

On the Ecological Risk Assessment Of Motor Vehicle Tires Containing Zinc

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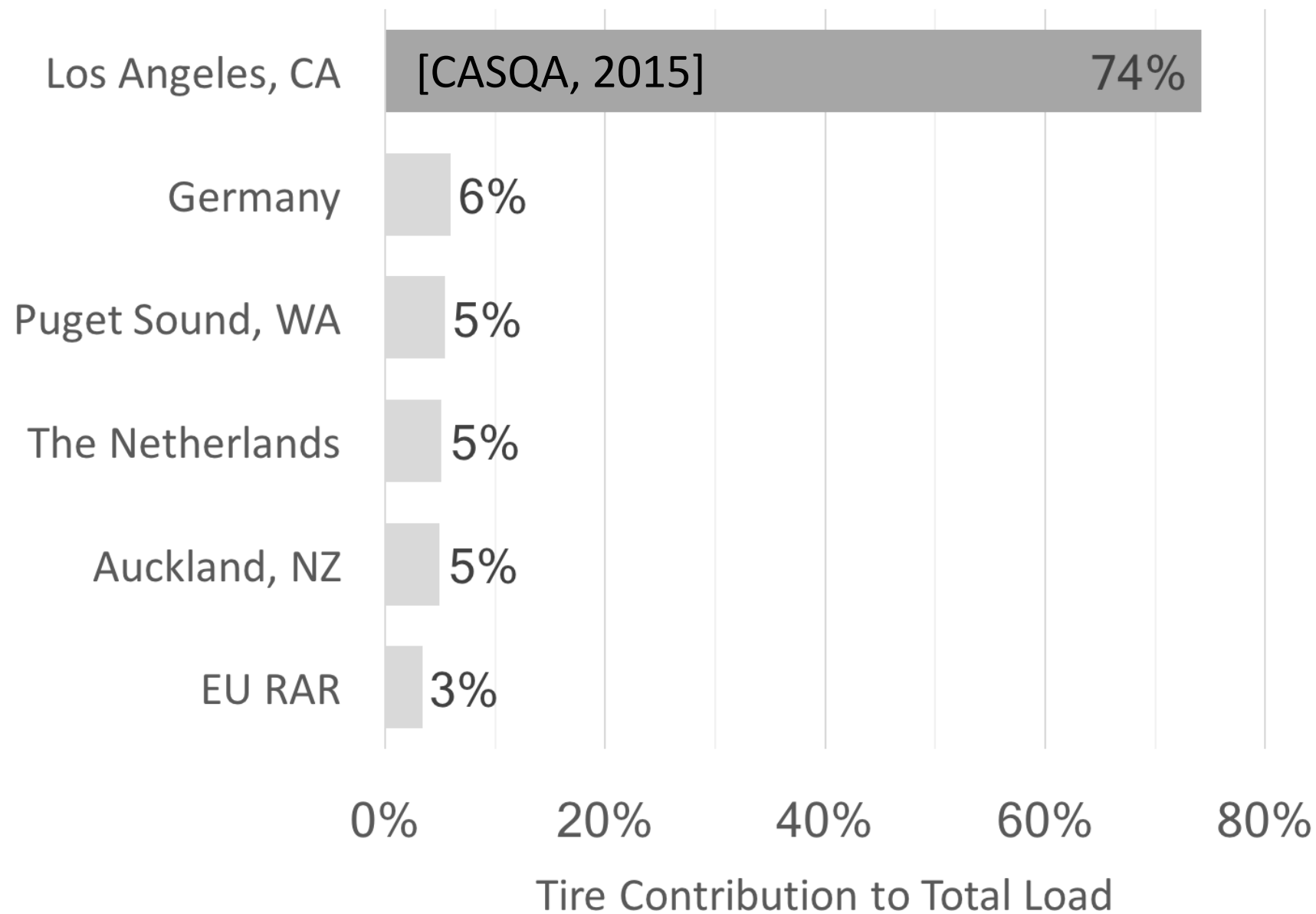
DTSC Rationale (2021)

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Bioavailability-Based CA WQO

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Relative Loading



Deriving Site-Specific Clean-Up Criteria to Protect Ecological Receptors (or Metalloids)

Exposure to aged crumb rubber reduces survival time during a stress test in earthworms (*Eisenia fetida*)

Science Supporting the Risk Assessment

PARTITION COEFFICIENTS FOR METALS IN SURFACE WATER, SOIL, AND WASTE

Chemosphere
Volume 173, April 2017, Pages 557–562

Chemical fractionation of Cu and Zn in stormwater, roadway dust and stormwater pond sediments
Kimberly M. Camponelli^a, Steven M. Lev^a, Joel W. Snodgrass^a, Edward R. Landa^b, Ryan E. Casey^{a,*}

Physical and chemically related particles: generated using d
Marisa L. Kreider^a, Julie M. Panko^a
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Acute aquatic toxicity to algae, daphnid, and

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Zinc Leaching from Tire Crumb Rubber

Emily P. Rhodes,[†] Zhiyong Ren, and David C. Mays^{*}

Christopher Marwood, Britt McAtee, Marisa Kreider, R. Scott Ogle, Brent Finley, Len Sweet & Julie Panko

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Identification of tire leachate toxicants and a risk assessment of water quality effects in canals
S. M. Nelson, G. Mueller & D. C. Hemphill
Bulletin of Environmental Contamination and Toxicology 52, 574–

TOXICITY OF CADMIUM IN SEDIMENTS: THE ROLE OF ACID VOLATILE SULFIDE
DOMINIC M. DI TORO,^{*} JOHN D. MAHONY, DAVID J. HANSEN, K. JOHN SCOTT, MICHAEL B. HICKS, SUZANNE M. MAYR, and MICHELE S. REDMOND

Sediment Quality Assessment of Road Runoff Detention Systems in Sweden and the Potential Contribution of Tire Wear
Anna Wik · Jenny Lycken · Göran Da
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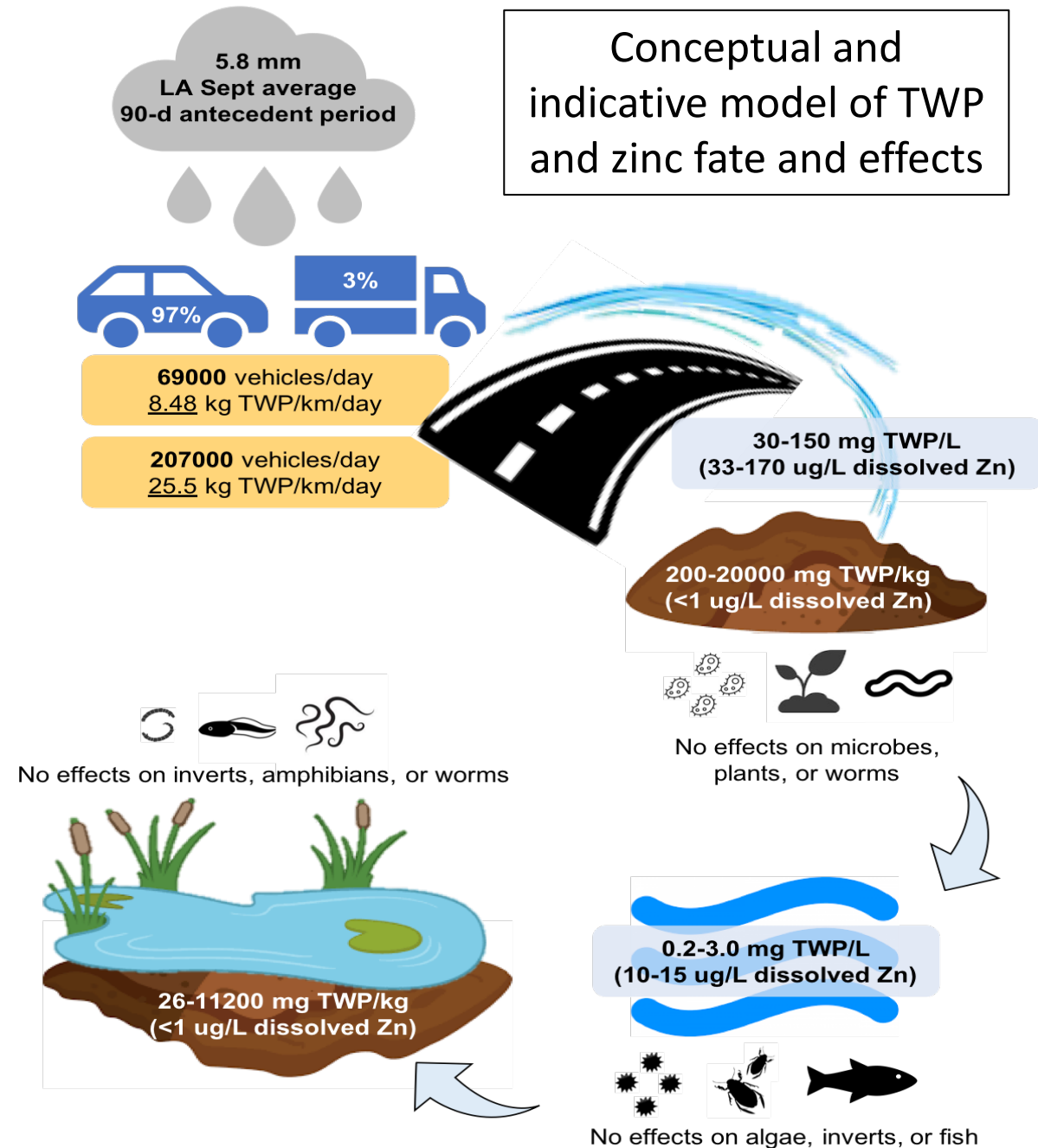
Chronic toxicity of tire and road wear particles to water and sediment-dwelling organisms
Julie M. Panko, Marisa L. Kreider, Britt L. McAtee & Christopher Marwood
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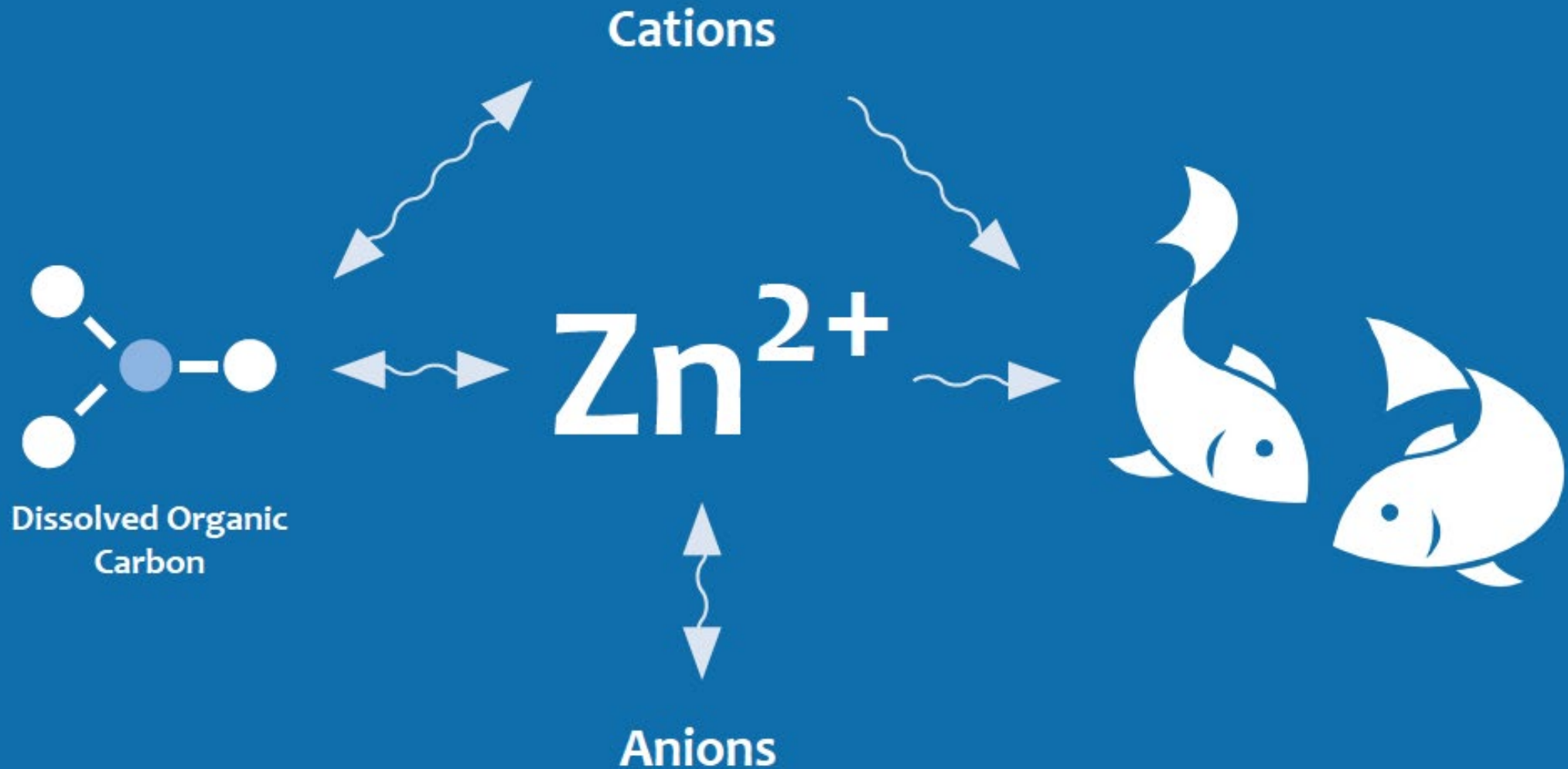
Toxicity assessment of sequential leachates of tire powder using a battery of toxicity tests and toxicity identification evaluations
Anna Wik^a, Eva Nilsson^a, Torsten Källqvist^b, August Tobiasen^b, Göran Dave^a

“Zinc in Tires” Risk Assessment

- Tire Wear Particle (TWP) fate pathway is quantifiable and predictable
- **No effects** of relevant direct TWP exposures to diverse ecological receptors
- Dissolved zinc from TWP **does not exceed** environmental quality standards



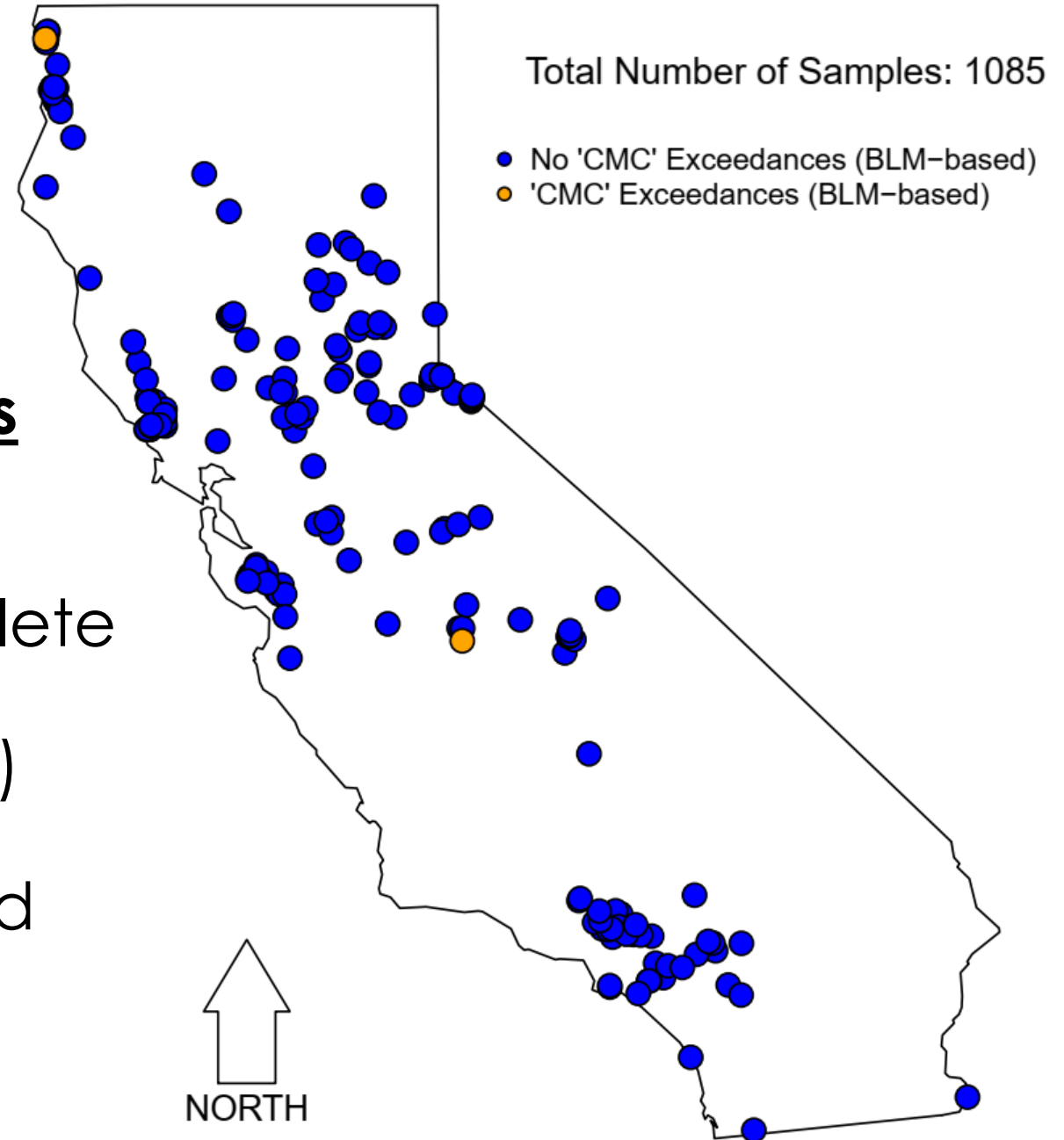
Bioavailability – Conceptual Review



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- CTR Hardness approach obsolete
- Data: WQP (NWIS and STORET)
- Compare hardness-based and BLM-based outcomes

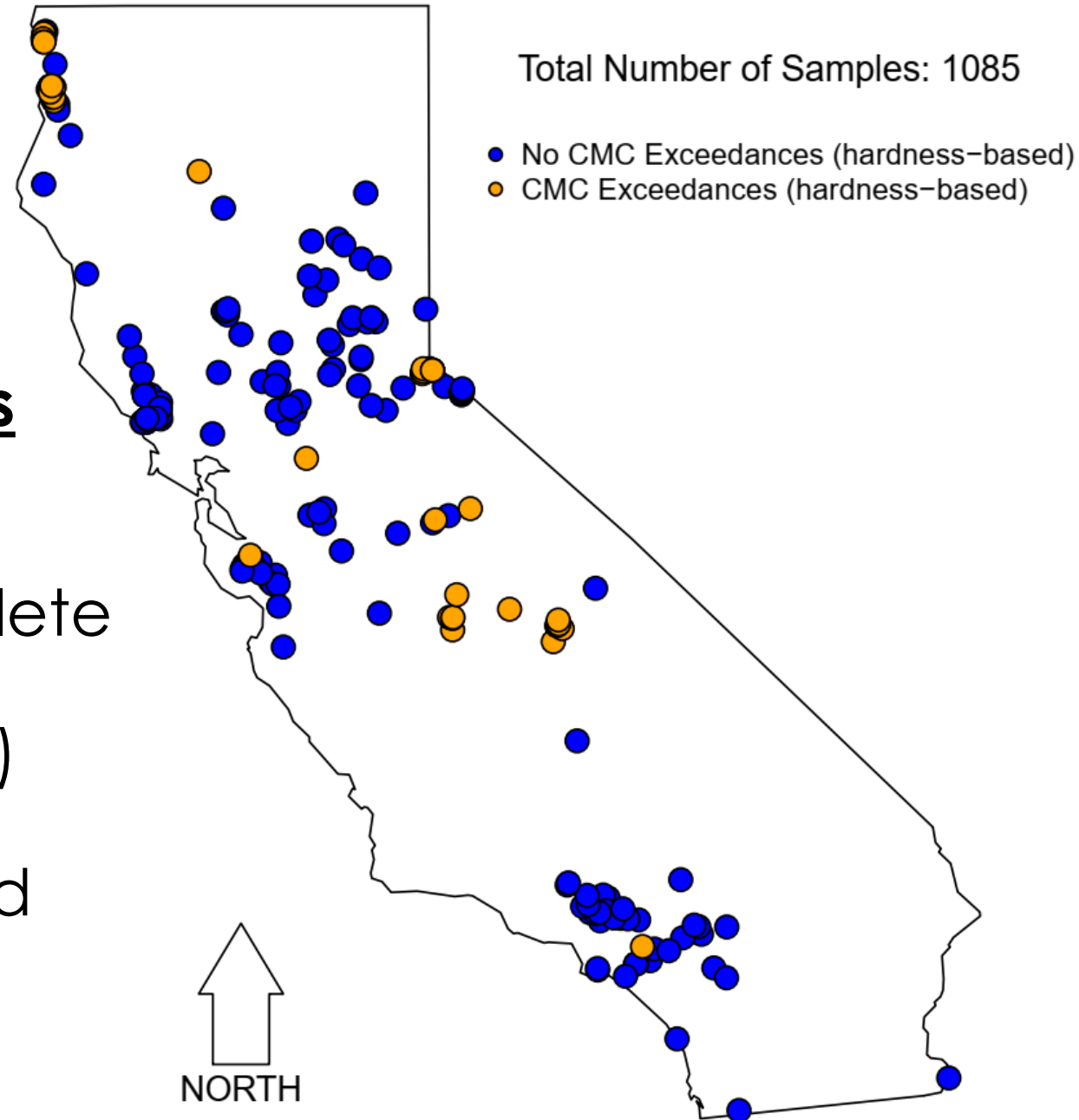
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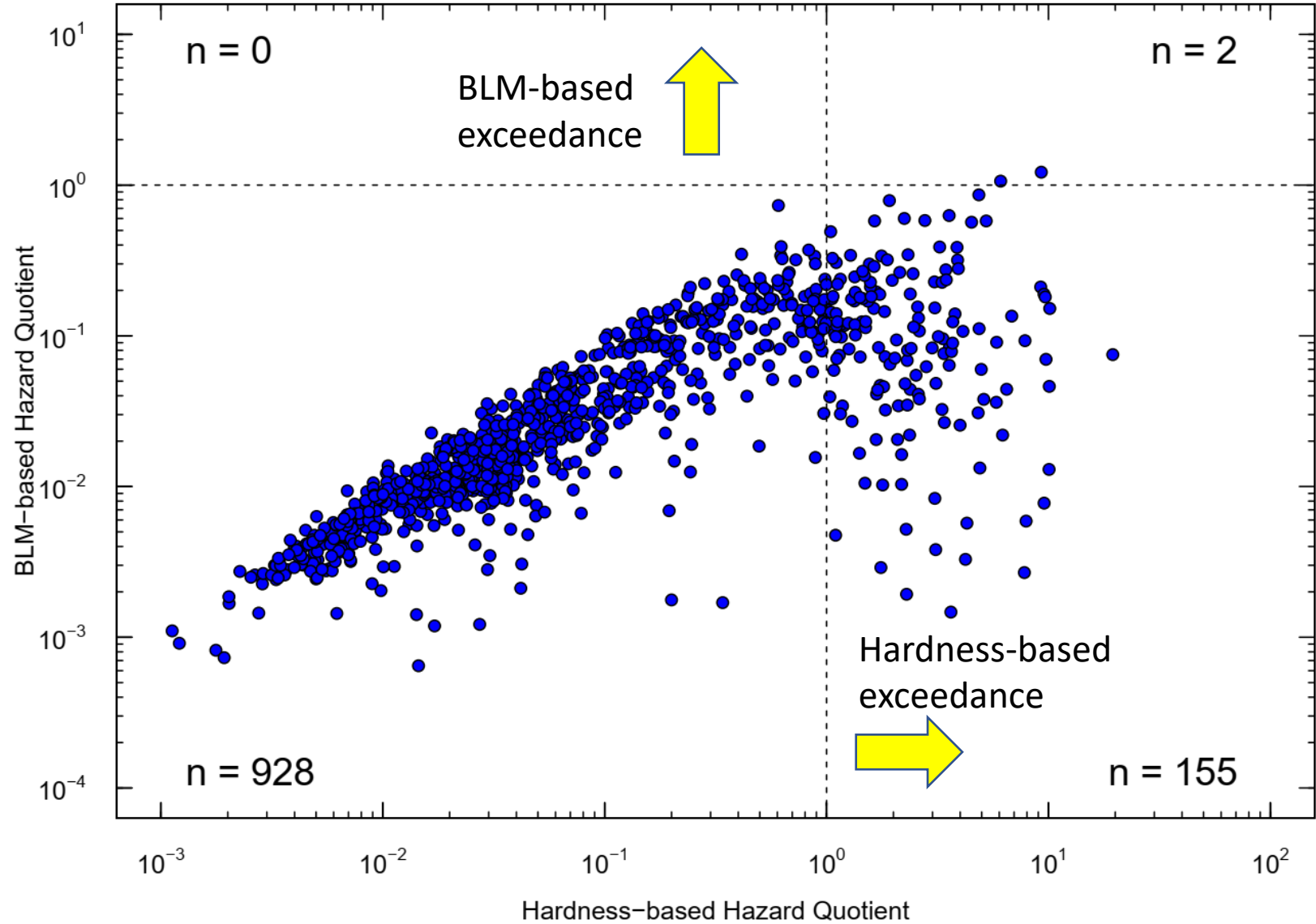
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Compare BLM- and Hardness-based Outcomes

$$HQ_i = \frac{Zn_i}{WQO_i}$$

- 157 hardness-based exceedances
- 2 BLM-based exceedances





Science Supporting Zinc Bioavailability

State of the Science on Metal Bioavailability Modeling: Introduction to the Outcome of a Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry Technical Workshop

Christian Schlegel^{a,*} William Stubblefield^b and Kathryn Gallagher^c

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ANALYZING THE CAPACITY OF THE SUBCAPITATA BIOAVAILABILITY MODEL AT HIGH PH AND LOW CALCIUM CONCENTRATIONS TO PREDICT ZINC BIOAVAILABILITY

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APPLICATION OF U.S. EPA GUIDELINES IN A BIOAVAILABILITY-BASED ASSESSMENT OF AMBIENT WATER QUALITY CRITERIA FOR ZINC IN FRESHWATER

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(Submitted 5 October 2011; Returned for Revision 29 November 2011; Accepted 9 January 2012)

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Application of the biotic ligand model to assess the zinc bioavailability to rainbow trout, fathead minnow and daphnia magna

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Best Practices for Derivation and Application of Thresholds for Metals Using Bioavailability-Based Approaches

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Environmental risk assessment of zinc in European freshwaters: A critical appraisal

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Further Considerations

- **Zinc in tire particles is not bioavailable**
- **21st century state-of-the-science recognized globally**
 - Water Boards, 20+ States, USGS, USEPA, Canada, European Union
- **Current FW WQO exceedances ≠ purple sea urchin toxicity**
 - The Bay Foundation: “The Bay Foundation has initiated, and currently leads, a partnership of researchers, fisherman, and conservationists in the removal of the **overly abundant purple sea urchins.**”

<https://www.santamonicabay.org/explore/in-the-ocean/kelp-forest-restoration/>

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