

# ABRAXIS® Microcystin-LR Check Samples Product No. 422011

#### Introduction

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### Reagents Provided

Microcystin-LR, lyophilized X 3 Diluent/Zero Standard (LRB), 25 mL

## **Sample Preparation**

For use with the ABRAXIS® Microcystins-ADDA, ABRAXIS® Microcystins-ADDA Streptavidin Amplified Enhanced Sensitivity (SAES), and ABRAXIS® Microcystins-DM Plate Kits, reconstitute each sample with 5.0 mL of the Reconstitution Solution (provided), vortex, and allow to sit for 5-10 minutes.

For use with the ABRAXIS® Microcystins Strip Kits for Finished Drinking Water, Source Drinking Water, and Recreational Water, reconstitute each sample with 5.0 mL of deionized or distilled water, vortex, and allow to sit for 5-10 minutes.

Note: Check samples, which have been reconstituted with the Diluent /Zero Standard (LRB), should not be used with the ABRAXIS® Microcystins Strip Kits, as this will adversely affect results. Use only check samples, which have been reconstituted with deionizedor distilled water to obtain accurate results with the ABRAXIS® MicrocystinsStrip Kits.

Dilute Sample C with Diluent Solution, deionized, or distilled water to meet the desired QA program levels. The results obtained in the ELISA should be multiplied by the appropriate dilution factor to obtain the final concentration.

### Sample Storage

Store samples refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 1 week. For prolonged storage, aliquot and store frozen.

### **Expected Values**

Sample A non-detect (<0.15 ppb)
Sample B 2.0 +/- 0.5 ppb
Sample C 20 +/- 5 ppb

It is recommended that each laboratory establish individual recovery limits.

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