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## Baseline Risk Assessment

This risk assessment provides the methodology and results for the human health and ecological risk assessment. This assessment follows the protocol outlined in the Risk Assessment Work Plan (RAWP)<sup>1</sup> submitted as Appendix B of the *Work Plan, Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study, Red Devil Mine, Alaska* (E & E 2011) and the technical memorandum, *Proposed Approach to Evaluating Consumption of Wild Foods at the Red Devil Mine Site, Alaska, Version 2* (E & E 2012).

This baseline risk assessment consists of the following sections:

**Section 6.1, Data Usability:** Provides the evaluation of site data for usability in risk assessment.

**Section 6.2, Human Health Risk Assessment:** Presents the identification of human health COPCs, exposure assessment, toxicity assessment, and risk characterization.

**Section 6.3, Ecological Risk Assessment:** Presents the baseline ecological risk assessment (BERA) based on the revised screening level ecological risk assessment (SLERA) prepared in March 2012. The revised SLERA is provided as Appendix F.

**Section 6.4, Risk-Based Cleanup Levels:** Presents the preliminary cleanup levels based on the results of the HHRA and ERA.

### 6.1 Data Usability

Regional studies, contaminant investigations, and sampling programs associated with cleanup activities have been conducted at and near the RDM site over the past 40 years. A review of historical data usability is presented in Section 1.4.4.

A summary of the history of environmental sampling and monitoring at the RDM site was provided in Section 3.1 of the RI/FS Work Plan (E & E 2011). Five major removal/cleanup actions were performed at the RDM site between 1999 and 2006. These actions have included offsite disposal of hazardous waste and materi-

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<sup>1</sup> An acronyms list is provided in Section 6.6

als and onsite consolidation of mine structure debris. To date, all mine structures have been demolished, and three debris burial areas (monofills) have been constructed. The major removal/cleanup actions that have been conducted at the RDM site are summarized in Section 1.4.4, above.

### **6.1.1 Data Usability**

Due to the extensive nature of the sampling conducted in 2010 and 2011 for surface soil, subsurface soil, groundwater, sediment, and surface water, data collected for this report are the most current and relevant data for use in the risk assessment. Results from additional vegetation and fish studies also were used. Specifically, data in this risk assessment were derived from the following sources:

- Remedial Investigation (2012) – including data results from the 2010 Limited Sampling Event, 2011 sampling, and 2011 vegetation sampling.
- USGS Fish Tissue Sampling from June 2010 and August 2010 (Matz 2011).
- USGS Mercury Studies (Bailey and Gray 1997; Bailey et al. 2002).

### **6.1.2 Data Usability Criteria**

The risk assessment highlights chemicals associated with historical operations that are thought or known to have been released to the environment. A review of existing data and a list of target analytes are provided in Section 1.4.4.

As noted in Chapter 4, analytical data generated from the samples collected in 2010 and 2011, which are used in this chapter to assessment risk and hazards from potential exposure with contaminants at the site, were validated by E & E chemists in accordance with following:

- Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Inorganic Data Review (EPA 2010c).
- Contract Laboratory Program National Functional Guidelines for Organic Data Review (EPA 2008c).
- Guidelines for Data Reporting, Data Reduction, and Treatment of Non-Detect Values (ADEC 2008c).
- Quality assurance guidelines in Standard Operating Procedure BR-0013 for mercury selective sequential extraction analyses (Brooks Rand 2010).
- Quality assurance guidelines in EPA Method 1632 for arsenic speciation analysis (EPA 1998a).
- Quality assurance guidelines in EPA Method 9200.1-86 for arsenic bio-accessibility assays (EPA 2008d).

The results of data validation are presented in Analytical Data Review Summary memoranda for each laboratory data deliverable and are contained in Appendix B. In general, all data generated for the RI are considered usable for the risk assessment, with qualifications.

Consistent with ADEC requirements (ADEC 2008c), the highest concentrations between duplicate and original samples were used in the risk assessment.

## **6.2 Human Health Risk Assessment**

### **6.2.1 Overview**

This chapter contains the results of the HHRA developed consistent with the protocol outlined in the risk assessment work plan submitted as Appendix B of the *Work Plan, Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study, Red Devil Mine, Alaska* (E & E 2011) and the technical memorandum, *Proposed Approach to Evaluating Consumption of Wild Foods at the Red Devil Mine Site, Alaska, Version 2* (E & E 2012). This HHRA describes the results of the determination of COPCs (Section 6.2.2), exposure assessment (Section 6.2.3), toxicity assessment (Section 6.2.4), risk characterization (Section 6.2.5), and analysis of uncertainty (Section 6.2.6).

COPC determination identifies which compounds are quantitatively and qualitatively evaluated in the HHRA. The exposure assessment describes how exposures to receptors are quantified for each potentially complete exposure pathway, while the toxicity assessment explains how the toxicity of carcinogenic and noncarcinogenic COPCs is estimated. The information from the exposure and toxicity assessments is then combined to generate quantitative estimates of risk and hazard at the site.

The HHRA report provides a detailed discussion of the uncertainty associated with each step of the HHRA and indicates how each issue may impact the overall risk and hazard estimates. The HHRA was developed to be consistent with federal and state guidance, in addition to information presented in peer-reviewed publications, including, but not limited to, the following documents:

- Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund, Volume I, Human Health Evaluation Manual (Part A), Interim Final (EPA 1989).
- Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund Volume I, Human Health Evaluation Manual (Part E, Supplemental Guidance for Dermal Risk Assessment) (EPA 2004).
- Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund Volume I, Human Health Evaluation Manual (Part F, Supplemental Guidance for Inhalation Risk Assessment) (EPA 2009c).
- Human Health Evaluation Manual, Supplemental Guidance, “Standard Default Exposure Factors,” Interim Final (OSWER Directive 9285.6-02; EPA 1991).
- Exposure Factors Handbook (EPA 1997a; EPA 2011a).
- Child-Specific Exposure Factors Handbook (EPA 2008b).
- ProUCL Version 4.1.00 User Guide (EPA 2010e).
- ProUCL Version 4.1.00 Technical Guide (EPA 2010d).
- Framework for Metals Risk Assessment (EPA 2007i).
- Risk Assessment Procedures Manual (ADEC 2000, 2011)
- Risk Management Criteria for Metals at BLM Sites (BLM 2004).

### 6.2.2 Selection of Contaminants of Potential Concern

COPCs were identified based on the following criteria:

1. Screening values based on toxicological characteristics of each chemical, and
2. Evaluation of essential nutrients.

This approach is consistent with the EPA document *Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund, Volume I: Human Health Evaluation Manual (Part A)* (EPA 1989) and the ADEC *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual* (2000; 2011) and is discussed in further detail throughout this section.

As described in Chapter 4, a number of inorganic compounds were found at the RDM site in background samples for all media. For many of these compounds, the levels are elevated above risk-based screening criteria. Consistent with EPA policy (EPA 2002a), no COPC was eliminated based on comparison to background concentrations. Section 6.2.5.4 includes an analysis of contribution from elevated background concentrations to overall risks and hazards at the site.

#### 6.2.2.1 Screening Values

Maximum site concentrations in each medium (soil, sediment, groundwater, and surface water) were compared to risk-based screening concentrations (RBSCs). As noted in the conceptual site model (CSM) (discussed below in Section 6.2.3.1), human receptors that may have contact with exposure media at the RDM site include future onsite residents, recreational or subsistence users, and industrial or mine workers. Exposure media include soil, sediment, surface water, groundwater, and biota. For exposure assessment, tailings are treated as soil or sediment based on their location and potential for exposure.

Soil RBSCs include EPA Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) for residential soils (EPA 2011b) adjusted to a cancer risk of  $10^{-6}$  or a hazard quotient (HQ) equal to 0.1, one-tenth of the direct contact and inhalation Alaska Method 2 soil cleanup level for the Under 40 inch zone (18 AAC 75.341; values provided in Appendix B of the *Cumulative Risk Guidance* [ADEC 2008b]) and the BLM's Risk Management Criteria for Metals at BLM sites for the resident scenario (BLM 2004).

There are no readily available screening criteria from the EPA or ADEC for human exposure to sediments. Soil criteria (e.g., RSLs and one-tenth Method 2 values) were used as sediment RBSCs. The BLM (2004) provides screening criteria for people exposed to sediment while camping. These values, in addition to those listed for soil, were used for sediment. Red Devil Creek sediments, as well as both near-shore and off-shore Kuskokwim River sediment samples were screened against these RBSC to ensure that all COPCs were identified, although human receptors have no direct exposure to off-shore Kuskokwim River sediments.

Groundwater RBSCs include one-tenth Alaska groundwater cleanup levels (18 AAC 75.345, Table C), EPA RSLs (EPA 2011) for tap water adjusted to a cancer risk of  $10^{-6}$  or an HQ equal to 0.1, and federal MCLs (EPA 2009b). COPCs exceeding any of the applicable screening criteria were included in the assessment for quantitative determination of risk.

Groundwater RBSCs were conservatively applied to surface water to determine surface water RBSCs. Comparison of surface water results to water quality standards for surface water (18 AAC 70) and ambient water quality criteria (EPA 2009a) are discussed in Chapter 7. For groundwater and surface water, total and dissolved metal results were evaluated separately in the COPC screening. Consistent with EPA *Risk Assessment Guidelines for Superfund, Part A* (1989), data from unfiltered water samples (total metals) were used to estimate exposure in the HHRA.

If the maximum site concentration did not exceed any of the RBSCs for each medium, the compound was eliminated as a COPC. There are no RBSCs for 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether, so it was retained as a COPC for further evaluation.

Bioaccumulative compounds detected in sediment and surface water were retained as COPCs regardless of their comparison to screening criteria. ADEC defines bioaccumulative compounds as those that have a bioconcentration factor equal to or greater than 1,000 for organic compounds or are identified by the EPA (2000a) as bioaccumulative inorganic compounds (ADEC 2010). The following compounds were identified as COPCs in sediment and surface water solely based their bioaccumulative properties (i.e., they did not exceed an RBSC): cadmium, copper, lead, methylmercury, selenium, silver, and zinc.

There are no available screening criteria that are representative of subsistence use of biota. Therefore, biota was not compared to screening benchmarks. For evaluating consumption of fish, any inorganic compound identified as a COPC in sediment or surface water, including bioaccumulative chemicals, was evaluated as a COPC in fish. For evaluating consumption of land mammals, birds, berries and plants, and inorganic compounds identified as COPCs in surface or subsurface soil were included as a COPC for this biota.

#### **6.2.2.2 Essential Nutrients**

The EPA (1989) recommends removing chemicals from further consideration if they are considered “essential nutrients”; present at low concentrations (i.e., only slightly elevated above naturally occurring levels); and toxic only at very high doses. The essential nutrients that were eliminated from the list of COPCs are magnesium, calcium, sodium, and potassium. These chemicals are toxic only at very high doses and are expected to be present at concentrations that would not be due to chemical sources at the RDM site. In addition, no screening criteria were available from the sources identified in Section 6.2.2.1.

### 6.2.2.3 Final Compounds of Potential Concern

The results of the surface and subsurface soil screening are presented in Tables 6-1 and 6-2. Results of the sediment, groundwater, and surface water screening are presented in Tables 6-3, 6-4, and 6-5, respectively<sup>2</sup>. The final list of COPCs is provided in Table 6-6.

For compounds that had no detected result, the detection limits were compared to the RBSC as described in Section 6.2.2.1, to ensure that detection limits were sufficiently low enough to identify any potential risk drivers at the site. For soil (both surface and subsurface soil) and sediment results, the minimum detection limits for all non-detected compounds were below the RBSC.

For groundwater and surface water results, there were a number of analytes with detection limits that exceeded the RBSC: p-chloroaniline, bis(2-chloro-1-methylethyl) ether, bis(2-chloroethyl)ether, hexachlorobenzene, 2,4-dinitrotoluene, indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(k)fluoranthene, benzo(a)pyrene, 4,6-dinitro-o-cresol, dibenz(a,h)anthracene, benz(a)anthracene, N-nitroso-di-N-propylamine, N-nitrosodimethylamine, hexachlorobutadiene, pentachlorophenol, naphthalene, 3,3'-dichlorobenzidine, and nitrobenzene. Of these, the following compounds had detection limits very close to the RBSC (within an order of magnitude): p-chloroaniline, bis(2-chloro-1-methylethyl) ether, 2,4-dinitrotoluene, benzo(k)fluoranthene, 4,6-dinitro-o-cresol, hexachlorobutadiene, naphthalene, 3,3'-dichlorobenzidine, and nitrobenzene.

Although the following nine compounds had detection limits above the RBSC, these compounds are not expected to be found in groundwater or surface water at appreciable levels based on either their chemical properties or use at the site: bis(2-chloroethyl)ether, hexachlorobenzene, indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene, benzo(b)fluoranthene, benzo(a)pyrene, dibenz(a,h)anthracene, benz(a)anthracene, N-nitroso-di-N-propylamine, N-nitrosodimethylamine, and pentachlorophenol. In addition, none of these compounds were identified as COPCs in soil or sediment. Based on this, it is not expected that elevated detection limits would have an appreciable impact on overall risk at the site. The impacts of the detection limits are discussed in Section 6.2.6.

### 6.2.3 Exposure Assessment

The purpose of the exposure assessment is to quantify potential exposures of human populations that could result from contact with COPCs from the RDM site. Each complete exposure pathway contains four necessary components:

- A contaminant source and a mechanism of COPC release.
- An environmental medium and mechanism of COPC transport within the medium.
- A potential point of human contact with the affected environmental media, also called the exposure point.
- An exposure route.

<sup>2</sup> All tables for Chapter 6 are provided at the end of the chapter

The exposure assessment characterizes the exposure setting; identifies receptors that may be exposed; identifies direct and indirect pathways by which exposures could occur (i.e., pathways for direct ingestion of COPCs from soil and indirect uptake from ingestion of harvested wild food items); and describes how the rate, frequency, and duration of these exposures is estimated. The exposure assessment includes the following subsection components:

- A CSM
- Exposure scenarios
- A quantification of exposure.

#### **6.2.3.1 Conceptual Site Model**

The CSM for the RDM site is presented in Figure 6-1 and discussed in this section. The CSM has not changed from the preliminary CSM presented in the RAWP (E & E 2011). The RDM site is located on BLM land on the southwest bank of the Kuskokwim River, approximately 2 miles southeast from the village of Red Devil. Public access is not restricted, but the mine is in a remote part of Alaska and only has occasional visitors. Access to the site is obtained by boat/barge on the Kuskokwim River, by means of an airstrip at Red Devil Village, and dirt roads and woodland trails via all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) during summer months.

Contaminants from mine waste, groundwater, or air emissions may enter the surface water or sediment through surface water runoff, erosion and transport by surface water, or direct placement of waste and tailings in Red Devil Creek. Contaminants may enter groundwater through infiltration or leaching from source areas. Contaminants may also be directly released to soils, erode from sources, or be deposited from air emissions during previous mine operations. Volatile chemicals in soil (i.e., mercury) may volatilize into the air; other contaminants may be entrained in fugitive dust. Contaminants may bioaccumulate from soils, surface water, or sediment into plants, animals, and fish. See Section 5 for additional information regarding contaminant fate and transport.

Currently, no one lives permanently or temporarily at the RDM site. Residents of Red Devil Village and nearby communities currently use the site for recreational and subsistence activities. Future use of the site is unknown but may include the site remaining as an occasional recreational or subsistence harvest area. Potential changes in land use could result in the site being used for industrial or mining activities or as a residential area.

Based on the known and possible future land uses at the RDM site, the following receptors were selected to represent current or potential future use of the site:

- Future Onsite Resident (adult and child)
- Recreational or Subsistence User (adult and child)
- Industrial/Mine Worker (adult only).



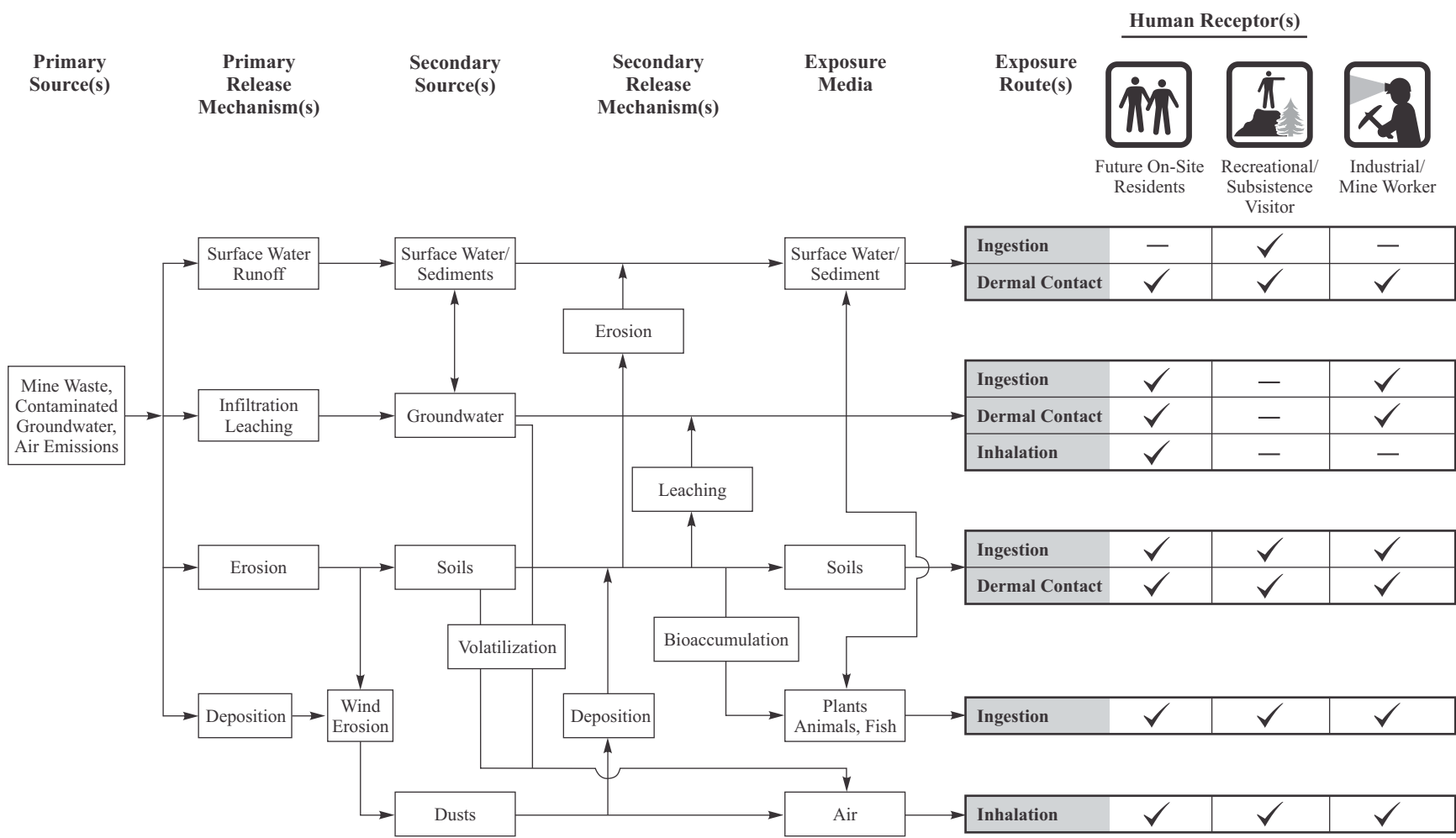
Each scenario is discussed in further detail in this subsection.

**Future Onsite Adult and Child Resident**

The future adult and child residential scenario represents potential exposures for a hypothetical person who lives at the site and leaves the site for two weeks per year. It is assumed that the adults would live and work at the site and the children would live at the site and go to school at the site. It is assumed that the drinking water supply would be from groundwater. Other assumptions are detailed below. Residents may be exposed to COPCs in groundwater through ingestion and dermal contact. In addition, people may be exposed to volatile COPCs (i.e., elemental mercury) in groundwater during household uses of groundwater (e.g., showering). Indirect exposure through consumption of native wild foods such as fish, game, and plants through subsistence activities is included in this scenario; however, only a percentage of native food consumed would be anticipated to be gathered from the site. Adults and children may come in contact with surface water by wading or playing in Red Devil Creek. They may come into contact with sediments during wading or playing near Red Devil Creek or near the shores of the Kuskokwim River. The adult and child resident scenario includes the following exposure pathways:

- Dermal (skin) contact with surface water from Red Devil Creek.
- Dermal (skin) contact with sediments from Red Devil Creek and the near-shore of the Kuskokwim River.
- Ingestion of and dermal contact with groundwater.
- Incidental ingestion of and dermal contact with soil.
- Ingestion of native wild foods.
- Inhalation of dust or volatile chemicals from soil.
- Inhalation of volatile chemicals in groundwater.





**Key:**

→ Potentially Complete Pathway      — Incomplete/Insignificant Route

✓ Complete Exposure Route

**Recreational Visitor or Subsistence User**

Recreational visitors and subsistence users would visit the site a portion of the year during harvest time and presumably camp in the area. It is assumed that recreational or subsistence users would access the site via ATVs. It is assumed that they would be exposed during the period they were onsite and that they would obtain drinking water from Red Devil Creek. It is also assumed that the recreational or subsistence user would consume local plants and hunt game or catch fish from the site. However, only a percentage of total wild food consumed by the recreational user or subsistence user would be gathered from the site. Therefore, it is assumed that the recreational or subsistence user could be exposed to contaminants at the RDM site through the following pathways:

- Ingestion of and dermal contact with surface water from Red Devil Creek.
- Dermal contact with sediments from Red Devil Creek and the near-shore of the Kuskokwim River.
- Incidental ingestion of and dermal contact with soil.
- Ingestion of native wild foods.
- Inhalation of dust or volatile chemicals.

**Industrial/Mine Worker**

If the RDM site is redeveloped in the future as a mine or industrial facility, it is assumed that industrial or mine workers would work at the site and live in nearby Red Devil Village. It is assumed that the drinking water supply would come from groundwater during work times. It is also assumed the workers would fish, hunt, and gather edible plant material. Therefore, indirect exposure through consumption of wild foods such as fish, game, and plants is included in this scenario; however, only a percentage of food is assumed to be gathered from the site. The worker scenario includes the following exposure pathways:

- Dermal (skin) contact with surface water from Red Devil Creek.
- Dermal (skin) contact with sediments from Red Devil Creek and the near-shore of the Kuskokwim River.
- Ingestion of and dermal contact with groundwater.
- Incidental ingestion of and dermal contact with soil.
- Ingestion of native wild foods.
- Inhalation of dust or volatile chemicals.

**6.2.3.2 Quantification of Exposure**

In the exposure quantification portion of the HHRA, estimates are made regarding the magnitude, frequency, and duration of exposure for each complete pathway identified above. For discussion, this portion can be divided into the following sequential tasks:

- Determination of exposure units.
- Estimating exposure point concentrations (EPCs).
- Calculating the amount of COPCs potentially taken into the body (dose).

### **Exposure Units**

Exposure units can be designated based on different uses of subareas within the site or the uneven distribution of contamination across the site.

For residents, soil and subsurface soil was divided into three separate exposure units: Surface Mined Area (SMA), the Main Processing Area (MPA) and the Red Devil Creek Downstream Alluvial Area (DA), based on historical operations at the site resulting in differing concentrations. Figure 4-1 in Section 4 shows the geographic areas of the site. Antimony, arsenic, and mercury are known COPCs at the site. Table 6-7 compares the concentration ranges for antimony, arsenic, and mercury and averages for the three exposure units and geographical areas.

The SMA exposure unit consists of 60 samples (including duplicates); this includes surface soil samples and subsurface soil sample to a depth of 15 feet bgs. The SMA exposure unit incorporates the following geographic areas, as depicted on Figure 4-1:

- Dolly Sluice and Delta (surface soil n=3; subsurface soil n=8)
- Rice Sluice and Delta (surface soil n=3; subsurface soil n=6)
- Surface Mined Area (surface soil n=32; subsurface soil n=8)

The MPA exposure unit consists of 232 surface and subsurface soil samples, including duplicates. The MPA exposure unit incorporates the Post-1955 Main Processing Area and Pre-1955 Main Processing Area (surface soil n=85; subsurface soil n=147), as depicted on Figure 4-1

The DA exposure unit consists of 34 surface and subsurface soil samples in the Red Devil Creek Downstream Alluvial Area and Delta (surface soil n=11; subsurface soil n=23).

For recreational/subsistence users and mine workers, it is assumed that recreational and subsistence activities would be equally spread throughout the site. Therefore, for these receptors, the full site area was treated as a single exposure unit.

#### **6.2.3.2. Estimation of Exposure Concentration**

The concentrations of COPCs to which human receptors potentially are exposed over time were estimated according to EPA guidance (EPA 2006b, 2010d). The EPA (1992) and ADEC (2011) indicate that a 95 % upper confidence limit (UCL) on the mean of COPC concentrations should be used as the EPC. Inherent in this approach is the assumption that receptors that contact an environmental medium containing a COPC do so randomly. Thus, an estimate of average concentration (or in this case the upper bound of the average) is the concentration to which a receptor might be exposed. Maximum concentrations in groundwater were also used to evaluate risk at the site, consistent with ADEC policy (ADEC 2011).

To determine the 95 % UCL, the EPA's ProUCL program, version 4.1.00 (EPA 2010d) was used. ProUCL 4.1 includes goodness-of-fit tests (e.g., normal, lognormal, and gamma) for data sets with and without NDs. For data sets with NDs, ProUCL 4.1 can create additional columns to store extrapolated values for NDs obtained using ROS methods, including normal ROS, gamma ROS, and lognormal ROS (robust ROS) methods. ProUCL 4.1 also has parametric (e.g., maximum likelihood estimate, t-statistic, gamma distribution), nonparametric (e.g., Kaplan-Meier), and computer intensive bootstrap (e.g., percentile, bias-corrected accelerated) methods to compute UCLs for uncensored data sets and also for data sets with ND observations.

The calculated soil EPCs, including distribution and EPC statistics, for the SMA, MPA, and DA exposure units, as derived using ProUCL, are provided in Tables 6-8 through 6-10. The soil EPCs for the site as a whole, as used for the recreational/subsistence user and the mine worker scenarios, are provided in Table 6-11.

Calculated EPCs for sediment, surface water, and groundwater are provided in Tables 6-12 through 6-14.

As indicated in Chapters 3 and 5, groundwater generally flows toward Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River. As such, any impacts to groundwater in the MPA and DA are not expected to affect groundwater concentrations in the SMA, but groundwater within the SMA may be expected to affect groundwater in the MPA and/or the DA. Therefore, for the resident in the MPA and DA exposure units, groundwater EPCs were calculated based on groundwater concentrations in all wells that lie within the MPA, DA, and SMA. For the SMA exposure unit, the groundwater EPCs were based on the results from the single monitoring well located within the SMA (MW29).

In the case of EPCs for wild food and air (both from volatiles and particulates), fate and transport modeling was used in conjunction with the statistical analysis of the environmental data to determine the EPC values. Determination of concentrations in local food resources (plants, fish, and wildlife) is based on concentrations of COPCs in slimy sculpin, green alder bark, and white spruce needles, as discussed in Section 6.2.3.7. The EPCs for slimy sculpin, green alder bark and white spruce needles are presented in Tables 6-15, 6-16, and 6-17, respectively.

### **6.2.3.3 Calculation of Intake**

Potential exposures to the receptors described in the above scenarios were quantified using intakes (or dose), which are expressed as the amount of COPCs (in milligrams [mg]) internalized per unit body weight (in kilograms [kg]) per unit time (in days). That is, estimated intakes are generally provided in units of milligrams per kilogram per day (mg/kg-day). When evaluating carcinogenic COPCs, the intake is referred to as the lifetime average daily intake (LADI), because the intake is averaged over a lifetime.

The generic equation and variables for calculating chemical intakes are described below:

$$I = \frac{C \times CR \times EF \times ED}{BW \times AT}$$

Where:

- I = Intake; the amount of chemical at the exchange boundary (mg/kg body weight/day).
- C = EPC in specific media (e.g., milligrams per liter of water).
- CR = Contact rate; the amount of contaminated medium contacted per unit time or event (e.g., liters per day).
- EF = Exposure frequency, which describes how often exposure occurs (days per year).
- ED = Exposure duration, which describes how long exposure occurs (years).
- BW = Body weight; the average body weight over the exposure period (kg).
- AT = Averaging time; the period over which exposure is averaged (days).

Exposure to carcinogenic compounds was evaluated based on exposure to a combined child and adult receptor. The LADI was calculated using age adjustments to account for the total exposure duration. Specifically, the LADI was calculated as shown in the following general intake equation:

$$LADI = \frac{C}{AT} \times \left( \frac{EDc \times EFc \times CRc}{BWc} + \frac{(EDa - EDc) \times EFa \times CRa}{BWa} \right)$$

Where:

- CR<sub>a or c</sub> = Contact rate for adult or child (varies).
- EF<sub>a or c</sub> = Exposure frequency for adult or child (days/year).
- ED<sub>a or c</sub> = Exposure duration for adult or child (years).
- BW<sub>a or c</sub> = Body weight for adult or child (kg).

These generic equations were modified to account for scenario-specific exposures to COPCs. For the inhalation route of exposure, intake is depicted as an exposure concentration (EC; EPA 2009c).

For dermal exposure to COPCs in water, the dermally absorbed dose was determined using equations and chemical-specific parameters from the EPA's Dermal Assessment Guidance (2004).

Dermal contact with groundwater and surface water inorganic COPCs was evaluated consistent with the EPA's Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund (RAGS) Part E (2004). Specifically, intake was calculated as shown in the

following equation. The absorbed dose per event ( $DA_{event}$ ) for inorganic compounds was calculated using the following equation:

$$DA_{event} = Kp \times CW \times t_{event} \times CF$$

Where:

$DA_{event}$  = Absorbed dose per event (milligrams per square centimeter per event)

$Kp$  = Dermal permeability coefficient of compound in water (centimeters per hour/), provided in Table 6-18

$t_{event}$  = event duration (hour per event)

$Cw$  = chemical concentration in water based on unfiltered samples (milligrams per liter)

$CF$  = conversion factor, 0.001 liters per cubic centimeter

The only organic COPC identified in groundwater was bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, which is not recommended for quantitative evaluation of the dermal exposure pathway per EPA (2004). Naphthalene and 1-methylnaphthalene were identified as COPCs in surface water. 1-methylnaphthalene is not recommended for quantitative evaluation for the dermal exposure pathway per EPA (2004). The following equation was used to determine the  $DA_{event}$  for naphthalene, where the event duration is less than the lag time:

$$DA_{event} = 2FA \times Kp \times Cw \times CF \times \sqrt{\frac{6 \times t_{event} \times t_{event}}{\pi}}$$

Where:

$FA$  = fraction absorbed water, 1 for naphthalene

$T_{event}$  = lag time per event (hours per event), 0.56 hours per event for naphthalene

$t_{event}$  = event duration (hours per event)

The dermal absorption ( $ABS_{dermal}$ ) values were obtained from the EPA's RAGS (*Part E, Supplemental Guidance for Dermal Risk Assessment*), Exhibit 3-4 (2004) and are presented in Table 6-18. Absorption values are available for only some of the COPCs. The dermal pathway was not evaluated quantitatively for compounds without  $ABS_{dermal}$  values. This approach is consistent with the EPA's recommendations (2004).

The intakes calculated for each scenario are intended to represent the reasonable maximum exposure (RME) conditions. An RME scenario is a combination of high-end and average exposure values and is used to represent the highest exposure that is reasonably expected to occur. The RME scenario is a

conservative exposure scenario that is plausible yet well above the average exposure level.

For soil ingestion and dust inhalation of arsenic, soil intakes are multiplied by an estimate of relative bioavailability to quantify the level of arsenic that reaches systemic circulation. See Section 6.2.3.6 for additional information on arsenic bioavailability.

Exposure route and media specific intake equations and proposed values for exposure parameters are presented in Table 6-19 and are discussed in this section.

#### **6.2.3.4 Exposure Factors**

In addition to intake rates, exposure factors for body weight (BW), exposure frequency (EF), exposure duration (ED), and averaging time (AT) are included in the intake equation. Values used for BW, EF, ED, and AT vary among scenarios. For exposure pathways related to skin exposure, an additional variable for skin surface area (SA) may be included in the intake equation. Intake rates used to estimate exposure are discussed in Section 6.2.3.3.

#### **Body Weight**

A BW value of 70 kg (154 pounds) is used for all adults and is based on an average of male and female adult BWs. The average BW for all children is 15 kg (33 pounds) for a child up to age 6. These values are consistent with EPA and ADEC guidance (EPA 1989, 2002b; ADEC 2011).

#### **Exposure Frequency and Time**

The EF describes how often someone may have contact with affected media over a one-year period. The EPA (1989, 1991) recommends an assumption that the future resident (adults and children) may be exposed through a specific exposure pathway for 350 days per year. The underlying assumption is that people spend at least two weeks at a location other than the exposure scenario location each year (i.e., a two-week vacation). Due to snow cover during winter months, the ADEC recommends that the EF for soil exposure be adjusted to 270 days per year for sites in the under 40-inch precipitation region, which includes the RDM site (ADEC 2011). This adjusted EF is used for soil contact (ingestion and dermal) for the adult and child future onsite resident.

An EF of 250 days per year is used for the mine worker, consistent with EPA and ADEC recommendations (ADEC 2011; EPA 2002b) for an industrial scenario. This value assumes that workers are onsite an average of five days per week for 50 weeks (assuming two weeks of vacation). Alternatively, mining operations in remote Alaska may use a two-weeks-on and two-weeks-off work schedule. The ED of 250 days recommended by the EPA and ADEC provides a conservative estimate under this scenario, as well. The ED of 250 days per year is used for both soil and groundwater exposure, since people would potentially only be exposed to site-related contaminants in either media while at the site.



For exposure to surface water, the event frequency for the residential and mine worker scenarios was determined based on best professional judgment, assuming that people would wade in the water no more than half the days during the summer months (mid-May through mid-September). This results in approximately 60 days per year for the residential scenario and 40 days per year for the mine worker scenario. It is assumed that true exposure would be less than this. For the recreational/subsistence user, EF to surface water during recreational/subsistence activities is derived based on the maximum fraction ingested from the site (FI) for all wild food resources (0.33, as determined in Section 6.2.3.5) multiplied by the residential EF of 60 days per year for surface water. The resulting EF for the recreational and subsistence user is set at 20 days per year.

For the recreational/subsistence user, EF to soil during recreational/subsistence activities was derived based on the maximum FI (0.33) multiplied by the residential EF, 270 days per year for soil. The resulting EF for the recreational and subsistence user is set at 90 days per year. It is assumed that children will accompany their parents or adults during their time onsite. This value was also used for the resident and mine worker scenario, since residential exposure to sediment will occur during similar recreational activities at the site.

For the inhalation route of exposure, the exposure time (i.e., time per day exposed to contaminants in air) is also included with the EF. For inhalation of volatiles in soil, the exposure time is equal to 24 hours per day for residents and recreational/subsistence users and 8 hours per day for workers, consistent with the EPA's recommendations (EPA 2009c). For inhalation of volatile COPCs in groundwater during showering, an exposure time of 45 minutes per showering event (0.75 hours) is used for both the adult and child residential scenarios. The EPA 95<sup>th</sup> percentile exposure time for showering for children is 44 minutes and for adults is 45 minutes (EPA 2009c). Therefore, 45 minutes is an appropriate estimate for both scenarios.

### **Exposure Duration**

The ED is the length of time in years for which someone may be exposed through a specific exposure pathway. An ED of six years was assumed for all child scenarios (EPA 1989, 2002b; ADEC 2011) representing a child up to 6 years of age. Exposures occurring beyond age 6 are accounted for in the adult exposure scenarios.

The default ED for the adults is 30 years for future onsite residents (EPA 2002b; ADEC 2011). The ADF&G (Brown et al. 2012) completed a survey in Red Devil Village (see Section 6.2.3.5). This survey included questions regarding how long a respondent had lived at the current location in Red Devil Village and from where he or she moved (i.e., from a community in Alaska or state in the United States or other country) prior to residing in the current location. It is assumed that the residential patterns of a new community established near the RDM site would be similar to the pattern seen in residents of Red Devil Village. Based on the

ADF&G report, on average, residents lived in Red Devil approximately 23 years. Therefore, an ED of 30 years was considered representative for the adult residential and recreational/subsistence user ED.

The default ED for a commercial/industrial worker is 25 years (ADEC 2011), but time in mining occupations is substantially less than that. The median occupational tenure for mining activities is 8.6 years (EPA 1997a). For consistency with EPA and ADEC guidance, a conservative ED of 25 years was used for a mine worker.

For carcinogens, the ED for residential and recreational/subsistence user scenarios is calculated as an aggregate of child and adult exposure; the first six years of the ED is based on the child intake and the remaining time is based on an adult intake (24 years), as described in Section 6.2.5.1.

### **Averaging Time**

The AT is the number of days over which an exposure is averaged. The AT varies depending on whether the COPC in the affected media is a carcinogen or noncarcinogen. A longer AT is used for carcinogenic COPCs to account for the long latency period before exposure effects are seen. The EPA (1989) recommends an AT of 70 years  $\times$  365 days per year, or 25,550 days, for exposure to carcinogenic COPCs for the residential scenarios. For noncarcinogenic COPCs, the EPA (1989) recommends using an AT equal to the ED. These values are used in the risk assessment. For the ingestion and dermal routes of exposure, the averaging time is displayed in days. For the inhalation route of exposure, the averaging time is displayed in hours (EPA 2011a).

### **Surface Area of Skin**

COPCs are absorbed by the skin through contact with soil and water. Dermal (skin) absorption of COPCs in soil may occur during outdoor activities. COPCs in groundwater may be absorbed by the skin during activities such as bathing or showering. COPCs in surface water may be absorbed through limited contact with surface water during recreational activities (e.g., washing hands or limited play in the creek).

Exposure to COPCs is affected by the surface area of skin coming into contact with the contaminated soil or sediment and the adherence of the soil to the skin. For skin contact with soil, the EPA (2004) and ADEC (2011) recommend using a skin surface area of 5,700 square centimeters ( $\text{cm}^2$ ) for an adult wearing a short-sleeved shirt, shorts, and shoes, with exposed skin surface limited to the head, hands, lower legs, and forearms. The recommended skin surface area for children is 2,800  $\text{cm}^2$ , for exposed head, hands, lower legs, and forearms (EPA 2004; ADEC 2011). These values are used for the residential and recreational/subsistence user scenarios. The SA of 3,300  $\text{cm}^2$  (ADEC 2011; EPA 2004) for an industrial worker is used for the mine worker scenario.

Soil-to-skin adherence factor (AF) assumptions are based on values provided by the ADEC (2011) and in the EPA's Dermal Assessment Guidance (2004) and are consistent with residential and industrial scenarios, as appropriate. No values are available for sediment-to-skin AFs, so the soil-to-skin AFs is conservatively used for sediment dermal exposure, as well.

For dermal absorption of COPCs in groundwater during showering or bathing activities, surface area values of 18,000 cm<sup>2</sup> for adults and 6,600 cm<sup>2</sup> for children are used, consistent with the RME recommendations presented by the EPA (2004). For each showering or bathing event the duration is equal to 0.25 hours per event for adults and 0.33 hours per event for children (EPA 2004).

Dermal absorption of COPCs in surface water could occur while people wade or play in the water. This exposure would be limited to short times during the summer months. It is assumed that adults and children would have their hands, arms, feet, and legs exposed to surface water, resulting in a skin surface area of 5,672 cm<sup>2</sup> for adults (based on an average between men and women) (EPA 2004) and 4,150 cm<sup>2</sup> for children (EPA 2008b). It is assumed the duration of each event would not exceed 1 hour.

#### **6.2.3.5 Intake Rates**

The consumption rate is the amount of an environmental exposure medium (e.g., soil, air, surface water, or food) ingested or inhaled over a period of time or per event. Default consumption rates of soil, water, and food are provided by the EPA (1989, 1997a, and 2000b) and ADEC (2011) for use in assessing each exposure pathway for adults and children. Intake rates for soil, groundwater and surface water, and food are provided in this subsection.

##### **Soil Intake Rate**

People are assumed to have contact with COPCs through the incidental ingestion of soil. The soil ingestion rate represents the amount of outdoor soil and indoor dust ingested through hand-to-mouth contact. The ADEC (2011) recommends an incidental soil ingestion rate of 100 milligrams per day (mg/day) for adults and 200 mg/day for children. These values are conservative and slightly higher than the EPA values of 100 mg/day for children (soil and dust ingestion) (EPA 2011a) and 50 mg/day for adults (EPA 1997a). The ADEC's (2011) recommendation for outdoor workers is 100 mg/day, consistent with EPA recommendations (EPA 2002b). The ADEC values were used for all scenarios.

##### **Groundwater and Surface Water Intake Rate**

People may have contact with COPCs through the ingestion of groundwater or surface water used as a drinking water source. Under the residential scenario, people may use groundwater as the primary drinking water source. The recommended drinking water ingestion rate for an adult resident is 2 liters per day (ADEC 2011) and for a child resident is 1 liter per day (EPA 2008b). It is also assumed that groundwater would be used for drinking water in an industrial

setting while people are working at the site. ADEC (2011) recommends an ingestion rate of 2 liters per day under this scenario, as well.

Surface water ingestion rates for adults and children are consistent with the drinking water ingestion rates used for groundwater exposure. These rates were determined to be conservative and based on the assumption that surface water would be used as the primary drinking water while at the RDM site during recreational or subsistence activities.

### **Food Intake Rate**

Plants harvested within the assessment area may take up COPCs from soil into their leaves and roots. In addition, wildlife may take up COPCs through ingestion of soil and consumption of local vegetation and animals. People who consume local vegetation and wildlife, therefore, may indirectly take up COPCs from the RDM site. Human intake of COPCs through food ingestion is determined by the types of food ingested, the amount of each type of food ingested per day, the concentration of COPCs in the food, and the percentage of the diet constituting food within the assessment area.

To develop the appropriate wild food intake rates for use in the HHRA, representatives from E & E met with representatives from the EPA, ADEC, BLM, Alaska Department of Health and Social Services, and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry on February 14, 2012, and February 23, 2012, to discuss incorporation of the results from the ADF&G report, summarized in the *Proposed Approach to Evaluating Consumption of Wild Foods at the Red Devil Mine Site, Alaska, Version 2* (E & E 2012), into the HHRA. Development of wild food intake rates for use in the HHRA is discussed further below.

### **Available Harvest and Consumption Data, Prior to 2012**

Previously, there was limited subsistence harvest or consumption data available for the Red Devil area. Although harvest data can provide information on site use patterns, it does not often provide quantitative evaluation of consumption patterns. The following discussion presents harvest and/or consumption reports that are available and relevant to the site.

The ADEC recommends that wild food ingestion rates be obtained from the ADF&G Community Profile Database (ADEC 2011), now incorporated in the Community Subsistence Information System (CSIS). Big game data from the Central Kuskokwim Big Game Survey for 2003, 2004, and 2005 are available for Red Devil in the CSIS (ADF&G 2011). The CSIS was also queried for harvest data for the neighboring communities of Sleetmute, Crooked Creek, and Stony River. Only big game data from the Central Kuskokwim Big Game Surveys of 2003, 2004, and 2005 are available for Crooked Creek and Stony River. For Sleetmute, in addition to the large game data, harvest data for other wild food resources are available in the CSIS; however, the data are from 1983, prior to use of the consumption adjustments for use in risk assessments, as described by Wolfe and Utermohle (2000).

ADF&G conducted household interviews in Red Devil in 1986 to determine resource use patterns (Brelsford et al. 1987). Although this report provides information on some harvest patterns, it does not provide sufficient detail to determine quantitative ingestion rates, and it is more than 20 years old.

Ballew et al. (2004) conducted a 12-month recall consumption survey in 13 villages throughout Alaska. The regional health corporation serving the village of Red Devil is the Yukon–Kuskokwim Health Corporation (YKHC) (Alaska Community Database 2010). Four villages from the YKHC region are represented in the Ballew et al. report, although the names of the specific villages are not provided. The following subsistence foods were identified in the top 50 foods reported to be consumed in greatest quantities by the participants in the YKHC region:

- King salmon
- Moose muscle and organs
- Chum salmon
- Caribou muscle and organs
- Whitefish
- Silver salmon
- Crowberries
- Lowbush salmonberries
- Moose fat and marrow
- Pike
- Seal oil
- Herring
- Tomcod
- Caribou fat and marrow
- Blackfish
- Blueberries
- Goose

For each of the subsistence foods, information is provided on the median and maximum amounts (in pounds per year) consumed in that region. These values are presented in Table 6-20, as adjusted to grams per day based year-round consumption (i.e., ED = 365 days per year), and broken up into major wild food source categories. The harvest rates were calculated by summing all food into the major categories of salmon, non-salmon fish, large land mammal, berries, and birds.

IDM Consulting (1997) was contracted by the ADEC to evaluate existing subsistence information in an effort to define subsistence regions and develop subsistence consumption parameter distributions for use in human health risk assessment. IDM (1997) concluded that, although harvest data significantly overestimate consumption for some resources, in the absence of more extensive consumption data, harvest data may be reasonably used as a surrogate for preliminary es-

timation of consumption (IDM 1997). IDM (1997) provides harvest rates for the following major resource categories: salmon, non-salmon fish, large land mammals, marine mammals, and marine invertebrates. Harvest rates are provided on per capita, 50<sup>th</sup> percentile, 90<sup>th</sup> percentile, 95<sup>th</sup> percentile, and maximum levels. The 50<sup>th</sup> and 95<sup>th</sup> percentiles are provided in Table 6-20 for the Subarctic Interior region which includes Red Devil Village. Marine mammals and marine invertebrates harvest rates are not included in Table 6-20 due to the lack of these categories listed as subsistence foods by Ballew et al. (2004), the large distance to a marine mammal or invertebrate harvest area from the site, and the low harvest levels for marine mammals and invertebrates (IDM 1997).

Harvest rate data from Ballew et al. (2004) and IDM (1997) are summarized in Table 6-20. For comparison, ingestion rates recommended by the EPA's Exposure Factors Handbook (2011) also are included. The berry values represent mean ingestion rates, body weight adjusted for adults, for the Native American consumers (EPA 2011, Table 9-17).

A number of Native American fish intake rates are summarized in the Exposure Factors Handbook (EPA 2011). Of those studies, one conducted in Alaska (Wolfe and Walker 1987) and two conducted in Washington (Toy et al. 1996; Duncan 2000) were chosen as the most representative for the Red Devil Mine site. In addition, Toy et al. (1996) and Duncan (2000) were recommended for review by EPA Region 10's Lon Kissinger (Kissinger 2011). These ingestion rates are provided in Table 6-21. For comparison, the IDM (1997) fish ingestion rates are also provided in Table 6-21.

### **Alaska Department of Fish and Game Harvest Report, 2012**

Between January and December 2010, residents of Aniak, Chuathbaluk, Crooked Creek Lower, Kalskag, Red Devil, Sleetmute, Stony River, and Upper Kalskag were surveyed regarding the subsistence and harvest use of wild foods in those communities. The principal questions addressed were how many wild foods were harvested for subsistence, the harvest amounts, and how these foods were distributed within and between communities (Brown et al. 2012).

The survey represents a 12-month recall study, covering 2009, used to estimate subsistence harvests and uses of wild fish, game, and plant resources. Information was obtained on a household basis. The survey questions are provided in the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012). Maps of the area used for hunting, fishing, and gathering during the study year were developed.

The population trend in Red Devil has decreased since the census count in the 1960's. During the study, the estimated population of Red Devil was 32 residents. Eleven households in Red Devil were surveyed, which included 27 residents. On average, residents lived in Red Devil approximately 23 years. The surveyed population was 44 % female and 56 % male. Eighty-two percent were Alaska Native.

Of the households surveyed, 100 % used some kind of wild food, and 82 % reported that they harvested wild food. Of the top 10 resources making up the ma-



majority of the wild foods harvested by edible weight, salmon species contributed 40 %, whitefish species contributed 27 %, other non-salmon fish species contributed 11 %, black bears contributed 5 %, and beaver contributed 3 % of the total subsistence harvest. Estimated uses and harvest rates of wild foods are provided in Tables 7-1 through 7-6 of the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012). These tables present the percentage of households that use, attempt to harvest, harvest, receive, or give away each resource. Estimates of pounds harvested are provided as a total for the community, mean per household, mean per capita, and total estimated amount of harvest by the community.

Per ADEC (2011), high end user rates from ADF&G should be used to estimate ingestion rates for specific resources. The high end user is represented by the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile per capita use, which is the amount of wild food used by the consumer at the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile rank in a rural population during a survey year, expressed as a per person measure of grams per day (Wolfe and Utermohle 2000). This is the value recommended for use in an HHRA.

The 95<sup>th</sup> percentile use is determined by:

1. Allocating household harvests of a resource category among three households;
2. Grouping based on reported use and sharing patterns during a survey year;
3. Summing a household's use levels across resource categories;
4. Ranking households by quantities used; and
5. Identifying the use level of the consumer at the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile rank.

The 95<sup>th</sup> percentile use value was calculated by ADF&G consistent with the methodology outlined in Wolfe and Utermohle (2000) and provided to the BLM (Koster 2012).

### **Potential Suppression Effect**

A “suppression effect” occurs when a consumption rate for a given population reflects a current level of consumption that is artificially diminished from an appropriate baseline level of consumption for that population (National Environmental Justice Advisory Committee 2002). Although a suppression effect has primarily been studied in the context of fish harvests, discussion of this effect has been expanded to include all wild food harvest. A suppression effect can be caused by a number of factors, including situations when an environment has become contaminated to the point that humans refrain from harvesting from a particular area. A suppression effect also may arise when wild foods upon which humans rely are no longer available in historical quantities (and kinds), such that humans are unable to catch and consume as much wild food as they previously had or otherwise would.

Harvest data from nearby areas were reviewed to determine if a suppression effect was occurring in the Red Devil area, as compared to other nearby communities. Family relationships exist between current residents of Red Devil and Sleetmute



who once lived along the Holitna River (Brown et al. 2012); therefore, Sleetmute was included for comparison. Due to geographical location, Crooked Creek and Stony River were also included for comparison. Harvest rates, on a mean per capita basis, were evaluated for the primary harvest categories identified by Red Devil households.

For the categories of birds and non-salmon fish, Red Devil households showed the highest harvest rate, on a per capita basis, compared to Sleetmute, Stony River, or Crooked Creek. Red Devil harvest rates for plants and berries were 8 pounds per year, close to the highest rate of 8.7 pounds per year in Crooked Creek. For small land mammals, the Red Devil harvest rates were low compared to Stony River but comparable to Sleetmute and Crooked Creek. For these resources, no suppression effect is evident when compared to harvest rates in neighboring communities. Therefore, the harvest rates for Red Devil for these resources are appropriate estimates of consumption for use in the HHRA.

For large land mammals, black bears contributed the largest harvest amount, followed by beavers and caribou. Reports from interviews conducted in 2010 concluded that severe declines in the availability of moose in the region have led to an increase in the harvest and use of black bears by village residents. While limited by the lack of historical data, a rise in black bear uses and harvests by Red Devil households may indicate an adaptation to declines in the availability of other large game resources, such as moose and caribou. Several respondents reported during the harvest survey that, prior to the moose hunting closure in Game Management Unit 19A, moose were the primary subsistence resource for the village. While caribou were never heavily harvested by the Red Devil community, a reported decline in caribou harvests is, in part, explained by both a lack of hunting activity in traditional areas, where caribou have most often been found, and the general migration of the Mulchatna caribou herd away from the region (Brown et al. 2012).

Large game mammal harvest data is available for Red Devil from 2003, 2004, 2005 (ADF&G 2011) and the ADF&G 2012 report (harvest data from 2009). In 2006, following at least a decade of severe moose declines in Game Management Unit 19A, the majority of the game management unit, including the Holitna and Hoholitna river drainages, was closed to moose hunting, and the remainder was limited to hunt opportunities requiring Tier II permits. In 2003, Red Devil residents harvested an estimated 36 pounds of moose per person. However, zero moose harvests were reported in 2004, 2005, and 2009. Similar declines were shown for caribou, with black bear harvests increasing (Brown et al. 2012). Based on this, it appears that the moose harvest rates from 2003 would represent the harvest not impacted by a suppression effect.

### **Intake of Wild Food Exposure Parameters**

Based on the discussion above, harvest rates from Red Devil for 2009 (Brown et al. 2012) represent the most appropriate estimates of consumption for most resource categories and are recommended for use in the HHRA, with the exception

of large land mammals. Harvest rates for large land mammals were derived from the 2003 ADF&G survey results to account for potential suppression of harvest of these resources due to hunting restrictions or resource availability. Although harvest data significantly overestimate consumption for some resources (IDM 1997) and the data were obtained on a household rather than individual basis, these harvest rates are the most applicable, site-specific values available and allow for a health-protective approach for evaluating risk from consumption of subsistence resources.

Harvest rates for adults were calculated as the sum of all use rates for food within specified food categories. Because harvest rates are provided on an annual basis, the EF for wild foods is equal to a full year, 365 days per year. Harvest rates for the resident, subsistence/recreational user, and mine worker receptors are equal with differing FIs. The specified food categories used to calculate the harvest rates are:

1. Non-salmon fish
2. Large land mammals
3. Small land mammals
4. Birds and eggs
5. Berries and plants

For each category, a representative species was chosen as the indicator for the category. For example, Red Devil households indicated that they harvested the following berries and plants for consumption in 2009:

- Blueberry
- Lowbush cranberry
- Crowberry (blackberry)
- Wild rhubarb
- Hudson's Bay tea
- Stinkweed

The harvest rate for the berries and plants category is set at the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile use rate for all six resources. The indicator species for the category was chosen as blueberries, based on the high harvest rate compared to other resources, as well as the availability of contaminant level data. Table 6-22 shows the food source categories, indicator species, study, and statistics that are used for the estimation of ingestion or consumption rate.

The harvest data were collected on a household basis, and not for the individuals within the community. At the time of the survey, the age of people from households surveyed ranged from 10 to 90 years of age, with an average age of 41 years old. Therefore, the values obtained from the survey are representative of an adult exposure scenario. No child rates were available.

A ratio of children to adult estimated energy requirements (EER) is used to develop estimates of children's consumption of subsistence resources from adult con-

sumption data based on the approach presented in “Dietary Reference Intakes for Energy, Carbohydrates, Fiber, Fat, Fatty Acids, Cholesterol, Protein, and Amino Acids” (NAS 2002). This approach assumes that caloric intake and energy requirements are directly related to each other.

For children, the EER includes both total energy expenditure in kilocalories per day (TEE) plus energy required for growth and development. For young children, ages 0 through 2 years, physical activity levels are generally similar and gender differences were not observed. The equation used to develop EERs for young children is:

$$\text{EER} = \text{TEE} + \text{energy deposition}$$

This equation was used for children aged 0 through 35 months. EERs for boys and girls with “active” physical activity levels for the age ranges of 3–4 years, 4–5 years, and 5–6 years were obtained from Tables 5-20 and 5-21 in Institute of Medicine of the National Academies (2002). The EERs for each of these age ranges were averaged across genders. The time period associated with each EER was used to develop a time weighted average (TWA).

A similar analysis was done for individuals aged 6 through 70 using Tables 5-20, 5-21, and 5-22 in the Institute of Medicine of the National Academies (2002). For the adult EER analysis, data were used from the physical activity class of “active” and a body mass index (BMI) of 24.99 kilograms per square meter. This BMI is somewhat below the average BMI for Americans, but it was the highest BMI for which EERs were available in NAS 2002. For each age class, EERs were averaged across genders.

The ratio of the TWA EERs for children to adults was 0.48.

For this assessment, the adult consumption rates are multiplied by 0.48 to produce estimates of children’s consumption. This value is similar the value derived from the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission (1994) study based on a ratio of child to adult consumption rates for fish of 0.4.

As requested by the ADEC, health protective estimates of risk are calculated based on an FI=1 (all food consumed is harvested from the site) for the residential scenario. This value is very conservative, based on the harvest areas identified in the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012). Additional FI values for the residential scenario are discussed below and are consistent with the FIs for the recreation/subsistence user.

Recreational visitors and subsistence users would visit the site a portion of the year during harvest time and presumably would camp in the area. If the RDM site is redeveloped in the future as a mine, it is assumed that industrial or mine workers would work at the site and live in nearby Red Devil. It is assumed that these receptors (recreational/subsistence user and mine worker) would also harvest in other areas outside of the Red Devil Mine site.

Based on discussions with the ADEC and EPA, the FI for recreational visitors/subsistence users and mine workers is calculated based on a ratio of the area of the RDM site to the total harvest area for the food source category of interest. Harvest maps for trout and whitefish, large land mammals, small land mammals, ducks and geese, and berries and greens are available from the 2009 survey (Brown et al. 2012). This approach assumes that the fraction of the food harvested is based on harvest area. The total site area is approximately 246 acres.

For large land mammals, small land mammals, and berries and greens, the FI was calculated using the following equation:

$$FI = \frac{\text{Area of site (acres)}}{\text{Area of harvest locations for wild food (acres)}}$$

For fish and birds, harvest locations were identified during the 2009 survey. For these resources, the FI was calculated based on number of harvest locations. For instance, five harvesting locations were identified for trout and whitefish, including an area near the site. Therefore, the FI was set at 0.2 (20 %) based on one location near the RDM divided by five total harvesting locations. For birds, two harvest locations were reported in the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012) although no harvest locations were identified near the RDM. It is assumed that if grouse or other birds were available near the RDM, they would be harvested in that area. Therefore, the FI was set at 0.33 (33 percent) based on one harvest location divided by three total harvesting locations (two reported in the ADF&G report and one near the RDM, not reported during survey).

For many resources, the RDM site is not within the harvest areas identified by ADF&G (no wild food harvested within the mine area); therefore, the respective FIs are health-protective by assuming that the mine area is within the harvest area.

Proposed exposure parameters for the FI and exposure frequency to subsistence resources are provided in Table 6-19.

#### 6.2.3.6 Arsenic Bioavailability

Using total soil arsenic concentrations to quantify daily chemical intake typically results in estimated carcinogenic risk results greater than  $10^{-6}$  for soils in naturally occurring background settings (Rodriguez et al. 2003).

These estimated cancer risk results are skewed high because the amount of arsenic that can be extracted from soil in the laboratory is greater than the amount that actually would be taken up by an organism. One method of reducing uncertainty and obtaining more reasonable risk estimates is to quantify that amount of arsenic in soils that is bioavailable. Bioavailability is a measure of the fraction of a contaminant that is absorbed by an organism via a specific exposure route.

The bioavailability of absorbed inorganic arsenic depends on the matrix in which it is contained. Arsenic taken into the body through drinking water is in a water-soluble form, and it is generally assumed that its absorption from the gastrointestinal tract is nearly complete. Arsenic in soils, however, may be incompletely absorbed because some of the arsenic may be present in water-insoluble forms or may interact with other constituents in the soil.

EPA Region 10 recommends use of 60 percent relative bioavailability of total arsenic if contamination is primarily a result of impacts by the mineral industry activities of extraction or beneficiation such as mining, milling, tailings disposal, and other similar activities, and if there are also no associated smelting activities (EPA 2000d). The default value of 60 percent was obtained from the EPA Region 10 animal study (EPA 1996c). EPA Region 10 indicates there is a high level of uncertainty associated with this default assumption of relative bioavailability because there are no acceptable *in vivo* studies comparing the uptake of arsenic in these matrices with the uptake of soluble arsenic from orally ingested water, and therefore, there are no quantitative data from which to develop a default value (EPA 2000d).

For soil ingestion and dust inhalation exposures, soil intakes are multiplied by the default relative bioavailability of 60 percent to estimate the level of arsenic that reaches systemic circulation.

Site-specific arsenic *in vitro* bioaccessibility was also measured in 14 surface soil samples, as an estimate of bioavailability of arsenic at the site. Results from soil samples are presented Table 6-23 and discussed in further detail in Section 5.3. Arsenic bioaccessibility samples were collected from seven of the soil types introduced in Section 3.1.3. Samples were sieved to less than 250 micrometers for use in the HHRA.

Arsenic bioaccessibility results ranged from 2.7 percent in the MPA to 68.1 percent in background soil samples. No strong correlation between total arsenic concentrations and arsenic bioaccessibility was found. Arsenic bioaccessibility in the two background samples showed the highest percent bioaccessibility ranging from 34.9 to 68.1 percent. There was one sample collected from the DA exposure unit with a result of 36.1 percent. The MPA results ranged from 2.7 to 47.3 percent. The SMA results ranged from 4 to 43 percent. Based on these results, the default value of 60 percent is a conservative, health-protective estimate of true bioavailability at the site.

#### **6.2.3.7 Estimation of Contaminants of Potential Concern Concentrations in Media**

As discussed above, concentrations of COPCs to which human receptors would potentially be exposed to over time were estimated per EPA guidance (EPA 1992) using the 95-percent UCL as the EPC for soil, sediment, surface water, and groundwater. Maximum concentrations in groundwater were also evaluated.

Estimated media concentrations are used for exposure pathway calculations and estimating COPC concentrations in wild food. Uptake of COPCs from various media by plants and animals may cause exposures to ecological receptors and humans who consume local plants and animal products. The following subsections describe how COPC concentrations were obtained for food items such as berries, plants, game, and fish. Determination of concentrations of COPCs in air is also discussed in this section.

### **Contaminants of Potential Concern Concentrations in Fish**

In 2010, the BLM conducted a study of Kuskokwim River, Red Devil Creek, and other tributaries to the Kuskokwim River near the RDM site. Forage fish (e.g., slimy sculpin) were collected and analyzed for site-related chemicals. It is assumed that people may be catching and consuming game fish from the Kuskokwim River near the mouth of Red Devil Creek and potentially, to a lesser extent, in Red Devil Creek, that may be impacted from COPCs from the site.

BLM sculpin fish tissue data from Red Devil Creek is used to estimate concentrations of chemicals in game fish using a food chain multiplier (FCM) approach. The concentration of COPCs in game fish is estimated from the slimy sculpin concentration from Red Devil Creek multiplied by an FCM. For methylmercury, an FCM of three is assumed to account for biomagnification (i.e., the game fish concentration of methylmercury is set equal to three times the concentration in sculpin). This approach is supported by the fact that the biomagnification of methylmercury typically is three-fold with each trophic transfer (McGeer et al. 2004). For inorganic mercury and other metals, an FCM of one is assumed. This approach is defensible because biomagnification of metals (other than methylmercury) in aquatic organisms is rare. In fact, an inverse relationship has been shown for the trophic transfer of metals (except methylmercury) via the diet—that is, concentrations decrease from one trophic level to the next (McGeer et al. 2004). Hence, use of an FCM of one for inorganic mercury and other metals is conservative.

Based on the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012), non-salmon game fish ingested by residents of Red Devil include Dolly Varden, sheefish, round whitefish, whitefish (other), burbot, grayling, and Northern pike. The trophic levels for slimy sculpin and the game fish of interest are provided below (FishBase Consortium 2011):

- Slimy scuplin – 3.37
- Dolly Varden – 4.23
- Sheefish – 4.15
- Round whitefish – 4.03
- Burbot – 4.03
- Grayling – 3.1
- Northern pike – 4.4



Based on these data, it was conservatively assumed that the game fish of interest are one trophic level above the slimy sculpin, except for grayling, which feed at a slightly lower trophic level than sculpin. Using the sculpin data to estimate game fish concentrations in the Kuskokwim River is a health-protective approach because sculpin are more resident than the fish taken from the Kuskokwim River. This approach likely overestimates the true concentrations of fish that people are catching and consuming from the Kuskokwim River.

Slimy sculpin data for Red Devil Creek from the BLM June and August 2010 sampling events are presented in Table 6-9. The EPCs for COPCs in slimy sculpin are provided in Table 6-15. As discussed in Section 6.2.4.2, to estimate the inorganic arsenic concentration in fish tissue, the total arsenic EPC in sculpin was multiplied by 10 percent to determine the inorganic arsenic fraction used to characterize risks and hazards. In December 2011, the BLM analyzed fish tissue for inorganic arsenic. Those data are not yet available for use in the draft HHRA but will be incorporated into the final HHRA if they become available.

The BLM harvested 17 northern pike, 11 burbot, two sheefish, and one humpback whitefish from the Kuskokwim River in the reach near Red Devil Creek, Reach C. Northern pike samples had the highest sample number and represent a high harvest rate compared to other game fish; therefore, northern pike was used for comparison to the game fish modeled results. Table 6-24 shows the modeled concentrations of arsenic, antimony, and mercury compared to the results from Reach C of the Kuskokwim River for Northern Pike muscle and liver tissue.

As shown in Table 6-24, the concentrations of antimony, arsenic, and mercury of game fish modeled from the sculpin from Red Devil Creek greatly exceed the measured concentrations in northern pike collected from the reach of the Kuskokwim River nearest to the RDM. Impacts of using the modeled concentrations of COPCs in game fish versus the game fish collected from the Kuskokwim River are discussed in Section 6.2.6.2.

### **Contaminants of Potential Concern Concentrations in Large Land Mammals**

No data on levels of site-related chemicals in wild game are available for the RDM site. According to ADF&G (Brown et al. 2012; ADF&G 2011), people in Red Devil harvest and consume black bear, moose, and caribou. In lieu of actual measured concentrations, metal concentrations in beef cattle, adjusted for moose, are estimated from metal concentrations in moose diet. This is based on the approach developed by Baes et al. (1984) and recommended by the EPA (2007j, 2005l). The general equation is:

$$C_M = F_f \times 27 \times C_D$$

Where:

- $C_M$  = Metal concentration in moose tissue (mg/kg dry)
- $F_f$  = Ingestion-to-beef transfer coefficient (days/kg) (from Baes et al. 1984)



- 27 = Constant; moose consume 27 kg/day of feed  
 $C_D$  = Diet metal concentration (mg/kg dry) based on plant sample results collected in 2011

During the fall and winter, moose consume large quantities of willow, birch, and aspen twigs; during the summer, moose feed on forbs, vegetation in shallow ponds, and the leaves of birch, willow, and aspen (ADF&G 2012a, 2012b). Moose forage rates were estimated by Moen et al. (1997) as an average of 10.5 kg dry mass per day, with a range of 9.45 to 11.55 kg dry mass per day. In the fall, a moose can eat about 50–60 pounds (22–27 kg) of food per day (The Wilderness Classroom Organization 2002). The equation above was adjusted to incorporate moose forage rate, or consumption of feed, at a rate of 27 kg per day, a high-end health-protective estimate of year-round consumption. This approach is used to estimate the concentrations in moose, an indicator species for large land mammals.

The metal concentration in moose diet is obtained from results from the green alder bark samples. The green alder bark samples that were collected in 2011 represent the best surrogate for metals levels in alder twigs, leaves, and buds. Metal concentrations in the moose diet from the green alder bark samples were estimated using the FCM approach described above for fish (FCM = 3 for methylmercury and 1 for all other metals), although no methylmercury was detected in the green alder bark samples. EPCs for COPCs in green alder bark are presented in Table 6-16.

### **Contaminants of Potential Concern Concentrations in Small Land Mammals and Birds**

Based on the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012), within Red Devil people harvest and consume beaver, snowshoe hare, river otter, mink, muskrat, and porcupine. Beaver is consumed at the highest rate and is used as an indicator for this resource category. Metal concentrations in small mammals were estimated from concentrations in their diet using the FCM approach described for fish (FCM = 3 for methylmercury and 1 for all other metals). Green alder bark from the site was sampled and analyzed for metals in 2011. These data are used to represent the beaver diet, and the EPCs are presented in Table 6-16.

Based on the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012), within Red Devil people harvest and consume primarily spruce grouse and ruffed grouse. White spruce needles from the site were sampled and analyzed for metals in 2011. These data are used to represent the spruce grouse diet. Metals concentrations in spruce grouse muscle were estimated from the concentration in their diet using the FCM approach described for fish (FCM = 3 for methylmercury and 1 for all other metals), although no methylmercury was detected in the white spruce needle samples. EPCs for COPCs in white spruce needles are presented in Table 6-17.

### **COPC Concentrations in Native Vegetation**

Based on the ADF&G report (Brown et al. 2012), people in Red Devil harvest and consume blueberries, lowbush cranberries, crowberries (blackberries), wild rhubarb, Hudson's Bay tea, and stinkweed. Based on the amount consumed and the availability of limited concentration data, blueberry fruit is used to represent this wild food category.

Chemical concentrations in blueberry fruit is modeled based on the following uptake equations from Baes et al. (1984):

$$C_v = C_s \times Br$$

Where,

$C_v$  = Concentration in non-vegetative (reproductive) portion of food

$C_s$  = Concentration in soil (mg/kg)

$Br$  = Soil-to-plant elemental transfer coefficient for non-vegetative (reproductive) portions of food crops

The transfer coefficient for reproductive portions of plants is obtained from Figure 2-2 of Baes et al. (1984).

Total mercury and methylmercury have been measured in several terrestrial plant species from the RDM site, including willow, white spruce, black spruce, and blueberries (Bailey et al. 2002; Bailey and Gray 1997). A summary of the previous plant data is provided in Tables 1-3 and 1-6. Mercury and methylmercury were measured in blueberry fruit near the retort and mined areas of Red Devil Mine (Bailey and Gray 1997). Additional sampling of alder, blueberry, white spruce, and pond plants was conducted in summer 2011, although there were not sufficient blueberry fruit samples available for analysis. As shown in Table 6-25, the modeled mercury concentrations in blueberries are significantly higher, by at least one order of magnitude, than the highest detected mercury concentration found in blueberry fruit, although the soil concentrations are within the same range as those from the Bailey and Gray study (1997). Therefore, the modeled values likely overestimate the true mercury concentration in blueberry fruit. No site data are available on the concentrations of other metals in blueberries.

### **Contaminants of Potential Concern Concentrations in Air**

To estimate the concentration of particulates in dust at the RDM site, EC for particulates is calculated using a particulate emission factor (PEF). The PEF relates the concentration of contaminant in soil to the concentration of dust particles in the air generated from a "fugitive" or open source. PEFs for the residential and worker scenarios are calculated using the equations and parameters identified in the *Supplemental Guidance for Developing Soil Screening Levels for Superfund Sites* (EPA 2002b).

Specifically, the PEF is calculated using the following equation:

$$EF = \frac{Q}{C_w} \times \frac{3,600}{0.036 \times (1 - V) \times (U_m/U_t)^3 \times F(x)}$$

Where:

- PEF = particulate emission factor (cubic meters per kilogram [m<sup>3</sup>/kg])
- Q/C = inverse of mean concentration at center of a 0.5-acre-square source wind (grams per square meter per second, per kilograms per cubic meter [g/m<sup>2</sup>-s per kg/m<sup>3</sup>])
- V = fraction of vegetative cover (unitless), 0.5 (50 percent)
- U<sub>m</sub> = mean annual windspeed (meters per second [m/s]), 4.69 m/s
- U<sub>t</sub> = equivalent threshold value of wind speed at 7m (m/s), 11.32 m/s
- F(x) = function dependent on U<sub>m</sub>/U<sub>t</sub>, 0.194

The term Q/C is set equal to the value for Minneapolis, Minnesota for the largest source area 46.92 g/m<sup>2</sup>-s per kg/m<sup>3</sup>. Consistent with the ADEC’s Cleanup Level Guidance (2008d), Minneapolis was used to represent the under 40-inch climate zone. The calculated site-specific PEF is 6.8 x 10<sup>8</sup> m<sup>3</sup>/kg.

The airborne dust concentrations during ATV use for the recreational and subsistence users are estimated using equation E-18 of the *Supplemental Guidance for Developing Soil Screening Levels for Superfund Sites* (EPA 2002b). This equation is designed to calculate a PEF associated with construction traffic over unpaved roads but was modified to reflect ATV usage of an unpaved road or trail. The equations and input parameters are provided in Appendix D, Table D-17. The calculated site-specific PEF for ATV use is 3.1 x 10<sup>9</sup> m<sup>3</sup>/kg.

Mercury, in the elemental form, is the only volatile COPC identified in soil or groundwater. To estimate the concentration of volatile compounds in the air from soil at the RDM site, the air concentration was determined based on the soil concentration and the volatilization factor using the equation from EPA (1996a). Default soil parameter values were obtained from ADEC (2008d), and chemical-specific values were obtained from EPA (2011). The value for Q/C was calculated using the equation described above. The resulting volatilizing factor for elemental mercury is 2.23 x 10<sup>4</sup> m<sup>3</sup>/kg. Total mercury results were used as the EPC for elemental mercury. Elemental mercury, the volatile form of mercury, can be estimated to be much lower based on the SSE results for Hg<sup>0</sup> reported in the F0 and F4 steps of the SEE results, see Section 5.2.2.

The concentration of elemental mercury in air from household uses of groundwater was calculated by multiplying the concentration in groundwater by the default volatilization factor for water of 0.5 liters per cubic meter consistent with the EPA’s RAGS Part B (1991). As with soil, the total mercury results were used as the EPC for elemental mercury. Elemental mercury can be estimated to be much lower.

### 6.2.4 Toxicity Assessment

The objectives of the toxicity assessment are to compile information on the nature of the adverse health effects of COPCs and to provide an estimate of the dose-response relationship for each COPC selected (i.e., determine the relationship between the extent of exposure and the likelihood and/or severity of adverse effects).

For the risk assessment, COPCs are divided into two groups: agents known or suspected to be human carcinogens (carcinogens) and noncarcinogens. As used here, the term “carcinogen” denotes any chemical for which there is sufficient evidence that exposure may result in continuing uncontrolled cell division (cancer) in humans and/or laboratory animals. The risks posed by these two groups are assessed differently because noncarcinogenic chemicals generally exhibit a threshold dose below which no adverse effects occur, whereas for carcinogens, the simplifying assumption has been made that carcinogenic responses are linearly related to dosage even in the unobservable area of the dose-response curve. That is, it is assumed for carcinogens that each incremental increase in dosage produces a proportional incremental increase in the risk for cancer.

#### 6.2.4.1 Quantitative Indices of Toxicity

The EPA consensus toxicity indices (e.g., chronic reference doses [RfDs] and carcinogenic slope factors [SFs]) were used in the assessment. Toxicity values were obtained using the following hierarchy (EPA 2003a; ADEC 2011) and are consistent with the toxicity values provided in the EPA’s Regional Screening Level tables (2011b):

- The Integrated Risk Information System (EPA 2010a) and cited references.
- The Provisional Peer Reviewed Toxicity Values (EPA 2010b) and cited references developed for the EPA Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response Office of Superfund Remediation and Technology Innovation programs.
- The Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry Minimal Risk Levels (addressing non-cancer effects only).
- The EPA Superfund Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables (EPA 1997b) database and cited references.
- Other criteria as needed.

Noncarcinogenic and carcinogenic indices are tabulated separately.

**Assessment Non-carcinogens**

To evaluate noncarcinogenic effects, the EPA (1989) defines acceptable exposure levels as those to which the human population, including sensitive subgroups, may be exposed without adverse effects during a lifetime or part of a lifetime, incorporating an adequate margin of safety. The potential for adverse health effects associated with noncarcinogens (for example, organ damage, immunological effects, birth defects, and skin irritation) usually is assessed by comparing the estimated average daily intake (that is, exposure dose) to an RfD for oral exposure and to a reference concentration (RfC) for inhalation exposure.

RfDs are expressed in units of mg/kg-day, and RfCs are expressed in milligrams per cubic meter (mg/m<sup>3</sup>). The RfD or RfC is an estimate (with uncertainty possibly spanning an order of magnitude) of the daily intake to humans (including sensitive subgroups) that should not result in an appreciable risk of deleterious effects. The EPA assigns a qualitative level of confidence (low, medium, or high) to the study used to derive the toxicity value, database, and RfD or RfC. The relative degree of uncertainty associated with the RfDs and the level of confidence that the EPA assigns to the data and the toxicity value are considered when evaluating the quantitative results of the risk assessment.

The EPA (2004) has not developed RfDs for dermal exposure to all chemicals, but it has provided a method for extrapolating dermal RfDs from oral RfDs. If adequate data regarding the gastrointestinal (GI) absorption of a COPC are available, then dermal RfDs may be derived by applying a GI absorbance factor to the oral toxicity value (EPA 2004). For chemicals lacking a GI absorbance value, absorbance is assumed to be 100 percent, and the oral RfDs are used to estimate toxicity via dermal absorption.

Oral and dermal toxicity data, including oral and dermal RfDs and GI absorption factor, are presented in Table 6-26. Inhalation RfCs and target organs are presented in Table 6-27.

**Assessment of Carcinogens**

The EPA (2005m) uses a weight-of-evidence (WOE) approach to evaluate the likelihood that a substance is a carcinogen. The EPA uses standard descriptors as part of the hazard narrative to express the conclusion regarding the WOE for carcinogenic hazard potential. The EPA recommends five standard hazard descriptors: “Carcinogenic to Humans,” “Likely to Be Carcinogenic to Humans,” “Suggestive Evidence of Carcinogenic Potential,” “Inadequate Information to Assess Carcinogenic Potential,” and “Not Likely to Be Carcinogenic to Humans.” Under the EPA’s previous (1986a) guidelines for carcinogen risk assessment, the WOE was described by categories A through E. These categories are (A) human carcinogen, (B1 or B2) probable human carcinogen, (C) possible human carcinogen, and (D) not classifiable as a human carcinogen, and (E) not a carcinogen to humans (EPA 1996b).

The toxicity of a chemical at low doses is often estimated from high-dose cancer bioassays. The most versatile forms of low-dose extrapolation are dose-response

models that characterize risk as a probability over a range of environmental exposure levels. When a dose-response model is not developed for lower doses, another form of low-dose extrapolation is a safety assessment that characterizes the safety of one lower dose, with no explicit characterization of risks above or below that dose. Although this type of extrapolation may be adequate for evaluation of some decision options, it may not be adequate for other purposes that require a quantitative characterization of risks across a range of doses. At this time, safety assessment is the default approach for tumors that arise through a nonlinear mode of action; however, the EPA continues to explore methods for quantifying dose-response relationships over a range of environmental exposure levels for tumors that arise through a nonlinear mode of action (EPA 2005m). The carcinogenic potency is represented by a COPC's SF for oral exposure and is expressed as risk per milligram per kilogram per day  $[(\text{mg}/\text{kg}\text{-day})^{-1}]$ . The carcinogenic potency is represented by a COPC's inhalation unit risk (IUR) for inhalation exposure and is expressed as risk per microgram per cubic meter  $[(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)^{-1}]$ .

The EPA (2004) has not developed SFs for dermal exposure to all chemicals, but it has provided a method for extrapolating dermal SFs from oral SFs. This route-to-route extrapolation has a scientific basis because an absorbed chemical's distribution, metabolism, and elimination patterns are usually similar regardless of exposure route. However, dermal toxicity values are typically based on absorbed dose, whereas oral exposures are usually expressed in terms of administered dose. Consequently, if adequate data on the GI absorption of a COPC are available, then dermal SFs may be derived by applying a GI absorbance factor to the oral toxicity value (EPA 2004). For chemicals lacking a GI absorbance value, absorbance is assumed to be 100 percent, and the oral SF is used to estimate toxicity via dermal absorption.

Table 6-28 includes SFs for oral and dermal exposure, and Table 6-29 includes IUR for inhalation exposure. Mutagen potential, and SF basis or source, are also included in these tables. Note that no COPCs are identified as mutagens.

The EPA's *Provisional Guidance for Quantitative Risk Assessment of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons* (EPA 1993b) indicates that carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) include benzo(a)anthracene; benzo(b)fluoranthene; benzo(k)fluoranthene; benzo(a)pyrene; chrysene; dibenzo(a,h)anthracene; and indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene. No carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons were identified as COPCs at the site.

#### **6.2.4.2 Assessment of Arsenic and Mercury**

Inorganic arsenic has been implicated as the primary toxic form to both aquatic life and humans. The toxicity data (i.e., reference dose and slope factor) for arsenic is from the inorganic form. Speciation of arsenic was conducted in samples collected in soil, sediment, surface water, and groundwater. Total arsenic analysis was also conducted for these samples. The inorganic arsenic results are used to determine the hazards and risks posed by arsenic at the site.



Approximately 85 to 90 percent of the arsenic found in the edible parts of fish and shellfish is organic arsenic (e.g., arsenobetaine, arsenocholine, dimethylarsinic acid), and approximately 10 percent is inorganic arsenic (EPA 2003c). For the fish tissue results from the BLM study (Matz 2011), total arsenic was measured in the tissue. Inorganic arsenic concentration data in fish tissue is not yet available. To determine the inorganic arsenic in the fish tissue, the total arsenic EPC was multiplied by 10 percent to determine the inorganic arsenic fraction.

Both mercury and methylmercury were identified as COPCs in fish based on sediment and surface water screening. For the fish tissue result from the BLM study (Matz 2011), total mercury results were measured in the tissue. For the current HHRA, mercury in fish was assumed to be 100 percent in the methylmercury form (EPA 1993a).

#### **6.2.4.3 Assessment of Lead**

Lead was identified as a COPC in soil, sediment, surface water, and groundwater. Although the toxic effects from lead exposure are well known, there are no verified or consensus toxicity values available for lead in the Integrated Risk Information System, Superfund Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables, or other sources. The absence of authoritative toxicity values reflects the scientific community's inability to agree on a threshold dose for lead's noncarcinogenic effects or to satisfactorily estimate its carcinogenic potency, despite a large body of scientific literature on its toxicological effects.

Due to the lack of toxicity values, exposure to lead is assessed using physiologically based toxicokinetic models for children and adults. The exposure estimates derived using these models are then compared with accepted limits.

Models have been adopted to assess blood lead dose-response relationships in adults and children in lead-contaminated areas. Young children are the segment of the population at greatest risk from lead exposure because, in comparison to adults, their intake of lead from the GI tract is greater (50 percent for children versus 5 percent for adults) and their developing organ systems are more sensitive to the toxic effects of lead. Therefore, the lead Integrated Exposure Uptake Biokinetic (IEUBK) model is recommended (EPA 2007g) to assess potential impacts to children from exposure to lead.

The IEUBK model predicts blood lead levels in young children resulting from multiple pathways of exposure, including intake via air, soil, drinking water, and diet. Default parameters exist in the model for intake of lead via the listed pathways. Site-specific data can also be input into the model to derive site-specific results. For this assessment, the IEUBK Model Win32 v.1.1 was used. All input values used in the model are presented in Appendix E and are discussed in this section. Because lead was identified as a COPC in wild food, adjustments to default input parameters were made based on lead concentrations in locally caught wild food.



The IEUBK dietary intake parameter does include consumption of wild food from local sources as a default parameter; therefore, intake via wild food consumption was included as an “alternate” dietary source of lead. The default daily dietary lead intake values for each age apply to a typical child in the United States. These estimates are derived from U.S. Food and Drug Administration food monitoring data collected 1995–2003 (EPA 2007g). Site-specific data can be used to alter the default dietary intake rates due to the consumption of locally caught food.

Information on lead concentrations in wild food and the proportion of locally caught and consumed wild food to all consumed food is input into the model. The concentration for game from hunting was set at the lead concentration in moose, which represents the highest ingestion rate for game. It is assumed that locally caught fish and meat represent 100 percent of all meat consumed. The percentage of fish and meat to total meat was calculated by dividing the fish or game meat (sum of moose, beaver and grouse) by the total meat consumed (sum of game meat plus fish). This approach results in fish representing 70 percent of the total meat consumed and hunted game represented 30 percent of all meat consumed. The percentage of locally harvested berries and plants to all fruit ingested was calculated by dividing the site-specific berries and plant ingestion rate by the body weight, adjusted 95<sup>th</sup> percentile of all fruit consumed from the EFH (EPA 2011, Table ES-1). These are conservative, health-protective assumptions used in the model.

The IEUBK model has been validated using central tendency input parameters. IEUBK guidance (EPA 2007k) calls for central tendency (i.e., average) inputs and, specifically, arithmetic means should be used for the lead concentration term (EPA 2007d). Therefore, average concentrations of detected values for all wild food sources were used as the EPC. Since lead did not represent a risk to the most sensitive receptor, child residents in the MPA, no further modeling of lead was performed.

### **6.2.5 Risk Characterization**

Risk characterization, the final component of the risk assessment process, integrates the findings of the first two components (exposure and toxicity) by quantitative estimation of human health risks. For each scenario evaluated, incremental lifetime cancer probability is estimated for an RME exposure scenario.

#### **6.2.5.1 Assessment of Carcinogens**

Any exposure to a carcinogen theoretically entails some finite risk of cancer. However, depending on the potency of a specific carcinogen and the level of exposure, such a risk could be practically negligible.

Scientists have developed several mathematical models to estimate low-dose carcinogenic risks from observed high-dose risks. Consistent with current theories of carcinogenesis, the EPA has selected the linearized multistage model based on prudent public health policy (EPA 1986a). As another conservative measure, the EPA uses the upper 95 percent UCL on the dose-response relationship from ani-

mal studies to estimate a low-dose SF. By employing these procedures, the regulatory agencies are likely to overestimate the actual SF for humans.

Using the SF (oral and dermal), excess lifetime cancer risks (ELCR) can be estimated by:

$$ELCR = \sum LADI_i \times SF_i$$

Where:

- LADI<sub>i</sub> = Exposure route-specific lifetime average daily intake (mg/kg-day).  
 SF<sub>i</sub> = Route-specific (oral and dermal) slope factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>.

Using the IUR (inhalation), the ELCR is determined by multiplying the EC by the IUR (EPA 2009c) as shown below:

$$ELCR = \sum EC_i \times IUR_i$$

Where:

- EC<sub>i</sub> = Exposure concentration (micrograms per cubic meter [μg/m<sup>3</sup>]).  
 IUR<sub>i</sub> = Inhalation unit risk (μg/m<sup>3</sup>)<sup>-1</sup>.

Assuming risk additivity, the ELCR for the oral, dermal, and inhalation routes of exposure are summed. For carcinogens, the residential and recreational/subsistence user scenarios are calculated as an aggregate of child and adult exposure; the first six years of the ED is determined based on the child intake and the remaining time at an adult intake.

Calculated ELCR are provided in Appendix D, Tables D-1 through D-5, and summarized in Table 6-30, presented as one significant figure. The ADEC has set acceptable target levels at  $1 \times 10^{-5}$  for multiple exposure pathways. The EPA allows for a risk range of  $10^{-6}$  to  $10^{-4}$ .

### 6.2.5.2 Assessment of Noncarcinogens

In accordance with EPA guidelines (1989), an HQ for noncarcinogenic risks is derived for each chemical and exposure route and, based on the assumption of dose additivity, the individual HQs are summed over all contaminants to determine the hazard index (HI).

Risks associated with non-cancer effects (e.g., organ damage, immunological effects, birth defects, and skin irritation) are usually assessed by comparing the estimated average exposure to an acceptable daily dose, RfD or RfC. There are two standard approaches for determining RfDs and RfCs, discussed below.

In one approach, the RfD is selected by identifying the lowest reliable no observed adverse effect level (NOAEL) or lowest observed adverse effect level (LOAEL) in the scientific literature, then applying an uncertainty factor (usually ranging from 10 to 1,000) to allow for differences between the study conditions and the human exposure situation to which the RfD is to be applied. NOAELs and LOAELs can be derived from either human epidemiological studies or animal studies; however, they are usually based on laboratory experiments on animals in which relatively high doses are used. Consequently, uncertainty or safety factors are applied when deriving RfDs to compensate for data limitations inherent in the underlying experiments and for the lack of precision created by extrapolating from high doses in animals to lower doses in humans.

The second approach for determining RfDs and RfCs entails development of a benchmark dose (BMD). In 1995, the EPA's Risk Assessment Forum published guidance on the BMD approach in the assessment of non-cancer health risk. The BMD approach provides a more quantitative alternative in the dose-response assessment than the NOAEL/LOAEL process for non-cancer health effects (EPA 2000c). The use of BMD methods involves fitting mathematical models to dose-response data and using the different results to select a BMD that is associated with a predetermined benchmark response. As an example, the BMD method was used to derive the oral reference dose for methylmercury (EPA 2001b).

Non-cancer hazards are usually assessed by calculating an HQ, which is the ratio of the estimated exposure to the RfD (oral and dermal), as follows:

$$HQ = \frac{CDI_i}{RfDi}$$

Where:

- CDI<sub>i</sub> = Chronic Daily Intake (mg/kg-day).
- RfD<sub>i</sub> = Reference Dose (mg/kg-day).

Likewise, inhalation hazard is assessed by comparing the EC to the RfC, as follows:

$$HQ = \frac{EC_i}{RfC_i}$$

Where:

- EC<sub>i</sub> = Exposure concentration (mg/m<sup>3</sup>).
- RfC<sub>i</sub> = Reference concentration (mg/m<sup>3</sup>).

The HI calculated for a single mode of action is a measure of how close the estimated exposure comes to the RfD. If the HI is less than 1, adverse effects would not be expected. If the HI is greater than 1, adverse effects are possible, but not certain. ADEC and EPA have set the HI standard at 1.0.

Calculated HIs are provided in Appendix D, Tables D-6 through D-10, and summarized in Table 6-31, presented as two significant figures.

If the HI exceeds 1, major chemical-specific effects identified in the derivation of the RfD by mechanisms of action and target organ can be reviewed. Upon segregation, HIs can be recalculated for specific effects or target organs to further define potential risks. Since a single compound, arsenic, contributed significantly to the HI, the hazards were not segregated by target organ in this assessment.

### **6.2.5.3 Risk Characterization Results**

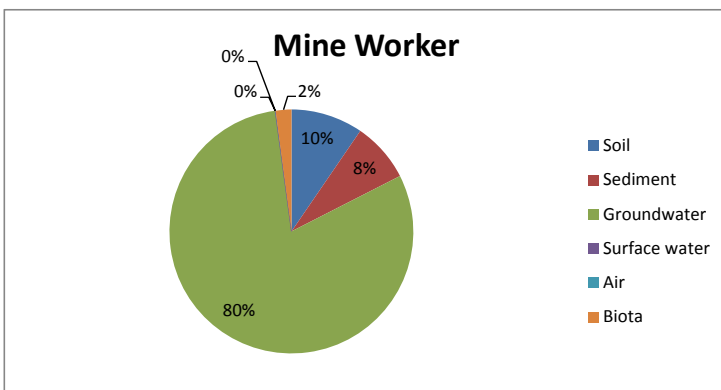
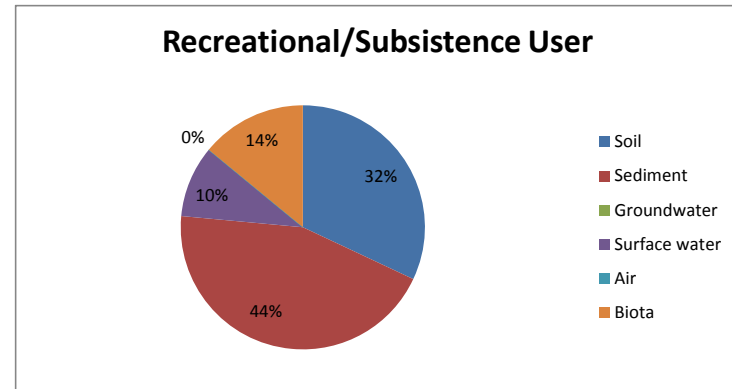
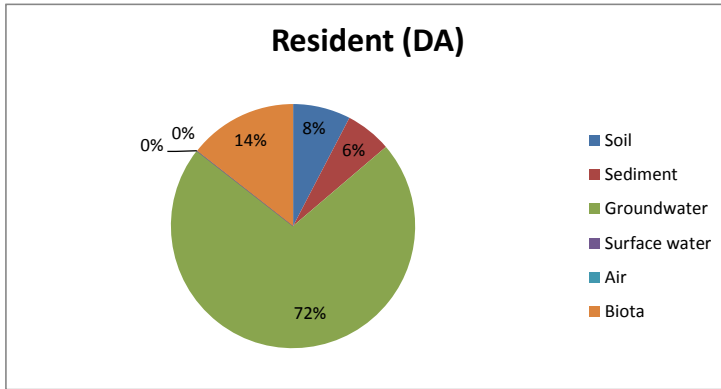
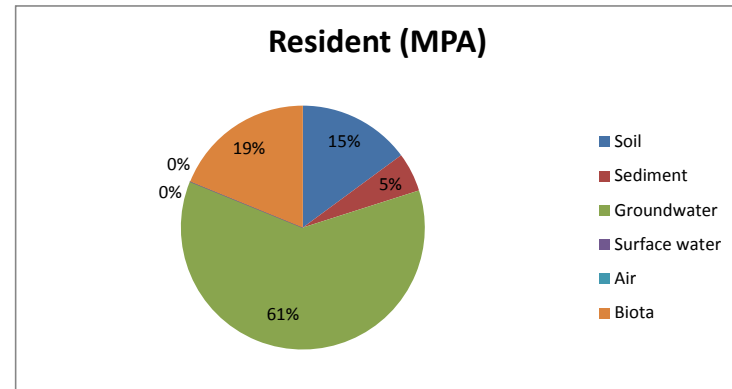
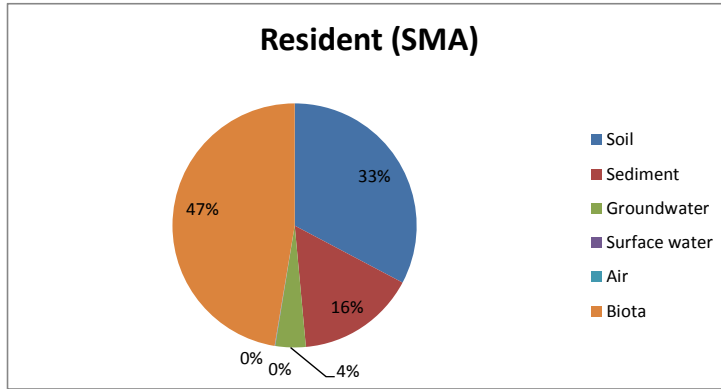
The estimated ELCR values are summarized in Table 6.2-30, and estimated HIs are summarized in Table 6-31. These results are discussed in this section by potential receptor.

#### **Future Resident**

Cancer risks and HIs are calculated for a hypothetical future residential that will live and work at the RDM site. Risks and hazards are calculated separately for three different exposure units: SMA, MPA and DA, based on differing COPC concentrations in soil. COPC concentrations in other media sediment, surface water, groundwater, and air remained the same for all three exposure units, except as described below. Note, the air concentrations from fugitive dust or volatilization from soil and the concentration in berries and plants were modeled from soil concentrations, so those concentrations differ between exposure units, as well.

**Surface Mined Area** – The ELCR, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the SMA is  $2 \times 10^{-2}$  (or 2 in 100), exceeding both ADEC and EPA risk standards of  $10^{-5}$  and  $10^{-4}$  through  $10^{-6}$ , respectively. Arsenic is the only carcinogenic COPC onsite contributing to the ELCR. Figure 6-2 shows the contribution to risk by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota). Media contributing significantly to risk include biota (47 percent overall risk), soil (33 percent), and sediment (16 percent).

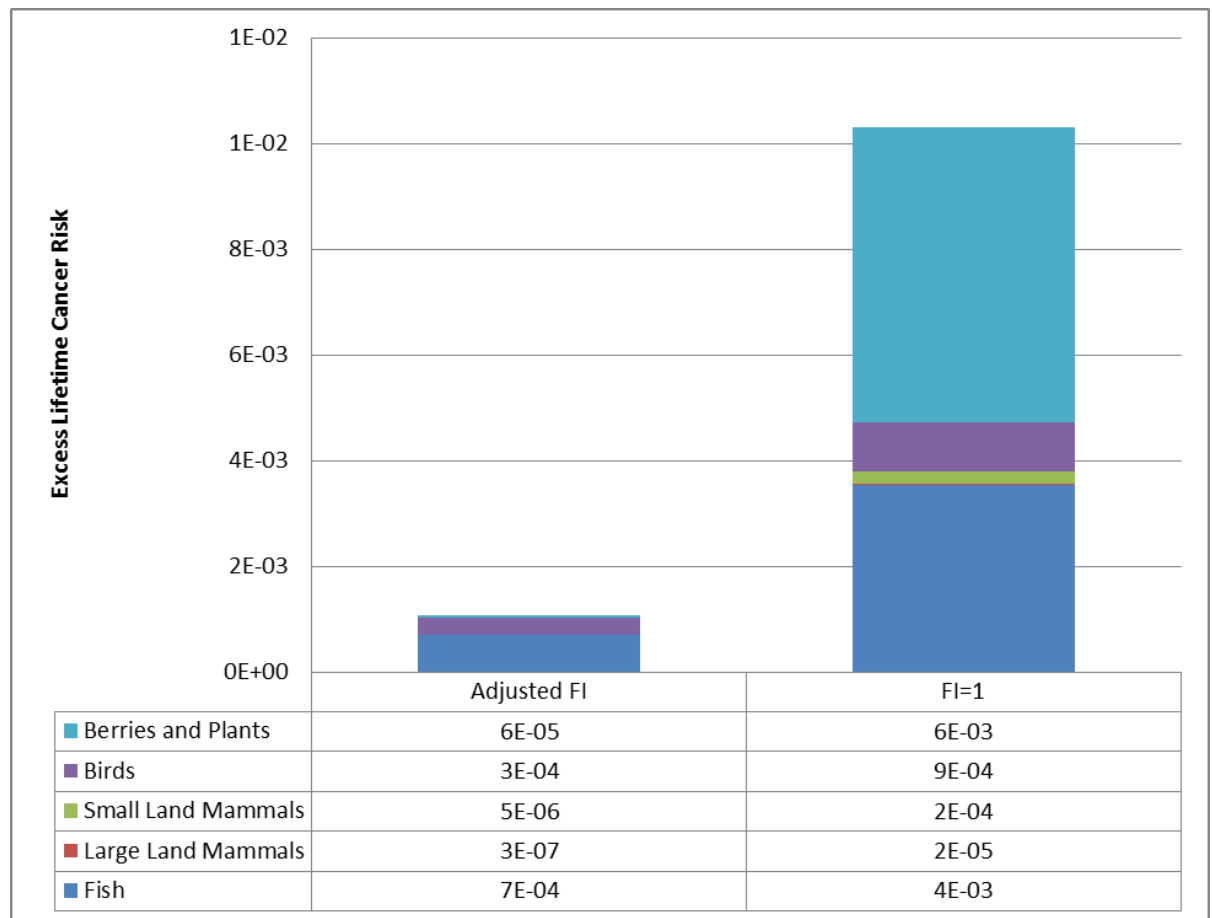
Figure 6-2. Cancer Risk Contribution by Media, Red Devil Mine



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For the resident, it is conservatively assumed that all wild food consumed was harvested from the site. A more realistic estimate would be to use the FI calculated for the recreational/subsistence user, which is based on data obtained from the ADF&G survey of residents of Red Devil Village (Brown et al. 2012). Using these estimates, biota contributes 9 percent of the overall risk, versus 47 percent. Figure 6-3 shows in the impacts of using these estimates for FI, resulting in lower ELCR from ingestion of biota.

Although ingestion of fish contributes significantly to the overall risk at the site, the concentrations in fish were conservatively modeled from sculpin collected in Red Devil Creek. As discussed in Section 6.2.3.7, the concentrations of antimony, arsenic, and mercury of game fish modeled from the sculpin from Red Devil Creek greatly exceed the concentrations in Northern Pike collected from the reach of the Kuskokwim River nearest to the RDM. The 95 percent UCL of measured arsenic in northern pike muscle is 0.626 mg/kg-wet, compared to the modeled concentration of 11.4 mg/kg. Using the arsenic fish concentrations in northern pike, as shown in Table 6-24, the ELCR from ingestion of game fish is  $5 \times 10^{-5}$ . This evaluation is equal for residents in all exposure units (i.e., fish ingestion is calculated on a site-specific basis and not influenced by the exposure units).



**Figure 6-3 Impacts of Fraction Ingested from Contaminated Source (FI), Resident Scenario**

The HI, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the SMA is 528 for adults and 1314 for children, exceeding both ADEC and EPA HI criteria of 1.0. Figure 6-4 shows the contribution to HI by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota) for a child resident. Child HIs are shown since they represented the potentially highest exposed receptor. Ingestion of biota (primarily fish consumption) contributes 94 percent to the overall HI for adults and 85 percent for children. Adjustment of the FI, as described above reduces the HI for ingestion of biota from 495 to 92 for adults and from 1109 to 207 for children.

As discussed above and in Section 6.2.3.7, the concentrations of antimony, arsenic, and mercury of game fish modeled from the sculpin from Red Devil Creek greatly exceed the concentrations in northern pike collected from the reach of the Kuskokwim River nearest to the RDM. Using the arsenic fish concentrations in Northern Pike, as shown in Table 6-24, the HI from ingestion of game fish is reduced even further to an HI of 6.8, with mercury contributing 94 percent to the fish ingestion HI.

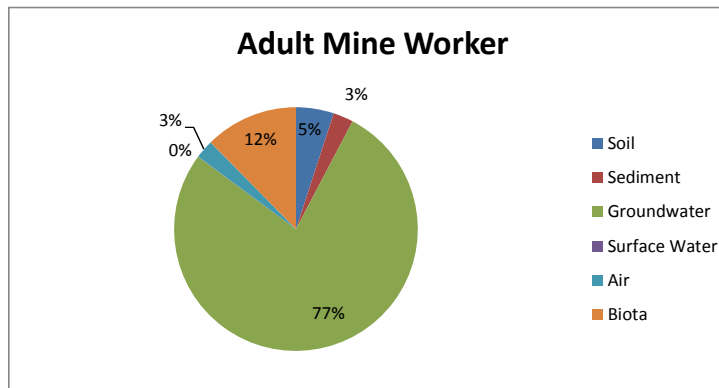
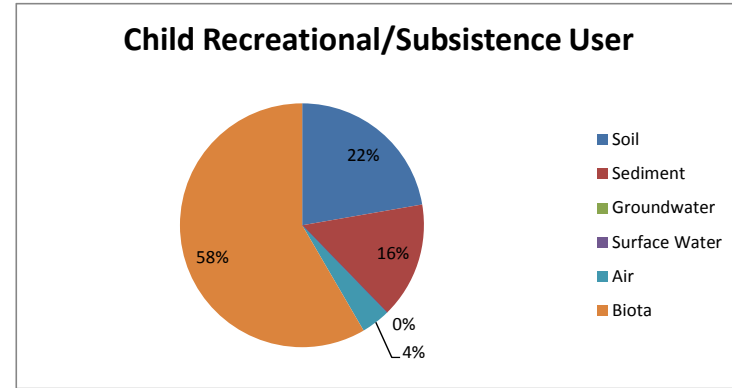
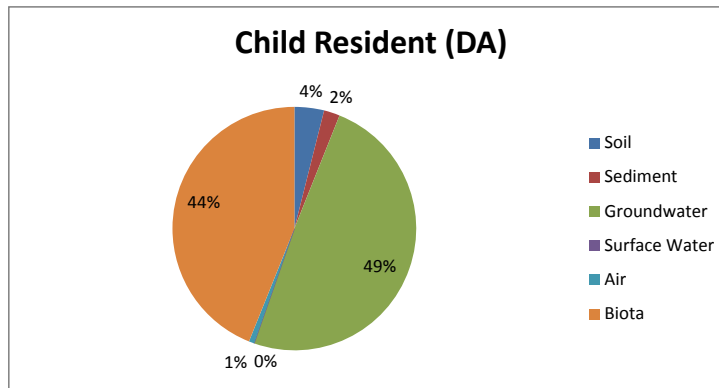
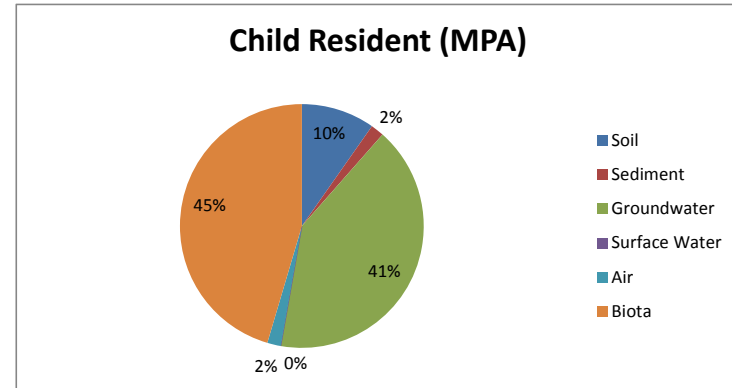
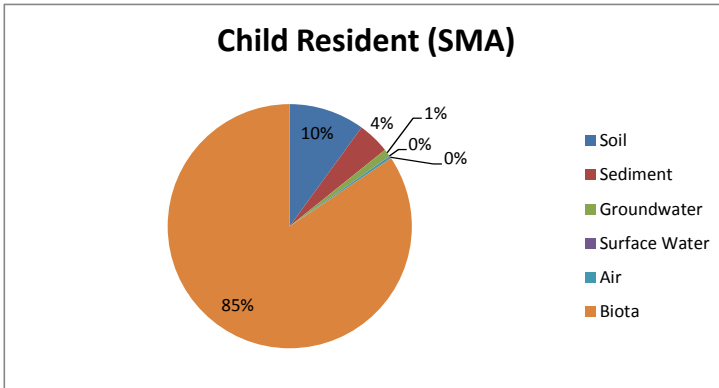
The HI values for soil, sediment, and air also exceed 1.0. These HI values are driven primarily by arsenic in soil (94 percent of soil ingestion HI) and sediment (100 percent of dermal exposure to sediments), and mercury in air (95 percent of inhalation from soil HI). Ingestion of antimony and mercury in soil for children also slightly exceeded an HQ of 1.0, with HQs of 1.2 for antimony and 1.3 for mercury.

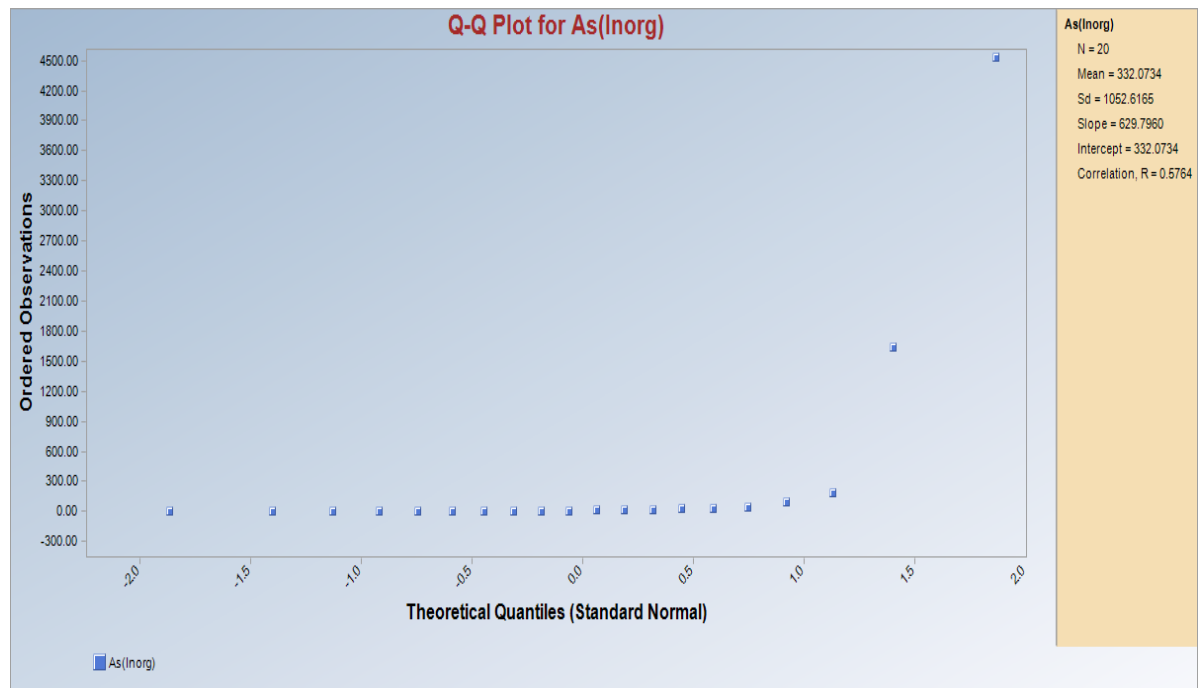
**Main Processing Area** – The total ELCR, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the MPA is  $7 \times 10^{-2}$  (or 7 in 100), exceeding both ADEC and EPA risk standards. Arsenic is the only carcinogenic COPC onsite contributing to the ELCR. Figure 6-2 shows the contribution to risk by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota). Media contributing significantly to risk include groundwater (61 percent), biota (19 percent), and soil (15 percent).

The inorganic arsenic EPC in groundwater is impacted significantly by two elevated sample results of 4,530 µg/L in 11MP29GW and 1,640 µg/L in 11MP39GW. These results are identified as outliers through analysis with ProUCL and as indicated in the Q-Q plots provided as Figure 6-5. If these two samples are removed from the data set, the groundwater 95 percent UCL decreases from 1,802 µg/L to 50 µg/L. Review of total arsenic concentration in groundwater in the MPA shows a number of wells with elevated total arsenic, indicating that these two elevated inorganic arsenic levels may not be true outliers.



Figure 6-4. Hazard Index Contribution by Media, Red Devil Mine





**Figure 6-5 Identification of Inorganic Arsenic Outliers in Groundwater, Q-Q Plot**

The HI, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the MPA is 1295 for adults and 3136 for children, exceeding both ADEC and EPA HI criteria of 1.0. Figure 6-4 shows the contribution to HI by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota) for a child resident. As for the SMA, child HIs are shown since they represented the potentially highest exposed receptor. Ingestion of biota (primarily fish consumption) contributes 49 percent to the overall HI for adults and 45 percent for children. Adjustment of the FI, as described above, reduces the HI for ingestion biota from 636 to 94 for adults and from 1424 to 210 for children.

As discussed in the section for the SMA, above, it is conservatively assumed that all wild food consumed is harvested from the site. A more realistic estimate would be to use the FI calculated for the recreational/subsistence user, which is based on data obtained from the ADF&G survey of residents of Red Devil Village (Brown et al. 2012). Also, the concentrations in fish were conservatively modeled from sculpin tissue collected in Red Devil Creek. The above discussion regarding FI and modeled fish concentrations for residents in the SMA also is applicable to residents of the MPA, since fish consumption is not influenced by the exposure units.

Ingestion and dermal contact with groundwater contributed 43 percent to the overall HI for adults and 41 percent for children. Risk from exposure to groundwater is driven primarily by antimony and arsenic in groundwater. The HQs for cobalt (child only), manganese, and mercury also exceed an HQ of 1.0.

The HI for soil, sediment, and air also exceed an HI of 1.0. The following COPCs had HQs above 1.0: antimony, arsenic and mercury in soil, arsenic in sediment, and mercury in air (based on soil concentrations).

**Red Devil Creek Downstream Alluvial Area** – The ELCR and HIs for the DA are similar to those for the MPA. The total ELCR, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the DA is  $6 \times 10^{-2}$  (or 6 in 100), exceeding both ADEC and EPA risk standards. Arsenic is the only carcinogenic COPC on-site contributing to the ELCR. Figure 6-2 shows the contribution to risk by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota).

The HI, including all exposure pathways, for a hypothetical resident in the DA is 1,113 for adults and 2,623 for children, exceeding both ADEC and EPA HI criteria of 1.0. Figure 6-4 shows the contribution to HI by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota) for a child resident. As for the SMA and MPA, child HIs are shown since they represented the potentially highest exposed receptor. See discussions for SMA and MPA regarding influence of FI and modeled fish concentrations on overall hazards and risks.

Ingestion and dermal contact with groundwater contributed 44 percent to the overall HI for adults and 49 percent for children. Exposure to groundwater is driven primarily by antimony and arsenic in groundwater. The HQs for cobalt (child only), manganese, and mercury also exceed an HQ of 1.0.

The HI values for soil, sediment, and air also exceed 1.0. The following COPCs had HQs above 1.0: antimony, arsenic and mercury in soil, arsenic in sediment, and mercury in air (based on soil concentrations).

### **Recreational/Subsistence User**

Cancer risks and HIs are calculated for a recreational or subsistence user at the RDM site. The total ELCR, including all exposure pathways, for a recreational/subsistence user is  $8 \times 10^{-3}$  (or 8 in 1,000), exceeding both ADEC and EPA risk standards. Arsenic is the only carcinogenic COPC onsite contributing to the ELCR. Figure 6-2 shows the contribution to risk by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota). Media contributing significantly to risk include sediment (44 percent), soil (32 percent), biota (14 percent) and surface water (10 percent). Unlike the resident, it is assumed that the recreational/subsistence user ingests surface water as a drinking water source while at the site.

The HI, including all exposure pathways, for a recreational/subsistence user is 124 for adults and 358 for children, exceeding both ADEC and EPA HI criteria of 1.0. Figure 6-4 shows the contribution to HI by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota) for a child recreational/subsistence user. Child HIs are shown since they represented the potentially highest exposed receptor. Ingestion of biota (primarily fish consumption) contributes 75 percent to the overall HI for adults and 58% for children.

As for residents in the SMA, MPA, and DA discussed above, the concentrations in fish were conservatively modeled from sculpin tissue collected in Red Devil Creek. See discussion for residential receptors above.

The HI for soil, sediment, and air slightly exceeded an HI of 1.0. The following COPCs had HQs above 1.0: antimony, arsenic and mercury in soil, arsenic in sediment, and mercury in air (based on soil concentrations).

### **Future Mine Worker**

Cancer risks and HIs are calculated for a hypothetical future mine worker at the RDM site. The total ELCR, including all exposure pathways, for a future mine worker is  $3 \times 10^{-2}$  (or 3 in 100), exceeding both ADEC and EPA risk standards. Arsenic is the only carcinogenic COPC onsite contributing to the ELCR. Figure 6-2 shows the contribution to risk by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota). Media contributing significantly to risk include groundwater (80 percent), soil (10 percent) and sediment (8 percent).

The HI, including all exposure pathways, for a future mine worker is 566, exceeding both ADEC and EPA HI criteria of 1.0. Figure 6-4 shows the contribution to HI by media (soil, sediment, groundwater, surface water, air, and biota). Ingestion and dermal contact with groundwater (primarily consumption) contributes 77 percent to the overall HI. Consumption of biota contributes 12 percent and dermal ingestion, and dermal contact with soil contributes 5 percent to the overall HI.

### **Risks and Hazards at Maximum Groundwater Levels**

Consistent with ADEC guidance (2011), risks and hazards are calculated based on the maximum COPC concentrations in groundwater. Using the maximum COPC groundwater concentrations, as presented in Table 6-14, the ELCR from exposure is 1 in 10 and the HI is 3,100, above ADEC and EPA criteria. Risks and hazards are presented in Appendix D, Tables D-11 and D-12, respectively.

#### **6.2.5.4 Assessment of Background Contribution to Risk**

Consistent with EPA policy (EPA 2002a), COPCs at the RDM site include all compounds that exceed risk-based concentrations, including chemicals that are below background levels. Background levels are presented in Section 4.1. Cancer risks and hazards are presented in Section 6.2.5.3 and include risks and hazards from naturally occurring background levels. Risks from exposure to background level are provided in Appendix D, Tables D-13 through D-15, for the residential, recreational/subsistence user, and mine worker scenarios, respectively. ELCR values from exposure to background levels are summarized in Table 6-32. HIs from exposure to background levels are provided in Appendix D, Table D-16, and are summarized in Table 6-33 for the residential scenario, the most highly exposed receptor. As shown, the ELCR and HI at background levels of metals exceed both the ADEC and EPA criteria.

### **6.2.5.5 Lead Modeling Results**

As discussed in Section 6.2.4.3, risks from exposure to lead were not quantified as they were for other COPCs. Lead modeling was conducted for children using the IEUBK model.

The IEUBK model was run using default parameters except for the inclusion of the concentration of lead in soil, drinking water, and locally harvested wild food, as described in Section 6.2.4.3. Input parameters are provided in Appendix E. The model was run for the most highly exposed receptor, the future child resident in the SMA. Model output is provided in the form of a probability density curve that shows the probability of blood lead concentrations occurring in a hypothetical population of children. This curve shows a plausible distribution of blood lead concentrations centered on the geometric mean blood lead concentration predicted by the model from available information about children's exposure to lead. From this distribution, the model calculates the probability that children's blood lead concentrations will exceed a level of concern (EPA 1994).

EPA and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention have determined that childhood blood lead concentrations at or above 10 micrograms of lead per deciliter ( $\mu\text{g Pb/dL}$ ) present risks to children's health (CDC 1991). Therefore, a value of 10  $\mu\text{g/dL}$  is generally used as the blood lead level of concern and is the threshold used in this assessment. The probability density curves designate the percentage of children predicted to have blood lead levels that exceed the threshold. Probability density curves were generated for this site and are provided in Appendix E. The EPA's risk reduction goal for contaminated sites is that no more than 5 percent of the population exposed to lead will have blood lead levels greater than 10  $\mu\text{g/dL}$  (EPA 2003b). The IEUBK model gives potential percentages of children with blood lead levels above 10  $\mu\text{g/dL}$  for the future resident of 0.005 percent. These results are three orders of magnitude below the EPA's 5 percent, indicating that lead does not pose an unacceptable risk at the site.

### **6.2.6 Uncertainty Analysis**

Uncertainty is inherent in every step of the risk assessment process. Uncertainty, and its impact on the risk assessment results, is discussed in this section. The risk characterization combines and integrates the results of data collection and evaluation, the exposure assessment, and the toxicity assessment to obtain quantitative estimates of the potential risks posed by site contamination. The following sections and Table 6-34 present some uncertainties associated with each step of the process and the ways they are likely to affect the overall risk estimates.

#### **6.2.6.1 Environmental Sampling and Analysis**

Samples collected during the investigations were intended largely to characterize the nature and extent, and fate and transport, of contamination at the site. While this sampling approach is sound for site characterization, it can result in uncertainties in estimating the average concentration, or EPC, that people may contact over time.

For example, many sampling locations were selected in a purposeful or directed manner to focus on particular areas where contamination was known or suspected to be present. Samples collected in this manner provide considerable information about the site but are not statistically representative of contamination that may be present on the site and may overestimate the average concentration to which people may be exposed. For example, biased sampling was conducted in the SMA targeting three ore zones: the originally mined ore zone, Dolly ore zone, and Rice ore zone. Results from these samples showed elevated metal concentrations. Biased sediment sampling resulted in inclusion of a sample consisting of yellow-boy material deposited at a spring, with a total arsenic concentration of 130,000 mg/kg, which is much higher than arsenic concentrations the sediment samples collected in Red Devil Creek. Inclusion of results from biased sampling results in higher EPC concentrations than would be assumed from random exposure.

Characterization of background concentrations of metals at mine sites is important because mines are developed in naturally mineralized areas. In such areas, the concentrations of not only the metals targeted by the mining, but other metals, are commonly elevated. Characterization of background conditions at mine sites may be complicated by the mining and ore processing activities that occur in the vicinity of the site. Such is the case at the RDM site, as discussed in Section 4.1 and below.

As stated in Section 4.1, in order to assess site-specific background conditions at the RDM site, background samples were collected from locations that were recognized as being clearly outside of and upgradient of potential impacts by mining, ore processing, and waste disposal operations. Results of soil samples collected from the selected locations indicate significantly lower concentrations than might be expected in a mining area in general. The likely explanation for this is that the areas excluded from consideration for background soil characterization lie outside of not only the narrow cinnabar ore zones that were mined, but also the somewhat broader generally mineralized zone. As noted in Section 4.1, although cinnabar ore mining was focused on discrete localized ore zones, natural mineralization in the RDM area extends beyond the discrete ore zones that were targeted by mining. This is supported by the observation of elevated arsenic and mercury concentrations from several subsurface soil samples that, although they lie within the overall footprint of the area potentially affected by mining activities, are apparently undisturbed and unaffected by mining and associated activities. It appears that the available soil samples for background characterization are not representative of actual background geological conditions. As a result of the difficulties characterizing representative background soil conditions at the RDM site with the available data, the contribution of background to risk at the site is likely underestimated.

A number of compounds in water were not detected, yet had detection limits above an RBSC. None of these compounds were identified as COPCs in soil or

sediment. Based on this, it is not expected that elevated detection limits would have an appreciable impact on overall risk at the site.

#### **6.2.6.2 Exposure Point Concentration Uncertainties**

Because of the variability and uncertainty inherent in the sampling and analysis processes, the chemical concentrations reported may differ from the actual chemical concentrations. Uncertainty is introduced by the use of estimated, or J-qualified, results, which may not have the same precision and accuracy as data meeting all standard QC criteria. There is also uncertainty associated with the use of nondetect results, or assuming COPC concentrations are based on the reported limits, which may overestimate or underestimate the true concentrations present.

EPCs in biota were modeled from soil, vegetation, or fish samples. Biota uptake modeling generally results in estimated concentrations that are higher than actual concentrations. As shown in Tables 6-24 and 6-25, the modeled concentrations of COPCs in fish and berries are significantly higher than measured concentrations in game fish and blueberries. EPCs in bird were modeled from concentrations of COPCs in white spruce needles. The arsenic white spruce needle EPC is highly impacted by a single, elevated sample (11MP38WS), located near Red Devil Creek downhill from Settling Ponds #1 and #2. The concentration of arsenic in this single sample is 11.1 mg/kg; the next highest concentration is 0.82 mg/kg. Use of modeled concentrations of COPCs in biota overestimates risks and hazards from consumption of these food sources.

Total mercury concentrations in soil and groundwater were used to estimate elemental mercury concentrations for assessment potential inhalation exposure. Based on results from the SSE in soil from the F0 and F4 fractions, mercury in the volatile form was generally much lower than the total mercury EPC. For this pathway assessment, the assumption that all the total mercury in soil is in the elemental overestimates risk from exposure to volatile, elemental mercury at the site. Exposure to elemental mercury in soil or groundwater, however, did not pose an unacceptable risk or hazard at the site even based on these conservative estimates.

Risks and hazards from consumption of groundwater were determined based on unfiltered sample results. Filtered (or dissolved) metal results are lower in concentration than the total metal results. Construction of new drinking water wells would likely incorporate mechanisms to filter turbid water, resulting in true exposure to COPCs that would more likely be represented by filtered sample results. Use of the total metal concentrations in groundwater overestimates risks and hazards at the site.

#### **6.2.6.3 Exposure Assessment Uncertainties**

Selection of appropriate exposure parameters is typically a challenging exercise in conducting an HHRA because it is difficult to make generalizations about potentially impacted populations and site-specific exposure studies are very rare. Nevertheless, the risk assessor must make the best assumptions possible based on



available information. While there are limited studies available for contact with soil, even fewer studies have been conducted to estimate exposures to sediment, in terms of frequency of contact, adherence of sediment to skin, and incidental ingestion of sediment through hand-to-mouth contact. For this reason, many sediment ingestion and dermal exposure parameters are based on studies of human contact with soil, which may result in an under- or overestimation of risk.

The individual exposure parameter values used in the RME calculations were selected to represent a high-end estimate of exposure for an individual that is a conservative, or protective, estimate of actual exposures. The exposure values selected were either standard default values consistent with ADEC and EPA guidelines, or were conservatively protective estimates selected based on best professional judgment. As a result, the calculated potential exposures probably overestimate the actual exposure for most individuals in the receptor populations.

As briefly mentioned above, additional uncertainty is associated with the procedures used to estimate dermal absorption of chemicals from sediment, specifically  $ABS_{\text{dermal}}$  and AFs. Uncertainties with this approach arise from the limited information available on sediment-specific values and the application of soil values to represent exposure to sediment. Dermal absorption of COPCs in sediment was estimated using conservative absorption factors for soil recommended by EPA. The recommended default values, which generally fall at the upper ends of the ranges that have been observed in absorption studies, may not reflect actual dermal absorption for sediment.

Arsenic concentrations are adjusted to reflect the bioaccessibility of Red Devil Mine arsenic. Default values were used for arsenic bioavailability but are known to be highly uncertain (EPA 2003a). The *in vitro* bioaccessibility assay is based on the concept that arsenic solubilization in gastrointestinal fluid is likely to be an important determinant of arsenic bioavailability *in vivo*. The method measures the extent of arsenic solubilization in an extraction solvent that resembles gastric fluid. The results may be affected by sample location selection, sample handling and inadvertent variations in the extraction protocol. Use of a default adjustment for bioavailability factor likely overestimates risk at the site based on the site-specific bioaccessibility results provided in Table 6-23. Bioaccessibility sample results indicate that arsenic in background soils may be more bioavailable than site samples.

All other metals at the site were conservatively assumed to be 100% bioavailable which overestimates risks and hazards at the site.

Ingestion rates used in this HHRA are based on a 12-month recall survey on harvest data. The survey was conducted on a household basis. As previously mentioned, harvest data significantly overestimates consumption for some resources (IDM 1997). The harvest rates were adjusted to estimate ingestion on an individual basis. Only household harvest data were available, and energy requirement estimates were used to assign an ingestion rate for children. These adjustments like-

ly overestimate true ingestion of wild food at the site. In addition, the residential scenario was determined based on the assumption that all wild food was harvest from the site. Based on Brown et al. (2012), this assumption greatly overestimates actual harvest patterns, as shown for the resident in Figure 6-3.

#### **6.2.6.4 Toxicity Assessment Uncertainties**

The basic uncertainties associated with the derivation of toxicity values in the toxicity assessment include:

- Uncertainties arising from the design, execution, or relevance of the scientific studies that form the basis of the assessment.
- Uncertainties involved in extrapolation from the underlying scientific studies to the exposure situation being evaluated, including variable responses to chemical exposure within human and animal populations, between species, and between routes of exposure.

These uncertainties could result in a toxicity estimate based directly on the underlying studies that either underestimates or overestimates the true toxicity of a chemical. The toxicity assessment process compensates for these basic uncertainties through: the use of uncertainty factors and modifying factors in the derivation of RfDs for assessing noncarcinogenic effects; and the method of calculating the 95 percent UCL value from the linearized multistage model to derive low-dose SFs for assessing cancer risks. This approach ensures that the potential toxicity of a chemical to humans is unlikely to be underestimated; however, actual toxicity may be substantially overestimated as a result. There is significant uncertainty in how to address risks from mutagenic compounds.

The use of adjusted oral toxicity values to evaluate dermal risks is an additional source of uncertainty to the dermal risk estimates because the biokinetics (uptake, distribution, metabolism, and elimination) from dermal exposure may be different from ingestion.

In the absence of information to the contrary, EPA guidelines indicate that carcinogenic risks should be treated as additive and that HIs for similar noncarcinogenic effects should also be treated as additive. The assumption of risk additivity ignores possible synergisms or antagonisms among different chemicals, which would increase or decrease their toxic effects and could tend to underestimate or overestimate total site risks.

No toxicity data were available for 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether. Not quantitatively evaluating 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether may slightly underestimate potential hazards at the site. In some instances, toxicity data for surrogate compounds were used, which may over- or underestimate the toxicity of the compound.

**6.2.6.5 Risk Characterization Uncertainties**

As explained earlier, intentionally conservative, health-protective assumptions are used throughout the risk assessment process so that the true risk is unlikely to be underestimated. The cumulative effect of this approach could be to substantially overestimate the true risk at the site.

The IEUBK model was not specifically designed to account for lead in locally caught food, especially at consumption rates consistent with a subsistence level. The model was adjusted to account for this exposure pathway, but uncertainty in the adjustments may over- or underestimate the risk at the site.

Risks were assessed based on whole food concentrations; impact on chemical intake based on food preparation, or on an “as consumed” level, was not considered. Food preparation methods could have an impact on chemical concentrations, which could result in an over- or underestimation of risks.

As discussed in Section 6.2.6.1, characterization of background concentrations of metals at mine sites is important because mines are developed in naturally mineralized areas. The characterization of risk and hazards at this site included levels of some metals that may be naturally occurring. The attribution of the background risk, based on the assessment of background concentration from Section 4.1, is discussed in Section 6.2.5.4. In addition, it appears that the available soil samples for background characterization are not representative of actual background geological conditions. As a result of the difficulties in characterizing representative background soil conditions at the RDM site with the available data, the contribution of background to risk at the site is likely underestimated, and the overall risk and hazard based on site-related COPCs and concentrations is likely overestimated.

Red Devil Creek is a first order stream containing less than 2200 meters of stream that drain a 289-hectare (HA) watershed. Red Devil Creek was the smallest stream sampled in terms of stream discharge, basin area, and stream length. Red Devil Creek primarily flows northerly and is located upriver from the community of Red Devil.

Telemetric studies on burbot and northern pike show that movements can be highly variable and difficult to predict for a given river system. In a system comparable to the Holitna River, 70 northern pike were radio-tagged in the lower 40 kilometers (km) of the Nowitna River, which is a major tributary to the Yukon River. The lower 40 km is excellent feeding and spawning habitat because it is dominated by large sloughs. For overwintering, all the northern pike vacated the lower river; approximately half of these fish migrated to the mainstem Yukon River to overwinter for approximately 6 months, whereas the other half traveled up to 160 km upstream to riffle-pool sections of the Nowitna River, where higher dissolved oxygen concentration were likely present. Additional telemetry data and results will assist in determining site contribution of mercury levels in fish (Varner 2012).

## 6.3 Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment

### 6.3.1 Introduction

This section presents the BERA for the RDM site. The purpose of the BERA is to determine whether or not residual contamination from historical mining activities poses risks to ecological receptors at the site. The results of the BERA will be used to determine whether or not remedial measures may be necessary in order to protect the natural environment and, if so, aid in the selection of appropriate remedial goals. The BERA is consistent with federal and state ecological risk assessment guidance documents including:

- *Ecological Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund (ERAGS): Process for Designing and Conducting Ecological Risk Assessments* (EPA 1997).
- *Guidelines for Ecological Risk Assessment* (EPA 1998).
- *Wildlife Exposure Factors Handbook* (EPA 1993).
- *Guidance for Developing Ecological Soil Screening Levels* (EPA 2005a).
- *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual* (ADEC 2011).

In addition to the state and federal guidance documents noted above, this assessment also used publications from Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL) and articles from the peer-reviewed literature, as appropriate.

The remainder of this section is organized as follows:

- Section 6.3.2 describes the RDM site and its ecological resources.
- Section 6.3.3 presents a summary of the SLERA for the RDM site (ERAGS Steps 1 and 2).
- Section 6.3.4 presents a problem formulation for the BERA (ERAGS Step 3).
- Section 6.3.5 describes the study design for the field efforts used to collect data for the BERA (ERAGS Steps 4 and 5).
- Section 6.3.6 presents the exposure assessment and risk characterization for the assessment endpoints evaluated in the BERA, including terrestrial plants, soil invertebrates, benthic macroinvertebrates, fish and other aquatic organisms exposed to surface water, and wildlife (ERAGS Steps 6 and 7a).
- Section 6.3.7 discusses sources of uncertainty in the BERA (ERAGS Step 7b).
- Section 6.3.8 presents preliminary clean-up levels for key risk drivers (ERAGS Step 8).
- Section 6.3.9 provides a summary and recommendations.

### 6.3.2 Site Location and Ecology

This section focuses on the habitats and ecological characteristics of the site that are pertinent to the BERA. The information provided below is based on earlier

site reports (HLA/Wilder 2001) and observations made by E & E and BLM personnel during field activities at the site (BLM 2010; E & E 2010a).

### 6.3.2.1 Site Overview

The RDM site is an abandoned mercury mine and ore processing site on the south bank of the Kuskokwim River in a remote area of Alaska, approximately 250 air miles west of Anchorage, Alaska (see Figure 1-1). The site is located on public land managed by the BLM and for the purposes of the BERA consists of four main areas: Surface Mined Area, Main Processing Area, Red Devil Creek Area, and Kuskokwim River Area (see Figure 1-2). Significant mine area surface features, lithologic units, and soil types are shown on Figures 1-5, 1-7, and 3-1, respectively. A detailed description of the site and its operational history is provided in Section 1.4.

### 6.3.2.2 Climate

The RDM site is located in the upper Kuskokwim River Basin and lies in a climatic transition between the continental zone of Alaska's interior and the maritime zone of the coastal regions. Average temperatures can vary from  $-7$  to  $65$  °F ( $-22$  to  $18$  °C). Annual snowfall averages 56 inches (142 cm), with a total mean annual precipitation of 18.8 inches (48 cm). The Kuskokwim River is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### 6.3.2.3 Vegetation

The vegetation around the RDM site is characterized by spruce-poplar forests and upland spruce-hardwood forests. During the 2010 sampling season, vegetation characteristics were recorded at surface soil sample locations. Observations documented include the percent cover of vegetation in each of three layers or strata: (1) trees (woody vegetation with diameter at breast height [DBH]  $> 3$  inches and over 15 feet tall); (2) samplings/shrubs (woody vegetation with DBH  $< 3$  inches); and (3) herbs (non-woody vegetation). Trees observed included Sitka alder (*Alnus sinuata*), black cottonwood (*Populus trichocarpa* Torr. & Gray), quaking aspen (*Populus tremuloides*), and willow (*Salix* sp.). Saplings and shrubs observed included Sitka alder, black cottonwood, and willow. The dominant species in the herb strata included horsetail (*Equisetum* sp.), various grasses (*Poa* sp. and other unidentified species), ferns (*Athyrium* sp.), various weedy plants (e.g., *Epilobium* sp.), and moss.

Vegetative cover in the Main Processing Areas was limited, often consisting of only moss and occasional patches of grass. Cover in this area ranged widely, from 0 to 90 %, represented almost entirely by moss. If moss were removed from this category, vegetative cover would likely be less than 10%. These areas offer limited soils and were heavily compacted in locations subjected to vehicular travel; a majority of the surface material consisted of rock. On the perimeter of the disturbed areas, such as around the processing areas, on the sides of the roads, and along the slopes leading to the creek, saplings were more common, making up 15 to 100 % of vegetative cover. Sitka alder and black cottonwood were the prevalent species occurring in these areas. In areas that showed no sign of disturbance

in recent years, vegetation cover was dominated by trees (between 10 and 75 %) and saplings (between 20 and 100%).

The area of Red Devil Creek north of the Main Processing Area, between the two roads, and in the vicinity of Settling Ponds #2 and #3, was dominated by Sitka alder and black cottonwood trees and saplings with ferns, grasses, and horsetail in the lower strata. Settling Pond #1 was dominated by horsetails.

In general, the disturbed Surface Mined Area of the RDM site had a thick growth of saplings and trees with moderate understory coverage. Vegetation in the upper strata consisted largely of Sitka alder saplings and trees with black cottonwood and occasional quaking aspen trees. The herb layer in this area was dominated by ferns, grasses, and weedy plants. The vegetation in the Dolly Sluice and Rice Sluice areas was similar in nature, and neither appeared to have any stressed vegetation. The vegetation did not consist of any large alder trees in the channel area of either sluice.

#### **6.3.2.4 Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Biota**

##### **Red Devil Creek**

Red Devil Creek runs through the middle of the Main Processing Area and discharges to the Kuskokwim River. A historical bridge, now collapsed, crossed the creek and connected the two sides of the Main Processing Area. In the vicinity of the former bridge location, large piles of tailings and/or waste rock make up the creek banks. The creek contains some metal and other debris, likely from past mining activities.

During field work in fall 2010, water depth in the creek varied from 3 to 12 inches at locations where surface water and sediment were sampled in fall 2010. Current velocity appeared to decrease upstream of the Main Processing Area, and pool/riffle structure was more frequently observed in addition to woody material. Stream discharge was measured on August 18, 2011, at locations along Red Devil Creek collocated with sediment and surface sampling stations. Estimated discharge rates showed a general increase from 5.52 cubic feet/second near the upstream end of the Main Processing Area (station RD10) to 7.19 cubic feet/second at the confluence with the Kuskokwim River. Further discussion of discharge is provided in Section 3.3.1. In 2010, BLM staff collected fish from Red Devil Creek for contaminant analysis (BLM 2010). Slimy sculpin (*Cottus cognatus*, 6 to 9 cm in length), juvenile Dolly Varden (11 to 17 cm in length), and juvenile salmon (8 to 11 cm in length) were collected for analysis. No large game fish were found by the BLM in Red Devil Creek, likely due to the creek's shallow depth and narrow width. Also in 2010, BLM collected composite samples of two different mayfly genera—*Baetis* spp. and *Cinygmula* spp.—from the creek. *Baetis* spp. and *Cinygmula* spp. are small mayfly species, requiring the BLM to include several hundred individual organisms in each 1-gram composite sample. In fall 2010, the E & E field team that collected sediment from the creek reported seeing numerous small benthic invertebrates and their casings on the undersides of rocks throughout the creek. The small benthic invertebrates observed by the E & E field



team likely were mayfly larvae. The E & E field team also observed other benthic invertebrates, including midge (Family Chironomidae) and crane fly (Family Tipulidae) larvae, during sediment sampling. Lastly, the E & E field team reported that moss and brown algae were present in the creek and generally appeared to trend toward increased coverage as sample locations progressed upstream from the Kuskokwim River, but that moss and algae were not present at all sample locations.

### **Kuskokwim River**

The Kuskokwim River is a major anadromous fish river (HLA/Wilder 2001). Fish found in the river in the vicinity of RDM site include whitefish (*Coregonus sp.*), Arctic grayling (*Thymallus arcticus*), sheefish (*Stenodus leucichthys nelma*), Dolly Varden (*Salvelinus malma*), burbot (*Lota lota*) and northern pike (*Esox lucius*), as well as chinook (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*), sockeye (*O. nerka*), coho (*O. kisutch*), and chum salmon (*O. keta*) (HLA/Wilder 2001; BLM 2010). Additional information on the Kuskokwim River is provided in Section 3.3.2.

#### **6.3.2.5 Mammals**

Moose (*Alces alces*), wolves (*Canis lupis*), black bears (*Ursus americanus*), brown bears *Ursus arctos*, lynx (*Lynx canadensis*), martens (*Martes spp.*), foxes (*Vulpes vulpes*), beavers *Castor canadensis*, minks (*Neovision vison*), muskrats (*Ondatra zibenthicus*), otters (*Lutra canadensis*), and various small rodents are known to occur in the area (HSA/Wilder 2001). During field activities in September 2010, three river otters (*Lontra canadensis*) were observed in the Kuskokwim River near the mouth of Red Devil Creek. In addition, moose and bear (*Ursus sp.*) tracks were observed near the upper pond and bear tracks were also observed near the mouth of Red Devil Creek.

#### **6.3.2.6 Birds**

The upper Kuskowkim River is a low density waterfowl area (HLA/Wilder 2001). Nonetheless, according to ADEC staff, there have been reports of waterfowl (species not specified) using the settling ponds near the Main Processing Area. Songbird species that migrate through the area include the olive-sided flycatcher (*Contopus cooperi*), gray-cheeked thrush (*Catharus minimus*), Townsend's warbler (*Dendroica townsendi*), blackpoll warbler (*D. striata*), and Hudsonian godwit (*Limosa haemastica*) (HLA/Wilder 2001). A raptor survey done on the Kuskokwim River in July 2000 found an active peregrine falcon (*Falco peregrinus*) nest seven miles downstream from the RDM, on rock cliffs on the north side of the river (BLM 2001). Finally, during field work in September 2010, many spruce grouse (*Dendragapus canadensis*) were observed on and near the RDM site, and an osprey (*Pandion haliaetus*) was observed foraging in the Kuskokwim River near the site.



### 6.3.2.7 Special Concern Species

#### Federally Listed Species

The United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS 2011) lists four species as being either endangered, threatened, or candidate species for Bethel County, Alaska. These species are:

- Short-tailed albatross (*Phoebastria albatrus*), federally listed endangered
- Spectacled eider (*Somateria fischeri*), federally listed threatened
- Steller's eider (*Polysticta stelleri*), federally listed threatened
- Kittlitz's murrelet (*Brachyramphus brevirostris*), federal candidate species.

Given their habitat preferences, none of these species are likely to occur at the RDM site. The short-tailed albatross is a sea bird that is sighted occasionally along the west coast of Alaska. The two eider species breed on wet low-lying tundra along the north and west coasts of Alaska (Kaufman 1996). In other seasons, the spectacled eider and Steller's eider occur along the coast, where they forage by diving, mostly for mollusks. Kittlitz's murrelet is found along the Alaska coastline, being common mainly from Kodiak Island east to Glacier Bay (Kaufman 1996). It prefers cold sea waters, mostly in calm protected bays and among islands, usually close to shore.

#### State Listed Species

The Alaska Natural Heritage Program was contacted for current information on plant and animal species of concern in the vicinity of the RDM site. When available, the information provided by the Alaska Natural Heritage Program will be added to the BERA.

### 6.3.3 Summary of Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment and Decision to Proceed with Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment (ERAGS Steps 1 and 2)

A draft SLERA for the RDM site was submitted to the EPA and ADEC in mid-January 2012. The draft SLERA was revised based on agency comments and is included in this report as Appendix F. Also included in Appendix F are responses to agency comments.

The SLERA was conducted in accordance with the EPA Ecological Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund (ERAGS) and State of Alaska ecological risk assessment guidance. A full set of ecologically relevant assessment endpoints were evaluated, including: terrestrial-plant community, soil-invertebrate community, benthic-macroinvertebrate community, fish and other aquatic biota in Red Devil Creek, terrestrial wildlife, and aquatic-dependent wildlife. Potential risks to communities of terrestrial plants, soil invertebrates, benthic macroinvertebrates, and fish and other aquatic biota were evaluated by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in surface soil, sediment, surface water, and whole-body sculpin samples with conservative screening levels for these media. Media screen-

ing levels were taken from the final RAWP for the RDM site, except those for fish tissue and a second water quality criterion for mercury, which were added to the revised SLERA based on EPA comments. Potential risks to terrestrial and aquatic-dependent wildlife were evaluated by calculating screening-level exposure estimates and HQs as per EPA guidance. The 11 wildlife endpoint species identified in the final RAWP were included in the evaluation. These species are: American robin, masked shrew, spruce grouse, tundra vole, northern shrike, least weasel, common snipe, beaver, green-winged teal, belted kingfisher, and mink. Exposure parameters and toxicity reference values were taken from the final RAWP. The wildlife evaluation was based on maximum measured chemical concentrations in site surface soil, sediment, surface water, vegetation, and fish and benthic macroinvertebrates from Red Devil Creek. Conservative modeling approaches were used to estimate chemical concentrations in the prey of terrestrial predatory wildlife species (robin, shrew, weasel, and mink).

The primary purpose of the SLERA was to select COPCs for the BERA for the Red Devil Mine site. Table 6-35 provides a summary of the chemical and receptor combinations that were evaluated in the BERA based on the SLERA. For each assessment endpoint, chemicals were retained for evaluation in the BERA if the screening-level HQ was greater than or equal to 1 or if the chemical was detected in site media and no toxicity information was available for that chemical. The latter group of chemicals included several organic compounds that were detected infrequently at low (part per billion) levels in soil or sediment (see Table 6-35).

Based on discussions between E & E and the BLM regarding the results of the SLERA, the BLM directed E & E to perform a BERA for the site.

### **6.3.4 Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment Problem Formulation**

Problem formulation is the first step in the risk assessment process. It identifies the goals, breadth, and focus of the assessment (EPA 1997, 1998). The problem formulation step identifies COPCs, potential ecological receptors, and potential exposure pathways. A CSM is then developed to summarize the relationship between COPCs and receptors. Lastly, assessment endpoints and measures are developed to guide the remaining steps of the risk assessment process. The BERA problem formulation and CSM for the RDM site are presented in this section. Also identified in this section are the data used to complete the BERA.

#### **6.3.4.1 Contaminant Sources and Migration Pathways**

The RDM was Alaska's largest mercury mine, producing 1.2 million kg (2.73 million pounds) of mercury between 1933 and 1971 (Bailey et al. 2002). Cinnabar and stibnite are the principal metallic minerals associated with the mineralized zone targeted by mining, with minor amounts of realgar, orpiment, and pyrite (FeS<sub>2</sub>) also locally present. High-grade ore contained as much as 30% mercury by weight, but most ore contained 2% to 5%. Several hundred meters of trenches, where surface mining took place, are present on the site. In addition, accumulations of tailings, waste rock, and flotation tailings are located on the site, and several of these lie along Red Devil Creek. During a site investigation by the U (Bailey et al. 2002), abundant cinnabar, lesser amounts of stibnite, and a few beads of

liquid mercury were visible in Red Devil Creek. Additional information on the RDM site and previous site investigations is provided in Chapter 1.

Contaminated soil, tailings, waste rock, flotation tailings, and other wastes from the RDM have been exposed at the surface for decades. Mercury and other metals in these wastes were subject to transport by water and wind to Red Devil Creek, the Kuskokwim River, groundwater beneath the site, and surrounding terrestrial areas. In addition, liquid mercury at the site was subject to volatilization to the atmosphere. Chapters 4 and 5 discuss the nature and extent of contamination and contaminant fate and transport in detail based on soil, sediment, surface water, and groundwater data collected in 2010 and 2011. Particular attention is given to arsenic, antimony, and mercury because they are the principal contaminants at the site. Elevated levels of arsenic, antimony, and mercury were found across the site in surface and subsurface soil. The greatest concentrations were found in the Pre-1955 and Post-1955 Main Processing Areas that are situated on either side of Red Devil Creek. Elevated levels of these elements also were found in sediment and surface water in Red Devil Creek near and downstream from the Main Processing Area and in the Kuskokwim River near the point of entry of the creek into the river. Details can be found in the Chapters 4 and 5.

#### **6.3.4.2 Contaminants of Potential Concern and Refinement of COPC List**

The SLERA identified antimony, arsenic, and mercury as the principal COPCs at the RDM site based on the magnitude of the HQs for these elements and their widespread distribution at high levels across the site (see Table 6-35). The other metals identified as COPCs in Table 6-35 appear to be of lesser concern. Nonetheless, to conclusively demonstrate so, all metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA were carried forward into the BERA.

Low molecular weight polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (LPAHs) and several SVOCs were identified as COPCs in the SLERA for some receptors because they were detected in surface soil or sediment, but no toxicity data were available to quantitatively evaluate them (see Table 6-35). However, for the following reasons, it seems unlikely that these chemicals are of concern at the site:

- They were detected infrequently at low (part per billion) concentrations (see SLERA Tables 4-1 and 4-2); or
- They are not suspected of being from historical mining or ore-processing and appear to be related to other sources, such as the surgical gloves used during sample handling, laboratory sample processing, long-range atmospheric transport and deposition, and/or organic matter decomposition.

Hence, these chemicals are not addressed further in the BERA.

#### **6.3.4.3 Ecological Receptors**

Based on the site ecology, the following ecological receptor groups have the potential to be affected by site-related contaminants at the RDM site:

- Terrestrial plants and invertebrates.
- Mammals and birds that use the mine site, Red Devil Creek, and Kuskokwim River near the site to satisfy their food and habitat needs.
- Aquatic biota (e.g., amphibians, benthos, and fish) in Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River.

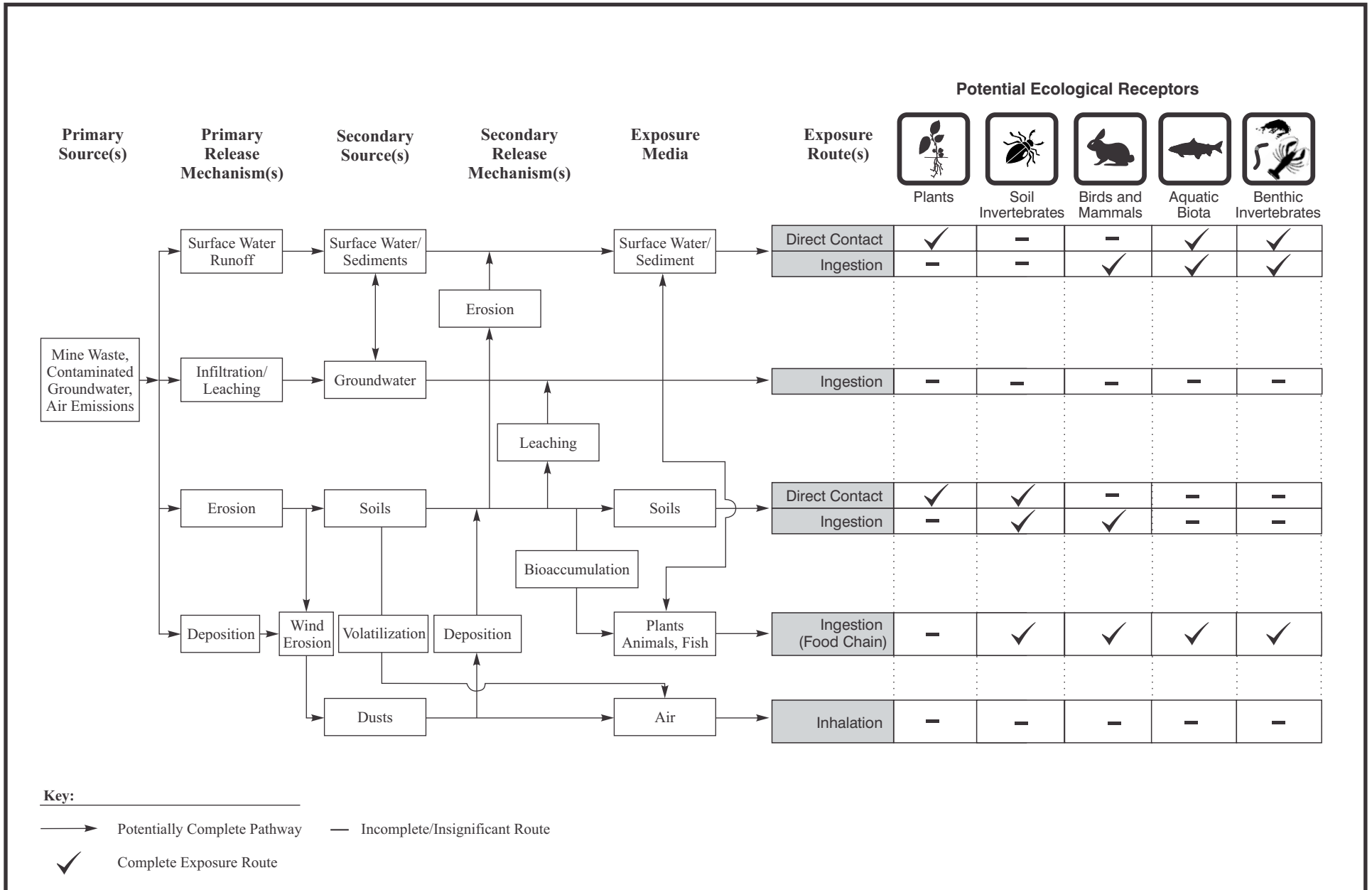
#### **6.3.4.4 Ecological Conceptual Site Model**

The ecological CSM used in the revised SLERA is considered complete. Figure 6-6 provides the ecological CSM for the BERA featuring the receptor groups identified in the previous section and that were initially evaluated in the SLERA. Terrestrial plants may be exposed to site-related chemicals by direct contact with contaminated soils, tailings/waste rock, flotation tailings, and overburden. Terrestrial invertebrates may be exposed to site-related contaminants through direct contact with contaminated soils, tailings/waste rock, flotation tailings, and overburden; ingestion of contaminated soils, tailings/waste rock, flotation tailings, and overburden; and through the food chain. Birds and mammals may be exposed to site-related chemicals through incidental ingestion of soil/sediment, tailings/waste rock, flotation tailings, and overburden; consumption of contaminated prey; and ingestion of contaminated surface water. It should be noted, however, that surface water ingestion typically accounts for only a small fraction (less than 1%) of total exposure for wildlife and therefore is considered a minor pathway. Dermal exposure of wildlife to site-related chemicals is expected to be negligible due to the protection provided by their external coverings (heavy fur and feathers). Fish and benthic invertebrates in Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River may be exposed to site-related chemicals through direct contact with and ingestion of contaminated sediment and surface water and through the food chain.

#### **6.3.4.5 Assessment Endpoints, Measures, and Associated Risk Questions**

Assessment endpoints are expressions of the ecological resources that are to be protected (EPA 1997). An assessment endpoint consists of an ecological entity and a characteristic of the entity that is important to protect. According to the EPA (1998), assessment endpoints do not represent a desired achievement or goal and should not contain words such as “protect” or “restore,” or indicate a direction for change such as loss or increase. Assessment endpoints are distinguished from management goals by their neutrality (EPA 1998).

Measurements used to evaluate risks to the assessment endpoints are termed “measures” and may include measures of effect, measures of exposure, and/or measures of ecosystem or receptor characteristics (EPA 1998). Based on the site ecology, COPCs, and CSM, the ecological resources potentially at risk at the RDM site include terrestrial vegetation and invertebrates, mammals, birds, and aquatic biota (fish, amphibians, benthos, and other aquatic organisms). The assessment endpoints and measures for the BERA are listed in Table 6-36.



### **6.3.5 Study Design (ERAGS Steps 4 and 5)**

The study design and data quality objectives for collection and analysis of soil, sediment, surface water, vegetation, fish, and benthic invertebrates from the site are included in the following planning documents:

- 2010 RI/FS Work Plan (E & E 2010b).
- 2011 RI/FS Work Plan (E & E 2011).
- Addendum to 2011 RI/FS Work Plan to support vegetation sampling at the RDM site.
- Addendum to 2011 RI/FS Work Plan to support off-shore sediment sampling in the Kuskokwim River.
- Final Operations Plan (BLM 2010) for collection of fish and benthic macroinvertebrates from Red Devil Creek, nearby reference creeks, and the middle Kuskokwim River.

These planning documents were reviewed by the ADEC and EPA and revised as appropriate based on agency comments. The sampling and analysis described in these documents provided the data used in the BERA.

### **6.3.6 Analysis of Ecological Exposures and Risk Characterization (ERAGS Steps 6 and 7)**

Analysis of ecological exposures and risk characterization is discussed under seven main headings: (1) Data Used in the BERA; (2) Terrestrial Vegetation Community; (3) Soil Invertebrate Community; (4) Benthic Macroinvertebrate Community; (5) Aquatic Biota Exposed to Surface Water; (6) Fish Community; and (7) Wildlife. A primary objective of this section is to further evaluate the COPCs identified in the SLERA to arrive at a reduced list of chemicals of concern (COCs) for ecological receptors at the site. The COCs thus identified may become the focus of risk management actions.

#### **6.3.6.1 Data Used in the BERA**

The BERA is based on chemical data for surface soil (0 to 2 feet bgs), sediment (0 to 4 inches below the sediment surface), surface water, and vegetation samples collected from the RDM site in 2010 and 2011 for the RI/FS. Full analytical results are presented earlier in this report for surface soil (Tables 4-17 to 4-23), surface water (Table 4-31), sediment (Tables 4-32 and 4-33), and vegetation (Table 4-34 to 4-37). Summaries of these data are included in this chapter as appropriate. In addition, metals data for sculpin and benthic macroinvertebrates from Red Devil Creek collected by the BLM (2010) were used to help evaluate potential risks to aquatic-dependent wildlife. These data were provided to E & E in electronic form in April 2011; no report presenting these data is presently available.

Section 2 of this RI report includes sample locations maps for surface soil (Figures 2-3 and 2-4), surface water (Figure 2-8), sediment (Figures 2-9 to 2-11), and vegetation (Figure 2-12). Section 2 also identifies the analyses performed for surface soil (Table 2-2), surface water (Table 2-6), sediment (Tables 2-7 to 2-9), and vegetation (Table 2-10). Metals, including arsenic, antimony, and mercury, were the principal target analytes in all media. A limited number of soil, sediment, and



surface water samples were analyzed for SVOCs. A limited number of soil samples also were analyzed for PCBs, as Aroclors. However, as noted in Section 6.3.3, no organic contaminants were carried forward into BERA.

Section 6.1 provides a discussion of the usability of the RI data for risk assessment purposes. For analytes that were carried forward into the BERA, EPCs were calculated with the latest version of ProUCL (EPA 2010d). In most cases, the 95% UCL on the average concentration was used as the EPC. If too few samples were available to calculate a 95% UCL, the maximum detected concentration was used as the EPC. Appendix G includes summaries of the ProUCL output. Field duplicate sample results were handled as per ADEC (2008c) guidance.

### **6.3.6.2 Terrestrial Vegetation Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization**

The 13 metals identified in the SLERA as COPCs for the terrestrial plant community (see Section 6.3.3) are evaluated further in this section. COCs for this community were identified by calculating an HQ for each metal based on its surface soil EPC and soil screening level. The results are shown in Table 6-37. The following points are noteworthy:

- The HQs for arsenic, cobalt, manganese, mercury, nickel, and vanadium exceeded 1.
- The greatest HQs were for arsenic (198) and mercury (839), and a large percentage of samples, exceeded the screening levels for these analytes.
- The HQs for manganese (3.4) and vanadium (17.4) at the RDM site, although greater than 1, were less than the background HQs for manganese (3.7) and vanadium (29.2) (see Table 4-2 for surface soil background levels). This result suggests that any potential risk to terrestrial plants from manganese and vanadium at the RDM site are not related to historical mining operations.
- The cobalt HQ (1.4) and nickel HQ (1.4) at the RDM site were only marginally greater than 1. Because of the conservative nature of the available soil screening levels for plants, it seems unlikely that these metals pose an actual risk to terrestrial plants at the RDM site.
- Antimony, barium, and beryllium were identified as COCs for the terrestrial plant community because they were detected in site surface soil, but no reliable screening level was available. Each of these metals was detected in a large percentage of site samples (see Table 6-37), and the site surface soil EPCs exceeded the background levels, especially for antimony (compare Table 6-37 and Table 4-2).

In summary, it appears that arsenic and mercury are the analytes with the greatest potential to adversely affect the terrestrial plant community at the RDM site. Antimony may also be of concern for terrestrial plants, given the factors discussed above.



### 6.3.6.3 Soil Invertebrate Community Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization

The 13 metals identified in the SLERA as COPCs for the soil invertebrate community (see Section 6.3.3) are evaluated further in this section. COCs for this community were identified by calculating an HQ for each metal based on the surface soil EPC and soil screening level. The results are shown in Table 6-37. The following points are noteworthy:

- The HQs for antimony, barium, manganese, and mercury exceeded 1.
- The greatest HQs were for antimony (54) and mercury (2516), and a large percentage of site samples exceeded the screening levels for these analytes.
- The manganese HQ (1.7) at the RDM site is greater than 1; however, the EPC is less than the calculated background concentration (see Table 4-2 for surface soil background levels). This suggests that any potential risk to soil invertebrates from manganese at the RDM site is not related to historical use of the site for mining.
- The barium HQ (1.3) at the RDM site was only marginally greater than 1. Because of the conservative nature of the available soil screening levels for soil invertebrates, it seems unlikely that barium poses an actual risk to soil invertebrates at the RDM site.
- Arsenic, chromium, cobalt, silver, thallium, and vanadium were identified as COCs for the soil invertebrate community because they were detected in site surface soil, but no screening level was available. However, silver and thallium are unlikely to be of concern for the soil-invertebrate community at the site given their very low frequency of detection (two detects in 135 samples for both metals, see Table 6-37). Regarding chromium and vanadium, the surface soil EPCs at the site is the same as or less than the background levels in surface soil (compare Tables 6-37 and Table 4-2). Hence, any potential risks to the soil-invertebrate community at the site from chromium and vanadium are no different than background. Arsenic and cobalt were both detected in a large percentage of site samples (see Table 6-37), and the site surface soil EPCs exceeded the respective background levels, much more so for arsenic than cobalt (compare Tables 6-37 and Table 4-2).

In summary, it appears that antimony and mercury are the analytes with the greatest potential to adversely affect the soil invertebrate community at the RDM site. Arsenic may also be of concern for the soil invertebrate community given the factors discussed above.

### 6.3.6.4 Benthic Macroinvertebrate Community Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization

As noted in Table 6-36, three measures were used to evaluate potential risks to the benthic macroinvertebrate community at the site: (1) comparing sediment chemical concentrations to sediment screening levels; (2) benthic macroinvertebrate community survey in Red Devil Creek (BLM 2010); and (3) comparing chemical

concentrations in surface water with chronic water criteria for protection of freshwater aquatic life.

### **Comparing Sediment Chemical Concentrations with Sediment Screening Levels**

The 15 metals identified in the SLERA as COPCs for the benthic macroinvertebrate community (see Section 6.3.3) are evaluated further in this section. COCs in sediment for this community were identified by calculating an HQ for each metal based on the sediment EPC and sediment screening level. The results are shown in Table 6-38. The following points are noteworthy:

- The HQs for antimony, arsenic, iron, manganese, mercury, and nickel exceeded 1.
- The greatest HQs were for antimony (990), arsenic (696), and mercury (34), and a large percentage of samples exceeded the screening levels for these analytes.
- The HQs for iron (2.4), manganese (2.7), and nickel (1.3) exceeded 1, but not excessively so. Given the generally conservative nature of the sediment screening levels, it seems unlikely that iron, manganese, and nickel pose a genuine threat to benthic macroinvertebrates at the site.
- Barium, beryllium, methylmercury, thallium, and vanadium were identified as COCs for the benthic macroinvertebrate community because they were detected in site sediment samples, but no screening level was available. Regarding vanadium, the sediment EPC at the site is less than the background sediment level (compare Table 6-38 with Tables 4-8 and 4-10). Hence, any potential risks to the benthic macroinvertebrate community at the site from vanadium are no greater than background. Barium, beryllium, methylmercury, and thallium were each detected in a large percentage of site samples and the site sediment EPC exceed the background sediment level (compare Table 6-38 with Tables 4-8 and 4-10).

In summary, based on comparisons with screening levels, it appears that antimony, arsenic, and mercury are the analytes with the greatest potential to adversely affect the benthic macroinvertebrate community at the RDM site. In addition, it is possible that barium, beryllium, methylmercury, and thallium may be COCs for the benthic macroinvertebrate community at the site, given the factors discussed above.

### **Red Devil Creek Benthic Macroinvertebrate Survey**

Preliminary results provided to E & E by the BLM identified no adverse impacts to abundance and diversity of benthic macroinvertebrates in Red Devil Creek compared with nearby reference creeks—Vreeland Creek, Ice Creek, California Creek, Downey Creek, No-Name Creek, Fuller Creek, and McCally Creek (personal communication with M. Varner, BLM, Anchorage, Alaska, 8 February 2012). Indeed, more intolerant taxa were found in Red Devil Creek than in any of the reference creeks sampled. These findings appear to be at odds with the results of the sediment screening level comparisons described above. Possible explanations for the presence of a healthy benthic community in Red Devil Creek despite

high total concentrations of arsenic, antimony, and mercury in sediment include: (1) very little of the total concentrations of arsenic, antimony, and mercury is bio-available and (2) the benthic macroinvertebrate community in Red Devil Creek has adapted to elevated levels of metals in creek sediments over time. A draft benthic community survey report is not yet available from the BLM. If it becomes available, the draft report will be included as an attachment to the final BERA.

### **Comparing Surface Water Chemical Concentrations with Surface Water Standards**

Potential risks to benthic macroinvertebrates from chemicals in surface water are discussed in the following section.

#### **6.3.6.5 Fish and Other Aquatic Biota Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization**

The six metals identified in the SLERA as COPCs for fish, benthic macroinvertebrates, amphibians, and other organisms exposed to surface water (see Section 6.3.3) are evaluated further in this section. COCs for these groups of organisms were identified by calculating a HQ for each metal based on the surface water EPC and chronic water quality criterion. The results are shown in Table 6-39. The following points are noteworthy.

- HQ values for antimony, arsenic, barium, iron, manganese, and mercury exceeded 1.
- Two HQs are presented for arsenic, iron, manganese based on EPCs calculated with and without the two water samples (10RD05SW and 11RD05DW) collected from the spring in the Main Processing Area. Arsenic, iron, and manganese concentrations in water from the spring are considerably greater than in Red Devil Creek and have a significant influence on the magnitude of the EPC for these three elements (see Table 6-39). Arsenic, iron, and manganese are not identified as COCs when the spring samples are omitted from consideration. The spring is located several feet above the creek's water level and to the side of the creek. Hence, the water samples from the spring are not creek surface water samples *per se*. The EPCs for arsenic, iron, and manganese calculated without the spring samples, but which do include creek samples collected at locations downstream of the spring's entry into the creek, may better reflect conditions in Red Devil Creek to which aquatic biota are exposed.
- The second greatest HQ is for barium (10.9); however, there is considerable uncertainty regarding the toxicity of barium to freshwater aquatic life. Suter and Tsao (1996) present a surface water screening level of 4 µg/L for barium (see Table 6-39). In contrast, the EPA (1986b) states that "the soluble barium concentration in fresh or marine water generally would have to exceed 50 mg/L before toxicity to aquatic life would be expected." The difference between 4 µg/L and 50 mg/L is four orders of magnitude.
- The greatest HQ is for mercury; however, as noted in the SLERA, the mercury water quality criterion of 0.012 µg/L from the EPA (1986b) was developed from assumptions that are questionable for most surface water bodies. Specifically, this criterion is a Final Residue Value that was de-

rived from a bioconcentration factor of 81,700 for methylmercury with the fathead minnow and thus assumes that all mercury is present as methylmercury. Use of this criterion as a screening level for total mercury is highly conservative given that only a small fraction of total mercury in surface water is present as methylmercury (see Table 4-31).

In summary, six metals (antimony, arsenic, barium, iron, manganese, and mercury) were identified as COCs for fish and other aquatic organisms exposed to surface water in Red Devil Creek; however, it seems likely that the actual number of COCs is less than six given the factors discussed above.

#### **6.3.6.6 Fish Community Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization**

The 10 metals identified in the SLERA as COCs for the fish community based on chemical residues in sculpin whole-body samples (see Section 6.3.3) are evaluated further in this section. COCs for the fish community were identified by calculating an HQ for each metal based on the whole-body sculpin EPC and fish tissue screening level. The results are shown in Table -40. The following points are noteworthy.

- The HQs for arsenic, mercury, methylmercury, and selenium exceeded 1.
- The greatest HQs were for arsenic (6.7) and mercury (4.7).
- Regarding selenium, the whole-body sculpin EPC at the site (1.9 mg/kg) lies within the concentration range for selenium in sculpin from nearby reference creeks. For example, in Vreeland Creek, for samples collected in June 2010, the observed range for selenium in whole-body sculpin samples was 0.84 to 2.5 mg/kg (personal communication with M. Varner, BLM, Anchorage, Alaska, 13 April 2011). Hence, any potential risk to fish in Red Devil Creek from selenium is little different than background.
- Antimony, barium, manganese, and vanadium were identified as COCs for fish because no fish tissue screening levels were identified for these analytes. However, the whole-body sculpin EPCs for barium (3.8 mg/kg), manganese (12.5 mg/kg), and vanadium (0.22 mg/kg) at Red Devil Creek lie with the concentration ranges for these metals observed in sculpin samples from nearby reference creeks. For example, in Vreeland Creek for samples collected in June 2010, the observed ranges for whole-body sculpin samples were 2.4 to 7.3 mg/kg for barium; 6.6 to 16.2 mg/kg for manganese; and 0.08 to 0.28 mg/kg for vanadium (personal communication with M. Varner, BLM, Anchorage, Alaska, 13 April 2011).

In summary, it appears that arsenic, mercury, and methylmercury are the analytes with the greatest potential to adversely affect fish in Red Devil Creek. Antimony

may also be of concern for fish in Red Devil Creek given the factors discussed above.

### **6.3.6.7 Wildlife Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization**

A total of 17 metals were identified in the SLERA as COPCs for wildlife; up to 13 metals were identified as COPCs for any given species evaluated. These metals are further evaluated in this section. The wildlife risk evaluation was performed in accordance with state, federal, and other available guidance for ecological risk assessment, including ADEC (2011), EPA (1997, 1998), and Sample et al. (1996). The evaluation consists of three parts: (1) exposure assessment, (2) ecological effects assessment, and (3) risk characterization. The exposure assessment estimates wildlife exposure to site-related chemicals using measured concentrations of chemicals in environmental media and exposure parameters for the chosen receptor species. The ecological effects assessment summarizes the potential toxic effects of site-related chemicals on wildlife by establishing a toxicity reference value for each chemical for each receptor. The risk characterization combines the results of the exposure and ecological effects assessments to provide an estimate of risk to wildlife at the site.

#### **6.3.6.7.1 Wildlife Exposure Assessment**

This section describes the data, receptors, and methods used to derive EPCs and exposure estimates for wildlife at the RDM site.

#### **Datasets Used to Calculate Exposure Estimates**

Analytical data for surface soil, sediment, surface water, and vegetation samples collected from the RDM site in 2010 and 2011 were used to calculate EPCs for these media. Full analytical results are presented earlier in this report for surface soil (Tables 4-17 to 4-23), surface water (Table 4-31), sediment (Tables 4-32 and 4-33), and vegetation (Table 4-34 to 4-37). A summary of the vegetation data is provided in Table 6-41. Also, metals data for benthic-macroinvertebrate and slimy-sculpin samples from Red Devil Creek collected by BLM in 2010 were used to evaluate exposures to aquatic-dependent wildlife; summaries of these data are provided in Table 6-42 and 6-43, respectively. Full analytical results for the fish and benthic macroinvertebrate samples were distributed by BLM in electronic form to E & E and other interested parties in April 2011; these data are not available in their entirety from the BLM in report form.

#### **Exposure Scenarios and Pathways**

Exposure estimates were calculated for the 11 wildlife receptors identified in the final RAWP and Table 6-36. These species are:

##### Herbivores:

- Spruce grouse (*Dendragapus canadensis*)
- Tundra vole (*Microtus oeconomus*)
- Beaver (*Castor canadensis*)
- Green-winged teal (*Anus crecca*)

##### Invertivores

- Common snipe (*Gallinago gallinag*)
- American robin (*Turdus migratorius*)
- Masked shrew (*Sorex cinereus*)

#### Carnivores

- Northern shrike (*Lanius excubitor*)
- Least weasel (*Mustela nivalis*)

#### Piscivores:

- Belted kingfisher (*Ceryle alcyon*)
- Mink (*Mustela vison*)

For these species, chemical exposure from diet, incidental ingestion of soil and/or sediment, and drinking was estimated. Exposure parameters for these wildlife species were taken from the final RAWP and are presented in Table 6-44.

### Exposure Point Concentrations

For most receptors, site-specific chemical concentrations in surface soil, sediment, surface water, and biota were used to calculate EPCs for these media (see Table 6-45). As described in Section 6.3.6.1, the UCL on the average concentration was used as the EPC, unless sample size was highly limited, in which case the maximum detected concentration was used as the EPC. Details are provided in Appendix G.

For terrestrial wildlife species that prey on soil invertebrates (e.g., earthworms) and small mammals, literature-based models were used to estimate chemical concentrations in prey. Surface soil EPCs were used as input to the models. EPCs for the 11 wildlife species evaluated in the BERA are presented in Tables 6-46 to 6-51. The models used to estimate chemical concentrations in earthworms and small mammals are provided in Tables 6-46 and 6-49.

### Wildlife Exposure Calculations

Chemical exposure for wildlife was calculated as the sum of exposures from diet, incidental soil/sediment ingestion, and drinking. Dietary exposure was calculated using the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{diet}} = [(C_1 \times F_1) + (C_2 \times F_2) + \dots (C_n \times F_n)] \times \text{SUF} \times \text{ED} \times \text{IR} / \text{BW}$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{diet}}$	=	Estimated exposure from diet (mg/kg-day)
$C_n$	=	Chemical concentration in food item $n$ (mg/kg, wet or dry weight)
$F_n$	=	Fraction of diet represented by food item $n$
SUF	=	Site use factor (unitless)
ED	=	Exposure duration (unitless)
IR	=	Ingestion rate of receptor (kg, wet or dry weight/day)
BW	=	Body weight of receptor (kg)



Food ingestion rates and body weights were taken from EPA (1993), Dunning (1993), or other credible references (see Table 6-44). The diet of each receptor was assumed to consist exclusively of its preferred prey (see Table 6.-44). For example, the diets of the American robin and marked shrew were assumed to consist entirely of soil invertebrates (e.g., earthworms). A wet food ingestion rate was used for the common snipe, kingfisher, and mink because chemical concentration data for benthic invertebrates and fish (sculpin) were provided on a wet weight basis. A dry food ingestion rate was used for all other receptors because site-specific data on chemical concentrations in their preferred food were provided on a dry weight basis (spruce needles, blueberry leaves, alder back, and pond vegetation) or because the models used to estimate chemical concentration in their preferred food yielded a dry weigh concentration (earthworms and small mammals).

The SUF indicates the portion (fraction) of an animal's home range represented by the site. If the home range is larger than the site, the SUF equals the site area divided by the home range area. If the site area is greater than or equal to the home range, the SUF equals 1. For all wildlife receptors except the green-winged teal, an SUF of 1 was deemed applicable given the size of the site relative to the home range size (see Table 6-44). For the teal, the SUF was set equal to 0.004. This value was determined by dividing the settling pond surface area (1 ha assumed) by the teal home range size (243 ha).

ED is the fraction of the year spent in the site area by the receptor species. The robin, shrike, snipe, teal, and kingfisher are migratory and were assumed to be present at the site for four months. An ED value of 0.33 (4/12) was used for these receptors (see Table 6-44). The other receptors evaluated were assumed to be present at the site year-round (ED = 1).

Home-range size, IR, diet composition, and BW for the wildlife species being evaluated, were taken from the EPA (1993), Dunning (1993), Kaufman (1996), or other credible references (see Table 6-44).

Wildlife exposure to chemicals through incidental soil/sediment ingestion was estimated in a manner similar to that used for dietary exposure, as shown in the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{soil/sed}} = (C_s \times IR_s \times \text{SUF} \times \text{ED})/\text{BW}$$

Where:

- $EE_{\text{soil/sed}}$  = Estimated exposure from incidental soil/sediment ingestion (mg/kg-day)
- $C_s$  = Chemical concentration in soil/sediment (mg/kg, dry weight)
- $IR_s$  = Soil/sediment ingestion rate of receptor (kg, dry weight/day)



SUF, ED, and BW are as defined above.

Soil/sediment ingestion rates were taken from the literature (Beyer et al. 1994, 2008; Sample et al. 1997; Sample and Suter 1994); or based on professional judgment (if a literature value could not be found) (see Table 6-44).

Wildlife exposure to chemicals through drinking was estimated in a manner similar to that used for dietary exposure, as shown in the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{drinking}} = (C_w \times IR_w \times SUF \times ED) / BW$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{drinking}}$	=	Estimated exposure from drinking surface water (mg/kg-day)
$C_w$	=	Chemical concentration in surface water (mg/L)
$IR_s$	=	Surface water ingestion rate (L/day)

SUF, ED, and BW are as defined above.

Surface water ingestion rates were taken from the literature or calculated using allometric relationships from Sample et al. (1996). The values are provided in Table 6-44.

The total exposure for a receptor was calculated as the sum of the exposure from diet, incidental soil/sediment ingestion, and drinking as represented by the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{total}} = EE_{\text{diet}} + EE_{\text{soil/sed}} + EE_{\text{drinking}}$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{total}}$	=	Total exposure (mg/kg-day)
$EE_{\text{diet}}$	=	Estimated exposure from diet (mg/kg-day)
$EE_{\text{soil/sed}}$	=	Estimated exposure from incidental soil/sediment ingestion (mg/kg-day)
$EE_{\text{drinking}}$	=	Estimated exposure from surface water consumption (mg/kg-day)

### 6.3.6.7.2 Wildlife Ecological Effects Assessment

Mammalian and avian NOAELs and LOAELs were taken from the peer-reviewed literature. The values and sources are provided in Table 6-52.

### 6.3.6.7.3 Wildlife Risk Characterization

#### Risk Calculation Methodology

The potential risks posed by site-related chemicals were determined by calculating an HQ for each contaminant for each wildlife endpoint species. The HQ was determined by dividing the total exposure ( $EE_{\text{total}}$ ) by the NOAEL or LOAEL, as shown in the following equations:

$$\text{HQ-NOAEL} = \text{EE}_{\text{total}}/\text{NOAEL}$$

$$\text{HQ-LOAEL} = \text{EE}_{\text{total}}/\text{LOAEL}$$

For a given receptor and chemical, an HQ-NOAEL greater than 1 indicates that the estimated exposure exceeds the highest dose at which no adverse effect was observed. Such a result does not necessarily imply that the receptor is at risk, especially if the HQ-NOAEL is only marginally above 1. An HQ-LOAEL greater than 1 suggests that a chronic adverse effect is possible to an individual receptor, assuming that the estimated exposure for that receptor is accurate. Tables 6-53 to 6-63 present the estimated exposures and HQs for the 11 wildlife species evaluated.

### **Risk Results**

The following results are noteworthy:

- For the northern shrike, least weasel, and green-winged teal, no contaminants were predicted to pose a risk; however, quantitative risk estimates could not be calculated for all site-related contaminants due to a lack of toxicity reference values (see Tables 6-57, 6-58, and 6-61).
- For the American robin, arsenic and lead were predicted to pose a potential risk (see Table 6-53). It should be noted, however, that the potential lead risk is largely caused by a single surface soil sample (10MP48SS) with an unusually high total lead concentration (3090 mg/kg). The next highest lead concentration in surface soil is 220 mg/kg (sample 10MP27SS), and most surface soil sample results for lead are less than 30 mg/kg. If the EPC for lead in surface soil is calculated without the 3090 mg/kg value, the EPC is reduced by a factor of three, and no lead risks to the robin are predicted.
- For the masked shrew, nine contaminants were predicted to pose a potential risk (see Table 6-54). The greatest HQs were for antimony and arsenic. As discussed above for the robin, the potential risk to the shrew from lead appears to be an anomaly. Also, potential risks to the shrew from selenium and thallium seem highly unlikely given that both elements were detected in only 2 of 135 surface soil samples. For both contaminants, the maximum detected concentration was used to estimate exposure. This approach overestimates the true exposure.
- For the spruce grouse, arsenic, manganese, mercury, and vanadium were predicted to pose a risk (see Table 6-55). The greatest HQs were from arsenic and mercury.
- For the tundra vole, antimony, arsenic, and manganese were predicted to pose a risk (see Table 6-56). The greatest HQs were for antimony and arsenic. For these two contaminants, the estimated exposure from incidental soil ingestion accounts for greater than 99% of the total exposure. In contrast, for manganese, the estimated exposure from diet accounts for most of the total exposure.

- For the common snipe, arsenic, mercury, and selenium were predicted to pose a potential risk (see Table 6-57). The greatest HQ was for arsenic. Regarding selenium, it should be noted that the site sediment EPC (0.49 mg/kg, see Table 6-50) lies within the concentration range of selenium in Kuskokwim River background sediment samples (0.04 to 1.03 mg/kg, see Table 4-10). Hence, any potential risk to the snipe from selenium at the site is little different than background.
- For the beaver, only antimony was predicted to pose a risk (see Table 6-60). The estimated exposure from incidental soil ingestion accounted for 96% of the total exposure.
- For the belted-kingfisher, only selenium was predicted to pose a potential risk (see Table 6-62). The estimated exposure from diet (sculpin from Red Devil Creek assumed) accounted for greater than 99% of the total selenium exposure. As noted in Section 6.3.6.6, the whole-body sculpin EPC for selenium at the site (1.9 mg/kg) lies within the concentration range for selenium in sculpin from nearby reference creeks. Hence, any potential risk to kingfishers at the site from selenium is little different than background.
- For the mink, antimony, arsenic, methylmercury, and selenium were predicted to pose a risk (see Table 6-63). The greatest HQ was for antimony. The estimated exposure from diet (sculpin from Red Devil Creek assumed) accounted for greater than 99% of the total antimony exposure. Antimony levels in whole-body sculpin samples from Red Devil Creek are considerably greater than those in sculpin from nearby reference creeks (personnel communication with M. Varner, BLM, Anchorage, Alaska, 13 April 2011).

### 6.3.7 Uncertainties

Significant sources of uncertainty in the BERA include the following:

- **Bioavailability** – The bioavailability of chemicals in environmental media at the site is poorly understood. To be conservative, it was assumed that 100% of the chemicals in soil and sediment were bioavailable to all ecological receptors. If bioavailability is less than 100%, which seems likely, the potential risks to all categories of ecological receptors would be correspondingly lower. In general, uncertainties associated with bioavailability of metals in soil and sediment include: (1) lack of knowledge of how chemical, physical, and biological processes affect mobility (e.g., solubilization/precipitation and adsorption/desorption) and bioavailability of metals in soil and sediment; (2) lack of knowledge of how biota modify bioavailability of metals in soils and sediments in contact with external membranes (e.g., skin) or that are taken into the body (e.g., digestive tract); (3) lack of knowledge of whether bioavailability data for one species is applicable to bioavailability for other species; and (4) variability of chemical forms of metals in soil and sediment (e.g., redox state, mineralogy). The mercury SSE and SPLP data collected for the RI both suggest that much of the total metals content in soil and sediment is not mobile under the conditions expected to exist in site soil and sediment. Mercury SSE data indicate that only a small fraction of total mercury in site soil and sedi-

ment is water soluble (F1) or stomach acid soluble (F2) and that the proportion of these soluble fractions relative to the total mercury decreases with increasing total mercury concentration (see Section 5.2.2, Tables 4-17 to 4-23, and Tables 4-32 to 4-33). Similarly, SPLP data suggest that only a small fraction of the total arsenic, antimony, and mercury concentration in site soil samples is soluble under simulated field conditions (see Table 6-64).

- **Reliability of Soil Benchmarks** – Many of the available soil screening benchmarks for plants and soil invertebrates (i.e., earthworms) were developed from laboratory studies in which chemical solutions were added to clean soil to arrive at a range of test concentrations. In such studies, the added chemicals are highly bioavailable. Comparing total chemical concentrations in field samples to solution-based soil benchmarks is conservative and likely results in an overestimation of risk. For aluminum, the EPA (2003) has deemed that such a comparison is inappropriate.
- **Reliability of Sediment Screening Levels** – The available sediment screening levels are based on total concentrations without consideration of chemical bioavailability. The sediment screening levels used in the BERA are expected to be overly conservative predictors of adverse effects for benthic organisms in Red Devil Creek, given that a large fraction of many site-related contaminants likely occur largely in a form that is less than 100% bioavailable. As noted in Section 6.3.6.4, a benthic macroinvertebrate survey for Red Devil Creek found no adverse impacts on abundance and diversity of benthic macroinvertebrates in Red Devil Creek compared with nearby reference creeks. These results suggest that the literature-based sediment screening levels used in the BERA are not reliable predictors of effects in Red Devil Creek.
- **Availability of Media Screening Levels and Wildlife Toxicity Reference Values (TRVs)** – As indicated in Tables 6-37 to 6-39, screening levels are not available for all chemicals in all media. For example, reliable soil screening levels for the effects of antimony on plants and arsenic on soil invertebrates are not available. Hence, potential risks to plants from antimony and to soil invertebrates from arsenic could not be evaluated. Also, an avian TRV (i.e., NOAEL or LOAEL) is not available for antimony. Hence, potential risks to birds from antimony, which is one of the principal contaminants at the RDM site, could not be evaluated.
- **Chemicals in Wildlife Prey** – Food-chain transfer of contaminants at the site is poorly understood for terrestrial predatory wildlife (e.g., American robin, masked shrew, northern shrike, and least weasel). The potential risks to these species are driven in part by estimated concentrations of chemicals in prey. For this assessment, prey concentrations were estimated from measured soil and sediment concentrations using bioaccumulation factors and models from the literature. Or, if a literature-based bioaccumulation factor was not available, it was assumed that the prey concentration was the same as the soil or sediment concentration. The uncertainty associated with this approach often is high because a number of site-specific factors affect food-chain transfer of chemicals. In general, the bioaccumu-

lation factors and models used in this assessment are intended to provide a conservative estimate of chemicals in wildlife prey and are likely to result in an overestimation of risk.

- **Wildlife Diet** – Uncertainty may result from the assumptions made about the diets of the wildlife receptors evaluated in this assessment. For the shrew and robin, the assumption of a diet consisting entirely of earthworms is conservative. In addition to earthworms, shrews consume other invertebrates (i.e. slugs, snails, centipedes, and various insects), fungi, plant materials, and small mammals (EPA 1993). Similarly, robins also consume other invertebrates (i.e., spiders, sowbugs, and various insects) and plant materials (EPA 1993). These foods are less intimately associated with the soil matrix than earthworms and thus accumulate lesser amounts of soil contamination. The diet assumed for the shrew and robin in this assessment likely overestimates exposure and risks from chemicals in soil.
- **Wildlife Use of the RDM Site** – The wildlife evaluation assumed that all parts of the RDM site are equally attractive to wildlife, but this may not be the case. For example, wildlife may avoid the Main Processing Area because of its disturbed condition (i.e., compacted soils, sparse vegetation, etc.). Because the Main Processing Area is the most contaminated part of the site, wildlife exposure to site-related contaminants may have been overestimated if wildlife do not use the area, or do so only rarely.
- **Effect of Biased Sampling on Exposure Point Concentrations** – As discussed in Section 6.2.6.1, many soil and sediment samples collected for the RI were purposely collected from areas of known contamination (Main Processing Area, spring, Rice ore zone, Dolly ore zone, etc.). Samples collected in this manner provide information about the nature of contamination in areas heavily used during mining and ore processing, but are not statistically representative of the average concentration across the site to which wildlife are exposed. Inclusion of results from biased sampling leads to higher EPCs than would be expected from random exposure.
- **Uncertainty Regarding Pre-Mining Background Concentrations** – As discussed in Sections 6.2.6.1 and 4.1, it is likely that background contaminant levels in surface soil (see Table 4-2) have been underestimated at the RDM site. Consequently, the contribution of background to risk at the site likely has been underestimated.
- **Reliability of Surface Water Criteria** – In general, the EPA water quality criteria and State of Alaska water quality standards are considered to be among the most reliable screening levels because they are based on a large body of testing data and sound derivation methods. However, there are exceptions. For example, the mercury water quality criterion of 0.012 µg/L from the EPA (1986b) is a Final Residue Value that was derived from a bioconcentration factor of 81,700 for methylmercury with the fathead minnow, and thus assumes that all mercury is present as methylmercury. Use of this criterion as a screening level for total mercury is highly conservative given that only a small fraction of total mercury in surface water is present as methylmercury (see Table 4-31).

- **Reliability of Other Surface Water Screening Levels** – The EPA and State of Alaska water quality criteria are not available for all chemicals. For such chemicals, surface water screening levels from other sources were used (See Table 6-38). These other surface water screening levels are based on less testing data than federal and state water quality criteria, and therefore the level of uncertainty associated with them is greater.
- **Particulate versus Dissolved Contaminants in Red Devil Creek Surface Water** – Risks to aquatic biota from contaminants in surface water were evaluated in the BERA using unfiltered surface water sample results, which include both dissolved and particulate contaminant forms. For most contaminants, the dissolved form is a better indicator of the bioavailable form and commonly is a small fraction of the total concentration. For example, for mercury in Red Devil Creek surface water, typically less than 10% of the total concentration was dissolved (see Table 4-31).

### 6.3.8 Risk Summary

Table 6-65 provides a summary of the contaminants predicted to pose a potential risk to the assessment endpoints evaluated in the BERA. In general, the greatest HQ values were observed for antimony, arsenic, and mercury, as would be expected given the site history and local mineralogy. Additional observations to help interpret the significance of the risk results are presented below by assessment endpoint:

- For the terrestrial plant community, up to nine contaminants were predicted to be COCs (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the COC list and magnitude of the HQ values is considered low primarily because of the highly conservative nature of the soil screening levels for plants and because contaminant bioavailability in soil was not considered. If the HQ values for plants were adjusted to account for solubility of site contaminants (e.g., using the SPLP and mercury SSE results), the magnitude of the HQ values for antimony, arsenic, and mercury would be significantly lower. It should be noted that the Surface Mined Area has been successfully re-colonized by native plants since the end of mining at the site, suggesting that soil in this area is not phytotoxic. In contrast, the Main Processing Area has not been entirely re-colonized by native vegetation. While this situation could be the result of high levels of metals in soil, the highly compacted nature of the soil and/or absence of soil in some locations also are factors that may be limiting plant growth in the Main Processing Area.
- For the soil invertebrate community, up to 10 contaminants were predicted to be COCs (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the COC list and magnitude of the HQ values is considered low primarily because of the highly conservative nature of the screening levels for soil invertebrates and because contaminant bioavailability in soil was not considered. If the HQ values for soil invertebrates were adjusted to account for solubility of site contaminants (e.g., using the SPLP and mercury SSE results), the magnitude of the HQ values for antimony, arsenic, and mercury would be significantly lower.



- For fish, benthic macroinvertebrates, amphibians, and other aquatic organisms exposed to surface water, six COCs were identified (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the COC list and HQ values is considered low for the following reasons: (1) the evaluation in the BERA is based on total contaminant concentrations in unfiltered surface water samples (see Section 6.3.7); (2) the mercury water quality criterion on 0.012 µg/L is an older value based on the assumption that all mercury is in the form of methylmercury, which is not considered appropriate for the RDM site (see Section 6.3.7); and (3) no impacts to the benthic community of Red Devil Creek were apparent based on the benthic macroinvertebrate survey conducted by the BLM (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that surface water in the creek is not toxic to aquatic life.
- For the fish community in Red Devil Creek, up to eight contaminants were predicted to be COCs based on comparing chemical concentration in whole-body sculpin samples with tissue screening concentrations (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the risk estimates is considered moderate to low depending on the contaminant. The range of tissue screening levels for methylmercury in fish (0.3 to 0.7 mg/kg wet weight) is fairly well known, given the extensive amount of research on methylmercury in fish (Sandheinrich and Wiener 2011). Tissue screening levels for other inorganic contaminants are less certain, and little data are available specifically for sculpin. Tissue screening levels were not identified for antimony, barium, manganese, and vanadium.
- For the benthic macroinvertebrate community, up to 11 contaminants were predicted to be COCs (see Table 6-31). Confidence in the COC list and HQ values based on this assessment method is considered low because site-specific bioavailability was not considered in the evaluation. Also, as noted above, a benthic macroinvertebrate survey conducted in Red Devil Creek identified no adverse impacts to abundance and diversity of benthic macroinvertebrates in Red Devil Creek compared with nearby reference creeks. The site-specific survey is considered to be a more reliable assessment method and suggests no impacts from site-related contaminants.
- For the terrestrial avian invertivore assessment endpoint, represented by the American robin, up to five contaminants (antimony, arsenic, beryllium, lead, and thallium) were identified as COCs (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the arsenic and lead risk estimates is considered low for three reasons: (1) site-specific contaminant bioavailability in soil was not quantitatively considered; (2) literature-based models were used to estimate contaminant concentrations in prey (earthworms); and (3) the lead exposure for the robin likely was overestimated (see Section 6.3.6.7.3). Regarding beryllium and thallium, it seems unlikely that these are COCs for the robin because the levels of these contaminants in surface soil at the site and background are similar (compare Tables 6-46 and 4-2). Potential risks from antimony cannot be ruled out.
- For the terrestrial mammalian invertivore assessment endpoint, represented by the masked shrew, eight COCs were identified (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the risk estimates is considered low for three reasons: (1)



site-specific contaminant bioavailability in soil was not quantitatively considered; (2) literature-based models were used to estimate contaminant concentrations in prey (earthworms); and (3) the lead, thallium, and selenium exposures for this receptor likely were overestimated (see Section 6.3.6.7.3).

- For the terrestrial avian herbivore assessment endpoint, represented by the spruce grouse, up to six contaminants (antimony, arsenic, beryllium, mercury, thallium, and vanadium) were predicted to be COCs (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the arsenic and mercury risk estimates is considered moderate. Although contaminant levels in the primary food of the spruce grouse (spruce needles) was measured, site-specific contaminant bioavailability in soil was not quantitatively considered. It seems unlikely that beryllium, thallium, and vanadium are COCs for this receptor given that their concentrations in site and background surface soil are similar (compare Tables 6-47 and 4-2). Potential risks from antimony cannot be ruled out.
- For the terrestrial mammalian herbivore assessment endpoint, represented by the tundra vole, antimony, arsenic, and manganese were identified as COCs (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the risk estimates is considered moderate. Although contaminant levels in a representative forage plant (blueberry stems/leaves) were measured and used to quantify vole dietary exposure, site-specific contaminant bioavailability in soil was not quantitatively considered.
- For the terrestrial carnivorous bird assessment endpoint, represented by the northern shrike, no HQ values were greater than 1, but potential risks from antimony, beryllium, and thallium could not be quantitatively evaluated (see Table 6-65). It seems unlikely that beryllium and thallium are COCs for this receptor because the levels of these contaminants in surface soil at the RDM site and background are similar (compare Tables 6-49 and 4-2). Potential risks from antimony cannot be ruled out.
- For the terrestrial carnivorous mammal assessment endpoint, represented by the least weasel, no COCs were identified (see Table 6-65).
- For the semi-aquatic avian invertivore assessment endpoint, represented by the common snipe, up to five COCs (antimony, arsenic, beryllium, selenium, and thallium) were identified (see Table 6-65). It seems unlikely that beryllium, selenium, and thallium are COCs for this receptor because the levels of these contaminants in site and background sediment are similar (compare Tables 6-50 and 4-10). Confidence in the arsenic risk estimate for the snipe is considered moderate. Although the arsenic level in snipe prey (benthic macroinvertebrates from Red Devil Creek) was measured, site-specific arsenic bioavailability in sediment was not quantitatively considered. Potential risks to the snipe from antimony could not be quantitatively evaluated and cannot be ruled out.
- For the semi-aquatic mammalian herbivore assessment endpoint, represented by the beaver, arsenic was identified as a COC (see Table 6-65). Confidence in the arsenic risk estimate for the beaver is considered moderate. Although the arsenic level in a representative food of the beaver (al-

der bark) was measured, site-specific arsenic bioavailability in soil was not quantitatively considered.

- For the semi-aquatic avian herbivore assessment endpoint, represented by the green-winged teal, no HQ values were greater than 1, but potential risks from antimony, beryllium, and thallium could not be quantitatively evaluated (see Table 6-65). It seems unlikely that beryllium and thallium are COCs for this receptor because the levels of these contaminants in settling pond sediment and background sediment are similar (compare Tables 6-48 and 4-10). Potential risks from antimony cannot be ruled out, but seem unlikely given the site use and exposure duration considerations discussed above (see Section 6.3.6.7.1).
- For the avian piscivore assessment endpoint, represented by the belted kingfisher, no HQ values were greater than 1, but potential risks from antimony, beryllium, and thallium could not be quantitatively evaluated (see Table 6-65). It seems unlikely that beryllium and thallium are COCs for this receptor because the levels of these contaminants in site and background sediment are similar (compare Tables 6-51 and 4-10). Potential risks from antimony cannot be ruled out.
- For the mammalian piscivore assessment endpoint, represented by the mink, antimony, arsenic and selenium were identified as COCs (see Table 6-65). For the BERA, it was assumed that mink prey on sculpin from Red Devil Creek. As noted in Section 6.3.6.6, the whole-body sculpin EPC for selenium at the site (1.9 mg/kg) lies with the concentration range for selenium in sculpin from nearby reference creeks. Hence, any potential risks to mink at the site from selenium are little different than background. Confidence in the antimony and arsenic risk estimates for the mink are considered moderate to high.

Several data gaps were identified during the development of the BERA. Chief among these are:

- Contaminant levels in terrestrial invertebrates, the assumed prey of the masked shrew and American robin, are poorly understood at the site. For the BERA, literature models were used to estimate contaminant levels in terrestrial invertebrates or, if no model was available, the terrestrial invertebrate contaminant concentration was assumed to be equal to the soil contaminant concentration. The latter approach was used for antimony and is the reason that the antimony HQ value (2478) for the shrew is so high (see Tables 6-46 and 6-54).
- Site-specific bioavailability of contaminants in soil to plants, soil invertebrates, and wildlife is not well understood but is expected to be limited based on mercury SSE and SPLP data collected for the RI, which indicate that antimony, arsenic, and mercury forms in soil at the site are only sparingly soluble.

## 6.4 Development of Risk-Based Cleanup Levels

### 6.4.1 Human Health Risk-Based Cleanup Levels

Preliminary alternative risk-based cleanup levels (RBCLs) are developed in the HHRA for COCs (COPCs that exceed risk-based standards). Developing RBCLs for each scenario provides a range of RBCLs based on future land use and will assist in risk management decisions at the site, including determination of remedial action objectives (RAOs).

Preliminary RBCLs were developed for each scenario and COC that exceeds a target cancer risk of 1 in 100,000 ( $10^{-5}$ ) and an HI of 1.0. COCs by media are included in Table 6-66:

RBCLs were developed using the exposure equations and parameters identified in the HHRA and back-calculating a target concentration in each individual medium. Arsenic is the only carcinogen that was identified as a COC; RBCLs for arsenic were calculated using a ratio approach targeting a cancer risk of 1 in 100,000. Although arsenic presents noncarcinogenic hazards, the RBCL for carcinogenic risks is lower than that for noncarcinogenic hazards. Noncarcinogenic COC RBCLs were calculated using a ratio approach targeting an HQ = 1.0. RBCLs are provided in Table 6-67, by medium. Although RBCLs from groundwater ingestion were calculated for the mine worker exposure scenarios, ADEC guidance indicates that RBCLs for groundwater should not be based on such scenarios. These values are shown for comparison only.

Consumption of wild food also poses a risk to potential future residents and, to a lesser extent, recreational/subsistence users and mine workers. Final RAOs should be adjusted to ensure that the cumulative risk and hazard at the site do not exceed a target excess cancer risk of 1 in 100,000 ( $10^{-5}$ ) or an HI of 1.0.

Lead was not determined to be a COC in soil at the site, so no RBCL is needed for lead.

Generally, cleanup levels are not set at concentrations below natural background levels. If RBCLs exceed background levels, preliminary cleanup levels should default to background concentrations.

### 6.4.2 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels

In light of the importance of arsenic, antimony, and mercury in driving ecological (and human health) risks at the site, this section is focused on preliminary cleanup levels for arsenic, antimony, and mercury for protection of ecological receptors. Preliminary cleanup levels for surface soil, sediment, and surface water are presented in Tables 6-68 to 6-70 for arsenic, antimony, and mercury, respectively along with a discussion of the methods used to derive them and their reliability. As noted in Section 6.4.1, cleanup levels are not set at concentrations below natural background levels. If risk-based levels are less than background, the cleanup level should default to the background concentration.

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## 6.6 Acronyms Used in Chapter 6

( $\mu\text{g Pb/dL}$ )	micrograms of lead per deciliter
$^{\circ}\text{C}$	degrees centigrade
$^{\circ}\text{F}$	degrees Fahrenheit
$(\text{mg/kg}\cdot\text{day})^{-1}$	risk per milligram per kilogram per day
$(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)^{-1}$	risk per microgram per cubic meter
$\text{ABS}_{\text{dermal}}$	dermal absorption
ADEC	Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
ADF&G	Alaska Department of Fish and Game
AF	adherence factor
AT	averaging time
ATV	All-terrain vehicle
BERA	Baseline ecological risk assessment
BLM	U. S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management
BMD	benchmark dose
BMI	Body mass index
BW	body weight
cm	centimeter
$\text{cm}^2$	square centimeters
$C_n$	chemical concentration in food item $n$
COCs	compounds of concern
COPC	contaminants of potential concern
CSIS	Community Subsistence Information System
CSM	conceptual site model
DA	Red Devil Creek Downstream Alluvial Area (exposure unit)
DBH	diameter at breast height
E & E	Ecology and Environment, Inc.
EC	exposure concentration
ED	exposure duration
$\text{EE}_{\text{diet}}$	estimated exposure from diet
EER	Estimated energy requirements
$\text{EE}_{\text{soil/sed}}$	estimated exposure from incidental soil/sediment ingestion
$\text{EE}_{\text{total}}$	total exposure
EF	exposure frequency
ELCR	Excess lifetime cancer risk
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EPC	exposure point concentration
ERA	Ecological Risk Assessment
ERAGS	United States Environmental Protection Agency Ecological Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund
FCM	food chain multiplier
$\text{FeS}_2$	Pyrite
FI	fraction ingested
$F_n$	fraction of diet represented by food item $n$
FS	Feasibility Study
FW	fresh weight



$\text{g/m}^2\text{-s}$ per $\text{kg/m}^3$	grams per square meter per second, per kilograms per cubic meter
GI	gastrointestinal
HA	hectare
HEAST	[EPA Superfund] Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables
HgS	cinnabar
HHRA	Human Health Risk Assessment
HI	hazard index
HQ	hazard quotient
IEUBK	Integrated Exposure Uptake Biokinetic
IR	ingestion rate of receptor
$\text{IR}_s$	soil/sediment ingestion rate of receptor
IUR	inhalation unit risk
kg	kilogram[s]
km	kilometer
L/day	liters per day
LADI	lifetime average daily intake
LEL	low effect level
LOAEL	lowest observed adverse effect level
LPAH	Low molecular weight polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
m/s	meters per second
MCLs	maximum contaminant levels
mg	milligram(s)
mg/day	milligrams per day
mg/kg	milligrams per kilogram
mg/kg-day	milligrams per kilogram per day
mg/L	Milligrams per liter
$\text{mg/m}^3$	milligrams per cubic meter
MPA	Main Processing Area (exposure unit)
NDs	nondetected values
NOAEL	no observed adverse effect level
ORNL	Oak Ridge National Laboratory
PAH	Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
PEF	particulate emission factor
RAGS	Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund
RAO	remedial action objective
RAWP	Risk Assessment Work Plan
RBCLs	risk-based cleanup levels
RBSCs	risk-based screening concentrations
RDM	Red Devil Mine
RfC	reference concentration
RfD	reference dose
RI	Remedial Investigation
RME	reasonable maximum exposure
ROS	regression on order statistics
RSLs	Regional Screening Levels
SA	skin surface area



Sb <sub>2</sub> S <sub>3</sub>	stibnite
SF	slope factor
SLERA	screening level ecological risk assessment
SMA	Surface Mined Area (exposure unit)
SSE	selective sequential extraction
SUF	site use factor
SVOCs	semivolatile organic compounds
TRV	toxicity reference value
TWA	Time-weighted average
UCL	upper confidence limit
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
WOE	Weight-of-evidence
YKHC	Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Corporation
µg/dL	micrograms per deciliter
µg/L	micrograms per liter
µg/m <sup>3</sup>	micrograms per cubic meter

# Tables

**Table 6.1 Surface Soil (0 to 2 feet) Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels					
					EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>										
Aluminum	135	2410	21700	135/135	7.70E+03	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Antimony	135	0.708 J	23300 J	111/135	3.1	4.1	--	3	YES	>SL
Arsenic	136	9	9880	134/136	0.039	0.45	--	1	YES	>SL
Inorganic Arsenic	35	24.9 J	20100	35/35	0.039	0.45	--	1	YES	>SL
Barium	135	76.2	1710	135/135	1.50E+03	2030	--	--	YES	>SL
Beryllium	135	0.3	1.3	132/135	16	20	--	--	NO	<SLs
Cadmium	135	0.18	1.3	38/135	7	7.9	--	3	NO	<SLs
Calcium	135	390	10400 J	135/135	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	135	6	101	135/135	2.90E-01	30	--	--	YES	>SL
Cobalt	135	5.9	38.8	135/135	2.3	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	135	17	139	135/135	3.10E+02	410.0	--	250	NO	<SLs
Iron	135	16800	59100	135/135	5.50E+03	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	135	5	3090	126/135	400	40	--	400	YES	>SL
Magnesium	135	390	11400	135/135	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	135	153	4230	135/135	1.80E+02	--	--	960	YES	>SL
Mercury <sup>e</sup>	135	0.05 J	1620	135/135	1	3	2	2	YES	>SL
Nickel	135	18	97	135/135	1.50E+02	200	--	135	NO	<SLs
Potassium	135	600	4720	135/135	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	135	0.24	0.42	2/135	3.90E+01	51	--	35	NO	<SLs
Silver	135	0.068	0.123	2/135	3.90E+01	51	--	35	NO	<SLs
Sodium	135	42.3	430	75/135	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	135	0.065	0.071	2/135	0.078	0.81	--	--	NO	<SLs
Vanadium	135	15.3	51.9	135/135	3.90E+01	71	--	--	YES	>SL
Zinc	135	38	386	135/135	2.30E+03	3040	--	2000	NO	<SLs
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) (mg/kg)</b>										
Aroclor-1260	18	0.021 J	0.021 J	1/18	0.22	0.1	--	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) (µg/kg)</b>										
1-Methylnaphthalene	11	15 J	74	4/11	22,000	28000	76000	--	NO	<SLs
2-Methylnaphthalene	12	29	200	5/12	31,000	28000	75000	--	NO	<SLs
Acenaphthene	12	2.3 J	2.3 J	1/12	340,000	280000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Acenaphthylene	12	1.3 J	1.3 J	1/12	--	280000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Anthracene	12	2 J	2 J	1/12	1,700,000	2060000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	12	10 J	10 J	1/12	150	490	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	12	10 J	10.0 J	1/12	1,500	4900	--	--	NO	<SLs
Fluorene	12	2.5 J	20	2/12	230,000	230000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Naphthalene	12	14 J	70	3/12	3,600	140000	2800	--	NO	<SLs
Phenanthrene	12	4.2 J	48	4/12	--	2060000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Pyrene	12	2.8 J	2.8 J	1/12	170,000	140000	--	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs) (µg/kg)</b>										
4-Bromophenyl Phenyl Ether	12	1.9 J	1.9 J	1/12	--	--	--	--	YES	NS
4-Methylphenol	12	4.9 J	4.9 J	1/12	--	35000	--	--	NO	<SLs

**Table 6.1 Surface Soil (0 to 2 feet) Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels					
					EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
Benzoic Acid	12	120 J	120 J	1/12	2.40E+07	31700000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzyl Alcohol	12	12 J	12 J	1/12	6.10E+05	--	--	--	NO	<SLs
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	12	11 J	220	8/12	35000	22000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Dibenzofuran	12	2.4 J	10 J	2/12	7800	20000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Diethylphthalate	12	8	140 B	2/12	4,900,000	6190000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Dimethylphthalate	12	160	160	1/12	--	77300000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Hexachlorobenzene	12	1.3 J	1.3 J	1/12	300.0	320	150	--	NO	<SLs
Pentachlorophenol	12	38 J	38 J	1/12	890.00	3900.0	--	--	NO	<SLs
Phenol	12	4.6 J	4.6 J	1/12	1,800,000	2320000	--	--	NO	<SLs

**Key:**

- = not available or not applicable
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- BLM = Bureau of Land Management
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- EPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency
- J = estimated value
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- PAHs = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
- PCBs = polychlorinated biphenyls
- RMC = risk management criteria
- RSL = regional screening level
- SVOCs = semivolatiles organic compounds
- Shading = Chemical is selected as a COPC.

**Notes:**

- a = Detected chemicals only are listed.
- b = For metals, 127 original site samples and 8 field duplicate samples. For PCB, 16 original site samples and 2 field duplicates. For PAHs and SVOCs, 11 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
- c = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level.
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: < SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels.
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).
- d = For conservative screening criteria, hexavalent chromium values for used.
- e = RSL based on elemental mercury.

**Table 6-2 Subsurface Soil (2 to 15 feet) Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels					
					EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>										
Aluminum	192	1530	16800	192/192	7.70E+03	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Antimony	192	0.19 J	28900 J	192/192	3.1	4.1	--	3	YES	>SL
Arsenic	249	3.36 J	9530	249/249	0.039	0.45	--	1	YES	>SL
Inorganic Arsenic	12	10.7	7840	12/12	0.039	0.45	--	1	YES	>SL
Barium	192	61.1	1050	192/192	1.50E+03	2030	--	--	NO	<SLs
Beryllium	192	0.187	0.981	192/192	16	20	--	--	NO	<SLs
Cadmium	192	0.132 J	1.22 J	192/192	7	7.9	--	3	NO	<SLs
Calcium	192	768 J	117000 J	192/192	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	192	8.18 J	59.6 J	192/192	2.90E-01	30	--	--	YES	>SL
Cobalt	192	5.5	34.4	192/192	2.3	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	192	14.2 J	139 J	192/192	3.10E+02	410.0	--	250	NO	<SLs
Iron	192	14800	96500	192/192	5.50E+03	--	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	192	0.027 J	396	192/192	400	40	--	400	YES	>SL
Magnesium	192	316 J	11300	192/192	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	192	102	2170	191/192	1.80E+02	--	--	960	YES	>SL
Mercury <sup>e</sup>	192	0.137	6110 J	192/192	1	3	2	2	YES	>SL
Nickel	192	16.5	99.1	192/192	1.50E+02	200	--	135	NO	<SLs
Potassium	192	586	4580 J	192/192	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	192	0.04 J	6.07	192/192	3.90E+01	51	--	35	NO	<SLs
Silver	192	0.033	0.554 J	192/192	3.90E+01	51	--	35	NO	<SLs
Sodium	192	21.3	876 J	192/192	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	192	0.051	1.54	192/192	0.078	0.81	--	--	YES	>SL
Vanadium	192	14.2	44.6 J	192/192	3.90E+01	71	--	--	YES	>SL
Zinc	192	39.8 J	461 J	192/192	2.30E+03	3040	--	2000	NO	<SLs
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) (µg/kg)</b>										
2-Methylnaphthalene	13	12	1900	5/9	31,000	28000	75000	--	NO	<SLs
Acenaphthene	13	270 J	410	4/13	340,000	280000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(a)pyrene	13	9.4 J	9.4 J	1/13	15	490	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	13	1.3 J	7.2 J	3/13	150	4900	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	13	10 J	10 J	1/13	--	1400000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	13	3.7 J	3.7 J	1/13	1,500	4900	--	--	NO	<SLs
Chrysene	13	2.9 J	4.4 J	3/13	15,000	490000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	13	7.8 J	7.8 J	1/13	15	490	--	--	NO	<SLs
Fluorene	13	1.7 J	1400	9/13	230,000	230000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	13	11 J	11 J	1/13	150	4900	--	--	NO	<SLs
Naphthalene	13	8.3	3500	7/13	3,600	140000	2800	--	YES	<SLs
Phenanthrene	13	1.9 J	1100	11/13	--	2060000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Pyrene	13	1.7 J	1.8 J	2/13	170,000	140000	--	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs) (µg/kg)</b>										
4-Chloroaniline	13	8	8	1/13	2400	90000	--	--	NO	<SLs

**Table 6-2 Subsurface Soil (2 to 15 feet) Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration		Maximum Detected Concentration		Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels					
							EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
Benzyl Alcohol	13	11	J	11	J	1/13	6.10E+05	--	--	--	NO	<SLs
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	13	10	J	10	J	1/13	35000	22000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Dibenzofuran	13	18	J	57	J	2/13	7800	20000	--	--	NO	<SLs
Diethylphthalate	13	1.7	J	1.7	J	1/13	4,900,000	6190000	--	--	NO	<SLs
N-Nitrosodiphenylamine	13	1.8	J	1.8	J	1/13	9,900	750000	--	--	NO	<SLs

**Key:**

-- = not available or not applicable

µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram

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BLM = Bureau of Land Management

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency

J = estimated value

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

PAHs = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons

RMC = risk management criteria

RSL = regional screening level

SVOCs = semivolatile organic compounds

Shading = Chemical is a selected as a COPC.

a = Detected chemicals only are listed.

b =

For metals, 170 original site samples and 22 field duplicate samples. For PAHs and SVOCs, 11 original site samples and 2 field duplicates.

c = Rationale codes.

For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level.

NSL = no screening level available.

For No: <SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels.

NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).

d = For conservative screening criteria, hexavalent chromium values for used.

e = RSL based on elemental mercury.



**Table 6-3 Sediment Human Health Screening Results for Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Sediment, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels							
					EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	BLM - Camper RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>	
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>												
Aluminum	45	710	18400	45/45	7.70E+03	--	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Antimony	45	0.237 J	6360 J	40/45	3.1	4.1	--	3	62	YES	>SL	
Arsenic	50	0.57 J	130000	50/50	0.039	0.45	--	1	46	YES	>SL	
Inorganic Arsenic	24	24.7 J	188000 J	24/24	0.039	0.45	--	1	46	YES	>SL	
Barium	45	4.12	1990	45/45	1.50E+03	2030	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Beryllium	45	0.008 J	0.9	43/45	16	20	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Cadmium	45	0.017 J	0.663 J	32/45	7	7.9	--	3	155	NO	<SLs	
Calcium	45	1320	26300	45/45	--	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT	
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	45	0.65 J	47.4 J	43/45	2.90E-01	30	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Cobalt	45	0.369	50	45/45	2.3	--	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Copper	45	0.68	87.5	45/45	3.10E+02	410.0	--	250	5745	NO	<SLs	
Iron	45	19600	344000	45/45	5.50E+03	--	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Lead	45	0.05	14.8	43/45	400	40	--	400	1000	NO	<SLs	
Magnesium	45	990	11400 J	45/45	--	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT	
Manganese	45	404	5410	45/45	1.80E+02	--	--	960	21679	YES	>SL	
Mercury <sup>e</sup>	45	0.169 J	119 J	45/45	1	3	2	2	46	YES	>SL	
Methylmercury	33	0.0001 J	0.0144	32/33	0.78	0.77	-	-	-	NO	<SLs	
Nickel	45	0.78	240 J	45/45	1.50E+02	200	--	135	3094	YES	>SL	
Potassium	45	510 J	2870 J	43/45	--	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT	
Selenium	45	0.16 J	2.11	28/45	3.90E+01	51	--	35	774	NO	<SLs	
Silver	45	0.04	0.41	29/45	3.90E+01	51	--	35	774	NO	<SLs	
Sodium	45	21.1	270	39/45	--	--	--	--	--	NO	NUT	
Thallium	45	0.011 J	0.653	29/45	0.078	0.81	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Vanadium	45	1.72	48.5	43/45	3.90E+01	71	--	--	--	YES	>SL	
Zinc	45	1.2 J	132 J	45/45	2.30E+03	3040	--	2000	46455	NO	<SLs	
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (µg/kg)</b>												
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	2	1.5 J	1.5 J	1/2	1.50E+02	490	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Phenanthrene	2	1.9 J	2.1 J	2/2	--	2060000	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (µg/kg)</b>												
Benzoic Acid	2	220	220	1/2	2.40E+07	31700000	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Benzyl Alcohol	2	3.1 J	3.1 J	1/2	6.10E+02	--	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Diethyl Phthalate	2	1.7 J	1.7 J	1/2	4.90E+06	6190	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	2	.9 J	9 J	1/2	6.10E+06	7900000	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Pentachlorophenol	2	22 J	22 J	1/2	8.90E+02	3900	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	
Phenol	2	4.1 J	4.1 J	1/2	1.80E+06	2320000	--	--	--	NO	<SLs	

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**Table 6-3 Sediment Human Health Screening Results for Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Sediment, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Soil Human Health Screening Levels						
					EPA RSL - Residential	ADEC - Direct Contact	ADEC - Outdoor Inhalation	BLM - Human RMC	BLM - Camper RMC	COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>

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Notes:

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  - For No: < SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels.
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).
- d = For conservative screening criteria, hexavalent chromium values for used.
- e = RSL based on elemental mercury.

**Table 6-4 Groundwater Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Groundwater Human Health Screening Levels			COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
					EPA RSL - Tap Water	ADEC - Table C	EPA MCL		
<b>Total Metals (µg/L)</b>									
Aluminum	31	8.8 J	1460	26/31	1.60E+03	--	--	NO	<SLs
Antimony	31	0.6 J	13100	31/31	0.6	0.6	6	YES	>SL
Arsenic	31	1.3	6680	31/31	4.50E-02	1	10	YES	>SL
Inorganic Arsenic	22	0.17	4530	22/22	4.50E-02	1	10	YES	>SL
Barium	31	28.2	365	31/31	2.90E+02	200	2000	YES	>SL
Beryllium	31	0.006 J	0.11	18/31	1.6	0.4	4	NO	<SLs
Cadmium	31	0.008 J	0.224	28/31	0.69	0.5	5	NO	<SLs
Calcium	31	13200	96700	31/31	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	31	0.05 J	10.6	26/31	1.60E+03	10	100	YES	>SL
Cobalt	31	0.045	40.5	30/31	0.47	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	31	0.09 J	6.29	28/31	6.20E+01	100.0	1300	NO	<SLs
Iron	31	5.8 J	22400	28/31	1.10E+03	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	31	0.019 J	2.02	26/31	--	1.5	15	YES	>SL
Magnesium	31	9800	71900	31/31	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	31	1.12	7370	30/31	3.20E+01	--	--	YES	>SL
Mercury <sup>e</sup>	31	0.00185	56.5	31/31	6.30E-02	0.2	2	YES	>SL
Methylmercury	31	0.00006 J	0.00171	27/31	0.16	0.37	--	NO	<SLs
Nickel	31	0	35.9	31/31	3.00E+01	10	--	YES	>SL
Potassium	31	259 J	4930	30/31	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	31	0.3 J	5.4	11/31	7.80E+00	5	50	YES	>SL
Silver	31	0.004 J	0.049 J	21/31	7.10E+00	10	--	NO	<SLs
Sodium	31	1780	20000	31/31	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	31	0.006 J	0.075	18/31	1.60E-02	0.20	2	YES	>SL
Vanadium	31	0.09 J	3.88	27/31	7.80E+00	26	--	NO	<SLs
Zinc	31	0.7	22	28/31	4.70E+02	500	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Dissolved Metals (µg/L)</b>									
Aluminum	32	2.1 J	140	22/32	1.60E+03	--	--	NO	<SLs
Antimony	32	0.317 J	13100	32/32	6.00E-01	1	6	YES	>SL
Arsenic	32	0.4	6660	32/32	4.50E-02	1	10	YES	>SL
Barium	32	23.3	348	32/32	2.90E+02	200	2000	YES	>SL
Beryllium	32	0.006 J	0.041	12/32	1.60E+00	0.4	4	NO	<SLs
Cadmium	32	0.006 J	0.3 J	26/32	6.90E-01	1	--	NO	<SLs
Calcium	32	7180	100000	32/32	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	32	0.09 J	2.81	27/32	1.60E+03	10	100	NO	<SLs
Cobalt	32	0.037	41.5	31/32	4.70E-01	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	32	0.08 J	1.8	29/32	6.20E+01	100	1300	NO	<SLs
Iron	32	3.4 J	19100	24/32	1.10E+03	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	32	0.005 J	0.244	21/32	--	1.5	15	NO	<SLs
Magnesium	32	2900	73500	32/32	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	32	0.606	7050	31/32	3.20E+01	--	--	YES	>SL

**Table 6-4 Groundwater Human Health Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Groundwater Human Health Screening Levels			COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
					EPA RSL - Tap Water	ADEC - Table C	EPA MCL		
Mercury <sup>e</sup>	32	0.00023 J	2.2	31/32	6.30E-02	0.2	2	YES	>SL
Nickel	32	0.79	36.3	32/32	3.00E+01	10	--	YES	>SL
Potassium	32	211 J	4620	31/32	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	32	0.4 J	4.9	11/32	7.80E+00	5	50	NO	<SLs
Silver	32	0.004 J	0.013 J	3/32	7.10E+00	10	--	NO	<SLs
Sodium	32	1880	20000	32/32	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	32	0.006 J	0.059	8/32	1.60E-02	0	2	YES	>SL
Vanadium	32	0.03 J	2.03	26/32	7.80E+00	26	--	NO	<SLs
Zinc	32	0.2 J	20.7	29/32	4.70E+02	500	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Other Compounds (µg/L)</b>									
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	13	5.7 J	5.7 J	1/13	7.10E-02	0.6	--	YES	>SL
Toluene	5	0.09 J	1.8	3/15	8.60E+01	100	1000	NO	<SLs

**Key:**

- = not available or not applicable
- µg/L = micrograms per liter
- ADEC = Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
- COPC = contaminant of potential concern
- EPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency
- J = estimated value
- MCL = maximum contaminant level
- RSL = regional screening level
- Shading = Chemical is selected as a COPC.

**Notes:**

- a = Detected chemicals only are listed.
- b = For total metals, 31 original site samples and 2 field duplicate samples.
- c = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level.
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: < SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels.
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).
- d = RSL based on trivalent chromium.
- e = RSL based on elemental mercury.

**Table 6-5 Surface Water Human Health Screening Results from Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Surface Water Human Health			COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
					EPA RSL - Tap Water	ADEC - Table C	EPA MCL		
<b>Total Metals (µg/L)</b>									
Aluminum	22	6.5 J	30.9 J	13/22	1.60E+03	--	--	NO	<SLs
Antimony	22	1.3	184	22/22	0.6	0.6	6	YES	>SL
Arsenic	22	0.8	1030	22/22	4.50E-02	1	10	YES	>SL
Inorganic Arsenic	14	0.822	745	14/14	4.50E-02	1	--	YES	>SL
Barium	22	20.6	103	22/22	2.90E+02	200	2000	NO	<SLs
Beryllium	22	0.009 J	0.009 J	1/22	1.6	0.4	4	NO	<SLs
Cadmium	22	0.005 J	0.008 J	3/22	0.69	0.5	5	NO	<SLs
Calcium	22	8580	36000	22/22	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	22	0.15 J	0.57	13/22	1.60E+03	10	100	NO	<SLs
Cobalt	22	0.046	5.3	19/22	0.47	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	22	0.28	0.71	14/22	6.20E+01	100.0	1300	NO	<SLs
Iron	22	118	2470	22/22	1.10E+03	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	22	0.008 J	0.079	13/22	--	1.5	15	NO	<SLs
Magnesium	22	4460	37100	22/22	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	22	11.2	379	22/22	3.20E+01	--	--	YES	>SL
Mercury <sup>c</sup>	22	0.00192	0.385	22/22	6.30E-02	0.2	2	YES	>SL
Methylmercury	21	0.00008 J	0.00062	21/21	0.16	0.37	--	NO	>SL
Nickel	22	0.39	19.2	19/22	3.00E+01	10	--	YES	>SL
Potassium	22	172	1210	13/22	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	22	0.3 J	0.5 J	9/22	7.80E+00	5	50	NO	<SLs
Silver	22	0.008 J	0.026	3/22	7.10E+00	10	--	NO	<SLs
Sodium	22	1440	12900	22/22	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	22	0.007 J	0.01 J	2/22	1.60E-02	0.20	2	NO	<SLs
Vanadium	22	0.1 J	0.22 J	13/22	7.80E+00	26	--	NO	<SLs
Zinc	22	0.3 J	2.1	9/22	4.70E+02	500	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Dissolved Metals (µg/L)</b>									
Aluminum	21	3.5 J	19.7 J	12/21	1.60E+03	--	--	NO	<SLs
Antimony	21	1.2	185	21/21	6.00E-01	1	6	YES	>SL
Arsenic	21	0.8	857	21/21	4.50E-02	1	10	YES	>SL
Barium	21	20.7	99.5	21/21	2.90E+02	200	2000	NO	<SLs
Beryllium	21	0.012 J	0.012 J	1/21	1.60E+00	0.4	4	NO	<SLs
Calcium	21	16700	36000	21/21	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Chromium <sup>d</sup>	21	0.11 J	0.39	12/21	1.60E+03	10	100	NO	<SLs
Cobalt	21	0.041	4.9	16/21	4.70E-01	--	--	YES	>SL
Copper	21	0.26	0.5	12/21	6.20E+01	100	1300	NO	<SLs
Iron	21	70	2180	21/21	1.10E+03	--	--	YES	>SL
Lead	21	0.005 J	0.037	7/21	--	1.5	15	NO	<SLs
Magnesium	21	8930	36400	21/21	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Manganese	21	8.2	380	21/21	3.20E+01	--	--	YES	>SL

**Table 6-5 Surface Water Human Health Screening Results from Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	Frequency of Detection	Surface Water Human Health			COPC	Rationale <sup>c</sup>
					EPA RSL - Tap Water	ADEC - Table C	EPA MCL		
Mercury <sup>c</sup>	21	0.00213	0.0161	12/12	6.30E-02	0.2	2	NO	<SLs
Nickel	21	0.32	17	18/21	3.00E+01	10	--	YES	>SL
Potassium	21	182 J	1170	13/21	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Selenium	21	0.3 J	0.6 J	8/21	7.80E+00	5	50	NO	<SLs
Silver	21	0.004 J	0.009 J	3/21	7.10E+00	10	--	NO	<SLs
Sodium	21	1430	13000	21/21	--	--	--	NO	NUT
Thallium	21	0.006 J	0.006 J	1/21	1.60E-02	0	2	NO	<SLs
Vanadium	21	0.07 J	0.14 J	12/21	7.80E+00	26	--	NO	<SLs
Zinc	21	0.3 J	1	4/21	4.70E+02	500	--	NO	<SLs
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) (µg/L)</b>									
1-Methylnaphthalene	8	1.5	1.5	1/8	9.70E-01	15	--	YES	>SL
2-Methylnaphthalene	20	1.2 J	1.5	2/20	2.70E+00	15	--	NO	<SLs
Naphthalene	20	0.68 J	0.68 J	1/20	1.40E-01	73	--	YES	>SL

**Key:**

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- µg/L = micrograms per liter
- ADEC = Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
- COPC = contaminant of potential concern
- EPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency
- J = estimated value
- MCL = maximum contaminant level
- PAHs = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
- RSL = Regional Screening Level
- Shading = Chemical is selected as a COPC.

**Notes:**

- a = Detected chemicals only are listed.
- b = For total metals, 21 original site samples and 2 field duplicate samples.
- c = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level.
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: <SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels.
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).
- d = RSL based on trivalent chromium.
- e = RSL based on elemental mercury.

**Table 6-6 Final Compounds of Potential Concern, Red Devil Mine Site.**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Soils	Subsurface Soils	Sediment	Surface Water	Groundwater
<b>Metals</b>					
Aluminum	X	X	X		
Antimony	X	X	X	X	X
Arsenic	X	X	X	X	X
Arsenic (Inorganic)	X	X	X	X	X
Barium	X		X		X
Cadmium			BIO	BIO	
Chromium	X	X	X		X
Cobalt	X	X	X	X	X
Copper			BIO	BIO	
Iron	X	X	X	X	X
Lead	X	X	BIO	BIO	X
Manganese	X	X	X	X	X
Mercury	X	X	X	X	X
Methylmercury			BIO	BIO	
Nickel			X	X	X
Selenium			BIO	BIO	X
Silver			BIO	BIO	
Thallium		X	X		X
Vanadium	X	X	X		
Zinc			BIO	BIO	
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>					
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	X				
1-Methylnaphthalene				X	
Naphthalene		X		X	
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate					X

Key:

X = Compound of Potential Concern (COPC) based on screening.

BIO = COPC based on bioaccumulative properties.

SVOC = Semivolatile Organic Compound



**Table 6-7 Comparison of Exposure Unit Metal Concentrations in Soils**

<b>Geographic Area</b>	<b>Antimony Range (mg/kg)</b>	<b>Antimony Average (mg/kg)</b>	<b>Arsenic Range (mg/kg)</b>	<b>Arsenic Average (mg/kg)</b>	<b>Mercury Range (mg/kg)</b>	<b>Mercury Average (mg/kg)</b>
<b>Main Processing Area Exposure Unit</b>						
Main Processing Area Unit (n=232)	0.343-2890	2163	7.77-9880	1789	0.28-6110	244
<b>Red Devil Creek Downstream Alluvial Area Exposure Unit</b>						
RDC Downstream Alluvial Area (n=34)	0.321-2710	360	3.36-3510	731	0.063-471	86.8
<b>Surface Mined Area Exposure Unit</b>						
Dolly Sluice and Delta (n=11)	0.0886-122	27	12-1200	302	0.168-326	70
Rice Sluice and Delta (n=9)	1.17-68.7	15	8.01-142	44	0.198-33.1	8.9
Surface Mined Area (n=40)	0.25-508	84.6	8.67-8510	1623	0.032-174	44

Key:

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

RDC = Red Devil Creek

**Table 6-8  
Soil Exposure Point Concentration Summary - Resident (SMA)  
Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Soil Receptor: Residential (SMA)
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	Reasonable Maximum Exposure			EPC Statistic
				EPC Units	EPC Value	EPC Distribution	
Aluminum	55	1.078E+04	2.030E+04	mg/kg	1.078E+04	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Antimony	55	4.947E+01	5.080E+02	mg/kg	4.947E+01	Gamma	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Arsenic	55	2.090E+03	8.510E+03	mg/kg	2.090E+03	Lognormal	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)	17	5.659E+03	2.010E+04	mg/kg	5.659E+03	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL
Barium	55	1.910E+02	3.390E+02	mg/kg	1.910E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Chromium	55	2.236E+01	3.200E+01	mg/kg	2.236E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Cobalt	55	1.785E+01	3.880E+01	mg/kg	1.785E+01	Lognormal	95% Student-t UCL
Iron	55	4.013E+04	6.640E+04	mg/kg	4.013E+04	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Lead	55	1.343E+01	3.200E+01	mg/kg	1.343E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Manganese	55	8.959E+02	4.230E+03	mg/kg	8.959E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Mercury	55	3.943E+01	3.260E+02	mg/kg	3.943E+01	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL
Thallium	55	2.000E-01	1.540E+00	mg/kg	2.000E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (t) UCL
Vanadium	55	3.559E+01	5.190E+01	mg/kg	3.559E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL

Key:

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration  
 KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)  
 Max = Maximum Detected  
 NA = Not available  
 UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-9**  
**Soil Exposure Point Concentration Summary - Resident (MPA)**  
**Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Soil Receptor: Residential (MPA)
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	212	9.364E+03	2.170E+04	mg/kg	9.364E+03	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Antimony	212	4.516E+03	2.890E+04	mg/kg	4.516E+03	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Arsenic	212	2.978E+03	9.880E+03	mg/kg	2.978E+03	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)	19	7.804E+03	1.330E+04	mg/kg	7.804E+03	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Barium	212	3.790E+02	1.710E+03	mg/kg	3.790E+02	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Chromium	212	2.406E+01	1.010E+02	mg/kg	2.406E+01	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Cobalt	212	1.613E+01	3.500E+01	mg/kg	1.613E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Iron	212	3.711E+04	6.610E+04	mg/kg	3.711E+04	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Lead	212	1.329E+02	3.090E+03	mg/kg	1.329E+02	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Manganese	212	7.279E+02	1.950E+03	mg/kg	7.279E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Mercury	212	5.060E+02	6.110E+03	mg/kg	5.060E+02	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Thallium	212	1.740E-01	6.780E-01	mg/kg	1.740E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Vanadium	212	2.980E+01	4.950E+01	mg/kg	2.980E+01	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Naphthalene	22	5.047E+02	3.500E+03	ug/kg	5.047E+02	Gamma	95% KM (BCA) UCL

Key:

- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
- Max = Maximum Detected
- NA = Not available
- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-10**  
**Soil Exposure Point Concentration Summary - Resident (DA)**  
**Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Soil Receptor: Residential (DA)
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	32	1.168E+04	1.730E+04	mg/kg	1.168E+04	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Antimony	32	7.986E+02	2.710E+03	mg/kg	7.986E+02	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic	32	1.408E+03	3.510E+03	mg/kg	1.408E+03	Non-Parametric	97.5% Chebyshev UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)	6	3.405E+03	5.550E+03	mg/kg	3.405E+03	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Barium	32	2.027E+02	5.530E+02	mg/kg	2.027E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Chromium	32	2.430E+01	3.110E+01	mg/kg	2.430E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Cobalt	32	1.275E+01	1.900E+01	mg/kg	1.275E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Iron	32	3.475E+04	9.650E+04	mg/kg	3.475E+04	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Lead	32	1.047E+01	2.150E+01	mg/kg	1.047E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Manganese	32	4.711E+02	9.360E+02	mg/kg	4.711E+02	Gamma	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Mercury	32	1.625E+02	4.710E+02	mg/kg	1.625E+02	Lognormal	97.5% Chebyshev UCL
Thallium	32	1.950E-01	7.540E-01	mg/kg	1.950E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Vanadium	32	3.547E+01	4.800E+01	mg/kg	3.547E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL

Key:

- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
- Max = Maximum Detected
- NA = Not available
- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-11**  
**Soil Exposure Point Concentration Summary - Recreational/Subsistence User and Mine Worker**  
**Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Soil Receptor: Recreational/Subsistence and Mine Worker
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	299	9.278E+03	2.170E+04	mg/kg	9.278E+03	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Antimony	299	3.784E+03	2.890E+04	mg/kg	3.784E+03	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic	299	2.615E+03	9.880E+03	mg/kg	2.615E+03	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)	42	5.883E+03	2.010E+04	mg/kg	5.883E+03	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Barium	299	3.224E+02	1.710E+03	mg/kg	3.224E+02	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Chromium	299	2.345E+01	1.010E+02	mg/kg	2.345E+01	Lognormal	95% Student-t UCL
Cobalt	299	1.579E+01	3.880E+01	mg/kg	1.579E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Iron	299	3.665E+04	9.650E+04	mg/kg	3.665E+04	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Lead	299	7.761E+01	3.090E+03	mg/kg	7.761E+01	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Manganese	299	7.137E+02	4.230E+03	mg/kg	7.137E+02	Gamma	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Mercury	299	3.728E+02	6.110E+03	mg/kg	3.728E+02	Non-Parametric	95% Chebyshev UCL
Thallium	299	1.710E-01	1.540E+00	mg/kg	1.710E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (t) UCL
Vanadium	299	3.110E+01	5.190E+01	mg/kg	3.110E+01	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Naphthalene	22	5.047E+02	3.500E+03	ug/kg	5.047E+02	Gamma	95% KM (t) UCL

Key:

- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
- Max = Maximum Detected
- NA = Not available
- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-12**  
**Sediment Exposure Point Concentration Summary**  
**Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Red Devil Creek and Near-Shore Kuskokwim River Sediments
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	25	1.082E+04	1.700E+04	mg/kg	1.082E+04	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Antimony	25	4.455E+03	6.360E+03	mg/kg	4.455E+03	Non-Parametric	99% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic	25	3.830E+04	1.300E+05	mg/kg	3.830E+04	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic (Inorganic)	23	6.001E+04	1.880E+05	mg/kg	6.001E+04	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Barium	25	6.806E+02	1.990E+03	mg/kg	6.806E+02	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Cadmium	25	2.920E-01	6.000E-01	mg/kg	2.920E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Chromium	25	2.574E+01	4.740E+01	mg/kg	2.574E+01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Cobalt	25	1.711E+01	5.000E+01	mg/kg	1.711E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Copper	25	3.716E+01	5.820E+01	mg/kg	3.716E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Iron	25	9.919E+04	3.440E+05	mg/kg	9.919E+04	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Lead	25	9.292E+00	1.400E+01	mg/kg	9.292E+00	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Manganese	25	2.015E+03	5.410E+03	mg/kg	2.015E+03	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Mercury	25	6.659E+01	1.190E+02	mg/kg	6.659E+01	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Methyl Mercury	25	5.228E-03	1.440E-02	mg/kg	5.228E-03	Lognormal	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Nickel	25	5.697E+01	2.400E+02	mg/kg	5.697E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Selenium	25	4.870E-01	6.200E-01	mg/kg	4.870E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Silver	25	1.140E-01	2.290E-01	mg/kg	1.140E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Thallium	25	1.490E-01	2.970E-01	mg/kg	1.490E-01	Gamma	95% KM (t) UCL
Vanadium	25	3.097E+01	4.850E+01	mg/kg	3.097E+01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Zinc	25	9.161E+01	1.200E+02	mg/kg	9.161E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL

Key:

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- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
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- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-13**  
**Surface Water Exposure Point Concentration Summary**  
**RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Red Devil Creek Surface Water (Total)
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Antimony	19	1.355E+02	1.840E+02	ug/L	1.355E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Arsenic	19	8.113E+02	1.030E+03	ug/L	8.113E+02	Non-Parametric	99% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic (Inorganic)	12	5.726E+02	7.450E+02	ug/L	5.726E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Cadmium	19	6.000E-03	8.000E-03	ug/L	6.000E-03	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Cobalt	19	3.039E+00	5.300E+00	ug/L	3.039E+00	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Copper	19	4.310E-01	7.100E-01	ug/L	4.310E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Iron	19	1.325E+03	2.470E+03	ug/L	1.325E+03	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Lead	19	3.400E-02	7.900E-02	ug/L	3.400E-02	Gamma	95% KM (t) UCL
Manganese	19	1.706E+02	3.790E+02	ug/L	1.706E+02	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Mercury	19	2.410E-01	3.850E-01	ug/L	2.410E-01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Methyl Mercury	19	3.130E-04	6.200E-04	ug/L	3.130E-04	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Nickel	19	1.054E+01	1.920E+01	ug/L	1.054E+01	Non-Parametric	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Selenium	19	3.850E-01	5.000E-01	ug/L	3.850E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Silver	19	--	2.600E-02	ug/L	2.600E-02	--	Maximum detection
Zinc	19	7.270E-01	2.100E+00	ug/L	7.270E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (t) UCL
1-Methylnaphthalene	7	--	1.500E+00	ug/L	1.500E+00	--	Maximum detection
Naphthalene	17	--	6.800E-01	ug/L	6.800E-01	--	Maximum detection

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EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)

Max = Maximum Detected

NA = Not available



**Table 6-14  
Groundwater Exposure Point Concentration Summary  
Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Groundwater (Total)
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Antimony	29	5.609E+03	1.310E+04	ug/L	5.609E+03	Lognormal	99% Chebyshev UCL
Arsenic	29	2.403E+03	6.680E+03	ug/L	2.403E+03	Normal	97.5% Chebyshev UCL
Arsenic (Inorganic)	20	1.802E+03	4.530E+03	ug/L	1.802E+03	Lognormal	97.5% Chebyshev UCL
Barium	29	1.006E+02	3.650E+02	ug/L	1.006E+02	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Chromium	29	3.506E+00	1.060E+01	ug/L	3.506E+00	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Cobalt	29	9.785E+00	4.050E+01	ug/L	9.785E+00	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Iron	29	8.042E+03	2.240E+04	ug/L	8.042E+03	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Lead	29	6.710E-01	2.020E+00	ug/L	6.710E-01	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Manganese	29	2.243E+03	7.370E+03	ug/L	2.243E+03	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Mercury	29	1.479E+01	5.650E+01	ug/L	1.479E+01	Lognormal	97.5% Chebyshev UCL
Nickel	29	1.729E+01	3.590E+01	ug/L	1.729E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Selenium	29	9.170E-01	5.400E+00	ug/L	9.170E-01	Lognormal	95% KM (t) UCL
Thallium	29	1.710E-02	7.500E-02	ug/L	1.710E-02	Non-Parametric	95% KM (BCA) UCL
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	11	--	5.700E+00	ug/L	5.700E+00	--	Maximum detection

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- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
- Max = Maximum Detected
- NA = Not available
- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-15  
Slimy Sculpin Exposure Point Concentration Summary  
Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Slimy Sculpin
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	21	3.224E+01	7.250E+01	mg/kg-wet	3.224E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Antimony	21	1.706E+01	3.810E+01	mg/kg-wet	1.706E+01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Arsenic	21	1.140E+01	2.406E+01	mg/kg-wet	1.140E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Barium	21	3.787E+00	5.402E+00	mg/kg-wet	3.787E+00	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Cadmium	21	4.420E-02	1.030E-01	mg/kg-wet	4.420E-02	Gamma	95% KM (t) UCL
Chromium	21	6.800E-01	2.431E+00	mg/kg-wet	6.800E-01	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Cobalt	21	--	--	--	--	--	--
Copper	21	1.252E+00	2.263E+00	mg/kg-wet	1.252E+00	Non-Parametric	95% Student-t UCL
Iron	21	8.889E+01	1.837E+02	mg/kg-wet	8.889E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Lead	21	3.760E-02	7.900E-02	mg/kg-wet	3.760E-02	Gamma	95% KM UCL
Manganese	21	1.250E+01	2.128E+01	mg/kg-wet	1.250E+01	Lognormal	95% Student-t UCL
Mercury	21	2.140E+00	3.701E+00	mg/kg-wet	2.140E+00	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Nickel	21	1.470E-01	2.630E-01	mg/kg-wet	1.470E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Selenium	21	1.891E+00	2.975E+00	mg/kg-wet	1.891E+00	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Silver	21	--	--	--	--	--	--
Thallium	21	--	--	--	--	--	--
Vanadium	21	2.210E-01	3.590E-01	mg/kg-wet	2.210E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Zinc	21	2.656E+01	3.537E+01	mg/kg-wet	2.656E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL

Key:

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EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)

Max = Maximum Detected

NA = Not available

UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-16  
Green Alder Bark Exposure Point Concentration Summary  
Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: Green Alder Bark
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	8	1.587E+01	2.420E+01	mg/kg	1.587E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Antimony	8	2.724E+00	3.350E+00	mg/kg	2.724E+00	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Arsenic	8	5.320E-01	9.100E-01	mg/kg	5.320E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)		NA	NA		NA	NA	NA
Barium	8	1.552E+02	2.030E+02	mg/kg	1.552E+02	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Chromium	8	8.550E-01	1.400E+00	mg/kg	8.550E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Cobalt	8	3.350E-01	5.280E-01	mg/kg	3.350E-01	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Iron	8	2.957E+01	3.490E+01	mg/kg	2.957E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Lead	8	1.020E-01	1.130E-01	mg/kg	1.020E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Manganese	8	7.149E+02	1.140E+03	mg/kg	7.149E+02	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Mercury	8	2.100E-01	2.890E-01	mg/kg	2.100E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Thallium	8	1.620E-02	3.000E-02	mg/kg	1.620E-02	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Vanadium	8	6.450E-02	7.000E-02	mg/kg	6.450E-02	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL

**Key:**

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EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)

Max = Maximum Detected

NA = Not available

UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-17**  
**White Spruce Needles Exposure Point Concentration Summary**  
**Red Devil Mine**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Medium: White Spruce Needles
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Contaminant of Potential Concern	Number of Samples	95% UCL	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC Units	Reasonable Maximum Exposure		
					EPC Value	EPC Distribution	EPC Statistic
Aluminum	8	1.295E+02	1.720E+02	mg/kg	1.295E+02	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Antimony	8	1.032E+01	1.510E+01	mg/kg	1.032E+01	Lognormal	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic	8	7.577E+00	1.110E+01	mg/kg	7.577E+00	Lognormal	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Arsenic (inorganic)		NA	NA		NA	NA	NA
Barium	8	5.988E+01	8.530E+01	mg/kg	5.988E+01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Chromium	8	8.350E-01	1.300E+00	mg/kg	8.350E-01	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL
Cobalt	8	2.330E-01	3.030E-01	mg/kg	2.330E-01	Normal	95% Student-t UCL
Iron	8	1.972E+02	2.060E+02	mg/kg	1.972E+02	Non-Parametric	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Lead	8	3.350E-01	4.660E-01	mg/kg	3.350E-01	Lognormal	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL
Manganese	8	1.904E+03	2.990E+03	mg/kg	1.904E+03	Gamma	95% Approx. Gamma UCL
Mercury	8	5.694E+00	5.640E+00	mg/kg	5.640E+00	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL
Thallium	8	--	2.100E-01	mg/kg	2.100E-01	Non-Parametric	Maximum, only 2 detections
Vanadium	8	9.170E-01	4.700E-01	mg/kg	9.170E-01	Non-Parametric	Maximum, 95%UCL > Max

Key:

- = Not calculated due to insufficient number of detected results.
- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- KM = Kaplan-Meier (statistical evaluation)
- Max = Maximum Detected
- NA = Not available
- UCL = Upper Confidence Limit

**Table 6-18. Dermal Chemical Specific Values**

Compound of Potential Concern	ABSd Value	Kp (cm/hr)
<b>Metals</b>		
Aluminum	NA	1.00E-03
Antimony	NA	1.00E-03
Arsenic	0.03	1.00E-03
Arsenic (Inorganic)	0.03	1.00E-03
Barium	NA	1.00E-03
Cadmium	0.001	1.00E-03
Chromium	NA	1.00E-03
Cobalt	NA	4.00E-04
Copper	NA	1.00E-03
Iron	NA	1.00E-03
Manganese	NA	1.00E-03
Mercury	NA	1.00E-03
Nickel	NA	2.00E-04
Selenium	NA	1.00E-03
Silver	NA	6.00E-04
Thallium	NA	1.00E-03
Vanadium	NA	1.00E-03
Zinc	NA	6.00E-04
<b>Organometals</b>		
Methyl mercury	NA	1.00E-03
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>		
1-Methylnaphthalene	0.13	--
Naphthalene	0.13	4.70E-02
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds</b>		
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.1	--

Key:

ABSd = Dermal Absorption Fraction, from RAGS Part E (2004)

NA = Not available

Kp = Dermal permeability coefficient of compound in water (cm/hr), from RAGS Part E (2004).

**Table 6-19 Summary of Exposure Factors and Intake Equations**

Medium	Exposure Route	Parameter Code	Parameter Definition	Units	Future Residential		Recreational/Subsistence User		Mine Worker Adult Value	Intake Equation
					Adult Value	Child Value	Adult Value	Child Value		
Soil	Ingestion	CDI <sub>soil</sub>	Chronic Daily Intake of Chemical - soil/sediment	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$Intake (mg / kg / day) = \frac{C_s \times IR \times CF \times EF \times ED}{BW \times AT}$
		C <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - soil/sediment	mg/kg	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	
		IR <sub>soil</sub>	Ingestion Rate - soil/sediment	mg/day	100	200	100	200	100	
		EF <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Frequency - soil/sediment	d/y	270	270	90	90	250	
		ED <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Duration - soil/sediment	y	30	6	30	6	25	
		BW	Body Weight	kg	70	15	70	15	70	
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		25,550		25,550	
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	10,950	2,190	9,125	
		CF	Conversion Factor	kg/mg	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	
		Soil	Dermal	DAD	Dermally Absorbed Dose	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	
C <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - soil/sediment			unitless	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	
SA	Surface Area			cm <sup>2</sup>	5,700.0	2,800.0	5,700	2,800	3,300.0	
AF	Soil-to-skin Adherence Factor			mg/cm <sup>2</sup> -event	0.07	0.2	0.07	0.2	0.2	
ABS <sub>dermal</sub>	Dermal Absorption Fraction			Unitless	Chemical-specific					
EF <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Frequency - soil/sediment			d/y	270	270	90	90	250	
ED <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Duration - soil/sediment			y	30	6	30	6	25	
EV	Event Frequency			evets/day	1	1	1	1	1	
BW	Body Weight			kg	70	15	70	15	70	
AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer			days	25,550		25,550		25,550	
AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	10,950	2,190	9,125			
CF	Conversion Factor	kg/mg	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06			
Sediment	Dermal	DAD	Dermally Absorbed Dose	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$DAD (mg / kg / day) = \frac{C_s \times SA \times AF \times ABS \times CF \times EF \times ED \times EV}{BW \times AT}$
		C <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - soil/sediment	unitless	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	
		SA	Surface Area	cm <sup>2</sup>	5,700.0	2,800.0	5,700	2,800	3,300.0	
		AF	Soil-to-skin Adherence Factor	mg/cm <sup>2</sup> -event	0.07	0.2	0.07	0.2	0.2	
		ABS <sub>dermal</sub>	Dermal Absorption Fraction	Unitless	Chemical-specific					
		EF <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Frequency - soil/sediment	d/y	90	90	90	90	90	
		ED <sub>soil</sub>	Exposure Duration - soil/sediment	y	30	6	30	6	25	
		EV	Event Frequency	evets/day	1	1	1	1	1	
		BW	Body Weight	kg	70	15	70	15	70	
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		25,550		25,550	
AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	10,950	2,190	9,125			
CF	Conversion Factor	kg/mg	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06	1.00E-06			
Groundwater	Ingestion	CDI <sub>gw</sub>	Chronic Daily Intake of Chemical - groundwater	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$Intake (mg / kg / day) = \frac{C_w \times IR \times EF \times ED \times CF}{BW \times AT}$
		C <sub>w</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - groundwater	ug/L	95% UCL	95% UCL	--	--	95% UCL	
		IR <sub>gw</sub>	Ingestion Rate - groundwater	L/day	2	1	--	--	2	
		EF <sub>gw</sub>	Exposure Frequency - groundwater	d/y	350	350	--	--	250	
		ED <sub>gw</sub>	Exposure Duration - groundwater	y	30	6	--	--	25	
		BW	Body Weight	kg	70	15	--	--	70	
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		--	--	25,550	
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	--	--	9,125	
		CF	Conversion Factor	mg/ug	1.00E-03	1.00E-03	--	--	1.00E-03	

Table 6-19 Summary of Exposure Factors and Intake Equations

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					Adult Value	Child Value	Adult Value	Child Value			
Groundwater	Dermal	DAD	Dermally Absorbed Dose	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$DAD(mg / kg / day) = \frac{DA_{event} \times EV \times ED \times EF \times SA}{BW \times AT}$	
		C <sub>gw</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - groundwater	ug/L	95% UCL	95% UCL	--	--	95% UCL		
		DA <sub>event</sub>	Absorbed Dose Per Event	mg/cm <sup>2</sup> -event	Chemical- and event-specific						
		SA	Surface Area	cm <sup>2</sup>	18,000	6,600	--	--	18,000		
		EV	Event Frequency	events/day	1	1	--	--	1		
		EF <sub>gw</sub>	Exposure Frequency - groundwater	d/y	350	350	--	--	250		
		ED <sub>gw</sub>	Exposure Duration - groundwater	y	30	6	--	--	25		
		BW	Body Weight	kg	70	15	--	--	70		
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		--	--	25,550		
AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	--	--	9,125				
Surface Water	Ingestion	CDI <sub>sw</sub>	Chronic Daily Intake of Chemical - surface water	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$Intake(mg / kg / day) = \frac{C_{sw} \times IR \times EF \times ED \times CF}{BW \times AT}$	
		C <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - surface water	mg/L	--	--	95% UCL	95% UCL	--		
		IR <sub>sw</sub>	Ingestion Rate - surface water	L/day	--	--	2	1	--		
		EF <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Frequency - surface water	d/y	--	--	20	20	--		
		ED <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Duration - surface water	y	--	--	30	6	--		
		BW	Body Weight	kg	--	--	70	15	--		
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	--	--	ED*365	ED*365	--		
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	--	--	10,950	2,190	--		
		CF	Conversion Factor	mg/ug	--	--	1.00E-03	1.00E-03	--		
Surface Water	Dermal	DAD	Dermally Absorbed Dose	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$DAD(mg / kg / day) = \frac{DA_{event} \times EV \times ED \times EF \times SA}{BW \times AT}$	
		C <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Point Concentration - surface water	ug/L	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL		
		DA <sub>event</sub>	Absorbed Dose Per Event	mg/cm <sup>2</sup> -event	Chemical- and event-specific						
		SA	Surface Area	cm <sup>2</sup>	5,672	4,150	5,672	4,150	5,672		
		EV	Event Frequency	events/day	1	1	1	1	1		
		EF <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Frequency - surface water	d/y	60	60	20	20	40		
		ED <sub>sw</sub>	Exposure Duration - surface water	y	30	6	30	6	25		
		BW	Body Weight	kg	70	15	70	15	70		
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		25,550		25,550		
AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	10,950	2,190	9,125				
Air (Particulate or Volatiles from Soil)	Inhalation	EC	Exposure Concentration	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	--	--	--	--	--	$EC(mg / m^3) = \frac{C_a \times ET \times EF \times ED}{AT}$	
		C <sub>a</sub>	Modeled concentration in air	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Chemical-specific						
		ET	Exposure time	hours/day	24	24	24	24	8		
		EF <sub>air</sub>	Exposure Frequency - air	d/y	270	270	90	90	250		
		ED <sub>air</sub>	Exposure Duration - air	y	30	6	30	6	25		
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	hours	25,550		25,550		613,200		
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	hours	262,800	52,560	262,800	52,560	219,000		
Air (Volatiles from Groundwater)	Inhalation	EC	Exposure Concentration	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	--	--	--	--	--	$EC(mg / m^3) = \frac{C_a \times ET \times EF \times ED}{AT}$	
		C <sub>a</sub>	Modeled concentration in air	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Chemical-specific						
		ET	Exposure time	hours/day	0.75	0.75	--	--	-		
		EF <sub>air</sub>	Exposure Frequency - air	d/y	350	350	--	--	-		
		ED <sub>air</sub>	Exposure Duration - air	y	30	6	--	--	-		
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	hours	25,550		--	--	-		
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	hours	262,800	52,560	--	--	-		



Table 6-19 Summary of Exposure Factors and Intake Equations

Medium	Exposure Route	Parameter Code	Parameter Definition	Units	Future Residential		Recreational/Subsistence User		Mine Worker Adult Value	Intake Equation
					Adult Value	Child Value	Adult Value	Child Value		
Subsistence Foods	Ingestion	CDI <sub>sub</sub>	Chronic Daily Intake of Chemical - subsistence foods	mg/kg-d	--	--	--	--	--	$Intake(mg / kg / day) = \frac{Cf \times IR \times FI \times EF \times ED}{BW \times AT}$
		Cf	Modeled concentration in subsistence foods (separate for whitefish, moose, beaver, grouse and blueberries)	mg/kg	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	95% UCL	
		IR <sub>fish</sub>	Ingestion Rate - non-salmon fish (whitefish)	kg/d	0.271	0.130	0.271	0.130	0.271	
		FI <sub>fish</sub>	Fractional Intake from contaminated source for non-salmon fish (whitefish)	unitless	1.000	1.000	0.200	0.200	0.200	
		IR <sub>lm</sub>	Ingestion Rate - large land mammals (moose)	kg/d	0.076	0.036	0.076	0.036	0.076	
		FI <sub>lm</sub>	Fractional Intake from contaminated source - large land mammals (moose)	unitless	1.000	1.000	0.014	0.014	0.014	
		IR <sub>slm</sub>	Ingestion Rate - small land mammals (beaver)	kg/d	0.037	0.018	0.037	0.018	0.037	
		FI <sub>slm</sub>	Fractional Intake from contaminated source - small land mammals (beaver)	unitless	1.000	1.000	0.020	0.020	0.020	
		IR <sub>bird</sub>	Ingestion Rate - birds (grouse)	kg/d	0.011	0.005	0.011	0.005	0.011	
		FI <sub>birds</sub>	Fractional Intake from contaminated source - birds (grouse)	unitless	1.000	1.000	0.330	0.330	0.330	
		IR <sub>berries</sub>	Ingestion Rate - berries and plants (blueberries)	kg/d	0.014	0.007	0.014	0.007	0.014	
		FI <sub>berries</sub>	Fractional Intake from contaminated source - berries and plants (blueberries)	unitless	1.000	1.000	0.010	0.010	0.010	
		EF <sub>sub</sub>	Exposure Frequency - subsistence foods	d/y	365	365	365	365	250	
		ED <sub>sub</sub>	Exposure Duration - subsistence foods	y	30	6	30	6	25	
		BW <sub>a</sub>	Body Weight	kg	70	15	70	15	70	
		AT <sub>c</sub>	Averaging Time - cancer	days	25,550		25,550		25,550	
		AT <sub>nc</sub>	Averaging Time - non-cancer	days	10,950	2,190	10,950	2,190	9,125	

**Table 6.20 Available Harvest Rates, Pre-2012**

Food Source	Ballew et al. (2004) – Median (g/day)	IDM (1997) - 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Harvest (g/day)	IDM (1997) - 95 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Harvest (g/day)	EFH (2011) (g/day)
Salmon	68	76.8	967.9	See Table 2
Non-Salmon Fish	16	27.8	149.6	See Table 2
Large Land Mammal	47	76.1	199.5	NA
Berries	21	NA	NA	18.2
Birds	5	NA	NA	NA

Key:

EFH = Exposure Factors Handbook

g/day = grams per day

NA = Not available

**Table 6-21 Native American Fish Ingestion Rates**

Ingestion Rates (g/day) <sup>1</sup>					
	Wolfe and Walker (1987)	Toy et al. (1996) – Tulalip	Toy et al. (1996) – Squaxin	Duncan (2000) – Suquamish	IDM (1997) – Subarctic Interior <sup>2</sup>
<i>95<sup>th</sup> Percentile</i>					
Adult	NA	203	210	700	1117.5
Child	NA	10.5	31.5	109.5	NA
<i>Mean</i>					
Adult	81 <sup>3</sup>	63	63	189	104.6
Child	NA	3	12	22.5	NA

Notes:

1 – Body weight adjusted, if needed, at 70 kg for adult and 15 kg for child

2 – Sum of salmon and non-salmon harvest rate for 50<sup>th</sup> (mean) and 95<sup>th</sup> percentile

3 - Represents median value

Key:

NA = Not available

**Table 6-22 Wild Food Ingestion Rates**

Food Source Category	Indicator Species	Key Study, Community	Adult IR (g/day)
Non-Salmon Fish	Whitefish	ADF&G 2012 Red Devil	0.271
Large Land Mammal	Moose	ADF&G 2003 Red Devil	0.076 <sup>1</sup>
Small Land Mammals	Beaver	ADF&G 2012 Red Devil	0.037
Birds	Grouse	ADF&G 2012 Red Devil	0.011
Berries and Plants	Blueberry	ADF&G 2012	0.014

Notes:

1 – At the time of the writing of the draft HHRA, the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile use value was not available. The value presented in this table is based on the mean consumption rate. The value will be updated in the final HHRA, if available.

Key:

g/day = grams per day

IR = ingestion rate

**Table 6-23 Arsenic Bioaccessibility at Red Devil Mine**

Exposure Unit	Sample ID	Arsenic Bioaccessibility (%)
		<250 µm Sieve
Background	11RD18SS	34.9
Background	11UP09SS	68.1
DA	11RD30SS	36.1
MPA	11MP34SS	2.7
MPA	11MP59SS	12.9
MPA	11MP32SS	15.2
MPA	11MP36SS	19.9
MPA	11MP52SS	39.1
MPA	11MP90SS	40.4
MPA	11MP17SS	40.9
MPA	11MP25SS	47.3
SMA	11SM18SS	4
SMA	11SM13SS	7.6
SMA	11SM28SS	43

Key:

DA Downstream Alluvial Area

MPA Main Processing Area

SMA Surface Mined Area

µm micrometer

**Table 6-24 Comparison of Modeled and Actual Game Fish Concentrations**

COPC	Game Fish Modeled EPC			Reach C Northern Pike - Muscle					Reach C Northern Pike - Liver				
	n	95% UCL	Units	n	Min	Max	95% UCL	Units	n	Min	Max	95% UCL	Units
Antimony	21	17.06	mg/kg-wet	17	ND	ND	ND	mg/kg-wet	17	ND	ND	ND	mg/kg-wet
Arsenic	21	11.40	mg/kg-wet	17	0.059	1.025	0.626	mg/kg-wet	17	0.032	0.446	0.195	mg/kg-wet
Mercury	21	6.42	mg/kg-wet	17	0.060	0.609	0.371	mg/kg-wet	17	0.050	0.414	0.186	mg/kg-wet

Key:

- 95% UCL = 95 percent upper confidence limit on the mean
- COPC = contaminant of potential concern
- EPC = exposure point concentration
- Max = maximum detected concentration
- mg/kg-wet = milligrams per kilograms wet weight
- Min = minimum detected concentration
- n = number of samples
- ND = not detected

**Table 6-25 Comparison of Total Mercury Concentrations in Blueberry Fruit Data**

Area	Bailey and Gray, 1997		Modeled Blueberry Fruit Concentrations and RI Soil Concentrations
	Range (mg/kg)		95 UCL (mg/kg)
<b>Blueberries</b>			
Retort (unmined)	0.030	0.100	101 <sup>1</sup>
Mined	0.040	0.060	7.89 <sup>2</sup>
<b>Soil</b>			
Retort (unmined)	0.2	120	506 <sup>1</sup>
Mined	0.2	1200	39.4 <sup>2</sup>

Notes:

1 – Used values from MPA.

2 – Used values from SMA.

Key:

RI remedial investigation

mg/kg milligrams per kilogram

UCL upper confidence limit

**Table 6-26. Non-Cancer Toxicity Date - Oral/Dermal**

Compound of Potential Concern	Oral RfD Value	GI Absorption Factor <sup>(1)</sup>	Adjusted Dermal RfD <sup>(2)</sup>	Units	Primary Target Organ	Sources of RfD: Target Organ	Notes
<b>Metals</b>							
Aluminum	1.0E+00	1	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	Nervous System	PPRTV	
Antimony	4.0E-04	0.15	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	Whole Body	IRIS	
Arsenic	3.0E-04	1	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	Cardiovascular, Skin	IRIS	Surrogate = Arsenic (Inorganic)
Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.0E-04	1	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	Cardiovascular, Skin	IRIS	
Barium	2.0E-01	0.07	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	Kidney	IRIS	
Cadmium (Diet)	1.0E-03	0.025	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	Kidney	IRIS	
Cadmium (Water)	5.0E-04	0.05	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	Kidney	IRIS	
Chromium	1.5E+00	0.013	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	NA	IRIS	Trivalent chromium
Cobalt	3.0E-04	1	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	Hematologic System	PPRTV	
Copper	4.0E-02	1	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	GI Tract	HEAST	
Iron	7.0E-01	1	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		PPRTV	
Manganese	2.4E-02	0.04	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	Nervous System	IRIS	Non-diet contribution
Manganese	1.4E-01	1	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	Nervous System	IRIS	Diet contribution
Mercury	3.0E-04	0.07	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	Immune System, Nervous System, Kidney	IRIS	Mercuric Chloride (and other Mercury salts)
Nickel	2.0E-02	0.04	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d		IRIS	Soluble salts
Selenium	5.0E-03	1	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	Skin	IRIS	
Silver	5.0E-03	0.04	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	Skin	IRIS	
Thallium	1.0E-05	1	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	Skin	PPRTV	Soluble salts
Vanadium	5.0E-03	1	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	Kidney	IRIS	
Zinc	3.0E-01	1	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	Hematologic System	IRIS	

**Table 6-26. Non-Cancer Toxicity Data - Oral/Dermal**

Compound of Potential Concern	Oral RfD Value	GI Absorption Factor <sup>(1)</sup>	Adjusted Dermal RfD <sup>(2)</sup>	Units	Primary Target Organ	Sources of RfD: Target Organ	Notes
<b>Organometals</b>							
Methyl mercury	1.0E-04	1	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	Nervous System, Developmental	IRIS	
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>							
1-Methylnaphthalene	7.0E-02	1	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	Lung	ATSDR	
Naphthalene	2.0E-02	1	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	Nervous System	IRIS	
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds</b>							
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.0E-02	1	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	Reproductive System	IRIS	

Key:

ATSDR = Agency of Toxic Substances and Disease Registry

GI = gastrointestinal

HEAST = Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables.

IRIS = Integrated Risk Information System.

mg/kg-d = milligrams per kilogram per day

N/A = Not Applicable or Not Available.

Notes:

(1) Refer to Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund, Part E (EPA 2004).

(2) Dermal RfD = Oral RfD x GI Absorption Factor.



**Table 6-27 Non-Cancer Toxicity Date - Inhalation**

Compound of Potential Concern	Inh. RfC Value	Units	Primary Target Organ	Sources of RfC: Target Organ	Notes
<b>Metals</b>					
Aluminum	5.0E-03	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respiratory	PPRTV	
Arsenic	1.5E-05	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Skin, Nervous System, Cardiovascular	CalEPA	Surrogate = Arsenic (Inorganic)
Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.5E-05	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Skin, Nervous System, Cardiovascular	CalEPA	
Barium	5.0E-04	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Cardiovascular, Reproductive and Developmental	HEAST	
Cadmium	2.0E-05	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Kidney, Lungs	CalEPA	
Cobalt	6.0E-06	mg/m <sup>3</sup>		PPRTV	
Manganese	5.0E-05	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Nervous System, Respiratory, Reproductive	IRIS	
Mercury	3.0E-04	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Nervous System, Kidney	IRIS	Elemental mercury
Nickel	9.0E-05	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respiratory, Immunological	CalEPA	Soluble salts
Selenium	2.0E-02	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respiratory, Gastrointestinal, Nervous System	CalEPA	
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>					
Naphthalene	3.0E-03	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Blood, eyes, Gastrointestinal, Nervous System, Liver, Kidney	IRIS	

Notes:

CalEPA = California Environmental Protection Agency

HEAST = Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables.

IRIS = Integrated Risk Information System.

mg/m<sup>3</sup> = milligrams per cubic meter

PPRTV = Provisional Peer-Reviewed Toxicity Value

**Table 6-28 Cancer Toxicity Data - Oral/Dermal**

Compound of Potential Concern	Oral Cancer Slope Factor	GI Absorption Factor <sup>(1)</sup>	Adjusted Dermal Cancer Slope Factor <sup>(2)</sup>	Units	Mutagen (Yes/No)	Source	Notes
<b>Metals</b>							
Arsenic	1.5	1	1.5	(mg/kg-d)-1	No	IRIS	Surrogate = Arsenic (Inorganic)
Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.5	1	1.5	(mg/kg-d)-1	No	IRIS	
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>							
1-Methylnaphthalene	0.029	1	0.029	(mg/kg-d)-1	No	PPRTV	Surrogate = 2-Methylnaphthalene
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds</b>							
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.014	1	0.014	(mg/kg-d)-1	No	IRIS	

IRIS = Integrated Risk Information System.

PPRTV = Provision Peer- Revised Toxicity Values

SF = Slope Factor

mg/kg-d = milligrams per kilograms per day

(1) Refer to Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund, Part E (EPA 2004).

(2) Dermal SF = Oral SF/GI Absorption factor.

**Table 6-29 Cancer Toxicity Data - Inhalation**

Compound of Potential Concern	Inhalation Unit Risk	Units	Mutagen (Yes/No)	Weight of Evidence/ Cancer Guideline Description	Source	Notes
<b>Metals</b>						
Arsenic	4.30E-03	(µg/m3)-1	No	A	IRIS	Surrogate = Arsenic (Inorganic)
Arsenic (Inorganic)	4.30E-03	(µg/m3)-1	No	A	IRIS	
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds</b>						
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.40E-06	(µg/m3)-1	No		CalEPA	

IRIS = Integrated Risk Information System.

CalEPA = California Environmental Protection Agency

µg/m3 = micrograms per cubic meter

**Table 6-30 Summary of Excess Lifetime Cancer Risks for Red Devil Mine**

Medium	Exposure Route	Future Resident - Surface Mined Area	Future Resident - Main Processing Area	Future Resident - RDC Downstream Alluvial Area	Recreational/ Subsistence User	Mine Worker
HI By Target Organ						
Soil	Ingestion	6E-03	8E-03	4E-03	2E-03	2E-03
	Dermal	1E-03	1E-03	6E-04	3E-04	5E-04
Sediment	Dermal	3E-03	3E-03	3E-03	3E-03	2E-03
	Ingestion	9E-04	4E-02	4E-02	--	2E-02
Groundwater	Dermal	2E-06	9E-05	9E-05	--	7E-05
	Ingestion	--	--	--	7E-04	--
Surface Water	Dermal	7E-06	7E-06	7E-06	2E-06	5E-06
	Inhalation of Fugitive Dust/Volatiles from Soil	7E-06	9E-06	4E-06	5E-07	7E-06
Fish	Ingestion	4E-03	4E-03	4E-03	7E-04	4E-04
Large Land	Ingestion	2E-05	2E-05	2E-05	3E-07	2E-07
Small Land	Ingestion	2E-04	2E-04	2E-04	5E-06	2E-06
Birds	Ingestion	9E-04	9E-04	9E-04	3E-04	2E-04
Berries and	Ingestion	6E-03	8E-03	3E-03	6E-05	3E-05
<b>Total Excess Lifetime Cancer Risk</b>		<b>2E-02</b>	<b>7E-02</b>	<b>6E-02</b>	<b>8E-03</b>	<b>3E-02</b>

Shaded cell indicates excess lifetime cancer risk greater than 10<sup>-5</sup>.

**Table 6-31 Summary of Hazard Indices for Red Devil Mine**

Medium	Exposure Route	Future Resident - Surface Mined Area		Future Resident - Main Processing Area		Future Resident - RDC Downstream Alluvial Area		Recreational/ Subsistence User		Mine Worker
		Adult	Child	Adult	Child	Adult	Child	Adult	Child	Adult
HI By Target Organ										
Soil	Ingestion	12	116	30	284	10	94	8	74	22
	Dermal	2.4	16	3.3	22	1.4	9.4	0.8	5.4	3.8
Sediment	Dermal	8	55	8	55	8	55	8	55	14
	Ingestion	6	13	554	1293	554	1293	--	--	396
Groundwater	Dermal	0.1	0.1	6.3	1.3	6.3	1.3	--	--	4.5
	Ingestion	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.0	--
Surface Water	Dermal	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0
	Inhalation of Fugitive Dust/Volatiles from Soil	4.6	4.6	56	56	18	18	14	14	13
Air	Inhalation of Volatiles from Groundwater	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	--	--	--
Fish	Ingestion	432	967	432	967	432	967	86	193	59
Large Land	Ingestion	8	18	8	18	8	18	0	0	0
Small Land	Ingestion	10	21	10	21	10	21	0	0	0
Birds	Ingestion	16	37	16	37	16	37	5.4	12	3.7
Berries and	Ingestion	29	66	170	381	48	108	1.3	3.0	0.1
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>		<b>529</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>1295</b>	<b>3136</b>	<b>1113</b>	<b>2623</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>517</b>

Shaded cell indicates HI greater than 1.0.

**Table 6-32 Summary of Excess Lifetime Cancer Risks for Background**

Medium	Exposure Route	Future Resident	Recreational/ Subsistence User	Mine Worker
Soil	Ingestion	4E-04	1E-04	1E-04
	Dermal	6E-05	2E-05	3E-05
Sediment	Dermal	9E-06	3E-06	4E-06
Groundwater	Ingestion	3E-04	--	2E-04
	Dermal	7E-07	--	5E-07
Surface Water	Ingestion	--	7E-04	--
	Dermal	1E-08	2E-06	7E-09
Air	Inhalation of Fugitive Dust/Volatiles from Soil	4E-07	3E-08	4E-07
Fish	Ingestion	0E+00	0E+00	0E+00
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	5E-06	7E-08	4E-08
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	4E-05	8E-07	5E-07
Birds	Ingestion	1E-05	5E-06	2E-06
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	4E-04	4E-06	2E-06
<b>Total Excess Lifetime Cancer Risk</b>		<b>1E-03</b>	<b>9E-04</b>	<b>3E-04</b>

Note:

Shaded cell indicates excess lifetime cancer risk greater than  $10^{-5}$ .

**Table 6-33 Summary of Hazard Indices for Background**

Medium	Exposure Route	Future Resident - Background	
		Adult	Child
Soil	Ingestion	0.9	8.8
	Dermal	0.2	1.0
Sediment	Dermal	0.0	0.1
Groundwater	Ingestion	8.0	18.6
	Dermal	0.2	0.5
Surface Water	Ingestion	--	--
	Dermal	0.0	0.0
Air	Inhalation of Fugitive Dust/Volatiles from Soil	0.2	0.2
	Inhalation of Volatiles from Groundwater	0.7	0.7
Fish	Ingestion	0.0	0.0
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	0.0	0.0
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	1.6	3.5
Birds	Ingestion	2.8	6.2
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	2.0	4.4
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>		<b>16.7</b>	<b>44.3</b>

Note:

Shaded cell indicates HI greater than 1.0.

**Table 6-34 Human Health Risk Assessment Uncertainties**

Area of Uncertainty	Potential Impact on Risk
<b>Environmental Sampling and Analysis</b>	
Targeted sampling	Overestimate
Background characterization	Over- or Underestimate
Detection limits in water above RBSC	Underestimate
<b>Exposure Point Concentrations</b>	
Inclusion of estimated results	Overestimate
Inclusion of non-detected chemicals in EPC calculation	Over- or Underestimate
Use of 95 UCL or maximum concentration	Overestimate
Exclusion of non-detected chemicals	Underestimate
Modeled COPC concentrations in tissue	Overestimate
Use of total mercury results to estimate volatile, elemental mercury in soil and water	Overestimate
Use of total metal concentrations in groundwater	Overestimate
<b>Exposure Assessment</b>	
Change in chemical concentrations not considered	Over- or Underestimate
Use of high end and default values	Overestimate
Dermal exposure to sediment	Over- or Underestimate
Wild food ingestion rates based on harvest data	Overestimate
Fraction of wild food ingested from site	Overestimate
Use of representative species	Over- or Underestimate
Bioaccessibility of arsenic and other metals	Overestimate
<b>Toxicity Assessment</b>	
Determination of toxicity values	Over- or Underestimate
Dermal toxicity values	Over- or Underestimate
Assumption of additive impacts	Overestimate
Not including synergistic effects	Underestimate
Use of surrogates	Over- or Underestimate
Use of lead models	Over- or Underestimate
<b>Risk Characterization</b>	
Not including preparation of food	Over- or Underestimate
Background risks and hazards not included	Overestimate
Exclusion of telemetry data for fish	Overestimate
Key:	
COPC	contaminants of particular concern
EPC	exposure point concentration
RBSC	risk-based screening concentrations
UCL	upper confidence limit

**Table 6-35 Summary of Chemical and Endpoint Combinations to be Evaluated in the Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment, Red Devil Mine Site**

Analyte <sup>b</sup>	Assessment Endpoint and Maximum HQ from Revised SLERA <sup>a</sup>															
	Plants <sup>c</sup>	Soil Fauna <sup>d</sup>	Fish and Other Aquatic Biota <sup>e</sup>	Fish <sup>f</sup>	Benthos <sup>g</sup>	Terrestrial Wildlife <sup>h</sup>						Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife <sup>i</sup>				
						Robin	Shrew	Grouse	Vole	Shrike	Weasel	Snipe	Beaver	Teal	Kingfisher	Mink
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>																
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)		x														
<b>Metals</b>																
Antimony	x	299	6.1	x	2,193	x	136,370	x	1,681	x		x	60	x	x	89
Arsenic	549	x	6.9	14	13,265	28	214	47	41	1.5	1.9	823	1.5	37	5.5	3.3
Barium	x	5.2	26	x	x	2.0	1.6	1.3				1.4				
Beryllium	x				x	x		x		x		x		x	x	
Cadmium						1.7	4.4									
Chromium	1.3	x		3.5	1.1	2.9	1.3									
Cobalt	3.0	x			1.0										1.1	
Copper	2.0	1.7			2.8	4.4	4.6					1.5				
Iron			2.5		16											
Lead	26	1.8				83	48	20	2.8	4.9	1.0					
Manganese	19	9.4	3.2	x	12		2.3	2.1	6.1							
Mercury	5,400	16,200	32	8	661	9.5	2.1	39				5.8		2.8	4.2	
Methylmercury				1	x										2.3	1.3
Nickel	2.6				11	3.7	21									
Selenium				2.7			1.2					5.7			5.2	2.9
Silver		x														
Thallium		x			x	x	3.3	x		x		x		x	x	3.8
Vanadium	26	x		x	x	1.9		1.7				2.5				
Zinc	2.4	3.2		1.3	1.1	2.2	2.7									
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>																
HPAH sum																
LPAH sum						x		x		x		x			x	
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>																
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
4-Methylphenol	x	x				x		x		x						
Benzoic acid	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Benzyl Alcohol	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	x	x														
Dibenzofuran						x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Diethylphthalate		x				x		x		x		x			x	

**Table 6-35 Summary of Chemical and Endpoint Combinations to be Evaluated in the Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment, Red Devil Mine Site**

Analyte <sup>b</sup>	Assessment Endpoint and Maximum HQ from Revised SLERA <sup>a</sup>															
	Plants <sup>c</sup>	Soil Fauna <sup>d</sup>	Fish and Other Aquatic Biota <sup>e</sup>	Fish <sup>f</sup>	Benthos <sup>g</sup>	Terrestrial Wildlife <sup>h</sup>						Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife <sup>i</sup>				
						Robin	Shrew	Grouse	Vole	Shrike	Weasel	Snipe	Beaver	Teal	Kingfisher	Mink
Dimethylphthalate	x					x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Di-n-butyl Phthalate																
Hexachlorobenzene	x															
Pentachlorophenol																
Phenol																

**Key:**

BERA = Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment (Appendix G in draft RI report)

TRV = toxicity reference value

Value (with or without shading) = HQ equal to or greater than 1. Chemical and receptor combination will be evaluated quantitatively in the BERA.

x = chemical detected in site samples but no screening level or TRV is available. Chemical will be evaluated qualitatively in the BERA.

**Notes:**

a. For plants, soil fauna, fish and other aquatic biota, fish (only), and benthos, shading indicates the percentage of site samples that exceed the screening level (SL):

Value	= > 75%
Value	= 50 - 75%
Value	= 25 - 50%
Value	= < 25%

For wildlife, the value of the maximum HQ (exposure estimate / TRV) is shown without shading because wildlife HQs were not calculated sample-by-sample.

b. Essential nutrients (calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003a). Organic chemicals detected in surface soil, sediment, or surface water are listed.

c. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on plants (see SLERA Table 4-1).

d. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on earthworms (see SLERA Table 4-1).

e. Based on comparing maximum surface water chemical concentrations with surface water criteria and standards for effects on fish and other aquatic biota (see SLERA Table 4-3).

f. Based on comparing maximum whole-body scuplin chemical concentrations with fish tissue screening concentrations (see SLERA Table 4-3b).

g. Based on comparing maximum sediment chemical concentrations with sediment screening levels for effects on benthic macroinvertebrates (see SLERA Table 4-2).

h. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and hazard quotients for the American robin (SLERA Table 4-15), masked shrew (SLERA Table 4-16), spruce grouse (SLERA Table 4-17), tundra vole (SLERA Table 4-18), northern shrike (SLERA Table 4-19), and least weasel (SLERA Table 4-20).

i. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and HQs for the common snipe (SLERA Table 4-21), beaver (SLERA Table 4-22), green-winged teal (SLERA Table 4-23), belted kingfisher (SLERA Table 4-24), and mink (SLERA Table 4-25).

**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
<b>Primary Producers</b>					
Terrestrial plant species abundance, diversity, and primary production.	Are levels of contaminants in surface soil from the site great enough to affect terrestrial plant survival, growth, or reproduction?	All plants that obtain nutrients primarily from soil.	Chemical concentrations in soils.	Compare soil chemical concentration with phytotoxicity benchmarks.	Yes
<b>Herbivores and Detritivores</b>					
Freshwater aquatic invertebrate community abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of freshwater aquatic invertebrates?	All freshwater aquatic invertebrates.	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentration with chronic, freshwater quality criteria	Yes
Freshwater benthic invertebrate community abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in sediment from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of benthic invertebrates?	All freshwater benthic invertebrates.	1. Chemical concentrations in sediment.  2. Results from benthic macroinvertebrate surveys in Red Devil Creek and nearby reference creeks.	Compare sediment chemical concentration with sediment quality benchmark.	Yes
Soil invertebrate community abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in site soils great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of soil invertebrates?	All terrestrial invertebrates.	Chemical concentrations in soil.	Compare soil chemical concentration with available toxicity benchmarks for earthworms or other soil invertebrates.	Yes



**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
Freshwater fish detritivore abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of freshwater fish?	All freshwater fish.	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentration with chronic, freshwater quality criteria.	Yes
Freshwater semi-aquatic avian herbivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by herbivorous waterfowl from consumption of semi-aquatic plants and other media in the settling ponds at the RDM site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of birds?	Green-winged teal <sup>a</sup>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chemical concentrations in settling pond sediment (dry at time of sampling).</li> <li>2. Chemical concentrations in settling pond surface water.</li> <li>3. Chemical concentrations in semi-aquatic plants growing in the settling ponds.</li> </ol>	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of semi-aquatic plants, water, and sediment compared with TRV.	Yes. According to Alaska DEC, signs of waterfowl use of the settling ponds near the main processing area have been reported.
Terrestrial avian herbivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by herbivorous birds from consumption of terrestrial plants and other media at the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of birds?	Spruce grouse <sup>a</sup>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chemical concentrations in soil.</li> <li>2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.</li> <li>3. Chemical concentrations in conifer needles.</li> </ol>	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of terrestrial plants, water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes. Spruce grouse are known to use the site and are hunted by residents of Red Devil Village.

**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
Freshwater mammalian semi-aquatic mammalian herbivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by herbivorous mammals from consumption of semi-aquatic and terrestrial plants and other media at the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of mammals?	Beaver <sup>a</sup>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chemical concentrations in soil.</li> <li>2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.</li> <li>3. Chemical concentrations in green alder bark.</li> </ol>	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of plants, water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes. Historic use of Red Devil Creek by beavers is evident.
Terrestrial mammalian herbivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by herbivorous mammals from consumption of terrestrial plants and other media at the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of mammals?	Tundra vole.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chemical concentrations in soil.</li> <li>2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.</li> <li>3. Chemical concentrations in a representative herbaceous plant (blueberry stems and leaves).</li> </ol>	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of terrestrial plants, water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes
<b>Secondary Consumers</b>					
Semi-aquatic avian invertivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by semi-aquatic birds from consumption of benthic invertebrates and other media from Red Devil Creek exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of birds?	Common snipe.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chemical concentrations in sediment.</li> <li>2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.</li> <li>3. Chemical concentrations in benthic invertebrates.</li> </ol>	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of benthic invertebrates, surface water, and sediment compared with TRV.	Yes

**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
Terrestrial avian invertivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by invertivorous birds from consumption of terrestrial invertebrates and other media from the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of birds?	American robin.	1. Chemical concentrations in soil.  2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of soil invertebrates, surface water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes
Freshwater fish invertivore abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of freshwater fish?	All freshwater fish.	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentration with chronic, freshwater quality criteria	Yes
Freshwater amphibian invertivore abundance and diversity.	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of amphibians?	Wood frog.	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentration with chronic, freshwater quality criteria.	Yes. Wood frogs have not been observed at the site, but their possible presence cannot be ruled out.
Terrestrial mammalian invertivore abundance and diversity.	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by invertivorous mammals from consumption of terrestrial invertebrates and other media from the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth, or reproduction of mammals?	Masked shrew.	1. Chemical concentrations in soil.  2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of soil invertebrates, surface water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes

**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
<b>Tertiary Consumers</b>					
Freshwater avian piscivore abundance and diversity	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by piscivorous birds from consumption of fish and other media from Red Devil Creek exceed TRVs for survival, growth, or reproduction of birds?	Belted kingfisher.	1. Chemical concentrations in surface water.  2. Chemical concentrations in fish.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of fish and water compared with TRV	Yes
Terrestrial avian carnivore abundance and diversity	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by carnivorous birds from consumption of small mammals and other media from the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of birds?	Northern shrike.	1. Chemical concentrations in soil.  2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of prey compared with TRV	Yes
Terrestrial mammalian carnivore abundance and diversity	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by carnivorous mammals from consumption of prey and other media from the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth, or reproduction of mammals?	Least weasel.	1. Chemical concentrations in soil.  2. Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of prey, surface water, and soil compared with TRV.	Yes

**Table 6-36 Assessment Endpoints, Risk Questions, Indicator Species, Measures, and Assessment Methods for the Red Devil Mine Site BERA.**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Indicator Species	Measure for BERA	Assessment Method	Include in BERA?
Freshwater mammalian carnivore abundance and diversity	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by piscivorous mammals from consumption of fish and other media from Red Devil Creek exceed TRVs for survival, growth or reproduction of mammals?	Mink.	1. Chemical concentrations in surface water.  2. Chemical concentrations in fish.	Modeled chemical dose from ingestion of fish and sediment compared with TRV.	Yes
Freshwater fish piscivore abundance and diversity	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek great enough to affect survival, growth, or reproduction of freshwater fish?	All freshwater fish.	1. Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentration with chronic, freshwater quality criteria.	Yes

Key:

ADEC = Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

BERA = Baseline ecological risk assessment

RDM = Red Devil Mine

TRV = Toxicity reference value

Note:

a = Differs from primary indicator species recommended by ADEC (1999) for site-specific reasons.

**Table 6-37 Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization for Terrestrial Plants and Soil Invertebrates Based on Surface Soil (0 to 2 feet bgs) Data, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC <sup>c</sup>	FoD	Soil Ecological Screening Levels and Hazard Quotients									
						Plants					Soil Invertebrates				
						Value <sup>d</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>f</sup>	COC	Rationale <sup>g</sup>	Value <sup>e</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>f</sup>	COC	Rationale <sup>g</sup>
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>															
Antimony	135	0.708 J	23300 J	4,234	111/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	78	86/135	54	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	135	9	9880	3,569	134/135	18	126/134	198	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Barium	135	76.2	1710	438	135/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	330	41/135	1.3	Yes	>SL
Beryllium	135	0.3	1.3	0.73	132/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	40	0/1354	0.03	No	<SL
Chromium	135	6	101	29.1	135/135	75	1/135	0.39	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Cobalt	135	5.9	38.8	18.1	135/135	13	103/135	1.4	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Copper	135	17	139	69.0	135/135	70	56/135	0.99	No	<SL	80	30/135	0.86	No	<SL
Lead	135	5	3090	96.6	126/135	120	6/126	0.80	No	<SL	1700	1/135	0.06	No	<SL
Manganese	135	153	4230	757	135/135	220	133/135	3.4	Yes	>SL	450	111/135	1.7	Yes	>SL
Mercury	135	0.05 J	1620	252	135/135	0.3	126/135	839	Yes	>SL	0.1	133/135	2516	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	0	--	--	--	0/0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nickel	135	18	97	52.4	135/135	38	101/135	1.4	Yes	>SL	280	0/135	0.35	No	<SL
Silver	135	0.068	0.123	0.12	2/135	560	0/2	0.0002	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Thallium	135	0.065	0.071	0.071	2/135	1	0/135	0.07	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Vanadium	135	15.3	51.9	34.8	135/135	2	135/135	17.4	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	135	38	386	111	135/135	160	4/135	0.69	No	<SL	120	35/135	0.9	No	<SL

**Key:**

- = not available or not applicable
- BERA = Baseline ecological risk assessment
- bgs = below ground surface
- COC = chemical of concern
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- Eco-SSL = Ecological Soil Screening Level
- EPC = Exposure point concentration
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence (number of detects > screening level / number of detects)
- HQ = hazard quotient
- J = estimated value
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- NDs = non detects
- SL = Screening level
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- Shading = HQ equals or exceeds 1, or no SL available. Chemical is a COC.

**Notes:**

- a = Only metals identified and COPCs in the SLERA are listed.
- b = 127 original site samples and 8 field duplicate samples.
- c = See Appendix H for method of calculation.
- d = Eco-SSLs ([www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/](http://www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/)) for arsenic, cobalt, copper, lead, manganese, nickel, silver, and zinc. Chromium plant screening level is from Alloway (1990). Other plant screening levels are from Efroymson et al. (1997a).
- e = Eco-SSLs ([www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/](http://www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/)).
- f = Hazard quotient (EPC divided by screening level)
- g = Rationale codes.
- For Yes: >SL = EPC exceeds screening level  
NSL = no screening level available.
- For No: <SLs = EPC less than screening levels

**Table 6-38 Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization for Benthic Macroinvertebrates in Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Based on Sediment Data, RDM Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC <sup>c</sup>	FoD	Sediment Ecological Screening Levels		FoE	HQ <sup>d</sup>	COC	Rationale <sup>e</sup>
						Value	Basis				
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>											
Antimony	45	0.237 J	6360 J	2871	40/45	2.9	MacDonald et al. (1999). PAETA, WA	37/40	990	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	45	0.57 J	130000	22968	45/45	33	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	33/45	696	Yes	>SL
Barium	45	4.12	1990	474.1	45/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Beryllium	45	0.008 J	0.9	1.316	43/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Chromium	45	0.65 J	47.4 J	22.6	43/45	111	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	0/43	0.20	No	<SL
Cobalt	45	0.369	50	17.7	45/45	50	MacDonald et al. (1999). Criterion, Ontario.	0/45	0.35	No	<SL
Copper	45	0.68	87.5	41.19	45/45	149	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	0/45	0.3	No	<SL
Iron	45	19600	344000	51,808	45/45	21,200	MacDonald et al. (1999). LEL, B.C.	43/45	2.4	Yes	>SL
Manganese	45	404	5410	1256	45/45	460	MacDonald et al. (1999). LEL, B.C.	42/45	2.7	Yes	>SL
Mercury	45	0.169 J	119 J	36.1	45/45	1.06	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	32/45	34	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	33	0.0001 J	0.0144 J	0.0045	32/33	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Nickel	45	0.78	240 J	63.3	45/45	48.6	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	11/45	1.3	Yes	>SL
Thallium	45	0.011 J	0.653	0.185	29/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Vanadium	45	1.72	48.5	27.53	43/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	45	1.2 J	132 J	95.9	45/45	459	MacDonald et al. (2000). PEC.	0/45	0.2	No	<SL

**Key:**

- = Not available or not applicable
- BERA = Baseline ecological risk assessment
- B.C. = British Columbia, Canada
- COC = Chemical of concern
- COPC = Chemical of potential concern
- EPC = Exposure point concentration
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)
- J = estimated value
- PAETA = Probable apparent effect threshold approach
- PEC = Probable effect concentration
- RDM = Red Devil Mine
- SL = Screening level
- SLERA = Screening level ecological risk assessment
- WA = Washington State
- █ = HQ equals or exceeds 1, or no SL available. Chemical is a COC.

**Notes:**

- a = Only metals identified and COPCs in the SLERA are listed.
- b = 42 original samples and 3 field duplicates
- c = See Appendix H for method of calculation.
- d = Hazard quotient (EPC / screening level)
- e = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes:
    - >SL = EPC exceeds screening level
    - =SL = EPC equals screening level
    - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No:
    - <SL = EPC less than screening level

**Table 6-39 Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization for Fish and other Aquatic Organisms in Red Devil Creek Based on Surface Water Data, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	EPC <sup>c</sup>	FoD	Surface Water Chronic Ecological Screening Levels		FoE	HQ <sup>d</sup>	COC	Rationale <sup>e</sup>
						Value	Basis				
<b>Metals (µg/L)</b>											
Antimony	22	1.3	184	135.5	22/22	30	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	12/22	4.5	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	22	0.8	1030	811.3	22/22	150	ADEC (2008) and USEPA(2009)	2/22	5.4	Yes	>SL
Arsenic (without RD05) <sup>f</sup>	20	0.8	85.6	85.6	20/20	150	ADEC (2008) and USEPA(2009)	0/22	0.57	No	<SL
Barium	22	20.6	103	43.71	22/22	4	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	22/22	10.9	Yes	>SL
Iron	22	118	2470	1325	22/22	1,000	ADEC (2008) and USEPA(2009)	3/22	1.3	Yes	>SL
Iron (without RD05) <sup>f</sup>	20	118	2470	892	20/20	1,000	ADEC (2008) and USEPA(2009)	1/20	0.89	No	<SL
Manganese	22	11.2	379	170.6	22/22	120	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	2/22	1.4	Yes	>SL
Manganese (without RD05) <sup>f</sup>	20	11.2	86.4	33.2	20/20	120	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/22	0.28	No	<SL
Mercury	21	0.00192	0.385	0.243	21/21	0.77	ADEC (2008) and USEPA(2009)	0/21	0.31	No	<SL
Mercury	21	0.00192	0.385	0.243	21/21	0.012	USEPA (1986) <sup>g</sup>	15/21	20.2	Yes	>SL

Key:

- = Not available or not applicable
- ADEC = Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
- BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment
- B.C. = British Columbia
- COC = chemical of concern
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- EPC = Exposure point concentration
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)
- SCV = secondary chronic value
- SL = screening level
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- USEPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency
- = HQ equals or exceeds 1. Chemical is a COC.

Notes:

- a = Only metals identified and COPCs in the SLERA are listed.
- b = 19 original samples and 3 field duplicates.
- c = See Appendix H for method of calculation.
- d = Hazard quotient (EPC / screening level).
- e = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = EPC exceeds screening level
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: <SL = EPC less than screening level.
- f = Excluding the two samples (10RD05SW and 11RD05SW) collected from the spring in the Main Processing Area.
- g = Criterion derived using a bioconcentration factor of 81,700 for methylmercury for fathead minnow. Assumes all mercury present in water is methylmercury.



**Table 6-40 Exposure Assessment and Risk Characterization for Fish in Red Devil Creek Based on Comparing Metals in Whole-Body Sculpin Samples With Fish Tissue Screening Concentrations**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight) <sup>b</sup>	Tissue Screening Concentration (mg/kg wet weight) <sup>c</sup>	EPC <sup>d</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>e</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>f</sup>
Antimony	38.1	--	17.1	--	--	Yes	NSL
Arsenic	24.1	1.7	11.4	18/21	6.7	Yes	>SL
Barium	5.40	--	3.8	--	--	Yes	NSL
Chromium	2.43	0.69	0.68	1/21	0.99	No	<SL
Manganese	21.3	--	12.5	--	--	Yes	NSL
Mercury	3.70	0.46	2.1	13/21	4.7	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	0.312	0.3 - 0.7	0.312	1/2	1.0	Yes	=SL
Selenium	2.98	1.1	1.89	16/21	1.7	Yes	>SL
Vanadium	0.40	--	0.22	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	35.4	27	26.6	7/21	0.99	No	<SL

Key:

-- not available or not applicable.

EPC = exposure point concentration

FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)

HQ = hazard quotient

SL = screening level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Notes:

a = Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b = See Table 6-43

c = Dyer et al. (2000), except for methylmercury, which is from Sandheinrich and Weiner (2011).

d = See Appendix H for method of calculation.

e = Hazard quotient (EPC / screening level)

f = Rationale codes.

For Yes: >SL = EPC exceeds SL

= SL = EPC equals SL

NSL = no screening level available.

For No: <SL = EPC less than SL

**Table 6-41 Summary of 2011 Vegetation Sample Data from Red Devil Mine Site**

	Number of Samples <sup>a</sup>	Minimum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Maximum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Frequency of Detection
<b>Green Alder Bark</b>				
Aluminum	9	3.7	24.2	8/9
Antimony	9	0.165 J	3.35 J	8/9
Arsenic	9	0.06	0.91	7/9
Barium	9	2.35	203	8/9
Beryllium	9	0.005 J	0.015 J	4/9
Cadmium	9	0.014 J	0.129	6/9
Calcium	9	4560	10800	8/9
Chromium	9	0.3 J	1.4 J	3/9
Cobalt	9	0.064	0.528	8/9
Copper	9	4.33	6.64	8/9
Iron	9	17.6	34.9	8/9
Lead	9	0.06	0.113	8/9
Magnesium	9	529	967	8/9
Manganese	9	91.2	1140	8/9
Mercury	9	0.017 J	0.289 J	8/9
Methylmercury	5	0.0037 U	0.004 U	0/5
Nickel	9	0.72	4.15	8/9
Potassium	9	1530	2610	8/9
Selenium	9	0.22 J	0.22 J	1/9
Silver	9	0.016	0.193	2/9
Sodium	9	9.8	17	8/9
Thallium	9	0.006 J	0.03	4/9
Vanadium	9	0.03 J	0.07	8/9
Zinc	9	35.9 J	108 J	8/9
<b>Blueberry Leaves and Stems</b>				
Aluminum	2	59.7	64.6	2/2
Antimony	2	0.096 J	0.131 J	2/2
Arsenic	2	0.08 J	0.15 J	2/2
Barium	2	50.4	68	2/2
Beryllium	2	0.003 U	0.003 J	1/2
Cadmium	2	0.332	1.2	2/2
Calcium	2	2400	2430	2/2
Chromium	2	0.2 U	0.2 J	1/2
Cobalt	2	0.035	0.099	2/2
Copper	2	3.58	5.97	2/2
Iron	2	20.3	25.6	2/2
Lead	2	0.061	0.067	2/2
Magnesium	2	902	1120	2/2
Manganese	2	1430	1630	2/2
Mercury	2	0.023 J	0.034 J	2/2
Methylmercury	2	0.004 U	0.004 U	0/2
Nickel	2	1.89	6.68	2/2
Potassium	2	3930	4340	2/2
Selenium	2	0.15 U	0.15 U	2/2
Silver	2	0.008 U	0.008 U	2/2
Sodium	2	12.2 J	12.9 J	2/2
Thallium	2	0.005 J	0.006 J	2/2
Vanadium	2	0.03 J	0.03 J	2/2
Zinc	2	31.6 J	42.6 J	2/2
<b>Spruce Needles</b>				
Aluminum	9	5.1	172	8/9
Antimony	9	0.20 J	15.1 J	7/9
Arsenic	9	0.11 J	11.1	7/9
Barium	9	4.16	85.3	7/9
Beryllium	9	0.008 J	0.008 J	1/9
Cadmium	9	0.01 J	0.191	7/9

**Table 6-41 Summary of 2011 Vegetation Sample Data from Red Devil Mine Site**

	Number of Samples <sup>a</sup>	Minimum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Maximum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Frequency of Detection
Calcium	9	3320	9920	8/9
Chromium	9	0.4 J	1.3 J	5/9
Cobalt	9	0.05	0.303	8/9
Copper	9	0.93	4.42	8/9
Iron	9	20.1	206	8/9
Lead	9	0.009	0.466	8/9
Magnesium	9	548	958	8/9
Manganese	9	130	2990	8/9
Mercury	9	0.03	5.64	8/9
Methylmercury	5	0.0037 U	0.004 U	0/5
Nickel	9	0.67	6.35	8/9
Potassium	9	3450	7740	8/9
Selenium	9	0.15 U	0.15 U	0/9
Silver	9	0.016 J	0.114	6/9
Sodium	9	4.1 J	24.8 J	8/9
Thallium	9	0.005 J	0.021 J	2/9
Vanadium	9	0.03 J	0.47	7/9
Zinc	9	13.9	53.2 J	8/9
<b>Pond Vegetation</b>				
Aluminum	5	8.3	94.2	4/5
Antimony	5	4.92 J	97.4 J	4/5
Arsenic	5	32.1	309	4/5
Barium	5	18.2	36.2	4/5
Beryllium	5	0.003 J	0.006 J	4/5
Cadmium	5	0.009 J	0.22	4/5
Calcium	5	13300	15700	4/5
Chromium	5	0.2 J	0.6 J	2/5
Cobalt	5	0.308	0.886	4/5
Copper	5	3.4	9.62	4/5
Iron	5	124	282	4/5
Lead	5	0.32	1.18	4/5
Magnesium	5	6340	13400	4/5
Manganese	5	46.8	199	4/5
Mercury	5	0.78 J	5.28 J	4/5
Methylmercury	5	0.0069 J	0.0069 J	1/1
Nickel	5	1.11	3.21	4/5
Potassium	5	15400	39500	4/5
Selenium	5	0.81	0.81	1/5
Silver	5	0.008 U	0.008 U	0/5
Sodium	5	52.5	377	4/5
Thallium	5	0.017 J	0.083	4/5
Vanadium	5	0.05 J	0.29	4/5
Zinc	5	36 J	55.7 J	4/5

**Key:**

- = Not available or not applicable
- J = estimated value
- U = undetected (reported value is method detection limit)

**Notes:**

- a = Number of original site samples and field duplicates.
  - Green alder bark: 8 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
  - Blueberry leaves and stems: 2 original site samples and 0 field duplicates.
  - Blueberry fruit: 0 original site samples and 0 field duplicates.
  - Spruce needles: 8 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
  - Pond vegetation: 4 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.

**Table 6-42 Summary of 2010 Benthic Macroinvertebrate Composite Sample Data for Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte	August 2010 Samples <sup>a</sup>				June 2010 Samples <sup>b</sup>			
	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection
Aluminum	--	--	--	--	3	118.4	<b>125</b>	3/3
Antimony	--	--	--	--	3	18.95	<b>21.44</b>	3/3
Arsenic	--	--	--	--	3	81.24	<b>126.44</b>	3/3
Barium	--	--	--	--	3	4.84	<b>6.61</b>	3/3
Beryllium	--	--	--	--	3	ND <sup>c</sup>	ND <sup>c</sup>	0/3
Boron	--	--	--	--	3	0.67 J+	<b>1.011 J+</b>	3/3
Cadmium	--	--	--	--	3	0.082	<b>0.166</b>	3/3
Calcium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Chromium	--	--	--	--	3	0.327	<b>0.441</b>	3/3
Cobalt	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Copper	--	--	--	--	3	6.564	<b>12.405</b>	3/3
Iron	--	--	--	--	3	761.3 J-	<b>974 J-</b>	3/3
Lead	--	--	--	--	3	0.131	<b>0.154</b>	3/3
Magnesium	--	--	--	--	3	162	<b>376</b>	3/3
Manganese	--	--	--	--	3	27.84	<b>50.8</b>	3/3
Mercury	--	--	--	--	3	1.60	<b>2.38</b>	3/3
Methylmercury	3	0.0587	<b>0.131</b>	3/3	3	0.0238	0.0594	3/3
Molybdenum	--	--	--	--	3	0.1	<b>0.19</b>	3/3
Nickel	--	--	--	--	3	0.557	<b>1.409</b>	3/3
Potassium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Selenium	--	--	--	--	3	1.002	<b>4.046</b>	3/3
Silver	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Sodium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Strontium	--	--	--	--	3	1.3 J+	<b>2.2 J+</b>	3/3
Thallium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Vanadium	--	--	--	--	3	0.40	<b>0.47</b>	3/3
Zinc	--	--	--	--	3	22.6 J-	<b>44.9 J-</b>	3/3

Source: Matt Varner, BLM Anchorage Field Office, Anchorage, AK.

Key:

-- (double dash) = not analyzed.

BLM = Bureau of Land Management

**Bold** = maximum detected concentration across both sampling events

J- = estimated value with low bias.

J+ = estimated value with high bias.

ND = not detected.

Notes:

a = Ephemeroptera, Heptageniidae, *Cinygmula* (mayfly) composite samples with 125 to 176 individuals per sample

b = Ephemeroptera, Baetidae, *Baetis* (mayfly) composite samples with 270 to 425 individuals per sample

c = Beryllium method detection limits = 0.025 mg/kg wet weight.

**Table 6-43 Summary of 2010 Sculpin Data from Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte	August 2010 Samples				June 2010 Samples			
	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection
Aluminum	12	11.7	<b>72.5</b>	12/12	9	3.6	20.9	9/9
Antimony	12	6.51	<b>38.1</b>	12/12	9	0.40	4.04	9/9
Arsenic	12	6.86	<b>24.1</b>	12/12	9	1.10	4.49	9/9
Barium	12	2.83	<b>5.40</b>	12/12	9	2.01	4.35	9/9
Beryllium	12	ND <sup>b</sup>	ND <sup>b</sup>	0/12	9	ND <sup>b</sup>	ND <sup>b</sup>	0/9
Boron	12	0.031	0.088	5/12	9	0.142 J+	<b>0.843 J</b>	9/9
Cadmium	12	0.029	0.056	5/12	9	0.027	<b>0.103</b>	6/9
Calcium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Chromium	12	0.038	0.188	12/12	9	0.028	<b>2.431</b>	9/9
Cobalt	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Copper	12	0.72	1.164	12/12	9	0.27 J-	<b>2.263 J-</b>	9/9
Iron	12	63.7	<b>184</b>	12/12	9	18.9 J-	61 J-	9/9
Lead	12	0.027	<b>0.079</b>	11/12	9	0.025 J	0.026	2/9
Magnesium	12	280	368	12/12	9	251	<b>423</b>	9/9
Manganese	12	6.65	<b>21.3</b>	12/12	9	8.44	16.0	9/9
Mercury	12	0.68	<b>3.70</b>	12/12	9	0.05	0.63	9/9
Methylmercury	1	0.16	0.16	1/1	1 <sup>a</sup>	0.312	<b>0.312</b>	1/1
Molybdenum	12	0.028	<b>0.038</b>	7/12	9	0.03	0.03	1/9
Nickel	12	0.083	<b>0.263</b>	12/12	9	0.039	0.113	9/9
Potassium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Selenium	12	1.53	<b>2.98</b>	12/12	9	0.834	1.43	9/9
Silver	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Sodium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Strontium	12	10.6	30.0	12/12	9	15.5 J+	<b>32.8 J+</b>	9/9
Thallium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Vanadium	12	0.15	0.32	12/12	9	0.10	<b>0.40</b>	9/9
Zinc	12	20.6	<b>35.4</b>	12/12	9	17.1 J-	30.2 J-	9/9

Source: Matt Varner, BLM Anchorage Field Office, Anchorage, AK.

**Key:**

-- (double dash) = not analyzed.

BLM = Bureau of Land Management

**Bold** = maximum detected concentration across both sampling events.

J- = estimated value with low bias.

J+ = estimated value with high bias.

ND = not detected.

**Notes:**

a = Composite sample. In June 2010, methylmercury was measured only in a composite sample of three sculpin.

b = Beryllium method detection limits = 0.025 mg/kg wet weight.

**Table 6-44 Exposure Parameters for Wildlife Receptors, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Species	Assumed Diet	Soil or Sediment Ingestion (kg/d) dry	Surface Water Ingestion (L/day)	Home Range (ha)	Site Use Factor <sup>i</sup>	Exposure Duration <sup>j</sup>	Food Ingestion Rate (kg/d) wet	Percent Water in Diet	Food Ingestion Rate (kg/d) dry	Body Weight (kg)
<b>Terrestrial Wildlife</b>										
American Robin <sup>a</sup>	100% soil invertebrates	0.00019	0.011	0.42	1.0	0.33	0.093	80%	0.0186	0.077
Masked Shrew <sup>b</sup>	100% soil invertebrates	0.00011	0.0011	0.22	1.0	1.0	--	--	0.0021	0.0064
Spruce Grouse <sup>c</sup>	100% conifer foliage	0.0056	0.038	3.93	1.0	1.0	--	--	0.06	0.53
Tundra Vole <sup>b</sup>	100% herbaceous plants	0.0002	0.0063	0.11	1.0	1.0	--	--	0.0085	0.047
Northern Shrike <sup>d</sup>	100% small mammals	0	0.0095	n.a.	1.0	0.33	--	--	0.0139	0.0656
Least Weasel <sup>e</sup>	100% small mammals	0	0.0053	n.a.	1.0	1.0	--	--	0.0048	0.039
<b>Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife</b>										
Common Snipe <sup>b, h</sup>	100% benthic invertebrates	0.0016	0.014	0.1 to 48	1.0	0.33	0.047	68%	0.015	0.116
Beaver <sup>f</sup>	100% alder bark	0.0037	1.76	n.a.	1.0	1.0	--	--	0.186	24.5
Green Winged Teal <sup>b</sup>	100% pond vegetation	0.001	0.027	243	0.004	0.33	--	--	0.053	0.32
Belted Kingfisher <sup>g</sup>	100% forage fish	0	0.016	2.2 km	1.0	0.33	0.075	68%	0.024	0.148
Mink <sup>g</sup>	100% forage fish	0	0.099	1.9 to 2.6 km	1.0	1.0	0.137	68%	0.044	1

**Key:**

-- = not applicable

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

kg = kilogram

kg/d = kilograms per day

L/d = liters per day

**Notes:**

a. Sample and Suter (1994).

b. Exponent (2007).

c. Exponent (2007) for willow ptarmigan.

d. Dunning (1993) for body weight. Food ingestion rate calculated from body weight using allometric relationship for passerine birds from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion typically is negligible for predatory wildlife.

e. EPA (1993) for body weight. Food ingestion rate calculated from body weight using allometric relationship for placental mammals from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion typically is negligible for predatory wildlife.

f. Body weight from www.Alaskan-Adventures.com (accessed 6-7-11). Food and water ingestion rates calculated from body weight using allometric relationships from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion rate assumed to be 2% of food ingestion rate.

g. Sample and Suter (1994).

h. Food moisture content of 68% based on EPA (1999) for carnivores. Wet food Ingestion rate = dry food ingestion rate / (1- food moisture content).

i. Site use factor (SUF) of 1 assumed for all receptors except green-winged teal. For the teal, the SUF equals the settling pond surface area (1 ha) divided by the home range (243 ha).

j. Migratory birds (robin, shrike, snipe, teal, kingfisher) assumed to be present at site four months of the year (4/12 = 0.33). Other species assumed to be present year-round.

**Table 6-45 Data Used to Estimate Exposure Point Concentrations for Calculating Exposure Estimates for Wildlife**

Receptor	Exposure Point Concentration											
	Measured Chemical Concentration									Modeled Concentration <sup>a</sup>		
	RDC Surface Water	Surface Soil	Sediment		Spruce Needles <sup>b</sup>	Blueberry Stems and Leaves <sup>b</sup>	Green Alder Bark <sup>b</sup>	Settling Pond Plants <sup>b</sup>	Sculpin <sup>b</sup>	Mayfly <sup>b</sup>	Earthworm	Small Mammal
RDC and KR			Settling Ponds									
<b>Terrestrial Wildlife</b>												
American Robin	X	X									X	
Masked Shrew	X	X									X	
Spruce Grouse	X	X			X							
Tundra Vole	X	X				X						
Northern Shrike	X											X
Least Weasel	X											X
<b>Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife</b>												
Common Snipe	X		X							X		
Beaver	X	X					X					
Green Winged Teal	X			X				X				
Belted Kingfisher	X								X			
Mink	X								X			

Key:

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration  
 KR = Kuskokwim River  
 RDC = Red Devil Creek

Notes:

a = Based on surface soil EPC. For chemicals with no available model, the chemical concentration in earthworms and small mammals was set equal to the surface soil EPC.

b = If a chemical was detected in soil or sediment but not analyzed for in biota, the biota chemical concentration was assumed to be equal to the soil or sediment EPC.

**Table 6-46 American Robin and Masked Shrew Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC (mg/kg) <sup>b</sup>	Soil-to-Earthworm Bioaccumulation Equation <sup>c</sup>	Earthworm EPC (mg/kg)
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	136	4234	$C_e = C_s$	4234
Arsenic	811	3596	$\ln(C_e) = 0.706 * \ln(C_s) - 1.421$	78
Barium	44	438.3	$C_e = 0.091 * C_s$	40
Beryllium	0.009	0.734	$C_e = 0.045 * C_s$	0.033
Cadmium	0.0059	0.321	$\ln(C_e) = 0.795 * \ln(C_s) + 2.114$	3.4
Chromium	0.31	29.1	$C_e = 0.306 * C_s$	8.9
Copper	0.43	69.03	$C_e = 0.515 * C_s$	35.6
Lead	0.034	96.56	$\ln(C_e) = 0.807 * \ln(C_s) - 0.218$	32
Manganese	171	756.6	$\ln(C_e) = 0.682 * \ln(C_s) - 0.809$	41
Mercury	0.2425	251.6	$\ln(C_e) = 0.118 * \ln(C_s) - 0.684$	0.97
Nickel	10.5	52.39	$C_e = 1.059 * C_s$	55
Selenium	0.39	0.42	$\ln(C_e) = 0.733 * \ln(C_s) - 0.075$	0.49
Thallium	0.0075	0.071	$C_e = C_s$	0.071
Vanadium	0.14	34.82	$C_e = 0.042 * C_s$	1.46
Zinc	0.73	110.6	$\ln(C_e) = 0.328 * \ln(C_s) + 4.449$	400

Key:

-- = not analyzed

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

$C_e$  = chemical concentration in earthworm

$C_s$  = chemical concentration in soil

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

UCL = upper confidence limit

µg/L = micrograms per liter

Notes:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. Soil-to-earthworm bioaccumulation equations from EPA (2005a), except for nickel, which is from Sample et al. (1998a). For chemicals with no available model, the chemical concentration in earthworms was set equal to the surface soil EPC.



**Table 6-47 Spruce Grouse, Tundra Vole, and Beaver Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC (mg/kg) <sup>b</sup>	Spruce Needles (mg/kg) <sup>b</sup>	Blueberry Stems and Leaves (mg/kg) <sup>c</sup>	Alder Bark (mg/kg) <sup>b</sup>
<b>Metals</b>					
Antimony	136	4234	10.3	0.131	2.72
Arsenic	811	3596	7.6	0.15	0.53
Barium	44	438	59.9	--	--
Beryllium	0.009	0.73	0.008	--	--
Lead	0.034	97	0.34	0.067	--
Manganese	171	757	1904	1630	--
Mercury	0.24	252	5.6	--	--
Thallium	0.0075	0.071	0.021	--	--
Vanadium	0.14	35	0.47	--	--

**Key:**

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

NDs = non detects

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

UCL = upper confidence limit

µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. Maximum detected concentration from Table 6-41.

**Table 6-48 Green-Winged Teal Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (ug/L) <sup>b</sup>	Pond "Sediment" EPC (mg/kg) <sup>c</sup>	Settling Pond Vegetation EPC	
			Value (mg/kg)	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	136	1430	97.4	Maximum measured concentration (Table 6-41)
Arsenic	811	9880	309	Maximum measured concentration (Table 6-41)
Beryllium	0.009	0.8	0.006	Maximum measured concentration (Table 6-41)
Mercury	0.24	127	5.28	Maximum measured concentration (Table 6-41)
Thallium	0.0075	0.75	0.083	Maximum measured concentration (Table 6-41)

Key:

-- = Not analyzed.

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

EPC = Exposure point concentration

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

µg/L = micrograms per liter

Notes:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. Maximum concentration from three original surface soil samples (10MP32SS, 10MP34SS, and 10MP36SS) and one field duplicate surface soil sample (10MP84SS) collected from the settling ponds.

**Table 6-49 Northern Shrike and Least Weasel Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC (mg/kg) <sup>b</sup>	Soil- or Diet-to-Small Mammal Bioaccumulation Equation <sup>c</sup>	Small Mammal EPC (mg/kg)
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	136	4234	$C_m = 0.001 * 50 * C_d$	0.007
Arsenic	811	3596	$\ln(C_m) = 0.8188 * \ln(C_s) - 4.8471$	6.4
Beryllium	0.009	0.734	$C_m = 0.001 * 50 * C_d$	0.0002
Lead	0.034	96.6	$\ln(C_m) = 0.4422 * \ln(C_s) + 0.0761$	8.1
Thallium	0.0075	0.071	$C_m = 0.1124 * C_s$	0.008

**Key:**

-- = not analyzed

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

$C_d$  = chemical concentration in diet (maximum concentration in blueberry stems/leaves)

$C_m$  = chemical concentration in small mammal tissue

$C_s$  = chemical concentration in soil

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

NDs = non detects

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. EPA (2005a) except for thallium, which is from Sample et al. (1998b).

**Table 6-50 Common Snipe Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Sediment EPC (mg/kg) <sup>c</sup>	Benthic Macroinvertebrate EPC (mg/kg)	
			Value	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	136	4,455	21.44	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42)
Arsenic	811	38,302	126.4	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42)
Barium	44	681	6.61	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42)
Beryllium	0.009	1.32	0.013	One-half method detection limit (Table 6-42)
Copper	0.43	37	12.4	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42).
Mercury	0.24	67	2.38	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42)
Selenium	0.385	0.49	4.05	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42)
Thallium	0.0075	0.15	0.150	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note d.
Vanadium	0.14	31	0.47	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 6-42).

Key:

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

HHRA = human health risk assessment

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

µg/L = micrograms per kilogram

Notes:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. UCL on average concentration for Red Devil Creek and Kuskowkim River near-shore sediment samples (see HHRA EPC tables) except for beryllium, which is from Table 6-38

d. Benthic macroinvertebrate EPC assumed to be equal to sediment EPC.

**Table 6-51 Belted Kingfisher and Mink Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Sediment EPC (mg/kg) <sup>c</sup>	Slimy Sculpin EPC	
			Value (mg/kg)	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
	136	4,455	17.06	UCL on average concentration (see Appendix H).
Arsenic	811	38,302	11.4	UCL on average concentration (see Appendix H).
Beryllium	0.009	1.32	0.0125	One-half method detection limit (Table 6-43).
Cobalt	3.04	17	17	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note d.
Mercury	0.24	67	2.14	UCL on average concentration (see Appendix H).
Methylmercury	0.0003	0.0052	0.312	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 6-43).
Selenium	0.39	0.49	1.9	UCL on average concentration (see Appendix H).
Thallium	0.0075	0.15	0.15	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note d.

Key:

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

µg/L = micrograms per kilogram

Notes:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

b. UCL on average concentration or maximum detected concentration (see Appendix H).

c. UCL on average concentration for Red Devil Creek and Kuskowkim River near-shore sediment samples (see HHRA EPC tables) except for beryllium, which is from Table 6-38.

d. Sculpin EPC assumed equal to sediment EPC.

**Table 6-52 Toxicity Reference Values for Birds and Mammals**

Analyte	Wildlife Class	NOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	LOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	Reference and Comments
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	0.059	Reproduction	0.59	Reproduction	EPA (2005i). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.059 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction below lowest bounded LOAEL (0.59 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction from 20 laboratory toxicity studies.
Arsenic	Birds	2.24	Reproduction	3.55	Growth	EPA(2005b). Lowest NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from nine laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival greater than selected NOAEL.
	Mammals	1.04	Growth	1.66	Growth	EPA (2005b). Highest bounded NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival less than lowest bounded LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from 62 laboratory toxicity studies.
Barium	Birds	20.8	Survival	41.7	Survival	Sample et al. (1996).
	Mammals	51.8	Reproduction, growth, and survival	121	Growth and survival	EPA (2005c). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 12 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Beryllium	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	0.532	Survival	na	na	EPA (2005d). Lowest NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from four laboratory toxicity studies.
Cadmium	Birds	1.47	Reproduction, growth, and survival	2.37	Reproduction	EPA (2005e). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 49 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	0.77	Growth	1	Growth	EPA (2005e). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.77 mg/kg-d) for reproduction, growth, or survival less than the lowest bounded LOAEL (1.0 mg/kg-d) from 141 laboratory toxicity studies.
Chromium	Birds	2.66	Reproduction, growth, and survival	2.78	Survival	EPA (2008). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 17 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	9.24	Reproduction and growth	na	na	EPA (2008). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth from 10 studies with trivalent chromium.
Cobalt	Birds	7.61	Growth	7.8	Growth	EPA (2005f). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth from 10 toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth or reproduction greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	7.33	Reproduction and Growth	10.9	Reproduction	EPA (2005f). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth based on 21 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth or reproduction greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Copper	Birds	4.05	Reproduction	4.68	Growth	EPA (2007a). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (4.05 mg/kg-day) lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (4.68 mg/kg-day).
	Mammals	5.6	Reproduction	6.79	Growth	EPA (2007a). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (5.6 mg/kg-day) lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (6.79 mg/kg-day).
Lead	Birds	1.63	Reproduction	1.94	Reproduction	EPA (2005g). Highest bounded NOAEL (1.63 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL (1.94 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 57 laboratory toxicity studies.
	Mammals	4.7	Growth	5	Growth	EPA (2005g). Highest bounded NOAEL (4.7 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL (5 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 220 laboratory toxicity studies.
Manganese	Birds	179	Reproduction and Growth	348	Growth	EPA (2007b). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	51.5	Reproduction and Growth	65	Growth	EPA (2007b). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Mercury	Birds	0.45	Reproduction	0.9	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).

**Table 6-52 Toxicity Reference Values for Birds and Mammals**

Analyte	Wildlife Class	NOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	LOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	Reference and Comments
	Mammals	13.2	Reproduction and survival	na	na	Sample et al. (1996).
Methylmercury	Birds	0.068	Reproduction	0.37	Reproduction	CH2MHILL (2000).
	Mammals	0.032	Reproduction	0.16	Reproduction	CH2MHILL (2000).
Nickel	Birds	6.71	Growth and survival	11.5	Growth	EPA (2007c). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	1.7	Reproduction	2.71	Reproduction	EPA (2007c). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
Selenium	Birds	0.291	Survival	0.368	Reproduction	EPA (2007d). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
	Mammals	0.143	Growth	0.145	Reproduction	EPA (2007d). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
Silver	Birds	2.02	Growth	20.2	Growth	EPA (2006a). Lowest LOAEL for reproduction or growth divided by 10.
	Mammals	6.02	Growth	60.2	Growth	EPA (2006a). Lowest LOAEL for reproduction or growth divided by 10.
Thallium	Birds	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Mammals	0.0074	Reproduction	0.074	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
Vanadium	Birds	0.344	Growth	0.413	Reproduction	EPA (2005h). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.344 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival less than lowest bounded LOAEL (0.413 mg/kg-d) for reproduction, growth, or survival based on 94 laboratory toxicity studies.
	Mammals	4.16	Reproduction and growth	5.11	Growth	EPA (2005h). Highest bounded NOAEL (4.16 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction less than lowest bounded LOAEL (5.11 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 94 laboratory toxicity studies.
Zinc	Birds	66.1	Reproduction and Growth	66.5	Reproduction	EPA (2007e). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	75.4	Reproduction and Growth	75.9	Reproduction	EPA (2007e). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.

**Key:**

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

na = no available

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

TRV = toxicity reference value

**Table 6-53 American Robin Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site**

**BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	3.5E+00	6.5E-03	3.4E+02	3.4E+02	--	NA	--	--
Arsenic	3.0E+00	3.9E-02	6.3E+00	9.3E+00	2.24	3.55	4	3
Barium	3.6E-01	2.1E-03	3.2E+00	3.6E+00	20.8	41.7	0.2	0.1
Beryllium	6.0E-04	4.3E-07	2.7E-03	3.3E-03	--	NA	--	--
Cadmium	2.6E-04	2.8E-07	2.7E-01	2.7E-01	1.47	2.37	0.2	0.1
Chromium	2.4E-02	1.5E-05	7.2E-01	7.4E-01	2.66	2.78	0.3	0.3
Copper	5.7E-02	2.1E-05	2.9E+00	2.9E+00	4.05	4.68	0.7	0.6
Lead	7.9E-02	1.6E-06	2.6E+00	2.7E+00	1.63	1.94	1.6	1.4
Mercury	2.1E-01	1.2E-05	7.8E-02	2.8E-01	0.45	0.9	0.6	0.3
Nickel	4.3E-02	5.0E-04	4.5E+00	4.5E+00	6.71	11.5	0.7	0.4
Thallium	5.8E-05	3.6E-07	5.7E-03	5.8E-03	--	NA	--	--
Vanadium	2.9E-02	6.5E-06	1.2E-01	1.5E-01	0.344	0.413	0.4	0.4
Zinc	9.1E-02	3.5E-05	3.2E+01	3.2E+01	66.1	66.5	0.5	0.5

Key:

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quoti

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.



**Table 6-54 Masked Shrew Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	7.3E+01	2.3E-02	1.4E+03	1.5E+03	0.059	0.59	24781	2478
Arsenic	6.2E+01	1.4E-01	2.6E+01	8.8E+01	1.04	1.66	84	53
Barium	7.5E+00	7.5E-03	1.3E+01	2.1E+01	51.8	121	0.4	0.17
Cadmium	5.5E-03	1.0E-06	1.1E+00	1.1E+00	0.77	1	1.4	1.1
Chromium	5.0E-01	5.3E-05	2.9E+00	3.4E+00	9.24	--	0.37	--
Copper	1.2E+00	7.4E-05	1.2E+01	1.3E+01	5.6	6.79	2.3	1.9
Lead	1.7E+00	5.9E-06	1.1E+01	1.2E+01	4.7	5	3	2
Manganese	1.3E+01	2.9E-02	1.3E+01	2.6E+01	51.5	65	0.5	0.4
Mercury	4.3E+00	4.2E-05	3.2E-01	4.6E+00	13.2	--	0.4	--
Nickel	9.0E-01	1.8E-03	1.8E+01	1.9E+01	1.7	2.71	11	7
Selenium	7.2E-03	6.6E-05	1.6E-01	1.7E-01	0.143	0.145	1.2	1.2
Thallium	1.2E-03	1.3E-06	2.3E-02	2.5E-02	0.0074	0.074	3.3	0.33
Zinc	1.9E+00	1.2E-04	1.3E+02	1.3E+02	75.4	75.9	1.8	1.8

Key:

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quotient

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-55 Spruce Grouse Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	4.5E+01	9.7E-03	1.2E+00	4.6E+01	--	--	--	--
Arsenic	3.8E+01	5.8E-02	8.6E-01	3.9E+01	2.24	3.55	17	11
Barium	4.6E+00	3.1E-03	6.8E+00	1.1E+01	20.8	41.7	0.5	0.27
Beryllium	7.8E-03	6.5E-07	9.1E-04	8.7E-03	--	--	--	--
Lead	1.0E+00	2.5E-06	3.8E-02	1.1E+00	1.63	1.94	0.6	0.5
Manganese	8.0E+00	1.2E-02	2.2E+02	2.2E+02	179	348	1.2	0.6
Mercury	2.7E+00	1.7E-05	6.4E-01	3.3E+00	0.45	0.9	7.3	3.7
Thallium	7.5E-04	5.4E-07	2.4E-03	3.1E-03	--	--	--	--
Vanadium	3.7E-01	9.8E-06	5.3E-02	4.2E-01	0.344	0.413	1.2	1.0

Key:

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-57 Northern Shrike Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site  
BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	0.0E+00	6.5E-03	4.6E-04	7.0E-03	--	--	--	--
Arsenic	0.0E+00	3.9E-02	4.5E-01	4.9E-01	2.24	3.55	0.22	0.14
Beryllium	0.0E+00	4.3E-07	1.1E-05	1.1E-05	--	--	--	--
Lead	0.0E+00	1.7E-06	5.8E-01	5.8E-01	1.63	1.94	0.4	0.3
Thallium	0.0E+00	3.6E-07	5.6E-04	5.6E-04	--	--	--	--

Key:

-- = not available.

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HQ = hazard quotient

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

mg/kg = Milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = Milligrams per kilogram per day

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-58 Least Weasel Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Arsenic	0.0E+00	1.1E-01	7.9E-01	9.0E-01	1.04	1.66	0.9	0.5
Lead	0.0E+00	4.7E-06	1.0E+00	1.0E+00	4.7	5	0.2	0.2

Key:

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-59 Common Snipe Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL	HQ-LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	2.0E+01	5.5E-03	2.9E+00	2.3E+01	--	--	--	--
Arsenic	1.8E+02	3.3E-02	1.7E+01	1.9E+02	2.24	3.55	86	54
Barium	3.1E+00	1.8E-03	8.9E-01	4.0E+00	20.8	41.7	0.2	0.10
Beryllium	6.1E-03	3.6E-07	1.7E-03	7.8E-03	--	NA	--	--
Copper	1.7E-01	1.7E-05	1.7E+00	1.8E+00	4.05	4.68	0.5	0.4
Mercury	3.1E-01	9.8E-06	3.2E-01	6.3E-01	0.45	0.9	1.4	0.7
Selenium	2.3E-03	1.5E-05	5.4E-01	5.5E-01	0.291	0.368	1.9	1.5
Thallium	6.9E-04	3.0E-07	2.0E-02	2.1E-02	--	--	--	--
Vanadium	1.4E-01	5.5E-06	6.3E-02	2.1E-01	0.344	0.413	0.60	0.50

**Key:**

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quotient

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

**Note:**

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-60 Beaver Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL	HQ- LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	6.4E-01	9.7E-03	2.1E-02	6.7E-01	0.059	0.59	11	1.1
Arsenic	5.4E-01	5.8E-02	4.0E-03	6.1E-01	1.04	1.66	0.6	0.4

Key:

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quotient

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-61 Green Winged Teal Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL	HQ-LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	6.1E-03	1.6E-05	2.2E-02	2.8E-02	--	--	--	--
Arsenic	4.2E-02	9.4E-05	7.0E-02	1.1E-01	2.24	3.55	0.05	0.03
Beryllium	3.4E-06	1.0E-09	1.4E-06	4.8E-06	--	--	--	--
Mercury	5.4E-04	2.8E-08	1.2E-03	1.7E-03	0.45	0.9	0.004	0.002
Thallium	3.2E-06	8.7E-10	1.9E-05	2.2E-05	--	--	--	--

Key:

-- = Not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated exposure from incidental sediment (i.e., dry surface soil) ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

HQ = hazard quotient

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-62 Belted Kingfisher Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL	HQ-LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	0.00	4.9E-03	2.88	2.89	--	--	--	--
Arsenic	0.00	2.9E-02	1.93	1.95	2.24	3.55	0.9	0.6
Beryllium	0.00	3.2E-07	0.00	0.00	--	--	--	--
Cobalt	0.00	1.1E-04	2.87	2.87	7.61	7.8	0.38	0.37
Mercury	0.00	8.7E-06	0.36	0.36	0.45	0.9	0.8	0.4
Methylmercury	0.00	1.1E-08	0.05	0.05	0.068	0.37	0.8	0.14
Selenium	0.00	1.4E-05	0.32	0.32	0.291	0.368	1.1	0.9
Thallium	0.00	2.7E-07	0.03	0.03	--	--	--	--

**Key:**

-- = not available

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment

COPC = chemical of potential concern

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

HQ = hazard quotient

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

**Note:**

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.



**Table 6-63 Mink Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	LOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL	HQ-LOAEL
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	0.00	1.3E-02	2.34	2.35	0.059	0.59	40	4.0
Arsenic	0.00	8.0E-02	1.56	1.64	1.04	1.66	1.6	1.0
Methylmercury	0.00	3.1E-08	0.043	0.043	0.032	0.16	1.3	0.27
Selenium	0.00	3.8E-05	0.26	0.26	0.143	0.145	1.8	1.8
Thallium	0.00	7.5E-07	0.007	0.007	0.0074	0.74	0.9	0.01

**Key:**

- = not available
- BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet
- EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion
- EE-total = total chemical exposure
- EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption
- HQ = hazard quotient

- mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day
- NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

**Note:**

a. Only metals identified as COPCs in the SLERA are listed.

**Table 6-64 Percent of Total Concentration in Surface Soil Solubilized Via SPLP Extraction for Antimony, Arsenic, and Mercury.**

Sample ID	Antimony			Arsenic			Mercury		
	Total Antimony (mg/kg)	SPLP Antimony (µg/L)	Percent of Total Antimony Solubilized via SPLP	Total Arsenic (mg/kg)	SPLP Arsenic (µg/L)	Percent of Total Arsenic Solubilized via SPLP	Total Mercury (mg/kg)	SPLP Mercury (µg/L)	Percent of Total Mercury Solubilized via SPLP
10DS01SS	40 J	60	3.0%	1010	50 U	--	71	1.6 J	0.0%
10MP01SS	20 J	70	7.0%	100	50 U	--	2.6	0.1	0.1%
10MP02SS	210 J	90	0.9%	7310	440	0.1%	88	0.6	0.0%
10MP030405SS	5500 J	9250	3.4%	5580	3050	1.1%	680	30	0.1%
10MP06070809SS	4420 J	8190	3.7%	4520	2810	1.2%	750	8	0.0%
10MP16SS	1570 J	2790	3.6%	6950	3870	1.1%	290	5.7	0.0%
10MP17SS	6180 J	7740	2.5%	5540	4900	1.8%	460	14.7	0.1%
10MP25SS	14100	9240	1.3%	5400	3820	1.4%	1340	21 J	0.0%
10MP26SS	15100	11200	1.5%	6420	4890	1.5%	1620	12 J	0.0%
10MP27SS	8480	10700	2.5%	6100	3660	1.2%	250	1.5 J	0.0%
10MP29SS	16700	31300	3.7%	6170	6000	1.9%	440	7 J	0.0%
10MP32SS	1430	3660	5.1%	9880	2310	0.5%	127	3.3 J	0.1%
10MP34SS	780	480	1.2%	8510	700 J	0.2%	79	1.2 J	0.0%
10MP36SS	690	510	1.5%	7050	570 J	0.2%	75	1.4 J	0.0%
10MP41SS	39	50 U	--	516	50 U	--	8	0.9 J	0.2%
10MP424344SS	880	1580	3.6%	1840	590 J	0.6%	136	3.9 J	0.1%
10MP5051525354SS	10100 J	9140	1.8%	3610	2000	1.1%	144	174	2.4%
10MP55565758SS	764 J	960	2.5%	1100	920	1.7%	114	15	0.3%
10MP59SS	170 J	110	1.3%	1130	370	0.7%	115	0.2	0.0%
10OP01SS	3520 J	1950	1.1%	5340	4430	1.7%	170	4.8 J	0.1%
10RD04SS	381 J	620	3.3%	1210	540	0.9%	99	37	0.7%
10RD06SS	677 J	1290	3.8%	1250	660	1.1%	186	40	0.4%
10RD09SS	1.4 UJ	50 U	--	20	50 J	5.0%	2	0.1 UJ	--
10RD11SS	14 J	50 U	--	41	50 UJ	--	6.6	0.7 J	0.2%
10RD12SS	0.69 UJ	50 U	--	25	50 U	--	0.79	0.1 U	--
10RD18SS	0.8 UJ	50 U	--	40	50 U	--	1.57	0.1 U	--
10RD19SS	0.76 UJ	50 U	--	12	50 U	--	1.86	0.1 U	--
10RS01SS	34 J	50 U	--	29	50 U	--	1.25	0.1 U	--
10SM03SS	90 J	50 U	--	2290	170	0.1%	21	1.3	0.1%
10SM05SS	140 J	50 U	--	5120	560	0.2%	102	1.6	0.0%
10SM07SS	2.3 UJ	50 U	--	8510	300	0.1%	174	4.2	0.0%
10SM12SS	1.2 UJ	50 U	--	90	50 U	--	5.4 J	0.1 U	--
10SM13SS	40 J	110	5.5%	670	50 U	--	23 J	1.3 J	0.1%
10SM18SS	1.2 UJ	50 U	--	230	50 U	--	11 J	0.3 J	0.1%
10SM19SS	20 J	50 U	--	670	70	0.2%	14 J	2 J	0.3%
10SM21SS	0.47 UJ	50 U	--	39	50 U	--	2 J	0.1 U	--
10SM23SS	508 J	1430	5.6%	223	90	0.8%	8.2 J	1 J	0.2%
10SM27SS	1.2 UJ	50 U	--	20	50 U	--	1.9 J	0.2 J	0.2%
10SM28SS	109 J	380	7.0%	177	50 U	--	17 J	1.4 J	0.2%
10UP09SS	0.56 UJ	50 U	--	23	50 U	--	0.25	0.1 U	--
10UP10SS	0.59 UJ	50 U	--	16	50 U	--	0.22	0.1 U	--

Key:

J = Estimated value

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

SPLP = synthetic precipitation leaching procedure

U = Not detected; listed value is method detection limit.

µg/L = micrograms per liter

-- = Calculation not performed on nondetect results

**Table 6-65 Summary of COCs by Assessment Endpoint, Red Devil Mine Site BERA**

Analyte <sup>b</sup>	Assessment Endpoint and HQ <sup>a</sup>															
	Plants <sup>c</sup>	Soil Fauna <sup>d</sup>	Fish and Other Aquatic Biota <sup>e</sup>	Fish <sup>f</sup>	Benthos <sup>g</sup>	Terrestrial Wildlife <sup>h</sup>						Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife <sup>i</sup>				
						Robin	Shrew	Grouse	Vole	Shrike	Weasel	Snipe	Beaver	Teal	Kingfisher	Mink
<b>Metals</b>																
Antimony	x	54	4.5	x	990	x	2,478	x	31	x		x	1.1	x	x	4.0
Arsenic	198	x	5.4	6.7	696	3	53	11	9.3			54				1.0
Barium	x	1.3	11	x	x											
Beryllium	x				x	x		x		x		x		x	x	
Cadmium							1.1									
Chromium		x														
Cobalt	1.4	x														
Copper							1.9									
Iron			1.3		2.4											
Lead						1.6	2									
Manganese	3.4	1.7	1.4	x	2.7				4.6							
Mercury	839	2,516	20	4.7	34			3.7								
Methylmercury				1.0	x											
Nickel	1.4				1.3			7								
Selenium				1.7				1.2				1.5				1.8
Silver		x														
Thallium		x			x	x		x		x		x		x	x	
Vanadium	17.4	x		x	x			1								
Zinc							1.8									

**Key:**

BERA = Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment

COC = contaminant of concern

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

TRV = toxicity reference value

Value (with or without shading) = HQ equal to or greater than 1.

x = chemical detected in site samples but no screening level or TRV is available.

**Notes:**

a. For plants, soil fauna, fish and other aquatic biota, fish (only), and benthos, shading indicates the percentage of site samples that exceed the screening level (SL):

Value	= > 75%
Value	= 50 - 75%
Value	= 25 - 50%
Value	= < 25%

For wildlife, the value of the HQ (exposure estimate / LOAEL) is shown without shading because wildlife HQs were not calculated sample-by-sample.

b. Only metals identified as COCs in the SLERA for at least one assessment endpoint are listed.

c. Based on comparing soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on plants (see Table 6.3-3).

d. Based on comparing soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on earthworms (see Table 6.3-3).

e. Based on comparing surface water chemical concentrations with surface water criteria and standards for effects on fish and other aquatic biota (see Table 6.3-4).

f. Based on comparing whole-body scuplin chemical concentrations with fish tissue screening concentrations (see Table 6.3-6).

g. Based on comparing sediment chemical concentrations with sediment screening levels for effects on benthic macroinvertebrates (see Table 6.3-5).

h. Based on exposure estimates and hazard quotients for the American robin (Table 6.3-19), masked shrew (Table 6.3-20), spruce grouse (Table 6.3-21), tundra vole (Table 6.3-22), northern shrike (Table 6.3-23), and least weasel (Table 6.3-24).

i. Based on exposure estimates and HQs for the common snipe (Table 6.3-25), beaver (Table 6.3-26), green-winged teal (Table 6.3-27), belted kingfisher (Table 6.3-28), and mink (Table 6.3-29).

**Table 6-66 Human Health Compounds of Concern**

Medium	Future Resident	Recreational/ Subsistence User	Mine Worker
Soil	Arsenic Antimony Mercury	Arsenic Antimony Mercury	Arsenic Antimony Mercury
Sediment	Arsenic	Arsenic	Arsenic
Groundwater	Arsenic Antimony Cobalt (MPA and DA only) Manganese Mercury (MPA and DA only)		Arsenic Antimony Manganese
Surface Water		Arsenic	
Key: DA Downstream Alluvial Area MPA Main Processing Area			

**Table 6-67 Risk-Based Cleanup Levels for COCs**

Medium	Future Resident	Recreational/Subsistence User	Mine Worker
Soil	Arsenic – 8 mg/kg Antimony – 40 mg/kg Mercury – 30 mg/kg	Arsenic – 24 mg/kg Antimony – 120 mg/kg Mercury – 4 mg/kg	Arsenic – 22 mg/kg Antimony – 410 mg/kg Mercury – 32 mg/kg
Sediment	Arsenic – 175 mg/kg	Arsenic – 175 mg/kg	Arsenic – 268 mg/kg
Groundwater	Arsenic – 0.45 µg/L Antimony – 6 µg/L Cobalt – 5 µg/L Manganese – 375 µg/L Mercury – 5 µg/L		Arsenic – 0.79 µg/L Antimony – 20 µg/L Manganese – 1180 µg/L
Surface Water		Arsenic – 8 µg/L	
Key: µg/L micrograms per liter mg/kg milligrams per kilogram			

**Table 6-68 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels for Arsenic**

Assessment Endpoint	Medium	Proposed Cleanup Level Value	Method of Derivation	Confidence
Terrestrial Plants	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for arsenic in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Soil Invertebrates	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for arsenic in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Aquatic Biota (excluding fish) Exposed to Surface Water	Surface Water	None required. No impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in Red Devil Creek (RDC) are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of arsenic in surface water from RDC are not adversely affecting aquatic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Fish Community	Sediment and Surface Water	None proposed. Relationship between arsenic levels in sediment, surface water, and fish is not well understood at the site.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Benthic Macroinvertebrates	Sediment	None required. No impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in RDC are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of arsenic in sediment from RDC are not adversely affecting benthic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Invertivorous bird (American robin)	Surface Soil	<b>590 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>1065 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated with exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Arsenic levels in the assumed prey of the robin (earthworms) were calculated with a soil-to-earthworm bioaccumulation model from the literature that has not been verified for use at the site. Also, it is not know if earthworms are a component of the soil invertebrate community at the site given the location and regional climate.
Invertivorous mammal (masked shrew)	Surface Soil	<b>18 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>35 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated with exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Arsenic levels in the assumed prey of the shrew (earthworms) were calculated with a soil-to-earthworm bioaccumulation model from the literature that has not been verified for use at the site. Also, it is not know if earthworms are a component of the soil invertebrate community at the site given the location and regional climate.
Herbivorous bird (spruce grouse)	Surface Soil	<b>208 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>330 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of arsenic in soil incidentally ingested by herbivorous birds. True bioavailability may be less (see Section 6.3.7).

**Table 6-68 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels for Arsenic**

Assessment Endpoint	Medium	Proposed Cleanup Level Value	Method of Derivation	Confidence
Herbivorous mammal (tundra vole)	Surface Soil	<b>245 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>390 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of arsenic in soil incidentally ingested by herbivorous mammals. True bioavailability may be less (see Section 6.3.7).
Carnivorous bird (northern shrike)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Carnivorous mammal (least weasel)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic invertivorous bird (common snipe)	Sediment	<b>445 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>705 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Sediment concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of arsenic in sediment incidentally ingested by birds feeding on creek benthic organisms. True bioavailability may be less.
Semi-aquatic herbivorous mammal (beaver)	Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic herbivorous bird (green-winged teal)	Pond Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous bird (belted kingfisher)	Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous mammal (mink)	Sediment	<b>22,980 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>38,302 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Sediment concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7. Arsenic levels in fish from RDC assumed to decrease proportionally with sediment arsenic levels.	Low. Relationship between arsenic levels in site sediment and fish is not well understood.

Key:  
 BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment  
 HQ = hazard quotient  
 LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level  
 NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level  
 RDC = Red Devil Creek  
 TRV = toxicity reference values

**Table 6-69 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels for Antimony.**

Assessment Endpoint	Medium	Proposed Cleanup Level Value	Method of Derivation	Confidence
Terrestrial Plants	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for antimony in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Soil Invertebrates	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for antimony in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Aquatic Biota (excluding fish) Exposed to Surface Water	Surface Water	None required. No adverse impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in Red Devil Creek (RDC) are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of antimony in surface water from RDC are not adversely affecting aquatic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Fish Community	Sediment and Surface Water	None proposed. Relationship between antimony levels in sediment, surface water, and fish is not well understood at the site.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Benthic Macroinvertebrates	Sediment	None required. No impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in RDC are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of antimony in sediment from RDC are not adversely affecting benthic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Invertivorous bird (American robin)	Surface Soil	None proposed. An avian toxicity reference value (TRV) for antimony is not available; hence, a risk-based soil cleanup level for protection of invertivorous birds cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Invertivorous mammal (masked shrew)	Surface Soil	None proposed. A soil-to-earthworm bioaccumulation model is not available for antimony; hence, a risk-based soil cleanup level for protection of invertivorous mammals cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Herbivorous bird (spruce grouse)	Surface Soil	None proposed. An avian TRV for antimony is not available; hence, a credible risk-based soil cleanup level for protection of herbivorous birds cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Herbivorous mammal (tundra vole)	Surface Soil	<b>14 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>139 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of antimony in soil incidentally ingested by herbivorous mammals. True bioavailability may be less (see Section 6.3.7).
Carnivorous bird (northern shrike)	Surface Soil	None proposed. An avian TRV for antimony is not available; hence, a risk-based soil cleanup level for protection of carnivorous birds cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Carnivorous mammal (least weasel)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

**Table 6-69 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels for Antimony.**

Assessment Endpoint	Medium	Proposed Cleanup Level Value	Method of Derivation	Confidence
Semi-aquatic invertivorous bird (common snipe)	Sediment	None proposed. An avian TRV for antimony is not available; hence, a risk-based sediment cleanup level for protection of invertivorous birds cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic herbivorous mammal (beaver)	Soil	<b>380 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>3800 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of antimony in soil incidentally ingested by herbivorous mammals. True bioavailability may be less (see Section 6.3.7).
Semi-aquatic herbivorous bird (green-winged teal)	Pond Sediment	None proposed. An avian TRV for antimony is not available; hence, a risk-based sediment cleanup level for protection of herbivorous waterfowl cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous bird (belted kingfisher)	Sediment	None proposed. An avian TRV for antimony is not available; hence, a risk-based sediment cleanup level for protection of piscivorous birds cannot be calculated.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous mammal (mink)	Sediment	<b>113 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>1128 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Sediment concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7. Antimony levels in fish from RDC assumed to decrease proportionally with sediment antimony levels.	Low. Relationship between antimony levels in site sediment and fish not well understood.

Key:

- BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment
- HQ = hazard quotient
- LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level
- NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level
- RDC = Red Devil Creek
- TRV = toxicity reference values



**Table 6-70 Preliminary Ecological Risk Based Cleanup Levels for Mercury.**

Assessment Endpoint	Medium	Proposed Cleanup Level Value	Method of Derivation	Confidence
Terrestrial Plants	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for mercury in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Soil Invertebrates	Surface Soil	None proposed. Methods are available that could be used to develop a site-specific no-effect level for mercury in soil, but this was not undertaken for the BERA.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Aquatic Biota (excluding fish) Exposed to Surface Water	Surface Water	None required. No adverse impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in Red Devil Creek (RDC) are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of mercury in surface water from RDC are not adversely affecting aquatic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Fish Community	Sediment and Surface Water	None proposed. Relationship between mercury levels in sediment, surface water, and fish is not well understood at that site.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Benthic Macroinvertebrates	Sediment	None required. No impacts to the benthic macroinvertebrate community in RDC are evident compared with nearby reference creeks (see Section 6.3.6.4), suggesting that current levels of mercury in sediment from RDC are not adversely affecting benthic life.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Invertivorous bird (American robin)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Invertivorous mammal (masked shrew)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Herbivorous bird (spruce grouse)	Surface Soil	<b>34.5 mg/kg</b> (NOAEL) and <b>69 mg/kg</b> (LOAEL)	Soil concentrations resulting in HQ-NOAEL and HQ-LOAEL of 1. Back-calculated using exposure equations and parameters from Section 6.3.6.7.	Low. Assumes 100% bioavailability of mercury in soil incidentally ingested by herbivorous mammals. True bioavailability likely is less (see Sections 6.3.7 and 5.2.2).
Herbivorous mammal (tundra vole)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Carnivorous bird (northern shrike)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Carnivorous mammal (least weasel)	Surface Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic invertivorous bird (common snipe)	Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic herbivorous mammal (beaver)	Soil	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Semi-aquatic herbivorous bird (green-winged teal)	Pond Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous bird (belted kingfisher)	Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
Piscivorous mammal (mink)	Sediment	None required. HQ-NOAEL < 1 for this receptor.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

Key:

BERA = baseline ecological risk assessment  
 HQ = hazard quotient  
 LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level  
 RDC = Red Devil Creek  
 TRV = toxicity reference values

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## **Human Health Risk Assessment Risk Hazard Tables**

**Table D-1  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - SMA Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	4.10E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>6.15E-03</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	6.47E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>9.71E-04</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.29E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.43E-03</b>
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E+01	5.82E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>8.72E-04</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E-02	mg/L	3.91E-02	1.29E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.94E-06
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	4.85E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	7.27E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	8.32E-03	ug/m3	8.32E-03	1.58E-03	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	6.81E-06
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>1.14E-02</b>

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	2.36E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.54E-03</b>
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	1.66E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.50E-05</b>
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	1.50E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.26E-04</b>
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	6.29E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>9.44E-04</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	3.40E+01	mg/kg	3.40E+01	3.71E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>5.56E-03</b>
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>1.03E-02</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>2.17E-02</b>
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**Table D-2  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	5.66E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>8.48E-03</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	8.93E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.34E-03</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.29E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.43E-03</b>
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	2.68E-02	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>4.02E-02</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	8.48E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.19E-06
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	5.96E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>8.94E-05</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	4.85E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	7.27E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	1.15E-02	ug/m3	1.15E-02	2.18E-03	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	9.39E-06
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>5.36E-02</b>

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	2.36E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.54E-03</b>
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	1.66E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.50E-05</b>
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	1.50E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.26E-04</b>
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	6.29E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>9.44E-04</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	4.68E+01	mg/kg	4.68E+01	5.12E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>7.67E-03</b>
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>1.24E-02</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>		<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>6.60E-02</b>
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**Table D-3  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - DA Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	2.47E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.70E-03</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	3.89E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>5.84E-04</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.29E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.43E-03</b>
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	2.68E-02	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>4.02E-02</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	8.48E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.19E-06
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	5.96E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>8.94E-05</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	4.85E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	7.27E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	5.01E-03	ug/m3	5.01E-03	9.52E-04	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	4.10E-06
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>4.80E-02</b>

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	2.36E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.54E-03</b>
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	1.66E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.50E-05</b>
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	1.50E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.26E-04</b>
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	6.29E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>9.44E-04</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	2.04E+01	mg/kg	2.04E+01	2.23E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.35E-03</b>
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>8.08E-03</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>5.61E-02</b>
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**Table D-4  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Receptor Population: Recreational/Subsistence User Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	1.42E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.13E-03</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	2.24E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.36E-04</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.29E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.43E-03</b>
Surface Water	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E+02	4.87E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>7.30E-04</b>
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E+00	1.27E-06	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	3.70E-08
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	1.62E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	2.42E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	1.87E-03	ug/m3	1.87E-03	1.19E-04	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	5.11E-07
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>6.63E-03</b>

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	4.72E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>7.08E-04</b>
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	2.33E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	3.49E-07
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	3.01E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.51E-06
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	2.08E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.12E-04</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	3.53E+01	mg/kg	3.53E+01	3.86E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>5.79E-05</b>
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>1.08E-03</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>7.72E-03</b>
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**Table D-5  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Combined Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	1.48E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.22E-03</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	3.19E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>4.78E-04</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	1.49E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.24E-03</b>
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	1.51E-02	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.27E-02</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	4.78E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	6.69E-07
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	4.76E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>7.14E-05</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	3.27E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.90E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	8.65E-03	ug/m3	8.65E-03	1.65E-03	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	7.08E-06
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>2.77E-02</b>

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	2.59E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.89E-04</b>
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	1.27842E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.92E-07
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	1.65E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	2.48E-06
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	1.14E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.71E-04</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	3.53E+01	mg/kg	3.53E+01	2.12E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.18E-05</b>
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>5.94E-04</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>2.83E-02</b>
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**Table D-6  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - SMA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Does Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	1.14E-02	1.06E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.1E-02	1.1E-01
		Antimony	4.95E+01	mg/kg	4.95E+01	mg/kg	4.95E+01	5.23E-05	4.88E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.3E-01	<b>1.2E+00</b>
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	3.59E-03	3.35E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.2E+01</b>	<b>1.1E+02</b>
		Barium	1.91E+02	mg/kg	1.91E+02	mg/kg	1.91E+02	2.02E-04	1.88E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	9.4E-03
		Chromium	2.24E+01	mg/kg	2.24E+01	mg/kg	2.24E+01	2.36E-05	2.21E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.6E-05	1.5E-04
		Cobalt	1.79E+01	mg/kg	1.79E+01	mg/kg	1.79E+01	1.89E-05	1.76E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.3E-02	5.9E-01
		Iron	4.01E+04	mg/kg	4.01E+04	mg/kg	4.01E+04	4.24E-02	3.96E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	6.1E-02	5.7E-01
		Manganese	8.96E+02	mg/kg	8.96E+02	mg/kg	8.96E+02	9.47E-04	8.84E-03	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	3.9E-02	3.7E-01
		Mercury	3.94E+01	mg/kg	3.94E+01	mg/kg	3.94E+01	4.17E-05	3.89E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	<b>1.3E+00</b>
		Thallium	2.00E-01	mg/kg	2.00E-01	mg/kg	2.00E-01	2.11E-07	1.97E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	2.1E-02	2.0E-01
		Vanadium	3.56E+01	mg/kg	3.56E+01	mg/kg	3.56E+01	3.76E-05	3.51E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	7.5E-03	7.0E-02
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.2E+01</b>	<b>1.2E+02</b>	
Soil	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	4.95E+01	mg/kg	4.95E+01	mg/kg	4.95E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	mg/kg	5.66E+03	7.16E-04	4.69E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.4E+00</b>	<b>1.6E+01</b>
		Barium	1.91E+02	mg/kg	1.91E+02	mg/kg	1.91E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Chromium	2.24E+01	mg/kg	2.24E+01	mg/kg	2.24E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.79E+01	mg/kg	1.79E+01	mg/kg	1.79E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	4.01E+04	mg/kg	4.01E+04	mg/kg	4.01E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	8.96E+02	mg/kg	8.96E+02	mg/kg	8.96E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	3.94E+01	mg/kg	3.94E+01	mg/kg	3.94E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	2.00E-01	mg/kg	2.00E-01	mg/kg	2.00E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
Vanadium	3.56E+01	mg/kg	3.56E+01	mg/kg	3.56E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>2.4E+00</b>	<b>1.6E+01</b>	
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.53E-03	1.66E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>8.4E+00</b>	<b>5.5E+01</b>
		Barium	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Cadmium	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Chromium	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Methyl Mercury	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Nickel	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Selenium	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Silver	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Zinc	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.4E+00</b>	<b>5.5E+01</b>	



**Table D-6  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future  
Receptor Population: Residential - SMA  
Receptor Age: Adult/Child

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Does Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	1.21E+00	ug/L	1.21E+00	ug/L	1.21E+00	3.32E-05	7.74E-05	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.3E-02	1.9E-01
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E+01	1.07E-03	2.50E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.6E+00</b>	<b>8.3E+00</b>
		Barium	2.24E+02	ug/L	2.24E+02	ug/L	2.24E+02	6.14E-03	1.43E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.1E-02	7.2E-02
		Chromium	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E+01	2.90E-04	6.78E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.9E-04	4.5E-04
		Cobalt	9.48E+00	ug/L	9.48E+00	ug/L	9.48E+00	2.60E-04	6.06E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.7E-01	<b>2.0E+00</b>
		Iron	2.67E+03	ug/L	2.67E+03	ug/L	2.67E+03	7.32E-02	1.71E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E-01	2.4E-01
		Manganese	7.78E+02	ug/L	7.78E+02	ug/L	7.78E+02	2.13E-02	4.97E-02	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	8.9E-01	<b>2.1E+00</b>
		Mercury	2.47E-01	ug/L	2.47E-01	ug/L	2.47E-01	6.77E-06	1.58E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.3E-02	5.3E-02
		Nickel	2.83E+01	ug/L	2.83E+01	ug/L	2.83E+01	7.75E-04	1.81E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	3.9E-02	9.0E-02
		Selenium		ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.50E-02	ug/L	1.50E-02	ug/L	1.50E-02	4.11E-07	9.59E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	4.1E-02	9.6E-02
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate		ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00	
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.6E+00</b>	<b>1.3E+01</b>	
Groundwater	Dermal	Antimony	1.21E+00	ug/L	1.21E-03	mg/L	1.21E-03	7.46E-08	1.68E-10	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.2E-03	2.8E-06
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.91E+01	ug/L	3.91E-02	mg/L	3.91E-02	2.41E-06	5.44E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.0E-03	1.8E-02
		Barium	2.24E+02	ug/L	2.24E-01	mg/L	2.24E-01	1.38E-05	3.12E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	9.9E-04	2.2E-03
		Chromium	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E-02	mg/L	1.06E-02	6.53E-07	1.48E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	3.3E-05	7.4E-05
		Cobalt	9.48E+00	ug/L	9.48E-03	mg/L	9.48E-03	2.34E-07	5.28E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.8E-04	1.8E-03
		Iron	2.67E+03	ug/L	2.67E+00	mg/L	2.67E+00	1.65E-04	3.72E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.4E-04	5.3E-04
		Manganese	7.78E+02	ug/L	7.78E-01	mg/L	7.78E-01	4.80E-05	1.08E-04	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-02	1.1E-01
		Mercury	2.47E-01	ug/L	2.47E-04	mg/L	2.47E-04	1.52E-08	3.44E-08	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	7.3E-04	1.6E-03
		Nickel	2.83E+01	ug/L	2.83E-02	mg/L	2.83E-02	3.49E-07	7.88E-07	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.4E-04	9.9E-04
		Selenium	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.50E-02	ug/L	1.50E-05	mg/L	1.50E-05	9.25E-10	2.09E-09	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	9.2E-05	2.1E-04
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00	
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>6.3E-02</b>	<b>1.4E-01</b>	
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	1.80E-06	6.16E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-02	1.0E-01
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	7.63E-06	2.60E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.5E-02	8.7E-02
		Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	7.99E-11	2.73E-10	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	3.2E-06	1.1E-05
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	1.62E-08	5.53E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.4E-05	1.8E-04
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	5.74E-09	1.96E-08	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-07	4.9E-07
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	1.76E-05	6.03E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	8.6E-05
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	2.27E-06	7.76E-06	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	2.4E-03	8.1E-03
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	3.21E-09	1.10E-08	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E-04	5.2E-04
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	4.17E-12	1.42E-11	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.2E-08	1.4E-07
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	2.81E-08	9.59E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.5E-05	1.2E-04
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	5.13E-09	1.75E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E-06	3.5E-06
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	2.08E-10	7.09E-10	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E-06	3.5E-06
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	5.81E-09	1.98E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.9E-08	6.6E-08
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	4.26E-07	1.45E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	7.3E-05		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.8E-02</b>	<b>2.0E-01</b>	
Air	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.59E-05	mg/m3	1.59E-05	1.17E-05	1.17E-05	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3	2.3E-03	2.3E-03
		Antimony	4.95E+01	mg/kg	7.28E-08	mg/m3	7.28E-08	5.38E-08	5.38E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	8.32E-06	mg/m3	8.32E-06	3.69E-06	3.69E-06	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	2.5E-01	2.5E-01
		Barium	1.91E+02	mg/kg	2.81E-07	mg/m3	2.81E-07	2.08E-07	2.08E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3	4.2E-04	4.2E-04
		Chromium	2.24E+01	mg/kg	3.29E-08	mg/m3	3.29E-08	2.43E-08	2.43E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Cobalt	1.79E+01	mg/kg	2.63E-08	mg/m3	2.63E-08	1.94E-08	1.94E-08	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3	3.2E-03	3.2E-03
		Iron	4.01E+04	mg/kg	5.90E-05	mg/m3	5.90E-05	4.37E-05	4.37E-05	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Manganese	8.96E+02	mg/kg	1.32E-06	mg/m3	1.32E-06	9.75E-07	9.75E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3	1.9E-02	1.9E-02
		Mercury	3.94E+01	mg/kg	1.77E-03	mg/m3	1.77E-03	1.31E-03	1.31E-03	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	<b>4.4E+00</b>	<b>4.4E+00</b>
		Thallium	2.00E-01	mg/kg	2.94E-10	mg/m3	2.94E-10	2.18E-10	2.18E-10	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Vanadium	3.56E+01	mg/kg	5.23E-08	mg/m3	5.23E-08	3.87E-08	3.87E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>4.6E+00</b>	<b>4.6E+00</b>	
Air	Volatile from Groundwater	Mercury	2.47E-01	ug/L	1.24E-04	mg/m3	1.24E-04	3.70E-06	3.70E-06	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	1.2E-02	1.2E-02

**Table D-6  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - SMA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Does Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Aluminum	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	1.25E-01	2.80E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.2E-01	2.8E-01
		Antimony	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	6.60E-02	1.48E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.7E+02</b>	<b>3.7E+02</b>
		Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	4.41E-03	9.89E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.5E+01</b>	<b>3.3E+01</b>
		Barium	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	1.47E-02	3.28E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.3E-01	1.6E-01
		Cadmium	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	1.71E-04	3.83E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.7E-01	3.8E-01
		Chromium	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	2.63E-03	5.90E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.8E-03	3.9E-03
		Cobalt	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	4.85E-03	1.09E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.2E-01	2.7E-01
		Iron	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	3.44E-01	7.71E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.9E-01	<b>1.1E+00</b>
		Manganese	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	4.84E-02	1.08E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.5E-01	7.7E-01
		Mercury	2.14E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	2.49E-02	5.57E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.5E+02</b>	<b>5.6E+02</b>
		Nickel	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	5.69E-04	1.27E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.8E-02	6.4E-02
		Selenium	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	7.32E-03	1.64E-02	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	<b>1.5E+00</b>	<b>3.3E+00</b>
		Silver	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.0E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	8.56E-04	1.92E-03	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.7E-01	3.8E-01
Zinc	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	2.66E+01	1.03E-01	2.30E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.4E-01	7.7E-01	
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>4.3E+02</b>	<b>9.7E+02</b>	
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	6.96E-04	1.56E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-04	1.6E-03
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	7.35E-02	mg/kg	7.35E-02	7.96E-05	1.78E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	4.5E-01
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	3.11E-05	6.97E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E-01	2.3E-01
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	6.29E-01	mg/kg	6.29E-01	6.81E-04	1.52E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.4E-03	7.6E-03
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	1.37E-04	3.08E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	9.2E-05	2.1E-04
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	1.96E-04	4.39E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.5E-01	<b>1.5E+00</b>
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	1.73E-02	3.87E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.5E-02	5.5E-02
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.72E+00	mg/kg	7.72E+00	8.36E-03	1.87E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	6.0E-02	1.3E-01
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	1.42E+00	mg/kg	1.42E+00	1.53E-03	3.44E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>5.1E+00</b>	<b>1.1E+01</b>
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	1.89E-05	4.24E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>1.9E+00</b>	<b>4.2E+00</b>
Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	4.35E-03	mg/kg	4.35E-03	4.71E-06	1.06E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.4E-04	2.1E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.1E+00</b>	<b>1.8E+01</b>	
Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	8.39E-03	1.88E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	8.4E-03	1.9E-02
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	1.44E-03	3.23E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.6E+00</b>	<b>8.1E+00</b>
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	2.81E-04	6.30E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.4E-01	<b>2.1E+00</b>
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	8.20E-02	1.84E-01	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.1E-01	9.2E-01
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	4.52E-04	1.01E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	6.7E-04
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	1.77E-04	3.97E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.9E-01	<b>1.3E+00</b>
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	1.56E-02	3.50E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.2E-02	5.0E-02
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	3.78E-01	8.46E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.7E+00</b>	<b>6.0E+00</b>
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	1.11E-04	2.49E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.7E-01	8.3E-01
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	8.56E-06	1.92E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	8.6E-01	<b>1.9E+00</b>
Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	3.41E-05	7.64E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.8E-03	1.5E-02		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>9.5E+00</b>	<b>2.1E+01</b>	

**Table D-6  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - SMA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Does Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Birds	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	2.01E-02	4.50E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	4.5E-02
		Antimony	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	1.60E-03	3.59E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>4.0E+00</b>	<b>9.0E+00</b>
		Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	1.18E-03	2.64E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.9E+00</b>	<b>8.8E+00</b>
		Barium	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	9.30E-03	2.08E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.6E-02	1.0E-01
		Chromium	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	1.30E-04	2.90E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	8.6E-05	1.9E-04
		Cobalt	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	3.62E-05	8.10E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.2E-01	2.7E-01
		Iron	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	3.06E-02	6.86E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.4E-02	9.8E-02
		Manganese	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	2.96E-01	6.62E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.1E+00</b>	<b>4.7E+00</b>
		Mercury	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	8.76E-04	1.96E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.9E+00</b>	<b>6.5E+00</b>
		Thallium	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	3.26E-05	7.30E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>3.3E+00</b>	<b>7.3E+00</b>
		Vanadium	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	1.42E-04	3.19E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.8E-02	6.4E-02
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.6E+01</b>	<b>3.7E+01</b>	
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	7.01E+00	mg/kg	7.01E+00	1.43E-03	3.21E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-03	3.2E-03
		Antimony	4.95E+01	mg/kg	1.48E+00	mg/kg	1.48E+00	3.03E-04	6.79E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.6E-01	<b>1.7E+00</b>
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.66E+03	mg/kg	3.40E+01	mg/kg	3.40E+01	6.94E-03	1.55E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.3E+01</b>	<b>5.2E+01</b>
		Barium	1.91E+02	mg/kg	2.87E+00	mg/kg	2.87E+00	5.85E-04	1.31E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.9E-03	6.6E-03
		Chromium	2.24E+01	mg/kg	1.01E-01	mg/kg	1.01E-01	2.06E-05	4.60E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-05	3.1E-05
		Cobalt	1.79E+01	mg/kg	1.25E-01	mg/kg	1.25E-01	2.55E-05	5.72E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.5E-02	1.9E-01
		Iron	4.01E+04	mg/kg	4.01E+01	mg/kg	4.01E+01	8.20E-03	1.84E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.2E-02	2.6E-02
		Manganese	8.96E+02	mg/kg	4.48E+01	mg/kg	4.48E+01	9.15E-03	2.05E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	6.5E-02	1.5E-01
		Mercury	3.94E+01	mg/kg	7.89E+00	mg/kg	7.89E+00	1.61E-03	3.61E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>5.4E+00</b>	<b>1.2E+01</b>
		Thallium	2.00E-01	mg/kg	8.00E-05	mg/kg	8.00E-05	1.63E-08	3.66E-08	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.6E-03	3.7E-03
		Vanadium	3.56E+01	mg/kg	1.07E-01	mg/kg	1.07E-01	2.18E-05	4.89E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	4.4E-03	9.8E-03
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>2.9E+01</b>	<b>6.6E+01</b>	
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.3E+02</b>	<b>1.3E+03</b>	

**Table D-7  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.36E+03	mg/kg	9.36E+03	mg/kg	9.36E+03	9.90E-03	9.24E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	9.90E-03	9.2E-02
		Antimony	4.52E+03	mg/kg	4.52E+03	mg/kg	4.52E+03	4.77E-03	4.45E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.19E+01</b>	<b>1.1E+02</b>
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	4.95E-03	4.62E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.65E+01</b>	<b>1.5E+02</b>
		Barium	3.79E+02	mg/kg	3.79E+02	mg/kg	3.79E+02	4.01E-04	3.74E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.00E-03	1.9E-02
		Chromium	2.41E+01	mg/kg	2.41E+01	mg/kg	2.41E+01	2.54E-05	2.37E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.70E-05	1.6E-04
		Cobalt	1.61E+01	mg/kg	1.61E+01	mg/kg	1.61E+01	1.70E-05	1.59E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.68E-02	5.3E-01
		Iron	3.71E+04	mg/kg	3.71E+04	mg/kg	3.71E+04	3.92E-02	3.66E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.60E-02	5.2E-01
		Manganese	7.28E+02	mg/kg	7.28E+02	mg/kg	7.28E+02	7.69E-04	7.18E-03	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	3.21E-02	3.0E-01
		Mercury	5.06E+02	mg/kg	5.06E+02	mg/kg	5.06E+02	5.35E-04	4.99E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.78E+00</b>	<b>1.7E+01</b>
		Thallium	1.74E-01	mg/kg	1.74E-01	mg/kg	1.74E-01	1.84E-07	1.72E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.84E-02	1.7E-01
		Vanadium	2.98E+01	mg/kg	2.98E+01	mg/kg	2.98E+01	3.15E-05	2.94E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.30E-03	5.9E-02
		Naphthalene	5.05E+02	mg/kg	5.05E+02	mg/kg	5.05E+02	5.33E-04	4.98E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.67E-02	2.5E-01
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>3.04E+01</b>	<b>2.84E+02</b>	
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	9.36E+03	mg/kg	9.36E+03	mg/kg	9.36E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	4.52E+03	mg/kg	4.52E+03	mg/kg	4.52E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	mg/kg	7.80E+03	9.87E-04	6.47E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.29E+00</b>	<b>2.2E+01</b>
		Barium	3.79E+02	mg/kg	3.79E+02	mg/kg	3.79E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Chromium	2.41E+01	mg/kg	2.41E+01	mg/kg	2.41E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.61E+01	mg/kg	1.61E+01	mg/kg	1.61E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	3.71E+04	mg/kg	3.71E+04	mg/kg	3.71E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	7.28E+02	mg/kg	7.28E+02	mg/kg	7.28E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	5.06E+02	mg/kg	5.06E+02	mg/kg	5.06E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.74E-01	mg/kg	1.74E-01	mg/kg	1.74E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	2.98E+01	mg/kg	2.98E+01	mg/kg	2.98E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Naphthalene	5.05E+02	mg/kg	5.05E+02	mg/kg	5.05E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
	<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>3.29E+00</b>	<b>2.16E+01</b>
	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.53E-03	1.66E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>8.43E+00</b>	<b>5.5E+01</b>
		Barium	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cadmium	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00

**Table D-7  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Groundwater	Dermal	Chromium	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Methyl Mercury	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Nickel	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Selenium	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Silver	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Zinc	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.43E+00</b>	<b>5.52E+01</b>	
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	1.54E-01	3.59E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.84E+02	9.0E+02
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	4.94E-02	1.15E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.65E+02	3.8E+02
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	2.76E-03	6.43E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.38E-02	3.2E-02
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	9.61E-05	2.24E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	6.40E-05	1.5E-04
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	2.68E-04	6.26E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.94E-01	2.1E+00
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	2.20E-01	5.14E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.15E-01	7.3E-01
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	6.15E-02	1.43E-01	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	2.56E+00	6.0E+00
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	4.05E-04	9.45E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.35E+00	3.2E+00
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	4.74E-04	1.11E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.37E-02	5.5E-02
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	2.51E-05	5.86E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	5.02E-03	1.2E-02
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	4.68E-07	1.09E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	4.68E-02	1.1E-01
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	1.56E-04	3.64E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	7.81E-03	1.8E-02		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.54E+02</b>	<b>1.29E+03</b>	
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+00	mg/L	5.61E+00	3.46E-04	7.81E-07	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	5.76E+00	1.3E-02
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	1.11E-04	2.51E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.70E-01	8.4E-01
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E-01	mg/L	1.01E-01	6.20E-06	1.40E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	4.43E-04	1.0E-03
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E-03	mg/L	3.51E-03	2.16E-07	4.88E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.08E-05	2.4E-05
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E-03	mg/L	9.79E-03	2.41E-07	5.45E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.04E-04	1.8E-03
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+00	mg/L	8.04E+00	4.96E-04	1.12E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.08E-04	1.6E-03
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+00	mg/L	2.24E+00	1.38E-04	3.12E-04	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	1.44E-01	3.3E-01
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E-02	mg/L	1.48E-02	9.12E-07	2.06E-06	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	4.34E-02	9.8E-02
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E-02	mg/L	1.73E-02	2.13E-07	4.81E-07	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.66E-04	6.0E-04
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-04	mg/L	9.17E-04	5.65E-08	1.28E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.13E-05	2.6E-05
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-05	mg/L	1.71E-05	1.05E-09	2.38E-09	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.05E-04	2.4E-04
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>6.32E+00</b>
		Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	1.80E-06	6.16E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	3.01E-02	1.0E-01
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	7.63E-06	2.60E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.54E-02	8.7E-02

**Table D-7  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Air	Dermal	Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	7.99E-11	2.73E-10	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	3.20E-06	1.1E-05	
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	1.62E-08	5.53E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.40E-05	1.8E-04	
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	5.74E-09	1.96E-08	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.44E-07	4.9E-07	
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	1.76E-05	6.03E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.52E-05	8.6E-05	
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	2.27E-06	7.76E-06	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	2.37E-03	8.1E-03	
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	3.21E-09	1.10E-08	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.53E-04	5.2E-04	
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	4.17E-12	1.42E-11	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.17E-08	1.4E-07	
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	2.81E-08	9.59E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.51E-05	1.2E-04	
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	5.13E-09	1.75E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.03E-06	3.5E-06	
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	2.08E-10	7.09E-10	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.04E-06	3.5E-06	
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	5.81E-09	1.98E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.44E-08	6.6E-08	
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	4.26E-07	1.45E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.13E-05	7.3E-05			
<b>Hazard Index</b>												5.82E-02	1.99E-01		
Non-Salmon Fish	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Aluminum	9.36E+03	mg/kg	1.38E-05	mg/m3	1.38E-05	1.02E-05	1.02E-05	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3	2.04E-03	2.0E-03	
		Antimony	4.52E+03	mg/kg	6.64E-06	mg/m3	6.64E-06	4.91E-06	4.91E-06	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	1.15E-05	mg/m3	1.15E-05	5.09E-06	5.09E-06	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	3.40E-01	3.4E-01	
		Barium	3.79E+02	mg/kg	5.57E-07	mg/m3	5.57E-07	4.12E-07	4.12E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3	8.25E-04	8.2E-04	
		Chromium	2.41E+01	mg/kg	3.54E-08	mg/m3	3.54E-08	2.62E-08	2.62E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
		Cobalt	1.61E+01	mg/kg	2.37E-08	mg/m3	2.37E-08	1.75E-08	1.75E-08	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3	2.92E-03	2.9E-03	
		Iron	3.71E+04	mg/kg	5.46E-05	mg/m3	5.46E-05	4.04E-05	4.04E-05	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
		Manganese	7.28E+02	mg/kg	1.07E-06	mg/m3	1.07E-06	7.92E-07	7.92E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3	1.58E-02	1.6E-02	
		Mercury	5.06E+02	mg/kg	2.27E-02	mg/m3	2.27E-02	1.68E-02	1.68E-02	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	<b>5.59E+01</b>	<b>5.6E+01</b>	
		Thallium	1.74E-01	mg/kg	2.56E-10	mg/m3	2.56E-10	1.89E-10	1.89E-10	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
		Vanadium	2.98E+01	mg/kg	4.38E-08	mg/m3	4.38E-08	3.24E-08	3.24E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
		Naphthalene	5.05E+02	mg/kg	7.42E-07	mg/m3	7.42E-07	5.49E-07	5.49E-07	mg/m3	3.0E-03	mg/m3	1.83E-04	1.8E-04	
	<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.63E+01</b>	<b>5.63E+01</b>	
		Volatile from Groundwater	Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	7.39E-03	mg/m3	7.39E-03	2.22E-04	2.22E-04	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	7.39E-01	7.4E-01
	Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	1.25E-01	2.80E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.25E-01	2.8E-01
			Antimony	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	6.60E-02	1.48E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.65E+02</b>	<b>3.7E+02</b>
Arsenic			1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	4.41E-03	9.89E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.47E+01</b>	<b>3.3E+01</b>	
Arsenic (Inorganic)				mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
Barium			3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	1.47E-02	3.28E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.33E-02	1.6E-01	
Cadmium			4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	1.71E-04	3.83E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.71E-01	3.8E-01	
Chromium			6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	2.63E-03	5.90E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.76E-03	3.9E-03	
Cobalt			--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
Copper			1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	4.85E-03	1.09E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.21E-01	2.7E-01	
Iron			8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	3.44E-01	7.71E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.92E-01	<b>1.1E+00</b>	
Manganese			1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	4.84E-02	1.08E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.46E-01	7.7E-01	
Mercury			2.14E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	2.49E-02	5.57E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.49E+02</b>	<b>5.6E+02</b>	
Methyl Mercury				mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d		mg/kg-d			
Nickel	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	5.69E-04	1.27E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.85E-02	6.4E-02			
Selenium	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	7.32E-03	1.64E-02	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	<b>1.46E+00</b>	<b>3.3E+00</b>			

**Table D-7  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Silver	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	8.56E-04	1.92E-03	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.71E-01	3.8E-01
		Zinc	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	1.03E-01	2.30E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.43E-01	7.7E-01
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>4.32E+02</b>	<b>9.67E+02</b>	

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Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	6.96E-04	1.56E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	6.96E-04	1.6E-03
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	7.35E-02	mg/kg	7.35E-02	7.96E-05	1.78E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.99E-01	4.5E-01
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	3.11E-05	6.97E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.04E-01	2.3E-01
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	6.29E-01	mg/kg	6.29E-01	6.81E-04	1.52E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.40E-03	7.6E-03
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	1.37E-04	3.08E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	9.17E-05	2.1E-04
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	1.96E-04	4.39E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.53E-01	<b>1.5E+00</b>
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	1.73E-02	3.87E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.47E-02	5.5E-02
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.72E+00	mg/kg	7.72E+00	8.36E-03	1.87E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.97E-02	1.3E-01
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	1.42E+00	mg/kg	1.42E+00	1.53E-03	3.44E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>5.12E+00</b>	<b>1.1E+01</b>
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	1.89E-05	4.24E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>1.89E+00</b>	<b>4.2E+00</b>
Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	4.35E-03	mg/kg	4.35E-03	4.71E-06	1.06E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.43E-04	2.1E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.06E+00</b>	<b>1.80E+01</b>	
Birds	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	8.39E-03	1.88E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	8.39E-03	1.9E-02
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	1.44E-03	3.23E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.60E+00</b>	<b>8.1E+00</b>
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	2.81E-04	6.30E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.37E-01	<b>2.1E+00</b>
		Arsenic (inorganic)	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	8.20E-02	1.84E-01	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.10E-01	9.2E-01
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	4.52E-04	1.01E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	3.01E-04	6.7E-04
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	1.77E-04	3.97E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.90E-01	<b>1.3E+00</b>
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	1.56E-02	3.50E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.23E-02	5.0E-02
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	3.78E-01	8.46E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.70E+00</b>	<b>6.0E+00</b>
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	1.11E-04	2.49E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.70E-01	8.3E-01
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	8.56E-06	1.92E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	8.56E-01	<b>1.9E+00</b>
Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	3.41E-05	7.64E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.82E-03	1.5E-02		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>9.50E+00</b>	<b>2.13E+01</b>	
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	2.01E-02	4.50E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	2.01E-02	4.5E-02
		Antimony	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	1.60E-03	3.59E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>4.01E+00</b>	<b>9.0E+00</b>
		Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	1.18E-03	2.64E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.92E+00</b>	<b>8.8E+00</b>
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	9.30E-03	2.08E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.65E-02	1.0E-01
		Chromium	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	1.30E-04	2.90E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	8.64E-05	1.9E-04
		Cobalt	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	3.62E-05	8.10E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.21E-01	2.7E-01
		Iron	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	3.06E-02	6.86E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.37E-02	9.8E-02
		Manganese	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	2.96E-01	6.62E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.11E+00</b>	<b>4.7E+00</b>
		Mercury	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	8.76E-04	1.96E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.92E+00</b>	<b>6.5E+00</b>
		Thallium	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	3.26E-05	7.30E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>3.26E+00</b>	<b>7.3E+00</b>
Vanadium	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	1.42E-04	3.19E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.85E-02	6.4E-02		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.65E+01</b>	<b>3.69E+01</b>	



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RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - MPA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.36E+03	mg/kg	6.09E+00	mg/kg	6.09E+00	1.24E-03	2.79E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.24E-03	2.8E-03
		Antimony	4.52E+03	mg/kg	1.35E+02	mg/kg	1.35E+02	2.77E-02	6.20E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>6.92E+01</b>	<b>1.5E+02</b>
		Arsenic		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	7.80E+03	mg/kg	4.68E+01	mg/kg	4.68E+01	9.57E-03	2.14E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.19E+01</b>	<b>7.1E+01</b>
		Barium	3.79E+02	mg/kg	5.69E+00	mg/kg	5.69E+00	1.16E-03	2.60E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.81E-03	1.3E-02
		Chromium	2.41E+01	mg/kg	1.08E-01	mg/kg	1.08E-01	2.21E-05	4.95E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.47E-05	3.3E-05
		Cobalt	1.61E+01	mg/kg	1.13E-01	mg/kg	1.13E-01	2.31E-05	5.17E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.69E-02	1.7E-01
		Iron	3.71E+04	mg/kg	3.71E+01	mg/kg	3.71E+01	7.58E-03	1.70E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.08E-02	2.4E-02
		Manganese	7.28E+02	mg/kg	3.64E+01	mg/kg	3.64E+01	7.43E-03	1.67E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.31E-02	1.2E-01
		Mercury	5.06E+02	mg/kg	1.01E+02	mg/kg	1.01E+02	2.07E-02	4.63E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>6.89E+01</b>	<b>1.5E+02</b>
		Thallium	1.74E-01	mg/kg	6.96E-05	mg/kg	6.96E-05	1.42E-08	3.18E-08	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.42E-03	3.2E-03
Vanadium	2.98E+01	mg/kg	8.94E-02	mg/kg	8.94E-02	1.83E-05	4.09E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.65E-03	8.2E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.70E+02</b>	<b>3.81E+02</b>	
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.29E+03</b>	<b>3.14E+03</b>	

**Table D-8  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - DA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.17E+04	mg/kg	1.17E+04	mg/kg	1.17E+04	1.23E-02	1.15E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.23E-02	1.2E-01	
		Antimony	7.99E+02	mg/kg	7.99E+02	mg/kg	7.99E+02	8.44E-04	7.88E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.11E+00</b>	<b>2.0E+01</b>	
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	2.16E-03	2.02E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>7.20E+00</b>	<b>6.7E+01</b>	
		Barium	2.03E+02	mg/kg	2.03E+02	mg/kg	2.03E+02	2.14E-04	2.00E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.07E-03	1.0E-02	
		Chromium	2.43E+01	mg/kg	2.43E+01	mg/kg	2.43E+01	2.57E-05	2.40E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.71E-05	1.6E-04	
		Cobalt	1.28E+01	mg/kg	1.28E+01	mg/kg	1.28E+01	1.35E-05	1.26E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.49E-02	4.2E-01	
		Iron	3.48E+04	mg/kg	3.48E+04	mg/kg	3.48E+04	3.67E-02	3.43E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.25E-02	4.9E-01	
		Manganese	4.71E+02	mg/kg	4.71E+02	mg/kg	4.71E+02	4.98E-04	4.65E-03	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	2.07E-02	1.9E-01	
		Mercury	1.63E+02	mg/kg	1.63E+02	mg/kg	1.63E+02	1.72E-04	1.60E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.72E-01	<b>5.3E+00</b>	
		Thallium	1.95E-01	mg/kg	1.95E-01	mg/kg	1.95E-01	2.06E-07	1.92E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	2.06E-02	1.9E-01	
		Vanadium	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	3.75E-05	3.50E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	7.50E-03	7.0E-02	
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.00E+01</b>	<b>9.37E+01</b>
Soil	Dermal	Aluminum	1.17E+04	mg/kg	1.17E+04	mg/kg	1.17E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Antimony	7.99E+02	mg/kg	7.99E+02	mg/kg	7.99E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	mg/kg	3.41E+03	4.31E-04	2.82E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.44E+00</b>	<b>9.4E+00</b>	
		Barium	2.03E+02	mg/kg	2.03E+02	mg/kg	2.03E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Chromium	2.43E+01	mg/kg	2.43E+01	mg/kg	2.43E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Cobalt	1.28E+01	mg/kg	1.28E+01	mg/kg	1.28E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Iron	3.48E+04	mg/kg	3.48E+04	mg/kg	3.48E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Manganese	4.71E+02	mg/kg	4.71E+02	mg/kg	4.71E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Mercury	1.63E+02	mg/kg	1.63E+02	mg/kg	1.63E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Thallium	1.95E-01	mg/kg	1.95E-01	mg/kg	1.95E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Vanadium	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.44E+00</b>	<b>9.40E+00</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Antimony	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.53E-03	1.66E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>8.43E+00</b>	<b>5.5E+01</b>	
		Barium	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Cadmium	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Chromium	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Cobalt	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Copper	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Iron	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Manganese	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Mercury	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Methyl Mercury	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Nickel	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Selenium	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Silver	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Thallium	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Vanadium	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Zinc	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.43E+00</b>	<b>5.52E+01</b>

**Table D-8  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - DA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	1.54E-01	3.59E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.84E+02	9.0E+02	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	4.94E-02	1.15E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.65E+02	3.8E+02	
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	2.76E-03	6.43E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.38E-02	3.2E-02	
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	9.61E-05	2.24E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	6.40E-05	1.5E-04	
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	2.68E-04	6.26E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.94E-01	2.1E+00	
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	2.20E-01	5.14E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.15E-01	7.3E-01	
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	6.15E-02	1.43E-01	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	2.56E+00	6.0E+00	
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	4.05E-04	9.45E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.35E+00	3.2E+00	
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	4.74E-04	1.11E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.37E-02	5.5E-02	
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	2.51E-05	5.86E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	5.02E-03	1.2E-02	
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	4.68E-07	1.09E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	4.68E-02	1.1E-01	
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	1.56E-04	3.64E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	7.81E-03	1.8E-02	
													<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>5.54E+02</b>	<b>1.29E+03</b>
Groundwater	Dermal	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+00	mg/L	5.61E+00	3.46E-04	7.81E-07	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	5.76E+00	1.3E-02	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	1.11E-04	2.51E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.70E-01	8.4E-01	
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E-01	mg/L	1.01E-01	6.20E-06	1.40E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	4.43E-04	1.0E-03	
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E-03	mg/L	3.51E-03	2.16E-07	4.88E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.08E-05	2.4E-05	
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E-03	mg/L	9.79E-03	2.41E-07	5.45E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.04E-04	1.8E-03	
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+00	mg/L	8.04E+00	4.96E-04	1.12E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.08E-04	1.6E-03	
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+00	mg/L	2.24E+00	1.38E-04	3.12E-04	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	1.44E-01	3.3E-01	
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E-02	mg/L	1.48E-02	9.12E-07	2.06E-06	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	4.34E-02	9.8E-02	
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E-02	mg/L	1.73E-02	2.13E-07	4.81E-07	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.66E-04	6.0E-04	
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-04	mg/L	9.17E-04	5.65E-08	1.28E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.13E-05	2.6E-05	
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-05	mg/L	1.71E-05	1.05E-09	2.38E-09	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.05E-04	2.4E-04	
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
													<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>6.32E+00</b>	<b>1.28E+00</b>
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	1.80E-06	6.16E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	3.01E-02	1.0E-01	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	7.63E-06	2.60E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.54E-02	8.7E-02	
		Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	7.99E-11	2.73E-10	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	3.20E-06	1.1E-05	
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	1.62E-08	5.53E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.40E-05	1.8E-04	
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	5.74E-09	1.96E-08	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.44E-07	4.9E-07	
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	1.76E-05	6.03E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.52E-05	8.6E-05	
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	2.27E-06	7.76E-06	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	2.37E-03	8.1E-03	
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	3.21E-09	1.10E-08	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.53E-04	5.2E-04	
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	4.17E-12	1.42E-11	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.17E-08	1.4E-07	
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	2.81E-08	9.59E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.51E-05	1.2E-04	
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	5.13E-09	1.75E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.03E-06	3.5E-06	
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	2.08E-10	7.09E-10	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.04E-06	3.5E-06	
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	5.81E-09	1.98E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.94E-08	6.6E-08	
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	4.26E-07	1.45E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.13E-05	7.3E-05	
													<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>5.82E-02</b>	<b>1.99E-01</b>
		Air	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Aluminum	1.17E+04	mg/kg	1.72E-05	mg/m3	1.72E-05	1.27E-05	1.27E-05	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3	2.54E-03
Antimony	7.99E+02			mg/kg	1.17E-06	mg/m3	1.17E-06	8.69E-07	8.69E-07	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03			mg/kg	5.01E-06	mg/m3	5.01E-06	2.22E-06	2.22E-06	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	1.48E-01	1.5E-01	
Barium	2.03E+02			mg/kg	2.98E-07	mg/m3	2.98E-07	2.21E-07	2.21E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3	4.41E-04	4.4E-04	
Chromium	2.43E+01			mg/kg	3.57E-08	mg/m3	3.57E-08	2.64E-08	2.64E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
Cobalt	1.28E+01			mg/kg	1.88E-08	mg/m3	1.88E-08	1.39E-08	1.39E-08	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3	2.31E-03	2.3E-03	
Iron	3.48E+04			mg/kg	5.11E-05	mg/m3	5.11E-05	3.78E-05	3.78E-05	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
Manganese	4.71E+02			mg/kg	6.93E-07	mg/m3	6.93E-07	5.12E-07	5.12E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3	1.02E-02	1.0E-02	
Mercury	1.63E+02			mg/kg	7.29E-03	mg/m3	7.29E-03	5.39E-03	5.39E-03	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	1.80E+01	1.8E+01	
Thallium	1.95E-01			mg/kg	2.87E-10	mg/m3	2.87E-10	2.12E-10	2.12E-10	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
Vanadium	3.55E+01			mg/kg	5.22E-08	mg/m3	5.22E-08	3.86E-08	3.86E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--	
											<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>1.81E+01</b>	<b>1.81E+01</b>		

**Table D-8  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - DA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Air	Volatile from Groundwater	Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	7.39E-03	mg/m3	7.39E-03	2.22E-04	2.22E-04	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	7.39E-01	7.4E-01	
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Aluminum	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	1.25E-01	2.80E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.25E-01	2.8E-01	
		Antimony	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	6.60E-02	1.48E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.65E+02</b>	<b>3.7E+02</b>	
		Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	4.41E-03	9.89E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.47E+01</b>	<b>3.3E+01</b>	
		Barium	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	1.47E-02	3.28E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.33E-02	1.6E-01	
		Cadmium	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	1.71E-04	3.83E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.71E-01	3.8E-01	
		Chromium	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	2.63E-03	5.90E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.76E-03	3.9E-03	
		Cobalt	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Copper	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	4.85E-03	1.09E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.21E-01	2.7E-01	
		Iron	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	3.44E-01	7.71E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.92E-01	<b>1.1E+00</b>	
		Manganese	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	4.84E-02	1.08E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.46E-01	7.7E-01	
		Mercury	2.14E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	2.49E-02	5.57E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.49E+02</b>	<b>5.6E+02</b>	
		Nickel	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	5.69E-04	1.27E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.85E-02	6.4E-02	
		Selenium	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	7.32E-03	1.64E-02	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	<b>1.46E+00</b>	<b>3.3E+00</b>	
		Silver	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Thallium	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Vanadium	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	8.56E-04	1.92E-03	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.71E-01	3.8E-01	
Zinc	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	1.03E-01	2.30E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.43E-01	7.7E-01			
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>4.32E+02</b>	<b>9.67E+02</b>		
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	6.96E-04	1.56E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	6.96E-04	1.6E-03	
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	7.35E-02	mg/kg	7.35E-02	7.96E-05	1.78E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.99E-01	4.5E-01	
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	3.11E-05	6.97E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.04E-01	2.3E-01	
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	6.29E-01	mg/kg	6.29E-01	6.81E-04	1.52E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.40E-03	7.6E-03	
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	1.37E-04	3.08E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	9.17E-05	2.1E-04	
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	1.96E-04	4.39E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.53E-01	<b>1.5E+00</b>	
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	1.73E-02	3.87E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.47E-02	5.5E-02	
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.72E+00	mg/kg	7.72E+00	8.36E-03	1.87E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.97E-02	1.3E-01	
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	1.42E+00	mg/kg	1.42E+00	1.53E-03	3.44E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>5.12E+00</b>	<b>1.1E+01</b>	
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	1.89E-05	4.24E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>1.89E+00</b>	<b>4.2E+00</b>	
		Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	4.35E-03	mg/kg	4.35E-03	4.71E-06	1.06E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.43E-04	2.1E-03	
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.06E+00</b>	<b>1.80E+01</b>
		Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	8.39E-03	1.88E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	8.39E-03
Antimony	2.72E+00			mg/kg	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	1.44E-03	3.23E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.60E+00</b>	<b>8.1E+00</b>	
Arsenic	5.32E-01			mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	2.81E-04	6.30E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.37E-01	<b>2.1E+00</b>	
Barium	1.55E+02			mg/kg	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	8.20E-02	1.84E-01	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.10E-01	9.2E-01	
Chromium	8.55E-01			mg/kg	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	4.52E-04	1.01E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	3.01E-04	6.7E-04	
Cobalt	3.35E-01			mg/kg	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	1.77E-04	3.97E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.90E-01	<b>1.3E+00</b>	
Iron	2.96E+01			mg/kg	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	1.56E-02	3.50E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.23E-02	5.0E-02	
Manganese	7.15E+02			mg/kg	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	3.78E-01	8.46E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.70E+00</b>	<b>6.0E+00</b>	
Mercury	2.10E-01			mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	1.11E-04	2.49E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.70E-01	8.3E-01	
Thallium	1.62E-02			mg/kg	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	8.56E-06	1.92E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	8.56E-01	<b>1.9E+00</b>	
Vanadium	6.45E-02			mg/kg	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	3.41E-05	7.64E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.82E-03	1.5E-02	
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>9.50E+00</b>	<b>2.13E+01</b>		
Birds	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	2.01E-02	4.50E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	2.01E-02	4.5E-02	
		Antimony	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	1.60E-03	3.59E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>4.01E+00</b>	<b>9.0E+00</b>	
		Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	1.18E-03	2.64E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.92E+00</b>	<b>8.8E+00</b>	
		Barium	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	9.30E-03	2.08E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.65E-02	1.0E-01	
		Chromium	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	1.30E-04	2.90E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	8.64E-05	1.9E-04	
		Cobalt	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	3.62E-05	8.10E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.21E-01	2.7E-01	
		Iron	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	3.06E-02	6.86E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.37E-02	9.8E-02	
		Manganese	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	2.96E-01	6.62E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	<b>2.11E+00</b>	<b>4.7E+00</b>	
		Mercury	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	8.76E-04	1.96E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.92E+00</b>	<b>6.5E+00</b>	
		Thallium	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	3.26E-05	7.30E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>3.26E+00</b>	<b>7.3E+00</b>	
		Vanadium	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	1.42E-04	3.19E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.85E-02	6.4E-02	
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.65E+01</b>	<b>3.69E+01</b>		

**Table D-8  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - DA Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.17E+04	mg/kg	7.59E+00	mg/kg	7.59E+00	1.55E-03	3.47E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.55E-03	3.5E-03
		Antimony	7.99E+02	mg/kg	2.40E+01	mg/kg	2.40E+01	4.89E-03	1.10E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.22E+01</b>	<b>2.7E+01</b>
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.41E+03	mg/kg	2.04E+01	mg/kg	2.04E+01	4.17E-03	9.35E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.39E+01</b>	<b>3.1E+01</b>
		Barium	2.03E+02	mg/kg	3.04E+00	mg/kg	3.04E+00	6.21E-04	1.39E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.11E-03	7.0E-03
		Chromium	2.43E+01	mg/kg	1.09E-01	mg/kg	1.09E-01	2.23E-05	5.00E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.49E-05	3.3E-05
		Cobalt	1.28E+01	mg/kg	8.93E-02	mg/kg	8.93E-02	1.82E-05	4.08E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.08E-02	1.4E-01
		Iron	3.48E+04	mg/kg	3.48E+01	mg/kg	3.48E+01	7.10E-03	1.59E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.01E-02	2.3E-02
		Manganese	4.71E+02	mg/kg	2.36E+01	mg/kg	2.36E+01	4.81E-03	1.08E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.44E-02	7.7E-02
		Mercury	1.63E+02	mg/kg	3.25E+01	mg/kg	3.25E+01	6.64E-03	1.49E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.21E+01</b>	<b>5.0E+01</b>
		Thallium	1.95E-01	mg/kg	7.80E-05	mg/kg	7.80E-05	1.59E-08	3.57E-08	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.59E-03	3.6E-03
		Vanadium	3.55E+01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	2.17E-05	4.87E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	4.35E-03	9.7E-03
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>4.84E+01</b>

<b>Total Hazard Index</b>	<b>1.11E+03</b>	<b>2.62E+03</b>
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**Table D-9  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Receptor Population: Recreational/Subsistence User Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	3.27E-03	3.05E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	3.27E-03	3.1E-02
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	1.33E-03	1.24E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.33E+00	3.1E+01
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	1.24E-03	1.16E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.14E+00	3.9E+01
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	1.14E-04	1.06E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.68E-04	5.3E-03
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	8.26E-06	7.71E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	5.51E-06	5.1E-05
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	5.56E-06	5.19E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.85E-02	1.7E-01
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	1.29E-02	1.21E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.84E-02	1.7E-01
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	2.51E-04	2.35E-03	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	1.05E-02	9.8E-02
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	1.31E-04	1.23E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.38E-01	4.1E+00
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	6.02E-08	5.62E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	6.02E-03	5.6E-02
		Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	1.10E-05	1.02E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.19E-03	2.0E-02
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>7.97E+00</b>
Soil	Dermal	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	2.48E-04	1.62E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.27E-01	5.4E+00
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.27E-01</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	2.53E-03	1.86E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.43E+00	5.5E+01
		Barium	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cadmium	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	4.10E-10	2.69E-09	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	1.64E-05	1.1E-04
		Chromium	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Methyl Mercury	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Nickel	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Selenium	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Silver	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Zinc	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.43E+00</b>

**Table D-9  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Receptor Population: Recreational/Subsistence User Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Surface Water	Ingestion	Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	2.12E-07	4.95E-07	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	3.54E-03	8.2E-03
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	8.96E-07	2.09E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.99E-03	7.0E-03
		Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	9.39E-12	2.19E-11	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	3.76E-07	8.8E-07
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	4.76E-09	1.11E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.59E-05	3.7E-05
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	6.75E-10	1.57E-09	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.69E-08	3.9E-08
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	2.07E-06	4.84E-06	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.96E-06	6.9E-06
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	2.67E-07	6.23E-07	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	2.78E-04	6.5E-04
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	3.77E-10	8.80E-10	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.80E-05	4.2E-05
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	4.90E-13	1.14E-12	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.90E-09	1.1E-08
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	1.65E-08	3.85E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.06E-05	4.8E-05
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	6.03E-10	1.41E-09	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.21E-07	2.8E-07
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	4.07E-11	9.50E-11	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.04E-07	4.7E-07
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	1.14E-09	2.66E-09	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.79E-09	8.9E-09
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	2.35E-09	5.48E-09	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	3.35E-08	7.8E-08
		Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	1.06E-09	2.48E-09	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	5.32E-08	1.2E-07
<b>Hazard Index</b>												3.36E-04	7.84E-04	
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	6.02E-07	2.05E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.00E-02	3.4E-02
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	2.54E-06	8.68E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.47E-03	2.9E-02
		Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	2.66E-11	9.10E-11	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	1.07E-06	3.6E-06
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	5.40E-09	1.84E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.80E-05	6.1E-05
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	1.91E-09	6.53E-09	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	4.78E-08	1.6E-07
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	5.88E-06	2.01E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	8.40E-06	2.9E-05
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	7.57E-07	2.59E-06	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	7.89E-04	2.7E-03
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	1.07E-09	3.65E-09	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	5.10E-05	1.7E-04
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	1.39E-12	4.75E-12	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.39E-08	4.7E-08
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	9.36E-09	3.20E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.17E-05	4.0E-05
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	1.71E-09	5.84E-09	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.42E-07	1.2E-06
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	6.93E-11	2.36E-10	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.46E-07	1.2E-06
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	1.94E-09	6.61E-09	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	6.46E-09	2.2E-08
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	1.42E-07	4.85E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	7.09E-06	2.4E-05
<b>Hazard Index</b>												1.94E-02	6.62E-02	
Air	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	2.95E-06	mg/m3	2.95E-06	7.29E-07	7.29E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3	1.46E-04	1.5E-04
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	1.21E-06	mg/m3	1.21E-06	2.97E-07	2.97E-07	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	1.87E-06	mg/m3	1.87E-06	2.77E-07	2.77E-07	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	1.85E-02	1.8E-02
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	1.03E-07	mg/m3	1.03E-07	2.53E-08	2.53E-08	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3	5.06E-05	5.1E-05
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	7.47E-09	mg/m3	7.47E-09	1.84E-09	1.84E-09	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	5.03E-09	mg/m3	5.03E-09	1.24E-09	1.24E-09	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3	2.07E-04	2.1E-04
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	1.17E-05	mg/m3	1.17E-05	2.88E-06	2.88E-06	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	2.27E-07	mg/m3	2.27E-07	5.60E-08	5.60E-08	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3	1.12E-03	1.1E-03
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	1.67E-02	mg/m3	1.67E-02	4.12E-03	4.12E-03	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	1.37E+01	1.4E+01
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	5.45E-11	mg/m3	5.45E-11	1.34E-11	1.34E-11	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	9.90E-09	mg/m3	9.90E-09	2.44E-09	2.44E-09	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--	--
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												1.38E+01

**Table D-9  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Current/Future Receptor Population: Recreational/Subsistence User Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Aluminum	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	2.50E-02	5.59E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	2.50E-02	5.6E-02
		Antimony	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	1.32E-02	2.96E-02	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.30E+01	7.4E+01
		Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	8.83E-04	1.98E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.94E+00	6.6E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	2.93E-03	6.57E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.47E-02	3.3E-02
		Cadmium	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	3.42E-05	7.67E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.42E-02	7.7E-02
		Chromium	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	5.27E-04	1.18E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	3.51E-04	7.9E-04
		Cobalt	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	9.69E-04	2.17E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	2.42E-02	5.4E-02
		Iron	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	6.88E-02	1.54E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	9.83E-02	2.2E-01
		Manganese	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	9.68E-03	2.17E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	6.91E-02	1.5E-01
		Mercury	2.14E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	4.97E-03	1.11E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.97E+01	1.1E+02
		Methyl Mercury		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d		mg/kg-d		
		Nickel	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	1.14E-04	2.55E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	5.69E-03	1.3E-02
		Selenium	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	1.46E-03	3.28E-03	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.93E-01	6.6E-01
		Silver	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	1.71E-04	3.83E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.42E-02	7.7E-02
Zinc	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	2.06E-02	4.61E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	6.86E-02	1.5E-01		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>8.63E+01</b>	<b>1.93E+02</b>	
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	9.74E-06	2.18E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	9.74E-06	2.2E-05
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	7.35E-02	mg/kg	7.35E-02	1.11E-06	2.50E-06	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.79E-03	6.2E-03
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	4.36E-07	9.76E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.45E-03	3.3E-03
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	6.29E-01	mg/kg	6.29E-01	9.53E-06	2.13E-05	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.76E-05	1.1E-04
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	1.92E-06	4.31E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.28E-06	2.9E-06
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	2.74E-06	6.14E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.14E-03	2.0E-02
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	2.42E-04	5.42E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.46E-04	7.7E-04
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.72E+00	mg/kg	7.72E+00	1.17E-04	2.62E-04	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	8.36E-04	1.9E-03
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	1.42E+00	mg/kg	1.42E+00	2.15E-05	4.81E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.16E-02	1.6E-01
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	2.65E-07	5.94E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	2.65E-02	5.9E-02
		Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	4.35E-03	mg/kg	4.35E-03	6.60E-08	1.48E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.32E-05	3.0E-05
		<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.13E-01</b>
Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	1.68E-04	3.76E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.68E-04	3.8E-04
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	2.88E-05	6.45E-05	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.20E-02	1.6E-01
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	5.62E-06	1.26E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.87E-02	4.2E-02
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	1.64E-03	3.68E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	8.20E-03	1.8E-02
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	9.04E-06	2.02E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	6.03E-06	1.3E-05
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	3.54E-06	7.93E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.18E-02	2.6E-02
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	3.13E-04	7.00E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.47E-04	1.0E-03
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	7.56E-03	1.69E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.40E-02	1.2E-01
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	2.22E-06	4.97E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.40E-03	1.7E-02
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	1.71E-07	3.84E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.71E-02	3.8E-02
Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	6.82E-07	1.53E-06	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	1.36E-04	3.1E-04		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.90E-01</b>	<b>4.26E-01</b>	



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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Birds	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	6.64E-03	1.49E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	6.64E-03	1.5E-02
		Antimony	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	5.29E-04	1.18E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.32E+00	3.0E+00
		Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	3.88E-04	8.70E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.29E+00	2.9E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	3.07E-03	6.87E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.53E-02	3.4E-02
		Chromium	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	4.28E-05	9.58E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	2.85E-05	6.4E-05
		Cobalt	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	1.19E-05	2.67E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.98E-02	8.9E-02
		Iron	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	1.01E-02	2.26E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.44E-02	3.2E-02
		Manganese	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	9.76E-02	2.19E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	6.97E-01	1.6E+00
		Mercury	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	2.89E-04	6.47E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.63E-01	2.2E+00
		Thallium	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	1.08E-05	2.41E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.08E+00	2.4E+00
		Vanadium	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	4.70E-05	1.05E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.40E-03	2.1E-02
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>5.44E+00</b>	<b>1.22E+01</b>	
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	6.03E+00	mg/kg	6.03E+00	1.23E-05	2.76E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.23E-05	2.8E-05
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	1.14E+02	mg/kg	1.14E+02	2.32E-04	5.19E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.80E-01	1.3E+00
		Arsenic		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	3.53E+01	mg/kg	3.53E+01	7.21E-05	1.62E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.40E-01	5.4E-01
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	4.84E+00	mg/kg	4.84E+00	9.88E-06	2.21E-05	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.94E-05	1.1E-04
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	2.16E-07	4.83E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.44E-07	3.2E-07
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.11E-01	mg/kg	1.11E-01	2.26E-07	5.06E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	7.53E-04	1.7E-03
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+01	mg/kg	3.67E+01	7.49E-05	1.68E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.07E-04	2.4E-04
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	3.57E+01	mg/kg	3.57E+01	7.29E-05	1.63E-04	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.21E-04	1.2E-03
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	7.46E+01	mg/kg	7.46E+01	1.52E-04	3.41E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.08E-01	1.1E+00
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	6.84E-05	mg/kg	6.84E-05	1.40E-10	3.13E-10	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.40E-05	3.1E-05
		Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	9.33E-02	mg/kg	9.33E-02	1.91E-07	4.27E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.81E-05	8.5E-05
<b>Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.33E+00</b>	<b>2.98E+00</b>	
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>												<b>1.24E+02</b>	<b>3.58E+02</b>	

**Table D-10  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	9.08E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	9.08E-03
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	3.70E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>9.26E+00</b>
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	3.45E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.15E+01</b>
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	3.15E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.58E-03
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	2.29E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.53E-05
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	1.55E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.15E-02
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	3.59E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.12E-02
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	6.98E-04	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	2.91E-02
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	3.65E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.22E+00</b>
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	1.67E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.67E-02
Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	3.04E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.09E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>2.22E+01</b>	
Soil	Dermal	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	mg/kg	9.28E+03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	mg/kg	3.78E+03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	mg/kg	5.88E+03	1.14E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>3.80E+00</b>
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	mg/kg	3.22E+02	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	mg/kg	2.35E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.58E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+04	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	mg/kg	7.14E+02	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	mg/kg	3.73E+02	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	mg/kg	1.71E-01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	mg/kg	3.11E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>3.80E+00</b>	

**Table D-10  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	mg/kg	1.08E+04	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Antimony	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	mg/kg	4.46E+03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	mg/kg	6.00E+04	4.19E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.40E+01</b>
		Barium	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	mg/kg	6.81E+02	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Cadmium	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	mg/kg	2.92E-01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Chromium	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	mg/kg	2.57E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Cobalt	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Copper	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	mg/kg	3.72E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Iron	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	mg/kg	9.92E+04	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Manganese	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	mg/kg	2.02E+03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Mercury	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	mg/kg	6.66E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Methyl Mercury	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	mg/kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Nickel	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	mg/kg	5.70E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Selenium	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	mg/kg	4.87E-01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Silver	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	mg/kg	1.14E-01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Thallium	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	mg/kg	1.49E-01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
Vanadium	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00		
Zinc	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	mg/kg	9.16E+01	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>1.40E+01</b>	
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+03	1.10E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>2.74E+02</b>
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+03	3.53E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	<b>1.18E+02</b>
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E+02	1.97E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	9.84E-03
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E+00	6.86E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	4.57E-05
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E+00	1.91E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.38E-01
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+03	1.57E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.25E-01
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+03	4.39E-02	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	<b>1.83E+00</b>
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E+01	2.89E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.65E-01
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E+01	3.38E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.69E-02
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-01	1.79E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	3.59E-03
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-02	3.35E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	3.35E-02
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	1.12E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	5.58E-03
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>3.96E+02</b>	

**Table D-10  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient
Groundwater	Dermal	Antimony	5.61E+03	ug/L	5.61E+00	mg/L	5.61E+00	2.47E-04	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	<b>4.12E+00</b>
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.80E+03	ug/L	1.80E+00	mg/L	1.80E+00	7.93E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.64E-01
		Barium	1.01E+02	ug/L	1.01E-01	mg/L	1.01E-01	4.43E-06	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	3.16E-04
		Chromium	3.51E+00	ug/L	3.51E-03	mg/L	3.51E-03	1.54E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	7.72E-06
		Cobalt	9.79E+00	ug/L	9.79E-03	mg/L	9.79E-03	1.72E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.74E-04
		Iron	8.04E+03	ug/L	8.04E+00	mg/L	8.04E+00	3.54E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.06E-04
		Manganese	2.24E+03	ug/L	2.24E+00	mg/L	2.24E+00	9.88E-05	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	1.03E-01
		Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	1.48E-02	mg/L	1.48E-02	6.51E-07	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	3.10E-02
		Nickel	1.73E+01	ug/L	1.73E-02	mg/L	1.73E-02	1.52E-07	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.90E-04
		Selenium	9.17E-01	ug/L	9.17E-04	mg/L	9.17E-04	4.04E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	8.08E-06
		Thallium	1.71E-02	ug/L	1.71E-05	mg/L	1.71E-05	7.53E-10	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	7.53E-05
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>4.52E+00</b>	
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	1.36E+02	ug/L	1.36E-01	mg/L	1.36E-01	1.20E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	2.01E-02
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	5.08E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.69E-02
		Cadmium	6.00E-03	ug/L	6.00E-06	mg/L	6.00E-06	5.33E-11	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d	2.13E-06
		Cobalt	3.04E+00	ug/L	3.04E-03	mg/L	3.04E-03	1.08E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.60E-05
		Copper	4.31E-01	ug/L	4.31E-04	mg/L	4.31E-04	3.83E-09	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	9.57E-08
		Iron	1.33E+03	ug/L	1.33E+00	mg/L	1.33E+00	1.18E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.68E-05
		Manganese	1.71E+02	ug/L	1.71E-01	mg/L	1.71E-01	1.51E-06	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	1.58E-03
		Mercury	2.41E-01	ug/L	2.41E-04	mg/L	2.41E-04	2.14E-09	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.02E-04
		Methyl Mercury	3.13E-04	ug/L	3.13E-07	mg/L	3.13E-07	2.78E-12	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.78E-08
		Nickel	1.05E+01	ug/L	1.05E-02	mg/L	1.05E-02	1.87E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.34E-05
		Selenium	3.85E-01	ug/L	3.85E-04	mg/L	3.85E-04	3.42E-09	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.84E-07
		Silver	2.60E-02	ug/L	2.60E-05	mg/L	2.60E-05	1.39E-10	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.93E-07
		Zinc	7.27E-01	ug/L	7.27E-04	mg/L	7.27E-04	3.87E-09	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.29E-08
		1-Methylnaphthalene	1.50E+00	ug/L	1.50E-03	mg/L	1.50E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
Naphthalene	6.80E-01	ug/L	6.80E-04	mg/L	6.80E-04	2.84E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.42E-05		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>3.88E-02</b>	
Air	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	1.36E-05	mg/m3	1.36E-05	3.12E-06	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3	6.23E-04
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	5.56E-06	mg/m3	5.56E-06	1.27E-06	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	8.65E-06	mg/m3	8.65E-06	1.19E-06	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3	7.90E-02
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	4.74E-07	mg/m3	4.74E-07	1.08E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3	2.16E-04
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	3.45E-08	mg/m3	3.45E-08	7.87E-09	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	2.32E-08	mg/m3	2.32E-08	5.30E-09	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3	8.84E-04
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	5.39E-05	mg/m3	5.39E-05	1.23E-05	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	1.05E-06	mg/m3	1.05E-06	2.40E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3	4.79E-03
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	1.67E-02	mg/m3	1.67E-02	3.82E-03	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	<b>1.27E+01</b>
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	2.51E-10	mg/m3	2.51E-10	5.74E-11	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--
		Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	4.57E-08	mg/m3	4.57E-08	1.04E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3	--
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>1.28E+01</b>	

**Table D-10  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Aluminum	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	mg/kg	3.22E+01	1.71E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.71E-02
		Antimony	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	mg/kg	1.71E+01	9.05E-03	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.26E+01
		Arsenic	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+00	6.05E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.02E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Barium	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	mg/kg	3.79E+00	2.01E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.00E-02
		Cadmium	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	mg/kg	4.42E-02	2.34E-05	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.34E-02
		Chromium	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	mg/kg	6.80E-01	3.61E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	2.40E-04
		Cobalt	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Copper	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	mg/kg	1.25E+00	6.64E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	1.66E-02
		Iron	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	mg/kg	8.89E+01	4.71E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	6.73E-02
		Manganese	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	mg/kg	1.25E+01	6.63E-03	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	4.74E-02
		Mercury	2.14E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	mg/kg	6.42E+00	3.40E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.40E+01
		Methyl Mercury		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d		mg/kg-d	
		Nickel	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	mg/kg	1.47E-01	7.80E-05	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	3.90E-03
		Selenium	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	mg/kg	1.89E+00	1.00E-03	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.01E-01
		Silver	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Thallium	--	mg/kg	--	mg/kg	--	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
Vanadium	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	mg/kg	2.21E-01	1.17E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.34E-02		
Zinc	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	mg/kg	2.66E+01	1.41E-02	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	4.70E-02		
<b>Hazard Index</b>												
<b>5.91E+01</b>												
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	mg/kg	6.43E-01	6.67E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	6.67E-06
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	7.35E-02	mg/kg	7.35E-02	7.64E-07	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.91E-03
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	2.87E-02	mg/kg	2.87E-02	2.98E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.94E-04
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	6.29E-01	mg/kg	6.29E-01	6.53E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.26E-05
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	mg/kg	1.27E-01	1.32E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	8.79E-07
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	mg/kg	1.81E-01	1.88E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.26E-03
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	mg/kg	1.60E+01	1.66E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	2.37E-04
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.72E+00	mg/kg	7.72E+00	8.02E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	5.73E-04
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	1.42E+00	mg/kg	1.42E+00	1.47E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.91E-02
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	mg/kg	1.75E-02	1.82E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.82E-02
		Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	4.35E-03	mg/kg	4.35E-03	4.52E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.04E-06
<b>Hazard Index</b>												
<b>7.73E-02</b>												
Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	mg/kg	1.59E+01	1.15E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	1.15E-04
		Antimony	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	mg/kg	2.72E+00	1.97E-05	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.93E-02
		Arsenic	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	mg/kg	5.32E-01	3.85E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.28E-02
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Barium	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	mg/kg	1.55E+02	1.12E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.62E-03
		Chromium	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	mg/kg	8.55E-01	6.19E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	4.13E-06
		Cobalt	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	mg/kg	3.35E-01	2.43E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.09E-03
		Iron	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	mg/kg	2.96E+01	2.14E-04	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.06E-04
		Manganese	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	mg/kg	7.15E+02	5.18E-03	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.70E-02
		Mercury	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	1.52E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.07E-03
		Thallium	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	mg/kg	1.62E-02	1.17E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.17E-02
		Vanadium	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	mg/kg	6.45E-02	4.67E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	9.34E-05
<b>Hazard Index</b>												
<b>1.30E-01</b>												

**Table D-10  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Mine Worker Receptor Age: Adult
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient
Birds	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	mg/kg	1.30E+02	4.55E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	4.55E-03
		Antimony	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	mg/kg	1.03E+01	3.62E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.06E-01
		Arsenic	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	mg/kg	7.58E+00	2.66E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.86E-01
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Barium	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	mg/kg	5.99E+01	2.10E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.05E-02
		Chromium	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	mg/kg	8.35E-01	2.93E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.95E-05
		Cobalt	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	mg/kg	2.33E-01	8.18E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	2.73E-02
		Iron	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	mg/kg	1.97E+02	6.92E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	9.89E-03
		Manganese	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	mg/kg	1.90E+03	6.68E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	4.77E-01
		Mercury	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	mg/kg	5.64E+00	1.98E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	6.60E-01
		Thallium	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	mg/kg	2.10E-01	7.37E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	7.37E-01
Vanadium	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	mg/kg	9.17E-01	3.22E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.44E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>3.72E+00</b>	
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	9.28E+03	mg/kg	6.03E+00	mg/kg	6.03E+00	8.44E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	8.44E-06
		Antimony	3.78E+03	mg/kg	1.14E+02	mg/kg	1.14E+02	1.59E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.97E-01
		Arsenic		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	5.88E+03	mg/kg	3.53E+01	mg/kg	3.53E+01	4.94E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	1.65E-01
		Barium	3.22E+02	mg/kg	4.84E+00	mg/kg	4.84E+00	6.77E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	3.38E-05
		Chromium	2.35E+01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	mg/kg	1.06E-01	1.48E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	9.84E-08
		Cobalt	1.58E+01	mg/kg	1.11E-01	mg/kg	1.11E-01	1.55E-07	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.16E-04
		Iron	3.67E+04	mg/kg	3.67E+01	mg/kg	3.67E+01	5.13E-05	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	7.33E-05
		Manganese	7.14E+02	mg/kg	3.57E+01	mg/kg	3.57E+01	4.99E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	3.57E-04
		Mercury	3.73E+02	mg/kg	7.46E+01	mg/kg	7.46E+01	1.04E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.48E-01
		Thallium	1.71E-01	mg/kg	6.84E-05	mg/kg	6.84E-05	9.57E-11	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	9.57E-06
Vanadium	3.11E+01	mg/kg	9.33E-02	mg/kg	9.33E-02	1.31E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.61E-05		
<b>Hazard Index</b>											<b>9.11E-01</b>	
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>											<b>5.17E+02</b>	

**Table D-11  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Maximum Groundwater Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+03	6.74E-02	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.01E-01</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	8.48E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.19E-06
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+00	mg/L	4.53E+00	1.50E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.25E-04</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00

<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>1.01E-01</b>
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**Table D-12  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future
Receptor Population: Residential - Maximum
Receptor Age: Adult/Child

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	1.31E+04	ug/L	1.31E+04	ug/L	1.31E+04	3.59E-01	8.37E-01	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	8.97E+02	2.1E+03	
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+03	1.24E-01	2.90E-01	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	4.14E+02	9.7E+02	
		Barium	3.65E+02	ug/L	3.65E+02	ug/L	3.65E+02	1.00E-02	2.33E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	5.00E-02	1.2E-01	
		Chromium	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E+01	2.90E-04	6.78E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	1.94E-04	4.5E-04	
		Cobalt	4.05E+01	ug/L	4.05E+01	ug/L	4.05E+01	1.11E-03	2.59E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.70E+00	8.6E+00	
		Iron	2.24E+04	ug/L	2.24E+04	ug/L	2.24E+04	6.14E-01	1.43E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	8.77E-01	2.0E+00	
		Manganese	7.37E+03	ug/L	7.37E+03	ug/L	7.37E+03	2.02E-01	4.71E-01	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d	8.41E+00	2.0E+01	
		Mercury	5.65E+01	ug/L	5.65E+01	ug/L	5.65E+01	1.55E-03	3.61E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.16E+00	1.2E+01	
		Nickel	3.59E+01	ug/L	3.59E+01	ug/L	3.59E+01	9.84E-04	2.29E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	4.92E-02	1.1E-01	
		Selenium	5.40E+00	ug/L	5.40E+00	ug/L	5.40E+00	1.48E-04	3.45E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	2.96E-02	6.9E-02	
		Thallium	7.50E-02	ug/L	7.50E-02	ug/L	7.50E-02	2.05E-06	4.79E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	2.05E-01	4.8E-01	
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E+00	1.56E-04	3.64E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	7.81E-03	1.8E-02	
												<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>1.33E+03</b>	<b>3.10E+03</b>	
Groundwater	Dermal	Antimony	1.31E+04	ug/L	1.31E+01	mg/L	1.31E+01	8.08E-04	1.82E-06	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d	1.35E+01	3.0E-02	
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	4.53E+03	ug/L	4.53E+00	mg/L	4.53E+00	2.79E-04	6.31E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	9.31E-01	2.1E+00	
		Barium	3.65E+02	ug/L	3.65E-01	mg/L	3.65E-01	2.25E-05	5.08E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d	1.61E-03	3.6E-03	
		Chromium	1.06E+01	ug/L	1.06E-02	mg/L	1.06E-02	6.53E-07	1.48E-06	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	3.27E-05	7.4E-05	
		Cobalt	4.05E+01	ug/L	4.05E-02	mg/L	4.05E-02	9.99E-07	2.26E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	3.33E-03	7.5E-03	
		Iron	2.24E+04	ug/L	2.24E+01	mg/L	2.24E+01	1.38E-03	3.12E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	1.97E-03	4.5E-03	
		Manganese	7.37E+03	ug/L	7.37E+00	mg/L	7.37E+00	4.54E-04	1.03E-03	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d	4.73E-01	1.1E+00	
		Mercury	5.65E+01	ug/L	5.65E-02	mg/L	5.65E-02	3.48E-06	7.87E-06	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d	1.66E-01	3.7E-01	
		Nickel	3.59E+01	ug/L	3.59E-02	mg/L	3.59E-02	4.43E-07	1.00E-06	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d	5.53E-04	1.2E-03	
		Selenium	5.40E+00	ug/L	5.40E-03	mg/L	5.40E-03	3.33E-07	7.52E-07	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	6.66E-05	1.5E-04	
		Thallium	7.50E-02	ug/L	7.50E-05	mg/L	7.50E-05	4.62E-09	1.04E-08	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	4.62E-04	1.0E-03	
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.70E+00	ug/L	5.70E-03	mg/L	5.70E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
												<b>Hazard Index</b>	<b>1.50E+01</b>	<b>3.59E+00</b>	
Air	Volatile from Groundwater	Mercury	5.65E+01	ug/L	2.83E-02	mg/m3	2.83E-02	8.47E-04	8.47E-04	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3	2.82E+00	2.8E+00	
													<b>Total Hazard Index</b>	<b>1.35E+03</b>	<b>3.11E+03</b>



**Table D-13  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future
Receptor Population: Residential - Background
Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	2.61E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.91E-04</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	4.11E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>6.17E-05</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	6.04E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	9.06E-06
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	2.01E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.01E-04</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E-02	mg/L	1.35E-02	4.46E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	6.70E-07
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	8.63E-01	ug/L	8.63E-04	mg/L	8.63E-04	7.31E-09	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.10E-08
		1-Methylnaphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	5.29E-04	ug/m3	5.29E-04	1.01E-04	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	4.33E-07
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>7.64E-04</b>
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	5.40E-03	mg/kg	5.40E-03	3.13E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.69E-06
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	2.83E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>4.24E-05</b>
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	9.14E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.37E-05</b>
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	2.16E+00	mg/kg	2.16E+00	2.36E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>3.54E-04</b>
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>4.14E-04</b>
											<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>1.18E-03</b>

**Table D-14  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Rec/Sub User (Background) Receptor Age: Combined Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	8.69E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.30E-04</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	1.37E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.06E-05</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	2.01E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	3.02E-06
Surface Water	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E+02	4.87E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>7.30E-04</b>
		1-Methylnaphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	5.73E+02	ug/L	5.73E-01	mg/L	5.73E-01	1.62E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	2.42E-06
		1-Methylnaphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	1.15E-04	ug/m3	1.15E-04	7.26E-06	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	3.12E-08
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>8.86E-04</b>
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	5.40E-03	mg/kg	5.40E-03	4.38E-08	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	6.57E-08
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	5.65E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	8.48E-07
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	3.01E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.52E-06
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	2.16E+00	mg/kg	2.16E+00	2.36E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	3.54E-06
<b>Cancer Risk</b>												<b>8.97E-06</b>

<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>8.95E-04</b>
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**Table D-15  
CALCULATION OF CANCER RISKS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future
Receptor Population: Mine Worker - Background
Receptor Age: Combined Adult

Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Intake	Intake Units	Slope Factor	Slope Factor Units	Cancer Risk
Soil	Ingestion	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	9.05E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.36E-04</b>
Soil	Dermal	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	1.95E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>2.92E-05</b>
Sediment	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	2.86E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.29E-06
Groundwater	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	1.13E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	<b>1.70E-04</b>
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Groundwater	Dermal	Arsenic (Inorganic)	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E-02	mg/L	1.35E-02	3.57E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	5.35E-07
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Surface Water	Dermal	Arsenic	8.63E-01	ug/L	8.63E-04	mg/L	8.63E-04	4.93E-09	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	7.39E-09
		1-Methylnaphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.9E-02	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Air	Inhalation of Particulates	Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	5.29E-04	ug/m3	5.29E-04	1.01E-04	ug/m3	4.3E-03	(ug/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>-1</sup>	4.33E-07
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>3.40E-04</b>
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Arsenic		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	0.00E+00
Large Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	5.40E-03	mg/kg	5.40E-03	2.40305E-08	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	3.60E-08
Small Land Mammals	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	3.10E-07	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	4.65E-07
Birds	Ingestion	Arsenic	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	1.65E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	2.48E-06
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Arsenic (Inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	2.16E+00	mg/kg	2.16E+00	1.29E-06	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	(mg/kg-d) <sup>-1</sup>	1.94E-06
											<b>Cancer Risk</b>	<b>4.92E-06</b>
											<b>Total Excess Cancer Risk</b>	<b>3.45E-04</b>

**Table D-16  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Soil	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.96E+04	mg/kg	1.96E+04	mg/kg	1.96E+04	2.07E-02	1.93E-01	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		2.07E-02	1.9E-01
		Antimony	8.00E+00	mg/kg	8.00E+00	mg/kg	8.00E+00	8.45E-06	7.89E-05	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		2.11E-02	2.0E-01
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	2.28E-04	2.13E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		7.60E-01	<b>7.1E+00</b>
		Barium	2.38E+02	mg/kg	2.38E+02	mg/kg	2.38E+02	2.51E-04	2.34E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		1.25E-03	1.2E-02
		Chromium	2.87E+01	mg/kg	2.87E+01	mg/kg	2.87E+01	3.04E-05	2.83E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		2.02E-05	1.9E-04
		Cobalt	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	1.20E-05	1.12E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		4.00E-02	3.7E-01
		Iron	3.10E+04	mg/kg	3.10E+04	mg/kg	3.10E+04	3.28E-02	3.06E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		4.69E-02	4.4E-01
		Manganese	8.16E+02	mg/kg	8.16E+02	mg/kg	8.16E+02	8.62E-04	8.05E-03	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d		3.59E-02	3.4E-01
		Mercury	1.86E+00	mg/kg	1.86E+00	mg/kg	1.86E+00	1.97E-06	1.83E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		6.55E-03	6.1E-02
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Vanadium	5.83E+01	mg/kg	5.83E+01	mg/kg	5.83E+01	6.17E-05	5.75E-04	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		1.23E-02	1.2E-01		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													9.45E-01	<b>8.82E+00</b>	
Soil	Dermal	Aluminum	1.96E+04	mg/kg	1.96E+04	mg/kg	1.96E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	8.00E+00	mg/kg	8.00E+00	mg/kg	8.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	mg/kg	3.60E+02	4.55E-05	2.98E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.52E-01	9.9E-01
		Barium	2.38E+02	mg/kg	2.38E+02	mg/kg	2.38E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Chromium	2.87E+01	mg/kg	2.87E+01	mg/kg	2.87E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.14E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	3.10E+04	mg/kg	3.10E+04	mg/kg	3.10E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	8.16E+02	mg/kg	8.16E+02	mg/kg	8.16E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	1.86E+00	mg/kg	1.86E+00	mg/kg	1.86E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Vanadium	5.83E+01	mg/kg	5.83E+01	mg/kg	5.83E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													1.52E-01	9.93E-01	
Sediment	Dermal	Aluminum	1.36E+04	mg/kg	1.36E+04	mg/kg	1.36E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Antimony	3.51E-01	mg/kg	3.51E-01	mg/kg	3.51E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	mg/kg	5.28E+01	6.68E-06	4.37E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		2.23E-02	1.5E-01
		Barium	1.68E+02	mg/kg	1.68E+02	mg/kg	1.68E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cadmium	5.96E-01	mg/kg	5.96E-01	mg/kg	5.96E-01	2.51E-09	1.65E-08	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d		1.01E-04	6.6E-04
		Chromium	2.51E+01	mg/kg	2.51E+01	mg/kg	2.51E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	1.37E+01	mg/kg	1.37E+01	mg/kg	1.37E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Copper	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	mg/kg	3.55E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Iron	3.35E+04	mg/kg	3.35E+04	mg/kg	3.35E+04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Manganese	9.82E+02	mg/kg	9.82E+02	mg/kg	9.82E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Mercury	1.80E-01	mg/kg	1.80E-01	mg/kg	1.80E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Methyl Mercury	2.80E-04	mg/kg	2.80E-04	mg/kg	2.80E-04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Nickel	3.86E+01	mg/kg	3.86E+01	mg/kg	3.86E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Selenium	7.02E-01	mg/kg	7.02E-01	mg/kg	7.02E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Silver	1.28E-01	mg/kg	1.28E-01	mg/kg	1.28E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	1.16E-01	mg/kg	1.16E-01	mg/kg	1.16E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Vanadium	3.61E+01	mg/kg	3.61E+01	mg/kg	3.61E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Zinc	1.29E+02	mg/kg	1.29E+02	mg/kg	1.29E+02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													2.24E-02	1.46E-01	

**Table D-16  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Groundwater	Ingestion	Antimony	5.05E-01	ug/L	5.05E-01	ug/L	5.05E-01	1.38E-05	3.23E-05	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		3.46E-02	8.1E-02
		Arsenic	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E+01	3.70E-04	8.63E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		<b>1.23E+00</b>	<b>2.9E+00</b>
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	8.33E+01	ug/L	8.33E+01	ug/L	8.33E+01	2.28E-03	5.33E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		1.14E-02	2.7E-02
		Chromium	4.95E+00	ug/L	4.95E+00	ug/L	4.95E+00	1.36E-04	3.16E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		9.04E-05	2.1E-04
		Cobalt	1.14E+00	ug/L	1.14E+00	ug/L	1.14E+00	3.12E-05	7.29E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.04E-01	2.4E-01
		Iron	8.99E+03	ug/L	8.99E+03	ug/L	8.99E+03	2.46E-01	5.75E-01	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		3.52E-01	8.2E-01
		Manganese	1.12E+03	ug/L	1.12E+03	ug/L	1.12E+03	3.07E-02	7.16E-02	mg/kg-d	2.4E-02	mg/kg-d		<b>1.28E+00</b>	<b>3.0E+00</b>
		Mercury	5.41E+01	ug/L	5.41E+01	ug/L	5.41E+01	1.48E-03	3.46E-03	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		<b>4.94E+00</b>	<b>1.2E+01</b>
		Nickel	2.68E+00	ug/L	2.68E+00	ug/L	2.68E+00	7.34E-05	1.71E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		3.67E-03	8.6E-03
		Selenium	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	9.00E-03	ug/L	9.00E-03	ug/L	9.00E-03	2.47E-07	5.75E-07	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		2.47E-02	5.8E-02
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
<b>Hazard Index</b>													<b>7.98E+00</b>	<b>1.86E+01</b>	
Groundwater	Dermal	Antimony	5.05E-01	ug/L	5.05E-04	mg/L	5.05E-04	3.11E-08	7.03E-11	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d		5.19E-04	1.2E-06
		Arsenic	1.35E+01	ug/L	1.35E-02	mg/L	1.35E-02	8.32E-07	1.88E-06	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		2.77E-03	6.3E-03
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	8.33E+01	ug/L	8.33E-02	mg/L	8.33E-02	5.13E-06	1.16E-05	mg/kg-d	1.4E-02	mg/kg-d		3.67E-04	8.3E-04
		Chromium	4.95E+00	ug/L	4.95E-03	mg/L	4.95E-03	3.05E-07	6.89E-07	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		1.53E-05	3.4E-05
		Cobalt	1.14E+00	ug/L	1.14E-03	mg/L	1.14E-03	2.81E-08	6.35E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		9.37E-05	2.1E-04
		Iron	8.99E+03	ug/L	8.99E+00	mg/L	8.99E+00	5.54E-04	1.25E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		7.92E-04	1.8E-03
		Manganese	1.12E+03	ug/L	1.12E+00	mg/L	1.12E+00	6.90E-05	1.56E-04	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d		7.19E-02	1.6E-01
		Mercury	5.41E+01	ug/L	5.41E-02	mg/L	5.41E-02	3.33E-06	7.53E-06	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d		1.59E-01	3.6E-01
		Nickel	2.68E+00	ug/L	2.68E-03	mg/L	2.68E-03	3.30E-08	7.46E-08	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d		4.13E-05	9.3E-05
		Selenium	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Thallium	9.00E-03	ug/L	9.00E-06	mg/L	9.00E-06	5.55E-10	1.25E-09	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		5.55E-05	1.3E-04
		Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
<b>Hazard Index</b>													2.35E-01	5.30E-01	
Surface Water	Dermal	Antimony	1.52E+00	ug/L	1.52E-03	mg/L	1.52E-03	2.02E-08	6.91E-08	mg/kg-d	6.0E-05	mg/kg-d		3.37E-04	1.2E-03
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	8.63E-01	ug/L	8.63E-04	mg/L	8.63E-04	1.15E-08	3.92E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		3.83E-05	1.3E-04
		Cadmium	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.5E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	6.60E-02	ug/L	6.60E-05	mg/L	6.60E-05	3.52E-10	1.20E-09	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.17E-06	4.0E-06
		Copper	3.70E-01	ug/L	3.70E-04	mg/L	3.70E-04	4.93E-09	1.68E-08	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d		1.23E-07	4.2E-07
		Iron	1.38E+02	ug/L	1.38E-01	mg/L	1.38E-01	1.84E-06	6.28E-06	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		2.63E-06	9.0E-06
		Manganese	1.75E+01	ug/L	1.75E-02	mg/L	1.75E-02	2.33E-07	7.96E-07	mg/kg-d	9.6E-04	mg/kg-d		2.43E-04	8.3E-04
		Mercury	2.63E-03	ug/L	2.63E-06	mg/L	2.63E-06	3.50E-11	1.20E-10	mg/kg-d	2.1E-05	mg/kg-d		1.67E-06	5.7E-06
		Methyl Mercury	8.00E-05	ug/L	8.00E-08	mg/L	8.00E-08	1.07E-12	3.64E-12	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.07E-08	3.6E-08
		Nickel	4.40E-01	ug/L	4.40E-04	mg/L	4.40E-04	1.17E-09	4.00E-09	mg/kg-d	8.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.47E-06	5.0E-06
		Selenium	5.00E-01	ug/L	5.00E-04	mg/L	5.00E-04	6.66E-09	2.27E-08	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		1.33E-06	4.5E-06
		Silver	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Zinc	5.00E-01	ug/L	5.00E-04	mg/L	5.00E-04	4.00E-09	1.36E-08	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d		1.33E-08	4.5E-08
		1-Methylnaphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Naphthalene	0.00E+00	ug/L	0.00E+00	mg/L	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													6.27E-04	2.14E-03	
		Aluminum	1.96E+04	mg/kg	2.88E-05	mg/m3	2.88E-05	2.13E-05	2.13E-05	mg/m3	5.0E-03	mg/m3		4.26E-03	4.3E-03
		Antimony	8.00E+00	mg/kg	1.18E-08	mg/m3	1.18E-08	8.70E-09	8.70E-09	mg/m3	--	mg/m3		--	--

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CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Air	Dust Particulates or Volatile from Soil	Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	5.29E-07	mg/m3	5.29E-07	2.35E-07	2.35E-07	mg/m3	1.5E-05	mg/m3		1.56E-02	1.6E-02
		Barium	2.38E+02	mg/kg	3.49E-07	mg/m3	3.49E-07	2.58E-07	2.58E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-04	mg/m3		5.17E-04	5.2E-04
		Chromium	2.87E+01	mg/kg	4.23E-08	mg/m3	4.23E-08	3.13E-08	3.13E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3		--	--
		Cobalt	1.14E+01	mg/kg	1.67E-08	mg/m3	1.67E-08	1.24E-08	1.24E-08	mg/m3	6.0E-06	mg/m3		2.06E-03	2.1E-03
		Iron	3.10E+04	mg/kg	4.57E-05	mg/m3	4.57E-05	3.38E-05	3.38E-05	mg/m3	--	mg/m3		--	--
		Manganese	8.16E+02	mg/kg	1.20E-06	mg/m3	1.20E-06	8.88E-07	8.88E-07	mg/m3	5.0E-05	mg/m3		1.78E-02	1.8E-02
		Mercury	1.86E+00	mg/kg	8.34E-05	mg/m3	8.34E-05	6.17E-05	6.17E-05	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3		2.06E-01	2.1E-01
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/m3	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/m3	--	mg/m3		--	--
		Vanadium	5.83E+01	mg/kg	8.58E-08	mg/m3	8.58E-08	6.35E-08	6.35E-08	mg/m3	--	mg/m3		--	--
<b>Hazard Index</b>													2.46E-01	2.46E-01	
Air	Volatile from Groundwater	Mercury	1.48E+01	ug/L	7.39E-03	mg/m3	7.39E-03	2.22E-04	2.22E-04	mg/m3	3.0E-04	mg/m3		7.39E-01	7.4E-01

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RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient	
Non-Salmon Fish	Ingestion	Aluminum	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Antimony	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Arsenic (Inorganic)	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Barium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Cadmium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Chromium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Cobalt	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Copper	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	4.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Iron	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Manganese	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Mercury	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-04	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Methyl Mercury		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d		mg/kg-d			
		Nickel	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	2.0E-02	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Selenium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Silver	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
Vanadium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
Zinc	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-01	mg/kg-d	0.00E+00	0.0E+00		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													0.00E+00	0.00E+00		
Large Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	8.70E+00	mg/kg	3.52E-01	mg/kg	3.52E-01	3.82E-04	8.55E-04	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		3.82E-04	8.5E-04	
		Antimony	1.39E-01	mg/kg	3.75E-03	mg/kg	3.75E-03	4.06E-06	9.10E-06	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.02E-02	2.3E-02	
		Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	5.40E-03	mg/kg	5.40E-03	5.85E-06	1.31E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.95E-02	4.4E-02	
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Barium	3.40E+01	mg/kg	1.38E-01	mg/kg	1.38E-01	1.49E-04	3.34E-04	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		7.46E-04	1.7E-03	
		Chromium	1.10E+00	mg/kg	1.63E-01	mg/kg	1.63E-01	1.77E-04	3.96E-04	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		1.18E-04	2.6E-04	
		Cobalt	7.90E-02	mg/kg	4.27E-02	mg/kg	4.27E-02	4.62E-05	1.03E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.54E-01	3.4E-01	
		Iron	2.79E+01	mg/kg	1.51E+01	mg/kg	1.51E+01	1.63E-02	3.65E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		2.33E-02	5.2E-02	
		Manganese	2.29E+02	mg/kg	2.47E+00	mg/kg	2.47E+00	2.68E-03	6.00E-03	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d		1.91E-02	4.3E-02	
		Mercury	5.60E-02	mg/kg	3.78E-01	mg/kg	3.78E-01	4.09E-04	9.17E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		<b>1.36E+00</b>	<b>3.1E+00</b>	
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Vanadium	5.00E-02	mg/kg	3.38E-03	mg/kg	3.38E-03	3.65E-06	8.19E-06	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		7.31E-04	1.6E-03	
<b>Hazard Index</b>													<b>1.59E+00</b>	<b>3.57E+00</b>		
Small Land Mammal	Ingestion	Aluminum	8.70E+00	mg/kg	8.70E+00	mg/kg	8.70E+00	4.60E-03	1.03E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		4.60E-03	1.0E-02	
		Antimony	1.39E-01	mg/kg	1.39E-01	mg/kg	1.39E-01	7.35E-05	1.65E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.84E-01	4.1E-01	
		Arsenic	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	mg/kg	1.00E-01	5.29E-05	1.18E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.76E-01	3.9E-01	
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Barium	3.40E+01	mg/kg	3.40E+01	mg/kg	3.40E+01	1.80E-02	4.03E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		8.99E-02	2.0E-01	
		Chromium	1.10E+00	mg/kg	1.10E+00	mg/kg	1.10E+00	5.81E-04	1.30E-03	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		3.88E-04	8.7E-04	
		Cobalt	7.90E-02	mg/kg	7.90E-02	mg/kg	7.90E-02	4.18E-05	9.35E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.39E-01	3.1E-01	
		Iron	2.79E+01	mg/kg	2.79E+01	mg/kg	2.79E+01	1.47E-02	3.30E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		2.11E-02	4.7E-02	
		Manganese	2.29E+02	mg/kg	2.29E+02	mg/kg	2.29E+02	1.21E-01	2.71E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d		8.65E-01	<b>1.9E+00</b>	
		Mercury	5.60E-02	mg/kg	5.60E-02	mg/kg	5.60E-02	2.96E-05	6.63E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		9.87E-02	2.2E-01	
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00	
		Vanadium	5.00E-02	mg/kg	5.00E-02	mg/kg	5.00E-02	2.64E-05	5.92E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		5.29E-03	1.2E-02	
<b>Hazard Index</b>													<b>1.58E+00</b>	<b>3.55E+00</b>		
		Aluminum	6.88E+01	mg/kg	6.88E+01	mg/kg	6.88E+01	1.07E-02	2.39E-02	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		1.07E-02	2.4E-02	

**Table D-16  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Birds	Ingestion	Antimony	1.49E+00	mg/kg	1.49E+00	mg/kg	1.49E+00	2.31E-04	5.18E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		5.78E-01	<b>1.3E+00</b>
		Arsenic	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	mg/kg	1.10E-01	1.71E-05	3.83E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		5.69E-02	1.3E-01
		Arsenic (inorganic)		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Barium	8.04E+01	mg/kg	8.04E+01	mg/kg	8.04E+01	1.25E-02	2.80E-02	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		6.24E-02	1.4E-01
		Chromium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Cobalt	9.40E-02	mg/kg	9.40E-02	mg/kg	9.40E-02	1.46E-05	3.27E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		4.87E-02	1.1E-01
		Iron	2.50E+01	mg/kg	2.50E+01	mg/kg	2.50E+01	3.88E-03	8.68E-03	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		5.54E-03	1.2E-02
		Manganese	1.59E+03	mg/kg	1.59E+03	mg/kg	1.59E+03	2.47E-01	5.53E-01	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d		<b>1.76E+00</b>	<b>4.0E+00</b>
		Mercury	5.60E-02	mg/kg	5.60E-02	mg/kg	5.60E-02	8.70E-06	1.95E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		2.90E-02	6.5E-02
		Thallium	1.50E-02	mg/kg	1.50E-02	mg/kg	1.50E-02	2.33E-06	5.22E-06	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		2.33E-01	5.2E-01
Vanadium	5.00E-02	mg/kg	5.00E-02	mg/kg	5.00E-02	7.76E-06	1.74E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		1.55E-03	3.5E-03		
<b>Hazard Index</b>													<b>2.79E+00</b>	<b>6.25E+00</b>	



**Table D-16  
CALCULATION OF NON-CANCER HAZARDS  
RED DEVIL MINE**

Scenario Timeframe: Future Receptor Population: Residential - Background Receptor Age: Adult/Child
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Medium	Exposure Route	Contaminant of Potential Concern	Medium EPC Value	Medium EPC Units	Route EPC Value	Route EPC Units	EPC Selected for Risk Calculation	Adult Intake	Child Intake	Intake Units	Chronic Reference Dose	Chronic Reference Dose Units	Target Organ	Adult Hazard Quotient	Child Hazard Quotient
Berries and Plants	Ingestion	Aluminum	1.96E+04	mg/kg	1.27E+01	mg/kg	1.27E+01	2.60E-03	5.82E-03	mg/kg-d	1.0E+00	mg/kg-d		2.60E-03	5.8E-03
		Antimony	8.00E+00	mg/kg	2.40E-01	mg/kg	2.40E-01	4.90E-05	1.10E-04	mg/kg-d	4.0E-04	mg/kg-d		1.23E-01	2.7E-01
		Arsenic		mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
		Arsenic (inorganic)	3.60E+02	mg/kg	2.16E+00	mg/kg	2.16E+00	4.41E-04	9.87E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		<b>1.47E+00</b>	<b>3.3E+00</b>
		Barium	2.38E+02	mg/kg	3.56E+00	mg/kg	3.56E+00	7.28E-04	1.63E-03	mg/kg-d	2.0E-01	mg/kg-d		3.64E-03	8.2E-03
		Chromium	2.87E+01	mg/kg	1.29E-01	mg/kg	1.29E-01	2.64E-05	5.92E-05	mg/kg-d	1.5E+00	mg/kg-d		1.76E-05	3.9E-05
		Cobalt	1.14E+01	mg/kg	7.95E-02	mg/kg	7.95E-02	1.62E-05	3.64E-05	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		5.41E-02	1.2E-01
		Iron	3.10E+04	mg/kg	3.10E+01	mg/kg	3.10E+01	6.34E-03	1.42E-02	mg/kg-d	7.0E-01	mg/kg-d		9.06E-03	2.0E-02
		Manganese	8.16E+02	mg/kg	4.08E+01	mg/kg	4.08E+01	8.33E-03	1.87E-02	mg/kg-d	1.4E-01	mg/kg-d		5.95E-02	1.3E-01
		Mercury	1.86E+00	mg/kg	3.72E-01	mg/kg	3.72E-01	7.60E-05	1.70E-04	mg/kg-d	3.0E-04	mg/kg-d		2.53E-01	5.7E-01
		Thallium	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	mg/kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	mg/kg-d	1.0E-05	mg/kg-d		0.00E+00	0.0E+00
Vanadium	5.83E+01	mg/kg	1.75E-01	mg/kg	1.75E-01	1.75E-01	3.58E-05	8.01E-05	mg/kg-d	5.0E-03	mg/kg-d		7.15E-03	1.6E-02	
<b>Hazard Index</b>													<b>1.98E+00</b>	<b>4.44E+00</b>	
<b>Total Hazard Index</b>													<b>1.75E+01</b>	<b>4.72E+01</b>	

**Table D-17  
PARTICULATE EMISSION FACTOR FOR UNPAVED ROAD TRAFFIC**

$F_D = 0.1852 + \frac{5.3537}{t} + \frac{-9.6318}{t^2}$		
t =	720 hr	(90 days x 8 hr/day)
F <sub>D</sub> =	0.192 (unitless)	
$PEF_{sr} = Q/C_{sr} \times \frac{1}{F_D} \times \frac{T \times A_R}{\frac{2.6 \times (s/12)^{0.8} (W/3)^{0.4}}{(M_{dry}/0.2)^{0.3}} \times \frac{365-p}{365} \times 281.9 \times \Sigma VKT}$		
Q/C <sub>sr</sub> =	46.92 g/m <sup>2</sup> -s per kg/m <sup>3</sup>	Default for Minneapolis, MN largest source area
T =	2,592,000 s	(90 days x 8 hr/day x 3600 s/hr)
A <sub>R</sub> =	995,000 m <sup>2</sup>	246 acres
s =	8.5 %	(default)
W =	0.277 Ton	vehicle = 181 kg (yamaha-moter.com, based on 400 lb ATV) +70 kg rider
M <sub>dry</sub> =	0.20 %	(default)
ΣVKT =	1.08E+03 km	(10 vehicles x 1.2 km/day [2x site width] x 90 days)
p =	49 days	(sum of precipitation data from Bethel, AK - summer months)
PEF =	3.14E+09 m <sup>3</sup> /kg	

Reference:

EPA 2002. Supplemental Guidance for Developing Soil Screening Levels for Superfund Sites.  
OSWER 9355.4-24. December

**E**

**Lead Model**

LEAD MODEL FOR WINDOWS Version 1.1

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Model Version: 1.1 Build11

User Name:

Date:

Site Name:

Operable Unit:

Run Mode: Research  
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\*\*\*\*\* Air \*\*\*\*\*

Indoor Air Pb Concentration: 30.000 percent of outdoor.

Other Air Parameters:

Age	Time Outdoors (hours)	Ventilation Rate (m <sup>3</sup> /day)	Lung Absorption (%)	Outdoor Air Pb Conc (µg Pb/m <sup>3</sup> )
.5-1	1.000	2.000	32.000	0.100
1-2	2.000	3.000	32.000	0.100
2-3	3.000	5.000	32.000	0.100
3-4	4.000	5.000	32.000	0.100
4-5	4.000	5.000	32.000	0.100
5-6	4.000	7.000	32.000	0.100
6-7	4.000	7.000	32.000	0.100

\*\*\*\*\* Diet \*\*\*\*\*

Age Diet Intake(µg/day)

.5-1	5.299
1-2	5.353
2-3	5.942
3-4	5.925
4-5	5.918
5-6	6.296
6-7	7.030

Alternative Dietary Values

Home grown fruits concentration: 1.610 µg/g

Home grown vegetables concentration: 0.000 µg/g

Fish from fishing concentration: 0.037 µg/g

Game animals from hunting concentration: 0.111 µg/g

Home grown fruits factor: 2.000 % of all fruits

Home grown vegetables factor: 0.000 % of all vegetables

Fish from fishing factor: 70.000 % of all meat

Game animals from hunting factor: 30.000 % of all meat

\*\*\*\*\* Drinking Water \*\*\*\*\*

Water Consumption:

Age Water (L/day)

.5-1	0.200
1-2	0.500
2-3	0.520
3-4	0.530
4-5	0.550
5-6	0.580
6-7	0.590

Drinking Water Concentration: 0.370 µg Pb/L

\*\*\*\*\* Soil & Dust \*\*\*\*\*

Multiple Source Analysis Used

Average multiple source concentration: 38.959 µg/g

Mass fraction of outdoor soil to indoor dust conversion factor: 0.700

Outdoor airborne lead to indoor household dust lead concentration: 100.000

Use alternate indoor dust Pb sources? No

Age	Soil (µg Pb/g)	House Dust (µg Pb/g)
.5-1	41.370	38.959
1-2	41.370	38.959
2-3	41.370	38.959
3-4	41.370	38.959
4-5	41.370	38.959
5-6	41.370	38.959
6-7	41.370	38.959

\*\*\*\*\* Alternate Intake \*\*\*\*\*

Age	Alternate (µg Pb/day)
.5-1	0.000
1-2	0.000
2-3	0.000
3-4	0.000
4-5	0.000
5-6	0.000
6-7	0.000

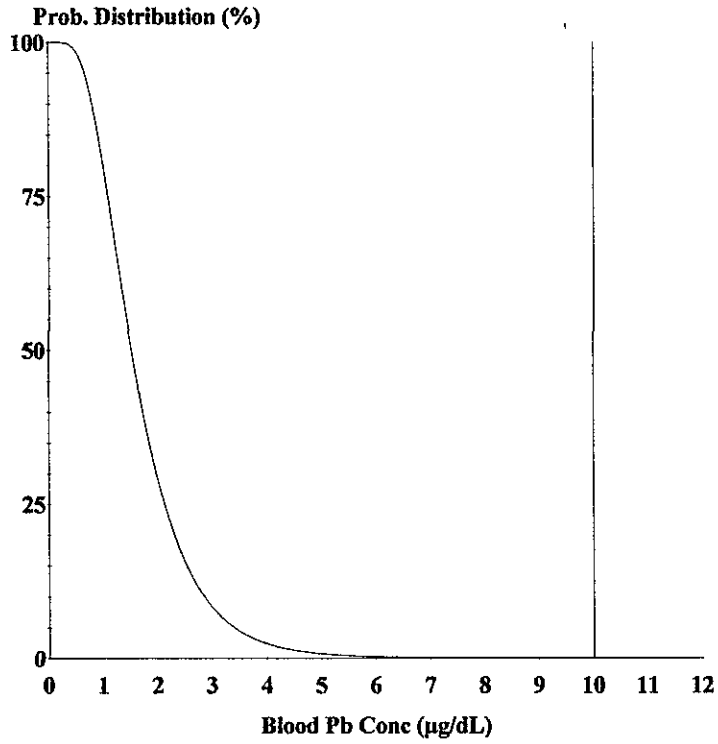
\*\*\*\*\* Maternal Contribution: Infant Model \*\*\*\*\*

Maternal Blood Concentration: 1.000 µg Pb/dL

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 CALCULATED BLOOD LEAD AND LEAD UPTAKES:  
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Year	Air (µg/day)	Diet (µg/day)	Alternate (µg/day)	Water (µg/day)
.5-1	0.021	2.545	0.000	0.036
1-2	0.034	2.580	0.000	0.089
2-3	0.062	2.873	0.000	0.093
3-4	0.067	2.879	0.000	0.095
4-5	0.067	2.892	0.000	0.099
5-6	0.093	3.084	0.000	0.105
6-7	0.093	3.445	0.000	0.107

Year	Soil+Dust (µg/day)	Total (µg/day)	Blood (µg/dL)
.5-1	0.981	3.582	2.0
1-2	1.563	4.266	1.8
2-3	1.568	4.596	1.7
3-4	1.576	4.616	1.6
4-5	1.174	4.233	1.5
5-6	1.059	4.342	1.3
6-7	1.001	4.646	1.3



**Cutoff = 10.000 µg/dl**  
**Geo Mean = 1.596**  
**GSD = 1.600**  
**% Above = 0.005**

**Age Range = 0 to 84 months**  
**Run Mode = Research**

# F

## **Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment for the Red Devil Mine Site**

- F1 Responses to Agency Comments on Draft SLERA**
- F2 Revised SLERA**

## F-1. Response to Agency Comments on Draft SLERA

### EPA Comments on

### The Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment for the Red Devil Mine Site (2-6-12) and

### E&E Responses to EPA Comments (March 2012)

#### Specific Comments:

1. P. 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> parag. Executive Summary. The text “chemicals were retained for evaluation in the BERA if the screening-level HQ exceeded 1” should be modified to read “if the screening-level HQ was greater than or equal to 1” (i.e.  $HQ \geq 1$ ) to be consistent with EPA risk assessment policy. This does not appear to have had any effect on the COPECs identified in the SLERA (for example, cobalt in sediment had a  $HQ = 1.0$ , but was correctly identified as a COPEC). Similar language appears several other locations in the SLERA (e.g. Section 4.5.2, page 11), and should be corrected throughout the SLERA.

**Response:** The text will be revised accordingly.

2. Executive Summary, Table ES-1. While providing a good overall summary of the findings of the SLERA, Table ES-1 could be made much more useful to risk assessors and risk managers reading the document with the following changes. Instead of using an ‘X’ to identify the chemicals of potential ecological concern (COPEC’s) in the SLERA, enter the maximum identified hazard quotient responsible for identifying the chemical as a COPEC in each medium or receptor. Also, where applicable, list the number of samples out of the total number of samples where the hazard quotient was greater than or equal to one. By preparing the summary table in this manner, it informs the reader of both the magnitude of potential risk, as well as giving a sense of the spatial extent of the risk. This information, in addition to the mere listing of COPECs by receptor or medium, will quickly allow the reader to identify the chemicals with both the greatest potential for risk, as well as the chemicals potentially posing risk across the largest proportion of the site, as opposed to chemicals with both a low magnitude and incidence of potential risk. Chemicals without screening level benchmarks that are passed forward into the BERA should continue to be identified as they are in Table ES-1. These comments also apply to Table 4-26, which is identical to Table ES-1.

**Response:** The tables will be improved as suggested.

3. P. 4, Sect. 2.4. Are wood frogs (*Rana sylvatica*) resident in the vicinity of the site? If they are, this appears to be the only major taxon not evaluated in the SLERA, and should be added as a target ecological receptor if present. If not present, add a sentence confirming the absence of any amphibian and reptile species at the site.

**Response:** It is unknown if wood frogs are present at the site. Amphibians (aquatic stages) are included in the *Fish and Other Aquatic Biota* assessment endpoint listed in Table 3-1 and were evaluated by comparing surface water chemical concentrations to water quality criteria. Table 3-1 will be revised to make clear that amphibians are included under this assessment endpoint. Also, Section 4.4 will be revised to be clear that other aquatic organism besides fish are being evaluated.

4. Table 3-1. Comparison of surface water chemical concentrations with water quality criteria is also an applicable measure and analysis approach for benthic invertebrates, as it is for amphibians (wood frog, assuming they are present in the vicinity of the site), and should be listed as such in Table 3-1.

**Response:** We agree with the observation that benthic macroinvertebrates and amphibians are exposed to surface water. Both groups of receptors are implicitly included in the *Fish and Other Aquatic Biota* assessment endpoint. Table 3-1 will be revised to make clear that benthic invertebrates and amphibians are included under this assessment endpoint. Also, Section 4.4 also will be revised to be clear that other aquatic organism besides fish are being evaluated.

5. P. 7, Sect. 3.1.6. At a minimum, identify the tables in the cited documents from which the data used in the



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SLERA was taken. Better yet, append the data tables themselves to the SLERA, along with maps or figures of where the samples used in the SLERA were collected. Sampling location figures will help identify areas to be evaluated and sampled during development of the problem formulation and analysis plan of the BERA. This will help address a specific Agency concern, the determination of the contribution of contaminants from Red Devil Creek to organisms in the area of the confluence of the creek with the Kuskokwim River.

**Response:** The revised SLERA will identify the RI report tables that present the data used in the SLERA. We will do the same regarding the BLM data for fish and benthic macroinvertebrates if draft reports are available from BLM at the time the revised SLERA is released.

6. Table 4-1. Two corrections need to be made to this table when identifying the rationale for selecting chemicals as COPECs. For plants, correct the rationale for selecting vanadium as a COPEC from NSL (no screening level available) to >SL (maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level). For soil invertebrates, correct the rationale for selecting mercury as a COPEC from NSL (no screening level available) to >SL (maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level). The text in Sections 4.1 and 4.2 correctly reflect the COPEC calculations and identification, only the rationales in Table 4-1 need correction.

**Response:** The requested corrections will be made.

7. Tables 4-1, 4-2 and 4-3. All three of these tables would be greatly improved by addition of a column tabulating the number of stations where hazard quotients  $\geq 1.0$  were found, along the lines of the frequency of detection column already present in these tables.

**Response:** The tables will be modified as suggested.

8. P. 8, Sect. 4.4. EPA finds it curious that at a former mercury mine location where mercury is considered to be one of the primary site related contaminants (Sections 2.1 and 3.1.2) that mercury is not identified as a COPEC in surface water or to fish. We believe this is due to use of an insufficiently conservative screening level benchmark for mercury in surface water. The screening value used for total mercury, 0.77  $\mu\text{g/L}$ , derives from EPA's criterion continuous concentration (CCC) aquatic life criteria for freshwater. However, EPA's mercury aquatic life criteria, in its *1995 Updates: Water Quality Criteria Documents for the Protection of Aquatic Life in Ambient Water* (EPA-820-B-96-001, September 1996) also states that the mercury CCC might not adequately protect such important fishes as the rainbow trout, Coho salmon and bluegill. The 1995 updates also provide the rationale for this conclusion. Because Coho salmon are known to be present in the Kuskokwim River, and to be adequately protective of Coho and other sensitive species, EPA requires the use of the published EPA 0.012  $\mu\text{g/L}$  mercury criterion as the screening level benchmark value in the Red Devil Mine SLERA. Use of the 0.012  $\mu\text{g/L}$  screening level benchmark results in a maximum surface water HQ = 32, and identifies mercury as a COPEC at the conclusion of the SLERA. Although not screened in the SLERA, measured tissue mercury concentrations in sculpin from the site (SLERA Table 4-6) are well in excess of published ecological risk screening level benchmarks for mercury in fish tissue, which range between 0.06 – 0.20  $\mu\text{g/g}$  whole body, wet weight (Beckvar et al. 2005, Dyer et al. 2000, Shephard 1998). Recent literature reviews of mercury fish tissue residue effects on fish themselves are also available for use in the BERA (e.g. Sandheinrich and Wiener 2011, Dillon et al. 2010). Failure to identify mercury in surface water and fish tissues as a COPEC is the largest single shortcoming in the SLERA, and must be corrected going forward into the BERA. This will require modification to the text in Section 4.4, and to Tables ES-1 and 4-3.

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Shephard, B.K. 1998. Quantification of Ecological Risks to Aquatic Biota from Bioaccumulated Chemicals. p. 2-31 to 2-52 in National Sediment Bioaccumulation Conference Proceedings, EPA 823-R-98-002, Office of Water, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, D.C.

**Response:** The 0.012 µg/L criterion will be added to the SLERA as a surface water screening level for mercury. As suggested, a second measure to evaluate potential risks to fish will be included in the SLERA and BERA.

9. Table 4-3. The rationale for excluding methylmercury as a COPEC given in the table should be corrected from NSL (no screening level available) to <SL (maximum detected concentration less than screening level). EPA is not surprised at this result, as a very low proportion of total mercury present in surface water is normally present in the form of methylmercury.

**Response:** Table 4-3 will be revised accordingly.

10. Table 4-3. Alkalinity should not be identified as a COPC in surface water. The rationale for EPA's alkalinity criterion is that it reflects a minimum level of alkalinity to be present in surface water (unless naturally occurring alkalinity <20 mg/L as CaCO<sub>3</sub>), not a maximum level. As all detected alkalinity concentrations exceed 20 mg/L as CaCO<sub>3</sub>, there is no need to carry alkalinity forward into the BERA. Although this explanation of the alkalinity criterion is not discussed in EPA's current compilations of water quality criteria, it is given in older water quality criteria compendia, such as EPA's Red Book and Gold Book.

**Response:** The oversight will be corrected.

11. P. 9, Sect. 4.5.1.3. The literature models used to estimate chemical concentrations in prey of terrestrial wildlife species feeding on soil invertebrates or mammals are the same models used in the exposure point concentration section of the human health risk assessment for the Red Devil Mine site. Those modeling approaches were reviewed as part of EPA's review of the HHRA, were deemed acceptable for use in the HHRA, and are equally appropriate for use in the SLERA.

**Response:** Agreed.

12. Table 4-8. Any reason surface water ingestion was not included in the ingested contaminant dose estimates for green-winged teal, whereas it is included in the ingested dose calculations for all other bird and mammal species? Teal also drink water. The inclusion of surface water ingestion as part of the bird and mammal ingested dose calculation should also be identified as a complete exposure pathway in the conceptual site model, Figure 3-1. If surface water ingestion is not a complete exposure pathway, it would not need to be included in the ingested dose calculations. In this regard, the ingested dose calculations and conceptual site model are contradictory with respect to surface water ingestion. The contradiction should be corrected by denoting surface water ingestion as a complete pathway for birds and mammals.

**Response:** No surface water was present in the settling ponds during sampling activities at the site. Hence, only sediment (dry) and pond vegetation were collected for the teal scenario. To remedy this data gap, E & E will use surface water data from Red Devil Creek as a surrogate for settling pond surface water.

In the ecological conceptual site model figure, the dash (–) symbol means incomplete or insignificant pathway. The latter meaning is applicable to surface water ingestion for wildlife. The wildlife exposure estimates illustrate this point (see SLERA Tables 4-15 to 4-24); example calculations are provided in the table below.

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Examples Showing the Relative Importance of Different Exposure Routes to Total Exposure for Wildlife		
Exposure Route	Exposure (mg/kg-day)	Percent of Total Exposure
Robin – Antimony (see Table 4-15)		
EE-water	2.6E-02	0.0005%
EE-soil	5.8E+01	1%
EE-diet	5.6E+03	99%
EE-total	5.7E+03	100%
Spruce Grouse – Mercury (see Table 4-17)		
EE-water	2.8E-05	0.0002%
EE-soil	1.7E+01	96%
EE-diet	6.4E-01	4%
EE-total	1.8E+01	100%
Common Snipe – Arsenic (see Table 4-21)		
EE-water	1.24E-01	0.0067%
EE-sediment	1.79E+03	97%
EE-diet	5.11E+01	3%
EE-total	1.84E+03	100%

**Key:**

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

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For the examples given above, surface water exposure accounts for much less than 1% of total chemical exposure. The legend in Figure 3-1 will be revised to clarify the meaning of the dash (–) symbol.

13. P. 11, Sect. 4.5.2 and Table 4-25. Is there a reason, other than lack of data, that mink were not screened against polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) concentrations and/or ingestion? PCB toxicity data with mink is the basis for mammalian toxicity reference values for PCBs in the ecological risk literature, as it is the most sensitive mammal tested to date. If possible, PCB risks should be screened, or if that is not feasible given the available data, carried forward as a COPEC into the BERA.

**Response:** PCB data were not collected for sediment, surface water, and fish in Red Devil Creek because PCBs are not expected to be present in the creek based on past site uses. For the RI, it was agreed to by all parties that PCBs would be measured in soil from the area where electrical transformers were used and stored. Eighteen soil samples were collected from this area. No PCBs were detected in 17 of the samples. Aroclor 1260 was detected in one sample at 21 parts per trillion (0.021 µg/kg), well below a level of concern for the terrestrial ecological receptors evaluated in the SLERA, including mammalian wildlife (i.e., NOAEL-based HQs for terrestrial mammalian wildlife were several orders of magnitude < 1). The mammalian NOAEL for PCBs used in the SLERA was derived from a study with mink. Given these results and prior agreements between the agencies, we do not see a compelling reason to evaluate PCBs in Red Devil Creek and/or carry PCBs forward into the BERA.

14. P. 12, Sect. 5. Several uncertainties in the SLERA are not discussed, and warrant a brief discussion. These include:

- Area and seasonal use factors (values of 1 used in the SLERA likely overestimate risks)
- Sediment, surface water screening benchmark uncertainties and reliability
- Chemicals without screening level benchmarks (potential underestimation of risks)

**Response:** These uncertainties will be described in the *Uncertainties* section in the revised SLERA.

15. P. 13, Sect. 6. The EPA 8-step ecological risk assessment process calls for a scientific management decision point (SMDP) at the end of Step 2 (completion of the SLERA). Has there already been a decision made to go forward into a BERA? If so, has the risk manager for the site documented this decision? If the decision has not been made to go forward into a BERA, have the risk assessors made recommendations to the risk managers on how to proceed? Tables ES-1 and 4-26 both document which contaminants and pathways can be eliminated from further assessment. Based on the results of the SLERA, the risk manager and risk assessor will determine whether or not contaminants from the site pose an ecological threat that warrants additional assessment, or whether there is adequate information to conclude that ecological risks are negligible and therefore no need for remediation on the basis of ecological risk. This decision needs to be documented, either in a brief SMDP or risk management section of the BERA, or in a separate document outside of the SLERA.

**Response:** BLM has directed E & E to prepare a BERA for the site. This decision will be documented in the BERA. Given the results of the SLERA, we assume that EPA agrees that a BERA is warranted.

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## **1 Introduction**

This report presents a Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment (SLERA)<sup>1</sup> for the Red Devil Mine (RDM) site. The SLERA consists of Steps 1 and 2 of the eight-step ecological risk assessment (ERA) process described in *Ecological Risk Assessment Guidance for Superfund (ERAGS): Process for Designing and Conducting Ecological Risk Assessments* (EPA 1997). The SLERA also is consistent with other notable federal and state ERA guidance documents, including:

- *Guidelines for Ecological Risk Assessment* (EPA 1998)
- *Wildlife Exposure Factors Handbook* (EPA 1993a)
- *Guidance for Developing Ecological Soil Screening Levels* (EPA 2005a)
- *Risk Assessment Procedures Manual* (Alaska DEC 2011)

In addition to the above mentioned state and federal guidance documents, this assessment also utilizes publications from Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL) and recent articles from relevant peer-reviewed literature, as appropriate. The goal of the SLERA is to determine whether risks from site-related chemicals are great enough to warrant further evaluation and, if so, identify chemicals that should be carried forward in the ERA process.

The remainder of this report is organized as follows:

Section 2 describes the site and its ecological resources;

- Section 3 presents a screening-level problem formulation and ecological effects evaluation (ERAGS Step 1).
- Section 4 presents screening-level exposure estimates and risks calculations (ERAGS Step 2).
- Section 5 identifies and discusses sources of uncertainty in the SLERA.
- Section 6 presents a summary.

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<sup>1</sup> An acronym list for this appendix is provided in Section 8.

## 2 Site Location and Description

### 2.1 Site Overview

The RDM site is an abandoned mercury mine and ore processing site on the south bank of the Kuskokwim River in a remote area of Alaska, approximately 250 air miles west of Anchorage. The RDM site is located on public land managed by the United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and consists of four main areas: surface mined area, main processing area, Red Devil Creek area, and Kuskokwim River area. A detailed description of the site and its operational history is provided in the RDM Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Work Plan (E & E 2011). This report focuses on the habitats and ecological characteristics of the RDM site. The information provided below is based on earlier site reports (HLA/Wilder 2001) and observations made by E & E and BLM personnel during field activities at the site in 2010 (BLM 2010; E & E 2010).

### 2.2 Climate

The RDM site is located in the upper Kuskokwim River Basin and lies in a climatic transition between the continental zone of Alaska's interior and the maritime zone of the coastal regions. Average temperatures in this area can vary from  $-7$  to  $65$  °F ( $-22$  to  $18$  °C). Annual snowfall averages 56 inches (142 centimeters [cm]), with a total mean annual precipitation of 18.8 inches (48 cm). The Kuskokwim River is ice-free from mid-June through October.

### 2.3 Vegetation

The vegetation around the RDM site is characterized by spruce-poplar forests and upland spruce-hardwood forests. During the 2010 sampling season, vegetation characteristics were recorded at surface soil sample locations. E & E field personnel documented the following percent cover of vegetation in each of three layers, or strata: (1) trees (woody vegetation with diameter at breast height [DBH]  $> 3$  inches and over 15 feet tall); (2) samplings/shrubs (woody vegetation with DBH  $< 3$  inches); and (3) herbs (non-woody vegetation). Trees observed included Sitka alder (*Alnus sinuata*), black cottonwood (*Populus trichocarpa* Torr. & Gray), quaking aspen (*Populus tremuloides*), and willow (*Salix* sp.). Saplings and shrubs observed included Sitka alder, black cottonwood, and willow. The dominant species in the herb strata included horsetail (*Equisetum* sp.), various grasses (*Poa* sp. and other unidentified species), ferns (*Athyrium* sp.), various weedy plants (e.g., *Epilobium* sp.), and moss.

Vegetative cover in the main processing area was limited, often consisting of only moss and occasional patches of grass. Cover in this area ranged widely, from 0 to 90 %, represented almost entirely by moss. If moss were removed from this category, vegetative cover would likely be less than 10%. These areas offer limited soils and were heavily compacted in locations subjected to vehicular travel; a majority of the surface material consisted of rock. On the perimeter of the disturbed areas, such as around the processing areas, on the sides of the roads, and along the slopes leading to the creek, saplings were more prevalent, making up 15 to 100 % of vegetative cover. Sitka alder and black cottonwood were the prevalent species occurring in these areas. In areas that showed no sign of disturbance in recent years, vegetation cover was dominated by

trees (between 10 and 75 %) and saplings (between 20 and 100%).

The area of Red Devil Creek north of the main processing area, between the two roads, and in the vicinity of settling ponds 2 and 3, was dominated by Sitka alder and black cottonwood trees and saplings, with ferns, grasses, and horsetail in the lower strata. Settling pond 1 was dominated by horsetails.

In general, the disturbed surface mined area of the RDM site had a thick growth of saplings and trees with moderate understory coverage. Vegetation in the upper strata consisted largely of Sitka alder saplings and trees, with black cottonwood and occasional quaking aspen trees. The herb layer in this area was dominated by ferns, grasses, and weedy plants. The vegetation in the Dolly Sluice and Rice Sluice areas was similar in nature, and neither appeared to have any stressed vegetation. The vegetation did not consist of any large alder trees in the channel area of either sluice.

## 2.4 Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Biota

### 2.4.1 Red Devil Creek

Red Devil Creek runs through the middle of the main processing area and discharges to the Kuskokwim River. A historical bridge, now collapsed, crossed the creek and connected the two sides of the main processing area. In the vicinity of the former bridge location, large piles of tailings and/or waste rock make up the creek banks. The creek contains some metal and other debris, likely from past mining activities. During field work in fall 2010, the creek's discharge was visually estimated to be between 2 and 7 cubic feet per minute upstream from the main processing area. Near its confluence with the Kuskokwim River, the creek's discharge was visually estimated to be 15 to 20 cubic feet per minute. Water depth in the creek varied from 3 to 12 inches at locations where surface water and sediment were sampled in fall 2010. Current velocity appeared to decrease upstream of the main processing area, and pool/riffle structure was more frequently observed in addition to woody material.

In 2010, BLM staff collected fish from Red Devil Creek for contaminant analysis (BLM 2010). Slimy sculpin (*Cottus cognatus*, 6 to 9 cm length); juvenile Dolly Varden (11 to 17 cm length); and juvenile salmon (8 to 11 cm length) were collected for analysis. BLM staff found no large game fish in Red Devil Creek, likely due to the creek's shallow depth and narrow width. Also in 2010, BLM staff collected composite samples of two different mayfly genera—*Baetis* spp. and *Cinygmula* spp.—from the creek. *Baetis* spp. and *Cinygmula* spp. are small mayfly species, requiring the BLM to include several hundred individual organisms in each 1-gram composite sample. In fall 2010, the E & E field team that collected sediment from the creek reported seeing numerous small benthic invertebrates and their casings on the undersides of rocks throughout the creek. The small benthic invertebrates observed by the E & E field team likely were mayfly larvae. The E & E field team also observed other benthic invertebrates, including midge (Family Chironomidae) and crane fly (Family Tipulidae) larvae, during sediment sampling. Lastly, the E & E field team reported that moss and brown algae were present in the creek and generally



appeared to trend toward increased coverage as sample locations progressed up the reach, but that moss and algae were not present at all sample locations.

#### 2.4.2 Kuskokwim River

The Kuskokwim River is a major anadromous fish stream (HLA/Wilder 2001). Fish found in the river in the vicinity of RDM site include whitefish (*Coregonus sp.*), Arctic grayling (*Thymallus arcticus*), sheefish (*Stenodus leucichthys nelma*), Dolly Varden (*Salvelinus malma*), burbot (*Lota lota*) and northern pike (*Esox lucius*), as well as chinook (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*), sockeye (*O. nerka*), coho (*O. kisutch*), and chum salmon (*O. keta*) (HLA/Wilder 2001; BLM 2010).

#### 2.5 Mammals

Moose (*Alces alces*), wolves (*Canis lupis*), black bears (*Ursus americanus*), brown bears (*Ursus arctos*), lynx (*Lynx canadensis*), martens (*Martes spp.*), foxes (*Vulpes vulpes*), beavers (*Castor canadensis*), minks (*Neovision vison*), muskrats (*Ondatra zibenthicus*), otters (*Lutra canadensis*), and various small rodents are known to occur in the area (HSA/Wilder 2001). During field activities in September 2010, three river otters (*Lontra canadensis*) were observed in the Kuskokwim River near the mouth of Red Devil Creek. In addition, moose and bear (*Ursus sp.*) tracks were observed near the upper pond, and bear tracks were also observed near the mouth of Red Devil Creek.

#### 2.6 Birds

The upper Kuskowkim River is a low density waterfowl area (HLA/Wilder 2001). Nonetheless, according to Alaska DEC staff, there have been reports of waterfowl (species not specified) using the settling ponds near the main processing area. Songbird species that migrate through the area include the olive-sided flycatcher (*Contopus cooperi*), gray-cheeked thrush (*Catharus minimus*), Townsend's warbler (*Dendroica townsendi*), blackpoll warbler (*D. striata*), and Hudsonian godwit (*Limosa haemastica*) (HLA/Wilder 2001). A raptor survey conducted on the Kuskokwim River in July 2000 found an active peregrine falcon (*Falco peregrinus*) nest 7 miles downstream from the RDM, on rock cliffs on the north side of the river (BLM 2001). Finally, during field work in September 2010, many spruce grouse (*Dendragapus canadensis*) were observed on and near the RDM site, and an osprey (*Pandion haliaetus*) was observed foraging in the Kuskokwim River near the site.

#### 2.7 Special Concern Species

##### 2.7.1 Federally Listed Species

The United States Fish and Wildlife Service (2011) lists the following four species as being either endangered, threatened, or candidate species for Bethel County, Alaska:

- Short-tailed albatross (*Phoebastria albatrus*), federally listed endangered.
- Spectacled eider (*Somateria fischeri*), federally listed threatened.
- Steller's eider (*Polysticta stelleri*), federally listed threatened.



- Kittlitz's murrelet (*Brachyramphus brevirostris*), federal candidate species.

Given their habitat preferences, none of these species are likely to occur at the RDM site. The short-tailed albatross is a sea bird that is sighted occasionally along the west coast of Alaska. The two eider species breed on wet, low-lying tundra along the north and west coasts of Alaska (Kaufman 1996). In other seasons, the spectacled eider and Steller's eider occur along the coast, where they forage by diving, mostly for mollusks. Kittlitz's murrelet is found along the Alaska coastline, being common mainly from Kodiak Island east to Glacier Bay (Kaufman 1996). It prefers cold sea waters, mostly in calm protected bays and among islands, usually close to shore.

### 2.7.2 State Listed Species

The Alaska Natural Heritage Program (NHP) was contacted for current information on plant and animal species of concern in the vicinity of the Site. When available, the information provided by the Alaska NHP will be added to the SLERA or incorporated into the baseline ecological risk assessment (BERA) for the site.

## 3 ERAGS Step 1—Screening Level Problem Formulation and Ecological Effects Evaluation

### 3.1 Screening-Level Problem Formulation

Problem formulation is the first step in the risk assessment process. It identifies the goals, breadth, and focus of the assessment (EPA 1997, 1998). The problem formulation step identifies site-related contaminants (stressors), potential ecological receptors, and potential exposure pathways. A conceptual site model (CSM) is then developed to summarize the relationship between stressors and receptors. Lastly, assessment endpoints and measures (previously called measurement endpoints) are developed to guide the remaining steps of the risk assessment process. This section presents a preliminary problem formulation and CSM for the Site. The CSM may be refined during subsequent phases of the ERA process.

#### 3.1.1 Contaminant Sources and Migration Pathways

The RDM was Alaska's largest mercury mine, producing 1.2 million kilograms (kg; 2.73 million pounds) of mercury between 1933 and 1971 (Bailey et al. 2002). Cinnabar (HgS) and stibnite (Sb<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>) are the principal metallic minerals at the site, with minor amounts of realgar (AsS), orpiment (As<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>), and pyrite (FeS<sub>2</sub>). High-grade ore from the mine contained as much as 30% mercury by weight, but most ore contained 2 to 5%. Several hundred meters of trenches, where surface mining took place, are present on the site. In addition, tailings and calcine piles are located on the site, several of which lie near Red Devil Creek. During a site investigation by the U. S. Geological Survey (Bailey et al. 2002), abundant cinnabar, lesser amounts of stibnite, and a few beads of liquid mercury were visible in Red Devil Creek. Additional information on the RDM site and previous site investigations is provided in the RI/FS Work Plan (E & E 2011).

Contaminated soil, crushed ore, tailings, and other wastes from the RDM have been exposed at

the surface for decades. Mercury and other metals in these wastes were subject to transport by water and wind to Red Devil Creek, the Kuskokwim River, groundwater beneath the site, and surrounding terrestrial areas. In addition, liquid mercury at the site was subject to volatilization to the atmosphere. Approximately 10 years ago, the BLM conducted remedial work to address these problems. However, the success of the remedial work and current site conditions are not fully known.

### **3.1.2 Principal Site-Related Contaminants**

Based on the minerals present at the site (see Section 3.1) and previous site assessment work (Ford 2001), mercury, methylmercury, antimony, and arsenic appear to be the primary Site-related contaminants, with the potential to adversely affect terrestrial and aquatic ecological receptors. In addition, due to accidental releases of fuel oil during past mining operations, diesel range organics (DRO) and perhaps other fuel-related organics (e.g., benzene, toluene, and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons [PAHs]) may be present at a level of concern in the historical fuel storage area and/or elsewhere at the site. Finally, lead may be present at elevated levels in soil at the locations of some historical mining structures (HLA/Wilder 2001).

### **3.1.3 Potential Ecological Receptors**

Based on the site ecology, the following ecological receptor groups have the potential to be affected by site-related contaminants at the RDM site:

- Terrestrial plants and invertebrates.
- Mammals and birds that use the mine site, Red Devil Creek, and Kuskokwim River near the site to satisfy their food and habitat needs.
- Aquatic biota (e.g., amphibians, benthos, and fish) in Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River.

### **3.1.4 Preliminary Conceptual Site Model**

Figure 3-1 provides a preliminary ecological CSM for the site featuring the ecological receptor groups identified in the previous section. Terrestrial plants may be exposed to site-related chemicals by direct contact with contaminated soils, tailings, and overburden. Terrestrial invertebrates may be exposed to site-related contaminants through direct contact with contaminated soils, tailings, and overburden; ingestion of contaminated soils, tailings, and overburden; and through the food chain. Birds and mammals may be exposed to site-related chemicals through incidental ingestion of soil/sediment, tailings, and overburden; consumption of contaminated prey; and ingestion of contaminated surface water. It should be noted, however, that consumption of contaminated surface water typically accounts for only a minor fraction of total exposure for wildlife. Dermal exposure of wildlife to site-related chemicals is expected to be negligible compared with other exposure routes due to the protection provided by their external coverings (heavy fur and feathers). Fish and benthic invertebrates in Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River may be exposed to site-related chemicals through direct contact with and ingestion of contaminated sediment and surface water and through the food chain.

### 3.1.5 Assessment Endpoints and Measures

In an ERA, assessment endpoints are expressions of the ecological resources that are to be protected (EPA 1997). An assessment endpoint consists of an ecological entity and a characteristic of the entity that is important to protect. According to the EPA (1998), assessment endpoints do not represent a desired achievement or goal and should not contain words such as “protect” or “restore” or indicate a direction for change such as loss or increase. Assessment endpoints are distinguished from management goals by their neutrality (EPA 1998).

Measurements used to evaluate risks to the assessment endpoints are termed “measures” and may include measures of effect, measures of exposure, and/or measures of ecosystem and receptor characteristics (EPA 1998). Based on the site ecology, primary site-related chemicals, and preliminary CSM, the ecological resources potentially at risk at the RDM site include terrestrial vegetation and invertebrates, mammals, birds, and aquatic biota (fish, amphibians, benthos, and other aquatic organisms). The assessment endpoints and measures for this screening level assessment are listed in Table 3.1.

### 3.1.6 Data Sources for the SLERA

The SLERA is based on chemical data for surface soil (0 to 2 feet below ground surface [bgs]), sediment (0 to 4 inches below the sediment surface), surface water, and vegetation samples collected from the RDM site in 2010 and 2011 for the RI/FS (E & E 2010, 2011). The Draft RI report (E & E 2012) presents full results for surface soil (RI Tables 4-17 to 4-23), surface water (RI Table 4-31), sediment (RI Tables 4-32 and 4-33), and vegetation (RI Table 4-34 to 4-37). Additionally, metals data for sculpin and benthic macroinvertebrates from Red Devil Creek collected by the BLM (2010) were used to help evaluate potential risks to aquatic-dependent wildlife. Draft reports are not yet available from the BLM for these data.

A value for total polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) in soil was calculated as the sum of Aroclors 1016, 1221, 1232, 1242, 1248, 1254, and 1260. One-half of the method detection limit (MDL) was used for non-detected Aroclors when calculating total PCBs. PAHs in soil and sediment were summed into low- and high molecular weight groups for evaluation. A value for low molecular weight PAHs (LPAHs) was calculated as the sum of acenaphthene, acenaphthylene, anthracene, fluorene, methylnaphthalene, naphthalene, and phenanthrene. A value for high molecular weight PAHs (HPAHs) was calculated as the sum of benz(a)anthracene, total benzofluoranthenes, benzo(a)pyrene, benzo(g,h,i)perylene, chrysene, dibenzo(a,h)anthracene, fluoranthene, indeno(1,2,3,-c,d)pyrene, and pyrene. One-half of the MDL was used for non-detected PAHs when calculating HPAH and LPAH sums.

## 3.2 Screening Level Ecological Effects Evaluation

Screening levels for soil, sediment, and surface water were identified in the final Risk Assessment Work Plan (RAWP; E & E 2011, Appendix B) and are provided again in the screening tables in Section 4 in this report. For soil, EPA Ecological Soil Screening Level (Eco-SSLs) for effects on plants and soil invertebrates were used preferentially (EPA 2010). Efrogomson et al. (1997a, b) and Alloway (1990) were used as supplemental sources of soil

screening levels. For sediment, threshold effect concentrations from MacDonald et al. (2000) were used preferentially. Supplemental sediment screening levels were taken from MacDonald et al. (1999) and Buchman (2008). Surface water screening levels were taken preferentially from EPA (2009) and Alaska DEC (2008, 2009). Supplemental surface water screening levels were taken from Suter and Tsao (1996). Fish tissue screening concentrations were taken from Dyer et al. (2000) and Sandheinrich and Wiener (2011).

Because media screening levels for effects on wildlife are not available for all media and chemicals, screening-level exposure estimates and hazard quotients (HQs) were calculated as per EPA (1997) for the wildlife receptors identified in the final RAWP (E & E 2011). Toxicity reference values (TRVs) used for this effort are provided in Table 3-2.

## **4 ERAGS Step 2: Screening Level Exposure Estimates and Risk Calculation**

Screening-level exposure estimates and risk calculations are presented below for the terrestrial plant community (Section 4.1), soil invertebrate community (Section 4.2), benthic macroinvertebrate community (Section 4.3), fish and other aquatic biota (Section 4.4), and representative terrestrial and aquatic-dependent wildlife receptors (Section 4.5).

### **4.1 Terrestrial Plant Community Screening Level Exposure Estimate and Risk Calculation**

Contaminants of potential concern (COPCs) for the terrestrial-plant community at the RDM site were selected by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in soil with soil screening levels for effects on plants. The results of the comparisons are shown in Table 4-1. The maximum concentrations of arsenic, chromium, cobalt, copper, lead, manganese, mercury, nickel, vanadium, and zinc exceeded the available screening levels. The greatest HQs were for arsenic (549) and mercury (5400), and greater than 95% of site samples exceeded the screening levels for these analytes. Soil screening levels for plants are not available for antimony, barium, beryllium, or several semivolatile organic compounds (SVOCs), so these analytes also were retained as COPCs for the terrestrial plant community.

### **4.2 Soil Invertebrate Community Screening Level Exposure Estimate and Risk Calculation**

COPCs for the soil-invertebrate community at the RDM site were selected by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in soil with soil screening levels for effects on earthworms and other soil fauna. The results of the comparisons are shown in Table 4-1. The maximum concentrations of antimony, barium, copper, lead, manganese, mercury, and zinc exceeded the available screening levels. The greatest HQs were for antimony (299) and mercury (16200), and a high percentage of site samples exceeded the screening levels for these analytes. Soil screening levels for effects in soil invertebrates are not available for arsenic, chromium, cobalt, silver, thallium, vanadium, or several SVOCs, so these analytes also were retained as

COPCs for the soil invertebrate community.

#### **4.3 Benthic Macroinvertebrate Community Exposure Estimate and Risk Calculation**

COPCs for the benthic macroinvertebrate community in Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River near the RDM site were selected in two ways: (1) by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in sediment with sediment screening levels for effects on benthic macroinvertebrates and (2) by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in unfiltered surface water with chronic water criteria for protection of freshwater aquatic life. The results of the comparisons are shown in Tables 4-2 and 4-3.

The maximum sediment concentrations of antimony, arsenic, chromium, cobalt, copper, iron, manganese, mercury, nickel, and zinc exceeded the available screening levels (see Table 4-2). The greatest HQs were for antimony (2193), arsenic (13265), and mercury (661). Sediment screening levels were not available for barium, beryllium, methylmercury, thallium, or vanadium, so these five metals also were retained as COPCs in sediment for the benthic community.

Potential risks to benthic macroinvertebrates from chemicals in surface water are discussed in the following section.

#### **4.4 Fish and Other Aquatic Biota Screening Level Exposure Estimate and Risk Calculation**

COPCs for fish, amphibians, attached algae, benthic macroinvertebrates, and other aquatic organisms in Red Devil Creek were selected by comparing maximum detected chemical concentrations in unfiltered surface water with chronic water criteria for protection of freshwater aquatic life. The results of the comparisons are shown in Table 4-3. The maximum concentrations of antimony, arsenic, barium, iron, manganese, and mercury exceeded the available criteria, suggesting that these six constituents are COPCs in surface water for fish and other aquatic organisms. The greatest HQs were for barium (26) and mercury (32).

COPCs for fish were also selected by comparing maximum chemical concentration in whole-body sculpin samples from Red Devil Creek with fish tissue screening concentrations. The results of the comparisons are shown in Table 4-3b. The maximum sculpin concentrations of arsenic, chromium, mercury, methylmercury, selenium, and zinc exceeded the available fish tissue screening concentrations. The greatest HQs were for arsenic (14) and mercury (8). Fish tissue screening concentrations are not identified for antimony, barium, manganese, or vanadium, so these analytes also were retained as COPCs for fish.

#### **4.5 Wildlife Screening Level Exposure Estimate and Risk Calculation**

COPCs for wildlife were selected by calculating screening-level exposure estimates and HQs in accordance with EPA (1997) guidance. This method is preferable to comparing media concentrations with screening levels for several reasons: (1) soil screening levels for effects on

wildlife are not available for all chemicals that were detected in soil at the RDM site; (2) sediment screening levels for evaluating risks to aquatic-dependent wildlife are rare; and (3) the HQ approach makes maximal use of available site-specific data on chemicals in terrestrial vegetation, benthic invertebrates, and fish, thus reducing the uncertainty associated with excessive use of literature-based bioaccumulation factors and models.

#### 4.5.1 Wildlife Screening Level Exposure Estimates

This section describes the receptors, data, and methods used to derive screening-level exposure point concentrations and exposure estimates for wildlife at the RDM site.

##### 4.5.1.1 Summary of Datasets Used to Calculate Screening Level Exposure Estimates

Chemical analytical data for surface soil, sediment, surface water, and vegetation samples collected from the RDM site in 2010 and 2011 were used in the evaluation (see Tables 4-1 to 4-4, respectively). Also, metals data for benthic-macroinvertebrate and slimy-sculpin samples from Red Devil Creek collected by BLM were used to evaluate potential risks to aquatic-dependent wildlife. These data are summarized in Table 4-5 and 4-6, respectively.

##### 4.5.1.2 Exposure Scenarios and Pathways

Screening-level exposure estimates were calculated for the 11 wildlife receptors identified in the final RAWP. These species are:

###### Herbivores:

- Spruce grouse (*Dendragapus canadensis*)
- Tundra vole (*Microtus oeconomus*)
- Beaver (*Castor canadensis*)
- Green-winged teal (*Anus crecca*)

###### Invertivores

- Common snipe (*Gallinago gallinag*)
- American robin (*Turdus migratorius*)
- Masked shrew (*Sorex cinereus*)

###### Carnivores

- Northern shrike (*Lanius excubitor*)
- Least weasel (*Mustela nivalis*)

###### Piscivores:

- Belted kingfisher (*Ceryle alcyon*)
- Mink (*Mustela vison*)



For these species, chemical exposure from diet, incidental ingestion of soil and/or sediment, and drinking was estimated. Exposure parameters for these wildlife species were taken from the final RAWP and are presented in Table 4-7.

#### 4.5.1.3 Exposure Point Concentrations

For most receptors, maximum measured chemical concentrations in surface soil, sediment, surface water and biota were used to calculate the screening-level exposure estimates (see Table 4-8). However, for terrestrial wildlife species that prey on soil invertebrates (e.g., earthworms) and small mammals, literature-based models were used to estimate chemical concentration in prey. Maximum surface soil chemical concentrations were used as input to the models. Exposure point concentrations (EPCs) for the 11 wildlife species evaluated in the SLERA are presented in Tables 4-9 to 4-14. The models used to estimate chemical concentrations in earthworms and small mammals are provided in Tables 4-9 and 4-12.

#### 4.5.1.4 Exposure Calculations

Chemical exposure was calculated as the sum of exposures from diet, incidental soil/sediment ingestion, and drinking. Dietary exposure was estimated using the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{diet}} = C_f \times IR/BW$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{diet}}$	=	Estimated exposure from diet (milligrams [mg] per kilogram [kg] per day)
$C_f$	=	Chemical concentration in food (mg/kg, wet or dry weight)
$IR_f$	=	Food ingestion rate of receptor (kg/day, wet or dry weight)
$BW$	=	Body weight of receptor (kg)

Food ingestion rates and body weights were evaluated were taken from EPA (1993a), Dunning (1993), or other credible references (see Table 4-7). The diet of each receptor was assumed to consist exclusively of its preferred prey (see Table 4-7). For example, the diets of the American robin and marked shrew were assumed to consist entirely of soil invertebrates (e.g., earthworms). A wet food ingestion rate was used for the common snipe, kingfisher, and mink because chemical concentration data for benthic invertebrates and fish (sculpin) were provided on a wet weight basis. A dry food ingestion rate was used for all other receptors because site-specific data on chemical concentrations in their preferred food were provided on a dry weight basis (spruce needles, blueberry leaves, alder back, and pond vegetation) or because the models used to estimate chemical concentration in their preferred food yielded a dry weigh concentration (earthworms and small mammals).

Wildlife exposure to chemicals through incidental soil/sediment ingestion was estimated in a manner similar to that used for dietary exposure, as shown in the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{soil/sed}} = C_s \times IR_s / BW$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{soil/sed}}$ (mg/kg/day)	=	Estimated exposure from incidental soil/sediment ingestion
$C_s$	=	Chemical concentration in soil/sediment (mg/kg, dry weight)
$IR_s$	=	Soil/sediment ingestion rate of receptor (kg/day, dry weight)

Soil/sediment ingestion rates were taken from pertinent literature (Beyer et al. 1994, 2008; Sample et al. 1997; Sample and Suter 1994) or based on professional judgment (if a literature value could not be found) (see Table 4-7).

Wildlife exposure to chemicals through drinking was estimated in a manner similar to that used for dietary exposure, as shown in the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{drinking}} = C_w \times IR_w / BW$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{drinking}}$	=	Estimated exposure from drinking surface water (mg/kg/day)
$C_w$	=	Chemical concentration in surface water (milligrams/liter)
$IR_w$	=	Surface water ingestion rate (liters/day)

Surface water ingestion rates were taken from the literature or calculated using allometric relationships from Sample et al. (1996). The values are provided in Table 4-7.

The total exposure for a receptor was calculated as the sum of the exposure from diet, incidental soil/sediment ingestion, and drinking as represented by the following equation:

$$EE_{\text{total}} = EE_{\text{diet}} + EE_{\text{soil/sed}} + EE_{\text{drinking}}$$

Where:

$EE_{\text{total}}$	=	Total exposure (mg/kg/day)
$EE_{\text{diet}}$	=	Estimated exposure from diet (mg/kg/day)
$EE_{\text{soil/sed}}$	=	Estimated exposure from incidental soil/sediment ingestion (mg/kg/day)
$EE_{\text{drinking}}$	=	Estimated exposure from surface water consumption (mg/kg/day)

Lastly, all wildlife receptors evaluated in the SLERA were assumed to derive all of their food and water from the site and be year-round residents. That is, the site use factor (SUF) and exposure duration (ED) were assumed to be 1.0 for all receptors.

Tables 4-15 to 4-25 present the exposure estimates for the 11 wildlife species evaluated in the SLERA.



#### 4.5.2 Wildlife Screening-Level Risk Calculation

Potential risks posed by site-related chemicals were determined by calculating an HQ for each chemical for each endpoint species. The HQs were calculated by dividing the total exposure ( $EE_{total}$ ) by the appropriate no observed adverse effect level (NOAEL; see Table 3-2), as shown in the following equation:

$$HQ = EE_{total}/NOAEL$$

For a given receptor and chemical, an HQ greater than or equal to 1 indicates that a potential risk exists and that further evaluation is warranted in the BERA.

Tables 4-15 to 4-25 present the screening-level HQs for the 11 wildlife species evaluated in the SLERA. In general, the wildlife endpoint species potentially at risk from the greatest number of chemicals are those that feed extensively on invertebrates that live in soil, such as the American robin and masked shrew (see Tables 4-15 and Table 4-16, respectively), or sediment, such as the common snipe (see Table 4-21). For many receptors, the highest HQs typically were those for antimony, arsenic, and mercury, as would be expected given the nature and extent of contamination at the site. For the American robin, masked shrew, and spruce grouse, potential risks from lead also were high, largely due to an anomalously high maximum lead concentration in surface soil.

## 5 Uncertainties

Significant sources of uncertainty in this ERA include the following:

- **Bioavailability** – The bioavailability of chemicals in environmental media at the RDM +site is poorly understood. To be conservative, it was assumed that 100% of the chemicals in soil and sediment were bioavailable to all ecological receptors. If bioavailability is less than 100%, which seems likely, the potential risks to all categories of ecological receptors would be correspondingly lower. In the BERA, this issue will be examined by evaluating site-specific data for mercury and arsenic speciation in soil and sediment, as well as synthetic precipitation leaching procedure data for metals in soil.
- **Reliability of Soil Benchmarks** – Many of the available soil screening benchmarks for plants and soil invertebrates (i.e., earthworms) were developed from laboratory studies in which chemical solutions were added to clean soil to arrive at a range of test concentrations. In such studies, the added chemicals are highly bioavailable. Comparing total chemical concentrations in field samples to solution-based soil benchmarks is conservative and likely results in an overestimation of risk. For aluminum, the EPA (2003) has deemed that such a comparison is inappropriate.
- **Reliability of Sediment Benchmarks** – The available sediment benchmarks are based on total concentrations without consideration of chemical bioavailability. The sediment benchmarks used in the SLERA are expected to be overly conservative predictors of no-

effect levels for benthic organisms in Red Devil Creek, given that a large fraction of many site-related contaminants occur largely in an inert crystalline form.

- **Availability of Media Screening Levels and Wildlife TRVs** – As indicated in Tables 4-1 to 4-3, screening levels are not available for all chemicals in all media. For example, soil screening levels for plants and soil fauna are not available for SVOCs. Hence, potential risks to plants and soil fauna from many SVOCs could not be evaluated. Additionally, an avian TRV is not available for antimony. Hence, potential risks to birds from antimony, which is one of the principal contaminants at the RDM site, could not be evaluated.
- **Chemicals in Wildlife Prey** – Food-chain transfer of chemicals at the RDM site is poorly understood for terrestrial predatory wildlife (e.g., American Robin, masked shrew, northern shrike, and least weasel). The potential risks to these species are largely driven by estimated concentrations of chemicals in wildlife prey. For this assessment, prey concentrations were estimated from measured soil and sediment concentrations using bioaccumulation factors and models from the literature. Or, if a literature-based bioaccumulation factor was not available, it was assumed that the prey concentration was the same as the soil or sediment concentration. The uncertainty associated with this approach often is high because a number of site-specific factors affect food-chain transfer of chemicals. In general, the bioaccumulation factors and models used in this assessment are intended to provide a conservative estimate of chemicals in wildlife prey and are likely to result in an overestimation of risk.
- **Wildlife Diet** – Uncertainty may result from the assumptions made about the diets of the wildlife receptors evaluated in this assessment. For the shrew and robin, the assumption of a diet consisting entirely of earthworms is conservative. In addition to earthworms, shrews consume other invertebrates (i.e., slugs, snails, centipedes, and various insects), fungi, plant materials, and small mammals (EPA 1993a). Similarly, robins also consume other invertebrates (i.e., spiders, sowbugs, and various insects) and plant materials (EPA 1993a). These foods are less intimately associated with the soil matrix than earthworms, and thus accumulate lesser amounts of soil contamination. The diet assumed for the shrew and robin in this assessment likely overestimates exposure and risks from chemicals in soil.
- **Site Use Factor and Exposure Duration** – To provide a conservative estimate of wildlife exposure to site-related chemicals, the SUF and ED were assumed to be 1 for all receptors. That is, the site was assumed to be a closed system, and all wildlife species were assumed to derive all of their food and habitat requirements from the site on a year-round basis. These assumptions are highly conservative and often are used in screening-level ERAs to avoid overlooking chemicals that may be of concern for wildlife (EPA 1997). If realistic estimates of the SUF and ED were incorporated into the wildlife exposure calculation, the estimated exposure and risk would be substantially lower.
- **Reliability of Surface Water Criteria** – In general, the EPA's water quality criteria and State of Alaska water quality standards are considered to be among the most reliable

screening levels because they are based on a large body of testing data and sound derivation methods. However, there are exceptions. For example, the mercury water quality criterion of 0.012 micrograms per liter ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ) from EPA (1986) is a Final Residue Value that was derived from a bioconcentration factor of 81,700 for methylmercury with the fathead minnow and thus assumes that all discharged mercury is methylmercury. Use of this criterion as a screening level for total mercury is highly conservative, given that only a small fraction of total mercury in surface water is present as methylmercury.

- **Reliability of Other Surface Water Screening Levels** – The EPA and State of Alaska water quality criteria are not available for all chemicals. For such chemicals, surface water screening levels from other sources were used (see Table 4-3). These other surface water screening levels are based on less testing data than federal and state water quality criteria, and therefore the level of uncertainty associated with them is greater.

## 6 Summary of Chemicals of Potential Concern

The primary purpose of the SLERA was to select COPCs for the BERA. Table 4-26 provides a summary of the chemical and receptor combinations that will be evaluated in the BERA. For each assessment endpoint, chemicals were retained for evaluation in the BERA if the screening-level HQ equaled or exceeded 1 or if the chemical was detected in site media and no toxicity information was available for that chemical. The later group of chemicals includes several organic compounds that were detected infrequently at low (part per billion) levels in soil or sediment (see Table 4-26). These chemicals will be addressed qualitatively in the BERA.

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## 8 Acronyms and Abbreviations

°C	degrees centigrade
°F	degrees Fahrenheit
As <sub>2</sub> S <sub>3</sub>	orpiment
AsS	realgar
BERA	baseline ecological risk assessment
bgs	below ground surface
BLM	United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management
cm	centimeters
COPCs	Contaminants of potential concern
CSM	conceptual site model
DBH	diameter at breast height
DRO	diesel range organics
Eco-SSLs	EPA Ecological Soil Screening Level
ED	exposure duration
ERAGS	United States Environmental Protection Agency Risk Assessment Guidance
FeS <sub>2</sub>	pyrite
HgS	Cinnabar
HPAHs	high molecular weight PAHs
HQ	hazard quotient
kg	kilograms
LPAHs	low molecular weight PAHs
MDL	method detection limit
mg	milligrams
NHP	Natural Heritage Program
ORNL	Oak Ridge National Laboratory
PAHs	polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
PCBs	polychlorinated biphenyls
RAWP	Risk Assessment Work Plan
RDM	Red Devil Mine
RI/FS	Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study
Sb <sub>2</sub> S <sub>3</sub>	stibnite
SLERA	Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment
SUF	site use factor
SVOCs	semivolatile organic compounds
TRV	Toxicity reference value

**Table ES-1 Summary of Chemical and Endpoint Combinations to be Evaluated in the Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment, Red Devil Mine Site**

Analyte <sup>b</sup>	Assessment Endpoint and Maximum HQ <sup>c</sup>														
	Plants <sup>c</sup>	Soil Fauna <sup>d</sup>	Fish and Other Aquatic Biota <sup>e</sup>	Fish <sup>f</sup>	Benthos <sup>g</sup>	Terrestrial Wildlife <sup>h</sup>						Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife			
						Robin	Shrew	Grouse	Vole	Shrike	Weasel	Snipe	Beaver	Teal	Kingfisher
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>															
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)		x													
<b>Metals</b>															
Antimony	x	299	6.1	x	2,193	x	136,370	x	1,681	x		x	60	x	89
Arsenic	549	x	6.9	14	13,265	28	214	47	41	1.5	1.9	823	1.5	37	3.3
Barium	x	5.2	26	x	x	2.0	1.6	1.3				1.4			
Beryllium	x				x	x		x		x		x		x	
Cadmium						1.7	4.4								
Chromium	1.3	x		3.5	1.1	2.9	1.3								
Cobalt	3.0	x			1.0										1.1
Copper	2.0	1.7			2.8	4.4	4.6					1.5			
Iron			2.5		16										
Lead	26	1.8				83	48	20	2.8	4.9	1.0				
Manganese	19	9.4	3.2	x	12		2.3	2.1	6.1						
Mercury	5,400	16,200	32	8	661	9.5	2.1	39				5.8		2.8	4.2
Methylmercury				1	x										2.3
Nickel	2.6				11	3.7	21								1.3
Selenium				2.7			1.2					5.7			2.9
Silver		x													
Thallium		x			x	x	3.3	x		x		x		x	3.8
Vanadium	26	x			x	1.9		1.7				2.5			
Zinc	2.4	3.2		1.3	1.1	2.2	2.7								
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>															
HPAH sum															
LPAH sum							x		x		x				x
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>															
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x		
4-Methylphenol	x	x				x		x	x	x					
Benzoic acid	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x		
Benzyl Alcohol	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x		x
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	x	x													
Dibenzofuran						x	x	x	x	x	x		x		
Diethylphthalate		x				x		x	x	x		x			x
Dimethylphthalate	x					x	x	x	x	x	x		x		
Di-n-butyl Phthalate															
Hexachlorobenzene	x														
Pentachlorophenol															
Phenol															

Key:  
 BERA = Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment  
 HPAH = high molecular weight PAH  
 HQ = hazard quotient  
 LPAH = low molecular weight PAH  
 TRV = toxicity reference value  
 Value (with or without shading) = HQ equal to or greater than 1. Chemical and receptor combination will be evaluated quantitatively in the BERA.  
 x = chemical detected in site samples but no screening level or TRV is available. Chemical will be evaluated qualitatively in the BERA.

Notes:  
 a. For plants, soil fauna, fish and other aquatic biota, fish (only), and benthos, shading indicates the percentage of site samples that exceed the screening level (SL):

Value	= > 75%
Value	= 50 - 75%
Value	= 25 - 50%
Value	= < 25%

- b. Essential nutrients (calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per USEPA guidance (USEPA 1989, 2003a). Organic chemicals detected in surface soil, sediment, or surface water are listed.
- c. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on plants (see Table 4-1).
- d. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on earthworms (see Table 4-1).
- e. Based on comparing maximum surface water chemical concentrations with surface water criteria and standards for effects on fish and other aquatic biota (see Table 4-3).
- f. Based on comparing maximum whole-body scuplin chemical concentrations with fish tissue screening concentrations (see Table 4-3b).
- g. Based on comparing maximum sediment chemical concentrations with sediment screening levels for effects on benthic macroinvertebrates (see Table 4-2).
- h. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and hazard quotients for the American robin (Table 4-15), masked shrew (Table 4-16), spruce grouse (Table 4-17), tundra vole (Table 4-18), northern shrike (Table 4-19), and least weasel (Table 4-20).
- i. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and HQs for the common snipe (Table 4-21), beaver (Table 4-22), green-winged teal (Table 4-23), belted kingfisher (Table 4-24), and mink (Table 4-25).

**Table 3-1 Assessment Endpoints and Measures for the Red Devil Mine Site Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment**

Assessment Endpoint	Risk Question	Measure Selected for SLERA	Analysis Approach
<b>Terrestrial Vegetation</b>			
Survival, growth, and reproduction or terrestrial plants	Are levels of contaminants in surface soil from the site greater than benchmarks for effects on survival, growth, or reproduction of terrestrial plants?	Chemical concentrations in soil.	Compare soil chemical concentrations with literature-based toxicity thresholds.
<b>Soil Invertebrates</b>			
Survival, growth, and reproduction or soil invertebrates	Are levels of contaminants in surface soil from the site greater than benchmarks for effects on survival, growth, or reproduction of soil invertebrates?	Chemical concentrations in soil.	Compare soil chemical concentrations with literature-based toxicity thresholds.
<b>Birds</b>			
	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by birds from consumption of prey and other media at the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth, or reproduction of birds?	Chemical concentration in surface water, sediment, soil, and modeled or measured tissue concentrations in prey species.	Modeled dose from diet, surface water ingestion, and incidental ingestion of soil or sediment compared with literature-based TRVs.
<b>Mammals</b>			
	Does the daily dose of chemicals received by mammals from consumption of prey and other media at the site exceed TRVs for survival, growth, or reproduction of mammals?	Chemical concentration in surface water, sediment, soil, and modeled or measured tissue concentrations in prey species.	Modeled dose from diet, surface water ingestion, and incidental ingestion of soil or sediment compared with literature-based TRVs.
<b>Benthic Invertebrates</b>			
Survival, growth, and reproduction or benthic invertebrates	Are levels of contaminants in sediment from Red Devil Creek and the Kuskokwim River greater than sediment benchmarks for survival, growth, or reproduction of benthic invertebrates?	Chemical concentrations in sediment.	Compare sediment chemical concentrations with literature-based toxicity thresholds.
	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek greater than water quality criteria for protection of aquatic life?	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentrations with federal and state water quality criteria and standards.
<b>Fish and Other Aquatic Biota (e.g., amphibians, attached algae, and aquatic invertebrates)</b>			
Survival, growth, and reproduction of fish and other aquatic biota	Are levels of contaminants in surface water from Red Devil Creek greater than water quality criteria for protection of aquatic life?	Chemical concentrations in surface water.	Compare surface water chemical concentrations with federal and state water quality criteria and standards.
<b>Fish</b>			
Survival, growth, and reproduction or fish	Are levels of contaminants in fish from Red Devil Creek greater than critical tissue concentrations for effects on fish?	Whole-body chemical concentrations in slimy sculpin from Red Devil Creek.	Compare chemical concentrations in whole-body sculpin samples from Red Devil Creek with fish tissue screening concentrations.

Key:

SLERA = Screening Level Ecological Risk Assessment

TRVs = toxicity reference values

**Table 3-2 Toxicity Reference Values for Birds and Mammals**

Analyte	Wildlife Class	NOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	LOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	Reference and Comments
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls</b>						
Aroclors 1260	Birds	0.18	Reproduction	1.8	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996) for Aroclor 1254.
	Mammals	0.14	Reproduction	0.69	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996) for Aroclor 1254 effects on mink.
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	0.059	Reproduction	0.59	Reproduction	USEPA (2005i). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.059 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction below lowest bounded LOAEL (0.59 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction from 20 laboratory toxicity studies.
Arsenic	Birds	2.24	Reproduction	3.55	Growth	USEPA(2005b). Lowest NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from nine laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival greater than selected NOAEL.
	Mammals	1.04	Growth	1.66	Growth	USEPA (2005b). Highest bounded NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival less than lowest bounded LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from 62 laboratory toxicity studies.
Barium	Birds	20.8	Survival	41.7	Survival	Sample et al. (1996).
	Mammals	51.8	Reproduction, growth, and survival	121	Growth and survival	USEPA (2005c). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 12 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Beryllium	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	0.532	Survival	na	na	USEPA (2005d). Lowest NOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival from four laboratory toxicity studies.
Cadmium	Birds	1.47	Reproduction, growth, and survival	2.37	Reproduction	USEPA (2005e). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 49 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth, reproduction, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	0.77	Growth	1	Growth	USEPA (2005e). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.77 mg/kg-d) for reproduction, growth, or survival less than the lowest bounded LOAEL (1.0 mg/kg-d) from 141 laboratory toxicity studies.
Chromium	Birds	2.66	Reproduction, growth, and survival	2.78	Survival	USEPA (2008). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth, reproduction, and survival from 17 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	9.24	Reproduction and growth	na	na	USEPA (2008). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth from 10 studies with trivalent chromium.
Cobalt	Birds	7.61	Growth	7.8	Growth	USEPA (2005f). Geometric mean NOAEL for growth from 10 toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth or reproduction greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	7.33	Reproduction and Growth	10.9	Reproduction	USEPA (2005f). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth based on 21 laboratory toxicity studies. Lowest bounded LOAEL for growth or reproduction greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Copper	Birds	4.05	Reproduction	4.68	Growth	USEPA (2007a). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (4.05 mg/kg-day) lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (4.68 mg/kg-day).
	Mammals	5.6	Reproduction	6.79	Growth	USEPA (2007a). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (5.6 mg/kg-day) lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival (6.79 mg/kg-day).
Lead	Birds	1.63	Reproduction	1.94	Reproduction	USEPA (2005g). Highest bounded NOAEL (1.63 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL (1.94 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 57 laboratory toxicity studies.
	Mammals	4.7	Growth	5	Growth	USEPA (2005g). Highest bounded NOAEL (4.7 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival lower than the lowest bounded LOAEL (5 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 220 laboratory toxicity studies.
Manganese	Birds	179	Reproduction and Growth	348	Growth	USEPA (2007b). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.

**Table 3-2 Toxicity Reference Values for Birds and Mammals**

Analyte	Wildlife Class	NOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	LOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	Reference and Comments
	Mammals	51.5	Reproduction and Growth	65	Growth	USEPA (2007b). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Mercury	Birds	0.45	Reproduction	0.9	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
	Mammals	13.2	Reproduction and survival	na	na	Sample et al. (1996).
Methylmercury	Birds	0.068	Reproduction	0.37	Reproduction	CH2MHILL (2000).
	Mammals	0.032	Reproduction	0.16	Reproduction	CH2MHILL (2000).
Nickel	Birds	6.71	Growth and survival	11.5	Growth	USEPA (2007c). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	1.7	Reproduction	2.71	Reproduction	USEPA (2007c). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
Selenium	Birds	0.291	Survival	0.368	Reproduction	USEPA (2007d). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
	Mammals	0.143	Growth	0.145	Reproduction	USEPA (2007d). Highest bounded NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival below lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
Silver	Birds	2.02	Growth	20.2	Growth	USEPA (2006). Lowest LOAEL for reproduction or growth divided by 10.
	Mammals	6.02	Growth	60.2	Growth	USEPA (2006). Lowest LOAEL for reproduction or growth divided by 10.
Thallium	Birds	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Mammals	0.0074	Reproduction	0.074	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
Vanadium	Birds	0.344	Growth	0.413	Reproduction	USEPA (2005h). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.344 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival less than lowest bounded LOAEL (0.413 mg/kg-d) for reproduction, growth, or survival based on 94 laboratory toxicity studies.
	Mammals	4.16	Reproduction and growth	5.11	Growth	USEPA (2005h). Highest bounded NOAEL (4.16 mg/kg-d) for growth or reproduction less than lowest bounded LOAEL (5.11 mg/kg-d) for growth, reproduction, or survival based on 94 laboratory toxicity studies.
Zinc	Birds	66.1	Reproduction and Growth	66.5	Reproduction	USEPA (2007e). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
	Mammals	75.4	Reproduction and Growth	75.9	Reproduction	USEPA (2007e). Geometric mean NOAEL for reproduction and growth. Lowest bounded LOAEL for reproduction or growth greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons</b>						
LPAHs <sup>a</sup>	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	65.6	Growth	110	Growth	USEPA (2007f). Highest bounded NOAEL (65.5 mg/kg-d) below the lowest bounded LOAEL (110 mg/kg-d) for reproduction, growth, or survival.
HPAHs <sup>b</sup>	Birds	2	Growth	20	Growth	USEPA (2007f); from Appendix 5.2A for European starling.
	Mammals	0.615	Survival	3.07	Survival	USEPA (2007f). Highest bounded NOAEL (0.615 mg/kg-day) below the lowest bounded LOAEL (3.07 mg/kg-day) for reproduction, growth, or survival.
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	na	na	na	na	na
4-Methylphenol	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	219	na	na	na	NYSDEC (2002).
Benzoic Acid	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	na	na	na	na	na
Benzyl Alcohol	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	na	na	na	na	na
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	Birds	1.11	Reproduction	na	na	Sample et al. (1996).
	Mammals	18.33	Reproduction	183.3	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
Butyl Benzyl Phthalate	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	na	na	na	na	na
Diethyl Phthalate	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	4583	Reproduction	na	na	Sample et al. (1996).

**Table 3-2 Toxicity Reference Values for Birds and Mammals**

Analyte	Wildlife Class	NOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	LOAEL (mg/kg-day)	Critical Effect	Reference and Comments
Dimethyl Phthalate	Birds	na	na	na	na	na
	Mammals	na	Reproduction	na	na	na
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	Birds	0.11	Reproduction	1.1	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
	Mammals	550	Reproduction	1833	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996).
Hexachlorobenzene	Birds	0.56	Reproduction	2.25	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996) for BHC mixed isomers.
	Mammals	0.014	Reproduction	0.14	Reproduction	Sample et al. (1996) for BHC mixed isomers.
Pentachlorophenol	Birds	6.73	Reproduction	na	na	USEPA (2007g). Lowest NOAEL for reproduction, growth, or survival.
	Mammals	8.42	Reproduction and Growth	9.45	Reproduction	USEPA (2007g). NOAEL value is geometric mean of 25 NOAELs for reproduction and growth. LOAEL value is lowest LOAEL greater than geometric mean NOAEL.
Phenol	Birds	6	na	na	na	NYSDEC (2002).
	Mammals	523	na	na	na	NYSDEC (2002).

Key:

BHC = benzene hexachloride

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

na = no available

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

PAH = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon

TRV = toxicity reference value

Notes:

a. Sum of acenaphthylene, acenaphthene, anthracene, fluorene, methylanthralene, naphthalene, and phenanthrene.

b. Sum of benz(a)anthracene, total benzofluoranthenes, benzo(a)pyrene, chrysene, benzo(g,h,i)perylene, dibenzo(a,h)anthracene, indeno(1,2,3,-c,d)pyrene, fluoranthene, and pyrene.

Table 4-1 Surface Soil (0 to 2 feet) Ecological Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	FoD	Soil Ecological Screening Levels and Hazard Quotients									
					Plants					Soil Invertebrates				
					Value <sup>c</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>e</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>f</sup>	Value <sup>d</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>e</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>f</sup>
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>														
Aluminum	135	2410	21700	135/135	--	--	--	No	MSC	--	--	--	No	MSC
Antimony	135	0.708 J	23300 J	111/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	78	86/135	299	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	135	9	9880	134/135	18	126/134	549	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Barium	135	76.2	1710	135/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	330	41/135	5.2	Yes	>SL
Beryllium	135	0.3	1.3	132/135	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	40	0/1354	0.03	No	<SL
Cadmium	135	0.18	1.3	38/135	32	0/36	0.04	No	<SL	140	0/135	0.01	No	<SL
Calcium	135	390	10400 J	135/135	--	--	--	No	NUT	--	--	--	No	NUT
Chromium	135	6	101	135/135	75	1/135	1.3	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Cobalt	135	5.9	38.8	135/135	13	103/135	3.0	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Copper	135	17	139	135/135	70	56/135	2.0	Yes	>SL	80	30/135	1.7	Yes	>SL
Iron	135	16800	59100	135/135	--	--	--	No	MSC	--	--	--	No	MSC
Lead	135	5	3090	126/135	120	6/126	26	Yes	>SL	1700	1/135	1.8	Yes	>SL
Magnesium	135	390	11400	135/135	--	--	--	No	NUT	--	--	--	No	NUT
Manganese	135	153	4230	135/135	220	133/135	19	Yes	>SL	450	111/135	9.4	Yes	>SL
Mercury	135	0.05 J	1620	135/135	0.3	126/135	5400	Yes	>SL	0.1	133/135	16200	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	0	--	--	0/0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nickel	135	18	97	135/135	38	101/135	2.6	Yes	>SL	280	0/135	0.35	No	<SL
Potassium	135	600	4720	135/135	--	--	--	No	NUT	--	--	--	No	NUT
Selenium	135	0.24	0.42	2/135	0.52	0/2	0.81	No	<SL	4.1	0/135	0.10	No	<SL
Silver	135	0.068	0.123	2/135	560	0/2	0.0002	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Sodium	135	42.3	430	75/135	--	--	--	No	NUT	--	--	--	No	NUT
Thallium	135	0.065	0.071	2/135	1	0/135	0.07	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Vanadium	135	15.3	51.9	135/135	2	135/135	26	Yes	>SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	135	38	386	135/135	160	4/135	2.4	Yes	>SL	120	35/135	3.2	Yes	>SL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) (µg/kg)</b>														
Aroclor-1260	18	0.021 J	0.021 J	1/18	40,000	0/1	0.0000	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	18	0.078 J	0.078 J	1/18	40,000	0/1	0.0000	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) (µg/kg)</b>														
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	12	10.7	109	5/12	20,000	0/5	0.01	No	<SL	18000	0/5	0.01	No	<SL
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	12	15.3	417	6/12	20,000	0/6	0.02	No	<SL	29000	0.6	0.01	No	<SL
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs) (µg/kg)</b>														
4-Bromophenyl Phenyl Ether	12	1.9 J	1.9 J	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
4-Methylphenol	12	4.9 J	4.9 J	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Benzoic Acid	12	120 J	120 J	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Benzyl Alcohol	12	12 J	12 J	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	12	11 J	220	8/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Dibenzofuran	12	2.4 J	10 J	2/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Diethylphthalate	12	8	140 B	2/12	100,000	0/2	0.0014	No	<SL	--	--	--	Yes	NSL

**Table 4-1 Surface Soil (0 to 2 feet) Ecological Screening Results, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	FoD	Soil Ecological Screening Levels and Hazard Quotients									
					Plants					Soil Invertebrates				
					Value <sup>c</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>e</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>f</sup>	Value <sup>d</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>e</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>f</sup>
Dimethylphthalate	12	160	160	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	--	--	200,000	No	<SL
Hexachlorobenzene	12	1.3 J	1.3 J	1/12	--	--	--	Yes	NSL	1E+06	0/1	0.0000013	No	<SL
Pentachlorophenol	12	38 J	38 J	1/12	3,000	0/1	0.0127	No	<SL	6,000	0/1	0.00633333	No	<SL
Phenol	12	4.6 J	4.6 J	1/12	70,000	0/1	0.0001	No	<SL	30,000	0/1	0.0002	No	<SL

Key:

- = not available or not applicable
- B = present in blank
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- Eco-SSL = Ecological Soil Screening Level
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence (number of detects > screening level / number of detects)
- HPAH = high molecular weight PAH
- HQ = hazard quotient
- J = estimated value
- LPAH = low molecular weight PAH
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- NDs = non detects
- PAH = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon
- SL = Screening level
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- Shading = HQ equals or exceeds 1, or no SL available. Chemical is a COPC.

Notes:

- a = Detected chemicals only are listed.
- b = For metals, 127 original site samples and 8 field duplicate samples. For PCB, 16 original site samples and 2 field duplicates. For PAHs and SVOCs, 11 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
- c = Eco-SSLs ([www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/](http://www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/)) for arsenic, cadmium, cobalt, copper, lead, manganese, nickel, selenium, silver, and zinc. Chromium plant screening level is from Alloway (1984). Other plant screening levels are from Efroymson et al. (1997a). Acenaphthene value from Efroymson et al. (1997a) used for LPAH and HPAH sums.
- d = Eco-SSLs ([www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/](http://www.epa.gov/ecotox/ecossl/)) except for SVOCs, which are from Efroymson et al. (1997b).
- e = Hazard quotient (maximum detected concentration divided by screening level)
- f = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: <SLs = maximum detected concentration less than screening levels
  - MSC = Major soil constituent (of low toxicity; Gough et al. 1979, USEPA 2003).
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (USEPA 1989).



**Table 4-2 Sediment Ecological Screening Results for Red Devil Creek and Kuskokwim River Sediment, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	FoD	Sediment Ecological Screening Levels		FoE	HQ <sup>c</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>d</sup>
					Value	Basis				
<b>Metals (mg/kg)</b>										
Aluminum	45	710	18400	45/45	58,000	MacDonald et al. (1999). ERM <i>Hyalella</i>	0/45	0.32	No	<SL
Antimony	45	0.237 J	6360 J	40/45	2.9	MacDonald et al. (1999). PAETA, WA	37/40	2193	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	45	0.57 J	130000	45/45	9.8	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	43/45	13265	Yes	>SL
Barium	45	4.12	1990	45/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Beryllium	45	0.008 J	0.9	43/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Cadmium	45	0.017 J	0.663 J	32/45	0.99	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	0/32	0.67	No	<SL
Calcium	45	1320	23400	45/45	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Chromium	45	0.65 J	47.4 J	43/45	43.4	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	1/43	1.1	Yes	>SL
Cobalt	45	0.369	50	45/45	50	MacDonald et al. (1999). Criterion, Ontario.	2/45	1.0	Yes	=SL
Copper	45	0.68	87.5	45/45	31.6	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	14/45	2.8	Yes	>SL
Iron	45	19600	344000	45/45	21,200	MacDonald et al. (1999). LEL, B.C.	43/45	16	Yes	>SL
Lead	45	0.05	14.8	43/45	35.8	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	0/43	0.41	No	<SL
Magnesium	45	990	11400 J	45/45	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Manganese	45	404	5410	45/45	460	MacDonald et al. (1999). LEL, B.C.	42/45	12	Yes	>SL
Mercury	45	0.169 J	119 J	45/45	0.18	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	44/45	661	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	33	0.0001 J	0.0144 J	32/33	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Nickel	45	0.78	240 J	45/45	22.7	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	39/45	11	Yes	>SL
Potassium	45	510 J	2870 J	43/45	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Selenium	45	0.16 J	2.11	28/45	5	MacDonald et al. (1999). Criterion, B.C.	0/28	0.42	No	<SL
Silver	45	0.04	0.41	29/45	3.9	MacDonald et al. (1999). PAETA, WA.	0/29	0.11	No	<SL
Sodium	45	21.1	270	39/45	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Thallium	45	0.011 J	0.653	29/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Vanadium	45	1.72	48.5	43/45	--	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	45	1.2 J	132 J	45/45	121	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	1/45	1.09	Yes	>SL
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (µg/kg)</b>										
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	2	1.5 J	1.5 J	1/2	27	MacDonald et al (1999). TEL <i>Hyalella</i> 28-day test.	0/45	0.06	No	<SL
Benzyl Alcohol	2	3.1 J	3.1 J	1/2	52	Buchman (2008). AET, marine bivalve.	0/45	0.06	No	<SL
Diethyl Phthalate	2	1.7 J	1.7 J	1/2	320	MacDonald et al. (1999). Chronic EqP threshold.	0/45	0.01	No	<SL
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	2	9 J	9 J	1/2	42	MacDonald et al. (1999). PAETA, <i>Hyalella</i> , WA.	0/45	0.21	No	<SL
Pentachlorophenol	2	22 J	22 J	1/2	40	MacDonald et al. (1999). Ecotoxicological value.	0/45	0.55	No	<SL
Phenanthrene	2	1.9 J	2.1 J	2/2	204	MacDonald et al. (2000). TEC.	0/45	0.01	No	<SL
Phenol	2	4.1 J	4.1 J	1/2	48	MacDonald et al. (1999). PAETA, <i>Hyalella</i> , WA	0/45	0.09	No	<SL

**Key:**

- = Not available or not applicable
- AET = Apparent effect threshold
- B.C. = British Columbia, Canada
- COPC = Chemical of potential concern
- ERM = Effects range median
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)
- HPAH = High molecular weight PAHs
- LEL = Low effect level
- LPAH = Low molecular weight PAHs
- PAETA = Probable apparent effect threshold approach
- SL = Screening level
- PAHs = Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
- TEC = Threshold effect concentration
- TEL = Threshold effect level
- WA = Washington State
- █ = HQ equals or exceeds 1, or no SL available. Chemical is a COPC.

**Notes:**

- a = Detected analytes only are listed.
- b = 42 original samples and 3 field duplicates
- c = Hazard quotient (maximum concentration / screening level)
- d = Rationale codes.
- For Yes:
  - >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level
  - =SL = maximum concentration equals screening level
  - NSL = no screening level available.
- For No:
  - NUT = Essential nutrient (EPA 1989).
  - <SL = maximum detected concentration less than screening level

**Table 4-3 Surface Water Ecological Screening Results for Unfiltered Samples from Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Number of Samples <sup>b</sup>	Minimum Detected Concentration	Maximum Detected Concentration	FoD	Surface Water Chronic Ecological Screening Levels		FoE	HQ <sup>c</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>d</sup>
					Value	Basis				
<b>Metals (µg/L)</b>										
Aluminum	22	6.5 J	30.9 J	13/22	87	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/13	0.36	No	<SL
Antimony	22	1.3	184	22/22	30	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	12/22	6.1	Yes	>SL
Arsenic	22	0.8	1030	22/22	150	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	2/22	6.9	Yes	>SL
Barium	22	20.6	103	22/22	4	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	22/22	26	Yes	>SL
Beryllium	22	0.009 J	0.009 J	1/22	0.66	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/1	0.01	No	<SL
Cadmium	22	0.005 J	0.008 J	3/22	0.25	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/3	0.03	No	<SL
Calcium	22	8580	36000	22/22	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Chromium	22	0.15 J	0.57	13/22	74	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/13	0.01	No	<SL
Cobalt	22	0.046	5.3	19/22	23	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/19	0.23	No	<SL
Copper	22	0.28	0.71	14/22	9	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/14	0.08	No	<SL
Iron	22	118	2470	22/22	1,000	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	3/22	2.5	Yes	>SL
Lead	22	0.008 J	0.079	13/22	2.5	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/13	0.03	No	<SL
Magnesium	22	4460	37100	22/22	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Manganese	22	11.2	379	22/22	120	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	2/22	3.2	Yes	>SL
Mercury	21	0.00192	0.385	21/21	0.77	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/21	0.50	No	<SL
Mercury	21	0.00192	0.385	21/21	0.012	EPA (1986)e	15/21	32	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	21	0.00008 J	0.00062	21/21	0.0028	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/22	0.22	No	<SL
Nickel	22	0.36	19.2	19/22	52	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0.19	0.37	No	<SL
Potassium	22	172	1210	13/22	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Selenium	22	0.3 J	0.5 J	9/22	5	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/9	0.10	No	<SL
Silver	22	0.008 J	0.026	3/22	3.2	ADEC (2008) and EPA(2008)	0/3	0.008	No	<SL
Sodium	22	1440	12900	22/22	--	--	--	--	No	NUT
Thallium	22	0.007 J	0.01 J	2/22	12	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/2	0.001	No	<SL
Vanadium	22	0.1 J	0.22 J	13/22	20	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/13	0.011	No	<SL
Zinc	22	0.3 J	2.1	9/22	118	ADEC (2008)	0/9	0.018	No	<SL
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (µg/L)</b>										
Naphthalene	20	0.68 J	0.68 J	1/20	12	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/1	0.06	No	<SL
1-Methylnaphthalene	8	1.5	1.5	1/8	2.1	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV	0/1	0.71	No	<SL
2-Methylnaphthalene	20	1.2 J	1.5	2/20	2.1	Suter and Tsao (1996), Tier II SCV <sup>f</sup>	0/2	0.71	No	<SL
<b>Other Chemicals (mg/L)</b>										
Alkalinity (Bicarbonate)	19	72.4	243	19/19	20	EPA (2009); minimum acceptable valueg	0/19	12	No	>SL
Chloride	11	0.35 J	0.6	11/11	230	EPA (2009)	0/11	0.00	No	<SL
Fluoride	19	0.04 J	0.13 J	12/19	0.3	MacDonald et al. (1999), tentative criterion, B.C.	0/12	0.43	No	<SL
Sulfate	19	8.63	28.5	19/19	100	MacDonald et al. (1999), criterion max., B.C.	0/19	0.29	No	<SL
Total Suspended Solids	19	3.6	3.6	1/19	Narrative	EPA (2009)	0/1	--	No	<SL

**Key:**

- = Not available or not applicable
- ADEC = Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
- B.C. = British Columbia
- COPC = chemical of potential concern
- FoD = frequency of detection (number of detects / number of samples)
- FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)
- J = estimated quantity
- SCV = secondary chronic value
- SL = screening level
- SEPA = United States Environmental Protection Agency
- g = HQ equals or exceeds 1 or no screening level available. Chemical is a COPC.

**Notes:**

- a = Detected analytes only are listed.
- b = 17 original samples and 3 field duplicates.
- c = Hazard quotient (maximum concentration / screening level)
- d = Rationale codes.
  - For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds screening level
  - NSL = no screening level available.
  - For No: NUT = Essential nutrient (EPA 1989).
  - <SL = maximum detected concentration less than screening level
- e = Criterion derived using a bioconcentration factor of 81,700 for methylmercury for fathead minnow. Assumes all mercury is present in water as methylmercury.
- f = For 1-methylnaphthalene
- g = Criterion reflects a minimum level of alkalinity to be present in surface water. Alkalinity levels greater than the criterion are desirable.

**Table 4-3b Maximum Chemical Concentrations in Scuplin Whole-Body Samples from Red Devil Creek Compared With Fish Tissue Screening Concentrations**

Analyte	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight) <sup>a</sup>	Tissue Screening Concentration (mg/kg wet weight) <sup>b</sup>	FoE	HQ <sup>c</sup>	COPC	Rationale <sup>d</sup>
Antimony	38.1	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Arsenic	24.1	1.7	18/21	14	Yes	>SL
Barium	5.40	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Beryllium	ND <sup>e</sup>	--	--	--	No	ND
Cadmium	0.103	0.15	0/11	0.7	No	<SL
Chromium	2.431	0.69	1/21	3.5	Yes	>SL
Copper	2.263 J-	3.1	0/21	0.7	No	<SL
Lead	0.079	2.2	0/13	0.04	No	<SL
Manganese	21.3	--	--	--	Yes	>SL
Mercury	3.70	0.46	13/21	8.0	Yes	>SL
Methylmercury	0.312	0.3 - 0.7	1/2	1.0	Yes	= SL
Nickel	0.263	18.4	0/21	0.01	No	<SL
Selenium	2.98	1.1	16/21	2.7	Yes	>SL
Vanadium	0.40	--	--	--	Yes	NSL
Zinc	35.4	27	7/21	1.3	Yes	>SL

**Key:**

-- not available or not applicable.

FoE = frequency of exceedence of SL (number of detects > SL / number of detects)

HQ = hazard quotient

J- = estimated value with low bias.

J+ = estimated value with high bias.

ND = not detected.

SL = screening level

**Notes:**

a = See Table 4-6.

b = Dyer et al. (2000), except for methylmercury, which is from Sandheinrich and Weiner (2011).

c = Hazard quotient (maximum concentration / screening level)

d = Rationale codes.

For Yes: >SL = maximum detected concentration exceeds SL

= SL = maximum detected concentration equals SL

NSL = no screening level available.

For No: ND = not detected

<SL = maximum detected concentration less than SL

e = Beryllium method detection limits = 0.025 mg/kg wet weight.

**Table 4-4 Summary of 2011 Vegetation Sample Data from Red Devil Mine Site**

	Number of Samples <sup>a</sup>	Minimum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Maximum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Frequency of Detection
<b>Green Alder Bark</b>				
Aluminum	9	3.7	24.2	8/9
Antimony	9	0.165 J	3.35 J	8/9
Arsenic	9	0.06	0.91	7/9
Barium	9	2.35	203	8/9
Beryllium	9	0.005 J	0.015 J	4/9
Cadmium	9	0.014 J	0.129	6/9
Calcium	9	4560	10800	8/9
Chromium	9	0.3 J	1.4 J	3/9
Cobalt	9	0.064	0.528	8/9
Copper	9	4.33	6.64	8/9
Iron	9	17.6	34.9	8/9
Lead	9	0.06	0.113	8/9
Magnesium	9	529	967	8/9
Manganese	9	91.2	1140	8/9
Mercury	9	0.017 J	0.289 J	8/9
Methylmercury	5	0.0037 U	0.004 U	0/5
Nickel	9	0.72	4.15	8/9
Potassium	9	1530	2610	8/9
Selenium	9	0.22 J	0.22 J	1/9
Silver	9	0.016	0.193	2/9
Sodium	9	9.8	17	8/9
Thallium	9	0.006 J	0.03	4/9
Vanadium	9	0.03 J	0.07	8/9
Zinc	9	35.9 J	108 J	8/9
<b>Blueberry Leaves and Stems</b>				
Aluminum	2	59.7	64.6	2/2
Antimony	2	0.096 J	0.131 J	2/2
Arsenic	2	0.08 J	0.15 J	2/2
Barium	2	50.4	68	2/2
Beryllium	2	0.003 U	0.003 J	1/2
Cadmium	2	0.332	1.2	2/2
Calcium	2	2400	2430	2/2
Chromium	2	0.2 U	0.2 J	1/2
Cobalt	2	0.035	0.099	2/2
Copper	2	3.58	5.97	2/2
Iron	2	20.3	25.6	2/2
Lead	2	0.061	0.067	2/2
Magnesium	2	902	1120	2/2
Manganese	2	1430	1630	2/2
Mercury	2	0.023 J	0.034 J	2/2
Methylmercury	2	0.004 U	0.004 U	0/2
Nickel	2	1.89	6.68	2/2
Potassium	2	3930	4340	2/2
Selenium	2	0.15 U	0.15 U	2/2
Silver	2	0.008 U	0.008 U	2/2
Sodium	2	12.2 J	12.9 J	2/2
Thallium	2	0.005 J	0.006 J	2/2
Vanadium	2	0.03 J	0.03 J	2/2
Zinc	2	31.6 J	42.6 J	2/2
<b>Spruce Needles</b>				
Aluminum	9	5.1	172	8/9
Antimony	9	0.20 J	15.1 J	7/9
Arsenic	9	0.11 J	11.1	7/9
Barium	9	4.16	85.3	7/9
Beryllium	9	0.008 J	0.008 J	1/9
Cadmium	9	0.01 J	0.191	7/9

**Table 4-4 Summary of 2011 Vegetation Sample Data from Red Devil Mine Site**

	Number of Samples <sup>a</sup>	Minimum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Maximum Concentration (mg/kg dry weight)	Frequency of Detection
Calcium	9	3320	9920	8/9
Chromium	9	0.4 J	1.3 J	5/9
Cobalt	9	0.05	0.303	8/9
Copper	9	0.93	4.42	8/9
Iron	9	20.1	206	8/9
Lead	9	0.009	0.466	8/9
Magnesium	9	548	958	8/9
Manganese	9	130	2990	8/9
Mercury	9	0.03	5.64	8/9
Methylmercury	5	0.0037 U	0.004 U	0/5
Nickel	9	0.67	6.35	8/9
Potassium	9	3450	7740	8/9
Selenium	9	0.15 U	0.15 U	0/9
Silver	9	0.016 J	0.114	6/9
Sodium	9	4.1 J	24.8 J	8/9
Thallium	9	0.005 J	0.021 J	2/9
Vanadium	9	0.03 J	0.47	7/9
Zinc	9	13.9	53.2 J	8/9
<b>Pond Vegetation</b>				
Aluminum	5	8.3	94.2	4/5
Antimony	5	4.92 J	97.4 J	4/5
Arsenic	5	32.1	309	4/5
Barium	5	18.2	36.2	4/5
Beryllium	5	0.003 J	0.006 J	4/5
Cadmium	5	0.009 J	0.22	4/5
Calcium	5	13300	15700	4/5
Chromium	5	0.2 J	0.6 J	2/5
Cobalt	5	0.308	0.886	4/5
Copper	5	3.4	9.62	4/5
Iron	5	124	282	4/5
Lead	5	0.32	1.18	4/5
Magnesium	5	6340	13400	4/5
Manganese	5	46.8	199	4/5
Mercury	5	0.78 J	5.28 J	4/5
Methylmercury	5	0.0069 J	0.0069 J	1/1
Nickel	5	1.11	3.21	4/5
Potassium	5	15400	39500	4/5
Selenium	5	0.81	0.81	1/5
Silver	5	0.008 U	0.008 U	0/5
Sodium	5	52.5	377	4/5
Thallium	5	0.017 J	0.083	4/5
Vanadium	5	0.05 J	0.29	4/5
Zinc	5	36 J	55.7 J	4/5

**Key:**

- = Not available or not applicable
- J = estimated value
- U = undetected (reported value is method detection limit)

**Notes:**

- a = Number of original site samples and field duplicates.
  - Green alder bark: 8 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
  - Blueberry leaves and stems: 2 original site samples and 0 field duplicates.
  - Blueberry fruit: 0 original site samples and 0 field duplicates.
  - Spruce needles: 8 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.
  - Pond vegetation: 4 original site samples and 1 field duplicate.

**Table 4-5 Summary of 2010 Benthic Macroinvertebrate Composite Sample Data for Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte	August 2010 Samples <sup>a</sup>				June 2010 Samples <sup>b</sup>			
	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection
Aluminum	--	--	--	--	3	118.4	<b>125</b>	3/3
Antimony	--	--	--	--	3	18.95	<b>21.44</b>	3/3
Arsenic	--	--	--	--	3	81.24	<b>126.44</b>	3/3
Barium	--	--	--	--	3	4.84	<b>6.61</b>	3/3
Beryllium	--	--	--	--	3	ND <sup>c</sup>	ND <sup>c</sup>	0/3
Boron	--	--	--	--	3	0.67 J+	<b>1.011</b> J+	3/3
Cadmium	--	--	--	--	3	0.082	<b>0.166</b>	3/3
Calcium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Chromium	--	--	--	--	3	0.327	<b>0.441</b>	3/3
Cobalt	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Copper	--	--	--	--	3	6.564	<b>12.405</b>	3/3
Iron	--	--	--	--	3	761.3 J-	<b>974</b> J-	3/3
Lead	--	--	--	--	3	0.131	<b>0.154</b>	3/3
Magnesium	--	--	--	--	3	162	<b>376</b>	3/3
Manganese	--	--	--	--	3	27.84	<b>50.8</b>	3/3
Mercury	--	--	--	--	3	1.60	<b>2.38</b>	3/3
Methylmercury	3	0.0587	<b>0.131</b>	3/3	3	0.0238	0.0594	3/3
Molybdenum	--	--	--	--	3	0.1	<b>0.19</b>	3/3
Nickel	--	--	--	--	3	0.557	<b>1.409</b>	3/3
Potassium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Selenium	--	--	--	--	3	1.002	<b>4.046</b>	3/3
Silver	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Sodium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Strontium	--	--	--	--	3	1.3 J+	<b>2.2</b> J+	3/3
Thallium	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Vanadium	--	--	--	--	3	0.40	<b>0.47</b>	3/3
Zinc	--	--	--	--	3	22.6 J-	<b>44.9</b> J-	3/3

Source: Matt Varner, BLM Anchorage Field Office, Anchorage, AK.

Key:

-- (double dash) = not analyzed.

BLM = Bureau of Land Management

**Bold** = maximum detected concentration across both sampling events

J- = estimated value with low bias.

J+ = estimated value with high bias.

ND = not detected.

Notes:

a = Ephemeroptera, Heptageniidae, *Cinygmula* (mayfly) composite samples with 125 to 176 individuals per sample

b = Ephemeroptera, Baetidae, *Baetis* (mayfly) composite samples with 270 to 425 individuals per sample

c = Beryllium method detection limits = 0.025 mg/kg wet weight.

**Table 4-6 Summary of 2010 Sculpin Data from Red Devil Creek, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte	August 2010 Samples				June 2010 Samples			
	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection	Number of Samples	Minimum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Maximum Detected Concentration (mg/kg wet weight)	Frequency of Detection
Aluminum	12	11.7	<b>72.5</b>	12/12	9	3.6	20.9	9/9
Antimony	12	6.51	<b>38.1</b>	12/12	9	0.40	4.04	9/9
Arsenic	12	6.86	<b>24.1</b>	12/12	9	1.10	4.49	9/9
Barium	12	2.83	<b>5.40</b>	12/12	9	2.01	4.35	9/9
Beryllium	12	ND <sup>b</sup>	ND <sup>b</sup>	0/12	9	ND <sup>b</sup>	ND <sup>b</sup>	0/9
Boron	12	0.031	0.088	5/12	9	0.142 J+	<b>0.843 J</b>	9/9
Cadmium	12	0.029	0.056	5/12	9	0.027	<b>0.103</b>	6/9
Calcium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Chromium	12	0.038	0.188	12/12	9	0.028	<b>2.431</b>	9/9
Cobalt	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Copper	12	0.72	1.164	12/12	9	0.27 J-	<b>2.263 J-</b>	9/9
Iron	12	63.7	<b>184</b>	12/12	9	18.9 J-	61 J-	9/9
Lead	12	0.027	<b>0.079</b>	11/12	9	0.025 J	0.026	2/9
Magnesium	12	280	368	12/12	9	251	<b>423</b>	9/9
Manganese	12	6.65	<b>21.3</b>	12/12	9	8.44	16.0	9/9
Mercury	12	0.68	<b>3.70</b>	12/12	9	0.05	0.63	9/9
Methylmercury	1	0.16	0.16	1/1	1 <sup>a</sup>	0.312	<b>0.312</b>	1/1
Molybdenum	12	0.028	<b>0.038</b>	7/12	9	0.03	0.03	1/9
Nickel	12	0.083	<b>0.263</b>	12/12	9	0.039	0.113	9/9
Potassium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Selenium	12	1.53	<b>2.98</b>	12/12	9	0.834	1.43	9/9
Silver	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Sodium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Strontium	12	10.6	30.0	12/12	9	15.5 J+	<b>32.8 J+</b>	9/9
Thallium	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--
Vanadium	12	0.15	0.32	12/12	9	0.10	<b>0.40</b>	9/9
Zinc	12	20.6	<b>35.4</b>	12/12	9	17.1 J-	30.2 J-	9/9

Source: Matt Varner, BLM Anchorage Field Office, Anchorage, AK.

**Key:**

-- (double dash) = not analyzed.

BLM = Bureau of Land Management

**Bold** = maximum detected concentration across both sampling events.

J- = estimated value with low bias.

J+ = estimated value with high bias.

ND = not detected.

**Notes:**

a = Composite sample. In June 2010, methylmercury was measured only in a composite sample of three sculpin.

b = Beryllium method detection limits = 0.025 mg/kg wet weight.

**Table 4-7 Exposure Parameters for Wildlife Receptors, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Species	Assumed Diet	Soil or Sediment Ingestion (kg/d) dry	Surface Water Ingestion (L/day)	Food Ingestion Rate (kg/d) wet	Percent Water in Diet	Food Ingestion Rate (kg/d) dry	Body Weight (kg)
<b>Terrestrial Wildlife</b>							
American Robin <sup>a</sup>	100% soil invertebrates	0.00019	0.011	0.093	80%	0.0186	0.077
Masked Shrew <sup>b</sup>	100% soil invertebrates	0.00011	0.0011	--	--	0.0021	0.0064
Spruce Grouse <sup>c</sup>	100% conifer foliage	0.0056	0.038	--	--	0.06	0.53
Tundra Vole <sup>b</sup>	100% herbaceous plants	0.0002	0.0063	--	--	0.0085	0.047
Northern Shrike <sup>d</sup>	100% small mammals	0	0.0095	--	--	0.0139	0.0656
Least Weasel <sup>e</sup>	100% small mammals	0	0.0053	--	--	0.0048	0.039
<b>Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife</b>							
Common Snipe <sup>b, h</sup>	100% benthic invertebrates	0.0016	0.014	0.047	68%	0.015	0.116
Beaver <sup>f</sup>	100% alder bark	0.0037	1.76	--	--	0.186	24.5
Green Winged Teal <sup>b</sup>	100% pond vegetation	0.001	0.027	--	--	0.053	0.32
Belted Kingfisher <sup>g</sup>	100% forage fish	0	0.016	0.075	68%	0.024	0.148
Mink <sup>g</sup>	100% forage fish	0	0.099	0.137	68%	0.044	1

Key:

-- = not applicable

kg = kilogram

kg/d = kilograms per day

L/d = liters per day

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Notes:

a. Sample and Suter (1994).

b. Exponent (2007).

c. Exponent (2007) for willow ptarmigan.

d. Dunning (1993) for body weight. Food ingestion rate calculated from body weight using allometric relationship for passerine birds from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion typically is negligible for predatory wildlife.

e. EPA (1993a) for body weight. Food ingestion rate calculated from body weight using allometric relationship for placental mammals from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion typically is negligible for predatory wildlife.

f. Body weight from www.Alaskan-Adventures.com (accessed 6-7-11). Food and water ingestion rates calculated from body weight using allometric relationships from Sample et al. (1996). Soil ingestion rate assumed to be 2% of food ingestion rate.

g. Sample and Suter (1994).

h. Food moisture content of 68% based on EPA (1999) for carnivores. Wet food Ingestion rate = dry food ingestion rate / (1- food moisture content).



**Table 4-8 Data Used to Estimate Exposure Point Concentrations for Calculating Screening Level Exposure Estimates for Wildlife**

Receptor	Exposure Point Concentration											
	Maximum Measured Chemical Concentration										Modeled Concentration <sup>a</sup>	
	RDC Surface Water	Surface Soil	Sediment		Spruce Needles <sup>b</sup>	Blueberry Stems and Leaves <sup>b</sup>	Green Alder Bark <sup>b</sup>	Settling Pond Plants <sup>b</sup>	Sculpin <sup>b</sup>	Mayfly <sup>b</sup>	Earthworm	Small Mammal
RDC and KR			Settling Ponds									
<b>Terrestrial Wildlife</b>												
American Robin	X	X									X	
Masked Shrew	X	X									X	
Spruce Grouse	X	X			X							
Tundra Vole	X	X				X						
Northern Shrike	X											X
Least Weasel	X											X
<b>Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife</b>												
Common Snipe	X		X							X		
Beaver	X	X					X					
Green Winged Teal				X				X				
Belted Kingfisher	X								X			
Mink	X								X			

Key:

KR = Kuskokwim River

RDC = Red Devil Creek

Notes:

a = Based on maximum surface soil concentration. For chemicals with no available model, the chemical concentration in earthworms and small mammals was set equal to the maximum surface soil chemical concentration.

b =

If a chemical was detected in soil or sediment but not analyzed for in biota, the biota chemical concentration was assumed to be equal to the maximum soil or sediment chemical concentration.

**Table 4-9 American Robin and Masked Shrew Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Soil-to-Earthworm Bioaccumulation Equation <sup>e</sup>	Earthworm EPC <sup>d</sup>
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>				
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	--	0.078	$\ln(C_e) = 1.361 * \ln(C_s) - 1.410$	0.011
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	184	23300	$C_e = C_s$	23300
Arsenic	1,030	9880	$\ln(C_e) = 0.706 * \ln(C_s) - 1.421$	160
Barium	103	1710	$C_e = 0.091 * C_s$	156
Beryllium	0.009	1.3	$C_e = 0.045 * C_s$	0.059
Cadmium	0.008	1.3	$\ln(C_e) = 0.795 * \ln(C_s) + 2.114$	10.2
Chromium	0.57	101	$C_e = 0.306 * C_s$	30.9
Cobalt	5.3	38.8	$C_e = 0.122 * C_s$	4.7
Copper	0.71	139	$C_e = 0.515 * C_s$	71.6
Lead	0.079	3090	$\ln(C_e) = 0.807 * \ln(C_s) - 0.218$	527
Manganese	379	4230	$\ln(C_e) = 0.682 * \ln(C_s) - 0.809$	132
Mercury	0.385	1620	$\ln(C_e) = 0.118 * \ln(C_s) - 0.684$	1.21
Methylmercury	0.00062	--	3 x (blueberry stem/leaf concentration)	0.006
Nickel	19.2	97	$C_e = 1.059 * C_s$	103
Selenium	0.5	0.42	$\ln(C_e) = 0.733 * \ln(C_s) - 0.075$	0.49
Silver	0.026	0.123	$C_e = 2.045 * C_s$	0.25
Thallium	0.01	0.071	$C_e = C_s$	0.071
Vanadium	0.22	51.9	$C_e = 0.042 * C_s$	2.18
Zinc	2.1	386	$\ln(C_e) = 0.328 * \ln(C_s) + 4.449$	603
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>				
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	3.6	109	$C_e = 2.6 * C_s$	282
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.9	417	$C_e = 3.0 * C_s$	1252
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>				
4-Bromophenyl Phenyl Ether	0.21	1.9	$C_e = C_s$	1.9
4-Methylphenol	0.26	4.9	$C_e = C_s$	4.9
Benzoic Acid	0.30	120	$C_e = C_s$	120
Benzyl Alcohol	1.0	12	$C_e = C_s$	12
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.95	220	$C_e = C_s$	220
Dibenzofuran	0.24	10	$C_e = C_s$	10
Diethylphthalate	0.29	140	$C_e = C_s$	140
Dimethylphthalate	0.27	160	$C_e = C_s$	160
Hexachlorobenzene	0.32	1.3	$C_e = C_s$	1.3
Pentachlorophenol	1.25	38	$C_e = C_s$	38
Phenol	0.26	4.6	$C_e = C_s$	4.6

**Key:**

- = not analyzed
- C<sub>e</sub> = chemical concentration in earthworm
- C<sub>s</sub> = chemical concentration in soil
- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- HPAH = high molecular weight PAH
- LPAH = low molecular weight PAH
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- NDs = non detects
- PAH = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon
- PCB = polychlorinated biphenyls
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- SVOC = semivolatile organic compound
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

- a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.
- b. Maximum surface water concentration from Table 4-3. HPAHs, 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether, 4-methylphenol, benzoic acid, benzyl alcohol, bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, dibenzofuran, diethylphthalate, hexachlorobenzene, pentachlorophenol, and phenol were not detected in surface water. For these chemicals, the surface water EPC is one-half of the MDL in surface water.
- c. Maximum surface soil concentration from Table 4-1.
- d. mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for PCBs and SVOCs.
- e. Soil-to-earthworm bioaccumulation equations from EPA (2005a), except for PCBs and nickel, which are from Sample et al. (1998a). For chemicals with no available model, the chemical concentration in earthworms was set equal to the maximum surface soil chemical concentration.

**Table 4-10 Spruce Grouse, Tundra Vole, and Beaver Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Spruce Needles <sup>e</sup>	Blueberry Stems and Leaves <sup>e</sup>	Alder Bark <sup>e</sup>
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls</b>					
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	--	0.078	0.078	0.078	0.078
<b>Metals</b>					
Antimony	184	23300	15.1	0.131	3.35
Arsenic	1,030	9880	11.1	0.15	0.91
Barium	103	1710	85.3	68.0	203
Beryllium	0.009	1.3	0.008	0.003	0.015
Cadmium	0.008	1.3	0.19	1.20	0.13
Chromium	0.57	101	1.30	0.20	1.40
Cobalt	5.3	38.8	0.303	0.10	0.53
Copper	0.71	139	4.42	5.97	6.64
Lead	0.079	3090	0.47	0.067	0.113
Manganese	379	4230	2990	1630	1140
Mercury	0.385	1620	5.64	0.034	0.29
Methylmercury	0.00062	--	0.002	0.002	0.002
Nickel	19.2	97	6.35	6.68	4.15
Selenium	0.5	0.42	0.075	0.075	0.22
Silver	0.026	0.123	0.114	0.004	0.193
Thallium	0.01	0.071	0.021	0.006	0.03
Vanadium	0.22	51.9	0.47	0.03	0.07
Zinc	2.1	386	53.2	42.6	108
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>					
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	3.6	109	109	109	109
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.9	417	417	417	417
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>					
4-Bromophenyl Phenyl Ether	0.21	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
4-Methylphenol	0.26	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Benzoic Acid	0.30	120	120	120	120
Benzyl Alcohol	1.0	12	12	12	12
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.95	220	220	220	220
Dibenzofuran	0.24	10	10	10	10
Diethylphthalate	0.29	140	140	140	140
Dimethylphthalate	0.27	160	160	160	160
Hexachlorobenzene	0.32	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Pentachlorophenol	1.25	38	38	38	38
Phenol	0.26	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6

**Key:**

- = not available
- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- HPAH = high molecular weight PAH
- LPAH = low molecular weight PAH
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- NDs = non detects
- PAH = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- SVOCs = semivolatile organic compounds
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

- a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.
- b. Maximum surface water concentration from Table 4-3. HPAHs, 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether, 4-methylphenol, benzoic acid, benzyl alcohol, bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, dibenzofuran, diethylphthalate, hexachlorobenzene, pentachlorophenol, and phenol were not detected in surface water. For these chemicals, the surface water EPC is one-half of the MDL in surface water.
- c. Maximum surface soil concentration from Table 4-1.
- d. mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for PCBs and SVOCs.
- e. Maximum detected concentration or one-half maximum detection limit (if not detected in all samples). See Table 4-4 for summary of 2011 vegetation data. Aroclor 1260 and several SVOCs were detected in soil but not analyzed for in vegetation. For these chemicals, the vegetation chemical concentration was assumed to be equal to the maximum soil chemical concentration.

**Table 4-11 Green-Winged Teal Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Settling Pond "Sediment" EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Settling Pond Vegetation EPC	
			Value <sup>d</sup>	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	184	1430	97.4	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Arsenic	1,030	9880	309	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Barium	103	145	36.2	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Beryllium	0.009	0.8	0.006	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Cadmium	0.008	0.06	0.22	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Chromium	0.57	19	0.6	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Cobalt	5.3	18.1	0.886	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Copper	0.71	73	9.62	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Lead	0.079	198	1.18	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Manganese	379	1090	199	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Mercury	0.385	127	5.28	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Methylmercury	0.00062	--	0.0069	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Nickel	19.2	58	3.21	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Selenium	0.5	1.75	0.81	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Silver	0.026	0.12	0.004	One-half method detection limit (Table 4-5).
Thallium	0.01	0.75	0.083	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Vanadium	0.22	25.3	0.29	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
Zinc	2.1	112	55.7	Maximum measured concentration (Table 4-5).
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>				
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.5	220	220	Not analyzed in pond vegetation. See note e.

**Key:**

- = Not analyzed.
- EPC = Exposure point concentration
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- SVOC = Semivolatile organic compound.
- SLERA = Screening level ecological risk assessment.
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- µg/L = micrograms per kilogram

**Notes:**

- a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil/sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per USEPA guidance (USEPA 1989, 2003). SVOCs detected in pond surface soil are listed.
- b. Maximum surface water concentrations for Red Devil Creek from Table 4-3. Surface water was not present in the settling ponds during sampling activities. Water concentration for bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate is one-half method detection limit (1 µg/L).
- c. Maximum concentration from three original surface soil samples (10MP32SS, 10MP34SS, and 10MP36SS) and one field duplicate surface soil sample (10MP84SS) collected from the settling ponds. Cadmium, selenium, silver and thallium were undetected in pond surface soil so one-half of the MDL was used as the EPC.
- d. mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for SVOCs.
- e. The concentration in vegetation was assumed to equal the maximum surface soil concentration.

**Table 4-12 Northern Shrike and Least Weasel Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Surface Soil EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Soil- or Diet-to-Small Mammal Bioaccumulation Equation <sup>e</sup>	Small Mammal EPC <sup>d</sup>
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>				
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	--	0.078	$C_m = C_s$	0.078
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	184	23300	$C_m = 0.001 * 50 * C_d$	0.007
Arsenic	1,030	9880	$\ln(C_m) = 0.8188 * \ln(C_s) - 4.8471$	14.7
Barium	103	1710	$C_m = 0.00015 * 50 * C_d$	0.51
Beryllium	0.009	1.3	$C_m = 0.001 * 50 * C_d$	0.0002
Cadmium	0.008	1.3	$\ln(C_m) = 0.4723 * \ln(C_s) - 1.2571$	0.32
Chromium	0.57	101	$\ln(C_m) = 0.7338 * \ln(C_s) - 1.4599$	6.87
Cobalt	5.3	38.8	$\ln(C_m) = 1.307 * \ln(C_s) - 4.4669$	1.37
Copper	0.71	139	$\ln(C_m) = 0.1444 * \ln(C_s) + 2.042$	15.7
Lead	0.079	3090	$\ln(C_m) = 0.4422 * \ln(C_s) + 0.0761$	38
Manganese	379	4230	$C_m = 0.0205 * C_s$	86.7
Mercury	0.385	1620	$C_m = 0.25 * 50 * C_d$	0.43
Methylmercury	0.00062	--	3 x (blueberry stem/leaf concentration)	0.006
Nickel	19.2	97	$\ln(C_m) = 0.4658 * \ln(C_s) - 0.2462$	6.6
Selenium	0.5	0.42	$\ln(C_m) = 0.3764 * \ln(C_s) - 0.4158$	0.48
Silver	0.026	0.123	$C_m = 0.004 * C_s$	0.0005
Thallium	0.01	0.071	$C_m = 0.1124 * C_s$	0.008
Vanadium	0.22	51.9	$C_m = 0.0123 * C_s$	0.64
Zinc	2.1	386	$\ln(C_m) = 0.0706 * \ln(C_s) + 4.3632$	120
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>				
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	3.6	109	$C_m = 0$	0
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.9	417	$C_m = 0$	0
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>				
4-Bromophenyl Phenyl Ether	0.21	1.9	$C_m = C_s$	1.9
4-Methylphenol	0.26	4.9	$C_m = C_s$	4.9
Benzoic Acid	0.30	120	$C_m = C_s$	120
Benzyl Alcohol	1.0	12	$C_m = C_s$	12
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.95	220	$C_m = C_s$	220
Dibenzofuran	0.24	10	$C_m = C_s$	10
Diethylphthalate	0.29	140	$C_m = C_s$	140
Dimethylphthalate	0.27	160	$C_m = C_s$	160
Hexachlorobenzene	0.32	1.3	$C_m = C_s$	1.3
Pentachlorophenol	1.25	38	$C_m = C_s$	38
Phenol	0.26	4.6	$C_m = C_s$	4.6

**Key:**

- = not analyzed
- $C_d$  = chemical concentration in diet (maximum concentration in blueberry stems/leaves)
- $C_m$  = chemical concentration in small mammal tissue
- $C_s$  = chemical concentration in soil
- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- HPAH = high molecular weight PAH
- LPAH = low molecular weight PAH
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- NDs = non detects
- PAH = polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon
- PCB = polychlorinated biphenyl
- SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment
- SVOC = semivolatile organic compound
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

- a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors and SVOCs detected in surface soil or surface water are listed.
- b. Maximum surface water concentration from Table 4-3. HPAHs, benzyl alcohol, diethylphthalate, di-n-butylphthalate, pentachlorophenol, and phenol were not detected in surface water. For these chemicals, the surface water EPC is one-half of the MDL. One-half MDL also used when summing undetected LPAHs.
- c. Maximum surface soil concentration from Table 4-1.
- d. mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for PCBs and SVOCs.
- e. EPA (2005a) except for thallium, which is from Sample et al. (1998b). For chemicals with no available model, the chemical concentration in small mammals was set equal to the maximum surface soil chemical concentration.

**Table 4-13 Common Snipe Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Sediment EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Benthic Macroinvertebrate EPC	
			Value <sup>d</sup>	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	184	6,360	21.44	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Arsenic	1,030	130,000	126.4	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Barium	103	1,990	6.61	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Beryllium	0.009	0.09	0.013	One-half method detection limit (Table 4-5).
Cadmium	0.008	0.663	0.166	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Chromium	0.57	47.4	0.441	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Cobalt	5.3	50	50	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Copper	0.71	87.5	12.4	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Lead	0.079	14.8	0.154	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Manganese	379	5,410	50.8	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Mercury	0.385	119	2.38	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Methylmercury	0.00062	0.0144	0.131	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Nickel	19.2	240	1.41	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Selenium	0.5	2.11	4.05	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Silver	0.026	0.41	0.41	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Thallium	0.01	0.653	0.653	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Vanadium	0.22	48.5	0.47	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
Zinc	2.1	132	44.9	Maximum measured mayfly concentration (Table 4-5).
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>				
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	3.6	8.5	8.5	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.9	7.0	7.0	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>				
Benzyl Alcohol	1.00	3.1	3.1	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Diethyl Phthalate	0.29	1.7	1.7	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	0.27	9	9	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Pentachlorophenol	1.25	22	22	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.
Phenol	0.26	4.1	4.1	Not analyzed in benthic invertebrates. See note e.

**Key:**

EPC = Exposure Point Concentration  
 HPAH = high molecular weight PAH  
 LPAH = low molecular weight PAH  
 MDL = method detection limit  
 mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram  
 SLERA = screening levels ecological risk assessment  
 SVOC = Semivolatile organic compound.  
 µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram  
 µg/L = micrograms per liter

**Notes:**

- Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil/sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). SVOCs that were detected in sediment or surface water are listed.
- Maximum concentration from Table 4-3. HPAHs, benzyl alcohol, diethylphthalate, di-n-butylphthalate, pentachlorophenol, and phenol were not detected in surface water. For these chemicals, the surface water EPC is one-half of the method detection limit. One-half method detection limit also used for undetected LPAHs.
- Maximum concentration from Table 4-2.
- mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for PAHs and SVOCs.
- Chemical concentration in benthic macroinvertebrate assumed equal to maximum chemical concentration in sediment.

**Table 4-14 Belted Kingfisher and Mink Exposure Point Concentrations, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L) <sup>b</sup>	Sediment EPC <sup>c, d</sup>	Slimy Sculpin EPC	
			Value <sup>d</sup>	Basis
<b>Metals</b>				
Antimony	184	6,360	38.1	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Arsenic	1,030	130,000	24.1	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Barium	103	1,990	5.4	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Beryllium	0.009	0.09	0.0125	One-half method detection limit (Table 4-6).
Cadmium	0.008	0.663	0.103	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Chromium	0.57	47.4	2.431	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Cobalt	5.3	50	50	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Copper	0.71	87.5	2.263	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Lead	0.079	14.8	0.079	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Manganese	379	5,410	21.3	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Mercury	0.385	119	3.7	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Methylmercury	0.00062	0.0144	0.312	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Nickel	19.2	240	0.263	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Selenium	0.5	2.11	2.98	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Silver	0.026	0.41	0.41	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Thallium	0.01	0.653	0.635	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Vanadium	0.22	48.5	0.4	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
Zinc	2.1	132	35.4	Maximum measured sculpin concentration (Table 4-6).
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>				
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	3.6	8.5	8.5	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.9	7.0	7.0	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>				
Benzyl Alcohol	1.00	3.1	3.1	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Diethyl Phthalate	0.29	1.7	1.7	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	0.27	9	9	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Pentachlorophenol	1.25	22	22	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.
Phenol	0.26	4.1	4.1	Not analyzed in sculpin. See note e.

**Key:**

- EPC = Exposure Point Concentration
- HPAH = high molecular weight PAH
- LPAH = low molecular weight PAH
- MDL = method detection limit
- mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram
- SLERA = screening levels ecological risk assessment
- SVOC = Semivolatile organic compound.
- µg/kg = micrograms per kilogram
- µg/L = micrograms per kilogram

**Notes:**

- a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). PAHs and SVOCs detected in sediment are listed.
- b. Maximum concentrations from Table 4-3. HPAHs, benzyl alcohol, diethylphthalate, di-n-butylphthalate, pentachlorophenol, and phenol were not detected in surface water. For these chemicals, the surface water EPC is one-half of the method detection limit. One-half method detection limit also used for undetected LPAHs.
- c. Maximum concentrations from Table 4-2.
- d. mg/kg for metals and µg/kg for PAHs and SVOCs.
- e. Sculpin chemical concentration assumed equal to maximum concentration in sediment.

**Table 4-15 American Robin Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	1.9E-07	--	2.5E-06	2.7E-06	0.18	1.5E-05
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	5.7E+01	2.6E-02	5.6E+03	5.7E+03	--	--
Arsenic	2.4E+01	1.5E-01	3.9E+01	6.3E+01	2.24	28
Barium	4.2E+00	1.5E-02	3.8E+01	4.2E+01	20.8	2.0
Beryllium	3.2E-03	1.3E-06	1.4E-02	1.7E-02	--	--
Cadmium	3.2E-03	1.1E-06	2.5E+00	2.5E+00	1.47	1.7
Chromium	2.5E-01	8.1E-05	7.5E+00	7.7E+00	2.66	2.9
Cobalt	9.6E-02	7.6E-04	1.1E+00	1.2E+00	7.61	0.16
Copper	3.4E-01	1.0E-04	1.7E+01	1.8E+01	4.05	4.4
Lead	7.6E+00	1.1E-05	1.3E+02	1.3E+02	1.63	83
Manganese	1.0E+01	5.4E-02	3.2E+01	4.2E+01	179	0.24
Mercury	4.0E+00	5.5E-05	2.9E-01	4.3E+00	0.45	9.5
Methylmercury	--	8.9E-08	1.4E-03	1.4E-03	0.068	0.02
Nickel	2.4E-01	2.7E-03	2.5E+01	2.5E+01	6.71	3.7
Selenium	1.0E-03	7.1E-05	1.2E-01	1.2E-01	0.291	0.41
Silver	3.0E-04	3.7E-06	6.1E-02	6.1E-02	2.02	0.03
Thallium	1.8E-04	1.4E-06	1.7E-02	1.7E-02	--	--
Vanadium	1.3E-01	3.1E-05	5.3E-01	6.5E-01	0.344	1.9
Zinc	9.5E-01	3.0E-04	1.5E+02	1.5E+02	66.1	2.2
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	2.7E-04	5.1E-04	6.8E-02	6.9E-02	2	0.034
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	1.0E-03	4.1E-04	3.0E-01	3.0E-01	--	--
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	4.7E-06	3.0E-05	4.6E-04	4.9E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	1.2E-05	3.7E-05	1.2E-03	1.2E-03	--	--
Benzoic acid	3.0E-04	4.2E-05	2.9E-02	2.9E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	3.0E-05	1.4E-04	2.9E-03	3.1E-03	--	--
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5.4E-04	1.4E-04	5.3E-02	5.4E-02	1.11	0.05
Dibenzofuran	2.5E-05	3.4E-05	2.4E-03	2.5E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	3.5E-04	4.1E-05	3.4E-02	3.4E-02	--	--
Dimethylphthalate	3.9E-04	3.8E-05	3.9E-02	3.9E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	3.2E-06	4.5E-05	3.1E-04	3.6E-04	0.56	0.0006
Pentachlorophenol	9.4E-05	1.8E-04	9.2E-03	9.5E-03	6.73	0.001
Phenol	1.1E-05	3.7E-05	1.1E-03	1.2E-03	6	0.0002

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

MDL = method detection limit

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a = Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.



**Table 4-16 Masked Shrew Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	1.3E-06	--	3.4E-06	4.8E-06	0.14	3.4E-05
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	4.0E+02	3.2E-02	7.6E+03	8.0E+03	0.059	136370
Arsenic	1.7E+02	1.8E-01	5.2E+01	2.2E+02	1.04	214
Barium	2.9E+01	1.8E-02	5.1E+01	8.0E+01	51.8	1.6
Beryllium	2.2E-02	1.5E-06	1.9E-02	4.2E-02	0.532	0.08
Cadmium	2.2E-02	1.4E-06	3.3E+00	3.4E+00	0.77	4.4
Chromium	1.7E+00	9.8E-05	1.0E+01	1.2E+01	9.24	1.29
Cobalt	6.7E-01	9.1E-04	1.6E+00	2.2E+00	7.33	0.30
Copper	2.4E+00	1.2E-04	2.3E+01	2.6E+01	5.6	4.6
Lead	5.3E+01	1.4E-05	1.7E+02	2.3E+02	4.7	48
Manganese	7.3E+01	6.5E-02	4.3E+01	1.2E+02	51.5	2.3
Mercury	2.8E+01	6.6E-05	4.8E-03	2.8E+01	13.2	2.1
Methylmercury	--	1.1E-07	2.0E-03	2.0E-03	0.032	0.06
Nickel	1.7E+00	3.3E-03	3.4E+01	3.5E+01	1.7	21
Selenium	7.2E-03	8.6E-05	1.6E-01	1.7E-01	0.143	1.2
Silver	2.1E-03	4.5E-06	8.3E-02	8.5E-02	6.02	0.014
Thallium	1.2E-03	1.7E-06	2.3E-02	2.5E-02	0.0074	3.3
Vanadium	8.9E-01	3.8E-05	7.2E-01	1.6E+00	4.16	0.39
Zinc	6.6E+00	3.6E-04	2.0E+02	2.0E+02	75.4	2.7
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	1.9E-03	6.1E-04	9.3E-02	9.5E-02	0.615	0.15
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	7.2E-03	4.9E-04	4.1E-01	4.2E-01	65.6	0.006
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	3.3E-05	3.6E-05	6.2E-04	6.9E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	8.4E-05	4.5E-05	1.6E-03	1.7E-03	219	7.9E-06
Benzoic acid	2.1E-03	5.1E-05	3.9E-02	4.1E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	2.1E-04	1.7E-04	3.9E-03	4.3E-03	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	3.8E-03	1.6E-04	7.2E-02	7.6E-02	18.33	0.004
Dibenzofuran	1.7E-04	4.1E-05	3.3E-03	3.5E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	2.4E-03	5.0E-05	4.6E-02	4.8E-02	4583	1.1E-05
Dimethylphthalate	2.8E-03	4.6E-05	5.3E-02	5.5E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	2.2E-05	5.4E-05	4.3E-04	5.0E-04	0.014	0.036
Pentachlorophenol	6.5E-04	2.1E-04	1.2E-02	1.3E-02	8.42	0.002
Phenol	7.9E-05	4.5E-05	1.5E-03	1.6E-03	523	3.1E-06

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

MDL = method detection limit

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.

**Table 4-17 Spruce Grouse Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	8.2E-07	--	8.8E-06	9.7E-06	0.18	5.4E-05
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	2.5E+02	1.3E-02	1.7E+00	2.5E+02	--	--
Arsenic	1.0E+02	7.4E-02	1.3E+00	1.1E+02	2.24	47
Barium	1.8E+01	7.4E-03	9.7E+00	2.8E+01	20.8	1.3
Beryllium	1.4E-02	6.5E-07	9.1E-04	1.5E-02	--	--
Cadmium	1.4E-02	5.7E-07	2.2E-02	3.5E-02	1.47	0.0
Chromium	1.1E+00	4.1E-05	1.5E-01	1.2E+00	2.66	0.46
Cobalt	4.1E-01	3.8E-04	3.4E-02	4.4E-01	7.61	0.058
Copper	1.5E+00	5.1E-05	5.0E-01	2.0E+00	4.05	0.49
Lead	3.3E+01	5.7E-06	5.3E-02	3.3E+01	1.63	20
Manganese	4.5E+01	2.7E-02	3.4E+02	3.8E+02	179	2.1
Mercury	1.7E+01	2.8E-05	6.4E-01	1.8E+01	0.45	39
Methylmercury	--	4.4E-08	2.3E-04	2.3E-04	0.068	0.003
Nickel	1.0E+00	1.4E-03	7.2E-01	1.7E+00	6.71	0.26
Selenium	4.4E-03	3.6E-05	8.5E-03	1.3E-02	0.291	0.04
Silver	1.3E-03	1.9E-06	1.3E-02	1.4E-02	2.02	0.007
Thallium	7.5E-04	7.2E-07	2.4E-03	3.1E-03	NA	NA
Vanadium	5.5E-01	1.6E-05	5.3E-02	6.0E-01	0.344	1.7
Zinc	4.1E+00	1.5E-04	6.0E+00	1.0E+01	66.1	0.15
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.001	2.6E-04	1.2E-02	1.4E-02	2	0.007
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.004	2.1E-04	4.7E-02	5.2E-02	--	--
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	2.0E-05	1.5E-05	2.2E-04	2.5E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	5.2E-05	1.9E-05	5.5E-04	6.3E-04	--	--
Benzoic acid	1.3E-03	2.1E-05	1.4E-02	1.5E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	1.3E-04	7.2E-05	1.4E-03	1.6E-03	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	2.3E-03	6.8E-05	2.5E-02	2.7E-02	1.11	0.02
Dibenzofuran	1.1E-04	1.7E-05	1.1E-03	1.3E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	1.5E-03	2.1E-05	1.6E-02	1.7E-02	--	--
Dimethylphthalate	1.7E-03	1.9E-05	1.8E-02	2.0E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	1.4E-05	2.3E-05	1.5E-04	1.8E-04	0.56	0.0003
Pentachlorophenol	4.0E-04	9.0E-05	4.3E-03	4.8E-03	6.73	0.001
Phenol	4.9E-05	1.9E-05	5.2E-04	5.9E-04	6	0.0001

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.

**Table 4-18 Tundra Vole Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	3.3E-07	--	1.4E-05	1.4E-05	0.14	1.0E-04
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	9.9E+01	2.5E-02	2.4E-02	9.9E+01	0.059	1681
Arsenic	4.2E+01	1.4E-01	2.7E-02	4.2E+01	1.04	41
Barium	7.3E+00	1.4E-02	1.2E+01	2.0E+01	51.8	0.38
Beryllium	5.5E-03	1.2E-06	5.4E-04	6.1E-03	0.532	0.01
Cadmium	5.5E-03	1.1E-06	2.2E-01	2.2E-01	0.77	0.29
Chromium	4.3E-01	7.6E-05	3.6E-02	4.7E-01	9.24	0.05
Cobalt	1.7E-01	7.1E-04	1.8E-02	1.8E-01	7.33	0.025
Copper	5.9E-01	9.5E-05	1.1E+00	1.7E+00	5.6	0.3
Lead	1.3E+01	1.1E-05	1.2E-02	1.3E+01	4.7	2.8
Manganese	1.8E+01	5.1E-02	2.9E+02	3.1E+02	51.5	6.1
Mercury	6.9E+00	5.2E-05	6.1E-03	6.9E+00	13.2	0.52
Methylmercury	--	8.3E-08	3.6E-04	3.6E-04	0.032	0.011
Nickel	4.1E-01	2.6E-03	1.2E+00	1.6E+00	1.7	0.95
Selenium	1.8E-03	6.7E-05	1.4E-02	1.5E-02	0.143	0.11
Silver	5.2E-04	3.5E-06	7.2E-04	1.3E-03	6.02	0.00
Thallium	3.0E-04	1.3E-06	1.1E-03	1.4E-03	0.0074	0.19
Vanadium	2.2E-01	2.9E-05	5.4E-03	2.3E-01	4.16	0.05
Zinc	1.6E+00	2.8E-04	7.7E+00	9.3E+00	75.4	0.12
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	4.6E-04	4.8E-04	2.0E-02	2.1E-02	0.615	0.03
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	1.8E-03	3.8E-04	7.5E-02	7.8E-02	65.6	0.001
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	8.1E-06	2.8E-05	3.4E-04	3.8E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	2.1E-05	3.5E-05	8.9E-04	9.4E-04	219	4.3E-06
Benzoic acid	5.1E-04	4.0E-05	2.2E-02	2.2E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	5.1E-05	1.3E-04	2.2E-03	2.4E-03	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	9.4E-04	1.3E-04	4.0E-02	4.1E-02	18.33	0.002
Dibenzofuran	4.3E-05	3.2E-05	1.8E-03	1.9E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	6.0E-04	3.9E-05	2.5E-02	2.6E-02	4583	5.7E-06
Dimethylphthalate	6.8E-04	3.6E-05	2.9E-02	3.0E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	5.5E-06	4.2E-05	2.4E-04	2.8E-04	0.014	0.020
Pentachlorophenol	1.6E-04	1.7E-04	6.9E-03	7.2E-03	8.42	0.001
Phenol	2.0E-05	3.5E-05	8.3E-04	8.9E-04	523	1.7E-06

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

MDL = method detection limit

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.

**Table 4-19 Northern Shrike Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	0.0E+00	--	1.7E-05	1.7E-05	0.18	9.2E-05
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	0.0E+00	2.7E-02	1.4E-03	2.8E-02	--	--
Arsenic	0.0E+00	1.5E-01	3.1E+00	3.3E+00	2.24	1.45
Barium	0.0E+00	1.5E-02	1.1E-01	1.2E-01	20.8	0.01
Beryllium	0.0E+00	1.3E-06	3.2E-05	3.3E-05	--	--
Cadmium	0.0E+00	1.2E-06	6.8E-02	6.8E-02	1.47	0.05
Chromium	0.0E+00	8.3E-05	1.5E+00	1.5E+00	2.66	0.5
Cobalt	0.0E+00	7.7E-04	2.9E-01	2.9E-01	7.61	0.038
Copper	0.0E+00	1.0E-04	3.3E+00	3.3E+00	4.05	0.8
Lead	0.0E+00	1.1E-05	8.0E+00	8.0E+00	1.63	4.9
Manganese	0.0E+00	5.5E-02	1.8E+01	1.8E+01	179	0.10
Mercury	0.0E+00	5.6E-05	9.0E-02	9.0E-02	0.45	0.20
Methylmercury	--	9.0E-08	1.3E-03	1.3E-03	0.068	0.02
Nickel	0.0E+00	2.8E-03	1.4E+00	1.4E+00	6.71	0.21
Selenium	0.0E+00	7.2E-05	1.0E-01	1.0E-01	0.291	0.35
Silver	0.0E+00	3.8E-06	1.0E-04	1.1E-04	2.02	0.0001
Thallium	0.0E+00	1.4E-06	1.7E-03	1.7E-03	--	--
Vanadium	0.0E+00	3.2E-05	1.4E-01	1.4E-01	0.344	0.39
Zinc	0.0E+00	3.0E-04	2.5E+01	2.5E+01	66.1	0.38
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.0E+00	5.2E-04	0.0E+00	5.2E-04	2	0.0003
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.0E+00	4.2E-04	0.0E+00	4.2E-04	--	--
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	0.0E+00	3.0E-05	4.0E-04	4.3E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	0.0E+00	3.8E-05	1.0E-03	1.1E-03	--	--
Benzoic acid	0.0E+00	4.3E-05	2.5E-02	2.5E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	0.0E+00	1.4E-04	2.5E-03	2.7E-03	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.0E+00	1.4E-04	4.7E-02	4.7E-02	1.11	0.04
Dibenzofuran	0.0E+00	3.5E-05	2.1E-03	2.2E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	0.0E+00	4.2E-05	3.0E-02	3.0E-02	--	--
Dimethylphthalate	0.0E+00	3.8E-05	3.4E-02	3.4E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	0.0E+00	4.6E-05	2.8E-04	3.2E-04	0.56	0.0006
Pentachlorophenol	0.0E+00	1.8E-04	8.1E-03	8.2E-03	6.73	0.001
Phenol	0.0E+00	3.8E-05	9.7E-04	1.0E-03	6	0.0002

Key:

-- = not available.

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

MDL = method detection limit

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

mg/kg = Milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = Milligrams per kilogram per day

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a = Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.

**Table 4-20 Least Weasel Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ- NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls</b>						
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	0.0E+00	--	9.6E-06	9.6E-06	0.14	6.9E-05
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	0.0E+00	2.5E-02	8.1E-04	2.6E-02	0.059	0.44
Arsenic	0.0E+00	1.4E-01	1.8E+00	1.9E+00	1.04	1.9
Barium	0.0E+00	1.4E-02	6.3E-02	7.7E-02	51.8	0.0015
Beryllium	0.0E+00	1.2E-06	1.8E-05	2.0E-05	0.532	3.7E-05
Cadmium	0.0E+00	1.1E-06	4.0E-02	4.0E-02	0.77	0.051
Chromium	0.0E+00	7.7E-05	8.5E-01	8.5E-01	9.24	0.091
Cobalt	0.0E+00	7.2E-04	1.7E-01	1.7E-01	7.33	0.023
Copper	0.0E+00	9.6E-05	1.9E+00	1.9E+00	5.6	0.3
Lead	0.0E+00	1.1E-05	4.6E+00	4.6E+00	4.7	1.0
Manganese	0.0E+00	5.2E-02	1.1E+01	1.1E+01	51.5	0.21
Mercury	0.0E+00	5.2E-05	5.2E-02	5.2E-02	13.2	0.004
Methylmercury	--	8.4E-08	7.4E-04	7.4E-04	0.032	0.02
Nickel	0.0E+00	2.6E-03	8.1E-01	8.1E-01	1.7	0.5
Selenium	0.0E+00	6.8E-05	5.9E-02	5.9E-02	0.143	0.41
Silver	0.0E+00	3.5E-06	6.1E-05	6.4E-05	6.02	1.1E-05
Thallium	0.0E+00	1.4E-06	9.8E-04	9.8E-04	0.0074	0.13
Vanadium	0.0E+00	3.0E-05	7.9E-02	7.9E-02	4.16	0.02
Zinc	0.0E+00	2.9E-04	1.5E+01	1.5E+01	75.4	0.20
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.0E+00	4.9E-04	0.0E+00	4.9E-04	0.615	0.0008
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.0E+00	3.9E-04	0.0E+00	3.9E-04	65.6	5.9E-06
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	0.0E+00	2.9E-05	2.3E-04	2.6E-04	--	--
4-Methylphenol	0.0E+00	3.5E-05	6.0E-04	6.4E-04	219	2.9E-06
Benzoic acid	0.0E+00	4.0E-05	1.5E-02	1.5E-02	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	0.0E+00	1.4E-04	1.5E-03	1.6E-03	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.0E+00	1.3E-04	2.7E-02	2.7E-02	18.33	0.001
Dibenzofuran	0.0E+00	3.3E-05	1.2E-03	1.3E-03	--	--
Diethylphthalate	0.0E+00	3.9E-05	1.7E-02	1.7E-02	4583	3.8E-06
Dimethylphthalate	0.0E+00	3.6E-05	2.0E-02	2.0E-02	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	0.0E+00	4.3E-05	1.6E-04	2.0E-04	0.014	0.014
Pentachlorophenol	0.0E+00	1.7E-04	4.7E-03	4.8E-03	8.42	0.001
Phenol	0.0E+00	3.5E-05	5.7E-04	6.0E-04	523	1.2E-06

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

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EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LOAEL = lowest observed adverse effect level

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

MDL = method detection limit

NDs = not detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

Note:

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors and SVOCs detected in surface soil or surface water are listed.

**Table 4-21 Common Snipe Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	8.8E+01	2.2E-02	8.7E+00	9.6E+01	--	--
Arsenic	1.8E+03	1.2E-01	5.1E+01	1.8E+03	2.24	823
Barium	2.7E+01	1.2E-02	2.7E+00	3.0E+01	20.8	1.4
Beryllium	1.2E-03	1.1E-06	5.1E-03	6.3E-03	--	--
Cadmium	9.1E-03	9.7E-07	6.7E-02	7.6E-02	1.47	0.05
Chromium	6.5E-01	6.9E-05	1.8E-01	8.3E-01	2.66	0.31
Cobalt	6.9E-01	6.4E-04	6.5E+00	7.2E+00	7.61	0.94
Copper	1.2E+00	8.6E-05	5.0E+00	6.2E+00	4.05	1.5
Lead	2.0E-01	9.5E-06	6.2E-02	2.7E-01	1.63	0.16
Manganese	7.5E+01	4.6E-02	2.1E+01	9.5E+01	179	0.5
Mercury	1.6E+00	4.6E-05	9.6E-01	2.6E+00	0.45	5.8
Methylmercury	2.0E-04	7.5E-08	5.3E-02	5.3E-02	0.068	0.78
Nickel	3.3E+00	2.3E-03	5.7E-01	3.9E+00	6.71	0.58
Selenium	2.9E-02	6.0E-05	1.6E+00	1.7E+00	0.291	5.72
Silver	5.7E-03	3.1E-06	5.3E-02	5.9E-02	2.02	0.03
Thallium	9.0E-03	1.2E-06	8.4E-02	9.3E-02	--	--
Vanadium	6.7E-01	2.7E-05	1.9E-01	8.6E-01	0.344	2.50
Zinc	1.8E+00	2.5E-04	1.8E+01	2.0E+01	66.1	0.30
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	1.2E-04	4.3E-04	1.1E-03	1.6E-03	2	0.0008
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	9.7E-05	3.5E-04	9.1E-04	1.3E-03	--	--
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
Benzyl Alcohol	4.3E-05	1.2E-04	4.0E-04	5.6E-04	--	--
Diethyl Phthalate	2.3E-05	3.5E-05	2.2E-04	2.8E-04	--	--
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	1.2E-04	3.3E-05	1.2E-03	1.3E-03	0.11	0.0120
Pentachlorophenol	3.0E-04	1.5E-04	2.8E-03	3.3E-03	6.73	0.0005
Phenol	5.7E-05	3.1E-05	5.3E-04	6.2E-04	6	0.0001

Key:

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NA = Not available

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

Note:

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). PAHs and SVOCs detected in sediment are listed.

**Table 4-22 Beaver Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	Surface Soil EPC <sup>b</sup>	Surface Water EPC (µg/L)	EE-soil (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>								
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)	0.078	--	1.2E-08	--	5.9E-07	6.0E-07	0.14	4.3E-06
<b>Metals</b>								
Antimony	23300	184	3.5E+00	1.3E-02	2.5E-02	3.6E+00	0.059	60
Arsenic	9880	1,030	1.5E+00	7.4E-02	6.9E-03	1.6E+00	1.04	1.5
Barium	1710	103	2.6E-01	7.4E-03	1.5E+00	1.8E+00	51.8	0.03
Beryllium	1.3	0.009	2.0E-04	6.5E-07	1.1E-04	3.1E-04	0.532	0.001
Cadmium	1.3	0.008	2.0E-04	5.7E-07	9.8E-04	1.2E-03	0.77	0.002
Chromium	101	0.57	1.5E-02	4.1E-05	1.1E-02	2.6E-02	9.24	0.003
Cobalt	38.8	5.3	5.9E-03	3.8E-04	4.0E-03	1.0E-02	7.33	0.001
Copper	139	0.71	2.1E-02	5.1E-05	5.0E-02	7.1E-02	5.6	0.013
Lead	3090	0.079	4.7E-01	5.7E-06	8.6E-04	4.7E-01	4.7	0.099
Manganese	4230	379	6.4E-01	2.7E-02	8.7E+00	9.3E+00	51.5	0.18
Mercury	1620	0.385	2.4E-01	2.8E-05	2.2E-03	2.5E-01	13.2	0.019
Methylmercury	--	0.00062	--	4.5E-08	1.5E-05	1.5E-05	0.032	0.0005
Nickel	97	19.2	1.5E-02	1.4E-03	3.2E-02	4.8E-02	1.7	0.028
Selenium	0.42	0.5	6.3E-05	3.6E-05	1.7E-03	1.8E-03	0.143	0.012
Silver	0.123	0.026	1.9E-05	1.9E-06	1.5E-03	1.5E-03	6.02	0.0002
Thallium	0.071	0.01	1.1E-05	7.2E-07	2.3E-04	2.4E-04	0.0074	0.032
Vanadium	51.9	0.22	7.8E-03	1.6E-05	5.3E-04	8.4E-03	4.16	0.002
Zinc	386	2.1	5.8E-02	1.5E-04	8.2E-01	8.8E-01	75.4	0.012
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>								
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	109	3.6	1.6E-02	2.6E-04	8.2E-04	1.7E-02	0.615	0.028
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	417	2.9	6.3E-02	2.1E-04	3.2E-03	6.6E-02	65.6	0.0010
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>								
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	1.9	0.21	2.9E-07	1.5E-05	1.4E-05	3.0E-05	--	--
4-Methylphenol	4.9	0.26	7.4E-07	1.9E-05	3.7E-05	5.7E-05	219	2.6E-07
Benzoic acid	120	0.30	1.8E-05	2.1E-05	9.1E-04	9.5E-04	--	--
Benzyl alcohol	12	1.0	1.8E-06	7.2E-05	9.1E-05	1.6E-04	--	--
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	220	0.95	3.3E-05	6.8E-05	1.7E-03	1.8E-03	18.33	0.0001
Dibenzofuran	10	0.24	1.5E-06	1.7E-05	7.6E-05	9.5E-05	--	--
Diethylphthalate	140	0.29	2.1E-05	2.1E-05	1.1E-03	1.1E-03	4583	2.4E-07
Dimethylphthalate	160	0.27	2.4E-05	1.9E-05	1.2E-03	1.3E-03	--	--
Hexachlorobenzene	1.3	0.32	2.0E-07	2.3E-05	9.9E-06	3.3E-05	0.014	0.002
Pentachlorophenol	38	1.25	5.7E-06	9.0E-05	2.9E-04	3.8E-04	8.42	0.000
Phenol	4.6	0.26	6.9E-07	1.9E-05	3.5E-05	5.4E-05	523	1.0E-07

**Key:**

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-soil = estimated chemical exposure from incidental soil ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1

**Note:**

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil/sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). Aroclors, PAHs, and SVOCs detected in surface soil are listed.

**Table 4-23 Green Winged Teal Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	4.5E+00	1.6E-02	1.6E+01	2.1E+01	--	--
Arsenic	3.1E+01	8.7E-02	5.1E+01	8.2E+01	2.24	37
Barium	4.5E-01	8.7E-03	6.0E+00	6.5E+00	20.8	0.31
Beryllium	2.5E-03	7.6E-07	9.9E-04	3.5E-03	--	--
Cadmium	1.9E-04	6.8E-07	3.6E-02	3.7E-02	1.47	0.02
Chromium	5.9E-02	4.8E-05	9.9E-02	1.6E-01	2.66	0.06
Cobalt	5.7E-02	4.5E-04	1.5E-01	2.0E-01	7.61	0.03
Copper	2.3E-01	6.0E-05	1.6E+00	1.8E+00	4.05	0.4
Lead	6.2E-01	6.7E-06	2.0E-01	8.1E-01	1.63	0.50
Manganese	3.4E+00	3.2E-02	3.3E+01	3.6E+01	179	0.2
Mercury	4.0E-01	3.2E-05	8.7E-01	1.3E+00	0.45	2.8
Methylmercury	0.0E+00	5.2E-08	1.1E-03	1.1E-03	0.068	0.02
Nickel	1.8E-01	1.6E-03	5.3E-01	7.1E-01	6.71	0.11
Selenium	5.5E-03	4.2E-05	1.3E-01	1.4E-01	0.291	0.48
Silver	3.8E-04	2.2E-06	6.6E-04	1.0E-03	2.02	0.001
Thallium	2.3E-03	8.4E-07	1.4E-02	1.6E-02	--	--
Vanadium	7.9E-02	1.9E-05	4.8E-02	1.3E-01	0.344	0.37
Zinc	3.5E-01	1.8E-04	9.2E+00	9.6E+00	66.1	0.14
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	6.9E-04	4.2E-05	3.6E-02	3.7E-02	1.1	0.03

**Key:**

-- = Not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated exposure from incidental sediment (i.e., dry surface soil) ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

HQ = hazard quotient

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

SVOC = semivolatile organic compound

Grey shading = HQ > 1

**Note:**

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil/sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). SVOCs detected in settling pond surface soil (i.e., dry sediment) are listed.



**Table 4-24 Belted Kingfisher Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	0.00	0.02	19.31	19.33	--	--
Arsenic	0.00	0.11	12.21	12.32	2.24	5.5
Barium	0.00	0.01	2.74	2.75	20.8	0.13
Beryllium	0.00	9.7E-07	0.01	0.01	--	--
Cadmium	0.00	8.6E-07	0.05	0.05	1.47	0.04
Chromium	0.00	6.2E-05	1.23	1.23	2.66	0.46
Cobalt	0.00	5.7E-04	8.11	8.11	7.61	1.07
Copper	0.00	7.7E-05	1.15	1.15	4.05	0.3
Lead	0.00	8.5E-06	0.04	0.04	1.63	0.02
Manganese	0.00	0.041	10.79	10.83	179	0.1
Mercury	0.00	4.2E-05	1.88	1.88	0.45	4.2
Methylmercury	0.00	6.7E-08	0.16	0.16	0.068	2.3
Nickel	0.00	2.1E-03	0.13	0.14	6.71	0.02
Selenium	0.00	5.4E-05	1.51	1.51	0.291	5.2
Silver	0.00	2.8E-06	0.07	0.07	2.02	0.03
Thallium	0.00	1.1E-06	0.10	0.10	--	--
Vanadium	0.00	2.4E-05	0.20	0.20	0.344	0.59
Zinc	0.00	2.3E-04	17.94	17.94	66.1	0.27
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.00	3.9E-04	1.4E-03	1.8E-03	2	0.0009
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.00	3.1E-04	1.1E-03	1.4E-03	--	--
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
Benzyl Alcohol	0.00	1.1E-04	5.0E-04	5.0E-04	--	--
Diethyl Phthalate	0.00	3.1E-05	2.8E-04	2.8E-04	--	--
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	0.00	2.9E-05	1.5E-03	1.5E-03	0.11	1.3E-02
Pentachlorophenol	0.00	1.4E-04	3.6E-03	3.6E-03	6.73	5.3E-04
Phenol	0.00	2.8E-05	6.6E-04	6.6E-04	6	1.1E-04

**Key:**

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NDs = non detects

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

**Note:**

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003). PAHs and SVOCs detected in sediment are listed.

**Table 4-25 Mink Screening-Level Exposure Estimates and Hazard Quotients, Red Devil Mine Site SLERA**

Analyte <sup>a</sup>	EE-sediment (mg/kg/d)	EE-water (mg/kg/d)	EE-diet (mg/kg/d)	EE-total (mg/kg/d)	NOAEL (mg/kg/d)	HQ-NOAEL
<b>Metals</b>						
Antimony	0.00	1.8E-02	5.22	5.24	0.059	89
Arsenic	0.00	1.0E-01	3.30	3.40	1.04	3.3
Barium	0.00	1.0E-02	0.74	0.75	51.8	0.014
Beryllium	0.00	8.9E-07	0.002	0.002	0.532	0.003
Cadmium	0.00	7.9E-07	0.014	0.014	0.77	0.018
Chromium	0.00	5.6E-05	0.33	0.33	9.24	0.036
Cobalt	0.00	5.2E-04	2.19	2.19	7.33	0.30
Copper	0.00	7.0E-05	0.31	0.31	5.6	0.055
Lead	0.00	7.8E-06	0.011	0.011	4.7	0.002
Manganese	0.00	3.8E-02	2.92	2.96	51.5	0.057
Mercury	0.00	3.8E-05	0.51	0.51	13.2	0.038
Methylmercury	0.00	6.1E-08	0.043	0.043	0.032	1.3
Nickel	0.00	1.9E-03	0.036	0.038	1.7	0.02
Selenium	0.00	5.0E-05	0.41	0.41	0.143	2.9
Silver	0.00	2.6E-06	0.018	0.018	6.02	0.00
Thallium	0.00	9.9E-07	0.028	0.028	0.0074	3.8
Vanadium	0.00	2.2E-05	0.05	0.055	4.16	0.013
Zinc	0.00	2.1E-04	4.85	4.85	75.4	0.064
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>						
HPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.00	3.5E-04	3.7E-04	3.7E-04	0.615	0.0006
LPAH sum (NDs = 0.5 MDL)	0.00	2.8E-04	3.1E-04	3.1E-04	65.6	4.7E-06
<b>Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>						
Benzyl Alcohol	0.00	9.9E-05	1.4E-04	1.4E-04	--	--
Diethyl Phthalate	0.00	2.9E-05	7.5E-05	7.5E-05	4583	1.6E-08
Di-n-butyl Phthalate	0.00	2.7E-05	3.9E-04	3.9E-04	550	7.2E-07
Pentachlorophenol	0.00	1.2E-04	9.6E-04	9.6E-04	8.42	1.1E-04
Phenol	0.00	2.6E-05	1.8E-04	1.8E-04	523	3.4E-07

**Key:**

-- = not available

EE-diet = estimated chemical exposure from diet

EE-sediment = estimated chemical exposure from incidental sediment ingestion

EE-total = total chemical exposure

EE-water = estimated chemical exposure from surface water consumption

EPC = exposure point concentration

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

MDL = method detection limit

mg/kg = milligrams per kilogram

mg/kg/day = milligrams per kilogram per day

NOAEL = no observed adverse effect level

SLERA = screening level ecological risk assessment

Grey shading = HQ > 1.0

**Note:**

a. Essential nutrients (calcium, iron, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per USEPA guidance (USEPA 1989, 2003). PAHs and SVOCs detected in sediment are listed.

Table 4-26 Summary of Chemical and Endpoint Combinations to be Evaluated in the Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment, Red Devil Mine Site

Analyte <sup>b</sup>	Assessment Endpoint and Maximum HQ <sup>a</sup>															
	Plants <sup>c</sup>	Soil Fauna <sup>d</sup>	Fish and Other Aquatic Biota <sup>e</sup>	Fish <sup>f</sup>	Benthos <sup>g</sup>	Terrestrial Wildlife <sup>h</sup>					Aquatic-Dependent Wildlife <sup>i</sup>					
						Robin	Shrew	Grouse	Vole	Shrike	Weasel	Snipe	Beaver	Teal	Kingfisher	Mink
<b>Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)</b>																
Sum of Aroclors (NDs = 0.5MDL)		x														
<b>Metals</b>																
Antimony	x	299	6.1	x	2,193	x	136,370	x	1,681	x		x	60	x	x	89
Arsenic	549	x	6.9	14	13,265	28	214	47	41	1.5	1.9	823	1.5	37	5.5	3.3
Barium	x	5.2	26	x	x	2.0	1.6	1.3				1.4				
Beryllium	x				x	x		x				x		x		
Cadmium						1.7	4.4									
Chromium	1.3	x		3.5	1.1	2.9	1.3									
Cobalt	3.0	x			1.0										1.1	
Copper	2.0	1.7			2.8	4.4	4.6					1.5				
Iron			2.5		16											
Lead	26	1.8				83	48	20	2.8	4.9	1.0					
Manganese	19	9.4	3.2	x	12		2.3	2.1	6.1							
Mercury	5,400	16,200	32	8	661	9.5	2.1	39				5.8		2.8	4.2	
Methylmercury				1	x										2.3	1.3
Nickel	2.6				11	3.7	21									
Selenium				2.7			1.2					5.7			5.2	2.9
Silver		x														
Thallium		x			x	x	3.3	x		x		x		x	x	3.8
Vanadium	26	x			x	1.9	1.7					2.5				
Zinc	2.4	3.2		1.3	1.1	2.2	2.7									
<b>Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)</b>																
HPAH sum																
LPAH sum						x		x		x		x			x	
<b>Other Semivolatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)</b>																
4-Bromophenyl phenyl ether	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
4-Methylphenol	x	x				x		x		x						
Benzoic acid	x	x				x	x	x	x	x			x			
Benzyl Alcohol	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x
Bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	x	x														
Dibenzofuran						x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Diethylphthalate		x				x		x		x		x			x	
Dimethylphthalate	x					x	x	x	x	x	x		x			
Di-n-butyl Phthalate																
Hexachlorobenzene	x															
Pentachlorophenol																
Phenol																

Key:

BERA = Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment

HPAH = high molecular weight PAH

HQ = hazard quotient

LPAH = low molecular weight PAH

TRV = toxicity reference value

Value (with or without shading) = HQ equal to or greater than 1. Chemical and receptor combination will be evaluated quantitatively in the BERA.

x = chemical detected in site samples but no screening level or TRV is available. Chemical will be evaluated qualitatively in the BERA.

Notes:

a. For plants, soil fauna, fish and other aquatic biota, fish (only), and benthos, shading indicates the percentage of site samples that exceed the screening level (SL):

Value	= > 75%
Value	= 50 - 75%
Value	= 25 - 50%
Value	= < 25%

For wildlife, the value of the maximum HQ (exposure estimate / TRV) is shown without shading because wildlife HQs were not calculated sample-by-sample.

b. Essential nutrients (calcium, magnesium, sodium, and potassium) and major soil /sediment constituents (aluminum) were excluded from the evaluation as per EPA guidance (EPA 1989, 2003a). Organic chemicals detected in surface soil, sediment, or surface water are listed.

c. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on plants (see Table 4-1).

d. Based on comparing maximum soil chemical concentrations with soil screening levels for effects on earthworms (see Table 4-1).

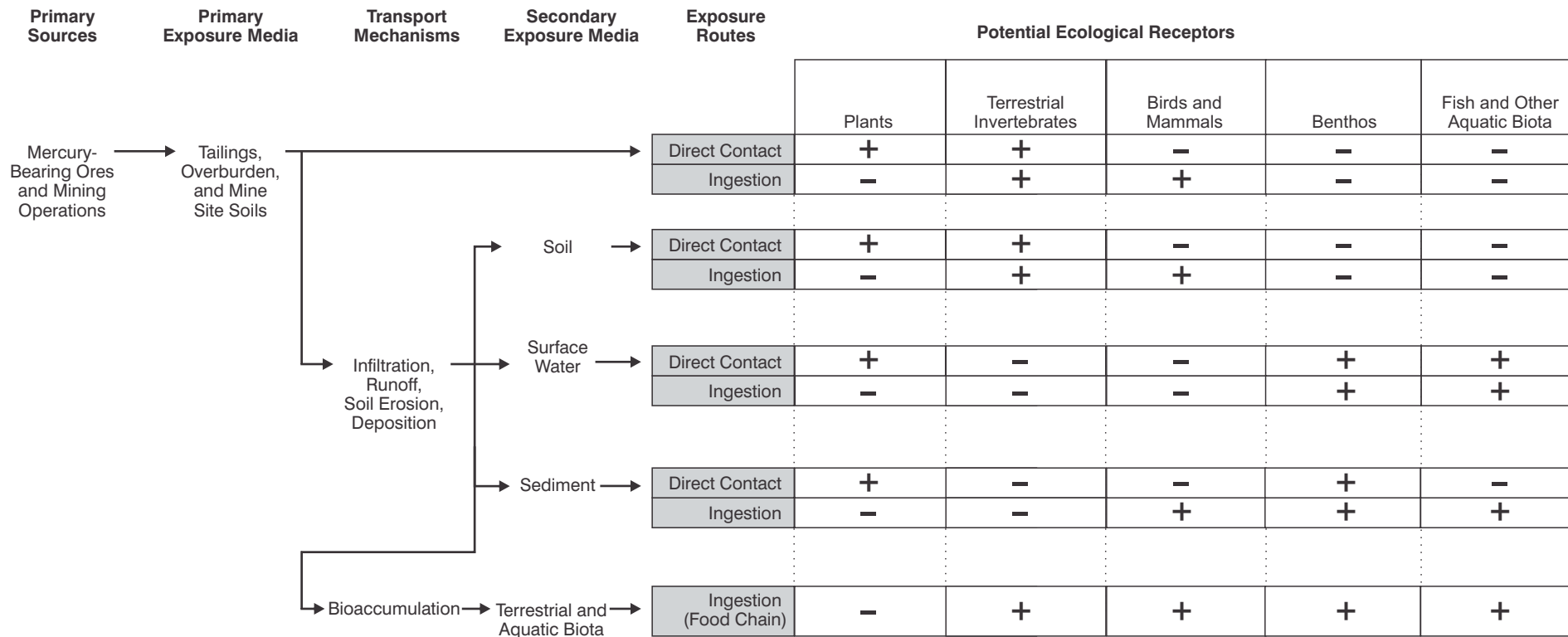
e. Based on comparing maximum surface water chemical concentrations with surface water criteria and standards for effects on fish and other aquatic biota (see Table 4-3).

f. Based on comparing maximum whole-body scuplin chemical concentrations with fish tissue screening concentrations (see Table 4-3b).

g. Based on comparing maximum sediment chemical concentrations with sediment screening levels for effects on benthic macroinvertebrates (see Table 4-2).

h. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and hazard quotients for the American robin (Table 4-15), masked shrew (Table 4-16), spruce grouse (Table 4-17), tundra vole (Table 4-18), northern shrike (Table 4-19), and least weasel (Table 4-20).

i. Based on screening-level exposure estimates and HQs for the common snipe (Table 4-21), beaver (Table 4-22), green-winged teal (Table 4-23), belted kingfisher (Table 4-24), and mink (Table 4-25).





# Exposure Point Concentrations for Selected Media for the Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment

This appendix presents a summary of the ProUCL Version 4.1 (EPA 2010d) output generated during calculation of exposure point concentrations for surface soil, sediment, surface water, vegetation, and fish.

## Reference

United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). 2010d. ProUCL Version 4.1.00 Technical Guide (Draft). EPA/600/R-07/041. May.

**Table G-1 Summary of ProUCL 4.1 Output Regarding Surface Soil Exposure Point Concentraions (EPCs) for the RDM Site BERA.**

Data Set	Analyte	Units	Number of Observations <sup>a</sup>	Number of Detections	Mean of Detected	SD of Detected	Maximum Detected	Distribution (detects only)	UCL Statistic	95% UCL	EPC	EPC Source
Surface Soil	Antimony	mg/kg	127	105	3,044	4,713	23,300	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	4,234	4,234	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Arsenic	mg/kg	127	116	2,300	2,372	9,880	Not Discernable	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	3,596	3,596	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Barium	mg/kg	127	127	335.5	265.7	1,710	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	438.3	438.3	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Beryllium	mg/kg	127	124	0.708	0.225	1.3	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.734	0.734	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Cadmium	mg/kg	127	38	0.541	0.275	1.3	Lognormal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.321	0.321	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Chromium	mg/kg	127	127	27.42	11.44	101	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	29.1	29.1	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Colalt	mg/kg	127	127	17.28	5.821	38.8	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	18.13	18.13	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Copper	mg/kg	127	127	58.84	26.35	139	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	69.03	69.03	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Lead	mg/kg	127	118	48.85	284.4	3090	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	96.56	96.56	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Lead - 1*	mg/kg	126	117	22.86	34.04	220	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	27.58	27.58	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Manganese	mg/kg	127	127	696.6	408.2	4230	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	756.6	756.6	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Manganese - 1*	mg/kg	126	126	668.5	259.3	1,500	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	706.8	706.8	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Mercury	mg/kg	127	127	196.6	296.1	1,620	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL	251.6	251.6	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Nickel	mg/kg	127	127	49.99	16.3	97	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	52.39	52.39	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Selenium	mg/kg	127	2	0.33	0.127	0.42	Not Discernable	95% KM (% Bootstrap) UCL	0.42	0.42	Max Detect
Surface Soil	Silver	mg/kg	127	2	0.0955	0.039	0.12	Not Discernable	--	--	0.12	Max Detect
Surface Soil	Thallium	mg/kg	127	2	0.068	0.00424	0.071	Not Discernable	95% KM (% Bootstrap) UCL	0.071	0.071	Max Detect
Surface Soil	Vanadium	mg/kg	127	127	33.9	6.189	51.9	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	34.82	34.82	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Zinc	mg/kg	127	127	104.9	38.65	386	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	110.6	110.6	95% UCL
Surface Soil	Zinc - 1*	mg/kg	126	126	102.6	29.47	209	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	107	107	95% UCL

Key:

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**Table G-2 Summary of ProUCL 4.1 Output Regarding Sediment (Full Dataset<sup>a</sup>) Exposure Point Concentraions (EPCs) for the RDM Site BERA.**

Data Set	Analyte	Units	Number of Observations <sup>b</sup>	Number of Detections	Mean of Detected	SD of Detected	Maximum Detected	Distribution (detects only)	UCL Statistic	95% UCL	EPC	EPC Source
Sediment	Antimony	mg/kg	42	37	836	1,452	6,360	Lognormal	99% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	2,871	2,871	95% UCL
Sediment	Arsenic	mg/kg	42	42	3,709	19,986	130,000	Not Discernable	97.5% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	22,968	22,968	95% UCL
Sediment	Barium	mg/kg	42	42	254.1	327.1	1,990	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	474.1	474.1	95% UCL
Sediment	Beryllium	mg/kg	42	42	0.624	1.028	7	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	1.316	1.316	95% UCL
Sediment	Chromium	mg/kg	42	41	20.43	8.347	47.4	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	22.56	22.56	95% UCL
Sediment	Cobalt	mg/kg	42	42	12.7	7.446	50	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	17.71	17.71	95% UCL
Sediment	Copper	mg/kg	42	42	30.14	16.42	87.5	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	41.19	41.19	95% UCL
Sediment	Iron	mg/kg	42	42	39,129	48,829	344,000	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	51,808	51,808	95% UCL
Sediment	Manganese	mg/kg	42	42	1,071	855.7	5,410	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	1,256	1,256	95% UCL
Sediment	Mercury	mg/kg	42	42	23.11	30.63	119	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL	36.1	36.1	95% UCL
Sediment	Methyl Mercury	µg/kg	30	29	1.375	2.82	14.4	Lognormal	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	4.505	4.505	95% UCL
Sediment	Nickel	mg/kg	42	42	39.77	34.98	240	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	63.3	63.3	95% UCL
Sediment	Selenium	mg/kg	41	27	0.463	0.365	2.11	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.592	0.592	95% UCL
Sediment	Thallium	mg/kg	41	28	0.139	0.129	0.653	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.185	0.185	95% UCL
Sediment	Vanadium	mg/kg	42	42	25.41	8.178	48.5	Normal	Use 95% Student's-t UCL	27.53	27.53	95% UCL
Sediment	Zinc	mg/kg	42	42	79.37	24.56	132	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	95.89	95.89	95% UCL
Sediment	Antimony - YBS	mg/kg	41	36	815	1,467	6,360	Lognormal	99% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	2,893	2,893	95% UCL
Sediment	Arsenic - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	629	981	3,610	Lognormal	97.5% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	1,585	1,585	95% UCL
Sediment	Barium - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	211.7	180.3	985	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	334.5	334.5	95% UCL
Sediment	Beryllium - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	0.469	0.204	0.9	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	0.607	0.607	95% UCL
Sediment	Chromium - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	20.43	8.347	47.4	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	22.63	22.63	95% UCL
Sediment	Cobalt - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	11.79	4.605	22.3	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	13.01	13.01	95% UCL
Sediment	Copper - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	30.15	16.63	87.5	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	41.46	41.46	95% UCL
Sediment	Iron - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	31,693	7,973	55,600	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	33,795	33,795	95% UCL
Sediment	Manganese - YBS	mg/kg	42	42	1,071	855.7	5,410	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	1,256	1,256	95% UCL
Sediment	Mercury - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	23.46	30.92	119	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL	37.04	37.04	95% UCL
Sediment	Methyl Mercury - YBS	µg/kg	29	28	0.91	1.318	7.02	Gamma	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	1.938	1.938	95% UCL
Sediment	Nickel - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	34.89	15.08	67	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	45.15	45.15	95% UCL
Sediment	Selenium - YBS	mg/kg	41	27	0.463	0.365	2.11	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.588	0.588	95% UCL
Sediment	Thallium - YBS	mg/kg	41	28	0.139	0.129	0.653	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.183	0.183	95% UCL
Sediment	Vanadium - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	25.54	8.234	48.5	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	27.71	27.71	95% UCL
Sediment	Zinc - YBS	mg/kg	41	41	78.38	24	132	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	84.69	84.69	95% UCL

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YBS = yellow boy sample (refers to sediment sample 10RD05SD, which was a sample of iron oxyhydroxide precipitate from the spring in the Main Processing Area)

**Note:**

<sup>a</sup> See Human Health Risk Assessment (HHRA) tables for sediment EPCs based only on Red Devil Creek and near-shore Kuskokwim River sediment samples.

<sup>b</sup> Duplicate observations resolved per ADEC guidance.

**Table G-3 Summary of ProUCL 4.1 Output Regarding Unfiltered Surface Water Exposure Point Concentraions (EPCs) for the RDM Site BERA.**

Data Set	Analyte	Units	Number of Observations <sup>a</sup>	Number of Detections	Mean of Detected	SD of Detected	Maximum Detected	Distribution (detects only)	UCL Statistic	95% UCL	EPC	EPC Source
Surface Water	Antimony	ug/L	19	19	72.72	72.6	184	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	135.5	135.5	95% UCL
Surface Water	Arsenic	ug/L	19	19	138.1	294.9	1030	Not Discernable	99% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	811.3	811.3	95% UCL
Surface Water	Arsenic - 2*	ug/L	178	17	40.61	38.38	85.6	Not Discernable	99% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	133.2	85.6	Max Detect
Surface Water	Barium	ug/L	19	19	34.02	24.36	103	Not Discernable	95% Student's-t UCL	43.71	43.71	95% UCL
Surface Water	Barium - 2*	ug/L	17	17	25.96	3.519	32.1	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	27.45	27.45	95% UCL
Surface Water	Beryllium	ug/L	19	1	0.009	--	0.009	Insufficient Data	Insufficient Data	--	0.009	Max Detect
Surface Water	Cadmium	ug/L	19	3	0.00633	0.00153	0.008	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.00593	0.00593	95% UCL
Surface Water	Chromium	ug/L	19	11	0.325	0.135	0.57	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.306	0.306	95% UCL
Surface Water	Cobalt	ug/L	19	16	0.844	1.735	5.3	Not Discernable	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	3.039	3.039	95% UCL
Surface Water	Cobalt - 2*	ug/L	17	14	0.211	0.166	0.677	Gamma	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.248	0.248	95% UCL
Surface Water	Copper	ug/L	19	12	0.438	0.116	0.71	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.431	0.431	95% UCL
Surface Water	Iron	ug/L	19	19	507.6	817.4	2470	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	1325	1325	95% UCL
Surface Water	Iron - 2*	ug/L	17	17	299.6	560	2470	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	891.7	891.7	95% UCL
Surface Water	Lead	ug/L	19	11	0.0242	0.0195	0.079	Gamma	95% KM (t) UCL	0.0344	0.0344	95% UCL
Surface Water	Manganese	ug/L	19	19	61.93	108.6	379	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	170.6	170.6	95% UCL
Surface Water	Manganese - 2*	ug/L	17	17	26.1	17.3	86.4	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	33.2	33.2	95% UCL
Surface Water	Mercury	ng/L	18	18	128.6	132	385	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	242.5	242.5	95% UCL
Surface Water	Methylmercury	ng/L	18	18	0.162	0.147	0.62	Not Discernable	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	0.313	0.313	95% UCL
Surface Water	Methylmercury - 2*	ng/L	16	16	0.113	0.0246	0.144	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	0.125	0.125	95% UCL
Surface Water	Nickel	ug/L	19	16	3.05	5.917	19.2	Not Discernable	97.5% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	10.54	10.54	95% UCL
Surface Water	Nickel - 2*	ug/L	17	14	0.893	0.374	1.38	Not Discernable	95% KM (Chebyshev) UCL	1.222	1.222	95% UCL
Surface Water	Selenium	ug/L	19	8	0.425	0.0707	0.5	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.385	0.385	95% UCL
Surface Water	Thallium	ug/L	19	2	0.0085	0.00212	0.01	Not Discernable	95% KM (t) UCL	0.00753	0.00753	95% UCL
Surface Water	Vanadium	ug/L	19	11	0.142	0.0334	0.22	Normal	95% KM (t) UCL	0.137	0.137	95% UCL
Surface Water	Zinc	ug/L	19	8	0.763	0.715	2.1	Not Discernable	95% KM (t) UCL	0.727	0.727	95% UCL

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**Table G-4 Summary of ProUCL 4.1 Output Regarding Green Alder (GA) Bark and Spruce Needle Exposure Point Concentraions (EPCs) for the RDM Site BERA.**

Data Set	Analyte	Units	Number of Observations	Number of Detections	Mean of Detected	SD of Detected	Maximum Detected	Distribution (detects only)	UCL Statistic	UCL	EPC	EPC Source
GA Bark	Antimony	mg/kg	8	8	1.236	1.219	3.35	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	2.724	2.724	95% UCL
GA Bark	Arsenic	mg/kg	8	8	0.355	0.264	0.91	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	0.532	0.532	95% UCL
Spruce	Antimony	mg/kg	8	8	2.377	5.151	15.1	Lognormal	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	10.32	10.32	95% UCL
Spruce	Arsenic	mg/kg	8	8	1.728	3.796	11.1	Lognormal	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	7.577	7.577	95% UCL
Spruce	Barium	mg/kg	8	8	41.05	28.12	85.3	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	59.88	59.88	95% UCL
Spruce	Beryllium	mg/kg	8	2	0.008	0	0.008	Unknown	Insufficient Data	--	0.008	Max Detect
Spruce	Lead	mg/kg	8	8	0.102	0.151	0.466	Lognormal	95% Chebyshev (Mean, Sd) UCL	0.335	0.335	95% UCL
Spruce	Managanese	mg/kg	8	8	923	927.5	2990	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	1904	1904	95% UCL
Spruce	Mercury	mg/kg	8	8	0.959	1.923	5.64	Gamma	95% Adjusted Gamma UCL	5.694	5.64	Max Detect
Spruce	Thallium	mg/kg	8	2	0.013	0.0113	0.021	Not Discernable	95% KM (BCA) UCL	0.021	0.021	Max Detect
Spruce	Vanadium	mg/kg	8	8	0.113	0.157	0.47	Not Discernable	95% Hall's Bootstrap UCL	0.917	0.47	Max Detect

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**Table G-5 Summary of ProUCL 4.1 Output Regarding Whole-Body Slimy Sculpin Exposure Point Concentraions (EPCs) for the RDM Site BERA.**

Data Set	Analyte	Units	Number of Observations	Number of Detections	Mean	SD	Maximum	Distribution	UCL Statistic	95% UCL	EPC	EPC Source
Fish Tissue (Sculpin)	Antimony	mg/kg wet	21	21	10.6	10.18	38.1	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	17.06	17.06	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - June	Antimony	mg/kg wet	9	9	1.472	1.123	4.044	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	2.168	2.168	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - August	Antimony	mg/kg wet	12	12	17.45	8.253	38.1	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	21.73	21.73	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin)	Arsenic	mg/kg wet	21	21	8.823	6.841	24.06	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	11.4	11.4	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - June	Arsenic	mg/kg wet	9	9	2.457	1.12	4.493	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	3.151	3.151	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - August	Arsenic	mg/kg wet	12	12	13.6	5.115	24.06	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	16.25	16.25	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin)	Mercury	mg/kg wet	21	21	1.288	1.256	3.701	Gamma	95% Approximate Gamma UCL	2.14	2.14	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - June	Mercury	mg/kg wet	9	9	0.16	0.184	0.63	Lognormal	95% H-UCL	0.331	0.331	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - August	Mercury	mg/kg wet	12	12	2.134	1.012	3.701	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	2.659	2.659	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin)	Selenium	mg/kg wet	21	21	1.66	0.614	2.975	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	1.891	1.891	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - June	Selenium	mg/kg wet	9	9	1.076	0.204	1.43	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	1.202	1.202	95% UCL
Fish Tissue (Sculpin) - August	Selenium	mg/kg wet	12	12	2.099	0.406	2.975	Normal	95% Student's-t UCL	2.309	2.309	95% UCL

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