



FW-3 Dried residue (onopgeloste bestanddelen)				
Year: 2023	Participants: 12 laboratories expected			
Number of rounds: 1 per year	Period exercise: 17 April – 8 May			
Number of materials: 5 per round	Sample size: 1000 ml			

Timetable PT Scheme Costs

This study covers the determination of dried residue in freshwater and wastewater test materials. Participation is only applicable for local laboratories as analysis needs to be performed on fresh samples. A request to participate can be made by sending an e-mail to <a href="mailto:wepalquasimeme@wur.nl">wepalquasimeme@wur.nl</a>.

## **Test Materials**

The test materials are prepared in bulk from filtered (1 mm) freshwater and wastewater. In addition, a standard sample is prepared from Silica in tapwater. Homogeneity of the test materials is assumed, as they were prepared in bulk and thoroughly mixed, before being dispensed into 1 litre glass bottles for distribution. Samples are freshly prepared a day in advance to the pre-determined date and sent cooled by courier with same-day delivery. Samples need to be kept cooled until analysis. **The pre-determined date of analysis of these samples is 19<sup>th</sup> of April 2023**. These samples cannot be distributed worldwide.

## **Determinands and Concentration Ranges**

Determinand*	Matrix	Unit	Concentration Range	Error	
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Dried residue	Freshwater	mg/l	1-100		
Loss on ignition	Freshwater	mg/l	1-100		
Dried residue	Wastewater	mg/l	1-100		
Loss on ignition	Wastewater	mg/l	1-100		
Dried residue	Standard	mg/l	1-100		

<sup>\*</sup> This exercise is not in the scope of accreditation.