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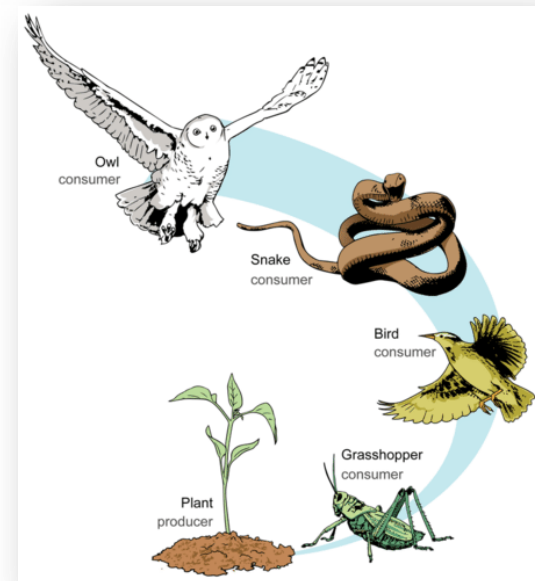
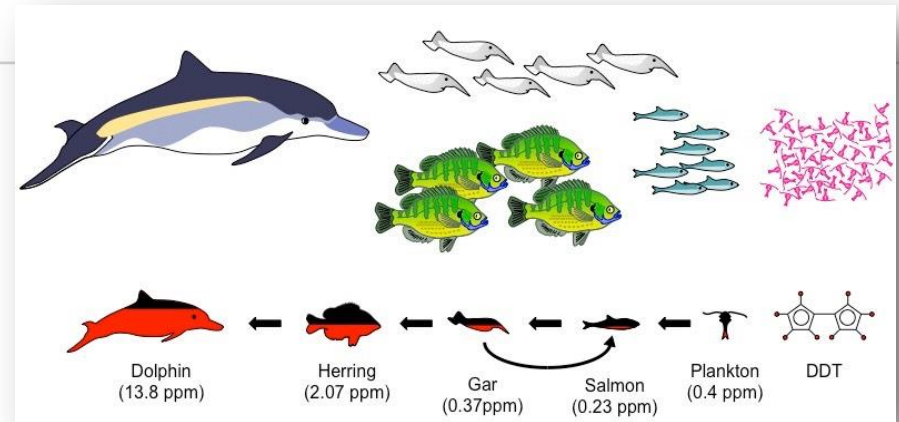


Kolegij: PRIMJENA EKOTOKSIKOLOGIJE 1. predavanje

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EKOTOKSIKOLOGIJA

- Izraz izveden od riječi ekologija i toksikologija

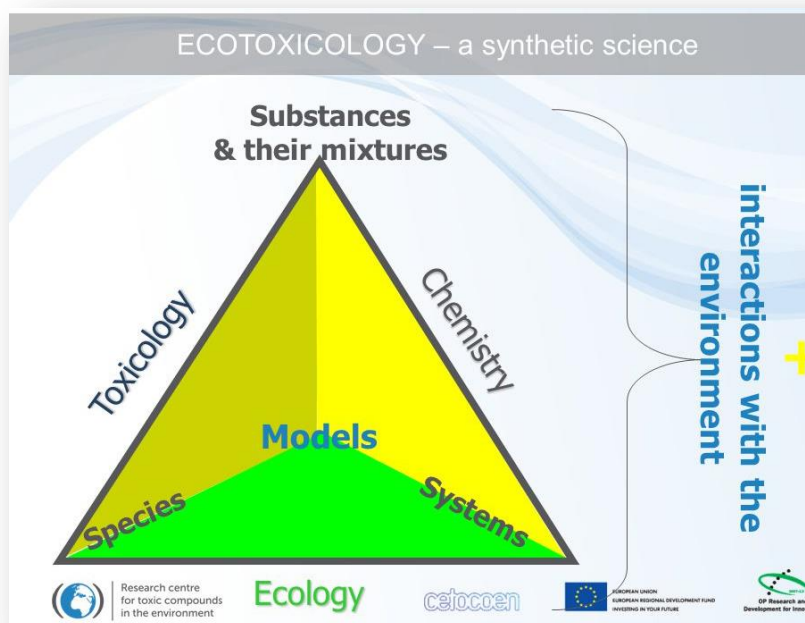
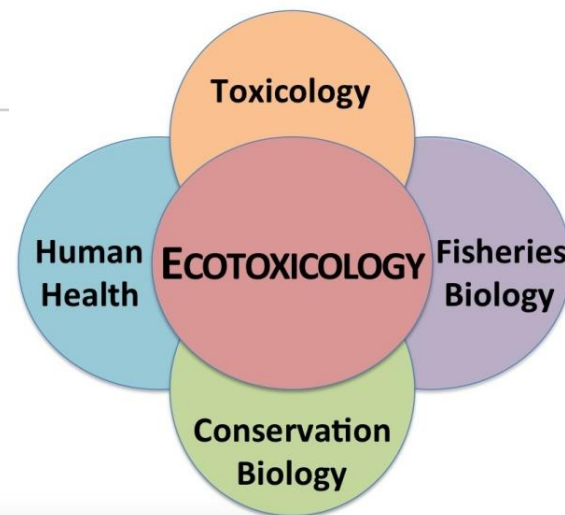


- izraz uvodi Rene Truhaut (1909.-1994.)
 - definira pojam ekotoksikologije
- “Ecotoxicology: objectives, principles and perspectives”*

EKOTOKSIKOLOGIJA – interdisciplinarna znanost koja se bavi istraživanjem učinka nastalih kao posljedica prisutnosti prirodnih ili umjetno stvorenih toksičnih opasnih tvari na sve žive organizme tj. mikroorganizme, biljke, životinje, ljude i sve ostale sastavne dijelove ekosustava (ekologija), u cjelovitom kontekstu

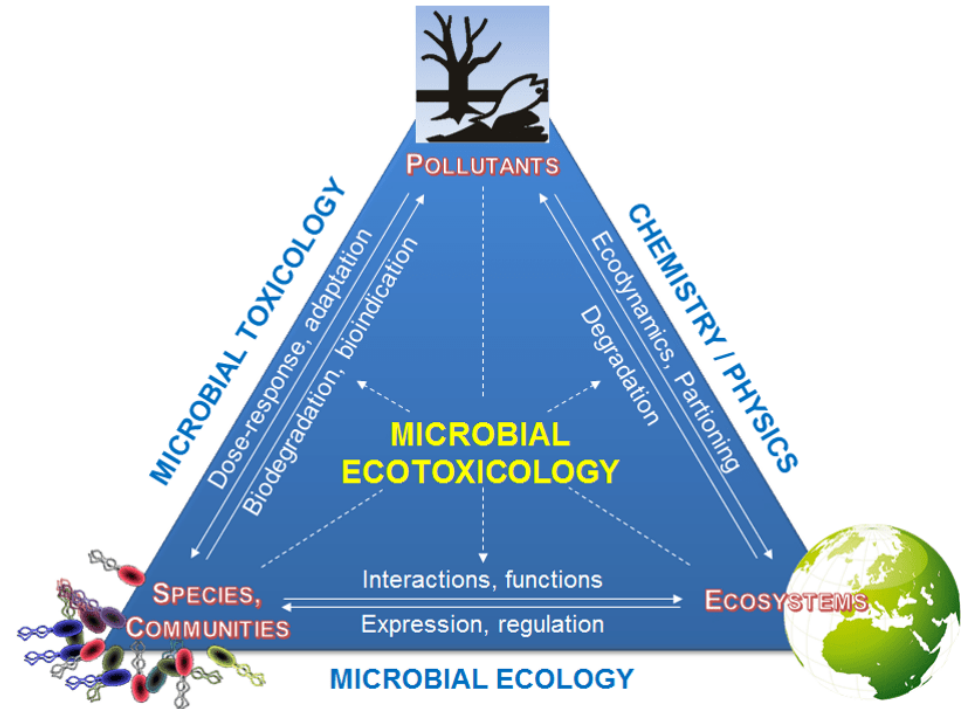
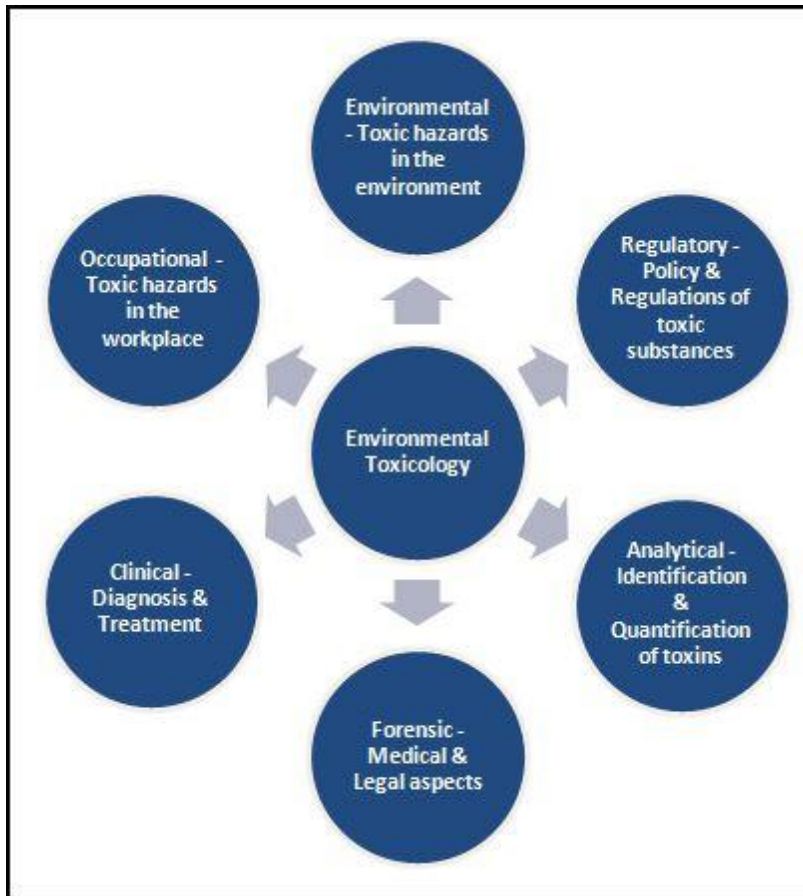
- Interdisciplinarna znanost:

- Fiziologija
- Ekologija
- Toksikologija
- Patofiziologija
- Ekofiziologija



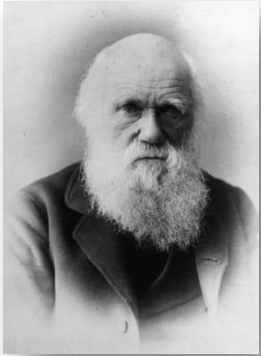


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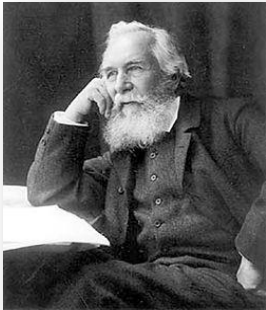


EKOLOGIJA

- grč. “oikos” = dom, kuća, nastamba + “logos” = znanje, govor



- **Charles Darwin (1859.)** – tvorac suvremene ekologije
- u svom djelu "Porijeklo vrsta" pod pojmom "borba za opstanak" obuhvatio je sve stalne, uzajamne i promjenjive odnose živih organizama s ostalom živom i neživom prirodom



- **Haeckel (1866.)** – uvodi izraz ekologija
- znanost o interakcijama između organizama i njihovog okoliša, organskog i anorganskog



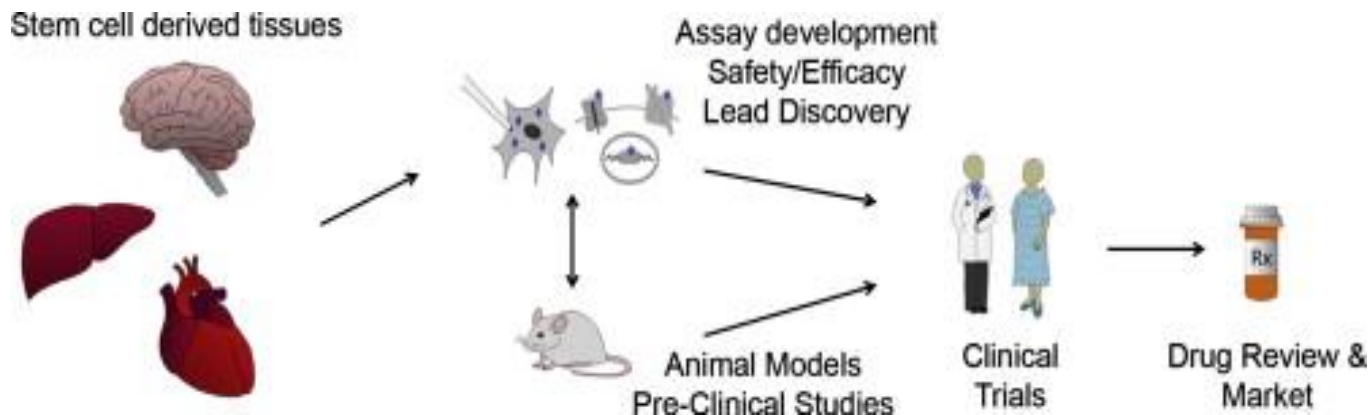
- prvi zapisi vezani uz toksikologiju potječu iz prahistorijskog vremena – različiti spojevi i njihove smjese korišteni kao tonici i otrovi (arsen, živa)
 - Prvi istraživači toksikologije liječnici i alkemičari
 - Švicarski liječnik Paracelsus (1493.-1541.) – doza-učinak- tvorac suvremene toksikologije
- “Sve su stvari otrovi i ništa nije bez otrova. Samo doza određuje da neka tvar nije otrov.”*
- 1962. pobuđena svijest javnosti o toksičnom djelovanju kemijskih spojeva na okoliš – Rachel Carson “**Silent Spring**” (nestanak ptica s dijelova rijeka kao posljedica djelovanja insekticida i pesticida)

TOKSIKOLOGIJA – znanost koja se bavi različitim oblicima štetnih / opasnih tvari na žive organizme ili određeni biološki sustav

TOKSIKOLOGIJA



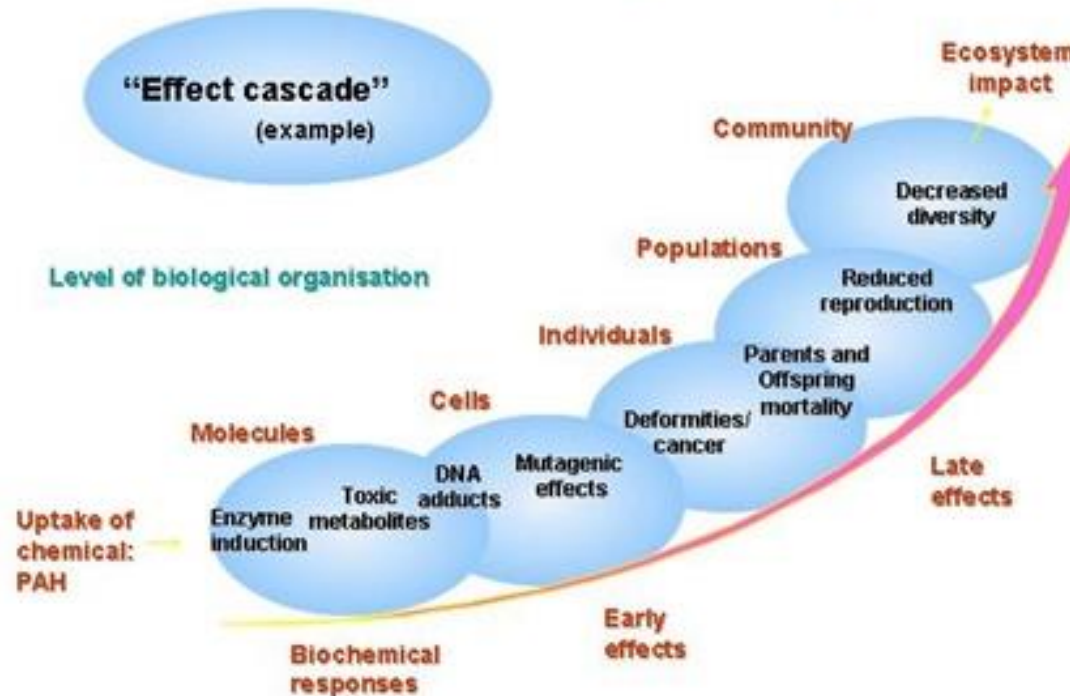
- Najčešće se bavi kemijskim tvarima koje se koriste u :
 - medicini (dijagnostička, preventivska, terapijska)
 - prehrambenoj industriji (izravni i neizravni dodatci hrani)
 - kemijskoj industriji
- **Podjela toksikologije:**
 - (1) PRISTUPU (deskriptivna toksikologija, analitička i molekularna toksikologija)
 - (2) PODRUČJU (forenzička, klinička i ekotoksikologija)
 - (3) PROFESIJI (mehanistička, deskriptivna)



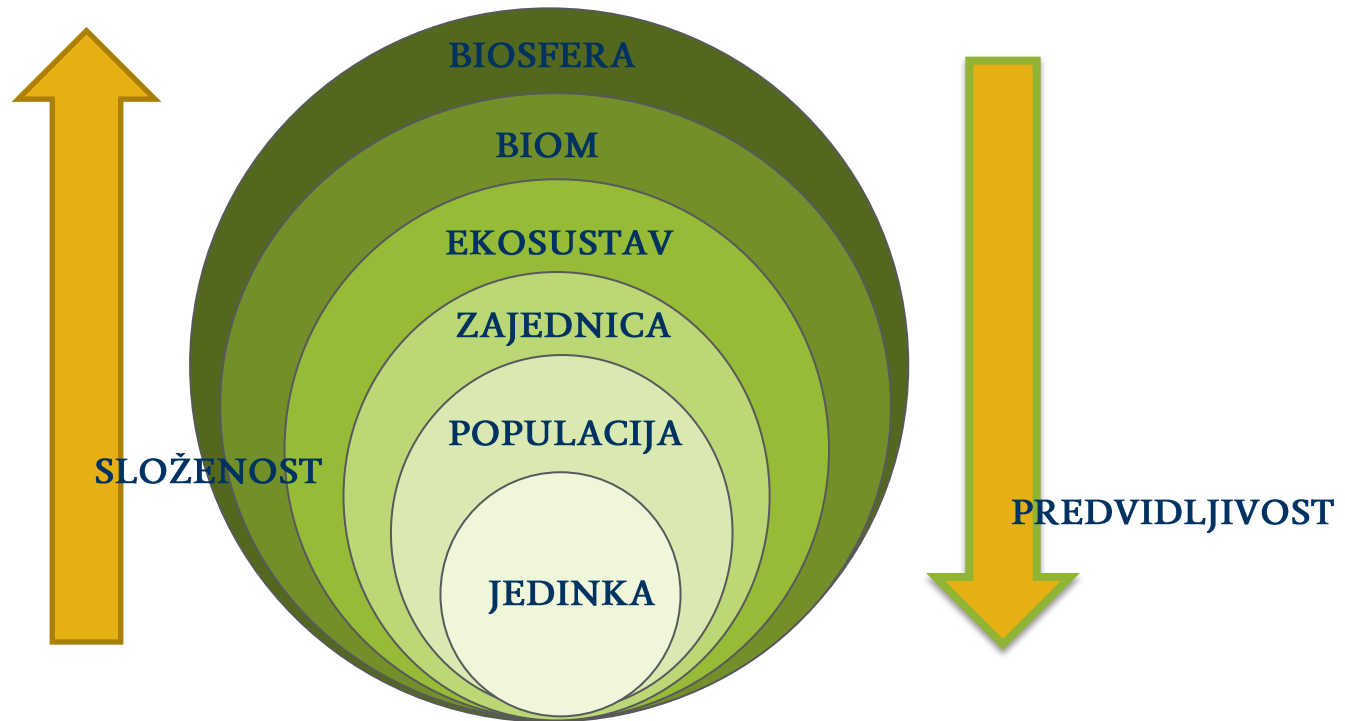
HIJERARHIJA U PRIRODI

Ecosystem health diagnosis

biological effects -
from uptake to ecosystem impact

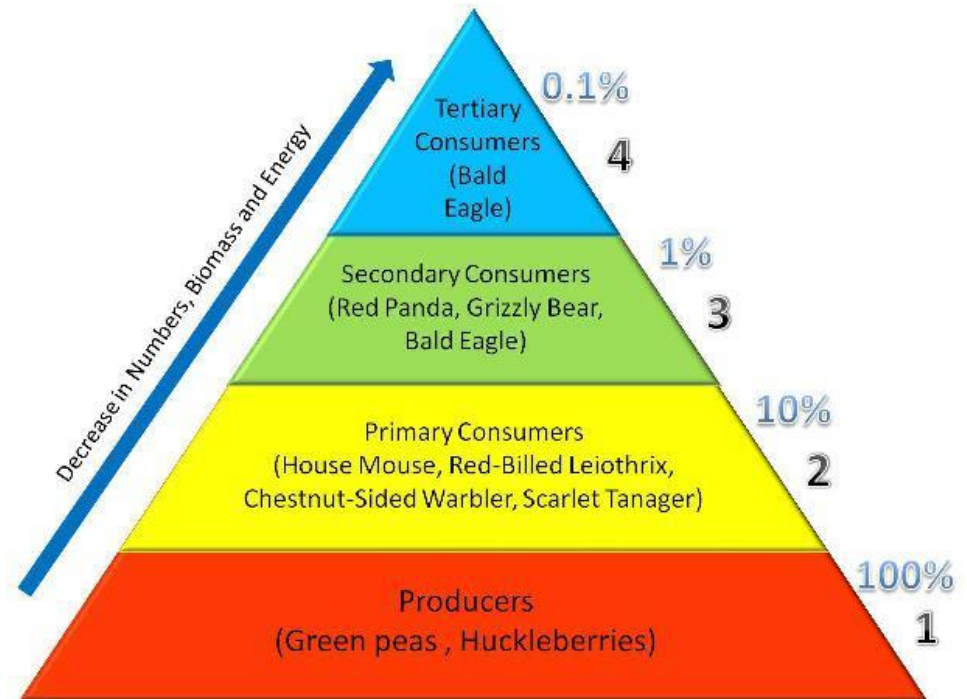


EKOLOŠKE ORGANIZACIJSKE JEDINICE (hijerarhija biotičkih sustava)

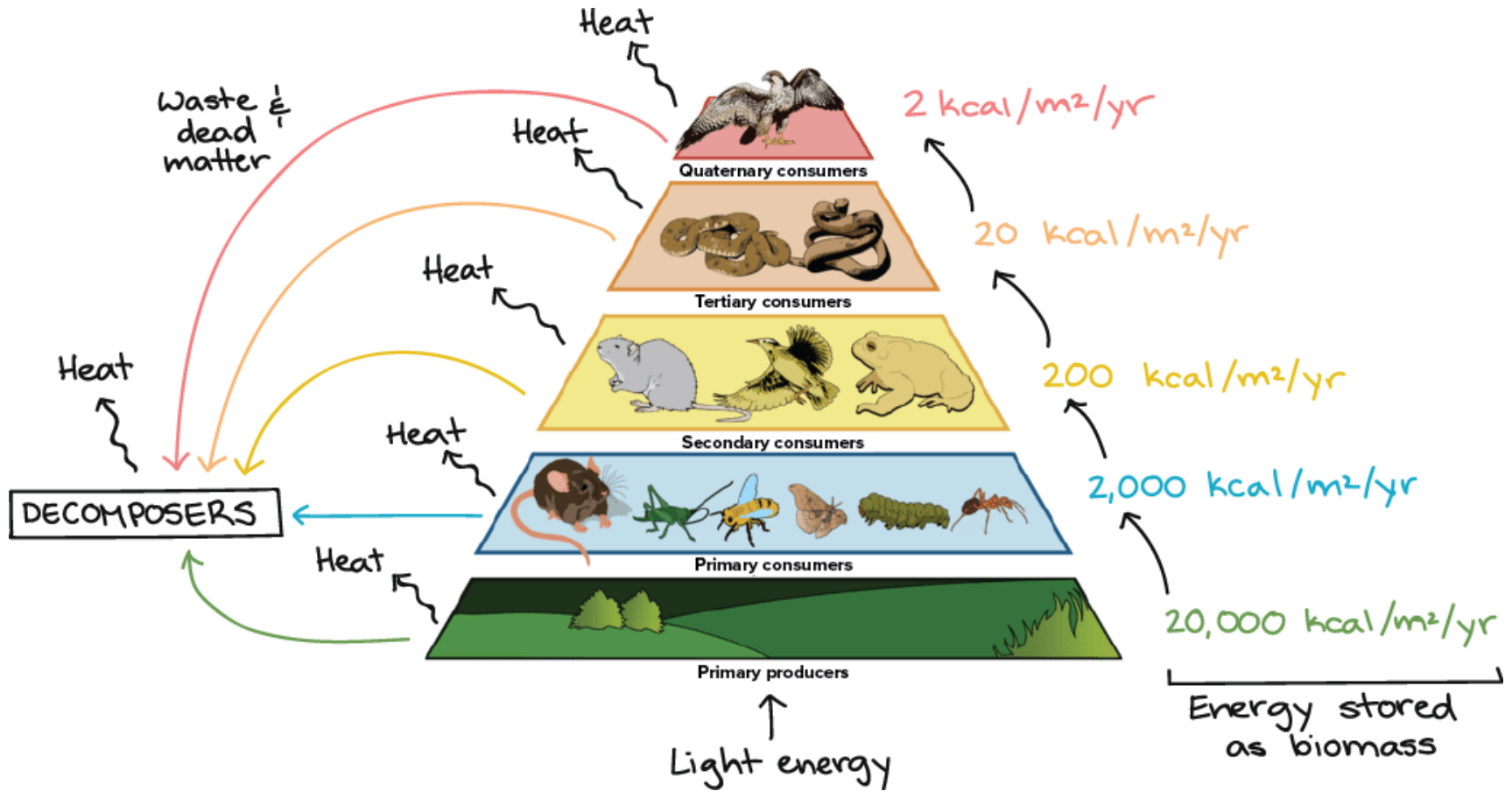


EKOLOŠKA PIRAMIDA

- EKOLOŠKA PIRAMIDA BROJEVA - duž hranidbenog lanca raste veličina tijela jer svaki predator jede plijen koji je nešto manji od njega. Sve veće životinje trebaju sve veći prostor da bi pronašle hranu, pa je njihov broj duž hranidbenog lanca sve manji
- PIRAMIDA ENERGETSKIH TRANSFORMACIJA - na svakoj višoj trofičkoj razini ima sve manje raspoložive energije
- PIRAMIDA BIOMASE



EKOLOŠKA PIRAMIDA



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BIOMAGNIFIKACIJA
BIOAKUMULACIJA
BIORASPOLOŽIVOST

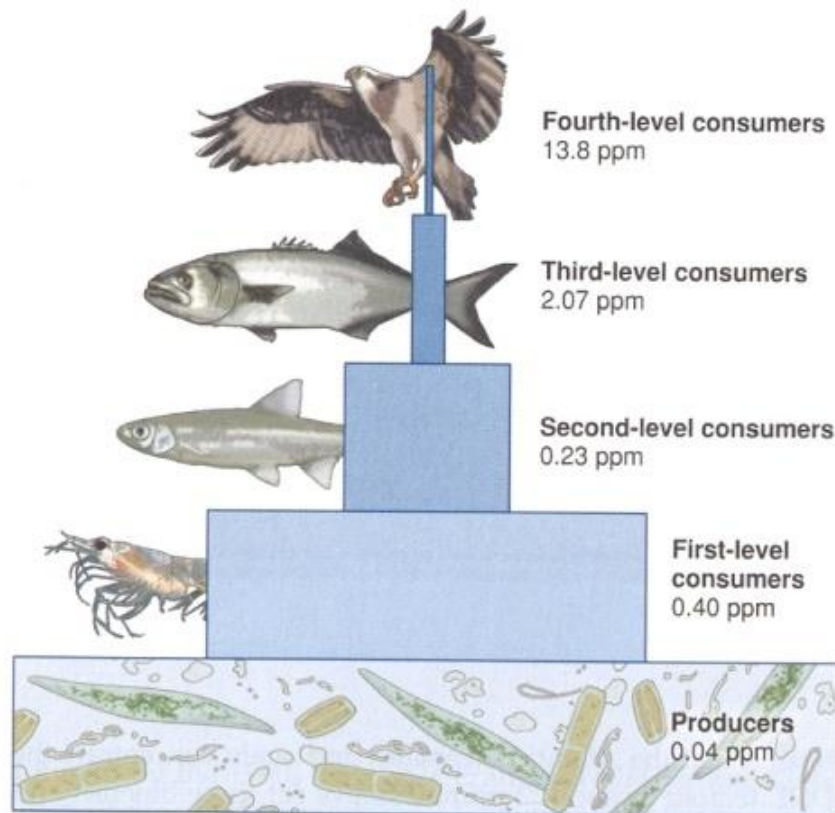
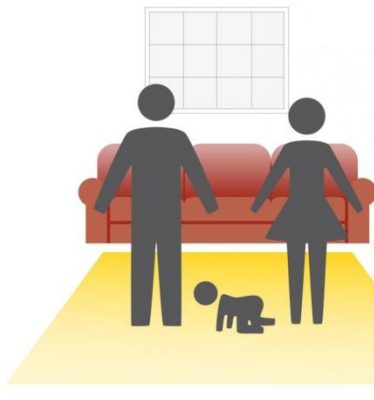


FIGURE 5.16 Biomagnification The concentration of DDE increases from 0.04 ppm in primary producers to 13.8 ppm as it moves up the food chain. These large increases are possible because the concentration increases by about a factor of 10 at each step. For example, the concentration increases about ninefold (2.07 ppm/0.23 ppm) from silversides (second-level consumers) to bluefish (third-level consumers).

ŠTETNI UČINCI KAO MJERILO OTROVNOSTI

Toxic chemicals are in your home



PFCs
(perfluorinated compounds)

Used in:

- clothing
- cookware
- food containers
- carpets

BPA
(bisphenol A)

Used in:

- food can linings
- baby bottles
- receipt paper
- CDs and DVDs

Formaldehyde

Used in:

- carpeting
- soaps and detergents
- cabinetry
- glues and adhesives

Phthalates

Used in:

- air fresheners
- paper
- vinyl tile
- wood varnishes and lacquers

Toluene

Used in:

- paints
- flooring adhesives
- plumbing adhesives
- adhesive removers

PBDEs
(polybrominated diphenyl ethers)

Used in:

- furniture
- electrical equipment
- TVs and computers

Toxic chemicals are in your body


BPA is found in **9** out of **10** Americans



PFCs, PBDEs and **phthalates** are in **99%** of pregnant women




232 toxic chemicals were found in umbilical cord blood from U.S. newborns




They're putting your health at risk

Fertility problems are linked to **PFCs, PBDEs** and **phthalates**



Asthma is linked to **toluene** and **formaldehyde**



Parkinson's disease is linked to **trichloroethylene** and other chemicals



And many more may be just as dangerous

Learn more and take action at edf.org/ChemReform

the average woman
WEARS
515
CHEMICALS
on the average day.
(say what?)

THEY LOOK LIKE THIS:



ŠTETNI UČINCI KAO MJERILO OTROVNOСТИ

IS YOUR DEODORANT TOXIC?

TOP 5 TOXIC INGREDIENTS HIDING IN YOUR DEODORANT

ALUMINUM

linked to breast cancer in women, prostate cancer and an increased risk of Alzheimer's disease

PROPYLENE GLYCOL

can cause damage to the central nervous system, liver and heart.

TRICLOSAN

classified as a pesticide by the FDA. Classified as a probable carcinogen by the EPA.



PARABENS

disrupt our delicate hormonal balance, which can lead to things like early puberty in children and an increased risk of hormonal cancers. Linked to birth defects and organ toxicity

PHTHALATES

linked to a higher risk of birth defects. May disrupt hormone receptors, increase the likelihood of cell mutation.

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VRSTE ŠTETNIH UČINAKA

- CLP Uredba ili Uredba (EZ) br. 1272/2008 – opasne tvari njihove smjese se razvrstavaju na temelju njihovih karakteristika opasnosti koje proizlaze iz njihovih svojstava opasnosti za zdravlje ljudi i svojstava opasnosti za okoliš
- Vrste / razredi opasnosti:

1. AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST

2. SUBKRONIČNA I KRONIČNA TOKSIČNOST

3. MUTAGENOST

4. KANCEROGENOST

5. GENOTOKSIČNOST

6. TETRATOGENOST




7. REPRODUKTIVNA TOKSIČNOST

8. EKOTOKSIČNOST

9. OSTALI ŠTETNI UČINCI (npr. utjecaj na endokrilne funkcije, reproduktivne organe)

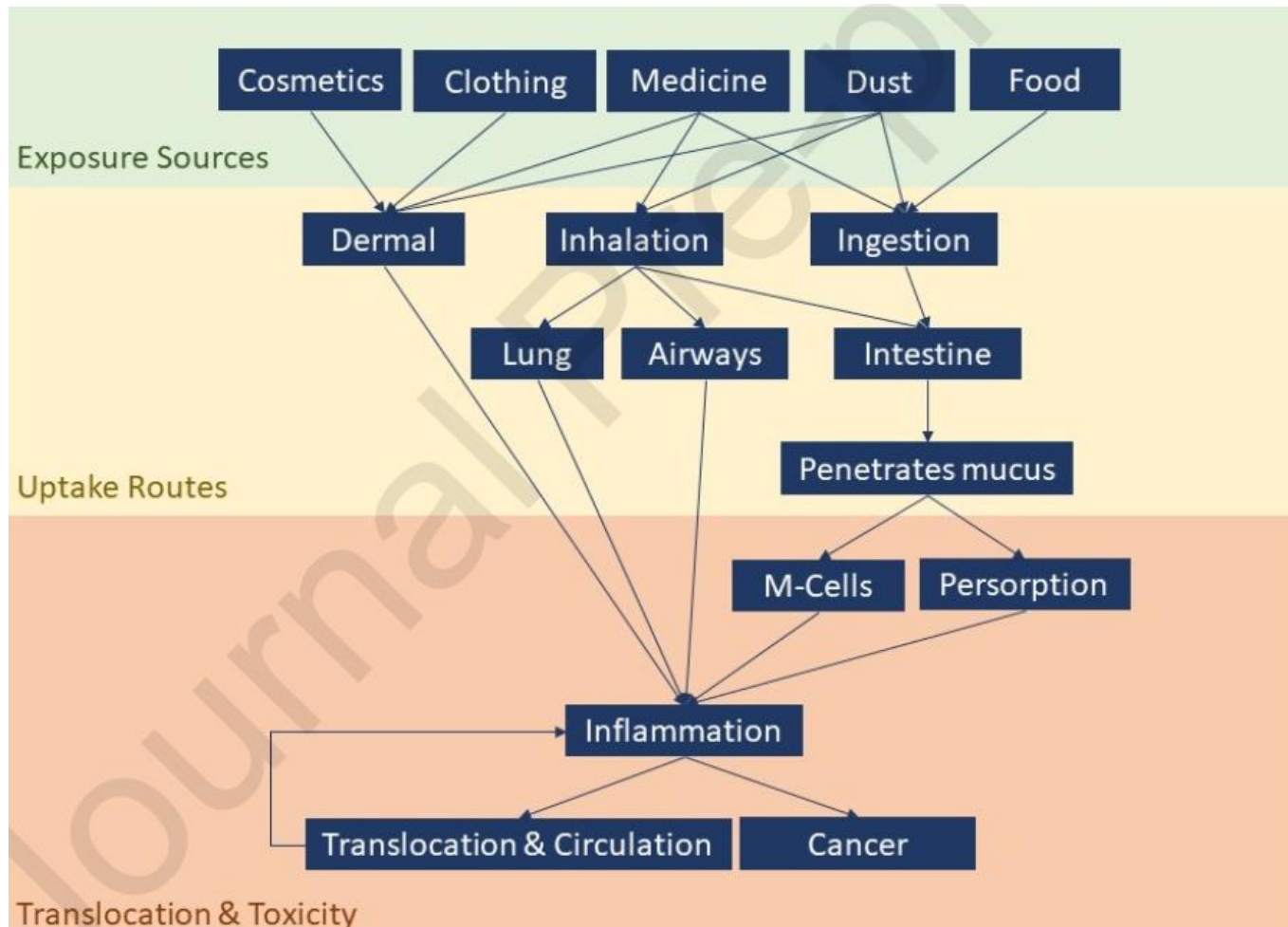
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Table 11.3 Hazard Class and Categories, Pictogram, Signal Word, Hazard Statement Code, and Description of Selected Hazard Classes for GHS Environmental Hazards

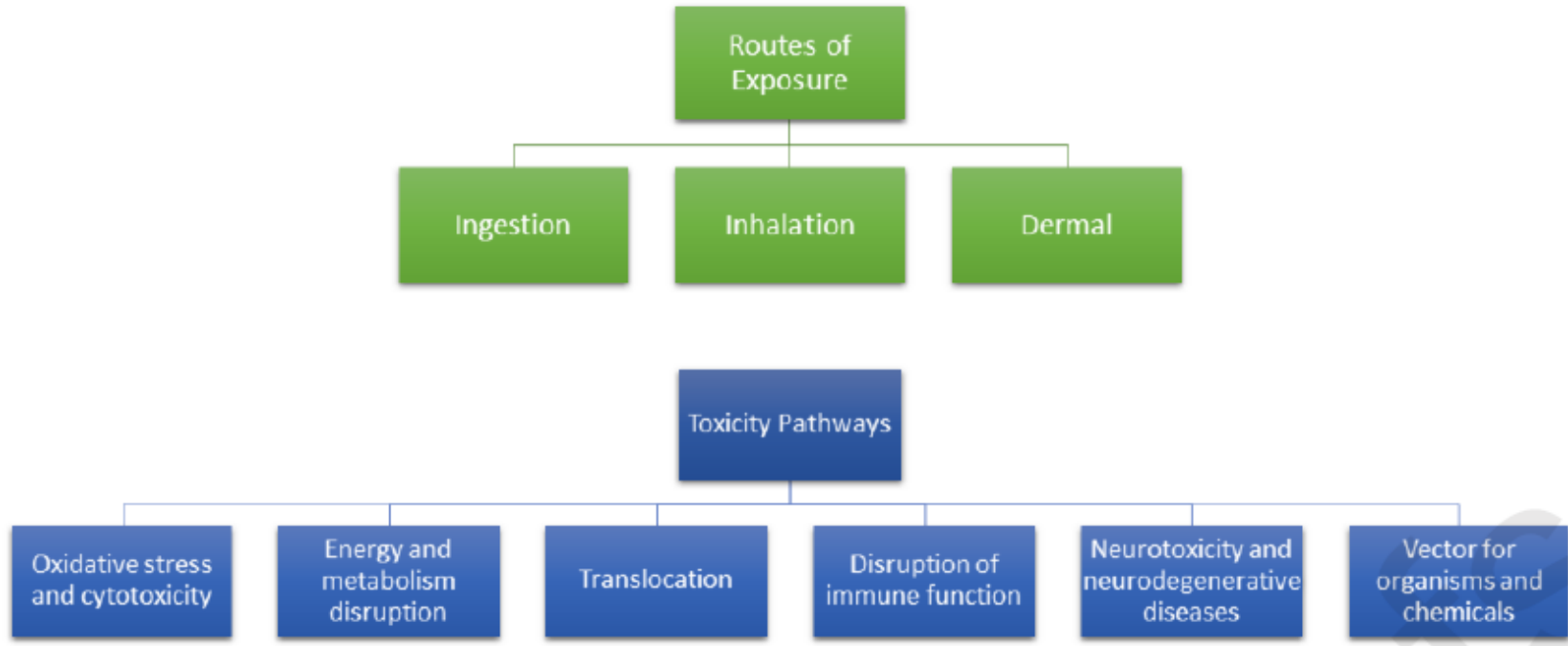
| Hazard class | Hazard categories | Pictogram | Signal word | Hazard statement code | Description of hazard statement |
|--|-------------------|--|-------------|-----------------------|--|
| Hazardous to aquatic environment short term (acute) | Acute 1 |  | Warning | H400 | Very toxic to aquatic life |
| Hazardous to aquatic environment long term (chronic) | Chronic 1 |  | Warning | H410 | Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects |
| Hazardous to aquatic environment long term (chronic) | Chronic 2 |  | None | H411 | Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects |

Modified from UN (2013).

ŠTETNI UČINCI - mikroplastika



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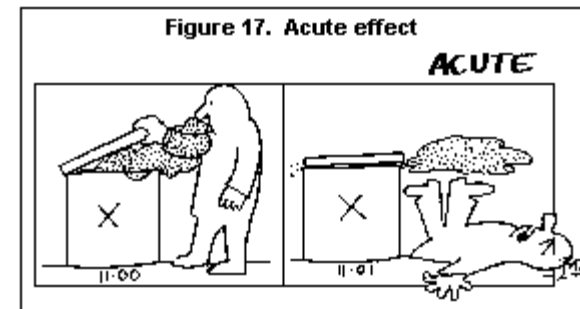


AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST



- Obuhvaća jednokratni unos visoke doze štetne tvari u organizam i posljedice koje se pri tome pojavljuju
- Obuhvaća i višekratne doze dane u roku 24 sata ili četverosatne izloženosti udisanjem

- Akutna toksičnost dijeli se na:
 - (1) akutna oralna toksičnost
 - (2) akutna dermalna toksičnost
 - (3) akutna inhalacijska toksičnost

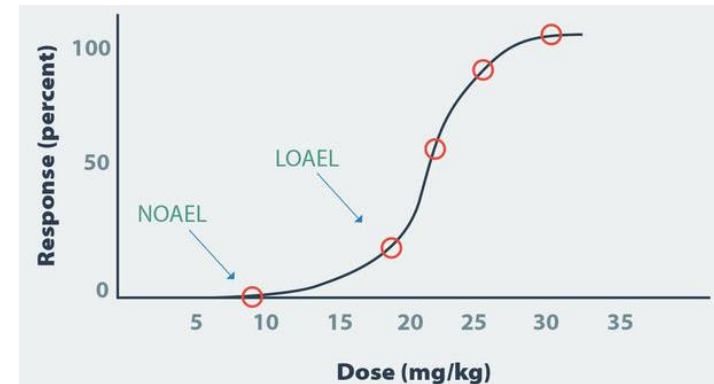
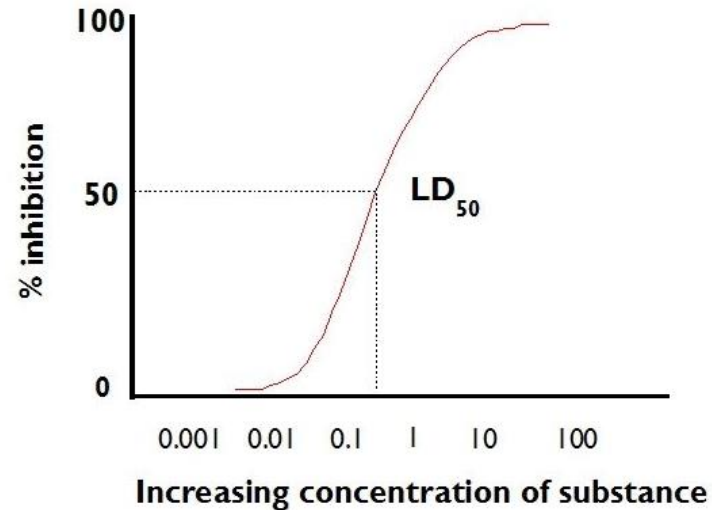


- Akutna trovanja - povezana s nesrećama (radno mjesto, katastrofe, kemijske nesreće), namjernim uzimanjem ili ratnim djelovanjima (uporaba kemijskog oružja)

AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST

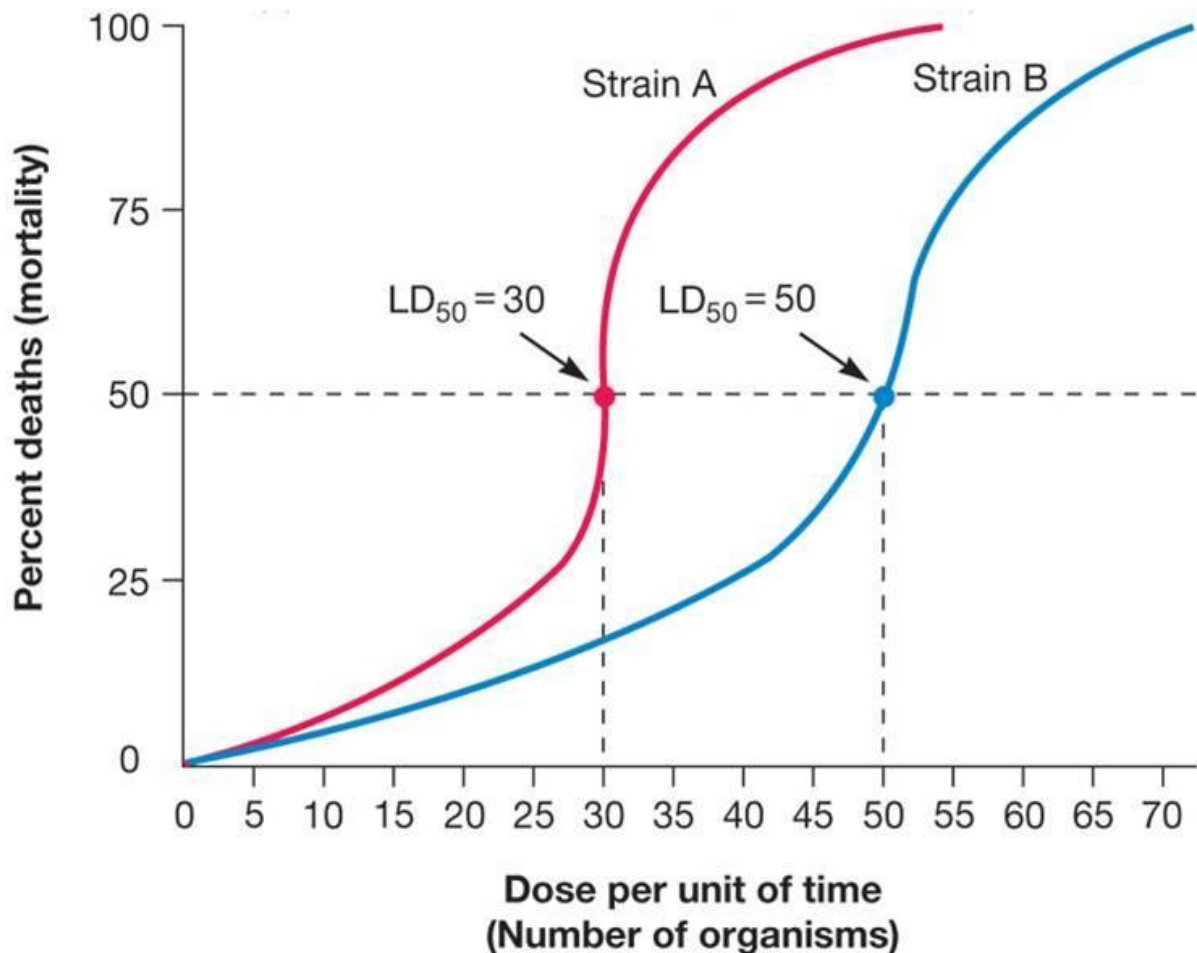


- Akutna toksičnost se izražava dozom otrova koja izaziva smrt kod 50 % organizama – “lethal dose” LD_{50} i najčešće se izražava u mg/kg tjelesne težine
- Ta doza se odnosi samo na jednokratnu dozu unesenu tijekom 24 sata, ili na višekratnu dozu s unosom unutar 24 sata, ako se istražuje slabo toksična ili djelomično toksična tvar
- Uz prikazivanje podataka za LD_{50} uvijek je potrebno navesti na koje se organizme ona odnosi i koji je put unosa opasne tvari u organizam
- EC_{50} – (“effect concentration”) – koncentracija tvari koja rezultira 50 % štetnim učinkom na populaciju
- LOEC (“lowest observable effect concentration”) - najniža koncentracija koja izaziva vidljivi štetni učinak
- NOEC (“no observable effect concentration”) – vrijednost koncentracije tvari koja ne izaziva vidljiv štetni učinak





AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST



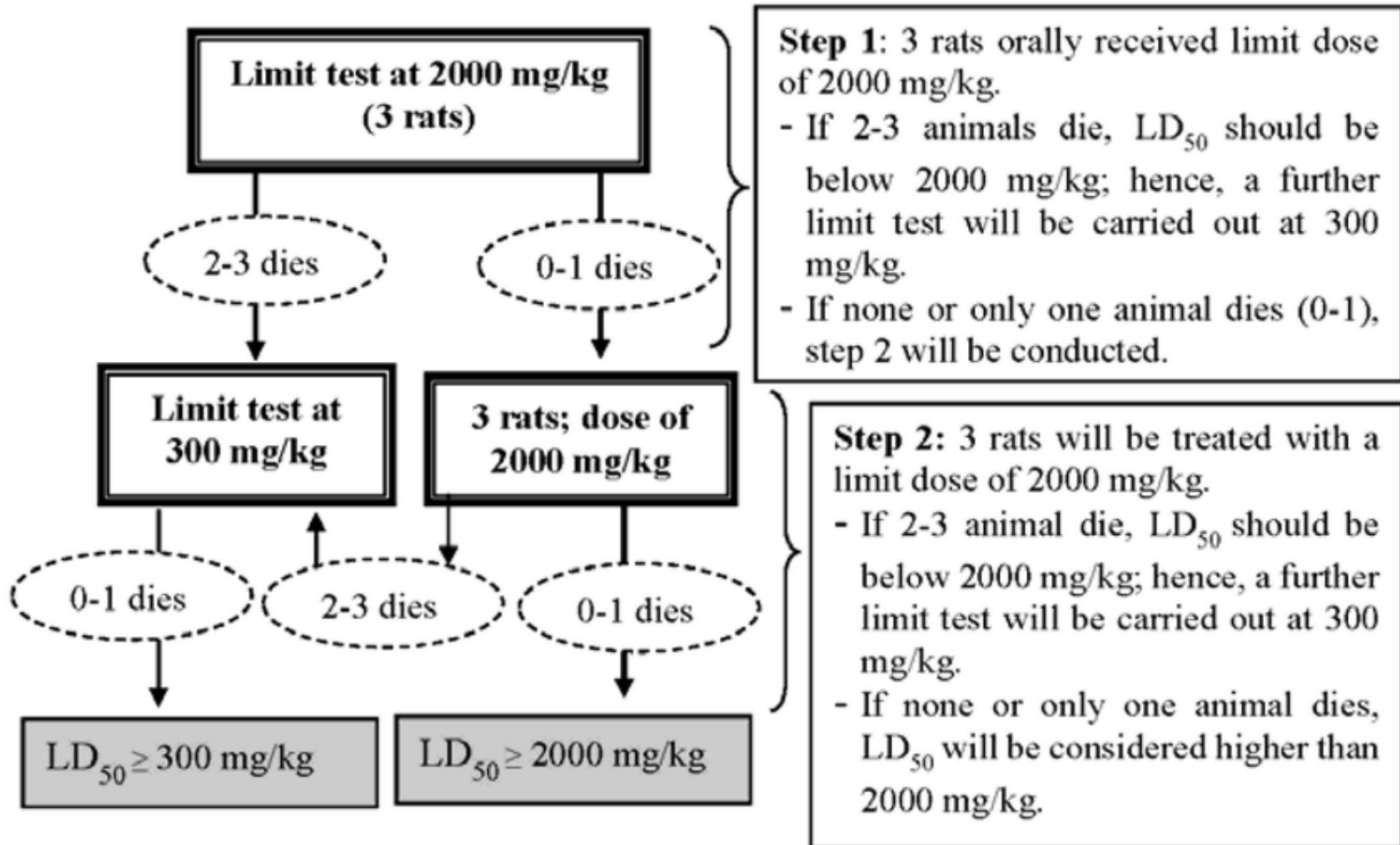
$$SER = MLD_A / MLD_B$$

(omjer selektivne toksičnosti)

MLD – srednja vrijednost letalne doze ili koncentracije

Ovaj omjer govori koliko je ista tvar štetnija ili manje štetna za vrstu A u odnosu na vrstu B

AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST



Klasifikasi toksičnosti prema WHO

| Class | Description | LD ₅₀ for the Rat (mg/kg Body Weight) | | | |
|-------|----------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | | Oral | | Dermal | |
| | | Solids | Liquids | Solids | Liquids |
| Ia | Extremely hazardous | ≤5 | ≤20 | ≤10 | ≤40 |
| Ib | Highly hazardous | 5–50 | 20–200 | 10–100 | 40–400 |
| II | Moderately hazardous | 50–500 | 200–2,000 | 100–1,000 | 400–4,000 |
| III | Slightly hazardous | >500 | >2,000 | >1,000 | >4,000 |

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AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST

Toxicity Classes

| LD ₅₀ (rat,oral) | Correlation to Ingestion by 150 lb Adult Human | Toxicity |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| <1mg/kg | a taste to a drop | extremely |
| 1-50 mg/kg | to a teaspoon | highly |
| 50-500 mg/kg | to an ounce | moderately |
| 500-5000 mg/kg | to a pint | slightly |
| 5-15 g/kg | to a quart | practically non-toxic |
| Over 15g/kg | more than 1 quart | relatively harmless |

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AKUTNA TOKSIČNOST

Table 1. LD₅₀ value of atrazine on various test species

| Type | mode | Species | Amount | Units |
|------------------|-----------------|---------|--------|--------------------------------------|
| LD ₅₀ | oral | Rat | 672 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | intraperitoneal | Rat | 235 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | oral | Mouse | 850 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | oral | Rabbit | 750 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | skin | Rabbit | 7500 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | oral | Humane | 1000 | mg kg ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | inhalation | Rat | 5200 | mg m ⁻³ 4hr ⁻¹ |
| LD ₅₀ | intraperitoneal | Mouse | 626 | mg kg ⁻¹ |

- Vrijednosti akutne toksičnosti izražavaju se kao (približne) vrijednosti LD₅₀ (oralno, dermalno) ili LC₅₀ (udisanje) ili kao procijenjene vrijednosti akutne toksičnosti ATE (“Acute Toxicity Esitamtes”)

SUBKORNIČNA I KRONIČNA TOKSIČNOST

HOW TO
RECOGNIZE AND AVOID
CHRONIC **TOXICITY**
IN YOUR LIFE



SUBKORNIČNA I KRONIČNA TOKSIČNOST

- Svojstvo štetne tvari koja se javlja tijekom dužeg unosa otrova u organizam uz više ili manje redovitu učestalost unosa i uz različite doze
- Doze znatno manje nego pri akutnom unosu
- Pojedinačna doza – mala, ne izaziva nikakve učinke na organizam, ali može umanjiti sposobnost jedinke da izbjegne predatora, pronađe hranu ili se razmnožava
- Subkroničnim i kroničnim unosom – povećava se razina stresa i onemogućava optimalno funkcioniranje jedinke
- Ispitivanja se provode na životinjama, ali i epidemiološkim istraživanjima na skupinama ljudi koji su na radnom mjestu ili u okolišu dugotrajno izloženi otrovu
- Štetni učinci na središnji i periferni živčani sustav, srce, pluća, probavni sustav, bubreg, jetra

EKOTOKSIČNOST



- Štetni učinak kemijskih tvari na živa bića i okoliš
- Kemikalije opasne za okoliš jesu tvari i pripravci koji zbog svojih svojstava, količine i unošenja u okoliš mogu biti štetni za zdravlje ljudi, biljni i životinjski svijet, odnosno biološku i krajobraznu raznolikost
- Svaki poremećaj u malom dijelu okoliša ima odraz na čitav ekosustav
- Primjer: pesticid DDT – široka primjena nakon II. Svjetskog rata – ekosustav onečišćen – nalazio se i u masnom tkivu Eskima koji ga nisu koristili, izumiranje ptica, (ljuske jajeta meka, razbijale pod težinom ptica), smanjenje ptica – porast broja kukaca
- Štetne tvari u okolišu s obzirom na ekotoksičnost – primarne i sekundarne
- Primarne – izazivaju neposrednu štetu (otrovi), a sekundarne – štetne učinke koji su posljedica kemijskih promjena nastalih u okolišu



EKOTOKSIČNOST



Prepared by the USGS National Wildlife Health Center

Lead Poisoning in Wild Birds

Introduction

Lead in its various forms has been used for thousands of years, originally in cooking utensils and glazes and more recently in many industrial and commercial applications. However, lead is a potent, potentially deadly toxin that damages many organs in the body and can affect all animals, including humans. By the mid 1990s, lead had been removed from many products in the United States, such as paint and fuel, but it is still commonly used in ammunition for hunting upland game birds, small mammals, and large game animals, as well as in fishing tackle. Wild birds, such as mourning doves, bald eagles, California condors, and loons, can die from the ingestion of one lead shot, bullet fragment, or sinker. According to a recent study on loon mortality, nearly half of adult loons found sick or dead during the breeding season in New England were diagnosed with confirmed or suspected lead poisoning from ingestion of lead fishing weights. Recent regulations in some states have restricted the use of lead ammunition on certain upland game hunting areas, as well as lead fishing tackle in areas



Radiograph showing scattered lead fragments from a lead rifle bullet in the thoracic region of a mule deer (The Peregrine Fund).

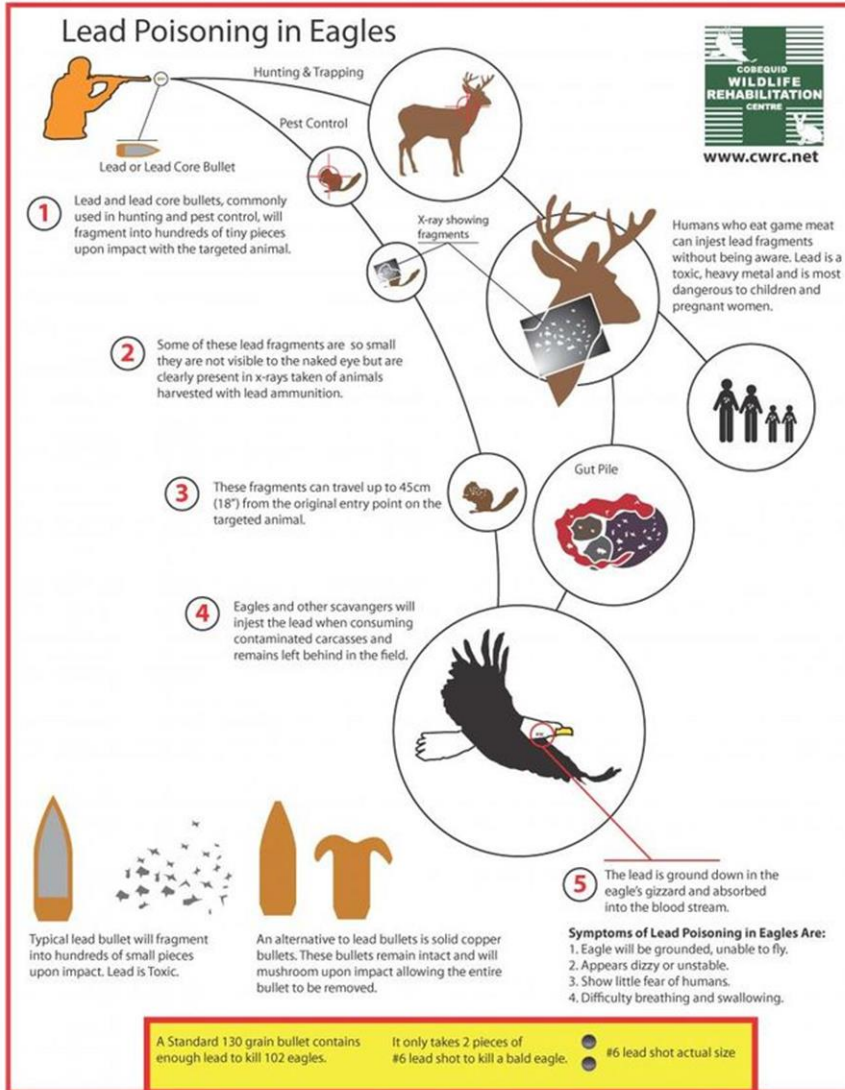


Lead Ammunition Poisoning of Avian Predators and Scavengers

Lead ingestion and poisoning from ammunition sources has been

EKOTOKSIČNOST

Created by the Cobequid Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre (CWRC) Feel free to share and get the message out about lead.



Nothing says goodbye like lead



BIRDLIFE EUROPE presents a WETLANDS production starring TUNDRA SWAN in 'The Long Goodbye' with WHITE-TAILED EAGLE GOLDENEYE BLACK-TAILED GODWIT GREATER FLAMINGO

1 million birds are fatally poisoned each year by lead. Tell the EU to #BanLead by 21st December!
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Lethal Dose: Rat Poison & Local Wildlife

Local residents may inadvertently be poisoning wildlife. National Park Service researchers have found a direct link between exposure to anticoagulant rodenticides, commonly known as rat poison, and the deaths of wildlife in and around the Santa Monica Mountains. How rodenticide works its way through the food chain:

1 Targeted rodents

Rats and other rodents who eat rodenticide do not die right away and may even become lethargic as they approach death, making them easy prey for larger predators.



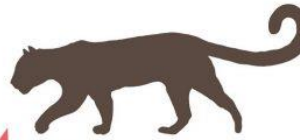
2 Predators

Raptors, snakes and larger predators consume poisoned rodents.



3 Top of the food chain

Mountain lions feed on smaller predators laced with lethal poison.



Unintended victims

In the Santa Monica Mountains...

- 12 of 13 mountain lions tested positive for exposure and two died from poisoning.
- 93 of 105 bobcats tested positive for exposure and 70+ died from related secondary disease.
- 20 of 24 coyotes tested positive for exposure and 12 died from poisoning.

As of November 2015

Bigger beasts are ingesting rodent poison, scientists say

Toxin found in two dead mountain lions in Simi

Anticoagulant appears to move up food chain



By Stephanie Hoops
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The National Park Service has confirmed that rodent poisons are killing area mountain lions.

Two of the cats were found dead in the Simi Hills before Christmas, and lab tests have come back confirming they both died of anticoagulant poisoning from ingesting bromadiolone and brodifacoum, active ingredients in household rat and mice poisons.

“We know both the lions that died had killed coyotes in the month before they died.”

Seth Riley, National Park Service wildlife ecologist

The mountain lions were a female named P4 and a male named P2. They died in the Simi Valley hills having suffered from internal bleeding.

In the past year, other animals in the local mountains also have shown signs of anticoagulant poisoning. In April, six bobcats turned up dead with the poison in their systems. The poison couldn't be pinpointed as the cause, however, because there was an infestation among the poison, mango and a weakened immune system.

With the mountain lions, it's a different story. The poison has been identified as the sole cause of death. Necropsies showed that even though the lions also had mange, it was not enough to kill them.

“At this point,” said Ray Sorensen, chief ecologist for the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area, “it is a more serious problem than we'd ever anticipated and more widespread in that it's affecting more than just bobcats and coyotes. I guess ultimately this is something that hasn't been reported before, and we need to make sure people understand the implications of using these poisons.”

Officials at the National Park Service do not know for sure but suspect the lions ingested the poison by eating coyotes that had themselves eaten poisoned rats or mice. In other words, the poisons may be working their way from back yards to the food chain.

The National Park Service has not identified the users of the chemicals that killed P2 and P4.

Poisoned wildlife

The National Park Service has found two mountain lions in the Simi Hills that died of anticoagulant poisoning from ingesting bromadiolone and brodifacoum, active ingredients in household rat and mice poisons.

Anti-coagulant rodenticides

Rodent poisons using anti-coagulants kill by preventing normal blood clotting and results in fatal hemorrhaging.

Exposure symptoms

- Nosebleeds
- Bruises because of ruptured blood vessels
- Bleeding gums
- Blood in urine and feces
- Skin damage

Poison food chain



Mountain lion

Also known as: Puma, cougar.
 Range: North and South America.
 Size: Average 6-8 feet.
 Weight: 200-150 pounds.
 Life span: 10-15 years.



Diet: Deer, rabbits, birds, squirrels, fish and mammals, as well as livestock and domestic animals.

See POISON on B1

Source: California Health Environmental Coalition

Species: Wilson / Star 2015

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Toxicity Tests for Water Quality Assessment



Bacteria
15-min Microtox®
Vibrio fischeri



Microalgae
72-hr Cell Division
Isochrysis galbana
Chlorella protothecoides



Macroalgae
72-hr Germination
Ecklonia radiata



Macrophytes
7-day Frond Production
Lemna minor



Molluscs
48-hr Fertilisation & Development
Mytilus edulis
Saccostrea glomeratus



Crustaceans
21-day Reproduction
Gadiferens imparipes
Ceriodaphnia dubia



Echinoderms
72-hr Fertilisation & Development
Helicodaris erythrogramma



Fish
7-day Growth
Pagrus auratus
Danio rerio

Toxicity Tests for Sediment Quality Assessment *



Amphipods
10-day Survival
6-week Reproduction
Melita plumulosa
Granolalereia sp.



Bivalves
10-day Survival and Reburial
6-week Growth
Spisulia trigonella
Tellina sp.



Polychaete worms
10-day Survival and Reburial
Austraroneis ehlersi



Gastropods
10-day Survival
Bailliarina australis
Velacumantus australis



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Table 1. OCDE standardized tests for the determination of the toxicity of chemical substances to soil and aquatic organisms

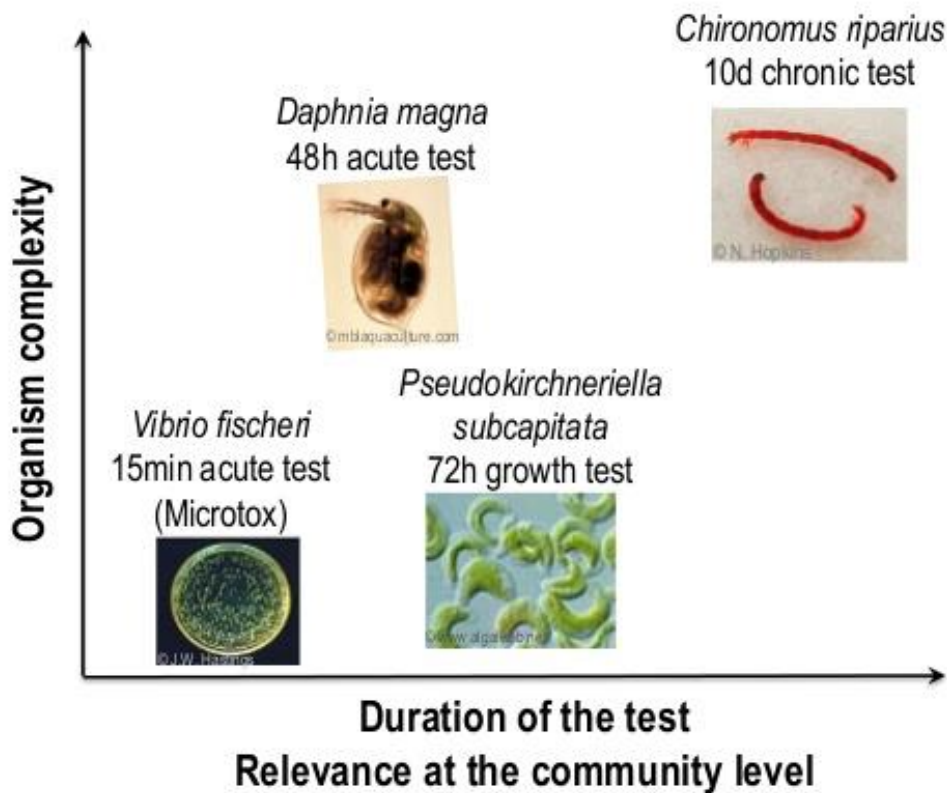
| Taxonomic group | Title | Endpoint | Measurement variables | Assay time (days) | Test Number |
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| Terrestrial invertebrates | Earthworm, acute toxicity test | Survival | Number of living worms | 14 | 207 |
| Terrestrial invertebrates | Enchytraeid, reproduction test | Reproduction | Number of juvenile worms | 42 | 220 |
| Terrestrial invertebrates | Earthworm reproduction test | Reproduction | Number of living offspring and cocoon numbers | 56 | 222 |
| Plants | Terrestrial plant test: seedling emergence and seedling growth test | Emergence of seedlings and Inhibition of growth | Emergence, dry shoot weight (fresh weight), shoot weight and assessment of visible detrimental effects | 14-21 | 208 |
| Plants | Terrestrial plants test: vegetative vigor test | Vegetative vigor and growth | Biomass (dry shoot weight) and visible detrimental effects | 21-28 | 227 |
| Microorganisms | Soil microorganisms: Nitrogen transformation tests | Nitrogen transformation | Rate of nitrate production | 28 | 216 |
| Microorganisms | Soil microorganisms: Carbon transformation tests | Carbon transformation | Glucose-induced respiration rates | 28 | 217 |
| Algae Cyanobacteria | Freshwater Alga and Cyanobacteria, Growth inhibition test | Inhibition of growth | Algal biomass: cell counts, cell volume, fluorescence, optical density, etc. | 4 | 201 |
| Aquatic Invertebrates | Daphnia s.p., Acute immobilization test | Survival | Immobilization | 1 | 202 |
| Aquatic Invertebrates | Daphnia magna, reproduction test | Reproduction | Number of living offspring | 21 | 211 |
| Fish | Fish, Acute toxicity test | Survival | Number of living fish | 4 | 203 |
| Fish | Fish, Prolonged toxicity test: 14-day study | Survival, appearance and behavior, and growth | Survival, abnormalities (appearance and behavior), length and weight | 14 | 204 |

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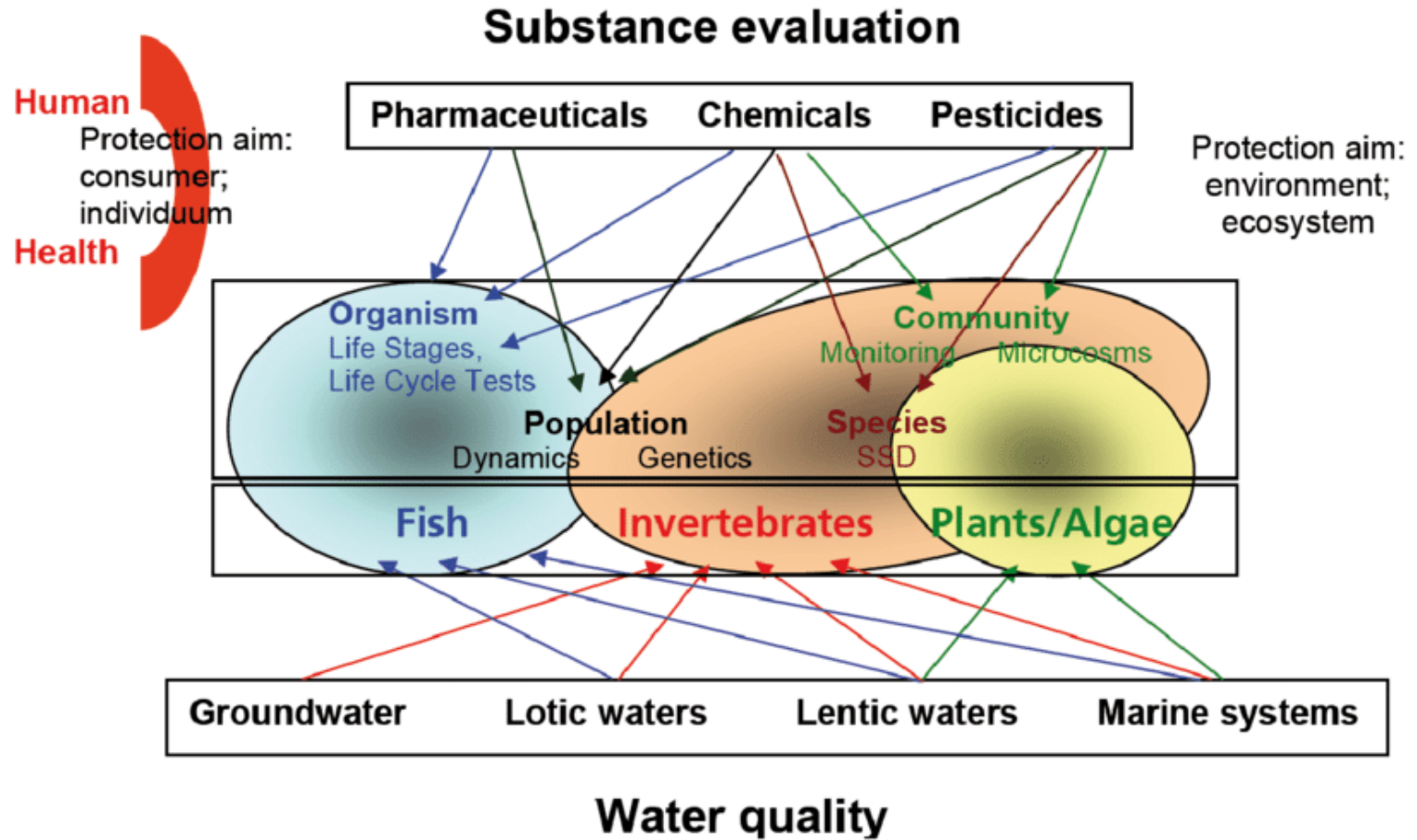
| Taxonomic group | Title | Endpoint | Measurement variables | Assay time (days) | Test Number |
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| Fish | Fish, early-life stage toxicity test | Survival, appearance and behavior, and growth | Hatching and survival (at different stages), abnormalities (appearance and behavior), length and weight | 30-60 | 210 |
| Fish | Fish, short-term toxicity test on embryo and sac-fry stages | Survival, appearance and behavior, and growth | Hatching and survival (at different stages), abnormalities (appearance and behavior), length and weight | 8-55 | 212 |
| Fish | Fish, juvenile growth test | Inhibition of growth | Weight | ≥ 28 | 215 |
| Aquatic plants | Lemna, sp. Growth inhibition test | Inhibition of growth | Fronde number, total frond area, dry weight or fresh weight | 7-10 | 221 |

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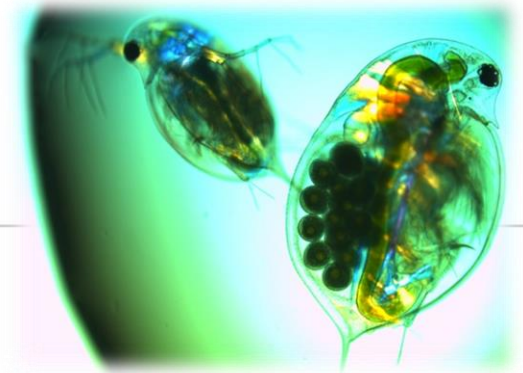
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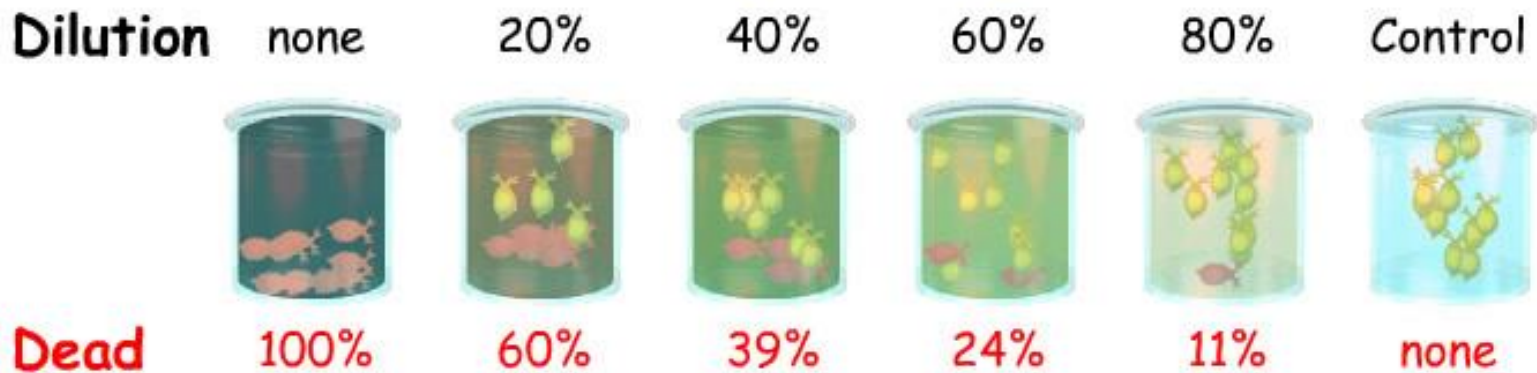
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Toxicity Testing

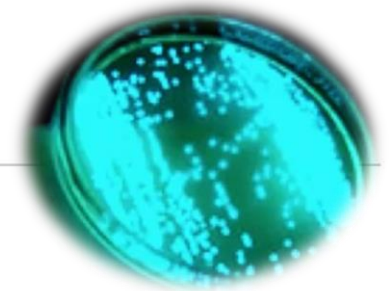


The *Daphnia* are observed for 48 hours. They begin dying.
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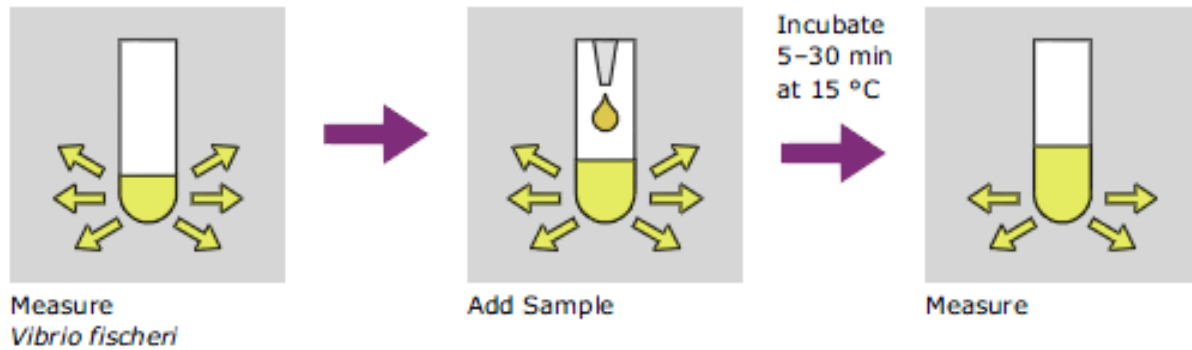


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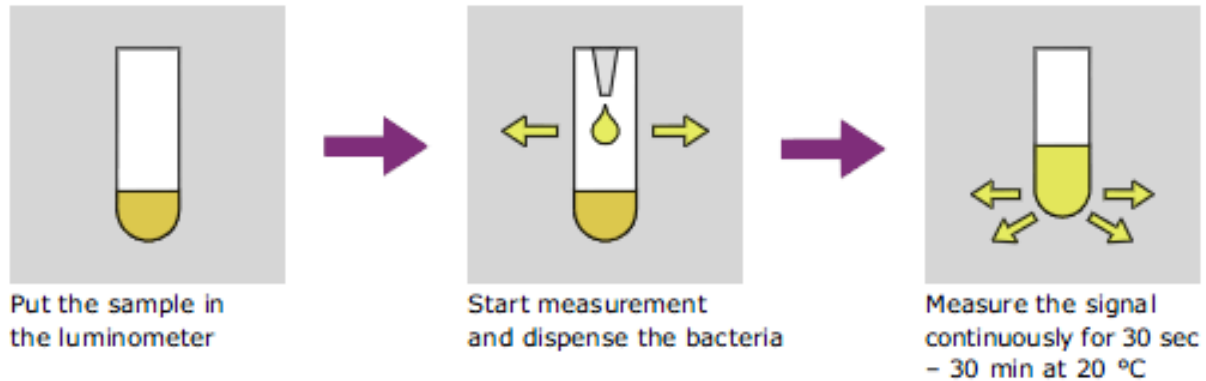




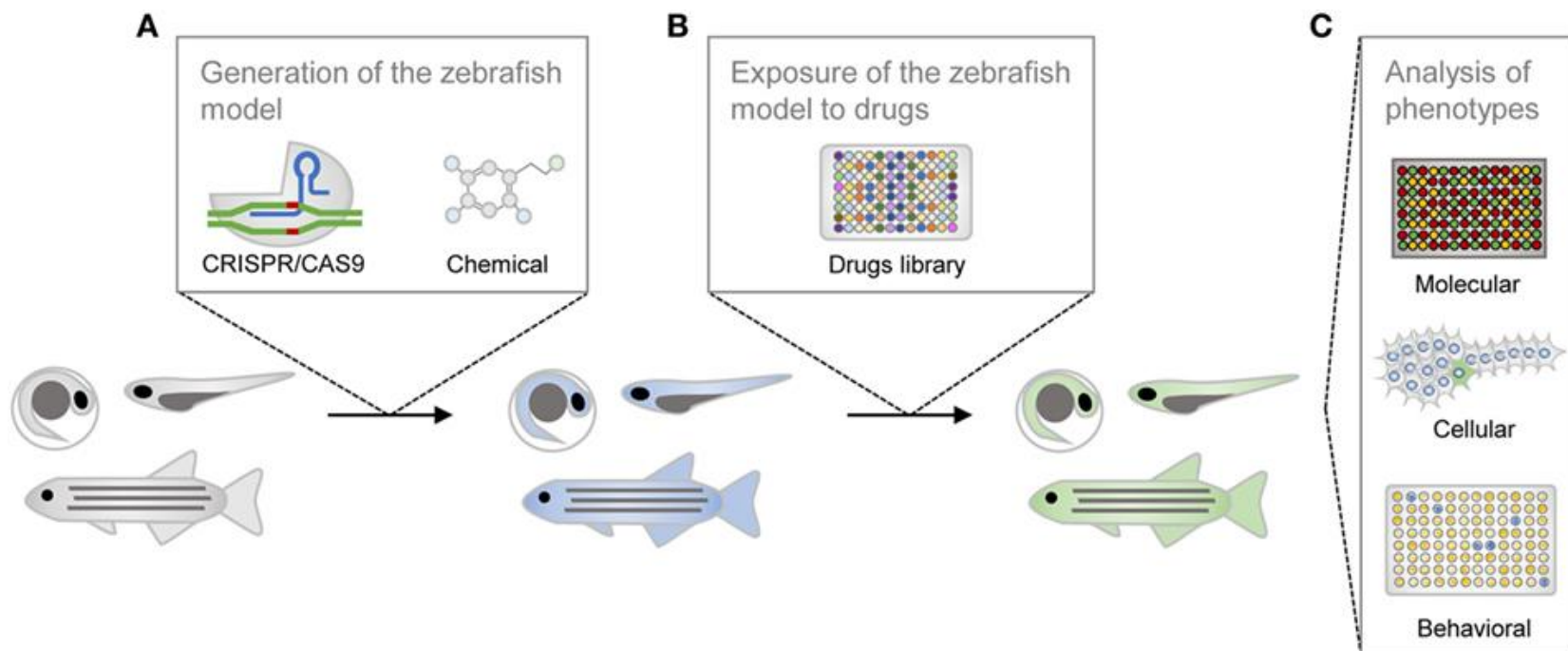
Assay Procedure: ISO standard procedure



The BioTox™ Flash-Method for direct-contact testing of solid samples



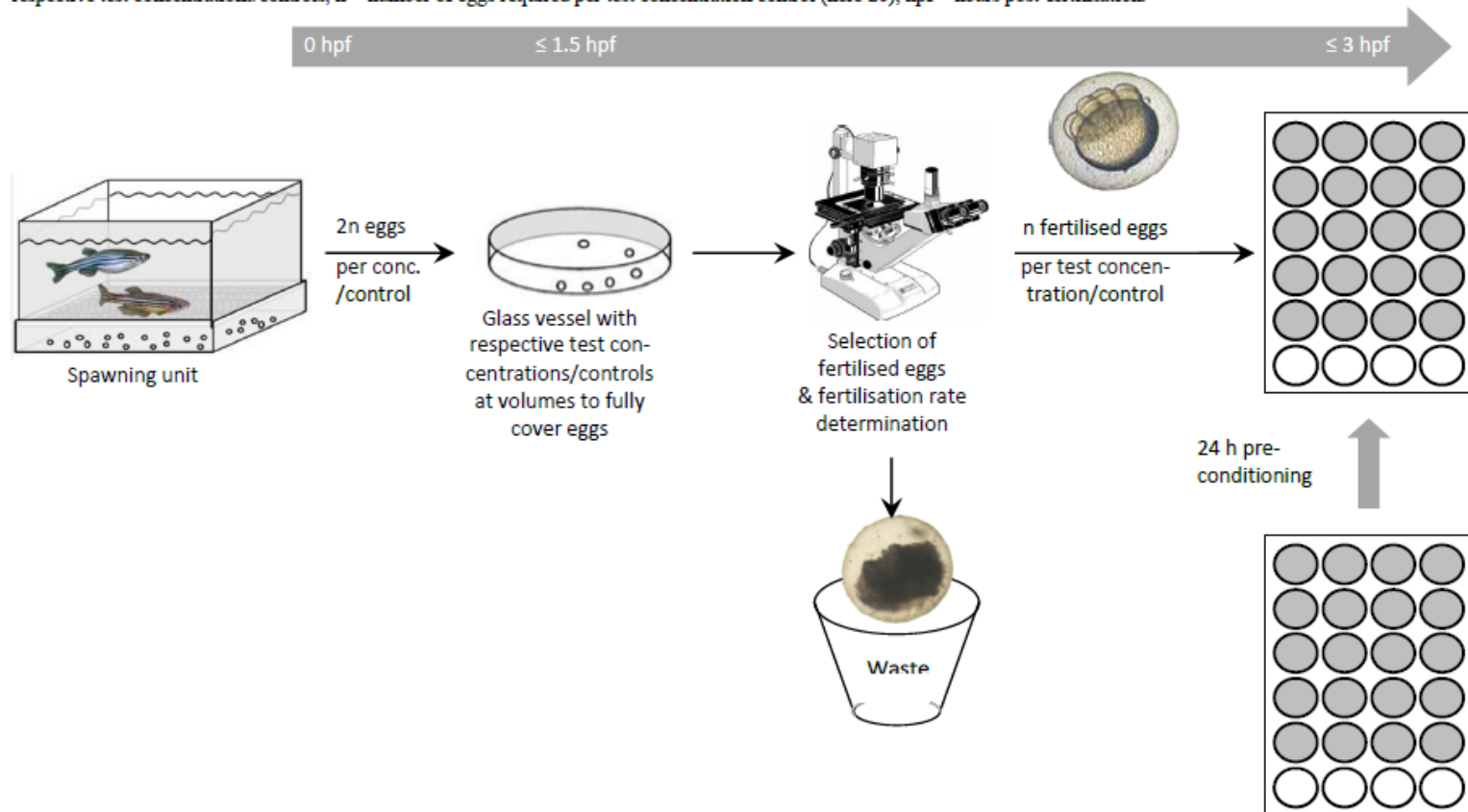
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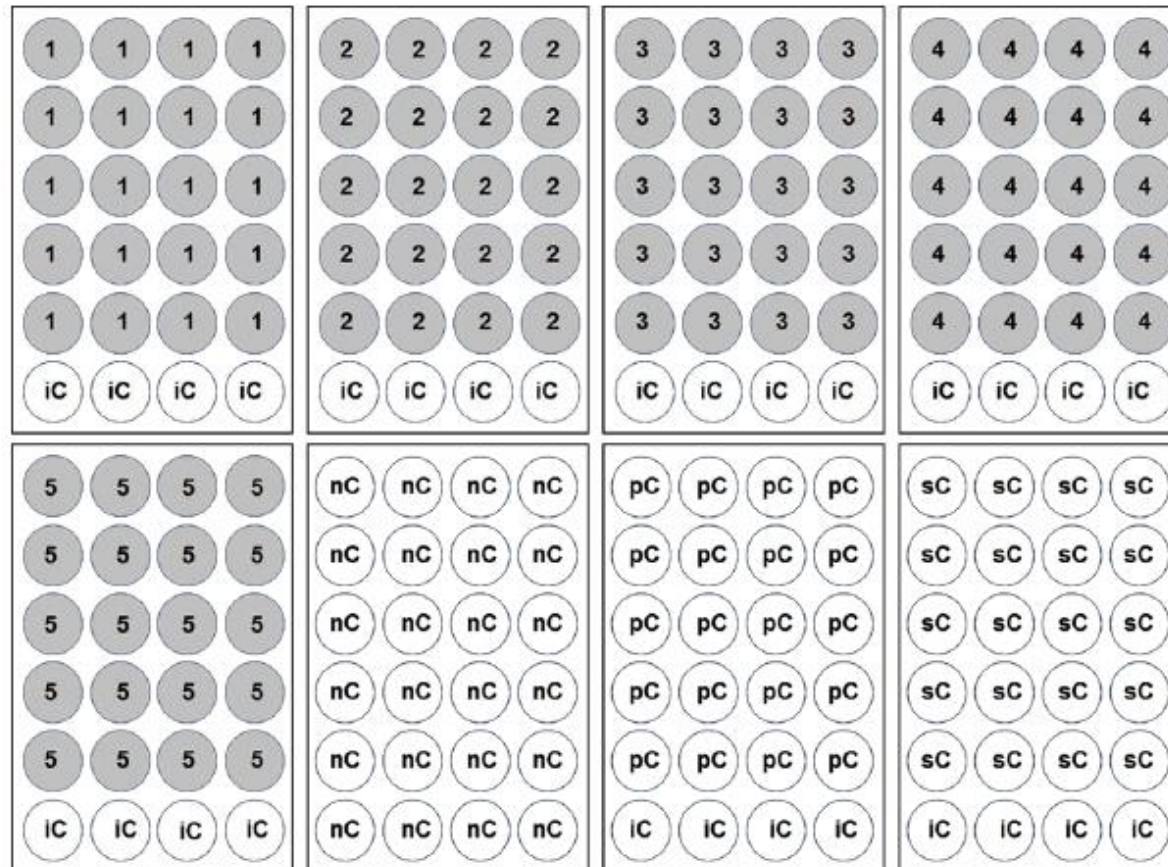
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Fig. 2: Scheme of the zebrafish embryo acute toxicity test procedure (from left to right): production of eggs, collection of the eggs, pre-exposure immediately after fertilisation in glass vessels, selection of fertilised eggs with an inverted microscope or binocular and distribution of fertilised eggs into 24-well plates prepared with the respective test concentrations/controls, n = number of eggs required per test concentration/control (here 20), hpf = hours post-fertilisation.



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Fig. 1: Layout of 24-well plates



1-5 = five test concentrations / chemical; nC = negative control (dilution water); iC = internal plate control (dilution water); pC = positive control (3,4-DCA 4mg/L); sC = solvent control

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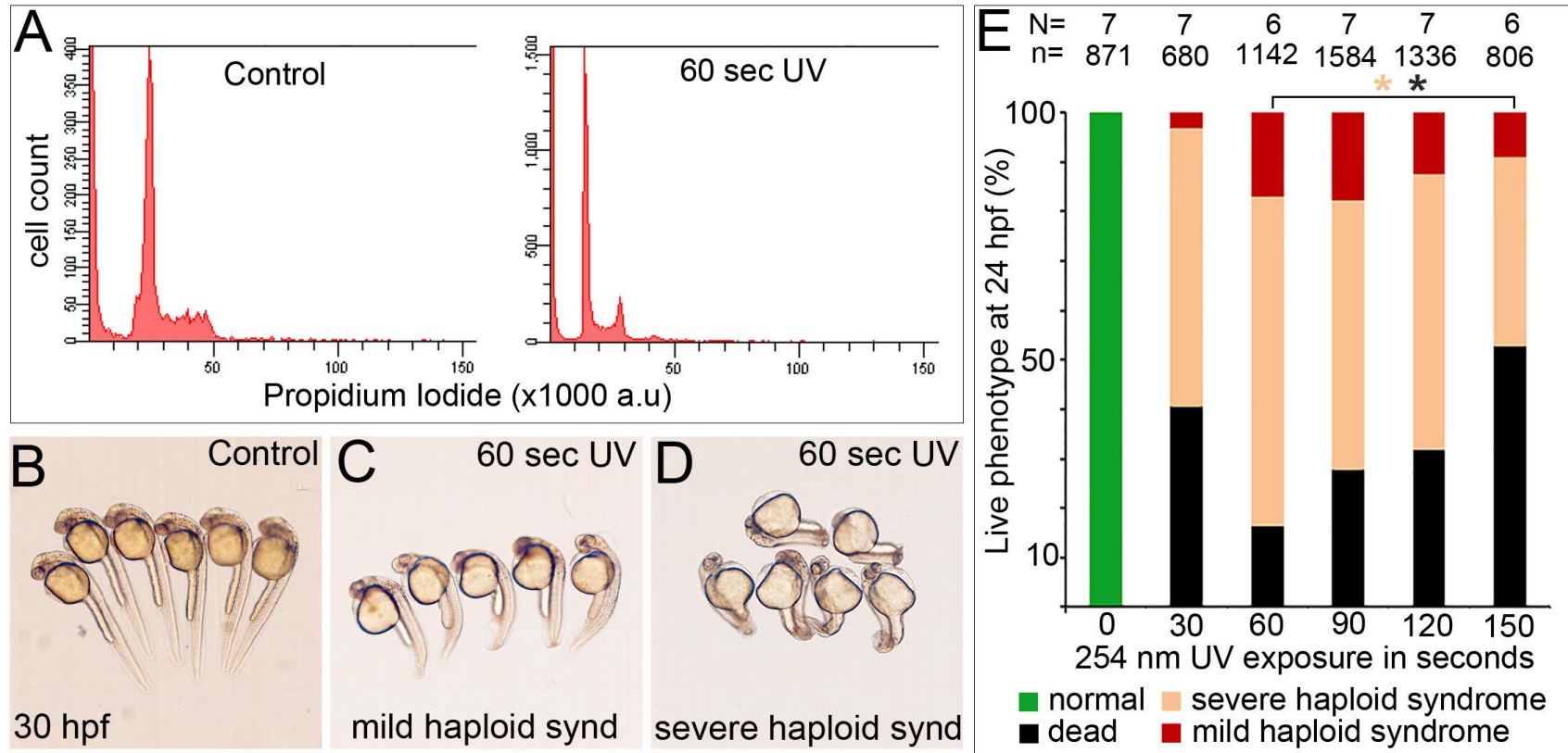
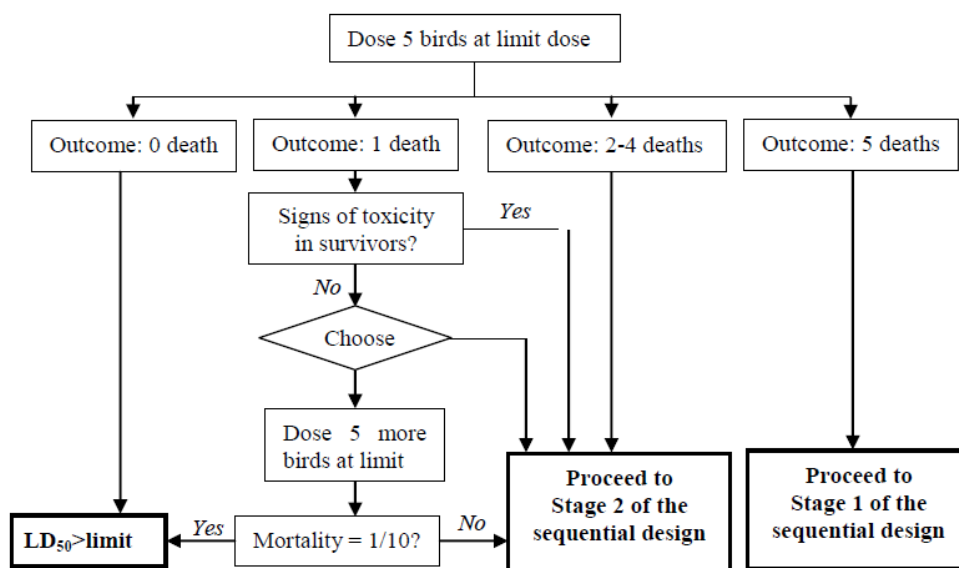
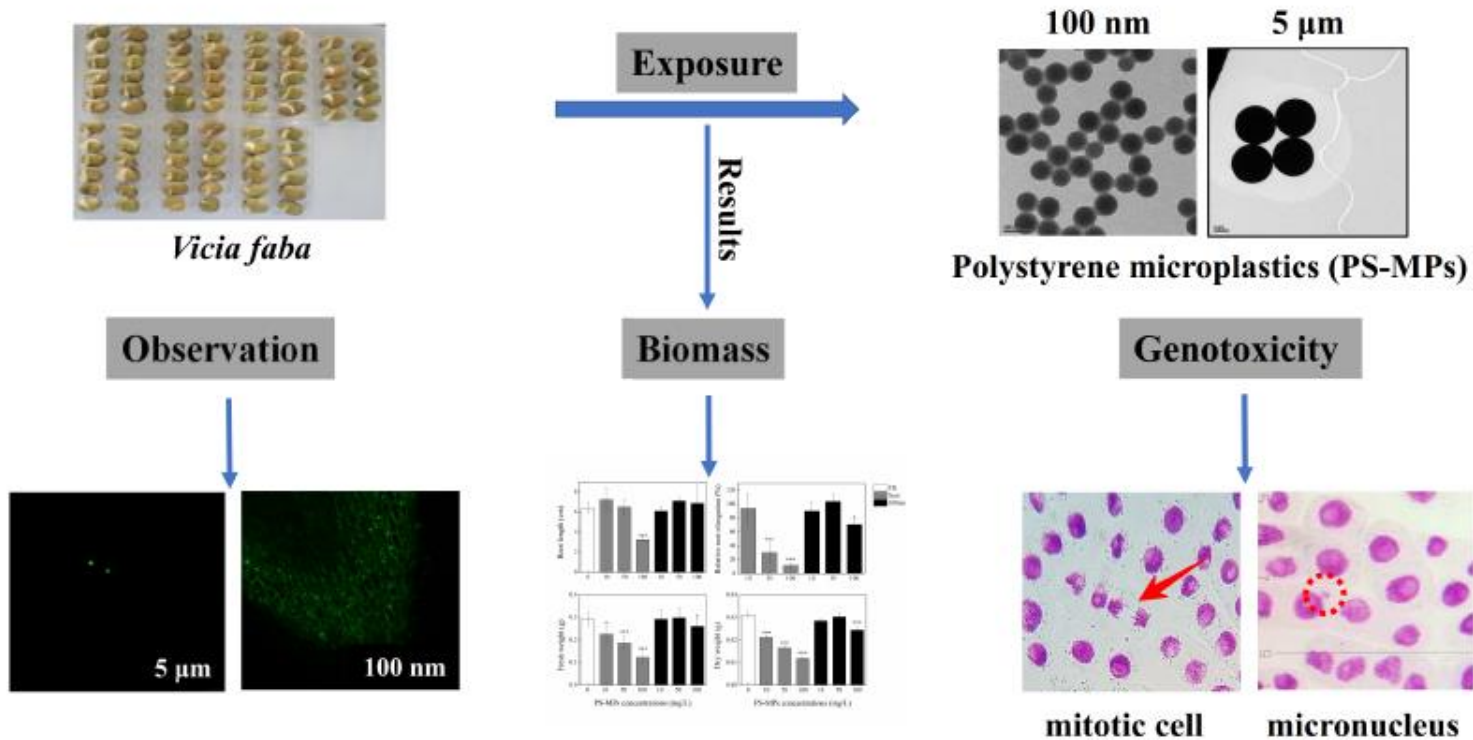


Figure 1: Limit dose test procedure; figure does not include control birds



- Limit dose test** – This is the preferred test when toxicity is expected to be low and lethality is unlikely at the limit dose. The limit dose must be adequate for assessment purposes, and it is usually 2000 mg/kg-bwt. The needs of some regulatory authorities may necessitate using 2,000 mg/Kg-bwt or the highest environmentally relevant concentration, whichever is higher. Five or ten birds are tested at the limit dose in addition to a control group (Figure 1).



ECOLOGICAL RISK ASSESSMENT

(Procjena rizika po okoliš)

- Procjena vjerojatnosti pojave štetnih učinka na okoliš
- Proces kojim se identificira opasnost i kvantificira rizik za ljudsko zdravlje i oštećenje ekosustava zbog utjecaja kemikalija u okolišu
- EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) – Framework for Ecological Risk Assessment – 3 faze:
 1. FORMULACIJA PROBLEMA - faza planiranja, procjena ekološkog rizika sustavno se planira na temelju raspoloživih podataka i informacija, postojeći podaci se prikupljaju, istražuju se propisi
 2. ANALIZA - sastoji se od dvije pod-aktivnosti, *karakterizacije izloženosti* (predviđa ili mjeri prostornu i vremensku raspodjelu stresora (kemijski ili biološki agens koji izaziva stres u organizmu) i identificira njegovu zajedničku pojavu ili kontakt s ekološkim komponentama koje izazivaju zabrinutosti) i *karakterizacije ekoloških učinaka* (identificira i kvantificira štetne učinke koji nastaju zbog stresora i, gdje je to moguće, uspostavlja odnos uzroka i posljedica) – REZULTAT – PROFILI IZLOŽENOSTI I UČINKA
 3. KARAKTERIZACIJA RIZIKA - integracijska je faza u kojoj su profili izloženosti i učinaka razvijeni u drugoj fazi integrirani kako bi se *procijenio potencijalni rizik* ili *vjerojatnost štetnih ekoloških učinaka* povezanih s izlaganjem stresoru

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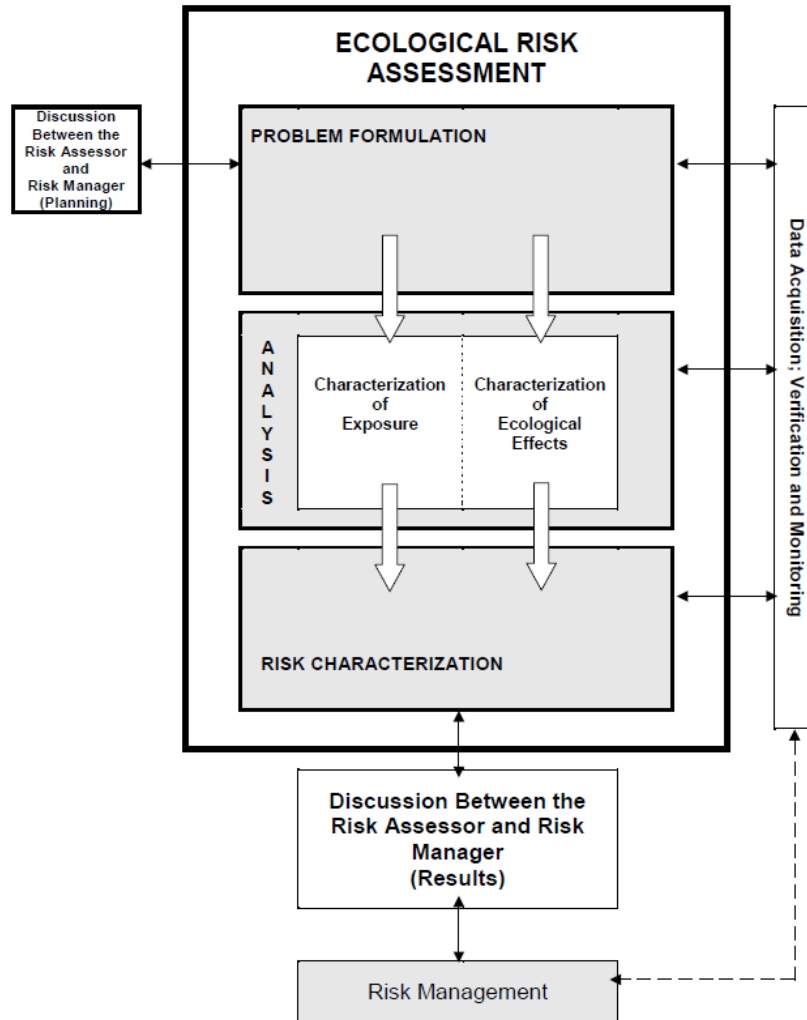


Figure I-2. Framework for Ecological Risk Assessment (Taken from EPA 1992a)

ECOLOGICAL RISK ASSESSMENT

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Table I-1. Critical Phases of the Ecological Risk Assessment Process

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|-----------|-----------------------|--|
| Phase I | Problem Formulation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determine stressor characteristics (e.g. type, intensity, duration, frequency, timing, scale) • Determine the ecosystem potentially at risk • Evaluate existing data of ecological effects • Select appropriate endpoints, considering ecological relevance, policy goals and societal values, susceptibility to the stressor • Develop a conceptual model, working hypothesis regarding how the stressor might affect the ecological components of the ecosystem |
| Phase II | Analysis | <p><u>Characterization of exposure:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characterize the stressor, in terms of distribution or pattern of change • Characterize the ecosystem • Analyze the potential exposure • Develop an exposure profile <p><u>Characterization of ecological effects:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate the relevant effects data • Analyze the ecological response in terms of stressor-response determinations or extrapolations and causal evidence evaluation • Develop a stressor-response profile |
| Phase III | Risk Characterization | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estimate the risk • Integrate the stressor-response and exposure profiles • Identify uncertainty in the analyses • Describe the risk • Summarize the risk assessment • Interpret the ecological significance |