

# CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS



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**Work Order No.:** 2502295  
**Analysis Required:** Open Characterization  
**CASSEN Method:** M2401.R0  
**GC/MS File:** D22553  
**Sample ID:** C07550  
**Sample Volume:** 13.14 L

## Major Volatile Organic Compounds Detected

Rank	CAS Number	Tentative Identification	Retention Time (min)	Total Amount (ng)	Concentration (ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
1	000111-90-0	Ethanol, 2-(2-ethoxyethoxy)-	25.82	690	53
2	000109-66-0	Pentane	6.33	360	27
3	000064-19-7	Acetic acid	12.11	300	23
4	000064-17-5	Ethanol	6.60	280	22
5	000100-52-7	Benzaldehyde	25.01	260	20
6	000067-64-1	Acetone	7.40	220	17
7	000066-25-1	Hexanal	18.11	220	16
8	000078-78-4	Butane, 2-methyl-	5.87	210	16
9	000100-51-6	Benzyl Alcohol	27.52	160	12
10	062199-06-8	Heptane, 5-ethyl-2,2,3-trimethyl-	25.62	150	12
11	000071-36-3	1-Butanol	13.78	110	8
12	000067-63-0	Isopropyl Alcohol	7.54	110	8
13	013475-82-6	Heptane, 2,2,4,6,6-pentamethyl-	24.22	110	8
14	000075-07-0	Acetaldehyde	5.21	77	6
15	040117-45-1	2,2,6,6-Tetramethylheptane	22.24	70	5
16	000124-19-6	Nonanal	27.89	70	5
17	006846-50-0	2,2,4-Trimethyl-1,3-pentanediol diisobutyrate	37.88	70	5
18	000108-38-3	m-Xylene + p-Xylene	20.19	59	4
19	003944-36-3	2-Propanol, 1-(1-methylethoxy)-	19.59	58	4
20	000541-02-6	Cyclopentasiloxane, decamethyl-	27.11	57	4
21	000556-67-2	Cyclotetrasiloxane, octamethyl-	22.45	55	4
22	000107-83-5	Pentane, 2-methyl-	7.99	53	4
23	000106-97-8	Butane + 1-Propene, 2-methyl-	4.87	50	4
24	000872-50-4	2-Pyrrolidinone, 1-methyl-	28.08	50	4
25	000075-69-4	Trichloromonofluoromethane	6.25	48	4
26	000108-88-3	Toluene	16.31	48	4
27	000110-82-7	Cyclohexane	11.47	44	3
28	013151-34-3	Decane, 3-methyl-	25.36	39	3
29	052670-34-5	Octane, 2,3,6,7-tetramethyl-	26.67	39	3
30	000123-72-8	Butanal	10.26	37	3
31	000111-15-9	2-Ethoxyethyl acetate	21.60	36	3
32	000098-86-2	Acetophenone	27.95	34	3
33	000110-54-3	Hexane	8.92	32	2
34	017302-37-3	Decane, 2,2-dimethyl-	24.58	32	2
35	003522-94-9	Hexane, 2,2,5-trimethyl-	25.49	32	2

## Total Volatile Organic Compounds (TVOCs)

	Total Amount (ng)	Concentration (ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
Total Volatile Organics (TVOCs)	5700	440

**Notes:**

**Rank** is based on descending order of concentration.

**CAS Number** is the Chemical Abstracts Service registry number corresponding to the tentatively identified compound (first listed coeluting compound) listed beside it. The tentative identification and its corresponding CAS Number were obtained as the best possible match from the results of NIST Mass Spectral Library search.

**Tentative Identification** is based on the best match result of the mass spectral identification, results are not confirmed unless calibrated with reference standards.

**Retention Time** is the time that the VOC eluted from the column in the chromatogram.

**Total Amount** is the semi-quantitative estimate of the total mass of the VOC in nanograms detected in the sampling tube. The value depends on the VOC's response compared to selected reference compounds. **A total amount reported that is over 2000ng should be considered overloaded for the analysis.**

**Concentration** is the total amount of the VOC expressed in microgram per cubic meter, based on the air volume sampled. The air volumes used are those supplied to CTL. (N.A. = Not Available)

**TVOCs** result is the summation of the semi-quantitative concentrations of all the VOCs detected. It is useful as an indicator of indoor air quality.

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