Contaminated Land Survey

Contaminated land in your area

Thank you very much for taking part in this survey. When you have finished, please choose the option 'Done' at the bottom of the third page.

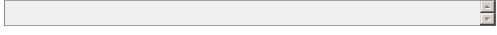
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1. Please estimate how ma	any sites are officially designated as contaminated in your			
approximate number=				
2. Of these sites, what pro Hydrocarbons (PAHs; e.g	portion is contaminated with Polycyclic Aromatic . Benzo(a)Pyrene)?			
% of sites contaminated with PAHs	•			
3. Which guidelines would you accept within risk assessments of sites cont with PAHs? (Please choose as many as relevant)				
© Site-specific assessment criteria us	ing CLEA			
E Land Quality Management Generic	Land Quality Management Generic Assessment Criteria (LQM GAC)			
© Site-specific assessment criteria us	ing SNIFFER			
© Other Local Authorities' site-specific	c derived figures			
€ Inter-Departmental Committee on	the Redevelopment of Contaminated Land (ICRCL) values			
€ The Kelly Indices				
€ UK drinking water standards				
Agency for Toxic Substances and D	isease Registry (ATSDR) standards			
€ New Dutch list values				
© Site-specific assessment criteria us	ing RBCA			
Environment Agency Environmental	Quality Standards (EQS)			
€ ATKINS figures (ATRISK SOIL) or o	ther consultant-derived screening values (please specify in the box below)			
© Other guidelines/site-specific asses	ssment criteria using other models (please specify in the box below)			
€ United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) guidelines				
€ Don't know				
If you have any comments on advantages and/or disadvantages of using specific criteria and other views on the guidelines please give these here:				
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Contaminated Land Survey 4. How often has bioremediation been used to clean-up PAH-contaminated land in your area? frequency If you have any opinion on selecting/rejecting bioremediation in your area please give these here: Bioavailability/bioaccessibility 5. Please indicate to what extent you agree with each of the following statements relating to contaminated land. Rate on a scale of 1-5 (1 strongly agree, 2 agree, 3 neither agree nor disagree, 4 disagree, 5 strongly disagree) 5 strongly 1 strongly agree don't know disagree Bioavailability/bioaccessibility ja jro jm jm ja j:n testing is a useful tool that facilitates contaminated land management Total contaminant m m m m m m concentration is a better guide for decision-making than bioavailability/bioaccessibility data Information on benzo(a) 70 30 m 30 ŗo j:n pyrene bioavailability/bioaccessibility is needed to support our decision-making Information on PAHs jn jm jn jn jn jm bioavailability/bioaccessibility to microorganisms can determine suitability of bioremediation Use of contaminant m j'n 30 ja. ŗŋ j:n bioavailability/bioaccessibility data leads to more costeffective site management We would need more jm jn jm m jm m information on bioavailability/bioaccessibility before deciding if it could help us within risk assessments Please use the box below if you would like to comment further on any of the above statements

Contaminated Land Survey 6. Which, if any, of the following factors hamper the application of bioavailability/bioaccessibility data in your area? (Please choose as many as relevant) © Lack of statutory guidance © Insufficient financial resources available for us to carry out testing © Failings in risk assessment reports submitted to us

Ē	Insufficient financial resources available for us to carry out testing
Ē	Failings in risk assessment reports submitted to us
Ē	Lack of time to analyse bioavailability/bioaccessibility data
Ē	Uncertainty associated with bioavailability/bioaccessibility data
Ē	None, we use bioavailability/bioaccessibility data confidently
ē	Don't know
Ē	Other reasons (please specify in the box below)

Please use the box below if you would like to comment further on the application of bioavailability/bioaccessibility data



- 7. Do you make any distinction between the terms bioavailability and bioaccessibility? (Please choose as many as relevant)
- No, these terms mean the same
- Yes, but I use these terms interchangeably
- Fee Yes (you may specify in the box below how you would differentiate them)

Please use the box below if you would like to comment further on the terms bioavailability/bioaccessibility



Background information

The following questions are to ensure that I have received responses from a cross-section of the Local Authorities in England and Wales. This information is strictly confidential, will serve only for my record and for my better understanding of your day-to-day practices.

- 8. Please enter the name of your Local Authority
- 9. Number of persons in your contaminated land team
- 10. How long have you worked with contaminated land?

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11. My work involves: (Please choose as many as relevant)				
€ Desk study				
€ Site visit				
Site investigation				
Selecting remediation technique				
Post remediation monitoring				
Assessment of site investigation reports				
€ Team management				
Project management				
Other (please specify)				
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12. Would you like to receive information about the results of this survey?				
jn Yes				
jn No				
If you choose 'yes' please enter your email address in the box below				
13. Are you willing to be contacted at your convenience about further aspects of this				
research?				
j∕n Yes				
jn No				
If you choose 'yes' please enter your email and/or phone number in the box below				
14. Your contribution				
jn Please acknowledge the name of my Local Authority				
jn No, thank you				
THANK YOU VERY MUCH for your time and input.				
Please tick the bottom 'DONE' to finish the survey.				
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