

**FACT SHEET AND STATEMENT OF BASIS
ASHLEY VALLEY OPERATING, LLC
RENEWAL PERMIT: DISCHARGE
UPDES PERMIT NUMBER: UT0000035
MINOR INDUSTRIAL**

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DESCRIPTION OF FACILITY

Ashley Valley Operating, LLC is the current permit holder of Ashley Valley Operating, LLC (AVO), thus the Ashley Valley Unit North Production Facility located in Uintah County near Jensen, Utah. AVO became the permit holder effective December 1, 2014. Historically, water produced in association with oil production in the area flowed through three facilities which were permitted to discharge water. Two of the facilities, CIMA (UT0021768) and "USA Pan American Facility" (UT0000124) have since been terminated as result of facility closure. The Ashley Valley Unit North Production Facility (UT0000035) continues to discharge water produced in association with oil production in the area. The Ashley Valley Unit North Production Facility has a Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code 1311 for crude petroleum and natural gas extraction. Under normal operations the facility continuously discharges effluent, which consists of groundwater produced concurrently with oil production from Ashley Valley oil field. The produced water is separated from the oil by both mechanical and gravity means in treatment vessels along with three retention ponds in series. The final effluent discharges from a culvert leaving the third retention pond, and flows through an unnamed ditch approximately 1/4 of a mile to a private retention pond before continuing down an unnamed ditch approximately another 1/2 mile where it flows through a diversion structure, mixes with canal water, and flows into the Union Irrigation Canal. The canal has diverter to control whether water flows into Ashley Creek or provides for local irrigation. During irrigation season most, if not all, of the water is diverted into the Union Irrigation Canal. During the non-irrigation season most is diverted to Ashley Creek.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS PERMIT

AVO has improved their treatment process – most notably adding an additional aeration tank. AVO has also installed an agitator in pond 2 to improve aeration, upgraded piping between retention ponds and Outfall 001 to improve functionality, modified a gunbarrel, and installed an oil and water separator used to measure oil production. Lastly, AVO has added levy height to detention ponds to increase capacity.

AVO discharges into the Colorado River Basin, thus must comply with the Colorado River System Water Quality Standards for Salinity. Under this program AVO is allowed 1 ton/day salt loading, or 366 tons/year. In the past the Division of Water Quality (DWQ) has granted a waiver from this standard, but based on recent review, waiver has been denied for this permit cycle. See COLORADO RIVER BASIN SALINITY CONTROL PROGRAM OFFSET section in this document for agreement details.

DISCHARGE

DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE

AVO has been reporting self-monitoring results on Discharge Monitoring Reports on a monthly basis. There have been numerous violations during the last permit cycle.

| <u>Outfall</u> | <u>Description of Discharge Point</u> |
|----------------|---|
| 001 | Located at latitude N 40.366969° and longitude -109.414831°. The discharge is through a 30-inch diameter gravity flow pipe leading from the third retention pond to an unnamed ditch. |

RECEIVING WATERS AND STREAM CLASSIFICATION

The final discharge from AVO flows into an unnamed ditch, which flows into Ashley Creek, thence to the Green River. The designated beneficial uses of Ashley Creek and tributaries, from confluence with Green River to Steinaker diversion are 2B, 3B, and 4 according to *Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R317-2-13*:

- Class 2B -- Protected for infrequent primary contact recreation. Also protected for secondary contact recreation where there is a low likelihood of ingestion of water or a low degree of bodily contact with the water. Examples include, but are not limited to, wading, hunting, and fishing.
- Class 3B -- Protected for warm water species of game fish and other warm water aquatic life, including the necessary aquatic organisms in their food chain.
- Class 4 -- Protected for agricultural uses including irrigation of crops and stock watering.

BASIS FOR EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS

Limitations pH are based on current Utah Secondary Treatment Standards, UAC R317-1-3.2. Oil and grease are based on best professional judgment (BPJ). The rest of the parameters have been determined by the Wasteload Analysis, which is attached. It has been determined that this discharge will not cause a violation of water quality standards. An Antidegradation Level II review is not required since the Level I review shows that water quality impacts are minimal. The permittee is expected to be able to comply with

these limitations.

Total dissolved solids (TDS) limitations are based upon Utah Water Quality Standards for concentration values and the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Forum (CRBSCF) for mass loading values when applicable as authorized in *UAC R317-2-4*. Regarding TDS loading, the CRBSCF Policy entitled “NPDES Permit Program Policy for Implementation of Colorado River Salinity Standards” (Policy), with the most current version dated October 2017, requires the TDS loading limitation of one-ton per day (or 366 tons per year) as a sum from all discharge points, unless the average concentration of TDS is 500 mg/L or less. If the concentration of TDS at any Outfall is less than or equal to 500 mg/L as a thirty day average, then no loading limit applies for that Outfall. The one-ton per day (or 366 tons per year) loading limit applies only to those Outfalls exceeding 500 mg/L as a thirty day average. Outfalls exceeding 500 mg/L as a thirty day average, collectively, need to meet the one-ton per day (or 366 tons per year) limit. If one-ton per day (or 366 tons per year) TDS cannot be achieved, then the permittee will be required to remove salinity/TDS in excess of one-ton per day (or 366 tons per year) by developing a treatment process, participating in a salinity off-set program, or developing some type of mechanism to remove the salinity/TDS unless a demonstration is made by the permittee resulting an exemption to these requirements. AVO has recently submitted information requesting an exemption, but the DWQ has denied the full exemption for this permit cycle -- therefore, participation in a salinity-offset program or other applicable mechanism is required.

COLORADO RIVER BASIN SALINITY CONTROL PROGRAM OFFSET

According to the *Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Program: Utah, Monitoring and Evaluation Report, FY2019* the cumulative cost of offsetting 1 ton of salt in the Uinta Basin is \$155. As of August 2020 AVO has hired an independent consulting firm to examine water chemistry and use at the Ashley Valley Oil Fields. DWQ has agreed to provide an **85% reduction, averaged over a period of roughly three years**, while AVO examines and starts to implement solutions. This payment will become due on January 31, covering the previous calendar year (January through December), with the expectation of the first payment which will cover permit issuance through December 2021 (due January 31, 2022). There will also be a 10% fee added to offset cost to cover the Utah Department of Agriculture and Food administrative fee, as they solicit and implement offset projects. As part of this offset agreement, AVO must submit data gathered and request for future offset agreement by January 1, 2023. Any violation of this agreement will revoke it, and the offset will return to current rate as determined by the *Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Program*.

| Date | Action | Cost Reduction Applied |
|------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| January 31, 2022 | Salinity Offset Payment Due (Permit issue through December 31, 2021) | 95% |
| January 1, 2023 | AVO submits data gathered and submits request for future offset agreement | NA |
| January 31, 2023 | Salinity Offset Payment Due (January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022) | 85% |
| January 1, 2024 | Agreement Expires (Cost/ ton becomes current rate or new cost determined by new agreement) | NA |
| January 31, 2024 | Salinity Offset Payment Due (January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023) | 75% |

UNDISSOCIATED H2S COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE

The DWQ has determined that AVO's current discharge is in violation of the narrative water quality standards due to excessive growth of sulphide-loving bacteria in the receiving water. As a result, the aquatic water quality standard for undissociated hydrogen sulfide of 0.002 mg/L will be applied to the discharge as an end-of-pipe limit. AVO has hired Linkan Engineering to address continued H2S limit exceedance issues. Linkan Engineering proposed a plan to achieve compliance that consists of two phases, with hope that issues will be addressed with actions taken in Phase I. If issues are addressed by Phase I, Phase II will not be needed. First table below outlines Compliance Schedule milestones. Note higher initial interim limit is to allow for additional testing. Any violation of milestones will revoke the Compliance Schedule and the final permit limit of 0.002 mg/L will immediately become active.

| Date | Milestone |
|-------------------|---|
| Permit Issue Date | H2S interim limit of 1.500 mg/L in effect |
| April 1, 2021 | H2S interim limit of 1.000 mg/L in effect |
| August 1, 2021 | Phase I design package submitted to DWQ for review |
| August 1, 2022 | Phase I updates installed |
| September 1, 2022 | If needed, AVO submits request for Phase II updates * |
| November 1, 2022 | H2S final limit of 0.002 mg/L in effect |

| Date | H2S Parameter Limit, mg/L |
|------------------|---------------------------|
| Permit Issue | 1.500 |
| April 1, 2021 | 1.000 |
| November 1, 2022 | 0.002 |

*If approved, Compliance Schedule will be modified.

Reasonable Potential Analysis

Since January 1, 2016, the DWQ has conducted reasonable potential analysis (RP) on all new and renewal applications received after that date. RP for this permit renewal was conducted following DWQ's September 10, 2015 Reasonable Potential Analysis Guidance (RP Guidance). There are four outcomes defined in the RP Guidance: Outcome A, B, C, or D. These Outcomes provide a frame work for what routine monitoring or effluent limitations are required. There was no metal data reported during the last permit cycle, so RP was not performed on metals.

The permit limitations are:

| Parameter | Effluent Limitations *a | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Maximum Monthly Avg | Maximum Weekly Avg | Yearly Average | Daily Minimum | Daily Maximum |
| Total Flow, MGD | 1.5 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| BOD ₅ , mg/L | 30 | 45 | -- | -- | -- |
| TSS, mg/L | 25 | 35 | -- | -- | -- |
| WET, Chronic Biomonitoring | -- | -- | -- | -- | IC ₂₅ > 16.7% effluent |
| Oil & Grease, mg/L | -- | -- | -- | -- | 10.0 |
| pH, Standard Units | -- | -- | -- | 6.5 | 9 |
| Undissociated H ₂ S, | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1.500/1.000/0.002 |

| | | | | | |
|-------------|--------------|----|------------------|----|------|
| mg/L *e, *f | | | | | |
| TDS, mg/L | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1200 |
| TDS *d | 1 ton/day | -- | 366 tons/year | -- | -- |

SELF-MONITORING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The following self-monitoring requirements are different than the previous permit. TDS in tons/day will now need to be calculated. The permit will require reports to be submitted monthly and annually, as applicable, on Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) forms due 28 days after the end of the monitoring period. Effective January 1, 2017, monitoring results must be submitted using NetDMR unless the permittee has successfully petitioned for an exception. Lab sheets for biomonitoring must be attached to the biomonitoring DMR. Lab sheets for metals and toxic organics must be attached to the DMRs.

| Self-Monitoring and Reporting Requirements *a | | | |
|--|----------------|-------------|-----------|
| Parameter | Frequency | Sample Type | Units |
| Total Flow *b | Continuous | Recorder | MGD |
| BOD ₅ | Monthly | Grab | mg/L |
| TSS | Monthly | Grab | mg/L |
| pH | Monthly | Grab | SU |
| WET – Biomonitoring *c | Semi- annually | Grab | Pass/Fail |
| Oil & Grease | Monthly | Grab | mg/L |
| TDS, mg/L | Monthly | Grab | mg/L |
| TDS *d | Monthly | Grab | tons/day |
| Undissociated H ₂ S, mg/L *e, *f | Monthly | Grab | mg/L |

*a See Definitions, *Part VI*, for definition of terms.

*b Flow measurements of influent/effluent volume shall be made in such a manner that the permittee can affirmatively demonstrate that representative values are being obtained.

*c One semi-annual sample is to be collected during irrigation season (April – October) and one to be collected during the non-irrigation season (November – March). Tests will be conducted using both *Ceriodaphnia dubia* and *Pimephales promelas* (fathead minnow) species.

*d No tons per day loading limit will be applied if the concentration of TDS in the discharge is equal to or less than 500 mg/L as a thirty-day average. However, if the thirty-day average TDS concentration exceeds 500 mg/L, then the permittee cannot discharge more than one-ton per day or 366 tons per year as a sum from all discharge points exceeding 500 mg/L as a thirty-day average. If the permittee cannot achieve one-ton per day or 366 tons per year as a sum from all applicable Outfalls, the permittee will be required to account for the excess salinity/TDS tonnage by developing a treatment process, participating in a salinity offset program, or other type of mechanism to remove or offset the excess salinity/TDS. See COLORADO RIVER BASIN SALINITY CONTROL PROGRAM OFFSET section in this document for agreement details.

*e Method for H₂S calculation can be found in the most recent edition of *Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater*. In the event any value associated with this parameter is non-detect, 0.5 of the detection limit will be used to calculate the reported value.

- *f The effective date for the final undissociated H₂S limit of 0.002 mg/L is November 1, 2022. At time of permit issue interim limit will be 1.500 mg/L and the interim limit of 1.000 mg/L will take effect April 1, 2021.

| Date | H ₂ S Parameter Limit, mg/L |
|------------------|--|
| Permit Issue | 1.500 |
| April 1, 2021 | 1.000 |
| November 1, 2022 | 0.002 |

BIOSOLIDS

The State of Utah has adopted the 40 CFR 503 federal regulations for the disposal of sewage sludge (biosolids) by reference. However, since this facility is a lagoon, there is not any regular sludge production. Therefore 40 CFR 503 does not apply at this time. In the future, if the sludge needs to be removed from the lagoons and is disposed in some way, the DWQ must be contacted prior to the removal of the sludge to ensure that all applicable state and federal regulations are met.

STORM WATER

STORMWATER REQUIREMENTS

Storm water requirements are not included in this permit. Instead, separate storm water permits may be required based on the types of activities occurring on site.

Permit coverage under the Construction General Storm Water Permit (CGP) is required for any construction at the facility which will disturb an acre or more, or is part of a common plan of development or sale that is an acre or greater. A Notice of Intent (NOI) is required to obtain a construction storm water permit prior to the period of construction.

As described in UAC R317-8-3.9(2)(a)3, an industrial storm water permit is only required if the facility has had a storm water discharge that results in the discharge of a reportable quantity or has contributed to a water quality standard violation.

Information on storm water permit requirements can be found at <http://stormwater.utah.gov>

PRETREATMENT REQUIREMENTS

There will be no discharge of any process water or by-product to the sanitary sewer. Any wastewater conveyed to a public sanitary sewer is subject to federal, state and local pretreatment regulations. Pursuant to section 307 of the Clean Water Act, AVO shall comply with all applicable federal pretreatment regulations promulgated in 40 CFR Section 403, the State pretreatment requirements found in UAC R317-8-8 and any specific local regulations developed by the wastewater treatment plant. Notification must be provided to the DWQ's Pretreatment Coordinator 14 days prior to discharge to a POTW which does not have an approved pretreatment program.

BIOMONITORING REQUIREMENTS

A nationwide effort to control toxic discharges where effluent toxicity is an existing or potential concern is regulated in accordance with the Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Enforcement Guidance Document for Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) Control (biomonitoring), dated February 2018. Authority to require effluent biomonitoring is provided in Permit Conditions, UAC R317-8-4.2, Permit Provisions, UAC R317-8-5.3 and Water Quality Standards, UAC R317-2-5 and R317 -2-7.2.

Acute WET testing was completed at this facility from 2004 to 2009. During that time period there were no acute toxicity failures. As a result it was eliminated from the permit during the last two permit cycles. Based on this information there appears to be no reasonable potential for acute toxicity. During this last permit cycle, testing for chronic toxicity was required, and shall continue to be required for the next permit cycle.

The renewal permit will contain a toxicity limitation re-opener provision that allows for modification of the permit at any time in the future should testing indicate the presence of toxicity in the discharge.

PERMIT DURATION

It is recommended that this permit be effective for a duration of five (5) years.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Began: November 21, 2020
Ended: December 21, 2020

Comments will be received at: 195 North 1950 West
PO Box 144870
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4870

During the public comment period provided under R317-8-6.5, any interested person may submit written comments on the draft permit and may request a public hearing, if no hearing has already been scheduled. A request for a public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. All comments will be considered in making the final decision and shall be answered as provided in R317-8-6.12.

ADDENDUM TO FSSOB

During finalization of the Permit certain dates, spelling edits and minor language corrections were completed. Due to the nature of these changes they were not considered Major and the permit is not required to be re Public Noticed.

Responsiveness Summary

No comments were received during the public comment period.

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ATTACHMENT 1

Effluent Monitoring Data

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WET Results

| Month | WET Test | Pass / Fail |
|-----------|----------|-------------|
| 9/30/2017 | Chronic | Pass |
| 3/31/2018 | Chronic | Pass |
| 9/30/2018 | Chronic | Pass |
| 3/31/2019 | Chronic | Fail |
| 9/30/2019 | Chronic | Fail |
| 3/31/2020 | Chronic | ND |
| 9/30/2017 | Chronic | ND |
| 3/31/2018 | Chronic | ND |
| 9/30/2018 | Chronic | ND |
| 3/31/2019 | Chronic | Pass |
| 9/30/2019 | Chronic | Pass |

ND = Non-detect

NR= Not reported

ATTACHMENT 2

Wasteload Analysis

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ADDENDUM
Wasteload Analysis and Antidegradation Level I Review**

Date: July 31, 2020

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Facility: Ashley Valley Operating
UPDES No. UT-0000035

Receiving water: Ashley Creek (2B, 3B, 4)

This addendum summarizes the wasteload analysis that was performed to determine water quality based effluent limits (WQBEL) for this discharge. Wasteload analyses are performed to determine point source effluent limitations necessary to maintain designated beneficial uses by evaluating projected effects of discharge concentrations on in-stream water quality. The wasteload analysis also takes into account downstream designated uses (UAC R317-2-8). Projected concentrations are compared to numeric water quality standards to determine acceptability. The numeric criteria in this wasteload analysis may be modified by narrative criteria and other conditions determined by staff of the Division of Water Quality.

Discharge

Outfall 001: Outfall is located at the discharge pipe from Ashley Valley Operating Pond #3.

The design flow rate of the facility is 1.5 MGD maximum monthly average.

Receiving Water

The receiving water for Outfall 001 is an ephemeral dry wash that drains into the Union Canal. An overflow structure diverts a portion of the flow into Ashley Creek, with the remainder flowing via the Union Canal to the Green River.

Per UAC R317-2-13.1.b, the designated beneficial uses of Ashley Creek and tributaries, from confluence with Green River to Steinaker diversion are 2B, 3B, and 4.

- *Class 2B - Protected for infrequent primary contact recreation. Also protected for secondary contact recreation where there is a low likelihood of ingestion of water or a low degree of bodily contact with the water. Examples include, but are not limited to, wading, hunting, and fishing.*
- *Class 3B - Protected for warm water species of game fish and other warm water aquatic life, including the necessary aquatic organisms in their food chain.*
- *Class 4 - Protected for agricultural uses including irrigation of crops and stock watering.*

Typically, the critical flow for the wasteload analysis is considered the lowest stream flow for

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seven consecutive days with a ten year return frequency (7Q10). Due to a lack of flow records for Ashley Creek, the 20th percentile of available flow measurements was calculated to approximate the 7Q10 low flow condition. The source of flow data was DWQ sampling station 4937210 Ashley Creek Above Confluence with Green River at 6550 South Crossing for 2010-2019. The critical low flow condition for Ashley Creek is 11.6 cfs

Ashley Creek water quality was characterized based on samples collected from DWQ monitoring site 4937210 Ashley Creek Above Confluence with Green River at 6550 South Crossing and 4937420 Ashley Creek at US40 Crossing for 2010-2019.

Impaired Waters and TMDL

Ashley Creek is listed as impaired for total dissolved solids (TDS) and selenium according to Utah's 2016 Integrated Report. A TMDL has not been completed for these constituents. Water quality based effluent limits (WQBELs) for these constituents will be set at the applicable water quality standards with no allowance for mixing.

Mixing Zone

Per UAC R317-2-5, the maximum allowable mixing zone is 15 minutes of travel time for acute conditions, not to exceed 50% of stream width, and 2,500 feet for chronic conditions. Water quality standards must be met at the end of the mixing zone. Acute limits were calculated using 50% of the seasonal critical low flow.

Parameters of Concern

The potential parameters of concern identified for the discharge were total suspended solids (TSS), dissolved oxygen (DO), biochemical oxygen demand (BOD₅), dissolved metals, undissociated H₂S, and TDS, as determined in consultation with the UPDES Permit Writer.

Wasteload Allocation Methods

Effluent limits were determined for conservative constituents using a mass balance mixing analysis (UDWQ 2012). The effluent limits for DO and BOD₅ to meet minimum DO criteria in the receiving water was evaluated using the Utah River Model.

Models and supporting documentation are available for review upon request.

WET Limits

The percent of effluent in the receiving water in a fully mixed condition, and acute and chronic dilution in a not fully mixed condition are calculated in the WLA in order to generate WET limits. The LC₅₀ (lethal concentration, 50%) percent effluent for acute toxicity and the IC₂₅ (inhibition concentration, 25%) percent effluent for chronic toxicity, as determined by the WET test, needs to be below the WET limits, as determined by the WLA. The WET limit for LC₅₀ is typically 100% effluent and does not need to be determined by the WLA.

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Table 1: WET Limits for IC₂₅

| Season | Percent Effluent | Dilution Ratio |
|--------|------------------|----------------|
| All | 16.7% | 5:1 |

Effluent Limits

Select WQBELs are summarized in Table 2. The complete list of WQBELs is attached in the Wasteload Addendum. Ammonia limits were set in order to meet instream DO criteria.

Table 2: Water Quality Based Effluent Limits Summary

| Effluent Constituent | Acute | | | Chronic | | |
|--|----------|-------|------------------|----------|-------|------------------|
| | Standard | Limit | Averaging Period | Standard | Limit | Averaging Period |
| Flow (MGD) | | | | | 1.5 | 30 days |
| Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L) | 5.0 | 5.0 | Minimum | 5.5 | 5.5 | 30 days |
| BOD ₅ (mg/L) | N/A | 45.0 | Maximum | N/A | 30.0 | 30 days |
| TDS | 1,200 | 1,200 | Maximum | | | |
| Un-dissociated H ₂ S (mg/L) | 0.002 | 0.002 | Maximum | | | |
| Turbidity Increase (NTU) | 10 | 10 | Maximum | | | |

Antidegradation Level I Review

The objective of the Level I ADR is to ensure the protection of existing uses, defined as the beneficial uses attained in the receiving water on or after November 28, 1975. No evidence is known that the existing uses deviate from the designated beneficial uses for the receiving water. Therefore, the beneficial uses will be protected if the discharge remains below the WQBELs presented in this wasteload.

A Level II Antidegradation Review (ADR) is required if the BOD limits are raised from the secondary standards in the current permit. Otherwise, a Level II ADR is not required for this discharge since the pollutant concentration and load is not increasing under this permit renewal.

Documents:

WLA Document: *AshleyValleyOperatingWLA_2020-07-31.docx*
Wasteload Analysis and Addendum: *AshleyValleyOperatingWLA_2020.xlsm*

References:

Utah Division of Water Quality. 2012. *Utah Wasteload Analysis Procedures Version 1.0*.
Utah Division of Water Quality. 2016. *Utah's 2016 Integrated Report*.

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WASTELOAD ANALYSIS [WLA]
Addendum: Statement of Basis

7/31/2020

Facilities: Ashley Valley Operating
Discharging to: Union Canal => Ashley Creek

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I. Introduction

Wasteload analyses are performed to determine point source effluent limitations necessary to maintain designated beneficial uses by evaluating projected effects of discharge concentrations on in-stream water quality. The wasteload analysis also takes into account downstream designated uses [R317-2-8, UAC]. Projected concentrations are compared to numeric water quality standards to determine acceptability. The anti-degradation policy and procedures are also considered. The primary in-stream parameters of concern may include metals (as a function of hardness), total dissolved solids (TDS), total residual chlorine (TRC), un-ionized ammonia (as a function of pH and temperature, measured and evaluated in terms of total ammonia), and dissolved oxygen.

Mathematical water quality modeling is employed to determine stream quality response to point source discharges. Models aid in the effort of anticipating stream quality at future effluent flows at critical environmental conditions (e.g., low stream flow, high temperature, high pH, etc).

The numeric criteria in this wasteload analysis may always be modified by narrative criteria and other conditions determined by staff of the Division of Water Quality.

II. Receiving Water and Stream Classification

Union Canal => Ashley Creek: 2B, 3B, 4

III. Numeric Stream Standards for Protection of Aquatic Wildlife

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|---------------------------------------|--|
| Total Ammonia (TNH3) | Varies as a function of Temperature and pH Rebound. See Water Quality Standards |
| Chronic Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) | 0.011 mg/l (4 Day Average) 0.019 mg/l (1 Hour Average) |
| Chronic Dissolved Oxygen (DO) | 5.5 mg/l (30 Day Average) 6.0 mg/l (7Day Average) 5.0 mg/l (1 Day Average) |
| Maximum Turbidity Increase | 10.0 NTU |
| Maximum Total Dissolved Solids | 1200.0 mg/l |

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Acute and Chronic Heavy Metals (Dissolved)

| Parameter | 4 Day Average (Chronic) Standard Concentration | 1 Hour Average (Acute) Standard Concentration |
|------------------|---|--|
| Aluminum | 87.0 ug/l** | 750.0 ug/l |
| Arsenic | 190.0 ug/l | 340.0 ug/l |
| Cadmium | 0.76 ug/l | 8.73 ug/l |
| Chromium III | 268.2 ug/l | 5612 ug/l |
| ChromiumVI | 11.0 ug/l | 16.0 ug/l |
| Copper | 30.5 ug/l | 51.7 ug/l |
| Iron | | 1000 ug/l |
| Lead | 18.6 ug/l | 476.8 ug/l |
| Mercury | 0.012 ug/l | 2.4 ug/l |
| Nickel | 168.5 ug/l | 1516 ug/l |
| Selenium | 4.6 ug/l | 20.0 ug/l |
| Silver | N/A ug/l | 41.1 ug/l |
| Zinc | 387.8 ug/l | 387.8 ug/l |

* Allowed below discharge
**Chronic Aluminum standard applies only to waters with a pH < 7.0 and a Hardness < 50 mg/l as CaCO3

Metals Standards Based upon a Hardness of 400 mg/l as CaCO3

Organics [Pesticides]

| Parameter | 4 Day Average (Chronic) Standard Concentration | 1 Hour Average (Acute) Standard Concentration |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Aldrin | | 1.5 ug/l |
| Carbaryl | 2.1 ug/l | 2.1 ug/l |
| Chlordane | 0.0043 ug/l | 1.2 ug/l |
| Chlorpyrifos | 0.041 ug/l | 0.083 ug/l |
| DDT, DDE | 0.001 ug/l | 0.55 ug/l |
| Diazinon | 0.17 ug/l | 0.17 ug/l |
| Dieldrin | 0.056 ug/l | 0.24 ug/l |
| Endosulfan | 0.056 ug/l | 0.11 ug/l |
| Endrin | 0.036 ug/l | 0.086 ug/l |
| Heptachlor | 0.0038 ug/l | 0.26 ug/l |
| Lindane | 0.08 ug/l | 1 ug/l |
| Methoxychlor | | 0.03 ug/l |
| Mirex | | 0.001 ug/l |
| Nonylphenol | 6.6 ug/l | 28 ug/l |
| Parathion | 0.013 ug/l | 0.066 ug/l |
| PCB's | 0.014 ug/l | |
| Pentachlorophenol | 15 ug/l | 19 ug/l |
| Toxaphene | 0.0002 ug/l | 0.73 ug/l |

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IV. Numeric Stream Standards for Protection of Agriculture

| | 4 Day Average (Chronic) Standard Concentration | 1 Hour Average (Acute) Standard Concentration |
|-------------|---|--|
| Arsenic | | 100.0 ug/l |
| Boron | | 750.0 ug/l |
| Cadmium | | 10.0 ug/l |
| Chromium | | 100.0 ug/l |
| Copper | | 200.0 ug/l |
| Lead | | 100.0 ug/l |
| Selenium | | 50.0 ug/l |
| TDS, Summer | | 1200.0 mg/l |

V. Numeric Stream Standards for Protection of Human Health (Class 1C Waters)

| | 4 Day Average (Chronic) Standard Metals Concentration | 1 Hour Average (Acute) Standard Concentration |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| Arsenic | | |
| Barium | | |
| Cadmium | | |
| Chromium | | |
| Lead | | |
| Mercury | | |
| Selenium | | |
| Silver | | |
| Fluoride (3) to Nitrates as N | | |

Chlorophenoxy Herbicides

- 2,4-D
- 2,4,5-TP
- Endrin
- γ-cyclohexane (Lindane)
- Methoxychlor
- Toxaphene

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VI. Numeric Stream Standards the Protection of Human Health from Water & Fish Consumption [Toxics]

| | Maximum Conc., ug/l - Acute Standards | |
|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| | Class 1C | Class 3A, 3B |
| | [2 Liters/Day for 70 Kg Person over 70 Yr.] | [6.5 g for 70 Kg Person over 70 Yr.] |
| Antimony | | 640 ug/l |
| Copper | | |
| Nickel | | 4600 ug/l |
| Selenium | | 4200 ug/l |
| Thallium | | 0.47 ug/l |
| Zinc | | 26000 ug/l |
| Cyanide | | 400 ug/l |
| Asbestos (million fibers/ | | |
| 2,3,7,8-TCDD Dioxin | | 5.1E-09 ug/l |
| Acrolein | | 400 ug/l |
| Acrylonitrile | | 7 ug/l |
| Benzene | | 51 ug/l |
| Bromoform | | 120 ug/l |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | | 5 ug/l |
| Chlorobenzene | | 800 ug/l |
| Chlorodibromomethane | | 21 ug/l |
| Chloroform | | 2000 ug/l |
| Dalapon | | |
| Dichlorobromomethane | | 27 ug/l |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | | 2000 ug/l |
| 1,1-Dichloroethylene | | 20000 ug/l |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | | 31 ug/l |
| 1,3-Dichloropropene | | 12 ug/l |
| Ethylbenzene | | 130 ug/l |
| Ethylene Dibromide | | |
| Methyl Bromide | | 10000 ug/l |
| Methylene Chloride | | 1000 ug/l |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroetha | | 3 ug/l |
| Tetrachloroethylene | | 29 ug/l |
| Toluene | | 520 ug/l |
| 1,2 -Trans-Dichloroethy | | 4000 ug/l |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | | 200000 ug/l |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | | 8.9 ug/l |
| Trichloroethylene | | 7 ug/l |
| Vinyl Chloride | | 1.6 ug/l |
| 2-Chlorophenol | | 800 ug/l |
| 2,4-Dichlorophenol | | 60 ug/l |
| 2,4-Dimethylphenol | | 3000 ug/l |
| 2-Methyl-4,6-Dinitrophe | | 30 ug/l |
| 2,4-Dinitrophenol | | 300 ug/l |
| 3-Methyl-4-Chlorophenol | | 2000 ug/l |
| Penetachlorophenol | | 0.04 ug/l |
| Phenol | | 300000 ug/l |
| 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol | | 600 ug/l |
| 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol | | 2.8 ug/l |
| Acenaphthene | | 90 ug/l |
| Anthracene | | 400 ug/l |
| Benzidine | | 0.011 ug/l |
| BenzoaAnthracene | | 0.0013 ug/l |

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|-------------------------|---------------|
| BenzoaPyrene | 0.00013 ug/l |
| BenzobFluoranthene | 0.0013 ug/l |
| BenzokFluoranthene | 0.013 ug/l |
| Bis2-Chloro1methylethe | 0.017 ug/l |
| Bis2-Chloro1methylethy | 4000 ug/l |
| Bis2-ChloroethylEther | 2.2 ug/l |
| Bis2-Chloroisopropy1Et | 65000 ug/l |
| Bis2-EthylhexylPhthalat | 0.37 ug/l |
| Butylbenzyl Phthalate | 0.1 ug/l |
| 2-Chloronaphthalene | 1000 ug/l |
| Chrysene | 0.13 ug/l |
| Dibenzoa, (h)Anthracen | 0.00013 ug/l |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene | 3000 ug/l |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene | 10 ug/l |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene | 900 ug/l |
| 3,3-Dichlorobenzidine | 0.15 ug/l |
| Diethyl Phthalate | 600 ug/l |
| Dimethyl Phthalate | 2000 ug/l |
| Di-n-Butyl Phthalate | 30 ug/l |
| 2,4-Dinitrotoluene | 1.7 ug/l |
| Dinitrophenols | 1000 ug/l |
| 1,2-Diphenylhydrazine | 0.2 ug/l |
| Fluoranthene | 20 ug/l |
| Fluorene | 70 ug/l |
| Hexachlorobenzene | 0.000079 ug/l |
| Hexachlorobutedine | 0.01 ug/l |
| Hexachloroethane | 0.1 ug/l |
| Hexachlorocyclopentad | 4 ug/l |
| Ideno 1,2,3-cdPyrene | 0.0013 ug/l |
| Isophorone | 1800 ug/l |
| Nitrobenzene | 600 ug/l |
| N-Nitrosodiethylamine | 1.24 ug/l |
| N-Nitrosodimethylamine | 3 ug/l |
| N-Nitrosodi-n-Propylam | 0.51 ug/l |
| N-Nitrosodiphenylamine | 6 ug/l |
| N-Nitrosopyrrolidine | 34 ug/l |
| Pentachlorobenzene | 0.1 ug/l |
| Pyrene | 30 ug/l |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene | 0.076 ug/l |
| Aldrin | 7.7E-07 ug/l |
| alpha-BHC | 0.00039 ug/l |
| beta-BHC | 0.014 ug/l |
| gamma-BHC (Lindane) | 4.4 ug/l |
| Hexachlorocyclohexane | 0.01 ug/l |
| Chlordane | 0.00032 ug/l |
| 4,4-DDT | 0.00003 ug/l |
| 4,4-DDE | 0.000018 ug/l |
| 4,4-DDD | 0.00012 ug/l |
| Dieldrin | 1.2E-06 ug/l |
| alpha-Endosulfan | 30 ug/l |
| beta-Endosulfan | 40 ug/l |
| Endosulfan Sulfate | 40 ug/l |
| Endrin | 0.03 ug/l |
| Endrin Aldehyde | 1 ug/l |
| Heptachlor | 5.9E-06 ug/l |
| Heptachlor Epoxide | 0.000032 ug/l |
| Methoxychlor | 0.02 ug/l |
| Polychlorinated Bipheny | 0.000064 ug/l |
| Toxaphene | 0.00071 ug/l |

VII. Mathematical Modeling of Stream Quality

Model configuration was accomplished utilizing standard modeling procedures. Data points were plotted and coefficients adjusted as required to match observed data as closely as possible.

The modeling approach used in this analysis included one or a combination of the following models.

(1) The Utah River Model, Utah Division of Water Quality, 1992. Based upon STREAMDO IV (Region VIII) and Supplemental Ammonia Toxicity Models; EPA Region VIII, Sept. 1990 and QUAL2E (EPA, Athens, GA).

(2) Utah Ammonia/Chlorine Model, Utah Division of Water Quality, 1992.

(3) AMMTOX Model, University of Colorado, Center of Limnology, and EPA Region 8

(4) Principles of Surface Water Quality Modeling and Control. Robert V. Thomann, et.al. Harper Collins Publisher, Inc. 1987, pp. 644.

Coefficients used in the model were based, in part, upon the following references:

(1) Rates, Constants, and Kinetics Formulations in Surface Water Quality Modeling. Environmental Research Laboratory, Office of Research and Development, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Athens Georgia. EPA/600/3-85/040 June 1985.

(2) Principles of Surface Water Quality Modeling and Control. Robert V. Thomann, et.al. Harper Collins Publisher, Inc. 1987, pp. 644.

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VIII. Modeling Information

The required information for the model may include the following information for both the upstream conditions at low flow and the effluent conditions:

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Flow, Q, (cfs or MGD) | D.O. mg/l |
| Temperature, Deg. C. | Total Residual Chlorine (TRC), mg/l |
| pH | Total NH3-N, mg/l |
| BOD5, mg/l | Total Dissolved Solids (TDS), mg/l |
| Metals, ug/l | Toxic Organics of Concern, ug/l |

Other Conditions

In addition to the upstream and effluent conditions, the models require a variety of physical and biological coefficients and other technical information. In the process of actually establishing the permit limits for an effluent, values are used based upon the available data, model calibration, literature values, site visits and best professional judgement.

Model Inputs

The following is upstream and discharge information that was utilized as inputs for the analysis. Dry washes are considered to have an upstream flow equal to the flow of the discharge.

Current Upstream Information

| | Stream | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| | Critical Low | | | | | | | | |
| | Flow | Temp. | pH | T-NH3 | BOD5 | DO | TRC | TDS | |
| | cfs | Deg. C | | mg/l as N | mg/l | mg/l | mg/l | mg/l | |
| Summer (Irrig. Season) | 11.60 | 23.4 | 8.3 | 0.05 | 3.00 | 6.33 | 0.00 | 0.0 | |
| Dissolved Metals | Al | As | Cd | CrIII | CrVI | Copper | Fe | Pb | |
| All Seasons | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | |
| | 12.00 | 1.26 | 0.10 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 1.20 | 30.4 | 0.11 | |
| Dissolved Metals | Hg | Ni | Se | Ag | Zn | Boron | | | |
| All Seasons | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | ug/l | | | |
| | 0.00106* | 5.00 | 1.06* | 0.50 | 10.00 | 10.0 | | | * 1/2 MDL |

Projected Discharge Information

| Season | Flow, MGD | Temp. |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|
| All | 1.50000 | 21.2 |

All model numerical inputs, intermediate calculations, outputs and graphs are available for discussion, inspection and copy at the Division of Water Quality.

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IX. Effluent Limitations

Current State water quality standards are required to be met under a variety of conditions including in-stream flows targeted to the 7-day, 10-year low flow (R317-2-9).

Other conditions used in the modeling effort coincide with the environmental conditions expected at low stream flows.

Effluent Limitation for Flow based upon Water Quality Standards

In-stream criteria of downstream segments will be met with an effluent flow maximum value as follows:

| Season | Daily Average | |
|--------|---------------|-----------|
| All | 1.500 MGD | 2.321 cfs |

Flow Requirement or Loading Requirement

The calculations in this wasteload analysis utilize the maximum effluent discharge flow of 1.5 MGD. If the discharger is allowed to have a flow greater than 1.5 MGD during 7Q10 conditions, and effluent limit concentrations as indicated, then water quality standards will be violated. In order to prevent this from occurring, the permit writers must include the discharge flow limitation as indicated above; or, include loading effluent limits in the permit.

Effluent Limitation for Whole Effluent Toxicity (WET) based upon WET Policy

Effluent Toxicity will not occur in downstream segments if the values below are met.

| | | | |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------|
| WET Requirements | LC50 > | 100.0% Effluent | [Acute] |
| | IC25 > | 16.7% Effluent | [Chronic] |
| | Dilution Ratio | 5.00 :1 | |

Effluent Limitation for Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD) based upon Water Quality Standards or Regulations

In-stream criteria of downstream segments for Dissolved Oxygen will be met with an effluent BOD limitation as follows:

| Season | Concentration | | |
|--------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|
| All | 30-day Ave | 30.0 mg/l as BOD5 | 375.2 lbs/day |
| All | Maximum | 45.0 mg/l as BOD6 | 562.8 lbs/day |

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Effluent Limitation for Dissolved Oxygen (DO) based upon Water Quality Standards

In-stream criteria of downstream segments for Dissolved Oxygen will be met with an effluent D.O. limitation as follows:

| Season | | |
|---------------|------------|-----------------|
| All | 30-day Ave | 5.50 mg/L as DO |
| All | Minimum | 5.00 mg/L as DO |

Effluent Limitations for Turbidity based upon Water Quality Standards

| Season | Concentration |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| All Maximum Increase | 10.0 NTU |

Effluent Limitations for Total Dissolved Solids based upon Water Quality Standards

| Season | Concentration | Load |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| All Maximum, Acute | 1200 mg/l | 7.50 tons/day |

Ashley Creek is listed on Utah's 303(d) list as impaired for TDS (2016)
No assimilative capacity exists for this pollutant. Effluent limit equals the standard.

Colorado Salinity Forum Limits Determined by Permitting Section

Effluent Limitations for Hydrogen Sulfide (undissociated) based upon Water Quality Standards

| Season | Concentration | Load |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| All Maximum, Acute | 0.002 mg/l | 0.025 lbs/day |

The Division has determined that WEO's current discharge is in violation of the narrative water quality standards due to excessive growth of sulphide-loving bacteria in the receiving water. As a result, the aquatic water quality standard for undissociated hydrogen sulfide of 0.002 mg/L will be applied to the discharge as an end-of-pipe limit.

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**Effluent Limitations for Total Recoverable Metals based upon
Water Quality Standards**

In-stream criteria of downstream segments for Dissolved Metals will be met with an effluent limitation as follows (based upon a hardness of 400 mg/l):

| | 4 Day Average | | 1 Hour Average | |
|--------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| | Concentration | Load | Concentration | Load |
| Aluminum* | N/A | N/A | 2,594.6 ug/l | 3.25E+01 lbs/day |
| Arsenic* | 1133.5 ug/l | 9.16E+00 lbs/day | 1,186.7 ug/l | 1.49E+01 lbs/day |
| Cadmium | 4.0 ug/l | 3.26E-02 lbs/day | 30.3 ug/l | 3.80E-01 lbs/day |
| Chromium III | 1599.0 ug/l | 1.29E+01 lbs/day | 19,632.8 ug/l | 2.46E+02 lbs/day |
| Chromium VI* | 56.0 ug/l | 4.53E-01 lbs/day | 51.0 ug/l | 6.39E-01 lbs/day |
| Copper | 177.0 ug/l | 1.43E+00 lbs/day | 177.9 ug/l | 2.23E+00 lbs/day |
| Cyanide* | 31.2 ug/l | 2.52E-01 lbs/day | 77.0 ug/l | 9.65E-01 lbs/day |
| Iron* | N/A | N/A | 3,423.6 ug/l | 4.29E+01 lbs/day |
| Lead | 110.9 ug/l | 8.97E-01 lbs/day | 1,668.3 ug/l | 2.09E+01 lbs/day |
| Mercury* | 0.064 ug/l | 5.18E-04 lbs/day | 8.4 ug/l | 1.05E-01 lbs/day |
| Nickel | 986.1 ug/l | 7.97E+00 lbs/day | 5,292.4 ug/l | 6.63E+01 lbs/day |
| Selenium* | 4.6 ug/l | 3.72E-02 lbs/day | 20.0 ug/l | 2.51E-01 lbs/day |
| Silver | N/A ug/l | N/A lbs/day | 142.5 ug/l | 1.79E+00 lbs/day |
| Zinc | 2276.6 ug/l | 1.84E+01 lbs/day | 1,332.2 ug/l | 1.67E+01 lbs/day |

*Limits for these metals are based on the dissolved standard.

**Effluent Limitations for Organics [Pesticides]
Based upon Water Quality Standards**

In-stream criteria of downstream segments for Organics [Pesticides] will be met with an effluent limit as follows:

| | 4 Day Average | | 1 Hour Average | |
|-------------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| | Concentration | Load | Concentration | Load |
| Aldrin | | | 1.5 ug/l | 2.91E-02 lbs/day |
| Carbaryl | 2.1 ug/l | 2.63E+01 lbs/day | 2.1 ug/l | 4.07E-02 lbs/day |
| Chlordane | 0.0043 ug/l | 5.38E-02 lbs/day | 1.2 ug/l | 2.33E-02 lbs/day |
| Chlorpyrifos | 0.041 ug/l | 5.13E-01 lbs/day | 0.083 ug/l | 1.61E-03 lbs/day |
| DDT, DDE | 0.001 ug/l | 1.25E-02 lbs/day | 0.55 ug/l | 1.07E-02 lbs/day |
| Diazinon | 0.17 ug/l | 2.13E+00 lbs/day | 0.17 ug/l | 3.30E-03 lbs/day |
| Dieldrin | 0.056 ug/l | 7.00E-01 lbs/day | 0.24 ug/l | 4.65E-03 lbs/day |
| Endosulfan | 0.056 ug/l | 7.00E-01 lbs/day | 0.11 ug/l | 2.13E-03 lbs/day |
| Endrin | 0.036 ug/l | 4.50E-01 lbs/day | 0.086 ug/l | 1.67E-03 lbs/day |
| Heptachlor | 0.0038 ug/l | 4.75E-02 lbs/day | 0.26 ug/l | 5.04E-03 lbs/day |
| Lindane | 0.08 ug/l | 1.00E+00 lbs/day | 1 ug/l | 1.94E-02 lbs/day |
| Methoxychlor | | | 0.03 ug/l | 5.82E-04 lbs/day |
| Mirex | | | 0.001 ug/l | 1.94E-05 lbs/day |
| Nonylphenol | 6.6 ug/l | 8.25E+01 lbs/day | 28 ug/l | 5.43E-01 lbs/day |
| Parathion | 0.013 ug/l | 1.63E-01 lbs/day | 0.066 ug/l | 1.28E-03 lbs/day |
| PCB's | 0.014 ug/l | 1.75E-01 lbs/day | | |
| Pentachlorophenol | 15 ug/l | 1.88E+02 lbs/day | 19 ug/l | 3.68E-01 lbs/day |
| Toxaphene | 0.0002 ug/l | 2.50E-03 lbs/day | 0.73 ug/l | 1.42E-02 lbs/day |

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**Effluent Limitations for Protection of Human Health [Toxics Rule]
Based upon Water Quality Standards (Most stringent of 1C or 3A & 3B as appropriate.)**

In-stream criteria of downstream segments for Protection of Human Health [Toxics] will be met with an effluent limit as follows:

| | Maximum Concentration | Load |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| | Concentration | Load |
| Antimony | 640 ug/l | 8.00E+00 lbs/day |
| Copper | | |
| Nickel | 4600 ug/l | 5.75E+01 lbs/day |
| Selenium | 4200 ug/l | 5.25E+01 lbs/day |
| Thallium | 0.47 ug/l | 5.88E-03 lbs/day |
| Zinc | 26000 ug/l | 3.25E+02 lbs/day |
| Cyanide | 400 ug/l | 5.00E+00 lbs/day |
| Asbestos (million fibers/L) | | |
| 2,3,7,8-TCDD Dioxin | 5.1E-09 ug/l | 6.38E-11 lbs/day |
| Acrolein | 400 ug/l | 5.00E+00 lbs/day |
| Acrylonitrile | 7 ug/l | 8.76E-02 lbs/day |
| Benzene | 51 ug/l | 6.38E-01 lbs/day |
| Bromoform | 120 ug/l | 1.50E+00 lbs/day |
| Carbon Tetrachloride | 5 ug/l | 6.25E-02 lbs/day |
| Chlorobenzene | 800 ug/l | 1.00E+01 lbs/day |
| Chlorodibromomethane | 21 ug/l | 2.63E-01 lbs/day |
| Chloroform | 2000 ug/l | 2.50E+01 lbs/day |
| Dalapon | | |
| Dichlorobromomethane | 27 ug/l | 3.38E-01 lbs/day |
| 1,2-Dichloroethane | 2000 ug/l | 2.50E+01 lbs/day |
| 1,1-Dichloroethylene | | |
| 1,2-Dichloropropane | 31 ug/l | 3.88E-01 lbs/day |
| 1,3-Dichloropropene | 12 ug/l | 1.50E-01 lbs/day |
| Ethylbenzene | 130 ug/l | 1.63E+00 lbs/day |
| Ethylene Dibromide | | |
| Methyl Bromide | 10000 ug/l | 1.25E+02 lbs/day |
| Methylene Chloride | 1000 ug/l | 1.25E+01 lbs/day |
| 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane | 3 ug/l | 3.75E-02 lbs/day |
| Tetrachloroethylene | 29 ug/l | 3.63E-01 lbs/day |
| Toluene | 520 ug/l | 6.50E+00 lbs/day |
| 1,2 -Trans-Dichloroethyle | 4000 ug/l | 5.00E+01 lbs/day |
| 1,1,1-Trichloroethane | 200000 ug/l | 2.50E+03 lbs/day |
| 1,1,2-Trichloroethane | 8.9 ug/l | 1.11E-01 lbs/day |
| Trichloroethylene | 7 ug/l | 8.76E-02 lbs/day |
| Vinyl Chloride | 1.6 ug/l | 2.00E-02 lbs/day |
| 2-Chlorophenol | 800 ug/l | 1.00E+01 lbs/day |
| 2,4-Dichlorophenol | 60 ug/l | 7.50E-01 lbs/day |
| 2,4-Dimethylphenol | 3000 ug/l | 3.75E+01 lbs/day |
| 2-Methyl-4,6-Dinitrophenol | 30 ug/l | 3.75E-01 lbs/day |
| 2,4-Dinitrophenol | 300 ug/l | 3.75E+00 lbs/day |
| 3-Methyl-4-Chlorophenol | 2000 ug/l | 2.50E+01 lbs/day |
| Penetachlorophenol | 0.04 ug/l | 5.00E-04 lbs/day |
| Phenol | 300000 ug/l | 3.75E+03 lbs/day |
| 2,4,5-Trichlorophenol | 600 ug/l | 7.50E+00 lbs/day |
| 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol | 2.8 ug/l | 3.50E-02 lbs/day |
| Acenaphthene | 90 ug/l | 1.13E+00 lbs/day |
| Anthracene | 400 ug/l | 5.00E+00 lbs/day |
| Benzidine | 0.011 ug/l | 1.38E-04 lbs/day |
| BenzoaAnthracene | 0.0013 ug/l | 1.63E-05 lbs/day |
| BenzoaPyrene | 0.00013 ug/l | 1.63E-06 lbs/day |
| BenzobFluoranthene | 0.0013 ug/l | 1.63E-05 lbs/day |
| BenzokFluoranthene | 0.013 ug/l | 1.63E-04 lbs/day |

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|---------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Bis2-Chloro1methylether | 0.017 ug/l | 2.13E-04 lbs/day |
| Bis2-Chloro1methylethylether | 4000 ug/l | 5.00E+01 lbs/day |
| Bis2-ChloroethylEther | 2.2 ug/l | 2.75E-02 lbs/day |
| Bis2-Chloroisopropy1Ether | 65000 ug/l | 8.13E+02 lbs/day |
| Bis2-EthylhexylPhthalate | 0.37 ug/l | 4.63E-03 lbs/day |
| Butylbenzyl Phthalate | 0.1 ug/l | 1.25E-03 lbs/day |
| 2-Chloronaphthalene | 1000 ug/l | 1.25E+01 lbs/day |
| Chrysene | 0.13 ug/l | 1.63E-03 lbs/day |
| Dibenzo(a, h)Anthracene | 0.00013 ug/l | 1.63E-06 lbs/day |
| 1,2-Dichlorobenzene | 3000 ug/l | 3.75E+01 lbs/day |
| 1,3-Dichlorobenzene | 10 ug/l | 1.25E-01 lbs/day |
| 1,4-Dichlorobenzene | 900 ug/l | 1.13E+01 lbs/day |
| 3,3-Dichlorobenzidine | 0.15 ug/l | 1.88E-03 lbs/day |
| Diethyl Phthalate | 600 ug/l | 7.50E+00 lbs/day |
| Dimethyl Phthalate | 2000 ug/l | 2.50E+01 lbs/day |
| Di-n-Butyl Phthalate | 30 ug/l | 3.75E-01 lbs/day |
| 2,4-Dinitrotoluene | 1.7 ug/l | 2.13E-02 lbs/day |
| Dinitrophenols | 1000 ug/l | 1.25E+01 lbs/day |
| 1,2-Diphenylhydrazine | 0.2 ug/l | 2.50E-03 lbs/day |
| Fluoranthene | 20 ug/l | 2.50E-01 lbs/day |
| Fluorene | 70 ug/l | 8.76E-01 lbs/day |
| Hexachlorobenzene | 0.000079 ug/l | 9.88E-07 lbs/day |
| Hexachlorobutidine | 0.01 ug/l | 1.25E-04 lbs/day |
| Hexachloroethane | 0.1 ug/l | 1.25E-03 lbs/day |
| Hexachlorocyclopentadiene | 4 ug/l | 5.00E-02 lbs/day |
| Ideno 1,2,3-cdPyrene | 0.0013 ug/l | 1.63E-05 lbs/day |
| Isophorone | 1800 ug/l | 2.25E+01 lbs/day |
| Nitrobenzene | 600 ug/l | 7.50E+00 lbs/day |
| N-Nitrosodiethylamine | 1.24 ug/l | 1.55E-02 lbs/day |
| N-Nitrosodimethylamine | 3 ug/l | 3.75E-02 lbs/day |
| N-Nitrosodi-n-Propylamine | 0.51 ug/l | 6.38E-03 lbs/day |
| N-Nitrosodiphenylamine | 6 ug/l | 7.50E-02 lbs/day |
| N-Nitrosopyrrolidine | 34 ug/l | 4.25E-01 lbs/day |
| Pentachlorobenzene | 0.1 ug/l | 1.25E-03 lbs/day |
| Pyrene | 30 ug/l | 3.75E-01 lbs/day |
| 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene | 0.076 ug/l | 9.51E-04 lbs/day |
| Aldrin | 7.7E-07 ug/l | 9.63E-09 lbs/day |
| alpha-BHC | 0.00039 ug/l | 4.88E-06 lbs/day |
| beta-BHC | 0.014 ug/l | 1.75E-04 lbs/day |
| gamma-BHC (Lindane) | 4.4 ug/l | 5.50E-02 lbs/day |
| Hexachlorocyclohexane (HCH) | 0.01 ug/l | 1.25E-04 lbs/day |
| Chlordane | 0.00032 ug/l | 4.00E-06 lbs/day |
| 4,4-DDT | 0.00003 ug/l | 3.75E-07 lbs/day |
| 4,4-DDE | 0.000018 ug/l | 2.25E-07 lbs/day |
| 4,4-DDD | 0.00012 ug/l | 1.50E-06 lbs/day |
| Dieldrin | 1.2E-06 ug/l | 1.50E-08 lbs/day |
| alpha-Endosulfan | 30 ug/l | 3.75E-01 lbs/day |
| beta-Endosulfan | 40 ug/l | 5.00E-01 lbs/day |
| Endosulfan Sulfate | 40 ug/l | 5.00E-01 lbs/day |
| Endrin | 0.03 ug/l | 3.75E-04 lbs/day |
| Endrin Aldehyde | 1 ug/l | 1.25E-02 lbs/day |
| Heptachlor | 5.9E-06 ug/l | 7.38E-08 lbs/day |
| Heptachlor Epoxide | 0.000032 ug/l | 4.00E-07 lbs/day |
| Methoxychlor | 0.02 ug/l | 2.50E-04 lbs/day |
| Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCB) | 0.000064 ug/l | 8.00E-07 lbs/day |
| Toxaphene | 0.00071 ug/l | 8.88E-06 lbs/day |

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**Metals Effluent Limitations for Protection of All Beneficial Uses
Based upon Water Quality Standards and Toxics Rule**

| | Class 4 Acute Agricultural ug/l | Class 3 Acute Aquatic Wildlife ug/l | Acute Toxics Drinking Water Source ug/l | Acute Toxics Wildlife ug/l | 1C Acute Health Criteria ug/l | Acute Most Stringent ug/l | Class 3 Chronic Aquatic Wildlife ug/l |
|----------------|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|
| Aluminum | | 2594.6 | | | | 2594.6 | N/A |
| Antimony | | | | 640.0 | | 640.0 | |
| Arsenic | 599.9 | 1186.7 | | | | 599.9 | 1133.5 |
| Barium | | | | | | 0.0 | |
| Beryllium | | | | | | 0.0 | |
| Boron | 3107.0 | | | | | 3107.0 | |
| Cadmium | 59.5 | 30.3 | | | | 30.3 | 4.0 |
| Chromium (III) | | 19632.8 | | | | 19632.8 | 1599.0 |
| Chromium (VI) | 589.9 | 51.0 | | | | 50.99 | 55.99 |
| Copper | 1193.8 | 177.9 | | | | 177.9 | 177.0 |
| Cyanide | | 77.0 | 400.0 | | | 77.0 | 31.2 |
| Iron | | 3423.6 | | | | 3423.6 | |
| Lead | 599.3 | 1668.3 | | | | 599.3 | 110.9 |
| Mercury | | 8.39 | | | | 8.39 | 0.064 |
| Nickel | | 5292.4 | | 4600.0 | | 4600.0 | 986.1 |
| Selenium | 292.0 | 20.0 | | | | 20.0 | 4.6 |
| Silver | | 142.5 | | | | 142.5 | |
| Thallium | | | | 0.5 | | 0.5 | |
| Zinc | | 1332.2 | | | | 1332.2 | 2276.6 |

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Summary Effluent Limitations for Metals [Wasteload Allocation, TMDL]

[If Acute is more stringent than Chronic, then the Chronic takes on the Acute value.]

| | WLA Acute ug/l | WLA Chronic ug/l | |
|----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Aluminum | 2594.6 | N/A | |
| Antimony | 640.0 | | |
| Arsenic | 599.9 | 1133.5 | Acute Controls |
| Barium | | | |
| Beryllium | | | |
| Boron | 3107.0 | | |
| Cadmium | 30.3 | 4.0 | |
| Chromium (III) | 19632.8 | 1599.0 | |
| Chromium (VI) | 51.0 | 56.0 | Acute Controls |
| Copper | 177.9 | 177.0 | |
| Cyanide | 77.0 | 31.2 | |
| Iron | 3423.6 | | |
| Lead | 599.3 | 110.9 | |
| Mercury | 8.4 | 0.1 | |
| Nickel | 4600.0 | 986.1 | |
| Selenium | 20.0 | 4.6 | |
| Silver | 142.5 | N/A | |
| Thallium | 0.5 | | |
| Zinc | 1332.2 | 2276.6 | Acute Controls |

X. Summary Comments

The mathematical modeling and best professional judgement indicate that violations of receiving water beneficial uses with their associated water quality standards, including important downstream segments, will not occur for the evaluated parameters of concern as discussed above if the effluent limitations indicated above are met.

XI. Notice of UPDES Requirement

This Addendum to the Statement of Basis does not authorize any entity or party to discharge to the waters of the State of Utah. That authority is granted through a UPDES permit issued by the Utah Division of Water Quality. The numbers presented here may be changed as a function of other factors. Dischargers are strongly urged to contact the Permits Section for further information. Permit writers may utilize other information to adjust these limits and/or to determine other limits based upon best available technology and other considerations provided that the values in this wasteload analysis [TMDL] are not compromised. See special provisions in Utah Water Quality Standards for adjustments in the Total Dissolved Solids values based upon background concentration.

ATTACHMENT 3

Reasonable Potential Analysis

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REASONABLE POTENTIAL ANALYSIS

Water Quality has worked to improve our reasonable potential analysis (RP) for the inclusion of limits for parameters in the permit by using an EPA provided model. As a result of the model, more parameters may be included in the renewal permit. A Copy of the Reasonable Potential Analysis Guidance (RP Guide) is available at water Quality. There are four outcomes for the RP Analysis¹. They are;

- Outcome A: A new effluent limitation will be placed in the permit.
- Outcome B: No new effluent limitation. Routine monitoring requirements will be placed or increased from what they are in the permit,
- Outcome C: No new effluent limitation. Routine monitoring requirements maintained as they are in the permit,
- Outcome D: No limitation or routine monitoring requirements are in the permit.

Initial screening for metals values that were submitted through the discharge monitoring reports showed that a closer look at some of the metals is not needed.

¹ See Reasonable Potential Analysis Guidance for definitions of terms