

Question 21.

2023 WATER QUALITY DATA

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Climax Mine Water Quality Monitoring Plan Evaluation - 2023

Sampling Locations

Groundwater

Sample Locations: ARWell, ARK-MW-001D, EVMW-3S, EVMW-3D, EV-MW-004, TM-MW-002D, GW#2, TM-MW-001D, GW#1, ARK-MW-002S, ARK-MW-002D, EVMW-1D, EVMW-1S, EVMW-2, EVS-1, EVS-2, EVS-3

Internal Surface Water

Sample Locations: CC-SW1, EI-SW1

Surface Water

Sample Locations: Arkansas #1, Arkansas #2, AI, BI, EPR Outlet

Duplicate Sample Locations:

- First Quarter: ARK-MW-002S
- Second Quarter: EVMW-2
- Third Quarter: EVMW-3D
- Fourth Quarter: EVMW-1S

During 2023, all water quality sample locations were successfully collected except for:

First Quarter:

- Inaccessible or frozen due to winter conditions:
 - ARK-MW-001D, EVMW-2, EV-MW-004, EVS-1, EVS-2, EVS-3, EI-SW1, CC-SW1

Second Quarter:

- No Observable Discharge:
 - EPR Outlet (typically collected Q2 & Q3, but biannual samples collected in Q3 & Q4 this year)

Third Quarter:

- None

Fourth Quarter:

- Dry due to winter conditions or no flows:
 - EVS-1 (dry)
 - EI-SW1 (flows diverted into treatment system during McNulty Phase III work)
- Pump Failure (currently working to replace):
 - EVMW-1D

Discussion of Results: POC Wells

Numeric Protection Limits (NPLs) were implemented at point of compliance (POC) wells in the approved Water Quality Monitoring Plan (WQMP) for the indicator parameter list. Section 5.0 of the WQMP discusses the rationale for selection of the NPLs. A comparison of results to applicable NPLs is provided in attached Table 1 and Charts 1-40 show five-year time series graphs for all indicator parameters. In 2023, all indicator parameter results were below applicable NPLs except for pH at monitoring well GW#2 (see below discussion). Also, we have included the five-year time series data graphs for all indicator parameters at internal groundwater well location EVMW-1S (see below discussion and charts 36-40).

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Discussion of Results: Evaluation of Groundwater and Surface Water Data

Tenmile and Arkansas Watersheds

In accordance with Section 5.2.2.1 of the WQMP regarding trend evaluation of data collected in the Tenmile and Arkansas basins, Climax will “routinely evaluate indicator parameter water quality trends for the groundwater monitoring sites identified above on an annual basis, and report findings in the Annual Report to DRMS.”

As requested by DRMS, five-year indicator data sets are presented in data tables (Tables 1 and 2) and depicted on Charts 1-35, are attached for the POC wells. Graph titles are color coordinated, matching the color of the data table to the corresponding POC well. A review of POC groundwater data shows a pH exceedance at TM-MW-002D with a 8.56 s.u. lab result from the October 2023 sample. Climax will increase pH sampling to a monthly frequency in 2024 and investigate possible reason for this increased result. All other groundwater data and graphs do not indicate an apparent decline in 2023 in indicator parameter quality at any of the POC wells in the Tenmile and Arkansas basins.

Eagle River Watershed

In accordance with Section 6.0 of the WQMP, Climax evaluated Eagle River basin POC well data against applicable NPLs. The review did not indicate any exceedances of the NPLs in the Eagle River basin. Likewise, no trends of indicator parameters (suggesting a decline in water quality) were apparent in any of the three POC wells. Laboratory data and graphs depicting indicator parameter concentrations over the last five years are contained in Tables 1 and 2, and Charts 1-35, attached.

Climax also evaluated indicator parameter data from the remaining wells and surface water monitoring locations in the Eagle River basin in accordance with Section 6.3.2 of the WQMP. The first part of this evaluation involved looking for any potential discernable water quality trends over time. No apparent trends at surface water monitoring sites AI, BI or Eagle Park Reservoir Outlet (EPR Outlet) were noted during this evaluation. Similarly, no

apparent trends were noted in indicator parameters at seeps EVS-1, EVS-2, or EVS-3. Indicator parameter values at groundwater wells EVMW-1D and EVMW-2 were generally within historic ranges.

Eagle River Watershed Well EVMW-1S

As previously reported, during the second and third quarter monitoring events in 2022, iron and manganese concentrations in well EVMW-1S increased outside the range of data from recent years. In response to this observation, Climax implemented increased monitoring frequencies in 2023 at wells EVMW-1S, EVMW-1D and EVMW-004 (wells closest to the above area of evaluation) in accordance with Section 6.3.2.4 of the Climax WQMP. Wells EVMW-1S and EVMW-004 have been monitored monthly since March 2023 (weather & access permitting) in addition to quarterly monitoring of water quality in Robinson Lake and Robinson Lake Seep. The dedicated well pump in monitoring well EVMW-1D failed in September, curtailing the increased monitoring at that location. A replacement has been ordered and monthly sampling will resume this spring.

Chart 36 presents the most recent five years of data for iron, manganese, and other indicator metals molybdenum, cadmium, copper, and zinc. As has been observed in the past iron and manganese show greater variability, while other metals remain consistently low. Concentrations of primary indicator parameters, sulfate, and TDS, over the last five years are presented on Charts 38 and 39. While a slightly increasing visual trend was observed in the sulfate and TDS data between 2017 and 2019, concentrations over the last four years (2020 – 2023) are generally stable, and all concentrations have remained lower than historic highs over the full period of record at this location beginning in 1993.

Well EVMW-1S is a shallow internal monitoring well completed through the alluvium and upper weathered bedrock immediately downgradient of the seepage collection cutoff wall below Robinson Lake. Increasing trends of certain parameters (including iron and manganese) were previously observed at well EVMW-1S, EVMW-1D and EVMW-004 beginning in late 2012. In response, monitoring frequency was increased and additional investigations were conducted between 2012 and 2014, including studies to understand the potential quantity of water that is conveyed through this shallow system and its relation to the Robinson Lake seep.

Following the observations noted above, Climax performed further examination of water quality parameters in EVMW-1S as prescribed by Section 6.3.2.1 of the WQMP. This involves an analysis that defines a window of time for evaluating whether a trend exists, including defining the baseline dataset through the most recent sampling period. At this location, the full baseline period is considered to include all data collected since 2001, following the completion of the seepage collection system. Over this period only iron and manganese can be perceived as having any kind of increasing trend, however, previous studies have also established that dissolved iron and manganese concentrations are highly variable and susceptible to phase changes related to redox conditions. Seasonally, lower concentrations of iron and manganese are typically observed in first quarter samples, followed by higher levels in third quarter samples. TDS and sulfate concentrations do not

show any strong seasonal variations although first quarter samples have had higher concentrations the last several years followed by lower concentrations in the second quarter samples, potentially related to greater influx from snow melt.

As part of the additional data evaluation prescribed in Section 6.3.2.1 of the WQMP, a statistical evaluation was performed using the 2022 data; comparing the 4 most recent quarterly sampling results against the 80th percentile upper prediction limit (UPL), and the 2 most recent quarterly sampling results against the 95th percentile UPL. The 80th and 95th percentile values were calculated, conservatively using baseline data collected from 2011 through 2021. The table below presents the evaluation of the data collected during 2022 relative to the UPL values. As indicated, the dissolved iron and manganese concentrations observed during both the 2nd and 3rd quarters exceed the 95th percentile UPL values. The monthly data collected during 2023 have also been added to this evaluation and are presented in the table below. As illustrated, at least one sample during the 3rd and 4th quarters had iron concentrations exceeding the 95th percentile UPL, although the magnitude of the iron concentrations in 2023 were lower than 2022. At least one sample from the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters had manganese concentrations exceeding the 95th percentile UPL, but no four consecutive quarterly results have exceeded the 80th percentile. Despite these observed iron and manganese values, the more stable indicator parameters of sulfate and TDS have remained generally stable over the last several years.

Sample Date	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Sulfate, Dissolved (mg/L)	TDS (mg/L)
3/29/2022	1.6	0.87	614	1060
6/16/2022	4.8	1.18	497	934
9/1/2022	5.4	1.37	491	996
12/27/2022	1.8	0.86	505	986
03/29/2023	1.91	0.789	615	1000
04/12/2023	1.42	0.851	550	986
05/16/2023	***	***	***	***
06/21/2023	1.42	1.56	454	926
07/20/2023	2.2	0.82	484	906
08/16/2023	2.45	0.858	481	930
09/25/2023	3.18	1.00	489	930
10/26/2023	0.03	1.12	419	922
11/15/2023	3.5	1.09	434	924
12/14/2023	2.08	0.94	519	924
80th % UPL	2.3	0.89	540	1030
95th % UPL	2.7	0.97	593	1074

UPL values (95th % & 80th %) calculated using baseline data from 2011 – 2021

Italicized sample results report Non-Detect results (reported as ½ MDL value)

*** no sample collected in May 2023

Climax intends to continue monthly sampling of monitoring wells EVMW-1S, EVMW-1D, and EVMW-004, as well as quarterly sampling of Robinson Lake and Robinson Lake Seep. Additional evaluation is also being conducted to assess any potential relationship between water level in the seepage collection pond and iron and manganese concentrations in well EVMW-1S. At this stage no definitive correlation has been determined, but work will continue to determine potential reasons for the observed increases.

Discussion of Results: Outlier Identification and Data Validation

The 2023 groundwater and surface water data were analyzed for outliers. One data outlier was identified for the 12/14/23 EVMW-1S sulfate result, which came back as below minimum detectable level. Timely, that happened to be our duplicate sample location for the quarter, and the duplicate came back at 519 mg/L, which was within the five-year historic levels of that well location. This value was used for the 2023 Q4 sample results to show that no data trend was identified.

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Climax has not identified any changes over the preceding year (2023) regarding any disturbances to the prevailing hydrologic balance within the permitted affected area.

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Except as discussed herein (see above discussions regarding continued water quality investigations at wells GW#2 and EVMW-1S), Climax has not identified any changes over the preceding year (2023), regarding any disturbances to the quality and quantity of water in surface and groundwater systems within the permitted affected area.

GW #2 Investigation Report
2023 Activities

Memorandum

To: Alex Ungers and Meghan Graham, Climax Molybdenum **Date:** February 20, 2024
From: Michael Alter, CPG
CC: Eric Detmer and Elaine DuBois, Climax Molybdenum
Subject: GW#2 Evaluation Update

Clear Creek Associates is assisting Climax Molybdenum Company (Climax) with evaluation of groundwater conditions in the Ten Mile Creek drainage area north (downgradient) of the Mayflower Tailings Storage Facility (TSF). The evaluation was initiated by Climax in 2021 to understand the presence and nature of lower pH values recorded in monitor well GW#2, which monitors groundwater conditions in the shallow alluvial aquifer near the northern property boundary. This memo provides background information, describes 2023 investigation activities, reviews current conditions/trends, and discusses next steps in the evaluation.

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FIGURES



Legend

- Monitoring Wells

SCALE: 1 inch: 1,300 feet

0 1,500 3,000 Feet

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Figure 1
Site Map
Ten Mile Basin Site
Climax Mine, CO

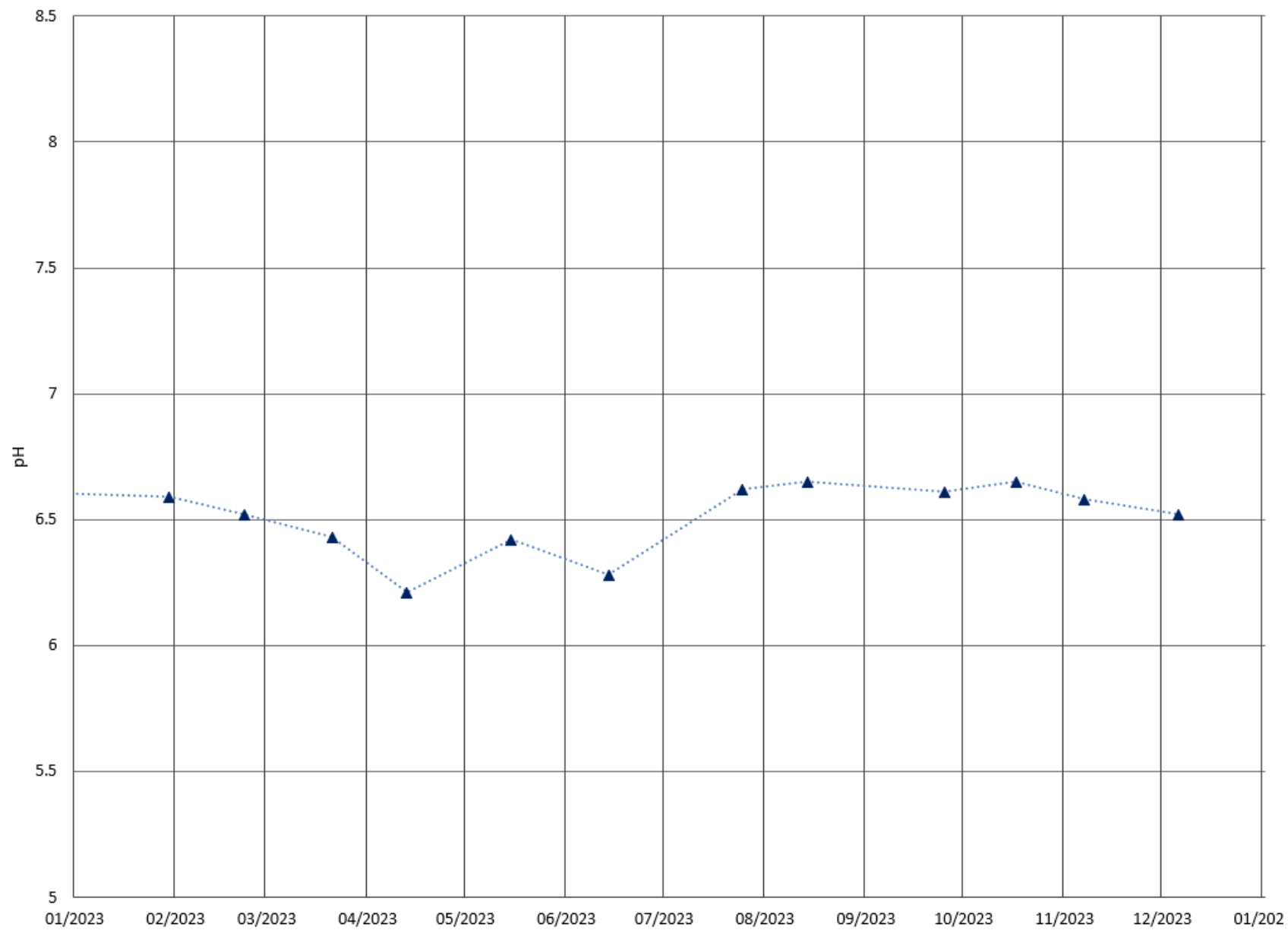
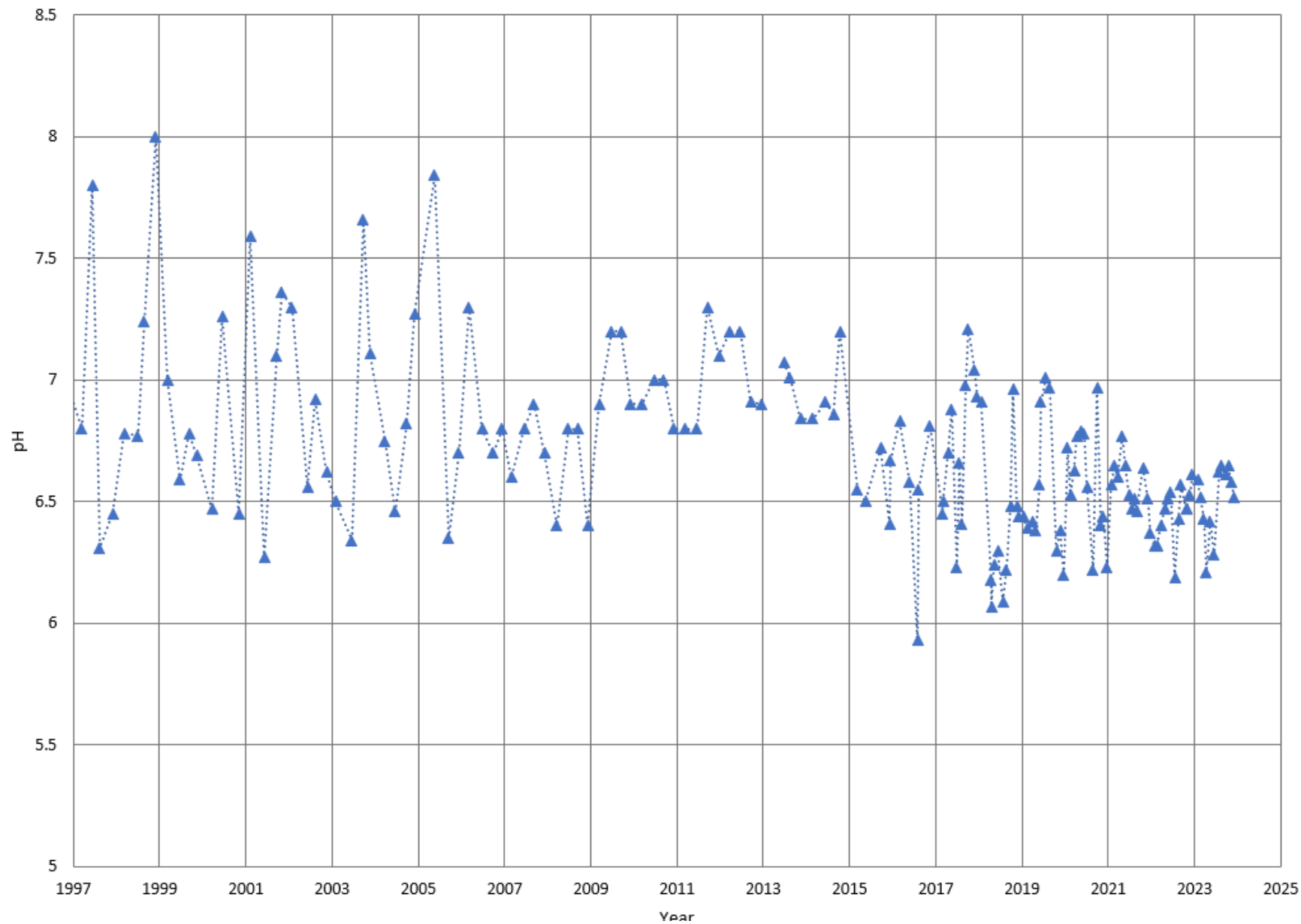


Figure 2 – GW#2 pH 2023



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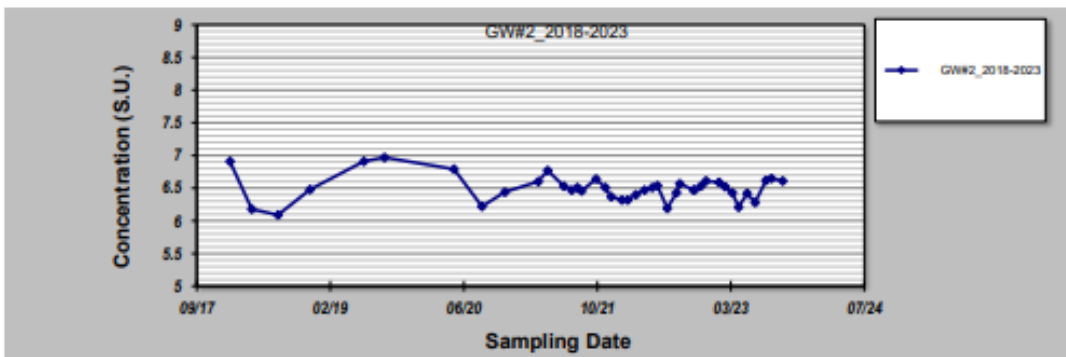
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**Figure 3 – GW#2 pH 1997 to
2023**

GSI MANN-KENDALL TOOLKIT for Constituent Trend Analysis

Evaluation Date:	19-Feb-24	Job ID:	cc21.1119
Facility Name:	Climax	Constituent:	pH
Conducted By:	M. Alter	Concentration Units:	S.U.
Sampling Point ID:	GW#2_2018-2023		

Sampling Event	Sampling Date	PH CONCENTRATION (S.U.)				
1	1/24/2018	6.91				
2	4/18/2018	6.18				
3	7/23/2018	6.09				
4	11/05/2018	6.46				
5	6/10/2019	6.91				
6	8/26/2019	6.97				
7	5/12/2020	6.79				
8	8/25/2020	6.22				
9	11/19/2020	6.44				
10	3/24/2021	6.6				
11	4/28/2021	6.77				
12	6/28/2021	6.53				
13	7/27/2021	6.47				
14	8/17/2021	6.51				
15	9/2/2021	6.46				
16	10/20/2021	6.64				
17	11/18/2021	6.51				
18	12/22/2021	6.37				
19	1/31/2022	6.32				
20	2/22/2022	6.32				
21	3/24/2022	6.4				
22	4/26/2022	6.47				
23	5/26/2022	6.51				
24	6/13/2022	6.54				
25	7/20/2022	6.19				
26	8/23/2022	6.43				
27	9/6/2022	6.57				
28	10/26/2022	6.47				
29	10/26/2022	6.47				
30	11/02/2022	6.53				
31	12/12/2022	6.61				
32	01/09/2023	6.59				
33	02/22/2023	6.52				
34	03/21/2023	6.43				
35	04/13/2023	6.21				
36	05/15/2023	6.42				
37	06/14/2023	6.28				
38	07/25/2023	6.62				
39	08/14/2023	6.65				
40	09/25/2023	6.61				
Coefficient of Variation:	0.03					
Mann-Kendall Statistic (S):	-22					
Confidence Factor:	59.6%					
Concentration Trend:	Stable					



Notes:

- At least four independent sampling events per well are required for calculating the trend. Methodology is valid for 4 to 40 samples.
- Confidence in Trend = Confidence (in percent) that constituent concentration is increasing (S>0) or decreasing (S<0): >95% = Increasing or Decreasing; ≥ 90% = Probably Increasing or Probably Decreasing; < 90% and S>0 = No Trend; < 90%, S=0, and COV ≥ 1 = No Trend; < 90% and COV < 1 = Stable.
- Methodology based on "MAROS: A Decision Support System for Optimizing Monitoring Plans", J.J. Aziz, M. Ling, H.S. Rifai, C.J. Newell, and J.R. Gonzales, Ground Water, 41(3):355-367, 2003.

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**Figure 4 – Statistical Analysis
GW#2 pH 2018 - 2023**

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X STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL USE OF GROUND WATER
____ AMENDMENT OF EXISTING RECORD
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PERMIT NUMBER

LOCATION OF WELL

THE AFFIANT(S) Climax Molybdenum CompanyCounty Summit

whose mailing
address is

SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 Section 13

City Climax, Colorado 80429
(STATE) (ZIP)

TWP. 7 S Rng. 79 W 6th P.M.
(N OR S) (E OR W)

being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that ~~XX~~ (they) ~~XX~~ (are) the owner(s) of the well described hereon; the well is located as described above, at distances of 1,502 feet from the North section line and 201 feet from the East section line; water from this well was first applied to a beneficial use for the purpose(s) described herein on the 1st day of July, 19 87; the maximum sustained pumping rate of the well is 10 gallons per minute, the pumping rate claimed hereby is 10 gallons per minute; the total depth of the well is 97.2 feet; the average annual amount of water to be diverted is None acre-feet; for which claim is hereby made for Groundwater monitoring only purpose(s); the legal description of the land on which the water from this well is used is N. A. of which

None acres are irrigated and which is illustrated on the map on the reverse side of this form; that this well was completed in compliance with the permit approved therefor; this statement of beneficial use of ground water is filed in compliance with law; he (they) has (have) read the statements made hereon; knows the content thereof; and that the same are true of his (their) knowledge.

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Permanent

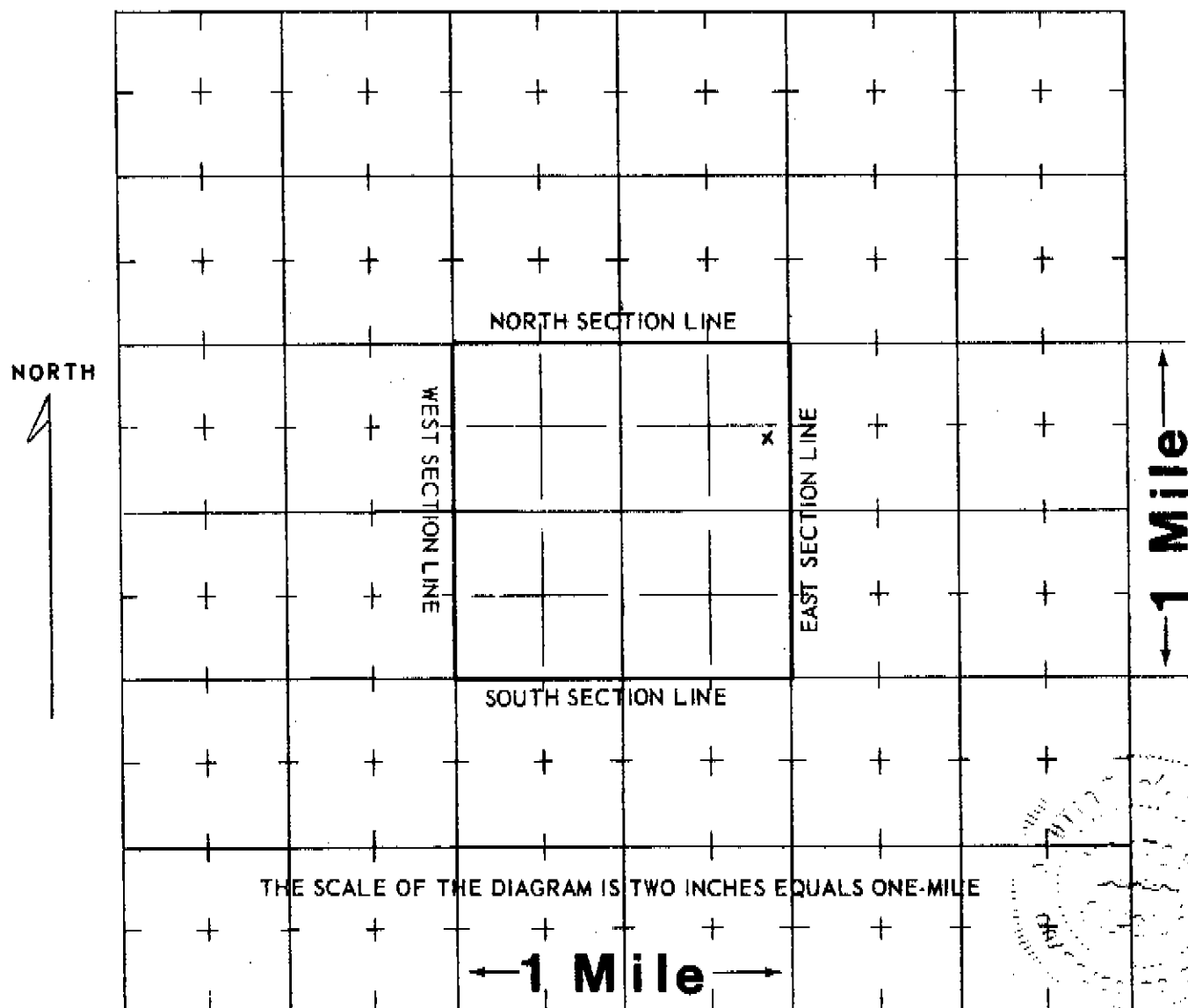
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WELL COMPLETION AND PUMP INSTALLATION REPORT

WATER RESOURCES
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PERMIT NUMBER 31726-M

WELL OWNER Warren Alloway
Climax Molybdenum Company

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 13
T. 7 S. 79 W. 6th P.M.

ADDRESS Climax, CO 80429

DATE COMPLETED June 26, 19 87

HOLE DIAMETER

10 in. from 0 to 96.5 ft.

_____ in. from _____ to _____ ft.

_____ in. from _____ to _____ ft.

DRILLING METHOD Mud Rotary

CASING RECORD: Plain Casing

Size 4" & kind PVC from +2 to 25 ft.

Size 4" & kind PVC from 45 to 85 ft.

Size _____ & kind _____ from _____ to _____ ft.

Perforated Casing

Size 4" & kind PVC from 25 to 45 ft.

Size _____ & kind _____ from _____ to _____ ft.

Size _____ & kind _____ from _____ to _____ ft.

GROUTING RECORD

Material Cement grout - Bentonite Seal

Intervals 96.5' - 85' 18.5' - 0 50' - 60'

Placement Method Tremie pipe

GRAVEL PACK: Size #10-20

Interval 50' - 20'

TEST DATA Not tested

Date Tested _____, 19 _____

Static Water Level Prior to Test _____ ft.

Type of Test Pump _____

Length of Test _____

Sustained Yield (Metered) _____

Final Pumping Water Level _____

WELL LOG

From	To	Type and Color of Material	Water Loc.
0	20'	Sand & boulders	
20	25'	Gravel w/occasional boulder	X
25	35'	Gravel w/cobbles	X
35	40'	Sand & clay	X
40	50'	Cobbles, gravel, sand	X
50	94.5'	Clay w/sand layers	
94.5	96.5'	Granite bedrock	
TOTAL DEPTH <u>96.5'</u>			

Use additional pages necessary to complete log.

PUMP INSTALLATION REPORT

Pump Make _____

Type _____

Powered by _____ HP

Pump Serial No. _____

Motor Serial No. _____

Date Installed _____

Pump Intake Depth _____

Remarks _____

WELL TEST DATA WITH PERMANENT PUMP

Date Tested _____

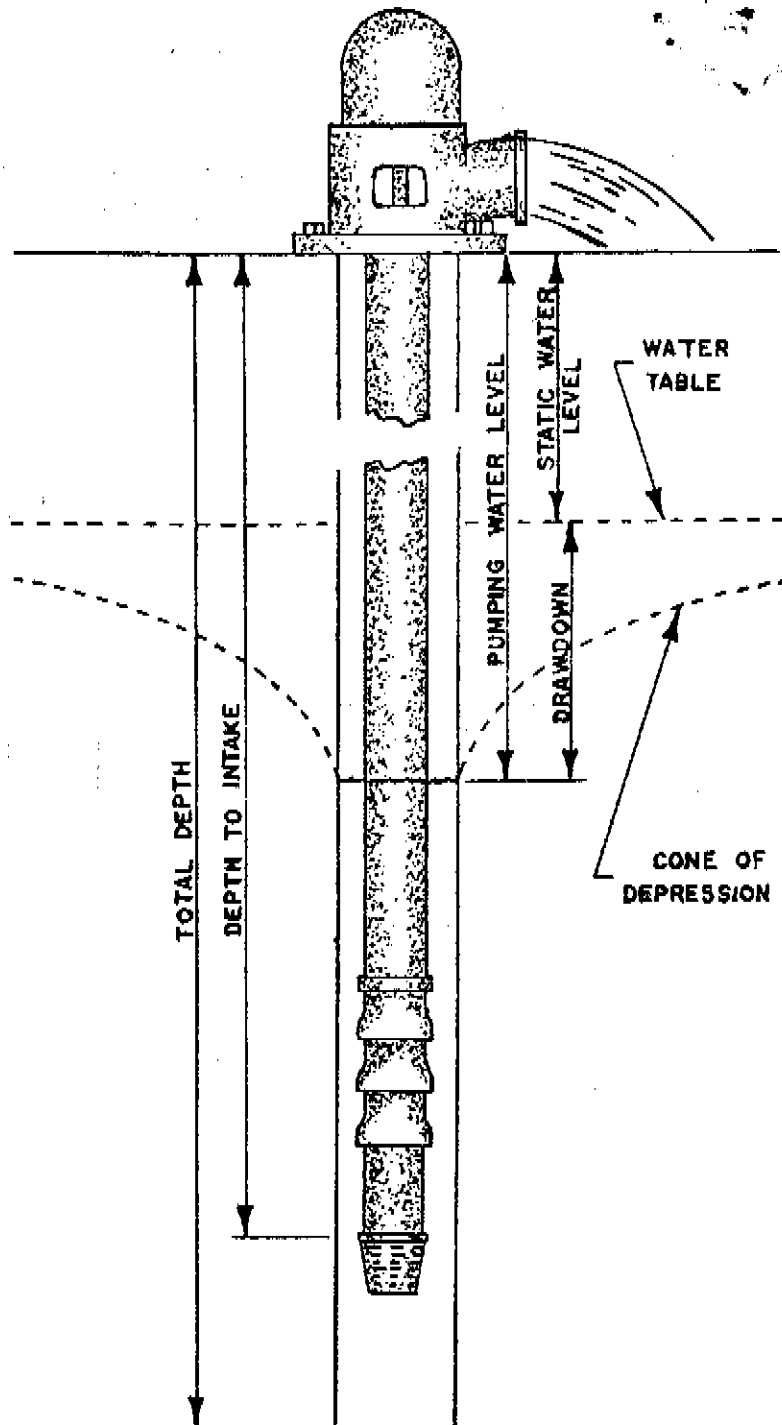
Static Water Level Prior to Test _____

Length of Test _____ Hours

Sustained yield (Metered) _____ GPM

Pumping Water Level _____

Remarks _____



CONTRACTORS STATEMENT

The undersigned, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is the contractor of the well or pump installation described hereon; that he has read the statement made hereon; knows the content thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge.

Signature Charles K. Cothorn License No. 1199

Charles K. Cothorn

State of Colorado, County of ARAPAHOE SS.

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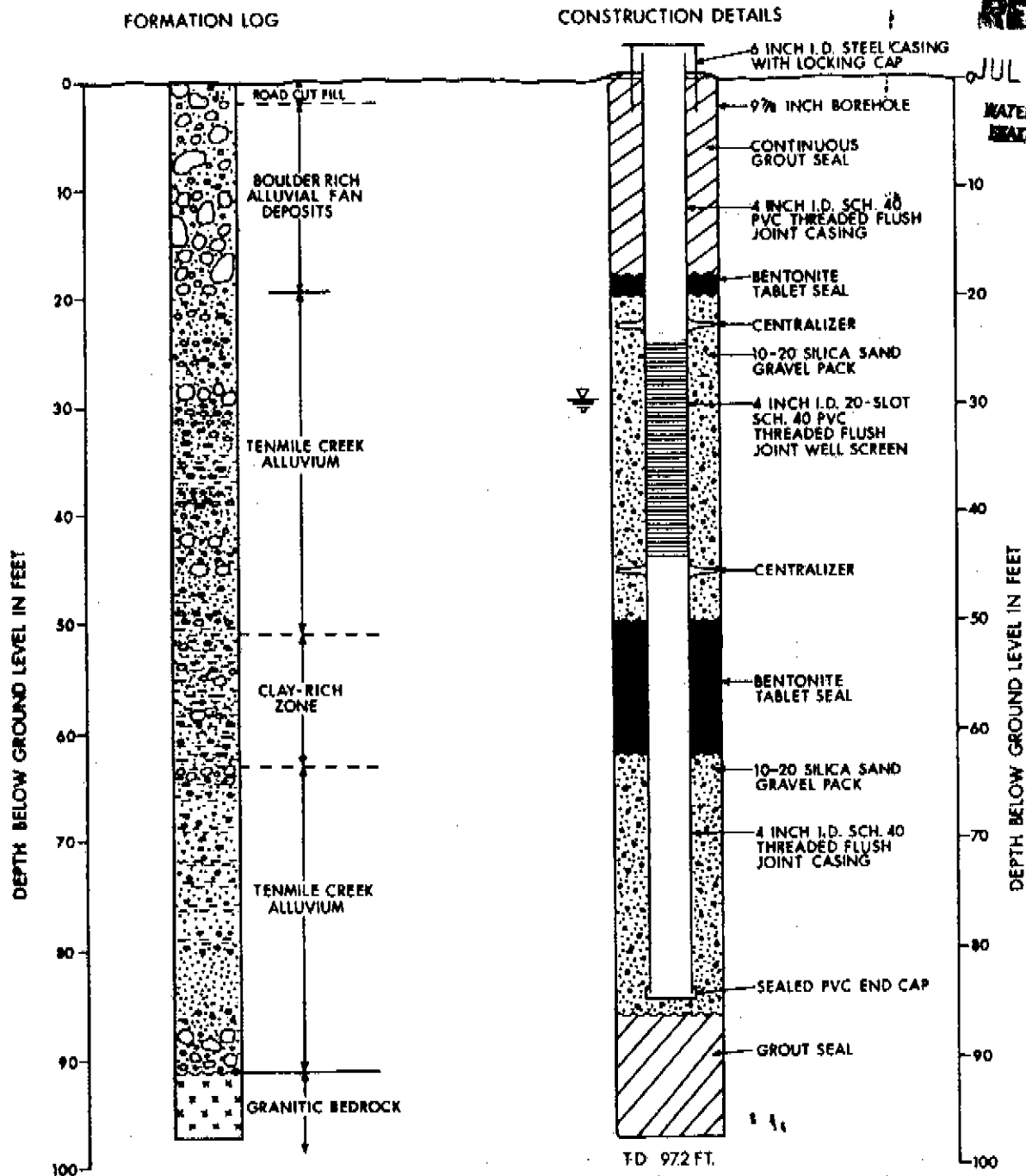
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- CLAYS
- SANDS AND GRAVELS
- COBBLES AND BOULDERS
- BEDROCK

STATIC WATER LEVEL

NO HORIZONTAL SCALE

NOTES:

- PERMIT NO. 31726-M
- LOCATED SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC. 13
- T 7 S R 79 W, SUMMIT CO., COLO.
- WELL DRILLED 6/15 - 6/26/87
- USING MUD ROTARY SYSTEM
- WITH A 9 7/8" BIT.

-STATIC WATER LEVEL RECORDED 7/8/87

Permit No. 31726-M

CLIMAX MOLYBDENUM COMPANY

GROUND WATER MONITORING WELL NO. 1

FORMATION LOG AND WELL

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

PROJECT NO. 5110

FIG. NO. 2

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() A PERMIT TO USE GROUND WATER
() A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A WELL
FOR: () A PERMIT TO INSTALL A PUMP

() REPLACEMENT FOR NO. _____
(X) OTHER Ground Water Monitoring Well
WATER COURT CASE NO. _____

WATER RESOURCES 87 2:08 P
STATE-ENGINEER 2 @ 25.00
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(1) APPLICANT - mailing address

NAME Warren Alloway

~~XXXXXX~~ Climax Molybdenum Company

CITY Climax, Colorado 80429
(State) (Zip)

TELEPHONE NO. (303) 486-2150

(2) LOCATION OF PROPOSED WELL

County Summit

SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 13

Twp. 7 S., Rng. 79 W., 6th P.M.
(N,S) (E,W)

(3) WATER USE AND WELL DATA

Proposed maximum pumping rate (gpm) N/A

Average annual amount of ground water to be appropriated (acre-feet): N/A

Number of acres to be irrigated: None

Proposed total depth (feet): 50

Aquifer ground water is to be obtained from:

N/A

Owner's well designation Ground water monitoring

Well No. 1
GROUND WATER TO BE USED FOR:

() HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY - no irrigation (0)
() DOMESTIC (1) () INDUSTRIAL (5)
() LIVESTOCK (2) () IRRIGATION (6)
() COMMERCIAL (4) () MUNICIPAL (8)

(X) OTHER (9) Ground water monitoring

DETAIL THE USE ON BACK IN (11)

(4) DRILLER

Name Licensed

Street _____

City _____ (State) (Zip)

Telephone No. _____ Lic. No. _____

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Basin _____ Dist. _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

This well shall be used in such a way as to cause no material injury to existing water rights. The issuance of the permit does not assure the applicant that no injury will occur to another vested water right or preclude another owner of a vested water right from seeking relief in a civil court action.

- 1) APPROVED PURSUANT TO C.R.S. 37-90-137(2) TO SATISFY THE PERMIT REQUIREMENTS OF C.R.S. 37-90-138(3) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WELL FOR MONITORING WATER LEVELS AND/OR WATER QUALITY SAMPLING IN THE SE 1/4 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 13, T7S, R79W, 6TH P.M.
- 2) THIS WELL MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH A LOCKING CAP OR SEAL TO PREVENT WELL CONTAMINATION OR POSSIBLE HAZARDS AS AN OPEN WELL. THE WELL MUST BE KEPT LOCKED AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT DURING SAMPLING OR MEASURING.
- 3) THIS WELL MUST BE CONSTRUCTED BY OR UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED WELL DRILLER ACCORDING TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION AND PUMP INSTALLATION CONTRACTORS.
- 4) RECORDS OF WATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS AND WATER QUALITY ANALYSES SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE WELL OWNER AND SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES UPON REQUEST.
- 5) UPON CONCLUSION OF THE MONITORING PROGRAM, THE APPLICANT SHALL PLUG AND ABANDON THIS WELL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE ABOVE MENTIONED BOARD.
- 6) THE OWNER SHALL MARK THE WELL IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE WITH APPROPRIATE WELL PERMIT NUMBER AND NAME OF THE AQUIFER. HE SHALL TAKE NECESSARY MEANS AND PRECAUTIONS TO PRESERVE THESE MARKINGS.
- 7) THE APPLICANT MUST SUBMIT AN AS BUILT DRAWING SHOWING THE EXACT LOCATION,
- CONTINUED, ATTACHED SHEET -

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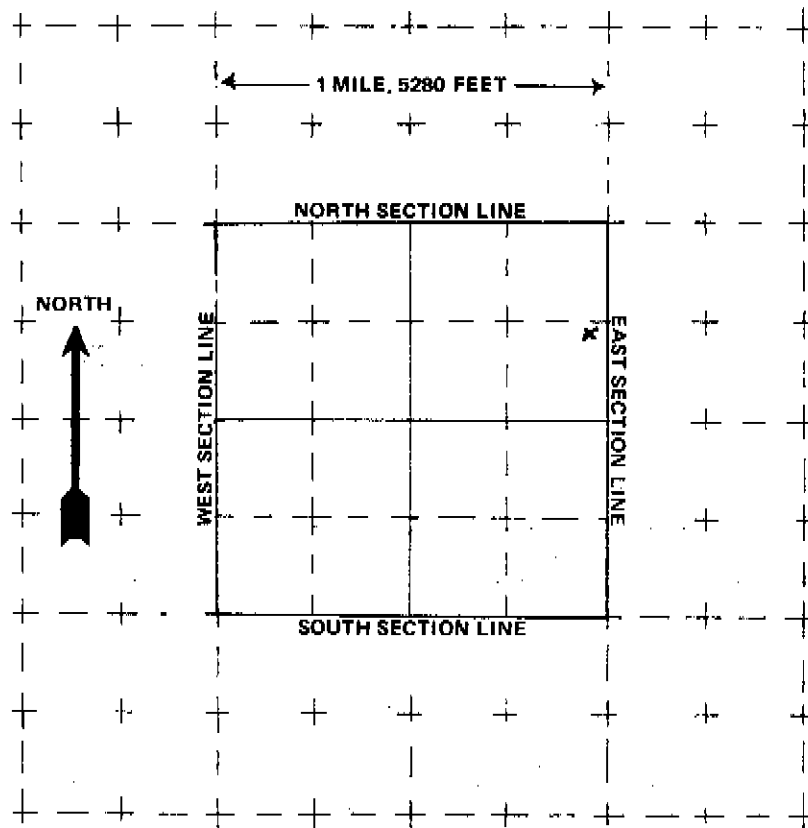
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(5) **THE LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED WELL** and the area on which the water will be used must be indicated on the diagram below. Use the **CENTER SECTION** (1 section, 640 acres) for the well location.



The scale of the diagram is 2 inches = 1 mile
Each small square represents 40 acres.

WATER EQUIVALENTS TABLE (Rounded Figures)

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1 cubic foot per second (cfs) . . . 449 gallons per minute (gpm)
A family of 5 will require approximately 1 acre-foot of water per year.
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(6) **THE WELL MUST BE LOCATED BELOW** by distances from section lines.

1,502 ft. from North sec. line
(north or south)
201 ft. from East sec. line
(east or west)

LOT _____ BLOCK _____ FILING # _____
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(7) **TRACT ON WHICH WELL WILL BE LOCATED** Owner: Climax Molybdenum Co.
No. of acres None Will this be
the only well on this tract? _____

(8) **PROPOSED CASING PROGRAM**

Plain Casing
4 in. from 0 ft. to 25 ft.
_____ in. from _____ ft. to _____ ft.
Perforated casing
4 in. from 25 ft. to 50 ft.
_____ in. from _____ ft. to _____ ft.

(9) **FOR REPLACEMENT WELLS** give distance and direction from old well and plans for plugging it:

(10) **LAND ON WHICH GROUND WATER WILL BE USED:**

Owner(s): Climax Molybdenum Company No. of acres: None

Legal description: _____

(11) **DETAILED DESCRIPTION** of the use of ground water: Household use and domestic wells must indicate type of disposal system to be used
Ground water monitoring

(12) **OTHER WATER RIGHTS** used on this land, including wells. Give Registration and Water Court Case Numbers.

Type or right	Used for (purpose)	Description of land on which used

(13) **THE APPLICANT(S) STATE(S) THAT THE INFORMATION SET FORTH HEREON IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE.**

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT(S) Warren Alloway 4-23-87
WARREN ALLOWAY, ENGINEER

APPLICANT: WARREN ALLOWAY
CLIMAX MOLYBDENUM COMPANY

WELL PERMIT NO. 31726-M

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, CONTINUED:

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS INCLUDING THE TOTAL DEPTH OF THE WELL, THE CASING PROGRAM WITH ZONES OF PERFORATIONS, AND A DESCRIPTION OF THE GROUTING TYPE AND INTERVAL. A WELL COMPLETION REPORT WITH A LITHOLOGIC LOG MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED BY THE LICENSED DRILLER UNDER WHOSE SUPERVISION THE WELL WAS CONSTRUCTED OR BY THE OWNER IF CONSTRUCTED BY HIMSELF.

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WELL COMPLETION AND PUMP INSTALLATION REPORT

PERMIT NUMBER 31727-M

Warren Alloway

WELL OWNER Climax Molybdenum Company

SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 7

ADDRESS Climax, Colorado 80429

T. 7 S. R. 78 W. 6th P.M.

DATE COMPLETED June 30, 19 87

HOLE DIAMETER

10 in. from 0 to 68 ft.

in. from to ft.

in. from to ft.

DRILLING METHOD Mud Rotary

CASING RECORD: Plain Casing

Size 4" & kind pvc from +2 to 25 ft.

Size 4" & kind PVC from 35 to 45 ft.

Size 4" & kind PVC from 55 to 56 ft.

Perforated Casing

Size 4" & kind PVC from 25 to 35 ft.

Size 4" & kind PVC from 45 to 55 ft.

Size & kind from to ft.

GROUTING RECORD

Material	Natural Fill	Bentonite	Bentonite	Cement
Intervals	68' - 63'	63' - 60'	20' - 18'	18' - 0

Placement Method Tremie

GRAVEL PACK: Size #10-20

Interval 60' - 20'

TEST DATA Not Tested

Date Tested , 19

Static Water Level Prior to Test ft.

Type of Test Pump

Length of Test

Sustained Yield (Metered)

Final Pumping Water Level

WELL LOG

From	To	Type and Color of Material	Water Loc.
0'	5'	Top soil, clay, gravel	X
5'	20'	Boulders, cobbles, sand	
20'	25'	Brown clay	
25'	50'	Cobbles, sand w/clay layers	
50'	55'	Reddish brown clay	
55'	68'	Clay, sand layers	
TOTAL DEPTH 68'			

Use additional pages necessary to complete log.

PUMP INSTALLATION REPORT

Pump Make _____

Type _____

Powered by _____ HP _____

Pump Serial No. _____

Motor Serial No. _____

Date Installed _____

Pump Intake Depth _____

Remarks _____

WELL TEST DATA WITH PERMANENT PUMP

Date Tested _____

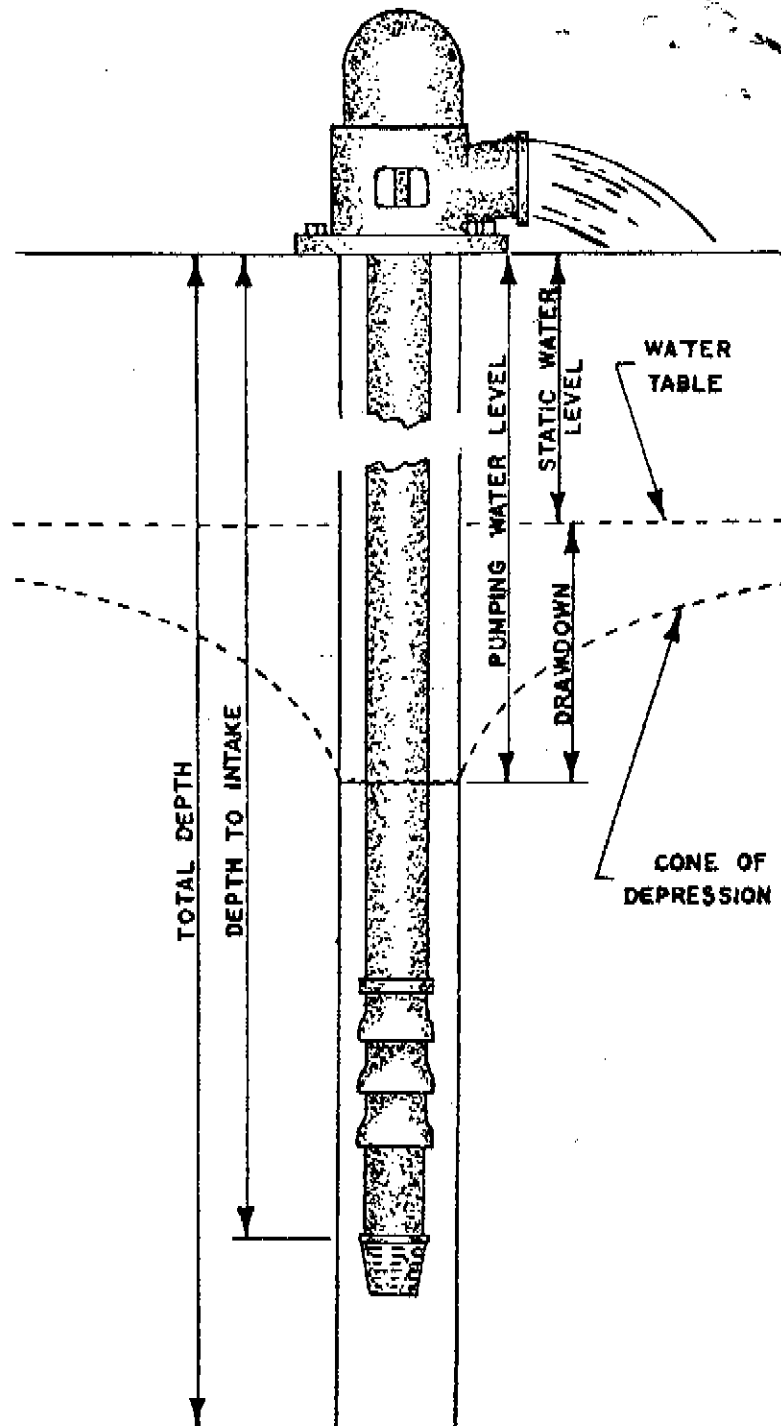
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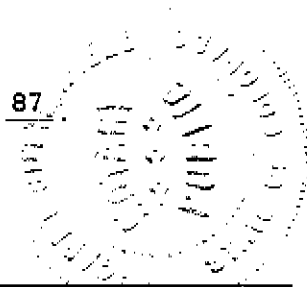
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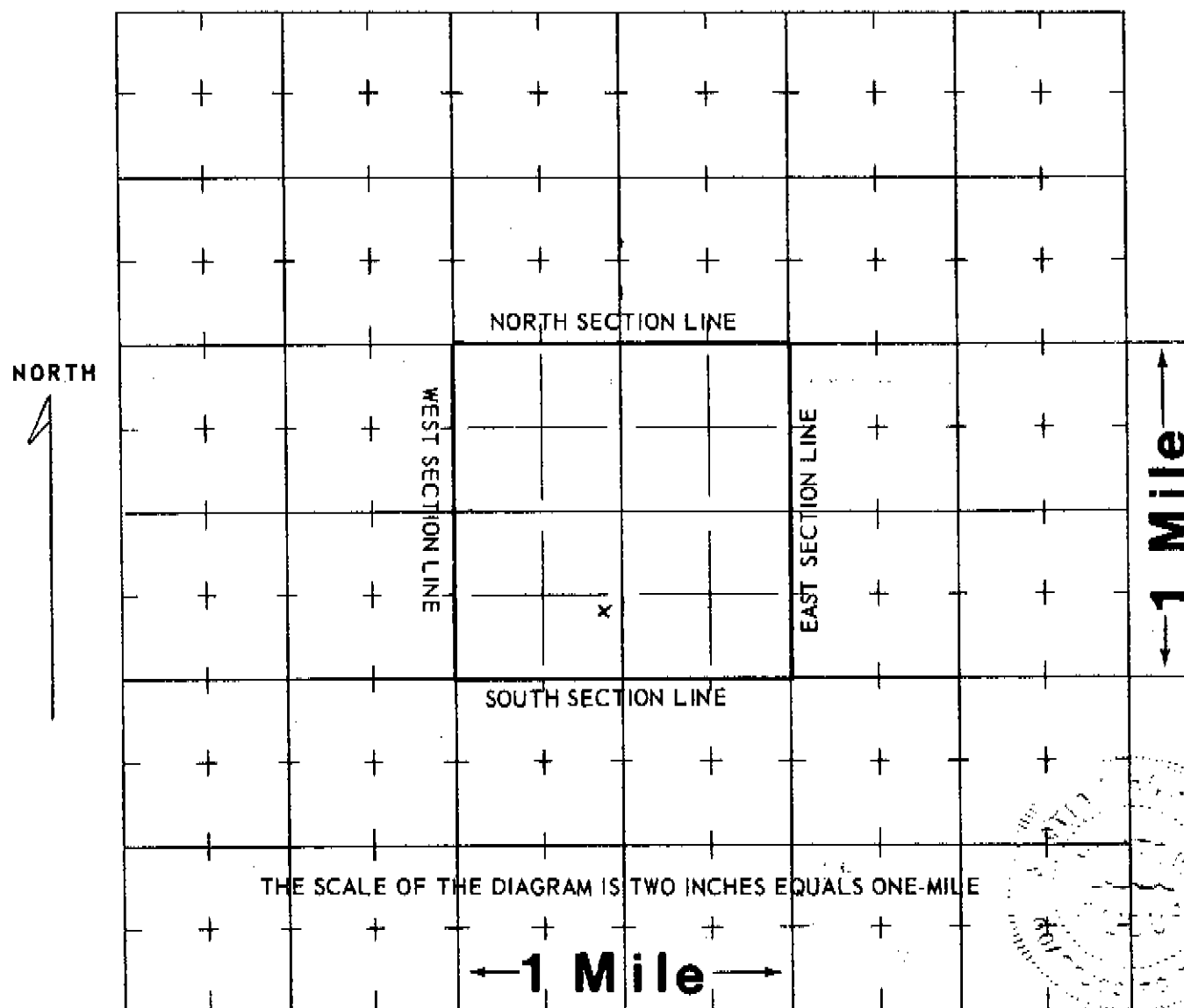
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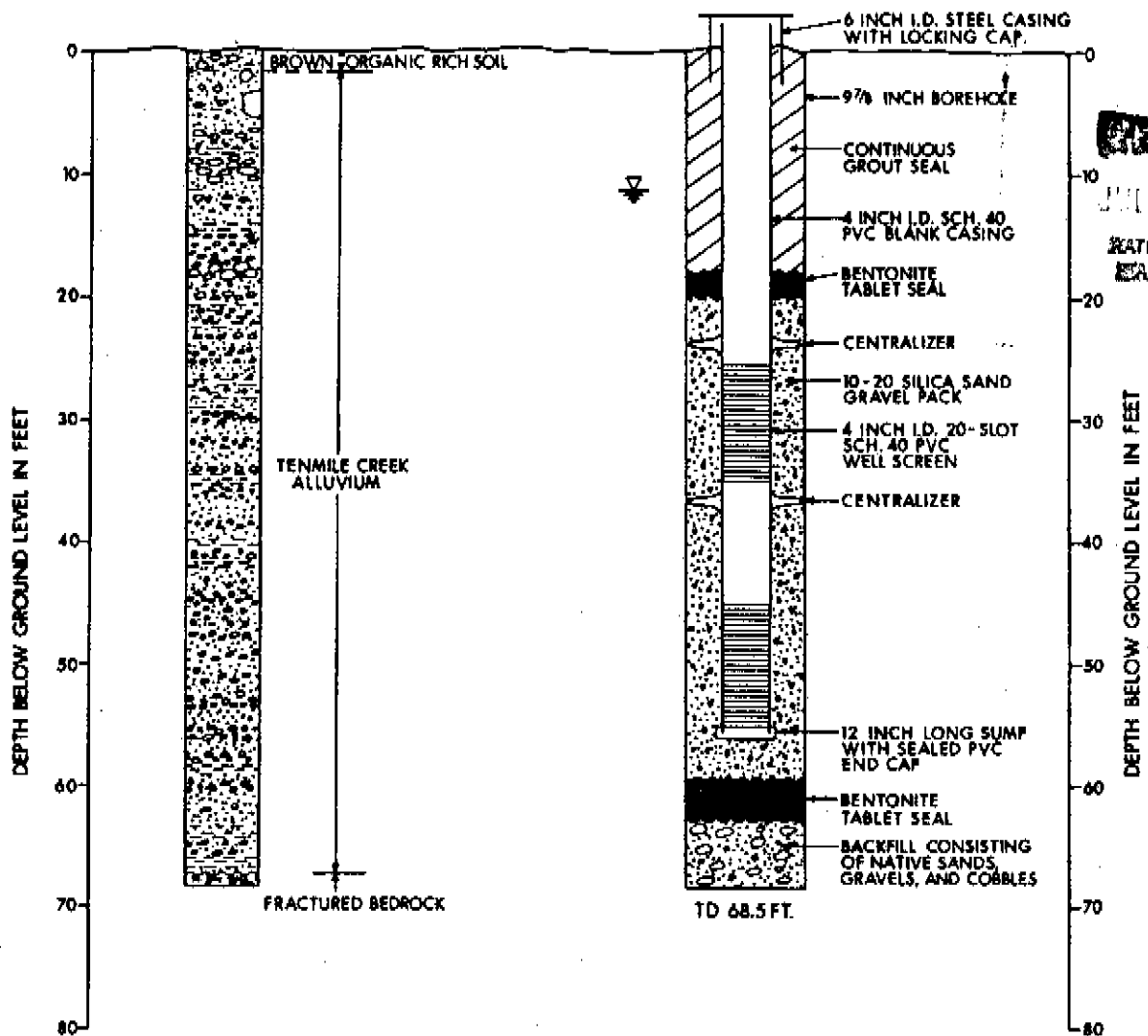
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FORMATION LOG

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS



LEGEND

- CLAYS
- SANDS AND GRAVELS
- COBBLES AND BOULDERS
- BEDROCK



STATIC WATER LEVEL

NO HORIZONTAL SCALE

NOTES:

- PERMIT NO. 31727-M
- LOCATED SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SEC. 7
- T7S R70W, SUMMIT CO., COLO.
- WELL DRILLED 6/7-6/30/87
- USING MUD ROTARY SYSTEM
- WITH A 9 7/8" BIT

-STATIC WATER LEVEL RECORDED 7/8/87

Permit No. 31727-M

CLIMAX MOLYBDENUM COMPANY
GROUND WATER MONITORING WELL NO2
FORMATION LOG AND WELL
CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

PROJECT NO. 5110

FIG. NO. 3

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COLORADO DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
 818 Centennial Bldg., 1313 Sherman St., Denver, Colorado 80203

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- () A PERMIT TO USE GROUND WATER
 () A PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A WELL
 () A PERMIT TO INSTALL A PUMP
 (X) REPLACEMENT FOR NO. _____
 (X) OTHER Ground water monitoring well
 WATER COURT CASE NO. _____

(1) APPLICANT - mailing addressNAME Warren Alloway~~XXXXXX~~ Climax Molybdenum CompanyCITY Climax Colorado 80429
(State) (Zip)TELEPHONE NO. (303) 486-2150**(2) LOCATION OF PROPOSED WELL**County Summit

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 7
 Twp. 7 S, Rng. 78 W, 6th P.M.
 (N.S) (E.W)

(3) WATER USE AND WELL DATAProposed maximum pumping rate (gpm) N/AAverage annual amount of ground water to be appropriated (acre-feet): N/ANumber of acres to be irrigated: NoneProposed total depth (feet): 50

Aquifer ground water is to be obtained from:
N/A

Owner's well designation Groundwater Monitoring Well No. 2**GROUND WATER TO BE USED FOR:**

- () HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY - no irrigation (0)
 () DOMESTIC (1) () INDUSTRIAL (5)
 () LIVESTOCK (2) () IRRIGATION (6)
 () COMMERCIAL (4) () MUNICIPAL (8)

(X) OTHER (9) Ground water monitoring

DETAIL THE USE ON BACK IN (11)

(4) DRILLERName Licensed

Street _____

City _____ (State) (Zip)

Telephone No. _____ Lic. No. _____

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Receipt No. 75427B / 11702-B

Basin _____ Dist. _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

This well shall be used in such a way as to cause no material injury to existing water rights. The issuance of the permit does not assure the applicant that no injury will occur to another vested water right or preclude another owner of a vested water right from seeking relief in a civil court action.

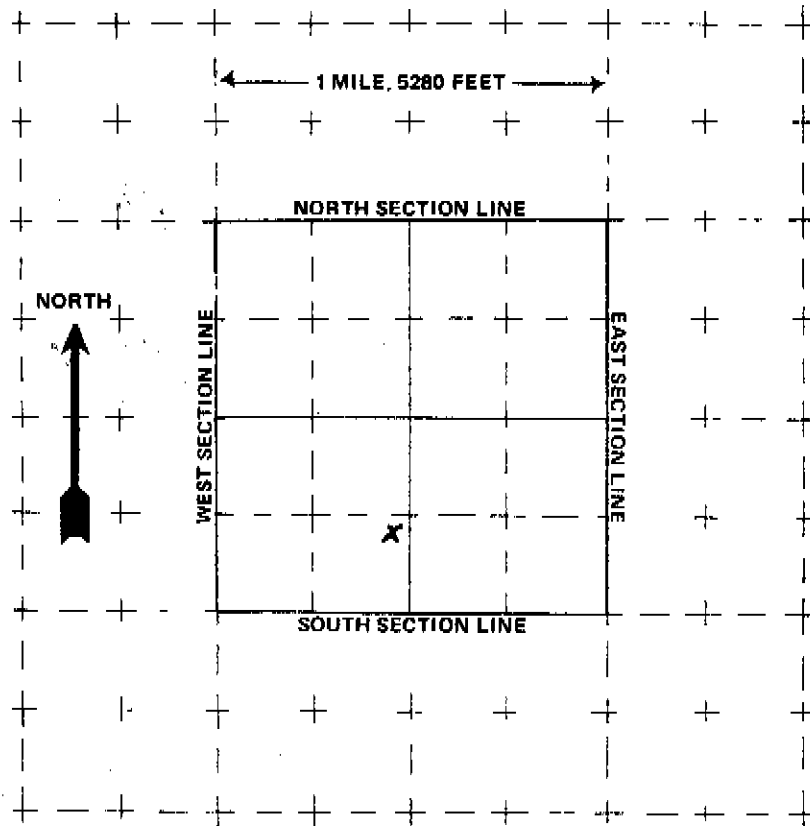
- 1) APPROVED PURSUANT TO C.R.S. 37-90-137(2) TO SATISFY THE PERMIT REQUIREMENTS OF C.R.S. 37-90-138(3) FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WELL FOR MONITORING WATER LEVELS AND/OR WATER QUALITY SAMPLING IN THE SE1/4 OF THE SW1/4 OF SECTION 7, T7S, R78W, 6TH P.M.
- 2) THIS WELL MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH A LOCKING CAP OR SEAL TO PREVENT WELL CONTAMINATION OR POSSIBLE HAZARDS AS AN OPEN WELL. THE WELL MUST BE KEPT LOCKED AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT DURING SAMPLING OR MEASURING.
- 3) THIS WELL MUST BE CONSTRUCTED BY OR UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED WELL DRILLER ACCORDING TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION AND PUMP INSTALLATION CONTRACTORS.
- 4) RECORDS OF WATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS AND WATER QUALITY ANALYSES SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE WELL OWNER AND SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES UPON REQUEST.
- 5) UPON CONCLUSION OF THE MONITORING PROGRAM, THE APPLICANT SHALL PLUG AND ABANDON THIS WELL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE ABOVE MENTIONED BOARD.
- 6) THE OWNER SHALL MARK THE WELL IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE WITH APPROPRIATE WELL PERMIT NUMBER AND NAME OF THE AQUIFER. HE SHALL TAKE NECESSARY MEANS AND PRECAUTIONS TO PRESERVE THESE MARKINGS.
- 7) THE APPLICANT MUST SUBMIT AN AS BUILT DRAWING SHOWING THE EXACT LOCATION,
 - CONTINUED, ATTACHED SHEET -

APPLICATION APPROVEDPERMIT NUMBER 31727-MDATE ISSUED MAY 12 1987EXPIRATION DATE MAY 12 1988

BY John A. Danielson
 (STATE ENGINEER)

BY John A. DanielsonI.D. 5-36 COUNTY 59

(5) **THE LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED WELL** and the area on which the water will be used must be indicated on the diagram below. Use the **CENTER SECTION** (1 section, 640 acres) for the well location.



The scale of the diagram is 2 inches = 1 mile
Each small square represents 40 acres.

WATER EQUIVALENTS TABLE (Rounded Figures)

An acre-foot covers 1 acre of land 1 foot deep
1 cubic foot per second (cfs) . . . 449 gallons per minute (gpm)
A family of 5 will require approximately 1 acre-foot of water per year.
1 acre-foot . . . 43,560 cubic feet . . . 325,900 gallons.
1,000 gpm pumped continuously for one day produces 4.42 acre-feet.

(6) **THE WELL MUST BE LOCATED BELOW** by distances from section lines.

1,177 ft. from South sec. line
(north or south)
2,399 ft. from West sec. line
(east or west)

LOT _____ BLOCK _____ FILING # _____

SUBDIVISION _____

(7) **TRACT ON WHICH WELL WILL BE LOCATED** Owner: Climax Molybdenum Co.

No. of acres None Will this be the only well on this tract? _____

(8) **PROPOSED CASING PROGRAM**

Plain Casing

4 in. from 0 ft. to 25 ft.

 in. from ft. to ft.

Perforated casing

4 in. from 25 ft. to 50 ft.

 in. from ft. to ft.

(9) **FOR REPLACEMENT WELLS** give distance and direction from old well and plans for plugging it:

(10) **LAND ON WHICH GROUND WATER WILL BE USED:**

Owner(s): Climax Molybdenum Company No. of acres: None

Legal description: _____

(11) **DETAILED DESCRIPTION** of the use of ground water: Household use and domestic wells must indicate type of disposal system to be used.

Ground water monitoring.

(12) **OTHER WATER RIGHTS** used on this land, including wells. Give Registration and Water Court Case Numbers.

Type or right	Used for (purpose)	Description of land on which used

(13) **THE APPLICANT(S) STATE(S) THAT THE INFORMATION SET FORTH HEREON IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE.**

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT(S)

Warren H. Alloway
WARREN ALLOWAY, ENGINEER

4-23-87

APPLICANT: WARREN ALLOWAY
CLIMAX MOLYBDENUM COMPANY

WELL PERMIT NO. 31727-M

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, CONTINUED:

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS INCLUDING THE TOTAL DEPTH OF THE WELL, THE CASING PROGRAM WITH ZONES OF PERFORATIONS, AND A DESCRIPTION OF THE GROUTING TYPE AND INTERVAL. A WELL COMPLETION REPORT WITH A LITHOLOGIC LOG MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED BY THE LICENSED DRILLER UNDER WHOSE SUPERVISION THE WELL WAS CONSTRUCTED OR BY THE OWNER IF CONSTRUCTED BY HIMSELF.

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Layne-Western Company, Inc.

A Marley Company

8301 East Iliff Avenue • Denver, Colorado 80231 • 303/755-1281

July 29, 1987

Colorado Division of Water Resources
1313 Sherman Street Room 818
Denver, Colorado 80203

Reference: Climax Molybdenum Company
Permit No. 31726-M
Permit No. 31727-M

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith, please find Well Completion and Pump Installation Reports in connection with the above referenced permits.

If we may be of further assistance, please advise.

Very truly yours,

LAYNE-WESTERN COMPANY, INC.

Margaret Butterfield
(Mrs.) Margaret Butterfield

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Enclosure



WATER SUPPLY SERVICES

FORM NO: GWS-31 4/2012		WELL CONSTRUCTION AND TEST REPORT STATE OF COLORADO, OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER 1313 Sherman St., Ste 821, Denver, CO 80203 Main (303) 866-3581 Fax (303) 866-3589 www.water.state.co.us			For Office Use Only RECEIVED NOV 27 2012 WATER RESOURCES STATE ENGINEER COLO.	
1. WELL PERMIT NUMBER:		290013				
2. WELL OWNER INFORMATION						
NAME OF WELL OWNER:		Climax Molybdenum Company				
MAILING ADDRESS:		Fremont Pass, Highway 91				
CITY:		STATE:		ZIP CODE:		
Climax		CO		80429		
TELEPHONE NUMBER w/area code:		917-486-7584				
3. WELL LOCATION AS DRILLED: SW 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec., 7 Twp 7 N or S, Range 78 E or W						
DISTANCES FROM SEC. LINES: 1010 ft. from N or S section line and 1145 ft. from E or W section line.						
SUBDIVISION: LOT BLOCK FILING (UNIT)						
Optional GPS Location: GPS Unit must use the following settings: Format must be UTM, Units must be meters, Datum must be NAD83, Unit must be set to true N, Zone 12 or Zone 13						
Owner's Well Designation: TM-MW-002D Easting: 401031						
STREET ADDRESS AT WELL LOCATION: 11236 Hwy 91, Fremont Pass, Climax, CO 80429 Northing: 4367662						
4. GROUND SURFACE ELEVATION Est. 10,277 feet						
DATE COMPLETED 09/27/2012 TOTAL DEPTH 153.5 feet DEPTH COMPLETED 153.5 feet						
5. GEOLOGIC LOG:						
6. HOLE DIAM (in.) From (ft) To (ft)						
ODEX (8.75") 0 153.5						
hammer (7.5") 0 153.5						
7. PLAIN CASING:						
OD (in) Kind Wall Size (in) From (ft) To (ft)						
4" PVC 0.237 0 93.5						
PERFORATED CASING: Screen Slot Size (in): 0.020						
4" PVC 0.237 93.5 153.5						
8. FILTER PACK:						
9. PACKER PLACEMENT:						
Material silica sand Type						
Size 10/20						
Interval 88.5-153.5 Depth						
10. GROUTING RECORD						
Material Amount Density Interval Placement						
Bentonite 7.5 bag chip 84.3-88.4 positive						
grout 108 bag 1.2 kg/L 3-84.3 tremie						
Remarks: Grout 20% solids mix						
11. DISINFECTION: Type Amt. Used						
12. WELL TEST DATA: Check box if Test Data is submitted on Form Number GWS 39 Supplemental Well Test.						
TESTING METHOD						
Static Level ft. Date/Time measured: Production Rate gpm.						
Pumping Level ft. Date/Time measured: Test Length (hrs)						
Remarks:						
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Company Name:			Phone w/area code:		License Number:	
Arcadis			720-344-3500			
Mailing Address: 630 Plaza Dr., Suite 100 Highlands Ranch, CO 80129						
Sign (or enter name if filing online)			Print Name and Title		Date	
Richard Walther			Richard Walther, Senior Geologist		10/24/2012	

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ATTACHMENT B



Date: October 9, 2023

Lab Report No. 22817

Elaine DuBois
Climax Molybdenum – Climax Mine
11236 Hwy 91 Fremont Pass
Climax, CO 80429

Project Description: Climax Molybdenum; Wells GW1, GW2; Samples dated 07/25/2023
Complete Well Profiles (2); PO ZH000008NT

Test Description:

The Complete Well Profile analysis is designed for comparative analysis of two samples, typically one static and one pumping sample. The Complete Well Profile utilizes a series of inorganic chemical and microbiological tests to identify fouling and corrosion issues with potential impacts on the operation of the sampled well. The tests include a number of inorganic chemical parameters such as pH, total dissolved solids/conductivity, hardness, alkalinity, oxidation reduction potential (ORP), bicarbonate, carbonates, silica, sodium, potassium, chloride, iron, manganese, phosphate, nitrate, sulfate, and total organic carbon (TOC). Biological assessment is designed to quantify the total bacterial population, identify two dominant populations of bacteria, assess anaerobic conditions, and identify the presence of iron related bacteria and sulfate reducing organisms. Also included are tests for Adenosine triphosphate (ATP), heterotrophic plate count (HPC), and a microscopic evaluation; and in potable systems, total coliform and E. coli coliform presence/absence.

Testing Procedures:

All laboratory testing procedures are performed according to the guidelines set forth in *Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater* as established by the American Public Health Association (APHA), American Water Works Association (AWWA), and Water Environment Federation (WEF). Corrosion analyses are performed in accordance with the guidelines as set forth by the National Association of Corrosion Engineers (NACE). In general, these methods are approved by both the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and AWWA for the reporting of water and/or wastewater data.

Sample collection and shipment is the responsibility of the customer, performed according to protocol and procedures defined by the laboratory in advance of the sampling event with regards to the specific project and nature of the problem.

Disclaimer:

The data and interpretations presented are based on an evaluation of the samples and submitted data. Conclusions reached in this report are based upon the data available at the time of submittal and the accuracy of the report depends upon the validity of information submitted. Any recommendations presented are based on laboratory and field evaluations of similar fouling occurrences within potable water systems. Further investigative efforts, such as efficiency testing, site inspection, video survey, or other evaluation methods may offer additional insight into the system's condition and the degree of fouling present.

Client: Climax Molybdenum

Date: October 9, 2023

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ND - Not Detected NA - Not Applicable * as CaCO ₃	GW 1 Casing	GW 1 Aquifer	Detection Limits
pH Value	6.68	6.53	NA
Phenolphthalein Alkalinity*	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Total Alkalinity*	56	40	4 mg/l
Hydroxide Alkalinity*	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Carbonate Alkalinity*	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Bicarbonate Alkalinity*	56	40	4 mg/l
Total Dissolved Solids	408	374	1.0 mg/l
Conductivity (µm or µS/cm)	566	520	NA
ORP (mV)	288.2	302.5	NA
Langelier Saturation Index (at 16°C)	- 1.44	- 1.56	NA
Total Hardness*	268	264	4 mg/l
Carbonate Hardness	56	40	4 mg/l
Non Carbonate Hardness	212	224	4 mg/l
Calcium*	180	264	4 mg/l
Magnesium*	88	ND	4 mg/l
Sodium (as Na)	9.03	6.05	0.02 mg/l
Potassium (as K)	4.8	4.8	0.1 mg/l
Phosphorus, Reactive (as PO ₄ ³⁻)	0.18	0.15	0.06 mg/l
Chlorides (as Cl)	12.1	11.0	1 mg/l
Nitrate (Nitrogen)	ND	ND	0.3 mg/l
Chlorine (as Cl)	ND	ND	0.02 mg/l
Dissolved Iron (as Fe ²⁺)	ND	ND	0.02 mg/l
Suspended Iron (as Fe ³⁺)	0.05	0.08	0.02 mg/l
Iron Total (as Fe)	0.05	0.08	0.02 mg/l
Iron (resuspended)	0.07	0.04	0.02 mg/l
Copper (as Cu)	ND	ND	0.04 mg/l
Manganese (as Mn)	ND	ND	0.1 mg/l
Sulfate (as SO ₄)	205	240	2 mg/l
Silica (as SiO ₂)	13.0	14.2	1.0 mg/l
Tannin/Lignin	ND	ND	0.1 mg/l
Total Organic Carbon (C)	ND	ND	0.3 mg/l

ND - Not Detected

NA - Not Applicable

* as CaCO₃

	Well GW 2 Casing	Well GW 2 Aquifer	Detection Limits
pH Value	6.71	6.68	NA
Phenolphthalein Alkalinity*	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Total Alkalinity*	52	40	4 mg/l
Hydroxide Alkalinity	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Carbonate Alkalinity	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Bicarbonate Alkalinity	52	40	4 mg/l
Total Dissolved Solids	157	144	1.0 mg/l
Conductivity (µm or µS/cm)	218	200	NA
ORP (mV)	296.6	303.4	NA
Langelier Saturation Index (at 16°C)	- 1.77	- 1.87	NA
Total Hardness*	76	84	4 mg/l
Carbonate Hardness	52	40	4 mg/l
Non Carbonate Hardness	24	44	4 mg/l
Calcium*	76	84	4 mg/l
Magnesium*	ND	ND	4 mg/l
Sodium (as Na)	15.80	3.72	0.02 mg/l
Potassium (as K)	0.6	0.7	0.1 mg/l
Phosphorus, Reactive (as PO ₄ ³⁻)	0.26	0.29	0.06 mg/l
Chlorides (as Cl)	5.7	5.9	2 mg/l
Nitrate (Nitrogen)	0.4	0.3	0.3 mg/l
Chlorine (as Cl)	ND	ND	0.02 mg/l
Dissolved Iron (as Fe ²⁺)	ND	ND	0.02 mg/l
Suspended Iron (as Fe ³⁺)	0.03	0.02	0.02 mg/l
Iron Total (as Fe)	0.03	0.02	0.02 mg/l
Iron (resuspended)	0.11	0.02	0.02 mg/l
Copper (as Cu)	ND	ND	0.04 mg/l
Manganese (as Mn)	ND	ND	0.1 mg/l
Sulfate (as SO ₄)	44	44	2 mg/l
Silica (as SiO ₂)	15.0	14.8	1.0 mg/l
Tannin/Lignin	ND	ND	0.1 mg/l
Total Organic Carbon (C)	ND	ND	0.3 mg/l

Biological Analysis:

	Well GW 1 Casing	Well GW 1 Aquifer	Detection Limit
Plate Count (colonies/ml)	54	4	NA
Anaerobic Growth (%)	20	<10	NA
Sulfate Reducing Bacteria	Negative	Negative	NA
Fe/Mn Oxidizing Bacteria	Negative	Negative	NA
ATP (cells per ml) Initial	55,000	41,000	NA
ATP (cells per ml) 24 Hour	74,000	167,000	NA
Bacterial Identification	<i>Brevundimonas vesicularis</i>	<i>Brevundimonas vesicularis</i>	NA
Bacterial Identification	<i>Bacillus specie</i>	-	NA

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Anaerobic Growth (%)	<10	10	NA
Sulfate Reducing Bacteria	Negative	Negative	NA
Fe/Mn Oxidizing Bacteria	Positive	Negative	NA
ATP (cells per ml) Initial	28,000	37,000	NA
ATP (cells per ml) 24 Hour	45,000	53,000	NA
Bacterial Identification	<i>Brevundimonas vesicularis</i>	<i>Brevundimonas vesicularis</i>	NA
Bacterial Identification	<i>Micrococcus specie</i>	-	NA
Bacterial Identification	<i>Crenothrix</i>	-	NA

Microscopic Evaluation:**GW 1**

Casing: Low visible bacterial activity, very low number of crystals, low plant particulate matter, very low iron oxide, low iron oxide entrained biomass with very low numbers of *Crenothrix*.

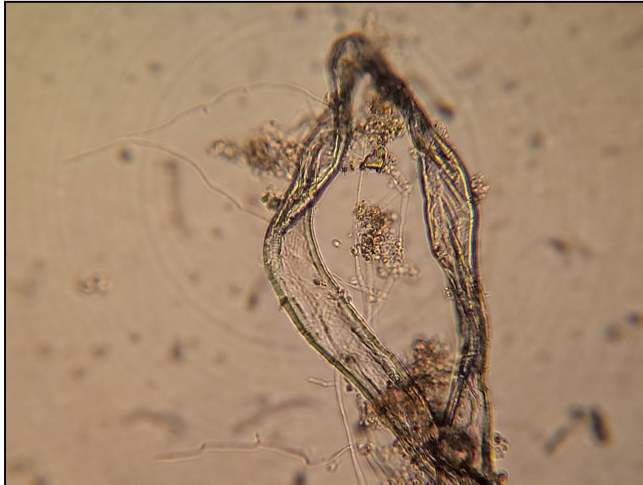


Figure 1: Sediment at 200x magnification

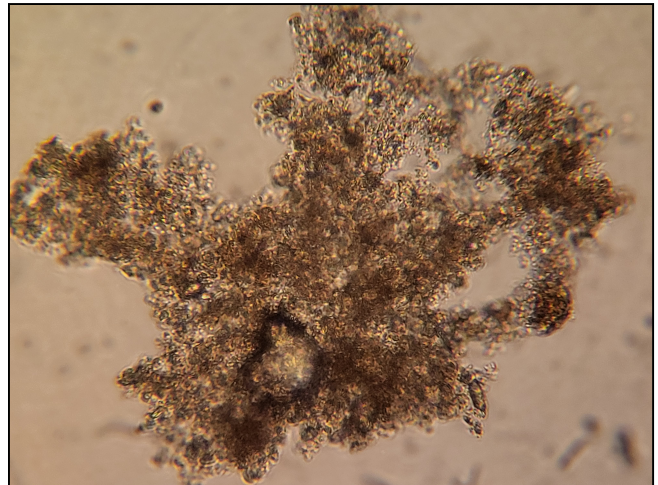


Figure 2: Sediment at 200x magnification

Aquifer: Very low visible bacterial activity with trace of biomass.

GW 2

Casing: Moderate visible bacterial activity, very low number of crystals, very low number of protozoa, low plant particulate matter, very low iron oxide, low iron oxide entrained biomass with very low numbers of *Crenothrix*.

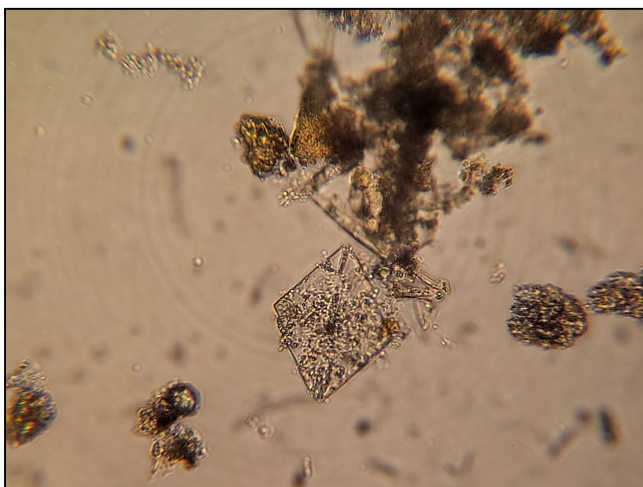


Figure 3: Sediment at 200x magnification



Figure 4: Sediment at 200x magnification

Microscopic Evaluation - continued:**GW 2**

Aquifer: Very low visible bacterial activity, very low plant particulate matter with very low of iron oxide entrained biomass.

Observations:

Casing and aquifers samples were submitted for analysis from Well GW1 and GW2 for the Climax Molybdenum Mine. It was noted that both wells have a sulfur smell, especially at first start-up. Upon arrival in the lab, the samples were free of discoloration but each had visible bacteria activity as confirmed by microscopic evaluation. It was also noted that iron oxide, crystals and plant particulate was evident in the microscopic evaluation in the casing and aquifer samples. Low protozoa numbers were present in well GW2 casing sample.

Initial testing noted a slightly acidic pH value in both wells. Total alkalinity was lower at 56 milligrams per liter (mg/l) in the casing sample and 40 mg/l for the aquifer sample for well GW 1, and 52 mg/l for casing and 40 mg/l for aquifer in well GW 2. All alkalinity contribution in each sample was exclusively from bicarbonate (HCO_3^-) ions, as carbonate and hydroxide ions were not identified. It is expected for alkalinity and pH values to be lower with the acidic influence from the mines.

Total dissolved solids (TDS) levels, calculated as a function of electrical conductivity, were measured in elevated concentrations in well GW 1 at 408 mg/l in the casing sample and decreased to 374 mg/l in the aquifer sample. The TDS was on the lower end for well GW 2 at 157 mg/l in the casing and 144 mg/l in the aquifer sample. The conductivity level in both wells fell within the expected range.

The Oxidation Reduction Potential (ORP) measurements for GW 1 well samples were 288.2 millivolts (mV) for the casing, and 302.5 mV for the aquifer. In well GW 2, the casing sample was at 296.6 mV and 303.4 in the aquifer sample. These readings are elevated and indicate an oxidative environment. With ORP levels at this point it is sufficient to expect oxidation and precipitation of metals such as iron and manganese.

The Langelier Saturation Index (LSI) calculation predicts scale formation and the likelihood for chemical corrosion. The LSI value for well GW 1 was -1.44 in the casing sample and -1.56 for the aquifer sample. In well GW 2, the casing sample LSI value was -1.77 and -1.87 in the aquifer sample. Negative values indicate a reduced likelihood of calcium scale development and the potential for chemical corrosion to occur. The calculated LSI values are considered highly aggressive and reactive materials such as low carbon steel or high strength low alloy will be susceptible to corrosion.

Water hardness measures the calcium (Ca^{2+}) and magnesium (Mg^{2+}) concentrations in groundwater. Total Hardness was elevated in both the casing and aquifer samples for well GW 1 in the upper 200 mg/l range. Hardness levels at greater than 180 mg/L are considered very hard and highly mineralized. Calcium was elevated at 180 mg/l in the casing and 264 mg/l in the aquifer. Sulfate levels were elevated in GW1, impacting non-carbonate hardness values. Well GW 2 fell within the expected range for hardness and calcium.

Magnesium was in the average range at 88 mg/l in the casing sample but decreased to not detected in the aquifer sample in well GW 1. This fluctuation between the two samples indicates

chemical congestions and scale formation downhole. It was not detected in well GW 2 samples.

Potassium was elevated for well GW 1 with 4.8 mg/l in both the casing and aquifer samples. Potassium concentrations in excess of 5 mg/l in a well indicate a highly congested water chemistry and increase concerns with fouling. Potassium fell in the average range for well GW 2.

Dissolved iron, suspended iron and iron total were either not detected or minimal amounts were identified in the samples for both wells. Resuspended iron, a test that accounts for dissolved and suspended iron as well as iron that has been mobilized by bacteria, was found in minimal amounts in both wells. In the microscopic evaluations, it was identified to have iron oxide entrained biomass which will impact these concentrations. Manganese, an ion that behaves very similar to iron, was not detected in either well.

Sulfate was detected in the well GW 1 samples at 205 mg/l in the casing sample and 240 mg/l in the aquifer sample. These values are elevated, with the combination of the negative LSI, there is an increase in potential for sulfate to influence the rate of chemical corrosion. In well GW 2, the levels were in the expected range.

Total Organic Carbon (TOC) is used as an indicator of water quality and the potential for bacterial stimulation and biofouling. TOC was not detected in either well.

Utilized methods of bacterial quantification included heterotrophic plate count (HPC) and adenosine triphosphate (ATP) analysis. The HPC levels were average in both wells. The initial ATP counts were in the expected range in casing and aquifer samples for GW 1 and GW 2 wells. A second count was taken at the 24-hour mark and increased slightly in the casing samples and GW 2 aquifer sample but was still in the expected range. The aquifer samples in GW 1 had a significant increase to 167,000 cells per milliliter (cpm). This is above the average ATP range and therefore indicate a potential for the development of biofouling.

Anaerobic growth, reported as a percentage of the overall bacterial population, was elevated at 20% in well GW 1 casing sample and in well GW 2 aquifer sample at 10%. Typically, as anaerobic levels increase, biofouling becomes more dynamic with increases in the occurrence of both total coliforms and problematic bacteria. Testing for sulfate reducing bacteria (SRB) was negative in both wells.

Tests for the presence of iron and manganese-oxidizing bacteria were negative in both the casing and aquifer samples for well GW 1. The test was positive in the casing sample for well GW 2 and negative in the aquifer sample. Microscopic evaluation of the casing sample reported a low occurrence rate of iron bacteria, specifically the iron and manganese oxidizer *Crenothrix*.

Identification of the dominant bacteria within the sample included species of iron oxidizing bacteria as well as slime forming organisms. Background on the identified species is provided below, in alphabetical order and in each well.

Bacillus is a genus of gram-positive bacteria that can be obligate aerobes or facultative anaerobes. *Bacilli* are widely dispersed in nature, being found in a variety of environments. Generally non-pathogenic, *Bacilli* presence is of concern due to the bacterium's ability to exude large secretions of biomass as a means of attachment and nutrient capture.

Brevundimonas vesicularis is an aerobic, motile, gram-negative bacterium that has been isolated from slime deposits in paper mills.

Crenothrix are a genus of sheathed bacteria that oxidize iron and manganese. *Crenothrix* cells are non-motile and can generally be found in a variety of aquatic environments with sufficient organic matter present. Oxidation, resulting from aeration including cascading water or rapid recharge, can stimulate the growth and activity of these bacteria. *Crenothrix* are commonly found associated with other iron and manganese oxidizing bacteria such as *Gallionella* and *Leptothrix*. As a result of the oxidation of both iron and manganese, *Crenothrix* sheaths are encrusted with iron and manganese oxides, resulting in a very effective fouling mechanism.

Micrococcus endophyticus are an aerobic, gram positive bacteria often isolated from plant roots. Though not a spore former, *Micrococcus* cells are resilient and can survive in harsh environments for an extended period of time. *Micrococcus* is generally thought to be a saprotrophic or commensal organism, though it can be an opportunistic pathogen, particularly in hosts with compromised immune systems.

Interpretations:

Submitted data did not indicate any loss of production capacity or efficiency for either GW1 or GW2. It was reported that at start-up a sulfur – H₂S odor is notable but that it dissipates with pumping. Hydrogen sulfide is a by-product of sulfate reducing bacteria, a nuisance anaerobe that reduce sulfates when present downhole. Typically, sulfate reducing bacteria can develop as anaerobic populations increase beyond fifteen percent. The casing sample from GW1 did contain an elevated level of anaerobic activity that declined sharply with pumping. Hydrogen sulfide is easily detectable at limited concentrations which can dissipate very quickly with high volume pumping. Anaerobic growth, include sulfate reducing bacteria, are typically tied to idle wells, stagnated lower zones, or heavy biofouling. Given the limited observable occurrence, it is advised that the wells be cycled more frequently. As pump well design data was limited, it may prove beneficial to look at the well column and ensure that when operating, the column is turned over thereby reducing the potential for development of anaerobic growth.

If you have any questions regarding the analyses or the information presented, please contact our office.

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ARwell	09/16/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.07	0.0046	0.005	7.16	33.1	158	0.4
	09/16/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.07	0.004	0.005	7.16	32.3	168	0.4
	12/17/2018	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.171	0.0058	0.005	7.42	30.8	182	0.52
	03/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.255	0.0063	0.005	7.25	30.8	184	0.5
	06/12/2019	0.000025	0.0013	0.015	0.02	0.003	0.005	7.01	17.8	156	0.2
	09/16/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.07	0.004	0.005	7.16	32.3	168	0.4
	12/11/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.1	0.0052	0.005	7.16	28.8	168	0.5
	03/12/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.22	0.0062	0.005	7.05	28.1	170	0.5
	03/12/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.04	0.23	0.0069	0.005	7.05	28.5	182	0.6
	05/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.05	0.0043	0.01	7.23	24.5	176	0.3
	09/03/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.07	0.0043	0.01	7.45	29.5	178	0.4
	11/10/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/25/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.22	0.0062	0.005	7.05	28.1	170	0.5
	06/11/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.04	0.159	0.00731	0.01	7.47	27.3	161	0.71
	09/23/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.138	0.0062	0.01	7.39	29.5	172	0.53
	12/02/2021	0.000025	0.00763	0.03	0.157	0.00671	0.01	7.42	28.8	188	0.57
	03/25/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.2	0.00716	0.05	7.54	30.9	170	0.53
	03/25/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.22	0.00773	0.05	7.54	30.2	170	0.6
	06/20/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.121	0.00484	0.01	7.22	29.8	164	0.36
	09/02/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.186	0.00536	0.01	7.36	29.5	166	0.39
	12/14/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.292	0.00685	0.01	7.54	27.6	172	0.53
	06/19/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.054	0.00373	0.01	7.16	18.8	154	0.29
	08/23/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.13	0.00408	0.01	7.4	28.4	172	0.37
	10/10/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.199	0.00446	0.01	7.4	30.2	186	0.4
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	TBD	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	2.0

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ARK-MW-001D	03/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.11	0.039	0.0306	0.005	7.87	29.5	220	1.7
	06/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.08	0.005	0.0303	0.005	7.72	41.2	214	1.9
	09/16/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.09	0.005	0.0324	0.005	7.78	41.2	218	1.7
	12/11/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/16/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.08	0.005	0.0306	0.005	7.98	42.6	206	1.7
	05/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.11	0.005	0.0301	0.01	7.46	39.3	224	1.7
	09/22/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.099	0.019	0.0331	0.01	8.17	42.7	212	1.8
	09/22/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.121	0.061	0.0307	0.01	8.17	43.5	212	1.7
	11/10/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.097	0.066	0.0289	0.01	7.96	42.8	222	1.84
	03/25/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/23/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.129	0.091	0.0288	0.01	8.12	38.1	218	1.76
	09/23/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.075	0.005	0.0313	0.01	7.99	40.8	218	1.89
	12/06/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/25/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/21/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.105	0.005	0.031	0.01	7.85	45	220	1.87
	09/02/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.124	0.012	0.0308	0.01	7.98	43.3	210	1.64
	12/14/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/28/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/26/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.144	0.061	0.0318	0.021	7.87	40.6	218	1.79
	08/23/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.134	0.026	0.032	0.01	8.08	41.4	222	1.57
	10/10/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.141	0.015	0.0316	0.01	8.03	46.6	230	1.78
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	TBD	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	2.0

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EVMW-3S	01/23/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/18/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.08	0.0014	0.005	7.26	6.2	180	0.05
	09/17/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.01	0.0018	0.005	7.68	11.2	244	0.05
	11/20/2019	0.000025	0.0011	0.015	0.02	0.0026	0.005	7.07	10.1	236	0.05
	03/17/2020	0.000025	0.002	0.015	0.04	0.0012	0.005	7.89	11.7	218	0.05
	06/11/2020	0.000025	0.0013	0.03	0.03	0.0013	0.01	7.54	8.6	186	0.05
	08/18/2020	0.000025	0.0028	0.03	0.02	0.0021	0.01	7.27	11.8	236	0.05
	11/02/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.07	0.00146	0.01	7.43	11.5	252	0.06
	03/22/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/18/2021	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.016	0.00093	0.01	7.23	10.5	200	0.075
	09/16/2021	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.019	0.00174	0.01	7.1	10.9	268	0.075
	12/08/2021	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.06	0.00168	0.01	7.48	10.1	240	0.075
	12/08/2021	0.000025	0.004	0.115	0.065	0.00167	0.022	7.48	14.9	246	0.075
	03/22/2022	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.012	0.00064	0.01	7.16	15.3	246	0.075
	06/15/2022	0.000025	0.00124	0.03	0.018	0.00159	0.01	7.31	7	224	0.075
	09/14/2022	0.000025	0.00424	0.03	0.021	0.00078	0.01	7.14	7.8	106	0.075
	12/13/2022	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.017	0.00091	0.04	7.02	9.5	244	0.075
	03/23/2023	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.027	0.00195	0.01	7.2	12.9	226	0.075
	06/20/2023	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.005	0.00079	0.01	7.32	7.1	210	0.075
	09/20/2023	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.005	0.0012	0.01	7.47	9.9	246	0.075
	10/09/2023	0.000025	0.004	0.03	0.036	0.00302	0.01	7.59	12.3	252	0.075
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	TBD	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	None

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EVMW-3D	03/15/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/18/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.03	0.0011	0.005	7.69	2.5	238	0.4
	09/17/2019	0.000025	0.0014	0.015	0.02	0.0014	0.005	7.88	5.4	208	0.3
	11/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.03	0.0011	0.005	7.48	2.3	244	0.3
	03/17/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0006	0.005	7.78	1.9	246	0.3
	06/11/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.02	0.0007	0.01	7.46	5.2	244	0.3
	08/18/2020	0.000025	0.0037	0.03	0.06	0.0016	0.01	7.79	2.9	272	0.2
	11/02/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.046	0.0008	0.01	7.39	6.2	272	0.34
	03/22/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/18/2021	0.000025	0.00124	0.03	0.023	0.00078	0.01	7.71	9.4	230	0.34
	06/18/2021	0.000025	0.00129	0.03	0.021	0.00078	0.01	7.71	2.7	234	0.34
	09/16/2021	0.000141	0.0038	0.03	0.024	0.00105	0.01	7.62	4.1	246	0.31
	12/08/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.021	0.00062	0.032	7.71	2.3	242	0.38
	03/22/2022	0.00058	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00068	0.01	7.92	3.4	232	0.35
	06/15/2022	0.000025	0.00217	0.03	0.017	0.00081	0.01	7.26	2.2	232	0.37
	09/14/2022	0.000142	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00062	0.01	7.88	3.3	210	0.27
	12/13/2022	0.000025	0.00092	0.158	0.018	0.0007	0.044	8.02	2	238	0.37
	03/23/2023	0.000025	0.00164	0.03	0.017	0.00074	0.01	7.72	1.8	232	0.35
	06/20/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.025	0.00072	0.01	7.69	1.5	242	0.3
	09/20/2023	0.000025	0.00178	0.03	0.005	0.00068	0.01	7.63	1.9	236	0.3
	09/20/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0007	0.01	7.63	2.9	248	0.3
	10/09/2023	0.000061	0.00335	0.03	0.005	0.00139	0.01	7.78	2.6	236	0.34
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	TBD	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	None

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EV-MW-004	03/15/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.09	0.0028	0.02	7.43	49.3	304	0.2
	08/28/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.02	0.0028	0.005	7.64	48.9	322	0.1
	11/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0027	0.005	7.23	43.7	288	0.2
	03/03/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/24/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.08	0.0032	0.01	6.92	48.8	304	0.2
	09/02/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0025	0.01	7.59	44.2	286	0.1
	11/03/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00258	0.01	7.24	47.7	300	0.14
	03/22/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00258	0.01	7.52	45.9	296	0.15
	08/31/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.017	0.00302	0.041	7.46	51.7	314	0.075
	12/09/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.069	0.00361	0.01	7.47	48.6	296	0.15
	03/23/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.028	0.00283	0.01	7.4	51	308	0.075
	06/16/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.044	0.00339	0.01	7.38	50.7	304	0.075
	09/15/2022	0.000025	0.00138	0.03	0.013	0.00316	0.01	7.41	49.1	292	0.075
	12/13/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.015	0.00248	0.01	7.41	44.2	294	0.31
	12/13/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.016	0.00247	0.036	7.41	47.1	300	0.075
	03/29/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	04/25/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.02	0.00289	0.01	7.41	47.6	286	0.27
	05/16/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.026	0.00308	0.01	7.39	52.5	298	0.21
	06/21/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00332	0.01	7.5	45.3	282	0.075
	07/20/2023	0.000025	0.00089	0.03	0.005	0.00375	0.01	7.54	48.1	292	0.075
	08/16/2023	0.000025	0.00085	0.03	0.005	0.00381	0.01	7.62	50.3	378	0.075
	09/25/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00378	0.01	7.21	59.5	272	0.075
	10/26/2023	0.000025	0.00118	0.03	0.005	0.0036	0.01	7.62	45.8	284	0.075
	11/15/2023	0.000025	0.00113	0.03	0.005	0.00353	0.01	7.52	60.1	278	0.075
	12/14/2023	0.000025	0.00138	0.03	0.005	0.00374	0.01	7.74	43.9	266	0.075
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	TBD	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	None

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Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
TM-MW-002D	01/16/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.005	0.0064	0.005	8.43	63.2	180	0.43
	05/30/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0068	0.005	8.14	54	152	0.5
	08/26/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0066	0.005	8.14	57.8	176	0.6
	10/22/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0072	0.01	7.88	58.6	182	0.4
	01/22/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0068	0.005	8.26	62.1	162	0.5
	05/12/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0058	0.01	8.08	55.5	180	0.5
	08/25/2020	0.000025	0.0009	0.03	0.005	0.0074	0.01	8.41	58.2	172	0.5
	11/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0066	0.01	8.31	54.1	172	0.39
	03/24/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00616	0.01	8.37	63.7	170	0.34
	06/28/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00636	0.01	8.39	57	182	0.62
	09/02/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00585	0.01	8.28	58.3	164	0.49
	11/30/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00596	0.01	8.31	57.6	190	0.4
	03/24/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00651	0.05	8.35	62.6	168	0.45
	06/13/2022	0.000025	0.00113	0.03	0.005	0.00641	0.01	8.23	59.8	178	0.46
	09/05/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00608	0.01	8.37	59.6	172	0.41
	12/12/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00643	0.026	8.48	54.9	178	0.3
	03/21/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00634	0.024	8.42	61.7	176	0.46
	06/14/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00683	0.01	8.34	58.6	168	0.43
	07/25/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00675	0.01	8.5	52.5	162	0.5
	10/17/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00653	0.01	8.56	57.7	172	0.44
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	0.050	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	None

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5-Year Groundwater Quality Monitoring Data
Climax Mine

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
GW#2	01/16/2019	0.00005	0.0004	0.01	0.0025	0.0013	0.005	6.4	46.6	144	0.08
	02/13/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	03/28/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	04/24/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	05/30/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	06/10/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0011	0.005	6.9	36.3	136	0.1
	07/22/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	08/26/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0011	0.005	7.0	37.7	136	0.05
	10/22/2019	0.000025	0.0014	0.015	0.005	0.0011	0.03	6.3	40.6	128	0.05
	11/21/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	12/19/2019	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.7	*	*	*
	01/22/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0011	0.03	6.72	54.5	138	0.05
	02/18/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.53	*	*	*
	03/19/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.63	*	*	*
	04/13/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.77	*	*	*
	05/12/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.001	0.01	6.79	47.2	142	0.05
	06/10/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.78	*	*	*
	07/08/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.56	*	*	*
	08/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0012	0.01	6.22	42.5	128	0.4
	09/30/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.97	*	*	*
	10/15/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.4	*	*	*
	11/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00122	0.027	6.44	47.4	144	0.06
	12/21/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.23	*	*	*
	01/28/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.57	*	*	*
	02/23/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.65	*	*	*
	03/24/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.001	0.01	6.6	69.8	154	0.08
	04/28/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.77	*	*	*
	05/27/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.65	*	*	*
	06/28/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00099	0.032	6.53	45.6	115	0.89
	07/27/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.47	*	*	*
	08/17/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.51	*	*	*
	09/02/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00105	0.01	6.46	60	146	0.08
	10/26/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.64	*	*	*
	11/30/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00106	0.02	6.51	59.5	176	0.08
	12/22/2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.37	*	*	*
	01/31/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.32	*	*	*
	02/22/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.32	*	*	*
	03/24/2022	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00107	0.01	6.4	72.2	172	0.08
	04/26/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.47	*	*	*
	05/25/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.4	*	*	*
	06/13/2022	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0011	0.01	6.54	53.3	154	0.08
	07/20/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.19	*	*	*
	08/23/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.43	*	*	*
	09/05/2022	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00105	0.01	6.57	57.1	152	0.08
	10/28/2022	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0011	0.027	6.47	57.3	152	0.08
	10/28/2022	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00113	0.01	6.47	60.1	150	0.08
	11/22/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.53	*	*	*
	12/12/2022	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.61	*	*	*
	01/30/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.59	*	*	*
	02/22/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.52	*	*	*
	03/21/2023	0.000081	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00108	0.027	6.43	70.9	178	0.08
	04/13/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.21	*	*	*
	05/15/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.42	*	*	*
	06/14/2023	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00172	0.022	6.28	49.7	146	0.08
	07/25/2023	0.000053	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00102	0.01	6.62	48.3	148	0.08
	08/14/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.65	*	*	*
	09/25/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.61	*	*	*
	10/17/2023	0.00025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00116	0.01	6.65	42.3	148	0.08
	11/07/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.58	*	*	*
	12/06/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	6.52	*	*	*
Numeric Protection Limit (NPL)		0.005	0.2	0.3	0.050	0.210	2.0	6.5 - 8.5	250	400	None

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Note: Red italicized data are NPL exceedances for site, which have been communicated to DRMS and investigations are currently ongoing.

* Monthly pH data collection at GW#2 did not include sampling for other parameters

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5-Year Groundwater Quality Monitoring Data
Climax Mine

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
TM-MW-001D	01/15/2019	0.00005	0.0004	0.01	0.01	0.0362	0.005	8.56	192	354	3.9
	06/10/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0413	0.005	8.06	187	354	3.2
	08/26/2019	0.00005	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0384	0.005	8.17	183	342	3.1
	10/23/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0399	0.005	8.06	194	348	3.2
	03/11/2020	0.00009	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0398	0.005	8.26	176	336	3.3
	05/12/2020	0.00006	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0365	0.01	8.14	174	350	3.3
	08/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0393	0.01	8.5	186	342	3
	11/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.037	0.01	8.45	180	338	3.36
	11/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.081	0.0479	0.01	8.45	179	338	3.34
	03/24/2021	0.000059	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0367	0.01	8.44	195	330	3.02
	06/28/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0369	0.01	8.55	182	318	3.29
	09/02/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0403	0.01	8.45	183	344	3.31
	12/02/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0375	0.01	8.48	176	348	3.24
	03/24/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0378	0.01	8.49	194	334	3.2
	06/13/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0376	0.01	8.11	192	342	3.27
	06/13/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0376	0.01	8.11	189	338	3.29
	09/05/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0368	0.01	8.44	197	336	3.09
	12/12/2022	0.000056	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0374	0.023	8.48	186	334	3.23
	03/30/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0362	0.024	8.52	172	338	3.43
	06/22/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0436	0.02	8.45	177	340	3.19
	07/25/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0442	0.01	8.64	185	338	3.43
	10/17/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0387	0.01	8.58	184	334	3.42

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GW#1	01/15/2019	0.00219	0.0016	0.01	0.0025	0.137	0.41	6.21	229	396	1.2
	06/10/2019	0.00152	0.0016	0.015	0.005	0.127	0.3	6.93	147	316	1
	08/26/2019	0.00037	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.127	0.35	6.86	178	346	0.9
	10/23/2019	0.00196	0.0034	0.015	0.005	0.134	0.39	6.96	187	374	1.1
	03/11/2020	0.00209	0.0027	0.015	0.005	0.141	0.46	6.51	205	390	1.1
	05/12/2020	0.00161	0.0013	0.03	0.005	0.118	0.33	6.74	159	346	1.1
	08/25/2020	0.00193	0.0014	0.03	0.005	0.127	0.48	6.48	189	370	0.9
	11/19/2020	0.00211	0.00208	0.03	0.005	0.124	0.453	6.44	189	392	1.14
	03/24/2021	0.00228	0.00213	0.03	0.005	0.126	0.441	6.51	236	392	1.13
	06/28/2021	0.00205	0.00161	0.03	0.005	0.118	0.431	6.43	219	365	1.15
	09/02/2021	0.00227	0.00186	0.03	0.005	0.127	0.432	6.24	230	420	1.23
	12/02/2021	0.00244	0.00202	0.03	0.005	0.129	0.441	6.32	218	428	1.19
	03/24/2022	0.00236	0.00164	0.03	0.005	0.13	0.438	6.3	229	418	1.14
	06/13/2022	0.0021	0.0016	0.03	0.005	0.119	0.398	6.22	202	380	1.1
	09/05/2022	0.00233	0.00188	0.03	0.005	0.125	0.454	6.1	242	422	1.07
	12/12/2022	0.00256	0.00199	0.03	0.005	0.123	0.492	6.38	247	430	1.1
	03/30/2023	0.00246	0.00162	0.03	0.005	0.13	0.488	6.27	235	448	1.24
	06/22/2023	0.0022	0.00159	0.03	0.005	0.122	0.394	6.25	257	408	1.06
	07/25/2023	0.00242	0.00166	0.03	0.005	0.129	0.427	6.42	229	424	1.18
	10/17/2023	0.00226	0.00165	0.03	0.005	0.121	0.462	6.36	245	436	1.18

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ARK-MW-002S	03/28/2019	0.00006	0.0004	4.82	3.5	0.0076	0.01	7.1	8	638	0.14
	06/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	1.78	3.74	0.0051	0.005	7.01	4.5	660	0.05
	09/17/2019	0.000025	0.0004	5.78	3.88	0.0041	0.005	7.1	0.5	648	0.1
	12/11/2019	0.000025	0.0004	6.21	4.04	0.0052	0.005	6.77	0.5	678	0.2
	03/16/2020	0.00006	0.0004	0.67	3.26	0.0059	0.005	6.92	8.2	644	0.1
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	4.36	4.2	0.0037	0.005	7.2	5	666	0.05
	09/03/2020	0.000025	0.0004	4.22	4.28	0.0039	0.01	7.13	0.5	654	0.1
	11/06/2020	0.000093	0.0004	3.7	3.91	0.00313	0.01	6.99	1.5	664	0.14
	03/25/2021	0.00005	0.0004	3.21	3.47	0.00517	0.01	7.15	1.4	650	0.25
	03/25/2021	0.00005	0.0004	3.33	3.71	0.00549	0.01	7.15	0.5	650	0.075
	06/14/2021	0.000025	0.0004	3.65	4.07	0.0104	0.01	6.89	0.5	605	0.075
	09/22/2021	0.000025	0.0004	4.19	4.26	0.00223	0.01	6.93	12.5	648	0.075
	12/06/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/28/2022	0.000025	0.0004	4.55	3.69	0.214	0.01	7.06	0.5	632	0.16
	06/20/2022	0.000025	0.0004	3.45	4.18	0.00493	0.01	6.94	1	628	0.16
	09/02/2022	0.000025	0.0004	2.99	3.82	0.00332	0.01	6.91	0.5	608	0.075
	12/14/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/28/2023	0.000058	0.0004	2.83	4.01	0.00515	0.01	6.98	0.5	636	0.075
	03/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	3.18	4.17	0.00559	0.01	6.98	0.5	616	0.075
	06/26/2023	0.000025	0.0004	1.86	4.21	0.00364	0.01	6.84	0.5	630	0.075
	08/23/2023	0.000025	0.0004	8.28	3.69	0.0127	0.01	7.12	0.5	632	0.075
	10/10/2023	0.00051	0.0004	3.2	4.21	0.00868	0.01	7.08	0.5	622	0.075

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ARK-MW-002D	03/28/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.045	0.0245	0.005	8.65	28.3	336	7.83
	03/28/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.046	0.0242	0.005	8.65	24.7	348	7.83
	06/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.02	0.0238	0.005	8.81	17.3	288	8.2
	09/17/2019	0.000025	0.0012	0.11	0.005	0.0233	0.005	8.97	14.6	270	7.4
	12/11/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.06	0.03	0.0298	0.005	8.31	24.9	286	8
	03/16/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0231	0.005	8.46	13.1	242	7.6
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.01	0.0233	0.01	8.68	17	284	8
	09/03/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.01	0.0257	0.01	8.49	16.7	294	7.3
	11/06/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0237	0.01	8.73	15.4	274	7.68
	03/25/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.018	0.0273	0.01	8.81	18.5	282	7.82
	06/14/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.034	0.0285	0.01	8.83	23.1	286	7.42
	09/22/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0287	0.01	8.83	18.1	258	8.04
	12/06/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.026	0.0325	0.01	8.75	20.8	292	8.11
	03/28/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.025	0.0269	0.05	8.68	17.7	272	7.63
	06/17/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.012	0.0282	0.01	8.67	16.9	286	8
	09/02/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.011	0.0252	0.01	8.65	15.1	238	7.34
	12/15/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0302	0.01	8.9	14.4	256	7.72
	03/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0265	0.01	9.02	14.8	226	7.6
	06/26/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0282	0.01	8.99	15.3	284	8.12
	08/23/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0416	0.01	9.04	19.7	272	7.33
	10/10/2023	0.000053	0.0004	0.03	0.016	0.36	0.01	8.98	21.1	252	7.82

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Climax Mine

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
EVMW-1D	01/22/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.06	0.181	0.0031	0.01	7.67	356	702	0.2
	06/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.04	0.18	0.0021	0.06	7.94	384	706	0.1
	08/28/2019	0.000025	0.0012	0.19	0.21	0.0031	0.03	7.75	409	712	0.1
	11/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.18	0.13	0.0022	0.005	7.46	433	716	0.1
	03/10/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.12	0.17	0.0021	0.005	7.89	398	754	0.1
	05/13/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.07	0.14	0.0024	0.01	8.08	356	718	0.2
	09/02/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.1	0.24	0.0023	0.01	7.82	394	724	0.1
	11/06/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.193	0.16	0.00182	0.01	7.73	398	730	0.13
	02/24/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.093	0.188	0.0024	0.01	7.6	451	732	0.16
	06/15/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.122	0.298	0.0021	0.01	7.56	413	703	0.075
	08/31/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.003	0.051	0.00183	0.035	7.61	419	728	0.075
	12/01/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.108	0.195	0.00187	0.01	7.64	443	712	0.075
	03/30/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/16/2022	0.000025	0.0011	0.102	0.288	0.00236	0.01	7.49	418	738	0.17
	09/01/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.19	0.3	0.00183	0.01	7.51	386	748	0.075
	12/27/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.283	0.281	0.00252	0.01	7.46	369	732	0.16
	03/29/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.251	0.316	0.00288	0.022	7.57	413	730	0.22
	04/12/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.321	0.342	0.00215	0.022	7.21	404	714	0.16
	05/16/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/21/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.374	0.383	0.00247	0.01	7.65	441	758	0.075
	07/20/2023	0.000025	0.0189	0.03	0.046	0.00404	0.043	7.72	411	702	0.16
	08/16/2023	0.000025	0.00263	0.03	0.044	0.00276	0.01	7.6	424	720	0.075
	09/25/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	09/28/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	10/26/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	11/15/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	12/15/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Note: Pump failure after August 2023 sample - currently working to replace the pump

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
EVMW-1S	01/22/2019	0.000025	0.0004	1.83	0.802	0.377	0.005	7.19	509	976	0.24
	06/18/2019	0.00008	0.0004	1.68	0.57	0.372	0.005	7.2	452	896	0.2
	08/28/2019	0.000025	0.0004	2.15	0.88	0.361	0.01	7.42	512	954	0.2
	11/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	2.19	0.89	0.368	0.005	7.04	507	946	0.2
	03/09/2020	0.00009	0.0004	1.53	0.83	0.338	0.005	7.25	589	1080	0.2
	06/15/2020	0.00007	0.0004	2.08	0.75	0.332	0.01	7.28	493	932	0.2
	09/02/2020	0.00007	0.0004	2.45	0.93	0.366	0.01	7.19	539	1030	0.2
	11/06/2020	0.000025	0.0004	1.7	0.897	0.346	0.01	7.33	541	1030	0.21
	02/24/2021	0.000109	0.0004	1.42	0.798	0.333	0.01	7.41	635	1070	0.2
	06/15/2021	0.000052	0.0004	2.46	0.883	0.338	0.01	7.25	519	911	0.24
	08/31/2021	0.000111	0.0004	2.55	0.996	0.332	0.01	7.25	554	1050	0.26
	12/01/2021	0.000025	0.0004	2.48	0.918	0.328	0.01	7.27	578	1030	0.25
	03/29/2022	0.000061	0.0004	1.6	0.868	0.372	0.01	7.17	614	1060	0.23
	06/16/2022	0.000025	0.0004	4.79	1.18	0.291	0.01	7.03	497	934	0.41
	09/01/2022	0.000084	0.0004	5.39	1.37	0.309	0.01	7.05	491	996	0.41
	12/27/2022	0.000051	0.0004	1.84	0.855	0.374	0.01	7.01	505	986	0.18
	03/29/2023	0.000072	0.0004	1.91	0.789	0.341	0.01	7.34	615	1000	0.18
	04/12/2023	0.000115	0.0004	1.42	0.851	0.328	0.01	7.25	550	986	0.19
	05/16/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/21/2023	0.000078	0.0004	1.42	1.56	0.283	0.01	6.85	454	926	0.51
	07/20/2023	0.00058	0.0004	2.2	0.82	0.352	0.01	7.17	484	906	0.3
	08/16/2023	0.000025	0.0004	2.45	0.858	0.316	0.01	7.24	481	930	0.3
	09/25/2023	0.000025	0.0004	3.18	1	0.322	0.01	7.19	489	930	0.34
	10/26/2023	0.000059	0.0004	0.03	1.12	0.338	0.01	7.16	419	922	0.35
	11/15/2023	0.00006	0.0004	3.5	1.09	0.35	0.01	7.02	434	924	0.42
	12/14/2023	0.000069	0.0004	2.08	0.94	0.342	0.01	7.37	<1	924	0.25

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Note: Highlighted data are considered outliers and not included on data charts

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Climax Mine

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EVMW-2	01/23/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.06	0.0027	0.005	7.65	26.8	292	0.05
	08/28/2019	0.000025	0.0011	0.015	0.02	0.0013	0.005	7.81	19.4	288	0.05
	12/10/2019	0.000025	0.0019	0.015	0.06	0.0184	0.01	7.73	32	326	0.05
	12/10/2019	0.000025	0.0021	0.015	0.1	0.0263	0.01	7.73	34.6	328	0.05
	03/03/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/24/2020	0.000025	0.0009	0.03	0.04	0.0029	0.01	7.28	24	304	0.05
	09/02/2020	0.000025	0.0012	0.03	0.02	0.003	0.01	7.76	22.6	286	0.05
	11/03/2020	0.000025	0.0013	0.03	0.022	0.00623	0.01	7.8	37.2	322	0.06
	02/24/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/04/2021	0.000025	0.00098	0.03	0.028	0.0074	0.01	7.72	41.6	338	0.075
	08/31/2021	0.000025	0.00104	0.03	0.017	0.00225	0.01	7.74	25.5	308	0.075
	12/08/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.038	0.00242	0.03	7.75	25.2	286	0.075
	03/23/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/21/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.055	0.00319	0.01	7.61	31.8	302	0.075
	09/01/2022	0.000025	0.00296	0.03	0.028	0.0023	0.01	7.59	16.2	288	0.075
	12/27/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/23/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/20/2023	0.000025	0.00085	0.03	0.005	0.00082	0.01	7.69	15.8	288	0.075
	06/20/2023	0.000025	0.00081	0.03	0.005	0.00084	0.023	7.69	15.3	290	0.075
	09/20/2023	0.000025	0.00232	0.03	0.005	0.017	0.01	7.69	62.6	365	0.075
	10/26/2023	0.000025	0.00119	0.03	0.005	0.0029	0.01	7.71	21.1	302	0.075

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Note: Data in purple represents a duplicate sample

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
EVS-1	03/15/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/26/2019	0.000025	0.0011	0.015	0.005	0.0921	0.005	7.83	37.7	226	0.4
	09/18/2019	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	11/12/2019	0.000025	0.0004	2.19	0.89	0.368	0.005	7.04	507	946	0.2
	03/15/2020	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0017	0.03	0.005	0.109	0.01	7.65	41	268	0.4
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0017	0.03	0.005	0.11	0.01	7.65	41.5	260	0.5
	09/01/2020	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	10/05/2020	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	02/24/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2021	0.000025	0.00207	0.03	0.005	0.12	0.01	7.79	88.7	350	0.44
	09/02/2021	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	12/09/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/30/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00561	0.01	7.99	29.7	152	0.55
	09/01/2022	0.000051	0.00164	0.03	0.005	0.138	0.01	7.93	31.5	322	0.49
	12/13/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/31/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/28/2023	0.000056	0.00245	0.03	0.005	0.107	0.01	7.81	17	238	0.44
	08/21/2023	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	10/09/2023	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

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EVS-2	03/15/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/26/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0071	0.005	7.87	10.7	116	<i>nd</i>
	09/18/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.0077	0.005	8.26	30.4	184	0.3
	11/13/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.005	0.006	0.005	7.85	39.2	220	0.2
	03/15/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0071	0.01	7.51	13	128	0.2
	09/01/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0073	0.01	8.21	30.9	192	0.3
	10/05/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00728	0.01	7.79	31.6	198	0.3
	02/24/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00749	0.01	8.01	17.7	158	0.27
	09/02/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00863	0.01	8.16	31.3	194	0.32
	12/09/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/30/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00757	0.01	7.48	13.8	142	0.3
	09/01/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00887	0.01	8.06	33.2	216	0.26
	12/13/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/31/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00864	0.01	7.64	11.9	136	0.22
	08/21/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0103	0.01	8.11	30.7	204	0.36
	10/09/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00788	0.01	8.21	36.6	218	0.075

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nd = no data collected for parameter at location during sampling event

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)
EVS-3	03/15/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/26/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.0025	0.0064	0.005	7.86	18.7	128	0.3
	09/18/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.01	0.0025	0.0065	0.005	8.34	37.5	214	0.4
	11/13/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/15/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/25/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0051	0.01	7.99	17.1	138	0.3
	09/01/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.006	0.01	7.98	39	214	0.3
	10/05/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.018	0.00512	0.01	7.62	39.9	238	0.3
	02/24/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.0064	0.01	8.01	24	147	0.39
	09/02/2021	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	12/09/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/30/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2022	0.000025	0.00183	0.03	0.005	0.133	0.01	7.71	34.1	268	0.54
	09/01/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00746	0.01	8.05	39.9	236	0.37
	12/13/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/31/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00687	0.01	7.36	16.4	140	0.33
	08/21/2023	0.00133	0.00086	0.03	0.005	0.0107	0.01	8.2	32.1	210	0.5
	10/09/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.005	0.00769	0.01	8.21	38.2	232	0.23

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Table 3 - Indicator Parameters
5-Year Surface Water Quality Monitoring Data
Climax Mine

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Total Recoverable (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)
Arkansas #1	07/15/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.06	0.005	0.0014
	11/06/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.05	0.08	0.02	0.002
	06/22/2020	0.000025	0.001	0.03	0.08	0.01	0.0015
	08/31/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.06	0.1	0.02	0.0017
	06/17/2021	0.000052	0.00093	0.03	0.075	0.05	0.00147
	09/21/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.101	0.151	0.02	0.00195
	06/21/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.068	0.091	0.05	0.00139
	09/26/2022	0.000051	0.0004	0.03	0.097	0.05	0.0018
	06/28/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.064	0.05	0.00142
	08/21/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.068	0.114	0.032	0.00198

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Location	Sample Date	Molybdenum, Total Recoverable (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Hardness (mg/L)
Arkansas #1	07/15/2019	0.0014	0.01	7.51	4.4	24	18
	11/06/2019	0.0019	0.02	8.46	20.1	70	51
	06/22/2020	0.0014	0.01	6.82	5.4	50	21
	08/31/2020	0.0016	0.01	7.99	24.4	60	51
	06/17/2021	0.00127	0.01	7.6	5.4	34	20
	09/21/2021	0.002	0.01	7.94	27.2	76	58
	06/21/2022	0.00124	0.01	7.6	17.4	28	22
	09/26/2022	0.00185	0.01	7.59	34.9	92	69
	06/28/2023	0.00166	0.029	7.1	5.8	36	24
	08/21/2023	0.00207	0.01	7.87	16.2	58	49

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Table 3 - Indicator Parameters
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Climax Mine

Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Total Recoverable (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)
Arkansas #2	07/15/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	0.03	0.07	0.02	0.0027
	11/06/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	0.05	0.13	0.14	0.0143
	06/22/2020	0.00006	0.0009	<i>0.03</i>	0.09	0.03	0.0038
	08/31/2020	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.09	0.04	0.0056
	03/30/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/17/2021	0.00005	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.072	0.017	0.00278
	09/21/2021	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	0.062	0.113	0.059	0.00759
	06/21/2022	<i>0.000025</i>	0.0009	<i>0.03</i>	0.071	0.023	0.00313
	09/02/2022	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	0.076	<i>0.03</i>	0.03	0.00489
	06/26/2023	<i>0.000025</i>	0.00083	<i>0.03</i>	0.068	0.018	0.00287
	08/21/2023	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.113	0.028	0.00441

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Arkansas #2	07/15/2019	0.0031	0.01	7.39	16.5	26	20
	11/06/2019	0.0132	0.01	7.82	25.1	94	64
	06/22/2020	0.0036	0.02	6.99	8.2	50	26
	08/31/2020	0.0054	<i>0.01</i>	8.12	16.9	58	47
	06/17/2021	0.00272	<i>0.01</i>	7.68	5.8	38	22
	09/21/2021	0.00776	<i>0.01</i>	8.94	23.2	78	60
	06/21/2022	0.0028	<i>0.01</i>	7.72	8.3	28	25
	09/02/2022	0.00504	<i>0.01</i>	8.23	26.2	74	56
	06/26/2023	0.00314	0.043	7.83	7.8	44	28
	08/21/2023	0.00425	<i>0.01</i>	8.32	17.4	44	46

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Location	Sample Date	Cadmium, Dissolved (mg/L)	Copper, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Dissolved (mg/L)	Iron, Total Recoverable (mg/L)	Manganese, Dissolved (mg/L)	Molybdenum, Dissolved (mg/L)
AI	06/26/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.04	0.13	0.005	0.0006
	11/20/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.015	0.01	0.0315
	06/11/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0101
	09/21/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.025
	06/18/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.089	0.005	0.0016
	09/16/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0336
	06/15/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.188	0.005	0.0272
	09/14/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0327
	06/20/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.089	0.005	0.0087
	09/20/2023	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.001

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AI	06/26/2019	0.0009	0.005	7.84	0.5	50	36
	11/20/2019	0.0319	0.005	7.81	30.2	120	54
	06/11/2020	0.0115	0.01	7.39	13	88	61
	09/21/2020	0.0264	0.01	8.48	24.8	120	93
	06/18/2021	0.00345	0.01	7.98	6.1	60	49
	09/16/2021	0.0325	0.01	8.22	23.4	116	104
	06/15/2022	0.0275	0.01	7.85	24.2	120	94
	09/14/2022	0.0336	0.01	8.22	26.2	178	102
	06/20/2023	0.00855	0.01	7.92	9.4	76	63
	09/20/2023	0.00077	0.01	8.15	10.9	102	81

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BI	06/26/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	0.04	0.13	<i>0.005</i>	0.0016
	11/20/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0004
	06/11/2020	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.19	<i>0.005</i>	0.0102
	09/21/2020	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0005
	06/18/2021	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.00041
	09/16/2021	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.00061
	06/15/2022	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.083	<i>0.005</i>	0.0059
	09/14/2022	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.00068
	06/20/2023	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	0.075	<i>0.005</i>	0.0097
	09/20/2023	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0332

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BI	06/26/2019	<i>0.002</i>	<i>0.005</i>	7.9	3.7	60	42
	11/20/2019	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.005</i>	7.49	<i>13.1</i>	84	80
	06/11/2020	0.0133	<i>0.01</i>	7.2	<i>12.6</i>	86	59
	09/21/2020	0.0005	<i>0.01</i>	8.42	10.3	84	77
	06/18/2021	0.00036	<i>0.01</i>	7.96	5.4	48	44
	09/16/2021	0.00092	<i>0.01</i>	8.03	8.9	90	81
	06/15/2022	0.0061	<i>0.01</i>	7.73	9.9	70	53
	09/14/2022	0.00046	<i>0.01</i>	8.13	11.1	82	73
	06/20/2023	0.00927	0.022	8.03	10.7	82	69
	09/20/2023	0.0321	<i>0.01</i>	8.15	28.4	132	122

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EPR Outlet	09/25/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.028
	09/30/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.015</i>	0.03	<i>0.005</i>	0.0292
	12/18/2019	<i>0.000025</i>	0.001	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.015</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0322
	06/25/2020	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/21/2020	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0252
	06/30/2021	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/02/2021	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.06</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0329
	06/15/2022	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/14/2022	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.06</i>	<i>0.005</i>	0.0334
	06/28/2023	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/20/2023	<i>0.000025</i>	<i>0.0004</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.03</i>	<i>0.005</i>	<i>0.0353</i>

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Location	Sample Date	Molybdenum, Total Recoverable (mg/L)	Zinc, Dissolved (mg/L)	pH, Field Measurement (Standard Units)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)	Hardness (mg/L)
EPR Outlet	09/25/2019	0.0288	<i>0.005</i>	7.67	24.3	92	94
	09/30/2019	0.0311	<i>0.005</i>	7.59	25.2	114	101
	12/18/2019	0.0305	<i>0.005</i>	7.76	23.1	118	99
	06/25/2020	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/21/2020	0.025	<i>0.01</i>	8.38	21.7	112	93
	06/30/2021	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/02/2021	0.0355	<i>0.01</i>	7.97	25.5	118	103
	06/15/2022	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/14/2022	0.0038	<i>0.01</i>	7.99	26.3	108	102
	06/28/2023	**	**	**	**	**	**
	09/20/2023	<i>0.0333</i>	<i>0.01</i>	7.8	26.8	124	106
	10/09/2023			8.2			

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CC-SW1	06/25/2019	0.00008	0.0008	0.015	0.15	0.005	0.001
	09/24/2019	0.00007	0.0004	0.015	0.015	0.005	0.0019
	12/17/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/24/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2020	0.00011	0.001	0.03	0.07	0.005	0.0014
	08/31/2020	0.00007	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0017
	10/19/2020	0.000094	0.0004	0.03	0.063	0.005	0.00249
	03/31/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/17/2021	0.000108	0.0004	0.03	0.115	0.005	0.00128
	09/21/2021	0.000079	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00173
	09/21/2021	0.000076	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00178
	10/29/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/15/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2022	0.000097	0.0004	0.03	0.098	0.005	0.00144
	09/26/2022	0.000087	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00168
	11/28/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2023	0.000107	0.00086	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00122
	08/22/2023	0.000094	0.0004	0.03	0.07	0.005	0.00184
	10/11/2023	0.000086	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.013	0.00203

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CC-SW1	06/25/2019	0.002	0.02	7.44	11.1	50	33
	09/24/2019	0.0021	0.01	7.64	31.9	62	65
	12/17/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/24/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2020	0.0012	0.02	6.94	5	62	32
	08/31/2020	0.0016	0.01	7.31	30.8	80	54
	10/19/2020	0.00176	0.01	7.24	35.1	100	66
	03/31/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/17/2021	0.00119	0.024	7.52	17.7	52	33
	09/21/2021	0.00163	0.01	7.57	35.6	86	69
	09/21/2021	0.0168	0.01	7.57	35.7	90	68
	10/29/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/15/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2022	0.0013	0.023	7.56	20.6	58	37
	09/26/2022	0.00155	0.01	7.73	38.7	96	68
	11/28/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2023	0.00122	0.035	7.39	17.8	62	37
	08/22/2023	0.00177	0.01	7.72	34.3	84	62
	10/11/2023	0.00178	0.023	7.84	41.2	104	75

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EI-SW1	06/25/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.13	0.005	0.0016
	09/24/2019	0.000025	0.0004	0.015	0.03	0.005	0.0015
	12/17/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/24/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.12	0.005	0.0014
	08/31/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0016
	10/19/2020	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.156	0.005	0.00201
	03/31/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	05/27/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/08/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.134	0.005	0.00247
	07/29/2021	0.000095	0.0273	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0013
	08/12/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00129
	09/15/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.0017
	10/29/2021	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00141
	03/15/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/29/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00134
	07/28/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.03	0.005	0.00049
	09/26/2022	0.000025	0.0004	0.03	0.271	0.005	0.00436
	11/28/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2023	0.000688	0.0096	0.03	0.148	0.263	0.00524
	09/04/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***
	10/11/2023	***	***	***	***	***	***

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EI-SW1	06/25/2019	0.0028	0.005	7.74	5	102	88
	09/24/2019	0.0019	0.005	8.01	7.2	158	180
	12/17/2019	***	***	***	***	***	***
	03/24/2020	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2020	0.0014	0.01	7.77	14.3	152	107
	08/31/2020	0.0015	0.01	8.31	7.7	180	156
	10/19/2020	0.00191	0.02	8.33	11.4	184	160
	03/31/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	05/27/2021	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/08/2021	0.00250	0.01	8.35	0.5	94	85
	07/29/2021	0.00135	0.01	8.41	9.4	154	149
	08/12/2021	0.00124	0.01	8.4	7.4	156	149
	09/15/2021	0.0168	0.01	8.36	7.7	172	181
	10/29/2021	0.00131	0.01	8.33	7.7	176	153
	03/15/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/29/2022	0.00129	0.01	8.11	6.1	128	121
	07/28/2022	0.0028	0.01	8.41	6	144	140
	09/26/2022	0.00494	0.01	8.29	7.9	170	150
	11/28/2022	***	***	***	***	***	***
	06/22/2023	0.01	0.08	7.08	27.8	156	128
	09/04/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*
	10/11/2023	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Chart 1
ARwell: Metals
Climax Mine

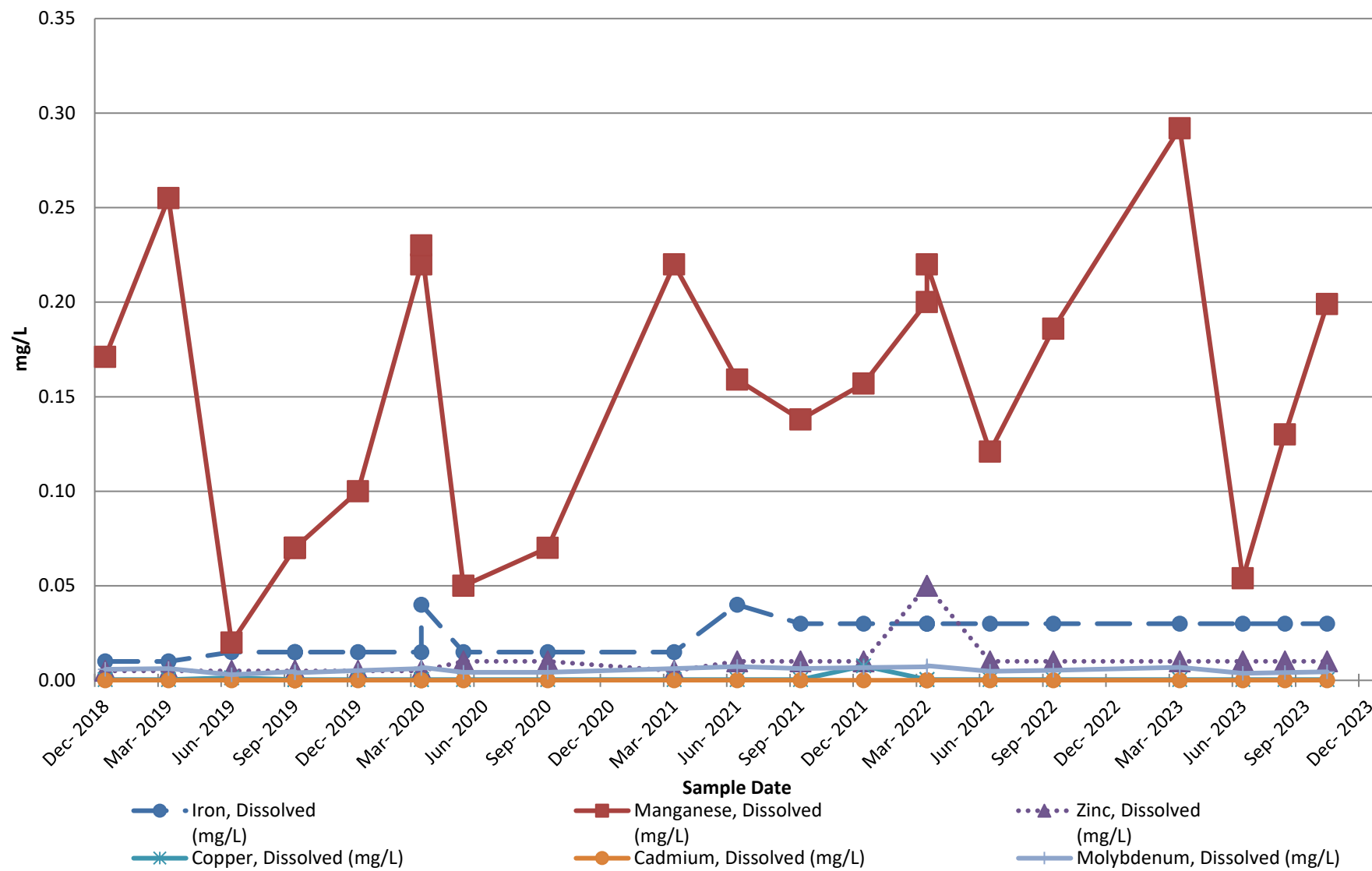


Chart 2
ARwell: pH
Climax Mine

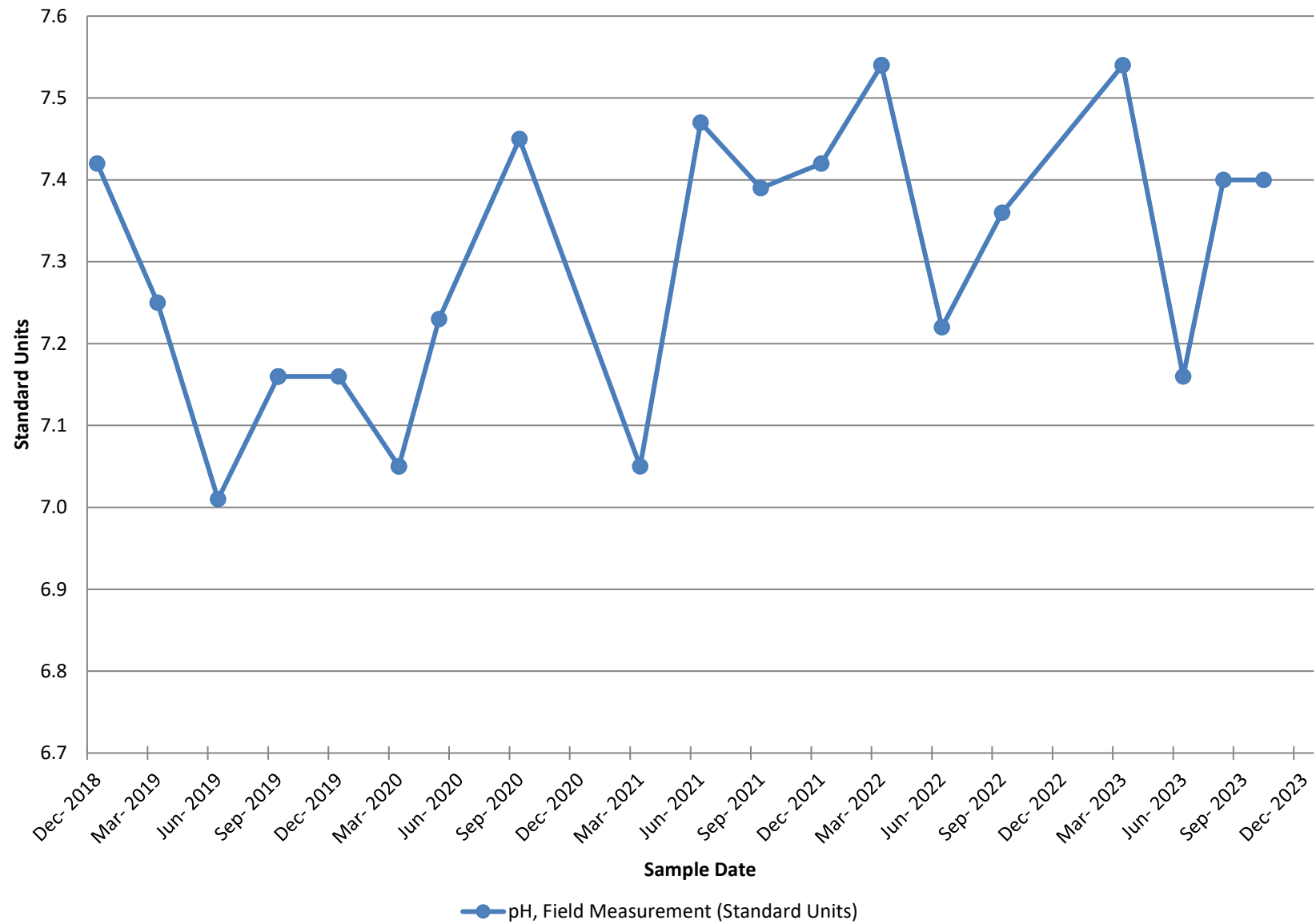


Chart 3
ARwell: Sulfate
Climax Mine

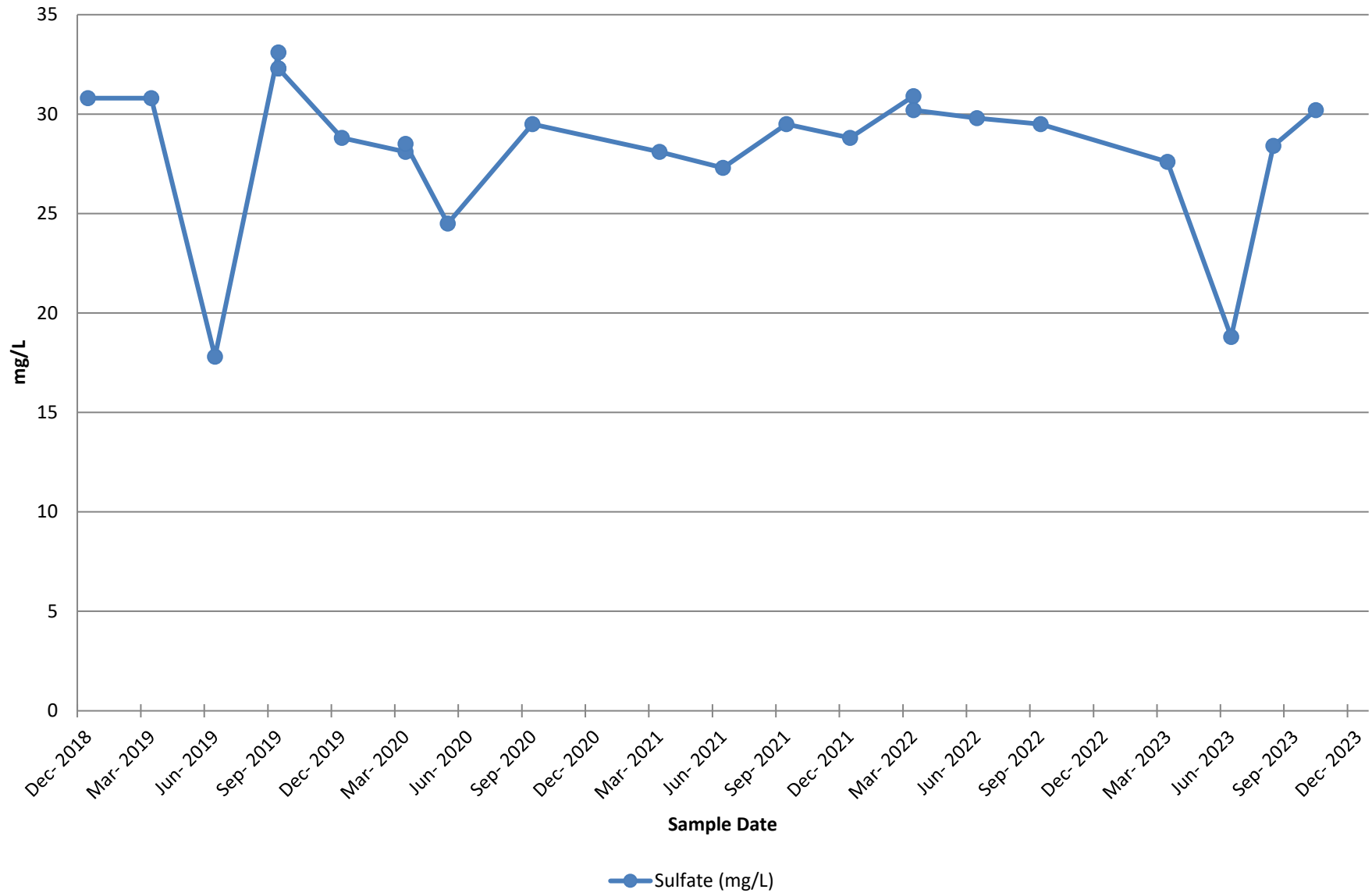


Chart 4
ARwell: TDS
Climax Mine

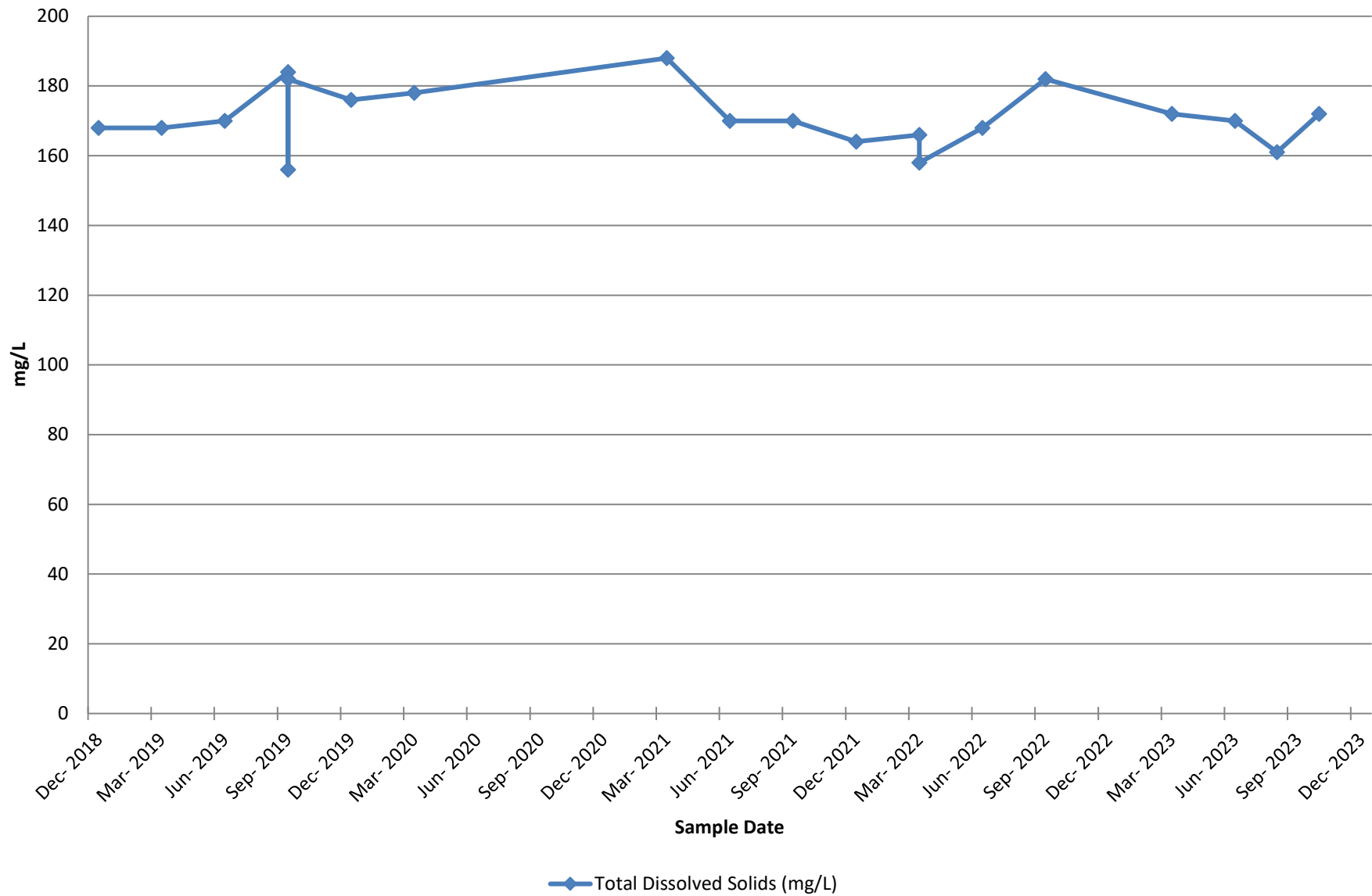


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ARwell: Fluoride
Climax Mine

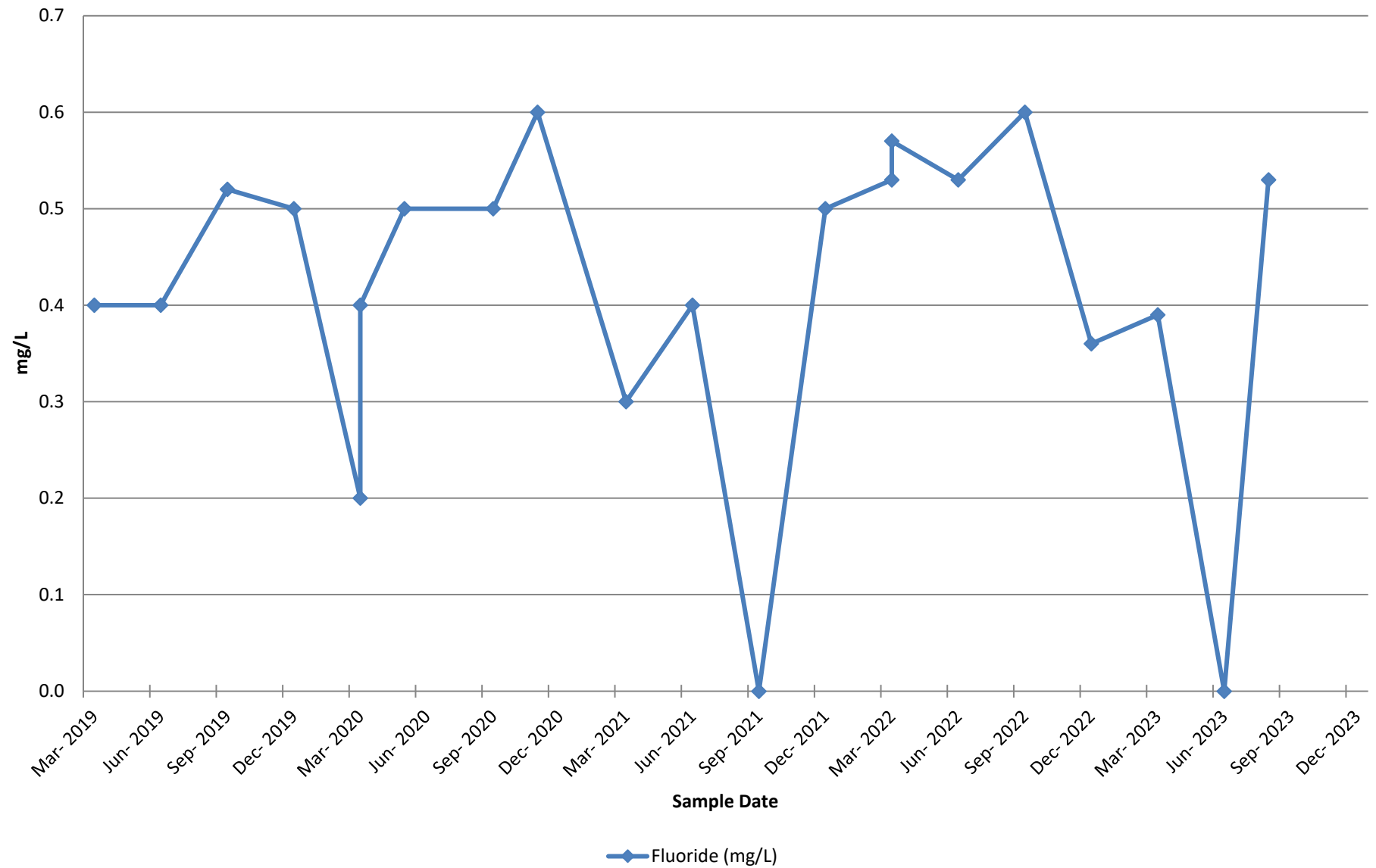


Chart 6
ARK-MW-001D: Metals
Climax Mine

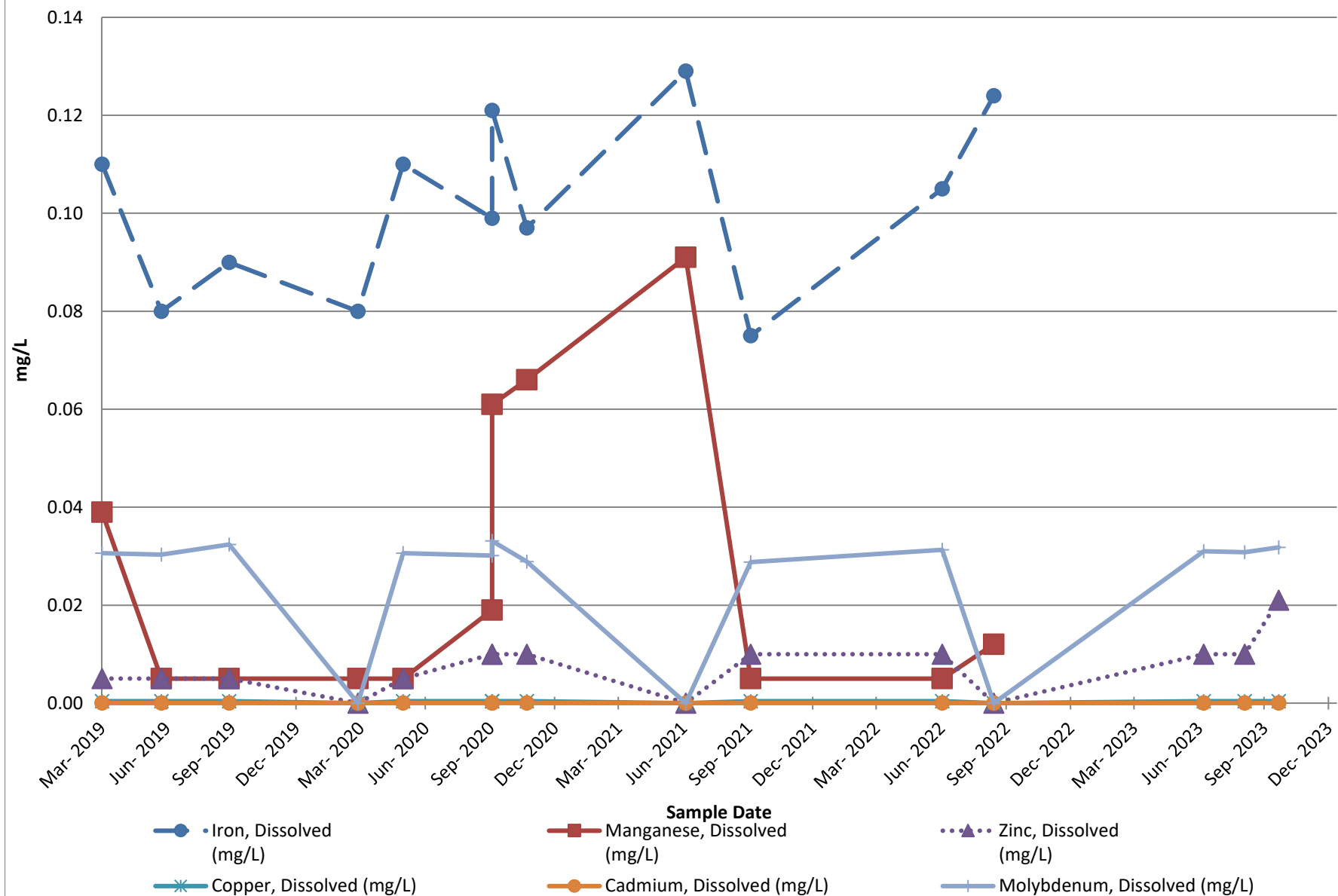


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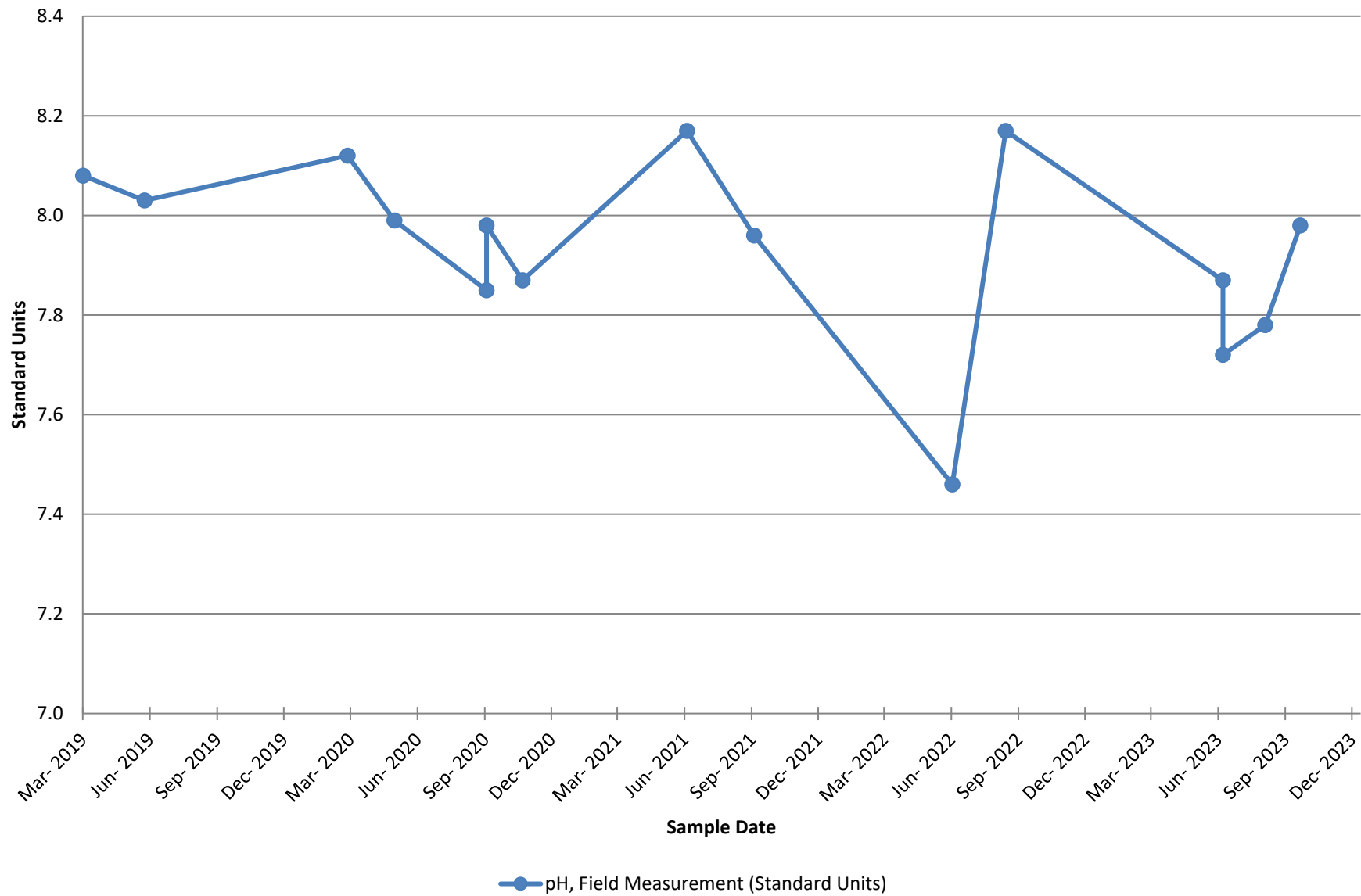


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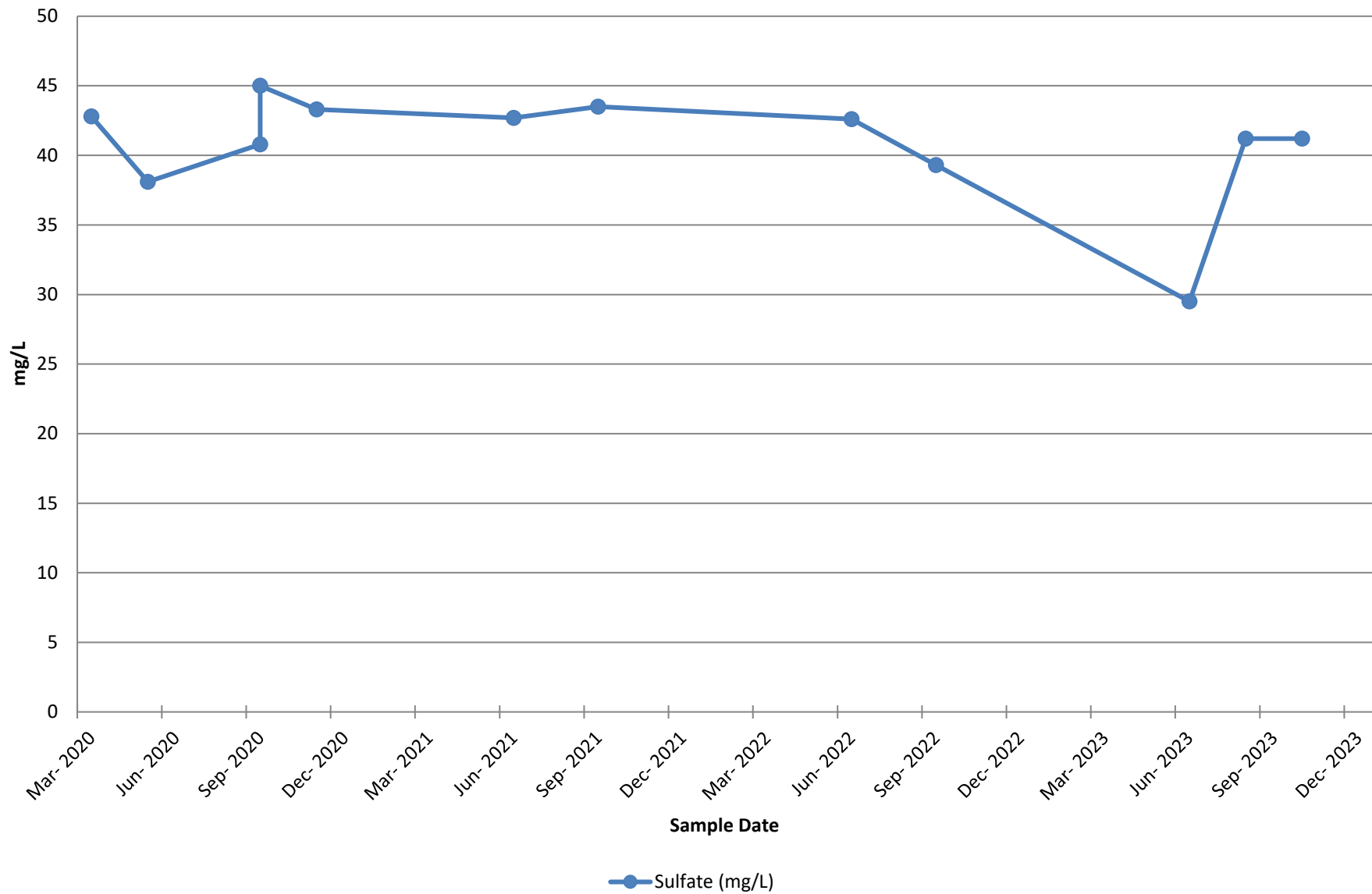


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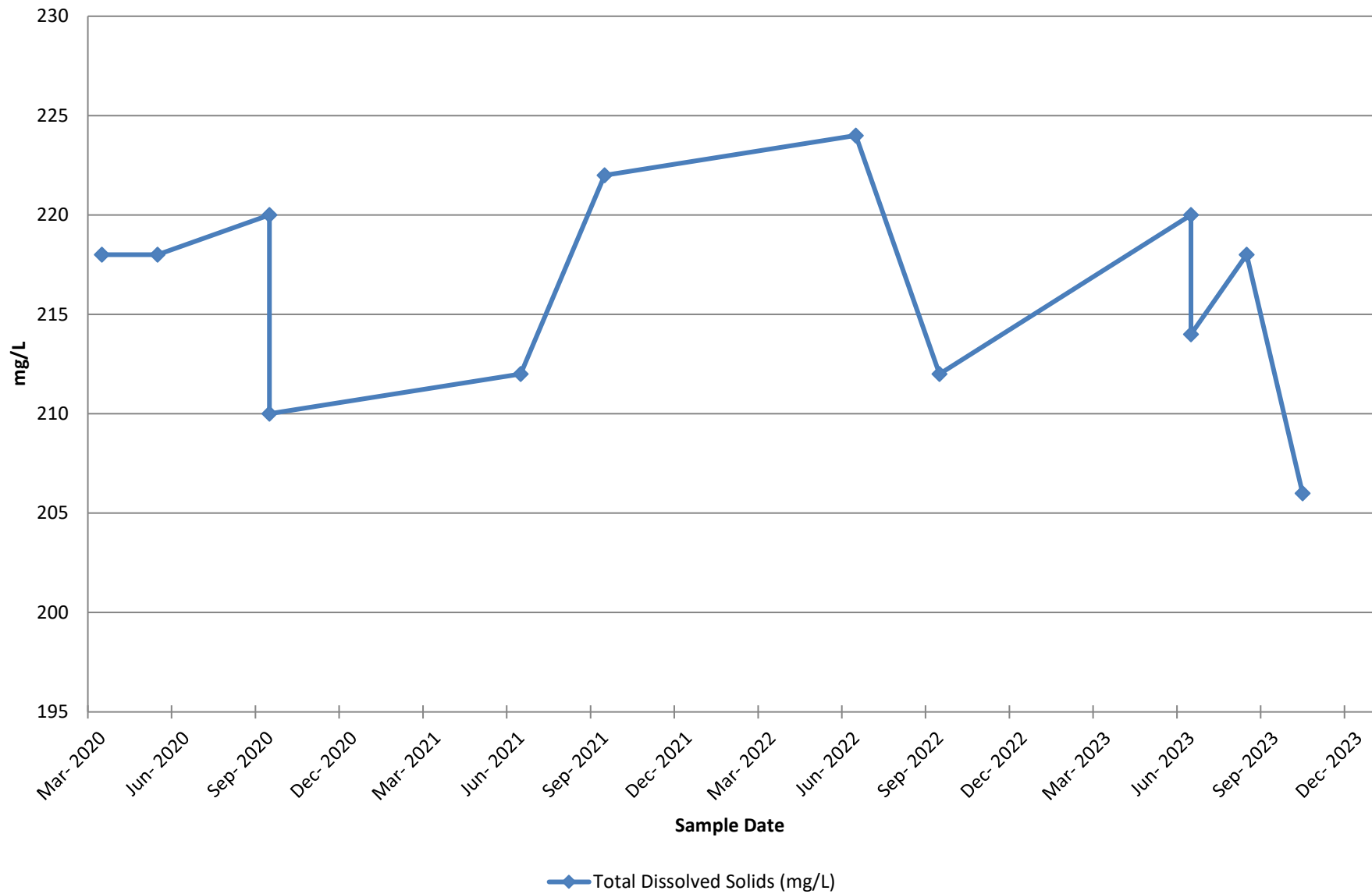


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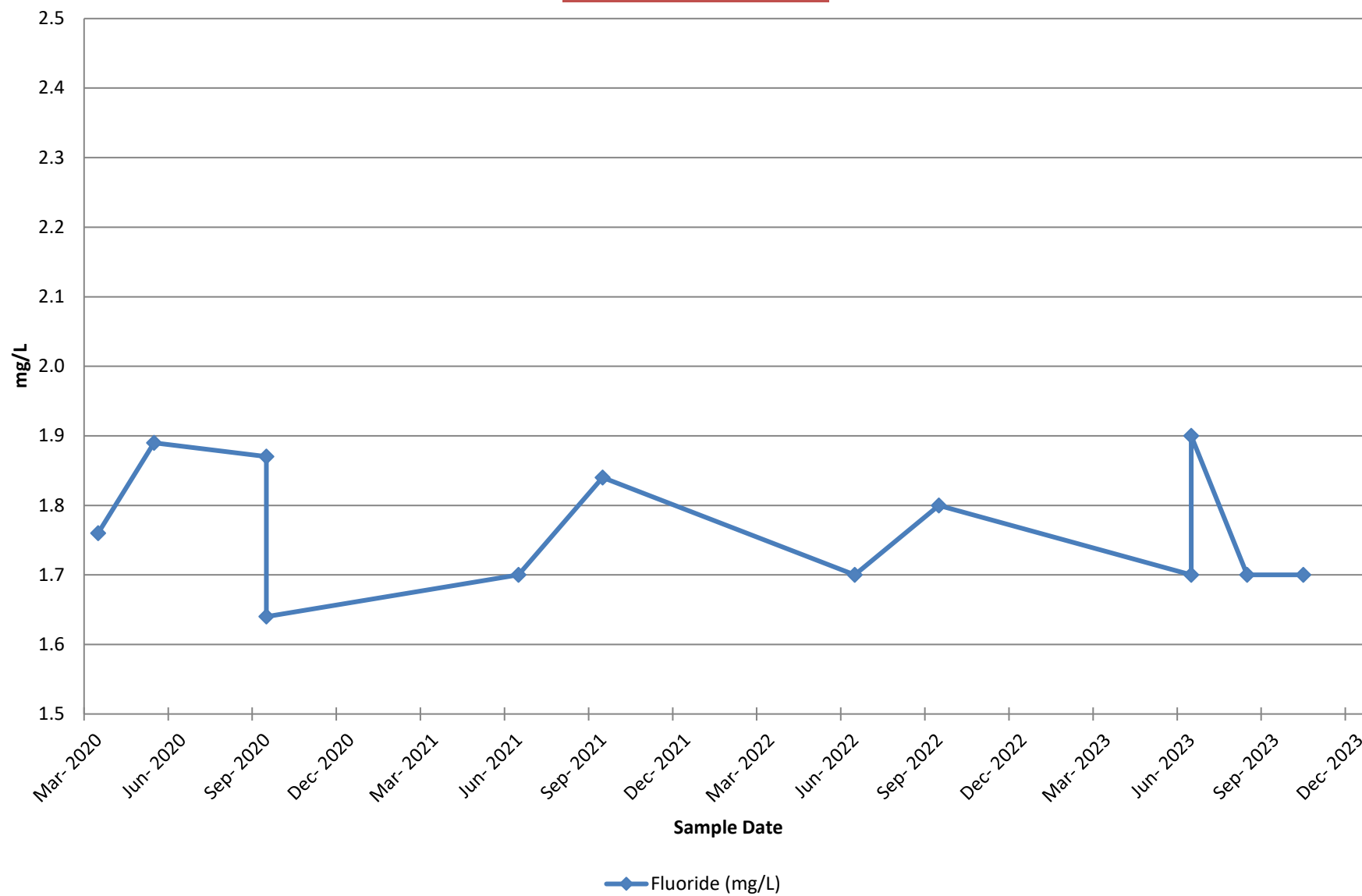


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EVMW-3S: Metals
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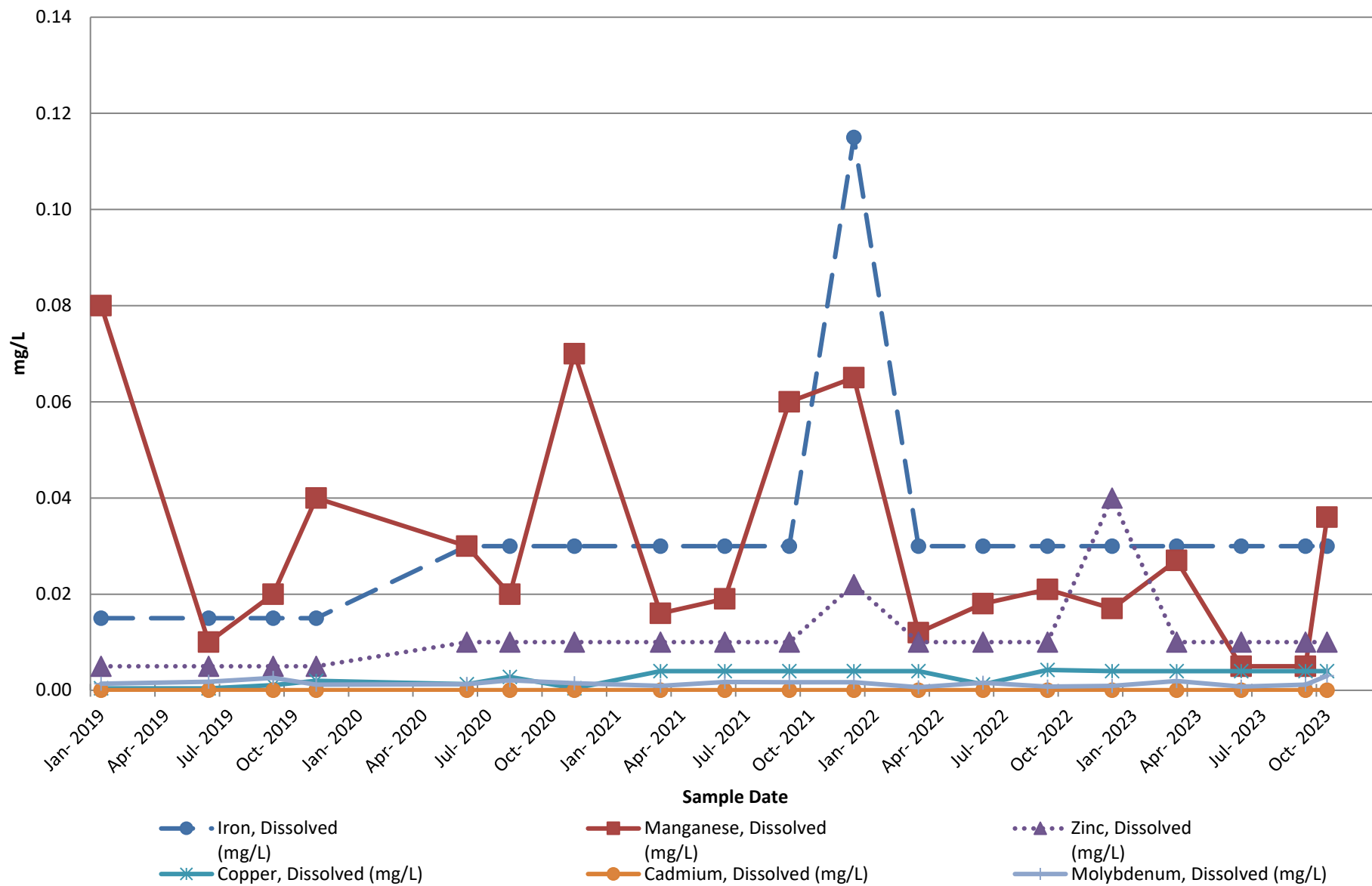


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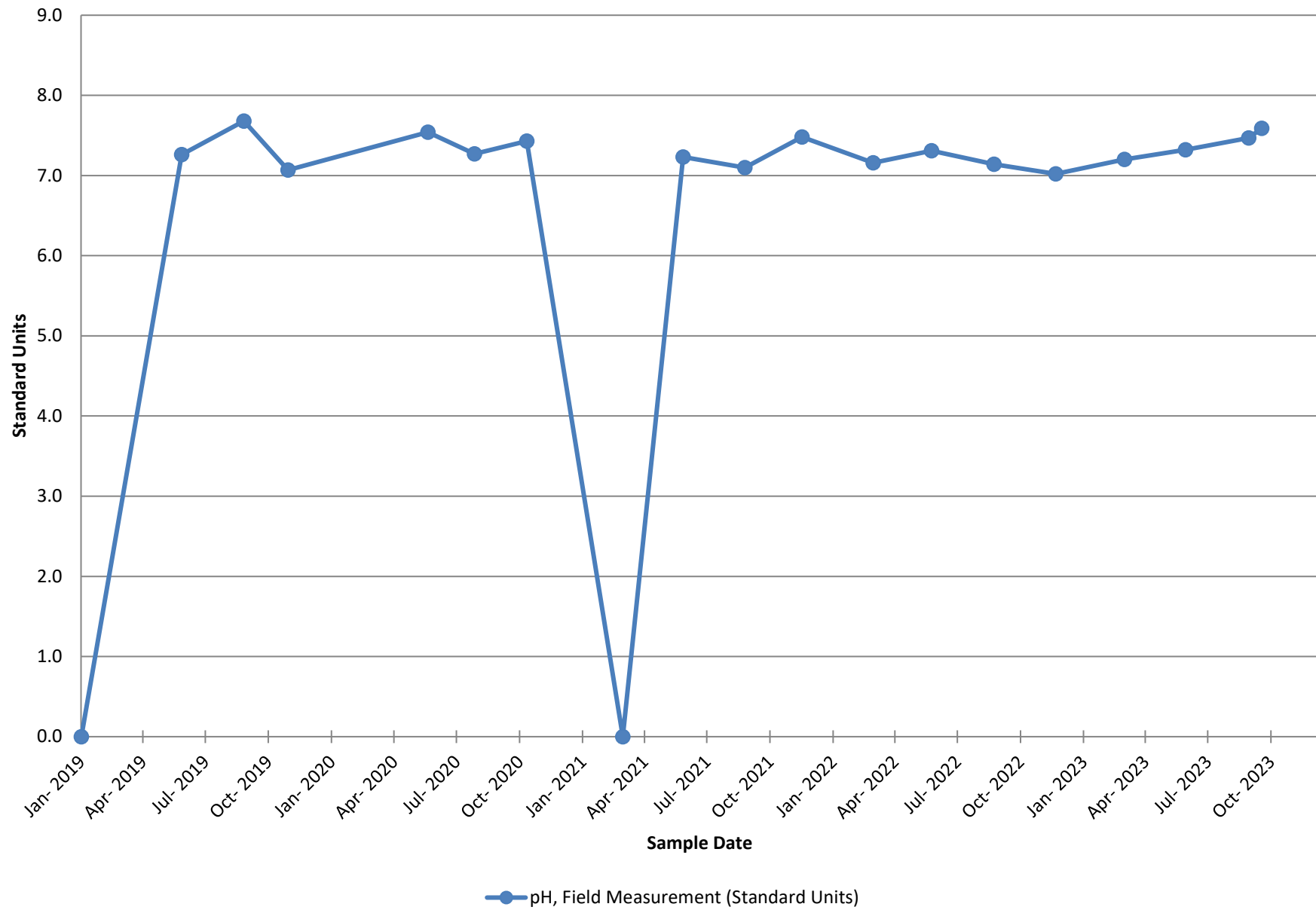


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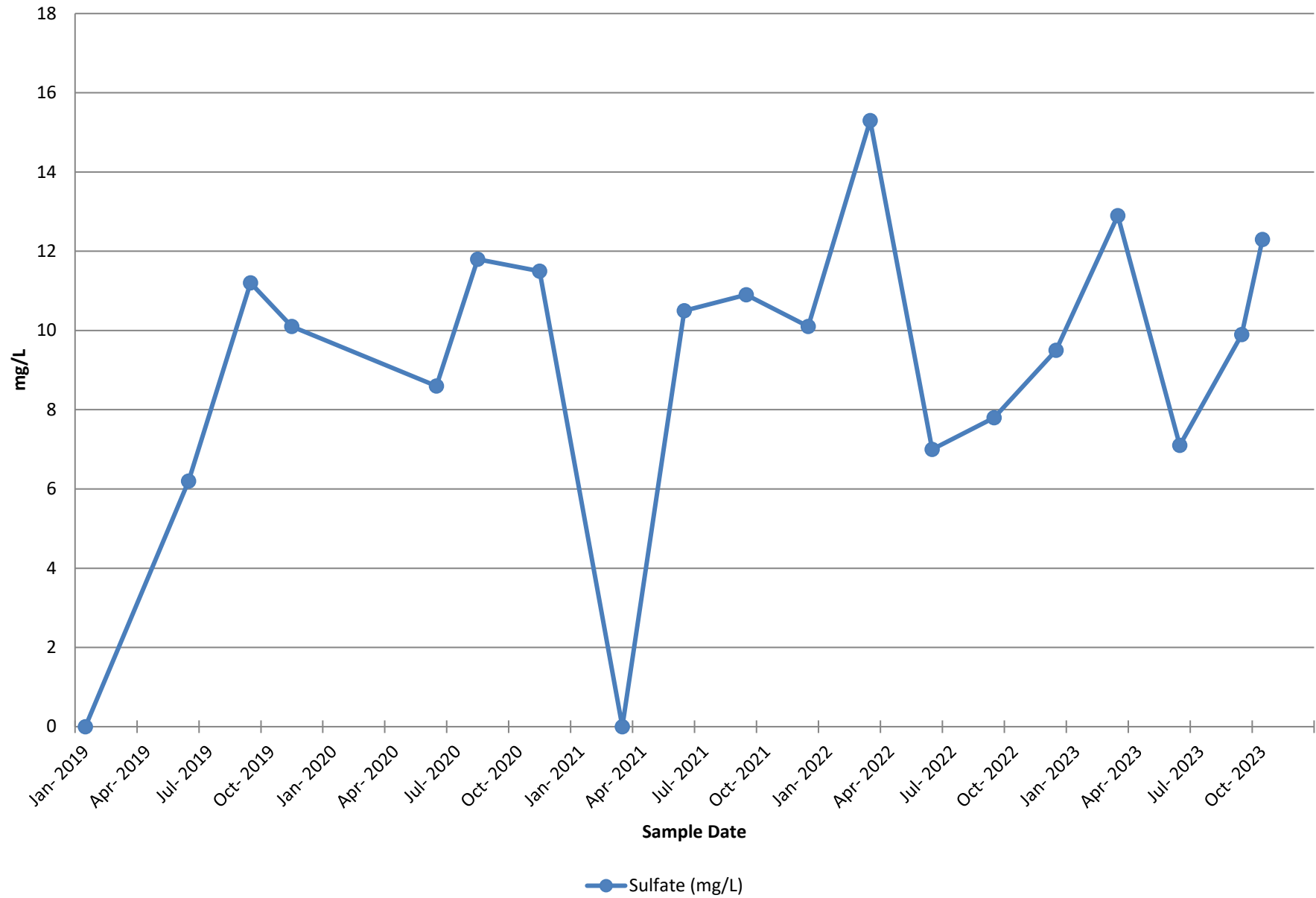


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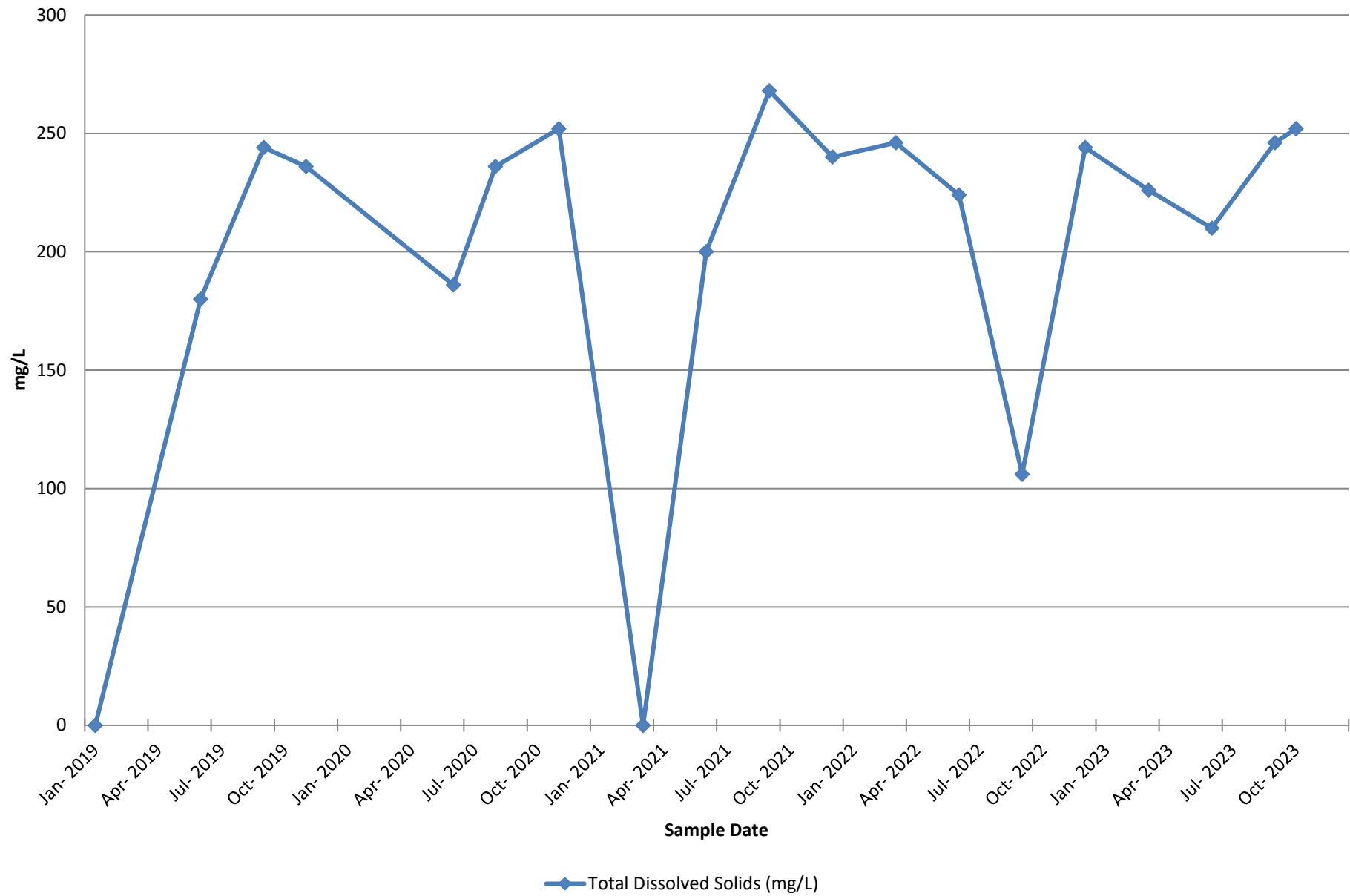


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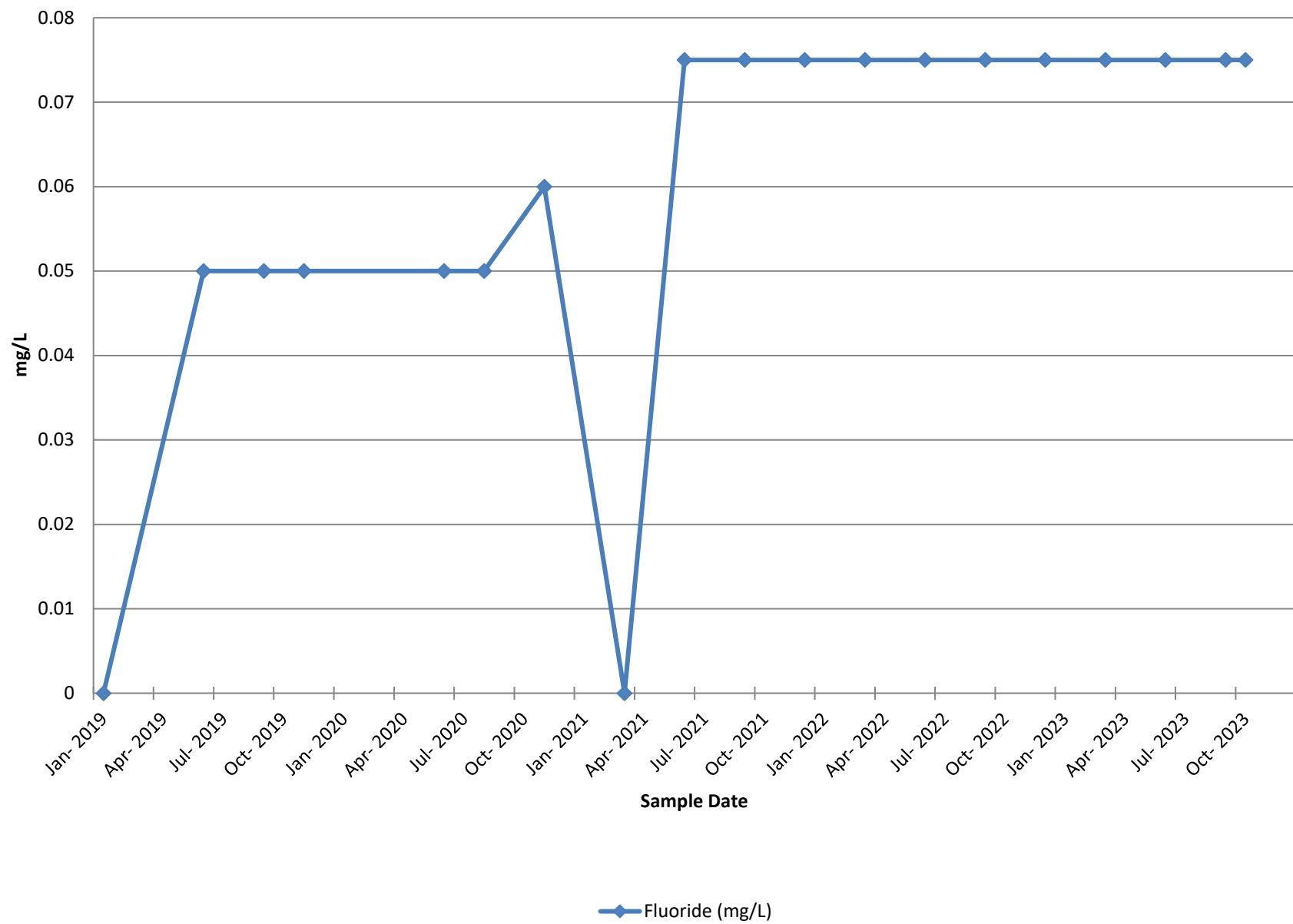


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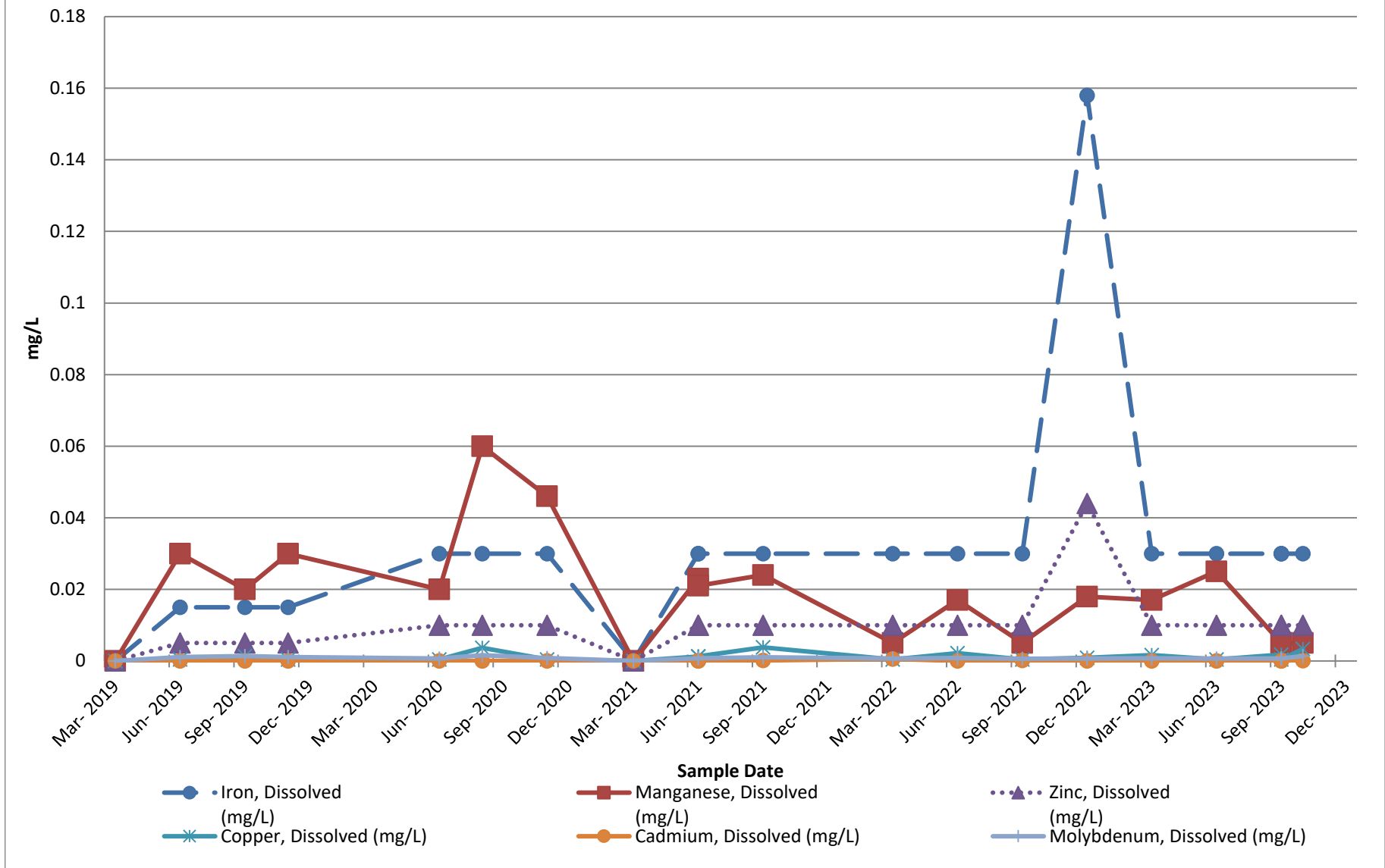


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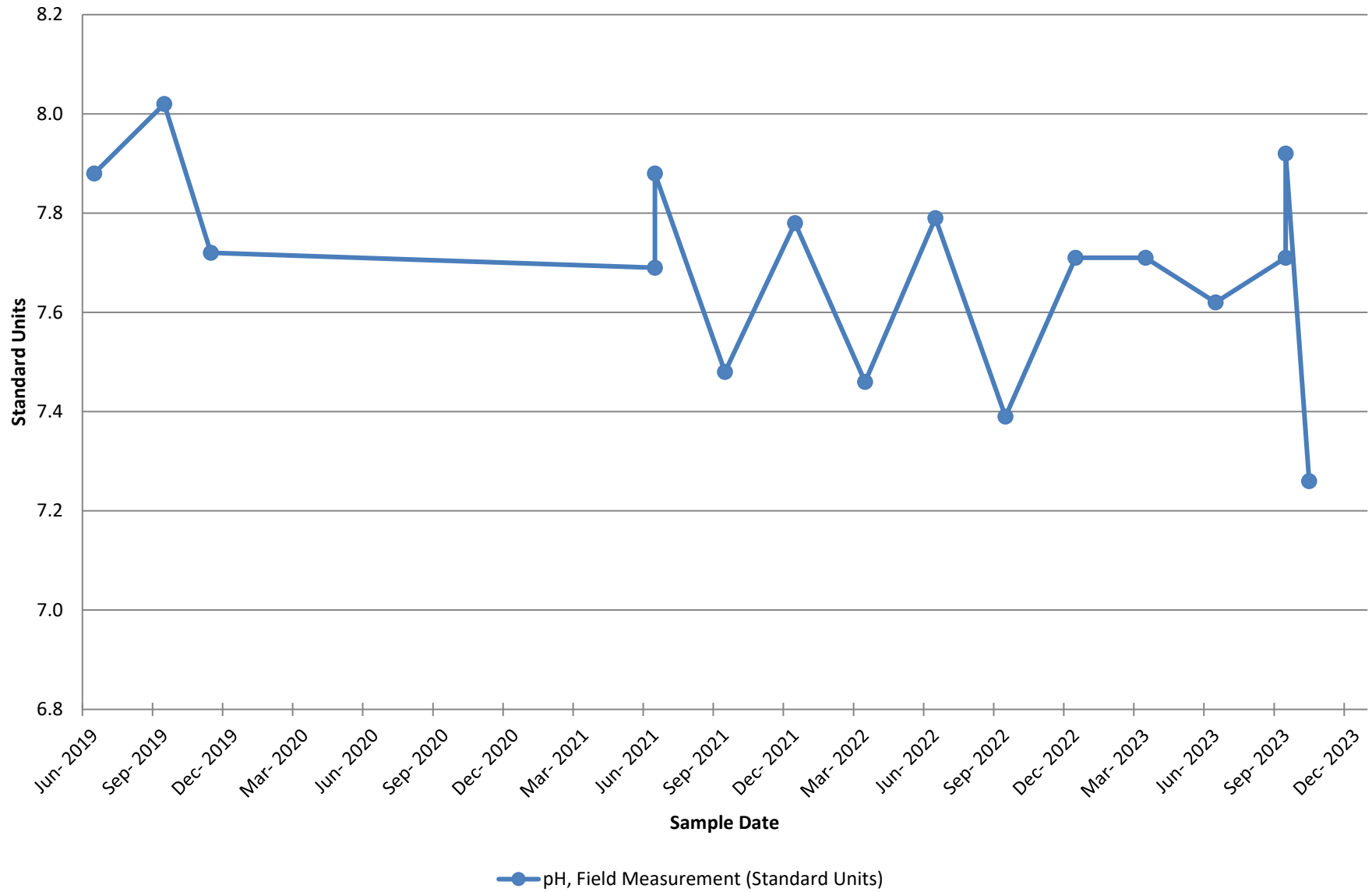


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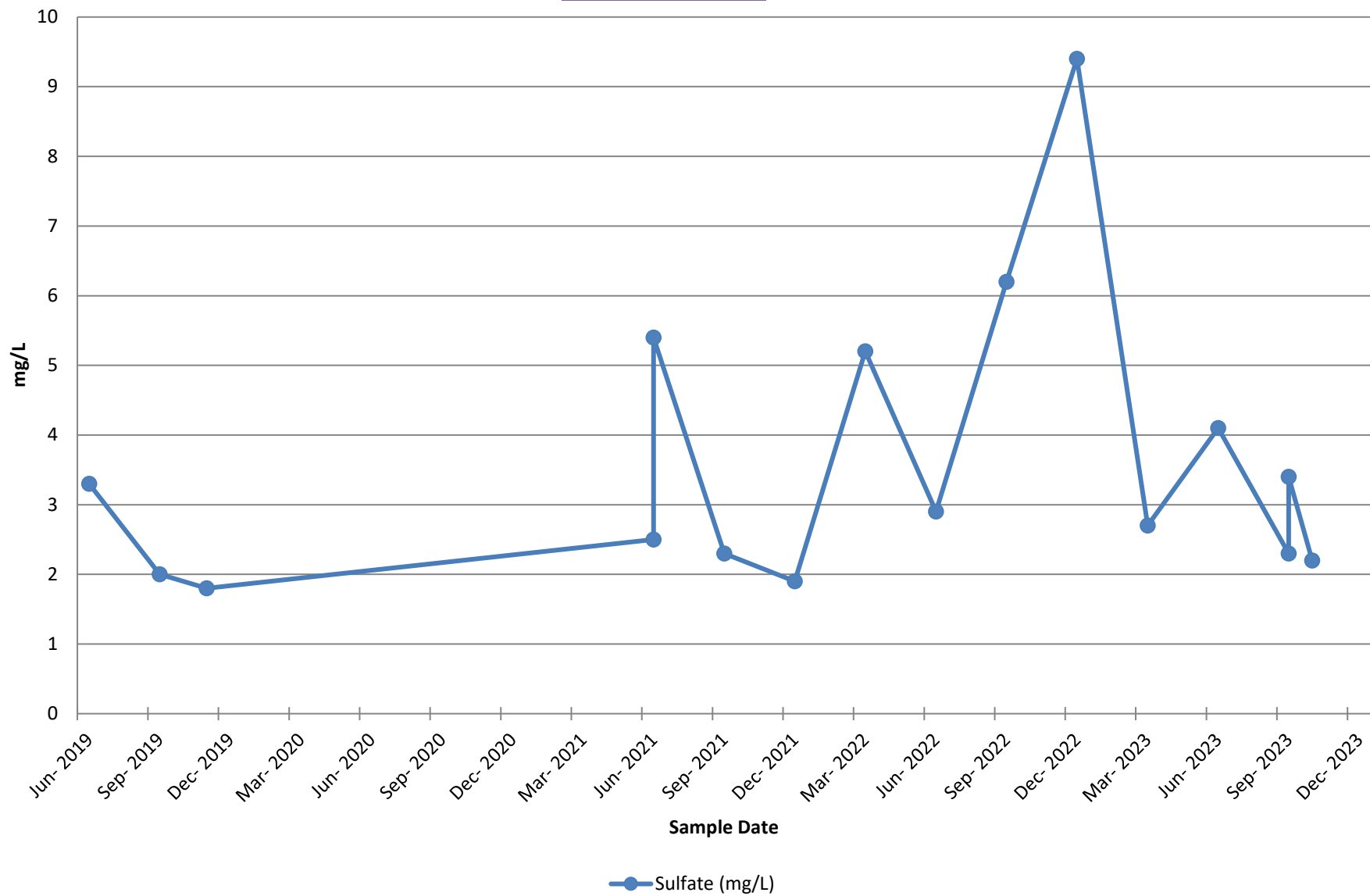


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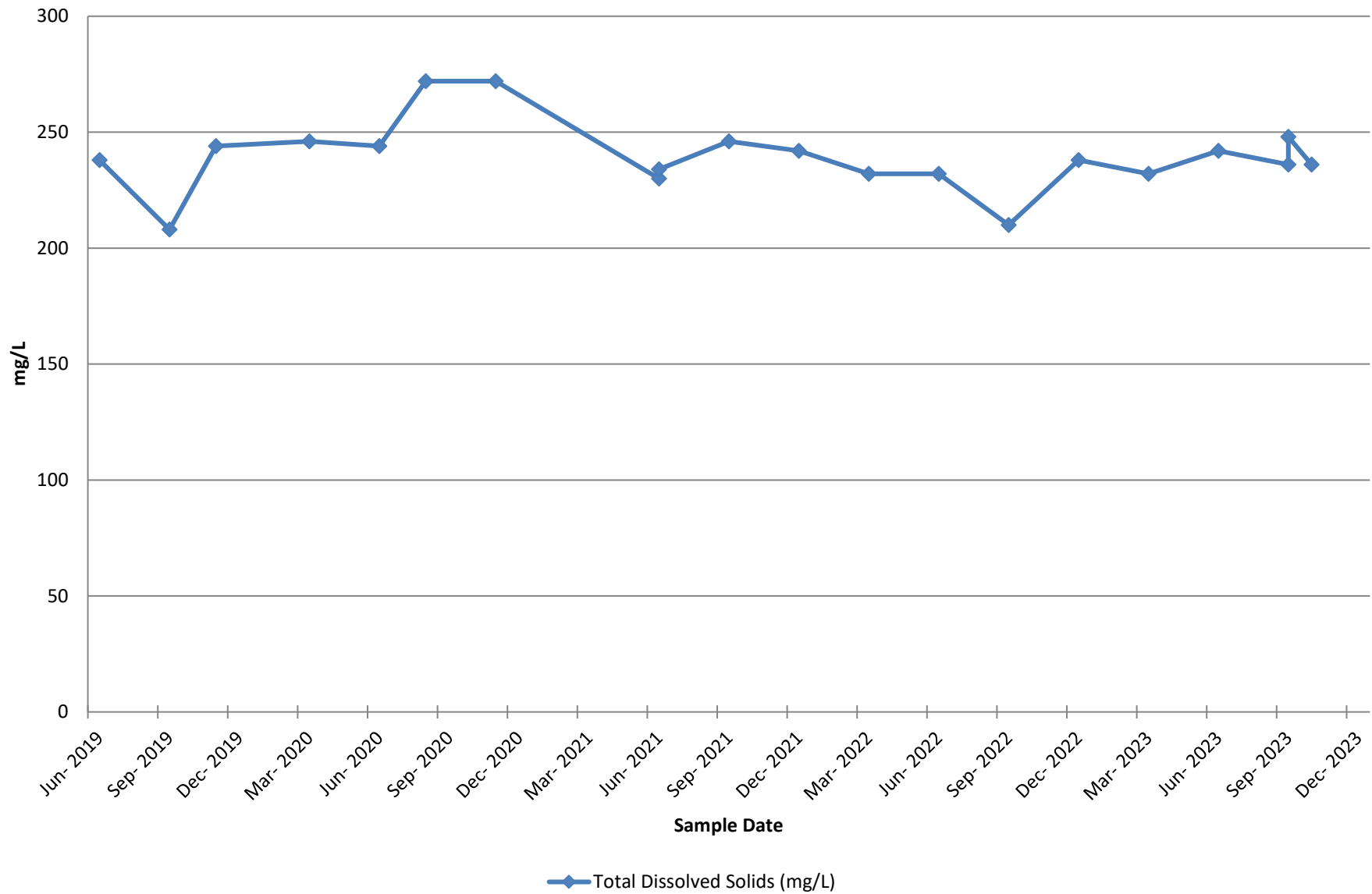


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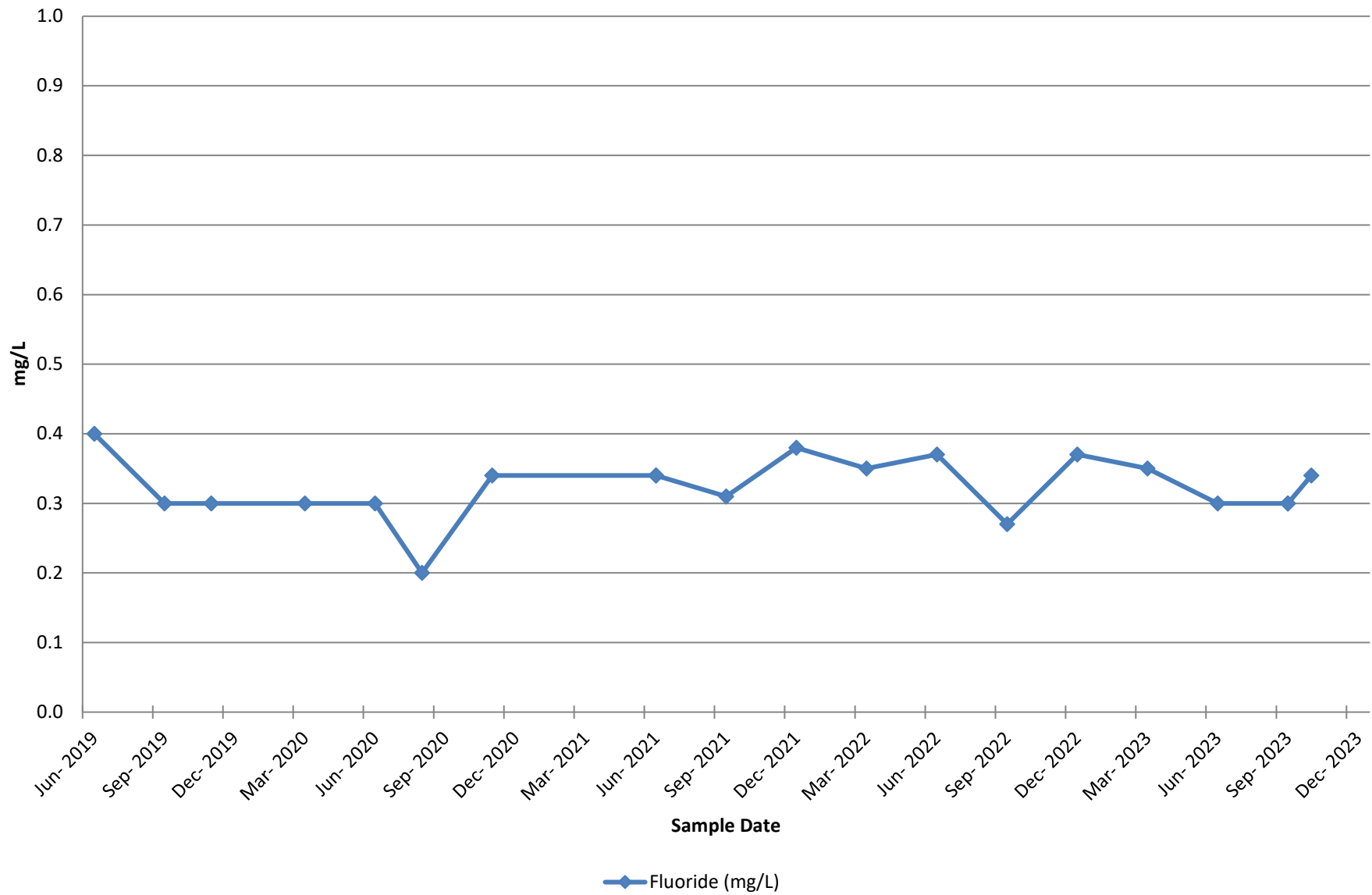


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EV-MW-004: Metals
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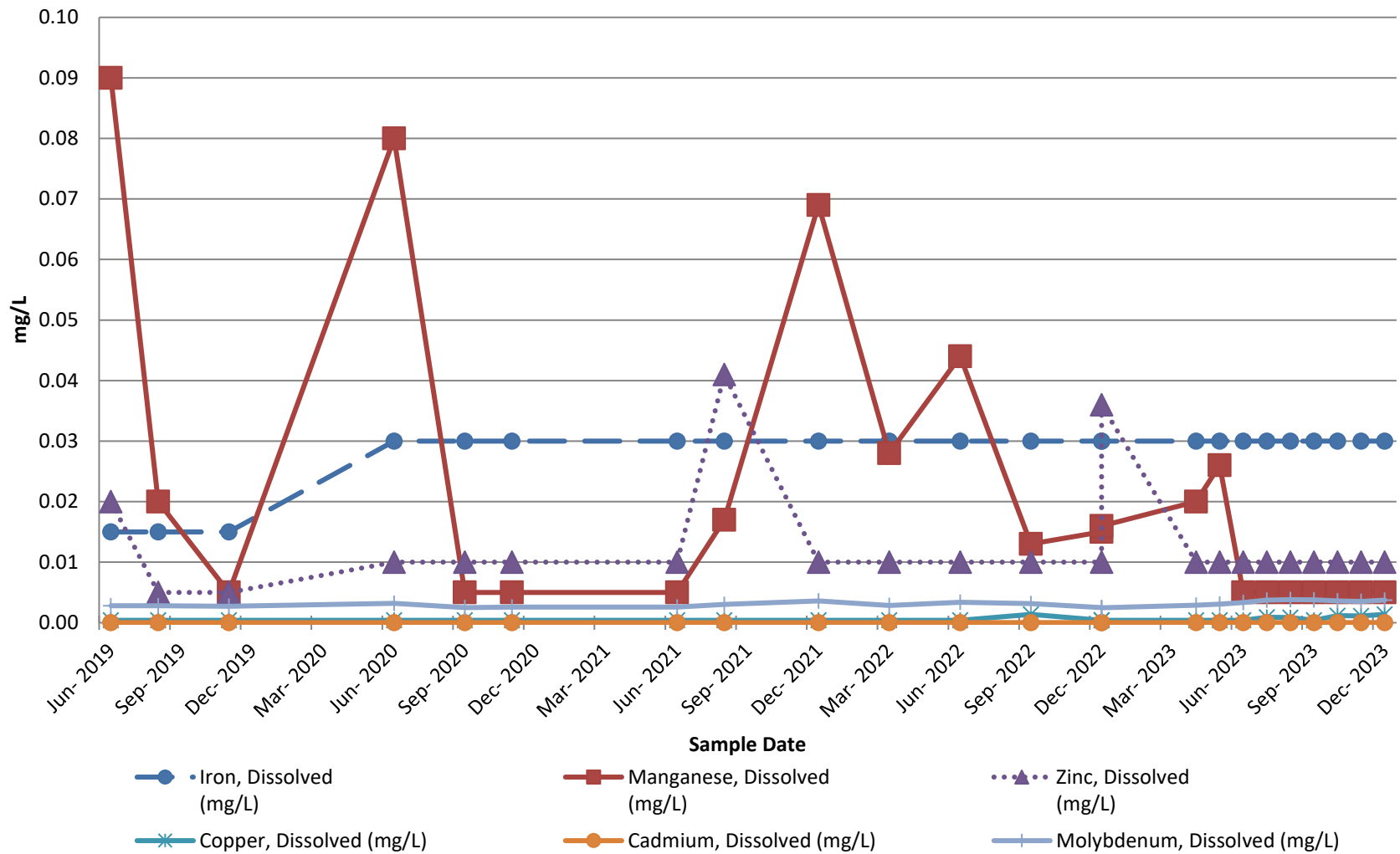


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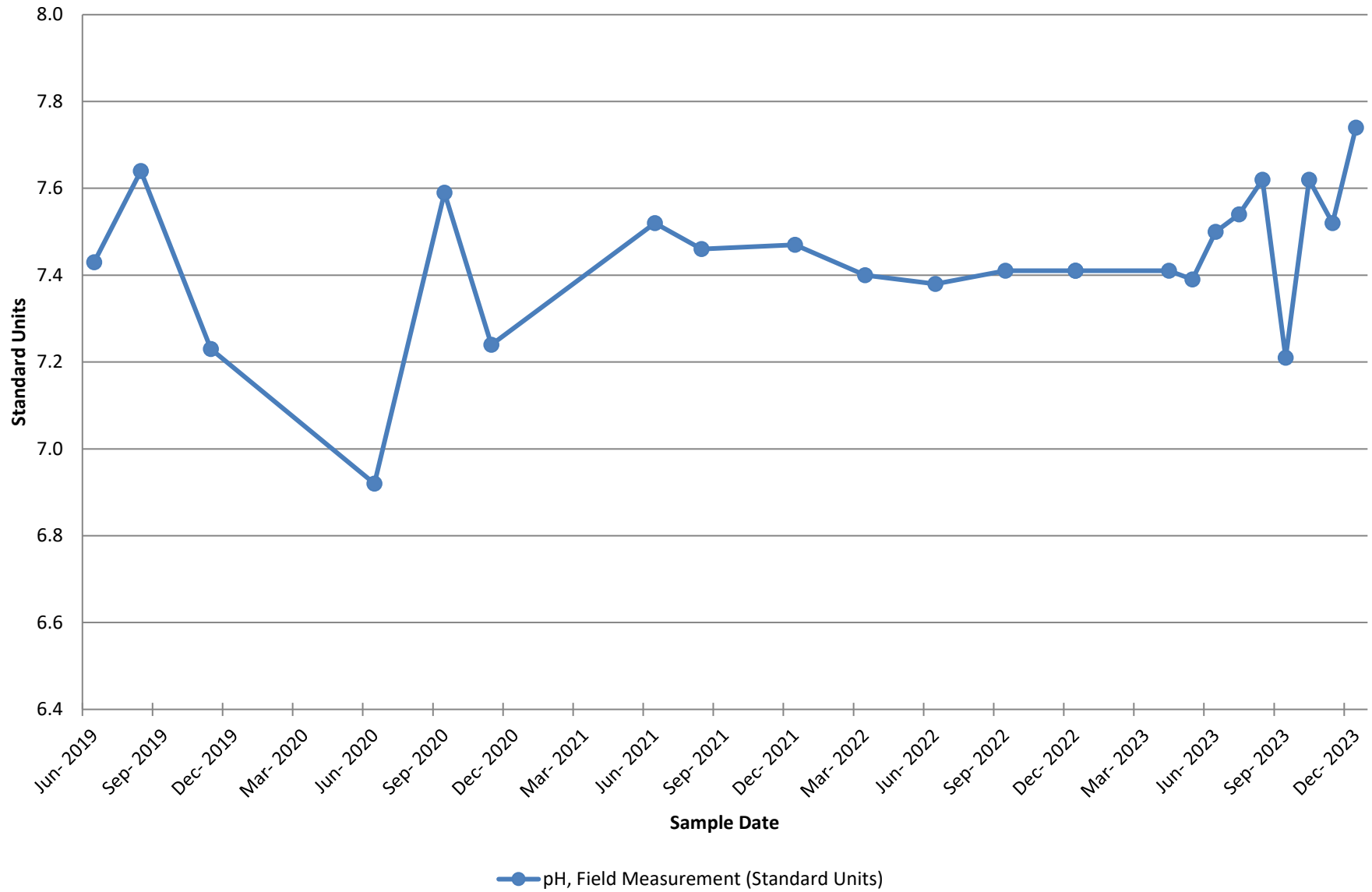


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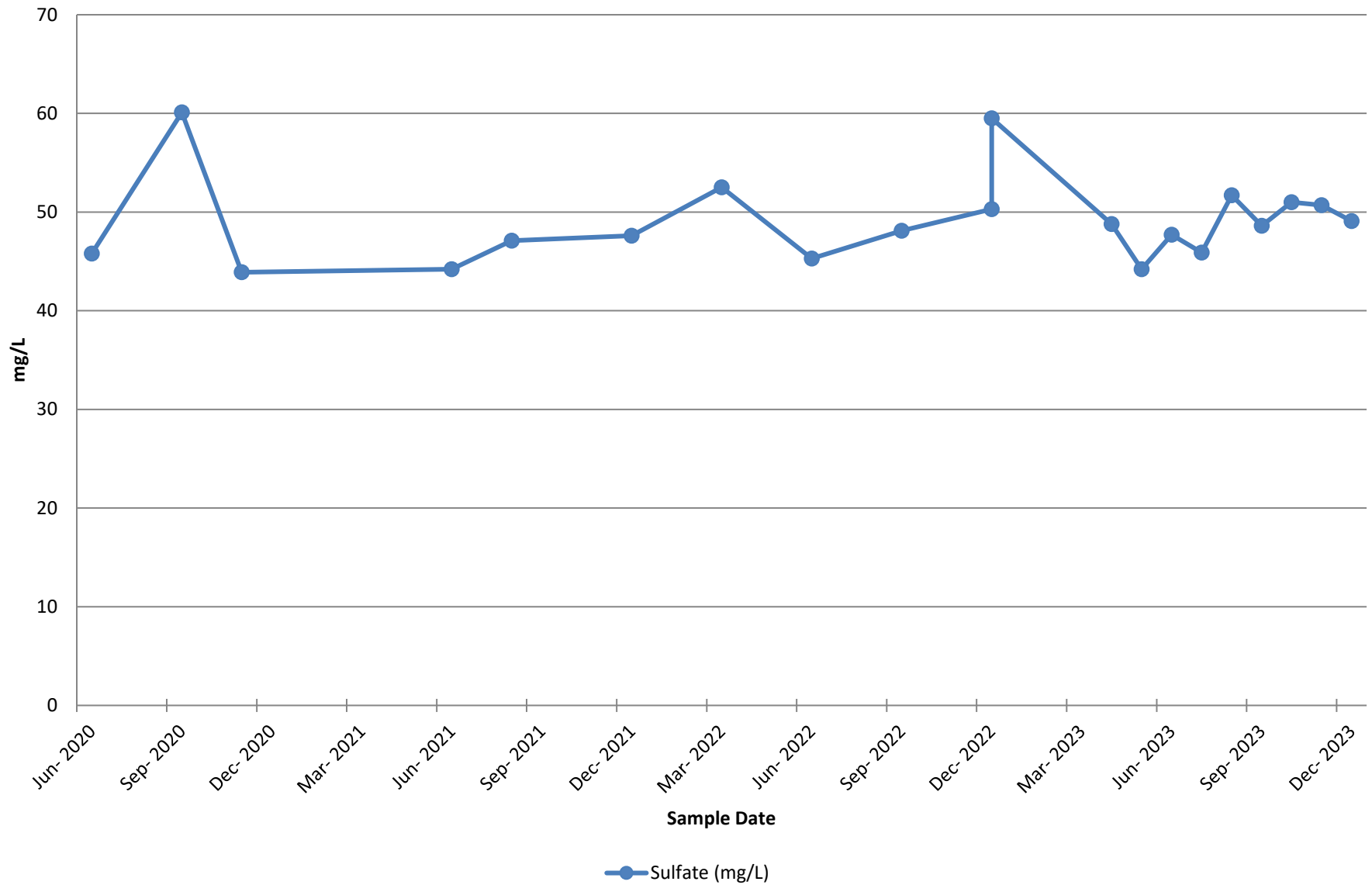


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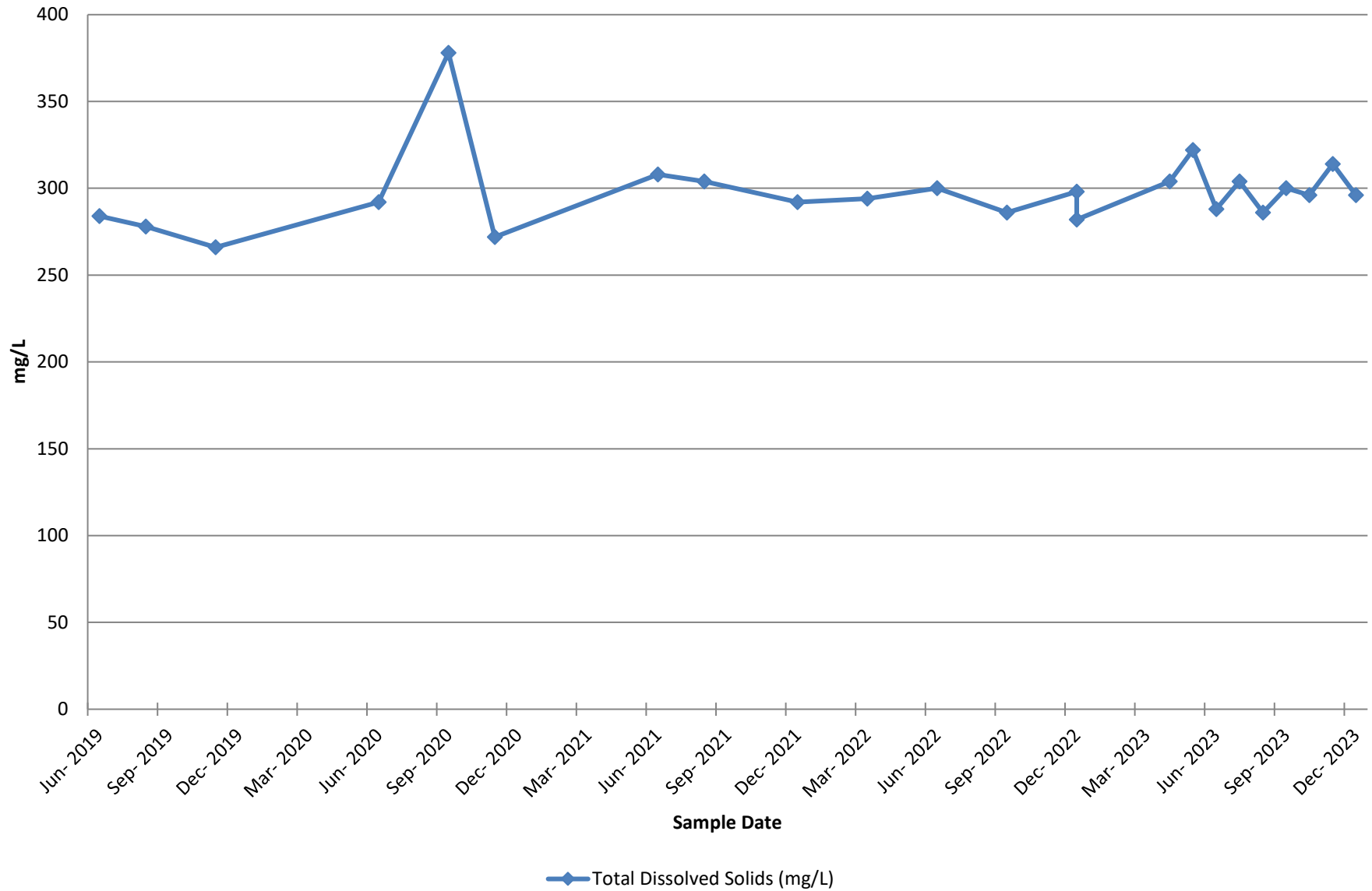


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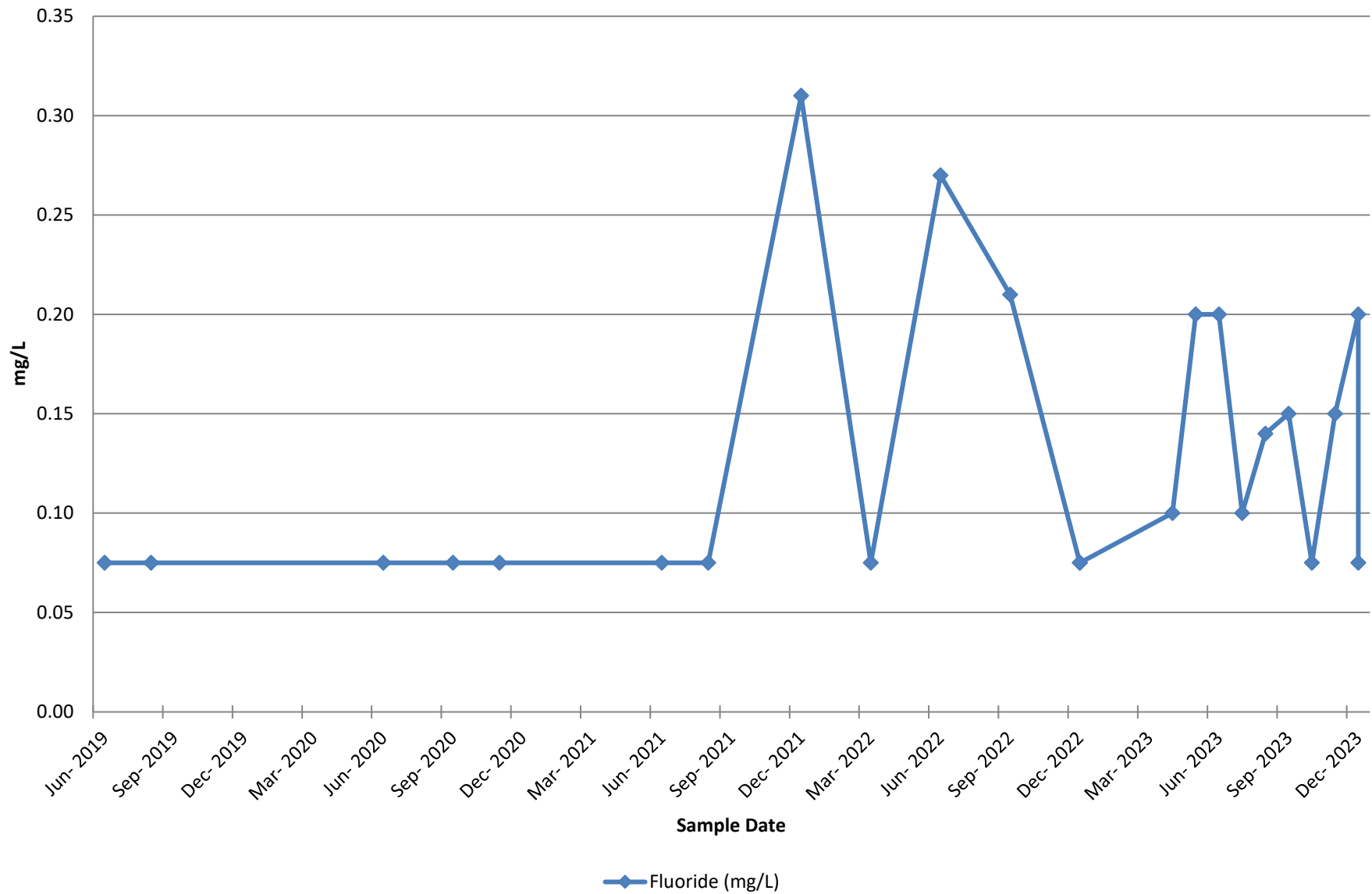


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TM-MW-002D: Metals
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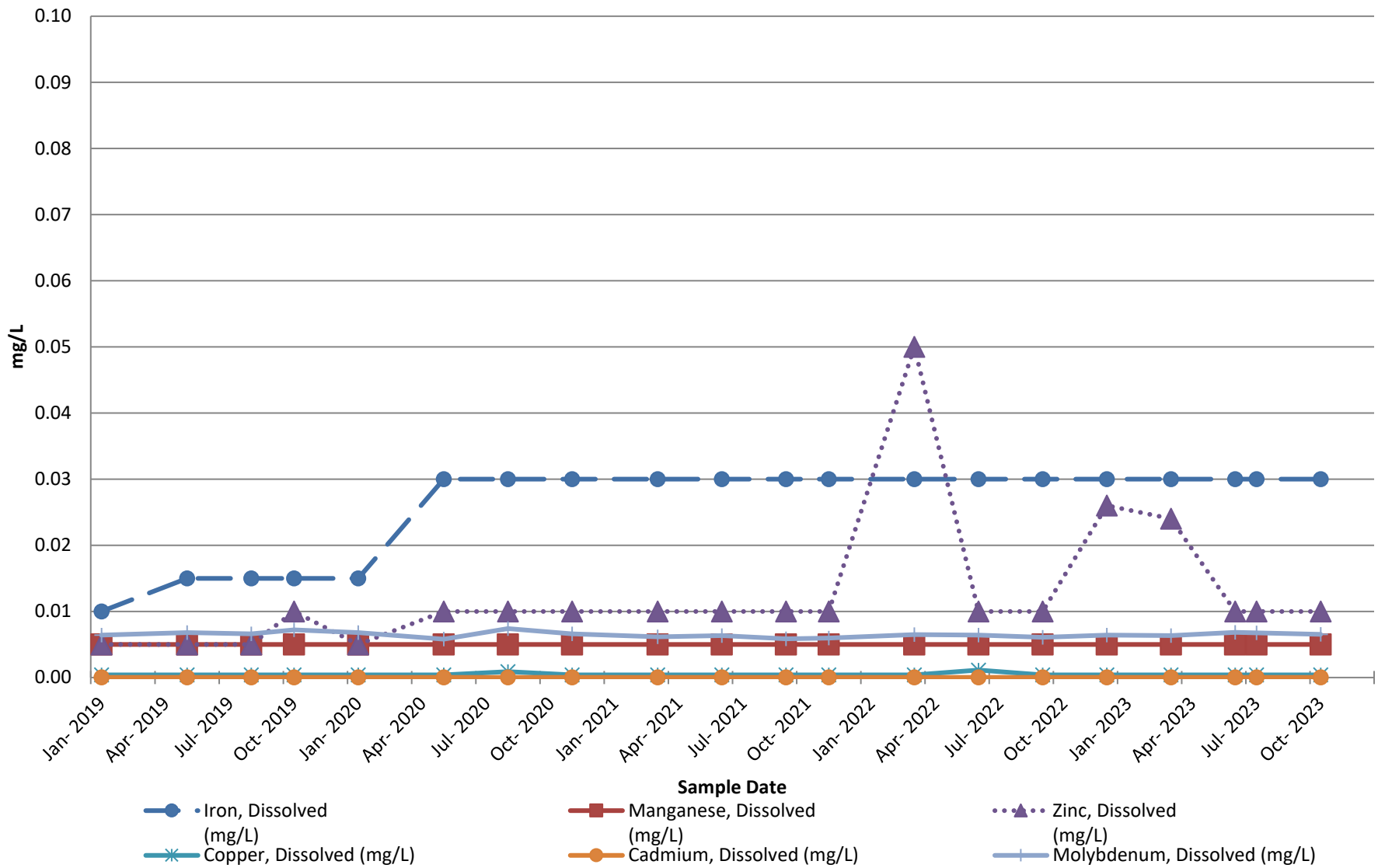


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TM-MW-002D: pH
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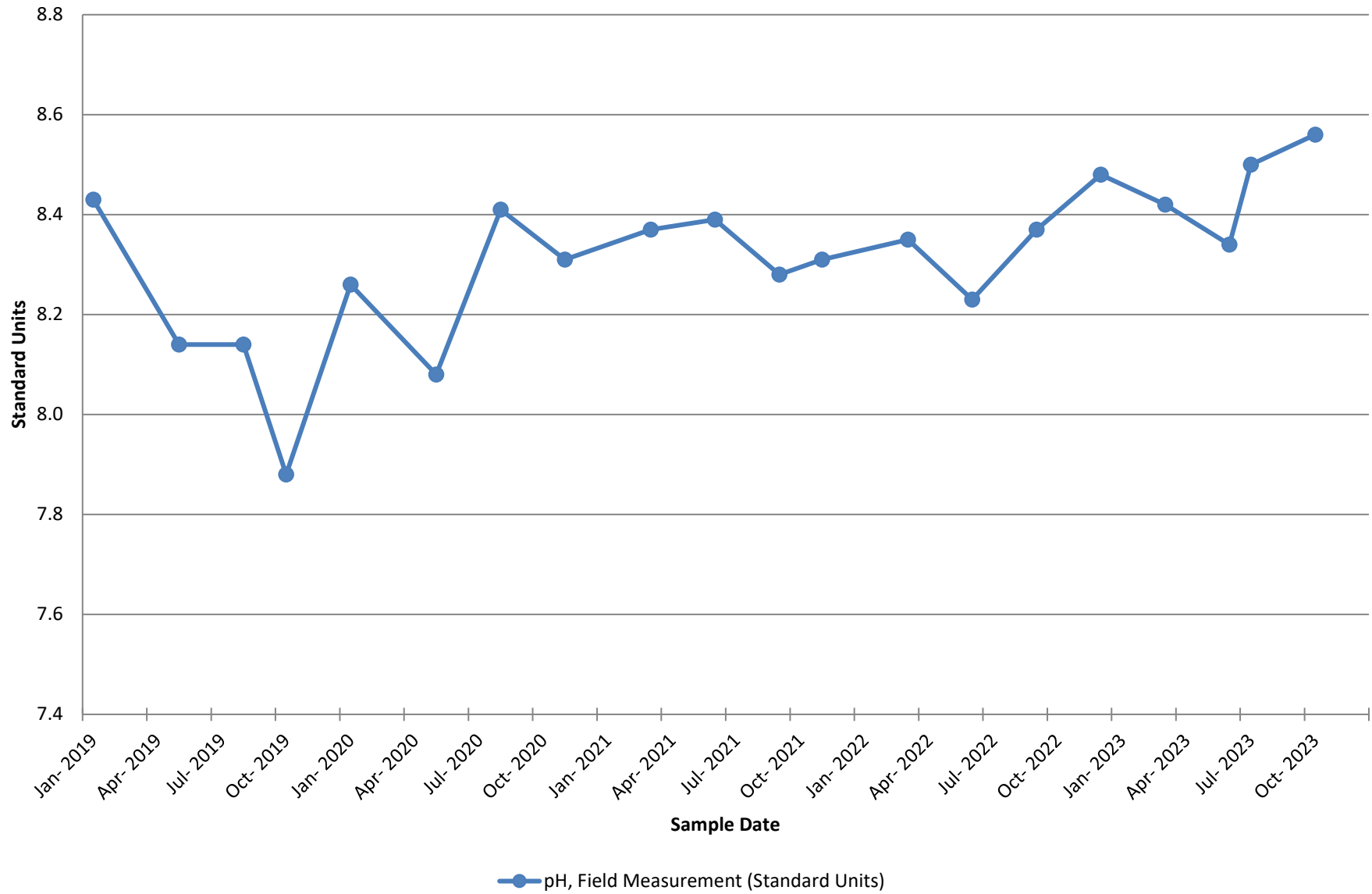


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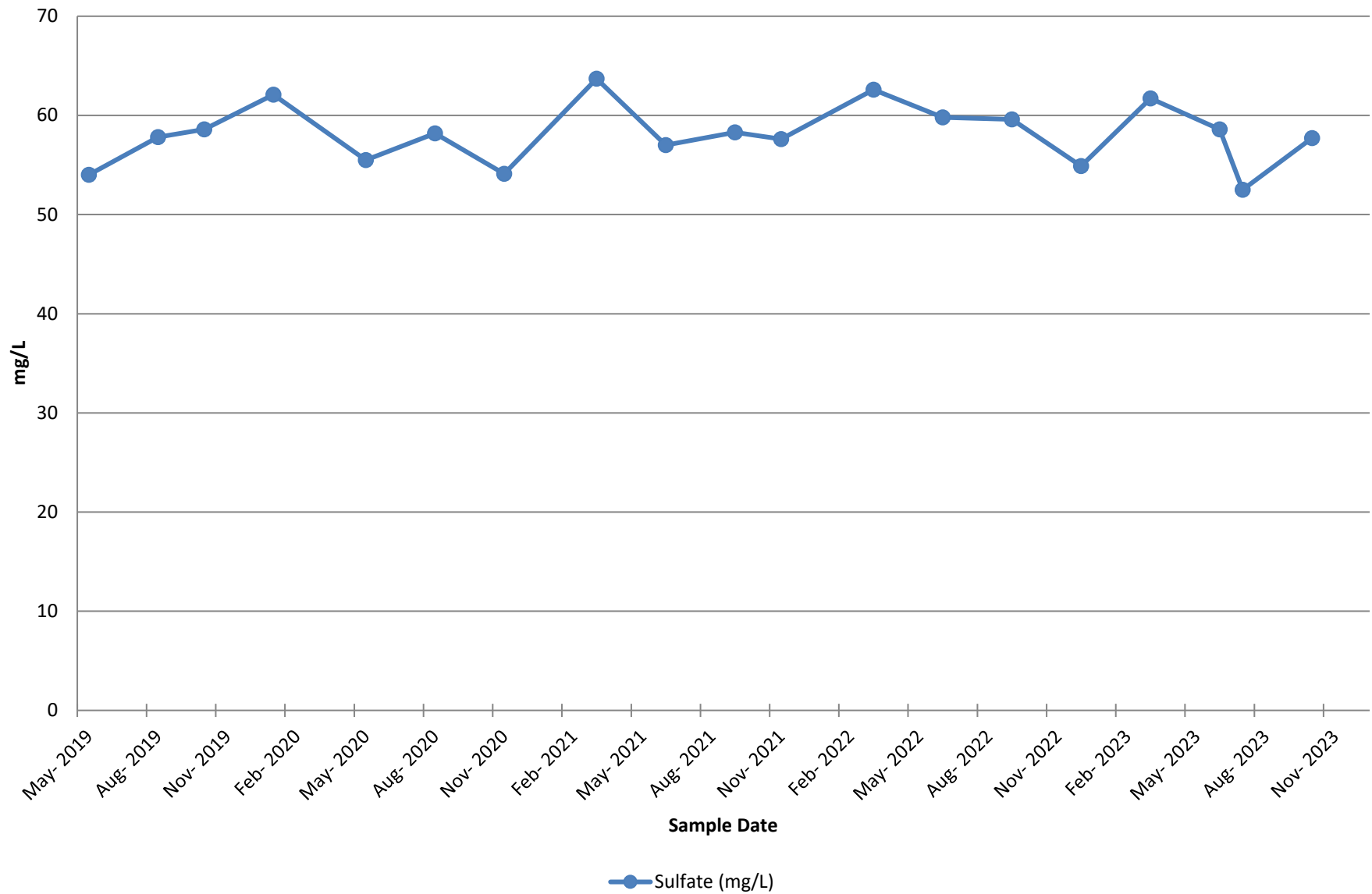


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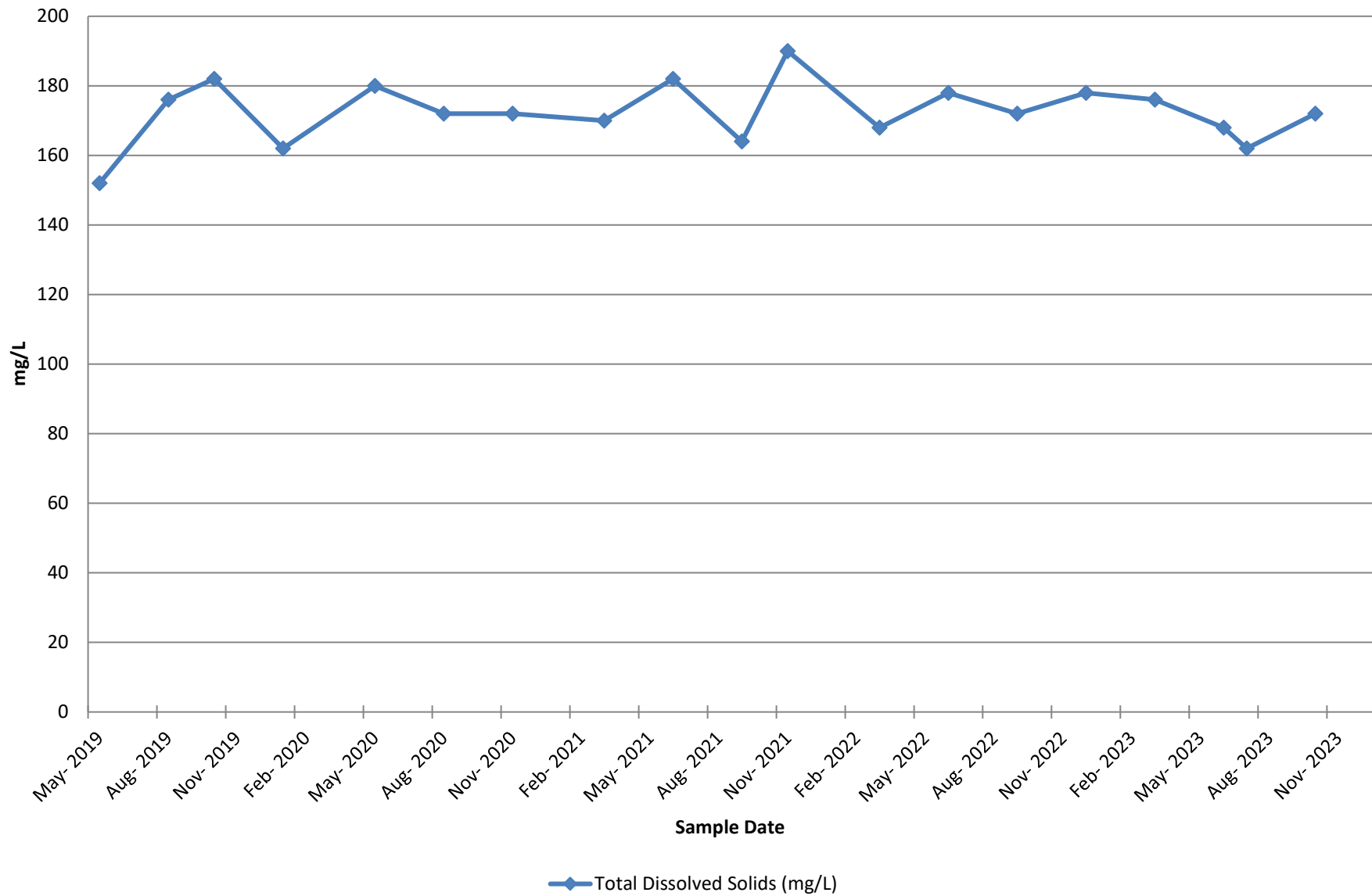


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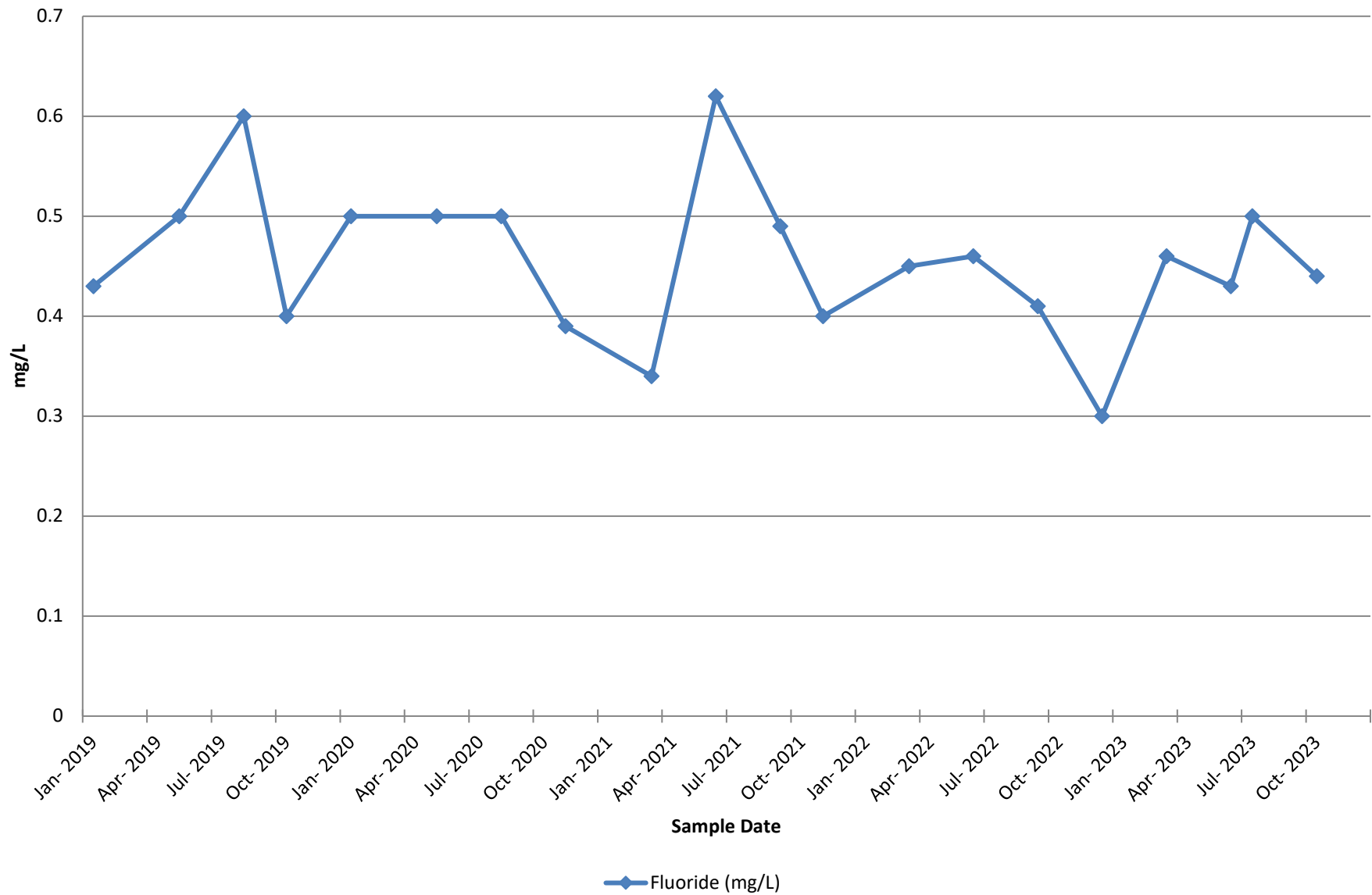


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GW#2: Metals
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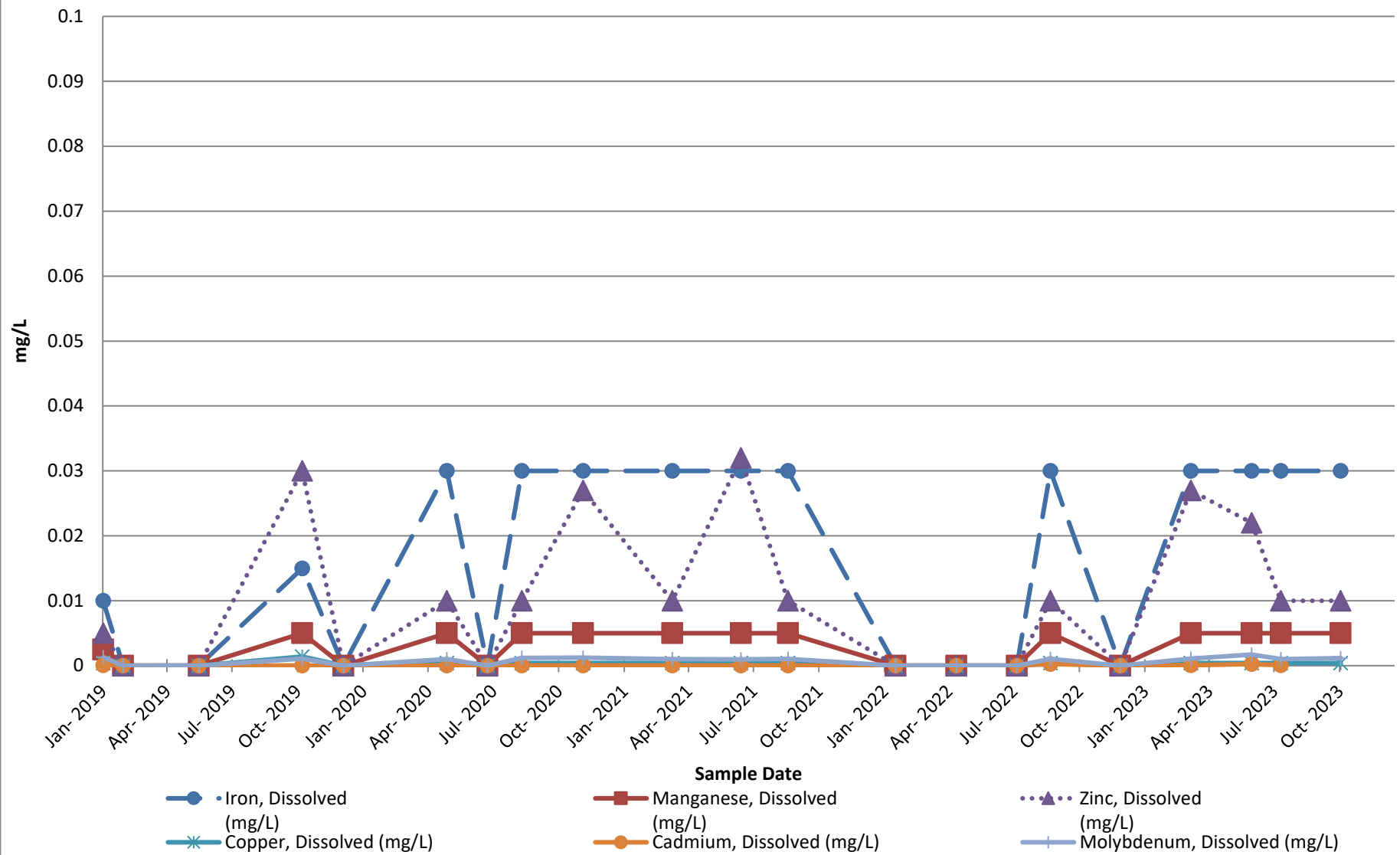


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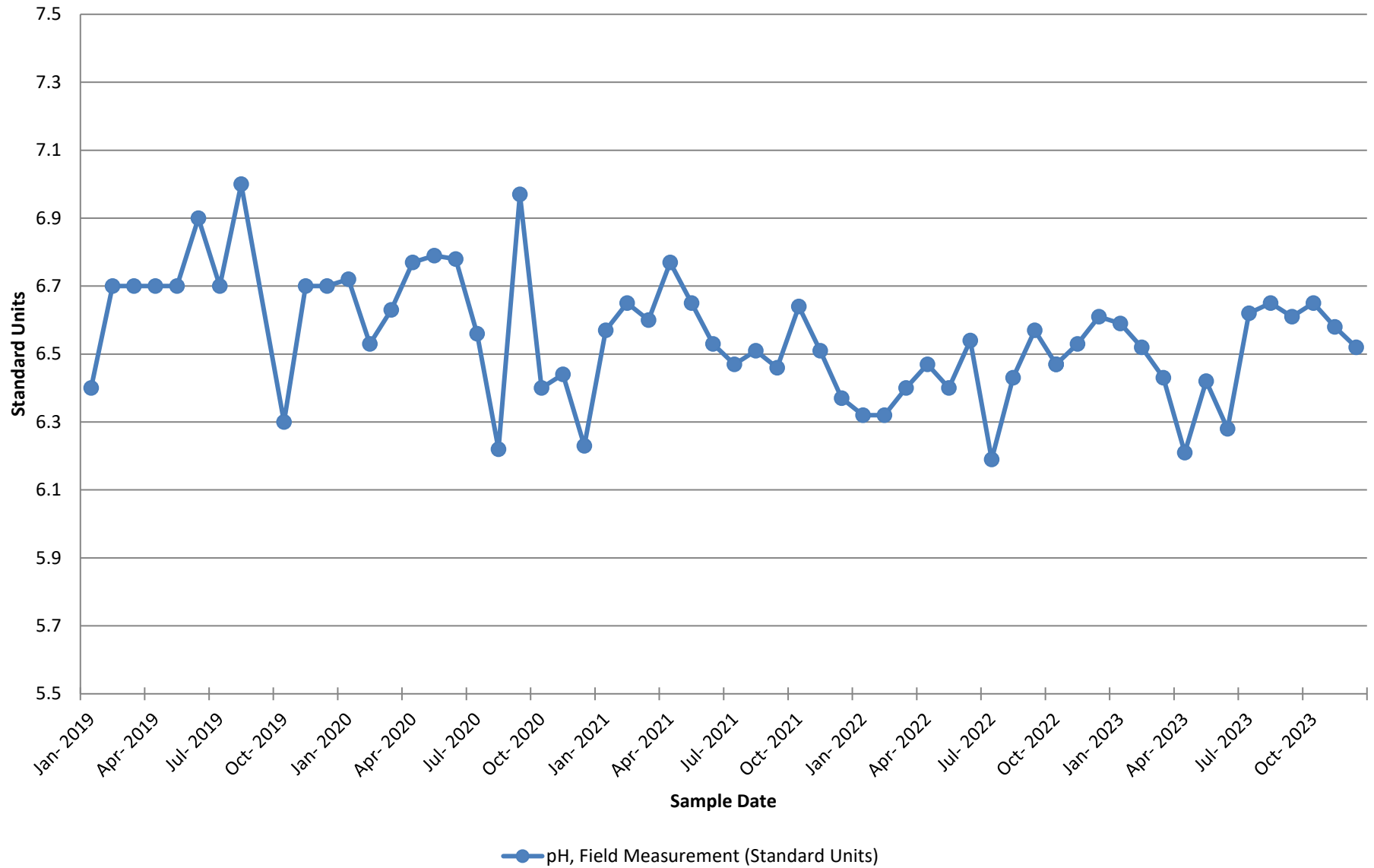


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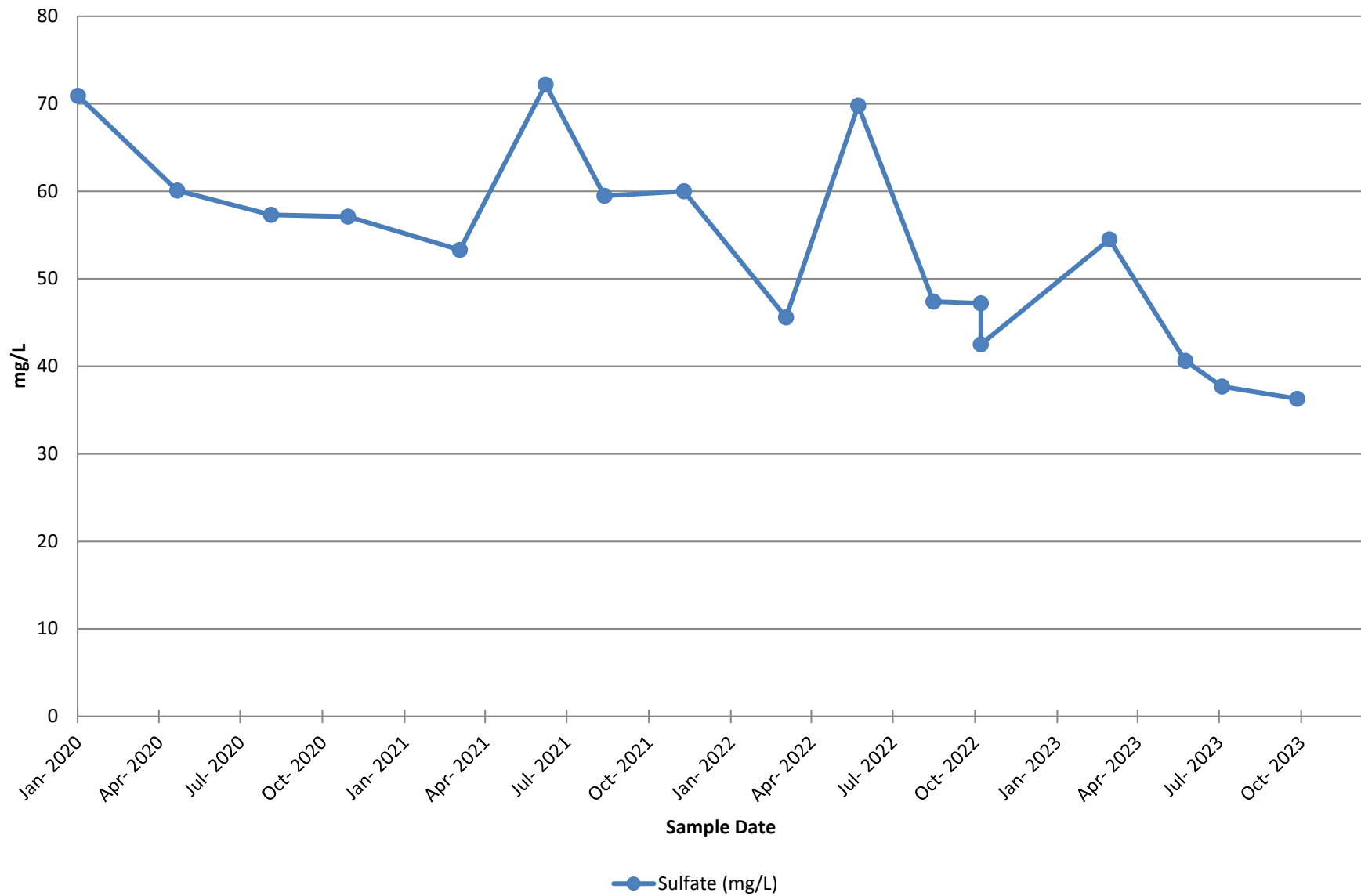


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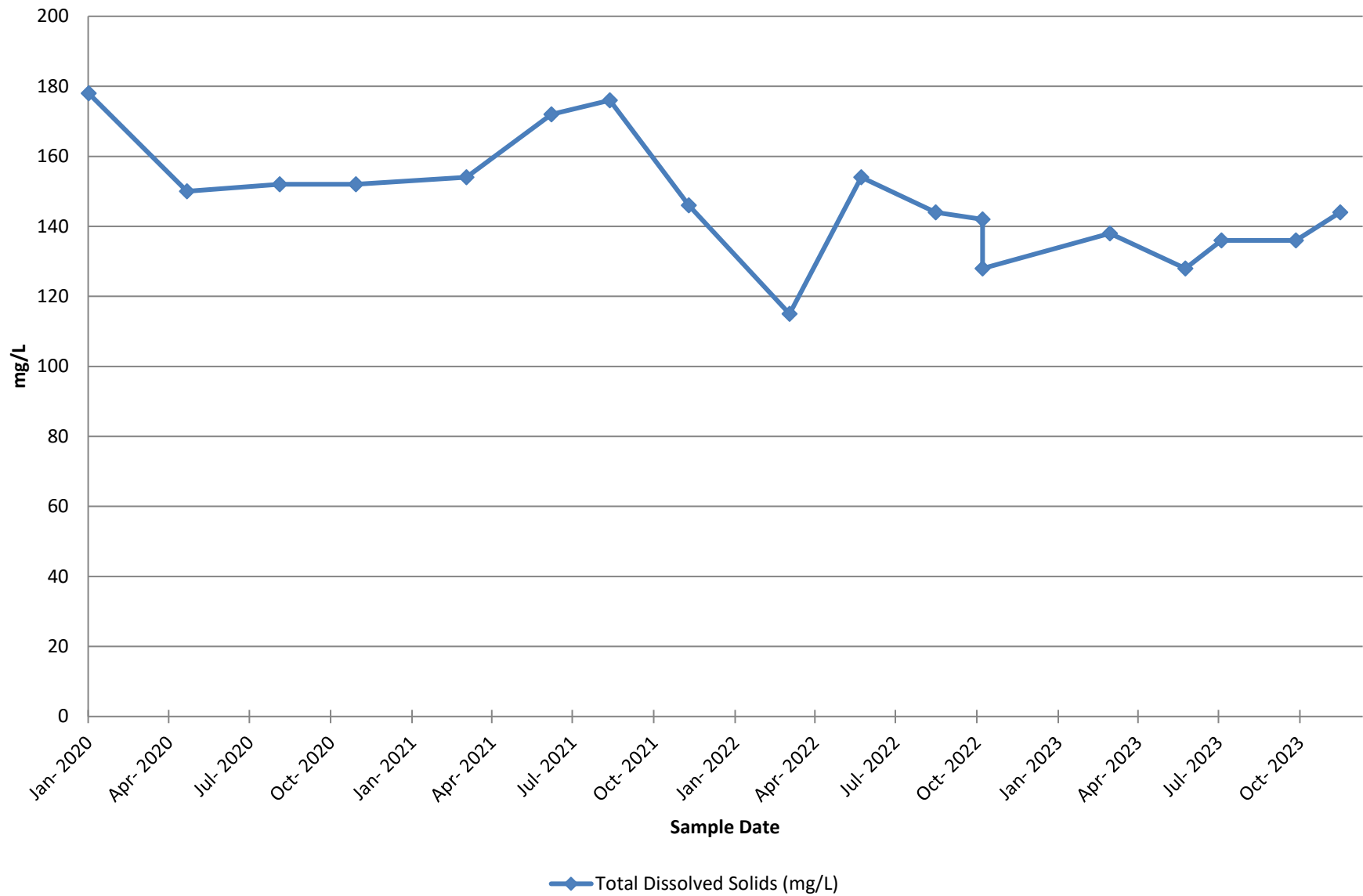


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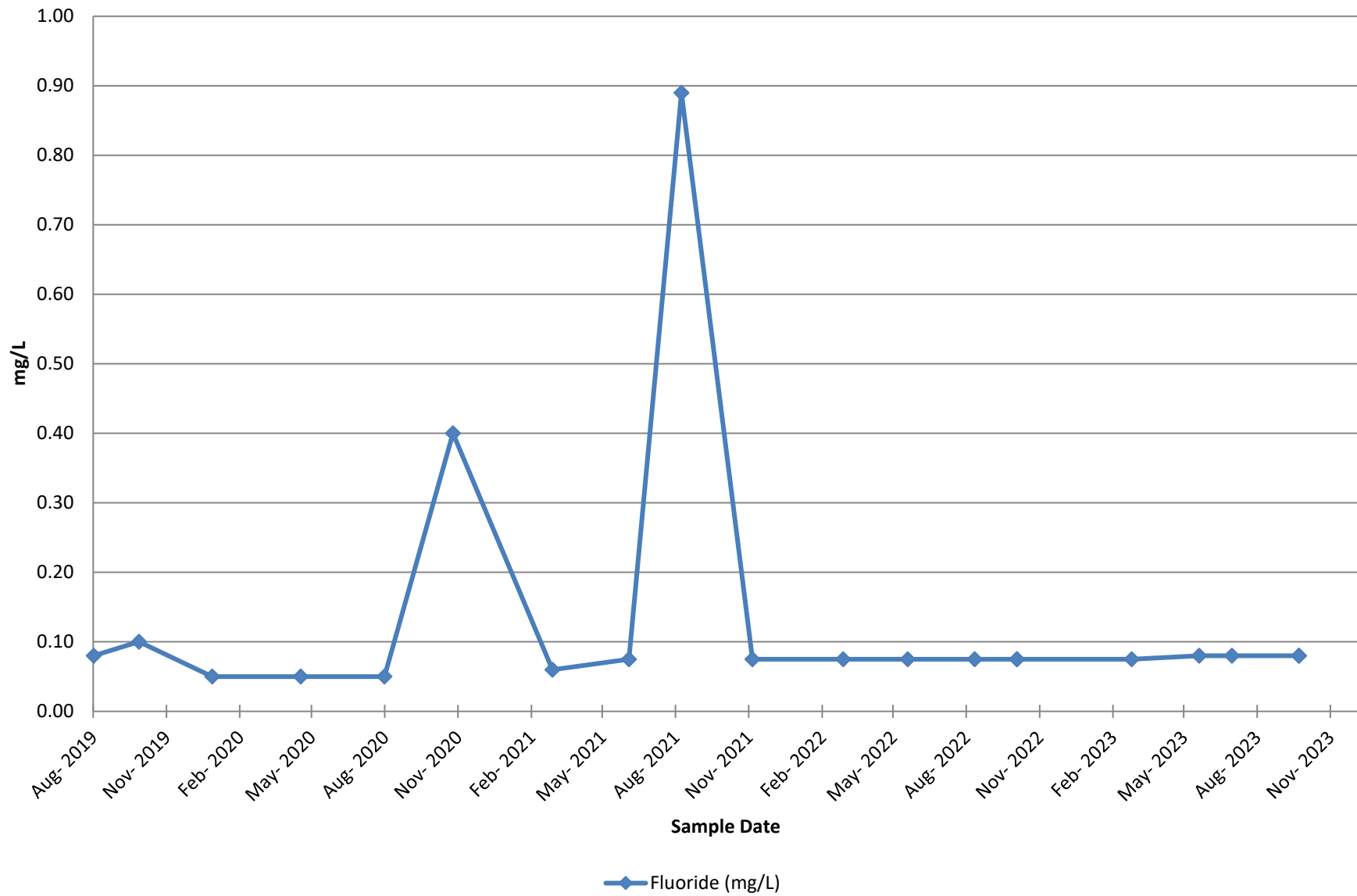


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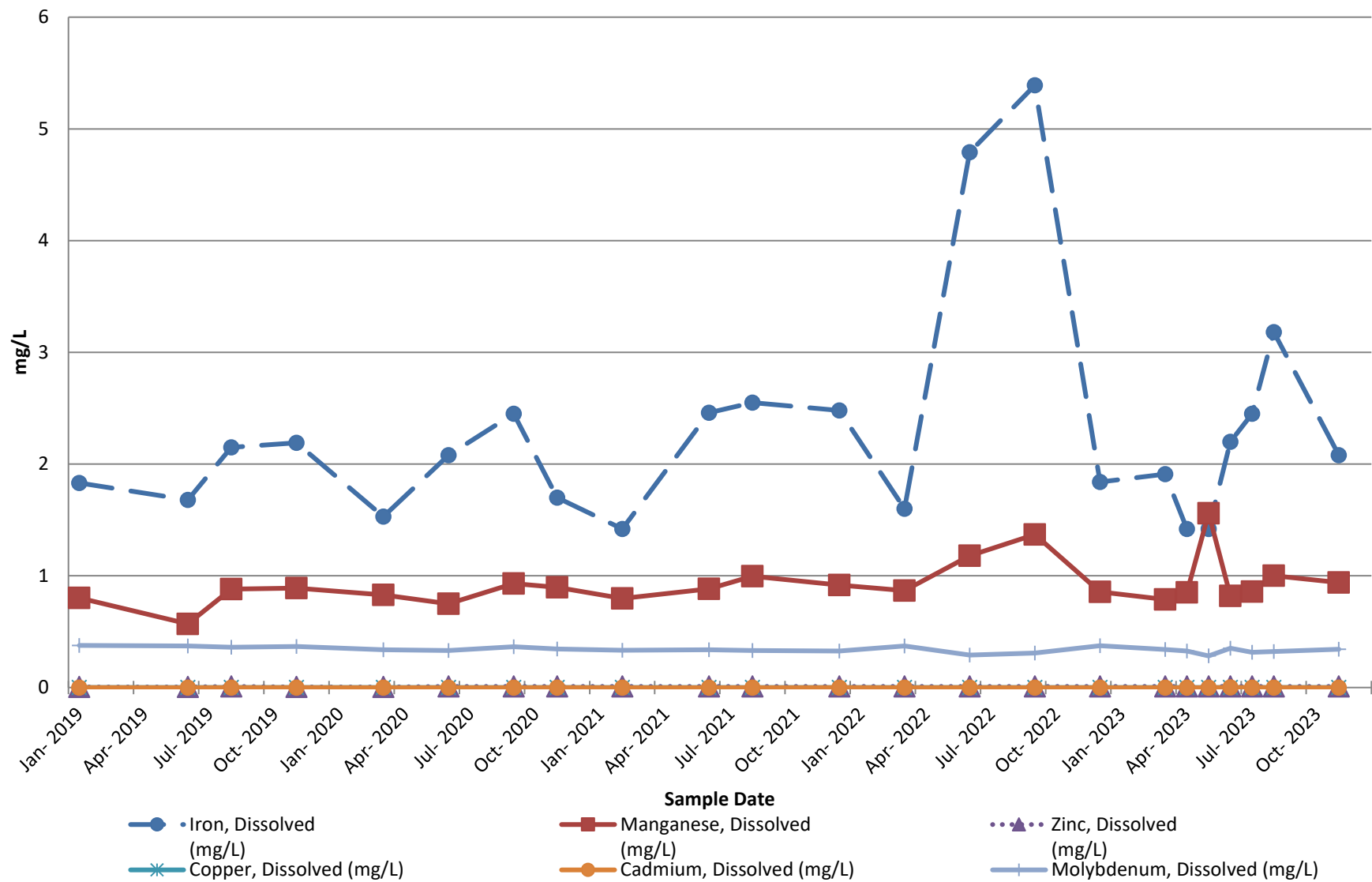


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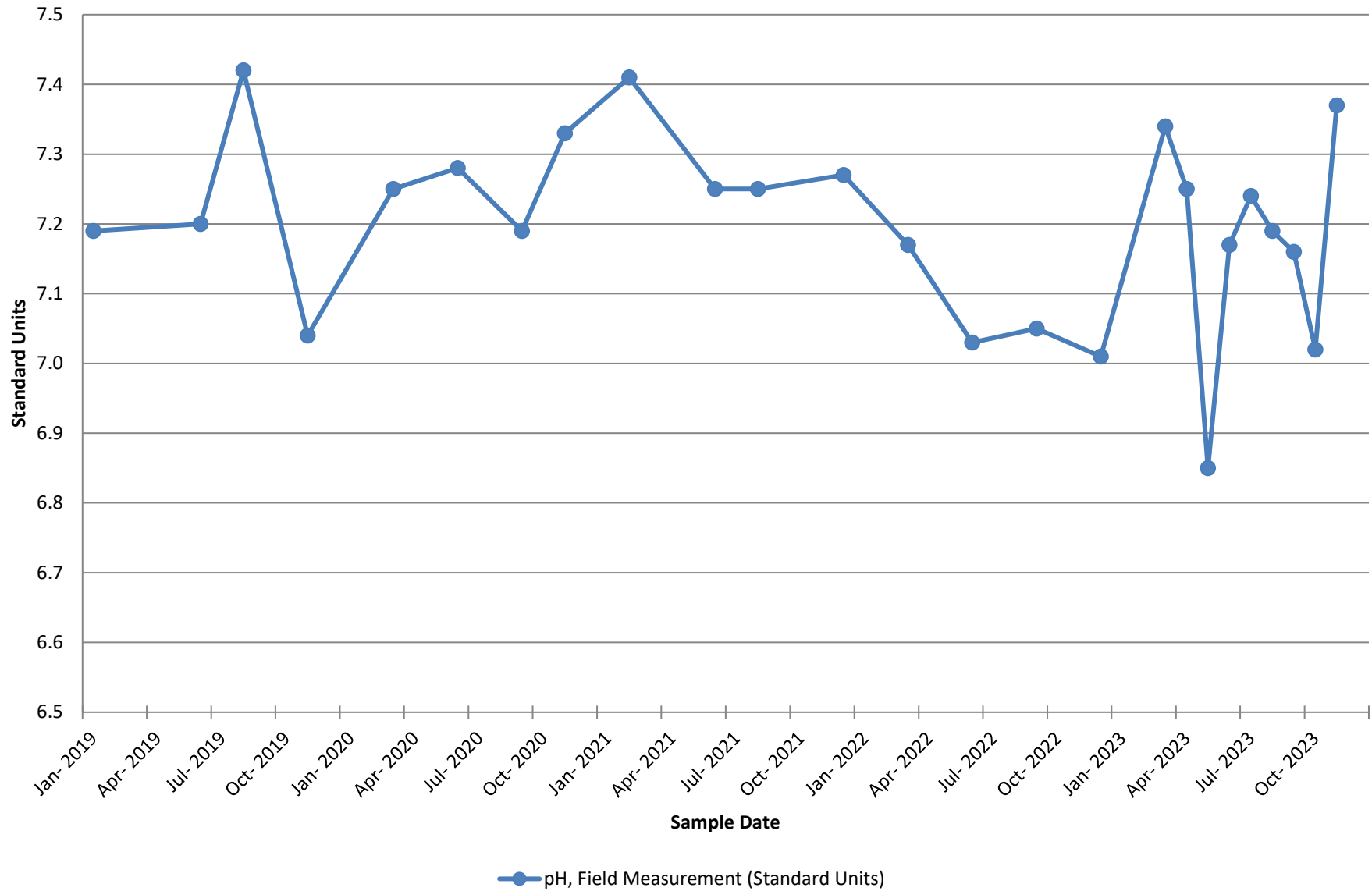


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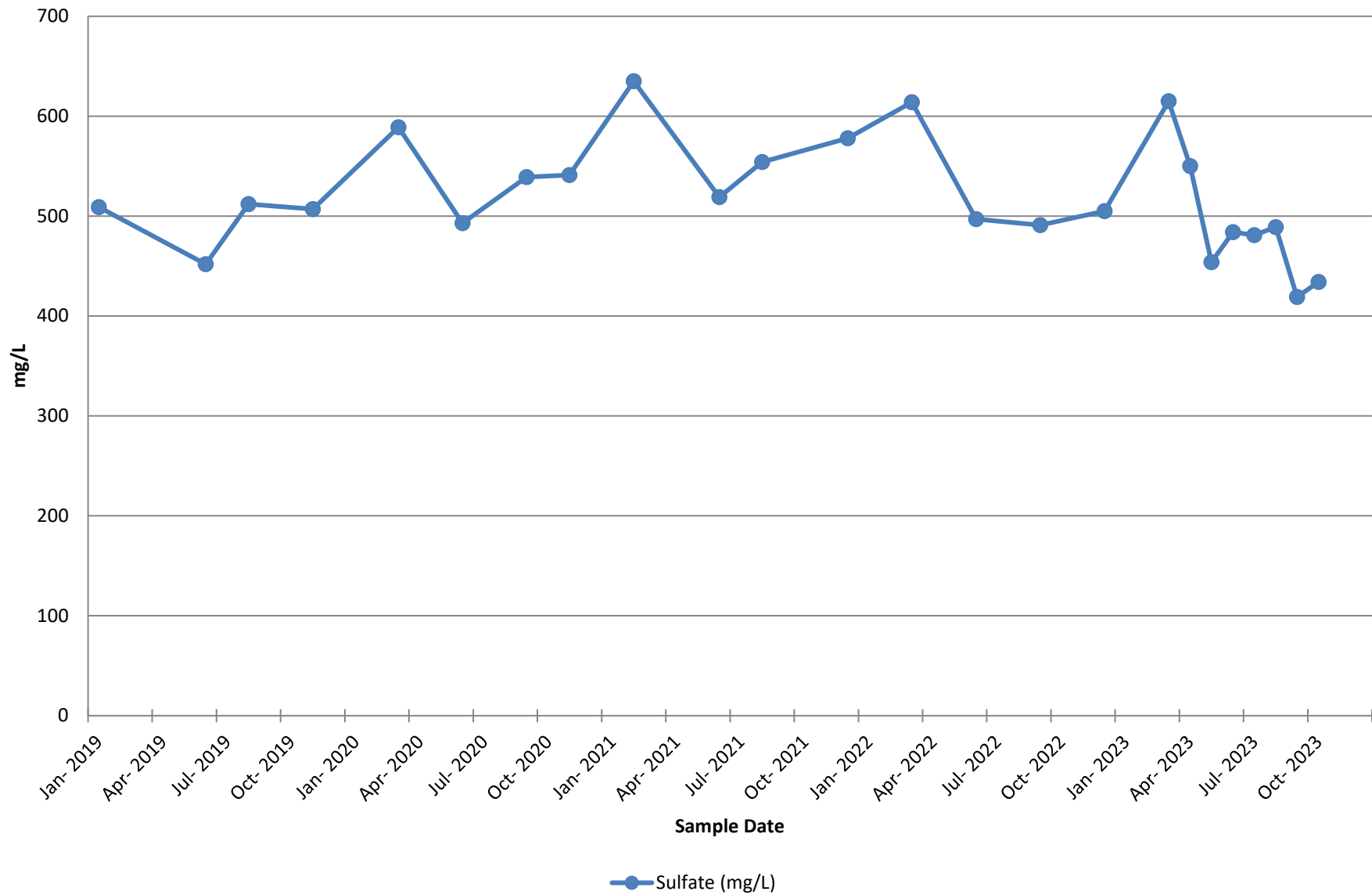


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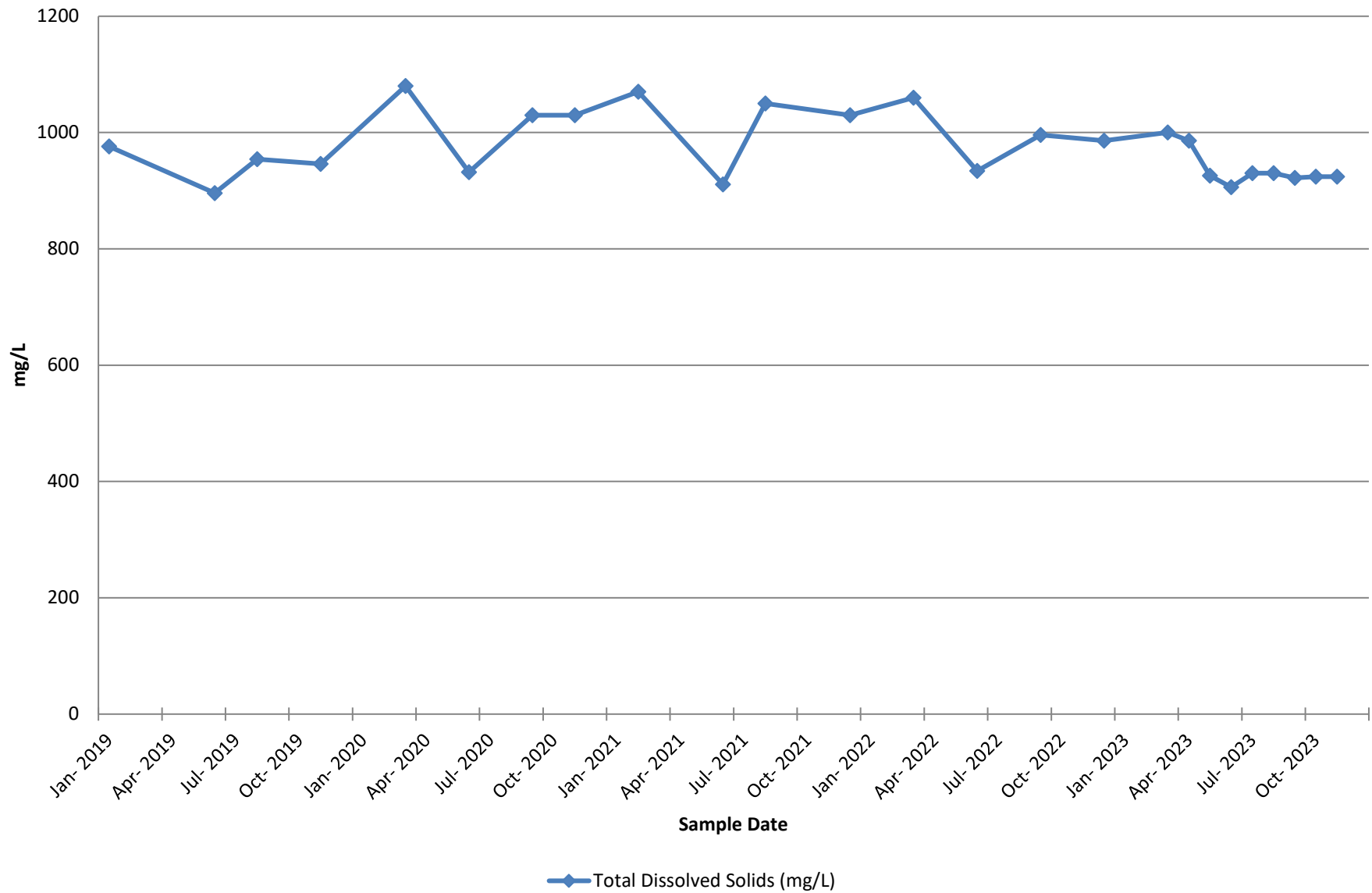


Chart 40
EVMW-1S: Fluoride
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