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SUMMARY

Compliance with the standards required by the EC Directive on the quality of surface water intended for the abstraction of drinking water has been assessed using monitoring data obtained during 1991.

Thirty two river and 22 reservoir intakes were monitored.

The Broadall Lake intake was the only source that failed to achieve the mandatory water quality requirements for the relevant water treatment class. However, the non-compliance was only marginal and is considered to result from the peaty, moorland nature of the water source.

The number and percentage of abstraction intakes non-compliant with the treatment class standards are summarised below:

	NON-COMPLIANT INTAKES			
	Guide Standards		Mandatory Standards	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
River sources	24	75%	1	3%
Reservoir sources	14	64%	0	0%
Total	38	70%	1	1.8%

There was a higher proportion of river intakes which failed to comply with the guideline treatment class standards than reservoir intakes.

However, more reservoir intakes (33%) were non-compliant with the manganese guideline standards than river intakes (9%). College Reservoir exceeded the guideline manganese standards by more than 3 times.

Fifty three percent of river intakes and 27% of reservoir intakes exceeded the guideline bacteriological standards.

It is recommended that the priority for assessment of the causes and actions required to resolve non-compliance with guideline standards is considered along with the regions' other statutory and non-statutory obligations for investigation of water quality problems.

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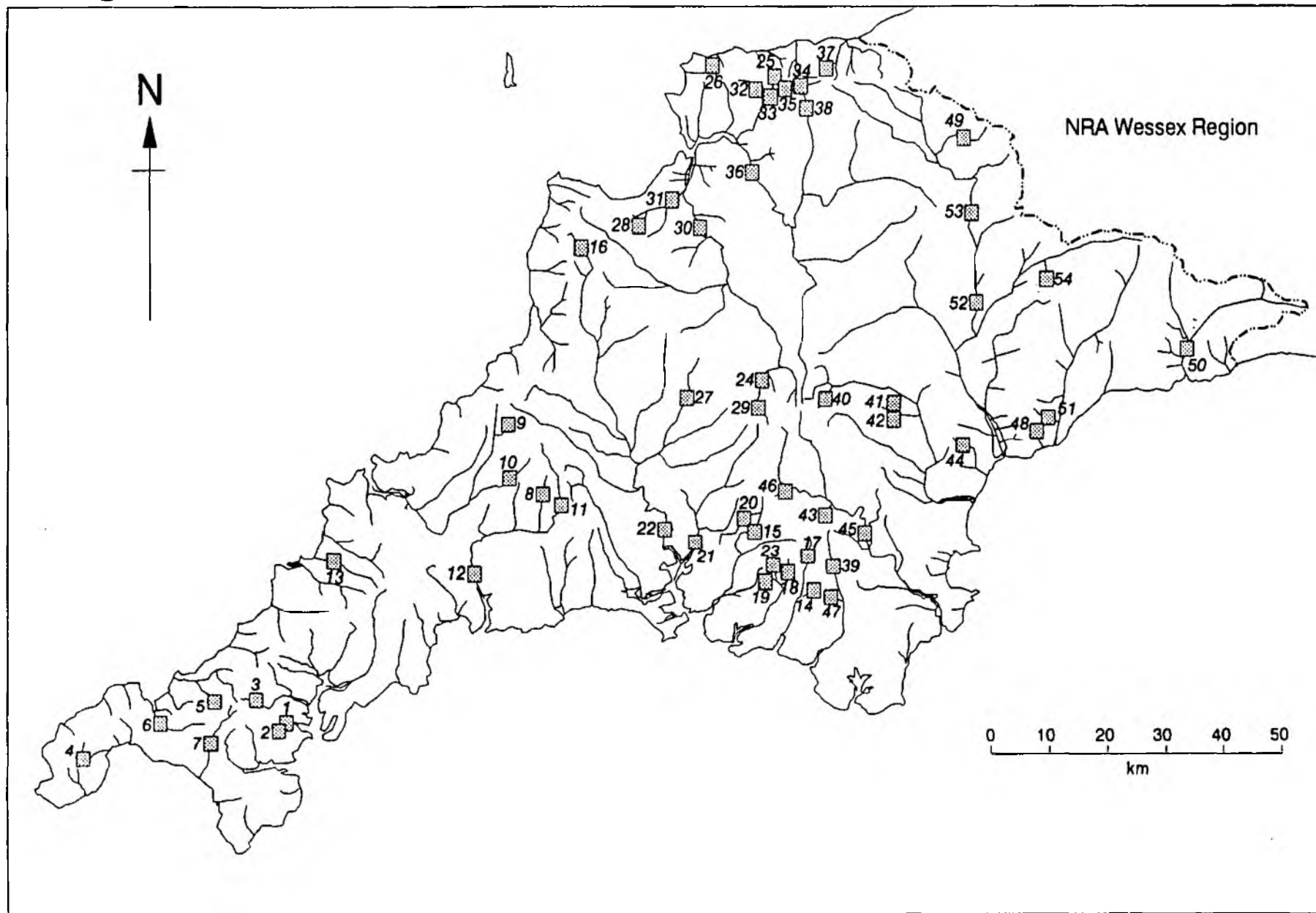
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Figure 1: Public Potable Abstractions Monitored by NRA (SW) 1991



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1	College Reservoir	SW 7730 3350
2	Argal Reservoir	SW 7630 3280
3	Stithians Reservoir	SW 7190 3639
4	Drift Reservoir	SW 4399 2873
5	Boswyn Reservoir	SW 6592 3629
6	River Hayle at St Erth	SW 5495 3490
7	River Cober at Wendron	SW 6752 3104
8	Colliford Reservoir	SX 1790 7110
9	Crowdy Reservoir	SX 1397 8327
10	Delank River at Leaze	SX 1358 7655
11	River Fowey at Trekeivesteps	SX 2272 6986
12	River Fowey at Restomel	SX 0971 6247
13	River Porth at Rialton	SX 8487 6230
14	Butterbrook Reservoir	SX 6456 5930
15	Burrator Reservoir	SX 5513 6803
16	Upper Tamar Lake	SS 2890 1180
17	River Erme Intake	SX 6403 6317
18	River Yealm Intake	SX 6170 6202
19	Ford Brook Intake	SX 6123 6184
20	Devonport leat	SX 5500 6837
21	River Tavy at Lopwell	SX 4751 6503
22	River Tamar at Gunnislake	SX 4337 7235
23	Broadall Lake Intake (R.Yealm)	SX 6128 6196
24	Meldon Reservoir	SX 5636 9169
25	Wistlandpound Reservoir	SS 6436 4148
26	Lower Slade Reservoir	SS 5063 4574
27	Roadford Reservoir	SX 4250 9010
28	Melbury Reservoir	SS 3864 2015
29	West Okement River Intake	SX 5604 8983
30	River Torridge at Torrington	SS 4821 1911
31	River Yeo (Bideford) at Edge Mill	SS 4478 2281
32	River Yeo (Barnstaple) at Loxhore	SS 6096 3658
33	Bratton Stream at Loxhore	SS 6131 3666
34	River Bray at Leehamford	SS 6774 3992
35	Brockemburrow Stream Intake	SS 6629 4175
36	River Taw at Newbridge	SS 5823 2613
37	West Ilkerton River Intake	SS 7047 4759
38	Spreycott Spring Intake	SS 6537 3974
39	Avon Dam	SX 6790 6510
40	Fernworthy Reservoir	SX 6706 8430
41	Kennick Reservoir	SX 8067 8386
42	Trenchford Reservoir	SX 8066 8238
43	Venford Reservoir	SX 6860 7110
44	Dawlish Water,Thornes Intake at Kenton	SX 9041 8069
45	River Dart at Littlehempston	SX 8005 6163
46	River Swincombe Intake	SX 6325 7187
47	Bala Brook Intake	SX 6715 6294
48	Squabmoor Reservoir	SY 0402 8393
49	Wimbleball Reservoir	SS 9654 2935
50	River Axe at Whitford	SY 2618 9532
51	Budleigh Brook Intake	SY 0732 8418
52	River Exe at Pynes Intake	SX 9300 9710
53	River Exe at Bolham	SS 9488 1519
54	Sheldon Stream Intake	ST 1057 0887

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This report presents the results of the monitoring programme undertaken in 1991 by the National Rivers Authority (South West) in relation to the EC Surface Water Abstraction Directives (75/440/EEC, 1975 and 79/869/EEC, 1979).
- 1.2 The monitoring programme was established in February 1991 to fulfil the legal requirements under the EC Surface Water Abstraction Directives 75/440/EEC and 79/869/EEC, and the UK Surface Waters (Classification) Regulations 1989, Statutory Instrument 1989/1148.
- 1.3 Directive 75/440/EEC, concerning the "quality required of surface water intended for the abstraction of drinking water", gives a list of determinands which must be measured and standards which must be met according to the specified level of drinking water treatment. The three categories of treatment methods and the list of associated parameters and standards given in Annex I and II of the Directive are reproduced in Appendix A.1 and A.2 of this report.
- 1.4 Directive 79/869/EEC, establishes the methods of measurement and the frequencies of sampling and analysis of surface water abstracted for potable supply. The minimum annual sampling frequencies for each of the determinands given in 75/440/EEC are set with respect to both the level of treatment and the size of the population served. These are reproduced in Appendix A.3.
- 1.5 The requirements of Directive 75/440/EEC were translated into UK legislation via Section 104(i) of the 1989 Water Act (now Section 82 of the 1991 Water Resources Act) by the Surface Waters (Classification) Regulations 1989, Statutory Instrument (SI) 1989/1148. These Regulations came into force on 1 September 1989 and defined three classifications DW1, DW2 and DW3.
- 1.6 The NRA has not yet been requested by the Department of the Environment to report compliance with the Directives. Compliance assessed in this report is solely for the purpose of water quality management for NRA South West Region.

2. METHODS

2.1 Locations Monitored 1991

2.1.1 Fifty four "permanent" surface water abstraction intakes for public drinking water supply in the South West Region were monitored during 1991. These included 22 reservoir intakes and 32 river intakes (Figure 1).

2.1.2 In the case of river abstractions, water quality was monitored at the river intakes. In the case of reservoir abstractions, water quality was monitored at the depth(s) from which water was abstracted.

2.2 Determinands Monitored 1991

2.2.1 All mandatory determinands given by Directive 75/440/EEC were monitored in 1991, except Dissolved or emulsified hydrocarbon, and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons. This was because routine analysis of these determinands was not available in the NRA laboratory during 1991. Analysis of these determinands will be available in 1992.

2.2.2 All non-mandatory determinands were also analysed where methodologies were available. Those determinands not analysed for are given below:

1. Nitrogen by Kjeldahl method
Substances extractable with chloroform and
Odour.

This was because laboratory methods were not available for these determinands and there are no mandatory standards in the Directive for these substances;

2. Total extractable organic chlorine
Beryllium
Cobalt
Nickel and
Vanadium.

This was because no standards for these determinands are given in the Directive.

2.3 Sampling Frequency 1991

- 2.3.1 For all abstraction intakes, the annual sampling frequencies were set at 12, 4 and 1 for determinands in categories I, II and III respectively as defined in 79/869/EEC. These were the minimum frequencies recommended by the Directive for Class A3 water serving a population greater than 100,000 (Appendix A.3).
- 2.3.2 The analytical methods for organic compounds in category III only became available at the NRA's laboratory in December 1991, therefore sampling and analysis for category III determinands only began in December 1991. As a result, there was no data for those determinands at 30 intakes.

2.4 Compliance Assessment

- 2.4.1 Compliance was assessed against a target for raw water quality and the actual water treatment class. The raw water class is the quality objective to be achieved. The treatment class is the category of water treatment that the raw water received (Appendix A.1). The raw water quality standards corresponded to the A1, A2 and A3 class treatment given by Directive 75/440/EEC are given in Appendix A.2.
- 2.4.2 Compliance with the mandatory standards was assessed by using the 95 percentile sample statistic, which is the UK interpretation of the sample statistic for compliance assessment specified in Directive 75/440/EEC (Gardiner, 1989). When the number of samples was smaller than 20, the maximum value was used.
- 2.4.3 Compliance with the guide standards for all determinands, except dissolved oxygen, was assessed by using the 90 percentile sample statistic (Gardiner, 1989). The 10 percentile value was used for dissolved oxygen, and both 10 and 90 percentiles were used for the lower and upper limits of pH. When the number of samples was smaller than 10, the maximum/minimum values were used.
- 2.4.4 When the concentration of a determinand was below the analytical detection limit, a concentration value of half the detection limit was assigned to that determinand. This is the general protocol accepted by the NRA.
- 2.4.5 The higher values of the Fluoride guideline standards (Appendix A.2) were used for compliance assessment, i.e. 1mg/l, 1.7mg/l and 1.7mg/l for A1, A2 and A3 Class respectively. These standards are

recommended by the Water Research Council (Gardiner, 1989) to be applied under lower temperature conditions. Temperature is not defined numerically in the WRC Report.

- 2.4.6 The analytical detection limit for Total Phenols is $2.8\mu\text{g/l}$ which is higher than the mandatory standard of $1\mu\text{g/l}$ for Class A1 waters. This is the lowest detection limit that can currently be achieved by the NRA laboratory. No margin of improvement is anticipated in the near future. Hence, this determinand was not included in the assessment of compliance with the A1 Class standards when concentrations were below $2.8\mu\text{g/l}$.
- 2.4.7 Total Pesticides concentration was obtained by adding together the concentrations of parathion, alpha-, beta-, gamma- and delta-HCH, and dieldrin as specified in Directive 75/440/EEC.
- 2.4.8 The units for the standards of nitrates, sulphates, surfactants, phosphates and ammonia given by Directive 75/440/EEC were converted as below (Table 2.1) for compliance assessment:

TABLE 2.1 : Determinand Units Converted for Compliance Assessment

Determinands	Units	
	in Directive 75/440/EEC	for Compliance Assessment
Nitrates	mg/l NO_3	mg/l N
Sulphates	mg/l SO_4	mg/l S
Surfactants	mg/l (Laurylsulphate)	mg/l (Monoxol O.T.)
Phosphates	mg/l P_2O_5	mg/l P
Ammonia	mg/l NH_4	mg/l N

3. RESULTS

3.1 The 95 percentile values and the number of samples taken for the mandatory determinands analysed are listed in Table B.1 (Appendix B.1).

3.2 The 90 and/or 10 percentile values and the number of samples taken for the guide determinands analysed are listed in Table B.2 (Appendix B.2).

3.3 Mandatory Standard Compliance

3.3.1 Mandatory standard compliance, non-compliant determinands and the percentage deviations from the mandatory standards are summarised in Table 3.1.

3.3.2 Treatment Class Compliance

Only one abstraction intake failed to comply with the mandatory treatment class standards. This was the Broadall Lake intake in the River Yealm catchment which was non-compliant with the colour standard.

3.3.3 Raw Water Class Compliance

The number and percentage of intakes non-compliant with the mandatory standards are summarised in Table 3.2.

TABLE 3.2 : Number and Percentage of Intakes Non-compliant with Mandatory Standards.

	Raw water Class		Treatment Class	
	No.	%	No.	%
River intakes	9	28	1	3
Reservoir intakes	6	27	0	0
Total	15	28	1	1.8

Note : No. of river intakes monitored = 32
No. of reservoir intakes monitored = 22

TABLE 3.1 : SUMMARY OF COMPLIANCE WITH MANDATORY STANDARDS

Units : Metals - mg metal/l			Colour - Hazen							
ABSTRACTION INTAKES	RAW WATER CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	STANDARD	95 %ILE	% HIGHER THAN STDS	TREATMENT CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	STANDARD 95 %ILE % HIGHER THAN STDS
College Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS		
Argal Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS		
Stithians Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS		
Drift Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS		
Boswyn Reservoir	A1	PASS					A1	PASS		
River Hayle	A1	FAIL	Barium	0.01	0.014	40	A2	PASS		
River Cober	A2	PASS					A3	PASS		
Colliford Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour Diss Fe	20 0.3	40 0.43	100 43.3	A2	PASS		
Crowdy Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour Diss Fe	20 0.3	46 0.32	130 6.7	A2	PASS		
Delank River	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	50	150	A2	PASS		
Trekeivesteps, River Fowey	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	28	40	A2	PASS		
Restonel, River Fowey	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	30	50	A2	PASS		
Rialton, River Porth	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	27	35	A2	PASS		
Butterbrook Reservoir	A1	PASS					A1	PASS		
Burrator Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	21	5	A2	PASS		
Upper Tamar Lake	A2	PASS					A2	PASS		
River Erme	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	53	165	A2	PASS		
River Yealm	A1	PASS					A1	PASS		

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Units : Metals - mg metal/l				Colour - Hazen								
ABSTRACTION INTAKES	RAW WATER		NON-COMPLIANT	STANDARD	95 %ILE	% HIGHER	TREATMENT		NON-COMPLIANT	STANDARD	95 %ILE	% HIGHER
	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	DETERMINANDS			THAN STDS	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	DETERMINANDS			THAN STDS
Ford Brook	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Devonport Leat	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	24	20	A2	PASS				
Lopwell, River Tavy	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Gunnislake, River Tamar	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	22	10	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	22	10
Meldon Reservoir	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Wistlandpond Reservoir	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Lower Slade Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS				
Roadford Reservoir	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Melbury Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	26	30	A2	PASS				
West Okement River	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
River Torridge	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
River Yeo (Bideford)	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Loxhore, River Yeo	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Bratton Stream	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Leehamford, River Bray	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Brockemburrow Intake	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Newbridge, River Taw	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				

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West Ilkerton River	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Spreycott Spring	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Avon Dam	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	48	140	A2	PASS				
Fernworthy Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS				
Kennick Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	38	90	A2	PASS				
Trenchford Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS				
Venford Reservoir	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				
Thornes Intake, Kenton	A1	PASS					A2	PASS				
Littlehempston, River Dart	A2	PASS					A3	PASS				
Swincombe Intake	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Bala Brook	A1	FAIL	Colour	20	33	65	A2	PASS				
Squabmoor Reservoir	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Wimbleball Reservoir	A1	PASS					A2	PASS				
Whitford, River Axe	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Budleigh Brook	A2	PASS					A2	PASS				
Pynes Intake, River Exe	A2	PASS					A3	PASS				
Bolham Leat, River Exe	A2	PASS					A3	PASS				
Sheldon Stream	A1	PASS					A1	PASS				

3.4 Guideline Standards Compliance

3.4.1 Compliance with the guideline standards, and non-compliant determinands are summarised in Table 3.3.

3.4.2 The number and percentage of intakes non-compliant with the guideline standards are summarised in Table 3.4.

TABLE 3.4 : Number and Percentage of Intakes Non-compliant with Guideline Standards.

	Raw water Class		Treatment Class	
	No.	%	No.	%
River intakes	30	93	24	75
Reservoir intakes	22	100	14	64
Total	52	96	38	70

Note : No. of river intakes monitored = 32
No. of reservoir intakes monitored = 22

3.4.3 The determinands non-compliant with the treatment class guideline standards, the non-compliant intakes, and the percentage deviations from the guideline standards are summarised in Tables 3.5a and 3.5b.

3.4.4 The percentages of mandatory and guideline standard non-compliance for categories A1, A2, and A3 raw water classes and treatment classes are summarised in Table 3.6.

3.4.5 The percentages of river and reservoir intakes non-compliant with treatment guideline standards for individual determinands were summarised in Figure 2.

TABLE 3.3 : SUMMARY OF COMPLIANCE WITH GUIDELINE STANDARDS

pH(L) : pH Lower Limit T Coli : Total Coliforms
 pH(H) : pH Higher Limit F Coli : Faecal Coliforms
 F Strep : Faecal Streptococci

ABSTRACTION INTAKES	RAW WATER			TREATMENT			
	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	
College Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(H), Colour, Diss Fe, Mn, BOD, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Mn, BOD, T Coli, F Coli	
Argal Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour, T coli, F coli	A2	PASS		
Stithians Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour, Diss Fe, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli	A2	PASS		
Drift Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour, NO ₃ , Diss Fe, Phosphate, BOD, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	PASS		
Boswyn Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), SS, T coli, F coli, F Strep	A1	FAIL	pH(L), SS, T coli, F coli, F Strep	
River Hayle	A1	FAIL	NO ₃ , Diss Fe, Cu, Zn, NH ₃ , T coli, F coli, F Strep	A2	PASS		
River Ocher	A2	FAIL	BOD	A3	PASS		
Colliford Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, Mn, Cu, Zn, DO, BOD, NH ₃ , T & F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Zn	
Crowdy Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, SS, Diss Fe, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	pH(L), T Coli	
Dalank River	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
Trekeivesteps, River Povey	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	PASS		
Restonel, River Povey	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, BOD, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	T Coli	
Rialton, River Porth	A1	FAIL	pH(H), Colour, SS, NO ₃ , Diss Fe, Mn, Phosphate, BOD, NH ₃ , T & F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Mn, T Coli, F Coli	
Butterbrook Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, T Coli	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, T Coli	
Burrator Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, Mn, DO, NH ₃ , T Coli	A2	FAIL	Mn	
Upper Tamar Lake	A2	FAIL	Mn	A2	FAIL	Mn	
River Ems	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, NH ₃ , T Coli, F Coli	A2	FAIL	pH(L), Colour	
River Yealm	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, T Coli, F Coli	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, T Coli, F Coli	

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ABSTRACTION INTAKES	RAW WATER			TREATMENT			
	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	
Ford Brook	A1	FAIL	pH(L), T Coli, F Coli	A1	FAIL	pH(L), T Coli, F Coli	
Devonport Leat	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, T Coli, F coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
Lopwell, River Tavy	A2	FAIL	T coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	T coli, F Strep	
Gunnislake, River Tamar	A2	FAIL	T Coli	A2	FAIL	T Coli	
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, SS, T Coli, F Coli,	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, SS, T Coli, F Coli,	
Maldon Reservoir	A2	FAIL	pH(L), Mn,	A2	FAIL	pH(L), Mn,	
Wistlandford Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Cu, NH3, F Coli	A1	FAIL	Cu, NH3, F Coli	
Lower Slade Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Diss Fe, Cu, NH3, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	PASS		
Roadford Reservoir	A2	FAIL	Mn	A2	FAIL	Mn	
Malbury Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, Mn, Cu, NH3, T Coli, F coli	A2	PASS		
West Okehampt River	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
River Torridge	A2	FAIL	Mn, Phosphate, T coli, F Coli	A2	FAIL	Mn, Phosphate, T coli, F Coli	
River Yeo (Bideford)	A2	FAIL	Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	
Lodhore, River Yeo	A2	FAIL	F Coli	A2	FAIL	F Coli	
Bratton Stream	A2	PASS		A2	PASS		
Leachford, River Bray	A1	FAIL	Cu, T Coli, F Coli	A1	FAIL	Cu, T Coli, F Coli	
Brockemburrow Intake	A1	FAIL	Colour, T Coli, F Coli	A1	FAIL	Colour, T Coli, F Coli	
Newbridge, River Taw	A2	FAIL	Mn, Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli	A2	FAIL	Mn, Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli	

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	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	CLASS	COMPLIANCE	NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	
West Ilkerton River	A2	PASS		A2	PASS		
Spreycott Spring	A1	FAIL	SS, T Coli, F Coli	A1	FAIL	SS, T Coli, F Coli	
Avon Dam	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, NH3, T Coli, F Coli	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
Farnworthy Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour	A2	PASS		
Kennick Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Colour, NH3	A2	PASS		
Tranclford Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, NH3, T Coli	A2	PASS		
Verford Reservoir	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Mn, Cu, T Coli	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Mn, Cu, T Coli	
Thomas Intake, Kerton	A1	FAIL	Colour, Diss Fe, NH3, T Coli, F Coli	A2	PASS		
Littlehampton, River Dart	A2	FAIL	T Coli, F Coli	A3	PASS		
Selwood Intake	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
Bala Brook	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, T Coli, F Coli	A2	FAIL	pH(L)	
Squaboor Reservoir	A2	FAIL	Temperature	A2	FAIL	Temperature	
Winkleball Reservoir	A1	FAIL	Mn, NH3, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Mn	
Whitford, River Axe	A2	FAIL	Colour, Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	Colour, Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	
Budleigh Brook	A2	FAIL	pH(H), Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A2	FAIL	pH(H), Phosphate, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	
Pynes Intake, River Exe	A2	FAIL	Mn, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A3	FAIL	OD	
Bolham Lent, River Exe	A2	FAIL	F Coli, F Strep	A3	PASS		
Sheldon Stream	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, NH3, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	A1	FAIL	pH(L), Colour, Diss Fe, NH3, T Coli, F Coli, F Strep	

TABLE 3.5a : Physical and Chemical Determinands Non-compliant with the Treatment Guideline Standards and Percentage Deviations from the Guide Determinand Standards

NON-COMPLIANT DETERMINANDS	NON-COMPLIANT INTAKES									
	RESERVOIRS	TREATMENT CLASS	STANDARD	90 %ILE	% DEVIATION FROM 'G' STDS	RIVERS	TREATMENT CLASS	STANDARD	90 %ILE	% DEVIATION FROM 'G' STDS
pH (Lower) (10 %ILE)	Crowdy	A2	5.5	5.16	6.2	Delank	A2	5.5	5.06	8.0
	Butterbrook	A1	6.5	5.70	12.3	River Erme	A2	5.5	4.80	12.7
	Meldon	A2	5.5	5.20	5.5	River Yealm	A1	6.5	4.69	27.8
	Avon	A2	5.5	5.00	10.0	Ford Brook	A1	6.5	5.02	22.8
	Venford	A1	6.5	5.50	15.4	Devonport Leat	A2	5.5	4.88	11.3
	Boswyn	A1	6.5	5.88	9.5	Broadall Lake	A1	6.5	4.50	30.8
						West Okement	A2	5.5	5.10	7.3
						Swincombe	A2	5.5	5.20	5.5
						Bala Brook	A2	5.5	4.70	14.5
						Sheldon Stream	A1	6.5	6.00	7.6
pH (Upper)						Budleigh Brook	A2	9.0	9.10	1.1
Colour (Hazen)	Butterbrook	A1	10	11.0	10.0	River Erme	A2	50	53.0	6.0
						River Yealm	A1	10	11.8	18.0
						Broadall Lake	A1	10	20.7	107.0
						Brockemburrow	A1	10	16.0	60.0
						Whitford	A2	50	67.0	34.0
						Sheldon Stream	A1	10	14.0	40.0
BOD (mg/l)	College	A2	<5	6.39	27.8					
COD (mg/l)						Pynes Intake	A3	30	47.5	58.3
Ammonia (mg N/l)	Whistlandpound	A1	0.039	0.09	131.0	Sheldon Stream	A1	0.039	0.15	285.0
Temperature (deg C)	Squabmoor	A2	22.0	23.0	4.5					
Suspended Solids (mg/l)	Boswyn	A1	25.0	61.4	17.5	Broadall Lake	A1	25	434.4	1638.0
						Spreycott Spring	A1	25	35.0	40.0
Phosphates (mg P/l)						River Torridge	A2	0.153	0.31	103.0
						River Yeo (Bideford)	A2	0.153	0.18	17.6
						New Bridge, River Taw	A2	0.153	0.19	24.2
						Whitford	A2	0.153	0.37	142.0
						Budleigh Brook	A2	0.153	0.22	43.8
Manganese (mg Mn/l)	College	A2	0.1	0.323	223.0	Rialton, River Porth	A2	0.1	0.113	13.0
	Burrator	A2	0.1	0.105	5.0	River Torridge	A2	0.1	0.115	15.0
	Upper Tamar Lake	A2	0.1	0.170	70.0	New Bridge, River Taw	A2	0.1	0.158	58.0
	Meldon	A2	0.1	0.177	77.0					
	Roadford	A2	0.1	0.160	60.0					
	Venford	A1	0.05	0.123	146.0					
	Wimbleball	A2	0.1	0.206	106.0					
Zinc (mg Zn/l)	Colliford	A2	1.0	2.90	190.0					
Copper (mg Cu/l)	Wistlandpound	A1	0.02	0.025	25.0	Leeshamford, River Bray	A1	0.02	0.025	25.0
	Venford	A1	0.02	0.025	25.0					
Diss. Iron (mg Fe/l)						Sheldon Stream	A1	0.1	0.13	30.0

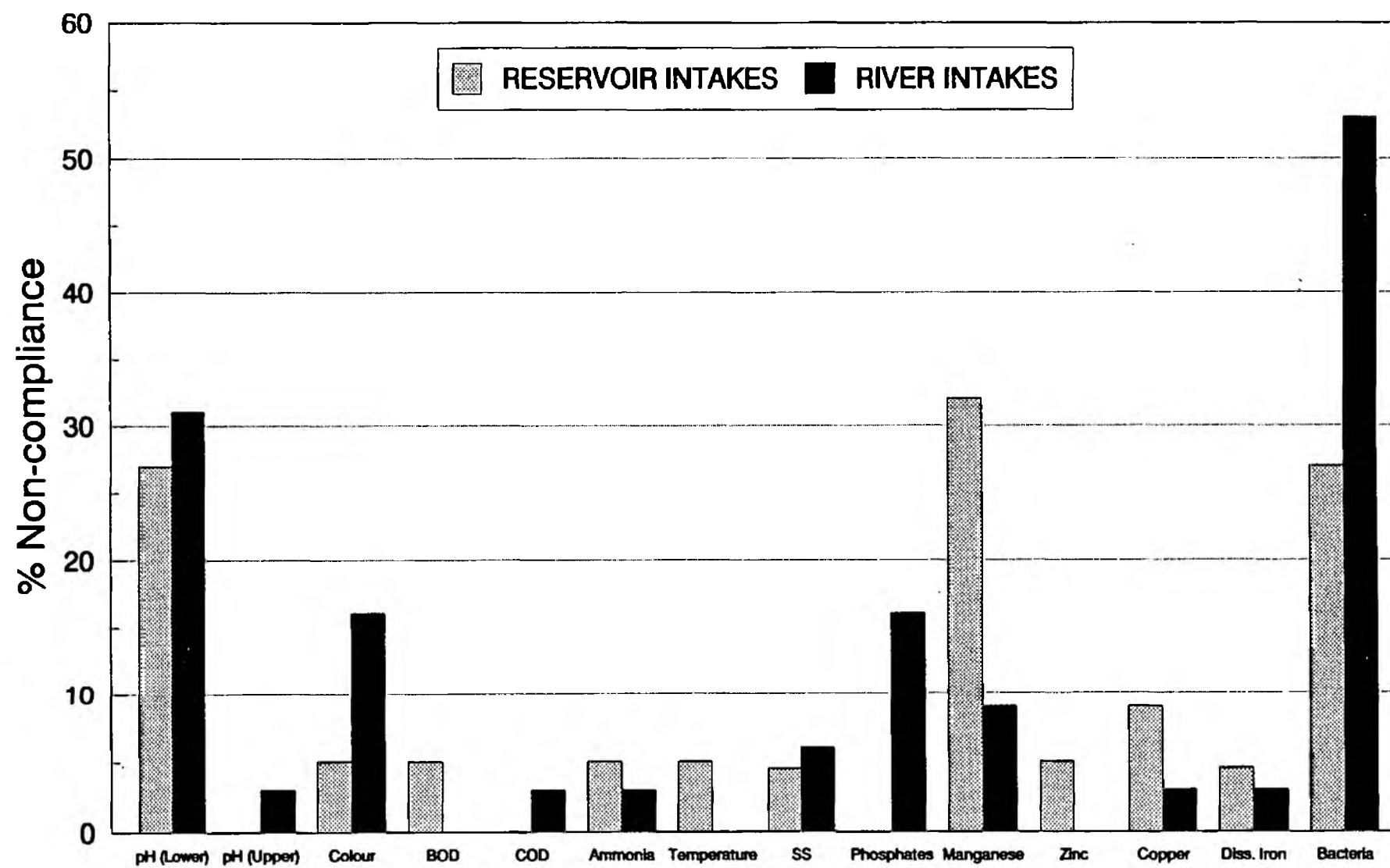
TABLE 3.5b : Bacteriological Determinands Non-compliant with the Treatment Guideline Standards and Percentage Deviations from the Guide Determinand Standards

NON-COMPLIANT INTAKES	TREATMENT CLASS	TOTAL COLIFORMS			FAECAL COLIFORMS			FAECAL STREPTOCOCCI		
		STANDARD	90 %ILE	% HIGHER THAN 'G' STDS	STANDARD	90 %ILE	% HIGHER THAN 'G' STDS	STANDARD	90 %ILE	% HIGHER THAN 'G' STDS
RESERVOIRS :										
College	A2	5000	41000	720	2000	3000	50	1000	202	0
Boswyn	A1	50	3000	5900	20	100	400	20	56	180
Crowdy	A2	5000	16700	234	2000	700	0	1000	120	0
Butterbrook	A1	50	70	40	20	20	0	20	5	0
Wistlandpound	A1	50	310	520	20	100	400	20	100	400
Venford	A1	50	100	100	20	0	0	20	0	0
RIVERS :										
Restomel, River Fowey	A2	5000	7500	50	2000	1700	0	1000	470	0
Rialton, River Porth	A2	5000	39000	680	2000	8000	300	1000	540	0
River Yealm	A1	50	170	240	20	60	200	20	10	0
Ford Brook	A1	50	200	300	20	28	40	20	12	0
Lopwell, River Tavy	A2	5000	6500	30	2000	1800	0	1000	1290	29
Gunnislake, River Tamar	A2	5000	5600	12	2000	2200	10	1000	900	0
Broadall Lake	A1	50	140	180	20	80	300	20	12	0
River Torridge	A2	5000	59000	1080	2000	14000	600	1000	910	0
River Yeo (Bideford)	A2	5000	37000	640	2000	21000	950	1000	10000	900
Loxhore, River Yeo	A2	5000	3500	0	2000	3700	85	1000	0	0
Leehamford, River Bray	A1	50	4500	8900	20	2800	13900	20	0	0
Brockemburrow	A1	50	1790	3480	20	1510	7450	20	0	0
New Bridge, River Taw	A2	5000	7500	50	2000	2800	40	1000	70	0
Spreycott Spring	A1	50	2500	4900	20	3300	16400	20	0	0
Whitford, River Axe	A2	5000	42000	740	2000	85000	4150	1000	7500	650
Budleigh Brook	A2	5000	13400	168	2000	2600	30	1000	3300	230
Sheldon Stream	A1	50	100	100	20	69	245	20	50	150

TABLE 3.6 : Numbers and Percentages of Non-compliance for A1, A2 and A3 Class Intakes

Abstraction Intakes	Raw Water Class			Treatment Class		
	A1	A2	A3	A1	A2	A3
Total No.	34	20	0	11	39	4
No. of Intakes Non-compliant with Mandatory Standards	15	0	0	1	0	0
% Non-compliance	44	0	0	9	0	0
No. of Intakes Non-compliant with Guideline Standards	34	18	0	11	26	1
% Non-compliance	100	90	0	100	67	25

Figure 2: Percentage Non-compliance - Treatment Class Guide Standards



4. DISCUSSION

4.1 Mandatory Standard Compliance

The Broadall Lake intake was the only source that failed to comply with the mandatory standards for the treatment type available. The 95 percentile colour value was 22 Hazen units which marginally exceeded the mandatory Colour standard of 20 Hazen units for Class A1 treatment. The non-compliance is not considered to be a serious problem because it is likely to be due to the moorland origin of the water source. The margin of non-compliance was also small. Therefore, it is not recommended to take any action unless repetitive non-compliance occurs in future years.

4.2 Guideline Standard Compliance

- 4.2.1 Generally, a higher proportion of river intakes failed to comply with the treatment class guideline standards than reservoir intakes. However, manganese was a more frequent problem in reservoir sources (Table 3.4, 3.5a, 3.5b and Figure 2).
- 4.2.2 Non-compliance with the pH (Lower) and colour standards mostly occurred at upland sources (Table 3.5a and Figure 1). Similar observations have been reported by Broome (1992). Low pH and high colouration tends to be common in water which originates from peaty moorland. These parameters are unlikely to cause serious problems after appropriate water treatment. It has been reported by the DoE (1991) that less than 0.1% of samples taken from the South West Water Services Ltd. drinking water distribution system exceeded the prescribed value for colouration in 1990.
- 4.2.3 Non-compliance with the pH (Upper) limit at the Budleigh Brook intake was found to be due to algal growth in a silt trap upstream of the intake (Wilcock, 1991).
- 4.2.4 Non-compliance with the Phosphates guideline standards was confined to lowland river sources (Table 3.5). This may be attributed to sewage treatment works discharges, dairy industry discharges and farming activities in river catchments.
- 4.2.5 Thirty two percent of the reservoir intakes and 9% of the river intakes failed to comply with the Manganese guideline standards (Table 3.5 and Figure 1). The 95 percentile manganese concentration at College Reservoir was found to be 0.323mg/l, which was more than three times the guideline standard of 0.1mg/l. The high manganese

concentrations recorded in reservoirs could result from thermal stratification which leads to the release of soluble manganese from the sediment into the water column under anaerobic condition in the hypolimnion.

- 4.2.6 Seventeen river intakes (53%) and 6 reservoir intakes (27%) exceeded the guideline bacteriological standards (Table 3.4, 3.5b and Figure 1).

These suggest that half of the river sources used for public drinking water abstraction prior to treatment in the South West were of poor bacteriological quality in 1991, and below the EC guideline standards. A large proportion of these sources were likely to be associated with faecal pollution as a result of agricultural activities and sewage treatment works discharges in catchments.

Most of the abstraction intakes listed in Table 3.5b showed high Faecal Coliforms counts (Appendix B.2). This suggests that heavy faecal pollution occurred in these water sources. Faecal Coliforms counts significantly exceeded the guideline standards were found at:

<u>Abstraction Intakes</u>	<u>F. Coliforms counts % higher than 'G' Stds</u>
Wistlandpound reservoir	400%
River Torridge at Torrington	600%
River Yeo (Bideford) at Edge Mill	950%
River Bray at Leehamford	13900%
Brockemburrow Stream at Brockemburrow Intake	7450%
Spreycott Stream at Spreycott Spring Intake	16400%
River Axe at Whitford Intake	4140%

The DoE (1991) reported that the bacteriological quality of potable water provided by the South West Water Services Ltd. after treatment was good (>99.9% compliance). Therefore, even though many supply sources did not meet the guideline bacteriological standards for the EC Directive 75/440/EEC, the treatment available is apparently adequate to ensure that the final potable water meets the EC Drinking Water Directive.

5. CONCLUSION

- 5.1 The Broadall Lake intake marginally exceeded the mandatory Colour standard for the treatment type available.
- 5.2 Twenty four river intakes and fourteen reservoir intakes failed to comply with the appropriate treatment class guideline standards.

6. RECOMMENDATIONS

Freshwater Officer to consider the priority to be allocated to investigating causes and actions to resolved non-compliance with EC Abstraction Directive guideline standards.

ACTION Freshwater Officer

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APPENDIX A.1

ANNEX 1

Definition of the standard methods of treatment for
transforming surface water of categories
A1, A2 and A3 into drinking water

Category A1

Simple physical treatment and disinfection, e.g. rapid
filtration and disinfection.

Category A2

Normal physical treatment, chemical treatment and
disinfection, e.g. pre-chlorination, coagulation,
flocculation, decantation, filtration, disinfection (final
chlorination).

Category A3

Intensive physical and chemical treatment, extended treatment
and disinfection e.g. chlorination to break-point,
coagulation, flocculation, decantation, filtration, absorption
(activated carbon), disinfection (ozone, final chlorination).

APPENDIX A.2

ANNEX II

Characteristics of surface water intended for the abstraction of drinking water

Parameters			A1 G	A1 I	A2 G	A2 I	A3 G	A3 I
1	pH		6.5 to 8.5		5.5 to 9		5.5 to 9	
2	Coloration (after simple filtration)	mg/l Pt scale	10	20 (O)	50	100 (O)	50	200 (O)
3	Total suspended solids	mg/l SS	25					
4	Temperature	° C	22	25 (O)	22	25 (O)	22	25 (O)
5	Conductivity	µs/cm ⁻¹ at 20°C	1000		1000		1000	
6	Odour	(dilution factor at 25°C)	3		10		20	
7*	Nitrates	mg/l NO ₃	25	50 (O)		50 (O)		50 (O)
8	Fluorides	mg/l F	0.7 to 1	1.5	0.7 to 1.7		0.7 to 1.7	
9	Total extractable organic chlorine	mg/l Cl						
10*	Dissolved iron	mg/l Fe	0.1	0.3	1	2	1	
11*	Manganese	mg/l Mn	0.05		0.1		1	
12	Copper	mg/l Cu	0.02	0.05 (O)	0.05		1	
13	Zinc	mg/l Zn	0.5	3	1	5	1	5
14	Boron	mg/l B	1		1		1	
15	Beryllium	mg/l Be						
16	Cobalt	mg/l Co						
17	Nickel	mg/l Ni						
18	Vanadium	mg/l V						
19	Arsenic	mg/l As	0.01	0.05		0.05	0.05	0.1
20	Cadmium	mg/l Cd	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.005
21	Total chromium	mg/l Cr		0.05		0.05		0.05
22	Lead	mg/l Pb		0.05		0.05		0.05
23	Selenium	mg/l Se		0.01		0.01		0.01
24	Mercury	mg/l Hg	0.0005	0.001	0.0005	0.001	0.0005	0.001
25	Barium	mg/l Ba		0.01		1		1
26	Cyanide	mg/l Cn		0.05		0.05		0.05

ANNEX II

Characteristics of surface water intended for the abstraction of drinking water (Continued)

Parameters			A1 G	A1 I	A2 G	A2 I	A3 G	A3 I
27	Sulphates	mg/l SO ₄	150	250	150	250 (O)	150	250 (O)
28	Chlorides	mg/l Cl	200		200		200	
29	Surfactants (reacting with methyl blue)	mg/l (laurylsulphate)	0.2		0.2		0.5	
30*	Phosphates	mg/l P ₂ O ₅	0.4		0.7		0.7	
31	Phenols (phenol index) paranitraniline 4 aminoantipyrine	mg/l C ₆ H ₅ OH		0.001	0.001	0.005	0.001	0.1
32	Dissolved or emulsified hydrocarbons (after extraction by petroleum ether)	mg/l		0.05		0.2	0.5	1
33	Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons	mg/l		0.0002		0.0002		0.0001
34	Total pesticides (parathion, BHC, dieldrin)	mg/l		0.001		0.0025		0.005
35*	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	mg/l O ₂					30	
36*	Dissolved oxygen saturation rate	% O ₂	>70		>50		>30	
37*	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD ₅) (at 20°C without nitrification)	mg/l O ₂	<3		<5		<7	
38	Nitrogen by Kjeldahl method (except NO ₃)	mg/l N	1		2		3	
39	Ammonia	mg/l NH ₄	0.05		1	1.5	2	4 (O)
40	Substances extractable with chloroform	mg/l SEC	0.1		0.2		0.5	
41	Total organic carbon	mg/l C						
42	Residual organic carbon after flocculation and membrane filtrations (5 µ) TOC	mg/l C						
43	Total coliforms 37°C	/100 ml	50		5000		50000	
44	Faecal coliforms	/100 ml	20		2000		20000	
45	Faecal streptococci	/100 ml	20		1000		10000	
46	Salmonella		Not present in 5000 ml		Not present in 1000 ml			

- I - mandatory
 G - guide
 O - exceptional climatic or geographical conditions
 * - see Article 8 (d)

APPENDIX A.3

ANNEX II

Minimum annual frequency of sampling and analysis for each parameter in Directive 75/440/EEC

Population served	A1 (*)			A2 (*)			A3 (*)		
	I (**)	II (**)	III (**)	I (**)	II (**)	III (**)	I (**)	II (**)	III (**)
≤ 10 000	(***)	(***)	(***)	(***)	(***)	(***)	2	1	(***) ⁽¹⁾
> 10 000 to ≤ 30 000	1	1	(***)	2	1	(***)	3	1	1
> 30 000 to ≤ 100 000	2	1	(***)	4	2	1	6	2	1
> 100 000	3	2	(***)	8	4	1	12	4	1

(*) Quality of surface waters, Annex II Directive 75/440/EEC.

(**) Classification of parameters according to frequency.

(***) Frequency to be determined by the competent national authorities.

(*) Assuming that such surface water is intended for the abstraction of drinking water, the Member States are recommended to carry out at least annual sampling of this category of water (A3, III, > 10 000).

CATEGORIES

I		II		III	
Parameter		Parameter		Parameter	
1	pH	10	Dissolved iron	8	Fluorides
2	Coloration	11	Manganese	14	Boron
3	Total suspended solids	12	Copper	19	Arsenic
4	Temperature	13	Zinc	20	Cadmium
5	Conductivity	27	Sulphates	21	Total chromium
6	Odour	29	Surfactants	22	Lead
7	Nitrates	31	Phenols	23	Selenium
28	Chlorides	38	Nitrogen by Kjeldahl method	24	Mercury
30	Phosphates	43	Total coliforms	25	Barium
35	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	44	Faecal coliforms	26	Cyanide
36	Dissolved oxygen saturation rate			32	Dissolved or emulsified hydrocarbons
37	Biochemical oxygen demand (BODs)			33	Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
39	Ammonium			34	Total pesticides
				40	Substances extractable with chloroform
				45	Faecal streptococci
				46	Salmonella

APPENDIX B.1

TABLE B.1 : 95%ile and Number of Sample (n) of the Mandatary Determinands.

ABSTRACTION INTAKES	COLOUR mg/l		TEMPERATUR deg C		NITRATE mg N/l		FLUORIDES mg F/l	
	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n
College Reservoir	17	10	20.5	10	4.3	10	0.09	1
Argal Reservoir	11	9	19.1	9	4.3	9	0.10	1
Stithians Reservoir	15	11	18.9	11	3.5	11	0.12	1
Drift Reservoir	19	12	19.5	12	5.9	12	0.12	1
Boswyn Reservoir	7	11	16.9	10	4.5	11	0.11	1
River Hayle	9	11	14.8	11	7.4	11	0.19	1
River Cober	19	11	14.0	11	4.1	11	0.11	1
Colliford Reservoir	40	11	17.7	11	0.5	11	0.05	1
Crowdy Reservoir	46	10	17.8	9	0.3	10	0.04	1
Delank River	50	11	14.6	11	0.4	11	0.09	1
Trekeivesteps, River Fowey	28	11	16.5	11	0.9	11	0.08	1
Restomel, River Fowey	30	10	16.7	10	2.3	10	0.09	1
Rialton, River Porth	27	11	17.7	11	6.0	11	0.11	1
Butterbrook Reservoir	11	8	16.0	8	0.3	8	-	0
Burrator Reservoir	21	11	16.1	11	0.4	11	-	0
Upper Tamar Lake	33	11	18.8	11	2.9	11	0.05	1
River Erme	53	8	17.0	8	0.4	8	-	0
River Yealm	13	12	14.4	12	0.4	12	0.11	1
Ford Brook	6	10	14.2	10	0.4	10	-	0
Devonport Leat	24	11	15.2	11	0.9	11	0.08	1
Lopwell, River Tavy	27	11	15.6	12	2.1	12	0.08	1
Gunnislake, River Tamar	31	11	16.3	11	3.8	11	0.15	1
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	22	11	14.6	11	0.4	11	0.10	1
Maldon Reservoir	25	7	15.0	7	1.3	7	-	0
Wistlandpond Reservoir	10	8	18.0	8	2.1	8	-	0
Lower Slade Reservoir	10	9	18.5	9	3.8	9	-	0
Roadford Reservoir	25	11	18.9	12	1.3	11	0.08	1
Malbury Reservoir	26	8	19.0	8	1.6	9	-	0
West Okement River	43	6	15.5	6	0.2	6	-	0
River Torridge	49	8	20.0	9	4.3	9	-	0
River Yeo (Bideford)	32	8	16.0	9	5.9	9	-	0
Loxhore, River Yeo	9	7	14.0	8	3.3	8	-	0
Bratton Stream	8	8	15.0	9	2.9	9	-	0
Leehamford, River Bray	9	8	14.0	9	2.0	9	-	0
Brockemburrow Intake	16	7	14.0	7	2.3	8	-	0
Newbridge, River Taw	35	8	18.0	9	4.9	9	-	0
West (Lyn) Iikerton River	16	6	14.0	6	1.5	6	-	0
Spreycott Spring	10	8	13.5	9	1.8	9	-	0
Avon Dam	48	7	18.0	7	2.6	7	-	0
Fernworthy Reservoir	18	9	16.0	9	0.8	8	-	0
Kennick Reservoir	38	10	16.5	10	1.9	8	-	0
Trenchford Reservoir	13	12	16.5	12	1.9	10	-	0
Venford Reservoir	9.7	22	19.9	21	0.5	21	-	0
Thornes Intake, Kenton	16	7	13.0	7	3.1	7	-	0
Littlehampston, River Dart	27	7	16.0	7	1.8	7	-	0
Swincombe Intake	34	8	15.0	8	0.5	8	-	0
Bala Brook	33	9	17.0	9	0.2	9	-	0
Squabmoor Reservoir	24	8	23.0	8	1.3	8	-	0
Wimbleball Reservoir	9	9	17.5	9	3.5	9	-	0
Whitford, River Axe	67	9	19.0	9	6.4	9	-	0
Budleigh Brook	33	9	20.0	9	8.3	9	-	0
Pynes Intake, River Exe	38	9	19.0	9	4.0	9	-	0
Dolham Leat, River Exe	30	8	16.5	8	2.3	8	-	0
Widford Stream	14	9	12.5	9	5.5	9	-	0

DISS IRON mg Fe/l		TOT COPPER mg Cu/l		TOT ZINC mg Zn/l		TOT ARSENIC ug As/l		TOT CADMIUM ug Cd/l		TOT CHROMIUM mg Cr/l		TOT LEAD mg Pb/l	
95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n	95%ile	n
0.101	4	0.0060	4	0.014	4	1.6	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0040	4
0.030	3	0.0010	3	0.010	3	0.4	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0015	3
0.130	4	0.0070	4	0.046	4	0.6	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0150	4
0.109	4	0.0040	4	0.014	4	0.7	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0040	4
0.025	4	0.0140	4	0.170	4	1.2	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0040	4
0.130	4	0.0310	4	0.670	4	8.0	1	1.0	1	0.001	3	0.0015	4
0.210	4	0.0150	4	0.034	4	0.8	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0060	4
0.430	3	0.0250	3	2.900	3	1.3	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0240	3
0.320	3	0.0050	4	0.022	4	9.5	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0150	4
0.160	4	0.0060	4	0.017	4	0.7	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0230	4
0.090	4	0.0050	4	0.011	4	0.5	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0050	4
0.174	3	0.0090	3	0.023	3	3.3	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0015	3
0.256	4	0.0070	4	0.028	4	1.5	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0220	4
0.025	3	0.0025	3	0.013	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.267	4	0.0060	4	0.057	4	0.4	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0160	4
0.450	3	0.0750	2	0.024	3	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0170	3
0.210	3	0.0040	3	0.020	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.025	3	0.0020	4	0.045	4	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0130	4
0.030	3	0.0030	4	0.041	4	0.3	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0120	4
0.108	4	0.0030	4	0.045	4	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0120	4
0.150	3	0.0140	4	0.053	4	7.8	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0150	4
0.310	3	0.0270	3	0.074	3	3.2	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0140	3
0.050	3	0.0010	4	0.036	4	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.001	4	0.0160	4
0.074	2	0.0025	2	0.006	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.100	3	0.0250	3	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.230	4	0.0250	4	0.055	9	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.260	3	0.0480	3	0.014	3	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.001	3	0.0150	3
0.116	2	0.0250	2	0.086	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.124	2	0.0025	2	0.084	5	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.290	3	0.0030	3	0.017	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.252	4	0.0030	4	0.008	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.067	3	0.0025	3	0.011	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.034	3	0.0025	3	0.006	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.040	3	0.0250	3	0.025	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.066	1	0.0025	2	0.008	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.160	4	0.0025	4	0.008	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.087	2	0.0025	2	0.007	4	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.029	3	0.0025	3	0.003	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.300	3	0.0025	3	0.025	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.100	2	0.0025	2	0.040	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.028	1	0.0025	2	0.006	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.100	2	0.0025	2	0.009	9	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.100	6	0.0250	6	0.025	19	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.189	3	0.0025	3	0.009	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.073	2	0.0025	2	0.021	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.119	2	0.0390	2	0.008	7	-	0	-	0	0.0025	1	0.0025	1
0.080	3	0.0025	3	0.015	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.100	3	0.0250	3	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.025	4	0.0025	4	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	0.0025	1	0.0025	1
0.350	4	0.0120	4	0.017	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.210	4	0.0070	4	0.016	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
0.210	4	0.0050	4	0.019	8	-	0	-	0	0.0025	1	0.0025	1
0.130	3	0.0030	3	0.016	7	-	0	-	0	0.0025	1	0.0025	1
0.130	4	0.0025	4	0.021	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

TABLE B.1 : 95tile and Number of Sample (n) of the Mandatary Determinands.

ABSTRACTION INTAKES	TOT SELENIUM ug Se/l		TOT MERCURY ug Hg/l		TOT BARIUM mg Ba/l		CYANIDES mg CN/l		SULPHATES mg SO4/l	
	95tile	n	95tile	n	95tile	n	95tile	n	95tile	n
College Reservoir	0.10	1	0.70	1	0.010	1	0.025	1	15.7	10
Argal Reservoir	0.05	1	0.03	1	0.007	1	0.025	1	15.0	9
Stithians Reservoir	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.007	1	0.025	1	13.6	11
Drift Reservoir	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.010	1	0.025	1	14.0	12
Boswyn Reservoir	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.010	1	0.025	1	14.9	11
River Hayle	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.014	1	0.025	1	41.2	11
River Cober	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.011	1	0.025	1	36.8	11
Colliford Reservoir	0.40	1	0.01	1	0.002	1	0.025	1	5.8	11
Crowdy Reservoir	0.50	1	0.01	1	0.003	1	0.025	1	5.8	10
Delank River	0.30	1	0.01	1	0.004	1	0.025	1	5.0	11
Trekeivesteps, River Fowey	0.30	1	0.01	1	0.004	1	0.025	1	5.7	11
Restomel, River Fowey	0.30	1	0.01	1	0.006	1	0.025	1	8.2	10
Rialton, River Porth	0.40	1	0.01	1	0.010	1	0.025	1	19.2	11
Butterbrook Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	4.9	8
Burrator Reservoir	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.005	1	0.025	1	4.1	11
Upper Tamar Lake	0.30	1	0.01	1	0.008	1	0.025	1	9.1	11
River Erme	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	5.4	8
River Yealm	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.003	1	0.025	1	4.8	12
Ford Brook	0.05	1	0.01	1	0.004	1	0.025	1	4.9	10
Devonport Leat	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.004	1	0.025	1	3.9	11
Lopwell, River Tavy	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.005	1	0.025	1	10.0	12
Gunnislake, River Tamar	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.007	1	0.025	1	19.1	11
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.004	1	0.025	1	4.6	11
Meldon Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	7.6	7
Wistlandpond Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	8.6	8
Lower Slade Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	10.6	9
Roadford Reservoir	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.003	1	0.025	1	11.0	11
Melbury Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	10.8	9
West Okement River	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	7.3	6
River Torridge	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	19.4	9
River Yeo (Bideford)	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	15.0	9
Loxhore, River Yeo	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	9.9	8
Bratton Stream	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	9.3	9
Leehamford, River Bray	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	7.3	9
Brockemburrow Intake	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	6.4	8
Newbridge, River Taw	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	13.0	9
West (Lyn) Ilkerton River	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	4.7	6
Spreycott Spring	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	8.0	9
Avon Dam	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	27.9	6
Fernworthy Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	6.5	9
Kennick Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	10.0	10
Trenchford Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	9.4	12
Vanford Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	6.1	21
Thornes Intake, Kenton	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	11.2	7
Littlehempston, River Dart	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	9.7	7
Swincombe Intake	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	3.7	7
Bala Brook	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	4.3	8
Squabmoor Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	18.3	8
Wimbleball Reservoir	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	11.0	9
Whitford, River Axe	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	38.8	9
Budleigh Brook	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	18.5	9
Pynes Intake, River Exe	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	26.1	9
Boiham Leat, River Exe	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	9.8	8
Chelston Stream	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	4.2	9

PHENOLS ug/l		AMMONIA mg N/l		TOT PESTICIDES ug/l	
95tile	n	95tile	n	95tile	n
1.4	1	0.09	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.03	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.10	3	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.18	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.02	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.05	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.06	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.19	4	0.0165	1
1.4	1	0.16	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.08	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.10	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.19	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.13	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.02	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.14	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.22	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.18	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.03	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.02	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.03	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.11	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.13	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.02	4	0.0132	1
1.4	1	0.07	2	-	0
-	0	0.09	2	-	0
1.4	2	0.12	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.11	4	0.0132	1
-	0	0.06	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.12	2	-	0
1.4	2	0.14	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.16	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.04	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.10	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.03	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.03	1	-	0
1.4	2	0.09	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.01	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.04	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.27	3	-	0
1.4	1	0.04	2	-	0
1.4	2	0.07	2	-	0
1.4	2	0.06	2	-	0
-	0	0.06	6	-	0
-	0	0.07	2	-	0
-	0	0.34	2	-	0
-	0	0.03	2	-	0
1.4	1	0.03	3	-	0
-	0	0.13	2	-	0
1.4	2	0.09	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.19	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.15	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.13	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.12	3	-	0
1.4	2	0.15	3	-	0

APPENDIX B.2

TABLE B.2 : Percentiles and Number of Sample (n) of the Guide Determinands.

ABSTRACTION INTAKES	pH		pH		COLOUR mg/l		SUSP. SOLIDS mg/l	
	10%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n
College Reservoir	7.02	10	8.87	10	16.9	10	24.0	10
Argal Reservoir	6.90	9	7.70	9	11.0	9	9.2	9
Stithians Reservoir	6.58	11	7.60	11	14.8	11	5.0	11
Drift Reservoir	6.56	12	7.37	12	18.7	12	17.4	12
Boswyn Reservoir	5.88	11	7.24	11	6.8	11	61.4	11
River Hayle	6.92	11	7.30	11	9.0	11	5.1	11
River Cober	6.30	11	7.08	11	19.0	11	5.9	11
Colliford Reservoir	5.92	11	7.60	11	40.0	11	16.6	11
Crowdy Reservoir	5.16	10	6.93	10	45.2	10	266.8	10
Delank River	5.06	11	6.68	11	46.0	11	9.6	11
Trekeivesteps, River Powey	5.84	11	6.98	11	27.8	11	17.8	11
Restomel, River Powey	6.24	10	7.30	10	29.2	10	87.3	10
Rialton, River Porth	7.32	11	8.94	11	26.8	11	31.2	11
Butterbrook Reservoir	5.70	8	7.70	8	11.0	8	3.0	8
Burrator Reservoir	5.84	11	7.78	11	19.8	11	5.3	11
Upper Tamar Lake	6.68	11	7.80	11	32.6	11	25.0	11
River Erme	4.80	8	7.13	8	53.0	8	2.0	8
River Yealm	4.69	12	6.62	12	11.8	12	7.9	12
Ford Brook	5.02	10	7.04	10	6.0	10	3.9	10
Devonport Leat	4.88	11	7.22	11	23.8	11	5.9	11
Lopwell, River Tavy	6.60	12	7.64	12	26.4	11	4.4	12
Gunnislake, River Tamar	7.02	11	7.76	11	30.6	11	42.0	11
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	4.50	11	6.86	11	20.7	11	434.4	11
Meldon Reservoir	5.20	7	6.00	7	25.0	7	4.0	7
Wistlandpond Reservoir	7.40	8	7.90	8	10.0	8	5.0	8
Lower Slade Reservoir	7.40	9	8.00	9	10.0	9	10.0	9
Roadford Reservoir	6.64	11	7.68	11	23.8	11	7.6	11
Melbury Reservoir	6.40	8	7.70	8	26.0	8	15.0	8
West Okement River	5.10	6	6.20	6	43.0	6	2.0	6
River Torridge	7.20	9	8.40	9	49.0	8	111.0	9
River Yeo (Bideford)	7.40	9	7.80	9	32.0	8	63.0	9
Loxhore, River Yeo	7.30	8	8.90	8	9.0	7	14.0	8
Bratton Stream	7.20	9	7.70	9	8.0	8	54.0	9
Leehamford, River Bray	7.10	9	7.70	9	9.0	8	21.0	9
Brockemburrow Intake	6.80	8	7.60	8	16.0	7	6.0	8
Newbridge, River Taw	7.20	9	7.90	9	35.0	8	82.0	9
West (Lyn) Ilkerton River	7.00	6	7.60	6	16.0	6	7.0	6
Spreycott Spring	7.00	9	7.90	9	10.0	8	35.0	9
Avon Dam	5.00	7	5.60	7	48.0	7	15.0	7
Fernworthy Reservoir	5.60	9	6.80	9	18.0	9	13.0	9
Kennick Reservoir	6.60	10	7.30	10	35.2	10	8.0	10
Trenchford Reservoir	6.40	12	7.00	12	12.7	12	3.7	12
Venford Reservoir	5.50	22	6.27	22	8.0	22	6.0	22
Thornes Intake, Kenton	6.90	7	7.90	7	16.0	7	5.0	7
Littlehempston, River Dart	7.20	7	7.40	7	27.0	7	6.0	7
Swincombe Intake	5.20	8	6.60	8	34.0	8	2.0	8
Bala Brook	4.70	9	6.82	9	33.0	9	1.0	9
Squabmoor Reservoir	6.60	8	7.10	8	24.0	8	18.0	8
Wimbleball Reservoir	7.00	9	7.55	9	9.0	9	8.0	9
Whitford, River Axe	7.80	9	8.50	9	67.0	9	50.0	9
Budleigh Brook	7.70	9	9.10	9	33.0	9	37.0	9
Pynes Intake, River Exe	7.40	9	7.90	9	38.0	9	93.0	9
Bolham Leat, River Exe	7.30	8	7.78	8	30.0	8	32.0	8
Meldon Stream	6.00	9	6.90	9	14.0	9	4.0	9

TEMPERATURE deg C		CONDUCTIVITY uS/cm		NITRATE mg N/l		FLUORIDES mg F/l		DISS IRON mg Fe/l		TOT MANGANESE mg Mn/l		TOT COPPER mg Cu/l	
90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n
20.5	10	242.4	10	4.25	10	0.09	1	0.101	4	0.323	4	0.0060	4
19.1	9	186.0	9	4.30	9	0.10	1	0.030	3	0.029	3	0.0010	3
18.9	11	162.6	11	3.42	11	0.12	1	0.130	4	0.020	4	0.0070	4
19.4	12	240.0	12	5.75	12	0.12	1	0.109	4	0.044	4	0.0040	4
16.8	10	189.8	11	4.50	11	0.11	1	0.025	4	0.027	4	0.0140	4
14.8	11	339.4	11	7.36	11	0.19	1	0.130	4	0.042	4	0.0310	4
13.9	11	179.0	11	4.10	11	0.11	1	0.210	4	0.038	4	0.0150	4
17.5	11	76.0	11	0.50	11	0.05	1	0.430	3	0.052	3	0.0250	3
17.8	9	89.3	10	0.28	10	0.04	1	0.320	3	0.031	4	0.0050	4
14.4	11	77.0	11	0.40	11	0.09	1	0.160	4	0.025	4	0.0060	4
16.0	11	92.0	11	0.90	11	0.08	1	0.090	4	0.030	4	0.0050	4
16.5	10	133.4	10	2.29	10	0.09	1	0.174	3	0.025	3	0.0090	3
17.7	11	306.6	11	5.86	11	0.11	1	0.256	4	0.113	4	0.0070	4
16.0	8	815.0	8	0.30	8	-	0	0.025	3	0.014	3	0.0025	3
16.0	11	66.8	11	0.38	11	-	0	0.267	4	0.105	4	0.0060	4
18.7	11	170.6	11	2.84	11	0.05	1	0.450	3	0.170	3	0.0750	2
17.0	8	48.7	8	0.40	8	-	0	0.210	3	0.025	3	0.0040	3
14.3	12	55.4	12	0.40	12	0.11	1	0.025	3	0.021	4	0.0020	4
14.2	10	63.6	10	0.39	10	-	0	0.030	3	0.028	4	0.0030	4
15.0	11	56.0	11	0.80	11	0.08	1	0.108	4	0.023	4	0.0030	4
15.6	12	142.1	12	2.10	12	0.08	1	0.150	3	0.040	4	0.0140	4
16.2	11	216.6	11	3.74	11	0.15	1	0.310	3	0.097	3	0.0270	3
14.5	11	66.8	11	0.38	11	0.10	1	0.050	3	0.017	4	0.0010	4
15.0	7	51.0	7	1.30	7	-	0	0.074	2	0.177	2	0.0025	2
18.0	8	157.0	8	2.06	8	-	0	0.100	3	0.025	3	0.0250	3
18.5	9	229.0	9	3.80	9	-	0	0.230	4	0.025	4	0.0250	4
18.8	12	315.0	11	1.30	11	0.08	1	0.260	3	0.160	3	0.0480	3
19.0	8	158.0	8	1.60	8	-	0	0.116	2	0.071	2	0.0250	2
15.5	6	43.0	6	0.20	6	-	0	0.124	2	0.091	2	0.0025	2
20.0	9	203.0	9	4.30	9	-	0	0.290	3	0.115	3	0.0030	3
16.0	9	243.0	9	5.86	9	-	0	0.252	4	0.073	4	0.0030	4
14.0	8	181.0	8	3.30	8	-	0	0.067	3	0.042	3	0.0025	3
15.0	9	154.0	9	2.90	9	-	0	0.034	3	0.065	3	0.0025	3
14.0	9	123.0	9	2.00	9	-	0	0.040	3	0.025	3	0.0250	3
14.0	7	126.0	8	2.30	8	-	0	0.066	1	0.016	2	0.0025	2
18.0	9	203.0	9	4.90	9	-	0	0.160	4	0.153	4	0.0025	4
14.0	6	110.0	6	1.50	6	-	0	0.087	2	0.021	2	0.0025	2
13.5	9	114.0	9	1.80	9	-	0	0.029	3	0.015	3	0.0025	3
18.0	7	46.0	7	2.60	7	-	0	0.300	3	0.033	3	0.0025	3
16.0	9	75.0	9	0.82	8	-	0	0.100	2	0.031	2	0.0025	2
16.5	10	117.9	10	1.92	8	-	0	0.028	1	0.026	2	0.0025	2
16.5	12	105.0	12	1.90	10	-	0	0.100	2	0.029	2	0.0025	2
19.0	21	45.0	22	0.21	21	-	0	0.100	6	0.123	6	0.0250	6
13.0	7	181.0	7	3.10	7	-	0	0.189	3	0.046	3	0.0025	3
16.0	7	184.0	7	1.80	7	-	0	0.073	2	0.018	2	0.0025	2
15.0	8	48.0	8	0.50	8	-	0	0.119	2	0.015	2	0.0390	2
17.0	9	56.0	9	0.20	9	-	0	0.080	3	0.019	3	0.0025	3
23.0	8	191.0	8	1.30	8	-	0	0.100	3	0.025	3	0.0250	3
17.5	9	654.5	9	3.50	9	-	0	0.025	4	0.206	4	0.0025	4
19.0	9	417.0	9	6.40	9	-	0	0.350	4	0.063	4	0.0120	4
20.0	9	359.0	9	8.30	9	-	0	0.210	4	0.046	4	0.0070	4
19.0	9	224.0	9	4.00	9	-	0	0.210	4	0.230	4	0.0050	4
16.5	8	159.0	8	2.30	8	-	0	0.130	3	0.091	3	0.0030	3
12.5	9	113.0	9	5.50	9	-	0	0.130	4	0.019	4	0.0025	4

TABLE B.2 : Percentiles and Number of Sample (n) of the Guide Determinands.

ABSTRACTION INTAKES	TOT ZINC mg Zn/l		BORON mg B/l		TOT ARSENIC ug As/l		TOT CADMIUM ug Cd/l		TOT MERCURY ug Hg/l	
	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n
College Reservoir	0.014	4	0.0220	1	1.6	1	0.1	1	0.03	1
Argal Reservoir	0.010	3	0.0190	1	0.4	1	0.1	1	0.03	1
Stithians Reservoir	0.046	4	0.0130	1	0.6	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Drift Reservoir	0.014	4	0.0180	1	0.7	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Boswyn Reservoir	0.170	4	0.0150	1	1.2	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
River Hayle	0.670	4	0.0230	1	8.0	1	1.0	1	0.01	1
River Cober	0.034	4	0.0160	1	0.8	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Colliford Reservoir	2.900	3	0.0040	1	1.3	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Crowdy Reservoir	0.022	4	0.0180	1	9.5	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Delank River	0.017	4	0.0070	1	0.7	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Trekeivesteps, River Fowey	0.011	4	0.0060	1	0.5	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Restomel, River Fowey	0.023	3	0.0090	1	3.3	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Rialton, River Porth	0.028	4	0.0190	1	1.5	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Butterbrook Reservoir	0.013	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Burrator Reservoir	0.057	4	0.0025	1	0.4	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Upper Tamar Lake	0.024	3	0.0070	1	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
River Erme	0.020	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
River Yealm	0.045	4	0.0025	1	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Ford Brook	0.041	4	0.0025	1	0.3	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Devonport Leat	0.045	4	0.0025	1	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Lopwell, River Tavy	0.053	4	0.0180	1	7.8	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Gunnislake, River Tamar	0.074	3	0.0190	1	3.2	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	0.036	4	0.0025	1	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Maldon Reservoir	0.006	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Wistlandpond Reservoir	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Lower Slade Reservoir	0.055	9	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Roadford Reservoir	0.014	3	0.0060	1	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.01	1
Malbury Reservoir	0.086	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
West Okement River	0.084	5	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
River Torridge	0.017	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
River Yeo (Bideford)	0.008	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Loxhore, River Yeo	0.011	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Bratton Stream	0.006	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Leehamford, River Bray	0.025	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Brockemburrow Intake	0.008	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Newbridge, River Taw	0.008	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
West (Lyn) Ilkerton River	0.007	4	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Spreycott Spring	0.003	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Avon Dam	0.025	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Fernworthy Reservoir	0.040	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Kennick Reservoir	0.006	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Trenchford Reservoir	0.009	9	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Venford Reservoir	0.023	19	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Thornes Intake, Kenton	0.009	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Littlehempston, River Dart	0.021	6	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Swincombe Intake	0.008	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Bala Brook	0.015	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Squabmoor Reservoir	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Wimbleball Reservoir	0.025	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Whitford, River Axe	0.017	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Budleigh Brook	0.016	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Pynes Intake, River Exe	0.019	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Bolham Leat, River Exe	0.016	7	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
held stream	0.011	8	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

SULPHATES mg SO4/l		CHLORIDES mg Cl/l		SURFACTANTS mg/l		PHOSPHATES mg P/l		PHENOLS ug/l		COD mg O/l	
90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n
15.68	10	0.0010	4	0.0925	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	42.2	10
15.00	9	0.0010	3	0.0925	4	0.05	2	1.4	1	40.0	9
13.56	11	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	35.6	11
13.91	12	0.0010	4	0.0771	5	0.10	2	1.4	1	30.1	11
14.84	11	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	19.6	11
41.16	11	0.0010	3	0.1079	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	22.8	11
31.86	11	0.0010	4	0.0925	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	21.2	11
5.78	11	0.0010	3	0.1079	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	35.8	11
5.58	10	0.0010	4	0.0925	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	136.8	10
4.88	11	0.0010	4	0.1079	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	29.2	11
5.62	11	0.0010	4	0.1079	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	10.4	11
8.19	10	0.0010	3	0.1542	4	0.05	2	1.4	1	18.0	10
19.20	11	0.0010	4	0.1850	5	0.10	2	1.4	1	30.2	11
4.90	8	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
4.10	11	0.0010	4	0.0385	3	0.05	2	1.4	1	10.0	10
9.08	11	0.0010	3	0.1542	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	25.6	11
5.40	8	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	1.4	1	20.6	2
4.71	12	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	36.6	12
4.90	10	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	49.6	10
3.88	11	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	10.0	11
9.70	12	0.0010	4	0.0771	6	0.14	2	1.4	1	18.4	12
18.88	11	0.0010	3	0.0925	5	0.10	2	1.4	1	27.6	11
4.58	11	0.0010	4	0.0385	5	0.05	2	1.4	1	10.0	11
7.60	7	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	1.4	1	16.2	1
8.60	8	-	0	0.0771	2	0.05	1	-	0	7.5	1
10.60	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	2	7.5	2
10.86	11	0.0010	3	0.0385	4	0.05	2	1.4	1	52.8	11
10.80	9	-	0	0.0771	2	0.05	1	-	0	33.0	1
7.30	6	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	1.4	1	18.4	1
19.40	9	-	0	0.1388	3	0.31	1	1.4	2	44.0	2
15.00	9	-	0	0.1696	2	0.18	1	1.4	2	22.0	2
9.90	8	-	0	0.0771	2	-	0	1.4	1	7.5	1
9.30	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
7.30	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
6.40	8	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
13.00	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.19	1	1.4	2	24.0	2
4.70	6	-	0	0.0385	2	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
8.00	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	1	7.5	2
27.90	6	-	0	0.0385	2	0.05	2	1.4	1	19.0	2
6.50	9	-	0	0.0385	2	0.05	2	1.4	1	18.0	2
9.95	10	-	0	0.0385	3	0.05	3	1.4	2	20.0	3
9.07	12	-	0	0.0385	3	0.05	3	1.4	2	16.0	3
4.54	21	-	0	0.0385	3	0.05	3	-	0	914.0	3
11.20	7	-	0	0.0771	1	-	0	-	0	-	0
9.70	7	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	-	0	7.5	1
3.70	7	0.0025	1	0.0385	1	0.05	1	-	0	7.5	1
4.30	8	-	0	0.0385	1	0.05	1	1.4	1	15.2	2
18.30	8	-	0	0.0771	2	0.05	1	-	0	7.5	1
11.00	9	0.0025	1	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	2	15.2	2
38.80	9	-	0	0.0925	3	0.37	1	1.4	2	61.5	2
18.50	9	-	0	0.1079	3	0.22	1	1.4	2	27.0	2
26.10	9	0.0025	1	0.0771	3	0.13	1	1.4	2	47.5	2
9.80	8	0.0025	1	0.0385	2	0.13	1	1.4	2	28.4	2
4.20	9	-	0	0.0771	3	0.05	1	1.4	2	7.5	2

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ABSTRACTION INTAKES	DO % SAT		BOD mg O/l		AMMONIA mg N/l		TOT COLI /100ml		FAECAL COLI /100ml	
	10%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n	90%ile	n
College Reservoir	72.5	10	6.39	10	0.087	10	41000	4	3000	4
Argal Reservoir	96.0	9	3.00	9	0.030	9	2100	4	200	4
Stithians Reservoir	94.2	11	2.08	11	0.098	11	800	3	100	3
Drift Reservoir	89.6	12	3.88	12	0.147	12	700	4	60	4
Boswyn Reservoir	96.6	11	2.74	11	0.020	11	3000	4	100	4
River Hayle	86.4	11	1.16	11	0.048	11	230	4	72	4
River Cober	85.2	11	5.76	11	0.058	11	1000	4	450	4
Colliford Reservoir	68.6	11	3.24	11	0.188	11	98	4	46	4
Crowdy Reservoir	80.0	9	2.54	10	0.158	10	16700	4	700	4
Delank River	82.0	11	2.08	11	0.074	11	420	4	150	4
Trekeivesteps, River Povey	91.2	11	2.20	11	0.100	11	1100	4	600	4
Restomel, River Povey	88.7	10	3.15	10	0.177	10	7500	4	1700	4
Rialton, River Porth	82.0	11	3.24	11	0.116	11	39000	4	8000	4
Butterbrook Reservoir	98.0	7	1.60	8	0.020	8	70	3	20	3
Burrator Reservoir	64.0	11	2.22	11	0.138	11	260	4	5	4
Upper Tamar Lake	75.2	11	3.24	11	0.216	11	114	4	58	4
River Erme	92.0	7	1.40	8	0.180	8	130	3	70	3
River Yealm	88.3	12	1.70	12	0.027	12	170	4	60	4
Ford Brook	92.1	10	1.68	10	0.019	10	200	4	28	4
Devonport Leat	93.0	11	1.74	11	0.028	11	270	4	150	4
Lopwell, River Tavy	82.5	12	2.00	12	0.101	12	6500	4	1800	4
Gunnislake, River Tamar	88.2	11	3.08	11	0.128	11	5600	4	2200	4
Broadall Lake, River Yealm	93.0	11	2.10	11	0.020	11	140	4	80	4
Meldon Reservoir	91.0	7	1.50	7	0.070	7	170	2	60	2
Wistlandpond Reservoir	86.0	8	2.90	8	0.090	8	50	2	50	2
Lower Slade Reservoir	93.0	9	2.60	9	0.120	9	310	3	100	3
Roadford Reservoir	85.4	11	1.76	11	0.106	11	44	4	44	4
Melbury Reservoir	85.0	8	3.00	8	0.060	9	100	2	50	2
West Okement River	75.0	6	3.50	6	0.120	6	100	2	100	2
River Torridge	86.0	9	3.90	9	0.140	9	59000	3	14000	3
River Yeo (Bideford)	86.0	9	2.80	9	0.160	9	37000	3	21000	3
Loxhore, River Yeo	95.0	8	2.80	8	0.040	8	3500	2	3700	2
Bratton Stream	92.0	9	2.40	9	0.100	9	2600	2	1860	2
Leehamford, River Bray	92.0	9	2.00	9	0.030	9	4500	2	2800	2
Brockenburrow Intake	92.0	7	1.90	8	0.030	8	1790	1	1510	1
Newbridge, River Taw	88.0	9	3.00	9	0.090	9	7500	3	2800	3
West (Lyn) Ilkerton River	90.0	6	1.90	6	0.010	6	1380	2	890	2
Spreycott Spring	92.0	9	2.50	9	0.040	9	2500	2	3300	2
Avon Dam	88.0	7	1.80	7	0.270	7	300	3	100	3
Fernworthy Reservoir	93.0	9	1.80	9	0.040	8	18	2	8	2
Kennick Reservoir	92.1	10	1.90	10	0.070	8	49	2	5	2
Trenchford Reservoir	92.3	12	1.95	12	0.059	10	90	2	1	2
Venford Reservoir	94.0	22	2.07	22	0.040	21	100	6	-	6
Thornes Intake, Kenton	85.0	7	2.60	7	0.070	7	200	2	300	2
Littlehempston, River Dart	78.0	7	1.40	7	0.340	7	9500	2	2600	2
Swincombe Intake	87.0	8	3.10	8	0.030	8	400	2	56	2
Bala Brook	93.0	8	1.10	9	0.030	9	1000	3	300	3
Squabmoor Reservoir	86.0	8	2.00	8	0.130	8	1500	2	50	2
Wimbleball Reservoir	91.0	8	2.20	9	0.090	9	130	3	100	3
Whitford, River Axe	85.0	9	3.80	8	0.190	9	42000	3	85000	3
Budleigh Brook	81.0	9	4.50	9	0.145	9	13400	3	2600	3
Pynes Intake, River Exe	82.0	8	3.90	9	0.130	9	34000	3	13000	3
Bolham Leat, River Exe	86.0	7	2.40	8	0.120	8	4700	3	2600	3
Wheldon Stream	83.0	9	2.30	9	0.150	9	130	3	69	3

F. STREPS SALMONELLA
/100ml /5000ml

90%ile	n	pres/abs	n
202	4	-	0
14	4	-	0
0	3	-	0
220	4	-	0
56	4	-	0
108	4	-	0
50	4	-	0
40	4	-	0
120	4	-	0
148	4	-	0
122	4	-	0
470	4	-	0
540	4	-	0
5	1	abs	1
1	4	-	0
890	4	-	0
5	1	abs	1
10	4	-	0
12	4	-	0
48	4	-	0
1290	4	-	0
900	4	-	0
12	4	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
100	1	-	0
64	4	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
910	1	-	0
10000	1	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
70	1	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
5	1	abs	1
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
-	0	-	0
5	1	abs	1
-	0	-	0
30	1	abs	1
7500	1	pres	1
3300	1	pres	1
8000	1	pres	1
3100	1	pres	1
50	1	abs	1