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EURO - CRM No. 776-1 FIREBRICK

LABORATORY MEANS (4 values)
mass content in % related to the dried (105°C) sample

| Line No. | Si | Ti | Al | Fe | Ca | Mg | K | Na | Li | Cr | Ba | P | Zr |
|----------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 1 | — | — | — | 0.9695 | 0.1955 | 0.2700 | — | 0.3325 | 0.0079 | 0.0118 | — | 0.0228 | 0.0269 |
| 2 | 29.08 | 0.9400 | 15.31 | 0.9805 | 0.2065 | 0.2752 | 2.275 | 0.3395 | 0.0079 | 0.0123 | 0.0902 | 0.0235 | 0.0272 |
| 3 | 29.10 | 0.9425 | 15.38 | 0.9825 | 0.2075 | 0.2760 | 2.360 | 0.3396 | 0.0080 | 0.0135 | 0.0975 | 0.0236 | 0.0282 |
| 4 | 29.11 | 0.9450 | 15.39 | 0.9825 | 0.2100 | 0.2765 | 2.372 | 0.3495 | 0.0081 | 0.0137 | 0.0985 | 0.0239 | 0.0298 |
| 5 | 29.14 | 0.9562 | 15.40 | 0.9848 | 0.2108 | 0.2775 | 2.374 | 0.3555 | 0.0084 | 0.0140 | 0.1000 | 0.0245 | 0.0308 |
| 6 | 29.16 | 0.9587 | 15.41 | 0.9895 | 0.2146 | 0.2802 | 2.380 | 0.3555 | 0.0084 | 0.0142 | 0.1005 | 0.0245 | 0.0330 |
| 7 | 29.20 | 0.9610 | 15.42 | 0.9895 | 0.2180 | 0.2810 | 2.400 | 0.3568 | 0.0084 | 0.0150 | 0.1060 | 0.0246 | 0.0344 |
| 8 | 29.21 | 0.9622 | 15.42 | 0.9902 | 0.2192 | 0.2849 | 2.404 | 0.3575 | 0.0085 | 0.0151 | 0.1100 | 0.0248 | |
| 9 | 29.26 | 0.9662 | 15.45 | 0.9940 | 0.2200 | 0.2875 | 2.410 | 0.3600 | 0.0088 | 0.0154 | 0.1106 | 0.0262 | |
| 10 | 29.27 | 0.9708 | 15.45 | 0.9973 | 0.2202 | 0.2882 | 2.412 | 0.3602 | 0.0090 | 0.0158 | 0.1120 | 0.0270 | |
| 11 | 29.33 | 0.9724 | 15.46 | 0.9992 | 0.2216 | 0.2891 | 2.419 | 0.3611 | 0.0091 | 0.0158 | 0.1130 | 0.0279 | |
| 12 | 29.35 | 0.9725 | 15.47 | 1.0008 | 0.2220 | 0.2892 | 2.440 | 0.3625 | 0.0100 | 0.0158 | 0.1132 | 0.0282 | |
| 13 | 29.36 | 0.9742 | 15.52 | 1.0032 | 0.2225 | 0.2922 | 2.445 | 0.3625 | 0.0100 | 0.0158 | 0.1175 | 0.0300 | |
| 14 | 29.37 | 0.9760 | 15.53 | 1.0035 | 0.2236 | 0.2926 | 2.449 | 0.3650 | 0.0105 | 0.0158 | 0.1187 | 0.0305 | |
| 15 | 29.39 | 0.9770 | 15.58 | 1.0070 | 0.2238 | 0.2938 | 2.462 | 0.3652 | — | 0.0160 | 0.1228 | 0.0306 | |
| 16 | 29.47 | 0.9800 | 15.60 | 1.0106 | 0.2250 | 0.2940 | 2.468 | 0.3718 | — | 0.0163 | 0.1254 | 0.0314 | |
| 17 | 29.54 | 0.9830 | 15.61 | 1.0198 | 0.2320 | 0.2950 | 2.468 | 0.3750 | — | 0.0170 | — | 0.0328 | |
| 18 | 29.55 | 0.9835 | 15.65 | 1.0205 | 0.2400 | 0.2950 | 2.468 | 0.3784 | — | 0.0175 | — | — | |
| 19 | 29.58 | 0.9842 | 15.68 | 1.0225 | 0.2421 | 0.3006 | 2.475 | 0.3800 | — | 0.0178 | — | — | |
| 20 | 29.62 | 0.9878 | 15.74 | 1.0350 | 0.2500 | 0.3075 | 2.488 | 0.3821 | — | 0.0193 | — | — | |
| 21 | 29.64 | 0.9918 | — | — | — | — | 2.500 | 0.3940 | — | — | — | — | |
| M_M | 29.34 | 0.9692 | 15.50 | 0.9991 | 0.2212 | 0.2873 | 2.423 | 0.3621 | 0.0088 | 0.0154 | 0.1091 | 0.0269 | 0.030 |
| s_M | 0.18 | 0.0151 | 0.12 | 0.0166 | 0.0128 | 0.0095 | 0.054 | 0.0150 | 0.0008 | 0.0018 | 0.0101 | 0.0032 | |

M_M : Mean of the intralaboratory means. s_M : Standard deviation of the intralaboratory means.

The laboratory mean values have been examined statistically to eliminate any outlying values. Where a "—" appears in the table it indicates that an outlying value has been omitted.

NOTE: The loss of ignition at 1000°C has been found to be approximately 0.3% m/m.

CERTIFIED VALUES
mass content in %

| | Si | Ti | Al | Fe | Ca | Mg | K | Na | Li | Cr | Ba | P |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| M_M | 29.34 | 0.969 | 15.50 | 0.999 | 0.221 | 0.287 | 2.42 | 0.362 | 0.009 | 0.015 | 0.109 | 0.027 |
| s_M | 0.18 | 0.015 | 0.12 | 0.017 | 0.013 | 0.010 | 0.05 | 0.015 | 0.001 | 0.002 | 0.010 | 0.003 |

All values are 'total' element content

DESCRIPTION OF THE SAMPLE

This sample consists of material passing sieve of aperture size 125 μ m. It is supplied only in bottles containing 100g.



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LABORATORY MEANS (4 values) EXPRESSED AS OXIDES mass content in % related to the dried (105°C) sample

| Line No. | SiO ₂ | TiO ₂ | Al ₂ O ₃ | Fe ₂ O ₃ | CaO | MgO | K ₂ O | Na ₂ O | Li ₂ O | Cr ₂ O ₃ | BaO | P ₂ O ₅ | ZrO ₂ |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | — | — | — | 1.386 | 0.2735 | 0.4477 | — | 0.4482 | 0.0170 | 0.0172 | — | 0.0522 | 0.0363 |
| 2 | 62.21 | 1.568 | 28.93 | 1.402 | 0.2889 | 0.4564 | 2.740 | 0.4576 | 0.0170 | 0.0180 | 0.1007 | 0.0538 | 0.0367 |
| 3 | 62.25 | 1.572 | 29.06 | 1.405 | 0.2903 | 0.4577 | 2.843 | 0.4578 | 0.0172 | 0.0197 | 0.1089 | 0.0541 | 0.0381 |
| 4 | 62.28 | 1.576 | 29.08 | 1.405 | 0.2938 | 0.4585 | 2.857 | 0.4711 | 0.0174 | 0.0200 | 0.1100 | 0.0548 | 0.0402 |
| 5 | 62.34 | 1.595 | 29.10 | 1.408 | 0.2949 | 0.4602 | 2.860 | 0.4792 | 0.0181 | 0.0205 | 0.1116 | 0.0561 | 0.0416 |
| 6 | 62.38 | 1.599 | 29.12 | 1.415 | 0.3003 | 0.4646 | 2.867 | 0.4792 | 0.0181 | 0.0208 | 0.1122 | 0.0561 | 0.0446 |
| 7 | 62.47 | 1.603 | 29.14 | 1.415 | 0.3050 | 0.4660 | 2.891 | 0.4810 | 0.0181 | 0.0219 | 0.1183 | 0.0564 | 0.0465 |
| 8 | 62.49 | 1.605 | 29.14 | 1.416 | 0.3067 | 0.4724 | 2.896 | 0.4819 | 0.0183 | 0.0221 | 0.1228 | 0.0568 | |
| 9 | 62.60 | 1.612 | 29.19 | 1.421 | 0.3078 | 0.4768 | 2.903 | 0.4853 | 0.0189 | 0.0225 | 0.1235 | 0.0600 | |
| 10 | 62.62 | 1.619 | 29.19 | 1.426 | 0.3081 | 0.4779 | 2.905 | 0.4855 | 0.0194 | 0.0231 | 0.1250 | 0.0619 | |
| 11 | 62.75 | 1.622 | 29.21 | 1.429 | 0.3100 | 0.4794 | 2.914 | 0.4868 | 0.0196 | 0.0231 | 0.1262 | 0.0639 | |
| 12 | 62.79 | 1.622 | 29.23 | 1.431 | 0.3106 | 0.4796 | 2.939 | 0.4886 | 0.0215 | 0.0231 | 0.1264 | 0.0646 | |
| 13 | 62.81 | 1.625 | 29.32 | 1.434 | 0.3113 | 0.4845 | 2.945 | 0.4886 | 0.0215 | 0.0231 | 0.1312 | 0.0687 | |
| 14 | 62.83 | 1.628 | 29.34 | 1.435 | 0.3129 | 0.4852 | 2.950 | 0.4920 | 0.0226 | 0.0231 | 0.1325 | 0.0699 | |
| 15 | 62.87 | 1.630 | 29.44 | 1.440 | 0.3131 | 0.4872 | 2.966 | 0.4923 | — | 0.0234 | 0.1371 | 0.0701 | |
| 16 | 63.05 | 1.635 | 29.48 | 1.445 | 0.3148 | 0.4875 | 2.973 | 0.5012 | — | 0.0238 | 0.1400 | 0.0709 | |
| 17 | 63.20 | 1.640 | 29.49 | 1.458 | 0.3246 | 0.4892 | 2.973 | 0.5055 | — | 0.0248 | — | 0.0752 | |
| 18 | 63.22 | 1.641 | 29.57 | 1.459 | 0.3358 | 0.4892 | 2.973 | 0.5101 | — | 0.0256 | — | — | |
| 19 | 63.28 | 1.642 | 29.63 | 1.462 | 0.3392 | 0.4985 | 2.981 | 0.5122 | — | 0.0260 | — | — | |
| 20 | 63.37 | 1.648 | 29.74 | 1.480 | 0.3498 | 0.5099 | 2.997 | 0.5151 | — | 0.0282 | — | — | |
| 21 | 63.41 | 1.654 | — | — | — | — | 3.012 | 0.5311 | — | — | — | — | |
| M_M | 62.76 | 1.617 | 29.28 | 1.429 | 0.3096 | 0.4764 | 2.919 | 0.4881 | 0.0189 | 0.0225 | 0.1218 | 0.0616 | 0.041 |
| s_M | 0.39 | 0.025 | 0.22 | 0.024 | 0.0180 | 0.0158 | 0.065 | 0.0202 | 0.0018 | 0.0026 | 0.0113 | 0.0073 | |

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CERTIFIED VALUES mass content in %

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|----------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| M_M | 62.76 | 1.62 | 29.28 | 1.43 | 0.310 | 0.476 | 2.92 | 0.488 | 0.019 | 0.022 | 0.122 | 0.062 |
| s_M | 0.39 | 0.03 | 0.22 | 0.02 | 0.018 | 0.016 | 0.07 | 0.020 | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.011 | 0.007 |

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METHODS USED

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| Element | Line Number | Methods |
|------------------|--|--|
| Si | 2 - 3 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11 - 17 - 20 - 21 | Gravimetric, dehydration with perchloric acid |
| | 4 - 13 | Gravimetric, dehydration with hydrochloric acid |
| | 12 - 14 - 16 - 18 - 19 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 15 | Gravimetric, coagulation with polyethylene oxide |
| Ti | 2 - 7 - 15 | Photometric with dantipyrylmethane |
| | 3 - 4 - 9 - 14 - 18 - 19 | Photometric with chromotropic acid |
| | 5 - 17 - 21 | Photometric with hydrogen peroxide |
| | 6 - 12 | FAAS |
| | 8 - 10 - 11 - 13 - 16 - 20 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| Al | 2 | Bromometric titration, precipitation with 8 hydroxyquinoline |
| | 3 - 10 - 11 - 20 | FAAS |
| | 4 - 7 - 8 - 12 - 14 - 16 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 5 | Gravimetric as aluminium phosphate |
| | 6 - 17 - 19 | Gravimetric, as oxide |
| 9 - 13 - 15 - 18 | Complexometric titration | |
| Fe | 1 - 6 - 13 - 17 | FAAS |
| | 2 | Photometric with thiocyanate |
| | 3 - 9 - 11 - 15 - 18 - 20 | Photometric with 1:10 phenanthroline |
| | 4 - 8 - 10 - 12 - 14 - 16 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 5 | Photometric with sulphosalicylic acid |
| | 7 | Photometric with α - α '-bipyridyl |
| 19 | Photometric with thioglycollic acid | |
| Ca | 1 - 2 - 3 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 13 - 15 - 18 - 19 - 20 | FAAS |
| | 4 - 16 | Titrimetric with permanganate, precipitation as oxalate |
| | 5 - 11 - 12 - 14 - 17 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| Mg | 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 9 - 10 - 11 - 12 - 14 - 17 - 18 - 19 | FAAS |
| | 8 - 15 - 16 - 20 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 13 | Gravimetric, precipitation as magnesium ammonium phosphate |
| K | 2 - 3 - 7 - 8 - 10 - 11 - 15 - 16 - 17 - 19 | FAAS |
| | 4 - 6 - 9 - 13 - 18 - 21 | FAES |
| | 5 - 12 - 14 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 20 | ICP AES |
| Na | 1 - 2 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 12 - 13 - 14 - 16 - 19 | FAAS |
| | 3 - 4 - 5 - 15 - 17 - 20 - 21 | FAES |
| | 11 | ICP AES |
| | 18 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| Li | 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 9 - 13 | FAES |
| | 6 - 7 - 8 - 10 - 11 - 12 - 14 | FAAS |
| Cr | 1 - 2 - 3 - 13 - 17 | Photometric with diphenylcarbazide |
| | 4 - 18 - 20 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 11 - 12 - 15 - 16 - 19 | FAAS |
| | 14 | ICP AES |

METHODS USED

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| Element | Line Number | Methods |
|-----------|---|---|
| Ba | 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10 - 15 | FAAS |
| | 11 | Gravimetric, precipitation as barium sulphate |
| | 12 - 14 - 16 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 13 | ICP AES |
| P | 1 - 5 | Photometric as phosphovanadomolybdate with extraction |
| | 2 - 12 - 15 | Photometric as phosphovanadomolybdate |
| | 3 - 6 - 8 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 4 - 7 - 11 - 13 - 14 - 16 - 17 | Photometric as molybdenum blue |
| | 9 - 10 | Photometric as molybdenum blue with extraction |
| Zr | 1 | Photometric with xylenol orange |
| | 2 - 7 | XRF, fused bead technique, synthetic calibration |
| | 3 - 5 | ICP AES |
| | 4 - 6 | Photometric with arsenazo III |
| | | Abbreviations: |
| | | XRF : X-Ray fluorescence spectrometry |
| | | FAAS : Flame atomic absorption spectrometry |
| | | FAES : Flame atomic emission spectrometry |
| | | ICP AES : Inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectrometry |

FURTHER INFORMATION

For information regarding the preparation and certification of Euro-CRMs (Certified Reference Materials) and sources of supply please refer to ECSC Information Circular No. 1 available from the Institution responsible for standardization in your country. (In the UK this is the BSI, 2 Park Street, London. W1A 2BS.)

Pour tous renseignements sur les Euro-MRC (Matériaux de Référence Certifiés) se reporter à la Circulaire d'information No. 1 de la CECA, diffusée par les organismes nationaux de normalisation.

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