# **2019 Consumer Confidence Report**

Water System Name: Santa Ynez Roblar – MHP Permit 0827 Report Date: June 10, 2020

We test the drinking water quality for many constituents as required by state and federal regulations. This report shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 – December 31, 2019 and may include earlier monitoring data.

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable. Tradúzcalo ó hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

这份报告含有关于您的饮用水的重要讯息。请用以下地址和电话联系 Roblar 以获得中文的帮助 2056 San Marcos Pass Rd, Santa Ynez, Ca (805) 418-2149

Ang pag-uulat na ito ay naglalaman ng mahalagang impormasyon tungkol sa inyong inuming tubig. Mangyaring makipag-ugnayan sa Roblar 2056 San Marcos Pass Rd, Santa Ynez, Ca o tumawag sa (805) 418-2149 para matulungan sa wikang Tagalog.

Báo cáo này chứa thông tin quan trọng về nước uống của bạn. Xin vui lòng liên hệ Roblar tại (805) 418-2149 để được hỗ trợ giúp bằng tiếng Việt.

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Type of water source(s) in use: One ground water well for domestic use

Name and location of source(s) 2056 San Marcos Pass Rd. Santa Ynez, Ca.

Well #1 is located along the entry way off the drive way leading to the mobile home park next to the pressure tank.

Well #2 is an irrigation well not hooked up to the system. It is only used for irrigation.

Drinking Water Source Assessment information: Completed by S.B. County DHS, and is available upon request.

Time and place of regularly scheduled board meetings for public participation: Mobile Home #6 as necessary

For more information, contact: Bill Wetzel / Steve Lawry (D-1 operator) Phone: (805) 686-4031 or (805) 798-1213

#### TERMS USED IN THIS REPORT

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. Primary MCLs are set as close to the PHGs (or MCLGs) as is economically and technologically feasible. Secondary MCLs are set to protect the odor, taste, and appearance of drinking water.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs are set by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA).

**Public Health Goal (PHG):** The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. PHGs are set by the California Environmental Protection Agency.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL): The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial

**Primary Drinking Water Standards (PDWS):** MCLs and MRDLs for contaminants that affect health along with their monitoring and reporting requirements, and water treatment requirements.

**Secondary Drinking Water Standards (SDWS)**: MCLs for contaminants that affect taste, odor, or appearance of the drinking water. Contaminants with SDWSs do not affect the health at the MCL levels.

**Treatment Technique (TT)**: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

**Regulatory Action Level (AL)**: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

**Variances and Exemptions**: State Board permission to exceed an MCL or not comply with a treatment technique under certain conditions.

**ND**: not detectable at testing limit

contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG): The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

**ppm**: parts per million or milligrams per liter (mg/L)

**ppb**: parts per billion or micrograms per liter (μg/L)

ppt: parts per trillion or nanograms per liter (ng/L)

**ppq**: parts per quadrillion or □ictogram per liter (pg/L)

pCi/L: picocuries per liter (a measure of radiation)

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- *Microbial contaminants*, such as viruses and bacteria, that may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- *Inorganic contaminants*, such as salts and metals, that can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, that may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, that are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, agricultural application, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, that can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the USEPA and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) prescribe regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. State Board regulations also establish limits for contaminants in bottled water that provide the same protection for public health.

Tables 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 list all of the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the most recent sampling for the constituent. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. The State Board allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Some of the data, though representative of the water quality, are more than one year old.

Microbiological Contaminants (complete if bacteria detected)	Highest No. of Detections	No. of months in violation	MCL	MCLG	Typical Source of Bacteria
Total Coliform Bacteria	(In a mo.) *2	1	1 positive monthly sample	0	Naturally present in the environment
Fecal Coliform or <i>E. coli</i>	(In the year)	0	A routine sample and a repeat sample are total coliform positive and one of these is also fecal coliform or <i>E. coli</i>	0	Human and animal fecal waste
E. coli (federal Revised Total Colifrom Rule)	(In the year)	0	(a)	0	Human and animal fecal waste

(a) Routine and repeat samples are total coliform-positive and either is *E. coli*-positive or system fails to take repeat samples following *E. coli*-positive routine sample or system fails to analyze total coliform-positive repeat sample for *E. coli*.

TABLE 2 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING THE DETECTION OF LEAD AND COPPER								
Lead and Copper (complete if lead or copper detected in the last sample set)	Sample Date	No. of samples collected	90 <sup>th</sup> percentile level detected	No. sites exceeding AL	AL	PHG	Typical Source of Contaminant	
Lead (ppb) (sampled at trailer faucets)	08/09/18	6	0.58	0	15	0.2	Internal corrosion of household water plumbing systems; discharges from industrial manufacturers; erosion of natural deposits	
Copper (ppm) (sampled at trailer faucets)	08/09/18	6	.0285	0	1.3	0.3	Internal corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives	

TABLE 3 – SAMPLING RESULTS FOR SODIUM AND HARDNESS								
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminant		
Sodium (ppm)	02/07/18	33	NA	none	none	Salt present in the water and is generally naturally occurring		
Hardness (ppm)	02/07/18	305	NA	none	none	Sum of polyvalent cations present in the water, generally magnesium and calcium, and are usually naturally occurring		

\*Any violation of an MCL or AL is asterisked. Additional information regarding the violation is provided later in this report.

Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL [MRDL]	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Typical Source of Contaminant
Nitrate (ppm)	03/04/19	2.6	NA	10 ppm	10 ppm	Refer to Appendix A
Barium (ppm)	02/07/18	.047	NA	1 ppm	.1 ppm	Refer to Appendix A
Arsenic (ppb)	02/07/18	0.70	NA	10	0.004	Refer to Appendix A
Cadmium (ppb)	02/07/18	1.3	NA	5	0.04	Refer to Appendix A
Chromium (ppb)	02/07/18	4.5	NA	50	(100)	Refer to Appendix A
Lead (ppb)	02/07/18 03/28/18	*18.9	0.81 - 37	(AL=15)	0.2	Refer to Appendix A
Mercury (ppb)	02/07/18	0.60	NA	2	1.2	Refer to Appendix A
Nickel (ppb)	02/07/18	4.9	NA	100	12	Refer to Appendix A
Bromate (ppb)	07/03/19	1.5	NA	10	0.1	Refer to Appendix A
TTHM (Total Trihalomethanes) (ppb)	06/03/19	3.9	NA	80	NA	Refer to Appendix A
Gross Alpha Radiation (pCi/L)	06/03/19	0.535	NA	15	(0)	Refer to Appendix A
Uranium (pCi/L)	12/02/19	3.29	NA	20	0.43	Refer to Appendix A

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TABLE 4 CONTINUED – DETECTION OF CONTAMINANTS WITH A <u>PRIMARY</u> DRINKING WATER STANDARD								
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL [MRDL]	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Typical Source of Contaminant		
Perchlorate (ppb)	02/07/18	2.3	NA	6.0		Refer to Appendix A		

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Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	MCL	PHG (MCLG)	Typical Source of Contaminant		
Sulfate (ppm)	02/07/18	88	NA	500	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Chloride (ppm)	02/07/18	97	NA	500	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)	02/07/18	550	NA	1000	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Specific Conductance (micro mhos)	02/07/18	790	NA	1600	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Turbidity (NTU)	02/07/18	0.15	NA	5	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Iron (ppb)	02/07/18	270	NA	300	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Manganese (ppb)	02/07/18	11	NA	50	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
Potassium (ppm)	02/07/18	2.3	NA	NA	NA	Refer to Appendix B		
	TABLE 6	6 – DETECTIO	N OF UNREGU	LATED CO	 ONTAMINA	NTS		
Chemical or Constituent (and reporting units)	Sample Date	Level Detected	Range of Detections	Notifica	ation Level	Health Effects Language		
Vanadium (ppb)	02/07/18	8	NA		50	Refer to Appendix D		

<sup>\*</sup>Any violation of an MCL, MRDL, or TT is asterisked. Additional information regarding the violation is provided later in this report.

#### Additional General Information on Drinking Water

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the USEPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. USEPA/Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Lead-Specific Language for Community Water Systems: If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Santa Ynez Roblar is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you do so, you may wish to collect the flushed water and reuse it for another beneficial purpose, such as watering plants. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/lead">http://www.epa.gov/lead</a>.

# Summary Information for Violation of a MCL, MRDL, AL, TT, or Monitoring and Reporting Requirement

VIOL	VIOLATION OF A MCL, MRDL, AL, TT, OR MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENT								
Violation	Explanation	Duration	Actions Taken to Correct the Violation	Health Effects Language					
Lead	One sample result tested at the source was above the MCL. A repeat test result was well under the MCL. All lead samples in the distribution system were in compliance.	02/07/18	None	Refer to Appendix A					

#### For Water Systems Providing Ground Water as a Source of Drinking Water

TABLE 7 – SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING FECAL INDICATOR-POSITIVE GROUND WATER SOURCE SAMPLES								
Microbiological Contaminants (complete if fecal-indicator detected)  Total No. of Detections  Sample MCL [MRDL]  MCL (MCLG)  [MRDLG]  Typical Source of Contaminant								
E. coli	(In the year)	Jan-Dec 2019	0	(0)	Human and animal fecal waste			
Enterococci	(In the year)	NA	TT	n/a	Human and animal fecal waste			
Coliphage	(In the year)	NA	TT	n/a	Human and animal fecal waste			

# Summary Information for Fecal Indicator-Positive Ground Water Source Samples, Uncorrected Significant Deficiencies, or Ground Water TT

	SPECIAL NOTICE OF FECAL INDICATOR-POSITIVE GROUND WATER SOURCE SAMPLE
None	
	SPECIAL NOTICE FOR UNCORRECTED SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES
None	

VIOLATION OF GROUND WATER TT							
TT Violation	Explanation	Actions Taken to Correct the Violation	Health Effects Language				
None							

## For Systems Providing Surface Water as a Source of Drinking Water

TABLE 8 - SAMPLING RESULTS SHOWING TREATMENT OF SURFACE WATER SOURCES					
Treatment Technique <sup>(a)</sup> (Type of approved filtration technology used)	NA				
Turbidity Performance Standards (b) (that must be met through the water treatment process)	Turbidity of the filtered water must:  1 – Be less than or equal to NTU in 95% of measurements in a month.  2 – Not exceed NTU for more than eight consecutive hours.  3 – Not exceed NTU at any time.				
Lowest monthly percentage of samples that met Turbidity Performance Standard No. 1.	NA				
Highest single turbidity measurement during the year	NA				
Number of violations of any surface water treatment requirements	NA				

# **Summary Information for Violation of a Surface Water TT**

VIOLATION OF A SURFACE WATER TT								
TT Violation Explanation Duration Actions Taken to Correct the Violation Health Effects Language								
NA								

# Summary Information for Operating Under a Variance or Exemption

<sup>(</sup>a) A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

<sup>(</sup>b) Turbidity (measured in NTU) is a measurement of the cloudiness of water and is a good indicator of water quality and filtration performance. Turbidity results which meet performance standards are considered to be in compliance with filtration requirements.

<sup>\*</sup> Any violation of a TT is marked with an asterisk. Additional information regarding the violation is provided below.

# **APPENDIX A:** Regulated Contaminants with Primary Drinking Water Standards

# **Microbiological Contaminants**

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Total Coliform Bacteria (state Total Coliform Rule)	MCL: Systems that collect 40 or more samples per month: 5.0% of monthly samples are positive Systems that collect less than 40 samples per month: 1 positive monthly sample		(0)	Naturally present in the environment	Coliforms are bacteria that are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other, potentially-harmful, bacteria may be present. Coliforms were found in more samples than allowed and this was a warning of potential problems.
Fecal coliform and <i>E. coli</i> (state Total Coliform Rule)	MCL: A routine sample and a repeat sample are total coliform positive, and one of these is also fecal coliform		(0)	Human and animal fecal waste	Fecal coliforms and <i>E. coli</i> are bacteria whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Microbes in these wastes can cause short-term effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a special health risk for infants, young children, some of the elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems.
Total Coliform Bacteria (federal Revised Total Coliform Rule)	or <i>E. coli</i> positive		N/A	Naturally present in the environment	Coliforms are bacteria that are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other, potentially harmful, waterborne pathogens may be present or that a potential pathway exists through which contamination may enter the drinking water distribution system. We found coliforms indicating the need to look for potential problems in water treatment or distribution. When this occurs, we are required to conduct assessment(s) to identify problems and to correct any problems that were found during these assessments.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
E. coli (federal Revised Total Coliform Rule)		Footnote <sup>1</sup>	(0)	Human and animal fecal waste	E. coli are bacteria whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Human pathogens in these wastes can cause short-term effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a greater health risk for infants, young children, the elderly, and people with severely-compromised immune systems.
					For the consumer confidence report, if a water system detects E. coli and has violated the E. coli MCL, the water system shall include the following statements, as appropriate.
					<ul> <li>We had an <i>E. coli</i>-positive repeat sample following a total coliform-positive routine sample.</li> <li>We had a total coliform-positive repeat sample following an <i>E. coli</i>-positive routine sample.</li> <li>We failed to take all required repeat samples following an <i>E. coli</i>-positive routine sample.</li> <li>We failed to test for <i>E. coli</i> when any re repeat sample tests positive for total coliform.</li> </ul>
					If the E. coli MCL was not violated, the water system may include a statement that explains that although E. coli was detected, the water system is not in violation of the E. coli MCL.
E. coli (federal Revised Total Coliform Rule)		TT	N/A	Human and animal fecal waste	E. coli are bacteria whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Human pathogens in these wastes can cause short-term effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a greater health risk for infants, young children, the elderly, and people with severely-compromised immune systems.
Fecal Indicator (E. coli) (Ground Water Rule)		0	(0)	Human and animal fecal waste	Fecal coliforms and <i>E. coli</i> are bacteria whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Microbes in these wastes can cause short-term effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a special health risk for infants, young children, some of the elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Routine and repeat samples are total coliform-positive and either is *E. coli*-positive or system fails to take repeat samples following *E. coli*-positive routine sample or system fails to analyze total coliform-positive repeat sample for *E. coli*.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Fecal Indicators (enterococci or coliphage) (Ground Water Rule)		TT	N/A	Human and animal fecal waste	Fecal indicators are microbes whose presence indicates that the water may be contaminated with human or animal wastes. Microbes in these wastes can cause short-term effects, such as diarrhea, cramps, nausea, headaches, or other symptoms. They may pose a special health risk for infants, young children, some of the elderly, and people with severely compromised immune systems.
Turbidity		TT	N/A	Soil runoff	Turbidity has no health effects. However, high levels of turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea, and associated headaches.
Giardia lamblia, Viruses, Heterotrophic Plate Count Bacteria, Legionella, Cryptosporidium		TT	HPC = N/A; $Others = (0)$	Naturally present in the environment	Inadequately treated water may contain disease-causing organisms.  These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea, and associated headaches.

# **Radioactive Contaminants**

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Gross Beta Particle Activity	pCi/L	50 <sup>2</sup>	(0)	Decay of natural and man-made deposits	Certain minerals are radioactive and may emit forms of radiation known as photons and beta radiation. Some people who drink water containing beta and photon emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Strontium-90	pCi/L	8	0.35	Decay of natural and man-made deposit	Some people who drink water containing strontium-90 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Tritium	pCi/L	20,000	400	Decay of natural and man-made deposits	Some people who drink water containing tritium in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Gross Alpha Particle Activity	pCi/L	15	(0)	Erosion of natural deposits	Certain minerals are radioactive and may emit a form of radiation known as alpha radiation. Some people who drink water containing alpha emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Combined Radium 226 & 228	pCi/L	5	$(0)^3$	Erosion of natural deposits	Some people who drink water containing radium 226 or 228 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Effective June 11, 2006, the gross beta particle activity MCL is 4 millirems/year annual dose equivalent to the total body or any internal organ. 50 pCi/L is used as a screening level.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Total Radium (for nontransient-noncommunity water systems)	pCi/L	5	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits	Some people who drink water containing radium 223, 224, or 226 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Uranium	pCi/L	20	0.43	Erosion of natural deposits	Some people who drink water containing uranium in excess of the MCL over many years may have kidney problems or an increased risk of getting cancer.

# **Inorganic Contaminants**

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL (AL) TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Aluminum	mg/L	1	0.6	Erosion of natural deposits; residue from some surface water treatment processes	Some people who drink water containing aluminum in excess of the MCL over many years may experience short-term gastrointestinal tract effects.
Antimony	µg/L	6	1	Discharge from petroleum refineries; fire retardants; ceramics; electronics; solder	Some people who drink water containing antimony in excess of the MCL over many years may experience increases in blood cholesterol and decreases in blood sugar.
Arsenic	μg/L	10	0.004	Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards; glass and electronics production wastes	Some people who drink water containing arsenic in excess of the MCL over many years may experience skin damage or circulatory system problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Asbestos	MFL	7	7	Internal corrosion of asbestos cement water mains; erosion of natural deposits	Some people who drink water containing asbestos in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of developing benign intestinal polyps.
Barium	mg/L	1	2	Discharge of oil drilling wastes and from metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits	Some people who drink water containing barium in excess of the MCL over many years may experience an increase in blood pressure.
Beryllium	μg/L	4	1	Discharge from metal refineries, coal-burning factories, and electrical, aerospace, and defense industries	Some people who drink water containing beryllium in excess of the MCL over many years may develop intestinal lesions.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  If reporting results for Ra-226 and Ra-228 as individual constituents, the PHG is 0.05 pCi/L for Ra-226 and 0.019 pCi/L for Ra-228.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL (AL) TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Cadmium	μg/L	5	0.04	Internal corrosion of galvanized pipes; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from electroplating and industrial chemical factories, and metal refineries; runoff from waste batteries and paints	Some people who drink water containing cadmium in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney damage.
Chromium (Total)	μg/L	50	(100)	Discharge from steel and pulp mills and chrome plating; erosion of natural deposits	Some people who use water containing chromium in excess of the MCL over many years may experience allergic dermatitis.
Copper	mg/L	(AL=1.3)	0.3	Internal corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives	Copper is an essential nutrient, but some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over a relatively short amount of time may experience gastrointestinal distress. Some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over many years may suffer liver or kidney damage. People with Wilson's Disease should consult their personal doctor.
Cyanide	μg/L	150	150	Discharge from steel/metal, plastic and fertilizer factories	Some people who drink water containing cyanide in excess of the MCL over many years may experience nerve damage or thyroid problems.
Fluoride	mg/L	2.0	1	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories	Some people who drink water containing fluoride in excess of the federal MCL of 4 mg/L over many years may get bone disease, including pain and tenderness of the bones. Children who drink water containing fluoride in excess of the state MCL of 2 mg/L may get mottled teeth.
Lead	μg/L	(AL=15)	0.2	Internal corrosion of household water plumbing systems; discharges from industrial manufacturers; erosion of natural deposits	Infants and children who drink water containing lead in excess of the action level may experience delays in their physical or mental development. Children may show slight deficits in attention span and learning abilities. Adults who drink this water over many years may develop kidney problems or high blood pressure.
Mercury (Inorganic)	μg/L	2	1.2	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills and cropland	Some people who drink water containing mercury in excess of the MCL over many years may experience mental disturbances, or impaired physical coordination, speech and hearing.
Nickel	μg/L	100	12	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from metal factories	Some people who drink water containing nickel in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver and heart effects.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL (AL) TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Nitrate (as Nitrogen, N)	mg/L	10	10	Runoff and leaching from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks and sewage; erosion of natural deposits	Infants below the age of six months who drink water containing nitrate in excess of the MCL may quickly become seriously ill and, if untreated, may die because high nitrate levels can interfere with the capacity of the infant's blood to carry oxygen. Symptoms include shortness of breath and blueness of the skin. High nitrate levels may also affect the oxygen-carrying ability of the blood of pregnant women.
Nitrite (as nitrogen, N)	mg/L	1	1	Runoff and leaching from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks and sewage; erosion of natural deposits	Infants below the age of six months who drink water containing nitrite in excess of the MCL may quickly become seriously ill and, if untreated, may die. Symptoms include shortness of breath and blueness of the skin.
Perchlorate	μg/L	6	1	Perchlorate is an inorganic chemical used in solid rocket propellant, fireworks, explosives, flares, matches, and a variety of industries. It usually gets into drinking water as a result of environmental contamination from historic aerospace or other industrial operations that used or use, store, or dispose of perchlorate and its salts.	Perchlorate has been shown to interfere with uptake of iodide by the thyroid gland, and to thereby reduce the production of thyroid hormones, leading to adverse affects associated with inadequate hormone levels. Thyroid hormones are needed for normal prenatal growth and development of the fetus, as well as for normal growth and development in the infant and child. In adults, thyroid hormones are needed for normal metabolism and mental function.
Selenium	μg/L	50	30	Discharge from petroleum, glass, and metal refineries; erosion of natural deposits; discharge from mines and chemical manufacturers; runoff from livestock lots (feed additive)	Selenium is an essential nutrient. However, some people who drink water containing selenium in excess of the MCL over many years may experience hair or fingernail losses, numbness in fingers or toes, or circulation system problems.
Thallium	μg/L	2	0.1	Leaching from ore-processing sites; discharge from electronics, glass, and drug factories	Some people who drink water containing thallium in excess of the MCL over many years may experience hair loss, changes in their blood, or kidney, intestinal, or liver problems.

# **Synthetic Organic Contaminants including Pesticides and Herbicides**

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
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Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
2,4-D	μg/L	70	20	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops, range land, lawns, and aquatic weeds	Some people who use water containing the weed killer 2,4-D in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney, liver, or adrenal gland problems.
2,4,5-TP (Silvex)	μg/L	50	3	Residue of banned herbicide	Some people who drink water containing Silvex in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
Acrylamide		TT	(0)	Added to water during sewage/wastewater treatment	Some people who drink water containing high levels of acrylamide over a long period of time may experience nervous system or blood problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Alachlor	μg/L	2	4	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops	Some people who use water containing alachlor in excess of the MCL over many years may experience eye, liver, kidney, or spleen problems, or experience anemia, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Atrazine	μg/L	1	0.15	Runoff from herbicide used on row crops and along railroad and highway right-of-ways	Some people who use water containing atrazine in excess of the MCL over many years may experience cardiovascular system problems or reproductive difficulties.
Bentazon	μg/L	18	200	Runoff/leaching from herbicide used on beans, peppers, corn, peanuts, rice, and ornamental grasses	Some people who drink water containing bentazon in excess of the MCL over many year may experience prostate and gastrointestinal effects.
Benzo(a)pyrene (PAH)	ng/L	200	7	Leaching from linings of water storage tanks and distribution mains	Some people who use water containing benzo(a)pyrene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive difficulties and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Carbofuran	μg/L	18	0.7	Leaching of soil fumigant used on rice and alfalfa, and grape vineyards	Some people who use water containing carbofuran in excess of the MCL over many years may experience problems with their blood, or nervous or reproductive system problems.
Chlordane	ng/L	100	30	Residue of banned insecticide	Some people who use water containing chlordane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or nervous system problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Dalapon	μg/L	200	790	Runoff from herbicide used on rights-of-ways, and crops and landscape maintenance	Some people who drink water containing dalapon in excess of the MCL over many years may experience minor kidney changes.
Di(2-ethylhexyl) adipate	μg/L	400	200	Discharge from chemical factories	Some people who drink water containing di(2-ethylhexyl) adipate in excess of the MCL over many years may experience weight loss, liver enlargement, or possible reproductive difficulties.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	μg/L	4	12	Discharge from rubber and chemical factories; inert ingredient in pesticides	Some people who use water containing di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems or reproductive difficulties, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Dibromochloropropane (DBCP)	ng/L	200	1.7	Banned nematocide that may still be present in soils due to runoff/leaching from former use on soybeans, cotton, vineyards, tomatoes, and tree fruit	Some people who use water containing DBCP in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive difficulties and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Dinoseb	μg/L	7	14	Runoff from herbicide used on soybeans, vegetables, and fruits	Some people who drink water containing dinoseb in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive difficulties.
Dioxin (2,3,7,8-TCDD)	pg/L	30	0.05	Emissions from waste incineration and other combustion; discharge from chemical factories	Some people who use water containing dioxin in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive difficulties and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Diquat	μg/L	20	6	Runoff from herbicide use for terrestrial and aquatic weeds	Some people who drink water containing diquat in excess of the MCL over many years may get cataracts.
Endothall	μg/L	100	94	Runoff from herbicide use for terrestrial and aquatic weeds; defoliant	Some people who drink water containing endothall in excess of the MCL over many years may experience stomach or intestinal problems.
Endrin	μg/L	2	0.3	Residue of banned insecticide and rodenticide	Some people who drink water containing endrin in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
Epichlorohydrin		TT	(0)	Discharge from industrial chemical factories; impurity of some water treatment chemicals	Some people who drink water containing high levels of epichlorohydrin over a long period of time may experience stomach problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Ethylene dibromide (EDB)	ng/L	50	10	Discharge from petroleum refineries; underground gas tank leaks; banned nematocide that may still be present in soils due to runoff and leaching from grain and fruit crops	Some people who use water containing ethylene dibromide in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, stomach, reproductive system, or kidney problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Glyphosate	μg/L	700	900	Runoff from herbicide use	Some people who drink water containing glyphosate in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney problems or reproductive difficulties.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Heptachlor	ng/L	10	8	Residue of banned insecticide	Some people who use water containing heptachlor in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver damage and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Heptachlor epoxide	ng/L	10	6	Breakdown of heptachlor	Some people who use water containing heptachlor epoxide in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver damage, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Hexachlorobenzene	μg/L	1	0.03	Discharge from metal refineries and agricultural chemical factories; byproduct of chlorination reactions in wastewater	Some people who drink water containing hexachlorobenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or kidney problems, or adverse reproductive effects, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	μg/L	50	2	Discharge from chemical factories	Some people who use water containing hexachlorocyclopentadiene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney or stomach problems.
Lindane	ng/L	200	32	Runoff/leaching from insecticide used on cattle, lumber, and gardens	Some people who drink water containing lindane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney or liver problems.
Methoxychlor	μg/L	30	0.09	Runoff/leaching from insecticide used on fruits, vegetables, alfalfa, and livestock	Some people who drink water containing methoxychlor in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive difficulties.
Molinate (Ordram)	μg/L	20	1	Runoff/leaching from herbicide used on rice	Some people who use water containing molinate in excess of the MCL over many years may experience reproductive effects.
Oxamyl (Vydate)	μg/L	50	26	Runoff/leaching from insecticide used on field crops, fruits and ornamentals, especially apples, potatoes, and tomatoes	Some people who drink water containing oxamyl in excess of the MCL over many years may experience slight nervous system effects.
PCBs (Polychlorinated biphenyls)	ng/L	500	90	Runoff from landfills; discharge of waste chemicals	Some people who drink water containing PCBs in excess of the MCL over many years may experience changes in their skin, thymus gland problems, immune deficiencies, or reproductive or nervous system difficulties, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Pentachlorophenol	μg/L	1	0.3	Discharge from wood preserving factories, cotton and other insecticidal/herbicidal uses	Some people who use water containing pentachlorophenol in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or kidney problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Picloram	μg/L	500	166	Herbicide runoff	Some people who drink water containing picloram in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Simazine	μg/L	4	4	Herbicide runoff	Some people who use water containing simazine in excess of the MCL over many years may experience blood problems.
Thiobencarb	μg/L	70	42	Runoff/leaching from herbicide used on rice	Some people who use water containing thiobencarb in excess of the MCL over many years may experience body weight and blood effects.
Toxaphene	μg/L	3	0.03	Runoff/leaching from insecticide used on cotton and cattle	Some people who use water containing toxaphene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience kidney, liver, or thyroid problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,2,3-Trichloropropane	ng/L	5	0.7	Discharge from industrial and agricultural chemical factories; leaching from hazardous waste sites; used as cleaning and maintenance solvent, paint and varnish remover, and cleaning and degreasing agent; byproduct during the production of other compounds and pesticides.	Some people who drink water containing 1,2,3-trichloropropane in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

# **Volatile Organic Contaminants**

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Benzene	μg/L	1	0.15	Discharge from plastics, dyes and nylon factories; leaching from gas storage tanks and landfills	Some people who use water containing benzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience anemia or a decrease in blood platelets, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Carbon tetrachloride	ng/L	500	100	Discharge from chemical plants and other industrial activities	Some people who use water containing carbon tetrachloride in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	μg/L	600	600	Discharge from industrial chemical factories	Some people who drink water containing 1,2-dichlorobenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, kidney, or circulatory system problems.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	μg/L	5	6	Discharge from industrial chemical factories	Some people who use water containing 1.4-dichlorobenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience anemia, liver, kidney, or spleen damage, or changes in their blood.
1,1-Dichloroethane	μg/L	5	3	Extraction and degreasing solvent; used in the manufacture of pharmaceuticals, stone, clay, and glass products; fumigant	Some people who use water containing 1,1-dichloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience nervous system or respiratory problems.
1,2-Dichloroethane	ng/L	500	400	Discharge from industrial chemical factories	Some people who use water containing 1,2- dichloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,1-Dichloroethylene	μg/L	6	10	Discharge from industrial chemical factories	Some people who use water containing 1,1-dichloroethylene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene	μg/L	6	100	Discharge from industrial chemical factories; major biodegradation byproduct of TCE and PCE groundwater contamination	Some people who use water containing cis-1,2-dichloroethylene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene	μg/L	10	60	Discharge from industrial chemical factories; minor biodegradation byproduct of TCE and PCE groundwater contamination	Some people who drink water containing trans-1,2-dichloroethylene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
Dichloromethane	μg/L	5	4	Discharge from pharmaceutical and chemical factories; insecticide	Some people who drink water containing dichloromethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,2-Dichloropropane	μg/L	5	0.5	Discharge from industrial chemical factories; primary component of some fumigants	Some people who use water containing 1,2-dichloropropane in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,3-Dichloropropene	ng/L	500	200	Runoff/leaching from nematocide used on croplands	Some people who use water containing 1,3-dichloropropene in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Ethylbenzene	μg/L	300	300	Discharge from petroleum refineries; industrial chemical factories	Some people who use water containing ethylbenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or kidney problems.
Methyl- <i>tert</i> -butyl ether	μg/L	13	13	Leaking underground storage tanks; discharges from petroleum and chemical factories	Some people who use water containing methyl- <i>tert</i> -butyl ether in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Monochlorobenzene	μg/L	70	70	Discharge from industrial and agricultural chemical factories and drycleaning facilities	Some people who use water containing monochlorobenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or kidney problems.
Styrene	μg/L	100	0.5	Discharge from rubber and plastic factories; leaching from landfills	Some people who drink water containing styrene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, kidney, or circulatory system problems.
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	μg/L	1	0.1	Discharge from industrial and agricultural chemical factories; solvent used in production of TCE, pesticides, varnish and lacquers	Some people who drink water containing 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver or nervous system problems.
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)	μg/L	5	0.06	Discharge from factories, dry cleaners, and auto shops (metal degreaser)	Some people who use water containing tetrachloroethylene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	μg/L	5	5	Discharge from textile-finishing factories	Some people who use water containing 1,2,4-trichlorobenzene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience adrenal gland changes.
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	μg/L	200	1000	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other factories; manufacture of food wrappings	Some people who use water containing 1,1,1-trichloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, nervous system, or circulatory system problems.
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	μg/L	5	0.3	Discharge from industrial chemical factories	Some people who use water containing 1,1,2-trichloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, kidney, or immune system problems.
Trichloroethylene (TCE)	µg/L	5	1.7	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other factories	Some people who use water containing trichloroethylene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Toluene	μg/L	150	150	Discharge from petroleum and chemical factories; underground gas tank leaks	Some people who use water containing toluene in excess of the MCL over many years may experience nervous system, kidney, or liver problems.
Trichlorofluoromethane	μg/L	150	1300	Discharge from industrial factories; degreasing solvent; propellant and refrigerant	Some people who use water containing trichlorofluoromethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.
1,1,2-Trichloro-1,2,2- trifluoroethane	mg/L	1.2	4	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other factories; drycleaning solvent; refrigerant	Some people who use water containing 1,1,2-trichloro-1,2,2-trifloroethane in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver problems.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG)	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Vinyl chloride	ng/L	500	50	Leaching from PVC piping; discharge from plastics factories; biodegradation byproduct of TCE and PCE groundwater contamination	Some people who use water containing vinyl chloride in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Xylenes	mg/L	1.750	1.8	Discharge from petroleum and chemical factories; fuel solvent	Some people who use water containing xylenes in excess of the MCL over many years may experience nervous system damage.

# Disinfection Byproducts, Disinfectant Residuals, and Disinfection Byproduct Precursors

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL [MRDL] TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
TTHMs (Total Trihalomethanes)	μg/L	80	N/A	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection	Some people who drink water containing trihalomethanes in excess of the MCL over many years may experience liver, kidney, or central nervous system problems, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
HAA5 (Sum of 5 Haloacetic Acids)	μg/L	60	N/A	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection	Some people who drink water containing haloacetic acids in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Bromate	μg/L	10	0.1	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection	Some people who drink water containing bromate in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.
Chloramines	mg/L	[MRDL = 4.0 (as Cl2)]	[MRDLG = 4 (as Cl2)]	Drinking water disinfectant added for treatment	Some people who use water containing chloramines well in excess of the MRDL could experience irritating effects to their eyes and nose. Some people who drink water containing chloramines well in excess of the MRDL could experience stomach discomfort or anemia.
Chlorine	mg/L	[MRDL = 4.0 (as Cl2)]	[MRDLG = 4 (as Cl <sub>2)</sub>	Drinking water disinfectant added for treatment	Some people who use water containing chlorine well in excess of the MRDL could experience irritating effects to their eyes and nose. Some people who drink water containing chlorine well in excess of the MRDL could experience stomach discomfort.

Contaminant	Unit Measure -ment	MCL [MRDL] TT, as noted	PHG (MCLG) [MRDLG]	Major Sources of Contamination	Health Effects Language
Chlorite	mg/L	1.0	0.05	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection	Some infants and young children who drink water containing chlorite in excess of the MCL could experience nervous system effects. Similar effects may occur in fetuses of pregnant women who drink water containing chlorite in excess of the MCL. Some people may experience anemia.
Chlorine Dioxide	μg/L	[MRDL = 800 (as CIO <sub>2</sub> )]	[MRDLG = 800 (as ClO <sub>2</sub> )]	Drinking water disinfectant added for treatment	Some infants and young children who drink water containing chlorine dioxide in excess of the MRDL could experience nervous system effects. Similar effects may occur in fetuses of pregnant women who drink water containing chlorine dioxide in excess of the MRDL. Some people may experience anemia.
Control of DBP precursors (TOC)		TT	N/A	Various natural and man-made sources	Total organic carbon (TOC) has no health effects. However, total organic carbon provides a medium for the formation of disinfection byproducts. These byproducts include trihalomethanes (THMs) and haloacetic acids (HAAs). Drinking water containing these byproducts in excess of the MCL may lead to adverse health effects, liver or kidney problems, or nervous system effects, and may lead to an increased risk of cancer.

# **APPENDIX B: Regulated Contaminants with Secondary Drinking Water Standards**

Monitoring Required by Section 64449, Chapter 15, Title 22, California Code of Regulations

Contaminant	Unit Measurement	MCL	Typical Source of Contaminant
Aluminum	μg/L	200	Erosion of natural deposits; residual from some surface water treatment processes
Color	Units	15	Naturally-occurring organic materials
Copper	mg/L	1.0	Internal corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Foaming Agents (MBAS)	μg/L	500	Municipal and industrial waste discharges
Iron	μg/L	300	Leaching from natural deposits; industrial wastes
Manganese	μg/L	50	Leaching from natural deposits
Methyl-tert-butyl ether (MTBE)	μg/L	5	Leaking underground storage tanks; discharge from petroleum and chemical factories
OdorThreshold	Units	3	Naturally-occurring organic materials
Silver	μg/L	100	Industrial discharges
Thiobencarb	μg/L	1	Runoff/leaching from rice herbicide
Turbidity	Units	5	Soil runoff
Zinc	mg/L	5.0	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; industrial wastes
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	mg/L	1,000	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits
Specific Conductance	μS/cm	1,600	Substances that form ions when in water; seawater influence
Chloride	mg/L	500	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; seawater influence
Sulfate	mg/L	500	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits; industrial wastes

There are no PHGs, MCLGs, or mandatory standard health effects language for these constituents because secondary MCLs are set on the basis of aesthetics.

# **APPENDIX C: Monitored Contaminants with No MCLs**

#### **Background**

The 1996 Amendments to the SDWA required the U.S. EPA to establish criteria for a monitoring program for unregulated contaminants, and to publish, once every five years, a list of no more than 30 contaminants to be monitored by public water systems (PWS).

Section 64450 of the California Code of Regulations also required certain water systems to monitor a number of unregulated contaminants, with contaminant lists that were published or revised in 1990, 1996, 2000, and 2003. This section of the California Code of Regulations was repealed effective October 18, 2007. Water systems that continued to monitor for state unregulated contaminants are encouraged, but not required, to include the information regarding detected contaminants in the CCR.

Although Section 64450 of the California Code of Regulations was repealed, the State Board may request water systems to monitor for specific contaminants per HSC section 116375(b).

#### Federal UCMR 1 (2001 – 2003 Monitoring)

The U.S. EPA published the first list of contaminants to monitor as part of the UCMR in September 1999. Contaminants were divided into two lists: Assessment Monitoring (List 1), and Screening Survey (List 2).

Assessment Monitoring of List 1 contaminants was conducted by large PWS serving more than 10,000 people and 800 representative small PWS serving 10,000 or fewer people. Assessment Monitoring was conducted by each PWS over a 12-month period between 2001 and 2003.

Screening Survey was conducted by a randomly selected set of 300 large and small PWSs for List 2 contaminants. Screening Survey for chemical contaminants was conducted in 2001 and 2002 for small and large PWS, respectively. Screening Survey for *Aeromonas* was conducted in 2003 for small and large PWS.

UCMR 1				
List 1 – Assessment Monitoring	List 2 – Screening Survey			
2,4-dinitrotoluene	1,2-diphenylhydrazine			
2,6-dinitrotoluene	2-methyl-phenol			
Acetochlor	2,4-dichlorophenol			
DCPA mono-acid degradate	2,4-dinitrophenol			
DCPA di-acid degradate	2,4,6-trichlorophenol			
4,4'-DDE	Aeromonas			
EPTC	Alachlor ESA			
Molinate	Diazinon			
MTBE	Disulfoton			

Nitrobenzene	Diuron	
Perchlorate	Fonofos	
Terbacil	Linuron	
	Nitrobenzene	
	Prometon	
	Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1-3-5-triazine [RDX]	
	Terbufos	

#### Federal UCMR 2 (2008 – 2010 Monitoring)

The U.S. EPA published the second list of contaminants to monitor as part of the UCMR in January 2007.

Assessment Monitoring was required of all PWS serving more than 10,000 people and 800 representative PWS serving 10,000 or fewer people for List 1 contaminants. Assessment Monitoring was required of each PWS during a 12-month period from January 2008 to December 2010.

Screening Survey was required of all PWS serving more than 100,000 people, 320 representative PWS serving 10,001 to 100,000 people, and 480 representative PWS serving 10,000 or fewer people for List 2 contaminants. Screening Survey was required of each PWS during a 12-month period from January 2008 to December 2010.

UCMR 2				
List 1 – Assessment Monitoring	List 2 – Screening Survey			
Dimethoate	Acetochlor ethane sulfonic acid			
Terbufos sulfone	Acetochlor oxanilic acid			
2,2',4,4'-tetrabromodiphenyl ether	Alachlor ethane sulfonic acid			
2,2',4,4',5-pentabromodiphenyl ether	Alachlor oxanilic acid			
2,2',4,4',5,5'-hexabromobiphenyl	Metolachlor ethane sulfonic acid			
2,2',4,4',5,5'-hexabromodiphenyl ether	Metolachlor oxanilic acid			
2,2',4,4',6-pentabromodiphenyl ether				
1,3-dinitrobenzene	Acetochlor			
2,4,6-trinitrotoluene (TNT)	Alachlor			
Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-trazine (RDX)	Metolachlor			
	N-nitrosodiethylamine (NDEA)			
	N-nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)			
	N-nitroso-di-n-butylamine (NDBA)			
	N-nitroso-di-n-propylamine (NDPA)			
	N-nitrosomethylethylamine (NMEA)			
	N-nitrosopyrrolidine (NPYR)			

# Federal UCMR 3 (2013 – 2015 Monitoring)

#### The third UCMR list of contaminants was published in May 2012.

Assessment Monitoring (List 1 Contaminants) was required of all PWS serving more than 10,000 people and 800 representative PWS serving 10,000 or fewer people. Assessment Monitoring was required of each PWS during a 12-month period from January 2013 to December 2015.

Screening Survey (List 2 Contaminants) was required of all PWS serving more than 100,000 people, 320 representative PWS serving 10,001 to 100,000 people, and 480 representative PWS serving 10,000 or fewer people. Screening Survey was required of each PWS during a 12-month period from January 2013 to December 2015.

Pre-screen Testing (List 3 Contaminants) was required from a selection of 800 representative PWS serving 1,000 or fewer people that do not disinfect. These PWS were selected because they have groundwater wells that were located in areas of karst or fractured bedrock. Monitored lasted 12 months between January 2013 and December 2015.

#### UCMR 3

#### **List 1 – Assessment Monitoring**

1,2,3-trichloropropane

1,3-butadiene

Chloromethane (methyl chloride)

1,2-dichloroethane

Bromomethane (methyl bromide)

Chlorodifluoromethane (HCFC-22)

Bromochloromethane (halon 1011)

1.4-dioxane

Vanadium

Molybdenum

Cobalt

Strontium

Chromium (total)

Chromium-6

Chlorate

Perfluorooctanesulfonate acid (PFOS)

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)

Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)

Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)

Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)

#### **List 2 – Screening Survey**

17-β-estradiol

17-α-ethynylestradiol (ethinyl estradiol)

16-α-hydroxyestradiol (estriol)

Equilin

Estrone

Testosterone

4-anderostene-3,17-dione

#### **List 3 – Pre-Screen Testing**

Enteroviruses

Noroviruses

# Federal UCMR 4 (2018 – 2020 Monitoring)

The fourth list of contaminants to monitor as part of the UCMR was published by the U.S. EPA in December 2016.

PWSs are required to monitor for 10 cyanotoxins at the entry point to the distribution system during a 4-consecutive month period from March 2018 through November 2020, according to the table below. PWSs are also required to monitor for 20 additional chemical contaminants and indicators during a 12-month period from January 2018 through December 2020. The sampling site for these additional chemicals is the entry point to the distribution system, except for HAAs that need to be monitored at the Stage 2 D/DBPR sampling sites. The two indicators, *i.e.*, TOC and bromide, need to be monitored at source water intakes.

System Size (Population Served)	10 Cyanotoxins	20 Chemicals
Small Systems (25 – 10,000)	800 randomly selected surface water or ground water under the direct influence of surface water (GWUDI) systems	A different group of 800 randomly selected surface water systems, GWUDI and groundwater systems
Large Systems (10,001 or more)	All surface water and GWUDI systems	All surface water, groundwater and GWUDI systems

The 10 cyanotoxins and 20 additional chemical contaminants and indicators are listed in the table below.

UCMR 4					
Cyanotoxins	<b>Minimum Reporting Level</b>				
Total Microcystin	0.3 μg/L				
Microcystin-LA	$0.008  \mu \text{g/L}$				
Microcystin-LF	$0.006  \mu \text{g/L}$				
Microcystin-LR	$0.02 \mu\text{g/L}$				
Microcystin-LY	$0.009 \mu\mathrm{g/L}$				
Microcystin-RR	$0.006 \mu\mathrm{g/L}$				
Microcystin-YR	$0.02 \mu g/L$				
Nodularin Nodularin	$0.005 \mu\mathrm{g/L}$				
Anatoxin-a	$0.03 \mu \text{g/L}$				
Cylindrospermopsin	<mark>0.09 μg/L</mark>				
<b>Additional Chemicals</b>	<b>Minimum Reporting Level</b>				
Germanium	0.3 μg/L				
Manganese	0.4 μg/L				
Alpha-hexachlorocyclohexane	0.01 μg/L				
Chlorpyrifos	$0.03 \mu \text{g/L}$				
Dimethipin	$0.2 \mu\text{g/L}$				
Ethoprop	$0.03 \mu\text{g/L}$				
Oxyfluorfen	$0.05 \mu\text{g/L}$				
Profenofos	$0.3 \mu\text{g/L}$				

Tebuconazole Total Permethrin (cis- & trans-) Tribufos	0.2 μg/L 0.04 μg/L 0.07 μg/L
HAA5 HAA6Br <sup>1</sup> HAA9 <sup>2</sup>	N/A N/A N/A
1-butanol 2-methoxyethanol 2-propen-1-ol	2.0 μg/L 0.4 μg/L 0.5 μg/L
butylated hydroxyanisole o-toluidine quinoline	0.03 μg/L 0.007 μg/L 0.02 μg/L
Total Organic Carbon (TOC) Bromide	N/A N/A

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> HAA6Br: Bromochloroacetic acid, bromodichloroacetic acid, dibromoacetic acid, dibromochloroacetic acid, monobromoacetic acid, and tribromoacetic acid.

# **Reporting**

U.S. EPA is essentially silent on the issue of reporting federal UCMR contaminants beyond the previous calendar year's detections, other than to say it is not required and that data older than five years need not be reported. As a result, the State Board recommends systems to report data for five years from the date of the last sampling.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> HAA9: Bromochloroacetic acid, bromodichloroacetic acid, chlorodibromoacetic acid, dibromoacetic acid, dichloroacetic acid, monobromoacetic acid, monochloroacetic acid, tribromoacetic acid, and trichloroacetic acid.

# **APPENDIX D: State Contaminants with Notification Levels**

Inclusion of the Notification Level (NL) and health effects language for contaminant concentrations detected above the NL is recommended, but not required.

Chemical	Notification Level	Health Effects Language (Optional)			
Boron	1 mg/L	Boron exposures resulted in decreased fetal weight (developmental effects) in newborn rats.			
n-Butylbenzene	260 μg/L	Exposures to cumene (isopropylbenzene), a surrogate			
sec-Butylbenzene	260 μg/L	for n-, sec-, and tert-butylbenzene, resulted in increased			
tert-Butylbenzene	260 μg/L	kidney weight in rats.			
Carbon Disulfide	160 μg/L	Carbon disulfide exposures resulted in decreased motor conduction velocity in people.			
Chlorate	800 μg/L	Animal studies demonstrated that chlorate exposure in rats caused adverse effects to the pituitary and thyroid glands.			
2-Chlorotoluene	140 μg/L	2-Chlorotoluene exposures resulted in decrease in body			
4-Chlorotoluene	140 μg/L	weight gain in rats. 4-Chlorotoluene is expected to have health effects similar to those of 2-chlorotoluene.			
Diazinon	1.2 μg/L	Diazinon exposures may result in neurotoxic effects.			
Dichlodifluoromethane [Freon 12]	1 mg/L	Dichlorodifluoromethane exposures resulted in reduced body weight in rats.			
1,4-Dioxane	1 μg/L	1,4-Dioxane exposures resulted in cancer, based on studies in laboratory animals.			
Ethylene Glycol	14 mg/L	Ethylene glycol exposures resulted in kidney toxicity in rats.			
Formaldehyde	100 μg/L	Formaldehyde exposures resulted in reduced weight gain and histopathology in rats.			
Octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine [HMX]	350 μg/L	Octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine exposures resulted in liver lesions in rats.			
Isopropylbenzene	770 µg/L	Isopropylbenzene exposures resulted in increased kidney weight in rats.			
Manganese	500 μg/L	Manganese exposures resulted in neurological effects. High levels of manganese in people have been shown to result in adverse effects to the nervous system.			
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone [MIBK]	120 μg/L	Methyl isobutyl ketone exposures resulted in increased kidney and liver weight, and kidney pathology in rats.			
Naphthalene	17 μg/L	Naphthalene exposures resulted in decreased body weight in rats.			

Chemical	Notification Level	Health Effects Language (Optional)
N-Nitrosodiethylamine [NDEA]	10 ng/L	N-nitrosodiethylamine exposures resulted in cancer in a variety of laboratory animals.
N-Nitrosodimethylamine [NDMA]	10 ng/L	N-nitrosodimethylamine exposures resulted in cancer in a variety of laboratory animals.
N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine [NDPA]	10 ng/L	N-nitrosodi-n-propylamine exposures resulted in cancer in a variety of laboratory animals.
Perfluorooctanoic Acid [PFOA]	14 ng/L	Perfluorooctanoic acid exposures resulted in increased liver weight in laboratory animals.
Perfluorooctanesulfonic Acid [PFOS]	13 ng/L	Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid exposures resulted in immune suppression, specifically, a decrease in antibody response to an exogenous antigen challenge.
Propachlor	90 μg/L	Propachlor exposures resulted in decrease in weight gain, decrease in food intake, and relative liver weight increase in rats.
n-Propylbenzene	260 μg/L	Exposures to cumene (isopropylene), a surrogate for n-propylbenzene, resulted in increased kidney weight in rats.
Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1-3-5-triazine [RDX]	300 ng/L	Hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1-3-5-triazine exposures resulted in liver carcinomas and adenomas in female mice.
Tertiary Butyl Alcohol [TBA]	12 μg/L	Tert-butyl alcohol exposures resulted in cancer in laboratory animals.
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	330 µg/L	1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene exposures resulted in increased serum phosphorus levels in rats.
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene	330 μg/L	1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene exposures resulted in increased serum phosphorus levels in rats.
2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene [TNT]	1 μg/L	2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene exposures resulted in urinary bladder transitional cell papillomas and squamous cell carcinomas in female rats.
Vanadium	50 μg/L	Vanadium exposures resulted in developmental and reproductive effects in rats.

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