



## 6.0 Notes

- 6.1 The above concentration values and instrument conditions are for a Perkin-Elmer HGA- 2100, based on the use of a 20 uL injection, continuous flow purge gas and non-pyrolytic graphite. Smaller size furnace devices or those employing faster rates of atomization can be operated using lower atomization temperatures for shorter time periods than the above recommended settings.
- 6.2 Background correction may be required if the sample contains high dissolved solids.
- 6.3 Nitrogen may also be used as the purge gas.
- 6.4 For every sample matrix analyzed, verification is necessary to determine that method of standard addition is not required (see part 5.2.1 of the Atomic Absorption Methods section of this manual).
- 6.5 If method of standard addition is required, follow the procedure given earlier in part 8.5 of the Atomic Absorption Methods section of this manual.
- 6.6 Data to be entered into STORET must be reported as  $\mu\text{g/L}$ .

## 7.0 Precision and Accuracy

- 7.1 Precision and accuracy data are not available at this time.