 - 6.2.8.3. automatically begins sampling.
- 6.2.9. Progress bars indicate the time remaining for the Protocol and the current Step.



7. SOLUTION PREPARATION:

7.1. Control Solutions/ Standard Solutions

- 7.1.1. Five concentrations will be prepared from a *250 ppm Carbon Analyte stock solution*.
- 7.1.2. The 0, 0.125, 0.500, 1.000, 2.000 and 10.000 ppm concentrations will be prepared and analyzed in triplicate for assessment of accuracy, precision, linearity, range, and limit of quantitation and detection data.
 - 7.1.2.1. *250 ppm Carbon analyte stock solution*
 - 7.1.2.1.1. For Pure substances, determine the mass percentage of Carbon of the molecule of interest. Weigh ($0.250 / \% \text{ Carbon} = \text{g}$) of material of interest on the Analytical balance, transfer, dissolve, and dilute to 1000 mL with Purified water.
 - 7.1.2.1.2. For substances of unknown carbon concentration; prepare a 100ppm stock and analyze to determine % Carbon content experimentally; use the % Carbon value in the equation above to prepare a 250ppm Carbon solution.
 - 7.1.2.1.3. Experimentally Calculate % Carbon as:

$$\% \text{ Carbon} = [(\text{Result ppm C}) / (100\text{ppm})] * 100$$
 - 7.1.2.2. 10.000 ppm (Concentration Level 5)
 - 7.1.2.2.1. Pipette 1.200mL of the *250ppm Carbon stock solution*, record weight, and dilute to 30g with Purified water in a TOC vial.
 - 7.1.2.3. 2.000 ppm (Concentration Level 4)
 - 7.1.2.3.1. Pipette 0.240mL of the *250ppm Carbon stock solution*, record weight, and dilute to 30g with Purified water in a TOC vial.
 - 7.1.2.4. 1.000 ppm (Concentration Level 3)

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- 7.1.2.4.1. Pipette 0.120mL of the 250ppm Carbon stock solution, record weight, and dilute to 30g with Purified water in a TOC vial.
- 7.1.2.5. 0.500 ppm (Concentration Level 2)
 - 7.1.2.5.1. Pipette 0.060mL of the 250ppm Carbon stock solution, record weight, and dilute to 30g with Purified water in a TOC vial.
- 7.1.2.6. 0.125 ppm (Concentration Level 1)
 - 7.1.2.6.1. Pipette 0.015mL of the 250ppm Carbon stock solution, record weight, and dilute to 30g with Purified water in a TOC vial.
- 7.1.2.7. 0 ppm (Blank)
 - 7.1.2.7.1. Purified water in a TOC vial.

8. PERFORMANCE PARAMETERS:

8.1. Calibration/System Suitability:

- 8.1.1. Verify the calibration is current before use.
- 8.1.2. System Suitability: Analyze a 5.00ppm Tris Standard Solution and Reagent Water prior to analysis. Calculate Percent Recovery (%) as follows:

$$\text{Percent Recovery (\%)} = \frac{(\text{Tris Standard (ppm)} - \text{Reagent Water Standard (ppm)})}{5.00 \text{ ppm}} \times 100$$

8.1.3. Acceptance Criteria:

- 8.1.3.1. TOC and Conductivity Calibrations are current (calibrated annually).
- 8.1.3.2. Percent Recovery of 80% to 120%.

8.2. Accuracy:

- 8.2.1. Accuracy will be assessed over a minimum of 15 determinations over 5 concentration levels. Accuracy will be reported as the percent recovery. The data will be assessed by calculating the percent recovery for each concentration.

$$\text{Percent Recovery (\%)} = \frac{(\text{Reported Value (ppm)} - \text{Blank Value (ppm)})}{\text{Theoretical Value (ppm)}} \times 100$$

8.2.2. Acceptance criteria:

- 8.2.2.1. Samples with ≥ 1 ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 80% to 120%.
- 8.2.2.2. Samples with < 1 ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 50% to 150%.

8.3. Precision (NMT 20% RSD):

- 8.3.1. The precision of the analytical procedure is determined by assaying a sufficient number of aliquots of a homogenous sample to be able to calculate statistically valid estimates of standard deviation or relative standard deviation (%RSD).

$$\text{Standard Deviation (s)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum(X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}}$$

$$\%RSD = \frac{\text{Standard Deviation (ppm)}}{\text{Average (ppm)}} \times 100$$

8.3.2. Acceptance Criteria:

- 8.3.2.1. Report Standard Deviation for each level.
- 8.3.2.2. A Relative Standard Deviation (%RSD) of NMT 20% at each level.

8.4. Specificity:

- 8.4.1. Specificity will be demonstrated by meeting requirements for accuracy and precision.

8.5. Linearity:

8.5.1. Linearity will be assessed across five (5) analysis levels. Plot the Average Response (ppm) vs. the Theoretical Spike Level (ppm), perform a linear regression, and report the Coefficient of Determination (r^2), Slope, and Y-Intercept.

8.5.2. Acceptance Criteria:

8.5.2.1. The Coefficient of Determination (r^2) should be NLT 0.99.

8.5.2.2. Report the Slope and Y-Intercept.

8.6. Range:

8.6.1. The range of the analytical method will be determined by the highest and lowest concentrations of analyte that produce suitable results for accuracy, precision, and linearity.

8.7. Limit of Detection (LoD) / Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)

8.7.1. The standard deviation will be determined for each of the following concentrations, Concentration Levels (ppm) plotted against the response (ppm), a linear regression performed, and the slope reported.

8.7.1.1. 1.000 ppm (Concentration Level 3)

8.7.1.2. 0.500 ppm (Concentration Level 2)

8.7.1.3. 0.125 ppm (Concentration Level 1)

8.7.1.4. 0 ppm (Blank)

8.7.2. The Limit of Detection (LoD) will be expressed as:

$$\text{Limit of Detection (LoD)} = \frac{3.3\sigma}{S}$$

8.7.2.1. Where:

8.7.2.1.1. S = Slope of the Calibration Curve.

8.7.2.1.2. σ = Average Std. deviation of the blank response.

8.7.3. The Limit of Quantitation (LoQ) will be expressed as:

$$\text{Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)} = \frac{10\sigma}{S}$$

8.7.3.1. Where:

8.7.3.1.1. S = Slope of the Calibration Curve

8.7.3.1.2. σ = Average Std. deviation of the blank response.

9. RECOVERY STUDIES:

9.1. Recovery study transcribed from a previously performed study.

9.2. Cleaning the Coupons

9.2.1. Coupons were thoroughly washed and rinsed with purified water to ensure no residual contamination existed.

9.3. Blank Coupon

9.3.1. No Spike solution was applied to blank coupon.

9.4. Spike Delivery to the Coupons

9.4.1. Three coupons were spiked at 10 ppm for the recovery study in triplicate using a 3000ppm Uridine Standard Spike Solution.

9.4.2. The pipette tips were rinsed twice with purified water and twice with the spiking solution prior to spiking the coupons.

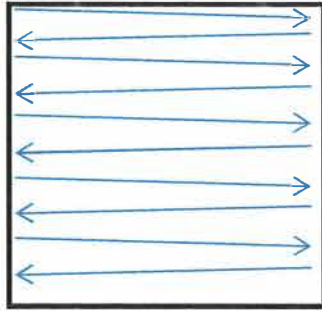
9.4.3. 0.1000 mL of the spiking solution was applied to each experimental coupon. The spiking solution was evenly applied across the 4" x 4" swabbing area.

9.4.4. Dried the coupons.

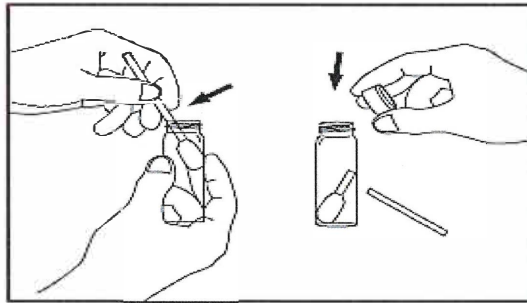
9.5. Sampling Methods

9.5.1. Swab Sample Recoveries

- 9.5.1.1. One pre-wetted swab with purified water was used to swab the area of the coupon that the spiking solution and purified water was applied to. The swab pattern used is illustrated below.
 - 9.5.1.1.1. The swab was held at a 45° angle to the surface of the coupon.
 - 9.5.1.1.2. Enough pressure was applied to the swab to ensure adequate contact with the surface.
- 9.5.1.2. The first swab was moved from left to right in a “Z” motion, overlapping the last sweep.



- 9.5.1.3. The coupon was rotated 90° and the swab was turned over.
- 9.5.1.4. Repeated the swabbing pattern as defined above.
- 9.5.1.5. The swab head was then broken off into a labeled TOC vial as depicted below.



- 9.5.1.6. 30 mL of Purified water was added to the TOC vial.
- 9.5.1.7. The swab sample head was extracted by sonicating for 5 minutes.

10. VERIFICATION SUMMARY:

TABLE 4: VERIFICATION SUMMARY		
Performance Parameters	Acceptance Criteria	Results
Calibration / System Suitability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TOC calibration is current • Percent Recovery of the 5ppm Tris Standard is 80% to 120% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TOC Calibration = 2/29/24 • Percent Recovery = 103%
Accuracy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Samples with ≥ 1ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 80% to 120%. • Samples with < 1ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 50% to 150%. 	<p>0.125ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replicate 1 = 119% • Replicate 2 = 119% • Replicate 3 = 118% <p>0.500ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replicate 1 = 89% • Replicate 2 = 92% • Replicate 3 = 93% <p>1.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replicate 1 = 87% • Replicate 2 = 86% • Replicate 3 = 87% <p>2.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replicate 1 = 85% • Replicate 2 = 86% • Replicate 3 = 87% <p>10.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Replicate 1 = 81% • Replicate 2 = 82% • Replicate 3 = 82%
Precision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report the Standard Deviation for each concentration level. • The %RSD of the carbon concentration values is NMT 20% at each level. 	<p>0.125ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Deviation = 0.001 • %RSD = 0.34% <p>0.500ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Deviation = 0.009 • %RSD = 1.80% <p>1.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Deviation = 0.005 • %RSD = 0.52% <p>2.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Deviation = 0.021 • %RSD = 1.20% <p>10.000ppm Carbon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard Deviation = 0.042 • %RSD = 0.52%
Specificity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All requirements are met for accuracy and precision. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accuracy and Precision requirements were met.

TABLE 4: VERIFICATION SUMMARY		
Performance Parameters	Acceptance Criteria	Results
Linearity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report the slope and the Y-Intercept. The Coefficient of Determination (r^2) should be NLT 0.99. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Slope = 0.8094 Y-Intercept = 0.0945 Coefficient of Determination (r^2) = 1.0000
Range	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report the lowest and highest concentrations of analyte that meet requirements for accuracy, precision, and linearity. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0.125ppm Carbon – 10.000ppm Carbon 0.292ppm Uracil – 23.332ppm Uracil
Limit of Detection (LoD) / Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report the Limit of Detection (LoD). Report the Limit of Quantitation (LoQ). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit of Detection (LoD) = 0.002ppm Carbon (0.005ppm Uracil) Limit of Quantitation (LoQ) = 0.005ppm Carbon (0.012ppm Uracil)
Recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Percent recovery of 50-110% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Replicate 1 = 95.1% Replicate 2 = 98.1% Replicate 3 = 98.8%

11. VERIFICATION RESULTS:

11.1. System Suitability:

11.1.1. System Suitability was assessed by analyzing a 5.00ppm Tris Standard Solution and Reagent Water prior to analysis and calculating the percent recovery (%). All acceptance criteria were met and are summarized in Tables 5 and 6.

11.1.2. Acceptance Criteria:

11.1.2.1. TOC Calibration is current (calibrated annually).

11.1.2.2. Percent Recovery of 80% to 120%.

TABLE 5: CALIBRATIONS		
Calibration	Date and Time	Calibration Range
TOC	2/29/24 @ 1221	0-50ppm

TABLE 6: SYSTEM SUITABILITY RESULTS			
Tris Standard Solution Concentration (ppm Carbon)	Tris Standard Solution Result (ppm Carbon)	Reagent Water Result (ppm Carbon)	Percent Recovery (80-120%)
4.9972	5.18	0.0335	103

11.2. Accuracy:

11.2.1. Accuracy was assessed with fifteen (15) determinations over five (5) concentration levels. The percent recovery was calculated by comparing the Reported Carbon Value (ppm) to the Theoretical Carbon Concentration (ppm). All acceptance criteria were met and are summarized in Table 7.

$$\text{Percent Recovery (\%)} = \frac{(\text{Reported Value (ppm)} - \text{Blank Value (ppm)})}{\text{Theoretical Value (ppm)}} \times 100$$

11.2.2. Acceptance criteria:

11.2.2.1. Samples with ≥ 1 ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 80% to 120%.

11.2.2.2. Samples with < 1 ppm Carbon should have a percent recovery of 50% to 150%.

TABLE 7: ACCURACY RESULTS				
Concentration Level (ppm)	Theoretical Value (ppm)	Determination	Result (ppm)	Percent Recovery (%)
0 ppm Carbon	0	1	0.0322	
		2	0.0327	
		3	0.0330	
0.125 ppm Carbon	0.117	1	0.172	119
		2	0.172	119
		3	0.171	118
0.500 ppm Carbon	0.497	1	0.477	89
		2	0.489	92
		3	0.494	93
1.000 ppm Carbon	1.001	1	0.906	87
		2	0.897	86
		3	0.904	87
2.000 ppm Carbon	1.980	1	1.71	85
		2	1.74	86
		3	1.75	87
10.000 ppm Carbon	9.845	1	8.01	81
		2	8.09	82
		3	8.07	82

11.3. Precision:

11.3.1. Precision was assessed with triplicate determinations over five (5) concentration levels. The standard deviation and %RSD were determined at each concentration level. All acceptance criteria were met and are summarized in Table 8.

$$\text{Standard Deviation (s)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum(X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}}$$

$$\%RSD = \frac{\text{Standard Deviation (ppm)}}{\text{Average (ppm)}} \times 100$$

11.3.2. Acceptance Criteria:

11.3.2.1. Report Standard Deviation for each level.

11.3.2.2. A Relative Standard Deviation (%RSD) of NMT 20% at each level.

TABLE 8: PRECISION RESULTS				
Concentration Level (ppm)	Determination	Result (ppm)	Standard Deviation (ppm)	%RSD
0.125 ppm Carbon	1	119	0.001	0.34
	2	119		
	3	118		
0.500 ppm Carbon	1	89	0.009	1.80
	2	92		
	3	93		
1.000 ppm Carbon	1	87	0.005	0.52
	2	86		
	3	87		
2.000 ppm Carbon	1	85	0.021	1.20
	2	86		
	3	87		
10.000 ppm Carbon	1	81	0.042	0.52
	2	82		
	3	82		

11.4. Linearity:

11.4.1. Linearity was assessed across five (5) analysis levels. The average response (ppm) was plotted against the Theoretical Spike Value (ppm) and analyzed via linear regression. Reported the Coefficient of Determination (r^2), Slope, and Y-Intercept. All acceptance criteria were met and are summarized in Table 9.

11.4.2. Acceptance Criteria:

11.4.2.1. The Coefficient of Determination (r^2) should be NLT 0.99.

11.4.2.2. Report the Slope and Y-Intercept.

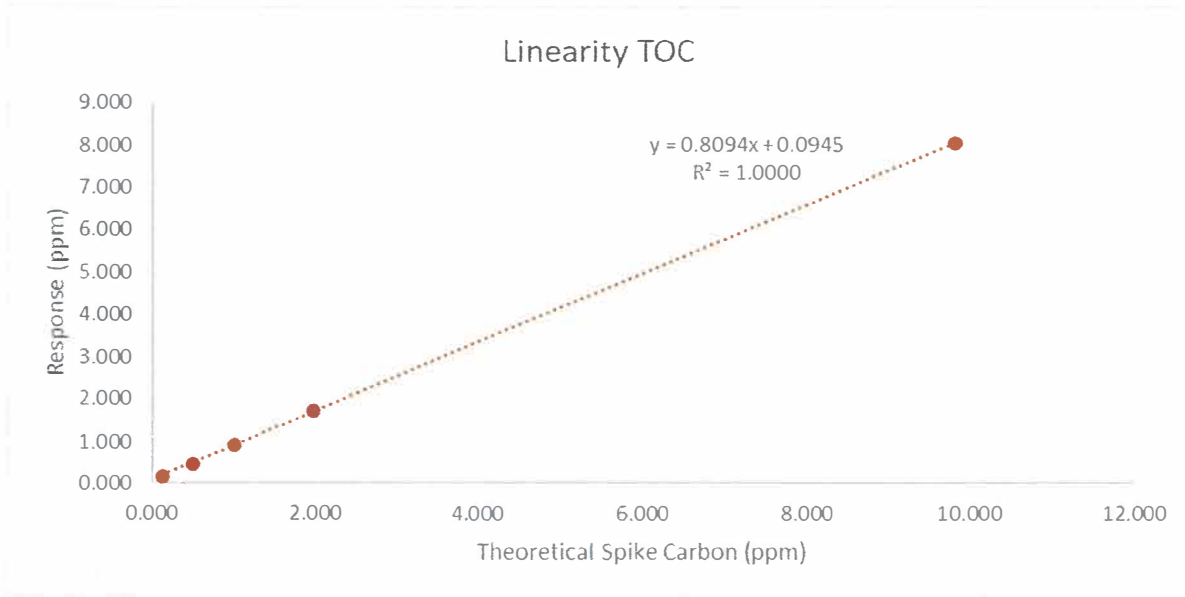


FIGURE 1: URACIL CLEANING TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON (TOC) ANALYSIS LINEARITY – AVERAGE RESPONSE (PPM) VS. THEORETICAL SPIKED CARBON (PPM)

TABLE 9: LINEARITY RESULTS							
Concentration Level (ppm)	Theoretical Spike Level (ppm)	Determination	Response (ppm)	Average Response (ppm)	Slope	Y-Intercept	r ²
0 ppm Carbon	0	1	0.0322	0.0326	0.8094	0.0945	1.0000
		2	0.0327				
		3	0.0330				
0.125 ppm Carbon	0.117	1	0.172	0.172			
		2	0.172				
		3	0.171				
0.500 ppm Carbon	0.497	1	0.477	0.487			
		2	0.489				
		3	0.494				
1.000 ppm Carbon	1.001	1	0.906	0.902			
		2	0.897				
		3	0.904				
2.000 ppm Carbon	1.980	1	1.71	1.73			
		2	1.74				
		3	1.75				
10.000 ppm Carbon	9.845	1	8.01	8.06			
		2	8.09				
		3	8.07				

11.5. Specificity:

11.5.1. Specificity was demonstrated by meeting requirements for accuracy and precision. Refer to Sections 11.2 and 11.3 for disposition. All acceptance criteria were met and are summarized in Table 10.

TABLE 10: SPECIFICITY RESULTS	
Acceptance Criteria	Result
All requirements were met for Accuracy (refer to Section 11.2)	Pass
All requirements were met for Precision (refer to Section 11.3)	Pass

11.6. Range:

11.6.1. The range of the analytical method was determined by the highest and lowest concentrations of analyte that produce suitable results for accuracy, precision, and linearity.

Range of Analysis:

- **Carbon:**
 - 0.125ppm – 10.000ppm
- **Uracil:**
 - 0.292ppm – 23.332ppm

11.7. Limit of Detection (LoD) / Limit of Quantitation (LoQ):

11.7.1. The Limit of Detection (LoD) and Limit of Quantitation (LoQ) were assessed across four (4) concentration levels, 0ppm through 1.000ppm. The concentration levels (ppm) were plotted against the average response and analyzed via linear regression. The Limit of Detection (LoD) and Limit of Quantitation (LoQ) were calculated as shown below and reported in Table 11.

11.7.2. The Limit of Detection (LoD) was expressed as:

$$\text{Limit of Detection (LoD)} = \frac{3.3\sigma}{S}$$

11.7.2.1. Where:

11.7.2.1.1. S = Slope of the Calibration Curve.

11.7.2.1.2. σ = Average Std. deviation of the blank response.

11.7.3. The Limit of Quantitation (LoQ) was expressed as:

$$\text{Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)} = \frac{10\sigma}{S}$$

11.7.3.1. Where:

11.7.3.1.1. S = Slope of the Calibration Curve

11.7.3.1.2. σ = Average Std. deviation of the blank response.

TABLE 11: LIMIT OF DETECTION / LIMIT OF QUANTITATION RESULTS							
Concentration Level (ppm)	Determination	Response (ppm)	Standard Deviation (σ)	Slope (S)	Limit of Detection (LoD)	Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)	
0 ppm Carbon	1	0.0322	0.0004	0.8608	0.002	0.005	
	2	0.0327					
	3	0.0330					
0.125 ppm Carbon	1	0.172	0.0004				
	2	0.172					
	3	0.171					
0.500 ppm Carbon	1	0.477					0.0004
	2	0.489					
	3	0.494					
1.000 ppm Carbon	1	0.906		0.0004			
	2	0.897					
	3	0.904					

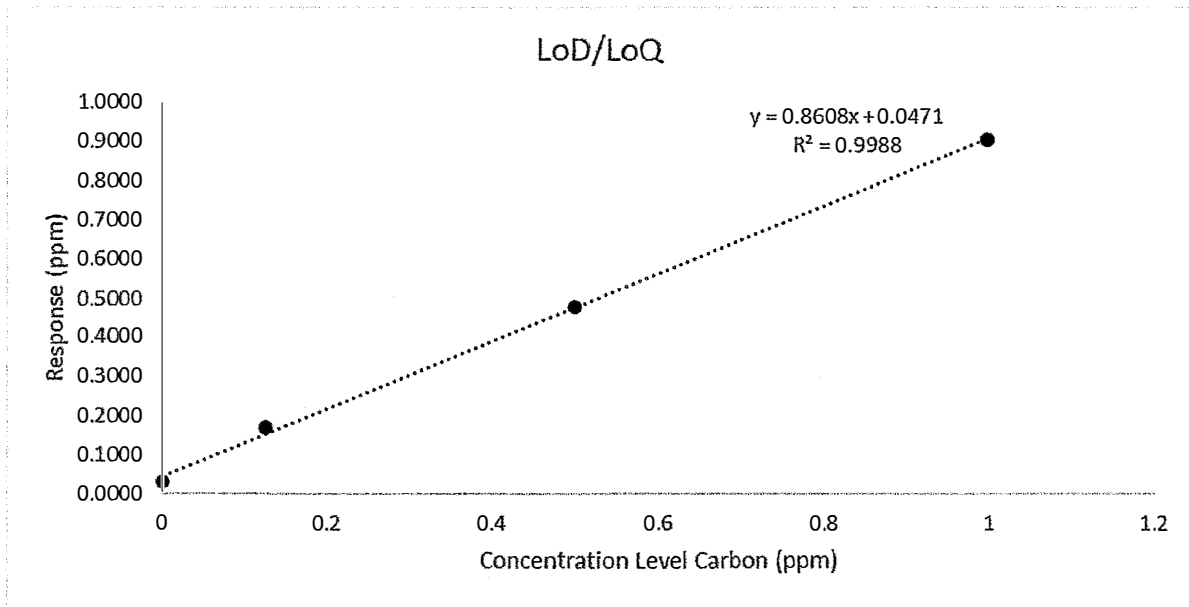


FIGURE 2: URACIL CLEANING TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON (TOC) ANALYSIS LIMIT OF DETECTION (LOD) AND LIMIT OF QUANTITATION (LOQ) – AVERAGE RESPONSE (PPM) VS. CONCENTRATION LEVEL CARBON (PPM)

11.8. Swab Recovery Study (50-110% Recovery):

11.8.1. Recovery Studies were performed using the swabbing techniques and coupon spike preparation described in section 9. The data was assessed by calculating the percent recovery for each concentration.

$$\text{Percent Recovery} = ((\text{Reported Value} - \text{Blank}) / 10 \text{ ppm Control Swab}) \times 100$$

TABLE 12: SWAB RECOVERY STUDY RESULTS			
Swab ID	Swab Area	Result (Ru)	% Recovery (50-110%)
10 ppm Control	Not Applicable	359922.00	Not Applicable
Blank	16 ² Inches	0.00	Not Applicable
1	16 ² Inches	342344.40	95.1
2	16 ² Inches	353199.20	98.1
3	16 ² Inches	355756.80	98.8
Average Percent Recovery (%)			97.4

12. CONCLUSION:**12.1. Performance Summary:**

TABLE 13: PERFORMANCE SUMMARY	
Method Performance Indicator	Result
System Suitability	Pass
Accuracy	Pass
Precision	Pass
Specificity	Pass
Linearity	Pass
Range	0.125ppm Carbon – 10.000ppm Carbon (0.292ppm Uracil – 23.332ppm Uracil)
Limit of Detection (LoD)	0.002ppm Carbon (0.005ppm Uracil)
Limit of Quantitation (LoQ)	0.005ppm Carbon (0.012ppm Uracil)
Recovery Study	Pass

12.2. **Statement of Verification:** The method of analysis of Uracil in rinse and swab samples is considered a verified method of analysis at all BioSpectra facilities with the Sievers M9 Total Organic Carbon (TOC) Analyzer and is approved for use.

12.3. Critical Changes, Discrepancies, or Failures

12.3.1. No critical changes, discrepancies, or failures were noted during the completion of this verification.