Maximum Contaminant Levels in Water Systems

Data as published in Federal register through July 17, 1992.

Primary Drinking Water Standards

INORGANICS	
Contaminant	Level, mg/L
	0.008
Antimony	
Arsenic	0.05 7 million
	fibres / L
Asbestos	(longer than
	10µm)
Barium	2
Berylium	0.004
Cadmium	0.005
Chromium	0.1
Cyanide	0.2
Fluoride	4
Lead	0.05
Mercury	0.002
Nickel	0.1
Nitrate (as N)	10
Nitrate + Nitrite (as N)	10
Nitrite (as N)	1
Selenium	0.05
Silver	0.05
Sulphate	Deferred
Thallium	0.002
ORGANICS	
(Only those fuels are shown)	
Benzene	0.005
Ethylbenzene	0.7
Toluene	1
Xylenes (total)	10
PESTICIDES	
Alachlor	0.002
Aldicarb ²	0.003
Aldicarb sulphone ²	0.003
Aldicarb sulphoxide ²	0.004

Organics	
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Asbestos	7 million fibres / L (longer than 10µm)
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Cadmium	0.005
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