

Chapter 3 Results of the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

1. Purpose of the monitoring

Environmental Monitoring provides annual surveys of the environmental persistence of target chemicals as listed in the Stockholm Convention, chemicals that while undesignated are still subject to review for potential risk, and/or highly persistent chemicals annotated as Specified Chemical Substances and Monitored Chemical Substances under the Law Concerning the Examination and Regulation of Manufacture, etc. of Chemical Substances (aka, the Chemical Substances Control Law), all target chemicals whose year to year changes in persistence in the environment must be understood.

*POPs: persistent organic pollutants

2. Target chemicals

In the FY2024 Environmental Monitoring, 11 chemicals (groups) were designated as target chemical.

2 of the target chemicals (groups) were Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) and Hexachlorobenzene, which were listed as Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) initially in the Stockholm Convention in 2004¹. 2 of them were Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS)² and Pentachlorobenzene, which were adopted to be the POPs at fourth meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP) held 2009. 1 of them was Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene, which were adopted to be the POPs at seventh meeting of COP held 2015. 1 of them was Short-chain chlorinated paraffins³, which was adopted to be the POPs at eighth meeting of COP held 2017. 1 was Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)⁴, which was adopted to be the POPs at ninth meeting of COP held 2019. 1 was Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS)⁵, which was adopted to be the POPs at tenth meeting of COP held 2021 and 2022. Other were Methoxychlor, Dechlorane pluses and UV-328, which were adopted to be the POPs at eleventh meeting of COP held 2023.

The combinations of target chemicals and the monitoring media are given below.

(Note 1) Up to FY2009, the 11 target chemicals (groups) were monitored each fiscal year. 10 out of the 11 target chemicals (groups) were exceptions of Polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxin (PCDDs) and Polychlorinated dibenzofurans (PCDFs) from 12 chemicals (groups) listed as the POPs initially in the Stockholm Convention. Another was HCHs (Hexachlorohexanes)⁶. As of FY2010, chemicals (groups) adopted or considered to be the POPs in the convention have been monitored too, and adjustments made to implementation frequency. In FY2024, 11 chemicals (groups) that have been designated as target chemicals (groups) in this Environmental Monitoring were not monitored. They were Aldrin, Dieldrin, Endrin, DDTs⁷, Chlordanes⁸, Heptachlors⁹, Toxaphenes¹⁰, Mirex, Chlordecone, HCHs (Hexachlorohexanes), Hexabromobiphenyls, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄~Br₁₀)¹¹, Endosulfans, 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes¹², Polychlorinated Naphthalenes¹³ Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters¹⁴ and Dicofol. Up to the latest results of the 17 chemicals (groups) have been included in this report for purpose of reference.

(Note 2) Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS), its salts and Perfluorooctane sulfonyl fluoride were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. The survey of the Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) only monitored linear octyl Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS).

(Note 3) Chlorinated paraffins (C₁₀~C₁₃) was adopted as target chemicals at the COP8 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, Chlorinated paraffins with 5~9 chlorines are target chemicals in surface water, sediment and wildlife, and Chlorinated paraffins with 4~7 chlorines are target chemicals in air.

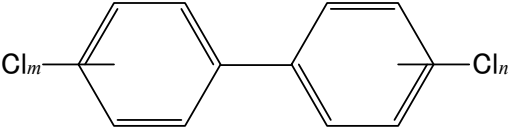
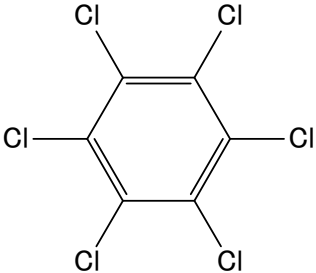
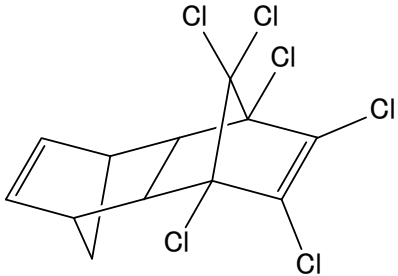
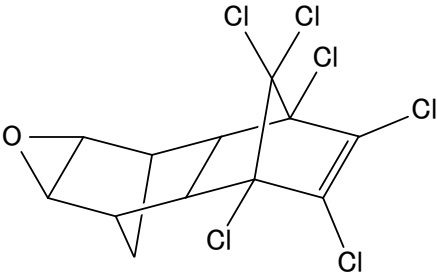
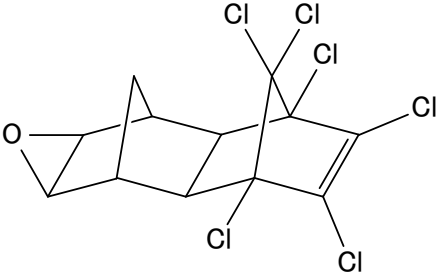
(Note 4) Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), its salts and PFOA-related compounds were adopted as target chemicals at the COP9 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. The survey of the Perfluorooctanoic acid

- (PFOA) only monitored linear octyl Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA).
- (Note 5) Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS), its salts and PFHxS-related compounds were adopted as target chemicals at the COP9 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. The survey of the Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) only monitored linear hexyl Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS).
- (Note 6) In the COP4, α -HCH, β -HCH and γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) were adopted to be POPs among HCHs, but in this Environmental Monitoring, HCHs which were able to include δ -HCH were designated as target chemicals.
- (Note 7) *p,p'*-DDT and *o,p'*-DDT were adopted as target chemicals of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, DDTs including environmental degraded products *p,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDD and *o,p'*-DDD were target chemicals.
- (Note 8) *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane were adopted as target chemical of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, Chlordanes including *cis*-Chlordane, *trans*-Chlordane Oxychlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor are target chemicals.
- (Note 9) Heptachlor was adopted as target chemical of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, Heptachlors including *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide are target chemicals.
- (Note 10) Chlorobornane and Chlorocamphene of industrial blended material (about 16,000 congeners or isomer) were adopted as target chemicals of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, 2-endo,3-exo,5-endo,6-exo,8,8,10,10-octachlorobornane (Parlar-26), 2-endo,3-exo,5-endo,6-exo,8,8,9,10,10-nonachlorobornane (Parlar-50) and 2,2,5,5,8,9,9,10,10-Nonachlorobornane (Parlar-62) are target chemicals.
- (Note 11) Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers, Pentabromodiphenyl ethers, Hexabromodiphenyl ethers, and Heptabromodiphenyl ethers were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. Decabromodiphenyl ether was adopted as target chemicals at the COP8 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, Polybromodiphenyl ethers including those from 4 to 10 bromines are target chemicals.
- (Note 12) α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane, β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane were adopted as target chemicals at the COP6 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes including δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane are target chemicals.
- (Note 13) PCNs (Cl₂-Cl₈) was adopted as target chemicals at the COP7 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants. In the survey, PCNs including those with one (1) chlorine are target chemicals.
- (Note 14) Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters were adopted as target chemicals at the COP7 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants, the survey monitored Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole.

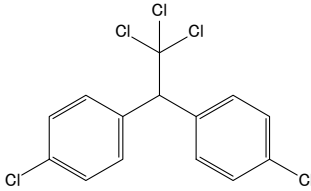
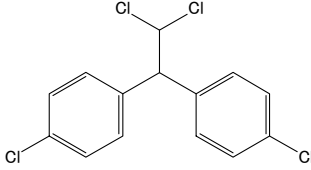
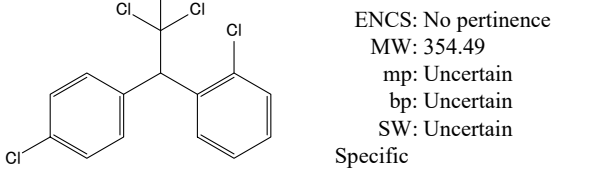
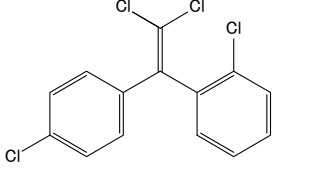
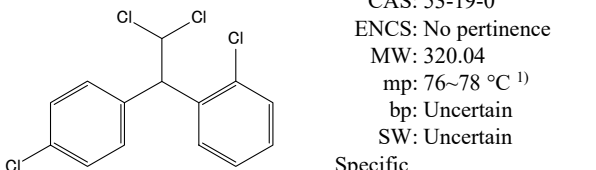
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| [2] | Hexachlorobenzene | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| [3] | Aldrin (reference) | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin (reference) | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin (reference) | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs (reference) [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT (reference) [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE (reference) [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD (reference) [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT (reference) [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE (reference) [6-6] <i>o,p'</i> -DDD (reference) | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes (reference) [7-1] <i>cis</i> -Chlordane (reference) [7-2] <i>trans</i> -Chlordane (reference) [7-3] Oxychlordane (reference) [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor (reference) [7-5] <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor (reference) | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors (reference) [8-1] Heptachlor (reference) [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide (reference) [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide (reference) | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes (reference) [9-1] 2-endo,3-exo,5-endo,6-exo,8,8,10,10-Octachlorobornane (Parlar-26) (reference) [9-2] 2-endo,3-exo,5-endo,6-exo,8,8,9,10,10-Nonachlorobornane (Parlar-50) (reference) [9-3] 2,2,5,5,8,9,9,10,10-Nonachlorobornane (Parlar-62) (reference) | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex (reference) | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs (Hexachlorohexanes) [11-1] α -HCH [11-2] β -HCH [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) [11-4] δ -HCH | | | | |
| [12] | Chlordecone (reference) | | | | |
| [13] | Hexabromobiphenyls (reference) | | | | |

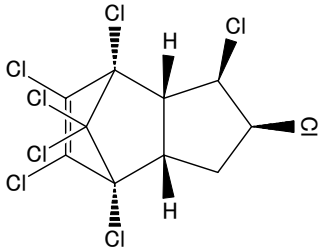
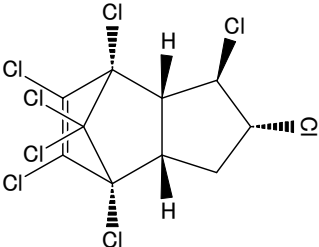
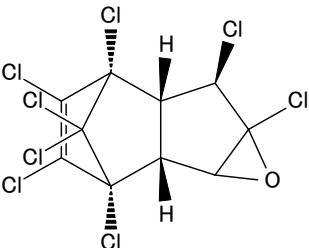
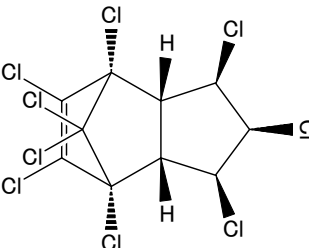
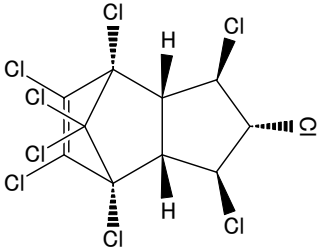
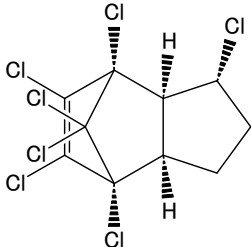
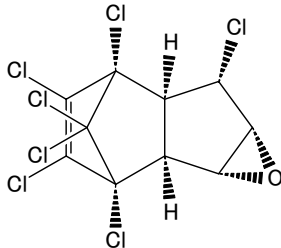
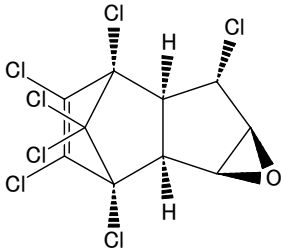
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| | | Surface water | Sediment | Wildlife | Air |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers(Br ₄ ~Br ₁₀) [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers [14-1-1] 2,2',4,4'-Tetrabromodiphenyl ether (#47) [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers [14-2-1] 2,2',4,4',5-Pentabromodiphenyl ether (#99) [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ethers [14-3-1] 2,2',4,4',5,5'-Pentabromodiphenyl ether (#153) [14-3-2] 2,2',4,4',5,6'-Pentabromodiphenyl ether (#154) [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers [14-4-1] 2,2',3,3',4,5',6'-Pentabromodiphenyl ether (#175) [14-4-2] 2,2',3,4,4',5',6'-Pentabromodiphenyl ether (#183) [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | | | ○ | ○ |
| [18] | Endosulfans (reference) [18-1] α -Endosulfan (reference) [18-2] β - Endosulfan (reference) | | | | |
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane [19-4] δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane [19-5] ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | | | | |
| [20] | Total Polychlorinated naphthalenes (reference) Total Polychlorinated naphthalenes represents the sum of the Polychlorinated naphthalenes congeners. The measured values of the individual congeners are listed on the website. | | | | |
| [21] | Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene | | | | ○ |
| [22] | Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters (reference) [22-1] Pentachlorophenol (reference) [22-2] Pentachloroanisole (reference) | | | | |
| [23] | Short-chain chlorinated paraffins [23-1] Chlorinated decanes [23-2] Chlorinated undecanes [23-3] Chlorinated dodecanes [23-4] Chlorinated tridecanes | | | ○ | ○ |
| [24] | Dicofol (reference) | | | | |
| [25] | Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| [26] | Methoxychlor | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| [27] | Dechlorane pluses [27-1] <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane plus [27-2] <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| [28] | UV-328 | ○ | ○ | ○ | |

Chemical and physical properties of target chemicals of the Environmental Monitoring are as follows.

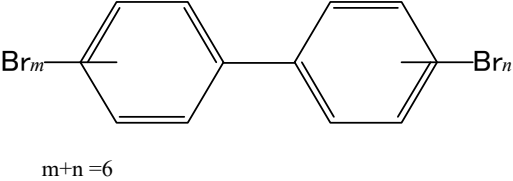
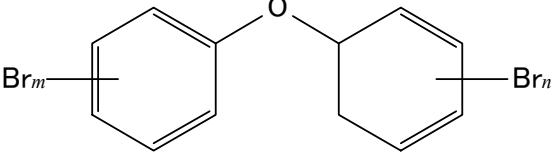
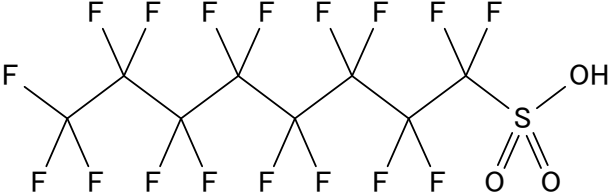
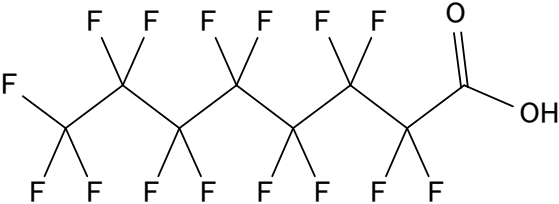
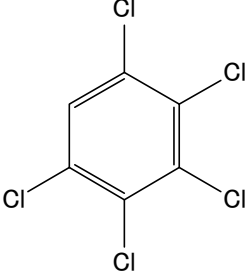
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| <p>[1] Total Polychlorinated biphenyls (Total PCBs)</p>  <p>$i = m+n = 1 \sim 10$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_{(10-i)}Cl_i$ ($i = m + n = 1 \sim 10$) CAS: 27323-18-8 (Cl₁), 22512-42-9 (Cl₂), 25323-68-6 (Cl₃), 26914-33-0 (Cl₄), 25429-29-2 (Cl₅), 26601-64-9 (Cl₆), 28655-71-2 (Cl₇), 31472-83-0 (Cl₈), 53742-07-7 (Cl₉), 2051-24-3 (Cl₁₀) ENCS: No pertinence MW: 188.65~498.66 mp: Not specified bp: Not specified SW: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |
| <p>[2] HCB (Hexachlorobenzene)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: C_6Cl_6 CAS: 118-74-1 ENCS: 3-0076 MW: 284.78 mp: 231.8 °C¹⁾ bp: 323 ~ 326 °C¹⁾ SW: 0.0000096 g/kg (25 °C)²⁾ Specific gravity: 2.044 (23 °C)¹⁾ logPow: 5.73³⁾</p> |
| <p>[3] Aldrin (reference)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_8Cl_6$ CAS: 309-00-2 ENCS: 4-0303 MW: 364.91 mp: 104°C¹⁾ bp: 145 °C (0.27 kPa)⁴⁾ SW: 0.0002 g/kg (25 °C)²⁾ Specific gravity: 1.6 g/cm³⁵⁾ logPow: 6.50³⁾</p> |
| <p>[4] Dieldrin (reference)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_8Cl_6O$ CAS: 60-57-1 ENCS: 4-0299 MW: 380.91 mp: 176~177 °C¹⁾ bp: 330 °C⁵⁾ SW: 0.00020 g/kg (25°C)²⁾ Specific gravity: 1.75 (25 °C)²⁾ logPow: 5.40³⁾</p> |
| <p>[5] Endrin (reference)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_8Cl_6O$ CAS: 72-20-8 ENCS: 4-0299 MW: 380.91 mp: 200°C⁶⁾ bp: 245 °C (Decomposition)⁶⁾ SW: 0.00025 g/kg²⁾ Specific gravity: 1.7 g/cm³⁶⁾ logPow: 5.20³⁾</p> |

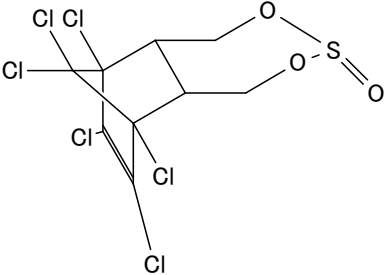
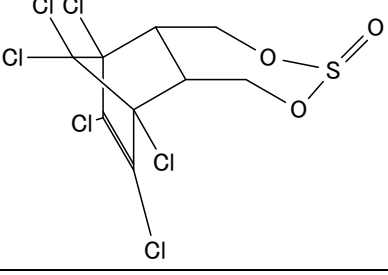
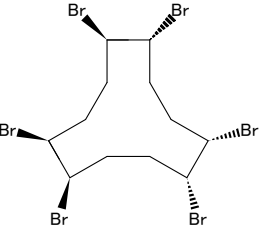
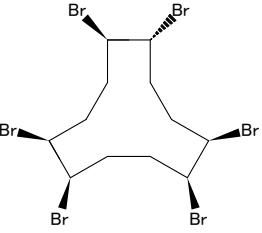
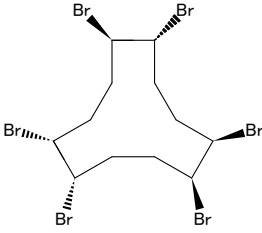
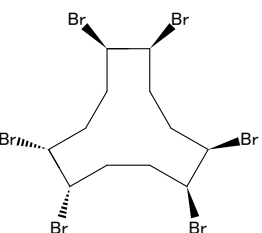
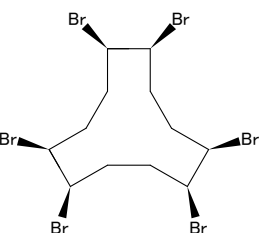
(Abbreviations) CAS: CAS registry number, ENCS: registry number in the Existing and New Chemical Substances List, MW: molecular weight, mp: melting point, bp: boiling point, SW: solubility in water, logPow: *n*-octanol-water partition coefficient, kPa: kilopascal (1 atom approximately equal to 101.3kPa).

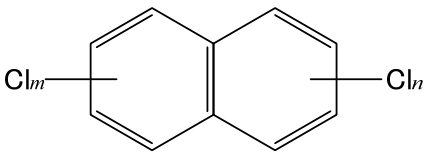
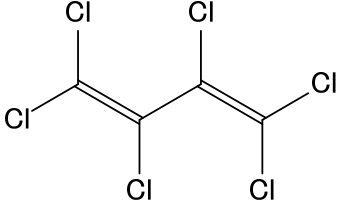
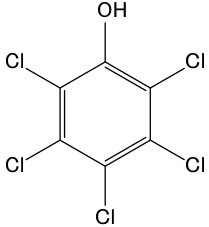
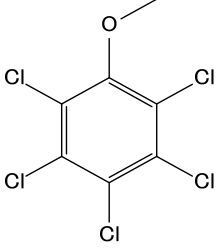
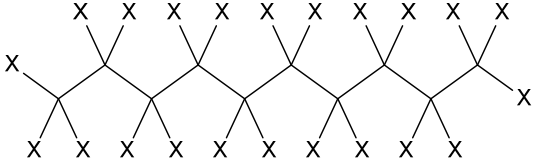
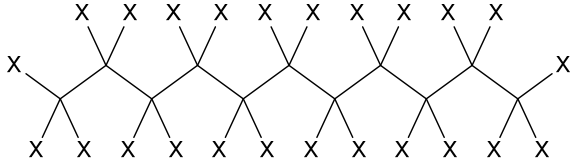
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| [7] Chlordanes (reference) | | The following data are for both [7-1] and [7-2]. Molecular formula: C ₁₀ H ₆ Cl ₈ CAS: 5103-71-9 (<i>cis</i>), 5103-74-2 (<i>trans</i>) ENCS: 4-637 MW: 409.78 mp: 106 °C ¹⁾ bp: 175 °C (1 mmHg) ¹⁾ SW: 0.0006 g/kg (25 °C) ¹⁾ Specific gravity: 1.59-1.63 (25 °C) ²⁾ logPow: 6.16 ³⁾ |
| [7-1] <i>cis</i> -Chlordane (reference) | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -Chlordane (reference) | |
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| [8] Heptachlors (reference) | | |
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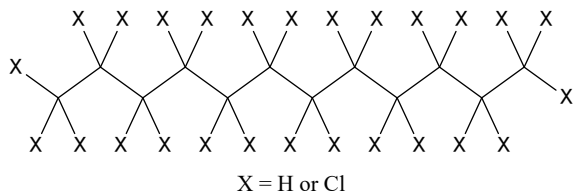
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| <p>[11] HCHs(Hexachlorohexanes) (reference)</p> | | | |
| <p>[11-1] α-HCH (reference)</p> <p>Molecular formula: C₆H₆Cl₆</p> <p>CAS: 319-84-6</p> <p>ENCS: 3-2250, 9-1652</p> <p>MW: 290.83</p> <p>mp: 158 °C¹⁾</p> <p>bp: 288 °C⁹⁾</p> <p>SW: 0.00018 g/kg (25 °C)²⁾</p> <p>Specific gravity: 1.87 (20 °C)¹⁰⁾</p> <p>logPow: 3.80³⁾</p> | <p>[11-2] β-HCH (reference)</p> <p>Molecular formula: C₆H₆Cl₆</p> <p>CAS: 319-85-7</p> <p>ENCS: 3-2250, 9-1652</p> <p>MW: 290.83</p> <p>mp: 309 °C¹¹⁾</p> <p>bp: 60 °C (0.50 mmHg)¹⁾</p> <p>SW: 0.0002 g/kg (25 °C)²⁾</p> <p>Specific gravity: 1.87 (20 °C)¹⁰⁾</p> <p>logPow: 3.78¹⁾</p> | | |
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| <p>[12] Chlordecone (reference)</p> | | <p>Molecular formula: C₁₀Cl₁₀O</p> <p>CAS: 143-50-0</p> <p>ENCS: No pertinence</p> <p>MW: 490.64</p> <p>mp: 350 °C²⁾</p> <p>bp: Uncertain</p> <p>sw: 7.6 mg/L (24 °C)⁵⁾</p> <p>Specific gravity: 1.61 (25 °C)¹⁾</p> <p>logPow: 3.45¹²⁾</p> | |

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| <p>[13] Hexabromobiphenyls (reference)</p>  <p>$m+n=6$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_4Br_6$ CAS: 36355-01-8 ENCS: No pertinence MW: 627.58 mp: Not specified bp: Not specified sw: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |
| <p>[14] Polybromodiphenyl ethers ($Br_4 \sim Br_{10}$) (reference)</p>  <p>$i = m+n = 4 \sim 10$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{12}H_{(10-i)}Br_iO$ ($i = m + n = 4 \sim 10$) CAS: 40088-47-9 (Br_4), 32534-81-9 (Br_5), 36483-60-0 (Br_6), 68928-80-3 (Br_7), 32536-52-0 (Br_8), 63936-56-1 (Br_9), 1163-19-5 (Br_{10}) ENCS: 3-61 (Br_4), 3-2845 (Br_6) MW: 485.79~959.17 mp: Not specified bp: Not specified sw: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |
| <p>[15] Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_8HF_{17}O_3S$ CAS: 1763-23-1 ENCS: 2-1595 MW: 500.13 mp: >400 °C (Potassium salt) ¹³⁾ bp: Uncertain sw: 519 mg/L (20 °C, Potassium salt) ¹³⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: Uncertain</p> |
| <p>[16] Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_8HF_{15}O_2$ CAS: 335-67-1 ENCS: 2-1182, 2-2659 MW: 414.07 mp: 54.3 °C ¹⁾ bp: 192.4 °C ¹⁾ sw: 9.5 g/L (20 °C) ¹⁴⁾ Specific gravity: 1.79 g/cm³ ¹⁵⁾ logPow: 6.3 ¹⁵⁾</p> |
| <p>[17] Pentachlorobenzene</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: C_6HCl_5 CAS: 608-93-5 ENCS: 3-76 MW: 250.34 mp: 86 °C ¹⁾ bp: 277 °C ¹⁾ sw: 0.00050 g/kg (25 °C) ¹⁾ Specific gravity: 1.8342 g/cm³ (16 °C) ¹⁾ logPow: 5.17 ³⁾</p> |

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| [18] Endosulfans (reference) | |
| [18-1] α -Endosulfan (reference) | |
|  | Molecular formula: C ₉ H ₆ Cl ₆ O ₃ S CAS: 959-98-8 ENCS: No pertinence MW: 406.93 mp: 109.2 °C ¹⁶⁾ bp: Uncertain sw: 0.33 mg/L (25 °C) ¹⁶⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: 4.7 ¹⁶⁾ |
| [18-2] β -Endosulfan (reference) | |
|  | Molecular formula: C ₉ H ₆ Cl ₆ O ₃ S CAS: 33213-65-9 ENCS: No pertinence MW: 406.93 mp: 213.3 °C ¹⁶⁾ bp: Uncertain sw: 0.32 mg/L (25 °C) ¹⁶⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: 4.7 ¹⁶⁾ |
| [19] 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes (reference) | |
| [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane (reference) | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane (reference) |
|  Molecular formula: C ₁₂ H ₁₈ Br ₆ CAS: 134237-50-6 ENCS: 3-2254 MW: 641.70 mp: 179~181 °C ¹⁷⁾ bp: Uncertain SW: 48.8 µg/L ¹⁷⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: 5.07 ¹⁷⁾ |  Molecular formula: C ₁₂ H ₁₈ Br ₆ CAS: 134237-51-7 ENCS: 3-2254 MW: 641.70 mp: 170~172 °C ¹⁷⁾ bp: Uncertain SW: 14.7 µg/L ¹⁷⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: 5.12 ¹⁷⁾ |
| [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane (reference) | |
|  | Molecular formula: C ₁₂ H ₁₈ Br ₆ CAS: 134237-52-8 ENCS: 3-2254 MW: 641.70 mp: 207 ~ 209 °C ¹⁷⁾ bp: Uncertain SW: 2.1 µg/L ¹⁷⁾ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: 5.47 ¹⁷⁾ |
| [19-4] δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane (reference) | [19-5] ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane (reference) |
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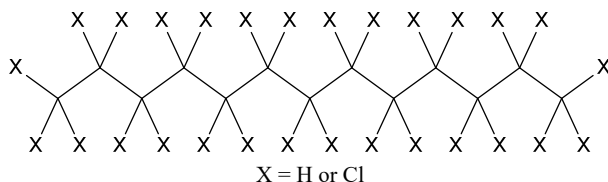
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| <p>[20] Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes (reference)</p>  <p>$i = m+n = 1 \sim 8$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{10}H_{(8-i)}Cl_i$ ($i = m+n = 1 \sim 8$) CAS: 25586-43-0(Cl_1), 28699-88-9(Cl_2), 1321-65-9(Cl_3), 1335-88-2(Cl_4), 1321-64-8(Cl_5), 1335-87-1(Cl_6), 32241-08-0(Cl_7), 2234-13-1(Cl_8) ENCS: No pertinence MW: 162.6~403.7 mp: Not specified bp: Not specified sw: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |
| <p>[21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: C_4Cl_6 CAS: 2-121 ENCS: 2-121 MW: 260.76 mp: $-21\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$ bp: $215\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$ sw: 0.0005% ($20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$) Specific gravity: 1.682 ($20 / 4\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$) logPow: $4.9^{(18)}$</p> |
| <p>[22] Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters (reference)</p> | |
| <p>[22-1] Pentachlorophenol (reference)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: C_6HCl_5O CAS: 87-86-5 ENCS: 3-2850 MW: 266.35 mp: $174\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (Monohydrate), $191\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (Anhydrous) ¹⁹⁾ bp: $309 \sim 310\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ (Decomposition) ²⁾ sw: 14 mg/L ($26.7\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(20)}$) Specific gravity: 1.978 ($22\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$) logPow: $5.12^{(21)}$</p> |
| <p>[22-2] Pentachloroanisole (reference)</p>  | <p>Molecular formula: $C_7H_3Cl_5O$ CAS: 1825-21-4 ENCS: No pertinence MW: 280.36 mp: $233.9\text{ }^\circ\text{C}^{(1)}$ bp: Uncertain sw: $< 1\text{ mg/L}^{(22)}$ Specific gravity: Uncertain logPow: $5.45^{(22)}$</p> |
| <p>[23] Short-chain chlorinated paraffins</p> | |
| <p>[23-1] Chlorinated decanes</p>  <p>$X = \text{H or Cl}$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{10}H_{(22-i)}Cl_i$ ($i = 1 \sim 22$) CAS: Uncertain ENCS: 2-68 MW: $176.73 \sim 900.07$ mp: Not specified bp: Not specified sw: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |
| <p>[23-2] Chlorinated undecanes</p>  <p>$X = \text{H or Cl}$</p> | <p>Molecular formula: $C_{11}H_{(24-i)}Cl_i$ ($i = 1 \sim 24$) CAS: Uncertain ENCS: 2-68 MW: $190.75 \sim 982.99$ mp: Not specified bp: Not specified sw: Not specified Specific gravity: Not specified logPow: Not specified</p> |

[23-3] Chlorinated dodecanes



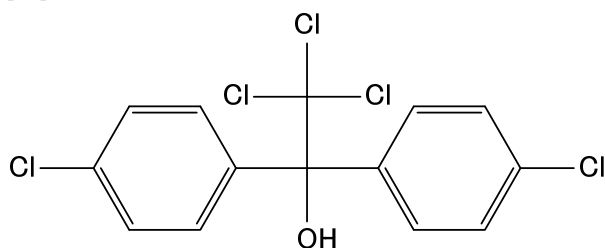
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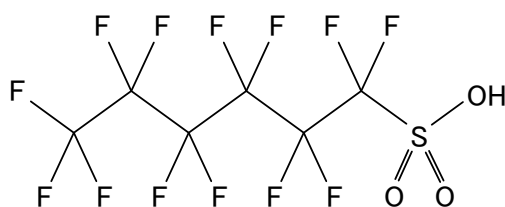
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[24] Dicofol (reference)



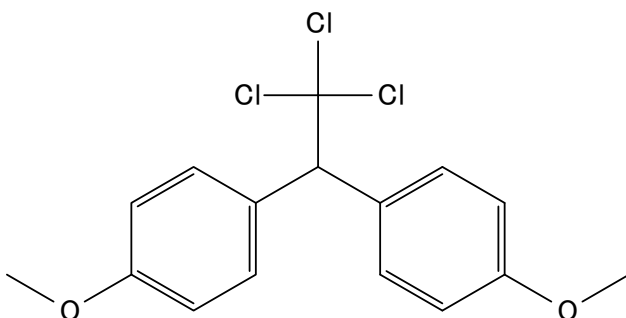
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 bp: 180 ~ 225 °C²³⁾
 sw: 0.8~1.32 mg/L (25 °C)²³⁾
 Specific gravity: 1.45 g/cm³²³⁾
 logPow: 3.8 ~ 6.06²³⁾

[25] Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS)

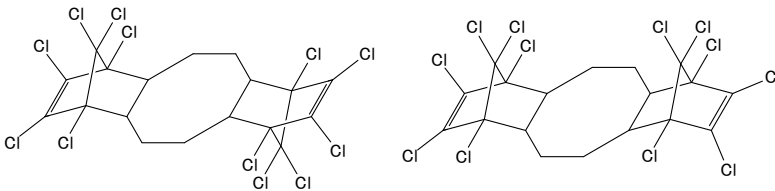
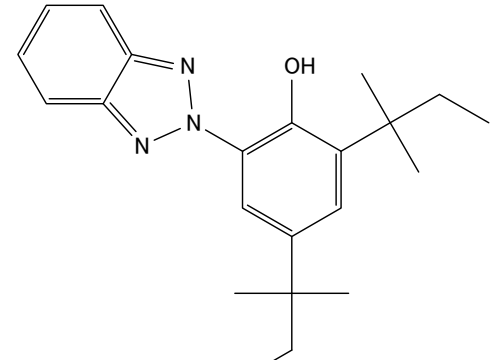


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 ENCS: No pertinence
 MW: 400.11
 mp: 41 °C²⁴⁾
 bp: 238 ~ 239°C²⁴⁾
 sw: 1.4 g/L (20 ~ 25 °C, Potassium salt),
 2.3 g/L (Non-dissociation)²⁴⁾
 Specific gravity: 1.841 g/cm³²⁵⁾
 logPow: 5.17²⁴⁾

[26] Methoxychlor



Molecular formula: $C_{16}H_{15}Cl_3O_2$
 CAS: 72-43-5
 ENCS: No pertinence
 MW: 345.65
 mp: 87 °C²⁶⁾
 bp: 346 °C²⁶⁾
 sw: 0.040 mg/L (24 °C) or 0.12 mg/L
 (25 °C)²⁶⁾
 Specific gravity: 1.4 g/cm³ (25 °C)²⁵⁾
 logPow: 5.08²⁶⁾

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| [27] Dechlorane pluses | | The following data are for both [27-1] and [27-2]. Molecular formula: C ₁₈ H ₁₂ Cl ₁₂ CAS: 13560-89-9 135821-74-8 (<i>Anti</i>), 35821-03-3 (<i>Syn</i>) ENCS: 4-296 MW: 653.73 mp: 340 ~ 382 °C ²⁷⁾ bp: Uncertain SW: < 1.67 ng/L (20 ~ 25 °C) or 0.044 ~ 249 µg/L ²⁷⁾ Specific gravity: 1.8 g/cm ³ (25 °C) ²⁵⁾ logPow: 9.3 ²⁷⁾ |
| [27-1] <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane plus | [27-2] <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | |
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| [28] UV-328 | | Molecular formula: C ₂₂ H ₂₉ N ₃ O CAS: 25973-55-1 ENCS: 5-3604 MW: 351.49 mp: 80 ~ 88 °C ²⁸⁾ bp: > 180 °C, before boiling, >230 °C or 461 °C ²⁸⁾ sw: < 0.001 mg/L (20 °C, pH 6.3 ~ 6.4), 0.02 mg/L, 2.7 × 10 ⁻⁴ mg/L (25 °C) or 1.7 ± 0.7 × 10 ⁻⁴ mg/L (25 °C) ²⁸⁾ Specific gravity: 1.17 (20°C) ²⁹⁾ logPow: > 6.5 (23 °C, pH 6.4) ²⁸⁾ |
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3. Monitored site and procedure

In the Environmental Monitoring (of surface water, sediment, wildlife, and air), the sampling of specimens was entrusted to prefectural governments and government-designated cities across Japan and the specimens sampled were analysed by private analytical laboratories.

(1) Organisations responsible for sampling

| Local communities | Organisations responsible for sampling *1 | Monitored media | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|-----------|----------|-----|
| | | Surface water | Sedi-ment | Wildlife | Air |
| Hokkaido | Recycling-based Society Promotion Division, Environment and Lifestyle Department, Environmental Conservation Bureau, Hokkaido Prefectural Government and Research Institute of Energy, Environment and Geology, Hokkaido Research Organization | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Sapporo City | Sapporo City Institute of Public Health | | | | ○ |
| Iwate Pref. | Research Institute for Environmental Sciences and Public Health of Iwate Prefecture | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Miyagi Pref. | Miyagi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Sendai City | Sendai City Institute of Public Health | | ○ | | |
| Akita Pref. | Akita Research Center for Public Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | | |
| Yamagata Pref. | Yamagata Environmental Science Research Center | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Fukushima Pref. | Fukushima Prefectural Environmental Center | ○ | ○ | | |
| Ibaraki Pref. | Ibaraki Kasumigaura Environmental Science Center | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Tochigi Pref. | Tochigi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science | ○ | ○ | | |
| Gunma Pref. | Gunma Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Sciences | ○ | | | |
| Saitama Pref. | Center for Environmental Science in Saitama | ○ | | | |
| Chiba Pref. | Chiba Prefectural Environmental Research Center | | ○ | | |
| Tokyo Met. | Environmental Improvement Division, Bureau of Environment, Tokyo Metropolitan Government and Tokyo Metropolitan Research Institute for Environmental Protection | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Kanagawa Pref. | Kanagawa Environmental Research Center | | | | ○ |
| Yokohama City | Yokohama Environmental Science Research Institute | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Kawasaki City | Kawasaki Environment Research Institute | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| Niigata Pref. | Niigata Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Sciences | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Toyama Pref. | Toyama Prefectural Environmental Science Research Center | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Ishikawa Pref. | Ishikawa Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Fukui Pref. | Fukui Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science | ○ | ○ | | |
| Yamanashi Pref. | Yamanashi Institute for Public Health and Environment | | ○ | | ○ |
| | Yamanashi Prefectural Fisheries Technology Center | | | ○*2 | |
| Nagano Pref. | Nagano Lake Suwa Environmental Research Center | ○ | ○ | | |
| | Nagano Environmental Conservation Research Institute | | | | ○ |
| Gifu Pref. | Gifu Prefectural Research Institute for Health and Environmental Sciences | | | | ○ |
| Shizuoka Pref. | Shizuoka Institute of Environment and Hygiene | ○ | ○ | | |
| Aichi Pref. | Aichi Environmental Research Center | ○ | ○ | | |
| Nagoya City | Nagoya City Environmental Science Research Center, Regional Environmental measures Division, Environmental Bureau, Nagoya city | | | ○ | ○ |
| Mie Pref. | Mie Prefecture Health and Environment Research Institute | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Shiga Pref. | Lake Biwa Environmental Research Institute | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| Kyoto Pref. | Kyoto Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Kyoto City | Kyoto City Institute of Health and Environmental Sciences | ○ | ○ | | |
| Osaka Pref. | Environment Preservation Division, Environment Management Office, Department of Environment, Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Osaka Prefectural Government | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Osaka City | Osaka City Institute of Public Health and Environmental Sciences | ○ | ○ | | |
| Hyogo Pref. | Water and Air Division, Environment Department, Hyogo Prefectural Government and Hyogo Prefectural Institute of Environmental Sciences, Hyogo Environmental Advancement Association | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| | Water and Air Division, Environment Department, Hyogo Prefectural Government and Green and Nature Section, Urban Transportation Department, Itami City | | | ○*2 | |
| Kobe City | Environmental Conservation Division, Environment Bureau, Kobe City and Kobe City Institute of Health and Environmental Science | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Nara Pref. | Nara Prefecture Landscape and Environment Center | | ○ | | ○ |
| Wakayama Pref. | Wakayama Prefectural Research Center of Environment and Public Health | ○ | ○ | | |

| Local communities | Organisations responsible for sampling *1 | Monitored media | | | |
|-------------------|--|-----------------|----------|----------|-----|
| | | Surface water | Sediment | Wildlife | Air |
| Tottori Pref. | Environmental Policy Division, Department of Environment and Consumer Affairs, Tottori Prefecture and Tottori Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science | | | ○ | |
| Shimane Pref. | Shimane Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science and Oki Public Health Center | | | | ○ |
| Okayama Pref. | Okayama Prefectural Institute for Environmental Science and Public Health | ○ | ○ | | |
| Hiroshima Pref. | Hiroshima Prefectural Technology Research Institute Health and Environment Center | ○ | ○ | | |
| Hiroshima City | Hiroshima City Institute of Public Health | | | ○ | ○ |
| Yamaguchi Pref. | Environmental Policy Division, Public Environmental Affairs Department, Yamaguchi Prefectural Government and Yamaguchi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Tokushima Pref. | Tokushima Prefectural Public Health, Pharmaceutical and Environmental Sciences Center | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Kagawa Pref. | Kagawa Prefectural Research Institute for Environmental Sciences and Public Health | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Ehime Pref. | Ehime Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science | | ○ | | ○ |
| Kochi Pref. | Kochi Prefectural Environmental Research Center | ○ | ○ | ○ | |
| Kitakyushu City | Kitakyushu City Institute of Health and Environmental Sciences | ○ | ○ | | |
| Fukuoka City | Fukuoka City Institute for Hygiene and the Environment | | ○ | | |
| Saga Pref. | Saga Prefectural Environmental Research Center | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Nagasaki Pref. | Prefectural Living Environment Division, Environment Bureau, Nagasaki Prefecture | ○ | ○ | | |
| Kumamoto Pref. | Kumamoto Prefectural Institute of Public-Health and Environmental Science | ○ | | | ○ |
| Oita Pref. | Environment Preservation Division, Department of Environment, Oita Prefectural Government and Oita Prefectural Institute of Health and Environment | | ○ | ○ | |
| Miyazaki Pref. | Miyazaki Prefectural Institute for Public Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| Kagoshima Pref. | Kagoshima Prefectural Institute for Environmental Research and Public Health | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |
| Okinawa Pref. | Okinawa Prefectural Institute of Health and Environment | ○ | ○ | ○ | ○ |

(Note 1) *1: Organisations responsible for sampling are described by their official names in FY2024

(Note 2) *2: Because there were the examples of surveys that obtained the eggs in other countries, the eggs of great cormorants were taken in this survey by Yamanashi Prefectural Fisheries Technology Center and Water and Air Division, Environment Department, Hyogo Prefectural Government and Green and Nature Section, Urban Transportation Department, Itami City. The results were treated as the reference values.

(2) Monitored sites (areas)

In the Environmental Monitoring (of surface water, sediment, wildlife, and air), the sampling of specimens was entrusted to prefectural governments and government-designated cities across Japan and the specimens sampled were analysed by private analytical laboratories.

The monitored sites (areas) are shown in Table 3-1-1 and Figure 3-1-1 for surface water, Table 3-1-2 and Figure 3-1-2 for sediment, Table 3-1-3 and Figure 3-1-3 for wildlife and Table 3-1-4 and Figure 3-1-4 for air. The breakdown is summarized as follows.

| Monitored media | Numbers of local communities | Numbers of target chemicals (groups) | Numbers of monitored sites (or areas) | Numbers of samples at a monitored site (or area) |
|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Surface water | 42 | 8 | 47 | 1 |
| Sediment | 46 | 8 | 60 | 1 ^{*1} |
| Wildlife (bivalves) | 3 | 10 | 3 | 1 ^{*2} |
| Wildlife (fish) | 16 | 10 | 16 | 1 ^{*2} |
| Wildlife (birds) | 4 ^{*3} | 10 | 4 ^{*3} | 1 ^{*2} |
| Air (warm season) | 33 | 8 | 35 | 1 or 3 ^{*4} |
| All media | 56 | 11 | 120 ^{*3} | |

(Note 1) *1: For sediment, at each monitoring point, three (3) specimen samples were collected. The target substances were analysed for each place with one (1) specimen sample that is a mixture of equal parts of the three (3) specimen samples.

(Note 2) *2: For wildlife species, at each monitoring point, three (3) specimen samples were collected. The target substances were analysed for each place with one (1) specimen sample that is a mixture of equal parts of the three (3) specimen samples.

(Note 3) *3: Samples obtained in 2 sites of the birds as wildlife eggs of Great Cormorant, and the samples were measured each the egg yolk and the egg white, the results were treated as reference values.

(Note 4) *4: The target substances other than [21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene were analysed with the one (1) sample for each site. The target substance [21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene was analysed with the three (3) specimen samples for each site.

(3) Sampling method of specimens

The sampling of specimens and the preparation of samples were carried out following the “Guidelines on Conducting of Environmental Surveys and Monitoring of Chemicals” (published on March 2021) by the Environment Health and Safety Division, Environmental Health Department, Ministry of the Environment of Japan (MOE).

(4) Target species

The species to be monitored among the wildlife media were selected considering the possibility of international comparison, as well as their significance and practicality as indicators: 2 bivalves (predominantly blue mussel), 7 fishes (predominantly sea bass), and 1 bird (Great Cormorant), namely, 10 species in total.

The properties of the species determined as targets in the FY2024 monitoring are shown in Table 3-2. Moreover, Table 3-1-3 summarizes the outline of the samples used for analysis.

Table 3-1-1 List of monitored sites (surface water) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

| Local communities | Monitored sites | Sampling dates |
|-------------------|--|--------------------|
| Hokkaido | Ishikarikakokyo Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Ishikari (Ishikari City) | November 11, 2024 |
| Iwate Pref. | Toyosawa-bashi Bridge, Riv. Toyosawa (Hanamaki City) | December 4, 2024 |
| Miyagi Pref. | Sendai Bay (Matsushima Bay) | January 15, 2025 |
| Akita Pref. | Lake Hachiro | October 9, 2024 |
| Yamagata Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Mogami (Sakata City) | October 22, 2024 |
| Fukushima Pref. | Onahama Port | December 16, 2024 |
| Ibaraki Pref. | Tonekamome-ohasi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Tone (Kamisu City) | November 19, 2024 |
| Tochigi Pref. | Kyubun Area Head Works, Riv. Tagawa (Utsunomiya City) | December 11, 2024 |
| Gunma Pref. | Tone-ozeki Weir, Riv. Tone (Chiyoda Town) | December 13, 2024 |
| Saitama Pref. | Akigase-shusuizeki Weir, Riv. Arakawa (Shiki City) | December 5, 2024 |
| Tokyo Met. | Mouth of Riv. Arakawa (Koto Ward) | January 23, 2025 |
| | Mouth of Riv. Sumida (Minato Ward) | January 23, 2025 |
| Yokohama City | Yokohama Port | December 3, 2024 |
| Kawasaki City | Front of Ougi Town, Keihin Canal, Port of Kawasaki | December 3, 2024 |
| Niigata Pref. | Lower Riv. Shinano (Niigata City) | November 27, 2024 |
| Toyama Pref. | Hagiura-bashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Jintsu (Toyama City) | November 8, 2024 |
| Ishikawa Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Sai (Kanazawa City) | September 25, 2024 |
| Fukui Pref. | Mishima-bashi Bridge, Riv. Shono (Tsuruga City) | October 24, 2024 |
| Nagano Pref. | Lake Suwa (center) | December 3, 2024 |
| Shizuoka Pref. | Kaketsuka-bashi Bridge, Riv. Tenryu (Iwata City) | November 21, 2024 |
| Aichi Pref. | Nagoya Port | November 11, 2024 |
| Mie Pref. | Yokkaichi Port | November 12, 2024 |
| Shiga Pref. | Lake Biwa (center, offshore of Karasaki) | November 19, 2024 |
| Kyoto Pref. | Miyazu Port | November 12, 2024 |
| Kyoto City | Miyamae-bashi Bridge, Riv. Katsura (Kyoto City) | December 9, 2024 |
| Osaka Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yamato (Sakai City) | November 20, 2024 |
| Osaka City | Osaka Port | December 3, 2024 |
| Hyogo Pref. | Offshore of Himeji | December 18, 2024 |
| Kobe City | Kobe Port (center) | December 3, 2024 |
| Wakayama Pref. | Kinokawa-ohashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Kinokawa (Wakayama City) | December 4, 2024 |
| Okayama Pref. | Offshore of Mizushima | December 3, 2024 |
| Hiroshima Pref. | Kure Port | November 7, 2024 |
| | Hiroshima Bay | November 7, 2024 |
| Yamaguchi Pref. | Tokuyama Bay | November 13, 2024 |
| | Offshore of Ube | November 13, 2024 |
| | Offshore of Hagi | November 8, 2024 |
| Tokushima Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yoshino (Tokushima City) | October 16, 2024 |
| Kagawa Pref. | Takamatsu Port | November 26, 2024 |
| Kochi Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Shimanto (Shimanto City) | October 16, 2024 |
| Kitakyushu City | Dokai Bay | December 17, 2024 |
| Saga Pref. | Imari Bay | November 8, 2024 |
| Nagasaki Pref. | Omura Bay | December 13, 2024 |
| Kumamoto Pref. | Hiraki-bashi Bridge, Riv. Midori (Uto City) | December 10, 2024 |
| Miyazaki Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oyodo (Miyazaki City) | October 29, 2024 |
| Kagoshima Pref. | Shinkawa-bashi Bridge, Riv. Amori (Kirishima City) | November 18, 2024 |
| | Gotanda-bashi Bridge, Riv. Gotanda (Ichikikushikino City) | November 11, 2024 |
| Okinawa Pref. | Naha Port | December 17, 2024 |

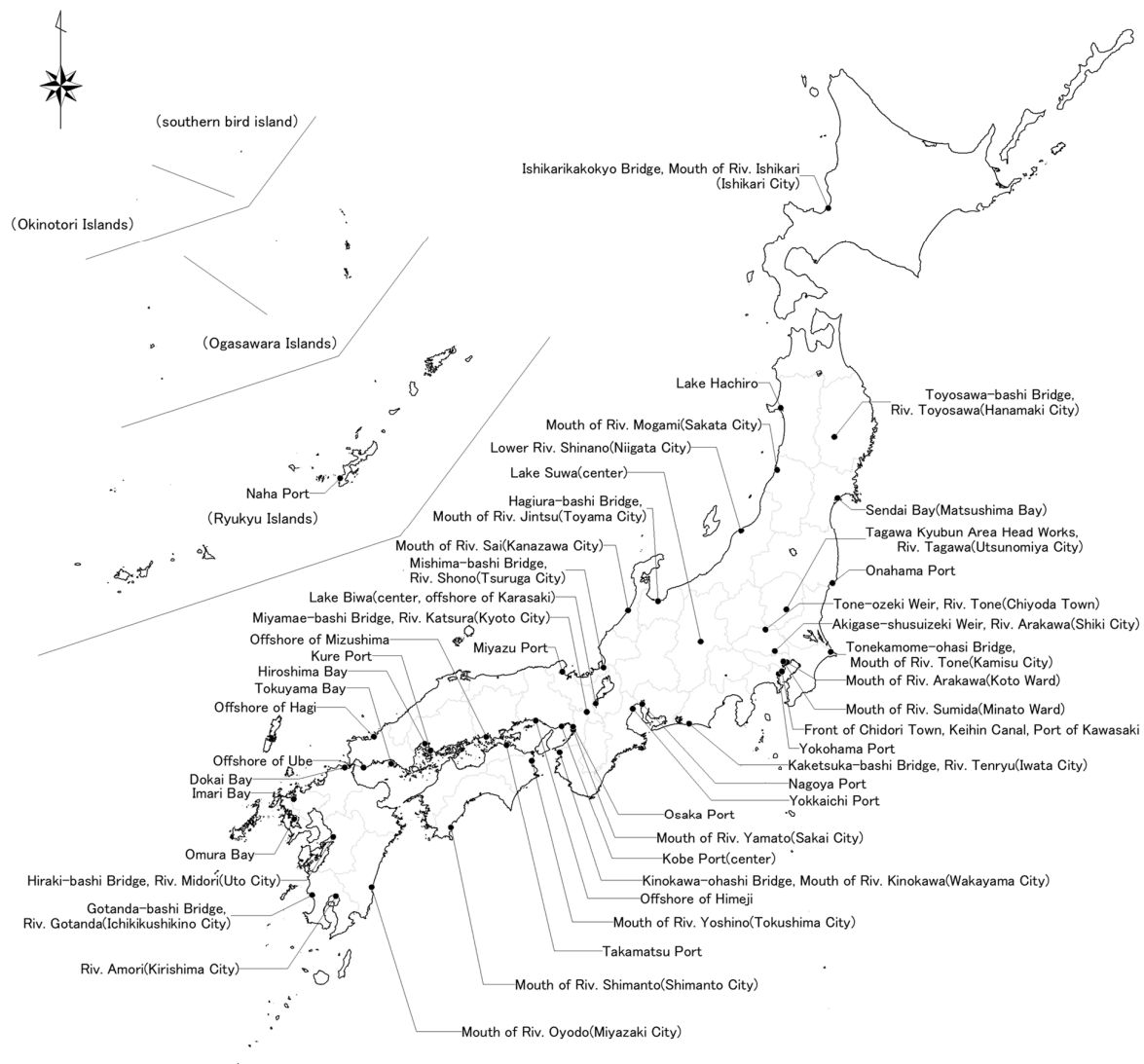


Figure 3-1-1 Monitored sites (surface water) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

Table 3-1-2 List of monitored sites (sediment) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

| Local communities | Monitored sites | Sampling dates |
|-------------------|--|--------------------|
| Hokkaido | Ishikarikakokyo Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Ishikari (Ishikari City) | November 11, 2024 |
| | Tomakomai Port | September 18, 2024 |
| Iwate Pref. | Toyosawa-bashi Bridge, Riv. Toyosawa (Hanamaki City) | December 4, 2024 |
| Miyagi Pref. | Sendai Bay (Matsushima Bay) | January 15, 2025 |
| Sendai City | Hirose-ohashi Bridge, Riv. Hirose (Sendai City) | November 25, 2024 |
| Akita Pref. | Lake Hachiro | October 9, 2024 |
| Yamagata Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Mogami (Sakata City) | October 22, 2024 |
| Fukushima Pref. | Onahama Port | December 16, 2024 |
| Ibaraki Pref. | Tonekamome-ohashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Tone (Kamisu City) | November 19, 2024 |
| Tochigi Pref. | Kyubun Area Head Works, Riv. Tagawa (Utsunomiya City) | December 11, 2024 |
| Chiba Pref. | Coast of Ichihara and Anegasaki | December 3, 2024 |
| Tokyo Met. | Mouth of Riv. Arakawa (Koto Ward) | January 23, 2025 |
| | Mouth of Riv. Sumida (Minato Ward) | January 23, 2025 |
| Yokohama City | Yokohama Port | December 3, 2024 |
| Kawasaki City | Mouth of Riv. Tama (Kawasaki City) | December 3, 2024 |
| | Front of Ougi Town, Keihin Canal, Port of Kawasaki | December 3, 2024 |
| Niigata Pref. | Lower Riv. Shinano (Niigata City) | November 27, 2024 |
| Toyama Pref. | Hagiura-bashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Jintsu (Toyama City) | November 8, 2024 |
| Ishikawa Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Sai (Kanazawa City) | September 25, 2024 |
| Fukui Pref. | Mishima-bashi Bridge, Riv. Shono (Tsuruga City) | October 24, 2024 |
| Yamanashi Pref. | Senshu-bashi Bridge, Riv. Arakawa (Kofu City) | November 25, 2024 |
| Nagano Pref. | Lake Suwa (center) | December 3, 2024 |
| Shizuoka Pref. | Shimizu Port | December 5, 2024 |
| | Kaketsuka-bashi Bridge, Riv. Tenryu (Iwata City) | November 21, 2024 |
| Aichi Pref. | Kinuura Port | November 11, 2024 |
| | Nagoya Port | November 11, 2024 |
| Mie Pref. | Yokkaichi Port | November 12, 2024 |
| | Toba Port | November 14, 2024 |
| Shiga Pref. | Lake Biwa (center, offshore of Minamihira) | November 19, 2024 |
| | Lake Biwa (center, offshore of Karasaki) | November 19, 2024 |
| Kyoto Pref. | Miyazu Port | November 12, 2024 |
| Kyoto City | Miyamae-bashi Bridge, Riv. Katsura (Kyoto City) | December 9, 2024 |
| Osaka Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yamato (Sakai City) | November 20, 2024 |
| Osaka City | Kema-bashi Bridge, Riv. Oh-kawa (Osaka City) | December 3, 2024 |
| | Mouth of Riv. Yodo (Osaka City) | December 3, 2024 |
| | Osaka Port | December 3, 2024 |
| | Outside Osaka Port | December 3, 2024 |
| Hyogo Pref. | Offshore of Himeji | December 18, 2024 |
| Kobe City | Kobe Port (center) | December 3, 2024 |
| Nara Pref. | Taisho-bashi Bridge, Riv. Yamato (Oji Town) | December 2, 2024 |
| Wakayama Pref. | Kinokawa-ohashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Kinokawa (Wakayama City) | December 4, 2024 |
| Okayama Pref. | Offshore of Mizushima | December 3, 2024 |
| Hiroshima Pref. | Kure Port | November 7, 2024 |
| | Hiroshima Bay | November 7, 2024 |
| Yamaguchi Pref. | Tokuyama Bay | November 13, 2024 |
| | Offshore of Ube | November 13, 2024 |
| | Offshore of Hagi | November 8, 2024 |
| Tokushima Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yoshino (Tokushima City) | October 16, 2024 |
| Kagawa Pref. | Takamatsu Port | November 26, 2024 |
| Ehime Pref. | Niihama Port | November 7, 2024 |
| Kochi Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Shimanto (Shimanto City) | October 16, 2024 |
| Kitakyushu City | Dokai Bay | December 17, 2024 |
| Fukuoka City | Hakata Bay | December 11, 2024 |
| Saga Pref. | Imari Bay | November 8, 2024 |
| Nagasaki Pref. | Omura Bay | December 13, 2024 |
| Oita Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oita (Oita City) | November 25, 2024 |
| Miyazaki Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oyodo (Miyazaki City) | October 29, 2024 |
| Kagoshima Pref. | Riv. Amori (Kirishima City) | November 18, 2024 |
| | Riv. Gotanda (Ichikikushikino City) | November 11, 2024 |
| Okinawa Pref. | Naha Port | December 17, 2024 |



Figure 3-1-2 Monitored sites (sediment) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

Table 3-1-3 List of monitored areas (wildlife) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

| Local communities | Monitored sites | Sampling dates | Wildlife species | |
|-------------------|--|---|------------------|--|
| Iwate Pref. | Yamada Bay | October 21, 2024 | Bivalves | Blue mussel (<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>) |
| | | November 7, 2024 | Fish | Greenling (<i>Hexagrammos otakii</i>) |
| Miyagi Pref. | Sendai Bay (Matsushima Bay) | January 22, 2025 | Fish | Greenling (<i>Hexagrammos otakii</i>) |
| Ibaraki Pref. | Offshore of Joban | January 15, 2025 | Fish | Chub mackerel (<i>Scomber japonicus</i>) |
| Tokyo Met. | Tokyo Bay | November 26, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Yokohama City | Yokohama Port | September 17, 2024 | Bivalves | Green mussel (<i>Perna viridis</i>) |
| Kawasaki City | Offshore of Ogishima Island, Port of Kawasaki | September 24, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Ishikawa Pref. | Coast of Noto Peninsula | August 19, 2024 | Bivalves | Blue mussel (<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>) |
| Nagoya City | Nagoya Port | September 10, 2024 | Fish | Striped mullet (<i>Mugil cephalus</i>) |
| Shiga Pref. | Tikubushima Island, Lake Biwa | September 4, 2024 | Birds | Great Cormorant (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>) |
| | Lake Biwa, Riv. Ado (Takashima City) | April 2, 2024 | Fish | Dace (<i>Tribolodon hakonensis</i>) |
| Osaka Pref. | Osaka Bay | October 9, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Hyogo Pref. | Offshore of Himeji | December 9, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Tottori Pref. | Riv.Tenjin (Kurayoshi City) | July 27 and November 17, 2024 | Birds | Great Cormorant (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>) |
| | Nakaumi | November 17, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Hiroshima City | Hiroshima Bay | November 13, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) |
| Kagawa Pref. | Takamatsu Port | October 6, 2024 | Fish | Striped mullet (<i>Mugil cephalus</i>) |
| Kochi Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Shimanto (Shimanto City) | November 16 17 18 20 21 and 22, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicas</i>) |
| Oita Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oita (Oita City) | September 8, 2024 | Fish | Spanish mackerel (<i>Scomberomorus niphonius</i>) |
| Kagoshima Pref. | West Coast of Satsuma Peninsula | November 20, 2024 | Fish | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicas</i>) |
| Okinawa Pref. | Nakagusuku Bay | January 31, 2025 | Fish | Okinawa seabream (<i>Acanthopagrus sivicolus</i>) |

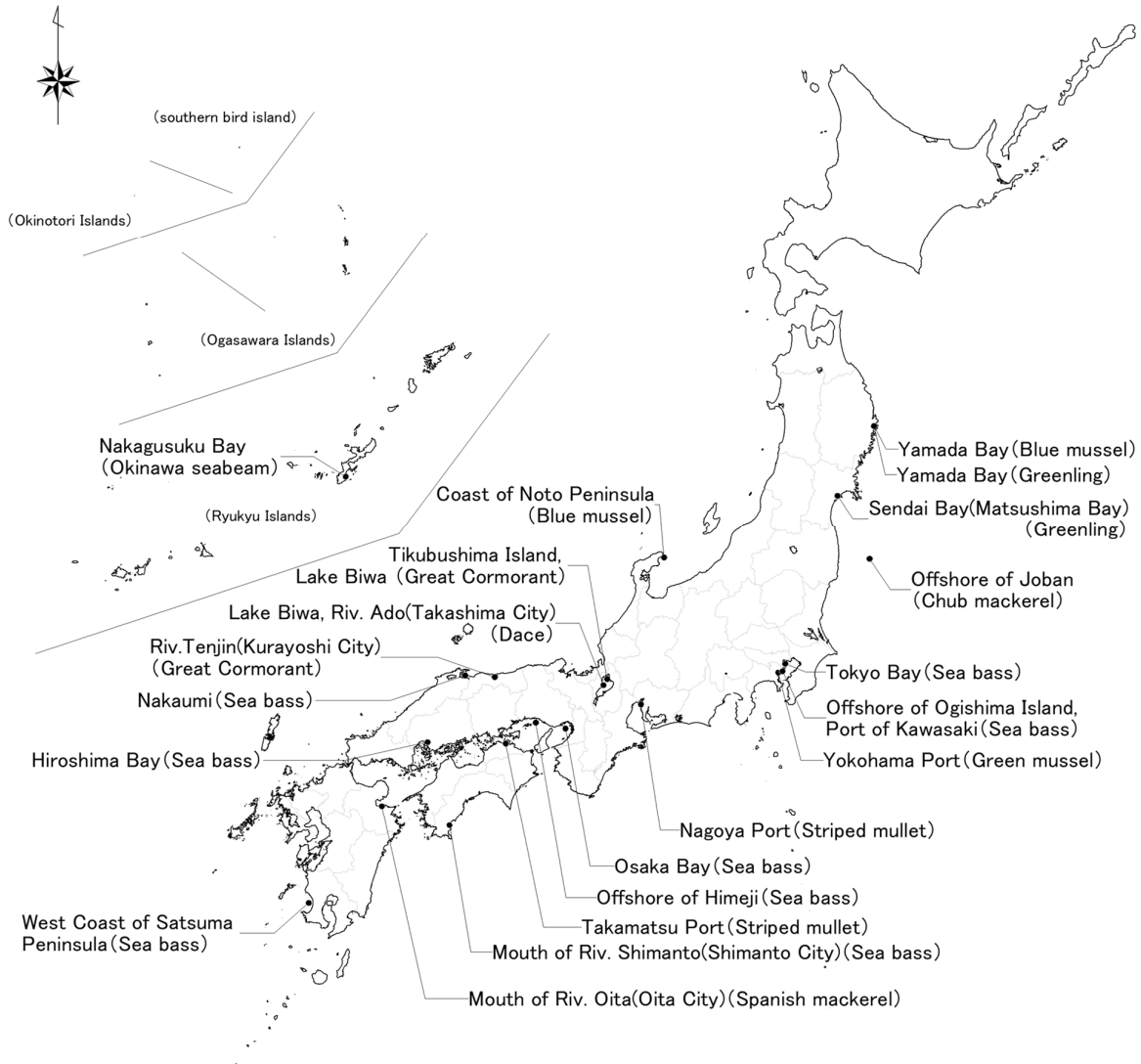


Figure 3-1-3 Monitored areas (wildlife) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

Table 3-1-4 List of monitored sites (air) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

| Local communities | Monitored sites | Sampling dates (Warm season) |
|-------------------|--|---|
| Hokkaido | Oshima General Subprefectural Bureau (Hakodate City) | December 17 ~ 24** or 17 ~ 20*, 2024 |
| Sapporo City | Sapporo Art Park (Sapporo City) | October 22 ~ 25, 2024 |
| Iwate Pref. | Sugo Air Quality Monitoring Station (Takizawa City) | September 17 ~ 20, 2024 |
| Miyagi Pref. | Miyagi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment (Sendai City) | December 17 ~ 24** or 17 ~ 20*, 2024 |
| Yamagata Pref. | Yamagata Institute of Environmental Sciences (Murayama City) | September 30 ~ October 7** or October 1 ~ 4*, 2024 |
| Ibaraki Pref. | Ibaraki Kasumigaura Environmental Science Center (Tsuchiura City) | October 22 ~ 29** or 22 ~ 25*, 2024 |
| Tokyo Met. | Tokyo Metropolitan Research Institute for Environmental Protection (Koto Ward) | December 10 ~ 17** or 10 ~ 13*, 2024 |
| | Chichijima Island (Ogasawara Village) | November 8 ~ 15** or 8 ~ 11*, 2024 |
| Kanagawa Pref. | Kanagawa Environmental Research Center (Hiratsuka City) | September 9 ~ 12, 2024 |
| Yokohama City | Yokohama Environmental Science Research Institute (Yokohama City) | January 14 ~ 21** or 14 ~ 17*, 2025 |
| Niigata Pref. | Oyama Air Quality Monitoring Station (Niigata City) | December 16 ~ 19, 2024 |
| Toyama Pref. | Tonami Air Quality Monitoring Station (Tonami City) | September 24 ~ 27, 2024 |
| Ishikawa Pref. | Ishikawa Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science (Kanazawa City) | September 9 ~ 12, 2024 |
| Yamanashi Pref. | Yamanashi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment (Kofu City) | November 18 ~ 21, 2024 |
| Nagano Pref. | Nagano Environmental Conservation Research Institute (Nagano City) | October 15 ~ 22** or 15 ~ 18*, 2024 |
| Gifu Pref. | Gifu Prefectural Research Institute for Health and Environmental Sciences (Kakamigahara City) | November 25 ~ 28, 2024 |
| Nagoya City | Chikusa Ward Heiwa Park (Nagoya City) | October 15 ~ 22** or 15 ~ 18*, 2024 |
| Mie Pref. | Mie Prefecture Health and Environment Research Institute (Yokkaichi City) | October 28 ~ 31, 2024 |
| Kyoto Pref. | Kyoto Prefecture Joyo Senior High School (Joyo City) | November 5 ~ 8, 2024 |
| Osaka Pref. | Osaka Joint Prefectural Government Building, Building 2 Annex (Osaka City) | October 8 ~ 11, 2024 |
| Hyogo Pref. | Hyogo Prefectural Environmental Research Center (Kobe City) | December 9 ~ 12, 2024 |
| Kobe City | Kobe City Institute of Health and Environmental Sciences (Kobe City) | November 26 ~ 29, 2024 |
| Nara Pref. | Tenri Air Quality Monitoring Station (Tenri City) | December 9 ~ 12, 2024 |
| Shimane Pref. | Okina National Acid Rain Observatory (Okina Town) | November 12 ~ 15** or 13 ~ 16*, 2024 |
| Hiroshima City | Hiroshima City Kokutaiji Junior High School (Hiroshima City) | October 29 ~ November 1, 2024 |
| Yamaguchi Pref. | Yamaguchi Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environment (Yamaguchi City) | November 26 ~ December 3** or November 26 ~ 29*, 2024 |
| | Hagi Health and Welfare Center (Hagi City) | November 26 ~ December 3** or November 26 ~ 29*, 2024 |
| Tokushima Pref. | Tokushima Prefectural Public Health, Pharmaceutical and Environmental Sciences Center (Tokushima City) | October 28 ~ 31, 2024 |
| Kagawa Pref. | Kagawa Prefectural Research Institute for Environmental Sciences and Public Health (Takamatsu City) | October 15 ~ 22** or 15 ~ 18*, 2024 |
| Ehime Pref. | Ehime Prefectural Government Nanyo Regional Office (Uwajima City) | September 30 ~ October 3, 2024 |
| Saga Pref. | Saga Prefectural Environmental Research Center (Saga City) | October 8 ~ 15** or 8 ~ 11*, 2024 |
| Kumamoto Pref. | Kumamoto Prefectural Institute of Public Health and Environmental Science (Udo City) | December 9 ~ 12, 2024 |
| Miyazaki Pref. | Miyazaki Prefectural Institute for Public Health and Environment (Miyazaki City) | October 15 ~ 22** or 15 ~ 18*, 2024 |
| Kagoshima Pref. | Kagoshima Prefectural Institute for Environmental Research and Public Health (Kagoshima City) | October 28 ~ 31, 2024 |
| Okinawa Pref. | Cape Hedo (Kunigami Village) | September 23 ~ 26, 2024 |

(Note) "*" means sampling except [21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene. "**" means sampling [21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene.



Figure 3-1-4 Monitored sites (air) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024

Table 3-2 Properties of target species

| | Species | Properties | Monitored areas | Aim of monitoring | Notes |
|----------|--|--|--|---|---|
| Bivalves | Green mussel (<i>Perna viridis</i>) | Distributed throughout Japan south of southern Honshu Adheres to rocks in inner bays and to bridge piers | • Yokohama port | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Blue mussel (<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>) | Distributed worldwide, excluding tropical zones Adheres to rocks in inner bays and to bridge piers | • Yamada bay • Coast of Noto Peninsula | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | Monitored in the 2 areas with different levels of persistency |
| Fish | Greenling (<i>Hexagrammos otakii</i>) | Distributed from Hokkaido to southern Japan, the Korean Peninsula, and China Lives in shallow seas of 5-50 m depth from sea level | • Yamada bay • Sendai Bay | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Dace (<i>Tribolodon hakonensis</i>) | Distributed widely in freshwater environments throughout Japan Preys mainly on insects | • Lake Biwa, Riv. Ado (Takashima City) | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Spanish mackerel (<i>Scomberomorus niphonius</i>) | Distributed in subtropical and temperate zones of East Asia Lives in coastal surface layer from spring to autumn and in deeper water in winter | • Mouth of Riv. Oita (Oita City) | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) | Distributed around the shores of various areas in Japan, the Korean Peninsula, and the coastal areas of China Sometimes lives in a freshwater environment and brackish-water regions during its life cycle Bioaccumulation of chemicals is said to be high | • Tokyo Bay • Offshore of Ogishima Island, Port of Kawasaki • Osaka Bay • Offshore of Himeji • Nakaumi • Hiroshima Bay • Mouth of Riv. Shimanto • West Coast of Satsuma Peninsula | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | Monitored in the 8 areas with different levels of persistency |
| | Striped mullet (<i>Mugil cephalus</i>) | Distributed widely in the worldwide tropical zones and subtropical zones Sometimes lives in a freshwater environment and brackish-water regions during its life cycle | • Nagoya Port • Takamatsu Port | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Chub mackerel (<i>Scomber japonicus</i>) | Distributed widely in subtropical zones and temperate zones around the world. Seasonal migration occurs with a northward migration in spring and a southward migration in autumn. | • Offshore of Joban | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| | Okinawa seabeam (<i>Acanthopagrus sivicolus</i>) | Distributed around Nansei Shoto (Ryukyu Islands) Lives in coral reefs and in bays into which rivers flow | • Nakagusuku Bay | Follow-up of the environmental fate and persistency in specific areas | |
| Birds | Great Cormorant (immature)* (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>) | Distributed widely throughout Japan Eats primarily fish Bioaccumulation of chemicals is said to be high | • Tikubushima Island, Lake Biwa • Riv. Tenjin (Kurayoshi City) | Follow-up of the concentrations of chemicals in top predators | |

* Because there were the examples of surveys that obtained the eggs in other countries, the eggs of great cormorants were taken at two other areas in this survey. The results were treated as the reference values.

Table 3-3-1 Basic data of specimens (bivalves as wildlife) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY 2024

| Bivalve species and Area | Sampling month | No. | Sex | Number of animals | Length (cm) (Average) | Weight (g) (Average) | Water content % | Lipid content % |
|--|-----------------|-----|-----------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Blue mussel (<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>) Yamada Bay | October, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 135 | 9.7 ~ 11.7 (10.4) | 68.0 ~ 142.5 (91.1) | 75.0 | 2.3 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 170 | 8.4 ~ 8.9 (8.6) | 29.4 ~ 62.7 (48.0) | 75.8 | 2.3 |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 270 | 7.2 ~ 7.9 (7.7) | 21.8 ~ 43.7 (32.4) | 76.3 | 2.4 |
| Green mussel (<i>Perna viridis</i>) Yokohama Port | September, 2024 | 1 | Mixed | 166 | 3.0 ~ 3.9 (3.3) | 1.6 ~ 3.6 (2.5) | 86.0 | 0.9 |
| | | 2 | Mixed | 197 | 2.6 ~ 3.4 (3.0) | 1.4 ~ 3.4 (2.1) | 86.0 | 1.1 |
| | | 3 | Mixed | 287 | 2.2 ~ 3.0 (2.6) | 1.0 ~ 2.1 (1.5) | 85.0 | 1.1 |
| Blue mussel (<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>) Coast of Noto Peninsula | August, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 23 | 12.8 ~ 15.8 (14.0) | 208 ~ 381 (285) | 73.4 | 2.2 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 29 | 10.5 ~ 12.5 (11.5) | 149 ~ 251 (198) | 71.9 | 2.3 |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 24 | 8.3 ~ 12.3 (10.5) | 61.0 ~ 191 (127) | 71.9 | 2.2 |

Table 3-3-2 Basic data of specimens (fish as wildlife) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY 2024

| Fish species and Area | Sampling month | No. | Sex | Number of animals | Length (cm) (Average) | Weight (g) (Average) | Water content % | Lipid content % |
|--|-----------------|-----|-----------|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Greenling (<i>Hexagrammos otakii</i>) Yamada Bay | November, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 10 | 29.5 ~ 34.7 (31.0) | 554 ~ 717 (604) | 76.2 | 3.1 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 11 | 25.7 ~ 29.2 (27.4) | 341 ~ 496 (429) | 77.2 | 2.4 |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 15 | 21.5 ~ 25.6 (23.8) | 209 ~ 349 (290) | 76.8 | 2.1 |
| Greenling (<i>Hexagrammos otakii</i>) Sendai Bay (Matsushima Bay) | January, 2025 | 1 | Uncertain | 3 | 28.0 ~ 30.5 (28.8) | 410 ~ 420 (410) | 78.7 | 0.9 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 4 | 23.5 ~ 27.5 (25.1) | 230 ~ 370 (300) | | |
| Chub mackerel (<i>Scomber japonicus</i>) Offshore of Joban | January, 2025 | 1 | Uncertain | 15 | 18.0 ~ 26.0 (23.9) | 101 ~ 328 (251) | 40.5 | 0.5 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 25 | 26.0 ~ 28.0 (26.4) | 332 ~ 399 (362) | 43.3 | 1.5 |
| | | 3 | Mixed | 20 | 27.0 ~ 32.0 (28.6) | 405 ~ 687 (474) | 38.7 | 5.9 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Tokyo Bay | November, 2024 | 1 | Mixed | 3 | 52.5 ~ 56.2 (54.6) | 2,080 ~ 2,540 (2,353) | 77.0 | 1.3 |
| | | 2 | Mixed | 3 | 48.2 ~ 53.5 (51.2) | 1,650 ~ 2,000 (1,843) | 79.0 | 0.7 |
| | | 3 | Mixed | 3 | 44.0 ~ 48.2 (46.0) | 1,210 ~ 1,490 (1,320) | 78.8 | 0.7 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Offshore of Ogishima Island, Port of Kawasaki | September, 2024 | 1 | Male | 12 | 28.2 ~ 32.0 (29.7) | 328 ~ 491 (410) | 82.4 | 2.3 |
| | | 2 | Female | 12 | 27.0 ~ 32.0 (29.3) | 337 ~ 543 (430) | 70.6 | 1.5 |
| | | 3 | Female | 12 | 26.5 ~ 28.8 (27.9) | 276 ~ 444 (384) | 76.9 | 2.0 |
| Striped mullet (<i>Mugil cephalus</i>) Nagoya Port | September, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 9 | 30.9 ~ 33.3 (32.4) | 630 ~ 856 (728) | 75.2 | 2.3 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 9 | 29.4 ~ 33.6 (31.6) | 481 ~ 771 (656) | | |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 9 | 29.6 ~ 33.8 (31.5) | 567 ~ 866 (676) | | |
| Dace (<i>Tribolodon hakonensis</i>) Lake Biwa, Riv. Ado (Takashima City) | April, 2024 | 1 | Male | 25 | 24.2 ~ 28.3 (25.7) | 160 ~ 275 (216) | 73.8 | 3.2 |
| | | 2 | Female | 25 | 24.4 ~ 30.0 (26.3) | 181 ~ 417 (245) | 74.2 | 2.6 |
| | | 3 | Male | 25 | 23.4 ~ 28.0 (25.0) | 172 ~ 321 (212) | 74.4 | 2.8 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Osaka Bay | October, 2025 | 1 | Mixed | 6 | 32.0 ~ 35.0 (33.8) | 510 ~ 680 (635) | 76.9 | 2.3 |
| | | 2 | Mixed | 5 | 35.5 ~ 37.0 (36.3) | 680 ~ 770 (718) | | |
| | | 3 | Mixed | 4 | 36.5 ~ 39.0 (38.0) | 810 ~ 940 (880) | | |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Offshore of Himeji | December, 2024 | 1 | Female | 1 | 56.0 | 3,160 | 78 | 2.7 |
| | | 2 | Male | 1 | 54.5 | 2,340 | | |
| | | 3 | Male | 1 | 51.0 | 2,210 | | |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Nakaumi | November, 2024 | 1 | Mixed | 10 | 37.0 ~ 43.4 (40.2) | 632 ~ 990 (774) | 79.9 | 1.4 |
| | | 2 | Mixed | 10 | 35.7 ~ 42.0 (37.4) | 536 ~ 764 (632) | 79.4 | 0.9 |
| | | 3 | Mixed | 10 | 31.0 ~ 35.0 (33.1) | 387 ~ 540 (485) | 79.9 | 0.9 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Hiroshima Bay | November, 2024 | 1 | Male | 3 | 37.5 ~ 44.5 (40.5) | 921 ~ 1,485 (1,192) | 76.1 | 1.4 |
| | | 2 | Male | 3 | 45.5 ~ 46.5 (46.0) | 1,395 ~ 1,526 (1,445) | 74.2 | |
| | | 3 | Female | 3 | 41.0 ~ 47.0 (44.3) | 1,184 ~ 1,628 (1,429) | 75.1 | |
| Striped mullet (<i>Mugil cephalus</i>) Takamatsu Port | October, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 1 | 73 | 2,600 | 67.4 | 9.8 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 1 | 70 | 2,400 | 69.8 | 10.7 |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 1 | 69 | 2,400 | 68.9 | 9.9 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) Mouth of Riv. Shimanto (Shimanto City) | November, 2024 | 1 | Uncertain | 8 | 24.5 ~ 35.5 (28.4) | 238 ~ 847 (422) | 73.8 | 1.4 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 8 | 24.0 ~ 31.5 (28.0) | 255 ~ 696 (430) | 73.9 | 1.1 |
| | | 3 | Uncertain | 10 | 22.5 ~ 29.0 (26.2) | 172 ~ 446 (343) | 76.1 | 1.3 |
| Spanish mackerel (<i>Scomberomorus niphonius</i>) Mouth of Riv. Oita (Oita City) | September, 2024 | 1 | Female | 2 | 59.3 ~ 66.3 (62.8) | 1,859 ~ 2,049 (1,954) | 69.3 | 4.0 |
| | | 2 | Uncertain | 2 | 57.5 ~ 65.4 (61.5) | 1,749 ~ 2,279 (1,996) | 64.9 | 6.0 |
| | | 3 | Male | 2 | 57.4 ~ 67.5 (62.5) | 1,819 ~ 2,279 (2,049) | 68.9 | 6.8 |
| Sea bass (<i>Lateolabrax japonicus</i>) West Coast of Satsuma Peninsula) | November, 2024 | 1 | Female | 10 | 26.0 ~ 29.0 (27.6) | 308 ~ 392 (352) | 76.3 | 0.7 |
| | | 2 | Female | 10 | 26.0 ~ 29.0 (27.3) | 318 ~ 392 (339) | 76.0 | 1.3 |
| | | 3 | Female | 10 | 27.0 ~ 29.0 (28.0) | 357 ~ 401 (387) | 76.1 | 0.9 |
| Okinawa seabeam (<i>Acanthopagrus sivicolus</i>) Nakagusuku Bay | January, 2025 | 1 | Female | 3 | 29.0 ~ 34.0 (32.3) | 850 ~ 1,365 (1,190) | 93.2 | 2.8 |
| | | 2 | Male | 3 | 29.0 ~ 33.5 (30.7) | 700 ~ 1,225 (917) | 93.4 | 2.6 |
| | | 3 | Female | 3 | 27.0 ~ 29.0 (28.5) | 775 ~ 855 (828) | 92.4 | 2.9 |

Table 3-3-3 Basic data of specimens (birds as wildlife) in the Environmental Monitoring in FY 2024

| Bird species (Area) | Sampling month | No. | Sex | Number of animals | Length (cm) | Weight (g) | Water content % | Lipid content % |
|---|-------------------------------|-----|--------|-------------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Great Cormorant (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>) Lake Biwa(Lake Kita, offshore of Tikubushima Island) | September, 2024 | 1 | Male | 1 | 102 | 1,879 | 70.1 | 3.4 |
| | | 2 | Male | 1 | 107 | 2,266 | | |
| | | 3 | Male | 1 | 101 | 2,036 | | |
| Great Cormorant (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>) Riv.Tenjin (Kurayoshi City) | July and November, 2024 | 1 | Male | 1 | 111 | 1,982 | 68.8 | 4.4 |
| | | 2 | Female | 1 | 111 | 1,685 | | |

(Note 1) The great cormorants (immature) killed as harmful birds were used as specimens.

(Note 2) For Great Cormorant, at Riv.Tenjin (Kurayoshi City), two (2) specimen samples were collected. The target substances were analysed for each place with one (1) specimen sample that is a mixture of equal parts of the two (2) specimen samples.

4. Method for regression analysis and testing

The analysis procedure and the evaluation for the analysis result shown in Fig.2 were carried out by the following method.

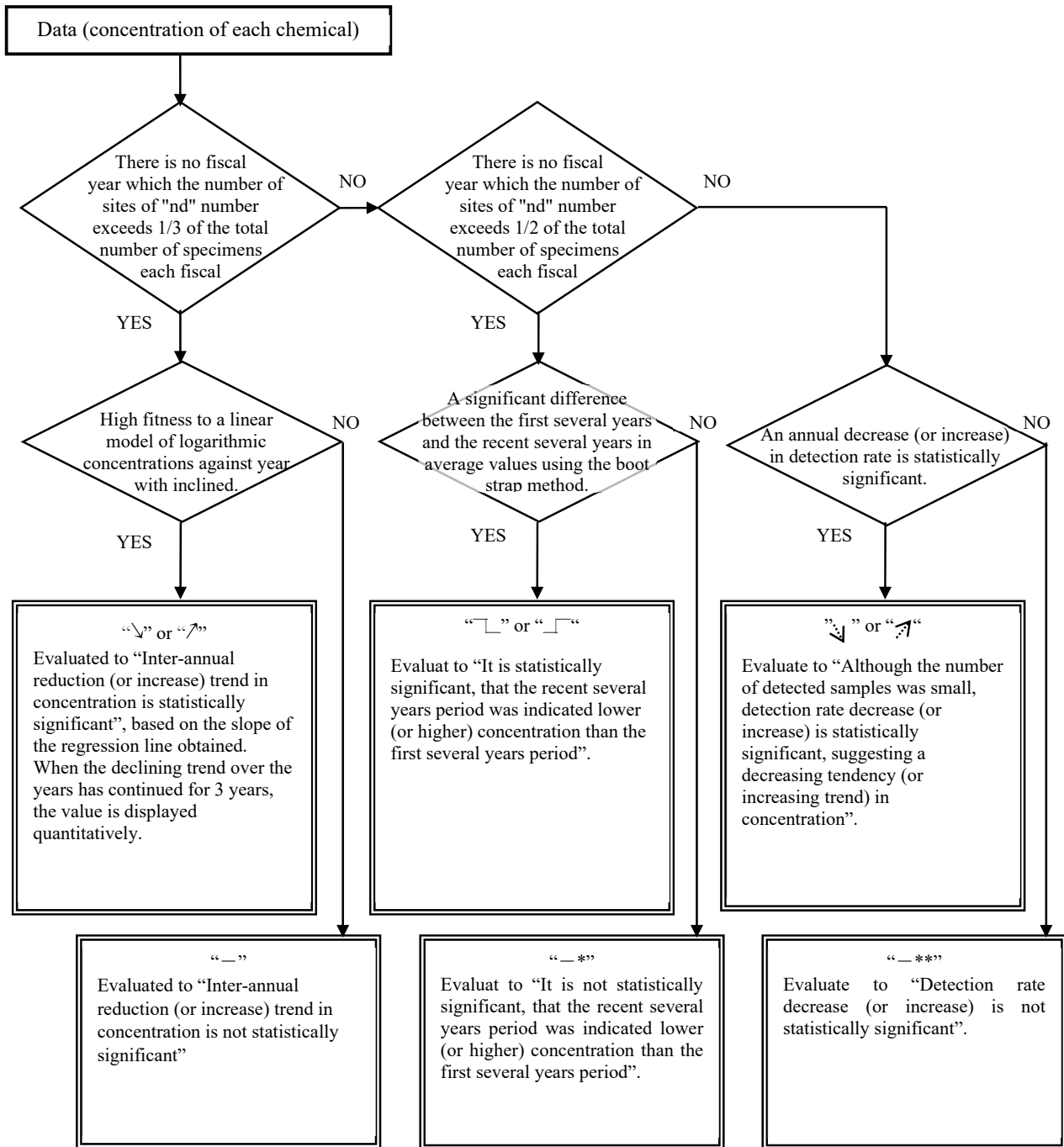


Figure 2 Method for regression analysis and testing

5. Summary of monitoring results

The detection ranges are shown in Table 3-4, and the detection limits are shown in Table 3-5.

The substances which were monitored FY2024 and past years on the same media, were statistically analysed in order to detect inter-annual trends of increase or decrease. The results of the analyses are shown in Table 3-6

○ Data were carefully handled on the basis of following points.

- For sediment

At each monitoring point, three (3) specimen samples were collected. And the substances were analysed for each place with one specimen sample that is a mixture of equal parts of the three (3) specimen samples.

- For wildlife

At each monitoring point, three (3) specimen samples were collected in principle. And the substances were analysed for each place with one specimen sample that is a mixture of equal parts of the three (3) specimen samples.

- For air

At most monitored site, the sampling was for the monitoring in the warm season (September 9, 2024 to January 21, 2025).

Table 3-4-1 List of the detection ranges in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024 (Part 1)

| No. | Target chemicals | Surface water (pg/L) | | Sediment (pg/g-dry) | |
|--|---|-------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-------|
| | | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. |
| [1] | Total PCBs | nd ~ 10,000 (46/47) | 90 | 21 ~ 520,000 (60/60) | 4,900 |
| [2] | HCB | 3 ~ 52 (47/47) | 7 | 1.9 ~ 8,000 (60/60) | 52 |
| [3] | Aldrin | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | | | |
| | [6-6] <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | | | |
| [7-5] <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | |
| [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | | | |
| | [9-3] Parlar-62 | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | | | |
| | [11-4] δ -HCH | | | | |
| [12] | Chlordecone | | | | |
| [13] | Hexabromobiphenyls | | | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br ₄ - Br ₁₀) | | | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | nd ~ 3,100 (45/47) | 230 | tr(5) ~ 300 (60/60) | 38 |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | 210 ~ 34,000 (47/47) | 980 | nd ~ 220 (59/60) | 21 |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | | | | |
| [18] | Endosulfans | | | | |
| | [18-1] α -Endosulfan | | | | |
| | [18-2] β -Endosulfan | | | | |

(Note 1) "Av." indicates the geometric mean calculated by assuming nd (below the detection limit) to be half the value of the detection limit.

(Note 2) "□" means the medium was not monitored.

(Note 3) "tr(X)" indicates that X was below the quantification limit and over the detection limit.

Table 3-4-2 List of the detection ranges in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024 (Part 2)

| No. | Target chemicals | Surface water (pg/L) | | Sediment (pg/g-dry) | |
|---|---|----------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|
| | | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. |
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecanes | | | | |
| | [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-4] δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| [19-5] ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | |
| [20] | Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | | | | |
| [21] | Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene | | | | |
| [22] | Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters | | | | |
| | [22-1] Pentachlorophenol | | | | |
| | [22-2] Pentachloroanisole | | | | |
| [23] | Short-chain chlorinated paraffins | | | | |
| | [23-1] Chlorinated decanes | | | | |
| | [23-2] Chlorinated undecanes | | | | |
| | [23-3] Chlorinated dodecanes | | | | |
| | [23-4] Chlorinated tridecanes | | | | |
| [24] | Dicofol | | | | |
| [25] | Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | nd ~ 2,300 (38/47) | 140 | nd ~ 18 (15/60) | nd |
| [26] | Methoxychlor | nd (0/47) | nd | nd (0/60) | nd |
| [27] | Dechlorane pluses | | | | |
| | [27-1] <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane pluse | nd ~ 4,400 (44/47) | 7.2 | nd ~ 5,800 (56/60) | 170 |
| | [27-2] <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | nd ~ 11,000 (31/47) | 3.4 | tr(0.6) ~ 2,100 (60/60) | 64 |
| [28] | UV-328 | nd ~ 120 (28/47) | tr(30) | tr(14) ~ 50,000 (60/60) | 1,200 |

(Note 1) "Av." indicates the geometric mean calculated by assuming nd (below the detection limit) to be half the value of the detection limit.

(Note 2) "□" means the medium was not monitored.

(Note 3) "tr(X)" indicates that X was below the quantification limit and over the detection limit.

(Note 4) Chlorinated paraffins with 5 ~ 9 chlorines are target chemicals. The results of short-chain chlorinated paraffins are tentative values obtained in trials among various problems in the measurement method.

Table 3-4-3 List of the detection ranges in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024 (Part 3)

| No. | Target chemicals | Wildlife (pg/g-wet) | | | | | | Air (pg/m ³) | |
|------|--|---------------------|-----|-------------------------|-------|------------------------|---------|--------------------------|-----|
| | | Bivalves | | Fish | | Bivalves | | Range (Frequency) | Av. |
| | | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. | | |
| [1] | Total PCBs | 170 ~ 6,100 (3/3) | 910 | 1,000 ~ 130,000 (16/16) | 8,100 | 46,000 ~ 910,000 (2/2) | 200,000 | 7.7 ~ 170 (35/35) | 44 |
| [2] | HCB | nd ~ 20 (2/3) | 3.4 | 6.7 ~ 580 (16/16) | 64 | 3,000 ~ 4,400 (2/2) | 3,600 | 67 ~ 120 (35/35) | 96 |
| [3] | Aldrin | | | | | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | | | | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | | | | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | | | | |
| | [6-6] <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | | | | | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | | | | | | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | | | | | | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | | | | | | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | | | | | | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | | | | |
| | [7-5] <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | | | | | | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | | | | | | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | | | | |
| | [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | | | | | | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | | | | | | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | | | | | | | |
| | [9-3] Parlar-62 | | | | | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | | | | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | | | | | | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | | | | | | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | | | | | | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | | | | | | | |
| | [11-4] δ -HCH | | | | | | | | |
| [12] | Chlordecone | | | | | | | | |
| [13] | Hexabromobiphenyls | | | | | | | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br ₄ - Br ₁₀) | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | | | | |
| | [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | nd ~ 120 (2/3) | 11 | 15 ~ 11,000 (16/16) | 300 | 1,200 ~ 36,000 (2/2) | 6,600 | 1.1 ~ 7.1 (35/35) | 3.5 |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | 9 ~ 23 (3/3) | 14 | tr(3) ~ 28 (16/16) | 8 | 100 ~ 930 (2/2) | 300 | 3.5 ~ 31 (35/35) | 8.0 |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | 3.2 ~ 6.5 (3/3) | 4.6 | 1.0 ~ 58 (16/16) | 13 | 280 ~ 520 (2/2) | 380 | 37 ~ 87 (35/35) | 55 |
| [18] | Endosulfans | | | | | | | | |
| | [18-1] α -Endosulfan | | | | | | | | |
| | [18-2] β -Endosulfan | | | | | | | | |

(Note 1) "Av." indicates the geometric mean calculated by assuming nd (below the detection limit) to be half the value of the detection limit.

(Note 2) "□" means the medium was not monitored.

(Note 3) "tr(X)" indicates that X was below the quantification limit and over the detection limit.

Table 3-4-3 List of the detection ranges in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024 (Part 4)

| No. | Target chemicals | Wildlife (pg/g-wet) | | | | | | Air (pg/m ³) | |
|---|---|-------------------------|---------|----------------------|-------|-------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|
| | | Bivalves | | Fish | | Bivalves | | Range (Frequency) | Av. |
| | | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. | Range (Frequency) | Av. | | |
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecanes | | | | | | | | |
| | [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | | | | |
| | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | | | | |
| | [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | | | | |
| | [19-4] δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | | | | |
| [19-5] ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | | | | | | |
| [20] | Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | | | | | | | | |
| [21] | Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene (reference) | | | | | | | 1,200 ~ 3,500 (35/35) | 2,300 |
| [22] | Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters | | | | | | | | |
| | [22-1] Pentachlorophenol | | | | | | | | |
| [22-2] | Pentachloroanisole | | | | | | | | |
| [23] | Short-chain chlorinated paraffins | | | | | | | | |
| | [23-1] Chlorinated decanes | nd ~ tr(280) (1/3) | nd | nd ~ tr(290) (2/16) | nd | nd ~ tr(200) (1/2) | nd | tr(50) ~ 770 (35/35) | 270 |
| | [23-2] Chlorinated undecanes | tr(330) ~ tr(490) (3/3) | tr(420) | nd ~ tr(550) (3/16) | nd | tr(320) ~ tr(590) (2/2) | tr(430) | nd ~ 4,300 (26/35) | tr(300) |
| | [23-3] Chlorinated dodecanes | nd ~ tr(540) (2/3) | tr(320) | nd ~ tr(510) (5/16) | nd | tr(360) ~ tr(660) (2/2) | tr(490) | nd ~ 910 (24/35) | tr(170) |
| [23-4] | Chlorinated tridecanes | nd ~ tr(640) (2/3) | tr(390) | nd ~ tr(570) (7/16) | nd | tr(540) ~ 1,100 (2/2) | tr(770) | tr(100) ~ 640 (35/35) | 160 |
| [24] | Dicofol | | | | | | | | |
| [25] | Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | nd (0/3) | nd | nd ~ 1,900 (9/16) | tr(5) | 94 ~ 180 (2/2) | 130 | 0.7 ~ 6.1 (35/35) | 2.4 |
| [26] | Methoxychlor | nd (0/3) | nd | nd (0/16) | nd | nd (0/2) | nd | | |
| [27] | Dechlorane pluses | | | | | | | | |
| | [27-1] <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane pluse | nd ~ 5.4 (1/3) | tr(1.0) | nd ~ 51 (11/16) | 2.2 | 16 ~ 160 (2/2) | 51 | | |
| [27-2] | <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | nd ~ tr(1.1) (1/3) | nd | nd ~ 29 (11/16) | 1.5 | 7.3 ~ 100 (2/2) | 27 | | |
| [28] | UV-328 | 31 ~ 240 (3/3) | 79 | tr(17) ~ 900 (16/16) | 100 | 36 ~ 230 (2/2) | 91 | | |

(Note 1) "Av." indicates the geometric mean calculated by assuming nd (below the detection limit) to be half the value of the detection limit.

(Note 2) "□" means the medium was not monitored.

(Note 3) "tr(X)" indicates that X was below the quantification limit and over the detection limit.

(Note 4) Air samples for substances other than hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene were collected using either high volume or medium volume air samplers, depending on the survey location. When the concentrations of samples collected with these two types of samplers at the same location and time were compared, the samples collected with the medium volume air sampler had concentrations of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) approximately 2.5 times higher, Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) approximately 1.5 times higher, and Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) approximately 3.5 times higher than the samples collected with the high-volume air sampler. It is hypothesized that some of the precursors collected with Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS), Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), and Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) were converted to Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS), Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), and Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) during sampling, and that more precursors were converted with the medium volume air sampler, which had a longer sampling time. However, this reason has not yet been scientifically proven.

(Note 5) Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in air was analysed with the three(3) specimen samples collected using low volume air sampler for each place. "Range" is based on the concentrations of the samples and "Frequency" is based on the number of sites or areas.

(Note 6) Chlorinated paraffins with 5 ~ 9 chlorines are target chemicals in wildlife, and Chlorinated paraffins with 4 ~ 7 chlorines are target chemicals in air. The results of short-chain chlorinated paraffins are tentative values obtained in trials among various problems in the measurement method.

Table 3-5-1 List of the quantification [detection] limits in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024(Part 1)

| No. | Target chemicals | Surface water (pg/L) | Sediment (pg/g-dry) | Wildlife (pg/g-wet) | Air (pg/m ³) |
|------|---|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| [1] | Total PCBs | 17 [6] | 19 [7] | 21 [8] | 2.0 [0.8] |
| [2] | HCB | 3 [1] | 1.8 [0.7] | 1.2 [0.4] | 0.10 [0.04] |
| [3] | Aldrin | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | |
| | [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | | | |
| | [9-3] Parlar-62 | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | | | |
| | [11-4] δ -HCH | | | | |
| [12] | Chlordecone | | | | |
| [13] | Hexabromobiphenyls | | | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br ₄ ~ Br ₁₀) | | | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | |
| | [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | 70 [30] | 9 [4] | 6 [3] | 0.5 [0.2] |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | 70 [30] | 7 [3] | 8 [3] | 0.5 [0.2] |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | | | 1.0 [0.4] | 0.06 [0.02] |
| [18] | Endosulfans | | | | |
| | [18-1] α -Endosulfan | | | | |
| | [18-2] β -Endosulfan | | | | |

(Note 1) Each quantification limit is shown above the corresponding [detection limit].

(Note 2) “ * ” means the quantification [detection] limit is the sum value of congeners.

(Note 3) The same quantification [detection] limit was employed for bivalves, fish and birds as wildlife for each target chemical.

(Note 4) “ ” means the medium was not monitored.

Table 3-5-2 List of the quantification [detection] limits in the Environmental Monitoring in FY2024 (Part 2)

| No. | Target chemicals | Surface water (pg/L) | Sediment (pg/g-dry) | Wildlife (pg/g-wet) | Air (pg/m ³) |
|------|---|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecanes | | | | |
| | [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-4] δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| | [19-5] ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | | | |
| [20] | Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | | | | |
| [21] | Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene | | | | 60 [20] |
| [22] | Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters | | | | 60 [20] |
| | [22-1] Pentachlorophenol | | | | |
| | [22-2] Pentachloroanisole | | | | |
| [23] | Short-chain chlorinated paraffins | | | | |
| | [23-1] Chlorinated decanes | | | 400 [200] | 120 [50] |
| | [23-2] Chlorinated undecanes | | | 700 [300] | 380 [130] |
| | [23-3] Chlorinated dodecanes | | | 800 [300] | 360 [120] |
| | [23-4] Chlorinated tridecanes | | | 800 [300] | 110 [50] |
| [24] | Dicofol | | | | |
| [25] | Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | 90 [40] | 6 [3] | 7 [3] | 0.5 [0.2] |
| [26] | Methoxychlor | 110 [40] | 7 [3] | 10 [4] | |
| [27] | Dechlorane pluses | | | | |
| | [27-1] <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane pluse | 2.2 [0.9] | 5.4 [1.8] | 2.0 [0.8] | |
| | [27-2] <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | 3.0 [1.0] | 1.1 [0.4] | 1.2 [0.5] | |
| [28] | UV-328 | 60 [20] | 20 [8] | 20 [6] | |

(Note 1) Each quantification limit is shown above the corresponding [detection limit].

(Note 2) “*” means the quantification [detection] limit is the sum value of congeners.

(Note 3) The same quantification [detection] limit was employed for bivalves, fish and birds as wildlife for each target chemical.

(Note 4) “□” means the medium was not monitored.

Table 3-6-1 Results of inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024 (Surface water)

| No | Name | Surface water | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|---|
| | | River area | Lake area | Mouth area | Sea area | |
| [1] | Total PCBs | ↓ Half-life : 9 years [7 ~ 12 years] | ↓ Half-life : 8 years [7 ~ 10 years] | ↓ Half-life : 9 years [7 ~ 13 years] | ↓ Half-life : 15 years [13 ~ 18 years] | ↓ |
| [2] | HCB | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [9 ~ 12 years] | ↓ Half-life : 11 years [9 ~ 14 years] | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [8 ~ 22 years] | ↓ Half-life : 9 years [7 ~ 11 years] | ↘ |
| [3] | Aldrin | | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | | | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | | | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | | | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | | | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | | | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | | | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | | | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | | | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | | | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | | | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | | | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers(Br ₄ ~ Br ₁₀) | | | | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ether | | | | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [8 ~ 17 years] | - | ↓ Half-life : 15 years [11 ~ 25 years] | - | ↓ |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | ↓ Half-life : 11 years [11 ~ 18 years] | ↓ Half-life : 11 years [8 ~ 18 years] | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [9 ~ 22 years] | - | - |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | | | | | |

(Note 1) When the posteriori probability from AICs was more than 95%, the measurement results were deemed to be in agreement with the simple log-linear regression model.

(Note 2) “↓”: An inter-annual trend of decrease was found.

“↘”: Statistically significant differences between the first several years and the recent several years were found.

“↘”*: Although the number of detections was small, the detection rate was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency.

“-”: An inter-annual trend was not found.

“-**”: In case of using the bootstrap methods, there was not a significant difference between the first several years and the recent several years.

“-***”: The detection rate was not decreased, there was not a reduction tendency.

(Note 3) “□”: The inter-annual trend analysis was not analysed because not conducted the survey in FY2024.

(Note 4) The half-life describes the half-life in the environment based on the survey results when the decrease tendency continues for 3 years or more by the maximum likelihood estimation that does not assume parametric residual distribution. The results in [] indicate that the values in the 95% confidence interval. Please note that the listed half-lives and their confidence intervals are merely assumed values, and will depend on the period of time covered by the analysis and the selection of data.

(Note 5) The classification of monitored sites with area are shown in Table 3-7

(Note 6) Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA): the results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009.

Table 3-6-2 Results of inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024 (Sediment)

| No | Name | Sediment | | | | |
|------|---|--|--|------------|---|--|
| | | River area | Lake area | Mouth area | Sea area | |
| [1] | Total PCBs | ↓ Half-life : 19 years [15 ~ 27 years] | ↓ Half-life : 14 years [11 ~ 19 years] | ↓ | ↓ | ↓ Half-life : 17 years [13 ~ 23 years] |
| [2] | HCB | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [10 ~ 17 years] | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [8 ~ 14 years] | - | - | ↓ |
| [3] | Aldrin | | | | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | | | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | | | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | | | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | | | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | | | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | | | | |
| | [6-6] <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | | | | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | | | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | | | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | |
| | [7-5] <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | | | | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | | | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | | | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | |
| | [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | | | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | | | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | | | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | | | | |
| | [9-3] Parlar-62 | | | | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | | | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | | | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | | | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | | | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | | | | |
| | [11-4] δ -HCH | | | | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers(Br ₁ ~ Br ₁₀) | | | | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ether | | | | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | | | | |
| | [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | | | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [9 ~ 18 years] | - | - | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [7 ~ 20 years] | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [9 ~ 17 years] |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [9 ~ 18 years] | ↓ | - | ↓ Half-life : 7 years [6 ~ 11 years] | - |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | | | | | |

(Note 1) When the posteriori probability from AICs was more than 95%, the measurement results were deemed to be in agreement with the simple log-linear regression model.

(Note 2) “↓”: An inter-annual trend of decrease was found.

“⊥”: Statistically significant differences between the first several years and the recent several years were found.

“↓” (with small circles): Although the number of detections was small, the detection rate was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency.

“-”: An inter-annual trend was not found.

“-*”: In case of using the bootstrap methods, there was not a significant difference between the first several years and the recent several years

“-***”: The detection rate was not decreased, there was not a reduction tendency.

(Note 3) “□”: The inter-annual trend analysis was not analysed because not conducted the survey in FY2024.

(Note 4) The half-life describes the half-life in the environment based on the survey results when the decrease tendency continues for 3 years or more by the maximum likelihood estimation that does not assume parametric residual distribution. The results in [] indicate that the values in the 95% confidence interval. Please note that the listed half-lives and their confidence intervals are merely assumed values, and will depend on the period of time covered by the analysis and the selection of data.

(Note 5) The classification of monitored sites with area are shown in Table 3-7

(Note 6) Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA): the results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009.

Table 3-6-3 Results of inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024 (Wildlife)

| No | Name | Bivalves | Fish |
|------|--|---|--|
| [1] | Total PCBs | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [7 ~ 16 years] | ↓ Half-life : 15 years [12 ~ 23 years] |
| [2] | HCB | - | - |
| [3] | Aldrin | | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | | |
| [5] | Endrin | | |
| [6] | DDTs | | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | |
| | [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | | |
| | [9-3] Parlar-62 | | |
| [10] | Mirex | | |
| [11] | HCHs | | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | | |
| | [11-4] δ -HCH | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br ₄ ~ Br ₁₀) | | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ether | | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | | |
| | [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | -** | - |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | -** | ↘ |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | ↘ | -* |
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecanes | | |
| | [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | |
| | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | |
| | [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | |

(Note 1) When the posteriori probability from AICs was more than 95%, the measurement results were deemed to be in agreement with the simple log-linear regression model.

(Note 2) “↘”: An inter-annual trend of decrease was found.

“↕”: Statistically significant differences between the first several years and the recent several years were found.

“↘”: Although the number of detections was small, the detection rate was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency.

“-”: An inter-annual trend was not found.

“-*”: In case of using the bootstrap methods, there was not a significant difference between the values of the first several years and the recent several years.

“-***”: The detection rate was not decreased, there was not a reduction tendency.

(Note 3) “□”: The inter-annual trend analysis was not analysed because not conducted the survey in FY2024.

(Note 4) The half-life describes the half-life in the environment based on the survey results when the decrease tendency continues for 3 years or more by the maximum likelihood estimation that does not assume parametric residual distribution. The results in [] indicate that the values in the 95% confidence interval. Please note that the listed half-lives and their confidence intervals are merely assumed values, and will depend on the period of time covered by the analysis and the selection of data.

(Note 5) Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA): the results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009. Pentachlorobenzene: the results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2010.

Table 3-6-4 Results of inter-annual trend analysis from FY2003 to FY2022 (Air)

| No | Name | Air |
|---|---|--|
| [1] | Total PCBs | ↓ Half-life : 12 years [10 ~ 15 years] |
| [2] | HCB | - |
| [3] | Aldrin | |
| [4] | Dieldrin | |
| [5] | Endrin | |
| [6] | DDTs | |
| | [6-1] <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | |
| | [6-2] <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | |
| | [6-3] <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | |
| | [6-4] <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | |
| | [6-5] <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | |
| [7] | Chlordanes | |
| | [7-1] <i>cis</i> -chlordane | |
| | [7-2] <i>trans</i> -chlordane | |
| | [7-3] Oxychlordane | |
| | [7-4] <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | |
| [7-5] <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | | |
| [8] | Heptachlors | |
| | [8-1] Heptachlor | |
| | [8-2] <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | |
| [8-3] <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | | |
| [9] | Toxaphenes | |
| | [9-1] Parlar-26 | |
| | [9-2] Parlar-50 | |
| [9-3] Parlar-62 | | |
| [10] | Mirex | |
| [11] | HCHs | |
| | [11-1] α -HCH | |
| | [11-2] β -HCH | |
| | [11-3] γ -HCH (synonym:Lindane) | |
| [11-4] δ -HCH | | |
| [14] | Polybromodiphenyl ethers(Br ₄ ~ Br ₁₀) | |
| | [14-1] Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | |
| | [14-2] Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | |
| | [14-3] Hexabromodiphenyl ether | |
| | [14-4] Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | |
| | [14-5] Octabromodiphenyl ethers | |
| | [14-6] Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | |
| [14-7] Decabromodiphenyl ether | | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | ↓ Half-life : 27 years [22 ~ 38 years] |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | ↓ Half-life : 10 years [8 ~ 14 years] |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | - |
| [19] | 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecanes | |
| | [19-1] α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | |
| | [19-2] β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | |
| [19-3] γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | | |
| [21] | Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene | - |

(Note 1) When the posteriori probability from AICs was more than 95%, the measurement results were deemed to be in agreement with the simple log-linear regression model.

(Note 2) “↘” or “↗”: An inter-annual trend of increase or decrease was found.

“⊥”: Statistically significant differences between the first several years and the recent several years were found.

“↓”: Although the number of detections was small, the detection rate was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency.

“-”: An inter-annual trend was not found.

“-*”: In case of using the bootstrap methods, there was not a significant difference between the values of the first several years and the recent several years.

“-***”: The detection rate was not decreased, there was not a reduction tendency.

(Note 3) “□”: The inter-annual trend analysis was not analysed because not conducted the survey in FY2024.

(Note 4) The half-life describes the half-life in the environment based on the survey results when the decrease tendency continues for 3 years or more by the maximum likelihood estimation that does not assume parametric residual distribution. The results in [] indicate that the values

in the 95% confidence interval. Please note that the listed half-lives and their confidence intervals are merely assumed values, and will depend on the period of time covered by the analysis and the selection of data.

(Note 5) Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA): the results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2010. Pentachlorobenzene: the result of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2007. Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene: the result of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2015.

Table 3-7 The classification of monitored sites with area at inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024

| Classification | Local Communities | Monitored sites | Monitored media | |
|------------------|-------------------|---|-----------------|----------|
| | | | Surface water | Sediment |
| River area | Hokkaido | Ishikarikakokyo Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Ishikari(Ishikari City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Iwate Pref. | Riv. Toyosawa(Hanamaki City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Sendai City | Hirose-ohashi Bridge, Riv. Hirose(Sendai City) | | ○ |
| | Yamagata Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Mogami(Sakata City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Ibaraki Pref. | Tonekamome-ohashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Tone(Kamisuru City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Tochigi Pref. | Kyubun Area Head Works, Riv. Tagawa (Utsunomiya City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Gunma Pref. | Tone-ozeki Weir, Riv. Tone (Chiyoda Town) | ○ | |
| | Saitama Pref. | Akigaseshusui of Riv. Arakawa | ○ | |
| | Niigata Pref. | Lower Riv. Shinano(Niigata City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Toyama Pref. | Hagiura-bashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Jintsu(Toyama City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Fukui Pref. | Mishima-bashi Bridge, Riv. Shono(Tsuruga City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Yamanashi Pref. | Senshu-bashi Bridge, Riv. Arakawa(Kofu City) | | ○ |
| | Shizuoka Pref. | Riv. Tenryu(Iwata City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kyoto City | Miyamae-bashi Bridge, Riv. Katsura(Kyoto City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Osaka City | Kema-bashi Bridge, Riv. Oh-kawa (Osaka City) | | ○ |
| | | Osaka Port | ○ | ○ |
| | Nara Pref. | Riv. Yamato(Oji Town) | | ○ |
| | Wakayama Pref. | Kinokawa-ohashi Bridge, Mouth of Riv. Kinokawa(Wakayama City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kochi Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Shimanto(Shimanto City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kumamoto Pref. | Hiraki-bashi Bridge, Riv. Midori(Uto City) | ○ | |
| | Miyazaki Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oyodo(Miyazaki City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kagoshima Pref. | Riv. Amori(Kirishima City) | ○ | ○ |
| | | Gotanda-bashi Bridge, Riv. Gotanda(Ichikikushikino City) | ○ | ○ |
| Lake area | Akita Pref. | Lake Hachiro | ○ | ○ |
| | Nagano Pref. | Lake Suwa(center) | ○ | ○ |
| | Shiga Pref. | Lake Biwa(center, offshore of Minamihira) | | ○ |
| | | Lake Biwa(center, offshore of Karasaki) | ○ | ○ |
| River mouth area | Tokyo Met. | Mouth of Riv. Arakawa(Koto Ward) | ○ | ○ |
| | | Mouth of Riv. Sumida(Minato Ward) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kawasaki City | Mouth of Riv. Tama (Kawasaki City) | | ○ |
| | Ishikawa Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Sai(Kanazawa City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Aichi Pref. | Kinuura Port | | ○ |
| | Mie Pref. | Toba Port | | ○ |
| | Osaka Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yamato(Sakai City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Osaka City | Mouth of Riv. Yodo(Osaka City) | | ○ |
| | Tokushima Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Yoshino(Tokushima City) | ○ | ○ |
| | Kagawa Pref. | Takamatsu Port | ○ | ○ |
| | Kitakyushu City | Dokai Bay | ○ | ○ |
| | Oita Pref. | Mouth of Riv. Oita(Oita City) | | ○ |
| | Okinawa Pref. | Naha Port | ○ | ○ |
| | Sea area | Hokkaido | Tomakomai Port | |
| Miyagi Pref. | | Sendai Bay(Matsushima Bay) | ○ | ○ |
| Fukushima Pref. | | Onahama Port | ○ | ○ |
| Chiba Pref. | | Coast of Ichihara and Anegasaki | | ○ |
| Yokohama City | | Yokohama Port | ○ | ○ |
| Kawasaki City | | Front of Ougi Town, Keihin Canal, Port of Kawasaki | ○ | ○ |
| Shizuoka Pref. | | Shimizu Port | | ○ |
| Aichi Pref. | | Nagoya Port | ○ | ○ |
| Mie Pref. | | Yokkaichi Port | ○ | ○ |
| Kyoto Pref. | | Miyazu Port | ○ | ○ |
| Osaka City | | Outside Osaka Port | | ○ |
| Hyogo Pref. | | Offshore of Himeji | ○ | ○ |
| Kobe City | | Kobe Port(center) | ○ | ○ |
| Okayama Pref. | | Offshore of Mizushima | ○ | ○ |
| Hiroshima Pref. | | Kure Port | ○ | ○ |
| | | Hiroshima Bay | ○ | ○ |
| Yamaguchi Pref. | | Tokuyama Bay | ○ | ○ |
| | | Offshore of Ube | ○ | ○ |
| | | Offshore of Hagi | ○ | ○ |
| Ehime Pref. | | Niihama Port | | ○ |
| Fukuoka City | | Hakata Bay | | ○ |
| Saga Pref. | | Imari Bay | ○ | ○ |
| Nagasaki Pref. | | Omura Bay | ○ | ○ |

(Note) There are monitored sites which were classified in the area unlike these names by the situations.

In the wake of the monitoring surveys of FY2002 ~ 2024, high-sensitivity analysis of PCBs, and HCB were conducted. All these chemicals were detected in all media.

High-sensitivity analysis of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in all media, Pentachlorobenzene and Short-chain chlorinated paraffins in wildlife (bivalves fish and birds) and air, Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in air, and Methoxychlor Dechlorane pluses and UV-328 in surface water sediment and wildlife (bivalves fish and birds) were also conducted in FY2024.

Except for cases of undetected Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in wildlife (bivalves) and Methoxychlor in surface water sediment and wildlife (bivalves fish and birds), all other chemicals were detected.

The monitoring results for each chemical (group) are described below.

[1] Total PCBs

- History and state of monitoring

Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) were used in industry as heat exchange fluids, etc. and were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in June 1974, since the substances are persistent, highly accumulative in living organisms, and chronically toxic. Also the substances are one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series, the substances were monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.” Under the framework of “The Follow-up Survey of the Status of Pollution by Unintentionally Formed Chemicals,” sediment and wildlife (fish) were the monitored media in FY1996 and FY1997, and surface water, sediment, wildlife (fish) and air were the monitored media in FY2000 and FY2001.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substances in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air have been monitored since FY2002.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substances in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 46 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 6 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 10,000 pg/L.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas, lake areas, river mouth areas and sea areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in sediment was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Total PCBs (total amount) in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2024

| Total PCBs (total amount) | Monitored year | Geometric mean*1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit*2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2002 | 470 | 330 | 11,000 | 60 | 7.4 [2.5] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 530 | 450 | 3,100 | 230 | 9.4 [2.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 630 | 540 | 4,400 | 140 | 14 [5.0] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 520 | 370 | 7,800 | 140 | 10 [3.2] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 240 | 200 | 4,300 | 15 | 9 [3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 180 | 140 | 2,700 | 12 | 7.6 [2.9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 260 | 250 | 4,300 | 27 | 7.8 [3.0] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 210 | 170 | 3,900 | 14 | 10 [4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2010 | 120 | 99 | 2,200 | nd | 73 [24] | 41/49 | 41/49 |
| | 2011 | 150 | 130 | 2,100 | 16 | 4.5 [1.7] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 400 | 280 | 6,500 | 72 | 44 [15] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 140 | 110 | 2,600 | tr(13) | 25 [8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 150 | 120 | 4,800 | 16 | 8.2 [2.9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 200 | 160 | 4,200 | 34 | 21 [7.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 140 | 120 | 3,100 | tr(7.2) | 8.4 [2.8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 84 | 79 | 2,400 | nd | 16 [5.5] | 46/47 | 46/47 |
| | 2018 | 150 | 140 | 2,600 | tr(11) | 14 [5] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 120 | 90 | 3,400 | tr(6.6) | 12 [4.7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2020 | 99 | 90 | 8,000 | nd | 19 [6] | 43/46 | 43/46 |
| | 2021 | 100 | 81 | 5,900 | nd | 16 [6] | 45/47 | 45/47 |
| 2022 | 110 | 88 | 3,900 | nd | 13 [5] | 46/48 | 46/48 | |
| 2023 | 120 | 85 | 4,500 | 10 | 9 [4] | 47/47 | 47/47 | |
| 2024 | 90 | 72 | 10,000 | nd | 17 [6] | 46/47 | 46/47 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) *2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener

<Sediment>

The presence of the substances in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 7 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was 21 ~ 520,000 pg/g-dry.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas, lake areas, river mouth areas and sea areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in sediment was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Total PCBs (total amount) in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2024

| Total PCBs (total amount) | Monitored year | Geometric mean* ¹ | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit* ² | Detection Frequency Sample | Site |
|------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------|-----------|---------|--|-------------------------------|-------|
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 11,000 | 11,000 | 630,000 | 39 | 10 [3.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 9,400 | 9,500 | 5,600,000 | 39 | 10 [3.2] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 8,400 | 7,600 | 1,300,000 | 38 | 7.9 [2.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 8,600 | 7,100 | 690,000 | 42 | 6.3 [2.1] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 8,800 | 6,600 | 690,000 | 36 | 4 [1] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 7,400 | 6,800 | 820,000 | 19 | 4.7 [1.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 8,700 | 8,900 | 630,000 | 22 | 3.3 [1.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 7,600 | 7,100 | 1,700,000 | 17 | 5.1 [2.1] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 6,500 | 7,800 | 710,000 | nd | 660 [220] | 56/64 | 56/64 |
| | 2011 | 6,300 | 7,400 | 950,000 | 24 | 12 [4.5] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 5,700 | 6,700 | 640,000 | tr(32) | 51 [18] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 6,200 | 8,000 | 650,000 | tr(43) | 44 [13] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2014 | 4,900 | 5,500 | 440,000 | tr(35) | 61 [21] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 6,400 | 7,500 | 1,100,000 | nd | 62 [22] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2016 | 5,300 | 5,300 | 770,000 | tr(21) | 53 [18] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2017 | 4,600 | 6,200 | 610,000 | nd | 14 [5.0] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2018 | 5,900 | 6,500 | 720,000 | nd | 170 [55] | 58/61 | 58/61 |
| | 2019 | 5,700 | 7,900 | 640,000 | 37 | 8.5 [3.3] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2020 | 4,600 | 6,200 | 400,000 | 30 | 8.2 [3.1] | 58/58 | 58/58 |
| | 2021 | 4,900 | 4,800 | 450,000 | 33 | 7.8 [2.9] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2022 | 4,600 | 4,800 | 340,000 | 20 | 7 [3] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2023 | 4,200 | 4,900 | 300,000 | 14 | 8 [3] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2024 | 4,900 | 5,600 | 520,000 | 21 | 19 [7] | 60/60 | 60/60 |

(Note 1) *1 : Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) 2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substances in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 8 pg/g-wet and the detection range was 170 ~ 6,100 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substances was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 8 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was 1,000 ~ 130,000 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substances was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 8 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 46,000 pg/g-wet and 910,000 pg/g-wet.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from bivalves and fish were identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Total PCBs (total amount) in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2024

| Total PCBs (total amount) | Monitored year | Geometric mean*1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit*2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 8,800 | 28,000 | 160,000 | 200 | 25 [8.4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 11,000 | 9,600 | 130,000 | 1,000 | 50 [17] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 11,000 | 11,000 | 150,000 | 1,500 | 85 [29] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 11,000 | 13,000 | 85,000 | 920 | 69 [23] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 8,500 | 8,600 | 77,000 | 690 | 42 [14] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 9,000 | 11,000 | 66,000 | 980 | 46 [18] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 8,600 | 8,600 | 69,000 | 870 | 47 [17] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 8,700 | 11,000 | 62,000 | 780 | 32 [11] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 9,200 | 11,000 | 46,000 | 1,500 | 52 [20] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 8,900 | 17,000 | 65,000 | 820 | 220 [74] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 6,600 | 12,000 | 34,000 | 680 | 34 [11] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 5,200 | 7,800 | 44,000 | 730 | 44 [14] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 2,900 | 2,600 | 15,000 | 600 | 95 [31] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 2,400 | 2,500 | 9,600 | 580 | 52 [17] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 2,300 | 2,300 | 12,000 | 420 | 60 [20] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 2,500 | 1,600 | 19,000 | 500 | 68 [23] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 2,000 | 900 | 12,000 | 740 | 63 [21] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 2,200 | 1,900 | 17,000 | 350 | 33 [11] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | 1,700 | 1,100 | 9,900 | 470 | 31 [11] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 1,500 | 980 | 7,200 | 490 | 33 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 1,000 | 490 | 10,000 | 230 | 13 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2023 | 680 | --- | 1,900 | 240 | 12 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 910 | 730 | 6,100 | 170 | 21 [8] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 17,000 | 8,100 | 550,000 | 1,500 | 25 [8.4] | 70/70 |
| 2003 | | 11,000 | 9,600 | 150,000 | 870 | 50 [17] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| 2004 | | 15,000 | 10,000 | 540,000 | 990 | 85 [29] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| 2005 | | 14,000 | 8,600 | 540,000 | 800 | 69 [23] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2006 | | 13,000 | 9,000 | 310,000 | 990 | 42 [14] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2007 | | 11,000 | 6,200 | 530,000 | 790 | 46 [18] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2008 | | 12,000 | 9,100 | 330,000 | 1,200 | 47 [17] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| 2009 | | 12,000 | 12,000 | 290,000 | 840 | 32 [11] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| 2010 | | 13,000 | 10,000 | 260,000 | 880 | 52 [20] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2011 | | 14,000 | 12,000 | 250,000 | 900 | 220 [74] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2012 | | 13,000 | 14,000 | 130,000 | 920 | 34 [11] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2013 | | 14,000 | 13,000 | 270,000 | 1,000 | 44 [14] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2014 | | 13,000 | 10,000 | 230,000 | 940 | 95 [31] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2015 | | 11,000 | 7,700 | 180,000 | 1,300 | 52 [17] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2016 | | 11,000 | 8,400 | 150,000 | 1,200 | 60 [20] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2017 | | 10,000 | 8,300 | 160,000 | 860 | 68 [23] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2018 | | 12,000 | 12,000 | 280,000 | 1,200 | 63 [21] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2019 | | 12,000 | 12,000 | 160,000 | 1,000 | 33 [11] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| 2020 | | 9,300 | 12,000 | 85,000 | 690 | 31 [11] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | | 13,000 | 16,000 | 130,000 | 800 | 33 [10] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2022 | | 9,200 | 7,100 | 150,000 | 600 | 13 [5] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2023 | | 7,700 | 7,200 | 83,000 | 720 | 12 [5] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2024 | | 8,100 | 8,400 | 130,000 | 1,000 | 21 [8] | 16/16 | 16/16 |

| Total PCBs (total amount) | Monitored year | Geometric mean* ¹ | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit* ² | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| | 2002 | 12,000 | 14,000 | 22,000 | 4,800 | 25 [8.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 19,000 | 22,000 | 42,000 | 6,800 | 50 [17] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 9,000 | 9,400 | 13,000 | 5,900 | 85 [29] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 10,000 | 9,700 | 19,000 | 5,600 | 69 [23] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 12,000 | 9,800 | 48,000 | 5,600 | 42 [14] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 7,600 | 7,800 | 15,000 | 3,900 | 46 [18] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 9,700 | 7,400 | 56,000 | 3,000 | 47 [17] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 5,900 | 5,700 | 9,500 | 3,900 | 32 [11] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 7,700 | --- | 9,100 | 6,600 | 52 [20] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 5,400 | 5,400 | 220 [74] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 5,900 | --- | 6,200 | 5,600 | 34 [11] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| Birds * ³ (pg/g-wet) | 2013 | 360,000 | --- | 510,000 | 250,000 | 44 [14] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 46,000 | --- | 140,000 | 15,000 | 95 [31] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 5,000 | 5,000 | 52 [17] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 31,000 | --- | 100,000 | 9,800 | 60 [20] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 39,000 | --- | 380,000 | 4,000 | 68 [23] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 110,000 | --- | 130,000 | 85,000 | 63 [21] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 190,000 | 190,000 | 33 [11] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 74,000 | 74,000 | 31 [11] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 150,000 | --- | 210,000 | 110,000 | 33 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 190,000 | --- | 200,000 | 190,000 | 13 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2023 | 150,000 | --- | 380,000 | 63,000 | 12 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 200,000 | --- | 910,000 | 46,000 | 21 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener

(Note 3) *3: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

<Air>

The presence of the substances in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.8 pg/m³, and the detection range was 7.7 ~ 170 pg/m³.

As a result of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2003 to FY2024, a reduction tendency in specimens was identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Total PCBs (total amount) in air during FY2002 ~ 2024

| Total PCBs (total amount) | Monitored year | Geometric mean*1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit*2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|-----------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002** | 100 | 100 | 880 | 16 | 99 [33] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 260 | 340 | 2,600 | 36 | 6.6 [2.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 110 | 120 | 630 | 17 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 240 | 250 | 3,300 | 25 | 2.9 [0.98] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 130 | 130 | 1,500 | 20 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 190 | 210 | 1,500 | 23 | 0.38 [0.14] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 66 | 64 | 380 | 20 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 170 | 180 | 1,500 | 21 | 0.8 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 82 | 90 | 450 | 19 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 250 | 290 | 980 | 37 | 0.37 [0.13] | 24/24 | 24/24 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 72 | 76 | 230 | 25 | | 22/22 | 22/22 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 200 | 170 | 960 | 52 | 0.8 [0.3] | 22/22 | 22/22 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 93 | 86 | 1,500 | 21 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 200 | 190 | 1,400 | 43 | 0.75 [0.26] | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 85 | 78 | 380 | 20 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 160 | 150 | 970 | 36 | 7.3 [2.5] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 84 | 86 | 630 | 19 | | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 150 | 160 | 660 | 32 | 18 [5.9] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 76 | 66 | 320 | tr(17) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 130 | 130 | 840 | 27 | 26 [8.5] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 54 | 62 | 280 | tr(16) | | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 140 | 130 | 1,100 | 24 | 20 [6.5] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 57 | 55 | 300 | tr(19) | | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2014 | 140 | 150 | 1,300 | 28 | 4.1 [1.4] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 98 | 110 | 950 | 17 | 5.9 [2.0] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 130 | 140 | 1,300 | 16 | 7.8 [2.7] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| 2017 | 120 | 110 | 3,300 | 26 | 7.0 [2.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2018 | 110 | 100 | 750 | 20 | 2.4 [0.8] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2019 | 89 | 90 | 340 | 27 | 2.1 [0.8] | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2020 | 82 | 82 | 360 | 21 | 1.8 [0.6] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2021 | 71 | 70 | 340 | 17 | 2.4 [0.8] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |
| 2022 | 78 | 82 | 190 | 18 | 0.9 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2023 | 60 | 58 | 190 | 24 | 2.4 [0.8] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |
| 2024 | 44 | 45 | 170 | 7.7 | 2.0 [0.8] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

(Note 1) *1: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener

(Note 2) *2: In 2002, there was a technical problem in the measuring method for lowly chlorinated congeners, and therefore the values are shown just as reference.

[2] Hexachlorobenzene

- History and state of monitoring

Hexachlorobenzene was used as pesticidal material and was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in August 1979. Also the substance is one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series, the substance was monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 1996 and in FY1998, FY2000 and FY2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.” Under the framework of “the Surface Water/Sediment Monitoring,” the substance in surface water and sediment was monitored during the period of FY1986 ~ 1998 and FY1986 ~ 2001, respectively.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air has been monitored since FY2002.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at all 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 1 pg/L, and the detection range was 3 ~ 52 pg/L.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas, lake areas and river mouth areas were identified as statistically significant. The recent 7 years period was indicated lower concentration than the first 7 years period in specimens from sea areas as statistically significant. And a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in surface water was also identified as statistically significant

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobenzene in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2024

| HCB | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2002 | 37 | 28 | 1,400 | 9.8 | 0.6 [0.2] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 29 | 24 | 340 | 11 | 5 [2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 30 | tr(29) | 180 | tr(11) | 30 [8] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 21 | 17 | 210 | tr(6) | 15 [5] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 16 | tr(12) | 190 | nd | 16 [5] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2007 | 17 | 14 | 190 | tr(4) | 8 [3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 16 | 13 | 480 | 4 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 15 | 17 | 180 | 2.4 | 0.5 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | tr(10) | tr(8) | 120 | nd | 13 [4] | 39/49 | 39/49 |
| | 2011 | 13 | 12 | 140 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 29 | 23 | 330 | 8.1 | 2.2 [0.7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 14 | 11 | 260 | tr(4) | 7 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 12 | 9.7 | 200 | 2.7 | 0.9 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 15 | 13 | 140 | 4.2 | 1.8 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 13 | 11 | 130 | 4.2 | 0.9 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 12 | 10 | 180 | 2.9 | 2.1 [0.8] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2018 | 16 | 11 | 380 | 4.0 | 1.5 [0.6] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 630 | nd | 8 [3] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2020 | 7.9 | 6.1 | 600 | 2.7 | 2.0 [0.8] | 46/46 | 46/46 |
| | 2021 | 6.8 | 5.5 | 180 | 1.6 | 1.0 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2022 | 5.3 | 4.0 | 70 | 1.6 | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2023 | 6.1 | 5.3 | 190 | 1.4 | 0.8 [0.3] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2024 | 7 | 6 | 52 | 3 | 3 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |

(Note) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.7 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was 1.9 ~ 8,000 pg/g-dry.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2002 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas and sea areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in sediment was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobenzene in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2024

| HCB | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 240 | 200 | 19,000 | 7.6 | 0.9 [0.3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 160 | 120 | 42,000 | 5 | 4 [2] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 140 | 100 | 25,000 | tr(6) | 7 [3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 170 | 130 | 22,000 | 13 | 3 [1] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 180 | 120 | 19,000 | 10 | 2.9 [1.0] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 140 | 110 | 65,000 | nd | 5 [2] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 160 | 97 | 29,000 | 4.4 | 2.0 [0.8] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 150 | 120 | 34,000 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 190/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 130 | 96 | 21,000 | 4 | 3 [1] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 150 | 110 | 35,000 | 11 | 7 [3] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 100 | 110 | 12,000 | 3 | 3 [1] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 120 | 91 | 6,600 | 7.2 | 5.3 [1.8] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 95 | 85 | 5,600 | tr(4) | 6 [2] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 100 | 90 | 17,000 | 4 | 3 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 84 | 74 | 6,400 | 4 | 3 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2017 | 82 | 65 | 11,000 | 3 | 3 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 100 | 79 | 8,900 | 3.1 | 1.3 [0.5] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2019 | 88 | 85 | 10,000 | 4.5 | 0.9 [0.4] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2020 | 85 | 78 | 9,800 | 3.9 | 1.3 [0.5] | 58/58 | 58/58 |
| | 2021 | 56 | 56 | 12,000 | 2.5 | 1.3 [0.5] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2022 | 42 | 36 | 4,800 | 1.6 | 0.8 [0.3] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2023 | 50 | 42 | 5,200 | 2.4 | 0.9 [0.4] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2024 | 52 | 60 | 8,000 | 1.9 | 1.8 [0.7] | 60/60 | 60/60 |

(Note) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 2 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to 20 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was 6.7 ~ 580 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 3,000 pg/g-wet and 4,400 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobenzene in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2024

| HCB | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 21 | 22 | 330 | 2.4 | 0.18 [0.06] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 44 | 27 | 660 | tr(21) | 23 [7.5] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 32 | 31 | 80 | 14 | 14 [4.6] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 51 | 28 | 450 | 19 | 11 [3.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 46 | 28 | 340 | 11 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 37 | 22 | 400 | 11 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 38 | 24 | 240 | 13 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 34 | 32 | 200 | 12 | 4 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 34 | 48 | 210 | tr(4) | 5 [2] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 45 | 34 | 920 | 4 | 4 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 39 | 38 | 340 | 10 | 8.4 [2.8] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 32 | 39 | 250 | nd | 31 [10] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | 34 | 26 | 100 | 15 | 10 [3] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 35 | 26 | 120 | tr(14) | 20 [6.5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 38 | 22 | 150 | 17 | 8.1 [2.7] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 41 | 26 | 99 | 26 | 3.9 [1.3] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 21 | 23 | 28 | 14 | 3.3 [1.1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 23 | 16 | 65 | 12 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | 9 | 14 | 30 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 11 | 26 | 26 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 8.4 | 8.5 | 9.1 | 7.6 | 2.1 [0.8] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2023 | 14 | --- | 21 | 9.3 | 2.1 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 3.4 | 9.5 | 20 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 140 | 180 | 910 | 19 | 0.18 [0.06] | 70/70 |
| 2003 | | 180 | 170 | 1,500 | 28 | 23 [7.5] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| 2004 | | 230 | 210 | 1,800 | 26 | 14 [4.6] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| 2005 | | 180 | 160 | 1,700 | 29 | 11 [3.8] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2006 | | 180 | 220 | 1,400 | 25 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2007 | | 160 | 140 | 1,500 | 17 | 7 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| 2008 | | 170 | 210 | 1,500 | 25 | 7 [3] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| 2009 | | 210 | 180 | 30,000 | 29 | 4 [2] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| 2010 | | 240 | 280 | 1,700 | 36 | 5 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2011 | | 260 | 320 | 1,500 | 34 | 4 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2012 | | 200 | 300 | 1,100 | 33 | 8.4 [2.8] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2013 | | 240 | 220 | 1,500 | 36 | 31 [10] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2014 | | 280 | 340 | 1,900 | 37 | 10 [3] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2015 | | 170 | 150 | 1,700 | 43 | 20 [6.5] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2016 | | 150 | 150 | 1,300 | 24 | 8.1 [2.7] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2017 | | 190 | 180 | 1,100 | 33 | 3.9 [1.3] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2018 | | 140 | 150 | 900 | 25 | 3.3 [1.1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2019 | | 100 | 99 | 1,100 | 12 | 3 [1] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| 2020 | | 110 | 58 | 1,100 | 15 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | | 160 | 160 | 950 | 24 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2022 | | 110 | 88 | 710 | 16 | 2.1 [0.8] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2023 | | 76 | 64 | 560 | 21 | 2.1 [0.8] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2024 | | 64 | 54 | 580 | 6.7 | 1.2 [0.4] | 16/16 | 16/16 |

| HCB | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 1,000 | 1,200 | 1,600 | 560 | 0.18 [0.06] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 1,800 | 2,000 | 4,700 | 790 | 23 [7.5] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 980 | 1,300 | 2,200 | 410 | 14 [4.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 1,000 | 1,100 | 2,500 | 400 | 11 [3.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 970 | 1,100 | 2,100 | 490 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 960 | 1,100 | 2,000 | 420 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 880 | 1,100 | 2,500 | 240 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 850 | 910 | 1,500 | 400 | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 970 | --- | 1,900 | 500 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 460 | 460 | 4 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 840 | --- | 1,500 | 470 | 8.4 [2.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 3,900 | --- | 5,200 | 2,900 | 31 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 420 | --- | 5,600 | 32 | 10 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 760 | 760 | 20 [6.5] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 1,700 | --- | 5,300 | 550 | 8.1 [2.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 1,100 | --- | 4,900 | 230 | 3.9 [1.3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 2,800 | --- | 3,100 | 2,600 | 3.3 [1.1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 3,200 | 3,200 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 2,900 | 2,900 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 3,400 | --- | 4,200 | 2,800 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 2,000 | --- | 2,300 | 1,800 | 2.1 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2023 | 3,000 | --- | 4,200 | 2,100 | 2.1 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 3,600 | --- | 4,400 | 3,000 | 1.2 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.04 pg/m³, and the detection range was 67 ~ 120 pg/m³.

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobenzene in air during FY2002 ~ 2024

| HCB | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 99 | 93 | 3,000 | 57 | 0.9 [0.3] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 150 | 130 | 430 | 81 | 2.3 [0.78] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 94 | 90 | 320 | 64 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 130 | 130 | 430 | 47 | 1.1 [0.37] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 98 | 89 | 390 | 51 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 88 | 90 | 250 | 27 | 0.14 [0.034] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 77 | 68 | 180 | 44 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 83 | 89 | 210 | 23 | 0.21 [0.07] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 65 | 74 | 170 | 8.2 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 110 | 100 | 230 | 72 | 0.09 [0.03] | 24/24 | 24/24 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 77 | 72 | 120 | 55 | | 22/22 | 22/22 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 120 | 110 | 260 | 78 | 0.22 [0.08] | 22/22 | 22/22 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 87 | 83 | 160 | 58 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 110 | 110 | 210 | 78 | 0.6 [0.2] | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 87 | 87 | 150 | 59 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 120 | 120 | 160 | 73 | 1.8 [0.7] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 100 | 96 | 380 | 56 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 120 | 110 | 180 | 87 | 2.3 [0.75] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 96 | 96 | 160 | 75 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 120 | 110 | 150 | 84 | 4.3 [1.4] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 97 | 95 | 150 | 68 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 110 | 110 | 180 | 52 | 3.8 [1.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 97 | 97 | 180 | 73 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 150 | 160 | 240 | 84 | 1.4 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 120 | 130 | 170 | 74 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 130 | 130 | 220 | 79 | 0.8 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 130 | 120 | 550 | 73 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 100 | 100 | 140 | 72 | 0.4 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 96 | 99 | 130 | 67 | 0.14 [0.06] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 100 | 94 | 370 | 63 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 96 | 96 | 140 | 66 | 0.11 [0.04] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 100 | 99 | 140 | 71 | 0.09 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2023 | 94 | 93 | 140 | 70 | 0.4 [0.1] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |
| 2024 | 96 | 100 | 120 | 67 | 0.10 [0.04] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

[3] Aldrin (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Aldrin had been used as a soil insecticide until FY1971 when the application of the substance was substantially stopped. Its registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1975. It was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in October 1981. Also the substance is the initial POPs under the Stockholm Convention since 2004.

In previous monitoring series until FY2001, the substance was monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 1989, FY1991 and FY1993 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.”

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2002 ~ 2009, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2014, and in sediment in FY2018.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2019. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2018 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2018

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Aldrin in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2009

| Aldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 18 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 93/114 | 37/38 |
| | 2003 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 3.8 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 34/36 | 34/36 |
| | 2004 | tr(1.5) | tr(1.8) | 13 | nd | 2 [0.4] | 33/38 | 33/38 |
| | 2005 | tr(0.6) | tr(0.7) | 5.7 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 32/47 | 32/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | 4.4 | nd | 1.7 [0.6] | 18/48 | 18/48 |
| | 2007 | tr(0.6) | tr(0.6) | 9.5 | nd | 1.0 [0.3] | 34/48 | 34/48 |
| | 2008 | tr(0.8) | tr(0.7) | 21 | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 26/48 | 26/48 |
| 2009 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 22 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 32/49 | 32/49 | |

(Note) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Aldrin in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2018

| Aldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 14 | 12 | 570 | nd | 6 [2] | 149/189 | 56/63 |
| | 2003 | 19 | 18 | 1,000 | nd | 2 [0.6] | 178/186 | 60/62 |
| | 2004 | 10 | 10 | 390 | nd | 2 [0.6] | 170/189 | 62/63 |
| | 2005 | 8.4 | 7.1 | 500 | nd | 1.4 [0.5] | 173/189 | 62/63 |
| | 2006 | 10 | 9.3 | 330 | nd | 1.9 [0.6] | 184/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 7.5 | 6.7 | 330 | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 172/192 | 60/64 |
| | 2008 | 6 | 6 | 370 | nd | 3 [1] | 153/192 | 56/64 |
| | 2009 | 8.9 | 7.8 | 540 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 180/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2018 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 270 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 50/61 | 50/61 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 ~ 2017.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Aldrin in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Aldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | tr(1.6) | nd | 34 | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 12/38 | 4/8 |
| | 2003 | tr(1.7) | tr(0.85) | 51 | nd | 2.5 [0.84] | 15/30 | 3/6 |
| | 2004 | tr(2.5) | tr(1.6) | 46 | nd | 4.0 [1.3] | 16/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2005 | tr(1.8) | nd | 84 | nd | 3.5 [1.2] | 11/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2006 | tr(2) | nd | 19 | nd | 4 [2] | 11/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2007 | tr(2) | nd | 26 | nd | 5 [2] | 5/31 | 2/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(2) | nd | 20 | nd | 5 [2] | 5/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2009 | tr(1.6) | tr(0.8) | 89 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 16/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | nd | nd | tr(2.0) | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 1/70 | 1/14 |
| | 2003 | nd | nd | tr(1.9) | nd | 2.5 [0.84] | 16/70 | 7/14 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(2.4) | nd | 4.0 [1.3] | 5/70 | 2/14 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | 6.4 | nd | 3.5 [1.2] | 11/80 | 5/16 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 4 [2] | 2/80 | 2/16 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 5 [2] | 2/80 | 2/16 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 5 [2] | 1/85 | 1/17 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | 3.1 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 22/90 | 7/18 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 2.4 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 4/19 | 4/19 |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.5 [0.84] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 4.0 [1.3] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 3.5 [1.2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 4 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2014 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted during FY2010 ~ 2013.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Aldrin in air during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Aldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | tr(0.030) | nd | 3.2 | nd | 0.060 [0.020] | 41/102 | 19/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 1.5 | 1.9 | 28 | nd | 0.023 [0.0077] | 34/35 | 34/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.55 | 0.44 | 6.9 | 0.030 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | tr(0.12) | nd | 14 | nd | 0.15 [0.05] | 15/37 | 15/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | tr(0.08) | nd | 13 | nd | | 14/37 | 14/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 0.33 | 0.56 | 10 | nd | 0.08 [0.03] | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | tr(0.04) | nd | 1.8 | nd | | 9/37 | 9/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 0.30 | 0.35 | 8.5 | nd | 0.14 [0.05] | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | tr(0.05) | nd | 1.1 | nd | | 16/37 | 16/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.58 | 0.48 | 19 | nd | 0.05 [0.02] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.14 | 0.15 | 2.1 | nd | | 34/36 | 34/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.27 | 0.30 | 9.4 | tr(0.02) | 0.04 [0.02] | 25/25 | 25/25 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.09 | 0.08 | 1.3 | nd | | 22/25 | 22/25 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.07 | nd | 10 | nd | 0.04 [0.02] | 10/25 | 10/25 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(0.03) | nd | 1.8 | nd | | 8/24 | 8/24 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 17 | nd | 12 [4] | 6/34 | 6/34 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted during FY2010 ~ 2013.

[4] Dieldrin (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Dieldrin was used as a pesticide and its application culminated during the period of 1955 ~ 1964. The substance had been used as termiticides as a Soil-Residue-Prone Pesticide under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law in 1971, but its registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1975. It had been used for termite control and was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in October 1981. Also the substance is one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series until FY2001, the substance was monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 1996, FY1998, FY2000 and FY2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.” Under the framework of “the Surface Water/Sediment Monitoring,” the substance in surface water and sediment was monitored during the period of FY1986 ~ 1998 and FY1986 ~ 2001, respectively.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2002 ~ 2009 and FY2011, in surface water wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2014, and in sediment in FY2018.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2019. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2018 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2018

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dieldrin in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Dieldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 42 | 41 | 940 | 3.3 | 1.8 [0.6] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 57 | 57 | 510 | 9.7 | 0.7 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 55 | 51 | 430 | 9 | 2 [0.5] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 39 | 49 | 630 | 4.5 | 1.0 [0.34] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 36 | 32 | 800 | 6 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 38 | 36 | 750 | 3.1 | 2.1 [0.7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 36 | 37 | 450 | 3.6 | 1.5 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 36 | 32 | 650 | 2.7 | 0.6 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 33 | 38 | 300 | 2.1 | 1.6 [0.6] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| 2014 | 28 | 27 | 200 | 2.7 | 0.5 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dieldrin in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2018

| Dieldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 70 | 51 | 2,300 | 4 | 3 [1] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 66 | 56 | 9,100 | nd | 4 [2] | 184/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 65 | 62 | 3,700 | tr(1.9) | 3 [0.9] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 61 | 55 | 4,200 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 61 | 54 | 1,500 | tr(1.7) | 2.9 [1.0] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 49 | 40 | 2,700 | tr(1.2) | 2.7 [0.9] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 48 | 43 | 2,900 | tr(0.7) | 1.2 [0.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 51 | 47 | 3,000 | 1.1 | 0.8 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 47 | 44 | 2,200 | 2 | 5 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2018 | 33 | 33 | 860 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 60/61 | 60/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dieldrin in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Dieldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 440 | 390 | 190,000 | tr(7) | 12 [4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 440 | 160 | 78,000 | 46 | 4.8 [1.6] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 630 | 270 | 69,000 | 42 | 31 [10] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 500 | 140 | 39,000 | 34 | 9.4 [3.4] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 450 | 120 | 47,000 | 30 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 380 | 110 | 77,000 | 37 | 9 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 430 | 150 | 24,000 | 47 | 9 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 490 | 230 | 28,000 | 48 | 7 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2011 | 390 | 690 | 3,800 | 16 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| 2014 | 180 | 300 | 490 | 41 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 290 | 270 | 2,400 | 46 | 12 [4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 220 | 200 | 1,000 | 29 | 4.8 [1.6] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 250 | 230 | 2,800 | tr(23) | 31 [10] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 230 | 250 | 1,400 | 21 | 9.4 [3.4] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 230 | 220 | 1,400 | 19 | 7 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 250 | 210 | 1,900 | 23 | 9 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 240 | 240 | 1,300 | 15 | 9 [3] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 240 | 190 | 1,400 | 29 | 7 [2] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 270 | 340 | 1,100 | 17 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2014 | 270 | 310 | 1,000 | 27 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 1,700 | 820 | 12 [4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 1,300 | 1,400 | 2,200 | 790 | 4.8 [1.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 600 | 610 | 960 | 370 | 31 [10] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 830 | 740 | 1,800 | 500 | 9.4 [3.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 700 | 690 | 1,300 | 440 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 710 | 710 | 910 | 560 | 9 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 680 | 620 | 1,300 | 260 | 9 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 470 | 420 | 890 | 330 | 7 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 770 | 770 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2014 | 320 | --- | 530 | 190 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dieldrin in air during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Dieldrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 110 | 0.73 | 0.60 [0.20] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 19 | 22 | 260 | 2.1 | 2.1 [0.70] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 5.7 | 5.2 | 110 | tr(0.82) | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 17 | 22 | 280 | 1.1 | 0.33 [0.11] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 5.5 | 6.9 | 76 | 0.81 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 14 | 12 | 200 | 1.5 | 0.54 [0.24] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 3.9 | 3.6 | 50 | 0.88 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 15 | 14 | 290 | 1.5 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 4.5 | 4.2 | 250 | 0.7 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 19 | 22 | 310 | 1.3 | 0.18 [0.07] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 4.5 | 3.7 | 75 | 0.96 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 14 | 16 | 220 | 1.6 | 0.24 [0.09] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 4.9 | 3.8 | 72 | 0.68 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 13 | 13 | 150 | 0.91 | 0.06 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 4.5 | 4.0 | 80 | 0.52 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 12 | 15 | 230 | 0.80 | 0.42 [0.14] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 4.3 | 4.9 | 96 | 0.52 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2014 | 11 | 9.9 | 160 | 0.89 | 0.34 [0.11] | 36/36 | 36/36 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

[5] Endrin (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Endrin was used as an insecticide and a rodenticide, but its registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1975. It was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in October 1981. Also the substance is one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series until FY2001, the substance was monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the periods of FY1978 ~ 1989 and FY1991 ~ 1993 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring”.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2002 ~ 2009 and FY2011, in surface water wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2014, and in sediment in FY2018.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2019. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2018 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2018

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Endrin in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Endrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | tr(4.8) | tr(5.5) | 31 | nd | 6.0 [2.0] | 101/114 | 36/38 |
| | 2003 | 5.7 | 6.0 | 78 | 0.7 | 0.7 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 7 | 7 | 100 | tr(0.7) | 2 [0.5] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 120 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 45/47 | 45/47 |
| | 2006 | 3.1 | 3.5 | 26 | nd | 1.3 [0.4] | 44/48 | 44/48 |
| | 2007 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 25 | nd | 1.9 [0.6] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2008 | 3 | 4 | 20 | nd | 3 [1] | 45/48 | 45/48 |
| | 2009 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 67 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 39/49 | 39/49 |
| | 2011 | 3.8 | 4.6 | 71 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 47/49 | 47/49 |
| | 2014 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 25 | tr(0.4) | 0.5 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Endrin in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2018

| Endrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 10 | 10 | 19,000 | nd | 6 [2] | 141/189 | 54/63 |
| | 2003 | 12 | 11 | 29,000 | nd | 5 [2] | 150/186 | 53/62 |
| | 2004 | 15 | 13 | 6,900 | nd | 3 [0.9] | 182/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 12 | 11 | 19,000 | nd | 2.6 [0.9] | 170/189 | 61/63 |
| | 2006 | 12 | 10 | 61,000 | nd | 4 [1] | 178/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2007 | 11 | 9 | 61,000 | nd | 5 [2] | 151/192 | 55/64 |
| | 2008 | 11 | 11 | 38,000 | nd | 1.9 [0.7] | 168/192 | 61/64 |
| | 2009 | 9.6 | 8.4 | 11,000 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 168/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2011 | 8.8 | 14 | 1,100 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 59/64 | 59/64 |
| | 2018 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 7,500 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 48/61 | 48/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 ~ 2017.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Endrin in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Endrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 42 | 27 | 12,000 | nd | 18 [6] | 35/38 | 7/8 |
| | 2003 | 38 | 21 | 5,000 | 6.3 | 4.8 [1.6] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 65 | 25 | 4,600 | tr(5.7) | 12 [4.2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 39 | 19 | 2,100 | nd | 17 [5.5] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 40 | 15 | 3,100 | tr(5) | 11 [4] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 28 | 12 | 3,000 | tr(6) | 9 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 30 | 10 | 1,500 | tr(6) | 8 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 38 | 19 | 1,400 | tr(5) | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2011 | 33 | 62 | 110 | tr(3) | 4 [2] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| 2014 | 23 | 17 | 84 | 8 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 20 | 24 | 180 | nd | 18 [6] | 54/70 | 13/14 |
| | 2003 | 14 | 10 | 180 | nd | 4.8 [1.6] | 67/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 18 | 24 | 220 | nd | 12 [4.2] | 57/70 | 13/14 |
| | 2005 | 19 | tr(16) | 2,100 | nd | 17 [5.5] | 58/80 | 12/16 |
| | 2006 | 13 | tr(10) | 150 | nd | 11 [4] | 66/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 13 | 12 | 170 | nd | 9 [3] | 69/80 | 15/16 |
| | 2008 | 11 | 10 | 200 | nd | 8 [3] | 63/85 | 14/17 |
| | 2009 | 17 | 12 | 270 | nd | 7 [3] | 86/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 18 | 19 | 160 | nd | 4 [2] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| 2014 | 16 | 16 | 140 | nd | 3 [1] | 18/19 | 18/19 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 28 | 52 | 99 | nd | 18 [6] | 7/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 22 | 30 | 96 | 5.4 | 4.8 [1.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | tr(11) | 25 | 62 | nd | 12 [4.2] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | 18 | 28 | 64 | nd | 17 [5.5] | 7/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 16 | 23 | 57 | tr(4) | 11 [4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 17 | 28 | 55 | nd | 9 [3] | 9/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 10 | 26 | 83 | nd | 8 [3] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2009 | 11 | 17 | 43 | tr(3) | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | tr(3) | tr(3) | 4 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2014 | 4 | --- | 5 | 4 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Endrin in air during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Endrin | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 0.22 | 0.28 | 2.5 | nd | 0.090 [0.030] | 90/102 | 32/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 0.74 | 0.95 | 6.2 | 0.081 | 0.042 [0.014] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.23 | 0.20 | 2.1 | 0.042 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 0.64 | 0.68 | 6.5 | tr(0.054) | 0.14 [0.048] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 0.23 | 0.26 | 1.9 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | tr(0.4) | tr(0.3) | 2.9 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 27/37 | 27/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | nd | nd | 0.7 | nd | | 8/37 | 8/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 0.31 | 0.32 | 5.4 | nd | 0.30 [0.10] | 32/37 | 32/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | nd | nd | 5.0 | nd | | 7/37 | 7/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.69 | 0.73 | 6.3 | tr(0.06) | 0.09 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.16 | 0.13 | 1.5 | nd | | 33/36 | 33/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.53 | 0.68 | 4.6 | tr(0.06) | 0.10 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.18 | 0.18 | 1.8 | nd | | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.49 | 0.51 | 3.4 | nd | 0.09 [0.04] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.17 | 0.15 | 1.8 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 0.46 | 0.62 | 5.1 | nd | 0.09 [0.04] | 34/35 | 34/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.16 | 0.16 | 1.8 | nd | | 33/37 | 33/37 |
| | 2014 | 0.39 | 0.48 | 2.9 | nd | 0.20 [0.07] | 32/36 | 32/36 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010, FY2012 and FY2013.

[6] DDTs (references)

- History and state of monitoring

DDT, along with hexachlorocyclohexanes (HCHs) and drins, was used as insecticides in high volume. Its registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1971. *p,p'*-DDT was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in October 1981. Also the substances are one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

Among several DDT isomers with chlorine at various positions on the aromatic ring, not only *p,p'*-DDT and *o,p'*-DDT as active substances but also *p,p'*-DDE, *o,p'*-DDE, *p,p'*-DDD and *o,p'*-DDD as the environmentally degraded products of DDTs have been the target chemicals in monitoring series since FY1978.

In previous monitoring series, *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD had been monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.” Under the framework of “the Surface Water/Sediment Monitoring,” surface water and sediment had been the monitored media during the period of FY1986 ~ 1998 and FY1986 ~ 2001, respectively. Similarly, *o,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD had been monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 1996 and in FY1998, FY2000 and FY2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.”

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, *p,p'*-DDT *p,p'*-DDE *p,p'*-DDD *o,p'*-DDT *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2002 ~ 2010 FY2014 and FY2021, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2002 ~ 2010 FY2013 FY2018 and FY2021, and air in FY2002 ~ 2010 FY2013 FY2015 FY2018 and FY2021.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2022. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2021 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2021

○ *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 13 | 11 | 440 | 0.25 | 0.6 [0.2] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 14 | 12 | 740 | tr(2.8) | 3 [0.9] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 15 | 14 | 310 | nd | 6 [2] | 36/38 | 36/38 |
| | 2005 | 8 | 9 | 110 | 1 | 4 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 9.1 | 9.2 | 170 | tr(1.6) | 1.9 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 7.3 | 9.1 | 670 | nd | 1.7 [0.6] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2008 | 11 | 11 | 1,200 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2009 | 9.2 | 8.4 | 440 | 0.81 | 0.15 [0.06] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 8.5 | 7.6 | 7,500 | tr(1.0) | 2.4 [0.8] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 380 | nd | 0.4 [0.1] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| 2021 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 190 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 42/47 | 42/47 | |
| <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 25 | 26 | 760 | 1.3 | 0.6 [0.2] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 26 | 22 | 380 | 5 | 4 [2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 36 | 34 | 680 | tr(6) | 8 [3] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 26 | 24 | 410 | 4 | 6 [2] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 24 | 24 | 170 | tr(4) | 7 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 22 | 23 | 440 | tr(2) | 4 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 27 | 28 | 350 | 2.5 | 1.1 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 23 | 23 | 240 | 3.4 | 1.1 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 14 | 12 | 1,600 | 2.4 | 2.3 [0.8] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 16 | 17 | 610 | 1.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2021 | 9.2 | 8.0 | 170 | 0.9 | 0.3 [0.1] | 47/47 | 47/47 | |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 16 | 18 | 190 | 0.57 | 0.24 [0.08] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 19 | 18 | 410 | 4 | 2 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 19 | 18 | 740 | tr(2.4) | 3 [0.8] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 17 | 16 | 130 | tr(1.8) | 1.9 [0.64] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 16 | 17 | 99 | 2.0 | 1.6 [0.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 15 | 12 | 150 | tr(1.5) | 1.7 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 22 | 20 | 850 | 2.0 | 0.6 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 14 | 13 | 140 | 1.4 | 0.4 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 12 | 10 | 970 | 1.6 | 0.20 [0.08] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 9.0 | 8.7 | 87 | 1.0 | 1.0 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2021 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 87 | 0.9 | 0.8 [0.3] | 47/47 | 47/47 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2011 ~ 2013 and FY2015 ~ 2020.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|-----------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 380 | 240 | 97,000 | tr(5) | 6 [2] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 290 | 220 | 55,000 | 3 | 2 [0.4] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 460 | 230 | 98,000 | 7 | 2 [0.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 360 | 230 | 1,700,000 | 5.1 | 1.0 [0.34] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 310 | 240 | 130,000 | 4.5 | 1.4 [0.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 210 | 150 | 130,000 | 3 | 1.3 [0.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 270 | 180 | 1,400,000 | 4.8 | 1.2 [0.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 250 | 170 | 2,100,000 | 1.9 | 1.0 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 230 | 200 | 220,000 | 9.3 | 2.8 [0.9] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 140 | 140 | 12,000 | tr(0.2) | 0.4 [0.2] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| 2021 | 110 | 100 | 17,000 | 3.8 | 0.4 [0.2] | 60/60 | 60/60 | |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 780 | 630 | 23,000 | 8.4 | 2.7 [0.9] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 790 | 780 | 80,000 | 9.5 | 0.9 [0.3] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 720 | 700 | 39,000 | 8 | 3 [0.8] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 710 | 730 | 64,000 | 8.4 | 2.7 [0.94] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 710 | 820 | 49,000 | 5.8 | 1.0 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 670 | 900 | 61,000 | 3.2 | 1.1 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 920 | 940 | 96,000 | 9.0 | 1.7 [0.7] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 700 | 660 | 50,000 | 6.7 | 0.8 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 680 | 790 | 40,000 | 11 | 5 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 530 | 610 | 64,000 | 11 | 1.8 [0.6] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| 2021 | 350 | 360 | 25,000 | 8.7 | 0.7 [0.3] | 60/60 | 60/60 | |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 640 | 690 | 51,000 | tr(2.2) | 2.4 [0.8] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 670 | 580 | 32,000 | 3.7 | 0.9 [0.3] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 650 | 550 | 75,000 | 4 | 2 [0.7] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 600 | 570 | 210,000 | 5.2 | 1.7 [0.64] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 560 | 540 | 53,000 | 2.2 | 0.7 [0.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 520 | 550 | 80,000 | 3.5 | 1.0 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 740 | 660 | 300,000 | 2.8 | 1.0 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 540 | 560 | 300,000 | 3.9 | 0.4 [0.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 510 | 510 | 78,000 | 4.4 | 1.4 [0.5] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 330 | 410 | 21,000 | 4.9 | 4.2 [1.4] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| 2021 | 210 | 240 | 8,600 | 1.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 60/60 | 60/60 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2011 ~ 2013 and FY2015 ~ 2020.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 200 | 200 | 1,200 | 38 | 4.2 [1.4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 290 | 290 | 1,800 | 49 | 11 [3.5] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 360 | 340 | 2,600 | 48 | 3.2 [1.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 240 | 170 | 1,300 | 66 | 5.1 [1.7] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 250 | 220 | 1,100 | 56 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 240 | 150 | 1,200 | 49 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 160 | 100 | 1,400 | 12 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 240 | 170 | 9,600 | 46 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 180 | 280 | 470 | 43 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2013 | 190 | 210 | 890 | 46 | 3.3 [1.1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2018 | 70 | 39 | 280 | 32 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2021 | 70 | 29 | 420 | 28 | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 430 | 450 | 24,000 | 6.8 | 4.2 [1.4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 220 | 400 | 1,900 | tr(3.7) | 11 [3.5] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 410 | 330 | 53,000 | 5.5 | 3.2 [1.1] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 280 | 330 | 8,400 | tr(3.8) | 5.1 [1.7] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 300 | 340 | 3,000 | tr(5) | 6 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 260 | 320 | 1,800 | 9 | 5 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 280 | 310 | 2,900 | 7 | 5 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 250 | 300 | 2,000 | 4 | 3 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 240 | 280 | 2,100 | 7 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2013 | 280 | 250 | 3,300 | 5.2 | 3.3 [1.1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 150 | 150 | 4,800 | tr (2) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | 120 | 170 | 1,500 | nd | 6 [2] | 17/18 | 17/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 440 | 510 | 1,300 | 76 | 4.2 [1.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 610 | 620 | 1,400 | 180 | 11 [3.5] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 340 | 320 | 700 | 160 | 3.2 [1.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 430 | 550 | 900 | 180 | 5.1 [1.7] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 580 | 490 | 1,800 | 110 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 480 | 350 | 1,900 | 160 | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 160 | 170 | 270 | 56 | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 300 | 190 | 2,900 | 85 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 3 | --- | 15 | nd | 3 [1] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2013 | 14 | --- | 46 | 4.3 | 3.3 [1.1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 43 | --- | 63 | 29 | 3[1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2021 | 59 | --- | 120 | 29 | 6 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 1,000 | 1,700 | 6,000 | 140 | 2.4 [0.8] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 1,200 | 1,000 | 6,500 | 190 | 5.7 [1.9] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 1,300 | 1,400 | 8,400 | 220 | 8.2 [2.7] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 1,200 | 1,600 | 6,600 | 230 | 8.5 [2.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 1,000 | 1,200 | 6,000 | 160 | 1.9 [0.7] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 1,100 | 1,200 | 5,600 | 180 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 900 | 1,100 | 5,800 | 120 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 940 | 1,100 | 6,400 | 150 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 1,100 | 1,300 | 6,300 | 230 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2013 | 790 | 1,600 | 3,000 | 170 | 4.3 [1.4] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2018 | 420 | 230 | 2,200 | 150 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 240 | 160 | 960 | 88 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean * ¹ | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 2,900 | 2,200 | 98,000 | 510 | 2.4 [0.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 2,000 | 2,200 | 12,000 | 180 | 5.7 [1.9] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 3,000 | 2,100 | 52,000 | 390 | 8.2 [2.7] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 73,000 | 230 | 8.5 [2.8] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 2,200 | 2,600 | 28,000 | 280 | 1.9 [0.7] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 2,200 | 2,000 | 22,000 | 160 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 2,500 | 2,000 | 53,000 | 320 | 3 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 2,300 | 2,100 | 20,000 | 260 | 4 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 2,300 | 2,100 | 13,000 | 260 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2013 | 2,900 | 2,800 | 16,000 | 430 | 4.3 [1.4] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 1,900 | 1,700 | 16,000 | 290 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | 2,000 | 2,600 | 8,500 | 230 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 36,000 | 60,000 | 170,000 | 8,100 | 2.4 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 66,000 | 76,000 | 240,000 | 18,000 | 5.7 [1.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 34,000 | 65,000 | 200,000 | 6,800 | 8.2 [2.7] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 44,000 | 86,000 | 300,000 | 7,100 | 8.5 [2.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 38,000 | 57,000 | 160,000 | 5,900 | 1.9 [0.7] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 40,000 | 56,000 | 320,000 | 6,700 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 51,000 | 79,000 | 160,000 | 7,500 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 30,000 | 64,000 | 220,000 | 4,300 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 32,000 | --- | 160,000 | 6,300 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 170,000 | --- | 170,000 | 170,000 | 4.3 [1.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 80,000 | --- | 290,000 | 22,000 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2021 | 80,000 | --- | 100,000 | 64,000 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | 2002 | 340 | 710 | 3,200 | 11 | 5.4 [1.8] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 390 | 640 | 2,600 | tr(7.5) | 9.9 [3.3] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 440 | 240 | 8,900 | 7.8 | 2.2 [0.70] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 370 | 800 | 1,700 | 13 | 2.9 [0.97] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 300 | 480 | 1,400 | 7.3 | 2.4 [0.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 310 | 360 | 1,500 | 7 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 280 | 280 | 1,300 | 6 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 220 | 170 | 2,400 | 5.8 | 2.4 [0.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 180 | 330 | 960 | 11 | 1.3 [0.5] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2013 | 270 | 520 | 1,300 | 19 | 1.9 [0.7] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2018 | 110 | 93 | 830 | 17 | 1.4 [0.6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2021 | 69 | 75 | 840 | 5.2 | 2.2 [0.9] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 750 | 680 | 14,000 | 80 | 5.4 [1.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 510 | 520 | 3,700 | 43 | 9.9 [3.3] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 770 | 510 | 9,700 | 56 | 2.2 [0.70] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 510 | 650 | 6,700 | 29 | 2.9 [0.97] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 520 | 580 | 4,300 | 60 | 2.4 [0.9] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 470 | 490 | 4,100 | 36 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 460 | 440 | 4,100 | 33 | 3 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 440 | 460 | 2,500 | 57 | 2.4 [0.9] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 560 | 610 | 2,900 | 57 | 1.3 [0.5] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2013 | 500 | 500 | 4,700 | 68 | 1.9 [0.7] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 280 | 250 | 3,100 | 40 | 1.4 [0.6] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | 320 | 390 | 2,700 | 26 | 2.2 [0.9] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 580 | 740 | 3,900 | 140 | 5.4 [1.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 640 | 860 | 3,900 | 110 | 9.9 [3.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 330 | 520 | 1,400 | 52 | 2.2 [0.70] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 310 | 540 | 1,400 | 45 | 2.9 [0.97] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 410 | 740 | 1,800 | 55 | 2.4 [0.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 440 | 780 | 2,300 | 70 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 240 | 490 | 1,100 | 35 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 280 | 430 | 3,400 | 31 | 2.4 [0.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 440 | --- | 1,600 | 120 | 1.3 [0.5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 140 | --- | 270 | 70 | 1.9 [0.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 230 | --- | 260 | 210 | 1.4 [0.6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2021 | 130 | --- | 140 | 120 | 2.2 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2011, FY2012, FY2014 ~ 2017, FY2019 and FY2020.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD in air during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 22 | 0.25 | 0.24 [0.08] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 5.8 | 6.6 | 24 | 0.75 | 0.14 [0.046] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 1.7 | 1.6 | 11 | 0.31 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 4.7 | 5.1 | 37 | 0.41 | 0.22 [0.074] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 1.8 | 1.7 | 13 | 0.29 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 4.1 | 4.2 | 31 | 0.44 | 0.16 [0.054] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 1.1 | 0.99 | 4.8 | 0.25 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 4.2 | 3.8 | 51 | 0.35 | 0.17 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 1.4 | 1.2 | 7.3 | 0.29 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 4.9 | 5.2 | 30 | 0.6 | 0.07 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 1.2 | 1.2 | 8.8 | 0.23 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 3.6 | 3.0 | 27 | 0.76 | 0.07 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 1.2 | 1.0 | 15 | 0.22 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 3.6 | 3.6 | 28 | 0.44 | 0.07 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 1.1 | 1.0 | 8.0 | 0.20 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 3.5 | 3.1 | 56 | 0.28 | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 1.3 | 0.89 | 16 | 0.30 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 2.8 | 3.6 | 17 | 0.20 | 0.11 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.65 | 0.53 | 4.5 | 0.18 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 13 | 0.18 | 0.15 [0.05] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| 2018 | 1.6 | 2 | 14 | 0.15 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2021 | 0.80 | 0.67 | 6.3 | 0.16 | 0.15 [0.06] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 28 | 0.56 | 0.09 [0.03] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 7.2 | 7.0 | 51 | 1.2 | 0.40 [0.13] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 2.8 | 2.4 | 22 | 1.1 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 6.1 | 6.3 | 95 | 0.62 | 0.12 [0.039] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 2.9 | 2.6 | 43 | 0.85 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 5.0 | 5.7 | 42 | 1.2 | 0.14 [0.034] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 1.7 | 1.5 | 9.9 | 0.76 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 5.0 | 4.7 | 49 | 1.7 | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 1.9 | 1.7 | 9.5 | 0.52 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 6.4 | 6.1 | 120 | 0.54 | 0.04 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 2.1 | 1.9 | 39 | 0.73 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 4.8 | 4.4 | 96 | 0.98 | 0.04 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 2.2 | 2.0 | 22 | 0.89 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 4.9 | 4.8 | 130 | 0.87 | 0.08 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 2.1 | 1.9 | 100 | 0.60 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 4.9 | 4.1 | 200 | tr(0.41) | 0.62 [0.21] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 2.2 | 1.8 | 28 | tr(0.47) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 4.1 | 4.3 | 37 | 0.2 | 0.10 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 1.6 | 1.5 | 11 | 0.6 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 34 | 0.31 | 0.12 [0.04] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| 2018 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 49 | 0.31 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2021 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 21 | 0.43 | 0.13 [0.05] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

| <i>p,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 0.12 | 0.13 | 0.76 | nd | 0.018 [0.006] | 101/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 0.30 | 0.35 | 1.4 | 0.063 | 0.054 [0.018] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.13 | 0.14 | 0.52 | tr(0.037) | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 0.24 | 0.27 | 1.4 | tr(0.036) | 0.053 [0.018] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.91 | tr(0.025) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 0.24 | 0.26 | 1.3 | tr(0.07) | 0.16 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | tr(0.06) | tr(0.07) | 0.29 | nd | | 28/37 | 28/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 0.28 | 0.32 | 1.3 | nd | 0.13 [0.04] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.14 | tr(0.12) | 0.99 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.26 | 0.27 | 1.4 | 0.046 | 0.011 [0.004] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.093 | 0.087 | 0.5 | 0.026 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.17 | 0.17 | 1.1 | 0.037 | 0.025 [0.009] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.091 | 0.081 | 0.31 | 0.036 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.17 | 0.18 | 0.82 | 0.03 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.35 | tr(0.02) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.20 | 0.17 | 1.7 | 0.04 | 0.02 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.41 | 0.02 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 0.16 | 0.18 | 0.80 | 0.027 | 0.018 [0.007] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.056 | 0.054 | 0.14 | tr(0.015) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(0.31) | nd | 0.33 [0.11] | 17/35 | 17/35 |
| | 2018 | 0.13 | 0.16 | 0.72 | nd | 0.07 [0.03] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| 2021 | tr(0.05) | tr(0.05) | 0.18 | nd | 0.13 [0.05] | 18/35 | 18/35 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2011, FY2012, FY2014, FY2016, FY2017, FY2019 and FY2020.

○ *p,p'*-DDT, *p,p'*-DDE and *p,p'*-DDD

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of *o,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 5.4 | 4.6 | 77 | 0.19 | 1.2 [0.4] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 6 | 5 | 100 | tr(1.5) | 3 [0.7] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | tr(4.5) | 5 | 85 | nd | 5 [2] | 29/38 | 29/38 |
| | 2005 | 3 | 3 | 39 | nd | 3 [1] | 42/47 | 42/47 |
| | 2006 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 52 | 0.51 | 2.3 [0.8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | tr(2.1) | tr(2.2) | 86 | nd | 2.5 [0.8] | 38/48 | 38/48 |
| | 2008 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 230 | nd | 1.4 [0.5] | 44/48 | 44/48 |
| | 2009 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 100 | 0.43 | 0.16 [0.06] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 1.5 | tr(1.2) | 700 | nd | 1.5 [0.5] | 43/49 | 43/49 |
| | 2014 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 63 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 42/48 | 42/48 |
| | 2021 | tr(0.6) | tr(0.5) | 33 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 30/47 | 30/47 |
| <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 680 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 113/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 170 | tr(0.42) | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 3 | 2 | 170 | tr(0.6) | 2 [0.5] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 410 | 0.4 | 1.2 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | tr(1.6) | tr(1.4) | 210 | nd | 2.6 [0.9] | 28/48 | 28/48 |
| | 2007 | tr(1.5) | tr(1.1) | 210 | nd | 2.3 [0.8] | 29/48 | 29/48 |
| | 2008 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 260 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 39/48 | 39/48 |
| | 2009 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 140 | nd | 0.22 [0.09] | 47/49 | 47/49 |
| | 2010 | 0.97 | 0.65 | 180 | tr(0.13) | 0.24 [0.09] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 560 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 36/48 | 36/48 |
| | 2021 | tr(0.5) | tr(0.4) | 92 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 32/47 | 32/47 |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 5.6 | 6.0 | 110 | nd | 0.60 [0.20] | 113/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 7.1 | 5.0 | 160 | 1.1 | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 6 | 5 | 81 | tr(0.7) | 2 [0.5] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 51 | tr(0.5) | 1.2 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 39 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 40/48 | 40/48 |
| | 2007 | 4.6 | 3.9 | 41 | tr(0.3) | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 6.7 | 7.2 | 170 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2009 | 4.4 | 3.8 | 41 | 0.44 | 0.22 [0.09] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 170 | tr(0.5) | 0.6 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 38 | 0.33 | 0.20 [0.08] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2021 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 54 | tr(0.3) | 0.5 [0.2] | 47/47 | 47/47 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2011 ~ 2013 and FY2015 ~ 2020.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of *o,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 76 | 47 | 27,000 | nd | 6 [2] | 183/189 | 62/63 |
| | 2003 | 50 | 43 | 3,200 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 185/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 69 | 50 | 17,000 | tr(1.1) | 2 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 58 | 46 | 160,000 | 0.8 | 0.8 [0.3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 57 | 52 | 18,000 | tr(0.8) | 1.2 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 38 | 31 | 27,000 | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 186/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2008 | 51 | 40 | 140,000 | tr(0.7) | 1.5 [0.6] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 44 | 30 | 100,000 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 190/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 40 | 33 | 13,000 | 1.4 | 1.1 [0.4] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 26 | 24 | 2,400 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| 2021 | 19 | 20 | 3,200 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 58/60 | 58/60 | |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 54 | 37 | 16,000 | nd | 3 [1] | 188/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 48 | 39 | 24,000 | tr(0.5) | 0.6 [0.2] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 40 | 34 | 28,000 | nd | 3 [0.8] | 184/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 40 | 32 | 31,000 | nd | 2.6 [0.9] | 181/189 | 62/63 |
| | 2006 | 42 | 40 | 27,000 | tr(0.4) | 1.1 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 37 | 41 | 25,000 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 186/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2008 | 50 | 48 | 37,000 | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 186/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2009 | 37 | 31 | 33,000 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 37 | 32 | 25,000 | tr(0.7) | 1.2 [0.5] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 30 | 32 | 41,000 | tr(0.5) | 0.8 [0.3] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| 2021 | 19 | 14 | 16,000 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 59/60 | 59/60 | |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 160 | 150 | 14,000 | nd | 6 [2] | 184/189 | 62/63 |
| | 2003 | 160 | 130 | 8,800 | tr(1.0) | 2 [0.5] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 140 | 120 | 16,000 | tr(0.7) | 2 [0.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 130 | 110 | 32,000 | tr(0.8) | 1.0 [0.3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 120 | 110 | 13,000 | tr(0.3) | 0.5 [0.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 110 | 130 | 21,000 | tr(0.5) | 1.0 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 170 | 150 | 50,000 | 0.5 | 0.3 [0.1] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 120 | 120 | 24,000 | 0.5 | 0.5 [0.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 130 | 130 | 6,900 | tr(0.8) | 0.9 [0.4] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2014 | 74 | 85 | 3,200 | tr(0.7) | 1.2 [0.5] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| 2021 | 64 | 66 | 2,500 | 0.4 | 0.4 [0.2] | 60/60 | 60/60 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2011 ~ 2013 and FY2015 ~ 2020.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of *o,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 110 | 83 | 480 | 22 | 12 [4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 130 | 120 | 480 | 35 | 2.9 [0.97] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 160 | 140 | 910 | 20 | 1.8 [0.61] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 98 | 57 | 440 | 29 | 2.6 [0.86] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 92 | 79 | 380 | 24 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 79 | 52 | 350 | 20 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 58 | 37 | 330 | 5 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 74 | 48 | 2,500 | 17 | 2.2 [0.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 51 | 67 | 160 | 15 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2013 | 49 | 51 | 180 | 12 | 3 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2018 | 24 | 12 | 120 | 10 | 2.7 [0.9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2021 | 20 | 10 | 93 | 8 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 130 | 130 | 2,300 | tr(6) | 12 [4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 85 | 120 | 520 | 2.9 | 2.9 [0.97] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 160 | 140 | 1,800 | 3.7 | 1.8 [0.61] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 100 | 110 | 1,500 | 5.8 | 2.6 [0.86] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 100 | 110 | 700 | 6 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 69 | 90 | 430 | 3 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 72 | 92 | 720 | 3 | 3 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 61 | 73 | 470 | 2.4 | 2.2 [0.8] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 58 | 71 | 550 | 5 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2013 | 58 | 76 | 310 | 4 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 34 | 34 | 1,500 | tr(1.1) | 2.7 [0.9] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2021 | 24 | 32 | 70 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 12 | tr(10) | 58 | nd | 12 [4] | 8/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 24 | 16 | 66 | 8.3 | 2.9 [0.97] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 8.5 | 13 | 43 | tr(0.87) | 1.8 [0.61] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 11 | 14 | 24 | 3.4 | 2.6 [0.86] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 14 | 10 | 120 | 3 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 9 | 9 | 26 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 4 | 6 | 16 | nd | 3 [1] | 8/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 6.3 | 7.6 | 12 | tr(1.4) | 2.2 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2013 | nd | --- | tr(1) | nd | 3 [1] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2018 | tr(1.1) | --- | tr(2.5) | nd | 2.7 [0.9] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| 2021 | tr(2) | --- | 3 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 83 | 66 | 1,100 | 13 | 3.6 [1.2] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 85 | 100 | 460 | 17 | 3.6 [1.2] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 86 | 69 | 360 | 19 | 2.1 [0.69] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 70 | 89 | 470 | 12 | 3.4 [1.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 62 | 81 | 340 | 12 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 56 | 69 | 410 | 8.9 | 2.3 [0.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 49 | 52 | 390 | 8 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 46 | 58 | 310 | 8 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 46 | 58 | 160 | 7.8 | 1.5 [0.6] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2013 | 28 | 31 | 260 | 4 | 4 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2018 | 20 | 15 | 250 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2021 | 12 | 8 | 110 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|-----|-------|-------|-----------|-------|-----|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 91 | 50 | 13,000 | 3.6 | 3.6 [1.2] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 51 | 54 | 2,500 | nd | 3.6 [1.2] | 67/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 76 | 48 | 5,800 | tr(0.89) | 2.1 [0.69] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 54 | 45 | 12,000 | tr(1.4) | 3.4 [1.1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 56 | 43 | 4,800 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 45 | 29 | 4,400 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 79/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 50 | 37 | 13,000 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 46 | 33 | 4,300 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 47 | 37 | 2,800 | tr(1.2) | 1.5 [0.6] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 51 | 40 | 3,000 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2018 | 32 | 27 | 2,000 | nd | 3 [1] | 17/18 | 17/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2021 | 32 | 32 | 1,600 | nd | 3 [1] | 17/18 | 17/18 | | | | | | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 28 | 26 | 49 | 20 | 3.6 [1.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | tr(2.3) | tr(2.0) | 4.2 | nd | 3.6 [1.2] | 9/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | tr(1.0) | tr(1.1) | 3.7 | nd | 2.1 [0.69] | 5/10 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | tr(1.2) | tr(1.9) | tr(2.9) | nd | 3.4 [1.1] | 7/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | tr(1) | tr(2) | 3 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | tr(1.0) | tr(1.4) | 2.8 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 6/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | tr(1) | nd | 3 | nd | 3 [1] | 5/10 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | nd | tr(1) | tr(2) | nd | 3 [1] | 6/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | tr(1.1) | --- | 3.7 | nd | 1.5 [0.6] | 1/2 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | nd | --- | tr(1) | nd | 4 [1] | 1/2 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2018 | tr(1) | --- | tr(1) | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| 2021 | tr(1) | --- | tr(1) | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | | |
| <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 2002 | 120 | 190 | 2,900 | tr(9) | 12 [4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | | | | | | | 2003 | 200 | 220 | 1,900 | 6.5 | 6.0 [2.0] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2004 | 220 | 130 | 2,800 | 6.0 | 5.7 [1.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2005 | 170 | 280 | 1,800 | 10 | 3.3 [1.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2006 | 150 | 200 | 1,000 | 7 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2007 | 150 | 200 | 1,200 | 6 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2008 | 130 | 140 | 1,100 | 5 | 4 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2009 | 95 | 51 | 1,000 | 5 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2010 | 57 | 50 | 400 | 5.8 | 0.6 [0.2] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2013 | 100 | 74 | 1,800 | 7.8 | 1.8 [0.7] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | | | | | | | 2018 | 46 | 27 | 720 | 4.9 | 2.4 [0.9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2021 | 33 | 23 | 760 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 | | | | | | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 95 | 90 | 1,100 | nd | 12 [4] | 66/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 75 | 96 | 920 | nd | 6.0 [2.0] | 66/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 120 | 96 | 1,700 | nd | 5.7 [1.9] | 68/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 83 | 81 | 1,400 | nd | 3.3 [1.1] | 79/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 80 | 86 | 1,100 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 66 | 62 | 1,300 | nd | 3 [1] | 78/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 65 | 74 | 1,000 | nd | 4 [2] | 80/85 | 16/17 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 63 | 64 | 760 | nd | 3 [1] | 87/90 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 75 | 99 | 700 | 2.6 | 0.6 [0.2] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 70 | 85 | 940 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 18/19 | 18/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2018 | 40 | 39 | 1,100 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 17/18 | 17/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2021 | 39 | 58 | 380 | nd | 5 [2] | 17/18 | 17/18 | | | | | | |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 15 | 15 | 23 | tr(8) | 12 [4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 15 | 14 | 36 | tr(5.0) | 6.0 [2.0] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 6.1 | 5.7 | 25 | nd | 5.7 [1.9] | 9/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 7.3 | 7.5 | 9.7 | 4.7 | 3.3 [1.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 8 | 8 | 19 | 5 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 4 | tr(3) | 14 | tr(2) | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 6 | 5 | 13 | 3 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 6.3 | --- | 11 | 3.6 | 0.6 [0.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 5.4 | --- | 12 | 2.4 | 1.8 [0.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 6.1 | --- | 9.9 | 3.7 | 2.4 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2021 | 6 | --- | 8 | tr(4) | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2011, FY2012, FY2014 ~ 2017, FY2019 and 2020.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of *o,p'*-DDT, *o,p'*-DDE and *o,p'*-DDD in air during FY2002 ~ 2021

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDT | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 40 | 0.41 | 0.15 [0.05] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 6.9 | 7.7 | 38 | 0.61 | 0.12 [0.040] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 1.6 | 1.4 | 6.4 | 0.43 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 5.1 | 5.4 | 22 | 0.54 | 0.093 [0.031] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 1.5 | 1.4 | 9.4 | 0.35 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 3.0 | 3.1 | 14 | 0.67 | 0.10 [0.034] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 0.76 | 0.67 | 3.0 | 0.32 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 2.5 | 2.4 | 20 | 0.55 | 0.09 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.90 | 0.79 | 3.9 | 0.37 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 2.9 | 2.6 | 19 | 0.24 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.77 | 0.63 | 3.4 | 0.31 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 2.3 | 2.1 | 18 | 0.33 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.80 | 0.62 | 6.5 | 0.32 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 2.3 | 2.2 | 14 | 0.33 | 0.019 [0.008] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.80 | 0.71 | 3.7 | 0.20 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 2.2 | 1.9 | 26 | 0.19 | 0.14 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.81 | 0.69 | 5.5 | 0.22 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 1.7 | 1.7 | 12 | 0.15 | 0.054 [0.018] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.47 | 0.44 | 2.4 | 0.20 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 0.99 | 1.2 | 6.8 | 0.14 | 0.12 [0.04] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2018 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 6.3 | 0.08 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| 2021 | 0.50 | 0.47 | 3.0 | 0.11 | 0.08 [0.03] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

| <i>o,p'</i> -DDE | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 0.60 | 0.56 | 8.5 | 0.11 | 0.03 [0.01] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 1.4 | 1.5 | 7.5 | 0.17 | 0.020 [0.0068] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.50 | 0.47 | 1.7 | 0.18 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 1.1 | 1.2 | 8.9 | 0.14 | 0.037 [0.012] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 0.53 | 0.49 | 3.9 | 0.14 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 1.6 | 1.5 | 7.9 | 0.33 | 0.074 [0.024] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 0.62 | 0.59 | 2.0 | 0.24 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 1.1 | 1.1 | 7.4 | nd | 0.09 [0.03] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.65 | 0.56 | 2.6 | 0.19 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.66 | 0.67 | 7 | 0.096 | 0.017 [0.007] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.3 | 0.29 | 3.7 | 0.12 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.48 | 0.52 | 5.0 | 0.11 | 0.025 [0.009] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.30 | 0.24 | 1.1 | 0.15 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.51 | 0.46 | 6.7 | 0.098 | 0.016 [0.006] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.27 | 0.24 | 23 | 0.072 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.49 | 0.41 | 9.0 | 0.09 | 0.04 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.27 | 0.23 | 2.3 | 0.08 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 0.38 | 0.35 | 3.3 | 0.051 | 0.023 [0.009] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.21 | 0.19 | 0.65 | 0.097 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 0.25 | 0.24 | 1.1 | nd | 0.18 [0.06] | 34/35 | 34/35 |
| | 2018 | 0.24 | 0.26 | 1.2 | tr(0.04) | 0.05 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| 2021 | 0.17 | 0.16 | 0.55 | nd | 0.10 [0.04] | 34/35 | 34/35 | |
| <i>o,p'</i> -DDD | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 0.14 | 0.18 | 0.85 | nd | 0.021 [0.007] | 97/102 | 33/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 0.37 | 0.42 | 1.3 | 0.059 | 0.042 [0.014] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.15 | 0.14 | 0.42 | 0.062 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 0.31 | 0.33 | 2.6 | tr(0.052) | 0.14 [0.048] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 0.14 | tr(0.13) | 0.86 | nd | | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 0.22 | 0.19 | 0.90 | tr(0.07) | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | tr(0.07) | tr(0.07) | 0.21 | nd | | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 0.28 | 0.28 | 1.4 | tr(0.05) | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.79 | nd | | 34/37 | 34/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.28 | 0.29 | 1.9 | 0.05 | 0.05 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.095 | 0.09 | 0.33 | tr(0.03) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.19 | 0.16 | 1.6 | 0.05 | 0.04 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.26 | 0.04 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.20 | 0.19 | 0.90 | 0.04 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.28 | tr(0.02) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.21 | 0.19 | 1.8 | 0.04 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.48 | tr(0.02) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 0.17 | 0.18 | 1.2 | tr(0.03) | 0.05 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.17 | nd | | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2015 | tr(0.09) | tr(0.10) | 0.37 | nd | 0.20 [0.07] | 25/35 | 25/35 |
| | 2018 | 0.10 | 0.11 | 0.38 | nd | 0.07 [0.03] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| 2021 | tr(0.05) | tr(0.06) | 0.16 | nd | 0.10 [0.04] | 27/35 | 27/35 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2011, FY2012, FY2014, FY2016, FY2017, FY2019 and FY2020.

[7] Chlordanes (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Chlordane was used as insecticides on a range of agricultural crops, but the registration of Chlordanes under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1968. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in September 1986 because of its properties such as persistency, since it had been used as termiticides for wood products such as primary processed timber, plywood and house. Also, *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane are one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

Although manufactured Chlordanes have complicated compositions, Heptachlor, γ -Chlordane, Heptachlor epoxide, *cis*-Chlordane, *trans*-Chlordane, Oxychlordane (as a chlordane metabolite), *cis*-Nonachlor (not registered as an Agricultural Chemical) and *trans*-Nonachlor (not registered as an Agricultural Chemical) were the original target chemicals in monitoring series. Since FY1983, 5 of those 8 chemicals (*cis*-Chlordane, *trans*-Chlordane, Oxychlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor) have been the target chemicals owing to their high detection frequency in the FY1982 High-Precision Environmental Survey.

In previous monitoring series, Chlordanes had been monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 2001 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.” Under the framework of “the Surface Water/Sediment Monitoring”, *cis*-Chlordane, *trans*-Chlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor in surface water and sediment have been the monitored during the period of FY1986 ~ 1998 and FY1986 ~ 2001, respectively.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, *cis*-Chlordane *trans*-Chlordane Oxychlordane (as a Chlordane metabolite) *cis*-Nonachlor (not registered as an Agricultural Chemical) and *trans*-Nonachlor have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2002 ~ 2013 FY2017 and FY2020, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2002 ~ 2013 FY2016 and FY2020.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2021. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2020 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2020

○ *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane in surface water FY2002 ~ 2020

| <i>cis</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 42 | 32 | 880 | 2.5 | 0.9 [0.3] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 69 | 51 | 920 | 12 | 3 [0.9] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 92 | 87 | 1,900 | 10 | 6 [2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 53 | 54 | 510 | 6 | 4 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 31 | 26 | 440 | 5 | 5 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 23 | 22 | 680 | nd | 4 [2] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2008 | 29 | 29 | 480 | 2.9 | 1.6 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 29 | 26 | 710 | 4.4 | 1.1 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 19 | 14 | 170 | nd | 11 [4] | 47/49 | 47/49 |
| | 2011 | 20 | 16 | 500 | 3.8 | 1.4 [0.6] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 43 | 37 | 350 | 10 | 1.6 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 18 | 16 | 260 | 2.9 | 2.7 [0.9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 19 | 19 | 210 | 2 | 2 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2020 | 12 | 10 | 120 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 46/46 | 46/46 |

| <i>trans</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 33 | 24 | 780 | 3.1 | 1.5 [0.5] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 34 | 30 | 410 | 6 | 5 [2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 32 | 26 | 1,200 | 5 | 5 [2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 25 | 21 | 200 | 3 | 4 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 24 | 16 | 330 | tr(4) | 7 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 16 | 20 | 580 | nd | 2.4 [0.8] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2008 | 23 | 22 | 420 | 3 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 23 | 18 | 690 | 3.0 | 0.8 [0.3] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 15 | tr(11) | 310 | nd | 13 [4] | 44/49 | 44/49 |
| | 2011 | 16 | 13 | 470 | 3.2 | 1.0 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 41 | 33 | 300 | 12 | 2.5 [0.8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 15 | 13 | 200 | 3 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 15 | 15 | 150 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| 2020 | 11 | 8 | 98 | tr(3) | 4 [2] | 46/46 | 46/46 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2014 ~ 2016, FY2018 and Fy2019.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane in sediment FY2002 ~ 2020

| <i>cis</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 140 | 98 | 18,000 | 1.8 | 0.9 [0.3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 190 | 140 | 19,000 | tr(3.6) | 4 [2] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 160 | 97 | 36,000 | 4 | 4 [2] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 150 | 100 | 44,000 | 3.3 | 1.9 [0.64] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 100 | 70 | 13,000 | tr(0.9) | 2.4 [0.8] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 82 | 55 | 7,500 | nd | 5 [2] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 100 | 63 | 11,000 | tr(2.3) | 2.4 [0.9] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 84 | 61 | 8,600 | 2.0 | 0.7 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 82 | 62 | 7,200 | tr(4) | 6 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 70 | 58 | 4,500 | 1.7 | 1.1 [0.4] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 69 | 61 | 11,000 | tr(2.6) | 2.9 [1.0] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 65 | 55 | 5,400 | tr(1.9) | 2.0 [0.8] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2017 | 47 | 36 | 2,800 | nd | 4.8 [1.6] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| 2020 | 42 | 38 | 4,200 | tr(1.1) | 1.2 [0.5] | 58/58 | 58/58 | |

| <i>trans</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 150 | 110 | 16,000 | 2.1 | 1.8 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 130 | 100 | 13,000 | tr(2.4) | 4 [2] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 110 | 80 | 26,000 | 3 | 3 [0.9] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 110 | 81 | 32,000 | 3.4 | 2.3 [0.84] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 110 | 76 | 12,000 | 2.2 | 1.1 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 82 | 58 | 7,500 | nd | 2.2 [0.8] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 110 | 66 | 10,000 | 2.4 | 2.0 [0.8] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 91 | 68 | 8,300 | 2.1 | 1.7 [0.7] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 95 | 69 | 8,000 | tr(4) | 11 [4] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 73 | 64 | 4,300 | 3.2 | 1.3 [0.5] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 80 | 71 | 13,000 | tr(2.9) | 4.0 [1.3] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 74 | 65 | 5,600 | 2.5 | 1.8 [0.7] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2017 | 53 | 41 | 3,000 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| 2020 | 47 | 44 | 4,500 | 1.4 | 0.2 [0.1] | 58/58 | 58/58 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2014 ~ 2016, FY2018 and Fy2019.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) FY2002 ~ 2020

| <i>cis</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 730 | 1,200 | 26,000 | 24 | 2.4 [0.8] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 1,100 | 1,400 | 14,000 | 110 | 3.9 [1.3] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 1,300 | 1,600 | 14,000 | 91 | 18 [5.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 1,000 | 960 | 13,000 | 78 | 12 [3.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 970 | 1,100 | 18,000 | 67 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 870 | 590 | 19,000 | 59 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 750 | 560 | 11,000 | 85 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 1,200 | 1,100 | 16,000 | 83 | 4 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 1,600 | 2,300 | 15,000 | 67 | 4 [2] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 790 | 880 | 3,400 | 160 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 710 | 500 | 3,500 | 180 | 5 [2] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 410 | 410 | 2,000 | 75 | 13 [4] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2016 | 220 | 260 | 500 | 80 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2020 | 200 | 310 | 590 | 41 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 610 | 550 | 6,900 | 57 | 2.4 [0.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 510 | 400 | 4,400 | 43 | 3.9 [1.3] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 620 | 490 | 9,800 | 68 | 18 [5.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 520 | 600 | 8,000 | 42 | 12 [3.9] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 520 | 420 | 4,900 | 56 | 4 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 430 | 360 | 5,200 | 30 | 5 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 430 | 340 | 3,500 | 36 | 5 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 430 | 450 | 3,200 | 41 | 4 [2] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 450 | 630 | 3,400 | 51 | 4 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 580 | 660 | 3,800 | 79 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 580 | 550 | 3,100 | 98 | 5 [2] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2013 | 540 | 450 | 5,700 | 65 | 13 [4] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2016 | 340 | 440 | 2,200 | 67 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2020 | 290 | 310 | 2,200 | 39 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 67 | 180 | 450 | 10 | 2.4 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 47 | 120 | 370 | 6.8 | 3.9 [1.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 39 | 110 | 240 | tr(5.8) | 18 [5.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 53 | 120 | 340 | tr(5.8) | 12 [3.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 32 | 83 | 250 | 5 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 29 | 83 | 230 | tr(4) | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 24 | 87 | 280 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 21 | 48 | 130 | 4 | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 27 | --- | 180 | 4 | 4 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 6 | 6 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 23 | --- | 110 | 5 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 37 | --- | 140 | tr(10) | 13 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2016 | 38 | --- | 110 | 13 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2020 | --- | --- | 83 | 83 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| <i>trans</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 390 | 840 | 2,300 | 33 | 2.4 [0.8] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 550 | 840 | 2,800 | 69 | 7.2 [2.4] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 560 | 770 | 2,800 | 53 | 48 [16] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 470 | 660 | 2,400 | 40 | 10 [3.5] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 470 | 580 | 2,800 | 41 | 4 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 440 | 460 | 1,500 | 34 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 360 | 410 | 1,300 | 52 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 540 | 560 | 16,000 | 48 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 520 | 640 | 5,500 | 31 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 490 | 470 | 2,900 | 150 | 4 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 390 | 310 | 1,300 | 140 | 7 [2] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 280 | 230 | 1,700 | 58 | 16 [5.2] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2016 | 120 | 99 | 330 | 56 | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2020 | 100 | 97 | 430 | 25 | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |

| <i>trans</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 190 | 160 | 2,700 | 20 | 2.4 [0.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 160 | 120 | 1,800 | 9.6 | 7.2 [2.4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 200 | 130 | 5,200 | tr(17) | 48 [16] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 160 | 180 | 3,100 | tr(9.8) | 10 [3.5] | 76/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 150 | 120 | 2,000 | 14 | 4 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 130 | 100 | 2,100 | 8 | 6 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 120 | 71 | 1,300 | 14 | 7 [3] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 130 | 140 | 1,300 | 10 | 4 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 120 | 170 | 1,100 | 9 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 180 | 240 | 1,300 | 20 | 4 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 170 | 140 | 1,100 | 19 | 7 [2] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2013 | 160 | 170 | 2,700 | tr(14) | 16 [5.2] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2016 | 100 | 110 | 800 | 12 | 6 [2] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| 2020 | 90 | 110 | 780 | 11 | 6 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 14 | 14 | 26 | 8.9 | 2.4 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 11 | 12 | 27 | tr(5.9) | 7.2 [2.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(26) | nd | 48 [16] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | 11 | 12 | 30 | tr(4.5) | 10 [3.5] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 7 | 8 | 17 | tr(3) | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 7 | 8 | 19 | tr(3) | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | tr(5) | 9 | 27 | nd | 7 [3] | 7/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 6 | 7 | 13 | tr(3) | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 4 | --- | 10 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 5 | 5 | 4 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | tr(6) | --- | 10 | tr(4) | 7 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 26 | --- | 68 | tr(10) | 16 [5.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2016 | 18 | --- | 46 | 7 | 6 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2020 | --- | --- | 34 | 34 | 6 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted during FY2014, 2015 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of *cis*-Chlordane and *trans*-Chlordane in air FY2002 ~ 2020

| <i>cis</i> -Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 31 | 40 | 670 | 0.86 | 0.60 [0.20] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 110 | 120 | 1,600 | 6.4 | 0.51 [0.17] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 30 | 38 | 220 | 2.5 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 92 | 160 | 1,000 | 2.3 | 0.57 [0.19] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 29 | 49 | 290 | 1.2 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 92 | 120 | 1,000 | 3.4 | 0.16 [0.054] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 16 | 19 | 260 | 1.4 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 82 | 110 | 760 | 2.9 | 0.13 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 19 | 19 | 280 | 2.0 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 90 | 120 | 1,100 | 3.3 | 0.10 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 17 | 20 | 230 | 1.4 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 75 | 120 | 790 | 1.9 | 0.14 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 21 | 34 | 200 | 1.5 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 67 | 110 | 790 | 2.7 | 0.16 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 19 | 22 | 180 | 0.65 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 68 | 100 | 700 | 2.2 | 0.9 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 20 | 27 | 130 | tr(0.8) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 66 | 95 | 700 | 1.5 | 1.3 [0.42] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 20 | 31 | 240 | tr(0.88) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 61 | 98 | 650 | 2.9 | 1.5 [0.51] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 10 | 14 | 74 | nd | | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 58 | 97 | 580 | 1.5 | 0.7 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 11 | 15 | 86 | tr(0.5) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2016 | 53 | 86 | 810 | 0.9 | 0.9 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2020 | 32 | 37 | 200 | 1.5 | 0.09 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |

| <i>trans</i> - Chlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------|---------|----------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 36 | 48 | 820 | 0.62 | 0.60 [0.20] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 130 | 150 | 2,000 | 6.5 | 0.86 [0.29] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 37 | 44 | 290 | 2.5 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 110 | 190 | 1,300 | 2.2 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 35 | 60 | 360 | 1.5 | 0.69 [0.23] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 100 | 130 | 1,300 | 3.2 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 19 | 23 | 310 | 1.9 | 0.34 [0.14] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 96 | 140 | 1,200 | 3.4 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 22 | 21 | 350 | 2.0 | 0.17 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 100 | 140 | 1,300 | 3.8 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 20 | 24 | 300 | 1.5 | 0.12 [0.05] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 87 | 130 | 990 | 2.5 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 25 | 41 | 250 | 1.8 | 0.17 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 79 | 120 | 960 | 2.6 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 23 | 30 | 210 | 0.68 | 0.12 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 79 | 120 | 820 | 2.0 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 24 | 34 | 150 | tr(1.0) | 1.2 [0.4] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 76 | 110 | 810 | tr(1.4) | | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 24 | 37 | 290 | tr(0.70) | 1.6 [0.53] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 70 | 120 | 780 | 2.8 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 12 | 18 | 95 | nd | 2.1 [0.7] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 64 | 120 | 690 | 1.7 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 13 | 18 | 110 | tr(0.4) | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2016 | 61 | 95 | 1,100 | tr(0.7) | 1.0 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2020 | 35 | 42 | 230 | 1.5 | 0.16 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014, 2015 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

○ Oxychlorthane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Oxychlorthane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor in surface water FY2002 ~ 2020

| Oxychlorthane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 41 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 96/114 | 35/38 |
| | 2003 | 3 | 2 | 39 | tr(0.6) | 2 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 47 | tr(0.7) | 2 [0.5] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 19 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 46/47 | 46/47 |
| | 2006 | tr(2.5) | tr(2.4) | 18 | nd | 2.8 [0.9] | 43/48 | 43/48 |
| | 2007 | tr(2) | nd | 41 | nd | 6 [2] | 25/48 | 25/48 |
| | 2008 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 14 | nd | 1.9 [0.7] | 40/48 | 40/48 |
| | 2009 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 19 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 45/49 | 45/49 |
| | 2010 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 45 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 47/49 | 47/49 |
| | 2011 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 34 | nd | 1.3 [0.5] | 44/49 | 44/49 |
| | 2012 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 17 | nd | 0.9 [0.4] | 44/48 | 44/48 |
| | 2013 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 12 | nd | 0.9 [0.4] | 41/48 | 41/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 12 | nd | 4 [2] | 19/47 | 19/47 |
| 2020 | tr(1) | nd | 8 | nd | 3 [1] | 21/46 | 21/46 | |
| <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 7.9 | 6.7 | 250 | 0.23 | 1.8 [0.6] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 8.0 | 7.0 | 130 | 1.3 | 0.3 [0.1] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 7.5 | 6.3 | 340 | 0.8 | 0.6 [0.2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 43 | 0.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 6.6 | 5.6 | 83 | 1.0 | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 210 | nd | 2.4 [0.8] | 43/48 | 43/48 |
| | 2008 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 130 | 0.9 | 0.9 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 7.1 | 5.5 | 210 | 1.4 | 0.3 [0.1] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 5.4 | 3.9 | 40 | tr(0.9) | 1.3 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 130 | 0.8 | 0.6 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 58 | 1.1 | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 74 | tr(0.7) | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 36 | tr(0.6) | 1.5 [0.6] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| 2020 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 39 | tr(0.6) | 1.3 [0.5] | 46/46 | 46/46 | |
| <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 30 | 24 | 780 | 1.8 | 1.2 [0.4] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 26 | 20 | 450 | 4 | 2 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 25 | 19 | 1,100 | tr(3) | 4 [2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 20 | 17 | 150 | 2.6 | 2.5 [0.84] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 21 | 16 | 310 | 3.2 | 3.0 [1.0] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 17 | 17 | 540 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 18 | 17 | 340 | 1.9 | 1.6 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 20 | 17 | 530 | 2.7 | 1.0 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 12 | 11 | 93 | nd | 8 [3] | 45/49 | 45/49 |
| | 2011 | 15 | 12 | 480 | 2.6 | 1.3 [0.5] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 30 | 26 | 210 | 7.9 | 1.5 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 14 | 11 | 170 | 2.3 | 1.5 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 13 | 14 | 120 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| 2020 | 9 | 8 | 95 | nd | 5 [2] | 45/46 | 45/46 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014 ~ 2016, FY2018 and 2019.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Oxychlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor in sediment FY2002 ~ 2020

| Oxychlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 120 | nd | 1.5 [0.5] | 153/189 | 59/63 |
| | 2003 | 2 | 2 | 85 | nd | 1 [0.4] | 158/186 | 57/62 |
| | 2004 | tr(2.1) | tr(1.3) | 140 | nd | 3 [0.8] | 129/189 | 54/63 |
| | 2005 | 2.3 | tr(1.9) | 160 | nd | 2.0 [0.7] | 133/189 | 51/63 |
| | 2006 | tr(2.5) | tr(1.7) | 280 | nd | 2.9 [1.0] | 141/192 | 54/64 |
| | 2007 | tr(2.1) | tr(1.5) | 76 | nd | 2.5 [0.9] | 117/192 | 46/64 |
| | 2008 | tr(2) | tr(1) | 340 | nd | 3 [1] | 110/192 | 48/64 |
| | 2009 | 2 | tr(1) | 150 | nd | 2 [1] | 97/192 | 45/64 |
| | 2010 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 60 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 56/64 | 56/64 |
| | 2011 | tr(1.6) | tr(1.2) | 83 | nd | 2.2 [0.9] | 36/64 | 36/64 |
| | 2012 | tr(1.4) | tr(1.0) | 75 | nd | 1.7 [0.7] | 38/63 | 38/63 |
| | 2013 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 54 | nd | 1.3 [0.5] | 50/63 | 50/63 |
| | 2017 | tr(1) | tr(1) | 78 | nd | 3 [1] | 41/62 | 41/62 |
| 2020 | tr(1.1) | tr(1.0) | 39 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 34/58 | 34/58 | |
| <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 76 | 66 | 7,800 | nd | 2.1 [0.7] | 188/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 66 | 50 | 6,500 | nd | 3 [0.9] | 184/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 53 | 34 | 9,400 | tr(0.8) | 2 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 56 | 42 | 9,900 | tr(1.1) | 1.9 [0.64] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 58 | 48 | 5,800 | tr(0.6) | 1.2 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 48 | 35 | 4,200 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 57 | 42 | 5,100 | 1.1 | 0.6 [0.2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 53 | 38 | 4,700 | 1.4 | 1.0 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 53 | 45 | 3,600 | 2.3 | 0.9 [0.3] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 41 | 38 | 2,900 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 63/64 | 63/64 |
| | 2012 | 44 | 35 | 4,900 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 41 | 31 | 3,100 | tr(0.6) | 0.7 [0.3] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2017 | 31 | 25 | 1,500 | nd | 1.7 [0.7] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| 2020 | 31 | 24 | 2,100 | tr(0.7) | 0.8 [0.3] | 58/58 | 58/58 | |
| <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 130 | 83 | 13,000 | 3.1 | 1.5 [0.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 110 | 78 | 11,000 | 2 | 2 [0.6] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 94 | 63 | 23,000 | 3 | 2 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 99 | 72 | 24,000 | 2.4 | 1.5 [0.54] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 100 | 65 | 10,000 | 3.4 | 1.2 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 78 | 55 | 8,400 | tr(1.6) | 1.7 [0.6] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 91 | 53 | 8,400 | tr(1.6) | 2.2 [0.8] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 85 | 58 | 7,800 | 2.0 | 0.9 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 80 | 65 | 6,200 | tr(3) | 6 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 68 | 52 | 4,500 | 1.7 | 0.8 [0.3] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 69 | 62 | 10,000 | 2.5 | 2.4 [0.8] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 67 | 54 | 4,700 | 2.2 | 1.2 [0.4] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2017 | 47 | 39 | 2,600 | nd | 6 [2] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| 2020 | 48 | 40 | 3,800 | 1.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 58/58 | 58/58 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014 ~ 2016, FY2018 and 2019.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Oxychlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) FY2002 ~ 2020

| Oxychlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|-----|--------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 71 | 83 | 5,600 | nd | 3.6 [1.2] | 37/38 | 8/8 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 93 | 62 | 1,900 | 11 | 8.4 [2.8] | 30/30 | 6/6 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 110 | 100 | 1,700 | 14 | 9.2 [3.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 99 | 79 | 1,400 | 12 | 9.3 [3.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 91 | 90 | 2,400 | 7 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 70 | 43 | 2,200 | 8 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 64 | 55 | 1,100 | 7 | 7 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 100 | 89 | 820 | 10 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 240 | 390 | 3,300 | 11 | 8 [3] | 6/6 | 6/6 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | 68 | 100 | 260 | 8 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 66 | 80 | 450 | 12 | 3 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 42 | 44 | 210 | 8 | 3 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 27 | 40 | 43 | 11 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | 24 | 45 | 59 | 5 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | | | | | | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 170 | 140 | 3,900 | 16 | 3.6 [1.2] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 150 | 160 | 820 | 30 | 8.4 [2.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 160 | 140 | 1,500 | 25 | 9.2 [3.1] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 150 | 150 | 1,900 | 20 | 9.3 [3.1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 150 | 120 | 3,000 | 28 | 7 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 120 | 100 | 1,900 | 17 | 6 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 130 | 130 | 2,200 | 15 | 7 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 120 | 99 | 2,400 | 23 | 4 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 120 | 140 | 1,000 | 33 | 8 [3] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | 140 | 130 | 2,300 | 33 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 140 | 180 | 390 | 28 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 130 | 130 | 560 | 31 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 96 | 80 | 950 | 31 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | 75 | 60 | 2,100 | 24 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 640 | 630 | 890 | 470 | 3.6 [1.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 760 | 700 | 1,300 | 610 | 8.4 [2.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 460 | 450 | 730 | 320 | 9.2 [3.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 610 | 660 | 860 | 390 | 9.3 [3.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 510 | 560 | 720 | 270 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 440 | 400 | 740 | 290 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 560 | 530 | 960 | 290 | 7 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 300 | 290 | 540 | 190 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 400 | --- | 510 | 320 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 590 | 590 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 250 | --- | 360 | 170 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 2,500 | --- | 3,400 | 1,900 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 580 | --- | 1,400 | 240 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | --- | --- | 820 | 820 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | | | | | | | |
| <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 2002 | 170 | 300 | 870 | 8.6 | 1.2 [0.4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | | | | | | | 2003 | 290 | 260 | 1,800 | 48 | 4.8 [1.6] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2004 | 320 | 380 | 1,800 | 43 | 3.4 [1.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2005 | 270 | 220 | 1,300 | 27 | 4.5 [1.5] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2006 | 270 | 180 | 1,500 | 31 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2007 | 250 | 250 | 1,000 | 26 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2008 | 210 | 210 | 780 | 33 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2009 | 300 | 310 | 10,000 | 31 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2010 | 280 | 310 | 1,300 | 35 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2011 | 250 | 280 | 1,300 | 77 | 1.8 [0.7] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | | | | | | | 2012 | 200 | 190 | 670 | 52 | 2 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | | | | | | | 2013 | 150 | 140 | 900 | 38 | 2.2 [0.7] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | | | | | | | 2016 | 72 | 46 | 220 | 37 | 1.4 [0.6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | | | | | | | 2020 | 53 | 38 | 200 | 20 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |

| <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|-------|--------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 460 | 420 | 5,100 | 46 | 1.2 [0.4] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 360 | 360 | 2,600 | 19 | 4.8 [1.6] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 430 | 310 | 10,000 | 48 | 3.4 [1.1] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 380 | 360 | 6,200 | 27 | 4.5 [1.5] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 370 | 330 | 3,300 | 33 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 320 | 280 | 3,700 | 16 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 350 | 300 | 3,200 | 46 | 4 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 340 | 340 | 2,600 | 27 | 3 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 320 | 370 | 2,200 | 23 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | 440 | 450 | 2,900 | 45 | 1.8 [0.7] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 420 | 450 | 2,200 | 33 | 2 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 430 | 420 | 3,000 | 34 | 2.2 [0.7] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 300 | 170 | 1,900 | 53 | 1.4 [0.6] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | 230 | 250 | 1,600 | 26 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 200 | 240 | 450 | 68 | 1.2 [0.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 200 | 260 | 660 | 68 | 4.8 [1.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 140 | 150 | 240 | 73 | 3.4 [1.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 160 | 180 | 370 | 86 | 4.5 [1.5] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 120 | 130 | 270 | 60 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 130 | 140 | 300 | 42 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 140 | 150 | 410 | 37 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 81 | 85 | 160 | 44 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 100 | --- | 190 | 57 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 76 | 76 | 1.8 [0.7] | 1/1 | 1/1 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 75 | --- | 100 | 56 | 2 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 270 | --- | 970 | 74 | 2.2 [0.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 240 | --- | 770 | 74 | 1.4 [0.6] | 2/2 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | --- | --- | 480 | 480 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | | | | | | | |
| <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 2002 | 450 | 1,100 | 1,800 | 21 | 2.4 [0.8] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | | | | | | | 2003 | 800 | 700 | 3,800 | 140 | 3.6 [1.2] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2004 | 780 | 870 | 3,400 | 110 | 13 [4.2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2005 | 700 | 650 | 3,400 | 72 | 6.2 [2.1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2006 | 660 | 610 | 3,200 | 85 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2007 | 640 | 610 | 2,400 | 71 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2008 | 510 | 510 | 2,000 | 94 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2009 | 780 | 680 | 33,000 | 79 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | | | | | | | 2010 | 790 | 870 | 6,000 | 84 | 4 [2] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | | | | | | | 2011 | 640 | 680 | 3,000 | 200 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | | | | | | | 2012 | 530 | 400 | 1,800 | 190 | 4 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| 2013 | 380 | 370 | 2,000 | 98 | 10 [3.4] | 5/5 | 5/5 | | | | | | | |
| 2016 | 200 | 150 | 520 | 97 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | | | | | | | |
| 2020 | 140 | 130 | 480 | 47 | 4 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 | | | | | | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 1,000 | 900 | 8,300 | 98 | 2.4 [0.8] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2003 | 920 | 840 | 5,800 | 85 | 3.6 [1.2] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2004 | 1,100 | 760 | 21,000 | 140 | 13 [4.2] | 70/70 | 14/14 | | | | | | |
| | 2005 | 970 | 750 | 13,000 | 80 | 6.2 [2.1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2006 | 940 | 680 | 6,900 | 120 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2007 | 800 | 680 | 7,900 | 71 | 7 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 | | | | | | |
| | 2008 | 860 | 750 | 6,900 | 87 | 6 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 | | | | | | |
| | 2009 | 810 | 720 | 7,400 | 68 | 3 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2010 | 800 | 1,000 | 4,700 | 110 | 4 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2011 | 1,100 | 1,000 | 5,000 | 190 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | |
| | 2012 | 1,100 | 1,300 | 4,200 | 140 | 4 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2013 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 7,800 | 150 | 10 [3.4] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| | 2016 | 690 | 410 | 3,400 | 170 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 | | | | | | |
| 2020 | 530 | 510 | 5,700 | 95 | 4 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | | | | | | |

| <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 890 | 980 | 1,900 | 350 | 2.4 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 1,100 | 1,400 | 3,700 | 350 | 3.6 [1.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 690 | 780 | 1,200 | 390 | 13 [4.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 870 | 880 | 2,000 | 440 | 6.2 [2.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 650 | 620 | 1,500 | 310 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 590 | 680 | 1,400 | 200 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 740 | 850 | 2,600 | 180 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 400 | 430 | 730 | 220 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 510 | --- | 880 | 290 | 4 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 400 | 400 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 360 | --- | 480 | 270 | 4 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 55 | --- | 170 | 18 | 10 [3.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2016 | 60 | --- | 130 | 28 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 81 | 81 | 4 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted during FY2014, 2015 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

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Stocktaking of the detection of Oxychlordane, *cis*-Nonachlor and *trans*-Nonachlor in air FY2002 ~ 2020

| Oxychlordane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 0.96 | 0.98 | 8.3 | nd | 0.024 [0.008] | 101/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 2.5 | 2.7 | 12 | 0.41 | 0.045 [0.015] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.87 | 0.88 | 3.2 | 0.41 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 1.9 | 2.0 | 7.8 | 0.41 | 0.13 [0.042] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 0.80 | 0.76 | 3.9 | 0.27 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 1.9 | 2.0 | 8.8 | 0.65 | 0.16 [0.054] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 0.55 | 0.50 | 2.2 | 0.27 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 1.8 | 1.9 | 5.7 | 0.47 | 0.23 [0.08] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.54 | 0.56 | 5.1 | tr(0.13) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 1.9 | 1.8 | 8.6 | 0.56 | 0.05 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.61 | 0.63 | 2.4 | 0.26 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 1.7 | 1.7 | 7.1 | 0.50 | 0.04 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.61 | 0.63 | 1.8 | 0.27 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 1.7 | 1.8 | 6.5 | 0.38 | 0.04 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.65 | 0.61 | 2.7 | 0.24 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 1.5 | 1.5 | 6.2 | 0.44 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.56 | 0.55 | 2.3 | 0.26 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 1.5 | 1.5 | 5.2 | 0.28 | 0.07 [0.03] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.61 | 0.57 | 2.6 | 0.21 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 1.4 | 1.6 | 6.7 | 0.34 | 0.08 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.41 | 0.38 | 1.0 | 0.22 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 1.4 | 1.5 | 4.7 | 0.36 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.43 | 0.41 | 1.0 | 0.20 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2016 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 8.9 | 0.19 | 0.16 [0.06] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| 2020 | 0.79 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 0.15 | 0.10 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |

| <i>cis</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|----------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 3.1 | 4.0 | 62 | 0.071 | 0.030 [0.010] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 12 | 15 | 220 | 0.81 | 0.026 [0.0088] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 2.7 | 3.5 | 23 | 0.18 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 10 | 15 | 130 | 0.36 | 0.072 [0.024] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 2.7 | 4.4 | 28 | 0.087 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 10 | 14 | 160 | 0.30 | 0.08 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 1.6 | 1.6 | 34 | 0.08 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 11 | 12 | 170 | 0.28 | 0.15 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 2.4 | 2.0 | 41 | tr(0.14) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 10 | 14 | 150 | 0.31 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 1.6 | 1.7 | 22 | 0.09 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 7.9 | 12 | 87 | 0.18 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 2.0 | 2.7 | 19 | 0.16 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 7.5 | 10 | 110 | 0.33 | 0.04 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 1.9 | 2.1 | 18 | 0.07 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 7.5 | 10 | 68 | 0.23 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 1.8 | 2.1 | 13 | tr(0.06) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 7.4 | 8.8 | 89 | 0.24 | 0.15 [0.051] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 1.9 | 2.9 | 28 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 6.9 | 11 | 89 | 0.29 | 0.12 [0.05] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2012 Cold season | 0.98 | 1.1 | 10 | tr(0.05) | 36/36 | | 36/36 | |
| 2013 Warm season | 6.4 | 10 | 72 | 0.15 | 0.07 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2013 Cold season | 1.0 | 1.4 | 12 | tr(0.06) | | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2016 | 6.1 | 9.9 | 120 | tr(0.13) | 0.14 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2020 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 24 | 0.13 | 0.09 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| <i>trans</i> -Nonachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 24 | 30 | 550 | 0.64 | 0.30 [0.10] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 87 | 100 | 1,200 | 5.1 | 0.35 [0.12] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 24 | 28 | 180 | 2.1 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 72 | 120 | 870 | 1.9 | 0.48 [0.16] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 23 | 39 | 240 | 0.95 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 75 | 95 | 870 | 3.1 | 0.13 [0.044] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 13 | 16 | 210 | 1.2 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 68 | 91 | 800 | 3.0 | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 16 | 15 | 240 | 1.4 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 72 | 96 | 940 | 2.5 | 0.09 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 13 | 15 | 190 | 1.1 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 59 | 91 | 650 | 1.5 | 0.09 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 17 | 25 | 170 | 1.3 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 54 | 81 | 630 | 2.2 | 0.07 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 16 | 19 | 140 | 0.75 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 52 | 78 | 520 | 1.7 | 0.8 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 15 | 17 | 89 | tr(0.7) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 53 | 72 | 550 | 1.2 | 1.1 [0.35] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 16 | 24 | 210 | tr(0.70) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 49 | 79 | 510 | 2.5 | 1.2 [0.41] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2012 Cold season | 8.1 | 10 | 61 | tr(0.50) | 36/36 | | 36/36 | |
| 2013 Warm season | 46 | 78 | 470 | 1.2 | 0.5 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2013 Cold season | 8.5 | 12 | 75 | 0.5 | | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2016 | 42 | 69 | 650 | 0.8 | 0.7 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2020 | 23 | 26 | 140 | 1.0 | 0.10 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014, FY2015 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

[8] Heptachlors (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Heptachlor and its metabolite, Heptachlor epoxide, used to kill soil insects and termites, heptachlor has also been used more widely to kill cotton insects, grasshoppers, other crop pests, and malaria-carrying mosquitoes. The substances were not registered under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law in FY1975. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in September 1986, since it includes the technical chlordane used as a termiticide. Also Heptachlors are one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series before FY2001, Heptachlor and Heptachlor epoxide were measured in FY1982 (in surface water, sediment and fish) and in FY1986 (in air) under the framework of “the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals.”

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, Heptachlor in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air had been monitored since FY2002, and *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide had also been monitored since FY2003, every year through FY2011. After FY2012, the substances have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2014 FY2017 and FY2020, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2012 FY2013 FY2015 FY2016 and FY2020.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2021. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2020 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2020

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Heptachlor, *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2020

| Heptachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | tr(1.2) | tr(1.0) | 25 | nd | 1.5 [0.5] | 97/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | tr(1.8) | tr(1.6) | 7 | tr(1.0) | 2 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | 29 | nd | 5 [2] | 9/38 | 9/38 |
| | 2005 | nd | tr(1) | 54 | nd | 3 [1] | 25/47 | 25/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | 6 | nd | 5 [2] | 5/48 | 5/48 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | 5.2 | nd | 2.4 [0.8] | 12/48 | 12/48 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | 4.6 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 19/48 | 19/48 |
| | 2009 | tr(0.5) | nd | 17 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 20/49 | 20/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 43 | nd | 2.2 [0.7] | 4/49 | 4/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 22 | nd | 1.3 [0.5] | 6/49 | 6/49 |
| | 2014 | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 1.5 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 28/48 | 28/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 6 | nd | 3 [1] | 2/47 | 2/47 |
| 2020 | nd | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 3 [1] | 5/46 | 5/46 |
| <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | 9.8 | 11 | 170 | 1.2 | 0.7 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 10 | 10 | 77 | 2 | 2 [0.4] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 7.1 | 6.6 | 59 | 1.0 | 0.7 [0.2] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 7.6 | 6.6 | 47 | 1.1 | 2.0 [0.7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 6.1 | 5.8 | 120 | tr(0.9) | 1.3 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 37 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2009 | 5.5 | 4.2 | 72 | 0.8 | 0.5 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 5.9 | 3.9 | 710 | 0.7 | 0.4 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 160 | 0.7 | 0.7 [0.3] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2014 | 4.9 | 3.4 | 56 | 0.7 | 0.5 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 4.7 | 3.5 | 83 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 46/47 | 46/47 |
| | 2020 | 4.0 | 3.4 | 36 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 44/46 | 44/46 |

| <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | nd | nd | 2 | nd | 2 [0.4] | 4/36 | 4/36 | |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 0/38 | 0/38 | |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.7 [0.2] | 0/47 | 0/47 | |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 0/48 | 0/48 | |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | tr(0.9) | nd | 2.0 [0.7] | 2/48 | 2/48 | |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.9 [0.7] | 0/48 | 0/48 | |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 0/49 | 0/49 | |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | 8.0 | nd | 1.3 [0.5] | 2/49 | 2/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | 2.8 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 3/49 | 3/49 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| 2020 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.9 [0.7] | 0/46 | 0/46 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2012, 2013, FY2015, FY2016, FY2018 and FY2019.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Heptachlor, *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2020

| Heptachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 4.1 | 3.2 | 120 | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 167/189 | 60/63 |
| | 2003 | tr(2.7) | tr(2.2) | 160 | nd | 3 [1.0] | 138/186 | 53/62 |
| | 2004 | tr(2.8) | tr(2.3) | 170 | nd | 3 [0.9] | 134/189 | 53/63 |
| | 2005 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 200 | nd | 2.5 [0.8] | 120/189 | 48/63 |
| | 2006 | 5.2 | 3.9 | 230 | nd | 1.9 [0.6] | 190/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | tr(1.8) | tr(1.5) | 110 | nd | 3.0 [0.7] | 143/192 | 57/64 |
| | 2008 | tr(1) | nd | 85 | nd | 4 [1] | 59/192 | 27/64 |
| | 2009 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 65 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 144/192 | 59/64 |
| | 2010 | 1.2 | tr(0.8) | 35 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 51/64 | 51/64 |
| | 2011 | tr(1.3) | tr(1.2) | 48 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 40/64 | 40/64 |
| | 2014 | tr(1.0) | tr(0.9) | 49 | nd | 1.5 [0.5] | 38/63 | 38/63 |
| | 2017 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 40 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 53/62 | 53/62 |
| | 2020 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 52 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 43/58 | 43/58 |

| <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | 4 | 3 | 160 | nd | 3 [1] | 153/186 | 55/62 |
| | 2004 | tr(5) | tr(3) | 230 | nd | 6 [2] | 136/189 | 52/63 |
| | 2005 | tr(4) | tr(3) | 140 | nd | 7 [2] | 119/189 | 49/63 |
| | 2006 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 210 | nd | 3.0 [1.0] | 157/192 | 58/64 |
| | 2007 | 3 | tr(2) | 270 | nd | 3 [1] | 141/192 | 53/64 |
| | 2008 | 3 | 2 | 180 | nd | 2 [1] | 130/192 | 51/64 |
| | 2009 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 290 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 176/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2010 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 300 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2011 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 160 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 63/64 | 63/64 |
| | 2014 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 310 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 59/63 | 59/63 |
| | 2017 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 150 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 51/62 | 51/62 |
| | 2020 | tr(1.5) | tr(1.2) | 110 | nd | 1.7 [0.7] | 40/58 | 40/58 |

| <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/186 | 0/62 | |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(2.5) | nd | 4 [2] | 1/189 | 1/63 | |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5 [2] | 0/189 | 0/63 | |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | 19 | nd | 7 [2] | 2/192 | 2/64 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | 31 | nd | 10 [4] | 2/192 | 2/64 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.7 [0.7] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | 4 | nd | 3 [1] | 1/64 | 1/64 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | 2.4 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 2/64 | 2/64 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | 3.6 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 1/63 | 1/63 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 0/62 | 0/62 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | nd | 1.4 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 1/58 | 1/58 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2012, 2013, FY2015, FY2016, FY2018 and FY2019.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Heptachlor, *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2020

| Heptachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | tr(3.5) | 4.6 | 15 | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 28/38 | 6/8 |
| | 2003 | tr(2.8) | tr(2.4) | 14 | nd | 6.6 [2.2] | 16/30 | 4/6 |
| | 2004 | tr(3.4) | 5.2 | 16 | nd | 4.1 [1.4] | 23/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2005 | tr(2.9) | tr(2.9) | 24 | nd | 6.1 [2.0] | 18/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2006 | tr(4) | tr(4) | 20 | nd | 6 [2] | 23/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2007 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 12 | nd | 6 [2] | 20/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(2) | nd | 9 | nd | 6 [2] | 13/31 | 5/7 |
| | 2009 | tr(4) | nd | 120 | nd | 5 [2] | 14/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2010 | 3 | tr(2) | 78 | nd | 3 [1] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | 4 | 4 | 51 | nd | 3 [1] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 13 | nd | 4 [1] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2013 | 3 | tr(2) | 19 | nd | 3 [1] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(1.7) | nd | 3.0 [1.0] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2016 | nd | nd | tr(1.4) | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 1/3 | 1/3 | |
| 2020 | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 3 [1] | 1/3 | 1/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 4.2 | 4.8 | 20 | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 57/70 | 12/14 |
| | 2003 | nd | nd | 11 | nd | 6.6 [2.2] | 29/70 | 8/14 |
| | 2004 | tr(2.3) | tr(2.1) | 460 | nd | 4.1 [1.4] | 50/70 | 11/14 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | 7.6 | nd | 6.1 [2.0] | 32/80 | 8/16 |
| | 2006 | tr(2) | nd | 8 | nd | 6 [2] | 36/80 | 8/16 |
| | 2007 | tr(2) | nd | 7 | nd | 6 [2] | 28/80 | 6/16 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | 9 | nd | 6 [2] | 25/85 | 7/17 |
| | 2009 | tr(2) | nd | 8 | nd | 5 [2] | 30/90 | 11/18 |
| | 2010 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 5 | nd | 3 [1] | 12/18 | 12/18 |
| | 2011 | tr(1) | tr(1) | 7 | nd | 3 [1] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2012 | nd | tr(1) | 5 | nd | 4 [1] | 10/19 | 10/19 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | 12 | nd | 3 [1] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 9.2 | nd | 3.0 [1.0] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| 2016 | nd | nd | 5.5 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 8/19 | 8/19 | |
| 2020 | nd | nd | 6 | nd | 3 [1] | 6/18 | 6/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | tr(1.7) | tr(2.8) | 5.2 | nd | 4.2 [1.4] | 7/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 6.6 [2.2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(1.5) | nd | 4.1 [1.4] | 1/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 6.1 [2.0] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 6 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 6 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 6 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5 [2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | tr(1) | nd | 3 [1] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 4 [1] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2013 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 3.0 [1.0] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| 2016 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 0/2 | 0/2 | |
| 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/1 | 0/1 | |
| <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | 2003 | 44 | 29 | 880 | 9.7 | 6.9 [2.3] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 64 | 34 | 840 | tr(9.8) | 9.9 [3.3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 49 | 20 | 590 | 7.4 | 3.5 [1.2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 56 | 23 | 1,100 | 8 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 37 | 20 | 1,100 | 8 | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 37 | 19 | 510 | 8 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 59 | 33 | 380 | 10 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 170 | 260 | 1,800 | 9.0 | 2.4 [0.9] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 55 | 110 | 320 | 3.9 | 2.0 [0.8] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 48 | 120 | 180 | 6.2 | 1.5 [0.6] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 28 | 29 | 110 | 4.4 | 2.1 [0.8] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2015 | 21 | 14 | 91 | 7.2 | 2.1 [0.8] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 23 | 18 | 75 | 9.4 | 1.9 [0.7] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2020 | 28 | 48 | 96 | 5 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |

| <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 43 | 43 | 320 | 7.0 | 6.9 [2.3] | 70/70 | 14/14 | |
| | 2004 | 51 | 49 | 620 | tr(3.3) | 9.9 [3.3] | 70/70 | 14/14 | |
| | 2005 | 41 | 45 | 390 | 4.9 | 3.5 [1.2] | 80/80 | 16/16 | |
| | 2006 | 42 | 48 | 270 | 4 | 4 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | |
| | 2007 | 43 | 49 | 390 | 4 | 4 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 | |
| | 2008 | 39 | 46 | 350 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 | |
| | 2009 | 41 | 50 | 310 | 4 | 3 [1] | 90/90 | 18/18 | |
| | 2010 | 39 | 49 | 230 | 5.0 | 2.4 [0.9] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| | 2011 | 50 | 62 | 540 | 3.2 | 2.0 [0.8] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| | 2012 | 41 | 62 | 120 | 6.9 | 1.5 [0.6] | 19/19 | 19/19 | |
| | 2013 | 42 | 46 | 190 | 7.3 | 2.1 [0.8] | 19/19 | 19/19 | |
| | 2015 | 33 | 43 | 190 | 3.2 | 2.1 [0.8] | 19/19 | 19/19 | |
| | 2016 | 29 | 28 | 130 | 3.6 | 1.9 [0.7] | 19/19 | 19/19 | |
| 2020 | 24 | 32 | 320 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 | | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 540 | 510 | 770 | 370 | 6.9 [2.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2004 | 270 | 270 | 350 | 190 | 9.9 [3.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2005 | 370 | 340 | 690 | 250 | 3.5 [1.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2006 | 330 | 310 | 650 | 240 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2007 | 280 | 270 | 350 | 250 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2008 | 370 | 370 | 560 | 180 | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2009 | 220 | 210 | 390 | 160 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 | |
| | 2010 | 290 | --- | 360 | 240 | 2.4 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 410 | 410 | 2.0 [0.8] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| | 2012 | 160 | --- | 170 | 150 | 1.5 [0.6] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| | 2013 | 300 | --- | 560 | 160 | 2.1 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 20 | 20 | 2.1 [0.8] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| | 2016 | 91 | --- | 270 | 31 | 1.9 [0.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| 2020 | --- | --- | 270 | 270 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | | |
| <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | 48 | nd | 13 [4.4] | 5/30 | 1/6 |
| | | 2004 | nd | nd | 55 | nd | 12 [4.0] | 9/31 | 2/7 |
| | | 2005 | nd | nd | 37 | nd | 23 [7.5] | 5/31 | 1/7 |
| | | 2006 | nd | nd | 45 | nd | 13 [5] | 5/31 | 1/7 |
| | | 2007 | nd | nd | 61 | nd | 13 [5] | 5/31 | 1/7 |
| | | 2008 | nd | nd | 33 | nd | 10 [4] | 5/31 | 1/7 |
| | | 2009 | tr(3) | nd | 24 | nd | 8 [3] | 13/31 | 3/7 |
| | | 2010 | 3 | tr(2) | 24 | nd | 3 [1] | 3/6 | 3/6 |
| | | 2011 | nd | nd | tr(6) | nd | 7 [3] | 1/4 | 1/4 |
| | | 2012 | nd | nd | tr(4) | nd | 8 [3] | 1/5 | 1/5 |
| | | 2013 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/5 | 0/5 |
| | | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | | 2016 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [4] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| | Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [4.4] | 0/70 | 0/14 |
| | | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 12 [4.0] | 2/70 | 2/14 |
| | | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 23 [7.5] | 0/80 | 0/16 |
| | | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [5] | 0/80 | 0/16 |
| | | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [5] | 0/80 | 0/16 |
| 2008 | | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/85 | 0/17 | |
| 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/90 | 0/18 | | |
| 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/18 | 0/18 | | |
| 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/18 | 0/18 | | |
| 2012 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/19 | 0/19 | | |
| 2013 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/19 | 0/19 | | |
| 2015 | nd | nd | 10 | nd | 7 [3] | 5/19 | 5/19 | | |
| 2016 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/19 | 0/19 | | |
| 2020 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [4] | 0/18 | 0/18 | | |

| <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [4.4] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 12 [4.0] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 23 [7.5] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [5] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 13 [5] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2013 | nd | --- | tr(5) | nd | 7 [3] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2016 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 9 [4] | 0/1 | 0/1 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Heptachlor, *cis*-Heptachlor epoxide and *trans*-Heptachlor epoxide in air during FY2002 ~ 2020

| Heptachlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2002 | 11 | 14 | 220 | 0.20 | 0.12 [0.04] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2003 Warm season | 27 | 41 | 240 | 1.1 | 0.25 [0.085] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 10 | 16 | 65 | 0.39 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 23 | 36 | 200 | 0.46 | 0.23 [0.078] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 11 | 18 | 100 | 0.53 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 25 | 29 | 190 | 1.1 | 0.16 [0.054] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 6.5 | 7.9 | 61 | 0.52 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 20 | 27 | 160 | 0.88 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 6.8 | 7.2 | 56 | 0.32 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 22 | 27 | 320 | 1.1 | 0.07 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 6.3 | 8.0 | 74 | 0.42 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 20 | 31 | 190 | 0.92 | 0.06 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 7.5 | 12 | 60 | 0.51 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 18 | 30 | 110 | 0.48 | 0.04 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 6.3 | 7.8 | 48 | 0.15 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 17 | 26 | 160 | 0.69 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 7.2 | 9.5 | 53 | 0.22 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 16 | 25 | 110 | 0.73 | 0.30 [0.099] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 6.1 | 10 | 56 | tr(0.13) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 13 | 21 | 58 | 0.46 | 0.41 [0.14] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 3.2 | 4.9 | 20 | nd | | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 11 | 21 | 43 | 0.46 | 0.16 [0.05] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 3.1 | 4.6 | 22 | tr(0.10) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 8.7 | 11 | 49 | 0.43 | 0.19 [0.06] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 12 | 14 | 120 | tr(0.18) | 0.22 [0.08] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2020 | 7.6 | 9.2 | 35 | 0.69 | 0.10 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |

| <i>cis</i> -Heptachlor epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | 3.5 | 3.5 | 28 | 0.45 | 0.015 [0.0048] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 1.3 | 1.3 | 6.6 | 0.49 | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 2.8 | 2.9 | 9.7 | 0.65 | 0.052 [0.017] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | 1.1 | 1.1 | 7.0 | 0.44 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | 1.5 | 1.7 | 11 | tr(0.10) | 0.12 [0.044] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | 0.91 | 0.81 | 2.9 | 0.43 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | 1.7 | 2.0 | 6.7 | 0.13 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | 0.74 | 0.88 | 3.2 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 2.9 | 2.8 | 13 | 0.54 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.93 | 0.82 | 3.0 | 0.41 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 2.4 | 2.2 | 9.9 | 0.53 | 0.022 [0.008] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.91 | 0.84 | 3.0 | 0.37 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 2.5 | 2.6 | 16 | 0.37 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 1.0 | 0.91 | 3.8 | 0.42 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 2.3 | 2.3 | 10 | 0.38 | 0.02 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.93 | 0.85 | 4.3 | 0.33 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 2.0 | 2.3 | 6.0 | 0.29 | 0.04 [0.01] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.90 | 0.90 | 2.8 | 0.35 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 2.0 | 2.1 | 6.3 | 0.37 | 0.05 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.62 | 0.57 | 1.9 | 0.30 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2013 Warm season | 2.0 | 2.1 | 7.7 | 0.43 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2013 Cold season | 0.66 | 0.63 | 1.4 | 0.32 | | 36/36 | 36/36 | |
| 2015 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 4.7 | tr(0.4) | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |
| 2016 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 9.1 | 0.30 | 0.12 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| 2020 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 2.9 | 0.23 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 | |
| <i>trans</i> -Heptachlor or epoxide | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | tr(0.036) | tr(0.038) | 0.30 | nd | 0.099 [0.033] | 18/35 | 18/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.094) | nd | | 3/34 | 3/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.38) | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 4/37 | 4/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | tr(0.10) | tr(0.12) | 1.2 | nd | 0.16 [0.05] | 27/37 | 27/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | nd | nd | 0.32 | nd | | 3/37 | 3/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.7 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 2/37 | 2/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.1) | nd | | 1/37 | 1/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.16 | nd | 0.14 [0.06] | 8/36 | 8/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.06) | nd | | 1/36 | 1/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.17 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 6/37 | 6/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.18 | nd | 0.14 [0.05] | 10/37 | 10/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.06) | nd | | 1/37 | 1/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.16 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 6/37 | 6/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.14 | nd | 0.13 [0.05] | 5/35 | 5/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.08) | nd | 0.12 [0.05] | 8/36 | 8/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| 2013 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.11) | nd | 0.12 [0.05] | 7/36 | 7/36 | |
| 2013 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 | |
| 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.03 [0.01] | 0/35 | 0/35 | |
| 2016 | nd | nd | tr(0.2) | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 1/37 | 1/37 | |
| 2020 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.13 [0.05] | 0/37 | 0/37 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2014 and FY2017 ~ 2019.

[9] Toxaphenes (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Toxaphenes are a group of organochlorine insecticides used on cotton, cereal grains, fruits, nuts, and vegetables and also it has also been used to control ticks and mites in livestock. No domestic record of manufacture/import of the substances was reported since those were historically never registered under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in September 2002. Also, Toxaphenes are one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

In previous monitoring series before FY2001, total amount of Toxaphenes was measured in FY1983 (in surface water and sediment) under the framework of “the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals.”

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, Parlar-26 Parlar-50 and Parlar-62 have been monitored in surface water sediment and air in FY2003 ~ 2009 and FY2018, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2003 ~ 2009 FY2015 and FY2018.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2019. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2018 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2018

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Parlar-26, Parlar-50 and Parlar-62 in surface water during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Parlar-26 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/38 | 0/38 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 16 [5] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 20 [5] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5 [2] | 0/49 | 0/49 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | 5 | nd | 4 [2] | 7/47 |
| Parlar-50 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [30] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 20 [7] | 0/38 | 0/38 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 20 [5] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 16 [5] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9 [3] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/49 | 0/49 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | tr(2) | nd | 6 [2] | 1/47 |
| Parlar-62 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 300 [90] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 90 [30] | 0/38 | 0/38 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [30] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [30] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/49 | 0/49 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/47 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 ~ 2017.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Parlar-26, Parlar-50 and Parlar-62 in sediment during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Parlar-26 | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 90 [30] | 0/186 | 0/62 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [30] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 12 [4] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 12 [5] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/61 | 0/61 |

| Parlar-50 | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 200 [50] | 0/186 | 0/62 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 90 [40] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 24 [7] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 17 [6] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 12 [5] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | tr(3) | nd | 8 [3] | 1/61 |

| Parlar-62 | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 4,000 [2,000] | 0/186 | 0/62 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2,000 [400] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2,000 [700] | 0/189 | 0/63 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 210 [60] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 300 [70] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 90 [40] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 80 [30] | 0/192 | 0/64 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 50 [20] | 1/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2003 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 ~ 2017.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Parlar-26, Parlar-50 and Parlar-62 in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Parlar-26 | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | tr(39) | nd | 45 [15] | 11/30 | 3/6 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | tr(32) | nd | 42 [14] | 15/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | tr(28) | nd | 47 [16] | 7/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2006 | tr(9) | tr(12) | 25 | nd | 18 [7] | 21/31 | 5/7 |
| | 2007 | tr(7) | tr(8) | 20 | nd | 10 [4] | 26/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(7) | tr(8) | 22 | nd | 9 [3] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 9 | 9 | 23 | nd | 7 [3] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2015 | tr(10) | tr(15) | tr(17) | nd | 23 [9] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2018 | tr(10) | tr(15) | tr(15) | nd | 21 [8] | 2/3 | 2/3 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|------|--------|--------|-------|----|---------|-------|-------|
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | tr(28) | tr(24) | 810 | nd | 45 [15] | 44/70 | 11/14 |
| | 2004 | 43 | tr(41) | 1,000 | nd | 42 [14] | 54/70 | 13/14 |
| | 2005 | tr(42) | 53 | 900 | nd | 47 [16] | 50/75 | 13/16 |
| | 2006 | 41 | 44 | 880 | nd | 18 [7] | 70/80 | 15/16 |
| | 2007 | 24 | 32 | 690 | nd | 10 [4] | 64/80 | 14/16 |
| | 2008 | 35 | 33 | 730 | nd | 9 [3] | 79/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 25 | 20 | 690 | nd | 7 [3] | 82/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2015 | 26 | 28 | 400 | nd | 23 [9] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| | 2018 | tr(17) | tr(17) | 280 | nd | 21 [8] | 12/18 | 12/18 |

| Parlar-26 | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 120 | 650 | 2,500 | nd | 45 [15] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2004 | 70 | 340 | 810 | nd | 42 [14] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | 86 | 380 | 1,200 | nd | 47 [16] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2006 | 48 | 290 | 750 | nd | 18 [7] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2007 | 34 | 280 | 650 | nd | 10 [4] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2008 | 38 | 320 | 1,200 | nd | 9 [3] | 6/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 26 | 200 | 500 | nd | 7 [3] | 6/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(10) | tr(10) | 23 [9] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2018 | 53 | --- | 54 | 53 | 21 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Parlar-50 | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | tr(12) | tr(12) | 58 | nd | 33 [11] | 17/30 | 4/6 |
| | 2004 | tr(15) | nd | tr(45) | nd | 46 [15] | 15/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | tr(38) | nd | 54 [18] | 9/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2006 | tr(10) | 14 | 32 | nd | 14 [5] | 24/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2007 | 9 | 10 | 37 | nd | 9 [3] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(7) | tr(6) | 23 | nd | 10 [4] | 23/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2009 | 9 | 9 | 31 | nd | 8 [3] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2015 | tr(11) | tr(15) | tr(16) | nd | 30 [10] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| 2018 | tr(9) | 16 | 17 | nd | 16 [6] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 35 | 34 | 1,100 | nd | 33 [11] | 55/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 60 | 61 | 1,300 | nd | 46 [15] | 59/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | tr(52) | 66 | 1,400 | nd | 54 [18] | 55/80 | 13/16 |
| | 2006 | 56 | 52 | 1,300 | nd | 14 [5] | 79/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 35 | 41 | 1,100 | nd | 9 [3] | 77/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 44 | 45 | 1,000 | nd | 10 [4] | 77/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 30 | 23 | 910 | nd | 8 [3] | 85/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2015 | tr(25) | tr(13) | 640 | nd | 30 [10] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| 2018 | 22 | 20 | 300 | nd | 16 [6] | 16/18 | 16/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 110 | 850 | 3,000 | nd | 33 [11] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2004 | 83 | 440 | 1,000 | nd | 46 [15] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | 100 | 480 | 1,500 | nd | 54 [18] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2006 | 46 | 380 | 1,000 | nd | 14 [5] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2007 | 34 | 360 | 930 | nd | 9 [3] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2008 | 49 | 410 | 1,600 | nd | 10 [4] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2009 | 29 | 250 | 620 | nd | 8 [3] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| 2018 | tr(12) | --- | tr(13) | tr(11) | 16 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Parlar-62 | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 120 [40] | 0/30 | 0/6 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 98 [33] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 100 [34] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [30] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [30] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 80 [30] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 70 [20] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 150 [60] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 100 [40] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | nd | nd | 580 | nd | 120 [40] | 9/70 | 3/14 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | 870 | nd | 98 [33] | 24/70 | 7/14 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | 830 | nd | 100 [34] | 23/80 | 8/16 |
| | 2006 | tr(30) | nd | 870 | nd | 70 [30] | 28/80 | 10/16 |
| | 2007 | tr(30) | nd | 530 | nd | 70 [30] | 22/80 | 7/16 |
| | 2008 | tr(30) | nd | 590 | nd | 80 [30] | 31/85 | 8/17 |
| | 2009 | tr(20) | nd | 660 | nd | 70 [20] | 24/90 | 8/18 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 320 | nd | 150 [60] | 2/19 | 2/19 |
| 2018 | nd | nd | 150 | nd | 100 [40] | 3/18 | 3/18 | |

| Parlar-62 | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | tr(96) | 200 | 530 | nd | 120 [40] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2004 | tr(64) | 110 | 280 | nd | 98 [33] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2005 | tr(78) | 130 | 460 | nd | 100 [34] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2006 | 70 | 120 | 430 | nd | 70 [30] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2007 | tr(60) | 100 | 300 | nd | 70 [30] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2008 | tr(70) | 130 | 360 | nd | 80 [30] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2009 | tr(40) | 80 | 210 | nd | 70 [20] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 150 [60] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 100 [40] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2003 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2015 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 ~ 2014, FY2016 and FY2017.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Parlar-26, Parlar-50 and Parlar-62 in air during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Parlar-26 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | 0.31 | 0.31 | 0.77 | tr(0.17) | 0.20 [0.066] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | tr(0.17) | tr(0.17) | 0.27 | tr(0.091) | | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 0.27 | 0.26 | 0.46 | tr(0.17) | 0.20 [0.066] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | tr(0.15) | tr(0.15) | 0.50 | tr(0.094) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.3) | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 18/36 | 18/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | tr(0.21) | 0.22 | 0.58 | tr(0.12) | 0.22 [0.08] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | tr(0.11) | tr(0.12) | tr(0.20) | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | tr(0.18) | tr(0.19) | 0.26 | tr(0.11) | 0.23 [0.09] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(0.12) | tr(0.13) | 0.27 | nd | | 33/37 | 33/37 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(0.3) | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 12/37 | 12/37 |

| Parlar-50 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------|----------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.37) | nd | 0.81 [0.27] | 2/35 | 2/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/34 | 0/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.6 [0.5] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | nd | tr(0.1) | tr(0.2) | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 29/36 | 29/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.19) | nd | 0.25 [0.09] | 15/37 | 15/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | nd | nd | tr(0.1) | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 11/37 | 11/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.1) | nd | | 1/37 | 1/37 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(0.2) | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 2/37 | 2/37 |

| Parlar-62 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.6 [0.52] | 0/35 | 0/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/34 | 0/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.4 [0.81] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 8 [3] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.5 [0.6] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 0/37 | 0/37 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 ~ 2017.

[10] Mirex (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Mirex was developed as an organochlorine insecticide chemical in the United States, and it was also used as a fire retardant in plastics, rubber, and electrical goods. No domestic record of manufacture/import of the substance was reported since it was historically never registered under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law. The substance was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in September 2002. Also the substance is one of the original twelve POPs covered by the Stockholm Convention.

Before FY2001, the substance was measured in FY1983 (in surface water and sediment) under the framework of “the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals.”

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, Mirex has been monitored in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2003 ~ 2009 FY2011 and FY2018.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2019. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2018 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2018

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Mirex in surface water during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Mirex | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | tr(0.13) | tr(0.12) | 0.8 | nd | 0.3 [0.09] | 25/36 | 25/36 |
| | 2004 | nd | nd | 1.1 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 18/38 | 18/38 |
| | 2005 | nd | nd | 1.0 | nd | 0.4 [0.1] | 14/47 | 14/47 |
| | 2006 | nd | nd | 0.07 | nd | 1.6 [0.5] | 1/48 | 1/48 |
| | 2007 | nd | nd | tr(0.5) | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 2/48 | 2/48 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | 0.7 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 4/48 | 4/48 |
| | 2009 | nd | nd | 0.5 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 8/49 | 8/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 0.8 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 3/49 | 3/49 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 1.0 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 3/47 | 3/47 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 and FY2012 ~ 2017.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Mirex in sediment during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Mirex | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | 2 | tr(1.6) | 1,500 | nd | 2 [0.4] | 137/186 | 51/62 |
| | 2004 | 2 | tr(1.6) | 220 | nd | 2 [0.5] | 153/189 | 55/63 |
| | 2005 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 5,300 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 134/189 | 48/63 |
| | 2006 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 640 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 156/192 | 57/64 |
| | 2007 | 1.5 | 0.9 | 200 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 147/192 | 55/64 |
| | 2008 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 820 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 117/192 | 48/64 |
| | 2009 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 620 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 126/192 | 49/64 |
| | 2011 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1,900 | nd | 0.9 [0.4] | 42/64 | 42/64 |
| | 2018 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 240 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 44/61 | 44/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2003 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 and FY2012 ~ 2017.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Mirex in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Mirex | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 4.9 | 4.2 | 19 | tr(1.6) | 2.4 [0.81] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 12 | tr(1.1) | 2.5 [0.82] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 5.4 | 5.2 | 20 | tr(1.9) | 3.0 [0.99] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 5 | 4 | 19 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 5 | 4 | 18 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 4 | tr(3) | 18 | tr(2) | 4 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 5.9 | 5.2 | 21 | tr(1.7) | 2.1 [0.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2011 | 10 | 7.1 | 44 | 5.2 | 1.9 [0.8] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| 2018 | 4.9 | 3.2 | 20 | 1.8 | 1.4 [0.5] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 8.3 | 9.0 | 25 | tr(1.7) | 2.4 [0.81] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 13 | 11 | 180 | 3.8 | 2.5 [0.82] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 13 | 13 | 78 | tr(1.0) | 3.0 [0.99] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 11 | 10 | 53 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 9 | 11 | 36 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 11 | 13 | 48 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 8.6 | 9.6 | 37 | tr(0.9) | 2.1 [0.8] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 12 | 15 | 41 | tr(1.3) | 1.9 [0.8] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2018 | 8.2 | 8.4 | 70 | 1.9 | 1.4 [0.5] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 120 | 150 | 450 | 31 | 2.4 [0.81] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 61 | 64 | 110 | 33 | 2.5 [0.82] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 77 | 66 | 180 | 41 | 3.0 [0.99] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 77 | 70 | 280 | 39 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 57 | 59 | 100 | 32 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 74 | 68 | 260 | 27 | 4 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 49 | 50 | 79 | 32 | 2.1 [0.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 58 | 58 | 1.9 [0.8] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2018 | 110 | --- | 260 | 47 | 1.4 [0.5] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived during FY2003 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2018 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 and FY2012 ~ 2017.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Mirex in air during FY2003 ~ 2018

| Mirex | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2003 Warm season | 0.11 | 0.12 | 0.19 | 0.047 | 0.0084 | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2003 Cold season | 0.044 | 0.043 | 0.099 | 0.024 | [0.0028] | 34/34 | 34/34 |
| | 2004 Warm season | 0.099 | 0.11 | 0.16 | tr(0.042) | 0.05 [0.017] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2004 Cold season | tr(0.046) | tr(0.047) | 0.23 | tr(0.019) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Warm season | tr(0.09) | tr(0.09) | 0.24 | tr(0.05) | 0.10 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2005 Cold season | tr(0.04) | tr(0.04) | tr(0.08) | nd | | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2006 Warm season | tr(0.07) | tr(0.10) | 0.22 | nd | 0.13 [0.04] | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2006 Cold season | tr(0.07) | tr(0.07) | 2.1 | nd | | 27/37 | 27/37 |
| | 2007 Warm season | 0.11 | 0.11 | 0.28 | 0.04 | 0.03 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.09 | tr(0.02) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2008 Warm season | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.25 | 0.03 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2008 Cold season | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.03 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 0.12 | 0.13 | 0.48 | 0.049 | 0.015 [0.006] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.058 | 0.054 | 0.18 | 0.030 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.25 | 0.08 | 0.04 [0.01] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.11 | tr(0.03) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.20 | 0.05 | 0.03 [0.01] | 37/37 | 37/37 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2010 and FY2012 ~ 2017.

[11] HCHs (references)

- History and state of monitoring

HCHs were used as pesticides, household insecticides, and termiticides, etc. Even after their registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1971, they continue to be used as termiticides and wood preservatives. α -HCH, β -HCH, and γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010.

Among many HCH isomers, α -HCH, β -HCH, γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH have been monitored in surface water, sediment, wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air.

Before FY2001, the substances were measured in FY1974 (in surface water, sediment and fish) under the framework of “the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals.” α -HCH and β -HCH had been the target chemicals, and surface water and sediment had been the monitored media during the period of FY1986 ~ 1998 and FY1986 ~ 2001, respectively. Under the framework of the Wildlife Monitoring, the substances were monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1978 ~ 1996 and in FY1998, FY2000 and FY2001 (γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH had not been monitored since FY1997 and FY1993, respectively.)

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, α -HCH and β -HCH in surface water sediment and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) have been monitored FY2002 ~ FY2017 FY2019 and FY2022. Since FY2003, α -HCH and β -HCH in air and γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH in surface water sediment wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air have also been monitored.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2023. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2022 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2022

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Total α -HCH, β -HCH, γ -HCH(synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH in surface water during FY2002 ~ 2022

| α -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 86 | 76 | 6,500 | 1.9 | 0.9 [0.3] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 120 | 120 | 970 | 13 | 3 [0.9] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 150 | 145 | 5,700 | 13 | 6 [2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 90 | 81 | 660 | 16 | 4 [1] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 110 | 90 | 2,100 | 25 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 76 | 73 | 720 | 13 | 1.9 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 78 | 75 | 1,100 | 9 | 4 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 74 | 73 | 560 | 14 | 1.2 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 94 | 75 | 1,400 | 14 | 4 [1] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 67 | 60 | 1,000 | 11 | 7 [3] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 65 | 56 | 2,200 | 9.5 | 1.4 [0.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 57 | 55 | 1,900 | 9 | 7 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 47 | 41 | 700 | 7.3 | 4.5 [1.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 48 | 40 | 610 | 8.7 | 1.2 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 38 | 36 | 640 | 5.1 | 1.1 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 47 | 45 | 680 | 3.7 | 0.9 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 35 | 37 | 640 | tr(2) | 4 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2022 | 24 | 21 | 430 | 1.9 | 1.2 [0.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |

| β -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2002 | 210 | 180 | 1,600 | 24 | 0.9 [0.3] | 114/114 | 38/38 |
| | 2003 | 250 | 240 | 1,700 | 14 | 3 [0.7] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 260 | 250 | 3,400 | 31 | 4 [2] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 200 | 170 | 2,300 | 25 | 2.6 [0.9] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 200 | 160 | 2,000 | 42 | 1.7 [0.6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 170 | 150 | 1,300 | 18 | 2.7[0.9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 150 | 150 | 1,800 | 15 | 1.0 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 150 | 150 | 1,100 | 18 | 0.6 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 180 | 160 | 2,500 | 33 | 2.0 [0.7] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 130 | 120 | 840 | 28 | 2.0 [0.8] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 150 | 130 | 820 | 17 | 1.4 [0.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 130 | 130 | 1,100 | 20 | 7 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 100 | 110 | 1,100 | 11 | 1.0 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 130 | 120 | 1,100 | 21 | 1.2 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 100 | 96 | 1,100 | 12 | 1.2 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2017 | 100 | 110 | 830 | 12 | 1.8 [0.7] | 47/47 | 47/47 | |
| 2019 | 100 | 92 | 570 | 17 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |
| 2022 | 76 | 69 | 540 | 9.5 | 0.6 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |
| γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | 92 | 90 | 370 | 32 | 7 [2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 91 | 76 | 8,200 | 21 | 20 [7] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 48 | 40 | 250 | tr(8) | 14 [5] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2006 | 44 | 43 | 460 | tr(9) | 18 [6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 34 | 32 | 290 | 5.2 | 2.1 [0.7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 34 | 32 | 340 | 4 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 32 | 26 | 280 | 5.1 | 0.6 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 26 | 22 | 190 | tr(5) | 6 [2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 23 | 20 | 170 | 3 | 3 [1] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 22 | 21 | 440 | 3.0 | 1.3 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 21 | 17 | 560 | 3.2 | 2.7 [0.8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 18 | 18 | 350 | 3.5 | 1.2 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 17 | 15 | 110 | 2.6 | 0.9 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 14 | 13 | 130 | 1.8 | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 17 | 16 | 190 | 2.1 | 1.4 [0.5] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| 2019 | 14 | 12 | 480 | nd | 4 [2] | 47/48 | 47/48 | |
| 2022 | 9.3 | 8.0 | 120 | tr(0.6) | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |
| δ -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2003 | 14 | 14 | 200 | tr(1.1) | 2 [0.5] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2004 | 24 | 29 | 670 | tr(1.4) | 2 [0.7] | 38/38 | 38/38 |
| | 2005 | 1.8 | nd | 62 | nd | 1.5 [0.5] | 23/47 | 23/47 |
| | 2006 | 24 | 18 | 1,000 | 2.2 | 2.0 [0.8] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2007 | 11 | 9.7 | 720 | tr(0.7) | 1.2 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2008 | 11 | 10 | 1,900 | tr(1.1) | 2.3 [0.9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2009 | 10 | 11 | 450 | tr(0.7) | 0.9 [0.4] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 16 | 17 | 780 | 0.9 | 0.8 [0.3] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 300 | 0.7 | 0.4 [0.2] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 7.9 | 6.7 | 220 | tr(0.5) | 1.1 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 8.2 | 8.9 | 320 | tr(0.6) | 1.1 [0.4] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 7.1 | 6.5 | 590 | 0.7 | 0.4 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 7.2 | 7.4 | 310 | 0.8 | 0.3 [0.1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 5.5 | 6.0 | 920 | tr(0.5) | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 690 | tr(0.4) | 1.0 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| 2019 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 85 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 46/48 | 46/48 | |
| 2022 | 3.6 | 3.0 | 90 | nd | 1.8 [0.7] | 41/48 | 41/48 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018 FY2020 and FY2021.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -HCH, β -HCH, γ -HCH(synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2022

| α -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 150 | 170 | 8,200 | 2.0 | 1.2 [0.4] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 160 | 170 | 9,500 | 2 | 2 [0.5] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 160 | 180 | 5,700 | tr(1.5) | 2 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 140 | 160 | 7,000 | 3.4 | 1.7 [0.6] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 140 | 160 | 4,300 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 140 | 150 | 12,000 | tr(1.3) | 1.8 [0.6] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 140 | 190 | 5,200 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 120 | 120 | 6,300 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 140 | 140 | 3,700 | 3.1 | 2.0 [0.8] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 120 | 140 | 5,100 | 1.6 | 1.5 [0.6] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 100 | 100 | 3,900 | tr(1.1) | 1.6 [0.5] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 94 | 98 | 3,200 | tr(0.6) | 1.5 [0.5] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 84 | 93 | 4,300 | nd | 2.4 [0.8] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| | 2015 | 97 | 120 | 9,600 | 1.1 | 0.7 [0.3] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 64 | 77 | 5,000 | 1.1 | 0.9 [0.3] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| 2017 | 77 | 86 | 1,900 | 1.0 | 0.5 [0.2] | 62/62 | 62/62 | |
| 2019 | 67 | 83 | 2,600 | 1.3 | 1.1 [0.4] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| 2022 | 67 | 80 | 2,800 | 1.2 | 0.9 [0.3] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| β -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2002 | 230 | 230 | 11,000 | 3.9 | 0.9 [0.3] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2003 | 250 | 220 | 39,000 | 5 | 2 [0.7] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 240 | 230 | 53,000 | 4 | 3 [0.8] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 200 | 220 | 13,000 | 3.9 | 2.6 [0.9] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 190 | 210 | 21,000 | 2.3 | 1.3 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 200 | 190 | 59,000 | 1.6 | 0.9 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 190 | 200 | 8,900 | 2.8 | 0.8 [0.3] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 180 | 170 | 10,000 | 2.4 | 1.3 [0.5] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 230 | 210 | 8,200 | 11 | 2.4 [0.8] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 180 | 210 | 14,000 | 3 | 3 [1] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 160 | 170 | 8,300 | 3.7 | 1.5 [0.6] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2013 | 160 | 170 | 6,900 | 4.5 | 0.4 [0.1] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 140 | 140 | 7,200 | 2.9 | 0.9 [0.3] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 160 | 170 | 5,900 | 2.5 | 0.8 [0.3] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 130 | 160 | 6,000 | 3.7 | 0.9 [0.3] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| 2017 | 140 | 110 | 3,400 | 5.7 | 1.5 [0.6] | 62/62 | 62/62 | |
| 2019 | 130 | 110 | 4,100 | 4.0 | 1.2 [0.5] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| 2022 | 120 | 100 | 2,900 | 2.2 | 1.6 [0.6] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | 51 | 47 | 4,000 | tr(1.4) | 2 [0.4] | 186/186 | 62/62 |
| | 2004 | 53 | 48 | 4,100 | tr(0.8) | 2 [0.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 49 | 46 | 6,400 | tr(1.8) | 2.0 [0.7] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 48 | 49 | 3,500 | tr(1.4) | 2.1 [0.7] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 42 | 41 | 5,200 | tr(0.6) | 1.2 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2008 | 40 | 43 | 2,200 | tr(0.7) | 0.9 [0.4] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 38 | 43 | 3,800 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 191/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 35 | 30 | 2,300 | tr(1.5) | 2.0 [0.7] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 35 | 42 | 3,500 | nd | 3 [1] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2012 | 30 | 29 | 3,500 | nd | 1.3 [0.4] | 61/63 | 61/63 |
| | 2013 | 33 | 35 | 2,100 | 0.9 | 0.6 [0.2] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 27 | 30 | 2,600 | nd | 2.7 [0.9] | 61/63 | 61/63 |
| | 2015 | 29 | 35 | 2,800 | tr(0.3) | 0.5 [0.2] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 20 | 25 | 3,100 | tr(0.7) | 0.8 [0.3] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2017 | 23 | 25 | 1,900 | tr(0.4) | 1.0 [0.4] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| 2019 | 23 | 27 | 2,100 | tr(0.6) | 1.0 [0.4] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| 2022 | 23 | 29 | 2,100 | tr(0.7) | 1.3 [0.5] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |

| δ -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2003 | 42 | 46 | 5,400 | nd | 2 [0.7] | 180/186 | 61/62 |
| | 2004 | 55 | 55 | 5,500 | tr(0.5) | 2 [0.5] | 189/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2005 | 52 | 63 | 6,200 | nd | 1.0 [0.3] | 188/189 | 63/63 |
| | 2006 | 45 | 47 | 6,000 | nd | 1.7 [0.6] | 189/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2007 | 26 | 28 | 5,400 | nd | 5 [2] | 165/192 | 60/64 |
| | 2008 | 41 | 53 | 3,300 | nd | 2 [1] | 186/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2009 | 36 | 37 | 5,000 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 190/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 39 | 40 | 3,800 | 1.3 | 1.2 [0.5] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 37 | 47 | 5,000 | nd | 1.4 [0.5] | 63/64 | 63/64 |
| | 2012 | 28 | 28 | 3,100 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| | 2013 | 31 | 29 | 2,500 | 0.4 | 0.3 [0.1] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 27 | 26 | 3,900 | 0.4 | 0.4 [0.1] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 27 | 28 | 2,900 | tr(0.4) | 0.5 [0.2] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 20 | 24 | 6,100 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 60/62 | 60/62 |
| | 2017 | 25 | 22 | 1,700 | tr(0.2) | 0.6 [0.2] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| 2019 | 22 | 23 | 2,500 | tr(0.2) | 0.5 [0.2] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |
| 2022 | 21 | 24 | 2,300 | tr(0.6) | 0.7 [0.3] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018 FY2020 and FY2021.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -HCH, β -HCH, γ -HCH(synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2022

| α -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 67 | 64 | 1,100 | 12 | 4.2 [1.4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 45 | 30 | 610 | 9.9 | 1.8 [0.61] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 56 | 25 | 1,800 | tr(12) | 13 [4.3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 38 | 25 | 1,100 | tr(7.1) | 11 [3.6] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 30 | 21 | 390 | 6 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 31 | 17 | 1,400 | 8 | 7 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 26 | 16 | 380 | 7 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 45 | 21 | 2,200 | 9 | 5 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 35 | 20 | 730 | 13 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 64 | 33 | 1,200 | 13 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 23 | 12 | 340 | 4.0 | 3.7 [1.2] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 30 | 25 | 690 | 6 | 3 [1] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 16 | 16 | 39 | 7 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 11 | 15 | 25 | 3.5 | 3.0 [1.0] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 13 | 20 | 22 | 5 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 15 | 16 | 32 | 6 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 9 | 12 | 14 | 4 | 4 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 7.4 | 10 | 16 | 2.5 | 1.1 [0.4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2002 | 57 | 56 | 590 | tr(1.9) | 4.2 [1.4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 43 | 58 | 590 | 2.6 | 1.8 [0.61] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 57 | 55 | 2,900 | nd | 13 [4.3] | 63/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 42 | 43 | 1,000 | nd | 11 [3.6] | 75/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 44 | 53 | 360 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 39 | 40 | 730 | tr(2) | 7 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 36 | 47 | 410 | nd | 6 [2] | 84/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 39 | 32 | 830 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| | 2010 | 27 | 39 | 250 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 37 | 54 | 690 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 24 | 32 | 170 | nd | 3.7 [1.2] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2013 | 32 | 47 | 320 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2014 | 26 | 40 | 210 | nd | 3 [1] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 18 | 26 | 180 | tr(1.3) | 3.0 [1.0] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2016 | 15 | 17 | 81 | nd | 3 [1] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | 20 | 29 | 130 | nd | 3 [1] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2019 | 8 | 8 | 130 | nd | 4 [2] | 12/16 | 12/16 |
| | 2022 | 8.7 | 6.8 | 82 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 17/18 | 17/18 |

| α -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| | 2002 | 170 | 130 | 360 | 93 | 4.2 [1.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 73 | 74 | 230 | 30 | 1.8 [0.61] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 190 | 80 | 1,600 | 58 | 13 [4.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 76 | 77 | 85 | 67 | 11 [3.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 76 | 75 | 100 | 55 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 75 | 59 | 210 | 43 | 7 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 48 | 48 | 61 | 32 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 43 | 42 | 56 | 34 | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 260 | --- | 430 | 160 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 48 | 48 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 35 | --- | 39 | 32 | 3.7 [1.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 46 | --- | 130 | 16 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 61 | --- | 220 | 17 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 13 | 13 | 3.0 [1.0] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 63 | --- | 170 | 23 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 81 | --- | 930 | 7 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 63 | 63 | 4 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2022 | 47 | --- | 63 | 35 | 1.1 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| β -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| | 2002 | 88 | 62 | 1,700 | 32 | 12 [4] | 38/38 | 8/8 |
| | 2003 | 78 | 50 | 1,100 | 23 | 9.9 [3.3] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 100 | 74 | 1,800 | 22 | 6.1 [2.0] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 85 | 56 | 2,000 | 20 | 2.2 [0.75] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 81 | 70 | 880 | 11 | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 79 | 56 | 1,800 | 21 | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 73 | 51 | 1,100 | 23 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 83 | 55 | 1,600 | 27 | 6 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 89 | 56 | 1,500 | 27 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 130 | 68 | 2,000 | 39 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 65 | 37 | 980 | 15 | 2.0 [0.8] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 61 | 47 | 710 | 17 | 2.2 [0.8] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 40 | 35 | 64 | 28 | 2.4 [0.9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 34 | 45 | 69 | 13 | 3.0 [1.0] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 37 | 47 | 50 | 21 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 39 | 47 | 60 | 21 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 23 | 32 | 33 | 11 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 18 | 17 | 35 | 10 | 1.0 [0.4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2002 | 110 | 120 | 1,800 | tr(5) | 12 [4] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2003 | 81 | 96 | 1,100 | tr(3.5) | 9.9 [3.3] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2004 | 110 | 140 | 1,100 | tr(3.9) | 6.1 [2.0] | 70/70 | 14/14 |
| | 2005 | 95 | 110 | 1,300 | 6.7 | 2.2 [0.75] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 89 | 110 | 1,100 | 4 | 3 [1] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 110 | 120 | 810 | 7 | 7 [3] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 94 | 150 | 750 | tr(4) | 6 [2] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2009 | 98 | 130 | 970 | tr(5) | 6 [2] | 90/90 | 18/18 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 81 | 110 | 760 | 5 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 100 | 140 | 710 | 4 | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 72 | 100 | 510 | 6.5 | 2.0 [0.8] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2013 | 80 | 110 | 420 | 7.2 | 2.2 [0.8] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2014 | 75 | 140 | 460 | 4.4 | 2.4 [0.9] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2015 | 56 | 94 | 390 | 6.0 | 3.0 [1.0] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2016 | 41 | 65 | 200 | 5 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | 54 | 86 | 290 | 4 | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2019 | 27 | 35 | 400 | 3 | 3 [1] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| | 2022 | 32 | 38 | 230 | 2.2 | 1.0 [0.4] | 18/18 | 18/18 |

| β -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| | 2002 | 3,000 | 3,000 | 7,300 | 1,600 | 12 [4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2003 | 3,400 | 3,900 | 5,900 | 1,800 | 9.9 [3.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 2,300 | 2,100 | 4,800 | 1,100 | 6.1 [2.0] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 2,500 | 2,800 | 6,000 | 930 | 2.2 [0.75] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 2,100 | 2,400 | 4,200 | 1,100 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 2,000 | 1,900 | 3,200 | 1,400 | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 2,400 | 2,000 | 5,600 | 1,300 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 1,600 | 1,400 | 4,200 | 870 | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 1,600 | --- | 2,800 | 910 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 4,500 | 4,500 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 1,400 | --- | 2,600 | 730 | 2.0 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 1,400 | --- | 3,000 | 610 | 2.2 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 290 | --- | 3,600 | 24 | 2.4 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 57 | 57 | 3.0 [1.0] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 1,400 | --- | 2,600 | 790 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 1,000 | --- | 3,500 | 300 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 950 | 950 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2022 | 1,100 | --- | 1,300 | 970 | 1.0 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Sample |
| | 2003 | 19 | 18 | 130 | 5.2 | 3.3 [1.1] | 30/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | tr(24) | tr(16) | 230 | nd | 31 [10] | 28/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2005 | 23 | 13 | 370 | tr(5.7) | 8.4 [2.8] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2006 | 18 | 12 | 140 | 7 | 4 [2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 16 | 10 | 450 | tr(4) | 9 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 12 | 10 | 98 | tr(3) | 9 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2009 | 14 | 12 | 89 | tr(3) | 7 [3] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 14 | 9 | 150 | 5 | 3 [1] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 26 | 17 | 320 | 5 | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 8.1 | 3.5 | 68 | 3.0 | 2.3 [0.9] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | 7.2 | 3.9 | 31 | tr(2.1) | 2.4 [0.9] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 7.4 | 4.8 | 18 | 4.6 | 2.2 [0.8] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 7.3 | 7.8 | 14 | tr(3.6) | 4.8 [1.6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 6 | 5 | 11 | 4 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 4 | 3 | 11 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 7 | nd | 4 [1] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2022 | 3.5 | 5.1 | 8.4 | tr(1.0) | 1.1 [0.4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | | 2003 | 16 | 22 | 130 | tr(1.7) | 3.3 [1.1] | 70/70 |
| | 2004 | tr(28) | tr(24) | 660 | nd | 31 [10] | 55/70 | 11/14 |
| | 2005 | 17 | 17 | 230 | nd | 8.4 [2.8] | 78/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2006 | 19 | 22 | 97 | tr(2) | 4 [2] | 80/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | 15 | 15 | 190 | nd | 9 [3] | 71/80 | 15/16 |
| | 2008 | 13 | 16 | 96 | nd | 9 [3] | 70/85 | 15/17 |
| | 2009 | 14 | 12 | 180 | nd | 7 [3] | 81/90 | 17/18 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2010 | 9 | 13 | 56 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 12 | 15 | 160 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 7.8 | 12 | 43 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2013 | 8.6 | 12 | 81 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2014 | 8.4 | 14 | 45 | nd | 2.2 [0.8] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2015 | 6.1 | 7.9 | 42 | nd | 4.8 [1.6] | 14/19 | 14/19 |
| | 2016 | 5 | 5 | 43 | nd | 3 [1] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | 6 | 9 | 30 | nd | 3 [1] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2019 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 34 | nd | 4 [1] | 13/16 | 13/16 |
| | 2022 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 24 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 17/18 | 17/18 |

| γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) | Monitored year | Geometric mean * ¹ | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 14 | 19 | 40 | 3.7 | 3.3 [1.1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 64 | tr(21) | 1,200 | tr(11) | 31 [10] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 18 | 20 | 32 | 9.6 | 8.4 [2.8] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 16 | 17 | 29 | 8 | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 21 | 14 | 140 | tr(8) | 9 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 12 | 14 | 19 | tr(5) | 9 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 11 | 11 | 21 | tr(6) | 7 [3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 10 | --- | 23 | 4 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 26 | 26 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 11 | --- | 19 | 6.3 | 2.3 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 6.0 | --- | 24 | tr(1.5) | 2.4 [0.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 10 | --- | 24 | 4.4 | 2.2 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 4.8 [1.6] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2016 | 5 | --- | 14 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 4 | --- | 20 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2019 | --- | --- | 7 | 7 | 4 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| 2022 | 3.4 | --- | 6.6 | 1.8 | 1.1 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| δ -HCH | 2003 | 7.4 | tr(2.6) | 1,300 | nd | 3.9 [1.3] | 29/30 | 6/6 |
| | 2004 | 6.3 | tr(2.1) | 1,500 | nd | 4.6 [1.5] | 25/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2005 | 5.4 | tr(2.1) | 1,600 | nd | 5.1 [1.7] | 23/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2006 | 6 | tr(2) | 890 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2007 | 4 | nd | 750 | nd | 4 [2] | 12/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(3) | nd | 610 | nd | 6 [2] | 7/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2009 | tr(4) | nd | 700 | nd | 5 [2] | 14/31 | 4/7 |
| | 2010 | 4 | tr(2) | 870 | nd | 3 [1] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | 9 | tr(2) | 1,400 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 3 | tr(1) | 580 | nd | 3 [1] | 3/5 | 3/5 |
| | 2013 | 3 | tr(1) | 230 | nd | 3 [1] | 3/5 | 3/5 |
| | 2014 | tr(1) | tr(2) | 3 | nd | 3 [1] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(1.5) | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2016 | tr(1) | tr(1) | tr(2) | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | tr(1.7) | tr(1.6) | 3.0 | tr(1.0) | 2.3 [0.9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 4 [2] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| 2022 | tr(0.7) | tr(0.6) | 3.0 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | tr(3.6) | 4.0 | 16 | nd | 3.9 [1.3] | 59/70 | 13/14 |
| | 2004 | tr(4.2) | tr(3.5) | 270 | nd | 4.6 [1.5] | 54/70 | 11/14 |
| | 2005 | tr(3.2) | tr(3.1) | 32 | nd | 5.1 [1.7] | 55/80 | 12/16 |
| | 2006 | 4 | 3 | 35 | nd | 3 [1] | 72/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2007 | tr(3) | tr(2) | 31 | nd | 4 [2] | 42/80 | 10/16 |
| | 2008 | tr(4) | tr(3) | 77 | nd | 6 [2] | 54/85 | 12/17 |
| | 2009 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 18 | nd | 5 [2] | 57/90 | 13/18 |
| | 2010 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 36 | nd | 3 [1] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2011 | 3 | 4 | 19 | nd | 3 [1] | 14/18 | 14/18 |
| | 2012 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 12 | nd | 3 [1] | 14/19 | 14/19 |
| | 2013 | 3 | tr(2) | 40 | nd | 3 [1] | 14/19 | 14/19 |
| | 2014 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 23 | nd | 3 [1] | 14/19 | 14/19 |
| | 2015 | tr(1.7) | tr(1.8) | 17 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 12/19 | 12/19 |
| | 2016 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 10 | nd | 3 [1] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2017 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 23 | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 15/19 | 15/19 |
| 2019 | nd | nd | 5 | nd | 4 [2] | 6/16 | 6/16 | |
| 2022 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 5.5 | nd | 1.0 [0.4] | 13/18 | 13/18 | |

| δ -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2003 | 19 | 18 | 31 | 12 | 3.9 [1.3] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2004 | 30 | 14 | 260 | 6.4 | 4.6 [1.5] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2005 | 16 | 15 | 30 | 10 | 5.1 [1.7] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2006 | 13 | 12 | 21 | 9 | 3 [1] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2007 | 12 | 10 | 22 | 4 | 4 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | 9 | 8 | 31 | tr(3) | 6 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2009 | 5 | 6 | 9 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 12 | --- | 13 | 11 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 5 | 5 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 4 | --- | 7 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 3 | --- | 4 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | tr(2) | --- | 3 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2016 | tr(1) | --- | tr(2) | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | nd | --- | tr(1.0) | nd | 2.3 [0.9] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 4 | 4 | 4 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 1.6 | --- | 2.1 | 1.2 | 1.0 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2002 ~ 2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018 FY2020 and FY2021.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -HCH, β -HCH, γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) and δ -HCH in air during FY2002 ~ 2022

| α -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 58 | 58 | 340 | 19 | 0.12 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 21 | 18 | 400 | 7.8 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 46 | 51 | 280 | 14 | 1.4 [0.47] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 19 | 16 | 410 | 6.8 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 43 | 44 | 410 | 9.5 | 2.5 [0.83] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 18 | 15 | 680 | 6.5 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 37 | 37 | 250 | 15 | 2.1 [0.7] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 12 | 11 | 120 | 4.4 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 36 | 39 | 220 | 13 | 5.2 [1.7] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 10 | 8.8 | 75 | tr(3.9) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 44 | 40 | 650 | 14 | 0.19 [0.06] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 33 | 32 | 300 | 8.8 | 0.17 [0.06] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 39 | 35 | 520 | 5.4 | 0.17 [0.07] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 36 | 37 | 700 | 4.9 | 0.08 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 21 | 21 | 230 | 6.3 | 0.12 [0.05] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2022 | 14 | 14 | 100 | 2.9 | 0.10 [0.04] | 34/34 | 34/34 |

| β -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 5.6 | 5.6 | 28 | 0.96 | 0.09 [0.03] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 1.8 | 1.8 | 24 | 0.31 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 5.6 | 6.2 | 34 | 0.89 | 0.27 [0.09] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 1.7 | 1.7 | 29 | tr(0.26) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 5.0 | 5.2 | 49 | 0.84 | 0.39 [0.13] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 1.7 | 1.7 | 91 | tr(0.31) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 5.0 | 5.5 | 32 | 0.65 | 0.36 [0.12] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.93 | 1.1 | 8.5 | tr(0.26) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 4.7 | 5.7 | 37 | 0.66 | 0.21 [0.07] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.97 | 0.95 | 6.7 | tr(0.17) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 5.4 | 6.8 | 74 | 0.57 | 0.24 [0.08] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 34 | 0.36 | 0.25 [0.08] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 4.8 | 5.6 | 64 | 0.3 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 4.1 | 5.1 | 59 | 0.67 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 29 | 0.38 | 0.06 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2022 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 14 | 0.23 | 0.07 [0.03] | 34/34 | 34/34 | |
| γ -HCH (synonym: Lindane) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 17 | 19 | 65 | 2.9 | 0.06 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 5.6 | 4.6 | 55 | 1.5 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 14 | 16 | 66 | 2.3 | 0.35 [0.12] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 4.8 | 4.4 | 60 | 1.1 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 14 | 17 | 98 | 2.7 | 1.6 [0.52] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 5.1 | 4.8 | 67 | tr(1.1) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 13 | 15 | 55 | 2.3 | 0.95 [0.32] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 3.1 | 3.2 | 19 | tr(0.63) | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 12 | 14 | 58 | tr(2.0) | 2.2 [0.7] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 2.8 | 3.0 | 12 | nd | | 34/36 | 34/36 |
| | 2014 | 14 | 16 | 100 | 1.7 | 0.17 [0.06] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 8.3 | 10 | 51 | 1.4 | 0.19 [0.06] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 12 | 13 | 89 | 0.79 | 0.18 [0.07] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 10 | 11 | 93 | 0.84 | 0.10 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 6.4 | 7.0 | 49 | 0.88 | 0.12 [0.05] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2022 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 22 | 0.63 | 0.09 [0.03] | 34/34 | 34/34 | |
| δ -HCH | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 1.3 | 1.3 | 21 | 0.09 | 0.04 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.36 | 0.33 | 20 | 0.04 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 1.4 | 1.3 | 25 | 0.11 | 0.05 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.38 | 0.35 | 22 | 0.05 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 1.1 | 1.1 | 33 | 0.11 | 0.063 [0.021] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.35 | 0.34 | 26 | tr(0.050) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 1.0 | 1.3 | 20 | tr(0.06) | 0.07 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.18 | 0.19 | 7.3 | nd | | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 1.0 | 1.1 | 20 | tr(0.05) | 0.08 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 0.17 | 0.17 | 5.3 | nd | | 34/36 | 34/36 |
| | 2014 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 50 | tr(0.07) | 0.19 [0.06] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 0.55 | 0.71 | 22 | nd | 0.15 [0.05] | 32/35 | 32/35 |
| | 2016 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 46 | nd | 0.20 [0.08] | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2017 | 0.80 | 0.92 | 46 | nd | 0.08 [0.03] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2019 | 0.46 | 0.51 | 19 | tr(0.02) | 0.04 [0.02] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| 2022 | 0.57 | 0.62 | 12 | nd | 0.08 [0.03] | 32/34 | 32/34 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018 FY2020 and FY2021.

[12] Chlordecone (reference)

- History and state of monitoring (reference)

Chlordecone is a synthetic chlorinated organic compound, which was mainly used as an agricultural pesticide. No domestic record of manufacture/import of the substance was reported since it was historically never registered under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law. Chlordecone was adopted as a target chemical at the Fourth Meeting of the Conference of Parties (COP4) on Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2008. In the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was monitored in air in FY2003.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance was monitored in surface water sediment and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2008 FY2010 and FY201, and in air in FY2010 and FY2011.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2012. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2011 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2011

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlordecone in surface water during FY2008 ~ 2011

| Chlordecone | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2008 | nd | nd | 0.76 | nd | 0.14 [0.05] | 13/46 | 13/46 |
| | 2010 | tr(0.04) | nd | 1.6 | nd | 0.09 [0.04] | 13/49 | 13/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 0.70 | nd | 0.20 [0.05] | 15/49 | 15/49 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlordecone sediment during FY2008 ~ 2011

| Chlordecone | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2008 | nd | nd | 5.8 | nd | 0.42 [0.16] | 23/129 | 10/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 2.8 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 9/64 | 9/64 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 1.5 | nd | 0.40 [0.20] | 9/64 | 9/64 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2008.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlordecone in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2002 ~ 2014

| Chlordecone | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.6 [2.2] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.9 [2.3] | 0/6 | 0/6 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 0/4 | 0/4 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.6 [2.2] | 0/85 | 0/17 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.9 [2.3] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.6 [2.2] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 5.9 [2.3] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 0/1 | 0/1 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2008.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlordecone in air in FY2010 and 2011

| Chlordecone | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2010 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.04 [0.02] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.04 [0.02] | 0/35 | 0/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |

[13] Hexabromobiphenyls (reference)

- History and state of monitoring

Hexabromobiphenyls are industrial chemicals that have been used as flame retardants. Hexabromobiphenyls were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2009. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, the substance was monitored in surface water, sediment, wildlife (fish) and air in FY1989. Under the framework of the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. in the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was monitored surface water and sediment in FY2003, in air in FY2004.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substances has been monitored in surface water in FY2009 FY2010 and FY2011, in sediment and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2009 FY2010 FY2011 and FY2015, and in air in FY2010 2011 and FY2015.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2016. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2015 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2015

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexabromobiphenyls in surface water during FY2009 ~ 2011

| Hexabromobiphenyls | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit* | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 5.7 [2.2] | 0/49 | 0/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/49 | 0/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 2.2 [0.9] | 0/49 | 0/49 |

(Note) “***” indicates the sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener in FY2009 and FY2011.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexabromobiphenyls in sediment during FY2002 ~ 2015

| Hexabromobiphenyls | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit *2 | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | nd | nd | 12 | nd | 1.1 [0.40] | 45/190 | 21/64 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 18 | nd | 1.5 [0.6] | 10/64 | 10/64 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 6.3 | nd | 3.6 [1.4] | 8/64 | 8/64 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 15 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 9/62 | 9/62 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) *2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener in FY2009 and FY2011

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted during FY2012 ~ 2014.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexabromobiphenyls in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2009 ~ 2015

| Hexabromobiphenyls | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit *2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------|----------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | nd | nd | tr(0.53) | nd | 1.3 [0.43] | 1/31 | 1/7 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 24 [10] | 0/6 | 0/6 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 3 [1] | 0/4 | 0/4 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 14 [5] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | tr(0.49) | tr(0.43) | 6.0 | nd | 1.3 [0.43] | 46/90 | 12/18 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 24 [10] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 3 | nd | 3 [1] | 5/18 | 5/18 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 14 [5] | 0/19 | 0/19 |
| Birds *3 (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 2.1 | tr(1.2) | 1.3 [0.43] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 24 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 3 | 3 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 14 [5] | 0/1 | 0/1 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) *2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener in FY2009 and FY2010.

(Note 3) *3: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey in FY2015 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 4) No monitoring was conducted during FY2012 ~ 2014.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexabromobiphenyls in air during FY2010 ~ 2015

| Hexabromo biphenyls | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2010 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 0/35 | 0/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/37 | 0/37 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 1.1 | nd | 0.06 [0.02] | 2/35 | 2/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted during FY2012 ~ 2014.

[14] Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) (reference)

- History and state of monitoring

Polybrominated diphenyl ethers have been used as flame retardants for plastics products. Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers, Pentabromodiphenyl ethers, Hexabromodiphenyl ethers, and Heptabromodiphenyl ethers were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010. Also, Decabromodiphenyl ether was adopted as target chemicals at the COP8 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants held from late April to early May 2017. The substance was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2018.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2008. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, Decabromodiphenyl ether was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY1977 and FY1996, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₆, Br₈ and Br₁₀) were monitored in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY1987 and FY1988, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₁ ~ Br₇) were monitored in air in FY2001. In the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, Decabromodiphenyl ether was monitored in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2002, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₆, Br₈ and Br₁₀) were monitored in sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2003, Pentabromodiphenyl ethers were monitored in sediment and Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₁ ~ Br₇) in air in FY2004, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₁ ~ Br₇, Br₉ and Br₁₀) were monitored in surface water in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) have been monitored in surface water sediment and air in FY2009 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2019 and FY2022, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2008 FY2010 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2019 and FY2022.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2023. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2022 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2022

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) in surface water during FY2009 ~ 2022

| Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | 17 | 16 | 160 | nd | 8 [3] | 44/49 | 44/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 390 | nd | 9 [3] | 17/49 | 17/49 |
| | 2011 | 11 | 10 | 180 | nd | 4 [2] | 48/49 | 48/49 |
| | 2012 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 22 | nd | 4 [1] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2014 | tr(6) | tr(6) | 51 | tr(4) | 8 [3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 40 | tr(1.2) | 3.6 [1.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 5 | tr(5) | 47 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | tr(4) | tr(4) | 12 | nd | 9 [3] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 72 | nd | 13 [5] | 22/47 | 22/47 |
| | 2019 | tr(6) | tr(6) | 320 | nd | 11 [4] | 39/48 | 39/48 |
| | 2022 | tr(4) | tr(3) | 140 | tr(2) | 6 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |

| Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | 11 | 12 | 87 | nd | 11 [4] | 43/49 | 43/49 |
| | 2010 | tr(1) | tr(1) | 130 | nd | 3 [1] | 25/49 | 25/49 |
| | 2011 | 5 | 4 | 180 | nd | 3 [1] | 48/49 | 48/49 |
| | 2012 | tr(1) | tr(1) | 20 | nd | 2 [1] | 32/48 | 32/48 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 39 | nd | 4 [2] | 19/48 | 19/48 |
| | 2015 | tr(3.0) | tr(3.2) | 31 | nd | 6.3 [2.1] | 34/48 | 34/48 |
| | 2016 | tr(1.5) | tr(1.3) | 36 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 39/48 | 39/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | tr(1) | 8 | nd | 3 [1] | 24/47 | 24/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 110 | nd | 9 [3] | 13/47 | 13/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 69 | nd | 6 [2] | 19/48 | 19/48 |
| 2022 | tr(1.7) | tr(1.4) | 31 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 40/48 | 40/48 | |
| Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | tr(0.9) | tr(0.7) | 18 | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 26/49 | 26/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 51 | nd | 4 [2] | 16/49 | 16/49 |
| | 2011 | tr(1) | nd | 39 | nd | 3 [1] | 21/49 | 21/49 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 7 | nd | 3 [1] | 6/48 | 6/48 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 8 | nd | 4 [1] | 10/48 | 10/48 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 12 | nd | 1.5 [0.6] | 5/48 | 5/48 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 9.1 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 9/48 | 9/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(6) | nd | 7 [3] | 1/47 | 1/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 54 | nd | 3 [1] | 15/47 | 15/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 8 | nd | 2 [1] | 5/48 | 5/48 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 10 | nd | 3 [1] | 5/48 | 5/48 | |
| Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | nd | nd | 40 | nd | 4 [2] | 9/49 | 9/49 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 14 | nd | 3 [1] | 17/49 | 17/49 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 14 | nd | 6 [2] | 14/49 | 14/49 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 10 | nd | 4 [1] | 9/48 | 9/48 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 8 | nd | 8 [3] | 3/48 | 3/48 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 28 | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 9/48 | 9/48 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 11 | nd | 7 [3] | 10/48 | 10/48 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 14 [5] | 1/47 | 1/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 65 | nd | 8 [3] | 3/47 | 3/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 6 | nd | 4 [2] | 2/48 | 2/48 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | tr(6) | nd | 8 [3] | 1/48 | 1/48 | |
| Octabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 56 | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 37/49 | 37/49 |
| | 2010 | tr(2) | tr(2) | 69 | nd | 3 [1] | 40/49 | 40/49 |
| | 2011 | 4 | 3 | 98 | nd | 2 [1] | 44/49 | 44/49 |
| | 2012 | tr(2) | nd | 35 | nd | 4 [2] | 16/48 | 16/48 |
| | 2014 | 2.5 | 3.7 | 38 | nd | 1.6 [0.6] | 33/48 | 33/48 |
| | 2015 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 36 | nd | 1.5 [0.6] | 31/48 | 31/48 |
| | 2016 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 230 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 44/48 | 44/48 |
| | 2017 | tr(2) | nd | 33 | nd | 2 [1] | 22/47 | 22/47 |
| | 2018 | tr(2) | tr(1) | 69 | nd | 3 [1] | 35/47 | 35/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 14 | nd | 3 [1] | 12/48 | 12/48 |
| 2022 | tr(0.9) | nd | 26 | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 17/48 | 17/48 | |

| Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | tr(46) | tr(38) | 500 | nd | 91 [30] | 32/49 | 32/49 |
| | 2010 | tr(17) | tr(13) | 620 | nd | 21 [7] | 39/49 | 39/49 |
| | 2011 | 33 | 24 | 920 | nd | 10 [4] | 47/49 | 47/49 |
| | 2012 | tr(21) | tr(19) | 320 | nd | 40 [13] | 30/48 | 30/48 |
| | 2014 | 37 | 38 | 590 | nd | 6 [2] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2015 | 36 | 33 | 330 | nd | 6 [2] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2016 | 43 | 45 | 3,900 | tr(2) | 4 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 17 | 26 | 460 | nd | 7 [3] | 37/47 | 37/47 |
| | 2018 | 12 | 12 | 170 | nd | 6 [2] | 46/47 | 46/47 |
| | 2019 | tr(7) | 8 | 150 | nd | 8 [3] | 27/48 | 27/48 |
| 2022 | tr(8) | tr(5) | 670 | nd | 10 [4] | 25/48 | 25/48 | |

| Decabromodiphenyl ether | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | tr(310) | tr(220) | 3,400 | nd | 600 [200] | 26/49 | 26/49 |
| | 2010 | tr(250) | tr(200) | 13,000 | nd | 300 [100] | 31/49 | 31/49 |
| | 2011 | 200 | 140 | 58,000 | nd | 60 [20] | 45/49 | 45/49 |
| | 2012 | tr(400) | tr(320) | 12,000 | nd | 660 [220] | 31/48 | 31/48 |
| | 2014 | 200 | 230 | 5,600 | tr(14) | 22 [9] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 720 | 570 | 13,000 | 140 | 18 [7] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 210 | 160 | 34,000 | tr(12) | 14 [6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 150 | 210 | 4,100 | nd | 24 [8] | 46/47 | 46/47 |
| | 2018 | 120 | 110 | 2,700 | 12 | 11 [4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 110 | 99 | 2,200 | tr(10) | 14 [6] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| 2022 | 89 | 72 | 5,600 | tr(7) | 8 [3] | 48/48 | 48/48 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2020 and FY2021.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) in sediment during FY2009 ~ 2022

| Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | tr(60) | tr(44) | 1,400 | nd | 69 [23] | 131/192 | 51/64 |
| | 2010 | 35 | 38 | 910 | nd | 6 [2] | 57/64 | 57/64 |
| | 2011 | 32 | 30 | 2,600 | nd | 30 [10] | 47/64 | 47/64 |
| | 2012 | 27 | 37 | 4,500 | nd | 2 [1] | 60/63 | 60/63 |
| | 2014 | tr(24) | tr(19) | 550 | nd | 27 [9] | 44/63 | 44/63 |
| | 2015 | 30 | 28 | 1,400 | nd | 21 [7] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2016 | tr(21) | tr(16) | 390 | nd | 33 [11] | 35/62 | 35/62 |
| | 2017 | 13 | 10 | 570 | nd | 9 [4] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2018 | 21 | tr(16) | 3,100 | nd | 18 [6] | 43/61 | 43/61 |
| | 2019 | 15 | 14 | 710 | nd | 5 [2] | 58/61 | 58/61 |
| 2022 | 6.9 | 6.4 | 1,800 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 52/61 | 52/61 | |

| Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 36 | 24 | 1,700 | nd | 24 [8] | 146/192 | 57/64 |
| | 2010 | 26 | 23 | 740 | nd | 5 [2] | 58/64 | 58/64 |
| | 2011 | 24 | 18 | 4,700 | nd | 5 [2] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2012 | 21 | 21 | 2,900 | nd | 2.4 [0.9] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| | 2014 | 16 | 14 | 570 | nd | 6 [2] | 53/63 | 53/63 |
| | 2015 | 23 | 20 | 1,300 | nd | 18 [6] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2016 | 13 | tr(10) | 400 | nd | 12 [4] | 46/62 | 46/62 |
| | 2017 | 10 | tr(5.5) | 560 | nd | 9 [4] | 37/62 | 37/62 |
| | 2018 | 19 | 24 | 2,800 | nd | 4 [2] | 53/61 | 53/61 |
| | 2019 | 9 | 9 | 740 | nd | 3 [1] | 52/61 | 52/61 |
| 2022 | 5 | 5 | 850 | nd | 4 [1] | 45/61 | 45/61 | |

| Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 21 | 21 | 2,600 | nd | 5 [2] | 139/192 | 53/64 |
| | 2010 | 23 | 23 | 770 | nd | 4 [2] | 57/64 | 57/64 |
| | 2011 | 31 | 42 | 2,000 | nd | 9 [3] | 52/64 | 52/64 |
| | 2012 | 15 | 19 | 1,700 | nd | 3 [1] | 48/63 | 48/63 |
| | 2014 | 21 | 27 | 730 | nd | 5 [2] | 50/63 | 50/63 |
| | 2015 | 11 | 15 | 820 | nd | 3 [1] | 42/62 | 42/62 |
| | 2016 | 17 | 19 | 600 | nd | 8 [3] | 40/62 | 40/62 |
| | 2017 | 16 | 24 | 570 | nd | 6 [2] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2018 | 29 | 37 | 1,300 | nd | 3 [1] | 52/61 | 52/61 |
| | 2019 | 14 | 17 | 690 | nd | 4 [2] | 41/61 | 41/61 |
| 2022 | 10 | 14 | 420 | nd | 3 [1] | 46/61 | 46/61 | |
| Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 30 | 25 | 16,000 | nd | 9 [4] | 125/192 | 51/64 |
| | 2010 | 28 | 18 | 930 | nd | 4 [2] | 58/64 | 58/64 |
| | 2011 | 29 | 32 | 2,400 | nd | 7 [3] | 55/64 | 55/64 |
| | 2012 | 34 | 32 | 4,400 | nd | 4 [2] | 48/63 | 48/63 |
| | 2014 | 19 | tr(14) | 680 | nd | 16 [6] | 41/63 | 41/63 |
| | 2015 | 16 | 21 | 1,800 | nd | 3 [1] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2016 | 16 | 17 | 1,100 | nd | 6 [2] | 44/62 | 44/62 |
| | 2017 | 18 | 16 | 580 | nd | 15 [6] | 36/62 | 36/62 |
| | 2018 | 44 | 48 | 1,900 | nd | 14 [5] | 46/61 | 46/61 |
| | 2019 | 15 | 11 | 1,400 | nd | 6 [3] | 39/61 | 39/61 |
| 2022 | 10 | 12 | 940 | nd | 8 [3] | 39/61 | 39/61 | |
| Octabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 210 | 96 | 110,000 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 182/192 | 63/64 |
| | 2010 | 71 | 76 | 1,800 | nd | 10 [4] | 60/64 | 60/64 |
| | 2011 | 57 | 64 | 36,000 | nd | 10 [4] | 55/64 | 55/64 |
| | 2012 | 78 | 74 | 15,000 | nd | 19 [6] | 47/63 | 47/63 |
| | 2014 | 52 | 58 | 2,000 | nd | 12 [4] | 55/63 | 55/63 |
| | 2015 | 58 | tr(44) | 1,400 | nd | 48 [16] | 41/62 | 41/62 |
| | 2016 | 51 | 49 | 1,400 | nd | 6 [2] | 55/62 | 55/62 |
| | 2017 | 38 | 58 | 1,900 | nd | 5 [2] | 48/62 | 48/62 |
| | 2018 | 100 | 140 | 5,500 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 57/61 | 57/61 |
| | 2019 | 33 | 47 | 2,000 | nd | 3 [1] | 50/61 | 50/61 |
| 2022 | 31 | 49 | 1,600 | nd | 7 [3] | 45/61 | 45/61 | |
| Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 1,100 | 710 | 230,000 | nd | 9 [4] | 181/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 360 | 430 | 26,000 | nd | 24 [9] | 60/64 | 60/64 |
| | 2011 | 710 | 630 | 70,000 | nd | 23 [9] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2012 | 360 | 380 | 84,000 | nd | 34 [11] | 52/63 | 52/63 |
| | 2014 | 470 | 470 | 42,000 | nd | 60 [20] | 60/63 | 60/63 |
| | 2015 | 300 | 420 | 11,000 | nd | 24 [8] | 55/62 | 55/62 |
| | 2016 | 430 | 390 | 26,000 | nd | 27 [9] | 60/62 | 60/62 |
| | 2017 | 400 | 490 | 29,000 | nd | 15 [5] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2018 | 690 | 770 | 56,000 | nd | 5 [2] | 60/61 | 60/61 |
| | 2019 | 310 | 420 | 40,000 | nd | 5 [2] | 59/61 | 59/61 |
| 2022 | 340 | 510 | 43,000 | nd | 14 [5] | 56/61 | 56/61 | |

| Decabromodiphenyl ether | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 6,000 | 4,800 | 880,000 | tr(30) | 60 [20] | 192/192 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 5,100 | 4,200 | 700,000 | nd | 220 [80] | 60/64 | 60/64 |
| | 2011 | 4,200 | 4,700 | 700,000 | nd | 40 [20] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2012 | 5,700 | 6,300 | 760,000 | nd | 270 [89] | 60/63 | 60/63 |
| | 2014 | 5,600 | 5,000 | 980,000 | nd | 240 [80] | 61/63 | 61/63 |
| | 2015 | 6,600 | 7,200 | 490,000 | 40 | 40 [20] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 4,700 | 5,100 | 940,000 | nd | 120 [41] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2017 | 4,600 | 5,700 | 580,000 | tr(27) | 30 [10] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 5,100 | 6,300 | 520,000 | tr(14) | 42 [14] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2019 | 4,400 | 6,300 | 560,000 | 14 | 4 [2] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| 2022 | 3,300 | 4,100 | 410,000 | tr(17) | 21 [8] | 61/61 | 61/61 | |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2020 and FY2021.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2008 ~ 2022

| Tetrabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 73 | 61 | 380 | 20 | 5.9 [2.2] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 59 | 73 | 310 | nd | 43 [16] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | 96 | 120 | 490 | 26 | 16 [6] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 59 | 44 | 190 | 24 | 19 [7] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 56 | 38 | 140 | 33 | 15 [6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 48 | 38 | 89 | 32 | 15 [6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 42 | 32 | 98 | 23 | 13 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 47 | 23 | 200 | 23 | 16 [6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 36 | 26 | 68 | 26 | 14 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 26 | tr(17) | 68 | tr(15) | 18 [7] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2022 | 16 | tr(7) | 94 | tr(6) | 13 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 120 | 110 | 1,300 | 9.8 | 5.9 [2.2] | 85/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2010 | 160 | 170 | 740 | tr(16) | 43 [16] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 110 | 110 | 860 | tr(9) | 16 [6] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 120 | 140 | 650 | tr(10) | 19 [7] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2014 | 150 | 160 | 1,300 | 18 | 15 [6] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2015 | 90 | 82 | 580 | tr(14) | 15 [6] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2016 | 76 | 53 | 390 | tr(10) | 13 [5] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | 80 | 73 | 360 | tr(7) | 16 [6] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 79 | 61 | 440 | tr(13) | 14 [5] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2019 | 57 | 62 | 210 | tr(10) | 18 [7] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| 2022 | 38 | 44 | 230 | tr(6) | 13 [5] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 170 | 190 | 1,200 | 32 | 5.9 [2.2] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 140 | --- | 270 | 72 | 43 [16] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 67 | 67 | 16 [6] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 73 | --- | 110 | 49 | 19 [7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 190 | --- | 480 | 78 | 15 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 36 | 36 | 15 [6] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 170 | --- | 470 | 62 | 13 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 130 | --- | 660 | 26 | 16 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 290 | --- | 310 | 280 | 14 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 210 | 210 | 18 [7] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 210 | --- | 250 | 180 | 13 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

| Pentabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 32 | 27 | 94 | tr(11) | 16 [5.9] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 32 | 37 | 98 | tr(9) | 14 [6] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 51 | 60 | 160 | tr(12) | 15 [6] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 28 | 24 | 67 | tr(8) | 18 [6] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 30 | 37 | 41 | 18 | 12 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 13 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 11 | 9 | 20 | tr(8) | 9 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 18 | 16 | 62 | tr(6) | 12 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 13 | 21 | 23 | tr(5) | 11 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 12 | 12 | 28 | tr(5) | 10 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2022 | 4 | tr(2) | 26 | nd | 4 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 30 | 37 | 280 | nd | 16 [5.9] | 72/85 | 16/17 |
| | 2010 | 51 | 54 | 200 | nd | 14 [6] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2011 | 39 | 39 | 300 | nd | 15 [6] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2012 | 37 | 54 | 180 | nd | 18 [6] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2014 | 41 | 47 | 570 | nd | 12 [5] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 22 | 17 | 140 | nd | 13 [5] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2016 | 18 | 14 | 87 | tr(4) | 9 [4] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | 23 | 28 | 87 | nd | 12 [5] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2018 | 21 | 21 | 100 | nd | 11 [4] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2019 | 17 | 18 | 58 | tr(4) | 10 [4] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| 2022 | 15 | 20 | 82 | nd | 4 [2] | 17/18 | 17/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 150 | 130 | 440 | 52 | 16 [5.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 150 | --- | 200 | 120 | 14 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 110 | 110 | 15 [6] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 85 | --- | 110 | 66 | 18 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 100 | --- | 320 | 31 | 12 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 22 | 22 | 13 [5] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 88 | --- | 300 | 26 | 9 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 77 | --- | 500 | 12 | 12 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 180 | --- | 240 | 140 | 11 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 150 | 150 | 10 [4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 230 | --- | 260 | 200 | 4 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 19 | 16 | 82 | tr(5.3) | 14 [5.0] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 8 | 16 | 26 | nd | 8 [3] | 4/6 | 4/6 |
| | 2011 | 38 | 41 | 81 | 20 | 10 [4] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 21 | 23 | 130 | tr(6) | 10 [4] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 23 | 21 | 52 | 11 | 10 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | tr(9) | tr(6) | 41 | nd | 12 [5] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2016 | tr(13) | tr(13) | 40 | nd | 21 [8] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | tr(14) | 20 | 36 | nd | 17 [7] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2018 | tr(12) | tr(12) | 34 | nd | 21 [8] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 24 | nd | 21 [8] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | tr(2) | nd | 5 | nd | 5 [2] | 1/3 | 1/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 46 | 51 | 310 | nd | 14 [5.0] | 83/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2010 | 39 | 47 | 400 | nd | 8 [3] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2011 | 53 | 50 | 430 | nd | 10 [4] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2012 | 55 | 71 | 320 | nd | 10 [4] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2014 | 60 | 61 | 1,100 | nd | 10 [4] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 44 | 45 | 250 | nd | 12 [5] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2016 | 42 | 36 | 190 | nd | 21 [8] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | 49 | 49 | 210 | nd | 17 [7] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2018 | 44 | 48 | 190 | nd | 21 [8] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2019 | 42 | 40 | 290 | tr(12) | 21 [8] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| 2022 | 20 | 24 | 96 | nd | 5 [2] | 17/18 | 17/18 | |

| Hexabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 140 | 120 | 380 | 62 | 14 [5.0] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 110 | --- | 140 | 86 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 96 | 96 | 10 [4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 150 | --- | 320 | 72 | 10 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 170 | --- | 680 | 42 | 10 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 30 | 30 | 12 [5] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 220 | --- | 740 | 68 | 21 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 230 | --- | 1,000 | 51 | 17 [7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 650 | --- | 1,300 | 330 | 21 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 480 | 480 | 21 [8] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 340 | --- | 480 | 240 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Heptabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | tr(8.5) | tr(7.6) | 35 | nd | 18 [6.7] | 20/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/6 | 1/6 |
| | 2011 | 14 | 26 | 44 | nd | 11 [4] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(8) | tr(6) | 59 | nd | 12 [5] | 3/5 | 3/5 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 13 | nd | 12 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(11) | nd | 12 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | tr(8) | nd | 13 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(9) | nd | 22 [8] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 15 [6] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(18) | nd | 24 [9] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | tr(11) | tr(8.1) | 77 | nd | 18 [6.7] | 44/85 | 10/17 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 40 | nd | 30 [10] | 4/18 | 4/18 |
| | 2011 | 13 | 21 | 130 | nd | 11 [4] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2012 | tr(11) | 18 | 120 | nd | 12 [5] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2014 | tr(10) | 13 | 280 | nd | 12 [5] | 10/19 | 10/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 44 | nd | 12 [5] | 4/19 | 4/19 |
| | 2016 | tr(9) | tr(7) | 85 | nd | 13 [5] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(11) | tr(12) | 55 | nd | 22 [8] | 10/19 | 10/19 |
| | 2018 | tr(9) | tr(8) | 58 | nd | 15 [6] | 11/18 | 11/18 |
| | 2019 | tr(10) | tr(10) | 82 | nd | 24 [9] | 9/16 | 9/16 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | tr(8) | nd | 10 [4] | 4/18 | 4/18 | |
| Birds *2* (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 35 | 35 | 53 | 19 | 18 [6.7] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | tr(19) | --- | 70 | nd | 30 [10] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 44 | 44 | 11 [4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 63 | --- | 280 | 14 | 12 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 19 | --- | 150 | nd | 12 [5] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(11) | tr(11) | 12 [5] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 65 | --- | 220 | 19 | 13 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 89 | --- | 440 | tr(18) | 22 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 230 | --- | 480 | 110 | 15 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 260 | 260 | 24 [9] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 69 | --- | 96 | 49 | 10 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Octabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | 10 | nd | 9.6 [3.6] | 15/31 | 6/7 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 11 [4] | 2/6 | 2/6 |
| | 2011 | 7 | 9 | 29 | nd | 7 [3] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | 8 | tr(7) | 25 | nd | 8 [3] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | tr(9.2) | 11 | 14 | tr(5) | 11 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 14 [5] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 16 [6] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(9) | nd | 20 [8] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 16 [6] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | tr(8) | nd | 39 | nd | 17 [7] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | tr(1) | nd | 2 [1] | 1/3 | 1/3 | |

| Octabromodiphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | tr(5.7) | nd | 73 | nd | 9.6 [3.6] | 35/85 | 7/17 |
| | 2010 | tr(6) | nd | 100 | nd | 11 [4] | 8/18 | 8/18 |
| | 2011 | tr(6) | tr(7) | 150 | nd | 7 [3] | 10/18 | 10/18 |
| | 2012 | tr(7) | 8 | 160 | nd | 8 [3] | 12/19 | 12/19 |
| | 2014 | 14 | 13 | 540 | nd | 11 [4] | 15/19 | 15/19 |
| | 2015 | tr(7) | nd | 60 | nd | 14 [5] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| | 2016 | tr(8) | nd | 86 | nd | 16 [6] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(9.7) | nd | 88 | nd | 20 [8] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| | 2018 | tr(7) | nd | 74 | nd | 16 [6] | 8/18 | 8/18 |
| | 2019 | tr(8) | nd | 120 | nd | 17 [7] | 8/16 | 8/16 |
| 2022 | 3 | 4 | 29 | nd | 2 [1] | 13/18 | 13/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | 42 | 41 | 64 | 30 | 9.6 [3.6] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 41 | --- | 65 | 26 | 11 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 66 | 66 | 7 [3] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 130 | --- | 420 | 40 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 17 | --- | 140 | nd | 11 [4] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(5) | tr(5) | 14 [5] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 65 | --- | 220 | 19 | 16 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 130 | --- | 720 | 25 | 20 [8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 190 | --- | 580 | 61 | 16 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 330 | 330 | 17 [7] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 160 | --- | 180 | 150 | 2 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Nonabromodiphenyl ethers | 2008 | nd | nd | tr(23) | nd | 35 [13] | 5/31 | 1/7 |
| | 2010 | tr(16) | tr(15) | 60 | nd | 30 [10] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | tr(12) | tr(11) | 40 | nd | 22 [9] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(15) | 25 | 45 | nd | 24 [9] | 3/5 | 3/5 |
| | 2014 | 40 | tr(20) | 110 | tr(20) | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(11) | nd | 23 [9] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 36 [14] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | tr(20) | nd | 81 | nd | 50 [20] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | tr(15) | nd | 35 [13] | 2/85 | 2/17 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | 40 | nd | 30 [10] | 3/18 | 3/18 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | tr(15) | nd | 22 [9] | 5/18 | 5/18 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 54 | nd | 24 [9] | 9/19 | 9/19 |
| | 2014 | tr(10) | tr(20) | 40 | nd | 30 [10] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 35 | nd | 23 [9] | 6/19 | 6/19 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | tr(22) | nd | 36 [14] | 3/19 | 3/19 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 68 | nd | 50 [20] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/16 | 0/16 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/18 | 0/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | tr(21) | tr(20) | tr(33) | nd | 35 [13] | 9/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 32 | --- | 50 | tr(20) | 30 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 62 | 62 | 22 [9] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 100 | --- | 150 | 67 | 24 [9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | tr(10) | --- | tr(20) | tr(10) | 30 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(12) | tr(12) | 23 [9] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | nd | --- | tr(21) | nd | 36 [14] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2017 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2018 | 49 | --- | 53 | 46 | 40 [20] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| 2022 | tr(4) | --- | 10 | nd | 10 [4] | 1/2 | 1/2 | |

| Decabromodiphenyl ether | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | tr(170) | nd | 220 [74] | 8/31 | 3/7 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | tr(190) | nd | 270 [97] | 2/6 | 2/6 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 240 | nd | 230 [80] | 1/4 | 1/4 |
| | 2012 | 120 | 170 | 480 | nd | 120 [50] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | 220 | tr(150) | 570 | tr(120) | 170 [60] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(70) | nd | 170 [70] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | tr(110) | nd | 300 [100] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(180) | nd | 210 [80] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 240 [80] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(180) | nd | 190 [70] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | tr(5) | nd | 15 | nd | 13 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | 230 | nd | 220 [74] | 5/76 | 4/16 |
| | 2010 | nd | nd | tr(150) | nd | 270 [97] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | tr(90) | nd | 230 [80] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2012 | tr(59) | tr(60) | 380 | nd | 120 [50] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2014 | tr(75) | tr(70) | 300 | nd | 170 [60] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 380 | nd | 170 [70] | 5/19 | 5/19 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | tr(190) | nd | 300 [100] | 7/19 | 7/19 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 2,100 | nd | 210 [80] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(110) | nd | 240 [80] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 190 [70] | 0/16 | 0/16 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | tr(7) | nd | 13 [5] | 1/18 | 1/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2008 | nd | nd | tr(110) | nd | 220 [74] | 4/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2010 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 270 [97] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | tr(170) | tr(170) | 230 [80] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 250 | --- | 260 | 240 | 120 [50] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | tr(65) | --- | tr(140) | nd | 170 [60] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(90) | tr(90) | 170 [70] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 300 [100] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2017 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 210 [80] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2018 | tr(210) | --- | 500 | tr(90) | 240 [80] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 190 [70] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| 2022 | tr(5) | --- | tr(9) | nd | 13 [5] | 1/2 | 1/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2008.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 FY2013 FY2020 and FY2021.

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Stocktaking of the detection of Polybromodiphenyl ethers (Br₄ ~ Br₁₀) in air during FY2008 ~ 2022

| Tetrabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------|---------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 0.89 | 0.80 | 18 | 0.11 | 0.11 [0.04] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.40 | 0.37 | 7.1 | tr(0.04) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.79 | 0.57 | 50 | 0.15 | 0.12 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.40 | 0.35 | 25 | tr(0.09) | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 0.80 | 0.72 | 9.3 | tr(0.11) | 0.18 [0.07] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.36 | 0.34 | 7.0 | nd | | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 0.7 | 0.7 | 5.7 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 1.7 | nd | | 25/36 | 25/36 |
| | 2014 | 0.53 | 0.47 | 2.3 | tr(0.09) | 0.28 [0.09] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | tr(0.3) | tr(0.3) | 2.7 | nd | 0.4 [0.1] | 30/35 | 30/35 |
| | 2016 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 28 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 30/37 | 30/37 |
| | 2017 | 0.39 | 0.34 | 4.1 | tr(0.06) | 0.15 [0.05] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 0.28 | 0.26 | 3.9 | 0.05 | 0.05 [0.02] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 0.25 | 0.23 | 5.5 | tr(0.03) | 0.04 [0.01] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2022 | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 1.1 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 20/36 | 20/36 |

| Pentabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------|---------|-------------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | 0.20 | 0.19 | 18 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 33/37 | 33/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.19 | 0.16 | 10 | nd | | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.20 | 0.17 | 45 | nd | 0.12 [0.05] | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.20 | 0.22 | 28 | nd | | 34/37 | 34/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 0.19 | 0.17 | 8.8 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 31/35 | 31/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.16 | tr(0.14) | 2.6 | nd | | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | tr(0.13) | tr(0.12) | 2.4 | nd | 0.14 [0.06] | 30/36 | 30/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | tr(0.09) | tr(0.09) | 0.77 | nd | | 26/36 | 26/36 |
| | 2014 | tr(0.13) | tr(0.14) | 0.80 | nd | 0.28 [0.09] | 25/36 | 25/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 0.9 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 6/35 | 6/35 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 28 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 6/37 | 6/37 |
| | 2017 | 0.11 | 0.10 | 3.4 | nd | 0.10 [0.04] | 33/37 | 33/37 |
| | 2018 | tr(0.08) | nd | 4.1 | nd | 0.20 [0.08] | 18/37 | 18/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(0.10) | tr(0.06) | 6.1 | nd | 0.12 [0.05] | 27/36 | 27/36 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 0.31 | nd | 0.12 [0.05] | 13/36 | 13/36 | |
| Hexabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | tr(0.11) | tr(0.11) | 2.0 | nd | 0.22 [0.09] | 19/37 | 19/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(0.20) | 0.22 | 27 | nd | | 24/37 | 24/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | tr(0.14) | tr(0.13) | 4.9 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.24 | 0.27 | 5.4 | nd | | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | tr(0.11) | tr(0.10) | 1.2 | nd | 0.14 [0.05] | 28/35 | 28/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.16 | 0.18 | 1.7 | nd | | 30/37 | 30/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | 3.1 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 9/36 | 9/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 0.5 | nd | | 22/36 | 22/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 0.4 | nd | 0.4 [0.1] | 5/36 | 5/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 2.0 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 3/35 | 3/35 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 2.7 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 3/37 | 3/37 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 2.1 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 11/37 | 11/37 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 1.5 | nd | 0.17 [0.06] | 9/37 | 9/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(0.05) | nd | 0.79 | nd | 0.13 [0.05] | 15/36 | 15/36 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 0.6 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 1/36 | 1/36 | |
| Heptabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | tr(0.1) | nd | 1.7 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 17/37 | 17/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(0.2) | 0.3 | 20 | nd | | 25/37 | 25/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | tr(0.2) | tr(0.1) | 1.4 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 24/37 | 24/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.3 | 0.4 | 11 | nd | | 28/37 | 28/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 1.1 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 20/35 | 20/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 2.3 | nd | | 25/37 | 25/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | 1.8 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 6/36 | 6/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | 0.7 | nd | | 8/36 | 8/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(0.4) | nd | 0.7 [0.2] | 2/36 | 2/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(0.6) | nd | 1.3 [0.4] | 2/35 | 2/35 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 1.3 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 1/37 | 1/37 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | 3.2 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 10/37 | 10/37 |
| | 2018 | tr(0.09) | nd | 1.3 | nd | 0.20 [0.08] | 16/37 | 16/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 2.7 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 24/36 | 24/36 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 1.0 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 1/36 | 1/36 | |

| Octabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|-----------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | tr(0.2) | 0.3 | 1.6 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 23/37 | 23/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 0.3 | 0.4 | 7.1 | nd | | 26/37 | 26/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 0.25 | 0.30 | 2.3 | nd | 0.15 [0.06] | 30/37 | 30/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 0.40 | 0.52 | 6.9 | nd | | 32/37 | 32/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 0.24 | 0.31 | 1.9 | nd | 0.20 [0.08] | 27/35 | 27/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 0.35 | 0.44 | 7.0 | nd | | 30/37 | 30/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 1.2 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 29/36 | 29/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.3 | 0.4 | 1.2 | nd | | 30/36 | 30/36 |
| | 2014 | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 0.7 | nd | 0.4 [0.1] | 22/36 | 22/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 3.8 | nd | 1.1 [0.4] | 9/35 | 9/35 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | 1.6 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 18/37 | 18/37 |
| | 2017 | tr(0.19) | 0.23 | 5.7 | nd | 0.21 [0.07] | 28/37 | 28/37 |
| | 2018 | 0.15 | 0.14 | 1.3 | nd | 0.11 [0.04] | 34/37 | 34/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(0.2) | tr(0.2) | 2.6 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 32/36 | 32/36 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 0.4 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 12/36 | 12/36 | |
| Nonabromo diphenyl ethers | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | tr(0.7) | tr(0.7) | 3.0 | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 22/37 | 22/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(1.0) | tr(0.8) | 3.9 | nd | | 27/37 | 27/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | nd | nd | 24 | nd | 3.7 [1.2] | 12/37 | 12/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | tr(1.2) | tr(1.3) | 7.1 | nd | | 22/37 | 22/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | tr(0.8) | 0.9 | 3.9 | nd | 0.9 [0.4] | 29/35 | 29/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 1.1 | 1.1 | 14 | nd | | 30/37 | 30/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | tr(0.5) | tr(0.5) | 5.1 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 24/36 | 24/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | tr(0.9) | tr(1.1) | 4.7 | nd | | 30/36 | 30/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(3) | nd | 4 [1] | 7/36 | 7/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 12 | nd | 3.2 [1.1] | 14/35 | 14/35 |
| | 2016 | tr(0.9) | tr(0.9) | 11 | nd | 1.4 [0.5] | 28/37 | 28/37 |
| | 2017 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 40 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2018 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 3 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2019 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 3.1 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 34/36 | 34/36 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | 1.0 | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 15/36 | 15/36 | |
| Decabromo diphenyl ether | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2009 Warm season | tr(7) | tr(9) | 31 | nd | 16 [5] | 28/37 | 28/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | tr(10) | tr(11) | 45 | nd | | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | nd | nd | 290 | nd | 27 [9.1] | 10/37 | 10/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | tr(11) | tr(12) | 88 | nd | | 21/37 | 21/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | tr(8.2) | tr(9.0) | 30 | nd | 12 [4.0] | 31/35 | 31/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | tr(8.4) | tr(9.0) | 44 | nd | | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | 31 | nd | 16 [5] | 17/36 | 17/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | tr(10) | tr(12) | 73 | nd | | 28/36 | 28/36 |
| | 2014 | tr(4.7) | tr(5.0) | 64 | nd | 9 [3] | 24/36 | 24/36 |
| | 2015 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 61 | nd | 2.2 [0.7] | 30/35 | 30/35 |
| | 2016 | 5 | 5 | 86 | nd | 3 [1] | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2017 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 140 | nd | 2.4 [0.8] | 34/37 | 34/37 |
| | 2018 | 2.6 | 3.4 | 19 | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2019 | 1.8 | 2.6 | 14 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 32/36 | 32/36 |
| 2022 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 16 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 33/36 | 33/36 | |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2020 and FY2021.

[15] Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS)

- History and state of monitoring

Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) has been used as electric and electronic parts, fire fighting foam, photo imaging, hydraulic fluids and textiles. Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid, its salts and perfluorooctane sulfonyl fluoride were adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009, and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2008. Under the framework the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. in the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was monitored in surface water in FY2002, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2003, air in FY2004, surface water, sediment and wildlife (bivalves and fish) in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2009 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2016 and FY2018 ~ 2024, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2009 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2017 and FY2019 ~ 2024, and in air in FY2010 ~ 2017 and FY2019 ~ 2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 45 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 30 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 3,100 pg/L.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009 to FY2024, a reduction tendencies in specimens from lake areas and sea areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in surface water was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) in surface water during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | 730 | 580 | 14,000 | tr(26) | 37 [14] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 490 | 380 | 230,000 | tr(37) | 50 [20] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 480 | 360 | 10,000 | tr(20) | 50 [20] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 550 | 510 | 14,000 | 39 | 31 [12] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 460 | 410 | 7,500 | nd | 50 [20] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2015 | 630 | 490 | 4,700 | 120 | 29 [11] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 330 | 300 | 14,000 | tr(23) | 50 [20] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2018 | 310 | 300 | 4,100 | nd | 70 [30] | 42/47 | 42/47 |
| | 2019 | 290 | 260 | 2,500 | nd | 80 [30] | 47/48 | 47/48 |
| | 2020 | 330 | 260 | 3,700 | tr(52) | 80 [30] | 46/46 | 46/46 |
| | 2021 | 330 | 300 | 3,700 | tr(30) | 80 [30] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2022 | 270 | 220 | 3,600 | nd | 80 [30] | 46/48 | 46/48 |
| | 2023 | 230 | 250 | 4,100 | nd | 80 [30] | 43/47 | 43/47 |
| | 2024 | 230 | 200 | 3,100 | nd | 70 [30] | 45/47 | 45/47 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2017.

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 4 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was tr(5) ~ 300 pg/g-dry.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river mouth areas and sea areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in sediment was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) in sediment during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 78 | 97 | 1,900 | nd | 9.6 [3.7] | 180/190 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 82 | 100 | 1,700 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 92 | 110 | 1,100 | nd | 5 [2] | 63/64 | 63/64 |
| | 2012 | 68 | 84 | 1,200 | tr(7) | 9 [4] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 59 | 79 | 980 | nd | 5 [2] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| | 2015 | 91 | 88 | 2,200 | 7 | 3 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 54 | 61 | 690 | 5 | 5 [2] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 43 | 57 | 700 | nd | 7 [3] | 55/61 | 55/61 |
| | 2019 | 44 | 46 | 460 | nd | 9 [4] | 60/61 | 60/61 |
| | 2020 | 40 | 48 | 450 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 58/58 | 58/58 |
| | 2021 | 52 | 62 | 620 | tr(5) | 6 [3] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2022 | 55 | 61 | 710 | tr(5) | 9 [4] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2023 | 46 | 56 | 660 | nd | 9 [4] | 58/60 | 58/60 |
| | 2024 | 38 | 41 | 300 | tr(5) | 9 [4] | 60/60 | 60/60 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2017.

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 2 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to 120 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was 15 ~ 11,000 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 1,200 pg/g-wet and 36,000 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | 24 | 28 | 640 | nd | 19 [7.4] | 17/31 | 5/7 |
| | 2010 | 72 | 85 | 680 | nd | 25 [9.6] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | 38 | 44 | 100 | 16 | 10 [4] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 27 | 21 | 160 | tr(4) | 7 [3] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 8 | 6 | 93 | nd | 5 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2015 | 7 | tr(2) | 210 | nd | 4 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2016 | 11 | tr(6) | 160 | nd | 9 [3] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | 22 | 34 | 160 | nd | 12 [4] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2019 | 10 | tr(4) | 140 | tr(2) | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | 16 | 8 | 130 | tr(4) | 5 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 14 | 5 | 250 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 27 | 13 | 160 | 9 | 6 [3] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2023 | nd | --- | tr(5) | nd | 6 [3] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2024 | 11 | 8 | 120 | nd | 6 [3] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | 220 | 230 | 15,000 | nd | 19 [7.4] | 83/90 | 17/18 |
| | 2010 | 390 | 480 | 15,000 | nd | 25 [9.6] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2011 | 82 | 95 | 3,200 | nd | 10 [4] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2012 | 110 | 130 | 7,300 | tr(5) | 7 [3] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2014 | 82 | 83 | 4,600 | nd | 5 [2] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 91 | 90 | 2,500 | nd | 4 [2] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2016 | 79 | 80 | 5,200 | nd | 9 [3] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | 150 | 150 | 11,000 | tr(4) | 12 [4] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2019 | 67 | 80 | 3,600 | tr(3) | 6 [2] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| | 2020 | 76 | 100 | 3,000 | 5 | 5 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2021 | 81 | 130 | 4,500 | tr(2) | 5 [2] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2022 | 280 | 360 | 7,200 | 9 | 6 [3] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2023 | 180 | 280 | 4,900 | nd | 6 [3] | 17/18 | 17/18 | |
| 2024 | 300 | 380 | 11,000 | 15 | 6 [3] | 16/16 | 16/16 | |

| Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | 300 | 360 | 890 | 37 | 19 [7.4] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 1,300 | --- | 3,000 | 580 | 25 [9.6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 110 | 110 | 10 [4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 160 | --- | 410 | 63 | 7 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 4,600 | --- | 110,000 | 190 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 790 | 790 | 4 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 3,600 | --- | 9,100 | 1,400 | 9 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 9,800 | --- | 32,000 | 3,000 | 12 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 360 | 360 | 6 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 8,500 | 8,500 | 5 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 3,000 | --- | 15,000 | 590 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 23,000 | --- | 100,000 | 5,200 | 6 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2023 | 12,000 | --- | 100,000 | 1,400 | 6 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2024 | 6,600 | --- | 36,000 | 1,200 | 6 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2018.

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.2 pg/m³, and the detection range was 1.1 ~ 7.1 pg/m³.

As a result of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2010 to FY2024, a reduction tendency in specimens was identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) in air during FY2010 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2010 Warm season | 5.2 | 5.9 | 14 | 1.6 | 0.4 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 4.7 | 4.4 | 15 | 1.4 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 4.4 | 4.2 | 10 | 0.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 3.7 | 3.8 | 9.5 | 1.3 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 3.6 | 3.8 | 8.9 | 1.3 | 0.5 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 2.7 | 3.0 | 5.9 | 1.0 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 4.6 | 5.2 | 9.6 | 1.2 | 0.3 [0.1] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 3.7 | 3.9 | 7.4 | 1.6 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 8.6 | 0.52 | 0.17 [0.06] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 8.8 | 0.59 | 0.19 [0.06] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 9.3 | 0.7 | 0.6 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 8.9 | 1.1 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 3.8 | 4.1 | 7.8 | 1.3 | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 3.4 | 4.2 | 7.2 | 1.1 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 6.5 | 0.70 | 0.18 [0.07] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 9.2 | 10 | 17 | 2.4 | 0.19 [0.07] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 6.8 | 1.0 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2024 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 7.1 | 1.1 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018.

[16] Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)

- History and state of monitoring

Perfluorooctanoic acids (PFOA) have been used as water repellent agent, oil repellent agent and surface acting agent. PFOA, its salts and PFOA-related compounds were adopted as target chemicals at the COP9 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants held from late April to early May 2019. The substances were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2021.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2009. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substance was monitored in surface water in FY2002, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2003, air in FY2004, surface water, sediment and wildlife (bivalves and fish) in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2009 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2016 and FY2018 ~ 2024, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2009 ~ 2012 FY2014 ~ 2017 and FY2019 ~ 2024, and in air in FY2010 ~ 2017 and FY2019 ~ 2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at all 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 30 pg/L, and the detection range was 210 ~ 34,000 pg/L.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009 to FY2024, reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas and lake areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in surface water was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) in surface water during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2009 | 1,600 | 1,300 | 31,000 | 250 | 59 [23] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2010 | 2,700 | 2,400 | 23,000 | 190 | 60 [20] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 2,000 | 1,700 | 50,000 | 380 | 50 [20] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 1,400 | 1,100 | 26,000 | 240 | 170 [55] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 1,400 | 1,400 | 26,000 | 140 | 50 [20] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 1,400 | 1,200 | 17,000 | 310 | 56 [22] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2016 | 1,300 | 1,200 | 21,000 | 260 | 50 [20] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2018 | 1,100 | 1,100 | 28,000 | 160 | 70 [30] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 1,000 | 900 | 11,000 | 160 | 90 [40] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2020 | 1,100 | 920 | 16,000 | 220 | 90 [30] | 46/46 | 46/46 |
| | 2021 | 1,100 | 870 | 23,000 | 230 | 90 [40] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2022 | 1,100 | 980 | 14,000 | 170 | 90 [30] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2023 | 990 | 770 | 11,000 | 140 | 90 [30] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2024 | 980 | 860 | 34,000 | 210 | 70 [30] | 47/47 | 47/47 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2017.

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at 59 of the 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was up to 220 pg/g-dry.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009 to FY2024, a reduction tendencies in specimens from river areas and river mouth areas were identified as statistically significant and a reduction tendency in specimens from the overall areas in sediment was also identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) in sediment during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2009 | 27 | 24 | 500 | nd | 8.3 [3.3] | 182/190 | 64/64 |
| | 2010 | 28 | 33 | 180 | nd | 12 [5] | 62/64 | 62/64 |
| | 2011 | 100 | 93 | 1,100 | 22 | 5 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 51 | 48 | 280 | 12 | 4 [2] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 44 | 50 | 190 | tr(6) | 11 [5] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 48 | 48 | 270 | 8 | 3 [1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 27 | 27 | 190 | nd | 9 [4] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2018 | 23 | 25 | 190 | nd | 9 [4] | 58/61 | 58/61 |
| | 2019 | 21 | 22 | 190 | tr(3) | 5 [2] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2020 | 21 | 22 | 190 | nd | 8 [3] | 57/58 | 57/58 |
| | 2021 | 24 | 26 | 260 | nd | 9 [4] | 58/60 | 58/60 |
| | 2022 | 29 | 26 | 370 | tr(5) | 7 [3] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2023 | 22 | 24 | 410 | nd | 7 [3] | 57/60 | 57/60 |
| | 2024 | 21 | 18 | 220 | nd | 7 [3] | 59/60 | 59/60 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2017.

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet and the detection range was 9 ~ 23 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was tr(3) ~ 28 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 100 pg/g-wet and 930 pg/g-wet.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2009 to FY2024, although the number of detections was small, the detection rate of specimens from fish was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency of the concentrations.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2009 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | tr(20) | tr(21) | 94 | nd | 25 [9.9] | 27/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2010 | 28 | 33 | 76 | nd | 26 [9.9] | 5/6 | 5/6 |
| | 2011 | tr(19) | tr(22) | tr(40) | nd | 41 [14] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(21) | tr(23) | 46 | nd | 38 [13] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | tr(4) | tr(6) | 10 | nd | 10 [3] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2015 | tr(6.5) | tr(6.3) | 26 | nd | 10 [3.4] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2016 | 4 | 7 | 9 | nd | 4 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | tr(6) | tr(7) | 18 | nd | 12 [4] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2019 | tr(3) | tr(4) | tr(5) | tr(2) | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | 6 | tr(5) | 14 | tr(3) | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 6 | 11 | 16 | nd | 6 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2022 | 16 | 22 | 35 | tr(5) | 8 [3] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2023 | tr(4) | --- | 13 | nd | 8 [3] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2024 | 14 | 14 | 23 | 9 | 8 [3] | 3/3 | 3/3 |

| Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | tr(23) | tr(19) | 490 | nd | 25 [9.9] | 74/90 | 17/18 |
| | 2010 | tr(13) | tr(11) | 95 | nd | 26 [9.9] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2011 | nd | nd | 51 | nd | 41 [14] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| | 2012 | tr(35) | tr(32) | 86 | nd | 38 [13] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2014 | tr(6) | tr(4) | 85 | nd | 10 [3] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2015 | tr(5.7) | tr(5.3) | 99 | nd | 10 [3.4] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2016 | 4 | tr(3) | 20 | tr(2) | 4 [2] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(6) | tr(4) | 79 | nd | 12 [4] | 12/19 | 12/19 |
| | 2019 | tr(3) | tr(3) | 18 | nd | 6 [2] | 12/16 | 12/16 |
| | 2020 | tr(4) | tr(2) | 49 | nd | 6 [2] | 12/18 | 12/18 |
| | 2021 | tr(4) | tr(3) | 40 | nd | 6 [2] | 14/18 | 14/18 |
| | 2022 | 11 | 13 | 47 | nd | 8 [3] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2023 | tr(5) | tr(7) | 29 | nd | 8 [3] | 11/18 | 11/18 |
| 2024 | 8 | 8 | 28 | tr(3) | 8 [3] | 16/16 | 16/16 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2009 | 32 | 29 | 58 | tr(16) | 25 [9.9] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 38 | --- | 48 | 30 | 26 [9.9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 41 [14] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | tr(27) | --- | tr(28) | tr(26) | 38 [13] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 62 | --- | 2,600 | nd | 10 [3] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 31 | 31 | 10 [3.4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 130 | --- | 320 | 52 | 4 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 240 | --- | 680 | 85 | 12 [4] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 27 | 27 | 6 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 280 | 280 | 6 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 140 | --- | 410 | 46 | 6 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 1,100 | --- | 2,600 | 470 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2023 | 360 | --- | 2,000 | 66 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2024 | 300 | --- | 930 | 100 | 8 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2009.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2018.

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.2 pg/m³, and the detection range was 3.5 ~ 31 pg/m³.

As a result of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2010 to FY2023, a reduction tendency in specimens was identified as statistically significant.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) in air during FY2010 ~ 2024

| Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2010 Warm season | 25 | 26 | 210 | 4.0 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 14 | 14 | 130 | 2.4 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 20 | 18 | 240 | tr(3.5) | 5.4 [1.8] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 12 | 11 | 97 | nd | | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 11 | 12 | 120 | 1.9 | 0.7 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 6.9 | 6.0 | 48 | 1.6 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 23 | 23 | 190 | 3.2 | 1.8 [0.6] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 14 | 14 | 53 | 3.0 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 28 | 29 | 210 | 5.4 | 0.4 [0.1] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 19 | 17 | 260 | tr(3.7) | 4.2 [1.4] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 17 | 15 | 140 | 3.2 | 1.3 [0.4] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 14 | 13 | 150 | tr(2.0) | 3.3 [1.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 14 | 14 | 46 | 5.5 | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 13 | 12 | 55 | 4.9 | 0.8 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 8.3 | 7.5 | 42 | 2.6 | 0.7 [0.3] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 22 | 20 | 53 | 8.2 | 0.5 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 11 | 10 | 65 | 4.0 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2024 | 8.0 | 8.2 | 31 | 3.5 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2018.

[17] Pentachlorobenzene

- History and state of monitoring

Pentachlorobenzene have been used as used in PCB products, in dyestuff carriers, as a fungicide, a flame retardant and as a chemical intermediate e.g. previously for the production of quintozene. PeCB might still be used as an intermediate. PeCB is also produced unintentionally during combustion, thermal and industrial processes. It also present as impurities in products such as solvents or pesticides. It was historically never registered under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law. The substance is produced as a by-product when agricultural chemicals are produced. In addition, it is generated unintentionally at the time of combustion. The substance was adopted as target chemicals at the COP4 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2009 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2010.

As a continuous survey to FY2001, under the framework “the Wildlife Monitoring of Chemicals,” the substance was monitored in wildlife (bivalves and fish) in FY1980, wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) from FY1979 to FY1986, in FY1988, FY1990, FY1992, FY1996 and FY1999.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water in FY2007 FY2010 ~ 2015 and FY2017 ~ 2022, in sediment in FY2007 and FY2010 ~ 2022, in sediment and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2007 and FY2010 ~ 2024, and in air in FY2007, FY2009 ~ 2024.

- Monitoring results

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet and the detection range was 3.2 ~ 6.5 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was 1.0 ~ 58 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 280 pg/g-wet and 520 pg/g-wet.

As results of the inter-annual trend analysis from FY2010 to FY2024, although the number of detections was small, the detection rate of specimens from the bivalves was decreased, it suggested a reduction tendency of the concentrations.

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorobenzene in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2007 ~ 2024

| Pentachlorobenzene | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | nd | nd | tr(150) | nd | 180 [61] | 1/31 | 1/7 |
| | 2010 | 18 | 16 | 110 | 5.9 | 1.9 [0.7] | 6/6 | 6/6 |
| | 2011 | 28 | 16 | 260 | 10 | 4 [1] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 16 | 9.7 | 110 | tr(5.8) | 8.1 [2.7] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | 87 | nd | 78 [26] | 1/5 | 1/5 |
| | 2014 | 14 | 11 | 23 | 10 | 9.3 [3.1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | tr(11) | tr(9.7) | 18 | tr(7.4) | 12 [4.0] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | tr(13) | tr(12) | 15 | tr(11) | 15 [5.1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 18 | 19 | 22 | 14 | 4 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | tr(8) | tr(7) | tr(13) | tr(5) | 15 [5] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 10 | 11 | 14 | 7 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2021 | 9 | 11 | 15 | 4 | 4 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2022 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 9.8 | 1.9 | 0.6 [0.2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2023 | 6.0 | --- | 6.1 | 6.0 | 0.6 [0.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 6.5 | 3.2 | 1.0 [0.4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |

| Pentachlorobenzene | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | nd | nd | 480 | nd | 180 [61] | 36/80 | 10/16 |
| | 2010 | 42 | 37 | 230 | 5.6 | 1.9 [0.7] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2011 | 36 | 37 | 220 | 5 | 4 [1] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| | 2012 | 29 | 37 | 190 | tr(5.0) | 8.1 [2.7] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2013 | tr(35) | tr(40) | 160 | nd | 78 [26] | 11/19 | 11/19 |
| | 2014 | 38 | 51 | 280 | nd | 9.3 [3.1] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 26 | 40 | 230 | nd | 12 [4.0] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2016 | 19 | 22 | 150 | nd | 15 [5.1] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2017 | 29 | 32 | 170 | 4 | 4 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 19 | 29 | 70 | nd | 15 [5] | 15/18 | 15/18 |
| | 2019 | 20 | 19 | 280 | 3 | 3 [1] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| | 2020 | 11 | 19 | 120 | nd | 3 [1] | 14/18 | 14/18 |
| | 2021 | 21 | 33 | 150 | nd | 4 [1] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2022 | 18 | 21 | 78 | 3.6 | 0.6 [0.2] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| 2023 | 14 | 14 | 150 | 3.4 | 0.6 [0.2] | 18/18 | 18/18 | |
| 2024 | 13 | 15 | 58 | 1.0 | 1.0 [0.4] | 16/16 | 16/16 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | tr(140) | tr(140) | 210 | tr(89) | 180 [61] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2010 | 91 | --- | 170 | 49 | 1.9 [0.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2011 | --- | --- | 52 | 52 | 4 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 77 | --- | 130 | 46 | 8.1 [2.7] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2013 | 300 | --- | 390 | 230 | 78 [26] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2014 | 56 | --- | 560 | tr(5.6) | 9.3 [3.1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 53 | 53 | 12 [4.0] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 240 | --- | 570 | 100 | 15 [5.1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 130 | --- | 470 | 35 | 4 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 370 | --- | 480 | 280 | 15 [5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 470 | 470 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 390 | 390 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 380 | --- | 470 | 300 | 4 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 290 | --- | 330 | 260 | 0.6 [0.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2023 | 290 | --- | 380 | 220 | 0.6 [0.2] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| 2024 | 380 | --- | 520 | 280 | 1.0 [0.4] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2007.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2008 and FY2009.

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.02 pg/m³, and the detection range was 37 ~ 87 pg/m³.

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorobenzene in air during FY2007 ~ 2023

| Pentachlorobenzene | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2007 Warm season | 85 | 83 | 310 | 18 | 12 [4.8] | 78/78 | 26/26 |
| | 2007 Cold season | 60 | 55 | 220 | 27 | | 75/75 | 25/25 |
| | 2009 Warm season | 63 | 64 | 210 | 20 | 6.4 [2.5] | 111/111 | 37/37 |
| | 2009 Cold season | 25 | 22 | 120 | tr(5.0) | | 111/111 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Warm season | 68 | 73 | 140 | 36 | 1.2 [0.5] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2010 Cold season | 70 | 69 | 180 | 37 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2011 Warm season | 61 | 60 | 140 | 30 | 2.1 [0.70] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | 59 | 57 | 180 | 26 | | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 58 | 57 | 150 | 31 | 1.8 [0.6] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 55 | 55 | 120 | 27 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Warm season | 55 | 58 | 160 | 27 | 1.7 [0.6] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2013 Cold season | 55 | 52 | 110 | 34 | | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 83 | 86 | 210 | 39 | 0.9 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 67 | 68 | 170 | 34 | 0.6 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 75 | 75 | 220 | 33 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 71 | 69 | 200 | 32 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 59 | 61 | 100 | 30 | 0.22 [0.08] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 64 | 64 | 110 | 36 | 0.09 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 69 | 63 | 180 | 35 | 0.17 [0.07] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 61 | 63 | 130 | 36 | 0.13 [0.05] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 60 | 60 | 130 | 30 | 0.08 [0.03] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 59 | 58 | 170 | 36 | 0.21 [0.08] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2024 | 55 | 56 | 87 | 37 | 0.06 [0.02] | 35/35 | 35/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2008.

- Monitoring results until FY2022 (references)

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorobenzene in surface water during FY2007 ~ 2022

| Pentachlorobenzene | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 3,300 [1,300] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2010 | 8 | 5 | 100 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2011 | 11 | 11 | 170 | 2.6 | 2.4 [0.9] | 49/49 | 49/49 |
| | 2012 | 14 | 11 | 170 | 3 | 3 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2013 | 12 | 10 | 170 | tr(3) | 4 [1] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2014 | 10 | 7.0 | 180 | 2.8 | 0.8 [0.3] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2015 | 13 | 11 | 180 | 3.0 | 1.5 [0.5] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2017 | 8.8 | 5.9 | 140 | 2.0 | 1.4 [0.6] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2018 | 12 | 9.7 | 320 | 2.7 | 1.3 [0.5] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2019 | 9 | 7 | 360 | tr(2) | 6 [2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |
| | 2020 | 7 | 5 | 500 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 46/46 | 46/46 |
| | 2021 | 4.8 | 3.5 | 140 | 1.2 | 1.1 [0.4] | 47/47 | 47/47 |
| | 2022 | 4.5 | 3.5 | 51 | 0.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 48/48 | 48/48 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2008, FY2009 and FY2016.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorobenzene in sediment during FY2007 ~ 2022

| Pentachlorobenzene | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2007 | tr(46) | nd | 2,400 | nd | 86 [33] | 79/192 | 35/64 |
| | 2010 | 90 | 95 | 4,200 | 1.0 | 0.9 [0.3] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2011 | 95 | 76 | 4,500 | 3 | 5 [2] | 64/64 | 64/64 |
| | 2012 | 33 | 33 | 1,100 | nd | 2.5 [0.8] | 62/63 | 62/63 |
| | 2013 | 84 | 98 | 3,800 | 2.2 | 2.1 [0.7] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2014 | 70 | 78 | 3,600 | tr(1.2) | 2.4 [0.8] | 63/63 | 63/63 |
| | 2015 | 65 | 69 | 2,600 | 2.4 | 1.5 [0.5] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2016 | 62 | 71 | 3,700 | tr(1.1) | 1.8 [0.6] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2017 | 61 | 61 | 2,800 | 1.3 | 1.2 [0.5] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 72 | 77 | 3,400 | 1.2 | 0.9 [0.3] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2019 | 29 | 27 | 3,300 | 1.2 | 0.9 [0.4] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2020 | 63 | 65 | 2,900 | 1.8 | 0.4 [0.2] | 58/58 | 58/58 |
| | 2021 | 28 | 32 | 2,300 | tr(0.8) | 0.9 [0.3] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2022 | 24 | 25 | 1,300 | tr(0.5) | 0.6 [0.2] | 61/61 | 61/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2007.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2008 and FY2009.

[18] Endosulfans (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Endosulfans had been used an insecticide that has been used since the 1950s to control crop pests, tsetse flies and ectoparasites of cattle and as a wood preservative. Endosulfans were adopted as target chemicals at the COP5 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in April 2001. The substances were designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in May 2014.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2011, under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY1982 and air in FY1996.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substances have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2011 FY2012 FY2018 and FY2021 and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2011 FY2012 FY2014 FY2015 and FY2021, and in air in FY2011 FY2012 FY2014 ~ 2016 and FY2021.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2022. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2021 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2021

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -Endosulfan and β -Endosulfan in surface water during FY2011 ~ 2021

| α -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | 180 | nd | 120 [50] | 2/49 | 2/49 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 27 [10] | 3/48 | 3/48 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(50) | nd | 120 [40] | 1/47 | 1/47 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 580 | nd | 90 [40] | 17/47 | 17/47 |
| β -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | 270 | nd | 22 [9] | 8/49 | 8/49 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | tr(12) | nd | 24 [9] | 1/48 | 1/48 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 30 [10] | 3/47 | 3/47 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 250 | nd | 30 [10] | 11/47 | 11/47 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 ~ 2017, FY2019 and FY2020.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -Endosulfan and β -Endosulfan in sediment during FY2011 ~ 2021

| α -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | tr(13) | tr(11) | 480 | nd | 30 [10] | 35/64 | 35/64 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 480 | nd | 13 [5] | 19/63 | 19/63 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 5 [2] | 21/61 | 21/61 |
| | 2021 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 53 | nd | 1.4 [0.6] | 50/60 | 50/60 |
| β -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | tr(5) | tr(4) | 240 | nd | 9 [4] | 38/64 | 38/64 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 250 | nd | 13 [5] | 8/63 | 8/63 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 41 | nd | 5 [2] | 11/61 | 11/61 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 57 | nd | 2.2 [0.9] | 12/60 | 12/60 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 ~ 2017, FY2019 and FY2020.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -Endosulfan and β -Endosulfan in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2011 ~ 2021

| α -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 62 | 120 | 330 | nd | 50 [20] | 3/4 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(54) | tr(61) | 200 | nd | 71 [24] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | tr(20) | nd | 130 | nd | 60 [20] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 130 | nd | 120 [38] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | tr(20) | tr(20) | 140 | nd | 50 [20] | 10/18 | 10/18 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | tr(54) | nd | 71 [24] | 6/19 | 6/19 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(30) | nd | 60 [20] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(49) | nd | 120 [38] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| Birds* (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 71 [24] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2014 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 120 [38] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2021 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 60 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| β -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 16 | 26 | 52 | 4 | 11 [4] | 4/4 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 15 | 16 | 43 | nd | 14 [5] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 23 | nd | 19 [6] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(22) | nd | 32 [11] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 18 [6] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | 37 | nd | 11 [4] | 9/18 | 9/18 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 15 | nd | 14 [5] | 6/19 | 6/19 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(8) | nd | 19 [6] | 3/19 | 3/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(11) | nd | 32 [11] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 18 [6] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| Birds* (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 11 [4] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | nd | --- | tr(7) | nd | 14 [5] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2014 | nd | --- | tr(8) | nd | 19 [6] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 32 [11] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2021 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 18 [6] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

(Note 1) *: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2016 ~ 2020.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of α -Endosulfan and β -Endosulfan in air during FY2011 ~ 2021

| α -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| 大気 (pg/m ³) | 2011 Warm season | 26 | 24 | 190 | tr(7.8) | 12 [4.0] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | tr(9.6) | tr(9.8) | 45 | nd | | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 23 | 22 | 98 | tr(6.0) | 16 [5.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | 19 | nd | | 15/36 | 15/36 |
| | 2014 | 20 | 23 | 90 | 2.6 | 0.8 [0.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2015 | 10 | 11 | 140 | 1.6 | 1.0 [0.3] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2016 | 8.9 | 9.3 | 46 | 1.0 | 0.8 [0.3] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 6.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| β -Endosulfan | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| 大気 (pg/m ³) | 2011 Warm season | 2.1 | 1.8 | 11 | nd | 1.2 [0.39] | 34/35 | 34/35 |
| | 2011 Cold season | tr(0.80) | tr(0.90) | 8.3 | nd | | 31/37 | 31/37 |
| | 2012 Warm season | 1.3 | 1.3 | 18 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 33/36 | 33/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | 1.7 | nd | | 17/36 | 17/36 |
| | 2014 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 6.1 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 33/36 | 33/36 |
| | 2015 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 38 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 33/35 | 33/35 |
| | 2016 | 0.8 | tr(0.7) | 3.3 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 34/37 | 34/37 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | tr(0.5) | nd | 0.7 [0.3] | 5/35 | 5/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 and FY2016 ~ 2020.

[19] 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes (references)

- History and state of monitoring

1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes have been used a flame retardant additive, providing fire protection during the service life of vehicles, buildings or articles, as well as protection while stored. α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane, β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane were adopted as target chemicals at the COP6 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants held from late April to early May 2013, and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in May 2014.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2011, under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, the substances were monitored in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY1987. In the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002 under the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2003, in wildlife (fish) in FY2004.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane have been monitored in surface water in FY2011 and FY2014, in sediment in FY2011 FY2012 FY2015 FY2016 and FY2022, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2011 FY2012 FY2014 ~ 2019 and FY2022, and in air in FY2012 FY2014 ~ 2017 FY2019 and FY2022. Until 2015, δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and ε -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecan had also been monitored.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2023. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2022 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2022

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes in surface water in FY2011 FY2014 and FY2022

| α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | 6,300 | nd | 1,500 [600] | 4/47 | 4/47 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 1,600 | nd | 1,500 [600] | 1/48 | 1/48 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 600 [200] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | 1,300 | nd | 1,300 [500] | 4/47 | 4/47 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(300) | nd | 500 [200] | 1/48 | 1/48 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 500 [200] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | 65,000 | nd | 1,200 [500] | 5/47 | 5/47 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 700 [300] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 600 [300] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 790 [300] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 600 [200] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 700 [300] | 0/48 | 0/48 |

| ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 740 [300] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 400 [200] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 400 [200] | 0/48 | 0/48 |

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes in sediment during FY2011 ~ 2022

| α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | 430 | nd | 24,000 | nd | 420 [280] | 78/186 | 35/62 |
| | 2012 | 310 | 280 | 22,000 | nd | 180 [70] | 47/63 | 47/63 |
| | 2015 | 390 | 410 | 27,000 | nd | 150 [60] | 47/62 | 47/62 |
| | 2016 | 260 | 210 | 27,000 | nd | 130 [60] | 43/62 | 43/62 |
| | 2022 | 230 | 190 | 9,600 | nd | 160 [70] | 41/61 | 41/61 |
| β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | nd | nd | 14,000 | nd | 250 [170] | 48/186 | 21/62 |
| | 2012 | tr(93) | nd | 8,900 | nd | 150 [60] | 29/63 | 29/63 |
| | 2015 | 120 | 92 | 7,600 | nd | 150 [60] | 33/62 | 33/62 |
| | 2016 | tr(87) | nd | 7,400 | nd | 130 [50] | 31/62 | 31/62 |
| | 2022 | tr(70) | nd | 4,000 | nd | 100 [40] | 30/61 | 30/61 |
| γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | 670 | nd | 570,000 | nd | 400 [260] | 89/186 | 36/62 |
| | 2012 | 420 | 330 | 55,000 | nd | 160 [60] | 52/63 | 52/63 |
| | 2015 | 330 | 450 | 60,000 | nd | 110 [42] | 48/62 | 48/62 |
| | 2016 | 250 | 190 | 50,000 | nd | 150 [60] | 42/62 | 42/62 |
| | 2022 | 170 | 170 | 33,000 | nd | 70 [30] | 41/61 | 41/61 |
| δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | nd | nd | 800 | nd | 350 [250] | 11/186 | 6/62 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 680 | nd | 300 [100] | 5/63 | 5/63 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 180 [70] | 0/62 | 0/62 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(70) | nd | 110 [50] | 1/61 | 1/61 |
| ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2011 | nd | nd | tr(260) | nd | 280 [210] | 2/186 | 1/62 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 310 | nd | 150 [60] | 7/63 | 7/63 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 130 [51] | 0/62 | 0/62 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 130 [50] | 0/61 | 0/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2011.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2014 and FY2017 ~ 2021. No monitoring of δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane was conducted in FY2016.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2011 ~ 2022

| α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexa bromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 1,100 | 1,200 | 13,000 | tr(86) | 170 [70] | 10/10 | 4/4 |
| | 2012 | 530 | 480 | 2,500 | 190 | 50 [20] | 5/5 | 5/5 |
| | 2014 | 270 | 270 | 380 | 200 | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | 260 | 200 | 560 | 150 | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2016 | 140 | 140 | 180 | 110 | 22 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 190 | 200 | 430 | 86 | 24 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 120 | 88 | 270 | 76 | 23 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 140 | 150 | 260 | 68 | 24 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| 2022 | 150 | 160 | 250 | 80 | 40 [20] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 770 | 850 | 69,000 | nd | 170 [70] | 41/51 | 16/17 |
| | 2012 | 510 | 560 | 8,700 | nd | 50 [20] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2014 | 240 | 290 | 15,000 | nd | 30 [10] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2015 | 160 | 180 | 3,000 | nd | 30 [10] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2016 | 110 | 140 | 1,100 | tr(12) | 22 [9] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | 140 | 140 | 7,800 | tr(9) | 24 [9] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 89 | 140 | 530 | nd | 23 [9] | 17/18 | 17/18 |
| | 2019 | 79 | 92 | 980 | nd | 24 [9] | 15/16 | 15/16 |
| 2022 | 70 | 80 | 450 | nd | 40 [20] | 14/18 | 14/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 200 | nd | 530 | nd | 170 [70] | 1/3 | 1/1 |
| | 2012 | 120 | --- | 1,400 | nd | 50 [20] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2014 | 480 | --- | 1,800 | 130 | 30 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | 80 | 80 | 30 [10] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 400 | --- | 1,600 | 100 | 22 [9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 330 | --- | 2,200 | 50 | 24 [9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 600 | --- | 610 | 590 | 23 [9] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 1,100 | 1,100 | 24 [9] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| 2022 | 590 | --- | 750 | 460 | 40 [20] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexa bromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | Sample | Site | | | | | | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | tr(70) | tr(85) | 240 | nd | 98 [40] | 7/10 | 3/4 |
| | 2012 | tr(25) | 40 | 90 | nd | 40 [10] | 4/5 | 4/5 |
| | 2014 | tr(10) | tr(10) | tr(20) | tr(10) | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2015 | tr(10) | tr(10) | 30 | nd | 30 [10] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2016 | nd | tr(8) | tr(9) | nd | 21 [8] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | tr(9) | nd | 36 | nd | 23 [9] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 22 [8] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(22) | nd | 24 [9] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | 760 | nd | 98 [40] | 11/51 | 5/17 |
| | 2012 | nd | nd | 40 | nd | 40 [10] | 8/19 | 8/19 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 30 [10] | 5/19 | 5/19 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 30 [10] | 2/19 | 2/19 |
| | 2016 | nd | nd | tr(12) | nd | 21 [8] | 3/19 | 3/19 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(12) | nd | 23 [9] | 2/19 | 2/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 22 [8] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 24 [9] | 0/16 | 0/16 |
| 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/18 | 0/18 | |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 98 [40] | 0/3 | 0/1 |
| | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 40 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2014 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2016 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 21 [8] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2017 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 23 [9] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 22 [8] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 24 [9] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 | |

| γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexa bromocyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean * ¹ | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | | |
|---|---|----------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|----------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 440 | 470 | 3,300 | nd | 210 [80] | 8/10 | 4/4 | |
| | 2012 | 170 | 180 | 910 | 30 | 30 [10] | 5/5 | 5/5 | |
| | 2014 | 60 | 60 | 110 | 30 | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| | 2015 | 70 | 90 | 200 | tr(20) | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| | 2016 | 37 | 39 | 61 | tr(21) | 24 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| | 2017 | 49 | 30 | 200 | tr(20) | 24 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| | 2018 | tr(19) | 39 | 46 | nd | 21 [8] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| | 2019 | 34 | 22 | 140 | tr(13) | 22 [9] | 3/3 | 3/3 | |
| 2022 | tr(20) | tr(20) | tr(30) | nd | 40 [20] | 2/3 | 2/3 | | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | 210 | tr(90) | 50,000 | nd | 210 [80] | 26/51 | 10/17 | |
| | 2012 | 75 | 80 | 1,600 | nd | 30 [10] | 16/19 | 16/19 | |
| | 2014 | 30 | tr(20) | 2,800 | nd | 30 [10] | 12/19 | 12/19 | |
| | 2015 | tr(20) | tr(10) | 230 | nd | 30 [10] | 10/19 | 10/19 | |
| | 2016 | tr(16) | tr(13) | 160 | nd | 24 [9] | 11/19 | 11/19 | |
| | 2017 | tr(16) | tr(18) | 120 | nd | 24 [9] | 12/19 | 12/19 | |
| | 2018 | tr(11) | tr(11) | 130 | nd | 21 [8] | 10/18 | 10/18 | |
| | 2019 | tr(12) | tr(13) | 62 | nd | 22 [9] | 9/16 | 9/16 | |
| 2022 | nd | nd | tr(30) | nd | 40 [20] | 8/18 | 8/18 | | |
| Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | tr(180) | nd | 460 | nd | 210 [80] | 1/3 | 1/1 | |
| | 2012 | 31 | --- | 190 | nd | 30 [10] | 1/2 | 1/2 | |
| | 2014 | tr(10) | --- | tr(10) | tr(10) | 30 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(10) | tr(10) | 30 [10] | 1/1 | 1/1 | |
| | 2016 | tr(10) | --- | tr(20) | nd | 24 [9] | 1/2 | 1/2 | |
| | 2017 | tr(9) | --- | tr(18) | nd | 24 [9] | 1/2 | 1/2 | |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 21 [8] | 0/2 | 0/2 | |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 22 [9] | 0/1 | 0/1 | |
| 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 | | |
| δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexa bromocyclododecane | Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/10 | 0/4 |
| | | 2012 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/5 | 0/5 |
| | | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/51 | 0/17 |
| | | 2012 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/19 | 0/19 |
| | | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/19 | 0/19 |
| | | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/18 | 0/18 | |
| | Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/3 | 0/1 |
| | | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | | 2014 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | | 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 50 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexa bromocyclododecane | Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/10 |
| 2012 | | | nd | nd | tr(30) | nd | 40 [20] | 1/5 | 1/5 |
| 2014 | | | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2015 | | | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| 2022 | | | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/51 | 0/17 |
| | | 2012 | nd | nd | tr(30) | nd | 40 [20] | 3/19 | 3/19 |
| | | 2014 | nd | nd | 80 | nd | 30 [10] | 3/19 | 3/19 |
| | | 2015 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/19 | 1/19 |
| | | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| Birds * ² (pg/g-wet) | | 2011 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 140 [60] | 0/3 | 0/1 |
| | | 2012 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | | 2014 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | | 2015 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | | 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 40 [20] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

- (Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2011.
- (Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2014 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.
- (Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2020 and FY2021. No monitoring of δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane was conducted in FY2016 ~ 2019.

<Air

Stocktaking of the detection of 1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecanes in air during FY2012 ~ 2022

| α -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--|------------------|----------------|----------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2012 Warm season | 1.7 | 2.2 | 130 | nd | | 31/36 | 31/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 2.9 | 3.0 | 63 | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2014 | tr(0.6) | tr(0.7) | 3.1 | nd | 1.2 [0.4] | 25/36 | 25/36 |
| | 2015 | tr(0.6) | tr(0.7) | 30 | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 26/35 | 26/35 |
| | 2016 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.4 | tr(0.1) | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 3.3 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 36/37 | 36/37 |
| | 2019 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 4.1 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2022 | 0.29 | 0.28 | 19 | nd | 0.16 [0.06] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| β -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2012 Warm season | 0.5 | 0.5 | 29 | nd | | 30/36 | 30/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 0.8 | 0.8 | 18 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(0.8) | nd | 1.0 [0.3] | 8/36 | 8/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 3.9 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 7/35 | 7/35 |
| | 2016 | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 0.7 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 21/37 | 21/37 |
| | 2017 | tr(0.2) | tr(0.1) | 0.8 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 33/37 | 33/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(0.13) | tr(0.15) | 1.2 | nd | 0.21 [0.08] | 26/36 | 26/36 |
| | 2022 | tr(0.07) | tr(0.07) | 4.1 | nd | 0.18 [0.07] | 19/36 | 19/36 |
| γ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2012 Warm season | 1.6 | 1.7 | 280 | nd | | 31/36 | 31/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | 2.1 | 1.8 | 84 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 35/36 | 35/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | tr(1.2) | nd | 1.3 [0.4] | 4/36 | 4/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 4.4 | nd | 0.8 [0.3] | 11/35 | 11/35 |
| | 2016 | tr(0.1) | nd | 1.4 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 16/37 | 16/37 |
| | 2017 | tr(0.1) | tr(0.1) | 0.8 | nd | 0.3 [0.1] | 20/37 | 20/37 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 1.5 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 15/36 | 15/36 |
| | 2022 | 0.17 | 0.16 | 3.1 | nd | 0.14 [0.05] | 32/36 | 32/36 |
| δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | 0.8 | nd | | 1/36 | 1/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | 1.1 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 1/36 | 1/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1.8 [0.6] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | 1.9 | nd | 1.9 [0.6] | 1/35 | 1/35 |
| ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromo cyclododecane | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2012 Warm season | nd | nd | nd | nd | | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2012 Cold season | nd | nd | tr(0.5) | nd | 0.6 [0.2] | 1/36 | 1/36 |
| | 2014 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 0/36 | 0/36 |
| | 2015 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 0.9 [0.3] | 0/35 | 0/35 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2013 FY2018 FY2020 and FY2021. No monitoring of δ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane and ϵ -1,2,5,6,9,10-Hexabromocyclododecane was conducted after FY2016.

[20] Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes (Total PCNs) (references)

- History and results of the monitoring

Polychlorinated Naphthalenes (PCNs) make effective insulating coatings for electrical wires and have been used as wood preservatives, as rubber and plastic additives, for capacitor dielectrics and in lubricants. The substances with over 3 chloric ions were designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in August 1979. And PCNs (Cl₂ ~ Cl₈) was adopted as target chemicals at the COP7 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2015 and Dichloronaphthalenes designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2016.

In previous monitoring series, Polychlorinated Naphthalenes were monitored in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during the period of FY1980 ~ 1985 FY1987 FY 1989 FY 1991 and FY 1993 under the framework of “the Wildlife Monitoring.”

Under the framework of “the Environmental Monitoring”, Polychlorinated Naphthalenes with over a chloric ions have been monitored in surface water in FY2008 FY2018 FY2019 and FY2021, in sediment in FY2008 FY2016 ~ 2019 and FY2021, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY 2006 FY2008 FY2015 ~ 2019 and FY2021, and in air in FY2008 FY2014 FY2016 ~ 2019 and FY2021.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2022. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2021 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2021

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes in surface water during FY2008 ~ 2021

| Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit* | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2008 | nd | nd | 180 | nd | 85[30] | 9/48 | 9/48 |
| | 2018 | tr(32) | tr(34) | 260 | nd | 35 [12] | 39/47 | 39/47 |
| | 2019 | tr(14) | tr(12) | 260 | nd | 24 [7.5] | 32/48 | 32/48 |
| | 2021 | tr(9) | tr(8) | 170 | nd | 15 [6] | 29/47 | 29/47 |

(Note 1) *: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 ~ 2017 and FY2020.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes in sediment during FY2008 ~ 2021

| Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit *2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|-----------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2008 | 410 | 400 | 28,000 | nd | 84 [30] | 166/189 | 58/63 |
| | 2016 | 760 | 870 | 160,000 | nd | 59 [20] | 59/62 | 59/62 |
| | 2017 | 630 | 800 | 32,000 | tr(16) | 27 [9.1] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 680 | 810 | 34,000 | 9.9 | 8.5 [3.2] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| | 2019 | 600 | 720 | 58,000 | 13 | 7.3 [2.7] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| 2021 | 400 | 440 | 14,000 | nd | 9.7 [3.6] | 59/60 | 59/60 | |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2008.

(Note 2) *2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 ~ 2015 and FY2020.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2006 ~ 2021

| Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit *2 | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | 98 | 73 | 1.2 | tr(19) | 27 [11] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2008 | 94 | 73 | 1,300 | tr(11) | 26 [10] | 31/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2015 | 70 | 67 | 580 | nd | 54 [18] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2016 | 72 | tr(49) | 790 | nd | 57 [19] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | 46 | 68 | 1,400 | nd | 33 [12] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2018 | 58 | tr(22) | 700 | tr(13) | 36 [12] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 84 | 96 | 820 | nd | 40 [15] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | 62 | 60 | 600 | nd | 37 [13] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | 72 | 49 | 2,700 | nd | 27 [11] | 78/80 | 16/16 |
| | 2008 | 59 | 40 | 2,200 | nd | 26 [10] | 79/85 | 17/17 |
| | 2015 | tr(50) | 85 | 390 | nd | 54 [18] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| | 2016 | tr(44) | tr(48) | 340 | nd | 57 [19] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| | 2017 | 32 | 51 | 360 | nd | 33 [12] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2018 | 41 | 36 | 520 | nd | 36 [12] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2019 | 46 | 78 | 270 | nd | 40 [15] | 12/16 | 12/16 |
| | 2021 | 66 | 74 | 360 | tr(14) | 37 [13] | 18/18 | 18/18 |
| Birds *3 (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | tr(17) | tr(18) | 27 | tr(11) | 27 [11] | 10/10 | 2/2 |
| | 2008 | tr(10) | nd | tr(22) | nd | 26 [10] | 5/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2015 | --- | --- | tr(20) | tr(20) | 54 [18] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2016 | 130 | --- | 320 | tr(49) | 57 [19] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 91 | --- | 460 | tr(18) | 33 [12] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 230 | --- | 250 | 220 | 36 [12] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 170 | 170 | 40 [15] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 290 | --- | 330 | 250 | 37 [13] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean values were calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points were derived in FY2006 and FY2008.

(Note 2) * 2: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener.

(Note 3) *3: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2015 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 4) No monitoring was conducted in FY2007, FY2009 ~ 2014 and FY2020.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes in sediment during FY2008 ~ 2021

| Total Polychlorinated Naphthalenes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit * | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2008 Warm season | 200 | 230 | 660 | 35 | | 22/22 | 22/22 |
| | 2008 Cold season | tr(9.6) | tr(9.8) | 45 | nd | 4.0 [1.3] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2014 | 110 | 130 | 1,600 | 5.4 | 2.8 [1.0] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2016 | 110 | 130 | 660 | 9.0 | 0.79 [0.28] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 110 | 120 | 920 | 7 | 0.67 [0.24] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 86 | 110 | 590 | 5.3 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 100 | 130 | 1,100 | 6.5 | 0.6 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2021 | 80 | 72 | 1,000 | 5.3 | 0.7 [0.3] | 35/35 | 35/35 |

(Note 1) *: The sum value of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 ~ 2013, FY2015 and FY2020.

[21] Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene

- History and results of the monitoring

Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene had been used as a solvent for other chlorine-containing compounds. The substance was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law on April 2005. The substance was listed under Annex A (Prohibit and/or eliminate) at the COP7 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2015 and Annex C (Reduce or eliminate releases from unintentionally produced) at the COP8 in April-May 2017

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2007, under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2002, the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY1981, under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, in the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2007.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water sediment and wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2007 FY2013 and FY2020 ~ 2022, and in air in FY2015 ~ 2024.

- Monitoring results

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 20 pg/m³, and the detection range was 1,200 ~ 3,500 pg/m³.

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in air during FY2015 ~ 2024

| Hexachloro buta 1,3-diene | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2015 | 1,100 | 1,200 | 3,500 | 45 | 29 [11] | 102/102 | 34/34 |
| | 2016 | 850 | 800 | 4,300 | 510 | 60 [20] | 111/111 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 4,200 | 4,000 | 23,000 | 1,100 | 60 [20] | 111/111 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 3,600 | 3,500 | 8,500 | 150 | 30 [10] | 110/110 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 1,500 | 2,600 | 5,800 | nd | 50 [20] | 104/108 | 35/36 |
| | 2020 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 9,800 | 1,500 | 30 [10] | 110/110 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 2,400 | 2,200 | 11,000 | 1,400 | 40 [20] | 105/105 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 2,400 | 2,300 | 5,000 | 1,700 | 50 [20] | 108/108 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 3,100 | 3,000 | 6,500 | 2,100 | 50 [20] | 105/105 | 35/35 |
| | 2024 | 2,300 | 2,200 | 3,500 | 1,200 | 60 [20] | 105/105 | 35/35 |

- Monitoring results until FY2022 (references)

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in surface water during FY2007 ~ 2022

| Hexachlorobuta 1,3-diene | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 870 [340] | 0/48 | 0/48 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | tr(43) | nd | 94 [37] | 1/48 | 1/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 490 | nd | 100 [40] | 1/46 | 1/46 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 180 [70] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 100 [40] | 0/48 | 0/48 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted during FY2008 ~ 2012 and FY2013 ~ 2019.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in sediment during FY2007 ~ 2022

| Hexachlorobuta 1,3-diene | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2007 | nd | nd | 1,300 | nd | 22 [8.5] | 22/192 | 10/64 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | 1,600 | nd | 9.9 [3.8] | 40/189 | 20/63 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 180 | nd | 30 [10] | 2/58 | 2/58 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 170 | nd | 30 [10] | 3/60 | 3/60 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | 370 | nd | 30 [10] | 4/61 | 4/61 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean values were calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points were derived in FY2007 and FY2013.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted during FY2008 ~ 2012 and FY2013 ~ 2019.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Hexachlorobuta-1,3-diene in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2007 ~ 2022

| Hexachlorobuta 1,3-diene | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------|---------|---------|--|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 36 [12] | 0/31 | 0/7 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | tr(7.1) | nd | 9.4 [3.7] | 3/13 | 1/5 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | tr(7) | nd | 13 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | tr(5) | nd | 14 [5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 36 [12] | 0/80 | 0/16 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | 59 | nd | 9.4 [3.7] | 7/57 | 4/19 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 19 | nd | 13 [5] | 8/18 | 8/18 |
| | 2021 | tr(7) | tr(10) | 24 | nd | 14 [5] | 14/18 | 14/18 |
| | 2022 | tr(6) | tr(4) | 290 | nd | 10 [4] | 9/18 | 9/18 |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2007 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 36 [12] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2013 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 9.4 [3.7] | 0/6 | 0/2 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 13 [5] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2021 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 14 [5] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2007.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2013 and FY2007 because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted during FY2008 ~ 2012 and FY2013 ~ 2019.

[22] Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters (reference)

- History and state of monitoring

Pentachlorophenol was used as a herbicide, insecticide, fungicide, algacide, disinfectant and as an ingredient in antifouling paint. Pentachlorophenol and its salts and esters were adopted as target chemicals at the COP7 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2015, and designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in October 2016.

As a continuous survey, the first survey of Pentachlorophenol was in FY2015, under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2007, the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY1974 and FY1996, and under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, in the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substance was monitored in surface water in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, Pentachlorophenol was monitored in surface water in FY2015. And Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2017 ~ 2019, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2016 ~ 2019.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2020. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2019 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2019

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole in surface water during FY2015 ~ 2019

| Pentachlorophenol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2015 | tr(130) | tr(90) | 26,000 | nd | 260 [85] | 25/48 | 25/48 |
| | 2017 | 86 | 110 | 3,500 | nd | 30 [10] | 43/47 | 43/47 |
| | 2018 | 50 | 47 | 4,400 | nd | 24 [9] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| | 2019 | tr(60) | tr(50) | 3,500 | nd | 60 [20] | 32/48 | 32/48 |
| Pentachloroanisole | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2017 | tr(10) | tr(8) | 1,000 | nd | 14 [5] | 32/47 | 32/47 |
| | 2018 | tr(10) | tr(7) | 230 | nd | 16 [6] | 30/47 | 30/47 |
| | 2019 | tr(10) | nd | 210 | nd | 30 [10] | 20/48 | 20/48 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2016. No monitoring of Pentachloroanisole was conducted in FY2015.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole in sediment during FY2017 ~ 2019

| Pentachlorophenol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | 350 | 390 | 7,400 | 8 | 4 [2] | 62/62 | 62/62 |
| | 2018 | 220 | 300 | 3,900 | nd | 18 [6] | 59/61 | 59/61 |
| | 2019 | 260 | 380 | 6,200 | 7 | 6 [2] | 61/61 | 61/61 |
| Pentachloroanisole | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | 34 | 32 | 190 | nd | 5 [2] | 61/62 | 61/62 |
| | 2018 | tr(23) | tr(25) | 160 | nd | 27 [9] | 53/61 | 53/61 |
| | 2019 | 14 | 15 | 140 | nd | 2.1 [0.8] | 60/61 | 60/61 |

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2016 ~ 2019

| Pentachlorophenol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(45) | tr(46) | 65 | tr(30) | 63 [21] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(35) | nd | 36 [12] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2018 | tr(20) | tr(20) | 30 | tr(10) | 30 [10] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 26 | 26 | 54 | 13 | 10 [4] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 100 | 130 | 990 | nd | 63 [21] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(15) | tr(15) | 110 | nd | 36 [12] | 14/19 | 14/19 |
| | 2018 | tr(10) | tr(10) | 80 | nd | 30 [10] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2019 | 17 | 22 | 57 | nd | 10 [4] | 14/16 | 14/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 1,200 | --- | 3,100 | 440 | 63 [21] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 1,800 | --- | 11,000 | 300 | 36 [12] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 460 | --- | 1,200 | 180 | 30 [10] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 430 | 430 | 10 [4] | 1/1 | 1/1 |

| Pentachloroanisole | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 7 | 3 | 35 | 3 | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 6 | tr(3) | 36 | tr(2) | 4 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | 6 | tr(4) | 21 | tr(2) | 6 [2] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2019 | 4 | tr(2) | 15 | tr(2) | 3 [1] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 8 | 6 | 100 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2017 | 7 | 5 | 120 | tr(1) | 4 [1] | 19/19 | 19/19 |
| | 2018 | 8 | 7 | 73 | nd | 6 [2] | 16/18 | 16/18 |
| | 2019 | 5 | 6 | 59 | tr(1) | 3 [1] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 12 | --- | 14 | 10 | 3 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 23 | --- | 47 | 11 | 4 [1] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | 15 | --- | 20 | 11 | 6 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 91 | 91 | 3 [1] | 1/1 | 1/1 |

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Pentachlorophenol and Pentachloroanisole in air during FY2016 ~ 2019

| Pentachloro phenol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | 6.3 | 6.0 | 25 | 0.6 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 33 | 0.7 | 0.6 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 5.1 | 5.8 | 30 | 0.9 | 0.5 [0.2] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 22 | 0.6 | 0.6 [0.2] | 36/36 | 36/36 |

| Pentachloro phenol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | 39 | 42 | 220 | 3.4 | 1.0 [0.4] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2017 | 34 | 36 | 210 | 6.0 | 1.2 [0.5] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 34 | 40 | 110 | 4.6 | 1.1 [0.4] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 30 | 32 | 180 | 4.3 | 0.3 [0.1] | 36/36 | 36/36 |

[23] Short-chain chlorinated paraffins

- History and state of monitoring

Short-chain chlorinated paraffins are used primarily in metalworking applications and in polyvinyl chloride (PVC) plastics. Other uses are adhesives and sealants, leather fat liquors, plastics, and as flame retardants in rubber, textiles and polymeric materials. The substances were adopted as target chemicals at the COP8 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in April-May 2017. And the substances whose content of chlorine is more than 48% of the total weight were designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2018.

Under the framework of the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substances were surveyed in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2004 and in surface water, sediment and wildlife (bivalves and fish) in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substances have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2017 ~ 2022, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2016 ~ 2024 and in air in FY2016 ~ 2024.

The results of short-chain chlorinated paraffins are tentative values obtained in trials among various problems in the measurement method.

- Monitoring results

<Wildlife>

Chlorinated decanes: The presence of the substances in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 1 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 200 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentration was tr(280) pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substances was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 2 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 200 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(290) pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substances was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at 1 of the 2 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 200 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentration was tr(200) pg/g-wet.

Chlorinated undecanes: The presence of the substances in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet and the detection range was tr(330) ~ tr(490) pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substances was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 3 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(550) pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substances was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were tr(320) pg/g-wet and tr(590) pg/g-wet.

Chlorinated dodecanes: The presence of the substances in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 2 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(540) pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substances was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 5 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(510) pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substances was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were tr(360) pg/g-wet and tr(660) pg/g-wet.

Chlorinated tridecanes: The presence of the substances in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 2 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(640) pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substances was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 7 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to tr(570) pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substances was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 300 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were tr(540) pg/g-wet and 1,100 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlorinated decanes, Chlorinated undecanes, Chlorinated dodecanes and Chlorinated tridecanes in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2016 ~ 2024

| Chlorinated decanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(700) | tr(700) | 2,200 | nd | 1,300 [500] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2017 | 700 | 1,700 | 1,800 | nd | 500 [200] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | tr(400) | tr(400) | nd | 1,200 [400] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 900 [300] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2020 | tr(400) | tr(700) | tr(700) | nd | 900 [300] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | tr(200) | tr(300) | tr(500) | nd | 600 [200] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(300) | nd | 600 [200] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2023 | nd | --- | tr(150) | nd | 450 [150] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | tr(280) | nd | 400 [200] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(600) | tr(700) | 2,800 | nd | 1,300 [500] | 13/19 | 13/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(400) | tr(400) | 2,100 | nd | 500 [200] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(800) | nd | 1,200 [400] | 1/18 | 1/18 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(700) | nd | 900 [300] | 5/16 | 5/16 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | tr(500) | nd | 900 [300] | 3/18 | 3/18 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 700 | nd | 600 [200] | 4/18 | 4/18 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(400) | nd | 600 [200] | 6/18 | 6/18 |
| | 2023 | nd | nd | tr(270) | nd | 450 [150] | 6/18 | 6/18 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | tr(290) | nd | 400 [200] | 2/16 | 2/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(1,000) | --- | 1,300 | tr(800) | 1,300 [500] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | tr(400) | --- | 1,600 | nd | 500 [200] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | tr(600) | nd | 1,200 [400] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | tr(600) | tr(600) | 900 [300] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 900 [300] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2021 | tr(400) | --- | 600 | tr(300) | 600 [200] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | nd | --- | tr(200) | nd | 600 [200] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2023 | 500 | --- | 610 | tr(410) | 450 [150] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | nd | --- | tr(200) | nd | 400 [200] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| Chlorinated undecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(2,900) | tr(2,000) | 6,000 | tr(2,000) | 3,000 [1,000] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 2,200 | 3,400 | 11,000 | tr(300) | 800 [300] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,800 [700] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 600 | nd | 500 [200] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2020 | tr(700) | 1,300 | 1,800 | nd | 800 [300] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 800 | nd | 800 [300] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(500) | nd | 900 [300] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2023 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 1,500 [500] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2024 | tr(420) | tr(470) | tr(490) | tr(330) | 700 [300] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(2,900) | tr(2,000) | 15,000 | nd | 3,000 [1,000] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2017 | 1,900 | 1,100 | 24,000 | nd | 800 [300] | 16/19 | 16/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(700) | nd | 1,800 [700] | 1/18 | 1/18 |
| | 2019 | tr(300) | tr(400) | 1,100 | nd | 500 [200] | 11/16 | 11/16 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 1,400 | nd | 800 [300] | 4/18 | 4/18 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 1,000 | nd | 800 [300] | 4/18 | 4/18 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(700) | nd | 900 [300] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| | 2023 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,500 [500] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | tr(550) | nd | 700 [300] | 3/16 | 3/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 4,900 | --- | 8,000 | 3,000 | 3,000 [1,000] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 5,000 | --- | 31,000 | 800 | 800 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 1,800 [700] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 1,400 | 1,400 | 500 [200] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | 1,100 | 1,100 | 800 [300] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 1,000 | --- | 2,300 | tr(400) | 800 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 900 [300] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2023 | tr(550) | --- | tr(1,200) | nd | 1,500 [500] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2024 | tr(430) | --- | tr(590) | tr(320) | 700 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

| Chlorinated dodecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(1,400) | tr(1,500) | tr(1,800) | tr(1,100) | 2,100 [700] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 2,000 | 1,400 | 4,700 | 1,300 | 900 [300] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,500 [600] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,200 [500] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2020 | tr(300) | tr(500) | 700 | nd | 600 [200] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 400 | nd | 400 [200] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2022 | tr(300) | tr(300) | 900 | nd | 900 [300] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2023 | tr(600) | --- | 1,000 | tr(360) | 700 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2024 | tr(320) | tr(400) | tr(540) | nd | 800 [300] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| Chlorinated dodecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(1,800) | tr(1,800) | 8,700 | nd | 2,100 [700] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2017 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 19,000 | nd | 900 [300] | 18/19 | 18/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,500 [600] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(900) | nd | 1,200 [500] | 2/16 | 2/16 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 1,400 | nd | 600 [200] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | tr(300) | nd | 400 [200] | 3/18 | 3/18 |
| | 2022 | tr(300) | tr(400) | tr(800) | nd | 900 [300] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2023 | tr(350) | tr(400) | 730 | nd | 700 [300] | 13/18 | 13/18 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | tr(510) | nd | 800 [300] | 5/16 | 5/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 3,800 | --- | 6,600 | 2,200 | 2,100 [700] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 5,500 | --- | 25,000 | 1,200 | 900 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 1,500 [600] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | tr(500) | tr(500) | 1,200 [500] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 600 [200] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2021 | tr(300) | --- | 1,000 | nd | 400 [200] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2022 | tr(300) | --- | tr(500) | nd | 900 [300] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2023 | 950 | --- | 1,300 | 700 | 700 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| 2024 | tr(490) | --- | tr(660) | tr(360) | 800 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |
| Chlorinated tridecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(700) | tr(700) | tr(900) | tr(500) | 1,100 [400] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2017 | 900 | 700 | 3,100 | tr(300) | 500 [200] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,400 [500] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2019 | 500 | 400 | 1,100 | tr(300) | 400 [200] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| | 2020 | tr(400) | tr(300) | 1,700 | nd | 500 [200] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | tr(200) | nd | 900 | nd | 500 [200] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2022 | tr(500) | tr(500) | 1,000 | nd | 900 [400] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2023 | nd | --- | tr(740) | nd | 1,200 [500] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| 2024 | tr(390) | tr(620) | tr(640) | nd | 800 [300] | 2/3 | 2/3 | |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | tr(800) | tr(800) | 4,900 | nd | 1,100 [400] | 17/19 | 17/19 |
| | 2017 | tr(300) | nd | 4,100 | nd | 500 [200] | 8/19 | 8/19 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 1,400 [500] | 0/18 | 0/18 |
| | 2019 | tr(200) | tr(200) | 1,300 | nd | 400 [200] | 11/16 | 11/16 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 1,900 | nd | 500 [200] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 7,000 | nd | 500 [200] | 2/18 | 2/18 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(700) | nd | 900 [400] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| | 2023 | nd | nd | tr(730) | nd | 1,200 [500] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| 2024 | nd | nd | tr(570) | nd | 800 [300] | 7/16 | 7/16 | |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2016 | 1,400 | --- | 1,500 | 1,400 | 1,100 [400] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2017 | 900 | --- | 8,100 | nd | 500 [200] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 1,400 [500] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | 1,300 | 1,300 | 400 [200] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | tr(300) | tr(300) | 500 [200] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 700 | --- | 900 | 500 | 500 [200] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | tr(400) | --- | 900 | nd | 900 [400] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | 2023 | tr(650) | --- | 1,700 | nd | 1,200 [500] | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| 2024 | tr(770) | --- | 1,100 | tr(540) | 800 [300] | 2/2 | 2/2 | |

(Note) Chlorinated paraffins with 5 ~ 9 chlorines are target chemicals.

<Air>

Chlorinated decanes: The presence of the substances in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 50 pg/m³, and the detection range was tr(50) ~ 770 pg/m³.

Chlorinated undecanes: The presence of the substances in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at 26 of the 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 130 pg/m³, and the detection range was up to 4,300 pg/m³.

Chlorinated dodecanes: The presence of the substances in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at 24 of the 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 120 pg/m³, and the detection range was up to 910 pg/m³.

Chlorinated tridecanes: The presence of the substances in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 50 pg/m³, and the detection range was tr(100) ~ 640 pg/m³.

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlorinated decanes, Chlorinated undecanes, Chlorinated dodecanes and Chlorinated tridecanes in air during FY2016 ~ 2024

| Chlorinated decanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean* | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | tr(170) | tr(200) | 940 | nd | 290 [110] | 24/37 | 24/37 |
| | 2017 | 370 | 380 | 1,500 | tr(70) | 140 [50] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 370 | 390 | 1,700 | tr(130) | 150 [60] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 400 | 400 | 1,500 | tr(100) | 400 [100] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 170 | 170 | 560 | tr(60) | 120 [50] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 300 | tr(200) | 900 | tr(100) | 300 [100] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 120 | 130 | 490 | tr(40) | 110 [40] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 210 | 190 | 940 | tr(80) | 140 [40] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| 2024 | 270 | 290 | 770 | tr(50) | 120 [50] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |
| Chlorinated undecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | tr(350) | tr(320) | 3,200 | nd | 610 [240] | 20/37 | 20/37 |
| | 2017 | 500 | 510 | 2,300 | tr(90) | 190 [60] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 450 | 430 | 2,600 | tr(100) | 110 [40] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | 400 | 400 | 2,300 | tr(100) | 300 [100] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2020 | 220 | 220 | 1,900 | tr(50) | 120 [50] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 290 | 310 | 850 | nd | 210 [80] | 34/35 | 34/35 |
| | 2022 | tr(130) | tr(120) | 2,400 | nd | 300 [100] | 22/36 | 22/36 |
| | 2023 | tr(320) | tr(290) | 1,300 | nd | 550 [190] | 33/35 | 33/35 |
| 2024 | tr(300) | tr(320) | 4,300 | nd | 380 [130] | 26/35 | 26/35 | |
| Chlorinated dodecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | nd | nd | 740 | nd | 430 [170] | 7/37 | 7/37 |
| | 2017 | 190 | 190 | 730 | tr(30) | 100 [30] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2018 | 190 | 190 | 880 | tr(60) | 110 [40] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(140) | tr(170) | 1,600 | nd | 260 [90] | 23/36 | 23/36 |
| | 2020 | tr(80) | tr(70) | 640 | nd | 140 [50] | 29/37 | 29/37 |
| | 2021 | tr(110) | tr(120) | 370 | nd | 220 [80] | 27/35 | 27/35 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | 430 | nd | 360 [120] | 11/36 | 11/36 |
| | 2023 | nd | tr(210) | tr(520) | nd | 630 [210] | 18/35 | 18/35 |
| 2024 | tr(170) | tr(200) | 910 | nd | 360 [120] | 24/35 | 24/35 | |
| Chlorinated tridecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | nd | nd | 510 | nd | 320 [120] | 13/37 | 13/37 |
| | 2017 | 150 | 160 | 1,600 | nd | 120 [40] | 35/37 | 35/37 |
| | 2018 | tr(100) | tr(110) | 470 | nd | 180 [70] | 26/37 | 26/37 |
| | 2019 | tr(90) | tr(90) | 1,600 | nd | 250 [80] | 19/36 | 19/36 |
| | 2020 | tr(40) | tr(40) | 360 | nd | 100 [40] | 23/37 | 23/37 |
| | 2021 | nd | tr(100) | tr(200) | nd | 300 [100] | 26/35 | 26/35 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | tr(190) | nd | 330 [110] | 3/36 | 3/36 |
| | 2023 | nd | nd | tr(250) | nd | 400 [130] | 15/35 | 15/35 |
| 2024 | 160 | 140 | 640 | tr(100) | 110 [50] | 35/35 | 35/35 | |

(Note) In FY2016, Chlorinated decanes with 4 ~ 6 chlorines and Chlorinated undecanes, Chlorinated dodecanes and Chlorinated tridecanes with 4 ~ 7 chlorines are target chemicals. From FY2017 to FY2019, Chlorinated paraffins with 4 ~ 7 chlorines are target chemicals. After FY2020, Chlorinated paraffins with 4 ~ 8 chlorines are target chemicals.

- Monitoring results until FY2022 (references)

<Surface water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlorinated decanes, Chlorinated undecanes, Chlorinated dodecanes and Chlorinated tridecanes in surface water during FY2017 ~ 2022

| Chlorinated decanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|-----------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2017 | nd | nd | tr(1,600) | nd | 3,300 [1,100] | 1/47 | 1/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 1,600 | nd | 1,000 [400] | 8/47 | 8/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 2,300 | nd | 600 [200] | 17/48 | 17/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 1,800 | nd | 400 [200] | 16/46 | 16/46 |
| | 2021 | tr(500) | tr(500) | 1,100 | nd | 700 [300] | 42/47 | 42/47 |
| | 2022 | tr(200) | tr(200) | 1,100 | nd | 300 [100] | 47/48 | 47/48 |

| Chlorinated undecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2017 | nd | nd | 3,100 | nd | 1,500 [500] | 13/47 | 13/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 3,500 | nd | 2,000 [800] | 6/47 | 6/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 5,000 | nd | 1,400 [500] | 19/48 | 19/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 2,400 | nd | 900 [300] | 4/46 | 4/46 |
| | 2021 | tr(300) | tr(300) | 1,200 | nd | 900 [300] | 26/47 | 26/47 |
| | 2022 | tr(400) | tr(400) | 2,200 | nd | 900 [300] | 37/48 | 37/48 |

| Chlorinated dodecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2017 | nd | nd | 10,000 | nd | 3,300 [1,100] | 4/47 | 4/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 3,000 | nd | 3,000 [1,000] | 16/47 | 16/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 34,000 | nd | 1,000 [400] | 20/48 | 20/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 2,600 | nd | 700 [300] | 4/46 | 4/46 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 4,900 | nd | 1,200 [500] | 13/47 | 13/47 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | 2,400 | nd | 900 [300] | 17/48 | 17/48 |

| Chlorinated tridecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2017 | nd | nd | 10,000 | nd | 3,600 [1,200] | 7/47 | 7/47 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 11,000 | nd | 4,500 [1,500] | 18/47 | 18/47 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 38,000 | nd | 1,300 [500] | 17/48 | 17/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 2,000 | nd | 500 [200] | 8/46 | 8/46 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 8,600 | nd | 2,000 [800] | 7/47 | 7/47 |
| | 2022 | tr(400) | tr(400) | 3,900 | nd | 600 [200] | 47/48 | 47/48 |

(Note) Chlorinated paraffins with 5 ~ 9 chlorines are target chemicals.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Chlorinated decanes, Chlorinated undecanes, Chlorinated dodecanes and Chlorinated tridecanes in sediment during FY2017 ~ 2022

| Chlorinated decanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | nd | nd | 17,000 | nd | 10,000 [4,000] | 12/62 | 12/62 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 7,000 | nd | 6,000 [2,000] | 7/61 | 7/61 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 2,600 | nd | 2,000 [1,000] | 8/61 | 8/61 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 6,000 | nd | 900 [400] | 21/58 | 21/58 |
| | 2021 | tr(400) | nd | 4,300 | nd | 800 [300] | 30/60 | 30/60 |
| | 2022 | 300 | tr(180) | 6,500 | nd | 210 [70] | 48/61 | 48/61 |

| Chlorinated undecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|------------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | nd | nd | 37,000 | nd | 10,000 [4,000] | 19/62 | 19/62 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | tr(13,000) | nd | 15,000 [5,000] | 7/61 | 7/61 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 5,900 | nd | 2,000 [1,000] | 22/61 | 22/61 |
| | 2020 | tr(600) | nd | 6,900 | nd | 1,200 [500] | 25/58 | 25/58 |
| | 2021 | tr(500) | nd | 7,000 | nd | 1,200 [400] | 28/60 | 28/60 |
| | 2022 | 700 | 300 | 16,000 | nd | 300 [100] | 57/61 | 57/61 |

| Chlorinated dodecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | nd | nd | 44,000 | nd | 11,000 [4,000] | 19/62 | 19/62 |
| | 2018 | tr(2,000) | nd | 38,000 | nd | 6,000 [2,000] | 28/61 | 28/61 |
| | 2019 | tr(1,100) | nd | 83,000 | nd | 2,000 [1,000] | 27/61 | 27/61 |
| | 2020 | tr(1,300) | tr(1,200) | 18,000 | nd | 2,000 [800] | 31/58 | 31/58 |
| | 2021 | tr(900) | tr(800) | 12,000 | nd | 1,000 [400] | 44/60 | 44/60 |
| | 2022 | 900 | 500 | 19,000 | nd | 400 [200] | 53/61 | 53/61 |
| Chlorinated tridecanes | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2017 | nd | nd | 94,000 | nd | 12,000 [5,000] | 18/62 | 18/62 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 36,000 | nd | 9,000 [3,000] | 24/61 | 24/61 |
| | 2019 | tr(1,700) | tr(1,700) | 60,000 | nd | 2,000 [1,000] | 39/61 | 39/61 |
| | 2020 | 1,400 | tr(1,100) | 26,000 | nd | 1,200 [500] | 40/58 | 40/58 |
| | 2021 | 1,200 | 1,000 | 31,000 | nd | 1,000 [400] | 47/60 | 47/60 |
| | 2022 | 1,200 | 900 | 28,000 | nd | 500 [200] | 54/61 | 54/61 |

(Note) Chlorinated paraffins with 5 ~ 9 chlorines are target chemicals.

[24] Dicofol (references)

- History and state of monitoring

Dicofol was used as insecticides and mites etc., but the registration of Chlordanes under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY2004. The substance was designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in April 2005. The substance was adopted as a target chemical at the COP9 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants held from late April to early May 2019.

Under the framework of the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc., the substance was surveyed in sediment in FY2004.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2008 FY2019 and FY2020, in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2006 FY2008 and FY2018 ~ 2020, and in air in FY2016 FY2019 and FY2020.

No monitoring was conducted after FY2021. For reference, the monitoring results up to FY2020 are given below.

- Monitoring results until FY2020

<Surface Water>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dicofol in surface water during FY2008 ~ 2020

| Dicofol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface Water (pg/L) | 2008 | nd | nd | 76 | nd | 25 [10] | 13/48 | 13/48 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 40 | nd | 13 [8] | 3/48 | 3/48 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 13 [5] | 1/46 | 1/46 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 ~ 2018.

<Sediment>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dicofol in sediment during FY2008 ~ 2020

| Dicofol | Monitored year | Geometric mean * | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2008 | nd | nd | 460 | nd | 160 [63] | 13/63 | 30/186 |
| | 2019 | 4 | 4 | 84 | nd | 4 [2] | 40/61 | 40/61 |
| | 2020 | tr(5) | nd | 77 | nd | 13 [5] | 23/58 | 23/58 |

(Note 1) *: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2008.

(Note 2) No monitoring was conducted in FY2009 ~ 2018.

<Wildlife>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dicofol in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) during FY2006 ~ 2020

| Dicofol | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | tr(58) | tr(70) | 240 | nd | 92 [36] | 22/31 | 5/7 |
| | 2008 | tr(110) | 120 | 210 | nd | 120 [48] | 28/31 | 7/7 |
| | 2018 | nd | nd | 30 | nd | 30 [10] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | tr(10) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | tr(20) | nd | 30 [10] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | nd | nd | 290 | nd | 92 [36] | 5/80 | 1/16 |
| | 2008 | tr(62) | tr(77) | 270 | nd | 120 [48] | 55/85 | 14/17 |
| | 2018 | tr(10) | nd | 280 | nd | 30 [10] | 9/18 | 9/18 |
| | 2019 | tr(10) | tr(10) | 120 | nd | 30 [10] | 12/16 | 12/16 |
| | 2020 | tr(10) | nd | 330 | nd | 30 [10] | 8/18 | 8/18 |

| Dicofol | Monitored year | Geometric mean *1 | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Birds *2 (pg/g-wet) | 2006 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 92 [36] | 0/10 | 0/2 |
| | 2008 | nd | nd | 300 | nd | 120 [48] | 1/10 | 1/2 |
| | 2018 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2019 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |
| | 2020 | --- | --- | nd | nd | 30 [10] | 0/1 | 0/1 |

(Note 1) *1: Arithmetic mean value was calculated for each point, from which the geometric mean value for all points was derived in FY2006 and FY2008.

(Note 2) *2: There is no consistency between the results of the ornithological survey after FY2018 and those in previous years because of the changes in the survey sites and target species.

(Note 3) No monitoring was conducted in FY2007 and FY2009 ~ 2017.

<Air>

Stocktaking of the detection of Dicofol in air during FY2016 ~ 2020

| Dicofol | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2016 | nd | nd | 1.0 | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 10/37 | 10/37 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 0.4 | nd | 0.4 [0.2] | 5/36 | 5/36 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | tr(0.3) | nd | 0.5 [0.2] | 3/37 | 3/37 |

(Note) No monitoring was conducted in FY2017 and FY2018.

[25] Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS)

- History and state of monitoring

Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) is used as Fluoropolymer processing aid and Surfactant etc. Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS), its salts and PFHxS-related compounds were adopted as target chemicals at the COP10 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in June 2022. And the substances were designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances under the Chemical Substances Control Law in December 2023.

Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001 and in the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was not monitored.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2018 ~ FY2024, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) and air in FY2020 ~ 2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 38 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 40 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 2,300 pg/L.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in surface water during FY2018 ~ 2024

| Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2018 | 190 | 130 | 2,600 | nd | 120 [50] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| | 2019 | 150 | 120 | 1,800 | nd | 60 [30] | 45/48 | 45/48 |
| | 2020 | 160 | 120 | 1,500 | nd | 60 [20] | 44/46 | 44/46 |
| | 2021 | 160 | 110 | 2,300 | nd | 70 [30] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| | 2022 | 130 | 120 | 1,800 | nd | 70 [30] | 42/48 | 42/48 |
| | 2023 | 110 | 100 | 2,200 | nd | 70 [30] | 38/47 | 38/47 |
| | 2024 | 140 | 130 | 2,300 | nd | 90 [40] | 38/47 | 38/47 |

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at 15 of the 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was up to 18 pg/g-dry.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in sediment during FY2018 ~ 2024

| Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2018 | nd | nd | 27 | nd | 11 [5] | 15/61 | 15/61 |
| | 2019 | nd | nd | 15 | nd | 13 [5] | 10/61 | 10/61 |
| | 2020 | nd | nd | 10 | nd | 6 [3] | 13/58 | 13/58 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | 15 | nd | 6 [3] | 19/60 | 19/60 |
| | 2022 | tr(3) | nd | 16 | nd | 6 [3] | 28/61 | 28/61 |
| | 2023 | nd | nd | 20 | nd | 6 [3] | 19/60 | 19/60 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | 18 | nd | 6 [3] | 15/60 | 15/60 |

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was not detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 9 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to 1,900 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 94 pg/g-wet and 180 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2020 ~ 2024

| Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2020 | tr(2) | tr(3) | tr(3) | nd | 5 [2] | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| | 2021 | nd | nd | tr(3) | nd | 5 [2] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| | 2022 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| | 2023 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/2 | 0/2 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2020 | tr(3) | tr(2) | 18 | nd | 5 [2] | 10/18 | 10/18 |
| | 2021 | tr(2) | nd | 16 | nd | 5 [2] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| | 2022 | tr(4) | tr(6) | 20 | nd | 7 [3] | 10/18 | 10/18 |
| | 2023 | tr(3) | nd | 34 | nd | 7 [3] | 7/18 | 7/18 |
| | 2024 | tr(5) | tr(5) | 1,900 | nd | 7 [3] | 9/16 | 9/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2020 | --- | --- | 190 | 190 | 5 [2] | 1/1 | 1/1 |
| | 2021 | 20 | --- | 40 | 10 | 5 [2] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2022 | 400 | --- | 630 | 250 | 7 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2023 | 110 | --- | 230 | 56 | 7 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| | 2024 | 130 | --- | 180 | 94 | 7 [3] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

<Air>

The presence of the substance in air was monitored at 35 sites, and it was detected at all 35 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.2 pg/m³, and the detection range was 0.7 ~ 6.1 pg/m³.

Stocktaking of the detection of Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) in air in FY2020 ~ 2024

| Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Air (pg/m ³) | 2020 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 6.1 | 0.7 | 0.3 [0.1] | 37/37 | 37/37 |
| | 2021 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 6.6 | 0.46 | 0.18 [0.07] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2022 | 6.1 | 6.3 | 14 | 1.6 | 0.11 [0.04] | 36/36 | 36/36 |
| | 2023 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 5.6 | 0.8 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |
| | 2024 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 6.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 [0.2] | 35/35 | 35/35 |

[26] Methoxychlor

- History and state of monitoring

Methoxychlor was used as an insecticide, but its registration under the Agricultural Chemicals Regulation Law was expired in FY1960. The substance was adopted as target chemicals at the COP11 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2023 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in December 2024.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2023. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, the substance was monitored in surface water and sediment in FY1985. In the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was monitored in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY2005.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2023 ~ 2024, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was not detected at all 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 40 pg/L.

Stocktaking of the detection of Methoxychlor in surface water during FY2023 ~ 2024

| Methoxychlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2023 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 80 [30] | 0/47 | 0/47 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 110 [40] | 0/47 | 0/47 |

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was not detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 3 pg/g-dry.

Stocktaking of the detection of Methoxychlor in sediment during FY2023 ~ 2024

| Methoxychlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2023 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/60 | 0/60 |
| | 2024 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 7 [3] | 0/60 | 0/60 |

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was not detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 4 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was not detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 4 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was not detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 4 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of Methoxychlor in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024

| Methoxychlor | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/3 | 0/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | nd | nd | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/16 | 0/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | nd | --- | nd | nd | 10 [4] | 0/2 | 0/2 |

[27] Dechlorane pluses

- History and state of monitoring

Dechlorane pluses were mainly used a flame retardant for electrical and electronic products, resins and rubber. The substances were adopted as target chemicals at the COP11 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2023 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in December 2024.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2023. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001, the substance was monitored in surface water, sediment and wildlife (fish) in FY1976.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substances have been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2023 ~ 2024, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

anti-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 44 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.9 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 4,400 pg/L.

syn-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 31 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 1.0 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 11,000 pg/L.

Stocktaking of the detection of *anti*-Dechlorane plus and *syn*-Dechlorane plus in surface water during FY2023 ~ 2024

| <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2023 | 6.8 | 5.0 | 410 | nd | 1.7 [0.7] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| | 2024 | 7.2 | 5.0 | 4,400 | nd | 2.2 [0.9] | 44/47 | 44/47 |
| <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2023 | 3.8 | 2.3 | 1,100 | nd | 2.2 [0.9] | 36/47 | 36/47 |
| | 2024 | 3.4 | tr(2.5) | 11,000 | nd | 3.0 [1.0] | 31/47 | 31/47 |

<Sediment>

anti-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at 56 of the 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 1.8 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was up to 5,800 pg/g-dry.

syn-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 0.4 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was tr(0.6) ~ 2,100 pg/g-dry.

Stocktaking of the detection of *anti*-Dechlorane plus and *syn*-Dechlorane plus in sediment in during FY2023 ~ 2024

| <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2023 | 150 | 190 | 7,300 | nd | 16 [6] | 53/60 | 53/60 |
| | 2024 | 170 | 280 | 5,800 | nd | 5.4 [1.8] | 56/60 | 56/60 |
| <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2023 | 59 | 60 | 2,000 | nd | 3 [1] | 57/60 | 57/60 |
| | 2024 | 64 | 100 | 2,100 | tr(0.6) | 1.1 [0.4] | 60/60 | 60/60 |

<Wildlife>

anti-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 1 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.8 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentration was 5.4 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 11 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.8 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to 51 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.8 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 16 pg/g-wet and 160 pg/g-wet.

syn-Dechlorane plus: The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at 1 of the 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.5 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentration was tr(1.1) pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at 11 of the 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.5 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was up to 29 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 0.5 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 7.3 pg/g-wet and 100 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of *anti*-Dechlorane plus and *syn*-Dechlorane plus in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024

| <i>anti</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | tr(1.0) | nd | 5.4 | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 51 | nd | 2.0 [0.8] | 11/16 | 11/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 51 | --- | 160 | 16 | 2.0 [0.8] | 2/2 | 2/2 |
| <i>syn</i> -Dechlorane plus | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | nd | nd | tr(1.1) | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 1/3 | 1/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 29 | nd | 1.2 [0.5] | 11/16 | 11/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 27 | --- | 100 | 7.3 | 1.2 [0.5] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

[28] UV-328

- History and state of monitoring

UV-328 was mainly used as a UV absorber in paints and plastics. The substance was adopted as target chemicals at the COP11 of the Stockholm convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants in May 2023 and designated as a Class I Specified Chemical Substance under the Chemical Substances Control Law in December 2024.

As a continuous survey, the first survey was in FY2023. Under the framework of the Environmental Survey of Chemical Substances up to FY2001 and in the Initial Environmental Survey and the Detailed Environmental Survey etc. under the framework of the Environmental Survey and Monitoring of Chemicals after FY2002, the substance was not monitored.

Under the framework of the Environmental Monitoring, the substance has been monitored in surface water and sediment in FY2023 ~ 2024, and in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024.

- Monitoring results

<Surface Water>

The presence of the substance in surface water was monitored at 47 sites, and it was detected at 28 of the 47 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 20 pg/L, and the detection range was up to 120 pg/L.

Stocktaking of the detection of UV-328 in surface water during FY2023 ~ 2024

| UV-328 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Surface water (pg/L) | 2023 | tr(50) | tr(40) | 540 | nd | 60 [20] | 36/47 | 36/47 |
| | 2024 | tr(30) | tr(30) | 120 | nd | 60 [20] | 28/47 | 28/47 |

<Sediment>

The presence of the substance in sediment was monitored at 60 sites, and it was detected at all 60 valid sites adopting the detection limit of 8 pg/g-dry, and the detection range was tr(14) ~ 50,000 pg/g-dry.

Stocktaking of the detection of UV-328 in sediment in during FY2023 ~ 2024

| UV-328 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] Limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Sediment (pg/g-dry) | 2023 | 1,400 | 1,500 | 71,000 | tr(12) | 21 [8] | 60/60 | 60/60 |
| | 2024 | 1,200 | 1,600 | 50,000 | tr(14) | 20 [8] | 60/60 | 60/60 |

<Wildlife>

The presence of the substance in bivalves was monitored in 3 areas, and it was detected at all 3 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 6 pg/g-wet and the detection range was 31 ~ 240 pg/g-wet. For fish, the presence of the substance was monitored in 16 areas, and it was detected at all 16 valid areas adopting the detection limit of 6 pg/g-wet, and the detection range was tr(17) ~ 900 pg/g-wet. For birds, the presence of the substance was monitored in 2 areas, and it was detected at both valid areas adopting the detection limit of 6 pg/g-wet, and the detected concentrations were 36 pg/g-wet and 230 pg/g-wet.

Stocktaking of the detection of UV-328 in wildlife (bivalves, fish and birds) in FY2024

| UV-328 | Monitored year | Geometric mean | Median | Maximum | Minimum | Quantification [Detection] limit | Detection Frequency | |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Sample | Site |
| Bivalves (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 79 | 66 | 240 | 31 | 20 [6] | 3/3 | 3/3 |
| Fish (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 100 | 66 | 900 | tr(17) | 20 [6] | 16/16 | 16/16 |
| Birds (pg/g-wet) | 2024 | 91 | --- | 230 | 36 | 20 [6] | 2/2 | 2/2 |

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Reference: Egg of Great Cormorants (egg yolk and white)

In the FY2023 monitoring survey, eggs of great cormorants were analyzed to check for the presence of 7 chemicals (groups): PCBs, Hexachlorobenzene, Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS), Perfluorooctanoic acids (PFOA), Pentachlorobenzene, Short-chain chlorinated paraffins and Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS).

The eggs were taken around Koyaike pond*. The results of the analysis in Table 1.

(Note) *: The eggs were taken by Water and Air Division, Environment Department, Hyogo Prefectural Government and Green and Nature Section, Urban Transportation Department, Itami City.

Table 1 List of the detection values of egg of Great Cormorant

| No. | Target chemicals | Quantification [Detection] Limits | Egg of Great Cormorant | | (Reposted) Adult of Great Cormorant *2 | | |
|------|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|
| | | | Koyaike pond (Itami City) | | Tikubushima Island, Lake Biwa | Riv.Tenjin (Hokuei Town) | |
| | | | Egg white | Egg yolk | | | |
| [1] | Total PCBs *1 | 12 [5] | 16,000 | 14,000,000 | 380,000 | 63,000 | |
| [2] | HCB | 2.1 [0.8] | 85 | 43,000 | 4,200 | 2,100 | |
| [15] | Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) | 6 [3] | 220 | 150,000 | 100,000 | 1,400 | |
| [16] | Perfluorooctanoic acids (PFOA) | 8 [3] | 20 | 3,900 | 2,000 | 66 | |
| [17] | Pentachlorobenzene | 0.6 [0.2] | 31 | 13,000 | 380 | 220 | |
| [23] | Short-chain chlorinated paraffinsare | | | | | | |
| | [23-1] | Chlorinated decanes | 450 [150] | nd | 4,100 | tr(410) | 610 |
| | [23-2] | Chlorinated undecanes | 1,500 [500] | nd | nd | nd | tr(1,200) |
| | [23-3] | Chlorinated dodecanes | 700 [300] | nd | nd | 700 | 1,300 |
| | [23-4] | Chlorinated tridecanes | 1,200 [500] | nd | nd | nd | 1,700 |
| [25] | Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) | 7 [3] | 17 | 5,900 | 230 | 56 | |

(Note 1) *1: The Quantification [Detection] limits were the sum of the Quantification [Detection] limits of each congener.

(Note 2) *2: These values are previously mentioned in the main part but are mentioned here again to indicate the stage of life cycle of great cormorants from egg to adult.