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Conversion Factors, Vertical and Horizontal Datum, and Abbreviations

Multiply	By	To obtain
foot (ft)	0.3048	meter (m)
gallon (gal)	3.785	liter (L)
gram (g)	0.03527	ounce (oz)
inch (in.)	2.54	centimeter (cm)
mile (mi)	1.609	kilometer (km)
kilogram (kg)	2.205	pound (lb)
Aluminum [Al] (µM)	26.98	Aluminum [Al] (µg/L)
Ammonium [NH_4] (µM)	14.01	Ammonium [NH_4 as N] (µg/L)
Arsenic [As] (µM)	74.92	Arsenic [As] (µg/L)
Barium [Ba] (µM)	137.3	Barium [Ba] (µg/L)
Boron [B] (µM)	10.81	Boron [B] (µg/L)
Cadmium [Cd] (µM)	112.4	Cadmium [Cd] (µg/L)
Calcium [Ca] (µM)	40.08	Calcium [Ca] (µg/L)
Carbon, inorganic, dissolved [DIC] (µM)	12.01	Carbon, inorganic, dissolved [DIC] (µg/L)
Carbon, organic, dissolved [DOC] (µM)	12.01	Carbon, organic, dissolved [DOC] (µg/L)
Chloride [Cl] (µM)	35.45	Chloride [Cl] (µg/L)
Chromium [Cr] (µM)	52.00	Chromium [Cr] (µg/L)
Cobalt [Co] (µM)	58.93	Cobalt [Co] (µg/L)
Copper [Cu] (µM)	63.54	Copper [Cu] (µg/L)
Iron [Fe] (µM)	55.85	Iron [Fe] (µg/L)
Lead [Pb] (µM)	207.2	Lead [Pb] (µg/L)
Magnesium [Mg] (µM)	24.31	Magnesium [Mg] (µg/L)
Manganese [Mn] (µM)	54.94	Manganese [Mn] (µg/L)
Molybdenum [Mo] (µM)	95.94	Molybdenum [Mo] (µg/L)
Nickel [Ni] (µM)	58.71	Nickel [Ni] (µg/L)
Nitrate [NO_3] (µM)	14.01	Nitrate [NO_3 as N] (µg/L)
Nitrite [NO_2] (µM)	14.01	Nitrite [NO_2 as N] (µg/L)
Oxygen, dissolved [O_2] (µM)	31.99	Oxygen, dissolved [O_2] (µg/L)
Phosphorus [P] (µM)	30.97	Phosphorus [P] (µg/L)
Potassium [K] (µM)	39.10	Potassium [K] (µg/L)
Silicon [Si] (µM)	28.09	Silicon [Si] (µg/L)
Sodium [Na] (µM)	22.98	Sodium [Na] (µg/L)
Strontium [Sr] (µM)	87.62	Strontium [Sr] (µg/L)
Sulfate [SO_4] (µM)	96.06	Sulfate [SO_4] (µg/L)
Thallium [Tl] (µM)	204.3	Thallium [Tl] (µg/L)
Uranium [U] (µM)	238.0	Uranium [U] (µg/L)
Vanadium [V] (µM)	50.94	Vanadium [V] (µg/L)
Zinc [Zn] (µM)	65.37	Zinc [Zn] (µg/L)

Temperature in degrees Celsius (°C) may be converted to degrees Fahrenheit (°F) as follows:

$$°F=(1.8×°C)+32$$

Temperature in degrees Fahrenheit (°F) may be converted to degrees Celsius (°C) as follows:

$$°C=(°F-32)/1.8$$

Vertical coordinate information is referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD 29).

Horizontal coordinate information is referenced to the North American Datum of 1927 (NAD 27).

Altitude, as used in this report, refers to distance above the vertical datum.

Specific conductance is given in microsiemens per centimeter at 25 degrees Celsius (µS/cm at 25°C).

Concentrations of chemical constituents in water are given either in millimoles per liter (mM) or micromoles per liter (µM).

AFCEE	Air Force Center for Environmental Excellence
DIC	dissolved inorganic carbon
DOC	dissolved organic carbon
ICP-AES	inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectroscopy
L/min	liter per minute
µM	micromoles per liter
µm	micrometer
µg/L	micrograms per liter
mL	milliliter
mL/min	milliliter per minute
mg/L	milligram per liter
mN	milliNormal
mm	millimeter
mM	millimoles per liter
MLS	multilevel sampler
MMR	Massachusetts Military Reservation
NAGT	National Association of Geoscience Teachers
NGVD 29	National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929
nm	nanometer
NRP	National Research Program
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Unit
PVC	polyvinyl chloride
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
µS/cm	microsiemen per centimeter at 25°C