

## Table 9

# Toxic water pollution in Nebraska

Companies reporting toxic discharges to water (1990-1994)

City: Bayard, Nebraska

Facility: **Western Sugar Co.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>				24,000	20,000	21,150	<b>65,150</b>
Ammonia	Platte River			24,000	20,000	21,150	<b>65,150</b>

City: Beatrice, Nebraska

Facility: **Cominco Fertilizers U.S. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		132,300	178,800	257,700	72,270	74,053	<b>715,123</b>
Ammonium nitrate (solution)	Big Blue River	125,000	170,000	239,200	60,970	66,333	<b>661,503</b>
Ammonia	Big Blue River	7,300	8,800	18,500	11,300	7,720	<b>53,620</b>

City: Beatrice, Nebraska

Facility: **Farmland Ind. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		34,305	32,000	30,550	48,800	56,650	<b>202,305</b>
Ammonia	Big Blue River	18,000	18,000	16,100	18,100	32,400	<b>102,600</b>
Ammonium nitrate (solution)	Big Blue River	15,000	12,700	14,200	29,600	22,950	<b>94,450</b>
Methanol	Big Blue River	1,300	1,300	250	1,100	1,300	<b>5,250</b>
Chlorine	Big Blue River	5					<b>5</b>

City: Columbus, Nebraska

Facility: **Behlen Mfg. Co.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		49,565	250	250	250	250	<b>50,565</b>
Sulfuric acid	Loup Power Canal	38,800					<b>38,800</b>
Nitric acid	Loup Power Canal	10,500					<b>10,500</b>
Zinc compounds	Loup Power Canal	250	250	250	250		<b>1,000</b>
Zinc (fume or dust)	Loup Power Canal					250	<b>250</b>
Methyl ethyl ketone	Loup Power Canal	5					<b>5</b>
Lead	Loup Power Canal	5					<b>5</b>
Xylene (mixed isomers)	Loup Power Canal	5					<b>5</b>

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Facility: **Monroe Auto Equipment Co.**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		1,515	403	2,414	2,018	2,275	<b>8,625</b>
Chromium compounds	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		160	1,200	1,020	750	<b>3,130</b>
Lead compounds	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		200	760	190	250	<b>1,400</b>
Nickel	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		10	250	90	250	<b>600</b>
Zinc compounds	Dawson County Drainage Ditch			150	150	250	<b>550</b>
Manganese	Dawson County Drainage Ditch			5	250	250	<b>505</b>
Cobalt	Dawson County Drainage Ditch			5	250	250	<b>505</b>
Copper	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		13	14	48	250	<b>325</b>
Chromium compounds	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Copper	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Manganese	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Nickel	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Zinc compounds	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Lead compounds	Platte River	250					<b>250</b>
Methyl ethyl ketone	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		5	5	5	5	<b>20</b>
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		5	5	5	5	<b>20</b>
Xylene (mixed isomers)	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		5	5	5	5	<b>20</b>
Toluene	Dawson County Drainage Ditch			5	5	5	<b>15</b>
n-Butyl alcohol	Dawson County Drainage Ditch			5		5	<b>10</b>
Ethylbenzene	Dawson County Drainage Ditch		5	5			<b>10</b>
Cobalt	Platte River	5					<b>5</b>
Methyl ethyl ketone	Platte River	5					<b>5</b>
Xylene (mixed isomers)	Platte River	5					<b>5</b>

City: Crete, Nebraska

Facility: **Farmland Foods Inc.**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		65,656	58,000	19,358	28,357	13,433	<b>184,804</b>
Ammonia	Big Blue River	65,105	58,000	19,358	28,357	13,433	<b>184,253</b>
Chlorine	Big Blue River	546					<b>546</b>
Sulfuric acid	Big Blue River	5					<b>5</b>

City: Crete, Nebraska

Facility: **Alpo Petfoods Inc.**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		5,810					<b>5,810</b>
Chlorine	Big Blue River	5,810					<b>5,810</b>

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City: Culbertson, Nebraska

Facility: **Kugler Oil Co.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		250					<b>250</b>
Ammonia	Frenchman River	250					<b>250</b>

City: De Witt, Nebraska

Facility: **Petersen Mfg. Co. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		57	255	10	10	255	<b>587</b>
Nickel	Big Blue River	50	250	5	5	250	<b>560</b>
Copper	Big Blue River	7	5	5	5	5	<b>27</b>

City: Hastings, Nebraska

Facility: **Chief Ethanol Fuels Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>			500	500		255	<b>1,255</b>
Ammonia	Big Blue River		250	250		250	<b>750</b>
Chlorine	Big Blue River		250	250		5	<b>505</b>

City: Laplatte, Nebraska

Facility: **Arcadian Fertilizer L.P.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		13,000	3,700	1,560	1,250	39,000	<b>58,510</b>
Ammonia	Missouri River	8,600	3,700	900	1,200	39,000	<b>53,400</b>
Ammonium nitrate (solution)	Missouri River	2,900			50		<b>2,950</b>
Methanol	Missouri River	1,500		660			<b>2,160</b>

City: Lexington, Nebraska

Facility: **IBP Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		5		250			<b>255</b>
Ammonia	Platte River	5		250			<b>255</b>

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City: Lincoln, Nebraska

Facility: **Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		220	1,692	6,100	2,024	750	<b>10,786</b>
Toluene	Salt Creek		1,692	6,100	2,024	610	<b>10,426</b>
Zinc compounds	Salt Creek	220				140	<b>360</b>

City: Lincoln, Nebraska

Facility: **ADM**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>				250	250	250	<b>750</b>
Nickel	Steven's Creek			250	250	250	<b>750</b>

City: Lincoln, Nebraska

Facility: **Kawasaki Motors Mfg. Corp. Usa**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		275	277	43	48	38	<b>681</b>
Zinc compounds	Oak Creek	250					<b>250</b>
Methyl ethyl ketone	Oak Creek	5	185		5		<b>195</b>
Zinc compounds	Turkey Creek		77	38	38	38	<b>191</b>
Toluene	Oak Creek	5	5	5	5		<b>20</b>
Dichloromethane	Oak Creek	5	5				<b>10</b>
Xylene (mixed isomers)	Oak Creek	5	5				<b>10</b>
Glycol ethers	Oak Creek	5					<b>5</b>

City: Mc Cook, Nebraska

Facility: **Dayco Prods. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		60	250	250	250	250	<b>1,060</b>
Zinc compounds	Republican River	60	250	250	250	250	<b>1,060</b>

City: Norfolk, Nebraska

Facility: **Darling Intl. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		116,000	39,236	39,706	34,944		<b>229,886</b>
Ammonia	Elkhorn River	116,000	39,236	39,706	34,944		<b>229,886</b>



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City: Norfolk, Nebraska

Facility: **Nucor Steel**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>			500	1,621	1,689	1,051	<b>4,861</b>
Zinc compounds	Spring Branch Creek			602	669	286	<b>1,557</b>
Chromium compounds	Spring Branch Creek			250	250	250	<b>750</b>
Copper compounds	Spring Branch Creek			250	250	250	<b>750</b>
Manganese compounds	Spring Branch Creek			250	250	250	<b>750</b>
Ethylene glycol	Spring Branch Creek			250	250		<b>500</b>
Lead	Spring Branch Creek		250				<b>250</b>
Zinc (fume or dust)	Spring Branch Creek		250				<b>250</b>
Lead compounds	Spring Branch Creek			14	15	10	<b>39</b>
Nickel compounds	Spring Branch Creek			5	5	5	<b>15</b>

City: Omaha, Nebraska

Facility: **Asarco Inc.**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		10,580	11,260	10,820	12,780	10,900	<b>56,340</b>
Lead compounds	Missouri River	4,400	5,000	4,700	5,600	4,660	<b>24,360</b>
Antimony compounds	Missouri River	2,500	2,700	2,700	3,130	1,740	<b>12,770</b>
Zinc compounds	Missouri River	1,950	2,100	2,100	2,410	3,460	<b>12,020</b>
Arsenic compounds	Missouri River	1,230	1,400	1,300	1,620	1,000	<b>6,550</b>
Silver compounds	Missouri River	250	20	20	20	40	<b>350</b>
Copper compounds	Missouri River	250	40				<b>290</b>

City: Omaha, Nebraska

Facility: **AT&T**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		245	316	316	539	32	<b>1,448</b>
Copper compounds	Hell Creek	93	147	147	343		<b>730</b>
Chromium compounds	Hell Creek	108	75	75	85		<b>343</b>
Lead compounds	Hell Creek	15	60	60	95		<b>230</b>
Copper compounds	West Papillion Creek	29		34	16	32	<b>111</b>
Copper compounds	West Papillion Creek		34				<b>34</b>

City: Schuyler, Nebraska

Facility: **Excel Corp.**

Chemical discharged	Receiving water	Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					1990-1994
		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		21,110	37,450	33,650	49,951	94,181	<b>236,342</b>
Ammonia	Shonka Ditch	21,110	37,450	33,650	49,951	94,181	<b>236,342</b>

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City: Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Facility: **Western Sugar Co.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		13,328	7,600	3,000	7,000	5,000	<b>35,928</b>
Ammonia	Platte River	13,328	7,600	3,000	7,000	5,000	<b>35,928</b>

City: Valley, Nebraska

Facility: **Valmont Ind. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		755	484	1,005	1,005	505	<b>3,754</b>
Zinc compounds	Platte River	250	180	250	250	250	<b>1,180</b>
Nickel	Platte River	250	250	250	250		<b>1,000</b>
Lead	Platte River		44	250	250	250	<b>794</b>
Manganese	Platte River	250	5	250	250	5	<b>760</b>
Chromium	Platte River	5	5	5	5		<b>20</b>

City: Wahoo, Nebraska

Facility: **Darling Intl. Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		200	668		391		<b>1,259</b>
Ammonia	Silver Creek	200	668		391		<b>1,259</b>

City: West Point, Nebraska

Facility: **IBP Inc.**

		Pounds of toxic chemicals discharged to water					
Chemical discharged	Receiving water	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1990-1994
<b>All toxic chemicals</b>		27,722	12,983	13,340	56,000	150,000	<b>260,045</b>
Ammonia	Elkhorn River	27,722	12,983	13,340	56,000	150,000	<b>260,045</b>