

TABLE 2-4 Properties of Representative Organic Ground Water Contaminants

Pollutant	Aqueous Solubility (mg liter <sup>-1</sup> )	Henry's Law Constant (atm m <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> )	$K_{ow}$	Specific Gravity	Absolute Viscosity (cP)	Melting Point (°C)	
<b>Chlorinated hydrocarbons</b>							
有機 塩化水素	Carbon tetrachloride	$7.57 \times 10^2$	$2.41 \times 10^{-2}$	$4.37 \times 10^2$	1.58	0.965	-23
	Trichloroethylene	$1.10 \times 10^3$	$9.10 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.40 \times 10^2$	1.47	0.566	-73
	Tetrachloroethylene	$1.50 \times 10^2$	$2.59 \times 10^{-2}$	$3.98 \times 10^2$	1.63	0.89	-23
	1,2 Dichlorobenzene	$1.0 \times 10^2$	$1.93 \times 10^{-3}$	$3.98 \times 10^3$	1.30	1.32	-17
<b>Fuel hydrocarbons</b>							
炭化水素 燃料	Benzene	$1.75 \times 10^3$	$5.59 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.32 \times 10^2$	0.873	0.603	5.5
	Toluene	$5.35 \times 10^2$	$6.37 \times 10^{-3}$	$5.37 \times 10^2$	0.862	0.552	-9.5
	p-Xylene	$1.98 \times 10^2$	$7.05 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.41 \times 10^3$	0.861	0.644	13
<b>Oxygenated compounds</b>							
含酸素 化合物	Bis-2-ethylhexyl phthalate	$2.85 \times 10^{-1}$	$3.61 \times 10^{-7}$	$9.50 \times 10^3$	1.21	2.14	-50
	Phenol	$9.3 \times 10^4$	$4.54 \times 10^{-7}$	$3.0 \times 10^1$	1.0576	1.24	43
	Methyl ethyl ketone	$2.56 \times 10^5$	$4.66 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.9 \times 10^{-1}$	0.805	0.40	-86
<b>PAHs</b>							
多環芳香族 炭化水素	Benzo[a]pyrene	$3.8 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.4 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.00 \times 10^6$	1.35	NA	177
	Pyrene	$1.30 \times 10^{-1}$	$5.10 \times 10^{-6}$	$8.00 \times 10^4$	1.27	NA	150
	Naphthalene	$3.17 \times 10^{-1}$	$4.60 \times 10^{-4}$	$1.95 \times 10^3$	1.16	NA	80
<b>Pesticides</b>							
農薬	Chlordane	$5.60 \times 10^{-2}$	$9.40 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.00 \times 10^5$	1.6	NA	103-109
	Lindane	$7.80 \times 10^0$	$7.80 \times 10^{-6}$	$7.80 \times 10^3$	NA	NA	113
<b>Mixtures</b>							
	Crude oil	NA	NA	NA	0.70-0.98	8-87	NA
	Gasoline	NA	NA	NA	0.73	0.45	NA
	JP-1 jet fuel	NA	NA	NA	0.81-0.85	2.05	NA
	Coal tar (creosote)	NA	NA	NA	1.05-1.1	1.1-20	NA
<b>PCBs</b>							
	Arochlor 1248	$5.40 \times 10^{-2}$	$3.50 \times 10^{-3}$	$5.62 \times 10^5$	1.44	212 (38°C)	-7 (approx.)
	Arochlor 1260	$2.70 \times 10^{-3}$	$7.10 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.38 \times 10^7$	1.57		31 (approx.)

NOTE: Reported values at 20 or 25°C. NA indicates that data are not applicable or not available from the sources used to prepare this table. Viscosity is irrelevant for substances that are solids under ambient conditions, and mixtures melt over a range of temperatures. SOURCES: Lucius et al., 1992; Mercer and Cohen, 1990; Wing and Weaver, 1991; Montgomery and Welkom, 1990; EPA, 1982.

Table 1 (NRC 1994)

Some Properties of Various Chemicals

Chemical	Molecular weight (g/mol) <sup>a</sup>	Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>a</sup>	Solubility (mg/liter) <sup>b</sup>	Vapor pressure (atm) <sup>b</sup>	Henry's Law constant (atm · m <sup>3</sup> /mol) <sup>b</sup>	Henry's Law constant (dimensionless) <sup>b</sup>	log K <sub>ow</sub> <sup>c</sup>	Comments
Acetic acid	60.05	1.05	∞	—	—	—	—	
Aroclor 1254	325.06 <sup>d</sup>	1.50 <sup>d</sup>	1.2 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-7</sup>	2.7 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1.2 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	6.5 <sup>e</sup>	Polychlorinated biphenyl mixture (PCB)
Aroclor 1260	371.22 <sup>d</sup>	1.57 <sup>d</sup>	2.7 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	5.3 × 10 <sup>-8</sup>	7.1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	3.0 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	6.7 <sup>e</sup>	Polychlorinated biphenyl mixture (PCB)
Atrazine	215.68 <sup>d</sup>		33 <sup>b</sup>	4 × 10 <sup>-10f</sup>	3 × 10 <sup>-9f</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-7f</sup>	2.68 <sup>b</sup>	Herbicide
<u>Benzene</u>	78.11	0.88	1780	1.25 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	5.5 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	2.4 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.13	Gasoline constituent
Benz(a)anthracene	228.29		2.5 × 10 <sup>-4g</sup>	6.3 × 10 <sup>-9g</sup>	5.75 × 10 <sup>-6g</sup>	2.4 × 10 <sup>-4g</sup>	5.91	Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAH)
Benzo(a)pyrene	252.32		4.9 × 10 <sup>-5g</sup>	2.3 × 10 <sup>-10g</sup>	1.20 × 10 <sup>-6g</sup>	4.9 × 10 <sup>-5g</sup>	6.50	PAH
<u>Carbon tetrachloride</u>	153.82	1.59	800	0.12	2.3 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	9.7 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.83 <sup>b</sup>	
Chlorobenzene	112.56	1.11	472	1.6 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	3.7 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1.65 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.92	
Chloroform	119.38	1.48	8 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	0.32	4.8 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	2.0 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1.97 <sup>b</sup>	
<i>m</i> -Cresol	108.14		2,780 <sup>s</sup>				1.96	
Cyclohexane	84.16	0.78	60 <sup>s</sup>	0.13 <sup>s</sup>	0.18 <sup>s</sup>	7.3 <sup>s</sup>	3.44	
1,1-Dichloroethane	98.96	1.18	4,962 <sup>s</sup>	3.0 × 10 <sup>-1s</sup>	6 × 10 <sup>-3s</sup>	2.4 × 10 <sup>-1s</sup>	1.79	
<u>1,2-Dichloroethane</u>	98.96	1.24	8,426 <sup>s</sup>	9.1 × 10 <sup>-2s</sup>	10 <sup>-3s</sup>	4.1 × 10 <sup>-2s</sup>	1.47	
<u>cis-1,2-Dichloroethene</u>	96.94	1.28	3,500 <sup>h</sup>	0.26 <sup>h</sup>	3.4 × 10 <sup>-3h</sup>	0.25 <sup>h</sup>	1.86 <sup>h</sup>	
<u>trans-1,2-Dichloroethene</u>	96.94	1.26	6,300 <sup>h</sup>	0.45 <sup>h</sup>	6.7 × 10 <sup>-3h</sup>	0.23 <sup>h</sup>	2.06 <sup>h</sup>	
Ethane	30.07	—	2.4 × 10 <sup>-3g</sup>	39.8 <sup>s</sup>	4.9 × 10 <sup>-1g</sup>	20 <sup>s</sup>	—	Gas
Ethanol	46.07	0.79	∞	7.8 × 10 <sup>-2h</sup>	6.3 × 10 <sup>-6h</sup>	—	-0.31 <sup>h</sup>	Booze
Ethyl benzene	106.17	0.87	152	1.25 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	8.7 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	3.7 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	—	
Lindane	290.9		7.3	1.2 × 10 <sup>-8</sup>	4.8 × 10 <sup>-7</sup>	2.2 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>	—	Pesticide
Methane	16.04	—	6.7 × 10 <sup>-3g</sup>	275 <sup>s</sup>	0.66 <sup>s</sup>	27 <sup>s</sup>	—	Natural gas
Methylene chloride	84.93	1.33	1.3 × 10 <sup>4</sup>	0.46	3 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1.3 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1.15	Also called dichloromethane
Naphthalene	128.17	1.03	33	3 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	1.15 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	4.9 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	3.36	PAH
<u>Nitrogen</u>	28.01	—					—	Atmospheric gas
<i>n</i> -Octane	114.23	0.70	0.72 <sup>s</sup>	0.019 <sup>s</sup>	2.95 <sup>s</sup>	121 <sup>s</sup>	4.00 <sup>b</sup>	Alkane
Oxygen	32.00	—					—	Atmospheric gas
Pentachlorophenol	266.34	1.98	14	1.8 × 10 <sup>-7</sup>	3.4 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>	1.5 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	3.62	
<i>n</i> -Pentane	72.15	0.63	40.6 <sup>s</sup>	0.69 <sup>s</sup>	1.23 <sup>s</sup>	50.3 <sup>s</sup>	—	
Perchloroethene	165.83	1.62	400	2 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	8.3 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	3.4 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.88	Commonly used in dry cleaning; tetrachloroethene
Phenanthrene	178.23	0.98	6.2 <sup>s</sup>	8.9 × 10 <sup>-7s</sup>	3.5 × 10 <sup>-5s</sup>	1.5 × 10 <sup>-3s</sup>	4.57	PAH
Styrene	104.15	0.91					2.95 <sup>b</sup>	
Toluene	92.14	0.87	515	3.7 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	6.6 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	2.8 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.69	A common solvent
<u>1,1,1-Trichloroethane (TCA)</u>	133.40	1.34	950	0.13	1.8 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	7.7 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.48	A common solvent
<u>Trichloroethene (TCE)</u>	131.39	1.46	1 × 10 <sup>3</sup>	8 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>	4.2 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	2.42	A common solvent
<i>o</i> -Xylene	106.17	-0.88	175	8.7 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	5.1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	2.2 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>	3.12	1,2-dimethyl benzene
<u>Vinyl chloride</u>	62.50	0.91	90	3.4	2.4	99	0.60	Degradation product of TCE

<sup>a</sup>Values from Weast (1990), unless otherwise noted. Densities measured between 15.5 and 22°C, except for *o*-xylene at 10°C and phenanthrene at 4°C.

<sup>b</sup>Lyman *et al.* (1990). Solubility, vapor pressure, and Henry's Law constants are for 20°C, unless otherwise noted.

<sup>c</sup>Schwarzenbach *et al.* (1993). Note that K<sub>ow</sub> values are for 25°C.

<sup>d</sup>Values from Budavari (1989). Average number of chlorines per molecule for Aroclor 1254 and Aroclor 1260 is 4.96 and 6.30, respectively.

<sup>e</sup>Estimated from values in Anderson and Parker (1990).

<sup>f</sup>Riederer (1990).

<sup>g</sup>Schwarzenbach *et al.* (1993). Solubility, vapor pressure, and Henry's Law constants are for 25°C.

<sup>h</sup>Howard (1990). Vapor pressure for *cis*-1,2-dichloroethene is for 35°C. Solubility and vapor pressure for *trans*-1,2-dichloroethene are for 25°C. Vapor pressure for ethanol is for 25°C.

Table 2 (Hemond and Fechner 1994)