

Fisher, Susan

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Good Morning Susan,

Per your request, the following are the action levels for sub-slab soil gas and indoor air concentrations for the indicated CVOCs:

	Residential (µg/m3)		Commercial/Industrial (µg/m3)	
	<u>SS</u>	<u>IA</u>	<u>SS</u>	<u>IA</u>
PCE	1400	42	6000	180
TCE	70	2.1	293	8.8

The IA action levels for risk management decisions are based on either the carcinogenic 1E-05 risk level or the non-cancer HQ=1 value, whichever is lower. For these CVOCs, the **HQ = 1** is the lower of the two values and is therefore the driver in risk management decisions. Sub-slab action levels are based on an attenuation factor of **0.03**. This attenuation factor is presented in the April 2013 document "OSWER Guidance for Assessing & Mitigating the VI Pathway from Subsurface Sources to Indoor Air" external review draft. This document was recommended for use by EPA Region 7 in the January 21, 2015 Memorandum on VI Guidance to SUPR & RCRA Branch Chiefs from ENST.