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Conversion Factors

Inch/Pound to SI

Multiply	By	To obtain
Length		
inch (in.)	2.54	centimeter (cm)
inch (in.)	25.4	millimeter (mm)
foot (ft)	0.3048	meter (m)
mile (mi)	1.609	kilometer (km)
Area		
square mile (mi ²)	259.0	hectare (ha)
square mile (mi ²)	2.590	square kilometer (km ²)
Volume		
gallon (gal)	3.785	liter (L)
gallon (gal)	0.003785	cubic meter (m ³)
Flow rate		
gallon per minute (gal/min)	0.06309	liter per second (L/s)

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

$$^{\circ}\text{F} = (1.8 \times ^{\circ}\text{C}) + 32$$

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

$$^{\circ}\text{C} = (^{\circ}\text{F} - 32) / 1.8$$

Vertical coordinate information is referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD 88).

Horizontal coordinate information is referenced to the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83).

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 in either milligrams per liter (mg/L) or micrograms per liter (μg/L).

Concentrations of radionuclides in water are given in picocuries per liter (pCi/L).

Laboratory reporting level (LRL) — The LRL is generally equal to twice the yearly determined long-term method detection (LT–MDL). The LRL controls false negative error. The probability of falsely reporting a nondetection for a sample that contained an analyte at a concentration equal to or greater than the LRL is predicted to be less than or equal to 1 percent. The value of the LRL will be reported with a “less than” remark code for samples in which the analyte was not detected. The U.S. Geological Survey National Water Quality Laboratory collects quality-control data from selected analytical methods on a continuing basis to determine LT–MDLs and to establish LRLs. These values are reevaluated annually on the basis of the most current quality-control data and, therefore, may change (Childress and others, 1999).

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Abstract

In 2012, the U.S. Geological Survey, in cooperation with the Kickapoo Tribe of Oklahoma, compiled historical groundwater-quality data collected from 1948 to 2011 and water-well completion information in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties in central Oklahoma to support the development of a comprehensive water-management plan for the Tribe's jurisdictional area. In this study, water-quality data from 155 water wells, collected from 1948 to 2011, were retrieved from the U.S. Geological Survey National Water Information System database; these data include measurements of pH, specific conductance, and hardness and concentrations of the major ions, trace elements, and radionuclides that have Maximum Contaminant Levels or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels in public drinking-water supplies. Information about well characteristics includes ranges of well yield and well depth of private water wells in the study area and was compiled from the Oklahoma Water Resources Board Multi-Purpose Well Completion Report database. This report also shows depth to water from land surface by using shaded 30-foot contours that were created by using a geographic information system and spatial layers of a 2009 potentiometric surface (groundwater elevation) and land-surface elevation.

Wells in the study area produce water from the North Canadian River alluvial and terrace aquifers, the underlying Garber Sandstone and Wellington Formation that compose the Garber–Wellington aquifer, and the Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups. Water quality varies substantially between the alluvial and terrace aquifers and bedrock aquifers in the study area. Water from the alluvial aquifer has relatively high concentrations of dissolved solids and generally is used for livestock only, whereas water from the terrace aquifer has low concentrations of dissolved solids and is used extensively by households in the study area. Water from the bedrock aquifer

also is used extensively by households but may have high concentrations of trace elements, including uranium, in some areas where groundwater pH is above 8.0.

Well yields vary and are dependent on aquifer characteristics and well-completion practices. Well yields in the unconsolidated alluvial and terrace aquifers generally are higher than yields from bedrock aquifers but are limited by the thickness and extent of these river deposits. Well yields in the alluvium and terrace aquifers commonly range from 50 to 150 gallons per minute and may exceed 300 gallons per minute, whereas well yields in the bedrock aquifers commonly range from 25 to 50 gallons per minute in the western one-third of study area (Oklahoma County) and generally less than 25 gallons per minute in the eastern two-thirds of the study area (Lincoln and Pottawatomie Counties).

Introduction

In 2012, the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), in cooperation with the Kickapoo Tribe of Oklahoma, compiled historical groundwater-quality data collected from 1948 to 2011 and water-well characteristics in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties in central Oklahoma to support the development of a comprehensive water-management plan for the Tribe's jurisdictional area (fig. 1). Wells in the study area produce water from aquifers in the North Canadian River alluvium and terrace deposits and from the underlying Garber Sandstone and Wellington Formation that compose the Garber–Wellington aquifer and the Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups. The bedrock aquifers are part of a complex of sandstone, siltstone, and mudstone rocks, referred to as the “Central Oklahoma aquifer,” that underlies about 2,890 square miles of central Oklahoma (fig. 1) and is the primary water supply for municipal, domestic, industrial, and agricultural needs (Tortorelli, 2009).

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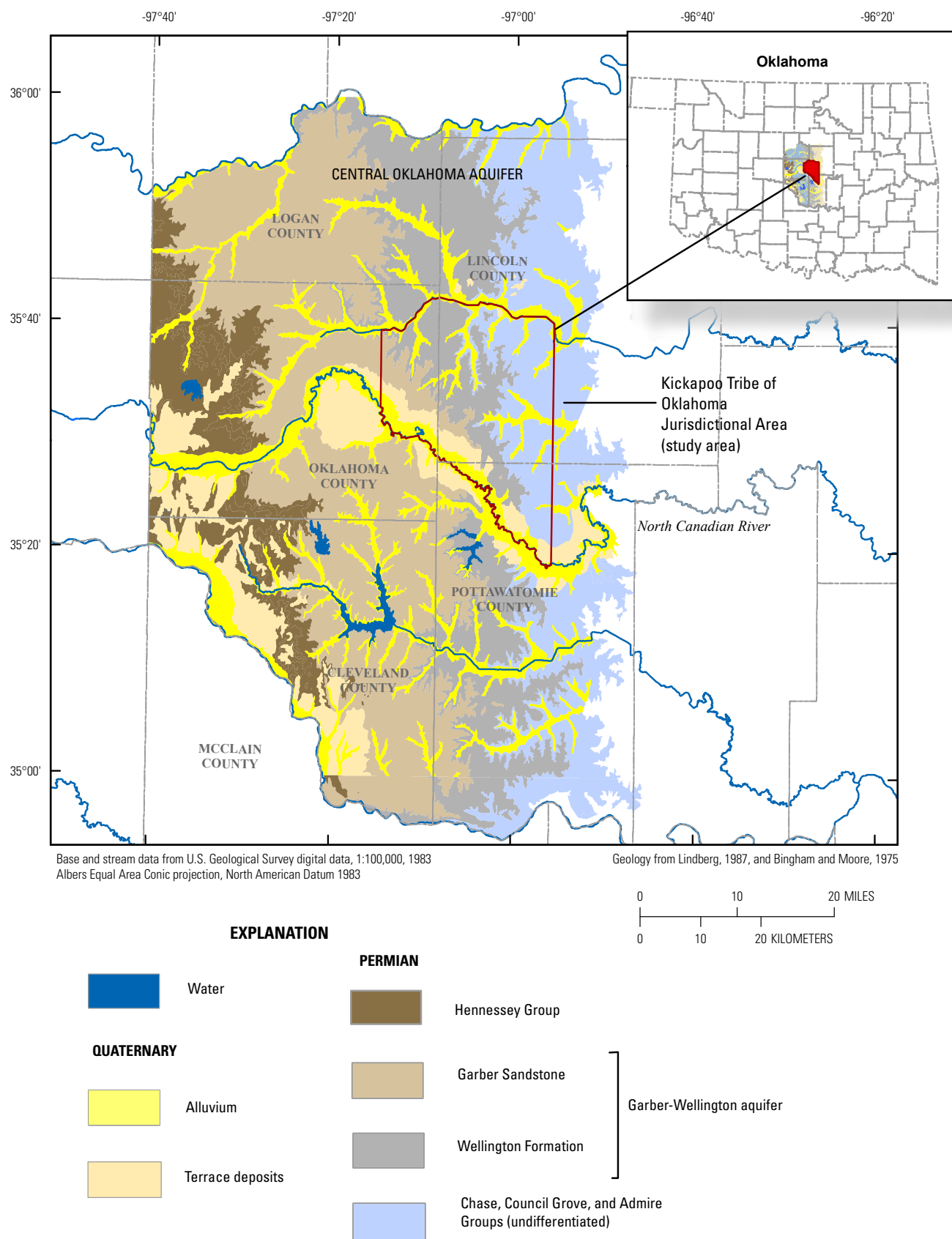


Figure 1. Surficial geology and location of the Central Oklahoma aquifer and study area in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties, Oklahoma.

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Purpose and Scope

The purpose of this report is to provide information about groundwater quality and water-well characteristics in the Kickapoo Tribe of Oklahoma Jurisdictional Area in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties. The information is displayed on maps, listed in tables, and described in the text of the report. Locations of 155 wells that have historical water-quality information from samples collected by the USGS are shown on a map (plate 1). These samples were collected from 1948 to 2011 and may include measurements of the water properties pH, specific conductance, and calcium hardness and concentrations of naturally occurring constituents having Maximum Contaminant Levels (MCLs) or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels (SMCLs) in public drinking-water supplies (table 1). The water-quality information and summary statistics are provided on tables (tables 2 and 3). Ranges of well yield and depth of water wells drilled by licensed well drillers are shown on a second map (plate 2). This information is overlaid on shaded contours showing depth to water in feet below land surface.

Aquifer Descriptions

In the study area, water wells produce water from alluvial and terrace aquifers along the North Canadian River and the underlying bedrock aquifers. These aquifers are unconfined (water-table) aquifers that are hydraulically connected but contain discontinuous beds of clay that locally slow the downward movement of groundwater (Christenson and Havens, 1998).

Alluvial and Terrace Aquifers

In Oklahoma, aquifers in the alluvium and terrace deposits along rivers and streams consist of unconsolidated lens-shaped beds of sand, silt, clay, and gravel. Alluvium is located in river valleys and active stream channels, whereas terrace deposits are located at higher elevations and were deposited during previous episodes of flooding when the river bed was at a higher elevation. In central Oklahoma along major rivers, alluvium ranges from about 30 to 100 feet thick and averages about 50 feet thick. Terrace deposits can range from a few feet thick to about 100 feet thick and average about 50 feet thick along major streams in central Oklahoma (Bingham and Moore, 1975). In the study area, alluvium and terrace deposits are very permeable and are major sources of water where thick enough to sustain acceptable yields (Bingham and Moore, 1975).

Groundwater quality varies in the alluvial and terrace aquifers. In the study area, groundwater from the North Canadian River alluvium is typically of fair-to-poor quality having high dissolved solid concentrations (Bingham and Moore, 1975). Groundwater from the alluvium generally is used only for irrigation or livestock. In contrast, groundwater from the terrace deposits originates primarily from precipitation and has low dissolved solids content and tends to be acidic. Water from wells in the terrace deposits is used extensively for domestic use along the North Canadian River Valley in the study area (Bingham and Moore, 1975; Becker, 2013).

Bedrock Aquifers

Bedrock aquifers in the study area are part of the Central Oklahoma aquifer and consist of the Garber–Wellington aquifer and the Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups (fig. 1). The Garber–Wellington aquifer is composed of the Garber Sandstone and the Wellington Formation and is the major source of water for domestic use, public supply, irrigation, industry, and other uses in central Oklahoma (Tortorelli, 2009). The Garber Sandstone consists of lenticular beds of orange-brown fine-grained sandstone interbedded with siltstone and mudstone and small amounts of conglomerate (Breit, 1998). The lithology of the Wellington Formation is similar to that of the Garber Sandstone, but finer grained, containing a larger percentage of siltstone and mudstone. The Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups, also referred to as the Oscar Group by Bingham and Moore (1975), consist of red-brown to gray shale and orange-brown, fine-grained, crossbedded sandstone.

All of the bedrock units in this area gently dip in a westerly direction at about 50 feet per mile (Christenson and Havens, 1998) and become shalier (finer grained) in an easterly direction and with depth (Schlottmann and others, 1998), yielding less water in those parts of the aquifer. Previous mapping indicated that only about 16 percent of the Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups consist of sandstone, whereas sandstone content of the Garber–Wellington aquifer ranges from about 70 percent in the northwest corner of the jurisdictional area to about 30 percent in the southeastern part of the study area (Schlottmann and others, 1998, fig. 3).

Table 1. Maximum Contaminant Levels and Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels of pH, major ions, trace elements, and radionuclides in public drinking-water supplies.

[µS/cm, microsiemens per centimeter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; µg/L, micrograms per liter; pCi/L, picocuries per liter; —, not available; >, greater than; blue shading, water property/constituent has Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level; red shading, constituent has Maximum Contaminant Level]

Water properties and chemical constituents (units)	Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level ¹	Maximum Contaminant Level ²	Aesthetic effects above the Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level ¹	Potential human-health effects from long-term exposure above the Maximum Contaminant Level ²
pH (standard units)	6.5–8.5	—	Low pH: bitter metallic taste and corrosion of pipes. High pH: slippery feel, soda taste, and mineral deposits on fixtures.	
Specific conductance (µS/cm at 25 degrees Celsius)	—	—		
Dissolved solids (mg/L)	500	—	Hardness, mineral deposits and/or staining on fixtures, colored water, salty taste.	
Hardness (mg/L as calcium carbonate)	—	—	0–60, soft (corrosive); 61–120, moderately hard; 121–180, hard; >180, very hard (mineral deposits on fixtures).	
Chloride (mg/L)	250	—	Salty taste.	
Fluoride (mg/L)	2	4		Tooth discoloration; bone disease.
Nitrate nitrogen (mg/L as nitrogen)	—	10		Infants younger than 6 months are at risk of blue-baby syndrome.
Sulfate (mg/L)	250	—	Aesthetic effects related to odor and taste.	
Aluminum (µg/L)	50–200	—	Aesthetic effects related to color.	
Arsenic (µg/L)	—	10		Increased risk of cancer, skin damage; circulatory problems.
Barium (µg/L)	—	2,000		Increase in blood pressure.
Beryllium (µg/L)	—	4		Intestinal lesions.
Cadmium (µg/L)	—	5		Kidney damage.
Chromium (µg/L)	—	100		Allergic dermatitis.
Copper (µg/L)	1,000	³ 1,300	Aesthetic effects related to odor, taste, and color.	Liver or kidney damage.

Water properties and chemical constituents (units)	Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level ¹	Maximum Contaminant Level ²	Aesthetic effects above the Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level ¹	Potential human-health effects from long-term exposure above the Maximum Contaminant Level ²
Iron (µg/L)	300	—	Aesthetic effects related to odor, taste, and color.	
Lead (µg/L)	—	³ 15		Delays in physical or mental development in children. Kidney problems and high blood pressure in adults.
Manganese (µg/L)	50	—	Black staining on fixtures; bitter metallic taste.	
Mercury (µg/L)	—	2		Kidney damage.
Selenium (µg/L)	—	50		Loss of hair or fingernails, numbness in fingers and toes, and circulatory problems.
Zinc (µg/L)	5,000	—	Metallic taste.	
Uranium, natural (µg/L)	—	30		Increased risk of kidney disease and cancer.
Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L)	—	15		Increased risk of cancer.
Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L)	—	4 millirems per year ⁴		Increased risk of cancer.
Radium-226 (pCi/L)	—	5 (concentrations combined)		Increased risk of cancer.
Radium-228 (pCi/L)	—			
Radon-222 (pCi/L)	—	Not finalized ⁵		Lung cancer.

¹U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (2012b).

²U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (2012a).

³Copper and lead are regulated by a treatment technique that requires systems to control the corrosiveness of the water. If more than 10 percent of tap water samples exceed the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) of either constituent, then water systems must take corrective steps. For copper, the action level is 1,300 µg/L, and for lead it is 15 µg/L.

⁴The MCL is a concentration of beta-particle activity from radionuclides in drinking water that produces an annual radiation dose of 4 millirems per year (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2000).

⁵The MCL for radon in public water-supply systems will be 4,000 pCi/L if multimedia mitigation programs are established to address radon in indoor air. A second option is an MCL of 300 pCi/L for systems that choose not to develop multimedia mitigation programs (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2012a).

Methods

Historical water-quality information for 155 water wells in the Kickapoo Tribal Jurisdictional Area was retrieved from the USGS National Water Information System (NWIS) database (U.S. Geological Survey, 2012a) (plate 1) in January 2012 and includes well depth; measurements of pH, specific conductance, dissolved solids, and hardness; and concentrations of the major ions, trace elements, and radionuclides that have MCLs or SMCLs in public drinking-water supplies (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2012a, 2012b) (tables 2, at end of report, and 3). Information about other constituents that were measured in the samples but are not shown in table 2 can be found in the USGS NWIS database (U.S. Geological Survey, 2012a).

Well depths, water properties, and selected constituent concentrations (of sampled wells on table 2) were summarized statistically (table 3). The median water-property value or chemical constituent concentration was used for calculating statistics when multiple analyses were collected from one well. Twelve chloride concentrations were less than the reporting level and were not used to calculate summary statistics.

Information for ranges in well depth and well yield shown on plate 2 was retrieved from the Oklahoma Water Resources Board Multi-Purpose Well Completion Report database in November 2011 (Oklahoma Water Resources Board, 2011). This database contains well-completion information submitted to the Oklahoma Water Resources Board by licensed well drillers from 1982 to 2011. The information shown on plate 2 was not statistically summarized.

The number of wells used to compute ranges of well depths and well yields varied from 1 to 93 per Public Land Survey System section and is shown in parentheses in each section on plate 2. Well depths are described in feet below land surface, and well yields are listed in gallons per minute. Sections that did not have any reported wells do not show ranges. The information on plate 2 should be used with caution, as the accuracy of well depths, well yields, and well locations submitted by well drillers has not been field verified by the Oklahoma Water Resources Board or the USGS.

Plate 2 also shows depth to water from land surface by using shaded 30-foot contours that were created by using a geographic information system and spatial layers of the 2009 potentiometric surface (groundwater elevation) in the Central Oklahoma aquifer (Mashburn and Magers, 2011) and the land-surface elevation (U.S. Geological Survey, 2006). The potentiometric-surface map (Mashburn and Magers, 2011) was converted from a vector dataset having a contour interval of 50 feet to a raster dataset having a 10-meter grid cell resolution by using the ESRI (ESRI Inc., Redlands, California) ArcGIS 10.0 command TopoToRaster (ESRI Inc., 2012a). The land-surface-elevation spatial layer was a raster product of the National Elevation Dataset which has a 10-meter grid cell resolution (U.S. Geological Survey, 2006). Depth to water in feet was computed as the difference between the two raster datasets by using the ArcGIS 10.0 Raster Calculator Tool (ESRI Inc., 2012b).

Groundwater Quality

The historical water-quality data (table 2) for the 155 wells (plate 1) may contain information about pH and concentrations of the major ions, trace elements, and radionuclides that have an MCL or SMCL for public drinking-water supplies (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2012a, 2012b). The number of analyses and the number of constituents analyzed for each well varied. Some wells had multiple samples analyzed for many constituents, whereas other wells may have had only pH measured.

The quality of water from private wells is not regulated, so the MCLs and SMCLs should be used only as guides for substances that may pose problems for human health or water uses (table 1). An MCL is a constituent concentration that cannot be legally exceeded in public drinking-water supplies. Constituents that have an MCL are considered hazardous to health when they are consumed for a lifetime at concentrations exceeding the MCL. For example, the MCL for uranium in public drinking-water supplies is 30 micrograms per liter, the exposure level likely to cause a 1 in 10,000 risk of developing a fatal cancer over a lifetime of 70 years of consuming 2 liters (0.53 gallon) of water a day (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2000). More information about the health effects of consuming groundwater constituents at concentrations exceeding MCLs can be found in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (2012b). An SMCL is a constituent concentration that is recommended and is used as a guideline for constituents that may have negative aesthetic effects at high concentrations. For example, concentrations of iron or manganese that exceed the SMCL may cause staining of water fixtures and give water a metallic taste but are not considered hazardous to health.

Wells were color-coded on plate 1 to indicate if constituent concentrations in a sample exceeded an MCL and (or) an SMCL. The water-quality data are listed in table 2. Color codes on plate 1 indicate water quality as follows:

- black, all constituent concentrations were below the MCLs and SMCLs;
- blue, one or more constituent concentrations or pH exceeded the SMCL;
- red, one or more constituent concentrations exceeded the MCL;
- red/blue, one or more constituent concentrations or pH exceeded the SMCL and MCL.

Summary statistics indicate that the pH of 152 samples collected in the study area ranged from 5.2 to 8.9 with median and mean values of 7.3 (table 3). Samples from shallow wells completed in the terrace aquifer tend to have a lower pH, whereas samples from deeper wells completed in the Garber–Wellington aquifer tend to have a higher pH (Becker, 2013). The lower SMCL for pH is 6.5 because acidic groundwater can corrode metal pipes and water fixtures (table 1).

Table 3. Statistical summaries of well depth, water properties, and selected constituent concentrations of samples from wells in the study area in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties, Oklahoma, 1948–2011.[$\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$, microsiemens per centimeter; mg/L , milligrams per liter; CaCO_3 , calcium carbonate]

Property or chemical constituent	Number of values	Minimum	Percentiles			Maximum	Mean
			25	50 (median)	75		
Well depth (feet below land surface)	139	7	60	110	150	412	114
pH (standard units)	152	5.2	6.8	7.3	7.9	8.9	7.3
Specific conductance, field ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ at 25 degrees Celsius)	146	100	392	623	810	8,920	817
Hardness (mg/L as CaCO_3)	132	4.9	121	201	306	1,310	224
Dissolved solids (mg/L)	71	81	268	409	523	8,310	631
Chloride (mg/L)	72	4.7	13	25	48	1,100	68
Sulfate (mg/L)	115	2.5	12	24	47	5,410	107

The concentration of dissolved solids in a water sample is equal to the sum of all dissolved constituent concentrations and has an SMCL of 500 milligrams per liter (mg/L) in public drinking-water supplies (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2012a). Specific conductance is the measurement of the ability of water to transmit an electrical current and is directly related to the concentration of dissolved constituents in water. For example, distilled water, which has no dissolved constituents but is a polar liquid, will conduct minimal electricity, whereas sea water, which contains high concentrations of the dissolved constituents sodium and chloride, is highly conductive. The concentration of dissolved solids in a water sample generally is measured by using laboratory methods, whereas specific conductance can be quickly and inexpensively measured in the field. Specific conductance values measured in samples from 146 wells ranged from 100 to 8,920 microsiemens per centimeter and had a median of 623 and a mean of 817 microsiemens per centimeter (tables 2 and 3). Concentrations of dissolved solids in 71 samples ranged from 81 to 8,310 mg/L with a median of 409 mg/L and a mean of 631 mg/L (tables 2 and 3).

Water hardness in the study area is caused primarily by dissolved calcium and magnesium. Hardness does not have an MCL or SMCL, but information on water hardness is useful for making decisions about water use and water treatment because hard water can leave buildup of scale on pipes and fixtures and requires larger amounts of soap and detergent for washing (U.S. Geological Survey, 2012b). Water with hardness concentrations greater than 180 mg/L (as calcium carbonate) is considered to be very hard (table 1). Generally, groundwater in the study area

is very hard, with concentrations in 132 samples ranging from 4.9 to 1,310 mg/L with a median of 201 mg/L and a mean of 224 mg/L (as calcium carbonate) (tables 2 and 3).

The SMCL for the major ions chloride and sulfate is 250 mg/L in public drinking-water supplies (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 2012a) (table 1). Chloride concentrations in 72 samples ranged from 4.7 to 1,100 mg/L with a median of 25 mg/L and a mean of 68 mg/L (tables 2 and 3). Sulfate concentrations in 115 samples ranged from 2.5 to 5,410 mg/L with a median of 24 mg/L and a mean of 107 mg/L (tables 2 and 3).

Groundwater from deep wells completed in the bedrock has the potential to contain high concentrations of the trace elements arsenic, chromium, selenium, and uranium (uranium also is a radionuclide) (Schlottmann and others, 1998; Becker, 2013). These elements occur naturally in the bedrock and in low concentrations in groundwater throughout the extent of the bedrock aquifers in central Oklahoma (Christenson and Havens, 1998; Schlottmann and others, 1998). Concentrations of these elements in groundwater are dependent in part on the presence of these elements in the bedrock and groundwater pH. Concentrations of trace elements in the bedrock tend to increase with depth and as the sediments become finer-grained (Schlottmann and others, 1998; Gromadzki, 2004). At pH values greater than 8.0, these elements are liberated from the bedrock (if present) and are mobile in groundwater. Historical water-quality data show that water samples from three wells in the study area had concentrations of arsenic exceeding the MCL and that one sample had a concentration of selenium exceeding the MCL (plate 1 and table 2). Concentrations

of uranium exceeded the MCL in water samples from 13 wells in the study area and 5 of these samples had high concentrations of dissolved radon gas (plate 1 and table 2). USGS studies have shown that groundwater pH values above 8.0 in the study area are useful indicators for potentially high concentrations of uranium (and the daughter product dissolved radon gas) in addition to arsenic, chromium, and selenium in groundwater when these elements are present in the bedrock along groundwater-flow paths (Schlottmann and others, 1998; Becker, 2013).

Water-Well Characteristics

Well depth and an estimate of well yield in gallons per minute are typically reported by licensed well drillers for completed water wells in Oklahoma. This information can be used for making decisions about designing and constructing new wells for optimum well yield.

Depths of wells having historical water-quality data in the study area show that 50 percent of the wells ranged from 60 to 150 feet deep with a median well depth of 110 feet (tables 2 and 3). Wells completed in only the alluvium and terrace deposits tend to be shallower than wells in the bedrock aquifers (Bingham and Moore, 1975). However, many wells completed in the terrace deposits also are completed in the underlying bedrock aquifer and yield water from multiple zones (Oklahoma Water Resources Board, 2011).

Well yields in the unconsolidated alluvial and terrace aquifers commonly range from 50 to 150 gallons per minute and may exceed 300 gallons per minute in some areas (Bingham and Moore, 1975). Well yields in the bedrock aquifers commonly range from 25 to 50 gallons per minute in the western one-third of study area (Oklahoma County) and generally less than 25 gallons per minute in the eastern two-thirds of the study area (Lincoln and Pottawatomie Counties) (Bingham and Moore, 1975).

Summary

In 2012, the U.S. Geological Survey, in cooperation with the Kickapoo Tribe of Oklahoma, compiled historical groundwater-quality and water-well completion information in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties to support the development of a comprehensive water-management plan for the Tribe's jurisdictional area. Wells in the study area produce water from the alluvial and terrace aquifers, the underlying Garber Sandstone and Wellington Formation

that compose the Garber–Wellington aquifer, and the Chase, Council Grove, and Admire Groups.

Historical water-quality data for 155 water wells in the study area were retrieved from the U.S. Geological Survey National Water Information System database and include measurements of pH, specific conductance, and hardness and concentrations of the major ions, trace elements, and radionuclides that have Maximum Contaminant Levels or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels in public drinking-water supplies. The quality of water from private wells is not regulated, so the Maximum Contaminant Levels and Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels should be used only as guides for substances that may pose problems for human health or water uses. The pH of 152 samples collected in the study area ranged from 5.2 to 8.9 with median and mean values of 7.3. Water from shallow wells completed in the terrace aquifer tends to have a lower pH, whereas water from deeper wells completed in the bedrock aquifer tends to have a higher pH. USGS studies have shown that groundwater pH values above 8.0 in the study area are useful indicators for potentially high concentrations of uranium (and the daughter product dissolved radon gas) in addition to arsenic, chromium, and selenium in groundwater when these elements are present in the bedrock along groundwater-flow paths.

Ranges of yield and depth of private water wells are provided per Public Land Survey System section. This information was compiled from the Oklahoma Water Resources Board Multi-Purpose Well Completion Report database. Well yields vary and are dependent on aquifer characteristics and well-completion practices. Well yields in the alluvial and terrace aquifers generally are higher than in the bedrock aquifers but are limited by the thickness and extent of these river deposits. Well yields in the alluvial and terrace aquifers commonly range from 50 to 150 gallons per minute and may exceed 300 gallons per minute, whereas well yields in the bedrock aquifers commonly range from 25 to 50 gallons per minute in the western one-third of study area (Oklahoma County) and generally less than 25 gallons per minute in the eastern two-thirds of the study area (Lincoln and Pottawatomie Counties).

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Table 2. Water-quality information for wells shown on plate 1 in the study area in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties, Oklahoma, 1948–2011.

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				pH (standard units)	Specific conductance ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ at 25 degrees Celsius)	Dissolved solids (mg/L)	Hardness (mg/L as CaCO_3)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Nitrate nitrogen (mg/L as N)	Sulfate (mg/L)
1	354144097093201	7	19771126	7.4	320	—	124	—	—	—	15
2	354048097052601	132	19771126	7.8	7,320	—	152	—	—	—	508
3	354048096584601	159	19780106	7.1	750	—	323	—	—	—	15
4	354043097020101	7	19771127	7.1	510	—	181	—	—	—	14
5	353959097084701	130	19771126	7.2	450	—	193	—	—	—	27
6	353948097112501	200	19851007	7.1 ^a	791	—	320	74	—	11.3 ^{de}	30
7	353947097113901	172	19541022	7.2	972	554	389	69	0	18.7	47
8	353947097111501	178	19870825	7.5	911	533 ^c	192	120	0.1	0.24	47
9	353938097031101	91	19880713	8.3	1,800	1,040 ^c	25.2	280	2.9	<0.1	94
9	353938097031101	91	19900904	8.4	1,780	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	353931097103301	92	19880708	6.8	398	232 ^c	200	12	0.2	1.7	16
11	353925097113101	178	20050204	—	—	340	224	20	0.2	1.64 ^c	20
11	353925097113101	178	20050318	—	—	340	226	20	0.2	1.67 ^c	10
11	353925097113101	178	20050425	—	—	330	226	20	0.2	1.66 ^c	10
11	353925097113101	178	20050203	—	—	340	233	20	0.2	1.64 ^c	20
11	353925097113101	178	19851007	7.8 ^a	531	—	240	55	—	1.7 ^{de}	<20
12	353909097100101	101	19880621	6.8	208	138 ^c	103	5.1	0.2	0.23	13
12	353909097100101	101	20040601	6.7	345	190	157	<10	0.2	0.81 ^c	10
12	353909097100101	101	20040226	6.8	351	170	157	<10	0.3	0.77 ^c	10
12	353909097100101	101	20030819	6.7	346	190	162	<10	0.2	0.91 ^c	<10
12	353909097100101	101	20031104	6.7	346	180	166	<10	0.2	0.87 ^c	10
12	353909097100101	101	20030617	6.7	373	210	173	<10	0.1	0.87 ^c	<10
12	353909097100101	101	19881221	6.4	174	—	—	—	—	—	—

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13	353835097020201	125	19771127	7.5	590	—	145	—	—	—	7
14	353816096585901	20	19780107	7.1	1,070	—	395	—	—	—	13
15	353815097045402	8	19771127	7.6	1,010	—	420	—	—	—	29
16	353813097080101	15	19771126	7.1	350	—	129	—	—	—	12
17	353812097140201	17	19771126	6.8	510	—	203	—	—	—	29
18	353805096553801	87	19780107	7.3	1,120	—	217	—	—	—	13
19	353800097040501	234	19710722	7.6	582	330	270	20	—	2.06	19
20	353746097114301	68	19771123	6.9	650	—	315	—	—	—	24
21	353719096594601	—	19830616	7.1 ^a	—	1,380 ^b	580	193	0.3 ^d	<0.500 ^{de}	148
22	353655097114401	—	19850604	7.4 ^a	—	222 ^b	220	<10	0.2 ^d	<0.500 ^{de}	<20
22	353655097114401	—	19830608	6.6 ^a	—	220 ^b	240	<10	<0.1 ^d	0.8 ^{de}	<20
23	353635097081501	229	19700428	7.7	364	211	180	10	—	0.54	14
24	353634097120701	160	19860818	7.2 ^a	—	328 ^b	320	10	0.3 ^d	0.8 ^{de}	<20
25	353631097093201	58	19771114	7.1	730	—	239	—	—	—	5
26	353624096565001	58	19700217	8.2	760	457	130	13	—	0.25	9.4
27	353539097050801	63	19771126	7.2	970	—	304	—	—	—	12
28	353539096554701	120	20040610	6.9	681	370	263	<10	0.3	1.1 ^e	<10
28	353539096554701	120	20031106	7.2	692	360	267	<10	0.3	1.04 ^e	<10
28	353539096554701	120	20040226	7.1	692	350	267	<10	0.4	1.11 ^e	<10
28	353539096554701	120	20030827	7.1	680	400	276	<10	0.3	1.03 ^e	<10
28	353539096554701	120	20030618	7.1	716	370	304	<10	0.2	0.96 ^e	<10
29	353539096554501	131	19880616	7.1	830	490 ^c	347	43	0.9	5.1 ^e	34
29	353539096554501	131	19900606	7.0	1,050	—	—	—	—	—	—

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29	353539096554501	131	19881220	7.2	720	—	—	—	—	—	—
30	353539096554401	33	19780104	6.7	620	—	307	—	—	—	13
31	353537097124101	31	19670209	8.1	698	422	330	40	—	0.25	43
32	353536096585001	141	19780104	6.6	610	—	199	—	—	—	14
33	353522097020201	119	19771126	6.5	2,500	—	655	—	—	—	8
34	353440097105501	185	19771115	6.6	750	—	280	—	—	—	10
35	353435097145101	171	19771119	6.9	510	—	153	—	—	—	20
36	353407097113301	140	19541022	7.5	612	326	310	10	0	0.11	4.9
37	353351096574601	162	19880615	7.2	1,270	776 ^c	264	37	0.3	0.88	35
38	353335097145501	31	19720619	8.1	660	464	350	17	—	0.09	31
39	353332097142901	45	19720619	8.2	675	424	350	14	—	0.07	54
40	353328097144101	60	19890616	7.2	769	477 ^c	342	17	0.8	<0.1	37
40	353328097144101	60	19820609	7.1	736	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	353328097144101	60	19900606	7.3	779	—	—	—	—	—	—
41	353304097113201	45	19771115	6.9	390	—	71.8	—	—	—	16
42	353304097083201	49	19771114	7.0	690	—	294	—	—	—	7
43	353304097022001	128	19771126	7.7	940	—	226	—	—	—	<5
44	353302097145201	95	19720613	7.8	733	430	280	16	—	0.02	35
44	353302097145201	95	19820609	7.0	720	—	—	—	—	—	—
45	353301097144801	44	19720616	8.2	620	438	360	21	—	0.18	74
46	353257096585501	170	19780104	7.9	990	—	67.1	—	—	—	22
47	353254096560501	93	19780104	7.6	790	—	109	—	—	—	24
48	353251097144801	31	19771119	6.7	960	—	306	—	—	—	53
49	353250097134801	44	19720616	8.1	609	367	320	8	—	0.07	22
50	353250097051201	66.9	19771126	7.0	930	—	122	—	—	—	19
51	353249097145101	80	19850610	7.2 ^a	—	588 ^b	400	47	0.7 ^d	0.5 ^{de}	82
52	353238097142001	50	19720614	8.0	3,950	2,320	—	1,100	—	0.14	72
53	353237097142801	50	19720615	7.9	760	524	—	17	—	0.04	63
54	353236097141901	52	19720613	8.0	757	454	380	5.6	—	0.11	46
54	353236097141901	52	19720825	8.2	809	509	402	8	—	0.02	45

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55	353236097072801	140	19880524	6.5	349	199 ^c	130	50	0.3	0.53	25
56	353214097141601	50	19720615	8.0	810	522		7.7	—	0.23	52
57	353212097142301	130	20081202	7.2	717	424	197	41.1	0.46	<0.016	42.9
58	353208097142901	120	19720827	8.2	1,330	780	282	220	—	0.09	76
59	353207096583301	54	19890725	8.6	6,010	4,540 ^c	217	220	3	<0.1	2,600
60	353119097094101	133	19890615	7.4	490	290 ^c	229	7	0.2	1.1	5
61	353052097110701	412	19741218	7.8	836	473	258	80	—	—	50
62	353050097134401	87	19651012	8.2	2,450	1,380	550	655	—	0.04	29
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	6.5	438	271 ^c	144	29	0.3	1.3	29
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050304	—	—	980	292	150	0.2	<0.10 ^c	100
64	353032097110701	400	20040616	—	—	630	303	150	0.2	0.05 ^c	90
64	353032097110701	400	20050103	—	—	690	311	150	0.2	0.06 ^c	100
64	353032097110701	400	20050314	—	—	1,140	386	170	0.1	<0.10 ^c	130
65	353030096554901	200	19780104	7.8	1,270	—	163	—	—	—	15
66	353027097143501	73	19771119	7.0	1,470	—	465	—	—	—	50
67	353027097114101	141	19771119	7.5	720	—	232	—	—	—	30
68	353027097052001	149	19771126	7.8	860	—	97.1	—	—	—	6
69	353023097082301	71	19771119	7.1	540	—	175	—	—	—	8
70	353023097015401	15	19771126	7.1	1,160	—	422	—	—	—	36
71	353021096595601	—	19830616	7.2 ^a	—	409 ^b	200	33	0.4 ^d	0.4 ^{de}	<20
72	353020097115001	46	19690408	7.7	916	592	410	20	—	0.02	72
73	353019096585001	16	19780104	6.5	750	—	290	—	—	—	6

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74	353007097114301	80	19640706	8.0	793	488	320	34	—	—	63
75	352957097134401	30	19651012	8.4	1,170	626	160	240	—	0.02	80
76	352936097083901	155	19830608	7.1 ^a	—	266 ^b	270	16	0.2d	<0.5 ^{de}	<20
77	352854097072301	103	19890619	6.6	459	277 ^c	170	35	0.2	0.84	14
78	352851097093801	400	19880418	7.9	466	264 ^c	127	20	0.2	0.48 ^c	15
78	352851097093801	400	19900530	8.4	530	—	—	—	—	—	—
79	352844097034401	120	20110926	5.9	132	90 ^c	38.3	7.32	0.14	—	9.53
80	352839097053401	160	20110323	7.4	443	—	—	—	—	—	—
81	352820097005001	86	19710316	8.0	1,410	840	110	100	—	0.02	38
82	352816096554701	96	19880714	8.9	854	523 ^c	11.5	31	0.3	0.56	15
83	352813097033401	60	20110314	5.6	639	—	—	—	—	—	—
84	352813097032401	61	20110823	5.7	277	157 ^c	65.5	49.1	<0.04	—	25.1
85	352812097052101	143	20110822	7.4	346	194 ^c	143	6.89	0.16	—	2.71
86	352810097092901	49	19890621	7.3	469	274 ^c	188	22	0.1	3.2	11
87	352807096554501	42	19771127	7.0	100	—	345	—	—	—	61
88	352805097041301	95	20110803	6.0	230	—	—	—	—	—	—
89	352800097032201	120	20110314	6.5	252	—	—	—	—	—	—
90	352756097035501	125	20110323	5.2	125	—	—	—	—	—	—
91	352753097040301	110	20110314	5.3	213	—	—	—	—	—	—
92	352751097050801	103	19771126	7.5	900	—	146	—	—	—	<5
92	352751097050801	103	20110314	7.2	366	—	—	—	—	—	—
93	352751097045401	255	20110815	8.2	1,020	—	—	—	—	—	—
94	352751097041401	132	20110314	6.2	152	—	—	—	—	—	—
95	352751097034501	100	20110323	5.2	247	—	—	—	—	—	—
96	352748097032601	—	20110314	7.5	316	—	—	—	—	—	—
97	352747097051401	180	20110913	6.6	285	161 ^c	87	8.73	0.16	—	6.11
98	352745097041501	—	20110314	6.2	224	—	—	—	—	—	—
99	352743097044101	110	20110318	6.0	218	—	—	—	—	—	—
100	352743097021102	43	19771126	8.0	1,800	—	26.6	—	—	—	15
101	352734097020001	222	20110314	6.6	275	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				pH (standard units)	Specific conductance ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ at 25 degrees Celsius)	Dissolved solids (mg/L)	Hardness (mg/L as CaCO_3)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Nitrate nitrogen (mg/L as N)	Sulfate (mg/L)
102	352733097042101	110	20110318	7.5	327	—	—	—	—	—	—
103	352732097041501	102	20111012	5.9	184	110 ^c	64.8	9.63	0.27	—	11.1
104	352728097035001	110	20110318	5.6	143	—	—	—	—	—	—
105	352727096585501	91	19780104	7.5	560	—	170	—	—	—	29
106	352726097041401	—	20111005	6.0	223	—	—	—	—	—	—
107	352726097035001	—	20110318	5.7	153	—	—	—	—	—	—
108	352726097031601	125	20111012	6.5	373	198 ^c	119	23.8	0.28	—	23.8
109	352717097043801	140	20111004	8.3	522	315 ^c	49.7	26	0.7	—	21.8
110	352714097034101	135	20110822	8.5	690	401 ^c	12.2	30.9	1	—	40.5
111	352712097032101	125	20110314	6.2	306	—	—	—	—	—	—
112	352710097034601	220	20081203	8.2	443	251	79.6	4.67	0.24	0.172 ^c	10.8
113	352704097031401	150	20110314	6.2	261	—	—	—	—	—	—
114	352701097031901	—	20110317	6.0	424	—	—	—	—	—	—
115	352700097032201	—	20110317	7.4	500	—	—	—	—	—	—
116	352657097054401	80	20110318	7.5	506	—	—	—	—	—	—
117	352657097042401	80	20110803	6.8	563	—	—	—	—	—	—
118	352656097031601	320	20110928	8.4	687	409 ^c	19.9	27.1	0.85	—	36.7
119	352655097043201	82	20110830	8.7	870	501 ^c	8.37	76.5	1.23	—	51.5
120	352654097022301	160	20110830	8.0	443	251 ^c	93.5	16.1	0.36	—	24.1
121	352652097050501	86	20110804	6.9	810	—	—	—	—	—	—
122	352651097023201	120	20110323	5.6	181	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	8.2	632	367 ^c	23.2	29.7	0.82	—	33.1
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	8.2	632	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	19820616	8.2	571	—	—	—	—	—	—
124	352635097025201	150	20110323	5.7	251	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				pH (standard units)	Specific conductance (µS/cm at 25 degrees Celsius)	Dissolved solids (mg/L)	Hardness (mg/L as CaCO ₃)	Chloride (mg/L)	Fluoride (mg/L)	Nitrate nitrogen (mg/L as N)	Sulfate (mg/L)
125	352632097024401	155	20110831	5.5	156	89 ^c	46.1	15.8	0.04	—	18.5
126	352625097022401	172	20110926	5.6	146	81 ^c	46.6	11.7	0.04	—	17.6
127	352622097020701	—	20110314	5.4	239	—	—	—	—	—	—
128	352620097024201	150	20110323	7.6	513	—	—	—	—	—	—
129	352617097031801	180	20110314	7.7	504	—	—	—	—	—	—
130	352612097020701	114	20110927	7.8	792	—	—	—	—	—	—
131	352609097033801	180	20110830	8.0	559	330 ^c	45.7	12.6	0.49	—	19.1
132	352603097024901	—	20110823	8.4	673	400 ^c	14.1	16.1	0.57	—	24.3
133	352603097022901	125	20110323	5.7	336	—	—	—	—	—	—
134	352557097024101	180	20111005	8.5	809	485 ^c	15.5	41.4	0.72	—	44.4
135	352553097021101	167	20110906	8.4	783	464	22	28.8	0.89	—	66.2
136	352543097021601	160	20110323	8.1	809	—	—	—	—	—	—
137	352543096585601	140	19880615	7.4	537	318 ^c	227	35	0.1	4.6	12
138	352536097021101	—	20110927	7.8	709	—	—	—	—	—	—
139	352533097015901	240	20110323	7.7	626	—	—	—	—	—	—
140	352529097021801	103	20110815	8.6	733	—	—	—	—	—	—
141	352520096591501	98	19771127	7.7	543	—	51.1	—	—	—	7
142	352510097011201	142	20110831	7.3	693	389 ^c	131	40.6	0.47	—	33.7
143	352508096561401	—	19830615	8.6 ^a	—	746 ^b	49	66	1.6 ^d	1.6 ^{de}	123
144	352501096554901	66	19771127	8.4	1,220	—	4.91	—	—	—	72
145	352458097020801	—	20110815	6.9	744	—	—	—	—	—	—
146	352457097020601	17	19771126	7.1	1,120	—	442	—	—	—	76
147	352422097012101	90	20110815	7.8	402	—	—	—	—	—	—
148	352417097015301	110	20110823	8.3	415	248 ^c	24.8	17.9	0.25	—	13.3
149	352415097013901	—	20110927	7.9	407	—	—	—	—	—	—
150	352343096555801	—	19480101	—	8,920	8,310	1,310	100	—	0	5,410
151	352325096591301	20	19780104	6.9	180	—	—	—	—	—	—
152	352302097010601	33	19771126	8.3	550	—	82.9	—	—	—	10
152	352302097010601	33	19820617	6.2	204	—	—	—	—	—	—
153	351955096582501	54	19890621	7.1	1,340	937 ^c	669	26	0.9	0.87	290
154	351951096583401	8	19780103	7.2	1,110	—	521	—	—	—	150
155	351938096562001	121	19770103	7.4	390	—	129	—	—	—	56

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Well number	USGS identifier	Well depth (feet below land surface)	Date of sample	Trace elements													
				Alum- inum ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Ar- senic ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Bar- ium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Beryl- ium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Cad- mium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Chrom- ium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Cop- per ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Iron ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Lead ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Man- ganese ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Mer- cury ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Selen- ium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Zinc ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Uran- ium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)
1	354144097093201	7	19771126	15	<0.5	124	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	M	120	0.2
2	354048097052601	132	19771126	18	<0.5	10	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	10	71.1
3	354048096584601	159	19780106	10	<0.5	137	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	70	8.8
4	354043097020101	7	19771127	<10	<0.5	90	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	230	1.9
5	353959097084701	130	19771126	<10	<0.5	108	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	80	<0.2
6	353948097112501	200	19851007	—	—	—	—	—	<10 ^d	—	—	—	—	—	<5 ^d	—	—
7	353947097113901	172	19541022	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	353947097111501	178	19870825	<10	1	150	<0.5	<1	20	<10	5	<10	<1	—	12	8	19.9
9	353938097031101	91	19880713	10	1	30	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	16	<10	2	0.2	<1	9	68.6
9	353938097031101	91	19900904	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	98.2
10	353931097103301	92	19880708	<10	<1	130	<0.5	<1	<5	10	<3	<10	<1	<0.1	<1	<3	0.5
11	353925097113101	178	20050204	—	<10	260	—	<5	10	<5	<20	—	<5	—	<10	M	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050318	—	15	270	—	<5	10	<5	<20	—	<5	—	20	M	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050425	—	18	270	—	<5	10	<5	<20	—	<5	—	10	<5	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050203	—	<10	270	—	<5	10	<5	<20	—	<5	—	10	<5	—
11	353925097113101	178	19851007	—	—	—	—	—	<10 ^d	—	—	—	—	—	<5 ^d	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	19880621	10	1	51	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	<3	<10	<1	<0.1	1	7	<0.2
12	353909097100101	101	20040601	—	<2	110	—	<2	<10	<10	50	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
12	353909097100101	101	20040226	—	<2	110	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
12	353909097100101	101	20030819	—	<2	110	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
12	353909097100101	101	20031104	—	<2	100	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
12	353909097100101	101	20030617	—	<2	120	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
12	353909097100101	101	19881221	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	353835097020201	125	19771127	<10	0.7	138	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	20	16.8

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14	353816096585901	20	19780107	12	<0.5	497	<1	—	M	M	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	70	30.4
15	353815097045402	8	19771127	10	<0.5	286	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	40	10.8
16	353813097080101	15	19771126	<10	<0.5	100	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	130	<0.2
17	353812097140201	17	19771126	<10	<0.5	158	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	40	0.6
18	353805096553801	87	19780107	<10	<0.5	95	<1	—	M	M	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	60	15.8
19	353800097040501	234	19710722	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	353746097114301	68	19771123	<10	<0.5	274	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	M	770	14.1
21	353719096594601	—	19830616	—	<10 ^d	<200 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	30 ^d	540 ^d	<20 ^d	620 ^d	—	6 ^d	80 ^d	—
22	353655097114401	—	19850604	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	<100 ^d	—	—	—	—	—	—
22	353655097114401	—	19830608	—	<10 ^d	200 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	20 ^d	<100 ^d	<20 ^d	<20 ^d	—	<5 ^d	90 ^d	—
23	353635097081501	229	19700428	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24	353634097120701	160	19860818	—	<10 ^d	300 ^d	—	<5 ^d	<10 ^d	<10 ^d	880 ^d	<45 ^d	<10 ^d	—	65 ^d	<5 ^d	—
25	353631097093201	58	19771114	<10	<0.5	149	<1	—	<4	20	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199 ^d	10	1.8
26	353624096565001	58	19700217	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27	353539097050801	63	19771126	<10	<0.5	133	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	M	30	<0.019
28	353539096554701	120	20040610	—	<2	730	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	10	—
28	353539096554701	120	20031106	—	<2	660	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
28	353539096554701	120	20040226	—	<2	730	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
28	353539096554701	120	20030827	—	<2	800	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	50	—
28	353539096554701	120	20030618	—	<2	830	—	<2	<10	<10	<10	—	<10	—	<10	<10	—
29	353539096554501	131	19880616	<10	<1	130	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	79	<10	2	<0.1	2	28	5
29	353539096554501	131	19900606	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29	353539096554501	131	19881220	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30	353539096554401	33	19780104	<10	<0.5	705	<1	—	<4	40	<10	—	M	—	M	70	2.4
31	353537097124101	31	19670209	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32	353536096585001	141	19780104	<10	<0.5	368	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	80	13.7
33	353522097020201	119	19771126	<10	<0.5	733	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	60	—	M	50	<0.019
34	353440097105501	185	19771115	<10	<0.5	196	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	M	1.3
35	353435097145101	171	19771119	<10	<0.5	128	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	10	1.1
36	353407097113301	140	19541022	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				Aluminum ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Arsenic ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Barium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Beryllium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Cadmium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Chromium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Copper ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Iron ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Lead ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Manganese ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Mercury ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Selenium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Zinc ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Uranium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)
37	353351096574601	162	19880615	20	1	210	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	<3	<10	10	<0.1	1	130	217
38	353335097145501	31	19720619	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
39	353332097142901	45	19720619	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	353328097144101	60	19890616	<10	2	190	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	2,000	<10	680	<0.1	<1	10	1.4
40	353328097144101	60	19820609	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	353328097144101	60	19900606	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
41	353304097113201	45	19771115	<10	<0.5	207	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	80	<0.2
42	353304097083201	49	19771114	<10	<0.5	244	<1	—	M	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	10	1.1
43	353304097022001	128	19771126	<10	<0.5	148	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	260	1.2
44	353302097145201	95	19720613	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
44	353302097145201	95	19820609	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
45	353301097144801	44	19720616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
46	353257096585501	170	19780104	14	9.8	208	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	10	57
47	353254096560501	93	19780104	<10	0.9	149	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	100	10.1
48	353251097144801	31	19771119	<10	0.6	56	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	<4	0.4
49	353250097134801	44	19720616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50	353250097051201	66.9	19771126	<10	<0.5	146	<1	—	<4	30	<10	—	10	—	<0.199	120	<0.019
51	353249097145101	80	19850610	—	<10 ^d	<200 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	M ^d	350 ^d	<20 ^d	400 ^d	—	<5 ^d	90 ^d	—
52	353238097142001	50	19720614	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
53	353237097142801	50	19720615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
54	353236097141901	52	19720613	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
54	353236097141901	52	19720825	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
55	353236097072801	140	19880524	<10	<1	210	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	<3	<10	<1	<0.1	<1	<3	<0.2

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				Aluminum (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)
56	353214097141601	50	19720615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
57	353212097142301	130	20081202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	130	—	158	—	—	—	—
58	353208097142901	120	19720827	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
59	353207096583301	54	19890725	<10	1	<5	<2.5	<5	<25	<50	27	<50	19	<0.1	<1	22	8.9
60	353119097094101	133	19890615	10	<1	230	<0.5	1	<5	<10	<3	<10	<1	<0.1	<1	3	<0.2
61	353052097110701	412	19741218	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
62	353050097134401	87	19651012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	<10	<1	44	<0.5	<1	<5	10	6	<10	<1	—	<1	<3	0.9
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	—	—	—	—	—	1.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050304	—	19	40	—	<5	<5	<5	1,780	—	520	—	20	<5	—
64	353032097110701	400	20040616	—	<10	50	—	<5	<5	M	1,930	—	150	—	<10	M	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050103	—	<10	40	—	<5	M	<5	60	—	40	—	<10	<5	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050314	—	16	50	—	<5	<5	<5	1,020	—	140	—	10	<5	—
65	353030096554901	200	19780104	11	1.3	25	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	M	17.7
66	353027097143501	73	19771119	<10	<0.5	130	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	10	4.6
67	353027097114101	141	19771119	10	<0.5	75	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	30	5.1
68	353027097052001	149	19771126	<10	<0.5	119	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	40	<0.019
69	353023097082301	71	19771119	<10	<0.5	128	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	250	0.4
70	353023097015401	15	19771126	<10	<0.5	66	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	<2	—	M	20	2
71	353021096595601	—	19830616	—	<10 ^d	<200 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	150 ^d	110 ^d	<20 ^d	<20 ^d	—	6 ^d	20 ^d	—
72	353020097115001	46	19690408	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
73	353019096585001	16	19780104	19	<0.5	137	<1	—	<4	30	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	110	14.9
74	353007097114301	80	19640706	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
75	352957097134401	30	19651012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
76	352936097083901	155	19830608	—	<10 ^d	300 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	M ^d	<100 ^d	<20 ^d	<20 ^d	—	<5 ^d	M	—
77	352854097072301	103	19890619	10	<1	270	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	<3	<10	<1	<0.1	<1	<3	0.7
78	352851097093801	400	19880418	<10	<1	260	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	3	<10	<1	<0.1	3	<3	10.2
78	352851097093801	400	19900530	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
79	352844097034401	120	20110926	—	0.15	60.1	0.041	<0.016	0.52	0.74	<3.2	0.389	<0.13	—	1.1	48.5	0.022
80	352839097053401	160	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
81	352820097005001	86	19710316	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
82	352816096554701	96	19880714	<10	1	120	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	5	<10	<1	<0.1	<1	7	8.7

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				Aluminum (µg/L)	Arsenic (µg/L)	Barium (µg/L)	Beryllium (µg/L)	Cadmium (µg/L)	Chromium (µg/L)	Copper (µg/L)	Iron (µg/L)	Lead (µg/L)	Manganese (µg/L)	Mercury (µg/L)	Selenium (µg/L)	Zinc (µg/L)	Uranium (µg/L)
107	352726097035001	—	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
108	352726097031601	125	20111012	—	0.23	95	0.019	<0.016	1	<0.8	<3.2	0.058	<0.13	—	1.2	<1.4	0.468
109	352717097043801	140	20111004	—	6.6	108	0.009	<0.016	3.2	<0.8	<3.2	<0.025	<0.13	—	0.76	3.4	383
110	352714097034101	135	20110822	—	6.8	56.9	0.024	<0.016	<0.06	<0.5	<3.2	0.05	1.46	—	<0.03	<1.4	77.9
111	352712097032101	125	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
112	352710097034601	220	20081203	—	3.6	239	<0.02	<0.02	0.24	2.3	<4	<0.06	0.68	—	5.1	<2	1,500
113	352704097031401	150	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
114	352701097031901	—	20110317	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
115	352700097032201	—	20110317	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
116	352657097054401	80	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
117	352657097042401	80	20110803	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
118	352656097031601	320	20110928	—	4.8	51.3	0.021	<0.016	4.5	<0.5	<3.2	<0.015	<0.13	—	147	<1.4	55.1
119	352655097043201	82	20110830	—	0.15	44.6	0.035	<0.016	<0.06	<0.5	<3.2	0.161	3.1	—	<0.03	<1.4	1.46
120	352654097022301	160	20110830	—	24.7	97.2	0.009	<0.016	1.3	1.6	3.4	0.075	<0.13	—	36.8	3.6	306
121	352652097050501	86	20110804	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
122	352651097023201	120	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	—	0.54	68.1	0.037	<0.016	<0.06	<0.5	<3.2	<0.015	4.27	—	<0.03	<1.4	1.09
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	19820616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
124	352635097025201	150	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
125	352632097024401	155	20110831	—	0.07	61.5	0.179	<0.016	0.26	21.6	3.2	0.136	0.44	—	0.2	2.3	0.116
126	352625097022401	172	20110926	—	0.1	63.7	0.076	<0.016	0.12	0.62	6.6	0.064	0.59	—	0.22	1.7	0.084
127	352622097020701	—	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
128	352620097024201	150	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
129	352617097031801	180	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
130	352612097020701	114	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
131	352609097033801	180	20110830	—	0.33	115	0.009	<0.016	24.4	0.8	4.5	<0.015	<0.13	—	24	1.5	26.3
132	352603097024901	—	20110823	—	0.57	39.7	0.008	<0.016	31.4	<0.5	<3.2	0.181	<0.13	—	12.8	<1.4	19.7
133	352603097022901	125	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
134	352557097024101	180	20111005	—	0.72	43.5	0.015	<0.016	15.6	<0.8	<3.2	<0.025	<0.13	—	29.3	<1.4	28.2
135	352553097021101	167	20110906	—	3.1	39	0.02	<0.02	4.7	<0.5	<3	0.01	<0.03	—	23.1	<1.4	48.3
136	352543097021601	160	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table 2. Water-quality information for wells shown on plate 1 in the study area in parts of Lincoln, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties, Oklahoma, 1948–2011.—Continued

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				Aluminum ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Arsenic ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Barium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Beryllium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Cadmium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Chromium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Copper ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Iron ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Lead ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Manganese ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Mercury ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Selenium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Zinc ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)	Uranium ($\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$)
137	352543096585601	140	19880615	<10	<1	55	<0.5	<1	<5	<10	30	<10	7	<0.1	<1	44	0.3
138	352536097021101	—	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
139	352533097015901	240	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140	352529097021801	103	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
141	352520096591501	98	19771127	<10	0.5	32	<1	—	M	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	30	2.6
142	352510097011201	142	20110831	—	0.73	130	<0.006	<0.016	11.2	<0.5	<3.2	0.025	<0.13	—	4.4	<1.4	4.61
143	352508096561401	—	19830615	—	<10 ^d	<200 ^d	—	<2 ^d	<10 ^d	M ^d	<100 ^d	<20 ^d	<20 ^d	—	<5 ^d	10 ^d	—
144	352501096554901	66	19771127	<10	0.8	27	<1	—	<4	<2	<10	—	<2	—	M	<4	7.9
145	352458097020801	—	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
146	352457097020601	17	19771126	<10	<0.5	136	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	200	11.7
147	352422097012101	90	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
148	352417097015301	110	20110823	—	0.9	110	<0.006	<0.016	8.6	0.51	<3.2	0.028	<0.13	—	2.8	1.6	1.62
149	352415097013901	—	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
150	352343096555801	—	19480101	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
151	352325096591301	20	19780104	<10	<0.5	53	<1	—	<4	10	<10	—	<2	—	<0.199	50	<0.2
152	352302097010601	33	19771126	10	<0.5	112	<1	—	<4	M	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	150	<0.019
152	352302097010601	33	19820617	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
153	351955096582501	54	19890621	<10	<1	57	<0.5	<1	<5	<10.0	2,800	<10	1,200	<0.1	<1	38	<0.2
154	351951096583401	8	19780103	<10	<0.5	56	<1	—	M	<2	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	20	2.7
155	351938096562001	121	19770103	<10	<0.5	114	<1	—	<4	20	<10	—	M	—	<0.199	680	<0.2

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Well number	USGS identifier	Well depth (feet below land surface)	Date of sample	Radionuclides						
				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
1	354144097093201	7	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	354048097052601	132	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	354048096584601	159	19780106	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	354043097020101	7	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	353959097084701	130	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	353948097112501	200	19851007	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	353947097113901	172	19541022	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	353947097111501	178	19870825	—	—	—	—	0.29	2	E300
9	353938097031101	91	19880713	—	—	73	—	—	—	170
9	353938097031101	91	19900904	—	—	60.4	—	—	—	270
10	353931097103301	92	19880708	—	—	1	—	—	—	120
11	353925097113101	178	20050204	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050425	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	353925097113101	178	20050203	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	353925097113101	178	19851007	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	19880621	—	—	1	—	—	—	90
12	353909097100101	101	20040601	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	20040226	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	20030819	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	20031104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	20030617	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	353909097100101	101	19881221	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Well number	USGS identifier	Well depth (feet below land surface)	Date of sample	Radionuclides						
				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ⁱ	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
13	353835097020201	125	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	353816096585901	20	19780107	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	353815097045402	8	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16	353813097080101	15	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	353812097140201	17	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	353805096553801	87	19780107	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19	353800097040501	234	19710722	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	353746097114301	68	19771123	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21	353719096594601	—	19830616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22	353655097114401	—	19850604	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22	353655097114401	—	19830608	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23	353635097081501	229	19700428	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24	353634097120701	160	19860818	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25	353631097093201	58	19771114	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26	353624096565001	58	19700217	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27	353539097050801	63	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	353539096554701	120	20040610	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	353539096554701	120	20031106	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	353539096554701	120	20040226	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	353539096554701	120	20030827	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	353539096554701	120	20030618	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29	353539096554501	131	19880616	—	—	13	—	—	—	90
29	353539096554501	131	19900606	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29	353539096554501	131	19881220	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
30	353539096554401	33	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
31	353537097124101	31	19670209	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32	353536096585001	141	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33	353522097020201	119	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34	353440097105501	185	19771115	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
35	353435097145101	171	19771119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
36	353407097113301	140	19541022	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
37	353351096574601	162	19880615	—	—	2	—	—	—	4,900
38	353335097145501	31	19720619	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
39	353332097142901	45	19720619	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	353328097144101	60	19890616	—	—	7	—	—	—	120
40	353328097144101	60	19820609	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	353328097144101	60	19900606	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
41	353304097113201	45	19771115	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
42	353304097083201	49	19771114	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
43	353304097022001	128	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
44	353302097145201	95	19720613	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
44	353302097145201	95	19820609	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
45	353301097144801	44	19720616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
46	353257096585501	170	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
47	353254096560501	93	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
48	353251097144801	31	19771119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
49	353250097134801	44	19720616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50	353250097051201	66.9	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
51	353249097145101	80	19850610	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
52	353238097142001	50	19720614	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
53	353237097142801	50	19720615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
54	353236097141901	52	19720613	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
54	353236097141901	52	19720825	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
55	353236097072801	140	19880524	—	—	2	—	—	—	180

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Well number	USGS identifier	Well depth (feet below land surface)	Date of sample	Radionuclides						
				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
56	353214097141601	50	19720615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
57	353212097142301	130	20081202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
58	353208097142901	120	19720827	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
59	353207096583301	54	19890725	—	—	200	—	—	—	420
60	353119097094101	133	19890615	—	—	4	—	—	—	200
61	353052097110701	412	19741218	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
62	353050097134401	87	19651012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	—	—	—	—	0.13	1	E600
63	353040097000901	135	19870915	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050304	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20040616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050103	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
64	353032097110701	400	20050314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
65	353030096554901	200	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
66	353027097143501	73	19771119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
67	353027097114101	141	19771119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
68	353027097052001	149	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
69	353023097082301	71	19771119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70	353023097015401	15	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
71	353021096595601	—	19830616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
72	353020097115001	46	19690408	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
73	353019096585001	16	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
74	353007097114301	80	19640706	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
75	352957097134401	30	19651012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Well number	USGS identifier	Well depth (feet below land surface)	Date of sample	Radionuclides						
				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
76	352936097083901	155	19830608	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
77	352854097072301	103	19890619	—	—	4	—	—	—	220
78	352851097093801	400	19880418	—	—	12	—	—	—	108
78	352851097093801	400	19900530	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
79	352844097034401	120	20110926	1.5	ND	0.8	0.9	0.076	0.25	170
80	352839097053401	160	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
81	352820097005001	86	19710316	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
82	352816096554701	96	19880714	—	—	11	—	—	—	110
83	352813097033401	60	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
84	352813097032401	61	20110823	ND	ND	ND	1.4	0.042	ND	251
85	352812097052101	143	20110822	4	0.9	1.6	1.7	0.21	0.49	117
86	352810097092901	49	19890621	—	—	6	—	—	—	190
87	352807096554501	42	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
88	352805097041301	95	20110803	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
89	352800097032201	120	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
90	352756097035501	125	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
91	352753097040301	110	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
92	352751097050801	103	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
92	352751097050801	103	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
93	352751097045401	255	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
94	352751097041401	132	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
95	352751097034501	100	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
96	352748097032601	—	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
97	352747097051401	180	20110913	1	0.8	1.2	1.7	0.15	0.4	167
98	352745097041501	—	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
99	352743097044101	110	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100	352743097021102	43	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
101	352734097020001	222	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
102	352733097042101	110	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
103	352732097041501	102	20111012	0.8	ND	ND	0.8	0.07	ND	278
104	352728097035001	110	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
105	352727096585501	91	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
106	352726097041401	—	20111005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
107	352726097035001	—	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
108	352726097031601	125	20111012	5.2	1	1.7	1.7	0.095	0.42	149
109	352717097043801	140	20111004	370	350	6.9	102	0.77	0.68	1,680
110	352714097034101	135	20110822	114	116	1.6	22	0.43	0.29	3,600
111	352712097032101	125	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
112	352710097034601	220	20081203	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
113	352704097031401	150	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
114	352701097031901	—	20110317	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
115	352700097032201	—	20110317	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
116	352657097054401	80	20110318	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
117	352657097042401	80	20110803	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
118	352656097031601	320	20110928	77	80	1.9	16.4	ND	0.48	640
119	352655097043201	82	20110830	5.3	4	0.8	1.5	0.18	0.33	350
120	352654097022301	160	20110830	270	260	8.6	89	0.69	0.47	1,040
121	352652097050501	86	20110804	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
122	352651097023201	120	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	5	11.1	2.8	3.5	1.2	0.53	1,220
123	352642097034801	108	20110912	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
123	352642097034801	108	19820616	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
124	352635097025201	150	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
125	352632097024401	155	20110831	2	ND	1.3	1	0.133	ND	95

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				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ⁱ	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
126	352625097022401	172	20110926	0.9	ND	1.2	0.9	0.04	0.22	270
127	352622097020701	—	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
128	352620097024201	150	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
129	352617097031801	180	20110314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
130	352612097020701	114	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
131	352609097033801	180	20110830	47	43	2.4	8.8	0.23	0.2	380
132	352603097024901	—	20110823	23	24	ND	6	0.031	ND	169
133	352603097022901	125	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
134	352557097024101	180	20111005	37	39	1.3	7.4	0.03	0.3	244
135	352553097021101	167	20110906	92	74	ND	12	0.09	ND	237
136	352543097021601	160	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
137	352543096585601	140	19880615	—	—	2	—	—	—	<80
138	352536097021101	—	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
139	352533097015901	240	20110323	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140	352529097021801	103	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
141	352520096591501	98	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
142	352510097011201	142	20110831	12	9	1.4	2.4	0.094	ND	143
143	352508096561401	—	19830615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
144	352501096554901	66	19771127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
145	352458097020801	—	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
146	352457097020601	17	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
147	352422097012101	90	20110815	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
148	352417097015301	110	20110823	5.4	5.7	2.3	1.8	0.4	0.35	410
149	352415097013901	—	20110927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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				Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (72 h) ^f	Gross alpha-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ^g	Gross beta-particle activity 72 (pCi/L) (72 h) ^h	Gross beta-particle activity (pCi/L) (30 d) ⁱ	Radium-226 (pCi/L)	Radium-228 (pCi/L)	Radon-222 (pCi/L)
150	352343096555801	—	19480101	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
151	352325096591301	20	19780104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
152	352302097010601	33	19771126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
152	352302097010601	33	19820617	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
153	351955096582501	54	19890621	—	—	3 ^h	—	—	—	160
154	351951096583401	8	19780103	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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^apH of unfiltered water measured in laboratory.

^bDissolved solids from sample dried at 105 degrees Celsius.

^cDissolved solids calculated from the sum of constituents.

^dConcentration of constituent in unfiltered water.

^eNitrate plus nitrite nitrogen.

^fAnalyzed for gross alpha-particle activity at approximately 72 hours after sample collection as referenced to a detector calibrated by using ²³⁰Thorium.

^gAnalyzed for gross alpha-particle activity at approximately 30 days after sample collection as referenced to a detector calibrated by using ²³⁰Thorium.

^hAnalyzed for gross beta-particle activity at approximately 72 hours after sample collection as referenced to a detector calibrated by using ¹³⁷Cesium.

ⁱAnalyzed for gross beta-particle activity at approximately 30 days after sample collection as referenced to a detector calibrated by using ¹³⁷Cesium.

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