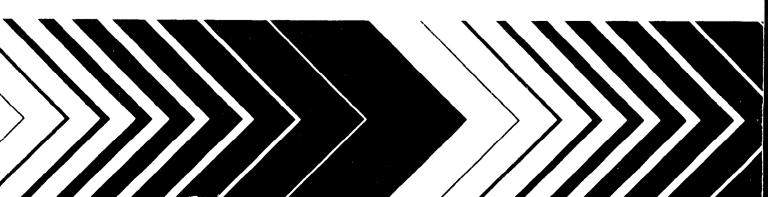
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#### **FOREWORD**

As environmental controls become more costly to implement and the penalties of judgment errors become more severe, environmental quality management requires more efficient management tools based on greater knowledge of the environmental phenomena to be managed. As part of this Laboratory's research on the occurrence, movement, transformation, impact, and control of environmental contaminants, the Technology Development and Applications Branch develops management and engineering tools to help pollution control officials achieve water quality goals through watershed management.

Many toxic contaminants are persistent and undergo complex interactions in the environment. As an aid to environmental decision-makers, the modeling technique described in this report was developed to simulate overland and instream transport of toxic contaminants and to predict the probability of acute and chronic impacts on aquatic biota.

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#### **ABSTRACT**

To provide planners and decision makers in government and industry with a sound basis for environmental decision making, the Chemical Migration and Risk Assessment (CMRA) Methodology was developed to predict the occurrence and duration of pesticide concentrations in surface waters receiving runoff from agricultural lands and to assess potential acute and chronic damages to aquatic biota. The CMRA methodology consists of overland pesticide transport modeling, instream pesticide transport modeling, statistical analysis of instream pesticide concentrations, and risk assessment.

The CMRA Methodology uses two state-of-the-art overland and instream models, ARM and SERATRA, to continuously simulate nonpoint source pollution processes. It is useful for evaluating both short- and long-term migration and fate of both dissolved and particulate pesticides. The risk assessment procedure, coupled with statistical analysis of predicted pesticide concentrations by the computer program FRANCO and pesticide toxicity data, provides a good scientific basis for pesticide risk assessment. Because of a lack of extensive knowledge on pesticide toxicity, however, the risk assessment procedure includes only the direct effects of dissolved pesticide concentrations on aquatic biota. The risk assessment does not include ingestion effects or any indirect effects such as bioconcentration or biomagnification. In addition to pesticides, the methodology is general enough to handle heavy metals, radionuclides, and other toxic contaminants.

To examine its applicability and limitations, the CMRA Methodology was applied to the Four Mile Creek Watershed (Iowa), including Four Mile Creek and Wolf Creek, to evaluate migration and fate of the pesticide alachlor, and its potential acute and chronic impacts on different fish species. A risk assessment was also performed for the pesticide toxaphene. The study demonstrated that the CMRA Methodology is capable of predicting fate and effects of pesticides for a wide range of compounds, agricultural lands, receiving streams, and aquatic biota. The methodology needs additional testing, however, to confirm its validity. One of the shortcomings of the methodology is that it requires extensive field and laboratory data and that it may be limited by the availability of required data.

Aside form its direct use by government and industry to assess the impacts of pesticide practices, this methodology will also provide researchers with a way to evaluate the relative importance of various mechanisms that control transport and fate phenomena occurring on watersheds and in receiving streams, as well as a way to investigate the effectiveness of alternative land management and pesticide control policies.

After development of the CMRA Methodology, the feasibility of fitting overland and instream pesticide concentrations with statistical distributions was examined. This task was conducted to determine whether a simpler pesticide assessment methodology that relied only on the statistical characterization of precipitation, watershed, and various receiving water body characteristics could be developed to replace the more detailed CMRA Methodology. Computer results of the Four Mile Watershed case obtained by the CMRA Methodology were used for this analysis. Study results indicate that dissolved pesticide concentrations both at stream-edge and instreams can be expressed best by a log-normal distribution among gamma, normal, and log-normal distributions. To develop a statistical relationship among all parameters describing the characteristics of precipitation, watersheds, streams, and pesticides, the computational time required for a large number of simulations may become excessive, however.

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#### SECTION 1

#### INTRODUCTION

Pesticides have long been recognized to cause a serious nonpoint source pollution problem. The use of chemicals to control pests on agricultural lands has increased dramatically in the last three decades and is still rising. Between 1966 and 1976, pesticide production increased from 450,000 tons to 640,000 tons. More than half of these pesticides were used by agriculture (EPA, 1972).

Many of these pesticides are highly toxic to fish and other aquatic biota. Four major factors are responsible for the detrimental environmental effects which may result from the use of pesticides: 1) some of them are very persistent, so that even very low levels of these pesticides in agricultural runoff may be of environmental concern; 2) they may be both acutely and chronically toxic to fish; 3) pesticides are sometimes widely and indiscriminantly used more as a preventative measure than as a cure in controlling pests; and 4) some pesticides are found to bioconcentrate in aquatic organisms resulting in a potential danger to man through the food chain.

In order to assess the impacts caused by both direct and indirect activities of man, technically sound methodologies are required to predict water quality degradation. Currently, there are no comprehensive methodologies which can be used to evaluate the aquatic impacts which may result from the application of pesticides. Consequently, a definite need exists for the development of such a methodology. To meet this need, this study was conducted to achieve the following objectives:

- Develop a methodology to predict the occurrence and duration of pesticide concentrations in surface waters receiving runoff from agricultural lands, and
- 2) Develop a preliminary risk assessment procedure to predict the potential damage to aquatic biota.

In addition to the development of this methodology, the feasilibity of fitting overland and instream pesticide concentrations with statistical distributions was examined. This task was conducted to determine if a simpler statistically based pesticide assessment methodology could be developed to replace the more detailed computer model based methodology.

In this report, Section 2 discusses overall conclusions and recommendations of this study, including the applicability and limitations of the

methodology, study results on the feasibility of the simplified statistical methodology, and suggested future studies. Section 3 describes how pesticides applied to agricultural lands behave on watersheds and in receiving streams. This section also briefly discusses physical and chemical characteristics of pesticides. The pesticide assessment methodology is described in detail in Section 4. The methodology was applied to the Four Mile Creek Watershed and to Four Mile and Wolf Creeks in Iowa to demonstrate its feasibility and limitations. Results of this application are discussed in Section 5. An evaluation of the methodology in light of the methodology application is presented in Section 6. Section 7 describes study results on the feasibility of the simplified statistical methodology.

This report also contains the following three appendices: 1) Appendix A, describing the step by step application procedure of the methodology; 2) Appendix B, presenting a grouping of pesticides and their physical, chemical, and toxicological characteristics, and 3) Appendix C, indicating distribution coefficients, Kd, of various pesticides.

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#### SECTION 2

#### CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

#### CONCLUS IONS

The Chemical Migration and Risk Assessment (CMRA) methodology was developed for this project and applied to the Four Mile and Wolf Creek area in Iowa to examine its applicability and limitations. The following conclusions were obtained from this study:

- 1) Application of the CMRA Methodology to the Four Mile Creek watershed and Four Mile and Wolf Creeks in lowa demonstrates that it is capable of predicting migration and fate of pesticides from agricultural lands and in receiving streams and of assessing pesticide impact on aquatic biota. However, because of the lack of data, the methodology was not fully verified.
- 2) More specifically, since the methodology uses the state-of-the-art overland and instream models, the Agricultural Runoff Management (ARM) model (Donigien and Crawford 1976), SERATRA (Onishi et al. 1979b) and EXPLORE-I (Baca et al. 1973) to continuously simulate nonpoint source pollution processes of both dissolved and particulate contaminants, it is useful for evaluating both short- and long-term migration and fate of pesticides.
- 3) Hence the CMRA Methodology can be used as:
  - a scientific decision making tool for regulation of toxic contaminants including pesticides and toxic substances.
  - b) a research tool to estimate relative significance of various transport and degradation phenomena.
  - c) a tool to evaluate the effectiveness of various management practices to control toxic chemicals in the environment, and
  - d) a means of identifying amounts of gaps and future needs in the risk assessment of contaminants.
- 4) The CMRA Methodology can be applied to large river basins by segmenting the drainage area into smaller catchments whose sizes are limited by ARM's applicability.
- 5) The methodology is applicable to nontidal rivers, streams and narrow impoundments. However, because of the limitations of EXPLORE-I, which was used to provide hydrodynamic data to the instream sediment

contaminant transport model, SERATRA, the methodology has limited applicability to very small streams. This limitation may be eliminated by replacing EXPLORE-I with another appropriate hydrodynamic model.

- 6) The risk assessment procedure, coupled with the statistical analysis of instream pesticide concentrations by a computer program FRANCO and pesticide toxicity data provides a good scientific basis for the pesticide risk assessment. However, due to a lack of extensive knowledge on pesticide toxicity, the risk assessment procedure includes only direct effects of dissolved pesticide concentrations on aquatic biota.
- 7) Since the CMRA Methodology requires rather extensive field and laboratory data, applicability and accuracy of the methodology could be impaired by the availability of required data.
- 8) The CMRA Methodology is general enough to be applicable to not only pesticides, but to other hazardous substances and toxic chemicals, as well.
- 9) Both dissolved and particulate pesticide concentrations at the streamedge and instream were found to be best expressed by log-normal distributions. However, because of the complexity of migration and fate of pesticides on land surface and in stream, the preliminary feasibility study concludes that the development of the simplified statistical methodology requires an excessive amount of computational time to cover a wide range of variables involved in order to derive general statistical functional relationships among them. Feasibility of the simplified statistical methodology requires further careful examination.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

Examination of the applicability and limitations of the CMRA Methodology leads to the following recommendations:

1) While the capabilities of the CMRA Methodology were partially tested using the Four Mile Creek Watershed data, more comprehensive data are required to fully evaluate all aspects of the methodology.

More specific recommendations related to each component of the CMRA Methodology are presented below:

- 2) The following three considerations are recommended to extend the overland model, ARM:
  - a) Modification of ARM will be needed to include the effects of tillage operations on runoff volumes and peaks.

- b) Coupling of the ARM and SERATRA models can be improved by modifying ARM to simulate the erosion of different sediment size fractions and by partitioning of the pesticide to each sediment size fraction.
- c) Reduction of the data requirements for the overland pesticide modeling component can be achieved by determining how model coefficients obtained during the calibration of ARM on a small catchment change when the model is applied to larger size catchments.
- 3) Additional improvement and extension of the instream transport modeling can be achieved by conducting the following:
  - a) SERATRA should be extended to include hydrodynamic modeling (this will eliminate the use of a separate hydrodynamic code and thus delete the process of transferring hydrodynamic information from EXPLORE-I or other hydrodynamic codes to SERATRA).
  - b) Although EXPLORE-I was used for this methodology to supply hydrodynamic information to SERATRA, othr hydrodynamic models can be used to simulate water movements in rivers. If other hydrodynamic models are selected, the compatibility of the hydrodynamic models and SERATRA needs careful attention.
  - c) TODAM, a simplified one-dimensional version of SERATRA is recommended to be used for cases where vertical distributions of pesticides are not needed.
  - d) It is recommended that this methodology be extended to estuaries and coastal areas where SERATRA is not suited. This can be achieved by replacing current EXPLORE-I/SERATRA models by other models suitable to these environments (Onishi and Wise 1978).
  - e) More detailed and basic field and laboratory studies should be conducted to investigate cohesive sediment transport, pesticide adsorption/desorption mechanisms and chemical and biological degradation of pesticides.
- 4) Additional studies must be performed to assess pesticide toxicity and migration pathways. Specifically:
  - a) The effects of low-level intermittent pesticide concentrations on resistance building or cumulative adverse reactions of the organism should be examined.
  - b) It is recommended that actual field testing results be correlated with laboratory bioassays.

- c) The relationship between toxic effects of dissolved pesticide uptake and the effects arising from ingestion of particulate pesticides should be determined.
- d) A more meaningful representation needs to be established regarding the likelihood of adverse effects from concentrations between the LC50 (a median lethal concentration) curve and the MATC (Maximum Acceptable Toxicant Concentration) range. An indicator such as an LC20 would provide more definition to the area greater than the MATC and less than the LC50 curve.
- e) Where a high potential for food chain biomagnification exists, it must be identified and be included in the interpretation of risk assessment results.
- 5) MATC studies and more complete toxicity testing should continue. Future pesticide registration should require fish bioassay data on an extended time interval such as 120 or 168 hours for slower-acting, cumulative, or persistent chemicals.
- 6) An accessible compendium of up-to-date time-LC50 response data should be available as support for future risk analyses.

#### SECTION 3

#### GENERAL REMARKS ON PESTICIDES

Pesticides are used to kill or inhibit the growth of certain undesirable organisms inhabiting a particular region. They may be classified into various categories such as insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, nematicides, and rodenticides, based on a target life form. Each pesticide has different physical, chemical, and biological properties, depending on its chemical structure. Often, compounds of similar structure will behave in a similar manner, thus allowing for the organization of pesticides into general chemical family groups as described in Appendix B. Some of these groups are the organochlorines, organophosphates, carbamates, phenylamides, phenoxyalkanoates, and triazines. Agricultural usage accounts for about one-half of the total pesticide consumption annually. Other major uses include pest control in parks, golf courses and other recreation areas, along highways, utility lines and rivers, and in home lawns and gardens. The focus of this report is limited to pesticides applied to agricultural lands.

Pesticide sprays and dusts are seldom pure formulations of the active chemical compound. Usually a wetting agent, emulsifier, or filler is present. The low water solubility of many pesticides requires some additive to facilitate application. Toxicity of a pesticide may change because of the differences in chemical properties of the additive and the bond of the pure compound with the filler. In some cases an additive may prove more toxic to a species than the active ingredient itself.

Most pesticides are aerially applied by spraying or dusting a target area. Some of the pesticide remains in the atmosphere or is deposited outside the target area during the spraying operation due to pesticide volatility, gaseous drift, and deposition. Deposition of a pesticide outside the target area by rain or particle settling may result in contamination of water sources and increased risk to nontarget species.

After a pesticide has been deposited on the ground, it may be lost to the atmosphere by wind erosion of soil which has adsorbed the pesticide and by vaporization or codistillation of certain pesticides from moist surfaces. The rate of vaporization at the soil-air interface depends on the concentration and properties of the pesticide as well as soil moisture, soil clay and organic content, soil temperature, temperature and relative humidity of the air at the soil level, and the wind speed over soil surfaces.

Pesticides applied to a field exist in either dissolved or particulate form associated with soil particles. Heavy rainfall shortly after pesticide application may result in runoff and soil erosion which physically removes the dissolved and particulate pesticide from the target area. Light intensity rainfall promotes the leaching of nonsorbed pesticides into the soil profile and may dilute the remaining concentration beyond its effective level. It may be possible for the pesticide to enter ground water if the soil texture is very loose and precipitation is sufficient, particularly where the water table is near the ground. However, most pesticide enters into a waterway as a result of surface runoff.

The migration of a pesticide is influenced by the amount and intensity of precipitation or irrigation, temperature and other climatic conditions, pesticide solubility, soil clay and organic content, soil particle size distribution, adsorptive qualities of the pesticide, and watershed characteristics.

The leachability of a pesticide is determined by the soil texture and cation exchange capacity, amount of organic content, amount and intensity of rainfall or irrigation, the mechanical placement of the pesticide, and the adsorptive properties of the pesticide. Insecticides may enter the soil by direct application or by washing off plants. Herbicides are often incorporated into the top few inches of soil for proper performance. Adsorption onto clays and organic materials in the soil may inactivate pesticide movement and render the individual molecules unavailable for solubilization or for plant uptake.

Common ways to express the adsorption/desorption mechanism of pesticide with soil are to use the Freundlich adsorption/desorption isotherm or the distribution coefficient, Kd. The Kd value is the ratio of the amount of the adsorbed pesticide to the unadsorbed dissolved portion. An in-depth discussion of distribution coefficient along with estimated values of Kd for various pesticides in water bodies may be found in Appendix C.

The length of time a pesticide remains effective depends on its persistence. Overall persistence of a pesticide in soil or water is dependent on physical removal as well as biological, chemical, and photochemical degradation. In many cases, a more toxic but less persistent chemical has less environmental impact than a less toxic but more persistent one. For this reason many of the very persistent chemical pesticides are now banned.

Degradation occurs when the complexity of the chemical complex is reduced by splitting the molecule in some way. Primary degradation is the minimum change necessary to alter the chemical's structural identity. Acceptable degradation is the minimum change necessary to remove some undesirable property such as toxicity. Ultimate degradation is the complete breakdown of the organic molecule to water, carbon dioxide, and inorganic elements such as nitrogen and chloride. Biodegradation and in some cases, burning, are probably the only naturally occurring processes capable of ultimate degradation.

Usually the initial degradation step will detoxify a toxic compound. Occasionally the degradation products will also be toxic and could be more deadly than the original formulation such as in the case of aldrin whose degradation product is dieldrin. Toxicological synergism of a compound with its degraded product has been found with malathion and its breakdown product, diethylfumate. Further research may reveal other examples where an increase in toxic effects is related to such synergism.

The pesticide degradation rate in soil depends on soil temperature, moisture, strength of binding by soil surfaces, soil type, meteorological conditions, cover crops, soil cultivation, soil microorganisms, method of application, and pesticide formulation. Oxidation, hydrolysis, and microbial enzyme action are the most common methods of degradation. Photodegradation, the chemical breakdown caused by light, may occur where pesticides have been applied to a moist soil surface for an extended period of time without rainfall. A chemical that breaks down rapidly in moist soils could be very persistent in dry soils. Sometimes persistence is listed in terms of the effective half-life of the compound as a relative indicator of chemical persistence. However, as with other persistence values, the half-life is an estimate based on a particular set of soil and climatic conditions. Persistence may be changed by the amount of pesticide applied and the type of formulation additive.

The rate of biological degradation is dependent on environmental factors and the availability of microorganisms whose enzymatic systems can break down the pesticide molecular structure. For this to be initiated, the compound must reach the microorganism or sometimes, more specifically, the enzyme site, and it must not be lethal to the organism. The organism must have the enzyme system present or be able to induce one necessary for chemical degradation. Without the proper enzymes, the water soluable compounds will probably be excreted, and the insoluable compounds may be stored.

A pesticide entering a waterway arrives either in the dissolved form or particulate form (those adsorbed by sediment) during runoff. What happens to it after that point depends on stream conditions and chemical characteristics. Some pesticides are very soluble and will stay dissolved in the water. Others will remain in suspension or be deposited to the river bottom after being adsorbed by sediment.

Persistence of a pesticide in the surface water depends on its rate of degradation and its rate of removal from the stream. A compound in the water may be broken down by hydrolysis, oxidation, photolysis, or microbial degradation. Persistence is usually greater in static water than in active flowing streams and is influenced by salinity, pH, dissolved oxygen, and amount of organic material present. Pesticide concentration is reduced by flushing downstream, volatilization into the atmosphere, adsorption onto the bank soil and bottom sediment, and plant and animal uptake. Reduction in pesticide concentration by sorption and uptake may be temporary. The scouring velocity of flowing streams may resuspend the sediment, and concentration changes in the dissolved pesticide fraction may favor desorption from suspended or bottom sediment.

Residues in plants and animals may also be recycled back into the stream or transferred to predatory organisms. If the pesticide degrades quickly to a nontoxic species, its metabolites should pose little environmental impact.

The existence of a pesticide in a stream may have a measurable effect on local fish and other organisms. Toxicity may be direct in the form of lethal or sublethal responses. Indirect effects may be exhibited through biomagnification of pesticides through the food chain.

Parameters affecting a pesticide's toxicity to a given species include temperature, turbidity, pH, dissolved oxygen, its concentration, and chemical loading of the streams. These may act synergistically or antagonistically. The chemical properties of the pesticide themselves are of utmost importance as they dictate reaction trends with the various water quality factors. Most of these reactions increase or decrease the fraction of dissolved pesticides to the adsorbed, inactivated fraction. For example, most pesticides are more soluble at higher temperatures. If raising the temperature promotes a greater concentration in the dissolved phase, and thus a higher concentration in contact with fish, toxic effects would be expected to increase. Changes in pH may have a similar effect by changing the relative pesticide-sediment and pesticide-water affinities. The electrolytic loading of a stream will tend to reduce the amount of pesticides that can dissolve in river water. Any reduction in the amount of dissolved oxygen in the water may hamper the organism's efficiency for oxygen uptake and decrease its ability to tolerate other undesirable effects. Suspended solids can cause abrasion to or clogging of the gills, possibly impairing respiration. The dependence of the effect of each of these factors can be somewhat generalized but is actually unique to each pesticide (Guenzi 1974).

Biological aspects also influence pesticide toxicity. The life stage of an organism is a crucial component as pesticides may be harmless to adult members but lethal to embryo and fry. This lethality is due particularly to the method of intake and the metabolic process affected. Metabolic differences between fish strains of the same species may exhibit variability in toxicity as will comparisons of resistant and nonresistant species.

Partially because of the lack of toxicological knowledge of particulate pesticides on aquatic biota, the dissolved pesticide fraction is usually regarded as the main source of toxicant exposure. It enters the organism by crossing membranes of aquatic biota. The effect of the pesticide will depend on its concentration, duration in the water, and its particular toxic properties. Food sources may contribute to ingested pesticide exposure.

Some organisms can adapt to reduce toxic effects. Mobile species may sense the presence of a chemical and seek to avoid it. Others escape harmful effects through genetic resistance. These latter organisms, however, can be particularly hazardous to predator species if the pesticide they

resist bioconcentrates to a high degree. Predators may receive a lethal dose from a high concentration in the prey.

As discussed above, the pesticide released to environment undergo complex interactions and it is very difficult to assess its impact on aquatic biota. Mathematical models can be used to integrate many of these complex mechanisms controlling transport and fate of toxic chemicals in the environment into a single framework so that chemical migration, fate, and potential risks can be more accurately evaluated. Hence, the Chemical Migration and Risk Assessment (CMRA) methodology was developed to provide planners and decision makers in government and industry with a sound basis for evaluating the effects of chemical production, use, and disposal.

#### SECTION 4

#### CHEMICAL MIGRATION AND RISK ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY

In this section the Chemical Migration and Risk Assessment (CMRA) Methodology for determination of migration and fate of pesticide and for risk analysis will be discussed. Subsection 4.1 presents an overview of the pesticide risk assessment and its components. In Subsection 4.2, each component of the methodology will be discussed in depth. Step by step instructions to use the methodology are presented in Appendix A.

#### 4.1 GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE CMRA METHODOLOGY

The CMRA methodology consists of 1) overland pesticide modeling, 2) instream pesticide modeling, 3) statistical analysis of instream pesticide modeling results, and 4) risk assessment procedure.

Figure 1 provides an overview of the CMRA methodology developed under this study. As shown in this figure, meteorological data, information on pesticide application rates and practices and watershed characteristics are input to the overland pesticide transport model, ARM, to predict runoff, edge-of-stream sediment and pesticide loadings. Using these overland simulation results, hydrodynamic (EXPLORE-I) and sediment-contaminant transport (SERATRA) models predict pesticide distributions in the receiving streams. The simulation results of the in-stream modeling are then used to develop frequency distributions of occurrence and duration of dissolved pesticide concentrations by FRANCO. Finally, the statistical results with pesticide toxicity data are used to assess the acute and chronic impact of pesticides on selected aquatic biota.

#### Overland Pesticide Modeling

The evaluation of pesticide transport and fate in a receiving water body such as a river requires that the quanity of pesticides contributed to the water body from agricultural lands be determined. Following pesticide application, pesticide losses from agricultural lands can occur through surface runoff, soil erosion, volatilization, degradation (microbial, chemical and photochemical), and uptake by plants and animals. The relative significance of these loss mechanisms is highly dependent on environmental conditions, agricultural management practices, and pesticide properties. Surface runoff and soil erosion have generally been recognized as the dominant mechanisms by which pesticides are moved to a water body.

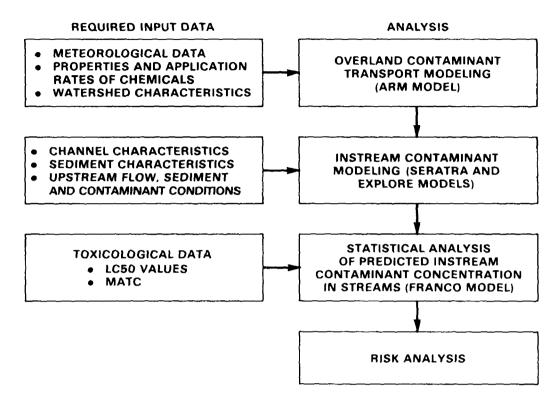


Figure 1. Chemical Migration and Risk Assessment (CMRA) Methodology

Selecting the most appropriate pesticide loading technique for incorporation into the CMRA Methodology requires an understanding of the types of impacts agricultural chemicals can have on aquatic biota. Pesticides have been found to cause both chronic (or long-term) and acute (or shortterm) effects. Organisms which are repeatedly exposed to low levels of pesticides coming off of agricultural lands after storm events can experience chronic effects. Those which inhabit areas along stream channels where contaminated sediments deposit can also experience chronic effects. These effects may range from changes in growth and behavior to the impairment of reproductive activities. Chronic effects are particularly important for highly persistent pesticides like organochlorides. Acute impacts occur most frequently when intense precipitation events take place within several weeks of pesticide application. Under these conditions, runoff pesticide concentrations may vary by an order of magnitude or more during an event (Donigian et al. 1977), and can result in a high rate of mortality. Because both chronic and acute impacts are important, a mathematical model is required to predict both average and peak pesticide concentrations. To accurately predict peak pesticide concentrations, a continuous simulation model is required because of the importance of antecedent conditions in determining the distribution of rainfall between runoff and infiltration during an event. Ellis et al. (1977) recognized the influence of weather sequences in their study of pesticides in the runoff from watersheds in the Great Lakes Basin. A continuous simulation model is also required because

the availability of a pesticide for transport by runoff is related not only to the initial loading, but also to previous environmental conditions which affect the degradation and washoff of the pesticide following application.

Therefore, based on the need for detailed, continuous simulation of both short- and long-term pesticide loadings, the Agricultural Runoff Management (ARM) Model (Donigian et al., 1976; 1978) was selected for incorporation into the methodology. ARM was developed for the Environmental Protection Agency by Hydrocomp, Inc. The ARM model is composed of the five major components which simulate: 1) the hydrologic response of the watershed, 2) soil erosion, 3) pesticide adsorption and removal, 4) pesticide degradation, and 5) nutrient transformation and removal. The hydrologic component of ARM was derived from the Stanford Watershed Model; versions of this model have been successfully tested on over 50 watersheds in the United States (Donigian et al. 1977). While the sediment and pesticide components of ARM have only been tested on several watersheds, testing of most other nonurban, nonpoint models is even more limited.

#### Instream Pesticide Modeling

Pesticides reaching receiving water bodies from agricultural lands migrate in both dissolved and particulate forms. Most of the pesticides adsorbed from solution onto sediment will be concentrated. This process may create a significant pathway to higher trophic levels through the food chain. Sediment contaminated by pesticides may be deposited on the river bed, becoming a long-term source of pollution through desorption and resuspension. In contrast, sorption by sediment can be an important mechanism for reducing the area of influence of these pesticides by decreasing dissolved pesticide concentrations. Other important mechanisms which reduce pesticide concentrations in streams are volatilization, and chemical and biological degradation. Chemical degradation of pesticides occurs through hydrolysis, oxidation, and photolysis.

To obtain accurate temporal and spatial distributions of pesticides in streams, a mathematical model must include all the important mechanisms of both dissolved and particulate pesticide transport phenomena, such as advection, and dispersion of pesticides, interaction of pesticides with sediment, and chemical and biological degradation of pesticides.

Presently there are only a few tested transport models capable of simulating both dissolved and particulate contaminants with sediment-contaminant interaction (ORNL 1978; Onishi 1979a). Because one of the most extensively tested models is an unsteady, two-dimensional (longitudinal and vertical) sediment-contaminant transport model, SERATRA (Onishi et al. 1976; Onishi 1977a; Onishi 1977b; Onishi et al, 1979b), this model was selected for the study. The model consists of the following three submodels coupled to include sediment-contaminant interaction: 1) a sediment transport submodel, 2) a dissolved contaminant transport submodel, and 3) particulate contaminant transport submodel. The original SERATRA was modified to include the mechanisms of contaminant volatilization, and

chemical and biological degradation caused by hydrolysis, oxidation, photolysis and biological activities. The model calculates changes in the conditions of both river bed sediments and deposited contaminants.

Because both SERATRA and EXPLORE-I use a constant width along each computational cell, the hydrodynamic modeling portion of the one-dimensional general water quality model, EXPLORE-I (Baca et al., 1973), was selected to provide discharge and depth data to SERATRA. However, other dynamic models (e.g., Fread 1973) could be used. The EXPLORE-I code is applicable to rivers, estuaries, and oceans to compute depth and velocity distributions. Although EXPLORE-I itself is one-dimensional, it can calculate the longitudinal and lateral distributions by dividing the simulation area with linked channels. EXPLORE-I has difficulties handling very shallow streams with steep hydrographs.

Computed results from SERATRA are statistically analyzed to obtain the probability of occurrence and duration of given pesticide concentrations. The current knowledge on the toxicity of pesticides has not advanced enough to fully utilize the detailed two-dimensional (longitudinal and vertical) distributions of both dissolved and particulate pesticide concentrations computed by SERATRA for the pesticide risk assessment. Hence only cross-sectionally averaged dissolved pesticide concentrations were statistically analyzed for the risk assessment. However, additional pesticide toxicological data in the future may enable SERATRA model outputs to be more fully used.

#### Statistical Analysis

A new statistical analysis procedure was developed to provide meaningful summaries of instream dissolved pesticide concentrations for the methodology. The computer program is called FRANCO (FRequency Analysis of Concentration program).

The statistical characterization of the outputs from SERATRA was designed to provide risk assessment information on the frequency and duration of specified dissolved pesticide concentrations at selected instream locations. The outputs to be summarized are time series of dissolved pesticide concentrations. The procedure horizonally slices the concentration versus time plot at a specified concentration level, counts the number of peaks (or excursions) above the line, counts the amount of time spent above the line, and tabulates the peaks according to their duration. This process is repeated for a range of concentration values. This is the computational basis used to determine the frequency and duration of specific pesticide concentrations.

A concept of global exceedance of an LC-function (i.e., lethal concentration) was also developed for the risk assessment procedure. Laboratory studies on fish provide basic information on the concentration of a pesticide required to kill fifty percent of the population when exposure durations are 24, 48, 96 hours, etc. This information may be used to define a function between concentration and duration such that if a point is above the concentration-duration curve at least fifty percent of the

population is killed. These LC-functions are used to summarize both the number of distinct events (i.e., peaks) and the amount of time spent above the curve during the total simulation time. This procedure was developed to eliminate possible double counting of concentration episodes that would result in lethality.

The method used by FRANCO is one possible choice of bridging the gap between simulation results and risk assessment procedures. Similar procedures can be defined having the basic concepts used by FRANCO.

#### Risk Assessment

This assessment is limited to the direct effects of dissolved pesticides. Ingestion as a second route for toxic effects is not addressed nor are indirect effects such as bioconcentration and biomagnification.

Toxicological assessment of damage to aquatic life is divided into considerations of lethality and sublethal effects resulting from acute and chronic exposures. Acute lethality usually occurs within the first 96 hours (Sprague 1969), whereas effects after 96 hours are often considered chronic. However, the actual dividing time between the two is rather arbitrary.

Important components of the risk assessment procedure include the use of the median lethal concentration (LC50) data for predicting lethality, and the use of chronic data, maximum acceptable toxicant concentration (MATC) values, and application factors for estimating sublethal toxicity. These values can be used in conjunction with the mathematical models to compute the extent of pesticide contamination in a stream and the resulting probabilities of lethal or sublethal effects.

The importance of lethality expressed as LC50, or the median tolerance limit (TLm) is paramount to the assessment process. For lack of more adequate data, these values are applied to estimate the likelihood of fish kills due to particular toxicant concentrations and durations at lethal levels. The results are expressed as a probability. Use of the LC50 is justified by its common and historical usage as a parameter of toxicity. The LC50 is a more reliable indicator than LC5 or LC100, for example, because the variability of the average toxic range is usually quite narrow, while the distribution of fish kills at the extremes tends to be much more variable. Use of the LC50 does, however, limit predictions of fish kills to median lethality rather than threshold lethality for any single member of the population.

Chronic toxicity is usually recorded as the amount of toxicant causing measurable effects. These effects are typically described by symptoms. Effects resulting in a decrease in growth, maturation, or survival of the individuals, an increase in physical deformities, a decrease in reproductive ability demonstrated by a decrease in the number of eggs, and the reduced hatchability of the offspring are the criteria most often used to assess chronic toxic effects. Results from such bioassays are either descriptive, associating a given effect with a particular concentration,

or they are cited in terms of MATC range for the chemical. The lower value in the MATC range is the highest concentration tested which produced no defined adverse effects. The higher range value is the lowest tested concentration which resulted in a chronic effect.

Sublethal effects may result from concentrations greater than the MATC range if exposure time is sufficient. Chronic bioassays are useful as indicators of the minimum amount of toxin producing certain deleterious effects on the organism.

The amount of toxicant required to produce a sublethal effect differs with the amount of exposure time. For example, a species may show no effects from a ten-day exposure to a chemical but may sustain damage when exposed for 30 days at the same concentration level. The species may also suffer reproductive impairment at some future point.

The mathematical model requires the input of a sublethal indicator for prediction purposes. MATC values are based on long-term tests which may overestimate toxicity when applied to shorter time frames. However, unless the researcher has access to chronic data for all time steps under evaluation, use of the MATC values as a sublethal boundary indicator is the best alternative available.

While long-term toxicity testing and the use of MATC values are becoming more common, many pesticides have not yet been tested for this parameter. Those for which MATC data is available focus on a small number of species because of the complexities of life cycle testing. Where MATC values are not available, they may be estimated by the use of an application value which can be calculated or assigned arbitrarily. The statistically significant mathematical relationship that appears to exist between most LC50 values and MATC ranges is the basis for the use of application factors which can be used to calculate MATC ranges for other species.

LC50 and MATC values are used to estimate various lethality and sublethality curves. These curves are used as input to the statistical analysis code FRANCO. The in-stream migration model (SERATRA) output is evaluated for concentrations exceeding the curves. Global exceedance or lack of concentration-duration periods exceeding the curves forms the basis for interpretation of the hazards from the particular pesticide to the organisms under evaluation. However, risk assessment output from FRANCO must be carefully reassessed by taking into account all other known information on the pesticide characteristics, life stage of the species of concern, possible avoidance, reactions to the pesticide and other pertinent data.

## 4.2 DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF CHEMICAL MIGRATION AND RISK ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY

#### Overland Pesticide Modeling

Various techniques are available for estimating the migration of pesticides from agricultural lands. A relatively simple technique based

on loading functions was developed by McElroy et al. (1976). This technique involves the use of the Universal Soil Loss Equation to estimate the average soil loss from a catchment or watershed. Since nutrients, organic matter, pathogens and pesticides are commonly adsorbed to eroded soil materials, pollutant loadings can be estimated by multiplying sediment yields by factors which denote the concentrations of these substances in the soil and the effect of enrichment during the erosion process. In general, the approach is best suited to the prediction of annual average pollutant loads expected to occur over many years.

On the other end of the spectrum of pesticide loading techniques, there are a series of mathematical models which simulate the complex processes affecting pesticide cycling in the environment. Examples of these pesticide transport and runoff models include the Agricultural Runoff Management Model, ARM (Donigian and Crawford 1976; Crawford and Donigian 1973); the Agricultural Chemical Transport Model, ACTMO (Frere et al. 1976); the Agricultural Watershed Runoff Model, AGRUN (Roesner et al. 1976); and the Simulation of Contaminant Reactions and Movement Model, SCRAM (Adams and Kurlsa 1976). Mathematical models such as these are generally capable of simulating: 1) the complex hydrologic processes which act to convert precipitation to runoff, 2) the erosion of soil materials due to rainfall impact and runoff, 3) the partitioning of pesticides between dissolved and particulate (i.e., pesticides adsorbed to sediment) phases, and 4) the loss of pesticide from the soil through volatilization and degradation.

Pesticide transport and runoff models are generally of two types: single-event simulation models or continuous simulation models. In single-event models, the above processes are simulated only throughout the duration of a runoff producing event. Continuous simulation models, on the other hand, not only simulate these processes during an event but also take into account the processes which act to change soil moisture and soil pesticide conditions in-between storm events. As a result, it is not necessary to estimate antecedent conditions prior to the modeling of runoff, sediment and pesticide contributions.

The pesticide loading model selected for incorporation into the CMRA Methodology is the Agricultural Runoff Management (ARM) Model. The basic philosophy of ARM is that the processes controlling runoff, soil erosion and pesticide transport on the land surface are continuous in nature. The status of antecedent soil moisture, land surface, and pollutant conditions are updated continuously even though nonpoint source pollution takes place only during runoff-producing storm events. As a result, the ARM model uses a continuous simulation approach.

The basic hydrologic component of the ARM model was derived from the Stanford Watershed Model (SWM) (Crawford and Linsley 1966). The algorithms used in SWM and the modifications which have been made to it throughout the development of ARM have been reported by Donigian and Crawford (Donigian and Crawford 1976; Donigian et al 1977). Basically, the hydrologic component of ARM simulates the dominant physical processes

which act to convert precipitation into runoff (i.e., interception, infiltration, interflow, percolation and evapotranspiration). ARM also has the capability to simulate the mechanisms of snow accumulation on the land surface and runoff due to melting of the snow pack. The transfers of water between the major components of the hydrologic cycle simulated by ARM are not only used to calculate runoff, but are also used in the calculation of soil erosion and the vertical movement of pesticides in the soil profile.

The soil erosion component of ARM simulates sediment loss from the land surface due to both sheet and rill erosion. Soil fines are scoured from the land surface and transported by overland flow. The availability of these materials for transport is a function of rainfall impact. The availability of soil fines is also a function of the tillage operations or conservation practices which have occurred on a watershed.

Pesticides placed in a water-sediment mixture will eventually come to equilibrium, with a certain fraction of the pesticide adsorbed to the sediment materials and the remainder dissolved. The adsorption and removal component of ARM uses a modified Freundlich adsorption/desorption isotherm algorithm to partition the available pesticide between that dissolved in the overland flow and that attached to soil fines being transported by the flow. Both single-valued and non-single-valued formulations of this equilibrium type algorithm have been included in ARM; these formulations are discussed in detail by Donigian and Crawford (Donigian et al. 1977).

The pesticide degradation component of ARM determines the quantity of pesticide available for transport, either by overland flow or by soil erosion, at any time after its application to a watershed. The major processes which act to attenuate pesticides in the soil are volatilization and microbial, chemical and photochemical degradation. These processes, along with plant uptake, remove most of the total pesticide applied to a soil, with runoff and erosion removing only a small fraction. In his review of the literature on the pesticide content of overland flows, Wauchope found that they generally contained less than 0.5 percent of the total applied pesticide (Wauchope 1978). Because reliable models have not been developed for each of these attenuation processes, they are currently grouped together in a simple first order decay algorithm in ARM.

At the initiation of this study, the second version of the ARM (ARM-II) was just being released. As a result, the first version was incorporated into the CMRA Methodology. However, since the mathematical models used in the methodology are only input/output linked, ARM-II can also be used. The only major differences between the models are that in ARM-II: 1) the evapotranspiration index parameters can vary on a monthly basis, 2) a soil compaction factor has been added to represent the natural aggregation and mutual attraction of soil particles and the compaction of the surface soil zone, 3) different first-order pesticide degradation rates can be assigned to specific time periods after pesticide application, and 4) chemical leaching factors have been added so that the amount of pesticide moving with infiltrated or percolated water can be changed. These differences are described in detail by Donigian et al. (1977) and Donigian and Davis (1978).

The use of both versions of the ARM model is described in detail by Donigian and Davis (1978). The major steps which are followed in the application of ARM include: 1) data collection and analysis, 2) preparation of meteorologic data and model input sequence, 3) parameter evaluation, 4) model calibration and verification, and 5) production of needed information and analysis of simulation results. The first three steps basically involve the compilation and analysis of hydrologic and meteorologic data and information on the watershed soil characteristics, topography, cropping patterns and pesticide usage. Specific data requirements and data sources are also reviewed by Donigian and Davis (1978). The fourth step involves the calibration or adjustment of model parameters to improve agreement between simulated and recorded information. This process ideally requires that detailed data be available on runoff, erosion and pesticide contributions from the study area for at least three years in order to accurately evaluate model coefficients. The final step involves the application of ARM to the selected study area.

One of the key limitations of the model is the amount of comparative data required to calibrate model coefficients. In order to test the CMRA Methodology developed in this study, numerous agencies were contacted in an attempt to locate a comprehensive set of data. It was found that relatively few complete sets of data are available and that most of the available data had been used in the testing and development of ARM-I and ARM-II. This limitation has been reduced somewhat by the regionalization of many of the hydrologic parameters. The hydrologic component has been applied to over 50 watersheds throughout the United States (Donigian et al. 1977). The data limitation has also been reduced by the use of pesticide adsorption/desorption and degradation algorithms with parameters that can be estimated through laboratory and field studies; many of these parameters can be found in the open literature or obtained from pesticide manufacturers. Additional testing and application of sediment and pesticide algorithms may also serve to reduce the model's data limitations.

A second limitation is that the ARM model is not formulated to handle the effects of channel processes on runoff and sediment transport. As a result, the model is applicable only to watersheds that are small enough that channel processes can be assumed negligible. While the limiting size varies with climatic and topographic characteristics, it was found to be approximately 2 to 5 km² (or about 1 to 2 mi²) (Donigian and Crawford 1976). Because of this limitation, an application of ARM to a large watershed requires a number of individual model applications to smaller subcatchments.

The overland modeling component is the first step in the CMRA Methodology. Based on known or selected tillage practices and pesticide application rates, ARM is applied to the study area to obtain a continuous history of runoff and edge-of-stream sediment and pesticide loadings. This information is then used as input to the second step of the methodology, in-stream pesticide modeling.

The length of the study period is primarily based on the availability of meteorological data, the projected computation time for the methodology

and the desired representativeness and stability of the statistical summary of instream pesticide concentrations.

#### Instream Pesticide Modeling

A number of general water quality models (Baca et al. 1973; Norton et al. 1970; Leendertse 1970) could be used to simulate pesticide migration, but none of them includes the mechanisms of adsorption of pesticides to sediment, desorption from sediment, and transport, deposition and resuspension of particulate pesticides associated with sediment. Computer simulation models which calculate pesticide transport without including the pesticide-sediment interaction predict that pesticides will be flushed from surface waters at the same rate at which water is exchanged. In reality, however, sediment sorption effects cause some pesticides to flush much more slowly, e.g., at the approximate rate at which the sediment is exchanged in the surface water system (EPA 1978). Hence, in some cases, neglecting these sediment effects prohibits accurate prediction of pesticide migration (Onishi and Wise 1978).

In order to include sediment-pesticide interactions for the instream pesticide modeling, the sediment-contaminant transport model, SERATRA, was selected for this study. The hydrodynamic modeling portion of EXPLORE-I is used to provide discharge and depth data to SERATRA. Input data for EXPLORE-I are channel geometry and Manning's roughness coefficient, together with initial and boundary flow conditions. Outputs of EXPLORE-I are unsteady, cross-sectionally averaged distributions of velocity (or discharge) and depth. Using the cross-sectionally averaged results provided by EXPLORE-I, SERATRA distributes a velocity vertically by assuming either a logarithmic velocity distribution or a uniform distribution. A description of the EXPLORE-I model formulation and user's manual were prepared by Baca et al. (1973) and Onishi (1979e). Although EXPLORE-I was used for this study, other compatible hydrodynamic-water quality models such as QUAL-II (Norton et al. 1970) may also be used to provide hydrodynamic data to SERATRA.

SERATRA is an unsteady, two-dimensional (longitudinal and vertical), sediment-contaminant transport model which utilizes the finite element computation method with the Galerkin weighted residual technique (Onishi et al. 1976; Onishi et al. 1979b)). The model uses the general convection-diffusion equations with appropriate boundary conditions. It consists of three submodels coupled to include the effects of sediment-contaminant interaction. The submodels are: 1) a sediment transport submodel, 2) a dissolved contaminant transport model, and 3) a particulate contaminant transport submodel. A detailed description of the SERATRA model formulation and a user's manual were prepared by Onishi and Wise (1979c; 1979d).

<u>Sediment transport submodel</u>: The sediment transport submodel solves the migration (transport, deposition and scouring) of cohesive and noncohesive sediments. The migration of three sediment size fractions can be modeled since the movements and adsorption capacities of sediments vary significantly with sediment sizes. The submodel includes mechanisms of:

- 1. Convection and dispersion of cohesive and non-cohesive sediment,
- Fall velocity and cohesiveness,
- 3. Deposition on the river bed,
- Resuspension from the river bed (simulating bed erosion and armoring), and
- 5. Sediment contributions from tributaries (contributions from overland runoff and other sources may be treated as a part of the tributary contributions).

This submodel also calculates river bed conditions, including changes in river bed elevation and the distribution of each sediment component within the river bed.

<u>Dissolved and particulate contaminant transport submodel:</u> Both the dissolved and particulate contaminant transport submodels include mechanisms of:

- 1. Convection and dispersion of dissolved and particulate contaminants,
- Adsorption (uptake) of dissolved contaminants by both suspended sediment and bed sediment, or desorption from sediments into the water,
- 3. Chemical and biological decay and degradation resulting from hydrolysis, oxidation, photolysis, and radionuclide decay where applicable,
- 4. volatilization
- 5. Deposition of particulate contaminants on the river bed or resuspension from the river bed, and
- 6. Contaminant contributions from tributaries and other sources (contributions from overland runoff, wastewater discharges, fall out and groundwater are treated as a part of the tributary contributions).

Effects of water quality (e.g., pH, water temperature, and salinity) and sediment characteristics (e.g., clay minerals, and organic content) can be taken into account by changing distribution coefficients (which partition the contaminants between particulate and dissolved forms) and contaminant transfer rates to reach equilibrium conditions assigned by distribution coefficients. Transport of contaminants which are attached to sediments is solved separately for those adsorbed by each sediment size fraction. The contaminant distribution within the river bed is also computed.

SERATRA is applicable to rivers and impoundments. Since SERATRA uses a marching solution technique along a longitudinal direction, a reverse flow condition (such as tidal flows) cannot be handled. One of the advantages of SERATRA is that it can be applied to water bodies over large longitudinal distances and shallow depths. SERATRA has been applied to a wide range of hydraulic conditions, including the large, heavily regulated Columbia River (Washington) (Onishi et al. 1979b) and the intermediate size Clinch River (Tennessee) (Onishi 1977a). Application of SERATRA to swift streams such as Cattaraugus and Buttermilk Creeks (New York) is currently underway.

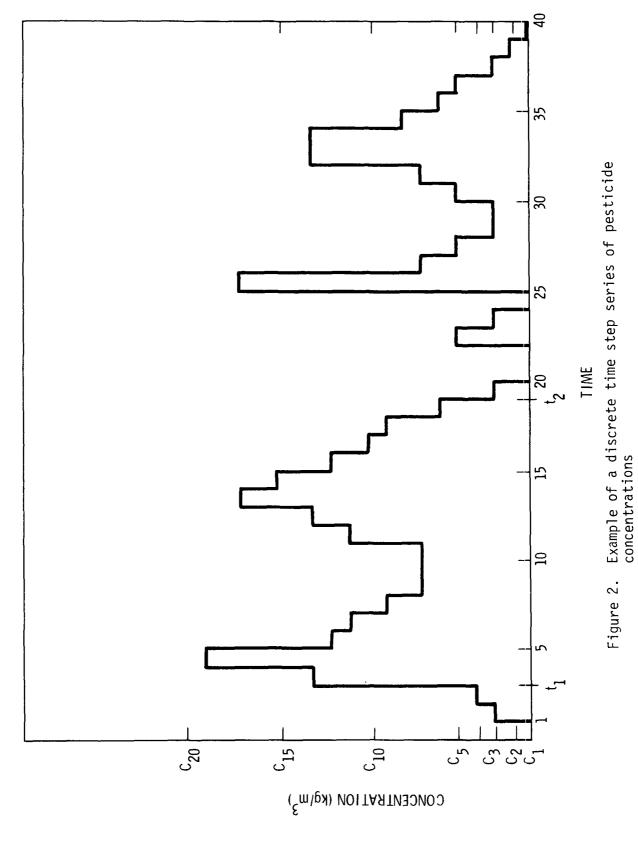
# Statistical Analysis

The usefulness of the simulated instream pesticide concentrations depends in part on how they are statistically summarized for risk assessment. The statistical analysis bridges the gap between SERATRA output and the risk assessment procedure. The risk assessment procedure estimates the probability of lethality or sublethality affecting a given species from aquatic exposure to a particular pesticide. SERATRA provides a continuous prediction of cross-sectionally averaged dissolved pesticide concentrations at selected river segment locations. These two parts of the methodology are linked by the statistical summarization computer program FRANCO. FRANCO (FRequency ANalysis of Concentration) and its summary methods were developed especially for this methodology. A detailed description of FRANCO and a user's manual was given by Olsen and Wise (1979).

Statistically summarizing the simulated pesticide concentrations requires a precise interpretation of the phase "frequency of occurrence and duration of pesticide concentrations." The risk assessment procedure provides information on pesticide concentration that will result in an effect if the concentration remains at or above a specified level for a certain length of time. This concept forms the basis for the statistical summary. The summary of the simulated concentrations uses specific definitions for these terms: event and duration of an event. An event defined by a concentration of C occurs when a sequence of simulated concentrations begins below C at time step  $t_1$ , becomes and remains greater than or equal to C in subsequent time steps and then drops below C after time step  $t_2$  (see Figure 2 where C is  $c_5$ ). This is referred to as an event defined by concentration C. The duration of an event defined by concentration C is the length of time from the beginning to the end of the event, e.g.,  $t_2$ - $t_1$ .

Utilizing preceding concepts of an event FRANCO provides three types of summaries: counts of time steps, counts of events and LC-function global exceedance. The later is defined subsequently. Let  $C_1 \ C_2 \cdots C_m$  be a set of concentration levels used to define events. These are based on lethal concentration information from the risk assessment procedure and the concentration range expected from the SERATRA simulation. Let  $d_1 \ d_2 \cdots d_n$  be a set of durations selected on the same basis as the concentrations. All of the statistical summaries are completed for events defined by concentrations  $C_i (i=1,2,\ldots m)$  with durations of  $d_j \ (j=1,2,\ldots n,)$  or greater. Each of the m concentration levels selected conceptually slices the SERATRA concentration time history plot horizontally. A number of concentration peaks occur above the horizontal line. FRANCO counts the peaks (events), counts the time above the line and computes summary statistics based on these counts. Additional detail is provided by completing the above only for events lasting a duration  $d_j$  or greater.

The first summary is a count of the number of events defined by concentration  $C_i$  with a duration of  $d_j$  or greater. This is denoted as NE( $C_i$ , $d_j$ ). Events defined by concentration  $C_i$  of any duration, i.e., greater than or equal to one time step, are denoted by NE( $C \ge C_i$ ). This is equivalent to NE( $C_i$ , $d_1$ ).



The second summary is a count of the number of time steps in all events defined by concentration  $C_i$  with a duration of  $d_j$  or greater. This is denoted as  $NT(C_i, d_i)$ . Also  $NT(C \ge C_i)$  is equivalent to  $NT(C_i, d_i)$ .

The third summary measures the frequency of occurrence of concentrations greater than or equal to  $C_{\hat{i}}$  for all durations. Mathematically, this is given by the fraction:

$$P_{T}(C \ge C_{i}) = \frac{NT(C \ge C_{i})}{T}, i = 1, ..., m$$

where T is the total simulation time and  $\Delta$  is the time in a single time step.  $P_T$  (C  $\geq$  C\_i) is a decreasing function of C\_i with  $P_{TT}(C \geq 0)$  = 1 and  $P_T(C \geq C_{max})$  = 0 where  $C_{max}$  is the maximum simulated concentration.

As an illustration of these summaries' measures, a particular time series may indicate that for 10% of the time, the concentration is greater than or equal to  $C_i$ , i.e.,  $P_T(C \ge C_i) = 0.10$ . At the same time the total number of events that occurred during the fraction of the time may be 5, i.e.,  $NE(C \ge C_i) = 5$ . For another case a single event may be responsible for the 10% figure, i.e.,  $P_T(C \ge C_i) = 0.10$  and  $NE(C \ge C_i) = 1$ .

The fourth summary gives frequency of occurrence information for events categorized by duration. It is a generalization of the previous summary and is defined as:

$$P_{T}\left[C \geq C_{i}, D \geq d_{j}\right] = \frac{\Delta NT(C_{i}, d_{j})}{T}$$
.

This gives the fraction of the total time there were events defined by concentration  $C_{\bf i}$  that extended for durations of  $d_{\bf i}$  or greater.

The following two relative frequency summaries resemble conditional probability statements and are useful when additional duration information regarding events defined by concentration  $C_{\hat{i}}$  is of interest. That is why only one concentration level  $C_{\hat{i}}$  is to be considered. The summaries are:

$$P_{E}\left[D \geq d_{j} \mid C \geq C_{j}\right] = \frac{NE(C_{j}, d_{j})}{NE(C_{j} \geq C)} \quad \text{and} \quad$$

$$P_{T}\left[D \geq d_{j} \mid C \geq C_{j}\right] = \frac{NT(C_{j}, d_{j})}{NT(c \geq_{j} C)}$$

They measure relative frequency with respect to the number of events defined by concentration Ci and the amount of time in events defined by concentration C; respectively. Laboratory toxicity experiments provide the main basis for developing a risk analysis for fish. A common method of summarizing the results of these experiments is to use a lethal concentration where 50% of the fish die. A concentration, say C<sup>96</sup>, is determined such that 50% of the fish die when exposed continuously for a specified duration of 96 hr, say  ${\rm d}^{96}$ . The previous summaries give:

 $NE(C_1,d_1)$ ; the number of events having durations and concentra-

tions that exceed  $d_j$  and  $C_i$ , respectively  $P_T(D>d_j,\ C>C_i)$ ; the fraction of the total time period that the calculated concentration is greater than or equal to Ci for a duration of di or greater.

Usually information for LC50 concentrations at 24, 48 and 96 hours is available. This information may be combined in the form of an LC50 curve. In this study it is assumed that an LC curve is represented by up to five peice-wise straight lines, as shown in Figure 3. The summary  $NE(C^{96}, d^{96})$  is a count of the number of events in the concentration time series that meet or exceed the 96-hr LC50 value (shaded region above the LC50 curve in Figure 3). This is termed a point exceedance of the LC50 curve. Multiple point exceedances can be measured by judicious choices of  $d_j$  and  $C_i$ . [PT D  $\geq d^{96},$  C  $\geq$  C $^{96}$ ] gives the fraction of the total time that the time-series is in the 96-hr point exceedance.

A more comprehensive measure of exceedance is to obtain the fraction of the total simulation time that the calculated pesticide concentration exceeds an LC50 curve (shaded region above the LC50 curve in Figure 4). This is termed global exceedance of the LC50 curve. It is defined as:

$$P_{G}(LC50) = \begin{bmatrix} \text{number of time steps in distinct events such that} \\ (C_{i} d_{j}) \text{ is above the LC50 curve} \end{bmatrix}_{T}$$

This summarization can be conducted not only for an LC50 curve but for other LC curves such as LC90, LC10, etc. An example of the use of this summarization involves deciding whether fish will be killed by acute toxicity or chronic toxicity under a certain condition. Assume that the chronic toxicity has a duration of 96 hour or more. In order to obtain the answer, summarization will be conducted for the following cases: a) Case A has a LC50 curve shown by the solid line in Figure 4, and b) as shown in Figure 5, Case B has a LC50 curve which is the same as the LC50 in Case A for the duration of 96 hour or more but is parallel to the vertical axis at d = 96.  $P_G$  for Case A provides the fraction of the total time that 50% of fish will be killed by both acute and chronic toxicity of the pesticide.  $P_G$  for Case B provides the fraction of the total time that 50% of fish will be killed by only chronic toxicity. The difference between the values of  $P_G$  for Cases A and B will then supply the fraction of total time fish will be killed by acute toxicity.

The remainder of this subsection gives a detailed example of the statistical summaries just described. No new information is given. However, the step by step description is useful in clarifying the concepts of point and global exceedance. The description is given in the order that the

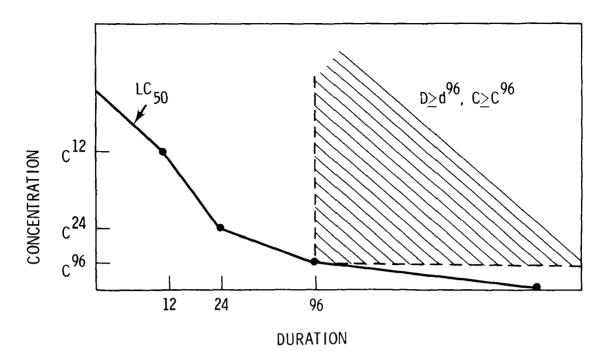


Figure 3. Example of LC50 curve with point exceedance region

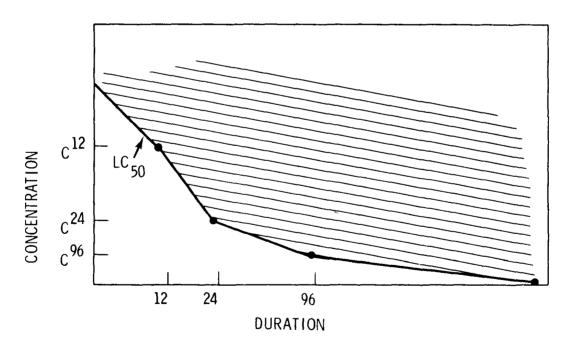


Figure 4. Example of LC50 curve with global exceedance region

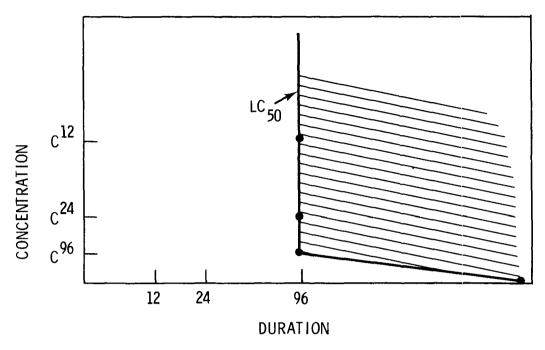


Figure 5. Postulated chronic toxicity global exceedance region

computer program FRANCO completes the analysis. The program documentation and user's manual for FRANCO are available in Olsen and Wise (1979).

As an example, suppose  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ ,  $C_4$ ,  $C_{10}$ ,  $C_{15}$ , and  $C_{20}$  are the specified concentrations and  $d_1$ ,  $d_5$ ,  $d_{10}$ ,  $d_{15}$ , and  $d_{20}$  are the specified durations. Table 1 presents the number of events defined by concentration levels  $C_i$  and duration  $d_j$  for the data given in Figure 2. Table 2 presents the number of time steps occurring for all events defined by concentration levels  $C_i$  and durations  $d_j$ . In the example  $d_1$  was selected to be one time step,  $C_1$  to be zero, and  $C_2$  to be a model output cutoff value above which calculated instream dissolved pesticide concentrations are statistically analyzed. The cutoff value was introduced to FRANCO due to accuracy limitation of the simulation model, SERATRA. Under these restrictions the total number of time steps in the study period is given by NT( $C_1$ ,  $C_1$ ,  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$ ,  $C_1$ ) and the number of events defined by concentrations above the model cutoff by NT( $C_2$ ,  $C_1$ ) and the number of events defined by concentrations above the model cutoff by NE( $C_2$ ,  $C_1$ ).

In addition to the tabular summaries of numbers of events and time steps, a compilation of each individual event defined by the input concentrations  $C_i$  is kept internally in FRANCO. This compilation, in the order that it is actually completed, is presented in Table 3 to clarify subsequent concepts. Event concentration refers to the concentration level that defines the event.

The statistical summaries available from FRANCO are discussed as they relate to issues of interest in considering the results of a pesticide

TABLE 1. NUMBER OF EVENTS DEFINED BY CONCENTRATIONS C; WITH DURATIONS OF d; OR GREATER FOR DATA IN FIGURE 2.

	Duration				
	<sup>d</sup> 1	<sup>d</sup> 5	<u>d</u> 10	<u>d</u> 15	<sup>d</sup> 20
$c_1$	1	1	1	1	1
$c_2^-$	3	2	2	1	0
C <sub>4</sub>	4	2	1	1	0
c <sub>10</sub>	4	1	0	0	0
C <sub>15</sub>	3	0	0	0	0
c <sub>20</sub>	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE 2. NUMBER OF TIME STEPS FOR EVENTS DEFINED BY CONCENTRATIONS C  $_i$  WITH DURATIONS OF  ${\rm d}_j$  OR GREATER FOR DATA IN FIGURE 2.

		Duration			
	$\frac{d_1}{d_1}$	<sup>d</sup> 5	<u>d</u> 10	<sup>d</sup> 15	<sup>d</sup> 20
$c_1$	40	40	40	40	40
$c_2^-$	35	33	33	19	0
$c_4^-$	28	24	17	17	0
c <sub>10</sub>	13	6	0	0	0
c <sub>15</sub>	4	0	0	0	0
c <sub>20</sub>	0	0	0	0	0

simulation project. A cutoff point is used in the SERATRA model below which the simulated concentrations are assumed to be zero. The number of distinct events occurring with concentrations above the model cutoff value is given NE ( $C_2$ ,  $d_1$ ). There are three such events in the example. The time over the study period during these events was 35 time steps. Note that if the time steps are in terms of hours, this corresponds to 35 hours. This information is also given as the percent of the total time events defined by  $C_2$  were present.

More specific information is obtained by considering the duration of the events. For example, if a 10 hour LC50 value is given by C4, then FRANCO gives the number of times this occurred, the total time during these occurrences, and the percent of time during the study period this LC50 condition was exceeded. The number of events is given by NE (C4, d10), and the number of time steps in events defined by C4 and d10 by NT (C4, d10),

TABLE 3. COMPILATION OF EVENTS IN ORDER OF OCCURRENCE FOR EXAMPLE DATA

Ending Time Step	Number of Time Steps	<b>Event Concentration</b>
5	1	c <sub>15</sub>
7	4	$c_{10}$
15	2	c <sub>15</sub>
17	6	c <sub>10</sub>
19	17	C <sub>4</sub>
20	19	$c_2$
23	1	$c_{4}^{-}$
24	2	$c_2$
26	1	$c_{15}^{-}$
26	1	$c_{10}^{2}$
28	3	$c_4^{23}$
34	2	c <sub>10</sub>
37	7	C <sub>4</sub>
39	14	$c_2$
40	40	$c_1$

and the percent of time by NT  $(C_4, d_{10})/NT$   $(C_1, d_1)$ . These available output summaries from FRANCO are valuable in the risk assessment procedure as they give information on whether the instream pesticide concentration exceeds specific laboratory determined LC50 conditions.

If more than one LC50 condition is of interest, then each can be considered separately using the above approach. In that case care in the interpretation of the results is necessary because of possible double counting of times and events. An alternative summary termed global exceedance is given to eliminate double counting. Global exceedance is based on the same concept as an LC50 function. An LC50 function can be defined by specifying pairs of concentration and duration values based on LC50 experiments. By connecting these pairs with straight line segments and extending the function in a reasonable manner at each end, a function is defined such that an event defined by a particular concentration level with a particular duration can be classified as exceeding or not exceeding the function, i.e., exceeding an LC50 value (see Figure  $\check{6}$ ). An event exceeds the LC function when the concentration defining the event and the duration of the event results in the pair falling above and to the right of the function. For the example data three events exceed LC function 1 (see Figure 6):

However, all three events occur during the same time period of the study, i.e., they consist of different slices of the same pesticide concentration peak. The global exceedance summary eliminates this double

TABLE 4. GLOBAL EXCEEDANCE SUMMARY

Ending Time Step 19 17 15	Number of	Time Steps 17 6 2	C4 C10 C15
C <sub>20</sub> - C <sub>15</sub>	1		LC FUNCTION 1 LC FUNCTION 2 LC FUNCTION 3
CONCENTRATION 010			
$\begin{bmatrix} c_4 \\ c_2 \\ c_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ d_1 \end{bmatrix}$	· <u>4</u> i d <sub>5</sub>	d <sub>10</sub> DURATION	d <sub>15</sub> d <sub>20</sub>

Figure 6. Example of functions used for global exceedance summary

counting by reporting only those events with the lowest concentrations that occur in different pesticide peaks. In this case only the event defined by C4 is reported for LC function 1 in Figure 6. A summary is given of the number of non-overlapping events above the LC function, the time during the study spent above the LC function, expressed as time and as a percent of the total study period.

By selecting different LC functions it is possible to differentiate between short-term high concentration pesticide peaks and long-term low concentration peaks. By specifying the LC function to be the model cutoff concentration for all durations, as in LC function 3, the location of each pesticide occurrence instream can be determined as well as the global exceedance summary information. Figure 6 shows three LC functions which split the concentration-duration space into four non-overlapping regions (Numbered 1 to 4). The percent of time spent in each region can be determined from the global exceedance percent summary. First LC function 1 is exceeded 42.5 percent of the time, LC function 2 is exceeded 45% of the time and LC function 3 is exceeded 87.5 percent of the time. Therefore, during the study period the time spent in each region is:

Region	1	42.5%
Region	2	2.5%
Region	3	42.5%
Region	4	12.5%

An interpretation of these numbers might be that 12.5% of the time (Region 4) no significant pesticide concentration was present in the stream. For 42.5% of the time (Region 1), there are lethal impacts on fish. For 45% of the time (Regions 2 and 3), there are potential but unknown lethal and sublethal impacts on fish.

# Risk Assessment

The risk assessment procedure provides a basis to predict the probability of lethality or sublethality affecting a given species from aquatic exposure to a particular pesticide. Two parameters have been chosen to describe the risk analysis probability curves. These are the use of LC50 data to generate the median acute toxicity curve and the maximum acceptable toxicant concentration (MATC) to describe the effect-no effect boundary for chronic toxicity. Because of the difficulties involved with field studies, such as keeping track of the organisms and eliminating food-chain interactions, bioassays and toxicity testing have largely been confined to special laboratory aquaria.

Most laboratory procedures limit organism exposure to the water soluble pesticide fraction. Ingestion of pesticide on food particles is eliminated as an exposure mechanism because the organism is usually not fed during short-term tests. The organism in its natural environment may ingest pesticide sorbed onto food and debris surfaces. Bottom dwelling invertebrates and filter-feeding fish are also in contact with and may ingest sediment and its corresponding adsorbed pesticide. Ingestion as a secondary route of intake is known in some cases to add to toxic effects thus complicating direct comparison of field studies with laboratory evaluations.

An organism in the wild has many more potential environmental stresses than the laboratory animal. The field animal may be subject to starvation, poor water quality, temperature changes, predation, and various chemicals in addition to the pesticide of concern. Its response to the pesticide may be more or less severe than those in laboratory studies. The additional stress may act in combination with other factors enhancing the chemical's toxicity; on the other hand, the organism may prove better able to tolerate or resist the poison because of prior adaptations. Migration and

avoidance may allow mobile species to minimize exposure. Consequently, it is stressed that direct application of laboratory results to field situations must be made cautiously with an understanding of the underlying assumptions involved.

Investigators have used different techniques in their measurements of LC50 values. The most accepted acute method is the flow-through test where pesticide concentrations are actually measured. Many static bioassays have been conducted and some published test results are based on calculations of pesticide concentration. Results from these different techniques are not always comparable.

The Office of Water Planning and Standards, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has proposed the use of LC50 correction factors to standardize values to the 96-hour flow-through bioassay of measured concentration (EPA, 1979). While these factors are not final regulations and are subject to change, this sort of approach may be taken where standardization of data is warranted. The use of actual observed 24-, 48-, 72-, and 96-hour LC50 data and of flow-through bioassays of measured concentrations is preferred when available.

LC50 values derived from flow-through tests showed a geometric mean of concentrations to be 71% of those measured in static tests. Consequently, the Office of Water Planning and Standards has suggested the use of this figure to standardize static results to flow-through conditions (i.e., 0.71 multiplied by the static results approximates the concentration using the flow-through method). Likewise, their study of LC-50 values based on actual measured chemical concentrations versus calculated chemical concentrations (based on the amount of toxicant added to the known amount of water rather than direct measurement after the toxicant is in solution) revealed an additional common discrepancy. Calculated values tend to be higher than actual measured concentrations. Calculated data may be standardized to reflect the probable equivalent measured concentrations by multiplying calculated data by 0.77.

In the same article the Office of Water Planning and Standards offered a procedure for standardizing 24-, 48-, and 72-hour bioassays to 96-hour LC50. This can be accomplished by multiplying these values by the following factors to estimate its 96-hour LC50 data point.

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Given: 24-hr LC50, multiply by 0.66 to get 96-hr LC50 48-hr LC50, multiply by 0.81 to get 96-hr LC50 72-hr LC50, multiply by 0.92 to get 96-hr LC50
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Diverse pesticide and biological properties such as lag-time and secondary mechanisms of action are not considered. Use of these factors implies a fixed relationship between lethality and time. While this assumption is not specifically correct for any particular pesticide, its use allows for relative comparison of toxicities cited in studies of different duration.

Construction of a median lethality curve requires input of LC50 concentrations over a variety of time durations. A time concentration mortality (time-LC50) curve carried out to the lethal threshold concentration level is ideal for this use and should be applied when available. More commonly, a lethality graph must be approximated from incomplete sets of LC50 data. Toxicity data typically found in the literature are one or more distinct LC50 values. Finding values for specific aquatic species may prove to be difficult, or impossible, particularly for chemicals of relatively low toxicity. Appendix B includes tables of pesticide toxicity data for certain organic compounds. Other data sources include the EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, EPA pesticide registration files, and pesticide manufacturers.

The accuracy of the time LC50 curve improves by increasing the number of LC50 data for different time intervals. Confidence limits around LC50 values are often listed and should be recorded for later use. A description of testing conditions should also be recorded with the mortality values, as they may be useful in the selection of the most appropriate data points. When several investigators have reported conflicting values for a particular pesticide and species, the discrepancies may be the result of specific conditions which may be discussed in the text of the article. The LC50 value under conditions corresponding more closely to case study conditions would be the logical choice.

Frequently, sufficient LC50 data do not exist to properly estimate a curve. Figure 7 illustrates the procedure for estimating needed FRANCO input data points when these are not available. When only one or two values are available for a particular species, one of several methods can be employed to approximate missing values. The first of these is to use the slope of the toxicity curve of a related species for the same chemical. This principle is demonstrated on page A-5 in Appendix A. Appendix B provides a phylogenetic chart to indicate the genetic relationships of various fish species. A species of the same genus is the preferred choice for use of slope data, though it may be necessary to use those related at the family level. A second method for estimating missing data is to use the geometric mean of the toxicity slopes of other species for the same pesticide as shown on page 90. Finally, the geometric means discussed above in regard to LC50 standardization factors may be used to approximate unknown values. The reciprocals of the ratios correcting values to a 96-hour LC50 can be used to estimate values for 24-, 48-, and 72-hours given a 96-hr LC50. Note that these are approximations and may not reflect any particular set of experimental values. An example of this method is shown on page 91.

In the event that no data can be found for a particular species, an approximation of the curve may be derived from LC50 value trends given for other species for the same pesticide. Again, the selection of genus related species is most appropriate. Assignment of a range in terms of LC50 values is preferred where insufficient data requires the use of other family related species. A geometric mean may be calculated from this range for a more simplistic approach to probability modeling. If no values exist for other species of the same family, it may be useful, though perhaps less

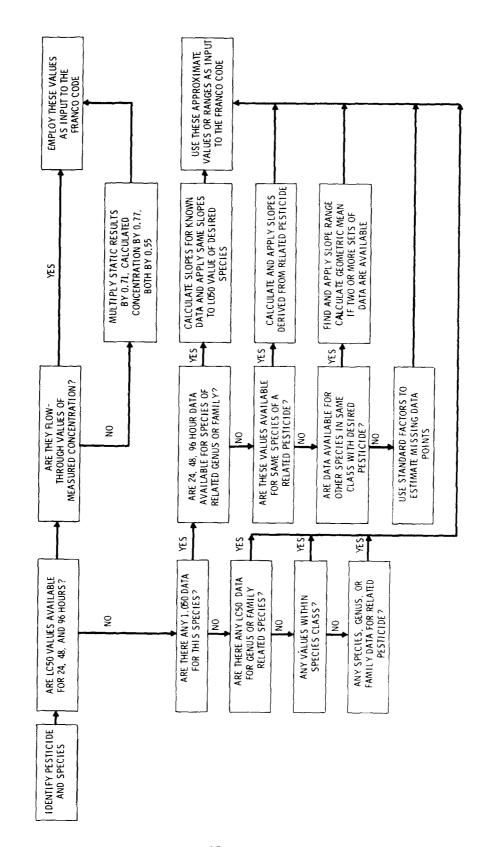


Figure 7. Procedures for assigning LC50 values for model input.

justifiable, to use less taxonomically related species to determine a likely toxicity range.

If no aquatic lethal toxicological data is accessible for a particular pesticide, the use of data from other related pesticides may be an indication of probable toxicity if biological data shows similarity. One should seek out the same organism as is being studied for a toxicity range. These approximation techniques only suggest trends and are used solely for model continuity.

One further method describing the lethality curve is presented, but its proper application has not been determined. It is based on the apparent hyperbolic character of the LC50 curve. A computational method of determining duration-concentration values on this curve, particularly for the lethal threshold concentration, is discussed by Dawson et al. (1974), and refers to a mathematical formula described by Wuhrmann (1952) as

$$(C-C_S)^n(d_m-d_S) = K$$

where

C = concentration of toxin

 $C_S$  = concentration threshold

 $d_{m}$  = response time of fish

 $d_S$  = threshold of response time

n, k = constants

The method may be limited to pure compounds or formulations demonstrating only one mechanism for lethality. Data points must lie in an hyperbolic pattern having both horizontal and vertical assymptotes on a graph of time versus concentration. Use of this formula may have an important application as a method of extending the lethal curve beyond the last experimental point.

The mechanism for predicting potential sublethal effects is based on the use of the experimentally derived MATC range. The MATC range is located between the highest value showing no detectable harmful effects and the lowest values displaying some observable effect.

While recent focus on chronic data has greatly expanded its availability, MATCs have not yet been generated for the majority of pesticides. The requirement for a MATC range is paramount to the sublethal assessment process. Figure 8 illustrates the alternatives when no MATC has been published for a particular pesticide and aquatic species. Where considerable chronic data is available on long-term exposure, the MATC range can be simply written as the interval between the highest no effect level to the lowest effect level. If the tests were not run specifically to establish such limits, this range may be wider than necessary.

Where neither MATC nor adequate chronic values are obtainable for the species of concern, data for other species' response to the same pesticide

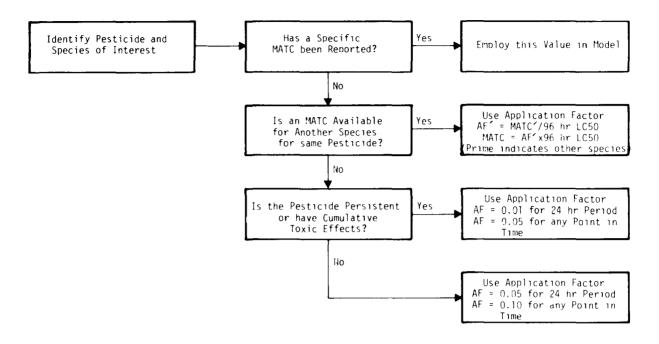


Figure 8. Procedure for assigning chronic toxicity input data.

may be applied. The existence of a correlation between the 96-hour LC50 and the MATC has been noted in the Water Quality Criteria - 1972 (WQC 1972). An application factor (AF) may be derived from known 96-hour LC50 and MATC values and may be applied to other species exposed to the same pesticide to estimate its MATC. The apparent similarity of the ratio of MATC to a 96-hr LC50 for different species for a particular pesticide has been discussed by Eaton (1973). The measured MATC range is divided by the 96-hour LC50 for the known species to calculate an Application Factor (AF) range.

MATC Range/96-hr LC50 = Application Factor Range

The product of this AF and the 96-hour LC50 of the species of concern can be used to estimate its MATC.

AF Range x 96-hr LC50 = MATC

The following information, as explained above, should now be ready for computer analysis of each pesticide and aquatic species under consideration:

Lethality: 24-hr LC50

48-hr LC50 96-hr LC50

Other LC50 points given by toxicological studies

Incipient LC50 if given or calculated Confidence intervals if available.

Sublethality: MATC range MATC point

Ideally, all these points will be available for the graphing of lethality over both short and long exposures. However, in addition to the lack of one or more data points describing the LC50 concentrations at points 24, 48, and 96 hours, several assumptions are required to complete the curve. The curve must be defined between the point on the vertical axis  $(\mathsf{C}_0,\,\mathsf{d}_0)$  and the shortest lethal data point and also beyond the longest lethal or sublethal data point. Input of the minimum time to achieve a lethality response at high concentrations  $(\mathsf{t}_m)$  is required. Frequently this value lies between one and six hours, thus allowing for the assignment of a reasonable but arbitrary  $\mathsf{t}_m$ . Sometimes it may be two days or more. Experimental data should be used where available to resolve this upper end of the LC50 curve.

The LC50 line from  $d_0$  to the first data point may be most justifiably dealt with by extending the LC50 curve from the concentration at the first known data point (C1) horizontally back to the ordinate (Figure 9). This assumes that any value greater than  $C_0$  (which equals  $C_1$ ) exceeds the LC50 line and is therefore included in the medium lethal zone. This assumption results in a conservative estimate for this section of the curve.

A second approach for handling this area assumes no lethality exceeding 50% occurs at any concentration for a species exposed less than time equal to d1. It is represented by a vertical line extended above (C1,d1) as illustrated in Figure 10. This method is the least conservative measure of lethality for the duration d < d1. The curve for this section may be modeled in some alternate fashion if enough evidence exists to justify a different procedure. An example of such manipulation is defining a slope from some point  $C_0 > C_1$  to point  $C_1$ . The lethal curve probably approaches the ordinate at  $C > C_0$  in a hyperbolic fashion.

Straight line segments have been used to define the LC50 curve between the known points. An incipient LC50 value at a given time covered within the time plot may be considered the final known point where it has been given or calculated. The section between the last known point and the LC50 concentration at the arbitrary end of the curve is the second area of uncertainty.

This uncertainty has been dealt with in two ways. The first procedure is to extend the final known LC50 value horizontally to the end (Figure 11). This assumes the incipient LC50 has been reached. Sometimes, however, the lethality curve continues a significant negative slope past the last known value, especially when the effects are cumulative. In this case the lateral extension of the last concentration value may vastly underestimate the potential for lethality.

The second procedure is a conservative lethality estimate. The LC50 and MATC parameters are combined in a single relationship to assess the

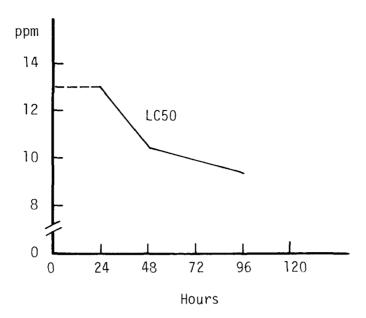


Figure 9. Horizontal extrapolation of the LC50 curve to origin.

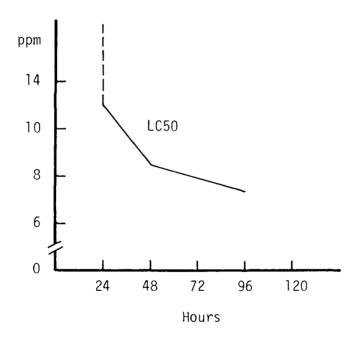


Figure 10. Vertical extrapolation of the LC50 curve

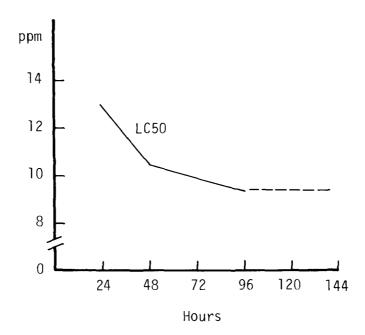


Figure 11. Horizontal extension of the LC50 curve.

probability of short-term median lethality or long-term effects. This curve is illustrated in Figure 12. A value of 96 hours has been selected to merge the LC50 curve with the MATC line because of its frequent usage as a separation for acute and chronic toxicity. Another time may be preferentially selected for merging the curves if the LC50 curve is known to level out at some point considerably before or after 96 hours.

FRANCO accepts a maximum of six pairs of concentration-duration points to define each curve. Where more than six pairs are available and necessary for modeling, these values may be incorporated into two or more curves. The areas exceeding the curves at all points or between all line segments can then be estimated.

The choice of the input curves depends on the needs of a methodology user. Some of the possible curves are illustrated in Figures 13a to 13d. Interpretation of the curves requires an understanding of the assumptions they represent. The curves a, b, c, and d in Figure 13 are offered as the most informative at this time. Additional curves may be generated as desired for the time frame deemed most important. For example, the curve may be described and its probability estimated for a duration longer than 48 or 96 hours.

If no chronic data or MATC values can be obtained, an arbitrary application factor based on the chemical's persistence and acumulation tendencies as discussed in the WQC-72 standard may be used. WQC-72 defines persistent as having a half-life greater than four days. If the compound is known to be persistent or be cumulative in its effects, use 0.01 as the standard application factor. If it is neither persistent or cumulative in

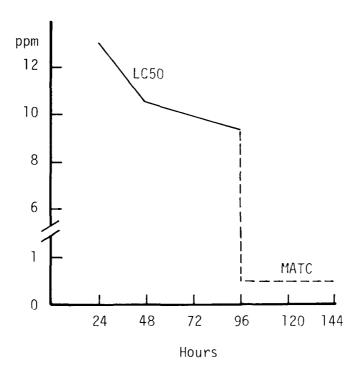


Figure 12. Combination of the LC50 curve with the MATC value.

action, an AF of 0.05 should be applied. Concentrations between 0.01 and 0.05 of the 96-hr LC50 should not be exceeded for more than 24 hours for the non-persistent chemicals.

The MATC range for experimentally derived data may be converted to a point for convenient computer manipulation. Two options exist for its calculation. The first is to take the geometric mean of both extreme values as the MATC value. The second is to choose one of the MATC range limits for the distinction. Use of the highest no effect value is the most conservative method.

The FRANCO output is a summary of concentration information based on certain physical and chemical characteristics. It is an important tool to aid the interpretation of the potential effects of a chemical on a given species. However, there are other factors that may be critical to a specific assessment. The FRANCO output does not reflect biological effects other than toxicity and cannot reflect fish behavior in avoiding or preferring the affected area, induced sensitivity or resistance to the chemical(s), life stages during which sensitivity is greatest or least, synergistic or antagonistic effects from other chemicals in the water, and a variety of other "real world" possibilities. It is up to those interpreting the results to consider these factors along with the concentration summary provided by FRANCO to assess associated risks of pesticides.

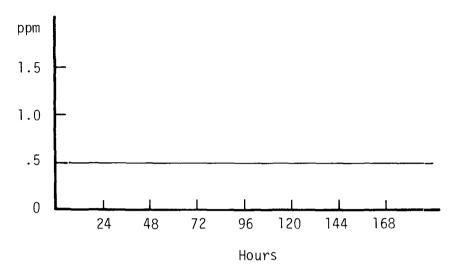


Figure 13a. The MATC line converted from MATC range.

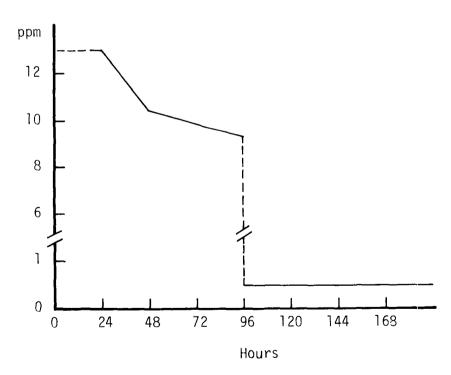


Figure 13b. Conservative estimate of lethality using MATC line.

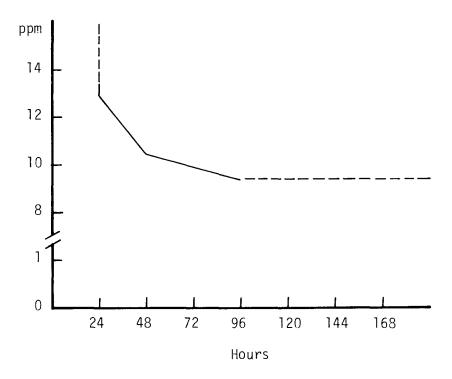


Figure 13c. Least conservative estimate of lethality.

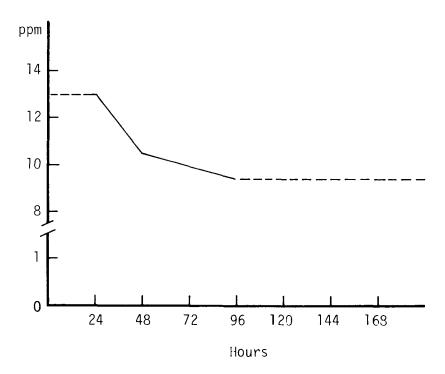


Figure 13d. Alternative representation of lethality in unknown regions.

### SECTION 5

# APPLICATION OF METHODOLOGY

# GENERAL REMARKS

The CMRA Methodology described in this report is the first attempt to integrate mathematical models with statistical analysis and risk assessment procedures to produce a comprehensive nonpoint source pollution assessment tool for pesticides. For this reason, it was necessary to evaluate the soundness of the methodology by applying it to an agricultural watershed and receiving streams. In addition to evaluating the soundness, there were other important reasons for the test application. Mathematical-model-based methodologies generally require large quantities of detailed field data. Since data availability could be a constraint to the use of the methodology, the test application was used to help identify data requirements. A test application of the methodology also provided a means of developing a step-by-step procedure for its use (see Appendix A). Finally, the applicability, limitations, and required refinements of the methodology, as well as each of its components, were best identified through such an application.

The first step in the application of the CMRA methodology was to identify agricultural watersheds for which detailed field sampling programs had been or are currently being conducted. Representatives from the Environmental Protection Agency, the United States Geological Survey, the United States Department of Agriculture Science and Education Administration (previously the Agricultural Research Service) were contacted, along with a number of state environmental agencies and university researchers to identify potential data sources. This survey showed that pesticide data have classically been collected at two levels: 1) on large watersheds or river basins usually several hundred square kilometers in size or 2) on small field sites or test plots which are usually less than 5 to 10 ha in size. Only recently have field data collection programs been initiated on moderate size watersheds.

One such program is being conducted by Iowa State University (ISU) on the Four Mile Creek watershed in central Iowa. The basic objectives of the field sampling program are 1) to collect data for use in testing and refining ARM and 2) to conduct complimentary model-oriented research related to nonpoint pollutants from agricultural lands (Baker et al. 1979). The transport of sediment, pesticides and nutrients by water is being studied in order to obtain a better understanding of the effect of agricultural activities on water quality and to improve the usefulness of models as tools for assessing alternative agricultural management systems. This

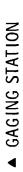
three-year program, which began in 1975, involves cooperation among the Agricultural Engineering and Agronomy Departments at ISU; Hydrocomp, Inc.; and the EPA Environmental Research Laboratory, Athens, Georgia. Since the data generated under the Iowa State University study generally met the data requirements of at least the overland modeling portion of the methodology, the Four Mile Creek watershed was selected for testing purposes.

The Four Mile Creek watershed is located in northwestern Tama County, Iowa and covers an area of about  $50.5~\rm km^2$ . It is typical of the heavily cropped regions of Iowa, the major crops being corn, soybeans, oats and hay. Annual sediment yields for basins in this region are about  $150~\rm MT/km^2$  for basins on the order of  $50~\rm km^2$  in size and water yields average about  $150~\rm mm/yr$  (Baker et al. 1979). Farmers usually plow corn lands and disk bean lands in preparation for the next crop. Fertilizers are applied by all farmers and herbicides are applied by most.

Figure 14 shows a map of the Four Mile Creek watershed along with the locations of hydrologic and meterologic data collection stations. The sizes of the catchments being studied range from field sites on the order of 6 ha in area to the entire watershed. Precipitation is measured by a network of recording rain gages. Other meteorological data are collected at a weather station located near the watershed. Runoff, either as streamflow or overland flow, is measured at each of the gaging stations. In Four Mile Creek, there are two gaging stations maintained by U.S. Geological Survey. There is no permanent gaging station in Wolf Creek whose tributary is Four Mile Creek. Sediment, pesticides and nutrient sampling also occurs at each gaging station. Details of the field sampling study, including other aspects of the sampling program such as soil sampling for pesticides and nutrients and crop inventories are presented by Baker et al. (1979).

Since the purpose of the methodology application to Four Mile Creek watershed was to evaluate the methodology and not to perform a complete assessment, only a portion of the watershed was used. This area is shown in Figure 15 as hatched catchments along with the Four Mile and Wolf Creeks; Wolf Creek is a tributary of the Cedar River. For the purpose of modeling runoff, sediment and pesticide contributions to Four Mile Creek, the watershed area was subdivided into the three catchments: the Gladbrook (344 ha), the northern catchment (660 ha), and the southern catchment (440 ha)(see Figures 14 and 15). The movement of sediment and pesticide were simulated over a 67.6 km reach of Four Mile and Wolf Creeks; the reach extended from upstream of the Lincoln gaging station to the mouth of Wolf Creek.

The pesticide selected for the test application was alachlor or Lasso (trade name). Alachlor is a preemergence herbicide used to control most annual grasses and certain broadleaf weeds. Alachlor is the most widely used herbicide in the Four Mile Creek watershed (Baker et al. 1979). Alachlor, applied at a recommended rate, has an average effective soil persistence of 6 to 10 weeks and is primarily degraded by microbial action and chemical breakdown (Weed Science Society of America 1979; Stewart et al. 1965). While alachlor will adsorb to colloidal particles in the



# RAIN GAUGE LOCATION

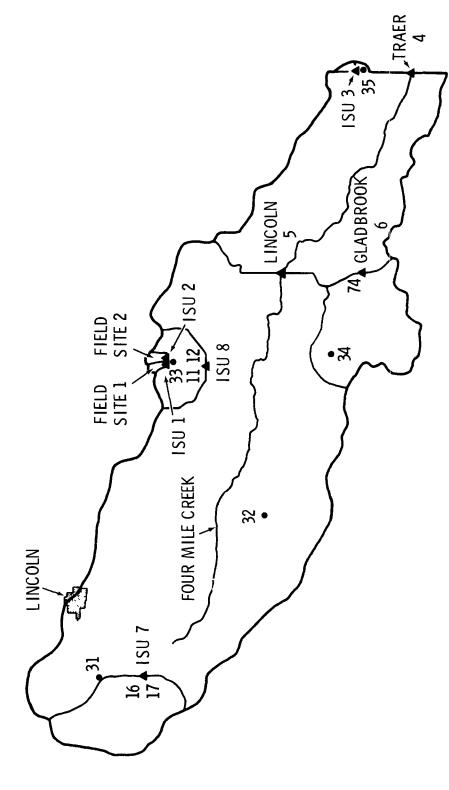


Figure 14. Locations of ISU sampling stations at four mile creek watershed.

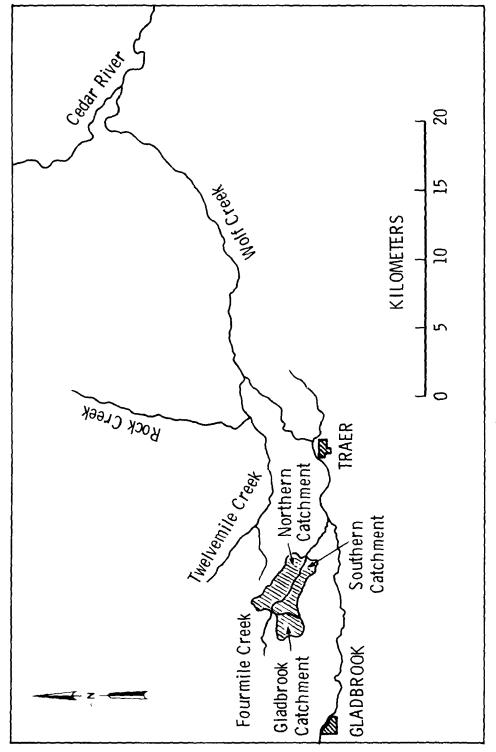


Figure 15. Four Mile and Wolf Creek in Iowa.

soil, it tends to be transported from agricultural lands mainly in a dissolved form. Its half-life in water depends on the aerobic character of the water body and its sediments. Alachlor on an aerobic sediment has a half-life of probably less than two weeks. Anaerobic sediment conditions speed the degradation process and result in a half-life of about four days.

Alachlor is moderate in its toxicity, causing acute effects at the 1 to 30 ppm range, and its level of bioconcentration is low for fish species tested. It has a solubility of 240 mg/l and a Kd value of 10 to 50 ml/g. As noted before, however, its persistence decreases with microbial interactions with sediments.

In order to obtain a long enough time history of pesticide concentrations in Wolf Creek for statistical analysis and risk assessment, a three year duration between June 1971 to May 1974 was selected. More details regarding the test application are given in the following discussions of each component of the methodology.

## OVERLAND PESTICIDE MODELING

An evaluation of the ISU data showed that even though very few storms occurred during 1976 and 1977 due to drought conditions, the data for ISU Field Sites 1 and 2 (see Figure 14) were detailed and complete enough for an initial calibration of ARM. Since alachlor was applied only to ISU Field Site 1 in 1976, this catchment was selected for use in model calibration. Precipitation data from Rain Gauge No. 33 and meteorological data from the ISU weather station were input to ARM along with other data on catchment characteristics, crop growth and times of tillage and pesticide application. Initial values of model calibration coefficients were established by using the guidelines given in the ARM User's Manual (Donigian and Davis 1978).

Initial attempts to calibrate the hydrology coefficients on ISU Field Site 1 showed that no single set of coefficients could be selected to represent the highly variable runoff conditions caused by soil tillage at the site. The dramatic impact of tillage practices can be illustrated by comparing the measured runoff from Field Site 1 with that measured at Field Site 2. Field Site 2 is located next to Field Site 1 (see Figure 14) and, with the exception of cropping pattern, both sites have basically the same size, topographic characteritics, soil composition, and precipitation patterns. Field Site 1 has an area of 5.7 ha and was planted with soybeans in 1976, while Field Site 2 has an area of 7.6 ha and was planted with corn. In 1977 these crops were rotated. Table 5 presents a comparison of total runoff from both sites for each of the five major storm events which occurred in 1976 and 1977. Besides showing the impact that recent tillage operations have on reducing surface runoff, the comparison also shows that deeper tillage practices like plowing have a greater impact than disking. Similar observations on the effects of various tillage systems on soil and water loss from Iowa soils were reported by Laflen et al. (1978).

Future improvements to ARM should include the incorporation of tillage parameters into the hydrologic component of the model. Perhaps the

infiltration coefficient (INFIL) could be increased at the time of tillage and then decreased to its nominal value through a linear or first-order decay scheme.

TABLE 5. RUNOFF COMPARISON FOR FIELD SITES NUMBER 1 AND 2

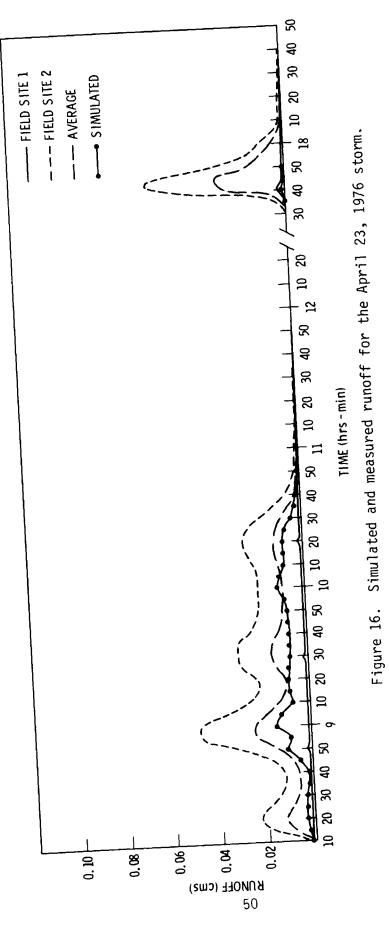
			Field Site	#1		Field Site	#2
Storm	Rainfall		Tillage		Runoff	Tillage	
Event	<u>(mm)</u>	<u>(mm)</u>	Practice	<u>Date</u>	(mm)	Practice	<u>Date</u>
4/23/76	28	0.6	Plowed	4/5/76	6.0	Disked	4/2/76
5/29/76	29	3.8	Planted	5/19/76	11.4	Planted	4/28/76
6/13/76	37	8.1			1.2	Cultivated	6/7/76
4/19/77	20	4.5	Disked	4/19/77	0.0	Plowed	3/31/77
8/15/77	38	4.8			0.8		

Figures 16 through 20 show comparisons between the measured and simulated runoff for each of the five major storm events. The measured runoff for Field Site 2 and the average runoff for the two sites are included for comparison purposes. These figures show that although the model could not be calibrated to exactly simulate each event, the model does simulate the major trends fairly well. Much of the difference between measured and simulated values can probably be attributed to the impact of soil tillage.

While this impact is highly evident on field size areas, larger catchments (e.g., several hundred hectares in size) which are more heterogenous in terms of cropping and tillage patterns would not be as highly affected by tillage since all of the fields in a larger catchment would not be tilled at the same time or to the same degree. Since the ARM model was to be applied to areas larger than the Field Sites 1 and 2 in the test application, the calibrated hydrology coefficients for these field sites were tested by applying ARM to the catchment area above ISU Station 8 (see Figure 14). This catchment is about 30 times larger than the Field Sites 1 and 2 and closely approximates the sizes of the catchments selected for the test application (see Figure 15). While detailed runoff measurements were only taken during 1977 at Site 8, comparisons between measured and calculated flows indicated that several of the hydrology coefficients had to be slightly modified. The initial and modified values for each coefficient are listed below.

	Initial	Modified
UZSN	0.15	0.40
INFIL	0.10	0.03
INTER	0.70	1.50

Leytham and Johanson reported an earlier application of ARM to Four Mile Creek watershed (Leyham and Johanson 1979). Table 6 shows that their calibrated coefficients agree quite well with the coefficients obtained during this study. The only exceptions are those hydrology parameters



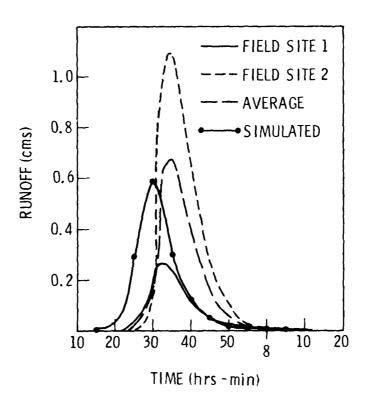


Figure 17. Simulated and measured runoff of the May 29, 1976 storm.

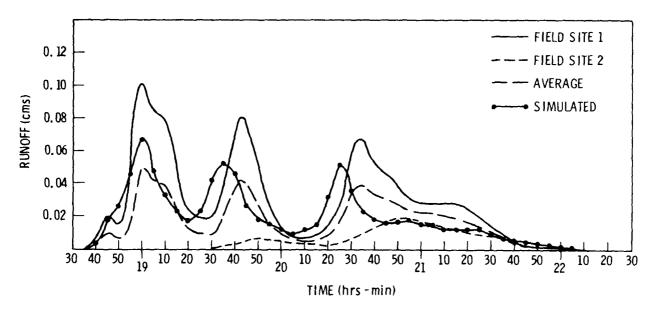


Figure 18. Simulated and measured runoff for the June 13, 1976 storm.

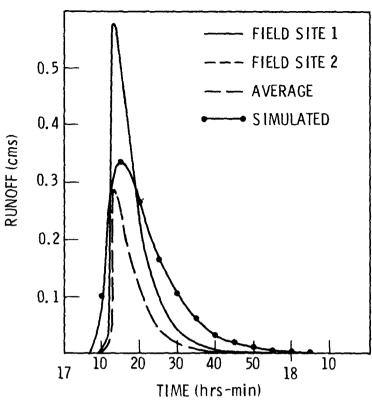


Figure 19. Simulated and measured runoff for the April 19, 1977 storm.

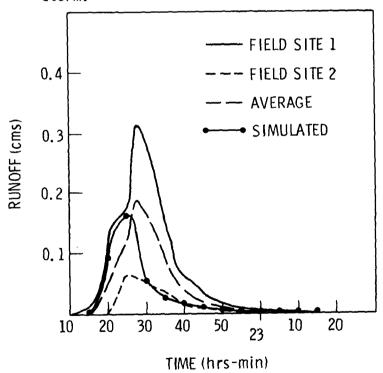


Figure 20. Simulated and measured runoff for the August 15, 1977 storm.

TABLE 6. COMPARISON OF HYDROLOGY COEFFICIENTS

Coefficient	Battelle- Northwest	Leytham and Johanson(a)
A EPXM UZSN LZSN K3 K24L K24EL INFIL INTER L SS NN IRC KK24 KV	0.0 0.12 0.40 8.0 0.6 1.0 - 0.03 1.50 200.0 0.065 0.20	0.003 0.09 0.80 7.8 0.5(b) 0.35 0.0 0.035 3.5 520. 0.060 0.23 0.33 0.97 1.0

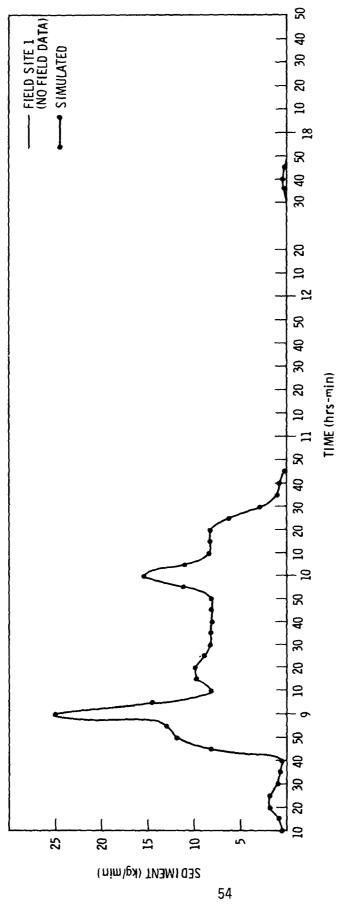
<sup>(</sup>a) Average values for Segments 1, 2 and 3

which are related to the groundwater component of runoff (i.e., IRC, KK24, K24EL, KV). The ISU Field Sites were too small to calibrate these parameters. As a result, the coefficients that could not be evaluated were supplemented with Leytham and Johanson's coefficients. Since no runoff data were collected at either field site during the winter months, the snowmelt coefficients could not be evaluated. Therefore, Leytham and Johanson's snowmelt coefficients were also used.

Figures 21 through 25 also show the measured and simulated sediment mass removal rates for each storm event. The model was calibrated to the Field Site 1 data since the two field sites were tilled at different times and to varying degrees. The sediment coefficients were calibrated to be consistent with the runoff results (i.e., if the simulated runoff was greater than that measured runoff for Field Site 1, the simulated sediment transport was also greater). Table 7 shows a comparison between the sediment coefficients obtained under this study and those obtained by Leytham and Johanson. Again, good agreement was obtained.

Soil-pesticide data collected during 1976 on Field Site 1 showed that the degradation rate for alachlor changed after the May 23, 1976 storm event which occurred only ten days after application. The degradation rates before and after the runoff event were about 0.08/day and 0.06/day, respectively. The first version of ARM does not have the multiple degradation rate option available in ARM-II. A value of 0.06/day was selected for the test application.

<sup>(</sup>b) Average values for April through October



Simulated and measured sediment mass removal rate for the April 23, 1976 storm Figure 21.

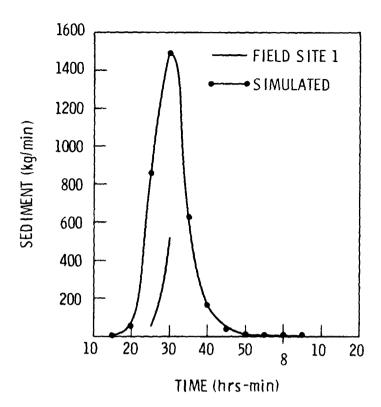


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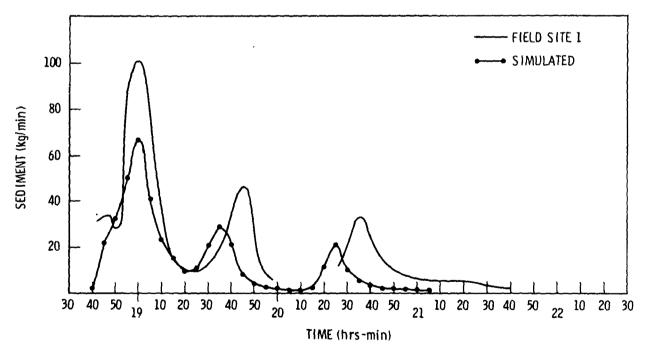
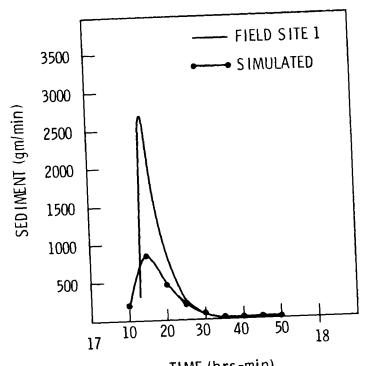
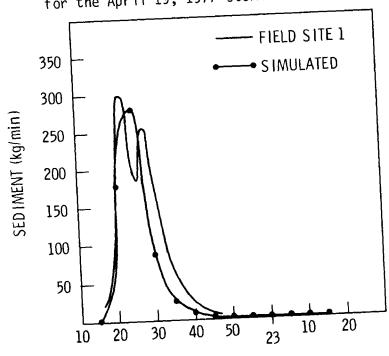


Figure 23. Simulated and measured sediment mass removal rate for the June 13,  $1976 \, \mathrm{storm}$ .



TIME (hrs-min)
Figure 24. Simulated and measured sediment mass removal rate for the April 19, 1977 storm.



TIME (hrs-min)
Figure 25. Simulated and measured sediment mass removal rate for the August 15, 1977 storm.

TABLE 7. COMPARISON OF SEDIMENT COEFFICIENTS

Coefficient JRER	Battelle- Northwest 2.2	Leytham and Johanson(a) 2.2
KRER	0.25	0.43
JSER	2.2	1.8
KSER	1.8	0.9
SRERTL	2.0	2.0

(a) Average of values for Segments 1, 2 and 3

At the time of this study, data on pesticide concentrations in the runoff from Field Site 1 were limited. In addition, no data had been collected by ISU on the adsorption and desorption of alachlor on soils found in Four Mile Creek watershed. Data such as these are required to determine the coefficients for the Freundlich adsorption/desorption isotherm algorithm used in ARM. Recent experimental work on alachlor adsorption and desorption on a number of different soils provided values for the Freundlich isotherm coefficients (Jordan 1978). For soils of composition and organic matter content similar to the silt-loams commonly found in Four Mile Creek watershed, K and 1/N in the Freundlich adsorption/desorption isotherm alrogithm were found to be approximately 1.3 and 0.4, respectively. Since only limited pesticide runoff data were available, these coefficients were used without being tested. Future comparisons between simulated and measured pesticide runoff concentrations are required to verify the actual values of K and 1/N for alachlor at Four Mile Creek watershed.

Following the calibration of the hydrologic, sediment and pesticide coefficients, the ARM model was prepared for the test application. In order to obtain a long enough time history of pesticide concentrations for statistical analysis, a three-year simulation of runoff, sediment and pesticide contributions to Four Mile Creek was performed. Detailed mete-orologic data from the ISU study, however, were not available for this duration. As a result, meteorological data collected at nearby weather stations were obtained from the National Climatic Center in Asheville, North Carolina. Table 8 lists each type of data required and the station from which it was obtained. The simulation time period selected was January 1970 through May 1974. The first year of data were used to calculate initial soil moisture and sediment conditions.

The dates for plowing, planting and cultivating were randomly selected within the approximate time periods given by Leytham and Johanson (1979) for each field operation (see Table 9). Soybeans were assumed to be the major crop planted in the study area and alachlor was applied to the soy-

TABLE 8. SOURCES OF METEOROLOGICAL DATA FOR THE TEST APPLICATION OF THE METHODOLOGY TO FOUR MILE CREEK WATERSHED

Date Type	Weather Station	Period of Record
Precipitation (hourly)	Traer, Iowa	August 1948 - December 1976
Pan Evaporation	Ames, Iowa	January 1962 - December 1973
Maximum and Minimum Air Temperature (daily)	Toledo, Iowa	April 1948 - December 1976
Wind Movement (daily)	Waterloo, Iowa	January 1961 - December 1976
Solar Radiation (daily)	Ames, Iowa	July 1959 - August 1972
Dewpoint Temperature (daily)	Waterloo, Iowa	January 1961 - December 1976

TABLE 9. APPROXIMATE TIME PERIODS FOR PLOWING,
PLANTING AND CULTIVATING SOYBEANS AT
FOUR MILE CREEK WATERSHED

Plowing	April 1 - May 1
Planting	May 5 - June 1
Cultivating	May 30 - July 1

beans the day after planting. The only constraint on the selection of a pesticide application date was that it could not occur on the same day as a storm event occurred.

In order to vary the rate of application of alachlor to the study area, it was assumed that conventional tillage practices, similar to those currently used on Four Mile Creek watershed, were used on the Gladbrook and southern catchments and that conservation tillage practices were used on the northern catchment. The application rate of alachlor on the conventionally tilled catchments was 1.8 kg/ha; this is the same application rate used on ISU Field Site 1 in 1976. Since the efficiency of weed control is usually reduced when conservation type practices were used, the alachlor application rate was increased to 2.3 kg/ha for the northern catchment.

Figures 26, 27, and 28 give a summary of the total simulated sediment and pesticide contributions from all three catchments during the study

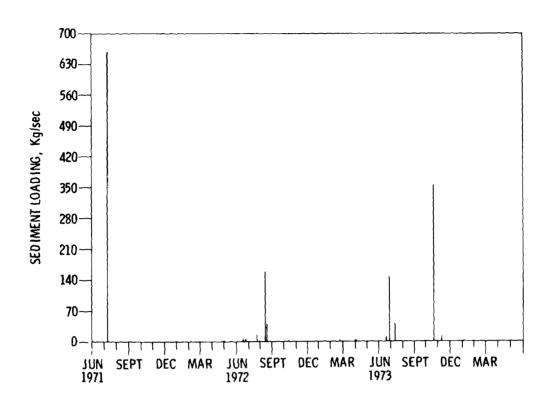


Figure 26. Time variation of predicted sediment loading to Four Mile Creek during the three year simulation period

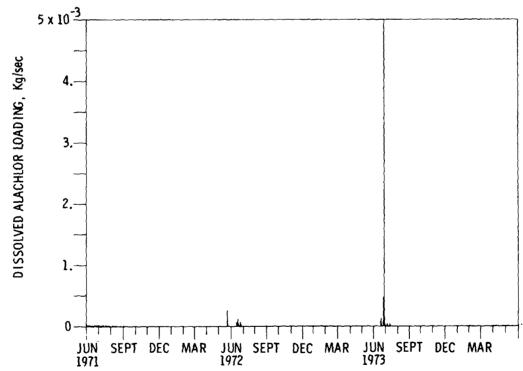


Figure 27. Time variation of predicted dissolved alachlor loading to Four mile creek during the three year simulation period

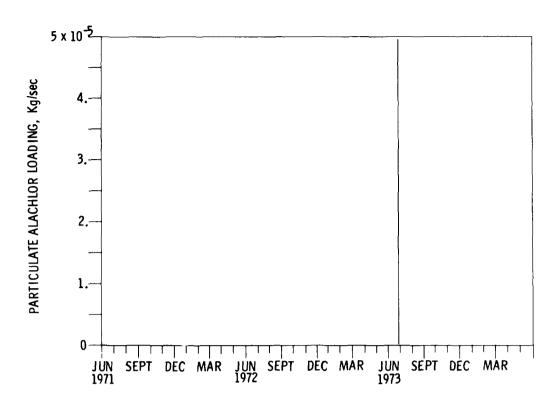


Figure 28. Time variation of predicted particulate alachlor loading to to Four Mile Creek during the three year simulation period

period. Simulation results show that the major runoff events at Four Mile Creek watershed occur between May and September each year but not in winters or early spring.

#### INSTREAM PESTICIDE MODELING

As shown in Figure 15, the study area for the instream modeling was a 67.6 km reach between River Kilometer 19.3 in Four Mile Creek and the mouth of Wolf Creek. Four Mile Creek joins Wolf Creek at River Kilometer 48.3 of Wolf Creek. Runoff, sediment loading and pesticide loading from the three catchments calculated by the ARM model were introduced to Four Mile Creek at River Kilometer 9.7.

Unlike the overland pesticide modeling discussed above, almost no measured data were available for the instream pesticide modeling. Discharge measurements of Four Mile Creek conducted at Traer (River Kilometer 4.2) during the three year simulation period indicate the large variation of daily discharge ranging from 9.65  $\rm m^3/sec$  to 0.006  $\rm m^3/sec$ . The average discharge at Traer during this period was 0.46  $\rm m^3/sec$ . Since the purpose of the methodology application to Four Mile and Wolf Creeks was to evaluate the CMRA Methodology and not to perform an assessment in this area, actual flow variations were simplified for this study.

The base flows of Four Mile and Wolf Creeks without runoff contributions was assumed to be 2  $\rm m^3/sec$  and 7  $\rm m^3/sec$ , respectively. Test conditions

for the instream modeling are shown in Table 10. Based on field data obtained by ISU (Baker et al. 1979), it was assumed that the river sediment consists of 65% sand, 15% silt and 20% clay. For erried soil from the overland, Baker et al. (1979) show a variation in a particle size distribution as a function of time and sediment concentrati for the 4/19/77 runoff event which occurred at Field Site 1. Based on these particle size distribution analyses performed by ISU on a selected runoff sampler, calculated total sediment loading from these three stchments were assumed to consist of 0% sand, 40% silt and 60% clay. Particle sizes of sand, silt and clay were assumed to be 0.350 mm, 0.01 mm, and 0.0014 mm, respectively. No field or laboratory studies were performed to evaluate critical shear stresses ( $\tau_{\text{CRj}}$  and  $\tau_{\text{CDj}}$ ) and the erodibility coefficient (M<sub>j</sub>), needed to calculate erosion and deposition of cohesive sediments (see detailed model formulations of SERATRA ir Onishi and Wise 1979c). These parameters were determined through a trial and error calibration procedure. The bed shear stresses at each location for each time step were calculated by SERATRA code internally with a known hydraulic condition.

The distribution coefficient, Kd, of alachlor associated with the bulk sediment was estimated to be 50 ml/g in receiving streams (Baker et al. 1979). In this study, Kd values of alachlor with sand, silt and clay were rather arbitrarily assumed to be 2, 20, and 100 ml/g. The total pesticide alachlor for each storm event was then distributed to each sediment size fraction as follows: A ratio of the selected Kd values of sand to those of silt and clay is 1:10:50. Hence for an equal amount of sand, silt and clay, clay contains five times more alachlor than silt, which in turn contains 10 times more alachlor than sand. Since the sediment loading from overland was assumed to be 40% silt and 60% clay, total particulate alachlor contributed from the three catchments was divided into 0, 12 and 88% each associated with eroded overland sand, silt and clay, respectively at the stream edge. Because of the lack of available data, the transfer rate,  $K_j$ , for alachlor to moving sediment and stationary bed sediment to reach to an equilibrium condition assigned by a distribution coefficient were arbitrarily assigned values of 0.36 and 0.01 per hour, respectively. Although SERATRA simulates various chemical and biological degradation of dissolved pesticides individually, there were no available data to enable the simulation of degradation by each process. Hence in this study, all pesticide degradation was lumped into a first order reaction having a degradation rate of 0.003 per hour. This rate was estimated from preliminary information supplied by Monsanto Agricultural Product Co.

Simulation of sediment and alachlor transport was conducted for each of the following substances: 1) sand, 2) silt, 3) clay, 4) dissolved alachlor, 5) particulate alachlor associated with sand, 6) particulate alachlor attached to silt, and 7) particulate alachlor adsorbed by clay. The modeling procedure for SERATRA involved simulating sediment transport of sand, silt and clay. The results were then used to simulate dissolved and particulate alachlor by including the effects of alachlor-sediment interaction. Finally, changes in stream bed conditions were recorded, including: 1) stream bed elevation change, 2) vertical and longitudinal distributions of ratios of sand, silt and clay within the bed, and 3) vertical and longitudinal distributions of alachlor within the stream bed. A

# TABLE 10. TEST CONDITIONS FOR SEDIMENT AND PESTICIDE TRANSPORT MODELING

Base Flow, m <sup>3</sup> /sec Four Mile Creek Wolf Creek	2 7
Manning Coefficient Four Mile Creek Wolf Creek	0.07 0.04
Sediment Sizes, mm Sand Silt Clay	0.35 0.016 0.0014
Bed Sediment Size Fraction, % Sand Silt Clay	65 15 20
Size Fraction of Eroded Sediment from Ove Sand Silt Clay	erland, % 0 40 60
Erodibility Coefficient, kg/m <sup>3</sup> Four Mile Creek Silt Clay	1 × 10-4 1 × 10-4
Wolf Creek Silt Clay	1 x 10-4 1 x 10-4
Critical Shear Stress for Erosion, kg/m <sup>2</sup>	
Four Mile Creek Silt Clay	1.5 1.7
Four Mile Creek Silt	1.5
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brief discussion of the simulation results will be presented here. More detailed instream simulation results as well as mathematical formulation of SERATRA were reported by Onishi and Wise (1979c).

Calibrations of EXPLORE-I to obtain proper depth and velocity distributions in Four Mile and Wolf Creeks were performed using the predicted largest runoff event (by ARM) which occurred during the three-year similation period. This event resulted in the maximum discharge of 18.1 m<sup>3</sup>/sec in Four Mile Creek. The duration of the calibration run was 10 days starting from July 8 to July 17, 1971. After numerous trial runs, the proper Manning coefficients in Four Mile and Wolf Creeks were determined to be 0.07 and 0.04, respectively. These Manning coefficient values were judged reasonable for these small streams.

After ensuring mass conservation, EXPLORE-I and ARM simulation results were input to SERATRA for the model calibration. The only parameters and coefficients that require adjustment are the vertical dispersion coefficient and the three parameters, i.e., erodibility coefficient, Mi and critical shear stresses for erosion deposition,  $\tau_{CRj}$  and  $\tau_{CDj}$  used to calculate deposition and erosion rates of cohesive sediments. Transport of noncohesive sediments (sand) does not require the model calibration. The other parameters (e.g., pesticide distribution coefficients and degradation rate, sediment sizes, etc) are determined by theoretical and experimental analyses and field conditions prior to the model simulation. Thus most of the calibration effort was oriented toward reproducing sediment distribution patterns similar to the actual or estimated longitudinal and vertical distributions of sediment concentrations for the 67.6-km study reach. For model calibration, Four Mile and Wolf Creeks were divided into fourteen 4.83-km segments. A fifteen minute time step was used. After trial and error, the values shown in Table 10 were selected for these sediment erosion and deposition parameters.

Time variations of computed sediment concentration for each sediment size fraction and the sum of the three size fractions near the mouth of Four Mile Creek (River Kilometer 2.5) are shown in Figure 29. This figure indicates that the majority of sediment is clay. Figure 30 shows time variations of computed particulate alachlor associated with each sediment size fraction, together with mean particulate alachlor concentrations (weighted average of three particulate alachlor concentrations associated with sand, silt and clay) near the mouth. Because clay has the largest Kd value, the particulate pesticide concentration associated with clay has the highest concentration. Sand contains the lowest pesticide concentration. Variations of computed dissolved, particulate and total (sum of dissolved and particulate pesticide concentrations) alachlor concentrations with time near the Four Mile Creek mouth are shown in Figure 31. The figure reveals that more than 75% of alachlor near the mouth of Four Mile Creek was transported in the dissolved form and that up to 25% of alachlor was carried by sediment. This implies that sediment transport becomes important when a pesticide has a large distribution coefficient, Kd, or a receiving water body contains very high sediment concentrations.

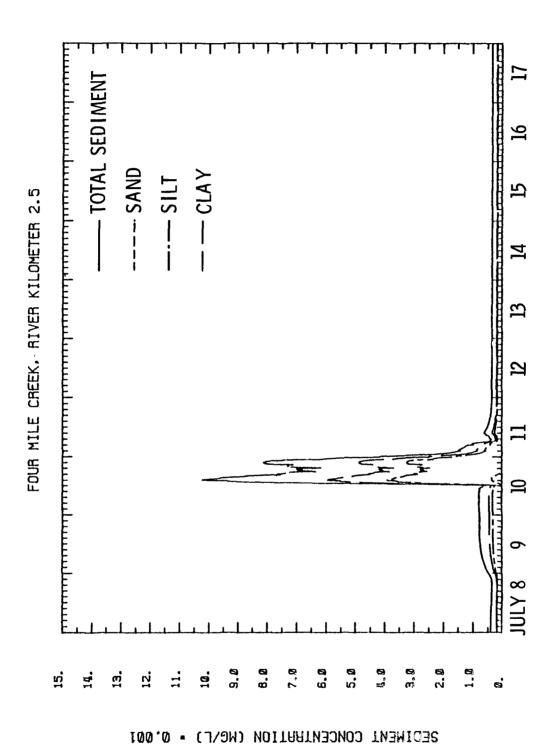
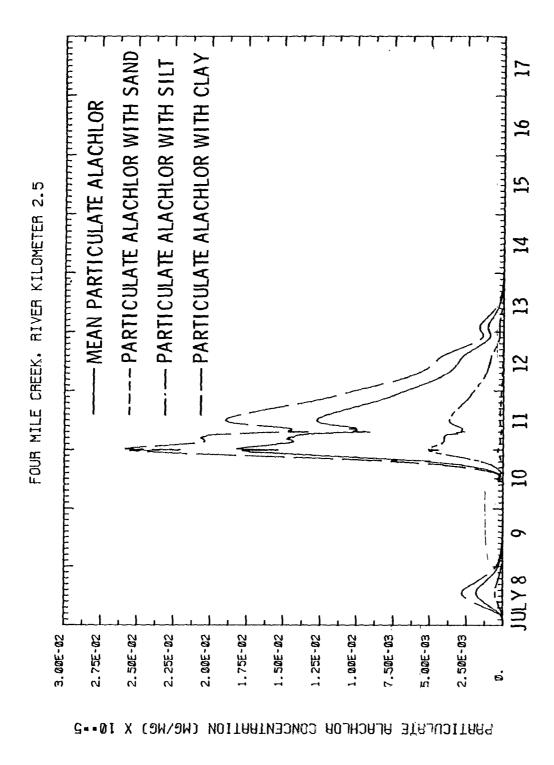


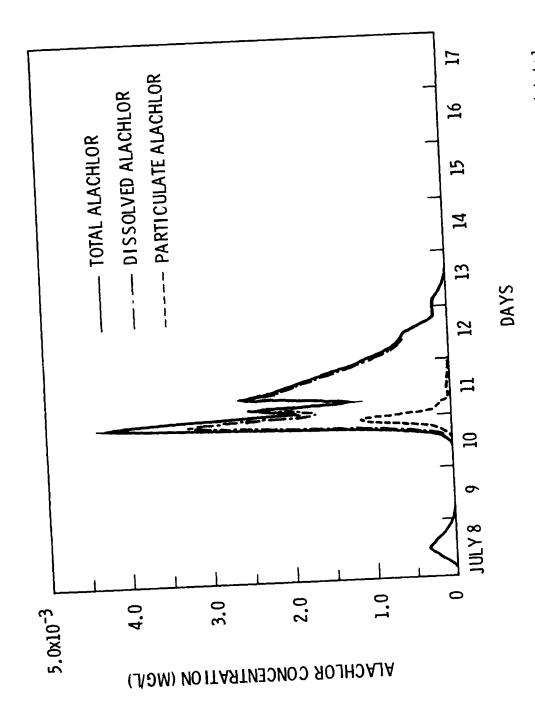
Figure 29. Time variations of simulated concentration of sand, silt, clay and total sediment at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 2.5.

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Time variations of simulated particulate alachlor concentrations associated with sand, silt and clay, together with mean particulate alachlor concentrations at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 2.5. Figure 30.

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Time variations of simulated dissolved, particulate and total alachlor concentrations at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 2.5 Figure 31.

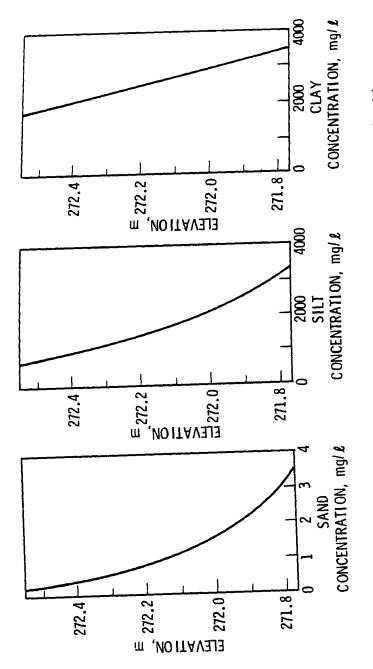
Vertical distributions of sediment and alachlor concentrations near the mouth of Four Mile Creek are shown in Figures 32, 33 and 34. In these figures, elevations of water and bed surfaces are 272.56 m and 271.77 m, respectively. Figure 32 indicates that all suspended sediments have higher concentrations near the river bed, but cohesive sediments show relatively more uniform vertical distributions. This is due to the smaller fall velocities of silt and clay as compared to the fall velocity of sand. Figure 33 presents vertical distributions of particulate alachlor concentrations per unit weight of sand, silt and clay. This figure reveals that except those attached to sand, particulate alachlor concentrations are almost vertically uniform. Vertical distributions of average particulate (weighted average of particulate alachlor associated with sand, silt and clay), dissolved and total alachlor concentrations are shown in Figure 34. In this figure, dissolved alachlor concentration is also shown to be almost vertically uniform. However, the particulate alachlor concentration per unit volume of water indicates higher concentration near the river bed due to higher sediment concentrations near the bed. The total alachlor concentration (sum of dissolved and particulate alachlor concentrations) reflects patterns of dissolved and particulate alachlor distributions.

Following model calibration, EXPIORE-I and SERATRA were used to simulate pesticide migration for the three-year duration between June 1971 and May 1974. For this case, the entire study reach was divided into seven equal-distance segments and a 30 minute time step was used to reduce the required computational time. Some of the simulation results near the mouth of Wolf Creek (River Kilometer 5) are shown in Figures 35 through 46. Figure 35 shows the time variation of flow rate calculated near the mouth of the Wolf Creek. The figure indicates that all 10 high flows occurred during the three-year simulation period happened to occur in summer and fall. Snow melt did not produce significant runoff to receiving waters.

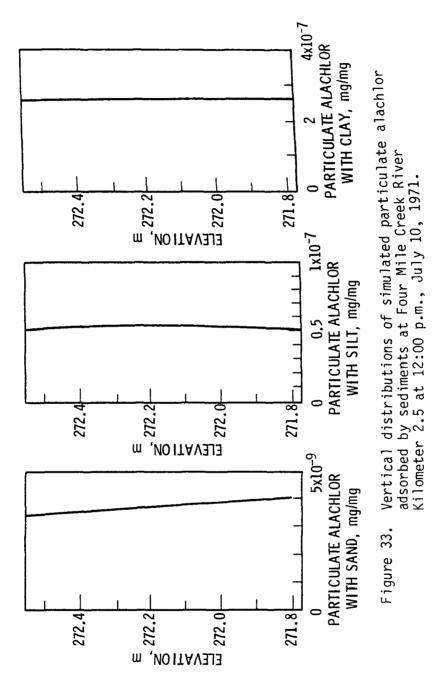
Time variation of total sediment concentration near the Wolf Creek mouth is shown in Figure 36, which clearly indicates a small number of sharp peaks associated with high flows shown in Figure 35.

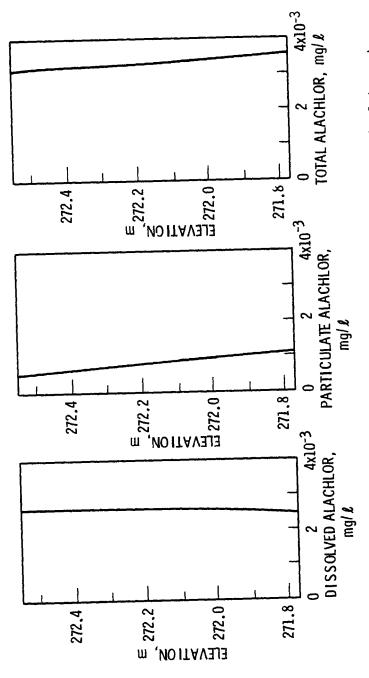
Figures 37 and 38 indicate time variations of total particulate pesticide concentrations associated with sediments per unit weight of sediment and per unit volume of water, respectively. There are two large peaks of particulate alachlor concentrations per unit weight of sediment (Figure 37) but only one large peak of particulate pesticide concentrations per unit volume of water (Figure 38). This is due to the fact that although alachlor concentrations attached to sediment per unit weight of sediment during the summer of 1972 is high, the sediment concentration during the same period is relatively low, so that the particulate alachlor concentration per unit volume of water becomes low.

Dissolved and total (sum of dissolved and particulate) alachlor concentrations near the mouth of Wolf Creek are shown in Figures 39 and 40, respectively. There are two high peaks of dissolved and total alachlor during the three-year simulation period. Figures 35 through 40 clearly



Vertical distributions of simulated sediment concentrations at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 2.5 at 12:00 p.m., July 10, 1971. Figure 32.





Vertical distributions of simulated dissolved, particulate and total alachlor concentrations at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 2.5 at  $12:00\ p.m.$ , July 10, 1971. Figure 34.

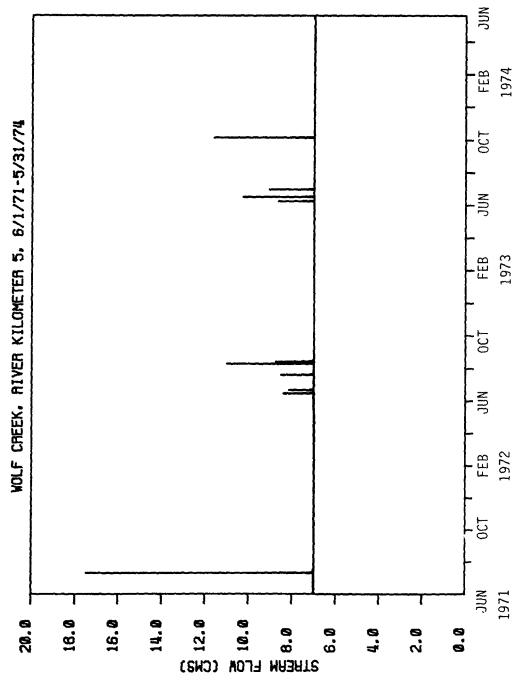
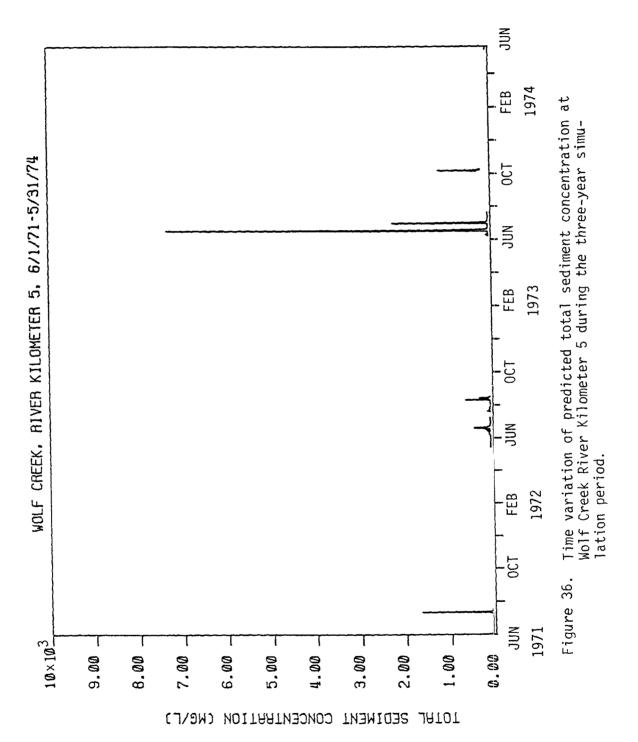
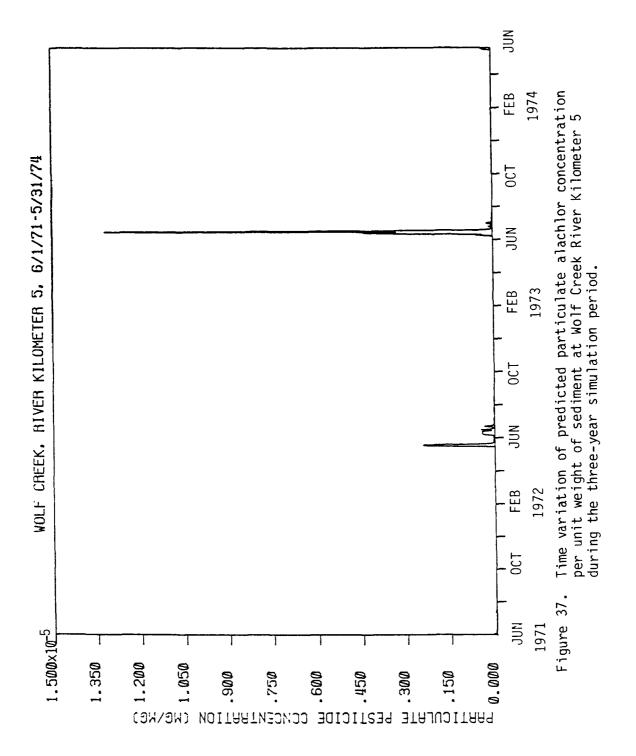
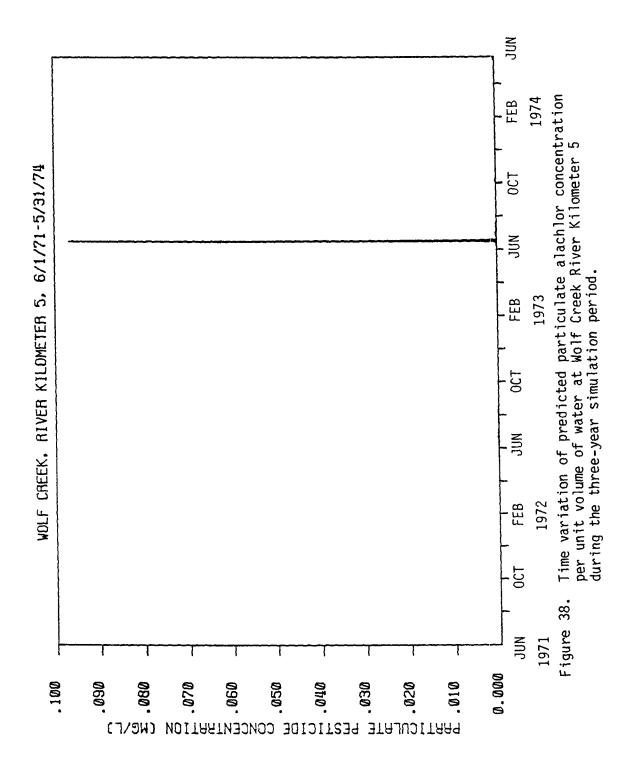
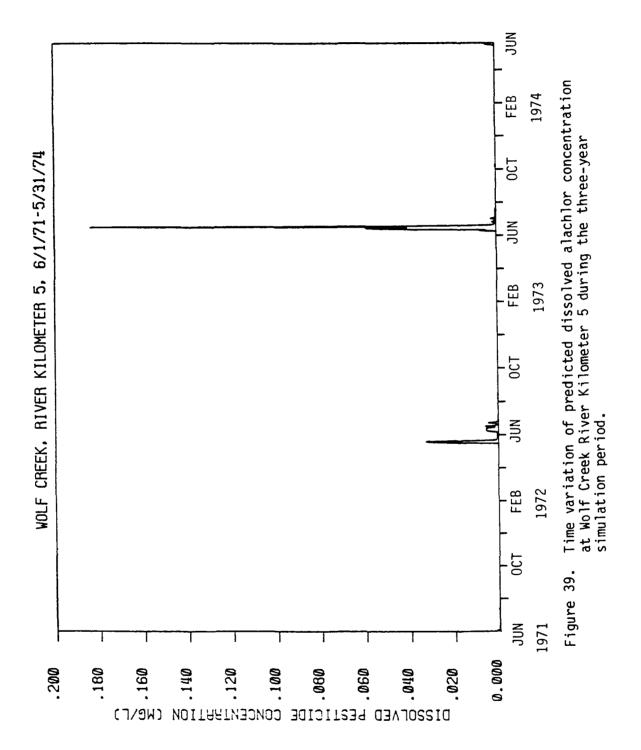


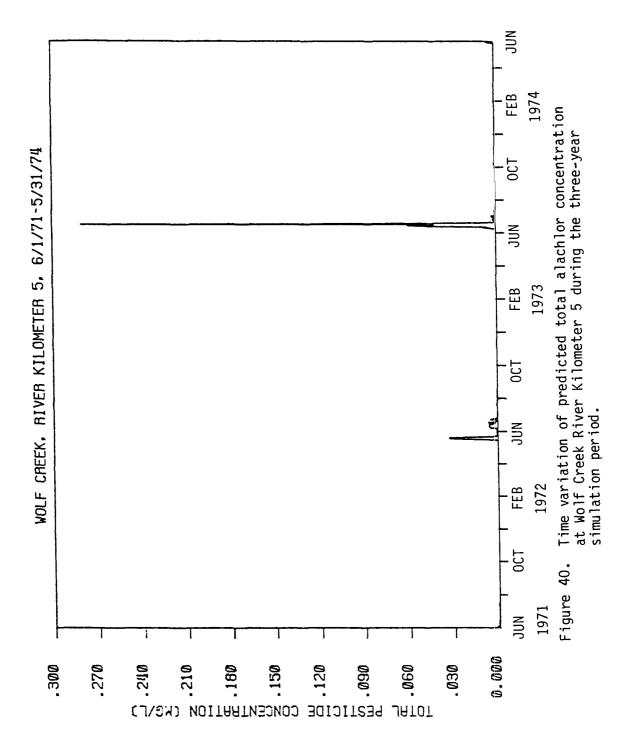
Figure 35. Time variation of predicted flow rate at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 during the three-year simulation period.

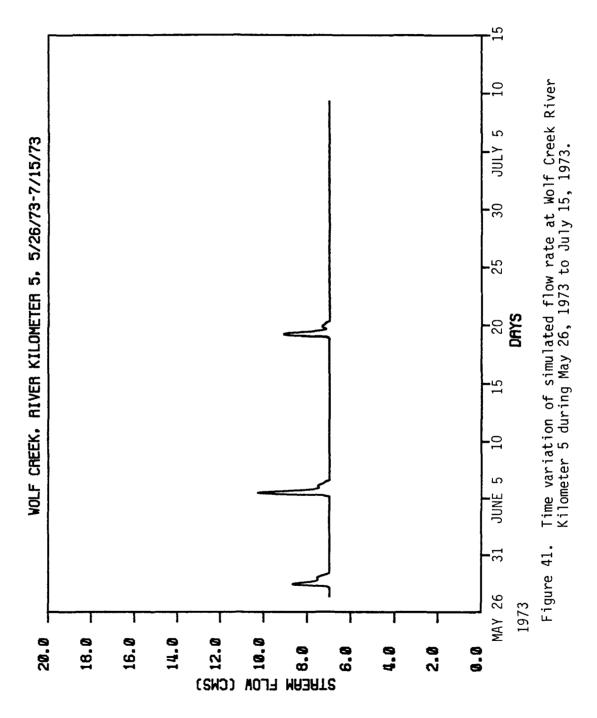


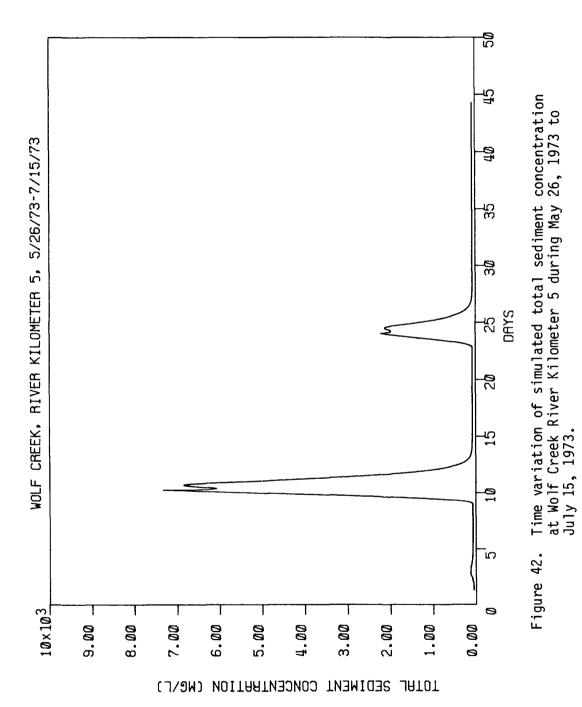




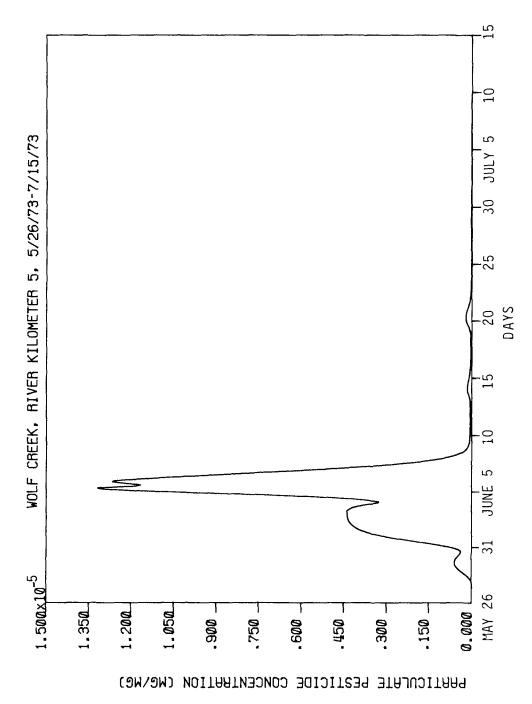




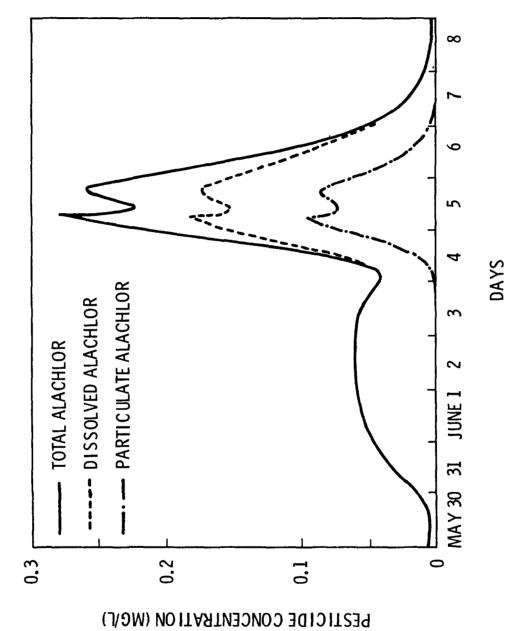




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Time variation of simulated particulate alachlor concentration at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 during May 26, 1973 to July 15, 1973. Figure 43.



Time variation of simulated dissolved, particulate and total alachlor concentrations at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 during May 30, 1973 to June 9, 1973. Figure 44.

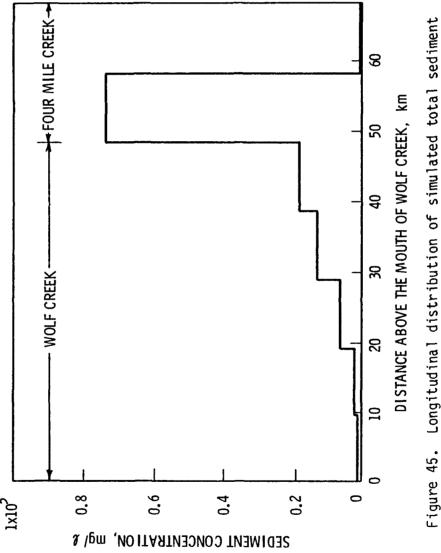
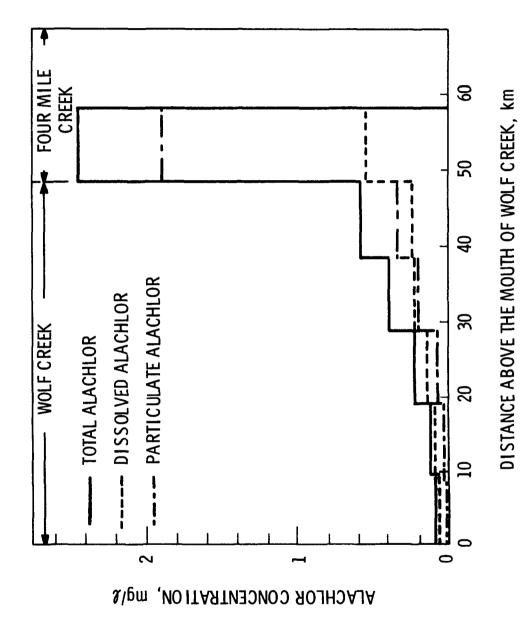


Figure 45. Longitudinal distribution of simulated total sediment concentration at 6 a.m., June 4, 1973.



Longitudinal distributions of simulated dissolved, particulate and total alachlor at 6 a.m., June 4, 1973. Figure 46.

indicate a small number of sharp peaks of water discharge, sediment concentration, and concentrations of particulate, dissolved and total alachlor occurred during the three-year period. Comparison of Figures 38, 39 and 40 reveals that most of alachlor transported during May 1972 and May 1973 was in a dissolved form.

There simulation results revealed that high pesticide concentrations in the streams do not directly correlate with peak runoff or soil erosion events, but rather with the time between pesticide application and the first storm event after the application. In other words, pesticide concentrations in the stream have strong seasonal patterns (high peaks in May and June) corresponding to pesticide applications that were closely followed by precipitation causing runoff and soil erosion.

The results imply that the amount of pesticide being transport is controlled by the supply of pesticide on the land surface. Since alachlor degrades very rapidly after application to farm land, significant improvements in water quality can be obtained through the control and curtailment of both runoff and erosion shortly after pesticide application.

As shown in Figure 40, the highest predicted alachlor concentration during the three-year period occurred around the end of May to early June 1973. Detailed simulated flow rate, sediment concentration and concentrations of particulate, dissolved and total alachlor during this period are shown in Figures 41, 42, 43 and 44. As indicated by Figure 44, on June 5, 1973, when the maximum alachlor concentration occurred, sediment carries up to approximately 35% of the total alachlor being transported, while 65% was in a dissolved form, according to the model prediction.

Simulated longitudinal distributions of sediment concentration and concentrations of dissolved, particulate and total alachlor occurring on June 4, 1973, are presented in Figures 45 and 46, respectively.

Instream modeling demonstrates some important effects of sediment transport on pesticide migration:

- 1. Through adsorption of dissolved pesticides by sediment, immediate biological availability of the pesticide may be reduced.
- 2. Through deposition of contaminated sediment, pesticide concentrations in a water column will be reduced.
- 3. However, the contaminated bed sediment then becomes a long-term source of pollution through resuspension and desorption.

The effect of adsorption as described above is demonstrated in Figures 44 and 46. When the maximum alachlor concentration occurred near the mouth of Wolf Creek on June 5, 1973, approximately 35% of the total alachlor was being carried by sediment, while 65% was in a dissolved form that is generally subject to more immediate uptake by aquatic biota (Figure 44). Near the Four Mile Creek Mouth, dissolved and particulate alachlor

consisted of 22% and 78% of the total, respectively. Since most of alachlor at the stream edge was in a dissolved form, sediment uptake in the receiving water reduced the dissolved pesticide amount by 78% (Figure 46).

The effect of contaminated sediment deposition is clearly seen in the variation of longitudinal alachlor concentrations in Wolf Creek (Figure 46). The percentage of particulate alachlor to total alachlor steadily decreased from 59% to 8% with the downstream distance in Wolf Creek. The reduction of particulate concentration with the downstream distance was due to the deposition of contaminated sediment before it reached the mouth of Wolf Creek. Another possible cause of particulate contaminant reduction is the dilution of pesticide by clean Wolf Creek water inducing desorption of pesticide from sediment to water. Reduction of total alachlor concentration with distance reflects the particulate alachlor trend.

The effect of sediment migration on contaminant distribution is demonstrated in Figure 47, showing longitudinal particulate alachlor distributions associated with the three sediment-size fractions and their weighted average in the top bed layer after the 3-year simulation. Since it was assumed that initially there was no alachlor in the stream bed, the accumulation of alachlor in the bed must have occurred during the 3-year period through deposition and resuspension of contaminated sediment and direct adsorption and desorption with overlying water. Consequently, even if the use of alachlor is terminated, already contaminated bed sediment will continue to introduce alachlor back to the water column.

Although predicted concentrations of sediment and pesticide obtained by SERATRA seem reasonable, no detailed examination of these results was not possible due to no measured data available.

The dissolved pesticide distribution near the mouth of Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 shown in Figure 39 was then statistically analyzed by FRANCO for the pesticide risk assessment.

# STATISTICAL ANALYSIS AND RISK ASSESSMENT

## Case Study of Alachlor

Alachlor was assessed for its known lethal and sublethal effects to fish. The following toxicity information was obtained for Lasso® MCB/C-9, Lasso® E.C., and for alachlor (100% active ingredient). Lasso® (MCB/C-9) was used for the risk assessment process. The Lasso® E.C. formulation was included to help formulate information on channel catfish. The increased toxicity of Lasso® over alachlor demonstrates the probable effects of surfactant synergism.

With the exception of fathead minnow data which are from flow-through measured experimentation, the results below are from static bioassays of nominal (calculated) concentrations. Optional standardization to flow-through, measured concentration for LC50 values is shown below:

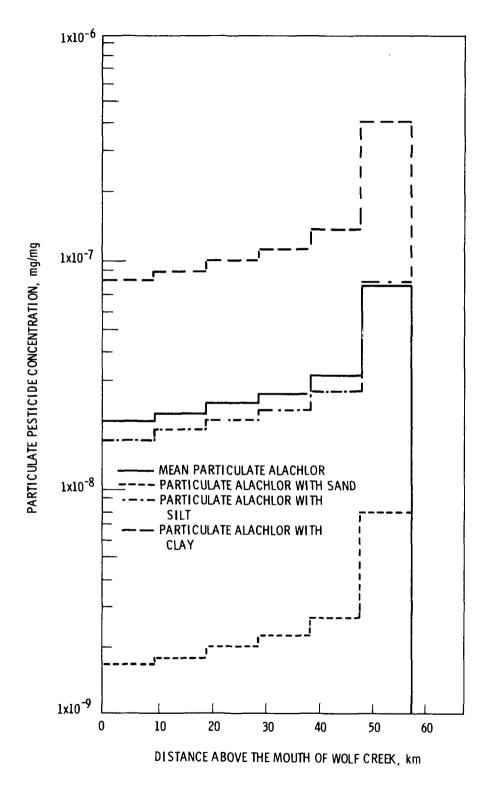


Figure 47. Variations of simulated particulate alachlor in the top bed layer accumulated during the three-year simulation period.

Static value x 0.71 approximates flow through concentration Nominal value x 0.77 approximates measured concentration Bluegill 96-hr LC50: 6.2 x 0.71 (static) x 0.77 (nominal) = 3.39 Rainbow 96-hr LC50: 3.7 x 0.71 (static) x 0.77 (nominal) = 2.02

Thus, the acute numbers standardize to roughly half their original concentration values. For lack of direct evidence indicating that these specific values are more correct than the original concentration levels, the original set was employed to continue the risk assessment. However, values obtained by standardization may more closely approximate actual toxic concentration. This emphasizes the necessity of accurate testing techniques and recommends the use of flow-through bioassays of measured concentration for best results.

	LC50 in mg/1			
	24-hr	48-hr	96-hr	Source
Lasso® (MCB/C-9) bluegill rainbow	16 9.6	10 7.8	6.2 3.7	Monsanto Agricultural Product Co. Monsanto Agricultural Product Co.
Lasso <sup>®</sup> E.C. channel catfish bluegill rainbow			6.5 13.4 2.3	Monsanto Agricultural Product Co. Weed Science Society of America 1979 Weed Science Society of America 1979
Alachlor bluegill rainbow fathead minnow	13 9.2 8.7	6.4 3.5 5.8	2.8 1.8 4.4	Monsanto Agricultural Product Co. Monsanto Agricultural Product Co. (192-hr LC50-2.5) Call et al. 1979

The objective is to evaluate Lasso's (MCB/C-9) toxicity for bluegill, rainbow, and channel catfish. Sufficient information is provided for only the first two species, so results from Lasso (E.C. and alachlor were used to derive a 96-hr LC50 value for catfish. One would expect the ratios of (MCB/C-9) to Lasso (E.C. data to be similar for rainbow and bluegill. This ratio could then be used to define a value for catfish. Actually, however, there is a large difference in these ratios, possibly due to the different effects of the emulsion formation on the two fish species.

Bluegill 
$$\frac{6.2}{13.4} = 0.46$$
 Rainbow  $\frac{3.7}{2.3} = 1.61$ 

Use was made of both ratios to calculate a range which may include the true value for catfish.

Catfish  $6.5 \times 0.46 = 3.0$  and  $6.5 \times 1.61 = 10.5$ 

Assuming the 96-hr LC50 lies between 3.0 and 10.5 mg/l, a geometric mean, based on this range, for convenient handling is calculated as:

Catfish 96-hr LC50: 
$$\sqrt{3.0 \times 10.5} = 5.6$$

The next step is the calculation of 24- and 48-hr LC50 values for catfish to Lasso® (MCB/C-9). As catfish are not closely related to bluegill or rainbow, the slopes from 24-, 48-, and 96-hr LC50 data of bluegill and rainbow were used to derive concentration ranges for catfish.

Slopes

Bluegill Rainbow
$$\frac{6.2 - 16 \text{ mg/l}}{96 - 24 \text{ hr}} = -0.136$$

$$\frac{3.7 - 9.6}{96 - 24} = -0.082$$

$$\frac{6.2 - 10}{96 - 48} = -0.079$$

$$\frac{3.7 - 7.8}{96 - 48} = -0.085$$

The ranges generated will be used to approximate the 24 and 48-hr LC50 values for catfish.

$$96-hr LC50 = 5.6 mg/1$$

$$\frac{3.0 - X}{96 - 24} = -0.082$$
 to  $-0.136$   $\frac{10.5 - X}{96 - 24} = -0.082$  to  $-0.136$ 

Solving the above equations for X yields

Combining these values leads

$$24-hr\ LC50\ range = 8.9\ to\ 20\ mg/1$$

$$\frac{3.0 - X}{96 - 48} = -0.079$$
 to  $-0.085$   $\frac{10.5 - X}{96 - 48} = 0.079$  to 0.085

Solving the above equations for X yields

Combining these results leads

$$48$$
-hr LC50 range = 6.8 to 14.6 mg/1

The geometric mean converts these ranges to points.

24-hr LC50: 
$$\sqrt{8.9 \times 20.3} = 13.4 \text{ mg/l}$$
  
48-hr LC50:  $\sqrt{6.8 \times 14.6} = 10.0 \text{ mg/l}$ 

Standardization factors based on the 96-hr LC50 geometric mean of 5.6 mg/l would give these results. Slopes associated with these values are dissimilar to those experimentally derived for bluegill and rainbow.

$$5.6 \times 1.52 = 24 - hr LC50 of 8.5$$

$$5.6 \times 1.23 = 48 - hr LC50 of 6.9$$

The acute data considered most appropriate from the steps above are included here in mg/l. The symbol  $(^{\circ})$  above a number differentiates it as an estimated (nonexperimental) value.

	24-hr LC50	48-hr LC50	96-hr LC50
Lasso (MCB/C	9)		
bluegill	16	10	6.2
rainbow	9.6	7.8	3.7
catfish	13.4	10.0	5.6

No chronic toxicity values were currently available for Lasso® (MCB/C-9). However, recent results of fathead exposure to alachlor show the no-effect level between 0.52 and 1.0 mg/l (Call et al. 1979). Its application factor range is 0.12 to 0.23. Assuming the application factor for Lasso® (MCB/C-9) is the same as for alachlor, the MATC factors can be calculated for the other fish species.

	96-hr LC50						MATO	Ra	ange
bluegill rainbow catfish	6.2 3.7 5.6	Х	0.12 0.12 0.12	to	0.12	=	0.74	to	0.85

Had an experimental MATC value for alachlor been unavailable, selection of an arbitrary no-effect level would have been necessary. This procedure is also given, and comparisons between the results of both methods can be examined. Since Lasso® is not known to be either persistent or cumulative in its effects under normal conditions, the selected arbitrary application factors are 0.05 for a 24-hour average and 0.1 for a temporary level. Use of the 24-hour average should give a conservative estimate of the MATC value:

In this case the arbitrary MATC values produce a lower, more conservative measurement of the no-effect level.

The rainbow trout species (Salmo gairdneri) was chosen for the methodology illustration with the following curves using LC50 data and the MATC value.

- 1. The SERATRA cutoff.
- 2. The MATC line (see Figure 48).
- 3. The LC50-MATC curve (see Figure 49).

The six pairs of points used for each curve are listed below. Concentrations are given as  $kg/m^3$  (= 1000 ppm). While six points were used to define such curves, some could have been defined with fewer points.

- 1. Curve 1 uses the concentration of 1.0 x  $10^{-9}$  at each of the time steps which include 0.5, 24, 48, 96, 168, and 336 hours.
- 2. Curve 2 uses the concentration of  $1.9 \times 10^{-4}$  at each time step including 0.5, 24, 48, 96, 168, and 336 hours.
- 3. Curve 3 uses the following (duration, concentration) pairs: (0.5, 0.0096), (24, 0.0096), (48, 0.0078), (96, 0.0037), (96, 0.00019), (336, 0.00019).

The mouth of Wolf Creek has been used for modeling the concentration-duration aspects of the FRANCO code.

The Exceedance Summary for alachlor includes several parameters for each curve. In this case the summary shows that the duration-concentration levels of alachlor were insufficient to register as an event. No duration exceeded even the MATC function, and therefore, global exceedance is 0%. Investigation of the data generated under each category confirms that the minimum given value for alachlor, its estimated MATC concentration of 1.9 x  $10^{-4}$  kg/m $^3$  (or 0.19 ppm), is not exceeded at any time (see Figure 39).

Thus, it is concluded that dissolved concentrations of alachlor near the mouth of Wolf Creek is less than the MATC for the three years modeled and should present no direct threat of toxicity to the rainbow trout or other species with a MATC greater than 0.19 ppm, assuming no unusual circumstances increasing the effective concentration or effective toxic level.

## Case Study of Toxaphene

Alachlor was chosen in the modeling study because of its available field data. The computer evaluation demonstrated that alachlor should not have caused damage to rainbow trout. To more clearly illustrate possible applications of the model, toxaphene was chosen as a second pesticide for the risk assessment.

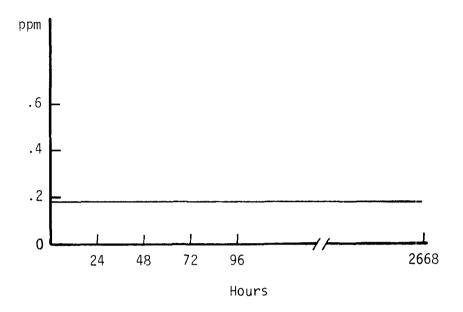


Figure 48. MATC line for alachlor.

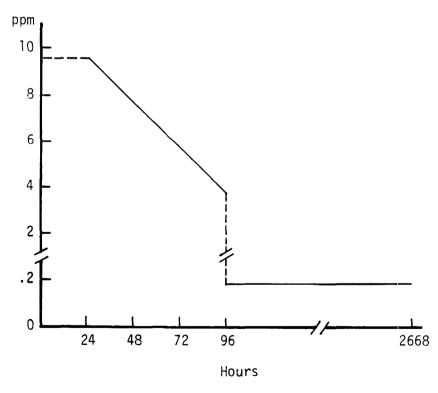


Figure 49. LC50 - MATC curve for Lasso®.

Toxaphene, a chlorinated hydrocarbon, is very persistent in soil and water and may be bioconcentrated to a high degree. Its addition to lakes has been shown to cause toxicity for ten years. Its persistence in soils has been cited as 4 to 16 years. Its solubility of 1.5 ppm and its estimated Kd value of 5 x  $10^4$  differ considerably from those of alachlor. One would expect toxaphene to be strongly sorbed to the sediments, raising interest in modeling toxaphene in sediments as well as the dissolved state.

The risk assessment procedure for toxaphene is based on the same stream concentrations as generated for alachlor. This is done only as an example and is not meant to imply actual concentration levels for toxaphene. The physical and chemical properties of toxaphene are considerably different from alachlor.

Toxicity data used here are from pages B-27 and B-28 in the Appendix B. The following species have been selected to illustrate the assessment procedure for toxaphene. Again, the values are expressed as mg/l.

Without knowledge of the technique of each bioassay, one cannot make a logical decision on the necessity for standardization of the values. For the sake of this example, it was assumed that the following numbers represent actual toxicity values.

	24-hr LC50	48-hr LC50	96-hr LC50
Coho Salmon	0.0130	0.0105	0.0094
Chrinook Salmon	0.0079	0.0033	0.0025
Rainbow Trout	0.0115	0.0084	0.0084
Brown Trout			0.003
Carp			0.004
Fathead Minnow			0.014
Channel Catfish			0.013
Guppy			0.020
Bluegill Sunfish			0.0035
Largemouth Bass			0.002

The minimum three data points are available in Appendix B for only three species. The rest must be derived from these or from toxicity data for related pesticides.

The brown trout is related by genus to the rainbow trout so the slope of the 24-96 and 48-96 hour segments from the rainbow were used to estimate the 24- and 48-hr LC50 values for the brown trout.

rainbow 
$$\frac{0.0084 - 0.0115}{96 - 24} = -4.3 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\frac{0.0084 - 0.0084}{96 - 48} = 0$$
brown 
$$\frac{0.003 - X}{96 - 24} = -4.3 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\frac{24 - \text{hr LC50}}{96 - 48} = 0$$

$$\frac{0.003 - X}{96 - 48} = 0$$

$$48 - \text{hr LC50} = 0.003 \text{ mg/1}$$

None of the other species other than the salmon are related to the trout except by class, so other steps are used to estimate the 24- and 48-hr LC50 values where they are missing.

The use of the geometric mean of the slopes will be demonstrated to approximate the unknowns. There is no way of knowing whether values calculated in this manner fall within the range provided by the other slopes. However, the chances are improved with a larger number of experimental values already established for each time interval. The use of estimated values from previous steps introduces more probability for error and should be avoided. In this example, the experimental values obtained for coho, chinook, and rainbow are used.

	24 - 96-hr Slope	48 - 96-hr Slope
coho salmon	$-5.0 \times 10^{-5}$	$-2.3 \times 10^{-5}$
chinook salmon	$-7.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$-1.7 \times 10^{-5}$
rainbow trout	$-4.3 \times 10^{-5}$	0
Range	$-7.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$-2.3 \times 10^{-5}$
	to $-4.3 \times 10^{-5}$	to 0.0
Geometric mean	$-5.44 \times 10^{-5}$	$-1.58 \times 10^{-5}$
		(as $\sqrt[3]{-2.3 \times 1.7 \times 10^{-10}}$ )

Applying these values to the fish with incomplete data sets results in the following ranges and geometric means:

Example:

carp 
$$\frac{0.004 - X}{96 - 24} = -7.5 \times 10^{-5}$$
 to  $-4.3 \times 10^{-5}$ 

Range Geometric Mean 24-hr LC50 = 0.0071 to 0.0094 0.0079

Estimated Geometric Means as mg/1:

	24-hr LC50	48-hr LC50	96-hr LC50
carp	0.008	0.005	0.004
fathead minnow	0.018	0.015	0.014
channel catfish	0.017	0.014	0.013
guppy	0.024	0.021	0.020
bluegill sunfish	0.0077	0.0040	0.0035
largemouth bass	0.006	0.002	0.002

The values above can be contrasted with those calculated using 24, 48, and 96-hr standardization factors:

 $96-hr\ LC50\ x\ 1.52\ =\ 24-hr\ LC50$ 

 $96-hr\ LC50\ x\ 1.23 = 48-hr\ LC50$ 

	24-hr LC50	48-hr LC50	96-hr LC50
carp	0.006	0.005	0.004
fathead minnow	0.021	0.017	0.014
channel catfish	0.020	0.016	0.013
guppy	0.030	0.025	0.020
bluegill sunfish	0.0053	0.0043	0.0035
largemouth bass	0.003	0.0025	0.002

In this case the two methods produced similar results. Because there are some experimental data sets from which slopes can be derived, the estimated geometric mean values were used as the most likely to represent the actual values. This yields the following toxaphene acute toxicity data as mg/l for use with the probability model:

	24-hr LC50	48-hr LC50	96-hr LC50
coho salmon	0.0130	0.0105	0.0094
chinook salmon	0.0079	0.0033	0.0025
rainbow trout	0.0115	0.0084	0.0084
brown trout	0.006	0.003	0.003
carp	0.008	0.005	0.004
fathead minnow	0.018	$0.0\hat{1}5$	0.014
channel catfish	0.0Î7	$0.0\hat{1}4$	0.013
guppy	0.024	0.021	0.020
bluegill sunfish	0.0077	0.0040	0.0035
largemouth bass	0.006	0.002	0.002

The symbol (^) indicates estimated values.

Chronic toxicity values for toxaphene stated as MATC ranges have been located for the fathead minnow and channel catfish.

fathead minnow 0.000025 < MATC < 0.000054 channel catfish 0.000049 < MATC < 0.000072

Application factor ranges are calculated below from MATC and 96-hr LC50 data.

MATC range/96-hr LC50 = AF range fathead minnow 0.000025 to 0.000054/0.014 = AF AF = 0.0018 - 0.0038 channel catfish 0.000049 to 0.000072/0.013 = AF AF = 0.0038 - 0.0055

Carp and fathead minnows are related at the family level so the application factor derived for the fathead minnow will be applied to the 96-hour LC50 point for carp.

0.004 x 0.0018 to 0.0038 = MATC 0.0000072 < MATC < 0.0000152

For the unrelated species the high and low values from fathead minnow and channel catfish can be used to set a range. The geometric mean can be used to convert the ranges to points.

AF range = 0.0018 - 0.0055

Toxaphene is known to be very persistent and would require the use of the more conservative arbitrary application factor of 0.01 for a 24 hour average if no experimental data were available.

Geometric means, as well as MATC experimental and derived ranges, have been included in this list of chronic toxaphene toxicity as mg/l.

	< MATC	< MATC Range <		
coho salmon	$1.7 \times 10^{-5}$	$5.2 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.0 \times 10^{-5}$	
chinook salmon	$0.45 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.4 \times 10^{-5}$	$0.79 \times 10^{-5}$	
rainbow trout	$1.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$4.6 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.6 \times 10^{-5}$	
brown trout	$0.54 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.7 \times 10^{-5}$	$0.96 \times 10^{-5}$	
carp	$0.72 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.3 \times 10^{-5}$	
fathead minnow	$2.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$5.4 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.7 \times 10^{-5}$	
channel catfish	$4.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$7.2 \times 10^{-5}$	$5.9 \times 10^{-5}$	
guppy	$3.6 \times 10^{-5}$	$11.1 \times 10^{-5}$	$6.3 \times 10^{-5}$	
bluegill	$6.3 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.5 \times 10^{-5}$	
largemouth bass	$3.6 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.1 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.0 \times 10^{-5}$	

Lethal and sublethal data was used to assess environmental damage to rainbow trout (<u>Salmo gairdneri</u>) from toxaphene exposure. Because of toxaphene's extreme toxicity to fish, seven curves were chosen, in addition to the SERATRA cutoff, to demonstrate the kind of additional information which can be gained. All are illustrated in Figures 50 through 57.

- 1. Curve A is the SERATRA cutoff value.
- 2. Curve B is the MATC for rainbow trout.
- Curve C is the least conservative lethality curve.
- 4. Curve D is the most conservative curve designated as LC50-MATC.
- Curve E is intermediate between curves C and D.
- Curve F considered the results of the LC50-MATC line segments after 24 hours.
- 7. Curve G generates results exceeding the LC50-MATC lines beginning at 48 hours.
- 8. Curve H describes exceedance of the MATC starting at 96 hours.

The six pairs of points used for each curve are listed with duration in hours and concentrations as  $Kg/m^3$ .

- 1. Curve A uses the concentration of 1.0 x  $10^{-9}$  Kg/m<sup>3</sup> at each of the following durations: 0.5, 24, 48, 96, 168, and 336 hours.
- 2. Curve B uses the most conservative MATC endpoint for rainbow trout of  $1.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ Kg/m}^3$ . Time durations are again 0.5, 24, 48, 96, 168, and 336 hours.
- 3. Curve C includes the following sets of points:  $(24, 1.15 \times 10^{-4}), (24, 1.15 \times 10^{-5}), (48, 8.4 \times 10^{-6}), (96, 8.4 \times 10^{-6}), (168, 8.4 \times 10^{-6}), and (336, 8.4 \times 10^{-6}).$
- 4. Curve D is described by the following points:  $(0.5, 1.15 \times 10^{-5})$ ,  $(24, 1.15 \times 10^{-5})$ ,  $(48, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ ,  $(96, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ ,  $(96, 1.5 \times 10^{-8})$ , and  $(336, 1.5 \times 10^{-8})$ .
- 5. Curve E has points at  $(0.5, 1.15 \times 10^{-5})$ ,  $(24, 1.15 \times 10^{-5})$ ,  $(48, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ ,  $(96, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ ,  $(168, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ , and  $(336, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ .
- 6. Curve F includes the following points: (24, 1.15 x  $10^{-4}$ ), (24, 1.15 x  $10^{-5}$ ), (48, 8.4 x  $10^{-6}$ ), (96, 8.4 x  $10^{-6}$ ) (96, 1.15 x  $10^{-8}$ ), and (336, 1.5 x  $10^{-8}$ ).

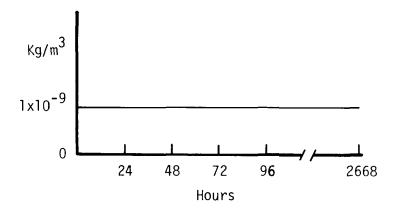


Figure 50. Curve A - SERATRA Cutoff value.

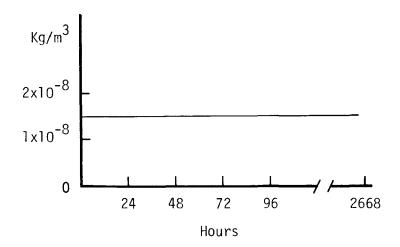


Figure 51. Curve B - MATC line.

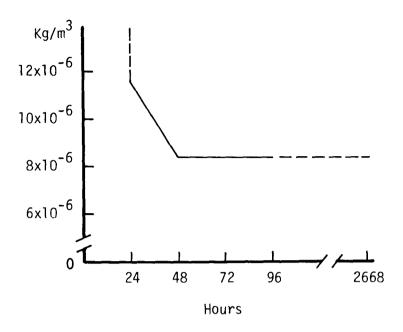


Figure 52. Curve C - Lethality curve least likely to indiciate mortality.

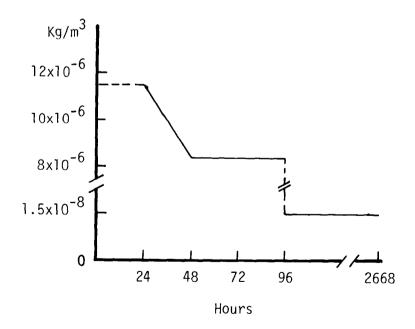


Figure 53. Curve D - LC50 - MATC conservative curve.

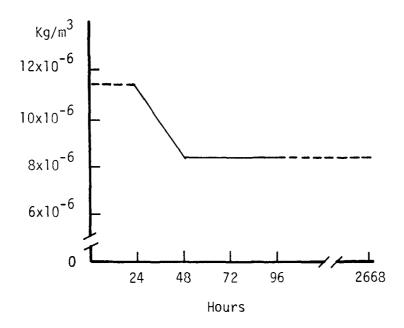


Figure 54. Curve E - LC50 - alternative curve.

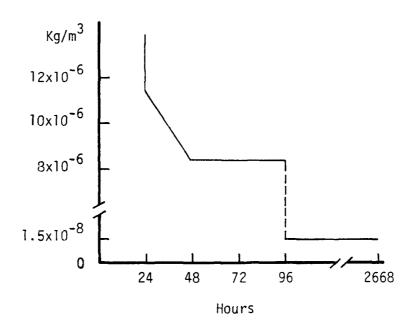


Figure 55. Curve F - LC50 - MATC curve for durations exceeding 24 hours.

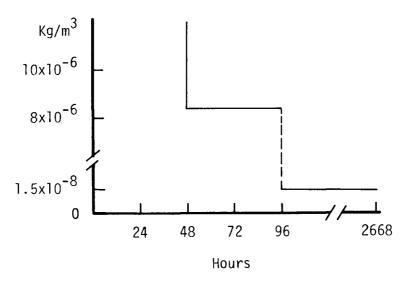


Figure 56. Curve G - LC50 - MATC curve for durations exceeding 48 hours.

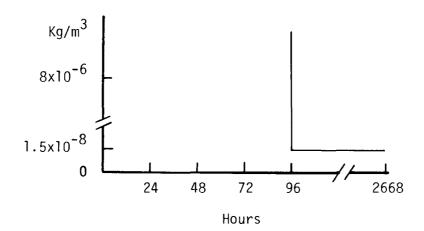


Figure 57. Curve H - MATC exceedance for durations greater than 96 hours.

- 7. Curve G has the following points: (48, 1.15 x  $10^{-4}$ ), (48, 1.15 x  $10^{-5}$ ), (48, 8.4 x  $10^{-6}$ ), (96, 8.4 x  $10^{-6}$ ), (96, 1.5 x  $10^{-8}$ ), and (336, 1.5 x  $10^{-8}$ ).
- 8. Curve H is described by the following points:  $(96, 1.15 \times 10^{-4})$ ,  $(96, 1.5 \times 10^{-5})$ ,  $(96, 8.4 \times 10^{-6})$ ,  $(96, 1.5 \times 10^{-8})$ , and  $(336, 1.5 \times 10^{-8})$ .

The exceedance summary inumerates the following curve results for the mouth of Wolf Creek.

Curve	<b>Events</b>	Total Duration	Global Exceedance		
Α	9	4160 hr	16.23%		
В	12	3828	14.93		
С	2	314	1.23		
D	6	3461.5	13.50		
E	2	314	1.23		
F	6	3461.5	13.50		
G	6	3461.5	13.50		
Н	6	3461.5	13.50		

- 1. Curve A 16.2% of total time divided into nine events exceeded the SERATRA cutoff value.
- 2. Curve B Twelve events, comprising 14.9% of the modeling time, exceeded the MATC designated line of 1.5 x  $10^{-5}$  ppm. Had the high MATC endpoint of 4.6 x  $10^{-5}$  ppm or the geometric mean value of 2.6 x  $10^{-5}$  been selected to represent the MATC, the global exceedance value would have been reduced to 14.0% and 14.5%, respectively.

Of the twelve events, six lasted for more than 96 hours and accounted for 90.4% of the time exceeding the MATC. The longest event of 1257.5 hours began at time-step 16496 and lasted through time-step 19011. Clearly, 1257.5 hours at concentrations above the MATC suggests concern for sublethal effects. Damage may largely depend on life stages present during such long-term events.

- 3. Curve C The lethal curve based on known LC50 values was exceeded in two events lasting a total of 314 hours, which was 1.2% of the total modeling time. A breakdown of the event durations shows 196.5 hours for the first event and 117.5 hours for the second. The assumption of no lethality prior to D suggests that, in spite of values exceeding C1 at D1, no median fish kill occurs.
- 4. Curve D The MATC incorporated with the LC50 curve is represented by six events lasting 3461.5 total hours for a global exceedance of 13.5%. Those events, represented by curve B (lasting more than 96 hours) and by curve C, are included in this percentage.

- 5. Curve E ~ This curve is equivalent to curve C in this example. This may seem surprising since two events had concentrations greater than 1.5 x  $10^{-5}$ . However, these concentrations lasted for 96 and 168 hours, which is long enough to be counted in curve C. The assumption that  $C_0 = C_1$  indicates that most rainbow trout would not survive the first 24 hours of exposure at concentration levels greater than  $C_1$ . Had concentrations greater than  $1.15 \times 10^{-5}$  been evident for durations less than 24 hours, the global exceedance for curve E would be greater than curve C by the area represented by  $C > C_1$  and  $D > D_1$ .
- 6. Curve F Results of curve F are identical to curve D because concentrations greater than  $C_1$  at durations less than  $D_1$  exceed the 24 hour minimum function time.
- 7. Curve G This curve again shows the same results as curve D. Both events exceeding curve G are also exceeded by curves D and F.
- 8. Curve H Once more, the function represented by C  $\geq$  1.5 x  $10^{-5}$  ppm at D  $\geq$  94 hours is exceeded six times for a total of 13.5%. Had any of the six events noted in curves F or G above lasted for less than 96 hours, the exceedance of curve H would be reduced proportionally.

A summary of the curves is shown in Figure 58. Concentrations are within safe limits 85.1% of the total modeling time. Concentration-duration values fell within the potential lethal/sublethal (<LC50) zone 13.7% of the time. Lethality as measured by the LC50 curve was exceeded 1.2% of the total modeling time.

If this toxaphene example were a real case, the summary should be used as a tool in the assessment of potential effects. Actual interpretations must consider all other pertinent factors concerning the situation in conjunction with the concentration summary.

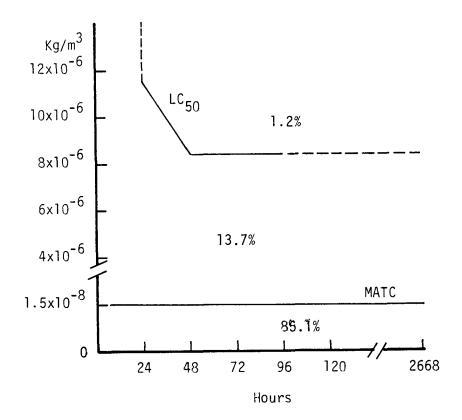


Figure 58. Summary of toxaphene curves.

#### SECTION 6

#### EVALUATION OF THE CMRA METHODOLOGY

The CMRA Methodology was developed and was applied to the Four Mile and Wolf Creek area in Iowa to examine the applicability and limitation of this methodology. The methodology is general enough to evaluate the migration and risk assessment as applied to a wide range of pesticides, agricultural lands, receiving streams and aquatic biota. For example, this methodology could be used to select optimum pesticide application practices including timing and doses.

The application of the methodology to to Four Mile and Wolf Creeks revealed that in general, the CMRA Methodology is capable of simulating migration and fate of a pesticide and its associated risk to aquatic biota. However, accuracy of predicted results depends largely on the availability of data. The application exercise also revealed that it requires a rather extensive effort to evaluate pesticide movements and its risks. Furthermore, due to a general lack of data, calibration and verification of the models, especially portions concerning pesticide transport, adsorption/desorption, and degradation were not fully performed and that further testing of the methodology is required. Also a FRANCO output of probability of acute and chronic damages to aquatic biota must be supplemented by other pertinent information on pesticide characteristics, environmental stress, life stages of biota, etc., to obtain more comprehensive risk assessment. Applicability and limitations of each of the four components of the CMRA Methodology are discussed below.

#### OVERLAND PESTICIDE MODELING

The ARM model was specifically developed as a tool to evaluate the quantity and water quality of runoff coming from agricultural areas, as well as the impacts of alternative management practices. The model's capability to continuously simulate nonpoint source pollution processes makes it useful for evaluating both short- and long-term migration of pesticides overland. The application of ARM is limited primarily by the availability of data for model calibration and by the size of an area which can be accurately modeled in a single simulation. Given the state-of-the-art of modeling nonpoint source pollution from agriculture, ARM is the most appropriate pesticide loading technique for this methodology.

#### INSTREAM PESTICIDE MODELING

The unsteady, two-dimensional model, SERATRA, which is used for the instream pesticide modeling, includes all important mechanisms of both

dissolved and particulate pesticide transport phenomena, such as convection and dispersion of pesticides, interaction of pesticides with sediment (adsorption and desorption of pesticides with sediment, and transport, deposition and resuspension of particulate pesticides associated with sediment), and chemical (oxidation, hydrolysis, and photolyses) and biological degradation of pesticides and volatilization. Since SERATRA is one of the few tested models capable of simulating both dissolved and particulate contaminants with sediment-contaminant interactions, it is well suited to this methodology. SERATRA is applicable to the nontidal rivers and narrow lakes where vertical and longitudinal distributions are of interest, but is not suitable to estuaries and coastal areas where lateral and longitudinal distribution may be of concern. Another important aspect of this portion of the methodology is that SERATRA provides vertical and longitudinal distributions of dissolved and particulate pesticides, as well as the pesticide accumulation in the stream bed. However, because of the rather limited knowledge of pesticide toxicity, only cross-sectionally averaged dissolved pesticide concentrations are used for the risk assess-Additional data collection for pesticide toxicity may make it possible to take the full advantage of detailed simulation results of SERATRA in the future. Lack of field data needed for the model calibration is the major difficulty apparent when SERATRA is applied to an actual study area. Another limitation is the limited applicability of EXPLORE-I to very small Furthermore, since SERATRA is a two-dimensional (longitudinal and vertical) model and EXPLORE-I is one-dimensional (possibly used as longitudinal and vertical two-dimensional model), compatibility between SERATRA and EXPLORE-I is less than ideal.

#### STATISTICAL ANALYSIS AND RISK ASSESSMENT

The risk assessment procedure uses a finite number of parameters to summarize the pesticide concentration within the watershed of interest and to predict the probability of toxic effects to indigenous fish species. Of necessity, the risk assessment procedure must be simplistic compared to the environmental complexities found within the actual system. The acceptance, or at least acknowledgement, of certain assumptions used in this procedure allows for the prediction of environmental hazards to fish based on those assumptions.

Several important limitations exist in the risk assessment portion of the methodology. Some of the major ones are these:

- Laboratory bioassays are assumed applicable to the prediction of field toxicities.
- 2. Synergistic effects of pesticides with river water quality parameters are ignored for lack of information.
- 3. Bioconcentration and biomagnification properties with predator-prey relationships were not assessed.
- 4. Interpretation of sublethal effects based on exceedance of the MATC may overestimate hazards.

- 5. Effects of ingesting pesticides from the suspended fraction and from bottom sediments have not been addressed.
- 6. Avoidance behavior and migration resulting from pesticide concentration in the water needs investigation.
- 7. Assessment for resistant or susceptible strains requires identification of such properties for modification of risk assessment input data.

The FRANCO program is very flexible in its risk assessment aspects. The output describes pesticide concentration as the number of times a given value  $(C_1,d_1)$  is exceeded, the percentage of total time  $(C_1,d_1)$  exceeded, and individual and total time durations when the concentration for a particular river segment exceeds  $(C_1,d_1)$ . It also computes the percentage of total time the designated function has been exceeded. The model has been demonstrated using only the dissolved portion of pesticide. The program is also capable of assessing the pesticide concentration in the suspended particulate and bed sediment fractions.

The CMRA Methodology was used specifically with fish species to graph the LC50 curve and the MATC and measure its exceedance. However, any other measure of effects may be used instead, such as LC10 or LC90 values. Confidence limits are especially good for indicating a probability range of toxicity. The curve may be partitioned into acute and chronic sections or described as short-term and long-term effects with time boundaries indicated by the methodology user to best fit the situation. The selection of input values may be changed in accordance with the needs. However, the user must be cautioned to make appropriate interpretations based on the assumptions used for data input.

In spite of the limitations inherent in FRANCO, there are real benefits associated with the modeling procedure for predicting the extent of environmental hazards. It has defined some of the problems which may be resolved in the future by one of at least three possible methods. Addition of new mathematical relationships may allow for modeling parameters which more closely fit field conditions. Improvement of data collection systems to fit modeling needs may reduce present model uncertainties. The use of more appropriate hazard indicators and resultant interpretations will improve the predictive ability of the modeling system.

#### MODELING FLEXIBILITY

Although, as discussed above, the CMRA Methodology consists of four components, the models can be used in different combinations depending on the problems. However, the statistical analysis and risk assessment based on FRANCO must be used together. Examples of combined uses are as follows:

 If the migration and risk assessment of a toxic contaminant are of concern only at a stream edge, FRANCO can be used to summarize ARM results.

- 2. If a toxic contaminant is directly discharged to a receiving water body, only EXPLORE-I, SERATRA, and FRANCO are required to evaluate transport and risk assessment.
- 3. If there are continuous measurements of toxic chemical concentrations available and only the risk assessment is needed, FRANCO alone can be used.
- 4. If the receiving water bodies are estuaries or coastal waters, SERATRA can be replaced by other appropriate sediment-contaminant models such as FLESCOT and FETRA (Onishi and Wise 1978).

#### SECTION 7

#### SIMPLIFIED STATISTICAL METHODOLOGY

Overland and instream pesticide concentrations were statistically examined to study whether pesticide concentration patterns can be expressed by statistical distributions. In this case, gamma, normal and log-normal distributions were selected for testing. This task was conducted to determine if a simpler pesticide assessment methodology which relies only on the statistical nature on precipitation, watershed characteristics, and receiving water body characteristics, could be developed to replace the more detailed computer-model-based CMRA Methodology, as described in Section 4.

The principal steps in the development of any simplified statistical methodology are the statistical summarization of the system input (precipitation), the statistical summarization of the system output (e.g., dissolved, particulate, and total pesticide concentrations) and a simple procedure for predicting the output from the input. The development of these steps begins by first determining the information desired. The stated objective is the frequency of occurrence and duration of given pesticide concentrations. In Subsection 4.2 seven specific summary measures are given to meet this objective. One particular measure,  $P_{\overline{1}}[C \geq C_{\overline{1}}]$ , gives the relative frequency of occurrence of simulated concentrations greater than or equal to specified concentration levels. This measure was chosen for the simplified statistical methodology, because it is one of the simplest summaries of a concentration time series.

The FRANCO program summarizes the time series of instream dissolved, particulate and total (sum of dissolved and particulate pesticides) pesticide concentrations. The series is characterized by periods when pesticide concentration is lower than the chosen SERATRA cutoff value, and other periods when runoff events cause the concentration to increase above this value. The cutoff value is selected to represent the point below which the simulated concentration values are due to limitations on the numerical accuracy of the model and the computer. Hence, time periods below this concentration are considered to be zero. As a result the relative frequency of pesticide concentration consists of two parts: A discrete part at the SERATRA cutoff value with an associated frequency that estimates the percent of the time the concentration is considered to be zero and a continuous part that summarizes the relative frequency of concentrations above the cutoff value.

Let C1 equal zero, C2 equal the cutoff value and the remaining C1 chosen such that C3 < C4 < . . . < Cm. Using the notation introduced in

Section 4.2, this choice results in PT[C  $\geq$  C1] = 1 and PT[C  $\geq$  C2] equal to the relative frequency the simulated concentration was greater than or equal to the cutoff value.

Define

$$G(C) = pF(C) + (1-p)I(C)$$

where  $p = P_T[C \ge C_2]$  is the relative frequency of concentrations occurring above the cutoff value, I(C) is a discrete cumulative frequency function with probability one at the cuttoff value, and F(C) is a continuous distribution function.

The investigation of the feasibility of a simplified statistical methodology is based on analyzing the cumulative distribution function F(x) resulting from the dissolved, particulate and total pesticide concentration time series from SERATRA for instream and ARM for stream-edge. The same model can also be applied to the stream discharge and overland runoff. The latter tow can then be compared to an analysis of precipitation data. These analyses form the basis for discussing the feasibility of a simplified statistical methodology. Each of these analyses are individually discussed, followed by a discussion of their interrelationships. The dissolved, particulate and total pesticide concentrations (in kg/m³) simulated by SERATRA near the mouth of Wolf Creek (River Kilometer 5) is statistically summarized below.

During the three-year period starting June 1971 the dissolved pesticide concentration was greater than the cutoff value of 1.0 x  $10^{-9}$  for 16.23 percent of the time. Hence p is estimated as 16.23. The continuous part F(C) of the cumulative distribution function G(C) is well represented by the log-normal distribution. A probability plot construction from the cumulative frequency concentration data illustrates this fit in Figure 59. Similar probability plots using the normal and gamma distributions as alternative choices did not result in the expected straight line plot characteristic when the data fits a particular probability distribution. The log-normal probability density function is:

Stated in this form, the parameters  $\, \mu$  and  $\, \sigma^2$  are estimated by:

$$\hat{\mu} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} \ln X_i}{n}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (\ln x_i - \hat{\mu})^2}{n-1}$$

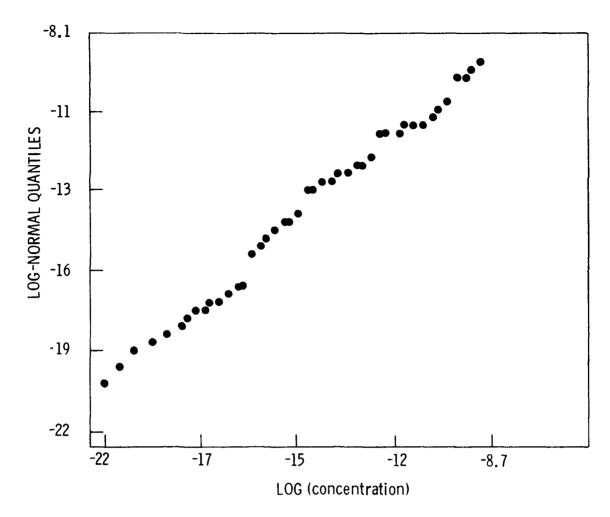


Figure 59. Log-normal probability plot for dissolved pesticide concentration at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 ( $\mu$  = 14.83,  $\sigma$  = 2.26)

where n is the number of concentrations greater than the SERATRA cutoff value and  $X_1$  are the simulated dissolved pesticide concentrations for those time steps. In this case the estimates are  $\hat{\mu}$  = -14.83 and  $\hat{\sigma}$  = 2.26. The mean and variance of the log-normal distribution are:

$$E(X) = e^{\mu + \sigma^2/2}$$

$$Var(X) = E(X)^{2} \left[ e^{\sigma^{2}} - 1 \right]$$

Using the estimated values for  $\mu$  and  $\sigma^2$ , the estimates are E(X) = 4.66 x  $10^{-6}$  with a standard deviation of 5.97 x  $10^{-5}$ .

The statistical distribution summary for the dissolved pesticide concentration is completed by the program FRANCO. The distribution parameter estimates are obtained from all concentrations greater than or equal to the SERATRA cutoff value. Because of the number of time steps involved, these estimates are computed by summarizing the data with a flow through technique that does not require all the data to be present at once. In constructing the probability plots ,a modification of the standard procedure, such as described by Hann (1977), was necessary. It was not feasible for all data points to be plotted individually for the probability plot. To overcome this difficulty the data were accumulated as an empirical cumulative distribution function with up to 50 intervals used for the concentration. The probability plot was constructed using those values. The effect on the plot is minimal if these concentration values are appropriately selected to result in approximately an equal number of time steps in each interval. The interpretation of the plot is not affected.

The dissolved pesticide concentration at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 is adequately summarized by the mixed distribution:

$$G(C) = 0.1623LN(C; -14.83, 2.26) + .8377I(C)$$

where

$$I(C) = \begin{cases} 1 & C \le 1.0 \times 10^{-9} \\ 0 & C > 1.0 \times 10^{-9} \end{cases}$$

and LN(C;  $\mu$ ,  $\sigma$ ) denotes the log-normal distribution with parameters  $\mu$  and  $\sigma$ . A severe limitation of this summary is the total loss of all information concerning the actual time sequence of the concentrations.

A similar analyses of computed results of SERATRA simulation at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 5 was completed. A mixed distribution using the log-normal distribution for the continuous part again provided the best fit when compared to the normal and gamma distributions as alternatives. The probability plot in Figure 60 illustrates the general conformance to a straight line. The corresponding plot for the gamma distribution (Figure 61) is not a straight line, indicating the gamma is not as good a fit for this data set. The distribution with estimated parameters is:

$$G(C) = 0.1472 LN(C; -13.55, 2.42) + 0.8528I(C)$$

where the terms are as previously defined. These parameter values result in an estimated mean value of 2.44 x  $10^{-5}$  with a standard deviation of 4.55 x  $10^{-4}$ .

The summary statistics at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 5 and Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 show the effect of the instream model embodied in SERATRA. First, the pesticide concentration is above the cutoff value longer near the Wolf Creek mouth (16.23%) than near the mouth of Four Mile Creek (14.72%). Second, the average concentration downstream in Wolf Creek is approximately five times smaller than that in Four Mile Creek. If the

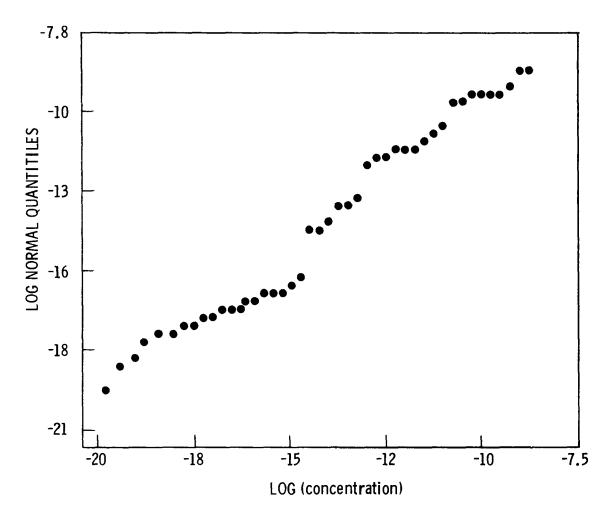


Figure 60. Log-normal probability plot for dissolved pesticide concentration at Four Mile Creek River kilometer 5 ( $\mu$  = -13.55,  $\sigma$  = 2.42)

comparison is made in log concentrations where the estimated distribution is normal, then it appears that the difference is mainly a shift in the mean value with the log variability approximately the same between these two locations.

The pesticide attached to particulates was also summarized using the mixed distribution analysis just described. The distributions of the simulated results for particulate pesticides (in kg/m $^3$ ) from ARM, at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 5 and at Wolf Creek River Kilometer 5 were again a mixed distribution with the log-normal distribution as the continuous form. At stream-edge,

$$G(C) = 0.0017 LN (C; -17.27, 1.92) + 0.9983 I(C)$$

at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 5

$$G(C) = 0.1367 LN (C; -17.34, 2.88) + 0.8633 I(C)$$

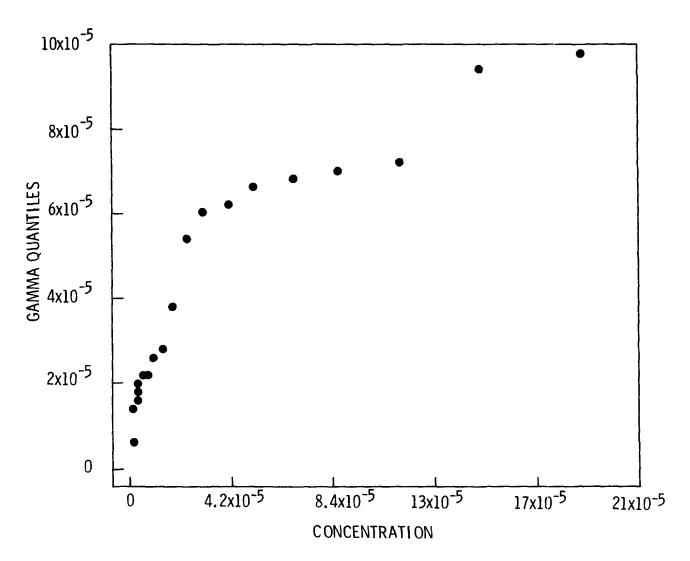


Figure 61. Gamma probability plot for dissoved pesticide concentration at Four Mile Creek River Kilometer 5 ( $\alpha = 0.28$ ,  $\beta = 1.7 \times 10^4$ )

and at Wolf Creeek River Kilometer 5

$$G(C) = 0.0996 \text{ LN } (C; -19.70, 2.55) + 0.9004 \text{ I}(C)$$

Particulate pesticide concentration levels were lower than the dissolved pesticide concentration as expected.

Total pesticide concentration (sum of dissolved and particulate pesticide concentrations) were similarly analyzed. The results are not presented as they are virtually identical to the dissolved case. Particulate pesticide concentrations do not significantly contribute, in this case, to the total concentration.

The distribution analysis was also applied to the dissolved pesticide concentration at stream-edge as simulated by the ARM model. The mixed distribution model with the log-normal as the continuous part again was an adequate fit. In this case the gamma distribution was a close competitor. The log-normal was selected to facilitiate the comparison with the SERATRA results. The estimated distribution is:

$$G(C) = 0.0707 \text{ LN}(C; -10.66, 2.45) + 0.9293 \text{ I}(C)$$

$$I(C) = \begin{cases} 1 & C \le 2 \times 10^{-9} \\ 0 & C > 2 \times 10^{-9} \end{cases}$$

In comparison with the instream results, the stream edge concentrations above the cutoff value were less than half as long (7.07%) and the concentration distribution was shifted to higher concentrations with no difference in the variability in log units. The average concentration based on the log-normal distribution was  $4.72 \times 10^{-4}$  with a standard deviation of  $9.48 \times 10^{-3}$ . The general effect of SERATRA on the pesticide distribution is to lengthen the time the concentration is above the cutoff value and to reduce the average concentration level.

The statistical summary of the pesticide concentrations from ARM and SERATRA has demonstrated that it is possible to describe the distribution with a mixed probability distribution with the continuous part being a log-normal distribution. The estimated parameters for this mixed distribution reflect the anticipated pesticide concentration changes expected when going from stream-edge, to instream, and instream further downstream. A severe limitation of this type of summary is the loss of all the time sequence history of the concentrations. In the present work no method was found to include duration of events in a distribution analysis.

The distribution analysis illustrates the feasibility of summarizing the pesticide concentration distribution at stream-edge and at selected instream locations. The summaries were shown to have the same mixed distribution form with only the values of the parameters in the distribution changing at each location. To simplify the methodology, the relationship among the parameters across locations must be determined. The case study illustrated the parameters changed in the direction intuitively expected. However, it is not possible to determine a quantitative relationship. A large number of case studies at different sites, each simulated under a variety of conditions, would be necessary to determine a quantitative relationship. The computational time required for each simulation may become excessive when a large number of simulations must be completed. A second limitation is related to the calibration procedures presently required for both the ARM and SERATRA models. If the calibration is unique to each site of application, then the simplified statistical methodology must be able to account for this. The severity of the problem can not be determined until more case studies are completed.

Additional study on a simplified statistical methodology must consider another question. What is the minimal information required concerning pesticide occurrence and duration for a useful risk assessment? An

answer to the question along with a specific statistical summary procedure must be available before detailed studies of a simplified approach can be useful. Experience in applying the present CMRA Methodology will be useful in determining the information necessary for a risk assessment and in formulating an effective statistical summary for the information.

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#### APPENDIX A

# PROCEDURE FOR CMRA METHODOLOGY APPLICATION

Step-by-step instructions to use the CMRA Methodology will be described.

# OVERLAND PESTICIDE MODELING

The first step in the CMRA Methodology is the application of ARM to the selected study area. The procedure to be followed is essentially the same as the five major steps outlined by Donigian and Davis (1977). These steps are discussed briefly below and have been slightly modified for use in this study.

## Step 1: Data Collection and Analysis

Once the pesticide, application practice and study area have been selected, the input data for ARM must be collected and analyzed. These input or execution data basically consist of meteorologic data, such as precipitation, potential evapotranspiration, maximum-minimum air temperature, wind movement, dewpoint temperature and solar radiation. If snowmelt calculations are not required, only the first two types of meteorologic data are needed. Because ARM is a continuous simulation model, these data are required for the entire duration of the simulation time period. The length of this time period is primarily determined by statistical considerations to be discussed later as well as data availability and the required computation time.

#### Step 2: Preparation of Meteorologic Data and Model Input Sequence

This step consists of the construction of input data files for each type of meteorologic data. The procedures for constructing these files and their input formats have been described in detail by Donigian and Davis (1977).

#### Step 3: Parameter Evaluation

Several of the ARM model parameters can be evaluated directly without going through the calibration process. The types of information required to evaluate these parameters include topographic maps, soil maps, hydrologic/meteorologic studies, water quality studies, cropping pattern surveys, and data on pesticide application rates and modes. The specific parameters which can be evaluated in this manner and methods of evaluation have also been described by Donigian and Davis (1977).

## Step 4: Model Calibration and Verification

Calibration is an iterative process of making computer runs and coefficient adjustments until simulated results match observed results. It is required for parameters which cannot be determined directly. The calibration process for the ARM model has been refined over several years of effort and is discussed in great detail by Donigian and Davis (1977).

# Step 5: Generation of Runoff and Edge-of-Stream Sediment and Pesticide Loadings

Upon completion of the previous steps, the ARM model can be used to generate the runoff and sediment and pesticide loading information required as input to the instream modeling component of the methodology. This step basically involves obtaining historical meteorological data for a given time period or the selection of data which represent a specific sequence of storm events. Pesticide application times can be based on local conditions or selected arbitrarily. In the latter case, pesticide removal by runoff and erosion can be maximized by selecting pesticide application times several days to several weeks before major storm events. Pesticide application rates and modes and cropping patterns can be obtained from local information; if the pesticide being evaluated is new, application rates and modes can be obtained from the manufacturer.

The information generated in this step of the methodology is a time history of each of the following: runoff, sediment loading, pesticide dissolved in the runoff and pesticide attached to the sediment. Depending on the size and configuration of the watershed, this information is generated for each catchment individually or for the total watershed. The in-stream sediment and contaminant transport model, SERATRA (Onishi and Wise 1979a,b), requires the pesticide attached to each size fraction of sediment being modeled in the river system. However, ARM only simulates total sediment loading and total pesticide adsorbed to the sediment. Therefore, the ARM simulation results have to be modified prior to their input to SERATRA.

#### INSTREAM PESTICIDE MODELING

Instream pesticide modeling requires two computer models. EXPLORE-I (Baca et al. 1973; Onishi 1979) is used to obtain one-dimensional, unsteady distributions of discharge (or velocity) and depth in a receiving water body. Computed runoff is input to EXPLORE-I as a tributary contribution. SERATRA is used to simulate pesticide migration by solving both sediment and pesticide transport. SERATRA uses EXPLORE-I results and computed sediment and pesticide loading from overland as input data. Simulation results of pesticide distributions in a receiving stream are then statistically analyzed to be used for the pesticide risk assessment. Because of the lack of toxicological knowledge, only dissolved pesticide distributions are used for the risk assessment.

# Step 1: Hydrodynamic Data Collection and Analysis:

Once the study area is selected, the input data for EXPLORE-I must be collected and analyzed. These data consist of channel geometry and the Manning's coefficient of the stream. If there is a dam in the study area, obtain the operational characteristics of the dam to be inputed to EXPLORE-I. Boundary conditions at the upstream and downstream ends and at tributary confluences must be specified. These boundary conditions may be time varying inflows or water surface elevations during the entire simulation period. Initial flow conditions must also be specified. The simulation period is the same as that used in the overland modeling component.

# Step 2: Preparation of EXPLORE Input:

Assemble the input data outlined in Step 1 along with the runoff computed with ARM.

## Step 3: EXPLORE-I Calibration and Verification:

EXPLORE-I must then be calibrated to match measured depth and velocity distributions by adjusting the Manning coefficient. If more than one set of measured data are available for different discharges, use the first set of observed data for calibration and the other set(s) of data for model verification.

## Step 4: Production Run for Hydrodynamic Simulation:

Upon completion of above steps, run the EXPLORE-I model to obtain depth and velocity (or discharge) distributions.

# Step 5: Sediment and Pesticide Data Collection and Analysis

Collect necessary input data of sediment and pesticide characteristics, as well as initial and boundary values of sediment and pesticide concentrations. Detailed information of SERATRA formulation, data need and modeling procedure is described in Onishi and Wise (1979a,b). Based on the analysis of data availability, decide whether to treat sediment as one bulk sediment, consequently one bulk particulate pesticide, or to divide the sediment into three sediment size fractions (or sediment types), resulting in three groups of particulate pesticide associated with each size fractions (or type) of sediment. The SERATRA user must realize that the discrepancy between actual and simulated sediment transport rates, hence also particulate pesticide transport rates will probably be large if only a single size fraction (or single type) of sediment is considered. The use of three size fractions (or types) is itself a compromise. If sediments are divided into three size fractions (or sediment types), then bulk sediment and pesticide loading computed by ARM must be separated into each size fraction (or sediment type), as described in Subsection 4.3.2. Care must be taken for selection of pesticide distribution coefficients.

## Step 6: Preparation of SERATRA Input

Using data prepared under Step 5, and results obtained by ARM and EXPLORE-I, assemble the input data for SERATRA.

## Step 7: SERATRA Calibration and Verification

With available field data, adjust model parameters, especially those associated with erosion and deposition of cohesive sediments (i.e., critical shear stresses and the erodibility coefficient) and dispersion coefficient, as model calibration. If there are additional field data for other flow conditions, use the sets of field data for model verification.

# Step 8: Production Run for Sediment-Pesticide Transport Simulation

Upon completion of the previous steps, run SERATRA to obtain unsteady, vertical and longitudinal distributions of sediment and pesticide (both dissolved and particulate) concentrations. Sediment and pesticide conditions in the river bed will also be computed. Cross-sectionally averaged dissolved pesticide concentrations will then be used for the statistical analysis.

# STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

The CMRA Methodology procedures require the summary of SERATRA output results of dissolved pesticide concentrations. Each of these areas are described in the order of their occurrence in the methodology.

# Step 1: FRANCO (Olsen and Wise 1979) Analysis of SERATRA Instream Pesticide Concentration

The FRANCO program requires particular information to be available for a meaningful analysis (Olsen and Wise, 1979). The SERATRA model cutoff pesticide concentration value and the maximum pesticide concentration are needed. A time series plot of the data is helpful. An array of user specified concentration values, a similar array of duration values and a number of LC (lethal concentration) functions are needed to control the summary of the simulated pesticide concentrations. The LC functions are specified to provide the information needed for the risk assessment. The selection of these functions is discussed in the following risk assessment steps. The concentration and duration values are selected with consideration for both the risk assessment needs and the statistical requirements for providing detail on the frequency of occurrence and duration of specific pesticide concentrations.

#### RISK ASSESSMENT

#### Step 1: Lethality

Data must be located for pertinent aquatic species in response to the pesticide under investigation. These values should be stated as LC50

(median lethal concentration) or TLm (median tolerance limit) for a specific time interval such as 24-hr LC50. The minimum number of points required include the 24-, 48-, and 96-hr LC50 numbers, for each pesticide and species. Include the confidence limits around each point and any experimental conditions specifically indicated. Incipient LC50 values, when given, should also be recorded. Sources for such information include toxicological literature, the Office of Pesticide Programs, EPA files, and pesticide manufacturers. A reference list is included in the Appendix B and may be useful in obtaining these data.

If all values 24, 48, and 96-hr LC50 for the specific pesticide and aquatic species are available and there are no conflicting values, use the data as it is. Where conflicting data occur and can be traced to the conditions under which the tests were performed, use the results most similar to the field conditions being studied. For example, results may be given for temperatures of 7 and  $20^{\circ}$ C. The temperature most closely approximating an actual average stream temperature should be used.

(Optional) Standardize values from static bioassays of calculated concentrations to flow-through bioassays of measured concentrations by the following factors:

Static value x 0.71 approximates Flow-through values

Calculated concentrations x 0.77 approximates Measured values.

Example: (from dieldrin) 24-hr 48-hr 96-hr LC50

Frequently, data lists do not provide all necessary LC50 points. Use one of the following methods to extrapolate missing values in the data.

1. Find the slope between concentrations at the 24, 48, and 96-hr LC50 intervals for a genus or family related aquatic species subjected to the same pesticide to approximate the missing point or points. See Appendix B for a partial phylogenetic chart.

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Given:	Lepomis macrochirus Lepomis gibbosus	5.5	3.4	2.8 6.7	ppb ppb
Lepomis macrochirus			Lepomis gibbosus		
SI	ope $\frac{2.8 - 3.4}{96 - 48} = \frac{6}{48} =$	0125	6.7 96	- C <sub>48</sub>	=0125
				c <sub>48</sub>	= 7.3
	$\frac{3.4 - 5.5}{48 - 24} = \frac{-2.7}{24}$	<b></b> 0875	7.3	- C <sub>24</sub>	=0875
				c <sub>24</sub>	= 9.4

$$\frac{2.8 - 5.5}{96 - 24} = \frac{-2.7}{72} = -.0375$$

$$\frac{6.7 - C_{24}}{96 - 24} = -.0375$$

$$C_{24} = 9.4$$

Now concentration values for 24 and 48 hours have been generated and may be used to approximate experimental numbers.

- 2. Use the geometric mean of the toxicity slopes for other species of the same order exposed to the same pesticide. Calculate the missing values using these geometric mean values for 24, 48, and 96 hours.
- 3. Use the standardization factors suggested in the Federal Register (1978) to estimate 96-hr LC50 values. The reciprocals of these number can be used to derive data points for 24, 48, and 72 hours.

Given: 24-hr LC50: multiply by 0.66 to estimate 96-hr LC50 48-hr LC50: multiply by 0.81 to estimate 96-hr LC50 72-hr LC50: multiply by 0.92 to estimate 96-hr LC50 96-hr LC50: multiply by 1.52 to estimate 24-hr LC50 96-hr LC50: multiply by 1.23 to estimate 48-hr LC50 96-hr LC50: multiply by 1.09 to estimate 72-hr LC50

If the pesticide of interest has no toxicity data for the species, several alternatives remain to find data indicative of the probable toxicity trend. However, without experimental results, the accuracy of these estimates cannot be assumed.

- Find the toxicity range of genus related species and use this range as the most likely to include the actual values. A geometric mean may be calculated, if desired, for computer handling.
- For no genus related species, use family, then order, then class if necessary to obtain enough data to describe a toxicity range.
- 3. Use toxicity data from a related pesticide for the same species or at least the same genus to approximate toxicity if the two pesticides are known to cause similar biological effects.

#### Step 2: Sublethal Toxicity

Find the MATC (maximum acceptable toxicant concentration) range for the pesticide and aquatic species in question. If the range is specifically given in the literature, use it. Where chronic data is given and includes no effect levels, use the highest no effect level and the lowest chronic effects concentration to determine the MATC range.

> Example: Highest concentration with no effect - 50 ppb Lowest concentration with effects - 100 ppb

## 50 < MATC < 100 ppb

A MATC range may be found for another species for the same pesticide. The next two steps describe the procedure to use this MATC value for deriving one for the species in question.

1. Calculate an application factor (AF) from the known MATC of the other species.

MATC (other species)/96-hr LC50 (other species) = Application Factor Range

2. Use the AF to calculate the new MATC.

AF range (from above) x 96-hr LC50 (of desired species) = MATC range (for desired species)

Alternatives may be used when no MATC ranges or chronic data can be obtained. These include the following:

- 1. Use an arbitrary AF based on the pesticide's known persistence and cumulative effects.
  - a. If the pesticide is neither persistent nor cumulative in toxicity, use 0.05 as the AF for a 24 hr average or 0.1 for a temporary concentration level.
  - b. If the chemical is known to have persistent and/or cumulative toxicity properties, use 0.01 for the 24 hr average or 0.05 for a temporary AF.
  - 2. Where a MATC range is given for the species for a related pesticide, the use of its derived AF may be a better estimate than an arbitrary AF.

The MATC range may be converted to a single concentration value for convenient computer manipulation. Either endpoint or a geometric mean are possible choices. The lowest value in the range (the highest no effect level) is preferred as the most conservative choice.

## Step 3. Input to the FRANCO Model

The choice of curve formation depends on its intended use. FRANCO will determine the number of times a curve is exceeded, the duration of each exceedance event, the total time of exceedance, and the percentage of total time that the curve is exceeded as the fraction over SERATRA cutoff, i.e., total event time. Suggested curves are included below for each aquatic species being studied.

1. A SERATRA cutoff. This one is discussed in Chapter 4.

- 2. The MATC as one of the endpoints or the geometric mean. Use of both endpoints requires two curves (see Figure 13a).
- 3. The LC50-MATC conservative curve indicating the greatest chance for lethality (see Figure 13b).
- 4. The lethal curve least likely to indicate lethality (see Figure 13c).
- 5. The intermediate curve (see Figure 13d).
- 6. The MATC line from 96 hours to the end of the test period.
- 7. The LC50 or LC50-MATC line beyond 48 or 96 hours.

FRANCO accepts a maximum of six duration-concentration pairs of points to define each curve (function). Time is in hours and concentrations are expressed as  $Kg/m^3$  (1 x  $10^3$  mg/1). Pair point choices are dictated by the selection of each curve. Each line segment must be defined by two points. For straight line sections such as the MATC, designation of two separate durations at the same concentration is required.

## Step 4. Interpretation of Results

The Exceedance Summary produced by FRANCO lists the following values for each curve:

- 1. The number of times curve concentration levels were exceeded.
- 2. The total number of time steps.
- 3. The total percent of modeling time in which the curve was exceeded.

Additional information obtained by FRANCO is described in Section 4.2. Particular points of interest may include the highest concentration level reached, the time steps in which an event occurred, and the percentage of time steps lasting longer than some time  $\mathsf{d}_x$  at Concentration  $\mathsf{C}_x$ .

Results may be briefly summarized as illustrated in Figure A.1. Section A, below the MATC line, is presumed safe and is calculated as the percentage exceeding the MATC (sample curve 2 in Figure 13a) subtracted from 100%. Potential lethal and sublethal Section B, which includes lethality less than 50%, is calculated by subtracting the global exceedance determined from sample curve 4 (Figure 13c) from the MATC curve (sample curve 2). Section C measures lethality as exceedance of the LC50 curve. Sample curve 4 is used in this example. Sample curve 3 (Figure 13b) may be used instead if desired.

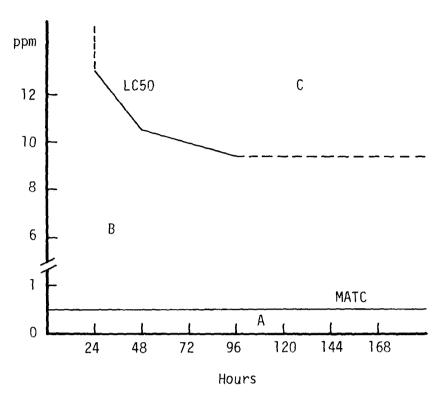


Figure A.1. Summary of global exceedance results.

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#### APPENDIX B

#### TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES OF PESTICIDES

The following tables are divided into two sections. The first is a compilation of toxicity data on individual pesticides and the second is a listing of groups of related pesticides along with properties of persistence, solubility, and Kd values.

Table B.1 lists pesticides by their common generic names and functions. Several trade names are included to help identify the pesticide, but the use of such trade names is not intended as an endorsement of the product. The table has been divided into the taxonomic classes of fish, crustaceans, and insects. While the risk assessment procedure of the CMRA Methodology is not sufficiently sophisticated to assess the toxicological risk to invertebrates, they have been included for toxicity data comparison. A phylogenetic chart shown in Figure B.1 will help identify the relationships between common fish species and may be referred to during the assessment process. The list in Table B.2 identifies the scientific names of common fish.

The individual pesticide tables include information on lethality as 24-, 48-, and 96-hr LC50 concentrations, MATC ranges, and other acute or chronic effects. Occasionally, experimental conditions will be noted. All values are given in mg/l (ppm), and no attempt has been made to judge them for accuracy or standardize them to flow-though bioassays of measured concentration.

The reference bibliography is located at the end of this appendix. Not all citations are from the original articles. Further search for the original article is recommended for a better perception of the bioassay techniques and water conditions used.

Table B.3 divides many pesticides into chemical classes and lists solubility, Kd, soil and water persistence for them. Soil persistence is frequently listed as a half-life value (T/2). Water persistence values listed as percentages should be interpreted as percent remaining effective after the given length of time. The chemical family names used here include organochlorines, organophosphates, carbamates, phenylamides, phenoxyalkanoates, triazines, and a miscellaneous class. While chemically related compounds usually exhibit similar properties, individual members may display wide variation. Therefore, the generalizations stated below may not be applicable to all pesticides in the group.

## <u>Organochlorines</u>

Chlorinated hydrocarbons, cyclodienes, and other oxygenated chlorine compounds are grouped in this category. These insecticides are persistent and most are rapidly assimilated by organisms in contact with them. Most are only very slightly soluble in water; typically less than 1 ppm will dissolve. Their high affinity for and solubility in lipids is the basis for their bioconcentration in the fats of an organism. Because of their low water solubility, they are highly immobile in soils where they are held and inactivated mostly by the soil organic component.

Most of the organochlorines are very persistent with half-lives of several years. Their degradation in soils takes place at a slow rate but can occur by microbial metabolism, photodecomposition, and by chemical reaction. Degradation products of some of these are also insecticidal, prolonging their effect in the soil. Volatilization may be a signficant method of removal from both soil and water. These pesticides should leach only a very short distance through the soil profile.

Entrance into the aquatic system from agricultural lands occurs almost entirely through soil erosion and watershed runoff. Once in the stream most will settle to the bottom and be associated with the sediment where it will equilibrate with the small dissolved fraction. Persistence in static water bodies is very long and toxaphene has been shown to be active after ten years.

Organochlorines as a group are highly toxic to aquatic animals and manifest an acute median lethal concentration less than 0.5 ppm for almost all of them. Biomagnification by uptake through the food chain or direct adsorption from water is not likely to occur in moving river communities (Macek, 1977). However, where biomagnification and transfer does occur, resistances to a pesticide by a species may have drastic effects on the next trophic level.

#### Organophosphates

Organophosphates have demonstrated toxic effects to a variety of organisms and have been used not only as insecticides, but also as herbicides and fungicides. Their advantage over organochlorines lies in their transience in the soil with residues disappearing between crop seasons.

The properties of organophosphates often cover a wide range. As a group they are slightly soluble in water but can vary from less than 1 ppm (Dioxathion) to 13% (Trichlorfon) or more. Movement in soils is related to their solubilities with the most mobile usually being the most soluble. However, they tend to adsorb strongly to soils and are seldom leached below the surface.

Vapor pressures for this group exceed the organochlorines and they are readily susceptible to microbial and chemical degradation. The rate of degradation rises with increases in soil moisture, temperature, and acidity; with hydrolysis; oxidation; and volatility contributing to the low stability. Under moderate conditions organophosphates remain in soil no more than several months though parathion has been detected in sandy loam for up to 16 years (Guenzi, 1974).

Most aquatic contamination will result from runoff entering the watershed. Organophosphates tend to hydrolyze readily and have a comparatively short half-life in water. Prior to their degradation they are highly toxic to aquatic animals, several compounds are responsible for lethal effects to crustaceans around the 0.001 ppm level.

### Carbamates

Carbamate compounds have been divided into the methyl carbamates, a thio- and dithio- group and the carbanilates and are effective as insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides. Insecticides act by contact or ingestion as competitive inhibitors of cholinesterase. Fungicides are useful in controlling foliar disease in agricultural crops. Herbicides are effective in preemergence application. Most methyl carbamates have insecticidal activity and most phenyl carbamates are herbicides. Thio- and dithiocarbamates are used as herbicides and fungicides. Carbamates have a relatively short residual life in soils and are readily degraded by most nontarget organism.

Carbamate compounds are somewhat volatile and most are broken down rather quickly by microbial and chemical degradation. They do not sorb strongly to soils and are easily leached. The carbanilates, however, are relatively immobile. Once in the water, they are quickly broken down with a significant reduction within one week. Most are moderately toxic to fish and very toxic to crustaceans.

#### **Phenylamides**

Amines and anilines, the nitroanilines, and the ureas comprise this group. Alternative names for these chemicals are the acetamides, acylanilides, toludines, and phenylureas, among others. Nearly all of these have herbicidal action and are metabolized similarly.

These pesticides show moderate soil persistence with significant microbial degradation. None are very soluble, and the nitroanilines are particularly insoluble (1 ppm or less in water). Several are somewhat volatile and their adsorption is directly related to the amount of organic matter. The nitroanilines are fairly immobile in the soils but the ureas, amides, and anilines do not sorb strongly and desorb rapidly. Toxicity of this category to aquatic animals is low.

# Phenoxyalkanoates

This group of herbicides also exhibits low toxicity to aquatic animals. The phenoxy compounds are not readily adsorbed to clay minerals but will sorb in limited amounts to organic matter. They are slightly soluble and are easily leached. Their persistence in soils depends on soil water content usually ranging from one to six months.

## Triazines

Triazines and triazoles are largely nonvolatile herbicides. Their wide range in persistence from two weeks to more than a year depends on soil type, soil moisture, and application amount. Adsorption, which is readily reversible, depends on soil composition, moisture, pH, and temperature. Some are moderately mobile while others demonstrate little leaching or lateral movement. Toxicity of these pesticides is low for fish and may be moderate to invertebrates.

# Miscellaneous Pesticides

Included among the miscellaneous are such groups as the aliphatic and benzoic acids, the dipyridyls, nitrophenols, phthalimides, pyridines, and the uracils.

TABLE B.1. PESTICIDE EFFECT ON FISH AND CRUSTACEANS (ACUTE TOXICITY = mg/1).

Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
ACROLEIN Aquatic herbicide (Bacteriocide)	FISH Salmo gairdneri Salmo trutta Cyprinus carpio	0.140 0.046				Killed at 1-2 ppm	Pimentel 1971 Burdick et al. 1964 Herbicide Handbook 1970
	Pimephales promelas Rasbora heteromorpha Lepomis macrochirus	0.14	0.16		>0.011 <0.042		Macek et al. 1976 Alabaster 1969 Burdick et al. 1964
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna		0.057		>0.017 <0.034		Macek et al. 1976
ALACHLOR Herbicide (Lasso )	FISH Salmo garrdneri Ictalurus sp. Pimephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus	8.7	8.	2.3 6.5 4.4 13.4	>0.51 <1.0		Monsanto Monsanto Call et al. 1979 Monsanto
	CRUSTACEANS Crayfish			19.5			Herbicide Handbook 1979
A <u>L</u> DRIN Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus Kısutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gaırdneri Carassius auratus	0.0124	0.061 0.0106 0.0239	0.046 0.0075 0.0177 0.028		72 hr LC50-0.0486 72 hr LC50-0.0087 72 hr LC50-0.0203 240 hr LC50-0.020	Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Henderson et al. 1959 Handerson et al. 1959
	remphases prometas Poecija retroulata Gasterosteus aculaatus Leopmis cyanellus Lepomis macrochirus	9600.0	0.0483	0.033 0.033 0.0085 0.0052		72 hr LC50-0.0415	et al.
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Ase lus brevicaudus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.030	0.0292 (50 0.028 0.023	(50 hr) 0.008 8 0.050			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Ephemerella grandıs Pteronarcys calıfornica Acroneuria pacıfıca	0.030	0.008	0.0089 0.013 0.180 0.200		30 day LC50-0.0025 30 day LC50-0.022	Gaufin et al. 1965 Sanders & Cope 1968 Jensen & Gaufin 1966 Jensen & Gaufin 1966
ALLETHRIN Insecticide	FISH Salmo gairdnerı Lepomis macrochirus	0.020	0.019	0.019 0.056			Cope 1965b WQC 1972

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
ALLETHRIN (contd)	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus	0.038	0.021 0.056 0.020	0.008			Sanders & Cope, 1966 Sanders & Cope, 1966 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1969
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.009	0.0056	0.0021			Cope, 1965b
AMITROLE Herbicide (Aminotriazole)	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Lepomis macrochirus Rasbora heteromorpha	1950	325 >100 1350				Bond et al. 1960 Sanders 1970 Alabaster 1969
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidia Asellus Previcaudus Gammarus fasciatus Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais		30 32 32 5100 5100 100				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
ATRAZINE Herbicide	FISH Salvelinus fontinalis Pimephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus				>0.21 <0.52 >0.06 <0.12 >0.10 <0.50	ICL50-4.9 ILC50-15 ICL50-6.7	Macek et al. 1976 Macek et al. 1976 Macek et al. 1976
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Gammarus fasciatus		6.9		>0.14 <0.25 >0.06 <0.14		Macek et al. 1976 Macek et al. 1976
	INSECTS Chironomus tentans		0.72		>0.11 <0.23		Macek et al. 1976
AZINPHOS-METHYL Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch	0.007	0.005	0.0042		72 hr LC50-0.0048	Katz 1961
Acaricide	Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri	0.0068	0.0062 0.0038	0.0043		72 hr LC50-0.0043	961 961 • M-01160400
	Salmo trutta Carassius auratus Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas			0.004 4.27 0.695 0.235			Macek & McAllister 1970
	Ictalurus melas Ictalurus punctatus Lepomis macrochirus Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens			3.5 3.290 0.022 0.052 0.005	16:0> 66:00		Macek & McAllister 1970

	Reference	Pimentel 1971 Pimentel 1971 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 WQC 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972		Sanborn et al. 1977 Sanborn et al. 1977	Hermanutz et al. 1973 Hermanutz et al. 1973 Hermanutz et al. 1973	CAlliste CAL
	Additional Effects	30 day-no effect- 0.0001 5 day LC50-0.0012 20 day LC50-0.00016	4			72 hr LC50-1.35 6 months-chronic effects-0.68 72 hr LC50-6.175
	MATC				>0.0075 <0.018 >0.0165 <0.0395 >0.0187 <0.0446	>0.21 <0.68
(contd)	96 hr LC50	0.021 0.00010 0.00015	0.012 0.0015 0.0046 0.0121 0.0020	100	0.034 0.065 0.072	0.997 0.764 1.35 4.34 1.95 113.2 14.6 9.0 20 15.8 3.990 2.0 6.76
B.1.	48 hr LC50	0.0002 0.0032 0.00025	0.008	75-80 75-80		0.997 1.60 16.625 2.5 2.0
TABLE	24 hr LC50	0.00056	0.025			1.33 1.9 6.7 3.4 3.5
	Organism	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus pacustris Gammarus pseudolimneaus Paleomonetes kadiakensis	INSECTS Ephemerella subvaria Ophigomphus rupinsulensis Pteronarcys californica Pteronarcys dorsata Acroneuria lycorias Acroneuria pacifica Hydropsyche bettoni	FISH Salmo gairdneri Pimephales promelas	FISH Salvelinus fontinalis Pimephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus	Oncorhynchus kisutch Salmo gairdneri Salmo trutta Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Ictalurus melas Ictalurus puntatus Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens
	Pesticide	AZINPHOS-METHYL (contd)		BROMACIL Herbicide	CAPTAN Fungicide	САЯВАЯЧ Insecticide (Sevin®)

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
CARBARYL (contd)	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna					63 day-no effect- .005	WQC 1972
	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Acallus hravicaudus		0.0064	0.240			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders and Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966
	Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	0.040	0.022	0.26 0.16 0.0056 0.0086			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.030	0.013	0.0048		30 day 1 C50_0 D23	Cope 1965b
	Pteronarcys uorsaca Pteronarcella badia	0.0050	0.0036	0.0017		30 day 1 C50-0 0022	Sanders & Cope 1968 WnC 1972
	Acroneuria incomias Claassenia sabulosa Hydropsyche bettoni	0.012	0.0068	0.0056		30 day LC50-0.0027	Sanders & Cope 1968 WQC 1972
CHLORDANE Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha	0.100	0.086	0.056		72 hr LC50-0.082 72 hr LC50-0.057	Katz 1961 Katz 1961
	Salmo gairdneri Salvelinus fontinalis	0.022 0.056 0.125	0.010 0.044 0.102	0.0078 0.044 0.047		166 hr LC50-0.025	Cope 1965b Katz 1961 Cardwell et al. 1977
	Esox lucius Carassius auratus Cuprims carmio	(27.2 hr) >0.005	(46 hr) 1.16	0.082			Cardwell et al. 1977 Henderson et al. 1959 Cardwell et al. 1977
	Pimephales promelas		0.0534	0,0369		192 hr IC-0.032	Cardwell et al. 1977
	Ictalurus punctatus Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus	0.118 0.058	(45 nr) 0.118 0.049 0.121	0.052 0.500 0.190 0.090 0.040		72 hr LC50-0.090	Henderson et al. 1959 Cardwell et al. 1977 Henderson et al. 1959 Katz 1961 Cope 1965b Cardwell et al. 1977
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus		0.029	0.0284-0.0352			Cardwell et al. 1977 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Candwall et al. 1977
	Cyclops strendus Asellus aquaticus Hospalls seteca	1.0		0.047		Lethal threshold Lethal threshold	Cardwell et al. 1977 Cardwell et al. 1977 Cardwell et al. 1977
	nyarenta Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Cambarus affinis	0.160	0.080	0.040 0.026 0.004		120 hr LC50-0.0025 Lethal threshold	

	Additional Effects Reference	Cope 1965b 34 hr LT50-1.65 Cardwell et al. 1977 8 hr LT50-0.015 Cardwell et al. 1977	Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962	MQC 1972	Pimentel 1971 36 hr LC50-0.35125 Ferguson et al. 1966 36 hr LC50215595 Ferguson et al. 1966 36 hr LC50023125 Ferguson et al. 1966 Macek et al. 1972	Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969	Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968	7	Honderson et al. 1959 Honderson et al. 1969 Pickering et al. 1962 72 hr LC50-1.86 Katz 1961 Katz 1961	WQC 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969	Carlson 1966 Carlson 1966
	MATC										
(contd)	96 hr LC50	0.015	2.3 2.8 1.2 0.71		0.0036	0.00032	0.00038 0.010 0.00057	15 1.50	186 0.56 1.86 0.18	0.00015	
TABLE B.1. (	48 hr LC50	0.055	2.9 2.9 2.0 0.78	0.0045		0.00040	0.0018 0.018 0.0018	20 1.80	2.8 2.25	0.001	
TABL	24 hr LC50	0.170	2.6 4.9 2.3 1.8		0.53-0.550	0.00076	0.0042 0.050 0.0082	22	>10	0.00032	0.430
	Organism	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica Hydropsyche sp. Chironomus sp.	FISH Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEAN Daphnia magna	FISH Salmo gairdneri Notemigonus crypoleucas Gambusia affinis Lepomis cyanellus	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Pteronarcella badia Pteronarcys.californica Claassenia sabulosa	FISH Oncorhynchus Kisutch Salmo gairdneri Caraccia amrafuc	Pimephales promelas Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Hexagenia sp. Hydropsyche sp.
	Pesticide	CHLORONITROPHENYL DIMETHYL PHOSPHOROTHIOATE Insecticide	Action to the state of the stat		CHLORPYRIFOS Insecticide (Dursban®)			COUMAPHOS Insecticide (Co-Ral®)			

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
CROTOXYPHOS Insecticide (Ciodrin®)	FISH Salmo gairdneri Ictalurus punctatus Lepomis macrochirus			0.055 2.5 0.250 1.10			WQC 1972 WQC 1972 WQC 1972 WQC 1972
	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	0.049	0.029	0.011 0.015			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969
2,4-D Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch			121			McKim et al. 1975 McKim 1975
	Salmo gairdneri		1.1	1 ts		PGBE BEE 10F	Sanders 1970 McKim 1975 McKim 1975
	Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas Gambusia affinis Poecilia refinilata	0.91-1.7		96.5 5.6 70.7	>0.3<1.5		JWPCF 1978 Mount & Stephan 1967 McKim et al. 1975 Brungs 1978
	Lepomis gibbosus Lepomis macrochirus	10.0	0.9 10.0	94.6		PGBE BEE	Brungs 1978 Cope 1965a Davis & Hughes
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna		0.10 5.6			PGBE BEE	Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Conridoneis vidua		4.0 >100 3.2 4.9			Dimethylamine salts Acid PGBE PGBE PGBF	Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Cope 1965a Cope 19650 Sanders 1970
	Asellus brevicaudus		8.08 2.28 2.28 2.28			8EE Dimethylamine salts PGBE BEE	
	Palaemonetes kadiakensis		>100 2.7 1.4			ethylamine :	Sanders Sanders Sanders Sanders
	Orconectes nais		>100 0.90 1.1				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Gammarus fasciatus	4.1 6.5	>100 2.6 5.9 >100	2.5 5.9		Dimethylamine salt PGBE BEE Dimethylamine salt	Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Gammarus lacustris	2.1 1.4 6.8	3.2 1.8 0.76 4.6	1.6 0.44 2.4			
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	8.5	1.8	1.6		BEE	Sanders & Cope 1968

	Reference	et	Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962	Sanders 1972	Cope 1965b Cope 1965b Allison & Hermanutz, 1977	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1969 WQC 1973		WQC 1972	Pimentel 1971 Herbicide Handbook 1970 Herbicide Handbook 1970 Herbicide Handbook 1970	Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970	Cope 1965b Alabaster 1969 Harbicide Handbook 1970	Cope 1965b Wilson & Bond 1969 Hughs & Davis 1962
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	MATC												
(contd)	96 hr LC50	12 2.9 3.6.4.2	0.66	0.027	0.090 0.022 0.48	(50 hr)	0.20	0,025	0.0017	28	9°.6	18	10,
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TABLE	24 hr LC50	12 3.6	0.70		0.380 0.052		0.80	0.155		151 35 659 130	10	23 120	22 17 37
	Organism	FISH Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas	Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus	FISH Salmo gairdneri Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex	Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus lacustris Gammarus pseudolimneaus	INSECTS Ephemerella subvaria Ophiogomphus rupinsulensis Pteronarcys californica	reronartys uorsata Acroneuria lycorias Hydropsyche bettoni	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Salmo gairdneri Cyprinus carpio	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	FISH Salmo gairdneri Rasbora heteromopha	Lepomis gibbosus Lepomis macrochirus
	Pesticide	DEMETON Insecticide Acaricide	(systox®)		DIAZINON Insecticide					DICAMBA Herbicide (Banvel®)		DICHLOBENIL Herbicide (Casoron®)	

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Additional Effects		96 IC50-2.8		24 hr LC50-0.14				
MATC								
96 hr LC50	12.5	8.5 10 11	10.3 20.7 >100 7 13.0 7.8		0.10	0.48 0.869	0.0004	0.0001
48 hr LC50		10 3.7 7.8 7.8 34.0 12.5 18 15 9.0	15.2 24.2 >100 8.4 23.3 12.5	0.048 0.048 0.070 0.120	0.025 0.120 0.200 0.24 2.3 0.45	0.70	0.000066 0.00026 0.001	0.010
24 hr LC50	>20 15	18.8 20 16	19.2 25.5 >100 42 28.2 15.7	0.040	0.30	0.500	0.002	0.025
Organism	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Hyalella azteca Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	INSECTS Callibaetis sp. Enallagma sp. Libellula sp. Pteronarcys callfornica Limmephilus sp.	FISH Oncorhynchus sp. Salmo gairdneri Ictalurus sp. Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	FISH Salmo gairdheri Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica
Pesticide	DICHLOBENIL (contd)			DICLONE Fungicide (Phygon®)		DICHLORVOS Insecticide		

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
DEILDRIN Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri	0.0175 0.0079 0.0157	0.0153 0.0067 0.0130	0.0108 0.0061 0.0099		72 hr LC50-0.0144 72 hr LC50-0.0061 72 hr LC50-0.0099	Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Cne 1961
	Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia latipinna	610.0	51000	0.037 0.016		34 wks-chronic	
	Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis gibbosus	0.0207	0.0189	0.0153		72 hr LC50-0.0180 100 day EC-0.0017	katz 1961 Cairns & Scheir 1964
	Lepomis macrochirus	0.0055	0.0034	0.0028			
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia carinata Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicandus	0.740	0.250 0.190	0.005		64 hr EC50-0.250 50 hr EC50-0.330	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 197
	Garmarus fasciatus Garmarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	1.4	1.0	0.600 0.460 0.020 0.740			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcella badia Pteronarcys californica	0.0028 0.006	0.0015 0.0013	0.0005		10 437 1 750-0 001	Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968 Joneon & Caufin 1966
	Acroneuria pacifica Claassenia sabulosa	0.0045	0.0023	0.024 0.00058		10 day LC50-0.004	Jensen & Gaufin 1966 Sanders & Cope 1968
DIOXATHION Insecticide Acaricide	FISH Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia retroulata Lepomis cyanellus Lepomis macrochirus Micropterus salmoides	42 15 0.35 0.043	42 12 0.25 0.043	32 9.3 0.21 0.061 0.034			Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962
	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	0.83	69*0	0.0086			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969
DIPHENAMID Herbicide	FISH Salmo gairdneri Lepomis macrochirus	150 92	110 80	97 75			Cope 1965b Cope 1965b
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidua		56 50				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970

		TABL	_	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
DIPHENAMID (contd)	Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais		>100 >100 58 >100				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
DIQUAT Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri	29.5 90	28.5				Gilderhus 1967 Alabaster 1969 Gildarhus 1967
	Esox lucius Carassius auratus Notropis atherinoides Pimephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus	180 140, 260 91, 410	16 35 26, 220 80, 210	14, 130 72, 140			Gilderhus 1967 Gilderhus 1967 Pimentel 1971 Surber & Pickering 1962 Surber & Pickering 1962
	Micropterus salmoides Stizostedion vitreum	24	11	35 7.8 2.1			Gilderhus 196/ Surber & Pickering 1962 Gilderhus 1967
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna					8 days at 1ppm - toxic to adults	•₹
	Hyalella azteca	0.580	0.120	0.048		at to	Wilson & Bond 1969 Wilson & Bond 1969
	INSECTS Callibaetis sp. Enallagma sp, Libellula sp. Limnephilus sp.	×100 ×100 ×100 ×100	37 >100 >100 >65 >100	16.4 >100 >100 >33 >100			Wilson & Bond 1969 Wilson & Bond 1969 Wilson & Bond 1969 Wilson & Bond 1969 Wilson & Bond 1969
DISULFOTON Insecticide	FISH Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	7.5	7.2 0.32 0.040	7.2 3.7, 4.1 0.28 0.064			Pickering et al. 1962 Battelle 1971 Pickering et al. 1962 Pimentel 1971 Battelle 1971
	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.110	0.070	0.021 0.052 0.038			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.040	0.018	0.005			Sanders & Cope 1968
DIURON Herbicide	FISH Salmo gairdneri Oncorhynchus kisutch Lepomis macrochirus Micropterus salmoides	12	4.3 16, 42 7.4 16.0	4.0			Cope 1965a Pimental 1971 Cope 1965b Sanborn et al. 1977

		TABLE	B.1.	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
DIURON (contd)	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus	2.5 0.700	1.4 2.0 1.8 0.380	0.700		26 IC50-47ppm	Crosby 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1969
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	3.6	2.8	1.2			Sanders & Cope 1968
ENDOSULFAN Insecticide (Thiodan®)	FISH Salmo gairdneri Pimephales promelas	0.0021	0.0011	0.003	>0.0002<0.0004	120 hr LC50-0.0003 Incipient	Schoettger 1970 Macek et al. 1976
	Catostomus commersoni	0.0066	0.0025 -	0.0030 -		120 hr LC50-0.0025,	Schoettger 1970
	Poecilia reticulata	0.0046	0.0039	0.0037		200.0	Pickering & Henderson
	Lepomis macrochirus	0.0036 - 0.0046	0.0033 -	0.0033			Schoettger 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna	0.068-0.178	0.062-0.138	0.0529-0.0560		120 hr LC50-0.0475 - 0.0535	
	Daphnia pulex Gammarus lacustris	0.0092	0.24 0.0064	0.0058	>0.0027<0.007		Macek et al. 1976 Pimentel 1971 Sanders 1969
	INSECTS Ischnura sp.	0.235-0.275	0.120-0.175	0.0718-0.107		120 hr LC50-0.062 -	Schoettger 1970
	Pteronarcys californica	0.024	0.0056	0.0023		6/0.0	Sanders & Cope 1968
ENDOTHALL (Na, K) Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Cyprinus carpio Notropis lutrensis Notropis umbratilus Ictalurus melas Ictalurus matalis Ictalurus matalis	390, 450	240, 320	136 175 105 95 180 175 176, 180			MQC 1972 Pimentel 1971 Walker 1964 Walker 1964 Walker 1964 Walker 1964 Surber 8 Pickering 1962
	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides	260	3 <u>20</u>	125 120 200			
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Gammarus fasciatus	2.0				26 hr IC50-46 24 hr LC50->100 (7 531+)	Pimentel 1971 Pimentel 1971
	Gammarus lacustris					96 hr no effect-100	Sanders 1969

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		IABL	ABLE B.I. (	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
ENDRIN Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha	0.0013 0.0020	0.0008	0.00051		72 hr LC50-0.00052	Katz 1961 Katz 1961
	Salmo ciarki Salmo gairdneri	0.00079	0.00058	0.000113			Henderson Katz 1961 Cope 1965b
	Carassius auratus Pimephalas promelas Ictalurus punctatus			0.0019 0.0008			Henderson et al. 1959 Henderson et al. 1959 McCorkle et al. 1977
	Poecilla meticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus	0.00035	0.00045 0.00027 0.0016	0.00044 0.00025 0.0006			Henderson et al. 1959 Katz 1961 Cope 1965b Henderson 1959
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia carinata Daphnia magna	0.900	;			64 hr EC50-0.050 50 hr EC50-0.352	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966
	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicaudus		0.020	0.0015			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972
	Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	0.0064	0.0047	0.003		120 LC50-0.0009	Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcella badıa Pteronarcys californica	0.0028 0.004	0.0017	0.00054		:	
	Acroneuria pacifica Claassenia sabulosa	0.0032	0.0084	0.0024 0.00032 0.00076		30 day LC50-0.0012 30 day LC50-0.000035	Jensen & Gaufin 1966 5 Jensen & Gaufin 1966 Sanders & Cope 1968
EPN Insecticide	FISH Pimephales promelas	0.32	0.29	0.25			Pickering 1962
Acaricide	Lepomis macrochirus	0.18	0.13	0.10			Solon & Nair 1970 Pickering 1962
	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.100	0.036	0.007 0.015 0.00056			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
EPTC Herbicıde	FISH Pimephales promelas Gambusia affinis Salmo gairdneri			27 17 19, 21			Herbicide Handbook 1970 Sanborn et al. 1977 Herbicide Handbook 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Gammarus fasciatus	43	9.4 35	4.7			Sanborn et al. 1977 Sanders 1970

		TABL	TABLE 8.1. (	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
ETHION Insecticide Acaricide (Nialate®)	FISH Salmo gairdneri Salmo clarki Pimephales promelas		2,5	0.56 0.72 2.4		Soft water	WQC 1972 WQC 1972 Pickering & Henderson 1966
	Ictalurus punctatus Poecilia reticulata			7.5 0.13			WQC 1972 Pickering & Henderson
	Lepomis macrochirus	0.21	0.14	0.13			Pickering & Henderson
			0.23	0.22			lybo Pimentel 1971
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.0056	0.00001	0.0094 0.0018 0.0057			Pimentel 1971 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.024	0.014	0.0028			Sanders & Cope 1968
FENAC Herbicide	FISH Salmo gairdneri Lepomis macrochirus	61	7.5 50	41			Cope 1965a Cope 1965b
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	22	*100 4.5 6.6 *100 *100 *100 *100 18	12			Sanders 1970 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	170	70	09			Sanders & Cope 1968
FENTHION Insecticide (Baytex®)	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Salmo gairdneri	0.84	0.80	1.32 0.93 0.76			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Cope 1965b
	Salmo trutta Pimephales promelas	3.3-3.5	3.2-3.5	1.33 3.2-3.5			Macek & McAllister 1970 Pickering & Henderson 1966
	ictalurus melas ictalurus punctatus Poecilia reticulata	5.0	3.6	2.44 1.62 1.68 3.1			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Pickering & Henderson
	Lepomis macrochirus	3.7	3.7	3.1			1900 Pickering & Henderson
				1.38			nacek & McAllister 1970

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
FENTHION (contd)	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens			1.88 1.54 1.65			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicandus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	0.015	0.0008 0.00092 0.011	1.80 0.110 0.0084 0.050			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica Acroneuria pacifica	0.130	0.039	0.0045 0.0051		30 day LC50-0.00064	Sanders & Cope 1968 Jensen & Gaufin 1966
нЕРТАСНLОR Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri	0.0619 0.0324 0.015	0.0604 0.0266 0.009	0.0590 0.0173 0.008		72 hr LC50-0.0604 72 hr LC50-0.023 72 hr LC50-0.0259	Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Cope 1965b Katz 1961
	Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus	0.121	0.112	0.230 0.056,.094 0.107 0.112 0.017			Henderson et al. 1959 Henderson et al. 1959 Henderson et al. 1959 Katz 1961 Cope 1963
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia carinata Daphnia magna		ç		2000	64 hr EC50-0.020 50 hr EC50-0.0578	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966
	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Garmarus fasciatus Garmarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	0.150	0.042 0.047 0.040 0.100	0.029 0.0018 0.0078	70.012550.025		macek et ai. 1970 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcella badia Pteronarcys californica Claassenia sabulosa	0.006 0.008 0.009	0.004 0.0056 0.0064	0.0009 0.0011 0.0028			Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968
LIMDANE Insecticide	FISH Oncorhychus kisutch Salmo gairdneri	0.030	0.022	0.041 0.027 0.022			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Cope 1965b
	Salmo trutta Salvelinus fontinalis Carassius auratus	0.042	0.041		>0.0088<0.0166	72 hr LC50-0.039 ILC50-0.026	Katz 1961 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek et al. May 1976 Macek & McAllister 1970

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Additional Effects	11.050-0.069						700000000000000000000000000000000000000	/2.mr LC30-0.0230				
MATC	>0.0091<0.0235		>0.011<0.019	>0.0043<0.0086		>0.0022<0.005		0.068-0.110			>0.20<0.58	>0.0036<0.0074
96 hr LC50	0.090 0.087 0.064 0.044	0.083 0.032 0.068			0.048	0.0045	0.101	0.079-0.120	0.090-0.200 10.7 6.59	0.025 12.5	10.45 12.9 8.97 0.84	0.0940 0.120 0.110 0.170 0.285
48 hr LC50		0.053	0.485	0.520,0.880 0.520,0.880	0.088	0.008	c c	0.0239		0.036	88	0.0940
24 hr LC50			1.10		0.120	0.012	, c	0.0245	0.120	0.040	93	0.0969
Organism	Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas Ictalurus melas Ictalurus punctatus Lepomis macrochirus	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus	Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica Chironomus tentans	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha	Salmo gairdneri	Salvelinus fontinalis Carassius auratus Currinus carrio	Notropis lutrensis Pimephales promelas	Ictalurus melas Ictalurus punctatus Popoilia meticulata	Gasterosteus aculeatus Leopomis cyanellus Leopomis mecrochirus Leomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens
Pesticide	LINDANE (contd)						MALATHION Insecticide Acariĉide					

MALATHION (CONTd)  (CONTd)  Herbicide  METHOXYCHLOR  Insecticide	Organism  CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus lasciatus Gammarus lasciatus Gammarus lasciatus Gammarus lasciatus Gammarus pseudolimneaus Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais INSECTS Ophiogomphus rupinsulensis Pteronarcys dorsata Acroneuria lycorias Claassenia sabulosa Hydropsyche bettoni FISH Lepomis macrochirus CRUSTACEAN Daphnia magna FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri Carassius auratus Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus Perca flavescens CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Dahnia magna Dahnia magna	7ABLE 24 hr LC50 48 0.0009 0.010 0.013 0.013 0.052 0.052 0.0936 0.0936 0.0037	LE B.1.  48 hr LC50  0.0018  0.0035  0.0066  0.0662  0.00662  0.00684	Gontd)  96 hr LC50 MATC  3.0 0.00076 0.0011 0.012 0.0011 0.0011 0.0028-0.0056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056 0.056	Additional Effects  50 hr EC50-0.009  30 day LC50-0.0052  30 day LC50-0.0033  30 day LC50-0.00034  EC50>100  EC50>100  EC50>100  EC50>100  EC50>100	Reference Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders & Cope 1968 WQC 1972 Sanders & Cope 1968 WQC 1972 Sanders & Cope 1968 WQC 1972 Hughes & Davis 1964 Pimentel 1971 Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Henderson et al. 1959 Werz 1961 Henderson et al. 1959 Wera (WQC 1972) Menderson et al. 1959 Werna (WQC 1972) Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966
	Undining purex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicaudus Garmarus fasciatus Garmarus lacustris Garmarus pseudolimmeaus Palaemonetes kadiakensis Ornectes nais	0.0029	0.005	0.0032 0.0019 0.0008 0.00061 0.001	TL50 chronic-0.0003	8 Cope 1972 1972 1969 1972 1972

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		IABL	ABLE B.1.	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC Add	Additional Effects	Reference
METHOXYCHLOR (contd)	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica Taeniopteryx nivalis	0.030	0.008	0.0014 0.00098			Cope 1965b Merna (WQC 1972)
METHYL PARATHION Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Salmo gairdneri Salmo trutta Carassius auratus	14	12	5.3 2.75 4.74 12			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Pickering et al. 1962
	Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas Ictalurus melas Ictalurus punctatus Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	11 9.8	8.8 8.9	7 .13 8 .9 6 .64 9 .71 2 .4			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Mickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Macek & McAllister 1970
	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens			5.72 5.17 5.22 3.06			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna		0.0048				Pimentel 1971
MEVINPHOS Insecticide Acaricide	FISH Salmo gairdneri Lepomis macrochrus Micropterus salmoides	0.034 0.041	0.017 0.037	0.012 0.023 0.110			Cope 1965b Cope 1965b WQC 1972
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	0.650	0.00016 0.00043 0.310	0.0028 0.130 0.012			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.056	600.0	0.005			Sanders & Cope 1968
MEXACARBATE Insecticide Acaricide 7.001	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Salmo gairdneri	12.9-32.0	8.0	4.0-23.0			Macek et al. 1977 Pimentel 1971 Mack & McAllister 1970
(זבר נו מופס)	Salmo trutta Carassius auratus	56		20 20 19.14			Macek et al. 1977 Mack & McAllister 1970
	Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas Ictaluras melas	23.7		13.4 23.7 16.7			& McAllister et al. 1977 & McAllister
	Ictaluras punctatus Lepomis macrochirus	>2.5-27.8		11.4 0.6-22.9			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek et al. 1977

TABLE B.1. (contd)

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
MEXACARBATE (contd)	Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens	17.1		16.7 14.7 16.2 2.48			Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek et al. 1977 Macek & McAllister 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.086	0.010 0.013 0.076	0.040 0.046 0.083		20 day LC50-0.025	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969 Sanders 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.032	0.016	0.010			Sanders & Cope 1968
MONURON Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch Ictalurus punctatus Mugil cephalus	115 75	110				Bond et al. 1960 Sanborn et al. 1977 Pimentel 1971
NALED Insecticide	FISH Salmo gairdneri	0.24-1.3		6			Pimentel 1971
	Salmo trutta Lepomis macrochirus	0.220	0.078 0.220	0.180			WQC 1972 Pimentel 1971 Cope 1965b
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicandus		0.00035 0.0011	0.230			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1070
	Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	0.240	0.160	0.014 0.110 0.090 1.80			Sander's 1972 Sander's 1972 Sander's 1969 Sander's 1972
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	0.027	0.016	0.008			Sanders & Cope 1968
PARAQUAT Herbicide	FISH Lepomis macrochirus	400	100				Sanborn et al. 1977
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus lacustris	38	3.7 4.0 18	::		26 hr 1C50-11.0	Crosby 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1969
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica			>100			Sanders & Cope 1968

1) LC50 MATC Additional Effects Reference	Sanders 1969 Spacie 1975 Pickering et al. 1962 Spacie 1975 30 days at WQC 1976	.0.26	50 hr EC50-0,0008	21 day LC50-0.00014 43 day LC50-0.00007		30 day LC50-0.0020 30 day LC50-0.000013 5 day LC50-0.00093 30 day LC50-0.00045	18 hr LC50-5.0 Cope 1963 WQC 1972 WQC 1972 WQC 1972	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders - WQC 1972
. (contd)	1.76 .0 1.3-3.0 1.41		0.00062	0.600 0.0004 0.0035 0.0015 0.00015	0.00016 0.00325 0.0054		100 70 4.5	0.016
TABLE B.1.	2 0 1.8-3.0 0.61-0.95	1,26 0.10-0.26		0.00037	0.011	0.0056		0.0088 0.0066,.012
TA.	2.1-3.0	0.10-0.26	0.0008	0.012	s 0.028	0.008		0.0088
Organism	FISH Salmo gairdneri Salvelinus fontinalis Pimephales promelas Ictalurus nebulosus	Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus Morone saxatilis Lepomis cyanellus	micropierus saimoides CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Ornectes nais	INSECTS Ephemerella subvaria Ophiogomphus.rupinsulensis Pteronarcys californica	Pteronarcys dorsata Pternarcella badia Acroneuria lycorias Arconeuria pacifica Claassenia sabulosa Hydropsyche bettoni Hydropsyche californica Chironomus tentans	FISH Salmo gairdneri Pimephales promelas Ictalurus punctatus Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphn ia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus
Pesticide	PARATHION Insecticide						PHOSPHAMIDON Insecticide	

	ts Reference	Sanders & Cope 1968	Sanborn et al. 1977 Sanborn et al. 1977 Alabaster 1969	Sanders 1970	Sanders & Cope 1968	Herbicide Handbook 1970 Herbicide Handbook 1970	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1969 Sanders & Cope 1968	Mauck et al. 1976 Mauck et al. 1976 Mauck et al. 1976 Mauck et al. 1976	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1969	Sanders & Cope 1968
	Additional Effects		acid isooctyl ester							
	MATC									
(contd)	96 hr LC50	0.150		27	48	0.49	19 10	0.023 0.132 0.023 0.045	0.012	0.001
TABLE B.1.	48 hr LC50	0.460	44	48	06		10 22 16 10		0.025 0.042 0.018	0.0064
TABI	24 hr LC50	1.400	<36 2.2 66	50	120		54 20		0.028	0.010
	Organism	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	FISH Carassius auratus Ictalurus punctatus Rasbora heteromorpha	CRUSTACEANS Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	FISH Pimephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus (fingerling)	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Simocephalus serrulatus	FISH Salmo gairdner) Ictalurus punctatus Oncorhynchus kisutch	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica
	Pesticide	PHOSPHAMIDON (contd)	PICLORAM Herbicide			PROPACHLOR Herbicide	PROPHAM Plant growth regulator	PYRETHRUM/ PYRETHRINS Insecticide		

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
ROTENONE Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch	0.150					Pimentel 1971
Acaricide	(embryos) Salmo gairdneri	0.032*		0.057**			*Wilber 1969 **Kemp et al. 1973
	Carassius auratus Pimephalus promelas Ictalurus punctatus Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	0.024*		0.023**			
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephales serrulatus Gammarus lacustris	0.9	0.100 0.190 3.5	2.6			Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1969
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	5.9	1.1	0.380			Sanders & Cope 1968
SILVEX Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gardneri Nofronis species		1.4			PGBE	Cope 1965a
	Pimephales promelas Leopomis macrochirus	8.9-75	7.2-75	7.2-75		PGBE, BEE	Surber & Pickering 1962 Sanders 1970
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidua Sysellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	1.2,1.8	0.18,2.1 0.200,4.9 0.500,40 0.78,1.0 3.2,8.0 60,>100	.25,0.840		BEE, PGBE BEE, PGBE BEE, PGBE BEE, PGBE BEE, PGBE AB hr LC50>100	Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Daphnia pulex Sımocephalus serrulatus		2.0 (EC) 2.4 (EC)			BEE, PGBE	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	5.2	0.76	0.34			Sanders & Cope 1966
SIMAZINE Herbicide	FISH Oncorhynchus kısutch Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdnerı Pımephales promelas Lepomis macrochirus Rasbora heteromorpha	7.0 68 130 95	6.6 60 118 85	56 118		72 hr LC50-0.50	Bond et al. 1960 Cope 1965b Cope 1965b Alabaster 1969

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Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
SIMAZINE (contd)	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais	30	1.0 3.2 >100 100 21 21 >100	13			Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
2,4,5-T Herbicide	FISH Lepomis macrochirus Rasbora heteromorpha	2.0 26 1	2.0 26 1			BEE acid PGBE acid Butyl ester	Kenaga 1974 Kenaga 1974 Alabaster 1969
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnía pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus Gammarus fasciatus Palaemonetes kadiakensis	0.07-0.65 >0.72 0.65-6.5 0.07-0.72 >7.2	3.2 4.9 < 0.65	>0.72 0.07-6.5 0.07-0.72 0.07-0.72 0.07-0.6.5		BEE acid PGBE acid BEE acid BEE acid PGBF acid	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Kenaga 1974 Kenaga 1974 Kenaga 1974 Kenaga 1974
TEMEPHOS Larvicide	FISH Salmo gairdneri			0.158			
(Abatee, Biothione)	CRUSTACEAN Gammarus lacustris	096.0	0.640	0.082			Sanders 1969
	INSECT Pteronarcys californica	0.120	0.100	0.010			Sanders & Cope 1968
TEPP. Aphicide Acaricide	FISH Carassius auratus Pimephales promelas Poecilia reticulata Lepomis macrochirus	21 2.1 1.8 1.3	21 2.1 1.8 1.3	21 2.1 1.8 1.3			Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962
	CRUSTACEANS Garmarus fasciatus Garmarus lacustris	0.074	0.052	0.210 0.039			Sanders 1972 Sanders 1969
TOXAPHENE Insecticide	FISH Oncorhynchus kisutch	0.0130	0.0105	0.0094		72 hr LC50-0.010	Katz 1961
	Oncorhynchus tschawytscha Salmo gairdneri	0.0079 0.0115	0.0033	0.0025 0.0025 0.0084 0.011		72 hr LC50-0.0027	Macek & McAllister 19/0 Katz 1961 Katz 1961 Macek & McAllister 1970

	Reference	Macek & McAllister 1970 Mayer et al. 1975	Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Mayer et al. 1977	& McAll & McAll et al.	Henderson et al. 1959 Katz 1961 Henderson et al. 1959 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970 Macek & McAllister 1970	Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972 Sanders 1972	Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968	Cope 1965b Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Pickering et al. 1962 Cope 1965b Pickering et al. 1962	Sanders & Cope 1965 Sanders & Cope 1965 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966	Sanders & Cope 1968 Sanders & Cope 1968 Jensen & Gaufin 1964 Sanders & Cope 1968
	Additional Effects	90 days at 0.000039	926	072	72 hr LC50-0.0098				64 hr EC50-0.00025	
	MATC		> 0.000025< 0.000054	>0.000049<0.000072						
(contd)	96 hr LC50	0.003 0.0108	0.014 0.004 0.014	0.005 0.013	0.020 0.0086 0.0035 0.013 0.002	0.006 0.026 0.028	0.0030 0.0023 0.0013	1.4 100 110 3.8 0.26	0.00070	0.011 0.035 0.0165 0.022
TABLE B.1. (	48 hr LC50				0.012	0.015 0.019 0.070	0.0056 0.007 0.0032	3.2 320 7.2 1.6	0.00018 0.00032-0.00070 0.060	0.022 0.180 0.070
	24 hr LC50					0.180	0.0092 0.018 0.006	28 >1000 12 5.6	0.00012	0.050 0.320 0.110
	Organism	Salmo trutta Salvelinus fontinalis	Carassius auratus Cyprinus carpio Pimephales promelas	Ictalurus melas Ictalurus punctatus	Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus Lepomis macrochirus Lepomis microlophus Micropterus salmoides Perca flavescens	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris Palaemonetes kadiakensis	INSECTS Pteronarcella badia Pteronarcys californica Claassenia sabulosa	FISH Salmo gairdneri Carassius auratus Pimephalas promelas Lepomis macrochirus	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia carinata Daphnia magna Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus Gammarus lacustris	INSECTS Preronarcella badia Pteronarcys californica Acroneuria pacifica Claassenia sabulosa
	Pesticide	TOXAPHENE (contd)						TRICHLORFON Insecticide (Dipterex®)		

		TAB	TABLE B.1. (contd)	(contd)			
Pesticide	Organism	24 hr LC50	48 hr LC50	96 hr LC50	MATC	Additional Effects	Reference
TRIFLURALIN Herbicide	FISH Salmo gairdneri	0.014,	0.011,	0.010,			Cope 1965b
	Pimephales promelas Ictalurus punctatus	0.210	0.130	0.417	>1.9<5.1	1050-0.115	Macek et al. 1976 McCorkle et al. 1977
	Lepomis macrocnirus	0.100	0.020,	0.068			Cope 1965b
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna		0.193		>2.4<7.2		Macek et al. 1976
	Daphnia pulex Simocephalus serrulatus		0.240 0.450				Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders & Cope 1966 Sanders 1970
	Cypridopsis vidua Asellus brevicaudus	,	0.25 2.0	,			Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Gammarus fasciatus Gammarus lacustris	3°5 8°8	1.8 5.6	1.0			Sanders 1970 Sanders 1969
	Palaemonetes kadiakensis Orconeutes nais		$\frac{1.2}{50.0}$				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	INSECTS Pteronarcys californica	13	4.2	3.0			Sanders & Cope 1968
VERNOLATE Herbicide	FISH Salmo gairdheri			9.6,10.8			Herbicide Handbook 1970
	(tingerling) Gambusia affinis Lepomis macrochirus	7.6	9.5	14.5 4.0			Herbicide Handbook 1970 Cope 1975b
	CRUSTACEANS Daphnia magna		1.10				Candore 1970
	Cpridopsis vidua Asellus brevicandus		5.60				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970
	Gammarus fasciatus	24.0	18.0	13.0			
	Garmarus Jacustris	8.4	5.0	1.8			
	raldemonetes kadiakensis Orconectes nais		24.0				Sanders 1970 Sanders 1970

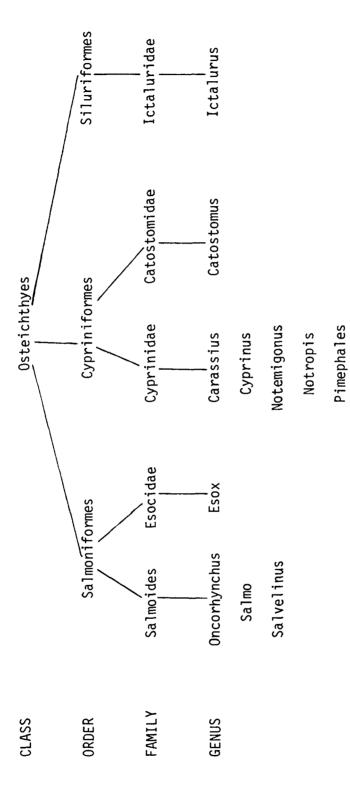


Figure B.1. A phylogenetic chart of fish used in this report.

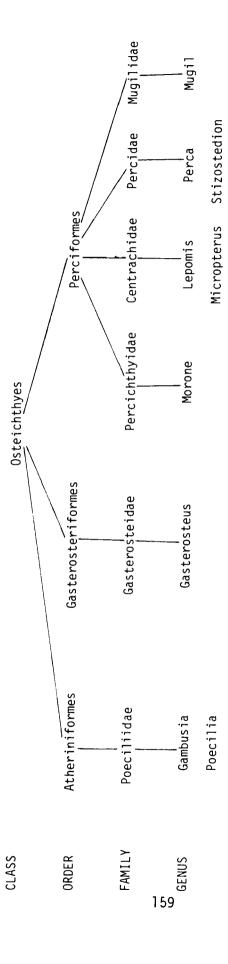


Figure B.1. (contd)

TABLE B.2. SCIENTIFIC AND COMMON NAMES OF FISH USED IN THIS REPORT.

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Common Name

Oncorhynchus kisutch
Oncorhynchus tschawytscha

Salmo clarki Salmo gairdneri Salmo trutta

Salvelinus fontinalis Salvelinus namaycush

Esox lucius Carassius auratus Cyprinus carpio

Notemigonus crysoleucas
Notropis atherinoides
Notropis lutrensis
Notropis umbratilus
Pimephales notatus
Pimephales promelas
Rasbora heteromorpha
Catostomus commersoni
Ictalurus melas
Ictalurus natalis
Ictalurus nebulosus

Poecilia reticulata Gasterosteus aculeatus

Ictalurus punctatus

Poecilia latipinna

Gambusia affinis

Lepomis cyanellus
Lepomis gibbosus
Lepomis macrochirus
Lepomis microlophus
Micropterus dolomieui
Micropterus salmoides
Perca flavescens
Stizostedion vitreum

Mugil cephalus
Morone saxatilis

coho salmon chinook

cutthroat trout
rainbow trout
brown trout
brook trout
lake trout
northern pike
goldfish
carp

golden shiner
emerald shiner
red shiner
redfin shiner
bluntnose minnow
fathead minnow
harlequin
white sucker
black bullhead
yellow bullhead
brown bullhead
channel catfish
mosquito fish
sailfin molly

guppy

threespine stickleback

green sunfish pumpkinseed fish bluefill sunfish redear sunfish smallmouth bass largemouth bass yellow perch walleye

striped mullet striped bass

TABLE B.3. PESTICIDE CLASSES

			Soil	Water
	Solubility (mg/l)	Kd	Persistence	Persistence_
ORGANOCHLORINES				
CHLORINATED HYDROCARBONS				
Aldrin	.0112	$7 \times 10^{4}$	T/2 1-4 yr	40% - 4 wks
Chlordane	Very low	5 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	T/2 2-4 yr	20% - 8 wks 85% - 8 wks
DDT	.01037	1 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	T/2 3-10 yr	100% - 4 wks
Heptachlor	.056	$1 \times 10^4$	T/2 7-10 yr	25% - 2 wks
Isodrin Lindane	10	$7 \times 10^4$ 1 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	T/2 4-8 yr 1 yr	
Mirex	.001	5 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	very stable	
TDE (DDD)	ins	$5 \times 10^4$	4.16	0.10
Toxaphene	1.5	5 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	4-16 yr	9-10 yr
OXYGENATED-CHLORINATED HY		r 103		to death of the section
Chlordecone (Kepone®)	1.5 to 2.0	5 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	very stable	high at 1 ppb or less
Dichlone	:1	$5 \times 10^{3}$		
Dicofol (Kelthane <sup>®</sup> ) Dieldrin	ins .186	$\frac{1 \times 10^4}{1 \times 10^4}$	T/2 :-7 yr	high 100% - 8 wks
Endosulfan	.100 <1	5 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	1/2=/ yl	30% - 2 wks
<i>-</i>				5% - 4 wks
Endrin Methoxychlor	.23 .62	1 x 10 <sup>4</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	T/2 4-8 yr T/2 200 d	100% – 8 wks 20 – 38 wks
Tetradiflon	200 at 50°C	5 x 104	1/2 200 d	20 - 30 WK3
ORGANOPHOSPHATES				
ALIPHATIC DERIVATIVES Acephate	very	25		
Demeton	6.6	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>		
Dichlorovos	1.0%	50		62 d at 20°C
Dicrotophos Dimethoate	misc 2-3%	50 25	T/2 122 d	85% - 4 wks
Dioxathion	ins	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	1/2 122 0	03% - 4 MK2
Disulfoton	25	$1 \times 10^{2}$	T/2 290 d	
Ethion Ethoprop	1 ins	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 50		
Malathion	145	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	1 wk	10-25% - 2 wks
Mathamidanhas	9%	10		0-10% - 4 wks
Methamidophos Mevinophos	misc	50		
Monocrotophos	misc	25		100% - 4 wks
Naled Oxydemeton-Methyl	slightly 300	50 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	T/2 26 d	
Phorate	50	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	1/2 20 d 2 wk	
Phosphamidon	misc	50		
TEPP Trichlorfon	misc 13%	50 10	T/2 140 d	T/2 7-8 hr detected at 256 d
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HETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES Azinphos-Ethyl	ins	$1 \times 10^{2}$		
Az inphos -Methy 1	33	$1 \times 10^{2}$	T/2 20 d	T/2 30 d at pH 9
Chlorofenv inphos	145	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>		•
Chlorpyrifos	20 1.5	50	T/2 29 d	
Coumaphos Diazinon	40	50	12 wks	50% - 1 wk
Methidathion	240	50	-	
Phosa lone	ins 25	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 102		
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TABLE B.3. (contd)

	Solubility (mg/l)	Kd	Soil Persistence	Water Persistence
PHENYL DERIVATIVES Carbophenothion Chlorothion® Crotoxyphos Crufomate Dicapthon EPN Famphor Fenthion	2 40 110 ins 35 100 - 11% slightly 55	1 x 10 <sup>3</sup> 2 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>3</sup> 2 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	T/2 - 36 d	50% - 2 wks
Fonofos Parathion	13 20-24	2 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	7-20 d	10% - 4 wks 50% - 2 wks 30% - 4 wks
Parathion-Methyl	50-60	$3 \times 10^{2}$	2-60 d	11% - 2 wks ~0% - 4 wks
Ronnel. Stirofos Temephos (Abate <sup>®</sup> )	40 11 ins	2 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 2 x 10 <sup>2</sup>		100% 2 4 WK3
<u>PHENOALKANOATES</u>				
ALIPHATIC ACIDS AND ESTER Dalapon Glyphosate Trichloracetic acid (	50% 1120 mg/1	0.2 0.2 0.2	15-30 d 150 d 20-70 d	2-3 d
AROMATIC ACIDS AND ESTERS Bifenox Chloramben Chlorthal-Dimethyl (D Dicamba Endothall	.35 700	0.5-1 0.5-1 0.5-1 0.5-1 0.2	40-60 d 40-60 d 400 d 2 months	50% - 1 wk 10% - 2 wks
Fenac Naptalam Picloram Propargite	200 200 430 ins	0.5-1 0.5-1 0.5-1 0.5-1	350-700 d 20-60 d 550 d	10% - 5 MK2
PHENOXY COMPOUNDS 2,4-D Dinoseb Erbon MCPA Silvex 2,4,5-7	620 at 25°C 52 ins 27% 140 140	1.0 10 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1.0 2.0 2.0	10-30 d 15-30 d 30-180 d 5 months	1% in 30 d
PHENYLAMIDES				
AMINES AND ANILINES Alachlor Bensulide CDAA Diphenamid Pronamide Propachlor Propanil	240 25-50 2% 260 15 700 500	50 5 1 x 102 50 50	40-70 d 10 months 20-40 d 90-180 d 60-270 d 30-50 d 1-3 d	
NITROANILINES Benfluralin Butralin Dinitramine Fluchloralin	.5 1 ~70	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 50 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	120-150 d 90-120 d 90-120 d	

TABLE B.3. (contd)

	Sc	olubility (mg/l)	Kd	Soil Persistence	Water Persistence
Nitralin Phenoxalin Profluralin		.6 .5 .1	50 1 x 10 <sup>3</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	moderate 320-640 d	
Trifluralin		1-24	$5 \times 10^2$	120-180 m	
UREAS Chlorbromuron Chloroxuron Diuron Fenuron		50 3.7 42 3850	2 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	300-400 d 200-500 d 30-270 d	3 months 60% - 2 wks 20% - 4 wks
Fluometuron Linuron		90 75	20 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	120 đ	20% - 4 wks
Monuron		230	50	1250-350 d	none - 8 wks 40% - 2 wks 30% - 4 wks
CARBAMATES					
Aminocarb		slightly	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>		60% - 2 wks 10% - 4 wks
Benomyl Bufencarb Carbaryl		ins 100 40-99	10 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	16 wks T/2 8 days	5% - 2 wks 0% - 4 wks
Carbofuran Chlorpropham Karbutilate Methiocarb		700 88-108 325 ins	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 2 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	120-260 d	U.0 - 4 MNS
Methomyl Mexacarbate		5.8% 100	5 1 × 10 <sup>2</sup>		15% - 2 wks 0% - 4 wks
Propham Propoxur		250 2000	50 1 × 10 <sup>2</sup>	20-60 d	50% - 2 wks 30% - 4 wks
THIOCARBAMATES Butylate EPTC Molinate Thiram Vernolate		15-300 370 800 30 90	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 50 5 x 10 <sup>2</sup> 1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	40-80 d 30 d 80 d 50 d	
TRIAZINES AND TRIA	OLES				
Ametryne Amitrole Atrazine Cyanazine Metribuzin Prometon Propazine Simazine		185 28% at 25°C 33 at 27°C 160-171 1200 677-750 8.6 5	8 1 5 3 1 8 1 6	30-90 d 15-30 d 300-500 d 150-200 d >400 d 200-400 d 200-400 d	
MISCELLANEOUS					
BOTANICALS Allethrin Pyrethrum/		ins ins	1 × 10 <sup>4</sup> 1 × 10 <sup>4</sup>		moderate
Pyrethrin (s Rotenone	/nthetic)	slight	$1 \times 10^{3}$		decomposes readily

TABLE B.3. (contd)

	Solubility (mg/l)	Kd	Soil Persistence	Water Persistence
AR SENICALS CMA DSMA MSMA	2% 4% 2.8%	0.2 0.2 0.2		
DIAZINES-URACILS Bentagon Bromacil Pyrazon Terbacil	500 815 300-400 710	0.2 5 30 50	T/2 5-6 m 30-60 d 700 d	
DIPYRIDINUMS Diquat Paraquat	7% completely	5 x 10 <sup>3</sup> 5 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	>500 d rapid inactivation >500 d >2 yr in mud	7-27 d 7-14 d
CYANATES Chlorothalonil Dichlobenil	.6 1.8%	50 20	60-180 d	2-3 m
METALOIDS Copper Napthalate Mancozeb	ins	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>		
OTHER Acrolein Captan Carboxin Difolatan Dodine Methazole Morflurazon	moderate >.5 170 ins 6300 1.5 1.75% 28	0.2 30 10 50 0.5 5 10		

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#### APPENDIX C

# DISTRIBUTION COEFFICIENTS OF ORGANIC PESTICIDES IN AQUATIC ECOSYSTEMS\* INTRODUCTION

This report considers certain aspects of the distribution of organic pesticides between water and solid abiotic phases in natural aquatic (fresh water) ecosystems. This study was performed for Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratory in support of a larger study of the mobility and transport of the pesticides in natural riverine ecosystems.

The report considers three main points:

- A discussion of the molecular and environmental parameters that affect the distribution of the pesticides in natural systems,
- A discussion of mathematical expressions useful in describing the distribution (or partitioning) of the pesticides between the aqueous and solid phases, and
- 3. The presentation of estimated distribution coefficients for the specific pesticides of interest in this study.

The first two points are considered in Part 1 of this report, while the estimated distribution coefficients are presented in tabular form in Part 2.

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## PART 1: ADSORPTIVE EQUILIBRIA

The discussion below is based both on a consideration of general partitioning theory and a review of pertinent literature concerned with adsorption in natural systems. Many of these points considered can be found in reviews by Hamaker and Thompson, 1972; Zettlemoyer and Micale, 1971; and Bailey and White, 1970.

#### **ADSORPTION**

For the discussion below, equilibrium between the adsorbed and solution phases is assumed. At this point a balance of forces is established and the chemical potential or activity of the sorbate (pesticide) must be the same in the solution and on the surface of the solid matrix. A consideration of the intermolecular interactions which give rise to these chemical potentials is then informative in defining the behavior to be expected for different types of sorbates and in determining the parameters of natural systems which can be expected to affect the chemical potentials and thus the adsorptive equilibria.

## Aqueous Solution

It is well recognized that liquid water is anomalous in its behavior compared to similar chemical species. This results primarily from the high polarity of the water molecules which produces strong internal hydrogen bonding. The dipole also generates strong electrostatic attractive forces between water molecules and ionizable and polar moieties of organic and inorganic compounds.

At the same time, the hydrogen bonding among water molecules leads to considerable internal structure in liquid water. As a result, the introduction of solute forces the rearrangement of the normal structure of liquid water in the vicinity of the solute molecules. This restructuring generally requires an energy contribution to compensate for the entropy change. In a practical sense, this acts as a repulsive force opposing the accommodation of the solute. This apparent repulsion from water can force strong associations between certain molecules and is referred to as hydrophobic interaction (or hydrophobic bonding). As a general rule, the entropic contribution and thus the strength of the hydrophobic interaction is a function of the effective size of the solute molecule in solutions (Franks, 1975).

The activity, then, is a function of both the concentration and the balance between the attractive electrostatic forces and the entropy-generated repulsion. Solute compounds can thus he ranked based on their size and their ability to participate in electrostatic interactions. For example, totally ionized inorganic solutes are small species with high charge densities leading to low aqueous activity coefficients as reflected in their relatively high solubilities. On the other end of the scale, non-polar hydrocarbons interact only through relatively weak van der Waals interactions. For these compounds, the hydrophobic interaction is strong resulting in high activity coefficients and low solubilities. The solubilities and activity coefficients of hydrocarbons correlate well with the size of these molecules (Tsonopolus and Prausnitz, 1971; Frank and Evans, 1945).

The majority of organic pesticides fall somewhere between these extremes.

Most have some charge localization arising from heteroatoms in the structure,

particularly oxygen, and some have ionizable hydrogens. For these compounds, the interactions with water are complex functions of both the electrostatic and hydrophobic interactions. Within limits, the relative activities of a group of compounds with the same polar moiety will correlate with the size of the non-polar substituents. Conversely, from such correlations, the absolute contribution of the polar moiety can be estimated to generate empirical additivity rules for ranking other similar compounds (Tsonopolus and Prausnitz, 1971).

These activity relationships are complicated by two factors. First, substitution of various moieties on the parent molecule can have secondary impacts, primarily by withdrawing or contributing electrons to polar sites or sites with active hydrogens. For example, monosubstituted nitrophenols as a group are much less soluble than phenol (solubility = 93 g/l). However, o- nitrophenol (solubility = 2 g/l) is nearly an order of magnitude less soluble than the m- or p- substituted compounds (m- nitrophenol, solubility - 14 g/l; p- nitrophenol, solubility - 17 g/l) (Morrison and Boyd, 1966, pp. 790-792). Second, natural waters are not pure, but are rather complex and variable solutions. The principal parameters affecting the activity of dissolved species (particularly organics) are pH, ionic strength and type of ions, the quantity and nature of dissolved (and colloidal) organic matter, and temperature.

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The pH controls the speciation of ionizable acid and base groups; the ionized forms interact more strongly with water, e.g., are more soluble.

# Ionic Strength

The ions of natural dissolved salts generally tend to increase the normal ordering within the liquid such that the ability to accommodate organic compounds in reduced ("salting out") and hydrophobic interactions are increased.

# Dissolved Organic Matter

Natural dissolved organic matter (DOM) consists principally of refractory polyelectrolytes resulting from the degradation of biological materials (Christman and Minear, 1971). The DOM form stable solutions which can scavenge and suspend pesticides either through electrostatic (ion-ion, ion-dipole, or ligand) interactions or, for less polar materials, through hydrophobic interactions with non-polar sites in the DOM matrix. The net result is to reduce the dissolved concentration (and thus the activity) of the pesticides in solution without necessarily decreasing the (analytically determined) concentration. The interactions between DOM and pesticides may in turn be altered by changes in either pH or ion content, which will affect the degree of ionization, the effective charge density, and the three dimensional structure of the DOM molecules.

#### Temperature

In all cases, interactions are affected by temperature changes. In general, as the temperature increases the activity decreases for polar species while it may increase for non-polar compounds. Over the normal range of temperature fluctuations exhibited by natural systems, the effect is small for most compounds.

# Surface Interactions

Interactions between the sorbate pesticide compounds and sites on the absorbent solid matrix are entirely electrostatic (excluding chemisorption) and primarily a function of the polarity of the sorbate molecule, ranging from weak van der Waals to ion-ion bonding. Natural soil and and sediment matrices are either inorganic mineral grains, usually coated or aggregated with organic polyelectrolytes, or detrital organic particles (Kononova, 1966). In either case, numerous sites are available which carry weak to strong charge localizations, usually with a net negative charge exhibited by the whole particle (Neihof and Loeb, 1972). To the extent that adsorption is a surface phenomena, smaller particles will show higher mass-normalized concentrations of pesticide due to their greater specific surface area (Leland, et al., 1973).

In addition, many inorganic particles in natural environments contain pores and interstices between crystallization planes which allow sorbate molecules to diffuse into the interior of the particle. (Knight and Tomlinson, 1970.) Similarly, pesticides may be capable of diffusing into the interior of detrital organic particles in a fashion similar to passive diffusion through biological membranes. In both cases, quantitative differences may exist in the interactions between the sorbate and the readily accessible surfaces of the particles and the interior sites. Further, exchange rates with the interior would be expected to be much slower than with surface sites.

Both pH and ionic strength will affect the characteristics of the surfaces.

The pH effectively gives a measure of the H<sup>+</sup> or OH<sup>-</sup> ions available to satisfy specific acidic or basic moieties on the surface, while counterions

act less specifically to satisfy residual charges sites. Due to these factors, rather complex adsorption trends may develop resulting from competitive ion exchange, ligand, and dipole interactions between surface sites, natural ions, and polar pesticides. Non-polar pesticides would not be significantly affected by these changes.

One factor which must be considered, but is not often recognized, is that in adsorption from aqueous solutions the water molecules themselves interact with the surface and are in competition for polar sites with all other adsorbates. Even in cases where the relative binding strengths of water molecules may be weak, the predominance of water molecules in natural systems (i.e., dilute solutions) makes them important contributors to the overall process.

The factors discussed above will affect the adsorption are summarized in Table 1. Based on a consideration of the dominant types of interactions (hydrophobic or electrostatic).

Table 1
SUMMARY OF ADSORPTION INTERACTIONS IN NATURAL AQUEOUS ENVIRONMENTS

TYPE OF INTERACTION	EFFECTO	R VARIABLES	
		ENVIRON	MENTAL
	MOLECULAR	AQUEOUS PHASE	SOLID PHASE
Hydrophobic	Molecular Size	Ionic Strength, DOM* Temp	Surface Chemistry Temp
Electorstatic	Charge Density, Polarizability, Acid/Basic Moieties	Ionic Strength, pH, DOM* Temp	Surface Chemistry, Ionic strenght, pH, Temp

<sup>\*</sup>DOM acts to reduce the dissolved concentration.

#### EQUILIBRIUM RELATIONSHIPS

# Theoretical Basis

To provide useful data for predicting the distribution behavior it is desireable to establish adsorption equilibrium relationships between the concentrations in the aqueous and sorbed phases, i.e., adsorption isotherms. The primary intent is to obtain mathematical expressions, hopefully not overly complex, for the isotherms.

A number of isotherm equations are available which have been examined as to their applicability to adsorption from solution in natural systems. These include the Freundlich, Langmuir and Brunauer-Emmett-Teller (BET) isotherms. Of these only the last two have any coherent theoretical basis (Adamson, 1976). Each is based on different assumptions as to the processes leading to adsorption and each finds use in explaining different adsorption systems. It should be noted that most of the theoretical studies in developing and justifying these expressions has relied on well characterized, vapor phase systems (Adamson, 1976).

Due to the strong and specific binding arising from ion-ion interactions, it would be anticipated that metal salt pesticides would be the most likely to follow a Langmuir type isotherm. Conversely, adsorption of non-polar organics, for which hydrophobic interactions perdominate, would be expected to include multilayer formation at higher concentrations and thus more likely to be represented by a BET type isotherm. Similarly, BET would be a likely model isotherm for organic pesticides of intermediate polarity

since electrostatic behavior could predominate at low concentrations, but hydrophobic interactions would undoubtedly be important as the aqueous solution approaches saturation.

At the same time, neither Langmuir nor BET isotherm expressions have not been utilized to any great extent with natural systems. The primary argument has been that natural adsorbents do not present a homogenous surface (constant adsorption energies independent of surface coverage) which is required for these equations to be applicable (Adamson, 1976). As a result, the most frequently encountered expression is the Freundlich isotherm, which while having no theoretical basis, is a semi-logarithmic type expression with empirically determined parameters and has been used to fit many observed adsorption relationships.

However, the present body of data which has popularized the Freundlich isotherm is not free from criticism. First, the perponderance of studies have been performed by soils chemists and engineers primarily concerned with the factors controlling the biocidal activity of agricultural pesticides. In the majority of these studies, the aqueous concentrations of pesticides utilized were often much higher than normally encountered in natural systems, the experimental levels often approaching or even exceeding the solubilities of the test compounds (Hamaker and Thompson, 1972). In some cases this was done to maintain detectable levels of the pesticides in all phases; in other cases, levels approximating field application levels were used.

In addition most studies have examined a relatively limited range of aqueous concentrations compare to what is encountered in natural systems. With

this limited experimental base, it is difficult to insure that the data can be extrapolated to either higher or lower concentrations or that the isotherm expression is truly representative of the edsorption behavior.

At higher concentrations, particularly as the solubility is approached.

a number of effects which can give rise to non-linear isotherms can occur.

1) At higher concentrations, solute-solute intermolecular interactions may increase particularly for more hydrophobic compounds. This results in a decrease in the activity coefficient and thus a non-linear relationship between the aqueous activity and the concentration such that adsorption would be relatively diminished (other factors being invariant), i.e, 1/n<1 in terms of the Freundlich expression. 2) For polar and ionic pesticides, as the particle surface coverage increases, all sites of strong electrostatic interaction can be occupied, resulting in decreasing relative adsorption

adsorption by increasing the area of preferred, low-polarity adsorption sites. In either case, 1/n>1.

All of these effects are greatly diminished at reduced concentrations when

as the aqueous concentration increases, i.e., 1/n<1, or Langmuir type

behavior. 3) For hydrophobic molecules, increased aqueous concentrations

on the surface, forming multiplyers (BET type adsorption), or due to self-

can lead to relatively increased adsorption either due to "condensation"

the opportunity for solute-solute interactions either in solution or on the surface and the number of occupied surface sites are all minimal.

It can be argued convincingly that these conditions are most likely in natural systems (except, of course, agricultural land receiving direct applications), both on the basis of measured residue levels which are routinely observed at very low concentrations and by considering that the residue undoubtedly undergo a number of adsorption-desorption steps during mobilization from the site of application. Under these conditions, it would seem apparent that, since the probably sources of non-linear adsorption are virtually eliminated, 1/n should approach unity for those systems where the Freundlich isotherm is applicable. Note also that at low concentrations both the Langmuir and BET isotherms reduce to linear forms.

A further criticism of the available data is concerned with the interpretation of the kinetics of the experimental results. Where rate information is available, the usual behavior observed is rapid initial uptake (<24 hours) followed by slow uptake which increases the adsorbed concentration by about 10% over a period of one to two months. Desorption experiments performed immediately after adsorption generally yield reversible adsorption isotherms (at least when the aqueous concentrations of the solute are below saturation). However, desorption and residue recovery experiments performed after long equilibration periods have often, but not always, shown a portion of the adsorbed residues to be more strongly retained in the solid matrix than would be indicated from the adsorption isotherm (Hamaker and Thompson, 1972, pp. 92-97).

Two alternatives have been considered to explain this behavior: 1) chemisorption (Huangand Liao, 1970) and 2) migration of the residues either to stronger binding sites not entirely occupied during the initial adsorption, or to the interior of the particle. (Saha, et al., 1969). Chemisorption seems unlikely

since the residues can be recovered in unaltered form, and considering the energy requirements which would be required to produce chemical binding without destroying the pesticide molecule. Simple migration to strongly binding surface sites would not seem to require such long periods before their effect would be observed. Obviously, the simplest and most reasonable explanation is the physical migration of the pesticide molecules into the interior of the particle, either through pores and between the crystallization planes of laminar clays (e.g. montmorillonites), or below the surface of organic detrital particles. With organically coated particles, it is possible that the migration of polar and ionic pesticides may also yield inherently stronger binding to the inorganic matrix (Burns and Andrus, 1970). In most cases, however, it appears likely that the slow rates of intraparticle diffusion which would be sufficient to explain the slow desorption and apparent incomplete recoveries.

Of major concern at this point is the implication of these results in estimating the mobility of the pesticide residues in natural systems. The major conclusions that can be drawn are 1) that the majority of experimental  $K_d$  values underestimate the actual distribution coefficient applicable in natural systems, and 2) that many of the available desorption studies do not realistically represent the behavior of the residues in natural systems.

In further support of these conclusions is the observation that most studies examining the migration of pesticides in actual field situations indicate that the movement of even relatively soluble herbicides is generally limited and much less than what would be predicted on the basis of laboratory equilibrium or soil leaching experiments.

## Natural Systems

The information discussed above should be considered within the framework of natural systems to discern the implication of equilibrium distribution coefficients for predicting environmental mobility associated with the movement of water.

The first situation is the movement of pesticides from the site of initial application, e.g., agricultural land. Two major processes can be defined 1) leaching via percolation through the soil in the groundwater, and 2) direct overland runoff associated with heavy rains or excess irrigation water. The great predominance of soil mass compared to water in groundwater flow indicates that movement of even slightly adsorptive compounds should be very slow. On the other hand, runoff events are rapid with relatively short contact times between the runoff water and the soils in the fields compared to the probable rates of desorption of most compounds. In addition contact with the soil-incorporated residues is minimal, except for contact with that portion of the soil which is itself mobilized by the runoff. In many situations, this latter soil component probably contributes the largest fraction of mobile pesticides, independent of the strength of adsorption of the residues.

As a result of these effects, neither the mass moved nor the distribution between particulate and water fractions of the residues could be expected to be strong functions of distribution coefficients. Rather, both the mass movement and the total concentration of the residues should correlate with the corresponding parameters for suspended soil particles. Such behavior has been noted for storm-generated runoff from experimental plots (Donigian, et al., 1977).

In permanent water bodies (rivers, lakes, etc.), however, the situation is markedly different. Since the residues have already undergone numerous adsorption/desorption steps in traveling to the water body the aqueous concentrations are much reduced compared to levels in agricultural usage. Further dilution normally occurs soon after introduction into the system. The effect should be reduced the pesticide concentrations to the range of linear activity-concentration relationships for the residues in both the aqueous and solid phases, and thus linear distribution coefficients,  $K_{\rm d}$ , should be applicable.

Further, the solid particles are always completely hydrated. Many of the physical effects which can alter the mobility of pesticides in soils as a result of wet/dry cycles are eliminated, e.g., collapse of pores and voids in organic coatings on drying the slow rehydration of interior binding sites, and the swelling of the inter-laminar spaces of clays. It is reasonable that this stability of the solid matrix would tend to eliminate differences in the long term adsorption/desorption behavior and, by keeping intraparticle voids and pores open, facilitate exchange between the solid and aqueous phases. These points would further argue for linear, equilibrium adsorption.

## Summary

From the foregoing discussions the following conclusions can be made:

- 1. The majority of the available adsorption data underestimates the actual strength of the adsorption on solid matrices.
- 2. The majority of the available data also oversimplifies the equilibrium adsorption relationships.

- 3. In natural runoff from agricultural land receiving direct application of pesticides, the mobility of any pesticide and its relative distribution in the mobile aqueous and solid phases are predominantly functions of the physical processes taking place, with adsorption-desorption considerations of lesser importance. It is probably not reasonable to apply distribution coefficients or even more complex adsorption isotherms to these situations.
- 4. In permenant water bodies receiving indirect pesticide inputs, linear adsorption isotherms would be applicable, and the relative distribution should be adequately characterized by a single distribution coefficient,  $K_d$ .

# PART 2: VALUES OF THE DISTRIBUTION COEFFICIENT, K

The estimation of reasonable  $K_d$  values for the pesticides of interest in this study is difficult for three reasons. (1) Fundamental physical chemical properties, e.g., solubility, have been determined for only a few of the compounds and even the data which have been reported are not always reliable. (2) Even empirical parameters, such as the octanol-water partition coefficient, which would be suitable for ranking the adsorptability and estimating approximate values for  $K_d$ , are not readily available. (3) The adsorption data which have been reported in the literature often suffer from the limitations discussed in Part 1. In addition, the data for a single compound often vary by more than an order of magnitude, reflecting

both artifacts of different experimental techniques and real variability

resulting from differences in the adsorptive matrix, particularily when comparisons are made between pure clays, natural loams, and natural muck or peat soils.

The  $K_d$  values presented below were estimated for an "average" or "normal" freshwater system. The solid matrix is assumed to consist of silty-sand of about 1%.to 3% organic matter. The aqueous phase is assumed to have low total solids, pH of between 7 and 8 and to be unpolluted by large quantities of detrital organic matter.

K<sub>d</sub> values for some non-polar (organochlorine) pesticides and related compounds have been predicted previously, based on fundamental physical chemical properties (Dexter and Pavlou, 1978). Such an approach was not viable for this study, however, due in part to the lack of reading available fundamental data for all of the compounds, and in part to the time restraints encountered.

The values presented are, of necessity, fairly rough estimates based on careful consideration of the adsorption coefficients and relative adsorption data available in the literature, and on a consideration of the relative molecular structural contributions to the adsorptive interactions, e.g., molecular size, polarity of heteroatom moieties, number of polar groups, etc. As a first step, the molecular structures were compared and the pesticides within each group ranked according to probable relative adsorption strength. From the previous calculations and from selected literature references,  $K_{\rm d}$  values for some of the pesticides could be estimated with some certainty. By further comparisons of the molecular structures of

these "marker" compounds with the ranked pesticides, appropriate  $K_{\mbox{\scriptsize d}}$  values were estimated for natural systems.

The values are presented in tables for each pesticide group with an approximate ranking of the compounds within each group beginning with the highest  $K_{\mbox{d}}$  value.

Each table is followed by a short discussion of the rationale for the estimated  $K_{\mbox{\scriptsize d}}$  values and any available supporting literature data.

# ORGANOCHLORINE PESTICIDES

Α.	Aromatic	K <sub>d</sub>	B. Aliphatic	
	TOO	1 X 10 <sup>5</sup>	Aldrin	7 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
	TDE (DDD)	5 X 10 <sup>4</sup>	Isodrin	7 x 10 <sup>4</sup>
	Tetradiflon	5 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	Chlordane	5 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
	Methoxychlor	1 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	Toxphene	5 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
	Kelthane	1 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	Mirex	5 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
	Dichlone	5 X 10 <sup>3</sup>	Heptachlor	1 x 10 <sup>4</sup>
			Endrin	1 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
			Dieldrin	1 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
			Chlodecone	5 X 10 <sup>3</sup>
			Endosulfan	5 X 10 <sup>3</sup>
			Lindane	1 X 10 <sup>3</sup>
			внс	1 X 10 <sup>3</sup>

Rationale: These compounds by and large are the most easily considered since they contain relatively few polar moieties. As a result adsorption is due primarily to hydrophobic interaction and van der Walls forces. For this reason relative adsorption will be correlated with the molecular size with corrections for polar groups and non-conjugated double bonds. Further, values of  $K_d$  can be approximated from theoretical calculations (Dexter and Pavlou, 1978).

Some literature support for the values can be obtained from the literature. Values for  $K_d$  for DDT of approximately 1 X  $10^5$  have been reported in soils by Shien et al. (1974), and Pavlou et al. (1974). The value for lindane was reported by Lotse et al. (1968) and Boucher and Lee (1972). Values of distribution coefficients for some of the other compounds have been reported, but most appear to be far from a reasonable range (Hamaker and Thompson, 1972).

# ORGANOPHOSPHATE PESTICIDES

Α.	Aliphatic Deriatives		K <sub>d</sub>
	Ethion	5	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Disulfoton	5	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Counter	5	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Demeton	5	X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Phorate	5	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Dioxathion	1	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Malthion	1	x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Oxymeton methyl	1	X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Dichlorvos		50
	Ethoprop		50
	Phosphamidon		50
	Dicrotophos		50
	Mevinphos		50
	Naled		50
	TEPP		50
	Dimethoate		25
	Monocrotophos		25
	Acephate		25
	Trichlorphon		10
	Methamidophos		10
В.	Phenyl Derivatives		
	EPN	1	x 10 <sup>3</sup>
	Carbophenothion	1	X 10 <sup>3</sup>

		K	ľ
Dicapthon	5	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Fenthion	5	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Parathion ethyl	5	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Parathion, methyl	3	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Ronnel	2	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Stirofos	2	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Chlorothion	2	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Famphur	2	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Dyphonate	2	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Ciodrin	1	X	10 <sup>2</sup>
Crufomate	1	X	10 <sup>2</sup>

# C. Heterocyclic Derivatives

Chlorofenvinphos	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Phosalone	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Imidan	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Azinophosethyl	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Azinophosmethyl	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Diazinon	50
Methidathion	50
Chlorpyrifos	50

Rationale: The phosphate-based pesticides range from large, complex molecules to relatively small. All have polar moieties ranging in activity from simply electron-rich heteroatoms to reasonably strong acidic hydrogens

and basic moieties (e.g., heterocyclic nitrogens). As a result, the pesticides themselves show a wide range adsorption strength.

Limited literature references are available. Strong binding to soils was reported for chlorofenvinphos, carbophenothion, dioxathion and dichlofenthion (Inch, et al., 1972), azinophosmethyl (Helling, 1971), and for malthion (Konrad, et al., 1969).  $K_d$  values observed for parathion include 76 (Saltzman, et al., 1972), about 120 (Bowman and Sans, 1977), and 500 (Leenheer and Ahlrichs, 1971).

## CARBONATE PESTICIDES

Α.	Methyl carbonates	K <sub>d</sub>
	Bux (metalkamate)	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Carbonfuran	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Carbaryl	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Propoxur	1 × 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Methiocarb	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Mexacarbate	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Aminocarb	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Chlorpropham	1 x 10 <sup>2</sup>
	Propham	50
	Benomy l	10
	Karbutilate	2

## B. Thiocarbamates

Thiram	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
CDEC	5 x 10 <sup>2</sup>
Butylate	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Vernolate	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
EPTC	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Molinate	50

Rationale: The carbonate (urethane) moiety is relatively polar and contributes markedly to the greater solubility and reduced adsorption of these compounds compared to the organochlorine pesticides. Unfortunately, few fundamental parameters are readily available for these compounds, nor have extensive adsorption data been reported.

Octanol-water partition coefficients for a number of simple analogs are all about four orders-of-magnitude less than DDT (Leo et al., 1971), indicating their low adsorption potential. Values of  $K_d$  for carbaryl (= 125; Leenheer and Adhlrichs, 1971), benomyl (= 4.5; Austin and Briggs, 1976), and propham (= 51; Briggs, 1969) have been reported. The relative adsorption of some thiocarbamates has been reported by Gray and Weienrich, (1968).

# AMINE AND ANILINE PESTICIDES

Pe <b>sticide</b>	Kd
Diphenamide	$1 \times 10^{2}$
Pronamide	50
Alachlor	50
Propachlor	50
Propanil	10
Carboxin	10
Bensulide	5

Rationale: The amide pesticides are chemically similar to the carbonates and should exhibit similar adsorption characteristics. There are generally smaller molecules than the carbamates but this factor should be compensated by the reduced number of polar consitutents. The less adsorptive amides have N-H groups which should hydrogen bond with water molecules.

## NTIROANILINE PESTICIDES

Pesticide	ĸ <sub>d</sub>
Phenoxalin	1 X 10 <sup>3</sup>
Butralin	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Profluralin	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Trifluralin	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Benefin	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Fluchloralin	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Dinitramine	50
Nitralin	50

Rationale: The nitroanilines contain relatively few non-conjugated polar groups to contribute to electrostatic interactions. Being quite large molecules, hydrophobic interactions should be strong, resulting in large  $K_d$ 's which are primarily dependent on the size of the substitution.

The ranking presented is supported by adsorption studies on soils (Harvey, 1974) The high  $K_d$  values are indicated in soil adsorption studies by Helling (1971), Majka and Lavy (1977), and Grover (1974).  $K_d$  values of 1.6 X  $10^3$  and 2.8 X  $10^3$  have been reported for profluralin and butralin, respectively (Carringer, et al., 1975); but these values were based on adsorption on pure soil organic matter and thus are probably higher than would be representative of "average" soils and sediments.

# TRIAZINE PESTICIDES

Pesticide	
Prometome	8
Ametryne	8
Simazine	6
Atrazine	5
Cyanazine	3
Propazine	1
Metribuzin	1
Aminotriazole	1

Rationale: The triazine herbicides are all compact molecules containing at least one polar-ionizable group, usually amino-hydrogens, available to hydrogen bond with water. As a result, these herbicides are quite soluble and exhibit low adsorption on soils.

The ranking presented above has been observed in soil adsorption studies by Helling (1971) and Rogers (1968). Hurle and Freed (1972) reported  $K_d$  values of 2.2. to 4.3 and 4.1 to 8.2 for atrazine and simazine, respectively, on silt loam. Average  $K_d$  values for adsorption by 25 soils were reported to be: propazine,  $K_d$  = 2.0; atrazine,  $K_d$  = 2.7; simazine,  $K_d$  = 3.7; and prometone,  $K_d$  = 7.8 (Talbert and Fletchall, 1965).  $K_d$  values of approximately 4 were reported for both cyanozine and atrazine (Majka and Lavy, 1977), while  $K_d$  for atrazine have also been noted at about 2.8 (Dao and Lavy, 1978). Liu et al. (1970) observed  $K_d$  values for ametryne ranging from 2 to 10, depending primarily on the amount of organic matter in the soils. The latter authors reported a  $K_d$  for ametryne of approximately 150 for a muck (very high organic content) soil.

# ORGANIC ACID PESTICIDES

Α.	Aliphatic Acids and Esters	$\kappa_{\mathbf{d}}$
	Glyphosate	0.2
	Trichloroacetic Acid	0.2
	Dalapon	0.2
В.	Aromatic Acids and Esters	
	Bifenox	0.5 - 1
	Chloramben	0.5 - 1
	Dicamba	0.5 - 1
	DCPA	0.5 - 1
	Fenac	0.5 - 1
	Naptalam	0.5 - 1
	Picloram	0.5 - 1
	propargite	0.5 - 1
С.	Phenoxy Compounds	
	Erbon	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
	2,4-D	1.0
	MCPA	1.0
	2,4,5-T	2.0
	Silvex	2.0
	Dinoseb	10
	Endothall	0.2

Rationale: The organic acid pesticides are treated together since they share the common feature that, with few exceptions, the activity of the carbonic acid moiety is sufficient to make these compounds readily soluble and to exhibit minimal adsorption. The two exceptions to this generalization are dinoseb, a weakly-acidic phenol, and erbon, an ester. Both of these latter compounds should show increased adsorption due to strong hydrophic interactions not countered by solibilizing hydrogen or ionic bonding.

The low adsorption of these compounds have been reported for dicamba, picloram, fenac and 2,4-D (Helling, 1971); picloram (Farmer and Aochi, 1974; Gaynor and Volk, 1976; Grover, 1971; Davidson and McDougal, 1973); 2,4,5-T (O'Connor and Anderson, 1974); 2,4-D (Grover, 1973); picloram and 2,4-D (Khan, 1973); picloram and 2,4,5-T (Majka and Lavy, 1977); dicamba, picloram and 2,4-D (Grover, 1977); and dicamba (Garringer, et al., 1975).

#### UREA PESTICIDES

Pesticide	K <sub>d</sub>
Chloroxuron	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Chlorbromuron	2 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Linuron	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Diuron	1 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Monuron	50
Fluometuron	20
Fenuron	10

Rationale: The urea pesticides are chemically similar to the carbamate and amide pesticides and show the same range of  $K_d$  values. The molecules are not small, but polar and hydrogen bonding moieties (N-H and C=0) decrease the aqueous activity.

A relatively large number of studies have been reported for these compounds. The results are summarized below as a table of observed  $K_d$  values in soils. The references are indicated by the numbers in parentheses and are noted at the end of the table.

Chloroxuron

40-110<sup>(2)</sup>; 650<sup>(4)</sup>

Chlorbromuron

217<sup>(5)</sup>

Linuron

50-250<sup>(2)</sup>; 10.2-15<sup>(3)</sup>; 210<sup>(4)</sup>; 154<sup>(5)</sup>

Diuron

85-12<sup>(3)</sup>; 70<sup>(4)</sup>; 94<sup>(5)</sup>

Monuron

33<sup>(4)</sup>; 29<sup>(5)</sup>

Fluometuron

22<sup>(5)</sup>

Fenuron

15<sup>(4)</sup>

<sup>(1)</sup> Geissbuhler, et al., 1963

<sup>(2)</sup> Hance, 1971

<sup>(3)</sup> Hurle and Freed, 1972

<sup>(4)</sup> Lambert, 1967

<sup>(5)</sup> Briggs, 1969

# Miscellaneous Pesticides

The miscellaneous pesticides are presented in the order they were provided by Battelle. The name of the compound is followed by the estimated  $K_{\mbox{d}}$  values. Any supporting literature references are indicated by numbers which refer to the list following the table.

Pesticide	κ <sub>d</sub>
Allethrin	1 X 10 <sup>4</sup>
Pyrethrum	1 x 10 <sup>4</sup>
Rotenone	1 x 10 <sup>3</sup>
CMA	0.2
DSMA	0.2
MSMA	0.2
Bentazon	0.2(1)
Bromacil	5(2)
Pyrazon	30(3,4)
Terbacil	50(2)
Diquat	5 X 10 <sup>3</sup> (5)
Paraquat	$5 \times 10^{3}(6,7)$
Chlorothalonil	50
Dichlobenil	20 (8)
Copper Napthalate	5 X 10 <sup>2</sup>
Fenbutalin Oxide	
Mancozeb	5
Acrolein	0.2

Pesticide	$K_d$
Captan	30
Difolatan	50
Dinitrobutyl Phenol	50
Dodine	0.5
Methazole	5
Methomyl	5
Methyl Bromide	10
Norflurazon	50

- 5. Helling, 1971
- 6. Damanakis, <u>et al.</u>, 1970
- 7. Burns, <u>et al.</u>, 1973
- 8. Furmidge and Ogersby, 1967

<sup>1.</sup> Abernathy and Wax, 1973

<sup>2.</sup> Rhodes, <u>et al.</u>, 1970

<sup>3.</sup> Fusi, et al., 1976

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