

April 23, 2015

Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Water Enforcement Branch 5301 Northshore Drive North Little Rock, AR 72118-5317

RE: NPDES Permit AR0000752 Discharge Monitoring Report for period ending March 31, 2015.

Enclosed you will find the Discharge Monitoring Reports ending March, 2015. The DMR's for Outfall 010-A were entered on the blank DMR forms provided by Amy Schluterman, ADEQ Water Enforcement.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Edward L Pearson at (870) 863-1400.

Sincerely,

**Edward L Pearson** 

**Environmental Technician** 

**Enclosures** 

# **NON-COMPLIANCE REPORT**

**Facility Name:** 

**El Dorado Chemical Company** 

**Permit Number:** 

AR0000752

AFIN:

70-00040

Month / Year:

Mar-15

Type of Violation	Permit Limit	Date of Violation	Cause of Violation	Corrective Action or Other Narrative
Outfall 003 Coliform,fecal general daily Max(4600 col/100ml)	2000 col/100 ml Daily Max	1/8/2015	Unknown	EDCC has added nitrification bacteria on a weekly basis to promote bacteria growth within the Imhoff system.
Outfall 006/Zinc Monthly Average (630 ug/L)	115.62 ug/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 006 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 006 /Zinc Daily Max (630 ug/L)	231.99 ug/L. Daily Max	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 006 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 006 / Lead Monthly Average (64 ug/L)	3.8 ug/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 006 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 006 / Lead Daily Max. (64 ug/L)	7.62 ug/L Dally Max.	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelietized lime in the area of outfall 006 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 006 TDS Monthly Average (700 mg/L)	291 mg/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 006 TDS Daily Max (700 mg/L)	436.5 mg/L Daily Max	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 007 / Zinc Monthly Average (550 ug/L)	115.62 ug/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 007 / Zinc Daily Max(550 ug/L)	231.99 ug/L Daily Max	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 007 / Lead Monthly Average (6.40 ug/L)	3.8 ug/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
Outfall 007 / TDS Monthly Average (460 mg/L)	291 mg/L Monthly Average	3/2/2015	Unknown	EDCC has land applied pelletized lime in the area of outfall 007 in an effort to promote vegetative cover.
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Bio-Analytical Laboratories (BAL) ADEQ#88-0630 Project X5680

# **Bio-Analytical Laboratories' Executive Summary**

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical Company

P.O. Box 231

El Dorado, AR 71731

Project #: X5680

Outfall: Outfall 006 (contaminated storm water)

**Permit #:** AR0000752/ AFIN #70-00040

Contact: Mr. David Sartain
Test Dates: March 3 - 5, 2015

**Test Type:** 48-hour acute toxicity test using *Pimephales promelas* (EPA 2000.0).

48-hour acute toxicity test using Daphnia pulex (EPA 2021.0)

### **Results:**

# For Pimephales promelas:

- 1. If the NOEC for survival is less than the critical dilution (100.0%), enter a "1"; otherwise, enter a "0" for Parameter No. TEM6C- 0- Pass.
- 2. Report the NOEC for survival, Parameter TOM6C 100.0%.
- 3. Report the highest (critical dilution or control) Coefficient of Variation, Parameter TQM6C 6.06%.

### For Daphnia pulex:

- 1. If the NOEC for survival is less than the critical dilution (100.0%), enter a "1"; otherwise, enter a "0" for Parameter No. TEM3D-0 Pass.
- 2. Report the NOEC for survival, Parameter TOM3D -100.0%.
- 3.Report the highest (critical dilution or control) Coefficient of Variation, Parameter TQM3D 0.00%.
- -Due to lack of available neonates, an abbreviated daphnid test was conducted.

This report contains a total of 31 pages, including this page. The results pertain only to the samples listed in the chain of custody documents in Appendix A. The information contained within meets the requirements set forth by ADEQ. The chemical data in this report is for monitoring purposes only and should not be reported on discharge monitoring reports.



# **Bio-Analytical Laboratories**

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# THE RESULTS OF TWO 48-HOUR ACUTE TOXICITY TESTS FOR OUTFALL 006 AT

EL DORADO CHEMICAL COMPANY El Dorado, Arkansas

> NPDES #AR0000752 AFIN #70-00040

EPA Methods 2000.0 and 2021.0

Project X5680

Test Dates: March 3 - 5, 2015 Report Date: April 8, 2015

Prepared for:

Mr. David Sartain El Dorado Chemical Company P.O. Box 231 El Dorado, AR 71731 Prepared by:

Ginger Briggs Bio-Analytical Laboratories P.O. Box 527 Doyline, LA 71023 ADEQ #88-0630

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### 1.0 Introduction

Bio-Analytical Laboratories (BAL), Doyline, Louisiana conducted two 48-hour acute toxicity tests for Outfall 006 at El Dorado Chemical Company, El Dorado, Arkansas. The test organisms used were the fathead minnow, *Pimephales promelas* and the cladoceran, *Daphnia pulex*. The purpose of this study is to determine if an appropriately dilute effluent sample adversely affects the survival of the test organism. Toxicity is defined as a statistically significant difference at the 95 percent confidence level between the survival of the test organisms in the critical dilution (the effluent concentration representative of the proportion of effluent in the receiving water during critical low flow or critical mixing conditions) compared to the survival of the test organisms in the control. The test endpoints are the No-Observed-Effect-Concentration (NOEC), which is defined as the highest effluent concentration that is not statistically different from the control, and the 48-hour LC<sub>50</sub>, the concentration in which 50 percent of the test organisms died.

### 2.0 Methods and Materials

### 2.1 Test Methods

All methods followed were according to the latest edition of "Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms" (EPA-821-R-02-012), "Standard Methods for The Examination of Water and Wastewater. 20<sup>th</sup> Edition" (APHA 1998. Chemical results using this edition are listed in the report as SM 1997), and BAL's standard operating procedures.

# 2.2 Test Organisms

The fathead minnows were raised in-house and were approximately seven days old at test initiation. The minnows were acclimated to dilution water hardness prior to testing. The *Daphnia pulex* test organisms were also raised in-house at test temperature and were less than 24 hours old at test initiation. Forty-eight hour reference toxicant tests, using sodium chloride (NaCl), were conducted monthly in order to document organism sensitivity and demonstration of capability.

### 2.3 Dilution Water

Soft reconstituted water made per EPA guidelines was used as the dilution water and the control for the acute tests.

# 2.4 Test Concentrations

The test concentrations used in the fathead minnow test were 100.0, 75.0, 56.0, 45.0, 32.0 and 22.0 percent effluent and a reconstituted water control. Due to lack of available neonates, the test concentrations used in the *Daphnia pulex* test were 100.0 and 22.0 percent effluent and a reconstituted water control. The critical dilution was defined as 100.0 percent effluent. The tests were conducted using five replicates of eight animals each for a total of 40 animals per concentration.

# 2.5 Sample Collection

One sample of Outfall 006 was collected by El Dorado Chemical personnel on March 1, 2015. Upon completion of collection, the sample was packed in ice and delivered to the laboratory by BAL personnel. The temperature upon arrival was 0.2° Celsius.

### 2.6 Sample Preparation

Upon arrival, the sample was logged in, given an identification number and refrigerated unless needed. Prior to use, the sample was warmed to  $25\pm1^{\circ}$  Celsius. The total residual chlorine level (SM4500-Cl D 1997) was measured with a Capital Controls<sup>R</sup> amperometric titrator and recorded if present. The total ammonia level was measured using a HACH<sup>R</sup> test strip. Dissolved oxygen (SM4500-O G 1997), pH (SM4500-H+B 1997) and conductivity (SM2510-B 1997) measurements were taken on the control and each test concentration at test initiation, at each renewal and at test termination. Alkalinity (SM2320-B 1997) and hardness (SM2340-C 1997) levels were measured on the control and the highest effluent concentration.

# 2.7 Monitoring of the Tests

The tests were run in a Precision<sup>R</sup> dual controlled illuminated incubator at a temperature of  $25\pm1^{\circ}$  Celsius. An AEMC<sup>R</sup> data logger was used to monitor diurnal temperature throughout the testing period. Light cycle and intensity were recorded twice a month.

# 2.8 Data Analysis

The NOEC and LC<sub>50</sub> values values were obtained by approved EPA methods of analysis, using the ToxCalc statistical program.

# 3.0 Results and Discussion

The results of the tests can be found in Table 1. Significant differences in survival were not noted in the critical dilution in neither test after 48 hours of exposure (p=.05). The NOEC values for the tests was 100.0 percent effluent (p=.05). The 48-hour  $LC_{50}$  values could not be calculated because greater than 50.0 percent survival occurred in each effluent concentration. See Appendix C- Statistical Analyses, for more information.

Table 1: Results of the 48-hour Acute Definitive Toxicity Tests

Percent Effluent	P	ercent Surviyal
Test Organism	Pimephales promelas	Daphnia pulex
Control	100.0	100.0
22.0	97.5	100.0
32.0	97.5	
45.0	97.5	
56.0	97.5	
75.0	97.5	
100.0	97.5	100.0

The 48-hour reference toxicant test results indicated that the test organisms were within the respective sensitivity range. The graphs of the acute reference toxicant tests can be found in Appendix D.

# 4.0 Conclusions

The sample of Outfall 006 collected from El Dorado Chemical Company, El Dorado, Arkansas, on March 1, 2015, was not found to be lethally toxic to the fathead minnow test organisms nor the *Daphnia pulex* test organisms in the 100.0 percent critical dilution after 48 hours of exposure (p=.05). The 48-hour  $LC_{50}$  values could not be calculated because greater than 50.0 percent survival occurred in the effluent dilutions (p=.05).

### 5.0 References

- EPA, 2002. Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms, Fifth Edition. EPA-821-R-02-012, Office of Water.
- EPA, 2000. Understanding and Accounting for Method Variability in Whole Effluent Toxicity Applications Under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System. EPA-833-R-00-003, Office of Wastewater Management.
- EPA, 2000. Method Guidance and Recommendations for Whole Effluent (WET) Testing. EPA-821-B-00-04, Office of Water
- APHA, 1998. Standard Methods for The Examination of Water and Wastewater. 20th Edition.

# APPENDIX A CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY DOCUMENTS



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APPENDIX C STATISTICAL ANALYSES

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				Dap	hnid Acute To	est-48 Hr Survival		Page 20 of 31
Start Date:	3/3/2015		Test ID:	X5680DP		Sample ID:	AR0000752	
End Date:	3/5/2015		Lab ID:	ADEQ880	630	Sample Type:	EFF2-Industrial	
Sample Date:	3/2/2015	,	Protocol:	EPAAW02	2-EPA/821/R-0	2-01 Test Species:	DP-Daphnia pulex	
Comments:						•	•	
Conc-%	1	2	3	4	5	_		
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000			
22	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000			
100	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000			

			Tr	ansform:	Arcsin Sc	juare Root	Rank	1-Tailed		
Conc-%	Mean	N-Mean	Mean	Min	Max	CV%	N	Sum	Critical	
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5			
22	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5	27.50	18.00	
100	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5	27.50	18.00	

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Steel's Many-One Rank Test	100	>100		1				
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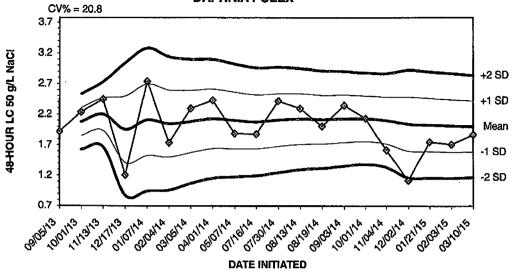
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Sample Date:	3/2/2015		Protocol:	EPAAW02	2-EPA/821	1/R-02-01 T	est Species:	PP-Pimephales	promelas
Comments:							•		
Conc-%	1	2	3	4	5				
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
22	1.0000	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
32	1.0000	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
45	1.0000	1.0000	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000				
56	1.0000	1.0000	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000				
75	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
100	1.0000	0.8750	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				

			Tra	ansform:	Arcsin Sc	quare Root	t .	Rank	1-Tailed	
Conc-%	Mean	N-Mean	Mean	Min	Max	CV%	N	Sum	Critical	
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5			•
22	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	
32	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	
45	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	
56	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	
75	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	
100	0.9750	0.9750	1.3564	1.2094	1.3931	6.055	5	25.00	16.00	

Auxiliary Tests				Statistic	Critical	Skew	Kurt	
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Equality of variance cannot be co		`						
Hypothesis Test (1-tail, 0.05)	NOEC	LOEC	ChV	TU				
Steel's Many-One Rank Test	100	>100		1				
Treatments vs D-Control								

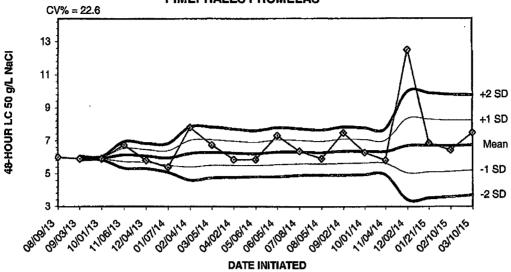
APPENDIX D
QUALITY ASSURANCE CHARTS

# 2015 48-HOUR ACUTE REFERENCE TOXICANT TEST RESULTS USING DAPHNIA PULEX



Dates	Values	Mean	-1 SD	-2 SD	+1 SD	+2 SD
09/05/13	1.9200					
10/01/13	2.2400	2.0800	1.8537	.1.6275	2.3063	2.5325
11/13/13	2.4500	2.2033	1.9364	1.6695	2.4702	2.7371
12/17/13	1.2100	1.9550	1.4126	0.8703	2.4974	3.0397
01/07/14	2.7400	2.1120	1.5256	0.9392	2.6984	3.2848
02/04/14	1.7400	2.0500	1.5040	0.9579	2.5960	3.1421
03/05/14	2.3000	2.0857	1.5784	1.0710	2.5931	3.1004
04/01/14	2.4300	2.1288	1.6435	1.1583	2.6140	3.0992
05/07/14	1.8900	2.1022	1.6414	1.1806	2.5630	3.0238
07/16/14	1.8800	2.0800	1.6399	1.1998	2.5201	2,9602
07/30/14	2.4200	2.1109	1.6810	1.2511	2.5408	2.9707
08/13/14	2.3000	2.1267	1.7131	1.2996	2.5402	2.9537
08/19/14	2.0100	2.1177	1.7204	1.3232	2.5149	2.9122
09/03/14	2.3500	2.1343	1.7476	1.3609	2.5210	2.9076
10/01/14	2.1400	2.1347	1.7621	1.3894	2.5073	2.8799
11/04/14	1.6200	2.1025	1.7202	1.3379	2.4848	2.8671
12/02/14	1.1200	2.0447	1.6045	1.1643	2.4849	2.9251
01/21/15	1.7500	2.0283	1.5957	1.1630	2.4610	2.8937
02/03/15	1.7100	2.0116	1.5848	1.1580	2.4384	2.8652
03/10/15	1.8700	2.0045	1.5879	1.1713	2.4211	2.8377

# 2015 48-HOUR ACUTE REFERENCE TOXICANT TEST RESULTS USING PIMEPHALES PROMELAS



Dates	Values	Mean	-1 SD	-2 SD	+1 SD	+2 SD
08/09/13	6.0000					
09/03/13	5.9200	5.9600	5.9034	5.8469	6.0166	6.0731
10/01/13	5.9200	5.9467	5.9005	5.8543	5.9929	6.0390
11/06/13	6.7500	6.1475	5.7441	5.3406	6.5509	6.9544
12/04/13	5.8100	6:0800	5.6994	5.3188	6.4606	6.8412
01/07/14	5.4000	5.9667	5.5274	5.0882	6.4059	6.8452
02/04/14	7.8200	6.2314	5.4243	4.6171	7.0386	7.8457
03/05/14	6.7500	6.2963	5.5268	4.7574	7.0657	7.8351
04/02/14	5.8600	6.2478	5.5135	4.7792	6.9821	7.7163
05/06/14	5.8600	6.2090	5.5059	4.8029	6.9121	7.6151
06/05/14	7.3100	6.3091	5.5641	4.8190	7.0541	7.7992
07/08/14	6.3700	6.3142	5.6036	4.8930	7.0247	7.7353
08/05/14	5.9200	6.2838	5.5948	4.9057	6.9729	7.6619
09/02/14	7.4800	6.3693	5.6341	4.8990	7.1045	7.8396
10/01/14	6.2800	6.3633	5.6545	4.9457	7.0721	7.7809
11/04/14	5.8100	6.3288	5.6302	4.9316	7.0273	7.7259
12/02/14	12.5000	6.6918	5.0493	3.4068	8.3343	9.9768
01/21/15	6.8500	6.7006	5.1067	3.5128	8.2944	9.8883
02/10/15	6.4200	6.6858	5.1355	3.5851	8.2361	9.7864
03/10/15	7.4800	6.7255	5.2061	3.6867	8.2449	9.7643

APPENDIX E AGENCY FORMS

# **Acute Forms Daphnia pulex** Survival

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 006

NPDES Permit Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Composite Collected** 

From: 3/01/15

To: 3/01/15

From:

To:

Test Initiated: 3/03/15

**Dilution Water Used:** 

**Receiving Water** 

X Reconstituted Water

# **Dilution Series Results - Percent Survival**

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TIME OF READING	REP	Ô	22.0	100.0							
24-hour	A	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	В	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	С	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	D	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	E	100.0	100.0	100.0							
48-hour	A	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	В	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	С	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	D	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	E	100.0	100.0	100.0							
	Mean	100.0	100.0	100.0							

- 1. Dunnett's Procedure or Steel's Many-One Rank Test as appropriate: Is the mean survival at 48 hours significantly different (p=.05) than the control survival for the % effluent corresponding to:
- a.) LOW FLOW OR CRITICAL DILUTION (100.0%)

YES YES X NO NO

b.)½ LOW FLOW OR 2X CRITICAL DILUTION (N/A%)

2. Enter percent effluent corresponding to the LC<sub>50</sub> below:

 $LC_{50} =$ 

N/A% effluent

95 % confidence limits:

Method of LC<sub>50</sub> calculation:

3. If you answered NO to 1.a) enter (P) otherwise enter (F) P

- 4. Enter response to item 3 on DMR Form, parameter TEM3D
- 5. If you answered NO to 1.b) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): N/A
- 6. Enter response to item 5 on DMR Form, parameter TFM3D

# Biomonitoring Daphnia pulex 48 hour Acute Static Renewal Chemical Parameters Chart\*

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 006 NPDES Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

Contact: David Sartain Analyst: Briggs, Callahan

Sample Collected

From:

To:

Date 3/01/15

Time 0900

Test Begin

Date 3/01/15 Date 3/03/15 Time 2100 Time 1540

Test End

Date 3/05/15 Time 1435

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Parameter		D.O.			Cemperatur	e		Alkalinity			Hardness			pН	
Dilut/Time	Ohrs.	24hrs	48hrs	0hrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	0hrs	24hrs	48hrs
0	8.1	8.3	8.2	25.0	25.0	25.0	32.0			40.0			7.4	7.4	7.4
22.0	8.1	8.3	8.2	25.0	25.0	25.0							7.2	7.2	7.3
100.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	25.0	25.0	25.0	40.0			168.0			7.1	7.2	7.1
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<sup>\*</sup>This Form is to be submitted with each DMR.

Alkalinity and hardness to be reported as mg/I CaCO<sub>3</sub>

# **Acute Forms** Pimephales promelas Survival

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 006

NPDES Permit Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Composite Collected** 

From: 3/01/15

To: 3/01/15

From:

To:

Test Initiated: 3/03/15

**Dilution Water Used:** 

**Receiving Water** 

X Reconstituted Water

### Dilution Series Results - Percent Survival

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TIME OF READING	REP	0	22.0	32.0	45.0	56.0	75.0	100.0
24-hour	A	100.0	100.0	100.0	0.001	100.0	100.0	100.0
	В	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	С	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	87.5	100.0	100.0
	D	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	E	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
48-hour	A	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	87.5	100.0
	В	100.0	87.5	87.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	87.5
	С	100.0	100.0	100.0	87.5	87.5	100.0	100.0
	D	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	E	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Mean	100.0	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5

1. Dunnett's Procedure or Steel's Many-One Rank Test as appropriate: Is the mean survival at 48 hours significantly different (p=.05) than the control survival for the % effluent corresponding to:

a.) LOW FLOW OR CRITICAL DILUTION (100.0%)

X NO YES

b.)½ LOW FLOW OR 2X CRITICAL DILUTION (N/A%)

YES

NO

2. Enter percent effluent corresponding to the LC<sub>50</sub> below:

 $LC_{50} =$ 

N/A% effluent

95 % confidence limits:

Method of LC<sub>50</sub> calculation:

- 3. If you answered NO to 1.a) enter (P) otherwise enter (F) P
- 4. Enter response to item 3 on DMR Form, parameter TEM3D
- 5. If you answered NO to 1.b) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): N/A
- 6. Enter response to item 5 on DMR Form, parameter TFM3D

# Biomonitoring Pimephales promelas 48 hour Acute Static Renewal Chemical Parameters Chart\*

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 006 NPDES Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Contact: David Sartain** 

Analyst: Briggs, Callahan, Rose

Sample Collected

From:

Date 3/01/15

Time 0900

To:

Date 3/01/15

Time 2100

Test Begin Test End

Date 3/03/15

Time 0850

Date 3/05/15

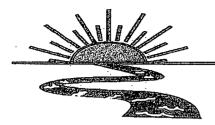
Time 1345

Parameter		D.O.			lemperatun			Alkalinity			Hardness			рH	
Dilut/Time	Ohrs.	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48brs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs
0	8.1	8.3	8.2	24.5	25.4	25.0	32.0			40.0			7.4	7.4	7.1
22.0	8.1	8.3	8.1	24.5	25.4	25.0							7.2	7.2	6.9
32.0	8.2	8.3	8.1	24.5	25.4	25.0							7.2	7.3	7.1
45.0	8.2	8.2	8.0	24.5	25.4	25.0							7.1	7.2	7.1
56.0	8.2	8.1	7.9	24_5	25.4	25.0	-						7.2	7.2	7.1
75.0	8.2	8.1	7.8	24.5	25.4	25.0							7.1	7.2	7.1
100.0	8.0	8.0	7.8	24.5	25.4	25.0	40.0			168.0			7.1	7.2	7.1

<sup>\*</sup>This Form is to be submitted with each DMR.

Alkalinity and hardness to be reported as mg/l CaCO<sub>3</sub>

# APPENDIX F REPORT QUALITY ASSURANCE FORM



# **Bio-Analytical Laboratories**

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# REPORT QUALITY ASSURANCE FORM Client: EIDOCOCO Chemical Coolo Project#: X5080 Chain of Custody Documents Checked by: 868 4-8-15 Technician/Date Raw Data Documents Checked by: 868 4-8-15 Technician/Date Statistical Analysis Package Checked by: 668 4-8-15 Quality Manager/Date Quality Control Data Checked by: 868 3-30-15 Quality Manager/Date Report Checked by: 668 4-8-15 Quality Manager/Date

I certify that this document was prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. The information contained in this document, to the best of my knowledge, is true, accurate and complete.

Quality Manager

<u>4-8-15</u>

Date

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Report Rev. 3.0

Bio-Analytical Laboratories (BAL) ADEQ#88-0630 Project X5681

# **Bio-Analytical Laboratories' Executive Summary**

**Permittee:** El Dorado Chemical Company

P.O. Box 231

El Dorado, AR 71731

Project #: X5681

Outfall: Outfall 007 (contaminated storm water)

**Permit #:** AR0000752/ AFIN #70-00040

Contact: Mr. David Sartain Test Dates: March 3 - 5, 2015

**Test Type:** 48-hour acute toxicity test using *Pimephales promelas* (EPA 2000.0).

48-hour acute toxicity test using *Daphnia pulex* (EPA 2021.0)

# **Results:**

### For Pimephales promelas:

- 1. If the NOEC for survival is less than the critical dilution (100.0%), enter a "1"; otherwise, enter a "0" for Parameter No. TEM6C-1 Fail
- 2. Report the NOEC for survival, Parameter TOM6C 32.0%.
- 3. Report the highest (critical dilution or control) Coefficient of Variation, Parameter TQM6C 0.00%.

### For Daphnia pulex:

- 1. If the NOEC for survival is less than the critical dilution (100.0%), enter a "1"; otherwise, enter a "0" for Parameter No. TEM3D- 1-Fail
- 2. Report the NOEC for survival, Parameter TOM3D 0.0%.
- 3. Report the highest (critical dilution or control) Coefficient of Variation, Parameter TQM3D 0.00%.
- -Due to lack of available neonates, this test was abbreviated.
- -Note: Increasing the pH from 3.9 to a range of 6.0-9.0, increased the survival in both tests, but not enough to not be statistically significantly different from the control.

This report contains a total of 34 pages, including this page. The results pertain only to the samples listed in the chain of custody documents in Appendix A. The information contained within meets the requirements set forth by ADEQ. The chemical data in this report is for monitoring purposes only and should not be reported on discharge monitoring reports.



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# THE RESULTS OF TWO 48-HOUR ACUTE TOXICITY TESTS FOR OUTFALL 007 AT

EL DORADO CHEMICAL COMPANY El Dorado, Arkansas

> NPDES #AR0000752 AFIN #70-00040

EPA Methods 2000.0 and 2021.0

Project X5681

Test Dates: March 3 - 5, 2015 Report Date: April 8, 2015

Prepared for:

Mr. David Sartain El Dorado Chemical Company P.O. Box 231 El Dorado, AR 71731 Prepared by:

Ginger Briggs Bio-Analytical Laboratories P.O. Box 527 Doyline, LA 71023 ADEQ #88-0630

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### 1.0 Introduction

Bio-Analytical Laboratories (BAL), Doyline, Louisiana conducted two 48-hour acute toxicity tests for Outfall 007 at El Dorado Chemical Company, El Dorado, Arkansas. The test organisms used were the fathead minnow, *Pimephales promelas* and the cladoceran, *Daphnia pulex*. The purpose of this study is to determine if an appropriately dilute effluent sample adversely affects the survival of the test organism. Toxicity is defined as a statistically significant difference at the 95 percent confidence level between the survival of the test organisms in the critical dilution (the effluent concentration representative of the proportion of effluent in the receiving water during critical low flow or critical mixing conditions) compared to the survival of the test organisms in the control. The test endpoints are the No-Observed-Effect-Concentration (NOEC), which is defined as the highest effluent concentration that is not statistically different from the control, and the 48-hour LC<sub>50</sub>, the concentration in which 50 percent of the test organisms died.

#### 2.0 Methods and Materials

#### 2.1 Test Methods

All methods followed were according to the latest edition of "Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms" (EPA-821-R-02-012), "Standard Methods for The Examination of Water and Wastewater. 20<sup>th</sup> Edition" (APHA 1998. Chemical results using this edition are listed in the report as SM 1997), and BAL's standard operating procedures.

### 2.2 Test Organisms

The fathead minnows were raised in-house at test temperature and were approximately seven days old at test initiation. The minnows were acclimated to dilution water hardness prior to test initiation. The *Daphnia pulex* test organisms were also raised in-house at test temperature and were less than 24 hours old at test initiation. Forty-eight hour reference toxicant tests, using sodium chloride (NaCl), were conducted monthly in order to document organism sensitivity and demonstration of capability.

#### 2.3 Dilution Water

Soft reconstituted water made per EPA guidelines was used as the dilution water and the control for the acute tests.

### 2.4 Test Concentrations

The test concentrations used in the fathead minnow test were 100.0, 75.0, 56.0, 50.0, 45.0, and 32.0 percent effluent and a reconstituted water control. Due to lack of available neonates, the test concentrations used in the *Daphnia pulex* test were 50.0 percent effluent and a reconstituted water control. The critical dilution was defined as 100.0 percent effluent. The tests were conducted using five replicates of eight animals each for a total of 40 animals per concentration.

### 2.5 Sample Collection

One sample of Outfall 007 was collected by El Dorado Chemical personnel on March 1, 2015. Upon completion of collection, the sample was packed in ice and delivered to the laboratory by BAL personnel. The temperature upon arrival was 0.4° Celsius.

### 2.6 Sample Preparation

Upon arrival, the sample was logged in, given an identification number and refrigerated unless needed. Prior to use, the sample was warmed to  $25\pm1^{0}$  Celsius. The total residual chlorine level (SM4500-Cl D 1997) was measured with a Capital Controls<sup>R</sup> amperometric titrator and recorded if present. The total ammonia level was measured using a HACH<sup>R</sup> test strip. An aliquot of the sample was adjusted from an initial pH of 3.9 to a pH range of 6.0-9.0. An extra 100.0 percent dilution was added to each test in order to document any lethality due to low pH. Dissolved oxygen (SM4500-O G 1997), pH (SM4500-H+ B 1997) and conductivity (SM2510-B 1997) measurements were taken on the control and each test concentration at test initiation, at each renewal and at test termination. Alkalinity (SM2320-B 1997) and hardness (SM2340-C 1997) levels were measured on the control and the highest effluent concentration.

### 2.7 Monitoring of the Tests

The tests were run in a Precision<sup>R</sup> dual controlled illuminated incubator at a temperature of  $25\pm1^{\circ}$  Celsius. An AEMC<sup>R</sup> data logger was used to monitor diurnal temperature throughout the testing period. Light cycle and intensity were recorded twice a month.

### 2.8 Data Analysis

The NOEC and  $LC_{50}$  values values were obtained by approved EPA methods of analysis, using the ToxCalc statistical program.

### 3.0 Results and Discussion

The results of the tests can be found in Table 1. Significant differences in survival were noted in the critical dilution in both tests after 48 hours of exposure (p=.05). The NOEC for survival for the *Daphnia pulex* and the fathead minnow test was zero and 32.0 percent effluent, respectively (p=.05). The 48 hour  $LC_{50}$  value for the *Daphnia pulex* and the fathead minnow test was 26.32 and 37.95 percent, respectively (p=.05). Increasing the pH increased the survival rate in both tests, but not enough to not be significantly different from the control.

Table 1: Results of the 48-hour Acute Definitive Toxicity Tests

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Test Organism	Pimephales promelas	Daphnia pulex
Control	100.0	100.0
32.0	100.0	
45.0	0.0	~~~~
50.0	0.0	5.0
56.0	0.0	
75.0	0.0	
100.0	0.0	
100.0 pH adjusted	77.5	67.5

The 48-hour reference toxicant test results indicated that the test organisms were within the respective sensitivity range. The graphs of the acute reference toxicant tests can be found in Appendix D.

### 4.0 Conclusions

The sample of Outfall 007 collected from El Dorado Chemical Company, El Dorado, Arkansas, on March 1, 2015, was found to be lethally toxic to the fathead minnow test organisms and the *Daphnia pulex* test organisms in the 100.0 percent critical dilution after 48 hours of exposure (p=.05). Increasing the pH reduced the lethal effect in both tests, but not significantly.

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# APPENDIX A CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY DOCUMENTS



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# APPENDIX B RAW DATA SHEETS

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Technicians: <u>EGB/RC/CR</u>
Test initiated: Date $3/3/15$ Time $0935$
Test terminated: Date 3/5/15 Time 440  Dissolved Oxygen Meter: Model # YSI550A Serial #06E2089 AV  pH Meter: Model #Orion 230A+ Serial #015253  Conductivity Meter: Model # Control Co. Serial #80277924  Amperometric Titrator: Model #Fischer-Porter Serial #92W445766  Sample Information
Sample Initial Aerate? Total Residual Chlorine and %)
C10093 10.6 V110/78 <0.01 NO 6.0 N/A 308.0 0.0 EOB
136,3% 98,4%
Dilution Water Information
Dilution Water ID# Initial D.O Aerate? Total Ammonia pH Hard- Alkal- Tech (mg/L & %) (mg/L & %) Chlorine mg/L (mg/L)
Soft H20 3196 NA - 7.4 40.0 32.0 EOB
7.3 44.0 28.0 868
Test Species Information
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Age < 34hrs 1 days
Test Container Size 30m   050m   Test volume 30m   300m
Feeding: Type Algae/YCT Artemia
Amount 33.0 hours before initiation
Aeration? N/A N/A
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### APPENDIX C STATISTICAL ANALYSES

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*100 PH	0.6750	0.6750	0.9731	0.7854	1.2094	16.579	5	15.00	18.00

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Shapiro-Wilk's Test indicates non-normal distribution (p <= 0.05)	0.82628	0.881	1.27578	1.82685
Equality of variance cannot be confirmed				
Hypothesis Test (1-tail, 0.05)				
Steel's Many-One Rank Test indicates significant differences				
Treatments vs D-Control				

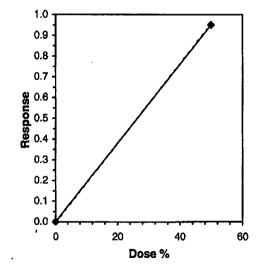
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100 PH	0.6750	0.6750	0.9731	0.7854	1.2094	16.579	5		

Auxiliary Tests	Statistic	Critical	Skew Kurt
Shapiro-Wilk's Test indicates non-normal distribution (p <= 0.05)	0.62485	0.842	2.51558 7.15179
Equality of variance cannot be confirmed	•		

			Linear Interpolation (200 Resamples						
Point	%	SD	95% CL	_(Exp)	Skew				
IC05*	2.632	0.133	2.421	3.127	0.8928				
IC10*	5.263	0.267	4.842	6.254	0.8928				
IC15*	7.895	0.400	7.263	9.381	0.8928	1.0			
IC20*	10.526	0.534	9.684	12.508	0.8928	201			
IC25*	13.158	0.667	12.105	15.635	0.8928	0.9			
IC40*	21.053	1.068	19.368	25.015	0.8928	0.8			
IC50*	26.316	1.335	24.211	31.269	0.8928	0.7			

<sup>\*</sup> indicates IC estimate less than the lowest concentration



	Acute Fish Test-48 Hr Survival							Page 23 of 34	
Start Date:	3/3/2015		Test ID:	X5681PP		Sample ID:	AR0000752		
End Date:	3/5/2015		Lab ID:	ADEQ880	630	Sample Type:	EFF2-Industrial		
Sample Date:	3/2/2015		Protocol:	EPAAW02	P-EPA/821/R-0	2-01 Test Species:	PP-Pimephales pr	omelas	
Comments:						•			
Conc-%	1	2	3	4	5		<del> </del>		
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
32	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000				
45	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000				
50	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000				
56	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000				
75	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000				
100	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000				
100 PH	0.8750	0.8750	0.7500	0.7500	0.6250				

			Tra	Transform: Arcsin Square Root					1-Tailed	•
Conc-%	Mean	N-Mean	Mean	Min	Max	CV%	N	Sum	Critical	
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5			
32	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5	27.50	16.00	
*45	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5	15.00	16.00	
*50	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5	15.00	16.00	
*56	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5	15.00	16.00	
*75	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5	15.00	16.00	
*100	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5	15.00	16.00	
*100 PH	0.7750	0.7750	1.0850	0.9117	1.2094	11.644	5	15.00	16.00	

Auxiliary Tests	Statistic	Critical	Skew Kurt
Shapiro-Wilk's Test indicates non-normal distribution (p <= 0.05)	0.45994	0.94	-0.5933 12.2088
Equality of variance cannot be confirmed			

Equality of variance cannot be confirmed

Hypothesis Test (1-tail, 0.05)

Steel's Many-One Rank Test Indicates significant differences

Treatments vs D-Control

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Start Date:	3/3/2015		Test ID:	X5681PP	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Sample ID:	AR0000752
End Date:	3/5/2015		Lab ID:	ADEQ880	630	Sample Type:	EFF2-Industrial
Sample Date:	3/2/2015		Protocol:	EPAAW02	2-EPA/821/R-	02-01 Test Species:	PP-Pimephales promelas
Comments:						•	
Conc-%	1	2	3	4	5		
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000		
32	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000		
45	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		
50	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		
56	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		
75	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		
100	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		
100 PH	0.8750	0.8750	0.7500	0.7500	0.6250		

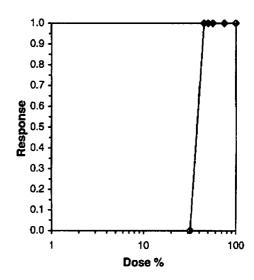
			Tra		Number	Total				
Conc-%	Mean	N-Mean	Mean	Min	Max	CV%	N	-	Resp	Number
D-Control	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5	·	0	40
32	1.0000	1.0000	1.3931	1.3931	1.3931	0.000	5		0	40
45	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5		40	40
50	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5		40	40
56	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5		40	40
75	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5		40	40
100	0.0000	0.0000	0.1777	0.1777	0.1777	0.000	5		40	40
100 PH	0.7750	0.7750	1.0850	0.9117	1.2094	11.644	<b>5</b>			

Auxiliary Tests	Statistic	Critical	Skew Kurt
Shapiro-Wilk's Test indicates non-normal distribution (p <= 0.05)	0.73334	0.881	-0.3897 3.54784
Figurality of variance cannot be confirmed			

Graphical Method

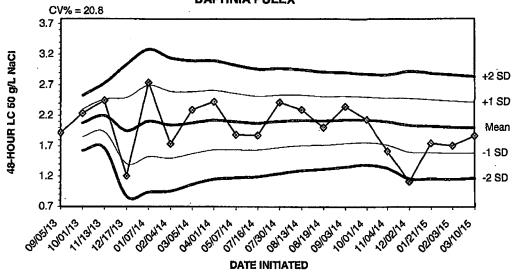
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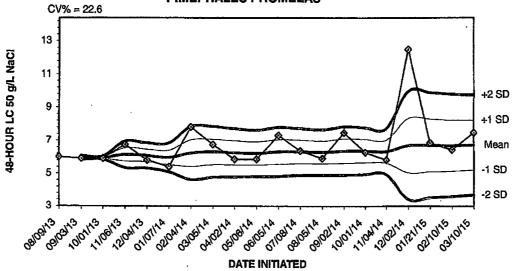
# APPENDIX D QUALITY ASSURANCE CHARTS

### 2015 48-HOUR ACUTE REFERENCE TOXICANT TEST RESULTS USING DAPHNIA PULEX



Dates	Values	Mean	-1 SD	-2 SD	+1 SD	+2 SD
09/05/13	1.9200					
10/01/13	2.2400	2.0800	1.8537	,1.6275	2.3063	2.5325
11/13/13	2.4500	2.2033	1.9364	1.6695	2.4702	2.7371
12/17/13	1.2100	1.9550	1.4126	0.8703	2.4974	3.0397
01/07/14	2.7400	2.1120	1.5256	0.9392	2.6984	3.2848
02/04/14	1.7400	2.0500	1.5040	0.9579	2.5960	3.1421
03/05/14	2.3000	2.0857	1.5784	1.0710	2.5931	3.1004
04/01/14	2.4300	2.1288	1.6435	1.1583	2.6140	3.0992
05/07/14	1.8900	2.1022	1.6414	1.1806	2.5630	3.0238
07/16/14	1.8800	2.0800	1.6399	1.1998	2.5201	2.9602
07/30/14	2.4200	2.1109	1.6810	1.2511	2.5408	2.9707
08/13/14	2.3000	2.1267	1.7131	1.2996	2.5402	2.9537
08/19/14	2.0100	2.1177	1.7204	1.3232	2.5149	2.9122
09/03/14	2.3500	2.1343	1.7476	1.3609	2.5210	2.9076
10/01/14	2.1400	2.1347	1.7621	1.3894	2.5073	2.8799
11/04/14	1.6200	2.1025	1.7202	1.3379	2.4848	2.8671
12/02/14	1.1200	2.0447	1.6045	1.1643	2.4849	2.9251
01/21/15	1.7500	2.0283	1.5957	1.1630	2.4610	2.8937
02/03/15	1.7100	2.0116	1.5848	1.1580	2.4384	2.8652
03/10/15	1.8700	2.0045	1.5879	1.1713	2.4211	2.8377

# 2015 48-HOUR ACUTE REFERENCE TOXICANT TEST RESULTS USING PIMEPHALES PROMELAS



Dates	Values	Mean	-1 SD	-2 SD	+1 SD	+2 SD
08/09/13	6.0000					
09/03/13	5.9200	5.9600	5.9034	5.8469	6.0166	6.0731
10/01/13	5.9200	5.9467	5.9005	5.8543	5.9929	6.0390
11/06/13	6.7500	6.1475	5.7441	5.3406	6.5509	6.9544
12/04/13	5.8100	6:0800	5.6994	5.3188	6.4606	6.8412
01/07/14	5.4000	5.9667	5.5274	5.0882	6.4059	6.8452
02/04/14	7.8200	6.2314	5.4243	4.6171	7.0386	7.8457
03/05/14	6.7500	6.2963	5.5268	4.7574	7.0657	7.8351
04/02/14	5.8600	6.2478	5.5135	4.7792	6.9821	7.7163
05/06/14	5.8600	6.2090	5.5059	4.8029	6.9121	7.6151
06/05/14	7.3100	6.3091	5.5641	4.8190	7.0541	7.7992
07/08/14	6.3700	6.3142	5.6036	4.8930	7.0247	7.7353
08/05/14	5.9200	6.2838	5.5948	4.9057	6.9729	7.6619
09/02/14	7.4800	6.3693	5.6341	4.8990	7.1045	7.8396
10/01/14	6.2800	6.3633	5.6545	4.9457	7.0721	7.7809
11/04/14	5.8100	6.3288	5.6302	4.9316	7.0273	7.7259
12/02/14	12.5000	6.6918	5.0493	3.4068	8.3343	9.9768
01/21/15	6.8500	6.7006	5.1067	3.5128	8.2944	9.8883
02/10/15	6.4200	6.6858	5.1355	3.5851	8.2361	9.7864
03/10/15	7.4800	6.7255	5.2061	3.6867	8.2449	9.7643

APPENDIX E AGENCY FORMS

## Acute Forms Daphnia pulex Survival

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 007

NPDES Permit Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Composite Collected** 

From: 3/01/15

To: 3/01/15

From:

To:

Test Initiated: 3/03/15

**Dilution Water Used:** 

**Receiving Water** 

X Reconstituted Water

**Dilution Series Results - Percent Survival** 

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TIME OF READING	REP	0	50.0	100.0 pH adj				
24-hour	A	100.0	100.0	100.0				
	В	100.0	75.0	100.0				
•	C	100.0	100.0	75.0				
	D	100.0	12.5	87.5				
	E	100.0	25.0	100.0				
48-hour	A	100.0	25.0	50.0				
	В	100.0	0.0	75.0				
	C	100.0	0.0	62.5				
	D	100.0	0.0	62.5				
	E	100.0	0.0	87.5				
	Mean	100.0	5.0	67.5				

- 1. Dunnett's Procedure or Steel's Many-One Rank Test as appropriate: Is the mean survival at 48 hours significantly different (p=.05) than the control survival for the % effluent corresponding to:
- a.) LOW FLOW OR CRITICAL DILUTION (100.0%) X YES NO b.)½ LOW FLOW OR 2X CRITICAL DILUTION (N/A%) YES NO
- 2. Enter percent effluent corresponding to the LC<sub>50</sub> below:

 $LC_{50} = 26.32\%$  effluent

95 % confidence limits: 31.27 - 24.21% Method of LC<sub>50</sub> calculation: Graphical

- 3. If you answered NO to 1.a) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): F
- 4. Enter response to item 3 on DMR Form, parameter TEM3D
- 5. If you answered NO to 1.b) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): N/A
- 6. Enter response to item 5 on DMR Form, parameter TFM3D

Adjusting the pH of the sample to neutral increased survival, but not enough to be significant when compared to the control.

### Biomonitoring Daphnia pulex 48 hour Acute Static Renewal Chemical Parameters Chart\*

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 007 NPDES Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Contact: David Sartain** Analyst: Briggs, Callahan

**Sample Collected** 

From: To:

Date 3/01/15

Time 0930 Date 3/01/15 Time 2130

Test Begin Test End

Date 3/03/15 Date 3/05/15

Time 1540 Time 1440

Parameter	D <sub>i</sub> O <sub>i</sub>			Temperature			Alkalinity			Hardness		pH			
Dilut/Time	Ohrs.	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	* 4	Ohrs		48hrs
0	8.2	8.4	8.1	25.0	25.0	25.0	32.0			40.0			7.4	7.4	7.3
50.0	8.4	8.5	8.1	25.0	25.0	25.0							4.5	4.5	4.7
100.0 pH	8.1	7.9	8.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	0.0			308.0			7.7	8.8	7.8
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\*This Form is to be submitted with each DMR.

Alkalinity and hardness to be reported as mg/l CaCO<sub>3</sub>

## Acute Forms <u>Pimephales promelas</u> Survival

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 007

NPDES Permit Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Composite Collected** 

From: 3/01/15

To: 3/01/15

From:

To:

Test Initiated: 3/03/15

**Dilution Water Used:** 

**Receiving Water** 

X Reconstituted Water

### Dilution Series Results - Percent Survival

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TIME OF READING	REP	0	32.0	45:0	50.0	<b>5</b> 6.0	75.0	100.0	100.0 pH adj
24-hour	A	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	В	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	87.5
	С	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	87.5
	D	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
	E	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.0
48-hour	A	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	87.5
•	В	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	87.5
	С	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.0
	D	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.0
	E	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	62.5
	Mean	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	77.5

1. Dunnett's Procedure or Steel's Many-One Rank Test as appropriate: Is the mean survival at 48 hours significantly different (p=.05) than the control survival for the % effluent corresponding to:

a.) LOW FLOW OR CRITICAL DILUTION (100.0%)

X YES

YES

b.)½ LOW FLOW OR 2X CRITICAL DILUTION (N/A%)

NO NO

2. Enter percent effluent corresponding to the  $LC_{50}$  below:

 $LC_{50} =$ 

37.95% effluent

95 % confidence limits: N/A

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Method of LC<sub>50</sub> calculation: Graphical 3. If you answered NO to 1.a) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): F

- 4. Enter response to item 3 on DMR Form, parameter TEM3D
- 5. If you answered NO to 1.b) enter (P) otherwise enter (F): N/A
- 6. Enter response to item 5 on DMR Form, parameter TFM3D

Adjusting the pH of the sample to neutral increased survival, but not enough to not be significant when compared to the control.

# Biomonitoring Pimephales promelas 48 hour Acute Static Renewal Chemical Parameters Chart\*

Permittee: El Dorado Chemical - Outfall 007 NPDES Number: AR0000752/ AFIN 70-00040

**Contact: David Sartain** 

Analyst: Briggs, Callahan, Rose

Sample Collected

From: To: Date 3/01/15 Date 3/01/15

5 Time 0930 5 Time 2130

Test Begin Test End

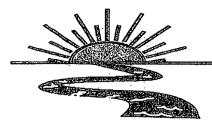
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Dilut/Time	Ohrs.	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs		Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs	Ohrs	24hrs	48hrs
0	8.2	8.4	8.1	24.5	25.3	24.9	32.0			40.0			7.1	7.4	7.0
32.0	8.1	8.5	8.2	24.5	25.3	24.9							7.0	6.4	6.6
45.0	8.4	7.6		24.5	25.3						i		4.6	5.1	
50.0	8.4	7.6		24.5	25.3								4.5	4.7	
56.0	8.2	7.7		24.5	24.3								4.4	4.5	
75.0	8.1	7.7		24.5	24.3								4.3	4.4	
100.0	7.7	7.7		24.5	24.3		0.0			308.0			4.2	4.3	
100.0 pH	8.1	7.9	7.9	24.5	24.3	24.9							7.7	8.8	7.8

\*This Form is to be submitted with each DMR.

Alkalinity and hardness to be reported as mg/l CaCO<sub>3</sub>

# APPENDIX F REPORT QUALITY ASSURANCE FORM



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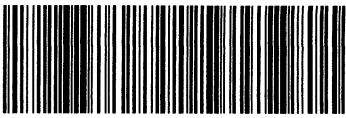
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