

# Effluent Biomonitoring at Selected Iowa Industrial and Municipal Wastewater Facilities

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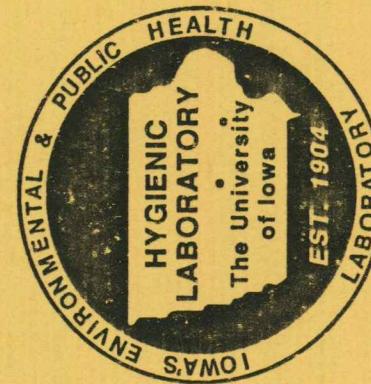
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## Abstract

An evaluation of effluent toxicity on six selected wastewater treatment facilities in Iowa was conducted during September 1988. Final effluent grab samples were collected from each facility and tested for toxicity using fathead minnows and *Daphnia magna*. Chemical analyses performed on the effluent samples indicated the presence of heavy metals, total residual chlorine and ammonia. Two facilities' discharges, the Sioux City Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant and the Amax Corporation, tested positive indicating the presence of toxic substances in their effluents. The most probable cause of toxicity in the Sioux City sample may be attributed to un-ionized ammonia. Toxicity in the Amax Corporation sample was most probably due to elevated levels of sodium and unionized ammonia.

## Introduction

In accordance with Public Law 92-500 (as amended by the Clean Water Act of 1977) all wastewater treatment plants in Iowa must have a permit to discharge wastes into Iowa streams or lakes. The Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) issues National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits to approximately 1,200 municipal and industrial wastewater treatment plants (WWTP) in Iowa (1). The NPDES permit specifies the type and quantity of pollutants a WWTP may discharge.

Modifications to the Clean Water Act were recently made by the U.S. Congress. One modification, found in section 303(c2B) requires that each time a state reviews water quality standards, it also "shall adopt criteria for all toxic pollutants listed pursuant to section 307(a)(1) of the Clean Water Act for which criteria have been published under section 304(a), the discharge or presence of which in the affected waters could reasonably be expected to interfere with those designated uses adopted by the State, as necessary to support such designated uses".

Therefore, the IDNR has on-going activities that provide additional information on the prevalence of toxics in Iowa's waters. As part of these activities, the following biomonitoring project was developed which included the collection of wastewater effluent samples, static 24 hour acute bioassay tests to determine effluent toxicity; and analysis of effluents for selected potentially toxic analytes. The objectives of the study were to:

1. Provide information to help determine if the selected facilities discharge toxic wastewater and to determine what types of effluents may be toxic to aquatic organisms even when permit limit are met;
2. Identify if the effluent is acutely toxic;
3. Evaluate the use of biological screening techniques to identify potential sources of toxic pollutants to Iowa waters.

Six wastewater dischargers were selected and their respective effluents tested for toxicity by performing 24 hour acute bioassays using the water flea, Daphnia magna and the fathead minnow, Pimephales promelas. The dischargers were selected according to the following criteria:

1. The wastewater discharge would contain industrial waste;
2. The wastewater was discharged to a Class B warm water stream that was noted on the Department's 304(l) short list;
3. The wastewater was suspected of containing a toxic component.

The data obtained in the study will be used to identify if any of the effluents tested are toxic to test organisms. If positive results are obtained, this will direct efforts to study the wastewater more extensively. The ultimate goal of follow-up activities is to reduce toxic levels in order to protect the receiving stream's beneficial use. The information will also be used to direct attention to other facilities having similar wastewater characteristics.

## **Sampling and Analytical Methodology**

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A comprehensive Work/Quality Assurance Project Plan was written by personnel from the IDNR and UHL. Quality Assurance for field and laboratory activities were followed as outlined in the project plan. All data present in this report meet the quality assurance objectives as specified in the Work/QA plan. A brief discussion of field and laboratory activities follows. For more details of these activities see the Work/Quality Assurance Plan for Effluent Biomonitoring at Selected Industrial and Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants (2). Copies of the plan are available from the IDNR or the UHL.

Procedures used in sample collection, preservation and analysis are described in Standard Methods (3), Handbook for Sampling and Sample Preservation of Water and Wastewater (4), and the Manual for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes (5).

Grab samples for bioassay testing and selected chemical analysis were collected at the facilities listed in Table 1. The basic bioassay procedures used conform to the recommended procedures found in Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents to Freshwater and Marine Organisms (6). A brief summary follows; more specific information can be found either in the referenced EPA document or in the Work/QA plan (2).

A single grab sample was collected at each facility at a time that was representative of the normal plant operation and used for bioassay testing. Prior to the bioassay test several chemical analyses were performed on the sample including dissolved oxygen (DO), total residual chlorine (TRC), pH, ammonia, un-ionized ammonia and specific conductance. If the DO concentration was below 40% saturation, the sample was aerated using single bubble aeration. If the TRC or un-ionized ammonia concentrations were above the prescribed levels(2) they were neutralized or removed and additional bioassays were performed using both "adjusted" and "unadjusted" sample water. Approximately 20 fish and 20 Daphnia neonates (newborns) per sample were added to 3-5 beakers of the "test water". At the end of a 24 hour period mortality for each organism was recorded. A sample was considered to be toxic if 20% or greater of either organism died. The bioassay test results were invalidated if 10% or greater of either organism died in the control beakers.

**Table 1. Wastewater Treatment Facilities Sampled for Bioactivity Testing**

electred facility	Town	Sampled	Chemical Analyses
lunicipal WWTP	Sioux City	9/14/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*
lunicipal WWTP	Newton	9/14/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*
laytag Corporation	Newton	9/20/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*, Cyanide, Iron, Aluminum
lunicipal WWTP	Cedar Rapids	9/21/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*
lunicipal WWTP	Burlington	9/26/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*
MAX Corporation	Ft. Madison	9/26/88	Priority Pollutant Metals*, Molybdenum
Priority Pollutant Metals: Antimony, Arsenic, Beryllium, Cadmium, Chromium, Copper, Lead, Mercury, Nickel, Selenium, Silver, Thallium, Zinc			

# Results and Discussion

The results of the bioassay tests may be found in Table 2. Of the six facilities sampled and tested for acute toxicity, two facilities (Sioux City Municipal WWTP and Amax Corporation at Ft. Madison) tested positive indicating the presence of toxic substances in their effluents. All of the effluents sampled were analyzed for selected pollutants as determined by the IDNR staff. All data collected may be found in the Appendix. Selected data will be found in the individual tables for each facility samples.

**Table 2. Bioassay Results**

Location	Sample Type	Fish Kills	Daphnia Kills	Sample Rated
Sioux City WWTP	Final effluent	21/21	0/20	Toxic
Newton WWTP	Final effluent (adjusted)*	0/20	0/20	Non-toxic
Maytag Corp.	Final effluent	0/20	0/21	Non-toxic
Maytag Corp.	Final effluent (adjusted)**	0/21	0/20	Non-toxic
Cedar Rapids WWTP	Final effluent	0/21	0/20	Non-toxic
Burlington WWTP	Final effluent	0/20	0/20	Non-toxic
Burlington WWTP	Final effluent (adjusted)*	0/19	0/20	Non-toxic
AMAX Corp.	Final effluent	0/20	5/15	Toxic
AMAX Corp.	Final effluent (adjusted)*	20/20	15/15	Toxic***
AMAX Corp.	Final effluent 1:50 dilution	0/20	0/15	Non-toxic

\* Adjusted for ammonia

\*\* Adjusted for Total Residual Chlorine

\*\*\* See text for explanation

## *Sioux City Municipal WWTP*

The first toxic bioassay occurred in the final effluent sample collected from the Sioux City Municipal WTP. Chemical analyses performed at the laboratory prior to the initiation of the toxicity testing yielded the following information.

### **Sioux City Municipal WWTP**

Final Effluent • 9/14/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	8 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	6.0 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	18 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	0.43 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	<5 µg/L*
pH .....	7.7 pH Units*
Specific Conductance .....	2,300 µmho per cm @ 25°C*

\* Values at start of bioassay

Except for ammonia nitrogen, analyte values were not at toxic levels. The concentration of un-ionized ammonia (the most toxic form of ammonia) was high enough (0.43 mg/L) to potentially cause or contribute to any mortality that might be observed during the toxicity testing. Therefore, the sample was divided into two aliquots with one aliquot being treated using zeolite (an ion exchange resin) to reduce the concentration of total and un-ionized ammonia. Two toxicity tests were then conducted in parallel to determine if any mortality observed in the "unadjusted" sample might be attributed to un-ionized ammonia. Results showed that the "adjusted" sample (ammonia removed) exhibited no mortality, however, in the "unadjusted" final effluent sample, 21 out of 21 fish died but no Daphnia had died by the end of the 24 hour test period. Therefore, un-ionized ammonia was probably the major contributing factor in the toxicity exhibited by the Sioux City Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant discharge. Analysis of the sample for thirteen priority pollutant metals yielded no reportable data.

## *Newton Municipal WWTP*

The sample collected from the final effluent of the Newton Municipal WWTP and tested for acute toxicity did not exhibit any acute toxicity. Selected chemical analyses of the effluent provided the following information. All data collected may be found in the Appendix.

### **Newton Municipal WWTP**

Final Effluent • 9/20/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	9 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	8.0 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	<0.1 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	<0.01 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	<5 µg/L*
pH .....	7.3 pH Units*
Specific Conductance .....	1,000 µmho per cm @ 25°C*
Zinc .....	30 µg/L

\* Values at start of bioassay

The values for most of the parameters listed above would not be considered toxic levels. Although zinc had a reportable value it was not high enough to cause acute toxicity.

## Maytag Corporation at Newton

One sample was collected from the final effluent of the Maytag Corporation at Newton. Analyse performed at the laboratory prior to the initiation of the toxicity testing may be found in the table below. All data collected may be found in the Appendix.

### Maytag Corporation at Newton Final Effluent • 9/20/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	3 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	8.4 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	0.2 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	<0.01 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	25 µg/L*
pH .....	7.7 pH Units*
Specific Conductance .....	2,100 µmhos at 25°C*
Nickel .....	270 µg/L
Aluminum .....	110 µg/L

\* Values at start of bioassay

Because total residual chlorine (which can be toxic) was present, the sample obtained from the final effluent was split into two portions. The total residual chlorine was suppressed (by the addition of sodium thiosulfate) in one portion while the other portion remained unchanged. The two portions were then tested in parallel to ascertain whether or not mortality exhibited in the "unadjusted" sample might be attributed to the total residual chlorine. No mortality was observed in either sample.

Of the sixteen metals analyzed, only nickel and aluminum were found at quantifiable levels and were no high enough to cause acute toxicity to the test organisms.

## Cedar Rapids Municipal WWTP

The final effluent sample was collected from the Cedar Rapids Municipal WWTP on 21 September. Results of the toxicity test indicated no acute toxicity to either test organism. Selected chemical analysis yielded the following information. All data collected may be found in the Appendix.

### Cedar Rapids Municipal WWTP Final Effluent • 9/21/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	7 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	7.9 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	3 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	0.01 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	<5 µg/L*
pH .....	6.9 pH Units
Specific Conductance .....	2,800 µmho at 25°C*
Zinc .....	20 µg/L

\* Values at start of bioassay

Zinc was the only metal found and its concentration was too low to cause acute toxicity.

## Burlington Municipal WWTP

A sample was collected from the final effluent of the Burlington Municipal WWTP on 26 September. Analyses performed at the laboratory prior to initiation of the toxicity testing indicated that total residual chlorine was present. Therefore, the sample was divided into two aliquots with the TRC suppressed (by the addition of sodium thiosulfate) in one portion and not in the other. The two aliquots were then tested in parallel to determine if any mortality seen in the "unadjusted" sample might be attributed to the total residual chlorine. No mortality of fish or Daphnia was observed in either sample. Selected chemical data may be found in the table below.

### Burlington Municipal WWTP

Final Effluent • 9/26/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	1 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	8.4 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	<0.1 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	<0.01 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	90 µg/L*
pH .....	7.3 Units*
Specific Conductance.....	710 µmho at 25°C*
Zinc .....	30 µg/L

\* Values at start of bioassay

Zinc was the only metal found and its concentration was too low to cause acute toxicity to the test organisms.

### max Corporation at Ft. Madison

The second positive bioassay occurred in the final effluent sample collected from Amax Corporation at Ft. Madison.

### Amax Corporation at Ft. Madison

Final Effluent • 9/26/88

Inhibited 5 Day BOD .....	2 mg/L
Dissolved Oxygen .....	7.8 mg/L*
Ammonia Nitrogen .....	17 mg/L*
Un-ionized Ammonia .....	5.2 mg/L*
Total Residual Chlorine .....	<5 µg/L*
pH .....	8.9 pH Units*
Specific Conductance.....	1,400 µmho at 25°C*
Molybdenum .....	12,000 µg/L
Selenium .....	20 µg/L
Zinc .....	60 µg/L
Sodium .....	2,200 mg/L

\* Values at start of bioassay

The analytical results indicated the un-ionized ammonia (the most toxic form of ammonia) was high enough (5.2 mg/L) to cause mortality during the toxicity test. In addition, the metals molybdenum, selenium and zinc had reportable values while the sodium concentration in the effluent was quite high. Molybdenum has been shown to be toxic to fathead minnows (7) but at much greater levels (70-370 mg/L) than found in the Amax effluent (12 mg/L). Toxicity information obtained for selenium (8) and zinc (9) indicate that toxic

concentrations for both organisms are much greater than those measured in the Amax effluent. Information provided to IDNR staff from Amax Corporation indicated toxicity may occur from a compound Amax was using that was high in sodium. As a result the sample was divided into three subsamples and three toxicity tests were performed in parallel; one test on the raw unadjusted sample, one test on a diluted sample (1:5 dilution using synthetic control water for dilution) and one test on a portion of the sample in which the un-ionized ammonia had been suppressed using an ion exchange resin. After the 24 hour test period mortality in the unadjusted sample was 0% for fish (0 out of 10) and 33% for Daphnia (5 out of 15). In the diluted sample no deaths of fish or Daphnia occurred and in the "adjusted" sample, all of the test organisms (both fish and Daphnia) had died. Additional testing on the "adjusted" sample showed that during the adjustment to reduce the un-ionized ammonia, the sodium content of the sample went from an already high 2,200 to 4,700 mg/L. The increase was larger than expected from the stoichiometry of the exchange reaction. The ion exchange resin may not have been thoroughly flushed with water after reconditioning with sodium chloride, thereby providing the additional sodium. This very high sodium is most likely the reason for the deaths of the organisms in the adjusted portion of the sample and should not be considered relevant to the study. The elevated levels of sodium (2,200 mg/L) and/or un-ionized ammonia (5.2 mg/L) are probably responsible for the toxicity seen in the unadjusted sample.

## Summary and Conclusions

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Six industrial and municipal wastewater treatment plant effluents were sampled and tested for acute toxicity. Two facilities' discharges, the Sioux City Wastewater Treatment Plant and the Amax Corporation tested positive, indicating the presence of toxic substances in their effluents. Chemical analyses performed on the effluent samples indicated the presence of heavy metals, total residual chlorine and un-ionized ammonia. The most probable cause of toxicity in the Sioux City sample may be attributed to un-ionized ammonia. Toxicity in the Amax Corporation sample was most probably due to elevated levels of sodium and un-ionized ammonia.

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## **Appendix**

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UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN

Site	Sioux City WWTP	Source	Final Effluent
EPA Sample No.	Collected	9/14/88	Received
DMBL Lab No.	Age:	Minnows 17 days	Daphnids <24 hrs.
Reference Toxicant	Cadmium Chloride		
Minnow LC <sub>50</sub>	0.128 mg/L	Daphnia LC <sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L	

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 6.0 mg/L, pH 7.7 Units  
Total Ammonia 21.9 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 0.43 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 2,300 umhos

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °C, Dissolved Oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, pH \_\_\_\_\_ Units  
Total Ammonia \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Specific Conductance \_\_\_\_\_ umhos

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/15/88 @1400 hrs. Test Ended: 9/16/88 @1400 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills

Concentration	Fathead Minnow Kills			Daphnia magna Kills	
	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Total*
100%	7/7	7/7	7/7	21/21	0/10
Control	0/7	0/7	0/6	0/20	0/10

Sample Rated: Toxic Toxic Because Of: Ammonia  
Other:

Notes: See Attachment  
\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JOK/JGM Verified: JOK Date Reported: 11/29/88

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Analytical Report for Sample Number 8860587

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Date Received: 09/15/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

Submitter: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
 Address: OAKDALE CAMPUS  
 CITY: IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Sample Location: SIOUX CITY  
 Date Collected: 09/14/88 11:30:00  
 Collected By: LDA

Sample Description: WATER  
 Client Reference:

Comments

WVTP FINAL EFFL, GRAB

BOD<sub>1</sub>,N-SERIES, PH, BIOSCREEN, PB, HG, CU, CR, CD, ZN, NI, AS, SB, BE, AG, TL, SE-TOTALS

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL RESIDUAL CL	< 0.005 MG/L	EPA 330.1	
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	6.0 MG/L	SM 16-421F	
TEMPERATURE	21.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	
PH VALUE (LAB)	7.5 PH UNITS	EPA 150.1	HIA
SPEC. CONDUCTANCE	2300 uMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	
AMMONIA (AS N)	18 MG/L	TIM #780-86	RVD
NO <sub>2</sub> +NO <sub>3</sub> AS NO <sub>3</sub> -N	3.0 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAG
TKN	20 MG/L	TRM #786-86	RVD
INHIBITED 5 DAY BOD	8 MG/L	SM 16-507	JAG
TOTAL ANTIMONY	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	MIL
TOTAL ARSENIC	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 206.2	MIL
TOTAL BERYLLIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CADMIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CHROMIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL COPPER	< 0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL LEAD	< 0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL MERCURY	< 0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KE
TOTAL NICKEL	< 0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL SELENIUM	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	MIL
TOTAL SILVER	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	MIL
TOTAL THALLIUM	< 0.001 MG/L	EPA 279.2	MIL
TOTAL ZINC	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR

Verified

PPM - Parts/Million    MG/L - Milligrams/Liter    MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram  
 PPB - Parts/Billion    uG/L - Micrograms/Liter    uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram  
 < - Less than            > - Greater than            pCi/L - pico Curies/Liter



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BIOSCREEN

Site Sioux City WWTP      Source Final Effluent (Ammonia Removal)  
EPA Sample No.      Collected 9/14/88      Received 9/15/88  
DMBL Lab No. 8860587      Age: Minnows 17 days      Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L      Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature      °C, Dissolved Oxygen      mg/L, pH      Units  
Total Ammonia      mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated)      mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine      mg/L, Specific Conductance      No Data      units

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.7 mg/L, pH 7.9 Units  
Total Ammonia 0.43 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance      units

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/15/88 @1400 hrs.      Test Ended: 9/16/88 @1400 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills      Daphnia magna Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	0/7	0/7	0/6	0/20	0/10	0/10	0/20

Control      0/7      0/7      0/6      0/20      0/10      0/9      0/19

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic      Toxic Because Of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst:

Verified: JOK

Date Reported: 11/29/88

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Date Received: 09/16/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

Submitter: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
 Address: OAKDALE CAMPUS  
 City: IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Sample Location: SIOUX CITY  
 Date Collected: 09/14/88  
 Collected By: JOK

Comments

WWTF FINAL EFFL TREATED WITH ZEOLITE

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL ANTIMONY	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
TOTAL ARSENIC	0.02 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
TOTAL BERYLLIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CADMIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CHROMIUM	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL COPPER	< 0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL LEAD	< 0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL MERCURY	< 0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
TOTAL NICKEL	< 0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL SELENIUM	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
TOTAL SILVER	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	ML
TOTAL THALLIUM	< 0.001 MG/L	EPA 279.2	ML
TOTAL ZINC	< 0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR

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PPM - Parts/Million

MG/L - Milligrams/Liter

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PPB - Parts/Billion

uG/L - Micrograms/Liter

uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram

&lt; - Less than

&gt; - Greater than

pCi/L - pico Curies/Liter

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BIOSCREEN



Site	Newton WWTP	Source	Final Effluent
EPA Sample No.	8860864	Collected	9/20/88
DMBL Lab No.		Age:	Minnows 23 days
Reference Toxicant	Cadmium Chloride	Daphnids	<24 hrs.
Minnow LC <sub>50</sub>	0.128 mg/L	Daphnia LC <sub>50</sub>	0.121 mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 20 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.0 mg/L, pH 7.3 Units  
 Total Ammonia <0.12 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) <0.01 mg/L  
 Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 1,000 umhos

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature °C, Dissolved Oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, pH \_\_\_\_\_ Units  
 Total Ammonia \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L  
 Total Residual Chlorine \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Specific Conductance \_\_\_\_\_ umhos

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/20/88 @1445 hrs. Test Ended: 9/21/88 @1445 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills Daphnia magna Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	0/6	0/7	0/7	0/20	0/11	0/10	0/21

Control 0/7 0/7 0/7 0/20 0/10 0/10 0/20

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic Toxic Because Of:  
Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified: JGM

Date Reported: 11/29/88

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 City: IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Sample Location: NEWTON  
 Date Collected: 09/20/88 08:45:00  
 Collected By: LDA

## Comments

NEWTON WWTP FINAL EFFL.  
 N-SERIES, B10, BOD<sub>1</sub>, SB, AS, BE, PB, HG, NI, SE, AG, TL, ZN, CD, CR, CU  
 DO=7.7 pH\_F=7.4 T<sub>TEMP</sub>=20 FLOW=2.33 MGD

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL RESIDUAL CL	<0.005 MG/L	EPA 330.1	JGM, LDA
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	8.0 MG/L	SM 16-421F	JGM, LDA
TEMPERATURE	20.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	
pH VALUE (LAB)	7.3 PH UNITS	EPA 150.1	
SPEC. CONDUCTANCE	1000 uMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	
AMMONIA (AS N)	<0.1 MG/L	TIM #780-86	RVD
NO <sub>2</sub> +NO <sub>3</sub> AS NO <sub>3</sub> -N	8.7 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAG
ORGANIC NITROGEN (N)	1.8 MG/L	TIM #786-86	RVD
INHIBITED 5 DAY BOD	9 MG/L	SM 16-507	JAG
TOTAL ANTIMONY	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
TOTAL ARSENIC	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
TOTAL BERYLLIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CADMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CHROMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL COPPER	<0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL LEAD	<0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL MERCURY	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
TOTAL NICKEL	<0.03 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL SELENIUM	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
TOTAL SILVER	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	LAT
TOTAL THALLIUM	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 279.2	ML
TOTAL ZINC	0.03 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR

Verified 

PPM - Parts/Million

MG/L - Milligrams/Liter

MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram

PPB - Parts/Billion

uG/L - Micrograms/Liter

uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram

&lt; - Less than

&gt; - Greater than

pCi/L - pico Curies/Liter

UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN



Site	Maytag, Newton	Source	Maytag Effluent 001
EPA Sample No.	<u>8860865</u>	Collected	<u>9/20/88</u>
DMBL Lab No.	<u>8860865</u>	Age: Minnows	<u>23 days</u>
Reference Toxicant	Cadmium Chloride	Daphnids	<24 hrs.
Minnow LC <sub>50</sub>	<u>0.128</u> mg/L	Daphnia LC <sub>50</sub>	<u>0.121</u> mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature	<u>20</u> °C,	Dissolved Oxygen	<u>8.4</u> mg/L,	pH	<u>7.7</u> Units
Total Ammonia	<u>0.24</u> mg/L,	Unionized Ammonia (calculated)	<u>&lt;0.01</u>	mg/L	
Total Residual Chlorine	<u>0.025</u> mg/L,	Specific Conductance	<u>2,100</u>	umhos	

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature	<u>20</u> °C,	Dissolved Oxygen	<u>8.4</u> mg/L,	pH	<u>7.7</u> Units
Total Ammonia	<u>0.24</u> mg/L,	Unionized Ammonia (calculated)	<u>&lt;0.01</u>	mg/L	
Total Residual Chlorine	<u>0.025</u> mg/L,	Specific Conductance	<u>2,100</u>	umhos	

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/20/88 @1445 hrs. Test Ended: 9/21/88 @1445 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/21</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/11</u>	<u>0/21</u>

Control      0/7      0/7      0/7      0/21      0/10      0/10      0/20

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic

Toxic Because Of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst:

Verified:JGM/LDA

Date Reported: 11/29/88

## UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - HYGIENIC LABORATORY

Analytical Report for Sample Number 8860865

Iowa City Laboratory  
 Oakdale Hall  
 Iowa City, IA 52242  
 (319) 335-4500

Date Received: 09/20/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

Submitter: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
 Address: OAKDALE CAMPUS  
 City: IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Sample Location: NEWTON  
 Date Collected: 09/20/88 10:30:00  
 Collected By: LDA

Sample Description: WATER

Client Reference:  
 MAYTAG CO FINAL EFFL TO CULVERT  
 N-SERIES, BIO, BOD<sub>1</sub>, CN, T, AL, PB, HG, NI, CU, CR, FE, AG, SB, AS, BE,  
 SS, V, DO=4.7 PH\_F=8.0 TEMP=25 FLOW=575 GPM

## Comments

MAYTAG CO FINAL EFFL TO CULVERT  
 N-SERIES, BIO, BOD<sub>1</sub>, CN, T, AL, PB, HG, NI, CU, CR, FE, AG, SB, AS, BE,  
 SS, V, DO=4.7 PH\_F=8.0 TEMP=25 FLOW=575 GPM

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL RESIDUAL CL	0.025 MG/L	EPA 330.1	JGM, LDA
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	8.4 MG/L	SM 16-421F	
TEMPERATURE	20.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	
PH VALUE (LAB)	7.7 pH UNITS	EPA 150.1	
SPEC. CONDUCTANCE	2100 uMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	
AMMONIA (AS N)	0.2 MG/L	TIM #780-86	RVD
NO <sub>2</sub> +NO <sub>3</sub> AS NO <sub>3</sub> -N	9.7 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAG
ORGANIC NITROGEN (N)	2.7 MG/L	TIM #786-86	RVU
INHIBITED 5 DAY BOD	3 MG/L	SM 16-507	JAG
TOTAL CYANIDE	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 335.2	EPA
TOTAL ALUMINUM	0.11 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL ANTIMONY	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
TOTAL ARSENIC	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
TOTAL BERYLLIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL CADMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL CHROMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL COPPER	<0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL IRON	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL LEAD	<0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL MERCURY	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
TOTAL NICKEL	0.27 MG/L	EPA 200.7	
TOTAL SELENIUM	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML

PPM - Parts/Million      MG/L - Milligrams/Liter      MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram  
 PBB - Parts/Billion      uG/L - Micrograms/Liter      uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram  
 < - Less than            > - Greater than            pCi/L - pico Curries/Liter

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Analytical Report for Sample Number 8860865

	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
SILVER	< 0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	
ANADIUM	< 0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	

Verified: *jk*

arts/Million MG/L - Milligrams/Liter MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram  
arts/Billion uG/L - Micrograms/Liter uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram  
ess than > - Greater than > - Less than  
PCi/L - pico Curies/liter



## UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY

## BIOSCREEN

Site Maytag, Newton Source Maytag Effluent 001 (Chlori  
EPA Sample No. \_\_\_\_\_ Collected 9/20/88 Received 9/20/88  
DBML Lab No. 8860865 Age: Minnows 23 days Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

## RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.4 mg/L, pH 7.7 Units  
Total Ammonia 0.24 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) <0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 2,100 umho

## ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.4 mg/L, pH 7.7 Units  
Total Ammonia 0.24 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) <0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 2,100 umho

## BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/20/88 @1445 hrs. Test Ended: 9/21/88 @1445 hrs.

<u>Concentration</u>	Fathead Minnow Kills			Daphnia magna Kills		
	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	<u>0/8</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/21</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/10</u>
Control with Thiosulfate	<u>0/8</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/21</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/10</u>
Control	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/21</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/10</u>

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic      Toxic Because of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified:jgm

Date Reported: 1

UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN



Site	Cedar Rapids WWTP	Source	Final Effluent
EPA Sample No.	Collected	9/21/88	Received 9/22/88
DMBL Lab No.	Age: Minnows	11 days	Daphnids <24 hrs.
Reference Toxicant	Cadmium Chloride		
Minnow LC <sub>50</sub>	0.137 mg/L	Daphnia LC <sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L	

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 7.9 mg/L, pH 6.9 Units  
 Total Ammonia 3.6 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 0.01 mg/L  
 Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 2,800 umhos

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °C, Dissolved Oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, pH \_\_\_\_\_ Units  
 Total Ammonia \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L  
 Total Residual Chlorine \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Specific Conductance \_\_\_\_\_ umhos

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/22/88 @1115 hrs. Test Ended: 9/23/88 @1115 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	0/6	0/8	0/7	0/21	0/10	0/10	0/20

Control 0/7 0/7 0/7 0/21 0/10 0/10 0/20

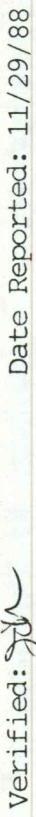
Toxic Because Of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JOK/JGM

Verified:  Date Reported: 11/29/88

## UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - HYGIENIC LABORATORY

Analytical Report for Sample Number 8860962

Iowa City Laboratory  
 Oakdale Hall  
 Iowa City, IA 52242  
 (319) 335-4500

Date Received: 09/22/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

**Submitter:** UHL LIMNOLOGY  
**Address:** OAKDALE CAMPUS  
**City:** IOWA CITY, IA 52240

**Sample Location:** CEDAR RAPIDS  
**Date Collected:** 09/21/88 14:05:00  
**Collected By:** DWG

**Sample Description:** WATER  
**Client Reference:**

## Comments

WWTP, FINAL EFFL

BIO, CBOD, N-SERIES, PP METALS, DO, PH\_F, TEMP

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL RESIDUAL CL	<0.005 MG/L	EPA 330.1	
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	7.9 MG/L	SM 16-421F	
TEMPERATURE	21.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	JGM, JOK
pH VALUE (LAB)	6.9 pH UNITS	EPA 150.1	JOK, JGM
SPEC. CONDUCTANCE	2800 uMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	JGM, JOK
AMMONIA (AS N)	3.0 MG/L	TIM #780-06	RVD
NO <sub>2</sub> +NO <sub>3</sub> AS NO <sub>3</sub> -N	9.5 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAG
TKN	5.5 MG/L	EPA 353.2	RWM
INHIBITED 5 DAY BOD	<0.04 MG/L	TIM #786-86	JAG
TOTAL ARSENIC	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
TOTAL BERYLLIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
TOTAL CADMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL CHROMIUM	<0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL COPPER	<0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL LEAD	<0.1 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL MERCURY	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KE
TOTAL NICKEL	<0.05 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
TOTAL SELENIUM	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
TOTAL SILVER	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	LAF
TOTAL PLATINUM	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 279.2	ML
TOTAL ZINC	0.02 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR

Verified *jd*

PPM - Parts/Million      MG/L - Milligrams/Liter      MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram  
 PPG - Parts/Billion      uG/L - Micrograms/Liter      uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram  
 - Less than      > - Greater than      pCi/L - pico Curries/Liter



UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN

Site Burlington WWTP Source Final Effluent  
EPA Sample No. 8861131 Collected 9/26/88 Received 9/27/88  
DMBL Lab No. 8861131 Age: Minnows 29 days Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.4 mg/L, pH 7.3 Units  
Total Ammonia <0.1 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) <0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine 0.090 mg/L, Specific Conductance 710 umhos

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen mg/L, pH 7.3 Units  
Total Ammonia mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine mg/L, Specific Conductance umhos

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/27/88 @1415 hrs. Test Ended: 9/28/88 @1415 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/20</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/10</u>	<u>0/20</u>

Control 0/7 0/7 0/6 0/20 0/10 0/10 0/20

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic Toxic Because Of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified:

Date Reported: 11/29/88

## UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - HYGIENIC LABORATORY

Analytical Report for Sample Number 8861131

Iowa City Laboratory  
 Oakdale Hall  
 Iowa City, IA 52242  
 (319) 335-4500

(515) 281-5371

Date Received: 09/27/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

Submitter: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
 Address: OAKDALE CAMPUS  
 City: IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Sample Location: BURLINGTON  
 Date Collected: 09/26/88 13:45:00  
 Collected By: LIDA/CEILLEY

Comments

WATER FINAL EFFL GRAB SAMPLE DO=8.5 PH\_F=7.4 TEMP=23.0  
 BIG, N-SERIES, BOD\_1, PP METALS PLUS MO.

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Analyte	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
TOTAL RESIDUAL CL	0.090 MG/L	EPA 330.1	
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	8.4 MG/L	SM 16-421F	
TEMPERATURE	21.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	
pH VALUE (LAB)	7.3 PH UNITS	EPA 150.1	JGM
SPEC. CONDUCTANCE	710 uMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	
AMMONIA (AS N)	<0.1 MG/L	TIM #780-86	
NO <sub>2</sub> +NO <sub>3</sub> AS NO <sub>3</sub> -N	1.6 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAG
ORGANIC NITROGEN (N)	1.6 MG/L	TRM #786-86	RVD
INHIBITED 5 DAY BOD	1 MG/L	SM 16-507	JAG
TOTAL ANTIMONY	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
TOTAL ARSENIC	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
TOTAL MERCURY	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
TOTAL SELENIUM	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
TOTAL SILVER	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	LAF
TOTAL THALLIUM	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 279.2	ML

Verified *JL*

PPM - Parts/Million      MG/L - Milligrams/Liter      MG/KG - Milligrams/Kilogram  
 PPB - Parts/Billion      uG/L - Micrograms/Liter      uG/KG - Micrograms/Kilogram  
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UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN



Site	Burlington WWTP	Source	Final Effluent (Chlorine Removal)
EPA Sample No.	8861131	Collected	9/26/88
DMBL Lab No.		Received	9/27/88
Reference Toxicant	Cadmium Chloride	Daphnids	<24 hrs.
Minnow LC <sub>50</sub>	0.128 mg/L	Daphnia LC <sub>50</sub>	0.121 mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature	21 °C,	Dissolved Oxygen	mg/L, pH	Units
Total Ammonia	<0.1 mg/L,	Unionized Ammonia (calculated)	mg/L	mg/L
Total Residual Chlorine	<0.005 mg/L,	Specific Conductance	umhos	umhos

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature	21 °C,	Dissolved Oxygen	8.4 mg/L, pH	7.3	Units
Total Ammonia	<0.1 mg/L,	Unionized Ammonia (calculated)	<0.01 mg/L	mg/L	
Total Residual Chlorine	<0.005 mg/L,	Specific Conductance	710 umhos	umhos	

BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/27/88 @1415 hrs. Test Ended: 9/28/88 @1415 hrs.

Fathead Minnow Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	0/7	0/6	0/6	0/19	0/10	0/10	0/20
Control with Thiosulfate	0/7	0/7	0/7	0/21	0/10	0/10	0/20
Control	/7	0/7	0/6	0/20	0/10	0/10	0/20

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic      Toxic Because Of:

Other:

Notes: See Attachment

\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified: JH Date Reported: 11/29/88



## UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY

## BIOSCREEN

Site Anax, Ft. Madison Source Final Effluent  
EPA Sample No.  Collected 9/26/88 Received 9/27/88  
DMBL Lab No. 8861130 Age: Minnows 29 days Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

## RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 7.8 mg/L, pH 8.9 Units  
Total Ammonia 20.7 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 5.24 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 11,000 umho

## ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 7.8 mg/L, pH 8.9 Units  
Total Ammonia 20.7 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 5.24 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 11,000 umho

## BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/27/88 @1415 hrs. Test Ended: 9/28/88 @1415 hrs.

## Fathead Minnow Kills

## Daphnia magna Kills

<u>Concentration</u>	<u>Beaker 1</u>	<u>Beaker 2</u>	<u>Beaker 3</u>	<u>Total*</u>	<u>Beaker 1</u>	<u>Beaker 2</u>	<u>Total*</u>
<u>100%</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/20</u>	<u>2/8</u>	<u>3/7</u>	<u>5/15</u>

<u>Control</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/20</u>	<u>0/8</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/15</u>
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Sample Rated: Toxic

Toxic Because of: Ammonia & Sodium Sulfide possibly toxic

Other:

Notes: See Attachment  
Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified: JMK Date Reported: 1

## UNIVERSITY OF IOWA - HYGIENIC LABORATORY

## Analytical Report for Sample Number 8861130

by Laboratory  
Hall  
ty, IA 52242  
35-4500

at: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
OAKDALE CAMPUS  
IOWA CITY, IA 52240  
Des Moines Branch  
900 East Grand  
H.A. Wallace Building  
Des Moines, IA 50319  
(515) 281-5371

Received: 09/27/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

at: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
OAKDALE CAMPUS  
IOWA CITY, IA 52240  
Elected: 09/26/88 11:40:00  
ed By: LDA/CEILLEY

Location: FT MADISON      Sample Description: WATER  
Client Reference:

NAL EFFL GRAB SAMPLE      DO=8.0      PH\_F=8.7      TEMP=21.5  
ERIES, BOD\_I, PP METALS PLUS MO

## ---- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ----

	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
RESIDUAL CL	<0.005 MG/L	EPA 330.1	
ED OXYGEN	7.8 MG/L	SM 16-421E	
TURE	21.0 DEGREES C	SM 16-212	
E (LAB)	8.9 PH UNITS	EPA 150.1	
DUCTANCE	11000 UMHOS @ 25 C	EPA 120.1	
(AS N)	17 MG/L	TM #780-86	
AS NO3-N	6.0 MG/L	EPA 353.2	JAC
NITROGEN (N)	<0.1 MG/L	TM #786-86	RVD
ED 5 DAY BOD	2 MG/L	SM 16-507	JAC
NTIMONY	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 204.2	KL
RSENIC	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
ERCURY	<0.001 MG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
OLYBDENUM	12000 uG/L	ONE	SR
ELENIUM	0.02 MG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
ILVER	<0.01 MG/L	EPA 272.1	LAF
HALLIUM	0.002 MG/L	EPA 279.2	ML

Verified: *JAC*

arts/Million MG/L - Milligrams/Liter  
arts/Billion uG/L - Micrograms/Liter  
ess than > - Greater than  
                  ) - Pico Curies/Liter  
                  ) - Milligrams/Kilogram  
                  ) - Micrograms/Kilogram  
                  ) - Pico Curries/Liter

UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN

Site Amax, Ft. Madison Source Final Effluent (1:50 Dilut  
EPA Sample No. \_\_\_\_\_ Collected 9/26/88 Received 9/27/88  
DMBL Lab No. 8861133 Age: Minnows 29 days Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

## RAW SAMPLE

Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °C, Dissolved Oxygen \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, pH \_\_\_\_\_ Units  
Total Ammonia \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine \_\_\_\_\_ mg/L, Specific Conductance \_\_\_\_\_ umho

## ADJUSTED SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.0 mg/L, pH 7.6 Units  
Total Ammonia 0.49 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) <0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 470 umho

## BIOSCREEN DATA

Test Begun: 9/27/88 @1415 hrs. Test Ended: 9/28/88 @1415 hrs.

## Fathead Minnow Kills

## Daphnia magna Kills

Concentration	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Beaker 3	Total*	Beaker 1	Beaker 2	Total*
100%	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/20</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/8</u>	<u>0/15</u>

Control 0/7 0/7 0/6 0/20 0/8 0/7 0/15

Sample Rated: Non-Toxic Toxic Because of:  
Other:

Notes: See Attachment  
\*Number of organisms dead/number of organisms tested.

Analyst: JGM/LDA

Verified: JMK

Date Reported:

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## Analytical Report for Sample Number 8861133

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Received: 09/27/88

Date of Report: 11/22/88

er: UHL LIMNOLOGY  
OAKDALE CAMPUS  
IOWA CITY, IA 52240

Location: FT MADISON  
Received: 09/26/88 11:30:00  
ed By: LDA/CEILLIEY

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EL 1:50 DILUTION. LAB TIME 11:30  
LS PLUS MO, NH3, NA

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

	Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
(AS N)	54 MG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
VITIMONY	0.4 MG/L	TIM #780-86	RWW
RSENIC	<10 uG/L	EPA 204.2	ML
ERYLLIUM	<10 uG/L	EPA 206.2	ML
ADMUM	<20 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
HROMIUM	<20 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
OPPER	<50 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
EAD	<100 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
ERCURY	<1 uG/L	EPA 245.1	KF
DLYBDENUM	240 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
ICKEL	<50 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR
ELENIUM	<10 uG/L	EPA 270.2	ML
ILVER	<10 uG/L	EPA 272.1	LAF
HALLIUM	1 uG/L	EPA 279.2	ML
INC	<20 uG/L	EPA 200.7	SR

Verified *JL*

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UNIVERSITY HYGIENIC LABORATORY  
BIOSCREEN

Site Anax, Ft. Madison Source Final Effluent (Ammonia Rem  
EPA Sample No.  Collected 9/26/88 Received 9/27/88  
DMBL Lab No. 8861158 Age: Minnows 29 days Daphnids <24 hrs.  
Reference Toxicant Cadmium Chloride  
Minnow LC<sub>50</sub> 0.128 mg/L Daphnia LC<sub>50</sub> 0.121 mg/L

RAW SAMPLE

Temperature 21 °C, Dissolved Oxygen 8.2 mg/L, pH 7.1 Units  
Total Ammonia 2.1 mg/L, Unionized Ammonia (calculated) 0.01 mg/L  
Total Residual Chlorine <0.005 mg/L, Specific Conductance 22,000 umho

ADJUSTED SAMPLE

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BIOSCREEN DATA

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Fathead Minnow Kills				Daphnia magna Kills			
Beaker	Beaker	Beaker	Total*	Beaker	Beaker	Total*	
<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	
<u>7/7</u>	<u>6/6</u>	<u>7/7</u>	<u>20/20</u>	<u>8/8</u>	<u>7/7</u>	<u>15/15</u>	
Control	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/6</u>	<u>0/20</u>	<u>0/8</u>	<u>0/7</u>	<u>0/15</u>

Sample Rated: Toxic Because of: Possibly high Sodium content.

Notes: See Attachment  
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Analyst: JGM/LDA

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Sample Description: WATER  
Client Reference:

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NAL LEVEL, ADJUSTED W/ ZEO AND ACID.  
LS PLUS MO, NH<sub>3</sub>, NA.

## --- Listing of Analyses Performed and Results ---

Concentration	Method Used	Analyst
4700 (AS N)	MG/L EPA 200.7	SR
1.7 <1.0	MG/L TIM #780-86 EPA 204.2	ML
<1.0	uG/L EPA 206.2	ML
<2.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
<2.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
<2.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
<5.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
12.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
<1	uG/L EPA 245.1	KF
12.000	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
<5.0	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR
20	uG/L EPA 270.2	ML
<1.0	uG/L EPA 272.1	LAF
2	uG/L EPA 279.2	ML
30	uG/L EPA 200.7	SR

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