

APPENDIX I  
GROUNDWATER LABORATORY ANALYTICAL REPORTS

**APPENDIX J**

**STATE AND FEDERAL LISTED THREATENED AND ENDANGERED SPECIES**



*North Florida Field Office*

**Manatee County Federally Listed  
Species**

## MANATEE COUNTY

93 Total Elements Found

Last Updated: April 2005

### Fish

[EXPLANATION](#)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Global Rank	State Rank	Federal Status	State Status
<i>Microphis brachyurus</i>	Opossum Pipefish	G4G5	S2	SC	N
<i>Rivulus marmoratus</i>	Mangrove Rivulus	G3	S3	C	LS

### Amphibians

[EXPLANATION](#)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Global

<a href="#"><i>Crotalus adamanteus</i></a>		Eastern Diamondback Rattlesnake	G4	S3	N N
<a href="#"><i>Dermochelys coriacea</i></a>		Leatherback	G2	S2	LE LE
<a href="#"><i>Drymarchon couperi</i></a>					

<a href="#">Athene cunicularia floridana</a>			Florida Burrowing Owl	G4T3	S3	N	LS
--	--	--	-----------------------	------	----	---	----

<a href="#">Buteo brachyurus</a>		
----------------------------------	--	--

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--


<a href="#">Charadrius alexa</a> 5949 0.9059 rg 43.5 633.758
--

( ) Tj ET q 451.5

Falco p

<a href="#"><i>Falco sparverius paulus</i></a>	Southeastern American Kestrel	G5T4	S3	N	LT
<i>Fregata magnificens</i>	Magnificent Frigatebird	G5	S1	N	N

--

<a href="#">Rynchops niger</a>		Black Skimmer	G5	S3	N	LS
<a href="#">Sterna antillarum</a>						
		Caspian Tern	G5	S2	N	N
<a href="#">Sterna maxima</a>		Royal Tern	G5	S3	N	N
<a href="#">Sterna sandvicensis</a>		Sandwich Tern	G5	S2	N	N



Scientific Name	Common Name	Global Rank	State Rank	Federal Status	State Status
<i>Acrostichum aureum</i>					

## **FNAI STATE RANK DEFINITIONS**

**S1** = Critically imperiled in Florida because of extreme rarity (5 or fewer occurrences or less than 1000 individuals) or because of extreme vulnerability to extinction due to some natural or man-made factor.

**S2** = Imperiled in Florida because of rarity (6 to 20 occurrences or less than 3000 individuals) or because of vulnerability to extinction due to some natural or man-made factor.

**S3** = Either very rare and local in Florida (21-100 occurrences or less than 10,000 individuals) or found locally in a restricted range or vulnerable to extinction from other factors.

**S4** = Apparently secure in Florida (may be rare in parts of range).

**S5** = Demonstrably secure in Florida.

**SH** = Of historical occurrence in Florida, possibly extirpated, but may be rediscovered (e.g., ivory-billed woodpecker).

**SX** = Believed to be extirpated throughout Florida.

**SU** = Unrankable; due to a lack of information no rank or range can be assigned.

**SNA** = State ranking is not applicable because the element is not a suitable target for conservation (e.g. a hybrid species).

**SNR** = Element not yet ranked (temporary).

## **STATE LEGAL STATUS**

Provided by FNAI for information only.

For official definitions and lists of protected species, consult the relevant federal agency.

**Animals:** Definitions derived from "Florida's Endangered Species and Species of Special Concern, Official Lists" published by Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, 1 August 1997, and subsequent updates.

**LE** Endangered: species, subspecies, or isolated population so few or depleted in number or so restricted in range that it is in imminent danger of extinction.

**LT** Threatened: species, subspecies, or isolated population facing a very high risk of extinction in the future.

LS

APPENDIX K  
TOXICITY PROFILES AND CHEMICAL DATA SHEETS

## **Toxicity Summary for COPPER**

Prepared by: Rosmarie A. Faust, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation and Communication Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health and Safety Research Division, \*, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Prepared for: Oak Ridge Reservation Environmental Restoration Program.

\*Managed by Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc., for the U.S. Department of Energy under Contract No. DE-AC05-84OR21400.

Copper occurs naturally in elemental form and as a component of many minerals. Because of its high electrical and thermal conductivity, it is widely used in the manufacture of electrical equipment. Common copper salts, such as the sulfate, carbonate, cyanide, oxide, and sulfide are used as fungicides, as components of ceramics and pyrotechnics, for electroplating, and for numerous other industrial applications (ACGIH, 1986). Copper can be absorbed by the oral,

## REFERENCES

- ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists). 1986. Copper. In: Documentation of the Threshold Limit Values and Biological Exposure Indices, 5th ed. ACGIH, Cincinnati, OH, p. 146.
- ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry). 1990. Toxicological Profile for Copper. Prepared by Syracuse Research Corporation for ATSDR, U.S. Public Health Service under Contract 88-0608-2. ATSDR/TP-90-08.
- Battersby, S., J.A. Chandler and M.S. Morton. 1982. Title not given. *Fertil. Steril.* 37: 230-235. (Cited in Aaseth and Norseth, 1986)
- Ferm, V.H. and D.P. Hanlon. 1974. Toxicity of copper salts in hamster embryonic development. *Biol. Reprod.* 11: 97-101. (Cited in U.S. AF, 1990)
- Gopinath, C., G.A. Hall and J.McC. Howell. 1974. Title not given. *Res. Vet. Sci.* 16: 57-69. (Cited in Aaseth and Norseth, 1986)
- Goyer, R.A. 1991. Toxic effects of metals. In: M.O. Amdur, J. Doull and C.D. Klaasen, Eds., *Casarett and Doull's Toxicology*, 4th ed. Pergamon Press, New York, NY, p. 653-655.
- Haywood, S. 1980. The effect of excess dietary copper on the liver and kidney of the male rat. *J. Comp. Pathol.* 90: 217-232.
- Haywood, S. 1985. Copper toxicosis and tolerance in the rat. I. Changes in copper content of the liver and kidney. *J. Pathol.* 145: 149-158.
- IRIS (Integrated Risk Information System), 2005. United States National Library of Medicine, National Institute of Health, Department of Health and Human Services 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894. <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>
- Kline, R.D., V.W. Hays and G.L. Cromwell. 1971. Effects of copper, molybdenum and sulfate on performance, hematology and copper stores of pigs and lambs. *J. Animal Sci.* 33: 771-779. (Cited in ATSDR, 1990)
- Lecyk, M. 1980. Toxicity of cupric sulfate in mice embryonic development. *Zool. Pol.* 28: 101-105. (Cited in U.S. AF, 1990)
- Mueller-Hoecker, J., U. Meyer, B. Wiebecke, et al. 1988. Copper storage disease of the liver and chronic dietary copper intoxication in two further German infants mimicking Indian childhood cirrhosis. *Pathol. Res. Pract.* 183: 39-45. (Cited in ATSDR, 1990)
- Rana, S.V.S. and A. Kumar. 1978. Simultaneous effects of dietary molybdenum and copper on the accumulation of copper in the liver and kidney of copper poisoned rats. A histochemical study. *Ind. Health* 18: 9-17. (Cited in U.S. AF, 1990)
- Spitalny, K.C., J. Brondum, R.L. Vogt, et al. 1984. Drinking-water-induced copper intoxication in a Vermont family. *Pediatrics* 74: 1103-1106.
- Suciu, I., L. Prodan, V. Lazar, et al. 1981. Research on copper poisoning. *Med. Lav.* 72: 190-197. (Cited in ATSDR, 1990)

U.S. AF (U.S. Air Force). 1990. Copper. In: The Installation Program Toxicology Guide, Vol. 5. Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, pp. 77(1-43).

U.S. EPA. 1986. 90-Day oral toxicity study of copper cyanide (CuCN) in Sprague-Dawley rats. Prepared by IIT Research Institute, Chicago, IL, for the Office of Solid Waste, Washington, DC.

U.S. EPA. 1987. Drinking Water Criteria Document for Copper. Prepared by the Office of Health and Environmental Assessment, Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, Cincinnati, OH, for the Office of Drinking Water, Washington, DC. ECAO-CIN-417.

## **Toxicity Summary for LEAD**

December 1994

Prepared by Kowetha A. Davidson, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation and Communication Program, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, \*, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Prepared for OAK RIDGE RESERVATION ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM.

\*Managed by Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc., for the U.S. Department of Energy under contract No. DE -AC05-84OR21400.

Lead occurs naturally as a sulfide in galena. It is a soft, bluish-white, silvery gray, malleable metal with a melting point of 327.5C. Elemental lead reacts with hot boiling acids and is attacked by pure water. The solubility of lead salts in water varies from insoluble to soluble depending on the type of salt (IARC, 1980; Goyer, 1988; Budavari et al., 1989).



Although similar effects occur in adults and children, children are more sensitive to lead exposure than are adults. Irreversible brain damage occurs at blood lead levels greater than or equal to 100 ug/dL in adults and at 80-100 ug/dL in children; death can occur at the same blood levels in



Bellinger, D.C.; Stiles, K.M.; Needleman, H.L. (1992) Low-level lead exposure, intelligence and academic achievement: A long-term follow-up study. *Pediatrics*. 90:855-561. (abstract: BIOSIS/93/07320)

Budavari, S., Ed. 1989. *The Merck Index*. 11th ed. Merck and Co., Inc., Rahway, NJ.

Dietrich, K.N.; Krafft, K.M.; Bier, M.; et al. (1986) Early effects of fetal lead exposure: neurobehavioral findings at 6 months. *Inst. J. Biosoc. Res.* 8:151-168. (cited in EPA, 1990)

Dietrich, K.N.; Succop, P.A.; Berger, O.G.; Hammond, P.B.; Bornschein, R.L. (1991) Lead exposure and the cognitive development of urban preschool children: The Cincinnati lead study cohort at age 4 years. *Neurotoxicol. Teratol.* 13:203-212.

Dietrich, K.N.; Succop, P.A.; Berger, O.G.; Keith, R.W. (1992) Lead exposure and the central auditory processing abilities and cognitive development of urban children: the Cincinnati lead study cohort at age 5 years. *Neurotoxicol. Teratol.* 14:51-56.

Dietrich, K.N.; Succop, P.A.; Berger, O.G.; Hammond, P.B.; Bornschein, R.L. (1993) The developmental consequences of low to moderate prenatal and postnatal lead exposure: Intellectual attainment in the Cincinnati lead study cohort following school entry. *Neurotoxicol. Teratol.* 15:37-4.

Ehle, A.L.; McKee, D.C. (1990) Neuropsychological effect of lead in occupationally exposed workers: a critical review. *Crit. Rev. Toxicol.* 20:237-255.

Elwood, P.C.; Davey-Smith, G.; Oldham, P.D.; Toothill, C. (1988a) Two Welsh surveys of blood lead and blood pressure. *Environ. Health Perspect.* 78:119-121. (cited in EPA, 1990).

Elwood, P.C. Yarnell, J.W.G.; Oldham, P.D.; et al. (1988b) Blood pressure and blood lead in surveys in Wales. *Am. J. Epidemiol.* 127:942-945. (cited in EPA, 1990)

Goyer, R.A. (1988) Lead. In: *Handbook on Toxicity of Inorganic Compounds*. H.G. Seiler and H. Sigel, eds. Marcel Dekker, Inc.: New York, pp. 359-382.

Harlan, W.R.; Landi, J.R.; Shcmouder, R.L.; Goldstein, N.G.; Harlan, L.C. (1985) Blood lead and blood pressure: relationship in the adolescent and adult US population. *J. Am. Med. Assoc.* 253:530-534. (cited in EPA, 1986e).

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC). 1980. *Lead and lead compounds, Vol. 23*. IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of the Carcinogenic Risk of Chemicals to Humans, Some Metals and Metallic Compounds. IARC, Lyon, France, pp. 325-415.

IRIS (Integrated Risk Information System), 2005. United States National Library of Medicine, National Institute of Health, Department of Health and Human Services 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894. <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>

Landis, J.R.; Flegal, K.M. (1988) A generalized Mantel-Haenszel analysis of the regression of blood pressure on blood lead using NHANES II data. *Environ. Health Prospect.* 78:35-41.

McMichael, A.J.; Baghurst, P.A.; Wigg, N.R.; et al. (1988) Port Pirie cohort study: environmental exposure to lead and children's ability at the age of four years. *N. Engl. J. Med.* 319:468-475. (Cited in EPA, 1990)

Pirkle, J.L.; Schwartz, J.; Landis, J.R.; Harlan, W.R. (1985) The relationship between blood lead levels and blood pressure and its cardiovascular risk implication. *Am. J. Epidemiol.* 121:246-258. (cited in EPA, 1986e).

Pocock, S.J.; Shaper, A.G.; Ashby, D. Delves, T.; Whitehead, T.P. (1984) Blood lead concentration, blood pressure, and renal function. *Br. Med. J.* 289:872-874. (cited in EPA, 1986e).

Schroeder, S.R.; Hawk, B.; (1986) Child-caregiver environmental factors related to lead exposure and IQ. In: *Toxic Substances and Mental Retardation: Neurobehavioral Toxicology and Teratology*, S.R. Schroeder, Ed., Washington, D.C. (AAMD Monograph Series). (cited in EPA, 1986d)

Schwartz, J. (1991) Lead, blood pressure, and cardiovascular disease in men and women. *Environ. Health Perspect.* 91:71-75.

Stiles, K.M.; Bellinger, D.C. (1993) Neuropsychological correlates of low-level lead exposure in school-age children: A prospective study. *Neurotoxicol. Teratol.* 15:27-35.

Stollery, B.T.; Broadbent, D.E.; Banks, H.A.; Lee, W.R. (1991) Short-term prospective study of cognitive functioning in lead workers. *Br. J. Ind. Med.* 48:739-749.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). 1986a. *Air Quality Criteria for Lead. Vol. I of IV.* Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, Research Triangle Park, NC. EPA-600/8-745 21.75 0j 3.75 0 TD -0.0175 Tc 0.307 Tw (35. ) Tj 16.5 0 TD 0 Tc 0.2895 Tw ( ) Tj -327.7S8 (Stol Tcf Tw (83/028

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). 1990. *Air Quality Criteria for Lead: Supplement to the 1986 Addendum*. Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, Research Triangle Park, NC. EPA-600/8-89/049F.

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). 1994. *Interim Soil Lead Guidance for CERCLA Sites and RCRA Corrective Action Facilities*. OSWER Directive 9355.4-12. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, Washington, D.C.

Vimpani, G.V.; Wigg, N.R.; Robertson, E.F.; et al. (1985) The Port Pirie cohort study: blood lead concentration and childhood developmental assessment. In: *Lead Environmental Health - The Current Issues*, L.J. Goldwater, L.M. Wysocki, R.A. Volpe, Eds., Edited proceedings, May, Duke University Press, Durham, NC. pp. 139-155. (cited in EPA, 1990)

Vimpani, G.; Baghurst, P.; McMichael, A.J.; et al. (1989) "The effects of cumulative lead exposure on pregnancy outcome and childhood development during the first four years." Presented at: Conference on Advances in Lead Research: Implications for Environmental Research. Research Triangle Park, NC, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, January.

Wigg, N.R.; Vimpani, G.V.; McMichael, A.J.; et al. (1988) Port Pirie cohort study: childhood blood lead and neuropsychological development at age two years. *J. Epidemiol. Commun. Health*. 42:213-219. (cited in EPA, 1990)

## **Toxicity Summary for 1,1,2,2-TETRACHLOROETHANE**

Prepared by J.C.Norris,Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group in the Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory\*.

Prepared for OAK RIDGE RESERVATION ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM

\*Managed by Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc., for the U.S. Department of Energy under Contract No. DE -AC05-84OR21400

---

1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane (CAS No. 79-34-5) is a two-carbon chain molecule with two chlorine atoms on each carbon atom. Uses of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane have been as a chemical intermediate, industrial solvent, and extractant. 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane was found on at least 278 of the hazardous waste sites on the United States Environmental Protection Agency's National Priorities List. Chemical degradation occurs by the loss of chlorine atoms, and the half-life of 1,1,2,2-

1977). Rats had a body weight loss of 38% for the males and 24% for the females after 6 weeks of 178 mg/kg/day but apparently recovered by the end of the 78-week treatment regiment (NCI 1978). At the 280 mg/kg/day dosage, rats died after 70 weeks. At the end of the 78 weeks of 284 mg/kg/day, male mice died of tubular nephrosis and female mice demonstrated hydronephrosis (NCI 1978). [These NCI (1978) dosages were time-weighted averages of the different doses given.]

Lethal exposure concentrations and exposure times for rats were approximately 1000 ppm after 4 to 6 hours (Carpenter et al. 1949, Deguchi 1972, Schmidt et al. 1980b, Smyth et al. 1969) and 5100;ppm after 30 minutes (Price et al. 1978). One of 10 rats exposed to 6300 ppm for 30 minutes exhibited myocardial damage (Price et al. 1978). Mice exposed to 600 ppm for 3 hours developed fatty changes in the liver (Tomokuni 1969, 1970; Hayrack et al. 1962). Exposure of rats to 130 ppm for 15 weeks resulted in increased liver weights, granulation and vacuolization of the liver, and liver hyperplasia (Truffert et al. 1977). Rabbits exposed to 15 ppm for 7 to 11 months exhibited signs of liver degeneration (Navrotsky et al. 1971). One monkey exposed to a time-weighted average of 1974;ppm for 2 hours/day, 6 days/week for 9 months (no control) had transient diarrhea, anorexia, centrilobular vacuolization, and fatty degeneration of the liver (Hayrack et al. 1962).

The dermal LD<sub>50</sub> value in rabbits was determined to be 6.36 g/kg (Smyth et al. 1969). Thickening of the cellular nucleus and pseudoeosinophilic infiltration was observed after dermal application of 514 mg/cm<sup>2</sup> for 16 hours on guinea pigs (Kronevi et al. 1981).

Army workers exposed to 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane vapor in a clothing processing plant had a very slight increase in death due to genital cancers, leukemia, or other lymphomas than workers not employed in a clothing plant (Norman et al. 1981). Male and female mice orally administered 142 and 284 mg/kg/day for 78 weeks had an increase in hepatocellular carcinomas (NCI 1978). Based on these results, 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane has been classified as Group C, possible human carcinogen (IRIS 2005).

## REFERENCES

ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry). 1994. *Toxicological Profile for 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane*. Draft for Public Comment. Update. Prepared by Research Triangle Institute under Contract No. 205-93-0606. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service.

Carpenter, C. P., Smyth, H. F., and Pozzani, U. C. 1949. The assay of acute vapor toxicity and the grading in 6 from the results on 96 chemical compounds. *J. Ind. Hyg. Tox.* 31:343-346 (cited in ATSDR 1994).

Coyer, H. A. 1944. Tetrachloroethane poisoning. *Ind. Med.* 13:230-233 (cited in ATSDR 1994).

Dow Chemical Company. 1988. *The metabolism and hepatic macromolecular interactions of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane (TCE) in mice and rats*. D002628 (cited in ATSDR 1994).

Deguchi, T. 1972. [A fundamental study of the threshold limit values for solvent mixtures in the air--Effects of single and mixed chlorinated hydrocarbons upon the level of serum transaminases in rats.] *Osaka City Med. J.* 21:187-209 (cited in ATSDR 1994).

EPA. 1995b. *Health Effects Assessment Summary Tables*. Annual FY-95. Prepared for the Office of Health and Environmental Assessment, Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, Cincinnati, Ohio, for the Office of Emergency and Remedial Response.

Gohlke, R., Schmidt, P., and Bahmann, H. 1977. 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane and heat stress in animal experiment. Morphological results.



- NCI. 1978. *Bioassay of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane for possible carcinogenicity*. NTIS PB277 4537GA, DHEW/PUB/NIH-78-827. p. 90 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Navrotsky, V. K., Kashin, L. M., Kulinskaya, I. L. 1971. Comparative assessment of the toxicity of a number of industrial poisons when inhaled in low concentrations for prolonged periods. *Trudy S'ezda Gig Ukran.* 8:224-226 (Russian) (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Norman, J. E. Jr., Robinette, C. D., Fraumeni, J. F., Jr. 1981. The mortality experience of Army World War II chemical processing companies. *J. Occ. Med.* 23:818-822 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Price, N. H., Allen, S. D., Daniels, A. U., et al. 1978. *Toxicity data for establishing "immediately dangerous to life and health" (IDLH) values*. NTIS PB87-163531 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Schmidt, P., Gohlke, R., Just, A., et al. 1980a. Combined action of hepatotoxic substances and increased environmental temperature on the liver of rats. *J. Hyg. Epidemiol. Microbiol. Immunol.* (Prague) 24:271-277 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Schmidt, P., Burck, D., Buerger, A., et al., 1980b. [On the hepatotoxicity of benzene, 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane and carbon tetrachloride]. *Gesamte Hyg. Ihre Grenzgeb.* (German).
- Sherman, J. B. 1953. Eight cases of acute tetrachloroethane poisoning. *J. Trop. Med. Hyg.* 56:139-140 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Smyth, H. F. Jr., Carpenter, C. P., Weil, C. S., et al. 1969. Range-finding toxicity data-List VII. *Am. Ind. Hyg. Assoc. J.* 30: 470-476 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Tomokuni, K. 1969. Studies on hepatotoxicity induced by chlorinated hydrocarbons. Lipid and ATP metabolisms in the liver of mice exposed to 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane. *Acta Med Okayama* 23:273-282 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Tomokuni, K. 1970. Hepatotoxicity induced by chlorinated hydrocarbons. II. Lipid metabolism and absorption spectrum of microsomal lipids in the mice exposed to 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane. *Acta Med Okayama* 24:315-322 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Truffert, L., Girard-Wallon, C., Emmerich, E., et al. 1977. Early experimental demonstration of the hepatotoxicity of some chlorinated solvents by the study of the synthesis of hepatic DNA. *Arch. Mal. Prof. Med. Trav. Secur. Soc.* 38:261-263 (French) (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Yllner, S. 1971. Metabolism of 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane-14C in the mouse. *Acta Pharmacol. Toxicol.* 29: 499-512 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Ward, J. M. 1955. Accidental poisoning with tetrachloroethane. *Br. Med. J.* 1:1136 (cited in ATSDR 1994).
- Willcox, W. H., Spilsbury, B. H., and Legge, T. M. 1915. An outbreak of toxic jaundice of a new type amongst aeroplane workers-Its clinical and toxicological aspect. *Trans. Med. Soc. London* 38:129-156 (cited in ATSDR 1994).

## **Toxicity Summary for ARSENIC**

Prepared by: Dennis M. Opresko, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation and Communication Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health and Safety Research

hyperkeratosis and bile duct enlargement with hyperplasia, focal necrosis, and fibrosis (Baroni et al., 1963; Byron et al., 1967). Reduction in litter size, high male/female birth ratios, and fetotoxicity without significant fetal abnormalities occur following oral exposures (Schroeder and Mitchener, 1971; Hood et al., 1977; Baxley et al., 1981); however, parenteral dosing has resulted in exencephaly, encephaloceles, skeletal defects, and urogenital system abnormalities (Ferm and Carpenter, 1968; Hood and Bishop, 1972; Beaudoin, 1974; Burk and Beaudoin, 1977).

Acute inhalation exposures to inorganic arsenic can damage mucous membranes, cause rhinitis, pharyngitis and laryngitis, and result in nasal septum perforation (U.S. EPA, 1984). Chronic inhalation exposures, as occurring in the workplace, can lead to rhino-pharyno-laryngitis, tracheobronchitis, (Lundgren, 1954); dermatitis, hyperpigmentation, and hyperkeratosis (Perry et al., 1948; Pinto and McGill, 1955); leukopenia (Kyle and Pease, 1965; Hine et al., 1977); peripheral nerve dysfunction as indicated by abnormal nerve conduction velocities (Feldman et al., 1979; Blom et al., 1985; Landau et al., 1977); and peripheral vascular disorders as indicated by Raynaud's syndrome and increased vasospastic reactivity in fingers exposed to low temperatures (Lagerkvist et al., 1986). Higher rates of cardiovascular disease have also been reported in some arsenic-

- Baxley, M.N.; Hood, R.D.; Vedel, G.C.; Harrison, W.P.; Szczech, G.M. 1981. Prenatal toxicity of orally administered sodium arsenite in mice. *Bull. Environ. Contam. Toxicol.* 26:749-756.
- Beaudoin, A.R. 1974. Teratogenicity of sodium arsenate in rats. *Teratology* 10:153-158. (Cited in U.S. EPA, 1984).
- Blakely, B. R.; Sisodia, C.S.; Mukkur, T.K. 1980. The effect of methylmercury, tetraethyl lead, and sodium arsenite on the humoral immune response in mice. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 52:245-254.
- Blom, S.; Lagerkvist, B.; Linderholm, H. 1985. Arsenic exposure to smelter workers: clinical and neurophysiological studies. *Scand. J. Work Environ. Health* 11:265-270.
- Borgono, J.M.; Greiber, R. 1972. Epidemiological study of arsenism in the city of Antofagasta. In: *Trace Substances in Environmental Health*, vol. 5. D.C. Hemphill, ed. University of Missouri, Columbia, MS. pp. 13-24.
- Brown, M.M.; Rhyne, B.C.; Goyer, R.A.; Fowler, B.A. 1976. Intracellular effects of chronic arsenic administration on renal proximal tubule cells. *J. Toxicol. Environ. Health* 1:505-514.
- Burk, D.; Beaudoin, A.R. 1977. Arsenate-induced renal agenesis in rats. *Teratology* 16:247-260.
- Byron, W.R.; Bierbower, G.W.; Brouwer, J.B.; Hansen, W.H. 1967. Pathologic changes in rats and dogs from two-year feeding of sodium arsenite or sodium arsenate. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 10:132-147.
- Cebrian, M.E.; Albores, A.; Aguilar, M.; Blakely, E. 1983. Chronic arsenic poisoning in the north of Mexico. *Hum. Toxicol.* 2:121-133.
- Chen, C.J.; Chuang, Y.C.; Lin, T.M.; Wu, H.Y. 1985. Malignant neoplasms among residents of a Blackfoot disease-endemic area in Taiwan: High-arsenic artesian well water and cancers. *Cancer Res.* 45:5895-5899.
- Chen, C.J.; Chuang, Y.C.; You, S.L.; Lin, T.M.; Wu, H.Y. 1986. A retrospective study on malignant neoplasms of bladder, lung, and liver in a Blackfoot disease-endemic area in Taiwan. *Br. J. Cancer* 53:399-405.
- Chen, C.J.; Wu, S.; Lee, J.; et al. 1986. Atherogenicity and carcinogenicity of high-arsenic artesian well water: Multiple risk factors and related malignant neoplasms of blackfoot disease. *Arteriosclerosis* 8:452-460. (Cited in Hansen, 1990).
- Creelius, E.A. 1977. Changes in the chemical speciation of arsenic following ingestion by man. *Environ. Health Perspect.* 19:147-150. (Cited in U.S. EPA, 1984).
- Datta, D.V. 1976. Arsenic and noncirrhotic portal hypertension. *Lancet* 1:433.
- Dobson, R.L.; Young, M.R.; Pinto, J.S. 1965. Palmar keratoses and cancer. *Arch. Dermatol.* 92:553-556.
- Feldman, R.G.; Niles, C.A.; Kelly-Heyes, M.; Sax, D.S.; Dixon, W.J.; Thompson, D.J.; Landau, E. 1979. Peripheral neuropathy in arsenic smelter workers. *Neurology* 29:939-944.

Ferm, V.H.; Carpenter, S.J. 1968. Malformations induced by sodium arsenate. *J. Reprod. Fert.* 17:199-201.

Fowler, B.A.; Woods, J.S. 1979. The effects of prolonged oral arsenate exposure on liver mitochondria of mice: morphometric and biochemical studies. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 50:177-187.

IRIS (Integrated Risk Information System), 2005. United States National Library of Medicine, National Institute of Health, Department of Health and Human Services 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894. <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>

Kyle, R.A.; Pease, G.L. 1965. Hematologic aspects of arsenic intoxication. *New Eng. J. Med.* 273(1):18-23.

Lagerkvist, B.E.A.; Linderholm, H.; Nordberg, G.F. 1986. Vasospastic tendency and Raynaud's phenomenon in smelter workers exposed to arsenic. *Environ. Res.* 39:465-474.

Landau, E.D.; Thompson, D.J.; Feldman, R.G.; Goble, G.J.; Dixon, W.J. 1977. Selected Noncarcinogenic Effects of Industrial Exposure to Inorganic Arsenic. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC. EPA 659/6-77-018.

Lee, A.M.; Fraumeni, J.F., Jr. 1969. Arsenic and respiratory cancer in man - an occupational study. *J. Natl. Cancer Inst.* 42:1045-1052.

Lundgren, K.D. 1954. Damage in the respiratory organs of workers at a smeltery. *Nord. Hyg.*



Woods, J.S.; Fowler, B.A. 1977. Effects of chronic arsenic exposure on hematopoietic function in adult mammalian liver. *Environ. Health Perspect.* 19:209-213.

Woods, J.S.; Fowler, B.A. 1978. Altered regulation of mammalian hepatic heme biosynthesis and urinary porphyrin excretion during prolonged exposure to sodium arsenate. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 43:361-371.

Wu, M.M.; Kuo, T.L.; Hwang, Y.H.; Chen, C.J. 1989. Dose-response relation between arsenic concentration in well water and mortality from cancers and vascular diseases. *Am. J. Epidemiol.* 130:1123-1132.

Zaldivar, R. 1974. Arsenic contamination of drinking water and foodstuffs causing endemic chronic poisoning. *Beitr. Path.* 151:384-400.





1988). The tenuous finding of an excess of liver tumors in humans is strengthened by the results of carcinogenicity bioassays in which tetrachloroethylene, administered either orally or by inhalation, induced hepatocellular tumors in mice (NCI, 1977; NTP, 1986). The chemical also induced mononuclear cell leukemia and renal tubular cell tumors in rats. Tetrachloroethylene was negative for tumor initiation in a dermal study and for tumor induction in a pulmonary tumor assay (Van Duuren et al., 1979; Theiss et al., 1977).

Although U.S. EPA's Science Advisory Board recommended a weight-of-evidence classification of C-B2 continuum (C = possible human carcinogen; B2 = probable human carcinogen), the agency has not adopted a current position on the weight-of-evidence classification (IRIS, 2005).

## **REFERENCES**

ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry). 1990. Toxicological Profile for Tetrachloroethylene. Public Health Service, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Chamblee, GA.

Beliles, R.P., D.J. Bursick and F.J. Meclec. 1980. Teratogenic, mutagenic risk of workplace contaminants; trichloroethylene, perchloroethylene and carbon disulfide. Unpublished studies U.S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare. Contract 210-77-0047, Litton Bionetics Inc., Kensington, MD. (Cited in EPA, 1988)

Buben, J.A. and E.J. O'Flaherty. 1985. Delineation of the role of metabolism in the hepatotoxicity

Monster, A.C., G. Boersma and H. Steenweg. 1979. Kinetics of tetrachloroethylene in volunteers: Influence of exposure concentration and work load. *Int. Arch. Occup. Environ. Health* 53: 331-336.

NCI (National Cancer Institute). 1977. Bioassay of Tetrachloroethylene for Possible Carcinogenicity. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Bethesda, MD. NCI TR 13.

Nelson, B.K., B.J. Taylor, J.V. Setzer and R.W. Hornung. 1980. Behavioral teratology of perchloroethylene in rats. *J. Environ. Pathol. Toxicol.* 3: 233-250.

NTP (National Toxicology Program). 1986. NTP Technical Report on the Toxicology and Carcinogenesis Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene) in F344/N Rats and B6C3F<sub>1</sub> Mice (Inhalation Studies). National Toxicology Program, U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Research Triangle Park, NC. NTP TR 311.

Ohtsuki, T., K. Sato, A. Koizumi, M. Kumai and M. Ikeda. 1983. Limited capacity of humans to metabolize tetrachloroethylene. *Int. Arch. Occup. Environ. Health* 51: 381-390.

Rampy, L., J. Quast, B. Leong and P. Gehring. 1978. Results of a long-term inhalation toxicity

Savolainen, H., P. Pfaffli, M. Tengen and H. Vaino 1977. Biochemical and behavioural effects of inhalation exposure to tetrachloroethylene and dichloromethane. *J. Neuropathol. Exp. Neurol.* 36: 941-949.

Schwetz, B., B. Leong and P. Gehring. 1975. The effects of maternally inhaled trichloroethylene, perchloroethylene, methylchloroform, and methylene chloride on embryonal and fetal development in mice and rats. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 32: 84-92.

Stewart, R. 1969. Acute tetrachloroethylene intoxication. *J. Am. Med. Assoc.* 208: 1490-1493.

Stewart, R.D., E.D. Baretta, H.C. Dodd and T.R. Torkelson. 1970. Experimental human exposure to tetrachloroethylene. *Arch. Environ. Health* 20: 224-229.

Theiss, J., G. Stoner, M. Shimkin and E. Weisburger. 1977. Tests for carcinogenicity of organic contaminants of United States drinking waters by pulmonary response in Strain A mice. *Cancer Res.* 37: 2717-2720.

Torkelson, T.R. and V.K. Rowe. 1981. Tetrachloroethylene. In: *Patty's Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology*, 3rd ed. Clayton, G.D. and F.E. Clayton, Eds. John Wiley & Sons, New York. p. 3560-3568, 3586-3601.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1982. Health Assessment Document for Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene). Final Report. Office of Health and Environmental Assessment, Washington, DC. EPA/600/8-82/005F.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1985. Health Assessment Document for Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene). Final draft. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, U.S. EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC. EPA 600/8-82-005F. NTIS PB 84-162882.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1987. Health Assessment Document for Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene). Addendum. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency

Response, Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, U.S. EPA, Research Triangle Park, NC. EPA 600/8-82-005FA.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1988. Updated Health Effects Assessment for Tetrachloroethylene. Final draft. Prepared for Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, U.S. EPA, Cincinnati, OH. ECAO-CIN-H009a.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1992a. Health Effects Summary Tables. FY-1992 Annual. Office of Research and Development, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Washington, DC.

U.S. EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1992b. Superfund Health Risk Technical Support Center Fact Sheet. Tetrachloroethylene. December 14, 1992.

van der Gulden, J.W. and G.A. Zielhuis. 1989. Reproductive hazards related to perchloroethylene. A review. *Int. Arch. Occup. Environ. Health* 61: 235-242.

Van Duuren, B. B. Goldschmidt, G. Lowengart et al. 1979. Carcinogenicity of halogenated olefinic and aliphatic hydrocarbons in mice. *J. Natl. Cancer Inst.* 63: 1433-1439.

von Oettingen, W.R. 1964. In: *The Halogenated Hydrocarbons of Industrial and Toxicological Importance*. Elsevier Press, Amsterdam. p. 271-283.

## **Toxicity Summary for TRICHLOROETHENE**

Prepared by: Rosmarie A. Faust, Ph.D, Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group, Biomedical



NTP (National Toxicology Program). 1988. Toxicology and Carcinogenesis Studies of Trichloroethylene (CAS No. 79-01-6) in Four Strains of Rats (ACI, August, Marshall, Osborne-Mendel) (Gavage Studies). U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD. NTP TR 273.

Sanders, V.M., A.N. Tucker, K.L. White, Jr., et al. 1982. Humoral and cell-mediated immune status in mice exposed to trichloroethylene in drinking water. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 62: 358-368.

Stott, W.T., J.F. Quast and P.G. Watanabe. 1982. Pharmacokinetics and macrGis 1c-c-c-c-c-c5of

**1, 4-Dioxane Fact Sheet: Support Document (CAS No. 123-9-1)**



guinea pigs. Human carcinogenicity data for 1,440.05752 Tc 0.3233 Tw Chemicals torMan, Vol. 11. IARC, Lyon, pp. 247

## Toxicity Summary for 1,1-DICHLOROETHANE

Prepared by: Dennis M. Opresko, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, \*

Prepared for: Oak Ridge Reservation Environmental Restoration Program.

\*Managed by Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc., for the U.S. Department of Energy under Contract No. DE-AC05-84OR21400.

1,1-Dichloroethane is used primarily as an intermediate in manufacturing vinyl chloride and 1,1,1-trichloroethane (ATSDR, 1990) Program 32

-D [REDACTED]

McCall, S.N., P. Jurgens, and K.M. Ivanetich. 1983. "Hepatic microsomal metabolism of dichloroethanes." *Biochem. Pharmacol.* 3:207-213. (Cited in ATSDR, 1990).

Mitoma, C., T. Steeger, S.E. Jackson, et al. 1985. "Metabolic disposition study of chlorinated hydrocarbons in rats and mice." *Drug Chem. Toxicol.* 8:183-194. (Cited in ATSDR, 1990).

NCI (National Cancer Institute). 1978. *Carcinogenesis Bioassay of 1,1-Dichloroethane*. NCI Carcinogenesis Technical Report Series Number 66, NCI-CG-TR-66, DHEW Publications No. (NIH) 78-1316.

Schwetz, B.A.; B.K.G. Leong, and P.J. Gehring. 1974. "Embryo- and fetotoxicity of inhaled carbon tetrachloride, 1,1-dichloroethane, and methyl ethyl ketone in rats." *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 28:452-464. (Cited in U.S. Air Force, 1989).



generally negative results (NTP, 1982; Quast et al., 1983; Maltoni et al., 1984, 1985). In one inhalation study (Maltoni et al., 1985), statistically significant increases in renal adenocarcinomas were noted in male Swiss mice exposed to 25 ppm for 12 months. Also observed were statistically significant increases in mammary gland carcinomas in females and lung tumors in both sexes. Results of other inhalation studies with rats, mice, and hamsters have been negative (Hong et al., 1981; Maltoni et al., 1984; Quast et al., 1986).

Based on EPA guidelines, 1,1-dichloroethylene was assigned to weight-of-evidence group C, possible human carcinogen (IRIS, 2005).

## REFERENCES

- ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry). 1993. 1,1-Dichloroethylene, Update. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service.
- EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 1987. Health Effects Assessment for 1,1-Dichloroethylene. Prepared by the Office of Health and Environmental Assessment, Environmental Criteria and Assessment Office, Cincinnati, OH, for the Office of Emergency and Remedial Response, Washington, DC. ECAO-CIN-HO51a.
- Gosselin, R.E., R.P. Smith, H.C. Hodge, et al. 1984. *Clinical Toxicology of Commercial Products*, 5th ed. The Williams and Wilkins Co., New York, p. 11-163.
- Hong, C.B., J.M. Winston, L.P. Thornburg, et al. 1981. Follow-up study on the carcinogenicity of vinyl chloride and vinylidene chloride in rats and mice: Tumor incidence and mortality subsequent to exposure. *J. Toxicol. Environ. Health* 7: 909-924.
- IRIS (Integrated Risk Information System), 2005. United States National Library of Medicine, National Institute of Health, Department of Health and Human Services 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894. <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>
- IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer). 1986. Vinylidene chloride. In: *IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of the Carcinogenic Risk of Chemicals to Humans*, Vol. 39. IARC, Lyon, France, pp. 195-226.
- Lee, C.C., J.C. Bhandari, J.M. Winston, et al. 1977. Inhalation toxicity of vinyl chloride and vinylidene chloride. *Environ. Health Perspect.* 21: 25-32.
- Maltoni, C., G. Cotti and P. Chieco. 1984. Chronic toxicity and carcinogenicity bioassays of vinylidene chloride. *Acta Oncol.* 5: 91-145. (Cited in IARC, 1986)
- Maltoni, C., G. Lefemine, P. Chieco, et al. 1985. Experimental research on vinylidene carcinogenesis. In: *Archives of Research on Industrial Carcinogenesis*, Vol. 3, C. Maltoni and M. Mehlman, Eds. Princeton Scientific Publishers, Princeton, NJ. (Cited in EPA, 1992)
- Nitschke, K.D., F.A. Smith, J.F. Quast, et al. 1983. A three-generation rat reproductive toxicity study of vinylidene chloride in the drinking water. *Fund. Appl. Toxicol.* 3: 75-79.
- NTP (National Toxicology Program). 1982. *Carcinogenesis Bioassay of Vinylidene Chloride (CAS No. 75-35-4) in F344 Rats and B6C3F<sub>1</sub> Mice (Gavage Study)*. NTP Tech. Rep. Series No. 228. NTP-80-82; NIH Publ. No. 82-1784.
- Ott, M.G., W.A. Fishbeck, J.C. Townsend and E.J. Schneider. 1976. A health study of employees exposed to vinylidene chloride. *J. Occup. Med.* 18: 735-738.



## **Toxicity Summary for BENZO[A]PYRENE**

Prepared by: Rosmarie A. Faust, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, \*, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Prepared for: OAK RIDGE RES

benzo[a]pyrene induces skin tumors in several species, although mice appear to be the most sensitive species. Benzo[a]pyrene is a complete carcinogen and also an initiator of skin tumors (IARC, 1973; EPA, 1991). Benzo[a]pyrene has also been reported to induce tumors in animals when administered by other routes, such as intravenous, intraperitoneal, subcutaneous, intrapulmonary, and transplacental.

Based on United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) guidelines, benzo[a]pyrene was assigned to weight-of-evidence group B2, probable human carcinogen (IRIS, 2005).

## REFERENCES

ATSDR (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry). 1990. *Toxicological Profile for Benzo(a)pyrene*. Prepared by ICF-Clement, under Contract No. 68-02-4235. ATSDR/TP-88-05.

Blanton, R.H., M. Lyte, M.J. Myers, and P.H. Bick. 1986. Immunomodulation by polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in mice and murine cells. *Cancer Res.* 46: 2735-2739.

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer). 1973. Benzo(a)pyrene. In: *IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risk of the Chemicals to Man. Certain Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons*. Myers, M.J., ed. IARC, Lyon, France. 1-125.

aIARC



Thyssen, J., J. Althoff, G. Kimmerle and U. Mohr. 1981. Inhalation studies with benzo[a]pyrene in Syrian golden hamsters. *J. Natl. Cancer Inst.* 66: 575-577.

United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). 1991. *Drinking Water Criteria for Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)*. Prepared by the Environmental Criteria and Assessment, Office, Office of Health and Environmental Assessment, Cincinnati, OH, for the Office of Water, Washington, DC. ECAO-CIN-D010.

Wattenberg, L.W. and J.L. Leong. 1970. Inhibition of the carcinogenic action of benzo[a]pyrene by flavones. *Cancer Res.* 30: 1922-1925.

Weyand, E.H. and D.R. Bevan. 1986. Benzo(a)pyrene disposition and metabolism in rats following intratracheal instillation. *Cancer Res.* 46: 5655-5661.

White, K.L., H.H. Lysy and M.P. Holsapple. 1985. Immunosuppression by polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons. A structure-activity relationship in B6C3F<sub>1</sub> and DBA/2 mice. *Immunopharmacology* 9: 155-164. (Cited in U.S. EPA, 1991)

## Toxicity Summary for *cis*- and *trans*-1,2-DICHLOROETHYLENE

Prepared by Tim Borges, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, \*, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Prepared for OAK RIDGE RESERVATION ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM.

\*Managed by Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc., for the U.S. Department of Energy under contract No. DE-AC05-84OR21400.

1,2-Dichloroethene exists in two isomeric forms, *cis*-1,2-dichloroethene and *trans*-1,2-dichloroethene, that are colorless, volatile liquids with a slightly acrid odor. Although not used extensively in industry, 1,2-dichloroethene is used in the production of other chlorinated solvents and as a solvent for dyes, perfumes, and lacquers (Sax and Lewis 1989, Budavari et al. 1989). Humans are exposed to 1,2-dichloroethene primarily by inhalation, but exposure can also occur by oral and dermal routes.

Limited information exists on the absorption, distribution, and excretion of 1,2-dichloroethene in either humans or animals. In vitro studies have shown that the mixed function oxidases will metabolize 1,2-dichloroethene; the final metabolic products are dependent on the initial isomer of 1,2-dichloroethene (Costa and Ivanetich 1984, Henschler 1977, Liebman and Ortiz 1977).

Information on the toxicity of 1,2-dichloroethene in humans and animals is limited. Workers exposed to 1,2-dichloroethene have been reported to suffer from drowsiness, dizziness, nausea, fatigue, and eye irritation (ATSDR 1990). Acute and subchronic oral and inhalation animal studies of *trans*-1,2-dichloroethene and acute inhalation animal studies of *cis*-1,2-dichloroethene suggest that the liver is the primary target organ. The toxicity is expressed in increased activities of liver associated enzymes, fatty degeneration, and necrosis (McCauley et al. n.d., Barnes et al. 1985, Freundt et al. 1977). Secondary target organs include the central nervous system and lung.

No information was available concerning the chronic, developmental, or reproductive toxicity of *cis*-1,2-dichloroethene or *trans*-1,2-dichloroethene. No cancer bioassays or epidemiological studies were available to assess the carcinogenicity of 1,2-dichloroethene. EPA has placed both *cis*-1,2-dichloro-ethene and *trans*-1,2-dichloroethene in weight-of-evidence group D, not classifiable as to human carcinogenicity, based on the lack of human or animal carcinogenicity data and on essentially negative mutagenicity data

Freundt, K.J., G.P. Liebaltd and E. Lieberwirth. 1977. Toxicity

## **Toxicity Summary for DIBENZ[A,H]ANTHRACENE**

Prepared by Rosmarie A. Faust, Ph.D., Chemical Hazard Evaluation Group, Biomedical and Environmental Information Analysis Section, Health Sciences Research Division, , Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

single subcutaneous injection of dibenz[*a,h*]anthracene induced local sarcomas and lung adenomas (Platt et al., 1990) and three intraperitoneal injections induced a high incidence of pulmonary tumors (Buening et al., 1979). A number of earlier studies have also demonstrated the carcinogenicity of dibenz[*a,h*]anthracene when administered by various parenteral routes in several animal species (IARC, 1973).

Based on no human data and sufficient evidence for carcinogenicity in animals, EPA has assigned dibenz[*a,h*]anthracene a weight-of-

IRIS (Integrated Risk Information System), 2005. United States National Library of Medicine, National Institute of Health, Department of Health and Human Services 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894. <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov>

Penn, A. and C. Snyder. 1988. Arteriosclerotic plaque development is 'promoted' by polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons. *Carcinogenesis* 9: 2185-2189.

Pfeiffer, E. H. 1977. Oncogenic interaction of carcinogenic and non-carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in mice. In: *Air Pollution and Cancer in Man*, V. Mohr, et al., Eds. International Agency for Research on Cancer, Lyon, France, pp. 69-