

Purified (Reagent) Water Specification Testing Results (Ohio Facility) For the month of: February 2016 (H16032-H16060)

Listed below are the testing results for the purified water used in the manufacture of products at Hardy Diagnostics.

Test	Testing Frequency	Units	In-House Specification (method detection limit)	Testing Data
Minimum Resistivity* 1,3,4,5	Continuous Monitoring	Megohm cm	> 16.0	17.67
pH**	Daily	N/A	5.5 – 7.5	7.4
Total Organic Carbon 1,3,5	Monthly	µg/L	<500	157
Heavy Metals (Single) ^{1,3,4} (Cd, Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb and Zn)	Annually	mg/L	< 0.05	Cd – ND Cr – 0.00016 Cu – 0.000088 Ni – ND Pb – ND Zn – 0.00064
Heavy Metals (Total) 3,4	Annually	mg/L	< 0.1	0.0011
Ammonia/Organic Nitrogen ³	Monthly	mg/L	< 0.1	ND
Total Chlorine Residual ^{3,4}	Monthly	mg/L	<0.1	<0.1
Maximum Bacterial Content***	Weekly	colony forming units (CFU) per milliliter	<10	<0.1
Water Quality ^{3,4} ratio	Annually	ratio	0.8 - 3.0	1.04
Use Test (Student <i>t</i>) ³	Quarterly	N/A	<u><</u> 2.78	<u><</u> 2.78
Inhibitory Residue ⁴	Annually	N/A	< 15%	3.1%
Maximum Silicate, SiO ₂ ^{3,4}	Annually	mg/L	<u><</u> 0.05	ND

ND = Not Detected at or above the method detection limit.

*Testing data is given as a monthly average at the water source.

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