Dissolved Nickel – values in nmol/kg Consensus values (± 1 std. dev.) for SAFe Reference Samples as of May 2013

SAFe S = 2.28 ± 0.09 nmol/kg

SAFe D2 = 8.63 ± 0.25 nmol/kg

SAFe D1 = 8.58 ± 0.26 nmol/kg

These above concentrations are considered to be the consensus values for the SAFe reference samples as of May 2013. There does not appear to be a significant difference between samples that were UV-oxidized or non UV-treated.

Labs participating in the analysis of the SAFe reference samples to determine consensus values for dissolved Ni:

Mike Gordon/Kenneth Coale (MLML, U.S.)

Dissolved Ni was concentrated by solvent extraction (Bruland et al., 1979) and subsequently analyzed by ICP-MS.

Yoshiki Sohrin (U. Kyoto, Japan):

Off line concentration using an EDTri-A-type chelating resin with subsequent analyses by ICP-MS using the method of Sohrin et al. (2008).

Michael Ellwood (Australian National U, Australia):

Dissolved Ni was concentrated by solvent extraction (Bruland et al.,1979) and analyzed by ICPMS.

Peter Croot/Peter Streu (IMF/GEOMAR, Germany);

Samples were analyzed by solvent extraction with DDC/Freon and ICP-MS according to the method described in Kremling and Streu (2001).

Angie Milne/Bill Landing (FSU, U.S.):

Off-line extraction using IDA Toyopearl AF-Chelate-650 M resin followed by analysis using isotope dilution ICP-MS (Milne et al. 2010).

Pete Morton/John Donat/Bill Landing (ODU/FSU, U.S.):

Use of 8-hydroxyquinoline chelating resin off-line with subsequent analysis by ICP-MS.

Geoff Smith/Ken Bruland (UCSC, U.S.):

On-line flow injection analysis of 4 ml of sea water using an EDTri-A-type chelating resin (Sohrin et al., 2008) followed by detection with ICPMS.

Kristen Buck/Kathy Barbeau (SIO/UCSD, U.S.):

Adsorptive cathodic stripping voltammetry on UV oxidized samples (Saito et al., 2004).

Antonio Cobelo-Garcia (IIM-CSIC, Spain)

Adsorptive cathodic stripping voltammetry on UV oxidized samples (Cobelo-Garcia et al., 2005). **Dondra Biller/Ken Bruland (UCSC, U.S.)**:

Off-line concentration using an EDTri-A-type chelating resin with subsequent analyses by ICP-MS (Biller and Bruland, 2012) based upon the method of Sohrin et al. (2008).

Christian Schlosser and Eric Achterberg (Plymouth, UK)

Off-line extraction using a WAKO chelating resin (Kagaya, 2009) followed by analysis on an Element XR ICP-MS. Samples were UV digested for 3 hours.

Rob Middag and Ken Bruland (UCSC, US)

Off-line extraction with Nobias PA-1 chelating resin and analysis on an Element XR ICP-MS Middag et al., submitted).

Maria Lagerstrom and Rob Sherrell (Rutgers University, US)

On-line flow injection with a modified seaFAST system, the Nobias PA-1 resin, isotope dilution and ICP-MS detection.

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