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## PREFACE

USEPA ranked Illinois as the $13^{\text {th }}$ largest state in the total pounds of Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) releases in the nation for reporting year 2000 (reporting ranged from under 8000 pounds to over 1 billion pounds annually) under the USEPA's 2000 Toxics Release Inventory Report.

In Illinois EPA's Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report, for reporting year 2001, the amount of reported releases and transfers of 140.2 million pounds is from the 1,490 reporting facilities ( 4,576 individual chemical reports). The total figure for 2001 represents 21.9 million pounds ( $13.5 \%$ ) less than that reported for 2000. Releases and transfers of 255 different toxic chemicals and chemical categories were reported.

The reports submitted by facilities in the persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) category consisted of 20 chemicals and totaled 3.0 million pounds ( $2.2 \%$ of total reported chemicals). Fugitive and stack air emissions of 54.6 million pounds were down by 13.8 million pounds ( $20.2 \%$ ) as compared to 2000 . Water releases of 7.9 million pounds and on-site land releases of 22.7 million pounds, however have increased by $16.4 \%$ and $18.2 \%$, respectively. Off-site transfers to POTWs of 10.5 million pounds have decreased by $10.7 \%$ and other off-site transfers of 44.2 million pounds have increased by $3.3 \%$.

A new section on Waste Management Activities is presented in this report. Over 1746 million pounds of chemicals have been managed through energy recovery, recycling, and treatment.

In this fifteenth report, trend analyses continue to be reported for all media using the last five reporting years. In the past years, as in 2001, there has been a general downward trend of total environmental releases and transfers in Illinois even with the additional reporting requirements. We continue to provide the second year of the special trend analysis from 1992 to 2001 (TRI-10). While the data shows that approximately 57.3 million more pounds of releases and transfers have been reported for certain counties in Illinois over this ten-year period, there has been a 56.7 million pound decrease for others.


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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Data collection and analysis of the 2001 data was performed in a different manner than in previous years. USEPA provided improved software and an opportunity for facilities to transmit reporting information electronically, which ultimately made the uploading of data into a combined database more expedient and efficient. Analysis of the 2001 data was done using the combined electronic data. Trends analyses were performed using the historical data collected by USEPA and provided on the internet. Additionally, the Illinois's EPA's 2001 data was compared to USEPA's 2001 data.

For the 2001 TRI report, 1,490 unique facilities have provided toxic chemical release information to the Illinois EPA. Since the reporting program mandated by federal law began in 1987, not including 1987, an average of around 1,424 facilities have reported each year, with the actual number ranging between 1,328 and 1,509 . In 1989 and 2001, with the changes in reporting requirements, a reflected increase in reporting facilities occurred.

For calendar year 2001, Form R reports comprised $82 \%$ of the total reports and Form A, 18\%. Over 4,576 individual toxic chemical release reports were submitted by the facilities, showing a total of 140.2 million pounds of releases and transfers. Over 255 different toxic chemicals or chemical compounds were reported. Zinc compounds had the highest reported release and transfer, at 28.2 million pounds, and was the most reported chemical. Nitrate compounds was second highest at 14.2 million pounds.

Facilities with persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) chemicals and chemical categories were required to report for the first time in 2000. A total of 3.0 million pounds of PBTs were reported for 2001. This included twenty chemicals (eighteen above zero) and made up $2.2 \%$ of the total reported chemicals. The largest amount of PBT chemicals was lead compounds, classified as a PBT chemical in 2001, at 2.5 million pounds, most of which goes to RCRA landfills.

Facilities in Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code 4953 (Refuse systems (RCRA Subtitle C) exceeded all other industrial categories with reported releases and transfers of 23.7 million pounds, of which 3.4 million pounds goes to off-site transfer. Electric services (4911) were second at 18.5 million pounds.

Peoria County had the highest amount of total reported releases and transfers at 31.8 million pounds ( $22.8 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers). Twenty-one facilities reported in Peoria County. Cook County was second at 27.5 million pounds ( $19.6 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers), with 582 reporting facilities

Decatur in Macon County had the largest amount of total releases of combined fugitive and stack emissions at 5.6 million pounds ( $10.3 \%$ of the total reported releases). The total combined air emissions were at 54.6 million pounds ( $38.9 \%$ of the total reported releases).

Releases to the water totaled 7.9 million pounds ( $5.7 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers). Only 75 out of 650 possible toxic chemicals are reported in Illinois. Nitrate compounds made up 7.6 million pounds of the total released to the water.

Releases to RCRA Subtitle C landfills for 22 chemicals from 7 facilities totaled 22.3 million pounds ( $15.9 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers). Zinc compounds made up 15.7 million pounds.

Other on-site land releases totaled 22.7 million pounds ( $16.2 \%$ of the total releases and transfers). Only 31 chemicals are reported and zinc compounds made up 15.7 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 2.7 million pounds.

Offsite transfers to POTWs show 99 chemicals. A total of 10.5 million pounds ( $7.5 \%$ of total reported releases and transfers) are sent to POTWs. Nitrate compounds made up the most at 5.8 million pounds, followed by ammonia and sulfuric acid at 1.0 million pounds each.

Other types of off-site transfers included 184 chemicals and total 44.2 million pounds ( $31.6 \%$ of total reported releases and transfers). Zinc compounds was the largest amount at 12.0 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 4.6 million pounds.

Waste management activities were reported for over 200 chemicals. Over 1746 million pounds of chemicals were managed through energy recovery, recycling and treatment. N-Hexane was the most managed at 689 million pounds and 1.2-dichloroethane second at 378 million pounds. Waste management activities for PBT chemicals totaled 11.2 million pounds.

Two different types of trend analyses were performed in this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report. The first trend analysis includes comparison of the last five years to the base year of 1988. In the past years, there has been a general downward trend (except as stated below) of combined environmental releases and transfers in Illinois, even with the additional reporting requirements. This downward trend continues with a $13.5 \%$ decrease for the year 2001.

Peoria County had the largest five-year summary of the total reported releases and transfers at 133.1 million pounds, followed by Cook County at 117.2 million pounds.

Cook County had the largest five-year summary of the total number of reporting facilities at 2687, followed by Dupage County at 431. An increase in the number of facilities was evident due to the change in reporting requirements in 1998 and 2001.

Hydrochloric Acid was the largest five-year summary of total air releases (fugitive and stack) at 89.8 million pounds, followed by n-hexane at 44.0 million pounds.

Decatur, in Macon County, experienced the highest five-year summary of total air releases at 37.2 million pounds, followed by Danville, in Vermillion County, at 25.6 million pounds.

Nitrate compounds in water had the largest five-year summary and totaled in the 28.7 million
pounds, followed by ammonia at 235 thousand pounds. Water releases increased during this study period.

On-site land releases for manganese compounds totaled 32.4 million pounds as the highest five-year summary, followed by zinc compounds at 15.8 million pounds. On-site land releases increased during this study period.

Total transfers to POTW included nitrate compounds, once again, as the largest amount transferred for a five-year summary at 26.7 million pounds, followed by ammonia at 7.4 million pounds.

Other off-site transfers had zinc compounds as the largest amount transferred for a five-year summary at 80.0 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 21.9 million pounds.

The second trend analysis is a special trend analysis of a current ten-year cycle that was reported for the first time last year, using the 1991-2000 time frame (TRI-10). We continue to provide this analysis, but have adjusted to the current time frame of 1992 to 2001 . While the data shows that approximately a total of 57.3 million more pounds of releases have been reported for 41 counties in Illinois over this ten-year period, there has been a total 56.7 million pounds decrease for 48 other counties. Peoria County experienced the largest increase at 28.4 million pounds and Douglas County had the largest decrease at 23.3 million pounds.

## CHANGE IN DATA COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS

In previous years (1988-2000), Illinois EPA maintained the facilities reported TRI data in a computer mainframe system. Although facilities were required to report modifications to their previous year's report, the data in the mainframe was "frozen" for data analysis. In addition, in order to perform meaningful trend analyses of total toxic chemical releases, including offsite transfers, the Illinois EPA utilized information reported by facilities for toxic chemicals which have been reportable in the same form for each of the years 1988-2000. This approach was called "normalizing". Offsite transfers for recycle or energy recovery, reportable for 1991 and later years were not considered. Previous yearly and trend analysis were performed on this frozen and normalized data.

Data collection for the 2001 data was done in a different manner for this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report. In 2001, USEPA made software available to facilities to transmit reporting information electronically via computer discs. Although a similar software package was provided in earlier years, this current version performed better, was user friendly, and more readily available. Although reporting could still occur by paper, over 80 percent of the facilities chose the electronic route. For the next year, USEPA is looking into expanding this to include reporting via the internet.

Due to the resources needed for manual data entry, the Illinois EPA chose to electronically upload the 2001 data, which was ultimately more expedient and efficient. The forms submitted on paper
were manually entered. There were time constraints and technical difficulties in combining this data into the mainframe historical database. Data analysis of the 2001 data was performed using the one-year database. Historical data for trends analysis were downloaded from USEPA's database. The data sets were not "frozen" and reflected current information (as of January 9, 2003) submitted by facilities. Any discrepancies to previous reporting years were corrected in this report. However, the "normalization" approach mentioned above could not be performed. In addition, there are some minor differences in the way the data is analyzed this for this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report.

## CURRENT AND PAST YEAR (S) HIGHLIGHTS

Table 1 shows the total release and transfer for each media from the 1999 and 2000 report and Table 2 show the differences between year 2000 and the current year's 2001 report. The historical data have been updated to reflect current information. The tables show the total pounds and the percent changes for each media.

Figures 1 and 2 show the total releases and transfers for each media using the data above.

Table 1

| MEDIA | $\mathbf{1 9 9 9}$ <br> (pounds) | 2000 <br> (pounds) | DIFFERENCE <br> (\%) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Air Releases | 85786128 | 68484330 | $-20.2 \%$ |
| Water Releases | 6709810 | 6854570 | $2.2 \%$ |
| Onsite Land Releases | 17665124 | 19238673 | $8.9 \%$ |
| Offsite Transfers to POTW | 13629029 | 11775842 | $-13.6 \%$ |
| Other Offsite Transfers | 39439595 | 42812938 | $8.6 \%$ |
| Total Releases and Transfers | 176390492 | 162089248 | $-8.1 \%$ |

Figure 1


Table 2

| MEDIA | $\begin{gathered} 2000 \\ \text { (pounds) } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2001 \\ \text { (pounds) } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { DIFFERENCE } \\ (\%) \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Air Releases | 68484330 | 54652141 | -20.2\% |
| Water Releases | 6854570 | 7979354 | 16.4\% |
| Onsite Land Releases | 19238673 | 22740576 | 18.2\% |
| Offsite Transfers to POTW | 11775842 | 10521503 | -10.7\% |
| Other Offsite Transfers | 42812938 | 44244451 | 3.3\% |
| Total Releases and Transfers | 162089248 | 140153038 | -13.5\% |

Figure 2


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## INTRODUCTION

## EMERGENCY PLANNING AND COMMUNITY RIGHT-TO-KNOW ACT

Congress adopted Title III as part of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). Title III is known as the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA). EPCRA established programs to provide the public with important information on the hazardous chemicals in their communities, as well as providing emergency planning and notification requirements which help protect the public in the event of a release of hazardous chemicals.

## SECTION 313 (Annual Toxic Chemical Release Reporting)

Section 313 of EPCRA requires annual reports to be filed by certain companies which release any of over 650 listed chemicals and compounds to the environment. This reporting covers routine releases and transfers that occur as a result of normal business operations within a calendar year, and non-routine or accidental releases.

In 1987, the Illinois General Assembly amended the Illinois Environmental Protection Act to provide a coordinated state implementation of Section 313. This amendment also established an orderly procedure for the public to access this information. Under the Act, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) is charged with the administration of Section 313, which requires industry to report annually to the USEPA and Illinois EPA via the toxic chemical release form (Form R and Form A).

Section 313includes all routine and non-routine releases of toxic chemicals to the air, water and land, as well as transfers of wastes to off-site treatment, storage and disposal facilities. The information reported is not necessarily derived from actual monitoring or measurements, but may be estimated from published emission factors, material balance calculations, or engineering calculations.

## SUMMARY OF FORM R

A complete copy of Form R is enclosed as Appendix A. In general, the information to be provided by the reporting facility can be summarized as follows:

- The name, location and type of business
- Whether the chemical is manufactured, processed, or otherwise used and the general categories of use of the chemical
- An estimate of the maximum amounts of the toxic chemical present at the facility at any time during the preceding year
- Waste treatment/disposal methods and efficiency of methods for each waste stream
- Quantity of the chemical entering each environmental medium (air, water, land) annually
- Source reduction and recycling activities for the toxic chemical
- A certification by a senior official that the report is complete and accurate


## SUMMARY OF FORM A

Form A Certification Statement, called Form A, was established in 1994. This form is based on an alternate threshold for facilities with small amounts of a chemical. The Form A serves to certify that a facility is not subject to Form R reporting for a specific toxic chemical. Like the Form R, the Form A consists of two parts, but only includes two pages.

- Facility identification information
- Chemical information

Since 1998, the Form A may be used to report multiple chemicals.

## REPORTING RANGES

In some areas of Form R, reporting ranges are allowed using a designated code as follows:
$\mathrm{A}=1-10$ pounds
$\mathrm{B}=11-499$ pounds
$\mathrm{C}=500-999$ pounds
When a reporting range is provided, the numerical value of the upper end of the range is used in this report. In contrast, USEPA uses the mid-range to analyze the data.

## EXPLANATION OF TERMS

In order to better understand the form and references made to the information reported, selected terms have been defined as follows:
"Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number (CAS \#)" - A numeric designation assigned by the American Chemical Society's Chemical Abstracts Service which uniquely identifies a chemical or chemical compound.
"Persistent Bioaccumlative Toxic (PBT) Chemical" - PBT pollutants are chemicals that are toxic, persist in the environment and bioaccumulate in food chains and, thus, pose risks to human health and ecosystems. The biggest concerns about PBTs are that they transfer rather easily among air, water, and land, and span boundaries of programs, geography, and generations.
"Persistence" - A chemical's persistence refers to the length of time the chemical can exist in the environment before being destroyed by natural processes. A common measure of persistence in an environmental medium is the chemical's half-life, or the amount of time necessary for half of the chemical resent to be eliminated from the medium.
"Bioaccumulation" - Bioaccumulation is a general term that is used to describe the process by which organisms may accumulate chemical substances in their bodies. Bioaccumulation can occur in plants, animals and humans.
"Toxicity" - EPCRA 313 provides toxicity criteria to be used to determine whether chemicals should be added or deleted from the list of toxic chemicals.

## Release

"Air Emissions" - Releases to air are reported either as point source or fugitive emissions. Point source emissions also referred to as stack emissions, occur through confined air streams, such as stacks, vents, ducts, or pipes. Fugitive emissions are all releases to air that are not released through a confined air stream. Fugitive emissions include equipment leaks, evaporative losses from surface impoundments and spills, and releases from building ventilation systems.
"Surface Water Discharge" - Releases to water include discharges to streams, rivers, lakes, oceans, and other bodies of water. This includes releases from contained sources, such as industrial process outflow pipes or open trenches. Releases due to runoff, including storm water runoff, are also reportable to TRI.
"Underground Injection" - Underground injection is the subsurface emplacement of fluids through wells. TRI chemicals associated with manufacturing, the petroleum industry, mining, commercial and service industries, and federal and municipal government-related activities may be injected into Class I, II, III, IV, or V wells, if they do not endanger underground sources of drinking water, public health, or the environment.
"RCRA Subtitle C Landfill"- The amount of toxic chemicals released to RCRA Subtitle C landfills.
"Other On-site Land Releases" - On-site releases to land occur within the boundaries of the reporting facility. Releases to land include disposal of toxic chemical in landfills (in which wastes are buried), land treatment/application farming (in which a waste containing a listed chemical is applied to or incorporated into soil), surface impoundments (which are uncovered holding areas used to volatilize and/or settle waste materials), and other land disposal methods (such as waste piles) or releases to land (such as spills or leak). Beginning with the 1996 reporting year, facilities separately report amounts released to RCRA subtitle C landfills from amounts released to other on-site landfills.
"SIC Code" - Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code - A two, three or four digit number code designed by the federal Office of Management and Budget in its "SIC Manual", which identifies an industry or industrial grouping. For example, the two-digit code " 28 " refers to the major group, "Chemicals and Allied Products," the three-digit code " 281 " refers to the industry group, "Industrial Inorganic Chemicals," and the four-digit code "2812" refers to the specific industry, "Alkalies and Chlorine." The four-digit code identifies a specific facility rather than company. TRI facilities may report up to six four-digit SIC codes that describe their operations.

## Transfers

"Off-site Transfers to Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTW)" - A POTW is a wastewater treatment facility that is owned by a state or municipality. Wastewaters are transferred through pipes or sewers to a POTW.
"Transfer to Off-Site Locations" - Transfer of toxic chemicals to a facility that is geographically or physically separate from the facility reporting under TRI. Chemicals reported as transferred are sent for the purposes of recycling, energy recovery, treatment, or disposal.

## Waste Management Activities

"Released On and Off-site" - This is the total quantity of the toxic chemical that was released to the environment or disposed of at the facility (directly discharged to air, land, and water, and injected underground) or sent off-site for disposal.
"Released to the Environment due to one-time event(s)" (remedial or accidental release) This amount is referred to as non-production related wastes and is the quantity released to the environment or sent off-site for recycling, energy recovery, treatment or disposal due to onetime events not associated with routine production practices. Such events include catastrophic events, such as accidental releases, as well as remedial actions.
"Recycled On-site" - This is the quantity of the toxic chemical recovered at the facility and made available for further use.
"Recycled Off-site" - This is the quantity of the toxic chemical that left the facility boundary for recycling, not the amount recovered at the off-site location.
"Energy Recovery On-site" - This is the quantity of toxic chemical that was combusted in some form of energy recovery device, such as a furnace, kiln, or boiler. There should be a heating value high enough to sustain combustion.
"Energy Recovery Off-site" - This is the quantity of toxic chemical that left the facility boundary for energy recovery, not the amount combusted at the off-site location.
"Treated On-site" - This is the quantity of toxic chemical destroyed in on-site waste treatment operations, not the amount that entered a treatment operation.
"Treated Off-site" - This is the quantity that left the facility boundary and was sent to POTWs or other off-site locations for treatment, not the amount that was destroyed at the offsite location(s).
"Wastestream" - An ongoing generation of waste which results from an industrial process or originates in an industrial area and which can be consistently described by the same physical and chemical characteristics.

## FACILITIES AND CHEMICALS COVERED

Facilities subject to reporting under Section 313 are those that conduct manufacturing operations within the SIC codes identified below and have 10 or more full-time employees.

| YEAR | SIC CODE | CATEGORY |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1987 | $20-39$ | Original industries |
| 1994 |  | Federal facilities |
| 1997 <br> (new <br> industries) | 10 (except 1011, 1081, 1094) | Metal mining |
|  | 12 (except 1241) | $4911,4931,4939$ |
|  |  |  |
|  | 4953 | Electrical utilities that combust coal and/or oil for <br> the purpose of generating power |
|  | 5169 | RCRA subtitle C hazardous waste treatment and <br> disposal facilities |
|  | 5171 | Chemical wholesale distributors |
|  | 7389 | Petroleum terminals and bulk storage facilities |

In addition, for all but certain persistent bioaccumulative toxic (PBT) chemicals, the facility manufactures or processes more than 25,000 pounds or otherwise uses more than 10,000 pounds of any listed chemical during the calendar year. There are now more than 650 toxic chemicals and toxic chemical categories on the list of chemicals that must be reported under TRI.

For the 2000 reporting year, the reporting criteria were changed for certain PBT chemicals. TRI was expanded to include new PBT chemicals and reporting thresholds were lowered for both the newly added PBT chemicals and certain PBT chemicals already on the list. Therefore, USEPA established thresholds lower than the 25,000 and 10,000 pounds. Also, in 2000, EPA added vanadium compounds to the TRI list and changed the reporting qualifier for vanadium.

For 2001, EPA classified lead and lead compounds as PBT chemicals and lowered their reporting thresholds. The lower reporting threshold applies to all lead except when lead is contained in a stainless steel, brass or bronze alloy. In addition, de minimus levels, activity thresholds, and alternate thresholds for select compounds have been changed.

The facilities that meet the above conditions are required to submit a Form R (or Form A) to both the Illinois EPA and the USEPA by July 1 of the following year. A completed Form R (or Form A) must be submitted for each chemical manufactured, processed, or otherwise used at each covered facility.

## COMPLIANCE

In order to manage and process all of the data being supplied by industry under Section 313, the Illinois EPA developed a system of quality control. Obvious errors in the submissions were considered to be either "entry" or "technical" errors.
"Entry" errors, such as pages missing from the Form R or a submittal on a wrong form, prohibited
the data from being entered into the Agency's computer database. The Illinois EPA contacts the facility with a letter or by phone asking the owner or operator to correct the noted deficiency.
"Technical" errors are handled much the same way; however, the Agency is able to initially enter the data in the computer for later edits once the facility provides the correct information. It has been noted that numerous "technical" errors are made by facilities in the areas of CAS numbers and chemical name spellings.

## LIMITATIONS ON USE OF INFORMATION

TRI reports reflect releases, transfers and waste management activities of chemicals, not exposures of the public to those chemicals. Release estimates alone are not sufficient to determine exposure or to calculate potential adverse effects on human health and the environment. Although additional information is necessary to assess exposure and risk, TRI data can be used to identify areas of potential concern. TRI, in conjunction with other information, can be used as a starting point in evaluating exposures that may result from releases and other waste management activities of toxic chemicals. The determination of potential risk depends upon many factors, including the toxicity of the chemical, the fate of the chemical after it is released, the locality of the release, and the human or other populations that are exposed to the chemical after its release.

Even with the expanded industry coverage, TRI does not address all sources of release and other waste management activities. Although TRI is successful in capturing information on a significant portion of toxic chemicals currently being used by covered industry sectors, it does not cover all chemicals or all sectors. In addition, facilities that do not meet the TRI threshold levels are not required to report. TRI data does not include toxic emissions from mobile sources, nor releases of pesticides, volatile organic compounds, and fertilizers or from many other non-industrial sources. Furthermore, facilities report estimated data and the program does not mandate that they monitor their releases. Various estimation techniques are used when monitoring data are not available. Variations between facilities can result from the use of different estimation methods.

The TRI data summarized in this report reflect chemical releases and waste management activities that occur in a given calendar year. Patterns of release and waste management activities can change dramatically from one year to the next. Thus, it is important to recognize that current facility activities may be different from those reported for 2000 or prior years.

## CHEMICAL HAZARD ASSESSMENT

Having the data now available under EPCRA is only the first step in assessing the potential chemical hazards in Illinois. In order to comprehend this information and begin to realize how it may impact communities, other factors must be considered. The chemical properties and associated toxicology of the chemicals of concern should be considered.

## TOXICOLOGY

In order to assess the significance of a chemical release of any kind, it is necessary to discuss some fundamentals of toxicology. Above all, it is necessary to appreciate the most basic concept of toxicology, "the dose makes the poison."

This fact indicates that all substances are poisons, even common items like table salt and sugar, if the dose is high enough. On the other hand, some substances are poisonous at relatively low doses. Many of the chemicals addressed by EPCRA Section 313 fall into this category.

Even with relatively poisonous substances no harm can occur unless there has been exposure to the substance (the dose). If there is no exposure, no matter how potent the poison, there can be no toxic response. For most types of chemical exposures, the body has defense mechanisms to protect against or repair the damage done by the chemical. As long as the protection and repair mechanisms are able to keep up with the effects of the chemical, no adverse effect is seen.

Once this threshold is exceeded, however, the magnitude of the response will be in direct proportion to the magnitude of the exposure. Eventually, if the exposure is long enough or severe enough, the chemical causes failure of some organ or organ system, resulting in incapacitation and ultimately death of the organism. This points out two concepts in toxicology, the concept of a threshold of toxicity and the concept of a target organ of a chemical.

For certain types of toxic actions, it is generally accepted that, in theory, any amount of toxic, even the smallest, has an effect. Certain types of cancer and reproductive effects fall into this "no threshold" category. Specifically, it is thought that this theory pertains to damage of genetic material by chemicals, by biological agents such as certain viruses, or by physical agents such as ionizing radiation.

Repair mechanisms are known to exist for genetic material, and damage often occurs in areas of the genetic material having no expressed function. Nevertheless, the theory holds that even one unrepaired injury to a key area of the genetic material can result in a mutated cell. If this cell continues to divide, it will produce a colony of genetically different cells. The consequences of this type of damage can be expressed as a birth defect, a mutation, a tumor, or the damage can cause a "silent mutation" in which there is no obvious effect (if the damage occurs in an area of the genetic material having no expressed function).

Since it is impossible to detect a single injury or even small numbers of injuries to the genetic material at this time, scientific studies to determine whether a chemical can cause genetic damage are designed to expose laboratory test organisms to high doses of the chemical in order to maximize the chances of seeing a response. For cancer tests, the results of positive tests at the high doses (doses which are almost always much larger than expected levels of human exposures) are then extrapolated downward to doses which are relevant to expected human exposures.

These extrapolations are usually expressed as the extra risk of contracting cancer above the "background" cancer incidence due to exposure to low levels of the chemical, such as one extra chance in 100,000 or one in a million. An extra risk of one chance in a hundred thousand or one in one million is generally considered insignificant, since there exists for everyone a similarly
small, unavoidable risk of death due to natural disasters such as floods, tornadoes, lightning, etc.
These concepts of:

- "the dose makes the poison";
- the requirement for a route of exposure;
- there may be specific target organs for a chemical;
- thresholds exist for some responses; and
- there are insignificant risk levels for those chemicals for which no threshold is thought to exist;
are concepts which may be used as part of the regulatory control strategy for releases of toxic chemicals to the environment.

As a result of spills, derailments, past disposal practices, industrial accidents, illegal dumping, etc., environmental, public safety and health agencies must on occasion respond to unplanned chemical releases to the environment. In fact, accidental conditions that result in major releases of toxic chemicals to the environment were the driving force behind passage of EPCRA's Community Right-to-Know requirements.

In cases of chemical emergencies it is critical to know the chemical, physical and toxicological properties of the chemical(s) released so that appropriate counter-measures can be undertaken as soon as possible. Knowledge of all important routes of exposure, any critical target organs, any especially sensitive populations, threshold and acutely toxic levels, and antidotes are all important in planning what to do should an emergency arise.

Even in cases that are not of an emergency nature, such as some spill cleanups, illegal dumping or past disposal practices, it is important to know the toxicological properties of the chemicals involved. Relevant routes of exposure, sensitive organs or populations, threshold levels or levels of insignificant exposure, and the potential fate of the chemicals in all environmental media are important subjects that must be addressed in assessing the amount of cleanup which may be necessary in the incident. In some cases, where similar-acting chemicals are involved, special care must be taken to account for additive effects on sensitive organs.

Information on the toxicological aspects of many chemicals of concern and on toxicology in general can be obtained from the references listed in Appendix B.

Many references are available which explain the properties and usage of various chemicals. An abbreviated listing of these references is presented in Appendix D

# ANALYSIS OF FORM R AND FORM A DATA FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2001 

## BASIS

The time period covered for the 2001TRI data release is reporting year 2001. A reporting year is the same as a calendar year. The 2001 data were required to be submitted to USEPA and the Illinois EPA by July 1, 2001. For the current calendar year analysis, all valid reports for chemicals reportable in 2001 are included in the release and transfer totals. This includes the new industries that were later required to report (new industrial categories beginning with the 1998 report), PBTs (reportable for the first time in 2000), and chemicals, which may be reportable in a different form than when they were first listed. For this reason, and due to other discrepancies in the way the data is queried, release totals in this section may differ from previous years and those given for 2001 in the "Trend Analysis, 1988-2001" section

## RELEASES AND TRANSFERS

## FACILITY SUMMARY

For calendar year 2001, 1,490 facilities provided information under the TRI program to Illinois EPA. Of this number, 1,287 facilities submitted toxic chemical release reports (a total of 4,576 reports) totaling 140.2 million pounds of total releases and transfers. The remaining 203 reported in error, were below reporting thresholds, provided duplicative Form R and Form A reports, or were missing required information.

Table 3 lists the facilities reporting the top 20 total release and transfer amounts. The off-site transfer amounts do not include transfers for recycle, or energy recovery. The top 20 facilities reported releases and transfers of 71.0 million pounds ( $50.7 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers).

Map 1 shows geographically the location of the top 20 facilities in Illinois.
By comparison, in 2000, nationwide, there were 23,484 facilities submitting 91,513 reports totaling 7.10 billion pounds of total releases and transfers. Also in 2000, Illinois was ranked as the $13^{\text {th }}$ largest state for TRI releases.

|  | FACILITY NAME | CITY | FACILITY RELEASES (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  |  | OFFSITE <br> TRANSFERS <br> (\#) |  | TOTAL <br> RELEASES \& TRANSFERS | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { STACK } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | WATER | UIC | RCRA | OTHER ONSITE LAND | POTW | OFFSITE |  |  |
| 1 | \#1 | PEORIA | 2 | 3105 | 1 | 0 | 19602662 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 19605782 | 10 |
| 2 | KEYSTONE STEEL \& WIRE COMPANY | PEORIA | 21357 | 42914 | 1284 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7691002 | 7756557 | 6 |
| 3 | AMEREN ENERGY GENERATING COFFEEN | COFFEEN | 11 | 4295910 | 1097 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 410878 | 4707896 | 17 |
| 4 | TEEPAK LLC. | DANVILLE | 120600 | 3399000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45400 | 0 | 3565000 | 2 |
| 5 | ACME STEEL COMPANY - RIVERDALE PLANT | RIVERDALE | 27515 | 5385 | 2027 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8107 | 3375284 | 3418318 | 6 |
| 6 | IBP INC. | JOSLIN | 30529 | 18830 | 3201497 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32973 | 3283829 | 7 |
| 7 | NORTHWESTERN STEEL AND WIRE COMPANY | STERLING | 23290 | 4575 | 9140 | 0 | 2753000 | 0 | 0 | 61230 | 2851235 | 6 |
| 8 | AES- EDWARDS C/O CILCO | BARTONVILLE | 0 | 2718213 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2718213 | 12 |
| 9 | AFFILIATED METALS COMPANY | GRANITE CITY | 680 | 192 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 978527 | 1723995 | 2703394 | 1 |
| 10 | VERMILION POWER STATION | OAKWOOD | 499 | 2416873 | 8408 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2425780 | 10 |
| 11 | CARUS CHEMICAL COMPANY | LASALLE | 519 | 5734 | 2299 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 110 | 2156740 | 2165401 | 5 |
| 12 | CORN PRODUCTS ARGO PLANT | BEDFORD PARK | 653009 | 800306 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 530999 | 15592 | 1999906 | 8 |
| 13 | LTV STEEL COMPANY | CHICAGO | 16984 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63604 | 1844400 | 1924988 | 20 |
| 14 | POWERTON GENERATING STATION | PEKIN | 31 | 562842 | 1160 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1345452 | 1909485 | 14 |
| 15 | ENVIRITE OF ILLINOIS, INC. | HARVEY | 98 | 98 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20301 | 1819773 | 1840270 | 8 |
| 16 | WILLIAMS ETHANOL SERVICES, INC. | PEKIN | 953 | 83695 | 1694676 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 33043 | 1812367 | 16 |
| 17 | ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND EAST PLANT | DECATUR | 90459 | 1718721 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46 | 0 | 1809226 | 1 |
| 18 | BEHR SPECIALTY METALS INC | ROCKFORD | 0 | 65 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1519468 | 1519533 | 2 |
| 19 | 3M COMPANY - CORDOVA | CORDOVA | 36390 | 267257 | 1934 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1195466 | 1501047 | 35 |
| 20 | OLIN CORPORATION - ZONE 17 FACILITY | EAST ALTON | 20034 | 45973 | 1834 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1431747 | 1499588 | 8 |
| TOP 20 FACILITIES TOTAL |  |  | 1042960 | 16389686 | 4925356 | 0 | 22355662 | 0 | 1647102 | 24657048 | 71017814 | 194 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL FACILITIES |  |  | 11.8\% | 35.9\% | 61.7\% | 0.0\% | 100.0\% | 0.0\% | 15.7\% | 55.7\% | 50.7\% | 4.2\% |
| ALL REPORTED FACILITIES TOTAL |  |  | 8807166 | 45665359 | 7982181 | 11679 | 22365694 | 374882 | 10521503 | 44244452 | 140153038 | 4576 |

# Total Releases and Transfers Top 20 Facilities by Zip Code 



Top 20 Facilities


Map Not To Scale

## TOXIC CHEMICAL SUMMARY

Releases and transfers of 255 different toxic chemicals and chemical categories during 2001 were reported by facilities. Table 4 lists release and transfer information for the 20 chemicals with the highest reported total amounts. The top 20 chemicals were reported at 118.3 million pounds ( $84.4 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers).

Zinc compounds were the largest amount reported with 28.2 million pounds and nitrate compounds second with 14.2 million pounds. Zinc compounds were the chemicals most reported by 221 facilities, followed by lead from 212 facilities.

By comparison, nationwide in 2000, there are over 650 different TRI chemicals required to be reported, zinc compounds ranged from 255 to 762 million pounds, and nitrate compounds 12 to 285 million pounds.

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | CHEMICAL RELEASES |  |  |  |  |  | OFFSITETRANSFERS (\#) |  | TOTAL <br> RELEASES <br>  <br> TRANSFERS | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { STACK } \\ \text { AIR } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | WATER | UIC | RCRA | ONSITE <br> LAND | POTW | OFFSITE |  |  |
| 1 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 136779 | 222927 | 14816 | 327 | 15767011 | 52 | 58372 | 12032711 | 28232995 | 221 |
| 2 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS | 3469 | 927 | 7667387 | 0 | 0 | 300104 | 5887467 | 368966 | 14228320 | 101 |
| 3 | 7647010 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { HYDROCHLORIC ACID (1995 } \\ & \text { AND AFTER "ACID } \end{aligned}$ | 26256 | 13641926 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1009 | 4142 | 13673333 | 66 |
| 4 | 110543 | N-HEXANE | 2147314 | 5513273 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5927 | 29038 | 7695630 | 59 |
| 5 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 43704 | 51475 | 25590 | 0 | 2786358 | 0 | 26398 | 4591215 | 7524740 | 3 |
| 6 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID - (1994 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" | 2574 | 3804070 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1008537 | 1694395 | 6509576 | 51 |
| 7 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 438810 | 1717387 | 53730 | 4121 | 0 | 68672 | 1037633 | 2583439 | 5903792 | 131 |
| 8 | 67561 | METHANOL | 847716 | 1279926 | 27150 | 0 | 0 | 928 | 701833 | 1152983 | 4010536 | 1 |
| 9 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 250990 | 591247 | 49 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 469713 | 2266189 | 3578688 | 55 |
| 10 | 75150 | CARBON DISULFIDE | 43455 | 3332760 | 1352 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45409 | 15 | 3422991 | 6 |
| 11 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 1070009 | 1154427 | 1107 | 0 | 499 | 309 | 8875 | 674635 | 2909861 | 172 |
| 12 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 1476 | 152712 | 71297 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 672 | 2488132 | 2714289 | 60 |
| 13 | 100425 | STYRENE | 428814 | 1313141 | 108 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 990 | 900134 | 2643187 | 68 |
| 14 | 7664393 | HYDROGEN FLUORIDE | 16588 | 2204761 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 222886 | 65019 | 2509255 | 40 |
| 15 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 6133 | 18577 | 4674 | 0 | 1500000 | 17 | 2404 | 950353 | 2482158 | 195 |
| 16 | 7440508 | COPPER | 16884 | 34119 | 4770 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8170 | 2285395 | 2349338 | 159 |
| 17 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 530768 | 1232961 | 1499 | 0 | 18200 | 0 | 184323 | 275221 | 2242972 | 159 |
| 18 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 469759 | 1235298 | 353 | 0 | 499 | 1059 | 2907 | 436482 | 2146357 | 154 |
| 19 | N090 | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS (EXCEPT FOR CHROMITE | 7166 | 14212 | 2551 | 0 | 438614 | 0 | 12022 | 1395412 | 1869977 | 111 |
| 20 | 7440666 | ZINC (FUME OR DUST) | 27295 | 147889 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2580 | 1494999 | 1672773 | 22 |
| TOP 20 CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 6515959 | 37664015 | 7876522 | 4448 | 20511681 | 371141 | 9688127 | 35688875 | 118320768 | 1834 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 73.7\% | 82.2\% | 98.7\% | 38.1\% | 91.7\% | 98.9\% | 92.1\% | 80.7\% | 84.4\% | 38.8\% |
| ALL REPORTED CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 8846931 | 45805210 | 7982181 | 11679 | 22365703 | 375380 | 10521503 | 44244451 | 140153038 | 4729 |

## PERSISTENT, BIOACCUMULATIVE, TOXIC (PBT) CHEMICALS SUMMARY

For the reporting year 2000, TRI was expanded to include certain new persistent bioaccumulative toxic (PBT) chemicals. In addition, reporting thresholds were lowered for both the newly added PBT chemicals and certain PBT chemical already on the TRI list. Prior to the changes for the PBT chemicals, the reporting thresholds for all chemicals had been 25,000 pounds for manufacturing or processing the chemical and 10,000 pounds if otherwise used. Because PBT chemicals persist and bioaccumulate in the environment, they have the potential to cause greater exposure to humans and the environment over a longer period of time, making even small quantities of these chemicals a concern. Therefore EPA established lower thresholds for these chemicals. For those chemicals that are persistent and bioaccumulative, a threshold of 100 pounds manufactured, processed, or otherwise used was established. For the subset of PBT chemicals highly persistent and highly bioaccumulative, a threshold of 10 pounds was established. In addition, because dioxins are highly bioaccumulative, but are generally produced in extremely small amounts, the threshold for dioxin and dioxin-like compounds was set at 01 . grams.

There are seven categories of PBT chemicals, which include

- dioxin and dioxin-like compounds ( 17 chemicals)
- lead and lead compounds ( 2 chemicals)
- mercury and mercury compounds (2 chemicals)
- polycyclic aromatic compounds (21 chemicals)
- polychlorinated biphenyls (1 chemical category)
- pesticides (8 chemical)
- other PBT chemicals (4 chemicals)

In Illinois, Table 5 shows, for the first year of reporting in 2000, eighteen PBT chemicals (sixteen above zero) were reported at 163 thousand pounds. In 2001 lead and lead compounds were included as PBT chemicals and the number for the twenty PBT chemicals (eighteen above zero), were reported at 3.0 million pounds. The PBT chemicals increased from $0.11 \%$ to $2.2 \%$ of the total reported toxic chemicals due to the addition of lead and lead compounds.

| PBT CHEMICALS 2000-2001 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | 2000 TOTAL RELEASES \& TRANSFERS | 2001 TOTAL RELEASES \& TRANSFERS |
| 1 | 309002 | ALDRIN | 1.50 | 1.08 |
| 2 | 191242 | BENZO(G,H,I)PERYLENE | 4006.90 | 18818.39 |
| 3 | 57749 | CHLORDANE | 31.00 | 28.79 |
| 4 | N150 | DIOXIN AND DIOXIN-LIKE COMPOUNDS * | 88.30 | 55.67 |
| 5 | 76448 | HEPTACHLOR | 214.00 | 8.24 |
| 6 | 118741 | HEXACHLOROBENZENE | 25.50 | 30.93 |
| 7 | 465736 | ISODRIN | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 8 | 7439921 | LEAD | ** | 425499 |
| 9 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | ** | 2482158.00 |
| 10 | 7439976 | MERCURY | 1532.7 | 1234.88 |
| 11 | N458 | MERCURY COMPOUNDS | 59638.00 | 66279.69 |
| 12 | 72435 | METHOXYCHLOR | 29.00 | 30.60 |
| 13 | 29082744 | OCTOCHLOROSTYRENE | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 14 | 40487421 | PENDIMETHALIN | 90.00 | 1345.75 |
| 15 | 608935 | PENTACHLOROBENZENE | 78.00 | 70.59 |
| 16 | 1336363 | POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS | 648.00 | 190.50 |
| 17 | N590 | POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC COMPOUNDS | 96729.00 | 45837.78 |
| 18 | 79947 | TETRABROMOBISPHENOL A | 285.00 | 240.00 |
| 19 | 8001352 | TOXAPHENE | 9.00 | 0.92 |
| 20 | 1582098 | TRIFLURALIN | 34.00 | 1426.20 |
| TOTAL REPORTED PBT CHEMCIALS |  |  | 163357.86 | 3043205.29 |

[^0]Figure 3 shows the change in PBT chemicals during the last two years.

Figure3


Table 6 lists Illinois EPA's 2001 PBT totals for each media. The largest amount of PBT chemicals released is lead compounds at 2.5 million pounds, most of which ( 1.5 million pounds) goes to RCRA landfills.

Nationwide, production-related wastes for PBT chemicals totaled 71.6 million pounds in 2000.

|  |  |  | PBT CHEMICAL RELEASES (POUNDS, UNLESS NOTED) |  |  |  |  |  | OFFSITE <br> TRANSFERS (\#) |  | TOTAL <br> RELEASES <br> \& TRANSFERS | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | $\begin{gathered} \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ |  | WATER | UIC | RCRA | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { OTHER } \\ \text { ONSITE } \\ \text { LAND } \end{gathered}$ | POTW | OFFSITE |  |  |
| 1 | 309002 | ALDRIN | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1.06 | 1.08 | 1 |
| 2 | 191242 | BENZO(G,H,I)PERYLENE | 232.45 | 79.94 | 25.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 13.00 | 18468.01 | 18818.39 | 21 |
| 3 | 57749 | CHLORDANE | 0.54 | 0.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 28.18 | 28.79 | 1 |
| 4 | N150 | ```DIOXIN AND DIOXIN-LIKE COMPOUNDS (grams)*``` | 0.00 | 21.07 | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 34.56 | 55.67 | 31 |
| 5 | 76448 | HEPTACHLOR | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 8.07 | 8.24 | 2 |
| 6 | 118741 | HEXACHLOROBENZENE | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 30.76 | 30.93 | 2 |
| 7 | 465736 | ISODRIN | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 8 | 7439921 | LEAD | 8361 | 12757 | 722 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 999 | 402649 | 425499 | 212 |
| 9 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 6133 | 18577 | 4674 | 0 | 1500000 | 17 | 2404 | 950353 | 2482158 | 195 |
| 10 | 7439976 | MERCURY | 5.89 | 1079.68 | 2.20 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 5.42 | 141.69 | 1234.88 | 12 |
| 11 | N458 | MERCURY COMPOUNDS | 28.45 | 4484.40 | 12.99 | 0.00 | 263.00 | 0.00 | 4.03 | 61486.82 | 66279.69 | 51 |
| 12 | 72435 | METHOXYCHLOR | 0.57 | 0.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 29.96 | 30.60 | 1 |
| 13 | 29082744 | OCTOCHLOROSTYRENE | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 14 | 40487421 | PENDIMETHALIN | 40.82 | 3.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1301.91 | 1345.75 | 1 |
| 15 | 608935 | PENTACHLORO BENZENE | 0.09 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 70.49 | 70.59 | 2 |
| 16 | 1336363 | POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 190.49 | 190.50 | 3 |
| 17 | N590 | POLYCYCLIC <br> AROMATIC COMPOUNDS | 7371.58 | 9642.51 | 25.10 | 0.00 | 2112.00 | 0.00 | 53.80 | 26632.80 | 45837.78 | 47 |
| 18 | 79947 | TETRABROMO BISPHENOL A | 10.00 | 229.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 240.00 | 3 |
| 19 | 8001352 | TOXAPHENE | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.90 | 0.92 | 1 |
| 20 | 1582098 | TRIFLURALIN | 26.62 | 3.24 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1396.34 | 1426.20 | 1 |

## STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION (SIC) SUMMARY

Facilities in 259 individual four-digit SIC codes have reported toxic chemical releases and transfers for calendar year 2001. Table 7 shows that seventeen of the top 20 SIC categories have been reporting since 1987.

Table 8 summarizes the information for the 20 SIC codes reporting the highest release and transfer totals. The largest amount of reported total releases and transfers is for the Refuse systems (RCRA subtitle c) category (SIC 4953) at 23.7 million pounds. Within this category, most of this amount goes to RCRA landfills at 19.6 million pounds. The top 20 SIC codes totaled 116.7 million pounds ( $83.4 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers). The Paints, varnishes, lacquers, enamels and allied product category (SIC 2851) had the largest number of facilities (269) reporting.

Table 7

|  | CAS \# | INDUSTRIAL CATEGORY | REPORTING REQUIREMENT |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 4953 | Refuse systems (RCRA subtitle C) | reporting since 1997 (new industry) |
| 2 | 4911 | Electric services | reporting since 1997 (new industry) |
| 3 | 3312 | Steel works, blast furnaces (including coke ovens) and rolling mills | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 4 | 2821 | Plastic materials, synthetic resins, and non-vulcanizeable elastomers | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 5 | 2075 | Soybean oil mills | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 6 | 2869 | Industrial organic chemicals | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 7 | 3471 | Electroplating, plating, polishing, anodizing, and coloring | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 8 | 2011 | Meat packing plants | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 9 | 3089 | Plastic products | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 10 | 3341 | Secondary smelting and refining of nonferrous metals | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 11 | 2046 | Wet corn milling | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 12 | 2819 | Industrical inorganic chemicals | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 13 | 2911 | Petroleum refining | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 14 | 3316 | Cold-rolled steel sheet, strip, and bars | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 15 | 2865 | Cyclic organic crudes and intermediates, and organic dyes and pigments | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 16 | 4931 | Electric and other services combined | reporting since 1997 (new industry) |
| 17 | 3366 | Copper foundaries | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 18 | 3086 | Plastic foam products | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 19 | 2851 | Paints, varnishes, lacquers, enamels, and allied products | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |
| 20 | 2873 | Nitrogenous fertilizers | reporting since 1987 (orig industry) |


|  | CAS \# | INDUSTRIAL CATEGORY | SIC CODE RELEASES (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  |  | OFFSITETRANSFERS (\#) |  | TOTAL <br> RELEASES <br>  <br> TRANSFERS | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { STACK } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | WATER | UIC | RCRA | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { OTHER } \\ \text { ONSITE } \\ \text { LAND } \end{array}$ | POTW | OFFSITE |  |  |
| 1 | 4953 | Refuse systems (RCRA subtitle C) | 35925 | 20874 | 22 | 0 | 19602667 | 0 | 680592 | 3459214 | 23799294 | 142 |
| 2 | 4911 | Electric services | 3991 | 15539713 | 93404 | 0 | 370 | 0 | 0 | 2906022 | 18543500 | 240 |
| 3 | 3312 | Steel works, blast furnaces (including coke ovens) and rolling mills | 239909 | 344325 | 190088 | 0 | 2753000 | 0 | 240351 | 13096851 | 16864524 | 135 |
| 4 | 2821 | Plastic materials, synthetic resins, and non-vulcanizeable elastomers | 310229 | 3162864 | 144384 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 68088 | 3527339 | 7212904 | 263 |
| 5 | 2075 | Soybean oil mills | 1311152 | 5432785 | 2325 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4625 | 1188 | 6752075 | 19 |
| 6 | 2869 | Industrial organic chemicals | 406061 | 1264577 | 1707398 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1333499 | 773884 | 5485419 | 161 |
| 7 | 3471 | Electroplating, plating, polishing, anodizing, and coloring | 222543 | 169734 | 1137 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2714533 | 1570329 | 4678276 | 255 |
| 8 | 2011 | Meat packing plants | 90258 | 18830 | 3948864 | 0 | 0 | 302625 | 20493 | 35236 | 4416306 | 12 |
| 9 | 3089 | Plastic products | 320970 | 3765900 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45443 | 178005 | 4310323 | 46 |
| 10 | 3341 | Secondary smelting and refining of nonferrous metals | 59679 | 166408 | 2089 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3494 | 3651145 | 3882815 | 56 |
| 11 | 2046 | Wet corn milling | 717524 | 1548493 | 24356 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1125913 | 231785 | 3648071 | 38 |
| 12 | 2819 | Industrical inorganic chemicals | 19757 | 247353 | 6330 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 477001 | 2387978 | 3138418 | 36 |
| 13 | 2911 | Petroleum refining | 568965 | 768094 | 1395316 | 0 | 0 | 5969 | 0 | 120621 | 2858966 | 111 |
| 14 | 3316 | Cold-rolled steel sheet, strip, and bars | 3539 | 13833 | 120499 | 327 | 0 | 0 | 978527 | 1727749 | 2844474 | 14 |
| 15 | 2865 | Cyclic organic crudes and intermediates, and organic dyes and pigments | 97341 | 384446 | 59100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 483100 | 695923 | 1719910 | 79 |
| 16 | 4931 | Electric and other services combined | 5 | 1706722 | 2396 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1709123 | 29 |
| 17 | 3366 | Copper foundaries | 1534 | 54920 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 61 | 1260919 | 1317445 | 11 |
| 18 | 3086 | Plastic foam products | 138746 | 1059952 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36175 | 1234873 | 28 |
| 19 | 2851 | Paints, varnishes, lacquers, enamels, and allied products | 164948 | 177119 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10395 | 858752 | 1211214 | 269 |
| 20 | 2873 | Nitrogenous fertilizers | 9861 | 1090665 | 70075 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1170601 | 9 |
| TOP | 20 SIC | CODES | 4722937 | 36937607 | 7767799 | 327 | 22356037 | 308594 | 8186113 | 36519115 | 116798529 | 1953 |
| TOP | 20 PER | CENTAGE OVER ALL | 53.4\% | 80.6\% | 97.3\% | 2.8\% | 100.0\% | 82.2\% | 77.8\% | 82.6\% | 83.4\% | 41.4\% |
| ALL | REPOR | RTED SIC CODES | 8846931 | 45805210 | 7982181 | 11679 | 22365703 | 375380 | 10521503 | 44206614 | 140115201 | 4715 |

## COUNTY SUMMARY

Table 9 presents the 20 counties with the highest reporting total releases and transfers for 2001. Peoria County had the largest amount of total releases and transfers at 31.8 million pounds. The top 20 counties total 124.3 million pounds ( $89.8 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers). Although Cook County was second with total releases and transfers at 27.5 million pounds, it had the largest number of total facility reports at 582 (Peoria at 21).

|  |  | RELEASE BY COUNTY (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  |  | OFFSITETRANSFERS (\#) |  | TOTAL RELEASES <br> \& TRANSFERS | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { STACK } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | WATER | UIC | RCRA | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { OTHER } \\ \text { ONSITE } \\ \text { LAND } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | POTW | OFFSITE |  |  |
| 1 | PEORIA | 92430 | 4013352 | 14505 | 0 | 19602662 | 0 | 202879 | 7964947 | 31890774 | 21 |
| 2 | COOK | 2269154 | 4081543 | 10556 | 11352 | 5747 | 0 | 5345389 | 15782121 | 27505863 | 582 |
| 3 | MACON | 848394 | 4787953 | 24398 | 0 | 64 | 0 | 714860 | 2118897 | 8494566 | 1 |
| 4 | MADISON | 340698 | 1690854 | 564663 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1054454 | 3739640 | 7390308 | 32 |
| 5 | VERMILLION | 518510 | 6578427 | 10852 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 48275 | 200135 | 7356199 | 20 |
| 6 | WILL | 277308 | 2227171 | 1019566 | 0 | 0 | 3187 | 706889 | 1063580 | 5297701 | 56 |
| 7 | ROCK ISLAND | 97412 | 533107 | 3203461 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21712 | 1239232 | 5094924 | 24 |
| 8 | MONTGOMERY | 8233 | 4343839 | 2350 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 414296 | 4768718 | 5 |
| 9 | TAZEWELL | 88217 | 825795 | 1817520 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1447547 | 4179079 | 13 |
| 10 | LASALLE | 127067 | 1239222 | 142979 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 840 | 2100255 | 3610362 | 22 |
| 11 | ST. CLAIR | 118432 | 890108 | 637 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 993415 | 1530002 | 3532594 | 27 |
| 12 | WHITESIDE | 75287 | 130215 | 9140 | 0 | 2753000 | 0 | 32 | 64495 | 3032169 | 17 |
| 13 | WINNEBAGO | 130573 | 758180 | 164 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 448541 | 964425 | 2301882 | 76 |
| 14 | OGLE | 771306 | 564242 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 57 | 267725 | 1603420 | 14 |
| 15 | GRUNDY | 99058 | 1407921 | 6465 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36143 | 1549587 | 11 |
| 16 | ADAMS | 143801 | 1326982 | 2207 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4988 | 0 | 1477978 | 21 |
| 17 | CRAWFORD | 420573 | 282411 | 133710 | 0 | 0 | 5969 | 5 | 537817 | 1380486 | 5 |
| 18 | CHRISTIAN | 509 | 304014 | 501 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 999 | 1039669 | 1345692 | 4 |
| 19 | DUPAGE | 137892 | 554190 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 179773 | 428985 | 1300839 | 102 |
| 20 | MORGAN | 12576 | 1286273 | 3124 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 489 | 0 | 1302462 | 5 |
| TOP | 20 COUNTIES TOTAL | 6577429 | 37825798 | 6966887 | 11352 | 22361473 | 9156 | 9723597 | 40939911 | 124415603 | 1058 |
| TOP | 20 PERCENTAGE | 64.0\% | 77.1\% | 85.7\% | 97.2\% | 100.0\% | 0.8\% | 92.7\% | 93.3\% | 89.8\% | 89.8\% |
| ALL | REPORTED COUNTIES | 8846931 | 45805210 | 7982181 | 11679 | 22365703 | 375380 | 10521503 | 44244451 | 140153038 | 1490 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## AIR RELEASE SUMMARY

Air emissions for calendar year 2001 in the 20 ZIP code areas with the highest reported totals are summarized in Table 10. Decatur had the largest total fugitive and stack release of 5.6 million pounds; Danville was second largest with 4.5 million pounds. Stack releases make up $84 \%$ of the total air emissions (for the top 20 facilities stack. releases are about $89 \%$ of total). The top 20 zip code areas reported 37.0 million pounds ( $67.8 \%$ of the total reported releases in air emissions). Map 2 shows geographically the location of the top 20 zip code areas in Illinois. Air emissions total $38.9 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.
Nationwide, there were 1,904 million pounds of air releases in 2000.
Table 10

|  |  |  |  | TOP | AIR EM | SIONS (PO | NDS) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ZIP C | COUNTY | CITY | $\begin{array}{\|c} \hline \text { FUGITIVE } \\ \text { AIR } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { STACK } \\ \text { AIR } \end{gathered}$ | TOTAL RELEASES | TOTAL REPORTS |
| 1 | 62521 | MACON | DECATUR | 848241 | 4756138 | 5604379 | 107 |
| 2 | 61832 | VERMILION | DANVILLE | 447548 | 4059263 | 4506811 | 36 |
| 3 | 62017 | MONTGOMERY | COFFEEN | 11 | 4295910 | 4295921 | 17 |
| 4 | 61607 | PEORIA | BARTONVILLE | 0 | 2718213 | 2718213 | 12 |
| 5 | 61858 | VERMILION | OAKWOOD | 499 | 2416873 | 2417372 | 10 |
| 6 | 60601 | COOK | CHICAGO | 590619 | 1382478 | 1973097 | 540 |
| 7 | 60499 | COOK | BEDFORD PARK | 693938 | 1120009 | 1813947 | 102 |
| 8 | 60450 | GRUNDY | MORRIS | 99058 | 1407921 | 1506979 | 69 |
| 9 | 62301 | ADAMS | QUINCY | 143801 | 1336601 | 1480402 | 45 |
| 10 | 62655 | MORGAN | MEREDOSIA | 2335 | 1286273 | 1288608 | 32 |
| 11 | 62002 | MADISON | ALTON | 43 | 1132232 | 1132276 | 22 |
| 12 | 61602 | PEORIA | PEORIA | 89412 | 1012908 | 1102320 | 51 |
| 13 | 61025 | JO DAVIESS | EAST DUBUQUE | 7666 | 1072028 | 1079694 | 8 |
| 14 | 62703 | SANGAMON | SPRINGFIELD | 1 | 985944 | 985945 | 13 |
| 15 | 62914 | ALEXANDER | CAIRO | 403596 | 522667 | 926263 | 7 |
| 16 | 61350 | LASALLE | OTTAWA | 80927 | 830348 | 911275 | 11 |
| 17 | 62206 | ST. CLAIR | SAUGET | 84663 | 752709 | 837372 | 145 |
| 18 | 61101 | WINNEBAGO | ROCKFORD | 105280 | 719389 | 824668 | 144 |
| 19 | 60410 | WILL | CHANNAHON | 139928 | 682299 | 822227 | 95 |
| 20 | 61054 | OGLE | MOUNT MORRIS | 577771 | 229941 | 807712 | 7 |
| TOP 20 ZIP CODES (AIR) |  |  |  | 4315337 | 32720142 | 37035479 | 1473 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  |  | 48.8\% | 71.4\% | 67.8\% | 31.1\% |
| ALL REPORTED FACILITIES (AIR) |  |  |  | 8846931 | 45805210 | 54652141 | 4739 |

## Total Air Releases- Top 20 Zip Codes



## WATER RELEASE SUMMARY

Table 11 shows the top 20 chemicals released to the water in Illinois which is 7.9 million pounds ( $99.8 \%$ of the total amount reported released to water) in 2001 . Only 75 out of 650 possible toxic chemicals are reported as being released. Nitrate compounds make up the largest amount at 7.6 million pounds (nearly $96 \%$ of the total), followed by barium at 71,297 pounds. Water releases total $5.7 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 260 million pounds of water releases in 2000.
Table 11

|  |  |  | TOTAL WATER <br> RELEASES <br> (POUNDS) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS | 7667387 |
| 2 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 71297 |
| 3 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 53730 |
| 4 | N770 | VANADIUM COMPOUNDS | 32407 |
| 5 | 67561 | METHANOL | 27150 |
| 6 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 25590 |
| 7 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 14816 |
| 8 | 7632000 | SODIUM NITRITE | 14515 |
| 9 | 111422 | DIETHANOLAMINE | 11006 |
| 10 | 107211 | ETHYLENE GLYCOL | 9540 |
| 11 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 5597 |
|  |  | 2-MERCAPTO | 5110 |
| 12 | 149304 | BENZOTHIAZOLE | 4770 |
| 13 | 7440508 | COPPER | 4674 |
| 14 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 3869 |
| 15 | 7782505 | CHLORINE | 2998 |
| 16 | 7723140 | PHOSPHORUS (YELLOW OR WHITE) | 2961 |
| 17 | 7439965 | MANGANESE | 2707 |
| 18 | 7440020 | NICKEL | 2414 |
| 19 | 50000 | FORMALDEHYDE | 2414 |
| 20 | 75058 | ACETONITRILE | $\mathbf{7 9 6 4 9 5 2}$ |
| TOP 20 WATER RELEASES | $\mathbf{9 9 . 8 \%}$ |  |  |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL REPORTED RELEASES | $\mathbf{7 9 7 9 3 5 4}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED WATER RELEASES |  |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## UIC RELEASE SUMMARY

Three chemicals making up 11,679 pounds were released to underground injection wells from two facilities in Illinois in 2001 as shown in Table 12. UIC releases were negligible and only totaled $.008 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 277 million pounds of UIC releases in 2000.
Table 12

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | TOTAL UIC <br> RELEASES <br> (POUNDS) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | 111422 | DIETHANOLAMINE | 7231 |
| 2 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 4121 |
| 3 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 327 |
| ALL REPORTED UIC RELEASES | $\mathbf{1 1 6 7 9}$ |  |  |
| UIC RELEASES OVER ALL | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED UIC RELEASES | $\mathbf{1 1 6 7 9}$ |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## RCRA SUBTITLE C LANDFILL RELEASE SUMMARY

Table 13 shows releases to subtitle C landfills for twenty-two chemicals resulting in 22.3 millions pounds ( $100 \%$ of the total reported releases and transfers to RCRA landfills) from seven facilities in 2001, as shown in Table 13. Zinc compounds accounted for 70\% of the total RCRA releases. RCRA releases totaled $15.9 \%$ of all reported total releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 204 million pounds of subtitle C releases in 2000.
Table 13

|  |  |  | TOTAL RCRA <br> RELEASES <br> (POUNDS) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | N982 | ZHEMICAL NAME | 15767011 |
| 2 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 2786358 |
| 3 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 1500000 |
| 4 | N078 | CADMIUM COMPOUNDS | 1338000 |
|  |  | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS (EXCEPT FOR <br> CHROMITE ORE MINED IN THE TRANSVAAL <br> R |  |
| 5 | N090 | REG | 438614 |
| 6 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 268450 |
| 7 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 222002 |
| 8 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 18200 |
| 9 | 111422 | DIETHANOLAMINE | 18200 |
| 10 | 85018 | PHENANTHRENE | 3630 |
| 11 | N590 | POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC COMPOUNDS | 2112 |
| 12 | N020 | ARSENIC COMPOUNDS | 778 |
| 13 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 500 |
| 14 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 499 |
| 15 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 499 |
| 16 | 127184 | TETRACHLOROETHYLENE | 499 |
| 17 | N458 | MERCURY COMPOUNDS | 263 |
| 18 | 7782492 | SELENIUM | 63 |
| 19 | 7439921 | LEAD | 11 |
| 20 | 108101 | METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE | 10 |
| 21 | 108952 | PHENOL | 3 |
| 22 | N096 | COBALT COMPOUNDS | 1 |
| TOP $\mathbf{2 2}$ RCRA RELEASES | $\mathbf{2 2 3 6 5 7 0 3}$ |  |  |
| TOP 22 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED RCRA RELEASES | $\mathbf{2 2 3 6 5 7 0 3 ~}$ |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## OTHER ON-SITE LAND RELEASE SUMMARY

Table 14 shows the top 20 chemicals released to on-site land in Illinois which is 15.7 million pounds ( $69.3 \%$ of the total amount released to on-site land) in 2001 . Only 31 out of 650 possible chemicals are reported as being released. Zinc compounds make up the highest amount at 15.7 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 2.7 million pounds. On-site land releases totaled $16.2 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 4,050 million pounds of onsite land releases in 2000.
Table 14

|  |  |  | TOTAL OTHER <br> ON-SITE LAND <br> RELEASES <br> (POUNDS) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | N98 \# | CHEMICAL NAME | ZINC COMPOUNDS |
| 2 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 2767063 |
| 3 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 1500017 |
| 4 | N078 | CADMIUM COMPOUNDS | 1338000 |
| 5 | N090 | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS | 438614 |
| 6 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS | 300104 |
| 7 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 268450 |
| 8 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 222002 |
| 9 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 68174 |
| 10 | 111422 | DIETHANOLAMINE | 18202 |
| 11 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 18200 |
| 12 | 85018 | PHENANTHRENE | 3630 |
| 13 | N590 | POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC COMPOUNDS | 2112 |
| 14 | 7440020 | NICKEL | 2062 |
| 15 | 71432 | BENZENE | 1945 |
| 16 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 1558 |
| 17 | 67561 | METHANOL | 928 |
| 18 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 808 |
| 19 | N020 | ARSENIC COMPOUNDS | 778 |
| 20 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 500 |
| TOP 20 ONSITE LAND RELEASES | $\mathbf{1 5 7 6 7 5 6 3}$ |  |  |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL REPORTED RELEASES | $\mathbf{6 9 . 3 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED ONSITE LAND RELEASES | $\mathbf{2 2 7 4 0 5 7 6}$ |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## OFF-SITE TRANSFER TO POTW SUMMARY

Table 15 shows the top 20 chemicals transferred to POTWs in Illinois which is 10.3 million pounds ( $98.6 \%$ of the total amount released to POTWs) in 2001. Only 104 out of 650 possible chemicals are reported as being released in 2001. Nitrate compounds made up most of the transfers with 5.8 million pounds, followed by ammonia at 1.0 million pounds and sulfuric acid at 1.0 million pounds. POTW transfers totaled $7.5 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 343 million pounds of transfers to POTWs in 2000.
Table 15

|  |  |  | TOTAL OFF- <br> SITE POTW <br> TRANSFERS <br> (POUNDS) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | N511 | CHEMICAL NAME | 5887467 |
| 2 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 1037633 |
| 3 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID - (1994 AND AFTER "ACID AEE | 1008537 |
| 4 | 67561 | METHANOL | 701833 |
| 5 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 469713 |
| 6 | 108952 | PHENOL | 273015 |
| 7 | 7664393 | HYDROGEN FLUORIDE | 222886 |
| 8 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 184323 |
| 9 | 7632000 | SODIUM NITRITE | 97093 |
| 10 | 62533 | ANILINE | 79035 |
| 11 | 78922 | SEC-BUTYL ALCOHOL | 75185 |
| 12 | 7697372 | NITRIC ACID | 59956 |
| 13 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 58372 |
| 14 | 108101 | METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE | 50367 |
| 15 | 75150 | CARBON DISULFIDE | 45409 |
| 16 | 107211 | ETHYLENE GLYCOL | 34436 |
| 17 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 26398 |
| 18 | 71363 | N-BUTYL ALCOHOL | 25854 |
| 19 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 16709 |
| 20 | 75070 | ACETALDEHYDE | 15206 |
| TOP 20 POTW TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{1 0 3 6 9 4 2 7}$ |  |  |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{9 8 . 6 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED POTW TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{1 0 5 2 1 5 0 3}$ |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

## OTHER OFF-SITE TRANSFERS SUMMARY

Table 16 shows the top 20 chemicals transferred to off-site in Illinois which is 39.0 million pounds ( $88.3 \%$ of the total amount transferred off-site) in 2001. Only 184 out of 650 possible chemicals are reported as being transferred in 2001. Zinc compounds make up most of the transfers at 12.0 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 4.6 million pounds. Other off-site transfers totaled $31.6 \%$ of all reported releases and transfers in Illinois.

Nationwide, there were 598 million pounds of off-site transfers (to disposal) in 2000. This number cannot be compared to the Illinois data because the USEPA database includes in this category other off-site transfers such as wastewater treatment for non-POTWs, underground injection, landfill/surface impoundments, land treatment, and other land disposal.

Table 16

|  |  |  | TOTAL OTHER <br> OFF-SITE <br> TRANSFERS <br> (POUNDS) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 12032711 |
| 2 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 4591215 |
| 3 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 2583439 |
| 4 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 2488132 |
| 5 | 7440508 | COPPER | 2285395 |
| 6 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 2266189 |
|  |  | SULFURIC ACID (1994 AND AFTER "ACID |  |
| 7 | 7664939 | AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 1694395 |
| 8 | 7440666 | ZINC (FUME OR DUST) | 1494999 |
| 9 | N090 | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS | 1395412 |
| 10 | 67561 | METHANOL | 1152983 |
| 11 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 1090897 |
| 12 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 950353 |
| 13 | 7697372 | NITRIC ACID | 919065 |
| 14 | 100425 | STYRENE | 900134 |
| 15 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 674635 |
| 16 | 7429905 | ALUMINUM (FUME OR DUST) | 628211 |
| 17 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 558073 |
| 18 | 60344 | METHYL HYDRAZINE | 505912 |
| 19 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 436482 |
| 20 | 7440020 | NICKEL | 413140 |
| TOP 20 POTW TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{3 9 0 6 1 7 7 2}$ |  |  |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{8 8 . 3 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED POTW TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{4 4 2 4 4 4 5 1}$ |  |  |

[^1]
## TOTAL RELEASE AND TRANSFER SUMMARY

Table 17 shows the top 20 chemicals released or transferred in Illinois, which is 118.3 million pounds ( $84.4 \%$ of the total amount released or transferred) in 2001. Zinc Compounds make up the largest amount released or transferred at 28.2 million pounds, followed by nitrate compounds at 14.2 million pounds.

Nationwide, there were 4,050 million pounds of releases and transfers in 2000.
Table 17

|  |  |  | TOTAL <br> RELEASES <br>  | TOTAL |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | TRANSFERS | REPORTS |
| 1 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 28232995 | 221 |
| 2 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS | 14228320 | 101 |
|  |  | HYDROCHLORIC ACID (1995 AND |  |  |
| 3 | 7647010 | AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 13673333 | 66 |
| 4 | 110543 | N-HEXANE | 7695630 | 59 |
| 5 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 7524740 | 3 |
| 6 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID - (1994 AND |  |  |
| 7 | 7664417 | AMMOR "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 6509576 | 51 |
| 8 | 67561 | METHANOL | 5903792 | 131 |
| 9 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 4010536 | 1 |
| 10 | 75150 | CARBON DISULFIDE | 3578688 | 55 |
| 11 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 2909861 | 172 |
| 12 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 2714289 | 60 |
| 13 | 100425 | STYRENE | 2643187 | 68 |
| 14 | 7664393 | HYDROGEN FLUORIDE | 2509255 | 40 |
| 15 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 2482158 | 195 |
| 16 | 7440508 | COPPER | 2349338 | 159 |
| 17 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 2242972 | 159 |
| 18 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 2146357 | 154 |
|  |  | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS <br> (EXCEPT FOR CHROMITE ORE |  |  |
| 19 | N090 | MINED IN THE TRANSVAAL REG | 1869977 | 111 |
| 20 | 7440666 | ZINC (FUME OR DUST) | 1672773 | 22 |
| TOP 20 RELEASES AND TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{1 1 8 3 2 0 7 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 3 4}$ |  |  |
| $\mathbf{T O P} \mathbf{2 0 ~ P E R C E N T A G E ~ O V E R ~ A L L ~}$ | $\mathbf{8 4 . 4 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 9 . 5 \%}$ |  |  |
| ALL REPORTED RELEASES AND TRANSFERS | $\mathbf{1 4 0 1 5 3 0 3 8}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 3 8}$ |  |  |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Table 18 and Figure 4 shows the distribution of total releases and transfers for each of the media.
Table 18

| MEDIA | 2001 <br> (pounds) |
| :--- | :---: |
| Air Releases | 54652141 |
| Water Releases | 7979354 |
| Other Onsite Land Releases | 22740576 |
| Offsite Transfers to POTW | 10521503 |
| Other Offsite Transfers | 44244451 |
| Total Releases and Transfers | 140153038 |

Figure 4

# Total Releases and Transfers Information 



Figure 5 shows the change in releases and transfers from 1988 to 2001. Underground injection is virtually zero for all the data.


## WASTE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

Source reduction is defined in the Pollution Prevention Act (PPA) of 1990 as any practice that:

- reduces the amount of hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant entering any waste stream or otherwise released into the environment (including fugitive emissions); and
- reduces the hazards to public health and the environment associated with the release of such substances, pollutants, or contaminants.

Source reduction can include modifications in equipment, process, procedure, or technology, reformulation or redesign of products, substitution of raw materials, and improvement sin maintenance and inventory controls. Under this definition, waste management activities, including recycling, treatment, and disposal are not considered forms of source reduction.

The PPA requires facilities to report the quantities of TRI chemicals they manage in waste, both on and off-site. The PPA also requires facilities to provide information about the efforts they have made to reduce or eliminate those quantities. Reporting of information about source reduction (pollution prevention) efforts have been required beginning with reporting year 1991. The fact that a facility claimed source reduction activities for a chemical does not necessarily mean that the reduction in releases and transfers of the chemicals are attributable to those activities.

In the next two tables, total waste management activities include

- energy recovery on and off-site
- recycling on and off-site
- treatment on and off-site

It does not include amount released or remedial or accidental releases.
There are waste management activities reported for over 200 chemicals in 2001. The top twenty chemicals in this category are shown in Table 19 with total waste management activities at 1746 million pounds ( $94 \%$ of the total wastes managed). N-Hexane was the most managed at 689 million pounds, and 1,2,-dichloroethane second at 378 million pounds.

Additionally, for the top 20 chemicals,

- on-site energy recovery was at 33.2 million pounds or $88.9 \%$ of the total recovered
- off-site energy recovery was at 19.8 million pounds or $73.1 \%$ of the total recovered
- on-site recycling was at 1314 million pounds or $98.2 \%$ of the total recycled
- off-site recycling was at 83.5 million pounds or $82.3 \%$ of the total recycled
- on-site treatment was at 170.5 million pounds or $78.4 \%$ of the total treated
- off-site treatment was at 18.9 million pounds or $79.6 \%$ of the total treated

Nationwide, in 2000

- energy recovery resulted in 800.0 million pounds
- recycling resulted in 2,090 million pounds
- treatment resulted in 281.4 million pounds

Table 20 shows waste management activities for the PBT chemicals. Waste management activities for PBT chemicals totaled 11.2 million pounds.

|  | CHEMICAL NAME | CAS \# | $\begin{gathered} \text { RELEASED } \\ (\#) \end{gathered}$ | WASTE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES FOR ALL CHEMICALS |  |  |  |  |  | REMEDIAL <br> OR <br> ACCIDTAL <br> RELEASE <br> $(\#)$ | $\qquad$ | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | ENERGY RECOVY ONSITE (\#) | ENERGY RECOVY OFFSITE (\#) | RECYCD ONSITE <br> (\#) | RECYCD OFFSITE <br> (\#) | TREATED ONSITE <br> (\#) | TREATED OFFSITE <br> (\#) |  |  |  |
| 1 | N-HEXANE | 110543 | 8858403 | 12711 | 148243 | 687039021 | 152447 | 1793922 | 27437 | 6627 | 689180408 | 59 |
| 2 | 1,2-DICHLOROETHANE | 107062 | 20507 | 0 | 2 | 378000000 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 378000032 | 2 |
| 3 | METHANOL | 67561 | 2336346 | 3061411 | 3271942 | 113421915 | 46948 | 6127105 | 1816902 | 7266 | 127753489 | 102 |
| 4 | TOLUENE | 108883 | 2475229 | 1504352 | 5835255 | 86235683 | 4054403 | 6842210 | 1689192 | 7888 | 106168983 | 172 |
| 5 | ETHYLENE | 74851 | 1473270 | 26594508 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 57635491 | 0 | 96304 | 84326303 | 17 |
| 6 | COPPER | 7440508 | 2336593 | 0 | 0 | 574519 | 47198163 | 22353 | 22665 | 0 | 47817700 | 159 |
| 7 | MALEIC ANHYDRIDE | 108316 | 168483 | 0 | 566 | 0 | 0 | 29009725 | 4206 | 0 | 29014497 | 18 |
| 8 | AMMONIA | 7664417 | 3902065 | 0 | 13 | 9178448 | 2105990 | 9455350 | 1724772 | 3132 | 22467705 | 131 |
| 9 | SULFURIC ACID - (1994 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 7664939 | 3804745 | 0 | 34500 | 10254 | 1723995 | 17331248 | 2707422 | 30010 | 21837429 | 51 |
| 10 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | N982 | 34917283 | 0 | 2047 | 2677693 | 15512946 | 7010 | 207706 | 5625 | 18413027 | 221 |
| 11 | HYDROCHLORIC ACID (1995 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 7647010 | 13708128 | 0 | 0 | 91377 | 0 | 17548323 | 8894 | 195882 | 17844476 | 66 |
| 12 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 1330207 | 1752544 | 686775 | 5536840 | 2292453 | 1318296 | 2012447 | 1945117 | 22949 | 13814877 | 154 |
| 13 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 78933 | 844818 | 477402 | 3139861 | 1674952 | 1089818 | 3975662 | 2690598 | 406 | 13048699 | 108 |
| 14 | PHTHALIC ANHYDRIDE | 85449 | 1094967 | 0 | 337735 | 2703185 | 39900 | 9543896 | 4755 | 0 | 12629471 | 14 |
| 15 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS | N511 | 8746804 | 0 | 0 | 91374 | 0 | 5569838 | 5716046 | 1016 | 11378274 | 101 |
| 16 | ACETONITRILE | 75058 | 99150 | 0 | 701822 | 8672585 | 1114166 | 331727 | 11702 | 2406 | 10834408 | 5 |
| 17 | TRICHLOROETHYLENE | 79016 | 599778 | 0 | 30783 | 8998997 | 385573 | 49207 | 8840 | 93 | 9473493 | 54 |
| 18 | EPICHLOROHYDRIN | 106898 | 35028 | 0 | 0 | 9340293 | 0 | 97636 | 17 | 0 | 9437946 | 5 |
| 19 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | N420 | 2898070 | 0 | 27 | 300295 | 8369145 | 3 | 36892 | 9045 | 8715408 | 195 |
| 20 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | N230 | 1826470 | 947950 | 773583 | 2716972 | 431631 | 3159466 | 371378 | 4 | 8400984 | 159 |
| TOP 20 CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 91898681 | 33285109 | 19813219 | 1314020016 | 83543421 | 170512619 | 18994571 | 388653 | 1640557609 | 1793 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 66.4\% | 88.9\% | 73.1\% | 98.2\% | 82.3\% | 78.4\% | 79.6\% | 72.4\% | 94.0\% | 37.8\% |
| ALL REPORTING CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 138335955 | 37420572 | 27112233 | 1338305191 | 101456831 | 217377082 | 23855817 | 536806 | 1746064532 | 4739 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | $\begin{gathered} \text { RELEASE } \\ \text { D } \\ \text { (\#) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | WASTE MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES FOR PBT CHEMICALS |  |  |  |  |  | R'MEDIAL OR AC'DNTAL RELEASE (\#) | TOTAL WASTE MGMENT ACTIVITES (\#) | TOTAL REPORTS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | ENERGY <br> RECOVY <br> ONSITE <br> (\#) | ENERGY <br> RECOVY <br> OFFSITE <br> (\#) | $\begin{gathered} \text { RECYCD } \\ \text { ONSITE } \\ \text { (\#) } \end{gathered}$ | RECYCD OFFSITE (\#) | TREATE D ONSITE <br> (\#) | TREATE <br> D <br> OFFSITE <br> (\#) |  |  |  |
| 1 | 309002 | ALDRIN | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 211 | 0 | 0 | 212 | 1 |
| 2 | 191242 | BENZO(G,H,I)PERYLENE | 1328 | 0 | 9 | 251 | 34 | 365 | 49 | 923 | 2959 | 21 |
| 3 | 57749 | CHLORDANE | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5613 | 0 | 0 | 5642 | 1 |
| 4 | N150 | DIOXIN AND DIOXIN-LIKE COMPOUNDS | 56 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 31 |
| 5 | 76448 | HEPTACHLOR | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1608 | 0 | 0 | 1616 | 1 |
| 6 | 118741 | HEXACHLOROBENZENE | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1547 | 23 | 0 | 1578 | 2 |
| 7 | 465736 | ISODRIN | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | 7439921 | LEAD | 389680 | 0 | 0 | 47131 | 1755145 | 0 | 262 | 2684 | 1805222 | 212 |
| 9 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 2898070 | 0 | 27 | 300295 | 8369145 | 3 | 36892 | 9045 | 8715408 | 195 |
| 10 | 7439976 | MERCURY | 1231 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 984 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2215 | 12 |
| 11 | N458 | MERCURY COMPOUNDS | 67552 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 12021 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 79604 | 51 |
| 12 | 72435 | METHOXYCHLOR | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5967 | 0 | 0 | 5998 | 1 |
| 13 | 608935 | OCTOCHLOROSTYRENE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14 | 40487421 | PENDIMETHALIN | 1346 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 259332 | 0 | 0 | 260678 | 1 |
| 15 | 608935 | PENTACHLORO BENZENE | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 894 | 66 | 0 | 965 | 2 |
| 16 | 1336363 | POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 98 | 190 | 0 | 289 | 3 |
| 17 | N590 | POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC COMPOUNDS | 38667 | 0 | 2235 | 4607 | 12554 | 17955 | 2799 | 5957 | 84774 | 47 |
| 18 | 79947 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { TETRABROMO } \\ & \text { BISPHENOL A } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 239 | 0 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 339 | 3 |
| 19 | 8001352 | TOXAPHENE | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 179 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 1 |
| 20 | 1582098 | TRIFLURALIN | 1426 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 278160 | 0 | 0 | 279586 | 1 |
|  |  |  | 3399679 | 0 | 2387 | 352314 | 10149883 | 571933 | 40281 | 18611 | 11247337 | 586 |

# ANALYSIS OF FORM R AND FORM A DATA FOR TREND ANALYSIS (BASE YEAR 1988) AND SPECIAL TREND ANALYSIS (TRI-10) 

## BASIS


#### Abstract

Data collection for the 2001 data was done in a different manner for this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report. In 2001 USEPA made software available to facilities to transmit reporting information electronically via computer discs. Although a similar software package was provided in earlier years, this current version performed better, was user friendly, and more readily available. Although reporting could still occur by paper, over 80 percent of the facilities chose the electronic route. For next year, USEPA is looking into expanding this to include reporting via the internet.

Due to high resource demands for manual data entry, the Illinois EPA chose to electronically upload the 2001 data, which was ultimately more expedient and efficient. There were time constraints and technical difficulties, however, in compiling this data with the mainframe historical database. Data analysis of the 2001 data was performed using the one-year database. Historical data for trends analysis were downloaded from USEPA's database. The data sets were not "frozen" and reflected current information submitted by facilities. Any discrepancies to previous reporting years were corrected in this report. However, the "normalization" approach mentioned above could not be performed. In addition, there are some minor differences in the way the data is analyzed for this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report


Two different types of trend analysis were performed in this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report: The first trend analysis includes comparison of the last five years to the base year of 1988. The second trend analysis is a special trend analysis of a current tenyear cycle, that was reported for the first time last year, using the 1991-2000 time frame (TRI-10). We also continue to provide this analysis, but have adjusted to the current time frame of 1992 to 2001

## TREND ANALYSIS (BASE YEAR 1988)

The first trend analysis includes comparison of the last five years to the base year of 1988.

## COUNTY RELEASE AND TRANSFERS TREND

Table 21 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total releases and transfers for the top 20 counties in Illinois, which is 674.9 million pounds ( $85.7 \%$ of the total amount released or transferred during these last five years). Peoria County reported the highest amount released or transferred at 133.1 million pounds, followed by Cook County at 117.2 million pounds.

From the base year of 1988, there is a general downward trend in the number of reported releases and transfers per county. The slight increase in 1998 was due to the addition of new reporting requirements.

Table 21


Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Table 22 shows the trend analysis for the remaining counties in Illinois, which ranges from 7.6 million pounds to 2,169 pounds

Table 22

|  | COUNTY | BASE YEAR 1988 | COUNTY RELEASES (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { RELEASES } \\ 97-01 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 21 | OGLE | 2481307 | 1482798 | 1290944 | 1731094 | 1557217 | 1603420 | 7665473 |
| 22 | JASPER |  | 255 | 2647280 | 2004208 | 2548923 | 272772 | 7473438 |
| 23 | ADAMS | 231635 | 1494358 | 1489629 | 1358908 | 1372404 | 1473143 | 7188442 |
| 24 | LAKE | 3267740 | 1183357 | 1749352 | 1426364 | 1239935 | 532165 | 6131173 |
| 25 | MARION | 1214484 | 1645369 | 1150206 | 869416 | 941329 | 740920 | 5347240 |
| 26 | MORGAN | 163992 | 83072 | 1181037 | 1324320 | 1453477 | 1284529 | 5326435 |
| 27 | MCLEAN | 354104 | 1944792 | 1386785 | 524148 | 764601 | 637148 | 5257474 |
| 28 | COLES | 2822733 | 881411 | 1073229 | 1255685 | 1253681 | 176514 | 4640520 |
| 29 | CRAWFORD | 2230639 | 408189 | 444878 | 653995 | 1265209 | 1380486 | 4152757 |
| 30 | DOUGLAS | 10457536 | 640841 | 738648 | 862467 | 861288 | 760435 | 3863679 |
| 31 | PUTNAM | 2391547 | 29700 | 1788860 | 1528475 | 256008 | 196402 | 3799445 |
| 32 | ALEXANDER | 522580 | 574968 | 752616 | 575057 | 927474 | 934345 | 3764460 |
| 33 | MCDONOUGH | 372510 | 95925 | 1441292 | 962827 | 980201 | 107207 | 3587452 |
| 34 | MCHENRY | 1841793 | 656293 | 466207 | 365656 | 722693 | 975603 | 3186452 |
| 35 | FRANKLIN | 238015 | 565733 | 619070 | 790695 | 887382 | 268882 | 3131762 |
| 36 | MASSAC | 382081 | 158984 | 1067009 | 1045507 | 616357 | 43244 | 2931100 |
| 37 | FORD | 250 | 762581 | 930541 | 910483 | 1750 | 6996 | 2612351 |
| 38 | MARSHALL | 365769 | 604262 | 542504 | 617848 | 357621 | 484363 | 2606598 |
| 39 | CASS | 93136 | 312269 | 414755 | 292045 | 353186 | 1088333 | 2460588 |
| 40 | WILLIAMSON | 577763 | 269110 | 677312 | 654247 | 665953 | 180306 | 2446928 |
| 41 | KANE | 2490303 | 342349 | 407720 | 335723 | 476601 | 555259 | 2117652 |
| 42 | KNOX | 356785 | 468533 | 530752 | 446488 | 361669 | 274599 | 2082042 |
| 43 | MASON | 1500 | 500 | 561465 | 457235 | 468393 | 532294 | 2019887 |
| 44 | IROQUOIS | 82950 | 391679 | 607890 | 289118 | 147678 | 440450 | 1876815 |
| 45 | JACKSON | 1255559 | 396299 | 656774 | 339537 | 305267 | 37877 | 1735754 |
| 46 | STEPHENSON | 654958 | 207209 | 177266 | 169331 | 242319 | 470041 | 1266167 |
| 47 | LOGAN | 73766 | 5105 | 287155 | 234470 | 375011 | 272637 | 1174378 |
| 48 | EFFINGHAM | 773110 | 257061 | 329402 | 135339 | 171722 | 119369 | 1012893 |
| 49 | BOONE | 2434976 | 249409 | 201801 | 147681 | 162686 | 213606 | 975183 |
| 50 | EDGAR | 72163 | 274846 | 183234 | 182789 | 148226 | 59641 | 848736 |
| 51 | DEKALB | 288844 | 225803 | 166484 | 146403 | 128586 | 116364 | 783640 |
| 52 | KENDALL | 1453958 | 467340 | 223392 | 62817 | 29667 | 44 | 783260 |


|  | COUNTY | BASE YEAR 1988 | COUNTY RELEASES (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { RELEASES } \\ 97-01 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 53 | HARDIN | 609771 | 0 | 0 | 252466 | 262294 | 262294 | 777054 |
| 54 | PIKE | 384 | 1321 | 210258 | 288406 | 230381 | 5640 | 736006 |
| 55 | JEFFERSON | 139318 | 168922 | 159560 | 120504 | 129196 | 144701 | 722883 |
| 56 | CHAMPAIGN | 688998 | 90196 | 103869 | 135777 | 197469 | 192745 | 720057 |
| 57 | MOULTRIE | 595299 | 124975 | 149264 | 191556 | 146955 | 92257 | 705007 |
| 58 | FULTON | 3321 | 257648 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 257648 | 515295 |
| 59 | LIVINGSTON | 256357 | 86471 | 101092 | 108793 | 136122 | 75839 | 508317 |
| 60 | BUREAU | 469948 | 92151 | 66491 | 80976 | 76329 | 47465 | 363412 |
| 61 | WOODFORD | 64325 | 23148 | 35227 | 245026 | 26075 | 277 | 329753 |
| 62 | WAYNE | 93645 | 160764 | 112800 | 22500 | 28319 | 1 | 324384 |
| 63 | CLAY | 126989 | 63630 | 32942 | 64054 | 62294 | 83744 | 306664 |
| 64 | LEE | 146900 | 36768 | 53263 | 43378 | 45256 | 96249 | 274914 |
| 65 | LAWRENCE |  | 171936 | 499 | 24740 | 0 | 25127 | 222302 |
| 66 | WASHINGTON | 1166681 | 43450 | 41873 | 54095 | 64146 | 1997 | 205561 |
| 67 | PERRY | 1300 | 25606 | 41290 | 20807 | 46611 | 51691 | 186005 |
| 68 | CLINTON | 46300 | 47893 | 19206 | 44703 | 14293 | 25003 | 151098 |
| 69 | WARREN | 57935 | 22093 | 37547 | 22923 | 7141 | 48141 | 137845 |
| 70 | BOND | 8814 | 21878 | 23015 | 28549 | 29411 | 23720 | 126573 |
| 71 | RICHLAND | 106399 | 49205 | 33197 | 8443 | 25969 |  | 116814 |
| 72 | HENRY | 28659 | 24167 | 51282 | 24297 | 7387 | 7292 | 114425 |
| 73 | DEWITT | 608250 | 4570 | 23880 | 26178 | 27613 | 27050 | 109291 |
| 74 | SCHUYLER |  |  | 99343 |  |  |  | 99343 |
| 75 | PIATT | 16750 | 15750 | 15142 | 17481 | 20481 | 23046 | 91900 |
| 76 | FAYETTE | 16054 | 14000 | 23277 | 22395 | 19725 | 8006 | 87403 |
| 77 | WHITE | 55253 | 16912 | 17401 | 19140 | 12293 | 2716 | 68462 |
| 78 | USA |  |  |  |  |  | 49134 | 49134 |
| 79 | SHELBY | 67436 | 1520 | 1520 | 1520 | 31224 | 999 | 36783 |
| 80 | CARROLL | 1019 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 25156 | 25180 |
| 81 | CAIRO |  |  |  |  |  | 20399 | 20399 |
| 82 | CLARK | 186701 | 845 | 901 | 874 | 17308 | 0 | 19928 |
| 83 | WABASH | 26530 | 4005 | 4715 | 3505 | 3005 | 4513 | 19743 |
| 84 | QUINCY |  |  |  |  |  | 10759 | 10759 |
| 85 | MACOUPIN | 25600 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10425 | 10425 |
| 86 | SALINE |  |  |  |  | 6270 | 3562 | 9832 |
| 87 | HANCOCK | 250 | 255 | 4603 | 255 | 2570 |  | 7683 |
| 88 | STARK | 24563 | 1975 | 441 | 265 | 462 | 3543 | 6686 |
| 89 | MERCER | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 | 793 | 2793 |
| 90 | UNION |  | 5 | 5 | 2159 | 0 |  | 2169 |
| 91 | CAPRON |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 92 | CUMBERLAND | 145618 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 93 | EDWARDS | 1500 |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 94 | MONROE |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |
| 95 | WAUCONDA |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Table 23 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total number of reporting facilities for the top 20 counties in Illinois, which is $5647(82.3 \%$ of the total number of facility reports during these last five years). Cook County had the highest number of facility reports at 2,687, followed by Dupage County at 431 facility reports.

Table 23

|  | BASE <br> YEAR <br> 1988 | NUMBER OF REPORTING FACILITIES |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ 97-01 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 COOK | 649 | 527 | 534 | 530 | 514 | 582 | 2687 |
| 2 DUPAGE | 71 | 86 | 83 | 80 | 80 | 102 | 431 |
| 3 WINNEBAGO | 69 | 66 | 67 | 62 | 65 | 76 | 336 |
| 4 KANE | 60 | 53 | 58 | 58 | 61 | 72 | 302 |
| 5 WILL | 44 | 54 | 57 | 54 | 53 | 56 | 274 |
| 6 LAKE | 50 | 48 | 48 | 49 | 49 | 58 | 252 |
| 7 MCHENRY | 42 | 42 | 42 | 39 | 40 | 47 | 210 |
| 8 MADISON | 36 | 25 | 26 | 28 | 30 | 32 | 141 |
| 9 ST CLAIR | 22 | 23 | 27 | 25 | 27 | 27 | 129 |
| 10 LASALLE | 27 | 25 | 25 | 23 | 22 | 22 | 117 |
| 11 ROCK ISLAND | 19 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 24 | 99 |
| 12 ADAMS | 11 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 21 | 91 |
| 13 PEORIA | 21 | 15 | 16 | 19 | 19 | 21 | 90 |
| 14 VERMILION | 15 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 87 |
| 15 MACON | 14 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 1 | 78 |
| 16 KANKAKEE | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 77 |
| 17 WHITESIDE | 14 | 15 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 17 | 71 |
| 18 OGLE |  | 13 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 67 |
| 19 DEKALB | 15 | 13 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 9 | 55 |
| 20 COLES | 14 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 12 | 53 |
| TOP 20 FACILITIES | 1212 | 1104 | 1123 | 1098 | 1094 | 1228 | 5647 |
| TOP 20 \% OVER ALL | 84.5\% | 82.8\% | 81.9\% | 82.1\% | 82.4\% | 82.4\% | 82.3\% |
| ALL REPORTING FACILITES | 1434 | 1333 | 1372 | 1338 | 1328 | 1490 | 6861 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Figure 6 shows the change in the number of reporting facilities from 1988 through 2001. The number of facilities increased in 1998 and 2001 due to the change in reporting requirements.

Figure 6

## Number of Reporting Facilities 1988-2001



## AIR RELEASE TREND

Table 24 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total combined stack and fugitive emissions releases for the top 20 counties in Illinois, which is 329.6 million pounds $(89.5 \%$ of the total amount released or transferred during these last five years). Hydrochloric Acid was reported as the chemical most released at 89.8 million pounds, followed by $n$-Hexane at 44.0 million pounds.

Figure 7 shows the change in the number of reporting facilities from 1988 through 2001. From the base year of 1988, there is a general downward trend in the number of reported air releases. The increase in 1998 was due to the addition of new reporting requirements.

Table 24

|  | CAS NO | CHEMCIAL NAME | $\begin{gathered} \text { BASE } \\ \text { YEAR } \\ 1988 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | COMBINED FUGITIVE AND STACK EMISSIONS (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  | TOTAL EMISSIONS 97-01 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 | 7647010 | HYDROCHLORIC ACID (1995 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 3049706 | 3246202 | 25042947 | 29023911 | 18846848 | 13668182 | 89828090 |
| 2 | 110543 | N-HEXANE |  | 9891754 | 10161935 | 7854726 | 8460254 | 7660587 | 44029256 |
| 3 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 8346378 | 11590173 | 6858708 | 4694811 | 2755455 | 2156197 | 28055344 |
| 4 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID (1994 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 1004568 | 1687245 | 8937525 | 7906220 | 4810059 | 3806644 | 27147693 |
| 5 | 75150 | CARBON DISULFIDE | 3265918 | 5377605 | 4414273 | 3501603 | 3267480 | 3376215 | 19937176 |
| 6 | 108883 | TOLUENE | 18763819 | 5222294 | 4334556 | 4108594 | 4032896 | 2224436 | 19922776 |
| 7 | 1330207 | XYLENE (MIXED ISOMERS) | 6953475 | 2891692 | 2631516 | 2510158 | 2397408 | 1705057 | 12135831 |
| 8 | 7664393 | HYDROGEN FLUORIDE | 177675 | 176637 | 3679061 | 2501185 | 2895393 | 2221349 | 11473625 |
| 9 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 2977045 | 2519394 | 2531266 | 2357856 | 2193107 | 1763729 | 11365352 |
| 10 | 100425 | STYRENE | 1817954 | 1890156 | 2135652 | 2411044 | 2248327 | 1741955 | 10427134 |
| 11 | 67561 | METHANOL | 3454168 | 2244415 | 1774776 | 1717408 | 1815457 | 2127642 | 9679698 |
| 12 | 75092 | DICHLOROMETHANE | 4441496 | 1989159 | 1760330 | 1639405 | 1039551 | 940167 | 7368612 |
| 13 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 5139280 | 1834533 | 1739658 | 1666849 | 1225736 | 842237 | 7309013 |
| 14 | 74851 | ETHYLENE | 5413770 | 1611136 | 1448444 | 1452690 | 1181634 | 1566780 | 7260684 |
| 15 | 79016 | TRICHLOROETHYLENE | 4285169 | 2639537 | 1615349 | 1253612 | 891972 | 577325 | 6977795 |
| 16 | 75683 | 1-CHLORO-1 1DIFLUOROETHANE |  | 870214 | 907270 | 951844 | 1023095 | 837797 | 4590220 |
| 17 | 71363 | N-BUTYL ALCOHOL | 1396092 | 882570 | 885814 | 794665 | 880339 | 422036 | 3865424 |
| 18 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 2121710 | 727826 | 794540 | 736729 | 668988 | 359706 | 3287789 |
| 19 | 108101 | METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE | 1714980 | 727455 | 636805 | 477581 | 370614 | 317071 | 2529526 |
| 20 | 1717006 | 1 1-DICHLORO-1FLUOROETHANE |  | 420521 | 487593 | 664192 | 534892 | 381137 | 2488335 |
| TOP 20 CHEMICALS TOTAL (AIR) |  |  | 74323203 | 58440518 | 82778018 | 78225083 | 61539504 | 48696249 | 329679372 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 64.83\% | 87.76\% | 90.55\% | 91.19\% | 89.86\% | 89.10\% | 89.85\% |
| ALL REPORTED CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 114640340 | 66592045 | 91414040 | 85786128 | 68484330 | 54652141 | 366928684 |

[^2]Figure 7


## AIR RELEASE TREND BY ZIP CODE

Table 25 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total combined stack and fugitive emissions releases for the top 20 zip code areas in Illinois, which is 229.1 million pounds ( $62.7 \%$ of the total amount released during these last five years). Decatur was reported as the zip code are with the most released at 37.2 million pounds, followed by Danville at 25.6 million pounds. Also, the analysis presented here is restricted to air emissions to give some indication of the possibility of human exposure. Of course, ZIP code areas vary in size and population. As the case has always been, toxic chemical release and transfer amounts are annual totals, so no inferences can be made from the following rankings relative to exposure dose and resultant human health effects of these air emissions in any of the ZIP codes listed.

From the base year of 1988, there is a general downward trend in the number of reported air releases. The increase in 1998 was due to the addition of new reporting requirements.

Table 25


[^3]
## WATER RELEASE TREND

Table 26 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total water releases for the top 20 chemicals in Illinois, which is 28.5 million pounds ( $99.6 \%$ of the total amount released during these last five years). Nitrate compounds were reported as the chemical most released at 27.3 million pounds, followed by ammonia at 235,103 pounds.

Table 26

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | BASE YEAR 1988 | WATER RELEASES (POUNDS) LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  | TOTAL RELEASES 97-01 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS |  | 4836694 | 6881494 | 6243853 | 6526785 | 7667387 | 27319519 |
| 2 | 7664417 | AMMONIA |  | 86208 | 64018 | 69382 | 48372 | 53730 | 235502 |
| 3 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS |  | 0 | 25372 | 125846 | 50588 | 71297 | 273103 |
| 4 | 67561 | METHANOL | 16500 | 60185 | 28700 | 23700 | 35795 | 27150 | 115345 |
| 5 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 4100 | 3039 | 11850 | 55516 | 21283 | 25590 | 114239 |
| 6 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 16300 | 14548 | 15571 | 33824 | 17685 | 14816 | 81896 |
| 7 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS |  | 16406 | 16250 | 17250 | 27250 | 1499 | 62249 |
| 8 | 107211 | ETHYLENE GLYCOL | 172800 | 11281 | 12065 | 14053 | 21030 | 9540 | 56688 |
| 9 | 7632000 | SODIUM NITRITE |  | 5422 | 14270 | 13948 | 15121 | 14515 | 57854 |
| 10 | N770 | VANADIUM COMPOUNDS |  |  |  |  | 28469 | 32407 | 60876 |
| 11 | 7782505 | CHLORINE | 41700 | 17041 | 18419 | 1940 | 9755 | 3869 | 33983 |
| 12 | 7439965 | MANGANESE | 26300 | 9212 | 9747 | 7273 | 7158 | 2961 | 27139 |
| 13 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 3600 | 722 | 6539 | 9422 | 3929 | 5597 | 25487 |
| 14 | 149304 | 2-MERCAPTO BENZOTHIAZOLE |  | 1025 | 6687 | 6097 | 5437 | 5110 | 23331 |
| 15 | 7440508 | COPPER | 10800 | 4992 | 4606 | 4292 | 5537 | 4770 | 19205 |
| 16 | 111422 | DIETHANOLAMINE | 60100 | 510 | 517 | 7074 | 4647 | 11006 | 23244 |
| 17 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 3200 | 611 | 1210 | 14025 | 1567 | 1570 | 18372 |
| 18 | N096 | COBALT COMPOUNDS |  | 858 | 1070 | 13545 | 1196 | 1254 | 17065 |
| 19 | 7440020 | NICKEL | 2700 | 3885 | 5117 | 2370 | 2523 | 2707 | 12717 |
| 20 | 7723140 | PHOSPHORUS (YELLOW OR WHITE) | 2000 | 3104 | 3511 | 3496 | 3298 | 2998 | 13303 |
| TOP 20 CHEMICALS TOTAL (WATER) |  |  | 360100 | 5075743 | 7127013 | 6666906 | 6837425 | 7959773 | 28591117 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 92.0\% | 99.7\% | 99.7\% | 99.4\% | 99.7\% | 99.8\% | 99.6\% |
| ALL REPORTED CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 391400 | 5093354 | 7151530 | 6709810 | 6854570 | 7979354 | 28695264 |

[^4]Figure 8 shows the change in the water releases and transfers from 1988 through 2001. From the base year of 1988, in contrast to the other trend data, there is a general upward trend in the number of reported water releases. The increase in 1998 was due to the addition of new reporting requirements.

Figure 8


## ON-SITE LAND RELEASE TREND

Table 27 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total on-site land releases for the top 20 chemicals in Illinois, which is 22.6 million pounds ( $99.8 \%$ of the total amount released during these last five years). Manganese compounds were reported as the chemical most released at 32.4 million pounds, followed by zinc compounds at 15.8 million pounds.

Table 27

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | BASE YEAR 1988 | TOTAL ONSITE LAND RELEASES (POUNDS) LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  | TOTAL RELEASES 97-01 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 2173 | 6496520 | 8792443 | 7391039 | 6972772 | 2786358 | 32439132 |
| 2 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 3760683 |  |  |  |  | 15767063 | 15767063 |
| 3 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 1400080 | 12000 | 3504015 | 3441650 | 4473233 | 0 | 11430898 |
| 4 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 262677 | 831739 | 2280457 | 2034965 | 1946074 | 1500017 | 8593252 |
| 5 | 7440666 | ZINC (FUME OR DUST) | 138 | 3781000 | 3997690 | 93954 |  | 0 | 7872644 |
| 6 | N090 | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS | 72793 | 1742320 | 1799812 | 1922605 | 1321458 | 438614 | 7224809 |
| 7 | 7439965 | MANGANESE | 1351566 | 742252 | 732963 | 784050 | 952604 | 0 | 3211869 |
| 8 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 850 | 8 | 527091 | 498329 | 548213 | 268450 | 1842091 |
| 9 | 7440508 | COPPER | 44906 | 7643 | 6130 | 11042 | 1645210 | 0 | 1670025 |
| 10 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 17125 | 1060 | 329376 | 386771 | 682246 | 222002 | 1621455 |
| 11 | N078 | CADMIUM COMPOUNDS |  |  | 22400 | 98200 | 54221 | 1338000 | 1512821 |
| 12 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS |  | 284147 | 57874 | 178771 | 17858 | 300104 | 838754 |
| 13 | 7429905 | ALUMINUM (FUME OR DUST) | 102271 | 330000 | 4800 | 1400 |  | 0 | 336200 |
| 14 | N020 | ARSENIC COMPOUNDS | 0 |  | 96680 | 158409 | 74051 | 778 | 329918 |
| 15 | 7440473 | CHROMIUM | 183545 | 49478 | 87965 | 48363 | 125544 | 0 | 311350 |
| 16 | 7439921 | LEAD | 60000 |  | 71850 | 129278 | 31342 | 2 | 232472 |
| 17 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 1978 | 37583 | 58228 | 29895 | 30470 | 68174 | 224350 |
| 18 | 7440020 | NICKEL | 2891 | 7442 | 39764 | 70151 | 94212 | 2062 | 213631 |
| 19 | N096 | COBALT COMPOUNDS | 0 | 1900 | 101592 | 77505 | 17445 | 1 | 198443 |
| 20 | 7632000 | SODIUM NITRITE |  | 0 | 191177 |  |  | 0 | 191177 |
| TOP 20 RELEASES (ONSITE LAND) |  |  | 7263676 | 14325092 | 22702307 | 17356377 | 18986953 | 22691625 | 96062354 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 37.8\% | 98.9\% | 98.7\% | 98.3\% | 98.7\% | 99.8\% | 98.9\% |
| ALL REPORTED RELEASES TOTAL |  |  | 19236659 | 14478288 | 23011945 | 17665124 | 19238673 | 22740576 | 97134606 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Figure 9 shows the change in the on-site land releases from 1988 through 2001. From the base year of 1988, in contrast to the other trend data, there is a general upward trend in the number of reported on-site land releases. The increase in 1998 was due to the addition of new reporting requirements.

Figure 9


## OFF-SITE TRANSFER TO POTWs TREND

Table 28 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total off-site transfers to POTWs for the top 20 chemicals in Illinois, which is 59.3 million pounds $(96.2 \%$ of the total amount transferred during these last five years). Nitrate compounds were reported as the chemical most released or transferred at 26.7 million pounds, followed by ammonia at 7.4 million pounds.

## Table 28

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | BASE YEAR 1988 | OFFSITE TRANSFERS TO POTW (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  | TOTAL <br> TRANSFERS <br> $97-01$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS |  | 4041908 | 4687400 | 5760914 | 6361984 | 5887467 | 26739673 |
| 2 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 1050007 | 1844444 | 1393717 | 1513277 | 1619914 | 1037633 | 7408985 |
| 3 | 67561 | METHANOL | 2049815 | 1565219 | 1246153 | 1660803 | 1183596 | 701833 | 6357604 |
| 4 | 64186 | FORMIC ACID |  | 1048734 | 1312598 | 1054427 | 79714 | 0 | 3495473 |
| 5 | 108952 | PHENOL | 1207206 | 920019 | 627530 | 533408 | 397727 | 273015 | 2751699 |
| 6 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID (1994 <br> AND AFTER "ACID <br> AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 10385421 | 156074 | 101487 | 707346 | 194003 | 1008537 | 2167447 |
| 7 | 78933 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { METHYL ETHYL } \\ & \text { KETONE } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 13970 | 320516 | 306207 | 354655 | 324522 | 469713 | 1775613 |
| 8 | 7664393 | HYDROGEN FLUORIDE | 30600 | 314995 | 556908 | 318586 | 251265 | 222886 | 1664640 |
| 9 | N230 | CERTAIN GLYCOL ETHERS | 545757 | 276479 | 331316 | 208961 | 299468 | 184323 | 1300547 |
| 10 | 100027 | 4-NITROPHENOL | 400000 | 6419 | 600208 | 523169 | 59511 |  | 1189307 |
| 11 | 7632000 | SODIUM NITRITE |  | 235097 | 198158 | 66703 | 296505 | 97093 | 893556 |
| 12 | 7439965 | MANGANESE | 23567 | 241824 | 574780 | 2457 | 5772 | 6844 | 831677 |
| 13 | 75150 | CARBON DISULFIDE | 36750 | 174780 | 158922 | 51690 | 48207 | 45409 | 479008 |
| 14 | 107211 | ETHYLENE GLYCOL | 454577 | 151833 | 49703 | 42728 | 105331 | 34436 | 384031 |
| 15 | 95476 | O-XYLENE |  | 109012 | 138920 | 115602 | 9396 | 12 | 372942 |
| 16 | 62533 | ANILINE | 688416 | 41000 | 74639 | 70369 | 86773 | 79035 | 351816 |
| 17 | 7697372 | NITRIC ACID | 336929 | 111290 | 63720 | 18126 | 74081 | 59956 | 327173 |
| 18 | 7664382 | PHOSPHORIC ACID | 761482 | 189356 | 131657 |  |  |  | 321013 |
| 19 | 78922 | SEC-BUTYL ALCOHOL | 7200 | 51519 | 49161 | 56907 | 51913 | 75185 | 284685 |
| 20 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 166391 | 57070 | 50060 | 40764 | 46380 | 58372 | 252646 |
| TOP 20 CHEMICALS TOTAL (POTW) |  |  | 18158088 | 11857588 | 12653244 | 13100892 | 11496062 | 10241749 | 59349535 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVERALL |  |  | 25.7\% | 94.8\% | 95.6\% | 96.1\% | 97.6\% | 97.3\% | 96.2\% |
| ALL REPORTED CHEMICALS TOTAL |  |  | 70609561 | 12502286 | 13242386 | 13629029 | 11775842 | 10521503 | 61671045 |

[^5]Figure 10 shows the change in the off-site transfer to POTWs from 1988 through 2001. From the base year of 1988, there is a general downward trend in the number of reported off-site transfers to POTWs.

Figure 10


## OTHER OFF-SITE TRANSFER TREND

Table 29 presents a five-year summation (1997-2001) of the total other off-site transfers for the top 20 chemicals in Illinois, which is 176.5 million pounds $(91.9 \%$ of the total amount transferred during these last five years). Zinc compounds were reported as the chemical most released or transferred at 80.0 million pounds, followed by manganese compounds at 2.2 million pounds.

Table 29

|  | CAS \# | CHEMICAL NAME | BASE <br> YEAR <br> 1988 | OTHER OFF-SITE TRANSFERS (POUNDS) |  |  |  |  | TOTAL TRANSFERS 97-01 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | LAST FIVE YEARS |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |  |
| 1 | N982 | ZINC COMPOUNDS | 6974689 | 15371855 | 17331789 | 16414599 | 18900219 | 12032711 | 80051173 |
| 2 | N450 | MANGANESE COMPOUNDS | 1339031 | 2925944 | 3956240 | 5552083 | 4876618 | 4591215 | 21902100 |
| 3 | 85449 | PHTHALIC ANHYDRIDE | 2864647 | 2881496 | 3765102 | 2828724 | 2505214 | 4501 | 11985037 |
| 4 | N040 | BARIUM COMPOUNDS | 2675594 | 212489 | 906177 | 2152477 | 2504936 | 2488132 | 8264211 |
| 5 | N090 | CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS | 605927 | 701192 | 1343694 | 1927963 | 1814955 | 1395412 | 7183216 |
| 6 | N420 | LEAD COMPOUNDS | 1041021 | 1258415 | 1632351 | 1664702 | 1411039 | 950353 | 6916860 |
| 7 | 7440508 | COPPER | 1083063 | 1269800 | 780486 | 799500 | 842528 | 2285395 | 5977709 |
| 8 | 7440666 | ZINC (FUME OR DUST) | 2267562 | 135758 | 216602 | 1626490 | 1975567 | 1494999 | 5449416 |
| 9 | N100 | COPPER COMPOUNDS | 468451 | 274179 | 775803 | 895229 | 978806 | 1090897 | 4014914 |
| 10 | 7664417 | AMMONIA | 13726 | 118306 | 279549 | 266995 | 604668 | 2583439 | 3852957 |
| 11 | 7429905 | ALUMINUM (FUME OR DUST) | 179644 | 816170 | 746762 | 1026844 | 527920 | 628211 | 3745907 |
| 12 | N495 | NICKEL COMPOUNDS | 97773 | 130185 | 627478 | 600969 | 671367 | 558073 | 2588072 |
| 13 | 78933 | METHYL ETHYL KETONE | 144515 | 33864 | 10370 | 9040 | 7837 | 2266189 | 2327300 |
| 14 | 7664939 | SULFURIC ACID (1994 AND AFTER "ACID AEROSOLS" ONLY) | 235755 | 176400 | 114139 | 21719 | 120750 | 1694395 | 2127403 |
| 15 | 7697372 | NITRIC ACID | 76490 | 338679 | 304647 | 220990 | 240661 | 919065 | 2024042 |
| 16 | 100425 | STYRENE | 220931 | 238322 | 255374 | 174614 | 316917 | 900134 | 1885361 |
| 17 | N511 | NITRATE COMPOUNDS |  | 28668 | 60994 | 305168 | 941253 | 368966 | 1705049 |
| 18 | 7439965 | MANGANESE | 1019959 | 346817 | 233758 | 321493 | 449944 | 264221 | 1616233 |
| 19 | 7439921 | LEAD | 1168724 | 209037 | 305202 | 337323 | 330269 | 402649 | 1584480 |
| 20 | 67561 | METHANOL | 72353 | 12964 | 29525 | 35847 | 25349 | 1152983 | 1256668 |
| TOP 20 OTHER OFF-SITE TRANSFERS |  |  | 22549855 | 27480540 | 33676042 | 37182769 | 40046817 | 38071940 | 176458108 |
| TOP 20 PERCENTAGE OVER ALL |  |  | 33.0\% | 92.2\% | 94.1\% | 94.3\% | 93.5\% | 86.0\% | 91.9\% |
| ALL REPORTING OTHER OFF-SITE TRANSFERS |  |  | 68265637 | 29792470 | 35802380 | 39439595 | 42812938 | 44244451 | 192091833 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Figure 11 shows the change in the other off-site transfers from 1988 through 2001. From the base year of 1988 to 1992 there was a downward trend in the number of reported other off-site transfers. However, from 1996 to 2001 there has been a gradual upward trend.

Figure 11


## SPECIAL TREND ANALYSIS, 1992-2001(TRI-10)

Last year, in the Fourteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report, the Illinois EPA presented a special trend analysis using a ten-year time frame (TRI-10)(1991-2000). This TRI-10 analysis was a comparative yardstick that showed how specific areas around Illinois have performed for toxic chemical releases. Some areas of the State saw decreases in aggregate releases while other areas had increases or little change.

In this Fifteenth Annual Toxic Chemical Report, this special trend analysis is repeated, however, the cycle was shifted to calendar years 1992 as the beginning year of TRI-10, and 2001 as the final year to show a sliding time-frame. Another change is that the analysis is presented for the Illinois counties, rather than zip code.

## RELEASE ANALYSIS BY COUNTY

The Agency analyzed the counties in Illinois to determine the number that had reported increases and decreases in TRI releases and transfers. The current analysis includes a total of 94 counties

Table 30 shows the total number of counties that had a TRI-10 increase. Forty-one counties had a combined increase in releases and transfers of 57.3 million pounds between 1992 and 2001.

Table 31 shows the total number of counties that had a TRI-10 decrease for 2001. Forty-eight counties had a combined decrease in releases and transfers of 56.7 million pounds between 1992 and 2001.

The net change in reported releases and transfers during this ten-year study period was a total increase of 651,791 pounds. It is important to highlight that over the TRI-10 period the reporting requirements have changed in specific years where more facilities are required to report. For example, there were seven new industrial categories that were required to report for the first time in 1998, and in 2001 there were additional requirements to report lead. This analysis uses raw totals that are not normalized as has been done in the past.

Table 30

|  |  | COUNTIES WITH CHANGE <br> IN RELEASE \& TRANSFERS (POUNDS) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1992 | 2000 | 2001 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { TRI01 } \\ & \text { 92-01 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1 | PEORIA | 3515481 | 31821635 | 31890774 | 28375293 |
| 2 | MACON | 1261362 | 7405156 | 8494566 | 7233204 |
| 3 | MONTGOMERY | 96191 | 7932752 | 4768718 | 4672527 |
| 4 | TAZEWELL | 648265 | 4764568 | 4179079 | 3530814 |
| 5 | VERMILION | 4693990 | 8476617 | 7356199 | 2662209 |
| 6 | WILL | 3556008 | 7234107 | 5297701 | 1741693 |
| 7 | CHRISTIAN | 0 | 1646490 | 1345692 | 1345692 |
| 8 | ADAMS | 327163 | 1372404 | 1473143 | 1145980 |
| 9 | MORGAN | 160524 | 1453477 | 1284529 | 1124005 |
| 10 | SANGAMON | 308802 | 2373415 | 1086015 | 777213 |
| 11 | MASON | 500 | 468393 | 532294 | 531794 |
| 12 | CASS | 572379 | 353186 | 1088333 | 515954 |
| 13 | CRAWFORD | 927237 | 1265209 | 1380486 | 453249 |
| 14 | MCLEAN | 185835 | 764601 | 637148 | 451313 |
| 15 | IROQUOIS | 49173 | 147678 | 440450 | 391277 |
| 16 | RANDOLPH | 44605 | 1515326 | 397099 | 352494 |
| 17 | WINNEBAGO | 2027929 | 1363146 | 2301882 | 273953 |
| 18 | JASPER |  | 2548923 | 272772 | 272772 |
| 19 | LOGAN | 8335 | 375011 | 272637 | 264302 |
| 20 | HARDIN | 2832 | 262294 | 262294 | 259462 |
| 21 | ALEXANDER | 724017 | 927474 | 934345 | 210328 |
| 22 | STEPHENSON | 265041 | 242319 | 470041 | 205000 |
| 23 | LASALLE | 3481949 | 2668473 | 3610362 | 128413 |
| 24 | CHAMPAIGN | 98681 | 197469 | 192745 | 94064 |
| 25 | MARSHALL | 394197 | 357621 | 484363 | 90166 |
| 26 | JEFFERSON | 60747 | 129196 | 144701 | 83954 |
| 27 | PERRY | 2646 | 46611 | 51691 | 49045 |
| 28 | MCDONOUGH | 62672 | 980201 | 107207 | 44535 |
| 29 | LEE | 75091 | 45256 | 96249 | 21158 |
| 30 | CAIRO |  |  | 20399 | 20399 |
| 31 | QUINCY |  |  | 10759 | 10759 |
| 32 | MACOUPIN | 0 | 0 | 10425 | 10425 |
| 33 | FAYETTE | 1515 | 19725 | 8006 | 6491 |
| 34 | WARREN | 43758 | 7141 | 48141 | 4383 |
| 35 | PIKE | 1614 | 230381 | 5640 | 4026 |
| 36 | FORD | 3397 | 1750 | 6996 | 3599 |
| 37 | SALINE |  | 6270 | 3562 | 3562 |
| 38 | WABASH | 1939 | 3005 | 4513 | 2574 |
| 39 | STARK | 1010 | 462 | 3543 | 2533 |
| 40 | SHELBY |  | 31224 | 999 | 999 |
| 41 | MERCER | 500 | 500 | 793 | 293 |
| TOT | AL INCREASE | 23605385 | 89439463 | 80977291 | 57371906 |

Note: Some number differences may be due to database query methods and rounding

Table 31

|  |  | COUNTIES WITH CHANGE <br> IN RELEASE \& TRANSFERS (POUNDS) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1992 | 2000 | 2001 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { TRI01 } \\ 92-01 \end{gathered}$ |
| 1 | DOUGLAS | 24035483 | 861288 | 760435 | -23275048 |
| 2 | WHITESIDE | 13481236 | 6206694 | 3032169 | -10449067 |
| 3 | COOK | 32368198 | 22267092 | 27505863 | -4862335 |
| 4 | PUTNAM | 2086500 | 256008 | 196402 | -1890098 |
| 5 | COLES | 1603065 | 1253681 | 176514 | -1426551 |
| 6 | JODAVIESS | 2567119 | 1346750 | 1147386 | -1419733 |
| 7 | MADISON | 8619348 | 15194967 | 7390308 | -1229040 |
| 8 | LAKE | 1705902 | 1239935 | 532165 | -1173737 |
| 9 | ST. CLAIR | 4685680 | 3970765 | 3532594 | -1153086 |
| 10 | ROCK ISLAND | 6220478 | 4044460 | 5094924 | -1125554 |
| 11 | KANE | 1553691 | 476601 | 555259 | -998432 |
| 12 | GRUNDY | 2381936 | 1073958 | 1549587 | -832349 |
| 13 | WASHINGTON | 800045 | 64146 | 1997 | -798048 |
| 14 | FULTON | 887955 | 0 | 257648 | -630307 |
| 15 | KANKAKEE | 1586630 | 4130743 | 1015912 | -570718 |
| 16 | JACKSON | 542992 | 305267 | 37877 | -505115 |
| 17 | BOONE | 689175 | 162686 | 213606 | -475569 |
| 18 | KENDALL | 391474 | 29667 | 44 | -391430 |
| 19 | DEWITT | 384125 | 27613 | 27050 | -357075 |
| 20 | KNOX | 560847 | 361669 | 274599 | -286248 |
| 21 | RICHLAND | 274688 | 25969 |  | -274688 |
| 22 | WILLIAMSON | 451668 | 665953 | 180306 | -271362 |
| 23 | FRANKLIN | 538100 | 887382 | 268882 | -269218 |
| 24 | DUPAGE | 1556802 | 2930517 | 1300839 | -255963 |
| 25 | MARION | 976781 | 941329 | 740920 | -235861 |
| 26 | BUREAU | 257394 | 76329 | 47465 | -209929 |
| 27 | MOULTRIE | 300798 | 146955 | 92257 | -208541 |
| 28 | MCHENRY | 1174816 | 722693 | 975603 | -199213 |
| 29 | DEKALB | 274697 | 128586 | 116364 | -158333 |
| 30 | LAWRENCE | 138465 | 0 | 25127 | -113338 |
| 31 | WOODFORD | 103157 | 26075 | 277 | -102880 |
| 32 | CLARK | 81541 | 17308 | -15958 | -97499 |
| 33 | CUMBERLAND | 96000 |  |  | -96000 |
| 34 | EFFINGHAM | 202146 | 171722 | 119369 | -82777 |
| 35 | LIVINGSTON | 136073 | 136122 | 75839 | -60234 |
| 36 | MASSAC | 86568 | 616357 | 43244 | -43324 |
| 37 | CLINTON | 68104 | 14293 | 25003 | -43101 |
| 38 | WAYNE | 42699 | 28319 | 1 | -42698 |
| 39 | WHITE | 36388 | 12293 | 2716 | -33672 |
| 40 | HENRY | 32862 | 7387 | 7292 | -25570 |
| 41 | OGLE | 1620309 | 1557217 | 1603420 | -16889 |
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| 43 | CARROLL | 33750 | 5 | 25156 | -8594 |
| 44 | CLAY | 86803 | 62294 | 83744 | -3059 |
| 45 | HANCOCK | 3020 | 2570 |  | -3020 |
| 46 | BOND | 25522 | 29411 | 23720 | -1802 |
| 47 | UNION | 565 | 0 |  | -565 |
| 48 | PIATT | 23055 | 20481 | 23046 | -9 |
| TOT | AL DECREASE | 115846728 | 72649785 | 59126613 | -56720115 |

## ILLINOIS EPA REGULATORY PROGRAMS

The Illinois EPA operates a number of programs, which identify, limit, monitor or otherwise control releases of various chemicals including many toxic chemicals regulated under Section 313. The following is a brief summary of those programs.

## BUREAU OF AIR

Pollutant Monitoring - A statewide system of air monitoring instruments provides information on various air pollutants either continuously or every two to six days depending on instrument operation.

Permitting - Permits are required for processes and machinery that emit air pollutants. Permit conditions are imposed, which are designed to ensure that state emission restrictions are met. Approximately 21,000 operating permits have been issued for 7,600 facilities in Illinois.

Chemical releases to the air can occur from point sources such as stacks and vents or from nonpoint (fugitive) sources such as emissions from open-top holding tanks, wastewater streams or ponds, or from production losses. If these releases are subsequently captured or destroyed, no exposure occurs and, therefore, no toxic response is possible.

For some permitted releases, permit requirements are written to control chemicals of toxicological importance to the extent possible such that any exposure would be at a level of insignificance to the general public. Certain releases not covered by permits can be monitored by the Agency's statewide air monitoring network.

Air Toxics Program - The Agency is delegated to implement and enforce the federal standards under Section 112 of the CAAA, which limit the air releases of Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs). Expanded air toxics regulation has been authorized by legislation, which added Section 9.5 to the Illinois Environmental Protection Act for the purpose of identifying and limiting releases of toxic air contaminants. Pursuant to Section 9.5, the Agency has evaluated a number of toxic air contaminants. As a result of this evaluation, a revised list of 343 chemicals and compounds has been adopted by the Illinois Pollution Control Board (IPCB) as the Illinois Toxic Air Contaminants List. The list consists of Illinois Toxic Air Contaminants, Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) and Great Lakes and Great Waters pollutants.

Compliance/Enforcement - More than 3,000 facility inspections are conducted each year to verify compliance with regulations and permit conditions. Violations are referred to the Office of the Attorney General for prosecution.

## BUREAU OF LAND

Pollutant Monitoring - Information on waste stream characteristics, groundwater quality, hydrological and geological parameters and soil contamination are collected by the Illinois EPA and in many instances are also supplied to the Illinois EPA by regulated facilities.

Permitting - Permits are required for persons who treat, store or dispose of certain wastes. Applicants have to demonstrate that landfills are properly designed and constructed so as to prevent or minimize any adverse impacts to human health or the environment. In addition, any special wastes, industrial process, pollution control residual or hazardous wastes, have to be properly identified and analyzed before they can be permitted to be land filled. In many cases, hazardous wastes have to be recycled, incinerated, treated to certain standards or rendered nonhazardous prior to land filling. Permits for land disposal facilities require the applicant to monitor groundwater and submit reports to the Agency. The groundwater monitoring programs thus identify whether there have been releases from regulated facilities, and the need for remedial action. Permits have been issued to approximately 530 ( 450 hazardous and 80 hazardous) public and private waste treatment, storage and disposal facilities.

Compliance/Enforcement - To ensure that treatment, storage and disposal facilities continue to meet interim or final operating, monitoring and reporting requirements, on-site investigations, sampling visits and records review are done to verify compliance with regulations and permit conditions. Through non-compliance letters, meeting with the facilities and appropriate referral of enforcement actions compliance is tracked and maintained.

Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) - Subtitle C of RCRA provides the authority for the development and implementation of a comprehensive hazardous waste management program. The intent of the Act is to control hazardous wastes; to eliminate environmentally unsound disposal practices; to increase the opportunity for resource conservation and recovery; and to provide for the environmentally acceptable disposal of hazardous wastes.

The Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments to RCRA in 1984 include, among other changes, the authority to make a facility take corrective action for any release. Subtitle D of RCRA establishes a voluntary program through which states receive federal technical support to develop and implement solid waste management plans. These plans are intended to promote waste reduction and recycling of solid wastes, and require the closing or upgrading of all environmentally unsound dumps. Additionally, minimum technical standards are in place for all solid waste landfills.

Approximately 200 facilities are subject to regulation under the provisions of RCRA.

## BUREAU OF WATER - DIVISION OF WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

Pollutant Monitoring - A statewide network of 207 stream monitoring locations is routinely used to assess physical, chemical, biological and bacteriological properties of all surface water and also provides information on ambient conditions and water quality trends. This network is augmented by periodic intensive surveys of the 15 major river basins in the state as well as ongoing programs to measure pollutant levels in sediment and fish flesh.

Permitting - Specific pollutant concentration and mass limitations and monitoring/reporting requirements are incorporated into permits for discharge to surface waters for the approximately 2500 municipal, industrial and commercial dischargers in the state. Chemical releases to surface
waters may be permitted if it can be shown that the release will conform to state and federal requirements for technology-based treatment and will not cause or contribute to violations of water quality standards established by the IPCB to protect designated uses of these waters. Thus, it may be required that the chemical be treated, removed, broken down or otherwise controlled to a point where the remaining amount will not be harmful to humans, fish and other aquatic life and wildlife, depending on the designated use of the body of water. Revisions of the toxic provisions of the state's water quality standards currently before the IPCB are designed to increase the Agency's ability to protect these waters.

Compliance/Enforcement - Field staff inspect facilities to determine compliance with permit conditions. Sampling by field staff and subsequent analyses characterize the chemical and physical make-up of the discharge. Biomonitoring and facility-related stream surveys are also used to quantify this impact on aquatic life in the receiving stream. Self-monitoring reports submitted by facilities, as required by permits, are evaluated for compliance. Unresolved violations are referred to the Office of Attorney General for prosecution.

## BUREAU OF WATER - DIVISION OF PUBLIC WATER SUPPLIES

Pollutant Monitoring - Monitoring is conducted through regular testing of samples of raw and treated water from each public water supply. Testing includes microbiological, inorganic and organic chemicals, and radiological parameters.

Permitting - Owners or official custodians of facilities that wish to install new equipment or water mains or to modify existing equipment or distribution systems are required to obtain a construction permit. Once construction has been completed, an operating permit must be obtained prior to start of operation before putting new construction into operation. Agency personnel review permit applications to ensure proper system design and compliance with applicable regulations. Approximately 1,930 community water supply systems throughout the state are subject to the construction and operating permit requirements of the Agency. Permits are also issued for algae control, for pesticide application upstream of public water supply intakes, and for the waste disposal permit requirements that apply to public water supply treatment wastes.

The Agency administers the minimum and maximum setback zone procedures, which provide for a buffer area between public water supply wells and sources of possible chemical contamination of those wells, and is responsible for the hazard certification program, which registers all sites posing minimum hazard and provides an exemption from setback requirements.

Compliance/Enforcement - Agency field personnel regularly inspect public water supply systems and also respond to complaints and requests for assistance. Technical assistance provided by the Agency has proven to be extremely cost effective in helping supplies maintain adequate operations. In addition, other aspects of the groundwater protection program are conducted by the Agency. In cases of violations of water supply standards, permit requirements or certification requirements, the Agency will initiate enforcement action through the Office of the Attorney General.

## OFFICE OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Emergency Response - Regulations require immediate reporting of emergency releases of many chemicals to the State. The Illinois EPA works within the State response system to provide technical advice to spillers and responding governmental units during response, mitigation and cleanup of incidents involving chemical emergencies. Over 2,400 such incidents were handled by the Agency in 2000.

Emergency Preparedness - The Agency also administers certain provisions of the Illinois Chemical Safety Act (ICSA). The ICSA requires facility contingency planning for dealing with releases of chemical substances, and provides for review and recommendations for improvement of contingency plans by the Illinois EPA following significant releases of chemical substances. Approximately 2,300 facilities are regulated under the provisions of the ICSA.

Federal PCB Compliance - the federal government under the authority of the Toxic Substances Control Act regulates the use of certain toxic substances such as Polychlorinated Biphenyls. Pursuant to a cooperative agreement, Illinois EPA staff conduct compliance inspections of such substances for the U.S. EPA who initiate any subsequent enforcement actions. This is one of the few Agency programs that address the use aspect of chemicals in contrast to addressing them as a waste, release or residue.

Compliance/Enforcement - Spills reported as emergencies are evaluated to determine the need for prevention and remediation measures. Cooperation is achieved in most cases, but formal compliance actions or even referral for prosecution are sometimes necessary to obtain the desired relief.

## OFFICE OF POLLUTON PREVENTION

The Illinois Pollution Prevention Act was passed in 1992. This act may lead to new approaches to preventing pollution in Illinois. The Toxic Pollution Prevention Act of 1989 provides that manufacturing industries in Illinois may elect to develop toxic pollution prevention innovation plans in order to reduce the releases of toxic substances by various manufacturing processes which operate in the state. The Illinois EPA is to concur in innovation plans which will be effective in preventing toxic pollution, provided the plan will achieve the level of toxic pollution prevention of other available processes, and provided the plan will not reasonably be expected to have any significant adverse effect on public health or the environment.

The Illinois Materials Exchange Service, operated by the Agency, identifies potential waste materials for which a facility is attempting to find a potential user so that the materials can be recycled instead of being discarded as a waste. The Illinois EPA also identifies potential waste materials, which are being sought by facilities for use in their process as a raw material. The Illinois EPA also operates an internship program in cooperation with several universities, in an effort to work with Illinois industries to identify opportunities to reduce the generation of waste through the manufacturing process.

## UTILIZATION OF FORM R DATA

Data reported on Form R has been utilized in many ways. Some examples are as follows:


#### Abstract

AIR PROGRAM

Form R data is being used in conjunction with seasonal emissions reports to help evaluate performance by participants in the Emissions Reduction Market System. The Bureau of Air also utilizes Form R data to identify facilities for regulation under delegated provisions of the federal Clean Air Act Amendments.


## ILLINOIS CHEMICAL SAFETY ACT (ICSA)

Section 313 (Form R) data is utilized in the process of adding facilities for coverage under the ICSA. Form R data is also being reviewed to determine compliance with the ICSA by facilities reporting under Section 313.

## STORM WATER PERMITS

Form R data is used to identify facilities for storm water permitting activities under the federal Clean Water Act Amendments.

## HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE OPERATIONS

Form R information is used by the Illinois EPA's Bureau of Land to identify toxic chemicals present at hazardous waste sites for a number of programmatic reasons.

## POLLUTION PREVENTION

Beginning with reporting year 1991, Form R data has been utilized as a tool for analyzing pollution prevention efforts.

## NON-ROUTINE RELEASES

Beginning with reporting year 1991, Form R information is being utilized to verify that appropriate emergency notification has been given by facilities, which have experienced nonroutine releases of toxic chemicals.

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

Various individuals and citizen groups have requested Form R data for a variety of purposes, including generation of a report to a citizen group's constituency. Many such requests are made to support site investigations related to property transfer.

## ENVIRONMENTAL TOXICOLOGY ACT

The Illinois Department of Public Health may use Form R data as input to the health assessments mandated by this Act for Superfund and Clean Illinois sites.

## HEALTH AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES REGISTRY ACT

The Illinois Department of Public Health has requested and received Form R data to use as inputs to this Registry.

## INFORMATION SUPPORT DURING CHEMICAL EMERGENCIES

The Illinois EPA has used Form R data to determine what chemicals might have been released during facility chemical emergencies involving fire or explosion.

## LOCAL SAFETY ACTIVITIES

In addition to handling planning and response activities under the Illinois Chemical Safety Act, local governments have been actively developing and pursuing emergency response and preparedness capabilities under Title III. Local officials used Form R data as input to their emergency response plans.

## CHEMICAL EXPOSURE SCREENING

Local public health departments and the U. S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) have requested identification of facilities in certain areas, which release specific chemicals for the purpose of targeting exposure screening for facility employees.

## ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

The Illinois EPA uses Form R data as indicators of environmental performance in its Annual Environmental Conditions Report.

## OTHER USES

An industrial trade association has requested pollution prevention information from Form Rs for some of its member facilities.

Form R data from the Illinois Toxic Chemical Inventory has been provided to be used, along with other data, to analyze critical environmental trends in Illinois.

Utility companies in Illinois have requested Form R information for their customers to support them in release reduction.

The Illinois EPA used Form R information, along with EPCRA Section 312 information, to assess the Year 2000 preparedness of chemical facilities in Illinois.

## CHANGES IN REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The following changes have been made by USEPA for calendar year 2001:

- Starting with reporting year 2001, lead and lead compounds are classified as persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) chemicals. The reporting thresholds for lead and lead compounds, except lead contained in stainless steel, brass or bronze alloys have been lowered to 100 pounds.
- The EPCRA section 313 Chemical Lists has been updated to reflect that the de minimis exemption is not applicable for lead and lead compounds, except for supplier notification purposes and except for lead when it is contained in stainless steel, brass or bronze alloys.
- The de minimis level for dimethylformamide and saccharin has been changed from $0.1 \%$ to $1.0 \%$.
- The de minimus level for 1,2-butylene oxide, catechol, chloroprene, chlorthalonil, C.I. Solvent Yellow 3, dichlorbromomethane, ethylbenzene, alpha-hexaclorocyclohexane, and hexachloroethane has been changed from $1.0 \%$ to $0.1 \%$.
- The qualifier for isopropyl alcohol has been changed to match the qualifier in the Code of Federal Regulations.
- Starting with reporting year 2000, new chemical activity threshold levels are set for persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) chemicals and chemical categories.
- For PBT chemicals (except lead when it is contained in stainless steel, bras or bronze alloy) and chemical categories, the de minimus exemption, Form A, and range reporting are now allowed.
- The Alternate Threshold provides eligible facilities with the option of submitting a simplified Form A instead of the full Form R for the non-PBT chemicals and chemical categories.


## APPENDIX A - FORM R

(Note: Due to the length of the instructions for completing Form R, only the form for RY2001 is included in Appendix A.)


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* For Dioxin or Dioxin-like compounds, report in grams/year


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    ** Lead was not a PBT chemical in 2000 is therefore excluded from the totals for 2000
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