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Introduction

In 2018, the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) Agrichemical Management (ACM) Bureau continued the Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program to document the effect pesticide use is continually having on groundwater quality. Groundwater monitoring is performed at 24 established stations. At each station groundwater level measurements are recorded and samples are collected seasonally, which are submitted to DATCP's Bureau of Laboratory Services (BLS) for chemical analysis. This report has been prepared to document 2018 program activities, and includes a summary of groundwater level and analytical data results. Recommendations for 2019 Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program plan based on 2018 and historic results are also presented in this report.

Purpose of Field-Edge Groundwater Sampling

It is estimated that agriculture contributes \$104.8-billion annually to Wisconsin's economy. Growers in Wisconsin use millions of pounds of pesticides and millions of tons of fertilizers annually to grow a wide variety of crops. DATCP's Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program is one form of monitoring the agency performs to meet its statutory obligation to protect groundwater quality. Wisconsin's groundwater law, chapter 160, Wis. Stats., requires agencies to sample and monitor groundwater for substances related to facilities, activities and practices under their jurisdiction, that have a reasonable probability of entering the groundwater resources of the state, and to determine whether preventive action limits (PAL) or enforcement standards (ES) have been exceeded at points of standard application. The statute further specifies that agencies develop monitoring plans that include provisions for conducting four types of monitoring: problem assessment, regulatory, at-risk and management practice monitoring (§160.27; §160.05).

The purpose of the Field-Edge Groundwater Sampling Program (Program) is to evaluate agricultural practices and chemical uses on groundwater quality. Water level measurements and groundwater sample analysis are used to measure affects from agrichemical use within and adjacent to agricultural fields. Both localized and regional influences to the aquifers over time can be measured at each field-edge sampling site. Historic and current goals of the Program include the following:

- To provide an early warning system to detect new agrichemical compounds in groundwater before they cause widespread contamination in the aquifer;
- To identify and measure which pesticides that have a potential to migrate to groundwater and exceed groundwater quality standards;
- To determine which soil, geological and pesticide use settings are most vulnerable to being affected by agrichemicals;
- To gather and compile data on pesticide occurrences in groundwater so that health based groundwater quality standards can be established;
- To study the dissipation of atrazine and aldicarb in groundwater after prohibition areas are established and use is restricted;
- To gather and compile long-term data on nitrate contamination in groundwater and its relationship to application practices;
- To evaluate the effectiveness of nutrient management planning in protecting groundwater quality; and
- To evaluate groundwater quality relative to various land uses and related pesticide use (tree nurseries, infiltration basins, golf courses).

Approach of Program

The Program's groundwater monitoring well network consists of wells installed at 24 strategic locations and at different depths (nested wells) around the state. DATCP and the property owner typically have access agreements which allow DATCP to install wells and piezometers to test shallow groundwater for agricultural chemicals. Typically, a monitoring nest is constructed at the edge of agricultural fields and are placed to avoid interference from any septic systems. Over time, monitoring well nests have been installed in a variety of geologic settings, often in areas prone to groundwater contamination, such as areas with sandy soil, shallow depths to bedrock, or shallow groundwater. Nested well locations typically have one to five groundwater monitoring wells or piezometers installed. Sites having a nest of multiple groundwater monitoring wells and piezometers have one of them screened across the shallow water table, with the others screened across (slightly) deeper intervals. [Table 1 in Appendix A](#) provides the construction specifications associated with the Program's groundwater monitoring wells and piezometers. [Figure 1 in Appendix B](#) depicts the Program's monitoring locations relative to State of Wisconsin and county boundaries.

Program data collection and documentation are completed in accordance with established protocols and guidance. Water level measurements and sample collection procedures are designed to collect reliable data in an unbiased fashion so that localized conditions and regional impacts to aquifers can be evaluated. Water level measurements are recorded and laboratory results are retained in a database maintained by DATCP.

Water level measurements and groundwater samples are collected in accordance with standard operating procedures. After unlocking the protective casing, removing the well cap, and allowing time for potential internal well pressurization to equilibrate, depth to water is measured and recorded at each well. Each well is then properly purged to remove a minimum of four well volumes. Samples are collected with either equipment dedicated to the well, or with equipment that is decontaminated prior to use. Water removal is performed either by using dedicated bailers and rope, peristaltic pumps (low flow) with dedicated tubing, or variable-speed submersible pumps (whale pumps) with dedicated tubing. Purge and cleaning water is disposed of on the nearby ground surface. Field information is recorded in log books maintained by ACM staff.

Groundwater samples are collected by the same means as purging. Samples are collected by filling a 1-liter amber glass bottle provided by BLS. Bottles are then placed in a cooler on ice along with a properly completed chain-of-custody record and hand-delivered to BLS within 48 hours. During the 2018 Program, there were no shipping issues or bottle breakage.

BLS performed all groundwater analytical testing using GC/MS/MS and LC/MS/MS methods in accordance with ISO 17025 accreditation standards. All samples were tested for 100 pesticide analytes as well as nitrate and nitrite (reported as total nitrogen). Pesticide analytes are listed in [Table 2 of Appendix A](#) along with corresponding reporting limits. A summary of the 2018 program analytical data is provided as [Table 3 in Appendix A](#). Individual monitoring well or piezometer analytical reports are available upon request.

DATCP provides annual Program findings for each site to the respective property owner/Grower. The summary letters provide the year's water level data and analytical results. There is some discussions regarding data trends over time for comparative purposes. As part of the letter, Growers are asked to reply with information regarding crops grown, pesticide use and the amount of nitrogen applied to the fields where the monitoring nests are adjacent to.

Assets and Infrastructure of Program

The current Program assets are comprised of 75 groundwater monitoring wells (water table observation wells and piezometers) at 24 locations around the state, and associated sampling equipment. [Table 1 in Appendix A](#) provides the construction specifications associated with the Program's groundwater monitoring wells and piezometers. [Figure 1 in Appendix B](#) depicts the Program's monitoring location sites relative to State of Wisconsin and county boundaries. Construction logs (and abandonment forms) associated with the groundwater monitoring wells and piezometers are available upon request.

1985-1989 ORIGINAL MONITORING WELLS AND PIEZOMETERS

The DATCP Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program began in 1985. Originally, arrangements with Growers and land owners at 50 sites were established in areas highly susceptible to groundwater contamination (coarse soil over sand, shallow to groundwater and/or irrigated agricultural areas). Groundwater monitoring nests of three to four wells and/or piezometers screened across varying depths within the shallow aquifer were constructed adjacent to agricultural fields in the central sands region, Lower Wisconsin River Valley, and other sandy soil areas of the state. The original Field-Edge Study was designed so the uppermost groundwater in the shallow aquifer would be sampled and tested for agrichemicals and fertilizer to evaluate potential impacts from agricultural practices from adjacent fields. Data from the Program's initial years led to the establishment of statewide pesticide management plans for both atrazine and aldicarb.

Over the years, many of the Program's original monitoring wells and piezometers were abandoned due to changes in land ownership, urban encroachment, and/or damage. Of the original 50 sites, 16 sites still exist and were included in the 2018 monitoring program.

2005 MONITORING PROGRAM EXPANSION

In the fall of 2005, the DATCP expanded its groundwater monitoring network with funding from a United States (US) Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) grant. Monitoring wells and piezometers were constructed at six new sites selected from a subset of sites associated with a different DATCP groundwater monitoring study; the Evaluation of Renewed Use of Atrazine in Atrazine Prohibition Areas, also known as the Atrazine Reuse Study. The purpose of the Atrazine Reuse Study was to gather information to aid the department in determining if it should consider repealing atrazine prohibition areas. The study was completed in 2005. These six sites were selected based on nearby agricultural practices and groundwater quality susceptible based on the shallow geology composition.

Two groundwater monitoring wells were constructed hydraulically downgradient along the agricultural field edges at these six new sites. Through the Atrazine Reuse Study, groundwater flow direction was known at these sites. All six of these sites were included in the 2018 monitoring program.

2010 UNIVERSITY WISCONSIN - OSHKOSH MONITORING WELLS

In the spring of 2010, the DATCP became aware of a UW-Oshkosh graduate student and Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey study that included shallow bedrock monitoring wells constructed in a karst geological setting. The monitoring locations were in Brown, Calumet, Kewaunee and Manitowoc counties along the edge of agricultural fields. Additionally, the study team had a good understanding of the bedrock fracture locations within each well. Groundwater samples were collected and tested as part of this Program from 2010 to 2014. The study was completed and the bedrock monitoring wells were subsequently abandoned in 2014.

2011 MONITORING PROGRAM EXPANSION

In the summer and fall of 2011, the DATCP expanded its groundwater monitoring network again with additional funding from a US EPA grant. Monitoring wells were constructed at two new sites on an elevated terrace surface adjacent to the Mississippi River in La Crosse and Trempealeau Counties. Because the groundwater flow direction was known at each site, DATCP was able to install two groundwater monitoring wells hydraulically downgradient along the agricultural field edge. These two sites were included in the 2018 monitoring program.

2017 MONITORING PROGRAM EXPANSION

In the summer and fall of 2017, the DATCP expanded its groundwater monitoring network again with additional funding from a US EPA grant. Piezometers were constructed at three existing sites (two sites in Adams County and one in Portage County) and at one new site, the Hancock Agricultural Research Station (HARS). At each of these sites, two piezometers were installed near the existing groundwater monitoring nest with five-foot screens located at depths greater than 50 feet and 80 feet. The purpose was to evaluate groundwater quality relative to agrichemicals at deeper aquifer intervals and compare data to shallower aquifer depths. A water

table observations well (screen placed to intersect the water table) was also constructed at HARS. The new site at HARS and additional piezometers at the Adams and Portage County sites were included in the 2018 monitoring program.

2018 Results

A total of 150 groundwater level measurements and 112 groundwater samples were collected and submitted for chemical analysis as a part of DATCP's 2018 Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program. [Table 3 in Appendix A](#) summarizes 2018 Program analytical results and provides comparative risk values. The analytical data is compared to groundwater/drinking water standards to assess potential risk to human health and the environment. The risk values are sourced from the Wisconsin Administrative Code (WAC) Chapter NR 140 for groundwater qualitative health standard limits.

Key findings for 2018 are summarized below. A detailed narrative of these findings follows.

- Of the 23 sites where field pesticide- and fertilizer-use information was requested from Growers, 13 responses were received.
- Water level measurements identified higher than normal water table elevations, especially during the fall sampling event. This is likely indicative of the greater than average precipitation volume received over the southern half of the state.
- Of the 100 pesticide analytes included in the laboratory testing methods, 31 pesticides were detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in the groundwater samples. This is a typical number compared to past years.
- Pesticides detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in 2018 samples include 12 herbicides, 13 herbicide metabolites, five insecticides, and one fungicide.
- It appears that pesticides were detected at slightly greater concentrations during the spring sampling event compared to fall results.
- For the most part, analytical data is indicating greatest concentrations are present at deeper depths in the aquifer. This likely indicates the groundwater baseline flow conditions.
- Metolachlor ethanesulfonic acid (ESA) was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in nearly 94% of all samples collected, the most of any pesticide. This is an increase in the frequency of detections compared to past years. Additionally, metolachlor ESA was detected at each groundwater monitoring site.
- Alachlor ESA was the second most frequently detected compound. It was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in 66% of the samples collected and at 19 of the 24 groundwater monitoring sites. This is an increase in the frequency of detections compared to past years.
- Atrazine concentrations or one of its breakdown products (de-ethyl atrazine, de-isopropyl atrazine and di-amino atrazine) was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in nearly 49% of the samples collected. This is an increase in detection frequency compared to past years.
- Neonicotinoid compounds clothianidin, imidacloprid and thiamethoxam were detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in 47%, 42% and 37%, respectively, of the samples. This is an increase in detection frequency compared to past years.
- There were no WAC Ch. NR 140 ES exceedances for established drinking water and groundwater quality health standards/advisory levels. Note; only 28 of the 100 pesticides tested for have established drinking water and groundwater quality health standards/advisory levels. However, there were exceedances of WAC Ch. NR 140 PAL for alachlor ESA, atrazine and total chlorinated residue (TCR) of atrazine.

- The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) recently proposed groundwater standards for several pesticides as part of the WAC Ch. NR 140 Cycle 10 recommendations (June 2019). Concentrations of imidacloprid were detected in groundwater samples collected from 33% of the sites in excess of the proposed ES of 0.2 micrograms per liter ($\mu\text{g/L}$) or parts per billion (ppb).
- A monitoring well at the DN1 site (DN1-1) was properly abandoned in December 2018. It appears a vehicle veered off the road and ran into DN1-1 compromising the integrity of the protective casing. Monitoring well DN1-2 also received some minor damage but was determined to be competent for continued use.

GROWER RESPONSES

DATCP obtained limited information regarding 2018 crops grown, pesticide use and the amount of nitrogen applied to the fields adjacent to the monitoring nests. A request for this information was included with each summary letter sent to nearby property owners and Growers. DATCP received replies for 13 of the 23 sites. (Information was not requested from HARS, site WS7.). [Table 4 in Appendix A](#) summarizes the information provided by the growers along with available information from the previous two years. The following is a summary of the crops grown during 2018 and nitrogen use data.

Crop	Number of Sites with Crop	Percent of Sites	Range of Nitrogen Applied (lbs/acre)
Carrots	1	7.7%	254.1
Snap Beans	2	15.4%	77.0 - 89.0
Soybeans	3	23.1%	0.0 - 14.0
Corn (grain, silage)	4	30.8%	66.2 - 705.7
Seed Corn	1	7.7%	164 - 256.0
Sweet Corn	2	15.4%	228.6

Irrigation infrastructure is constructed at 18 of the 24 monitoring sites. Of the 18 sites with irrigation available, 11 sites provided water usage data for 2018. As provided by the Growers, the range of water irrigated on the fields in 2018 was 12.76 to 2.5 inches per acre, with an average of 5.5 inches.

Growers were also asked if they have state-approved Nutrient Management Plans for the adjacent fields. Of the 13 respondents, only five indicated they have approved plans.

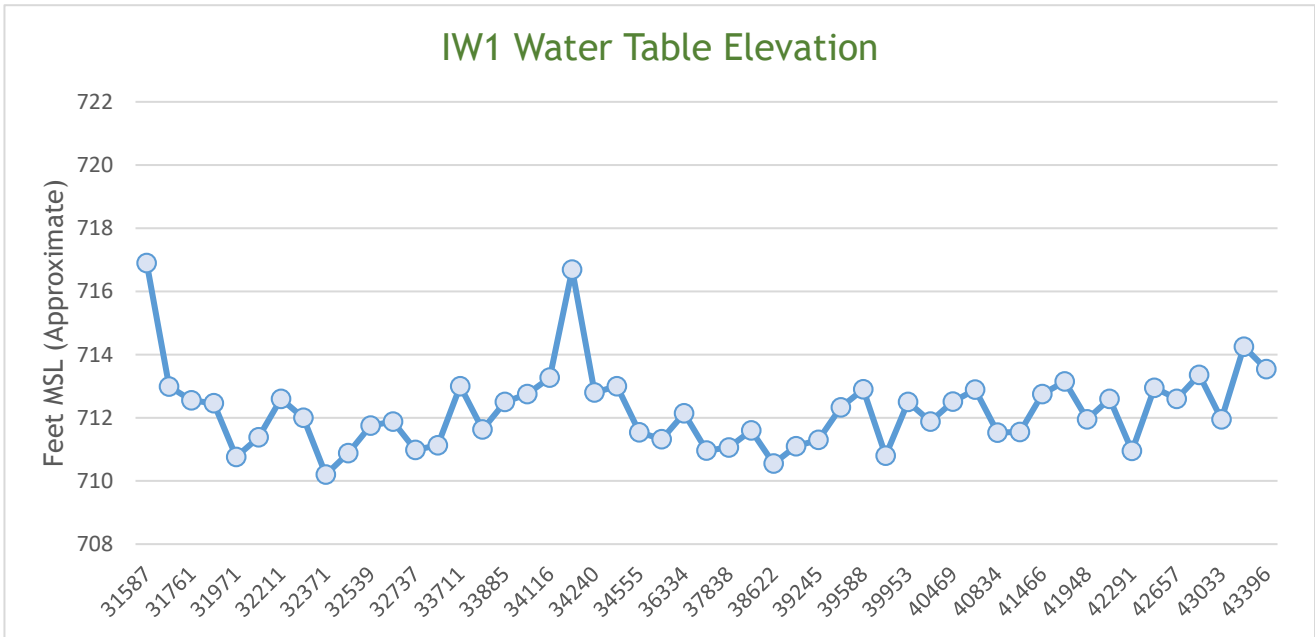
As reported by the Growers, the type of pesticides used was a wide variety. Glyphosate was the most widely used active ingredient pesticide followed by metolachlor. Atrazine was also identified as being used at several sites; none of which was used in an atrazine prohibition area. [Table 4 in Appendix A](#) identifies the complete list of pesticides used in 2018 as reported by the Growers.

WATER LEVEL MEASUREMENTS

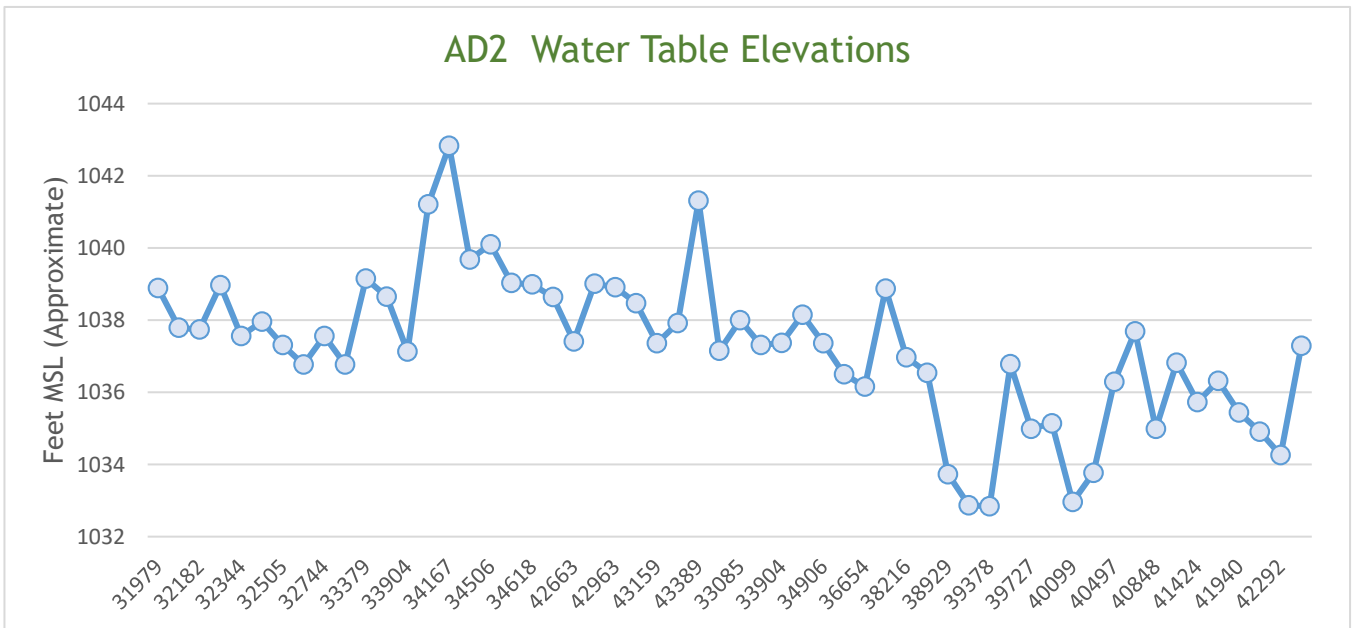
Water level measurements are recorded for each well prior to samples being collected for chemical analysis. Water level data is then transferred to a DATCP database for future evaluation of historic trends. Water level data for 2018 was measured in the spring (February, May and/or June) and fall (October or November). Overall, water level measurements indicate higher water table conditions, in particular for the southern half of the state during the fall sampling event. Higher water table conditions correlate well with above normal precipitation for the southern half of the state during this period. Water level measurements for sites within the northern half of the state reflect a stable elevation graph.

The following three graphs provide typical examples observed for water level fluctuations over time in the monitoring program. Graphs showing water level measurements over time for any of the other sites or wells not provided are available upon request.

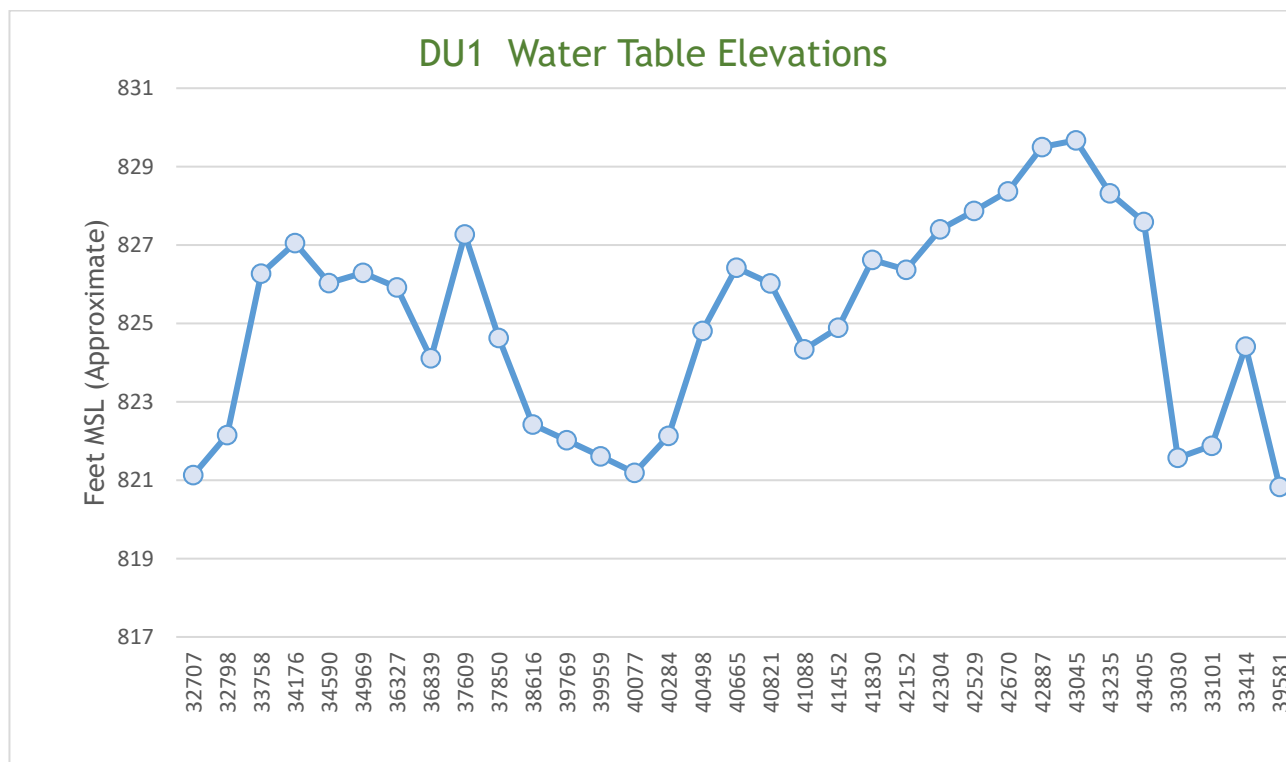
Water levels for an Iowa County site indicating 2018 data with a slight increase over previous years. The overall trend indicates a stable to slightly increasing trend over the past 20 years.



Water levels for an Adams County site indicating 2018 data with an increase over previous years, in particular for fall 2018. The overall trend appears to be much more variable with a slight increase over the past 15 years.



Water levels for a Dunn County site indicating 2018 data with a slight decrease compared to previous year. However, 2018 levels still reflect a higher water level relative to historical data.



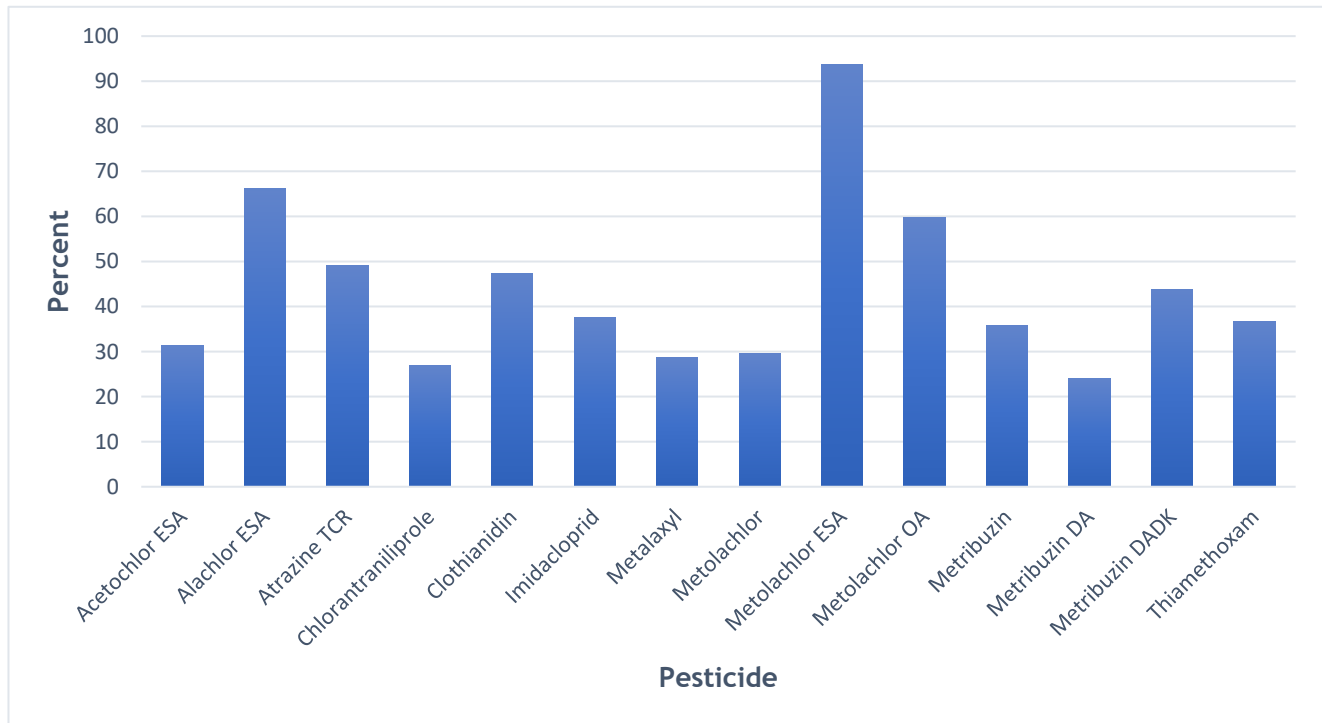
DATCP plans to complete additional interpretation of groundwater elevation data for each individual monitoring site as part of a detailed study. Historical water level monitoring data will be evaluated for each site and results will be documented in a separate report prepared for each site (*Historical Field-Edge Site Data Analysis*). This evaluation will include a comparison of water level trends to precipitation records. These reports will be completed over a three year period with the first group available in the spring of 2020.

PESTICIDE DETECTED FREQUENCY

Of the 100 analytes tested for in DATCP’s 2018 Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program, only 31 analytes were detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits (69 analytes were not detected). This is a similar number of detected compounds compared to prior years. During the 2018 fall and spring sampling events, every groundwater sample contained a measureable concentration in excess of laboratory reporting limits of a pesticide or nitrogen. This is also similar when compared to analytical data from prior years.

Metolachlor ESA was the most frequently detected analyte in excessive of reporting limits. It is a breakdown product of metolachlor, which is an active ingredient in corn herbicides such as Dual, Halex GT, Lumax and many others. Metolachlor ESA was detected at all 24 sites and in nearly 94% of all samples collected. This is an increase in the frequency of detections compared to prior years. Alachlor ESA was the second most frequently detected compound. It was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits at 19 of the sites, in 66% of the samples collected. This also is an increase in the frequency of detections compared to prior years. [Table 5](#) depicts the pesticide analytes detected at a concentration greater than the laboratory reporting limit at a frequency greater than 20%.

Table 5: Percentage of 2018 Samples with Detectable Pesticide Concentrations (only showing analytes detected greater in more than 20%)



Notes: Atrazine TCR is total chlorinated residues of atrazine; includes the sum of atrazine plus its metabolites de-ethyl atrazine, de-isopropyl atrazine, and di-amino atrazine

Metolachlor ESA is also the most widely reported pesticide metabolite observed in drinking water wells according to the 2016 Statewide Survey (32% of all wells), which is followed by alachlor ESA (21.5% of all wells).

COMPARISON TO STANDARDS

Pesticide concentrations identified during DATCP’s 2018 Program were compared to WAC Ch. NR 140 Drinking Water and Groundwater Quality Health Standards/Advisory Levels. [Table 3 in Appendix A](#) provides the standard alongside the range of the detected pesticide analyte concentrations observed during the 2018 Program. There were no WAC Ch. NR 140 ES exceedances.

It should be noted that WAC Ch. NR 140 also includes PAL’s, which is a groundwater quality standard that is either 5 or 10 times less than the respective ES for that compound. NR140 PAL’s serve as indicators of potential contamination problems. [Table 3 in Appendix A](#) identifies the pesticides and metabolite exceedances for NR 140 PAL standards. As shown in Table 3, alachlor ESA, atrazine and atrazine TCR (total chlorinated residues, which are the sum of atrazine plus its metabolites de-ethyl atrazine, de-isopropyl atrazine, and di-amino atrazine) were detected in excess of the NR 140 PAL standards.

As noted in [Table 3 in Appendix A](#), several pesticides and their metabolites have no WAC Ch. NR 140 ES or PAL established at this time (71 out of 100). A review of all 2018 data shows that 31 different pesticides were detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits; 16 of the 31 analytes have no established standard. Of the 16 analytes with no established standard, five have proposed standards as part of DNR’s Cycle 10 Recommendation (June 2019), and five are metabolites for either alachlor, dimethenamid, or metribuzin. The six analytes that have no standard (established or proposed) or are not a metabolite are listed in [Table 6](#).

Table 6: Detected Compounds that have No Established or Proposed WAC ch. NR 140 Standard

Analyte	Sites with Detects (out of 24)	Number of Detects (out of 112)	% of Samples Detected	Concentration Range (in µg/L)
Chlorantraniliprole	11	30	26.8	0.0665 - 2.03
Flumetsulam	4	10	8.9	0.577 - 0.635
Fomesafen	1	1	0.9	0.196
Imazethapyr	1	1	0.9	0.185
Metalaxyl	9	32	28.6	0.0631 - 4.06
Saflufenacil	2	2	1.8	0.0778 - 0.148

All of the analytes listed in Table 6, except for imazethapyr, have been forward by DATCP to DHS for consideration of inclusion in Cycle 11 evaluations.

Comparisons of detected pesticide and their metabolite concentrations to published groundwater quality standards are based on exposure to a single compound. These comparisons do not fully evaluate the risk to human health when two or more compounds are present. Currently, there are no calculations to predict potential risk when multiple compounds are present. Because the current approach does not account for potential cumulative risk, potential toxicity may be underestimated.

OTHER NOTABLE OBSERVATIONS

Neonicotinoids:

Interest in the neonicotinoid class of insecticides has increased greatly in recent years due to concerns over possible effects on pollinators. DATCP began testing for these compounds in 2008 with thiamethoxam. BLS now analyzes for six neonicotinoid compounds. Three of these compounds, clothianidin, imidacloprid and thiamethoxam (CIT) were detected in at least 50% of all field-edge groundwater samples collected in 2018. The other three neonicotinoid compounds; acetamiprid, dinotefuran and thiacloprid; were not detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in any groundwater samples. The presence of the three CIT compounds in groundwater is not unexpected because these compounds are known to readily leach in sandy soils, and they are used in many insecticide products. CIT compounds are labeled for use on most crops grown in the state including corn, soybeans, potatoes, many other vegetables, as well as fruit crops, and most small grains.

It is apparent that the CIT compounds are becoming more prevalent in groundwater over time, but not necessarily increasing in concentrations. Since testing for neonicotinoid compounds began, thiamethoxam and imidacloprid have been detected in field-edge samples, primarily at monitoring sites located within the Central Sands Agricultural Region and Lower Wisconsin River Valley. (DATCP's Historical *Field-Edge Site Data Analysis Report* will further evaluate historical trends and observations.) One observation regarding the 2018 data suggests that the imidacloprid and thiamethoxam is likely part of the aquifer's baseline flow within the Central Sands, and not just associated with seasonal fluctuations. Greatest concentrations are being detected in the deeper screened wells (AD2-5, AD5-5 and WS7-3) compared to shallower aquifer groundwater samples, and detected in nearby surface water samples (see DATCP's 2018 *Surface Water Sampling Report*).

None of the CIT compounds have an established WAC Ch NR 140 ES or PAL groundwater quality standard. However, DHS has proposed standards for the CIT compounds under the Cycle 10 Recommendation (June 2019). Clothianidin and thiamethoxam were detected less than the proposed standards in all 2018 and historic field-edge samples. However, 33% of the sites with imidacloprid detections were at concentrations in excess of the proposed 0.2 µg/L ES. These sites are located in the Central Sands Agricultural Region and Lower Wisconsin River Valley (Adams, Iowa, Sauk and Waushara Counties). Proposed PAL exceedances were also identified within these same counties and at sites within Juneau and Portage Counties. The imidacloprid data relative to each monitoring location is presented in [Table 7 in Appendix A](#).

Lower Wisconsin River Valley sites IW1 and IW2 in Iowa County are within 0.25 miles of each other. Based on the locations relative to the Wisconsin River, it is likely that IW1 is hydraulically downgradient from IW2. The following observations were made following an evaluation of imidacloprid concentrations at both locations and at depth.

- When comparing shallow well results for both sites, data indicate greater imidacloprid concentrations are identified in groundwater at the downgradient monitoring nest (site IW1). (Imidacloprid concentrations were not detected in excess of laboratory limits in samples collected from shallow upgradient well IW2-1). Additionally, the greatest concentration of imidacloprid (0.2 µg/L) was detected during the spring sampling event. These results would indicate that imidacloprid was applied to fields between the well nests. The Grower has reported that imidacloprid was not applied to either field during the 2018 season, but it was applied on the field between the two groundwater monitoring well nests in 2016 when potatoes were grown.
- Inspection of groundwater sample results for deeper wells at both sites shows that imidacloprid concentrations were statistically within close proximity of each other (range from 0.2 to 0.214 µg/L). This likely represents an aquifer baseline flow condition.

Additional interpretation of imidacloprid use and mobility in groundwater over multiple years is needed to validate these observations. Results from DATCP's Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program should be compared to nearby Surface Water Sampling Program results data to further evaluate mobility, persistence, and discharge to surface water. This evaluation will be included as part of DATCP's detailed comprehensive report; *Historical Field-Edge Site Data Analysis Report*.

Alachlor:

As noted previously, alachlor ESA was the second most frequently detected compound in excess of laboratory reporting limits at 19 of the sites and 66% of the groundwater samples. This is an increase in the frequency of detections compared to past years. Alachlor ESA is a breakdown product of alachlor, an active ingredient of Lasso or Temic. Alachlor production ceased in December 2014 with field application no longer allowable in Wisconsin after August 2018. The alachlor ESA data relative to each monitoring location is presented in [Table 8 in Appendix A](#). In the 2018 groundwater sampling program, there were no detectable concentrations in excess of laboratory reporting limits for the parent alachlor analyte. However, alachlor ESA is still widely detected in surface water and groundwater samples collected throughout the state. It is expected that these metabolite concentrations will decline over time since the parent compound can no longer be field applied.

Alachlor ESA concentrations ranged from 0.0652 to 9.38 µg/L. Groundwater samples collected from deeper wells AD5-5 and WS7-3 during the spring and fall events exhibited concentrations in excess of the WAC ch. NR 140 PAL of 4.0 µg/L. However, no PAL exceedances were observed in samples collected from shallower depths at these sites. This likely indicates that the groundwater baseline flow within the aquifer is affected by alachlor ESA at concentrations in excess of the PAL, but the nearby fields are currently not the source of the contaminants. Additional interpretation of pesticide data from multiple years is needed to validate these observations.

Atrazine:

There are currently 101 atrazine Prohibition Areas (PAs) covering approximately 1.2 million acres within Wisconsin. It is illegal to apply any pesticide containing the active ingredient atrazine within an atrazine PA. In non-PAs, atrazine use is restricted but not prohibited. Because the PAs have been in place for over ten years, it is anticipated that atrazine and its metabolite concentrations in groundwater would be limited, or not present at all. Of the 24 field-edge sites in the Program, 11 are located within a PA.

Atrazine concentrations or one of its breakdown products (de-ethyl atrazine, de-isopropyl atrazine and di-amino atrazine) were detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in nearly 49% of the samples collected. This is an increase in detection frequency compared to past years. None of the detected concentrations exceeded the WAC Ch. NR 140 ES of 3.0 µg/L. However, detected concentrations in eight of the 24 sites were in excess of the WAC Ch. NR 140 PAL of 0.3 µg/L. Of those eight sites, four are located in PAs; Iowa (IW1-7,

during the spring sampling event), St. Croix (SC1-1, spring and fall sampling events), Waupaca (WP2-1, spring and fall sampling events), and Waushara (WS6-1, during the spring sampling event) counties. (Interestingly, none of these four have detected the parent atrazine analyte in excess of laboratory reporting limits.) The atrazine and metabolite data relative to each monitoring location is presented in [Table 9 in Appendix A](#).

The parent compound atrazine was detected in excess of the laboratory reporting limit (0.05 µg/L) in groundwater samples collected from only Adams (AD2, AD4 and AD5) and Waushara (WS7) counties. Atrazine was not detected in excess of reporting limits in samples collected from shallow wells at these sites. However, groundwater samples collected from these same monitoring well nests but at deeper depths within the aquifer contained greater parent compound concentrations. This may be an indication that atrazine concentrations reflect an aquifer baseline flow condition.

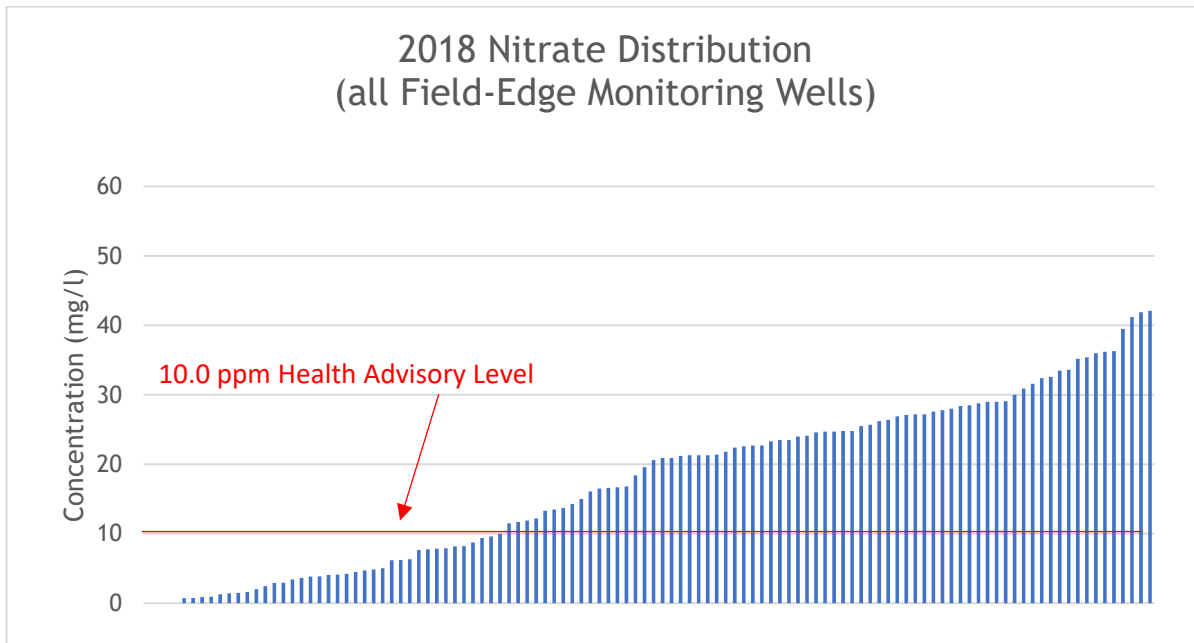
Atrazine TCR is the sum of atrazine plus its metabolites de-ethyl atrazine, de-isopropyl atrazine, and di-amino atrazine. At all sites, metabolite concentrations were greater than the parent atrazine concentrations. As observed for parent atrazine concentration, no atrazine TCR was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in groundwater samples collected from the shallow aquifer wells. However, it was detected in samples collected from adjacent deeper wells. These results indicate that atrazine degrades as it migrates vertically within the aquifer, and that metabolites also remains in groundwater for an extended period of time following field applications.

Based on atrazine TCR concentrations observed across the aquifer depth, it is also possible that atrazine is applied at nearby agricultural fields at rates that are not affecting shallow groundwater quality. A trend analysis would be needed to be completed for all historical groundwater data to determine if the atrazine TCR concentrations are decreasing within PAs as intended. This analysis will be performed for DATCP's *Historical Field-Edge Site Data Analysis Report*.

Total Nitrogen:

DATCP's Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program focuses on agrichemical impacts to groundwater quality. In addition to pesticides, BLS includes nitrate and nitrite analyses. Total nitrogen (as nitrate and nitrite) impacts are the responsibility of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR). However, BLS include nitrate and nitrite analyses as part of this program, and that data is shared with DNR.

Total nitrogen was detected in excess of laboratory reporting limits in 108 of the 112 field edge groundwater samples collected in DATCP's 2018 Program. The average groundwater total nitrogen concentration for all wells sampled in the 2018 Program was calculated to be 17.72 milligram per liter (mg/l or parts per million [ppm]). This is a decrease from last year (17.9 ppm). The following graph depicts the nitrogen concentration distribution.



Of the 112 groundwater samples, 73 exceeded the 10 mg/L ES for total nitrogen, and 27 samples detected total nitrogen concentrations in between the 2.0 mg/l PAL and ES. The greatest concentration (42.1 mg/l) was detected in a sample collected during the fall from a site in Waushara County (WS7-3). Total nitrogen was also detected at a similar concentration (41.9 mg/l) in the spring sample collected from that same well. Sites with total nitrogen less than the ES were limited to Barron, Jackson, and Waupaca Counties. The total nitrogen data relative to each monitoring location is summarized in [Table 10 in Appendix A](#).

Total nitrogen concentrations were also compared to samples collected from nested wells screened at different depths at each site and seasonally. Overall, it appears greater total nitrogen concentrations are present at depth compared to shallow aquifer samples, and little to no fluctuation was observed between spring and fall samples. These results indicate that the total nitrogen migrates vertically from nearby field applications (which may also include applications at other upgradient fields) to deeper portions of the aquifer. Lower concentrations at shallow depths indicate that total nitrogen concentrations may decline in response to dilution from recharge, but it is persistent in the deeper aquifer. Evaluation of nitrogen data from multiple years is needed to validate these observations.

2019 Program Goals and Objectives

The Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program mission is to monitor groundwater quality at strategic geographic locations within a watershed to characterize agrichemical movements and act as an early warning signal for nearby drinking water wells. The program will continue in 2019. Program goals for 2019 are as follows.

- Collaborate with BLS and develop a 2019 Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program Sampling Plan.
- Conduct a groundwater sampling event in the spring and fall from the Program’s groundwater monitoring network. All results will be incorporated into DATCP’s database.
- Document annual activities completed and summarize results for each site in letter sent to each grower.
- Document the annual activities completed and summarize results in a 2019 Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program Summary Report.

2019 data will be added to the existing database to ensure that long-term water level and groundwater monitoring data can be used to identify trends in groundwater quality over time. Long-term groundwater quality trends may be used to further evaluate the effectiveness of atrazine PAs. Long-term groundwater data will also be compared to surface water data from within the watershed to identify potential relationships between surface water and groundwater quality. This evaluation may also be used to evaluate seasonal surface water flow variations and baseline flow groundwater discharge to surface water.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

In 2019, additional effort and focus beyond typical annual activities will include the following:

- In addition to testing for standard pesticide analyte list and nitrate testing, a limited number of sample will also be tested for glyphosate in the spring and fall;
- Initiate a three-year program to prepare comprehensive summary reports for each current field edge monitoring site, *Historical Field-Edge Site Data Analysis*; and
- Develop and implement a program outreach and branding plan.

These activities were proposed in the 2019 Field-Edge Monitoring Work Plan and are further described below.

New in 2019, ten groundwater samples collected during the spring and ten groundwater samples collected during the fall will be analyzed for glyphosate. Glyphosate (i.e. Roundup) is the most used active pesticide ingredient on fields planted with corn. Glyphosate is not currently on the BLS analyte list. BLS has developed a method to analyze for glyphosate, and will pilot test this method to evaluate adding glyphosate to the BLS analyte list. The 2019 Sampling Plan will identify which locations are to be sampled in the spring and fall for glyphosate based on historic crop use.

DATCP intends to complete a comprehensive summary report entitled, *Historical Field-Edge Site Data Analysis*, for each of the current monitoring sites between 2019 and 2021. Data collection at current field edge sites has spanned as little as two years to more than 30 years. Though site-specific data has been compiled since the Field Edge monitoring program began, an overall comprehensive report summarizing the findings, conclusions, and recommendations has not been prepared. The report's objective would be to document groundwater quality and trends relative to land-use and agrichemical applications. Information to be compiled includes the following:

- Grower agreements, if completed;
- Site location/maps;
- Property ownerships/project contacts;
- Geology/hydrogeology and soil types;
- Well construction documentation;
- Private drinking water wells in the area;
- Cropping history for the adjacent field and surrounding area, if available;
- Growing season (rainfall) history;
- Water level trends and anticipated groundwater flow direction;
- Pesticide and fertilizer use history;
- Agrichemical concentration trends in groundwater over time;
- Data gaps and shortcomings; and
- Conclusions and recommendations.

The proposed schedule is to complete eight reports a year for 2019, 2020, and 2021. Each report would then be updated every three years. Additionally, a master spreadsheet will be developed in 2019 and updated annually to provide a “snapshot” of Program’s data for each of the 24 existing monitoring sites. The plan is to have the first reports completed late in 2019.

Findings and conclusions for the Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program are not widely known to potential stakeholders (i.e. private citizens, and other State Agencies). There are significant findings and conclusions from the data that could aid with discussion and program/regulatory direction. Two outreach deliverables are being proposed for this activity. The first would be the completion and showing of a PowerPoint presentation for internal audiences. The intent is to share with DATCP (BLS) and/or DNR staff the program work that is being completed and what their role is within the program. It would include some of the observations and conclusions associated with the annual and comprehensive reports. The second deliverable is a PowerPoint presentation intended for an outside audience (including US EPA Region 5 and headquarters of Pesticide and Water Programs), and a short memo listing potential presentation opportunities. The presentation would be more technically based and intended for a science-based audience. The potential conference and/or professional organization events would be scheduled for 2020 and 2021. Approval of the presentation content and intended conferences or organizations will be a part of this action.

APPENDIX A

Report Tables

Table 1
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
Monitoring Wells and Piezometers Construction Specifications

County	Site (Grower)	Well Identification	WUWN	Year Constructed	Prohibition Area	Irrigation Available	Ground Elevation (MSL)	TPVC Elevation (MSL)	Well Depth (ft)	Bottom of Well (MSL)	Screen Length (ft)	Top of Screen (ft)	Sampling Method
Adams	AD2	AD2-1	BH954	1987	No	Yes	1,051.7	1,053.96	17.87	1,036.09	5	1,053.96	Peristolic Pump
		AD2-2	BH953	1987				1,054.14	22.83	1,031.31	5	1,054.14	
		AD2-3	BH952	1987				1,054.17	27.62	1,026.55	5	1,054.17	
		AD2-4	VR844	2017				1,054.44	54.70	999.74	5	1,054.44	
		AD2-5	VR845	2017				1,054.35	85.70	968.65	5	1,054.35	
	AD3	AD3-1	BH999	1987	No	Yes	1,008.0	1,010.48	14.93	995.55	5	1,010.48	Peristolic Pump
		AD3-2	BI000	1987				1,010.34	19.64	990.70	5	1,010.34	
		AD3-3	BI001	1987				1,010.44	24.69	985.75	5	1,010.44	
	AD4	AD4-1 ¹	BH956	1987	No	Yes	1,013.9	1,017.38	24.71	992.67	5	1,017.38	Dedicated Bailer
		AD4-2	BH997	1987				1,017.26	29.69	987.57	5	1,017.26	
		AD4-3	BH998	1987				1,016.56	34.57	981.99	5	1,016.56	
	AD5	AD5-1	CL461	1988	No	Yes	1,051.1	1,053.18	15.24	1,037.94	5	1,053.18	Peristolic Pump
		AD5-2	CL455	1988				1,053.31	19.91	1,033.40	5	1,053.31	
		AD5-3	CL456	1988				1,053.27	25.23	1,028.04	5	1,053.27	
		AD5-4	VR846	2017				1,053.63	53.20	1,000.43	5	1,053.63	Whale Pump and Dedicated Tubing
AD5-5		VR847	2017	1,053.68				85.70	967.98	5	1,053.68		
Barron	BR3	BR3-1	BR279	1987	No	Yes	1,052.7	1,055.79	15.03	1,040.76	5	1,055.79	Peristolic Pump
		BR3-2	BR280	1987				1,055.37	20.02	1,035.35	5	1,055.37	
		BR3-3	BR281	1987				1,054.93	25.02	1,029.91	5	1,054.93	
Dane	DN1	DN1-1 ²	BR250	1985	93-57-04	Yes	741.9	744.38	12.10	732.28	5	744.38	Peristolic Pump
		DN1-2	BR251	1985				744.22	17.40	726.82	5	744.22	
		DN1-3	BR252	1985				744.97	22.20	722.77	5	744.97	
Dunn	DU1	DU1-1	AO384	1989	No	Yes	852.5	853.92	34.90	819.02	5	853.92	Dedicated Bailer
		DU1-2	AO385	1989				854.87	40.80	814.07	5	854.87	
		DU1-3	AO386	1989				855.12	46.10	809.02	5	855.12	
	DU2	DU2-1	AO387	1989	No	Yes	856.2	858.05	26.70	831.35	5	858.05	Peristolic Pump
		DU2-2	AO388	1989				858.17	31.30	826.87	5	858.17	
		DU2-3	AO389	1989				858.48	36.60	821.88	5	858.48	
Grant	GR1	GR1-1	BR255	1985	93-57-04	No	683.8	686.32	12.50	673.82	5	686.32	Peristolic Pump
		GR1-2	BR256	1985				686.48	17.30	669.18	5	686.48	
		GR1-3	BR257	1985				686.12	21.60	664.52	5	686.12	
Iowa	IW1	IW1-1 ³	BH955	1986	93-57-04	Yes	724.7	744.38	12.10	732.28	5	744.38	Peristolic Pump
		IW1-2 ³	BH956	1986				744.22	17.40	726.82	5	744.22	
		IW1-3 ³	BH957	1986				744.97	22.20	722.77	5	744.97	
		IW1-4	BR259	1986				726.35	17.10	709.25	5	726.35	
		IW1-5	BR260	1986				726.47	21.30	705.17	5	726.47	
		IW1-6	BR261	1986				726.49	26.70	699.79	5	726.49	
		IW1-7	BH967	1987				726.60	61.99	664.61	5	726.60	
	IW2	IW2-1	BR036	1986	93-57-04	Yes	725.0	727.52	14.80	712.72	5	727.52	Peristolic Pump
		IW2-2	BR037	1986				727.42	19.70	707.72	5	727.42	
		IW2-3	BR038	1986				727.13	24.70	702.43	5	727.13	
Jackson	JK3	JK3-1	JH991	2005	94-27-04	No	1,025.3	1,028.06	27.33	1,000.73	10	1,028.06	Peristolic Pump
		JK3-2	JH981	2005				1,023.7	1,026.44	25.77	1,000.67	10	
Juneau	JN1	JN1-1	BR046	1985	No	Yes	939.7	941.26	11.70	929.56	5	941.26	Peristolic Pump
		JN1-2	BR047	1985				941.21	16.70	924.51	5	941.21	
		JN1-3	BR048	1985				941.34	21.50	919.84	5	941.34	
JN3	JN3-1	JH937	2005	94-29-01	No	901.5	903.84	20.42	883.42	10	903.84	Peristolic Pump	
	JN3-2	JH936	2005				902.0	18.14	887.06	10	902.0		
La Crosse	LC2	LC2-1	VZ391	2011	No	Yes	684.1	686.40	49.22	637.18	10	686.40	Dedicated Bailer
		LC2-2	VZ392	2011				687.8	681.91	43.98	637.93	10	
Langlade	LN1	LN1-1	BH964	1986	No	No	1,471.6	1,473.85	14.80	1,459.05	5	1,473.85	Peristolic Pump
		LN1-2	BH965	1986				1,474.44	19.70	1,454.74	5	1,474.44	
		LN1-3	BH966	1986				1,473.74	24.80	1,448.94	5	1,473.74	
Portage	PR1	PR1-1	BR207	1986	No	Yes	1,079.7	1,082.01	12.70	1,069.31	5	1,082.01	Peristolic Pump
		PR1-2	BR208	1988				1,081.94	17.60	1,064.34	5	1,081.94	
		PR1-3	BR209	1988				1,081.72	22.50	1,059.22	5	1,081.72	
		PR1-4	VR848	2017				1,082.83	55.30	1,027.53	5	1,082.83	Whale Pump and Dedicated Tubing
		PR1-5	VR849	2017				1,082.77	84.70	998.07	5	1,082.77	
St. Croix	SC1	SC1-1	JH938	2005	94-56-02	No	1,006.8	1,010.14	24.87	985.27	10	1,010.14	Peristolic Pump
		SC1-1(D)	VZ390	2011				1,009.16	30.10	979.06	10	1,009.16	
		SC1-2	JH939	2005			1,003.9	1,006.63	21.87	984.76	10	1,006.63	
		SC1-2(D)	VZ393	2011				1,006.40	30.17	976.23	10	1,006.40	
Sauk	SK6	SK6-1	BB246	1988	93-57-04	Yes	712.5	714.57	14.92	699.65	5	714.57	Peristolic Pump
		SK6-2	BB247	1988				714.84	20.04	694.80	5	714.84	
		SK6-3	BB248	1988				714.70	25.10	689.60	5	714.70	
Trempealeau	TR1	TR1-1	PX201	2005	No	Yes	730.4	733.29	75.55	657.74	10	733.29	Dedicated Bailer
		TR1-2	PX202	2005				731.1	733.83	75.20	658.63	10	
Waupaca	WP2	WP2-1	JH985	2005	94-69-01	No	908.4	911.03	20.45	890.58	10	911.03	Peristolic Pump
		WP2-2	JH984	2005				905.7	908.82	20.43	888.39	10	
Waushara	WS4	WS4-1	BB258	1988	93-70-01	Yes	1,082.4	1,084.97	17.13	1,067.84	5	1,084.97	Peristolic Pump
		WS4-2	BB259	1988				1,085.03	22.02	1,063.01	5	1,085.03	
		WS4-3	BB260	1988				1,084.98	27.16	1,057.82	5	1,084.98	
		WS4-4	BB261	1988				1,084.88	31.94	1,052.94	5	1,084.88	
	WS6	WS6-1	JH989	2005	93-70-01	Yes	1,076.8	1,080.90	18.27	1,062.63	10	1,080.90	Peristolic Pump
		WS6-2	JH990	2005				1,079.07	17.02	1,062.05	10	1,079.07	
	WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS7-1	VR841	2017	No	Yes	1,075.7	1,078.65	18.40	1,060.25	10	1,078.65	Peristolic Pump
WS7-2		VR842	2017	1,078.79				54.70	1,024.09	5	1,078.79		
WS7-3		VR843	2017	1,078.78				84.80	993.98	5	1,078.78		

Notes:
 1 Monitoring well was abandoned on May 30, 2019 because integrity of protective casing was compromised during spring 2019 sampling.
 2 Monitoring well was abandoned on December 13, 2018 because integrity of protective casing was compromised by a vehicle prior to fall 2018 sampling.
 3 Monitoring wells were abandoned June 11, 1993 because they were no longer needed for the monitoring program.




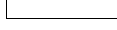

WUWN Wisconsin Unique Well Number
 MSL Mean sea level
 TPVC Top of well casing (PVC)
 Monitoring Well/Piezometer abandoned.
 Monitoring Well/Piezometer construction was financed by a 2017 U.S. EPA grant.
 Monitoring Well/Piezometer construction was financed by a 2011 U.S. EPA grant.
 Monitoring Well/Piezometer construction was financed by a 2005 U.S. EPA grant.
 Monitoring Wells/Piezometers associated with initial program activities and financed by State.

Table 2
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Sample Analytes and Applicable WAC ch. NR 140 ESs and PALs

Analyte	PAL (µg/l)	ES (µg/l)
2,4,5-T		
2,4,5-TP	5	50
2,4-D	7	70
2,4-DB		
2,4-DP		
ACETAMIPRID		
ACETOCHLOR	0.7	7
ACETOCHLOR ESA	46	230
ACETOCHLOR OA	46	230
ACIFLUORFEN		
ALACHLOR	0.2	2
ALACHLOR ESA	4	20
ALACHLOR OA		
ALDICARB SULFONE		
ALDICARB SULFOXIDE		
AMINOPYRALID		
ATRAZINE	0.3	3
DE-ETHYL ATRAZINE	0.3	3
DEISOPROPYL ATRAZINE	0.3	3
DIAMINO ATRAZINE	0.3	3
ATRAZINE TCR	0.3	3
AZOXYSTROBIN		
BENFLURALIN		
BENTAZON	60	300
BICYCLOPYRONE		
BROMACIL		
CARBARYL	4	40
CARBOFURAN	8	40
CHLORAMBEN	30	150
CHLORANTRANILIPROLE		
CHLOROTHALONIL		
CHLORPYRIFOS	0.4	2
CHLORPYRIFOS OXYGEN ANALOG		
CLOMAZONE		
CLOPYRALID		
CLOTHIANIDIN		
CYCLANILIPROLE		
CYFLUTHRIN		
CYPERMETHRIN		
CYPROSULFAMIDE		
DACTHAL	14	70
DIAZINON		
DIAZINON OXYGEN ANALOG		
DICAMBA	60	300
DICHLORBENIL		
DIMETHENAMID	5	50
DIMETHENAMID ESA		
DIMETHENAMID OA		
DIMETHOATE	0.4	2
DINOTEFURAN		
DIURON		

Analyte	PAL (µg/l)	ES (µg/l)
EPTC	50	250
ESFENVALERATE		
ETHALFLURALIN		
ETHOFUMESATE		
FLUMETSULAM		
FLUPYRADIFURONE		
FLUROXYPYR		
FOMESAFEN		
HALOSULFURON METHYL		
HEXAZINONE		
IMAZAPYR		
IMAZETHAPYR		
IMIDACLOPRID		
ISOXAFLUTOLE		
ISOXAFLUTOLE RPA202248 (DKN)		
LAMBDA-CYHALOTHRIN		
LINURON		
MALATHION		
MCPA		
MCPB		
MCPP		
MESOTRIONE		
METALAXYL		
METHYL PARATHION		
METOLACHLOR	10	100
METOLACHLOR ESA	260	1300
METOLACHLOR OA	260	1300
METRIBUZIN	14	70
METRIBUZIN DA		
METRIBUZIN DADK		
METSULFURON-METHYL		
NICOSULFURON		
NORFLURAZON		
OXADIAZON		
PENDIMETHALIN		
PICLORAM	100	500
PROMETONE	20	100
PROMETRYN		
PROPICONAZOLE		
SAFLUFENACIL		
SIMAZINE	0.4	4
SULFENTRAZONE		
SULFOMETURON-METHYL		
TEBUPIRIMPHOS		
TEMBOTRIONE		
THIACLOPRID		
THIAMETHOXAM		
THIENCARBAZONE-METHYL		
TRICLOPYR		
TRIFLURALIN	0.75	7.5
NITROGEN-NITRATE/NITRITE (mg/l)	2	10

Table 3
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program 2018
Groundwater Analytical Results

2018 GroundWater Project Results (all concentrations in ug/l)							Wisconsin Admin. Code Chapter NR 140	
Pesticide Name	Pesticide Class	Reporting Limit	Number of Sites with Detects ¹	Number of Total Detects ²	Percent of Samples with Detects	Concentration Range	Enforcement Standard	Preventive Action Limit
2,4-D	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	70	7
2,4-DB	Herbicide	0.57	0	0		--	--	--
2,4-DP	Herbicide	0.058	0	0		--	--	--
2,4,5-T	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
2,4,5-TP	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	50	5
Acetamiprid	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Acetochlor	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	7	0.7
Acetochlor ESA	Herbicide	0.05	12	35	31.3%	0.0502 - 13.7	230	46
Acetochlor OA	Herbicide	0.3	2	7	6.3%	0.347 - 10.3	230	46
Acifluorfen	Herbicide	0.056	0	0		--	--	--
Alachlor	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	2	0.2
Alachlor ESA	Herbicide	0.05	19	74	66.1%	0.0652 - 9.38	20	4
Alachlor OA	Herbicide	0.25	2	9	8.0%	0.375 - 5.0	--	--
Aldicarb Sulfone	Insecticide	0.059	0	0		--	--	--
Aldicarb Sulfoxide	Insecticide	0.13	0	0		--	--	--
Aminopyralid	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Atrazine	Herbicide	0.05	4	16	14.3%	0.0508 - 0.686	3	0.3
De-ethyl atrazine	Herbicide	0.05	12	44	39.3%	0.0506 - 0.925	3	0.3
De-isopropyl atrazine	Herbicide	0.05	12	30	26.8%	0.0505 - 0.302	3	0.3
Di-amino atrazine	Herbicide	0.28	7	12	10.7%	0.201 - 0.521	3	0.3
Atrazine (TCR)	Herbicide	--	17	55	49.1%	0.0506 - 1.688	3	0.3
Azoxystrobin	Fungicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Benfluralin	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Bentazon	Herbicide	0.05	4	13	11.6%	0.103 - 25.0	300	60
Bicyclopyrone	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Bromacil	Herbicide	0.084	0	0		--	--	--
Carbaryl	Insecticide	0.067	0	0		--	40	4
Carbofuran	Insecticide	0.051	0	0		--	40	8
Chloramben	Herbicide	0.57	0	0		--	150	30
Chlorantraniliprole	Insecticide	0.2	11	30	26.8%	0.0665 - 2.03	--	--
Chlorothalonil	Fungicide	0.16	0	0		--	--	--
Chlorpyrifos	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	2	0.4
Chlorpyrifos Oxon	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Clomazone	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Clopyralid	Herbicide	0.078	0	0		--	--	--
Clothianidin	Insecticide	0.067	18	53	47.3%	0.0563 - 1.69	1,000 ³	200 ³
Cyfluthrin	Insecticide	0.1	0	0		--	--	--
lambda- Cyhalothrin	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Cypermethrin	Insecticide	0.15	0	0		--	--	--
Cyprosulfamide	Safener	0.074	0	0		--	--	--
Dacthal	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	70	14 (7 ⁴)
Diazinon	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Diazinon oxon	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Dicamba	Herbicide	0.89	1	1	0.9%	9.65	300	60
Dichlobenil	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Dichlorvos	Insecticide	0.076	0	0		--	--	--
Dimethenamid	Herbicide	0.05	1	1	0.9%	0.0644	50	5
Dimethenamid ESA	Herbicide	0.05	6	13	11.6%	0.0547 - 2.58	--	--
Dimethenamid OA	Herbicide	0.054	2	2	1.8%	0.518 - 0.0961	--	--
Dimethoate	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	2	0.4
Dinotefuran	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Diuron	Herbicide	0.18	0	0		--	--	--

Table 3 - continued

EPTC	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	250	50
Esfenvalerate	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Ethalfuralin	Herbicide	0.074	0	0		--	--	--
Ethofumesate	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Flumetsulam	Herbicide	0.17	4	10	8.9%	0.577 - 0.635	--	--
Flupyradifurone	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Fluroxypyr	Insecticide	0.32	0	0		--	--	--
Fomesafen	Insecticide	0.05	1	1	0.9%	0.196	--	--
Halosulfuron methyl	Insecticide	0.08	0	0		--	--	--
Hexazinone	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Imazapyr	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Imazethapyr	Herbicide	0.05	1	1	0.9%	0.185	--	--
Imidacloprid	Insecticide	0.05	11	42	37.5%	0.0512 - 0.998	0.2 ³	0.02 ³
Isoxaflutole	Herbicide	0.32	0	0		--	3 ³	0.3 ³
Isoxaflutole DKN	Herbicide	0.47	0	0		--	3 ³	0.3 ³
Linuron	Herbicide	0.087	0	0		--	--	--
MCPA	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
MCPB	Herbicide	0.21	0	0		--	--	--
MCPP	Herbicide	0.055	0	0		--	--	--
Malathion	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Mesotrione	Herbicide	0.18	0	0		--	--	--
Metaxalyl	Fungicide	0.05	9	32	28.6%	0.0631 - 4.06	--	--
Methyl Parathion	Insecticide	0.078	0	0		--	--	--
Metolachlor	Herbicide	0.05	10	33	29.5%	0.0848 - 6.82	100	10
Metolachlor ESA	Herbicide	0.05	24	105	93.8%	0.126 - 44.6	1,300	260
Metolachlor OA	Herbicide	0.27	16	67	59.8%	0.286 - 43.9	1,300	260
Metribuzin	Herbicide	0.05	9	40	35.7%	0.0729 - 9.0	70	14
Metribuzin DA	Herbicide	0.1	9	27	24.1%	0.109 - 0.911	--	--
Metribuzin DADK	Herbicide	0.12	12	49	43.8%	0.313 - 4.99	--	--
Metsulfuron methyl	Herbicide	0.094	0	0		--	--	--
Nicosulfuron	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Norflurazon	Herbicide	0.058	0	0		--	--	--
Oxadiazon	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Pendimethalin	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Picloram	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	500	100
Prometone	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	100	20
Prometryn	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Propiconazole	Fungicide	0.055	0	0		--	--	--
Saflufenacil	Herbicide	0.2	2	2	1.8%	0.0778 - 0.148	--	--
Simazine	Herbicide	0.05	2	2	1.8%	0.0509 - 0.0559	4	0.4
Sulfentrazone	Herbicide	0.75	1	2	1.8%	0.0661 - 0.0969	1,000 ³	100 ³
Sulfometuron methyl	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Tebupirimphos	Insecticide	0.05	0	0		--	--	--
Tembotrione	Herbicide	0.21	0	0		--	--	--
Thiacloprid	Insecticide	0.067	0	0		--	--	--
Thiamethoxam	Insecticide	0.067	12	41	36.6%	0.0578 - 2.78	100 ³	10 ³
Thiencarbazone methyl	Herbicide	0.38	1	1	0.9%	0.0667	10 ³	2 ³
Triclopyr	Herbicide	0.1	0	0		--	--	--
Trifluralin	Herbicide	0.05	0	0		--	7.5	0.75

Notes:

- 1 Total number of sites were 24.
- 2 Total number of samples were 112.
- 3 Standard or limit is proposed as part of Wisconsin Department of Health Services Cycle 10 Recommendations (June 2019).
- 4 Limit change is proposed as part of Wisconsin Department of Health Services Cycle 10 Recommendations (June 2019).

--- Indicates that Health Advisory Level value in Wisconsin not established.

µg/L micrograms per liter or parts per billion

TCR Total Chlorinated Residue for Atrazine. Reflects an additive quantity of atrazine and its three metabolites (de-ethyl, de-isopropyl and di-amino atrazine).

	Indicates no detects in excess of laboratory reporting limits.
	Indicates detects in excess of laboratory reporting limits.
	Indicates detects in excess of laboratory reporting limits and WAC ch. NR 140 Preventive Action Limit (and proposed Cycle 10 Recommendations).
	Indicates detects in excess of laboratory reporting limits and WAC ch. NR 140 Enforcement Standard (and proposed Cycle 10 Recommendations).

Table 4
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Land-, Pesticide/Nitrogen- and Irrigation-Use (as Provided by Growers)

COUNTY	SITE (Grower)	YEAR	CROP	NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT PLAN	IRRIGATION APPLIED (in inches)	NITROGEN APPLIED (in lbs/acre)	PESTICIDE PRODUCT APPLIED										
Adams	AD2	2016	corn silage		6.45	374.8	glyphosate N-serve atrazine dicamba										
		2017 ¹	---	---	---	---	---										
		2018 ¹	---	---	---	---	---										
	AD3	2016 ¹	---	---	---	---	---	---									
			2017 ¹	---	---	---	---	---									
		2018	snap beans	yes	6.59	89.0	metolachlor halosulfuron-methyl sethoxydim imazamox, bentazon thiamethoxam bifenthrin glyphosate										
		2016 ¹	---	---	---	---	---	---									
		2017 ¹	---	---	---	---	---	---									
		2018	soybeans	yes	7.66	14.0	metribuzin metolachlor Clethodim bentazon thiamethoxam chlothianidin glyphosate										
	AD5	2016	---	---	---	---	---	---									
		2017	---	---	---	---	---	---									
		2018	---	---	---	---	---	---									
	Barron	BR3	2016	---	---	---	---										
	2017		---	---	---	---	---										
	2018		---	---	---	---	---										
Dane	DN1	2016	seed corn		3	216.7	simazine metolachlor mesotrione topramezone bifenthrin pyraclostrobin, metconazole 2,4-D glyphosate sodium chlorate										
							2017	soybeans		2	6.0	glyphosate Clethodim lambda-cyhalothrin glufosinate					
												2018 ¹	---	---	---	---	---
		2016	soybeans		3.43	100.0						dimethenamid flumioxazin clethodim					
							2017	horseradish		0.8	140.5	benzoic acid peroxyacetic acid, hydrogen peroxide oxyfluorfen sulfentrazone glyphosate clethodim boscolid chlorothalonil					
												2018	corn (grain)	no	3.97	193.3	glyphosate dicamba dimethenamid, saflufenacil
2016	corn		8	241.0	glyphosate dimethenamid, saflufenacil												
					2017	kidney beans		4	85.0	pendimethalin s-metolachlor bentazon fomesafen imazamox clethodim saflufenacil thiamethoxam, fludioxonil							
										2018	corn	---	5	66.2	dimethenamid, saflufenacil glyphosate atrazine		
2016 ¹	---	---	na	---											---		
					2017 ¹	---	---	na	---						---		
										2018 ¹	---	---	na	---	---		
Iowa	IW1	2016	potatoes												18.4	374.4	metam sodium azoxystrobin, difenoconazole metalaxyl imidacloprid azoxystrobin metribuzin novaluron spinosad beta-cyfluthrin rimsulfuron chlorothalonil pyraclostrobin boscolid abamectin pyrimethanil fentin hydroxide mancozeb diquat bromide
					2017	seed corn		8.9	198.5								glyphosate bifenthrin glufosinate MCPA, bromoxynil pendimethalin pyraclostrobin, metconazole propiconazole, azoxystrobin
										2018	snap beans	no	5.7	77.0			thiamethoxam halosulfuron-methyl s-metolachlor imazamox, bentazon

Table 7
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Imidacloprid Concentrations in Groundwater Samples

COUNTY	SITE (Grower)	WELL IDENTIFICATION	WUWN	SAMPLE DATE (2018)	IMIDACLOPRID (in µg/L)
Adams	AD2	AD2-1	BH954	2/28	0
				5/4	0
				10/16	0
		AD2-4	VR844	2/28	0.277
				5/4	0.268
				10/16	0.267
	AD2-5	VR845	2/28	0.39	
			5/4	0.428	
			10/16	0.457	
	AD3	AD3-1	BH999	5/4	0.136
				10/16	0
				AD3-3	BI001
	AD4	AD4-1	BH996	10/16	0
				AD4-2	BH997
	AD5	AD5-1	CL461	2/28	0
				5/4	0
				11/8	0
		AD5-4	VR846	2/28	0.208
				5/4	0.244
		AD5-5	VR847	11/8	0.188
2/28				0.227	
AD5-5	VR847	5/4	0.328		
		11/8	0.432		
Barron	BR3	BR3-1	BR279	5/15	0
				11/1	0
		BR3-3	BR281	5/15	0
Dane	DN1	DN1-1	BR250	5/9	0
				11/8	0
		DN1-3	BR252	5/9	0
Dunn	DU1	DU1-1	AO384	5/15	0
				11/1	0
		DU1-3	AO386	11/13	0
	DU2	DU2-1	AO387	5/15	0
				11/1	0
		DU2-3	AO389	5/15	0
Grant	GR1	GR1-1	BR255	5/8	0
				10/23	0
		GR1-3	BR257	5/8	0
Iowa	IW1	IW1-4	BR259	5/8	0.2
				10/23	0.0666
		IW1-7	BH967	5/8	0.205
	IW2	IW2-1	BR036	10/23	0.214
				5/8	0
		IW2-3	BR038	10/23	0
				5/8	0.2
Jackson	JK3	JK3-1	JH982	5/15	0
				11/6	0
		JK3-2	JH981	5/15	0
Juneau	JN1	JN1-1	BR046	6/8	0
				11/15	0
		JN1-3	BR048	6/8	0.0982
	JN3	JN3-1	JH937	11/15	0.162
				6/8	0
		JN3-2	JH936	11/15	0
La Crosse	LC2	LC2-1	VZ391	5/16	0
				11/6	0
		LC2-2	VZ392	5/16	0
Langlade	LN1	LN1-1	BH964	11/6	0
				5/23	0
		LN1-3	BH966	10/30	0
Portage	PR1	PR1-1	BR207	5/23	0
				10/30	0
		PR1-2	BR208	2/27	0
				2/27	0.0955
		PR1-4	VR848	5/23	0.0702
				10/30	0.0546
PR1-5	VR849	2/27	0.0943		
		5/23	0.0701		
10/30	0.0535				
St. Croix	SC1	SC1-1	JH938	5/15	0
				11/13	0
		SC1-2	JH939	5/15	0
Sauk	SK6	SK6-1	BB246	11/13	0
				5/15	0
		SK6-3	BB248	5/8	0.206
Trempealeau	TR1	TR1-1	PX201	10/23	0.136
				5/8	0.236
		TR1-2	PX202	10/23	0.265
Waupaca	WP2	WP2-1	JH985	5/16	0
				11/6	0
		WP2-2	JH984	5/16	0
Waushara	WS4	WS4-1	BB258	5/31	0.613
				10/25	0.72
		WS4-4	BB261	10/25	0
	WS6	WS6-1	JH989	5/31	0.0682
				10/25	0
		WS6-2	JH990	5/31	0
	WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS7-1	VR841	10/25	0
				2/27	0.176
		WS7-2	VR842	5/31	0.0902
				10/25	0
WS7-3		VR843	2/27	0	
			5/31	0.0512	
		2/27	0.716		
5/31	0.814				
10/25	0.998				

Notes:

WUWN Wisconsin Unique Well Number
 µg/L Micrograms per liter or parts per billion
 0 Concentration does not exceed laboratory reporting limit of 0.05 µg/L.
 Detected concentration exceeds the proposed Cycle 10 Recommendations for Preventive Action Limit of 0.02 µg/L.
 Detected concentration exceeds the proposed Cycle 10 Recommendations for Enforcement Standard of 0.2 µg/L.

Table 8
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Alachlor ESA Concentrations in Groundwater Samples

COUNTY	SITE (Grower)	WELL IDENTIFICATION	WUWN	SAMPLE DATE (2018)	ALACHLOR ESA (in µg/L)		
Adams	AD2	AD2-1	BH954	2/28	0		
				5/4	0		
				10/16	0.0702		
		AD2-4	VR844	2/28	0.64		
				5/4	0.646		
				10/16	0.595		
	AD2-5	VR845	2/28	1.17			
			5/4	1.09			
			10/16	1.11			
	AD3	AD3-1	BH999	5/4	0.572		
				10/16	0.48		
				5/4	0.413		
	AD3-3	BI001	10/16	0.318			
			AD4	AD4-1	BH996	10/16	0.471
			AD4-2			BH997	5/4
AD5	AD5-1	CL461	2/28	0			
			5/4	0			
			11/8	0			
	AD5-4	VR846	2/28	2.9			
			5/4	2.55			
			11/8	2.22			
AD5-5	VR847	2/28	9.38				
5/4	8.63						
11/8	6.14						
Barron	BR3	BR3-1	BR279	5/15	0		
				11/1	0		
		BR3-3	BR281	5/15	0		
				11/1	0		
Dane	DN1	DN1-1	BR250	5/9	0		
				11/8	0		
		DN1-3	BR252	5/9	0.0878		
				11/8	0.0824		
Dunn	DU1	DU1-1	AO384	5/15	0.183		
				11/1	0.12		
				11/13	0.176		
	DU2	DU2-1	AO387	5/15	0.135		
				11/1	0.124		
				5/15	0.146		
DU2-3	AO389	11/1	0.145				
		Grant	GR1	GR1-1	BR255	5/8	0
						10/23	0
GR1-3	BR257		5/8	0			
			10/23	0.0943			
Iowa	IW1	IW1-4	BR259	5/8	0.666		
				10/23	0.309		
				5/8	1.4		
	IW1-7	BH967	10/23	1.41			
			IW2	IW2-1	BR036	5/8	0.55
						10/23	0.789
5/8	1.05						
IW2-3	BR038	10/23	1.1				
		Jackson	JK3	JK3-1	JH982	5/15	0
						11/6	0
JK3-2	JH981		5/15	0			
			11/6	0			
Juneau	JN1	JN1-1	BR046	6/8	0		
				11/15	0		
				6/8	0.958		
	JN1-3	BR048	11/15	0.755			
			JN3	JN3-1	JH937	6/8	1.87
						11/15	1.03
6/8	0.0848						
JN3-2	JH936	11/15	0.107				
		La Crosse	LC2	LC2-1	VZ391	5/16	0
						11/6	0
LC2-2	VZ392		5/16	0			
			11/6	0			
Langlade	LN1	LN1-1	BH964	5/23	0		
				10/30	0		
		LN1-3	BH966	5/23	0		
				10/30	0		
Portage	PR1	PR1-1	BR207	5/23	0		
				10/30	0		
		PR1-2	BR208	2/27	0.127		
				2/27	1.42		
		PR1-4	VR848	5/23	1.38		
				10/30	1.19		
				PR1-5	VR849	2/27	1.07
5/23	0.976						
10/30	0.905						
St. Croix	SC1	SC1-1	JH938	5/15	0.407		
				11/13	0.322		
		SC1-2	JH939	5/15	0.171		
				11/13	0.162		
Sauk	SK6	SK6-1	BB246	5/8	0.893		
				10/23	0.897		
		SK6-3	BB248	5/8	0.609		
				10/23	0.512		
Trempealeau	TR1	TR1-1	PX201	5/16	0		
				11/6	0		
		TR1-2	PX202	5/16	0		
				11/6	0		
Waupaca	WP2	WP2-1	JH985	5/23	0.107		
				10/30	0		
		WP2-2	JH984	5/23	0.0825		
				10/30	0.0736		
Waushara	WS4	WS4-1	BB258	5/31	0.596		
				10/25	1.21		
		WS4-4	BB261	10/25	0.419		
	WS6	WS6-1	JH989	5/31	0.104		
				10/25	0.366		
		WS6-2	JH990	5/31	0		
	WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS7-1	VR841	10/25	0		
				2/27	0.298		
				5/31	0.308		
		WS7-2	VR842	10/25	0.298		
2/27				0.632			
5/31				0.724			
10/25				0.6			
WS7-3	VR843	2/27	6.51				
5/31	6.44						
10/25	5.53						

Notes:

WUWN Wisconsin Unique Well Number
 Alachlor ESA Alachlor ethanesulfonic acid
 µg/L Micrograms per liter or parts per billion
 0 Concentration does not exceed laboratory reporting limit of 0.05 µg/L.
 Detected concentration exceeds the Wisconsin Administrative Code ch. NR 140 Preventive Action Limit of 4.0 µg/L.

Table 9
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Atrazine and Metabolite Concentrations in Groundwater Samples



COUNTY	SITE (Grower)	WELL IDENTIFICATION	WUWN	SAMPLE DATE (2018)	Atrazine	De-ethyl Atrazine	De-isopropyl Atrazine	Di-amino Atrazine	Atrazine TCR
Adams	AD2	AD2-1	BH954	2/28	0	0	0	0	0
				5/4	0	0	0	0	0
				10/16	0	0	0	0	0
		AD2-4	VR844	2/28	0.289	0.561	0.0546	0	0.9046
				5/4	0.376	0.742	0.0559	0	1.1739
				10/16	0.686	0.925	0.077	0	1.6880
	AD2-5	VR845	2/28	0.082	0.163	0	0	0.2450	
			5/4	0.0902	0.142	0	0	0.2322	
			10/16	0.128	0.166	0.0527	0	0.3467	
	AD3	AD3-1	BH999	5/4	0	0.0631	0	0	0.0631
				10/16	0	0.0506	0	0	0.0506
		AD3-3	BI001	5/4	0	0.188	0	0	0.1880
	AD4	AD4-1	BH996	10/16	0.0508	0.143	0.147	0.521	0.8618
		AD4-2	BH997	5/4	0	0.129	0.0673	0.23	0.4263
	AD5	AD5-1	CL461	2/28	0	0	0	0	0
				5/4	0	0	0	0	0
				11/8	0	0	0	0	0
		AD5-4	VR846	2/28	0.114	0.476	0.0545	0	0.6445
				5/4	0.134	0.877	0.0661	0.293	1.3701
		AD5-5	VR847	11/8	0.122	0.565	0.0611	0	0.7481
				2/28	0.135	0.852	0	0.392	1.3790
AD5-5	VR847	5/4	0.194	0.799	0	0.302	1.2950		
		11/8	0.172	0.565	0.0535	0	0.7905		
Barron	BR3	BR3-1	BR279	5/15	0	0	0	0	0
				11/1	0	0	0	0	0
		BR3-3	BR281	5/15	0	0	0	0	0
Dane	DN1	DN1-1	BR250	5/9	0	0	0	0	0
				11/8	0	0	0	0	0
		DN1-3	BR252	5/9	0	0	0	0	0
Dunn	DU1	DU1-1	AO384	11/8	0	0	0.0607	0	0.0607
				5/15	0	0	0.236	0	0.2360
				11/1	0	0	0.219	0	0.2190
Dunn	DU2	DU2-1	AO387	11/13	0	0	0.302	0	0.3020
				5/15	0	0	0	0	0
				11/1	0	0	0	0	0
Dunn	DU2	DU2-3	AO389	5/15	0	0	0	0	0
				11/1	0	0	0	0	0
				11/1	0	0	0	0	0
Grant	GR1	GR1-1	BR255	5/8	0	0	0	0	0
				10/23	0	0	0.0626	0	0.0626
		GR1-3	BR257	5/8	0	0	0.0719	0	0.0719
Iowa	IW1	IW1-4	BR259	10/23	0	0	0	0	0
				5/8	0	0.0564	0.0995	0.212	0.3679
				10/23	0	0.0562	0.0893	0	0.1455
Iowa	IW2	IW2-1	BR036	5/8	0	0	0	0	0
				10/23	0	0	0	0	0
		IW2-3	BR038	10/23	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson	JK3	JK3-1	JH982	5/15	0	0	0	0	0
				11/6	0	0	0	0	0
		JK3-2	JH981	5/15	0	0	0	0	0
Juneau	JN1	JN1-1	BR046	11/6	0	0	0	0	0
				11/15	0	0	0	0	0
		JN1-3	BR048	6/8	0	0.0589	0	0	0.0589
Juneau	JN3	JN3-1	JH937	11/15	0	0.0532	0	0	0.0532
				6/8	0	0	0	0	0
		JN3-2	JH936	6/8	0	0	0	0	0
La Crosse	LC2	LC2-1	VZ391	11/15	0	0	0	0	0
				5/16	0	0.11	0	0	0.1100
		LC2-2	VZ392	11/6	0	0.155	0	0	0.1550
Langlade	LN1	LN1-1	BH964	11/6	0	0.153	0	0	0.1530
				5/23	0	0	0	0	0
		LN1-3	BH966	5/23	0	0	0	0	0
Portage	PR1	PR1-1	BR207	10/30	0	0	0	0	0
				5/23	0	0	0	0	0
		PR1-2	BR208	2/27	0	0.222	0	0	0.2220
Portage	PR1	PR1-4	VR848	2/27	0	0.0825	0	0	0.0825
				5/23	0	0.0792	0	0	0.0792
		PR1-5	VR849	10/30	0	0.0853	0	0	0.0853
St. Croix	SC1	SC1-1	JH938	2/27	0	0.103	0	0	0.1030
				5/23	0	0.104	0	0	0.1040
		SC1-2	JH939	10/30	0	0.105	0	0	0.1050
Sauk	SK6	SK6-1	BB246	5/15	0	0.0716	0	0.246	0.3176
				11/13	0	0.0874	0.0659	0.332	0.4853
		SK6-3	BB248	5/15	0	0.0519	0	0	0.0519
Trempealeau	TR1	TR1-1	PX201	11/13	0	0.0596	0	0	0.0596
				5/8	0	0	0	0	0
		TR1-2	PX202	5/16	0	0	0	0	0
Waupaca	WP2	WP2-1	JH985	11/6	0	0.143	0	0	0.1430
				5/23	0	0.134	0.0766	0.357	0.5676
		WP2-2	JH984	10/30	0	0.225	0.0821	0.304	0.6111
Waushara	WS4	WS4-1	BB258	5/23	0	0.0834	0.0521	0	0.1355
				10/30	0	0.11	0.051	0	0.1610
		WS4-4	BB261	5/31	0	0	0	0	0
	WS6	WS6-1	JH989	10/25	0	0	0.181	0.216	0.3970
				5/31	0	0	0.151	0	0.1510
	WS7	WS7-1	VR841	5/31	0	0	0	0	0
				10/25	0	0	0	0	0
WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS7-2	VR842	2/27	0	0	0	0	0	
			5/31	0	0	0	0	0	
	WS7-3	VR843	10/25	0	0	0	0	0	
Waushara	WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS7-3	VR843	2/27	0.124	0.217	0.111	0	0.4520
				5/31	0.131	0.185	0.138	0	0.4540
				10/25	0.119	0.219	0.191	0	0.5290

Notes:
 Concentrations identified as micrograms per liter or parts per billion.
 TCR Total Chlorinated Residue for Atrazine. Reflects an additive quantity of atrazine and its three metabolites (de-ethyl, de-isopropyl and di-amino atrazine).
 WUWN Wisconsin Unique Well Number
 µg/L Micrograms per liter or parts per billion.
 0 Concentration does not exceed laboratory reporting limit of 0.05 µg/L.
 Site is located within an atrazine Prohibition Area.
 Detected concentration exceeds the Wisconsin Administrative Code ch. NR 140 Preventive Action Limit of 0.3 µg/L.

Table 10
Field-Edge Groundwater Monitoring Program
2018 Nitrogen - Nitrate/Nitrite Concentrations in Groundwater Samples

COUNTY	SITE (Grower)	WELL IDENTIFICATION	WUWN	SAMPLE DATE (2018)	TOTAL NITROGEN (in mg/L)		
Adams	AD2	AD2-1	BH954	2/28	4.07		
				5/4	2.93		
				10/16	7.85		
		AD2-4	VR844	2/28	35.4		
				5/4	41.2		
				10/16	39.5		
	AD2-5	VR845	2/28	26.4			
			5/4	27.8			
			10/16	23.5			
	AD3	AD3-1	BH999	5/4	23.5		
				10/16	28.5		
				5/4	21.3		
	AD4	AD4-1	BH996	10/16	19.6		
				AD4-2	BH997	5/4	36
						2/28	0
	AD5	AD5-1	CL461	5/4	3.83		
				11/8	0		
				2/28	27.6		
AD5-4		VR846	5/4	30			
			11/8	32.4			
			2/28	24			
AD5-5		VR847	5/4	31.6			
			11/8	36.3			
Barron	BR3	BR3-1	BR279	5/15	2.46		
				11/1	1.41		
		BR3-3	BR281	5/15	7.66		
Dane	DN1	DN1-1	BR250	11/1	4.84		
				5/9	3.85		
				11/8	1.59		
Dane	DN1	DN1-3	BR252	5/9	22.7		
				11/8	20.9		
				5/15	21.2		
Dunn	DU1	DU1-1	AO384	11/1	16.6		
				DU1-3	AO386	11/13	20.9
						5/15	8.21
	DU2	DU2-1	AO387	11/1	8.75		
				DU2-3	AO389	5/15	0.732
						11/1	0.934
Grant	GR1	GR1-1	BR255	5/8	29		
				10/23	26.9		
		GR1-3	BR257	5/8	35.2		
				10/23	32.6		
Iowa	IW1	IW1-4	BR259	5/8	16.7		
				10/23	5.04		
				5/8	27.2		
	IW2	IW2-1	BR036	10/23	27.2		
				5/8	0.74		
				10/23	0		
Iowa	IW2	IW2-3	BR038	5/8	26.2		
				10/23	28		
				5/15	4.11		
Jackson	JK3	JK3-1	JH982	11/6	3.41		
				5/15	4.22		
		JK3-2	JH981	11/6	3.62		
				5/15	4.11		
Juneau	JN1	JN1-1	BR046	6/8	8.18		
				11/15	6.33		
				6/8	28.4		
	JN3	JN3-1	BR048	11/15	24.7		
				6/8	6.22		
				11/15	2.91		
Juneau	JN3	JN3-2	JH936	6/8	2.02		
				11/15	0		
				5/16	21.3		
La Crosse	LC2	LC2-1	VZ391	11/6	23.3		
				5/16	24.1		
		LC2-2	VZ392	11/6	21.8		
				5/23	1.28		
Langlade	LN1	LN1-1	BH964	10/30	12.2		
				LN1-3	BH966	5/23	18.4
						10/30	16.1
Portage	PR1	PR1-1	BR207	5/23	11.9		
				10/30	4.51		
		PR1-2	BR208	2/27	29		
				2/27	21.4		
		PR1-4	VR848	5/23	22.7		
				10/30	22.6		
		PR1-5	VR849	2/27	21.3		
				5/23	25.5		
10/30	24.6						
St. Croix	SC1	SC1-1	JH938	5/15	7.92		
				11/13	9.62		
		SC1-2	JH939	5/15	13.5		
				11/13	15		
Sauk	SK6	SK6-1	BB246	5/8	24.7		
				10/23	16.8		
		SK6-3	BB248	5/8	33.6		
				10/23	25.7		
Trempealeau	TR1	TR1-1	PX201	5/16	27.1		
				11/6	28.8		
		TR1-2	PX202	5/16	29.1		
				11/6	22.4		
Waupaca	WP2	WP2-1	JH985	5/23	7.74		
				10/30	9.38		
		WP2-2	JH984	5/23	4.72		
				10/30	6.19		
Waushara	WS4	WS4-1	BB258	5/31	36.2		
				10/25	20.6		
		WS4-4	BB261	10/25	24.8		
				5/31	10		
		WS6	WS6-1	JH989	10/25	24.8	
					5/31	0.881	
	WS7 (Hancock Agricultural Research Station)	WS6-2	JH990	10/25	1.49		
				2/27	13.7		
				5/31	14.3		
		WS7-1	VR841	10/25	11.5		
				2/27	13.3		
		WS7-2	VR842	5/31	16.5		
10/25	11.7						
2/27	33.5						
WS7-3	VR843	5/31	41.9				
		10/25	42.1				

Notes:

WUWN Wisconsin Unique Well Number
 mg/L Milligrams per liter or parts per million
 0 Concentration does not exceed laboratory reporting limit of 0.5 mg/L.
 Detected concentration exceeds the Wisconsin Administrative Code ch. NR 140 Preventive Action Limit of 2.0 mg/L.
 Detected concentration exceeds the Wisconsin Administrative Code ch. NR 140 Enforcement Standard of 10.0 mg/L.

APPENDIX B

Report Figures

2018 Monitoring Well Sites

