

Table 4

Comparison of Primary Semi-Volatile Organic Non-Pesticide Drinking Water Standards
By Country or Organization

Contaminant	US EPA	Australia	Canada	United Kingdom	Germany	European Union	WHO
	ug/L	ug/L	ug/L	ug/L	ug/L	ug/L	ug/L
PAHs							
Benzo (a) pyrene	0.2	0.01	0.01			0.01	0.7
Benzo (b) fluoranthene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline				No Guideline
Benzo (ghi) Perylene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline				No Guideline
Benzo (k) fluoranthene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline				No Guideline
Benzo 3,4-pyrene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	10 ng/L			No Guideline
Fluoranthene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline			No Guideline	No Guideline
Indeno (1,2,3-cd) pyrene	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline				No Guideline
				0.2 Total	0.2 Total	0.1 Total	
PHTHALATES							
Di(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	6	10	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	8
Di(2-ethylhexyl) adipate	400	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	80
PCBs							
Polychlorinated Biphenyls	0.5 *	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	0.1 **	No Guideline	No Guideline
Polybrominated Biphenyls	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	0.1 **	No Guideline	No Guideline
Terphenyls	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	0.1 **	No Guideline	No Guideline
TREATMENT CHEMICALS							
Acrylamide	Treatment Technique	0.2	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	0.1	0.5
Epichlorohydrin	Treatment Technique	0.5	No Guideline	No Guideline	No Guideline	0.1	0.4

