

APPENDIX 5

Equations for the Development of Residential and Non-residential Indoor Air Remediation Standards for the Vapor Intrusion Exposure Pathway

Equation 1

Carcinogenic Indoor Air Human Health-based Criteria

Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Regional Screening Table, User’s Guide (November 2014) (Equations 4.9.2 and 4.10.2)

$$IA_c = \frac{TR * AT * LT}{EF * ED * ET * \frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} * IUR}$$

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Definition</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Default</u>
<i>IA_c</i>	Carcinogenic indoor air human health-based criterion	µg/m ³	Chemical-specific
<i>TR</i>	Target cancer risk	unitless	1x10 ⁻⁶
<i>AT</i>	Averaging time	days/year	365
<i>LT</i>	Lifetime	years	70
<i>EF</i>	Exposure frequency	days/year	350 (Residential) 250 (Non-residential)
<i>ED</i>	Exposure duration	years	26 (Residential) 25 (Non-residential)
<i>ET</i>	Exposure time	hours/day	24 (Residential) 8 (Non-residential)
<i>IUR</i>	Inhalation unit risk	(µg/m ³) ⁻¹	Chemical-specific

Equation 2

Non-carcinogenic Indoor Air Human Health-based Criteria

Source: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Regional Screening Table, User’s Guide (November 2014) (Equations 4.9.1 and 4.10.1)

$$IA_{nc} = \frac{THQ * AT * ED * \frac{1000 \mu g}{mg}}{EF * ED * ET * \frac{1 \text{ day}}{24 \text{ hours}} * \frac{1}{RfC}}$$

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Definition</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Default</u>
<i>IA_{nc}</i>	Non-carcinogenic indoor air human health-based criterion	µg/m ³	Chemical-specific
<i>THQ</i>	Target hazard quotient	unitless	1
<i>AT</i>	Averaging time	days/year	365
<i>ED</i>	Exposure duration	years	26 (Residential) 25 (Non-residential)
<i>EF</i>	Exposure frequency	days/year	350 (Residential) 250 (Non-residential)
<i>ET</i>	Exposure time	hours/day	24 (Residential) 8 (Non-residential)
<i>RfC</i>	Inhalation reference concentration	mg/m ³	Chemical-specific

If the calculated indoor air human health-based criterion for a contaminant is less than the air reporting limit, the indoor air remediation standard defaults to the air reporting limit.