

AIRBONE SPECIES CONCENTRATIONS AS DERIVED FROM RESPIRABLE SUSPENDED PARTICULATES FOR 2005

Station	RSP	As	Be	Cd	Ni	Pb	Cr	Al	Mn	Fe	Ca	Mg	V	Zn	Ba	Cu	Hg	Se	Na+	K+	Cl-	Br-	SO4=	NH4+	NO3-	TC
Central / Western	58	5.5	0.05	1.76	5.9	65	2.1	286	22	517	797	316	14.0	207	15	30	0.23	1.1	1991	635	1508	7	13107	3823	4026	10304
Kwun Tong	56	4.9	0.05	1.69	8.6	57	3.4	255	20	576	649	273	11.4	210	18	44	0.23	1.0	1684	562	1008	7	12503	3758	3730	11271
Sham Shui Po	56	4.7	0.05	1.60	6.9	57	2.2	229	19	517	667	258	15.7	193	17	36	0.23	1.0	1587	570	1030	7	11926	3623	3887	12279
Tsuen Wan	58	6.1	0.05	2.02	8.4	65	2.3	241	20	524	698	209	20.6	251	17	34	0.23	1.1	1231	622	645	7	12498	3968	3559	13294
Tung Chung	44	4.4	0.04	1.32	5.2	46	1.9	239	15	405	629	199	10.4	159	10	53	0.23	0.9	1227	449	451	7	9998	2672	2308	8189
Yuen Long	67	7.3	0.05	2.41	8.2	81	3.2	347	25	701	947	223	16.0	267	20	55	0.23	1.2	1147	662	708	7	12742	4352	4673	13612
Mong Kok	70	5.1	0.05	1.72	7.4	56	3.4	254	23	832	800	272	15.6	246	42	46	0.24	1.0	1634	564	1105	7	11954	3687	4463	20926
Average	59	5.4	0.05	1.79	7.3	61	2.6	264	21	584	742	251	14.9	220	20	42	0.23	1.0	1506	582	931	7	12137	3712	3827	12914

Note:

1. All figures are in nanograms per cubic metre except RSP which is in micrograms per cubic metre

2. All values presented are annual arithmetic means.

3. The concentrations of all species are derived from chemical analysis of respirable suspended particulates samples collected by high-volume samplers.

4. The Chemical Elements:

As - Arsenic	Ba - Barium
Be - Beryllium	Cu - Copper
Cd - Cadmium	Hg - Mercury
Ni - Nickel	Se - Selenium
Pb - Lead	Na+ - Sodium Ion
Cr - Chromium	K+ - Potassium Ion
Al - Aluminium	Cl- - Chloride Ion
Mn - Manganese	Br- - Bromide Ion
Fe - Iron	SO4= - Sulphate Ion
Ca - Calcium	NH4+ - Ammonium Ion
Mg - Magnesium	NO3- - Nitrate Ion
V - Vanadium	TC - Total Carbon
Zn - Zinc	