

# The River Basin Districts Typology, Standards and Groundwater threshold values (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Directions 2009

The Secretary of State and the Welsh Ministers, with the agreement of the Secretary of State to the extent that there is any effect in England or those parts of Wales that are within the catchment areas of the rivers Dee, Wye and Severn, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 40(2) of the Environment Act 1995(a) and now vested in them(b), and having consulted the Environment Agency, hereby give the following Directions to the Environment Agency for the implementation of Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy(c):

## Citation and commencement and extent

1.—(1) These Directions may be cited as the River Basin Districts Typology, Standards and Groundwater threshold values (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Direction 2009 and shall come into force on 22nd December 2009.

## Interpretation

2.—(1) In these Directions—

“the Agency” means the Environment Agency;

“the Groundwater Directive” means Directive 2006/118/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the protection of groundwater against pollution and deterioration(d);

“the Priority Substances Directive” means Directive 2008/105/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on environmental quality standards in the field of water policy(e);

“threshold value” has the same meaning as in the Groundwater Directive; and

“the Directive” means Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23rd October 2000 establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy.

(2) Any expression used in both these Directions and the Directive and not otherwise defined in this Direction has the same meaning for the purposes of this Direction as it has for the purposes of the Directive.

## Application of the Directions

3. For the purposes of Article 4(2) of the Directive, where an environmental standard has been specified for a parameter or quality element as regards any protected area, or part of such area, of a type referred to in section 1 of Annex IV to the Directive, and that environmental standard is more stringent than the equivalent environmental standard specified in Part 2 of the Schedule to

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(a) 1995 c. 25.

(b) By article 2 of and schedule 1 to the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672), the functions under section 40 of the Environment Act 1995 are exercisable by the Secretary of State and the National Assembly for Wales concurrently in relation to the Environment Agency as a cross border body. The functions of the National Assembly for Wales are now exercisable by the Welsh Ministers by virtue of section 162 of and schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32). The Welsh Ministers may exercise these functions only with the agreement of the Secretary of State where such exercise would have an effect in England or where the exercise of the functions relates to matters including water resources management, rivers or other water courses or control of pollution of water resources, in those parts of Wales which are within the catchment areas of the rivers Dee, Wye or Severn.

(c) O.J. No. L327, 22.12.2000, p. 1; as last amended by Directive 2008/105/EC of the European Parliament and Council on environmental standards in the field of water policy (OJ No. L348, 16.12.2009, p.84.

(d) OJ No L 327, 27.12.2006, p.19.

(e) OJ No L348, 24.12.2008, p.84

these Directions in respect of the same parameter or quality element, then the more stringent standard shall apply.

### **Directions**

4. For the purposes of characterisation, classification, objective setting, establishing programmes of measures and monitoring of water bodies, the Agency is directed as follows.

5. Subject to paragraph 6, in order to work towards achieving the environmental objectives laid down in the Directive, and in particular when exercising the functions listed in paragraph 7, the Agency must, as applicable, in respect of inland waters, transitional waters and coastal waters, or parts of such waters—

- (a) assign a Type or Types in accordance with Part 2 of the Schedule;
- (b) apply environmental standards to each river, lake, transitional water and coastal water, or part of such river, lake, transitional water or coastal water, according to its assigned Type or Types, as applicable, in accordance with Part 3 of the Schedule;
- (c) apply the standards for Specific Pollutants in accordance with Part 4 of the Schedule;
- (d) apply the environmental quality standards for priority substances in accordance with Part 5 of the Schedule;
- (e) apply the biological element status boundary values in accordance with Part 6 of the Schedule; and
- (f) apply the threshold values for groundwater in Table 1 of Part 7 of the schedule to each body of groundwater and, if any threshold value is exceeded, undertake an appropriate investigation to determine whether or not the applicable conditions for good groundwater chemical status are met in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 4 of the Groundwater Directive.

6. Except where the quality elements are so affected by the use and modified characteristics of an artificial or heavily modified water body as to make them inappropriate for classifying that water body, the quality elements and standards applicable to such a water body shall be those applicable to the surface water body type most closely comparable to that water body.

7.—(1) The functions referred to in paragraph 5 are—

- (a) any review of the characterisation of each river basin district;
- (b) monitoring and classifying the status of the water environment in each river basin district;
- (c) the setting of environmental objectives for each body of surface water in each river basin district; and
- (d) preparing a programme of measures to achieve those objectives.

(2) The values for the boundary between ‘moderate’ and ‘poor’ and the boundary between ‘poor’ and ‘bad’ for the physico-chemical elements listed in Part 3 of the Schedule must not be used for the processes at sub-paragraph (b).

### **Solway Tweed River Basin District**

8.—(1) In relation to the Solway Tweed River Basin District, in order to ensure a common approach, the Agency must act jointly with the Scottish Environment Protection Agency and may, as necessary, adapt the requirements of these Directions for that purpose.

(2) In this Direction, “Solway Tweed River Basin District” means the area identified in regulation 3 of the Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (Solway Tweed River Basin District) Regulations 2004(a).

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(a) S.I. 2004/99.

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## SCHEDULE

Direction 5

### PART 1

#### Definitions

“5-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers is less than the standard for more than 5 % of the time;

“10-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers is less than the standard for more than 10 % of the time;

“90-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers (e.g. concentration of a pollutant) is greater than the standard for 10 % or more of the time;

“95-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers (e.g. concentration of a pollutant) is greater than the standard for 5 % or more of the time;

“98-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers (e.g. concentration of a pollutant) is greater than the standard for 2 % or more of the time;

“99-percentile standard” means a standard that is failed if the measured value of the parameter to which the standard refers (e.g. concentration of a pollutant) is greater than the standard for 1 % or more of the time;

“Ambient river temperature” means the river temperature in degrees centigrade of a river or part of such river in the absence of any heat pollution or artificial release of water affecting the river temperature of that river or part;

“Annual mean standard” means a standard for which the compliance assessment period is a period of 12 consecutive months or a multiple of such period;

“Compliance assessment period” means the period over which measured values are obtained for the purposes of calculating an arithmetic average or a percentile value and may be part of a year; a year; part of several years; or several years;

“Good” means the boundary between the conditions consistent with the description of “good ecological status” and “moderate ecological status” in accordance with section 1.2 of Annex V

to the Directive; Values on the boundary are consistent with the description of good status. In relation to the priority substance and dangerous substance environmental standards, “good” also means the boundary between conditions consistent with the description of “good surface water chemical status” and “failing to achieve good surface water chemical status” in Article 2 of, and Annex V to, the Directive;

“High” means the boundary between the conditions consistent with the description of “high ecological status” and “good ecological status” in accordance with section 1.2 of Annex V to the Directive. Values on the boundary are consistent with the description of high status;

“Lagoon” means a body of water partially separated from its adjacent estuary or coastal water by a barrier of sand, other sediment or rocks, which retains all or most of its water mass during periods of low tide in the adjacent estuary or coastal water but has persistent natural water exchange between with the adjacent estuary or coastal water by percolation through, or overtopping of, the barrier or through inlet/outflow channels;

“Mean standard” means a standard that is failed if the arithmetic average of all measured values during the compliance assessment period exceeds the standard;

“Moderate” means the boundary between the conditions consistent with the description of “moderate ecological status” and “poor ecological status” in accordance with section 1.2 of Annex V to the Directive. Values on the boundary are consistent with the description of moderate status;

“percentile standard” means a standard which, to be achieved, must be complied with for a defined percentage of the time in the compliance assessment period; and any time spent at the standard value is considered to be in compliance;

“Poor” means the boundary between the conditions consistent with the description of “poor ecological status” and “bad ecological status” in accordance with section 1.2 of Annex V to the Directive. Values on the boundary are consistent with the description of poor status;

“Salinity” means the ratio of the electrical conductivity of a sample of water (at 15 °C, and one standard atmospheric pressure) to that of a standard solution of Potassium Chloride (KCl). A ratio of 1 is equivalent to a salinity of 35;

“specified lakes” means the lakes shown in Part 8;

“Year” means a period of 12 consecutive months.

## PART 2

Criteria for identifying the types of river, lake, transitional or coastal water to which the environmental standards specified in Part 3 of this Schedule apply

### Rivers

1. Subject to paragraph 2, to determine the ammonia, the dissolved oxygen and biochemical oxygen demand standards applicable to a river or any part of such river, the Type specified in Table 1 of this Part must be assigned which corresponds with the applicable site altitude specified in column 1 and the applicable alkalinity range specified in column 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 of that Table.

2. The type “salmonid” must be assigned to any river designated as a salmonid water for the purposes of Directive 2006/44/EC on the quality of fresh waters needing protection or improvement in order to support fish life (a) (“the Freshwater Fish Directive”) as being of the Type “salmonid” for the purpose of determining which of the standards for dissolved oxygen and biochemical oxygen demand specified in Table 1 and 2 in Part 3, respectively, apply.

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(a) OJ No L44, 11.12.2008, p.1. Directive 2006/44/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the quality of fresh waters needing protection or improvement in order to support fish.

3. To determine the reactive phosphorus standards applicable to a river or any part of such river, the Type specified in Table 2 of this Part must be assigned which corresponds with the applicable site altitude specified in column 1 of that Table and the applicable alkalinity range specified in column 2 or 3 of that Table.

4. The type “cyprinid water” must be assigned to any river or part of such river designated as being of the type cyprinid under the Freshwater Fish Directive for the purpose of determining which of the standards for temperature specified in Table 6 of Part 3 apply.

5. The type “non-cyprinid water” must be applied to any river or parts of such river not designated as being of the type cyprinid under the Freshwater Fish Directive for the purpose of determining which of the standards for temperature specified in Table 6 of Part 3 apply.

### **Lakes**

6. To determine the dissolved oxygen standards applicable to a freshwater lake or any part of such lake, the Type specified in column 1 of Table 3 of this Part must be assigned which corresponds with the applicable description specified in column 2 of that Table.

7. To determine the appropriate total phosphorus standard to apply to a freshwater or brackish lake or any part of such lake and subject to paragraphs 8, 9 & 10, the following steps must be taken—

- (a) determine the geographical region for the lake (Region 1 or 2) as shown in column 4 of Part 8 in order to use the appropriate formula;
- (b) categorise all brackish lakes as being of the geological category; “high alkalinity”;
- (c) categorise all freshwater lakes as being of the geological category specified in Column 1 of Table 4 of this Part, which corresponds with the annual mean alkalinity range specified in Column 2 of that Table which is applicable to the lake; and
- (d) categorise the depth characteristics of the lake as being of the depth category specified in Column 1 of Table 5 of this Part which corresponds with the depth range specified in Column 2 of that Table which is applicable to the lake.

8. For a freshwater lake with an annual mean alkalinity of greater than 1000 micro-equivalents per litre, the geological category specified in Column 1 of Table 4 of this Part must be assigned which corresponds with the description of the solid geology of the catchment of the lake specified in Column 4 of that Table.

9. Subject to paragraph 10, where there is insufficient data to categorise the geological characteristics of a freshwater lake in accordance with the procedure set out in sub-paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) of paragraph 7, the geological category specified in Column 1 of Table 4 of this Part must be assigned to the lake which corresponds with the annual mean conductivity range specified in Column 3 of that Table.

10. For a freshwater lake with an annual mean conductivity of 250 to 1,000 micro Siemens per centimetre, the geological category specified in Column 1 of Table 4 of this Part must be assigned to the lake which corresponds with the description of the solid geology of the catchment of that lake specified in Column 4 of that Table.

11. Where there is insufficient data to classify the geological characteristics of a freshwater lake using the criteria set out in paragraphs 7 to 10, the geological category specified in column 1 of Table 4 of this Part must be assigned to the lake which corresponds with the description of the solid geology of the catchment of the lake specified in Column 4 of that Table.

### **Transitional and coastal waters**

12. To determine the dissolved inorganic nitrogen standards applicable to a transitional or coastal water, or part of such water, the Type specified in Column 1 of Table 6 of this part must be

assigned which corresponds with the applicable description of the transitional water or part of such water in Column 2 of that Table.

Table 1: Criteria for identifying the types of river to which the dissolved oxygen(a), biochemical oxygen demand(b) and ammonia(c) standards for rivers apply					
Site Altitude	Alkalinity (as mg/l CaCO <sub>3</sub> )				
	Less than 10	10 to 50	50 to 100	100 to 200	Over 200
Under 80 metres	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 5	Type 7
Over 80 metres			Type 4	Type 6	

Notes to Table 1—

- (a) The environmental standards for dissolved oxygen are specified in Table 1 in Part 3 of this Schedule.
- (b) The environmental standards for biochemical oxygen demand are specified in Table 2 in Part 3 of this Schedule.
- (c) The environmental standards for ammonia are specified in Table 3 in Part 3 and Table 20 in Part 4 of this Schedule.

Table 2: Criteria for identifying types of river to which the reactive phosphorus standards for rivers apply(a)		
Altitude	Annual mean alkalinity (as mg/l CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	
	< 50	> 50
Under 80 metres	Type 1n	Type 3n
Over 80 metres	Type 2n	Type 4n

Note to Table 2—

- (a) The environmental standards for reactive phosphorus are specified in Table 5 in Part 3 of this Schedule.

Table 3 Criteria for identifying types of lake to which the dissolved oxygen standards for freshwater lakes apply(a)	
Type	Description
Salmonid	Freshwater lakes which would naturally support populations of salmonid fish
Cyprinid	Freshwater lakes which do not naturally support populations of salmonid fish

Note to Table 3—

- (a) The environmental standards for dissolved oxygen in freshwater lakes are specified in Table 7 in Part 3 of this Schedule.

Table 4: Geological characteristics used to identify geological categories to which the lake total phosphorus standards apply			
Geological category	Annual mean alkalinity Micro-equivalents per litre	Annual mean conductivity Micro Siemens per centimetre	Solid geology of the catchment of the [lake] (% of catchment)
Low alkalinity	< 200	≤ 70	
			> 90 % siliceous
Moderate alkalinity	200 - 1000	> 70 - 250	> 50 % siliceous and ≤ 90 % siliceous
High alkalinity	> 1000	> 250 - 1000	≥ 50 % calcareous
Marl		>250 - 1000	> 65 % limestone

Table 5: Depth characteristics used to identify depth categories to which the lake phosphorus standards apply	
Depth category	Mean depth (metres)
Very shallow	< 3
Shallow	3 - 15
Deep	> 15

Table 6: Criteria for identifying types of transitional and coastal water to which the dissolved inorganic nitrogen standards for transitional and coastal waters apply	
Type	Annual mean concentration of suspended particulate matter (mg/l)
Very turbid	> 300
Medium turbidity	100 - 300
Intermediate	10 < 100
Clear	< 10

## PART 3

### General Physico-chemical Standards

#### **Environmental standards for river water quality**

1. Where, in accordance with paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 2 of this Schedule, there has been assigned to a river or part of such river a Type—

- (a) specified in column 1 of Table 1 of this Part, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” dissolved oxygen standards specified in columns 2, 3, 4 and 5 respectively of that Table must be applied, as applicable, to that river or part;
- (b) specified in column 1 of Table 2 of this Part, the “high”, “good” “moderate” or “poor” biochemical oxygen demand standards specified in columns 2, 3, 4 and 5 respectively of that Table must be applied, as applicable, to that river or part;
- (c) specified in column 1 of Table 3 of this Part, the “high”, “good” “moderate” or “poor” ammonia standards specified in columns 2, 3, 4 and 5 respectively, of that Table must be applied, as applicable, to that river or part,

2. The “high” or “good” acid condition standards specified in columns 1 and 2, respectively, of Table 4 of this Part must be applied in relation to any river or part of such river.

3. Where, in accordance with paragraph 3 of Part 2, a Type specified in column 1 of Table 5 of this Part has been assigned to a river or part of such river, the the “high”, “good” “moderate” or “poor” reactive phosphorus standards specified in columns 2, 3, 4 and 5 respectively, of that Table must be applied, as applicable, to that river or part.

4. Where, in accordance with, paragraphs 4 and 5 of Part 2, a Type specified in Row 2 of Table 6 of this Part has been assigned to a river or part of such river—

- (a) the “high”, “good” “moderate” or “poor” temperature standards specified in Row 3; Columns 2, 3, 4 and 5, respectively; and
- (b) the “high” or “good” temperature standards specified in Row 4; Columns 2 and 3, respectively, of that Table,

must be assigned to that river or part.

#### **Environmental standards for lake water quality**

5. Where, in accordance with paragraph 6 of Part 2, the Type “salmonid” or “cyprinid” has been applied to a lake or part of such lake, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” dissolved oxygen standards specified in rows 2 to 5, respectively, of Table 7 of this Part must, according to its Type, be applied to that lake or part.

6. Subject to paragraph 7, the “high” or “good” acid condition standards specified in columns 1 and 2, respectively, of Table 8 of this Part must be applied to all freshwater lakes or parts of such lakes.

7. Where the reference condition established in accordance with section 1.3 of Annex II of the Directive is  $\leq 20$  micro-equivalents per litre of acid neutralising capacity,-an appropriate value of between 0 and 20 micro-equivalents per litre must be identified that is protective of the lake or part and which reflects reference conditions.

8. The “good” salinity standard specified in Table 9 of this Part must be applied to all freshwater lakes or parts of such lakes with no natural saline influence.

9. Subject to paragraphs 10, 11 and 12 the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” total phosphorus standard must be applied to the lake or part of such lake calculated in accordance with



the formulæ specified in Columns 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively, of Table 10 of this Part, where in relation to those formulæ—

“R” represents the annual mean total phosphorus concentration expected for the lake in the absence of more than very minor phosphorus inputs to the lake resulting from human activities and, where a reliable estimate of ‘C’ is available, shall have the value given by the formula;  $\text{Antilog}_{10} [I - (0.09 \times A) + (0.24 \times B)]$ ; or 35, whichever is the smaller value;

“A” =  $\text{Log}_{10}$  of the altitude in metres above mean sea level of the lake;

“B” =  $\text{Log}_{10}(C \div D)$ ;

“C” = the mean alkalinity of the lake in milli-equivalents per litre estimated for the lake when (i) in accordance with paragraphs 6 and 7 of Part 2, its acid neutralising capacity is at least ‘good’; and (ii) its alkalinity has not been otherwise altered as a result of point or diffuse pollution;

“D” = the mean depth of the lake in metres;

“H” =  $0.755 + (0.012 \times C) - (0.001 \times D)$ ; or 0.7, whichever is the larger value; and

“G” =  $0.506 + (0.023 \times C) - (0.002 \times D)$ ; or 0.46, whichever is the larger value.

“I” = 1.36 in region 1 of the specified lakes and 1.55 in region 2 of the specified lakes.

10. If, in accordance with paragraphs 7-11 of Part 2, the geological characteristics of a lake have been classified as being of the geological category “Marl”, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” total phosphorus standard specified in Columns 2, 3, 4 and 5, respectively, of Table 11 of this Part must be applied to the lake or part which corresponds with the combination of geological and depth categories specified in Column 1 of that Table that is applicable to that lake or part.

11. If the value of “C” in paragraph 9 cannot be reliably estimated for the purpose of calculating the value “R” in accordance with that paragraph, either—

- (a) an alternative method must be used for estimating the value “R”, provided that, for other lakes for which the value “C” can be reliably estimated, that alternative method produces an equivalently unbiased estimate of the value “R” to that produced by the application of the formula specified in paragraph 9; or
- (b) the procedure specified in paragraph 12 applied.

12. Where there is insufficient data to calculate the total phosphorus standard applicable to a lake or part in accordance with paragraph 10 or sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph 11, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” total phosphorus standard specified in Columns 2, 3, 4 and 5, respectively, of Table 11 of this Part must be applied to that lake or part which corresponds with the combination of geological and depth categories specified in Column 1 of that Table that is applicable to the lake or part.

### **Environmental standards for Transitional and Coastal Waters**

13. The dissolved oxygen standards for “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” specified in column 2 of Table 12 of this part must be applied to transitional waters or parts of such waters and to coastal waters or parts of such waters with salinities normalised to 35.

14. The “high”, “good” or “moderate” dissolved oxygen standards specified in column 2 of Table 13 of this part for transitional or coastal waters or parts of such waters with salinities < 35 must be calculated and applied using the applicable formula specified in column 2 of that Table.

15. For coastal waters, or parts of such water, with mean salinities for the period 1st November to 28th February of between 30 and 34.5 units, the ‘high’, or ‘good’ dissolved inorganic nitrogen standards specified in Columns 2 and 3 respectively of Table 14 of this part must be applied.

16.—(1) For coastal waters, or part of such waters, with a mean salinity for the period 1st November to 28th February in the range 30 - 34.5, the following must be calculated, as applicable, in accordance with paragraph 17—

- (a) the equation for the linear regression line,  $y = mx + c$ , describing the relationship between the variables dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration and salinity for such periods; or
- (b) the series of equations for the linear regression lines,  $(y = mx + c)_n$ , describing the relationship between the variables dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration and salinity for each set of relevant sampling data collected during such periods

(2) In sub-paragraph (1)—

“y” is dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration in micromoles per litre;

“x” is salinity;

“m” is the slope of the regression line;

“c” is the value of “y” when “x” = 0; and

“n” is the number of sets of sampling data from which linear regression lines are calculated.

17. Either of the methodologies specified in points (a) and (b) of paragraph 16 may be used provided that, given the available sampling data, the methodology used ensures that the estimate of the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration calculated in accordance with paragraph 18 is a reliable estimate.

18. The equation or the series of equations calculated in accordance with paragraph 17 must be used to estimate the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration for the period 1st November to 28th February, as if the mean salinity in the coastal water, or part of such water, were 32.

19. The value for the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration estimated in accordance with paragraph 18 must be compared with, as applicable, the ‘high’ or ‘good’ dissolved inorganic nitrogen standard specified in Columns 2 and 3 of Table 14 of this Part, respectively, for coastal waters with mean salinities in the range of 30–34.5.

20. In order to determine and assign, as appropriate, the dissolved inorganic nitrogen standard for—

- (a) ‘high’ specified in Column 2 of Table 15 of this part for transitional waters of any type listed in Column 1 of that Table; or
- (b) ‘good’ specified in Column 3 of Table 15 of this part for transitional waters assigned the Type ‘clear’ in accordance with paragraph 12 of part 2 ,

either of the methodologies specified in points (a) and (b) of paragraph 21 may be used provided that, given the available sampling data, the methodology used ensures that the estimate of the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration calculated in accordance with paragraph 23 is a reliable estimate.

21. —(1) The methodologies cited in paragraph 20 are—

- (a) the equation for the linear regression line,  $y = mx + c$ , describing the relationship between the variables dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration and salinity for the period 1st November to 28th February and resulting from the increasing dilution of dissolved inorganic nitrogen inputs in the transitional water; or
- (b) the series of equations for the linear regression lines,  $(y = mx + c)_n$ , describing the relationship between the variables dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration and salinity for each set of relevant sampling data collected during such periods and resulting from the increasing dilution of dissolved inorganic nitrogen inputs in the transitional water

(2) In sub-paragraph (1)—

“y” is dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration in micromoles per litre;

“x” is salinity;

“m” is the slope of the regression line;

“c” is the value of “y” when “x” = 0;

“n” is the number of sets of sampling data from which linear regression lines are calculated.

22. The equation or equations determined in accordance with paragraph 21 must be used to estimate the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration for the period 1st November to 28th February, as if the mean salinity in the transitional water, or part such water, for that period, were 25.

23. The value for the mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration estimated in accordance with paragraph 22 must be compared with, as applicable—

- (a) the ‘high’ dissolved inorganic nitrogen standard specified in Column 2 of Table 15; or
- (b) the ‘good’ dissolved inorganic nitrogen’ standard specified in Column 3 of Table 15, for transitional waters or parts of such waters classified as being of the Type ‘clear’ in accordance with paragraph 12 of part 2.

24. For transitional waters, or parts of such waters, where, in accordance with, paragraph 12 of Part 2, one of the Types ‘intermediate’, ‘turbid’ or ‘very turbid’ specified in Column 1 of Table 15 has been assigned to that water or part, as appropriate, the corresponding ‘good’ dissolved inorganic nitrogen standard specified in Column 3 of that Table must be applied.

Table 1: Standards for dissolved oxygen in rivers				
Dissolved Oxygen (per cent saturation)				
(10-percentile)				
1	2	3	4	5
Type	High	Good	Moderate	Poor
1,2,4 and 6 Salmonid	80	75	64	50
3,5 and 7	70	60	54	45

Table 2: Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD) standards for rivers(i)				
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (mg/l)				
(90-percentile)				
Type	High	Good	Moderate	Poor
1,2,4,6 and Salmonid	3	4	6	7.5
3,5 and 7	4	5	6.5	9

Note to table 2—

(i) Biochemical oxygen demand shall not be used in classifying the status of water bodies

Table 3: Ammonia standards for rivers				
Total Ammonia as nitrogen (mg/l)				
(90-percentile)				
Type	High	Good	Moderate	Poor
1,2,4, and 6	0.2	0.3	0.75	1.1
3,5 and 7	0.3	0.6	1.1	2.5

Table 4: Standards for acid conditions in rivers	
pH – all river types in England and Wales	
High	Good
pH 6 as 5 percentile	pH 5.2 as a 10 percentile
pH 9 as a 95 percentile	

Table 5: Phosphorus standards for rivers				
Reactive Phosphorus standards	Concentrations as ug/l as annual means			
Type	High	Good	Moderate	Poor
1n	30	50	150	500
2n	20	40	150	500
3n & 4n	50	120	250	1000

Table 6: Temperature standards for rivers									
Column 1	Column 2		Column 3		Column 4		Column 5		
	High		Good		Moderate		Poor		
River type	temp	Non-cyprinid	Cyprinid	Non-cyprinid	Cyprinid	Non-cyprinid	Cyprinid	Non-cyprinid	Cyprinid
River temp (°C) as an annual 98-percentile standard		20	25	23	28	28	30	30	32
Increase or decrease in temp (°C) in relation to the ambient river temp, as an annual 98-percentile standard		2	2	3	3	-	-	-	-

Note to Table 6—

The standards specified for temperature in Row 4; Columns 2 and 3 of Table 6 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the status of bodies of surface water except where the water receives consented thermal discharges.

Table 7: Dissolved oxygen standards for freshwater lakes		
Status	mean in July – August (mg/l)	
	Salmonid	Cyprinid
High	9	8
Good	7	6
Moderate	4	4
Poor	1	1

Note to table 7—

The mean for mixed lakes is throughout the whole water column and the mean for stratified lakes is for readings taken in the hypolimnion

Table 8: Acid condition standards for all freshwater lakes	
High	Good
Acid Neutralising Capacity (micro equivalents per litre) as annual mean values	
> 40	> 20

Table 9: Salinity standards for freshwater lakes with no natural saline influence	
Status	Proposed boundary
	Annual mean (micro Siemens per centimetre)
Good	1000

Table 10: Standards for Total phosphorus standards for freshwater and brackish lakes			
Annual mean total phosphorus concentration (µg/l)			
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
High	Good	Moderate	Poor
(R ÷ H) or 5, whichever is the larger value	(R ÷ G) or 8, whichever is the larger value	[(R ÷ G) ÷ 0.5] or 16, whichever is the larger value	[(R ÷ G) ÷ 0.25] or 32, whichever is the larger value

Table 11: Type-specific total phosphorus standards for freshwater and brackish lakes where the standards specified in Table 10 do not apply				
Type	Annual mean concentration of total phosphorus (µg/l)			
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Geological and depth category	High	Good	Moderate	Poor
High alkalinity; shallow - Region 1	16	23	46	92
High alkalinity; shallow-Region 2	25	35	70	140
High alkalinity; very shallow – Region 1	23	31	62	124
High alkalinity; very shallow - Region 2	35	49	98	196
Moderate alkalinity; deep	8	12	24	48
Moderate alkalinity; shallow	11	16	32	64
Moderate alkalinity; very shallow	15	22	44	88
Low alkalinity; deep	5	8	16	32
Low alkalinity; shallow	7	10	20	40
Low alkalinity; very shallow	9	14	28	56
Marl; shallow	9	20	40	80
Marl; very shallow	10	24	48	96

Table 12: Dissolved oxygen standards for transitional and coastal waters with salinities (i) normalised to 35	
Column 1	Column 2
Boundaries	Dissolved oxygen concentrations (mg/l) as 5-percentile values with a compliance period of at least one year
High	5.7
Good	4.0
Moderate	2.4
Poor	1.6

Table 13: Dissolved oxygen standards for transitional and coastal waters with salinities (i) < 35	
Column 1	Column 2
Boundaries	Dissolved Oxygen concentrations (mg/l) as 5-percentiles
High	=7 – (0.037 x (salinity))
Good	=5 – (0.028 x (salinity))
Moderate	=3 – (0.017 x (salinity))

Table 14: Dissolved inorganic nitrogen standards for coastal waters salinity 30-34.5		
Mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration (micromoles per litre) during the period 1st November to 28th February		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Type	High	Good
clear	12 <sup>(i)</sup>	18 <sup>(i)</sup>
		99-percentile standard for the period 1st November to 28th February
Intermediate turbidity	18 <sup>(i)</sup>	70 <sup>(i)</sup>
Medium turbidity	18 <sup>(i)</sup>	180 <sup>(i)</sup>
Very turbid	18 <sup>(i)</sup>	270 <sup>(i)</sup>

Notes to Table 14—

<sup>(i)</sup>The standard refers to the concentration of dissolved inorganic nitrogen at a mean salinity for the period 1st November to 28th February of 32. If the standard in column 3 is exceeded then status is moderate.

Table 15: Dissolved inorganic nitrogen standards for transitional waters (salinity 25), or parts thereof		
Mean dissolved inorganic nitrogen concentration (micromoles per litre) during the period 1st November to 28th February		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Type	High	Good
Clear	20 <sup>(i)</sup>	30 <sup>(i)</sup>
		99-percentile standard for the period 1st November to 28th February
Intermediate turbidity	30	70

Medium turbidity	30	180
Very turbid	30	270

Note to Table 15—

<sup>(i)</sup>The standard refers to the concentration of dissolved inorganic nitrogen at a mean salinity of 25 for the period 1st November to 28th February. If the standard in column 3 is exceeded then status is moderate.

## PART 4

### Specific Pollutants

*The standards for Specific Pollutants set out below must be applied for the purposes of classification of the relevant components of Ecological Status of Surface Waters.*

Table 1: Environmental standards for 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic acid (2,4-D)			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)
0.3	1.3	0.3	1.3

Note to Table 1—

The standards for 2,4-D specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 1 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 2: Environmental standards for 2,4-Dichlorophenol	
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2
Annual mean (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)
20	20

Table 3: Environmental standards for un-ionised ammonia as nitrogen	
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater Lakes	'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Annual mean (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)
Not applicable	21

Table 4: Environmental standards for arsenic	
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2
Annual mean (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)
50	25

Note to table 4—



The standard for arsenic refers to the dissolved fraction of a water sample obtained by filtration through a 0.45µm filter or any equivalent pre-treatment.

Table 5: Environmental standards for chlorine(a)		
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of total available chlorine(a)	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of total available chlorine	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of total residual oxidant <sup>(b)</sup>
2	5	10

Notes to Table 5—

- (a) The standards for chlorine specified in Column 2 and 3 of Table 5 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.
- (b) The term “total residual oxidants” refers to the sum of all oxidising agents existing in water, expressed as available chlorine.

Table 6: Environmental standards for chromium VI		
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved chromium VI	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved chromium VI	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of dissolved chromium VI
3.4	0.6	32

Note to Table 6—

The standard for chromium VI specified in Column 3 of Table 6 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 7: Environmental standards for chromium III	
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes	
Column 1	Column 2
Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved chromium III	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of dissolved chromium III
4.7	32

Note to Table 7—

The standard for chromium III specified in Column 2 of Table 7 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

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(a) Total available chlorine is the sum of the residuals of free available chlorine (FAC) and combined available chlorine (CAC). FAC is defined as that residual chlorine existing in water as chlorine, as chlorine, hypochlorous acid and hypochlorite ion. CAC is defined as that residual chlorine existing in water in chemical combination with ammonia (i.e. monochloramine, dichloramine or nitrogen trichloride) or organic nitrogen compounds.

Table 8: Environmental standards for copper		
Water hardness bands to which the corresponding river and freshwater lake standards in Column 2 apply	'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l)	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved copper	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved copper
0 - 50	1	5
50 - 100	6	
100 - 250	10	
>250	28	

Table 9: Environmental standards for cyanide			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of hydrogen cyanide	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of hydrogen cyanide	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of hydrogen cyanide	95-percentile concentration (µg/l) of hydrogen cyanide
1	5	1	5

Note to Table 9—

The standards for cyanide specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 9 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 10: Environmental standards for cypermethrin			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean (ng/l)	0.1	Annual mean (ng/l)	0.1
95-percentile (ng/l)	0.4	95-percentile (ng/l)	0.4

Note to Table 10—

The 95-percentile standards for cypermethrin specified in Row 2 of Table 10 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 11: Environmental standards for diazinon			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)
0.01	0.02	0.01	0.1

Note to Table 11—

The standards for diazinon specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 11 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 12: Environmental standards for dimethoate			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )
0.48	4.0	0.48	4.0

Note to Table 12—

The standards for dimethoate specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 12 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 13: Environmental standards for iron	
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2
Annual mean concentration (mg/l) of dissolved iron	Annual mean concentration (mg/l) of dissolved iron
1	1

Table 14: Environmental standards for linuron			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )
0.5	0.9	0.5	0.9

Note to Table 14—

The standards for linuron specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 14 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 15: Environmental standards for mecoprop			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	Annual mean ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )
18	187	18	187

Notes to Table 15—

The standards for mecoprop specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 15 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 16: Environmental standards for permethrin	
'Good' standard for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standard for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2
95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )	95-percentile ( $\mu\text{g/l}$ )
0.01	0.01

Table 17: Environmental standards for phenol			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)
7.7	46	7.7	46

Note to Table 17—

The standards for phenol specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 17 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 18: Environmental standards for toluene			
'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes		'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)	Annual mean (µg/l)	95-percentile (µg/l)
50	380	40	370

Note to Table 18: The standards for toluene specified in Column 2 and Column 4 of Table 18 must not be used for the purpose of classifying the ecological status or potential of bodies of surface water.

Table 19: Environmental standards for zinc		
Water hardness to which the corresponding river and freshwater lake standards in Column 2 apply*	'Good' standards for rivers and freshwater lakes	'Good' standards for transitional and coastal waters
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l)	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of total zinc	Annual mean concentration (µg/l) of dissolved zinc
0-50	8	40
50-100	50	
100-250	75	
>250	125	

Note to Table 19— \*The standards applicable to intermediate water hardness must be calculated by simple linear interpolation.

Table 20: Environmental standards for total ammonia in all freshwater lakes

High		Good	
Standard for lakes with: an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) ≤ 50; or an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) > 50 to ≤ 200 and an altitude > 80 metres above mean sea level.	Standard for lakes with: an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) > 50 to ≤ 200 and an altitude ≤ 80 metres above mean sea level.	Standard for lakes with: an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) ≤ 50; or an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) > 50 to ≤ 200 and an altitude > 80 metres above mean sea level.	Standard lakes with: an annual mean concentration of CaCO <sub>3</sub> (mg/l) > 50 to ≤ 200 and an altitude ≤ 80 metres above mean sea level.
90-percentile (milligrams of ammoniacal nitrogen per litre)			
0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6

## PART 5

### Environmental quality standards for priority substances

1. Subject to paragraphs 2 to 4 the environmental quality standards for the priority substances(a) set out in the Table below must be applied.

2. The arithmetic mean must be calculated in accordance with the procedure set out in paragraph 1 of Part B of Annex 1 to the Priority Substances Directive.

3. In order to calculate the maximum allowable concentration for a priority substance, statistical methods may be introduced in accordance with the procedure set out in paragraph 2 of Part B of Annex 1 to the Priority Substances Directive.

4. Before applying the environmental quality standards, the following may be taken into account—

- (a) natural background concentrations of the metals cadmium, lead, mercury or nickel, or natural background concentrations of their compounds, which are such as to prevent the achievement of one or more of the environmental quality standards; and
- (b) hardness, pH or other water quality parameters that increase or decrease the bioavailability of the metals.

5.—(1) The following environmental quality standards may be substituted for those set out in the Table—

- (a) in relation to mercury and its compounds, an environmental quality standard of 20 µg/kg of prey tissue (wet weight);
- (b) in relation to hexachlorobenzene, an environmental quality standard of 10 µg/kg of prey tissue (wet weight);
- (c) in relation to hexachlorobutadiene, an environmental quality standard of 55 µg/kg of prey tissue (wet weight),

and in each case, prey tissue must be taken from whichever of fish, molluscs, crustaceans or other biota are judged to provide the most suitable indicator of any risk posed to the structure and functioning of the aquatic ecosystem concerned.

(2) If a biota environmental quality standard is not applied for the substances specified in subparagraph (1), stricter environmental quality standards must be introduced for water in order to achieve the same level of protection as the environmental quality standards for biota set out in Article 3(2) of the Priority Substances Directive.

6. Stricter environmental quality standards for water must not be introduced without first carrying out a public consultation.

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(a) Annex X to the Directive as amended by the Priority Substances Directive..

Table of environmental quality standards for Priority Substances and other pollutants used to classify chemical status

(Note: With the exception of cadmium, lead, mercury and nickel the EQS values are expressed as total concentrations in the whole water sample. In the case of metals the EQS refers to the dissolved concentration, i.e. the dissolved fraction of a water sample obtained by filtration through a 0.45 µm filter or any equivalent pre-treatment.)

No	Name of substance	CAS number (a)	AA-EQS <sup>(i)</sup> Inland surface waters <sup>(ii)</sup>	AA-EQS <sup>(i)</sup> Other surface waters	MAC-EQS <sup>(iii)</sup> Inland surface waters <sup>(ii)</sup>	MAC-EQS <sup>(iii)</sup> Other surface waters
(1)	Alachlor	15972-60-8	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.7
(2)	Anthracene	120-12-7	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4
(3)	Atrazine	1912-24-9	0.6	0.6	2.0	2.0
(4)	Benzene	71-43-2	10	8	50	50
(5)	Brominated diphenylether <sup>(iv)</sup>	32534-81-9	0.0005	0.0002	N/A	N/A
(6)	Cadmium and its compounds (depending on water hardness classes) <sup>(v)</sup>	7440-43-9	≤ 0.08 (Class 1) 0.08 (Class 2) 0.09 (Class 3) 0.15 (Class 4) 0.25 (Class 5)	0.2	≤ 0.45 (Class 1) 0.45 (Class 2) 0.6 (Class 3) 0.9 (Class 4) 1.5 (Class 5)	<u>≤ 0.45 (Class 1)</u> <u>0.45 (Class 2)</u> <u>0.6 (Class 3)</u> <u>0.9 (Class 4)</u> <u>1.5 (Class 5)</u>
(6a)	Carbon-tetrachloride <sup>(vi)</sup>	56-23-5	12	12	N/A	N/A
(7)	C10-13 Chloroalkanes	85535-84-8	0.4	0.4	1.4	1.4
(8)	Chlorfenvinphos	470-90-6	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3
(9)	Chlorpyrifos (Chlorpyrifos-ethyl)	2921-88-2	0.03	0.03	0.1	0.1
(9a)	Cyclodiene pesticides: Aldrin <sup>(vi)</sup> Dieldrin <sup>(vi)</sup> Endrin <sup>(vi)</sup> Isodrin <sup>(vi)</sup>	309-00-2 60-57-1 72-20-8 465-73-6	Σ=0.01	Σ=0.005	N/A	N/A
(9b)	DDT total <sup>(vi), (vii)</sup>	not applicable	0.025	0.025	N/A	N/A
	para-para-DDT <sup>(vi)</sup>	50-29-3	0.01	0.01	N/A	N/A
(10)	1,2-Dichloroethane	107-06-2	10	10	N/A	N/A
(11)	Dichloromethane	75-09-2	20	20	N/A	N/A

(a) Chemical Abstracts Service.

(12)	Di(2-ethylhexyl)- phthalate (DEHP)	117-81-7	1.3	1.3	N/A	N/A
(13)	Diuron	330-54-1	0.2	0.2	1.8	1.8
(14)	Endosulfan	115-29-7	0.005	0.0005	0.01	0.004
(15)	Fluoranthene	206-44-0	0.1	0.1	1	1
(16)	Hexachloro- benzene	118-74-1	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.05
(17)	Hexachloro- butadiene	87-68-3	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.6
(18)	Hexachloro- cyclohexane	608-73-1	0.02	0.002	0.04	0.02
(19)	Isoproturon	34123-59-6	0.3	0.3	1.0	1.0
(20)	Lead and its compounds	7439-92-1	7.2	7.2	N/A	N/A
(21)	Mercury and its compounds	7439-97-6	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07
(22)	Naphthalene	91-20-3	2.4	1.2	N/A	N/A
(23)	Nickel and its compounds	7440-02-0	20	20	N/A	N/A
(24)	Nonylphenol (4-Nonylphenol)	104-40-5	0.3	0.3	2.0	2.0
(25)	Octylphenol ((4-(1,1',3,3'- tetramethylbutyl)- phenol))	140-66-9	0.1	0.01	N/A	N/A
(26)	Pentachloro- benzene	608-93-5	0.007	0.0007	N/A	N/A
(27)	Pentachloro- phenol	87-86-5	0.4	0.4	1	1
(28)	Polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) <sup>(viii)</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Benzo(a)pyrene	50-32-8	0.05	0.05	0.1	0.1
	Benzo(b)fluor- anthene	205-99-2	$\Sigma=0.03$	$\Sigma=0.03$	N/A	N/A
	Benzo(k)fluor- anthene	207-08-9				
	Benzo(g,h,i)- perylene	191-24-2	$\Sigma=0.002$	$\Sigma=0.002$	N/A	N/A
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)- pyrene	193-39-5					
(29)	Simazine	122-34-9	1	1	4	4
(29a)	Tetrachloro- ethylene <sup>vi</sup>	127-18-4	10	10	N/A	N/A
(29b)	Trichloro- ethylene <sup>(vi)</sup>	79-01-6	10	10	N/A	N/A
(30)	Tributyltin compounds (Tributhyltin- cation)	36643-28-4	0.0002	0.0002	0.0015	0.0015
(31)	Trichloro- benzenes	12002-48-1	0.4	0.4	N/A	N/A
(32)	Trichloro-	67-66-3	2.5	2.5	N/A	N/A



	methane					
(33)	Trifluralin	1582-09-8	0.03	0.03	N/A	N/A

Notes to Table of Priority Substances:

- (i) This parameter is the annual average value of the Environmental Quality Standard expressed as the arithmetic mean of the concentrations measured at each representative monitoring point within the water body at different times during the year. Unless otherwise specified, it applies to the total concentration of all isomers
- (ii) Inland surface waters encompass rivers and lakes and related artificial or heavily modified water bodies.
- (iii) This parameter is the Environmental Quality Standard expressed as a maximum allowable concentration (EQS-MAC). Where the MAC-EQS are marked as “not applicable”, the AA EQS values are considered protective against short-term pollution peaks in continuous discharges since they are significantly lower than the values derived on the basis of acute toxicity.
- (iv) For the group of priority substances covered by brominated diphenylethers (No. 5) listed in Decision 2455/2001/EC, an EQS is established only for congener numbers 28, 47, 99, 100, 153 and 154.
- (v) For Cadmium and its compounds (No. 6) the EQS values vary dependent upon the hardness of the water as specified in five class categories (Class 1: <40 mg CaCO<sub>3</sub>/l, Class 2: 40 to <50 mg CaCO<sub>3</sub>/l, Class 3: 50 to <100 mg CaCO<sub>3</sub>/l, Class 4: 100 to <200 mg CaCO<sub>3</sub>/l and Class 5: ≥200 mg CaCO<sub>3</sub>/l).
- (vi) This substance is not a priority substance but one of the other pollutants for which the EQS are identical to those laid down in the legislation that applied prior to the entry into force of this Directive.
- (vii) DDT total comprises the sum of the isomers 1,1,1-trichloro-2,2 bis (p-chlorophenyl) ethane (CAS number 50-29-3; EU number 200-024-3); 1,1,1-trichloro-2 (o-chlorophenyl)-2-(p-chlorophenyl) ethane (CAS number 789-02-6; EU Number 212-332-5); 1,1-dichloro-2,2 bis (p chlorophenyl) ethylene (CAS number 72-55-9; EU Number 200-784-6); and 1,1-dichloro-2,2 bis (p-chlorophenyl) ethane (CAS number 72 54-8; EU Number 200-783-0).
- (viii) For the group of priority substances of polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) (No. 28), each individual EQS is applicable, i.e., the EQS for Benzo(a)pyrene, the EQS for the sum of Benzo(b)fluoranthene and Benzo(k)fluoranthene and the EQS for the sum of Benzo(g,h,i)perylene and Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene must be met.

## PART 6

### Biological Element Status Boundary Values

(i)

#### *Rivers*

1. In relation to any river or part of such river, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” boundary values must be applied—

- (a) in relation to phytobenthos boundaries specified in Table 1 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratio for phytobenthos in that river or part in accordance with the method “DARES”;
- (b) in relation to aquatic macrophyte boundary values for rivers specified in Table 2 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratio in that river or part in accordance with the method, “LEAFPACS”;
- (c) in relation to benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for rivers specified in Tables 3 and 4 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratios for the parameters referred to in Tables 3 and 4 in that river or part in accordance with the method, “River Invertebrate Classification Tool (RICT)”;
- (d) in relation to fish fauna boundary values for rivers specified in Table 5 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratios for the parameters referred to in that Table in that river or part in accordance with the method “Fish Fauna Fish Classification System (FCS)”.

Table 1: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos - Phytobenthos boundary values for rivers	
UKTAG River Assessment Methods: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos (DARES) ISBN 978-1-906934-08-8	
Column 1	Column 2
	Ecological quality ratio
High	0.93
Good	0.78
Moderate	0.52
Poor	0.26

Table 2: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos - Aquatic macrophyte boundary values for rivers	
UKTAG River Assessment Methods: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos - Macrophytes (Macrophyte Assessment of River & Lake Ecological Quality (LEAFPACS) ISBN978-1-906934-06-4	
Column 1	Column 2
	Ecological quality ratio
High	0.80
Good	0.60
Moderate	0.40
Poor	0.20

Table 3: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for rivers (Number of TAXA)	
UKTAG River Assessment Method Benthic Invertebrate Fauna River Invertebrate Classification Tool (RICT) ISBN 978-1-906934-07-1	
Column 1	Column 2
	Ecological quality ratio
High	0.85
Good	0.71
Moderate	0.57
Poor	0.47

Table 4: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for rivers (Average Score Per Taxon)	
UKTAG Method River Assessment Methods Benthic Invertebrate Fauna River Invertebrate Classification Tool (RICT) ISBN 978-1-906934-07-1	
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.97
Good	0.86
Moderate	0.75
Poor	0.63

Table 5: Fish boundary values for rivers	
(UKTAG River Assessment Methods: Fish Fauna Fish Classification System (FCS) ISBN 978-1-906934-09-5	
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.700
Good	0.400
Moderate	0.200
Poor	0.125

(ii)

*Freshwater and brackish lakes*

1. Subject to paragraphs 2 and 3 below, the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” phytoplankton boundary value for must be applied to the lakes specified in Columns 2, 4, 6 and 7 of Table 1 below by—calculating, as applicable, the annual mean chlorophyll *a* concentration for phytoplankton in the lake or part in accordance with the method, “Chlorophyll *a* and Percentage Nuisance Cyanobacteria”(a) where, in relation to the equations in Columns 2, 4, 6 and 7 of that Table—

“R<sub>c</sub>” represents the value for the parameter, chlorophyll *a* concentration, expected in the lake in the absence of more than very minor disturbance to phytoplankton in the lake resulting from human activities and shall be determined in accordance with the method, “Chlorophyll *a* and Percentage Nuisance Cyanobacteria” referred to above.

2. Where the “high” boundary value calculated using the equation in Column 2 of Table 1 below—

- (a) is less than the corresponding “minimum constraining value” in Column 3, the minimum constraining value must be taken to be the “high” boundary value for the lake or part;

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(a) UKTAG (2008) UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods, Phytoplankton, Chlorophyll *a* and Percentage Nuisance Cyanobacteria: ISBN: 978-1-906934-03-3.

- (b) is greater than the corresponding “maximum constraining value” in Column 3, the maximum constraining value must be taken to be the “high” boundary value for the lake or part.
3. Where the “good” boundary value calculated using the equation in Column 4—
- (a) is less than the corresponding “minimum constraining value” in Column 5, the minimum constraining value shall be taken to be the “good” boundary value for the lake or part;
  - (b) is greater than the corresponding “maximum constraining value” in Column 5, the maximum constraining value shall be taken to be the “good” boundary value for the lake or part.
4. In relation any lake or part of such lake, the following boundary values must be applied—
- (a) “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor”, in relation to phytoplankton boundaries specified in Table 2 below, taking account of the geological and depth characteristics of the lake or part assigned in accordance with tables 4 and 5 in Part 2 of the schedule, by calculating the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, percentage nuisance cyanobacteria in the lake or part in accordance with the method, “Chlorophyll *a* and Percentage Nuisance Cyanobacteria”;
  - (b) “high”, “good” or “moderate”, in relation to the phytobenthos boundary values for lakes specified in Table 3 below, taking account of the lake’s geological type assigned in accordance with Table 4 in Part 2, by calculating the ecological quality ratio for phytobenthos in the lake or part in accordance with the method, “Diatom Assessment of Lake Ecological Quality (Lake DARLEQ)”;
  - (c) “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor”, in relation to the aquatic macrophyte standard for lakes specified in Table 4 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratio for aquatic macrophytes in the lake or part in accordance with the method, “Macrophytes (Lake LEAFPACS)”;
  - (d) “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor”, in relation to the benthic invertebrate standard for lakes specified in Table 5 below, by calculating the the ecological quality ratio for benthic invertebrates in the loch or part in accordance with the method, “Chironomid Pupal Exuviae Technique (CPET)”
  - (e) “high”, “good” or “moderate”, in relation to the benthic invertebrate boundary values for lakes specified in Table 6 below, by calculating the ecological quality ratio ( $EQR_{HLAMM}$  or  $EQR_{CLAMM}$ , as applicable) for benthic invertebrates in the lake or part in accordance with the method, “Lake Acidification Macroinvertebrate Metric (LAMM)”.

Table 1: Phytoplankton standards for lakes — Chlorophyll <i>a</i>						
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Phytoplankton Chlorophyll <i>a</i> and Percentage Cyanobacteria ISBN 978-1-906934-03-3						
	Mean ecological status boundary values for the parameter, chlorophyll concentration(a) and associated constraining values					
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
	Mean chlorophyll <i>a</i> concentration in µg/l					
Lake Type	High <sup>(i)</sup>	High constraining values(ii)	Good <sup>(i)</sup>	Good constraining values(ii)	Moderate <sup>(i)</sup>	Poor <sup>(i)</sup>
High alkalinity, shallow lakes	( $R_c \div 0.55$ )	Min = 4.6 Max = 7	( $R_c \div 0.32$ )	Min = 8 Max = 12	( $R_c \div 0.16$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
High alkalinity, very shallow lakes	( $R_c \div 0.63$ )	Min = 9.9 Max = 11.7	( $R_c \div 0.30$ )	Min = 21 Max = 25	( $R_c \div 0.15$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Moderate alkalinity, deep lakes	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	-	( $R_c \div 0.33$ )	Min = 7.5 Max = 10.5	( $R_c \div 0.17$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Moderate alkalinity, shallow lakes other than peat lakes	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	Min = 5 Max = 7	( $R_c \div 0.33$ )	Min = 7.5 Max = 10.5	( $R_c \div 0.17$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Moderate alkalinity, shallow peat lakes	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	Min = 7 Max = 10	( $R_c \div 0.33$ )	Min = 10.5 Max = 15	( $R_c \div 0.17$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Moderate alkalinity, very shallow lakes	( $R_c \div 0.63$ )	-	( $R_c \div 0.34$ )	-	( $R_c \div 0.17$ )	( $R_c \div 0.06$ )
Low alkalinity, deep lakes	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	Min = 3 Max = 5	( $R_c \div 0.33$ )	Min = 4.5 Max = 7.5	( $R_c \div 0.17$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Low alkalinity, shallow, lowland or high altitude lakes other than peat lakes	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	Min = 3 Max = 5	( $R_c \div 0.29$ )	Min = 5 Max = 8.5	( $R_c \div 0.15$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )
Low alkalinity, shallow,	( $R_c \div 0.50$ )	Min = 5 Max = 7	( $R_c \div 0.30$ )	Min = 8 Max = 12	( $R_c \div 0.15$ )	( $R_c \div 0.05$ )

(a) The range of reference chlorophyll concentration values is taken from Commission Decision 2008/E915/EC establishing, pursuant to Directive 2000/60/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council, the values of the Member State monitoring system classifications as a result of the intercalibration exercise.

lowland or high altitude, peat lakes						
Low alkalinity, shallow, mid-altitude lakes other than peat lakes	$(R_c \div 0.50)$	Min = 2 Max = 4	$(R_c \div 0.33)$	Min = 3 Max = 6	$(R_c \div 0.17)$	$(R_c \div 0.05)$
Low alkalinity, shallow, mid-altitude, peat lakes	$(R_c \div 0.50)$	Min = 4 Max = 6	$(R_c \div 0.33)$	Min = 6 Max = 9	$(R_c \div 0.17)$	$(R_c \div 0.05)$
Low alkalinity, very shallow lakes	$(R_c \div 0.63)$	-	$(R_c \div 0.33)$	-	$(R_c \div 0.17)$	$(R_c \div 0.05)$
Marl lakes	$(R_c \div 0.55)$	Min = 4.6 Max = 7	$(R_c \div 0.32)$	Min = 8 Max = 12	$(R_c \div 0.16)$	$(R_c \div 0.05)$

Notes to Table 1—

The denominators in the equations in Columns 2, 4, 6 and 7 are the values for the "high", "good", "moderate" and "poor" ecological quality ratios for parameter chlorophyll *a*.

Table 2: Phytoplankton boundary values for lakes —percentage cyanobacteria			
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Phytoplankton Chlorophyll <i>a</i> and Percentage Cyanobacteria ISBN 978-1-906934-03-3			
	Ecological quality ratio		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Geological characteristics*	High Alkalinity	Moderate Alkalinity	Low alkalinity
High	0.97	0.95	0.97
Good	0.82	0.77	0.82
Moderate	0.61	0.61	0.61
Poor	0.15	0.15	0.15

Note to Table 2—

The geological characteristics of lakes applicable to Columns 2, 3 and 4 are assigned in accordance with tables 4 and 5 of Part 2.

Table 3: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos — Phytobenthos boundary values for lakes		
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Macrophyte and Phytobenthos (Diatoms Assessment of River & lake Ecological Quality (DARLEQ) ISBN 978-1-906934-00-2		
	Ecological quality ratio	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
	Low alkalinity lakes	Moderate alkalinity lakes; high alkalinity lakes; and marl lakes
High	0.90	0.90
Good	0.63	0.66
Moderate	0.44	0.44

Table 4: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos — Aquatic macrophyte boundary values for lakes	
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Macrophytes and Phytobenthos (Macrophyte) Assessment of River & Lake Ecological Quality LEAFPACS)) ISBN 978-1-906934-01-9	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.80
Good	0.60
Moderate	0.40
Poor	0.20

Table 5: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for lakes (1)	
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Benthic Invertebrate fauna Chironomid Pupal Exuviae Technique (CPET) Method ISBN 978-1-906934-04-0)	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.77
Good	0.64
Moderate	0.49
Poor	0.36

Table 6: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for lakes (2)		
UKTAG Lake Assessment Methods: Benthic Invertebrate Fauna Lake Acidification Macroinvertebrate Metric (CLAMM for clear lakes and HLAMM for humic lakes) ISBN 978-1-906934-05-7)		
	Ecological quality ratio	
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Geological characteristics	Low alkalinity with < 5mg dissolved organic carbon (DOC) –Clear lakes	Low alkalinity with ≥ 5 mg/l dissolved organic carbon (DOC) – Humic lakes
High	0.86	0.83
Good	0.70	0.61
Moderate	0.54	-

(iii)

*Transitional and coastal waters*

1.—(1) The coastal water or part of such water must have applied to it—

- (a) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” benthic invertebrate boundary value for coastal waters specified in Table 1 below by calculating the ecological quality ratio, EQR, for benthic invertebrates in the coastal water or part in accordance with the method, “Dogwhelks (nucella lapillus) – imposex assessment”(a).
- (b) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” benthic invertebrate boundary value for coastal waters specified in Table 2 below by calculating the ecological quality ratio, EQR<sub>IQI</sub>, for benthic invertebrates in the coastal water or part in accordance with the method, “Infaunal Quality Index (IQI)”(b).

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(a) UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Benthic Invertebrate fauna Dog whelks (Nucella lapillus) - imposex assessment ISBN 978-1-906934-16-3.  
 (b) UKTAG (2008) UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Method, Benthic Invertebrate Fauna, Invertebrates in soft sediments, Infaunal Quality Index (IQI); ISBN: 978-1-906934-13-2.

- (c) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” fish boundary value for transitional waters specified in Table 3 below by calculating the ecological quality ratio,  $EQR_{TFCI}$ , for fish in the transitional water or part in accordance with the method, “Transitional Fish Classification Index (TFCI) Index”.
- (d) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” seagrass boundary value for coastal waters and transitional waters specified in Table 4 as follows—
- (i) by calculating the ecological quality ratios as percentages for each of the parameters listed in Column 1 of Table 5 below in accordance with the method, “Angiosperms Sea grass (Zostera) bed assessment”;
  - (ii) by linear interpolation with reference to the boundary values for each parameter-specific ecological quality ratio scale given in columns 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Table 5 below and the upper limits of “high” and “bad” status on each of those scales in columns 2 and 7 of that Table, converting the calculated percentages for each parameter to values on a common ecological quality ratio scale with the values for high, good, moderate and poor on that common scale being those given in Column 2 of Table 4; and
  - (iii) by calculating the ecological quality ratio for the Angiosperms Sea grass (Zostera) bed assessment index,  $EQR_{ISGI}$ , using the equation—

$$EQR_{ISGI} = [EQR_{TCL} + EQR_{SLyr} + EQR_{SEL}] \div 3; \text{ or}$$

where data is available for a period of five years or more,

$$EQR_{ISGI} = [EQR_{TCL} + EQR_{SL5yr} + EQR_{SEL}] \div 3$$

where—

$EQR_{TCL}$  is the % taxonomic composition loss

$EQR_{SLyr}$  is the % annual shoot loss;

$EQR_{SL5yr}$  is the % five year shoot loss

$EQR_{SEL}$  is the % spatial extent loss

- (e) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” phytoplankton boundary value for coastal waters specified in Table 6 below as follows—
- (i) by calculating the ecological quality ratios for each of the parameters listed in Column 1 of Table 7 below in accordance with the method, “phytoplankton multi-metric toolkit”;
  - (ii) by linear interpolation with reference to the boundary values for each parameter-specific ecological quality ratio scale given in columns 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Table 7 below and the upper limits of “high” and “bad” status on each of those scales in columns 2 and 7 of that Table, converting the calculated ecological quality ratios for each parameter to values on a common ecological quality ratio scale with the values for high, good, moderate and poor on that common scale being those given in Column 2 of Table 6 below; and
  - (iii) by calculating the ecological quality ratio for the phytoplankton multi-metric toolkit index,  $EQR_{PMTI}$ , using the equation—

$$EQR_{PMTI} = [{}^C EQR_{PB} + [{}^C EQR_{BF} + {}^C EQR_{SS}] \div 3$$

where—

${}^C EQR_{PB}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, phytoplankton biomass, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;



${}^cEQR_{BF}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, bloom frequency, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale; and

${}^cEQR_{SS}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, seasonal succession of functional groups, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale.

- (f) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” macroalgae boundary value for transitional waters specified in Table 8 below by calculating the ecological quality ratio,  $EQR_{fucoid}$ , for macroalgae in the transitional water or part in accordance with the method, “Fucoid Extent”(a).
- (g) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” macroalgae boundary value for coastal waters and transitional waters specified in Table 9 below—
- (i) for the coastal water or part, or transitional water or part, by calculating the ecological quality ratios for each of the parameters listed in Column 1 of Table 10 below in accordance with the method, “macroalgal bloom assessment - opportunistic macroalgae”(b);
  - (ii) by linear interpolation with reference to the boundary values for each parameter-specific ecological quality ratio scale given in columns 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Table 10 below and the upper limits of “high” and “bad” status on each of those scales in columns 2 and 7 of that Table, converting the calculated ecological quality ratios for each parameter to values on a common ecological quality ratio scale with the values for high, good, moderate and poor on that common scale being those given in Column 2 of Table 9 below; and
  - (iii) by calculating the ecological quality ratio for the macroalgal bloom index,  $EQR_{MBI}$ , using the equation:

$$EQR_{MBI} = [{}^cEQR_{TE} + {}^cEQR_{CAIH} + {}^cEQR_{BAA} + {}^cEQR_{BAIH} + {}^cEQR_{PEA}] \div 5$$

where—

${}^cEQR_{TE}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, total extent of macroalgal bed, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{CAIH}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, cover of intertidal habitat, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{BAA}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, biomass of opportunistic macroalgal mats, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{BAIH}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, biomass over the available intertidal habitat, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale; and

${}^cEQR_{PEA}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, proportion of entrained algae, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale.

- (h) the “high”, “good”, “moderate” or “poor” macroalgae boundary value for coastal waters specified in Table 11 below as follows—

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(a) UKTAG (2009) UKTAG Transitional Water Assessment Methods, Macroalgae, Fucoid Extent; ISBN: 978-1-906934-11-8.  
 (b) UKTAG (2009) UKTAG Transitional and Coastal Water Assessment Methods, Macroalgae, Macroalgal Bloom Assessment - Opportunistic Macroalgae; ISBN: 978-1-906934-15-6.

- (i) by calculating the ecological quality ratios for each of the parameters listed in Column 1 of Table 11 below in accordance with the method, “macroalgae - reduced species list”(a);
- (ii) by linear interpolation with reference to the boundary values for each parameter-specific ecological quality ratio scale given in columns 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Table 12 below and the upper limits of “high” and “bad” status on each of those scales in columns 2 and 7 of that Table, converting the calculated ecological quality ratios for each parameter to values on a common ecological quality ratio scale with the values for high, good, moderate and poor on that common scale being those given in Column 2 of Table 11 below; and
- (iii) by calculating the ecological quality ratio for the macroalgae - reduced species list method,  $EQR_{MRSLS}$ , using the equation—

$$EQR_{MRSLS} = [{}^cEQR_n + {}^cEQR_{ch} + {}^cEQR_{rh} + {}^cEQR_{op} + {}^cEQR_{ESGR}] \div 5$$

Where—

${}^cEQR_n$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, normalised number of macroalgal taxa, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{ch}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, normalised proportion of Chlorophyta, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{rh}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, normalised proportion of Rhodophyta, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale;

${}^cEQR_{op}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, proportion of opportunist macroalgal taxa, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale; and

${}^cEQR_{ESGR}$  is the calculated value of the ecological quality ratio for the parameter, ecological status group ratio, converted to a value on the common ecological quality ratio scale.

(2) In paragraphs 1(1)(d)(ii), 1(1)(e)(ii), 1(1)(g)(ii) and 1(1)(h)(ii), the upper limit of high status on the common ecological quality ratio scale is “1” and the lower limit of bad status, “0”.

Table 1: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for coastal waters		
UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Benthic Invertebrate fauna Dog whelks ( <i>Nucella lapillus</i> ) - imposex assessment ISBN 978-1-906934-16-3		
	Ecological quality ratio	Vas Deferens Stage Index (VDSI)
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
High	0.95	0.3
Good	0.33	4
Moderate	0.17	5

(a) UKTAG (2009) UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Methods, Macroalgae, Macroalgae - Rocky Shore Reduced Species List; ISBN: 978-1-906934-17-0.

Table 2: Benthic invertebrate fauna boundary values for coastal waters	
UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Benthic invertebrate fauna - Invertebrates in soft sediments (Infaunal Quality Index (IQI)) ISBN 978-1-906934-13-2	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.75
Good	0.64
Moderate	0.44
Poor	0.24

Table 3: Fish boundary values for transitional waters	
UKTAG Transitional Water Assessment Methods: Fish Fauna ISBN 978-1-906934-10-1)	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 4: Aquatic angiosperm boundary values for transitional waters and coastal waters	
(UKTAG Transitional and Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Angiosperms Sea grass ( <i>Zostera</i> ) bed assessment ISBN 978-1-906934-14-9)	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 5 Parameter-specific percentage boundaries for the purpose of converting the results for each parameter used in Table 4 above to a common ecological quality ratio scale						
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Parameter	Upper limit of “high status” on parameter-specific EQR scales	High	Good	Moderate	Poor	Lower limit of “bad status” on parameter-specific EQR scales
Taxonomic composition (expressed as % loss)	0	<25	<33.3	<66.6	<75	100
Shoot loss (expressed as %) (annual)	0	10	30	50	70	100
Shoot loss (expressed as %) (5 year rolling mean)	0	5	15	25	35	100
Extent loss, (expressed as %)	0	10	30	50	70	100
Score	1	0.80	0.60	0.40	0.20	0

Table 6: Phytoplankton boundary values for transitional waters and coastal waters	
Boundary values relating to mean of the results for each of the indicators of the condition of phytoplankton (UKTAG Method Transitional and Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Phytoplankton ISBN 978-1-906934-12-5)	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 7: Parameter-specific ecological quality ratio (EQR) scales for the purpose of converting the results for each parameter used in the “Phytoplankton Multi-metric Toolkit” method to a common ecological quality ratio scale

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Parameter	Upper limit of “high status” on parameter-specific EQR scales	High	Good	Moderate	Poor	Lower limit of “bad status” on parameter-specific EQR scales
EQR scale for the parameter, phytoplankton biomass (EQR <sub>PB</sub> ) in Sea Region A	1	0.67	0.33	0.22	0.17	0
EQR scale for the parameter, phytoplankton biomass (EQR <sub>PB</sub> ) in Sea Region B	1	0.67	0.44	0.34	0.27	0
EQR scale for the parameter, bloom frequency (EQR <sub>BF</sub> )	1.06	1	0.89	0.67	0.44	0
EQR scale for the parameter, seasonal succession of functional groups (EQR <sub>SS</sub> )	1.25	1	0.75	0.50	0.25	0

Table 8: Aquatic macroalgae boundary values for transitional waters

UKTAG Transitional Water Assessment Methods: Macroalgae Furoid extent Method ISBN 978-1-906934-11-8)

	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 9: Aquatic macroalgae boundary values for transitional waters and coastal waters

Boundary values calculated from the combined results of the different indicators of macroalgae specified in UKTAG Coastal and Transitional Water Assessment Methods: Macroalgal bloom assessment (Opportunistic Macroalgae) Method ISBN 978-1-906934-15-6

	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 10: Parameter-specific ecological quality ratio (EQR) scales for the purpose of converting the results for each parameter used in Table 9 above to a common ecological quality ratio scale

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Parameter	Upper limit of “high status” on parameter-specific EQR scales	High	Good	Moderate	Poor	Lower limit of “bad status” on parameter-specific EQR scales
EQR scale for the parameter, total extent of macroalgal bed (EQR <sub>TE</sub> )	1.02	1	0.93	0.83	0.56	0
EQR scale for the parameter, cover of intertidal habitat (EQR <sub>CAIH</sub> )	1.05	1	0.9	0.79	0.26	0
EQR scale for the parameter, biomass of opportunistic macroalgal mats (EQR <sub>BAA</sub> )	1.02	1	0.93	0.85	0.51	0
EQR scale for the parameter, biomass over the available intertidal habitat (EQR <sub>BAIH</sub> )	1.02	1	0.93	0.85	0.51	0
EQR scale for the parameter, proportion of entrained algae (EQR <sub>PEA</sub> )	1.01	1	0.96	0.81	0.51	0

Table 11: Aquatic macroalgae boundary values for coastal waters

UKTAG Coastal Water Assessment Methods: Macroalgae Macroalgae - Rocky Shore Reduced Species List ISBN 978-1-906934-17-0	
	Ecological quality ratio
Column 1	Column 2
High	0.8
Good	0.6
Moderate	0.4
Poor	0.2

Table 12: Parameter-specific ecological quality ratio (EQR) scales for the purpose of converting the results for each parameter used in Table 11 above to a common ecological quality ratio scale

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Parameter	Upper limit of “high status” on parameter-specific EQR scales	High	Good	Moderate	Poor	Lower limit of “bad status” on parameter-specific EQR scales
EQR scale for the parameter, normalised number of macroalgal taxa (EQR <sub>n</sub> )	2	1	0.71	0.49	0.14	0
EQR scale for the parameter, proportion of Chlorophyta (EQR <sub>ch</sub> )	1.14	1	0.91	0.80	0.23	0
EQR scale for the parameter, proportion of Rhodophyta (EQR <sub>rh</sub> )	1.82	1	0.82	0.64	0.27	0
EQR scale for the parameter, proportion of opportunists (EQR <sub>op</sub> )	1.11	1	0.94	0.83	0.56	0
EQR scale for the parameter, ecological status group ratio (EQR <sub>ESGR</sub> )	1.2	1	0.80	0.70	0.20	0

## PART 7

### Groundwater Threshold Values

1. Where any threshold value for groundwater in Table 1 below is failed, an appropriate investigation must be undertaken in order to determine whether or not the applicable conditions for good groundwater chemical status are met in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 4 of the Groundwater Directive.

Pollutant	Mean concentration (or parameter value) in groundwater					Units
	Saline Intrusion <sup>1</sup> (Test 1)	Groundwater Impacts on Surface Water <sup>2</sup> (Test 2)		Groundwater Drinking Water Protected Areas <sup>3</sup> (Test 4)	General Quality of Groundwater Body <sup>3</sup> (Test 5)	
		Min TV	Max TV			
1,1,1-Trichloroethane		101	552		7.5	ug/l
1,1,2-Trichloroethane		404	2210		7.5	ug/l
1,2-dichloroethane				2.25	2.25	ug/l
Aluminium				150		ug/l
Ammonia		0.3	1.73	0.29	0.29	mg/l
Anthracene		0.1	0.55			ug/l
Arsenic		51.6	199	7.5		ug/l
Atrazine		0.62	3.47	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Bentazone		514	2890	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Benzene		10.1	55.2	0.75	0.75	ug/l
Benzo(a)pyrene				0.075		ug/l
Boron				750		ug/l
Bromate				0.0075	0.0075	mg/l
Cadmium		0.2	1.1	3.75		ug/l
Carbendazim				0.075		ug/l
Carbetamide				0.075		ug/l
Carbon tetrachloride		12.1	66.2	2.25	2.25	ug/l
Chlorfenvinphos		0.1	0.58	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Chloride	NBC			188	187.5	mg/l
Chloroform		2.53	13.8	75	75	ug/l
Chlortoluron				0.075		ug/l
Chromium		5	27.6	37.5		ug/l
Clopyralid				0.075		ug/l
Copper		10.1	57.8	1500		ug/l
Cyanazine				0.075		ug/l
Cypermethrin		0.0001	0.0005	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Dalapon				0.075		ug/l
Diazinon		0.01	0.06	0.075	0.075	ug/l



Dichloromethane		20.7	62.2		7.5	ug/l
Dichlorprop				75		ug/l
Diuron		0.2	1.2	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Electrical conductivity	NBC			1880		uS/cm
Fluoranthene		0.1	0.6			ug/l
Fluoride				1.1		mg/l
Glyphosate				0.075		ug/l
Isoproturon		0.3	1.7	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Lead		7.3	39.8	18.8		ug/l
MCPA				0.075		ug/l
Mecoprop		5.1	28.9	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Mercury				0.75		ug/l
Metazachlor				0.075		ug/l
Naphthalene		2.4	13.2			ug/l
Nickel		20.2	116	15		ug/l
Nitrate				42	42	mg/l
Pentachlorophenol		0.4	2.2	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Permethrin-cis+trans		0.01	0.06	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Phenol		15.2	82.8		7.5	ug/l
Phosphate		41.4	536			ug/l
Propazine				0.075		ug/l
Propetamphos				0.075	0.075	ug/l
Simazine		1	5.8	0.075	0.075	ug/l
Sodium				113		mg/l
Sulphate	NBC			188	188	mg/l
Terbutryn				0.075		ug/l
Tetrachloroethene (PCE)		10.1	57.8	7.5	7.5	ug/l
Toluene		50.5	276			ug/l
Trichloroethene (TCE)		10.1	55.2	7.5	7.5	ug/l
Trietazine				0.075		ug/l
Trifluralin				0.075		ug/l
Xylene -p+m		30.3	166		37.5	ug/l
Zinc		75.8	414	3750		ug/l

Notes to table of threshold values:

1. For the Saline Intrusion Test (Test 1) the threshold values are set as the natural background concentration or parameter value (NBC) for the pollutants indicative of the intrusion, e.g. chloride, sulphate or electrical conductivity.
2. The individual Threshold Values applicable to each groundwater body are given in the River Basin Management Plans.
3. These threshold values have been designed to be equivalent to a 95-percentile standard (See Annex 2 of UKTAG guidance on Groundwater Chemical Status Assessment).

**PART 8**  
Specified lakes

<i>WATER BODY</i>	<i>NAME</i>	<i>River Basin District</i>	<i>Region</i>
GB31033803	Llyn Ogwen	10	1
GB31033537	Dulyn Reservoir	10	1
GB31033337	Llyn Coron	10	1
GB31047043	Hafoty Reservoir	10	1
GB31032435	Llyn Llygeirian	10	1
GB31034042	Glaslyn	10	1
GB31035561	Llyn Bodlyn	10	1
GB31033722	Marchlyn Bach Reservoir	10	1
GB31034870	Llyn Trawsfynydd	10	1
GB31042079	Eglwys Nunydd Reservoir	10	1
GB31038409	Llyn Egnant	10	1
GB31041219	Llyn Fawr	10	1
GB31035426	Llyn Hywel	10	1
GB31038390	Llyn Teifi	10	1
GB31034866	Llyn Tecwyn Uchaf	10	1
GB31035180	Llyn Cwm Bychan	10	1
GB31041203	Cwm Lliedi Reservoir	10	1
GB31036267	Llyn Cau	10	1
GB31034249	Llyn Cwm Dulyn	10	1
GB31034400	Llyn Conwy	10	1
GB31033828	Llyn Peris	10	1
GB31041177	Lower Lliw Reservoir	10	1
GB31038398	Pond y Gwaith	10	1
GB31034008	Llyn Elsi Reservoir	10	1
GB31035111	Llyn Gelli Gain	10	1
GB31040457	Ystradfellte Reservoir	10	1
GB31042170	Kenfig Pool	10	1
GB31037596	Nant-y-moch Reservoir	10	1
GB31039942	Rosebush Reservoir	10	1
GB31038394	Llyn Hŷr	10	1
GB31032926	Cefni Reservoir	10	1
GB31041050	Upper Lliw Reservoir	10	1
GB31035712	Llyn Cynwch	10	1
GB31034613	Llyn Morwynion	10	1
GB31039020	Llyn Brianne Reservoir	10	1
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GB31034033	Llyn Llydaw	10	1
GB31034490	Llyn Cwmystradllyn	10	1
GB31033730	Llyn Padarn	10	1
GB31037641	Llyn Llygad Rheidol	10	1

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GB31040990	Penderyn Reservoir	10	1
GB31037834	Llynnoedd Ieuan	10	1
GB31032538	Llyn Alaw	10	1
GB31033261	Plas Uchaf and Dolwen Reservoirs	10	1
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GB31037690	Llyn Craigypistyll	10	1
GB31033974	Llyn Cwmffynnon	10	1
GB31035578	Llyn Cwm-mynach	10	1
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GB31034895	Llyn y Garn	10	1
GB31041602	Lily Ponds or Bosherton Lake (includes Central, Lower and Upper)	10	1
GB31041145	Upper Lliedi Reservoir	10	1
GB31033836	Llyn Idwal	10	1
GB31033686	Llyn Cowlyd Reservoir	10	1
GB31032948	Llyn Dinam	10	1
GB31036405	Tal-y-llyn Lake	10	1
GB31034319	Llyn Llagi	10	1
GB31033571	Llyn Eigiau Reservoir	10	1
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GB31134780	Hanmer Mere	11	2
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GB31134987	Llyn Tegid or Bala Lake	11	1
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GB30429866	Grimwith Reservoir	4	1
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GB30432568	Rivelin Dams	4	1
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