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Robert M. Dilmore,* Douglas E. Allen, J. Richard McCarthy Jones, Sheila W. Hedges, and Yee Soong

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Monika A. M. Kedziorek,* Stephane Geoffriau, and Alain C. M. Bourg

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Qingyang Li, Purnendu K. Dasgupta,* and Henry K. Temkin

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Fate of Pharmaceutical and Trace Organic Compounds in Three Septic System Plumes, Ontario, Canada

Cherilyn Carrara, Carol J. Ptacek,* William D. Robertson, David W. Blowes, Michael C. Moncur, Ed Sverko, and Sean Backus

Measurements at septic system tile fields indicate that pharmaceutical compounds may be mobile and more persistent under suboxic to reducing conditions.

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Dan Jaffe,* William Hafner, Duli Chand, Anthony Westerling, and Dominick Spracklen

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This multidisciplinary study highlights the possible link between copper distribution and dynamics in soils varying by their soil organic status and impact on indigenous microbial communities.

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Meiping Tong, Huilian Ma, and William P. Johnson*

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Nadia Martínez-Villegas* and Carmen Enid Martínez*

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Tetsu K. Tokunaga,* Jiamin Wan, Yongman Kim, Steve R. Sutton, Matthew Newville, Antonio Lanzirotti, and William Rao

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Competitive Binding of Cd and Zn with the Phytochelatin $(\gamma\text{-Glu-Cys})_4\text{-Gly}$: Comparative Study by Mass Spectrometry, Voltammetry-Multivariate Curve Resolution, and Isothermal Titration Calorimetry

Elena Chekmeneva, Rafel Prohens, José Manuel Díaz-Cruz, Cristina Ariño, and Miquel Esteban* Cd and Zn competitive complexation by the phytochelatin $(\gamma\text{-Glu-Cys})_4\text{-Gly}$ is studied by employing mass spectrometry, voltammetry/multivariate curve resolution, and calorimetry.

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Evidence for the Incorporation of Lead into Barite from Waste Rock Pile Materials

Alexandra Courtin-Nomade,* Marilyne Soubrand-Colin, Matthew A. Marcus, and Sirine C. Fakra

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Kurt R. Rhoads, Elisabeth M.-L. Janssen, Richard G. Luthy, and Craig S. Criddle*

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Je-Hun Jang* and Brian A. Dempsey

Coadsorption experiments of As(III) and As(V) reveal deficiencies in existing adsorption models and unanticipated effects on extraction and oxidation processes.

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Hyun-Hee Cho, Billy A. Smith, Joshua D. Wnuk, D. Howard Fairbrother, and William P. Ball*

The maximum sorption capacity of multiwalled carbon nanotubes toward naphthalene decreases linearly with increasing surface oxygen concentration, without affecting sorption heterogeneity.

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Degradation of Cellulose under Alkaline Conditions: New Insights from a 12 Years Degradation Study

Martin A. Glaus* and Luc R. Van Loon

The uncertainty in the time needed for complete degradation of cellulose in an alkaline cementitious environment is significantly reduced by new experimental data.

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Cu and Zn Concentration Gradients Created by Dilution of pH Neutral Metal-Spiked Marine Sediment: A Comparison of Sediment Geochemistry with Direct Methods of Metal Addition

Colin M. Hutchins,* Peter R. Teasdale, Shing Yip Lee, and Stuart L. Simpson

Dilution of Cu- and Zn-spiked, pH-adjusted sediment produces concentration gradients with sediment partitioning (Cu, Zn, Fe, Mn), pH, and Eh typical of metal-contaminated natural marine sediments.

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Reduction of Lead Oxide (PbO₂) by lodide and Formation of lodoform in the PbO₂/I⁻/NOM System

Yi-Pin Lin,* Michael P. Washburn, and Richard L. Valentine*

A novel disinfection byproduct formation pathway is shown to involve the oxidation of iodide by lead oxide which leads to the formation of iodoform in the presence of natural organic matter.

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Ranking of Refrigerants

Guillermo Restrepo, Monika Weckert, Rainer Brüggemann, Silke Gerstmann, and Hartmut Frank*

The major alternative refrigerants are ranked based upon ozone depletion potential, global warming potential, and atmospheric lifetime using the partial-order approach of the Hasse diagram technique.

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Efficient Adsorption of Super Greenhouse Gas (Tetrafluoromethane) in Carbon Nanotubes

Piotr Kowalczyk* and Robert Holyst

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Emission Factor for Antimony in Brake Abrasion Dusts as One of the Major Atmospheric Antimony Sources

Akihiro lijima,* Keiichi Sato, Kiyoko Yano, Masahiko Kato, Kunihisa Kozawa, and Naoki Furuta

Emission factors from automotive brake pads are estimated to be 3.9 mg dusts/braking/car and 22 μ g Sb/braking/car for fine airborne particulate matter (PM_{2.5}).

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The Role of the Snowpack on the Fate of $\alpha\text{-HCH}$ in an Atmospheric Chemistry-Transport Model

Kaj M. Hansen,* Crispin J. Halsall, Jesper H. Christensen, Jørgen Brandt, Lise M. Frohn, Camilla Geels, and Carsten Ambelas Skjøth

Prediction of spring maximum events and improved correlation between modeled and observed α -HCH air concentrations obtained by inclusion of a snowpack module in the DEHM-POP model.

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X-ray Microtomography Determination of Air—Water Interfacial Area—Water Saturation Relationships in Sandy Porous Media Molly S. Costanza-Robinson,* Katherine H. Harrold, and Ross M. Lieb-Lappen

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Daniele Fabbri, Leszek Marynowski,* Monika J. Fabiańska, Michał Zatoń, and Bernd R.T. Simoneit

Levoglucosan and other anhydroglucoses produced by pyrolysis of some fossil lignites utilized as fuels in Poland are evaluated.

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Nicolas Soumis,* René Canuel, and Marc Lucotte

A boundary layer equation and a custom static chamber are evaluated to define their accuracy and the factors responsible for biases.

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Field Testing a Flow-Through Sampler for Semivolatile Organic Compounds in Air

Hang Xiao, Hayley Hung, Tom Harner, Ying D. Lei, and Frank Wania*

A wind-driven air sampler suffers no break-through and yields reliable time-integrated concentrations of PCBs and PAHs over two week sampling periods.

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Measurement of Drinking Water Contaminants by Solid Phase Microextraction Initially Quantified in Source Water Samples by the USGS

Robert Stiles, III Yang, Robert Lee Lippincott, Eileen Murphy, and Brian Buckley*

This paper describes the creation and application of a solid phase microextraction (SPME)-GC/MS method for analysis of compounds targeted in a previous USGS study.

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Identification of Tylosin Photoreaction Products and Comparison of ELISA and HPLC Methods for Their Detection in Water

Dingfei Hu, Bruce Fulton, Keri Henderson, and Joel Coats*

Structures were determined for two photoproducts of the veterinary antibiotic tylosin, and the ELISA cross-reactivity is reported for those products and three other tylosin factors.

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Detection of Trace Triclocarban in Water Sample Using Solid-Phase Extraction—Liquid Chromatography with Stochastic Resonance Algorithm

Shaofei Xie, Haishan Deng, Bingren Xiang,* and Suyun Xiang

The algorithm is applied to the trace detection with a new index proposed to enhance both the signal-to-noise ratio and the peak shape.

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Secondary Effects of Catalytic Diesel Particulate Filters: Reduced Aryl Hydrocarbon Receptor-Mediated Activity of the Exhaust Daniela Wenger, Andreas C. Gerecke,* Norbert V. Heeb, Markus Zennegg, Martin Kohler, Hanspeter Naegeli, and Renato Zenobi

A reporter gene assay is used to detect aryl hydrocarbon receptor agonists in diesel exhaust and to investigate effects of exhaust treatment by catalytic diesel particulate filters on agonist emissions.

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Sustained Removal of Uranium From Contaminated Groundwater Following Stimulation of Dissimilatory Metal Reduction

A. Lucie N'Guessan,* Helen A. Vrionis, Charles T. Resch, Philip E. Long, and Derek R. Lovley

An unexpected phenomenon where long-term removal of uranium from groundwater is observed postbiostimulation is described, and a potential mechanism is suggested.

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Ferrate(VI) Oxidation of Weak-Acid Dissociable Cyanides

Ria A. Yngard, Virender K. Sharma,* Jan Filip, and Radek Zboril

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Electrolytic Methanogenic—Methanotrophic Coupling for Tetrachloroethylene Bioremediation: Proof of Concept

Serge R. Guiot,* Ruxandra Cimpoia, Ramona Kuhn, and Aude Alaplantive

Coupling of methanogenic and methanotrophic catabolisms can be stimulated by water electrolysis and is feasible in a single-stage technology for complete degradation of tetrachloroethylene.

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Photocatalytic Removal of Pesticide Dichlorvos from Indoor Air: A Study of Reaction Parameters, Intermediates and Mineralization

Mohamad Sleiman.* Corinne Ferronato, and Jean-Marc Chovelon

Air treatment by photocatalysis and application to the removal of pesticides are studied.

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Stimulation Of Microbial Urea Hydrolysis In Groundwater To Enhance Calcite Precipitation

Yoshiko Fujita,* Joanna L. Taylor, Tina L. T. Gresham, Mark E. Delwiche, Frederick S. Colwell, Travis L. McLing, Lynn M. Petzke, and Robert W. Smith

Microbial urea hydrolysis and calcite precipitation *in situ* can be enhanced with nutrient addition, offering a potential new approach for groundwater contaminant remediation.

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Removal of Ammonia from Air on Molybdenum and Tungsten Oxide Modified Activated Carbons

Camille Petit and Teresa J. Bandosz*

Molybdenum and tungsten oxides distributed on the surface of activated carbon provide Lewis and/or Brønsted centers for interactions with ammonia molecule or ammonium ions.

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Palladium—Indium Catalyzed Reduction of N-Nitrosodimethylamine: Indium as a Promoter Metal

Matthew G. Davie, Kaimin Shih, Federico A. Pacheco, James O. Leckie, and Martin Reinhard*

Kinetic studies of NDMA reduction using bimetallic Pd—In catalysts and hydrogen gas provide mechanistic insight to develop the technology for drinking and groundwater treatment.

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Stewart, W. Hickey* and Colin Fitzpatrick

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Microbial Fuel Cells Generating Electricity from Rhizodeposits of Rice Plants

Liesje De Schamphelaire, Leen Van den Bossche, Hai Son Dang, Monica Höfte, Nico Boon, Korneel Rabaey, and Willy Verstraete*

Light increases the electrical output of sediment microbial fuel cells through the presence of plants and their release of rhizodeposits.

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Simultaneous Hydrogen Production and Electrochemical Oxidation of Organics Using Boron-Doped Diamond Electrodes

Juyuan Jiang,* Ming Chang, and Peng Pan

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Wanqin Jin,* Chun Zhang, Xianfeng Chang, Yiqun Fan, Weihong Xing, and Nanping Xu

An innovative catalytic process is proposed to decompose CO₂ in an oxygen-permeable membrane reactor packed with a mixed-conducting oxide supported noble metal catalyst.

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A Hybrid Life Cycle Inventory of Nano-Scale Semiconductor Manufacturing

Nikhil Krishnan,* Sarah Boyd, Ajay Somani, Sebastien Raoux, Daniel Clark, and David Dornfeld

A comprehensive data set and methodology for estimating and reducing resource consumption and emissions of a broad range of technologies involving nano- and microfabrication is presented.

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Scott D. Dyer,* Donald J. Versteeg, Scott E. Belanger, Joel G. Chaney, Sandy Raimondo, and Mace G. Barron

Interspecies correlation estimation models are recommended for generating species sensitivity distributions and hazard concentrations for chemicals with limited toxicity data.

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Anders S. G. Andrae,* Norihiro Itsubo, Hiroshi Yamaguchi, and Atsushi Inaba

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Elijah J. Petersen, Qingguo Huang, and Walter J. Weber, Jr.*

CNT bioaccumulation factors nearly two orders of magnitude lower than those for pyrene are investigated.

Perfluorinated Compounds in Human Milk from Massachusetts, U.S.A.

Lin Tao, Kurunthachalam Kannan,* Chung M. Wong, Kathleen F. Arcaro, and John L. Butenhoff

Perfluorinated acids have been measured in human milk from Massachusetts, U.S.A.

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Evidence for Bioavailable Copper-Dissolved Organic Matter **Complexes and Transiently Increased Copper Bioavailability** in Manure-Amended Soils as Determined by Bioluminescent **Bacterial Biosensors**

Kristian K. Brandt,* Peter E. Holm, and Ole Nybroe

Biosensor determination indicates increased Cu bioavailability in manure-amended soil.

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Reproductive Success, Early Life Stage Development, and Survival of Westslope Cutthroat Trout (Oncorhynchus clarki lewisi) Exposed to Elevated Selenium in an Area of Active Coal Mining

Barri-Lynn Rudolph, lisak Andreller, and Christopher J. Kennedy*

Reproductive success of cutthroat trout can be affected by exposure to Se; however, the threshold concentration appears to be above 20 ug/g Se in eggs.

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