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Chlorinated Solvents

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Chlorinated Solvent Properties

	Molecular Weight (g/mol)	Density (g/cm³ at 20-25°C)	Solubility (mg/L at 25°C)	K_h (unitless)	$\log K_{ow}$ (unitless)	$\log K_{oc}$ (unitless)	PHG (µg/L)	MCL (µg/L)
PCE	165.83	1.62	200	0.76	2.97	2.19	0.06	5
TCE	131.39	1.46	1,100	0.43	2.47	1.97	1.7	5
1,1-DCE	96.94	1.21	2,400	1.06	2.12	1.81	10	6 (CA)
cis-1,2-DCE	96.94	1.28	4,930	0.19	1.86	1.46	100	6 (CA)
trans-1,2-DCE	96.94	1.26	6,300	0.39	2.07	1.7	60	10 (CA)
1,1,1-TCA	133.40	1.32	1,330	0.72	2.68	2.04	1,000	200
1,1,2-TCA	133.40	1.44	4,420	0.038	2.01	1.7	0.3	5
1,1-DCA	98.96	1.20	5,500	0.24	1.76	1.5	3	5 (CA)

Notes:

Kow = octanol-water partition coefficient
 Koc = organic carbon partition coefficient
 Kh = Henry's Law coefficient
 MCL = maximum contaminant level
 PHG = preliminary health goal (Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment [OEHHA])

PCE = tetrachloroethene

TCE = trichloroethene

1,1-DCE = 1,1-dichloroethene

1,1-DCA = 1,1-dichloroethane

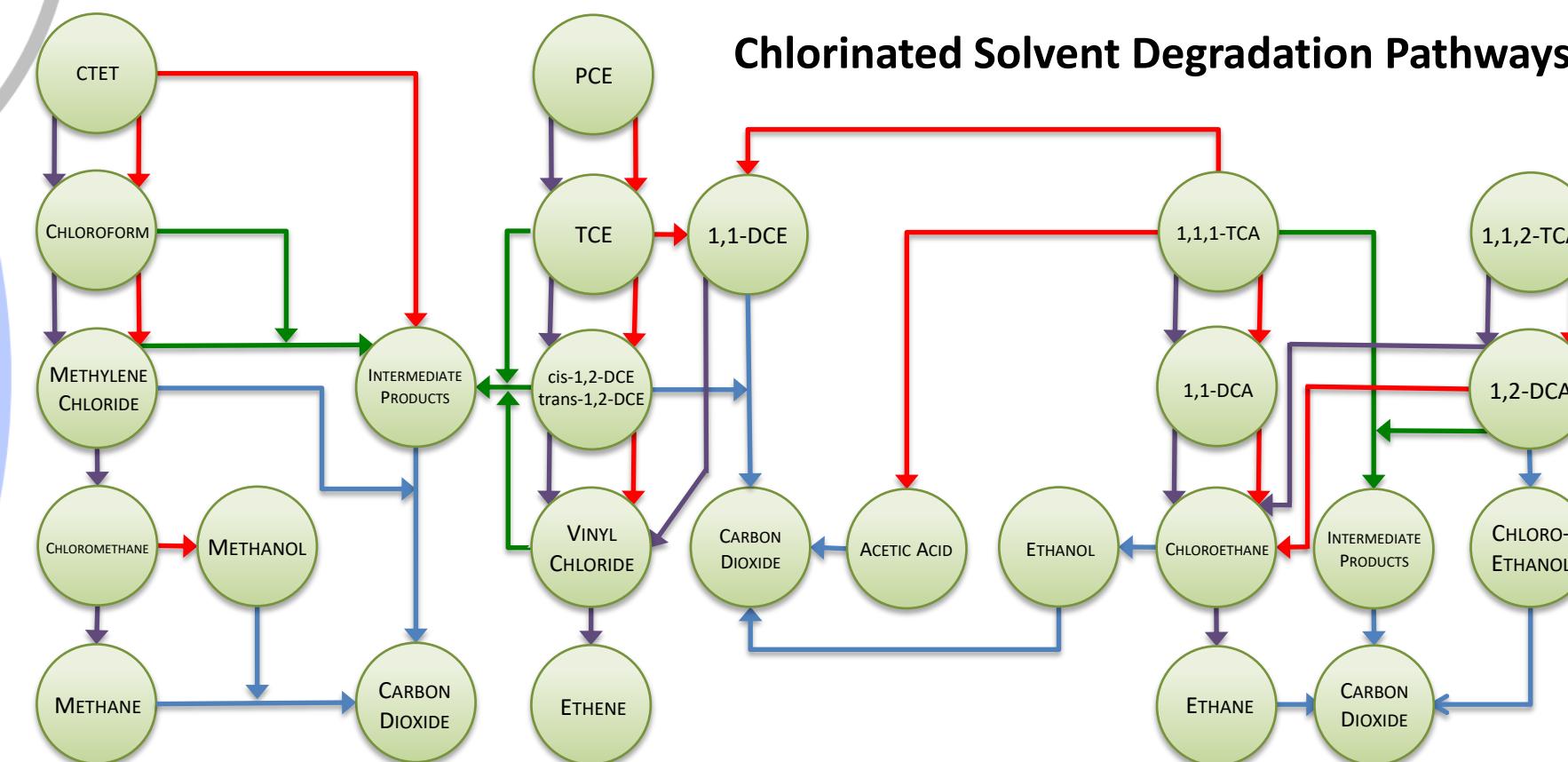
cis-1,2-DCE = cis-1,2-dichloroethene

trans-1,2-DCE = trans-1,2-dichloroethene

1,1,1-TCA = 1,1,1-trichloroethane

1,1,2-TCA = 1,1,2-trichloroethane

Chlorinated Solvent Degradation Pathways



— ABIOTIC REACTION PATHWAY (HYDROLYSIS, REDUCTIVE DECHLORINATION, DEHYDROHALOGENATION, or SULFIDE SUBSTITUTION)

— ANAEROBIC REDUCTIVE DECHLORINATION

— OXIDATION (AEROBIC and/or ANAEROBIC)

— COMETABOLISM (AEROBIC and/or ANAEROBIC)

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