



B25070838_Schwartzwalder Mine

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Thank you for choosing Energy Laboratories Inc. for your analytical testing needs. Your final report for the samples received has been attached to this message. A hard copy will only be mailed if previously requested.

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Sincerely,

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B25070838-Revised Report-1.PDF

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ANALYTICAL SUMMARY REPORT

August 28, 2025

Linkan Engineering
2720 Ruby Vista Dr Ste 101
Elko, NV 89801-4943

Work Order: B25070838 Quote ID: B17287

Project Name: Schwartzwalder Mine

Energy Laboratories Inc Billings MT received the following 3 samples for Linkan Engineering on 7/10/2025 for analysis.

Lab ID	Client Sample ID	Collect Date	Receive Date	Matrix	Test
B25070838-001	Outfall 001A	07/04/25 13:30	07/10/25	Aqueous	Solids, Total Dissolved
B25070838-002	Outfall 001A	07/07/25 14:20	07/10/25	Aqueous	Same As Above
B25070838-003	Outfall 001A	07/09/25 14:15	07/10/25	Aqueous	Chemical Oxygen Demand Preparation for COD testing HACH 8000 Solids, Total Dissolved

The analyses presented in this report were performed by Energy Laboratories, Inc., 1120 So. 27th Street, Billings, MT 59101, unless otherwise noted. Any exceptions or problems with the analyses are noted in the report package. Any issues encountered during sample receipt are documented in the Work Order Receipt Checklist.

The results as reported relate only to the item(s) submitted for testing. This report shall be used or copied only in its entirety. Energy Laboratories, Inc. is not responsible for the consequences arising from the use of a partial report.

Energy Laboratories, Inc. verifies the reported results for the analysis has been technically reviewed and approved for release.

If you have any questions regarding these test results, please contact your Project Manager.



CLIENT: Linkan Engineering
Project: Schwartzwalder Mine
Work Order: B25070838

Revised Date: 08/28/25

Report Date: 07/16/25

CASE NARRATIVE

Revised Report 8/28/2025;

Due to a laboratory error, total dissolved solids were analyzed instead of total suspended solids as specified on the chain of custody. The error was found after the hold time for total suspended solids had expired.

We apologize for the error and the charge for the workorder will be removed.



LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Billings, MT Branch

Client: Linkan Engineering
Project: Schwartzwalder Mine
Lab ID: B25070838-001
Client Sample ID: Outfall 001A

Revised Date: 08/28/25
Report Date: 07/16/25
Collection Date: 07/04/25 13:30
Date Received: 07/10/25
Matrix: Aqueous

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES							
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	114	mg/L		20		A2540 C	07/10/25 16:45 / etv

Report Definitions: RL - Analyte Reporting Limit
QCL - Quality Control Limit

MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level
ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Billings, MT Branch

Client: Linkan Engineering
Project: Schwartzwalder Mine
Lab ID: B25070838-002
Client Sample ID: Outfall 001A

Revised Date: 08/28/25
Report Date: 07/16/25
Collection Date: 07/07/25 14:20
Date Received: 07/10/25
Matrix: Aqueous

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES							
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	112	mg/L		20		A2540 C	07/10/25 16:45 / etv

Report Definitions: RL - Analyte Reporting Limit
QCL - Quality Control Limit

MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level
ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORT

Prepared by Billings, MT Branch

Client: Linkan Engineering
Project: Schwartzwalder Mine
Lab ID: B25070838-003
Client Sample ID: Outfall 001A

Revised Date: 08/28/25
Report Date: 07/16/25
Collection Date: 07/09/25 14:15
Date Received: 07/10/25
Matrix: Aqueous

Analyses	Result	Units	Qualifiers	RL	MCL/ QCL	Method	Analysis Date / By
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES							
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	107	mg/L		20		A2540 C	07/10/25 16:45 / etv
AGGREGATE ORGANICS							
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)	ND	mg/L		5		E410.4	07/11/25 15:41 / fap

Report Definitions: RL - Analyte Reporting Limit
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ND - Not detected at the Reporting Limit (RL)



QA/QC Summary Report

Prepared by Billings, MT Branch

Revised Date: 08/28/25

Work Order: B25070838

Report Date: 07/16/25

Analyte	Count	Result	Units	RL	%REC	Low Limit	High Limit	RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Method: A2540 C								Batch: TDS20250710D		
Lab ID: MBLK_20250710-8	Method Blank					Run: Bal #30_250710F		07/10/25 16:44		
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	ND	mg/L	20							
Lab ID: LCS_20250710-5	Laboratory Control Sample					Run: Bal #30_250710F		07/10/25 16:44		
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	938	mg/L	25	94	90	110				
Lab ID: B25070837-001ADUP	Sample Duplicate					Run: Bal #30_250710F		07/10/25 16:45		
Solids, Total Dissolved TDS @ 180 C	4610	mg/L	250					1.3	10	

Qualifiers:

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QA/QC Summary Report

Prepared by Billings, MT Branch

Revised Date: 08/28/25

Work Order: B25070838

Report Date: 07/16/25

Analyte	Count	Result	Units	RL	%REC	Low Limit	High Limit	RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Method: E410.4										Analytical Run: SPEC3_250711A
Lab ID: CCV-201379										
Continuing Calibration Verification Standard										
07/11/25 15:41										
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)		47.0	mg/L	5.0	94	90	110			
Method: E410.4										Batch: 201379
Lab ID: MB-201379										
Method Blank										
Run: SPEC3_250711A										
07/11/25 15:41										
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)		ND	mg/L	3						
Lab ID: LCS-201379										
Laboratory Control Sample										
Run: SPEC3_250711A										
07/11/25 15:41										
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)		22.3	mg/L	5.0	91	90	110			
Lab ID: B25070819-001HMS										
Sample Matrix Spike										
Run: SPEC3_250711A										
07/11/25 15:41										
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)		29.0	mg/L	5.0	94	90	110			
Lab ID: B25070819-001HMSD										
Sample Matrix Spike Duplicate										
Run: SPEC3_250711A										
07/11/25 15:41										
Oxygen Demand, Chemical (COD)		29.3	mg/L	5.0	95	90	110	1.1	10	

Qualifiers:

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Laboratory Certifications and Accreditations

Current certificates are available at www.energylab.com website:

	Agency	Number
Billings, MT  	Alaska	17-023
	California	3087
	Colorado	MT00005
	Department of Defense (DoD)/ISO17025	ADE-2588
	Florida (Primary NELAP)	E87668
	Idaho	MT00005
	Louisiana	05079
	Montana	CERT0044
	Nebraska	NE-OS-13-04
	Nevada	NV-C24-00250
	North Dakota	R-007
	National Radon Proficiency	109383-RMP
	Oregon	4184
	South Dakota	ARSD 74:04:07
	Texas	TX-C24-00302
	US EPA Region VIII	Reciprocal
	USDA Soil Permit	P330-20-00170
	Washington	C1039
Casper, WY 	Alaska	20-006
	California	3021
	Colorado	WY00002
	Florida (Primary NELAP)	E87641
	Idaho	WY00002
	Louisiana	05083
	Montana	CERT0002
	Nebraska	NE-OS-08-04
	Nevada	NV-C24-00245
	North Dakota	R-125
	Oregon	WY200001
	South Dakota	WY00002
	Texas	T104704181-23-21
	US EPA Region VIII	WY00002
	USNRC License	49-26846-01
	Washington	C1012
Gillette, WY	US EPA Region VIII	WY00006
Helena, MT	Colorado	MT00945
	Montana	CERT0079
	Nevada	NV-C24-00119
	US EPA Region VIII	Reciprocal
	USDA Soil Permit	P330-20-00090



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Chain of Custody & Analytical Request Record

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Account Information (Billing information)

Company/Name Linkan	
Contact	Chris Prosper
Phone	775-777-8003
Mailing Address	2720 Ruby Vista Dr
City, State, Zip	Elko, NV 89801
Email	AP@linkan.com
Receive Invoice	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard Copy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email
Purchase Order	Quote H17287
25-0152	186627

Report Information (if different than Account Information)

Company/Name Linkan	
Contact	Alex Schwiebert
Phone	775-397-6779
Mailing Address	2720 Ruby Vista Dr
City, State, Zip	Elko, NV 89801
Email	see comments
Receive Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard Copy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email
Special Report/Format:	<input type="checkbox"/> LEVEL IV <input type="checkbox"/> NELAC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDD/EDT (contact laboratory) <input type="checkbox"/> Other

Comments

Outfall 001A - Weekly Sample

Please email Report and EDD results to:
chris.prosper@linkan.com
adam.bilin@linkan.com
alex.schwiebert@linkan.com
peter.hays@state.co.us

Project Information

Project Name, PWSID, Permit, etc. Schwartzwalder Mine

Sampler Name *Bryant Asano* Sampler Phone *720-238-6666*

Sample Origin *State of Colorado* EPA/State Compliance ☒ Yes ☐ No

UNRUMIN MINING CLIENTS MUST indicate sample type
☐ Unprocessed Ore
☐ Processed Ore (Ground or Refined) **CALL BEFORE SENDING
☐ 11(e)2 Byproduct Material (Can ONLY be Submitted to ELI Casper Location)

Matrix Codes

A - Air	W - Water
S - Solids	V - Vegetation
B - Bioassay	O - Oil
DW - Drinking Water	

Analysis Requested

Total Suspended Solids	
Chemical Oxygen Demand	

All turnaround times are standard unless marked as RUSH.
Energy Laboratories MUST be contacted prior to RUSH sample submittal for charges and scheduling - See Instructions Page

Sample Identification (Name, Location, Interval, etc.)	Collection Date	Time	Number of Containers	Matrix (See Codes Above)	See Attached	ELI LAB ID RUSH TAT
1 Outfall 001A	7/14/25	13:30	1	W	•	825670838
2 Outfall 001A	7/17/25	14:20	1	W	•	
3 Outfall 001A	7/19/25	14:20	2	W	•	
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ELI is REQUIRED to provide preservative traceability. If the preservatives supplied with the bottle order were NOT used, please attach your preservative information with this COC.

Custody Record MUST be signed	Relinquished by (print)	Date/Time	Signature	Received by (print)	Date/Time	Signature
	<i>Bryant Asano</i>	7/19/25	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>Elizbeth Asano</i>	7/19/25 11:15	<i>[Signature]</i>
Shipped By	Cooler ID(s)	Custody Seals	Intact	Receipt Temp °C	Temp Blank	On Ice
		Y N C B	Y N		Y N	Y N
					CC	Payment Type
					Cash	Check
					Amount	Receipt Number (cash/check only)
					\$	

In certain circumstances, samples submitted to Energy Laboratories, Inc. may be subcontracted to other certified laboratories in order to complete the analysis requested. This serves as notice of this possibility. All subcontracted data will be clearly notated on your analytical report.



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BOTTLE ORDER 186627



***** This is a recurring bottle order. If you have received this in error please contact your laboratory *****

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TO:



To report an issue with this order, view Safety Data Sheets, or let us know how we are doing, scan here or go to energylab.com/contact-us

Contact: Brendan Smith
400 Corporate Circle, Suite H
Golden CO 80401
Phone: (775) 389-5582
Project: Schwartzwalder Mine - Weekly

Order Created by: Yvonna E. Smith
Shipped From: Billings, MT
Ship Date: 9/3/2024
VIA: Ground
Quote Used: 17287

Bottle Size/Type	Bottles Per Samp	Method	Tests	Critical Hold Time	Preservative	Notes	Num of Samp
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Outfall 001A Weekly COD

500 mL Plastic	1	E410.4 HACH 8000	Chemical Oxygen Demand Preparation for COD testing HACH 8000		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> H2SO4		1
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Outfall 001A 3 Times Weekly TSS (3 Sets)

1 Liter Plastic Wide Mouth	1	A2540 D	Solids, Total Suspended			Fill to the neck of the container.	1
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Comments

☒ HNO3 - Nitric Acid ☒ H2SO4 - Sulfuric Acid ☒ NaOH - Sodium Hydroxide
☒ ZnAc - Zinc Acetate ☒ HCl - Hydrochloric Acid ☒ H3PO4 - Phosphoric Acid

We strongly suggest that the samples are shipped the same day as they are collected.

Material Safety Data Sheets(MSDS) Available @ EnergyLab.com -> Services -> MSDS Sheets

Corrosive Chemicals: Nitric, Sulfuric, Phosphoric, Hydrochloric Acids and Sodium Hydroxide. Zinc Acetate is a skin irritant.

Subcontracting of sample analyses to an outside laboratory may be required. If so, Energy Laboratories will utilize its branch laboratories or qualified contract laboratories for this service. Any such laboratories will be indicated within the Laboratory Analytical Report.

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