



Grain size distribution determination by laser diffraction method

The grain size distribution determination by laser diffraction method capability is performed on an instrument which uses laser diffraction to determine the particle size distribution of solid materials. About 1 cm3 of wet sample is required to perform the analysis.

Preferential adsorption of radionuclides such as 137Cs and 210Pb to finer grain size can occur in sediment samples. For this reason, the grain size distribution of sediment samples for 210Pb dating should be investigated.

Capability selections

Grain Size Analysis

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