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## Certificate of Analysis Part No. B2849-049423 Sulphur in Crude Oil

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Weight percent Sulphur = 3.17 Expanded uncertainty = ± 0.11 (k=2, @95% confidence limit, n=28)

Methods used for analysis: ASTM D4294-21, ARI-LAB-619 NMI Standard(s) Used: NIST 2721, 2722 Alpha – AR2048-048322, AR2049-049413, AR2050-050211, AR2049-048322, AR2046-046419, AR2050-201020

The intended use of this standard is for the calibration and verification of sulphur analysis in crude oil or similar materials by XRF or other valid testing methods. This standard was produced gravimetrically using high purity materials, with balances calibrated and checked by precision NIST traceable weights. The above ASTM test method and NMI references listed were used for testing. The uncertainty value represents the estimated expanded uncertainty using ANOVA, ISO Guide 35, and the Guide to Uncertainty Measurement. Metrological traceability is to the SI derived unit of mass fraction expressed as percent. The sample size used for testing was placed into a removable sample cup, equipped with replaceable X-ray transparent plastic film, and providing a sample depth of at least 4mm and a diameter of at least 10mm. When necessary, professional judgment is applied toward consideration of data and statistical information. Normal test procedures should be employed when using this standard. This includes using the reproducibility and repeatability uncertainty for the test method you wish to employ. The material used in production of this standard was identified in accordance with ARILAB-603. The samples for round robin testing were selected in accordance with ARILAB-625. The above values relate only to the material used to produce this standard.

Before use, the contents of the bottle should be mixed gently. Any exposure to air and light should be kept to a minimum. Keep sealed and store upright under normal laboratory conditions. This bottle contains 100ml to be used as per the test method. Sample size and minimum sample size may be contingent upon your test method or instrumentation manufacturer recommendations. While unable to determine a definite shelf life this reference should be reviewed 15 years from the date of certification. Once opened this certificate is valid for two years.

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This Reference Material is traceable to the above-mentioned standards. For good laboratory practice, it is recommended that all standards be verified as fit for purpose prior to use.

EXPIRATION DATE: THIS CRM IS VALID FOR TWO YEARS FROM THE DATE OF OPENING

Certified on the  $2^{nd}$  of May 2023

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