

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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 OF  
 STANDARD SAMPLE 124B  
 OUNCE METAL

ANALYST*	Cu	Zn	Sn	Pb	NICKEL Weighed as nickel dimethylglyoxime	IRON	ANTIMONY	SULFUR	PHOSPHORUS	SILICON	ALUMINUM
	Electrolytic	ZnS-ZnO		as weighed PbSO <sub>4</sub>							
1	<sup>a</sup> 83.67	5.38	<sup>b</sup> 4.91	4.63	0.75	<sup>c</sup> 0.26	<sup>d</sup> 0.20	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{e } 0.041 \\ \text{f } 0.041 \end{array} \right\}$	<sup>e</sup> 0.014	<sup>h</sup> 0.013	<sup>i</sup> 0.003
	<sup>a</sup> 83.67	5.39	<sup>k</sup> 4.94	<sup>l</sup> 4.66	.75	<sup>c</sup> .26	<sup>m</sup> .21		<sup>n</sup> .039	<sup>o</sup> .014	<sup>p</sup> .008
3	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 88.68 \\ 83.71 \end{array} \right\}$	5.41	<sup>s</sup> 4.94	4.64	<sup>t</sup> .76	<sup>u</sup> <sup>v</sup> .25	<sup>m</sup> .20	<sup>f</sup> .040	<sup>o</sup> .015	<sup>p</sup> .014	<sup>w</sup> .001
4		<sup>a</sup> 83.70	<sup>x</sup> 5.40	<sup>y</sup> 4.93	<sup>z</sup> 4.63	<sup>z</sup> 1.76	<sup>z</sup> 2.25	<sup>z</sup> 3.20	<sup>n</sup> .042	<sup>g</sup> .015	<sup>z</sup> 4.013
Averages	<b>83.69</b>	<b>5.40</b>	<b>4.93</b>	<b>4.64</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0.041</b>	<b>0.015</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.003</b>

<sup>a</sup> Five-gram sample dissolved with 55 ml of HNO<sub>3</sub> (1:1). Solution digested on a steam bath overnight, filtered, and the precipitate washed with hot HNO<sub>3</sub> (1:99). Filtrate diluted to 350 ml, 2 drops of 0.1 N HCl added, and solution electrolyzed overnight by the use of a current density of 0.5 amp/dm<sup>2</sup>. Metastannic-acid precipitate and paper treated with HNO<sub>3</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Tin, antimony, and arsenic volatilized by HBr-Br<sub>2</sub>, and residual copper determined by electrolysis.  
<sup>b</sup> Distillation-cupferron method. See J. Research NBS 33, 307 (1944) RP1610.  
<sup>c</sup> SnCl<sub>2</sub>-K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> method.  
<sup>d</sup> Antimony separated by distillation from a 5-g sample, precipitated with H<sub>2</sub>S, and titrated with KMnO<sub>4</sub> as described in J. Research NBS 21, 95 (1938) RP1116. KMnO<sub>4</sub> standardized on high-purity antimony.  
<sup>e</sup> Weighed as BaSO<sub>4</sub>.  
<sup>f</sup> Combustion-iodate method.  
<sup>g</sup> Molybdenum-blue photometric method.

<sup>h</sup> Tin, antimony, and arsenic volatilized by HBr-HClO<sub>4</sub> treatment. Double dehydration with HClO<sub>4</sub> with intervening filtration.  
<sup>i</sup> Aurin tricarboxylic acid method.  
<sup>j</sup> Same value obtained by depositing copper in the presence of tin in an HNO<sub>3</sub>-HF solution of a 1-g sample.  
<sup>k</sup> Tin reduced with lead and titrated with iodine.  
<sup>l</sup> Electrodeposited and weighed as PbO<sub>2</sub>.  
<sup>m</sup> Metastannic acid precipitate separated, and digested in H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Solution diluted, reduced with tartaric acid and Sb titrated with KMnO<sub>4</sub>.  
<sup>n</sup> Evolution method; titration with iodine.  
<sup>o</sup> Phosphomolybdate titrated with standard alkali and acid.  
<sup>p</sup> H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> dehydration.  
<sup>q</sup> Weighed as AlPO<sub>4</sub>.  
<sup>r</sup> Copper deposited in the presence of tin in an HNO<sub>3</sub>-HF solution of a 1-g sample.  
<sup>s</sup> Tin reduced with iron in the presence of added antimony and titrated with KIO<sub>3</sub>.

<sup>t</sup> Same value obtained cyanometrically.  
<sup>u</sup> Iron reduced with zinc, and titrated with ceric sulfate.  
<sup>v</sup> Same value obtained by reducing iron in sulfuric acid solution with Cu and H<sub>2</sub>S, and titrating with ceric sulfate.  
<sup>w</sup> Mercury cathode, 8-Hydroxyquinoline method.  
<sup>x</sup> Same value obtained by the potassium ferrocyanide method.  
<sup>y</sup> Tin reduced with iron and titrated with iodine.  
<sup>z</sup> Same value obtained by the lead chromate method.  
<sup>z</sup>1 Same value obtained by colorimetric and by spectrographic methods.  
<sup>z</sup>2 Iron reduced with SnCl<sub>2</sub> and titrated with KMnO<sub>4</sub>. Same value also obtained by spectrographic analysis.  
<sup>z</sup>3 KMnO<sub>4</sub> titration as in footnote (m). Same value also obtained by pyridine-iodide colorimetric method and by spectrographic determination.  
<sup>z</sup>4 Spectrographic determination.

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