

This appendix includes a description of the modeling used in the selenium assessment, as well as figures and tables to support the assessment.

8M.1 Selenium Methodology

Project-related changes in waterborne concentrations of selenium in the Delta may result in increased selenium bioaccumulation and/or toxicity to aquatic and semi-aquatic receptors using the Delta. Historical fish tissue data from 2000, 2005, and 2007 and measured (for Sacramento River below Knights Landing and for San Joaquin River at Vernalis) or DSM2-modeled (other locations) waterborne selenium concentrations for selected locations in 2000, 2005, and 2007 were used to model water-to-tissue relationships, generally following procedures described by Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b). Implementation of the Grassland Bypass Project (GBP) has led to a 60 percent decrease in selenium loads from the Grassland Drainage Area in comparison to pre-project conditions (Tetra Tech 2008). These changes are reflected in data for the San Joaquin River at Vernalis, where water quality is monitored frequently because the river is a primary source of selenium to the Delta. Vernalis water data for two years (1999-2000, 2004-2005, and 2006-2007) were used for each year when fish data were available because of the GBP-related changes and because the lag time for selenium bioaccumulation in the piscivorous largemouth bass (*Micropterus salmoides*), the species for which the Delta-wide bioaccumulation model was calibrated, may be more than one year (Beckon 2014).

The output from the DSM2 model (expressed as percent inflow from different sources) was used in combination with the available measured waterborne selenium concentrations to model concentrations of selenium at locations throughout the Delta. These modeled waterborne selenium concentrations were used in the relationship model to estimate bioaccumulation of selenium in whole-body fish and bird eggs. Selenium concentrations in fish fillets were then estimated from those in whole-body fish. The following text, in addition to the selenium discussions in Sections 8.3.1.3, 8.3.1.5, and 8.3.1.7, provide detailed information regarding the assessment methodology for selenium.

In addition to the Delta-wide modeling for fish and birds that was calibrated with data for largemouth bass, selenium uptake and food-chain transfer information from the ecosystem-scale selenium model for the San Francisco Bay-Delta Regional Ecosystem Restoration Implementation Plan (Presser and Luoma 2013) informed our selenium bioaccumulation model. The largemouth bass has lower selenium bioaccumulation rates than those observed for sturgeon (green sturgeon, *Acipenser medirostris*, and white sturgeon, *A. transmontanus*) and is not an appropriate model species that would be protective of sturgeon. Sturgeon differ by feeding, in part, on overbite clams (*Corbula [Potamocorbula] amurensis*) in Suisun Bay and may do so in the western portion of the Delta under future conditions. Therefore, DSM2-modeled waterborne selenium concentrations from the two western-most locations in the Delta (Sacramento River at Mallard Island and San Joaquin River at Antioch Ship Channel) were used to model selenium bioaccumulation for sturgeon at those two locations to supplement the modeling done for largemouth bass.

1 The models described in this appendix were used to compare project alternatives to Existing
2 Conditions and the No Action Alternative for impact assessment.

3 **8M.2 Selenium Concentrations in Water**

4 Dissolved or total selenium data were available for six inflow locations to the Delta (Table M-1; all
5 tables are provided at the end of this appendix):

- 6 • Sacramento River below Knights Landing
- 7 • Sacramento River at Freeport
- 8 • Mildred Island, Center
- 9 • Mokelumne, Calaveras, and Cosumnes Rivers
- 10 • San Joaquin River at Vernalis (Airport Way)
- 11 • San Joaquin River near Mallard Island

12 Both dissolved and total selenium data were considered suitable for purposes of the modeling
13 conducted for the Delta, because they typically do not differ greatly. Statements related to
14 waterborne selenium concentrations in this appendix would be applicable to either dissolved or
15 total concentrations.

16 Whole-body largemouth bass data for selenium were available from the following DSM2 output
17 locations:

- 18 • Big Break
- 19 • Cache Slough Ryer
- 20 • Franks Tract
- 21 • Middle River Bullfrog
- 22 • Old River Near Paradise Cut
- 23 • Sacramento River Mile (RM) 44
- 24 • San Joaquin River Potato Slough

25 Largemouth bass data also were available from the Veterans Bridge on the Sacramento River and
26 from Vernalis on the San Joaquin River, but DSM2 data were not available for those locations;
27 therefore, historical data for selenium concentrations in water collected nearby (Table M-1) were
28 used to represent quarterly averages. The geometric mean of total selenium concentrations in water
29 collected from the Sacramento River below Knights Landing in years 2004, 2007, and 2008 (DWR
30 Website 2009) were used to represent quarterly averages of selenium concentrations in water for
31 Veterans Bridge in all years. The geometric means of selenium concentrations (total or dissolved
32 was not specified) in water collected from years 1999–2000, 2004-2005, and 2006-2007 (SWAMP
33 2009) were used to represent quarterly averages for selenium concentrations in water at Vernalis
34 during 2000, 2005, and 2007, respectively.

35 For DSM2 output locations, the geometric mean selenium concentrations from the inflow locations
36 were combined with the modeled quarterly average percent inflow for each DSM2 output location to
37 estimate waterborne selenium concentrations at those locations. The quarterly average mix of water

1 from the six inflow sources (Table M-1) was calculated from daily percent inflows provided by the
 2 DSM2 model output for the DSM2 output locations for which fish data were available. The quarterly
 3 waterborne selenium concentrations at DSM2 locations were calculated using the following
 4 equation:

$$C_{water\ quarterly} = \frac{(I_1 \cdot C_1) + (I_2 \cdot C_2) + (I_3 \cdot C_3) + (I_4 \cdot C_4) + (I_5 \cdot C_5) + (I_6 \cdot C_6)}{100} \quad [\text{Eq.1}]$$

6 Where:

7 $C_{water\ quarterly}$ = quarterly average selenium concentration in water (micrograms/liter
 8 [$\mu\text{g/L}$]) at a DSM2 output location

9 I_{1-6} = modeled quarterly inflow from each of the six sources of water to the Delta for
 10 each DSM2 output location (percentage)

11 C_{1-6} = selenium concentration in water ($\mu\text{g/L}$) from each of the six inflow sources to the
 12 Delta (1-6)

13 Example Calculation: Modeled Selenium Concentration at Franks Tract Year 2000, First Quarter:

14 $(43.94$ [% inflow from Sacramento River water source at Franks Tract] $\times 0.09$ $\mu\text{g/L}$ [Selenium concentration
 15 at Sacramento River at Freeport]) + $(11.56$ [% inflow from East Delta Tributaries water source at Franks Tract]
 16 $\times 0.10$ $\mu\text{g/L}$ [Selenium concentration at Mokelumne, Calaveras, and Cosumnes Rivers]) + $(15.79$ [% inflow
 17 from San Joaquin River water source at Franks Tract] $\times 0.83$ $\mu\text{g/L}$ [Selenium concentration at San Joaquin River
 18 at Vernalis]) + $(0.02$ [% inflow from Martinez/Suisun Bay water source at Franks Tract] $\times 0.10$ $\mu\text{g/L}$
 19 [Selenium concentration at San Joaquin River near Mallard Island]) + $(0.32$ [% inflow from Yolo Bypass water
 20 source at Franks Tract] $\times 0.23$ $\mu\text{g/L}$ [Selenium concentration at Sacramento River below Knights Landing]) +
 21 $(5.06$ [% inflow from Delta Agriculture water source at Franks Tract] $\times 0.11$ $\mu\text{g/L}$ [Selenium concentration at
 22 Mildred Island, Center])/100 = 0.19 $\mu\text{g/L}$

23 The quarterly and average annual waterborne selenium concentrations for the DSM2 output
 24 locations are shown in Table M-2 (Year 2000), Table M-3 (Year 2005), and Table M-4 (Year 2007).

25 8M.3 Bioaccumulation of Selenium into Whole-body Fish and 26 Bird Eggs

27 Selenium concentrations in whole-body fish and in bird eggs were calculated using ecosystem-scale
 28 models developed by Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b, 2013). The models were based on
 29 biogeochemical and physiological factors from laboratory and field studies; loading rates, chemical
 30 speciation, and transformation to particulate material; bioavailability; bioaccumulation in
 31 invertebrates; and trophic transfer to predators. Important components of the methodology
 32 included (1) empirically determined environmental partitioning factors between water and
 33 particulate material that quantify the effects of dissolved speciation and phase transformation; (2)
 34 concentrations of selenium in living and non-living particulates at the base of the food web that
 35 determine selenium bioavailability to invertebrates; and (3) selenium biodynamic food web transfer
 36 factors that quantify the physiological potential for bioaccumulation from particulate matter to
 37 consumer organisms and from prey to their predators.

1 **8M.3.1 Selenium Concentration in Particulates**

2 Phase transformation reactions from dissolved to particulate selenium are the primary form by
3 which selenium enters the food web. Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b, 2013) used field
4 observations to quantify the relationship between particulate material and dissolved selenium as
5 provided below.

$$6 \quad C_{\text{particulae}} = K_d \cdot C_{\text{watercolumn}} \quad [\text{Eq. 2}]$$

7 Where:

8 $C_{\text{particulate}}$ = selenium concentration in particulate material (micrograms/kilogram, dry weight
9 [$\mu\text{g}/\text{kg dw}$])

10 $C_{\text{water column}}$ = selenium concentration in water column ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)

11 K_d = particulate/water ratio

12 The K_d describes the particulate/water ratio at the moment the sample was taken and should not be
13 interpreted as an equilibrium constant (as it sometimes is mistaken to be). It can vary widely among
14 hydrologic environments and potentially among seasons (Presser and Luoma 2010a, 2010b, 2013).
15 In addition, other factors such as speciation, residence time, and particle type affect K_d . Residence
16 time of selenium is usually the most influential factor on the conditions in the receiving water
17 environment. Short water residence times (e.g., streams and rivers) limit partitioning of selenium
18 into particulate material. Conversely, longer residence times (e.g., sloughs, lakes, estuaries) allow
19 greater uptake by plants, algae, and microorganisms. Furthermore, environments in downstream
20 portions of a watershed can receive cumulative contributions of upstream recycling in a hydrologic
21 system. Due to its high variability, K_d is a large source of uncertainty in any selenium model where
22 extrapolations from selenium concentrations in the water column to those in aquatic organism
23 tissues, or from tissue to waterborne concentrations, are necessary.

24 In calibrating the Delta-wide bioaccumulation model for bass, the particulate selenium
25 concentration initially was estimated using Equation 2 and a default K_d of 1,000 (Presser and
26 Luoma 2010a). Because the K_d is typically much more variable than other steps in the
27 bioaccumulation model, the K_d was then adjusted to calibrate the model so that the modeled
28 concentrations for fish approximated the measured concentrations in bass for normal and wet
29 years (2000 and 2005) and for dry years (2007), as described in more detail in Section 8M.4.
30 Presser and Luoma (2013) determined K_d values for San Francisco Bay (including Carquinez Strait –
31 Suisun Bay) during “low flow” conditions (5,986) and “average” conditions (3,317). These values
32 were used to model selenium concentrations in particulates in bioaccumulation modeling for
33 sturgeon under “Drought” and “All” year conditions at the two locations in the western Delta. (By
34 comparison, calibration of the Delta-wide models for the western-most location from which bass
35 had been collected [Big Break] resulted in an average $K_d = 3,736$ for 2000/2005 [Model 4,
36 normal/wet years] and average $K_d = 7,166$ for 2007 [Model 5, dry year].)

37 **8M.3.2 Selenium Concentrations in Invertebrates**

38 Species-specific trophic transfer factors (TTFs) for transfer of selenium from particulates to prey
39 and to predators were developed using data from laboratory experiments and field studies (Presser
40 and Luoma 2010a, 2010b, 2013). TTFs are species-specific, but the range of TTFs for freshwater

1 invertebrates was found to be similar to TTFs for marine invertebrates determined in laboratory
2 experiments.

3 TTFs for estimating selenium concentrations in invertebrates were calculated using the following
4 equation:

$$TTF_{invertebrae} = \frac{C_{invertebrae}}{C_{particulate}} \quad [\text{Eq. 3}]$$

6 Where:

7 $TTF_{invertebrate}$ = trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

8 $C_{invertebrate}$ = concentration of selenium in invertebrate ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

9 $C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

10 An average aquatic insect TTF was calculated from TTFs for aquatic insect species with similar
11 bioaccumulative potential, including mayfly (Baetidae; Heptageniidae; Ephemerellidae), caddisfly
12 (Rhyacophilidae; Hydropsychidae), crane fly (Tipulidae), stonefly (Perlodidae/Perlidae;
13 Chloroperlidae), damselfly (Coenagrionidae), corixid (*Cenocorixa* sp.), and chironomid (*Chironomus*
14 sp.) aquatic life stages. Species-specific TTFs ranged from 2.1 to 3.2; the average TTF of 2.8 was used
15 in the Delta-wide model.

16 Sturgeon in the western Delta, Carquinez Strait, and Suisun Bay typically prey on a mix of clams
17 (including *Corbula amurensis*, which is known to be an efficient bioaccumulator of selenium; Stewart
18 et al. 2010) and crustaceans. Presser and Luoma (2013) assumed a sturgeon diet of 50 percent
19 clams and 50 percent amphipods and other crustaceans in their model. Based on this diet, the
20 authors reported a TTF of 9.2 (identified as TTF_{prey} in Table 1 of Presser and Luoma [2013]). This
21 TTF was used to calculate concentrations in sturgeon invertebrate prey for the San Joaquin River at
22 Antioch and Sacramento River at Mallard Island locations to compare project alternatives to Existing
23 Conditions and the No Action Alternative for impact assessment.

24 **8M.3.3 Selenium Concentrations in Whole-body Fish**

25 The mechanistic equation for modeling of selenium bioaccumulation in fish tissue is similar to that
26 for invertebrates if whole-body concentrations are the endpoint (Presser and Luoma 2010a, 2010b,
27 2013), as follows:

$$TTF_{fish} = \frac{C_{fish}}{C_{invertebrae}}$$

where:

$$C_{invertebrae} = C_{particulae} \bullet TTF_{invertebrae}$$

therefore:

$$C_{fish} = C_{particulae} \bullet TTF_{invertebrae} \bullet TTF_{fish} \quad [\text{Eq. 4}]$$

Where:

C_{fish} = concentration of selenium in fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

$C_{invertebrate}$ = concentration of selenium in invertebrate ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

$C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

$TTF_{invertebrate}$ = trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

TTF_{fish} = trophic transfer factor from invertebrate to fish

Modeling selenium bioaccumulation into a particular fish species considers organism physiology and its preferred foods. However, variability in fish tissue concentrations of selenium for present modeling purposes is driven more by dietary choices and their respective levels of bioaccumulation (i.e., $TTF_{invertebrate}$) than by differences in fish physiology or the dietary transfer to the fish (TTF_{fish}). A diet of mixed prey (including invertebrates or other fish) can be modeled as follows:

$$C_{fish} = TTF_{fish} \bullet [(C_1 \bullet F_1) + (C_2 \bullet F_2) + (C_3 \bullet F_3)] \quad [\text{Eq. 5}]$$

Where:

C_{fish} = concentration of selenium in fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

TTF_{fish} = trophic transfer factor for fish species

C_{1-3} = concentration of selenium in invertebrate or fish prey items 1, 2, and 3 ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

F_{1-3} = fraction of diet composed of prey items 1, 2, and 3

Modeling of selenium concentrations in longer food webs with higher trophic levels (e.g., predator fish consuming forage fish) can be completed by incorporating additional TTFs; for example:

$$C_{predatorfish} = C_{particulae} \bullet TTF_{invertebrate} \bullet TTF_{foragefish} \bullet TTF_{predatorfish} \quad [\text{Eq. 6}]$$

Where:

$C_{predatorfish}$ = concentration of selenium in fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

$TTF_{invertebrate}$ = trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

1 $C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

2 $TTF_{forage\ fish}$ = trophic transfer factor for invertebrates to foraging fish species

3 $TTF_{predator\ fish}$ = trophic transfer factor for forage fish to predator species

4 The fish TTFs reported in Presser and Luoma (2010a) ranged from 0.5 to 1.6, so the average fish
5 TTF of 1.1 was used for all trophic levels of fish in the Delta-wide model. A TTF of 1.3 (identified as
6 $TTF_{predator}$) was reported for sturgeon in Presser and Luoma (2013) and was used to calculate
7 concentrations of selenium in sturgeon for the two western Delta locations.

8 Modeled selenium concentrations in whole-body fish were used to estimate selenium
9 concentrations in fish fillets, as described in Section 8M.5.

10 **8M.3.4 Selenium Concentrations in Bird Eggs**

11 Selenium concentrations in bird tissues can be estimated, but the transfer of selenium into bird eggs
12 is more meaningful for evaluating reproductive endpoints (Presser and Luoma 2010a; Ohlendorf
13 and Heinz 2011). Examples of models for selenium transfer to bird eggs are as follows:

$$14 \quad C_{bird\ egg} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrae} \bullet TTF_{bird\ egg} \quad [\text{Eq. 7}]$$

15 Or:

$$16 \quad C_{bird\ egg} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrae} \bullet TTF_{fish} \bullet TTF_{bird\ egg} \quad [\text{Eq. 8}]$$

17 Where:

18 $C_{bird\ egg}$ = concentration of selenium in bird egg ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

19 $C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

20 $TTF_{invertebrate}$ = trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

21 TTF_{fish} = trophic transfer factor from invertebrate to fish

22 $TTF_{bird\ egg}$ = trophic transfer factor from invertebrate or fish (depending on diet) to bird egg

23 Equation 8 is based on birds such as herons or terns feeding on small fish. Presser and Luoma
24 (2010b, 2013) reviewed the available data for selenium bioaccumulation from diet to bird eggs and
25 concluded that the mean $TTF_{bird\ egg} = 2.6$ was most appropriate for modeling. This TTF was based on
26 laboratory studies in which mallards (*Anas platyrhynchos*) were fed selenium-fortified diets to
27 evaluate reproductive effects. Mallards are considered a sensitive species to selenium based on
28 reproductive endpoints. In their previous evaluation of those data, Presser and Luoma (2010a)
29 concluded that a $TTF_{bird\ egg} = 1.8$ was appropriate. The form of selenium included in the mallard diet
30 (selenomethionine) has been used as a surrogate in many laboratory studies to represent exposure
31 of fish and birds under field conditions. Other laboratory studies were conducted with black-
32 crowned night-herons (*Nycticorax nycticorax*; Smith et al. 1988), eastern screech-owls (*Otus asio*;
33 Wiemeyer and Hoffman 1996), and American kestrels (*Falco sparverius*; Santolo et al. 1999). In each
34 of these studies, the experimental groups also received supplemental selenium in the form of
35 selenomethionine. Transfer factors for the selenium-supplemented birds varied from about 1.0 to
36 2.2, with a mean of 1.5.

1 In field studies conducted at Kesterson Reservoir and the Volta Wildlife Area reference site,
 2 extensive sampling of food-chain biota and bird eggs was conducted during 1983-1985, and birds
 3 were collected to determine qualitatively the kinds of aquatic organisms they had eaten (Saiki and
 4 Lowe 1987; Hothem and Ohlendorf 1989; Schuler et al. 1990; Ohlendorf and Hothem 1995). Based
 5 on the kinds of food items found in each of the sampled species and the mean selenium
 6 concentrations in those kinds of organisms, a mean selenium concentration was estimated for each
 7 species at each site during each nesting season. In contrast to the findings with selenomethionine-
 8 supplemented diets in the laboratory, TTFs from diet to eggs were almost always less than 2.0. At
 9 the Volta Wildlife Area, where diet and egg selenium concentrations were representative of
 10 “background” conditions, transfer factors ranged from 0.63 to 2.0, with a mean of 1.35. At Kesterson,
 11 the transfer factors ranged from <0.2 to 0.48.

12 Given that selenomethionine in the mallard diet is probably more readily transferred to eggs than
 13 are the selenium forms in field-collected food-chain biota, the $TTF_{bird\ egg} = 1.8$ value from Presser and
 14 Luoma (2010a) was used in the bioaccumulation model.

15 **8M.4 Refinement of Selenium Bioaccumulation Models for the Delta**

16 Several models were evaluated and refined to estimate selenium uptake in fish and in bird eggs from
 17 waters in the Delta. Input parameters to the model (K_d s and the number of trophic levels) were
 18 varied among the models as refinements were made. Data for largemouth bass collected in the Delta
 19 from areas near DSM2 output locations were used to calculate the geometric mean selenium
 20 concentration in whole-body fish (Foe 2010a). The ratio of the estimated selenium concentration in
 21 fish to measured selenium in whole-body bass was used to evaluate each fish model and to focus
 22 refinements of the model. These Delta-wide models are presented in the following subsections
 23 (modeling for sturgeon at the two western-most locations did not require refinement because it
 24 relied on recent data provided by Presser and Luoma [2013]), as described in Section 8M.3.

25 Characteristics of water flow in the Delta affect selenium bioaccumulation and the model
 26 refinements, because longer residence time for the water can be expected to increase
 27 bioaccumulation by increasing K_d . Foe (2010a) reported the water year type for 2000 as “above
 28 normal” for both the Sacramento River and San Joaquin River watersheds. It came after “wet” water
 29 years and was followed by “dry” water years. Year 2005 was wetter than 2000, was reported as
 30 “above normal” for the Sacramento River watershed and wet for the San Joaquin River watershed,
 31 and occurred between periods of wet water years. Water Year 2007 was reported as dry
 32 (Sacramento River watershed) and “critically dry” (San Joaquin River watershed). It came after wet
 33 water years and was followed by critically dry water years.

34 There was no difference in bass selenium concentrations in the Sacramento River at Rio Vista in
 35 comparison to the San Joaquin River at Vernalis in 2000, 2005, and 2007 (Foe 2010a). The lack of a
 36 difference in bioavailable selenium between the two river systems was unexpected because the San
 37 Joaquin River is considered a significant source of selenium to the Delta. Year 2005 selenium
 38 concentrations in bass were comparatively lower than those estimated for Year 2000. As expected in
 39 a wet water year, the water residence time was shorter, resulting in less selenium recycling, lower
 40 K_d values, and lower concentrations of selenium entering the food web. The dry water year (2007)
 41 resulted in a longer water residence time, higher K_d values, greater selenium recycling, and higher
 42 concentrations of bioavailable selenium entering the food web. These differences among years were
 43 considered when refining the selenium bioaccumulation model.

1 8M.4.1 Bioaccumulation in Whole-body Fish

2 Models estimating whole-body selenium concentrations in fish were refined by modifying dietary
3 composition and input parameters to closely represent measured conditions in the Delta. Each
4 model is described in this section.

5 Model 1 was a basic representative of uptake by a forage fish, while Model 2 calculated sequential
6 bioaccumulation in a more complex food web that included predatory fish eating forage fish, as
7 shown below:

- 8 • Model 1: Trophic level 3 (TL-3) fish eating invertebrates

$$9 \quad C_{fish} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrae} \bullet TTF_{fish} \quad [Eq. 9]$$

- 10 • Model 2: Trophic level 4 (TL-4) fish eating TL-3 fish

$$11 \quad C_{predatorfish} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrate} \bullet TTF_{foragefish} \bullet TTF_{predatorfish} \quad [Eq. 10]$$

12 Where:

13 C_{fish} = concentration of selenium in fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

14 $C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

15 $TTF_{invertebrate}$ = Trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

16 TTF_{fish} = Trophic transfer factor from invertebrate or fish to fish

17 Equation 9 is the same as Equation 4 and Equation 10 is the same as Equation 6 that were described
18 above for the generalized model. In both Models 1 and 2, the particulate selenium concentration was
19 estimated using Equation 2 and a default K_d of 1,000. The average TTFs for invertebrates (2.8) and
20 fish (1.1) were used in each model. The outputs of estimated selenium concentrations and the ratios
21 of predicted-to-observed bass selenium concentrations for Models 1 and 2 are presented in Table M-
22 5 and Figure M-1 (all figures are provided at the end of this appendix).

23 Models 1 and 2 tended to substantially underestimate the whole-body selenium concentrations in
24 fish when compared to bass data reported in Foe (2010a). This was partly because Model 1 was
25 estimating selenium concentration in a forage fish (TL-3), whereas bass are a predatory fish with
26 expected higher dietary exposure. Consequently, Model 1 was not further developed as the selenium
27 bioaccumulation model to represent fish in the Delta.

28 Model 2 is representative of predatory fish, but Model 2 was very similar to Model 1 in distribution
29 of data and in underestimating bass data, even though an additional trophic-level transfer was
30 included in the model. As noted in Section 8M.3 and described in much greater detail by Presser and
31 Luoma (2010a, 2010b, 2013), the K_d s for uptake from water are far more variable than the TTFs for
32 invertebrates or fish. Models 1 and 2 also apparently reflect the tendency of selenium (as an
33 essential nutrient) to be more bioaccumulative when waterborne concentrations are low (as
34 described by Stewart et al. [2010]), which they were for the DSM2-modeled concentrations (i.e., 0.09
35 to 0.85 $\mu\text{g/L}$). Available K_d values from various sampling efforts in the Delta provided by Presser and
36 Luoma (2010b) were reviewed for potential applicability in the modeling effort. Those values varied
37 on the basis of locations within the Delta and Suisun Bay and also by water year and flow
38 characteristics (often greater than 5,000 and sometimes exceeding 10,000). However, efforts to
39 incorporate various selected K_d s (e.g., 2,000 or 3,000) into the model uniformly for different DSM2

1 locations failed to produce ratios of modeled-to-measured fish selenium concentrations that
2 approximated 1 (they either over- or underestimated fish selenium because of variability in site
3 conditions).

4 The available bass data and the assumed TTFs for fish (1.1) and invertebrates (2.8) were used to
5 back-calculate a location and sample-specific K_d . It is recognized that some of the variability in
6 bioaccumulation may be associated with the TTFs, but there were no reasonable assumptions for
7 selection of alternative values to plug into the model.

8 When TTFs were held constant, back-calculation of K_d values revealed a concentration-related
9 influence on the values. For waterborne selenium concentrations in the range of 0.09 to 0.13 $\mu\text{g/L}$
10 ($N = 50$), the median K_d was 5,575; when waterborne selenium concentrations were in the range of
11 0.14 to 0.40 $\mu\text{g/L}$ ($N = 19$), the median K_d was 2,431; for waterborne selenium concentrations in the
12 range of 0.41 to 0.85 $\mu\text{g/L}$ ($N = 19$), the median K_d was 748. These observations are consistent with
13 an inverse relationship between waterborne selenium concentrations and bioaccumulation in
14 aquatic organisms.

15 Figure M-2 shows the log-log regression relation of K_d to waterborne selenium concentration when
16 all years are included and the TTFs are held constant, while Figure M-3 shows the relationship for
17 normal/wet years (2000 and 2005) and Figure 4 shows the regression for dry years (2007), when
18 the K_d s were generally higher.

19 Model 3 is based on Model 2 (with TTFs as described above) but includes the K_d estimated from the
20 log-log regression relation for all years (Figure M-2). This produced a median ratio of predicted-to-
21 observed whole-body selenium in bass that slightly exceeded 1 (Figure M-1); details are provided in
22 Table M-6. Because of the noticeable differences between 2007 (the dry year) in comparison to the
23 other two years, the next step in modeling was to evaluate 2007 separately from 2000 and 2005.

24 Model 4 was developed using the log-log relationship between K_d and water selenium
25 concentrations for 2000/2005 (Figure M-3), and Model 5 was developed using log-log relationship
26 between K_d and water selenium concentrations for 2007 (Figure M-4) (Table M-7). These two
27 models produced ratios of predicted-to-observed whole-body selenium in bass approximating 1, as
28 shown in Figure M-1.

29 As expected in a large, complex, and diverse ecological habitat such as the Delta, variations in the
30 data distribution and in the outputs of the models are not surprising. However, it should be noted
31 that the estimated K_d s for Models 3 (674-6,060; Table M-6), 4 (651-4,997; Table M-7), and 5 (1,206-
32 8,064; Table M-7) are consistent with those summarized by Presser and Luoma (2010b) for the
33 Delta.

34 Figures M-5 and M-6 illustrate the distribution of data for selenium concentrations in largemouth
35 bass (Foe 2010a) relative to the measured or DSM2-modeled waterborne selenium concentrations
36 (Tables M-1 through M-4) and Models 3, 4, and 5 to complement the boxplots shown in Figure M-1.
37 There is notably more variability in selenium concentrations in bass between 0.09 and 0.13 $\mu\text{g/L}$
38 than at higher waterborne selenium concentrations (as shown in both Figures M-5 and M-6); most
39 of the higher values are from 2007 and most of the lower ones are from 2005.

40 Figure M-5 shows the available data for 2000, 2005, and 2007 plotted with the Model 3 prediction of
41 selenium concentrations. As noted above in text and in Figure M-1, the model slightly over-predicts
42 the median concentrations in fish on the basis of waterborne selenium concentrations. This effect is
43 reflected in Figure M-1 by the outliers above the 90th percentile bar (i.e., the higher over-predictions

1 for fish, which are those from 2000/2005). However, overall, the model is within 1 µg/g for all
 2 values below the prediction, and within about 1.2 µg/g for the values that are above the prediction
 3 (Figure M-5).

4 Because of the notable differences between data for 2007 in comparison to combined 2000 and
 5 2005, we developed Model 4 for 2000/2005 and Model 5 for 2007; Figure M-6 shows those model
 6 predictions in comparison to the data. These two models improved the predictions; although the
 7 figure shows more differences between data and the models at the lower waterborne
 8 concentrations (i.e., < 0.30 µg/L) than at higher ones, the divergence is generally < 0.5 µg/g at the
 9 higher waterborne concentrations. The outliers for Model 4 are mostly above the 90th percentile
 10 (i.e., over-predicting concentrations in fish), rather than below, as shown in Figure M-1. For Model 5,
 11 the predictions are “tighter” with just a few outliers above or below the 90th percentile.

12 Overall, evaluation of water-year effects on selenium concentration in bass concluded that Model 4
 13 is relatively predictive of selenium concentration in whole-body bass during normal to wet water
 14 years, Model 5 is considered predictive for dry water years (e.g., 2007), and Model 3 incorporates
 15 the varying bioaccumulation when all years are considered (i.e., 2000, 2005, and 2007). Although
 16 Model 3 tends to slightly overestimate selenium bioaccumulation (Table M-6 and Figure M-1), it was
 17 used for estimating selenium concentrations in whole-body fish to compare project alternatives to
 18 Existing Conditions and the No Action Alternative for impact assessment for “All” years, and Model 5
 19 was used for “Drought” years.

20 **8M.4.2 Bioaccumulation in Bird Eggs**

21 The K_d , invertebrate TTF, and fish TTFs developed for use in fish bioaccumulation Models 4 and 5
 22 were also used to estimate selenium uptake into bird eggs using the following two bird egg models
 23 (Table M-8):

- 24 • Bird Egg: Uptake from invertebrates

$$C_{bird\,egg} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrate} \bullet TTF_{bird\,egg}$$

where :

$$C_{particulate} = K_d \bullet C_{water} \quad [Eq. 11]$$

- 26 • Bird Egg: Uptake from fish

$$C_{bird\,egg} = C_{particulate} \bullet TTF_{invertebrate} \bullet TTF_{fish} \bullet TTF_{fish} \bullet TTF_{bird\,egg}$$

27 where : [Eq. 12]

$$C_{particulate} = K_d \bullet C_{water}$$

28 Where:

29 $C_{bird\,egg}$ = concentration of selenium in bird egg (µg/g dw)

30 $C_{particulate}$ = concentration of selenium in particulate material (µg/g dw)

31 C_{water} = selenium concentration in water column (µg/L)

32 K_d = particulate/water ratio

33 $TTF_{invertebrate}$ = trophic transfer factor from particulate material to invertebrate

34 TTF_{fish} = trophic transfer factor from invertebrate or fish to fish

1 $TTF_{bird\ egg}$ = trophic transfer factor from invertebrate or fish (depending on diet) to bird egg
 2 Equation 11 is the same as Equation 7, but Equation 12 differs from Equation 8 in that it assumes
 3 birds are eating larger predatory fish such as bass.

4 **8M.5 Bioaccumulation in Fish Fillets**

5 Selenium concentrations in whole-body fish from the bioaccumulation model were converted to
 6 selenium concentrations in skinless fish fillets for evaluation of potential human health effects in the
 7 EIR/EIS. The regression equation provided in Saiki et al. (1991) for largemouth bass from the San
 8 Joaquin River system was considered to be the most representative of fish in the Delta and was used
 9 for the conversion of these selenium concentrations as follows:

$$10 \quad SF = -0.388 + 1.322 WB \quad [Eq. 13]$$

11 Where:

12 SF = selenium concentration in skinless fish fillet ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

13 WB = selenium concentration in whole-body fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

14 To compare project alternatives to Existing Conditions and the No Action Alternative for impact
 15 assessment, fish fillet data were compared to the advisory tissue level ($2.5 \mu\text{g/g}$) in wet weight (ww)
 16 (OEHHA 2008); therefore, wet-weight concentrations were estimated from dry-weight
 17 concentrations using the equation provided by Saiki et al. (1991) as follows:

$$18 \quad WW = DW \cdot (100 - Moist) / 100 \quad [Eq. 14]$$

19 Where:

20 WW = selenium concentration in wet weight ($\mu\text{g/g ww}$)

21 DW = selenium concentration in dry weight ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

22 $Moist$ = mean moisture content of the species

23 Because moisture content in fish varies among species, sample handling, and locations, the mean
 24 moisture content of 70 percent used by Foe (2010b) was used as an assumed approximation for fish
 25 in the Delta. The final equation used to estimate selenium concentration in skinless fish fillets (wet
 26 weight) from selenium concentration in whole-body fish (dry weight) is as follows:

$$27 \quad SF = (-0.388 + 1.322 WB) \cdot 0.3 \quad [Eq. 15]$$

28 Where:

29 SF = selenium concentrations in skinless fish fillet ($\mu\text{g/g ww}$)

30 WB = selenium concentration in whole-body fish ($\mu\text{g/g dw}$)

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1 ABBREVIATIONS

2	µg/L	micrograms/liter
3	µg/g dw	micrograms/gram, dry weight
4	µg/g ww	micrograms/gram, wet weight
5	GM	geometric mean (in separate Excel tables)
6	NA	not available (in separate Excel tables)
7	OEHHA	Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
8	RM	River Mile
9	SFEI	San Francisco Estuary Institute
10	SWAMP	Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board Surface Water Ambient Monitoring
11		Program
12	TL	trophic level
13	TTF	trophic transfer factor
14	USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
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2**Table M-1. Selenium Concentrations in Water at Inflow Sources to the Delta**

Delta Sources	Representative Inflow Site	GM Se Concentration in Water ($\mu\text{g/L}$)^a	Years	Source
Delta Agriculture	Mildred Island, Center	0.11	2000	Lucas and Stewart 2007
East Delta Tributaries	Mokelumne, Calaveras, and Cosumnes Rivers	0.10 ^b	None	None
Martinez/Suisun Bay	San Joaquin River near Mallard Island	0.10	02/2000–08/2008	SFEI Website 2014
Sacramento River	Sacramento River at Freeport	0.09	11/2007–07/2014	USGS Website 2014
San Joaquin River	San Joaquin River at Vernalis (Airport Way)	0.45 ^c	11/2007-08/2014	USGS Website 2014
San Joaquin River	San Joaquin River at Vernalis (Airport Way)	0.83 ^d	1999-2000	SWAMP Website 2009
		0.85	2004-2005	SWAMP Website 2009
		0.58	2006-2007	SWAMP Website 2009
Yolo Bypass	Sacramento River below Knights Landing	0.23 ^e	2004, 2007, 2008	DWR Website 2009

Notes:

^a Selenium concentrations are in dissolved fraction unless otherwise noted.^b Dissolved selenium concentration is assumed to be 0.1 $\mu\text{g/L}$ due to lack of available data and lack of sources that would be expected to result in concentrations greater than 0.1 $\mu\text{g/L}$.^c Data used to represent current/baseline conditions for comparison of alternatives.^d Not specified whether total or dissolved selenium; data for 1999-2000 used for bioaccumulation by bass in 2000; data for 2004-2005 for bass in 2005; and data for 2006-2007 for bass in 2007.^e Total selenium concentration in water. $\mu\text{g/L}$ = microgram(s) per liter

GM = geometric mean

Se = selenium

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1 Table M-5. Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Models 1 and 2

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000								Year 2005							Year 2007								
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2
	First Quarter								First Quarter							First Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.27	0.30	2.6	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.5	0.19	0.21	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.8	0.15	0.17
Cache Slough Rye ^b	0.10	0.10	0.28	0.31	0.34	1.5	0.21	0.23	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.29	0.31	1.7	0.17	0.18	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	2.5	0.11	0.12
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.17	0.17	0.47	0.52	0.57	1.4	0.38	0.42	0.14	0.14	0.40	0.44	0.48	1.3	0.33	0.37	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	2.5	0.11	0.13
Franks Tract	0.19	0.19	0.53	0.58	0.64	1.6	0.35	0.39	0.15	0.15	0.41	0.45	0.49	1.1	0.39	0.43	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.29	0.32	3.0	0.10	0.11
Big Break	0.13	0.13	0.35	0.39	0.43	1.6	0.25	0.28	0.11	0.11	0.31	0.34	0.37	1.0	0.33	0.37	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	2.8	0.10	0.11
Middle River Bullfrog	0.31	0.31	0.86	0.95	1.05	NA	NA	NA	0.46	0.46	1.29	1.42	1.56	1.9	0.7	0.8	0.20	0.20	0.55	0.61	0.67	2.1	0.3	0.3
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.73	0.73	2.05	2.25	2.48	NA	NA	NA	0.78	0.78	2.19	2.41	2.66	2.4	1.0	1.1	0.56	0.56	1.57	1.73	1.90	NA	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.83	2.32	2.56	2.81	1.7	1.50	1.65	0.85	0.85	2.38	2.62	2.88	1.9	1.38	1.52	0.58	0.58	1.62	1.79	1.97	2.4	0.74	0.82
	Second Quarter								Second Quarter							Second Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.30	2.6	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.30	1.5	0.19	0.21	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.8	0.15	0.17
Cache Slough Rye ^b	0.11	0.11	0.32	0.35	0.38	1.5	0.23	0.26	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.33	1.7	0.17	0.19	0.10	0.10	0.29	0.32	0.35	2.5	0.12	0.14
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.24	0.24	0.67	0.74	0.81	1.4	0.54	0.60	0.36	0.36	1.02	1.12	1.23	1.3	0.86	0.94	0.13	0.13	0.38	0.42	0.46	2.5	0.17	0.18
Franks Tract	0.27	0.27	0.76	0.83	0.92	1.6	0.51	0.56	0.49	0.49	1.36	1.50	1.65	1.1	1.31	1.44	0.14	0.14	0.39	0.43	0.47	3.0	0.14	0.16
Big Break	0.20	0.20	0.55	0.60	0.66	1.6	0.39	0.43	0.30	0.30	0.83	0.91	1.00	1.0	0.89	0.98	0.12	0.12	0.33	0.36	0.39	2.8	0.13	0.14
Middle River Bullfrog	0.61	0.61	1.71	1.88	2.07	NA	NA	NA	0.75	0.75	2.09	2.30	2.53	1.9	1.2	1.3	0.29	0.29	0.82	0.90	0.99	2.1	0.4	0.5
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.68	0.68	1.89	2.08	2.29	NA	NA	NA	0.84	0.84	2.35	2.59	2.84	2.4	1.1	1.2	0.43	0.43	1.22	1.34	1.47	NA	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.83	2.32	2.56	2.81	1.7	1.50	1.65	0.85	0.85	2.38	2.62	2.88	1.9	1.38	1.52	0.58	0.58	1.62	1.79	1.97	2.4	0.74	0.82
	Third Quarter								Third Quarter							Third Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.30	2.6	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.5	0.19	0.21	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.8	0.15	0.17
Cache Slough Rye ^b	0.11	0.11	0.31	0.34	0.37	1.5	0.22	0.25	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.7	0.16	0.18	0.10	0.10	0.29	0.32	0.35	2.5	0.13	0.14
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.32	1.4	0.22	0.24	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.33	1.3	0.23	0.25	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.33	2.5	0.12	0.13
Franks Tract	0.10	0.10	0.28	0.31	0.34	1.6	0.19	0.20	0.11	0.11	0.29	0.32	0.36	1.1	0.28	0.31	0.10	0.10	0.28	0.31	0.34	3.0	0.10	0.11
Big Break	0.10	0.10	0.29	0.32	0.35	1.6	0.20	0.22	0.10	0.10	0.29	0.32	0.35	1.0	0.31	0.35	0.10	0.10	0.28	0.31	0.34	2.8	0.11	0.12
Middle River Bullfrog	0.20	0.20	0.57	0.63	0.69	NA	NA	NA	0.30	0.30	0.83	0.91	1.01	1.9	0.5	0.5	0.12	0.12	0.32	0.36	0.39	2.1	0.2	0.2
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.75	0.75	2.11	2.32	2.55	NA	NA	NA	0.80	0.80	2.24	2.47	2.71	2.4	1.0	1.1	0.53	0.53	1.49	1.64	1.80	NA	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.83	2.32	2.56	2.81	1.7	1.50	1.65	0.85	0.85	2.38	2.62	2.88	1.9	1.38	1.52	0.58	0.58	1.62	1.79	1.97	2.4	0.74	0.82

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1 Table M-5 (continued). Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Models 1 and 2

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000								Year 2005								Year 2007							
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 1 Fish	Model 2 Fish		Model 1	Model 2
	Fourth Quarter								Fourth Quarter								Fourth Quarter							
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.30	2.6	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.5	0.19	0.21	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.30	1.8	0.15	0.17
Cache Slough Rye ^b	0.10	0.10	0.29	0.31	0.35	1.5	0.21	0.23	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	1.7	0.16	0.18	0.10	0.10	0.28	0.31	0.34	2.5	0.12	0.13
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.29	0.32	1.4	0.21	0.23	0.09	0.09	0.25	0.28	0.31	1.3	0.21	0.24	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.29	0.32	2.5	0.12	0.13
Franks Tract	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.29	0.32	1.6	0.18	0.20	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	1.1	0.25	0.27	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.32	3.0	0.10	0.11
Big Break	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.33	1.6	0.19	0.21	0.09	0.09	0.26	0.28	0.31	1.0	0.28	0.31	0.10	0.10	0.27	0.30	0.33	2.8	0.11	0.12
Middle River Bullfrog	0.30	0.30	0.84	0.92	1.01	NA	NA	NA	0.24	0.24	0.68	0.74	0.82	1.9	0.4	0.4	0.17	0.17	0.47	0.52	0.57	2.1	0.2	0.3
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.81	0.81	2.27	2.50	2.75	NA	NA	NA	0.72	0.72	2.01	2.21	2.43	2.4	0.9	1.0	0.57	0.57	1.59	1.75	1.93	NA	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.23	0.23	0.64	0.71	0.78	NA	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.83	2.32	2.56	2.81	1.7	1.50	1.65	0.85	0.85	2.38	2.62	2.88	1.9	1.38	1.52	0.58	0.58	1.62	1.79	1.97	2.4	0.74	0.82

Notes:
 Equations from Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b) were used to calculate selenium concentrations for fish. Models 1 and 2 used the default K_d (1000) and the average selenium trophic transfer factors to aquatic insects (2.8) and fish (1.1 for all trophic levels).
 Model 1 = TL-3 Fish Eating Invertebrates
 Model 2 = TL-4 Fish Eating TL-3 Fish
 Invert. = invertebrate
 K_d = particulate concentration/water concentration ratio
 µg/g, dw = micrograms per gram, dry weight
 NA = not available; bass not collected here
 RM = river mile
 TL = trophic level
^a Geometric mean calculated from whole-body largemouth bass data presented in Foe (2010a).
^b Fish data collected at Rio Vista (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^c Fish data collected at Old River near Tracy (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^d Geometric mean of total selenium concentrations in water collected from years 2004, 2007, and 2008 (DWR Website 2009) was used to estimate selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available). Fish data collected from Sacramento River at Veterans Bridge (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^e Geometric mean of selenium concentrations (total or dissolved was not specified) in water collected from years 1999–2000 (SWAMP Website 2009) was used to estimate Year 2000 selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available); years 2004-2005 were used for Year 2005 estimates; and years 2006-2007 were used for Year 2007 estimates.

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1 Table M-6. Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Model 2 with Estimated Kd from All Years Regression for Model 3

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000							Year 2005					Year 2007								
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 3 Fish	K _d			Model 3	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 3 Fish			K _d	Model 3	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate		
	First Quarter							First Quarter					First Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	6060	2.6	0.69	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5945	1.5	1.25	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5946	1.8	0.98
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5389	1.5	1.22	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.82	5783	1.7	1.05	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5852	2.5	0.71
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.17	0.55	1.53	1.85	3229	1.4	1.36	0.14	0.54	1.52	1.84	3824	1.3	1.41	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5819	2.5	0.73
Franks Tract	0.19	0.55	1.53	1.85	2904	1.6	1.13	0.15	0.54	1.52	1.84	3724	1.1	1.61	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.82	5762	3.0	0.61
Big Break	0.13	0.54	1.51	1.83	4295	1.6	1.18	0.11	0.54	1.51	1.82	4873	1.0	1.79	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5850	2.8	0.64
Middle River Bullfrog	0.31	0.56	1.56	1.88	1801	NA	NA	0.46	0.56	1.57	1.90	1221	1.9	1.0	0.20	0.55	1.53	1.86	2773	2.1	0.87
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.73	0.57	1.60	1.93	780	NA	NA	0.78	0.57	1.60	1.94	729	2.4	0.8	0.56	0.57	1.58	1.92	1007	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	2.2	0.8	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.57	1.60	1.94	689	1.7	1.14	0.85	0.57	1.60	1.94	674	1.9	1.02	0.58	0.57	1.59	1.92	976	2.4	0.80
	Second Quarter							Second Quarter					Second Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5952	2.6	0.69	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5947	1.5	1.25	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5944	1.8	0.98
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.11	0.54	1.51	1.83	4777	1.5	1.22	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5538	1.7	1.05	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5241	2.5	0.72
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.24	0.55	1.54	1.87	2309	1.4	1.38	0.36	0.56	1.56	1.89	1537	1.3	1.45	0.13	0.54	1.52	1.84	4020	2.5	0.74
Franks Tract	0.27	0.55	1.55	1.87	2048	1.6	1.14	0.49	0.56	1.58	1.91	1159	1.1	1.67	0.14	0.54	1.52	1.84	3921	3.0	0.61
Big Break	0.20	0.55	1.53	1.86	2800	1.6	1.20	0.30	0.55	1.55	1.88	1876	1.0	1.84	0.12	0.54	1.51	1.83	4645	2.8	0.64
Middle River Bullfrog	0.61	0.57	1.59	1.92	928	NA	NA	0.75	0.57	1.60	1.93	764	1.9	1.0	0.29	0.55	1.55	1.88	1896	2.1	0.9
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.68	0.57	1.59	1.93	842	NA	NA	0.84	0.57	1.60	1.94	682	2.4	0.8	0.43	0.56	1.57	1.90	1291	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	2.2	0.8	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.57	1.60	1.94	689	1.7	1.14	0.85	0.57	1.60	1.94	674	1.9	1.02	0.58	0.57	1.59	1.92	976	2.4	0.80
	Third Quarter							Third Quarter					Third Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5947	2.6	0.69	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5946	1.5	1.25	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5946	1.8	0.98
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.11	0.54	1.51	1.82	4942	1.5	1.22	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5914	1.7	1.05	0.10	0.54	1.51	1.82	5184	2.5	0.72
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5592	1.4	1.34	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5523	1.3	1.39	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5557	2.5	0.73
Franks Tract	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5412	1.6	1.10	0.11	0.54	1.51	1.82	5121	1.1	1.59	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5393	3.0	0.61
Big Break	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5227	1.6	1.17	0.10	0.54	1.51	1.82	5159	1.0	1.79	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5291	2.8	0.64
Middle River Bullfrog	0.20	0.55	1.54	1.86	2688	NA	NA	0.30	0.55	1.55	1.88	1868	1.9	1.0	0.12	0.54	1.51	1.83	4656	2.1	0.86
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.75	0.57	1.60	1.93	757	NA	NA	0.80	0.57	1.60	1.94	714	2.4	0.8	0.53	0.56	1.58	1.91	1061	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	2.2	0.8	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.57	1.60	1.94	689	1.7	1.14	0.85	0.57	1.60	1.94	674	1.9	1.02	0.58	0.57	1.59	1.92	976	2.4	0.80

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1 **Table M-6 (continued). Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Model 2 with Estimated Kd from All Years Regression for Model 3**

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000							Year 2005					Year 2007								
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 3 Fish	K _d			Model 3	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 3 Fish			K _d	Model 3	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate		
	Fourth Quarter							Fourth Quarter					Fourth Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5948	2.6	0.69	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5946	1.5	1.25	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5947	1.8	0.98
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5261	1.5	1.22	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5830	1.7	1.05	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5345	2.5	0.71
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.82	5704	1.4	1.34	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5885	1.3	1.39	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.82	5678	2.5	0.73
Franks Tract	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5621	1.6	1.10	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.81	5859	1.1	1.59	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5596	3.0	0.61
Big Break	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5534	1.6	1.17	0.09	0.54	1.50	1.82	5809	1.0	1.78	0.10	0.54	1.50	1.82	5470	2.8	0.64
Middle River Bullfrog	0.30	0.55	1.55	1.88	1859	NA	NA	0.24	0.55	1.54	1.87	2283	1.9	1.0	0.17	0.55	1.53	1.85	3241	2.1	0.87
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.81	0.57	1.60	1.94	704	NA	NA	0.72	0.57	1.60	1.93	795	2.4	0.8	0.57	0.57	1.58	1.92	994	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	2.2	0.8	0.23	0.55	1.54	1.87	2394	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.57	1.60	1.94	689	1.7	1.14	0.85	0.57	1.60	1.94	674	1.9	1.02	0.58	0.57	1.59	1.92	976	2.4	0.80

Notes:
 Equations from Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b) were used to calculate selenium concentrations for fish. Model 3 used the average selenium trophic transfer factors to aquatic insects (2.8) and fish (1.1 for all trophic levels).
 Model 3 = Model 2 (TL-4 Fish Eating TL-3 Fish) with K_d estimated using all years regression (log K_d = 2.76-0.97(logDSM2))
 Invert. = invertebrate
 K_d = particulate concentration/water concentration ratio
 µg/g, dw = micrograms per gram, dry weight
 NA = not available; bass not collected here
 RM = river mile
 TL = trophic level
^a Geometric mean calculated from whole-body largemouth bass data presented in Foe (2010a).
^b Geometric mean calculated from whole-body largemouth bass data presented in Foe (2010a).
^c Fish data collected at Rio Vista (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^d Fish data collected at Old River near Tracy (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^e Geometric mean of total selenium concentrations in water collected from years 2004, 2007, and 2008 (DWR Website 2009) was used to estimate selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available). Fish data collected from Sacramento River at Veterans Bridge (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
 * Geometric mean of selenium concentrations (total or dissolved was not specified) in water collected from years 1999-2000 (SWAMP Website 2009) was used to estimate Year 2000 selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available); years 2004-2005 were used for Year 2005 estimates; and years 2006-2007 were used for Year 2007 estimates.

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1 Table M-7. Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Model 2 with Estimated Kd from Normal/Wet Years Regression for Model 4 and Dry Years Regression for Model 5

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000							Year 2005					Year 2007								
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration				Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration				Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 4 Fish	K _d			Model 4	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate			Model 4 Fish	K _d	Model 4	DSM2 Water			Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate
	First Quarter							First Quarter					First Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.49	4997	2.6	0.57	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4909	1.5	1.03	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	8063	1.8	1.33
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4481	1.5	1.01	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4784	1.7	0.87	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7929	2.5	0.97
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.17	0.47	1.32	1.59	2786	1.4	1.17	0.14	0.46	1.30	1.57	3260	1.3	1.20	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7883	2.5	0.99
Franks Tract	0.19	0.48	1.33	1.61	2525	1.6	0.98	0.15	0.46	1.30	1.57	3181	1.1	1.37	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7802	3.0	0.82
Big Break	0.13	0.46	1.28	1.55	3630	1.6	1.00	0.11	0.45	1.26	1.53	4082	1.0	1.50	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7926	2.8	0.87
Middle River Bullfrog	0.31	0.50	1.40	1.69	1621	NA	NA	0.46	0.52	1.46	1.76	1130	1.9	0.9	0.20	0.71	2.00	2.42	3616	2.1	1.14
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.73	0.55	1.53	1.85	745	NA	NA	0.78	0.55	1.54	1.86	700	2.4	0.8	0.56	0.70	1.96	2.37	1247	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	NA	NA	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	2.2	0.7	0.23	0.71	1.99	2.41	3098	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.55	1.55	1.87	665	1.7	1.10	0.85	0.55	1.55	1.87	651	1.9	0.99	0.58	0.70	1.96	2.37	1206	2.4	0.99
	Second Quarter							Second Quarter					Second Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4914	2.6	0.57	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4910	1.5	1.03	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	8061	1.8	1.33
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.11	0.45	1.27	1.53	4007	1.5	1.03	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4596	1.7	0.87	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	7061	2.5	0.96
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.24	0.49	1.36	1.65	2041	1.4	1.22	0.36	0.51	1.42	1.72	1399	1.3	1.32	0.13	0.72	2.02	2.44	5343	2.5	0.98
Franks Tract	0.27	0.49	1.38	1.67	1826	1.6	1.02	0.49	0.52	1.46	1.77	1077	1.1	1.55	0.14	0.72	2.02	2.44	5204	3.0	0.82
Big Break	0.20	0.48	1.34	1.62	2441	1.6	1.04	0.30	0.50	1.39	1.69	1683	1.0	1.65	0.12	0.72	2.02	2.45	6220	2.8	0.86
Middle River Bullfrog	0.61	0.54	1.50	1.81	876	NA	NA	0.75	0.55	1.53	1.85	732	1.9	1.0	0.29	0.71	1.99	2.40	2424	2.1	1.1
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.68	0.54	1.51	1.83	801	NA	NA	0.84	0.55	1.55	1.87	658	2.4	0.8	0.43	0.70	1.97	2.38	1617	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	NA	NA	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	2.2	0.7	0.23	0.71	1.99	2.41	3098	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.55	1.55	1.87	665	1.7	1.10	0.85	0.55	1.55	1.87	651	1.9	0.99	0.58	0.70	1.96	2.37	1206	2.4	0.99
	Third Quarter							Third Quarter					Third Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4910	2.6	0.57	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4910	1.5	1.03	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	8064	1.8	1.33
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.11	0.45	1.26	1.53	4135	1.5	1.02	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4885	1.7	0.87	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	6980	2.5	0.96
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.10	0.44	1.25	1.51	4637	1.4	1.11	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4584	1.3	1.15	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.46	7510	2.5	0.99
Franks Tract	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4499	1.6	0.92	0.11	0.45	1.26	1.52	4274	1.1	1.33	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	7276	3.0	0.82
Big Break	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.52	4356	1.6	0.98	0.10	0.45	1.26	1.52	4304	1.0	1.49	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	7131	2.8	0.87
Middle River Bullfrog	0.20	0.48	1.34	1.63	2350	NA	NA	0.30	0.50	1.39	1.69	1677	1.9	0.9	0.12	0.72	2.02	2.45	6235	2.1	1.15
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.75	0.55	1.53	1.85	725	NA	NA	0.80	0.55	1.54	1.86	687	2.4	0.8	0.53	0.70	1.96	2.37	1317	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	NA	NA	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	2.2	0.7	0.23	0.71	1.99	2.41	3098	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.55	1.55	1.87	665	1.7	1.10	0.85	0.55	1.55	1.87	651	1.9	0.99	0.58	0.70	1.96	2.37	1206	2.4	0.99

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1 **Table M-7 (continued). Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates and Fish (µg/g, dw) Using Model 2 with Estimated K_d from Normal/Wet Years Regression for Model 4 and Dry Years Regression for Model 5**

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000							Year 2005					Year 2007								
	Concentration					Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration				Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio	Concentration				Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio		
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 4 Fish	K _d			Model 4	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate			Model 4 Fish	K _d	Model 4	DSM2 Water			Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate
	Fourth Quarter							Fourth Quarter					Fourth Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4911	2.6	0.57	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4909	1.5	1.03	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	8064	1.8	1.33
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.52	4383	1.5	1.02	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4820	1.7	0.87	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	7209	2.5	0.96
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4723	1.4	1.11	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4862	1.3	1.15	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7682	2.5	0.99
Franks Tract	0.10	0.44	1.24	1.51	4660	1.6	0.91	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4843	1.1	1.31	0.10	0.73	2.03	2.46	7564	3.0	0.82
Big Break	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4593	1.6	0.97	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4804	1.0	1.47	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.46	7386	2.8	0.87
Middle River Bullfrog	0.30	0.50	1.40	1.69	1669	NA	NA	0.24	0.49	1.37	1.65	2020	1.9	0.9	0.17	0.72	2.01	2.43	4260	2.1	1.14
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.81	0.55	1.54	1.87	678	NA	NA	0.72	0.54	1.52	1.84	759	2.4	0.8	0.57	0.70	1.96	2.37	1229	NA	NA
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	NA	NA	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	2.2	0.7	0.23	0.71	1.99	2.41	3098	NA	NA
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.55	1.55	1.87	665	1.7	1.10	0.85	0.55	1.55	1.87	651	1.9	0.99	0.58	0.70	1.96	2.37	1206	2.4	0.99

Notes:

Equations from Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b) were used to calculate selenium concentrations for fish. Models 4 and 5 used the average selenium trophic transfer factors to aquatic insects (2.8) and fish (1.1 for all trophic levels).

Model 4 = Model 2 (TL-4 Fish Eating TL-3 Fish) with K_d estimated using normal/wet years regression (log K_d = 2.75-0.90(logDSM2))

Model 5 = Model 2 (TL-4 Fish Eating TL-3 Fish) with K_d estimated using dry years (2007) regression (log K_d = 2.84-1.02(logDSM2))

Invert. = invertebrate

K_d = particulate concentration/water concentration ratio

µg/g, dw = micrograms per gram, dry weight

NA = not available; bass not collected here

RM = river mile

TL = trophic level

^a Geometric mean calculated from whole-body largemouth bass data presented in Foe (2010a).

^b Fish data collected at Rio Vista (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.

^c Fish data collected at Old River near Tracy (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.

^d Geometric mean of total selenium concentrations in water collected from years 2004, 2007, and 2008 (DWR Website 2009) was used to estimate selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available). Fish data collected from Sacramento River at Veterans Bridge (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.

^e Geometric mean of selenium concentrations (total or dissolved was not specified) in water collected from years 1999-2000 (SWAMP Website 2009) was used to estimate Year 2000 selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available); years 2004-2005 were used for Year 2005 estimates; and years 2006-2007 were used for Year 2007 estimates.

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1 **Table M-8 (continued). Selenium Bioaccumulation from Water (µg/L) to Particulates, Whole-body Fish (µg/g, dw), and Bird Eggs (µg/g, dw) Using Model 2 with Estimated Kd from Normal/Wet Years Regression for Model 4 and Dry**
 2 **Years Regression for Model 5**

DSM2 Delta Water Location	Year 2000									Year 2005									Year 2007								
	Concentration				K _d	Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio Model 4	Bird Eggs		Concentration				K _d	Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio Model 4	Bird Eggs		Concentration				K _d	Whole-body Bass ^a	Fish-to-Bass Ratio Model 5	Bird Eggs	
	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 4 Fish				From Invert.	From Fish	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 4 Fish				From Invert.	From Fish	DSM2 Water	Particulate from Water	Invert. from Particulate	Model 5 Fish				From Invert.	From Fish
	Fourth Quarter									Fourth Quarter									Fourth Quarter								
Sacramento River RM 44	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4911	2.6	0.57	2.23	2.70	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4909	1.5	1.03	2.23	2.70	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	8064	1.8	1.33	3.66	4.43
Cache Slough Ryer ^b	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.52	4383	1.5	1.02	2.26	2.73	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4820	1.7	0.87	2.23	2.70	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.45	7209	2.5	0.96	3.65	4.42
San Joaquin River Potato Slough	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4723	1.4	1.11	2.24	2.71	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4862	1.3	1.15	2.23	2.70	0.09	0.73	2.03	2.46	7682	2.5	0.99	3.66	4.42
Franks Tract	0.10	0.44	1.24	1.51	4660	1.6	0.91	2.24	2.71	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4843	1.1	1.31	2.23	2.70	0.10	0.73	2.03	2.46	7564	3.0	0.82	3.65	4.42
Big Break	0.10	0.45	1.25	1.51	4593	1.6	0.97	2.24	2.72	0.09	0.44	1.24	1.50	4804	1.0	1.47	2.23	2.70	0.10	0.72	2.03	2.46	7386	2.8	0.87	3.65	4.42
Middle River Bullfrog	0.30	0.50	1.40	1.69	1669	NA	NA	2.51	3.04	0.24	0.49	1.37	1.65	2020	1.9	0.9	2.46	2.98	0.17	0.72	2.01	2.43	4260	2.1	1.14	3.61	4.37
Old River near Paradise Cut ^c	0.81	0.55	1.54	1.87	678	NA	NA	2.78	3.36	0.72	0.54	1.52	1.84	759	2.4	0.8	2.74	3.32	0.57	0.70	1.96	2.37	1229	NA	NA	3.53	4.27
Knights Landing ^d	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	NA	NA	2.45	2.96	0.23	0.49	1.36	1.64	2111	2.2	0.7	2.45	2.96	0.23	0.71	1.99	2.41	3098	NA	NA	3.59	4.34
Vernalis ^e	0.83	0.55	1.55	1.87	665	1.7	1.10	2.78	3.37	0.85	0.55	1.55	1.87	651	1.9	0.99	2.79	3.37	0.58	0.70	1.96	2.37	1206	2.4	0.99	3.53	4.27

Notes:
 Equations from Presser and Luoma (2010a, 2010b) were used to calculate selenium concentrations for fish. Models 4 and 5 used the average selenium trophic transfer factors to aquatic insects (2.8), fish (1.1 for all trophic levels) and bird eggs (1.8).
 Model 4 = Model 2 (TL-4 Fish Eating TL-3 Fish) with K_d estimated using normal/wet years regression (log K_d = 2.75-0.90(logDSM2))
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^a Geometric mean calculated from whole-body largemouth bass data presented in Foe (2010a).
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^d Geometric mean of total selenium concentrations in water collected from years 2004, 2007, and 2008 (DWR Website 2009) was used to estimate selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available). Fish data collected from Sacramento River at Veterans Bridge (Foe 2010a) were used to calculate geometric mean whole-body largemouth bass and ratios.
^e Geometric mean of selenium concentrations (total or dissolved was not specified) in water collected from years 1999-2000 (SWAMP Website 2009) was used to estimate Year 2000 selenium concentrations in particulates and biota (DSM2 data were not available); years 2004-2005 were used for Year 2005 estimates; and years 2006-2007 were used for Year 2007 estimates.

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1 **Table M-9a. Modeled Selenium Concentrations in Water for Existing Conditions and All Alternatives (Except 4)**

Source	Location	Period *	Period Average Concentration (µg/L)									
			Existing Conditions	No Action Alternative	Alternative 1	Alternative 2	Alternative 3	Alternative 5	Alternative 6	Alternative 7	Alternative 8	Alternative 9
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (SF) at Staten Island	ALL	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	ALL	0.41	0.38	0.38	0.40	0.38	0.39	0.40	0.38	0.39	0.16
		DROUGHT	0.39	0.34	0.35	0.39	0.35	0.37	0.38	0.35	0.37	0.11
	Franks Tract	ALL	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.29
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.23
Old River at Rock Slough	ALL	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.20	0.16	0.17	0.33	0.29	0.30	0.37	
	DROUGHT	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.13	0.11	0.11	0.27	0.24	0.25	0.33	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	ALL	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.11
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.11
	San Joaquin River at Antioch	ALL	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.16
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.13
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	ALL	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.13
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough Pumping Plant	ALL	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	ALL	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.18	0.15	0.16	0.33	0.28	0.29	0.35
		DROUGHT	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.13	0.11	0.11	0.28	0.25	0.25	0.32
	Banks Pumping Plant	ALL	0.21	0.21	0.15	0.15	0.17	0.19	0.09	0.12	0.13	0.16
		DROUGHT	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.11
	Jones Pumping Plant	ALL	0.28	0.29	0.22	0.19	0.24	0.25	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.17
		DROUGHT	0.24	0.26	0.23	0.20	0.23	0.23	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.11

2 **Notes:**
 3 * All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year
 4 types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
 5 Notes:
 6 µg/L - microgram per liter
 7 SF - south fork
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1 **Table M-9b. Modeled Selenium Concentrations in Water for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative and Alternatives 4H1, 4H2, 4H3, 4H4**

Source	Location	Period *	Period Average Concentration (µg/L)					
			Existing Conditions	No Action Alternative	Alternative 4H1	Alternative 4H2	Alternative 4H3	Alternative 4H4
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (SF) at Staten Island	ALL	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	ALL	0.41	0.38	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40
		DROUGHT	0.39	0.34	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39
	Franks Tract	ALL	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.17
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.12
Old River at Rock Slough	ALL	0.16	0.16	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.20	
	DROUGHT	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	ALL	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
	San Joaquin River at Antioch	ALL	0.12	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	ALL	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12
		DROUGHT	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough Pumping Plant	ALL	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11
		DROUGHT	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	ALL	0.14	0.14	0.17	0.17	0.18	0.19
		DROUGHT	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13
	Banks Pumping Plant	ALL	0.21	0.21	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16
		DROUGHT	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.14	0.15	0.14
	Jones Pumping Plant	ALL	0.28	0.29	0.21	0.20	0.21	0.20
		DROUGHT	0.24	0.26	0.21	0.20	0.21	0.20

Notes:

* All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)

µg/L - microgram per liter

SF - south fork

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1 **Table M-10. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions and No Action Alternative**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)							
			Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)	
			EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	0.64	0.63
		Drought	2.39	2.40	3.55	3.56	4.30	4.31	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.73	3.31	3.30	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	2.74	2.74	3.32	3.32	0.62	0.61	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.86	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	2.72	2.72	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough Pumping Plant	All	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.74	3.31	3.31	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	2.77	2.77	3.35	3.35	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	2.79	2.80	3.38	3.38	0.63	0.63
		Drought	2.41	2.41	3.59	3.58	4.34	4.34	0.84	0.84

Notes:

^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)

^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets

dw - dry weight

EX - Existing Conditions

mg/kg - milligram per kilogram

NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term

ww - wet weight

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1 **Table M-11. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 1**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 1	EX	NAA	Alt. 1	EX	NAA	Alt. 1	EX	NAA	Alt. 1
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.89	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.63
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.56	4.30	4.31	4.31	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.73	2.74	3.31	3.30	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.74	2.74	2.75	3.32	3.32	3.33	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.65	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.83	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.75	3.31	3.31	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.85	0.86
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.84	2.77	2.77	2.74	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.61
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.44	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.77	3.38	3.38	3.35	0.63	0.63	0.62	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.41	3.59	3.58	3.59	4.34	4.34	4.34	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-12. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 2**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 2	EX	NAA	Alt. 2	EX	NAA	Alt. 2	EX	NAA	Alt. 2
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.73	2.75	3.31	3.30	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.85
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.86	2.74	2.74	2.76	3.32	3.32	3.34	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.76	3.31	3.31	3.34	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.84	2.77	2.77	2.74	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.61
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.76	3.38	3.38	3.34	0.63	0.63	0.62	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.42	3.59	3.58	3.60	4.34	4.34	4.36	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-13. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 3**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 3	EX	NAA	Alt. 3	EX	NAA	Alt. 3	EX	NAA	Alt. 3
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.89	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.63
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.56	4.30	4.31	4.31	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.73	2.74	3.31	3.30	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.74	2.74	2.75	3.32	3.32	3.32	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.83	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.74	2.74	3.31	3.31	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.85	0.86
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.75	3.35	3.35	3.33	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.87	2.79	2.80	2.78	3.38	3.38	3.36	0.63	0.63	0.62	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.41	3.59	3.58	3.59	4.34	4.34	4.35	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-14a. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 4-H1**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 4H1	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H1	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H1	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H1
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.73	2.75	3.31	3.30	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.74	2.74	2.76	3.32	3.32	3.33	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.75	3.31	3.31	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.84	2.77	2.77	2.74	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.77	3.38	3.38	3.35	0.63	0.63	0.62	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.42	3.59	3.58	3.60	4.34	4.34	4.35	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-14b. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 4-H2**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 4H2	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H2	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H2	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H2
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.42	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.73	2.75	3.31	3.30	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.85
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.74	2.74	2.76	3.32	3.32	3.34	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.75	3.31	3.31	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.75	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.44	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.39	0.85	0.85	0.85
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.77	3.38	3.38	3.35	0.63	0.63	0.62
		Drought	2.41	2.41	2.42	3.59	3.58	3.60	4.34	4.34	4.36	0.84	0.84	0.84

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
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7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
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11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-14c. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 4-H3**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 4H3	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H3	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H3	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H3
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.73	2.75	3.31	3.30	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.86	2.74	2.74	2.76	3.32	3.32	3.34	0.62	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.76	3.31	3.31	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.40	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.75	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.77	3.38	3.38	3.35	0.63	0.63	0.62
		Drought	2.41	2.41	2.42	3.59	3.58	3.60	4.34	4.34	4.35	0.84	0.84	0.84

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
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11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-14d. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 4-H4**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 4H4	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H4	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H4	EX	NAA	Alt. 4H4
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.42	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.73	2.75	3.31	3.30	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.86	2.74	2.74	2.76	3.32	3.32	3.34	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.39	0.86	0.86	0.85	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.73	2.74	2.76	3.31	3.31	3.34	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.44	3.65	3.64	3.63	4.41	4.41	4.39	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.75	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.44	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.39	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.86	2.79	2.80	2.76	3.38	3.38	3.34	0.63	0.63	0.62	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.42	3.59	3.58	3.60	4.34	4.34	4.36	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-15. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 5**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 5	EX	NAA	Alt. 5	EX	NAA	Alt. 5	EX	NAA	Alt. 5
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.56	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.73	2.74	3.31	3.30	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.85	2.74	2.74	2.75	3.32	3.32	3.33	0.62	0.61	0.62	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.85	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.83	2.72	2.72	2.73	3.29	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.74	2.74	3.31	3.31	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	3.64	4.41	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.85	0.85
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.76	3.35	3.35	3.34	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.85
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.87	2.79	2.80	2.78	3.38	3.38	3.37	0.63	0.63	0.63	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.41	3.59	3.58	3.59	4.34	4.34	4.35	0.84	0.84	0.84	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-16. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 6**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 6	EX	NAA	Alt. 6	EX	NAA	Alt. 6	EX	NAA	Alt. 6
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.55	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.87	2.73	2.73	2.77	3.31	3.30	3.36	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.43	3.65	3.65	3.62	4.42	4.42	4.38	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.89	2.74	2.74	2.81	3.32	3.32	3.39	0.62	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.64	3.58	4.41	4.41	4.33	0.86	0.86	0.84
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.73	3.28	3.28	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.85	2.72	2.72	2.75	3.29	3.29	3.33	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.44	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.84	2.71	2.71	2.73	3.28	3.29	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.89	2.73	2.74	2.80	3.31	3.31	3.39	0.61	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.40	3.65	3.64	3.58	4.41	4.41	4.33	0.86	0.85	0.84
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.81	2.77	2.77	2.70	3.35	3.35	3.26	0.62	0.62	0.60
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.46	3.62	3.62	3.66	4.38	4.38	4.43	0.85	0.85	0.86
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.81	2.79	2.80	2.70	3.38	3.38	3.26	0.63	0.63	0.60
		Drought	2.41	2.41	2.46	3.59	3.58	3.66	4.34	4.34	4.43	0.84	0.84	0.86

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-17. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 7**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 7	EX	NAA	Alt. 7	EX	NAA	Alt. 7	EX	NAA	Alt. 7
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.89	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.63
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.56	4.30	4.31	4.31	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.86	2.73	2.73	2.77	3.31	3.30	3.35	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.43	3.65	3.65	3.62	4.42	4.42	4.38	0.86	0.86	0.85
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.88	2.74	2.74	2.80	3.32	3.32	3.38	0.62	0.61	0.63	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.64	3.59	4.41	4.41	4.34	0.86	0.86	0.84	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.74	3.29	3.29	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.73	3.28	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.88	2.73	2.74	2.79	3.31	3.31	3.38	0.61	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.64	3.59	4.41	4.41	4.34	0.86	0.85	0.84
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.83	2.77	2.77	2.72	3.35	3.35	3.29	0.62	0.62	0.61
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.46	3.62	3.62	3.65	4.38	4.38	4.42	0.85	0.85	0.86
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.84	2.79	2.80	2.73	3.38	3.38	3.30	0.63	0.63	0.61	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	2.45	3.59	3.58	3.64	4.34	4.34	4.41	0.84	0.84	0.85	

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-18. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 8**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 8	EX	NAA	Alt. 8	EX	NAA	Alt. 8	EX	NAA	Alt. 8
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.90	2.82	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.64
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.39	3.55	3.56	3.56	4.30	4.31	4.30	0.83	0.83	0.83
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.86	2.73	2.73	2.77	3.31	3.30	3.35	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.43	3.65	3.65	3.62	4.42	4.42	4.38	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.88	2.74	2.74	2.80	3.32	3.32	3.38	0.62	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.64	3.59	4.41	4.41	4.34	0.86	0.86	0.84
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.84	2.72	2.72	2.74	3.29	3.29	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.40	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.73	3.28	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.88	2.73	2.74	2.79	3.31	3.31	3.38	0.61	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.64	3.58	4.41	4.41	4.34	0.86	0.85	0.84
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.83	2.77	2.77	2.73	3.35	3.35	3.30	0.62	0.62	0.61
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.45	3.62	3.62	3.65	4.38	4.38	4.41	0.85	0.85	0.86
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.84	2.79	2.80	2.73	3.38	3.38	3.30	0.63	0.63	0.61
		Drought	2.41	2.41	2.45	3.59	3.58	3.64	4.34	4.34	4.41	0.84	0.84	0.86

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
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6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-19. Summary Table for Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Biota for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternative 9**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)											
			Whole-body Fish			Bird Eggs (Invertebrate Diet)			Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)			Fish Fillets (ww)		
			EX	NAA	Alt. 9	EX	NAA	Alt. 9	EX	NAA	Alt. 9	EX	NAA	Alt. 9
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.60
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	4.43	0.86	0.86	0.86
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	1.85	2.82	2.82	2.75	3.42	3.41	3.32	0.64	0.63	0.62
		Drought	2.39	2.40	2.45	3.55	3.56	3.64	4.30	4.31	4.41	0.83	0.83	0.86
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	1.88	2.73	2.73	2.79	3.31	3.30	3.38	0.61	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.46	2.45	2.41	3.65	3.65	3.59	4.42	4.42	4.35	0.86	0.86	0.84
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	1.89	2.74	2.74	2.82	3.32	3.32	3.41	0.62	0.61	0.63	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	2.40	3.65	3.64	3.57	4.41	4.41	4.31	0.86	0.86	0.83	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.72	3.28	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.66	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.86
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	1.85	2.72	2.72	2.75	3.29	3.29	3.32	0.61	0.61	0.62
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.44	3.65	3.65	3.63	4.42	4.42	4.39	0.86	0.86	0.85
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	1.83	2.71	2.71	2.73	3.28	3.29	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	3.64	4.42	4.42	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.85
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.61
		Drought	2.46	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.86
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	1.89	2.73	2.74	2.81	3.31	3.31	3.40	0.61	0.61	0.63
		Drought	2.45	2.45	2.40	3.65	3.64	3.57	4.41	4.41	4.32	0.86	0.85	0.83
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	1.85	2.77	2.77	2.75	3.35	3.35	3.32	0.62	0.62	0.62
		Drought	2.43	2.43	2.45	3.62	3.62	3.64	4.38	4.38	4.41	0.85	0.85	0.85
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	1.85	2.79	2.80	2.75	3.38	3.38	3.33	0.63	0.63	0.62
		Drought	2.41	2.41	2.45	3.59	3.58	3.64	4.34	4.34	4.41	0.84	0.84	0.85

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water
4 year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index)
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets
6 Alt. - alternative
7 dw - dry weight
8 EX - Existing Conditions
9 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
10 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
11 ww - wet weight
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Table M-20. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota and Comparisons to Benchmarks for Existing Conditions and No Action Alternative

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)								Exceedance Quotients ^c													
			Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish				Bird Eggs (Invert Diet)				Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)				Fish Fillets (ww)	
			Level of Concern ^d		Toxicity Level ^e		Level of Concern ^f		Toxicity Level ^g		Level of Concern ^f		Toxicity Level ^g		Level of Concern ^f		Toxicity Level ^g		Advisory Tissue Level ^h					
			EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	1.82	2.70	2.70	3.27	3.27	0.60	0.60	0.45	0.45	0.22	0.22	0.45	0.45	0.27	0.27	0.54	0.54	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	1.89	2.82	2.82	3.42	3.41	0.64	0.63	0.47	0.47	0.23	0.23	0.47	0.47	0.28	0.28	0.57	0.57	0.34	0.34	0.25	0.25
		Drought	2.39	2.40	3.55	3.56	4.30	4.31	0.83	0.83	0.60	0.60	0.29	0.30	0.59	0.59	0.36	0.36	0.72	0.72	0.43	0.43	0.33	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.73	3.31	3.30	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.23	0.23	0.46	0.46	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.45	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.84	1.84	2.74	2.74	3.32	3.32	0.62	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.23	0.23	0.46	0.46	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.25	0.25	
	Drought	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.36	0.36	0.74	0.73	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.22	0.22	0.45	0.45	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.66	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	1.83	2.72	2.72	3.29	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.23	0.23	0.45	0.45	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.82	1.83	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.29	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.23	0.23	0.45	0.45	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.65	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	1.82	2.71	2.71	3.28	3.28	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.22	0.22	0.45	0.45	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.24
		Drought	2.46	2.46	3.66	3.65	4.42	4.42	0.86	0.86	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.37	0.37	0.74	0.74	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	1.84	2.73	2.74	3.31	3.31	0.61	0.61	0.46	0.46	0.23	0.23	0.46	0.46	0.27	0.27	0.55	0.55	0.33	0.33	0.24	0.25
		Drought	2.45	2.45	3.65	3.64	4.41	4.41	0.86	0.85	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.61	0.61	0.36	0.36	0.74	0.73	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.86	1.86	2.77	2.77	3.35	3.35	0.62	0.62	0.47	0.47	0.23	0.23	0.46	0.46	0.28	0.28	0.56	0.56	0.34	0.33	0.25	0.25
		Drought	2.43	2.43	3.62	3.62	4.38	4.38	0.85	0.85	0.61	0.61	0.30	0.30	0.60	0.60	0.36	0.36	0.73	0.73	0.44	0.44	0.34	0.34
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.88	1.88	2.79	2.80	3.38	3.38	0.63	0.63	0.47	0.47	0.23	0.23	0.47	0.47	0.28	0.28	0.56	0.56	0.34	0.34	0.25	0.25	
	Drought	2.41	2.41	3.59	3.58	4.34	4.34	0.84	0.84	0.60	0.60	0.30	0.30	0.60	0.60	0.36	0.36	0.72	0.72	0.43	0.43	0.34	0.34	

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^d Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^e Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^f Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^g Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

dw - dry weight
 EX - Existing Conditions
 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
 ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-21. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 1

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d									
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)			
			Alt. 1	Alt. 1	Alt. 1	Alt. 1	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA		
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.89	2.82	3.41	0.63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.56	4.31	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.44	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.34	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34	

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-22. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 2

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 2	Alt. 2	Alt. 2	Alt. 2	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ				
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33	
	Franks Tract	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.86	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.76	3.34	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.42	3.60	4.36	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-23. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 3

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d						
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)
							EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ
Alt. 3	Alt. 3	Alt. 3	Alt. 3	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ	
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.89	2.82	3.41	0.63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.56	4.31	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	2.74	3.31	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.87	2.78	3.36	0.62	0	-1	0	-1	0	-1	-1	-1	0.47	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.35	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 **Table M-24a. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 4-H1**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 4H1	Alt. 4H1	Alt. 4H1	Alt. 4H1	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ		
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.85	2.76	3.33	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.33	0.25			
	Drought	2.45	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34				
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34			
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.47	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25				
	Drought	2.42	3.60	4.35	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34				

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
4 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
5 ^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative.
6 ^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
7 ^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
8 ^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
9 ^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
10 ^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
11 ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)
12 Alt. - alternative
13 dw - dry weight
14 EX - Existing Conditions
15 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
16 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
17 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-24b. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 4-H2**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 4H2	Alt. 4H2	Alt. 4H2	Alt. 4H2	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ		
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.42	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.85	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.62	4.39	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.42	3.60	4.36	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water
4 year hydrologic classification index).
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
6 ^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative.
7 ^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
8 ^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
9 ^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
10 ^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
11 ^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
12 ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)
13 Alt. - alternative
14 dw - dry weight
15 EX - Existing Conditions
16 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
17 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
18 ww - wet weight
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1 **Table M-24c. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 4-H3**

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d											
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)					
			Alt. 4H3	Alt. 4H3	Alt. 4H3	Alt. 4H3	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ			
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24		
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33	
	Franks Tract	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.86	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.76	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.42	3.60	4.35	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34

2 **Notes:**
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
4 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
5 ^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative.
6 ^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
7 ^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
8 ^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
9 ^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
10 ^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
11 ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)
12 Alt. - alternative
13 dw - dry weight
14 EX - Existing Conditions
15 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
16 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
17 ww - wet weight
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1 Table M-24d. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 4-H4

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 4H4	Alt. 4H4	Alt. 4H4	Alt. 4H4	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	LOC ^e	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ		
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.42	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.86	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.39	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	0.34	0.34	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.85	2.76	3.34	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.39	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	0.34		
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25	0.25	0.25	
		Drought	2.44	3.62	4.39	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	0.34	0.34	
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.86	2.76	3.34	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25	0.25	0.25	
		Drought	2.42	3.60	4.36	0.84	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	0.34	0.34	

2 Notes:
3 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water
4 year hydrologic classification index).
5 ^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
6 ^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative.
7 ^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
8 ^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
9 ^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
10 ^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
11 ^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
12 ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)
13 Alt. - alternative
14 dw - dry weight
15 EX - Existing Conditions
16 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
17 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
18 ww - wet weight
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1 Table M-25. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 5

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 5	Alt. 5	Alt. 5	Alt. 5	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA			
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.39	3.56	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33	
	Franks Tract	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34	
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.76	3.34	0.62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25	
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34	
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.87	2.78	3.37	0.63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.35	0.84	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34	

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-26. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 6

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 6	Alt. 6	Alt. 6	Alt. 6	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA			
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25	
		Drought	2.39	3.55	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.29	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33	
	Franks Tract	All	1.87	2.77	3.36	0.62	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.47	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.89	2.81	3.39	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.41	3.58	4.33	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25
		Drought	2.44	3.64	4.40	0.85	-1	0	-1	0	-1	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.84	2.73	3.31	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.89	2.80	3.39	0.63	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.40	3.58	4.33	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.81	2.70	3.26	0.60	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.43	0.86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.81	2.70	3.26	0.60	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-4	-4	-4	-4	-4	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.43	0.86	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
 dw - dry weight
 EX - Existing Conditions
 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
 NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
 ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-27. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 7

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d										
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)				
			Alt. 7	Alt. 7	Alt. 7	Alt. 7	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ				
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24	
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.89	2.82	3.41	0.63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.56	4.31	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25				
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34				
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.88	2.80	3.38	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25				
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.34	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34				
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24				
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25				
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24				
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24				
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.88	2.79	3.38	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25				
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.34	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34				
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24				
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34				
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.84	2.73	3.30	0.61	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-3	-3	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24				
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34				

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-28. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 8

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d									
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)			
			Alt. 8	Alt. 8	Alt. 8	Alt. 8	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX			
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.90	2.82	3.41	0.64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25
		Drought	2.39	3.56	4.30	0.83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33
	Franks Tract	All	1.86	2.77	3.35	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.28	0.56	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.43	3.62	4.38	0.85	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.61	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.88	2.80	3.38	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25			
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.34	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34			
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.84	2.74	3.32	0.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.40	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.88	2.79	3.38	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25			
		Drought	2.41	3.58	4.34	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34			
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.84	2.73	3.30	0.61	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-3	-3	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44	0.34			

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 Table M-29. Summary Table for Selenium Concentrations in Biota, and Comparisons to Baseline Conditions and Benchmarks for Alternative 9

Source	Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium (mg/kg, dw ^b)				% Change In Selenium Concentrations Compared to Baseline ^c								Exceedance Quotients ^d									
			Whole-body Fish	Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)	Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)	Fish Fillets (ww)	Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)		Whole-body Fish		Bird Eggs (Invert. Diet)		Bird Eggs (Fish Diet)		Fish Fillets (ww)			
			Alt. 9	Alt. 9	Alt. 9	Alt. 9	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	TL ^f	LOC ^g	TL ^h	LOC ^g	TL ^h	ATL ⁱ			
Delta Interior	Mokelumne River (South Fork) at Staten Island	All	1.82	2.70	3.27	0.60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.45	0.22	0.45	0.27	0.54	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.66	4.43	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44
	San Joaquin River at Buckley Cove	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.86	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	3	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Franks Tract	All	1.88	2.79	3.38	0.63	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.56	0.34	0.25			
		Drought	2.41	3.59	4.35	0.84	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.60	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.34			
Old River at Rock Slough	All	1.89	2.82	3.41	0.63	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25				
	Drought	2.40	3.57	4.31	0.83	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-3	-2	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33				
Western Delta	Sacramento River at Emmaton	All	1.83	2.72	3.29	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.45	3.65	4.41	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.74	0.44
	SJR at Antioch	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.44	3.63	4.39	0.85	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Sacramento River at Mallard Island	All	1.83	2.73	3.30	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
Major Diversions (Pumping Stations)	North Bay Aqueduct at Barker Slough PP	All	1.82	2.71	3.28	0.61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.46	0.23	0.45	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.24
		Drought	2.46	3.65	4.42	0.86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.37	0.74	0.44
	Contra Costa Pumping Plant #1	All	1.89	2.81	3.40	0.63	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	0.47	0.23	0.47	0.28	0.57	0.34	0.25			
		Drought	2.40	3.57	4.32	0.83	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.60	0.30	0.59	0.36	0.72	0.43	0.33			
	Banks Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.32	0.62	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			
	Jones Pumping Plant	All	1.85	2.75	3.33	0.62	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.27	0.55	0.33	0.25			
		Drought	2.45	3.64	4.41	0.85	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	0.61	0.30	0.61	0.36	0.73	0.44	0.34			

Notes:
^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5 consecutive year (water years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
^b Dry weight, except as noted for fish fillets.
^c % change indicates a negative change (increased concentrations) relative to baseline when values are positive and a positive change (lowered concentrations) relative to baseline when values are negative. Changes of 10% or more are highlighted.
^d Exceedance Quotient = tissue concentration/benchmark
^e Level of Concern for fish tissue (lower end of range) = 4 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^f Toxicity Level for fish tissue = 8.1 mg/kg dw (USEPA 2014)
^g Level of Concern for bird eggs (lower end of range) = 6 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
^h Toxicity Level for bird eggs = 10 mg/kg dw (Beckon et al. 2008)
ⁱ Advisory Tissue Level = 2.5 mg/kg ww (OEHHA 2008)

Alt. - alternative
dw - dry weight
EX - Existing Conditions
mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
NAA - No Action Alternative Late Long Term
ww - wet weight

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1 **Table M-30. Summary of Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Whole-body Sturgeon for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative - Late Long Term and Alternatives 1-9**

Location	Period ^a	Estimated Concentrations of Selenium in Whole-body Sturgeon (mg/kg, dw)													
		Existing Conditions	No Action Alternative	Alternative 1	Alternative 2	Alternative 3	Alternative 4H1	Alternative 4H2	Alternative 4H3	Alternative 4H4	Alternative 5	Alternative 6	Alternative 7	Alternative 8	Alternative 9
San Joaquin River at Antioch	ALL	4.71	4.68	5.26	5.58	5.02	5.39	5.45	5.50	5.57	5.02	6.64	6.12	6.13	6.35
	DROUGHT	6.82	6.91	7.05	7.39	7.03	7.21	7.28	7.39	7.47	7.16	8.80	8.43	8.45	9.31
Sacramento River at Mallard Island	ALL	4.38	4.39	4.72	4.89	4.57	4.79	4.81	4.84	4.87	4.55	5.45	5.15	5.15	5.15
	DROUGHT	6.93	6.98	7.10	7.26	7.09	7.17	7.20	7.26	7.29	7.14	7.93	7.74	7.75	8.14

2 **Notes:**
 3 dw - dry weight
 4 mg/kg - milligram per kilogram
 5 ^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5-consecutive-year (Water Years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water-year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-
 6 30 water year hydrologic classification index).
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1 **Table M-31. Percent (%) Change in Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Whole Body Sturgeon relative to Existing Condition and No Action Alternative Late Long Term**

Location	Period ^a	NAA		Alternative 1		Alternative 2		Alternative 3		Alternative 4 (H1)		Alternative 4 (H2)		Alternative 4 (H3)		Alternative 4 (H4)		Alternative 5		Alternative 6		Alternative 7		Alternative 8		Alternative 9	
		EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA	EX	NAA
		San Joaquin River at Antioch	ALL	-0.65	11.7	12.4	18.6	19.3	6.6	7.3	14.4	15.2	15.8	16.5	16.8	17.5	18.3	19.0	6.5	7.2	41.0	42.0	29.9	30.7	30.2	31.1	34.8
	DROUGHT	1.22	3.3	2.1	8.4	7.0	3.0	1.8	5.7	4.4	6.8	5.5	8.3	7.0	9.4	8.1	4.9	3.6	29.0	27.5	23.6	22.1	23.9	22.4	36.4	34.8	
Sacramento River at Mallard Island	ALL	0.12	7.55	7.4	11.41	11.3	4.14	4.0	9.25	9.1	9.71	9.6	10.36	10.2	10.96	10.8	3.88	3.8	24.36	24.2	17.50	17.4	17.38	17.2	17.44	17.3	
	DROUGHT	0.60	2.4	1.8	4.7	4.1	2.2	1.6	3.4	2.8	3.8	3.2	4.7	4.1	5.1	4.5	3.0	2.4	14.3	13.7	11.6	10.9	11.8	11.1	17.4	16.7	

Notes:

^a All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5-consecutive-year (Water Years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water-year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).

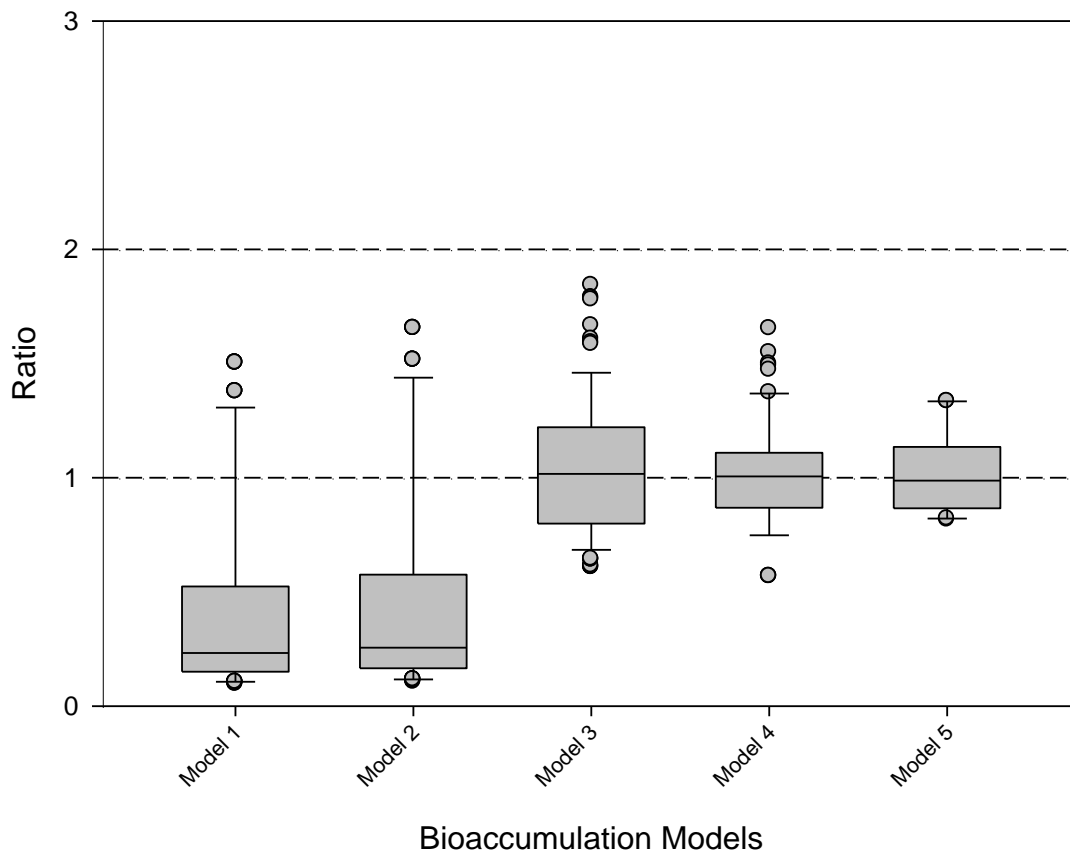
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1 **Table M-32. Comparison of Annual Average Selenium Concentrations in Whole-body Sturgeon to Toxicity Thresholds Sturgeon for Existing Conditions, No Action Alternative - Late Long Term and Alternatives 1-9**

Location	Period ^b	Existing Conditions		No Action Alternative		Alternative 1		Alternative 2		Alternative 3		Alternative 4 (H1)		Alternative 4 (H2)		Alternative 4 (H3)		Alternative 4 (H4)		Alternative 5		Alternative 6		Alternative 7		Alternative 8		Alternative 9	
		Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a	Low ^a	High ^a
San Joaquin River at Antioch	ALL	0.94	0.59	0.94	0.59	1.1	0.66	1.1	0.70	1.0	0.63	1.1	0.67	1.1	0.68	1.1	0.69	1.1	0.70	1.0	0.63	1.3	0.83	1.2	0.76	1.2	0.77	1.3	0.79
	DROUGHT	1.4	0.85	1.4	0.86	1.4	0.88	1.5	0.92	1.4	0.88	1.4	0.90	1.5	0.91	1.5	0.92	1.5	0.93	1.4	0.89	1.8	1.1	1.7	1.1	1.7	1.1	1.9	1.2
Sacramento River at Mallard Island	ALL	0.88	0.55	0.88	0.55	0.94	0.59	0.98	0.61	0.91	0.57	0.96	0.60	0.96	0.60	0.97	0.60	0.97	0.61	0.91	0.57	1.1	0.68	1.0	0.64	1.0	0.64	1.0	0.64
	DROUGHT	1.4	0.87	1.4	0.87	1.4	0.89	1.5	0.91	1.4	0.89	1.4	0.90	1.4	0.90	1.5	0.91	1.5	0.91	1.4	0.89	1.6	0.99	1.5	0.97	1.6	0.97	1.6	1.0

2 **Notes:**
 3 ^a Toxicity thresholds are those reported in Presser and Luoma (2013): Low = 5 mg/kg, dw and High = 8 mg/kg, dw
 4 ^b All: Water years 1975-1991 represent the 16-year period modeled using DSM2. Drought: Represents a 5-consecutive-year (Water Years 1987-1991) drought period consisting of dry and critical water-year types (as defined by the Sacramento Valley 40-30-30 water year hydrologic classification index).
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1 **Figure M-1. Ratios of Predicted Selenium Concentrations in Fish Models 1 through 5 to Observed Selenium Concentrations in Largemouth Bass**
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For Models 1 and 2, default values ($K_d = 1000$, $TTF_{invertebrate} = 2.8$, $TTF_{fish} = 1.1$) were used in calculations as follows:

Model 1=Trophic level 3 (TL-3) fish eating invertebrates

Model 2= TL-4 fish eating TL-3 fish

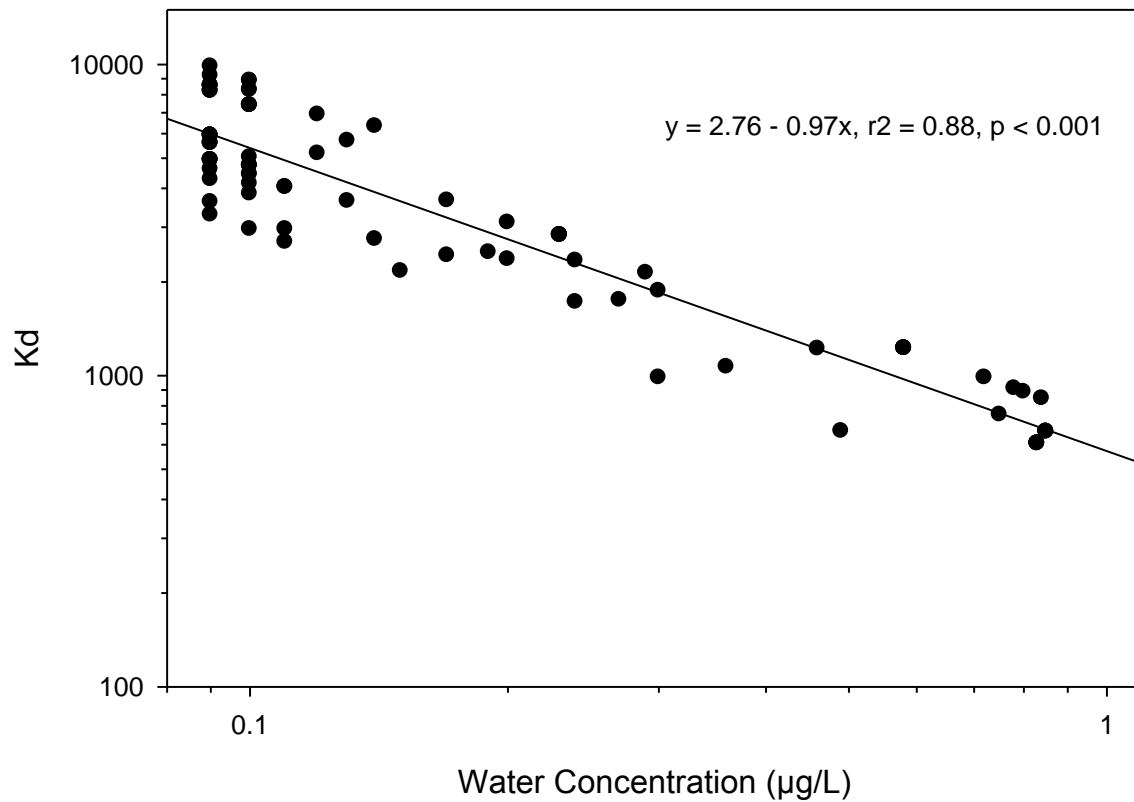
Model 3=Model 2 with K_d estimated using all years regression ($\log K_d = 2.76-0.97(\log DSM2)$)

Model 4=Model 2 with K_d estimated using normal/wet years (2000/2005) regression ($\log K_d = 2.75-0.90(\log DSM2)$)

Model 5=Model 2 with K_d estimated using dry years (2007) regression ($\log K_d = 2.84-1.02(\log DSM2)$)

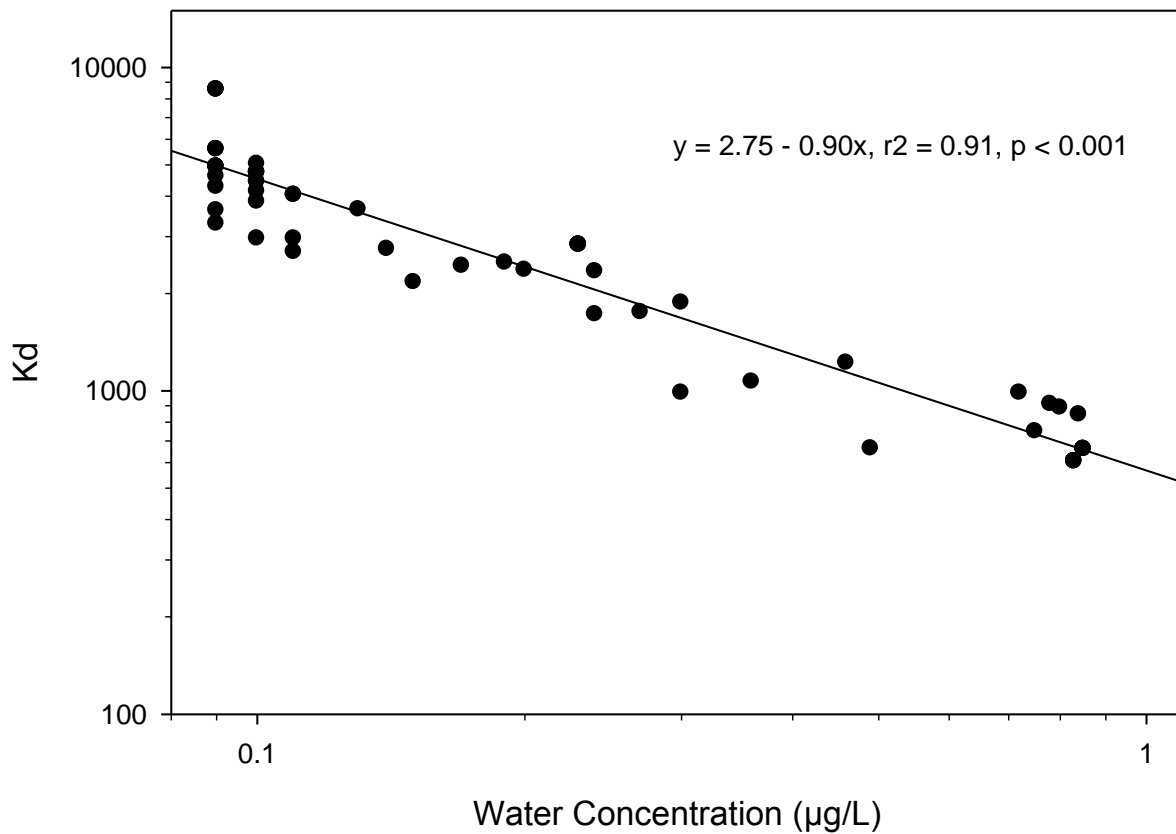
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1 **Figure M-2. Log-log Regression Relation of Estimated K_d to Waterborne Selenium Concentration**
 2 **for Model 3 in All Years (Based on Years 2000, 2005, and 2007)**



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 4 To predict the K_d (y) from water concentrations using the regression equation, take the log of the water
 5 concentration (x), multiply it by the slope (-0.97), which gives a positive number for $x < 1$ (i.e.,
 6 waterborne selenium concentrations less than 1 µg/L); then add this number to the intercept (2.76) and
 7 take the antilog.
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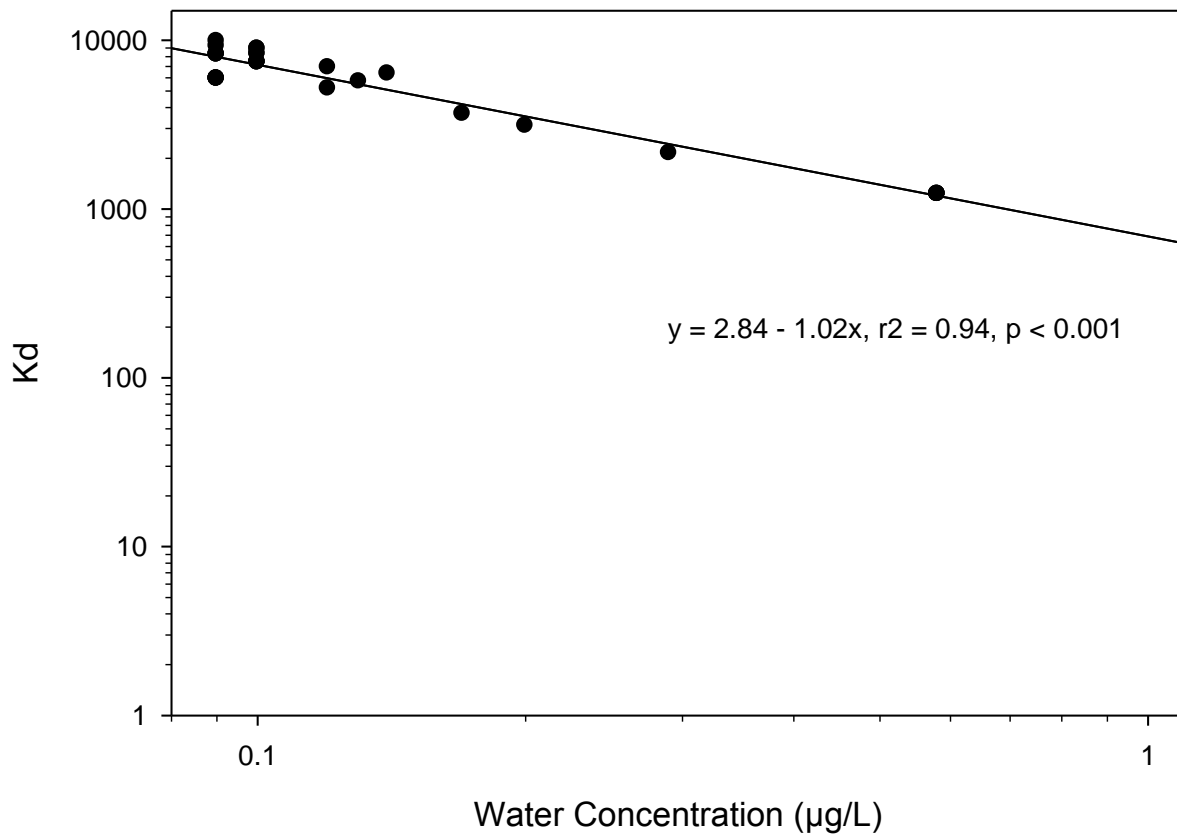
1 **Figure M-3. Log-log Regression Relation of Estimated K_d to Waterborne Selenium Concentration**
2 **for Model 4 in Normal/Wet Years (Based on Years 2000 and 2005)**



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4 To predict the K_d (y) from water concentrations using the regression equation, take the log of the
5 water concentration (x), multiply it by the slope (-0.90), which gives a positive number for $x < 1$ (i.e.,
6 waterborne selenium concentrations less than 1 µg/L); then add this number to the intercept (2.75)
7 and take the antilog.
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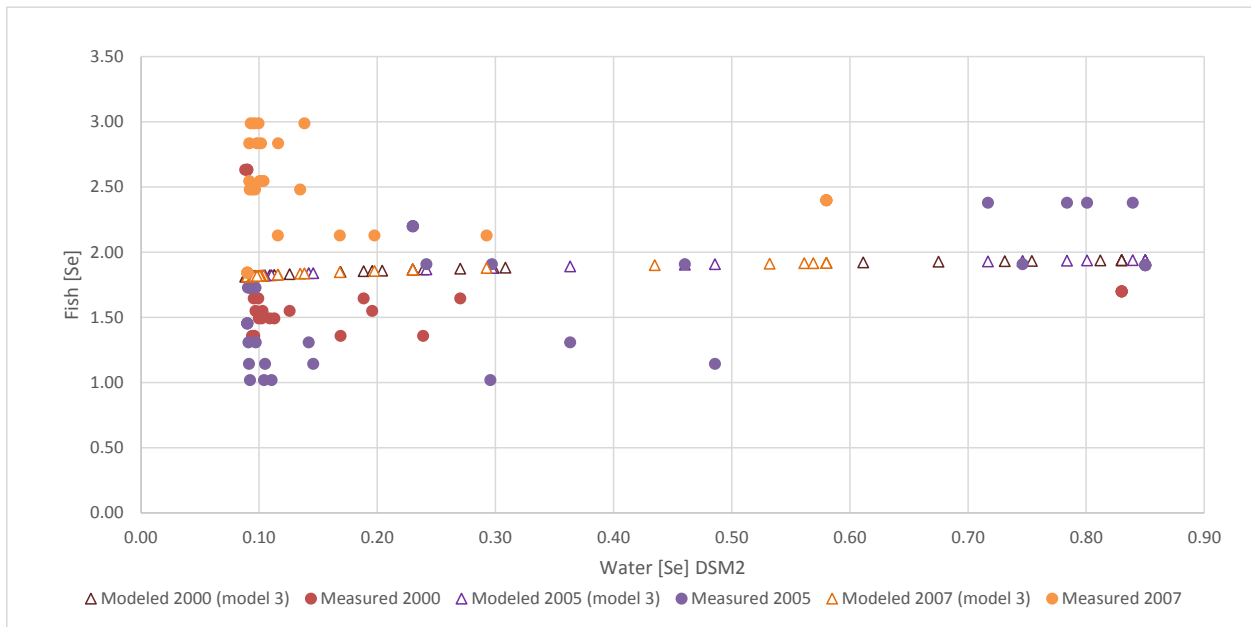
1 **Figure M-4. Log-log Regression Relation of Estimated K_d to Waterborne Selenium Concentration**
 2 **for Model 5 in Dry Years (Based on Year 2007)**



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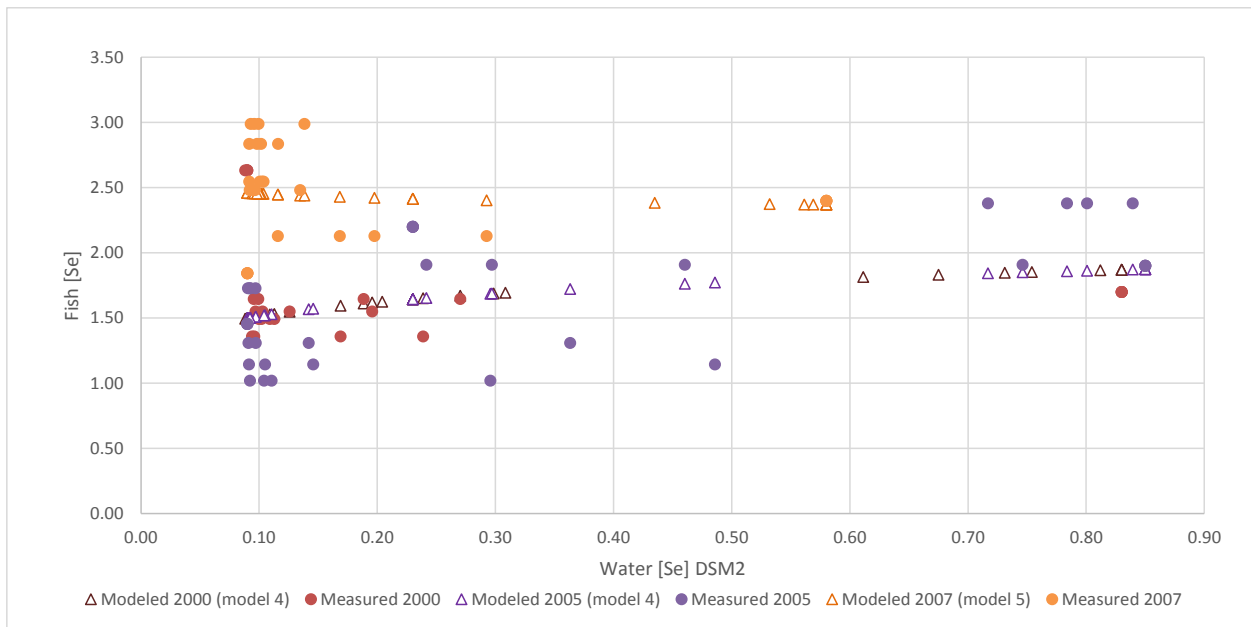
4 To predict the K_d (y) from water concentrations using the regression equation, take the log of the
 5 water concentration (x), multiply it by the slope (-1.02), which gives a positive number for $x < 1$ (i.e.,
 6 waterborne selenium concentrations less than 1 $\mu\text{g/L}$); then add this number to the intercept (2.84)
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1 **Figure M-5. Distribution of Data for Selenium Concentrations in Largemouth Bass Relative to**
2 **Waterborne Selenium for Model 3**



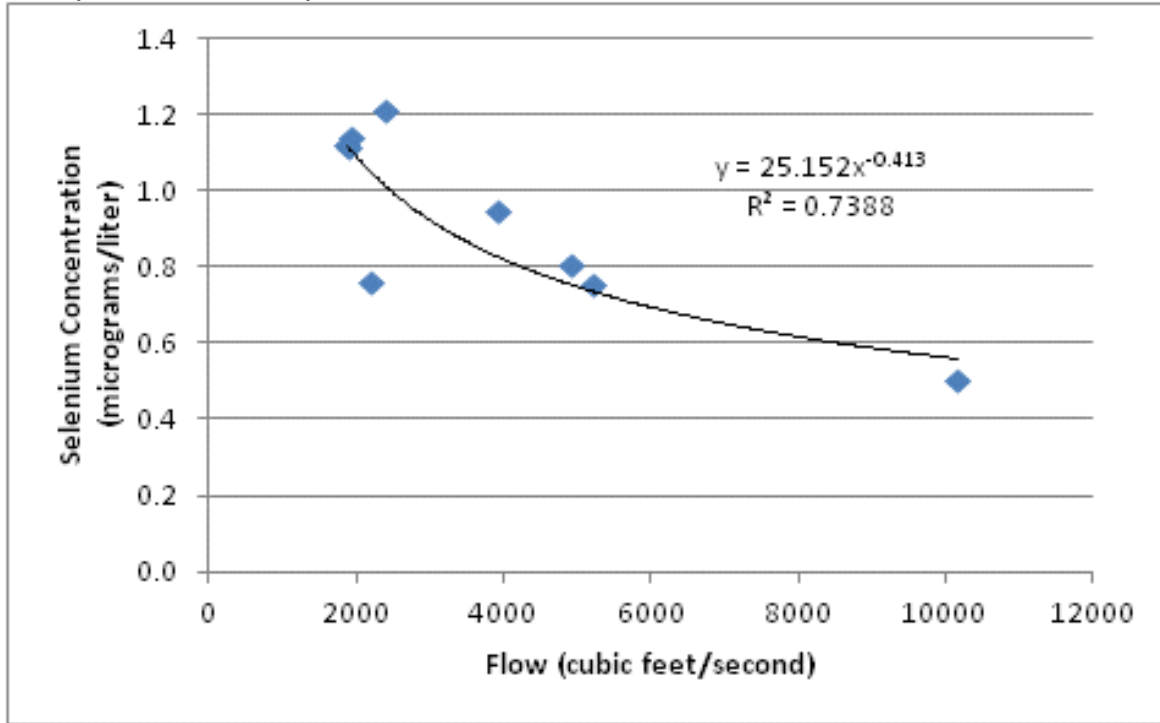
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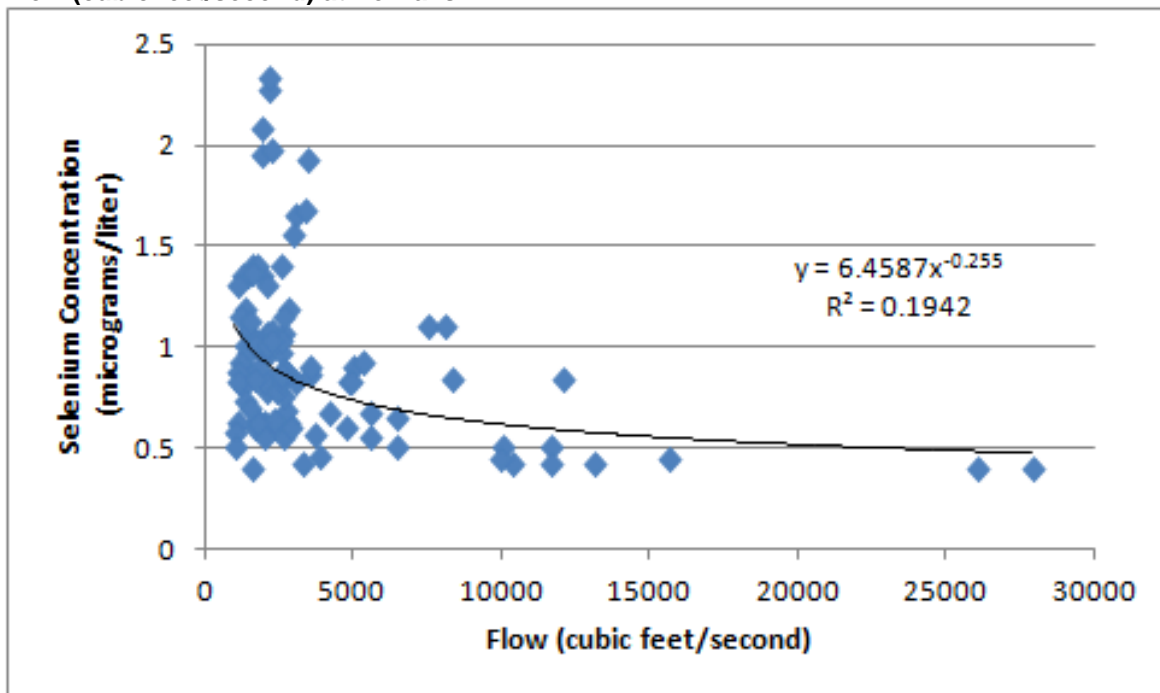
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1 **Figure M-7. Yearly Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter) and**
 2 **Flow (cubic feet/second) at Vernalis.**



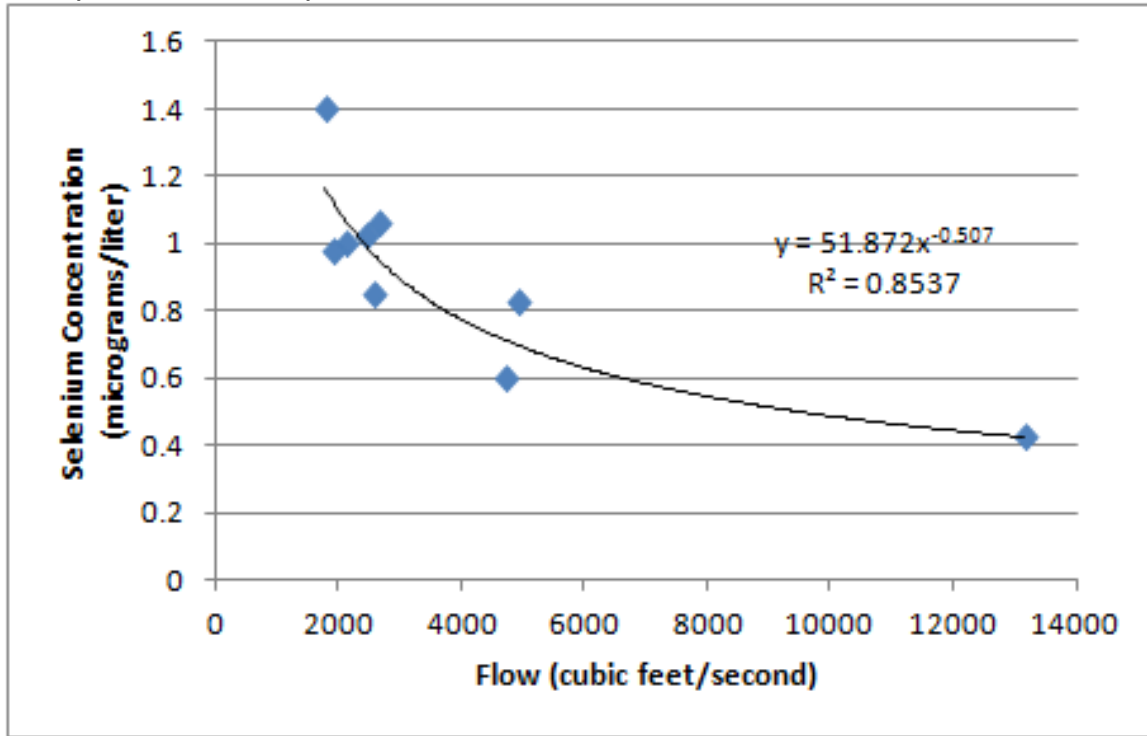
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5 **Figure M-8. Monthly Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter) and**
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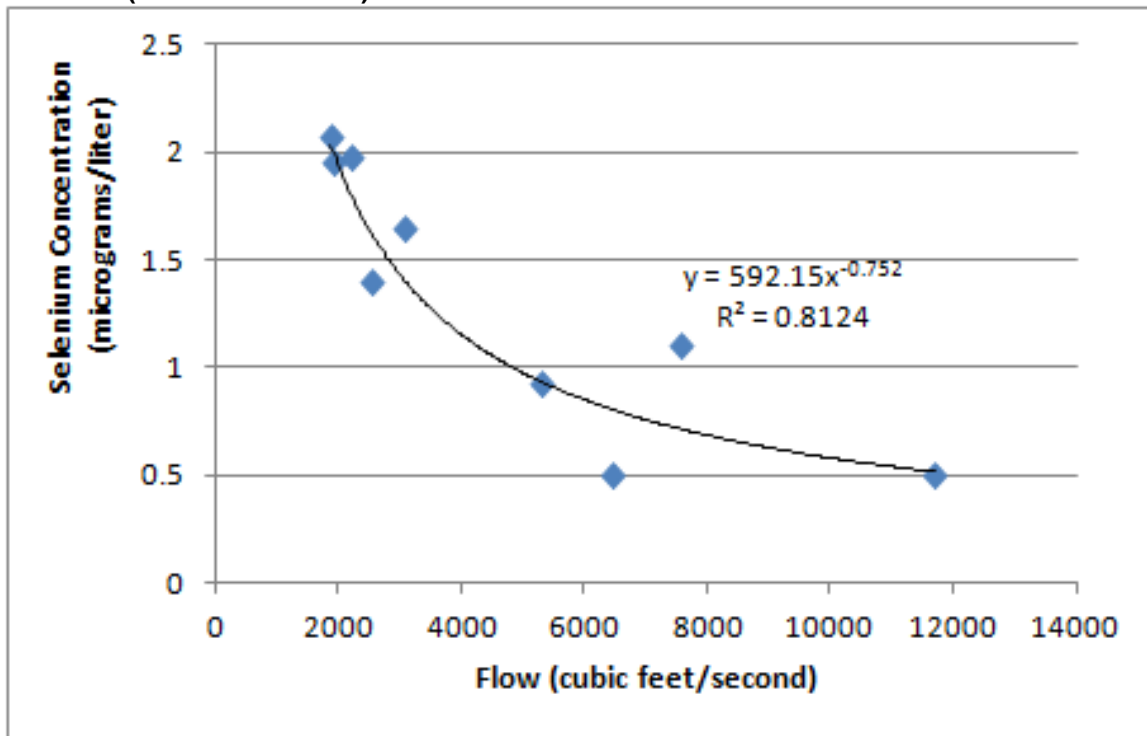
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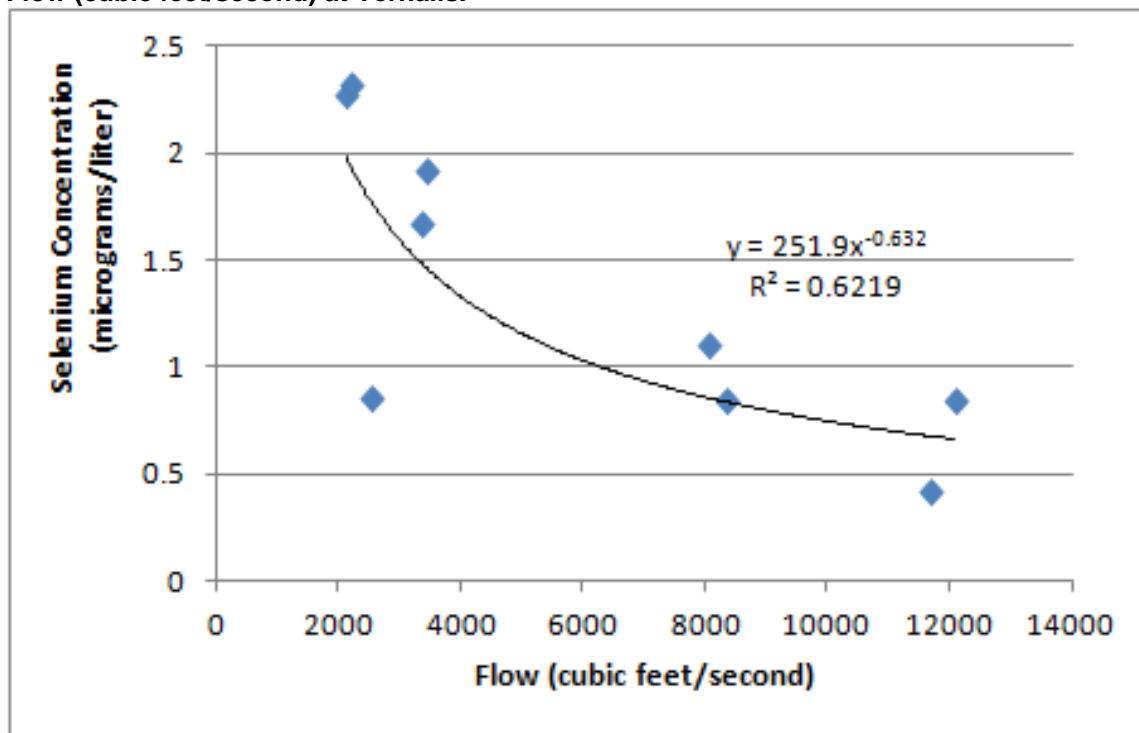
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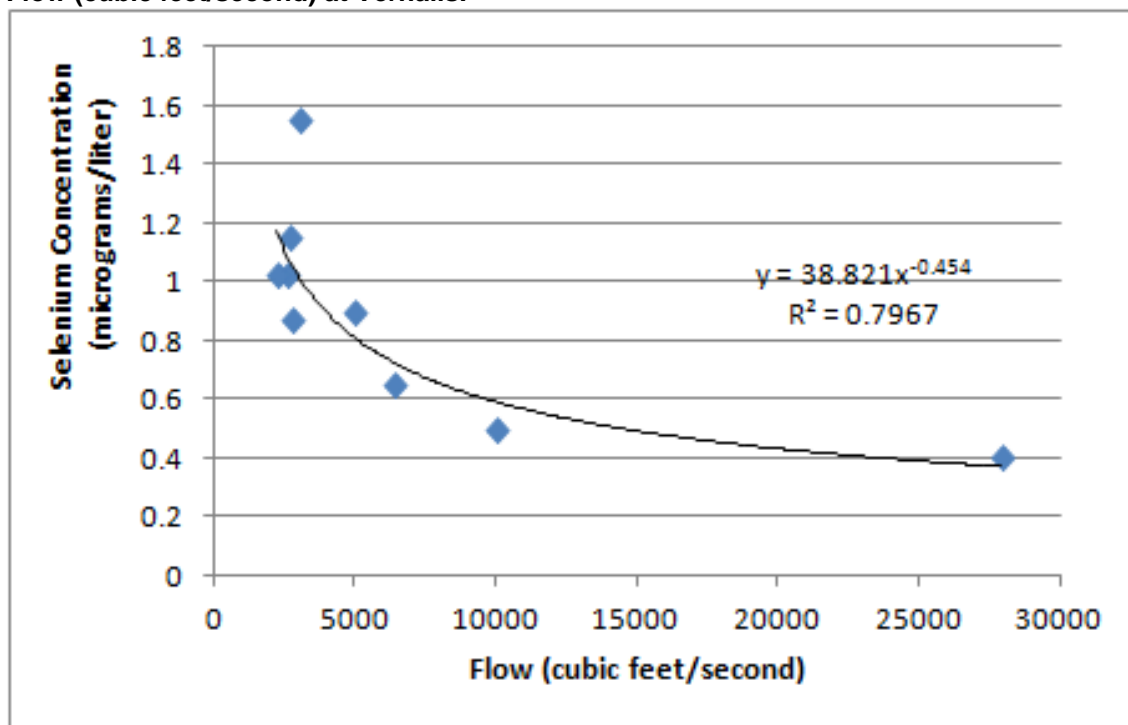


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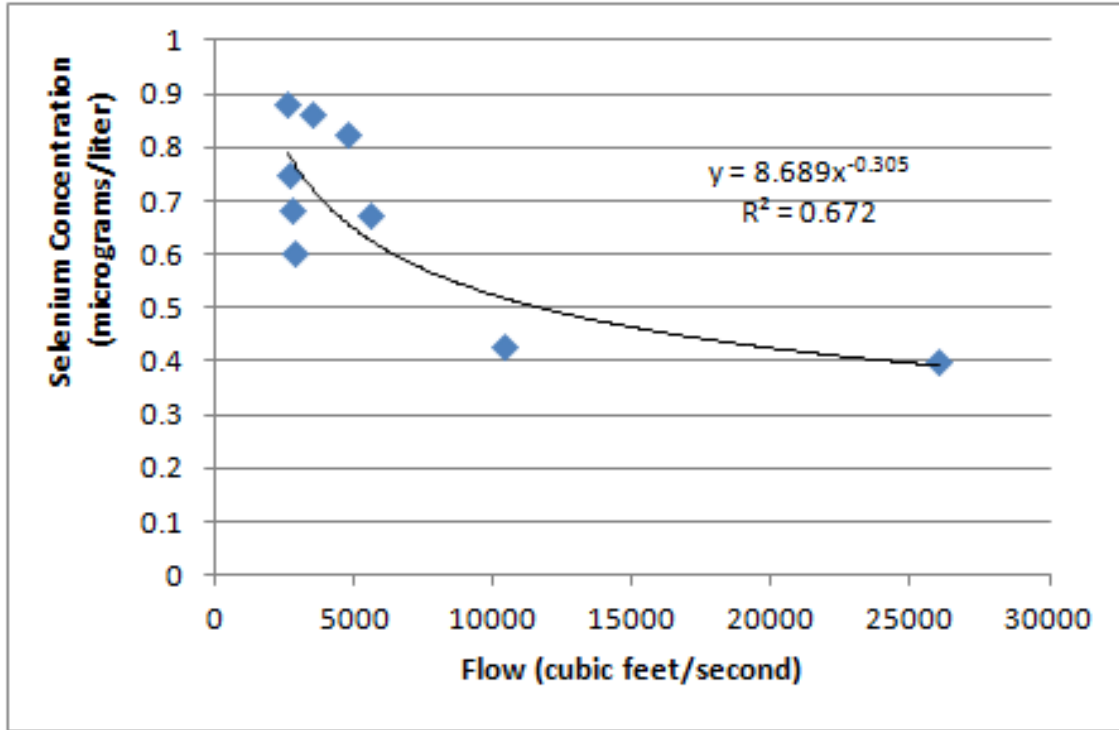
1 Figure M-11. March Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter) and
 2 Flow (cubic feet/second) at Vernalis.



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 5 Figure M-12. April Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter) and
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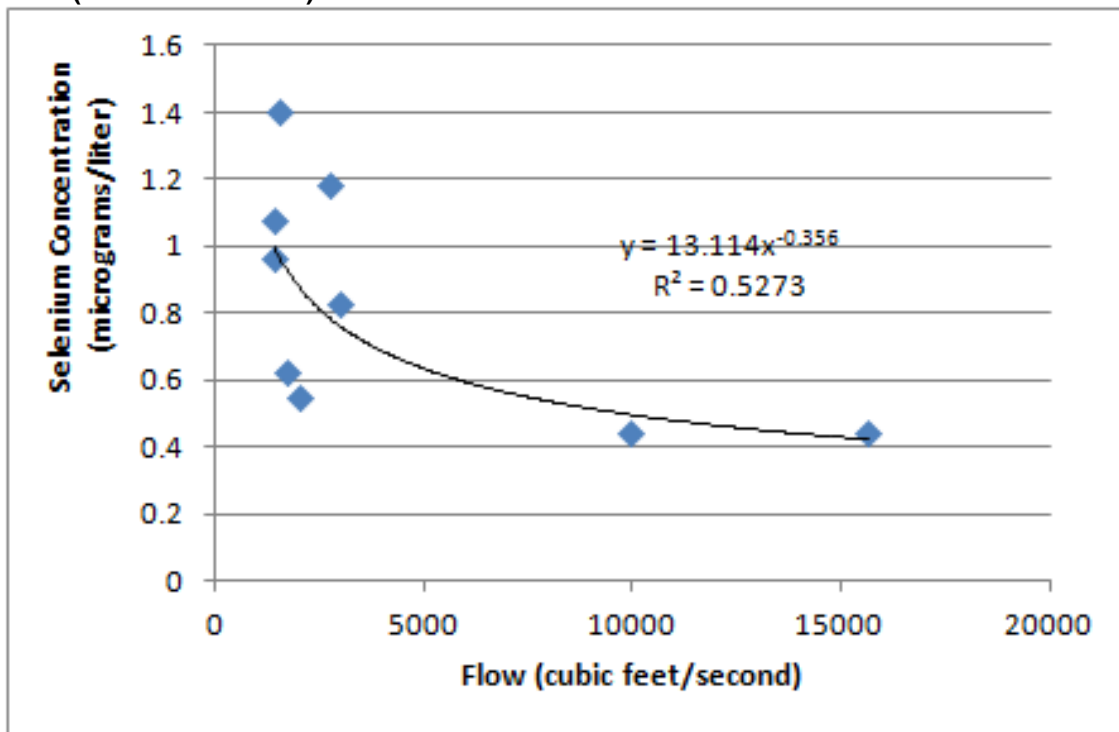


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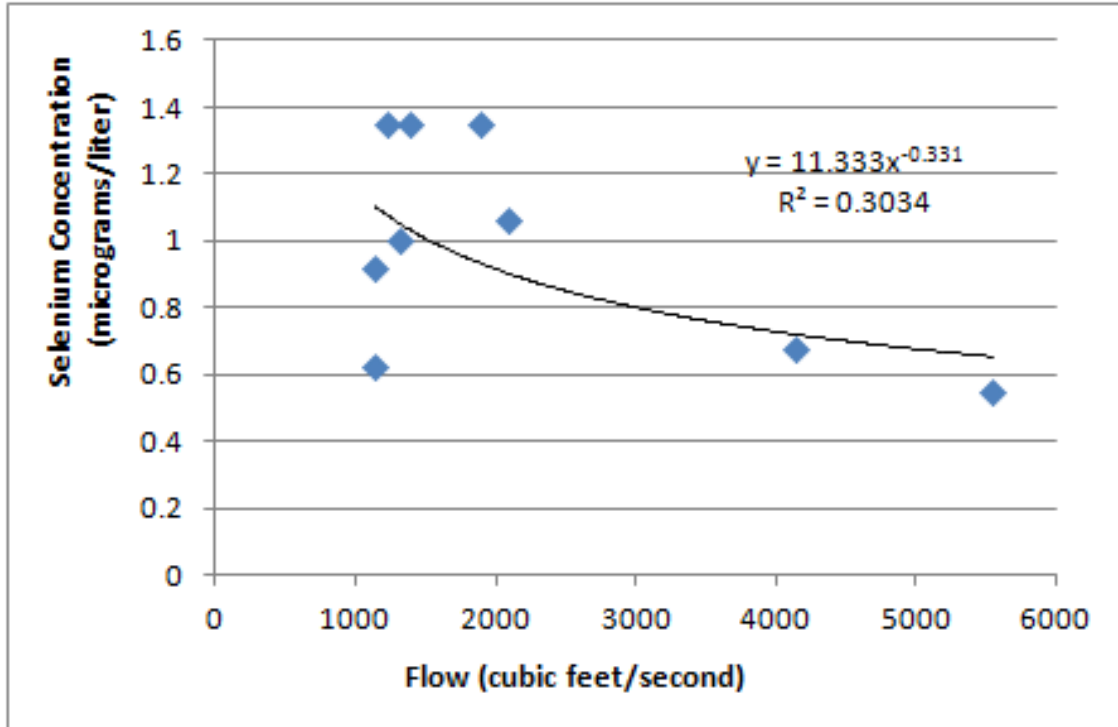
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5 Figure M-14. June Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter) and
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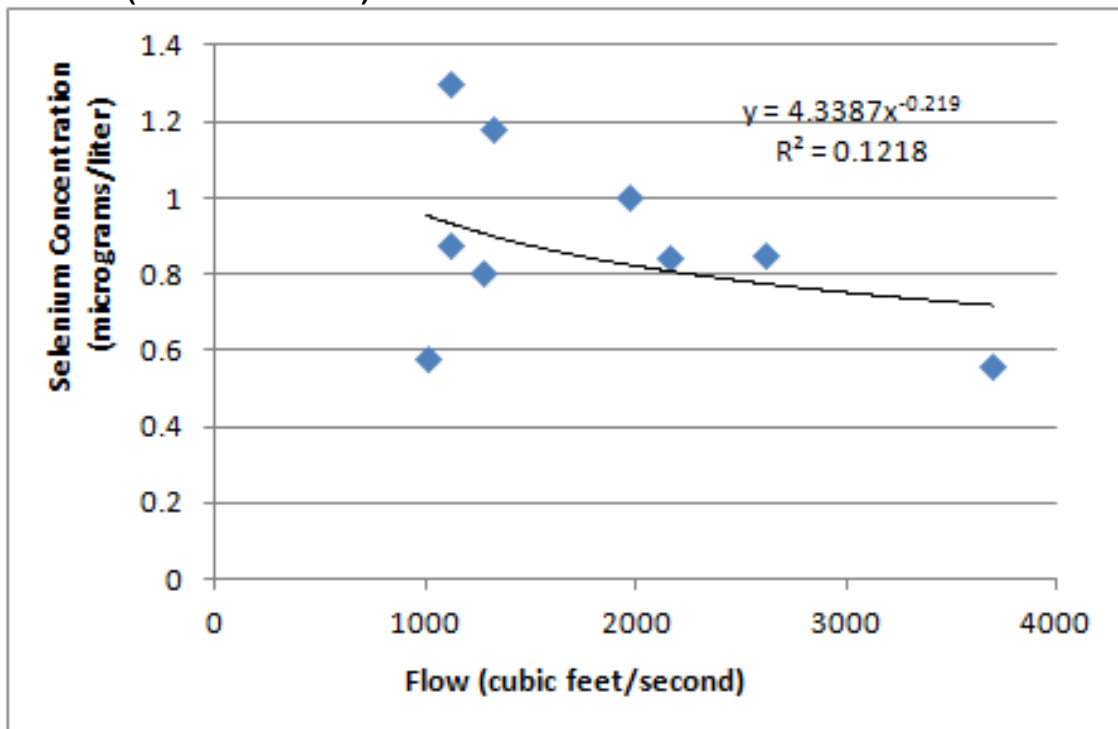
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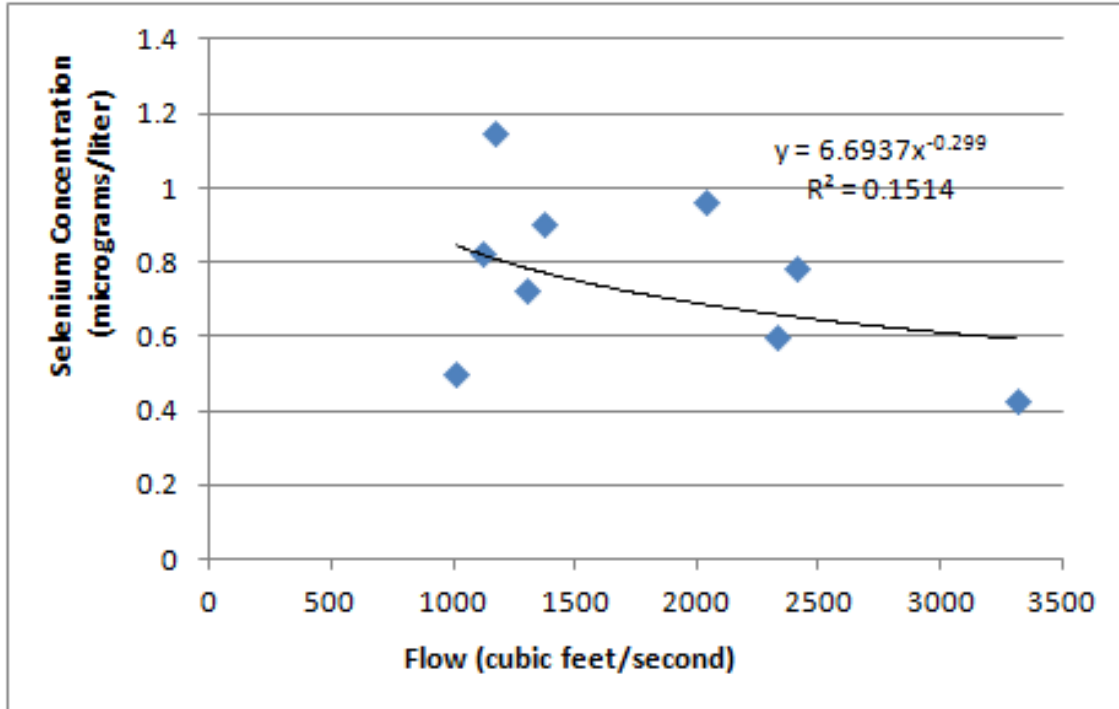
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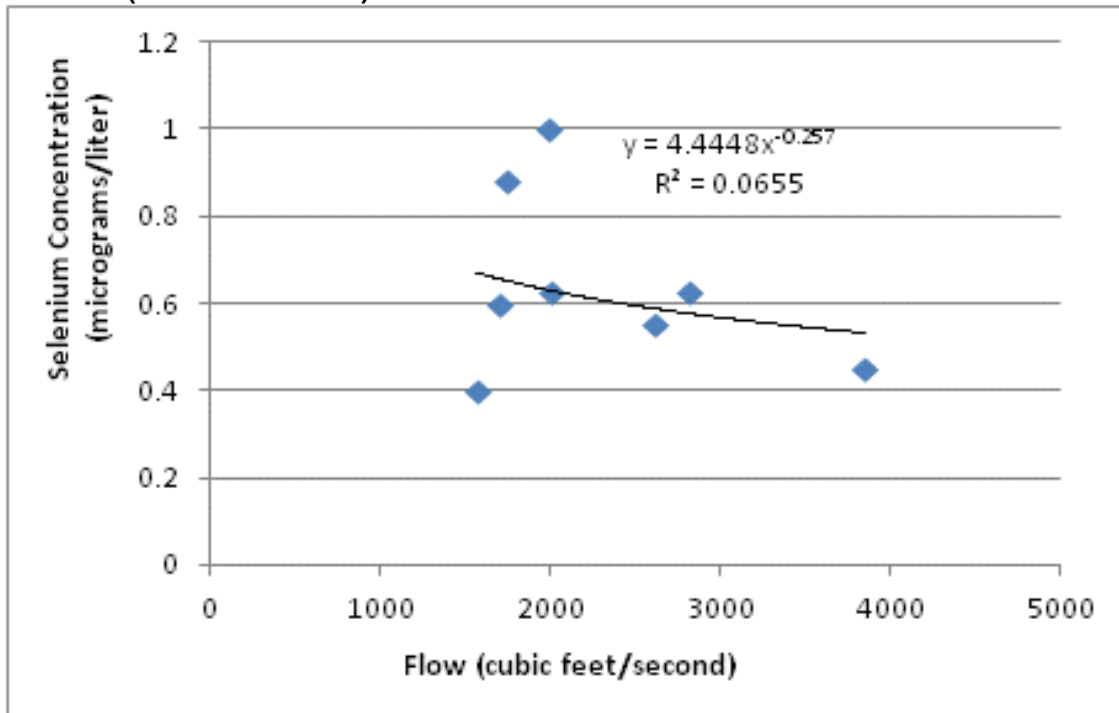
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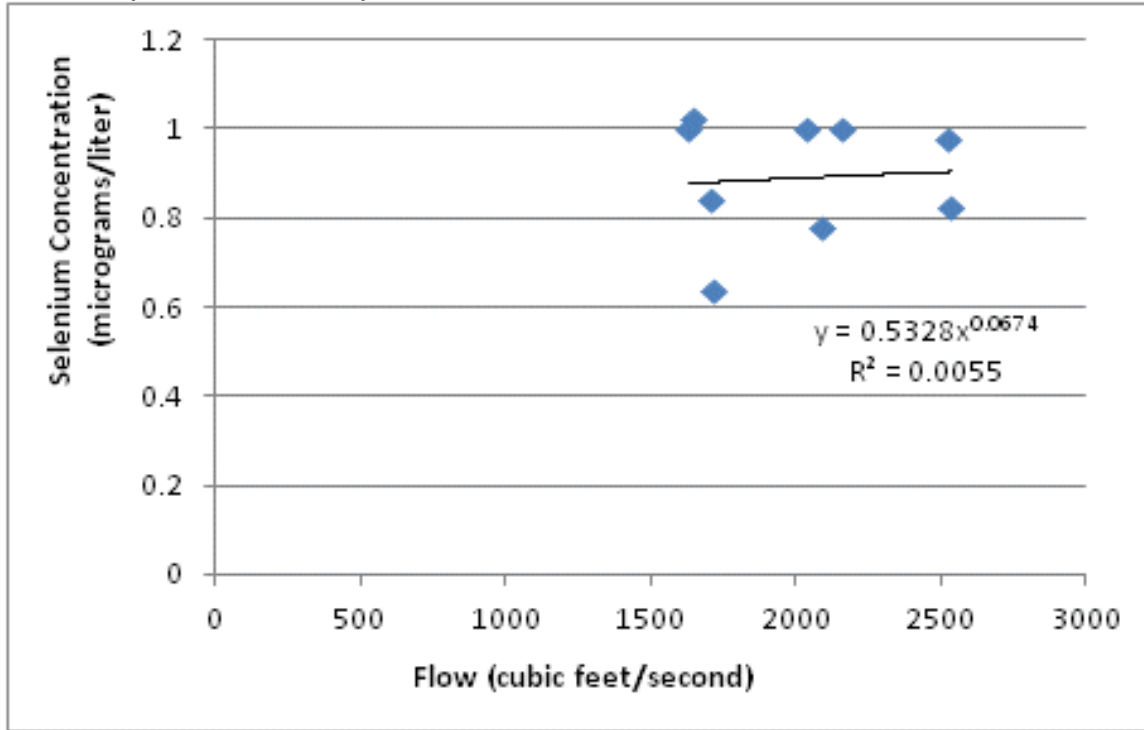
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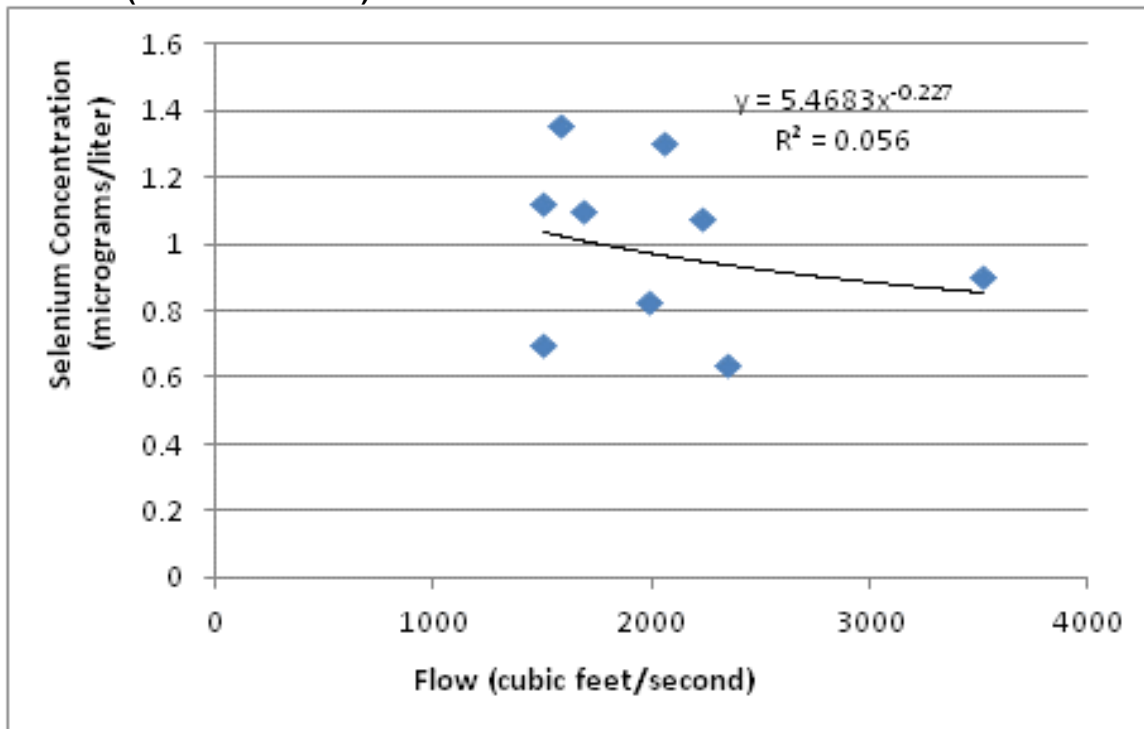


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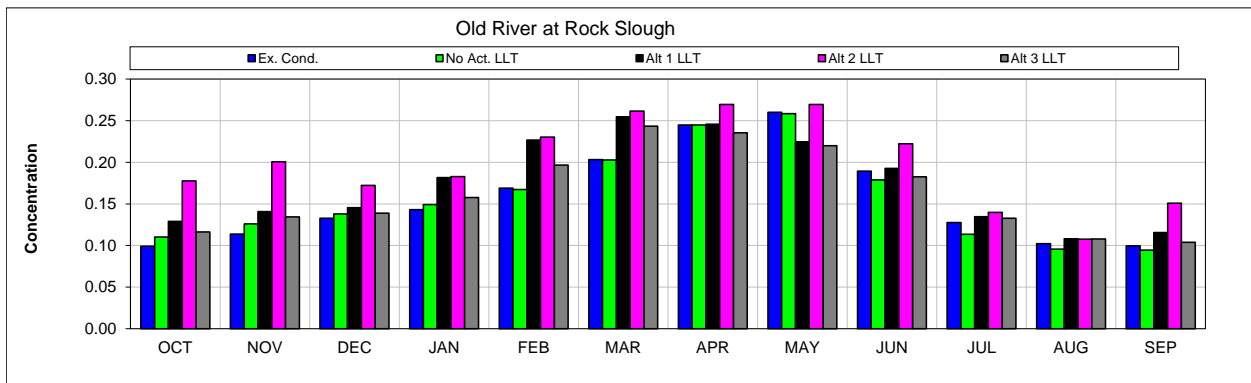
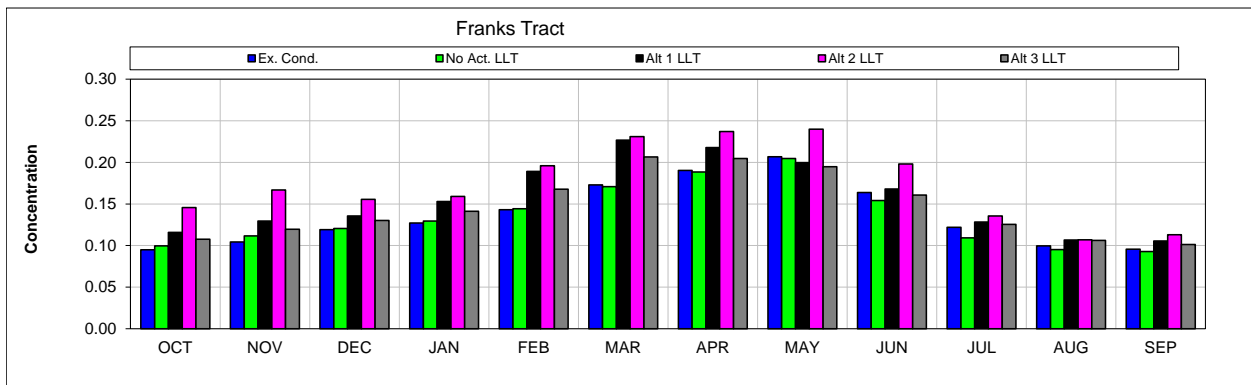
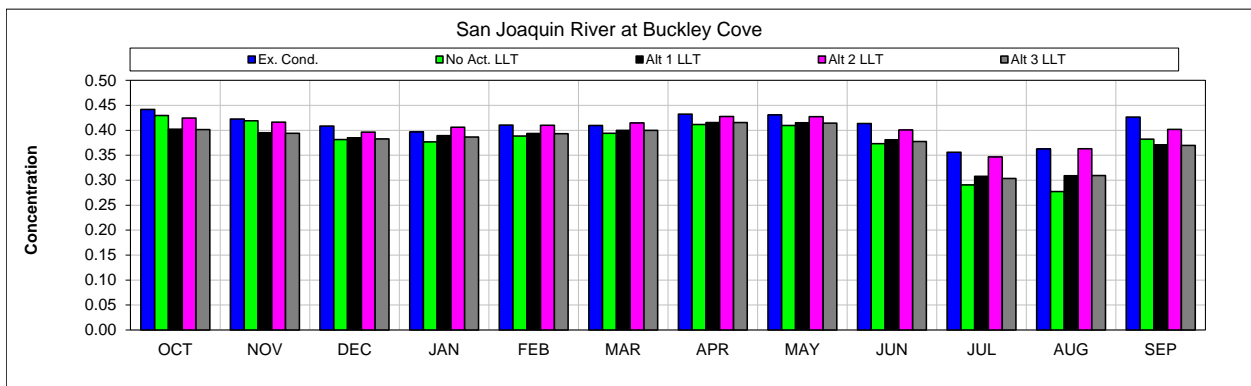
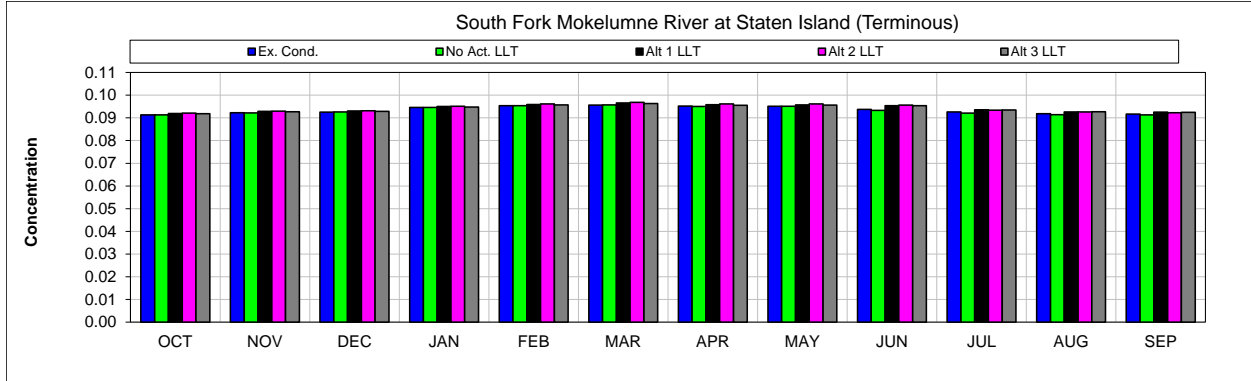


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 5 **Figure M-20. December Averages of Selenium Concentrations in Surface Water (micrograms/liter)**
 6 **and Flow (cubic feet/second) at Vernalis.**



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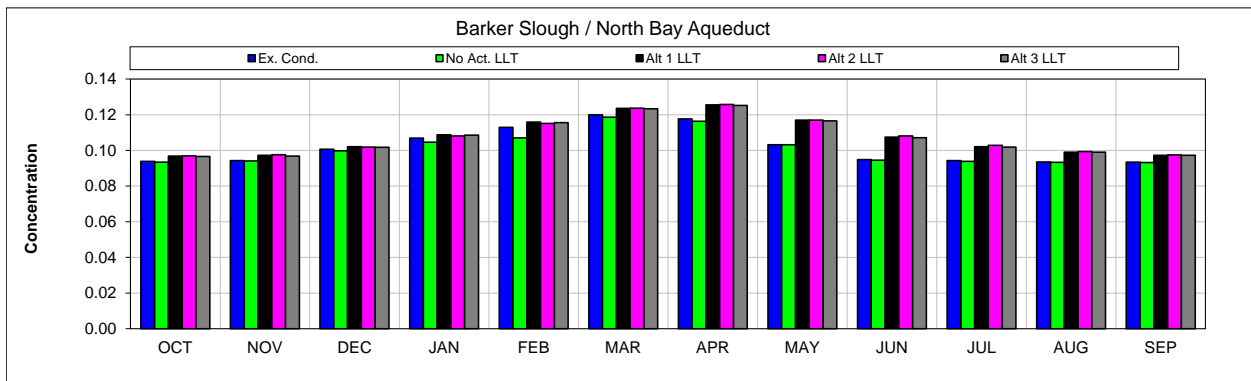
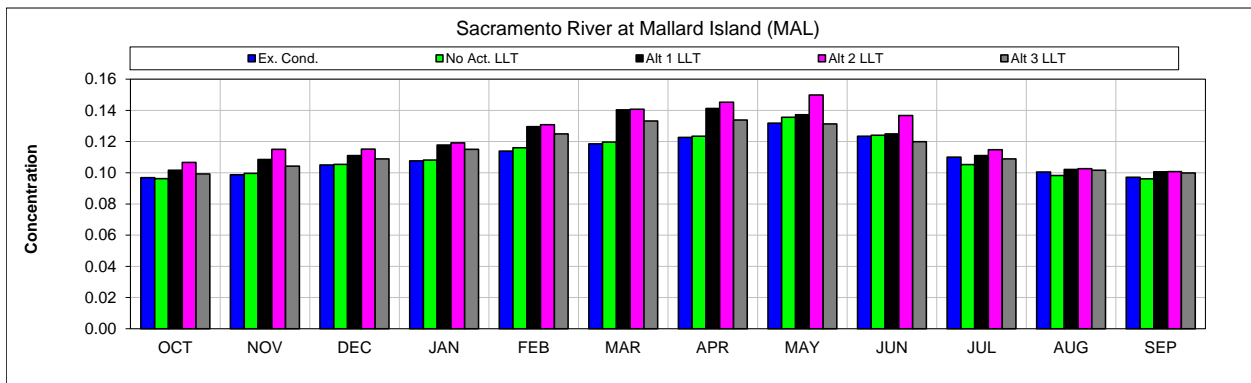
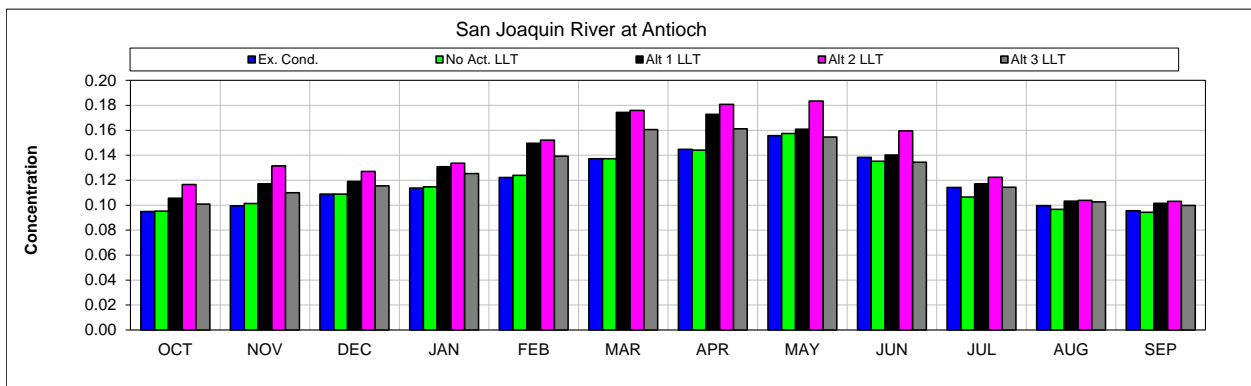
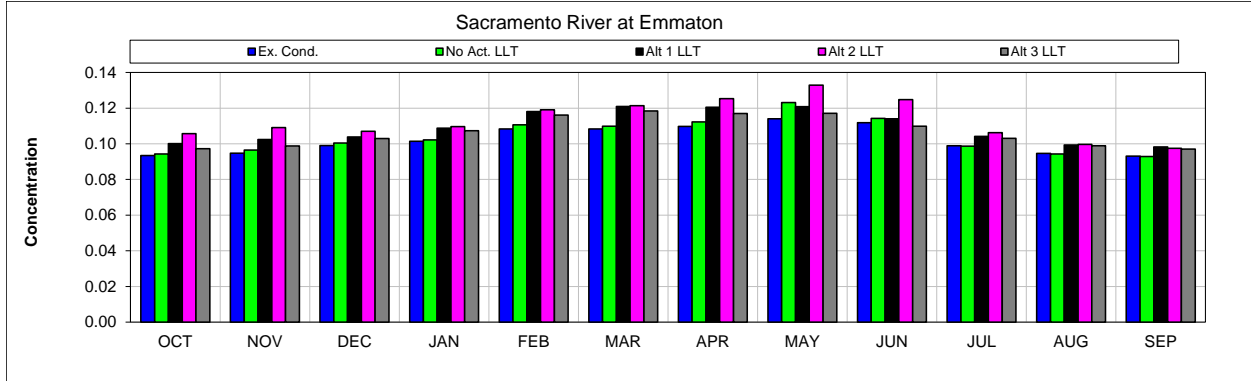
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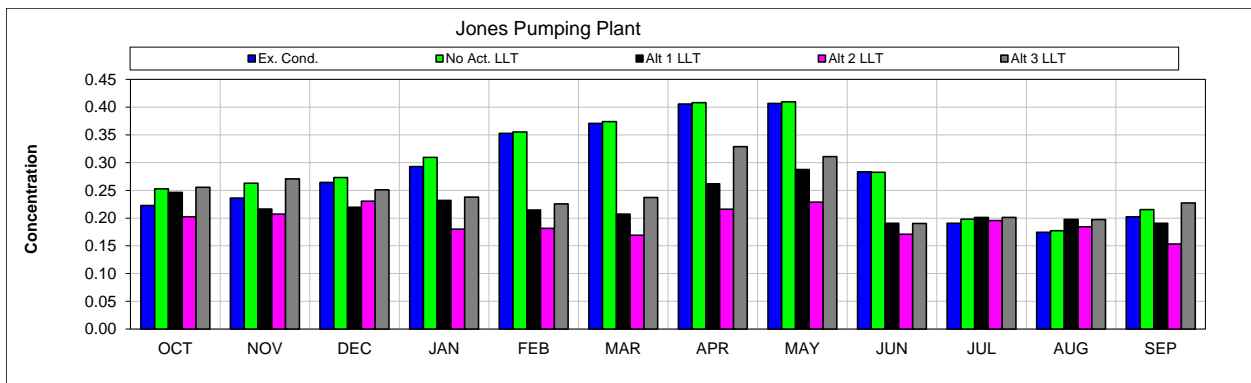
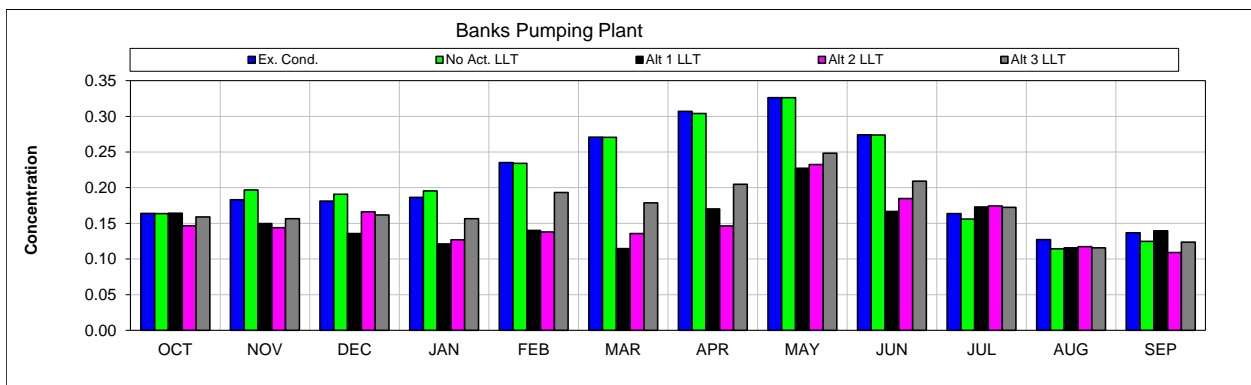
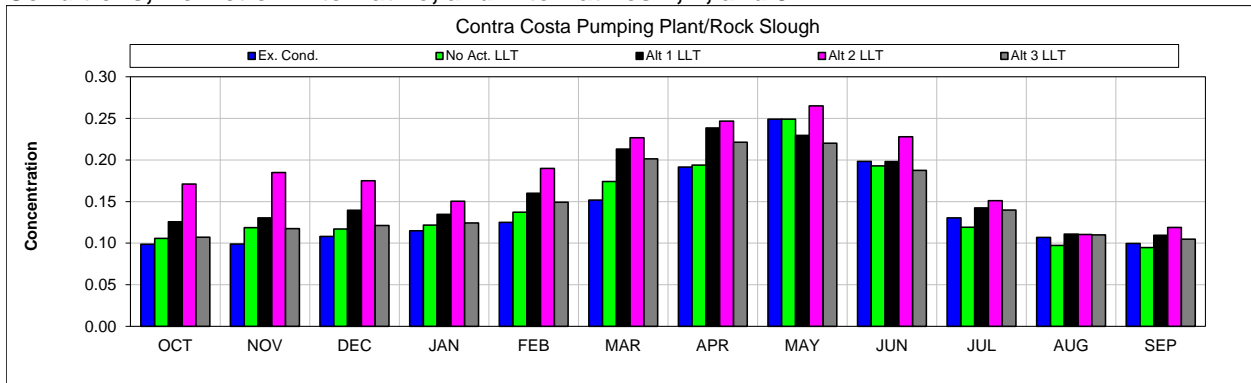
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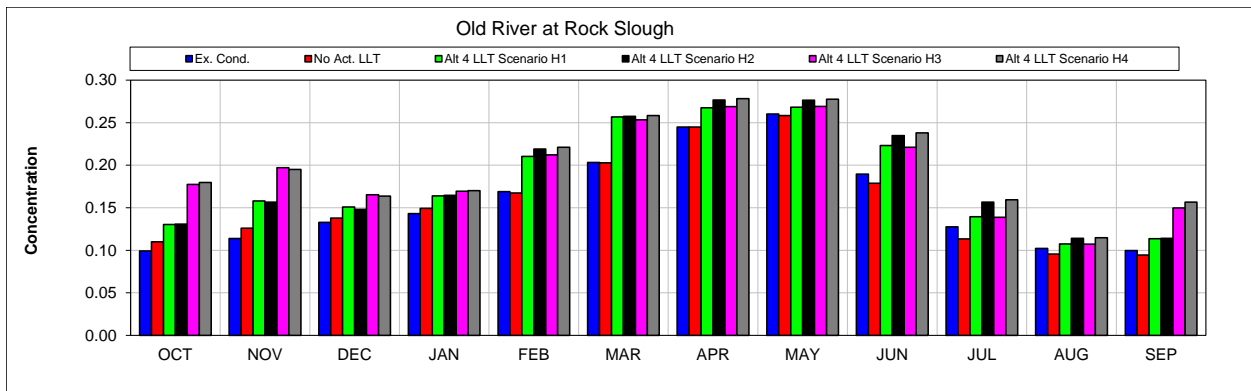
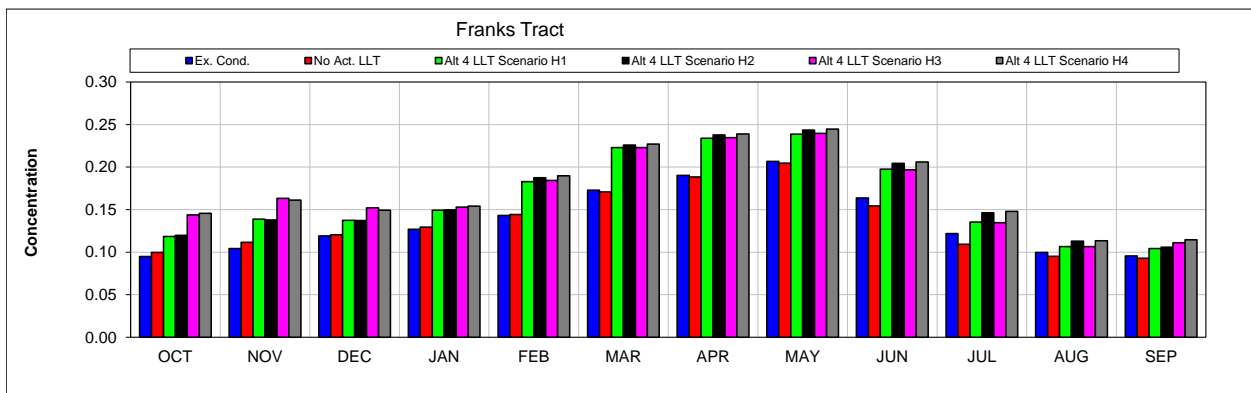
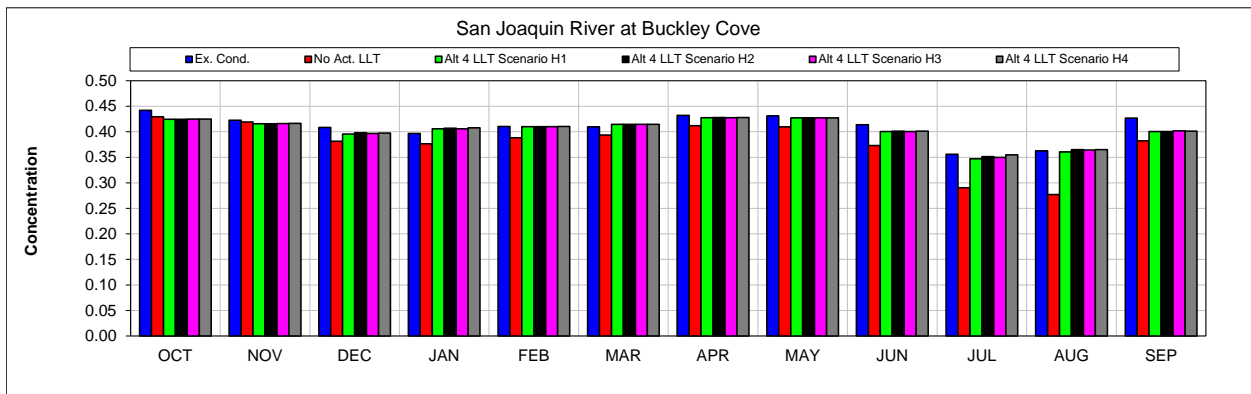
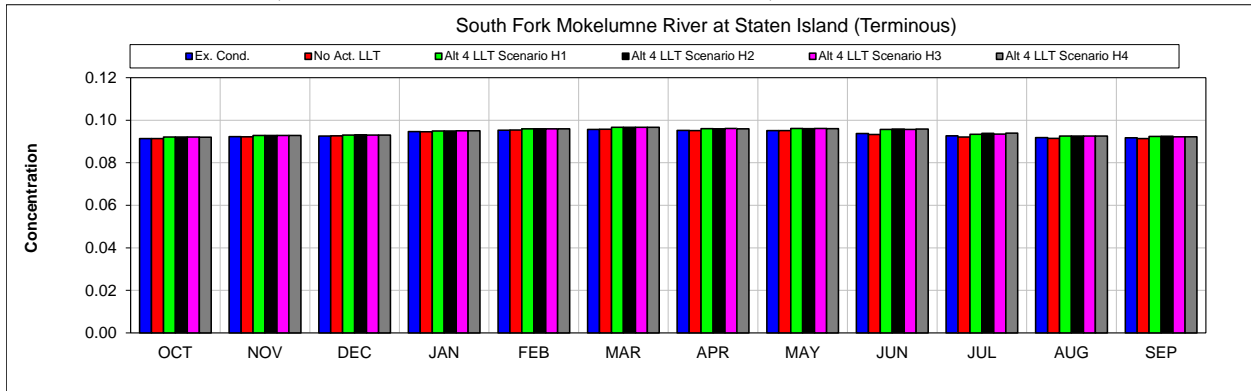
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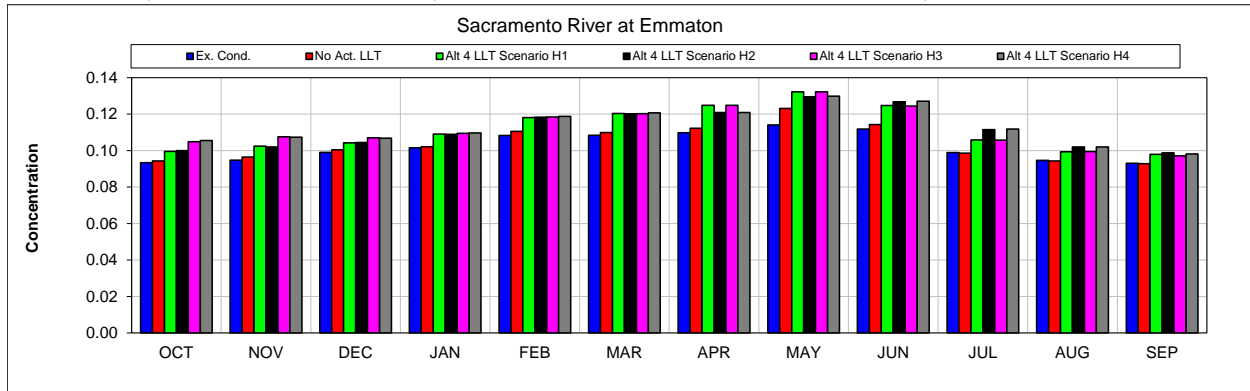
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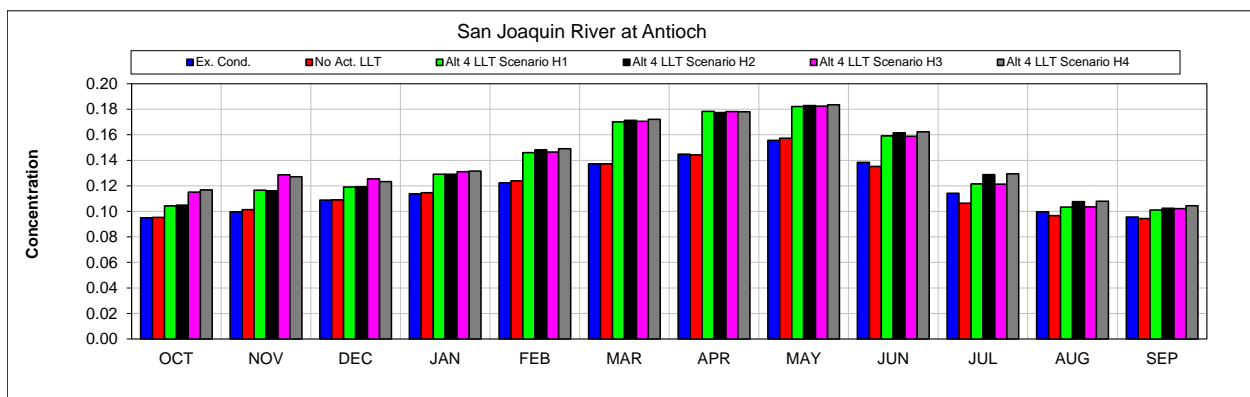
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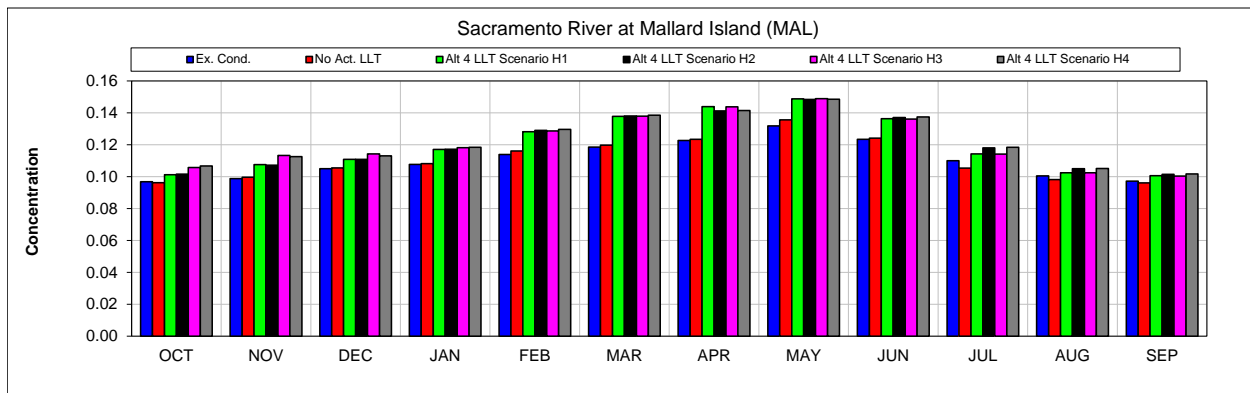
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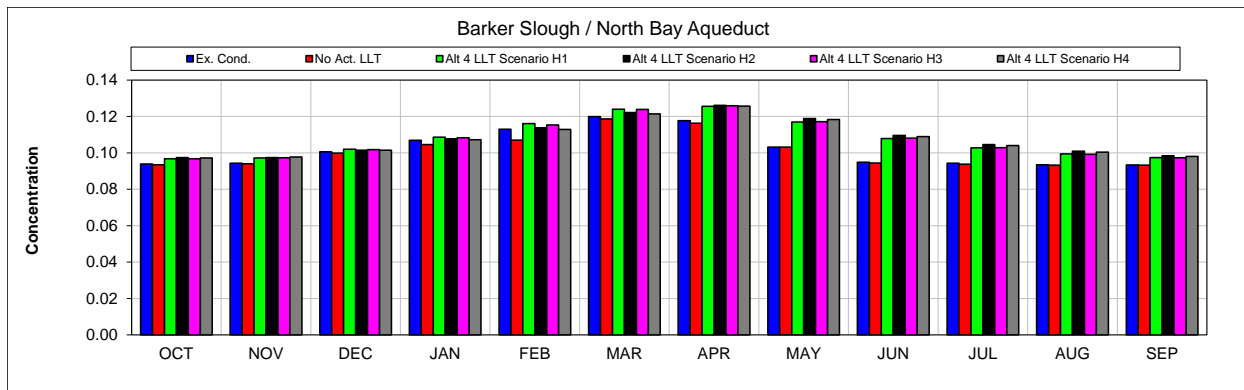
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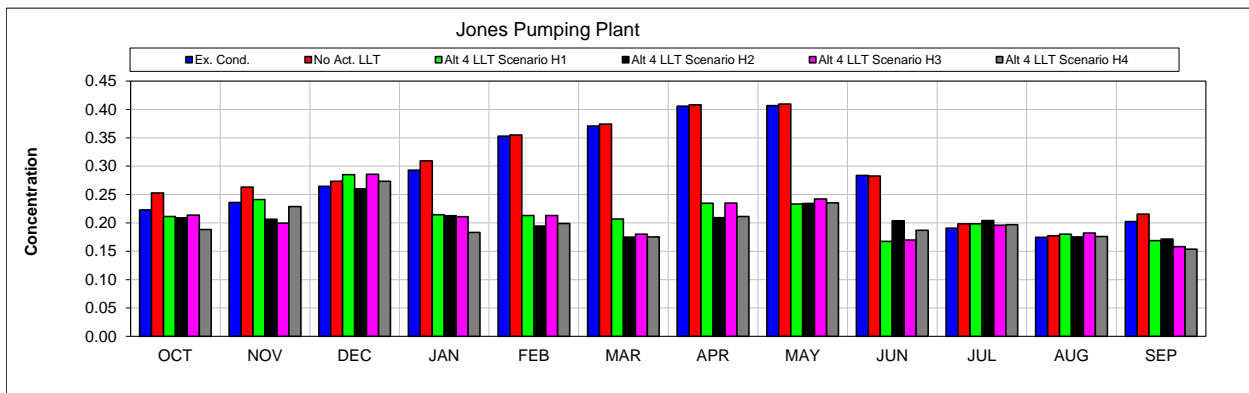
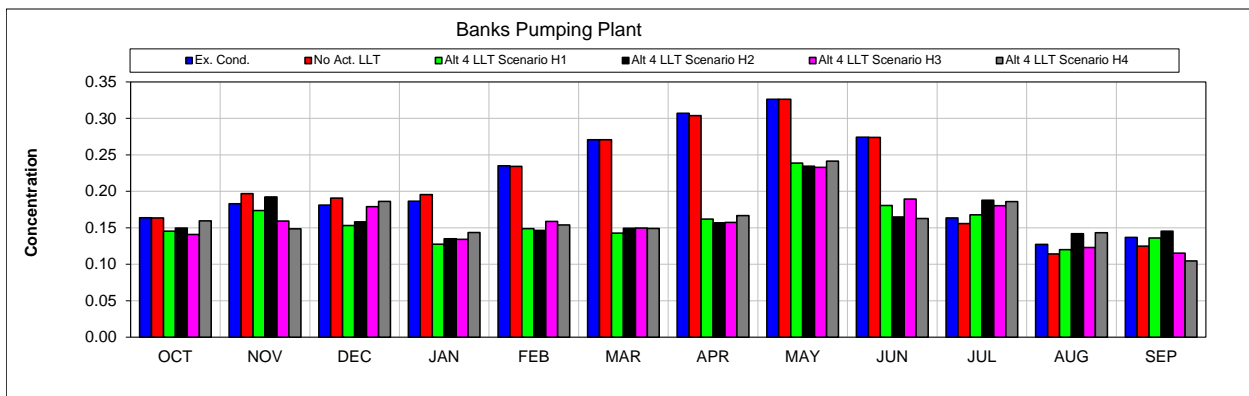
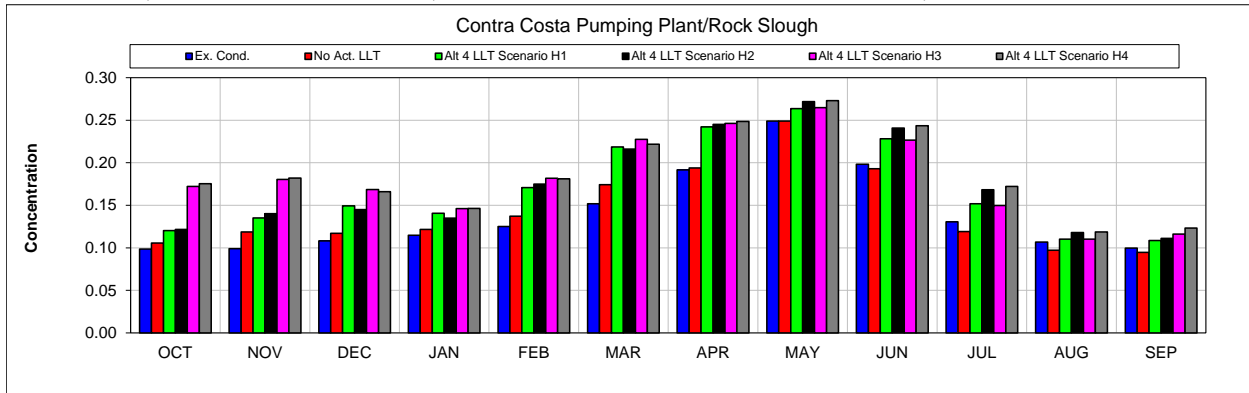


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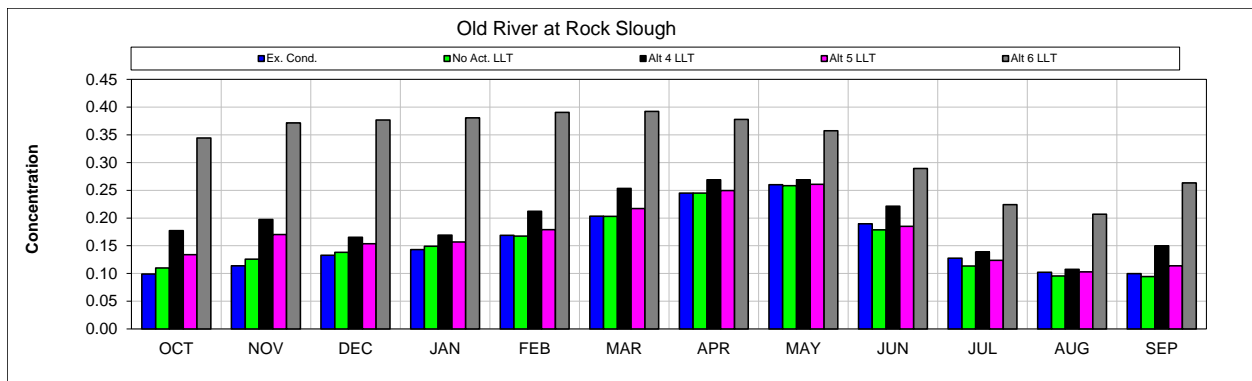
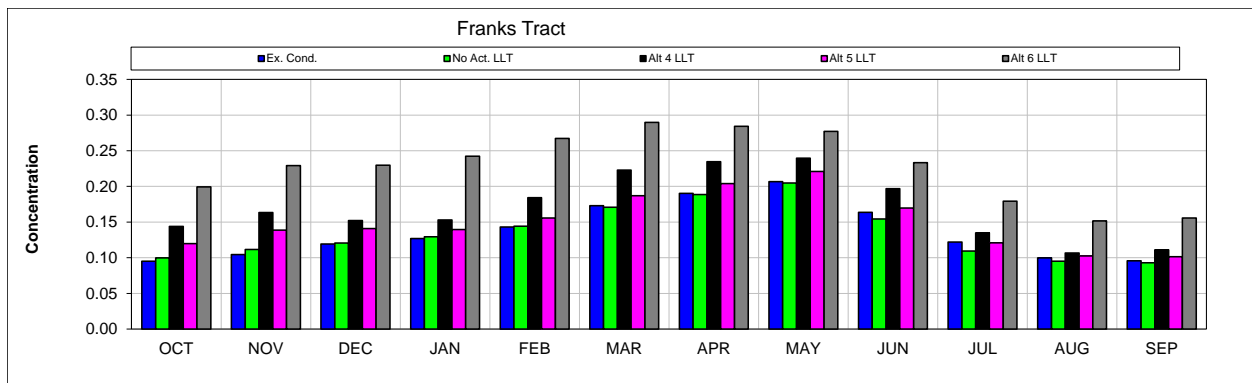
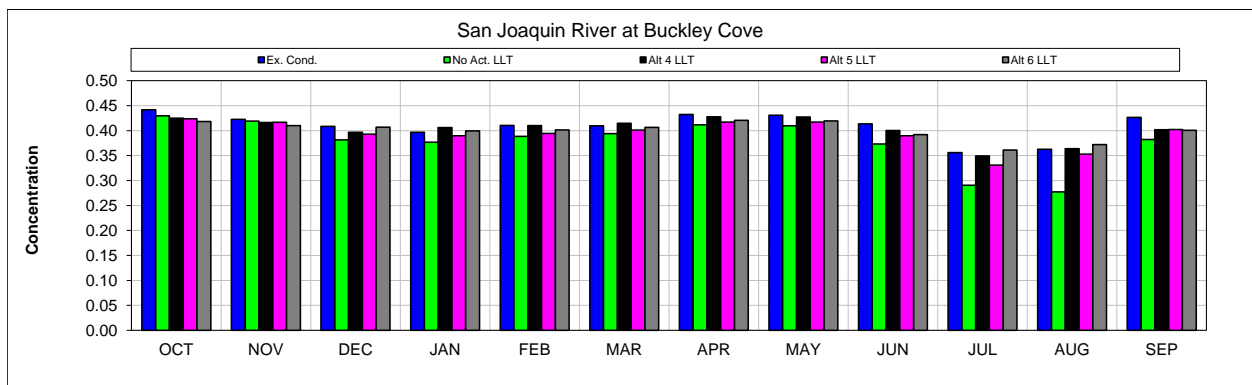
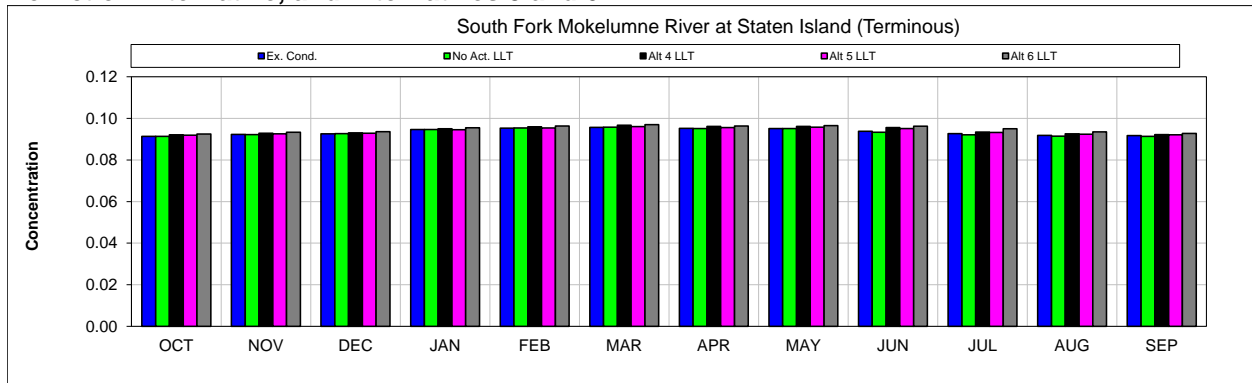


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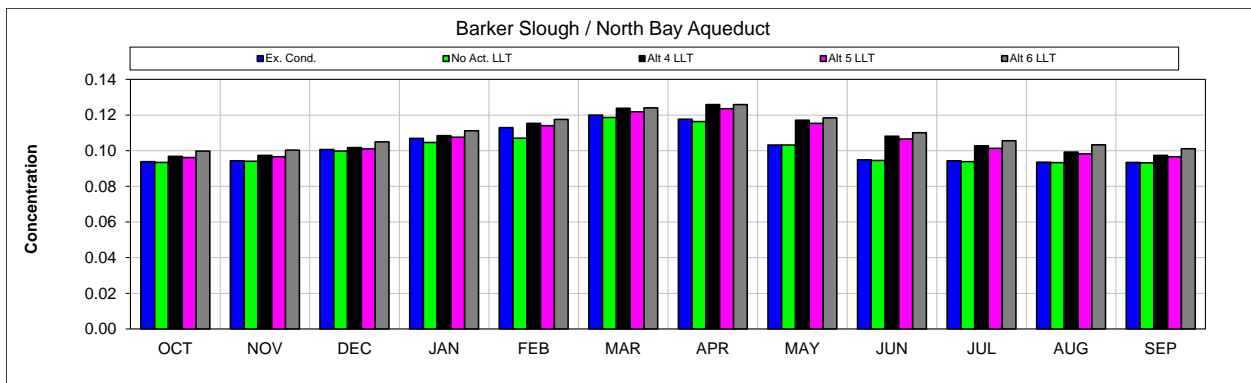
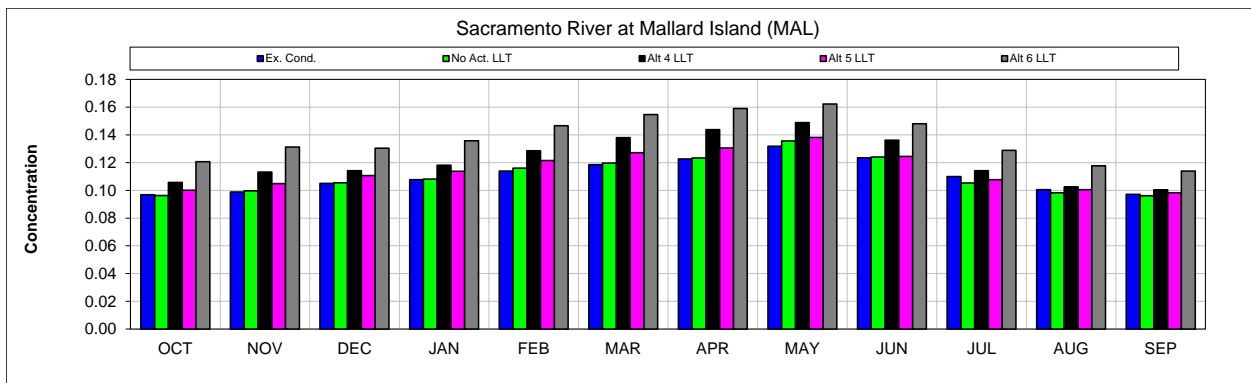
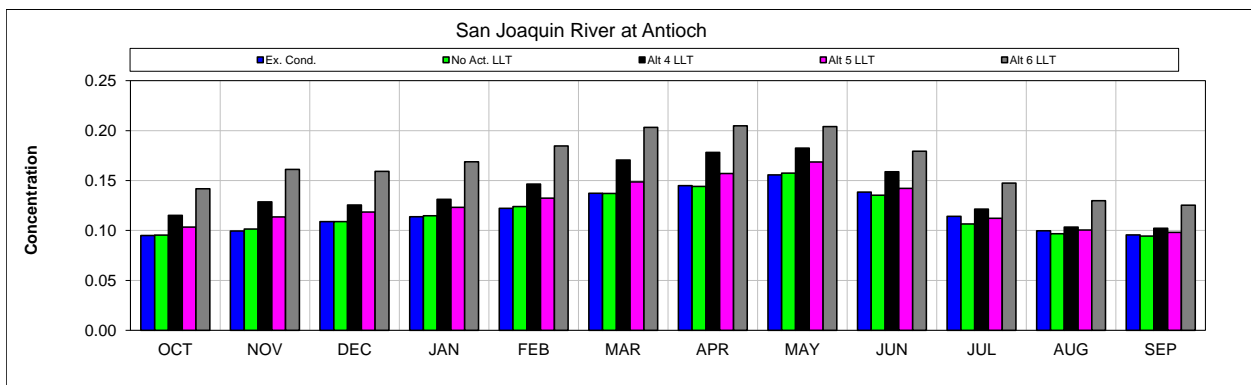
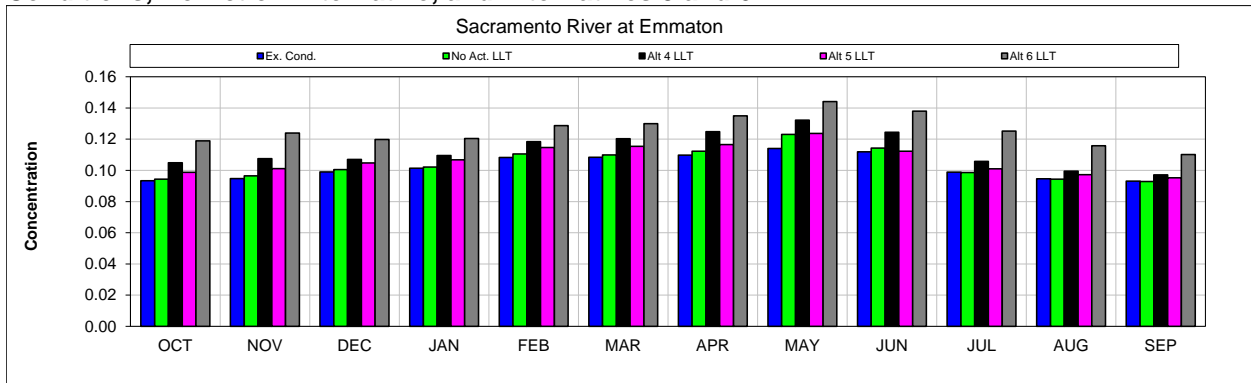
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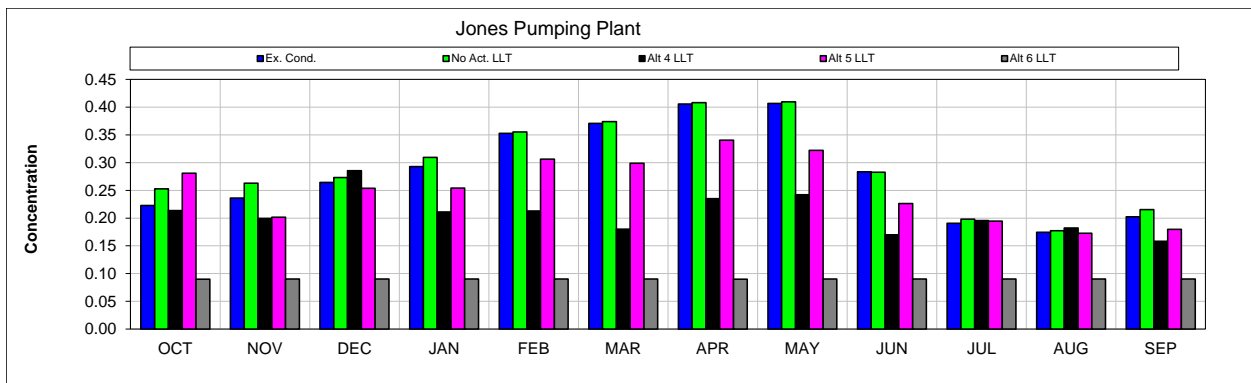
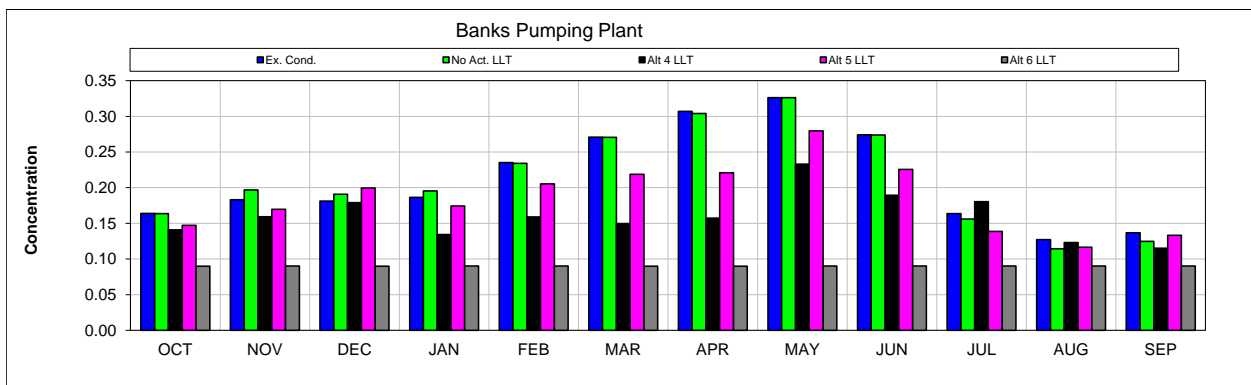
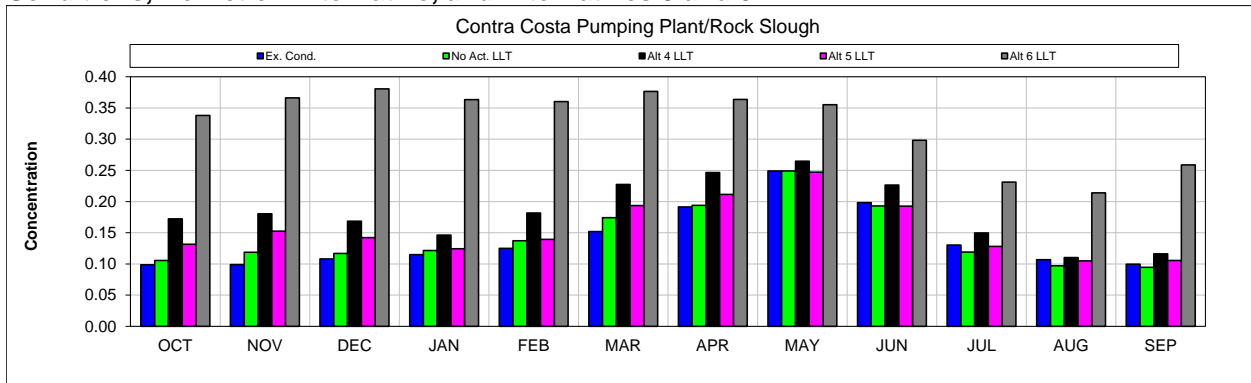
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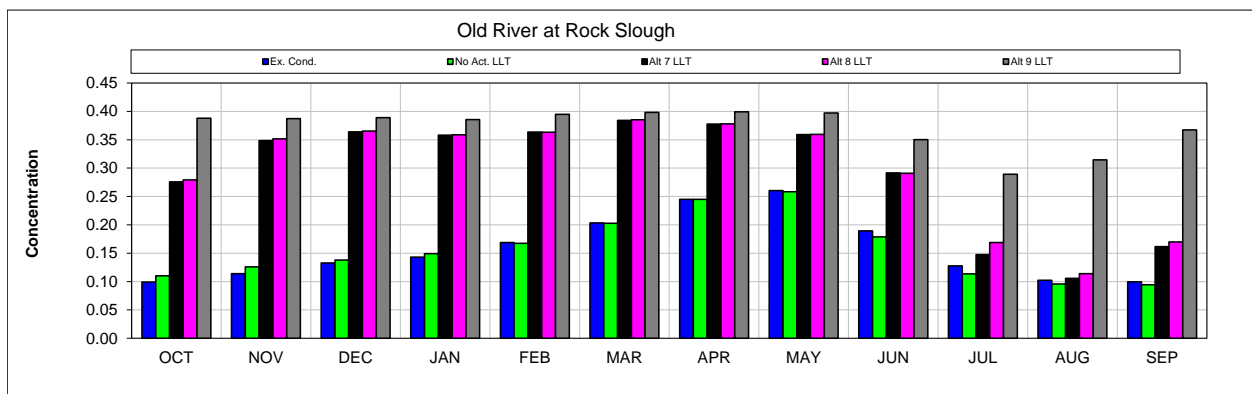
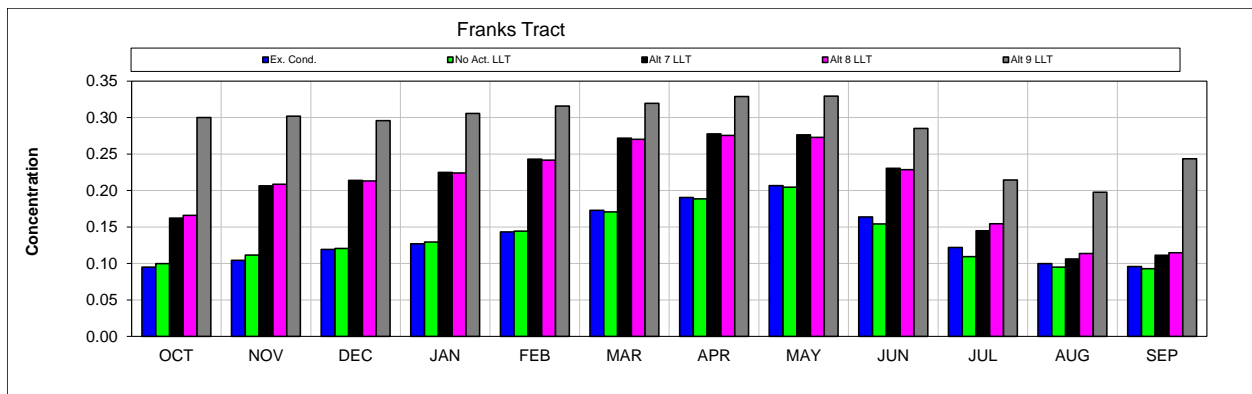
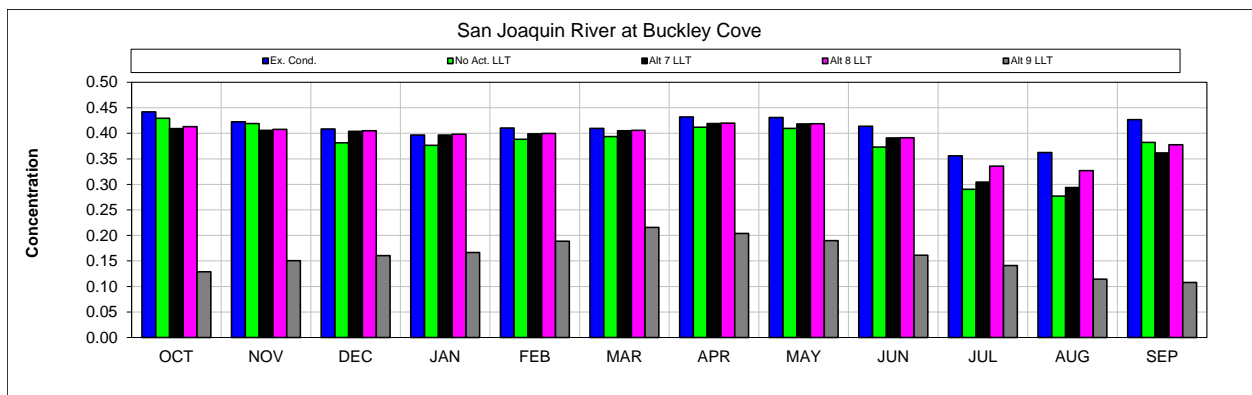
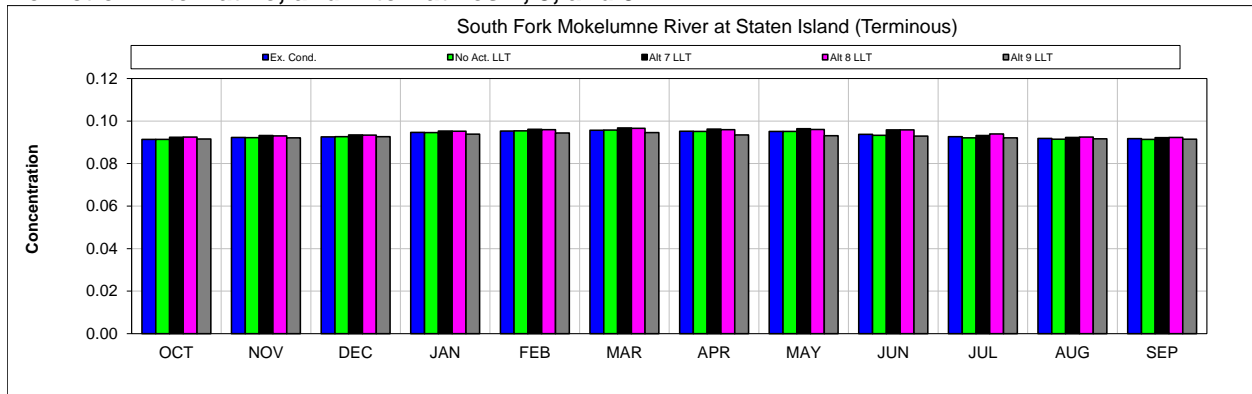
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 2 **Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternatives 5 and 6.**



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 2 **Conditions, No Action Alternative, and Alternatives 5 and 6.**



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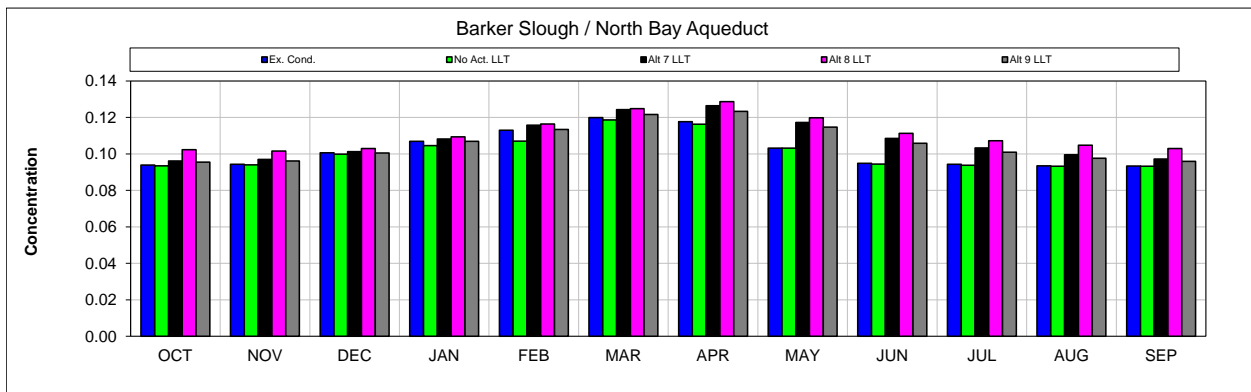
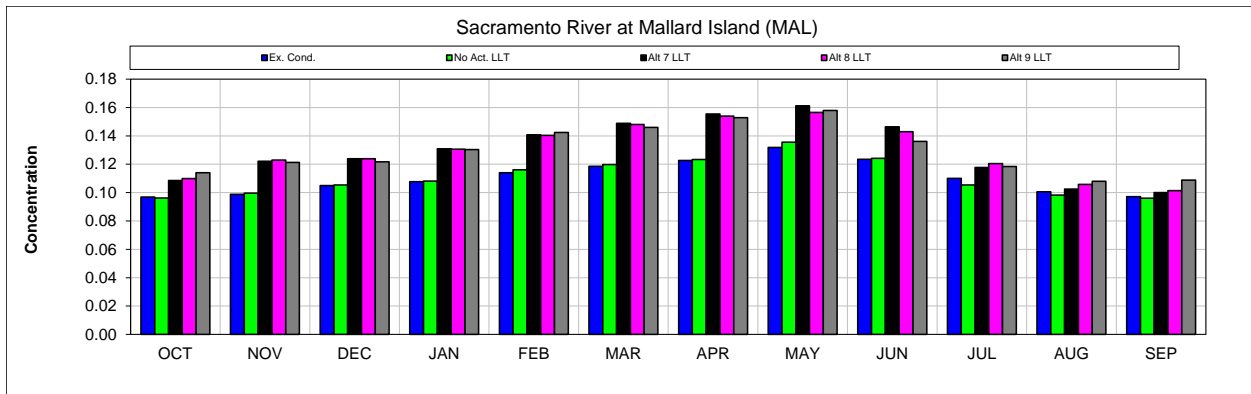
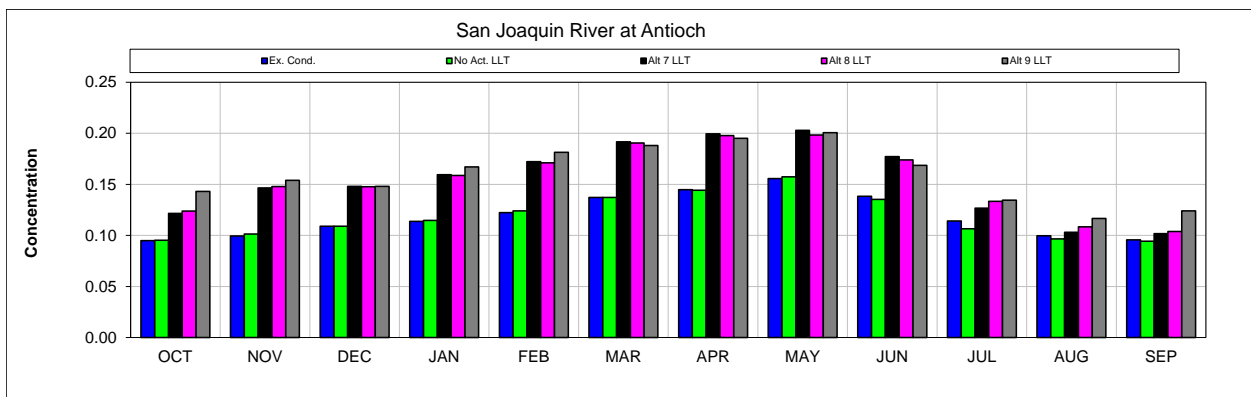
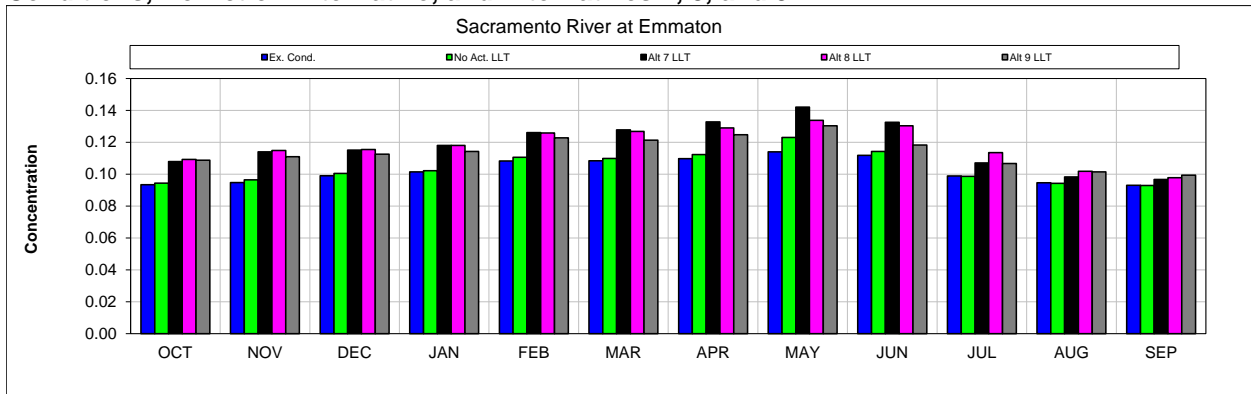
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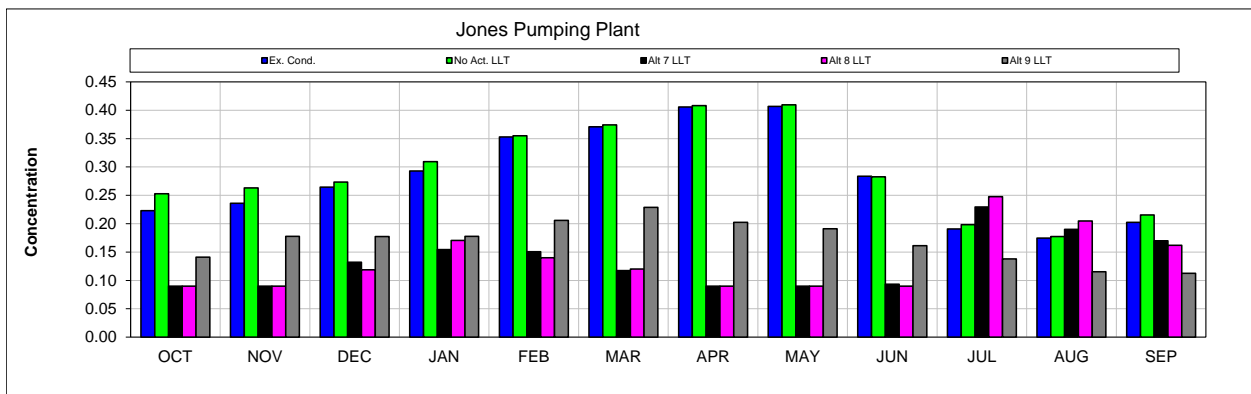
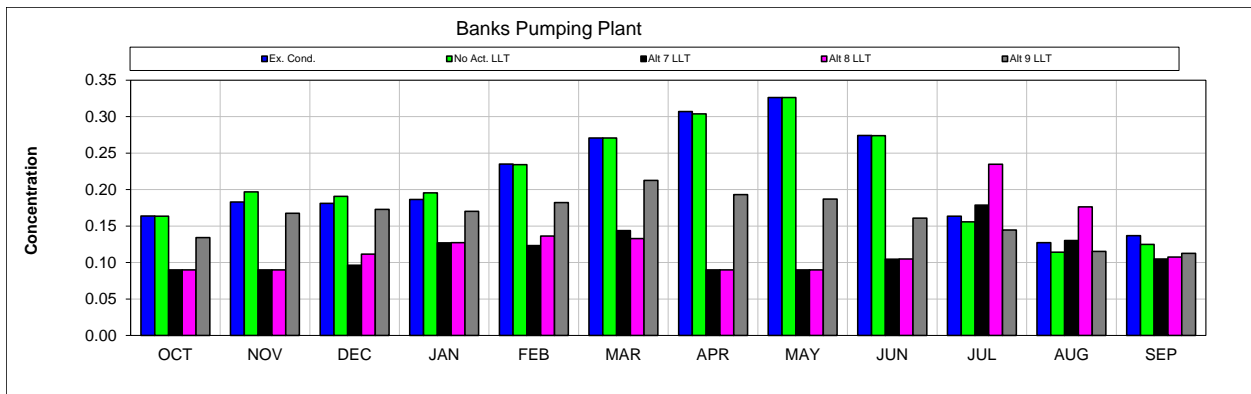
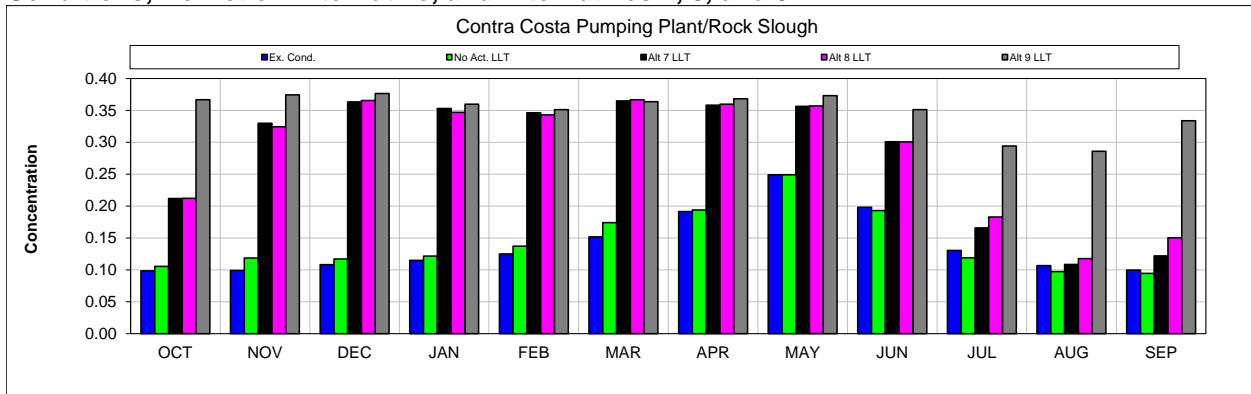
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1 **Figure M-24 (continued). Modeled Monthly Concentrations of Selenium ($\mu\text{g/L}$) in Water for Existing**
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