LDEQ Samples

Water, Sediment, Soil and Air Samples collected, analyzed and validated by LDEQ's Lab Services Division or contract labratories for Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

Water Samples

: SUMMARY TABLE (AS OF 8/13/06)

SAMPLE AREA	WATER SAMPLES (IN UNITS)
Katrina Samples	
Floodwater	40
Lake Pontchartrain	3,452
Mississippi R. Intakes	90
Groundwater	73
Remaining Samples*	434
Rita Water Samples	1,415
Total	5,504

* Samples taken in close proximity to New Orleans
Source: LDEQ Laboratory Services Division

Sediment Samples

: SUMMARY TABLE (AS OF 8/13/06)

SAMPLE TYPE	SAMPLES (IN UNITS)
Katrina Samples	
Sediment	58
Soil	33
Rita Sediment Samples	18
Total Soil & Sediment	109

Source: LDEQ Laboratory Services Division

LDEQ Air Samples

: SUMMARY TABLE (AS OF 8/13/06)

Katrina Air Samples	AIR SAMPLES (IN UNITS)
Total	153

Source: LDEQ Laboratory Services Division

USEPA Samples

Samples Collected

: SUMMARY TABLE (AS OF 8/13/06)

	WATER*	SEDIMENT	AIR SAMPLES
Total	654	2,265	8,625**

* WATER SAMPLES TOTALS INCLUDE EPA COLLECTED FLOODWATER, OUTFALL WATER, AND SURFACE WATER
** TOTAL AIR SAMPLES DENOTE INDIVIDUAL AIR SAMPLES TAKEN SINCE SEPTEMBER 30. THESE TOTALS REPRESENT INDIVIDUAL SAMPLES TAKEN AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS FOR PAHS, HG, ASBESTOS, METALS, VOCS, AND PARTICULATES

Source: US Environmental Protection Agency