

Scenario: PRG calculation for benzo[a]pyrene in soil for an individual exposed by the ingestion pathway for 30 years, starting at birth, (the standard scenario for an RME resident). The calculation is based on a target cancer risk of 1E-06.

Note, this example uses the USEPA (1991) recommended standard default exposure parameters for a RME resident.

General PRG Equation:

$$\text{PRG (mg/kg)} = \frac{\text{AT} * \text{Target Risk}}{(\text{CF} * \text{SF}) * [\sum_{i=a}^d (\text{IR}_i / \text{BW}_i) * \text{ED}_i * \text{EF}_i * \text{ADAF}_i)}$$

Inputs:

PARAMTERS (by age interval, i)					
Parameter	Units	0-<2	2-<6	6-<16	16-<30
Target Risk	(unitless)	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06
IR	(mg/day)	200	200	100	100
CF	(kg/mg)	1.0E-06	1.0E-06	1.0E-06	1.0E-06
BW	(kg)	15	15	70	70
EF	(days/year)	350	350	350	350
ED	(years)	2	4	10	14
AT	(days)	25,550	25,550	25,550	25,550
SF _{oral}	(mg/kg-day)-1	7.3E+00	7.3E+00	7.3E+00	7.3E+00
ADAF	(unitless)	10	3	3	1

Note: Alternate age bins may be considered to address site-specific exposure scenarios.

PRG Calculation:

$$\text{PRG (mg/kg)} = \frac{\text{AT} * \text{Target Risk}}{(\text{CF} * \text{SF}) * [((\text{IR}_{0-<2}/\text{BW}_{0-<2}) * \text{EF}_{0-<2} * \text{ED}_{0-<2} * \text{ADAF}_{0-<2}) + ((\text{IR}_{2-<6}/\text{BW}_{2-<6}) * \text{EF}_{2-<6} * \text{ED}_{2-<6} * \text{ADAF}_{2-<6}) + ((\text{IR}_{6-<16}/\text{BW}_{6-<16}) * \text{EF}_{6-<16} * \text{ED}_{6-<16} * \text{ADAF}_{6-<16}) + ((\text{IR}_{16-<30}/\text{BW}_{16-<30}) * \text{EF}_{16-<30} * \text{ED}_{16-<30} * \text{ADAF}_{16-<30})]}$$

$$\text{PRG (mg/kg)} = \frac{25,550 * 1\text{E}-06}{(1\text{E}-06 * 7.3\text{E}+00) * [(200/15) * 350 * 2 * 10] + [(200/15) * 350 * 4 * 3] + [(100/70) * 350 * 10 * 3] + [(100/70) * 350 * 14 * 1]}$$

$$\text{PRG (mg/kg)} = 0.020$$

References:

USEPA 1991. Standard Default Exposure Factors. OSWER Directive 9285.6-03

Scenario: PRG calculation for benzo[a]pyrene in water for an individual exposed by the ingestion pathway for 30 years, starting at birth, (the standard scenario for an RME resident). The calculation is based on a target cancer risk of 1E-06.

Note, this example uses the USEPA (1991) recommended standard default exposure parameters for a RME resident.

General PRG Equation:

$$\text{PRG (ug/L)} = \frac{\text{AT} * \text{Target Risk}}{(\text{CF} * \text{SF}) * [\sum_{i=0}^d (\text{IR}_i / \text{BW}_i) * \text{ED}_i * \text{EF}_i * \text{ADAF}_i]}$$

Inputs:

PARAMTERS (by age interval, i)					
Parameter	Units	0-<2	2-<6	6-<16	16-<30
Target Risk	(unitless)	1.0E-06	1.0E-06	1.0E-06	1.0E-06
CF	(mg/ug)	1.0E-03	1.0E-03	1.0E-03	1.0E-03
IR	(L/day)	1	1	2	2
BW	(kg)	15	15	70	70
EF	(days/year)	350	350	350	350
ED	(years)	2	4	10	14
AT	(days)	25,550	25,550	25,550	25,550
SF _{oral}	(mg/kg-day)-1	7.3E+00	7.3E+00	7.3E+00	7.3E+00
ADAF	(unitless)	10	3	3	1

Note: Alternate age bins may be considered to address site-specific exposure scenarios.

PRG Calculation:

$$\text{PRG (ug/L)} = \frac{\text{AT} * \text{Target Risk}}{(\text{CF} * \text{SF}) * [(\text{IR}_{0-<2}/\text{BW}_{0-<2}) * \text{EF}_{0-<2} * \text{ED}_{0-<2} * \text{ADAF}_{0-<2} + (\text{IR}_{2-<6}/\text{BW}_{2-<6}) * \text{EF}_{2-<6} * \text{ED}_{2-<6} * \text{ADAF}_{2-<6} + (\text{IR}_{6-<16}/\text{BW}_{6-<16}) * \text{EF}_{6-<16} * \text{ED}_{6-<16} * \text{ADAF}_{6-<16} + (\text{IR}_{16-<30}/\text{BW}_{16-<30}) * \text{EF}_{16-<30} * \text{ED}_{16-<30} * \text{ADAF}_{16-<30}]}$$

$$\text{PRG (ug/L)} = \frac{25,550 * 1\text{E}-06}{(1\text{E}-03 * 7.3\text{E}+00) * [(1/15) * 350 * 2 * 10 + ((1/15) * 350 * 4 * 3) + ((2/70) * 350 * 10 * 3) + ((2/70) * 350 * 14 * 1)]}$$

$$\text{PRG (ug/L)} = 0.0029$$

References:

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