Table 7 Result of ICP/MS screening analysis for white tattoo inks, µg/g

Element	DL	Colour no.				
		White	White	White	White	White
		4	14	22	46	59
Li	0.04	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.12
B	1	3.7	<DL	<DL	1.7	<DL
Na	1	650	78	110	110	430
Mg	0.1	8.2	8.6	9.2	9.5	310
Al	0.2	6800	5200	7800	11000	9000
Si	0.4	100	30	100	33	21
P	0.2	710	1.5	<DL	<DL	2.0
K	1	240	11	14	12	21
Ca	1	48	53	48	62	280
Sc	0.01	0.058	0.22	0.22	0.37	0.54
Ti	0.02	960	130	140	460	330
V	0.1	1.3	0.50	0.46	0.66	0.82
Cr	0.04	0.25	0.17	0.13	0.24	0.71
Mn	0.01	0.16	0.37	0.36	1.5	2.3
Fe	1	9.3	3.6	3.8	3.7	51
Co	0.01	<DL	0.011	<DL	0.019	0.04
Ni	0.02	0.83	1.5	1.5	3.8	1.9
Cu	0.02	1.3	12	0.27	6.3	0.52
Zn	0.2	6.4	1.7	1.9	3.0	3.0
Ga	0.01	1.04	0.61	0.71	0.99	1.1
As	0.04	0.24	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.17
Se	0.04	0.26	0.035	0.044	0.053	0.50
Rb	0.01	0.043	0.015	0.018	0.024	0.20
Sr	0.01	0.35	0.39	0.32	0.43	0.80
Y	0.01	0.26	0.026	0.023	0.034	0.12
Zr	0.01	20	1700	1300	2800	2300
Nb	0.01	0.80	0.012	0.011	0.02	0.025
Mo	0.01	<DL	0.012	<DL	0.015	0.015
Pd	0.01	0.19	0.017	10	21	17
Ag	0.01	0.019	0.29	0.21	0.51	0.40
Cd	0.01	<DL	0.095	0.019	0.028	0.072
Sn	0.04	<DL	0.036	<DL	<DL	<DL
Cs	0.01	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.013
Ba	0.01	1.3	0.78	0.52	0.53	1.0
La	0.01	0.023	0.012	0.017	0.022	0.089
Ce	0.01	0.034	0.019	0.025	0.029	0.16
Pr	0.01	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.022
Nd	0.01	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.012	0.088
Sm	0.01	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.016
Gd	0.01	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.016
Dy	0.01	0.020	<DL	<DL	<DL	0.015

Element	DL	Colour no.				
		White	White	White	White	White
		4	14	22	46	59
Er	0.01	0.026	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL
Yb	0.01	0.041	<DL	<DL	<DL	<DL
Hf	0.01	0.28	21	17	28	38
Ta	0.01	0.044	<DL	0.012	<DL	<DL
Pt	0.01	<DL	0.21	0.16	0.30	0.25
Au	0.01	<DL	0.032	0.022	0.045	0.035
Pb	0.01	10	0.054	0.049	0.087	0.099
Th	0.01	0.24	0.013	0.022	0.030	0.21

Be, Ru, In, Sb, Te, Eu, Tb, Ho, Tm, Lu, W, Os, Ir, Hg, Tl, Bi and U were not demonstrated in the white tattoo inks.

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