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TABLE 7-8
GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION
NAO FLINT OPERATIONS SITE - FLINT, MICHIGAN
RFI PHASE II REPORT
SHORT-TAILED SHREW EXPOSURE MODEL
AND RISK CALCULATIONS

	Soil Max. (mg/kg)	BAFs (dry)		ln[Earthworm Tissue]	Earthworm Tissue	Intake via Food	Intake via Soil	Total Ingestion	Toxicity Reference Value	Hazard Quotient
		B 0	B 1	(mg/kg, dry)	(mg/kg, dry)	(mg/kg bw-d)	(mg/kg bw-d)	(mg/kg bw-d)	(mg/kg bw-d)	
Metals										
Manganese	1300	-0.809	0.682	4.08	5.92E+01	8.63E+00	1.78E+01	2.65E+01	88	0.3
Selenium	0.65	-0.075	0.733	-0.39	6.77E-01	9.86E-02	8.91E-03	1.08E-01	0.20	0.5
Zinc	170	4.449	0.328	6.13	4.61E+02	6.72E+01	2.33E+00	6.96E+01	160	0.4
PCBs										
Total PCBs	0.85	0.1352	1.0347	0.06	7.21E+00	1.05E+00	1.16E-02	1.06E+00	0.137	7.8

Notes:

Maximum soil concentrations are from Table 7-3.

BAF - bioaccumulation factor

PCB - polychlorinated biphenyl

Toxicity Reference Values are from Table 7-7.

Dry-weight nonlinear BAF has form: $\ln[biota] = B0 + B1 * \ln[soil]$ (Sample et al. 1998); refer to Table 7-6.

Dry-weight PCB nonlinear BAF has form: $6.25 (\log[biota] = B0 + B1 * \log[soil])$ (Appendix H); refer to Table 7-6.

PCB BAF assumes an average earthworm moisture content of 84% (U.S. EPA 1993)