NEON water chemistry

UV absorbance protocol

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- 1. Turn plate reader on (switch is in back just above cable).
- 2. Log in.)
- 3. Open software (iControl) and click on instrument name, 'OK'.
- 4. Open method:
 - a. File→open→my docs→Guy→neon uv
- 5. Using low UV plate, add 200ul of NEON water blank to an unused well, and 200ul of sample to an adjacent, unused well.
- 6. Open the plate reader tray, put plate on, and close.
- 7. On screen, drag over wells to be read. When asked if you want to save changes to method, click "Yes".
- 8. Click start.
- 9. The output will appear in an Excel file. Rename the wells as either blank or NEON sample name.
- 10. Open neon uv scan method, and repeat. The output will appear as a separate worksheet in the output Excel file.
- 11. Save file as the DATE in Guy→Neon water
- 12. Open plate tray, remove plate, and pipette water out.
- 13. Mark read wells on plastic bag containing plate.
- 14. Turn plate reader off.
- 15. Fill out log book.