



WP5: PFAS Analytical Methods

Kick-off and evaluation of tender offers

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Short introduction to WP5 – PFAS analysis

- Project plan - July 2020
- Financial support from Nordic Council of Ministers
 - Overall budget: 520 000 NOK (= 51 193 EUR)
 - Nordic Council (76%): 395 854 NOK (= 38 971 EUR)
- Consultant project
 - Collect and compile information on analytical methods for PFAS in such a way that the needs of a restriction proposal are covered



Deliverables from consultant project

- Report, Section 2.7 Practicality and monitorability (summary of annex text)
- Annex E, Section E.7 Practicality and Monitorability (i.e. parts that relate to analytical methods)
- An appendix to the Annex is foreseen with a summary of the most important methods for analysis of PFASs in relevant matrices, e.g. in a table format.
- In addition, a standalone report is to be prepared for publication, which may also act as an attachment to the restriction proposal.



Practicality and monitorability

- Practicality:
 - Implementability (necessary technology to comply)
 - Enforceability (efficient supervision mechanisms)
 - Manageability (understandable)
- Monitorability:
 - Monitor the results of the implementation
 - Monitoring proposal
- Indicative length of section:
 - PFHxA, PFHxS: ca. 2 pages
 - Microplastics: ca. 2.5 pages



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Preparations for kick-off with the consultant

Preparatory points



- Kick-off: week 17, 26-30 April?
- List of relevant literature and information (incl. relevant standardization bodies)
- Range of substances and the matrices to cover
- List of PFAS applications covered by the restriction, WP4 A..R (may be extended)
+ environmental samples
- Non-specific, targeted and non-target methods
- Search string for literature searches