

Risk Evaluation Equations and Calculations

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A Human Health Risk Assessment Equations

The following equations calculate screening values for the defined media, pathway, and receptor at a cancer risk level of 1E-06 and hazard quotient = 0.2. The equations were obtained from the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Regional Screening Levels (RSL) website and modified for DEQ purposes when necessary. The screening values are used in Tier 1 of the DEQ risk evaluation process. For Tier 2 risk evaluations, the equation used to derive risk from the screening values and contaminant concentrations is provided at the end of each section.

A.1 SOIL INGESTION PATHWAY

A.1.a. Non-Residential Worker Soil Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{w\text{-soil-nc-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{ow} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{ow} (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{ow} (80 \text{ Kg})}{EF_{iw} \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{ow} (25 \text{ years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)} \times IR_{ow} \left(100 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{w\text{-soil-nc-ing}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker soil ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IR = Ingestion rate = 100 mg/day = EPA Default

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{w\text{-soil-ca-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{ow} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{ow} (80 \text{ Kg})}{EF_{iw} \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{ow} (25 \text{ years}) \times CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IR_{ow} \left(100 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{w\text{-soil-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker soil ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IR = Ingestion rate = 100 mg/day = EPA default

A.1.b. Resident Soil Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Resident Soil Ingestion

Child

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-ing-c}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_c \text{ (6 years)} \right) \times BW_c \text{ (15 Kg)}}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_c \text{ (6 year)} \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)} \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-ing-a}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_r \text{ (26 years)} \right) \times BW_a \text{ (80 Kg)}}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r \text{ (26 year)} \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)} \times IRS_a \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of body weight (BW), exposure duration (ED), and ingestion rate of soil (IRS). The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-ing-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential child soil ingestion

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-ing-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential adult soil ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 26 years (6 years child + 20 years adult) = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day child and 100 mg/day adult = EPA default

Carcinogenic Resident Soil Ingestion

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations and a discussion of how the alternative equations differ from the standard equation.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFS_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{36750 \text{ mg}}{\text{Kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFS_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{36750 \text{ mg}}{\text{Kg}} \right) = \frac{EF_{\text{ressc}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_c (6 \text{ years}) \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_c (15 \text{ Kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{ressa}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r - ED_c (20 \text{ years}) \times IRS_a \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_a (80 \text{ Kg})}$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in $(\text{mg/kg-day})^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IFS_{adj} = Age adjusted soil ingestion rate = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year (same for child and adult) = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day child and 100 mg/day adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFSM_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{166833.33 \text{ mg}}{\text{Kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFSM_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{166833.33 \text{ mg}}{\text{Kg}} \right) = \frac{EF_{\text{ressc } 0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{yr}) \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_c (15 \text{ Kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{ressc } 2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{yr}) \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_c (15 \text{ Kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{ressa } 6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{yr}) \times IRS_a \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_a (80 \text{ Kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{ressa } 16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{yr}) \times IRS_a \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_a (80 \text{ Kg})}$$

For mutagenic compounds where chemical-specific data are not available to directly assess carcinogenic risk during childhood versus adulthood, a default mutagenic equation is used. The mutagenic equation adds an age-dependent adjustment factor (ADAF) to account for increased childhood risk for mutagenic compounds. The adjustment factor is 10-fold for the 0 to 2-year age range, three-fold for the 2 to 6-year age range, three-fold for the 6 to 16-year age range, and there is no adjustment (i.e. one-fold) for the 16 to 26-year age range. The remaining portions of the equation are similar to the standard carcinogenic equation.

$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion for mutagenic compounds

$IFSM_{\text{adj}}$ = Resident mutagenic soil ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFS_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{36750 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}{AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} + \frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{Kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}{BW_c (15 \text{ kg})} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFS_{\text{adj}} \left(\frac{36750 \text{ mg}}{\text{Kg}} \right) = \frac{EF_{\text{ressc}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_c (6 \text{ years}) \times IRS_c \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_c (15 \text{ Kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{ressa}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r - ED_c (20 \text{ years}) \times IRS_a \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_a (80 \text{ Kg})}$$

Vinyl chloride is a mutagenic compound with sufficient chemical-specific data to directly evaluate carcinogenic exposure through a mutagenic mode of action, in contrast to compounds with insufficient chemical-specific data which are assessed using the default mutagenic equation. Therefore, vinyl chloride has a unique set of equations for residential carcinogenic risk.

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion for vinyl chloride
 Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-tce-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times IFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{37,650 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times IFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{166,833 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$IFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{36,750 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{(ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$IFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{166,833 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{0-2} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{2-6} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{6-16} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{16-26} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For TCE, EPA recommends that kidney risk be assessed using a mutagenic equation and that liver and non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL) risk be assessed using the standard cancer equations. EPA has developed adjustment factors that account for the different toxicity factors. The liver and NHL risks are evaluated using the standard cancer equations and a cancer adjustment factor (CAF). The kidney risk is evaluated using the mutagenic cancer equations and a mutagenic adjustment factor (MAF).

$SL_{\text{res-soil-tce-ing}}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion for TCE

$IFSM_{\text{adj}}$ = Resident mutagenic soil ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion.

A.1.c. Construction Worker Soil Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Construction Worker Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{cw-soil-nc-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times \frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \right) \times BW_{\text{cw}} (80 \text{ Kg})}{EF_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{\text{cw}} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)} \times IR_{\text{cw}} \left(330 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ Kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{cw-soil-nc-ing}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic construction worker soil ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = EW x 7 days/week x ED = See EW and ED values below

EW = Weeks worked = 50 weeks/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = EW (weeks worked) of 50 weeks/year x DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = 250 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Subchronic oral reference dose = Contaminant Specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IR = Ingestion rate = 330 mg/day = EPA default

Carcinogenic Construction Worker Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{cw-soil-ca-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{cw}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{cw}} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{\text{cw}} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \times CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IR_{\text{cw}} \left(330 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{cw-soil-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic construction worker soil ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = EW (weeks worked) of 50 weeks/year x DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = 250 days/year

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant Specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IR = Ingestion rate = 330 mg/day = EPA default

A.1.d. User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Soil Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Recreator Soil Ingestion

Child

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-ing-c}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)} \times IRS_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-ing-a}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)} \times IRS_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of body weight (BW), exposure duration (ED), and ingestion rate of soil (IRS). The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-ing-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator (child) soil ingestion

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-ing-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator adult soil ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight recreator = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 90 days/year = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 195 days/year = NC DEQ default = 5 days/week, 9 months/year

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day child and 100 mg/day adult = EPA default

Non-Carcinogenic Trespasser Soil Ingestion

Adolescent

$$SL_{\text{tres-soil-nc-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{tres}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{tres}} (45 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{tres}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)} \times IRS_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10^{-6} \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{mg}}}$$

$SL_{\text{tres-soil-nc-ing}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic adolescent trespasser soil ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = EPA default

BW = Body weight trespasser = 45 kilograms adolescent = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = NC DEQ default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day adolescent = NC DEQ default

Carcinogenic Recreator and Trespasser Soil Ingestion

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IFS_{adj} = Age adjusted soil ingestion rate = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

Use child and adult inputs for recreator scenario, adolescent inputs only for trespasser scenario

EF = Exposure frequency = 195 days/year for recreators (child and adult) = NC DEQ default

EF = Exposure frequency = 90 days/year for trespassers (adolescent) = NC DEQ default

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years (adolescent) = EPA default

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day child and 100 mg/day adult = EPA default

IRS = Ingestion rate = 200 mg/day adolescent = NC DEQ default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 45 kilograms adolescent trespasser = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-mu-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{0-2} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{2-6} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{6-16} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{16-26} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For mutagenic compounds where chemical-specific data are not available to directly assess carcinogenic risk during childhood versus adulthood, a default mutagenic equation is used. The mutagenic equation adds an age-dependent adjustment factor (ADAF) to account for increased childhood risk for mutagenic compounds. The adjustment factor is 10-fold for the 0 to 2-year age range, three-fold for the 2 to 6-year age range, three-fold for the 6 to 16-year age range, and there is no adjustment (i.e. one-fold) for the 16 to 26-year age range. The remaining portions of the equation are similar to the standard carcinogenic equation.

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-mu-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion for mutagenic compounds

$IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Recreator mutagenic soil ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator soil ingestion as defined above.

Trespasser inputs only (ED = 10 years, EF = 90 days/year, IRS = 200 mg/day, and BW = 45 kg) are used in the 6-16 year portion of the IFSM calculation when calculating risks under the trespasser scenario.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-vc-ing}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}{AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} + \frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IRS_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} \right)}$$

Vinyl chloride is a mutagenic compound with sufficient chemical-specific data to directly evaluate carcinogenic exposure through a mutagenic mode of action, in contrast to compounds with insufficient chemical-specific data which are assessed using the default mutagenic equation. Therefore, vinyl chloride has a unique set of equations for residential carcinogenic risk.

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-vc-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion for vinyl chloride

Recreator: $IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} = IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ (equation above) for the sum of ED_{6-16} and $ED_{16-26} = 9,751$ mg/kg

Trespasser: $IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} = IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ (equation above) for the $ED_{6-16} = 4,000$ mg/kg, child portion = 0

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-tce-ing}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$IFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{(ED_{\text{rec}} (\text{years}) - ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years})) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{0-2} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{2-6} \left(\frac{200 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{6-16} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRS_{16-26} \left(\frac{100 \text{ mg}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For TCE, EPA recommends that kidney risk be assessed using a mutagenic equation and that liver and non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL) risk be assessed using the standard cancer equations. EPA has developed adjustment factors that account for the different toxicity factors. The liver and NHL risks are evaluated using the standard cancer equations and a cancer adjustment factor (CAF). The kidney risk is evaluated using the mutagenic cancer equations and a mutagenic adjustment factor (MAF).

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-tce-ing}}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion for TCE

$IFSM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic soil ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil ingestion

A.2. DERMAL CONTACT WITH SOIL PATHWAY

A.2.a. Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{w\text{-soil-nc-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_w (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_w \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_w \left(\frac{3527 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_w \left(\frac{0.12 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{w\text{-soil-nc-der}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker soil dermal contact

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

RfD_o = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

SA = Worker surface area = 3,527 cm² = EPA default

AF = Soil Adherence Factor = 0.12 mg/cm² = EPA default

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{ow\text{-soil-nc-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{ow-a} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{ow} (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{ow} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{ow} \left(225 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{ow} (25 \text{ years}) \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{ow} \left(\frac{3527 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{ow} \left(\frac{0.12 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

$SL_{ow\text{-soil-ca-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker soil dermal contact

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-6

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 225 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

SA = Worker surface area = 3,527 cm² = EPA default

AF = Soil Adherence Factor = 0.12 mg/cm² = EPA default

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

A.2.b. Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

Child

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-der-c}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-der-a}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of BW, ED, and IRS. The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DSCA risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

SL_{res-soil-nc-der-c} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential child soil dermal contact

SL_{res-soil-nc-der-a} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential adult soil dermal contact

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 26 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

SA = Skin surface area = 2,373 cm²/day child and 6,032 cm²/day adult = EPA default

AF = Adherence factor = 0.2 mg/cm² child and 0.07 mg/cm² adult = EPA default

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic residential soil dermal contact

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1E-6$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in $(\text{mg/kg-day})^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

DFS = Age adjusted dermal contact factor = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year (same for child and adult) = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

SA = Skin surface area = 2,373 cm²/day child and 6,032 cm²/day adult = EPA default

AF = Adherence factor = 0.2 mg/cm² child and 0.07 mg/cm² adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{428,260 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{428,260 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times AF_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{0-2} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times AF_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{2-6} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times AF_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{6-16} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times AF_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{16-26} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic residential soil dermal contact for mutagenic compounds

$DFSM_{\text{adj}}$ = Resident mutagenic soil dermal contact factor – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil dermal contact.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{TR}{AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} \right) + \left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil dermal contact for vinyl chloride
Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil dermal contact.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-tce-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times DFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{428,260 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$DFS_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{103,390 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{(ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$DFSM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{428,260 \text{ mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{0-2} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{2-6} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{6-16} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{16-26} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

PRG_{res-soil-tce-der} = Preliminary remediation goal (i.e. screening level) for carcinogenic resident soil dermal contact for TCE

DFSM_{adj} = Resident mutagenic soil dermal contact factor – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil ingestion.

A.2.c. Construction Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Construction Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{cw-soil-nc-der} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{cw-a} \left(EW_{cw} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times \frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \times ED_{cw} (1 \text{ year}) \right) \times BW_{cw} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{cw} \left(EW_{cw} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{cw} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{cw} (1 \text{ year}) \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{cw} \left(\frac{3527 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{cw} \left(\frac{0.3 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

SL_{cw-soil-nc-der} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic construction worker soil dermal contact

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = EW x 7 days/week x ED = See EW and ED values below

EW = Weeks worked = 50 weeks/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = EW (weeks worked) of 50 weeks/year x DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = 250 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Subchronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

SA = Worker surface area = 3,527 cm² = EPA default

AF = Soil Adherence Factor = 0.3 mg/cm² = EPA default

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Construction Worker Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{cw-soil-ca-der} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{TR \times AT_{cw} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{cw} (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_{cw} \left(EW_{cw} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{cw} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{cw} (1 \text{ year}) \times \left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times SA_{cw} \left(\frac{3527 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{cw} \left(\frac{0.3 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right)}$$

SL_{cw-soil-ca-der} = Screening level for carcinogenic construction worker soil dermal contact

TR = Target risk = 1E-06
 AT = 365 days/year = EPA default
 LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default
 BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default
 EF = EW (weeks worked) of 50 weeks/year x DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = 250 days/year = EPA default
 ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default
 CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant Specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 SA = Worker surface area = 3,527 cm² = EPA default
 AF = Soil Adherence Factor = 0.3 mg/cm² = EPA default
 ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

A.2d. User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Dermal Contact with Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Recreator Dermal Contact with Soil

Child

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-der-c}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res-c}} \text{ (6 years)} \right) \times BW_{\text{res-c}} \text{ (15 kg)}}{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} \text{ (6 years)} \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-der-a}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res}} \text{ (26 years)} \right) \times BW_{\text{res-a}} \text{ (80 kg)}}{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} \text{ (26 years)} \times \left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of BW, ED, and SA. The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

SL_{res-soil-nc-der-c} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator child dermal contact with soil

SL_{res-soil-nc-der-a} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator adult dermal contact with soil

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration 6 years child and 26 years adult = EPA default
 BW = Body weight recreator = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default
 EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 90 days/year = EPA default
 RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 SA = Skin surface area recreator = 2,373 cm²/day child and 6,032 cm²/day adult = EPA default
 AF = Adherence factor recreator = 0.2 mg/cm² child and 0.07 mg/cm² adult = EPA default
 ABSd = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Non-Carcinogenic Trespasser Dermal Contact with Soil

Adolescent

$$SL_{\text{tres-soil-nc-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{tres}} (10 \text{ year}) \right) \times BW_{\text{tres}} (45 \text{ kg})}{EF_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{90 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{tres}} (10 \text{ years}) \times \frac{1}{\left(RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS \right)} \times SA_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{tres}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}}}$$

SL_{tres-soil-nc-ing} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic trespasser adolescent dermal contact with soil

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2
 AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default
 ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = EPA default
 BW = Body weight trespasser = 45 kilograms adolescent = EPA default
 EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = NC DEQ default
 RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 SA = Skin surface area trespasser = 6,032 cm²/day adolescent = EPA default
 AF = Adherence factor trespasser = 0.2 mg/cm² adolescent = EPA default
 ABSd = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Recreator Dermal Contact with Soil

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1 \text{E-}6$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in $(\text{mg/kg-day})^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

DFS = Age adjusted dermal contact factor = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

ABS_d = Dermal absorption fraction = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = EPA Region 4 guidance

EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 195 days/year = NC DEQ default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = EPA Region 4 guidance

SA = Skin surface area recreator = 2,373 cm²/day child and 6,032 cm²/day adult = EPA default

SA = Skin surface area trespasser = 6,032 cm²/day adolescent = EPA default for adult used for adolescent

AF = Adherence factor recreator = 0.2 mg/cm² child and 0.07 mg/cm² adult = EPA default

AF = Adherence factor trespasser = 0.2 mg/cm² = EPA default for child used for adolescent

BW = Body weight recreator = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight trespasser = 45 kilograms adolescent = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-mu-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{\text{mg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFSM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{0-2} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{2-6} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{6-16} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times AF_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times SA_{16-26} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact for mutagenic compounds

$DFSM_{\text{adj}}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic soil dermal contact factor – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-vc-der}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times DFS_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times ABS_d \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right) + \frac{AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{\text{day}} \right) \times AF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{\text{cm}^2} \right) \times ABS \times \frac{10^{-6} \text{ kg}}{1 \text{ mg}} \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})}}$$

$SL_{res-soil-ca-vc-der}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Dermal Contact with Soil

$$SL_{rec-soil-tce-der} \left(\frac{mg}{kg} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{rec} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{mg}{kg \cdot day} \right)^{-1}}{GI/ABS} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-6} kg}{mg} \right) \times \left(\left(CAF_0 (0.804) \times DFS_{rec-adj} \left(\frac{mg}{kg} \right) \times ABS_d \right) + \left(MAF_0 (0.202) \times DFSM_{rec-adj} \left(\frac{mg}{kg} \right) \times ABS_d \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$DFS_{rec-adj} \left(\frac{mg}{kg} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ED_{rec-c} \text{ (years)} \times EF_{rec-c} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times SA_{rec-c} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times AF_{rec-c} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right)}{BW_{rec-c} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(ED_{rec} \text{ (years)} - ED_{rec-c} \text{ (years)} \right) \times EF_{rec-a} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times SA_{rec-a} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times AF_{rec-a} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right)}{BW_{rec-a} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFSM_{rec-adj} \left(\frac{mg}{kg} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ED_{0-2} \text{ (years)} \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times AF_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right) \times SA_{0-2} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} \text{ (years)} \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times AF_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.2 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right) \times SA_{2-6} \left(\frac{2373 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} \text{ (years)} \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times AF_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right) \times SA_{6-16} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} \text{ (years)} \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{days}{year} \right) \times AF_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.07 \text{ mg}}{cm^2} \right) \times SA_{16-26} \left(\frac{6032 \text{ cm}^2}{day} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)}$$

$SL_{res-soil-tce-der}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal contact for TCE

$DFSM_{rec-adj}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic soil dermal contact factor – age-adjusted =

Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg

CAF_0 = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_0 = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil dermal.

A.3 OUTDOOR INHALATION OF VOLATILES AND PARTICULATES FROM SOIL

A.3.a. Non-Residential Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{w-soil-nc-inh} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{ow} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{ow} \text{ (25 years)} \right)}{EF_{iw} \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{ow} \text{ (25 years)} \times ET_{ws} \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

$SL_{w-soil-nc-inh}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker soil inhalation

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = $5.93\text{E}+10 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{w-soil-ca-inh} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{TR \times AT_{ow} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT \text{ (70 years)} \right)}{EF_{iw} \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{ow} \text{ (25 years)} \times ET_{ws} \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

$SL_{w-soil-ca-inh}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker soil inhalation

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E}-6$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation risk = Compound specific in $(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox

database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = $5.93\text{E}+10 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

A.3.b. Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Child

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-c}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_c (6 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_c (6 \text{ year}) \times ET_{rs} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{Kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{Kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-a}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r (26 \text{ year}) \times ET_{rs} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{Kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{Kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

Note: Child and adult formulas are the same with exception of ED. The ED values cancel out, so the results are the same regardless of which formula is used.

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential child soil inhalation

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential adult soil inhalation

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child + 20 years adult = 26 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = $5.93\text{E}+10 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

Carcinogenic Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right) + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)}} \right) \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{rs} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-6

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation risk = Compound specific in $(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = $5.93\text{E}+10 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

ED = Exposure duration = 26 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right) + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left[\begin{aligned} & \left(ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times 10 \right) + \\ & \left(ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times 3 \right) + \\ & \left(ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times 3 \right) + \\ & \left(ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times 1 \right) \end{aligned} \right]}$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-mu-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation for mutagenic compounds.

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{rs}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \times VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) + \left(\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1}}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-ca-vc-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation for vinyl chloride.

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{res-soil-tce-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left(\left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 10 \right) + \left(\frac{ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(\frac{ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(\frac{ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 1 \right)}{ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right)} \right) \times CAF_i (0.756) \times EF_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{res-soil-tce-inh}}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation for TCE

CAF_i = Cancer adjustment factor inhalation = 0.756 = EPA default

MAF_i = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.244 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident soil inhalation.

A.3.c. Construction Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Construction Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{cw-soil-nc-inh}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times \frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \right)}{EF_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{\text{cw}} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \times ET_{\text{ws}} \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_{\text{sc}} \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF'_{\text{sc}} \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{cw-soil-nc-inh}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic construction worker soil inhalation

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = EW x ED = See below

EW = Weeks worked = 50 weeks/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

EF = EW x DW = See below

DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = EPA Default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Subchronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = See supplemental information in Appendix C.

Carcinogenic Construction Worker Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{cw-soil-ca-inh}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times \frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_{\text{cw}} \left(EW_{\text{cw}} \frac{50 \text{ weeks}}{\text{year}} \times DW_{\text{cw}} \frac{5 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times ED_{\text{cw}} (1 \text{ year}) \times ET_{\text{ws}} \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_{\text{sc}} \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF'_{\text{sc}} \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{cw-soil-ca-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic construction worker soil inhalation

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = EW x ED = See below

EW = Weeks worked = 50 weeks/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = EW x DW = See below

DW (days worked) of 5 days/week = EPA Default

IUR = Subchronic inhalation risk = Compound specific in $(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for

non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = See supplemental information in Appendix C.

A.3.d. User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Non-Carcinogenic Recreator/Trespasser Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Child

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-inh-c}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} \text{ (years)} \right)}{EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} \text{ (years)} \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-nc-inh-a}} \text{ (mg/kg)} = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} \text{ (years)} \right)}{EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} \text{ (years)} \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)}$$

Note: Child, and adult formulas are the same with exception of ED. The ED values cancel out, so the results are the same regardless of which formula is used.

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator (child) soil inhalation

$SL_{\text{res-soil-nc-inh-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator (adult) or trespasser (adolescent) soil inhalation

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child, 20 years adult = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = EPA Region 4 guidance

EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 195 days/year = NC DEQ default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = EPA Region 4 guidance

ET = Exposure time recreator = 2 hours/day = EPA default

ET = Exposure time trespasser = 2 hours/day = NC DEQ default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = 5.93E+10 m³/kg. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

Carcinogenic Recreator/Trespasser Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times EF_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec}} (\text{years}) \times ET_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-6

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation risk = Compound specific in (μg/m³)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 195 days/year = NC DEQ default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = EPA Region 4 guidance

VF = Volatilization factor = See supplemental equation in Section A.3.e. (VF is not applied for non-volatile compounds)

PEF = Particulate emission factor = 5.93E+10 m³/kg. See supplemental equation in Section A.3.f.

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child, 20 years adult = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = EPA Region 4 guidance

ET = Exposure time recreator = 2 hours/day = EPA default

ET = Exposure time trespasser = 2 hours/day = NC DEQ default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-mu-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\begin{aligned} &\left(ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times 10 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times 1 \right) \end{aligned} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-mu-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation for mutagenic compounds

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-vc-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times EF_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec}} (\text{years}) \times ET_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) + \left(\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1}}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-ca-vc-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Inhalation of Volatiles and Particulates from Soil

$$SL_{\text{rec-soil-tce-inh}} (\text{mg/kg}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1}{VF_s \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} + \frac{1}{PEF_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left(\left(CAF_i (0.756) \times EF_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(ED_{\text{rec}} (\text{years}) \times ET_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \right) \right) + \left(\left(ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 10 \right) + \left(ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 1 \right) \right) \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{rec-soil-tce-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation for TCE

CAF_i = Cancer adjustment factor inhalation = 0.756 = EPA default

MAF_i = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.244 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser soil inhalation.

A.3.e. Supplemental Volatilization Factor (VF) Equation for Outdoor Inhalation of Volatiles from Soil

Non-Residential Worker, Residential, Recreational User, and Trespasser VF Equations

The risk calculator calculates volatilization factors via two equations, (1) unlimited source model for chronic exposure and (2) mass limit model for chronic exposure. The risk calculator then selects the equation that provides the higher soil screening level (i.e. lower groundwater screening level) for subsequent modeling calculations.

mass limit model for chronic exposure

$$VF_s \left(\frac{m^3_{\text{air}}}{kg_{\text{soil}}} \right) = \frac{Q}{C_{\text{vol}}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) \times \frac{\left[T(\text{year}) \times \left(3.15 \times 10^7 \left(\frac{s}{\text{year}} \right) \right) \right]}{\rho_b \left(\frac{Mg}{m^3} \right) \times d_s (m) \times 10^6 \left(\frac{g}{Mg} \right)}$$

$$\text{where: } \frac{Q}{C_{\text{vol}}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) = A \times \exp \left[\frac{(\ln A_s (\text{acre}) - B)^2}{C} \right]$$

VF = Volatilization factor = 3,142.13 m³/kg

Q/C_{vol} = Calculated with secondary equation in [(g/m²-s)/(kg/m³)]

T = Exposure interval = 26 years (Note this value was confirmed with EPA via email; however, note that EPA indicated they may modify this value to be equivalent to the exposure duration [ED] at some point in the future.)

ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 1.5 g/cm³

= 1.5E9 mg/m³ (Values entered in risk calculator in g/cm³, but are converted to mg/m³ within formulas)

d_s = Depth to base of soil source area = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 12.44 m

A_s = Areal extent of site or contamination = range 0.5 to 500 = DEQ default 0.5 acres

A = 12.3675 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

B = 18.6337 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

C = 212.7284 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

unlimited source model for chronic exposure

$$VF_s \left(\frac{m^3_{air}}{kg_{soil}} \right) = \frac{\frac{Q}{C_{vol}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) \times \left(3.14 \times D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) \times T(s) \right)^{1/2} \times 10^{-4} \left(\frac{m^2}{cm^2} \right)}{2 \times \rho_b \left(\frac{g}{cm^3} \right) \times D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right)}$$

$$\text{where: } \frac{Q}{C_{vol}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) = A \times \exp \left[\frac{(\ln A_s (\text{acre}) - B)^2}{C} \right]$$

$$\text{where: } D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) = \frac{\left(\theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right)^{10/3} \times D_{ia} \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) \times H' + \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right)^{10/3} \times D_{iw} \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) \right) / n^2 \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right)}{\rho_b \left(\frac{1.5g}{cm^3} \right) \times K_d \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) + \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right) + \theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right) \times H'}$$

$$\text{where: } \theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right) = n \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right) \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right) \text{ and } n \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right) = 1 - \left(\frac{\rho_b \left(\frac{1.5g}{cm^3} \right)}{\rho_s \left(\frac{2.65g}{cm^3} \right)} \right)$$

$$\text{where: } K_d \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) = f_{oc} \left(\frac{g}{g} \right) \times K_{oc} \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) \text{ only for organics.}$$

VF = Volatilization factor = Calculated in m³/kg

Q/C_{vol} = Calculated with secondary equation in [(g/m²-s)/(kg/m³)]

D_A = Apparent diffusivity = Calculated with secondary equation in (cm²/s)

T(s) = Exposure interval in seconds = 26 years = 8.20x10⁸ seconds (Note this value was confirmed with EPA via email; however, note that EPA indicated they may modify this value to be equivalent to the exposure duration [ED] at some point in the future.)

ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 1.5 g/cm³
= 1.5E9 mg/m³ (Values entered in risk calculator in g/cm³, but are converted to mg/m³ within formulas)

A_s = Areal extent of site or contamination = range 0.5 to 500 = DEQ default 0.5 acres

A = 12.3675 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

B = 18.6337 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

C = 212.7284 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

θ_a = Air filled soil porosity = Calculated via secondary equation in L/L or site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.28 L/L

θ_w = Water filled soil porosity = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.15 L/L

n = Total soil porosity = The EPA provides a secondary equation that can be used to calculate the total soil porosity based on the dry soil bulk density ρ_b and the soil particle density ρ_s.

However, in most cases the DEQ has collected site-specific porosity data, and rarely collects soil particle density data. Therefore, the DSCA risk calculator allows entry of site-specific data. The

default value is 0.43 L/L, which is the same as the EPA default calculated via the secondary equation presented above.

D_{ia} = Diffusivity in air = Contaminant specific in cm^2/s = See chem-tox database

D_{iw} = Diffusivity in water = Contaminant specific in cm^2/s = See chem-tox database

H' = Henry's law constant = Contaminant specific (unitless) = See chem-tox database

K_d = Calculated via secondary equation in cm^3/g

f_{oc} = Fraction organic carbon = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.006 g/g

K_{oc} = Soil organic carbon-water partition coefficient = Contaminant specific in L/kg = See chem-tox database

ρ_s = Soil particle density in g/cm^3 = The parameter is only used if porosity is calculated based on the soil dry bulk density and soil particle density. The risk calculator allows entry of porosity (n) data directly, which means this parameter is not used in the risk calculator.

Construction Worker VF Equations

mass limit model for subchronic exposure

$$VF_{sc} \left(\frac{\text{m}^3_{\text{air}}}{\text{kg}_{\text{soil}}} \right) = \frac{Q}{C_{sa}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{\text{g}}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{s}} \right)}{\left(\frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \right) \times \frac{1}{F_D} \times \frac{T (\text{s})}{\rho_b \left(\frac{1.5 \text{ Mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right) \times d_s (\text{m}) \times 10^6 \left(\frac{\text{g}}{\text{Mg}} \right)}$$

$$\text{where: } \frac{Q}{C_{sa}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{\text{g}}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{s}} \right)}{\left(\frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \right) = A \times \exp \left[\frac{(\ln A_s (\text{acre}) - B)^2}{C} \right]$$

$$T (30240000 \text{ s}) = ED_{cw} (1 \text{ yr}) \times EW_{cw} \left(\frac{50 \text{ wks}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times \left(\frac{24 \text{ hrs}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{3600 \text{ s}}{\text{hr}} \right)$$

$$F_D (0.18584) = 0.1852 + \left(5.3537 / t_c \right) + \left(-9.6318 / t_c^2 \right)$$

$$t_c (8400 \text{ hr}) = ED_{cw} (1 \text{ yr}) \times EW_{cw} \left(\frac{50 \text{ wks}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times \left(\frac{24 \text{ hrs}}{\text{day}} \right)$$

VF = Volatilization factor = Calculated in m^3/kg

Q/C = Calculated with secondary equation in $[(\text{g}/\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{s})/(\text{kg}/\text{m}^3)]$

$T(\text{s})$ = Calculated with secondary equation

F_d = Calculated with secondary equation

t_c = Calculated with secondary equation

ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default $1.5 \text{ g}/\text{cm}^3$

= $1.5 \text{E}9 \text{ mg}/\text{m}^3$ (Values entered in risk calculators in g/cm^3 , but are converted to mg/m^3 within formulas)

d_s = Depth to base of soil source area = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 12.44 m

A_s = Areal extent of site or contamination = range 0.5 to 500 = DEQ default 0.5 acres

A = 12.3675 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

B = 18.6337 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

C = 212.7284 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

ED = Exposure duration = 1 year = EPA default

EW = Weeks worked = 50 weeks/year = EPA default

unlimited source model for subchronic exposure

$$VF_{sc} \left(\frac{m^3_{air}}{kg_{soil}} \right) = \frac{Q}{C_{sa}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) \times \frac{1}{F_D} \times \left[\frac{\left(3.14 \times D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) \times T(s) \right)^{1/2}}{2 \times \rho_b \left(\frac{1.5g}{cm^3} \right) \times D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right)} \right] \times 10^{-4} \left(\frac{m^2}{cm^2} \right)$$

$$\text{where: } \frac{Q}{C_{sa}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{g}{m^2 \cdot s} \right)}{\left(\frac{kg}{m^3} \right)} \right) = A \times \exp \left[\frac{(\ln A_s (\text{acre}) - B)^2}{C} \right]$$

$$D_A \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) = \frac{\left(\theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right) \right)^{10/3} \times D_{ia} \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right) \times H' + \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right)^{10/3} \times D_{iw} \left(\frac{cm^2}{s} \right)}{\rho_b \left(\frac{1.5g}{cm^3} \right) \times K_d \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) + \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right) + \theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right) \times H'} \times \frac{1}{n^2 \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right)}$$

$$\theta_a \left(\frac{L_{air}}{L_{soil}} \right) = n \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right) - \theta_w \left(\frac{0.15 L_{water}}{L_{soil}} \right) \text{ and } n \left(\frac{L_{pore}}{L_{soil}} \right) = 1 - \left(\frac{\rho_b \left(\frac{1.5g}{cm^3} \right)}{\rho_s \left(\frac{2.65g}{cm^3} \right)} \right)$$

$$K_d \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) = f_{oc} \left(\frac{g}{g} \right) \times K_{oc} \left(\frac{cm^3}{g} \right) \text{ only for organics.}$$

$$T (30240000 \text{ s}) = ED_{cw} (1 \text{ yr}) \times EW_{cw} \left(\frac{50 \text{ wks}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times \left(\frac{24 \text{ hrs}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{3600 \text{ s}}{\text{hr}} \right)$$

$$F_D (0.18584) = 0.1852 + \left(5.3537 / t_c \right) + \left(-9.6318 / t_c^2 \right)$$

$$t_c (8400 \text{ hr}) = ED_{cw} (1 \text{ yr}) \times EW_{cw} \left(\frac{50 \text{ wks}}{\text{year}} \right) \times \left(\frac{7 \text{ days}}{\text{week}} \right) \times \left(\frac{24 \text{ hrs}}{\text{day}} \right)$$

VF = Volatilization factor = Calculated in m³/kg

Q/C_{sa} = Calculated with secondary equation in [(g/m²-s)/(kg/m³)]

F_D = Calculated with secondary equation

D_A = Apparent diffusivity = Calculated with secondary equation in cm²/s

T(s) = Total time over which construction occurs = 1 yr x 50 wks/yr x 7 days/week x 24 hrs/day x 3600 s/hr = 3.024x10⁷ seconds = EPA default

t_c = T(s) in hours = 8,400 hours

ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 1.5 g/cm³
= 1.5E9 mg/m³ (Values entered in risk calculators in g/cm³, but are converted to mg/m³ within formulas)

A_s = Areal extent of site or contamination = range 0.5 to 500 = DEQ default 0.5 acres

A = 12.3675 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

B = 18.6337 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

C = 212.7284 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

θ_a = Air filled soil porosity = Calculated via secondary equation in L/L or site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.28 L/L

θ_w = Water filled soil porosity = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.15 L/L

n = Total soil porosity = The EPA provides a secondary equation that can be used to calculate the total soil porosity based on the dry soil bulk density ρ_b and the soil particle density ρ_s .

However, in most cases the DEQ has collected site-specific porosity data, and rarely collects soil particle density data. Therefore, the DSCA risk calculators allow entry of site-specific data. The default value is 0.43 L/L, which is the same as the EPA default calculated via the secondary equation presented above.

D_{ia} = Diffusivity in air = Contaminant specific in cm^2/s = See chem-tox database

D_{iw} = Diffusivity in water = Contaminant specific in cm^2/s = See chem-tox database

H' = Henry's law constant = Contaminant specific (unitless) = See chem-tox database

Kd = Calculated via secondary equation in cm^3/g

foc = Fraction organic carbon = Site-specific can be entered = EPA default 0.006 g/g

Koc = Soil organic carbon-water partition coefficient = Contaminant specific in L/kg = See chem-tox database

ρ_s = Soil particle density in g/cm^3 = The parameter is only used if porosity is calculated based on the soil dry bulk density and soil particle density. The risk calculators allow entry of porosity (n) data directly, which means this parameter is not used in the risk calculators.

A.3.f. Supplemental Particulate Emission Factor (PEF) Equation for Outdoor Inhalation of Particulates from Soil

Non-Residential Worker, Residential, Recreational User, and Trespasser PEF Equations

$$\text{PEF}_w \left(\frac{\text{m}^3_{\text{air}}}{\text{kg}_{\text{soil}}} \right) = \frac{Q}{C_{\text{wind}}} \left(\frac{\left(\frac{\text{g}}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{s}} \right)}{\left(\frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \right) \times \frac{3,600 \left(\frac{\text{s}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{0.036 \times (1-V) \times \left(\frac{U_m \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \right)}{U_t \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \right)} \right)^3 \times F(x)}$$

$$\text{and: } \frac{Q}{C_{\text{wind}}} = A \times \exp \left[\frac{(\ln A_s (\text{acre}) - B)^2}{C} \right]$$

PEF = Particulate Emission factor = Calculated in $\text{m}^3/\text{kg} = 5.93\text{E}+10$

Q/C_{wind} = Calculated with secondary equation in $[(\text{g}/\text{m}^2\text{-s})/(\text{kg}/\text{m}^3)]$

V = Fraction of vegetative cover = 0.5 (unitless) = EPA default

U_m = Mean annual wind speed (m/s) = 3.44 m/s = EPA default for Raleigh, NC Region

U_t = Equivalent threshold value of wind speed at 7m = 11.32 = EPA default for Raleigh, NC Region

F(x) = Function depending on $u_m/u_t = 0.0086$ (unitless) = EPA default for Raleigh, NC Region

A_s = Areal extent of site or contamination = range 0.5 to 500 = DEQ default 0.5 acres

A = 12.3675 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

B = 18.6337 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region
 C = 212.7284 (unitless) = EPA dispersion constant for Raleigh, NC Region

Construction Worker PEF Equations

Calculation of a PEF for a construction worker is significantly more complex than for other receptors due to the increased potential for particulates generated from heavy vehicle traffic, grading, dozing, tilling, and excavation during construction activities. See Appendix C for description of justification for the default value of 1.06E+06 m³/kg used in the risk calculator.

A.4 GROUNDWATER (TAP WATER) INGESTION PATHWAY

A.4.a. Non-Residential Worker Groundwater Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Groundwater Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-ing-w}}(\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_w (80 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_w \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_w \left(\frac{1.25 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}$$

SL_{water-nc-ing-w} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker water ingestion of tap water

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRW = Tap water Ingestion rate = 1.25 L/day = EPA Region 4 default (one half resident intake)

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{w-wa-ca-ing}}(\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_w (80 \text{ kg})}{EF_w \left(250 \frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IR_w \left(\frac{1.25 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{10^{-3} \text{ mg}}{\mu\text{g}} \right)}$$

SL_{w-wa-ca-ing} = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker tap water ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IR = Tap water Ingestion rate = 1.25 L/day = EPA Region 4 default (one half resident intake)

A.4.b. Resident Groundwater Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Resident Groundwater Ingestion

Child

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-ing-c}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-ing-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of body weight (BW), exposure duration (ED), and ingestion rate of water (IRW). The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

SL_{water-nc-ing-c} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential child groundwater ingestion

SL_{water-nc-ing-a} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential adult groundwater ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 26 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRW = Ingestion rate = 0.78 L/day child and 2.5 L/day adult = EPA default

Carcinogenic Resident Water Ingestion

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations and a discussion of how the alternative equations differ from the standard equation.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times \left(IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times IRW_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times IRW_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{water-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident water ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in $(\text{mg/kg-day})^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

$IFW_{\text{res-adj}}$ = Age adjusted water ingestion rate = Calculated via secondary equation in L/kg = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year (same for child and adult) = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

IRW = Ingestion rate = 0.78 L/day child and 2.5 L/day adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{water-mu-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{1019.9 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{1019.9 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times IRW_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times IRW_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times IRW_{6-16} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times IRW_{16-26} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For mutagenic compounds where chemical-specific data are not available to directly assess carcinogenic risk during childhood versus adulthood, a default mutagenic equation is used. The mutagenic equation adds an age-dependent adjustment factor (ADAF) to account for increased childhood risk for mutagenic compounds. The adjustment factor is 10-fold for the 0 to 2-year age range, three-fold for the 2 to 6-year age range, three-fold for the 6 to 16-year age range, and there is no adjustment (i.e. one-fold) for the 16 to 26-year age range. The remaining portions of the equation are similar to the standard carcinogenic equation.

$SL_{\text{water-mu-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident water ingestion for mutagenic compounds

$IFWM_{\text{res-adj}}$ = Resident mutagenic water ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in mg/kg = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident water ingestion.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-vc-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR}{\left[\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{1000 \mu\text{g}} \right)}{AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} + \frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IRW_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{1000 \mu\text{g}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} \right]}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times IRW_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times IRW_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

Vinyl chloride is a mutagenic compound with sufficient chemical-specific data to directly evaluate carcinogenic exposure through a mutagenic mode of action, in contrast to compounds with insufficient chemical-specific data which are assessed using the default mutagenic equation. Therefore, vinyl chloride has a unique set of equations for residential carcinogenic risk.

$SL_{\text{water-ca-vc-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident water ingestion for vinyl chloride
Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident water ingestion.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{water-tce-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times IFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{1019.9 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{327.95 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{(ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

where:

$$IFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{1019.9 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.78 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{6-16} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{16-26} \left(\frac{2.5 \text{ L}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

For TCE, EPA recommends that kidney risk be assessed using a mutagenic equation and that liver and non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL) risk be assessed using the standard cancer equations. EPA has developed adjustment factors that account for the different toxicity factors. The liver and NHL risks are evaluated using the standard cancer equations and a cancer adjustment factor (CAF). The kidney risk is evaluated using the mutagenic cancer equations and a mutagenic adjustment factor (MAF).

SL_{water-tce-ing} = Screening Level for carcinogenic resident water ingestion for TCE

IFWM_{res-adj} = Resident mutagenic water ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in L/kg = EPA default

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident water ingestion.

A.5 GROUNDWATER (TAP WATER) DERMAL PATHWAY

A.5.a. Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Groundwater

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Groundwater

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-der-w}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \sqrt{\frac{6 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der-w}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_w (80 \text{ kg})}{\left[\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right] \times EV_w \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_w (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

SL_{water-nc-der-w} = Screening level for tap water, non-carcinogenic worker, dermal contact

DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event (μg-cm²/event)

K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default

t^* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2
 AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default
 ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default
 BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms = EPA default
 RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 EV = Worker events (events/day)
 EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default
 SA = Skin surface area = 19,652 cm²/day = EPA default

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Dermal Contact with Groundwater

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-der-w}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \pi}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-ca-der-w}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-w}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_w (80 \text{ kg})}{\left[\frac{CFS (\text{mg/kg-d})^{-1}}{GIABS} \right] \times EV_w \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_w (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

$SL_{\text{water-ca-der-w}}$ = Screening level for tap water, carcinogenic non-residential worker, dermal contact

DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event ($\mu\text{g} \cdot \text{cm}^2 / \text{event}$)

K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default

t^* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-6

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EV = Worker events (events/day)

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

SA = Skin surface area = 19,652 cm²/day adult = EPA default

A.5.b. Resident Dermal Contact with Groundwater

Non-Carcinogenic Resident Dermal Contact with Groundwater

Child

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-der-c}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})}{\left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

Adult

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-der-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})}{\left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same with exception of BW, ED, and IRS. The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA RSLs. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

$SL_{\text{water-nc-der-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential child water dermal contact

$SL_{\text{water-nc-der-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic residential adult water dermal contact

DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event ($\mu\text{g-cm}^2/\text{event}$)

K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default

t^* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E-}6$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

$GIABS$ = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EV = Resident events (events/day)

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

SA = Skin surface area = 6,365 cm²/day child and 19,652 cm²/day adult = EPA default

Carcinogenic Resident Dermal Contact with Groundwater

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations. Refer to Appendix A.2b. for a discussion of how the alternative equations differ from the standard equation.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Tap Water

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi} \right]}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\left[\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right] \times DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(\frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years})) \right)}{ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years})}$$

SL_{water-nc-der-w} = Screening level for tap water, carcinogenic resident, dermal contact

DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event (μg-cm²/event)

K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default

t* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database

DFW_{res-adj} = Resident water dermal contact factor- age-adjusted (cm² - event/kg)

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-6

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in (mg/kg-day)⁻¹ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EV = Resident events (events/day)

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

SA = Skin surface area = 6,365 cm²/day child and 19,652 cm²/day adult = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Tap Water

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{ug}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{8,191,633 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{8,191,633 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{\left(\frac{EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times SA_{0-2} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} \right) + \left(\frac{EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times SA_{2-6} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} \right) + \left(\frac{EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times SA_{6-16} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} \right) + \left(\frac{EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times SA_{16-26} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right) \right]$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-res-madj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-res}}(0-2) \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(2-6) \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(6-16) \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(16-26) \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years})}{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) + ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) + ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) + ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years})} \right)}$$

SL_{res-soil-mu-der} = Screening level for carcinogenic residential water dermal contact for mutagenic compounds

DFWM_{res-adj} = Resident mutagenic water dermal contact factor – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in events-cm²/kg

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident tap water dermal contact.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Tap water

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* \text{ (hours), then } SL_{\text{water-vc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}} \\
 &\text{or,} \\
 &\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* \text{ (hours), then } SL_{\text{water-vc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]} \\
 &\text{where:} \\
 &DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR}{\left[\frac{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}{AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT(70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)} + \frac{\left(\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)} \right]} \\
 &\text{where:} \\
 &DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times EV_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-a}} (20 \text{ years}) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right] \\
 &\text{and:} \\
 &ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-c}} \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res-a}} \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times (ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) - ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}))}{ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years})} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

SL_{water-vc-der} = Screening Level for carcinogenic resident tap water dermal contact for vinyl chloride

DFW_{res-adj} = Residential mutagenic water contact factor for carcinogenic resident dermal contact for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident tap water dermal contact.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Water

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* \text{ (hours), then } SL_{\text{water-tce-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{tce-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* \text{ (hours), then } SL_{\text{water-tce-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{tce-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{tce-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times \left[\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{8,191,633 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DFW_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{2,610,650 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \right)}{BW_{\text{res-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-a}} (20 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{res-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \right)}{BW_{\text{res-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$DFWM_{\text{res-adj}} \left(\frac{8,191,633 \text{ events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{\left(\frac{EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{0-2} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{2-6} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{6-16} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{1 \text{ events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{16-26} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-res-adj}} \left(\frac{0.6708 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-res}}(0-2) \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(2-6) \left(\frac{0.54 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(6-16) \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) + ET_{\text{event-res}}(16-26) \left(\frac{0.71 \text{ hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \right)}{ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) + ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) + ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) + ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years})}$$

$SL_{\text{es-soil-tce-der}}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic resident tap water dermal contact for TCE

$DFWM_{\text{res-adj}}$ = Residential mutagenic tap water contact factor for carcinogenic resident dermal contact for trichloroethylene

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident tap water dermal contact.

A.6 GROUNDWATER (TAP WATER) VAPOR INHALATION PATHWAY

A.6.a. Non-Residential Worker Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Indoor Inhalation

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Indoor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-w}}(\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times ET_w \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-w}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker exposure to vapors from tap water use

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

K = Andelman Volatilization Factor (L/m^3)

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Indoor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-inh}}(\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times ET_w \left(\frac{8 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{water-ca-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker tap water vapor exposure

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E}-06$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation unit risk = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

K = Andelman Volatilization Factor (L/m^3)

A.6.b. Residential Indoor Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

Non-Carcinogenic Residential Indoor Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

Child

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-c}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res-c}} (6 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res-c}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res-a}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}$$

Note: Since the only difference in the child and adult equations is the exposure duration and that cancels out, these equations are the same.

$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-c}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic resident child tap water to indoor air

$SL_{\text{water-nc-inh-a}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic resident adult tap water to indoor air

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child, 26 years adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

K = Andelman Volatilization Factor (L/m^3)

Carcinogenic Residential Indoor Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-inh}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}$$

$SL_{\text{water-ca-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident tap water to indoor air

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E}-06$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 26 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation unit risk = Contaminant specific in mg/m³ = EPA default

K = Andelman Volatilization Factor (L/m³)

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario.

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-mu-inh}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right) \times \left[\begin{aligned} & \left(EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times 10 \right) + \\ & \left(EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times 3 \right) + \\ & \left(EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times 3 \right) + \\ & \left(EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times 1 \right) \end{aligned} \right]}$$

SL_{water-mu-inh} = Screening level for carcinogenic resident tap water to indoor air for mutagens
Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

Vinyl Chloride Equation for Resident Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-ca-vc-inh}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR}{\left[\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times EF_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}{AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} + \left(IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right) \right) \right]}$$

SL_{water-ca-vc-inh} = Screening level for carcinogenic resident tap water to indoor air for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Groundwater (tap water) Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{water-tce-inh}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times K \left(\frac{0.5 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3} \right) \times \left[\left(EF_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times CAF_i (0.756) \right) + \left(\left(ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 10 \right) + \left(ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \left(ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 1 \right) \right] }$$

$SL_{\text{water-tce-inh}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident tap water to indoor air for trichloroethylene

CAF_i = Cancer adjustment factor inhalation = 0.756 = EPA default

MAF_i = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.244 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

A.7 SURFACE WATER INGESTION PATHWAY

A.7.a. User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Surface Water Ingestion

Non-Carcinogenic Recreator Surface Water Ingestion

Child

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-ing-c}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

Adult

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-ing-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

Note: Child and adult equations are the same. Inputs vary as noted below. The child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA calculator. However, inputs for both the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

SL_{rec-water-nc-ing-c} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator child surface water ingestion

SL_{rec-water-nc-ing-a} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic recreator adult surface water ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child, 20 years adult = NC DEQ default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child, 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency recreator = 195 days/year = NC DEQ default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRW = Ingestion rate surface water = 0.05 L/hr = EPA default

EV = Events Frequency = 1 event/day = EPA default

ET = Exposure Time = 2 hour/event = EPA default

Non-Carcinogenic Trespasser Surface Water Ingestion

Adolescent

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-ing-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-a}} (45 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times \frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-d}} \right)} \times IRW_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

SL_{rec-water-nc-ing-a} = Screening level for non-carcinogenic trespasser adolescent surface water ingestion

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years adolescent = NC DEQ default

BW = Body weight = 45 kilograms adolescent = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency trespasser = 90 days/year = NC DEQ default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

IRW = Ingestion rate surface water = 0.05 L/hr = EPA default

EV = Events Frequency = 1 event/day = EPA default

ET = Exposure Time = 2 hour/event = EPA default

Carcinogenic Recreator/Trespasser Surface Water Ingestion

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Surface Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water ingestion

TR = Target risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

CSF = Oral Cancer Slope Factor = Contaminant specific in $(\text{mg/kg-day})^{-1}$ = EPA default = See chem-tox database

$IFW_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Age adjusted surface water ingestion rate = Calculated via secondary equation in L/kg

EV = Events Frequency = 1 event/day = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration recreator = 6 years child and 20 years adult = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration trespasser = 10 years (adolescent) = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 195 days/year for child and adult recreators = NC DEQ default

EF = Exposure frequency = 90 days/year for adolescent trespasser = NC DEQ default

ET = Exposure Time = 2 hour/event = EPA default

IRW = Ingestion rate surface water = 0.05 L/hr = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child and 80 kilograms adult recreators = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 45 kilograms adolescent trespasser = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Surface Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \right. \\ \left. \frac{ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For mutagenic compounds where chemical-specific data are not available to directly assess carcinogenic risk during childhood versus adulthood, a default mutagenic equation is used. The mutagenic equation adds an age-dependent adjustment factor (ADAF) to account for increased childhood risk for mutagenic compounds. The adjustment factor is 10-fold for the 0 to 2-year age range, three-fold for the 2 to 6-year age range, three-fold for the 6 to 16-year age range, and there is no adjustment (i.e. one-fold) for the 16 to 26-year age range. The remaining portions of the equation are similar to the standard carcinogenic equation.

$SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water ingestion for mutagenic compounds

$IFWM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic surface water ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in L/kg = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic surface water ingestion.

Vinyl Chloride Carcinogenic Equation for Recreator/Trespasser Soil Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-vc-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \times \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{1000 \mu\text{g}} \right)}{AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} + \frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hr}}{\text{day}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-c}} \frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \times \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{1000 \mu\text{g}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} \right)}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

Vinyl chloride is a mutagenic compound with sufficient chemical-specific data to directly evaluate carcinogenic exposure through a mutagenic mode of action, in contrast to compounds with insufficient chemical-specific data which are assessed using the default mutagenic equation. Therefore, vinyl chloride has a unique set of equations for residential carcinogenic risk.

$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-vc-ing}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water ingestion for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident surface water ingestion.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Recreational Surface Water Ingestion

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-tce-ing}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\left(CAF_o (0.804) \times IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times IFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$IFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times IRW_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$IFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{L}}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{0-2} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{2-6} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{6-16} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times IRW_{16-26} \left(\frac{0.05 \text{ L}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

For TCE, EPA recommends that kidney risk be assessed using a mutagenic equation and that liver and non-Hodgkin lymphoma (NHL) risk be assessed using the standard cancer equations. EPA has developed adjustment factors that account for the different toxicity factors. The liver and NHL risks are evaluated using the standard cancer equations and a cancer adjustment factor (CAF). The kidney risk is evaluated using the mutagenic cancer equations and a mutagenic adjustment factor (MAF).

$SL_{\text{rec-water-tce-ing}}$ = Screening Level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water ingestion for TCE

$IFW_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic surface water ingestion rate – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in L/kg

CAF_o = Cancer adjustment factor oral = 0.804 = EPA default

MAF_o = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.202 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water ingestion

A.8 DERMAL CONTACT WITH SURFACE WATER PATHWAY

A.8.a. User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Dermal Contact with Surface Water

Non-Carcinogenic Dermal Contact with Surface Water

Child

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der-c}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})}{\left(\frac{1}{RfD_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

Adult/Adolescent

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der-a}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right) \times BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})}{\left(\frac{1}{RfDo \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right) \times GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}$$

Note: Child and adult recreator, and the adolescent trespasser equations are the same. Inputs vary as noted below. For the recreators, the child calculation yields the most conservative result and is therefore used in both the DEQ risk calculator and the EPA calculator. Inputs for the child and adult equations are provided for reference. Note that the exposure durations cancel out in this equation, so age adjustment is not applicable.

$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der-c}}$ = Screening level for surface water, recreator, non-carcinogenic child, dermal contact

$SL_{\text{rec-water-nc-der-a}}$ = Screening level, surface water, for non-carcinogenic adult recreator dermal contact or adolescent trespasser

DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event ($\mu\text{g-cm}^2/\text{event}$)

K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default

t^* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 20 years adult = EPA default

BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child, 45 kilograms adolescent, and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default

RfD = Chronic oral reference dose = Contaminant specific in mg/kg-day = EPA default = See chem-tox database

GIABS = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database

EV = Recreator events (events/day)

EF = Exposure frequency = 195 days/year for recreators, 90 days/year trespasser = NC DEQ default

SA = Skin surface area = 6,365 cm²/day child and 19,652 cm²/day adult and trespasser = EPA default

Carcinogenic Dermal Contact with Surface Water

Note: Child and adult recreator, and the adolescent trespasser equations are the same. Inputs vary as noted. Additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the recreational/trespasser carcinogenic dermal contact scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations.

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hour}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years})}{ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) + ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years})} \right)$$

$SL_{\text{rec-water-ca-der}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic recreator/trespasser surface water dermal contact
 DA_{event} = Absorbed Dose per Event ($\mu\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^2/\text{event}$)
 K_p = Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 ET_{event} = Exposure Time (hr/event) = EPA default
 t^* = Time to Reach Steady State (hr) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 FA = Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 τ_{event} = Lag Time (hr/d) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 B = Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E-}6$
 AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default
 ED = Exposure duration = 6 years child, 10 years adolescent, 20 years adult = EPA default
 BW = Body weight = 15 kilograms child, 45 kilograms adolescent, and 80 kilograms adult = EPA default
 $GIABS$ = Fraction of contaminant absorbed in intestinal tract = Contaminant specific (unitless) = EPA default = See chem-tox database
 EV = Recreator events (events/day)
 EF = Exposure frequency = 195 days/year for recreators, 90 days/year trespasser = NC DEQ default
 SA = Skin surface area = $6,365\text{ cm}^2/\text{day}$ child, and $19,652\text{ cm}^2/\text{day}$ adult and trespasser = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Contact with Surface Water

FOR INORGANICS:

$$SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}$$

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\left[\frac{CSF_0 \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right] \times DFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}$$

where:

$$DFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left[\frac{EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{0-2} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{2-6} (6365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{6-16} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{16-26} (19652 \text{ cm}^2) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right]$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{ET_{\text{event-rec}} (0-2) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (2-6) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (6-16) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (16-26) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years})}{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) + ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) + ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) + ED_{16-26} (\text{years})}$$

$SL_{\text{rec-water-mu-der}}$ = Screening level for user defined (recreator/trespasser) surface water dermal contact for mutagenic compounds

$DFWM_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Recreator/trespasser mutagenic water dermal contact factor – age-adjusted = Calculated via secondary equation in events-cm²/kg

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator surface water dermal contact.

Vinyl Chloride Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for User Defined (Recreator/Trespasser) Dermal Contact with Surface Water

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-vc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{6 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* (\text{hours}), \text{ then } SL_{\text{rec-water-vc-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1+B} + 2 \times r_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1+3B+3B^2}{(1+B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{\text{TR}}{\left[\frac{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events-cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right)}{AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT(70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)} + \frac{\left(\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg-day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \right) \times EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg}) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)} \right]}$$

where:

$$DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events-cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} (6365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} \right) + \left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-a}} (19652 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)}{1}$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{\left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \right) + \left(\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \right)}{ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) + ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years})}$$

$DFW_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Residential mutagenic water contact factor for carcinogenic resident dermal contact for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic recreator surface water dermal contact.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Dermal Contact with Water

FOR ORGANICS:

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{1 \text{ hour}}{\text{event}} \right) \leq t^* \text{ (hours), then } SL_{\text{rec-water-toe-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{toe-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{2 \times FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{8 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{\pi}}}$$

or,

$$\text{IF } ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) > t^* \text{ (hours), then } PRG_{\text{rec-water-toe-der}} (\mu\text{g/L}) = \frac{DA_{\text{toe-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \text{ cm}^3}{\text{L}} \right)}{FA \times K_p \left(\frac{\text{cm}}{\text{hour}} \right) \times \left[\frac{ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right)}{1 + B} + 2 \times \tau_{\text{event}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 + 3B + 3B^2}{(1 + B)^2} \right) \right]}$$

where:

$$DA_{\text{toe-event}} \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{event}} \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{rec}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{\frac{CSF_o \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg} \cdot \text{day}} \right)^{-1}}{GIABS} \times \left(\left(AF_o (0.804) \times DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) + \left(MAF_o (0.202) \times DFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) \right) \right)}$$

where:

$$DFW_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EV_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-c}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-c}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-c}} (8365 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-c}} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{\text{rec-a}} (\text{years}) \times EF_{\text{rec-a}} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{\text{rec-a}} (19852 \text{ cm}^2)}{BW_{\text{rec-a}} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

where:

$$DFWM_{\text{rec-adj}} \left(\frac{\text{events} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{kg}} \right) = \left(\frac{EV_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{0-2} (8365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 10}{BW_{0-2} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{2-6} (8365 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{2-6} (15 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{6-16} (19852 \text{ cm}^2) \times 3}{BW_{6-16} (80 \text{ kg})} + \frac{EV_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{events}}{\text{day}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times SA_{16-26} (19852 \text{ cm}^2) \times 1}{BW_{16-26} (80 \text{ kg})} \right)$$

and:

$$ET_{\text{event-rec-madj}} \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) = \frac{ET_{\text{event-rec}} (0-2) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (2-6) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (6-16) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) + ET_{\text{event-rec}} (16-26) \left(\frac{\text{hours}}{\text{event}} \right) \times ED_{16-26} (\text{years})}{ED_{0-2} (\text{years}) + ED_{2-6} (\text{years}) + ED_{6-16} (\text{years}) + ED_{16-26} (\text{years})}$$

$DFW_{\text{rec-adj}}$ = Residential mutagenic water contact factor for carcinogenic resident dermal contact for vinyl chloride

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident water dermal contact.

A.9 VAPOR INTRUSION

A.9.a. Non-Residential Worker Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

Non-Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{w-air-nc} \left(\mu g/m^3 \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu g}{mg} \right)}{EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times ET_w \left(\frac{8 \text{ hr}}{24 \text{ hr}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{mg}{m^3} \right)}}$$

$SL_{w-air-nc}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic non-residential worker indoor air

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Non-Residential Worker Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{w-air-ca} \left(\mu g/m^3 \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_w \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_w \left(\frac{250 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_w (25 \text{ years}) \times ET_w \left(\frac{8 \text{ hr}}{24 \text{ hr}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu g}{m^3} \right)^{-1}}$$

$SL_{w-air-ca}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic non-residential worker indoor air

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = 1E-06

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 250 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 25 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 8 hours/day = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation unit risk = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

A.9.b. Residential Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

Non-Carcinogenic Residential Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{res-air-nc}} \left(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3 \right) = \frac{THQ \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \right) \times \left(\frac{1000 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{ra} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \frac{1}{RfC \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right)}}$$

$SL_{\text{res-air-nc}}$ = Screening level for non-carcinogenic resident indoor air

THQ = Target hazard quotient = 0.2

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 26 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

RfC = Chronic inhalation reference concentration = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default = See chem-tox database

Carcinogenic Residential Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

Note that additional equations are applicable for carcinogenic risk for mutagens, vinyl chloride, and TCE. These equations are only applicable for the residential carcinogenic scenario. The standard equation is listed below, followed by the alternative equations.

Standard Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{res-air-ca}} \left(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3 \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{ra} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1}}$$

$SL_{\text{res-air-ca}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident indoor air

TR = Target carcinogenic risk = $1\text{E}-06$

AT = Averaging time = 365 days/year = EPA default

LT = Lifetime = 70 years = EPA default

EF = Exposure frequency = 350 days/year = EPA default

ED = Exposure duration = 26 years = EPA default

ET = Exposure time = 24 hours/day = EPA default

IUR = Chronic inhalation unit risk = Contaminant specific in mg/m^3 = EPA default

Mutagenic Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{res-air-mu}} \left(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3 \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left[\begin{aligned} &\left(ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 10 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times 1 \right) \end{aligned} \right]}$$

$SL_{\text{res-air-mu}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident indoor air for mutagenic equations
 Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

Vinyl Chloride Equation for Resident Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{res-air-ca-vinyl chloride}} \left(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3 \right) = \frac{TR}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} + \left[\frac{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times EF_r \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ED_r (26 \text{ years}) \times ET_{\text{ra}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right)}{AT_r \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)} \right]}$$

$SL_{\text{res-air-ca-vinyl chloride}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident indoor air for vinyl chloride
 Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

TCE Carcinogenic Equation for Resident Indoor Air Vapor Inhalation

$$SL_{\text{res-air-tce}} \left(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3 \right) = \frac{TR \times AT_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{365 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \times LT (70 \text{ years}) \right)}{IUR \left(\frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{m}^3} \right)^{-1} \times \left(\frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} \right) \times \left[\begin{aligned} &\left(ED_{\text{res}} (26 \text{ years}) \times EF_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{\text{res}} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times CAF_i (0.756) \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{0-2} (2 \text{ years}) \times EF_{0-2} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{0-2} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 10 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{2-6} (4 \text{ years}) \times EF_{2-6} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{2-6} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{6-16} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{6-16} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{6-16} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 3 \right) + \\ &\left(ED_{16-26} (10 \text{ years}) \times EF_{16-26} \left(\frac{350 \text{ days}}{\text{year}} \right) \times ET_{16-26} \left(\frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} \right) \times MAF_i (0.244) \times 1 \right) \end{aligned} \right]}$$

$SL_{\text{res-air-ca-tce}}$ = Screening level for carcinogenic resident indoor air for TCE

CAF_i = Cancer adjustment factor inhalation = 0.756 = EPA default

MAF_i = Mutagenic adjustment factor oral = 0.244 = EPA default

Remaining inputs are the same as the standard equation for carcinogenic resident indoor air.

A.9.c. Soil Gas to Indoor Air Equations

The soil gas to indoor air equations calculate a screening level by applying an attenuation factor to the indoor air concentration, as further described below. The attenuation factors are based on the factors specified in the DEQ Vapor Intrusion Guidance Document (DEQ, 2014).

Non-Residential Soil Gas to Indoor Air Equation

$$SGSL_{\text{nr}} = IASL_{\text{nr}} \times 1/AF_{\text{sgnr}}$$

$SGSL_{\text{nr}}$ = Non-residential soil gas screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

$IASL_{\text{nr}}$ = Non-residential indoor air screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

AF_{sgnr} = Non-residential soil gas to indoor air attenuation factor = 0.01

Note: The risk calculator takes the entered soil gas concentration, converts it to a predicted indoor air concentration, then calculates risk based on the predicted indoor air concentration as specified in Sections A.9.a. and A.9.b. above. This process entails modification of the above equation as follows:

$$IASL_{\text{nr}} = SGSL_{\text{nr}} \times AF_{\text{sgnr}}$$

Residential Soil Gas to Indoor Air Equation

$$\text{SGSL}_r = \text{IASL}_r \times 1/\text{AF}_{\text{sgr}}$$

SGSL_r = Residential soil gas screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

IASL_r = Residential indoor air screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

AF_{sgr} = Residential soil gas to indoor air attenuation factor = 0.03

Note: The risk calculator takes the entered soil gas concentration, converts it to a predicted indoor air concentration, then calculates risk based on the predicted indoor air concentration as specified in Sections A.9.a. and A.9.b. above. This process entails modification of the above equation as follows:

$$\text{IASL}_r = \text{SGSL}_r \times \text{AF}_{\text{sgr}}$$

A.9.d. Groundwater to Indoor Air Equations

The groundwater to indoor air equations calculate a screening level by applying an attenuation factor to the indoor air concentration, then converting the estimated soil gas concentration to a groundwater concentration using Henry's Law, as further described below.

Non-Residential Groundwater to Indoor Air Equation

$$\text{GWSL}_{\text{nr}} = \text{IASL}_{\text{nr}} \times 1/\text{H}' \times \text{CF} \times 1/\text{AF}_{\text{gwnr}}$$

GWSL_{nr} = Non-residential groundwater screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}^3$)

IASL_{nr} = Non-residential indoor air screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

H' = Henry's law constant = Chemical specific = See chem-tox database

CF = Conversion factor = $0.001 \text{ m}^3/\text{L}$

AF_{gwnr} = Non-residential groundwater to indoor air attenuation factor = 0.001

Note: The risk calculator takes the entered groundwater concentration, converts it to a predicted indoor air concentration, then calculates risk based on the predicted indoor air concentration as specified in Sections A.9.a. and A.9.b. above. This process entails modification of the above equation as follows:

$$\text{IASL}_{\text{nr}} = \text{GWSL}_{\text{nr}} \times \text{H}' \times 1/\text{CF} \times \text{AF}_{\text{gwnr}}$$

Residential Groundwater to Indoor Air Equation

$$\text{GWSL}_r = \text{IASL}_r \times 1/\text{H}' \times \text{CF} \times 1/\text{AF}_{\text{gwr}}$$

GWSL_r = Residential groundwater screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}^3$)

IASL_r = Residential indoor air screening level ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

H' = Henry's law constant = Chemical specific = See chem-tox database

CF = Conversion factor = 0.001 m³/L

AF_{gwr} = Residential groundwater to indoor air attenuation factor = 0.001

Note: The risk calculator takes the entered groundwater concentration, converts it to a predicted indoor air concentration, then calculates risk based on the predicted indoor air concentration as specified in Sections A.9.a. and A.9.b. above. This process entails modification of the above equation as follows:

$$IASL_r = GWSL_r \times H' \times 1/CF \times AF_{gwr}$$

B Contaminant Migration Equations

Transport Model to Calculate the Protection of Groundwater Remediation Goals

$$C_{soil} = C_{gw} \left[k_s + \frac{(\theta_w + \theta_a H')}{P_b} \right] df$$

	Parameters	Default Values	Units
C _{soil}	Calculated Source Concentration for soil	not applicable	mg/kg - soil
C _{gw}	Applicable Groundwater Target Concentration (NC GW Std)	chemical-specific	mg/L - water
df	Dilution factor	20 (0.5 acre source size) ²	unitless
K _s	Soil-water partition coefficient for organic constituents k _s = k _{oc} x f _{oc} (for inorganic constituents k _s = k _d)	chemical-specific	L/kg
k _{oc}	Soil organic carbon-water partition coefficient	chemical-specific	L/kg
f _{oc}	Fraction of organic carbon in subsurface vadose soils	0.002 (0.2%)	kg/kg
K _d	Soil-water partition coefficient for inorganics	chemical-specific (pH=5.5)	L/kg
θ _w	Water-filled soil porosity-vadose soils	0.3	L _{water} /L _{soil}
θ _a	Air-filled soil porosity-vadose soils	0.13	L _{air} /L _{soil}
P _b	Dry bulk density	1.5	kg/L
H'	Henry's Law constant-dimensionless where: H' = Henry's Law constant (atm- m ³ /mole) x conversion factor of 41	chemical-specific	unitless

1. From the USEPA 1996 Soil Screening Guidance
2. Default value from the USEPA 1996 Soil Screening Guidance

B.1.a. Soil Leaching to Groundwater

Soil leaching to groundwater calculations are based on the methodology presented in the EPA Soil Screening Guidance (EPA, 1996) and EPA Supplemental Guidance for Developing Soil Screening Levels for Superfund Sites (EPA, 2002). As discussed in Section 4.5.1, the risk calculator calculates soil leaching to groundwater via two equations, (1) unlimited source model for chronic exposure and (2) mass limit model for chronic exposure. The risk calculator then selects the equation that provides the higher soil screening level (i.e. lower groundwater screening level) for subsequent modeling calculations.

Unlimited Source Equation

Primary Equation

$$C_s = C_w \left[K_s + \frac{(\theta_w + \theta_a H')}{\rho_b} \right] df$$

The equation rearranged to calculate the groundwater concentration based on entry of the soil concentration is as follows:

$$C_w = \frac{C_s}{\left\{ K_s + \left(\frac{\theta_w + \theta_a H'}{\rho_b} \right) \right\} df}$$

C_s = Soil concentration (mg/kg)

C_w = Groundwater concentration (mg/L)

ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density (kg/L) = Site-specific or default = Default 1.5 kg/L

K_s = Soil-water partition coefficient (L/kg) = $K_{oc} \times f_{oc}$ (Note this equation is valid for organics only. The risk calculator is not currently set up to correctly run inorganics for this pathway.)

K_{oc} = Soil organic carbon/water partition coefficient (L/kg) = Chemical specific = Defined in chem-tox database

f_{oc} = Fraction organic carbon in soil (g/g) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.002

θ_w = Water-filled soil porosity (L_{water}/L_{soil}) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.3

θ_a = Air-filled soil porosity (L_{air}/L_{soil}) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.13

H' = Henry's law constant (dimensionless) = Chemical specific = Defined in chem-tox database

df = Dilution factor = See secondary equation below

Secondary Equation #1 – Dilution Factor

$$df = 1 + \frac{Kd}{IL}$$

df = Dilution factor

K = Aquifer hydraulic conductivity (m/yr) = Site-specific or default = Default is 2,519 m/y (690 cm/d)

i = Hydraulic gradient (m/m) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.01
 d = Mixing zone depth (m) = See supplemental equation below, calculated default is 0.66 m
 I = Infiltration rate (m/yr) = Site-specific or default = Default is 66 cm/yr (26 in/yr)
 L = Length of source area parallel to groundwater flow (m) = Site-specific or default = Default is 5 m (500 cm)

Secondary Equation #2 – Mixing Zone Depth

$$d = (0.0112L^2)^{0.5} d_a \left\{ 1 - \exp \left[\frac{(-LI)}{(K i d_a)} \right] \right\}$$

d = Mixing zone depth (m), calculated default is 0.66 m
 L = Length of source area parallel to groundwater flow (m) = Site-specific or default = Default is 5 m (500 cm)
 I = Infiltration rate (m/yr) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.66 m/yr (26 in/yr)
 K = Aquifer hydraulic conductivity (m/yr) = Site-specific or default = Default is 2,519 m/y (690 cm/d)
 i = Hydraulic gradient (m/m) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.01
 d_a = Aquifer thickness = Site-specific or default = Default is 15 m (49.2 feet)

Mass-Limit Equation

$$C_s = \frac{(C_w)(I)(ED)}{(\rho_b)(d_s)}$$

The equation rearranged to calculate the groundwater concentration based on entry of the soil concentration is as follows:

$$C_w = \frac{(C_s)(\rho_b)(d_s)}{(I)(ED)}$$

C_s = Soil concentration (mg/kg)
 C_w = Groundwater concentration (mg/L)
 ρ_b = Dry soil bulk density (kg/L) = Site-specific or default = Default is 1.5 kg/L
 d_s = Depth to base of soil source area (cm) = Site-specific or default = Default is 1,244 cm
 I = Infiltration rate (m/yr) = Site-specific or default = Default is 0.66 m/yr (26 in/yr)
 ED = Exposure duration (yr) = EPA default = 70 years

B.1.b. Groundwater Migration to POE

Groundwater migration to POE calculations are based on the methodology presented in Domenico and Robbins (1985) and Domenico (1987). Chemical degradation may be incorporated into the equation, but the risk calculator conservatively assumes no chemical degradation.

$$C_{POE} = C_{si} \left\{ \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{S_w}{4\sqrt{\alpha_y x}} \right) \right\} \left\{ \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{S_d}{2\sqrt{\alpha_z x}} \right) \right\}$$

C_{POE} = Groundwater concentration (mg/L) along the plume centerline at the point of exposure (POE)

C_{si} = Source groundwater concentration (mg/L)

x = Distance to POE (cm)

S_w = Groundwater source width (cm) = Site-specific or default = Default is 4,500 cm (150 feet)

S_d = Groundwater source thickness (cm) = Site-specific or default = Default is 200 cm (6.5 feet)

α_x = Longitudinal Dispersivity (cm) = See equation below

α_y = Transverse Dispersivity (cm) = See equation below

α_z = Vertical Dispersivity (cm) = See equation below

$$\alpha_x = 0.1 * x$$

$$\alpha_y = 0.33 * \alpha_x$$

$$\alpha_z = 0.05 * \alpha_x$$

Note: The dispersion equations listed above are based on the methodology employed in ASTM E-1739 (2002).

B.1.c. Surface Water Dilution

The surface water calculations apply an additional dilution factor to determine the surface water concentration based on the groundwater concentration at the surface water body.

$$DF_{gws} = \left[1 + \frac{Q_{sw}}{K i \delta_{sw} W_{gws}} \right]^{-1}$$

DF_{gws} = Dilution Factor for groundwater to surface water

Q_{sw} = Surface water flow rate (cm³/s) = No default established by EPA, DEQ default is 0 cm³/s

K = Aquifer hydraulic conductivity (m/yr) = No default established by EPA, DEQ default is 2,519 m/y (690 cm/d)

i = Hydraulic gradient (m/m) = No default established by EPA, DEQ default is 0.01

δ_{sw} = Thickness of groundwater plume at surface water interface (cm) = No default established by EPA, DEQ default is 200 cm

W_{gws} = Width of groundwater plume at surface water interface (cm) = No default established

C Construction Worker Particulate Emission Factor (PEF) Calculations

The particulate emission factor (PEF) calculations for residential and non-residential land-use scenarios model generation of particulates due to wind erosion. However, these PEF values may not be sufficiently conservative for a construction worker scenario due to the increased potential for particulates generated from heavy vehicle traffic, grading, dozing, tilling, and excavation during construction activities. The EPA Supplemental Guidance for Developing Soil Screening Levels for Superfund Sites (EPA, 2002) provides a detailed method for calculating PEF for the two construction worker scenarios, (1) standard vehicle traffic, and (2) Other than standard vehicle traffic (grading, dozing, tilling, and excavation). However, default values are not provided for many of the input parameters, and these parameters are difficult to estimate due to the wide variety of different potential construction scenarios. Therefore, the PEF value for a construction worker was evaluated using two methods as detailed further below.

First, the EPA on-line risk calculator was run using EPA defaults, where available, or conservative estimated inputs where EPA defaults are not available. A summary of the values and justification for each value is shown in the attached table. The risk calculator input and output sheets are also attached. The results of the EPA risk calculator indicated the following PEF values:

- Construction Worker PEF for standard vehicle traffic – $1.06\text{E}+06 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$
- Construction worker PEF for other than standard vehicle traffic (grading, dozing, tilling, and excavation) – $1.96\text{E}+07 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$

As a further check of the estimated PEF, a calculation was performed based on the EPA's National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) established under 40 CFR Part 50 for particle pollution. Particles typical of soil generated during construction are classified as PM₁₀ (coarse dust particles between 2.5 and 10 micrometers in diameter). The NAAQS for PM₁₀ is 150 micrograms per cubic meter ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$). The PEF is the inverse of the standard adjusted for unit conversions:

- $\text{PEF} = 1/\text{NAAQS} (150 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3) = 6.7\text{E}-03 \text{ m}^3/\mu\text{g} \times 1\text{E}+09 \mu\text{g}/\text{kg} = 6.7\text{E}+06 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$

The calculated PEF values range from a low of $1.06\text{E}+06 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$ to a high of $1.96\text{E}+07 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$. A lower PEF value yields lower standards/higher risk. Therefore, the lowest estimated value of $1.06\text{E}+06 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$ is the default selected by the DEQ. It should be noted that if this PEF generates unacceptable risk levels, remediation is not necessarily required. A Tier 3 could be performed to further evaluate the site-specific PEF, or measures to minimize construction worker contact with impacted soil could be incorporated into land-use controls for the site.

D List of Parameters

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Resident	AT _{resc}	Resident Child Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	2,190	AT multiplication factors are in the Supplemental Equations tab, calculations within individual calculator tabs.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Resident	AF _{resa}	Resident Adult Soil Adherence Factor (kg)	0.07	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	AF _{resc}	Resident Child Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	AT _{res}	Resident Age Adjusted Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	25,550	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Resident	AT _{resa}	Resident Adult Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	9,490	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Resident	BW _{resa}	Resident Adult Body Weight (kg)	80	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	BW _{resc}	Resident Child Body Weight (kg)	15	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	ED _{res}	Resident Exposure Duration (yr)	26	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default.
Resident	ED _{resa}	Resident Adult Exposure Duration (yr)	20	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	ED _{resc}	Resident Child Exposure Duration (yr)	6	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	EF _{res}	Resident Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	350	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	EF _{resa}	Resident Adult Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	350	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	EF _{resc}	Resident Child Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	350	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	ET _{eventresa}	Resident Adult Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	0.71	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . (Note showering scenario assumed.)
Resident	ET _{eventresc}	Resident Child Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	0.54	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . (Note showering scenario assumed.)
Resident	ET _{res}	Resident Exposure Time (hr/d)	24	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	ET _{resa}	Resident Adult Exposure Time (hr/d)	24	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Resident	ET _{resc}	Resident Child Exposure Time (hr/d)	24	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	EV _{resa}	Resident Adult Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	EV _{resc}	Resident Child Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	IRS _{resa}	Resident Adult Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	100	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	IRS _{resc}	Resident Child Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	200	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	IRW _{resa}	Resident Adult Ingestion Rate of Water (L/d)	2.5	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	IRW _{resc}	Resident Child Ingestion Rate of Water (L/d)	0.78	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	SA _{resas}	Resident Adult Skin Surface Area Soil (km ²)	6,032	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	SA _{resaw}	Resident Adult Skin Surface Area Water (cm ²)	19,652	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	SA _{rescs}	Resident Child Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	2,373	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	SA _{rescw}	Resident Child Skin Surface Area Water (cm ²)	6,365	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Resident	α_{rgw}	Residential Groundwater to Indoor Air Attenuation Factor	0.001	Individual calculator tabs.	NCDEQ default.
Resident	α_{rsg}	Residential Soil Gas to Indoor Air Attenuation Factor	0.03	Individual calculator tabs.	NCDEQ default.
Resident	ET _{eventresadj}	Resident Age Adjusted Exposure Time (hr/event)	0.67	Supporting Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . (Note showering scenario assumed.)
Non-Residential Worker	ET _{eventw}	Non-Residential Worker Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	0.67	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . (Note showering scenario assumed.)
Non-Residential Worker	EV _w	Non-Residential Worker Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default assumes same as residential adult.
Non-Residential Worker	AF _w	Non-Residential Worker Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.12	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	AT _w	Non-Residential Worker Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	25,550	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Non-Residential Worker	AT _{wa}	Non-Residential Worker Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	9,125	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Non-Residential Worker	BW _w	Non-Residential Worker Body Weight (kg)	80	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	ED _w	Non-Residential Worker Exposure Duration (yr)	25	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	EF _w	Non-Residential Worker Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	250	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	ET _w	Non-Residential Worker Exposure Time (hr/d)	8	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	IR _w	Non-Residential Worker Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	100	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	IRW _w	Non-Residential Worker Ingestion Rate of Water (L/d)	0.83	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default is based on 2.5 L/d (EPA default for a resident) x 8 hr/24 hr (worker exposure per day) = 0.83 L/d.
Non-Residential Worker	SA _{ws}	Non-Residential Worker Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	3,527	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	SA _{ww}	Non-Residential Worker Skin Surface Area Water (cm ²)	19,652	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Non-Residential Worker	α _{gw}	Non-residential Groundwater to Indoor Air Attenuation Factor	0.001	Individual calculator tabs.	NCDEQ default.
Non-Residential Worker	α _{wsg}	Non-residential Soil Gas to Indoor Air Attenuation Factor	0.01	Individual calculator tabs.	NCDEQ default.
Construction Worker	AF _{cw}	Construction Worker Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.3	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	AT _{cw}	Construction Worker Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	25,550	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Construction Worker	AT _{cwa}	Construction Worker Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	350	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Construction Worker	BW _{cw}	Construction Worker Body Weight (kg)	80	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	ED _{cw}	Construction Worker Exposure Duration (yr)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	EF _{cw}	Construction Worker Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	250	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Construction Worker	ET _{cw}	Construction Worker Exposure Time (hr/d)	8	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	EW _{cw}	Construction Worker Weeks Worked (weeks)	50	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	IR _{cw}	Construction Worker Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	330	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Construction Worker	SA _{cws}	Construction Worker Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	3,527	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	EV _{reca}	Recreator Adult Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk Tab	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ .
Recreator	EV _{recc}	Recreator Child Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk Tab	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ .
Recreator	AF _{reca}	Recreator Adult Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.07	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident.
Recreator	AF _{recc}	Recreator Child Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident.
Recreator	AT _{rec}	Recreator Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	25,550	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Recreator	AT _{reca}	Recreator Adult Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	9,490	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Recreator	AT _{recc}	Recreator Child Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	2,190	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Recreator	BW _{reca}	Recreator Adult Body Weight (kg)	80	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	BW _{recc}	Recreator Child Body Weight (kg)	15	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	ED _{rec}	Recreator Adult Exposure Duration (yr)	26	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident.
Recreator	ED _{reca}	Recreator Adult Exposure Duration (yr)	20	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident.
Recreator	ED _{recc}	Recreator Child Exposure Duration (yr)	6	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident.
Recreator	EF _{rec}	Recreator Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	195	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ , assumes 5 d/week, 9 months/yr.
Recreator	EF _{reca}	Recreator Adult Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	195	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ , assumes 5 d/week, 9 months/yr.

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Recreator	EF _{recc}	Recreator Child Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	195	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ , assumes 5 d/week, 9 months/yr.
Recreator	ET _{eventreca}	Recreator Adult Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ . (Note swimming scenario assumed.)
Recreator	ET _{eventrecadj}	Recreator Age Adjusted Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ . (Note swimming scenario assumed.)
Recreator	ET _{eventrecc}	Recreator Child Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ . (Note swimming scenario assumed.)
Recreator	ET _{rec}	Recreator Adult Exposure Time (hr/d)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ .
Recreator	ET _{reca}	Recreator Adult Exposure Time (hr/d)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ .
Recreator	ET _{recc}	Recreator Child Exposure Time (hr/d)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ .
Recreator	IRS _{reca}	Recreator Adult Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	100	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	IRS _{recc}	Recreator Child Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	200	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	IRW _{rec}	Adult Recreator Ingestion Rate of Water (L/d)	0.071	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Recreator	SA _{recas}	Recreator Adult Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	6,032	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default assumes same as resident.
Recreator	SA _{reccs}	Recreator Child Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	2,373	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default assumes same as resident.
Trespasser	EV _{rect}	Trespasser Event Frequency (events/day)	1	Exposure Factors Target Risk Tab	No EPA RSL default. Default based on EPA Region 4 guidance ² .
Trespasser	AF _t	Trespasser Skin Soil Adherence Factor (mg/cm ²)	0.2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Assume same as resident child. (Note child value is more conservative than adult value.)

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
Trespasser	AT _t	Trespasser Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	25,550	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Trespasser	AT _{ta}	Trespasser Non-Carcinogenic Averaging Time (d)	3,650	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Equivalent to ED x 365 d/yr.
Trespasser	BW _t	Trespasser Body Weight (kg)	45	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default based on EPA Region 4 guidance ² . Assumes 7-16 year old age range.
Trespasser	ED _t	Trespasser Exposure Duration (yr)	10	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on EPA Region 4 guidance ³ . Assumes 7-16 year old age range.
Trespasser	EF _t	Trespasser Exposure Frequency (d/yr)	90	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. For swimming, EPA Region 4 guidance ² assumes 45 days/year in southeast or 90 days per year coastal or backyard swimming pool areas. A value of 90 days/year is default based on this guidance.
Trespasser	ET _{eventt}	Trespasser Water Exposure Time (hr/event)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default based on Virginia Guidance ³ . (Note swimming scenario assumed.)
Trespasser	ET _t	Trespasser Exposure Time (hr/d)	2	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA RSL default. Default is based on Virginia guidance ³ .
Trespasser	IR _t	Trespasser Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/d)	200	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default assumes same as resident child. (Note child value is more conservative than adult value.)
Trespasser	IRW _t	Child Trespasser Ingestion Rate of Water (L/d)	0.12	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
Trespasser	SA _{ts}	Trespasser Skin Surface Area Soil (cm ²)	6,032	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Default assumes same as resident adult. (Note child value is more conservative than adult value.)
Trespasser	SA _{tw}	Trespasser Skin Surface Area Water (cm ²)	19,652	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	No EPA default. Same as above

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NA	CSF _o	Oral Cancer Slope Factor (mg/kg-d) ⁻¹	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	RfD _o	Oral Reference Dose (mg/kg-d)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	IUR	Inhalation Unit Risk (ug/m ³)-1	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	RfC	Reference Concentration (mg/m ³)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	ABSd	Dermal Absorption Fraction (unitless)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	B	Relative Contribution of Permeability Coefficient	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	D _{ia}	Diffusivity in Air (cm ² /s)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	D _{iw}	Diffusivity in Water (cm ² /s)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	FA	Fraction Absorbed in Water (unitless)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	GIABS	Fraction of Contaminant Absorbed in Intestinal Tract (unitless)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	H'	Henry's Constant (unitless)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	K _d or K _s	Soil-Water Partition Coefficient (L/kg)	K _d is for inorganics, K _s is for organics and calculated as K _{oc} x f _{oc}	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	K _{oc}	Soil Organic Carbon-Water Partition Coefficient	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	Kp	Dermal Permeability Constant (cm/hr)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	RBA	Relative Bioavailability Factor (unitless)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	t*	Time to Reach Steady State (hr)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	T _{event}	Lag Time (hr/d)	chemical specific	Chemical Database tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	THQ	Target Hazard Quotient (unitless)	0.2 individual, 1 cumulative	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	NC regulatory program default.
NA	TR	Target Carcinogenic Risk (unitless)	1E-06 individual, 1E-04 cumulative	Exposure Factors Target Risk tab.	NC regulatory program default.

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NA	ED _{ml}	Exposure Duration for Soil Leaching to Groundwater Mass Limit Equation (yrs)	70	Individual calculator tabs.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	K	Andelman Volatilization Factor (L/m ³)	0.5	Individual calculator tabs.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	POE _{gw}	Distance to Protection of Surface Water POE (ft)	0	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default.
NA	POE _{sw}	Distance to Protection of Groundwater Use POE (ft)	0	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default.
NA	d _a	Aquifer Thickness (m)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default. Equivalent to 50 ft. (No EPA or ASTM defaults established).
NA	d _s	Depth to Base of Soil Source Area (m)	12.44	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	f _{oc}	Fraction Organic Carbon (unitless)	0.006/0.002	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . The two values shown reflect the defaults for (1) VF & PEF equations / (2) Soil to Groundwater equations.
NA	i	Hydraulic Gradient (ft/ft)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	No EPA default established. Default based on ASTM E2081-00 ⁴ .
NA	I	Infiltration Rate (m/yr)	0.66	Parameters tab.	DSCA Program previously established default infiltration for different geographic regions: 30% of precipitation in Mountain Zone, 25% of precipitation in Piedmont Zone, and 45% of precipitation in Coastal Plain Zone (DSCA, 2013). The default is based on the most conservative geographic zone (Coastal Zone) and typical rainfall in that region.
NA	K	Aquifer Hydraulic Conductivity (m/yr)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	No EPA default established. Default based on ASTM E2081-00 ⁴ .
NA	L	Length of Soil Source Area Parallel to Groundwater Flow (m)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default. Equivalent to 16 ft. (No EPA or ASTM defaults established).
NA	LT	Lifetime (years)	70	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	n	Total Soil Porosity (unitless)	0.43	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
NA	Q_{SW}	Surface Water Flow Rate (cm ³ /s)	0	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default, conservatively assumes no surface water flow.
NA	S_d	Groundwater Source Thickness (cm)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	No EPA default established. Default based on ASTM E2081-004.
NA	S_w	Groundwater Source Width (cm)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default. Equivalent to 15 feet. (No EPA or ASTM defaults established).
NA	W_{gwsW}	Width of Groundwater Plume at Surface Water Interface (cm)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	NCDEQ default. Equivalent to 15 feet. (No EPA or ASTM defaults established).
NA	δ_{sw}	Thickness of Groundwater Plume at Surface Water Interface (cm)	no default/site specific	Parameters tab.	No EPA default established. Default based default for groundwater plume thickness in ASTM E2081-004.
NA	θ_a	Air Filled Soil Porosity (unitless)	0.28/0.13	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . The two values shown reflect the defaults for (1) VF & PEF equations / (2) Soil to Groundwater equations.
NA	θ_w	Water Filled Soil Porosity (unitless)	0.15/0.3	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . The two values shown reflect the defaults for (1) VF & PEF equations / (2) Soil to Groundwater equations.
NA	ρ_b	Dry Soil Bulk Density (g/cm ³)	1.5	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	V	Fraction of Vegetative Cover (unitless)	0.5	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	A_s	Aerial Extent of Site or Soil Contamination (acres)	0.5	Parameters tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ . Note only values between 0.5 and 500 are valid.
NA	A	EPA Dispersion Constant (unitless)	12.3675	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	B	EPA Dispersion Constant (unitless)	18.6337	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	C	EPA Dispersion Constant (unitless)	212.7284	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	F(x)	Function Depending on U_m/U_t (unitless)	0.0086	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	T	Exposure Interval for All Receptors Except Construction Worker (years)	26	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .

Receptor	Parameter	Name	Default Value	Location for Data Entry in Calculator	Justification for Default Value
NA	T(s)	Exposure Interval for All Receptors Except Construction Worker (seconds)	820,000,000	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	t _c	Construction Worker Exposure Interval (hours)	8,400	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .
NA	U _m	Mean Annual Wind Speed (m/s)	3.44	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	U _t	Equivalent Threshold Value of Wind Speed at 7m	11.32	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ for Raleigh, NC region.
NA	T(s) _{cw}	Construction Worker Exposure Interval (seconds)	30,240,000	Supplemental Equations tab.	EPA RSL default ¹ .

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E Significant Figures

The North Carolina Preliminary Soil Remediation Goals (NC PSRGs) are obtained using the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Regional Screening Levels (US EPA RSLs). RSLs are provided with 2 significant figures. Users of the PSRGs have the option of using them as screening levels, or, in the case of the residential PSRGs, using them as unrestricted use remediation standards. NC General Statute 143b-279.9(d)(1) states "Unrestricted use standards" are generally applicable standards, guidance, or established methods of governing contaminants that are established by statute or adopted, published, or implemented by the Environmental Management Commission, the Commission for Public Health, or the Department". NC General Statute 130A-310.68(a)(1) lists "unrestricted use standards" as an option for "remediation standards".

The Inactive Hazardous Sites Branch *Guidelines for Assessment and Cleanup of Contaminated Sites* states that the residential PSRGs were established for unrestricted (residential) use and should be used when no limit on site use is desired. The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality *Revised Technical Guide for Risk-Based Environmental Remediation of Sites* (Technical Guide) also refers to the residential PSRGs as unrestricted use standards, and states that "the extent of soil contamination must be defined in all directions to the residential health-based preliminary soil remediation goals (PSRGs) to determine the appropriate placement of institutional controls".

Remediating parties have the option of using PSRGs as screening levels, and NC statute allows for their use as remediation standards. Because of this dual function as both screening levels and remediation standards, the 2 significant figures from the RSL table are maintained in the PSRG table.

Final remediation standards can be obtained directly from the PSRG table or calculated. The Technical Guide outlines a procedure for using the NC Department of Environmental Quality Risk Calculator to determine cleanup levels. The target risk and output of the calculator incorporates 2 significant figures. In a Tier 3 Baseline Risk Assessment, site-specific risks are calculated for all chemicals of concern, and cleanup levels are back-calculated using a chemical's calculated risk value. To maintain consistency in cleanups in NC, these calculated risk values shall incorporate 2 significant figures.