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Project Location: Princeton, MA  
Client Job Number:  
Project Number: 101979.00  
Laboratory Work Order Number: 20B0848

Enclosed are results of analyses for samples received by the laboratory on February 19, 2020. If you have any questions concerning this report, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kaitlyn", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Kaitlyn A. Feliciano  
Project Manager

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REPORT DATE: 2/26/2020

PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER:

PROJECT NUMBER: 101979.00

**ANALYTICAL SUMMARY**

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WORK ORDER NUMBER: 20B0848

The results of analyses performed on the following samples submitted to the CON-TEST Analytical Laboratory are found in this report.

PROJECT LOCATION: Princeton, MA

FIELD SAMPLE #	LAB ID:	MATRIX	SAMPLE DESCRIPTION	TEST	SUB LAB
12 Allen Hill Rd	20B0848-01	Drinking Water		EPA 537.1	

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### CASE NARRATIVE SUMMARY

All reported results are within defined laboratory quality control objectives unless listed below or otherwise qualified in this report.

#### EPA 537.1

#### Qualifications:

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##### V-20

Continuing calibration verification (CCV) did not meet method specifications and was biased on the high side. Data validation is not affected since sample result was "not detected" for this compound.

##### Analyte & Sample(s) Qualified:

##### Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer :

S046006-CCV1, S046006-CCV2, S046006-CCV3

The results of analyses reported only relate to samples submitted to the Con-Test Analytical Laboratory for testing.

I certify that the analyses listed above, unless specifically listed as subcontracted, if any, were performed under my direction according to the approved methodologies listed in this document, and that based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, the material contained in this report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lisa A. Worthington", is written over a light gray rectangular background.

Lisa A. Worthington  
Technical Representative

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Project Location: Princeton, MA

Sample Description:

Work Order: 20B0848

Date Received: 2/19/2020

Field Sample #: 12 Allen Hill Rd

Sample ID: 20B0848-01

Start Date/Time: 2/19/2020 12:00:00AM

Sample Matrix: Drinking Water

Stop Date/Time: 2/19/2020 1:40:00PM

## Semivolatile Organic Compounds by - LC/MS-MS

Analyte	Results	MCL/SMCL		Units	Dilution	Flag/Qual	Method	Date Prepared	Date/Time Analyzed	Analyst
		RL	MA ORSG							
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	2.2	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	5.8	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	4.2	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
N-EtFOSAA	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
N-MeFOSAA	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTrDA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (HFPO-DA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
11Cl-PF3OUdS (F53B Major)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
9Cl-PF3ONS (F53B Minor)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
4,8-dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (ADONA)	ND	2.0		ng/L	1		EPA 537.1	2/20/20	2/25/20 7:24	BLM
Surrogates		% Recovery		Recovery Limits		Flag/Qual				
13C-PFHxA		94.4		70-130					2/25/20 7:24	
M3HFPO-DA		93.1		70-130					2/25/20 7:24	
13C-PFDA		111		70-130					2/25/20 7:24	
d5-NEtFOSAA		92.9		70-130					2/25/20 7:24	

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**Sample Extraction Data**

**Prep Method:** EPA 537.1-EPA 537.1

Lab Number [Field ID]	Batch	Initial [mL]	Final [mL]	Date
20B0848-01 [12 Allen Hill Rd]	B252638	250	1.00	02/20/20

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## QUALITY CONTROL

## Semivolatile Organic Compounds by - LC/MS-MS - Quality Control

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
<b>Batch B252638 - EPA 537.1</b>										
<b>Blank (B252638-BLK1)</b>										
Prepared: 02/20/20 Analyzed: 02/25/20										
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
N-EtFOSAA	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
N-MeFOSAA	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTTrDA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (HFPO-DA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
11Cl-PF3OUdS (F53B Major)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
9Cl-PF3ONS (F53B Minor)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
4,8-dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (ADONA)	ND	2.0	ng/L							
Surrogate: 13C-PFHxA	35.7		ng/L	40.0		89.2	70-130			
Surrogate: M3HFPO-DA	33.7		ng/L	40.0		84.2	70-130			
Surrogate: 13C-PFDA	45.9		ng/L	40.0		115	70-130			
Surrogate: d5-NEtFOSAA	152		ng/L	160		94.8	70-130			
<b>LCS (B252638-BS1)</b>										
Prepared: 02/20/20 Analyzed: 02/25/20										
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	16.8	2.0	ng/L	17.7		95.1	70-130			
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	18.7	2.0	ng/L	20.0		93.7	70-130			
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	17.7	2.0	ng/L	18.2		97.5	70-130			
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	16.6	2.0	ng/L	20.0		83.1	70-130			
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	20.2	2.0	ng/L	20.0		101	70-130			
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	18.3	2.0	ng/L	18.5		98.9	70-130			
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	20.8	2.0	ng/L	20.0		104	70-130			
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	22.1	2.0	ng/L	20.0		110	70-130			
N-EtFOSAA	24.0	2.0	ng/L	20.0		120	70-130			
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	20.8	2.0	ng/L	20.0		104	70-130			
N-MeFOSAA	23.0	2.0	ng/L	20.0		115	70-130			
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	16.6	2.0	ng/L	20.0		82.9	70-130			
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTTrDA)	16.1	2.0	ng/L	20.0		80.7	70-130			
Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)	14.7	2.0	ng/L	20.0		73.4	70-130			
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (HFPO-DA)	26.0	2.0	ng/L	20.0		130	70-130			
11Cl-PF3OUdS (F53B Major)	15.3	2.0	ng/L	18.8		81.1	70-130			
9Cl-PF3ONS (F53B Minor)	19.0	2.0	ng/L	18.6		102	70-130			
4,8-dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (ADONA)	18.4	2.0	ng/L	20.0		92.0	70-130			
Surrogate: 13C-PFHxA	35.1		ng/L	40.0		87.9	70-130			
Surrogate: M3HFPO-DA	31.1		ng/L	40.0		77.7	70-130			
Surrogate: 13C-PFDA	44.0		ng/L	40.0		110	70-130			
Surrogate: d5-NEtFOSAA	150		ng/L	160		94.1	70-130			

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**FLAG/QUALIFIER SUMMARY**

*	QC result is outside of established limits.
†	Wide recovery limits established for difficult compound.
‡	Wide RPD limits established for difficult compound.
#	Data exceeded client recommended or regulatory level
ND	Not Detected
RL	Reporting Limit is at the level of quantitation (LOQ)
DL	Detection Limit is the lower limit of detection determined by the MDL study
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level
	Percent recoveries and relative percent differences (RPDs) are determined by the software using values in the calculation which have not been rounded.
	No results have been blank subtracted unless specified in the case narrative section.
V-20	Continuing calibration verification (CCV) did not meet method specifications and was biased on the high side. Data validation is not affected since sample result was "not detected" for this compound.



# CERTIFICATIONS

## Certified Analyses included in this Report

Analyte	Certifications
<b>EPA 537.1 in Drinking Water</b>	
Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,NY,NH,PA
Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,NY,NH,PA
Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
N-EtFOSAA	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
N-MeFOSAA	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA
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4,8-dioxa-3H-perfluorononanoic acid (ADONA)	NH-P,VT-DW,NJ,CT,ME,PA

The CON-TEST Environmental Laboratory operates under the following certifications and accreditations:

Code	Description	Number	Expires
AIHA	AIHA-LAP, LLC - ISO17025:2017	100033	03/1/2022
MA	Massachusetts DEP	M-MA100	06/30/2020
CT	Connecticut Department of Public Health	PH-0567	09/30/2021
NY	New York State Department of Health	10899 NELAP	04/1/2020
NH-S	New Hampshire Environmental Lab	2516 NELAP	02/5/2021
RI	Rhode Island Department of Health	LAO00112	12/30/2020
NC	North Carolina Div. of Water Quality	652	12/31/2020
NJ	New Jersey DEP	MA007 NELAP	06/30/2020
FL	Florida Department of Health	E871027 NELAP	06/30/2020
VT	Vermont Department of Health Lead Laboratory	LL015036	07/30/2020
ME	State of Maine	2011028	06/9/2021
VA	Commonwealth of Virginia	460217	12/14/2020
NH-P	New Hampshire Environmental Lab	2557 NELAP	09/6/2020
VT-DW	Vermont Department of Health Drinking Water	VT-255716	06/12/2020
NC-DW	North Carolina Department of Health	25703	07/31/2020
PA	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania DEP	68-05812	06/30/2020

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MassDEP

Company Name: 8 New Bond Street, Worcester MA 01606

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Project Name: Princeton Residential Well Sampling

Project Location: Princeton, MA

Project Number: DEP Project No. 101979

Project Manager: Joseph Loughton and Rebecca Buswell

Con-Test Quote Name/Number: MassDEP

Invoice Recipient: Tighe & Bond

Sampled By:

http://www.contestlabs.com

CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD  
39 Spruce Street  
East Longmeadow, MA 01028

# ANALYSIS REQUESTED

Requested Turnaround Time: 7-Day ☐ 10-Day ☒ Due Date: ☐ Field Filtered ☐ Lab to Filter

Rush-Approval Required: 1-Day ☐ 3-Day ☐ 4-Day ☐ Field Filtered ☐ Lab to Filter

Data Delivery: PDF ☒ EXCEL ☒

Format: Other: EDD ☐

CLP Like Data Pkg Required: ☐

Email To: Joseph.Loughton@mass.gov; Rebecca.Buswell@mass.gov

Fax To #:

Beginning Date/Time: 2/19/20

Ending Date/Time: 1/30

Client Sample ID / Description: 12 New Hill Rd

Matrix Code: DW

Conc Code: U

COMP/GRAB: GRAB

VIALS: 2

GLASS: 2

PLASTIC: 2

BACTERIA: 2

ENCORE: 2

PFOS/PFOA 537.1

Preservation Codes:

1 = Iced

H = HCL

M = Methanol

N = Nitric Acid

S = Sulfuric Acid

B = Sodium Bisulfate

X = Sodium Hydroxide

T = Sodium Thiosulfate

O = Other (please define)

Matrix Codes:

GW = Ground Water

WW = Waste Water

DW = Drinking Water

A = Air

S = Soil

SL = Sludge

SOL = Solid

O = Other (please define)

Glassware in the fridge? Y / N

Glassware in freezer? Y / N

Prepackaged Cooler? Y / N

\*Contest is not responsible for missing samples from prepacked coolers

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Client Comments:

Please bill MASSDEP direct using project number 101979

Detection Limit Requirements

MA MCP Required

MCP Certification Form Required

CT RCP Required

RCP Certification Form Required

MA State DW Required

PWSID #

Project Entity

Government ☐ Municipality ☐ WRTA ☐ Other ☐

Federal ☐ School ☐ MBTA ☐

City ☐ Brownfield ☐

Chromatogram ☐ AIHA-LAP, LLC ☐

PCB ONLY ☐ Soxhlet ☐ Non Soxhlet ☐

Lab Comments:

Disclaimer: Con-Test Labs is not responsible for any omitted information on the Chain of Custody. The Chain of Custody is a legal document that must be complete and accurate and is used to determine what analyses the laboratory will perform. Any missing information is not the laboratory's responsibility. Con-Test values your partnership on each project and will try to assist with missing information, but will not be held accountable.

I Have Not Confirmed Sample Container  
Numbers With Lab Staff Before Relinquishing  
Over Samples \_\_\_\_\_



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**Login Sample Receipt Checklist - (Rejection Criteria Listing - Using Acceptance Policy) Any False  
Statement will be brought to the attention of the Client - State True or False**

Client Mass Dep  
Received By [Signature] Date 2/19/20 Time 1620

How were the samples received? In Cooler T No Cooler \_\_\_\_\_ On Ice T No Ice \_\_\_\_\_  
Direct from Sampling \_\_\_\_\_ Ambient \_\_\_\_\_ Melted Ice \_\_\_\_\_

Were samples within Temperature? 2-6°C T By Gun # 2 Actual Temp - 3.0  
By Blank # \_\_\_\_\_ Actual Temp - \_\_\_\_\_

Was Custody Seal Intact? n/a Were Samples Tampered with? n/a  
Was COC Relinquished? T Does Chain Agree With Samples? T

Are there broken/leaking/loose caps on any samples? F

Is COC in ink/ Legible? T Were samples received within holding time? T  
Did COC include all Client T Analysis T Sampler Name T  
pertinent Information? Project T ID's T Collection Dates/Times T

Are Sample labels filled out and legible? T  
Are there Lab to Filters? F Who was notified? \_\_\_\_\_  
Are there Rushes? F Who was notified? \_\_\_\_\_  
Are there Short Holds? F Who was notified? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there enough Volume? T  
Is there Headspace where applicable? n/a MS/MSD? F  
Proper Media/Containers Used? T Is splitting samples required? F  
Were trip blanks received? F On COC? F  
Do all samples have the proper pH? Acid n/a Base n/a

Vial	#	Containers	#	#	#	#
Unp-		1 Liter Amb.		1 Liter Plastic		16 oz Amb.
HCL-		500 mL Amb.		500 mL Plastic		8oz Amb/Clear
Meoh-		250 mL Amb.		250 mL Plastic	<u>2</u>	4oz Amb/Clear
Bisulfate-		Flashpoint		Col./Bacteria		2oz Amb/Clear
DI-		Other Glass		Other Plastic		Encore
Thiosulfate-		SOC Kit		Plastic Bag		Frozen:
Sulfuric-		Perchlorate		Ziplock		

**Unused Media**

Vials	#	Containers	#	#	#	#
Unp-		1 Liter Amb.		1 Liter Plastic		16 oz Amb.
HCL-		500 mL Amb.		500 mL Plastic		8oz Amb/Clear
Meoh-		250 mL Amb.		250 mL Plastic		4oz Amb/Clear
Bisulfate-		Col./Bacteria		Flashpoint		2oz Amb/Clear
DI-		Other Plastic		Other Glass		Encore
Thiosulfate-		SOC Kit		Plastic Bag		Frozen:
Sulfuric-		Perchlorate		Ziplock		

**Comments:**