

# GEOSTATS PTY LTD

Mining Industry Consultants  
Reference Material Manufacture and Sales

Certified Geochem Base Metal Reference Material Product Code

## GBM923-9

Certified Control Values

### Total Digest

Element	Grade	Standard Deviation	Num of Analyses	Confidence Interval
Nickel (ppm)	36	3	56	+/- 0.9
Copper (ppm)	17402	759	61	+/- 196
Zinc (ppm)	828	61	54	+/- 16.7
Lead (ppm)	486	47	57	+/- 12.5
Arsenic (ppm)	40	4	44	+/- 1.1
Cobalt (ppm)	68	5	57	+/- 1.5
Silver (ppm)	3.8	0.4	52	+/- 0.11

### Partial Digest

Element	Grade	Standard Deviation	Num of Analyses	Confidence Interval
Nickel (ppm)	24	4	52	+/- 1
Copper (ppm)	17603	620	72	+/- 146.8
Zinc (ppm)	821	68	64	+/- 17.1
Lead (ppm)	494	35	60	+/- 9.1
Arsenic (ppm)	38	2	46	+/- 0.7
Cobalt (ppm)	57	5	56	+/- 1.4
Silver (ppm)	3.8	0.3	64	+/- 0.06

### CRM Details

Control Statistic Details		Neutron Activation Analysis Results (ppm, unless otherwise noted)		Major Elements by Fusion / XRF (%)	
Control statistics were produced from results accumulated in the October-2023 round robin. The number of results used to certify each analyte is shown in the table above.		Antimony	8.2	Fe	6.98
		Arsenic	42	SiO <sub>2</sub>	57.5
		Barium	385	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	12.86
		Bromine	<2	TiO <sub>2</sub>	1.139
		Cadmium	67	MnO	0.11
		Caesium	2	CaO	6.12
		Calcium (%)	nr	P	0.062
		Cerium	35	S	1.95
		Chromium	89	MgO	3.04
		Cobalt	71	K <sub>2</sub> O	1.85
		Europium	1.2	Na <sub>2</sub> O	2.885
		Gold (ppb)	2430	LOI1000	1.67
		Hafnium	<5	Neutron Activation Analyses and Fusion / XRF Analyses are single results and are indicative only. These are provided for matrix identification purposes.  'nr': Not Reported	
		Iridium (ppb)	<50		
		Iron (%)	7.2		
		Lanthanum	20		
		Lutetium	0.4		
		Mercury	nr		
		Molybdenum	19		
		Neodymium	nr		
		Nickel	<100		
		Potassium (%)	nr		
		Rubidium	103		
		Samarium	4.5		
		Scandium	18.5		
		Selenium	<10		
		Silver	<5		
		Sodium (%)	2.1		
		Strontium	nr		
		Tantalum	<2		
		Tellurium	<20		
		Terbium	1		
		Thorium	11.3		
		Tin	<200		
		Tungsten	2		
		Uranium	6		
		Ytterbium	2.7		
		Zinc	880		
		Zirconium	<500		
<b>Material Description</b>					
This material is described as a Copper Sulphide ore.					
<b>Colour Designation (ISCC-NBS, SP440)</b>					
This material is medium light gray in colour.					
<b>Usage</b>					
This product is for use in the mining industry as a reference material for monitoring and testing the accuracy of laboratory assaying.					
<b>Preparation and Packaging</b>					
All CRMs are dried in an oven for a minimum of 12 hours at 110°C. The dry material is then pulverised to better than 75 micron (nominal mean of 45 micron) using an air classifier. The material is then homogenised and stored in a sealed, stable container ready for final packaging.					
Materials are statistically sampled from stores, then packaged into either heat sealed, air tight, plastic pulp packets or screw top sealed plastic containers ready for distribution. All packaging has been chosen to ensure minimal contamination from outside sources during shipment, use and storage.					
<b>Assay Testwork</b>					
All standards are tested thoroughly in the Geostats bi-annual laboratory survey. This involves assaying by multiple laboratories from around the world. Results are compiled into a comprehensive report detailing statistics for each standard. Assay distributions are checked and processed statistically, producing monitoring statistics for these standards. Materials are tested regularly to ensure stability and homogeneity.					
<b>Stability</b>					
This product remains stable in its original packaging, away from direct sunlight.					
<b>Material Safety</b>					
This product is not hazardous and non-toxic.					

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