

traveled to a receptor (and the greater the time of travel), the lower the risk. Distance and the associated travel time is also a risk factor that can be manipulated by risk managers.

Natural attenuation processes can significantly reduce risks in all of the options. The type and opportunity for attenuation is very specific to the particular disposal option and the local conditions under which it is used. Natural attenuation processes include filtration by geologic media, dispersion by groundwater or ocean currents, biological degradation, adsorption, and photo-oxidation. The distance between the receptors and stressors and the resulting travel times are important factors that can further enhance attenuation.

Depending on the geographic location, there are significant differences in hydrogeology, coastal hydrology, and water quality in South Florida. These site-specific and regional characteristics can determine whether there is a very low risk or a significant risk. For example, deep-well disposal in Dade and Brevard counties have long travel times in comparison to Pinellas County. However, this potential increased risk for Pinellas County is ameliorated by providing a higher level of wastewater treatment in Pinellas County. As another example, the coastal conditions off southeast Florida are favorable for ocean disposal because the local currents result in rapid dispersion and dilution, whereas the circulation and water-quality conditions along Florida's Gulf Coast would probably preclude placement of outfalls.

The relative risk assessment identified major data and knowledge gaps for all of the disposal options. This is particularly the case for how natural processes may influence attenuation in deep-well injection and in the extent and nature of ecological impacts. The relative risk assessment relied on existing information and data and some modeling of that data. It is clear that for deep-well injection, many issues have never been addressed because of the belief that there would be no movement of the effluent into USDWs once the fluid was injected. The confirmation of fluid movement, even in the few cases reported, reveals that there is much about the pathways, flow, attenuation, and so forth that is little understood, given the fact that injected fluid can reach USDWs in some cases.

For all options, there is very limited information concerning ecological health effects. Water-quality standards do not exist for this area, and in many cases, the numbers and types of receptors may not be known. Also, compared to human health effects, there is little information on the impacts of specific stressors on specific populations (such as zooplankton, fisheries, marine mammals, birds).

Definitive studies are needed to track stressors back to their origins or sources because there are many potential sources other than wastewater disposal for the same stressors. It is important to identify and recognize the contributions of various sources of stressors. Cumulative effects are not well understood for either human or ecological receptors and may go unrecognized. As more demand develops for additional wastewater treatment capacity in South Florida, these data and information gaps will likely need to be addressed so that new facilities can be designed, constructed, operated and maintained with full confidence that public health and the environment are protected.

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## **DESCRIPTION OF APPENDIX TABLES 1-1 AND 1-2.**

### **1.0 General**

Appendix Table 1-1 includes data collected from various sources. These sources include information compiled in reports by the Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council and by SEFLOE, as well as sampling data sent directly from the Miami-Dade North District Wastewater Treatment Plant and the Brevard County South Beaches Wastewater Treatment Facility. KEMRON Environmental Services, Inc. provided sampling data from the Albert Whitted Water Reclamation Facility in St. Petersburg. The Florida Department of Environmental Protection provided sampling results for the wastewater treatment facility in the City of Cape Canaveral and the Howard Curren Wastewater Treatment Plant in Tampa Bay.

### **1.1 Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council**

The Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council (FWEAUC) report (Englehardt et al., 2001) provided analysis of sampling and monitoring results of effluent that had been treated to different standards (advanced wastewater treatment, secondary treatment, and advanced secondary treatment) as well as “native” ambient water in injection zones and monitoring zones in target aquifers. In all, eight (8) categories of sampling data were summarized in the Florida Utility Council report. The data that we present in Appendix Table 1-1 represents “digested” data that has already been processed by the FWEAUC authors. Those authors include raw concentration data for each of the sampling stations in appendices B and C of their report. For each of the sampling dates for each of the stations, the authors provide two lists of monitoring data; the first list includes the concentrations of all detected constituents and sets each of the “non-detect” values to zero (0), and the second list duplicates the first, but sets “non-detect” values at their detection limit. For Each of these two lists, the average concentration of each parameter was calculated from all of the sampling results at all of the stations within a category (e.g., advanced wastewater treatment), resulting in average values for each constituent with non-detects as zero and non-detects at the detection limit, respectively. Processing the data in this manner has the same effect as assigning values one-half of the detection limit to all non-detects, a standard approach not inconsistent with risk assessment methodologies (US EPA. 1998).

The Florida Utility Council study processed all of the raw data in this manner. The utilities that supplied monitoring data to the authors of the report include:

- City of Hollywood
- City of Boca Raton
- City of Fort Lauderdale
- City of Sunrise
- City of Boynton Beach
- City of West Palm Beach
- Broward County North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant
- Miami-Dade County North and South District Wastewater Treatment Plants
- Seacoast Utilities

- South Central Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant
- Florida Governmental Utility Authority (FGUA) Sarasota plants (Southgate and Gulf Gate Wastewater Treatment Plants)
- The FGUA Golden Gate Plant

### **1.2 Miami-Dade North District Wastewater Treatment Facility, Dade County**

Sampling results from one round of tests characterizing a full suite of waste contaminants in screen effluent were obtained from the Miami-Dade Water and Sewer (North District) utility directly (Miami-Dade Water/Sewer Submission # 9903001041). This facility provides secondary treatment for wastewater effluent before discharging through an ocean outfall to the Atlantic Ocean. The sampling date for these results is March 19, 1999; this is the same sampling date as the results used in the Florida Utility Council report; a comparison of the raw data sent by the facility to the data in the Florida Utility Council report confirms that this is the same data set. Data from this set were entered into Appendix Table 1-1 directly; no processing of the data was performed except for the conversion of values from mg/L to µg/L (or vice versa). Constituents that were below the detection limit are indicated in Table 11 with a less than (<) sign preceding the reported detection limit.

### **1.3 South Beaches Wastewater Treatment Facility, Brevard County**

Sampling results from one round of tests characterizing a full suite of waste contaminants were obtained from the Brevard County Water Resources Department (South Beaches Wastewater Treatment Facility, 2001) for effluent analyses conducted on December 7 and 28, 2000. This facility discharges effluent via a Class I deep injection well, reuse, or surface water discharge. Wastewater that is discharged through deep well injection receives secondary treatment. Water that is reused receives secondary treatment and high level disinfection with chlorine. Finished water destined for reuse has a concentration of 1 ppm chlorine and is filtered to reduce the concentration of total suspended solids to less than 5 ppm. Effluent is occasionally discharged directly to the Indian River during heavy rain and hurricanes. This effluent receives secondary treatment, plus chlorination and dechlorination as well as nutrient removal to lower the concentration of nitrogen, phosphorus and chlorine (Chuck Caron, personal communication).

These data represent single (not averaged) results. Data from this set were entered into Appendix Table 1-1 directly; no processing of the data was performed except for the conversion of values from mg/L to µg/L (or vice versa). Constituents that were below the detection limit are indicated in Appendix Table 1-1 with a less than (<) sign preceding the reported detection limit.

### **1.4 City of St. Petersburg, Albert Whitted Water Reclamation Facility, Pinellas County**

Sampling results from the Albert Whitted Water Reclamation Facility were obtained by KEMRON Environmental Services, Inc. The records supplied by Kemron include effluent monitoring data from a range of dates, as well as minimum, maximum, and

average concentrations for each constituent; not all constituents were tested for on all the dates. Sampling and analysis occurred on September 16, 1998, January 4, 1999, April 6, 1999, June 29, 1999, July 1, 1999, September 26, 2000, and January 24, 2001.

Volatile organic constituents, synthetic organic constituents, secondary drinking water standard regulated constituents, and inorganic constituents were all sampled in September 1998, January and April 1999, September 2000, and January 2001. Radionuclides were sampled in September 1998, April and June 1999, and September 2000. Trihalomethanes were sampled in September 2000, and microbes were sampled in January 1999 and January 2001. Kemron provided constituent concentration data in two sets: one set of data included data qualifiers to indicate concentrations that were below detection limits, and the other set of data had the qualifiers removed in order to calculate the average concentration of each constituent. The average concentration of each constituent was entered directly into Appendix Table 1-1 from the Kemron table lacking qualifiers. Then, if any of the values used in the calculation had actually been below the detection limit, a "less than" (<) sign was added to the value entered into Appendix Table 1-1. For this reason, a "less than" sign preceding a concentration value **does not** indicate that the numeric value is the detection limit. The "less than" sign simply means that the average concentration of the constituent in question is less than the value reported in the table.

Ammonia, total nitrogen, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, orthophosphate, and water temperature were sampled in November 2000; those results were obtained from a Reclamation Facility Monitor Well and Effluent Study Report dated December 26, 2000 that was also provided by Kemron. These single sampling values were added to Appendix Table 1-1. No processing of the data was performed except for the conversion of values from mg/L to µg/L (or vice versa).

## 1.5 City of Cape Canaveral

The Cape Canaveral treatment plant serves the City of Cape Canaveral. In the mid 1990s, the plant was upgraded to an advanced wastewater treatment facility. The plant is part of a reclaimed water system that supplements the City of Cocoa Beach's reclaimed water supply. Discharge to the Banana River, a segment of the Indian River Lagoon, occurs during wet weather or other periods when reclaimed water demands are low.

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Central District, supplied comprehensive sampling results from a round of sampling at the Cape Canaveral Wastewater Treatment Plant conducted on October 1, 1999. The City of Cape Canaveral provided comprehensive sampling results from analyses conducted on April 3, 2001. These sampling results were entered into Appendix Table 1-1 directly without processing other than conversion of concentration units to be compatible with the other records in the table (i.e., conversion of values from mg/L to µg/L or vice versa).

In addition, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) provided weekly, monthly, and annual sampling results for constituents that were monitored as part of Cape Canaveral's compliance with its National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. These constituents include total nitrogen, total phosphorus, and total suspended solids. These data were provided for calendar years 1999 through 2001. To

supplement the other sampling results for Cape Canaveral (dated October 1999 and April 2001), the annual average of each of the three constituents were calculated from monthly averages provided in the Florida DEP spreadsheet. Twelve monthly average records were used to calculate the annual average for each constituent in 1999; however, May and June 2001 data were unavailable. For this reason, only ten monthly averages were used to calculate the annual average of each constituent in 2001. Annual averages for each of these three constituents were included in Appendix Table 1-1 in the Cape Canaveral 1999 and 2001 columns; superscripted footnote numbers distinguish these average values from the comprehensive raw data.

## 1.6 SEFLOE II Data

Concentrations of several parameters in effluent from four wastewater treatment plants (Broward County North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, City of Hollywood, Miami-Dade North District WWTP, and Miami-Dade Central District WWTP) were provided in the SEFLOE II report (Appendix Table 1-2) (Hazen and Sawyer, 1994). Data for ammonia, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, total phosphorus, nitrate, nitrite, and oil and grease were supplied in that report as arithmetic averages for each utility. These average values were collected from separate tables and entered into Appendix Table 1-2 in columns labeled with the utility names (SEFLOE data for Miami-Dade North District are in a different column than the monitoring data provided by the utility directly). For the remaining parameters that were analyzed, raw sampling data were provided for each facility. For example, results from one round of sampling were reported for the City of Hollywood, results from two sampling dates were reported for each of the Miami-Dade facilities (February 27, 1991 and February 18, 1992 for North District and February 22, 1991 and September 20, 1991 for Central District), and results from four sampling dates were reported for Broward County (February 13, 1991, September 20, 1991, February 11, 1992, and March 24, 1992). The average concentration for each parameter at each utility was calculated using these concentration data and excluding data points that were identified by the SEFLOE authors as "questionable" (i.e., single values for arsenic, copper, and zinc in Broward County; total silver in the City of Hollywood and Miami-Dade Central; and heptachlor in Miami-Dade North). In instances where the reported concentration was "BDL" (Below Detection Limit), no detection limit was reported; for this reason, a value of zero (0) was used in the calculation of average concentrations.

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Appendix Table 1-1. Drinking Water Standards and Sampling Results for Treated Wastewater and Native Water in South Florida

Parameter Name	Advanced Wastewater Treatment				Reclaimed Water Treatment		Secondary Effluent		Native Water Monitoring Zones				
	Various Counties	South Beaches WWTF <sup>5</sup>	Brevard County		Various Counties	Pinellas County	Various Counties	Dade County	Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup> - Various Counties				
			Cape Canaveral WWTP	Sample Date					Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup>	Albert Whitted WRF, St. Petersburg <sup>6</sup>	Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup>	Effluent Injection Zone	Lower Monitoring Zone
<b>Radiological Analysis</b>													
Gross Alpha (pCi/L)		< 4.0 <sup>+</sup> /2.3	< 1.60			3.167	< 1 <sup>+</sup> /0.5	0.400	< 1 <sup>+</sup> /0.5	7.300	4.100	24.660	5.550
Gross Alpha excl. radon & uranium (pCi/L)		< 0.30	< 0.30										
Radium-226 (pCi/L)			< 0.90										
Radium-228 (pCi/L)													
Radium-226 and Radium-228													
<b>Microbiological Analysis</b>													
Total Coliform (col/100ml)	1, or 5% <sup>8</sup>												
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)	0												
<b>Miscellaneous Analysis</b>													
Ammonia-N (mg/L)													
Nitrogen, total (mg/L)				0.752 <sup>9</sup>		13.30	18.0	8.753		3.766	0.561	0.644	0.575
Nitrogen, organic (mg/L)							18.3	17.000		9.350	0.881	1.330	
Nitrogen, total Kjeldahl (mg/L)						4.075	17.9	1.584		0.998	0.374	0.432	0.307
Nitrate/Nitrite (as N, mg/L)				0.062				9.783		5.528	0.474	0.678	0.830
Ortho-phosphate (mg/L)							2.18	0.426667		0.64			
Phosphorus, total (mg/L)				0.152 <sup>9</sup>		1.375		1.431		0.234	0.045	0.023	0.133
BOD (mg/L)								1.327		0.271	0.261	0.129	0.255
CBOD 5 (mg/L)								8.300		4.300	5.400	7.000	1.400
Hormonally Active Agents													
Oil and Grease (mg/L)													
Hazardous Algal Bloom including aerosol dist.													
Water Temperature (°C)							26.6	25.333		22.80	23.50	24.30	24.40
Turbidity (NTU)							2.515						
MBAS Surfactants (mg/L)				< 0.020						11.59			
<b>Synthetic Organic Constituent and Volatile Organic Constituent Analysis</b>													
1,2-Dibromo-3-Chloropropane (DBCP; µg/L)	0.2			< 0.02000			< 0.14						
Ethylene Dibromide (EDB; µg/L)	0.05	< 0.01		< 0.01000			< 0.02						
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene (µg/L)	50		< 10	< 0.0200			< 1.94						
Hexachlorobenzene (µg/L)	1	< 0.023	< 10	< 0.0100			< 0.233						
v-BHC (Lindane; µg/L)	0.2		< 0.05	< 0.0240			< 0.01						
Atachlor (µg/L)	2		< 0.05	< 0.0625			< 1.17						
Heptachlor (µg/L)	0.4		< 0.05	< 0.0540			< 0.045						
Heptachlor epoxide (µg/L)	0.2		< 0.05	< 0.0245			< 0.035						
Endrin (µg/L)	2	< 0.023	< 0.1	< 0.0100			< 0.13						
Methoxychlor (µg/L)	40	< 0.023	< 0.1	< 0.250			< 0.21						
Arochlor 1016 (µg/L)			< 1.0										
Arochlor 1221 (µg/L)			< 1.0										
Arochlor 1232 (µg/L)			< 1.0										
Arochlor 1242 (µg/L)			< 1.0										
Arochlor 1248 (µg/L)			< 1.0										
Arochlor 1254 (µg/L)			< 1.0										

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Parameter Name	Drinking Water MCL <sup>1</sup>	Advanced Wastewater Treatment				Reclaimed Water Treatment			Secondary Effluent			Native Water Monitoring Zones				
		Various Counties		Brevard County		Various Counties	Pinellas County	Dade County	Various Counties	Miami-Dade North District <sup>2</sup>	Effluent Injection Zone	Lower Monitoring Zone	Upper Monitoring Zone	ASR Injection Zone	Biscayne Monitoring Zone	
		Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup>	South Beaches WWT <sup>3</sup>	Cape Canaveral WWT <sup>4</sup>	Sample Date											Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup>
Arochlor 1260 (µg/L)			< 1.0													
Toxaphene (µg/L)	3	< 0.57	< 1.0	< 0.500		< 1.77										
Chlordane (µg/L)	2		< 0.05	< 0.500		< 0.64										
Simazine (µg/L)	4			< 0.176		< 2.67										
Atrazine (µg/L)	3			< 0.625		< 1.4										
Dalapon (µg/L)	200			< 0.802		< 1.0										
2,4-D (µg/L)	70	< 0.1	< 50	< 0.362		< 0.1										
Pentachlorophenol (µg/L)	1			< 0.0545		< 0.04										
Phenols (total, µg/L)																
2,4,5-TP (silvex, µg/L)	50	< 0.2		< 0.0250		< 0.2										
Dinoseb (µg/L)	7			< 0.125		< 0.2										
Picloram (µg/L)	500			< 0.230		< 0.1										
Vinyl Chloride (µg/L)	2	< 1	< 10	< 0.2000		< 0.625										
1,1-Dichloroethene (µg/L)	7		< 5	< 0.02000		< 0.625										
Methylene Chloride (µg/L)			< 5	< 0.31000												
Trans-1,2-Dichloroethene (µg/L)	100		< 5	< 0.12000		< 2.5										
Cis-1,2-Dichloroethene (µg/L)	70		< 5	< 0.03000		< 0.625										
1,1,1-Trichloroethane (µg/L)	200		< 5	< 0.21000		< 2.5										
Carbon Tetrachloride (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.29000		< 0.625										
Benzene (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.05000		< 0.625										
1,2-Dichloroethane (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.02000		< 0.625										
Trichloroethene (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.02000		< 0.875										
1,2-Dichloropropane (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.33000		< 0.625										
Toluene (µg/L)	1000		< 5	< 0.41000		< 2.5										
1,1,2-Trichloroethane (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.23000		< 0.625										
Tetrachloroethene (µg/L)	5	< 1	< 5	< 0.21000		< 0.625										
Chlorobenzene (µg/L)	100		< 5	< 0.23000		< 0.625										
Ethylbenzene (µg/L)	700		< 5	< 0.47000		< 2.5										
m & p-Xylene (µg/L)																
o-Xylene (µg/L)																
Xylenes (total, µg/L)	10000			< 0.24000		< 0.5										
Styrene (µg/L)	100			< 0.47000		< 0.5										
1,4-Dichlorobenzene (para) (µg/L)	75	< 1	< 5	< 0.02000		< 0.517										
1,2-Dichlorobenzene (ortho) (µg/L)	600		< 5	< 0.05000		< 0.5										
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene (µg/L)	70		< 10	< 0.22000		< 10.9										
Di(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate (µg/L)	6		< 10	< 1.32		< 1.25										
Di(2-Ethylhexyl)adipate (µg/L)	400			< 0.600		< 1.12										
Benz(a)pyrene (µg/L)	0.2		< 10	< 0.0400		< 0.1										
Carbofuran (µg/L)	40			< 0.900		< 2										
Oxamyl (vudate, µg/L)	200			< 1.13		< 2										
Glyphosate (µg/L)	700			< 2.4		< 6										
Endosulfan (µg/L)	100			< 3.00		< 9.0										

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			Florida Utility Council <sup>2</sup>	Sample Date					Sample Date	Lower Monitoring Zone	Upper Monitoring Zone	ASR Injection Zone	Biscayne Monitoring Zone					
Drinking Water MCL <sup>1</sup>	20																	
Diquat (ug/L)																		
Paraquat (ug/L)																		
1,1-dichloroethane (ug/L)																		
PCB-1242 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1254 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1221 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1232 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1248 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1260 (mg/L)																		
PCB-1016 (mg/L)																		
Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs; mg/L)																		
2,3,7,8-TCDD (Dioxin; mg/L)																		
Dichloromethane (mg/L)																		

1 National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, 40 CFR 141 et seq.  
 2 Englehardt et al. 2001. Comparative Assessment of Human and Ecological Impacts from Municipal Wastewater Disposal Methods in Southeast Florida, Table 2. Numbers are the average of the means of the measurements calculated with non-detects as zero and non-detects at their detection limit values.  
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 7 Miami Dade Water/Sewer, North District. 1999. Submission #9903001041, pp. 47-52. Screen effluent collected 3/19/99. Monitoring results below detection limits are indicated by showing a less than (<) sign preceding the reported detection limit.  
 8 For systems that collect >40 samples per month, MCL is 5% monthly samples are positive; for systems that collect <40 samples per month, MCL is 1 positive sample.  
 9 Annual Average calculated from monthly averages in 1999 and 2001 supplied by Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Cape Canaveral NPDES constituent data). Data from May and June 2001 are unavailable, therefore, annual averages for 2001 are calculated from 10 monthly averages.

**Appendix Table 1-2. Summary of Treated Wastewater Effluent Characteristics - Southeast Florida Outfall Experiment (SEFLOE)**

Parameter Name		Broward		Hollywood		Dade-North		Dade-Central	
		Arithmetic Average of data from four sampling dates	Average excluding "questionable" data points	Data from one sampling date	Average	Average excluding "questionable" data points	Average	Average excluding "questionable" data points	
Arithmetic Average									
Ammonia (mg/L)		12.48		5.96		10.46			
Nitrogen, total Kjeldahl (mg/L)	14.31		9.38		13.4				
Phosphorus, Total (mg/L)	1.66		0.97		1.6				
Nitrates (mg/L)	0.42		1.70						
Nitrites (mg/L)	2.01								
Nitrates + Nitrites (mg/L)	2.07								
Oil & Grease (mg/L)	2.17		19.24		3.27			2.54	
Parameter Name		Broward		Hollywood		Dade-North		Dade-Central	
		Arithmetic Average of data from four sampling dates	Average excluding "questionable" data points	Data from one sampling date	Arithmetic Average of data from two sampling dates	Average excluding "questionable" data points	Average	Average excluding "questionable" data points	
1,1,1 Trichloroethane (µg/L)	Average	1.1	1.1						
Arsenic Total (mg/L)	0.032	0.001	0.013	0.013	0.013	0.022	0.022	0.022	
Cadmium Total (mg/L)	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.005	0.005	0.005	
Chloroform (µg/L)	1.65	1.65	10	9.01	9.01				
Chromium Total (mg/L)	0.047	0.047		0.018	0.018	0.023	0.023	0.023	
Copper Total (mg/L)	0.037	0.012		0.008	0.008	0.005	0.005	0.005	
Cyanide Total (mg/L)									
Dichlorobromomethane (µg/L)	0.615	0.615							
Ethylbenzene (µg/L)				0.25	0.25				
Heptachlor (µg/L)				0.092	0				
Lead Total (mg/L)	0.004	0.004		0.010	0.010	0.02	0.02	0.02	
Nickel total (mg/L)	0.015	0.015	70	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.003	
Phenols, Total (µg/L)						11	11	11	
Selenium Total (mg/L)	0.007	0.007		0.0005	0.0005	0.007	0.007	0	
Silver Total (mg/L)	0.0005	0.0005	0.010 (gues)			3	3	3	
Tetrachloroethylene (µg/L)				0.019	0.019	0.007	0.007	0.007	
Thallium Total (mg/L)									
Toluene (µg/L)				1.07	1.07				
Zinc Total (mg/L)	0.054	0.036	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.041	0.041	0.041	

1 Hazen and Sawyer, Inc. 1994. SEFLOE II Final Report. pp. III-182-185; III-202-205; and III-210-213. Average values represent 7-43 sampling records from Broward County North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, the Miami-Dade North District and Central District Wastewater Treatment Plants, and the City of Hollywood Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Appendix Table 1-2. Summary of Treated Wastewater Effluent Characteristics - SEFLOE data<sup>1</sup> Continued

Hollywood	
Parameter	sampling point (11/25/91)
Chloroform (µg/L)	10
Silver, Total (µg/L)	10 (ques)
Zinc, Total (µg/L)	15
Phenols, Total (µg/L)	70

Parameter	2/13/1991	9/20/1991	2/11/1992	3/24/1992	average	average - ques points
Dichlorobromomethane (µg/L)	n/a	n/a	0	1.23	0.615	0.615
Chloroform (µg/L)	1.7	0.0	2.72	2.18	1.65	1.65
1,1,1 Trichloroethane (µg/L)	1.5	0.0	2.68	1.0525	1.0525	1.0525
Arsenic Total (µg/L)	0.0	124.0	1.7	2.3	32	1.333333333
Cadmium Total (µg/L)	0.0	8.3	0.03	2.15	2.15	2.15
Chromium Total (µg/L)	2.8	3.3	3.2	179	47.075	47.075
Copper Total (µg/L)	2.1	20.0	111.3	14.4	36.95	12.16666667
Lead Total (µg/L)	0.0	5.0	4.8	6.7	4.125	4.125
Nickel total (µg/L)	4.2	44.0	6.8	6.7	15.425	15.425
Selenium Total (µg/L)	0.0	23.3	1	2	6.575	6.575
Silver Total (µg/L)	0.0	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.475	0.475
Zinc Total (µg/L)	20.0	52.5	111	34	54.375	35.5

Dade-Central				
Parameter	2/22/1991	9/20/1991	average	ave - ques points
Tetrachloroethylene (µg/L)	0	6	3	3
Antimony Total (µg/L)	44.8	0	22.4	22.4
Cadmium Total (µg/L)	9	0	4.5	4.5
Copper Total (µg/L)	35	10	22.5	22.5
Lead Total (µg/L)	40	0	20	20
Nickel total (µg/L)	5	0	2.5	2.5
Silver, Total (µg/L)	14	0	7	0
Thallium Total (µg/L)	13	0	6.5	6.5
Zinc Total (µg/L)	82	0	41	41
Cyanide Total (µg/L)	9.6	0	4.8	4.8
Phenols, Total (µg/L)		11	11	11

Dade-North				
Parameter	2/27/1991	2/18/1992	average	ave - ques points
Chloroform (µg/L)	10.01	8.0	9.005	9.005
Ethylbenzene (µg/L)	0.5	0	0.25	0.25
Toluene (µg/L)	2.14	0	1.07	1.07
Heptachlor (µg/L)	0.183	0	0.0915	0
Antimony Total (µg/L)	26.3	0	13.15	13.15
Arsenic Total (µg/L)	0.83	0	0.415	0.415
Cadmium Total (µg/L)	3.0	0	1.5	1.5
Copper Total (µg/L)	19.0	16.0	17.5	17.5
Lead Total (µg/L)	20.2	0	10.1	10.1
Nickel total (µg/L)	5	0	2.5	2.5
Selenium Total (µg/L)	0.91	0	0.455	0.455
Thallium Total (µg/L)	38.9	0	19.45	19.45

**Appendix Table 1-3. Microbial Standards and Concentrations in Treated Wastewater.**

**Microbial Standards**

<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	Drinking Water Maximum Containment Level <sup>1</sup>	Florida Department of Environmental Protection Recommended Limits <sup>2</sup>		Summary of Requirements For Disinfection Used in South Florida		
		Average	Maximum	Basic disinfection	Intermediate disinfection	High-Level disinfection
Total Coliform (col/100ml)	1, or 5%					
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)	0			< 200	≤ 14	BDL
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)						
Enterovirus (PFU/100 L) <sup>2a</sup>		0.044	0.165			
Enterovirus (PFU/100 L) <sup>2b</sup>		14	50			
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)		5.8	22	5	5	5
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)		1.4	5			
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)						
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)						
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)						
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)						
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)						
Coliphages Host E. coli C (PFU/100 mL)						

BLD = Below Detection Limit

Microbial Surface Water Concentrations (1)

Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators	Surface Water					
	Sarasota County			Hillsborough County		
	5 Streams in the vicinity of Sarasota <sup>1</sup>	Sarasota Bay <sup>1</sup>	Phillippi Creek <sup>1</sup>	Tampa Bypass Canal <sup>1</sup>	Average	Range
	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range
Total Coliform (col/100ml)						
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)						
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)						
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)	6.6	ND-157	ND	3.1	ND-11	ND-11
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)	ND	ND	ND	0.42	ND-2.9	ND-2.9
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)						
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)						
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)						
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)						
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)						
Coliphages Host E. coli C (PFU/100 mL)						

ND= Nondetect

**Microbial Surface Waters Concentrations (2)**

	Surface Waters
	Brevard County
	Duda Ditches <sup>2</sup>
	single sampling date
<u>Total Coliform (col/100ml)</u>	
<u>Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)</u>	100.9
<u>Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)</u>	
<u>Cryptosporidium (oocysts/100 L)</u>	
<u>Giardia lamblia (cysts/100 L)</u>	
<u>Enterococci (cfu/100 mL)</u>	
<u>Clostridium perfringens (cfu/100 mL)</u>	
<u>Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)</u>	
<u>Enterovirus (PFU/100L)</u>	
<u>Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)</u>	
<u>Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)</u>	



**Microbial Concentrations in Untreated and Treated Wastewater (1)**

<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	Raw Wastewater	Secondary Treated Wastewater	Secondary Treated Wastewater					
	United States	Dade County	Broward County					
	Urban Communities within the United States <sup>1</sup> sampling dates unknown	MDWSD North District IW3 <sup>2</sup> sampling date 3/19/99	City of Fort Lauderdale <sup>3</sup> sampling date 4/25/96	City of Hollywood <sup>3</sup> sampling date 4/25/96	Sunrise (IW1 and IW2) <sup>3</sup> sampling date 2/11/00	Sunrise (IW3) <sup>3</sup> Sawgrass sampling date unknown	Hollywood WTP (reuse filter) <sup>3</sup> sampling date 7/9/99	Broward County Regional WWTP (Reuse Composite Sampler) <sup>4</sup> average of 30 values taken in September 2001
Total Coliform (col/100ml)	22 x (10 <sup>6</sup> )	0.0005	2100	0.5	280	180	0.5	0.033
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)	8 x (10 <sup>6</sup> )							0
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)								
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)								
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)								
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)								
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)								
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)								
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)								
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)								
Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)								

Microbial Concentrations in Treated Wastewater (2)

	Secondary Effluent				
	Brevard County <sup>5</sup>				
	BCUD/ South Central Regional WWTF <sup>6</sup>	South Beaches WWTF <sup>7</sup>	BCUD/Port St. John WWTF	Barefoot Bay Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility	BCUD/ Sykes Creek Regional WWTF
<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	daily sample results (mon site EFA-1; avg of monthly)	daily sample results (mon site EFA-1; avg of monthly)	daily sample results (mon site EFA-1; avg of monthly)	daily sample results-R001 reuse irrigation (mon site EFA-1; avg)	daily sample results-reuse (mon site EFA-2; avg)
Total Coliform (col/100ml)					
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)	0.03	0.04	0.18	0	0
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)					
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)					
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)					
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)					
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)					
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)					
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)					
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)					
Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)					

Microbial Concentrations in Treated Wastewater (3)

	Reclaimed Water		Advanced Wastewater Treatment	
	Pinellas County		Brevard County	
<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	Albert Whitted WRF, St. Petersburg <sup>8</sup>	St. Petersburg <sup>9</sup>	Cape Canaveral WWTP NPDES database	Howard Curren WWTP <sup>12</sup>
	Sampling date 11/28/00	Average	Annual average 1999 <sup>10</sup>	Sample date 5/5/00
		Maximum	Annual average 2001 <sup>11</sup>	Sample date 5/16/01
	Total Coliform (col/100ml)			
	Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)		0.125	
	Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)			
	<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)	0.75		<0.7
	<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)	0.49		<0.7
	<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)			
	<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)			
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)				
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)	0.01	0.133		
Coliphages Host <i>E. coli</i> (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)				
Coliphages Host <i>E. coli</i> C (pfu/100 mL)				

Microbial Concentrations in Monitoring Wells (1)

Deep Injection Monitoring Wells			
Pinellas County			
	Well ID AWWRF 757 <sup>1</sup>	Well ID AWWRF 758 <sup>1</sup>	Well ID AWWRF 779 <sup>1</sup>
<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	Average of the results from 20 sampling events between 4/98 and 12/00	Average of the results from 20 sampling events between 4/98 and 12/00	Average of the results from 20 sampling events between 4/98 and 12/00
Total Coliform (col/100ml)			<0.058
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)			<0.058
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)			<0.17
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)			<0.17
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)			<0.058
Clostridium perfringens (cfu/100 mL)			<0.058
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)			
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)			
Coliphages Host E. coli (pF amp) (PFU/100 mL)			<5
Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)			<5

Microbial Concentrations in Ground Water Monitoring Wells (2)

Deep Injection Monitoring Wells					
Various Counties					
<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	Native Water Monitoring Zones				
	Effluent Injection Zone	Lower Monitoring Zone	Upper Monitoring Zone	ASR Injection Zone	Biscayne Monitoring Zone
Total Coliform (col/100ml)	33.50	7.00	0.500	6.00	
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)					
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)					
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)					
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)					
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)					
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)					
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)					
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)					
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)					
Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)					

Microbial Concentrations in Ground Water Monitoring Wells (3)

		Deep Injection Monitoring Wells					
		Pinellas County					
<u>Microbial Pathogens and Sewage Indicators</u>	A WWRF well 779 <sup>2</sup>	SWWRF well 765 <sup>2</sup>	SWWRF well 768 <sup>2</sup>	NWWRF well 798 <sup>2</sup>	AWWRF well 758 <sup>2</sup>	NEWRF well 784 <sup>2</sup>	
	Sample date 12/1/99	Sample date 12/1/99	Sample date 12/1/99	Sample date 12/1/99	Sample date 12/1/99	Sample date 12/1/99	
Total Coliform (col/100ml)	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	
Fecal Coliform (cfu/100ml)	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	
Enterovirus (mpn/100 L)	<0.071	<0.060	<0.075	<0.05	0.074	<0.080	
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> (oocysts/100 L)	1.18	<0.30	0.74	0.36	0.14	<0.11	
<i>Giardia lamblia</i> (cysts/100 L)	<0.29	<0.30	<0.15	<0.30	<0.14	<0.11	
<i>Enterococci</i> (cfu/100 mL)	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (cfu/100 mL)	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	<0.058	
Coliphages (pfu/100 mL)	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	
Enterovirus (PFU/100L)							
Coliphages Host E. coli (pFamp) (PFU/100 mL)							
Coliphages Host E. coli C (pfu/100 mL)							

## **FOOTNOTES TO APPENDIX 1-3 (MICROBIAL PATHOGEN TABLE).**

### **Footnotes for Table – Microbial Standards**

- 1 Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL). National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, 40 CFR 141 et seq.
- 2 York, D.W., P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman. 2002. Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: the Florida Experience. 2002 Water Sources Conference.
  - 2a. Assumes all Enterovirus is highly infective Rotavirus.
  - 2b. Assumes all Enterovirus is moderately infective Echovirus.

### **Footnotes for Table - Microbial Concentrations in Treated Effluent**

- 1 Geldrieck, E.E. 1978 in Wood, I.R. et al. 1993. Ocean Disposal of Wastewater. Advanced Series on Ocean Engineering. Volume 8. World Scientific Publishing Co. Pte. Ltd. Samples taken from several urban communities in the United States.
- 2 Englehardt al. 2001. Comparative Assessment of Human and Ecological Impacts from Municipal Wastewater Disposal Methods in Southeast Florida. Florida Water and Environment Utility Council.
- 3 Englehardt al. 2001. Comparative Assessment of Human and Ecological Impacts from Municipal Wastewater Disposal Methods in Southeast Florida. Florida Water and Environment Utility Council.
- 4 Broward County Office of Environmental Services, Environmental Operations Division, Compliance and Monitoring Section. Facsimile. Contact: Richard Walker.
- 5 Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports for Brevard County.
- 6 Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports for Brevard County. No detection limit was given; zero was used in calculations where non-detect (ND) was entered on data form. Values are averages from monthly reported values for March, April, and May 2001, except for “created wetlands” value, which is the average of March and April reported values (no discharge to wetlands in May 2001) and for “surface water” value.
- 7 Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports for Brevard County. Values are averages from monthly reported values for March, April, and May 2001, calculated by Horsley & Witten, Inc. No detection limit was given; zero was used in calculations where non-detect (ND) was entered on data form.

- 8 Sampling results provided by Mr. Alfredo Crafa, Environmental Compliance Division, Albert Whitted Wastewater Reclamation Facility, March 18, 2002, City of St. Petersburg, Florida.
- 9 York, D.W., P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman. 2002. Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: the Florida Experience. 2002 Water Sources Conference.
- 10 Annual average calculated from monthly averages in 1999 supplied by Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Cape Canaveral National Pollution Discharge Elimination System constituent data). Data from May, June, November, and December are unavailable; therefore, coliforms per 100 mL annual averages for 1999 are calculated from 8 monthly averages. Seven of eight months reported 0 fecal coliforms; one month detected <1 fecal rk. Personal Communication (February 22, 2002). Results are for pathogens in reclaimed wastewater intended for reuse.
- 11 Annual average calculated from twelve monthly averages in 2001 supplied by Florida Department of Environmental Protection (Cape Canaveral NPDES constituent data). Eleven months reported <1 cfu/100 mL; one month (January) reported 2.8 cfu/100 mL.
- 12 David York, Ph.D., P.E., Reuse Coordinator, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, personal communication (February 22, 2002). Results are the pathogens in reuse effluent from the Howard Curran Wastewater Treatment Plant.

#### **Footnotes for Table - Microbial Data from Monitoring Wells**

- 1 The Albert Whitted Wastewater Reclamation Facility provided sampling data for microbes from effluent treated to Advanced treatment standards. Values are the average of 20 sampling events for microbial concentrations in three (3) monitoring wells between the period of March 1998 and December 2000.
- 2 Sampling results provided by Mr. Alfredo Crafa, Environmental Compliance Division, Albert Whitted Wastewater Reclamation Facility, March 18, 2002, City of St. Petersburg, Florida.
- 3 Rose, J.B., and W. Quintero-Betancourt, J. Jarrel, E. Lipp, S. Farrah, G. Lukasik, and T. Scott. 2001. Deep Injection Monitoring Well: Water Quality Monitoring Report. Report to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection.



#### **Footnotes for Table - Microbial Data from Surface Waters**

- 1 Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Risk Impact Statement, Phase II Revisions to Chapter 62-610, F.A.C., Docket No. 95-08R.
- 2 Average of samples taken on 3/13/01 at 10 surface water-sampling stations. Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports.

#### **Footnotes for Table - Microbial Data from Ohio River in the Cincinnati, Ohio Area**

- 1 York, D.W., P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman. 2002. Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: the Florida Experience. 2002 Water Sources Conference. Values are the average of five separate sampling events.
- 2 York, D.W., P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman. 2002. Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: the Florida Experience. 2002 Water Sources Conference. Values are the average of four separate sampling events.
- 3 York, D.W., P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman. 2002. Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: the Florida Experience. 2002 Water Sources Conference. Values are the average of two separate sampling events.

#### **Footnotes for Table - SDWTP Monitoring Well Data, Dade County**

- 1 South District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Miami-Dade County, Florida. Monitoring Well Purging Report.

## Appendix 1-3. Microbial Pathogens and Description of Data Sources

### 1.0 General

Appendix Table 1-3 provides data on microbial concentrations in treated effluent and monitoring samples, collected from various sources. These sources include information compiled from:

- The National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) effluent quality database for Cape Canaveral WWTP including years 1999-2001;
- David York (*personal communication*), regarding microbial concentrations in treated effluent at the Howard Curren WWTP in Hillsborough County;
- Several sets of microbial data from the Alfred Whitted AWT facility, including results for treated effluent and deep injection monitoring wells;
- A Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council (FWEAUC) report, including monitoring data from several groundwater monitoring zones and data from secondary-treated effluent from facilities in Broward and Dade counties;
- A report to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection authored by JB Rose, W. Quintero-Betancourt, J. Jarrel, E. Lipp, S. Farah, G. Lukasic, and T. Scott in 2001, which includes data for six deep injection monitoring well wells in St. Petersburg, Pinellas County;
- Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports for several wastewater treatment facilities in Brevard County, including:
  - BCUD/South Central Regional WWTF
  - Barefoot Bay WWTF
  - BCUD/Sykes Creek Regional WWTP
  - BCUD/Port St. John WWTF
  - South Beaches WWTF
- The Broward County Office of Environmental Services, which provided water quality data for reclaimed water (including total coliform and fecal coliform values) from the Broward County Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant for the month of September 2001;
- A report by D.W. York, P. Menendez, and L. Walker-Coleman entitled *Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: The Florida Experience 2002*, which includes a review of reclaimed water quality in St. Petersburg as reported by J.B. Rose and R. P. Carnahan; and
- A Risk Impact Statement prepared in 1998 by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, which includes surface water monitoring data for microbes for Sarasota and Hillsborough Counties.

### 2.0 The National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) data for Cape Canaveral for the years 1999-2001 were obtained in spreadsheet format from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection. The average annual concentrations of fecal coliform bacteria in treated effluent from this facility were calculated from monthly averages in 1999 and

2001. Data from May, June, November, and December 1999 were unavailable; therefore, the annual average number of fecal coliform colony forming units (cfu) per 100 mL was calculated from 8 monthly averages. Seven of eight months reported zero (0) fecal coliforms; one month detected fewer than 1 cfu per 100 mL of treated effluent. During 2001, eleven of twelve monthly results were less than 1 cfu/100 mL; one month (January) reported 2.8 cfu/100 mL.

### **3.0 Howard Curren WWTP**

David York, Ph.D., Reuse Coordinator for the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, provided results from two sampling events at the Howard Current Wastewater Treatment Plant. These sampling events measured *Giardia* and *Cryptosporidium* in effluent treated to reuse standards. These sampling events occurred on May 5, 2000, and on May 16, 2001.

### **4.0 Albert Whitted Water Reclamation Facility**

The Albert Whitted Wastewater Reclamation Facility provided sampling data for microbes from effluent treated to Advanced Treatment standards (sampling date November 28, 2000) as well as from three deep monitoring wells (sampling date October 13, 2000). The microbial results for the treated effluent sample were obtained from a single sample of 378.5 liters. The deep monitoring well results in the table reflect the data from each of the three wells as well as duplicate samples for each monitoring well; all microbial parameters were below detection limits (indicated by the "less than" (<) sign) in all the monitoring well samples.

### **5.0 Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council**

The Florida Water Environment Association Utility Council (FWEAUC) report (Englehardt et al., 2001) provided analysis of sampling and monitoring results of effluent that had been treated to different standards (advanced wastewater treatment, secondary treatment, and advanced secondary treatment) as well as "native" ambient water in injection zones and monitoring zones in target aquifers. The data that presented in the "Native Water Monitoring Zones" columns in Table X.X represents "digested" data that have already been processed by the FWEAUC authors, who calculated the average concentrations of each parameter from several sampling locations and events. The "digested" data effectively assign a value of one-half the detection limit to non-detects, a standard approach not inconsistent with risk assessment methodologies (US EPA, 1998).

The authors of the FWEAUC report also include raw concentration data for each of the sampling stations in appendices B and C of their report. The concentration of total coliform bacteria for several wastewater treatment facilities in south Florida were obtained from these appendices and entered into Table X.X. Microbial data were only available for facilities treating to secondary treatment standards. Non-detects (for the City of Hollywood treated effluent and reuse filter) were assigned a value of one-half the

detection limit of 1.0 cfu/100 mL (0.5 cfu/100 mL) in the table. Facilities for which total coliform bacteria concentrations were available include:

- City of Hollywood (Broward County);
- City of Sunrise Sawgrass Facility (IW3; Broward County);
- City of Ft. Lauderdale (Broward County);
- Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department North District (IW3; Dade County);
- City of Hollywood Reuse Filter (Broward County); and
- City of Sunrise (IW1 + IW2; Broward County).

### **St. Petersburg, Pinellas County**

A report to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection authored by JB Rose, W. Quintero-Betancourt, J. Jarrel, E. Lipp, S. Farah, G. Lukasic, and T. Scott in 2001 includes monitoring data for six deep monitoring wells associated with Class I municipal injection wells at four wastewater facilities in St. Petersburg: the Southwest Wastewater Reclamation Facility (SWWRF), the Northwest Wastewater Reclamation Facility (NWWRF), the Northeast Wastewater Reclamation Facility (NEWRF) and the Albert Whitted Wastewater Reclamation Facility (AWWRF). Values entered into Table X.X (monitoring wells) represent results from single sampling events at each monitoring well.

### **6.0 Florida Department of Environmental Protection Discharge Monitoring Reports**

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection provided monthly Discharge Monitoring Reports covering March, April, and May 2001, for several wastewater treatment facilities in Brevard County. Those facilities include:

- BCUD/South Central Regional WWTF
- Barefoot Bay WWTF
- BCUD/Sykes Creek Regional WWTP
- BCUD/Port St. John WWTF
- South Beaches WWTF

For each of the facilities daily monitoring data were provided for Fecal Coliform levels. The values entered in Table XX (treated effluent) are the averages for March, April and May that are then averaged together.

### **7.0 Broward County Office of Environmental Services**

Richard Walker provided monitoring data, via facsimile, from the Broward County Office of Environmental Services Analytical Laboratory, for the Broward County Regional WWTP. Daily monitoring data was supplied for the month of September 2001 for advanced secondary treated effluent. The sampling location was the Reuse Composite Sampler. Total and Fecal Coliform levels were reported in counts/100 mL.

The values in Table XX (treated effluent) are the average of the 30 values reported for September 2001.

## **8.0 Pathogens in Reclaimed Water: The Florida Experience**

The paper authored by David York, Ph.D., and Lauren Walker-Coleman of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and Pepe Menendez, P.E., of the Florida Department of Health outlines Florida's addition of required monitoring for the protozoan pathogens *Cryptosporidium* and *Giardia* in domestic wastewater, to the state's regulations regarding water reuse. The paper contains summarized monitoring data through September 2001 taken in Monterey County, California and St. Petersburg Florida. The data provided in Table XX (treated effluent) represents the average of all data collected through September 2001 and the maximum concentration of pathogens found reclaimed water. The paper also contains fecal and total coliform data from the Ohio River in the Cincinnati, Ohio area. These data were taken over a four month period from September 8, 1975 through December 1, 1975. Three separate sampling stations were monitored and the values in table XY (surface water) are the averages of the combined sampling events at each separate station.

## **9.0 Risk Impact Statement, Florida Department of Environmental Protection**

Surface water monitoring data for microbes for Sarasota and Hillsborough Counties were taken from the Risk Impact Statement, Phase II Revisions prepared by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection. The data provided in Table XX represents the average concentrations and the range of oocysts/100L of water of *Giardia* and *Cryptosporidium* in reclaimed water in St. Petersburg and surface waters in Sarasota and Hillsborough Counties. The sampling dates for this study are unknown. The surface waters samples collected in Sarasota County include 24 samples taken in five streams, four samples taken from a high quality estuary within Sarasota Bay, and 16 samples taken from Phillippi Creek, an urban stream within Sarasota. The samples collected in Hillsborough County include seven samples taken from the Tampa Bypass Canal

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**Appendix Table 1-4. Fecal Coliform Concentrations in Secondary Treated Wastewater Effluent, South Dade Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dade County.**

Number of times sampled and range of dates	Effluent <sup>1</sup>	
	Fecal coliform colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
44 5/7/91-5/4/93	0	5/7/91
	40,000	5/14/91
	>400	5/21/91
	9,200	5/28/91
	800	6/4/91
	72,000	6/18/91
	152,000	6/25/91
	180,000	8/6/91
	4,000	8/13/91
	80,000	8/20/91
	190,000	8/27/91
	150,000	9/17/91
	260,000	9/24/91
	490,000	10/1/91
	430,000	10/16/90
	300	10/22/91
	300,000	10/29/91
	160,000	11/5/91
	80,000	11/13/91
	50,000	11/19/91
	280,000	11/26/91
	170,000	12/3/91
	18,000	12/10/91
	24,000	12/17/91
	580,000	12/26/91
	17,000,000	1/2/92
	150,000	1/14/92
	0	1/21/91
	20,000	1/28/92
	80,000	2/4/92
	50,000	2/13/92
	30,000	2/18/92
	30,000	2/25/92
	510,000	3/3/92
	50,000	3/10/92
	50,000	3/17/92
	21	3/2/93
	10,000	3/9/93
	50,000	3/16/93
	160,000	3/30/93



Effluent <sup>1</sup>		
Number of times sampled and range of dates	Fecal coliform colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
44 5/7/91 - 5/4/93 (cont.)	10,000	4/6/93
	32,000	4/13/93
	160,000	4/20/93
	124	4/27/93
52 5/11/93-4/4/95	18,000	5/4/93
	29,000	5/11/93
	12,000	5/18/93
	7,000	5/25/93
	4,800	6/3/93
	55,000	6/8/93
	52,000	6/15/93
	16,000	6/21/93
	152,000	6/29/93
	19,400	7/8/93
	13,800	7/13/93
	58,000	7/20/93
	61,000	7/27/93
	39,000	8/5/93
	21,000	8/9/93
	31,000	8/18/93
	6,000	8/25/93
	6,600	9/1/93
	26,000	9/8/93
	22,000	9/14/93
	2,650	9/21/93
	17,400	9/28/93
	32,500	10/5/93
	5,000	10/13/93
	235	10/19/93
	12,000	10/28/93
	900	11/2/93
	40	11/9/93
	48,000	11/16/93
	140,000	11/30/93
	3,000	12/7/93
	210,000	12/21/93
	36,000	12/28/93
310,000	1/6/94	
760,000	1/11/94	
74,000	1/18/94	
4	1/10/95	
2	1/31/95	

Effluent <sup>1</sup>		
Number of times sampled and range of dates	Fecal coliform colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
52 5/11/93-4/4/95	4	2/6/95
	2	2/13/95
	19,800	2/21/95
	9,800	2/28/95
	156	3/8/95
	230,000	3/28/95
	120,000	4/4/95
49 4/18/95-2/4/97	62	4/18/95
	6	5/2/95
	12,000	5/16/95
	46,000	5/23/95
	100,000	5/31/95
	180,000	6/7/95
	8	6/13/95
	154,000	6/20/95
	70,000	6/27/95
	80,300	7/5/95
	120,000	7/18/95
	64,000	7/21/95
	24,000	8/3/95
	58,000	8/8/95
	13,000	8/15/95
	58,000	8/23/95
	14,000	8/29/95
	42,000	9/5/95
	18,500	9/12/95
	56,000	9/19/95
	70,000	9/28/95
	32,000	10/3/95
	29,000	10/11/95
	70,000	10/17/95
	29,000	10/31/95
	42,000	11/7/95
	67,000	10/8/96
	480,000	10/16/96
	140,000	10/22/96
	33,000	10/29/96
45,500	11/5/96	
45,000	11/12/96	
99,000	11/19/96	
62,500	11/26/96	
93,000	12/3/96	
26,000	12/10/96	

Effluent <sup>1</sup>		
Number of times sampled and range of dates	Fecal coliform colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
4/18/95-2/4/97 (cont.)	128,000	12/17/96
	680,000	12/24/96
	780,000	12/31/96
	130,000	1/7/97
	61,000	1/14/97
	780,000	1/21/97
	705,000	1/28/97
	50,000	2/4/97
40 2/11/97- 10/2/97	38,000	2/11/97
	22,500	2/18/97
	38,000	2/25/97
	38,000	3/4/97
	670,000	3/11/97
	92,300	3/18/97
	53,000	3/25/97
	25,500	4/2/97
	23,500	4/8/97
	21,500	4/15/97
	30,000	4/22/97
	150,000	4/29/97
	140,000	5/13/97
	90,000	5/20/97
	42,000	5/27/97
	142,000	6/3/97
	72,500	6/10/97
	25,600	6/17/97
	37,000	6/24/97
	42	7/1/97
	21,500	7/8/97
	176,000	7/15/97
	24,000	7/22/97
	36,000	8/5/97
	64,000	8/12/97
	16	8/19/97
	12,200	8/26/97
	415,000	7/28/98
	380,000	8/4/98
	715,000	8/11/98
	665,000	8/25/98
	2,300,000	9/1/98
2,400,000	9/8/98	
9,000,000	9/15/98	
400,000	9/29/98	

<b>Effluent<sup>1</sup></b>		
<b>Number of times sampled and range of dates</b>	<b>Fecal coliform colonies/100 mL</b>	<b>Date(s) detected</b>
2/11/97- 10/2/97 (cont.)	2,400,000	9/8/98
	9,000,000	9/15/98
	400,000	9/29/98
	3,100,000	10/6/98
	7,050,000	10/14/98
	7,050,000	10/20/98
	1,090,000	10/28/98

<sup>1</sup> Reference: South District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Miami Dade Water and Sewer Department, Miami Dade County, Florida. Monitoring Well Purging Report (Report A) December 26, 2002.

Appendix Table 1-5. Fecal Coliform Concentrations From Monitoring Wells, South District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dade County

Monitoring well <sup>1</sup>	Depth (feet)	Number of times sampled	Number of fecal coliforms detections (>0)	Fecal coliforms, colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
FA 1-U	980-1,090	230	7	2	3/1/87
				4	3/1/90
				14	1/1/91
				94	10/1/92
				400	12/8/92
				150	4/13/93
				6	1/10/95
FA 1-L	1,840-1,927	227	3	4	3/1/90
				4	10/1/92
				58	12/8/92
FA 2-U	980-1,020	208	6	2	12/1/90
				>2000	9/24/92
				520	10/1/92
				340	10/8/92
				110	10/14/92
				4	10/20/92
FA 2-L	1,645-1,672	213	1	10	10/1/92
				6	3/9/93
FA 3-U	981-1,050	183	5	2	3/16/93
				8	4/13/93
				200	11/28/94
				4	6/13/95
				2	5/21/91
FA 3-L	1,771-1,892	184	2	4	4/13/93
				100	9/24/92
Zone 4	1,702-1,840	151	1	2	1/10/95
FA 5-U	1,490-1,588	95	1	6	4/4/95
FA 5-L	1,790-1,890	121	1	4	1/10/95
FA 6-U	1,490-1,584	99	1	4	1/10/95

Monitoring well <sup>1</sup>	Depth (feet)	Number of times sampled	Number of fecal coliforms detections (>0)	Fecal coliforms colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
FA 6-L	1,790-1,890	101	0	N/A	N/A
FA 7-U	1,488-1,580	105	1	18	4/4/95
FA 7-L	1,805-1,872	116	0	N/A	N/A
FA 8-U	1,490-1,575	103	1	2	6/13/95
FA 8-L	1,790-1,890	103	0	N/A	N/A
FA 9-U	1,490-1,587	94	1	14	6/13/95
FA 9-L	1,790-1,880	84	1	2	6/13/95
FA 10-U	1,490-1,592	67	0	N/A	N/A
FA 10-L	1,790-1,890	84	0	N/A	N/A
FA 11-U	1,490-1,588	42	0	N/A	N/A
FA 11-L	1,790-1,890	75	0	N/A	N/A
FA 12-U	1,495-1,597	87	0	N/A	N/A
FA 12-L	1,790-1,890	78	0	N/A	N/A
FA 13-U	1480-1,585	89	0	N/A	N/A
FA 13-L	1,740-1,845	81	0	N/A	N/A
FA 14-U	1,490-1,575	87	0	N/A	N/A
FA 15-U	1,490-1,575	83	0	N/A	N/A
FA 15-L	1,790-1,890	79	0	N/A	N/A
FA 16-U	1,490-1,590	89	0	N/A	N/A
FA 16-L	1,790-1,890	80	0	N/A	N/A
BZ 1	1,005-1,037	190	33	40 16 13 50 14 116 362 62	11/1/90 12/1/90 1/1/91 3/3/92 4/7/92 4/21/92 5/5/92 5/12/92

Monitoring well <sup>1</sup>	Depth (feet)	Number of times sampled	Number of fecal coliforms detections (>0)	Fecal coliforms colonies/100 mL	Date(s) detected
				86	5/20/92
				22	5/26/92
				106	6/9/92
				14	6/16/92
				212	6/23/92
				2	6/30/92
				2	7/7/92
				6	7/14/92
				4	7/21/92
				2	8/11/92
				2	8/18/92
				30	9/24/92
				400	10/1/92
				130	10/8/92
				500	10/14/92
BZ 1(cont.)	1,005-1,037	(cont)	33	88	10/20/92
				208	10/27/92
				54	11/3/92
				530	11/10/92
				20	11/17/92
				200	1/8/93
				24	3/9/93
				400	3/16/93
				192	3/30/93
BZ-2	1,577-1,664	97	0	496	4/6/93
				N/A	N/A

<sup>1</sup> Reference: South District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Miami Dade Water and Sewer Department, Miami Dade County, Florida. Monitoring Well Purging Report ( Report A) December 26, 2002.

Appendix 1-6. Class 1 Facilities in South Florida.

FACILITY AND WELL DATA

Facility	Injection Wells			
	Active	Inactive	Under Construction	Proposed
Albert Whitted	2	-	-	-
MDW&S South District Regional	13	4	4	-
Seacoast Utilities	1	-	-	-
McKay Creek	2	-	-	-
South Cross Bayou	3	-	-	-
St. Petersburg NE	3	-	-	-
St. Petersburg NW	2	-	-	-
St. Petersburg SW	3	-	-	-
Broward County - North District Regional	4	-	2	2
G.T. Lohmeyer	5	-	-	-
Margate	2	-	-	-
MDW&S North District Regional	-	2	2	-
Palm Beach County - Southern Regional	2	-	-	-
Plantation Regional (Broward County)	2	-	-	-
South Beaches	1	-	-	-
Sunrise	3	-	-	-
Sykes Creek (Merritt Island)	2	-	-	-
Belle Glade	1	-	-	-
Brentwood WWTP (Atlantic Utilities)	1	-	-	-
Coral Springs Improvement District	2	-	-	-
East Port (Charlotte)	2	-	-	-
East-Central Regional	6	-	-	1
Encon	1	-	-	-
Ft. Myers Beach	1	-	-	-
Ft. Pierce Utility Authority	1	-	-	-
Gasparilla Island	1	-	-	-
Immokalee	-	-	1	-
Manatee County SW - Subregional	1	-	-	-
Melbourne - Grant St.	1	-	-	-
Miramar WWTP	2	-	-	-
North Ft. Myers Utilities	1	-	-	-
North Port (Charlotte)	1	-	-	-
Pahokee	1	-	-	-
Palm Bay (GDU-Port Malabar)	1	-	-	-
Palm Beach County System #9	1	-	-	-
Pembroke Pines	2	-	-	-
Port St. Lucie Westport	-	-	-	1
Punta Gorda	-	-	2	-
Rockledge	1	-	-	-
Royal Palm Beach	1	-	-	-
South Collier County	1	-	-	-
South Port St. Lucie	1	-	-	-
Stuart	2	-	-	-
West Melbourne	1	-	-	-
West Port (Charlotte)	1	-	-	-



Appendix Table 1-6. Class I Facility Treatment and Flow Data

Facility	Permitted Treatment Capacity (MGD)	Permitted Injection Rate (Well Capacity) (MGD)	Total Well Capacity (MGD)	Injectate Characteristics/ Current Treatment in Place	Emergency Disposal Practice	
Albert Whitted	12.40	24.00	Per 2 wells	48.00	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	Injection wells used for backup/wet-weather disposal.
		15.9	IW-1			
		17.5	IW-2			
		16.9	IW-3			
		17.8	IW-4			
		10.18	IW-5			
		15.00	IW-6			
		16.7	IW-7			
		15.0	IW-8			
		18.9	IW-9			
		17.5	IW-10			
		17.2	IW-11			
		17.2	IW-12			
		16.1	IW-13			
		14.9	IW-14			
		14.9	IW-15			
		14.9	IW-16			
		14.9	IW-17			
MDW&S South District Regional		(208)	(Total 1-13)	269.48	Secondary treated domestic wastewater effluent	
Seacoast Utilities		15.00	IW-1	15.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
McKay Creek	6.00	6.35	Per 2 wells	12.70	Secondary treated municipal effluent from a Type 1 contact stabilization municipal sewage treatment plant with filtered chlorinated effluent.	
South Cross Bayou	24.50	10.20	Per 3 wells	20.40	Filtered and chlorinated effluent from a conventional activated sludge municipal treatment plant.	
St. Petersburg NE	16.00	27.00	Total 3 wells	27.00	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	
St. Petersburg NW	20.00	16.00	Per 2 wells	32.00	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	
St. Petersburg SW	20.00	9.00	Per 3 wells	27.00	Municipal effluent from a Type 1 activated sludge plant with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and backup disposal to wells.	
Broward County - North District Regional		15	Per 4 wells			
		18.7	IW-5, 6	97.40	Secondary treated domestic wastewater (effluent)	
		18.3	IW-1-4			
G.T. Lohmeyer		18.7	IW-5			
		(67)	(Pump Cap.)	91.90	Secondary treatment	
Margate		8.15	IW- 1			Excess wastewater from East WWTP discharged to Margate canal and excess from West WWTP discharged to One Mile canal.
		15	IW- 2	23.15	Secondary treated domestic wastewater.	
MDW&S North District Regional		18.70	Per 2 wells	33.40	Secondary treated domestic wastewater (effluent)	
Palm Beach County - Southern Regional		15.00	Per 2 wells	30.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	3.5 MGD and 4.5 MGD diverted to Palm Beach County System #3 and #9, respectively. Remaining effluent will be disinfected and allowed to overflow to on-site stormwater detention ponds.
Plantation Regional (Broward County)		15	IW-1,2			
		(24.00)	(Pump cap.)	30.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater.	
South Beaches		9.00		9.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater (effluent)	Existing percolation ponds for overflow (15 million gallons storage). Ability to store water at Indian River and South Patrick treatment plants. A last option is discharging to the Indian River.
Sunrise		18.70	IW-1,2,3	58.10	Secondary treated domestic wastewater, may include membrane softening concentrate during planned	
		8.2	Well 1		Minimum to secondary treatment levels - no chlorination is necessary.	
Sykes Creek (Merritt Island)		8.1	Well 2	16.30		

Yellow highlighted denotes facilities reviewed for risk assessment

Source: Florida status reports -January 2002; Florida Discharge Monitoring Reports-February 2002

**Appendix 1-6 - Class I Facility Treatment and Flow Data**

Facility	Permitted Treatment Capacity (MGD)	Permitted Injection Rate (Well Capacity) (MGD)	Total Well Capacity (MGD)	Injectate Characteristics/ Current Treatment in Place	Emergency Disposal Practice
Belle Glade		10.20	10.20	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Brentwood WWTP (Atlantic Utilities)		3.41	3.41	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Coral Springs Improvement District		4.87	19.87	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	IW-1 serves as the backup well when IW-2 is out of service.
East Port (Charlotte)		2.04	9.60	Domestic wastewater	To existing onsite spray irrigation system, onsite storage pond and discharge to surface waters.
		7.56			
East-Central Regional		15.3	105.70	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Treated, chlorinated effluent to remaining injection wells and an equalization basin with capacity of 8 million gallons, and then to the Atlantic Ocean via drainage system.
		15.3			
		17.3			
		20.7			
		18.7			
		18.7			
	(98.00)	(Pump Cap.)			
Encon		18.00	18.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Chlorinated effluent to stabilization pond, overflow to recharge lake to a tributary of the Loxahatchee River.
Ft. Myers Beach		7.92	7.92	Domestic wastewater	Sent to reclaimed water system, then percolation ponds with injection used for excess effluent disposal.
Fl. Pierce Utility Authority	10.00	14.92	14.92	Conventional activated sludge secondary domestic wastewater plant with influent screening, grit removal, aeration, secondary clarification, chlorination, and dechlorination.	Surface water discharge to Indian River Lagoon
Gasparilla Island		0.81	0.81	Backup disposal of secondary treated domestic wastewater following filtration and disinfection	Well is a backup discharge mechanism to golf course irrigation. There is 2.13 million gallon onsite holding pond.
Immokalee		2.50	2.50	Backup disp of secondary treated domestic effluent	If well is out of service, flow directed to existing effluent holding ponds.
Manatee County SW - Subregional		15.00	15.00	Treated municipal effluent receiving min. of secondary treatment	
Melbourne - Grant St.		14.92	14.92	Pretreated domestic wastewaters	Surface water discharge directed to Crane Creek and on to the Indian River.
Miramar WWTP		18.50	37.00	Secondary treated municipal effluent	Directed to plant's stormwater collection system, which flows into a drainage canal.
North Ft. Myers Utilities		4.00	4.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater; following filtration and disinfection	Well is back up for plant. Additional disposal is to onsite storage pond.
North Port (Charlotte)		4.75	4.75	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Pahokee		4.00	4.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Directed to onsite polishing ponds.
Palm Bay (GDU-Port Malabar)		10.00	10.00	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Directed to South Harris Ditch to Turkey Creek and on to the Indian River.
Palm Beach County System #9		12.70	12.70	Concentrate rejected waters from low-pressure membrane softening process generated from the water treatment facility	
		7.69			
Pembroke Pines		15.27	22.96		IW-1 is used for emergency disposal. If flows exceed permitted amount, part of flow will be diverted to existing percolation pond.
		(7.69)			
		(Pump Cap.)			
Port St. Lucie Westport					
Punta Gorda		12.00	12.00	Secondary treated domestic effluent	Directed to existing effluent disposal ponds.
Rockledge		4.50	4.50	Secondary treated effluent	Directed to Indian River via 2934 feet of effluent pipeline.
Royal Palm Beach		6.34	6.34	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	onsite percolation ponds.
South Collier County		18.00	18.00	Secondary treated domestic effluent	
South Port St. Lucie		3.41	3.41	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Stuart		3.5	13.50	Secondary treated domestic wastewater; IW-1 (emergency back-up well) will inject potable water once a month	Additional emergency flow is diverted to outfall system into the St. Lucie River.
		10.00			
West Melbourne	2.50	4.80	4.80	Secondary treated effluent	Emergency ponds store 3.2 million gallons, additional flow diverted to Crane Creek drainage canal.
West Port (Charlotte)		4.75	4.75	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Flow directed to 3 existing percolation ponds (capacity 6.3 MGD) and to onsite spray irrigation system.

Source: Florida status reports -January 2002; Florida Discharge Monitoring Reports-February 2002

## Appendix 1-6. Injectate Characteristics for Class I Injection Wells.

Facility	Injectate Characteristics/ Current Treatment in Place	Emergency Disposal Practice
Albert Whitted	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	Injection wells used for backup/wet-weather disposal.
MDW&S South District Regional	Secondary treated domestic wastewater effluent	
Seacoast Utilities	Secondarily treated domestic wastewater	
McKay Creek	Secondary treated municipal effluent from a Type 1 contact stabilization municipal sewage treatment plant with filtered chlorinated effluent.	
South Cross Bayou	Filtered and chlorinated effluent from a conventional activated sludge municipal treatment plant.	
St. Petersburg NE	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	
St. Petersburg NW	Activated sludge process with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and back-up/wet weather disposal to wells.	
St. Petersburg SW	Municipal effluent from a Type 1 activated sludge plant with chlorinated effluent to a reclaimed water spray irrigation system and backup disposal to wells.	
Broward County - North District Regional	Secondarily treated domestic wastewater	
G.T. Lohmeyer	Secondary treatment	
Margate	Secondary treated domestic wastewater.	Excess wastewater from East WWTP discharged to Margate canal and excess from West WWTP discharged to One Mile canal.
MDW&S North District Regional	Secondary treated domestic wastewater (effluent)	
Palm Beach County - Southern Regional	Secondarily treated domestic wastewater	3.5 MGD and 4.5 MGD diverted to Palm Beach County System #3 and #9, respectively. Remaining effluent will be disinfected and allowed to overflow to on-site stormwater detention ponds.
Plantation Regional (Broward County)	Secondary treated domestic wastewater.	
South Beaches	Secondarily treated domestic wastewater (effluent)	Existing percolation ponds for overflow (15 million gallons storage). Ability to store water at Indian River and South Patrick treatment plants. A last option is discharging to the Indian River.
Sunrise	Secondary treated domestic wastewater, may include membrane softening concentrate during planned outages of Injection Well CW-1.	
Sykes Creek (Merritt Island)	Minimum to secondary treatment levels - no chlorination is necessary.	
Belle Glade	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Brentwood WWTP (Atlantic Utilities)	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Coral Springs Improvement District	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	IW-1 serves as the backup well when IW-2 is out of service.
East Port (Charlotte)	Domestic wastewater	To existing onsite spray irrigation system, onsite storage pond and discharge to surface waters.

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East-Central Regional	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Treated, chlorinated effluent to remaining injection wells and an equalization basin with capacity of 8 million gallons, and then to the Atlantic Ocean via drainage system.
Encon	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Chlorinated effluent to stabilization pond, overflow to recharge lake to a tributary of the Loxahatchee River.
Ft. Myers Beach	Domestic wastewater	Sent to reclaimed water system, then percolation ponds with injection used for excess effluent disposal.
Ft. Pierce Utility Authority	Conventional activated sludge secondary domestic wastewater plant with influent screening, grit removal, aeration, secondary clarification, chlorination, and dechlorination.	Surface water discharge to Indian River Lagoon
Gasparilla Island	Back up disposal of secondarily treated domestic wastewater following filtration and disinfection	Well is a backup discharge mechanism to golf course irrigation. There is 2.13 million gallon onsite holding pond.
Immokalee	Backup disp of secondarily treated domestic effluent	If well is out of service, flow directed to existing effluent holding ponds.
Manatee County SW - Subregional	Treated municipal effluent receiving min. of secondary treatment	
Melbourne - Grant St.	Pretreated domestic wastewaters	Surface water discharge directed to Crane Creek and on to the Indian River.
Miramar WWTP	Secondary treated municipal effluent	Directed to plant's stormwater collection system, which flows into a drainage canal.
North Ft. Myers Utilities	Secondary treated domestic wastewater; following filtration and disinfection	Well is back up for plant. Additional disposal is to onsite storage pond.
North Port (Charlotte)	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Pahokee	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Directed to onsite polishing ponds.
Palm Bay (GDU-Port Malabar)	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	Directed to South Harris Ditch to Turkey Creek and on to the Indian River.
Palm Beach County System #9	Concentrate rejected waters from low-pressure membrane softening process generated from the water treatment facility	
Pembroke Pines		IW-1 is used for emergency disposal. If flows exceed permitted amount, part of flow will be diverted to existing percolation pond.
Port St. Lucie Westport		
Punta Gorda	Secondary treated domestic effluent	Directed to existing effluent disposal ponds.
Rockledge	Secondary treated effluent	Directed to Indian River via 2934 feet of effluent pipeline.
Royal Palm Beach	Secondarily treated domestic wastewater	Surficial aquifer recharge through rapid rate infiltration in onsite percolation ponds.
South Collier County	Secondarily treated domestic effluent	
South Port St. Lucie	Secondary treated domestic wastewater	
Stuart	Secondary treated domestic wastewater; IW-1 (emergency back-up well) will inject potable water once a month	Additional emergency flow is diverted to outfall system into the St. Lucie River.
West Melbourne	Secondary treated effluent	Emergency ponds store 3.2 million gallons, additional flow diverted to Crane Creek drainage canal.
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1 Reese, R.S.	Hydrogeology and the Distribution and the Origin of Salinity in the Floridan Aquifer System, Southeastern Florida	1994	USGS WRI 94-4010	Surficial Aquifer Surficial Aquifer (Biscayne) Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Suwannee Ocala Avon Park Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	0 - 270 270 - 990 990 - 777 990 - 1530 1100 - 1199 1530 - 2450 2450 - 777	175 - 270 600 - 1050 2500 - 3000 500 - 600 120 - 300 150 - 200 100 - 270 1000 - 1200 300 - 900 (Boulder Zone)	0.003 - 3 (V) 1.3x10 <sup>-4</sup> - 0.24 (n=8)	10000 - 60000 - 27000 10000, 31000 3.2x10 <sup>5</sup> - 24.6x10 <sup>6</sup> (boulder zone)	0.2 - 0.45 0.5, 0.3 - 0.4 0.336 - 0.464, Avg 0.402 (n=6)	Salinity (mg/L) 1840 3900 11600 - 35600
2 Reese, R.S. and Cunningham, K.J.	Hydrogeology of the Gray Limestone Aquifer in Southern Florida	1-Jan-00	USGS WRI 99-4213	Surficial Aquifer Biscayne Aquifer Upper Semiconfining to Confining Unit Gray Limestone Aquifer Lower Semiconfining Unit Sand Aquifers	0 - 270	0 - 120 0 - 130 0 - 150 0 - 20 0 - 100	148 - 2900	5800 - 160000		
3 Maliva, R.G. and Walker, C.W.	Hydrogeology of Deep-Well Disposal of Liquid Wastes in Southwestern Florida, USA	Aug-98	Hydrogeology Journal	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone, 750 - 950 bis	0 - 50 50 - 200 200 - 450 450 - 700 700 - 1000	50 150 250 250 300				Temp (°F) 74, 61.3, 60.5, 60.5
4 Meyer, F.W.	Hydrogeology, Ground-Water Movement, and Subsurface Storage in the Floridan Aquifer System in Southern Florida	1989	USGS Prof. Paper 1403-G	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone	0 - 275 275 - 650 850 - 1550 1550 - 1960 1990 - 3900 2900 - 3500	275 575 700 440 1910 600		10000 - 60000 3.2x10 <sup>5</sup> - 24x10 <sup>6</sup>	0.30 0.30	Temp (°F) 98-73 73 - 67 67 - 63 63 - 58 58 - 60 53, 74, 61.3, 60.5, 60.6
5 Reese, R.S. and Memburg, S.J.	Hydrogeology and the Distribution of Salinity in the Floridan Aquifer System, Palm Beach County, Florida	1999	USGS WRI 99-4061	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone	0 - 105 105 - 910 910 - 3190 1750, 1415, 2170, 1840	150 - 830 600 - 700 500 - 700 0 - 900 1800 300 - 650	V: 2x10 <sup>-2</sup> - 2x10 <sup>-6</sup> (n=9), 1.3x10 <sup>-4</sup> (n=8)	10000 - 100000 - 32000 - 132000, 24000, 64800, 48100 3.2x10 <sup>5</sup> - 24x10 <sup>6</sup>		
6 Duerr, A.D.	Types of Secondary Porosity of Carbonate Rocks in Injection and Test Wells in Southern Peninsular Florida	1995	USGS WRI 94-4013	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone USDW	0 - 105 105 - 910 910 - 3190	105, 180 905, 590 2280				
7 Engelhardt, J.D., et al.	Comparative Assessment of Human and Ecological Impacts from Municipal Wastewater Disposal Methods in Southeast Florida	23-Apr-01	University of Miami	Intermediate Confining Unit Hawthorn Formation (Upper Confining Unit) Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	300	300	V: 0.089 - 8.8e-5 V: 0.80, H: 0.73	10000 - 60000	0.32	Geraghty & Miller 1975 Meyer 1989

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1 Hutchinson, C.B. and Thomson, J.T.	Model Analysis of Hydraulic Properties of a Leaky Aquifer System, Sarasota County, Florida	December, 1982	USGS MSP 2340	Surficial Aquifer	0-50	50	10						
				Intermediate Confining Unit	50-60	10	0.005						
				Semiconfining Unit	60-100	40	0.05						
				Tamiami upper Hawthorn Aquifer	100-240	140	0.1	5100					
				Lower Hawthorn upper Tampa Aquifer	240-410	170	0.1	8600					
				Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	410-500	90	10						
				Floridan Aquifer System									
				Upper Floridan Aquifer	500-750	250	70	13000					
				Sarassee Permeable Zone	750-1100	350	0.1						
				Lower Sarassee-Ocala Semiconfining Unit	1100-1400	300	25						
				Avon Park Upper Permeable Zone	1300-2075	675	100						
Avon Park Upper Permeable Zone	2075-2400								Unused				
2 Kirschman, L.A. and Robinson, J.L.	Description of Anisotropy and Heterogeneity and Their Effect on Ground Water Flow and Areas of Contribution to Public Supply Wells in a Karst Carbonate Aquifer System	January, 1966	USGS MSP 2475	Intermediate Confining Unit									
				Tampa	99	99	0.41						
					137	137	0.21						
					203	203	0.30						
				Upper Floridan Aquifer	1125	1125		29400 - 130000 mean 57000					
				Sarassee	232	232	0.3						
					273	273	0.42						
					387	387	0.39						
				Ocala	418	418	0.36						
					436	436	0.40						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)
					452	452	0.27						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)
	490	490	0.34						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)				
	500	500	0.28						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)				
	540	540	0.25										
	616	616	0.48						as cited in Hickey (1977)				
Avon Park	632	632	0.20						as cited in Hickey (1977)				
	957	957	0.07						as cited in Hickey (1977)				
	1028	1028	0.02						as cited in Hickey (1977)				
	1155	1155	0.11						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)				
	1174	1174	0.24						as cited in CH2M Hill (1990a)				

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3 Hickey, J.J.	Hydrogeology and Results of Injection Tests at Waste Injection Test Sites in Pinellas County, Florida	1982	USGS WSP 2183	Surface Aquifer	0 - 85	20 - 85	V. 0.36 - 13, Avg 2.6 H. 13 - 33		0.222 - 0.322	Salinity (mg/L) 26, 32, 259 - 434, 3040, 210, 120	Denmark		
				Intermediate Confining Unit									
				Hawthorn Formation (Upper Confining Unit)	85 - 200	115	0.0011 - 0.021 (n=12), Avg 0.0083 (Clay) $6.6 \times 10^{-4}$ - $2.8 \times 10^{-3}$ (n=16), Avg $7.8 \times 10^{-4}$			52			
				<b>Floridan Aquifer</b> <i>Upper Floridan Aquifer</i>									
				Tampa (Zone A)	200 - 350	112 - 245, Avg 180			1,003, 1.0 480, 6540, 508, 989, 1,0, 1,018, 0.998, 1,002				
				Suwannee (Semi-confining Zone)	350 - 500	90	0.0013		1,025, 1,024, 1,024, 1,020, 1,018				
				Suwannee (Zone B)									
				Ocala (Semi-confining Zone)	500 - 750	50 - 75, Avg 60	0.1 - 1						
				Aven Park (Zone C)		250							
				Aven Park (Semi-confining Zone)	750 - 1250	300 - 386, Avg 330	900000 - 1200000 Avg 1000000						
				Aven Park (Zone D)		100							
				4 Knochenmus, L.A. and Bowman, G	Transmissivity and Water Quality of Water-Producing Zones in the Intermediate Aquifer System, Sarasota County, Florida	1-Jan-88	USGS WPI 88-4081	<b>Middle Confining Unit</b>		22 - 121, Avg 76			
Lake City	1250 - 2000	750	$6.6 \times 10^{-7}$ , $4.0 \times 10^{-6}$ $3.0 \times 10^{-3}$ , $3.3 \times 10^{-4}$ $5.2 \times 10^{-5}$ , 1.1, 2.0										
<b>Lower Floridan Aquifer</b> Chassara	2000 - 3200	1260											
<b>Intermediate Confining Unit</b>		400											
Confining Unit													
Producing Zone 1		80											
Confining Unit													
Tampa-upper Hawthorn Aquifer (Producing Zone 2)		200											
Confining Unit													
Lower Hawthorn-upper Tampa Aquifer (Producing Zones)		150											
Lower Tampa Semi-confining Unit (Confining Unit)													

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5 Hutchinson, C.B.	Assessment of Hydrogeologic Conditions with Emphasis on Water Quality and Wastewater Injection, Southwest Sarasota and West Charlotte Counties, Florida	1991	USGS OFR 90-709	Surficial Aquifer	0-50	50		1340 - 1850, 1100			Salinity (mg/L) ≤500			
				Intermediate Confining Unit										
				Semiconfining Unit	50-60	10				7600, 5500, 1260, 3320, 3000, 1325, 1608, 2970			650, 1200, 1300, 350, 300, 600, 1100, 1200, 3200, 1000, 1000, 600, 546, 458, 650, 726, 791, 590, 484, 423, 406, 1630, 3240, 680, 330, 4700, 2040, 5500	
				Tampa-Upper Hawthorn Aquifer	60-100	40				200, 650, 300, 400, 650, 550, 800, 5000				
				Semiconfining Unit	100-240	140								
				Lower Hawthorn-Upper Tampa Aquifer	240-410	170				8200, 5600, 10000			2170, 1700, 420, 1400, 2200, 2300, 1900, 2750, 2900, 2050, 650, 3000, 21000, 2900, 1000, 1000, 1000, 1600, 1200, 250, 1700, 2170, 2800, 2200, 1910, 1700, 4000, 1200	
				Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer	410-500	90					17900, 15400			
				Suwannee Permeable Zone	500-750	250					13000, 6800, 72000, 13000			3210, 2500, 2500, 1600, 2300, 3780, 3520, 21000, 3000, 1500, 10900, 4460, 1500, 15000, 14000
				Lower Suwannee-Ocala Semiconfining Unit	750-1100	350				H: 0.01, 0.01, 0.06, 0.57, 2.27, 0.28, 0.09, 0.06, 0.05, 0.03, 0.02, 0.01, 0.1, 0.01, 0.005 H: 0.023, 0.03, 0.11, 0.25, 0.57, 0.14, 0.08, 0.06, 0.06, 0.02, 0.01, 0.19, 0.32, 0.23, 0.1, 0.08, 0.007			CH2M Hill, Inc., 1986; Cargill and Miller, Inc., 1985; Hutchinson and Fawcett (in press), 1986; Post Buckley, Schuh and Jernigan, Inc., 1982	
				Avon Park Upper Permeable Zone	1100-1400	300				H: 100	64000, 48000, 60000, 67000, 24000, 150000, 140000, 300000			35000, 1800, 37500, 32100, 34080, 2100, 3000, 22000, 32800, 35000, 33300, 35200
				Avon Park Highly Permeable Dolomite Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	1400-2075 2075-2400 2400-?	675								Hydrosol Zone
				6 Braka, J.C. and Bumette, H.L.	Hydrogeology and Analysis of Aquifer Characteristics in the Central Pinellas County, Florida	January 1, 1999	USGS OFR 99-185	Surficial Aquifer		50	V: 0.36 - 13 13 - 32	370000		
Intermediate Confining Unit		50 - 140 Avg 90	V: 1.3x10 <sup>-7</sup> - 6.3x10 <sup>-7</sup> 3											
Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer		115 - 250 Avg 180											1000 - 10000 @ 100 - 400 ft Bt	
Tampa (Zone A) Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone B) Suwannee (Zone B)	350 - 547 50 - 75 Avg 62	H: 18 V: 1.3x10 <sup>-7</sup> - 2 0.1	10000 - 40000 5000											



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7 Barr, G.L.	Hydrogeology of the Surficial and Intermediate Aquifer Systems in Sarasota and Adjacent Counties, Florida	1-Jan-86	USGS WRI 95-4063	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Confining Unit Permeable Zone 1 Confining Unit Permeable Zone 2 Confining Unit Permeable Zone 3 Confining Unit Permeable Zone 4 Confining Unit	3-60 221-745 5-150 80 0-29 20-190 15-240 0-300 10-240		H: $2 \times 10^{-3}$ - .159 (n=15) V: $2.4 \times 10^{-3}$ H: 17-56 V: $2.4 \times 10^{-3}$ V: 0.1-10 V: 0.1-10	150-1800 1100-5000 200-5000 5000-15400	300 mg/L, 23.6-32.4°C 316-10500 mg/L, 24.4-27.5°C 1120-7700 mg/L, 25.6-28.4°C	
8 Knechenius, L.A. and Thompson, T.H.	Hydrogeology and Simulated Development of the Brackish Groundwater Resources in Pinellas County, Florida	Jan 1 1991	USGS WRI 91-4026	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer Upper Floridan Aquifer Tampa (Zone A) Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone) Suwannee (Zone B) Ocala (Semiconfining Zone) Avon Park (Zone C) Avon Park (Zone D) Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	0-132 0-115 100-250 50-75		H: 13-33 V: 0.36-13 H: 0.4 V: $1.3 \times 10^{-3}$ - 2.04, 0.1-1	$2.2 \times 10^{-4}$ - $3.5 \times 10^{-4}$	0.252, 0.322 0.25, 0.32, 0.41	25 52 450 19000 20000 21000 25000 31000
9 Durr, A.D. and Esok G.M.	Hydrogeology of the Intermediate Aquifer System and Upper Floridan Aquifer, Hardee and De Soto Counties, Florida	1991	USGS WRI 90-4104	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	25-100 200-500 200-600		V: 0.01-0.0001, Avg 0.008 V: 0.0013-2.5, Avg 0.6, 1 V: 6e-7, 3.3e-3, 1.1, 4e-5, 3e-3, 5.2e-2, 2	1100 400-7000 100000-850000	23.5, 26.0e9 C 25, 31.0e9 C	
10 Hickey, J.J.	Hydrogeology, Estimated Impact, and Regional Well Reimboring Effects of Subsurface Water Injection, Tampa Bay Area, Florida	1981	USGS WRI 80-113	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer	65		V: 0.01-0.0001, Avg 0.008 V: 0.0013-2.5, Avg 0.6, 1 V: 6e-7, 3.3e-3, 1.1, 4e-5, 3e-3, 5.2e-2, 2	$1 \times 10^3$ , $1.2 \times 10^7$ , $0.9 \times 10^8$		
11 Durr, A.D.	Types of Secondary Porosity of Carbonate Rocks in Injection and Test Wells in Southern Peninsular Florida	1965	USGS WRI 94-4013	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boiler Zone USDNV	15 50 555 705 100-140, 1013-1053, 1800, 540-580					80-84.0e9 F

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1 Dwert, A.D.	Types of Secondary Porosity of Carbonate Rocks in Injection and Test Wells in Southern Peninsular Florida	1965	USGS WRI 94-4013	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone USDW	0 - 95, 0 - 120 95 - 360, 120 - 250 360 - 2977, 250 - 2006 2070 - 2770 1190, 1634, 1670, 1700, 1190	95 - 120 360 - 130 2617, 2656 700	H: 20 - 100 V: $1.5 \times 10^{-2}$ - $7.8 \times 10^{-7}$ $5 \times 10^{-3}$	400, 2000, 1000 65000 - 250000, 100000 - 200000, 10000 - 35000, 10000 - 50000 5800, 8900, 43000 6600 - 60000, 60000 $1 \times 10^7$		
2 Schlmer, G.R.	Geohydrology of Osceola County, Florida	1966	USGS WRI 92-4076	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone USDW		30 - 270 40 - 300 2400 - 2900 300 - 350 450 - 700 1400 - 2100 500 - 800				
3 Duncan, J.G. Evans, W.L., Taylor, K.L.	Geologic Framework of the Lower Floridan Aquifer System, Brevard County, Florida	1994	Florida Geological Survey Bulletin No. 64	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone		90 - 150 2300 - 2900 110 - 250 1500 - 2000 85 - 190	H: 0.78 V: 0.07, 0.06, V: <0.28 H: 0.28, 0.00283	5063 - 10663 10063 - 25063	0.20 0.10 - 0.30	
4 Tibbals, C.H.	Hydrogeology of the Floridan Aquifer System in East-Central Florida	1990	USGS Prof. Paper 1403-E	Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer Boulder Zone		2300 - 2900 500 - 900		120000, 10000 - 400000, 74000, 210000, 510000, 30000 - 130000		
5 Adams, Karri	A Three Dimensional Finite Difference Flow Model of the Surficial Aquifer in Martin County, Florida	March-92	SFVMD Technical Publication 92-02	Surficial Aquifer			45, 53, 33, 58, 50, 100 78, 78, 32, 40, 42, 52, 49, 50, 71, 33, 59, 62, 97, 33, 33, 49, 35, 36, 121, 53, 53, 48, 37, 38, 1872, 2406, 3342, 3342, 56, 33, 44, 91, 58, 57, 126, 76	3610, 3143, 1337, 3476, 8016, 12032, 4678, 2674, 4011, 4011, 8016, 7353, 2005, 11684, 4011, 5346, 4011, 8021, 3342, 3342, 8021, 2674, 2005, 26738, 1872, 2406, 3342, 3342, 2005, 3342, 3342, 4412, 10027, 5214, 5749, 22727, 10695		
6 Lukosewicz, J. and Adams, K.S.	Hydrogeologic Data and Information Collected from the Surficial and Floridan Aquifer Systems, Upper East Coast Planning Area	March-96	SFVMD Technical Publication 96-02 (MPE 4637)	Surficial Aquifer Intermediate Confining Unit Floridan Aquifer System Upper Floridan Aquifer Middle Confining Unit Lower Floridan Aquifer		2700 - 3400 500 300		394 34		

## Appendix 3

### Weighted Mean Values

A primary literature review was conducted and all published values of hydrogeologic parameters characterizing the hydrologic units in each county studied were tabulated in this appendix and summarized in the following tables. The weighted means ( $\bar{Z}$ ) of the data were calculated to determine representative values to be used in the risk assessment. The weighted mean method essentially reduces the effect of extreme data outliers (very high or very low values). The following equation was used to develop the weighted means for all hydrogeologic data (Mendenhall and Beaver, 1994).

$$\bar{Z} = \left[ \frac{0.5Z_1 + 0.75Z_2 + \sum_{i=3}^{m-2} Z_i + 0.75Z_{m-1} + 0.5Z_m}{m - 1.5} \right] \quad (\text{Eqn. 1})$$

Where:         $Z$         = Hydrogeologic datum  
                $m$         = Total number of values  
                $i$         = Chronological interger

The above equation is not valid for data sets containing less than five values, therefore, the following equation was used.

$$\bar{Z} = \left[ \frac{0.5Z_1 + \sum_{i=2}^{m-1} Z_i + 0.5Z_m}{m - 1.0} \right] \quad (\text{Eqn. 2})$$

For data sets with two values, an average was calculated.

In the Intermediate, Upper Floridan and Lower Floridan aquifers, hydrogeological data for the discretized geologic units within the aquifer are presented in the following tables. Representative hydrogeologic data for the entire aquifer were then determined by weighting the data in proportion to the thickness of the individual geologic units within each hydrogeologic unit.

Weighted means for the data sets are color coded in blue, while representative values used in the analysis are color coded in red.

Where there were insufficient data available, the following assumptions were made:

- Anisotropy ratios and porosity values were assumed to be consistent for equivalent aquifer units in each county, in the absence of site-specific data.

- Parameters for the horizontal and vertical hydraulic conductivities and porosities for each geologic layer in Brevard County were assumed to be consistent with data provided for the same equivalent depositional unit in Dade County.
- A horizontal hydraulic gradient of 0.001 were assumed for the injection zone and the overlying units in Dade and Brevard Counties.
- In Pinellas County, a horizontal hydraulic gradient of 0.05 in the injection zone was assumed. This accounted for the effects of pressure head due to injection. In the overlying units, a horizontal hydraulic gradient of 0.001 was used.
- A porosity of 0.5 was assumed for the Boulder Zone for horizontal ground water flow. Conduit flows occur in the Boulder Zone due to cavernous pores or large fractures in the rock (Meyer, 1984, Maliva and Walker, 1998); therefore a larger porosity is required to address this issue.

Appendix Table 3-1 Dade County

County: Dade	Surficial		Intermediate				Upper Floridan				Middle Confining Unit	Lower Floridan		
	Hydrologic Units	Semiconfining Unit	Tamiami-upper Hawthorn Aquifer	Semiconfining Unit	Lower Hawthorn-upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Ocala (Semiconfining Zone)			Avon Park (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone D)
Horizontal Conductivities	148								0.45			8.37E-07		
	200								9			0.003		
	1924								55			0.03		
Vertical Conductivities									121.8			3		
									42			4.3		
												6		
Transmissivity												2.00E-05		
												1.90E-04		
												2.00E-02		
												0.24		
												0.04		
		9000		10000						2,700			3.20E-06	
		16000		10000						10000			3.20E-06	
		8200		85000						10000			18.923	
										10000			6538	
										24,000				
Thickness														
Porosity														
Temperature														
Salinity														
USDW (below land surface)														

Appendix Table 3-2 Pinellas County

County: Pinellas Hydrologic Units	Surficial				Intermediate				Upper Floridan				Middle Confining Unit	Lower Floridan
	Semiconfining Unit	Tamiami-Upper Hawthorn Aquifer	Semiconfining Unit	Lower Hawthorn-Upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Ocala (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone C)	Avon Park (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone D)		
Horizontal Conductivities	2.00E-03	17	0.1	18	10	0.0013	70	0.007	25	100				
	10	56		89		0.1	65	0.01						
	13	125		38.5		0.4	1	0.02						
	13	64				0.20	87.5	0.023						
	32		23					0.06						
	33		1.0E-04					0.06						
	33		1.1E-04					0.08						
	159		0.021					0.09						
	25		3.91					0.1						
									0.11					
Vertical Conductivities	0.36							0.14						
	0.36							0.18						
	3							0.23						
	13							0.25						
	13							0.52						
	5.63							0.57						
								1						
								1						
								19.78						
								0.003						
Transmissivity	0.36							0.3						
	0.36							0.45						
	3							121.8						
	13							22						
	13													
	5.63													
Transmissivity	150	1280	100	200	15400	500	5,000	900,000	1,00E+01	2,000	3,20E+06			
	1100	1525	200	200	17800	8000	8,900	1,200,000	9,00E+06	3,000	1,30E+07			
	1340	1908	300	300	16950	9600	13,000	1,050,000	1,20E+06	370,000	2,40E+07			
	1890	2470	400	740		10000	13,000							
	1890	3420	500	2,000		15000	15,000							
	1528	5900	850	3,800		15400	17,983							
		7800	850	3,800		21000								
		3337	800	5000		23000								
			1100	5600		25000								
			5100	8200		28000								
Transmissivity			8000	9600		30000								
			8000	10000		35000								
			1708	4071		43000								
						43000								
						20,928								



Appendix Table 3-2 Pinellas County

County: Pinellas Hydrologic Units	Surficial		Intermediate				Upper Floridan				Middle Confining Unit	Lower Floridan
	Semiconfining Unit	Tampa- upper Hawthorn Aquifer	Semiconfining Unit	Lower Hawthorn- upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Ocala (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone C)		
Salinity		3000		2750								
		3240		2900								
		4790		2600								
		5500		3000								
Density		21000		10900								
		18611		21000								
				2609								
USDW below land surface												



Appendix Table 3-3 Brevard County

County: Brevard	Surficial		Intermediate				Upper Floridan				Middle Confining Unit		Lower Floridan		
	Semiconfining Unit	Tamiami-upper Floridan Aquifer	Semiconfining Unit	Lower Hawthorn-upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Ocala (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone C)	Avon Park (Zone D)	Middle Confining Unit	Lower Floridan	Bokeer Zone
Horizontal Conductivities	20											0.8	1.00E-03	500	
	32												0.0028	800	
	33												0.008	850	
	33												8.68E-03	850	
	33														
	33														
	35														
	36														
	37														
	38														
	40														
	42														
	44														
48															
49															
49															
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52															
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53															
55															
57															
58															
59															
62															
71															
78															
79															
81															
87															
100															
100															
121															
128															
53															
Vertical Conductivities															
Transmissivity	400														
	384														
	488														
	562														
	574														
	575														
	630														
	699														
	715														
	781														
	853														
	868														
	869														
925															
980															
1000															

Appendix Table 3-3 Brevard County

County: Brevard Hydrologic Unit	Intermediate				Upper Floridan					Middle Confining Unit	Lower Floridan	Bolder Zone	
	Semiconfining Unit	Tamiami- upper Hawthorn Aquifer	Semiconfining Unit	Lower Hawthorn- upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Ocala (Semiconfining Zone)				Avon Park (Zone C)
1032													8,953
1123													10,000
1250													10,000
1251													10,000
1315													10,243
1337													10,896
1372													10,918
1455													11,054
1482													11,115
1487													11,564
1532													11,881
1645													12,271
1724													12,580
1736													12,588
1765													12,609
1799													12,683
1859													13,284
1859													13,381
1872													13,815
1888													13,846
2000													13,882
2005													14,095
2006													14,265
2006													14,307
2006													14,318
2006													14,538
2028													14,707
2313													14,887
2385													14,890
2405													15,001
2407													15,988
2844													16,587
2874													16,857
2874													18,692
2898													18,692
2947													19,926
2981													20,140
3022													20,510
3075													20,819
3248													22,053
3249													22,462
3249													22,462
3249													23,616
3242													24,485
3242													24,485
3242													27,876
3242													26,077
3478													29,072
3478													29,204
3510													29,204
3743													30,626
3844													31,754
4011													31,866
4011													34,537
4011													34,774
4011													35,000
4319													37,279
4412													37,385
4678													36,045
4854													41,318
5244													46,685
5348													46,078
5348													48,023
5348													48,320
5348													48,320
5749													50,000

Transmissivity

Appendix Table 3-3 Brevard County

County: Brevard	Surficial		Intermediate				Upper Floridan				Middle Confining Unit		Lower Floridan		
	Hydrologic Units		Semiconfining Unit	Transient upper Hawthorn Aquifer	Lower Hawthorn upper Tampa Aquifer	Lower Tampa Semiconfining Unit	Tampa (Zone A)	Suwannee (Semiconfining Zone)	Suwannee (Zone B)	Coala (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone C)	Avon Park (Semiconfining Zone)	Avon Park (Zone D)		
Transmissivity	5529														
	6016								50,000						
	6019								61,729						
	6017								62,037						
	6642								65,000						
	6819								67,905						
	7086								71,065						
	7381								72,050						
	7383								74,000						
	8021								74,000						
	8021								84,124						
	8546								88,225						
	10027								100,000						
	10424								100,000						
10589								100,000							
10695								100,000							
11384								120,000							
12032								200,000							
12777								210,000							
13530								250,000							
13843								250,000							
22727								400,000							
26739								510,000							
4100								42,025							
Thickness	30								300						
	95								360						
	120								335						
	150														
	112														
Porosity															
Temperature															
Salinity															
USDW below land surface															

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## Appendix 4

### 4.1. Total Vertical Time of Travel

Total vertical time of travel is defined as the time required for secondary treated wastewater to migrate upward from the point of injection to the USDW and hypothetical receptor wells. Given the velocity and distance of travel, the time it takes to travel the distance can be determined by dividing the distance by the velocity. To estimate the vertical travel time ( $t$ ) through each hydrologic unit, the thickness of the unit ( $b$ ) is divided by the seepage velocity ( $v_s$ ) (Eqn. 3). Seepage velocity is defined as the velocity representing the average rate at which ground water moves (Fetter, 1994) and is estimated by dividing the Darcy flow ( $q$ ) by the porosity ( $n$ ) of the hydrologic unit (Eqn. 4). Porosity represents the ratio between the volume of voids over the total volume of the media (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). In this analysis, published porosity values were used. Darcy flow is defined as fluid flow through porous media (e.g. sand) (Freeze and Cherry; 1979), taking into consideration that ground water flows through porous media, Darcian assumptions must be applied. Darcy flow takes into account vertical hydraulic conductivity ( $K$ ) and the hydraulic gradient ( $I$ ) (Eqn. 5). Hydraulic conductivity represents the ability of the media to transmit water (Fetter, 1994). Hydraulic gradient is estimated by dividing the total pressure head ( $H_T$ ) by the thickness of the hydrologic unit (Eqn. 6).

$$t = \frac{b}{v_s} \quad (\text{Eqn. 3})$$

$$v_s = \frac{q}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 4})$$

$$q = K \times I \quad (\text{Eqn. 5})$$

$$I = \frac{H_T}{b} \quad (\text{Eqn. 6})$$

### 4.2. Total Pressure Head

Pressure head can be simply viewed as a driving force for vertical migration of treated wastewater. In this analysis, two driving components of pressure head were considered. Pressure head due to injection ( $H_I$ ) and pressure head due to buoyancy ( $H_B$ ). These components are described separately below. The total pressure head acting on the overlying hydrogeologic unit may be expressed as the sum of the buoyancy and the injection components (Eqn. 7):

$$H_T = H_I + H_B \quad (\text{Eqn. 7})$$

#### 4.2.1. Pressure Head Due to Injection

Injection-derived pressure is a controlling force that drives the wastewater plume throughout the regional ground water system. As millions of gallons of water are injected into the aquifer, that volume displaces an equivalent volume of native water in the formation. This causes a pressure build-up in the aquifer, which must be dissipated throughout the aquifer unit.

The vertical migration component due to injection-derived over-pressuring was calculated using the following leaky aquifer steady-state pressure drawdown/increase equation (Gupta, 1995).

$$H_i = \frac{Q}{2\pi T} K_0\left(\frac{r}{B}\right) \quad (\text{Eqn. 8})$$

$$H_i = \frac{Q}{2\pi T} \ln\left(1.123 \frac{B}{r}\right) \text{ for } \frac{r}{B} < 0.05 \quad (\text{Eqn. 9})$$

where: Q = Injection rate  
 K = Vertical hydraulic conductivity  
 b = Thickness of aquifer  
 T = Transmissivity of the receiving unit =  $K \times b$  (Eqn.10)  
 r = Distance from injection well

$K_0\left(\frac{r}{B}\right)$  = Zero-order modified Bessel function of the second kind  
 (Tabulated values)

$$B = \text{Leakage factor} = \sqrt{\frac{T}{K'/b'}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 11})$$

K' = Vertical hydraulic conductivity of the overlying layer  
 b' = Thickness of the overlying layer

A distance of one hundred feet from the injection well (r) was chosen in Pinellas County, where pressure due to injection occurs. A distance of one hundred feet was chosen because at this distance away from the injection point, it is assumed that steady upward flow would be occurring. This value will also result in a conservative travel time estimation. The closer one is to the injection point, the greater the effects of pressure due to injection, resulting in a faster travel time. Representative injection rates of 112.5 million gallons per day (mgd) in Dade County, 7 mgd in Pinellas County, and 5 mgd in Brevard County were used (Starr et al., 2001, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 2001 and Florida Department of Regulation, 1989). In Dade and Brevard Counties the pressure head due to injection is negligible due to injection into the Boulder Zone. The Boulder Zone is highly karstified with cavernous pores and wide fractures, which does not constrain the flow of injected effluent; therefore negligible pressure build up will occur (Singh et al., 1983; Haberfeld, 1991).

#### 4.4.2. Pressure Head Due to Buoyancy

The buoyancy pressure head component, related to variations in fluid temperature and fluid density, also influences upward migration of the injectate. The wastewater injected into the aquifer is relatively fresh in comparison to the native ground water found in the injection zone (Florida Department of Environmental Protection, 1999a). As a result, the less dense injected wastewater rises above the denser, native ground water. In hydraulic terms, the fresh water is more buoyant than the salt water.

Density is also dependent on temperature: warm water is less dense than cold water. The temperature difference between the warm injected wastewater and the comparatively cold, native formation water is yet another driving force for the upward migration of the plume.

Upward pressure heads due to the buoyancy (from salinity and temperature differences) were calculated using the following derived equation (Hwang and Hita, 1987):

$$H_B = \frac{[\rho_n h - \rho_i h]}{\rho_{water}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 12})$$

where:  $H_B$  = Pressure head due to buoyancy (salinity and temperature gradient)  
 $\rho$  = Density of native (n) and injected (i) fluid  
 $h$  = Height of injected fluid (through each hydrologic unit)

Steady state conditions were assumed in this analysis. Under steady state conditions, no mixing or dispersion occurs and the injectate has a continuous path to the hypothetical water supply well or USDW. Travel times were estimated through each hydrologic unit. Therefore a simplifying assumption, valid for steady state conditions, was that the height of the injected fluid is the thickness of the hydrologic unit.

There is a natural salinity and temperature gradient in the native fluid. The native fluid in the injection zone has salinity comparable to sea water and becomes comparable to fresh water at the surficial aquifer. The injected wastewater has salinity comparable to fresh water therefore the pressure head due to buoyancy (salinity gradient) will decrease as the injectate moves closer to the hypothetical water supply well. The same result will occur with respect to temperature gradient. The temperature of the native fluid in the injection zone is approximately 60 degrees Fahrenheit and can reach up to 80 degrees in the surficial aquifer. The injected wastewater has a temperature of 80 degrees. As the injected wastewater moves closer to the hypothetical water supply well, the pressure head due to buoyancy (temperature gradient) will decrease. The buoyancy calculations were based on the discretization of the density gradient due to temperature and salinity difference.

In this analysis, two scenarios were considered: 1) porous media flow and 2) bulk flow through preferential flow paths. To assess the two scenarios, primary porosities and

hydraulic conductivities and secondary porosities and hydraulic conductivities were used in the above equations, respectively. The results are presented in the following tables for Dade, Pinellas and Brevard Counties.



**Appendix Table 4-1 Vertical Travel Time to Receptor Well**

(Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)

Dade

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bis)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Biscayne Aquifer	230	100	15	0.31	130	2550	1	0	0.66	0.004	0.058	0.188	1.9 Years
Intermediate Confining Unit	840	230	0.10	0.31	610	61	5	0	4.69	0.008	0.001	0.002	674 Years
Upper Floridan Aquifer	2060	840	0.42	0.32	1220	512	19	0	18.5	0.015	0.006	0.020	168 Years
Middle Confining Unit	2550	2060	0.04	0.43	490	20	23	0	22.5	0.046	0.002	0.004	314 Years
Lower Floridan	2750	2550	0.10	0.40	200	20	15	0	14.6	0.073	0.007	0.018	30 Years
Boulder Zone	3000	2750	65	0.20	250	16250	12	0	12.0	0.048	3.13	15.7	16 Days

Travel Time 1,188 Years

Pinellas

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bis)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Surficial Aquifer	56	30	7	0.31	26	182	0.1	0	0.10	0.004	0.027	0.087	297 Days
Intermediate Confining Unit	275	56	1.2	0.31	219	263	1.8	0	1.82	0.008	0.010	0.032	18.6 Years
Upper Floridan Aquifer	1250	275	0.3	0.226	975	293	15.6	533	548	0.563	0.169	0.747	3.58 Years

Travel Time 23 Years

Brevard

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bis)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Surficial Aquifer	130	100	13	0.31	30	390	0	0	0.125	0.004	0.054	0.175	172 Days
Intermediate Confining Unit	340	130	0.10	0.31	210	21	2	0	1.56	0.007	0.001	0.002	240 Years
Upper Floridan Aquifer	665	340	0.20	0.26	325	65	6	0	6.13	0.019	0.004	0.015	61 Years
Middle Confining Unit	1000	665	0.04	0.43	335	13	11	0	11.0	0.033	0.001	0.003	301 Years
Lower Floridan	2460	1000	0.10	0.40	1460	146	45	0	45.4	0.031	0.003	0.008	515 Years
Boulder Zone	2754	2460	65	0.20	294	19110	47	0	46.9	0.160	10.4	51.9	5.67 Days

Travel Time 1118 Years

**Appendix Table 4-2 Vertical Travel Time to USDW**  
(Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bfs)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Upper Floridan Aquifer	2060	1500	0.42	0.32	560	512.4	18.5	0	18.5	0.015	0.006	0.020	77 Years
Middle Confining Unit	2550	2060	0.04	0.43	490	19.6	22.5	0	22.5	0.046	0.002	0.004	314 Years
Lower Floridan	2750	2550	0.1	0.4	200	20	14.6	0	14.6	0.073	0.007	0.018	30 Years
Boulder Zone	3000	2750	65	0.2	250	16250	12.0	0	12.0	0.048	3.13	15.7	16 Days
												<b>Travel Time</b>	<b>421 Years</b>

**Pinellas**

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bfs)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Upper Floridan Aquifer	1250	680	0.30	0.226	570	293	16	533	548	0.56	0.17	0.75	2 Years
												<b>Travel Time</b>	<b>2 Years</b>

**Brevard**

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bfs)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Lower Floridan	2470	1500	0.1	0.4	970	146	45	0	45	0.03	0.00	0.01	342 Years
Boulder Zone	2754	2470	65.00	0.20	284	19110	47	0	47	0.160	10.378	51.892	5 Days
												<b>Travel Time</b>	<b>342 Years</b>

**Appendix Table 4-3 Vertical Travel Time to Receptor Well**

(Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)

**Dade**

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>B</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Biscayne Aquifer	230	100	15	0.31	130	2550	1	0	0.7	0.004	0.058	0.19	1.9 Years
Intermediate Confining Unit	840	230	2.38	0.10	610	61	5	0	4.7	0.008	0.018	0.18	9.1 Years
Upper Floridan Aquifer	2060	840	2.38	0.10	1220	512	19	0	18.5	0.015	0.036	0.36	9.3 Years
Middle Confining Unit	2550	2060	1.5	0.10	490	20	23	0	22.5	0.046	0.069	0.69	1.9 Years
Lower Floridan	2750	2550	0.1	0.10	200	20	15	0	14.6	0.073	0.007	0.07	7.5 Years
Boulder Zone	3000	2750	65	0.2	250	16250	12	0	12.0	0.048	3.131	15.66	16 Days

Travel Time 30 Years

**Pinellas**

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>B</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Surficial Aquifer	56	30	7	0.31	26	182	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.003873	0.027	0.09	297 Days
Intermediate Confining Unit	275	56	1.50	0.10	219	329	1.8	0.0	1.8	0.008313	0.012	0.12	5 Years
Upper Floridan Aquifer	1250	275	2.38	0.10	975	2321	16	122	138	0.141048	0.336	3.36	290 Days

Travel Time 6.4 Years

**Brevard**

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>B</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (l)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Surficial Aquifer	130	100	13	0.31	30	390	1	0	1	0.03	0.39	1.26	24 Days
Intermediate Confining Unit	340	130	2.38	0.10	210	499.8	6	0	6	0.03	0.071	0.714	294 Days
Upper Floridan Aquifer	665	340	2.38	0.10	325	773.5	11	0	11	0.03	0.060	0.799	1 Years
Middle Confining Unit	1000	665	1.50	0.10	335	502.5	16	0	16	0.05	0.069	0.695	1 Years
Lower Floridan	2460	1000	0.10	0.10	1460	146	45	0	45	0.03	0.003	0.031	129 Years
Boulder Zone	2754	2460	65	0.20	294	19110	47	0	47	0.16	10.38	51.89	6 Days

Travel Time 136 Years

**Appendix Table 4-4 Vertical Travel Time to USDW**  
(Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (I) (ft/day)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Upper Floridan Aquifer	2060	1500	2.38	0.10	560	512.4	19	0	19	0.015	0.036	0.36	4 Years
Middle Confining Unit	2550	2060	1.50	0.10	490	19.6	23	0	23	0.046	0.069	0.69	2 Years
Lower Floridan	2750	2550	0.1	0.1	200	20	15	0	15	0.073	0.007	0.07	8 Years
Boulder Zone	3000	2750	65	0.2	250	16250	12	0	12	0.048	3.1	15.7	16 Days

Travel Time 14 Years

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (I) (ft/day)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Upper Floridan Aquifer	1250	680	2.38	0.1	570	2321	16	122	138	0.14	0.34	3.36	170 Days

Travel Time 170 Days

Hydrogeologic Units	Injection Fluid Travel (bls)		Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>v</sub> ) (ft/day)	Porosity (n)	Aquifer Thickness (effective) (b) (feet)	Transmissivity (T) (ft <sup>2</sup> /day)	H <sub>b</sub> (feet)	H <sub>i</sub> (feet)	H <sub>r</sub> (feet)	Hydraulic Gradient (I) (ft/day)	Darcy Velocity (q) (ft/day)	Seepage Velocity (v <sub>s</sub> ) (ft/day)	Travel Time (t)
	From (feet)	To (feet)											
Lower Floridan	2470	1500	0.1	0.1	970	146	45	0	45	0.031	0.003	0.031	86 Years
Boulder Zone	2754	2470	65.00	0.20	284	19110	47	0	47	0.160	10.4	51.9	5 Days

Travel Time 86 Years

## Appendix 5

### Horizontal Travel Distance

The horizontal travel distance (X) is defined in this analysis as the distance of horizontal migration corresponding to the vertical travel time. The horizontal travel distance of the injected wastewater can be estimated by multiplying the seepage velocity ( $v_s$ ) in the horizontal direction by the vertical travel time (t) estimated earlier (Eqn. 13). Seepage velocity is defined as the velocity representing the average rate at which ground water moves (Fetter, 1994) and is estimated by dividing the Darcy flow (q) by the porosity (n) of the hydrologic unit (Eqn. 14). Porosity represents the ratio between the volumes of voids over the total volume of the media (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). In this analysis, published porosity values were used. Darcy flow is defined as fluid flow through porous media (e.g. sand) (Freeze and Cherry; 1979), taking into consideration that ground water flows through porous media, Darcian assumptions must be applied. Darcy flow takes into account horizontal hydraulic conductivity ( $K_h$ ) and the horizontal hydraulic gradient (i) (Eqn. 15). Hydraulic conductivity represents the ability of the media to transmit water (Fetter, 1994). Simple substitution of the seepage velocity and Darcy flow equations into Equation 13, will result in Equation 16.

$$X = v_s \times t \quad (\text{Eqn. 13})$$

$$v_s = \frac{q}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 14})^1$$

$$q = K_h \times i \quad (\text{Eqn. 15})$$

$$X = \frac{K_h i}{n} t \quad (\text{Eqn. 16})$$

As in the analysis of vertical travel time, two scenarios were considered: 1) porous media flow and 2) bulk flow through preferential flow paths. To assess the two scenarios, vertical travel times respective to the two scenarios were used in estimating the horizontal travel distances.

In Dade and Brevard Counties, a horizontal hydraulic gradient of 0.001 was assumed for all the hydrologic units. In Pinellas County, a horizontal hydraulic gradient of 0.05 was assumed in the injection zone and 0.001 in the overlying units. A greater horizontal hydraulic gradient in the injection zone accounts for the effects of injection pressure due to the injection of millions of gallons of wastewater a day.

Primary porosities were used in this analysis (Eqn. 16) however, in the Boulder Zone a porosity of 0.5 was assumed in Dade and Brevard Counties. A larger porosity in the Boulder Zone takes into account cavernous pores or large fractures found in the Boulder Zone (Meyer, 1984, Maliva and Walker, 1998).

The results of this analysis and a summary of the assumptions made are presented in the following tables for Dade, Pinellas and Brevard Counties (Table 5-1, 5-2 and 5-3).

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<sup>1</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 4 (Eqn. 4)

**Appendix Table 5-1 Horizontal Migration**  
(Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)

**Dade**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Biscayne Aquifer	1,524	0.001	0.31	2	9
Intermediate Confining Unit	90.0	0.001	0.31	246082	71443
Upper Floridan Aquifer	42	0.001	0.32	61270	8042
Middle Confining Unit	5	0.001	0.43	114671	1253
Lower Floridan Aquifer	0.10	0.001	0.40	10984	3
Boulder Zone	6,538	0.001	0.50	16	209
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>80,959</b>

**Pinellas**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Surficial Aquifer	29	0.001	0.31	297	28
Intermediate Confining Unit	4	0.001	0.31	6806	88
Upper Floridan Aquifer	22	0.05	0.226	1306	6355
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>6,471</b>

**Brevard**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Surficial Aquifer	56	0.001	0.31	172	31
Intermediate Confining Unit	20.00	0.001	0.31	87494	5645
Upper Floridan Aquifer	20	0.001	0.26	22406	1724
Middle Confining Unit	1	0.001	0.43	109982	205
Lower Floridan Aquifer	0.1	0.001	0.40	187918	47
Boulder Zone	650	0.001	0.50	6	7
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>7,658</b>

**Appendix Table 5-2 Horizontal Migration  
(Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)**

**Dade**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Biscayne Aquifer	1,524	0.001	0.31	2	9
Intermediate Confining Unit	90.0	0.001	0.10	3,335	3,002
Upper Floridan Aquifer	42	0.001	0.10	3,379	1,419
Middle Confining Unit	5	0.001	0.10	711	33
Lower Floridan Aquifer	0.10	0.001	0.10	2,746	3
Boulder Zone	6,538	0.001	0.20	16	522
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>4,988</b>

**Pinellas**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Surficial Aquifer	29	0.001	0.31	297	28
Intermediate Confining Unit	4	0.001	0.1	1,756	70
Upper Floridan Aquifer	22	0.05	0.1	290	3,195
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>3,293</b>

**Brevard**

Hydrogeologic Units	Horizontal Hydraulic Conductivity (K <sub>H</sub> ) (ft/day)	Hydraulic Gradient (i)	Porosity (n)	Time (t) Days	Horizontal Distance (X) ft
Surficial Aquifer	56	0.001	0.31	172	31
Intermediate Confining Unit	20.00	0.001	0.10	3	1
Upper Floridan Aquifer	20	0.001	0.10	724	145
Middle Confining Unit	1	0.001	0.10	682	5
Lower Floridan Aquifer	0.1	0.001	0.10	46980	47
Boulder Zone	650	0.001	0.20	6	18
<b>Total Horizontal Distance</b>					<b>247</b>

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## Appendix 6

### Uncertainty Analysis

Upper and lower boundary travel times to use for the risk assessment were computed based on the results of the uncertainty analyses. For purposes of this risk assessment, times of travel were computed by altering one parameter in each scenario. Vertical hydraulic conductivity of the confining unit was the tested parameter for the porous media scenario (Scenario 1). Porosity was the tested parameter for the preferential flow path scenario (Scenario 2).

Vertical hydraulic conductivity was evaluated by computing travel times based on variation of the mean vertical hydraulic conductivity by up to one order of magnitude above and below the mean value calculated from review of the scientific literature. Porosity was varied from 0.01 to 0.20, a range within typical porosity values found for limestones and dolomites (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). for the travel times computed in the preferential flow path scenario. Graphical representation of the uncertainty analysis time of travel computations can be found in Appendix Figures 6-1, 6-2 and 6-3 for Dade, Brevard and Pinellas Counties.

Upper and lower bounds of times of travel were computed from the results of the uncertainty tests. The first step in developing these bounds is to determine the statistical average time of travel ( $t_{average}$ ) (Eqn. 17).

$$t_{average} = \frac{t_{90} + t_{10}}{2} \quad (\text{Eqn. 17})$$

The  $t_{90}$  and  $t_{10}$  values are the vertical travel times associated with the ninetieth and the tenth percentile, respectively, within the range of the time of travel calculations for each scenario. The resulting  $t_{average}$  value thus represents a statistical calculation that incorporates the weight of the travel time variations across two orders of magnitude for the lowest hydraulic conductivity unit, and across the reasonably expected range of porosity typically associated with preferential (i.e.- secondary) flow.

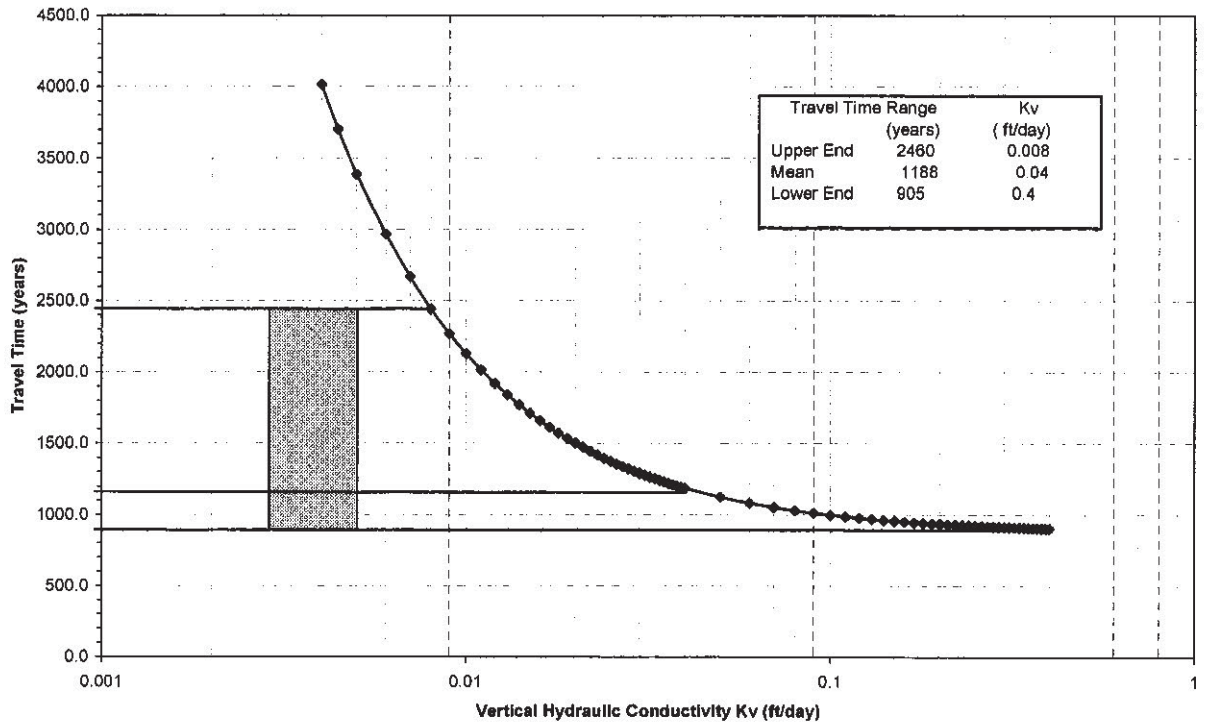
The upper and lower bounds for time of travel are then computed based on the relationship between  $t_{average}$ , computed in the uncertainty tests, and the vertical travel time ( $t$ ) estimated earlier. Equations 18 and 19 depict the computations used to generate the upper and lower time of travel bounds, respectively:

$$t_{upper} = t + (t_{average} - t) \quad (\text{Eqn. 18})$$

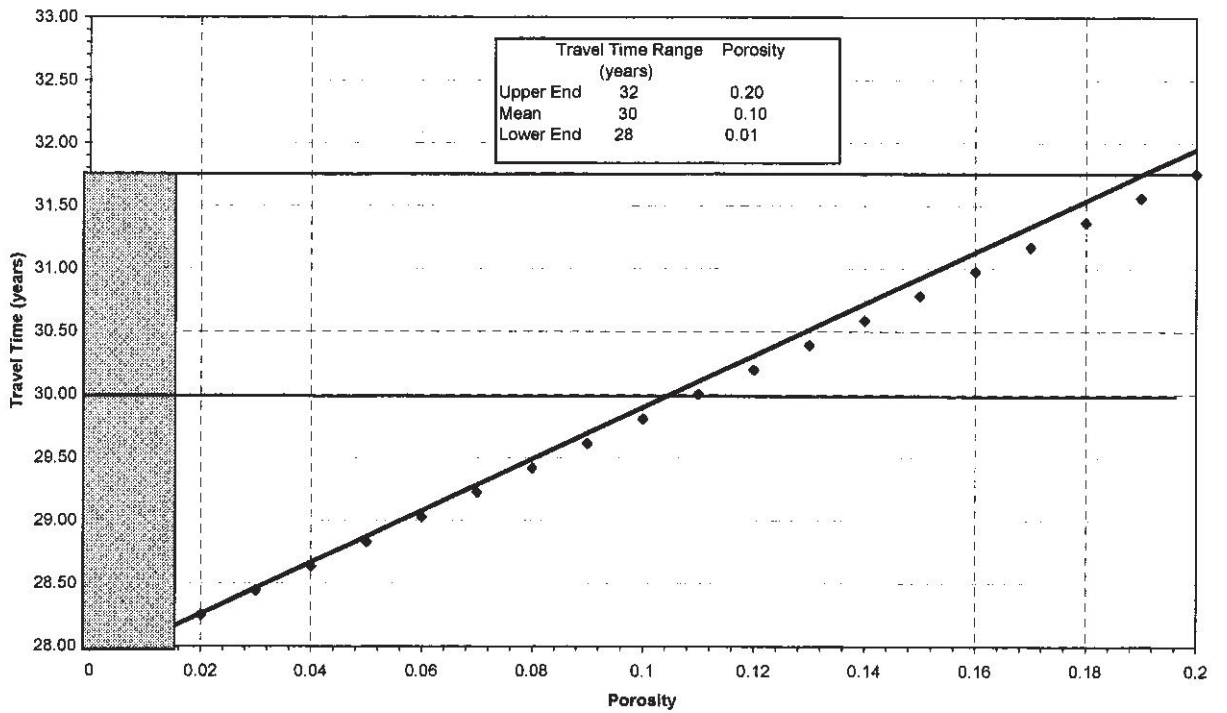
$$t_{lower} = t - (t_{average} - t) \quad (\text{Eqn. 19})$$

**Appendix Figure 6-1  
Uncertainty Analysis Results for Dade County**

**Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity Vs. Travel Time (Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)**

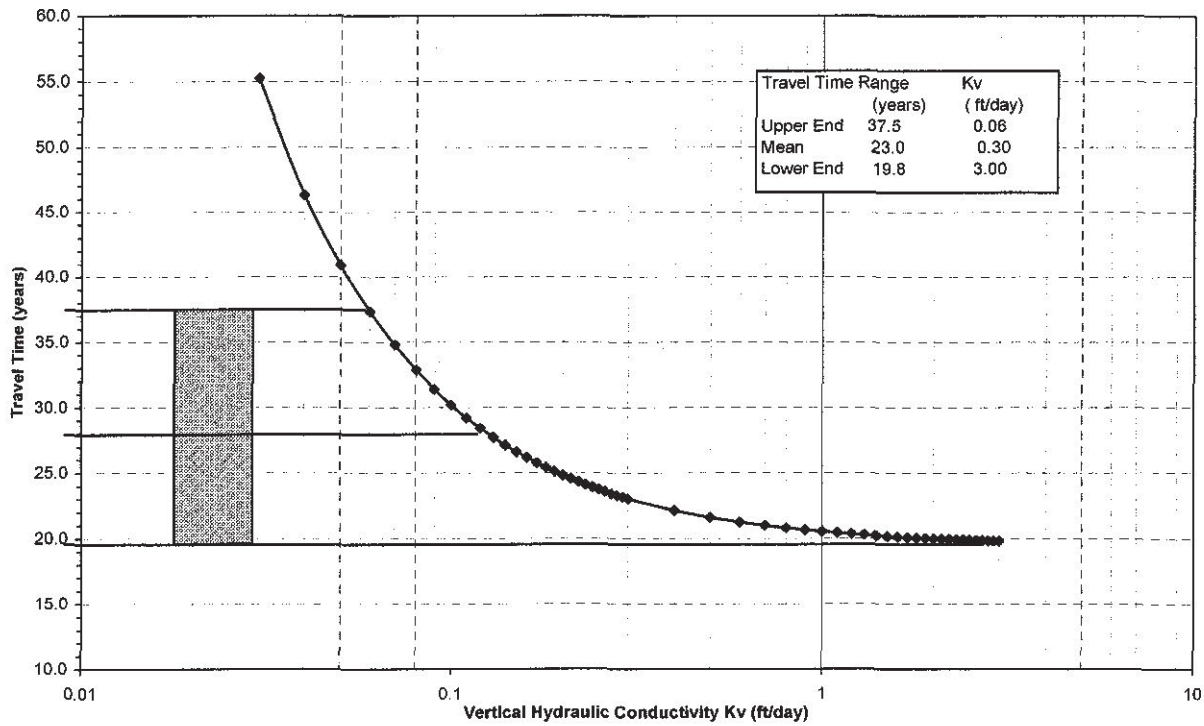


**Porosity Vs. Travel Time (Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)**

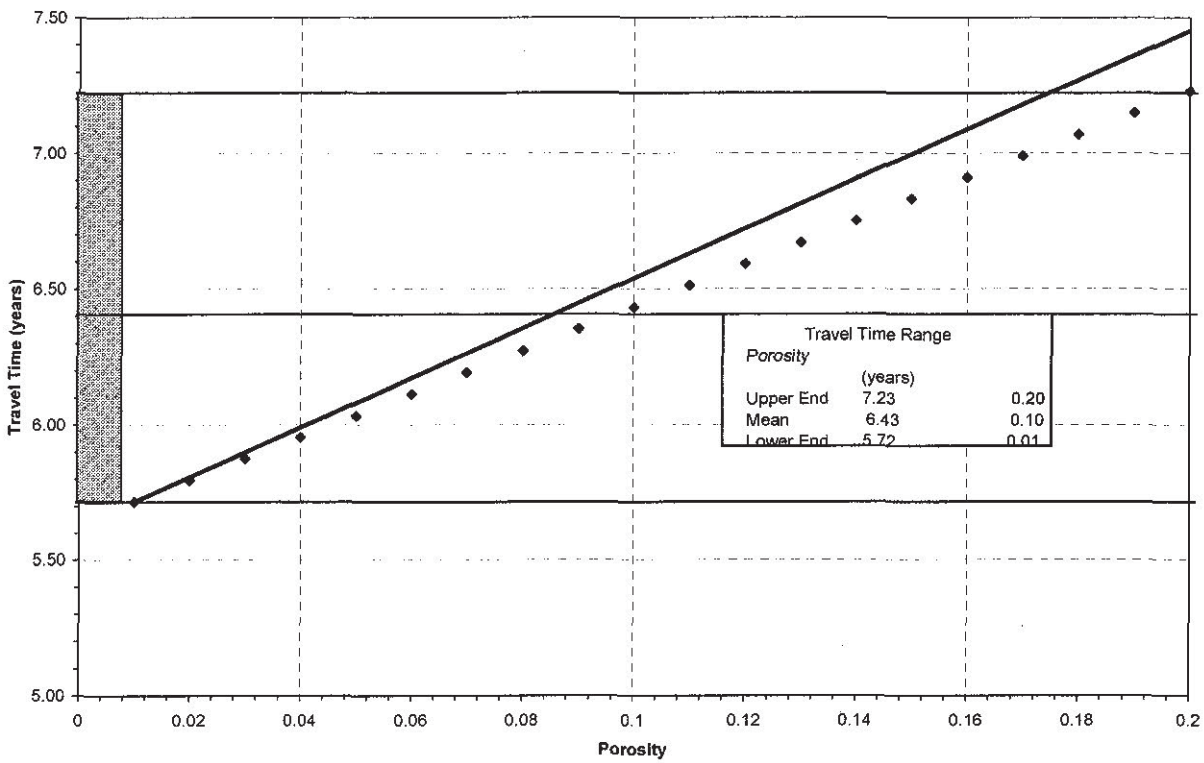


**Appendix Figure 6-2**  
**Uncertainty Analysis Results for Pinellas County**

**Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity Vs. Travel Time (Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)**

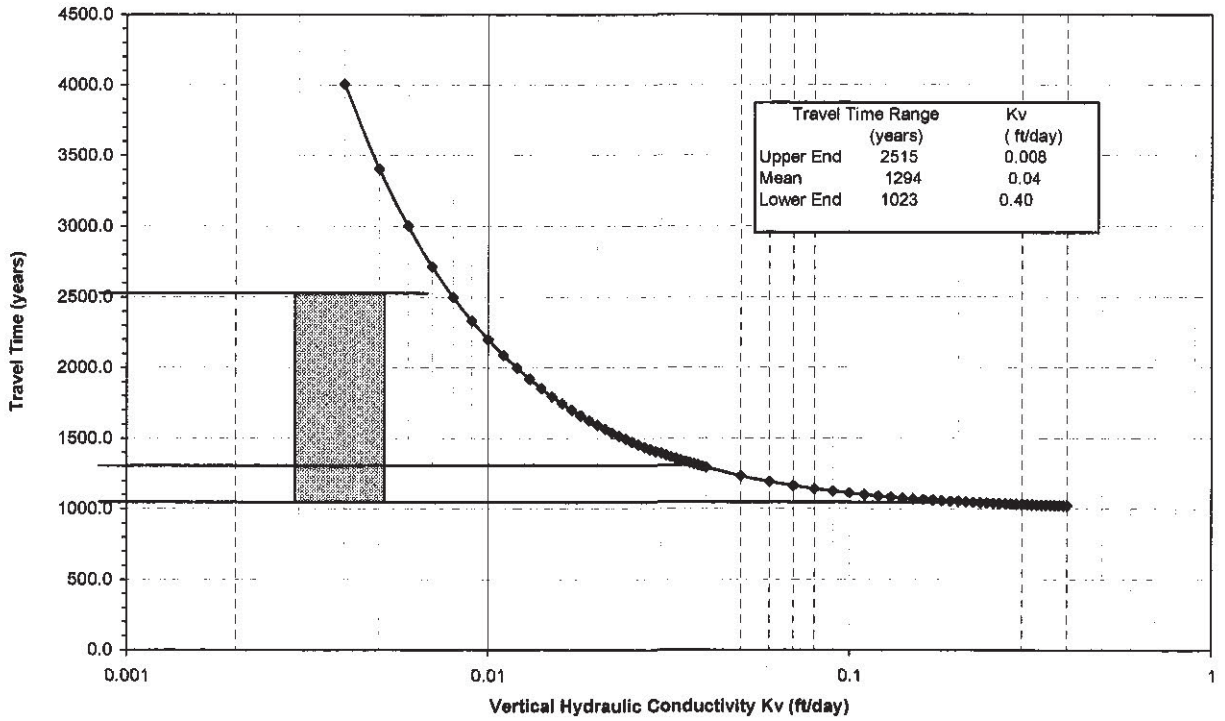


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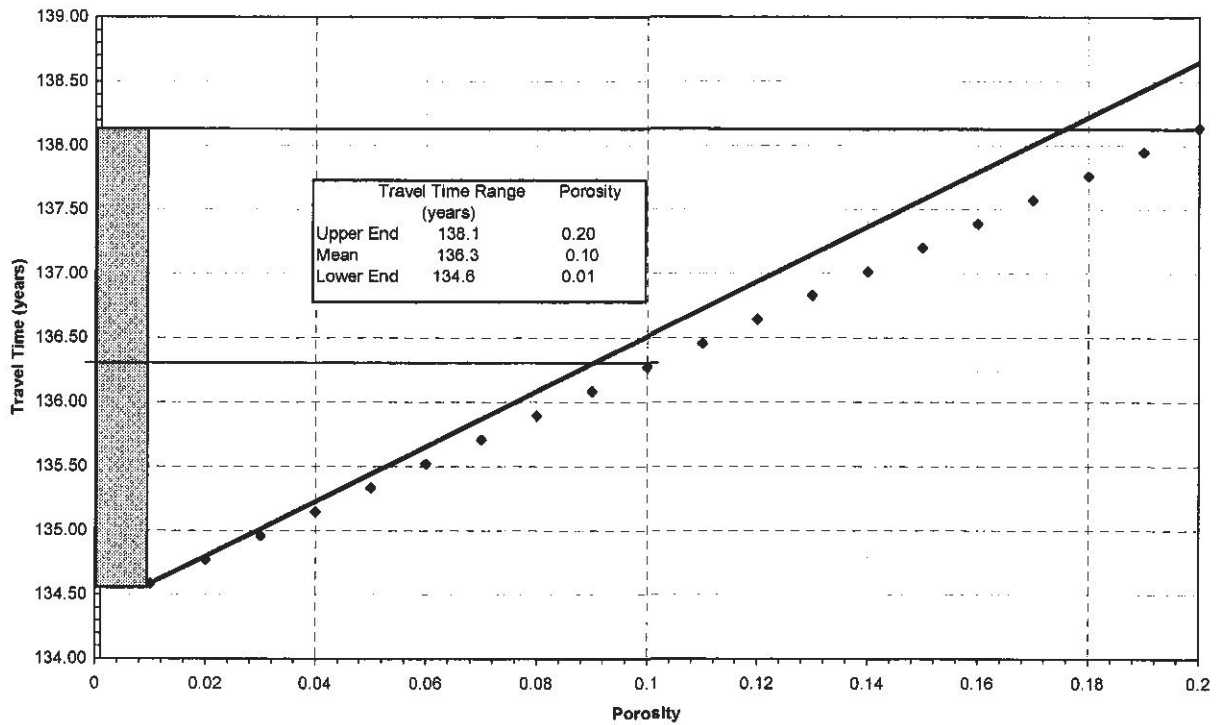


**Appendix Figure 6-3**  
**Uncertainty Analysis Results for Brevard County**

**Vertical Hydraulic Conductivity Vs. Travel Time (Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)**



**Porosity Vs. Travel Time (Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)**



## Appendix 7

### Fate and Transport

The fate and transport of representative stressors can be estimated by a first order decay model (Eqn. 20), which estimates the final concentration (C) of the representative stressors in correlation to vertical travel times estimated earlier. This first order decay model is appropriate for analysis of the organic constituents, because it takes into account natural attenuation processes such as biodegradation, hydrolysis and sorption (Suthersan, 2002).

$$C = C_o e^{-kt_c} \quad (\text{Eqn. 20})$$

where:

C	= Final concentration of stressors
C <sub>o</sub>	= Initial concentration of stressors
k	= Decay coefficient of stressors
t <sub>c</sub>	= Travel time of stressors

Half-life (t<sub>1/2</sub>) is defined as the time it takes for stressors to reach half of the initial concentration. The decay coefficient (k) can be determined by rearranging Equation 20, substituting the half-life in place of the travel time of stressors (t<sub>c</sub>) and equating the ratio of the final versus initial concentrations to 0.5 (Eqn. 21). The decay coefficient (Eqn. 22) is simplified by rearranging Equation 21. Published values for half-life are available and were identified for the selected representative stressors (Howard et al., 1991).

$$\frac{C}{C_o} = 0.5 = e^{-kt_{1/2}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 21})$$

$$k = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 22})$$

The travel time of representative stressors (t<sub>c</sub>) are determined by multiplying the retardation coefficient (R) by the effluent travel time (t<sub>E</sub>) (Eqn. 23). In this analysis, the effluent travel time is equivalent to the vertical travel time estimated earlier.

$$t_c = R \times t_E \quad (\text{Eqn. 23})$$

The retardation coefficient takes into account sorption, a natural attenuation process which increases the travel time of stressors. The greater the travel time of stressors, the more time there is for other natural attenuation process to occur, such as biodegradation and hydrolysis to a lesser extent. Biodegradation results in the degradation of organic material and may also mediate transformations in the state of inorganic material resulting in decreasing concentrations over time. Hydrolysis is the process whereby organic and inorganic solutes react with water resulting in degradation and transformation (Suthersan, 2002). Calculation for the retardation coefficient, for dissolved organic constituents, is shown below in Equation 24 (Suthersan, 2002).

$$R = 1 + \frac{\rho_b K_d}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 24})$$

where:  $\rho_b$  = Bulk density =  $\rho_s(1 - n)$  (Eqn. 25)

$\rho_s$  = soil density

$n$  = porosity

$K_d$  = Distribution coefficient =  $K_{oc} f_{oc}$  (Eqn. 26)

$K_{oc}$  = Sorption coefficient

$f_{oc}$  = fraction of total organic carbon

$$R = 1 + \frac{\rho_s(1 - n)K_{oc}f_{oc}}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 27})$$

Sorption coefficients ( $K_{oc}$ ) were obtained from published values for each representative stressor (Montgomery, 2000). For purposes of risk assessment, conservative values (indicating the least sorption) were selected to calculate the distribution coefficient and therefore the retardation coefficient. Ultimately, this produces conservative estimates of stressor concentrations at the receptors, since the data used relate to the lowest reasonably expected retardation and the shortest travel time. The calculations incorporated a typical value for sediment density of 2.63 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). Weighted mean porosity values (Appendix 3), based on unit thickness, were used in the calculations.

Deade County															
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (days)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (days)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>i</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C <sub>s</sub> )
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.08	1188	1279	433620	466862	0.0004	61.58	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.12	1188	1331	433620	487716	0.0010	4.86	0.00
Chloroethane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.25	1188	1467	433620	542807	0.0003	0.010	0.000
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.15	1188	1361	433620	498930	N/A	0.010	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.24	1188	1472	433620	537350	0.0018	5.00	0.000
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.03	1188	1219.1	433620	444965	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1188	N/A	433620	N/A	N/A	3.82	3.82

Finellas County															
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (days)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (days)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>i</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C <sub>s</sub> )
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.12	23.00	25.8	8395	9402	0.0004	6.70	0.18
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.19	23.00	27.3	8395	9668	0.0010	0.63	0.00
Chloroethane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.39	23.00	32.0	8395	11695	0.0003	0.64	0.003
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.23	23.00	28.23	8395	10304	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.37	23.00	31.6	8395	11527	0.0018	1.25	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.48	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.04	23.00	23.9	8395	8738	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	23.00	N/A	8395	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Brevard County															
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (days)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (days)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>i</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C <sub>s</sub> )
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	1118	1193	408070	435545	0.0004	230	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	1118	1236	408070	450999	0.0010	1.00	0.00
Chloroethane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	1118	1365	408070	498125	0.0003	0.010	0.000
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	1118	1261	408070	460157	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	1118	1352	408070	493546	0.0018	5.00	0.000
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	1118	1144	408070	417419	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1118	N/A	408070	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable

**Appendix Table 7-2 Representative Stressors Concentrations at USDW**  
(Scenario 1: Porous Media Flow)

Surrogate	Duane County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater ( $t_{1/2}$ ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient ( $K_{oc}$ )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon ( $f_{oc}$ )	Distribution Coefficient ( $K_d$ )	Soil Density ( $\rho_s$ )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density ( $\rho_b$ )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW ( $t_e$ ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time ( $t_c$ ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) ( $day^{-1}$ )	Concentration at Injection Pt. ( $C_0$ )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Surrogate	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.08	421	453	0.0004	61.58	0.00
Chloroform ( $\mu g/L$ )	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.12	421	472	0.0010	4.86	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) ( $\mu g/L$ )	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.25	421	527	0.0003	0.010	0.00
Chloroethane ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.15	421	482	N/A	0.010	0.010
Arsenic ( $mg/L$ )	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.24	421	522	0.0018	5.00	0.00
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.03	421	432.0	N/A	8.75	8.75
Ammonia ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	421	N/A	N/A	3.82	3.82
Nitrates ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)													

Surrogate	Pinellas County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater ( $t_{1/2}$ ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient ( $K_{oc}$ )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon ( $f_{oc}$ )	Distribution Coefficient ( $K_d$ )	Soil Density ( $\rho_s$ )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density ( $\rho_b$ )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW ( $t_e$ ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time ( $t_c$ ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) ( $day^{-1}$ )	Concentration at Injection Pt. ( $C_0$ )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Surrogate	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.12	2.00	2.2	0.0004	6.70	4.89
Chloroform ( $\mu g/L$ )	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.19	2.00	2.4	0.0010	0.63	0.27
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) ( $\mu g/L$ )	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.39	2.00	2.8	0.0003	0.64	0.50
Chloroethane ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.23	2.00	2.45	N/A	0.003	0.003
Arsenic ( $mg/L$ )	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.37	2.00	2.7	0.0018	1.25	0.21
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.24	2.00	1.04	2.00	2.1	N/A	18.00	18.00
Ammonia ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.00	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28
Nitrates ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)													

Surrogate	Brevard County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater ( $t_{1/2}$ ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient ( $K_{oc}$ )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon ( $f_{oc}$ )	Distribution Coefficient ( $K_d$ )	Soil Density ( $\rho_s$ )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density ( $\rho_b$ )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW ( $t_e$ ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time ( $t_c$ ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) ( $day^{-1}$ )	Concentration at Injection Pt. ( $C_0$ )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Surrogate	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	342	365	0.0004	230	0.0
Chloroform ( $\mu g/L$ )	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	342	378	0.0010	1.00	0.0
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) ( $\mu g/L$ )	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	342	417	0.0003	0.010	0.0
Chloroethane ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	342	386	N/A	0.005	0.005
Arsenic ( $mg/L$ )	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	342	414	0.0018	5.00	0.0
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) ( $\mu g/L$ )	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	342	350	N/A	8.75	8.75
Ammonia ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	342	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60
Nitrates ( $mg/L$ ) (conservative behavior)													

N/A = not applicable



Dade County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.09	30	33	0.0004	61.58	0.63
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.14	30	34	0.0010	4.66	0.00
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.29	30	39	0.0003	0.010	0.000
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.17	30	35	N/A	0.010	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.27	30	38	0.0018	5.00	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.03	30	30.9	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	30	N/A	N/A	3.82	3.82

Pinellas County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.11	6.40	7.1	0.0004	6.70	2.46
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.18	6.40	7.5	0.0010	0.63	0.04
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.37	6.40	8.8	0.0003	0.64	0.29
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	6.40	7.78	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.35	6.40	8.7	0.0018	1.25	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.04	6.40	6.6	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.40	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Brevard County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	136	145	0.0004	230	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	136	150	0.0010	1.00	0.00
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	136	166	0.0003	0.010	0.000
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	136	153	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	136	164	0.0018	5.00	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	136	139	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	136	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable

**Appendix Table 7-4 Representative Stressors Concentrations at USDW**  
(Scenario 2: Preferential Flow Paths)

Surrogate	Dade County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.09	14	15	0.0004	61.58	7.24
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.14	14	16	0.0010	4.66	0.02
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.29	14	18	0.0003	0.10	0.00
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.17	14	16	N/A	0.00	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.27	14	18	0.0018	5.00	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.3	1.84	1.03	14	14.4	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	14	N/A	N/A	3.82	3.82

Surrogate	Pinellas County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.11	0.47	0.5	0.0004	6.70	6.23
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.18	0.47	0.5	0.0010	0.63	0.52
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.37	0.47	0.6	0.0003	0.64	0.60
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	0.47	0.57	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.35	0.47	0.6	0.0018	1.25	0.83
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.04	0.47	0.5	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.47	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Surrogate	Brevard County												
	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to USDW (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at USDW (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	86	92	0.0004	230	0.0
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	86	95	0.0010	1.00	0.0
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	86	105	0.0003	0.010	0.0
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	86	97	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	86	104	0.0018	5.00	0.0
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	86	88	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	86	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable

## Appendix 8. Aquifer Recharge Calculations

To determine risk associated with aquifer recharge of treated effluent, the fate and transport of representative stressors were conducted for a range of required setbacks of 200, 500 and 2,640 feet (0.5 mile). Utilizing hydrologic data for the Surficial Aquifer, the fate and transport of the selected representative stressors can be estimated.

The time of travel to the horizontal setback distances (X) can be estimated by dividing the setback distances by the seepage velocity ( $v_s$ ) (Eqn. 28). Seepage velocity is defined as the velocity representing the average rate at which ground water moves (Fetter, 1994) and is estimated by dividing the Darcy flow (q) by the porosity (n) of the hydrologic unit (Eqn. 29). Porosity represents the ratio between the volumes of voids over the total volume of the media (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). In this analysis, published porosity values were used. Darcy flow is defined as fluid flow through porous media (e.g. sand) (Freeze and Cherry; 1979), taking into consideration that ground water flows through porous media, Darcian assumptions must be applied. Darcy flow takes into account horizontal hydraulic conductivity ( $K_h$ ) and the horizontal hydraulic gradient (i) (Eqn. 30). Hydraulic conductivity represents the ability of the media to transmit water (Fetter, 1994). Simple substitution of the seepage velocity and Darcy flow equations into Equation 28 will result in Equation 31.

$$t = \frac{X}{v_s} \quad (\text{Eqn. 28})$$

$$v_s = \frac{q}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 29})^1$$

$$q = K_h \times i \quad (\text{Eqn. 30})^2$$

$$t = \frac{Xn}{K_h i} \quad (\text{Eqn. 31})$$

Once the time of travel to the predetermined setback distances (Appendix Table 8-1) has been estimated, a fate and transport analysis can be used to determine the final concentrations of representative stressors. The fate and transport of representative stressors can be estimated by a first order decay model (Eqn. 32), which estimates the final concentration (C) of the representative stressors in correlation to vertical travel times estimated earlier. This first order decay model is appropriate for analysis of the organic constituents, because it takes into account natural attenuation processes such as biodegradation, hydrolysis and sorption (Suthersan, 2002).

$$C = C_0 e^{-kt_c} \quad (\text{Eqn. 32})^3$$

<sup>1</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 4 and 5 (Eqn. 4 and Eqn. 14)

<sup>2</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 5 (Eqn. 15)

<sup>3</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 7 (Eqn. 20)

where: C = Final concentration of stressors  
 C<sub>0</sub> = Initial concentration of stressors  
 k = Decay coefficient of stressors  
 t<sub>C</sub> = Travel time of stressors

Half-life (t<sub>1/2</sub>) is defined as the time it takes for stressors to reach half of the initial concentration. The decay coefficient (k) can be determined by rearranging Equation 32, substituting the half-life in place of the travel time of stressors (t<sub>C</sub>) and equating the ratio of the final versus initial concentrations to 0.5 (Eqn. 33). The decay coefficient (Eqn. 34) is simplified by rearranging Equation 33. Published values for half-life are available and were identified for the selected representative stressors (Howard et al., 1991).

$$\frac{C}{C_0} = 0.5 = e^{-kt_{1/2}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 33})^3$$

$$k = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} \quad (\text{Eqn. 34})^3$$

The travel time of representative stressors (t<sub>C</sub>) are determined by multiplying the retardation coefficient (R) by the effluent travel time (t<sub>E</sub>) (Eqn. 35). In this analysis, the effluent travel time is equivalent to the vertical travel time estimated earlier.

$$t_C = R \times t_E \quad (\text{Eqn. 35})^3$$

The retardation coefficient takes into account sorption, a natural attenuation process which increases the travel time of stressors. The greater the travel time of stressors, the more time there is for other natural attenuation process to occur, such as biodegradation and hydrolysis. Biodegradation results in the degradation of organic material and may also mediate transformations in the state of inorganic material, resulting in decreasing concentrations over time. Hydrolysis is the process whereby organic and inorganic solutes react with water resulting in degradation and transformation (Suthersan, 2002). Calculation for the retardation coefficient, for dissolved organic constituents, is shown below in Equation 36 (Suthersan, 2002).

$$R = 1 + \frac{\rho_b K_d}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 36})^3$$

where: ρ<sub>b</sub> = Bulk density = ρ<sub>s</sub>(1 - n) (Eqn. 37)<sup>3</sup>  
 ρ<sub>s</sub> = soil density  
 n = porosity  
 K<sub>d</sub> = Distribution coefficient = K<sub>oc</sub>f<sub>oc</sub> (Eqn. 38)<sup>3</sup>  
 K<sub>oc</sub> = Sorption coefficient

<sup>3</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 7 (Eqn. 21 to Eqn. 26)

$f_{oc}$  = fraction of total organic carbon

$$R = 1 + \frac{\rho_s(1-n)K_{oc}f_{oc}}{n} \quad (\text{Eqn. 39})^3$$

Sorption coefficients ( $K_{oc}$ ) were obtained from published values for each representative stressor (Montgomery, 2000). For purposes of risk assessment, conservative values (indicating the least sorption) were selected to calculate the distribution coefficient and therefore the retardation coefficient. Ultimately, this produces conservative estimates of stressor concentrations at the receptors, since the data used relate to the lowest reasonably expected retardation and the shortest travel time. The calculations incorporated a typical value for sediment density of 2.63 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (Freeze and Cherry, 1979). Weighted mean porosity values (Appendix 3), based on unit thickness, were used in the calculations.

Appendix Table 8-2 to 8-4 summarizes the fate and transport of the representative stressors within 200, 500 and 2640 feet (0.5 mile) from the facility in Dade, Pinellas and Brevard Counties.

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<sup>3</sup> Same equation used in Appendix 7 (Eqn. 27)

Appendix Table 8-1. Fate Transport (200')

Dade County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
	Max	Max		Max				Max		Max	Max	Max	Min
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.08	0.11	0	0.0004	7.18	7.06
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.12	0.11	0	0.0010	4.66	4.46
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.25	0.11	0	0.0003	0.010	0.01
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.15	0.11	0	N/A	0.010	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.24	0.11	0	0.0018	5.00	4.57
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.03	0.11	0.1	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L)(conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.11	N/A	N/A	0.64	0.64

Pinellas County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.11	5.86	6.5	0.0004	6.70	2.68
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.18	5.86	6.9	0.0010	2.50	0.22
Hexachlorobenzene (µg/L)	4178	2.56	0.01	0.026	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.20	5.86	7.0	0.0002	1.74	1.14
Pentachlorophenol (µg/L)	1520	2.76	0.01	0.028	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	5.86	7.1	0.0005	1.28	0.39
Benzo(a)pyrene (µg/L)	1060	5.95	0.01	0.060	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.47	5.86	8.6	0.0007	1.82	0.23
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.37	5.86	8.0	0.0003	0.640	0.31
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	5.86	7.12	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.35	5.86	7.9	0.0018	1.25	0.01
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.04	5.86	6.1	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L)(conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.86	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Brevard County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	3.03	3	0.0004	230	146
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	3.03	3	0.0010	1.00	0.3
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	3.03	4	0.0003	0.010	0.0
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	3.03	3	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	3.03	4	0.0018	5.00	0.5
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	3.03	3	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L)(conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.03	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable

Dade County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.08	0.28	0	0.0004	7.18	6.88
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.12	0.28	0	0.0010	4.66	4.17
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.25	0.28	0	0.0003	0.010	0.01
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.15	0.28	0	N/A	0.010	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.24	0.28	0	0.0018	5.00	3.99
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.03	0.28	0.3	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.28	N/A	N/A	0.64	0.64

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Pinellas County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.11	14.64	16.3	0.0004	6.70	0.68
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.18	14.64	17.2	0.0010	2.50	0.01
Hexachlorobenzene (µg/L)	4178	2.56	0.01	0.026	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.20	14.64	17.6	0.0002	1.74	0.60
Pentachlorophenol (µg/L)	1520	2.76	0.01	0.028	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	14.64	17.8	0.0005	1.28	0.07
Benzo(a)pyrene (µg/L)	1060	5.95	0.01	0.060	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.47	14.64	21.5	0.0007	1.82	0.01
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.37	14.64	20.1	0.0003	0.640	0.10
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	14.64	17.80	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.35	14.64	19.8	0.0018	1.25	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.04	14.64	15.2	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.64	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Brevard County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	7.58	8	0.0004	230	73.7
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	7.58	8	0.0010	1.00	0.1
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	7.58	9	0.0003	0.010	0.0
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	7.58	9	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	7.58	9	0.0018	5.00	0.0
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	7.58	8	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.58	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable

Appendix Table 8-3. Fate Transport (0.5 mile)

Dade County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.08	1.47	2	0.0004	7.18	5.75
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.12	1.47	2	0.0010	4.66	2.61
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.25	1.47	2	0.0003	0.010	0.01
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.15	1.47	2	N/A	0.010	0.010
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.24	1.47	2	0.0018	5.00	1.53
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.33	1.76	1.03	1.47	1.5	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.47	N/A	N/A	0.64	0.64

Pinellas County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.11	77.32	86.1	0.0004	6.70	0.00
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.18	77.32	91.0	0.0010	2.50	0.00
Hexachlorobenzene (µg/L)	4178	2.56	0.01	0.026	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.20	77.32	92.9	0.0002	1.74	0.01
Pentachlorophenol (µg/L)	1520	2.76	0.01	0.028	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	77.32	94.2	0.0005	1.28	0.00
Benzo(a)pyrene (µg/L)	1060	5.95	0.01	0.060	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.47	77.32	113.6	0.0007	1.82	0.00
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.37	77.32	106.1	0.0003	0.640	0.00
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.22	77.32	93.97	N/A	0.003	0.003
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.35	77.32	104.6	0.0018	1.25	0.00
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.25	1.97	1.04	77.32	80.3	N/A	18.00	18.00
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	77.32	N/A	N/A	0.28	0.28

Brevard County													
Surrogate	Published Half-Life in Groundwater (t <sub>1/2</sub> ) (days)	Published Sorption Coefficient (K <sub>oc</sub> )	Fraction of Total Organic Carbon (f <sub>oc</sub> )	Distribution Coefficient (K <sub>d</sub> )	Soil Density (ρ <sub>s</sub> )	Porosity (n)	Bulk Density (ρ <sub>b</sub> )	Retardation Coefficient (R)	Effluent Travel Time to Receptor Wells (t <sub>e</sub> ) (years)	Contaminant Travel Time (t <sub>c</sub> ) (years)	Decay Coefficient (k) (day <sup>-1</sup> )	Concentration at Injection Pt. (C <sub>0</sub> )	Concentration at Supply Well (C)
Chloroform (µg/L)	1800	1.44	0.01	0.014	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.07	40.04	43	0.0004	230	0.6
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) (µg/L)	720	2.25	0.01	0.023	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.11	40.04	44	0.0010	1.00	0.0
Chlordane (µg/L)	2772	4.72	0.01	0.047	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.22	40.04	49	0.0003	0.010	0.0
Arsenic (mg/L)	N/A	2.73	0.01	0.027	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.13	40.04	45	N/A	0.005	0.005
Di(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP) (µg/L)	389	4.48	0.01	0.045	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.21	40.04	41	0.0018	5.00	0.0
Ammonia (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	0.49	0.01	0.005	2.63	0.36	1.68	1.02	40.04	41	N/A	8.75	8.75
Nitrates (mg/L) (conservative behavior)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	40.04	N/A	N/A	9.60	9.60

N/A = not applicable