

**NOTE OF EXPLANATION FOR "AQUATIC" FACT SHEET FOR
DICHLOROBENZENES**

The attached Fact Sheet for dichlorobenzenes (dated Oct. 11, 1984), with its described "Aquatic" basis, actually supports two Types of values. The value of 5 ug/L is a true Aquatic (Chronic) Type value; the value of 50 ug/L is an Aesthetic Type value, formerly referred to as an Aquatic Type value. Aesthetic Type values were made their own Type effective March 12, 1998. Because of its dual nature, this Fact Sheet is filed under both "Aquatic" and "Aesthetic."

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Surface Water Quality
Standard Documentation

Chemical: Dichlorobenzenes*

C.A.S. No.(s): 95-50-1; 106-46-7; 541-73-1

Basis (Human/Aquatic): Aquatic

Standard by Water Classification:

	<u>ug/l</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Classes AA,AA-s;A;A-s;B;C	5	I,N
Class D	50	L
Classes SA;SB;SC;I	5	I,N
Class SD	50	L

Remarks: *applies to each isomer and the sum of isomers

Summary of Information and Standard Derivation

Because of the chemical similarity of mono, di and trichlorobenzene the environmental effects literature and the standard derivation for all are in the chlorobenzene fact sheet.