

# Rule 57 Aquatic Values Data Sheet

7/29/2005 (10/21/05 Rev.)

Chemical or product name: Phenanthrene

Manufacturer (WTAs): -----

C.A.S #: 85-01-8

Developed by: Christopher Hull FAV\*: 9.4 ug/l

Approved by: D. Bush AMV\*: 4.7 ug/l

Approval date: 3/30/07 FCV\*: 1.4 ug/l

CAS, ACQUIRE, QSAR: 3/09,10/05 Acute CF: ----

Clearinghouse search date: 6/20/96

(Tier: II)

(Tier: II)

(Tier: II)

Chronic CF: ----

## ACUTE DATA

| Species                                                 | Endpoint<br>(EC or LC50) | Duration<br>(hours) | Test Type<br>(FT,M, etc.) | Hardness<br>mg/L | Test<br>Chemical | LC50/EC50<br>ug/L  | SMAV<br>ug/L     | GMAV<br>ug/L | Rank | Reference |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|------|-----------|
| Bluegill Sunfish<br>( <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i> )      | EC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 52.8             | -----            | 49                 | 49               | 49           | 1    | 1         |
|                                                         | LC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 52.8             | -----            | 234 <sup>1</sup>   |                  |              |      | 1         |
| Rainbow Trout<br>( <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> )         | EC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 50.6             | -----            | 50                 | 50               | 50           | 2    | 1         |
|                                                         | LC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 50.6             | -----            | 375 <sup>1</sup>   |                  |              |      | 1         |
|                                                         | LC50                     | 96                  | S,U                       | 160-190          | >95%             | 3,200 <sup>2</sup> |                  |              |      | 2         |
| Freshwater Hydroid<br>( <i>Hydra</i> sp.)               | EC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 52.8             | -----            | 96                 | 96               | 96           | 3    | 1         |
| Amphipod<br>( <i>Gammarus pseudolimnaeus</i> )          | EC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 50.5             | -----            | 126                | 126              | 126          | 4    | 1         |
| Water Flea<br>( <i>Daphnia magna</i> )                  | EC50                     | 48                  | FT,M                      | 51.3             | -----            | 117                | 164              | 164          | 5    | 1         |
|                                                         | EC50                     | 48                  | FT,M                      | 51.3             | -----            | 230                |                  |              |      | 3         |
|                                                         | EC50                     | 48                  | SR,M                      | 183              | -----            | 120 <sup>2,3</sup> |                  |              |      | 4         |
| Water Flea<br>( <i>D. pulex</i> )                       | EC50                     | 48                  | S,U                       | 160-180          | >96%             | 350 <sup>4</sup>   | 507 <sup>4</sup> |              |      | 5,6       |
|                                                         | EC50                     | 48                  | S,U                       | -----            | >96%             | 734 <sup>4</sup>   |                  |              |      | 7         |
| Freshwater Annelid<br>( <i>Lumbriculus variegatus</i> ) | EC50                     | 96                  | FT,M                      | 53.0             | -----            | 419                | 419              | 419          | 6    | 1         |

# CHRONIC DATA

| Species                                         | Test type<br>(ELS, etc.) | Duration<br>(days) | Study<br>Conditions<br>(FT,M etc.) | Hardness<br>mg/L | Test<br>Chemical | MATC<br>ug/L | SMCV<br>ug/L | GMCV<br>ug/L | Rank | Reference |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------|-----------|
| Rainbow Trout<br>( <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> ) | ELS                      | 90                 | FT,M                               | 50.6             | -----            | 6            | 6            | 6            | 1    | 1         |
| Water Flea<br>( <i>Daphnia magna</i> )          | LC                       | 21                 | FT,M                               | 53.1             | -----            | 90           | 78           | 78           | 2    | 1         |
|                                                 | LC                       | 21                 | SR,M                               | 162              | -----            | 66.81        |              |              |      | 3         |

\*Value rounded to 2 significant figures.

<sup>1</sup> Value not used to calculate SMAV, because EC50 preferred over LC50 from the same test.

<sup>2</sup> Value not used to calculate SMAV, because data from FT,M test preferred over data from other test types.

<sup>3</sup> Recalculated value, using more accurate mean measured concentrations.

<sup>4</sup> These data are not used to calculate the GMAV, because studies, e.g., Ref.#4, show that test concentrations of this chemical are highly unstable due to photo- and bio- degradation and adsorption, declining as much as 93% in 24 hrs. Therefore, BPJ dictates that only tests using measured concentrations be used.

Table 1. MATC & ACR calculations for Rainbow Trout (REVISED 10/05) #

Ref. #3:

$$96\text{-hr. EC50} = 50 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$90\text{-day ELS NOEC (surv, gr.)} = 5 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{LOEC} = 8 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{MATC} = \bar{X}_g = 6 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$\text{RBT ACR} = \frac{96\text{-hr. EC50}}{90\text{-day MATC}} = \frac{50 \mu\text{g/L}}{6 \mu\text{g/L}} = \boxed{8.333}$$

Table 2. MATC & ACR calculations for Daphnia magna.

Ref. #1:

$$48\text{-hr. EC50} = 117 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$21\text{-day NOEC (reprod.)} = 57 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{LOEC} = 163 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{MATC} = \bar{X}_g = 90 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$\text{ACR} = \frac{48\text{-hr. EC50}}{21\text{-day MATC}} = \frac{117 \mu\text{g/L}}{90 \mu\text{g/L}} = 1.30$$

Ref. #3:

$$48\text{-hr. EC50} = 230 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$21\text{-day NOEC (gr.)} = 48 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{LOEC} = 93 \mu\text{g/L}; \text{MATC} = \bar{X}_g = 66.81 \mu\text{g/L}$$

$$\text{ACR} = \frac{48\text{-hr. EC50}}{21\text{-day MATC}} = \frac{230 \mu\text{g/L}}{66.81 \mu\text{g/L}} = 3.4425984$$

$$\text{D. magna } \Sigma \text{MACR} = \bar{X}_g(\text{Ref. \#1 ACR}, \text{Ref. \#3 ACR}) = \bar{X}_g(1.30, 3.4425984) \\ = \boxed{2.1155089}$$

# Rule 57 Aquatic Values Work Sheet

Chemical Name: PHENANTHRENE  
C.A.S. #: 85-01-8

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| Min. data<br>req. met | Acute<br>Factor |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 2                     | 13              |
| 3                     | 8               |
| 4                     | 7               |
| 5                     | 6.1             |
| 6                     | 5.2             |
| 7                     | 4.3             |

## AQUATIC MAXIMUM VALUE CALCULATIONS, 7/05 (Revised 10/05) - CH

A. Minimum 8 species requirement is **not** met (Tier II). Minimum requirements met = 6.  
Minimum requirements missing for Tier I = 2 (iii, vi).  
Acute factor = 5.2.

1. Toxicity is **not** dependent on a water characteristic

a. FAV calculation 
$$FAV = \frac{\text{Lowest SMAV}}{\text{Acute Factor}} = \frac{49 \mu\text{g/L}}{5.2} = 9.4230769 \mu\text{g/L}$$

2. Toxicity is dependent on a water characteristic

a. Slope = (Table     )

b. FAV equation:

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B. Minimum 8 species requirement is met (Tier I)

1. Toxicity is **not** dependent on a water characteristic

a. FAV calculation: Att.     

2. Toxicity is dependent on a water characteristic

a. Slope = (Table     )

b. Ranked genus mean acute intercepts: Table     

c. Final acute intercept = (Att.     )

ln of final acute intercept =

d. FAV equation =

C. Aquatic Maximum Value (AMV) calculation: 
$$AMV = \frac{FAV}{2} = \frac{9.4230769 \mu\text{g/L}}{2}$$

$$= 4.7115385 \mu\text{g/L}$$

PHENANTHRENE

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FINAL CHRONIC VALUE CALCULATIONS

7/05 (REVISED 10/05)  
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- A. Minimum 8 species requirement is not met (Tier II). Minimum requirements met = 2.  
Minimum requirements missing for Tier I = 6 (ii, iii, v, vi, vii, viii) (GMCU route).  
1 (ACR route).

1. Acute to chronic ratio

a. Number ACRs meeting minimum data requirements = 2 (Table 1.2)

b. Acute to chronic ratio =  $\bar{X}_g(\text{RBT ACR}, \text{D-megna ACR}, \text{Default ACR})$

2. Toxicity is not dependent on a water characteristic =  $\bar{X}_g(8.333, 2.1155089, 18) = 7$

$$\text{FCV} = \frac{\text{FAV}}{\text{ACR}} = \frac{9.4230769 \mu\text{g/L}}{6.8207099} = \boxed{1.381539 \mu\text{g/L}} \quad \boxed{6.8207099}$$

~~3. Toxicity is dependent on a water characteristic~~

~~a. Slope = (Table \_\_)~~

~~b. Aquatic chronic intercept = (Table \_\_)~~

~~ln of aquatic chronic intercept =~~

~~c. FCV equation =~~

B. Minimum 8 species requirement is met (Tier I)

1. Toxicity is not dependent on a water characteristic

a. FCV = \_\_\_\_ (Att. \_\_)

2. Toxicity is dependent on a water characteristic

a. Slope = (Table \_\_)

b. Ranked genus mean chronic intercepts: Table \_\_\_\_

c. Final chronic intercept = \_\_\_\_ (Att. \_\_); ln of final chronic intercept =

d. FCV equation =

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\*For abbreviations used, see Appendix, attached.

## APPENDIX: REFERENCE ABBREVIATIONS USED, 10/05

AMD = ambient monitoring data.  
BCF = bioconcentration factor.  
D = data (as a suffix to other abbreviations listed here).  
DO = data only (as a suffix to other abbreviations listed here)..  
GWD = groundwater data.  
IITM/C = insufficient information on test methods / conditions.  
ISD = *in situ* data.  
LD = leachate data.  
LSER = Linear Solvation Energy Relationship.  
MCD = microcosm data.  
MIX = mixture data (not chemical-specific test data).  
MED = model ecosystem data.  
MET = metabolism  
MOD = model (theoretical) data / analysis.  
NA = not available at this time.  
ND = no data (on this chemical).  
NIL = not in (MDEQ) Library.  
NUE = no useable endpoint.  
O = only (as a suffix to other abbreviations listed here).  
PD = phytotoxicity data.  
QSAR = Quantitative Structure-Activity Relationship.  
RWD = receiving water data.  
SD = secondary data.  
SED = sediment data or testing.  
SW = saltwater.  
TATO = test animals too old.  
TDI = test duration inappropriate.  
TM/CU = test methods / conditions unacceptable.  
TONNA = test organisms not North American.  
TONS = test organisms not suitable.  
UP = uptake data.  
WET = whole-effluent testing.