CEE 680: Water Chemistry

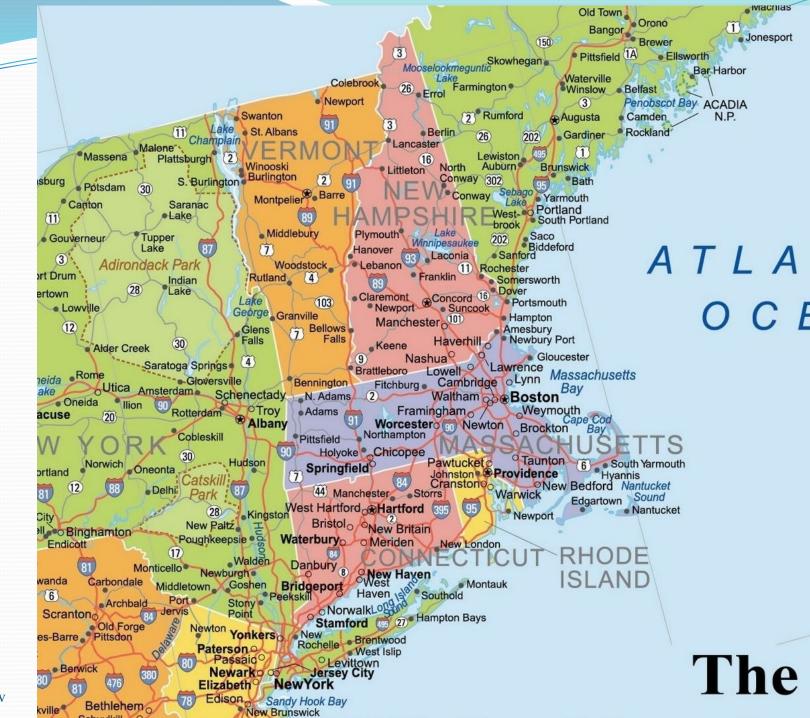
Lecture #1

Intro: Course Administration, Scope and Chemistry Review

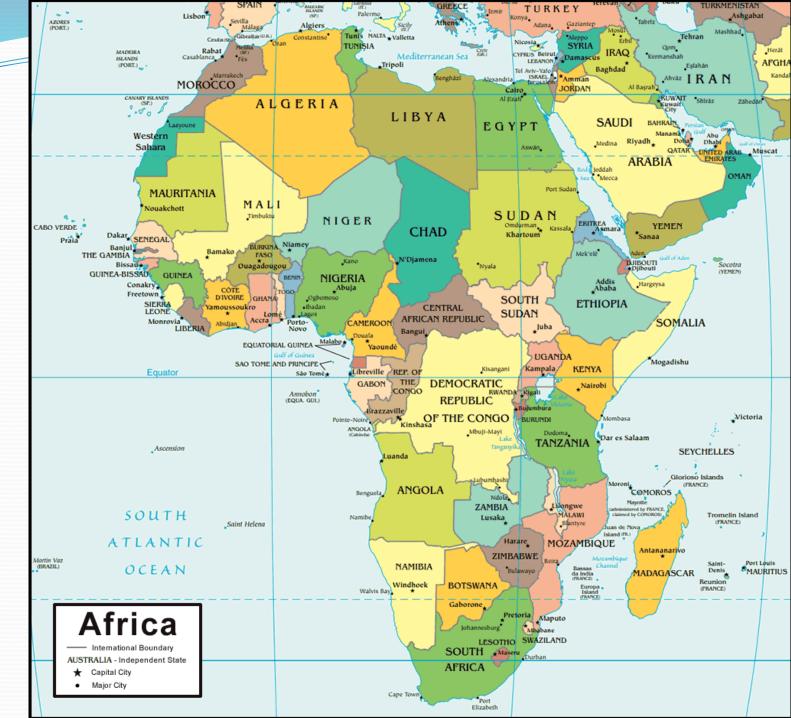
(Stumm & Morgan, Chapt. 1)
(pp.1-4)

(Benjamin, 1.1 & 1.4)

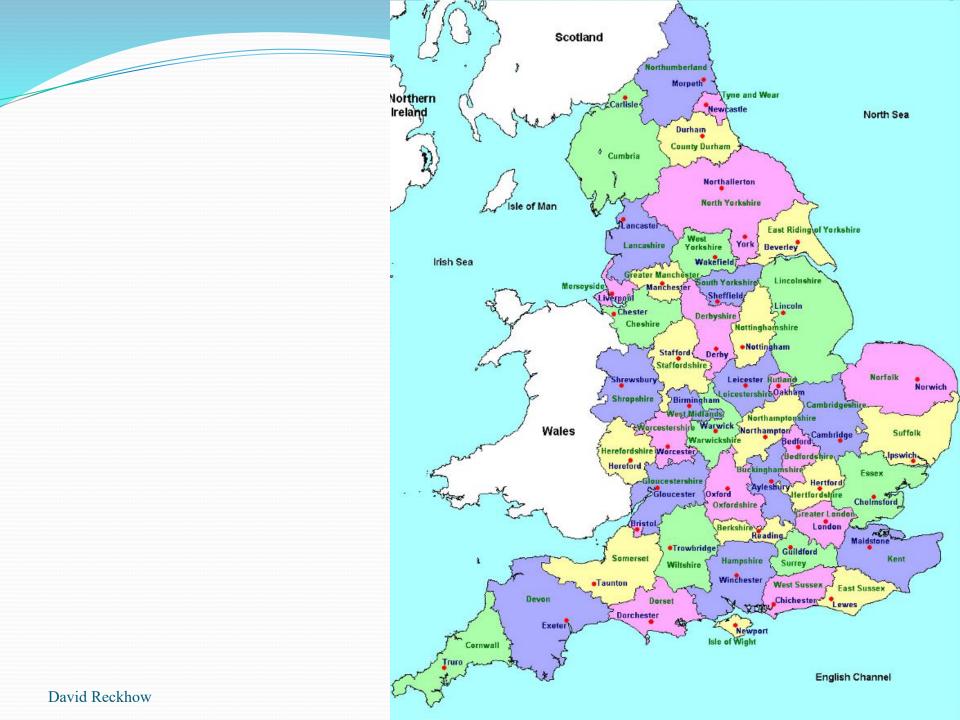












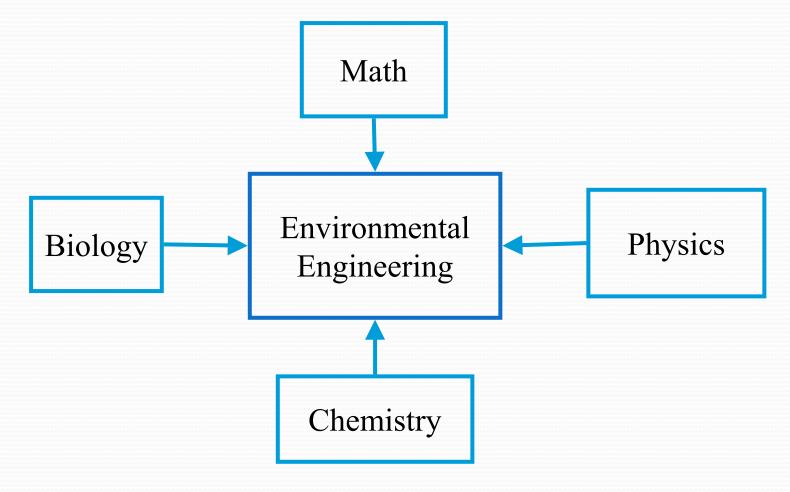
Course Administration

- Course Syllabus
- Textbook: Benjamin, <u>Water Chemistry</u>, 2nd
 Edition, Waveland Press, 2015
 - must read, not all topics may be covered
- Detailed Course Outline
- Homework policy
 - most graded;
- Projects
 - MINEQL, review of literature
- Web site

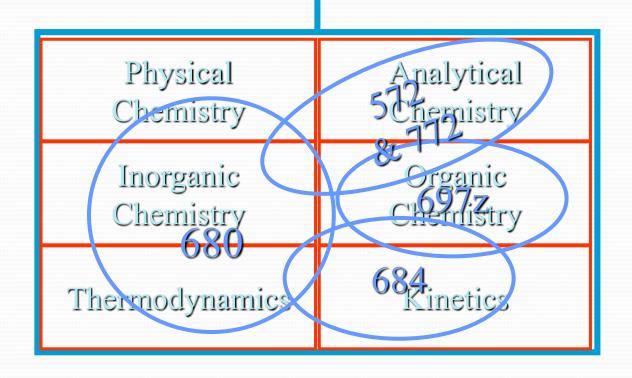
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Relation with Environmental Engineering



Relation with Classic Chemistry Disciplines

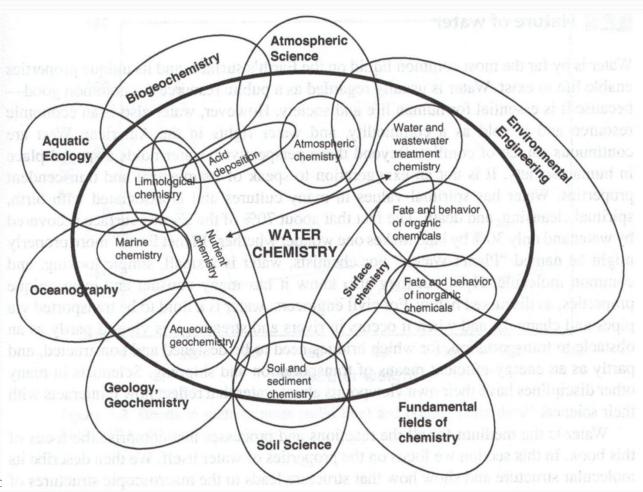


- CEE 680
 - Water Chemistry
- CEE 572 & 772
 - Chemical Analysis
- CEE 684
 - Chemical Kinetics
- CEE 697z
 - Organics in water

CEE 680 is very similar to Geo-Sci 519 (Aqueous Environmental Geochemistry

Interdisciplinary sub-fields

• From Brezonik & Arnold, 2011

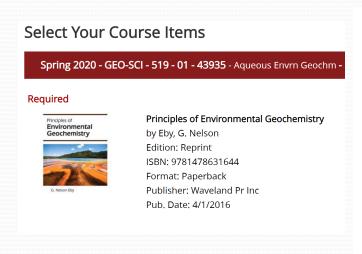


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Others

Geo-Sci 519

• With lab. Chemical processes affecting the distribution and circulation of chemical compounds in natural waters. Geochemistry of precipitation, rivers, lakes, groundwater, and oceans; applications of thermodynamic equilibria to predicting composition of aqueous systems. Behavior of trace metals and radionuclides in near surface environments. Prerequisite: Chem 111, 112.





General Questions for Water, Soil & Geochemists

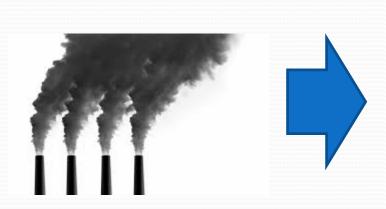
- What is the chemical composition of natural waters?
 - Will it change with time, location?
- What happens to chemical species when they enter new aquatic or non-aquatic environments?
 - How does transport affect the chemistry?
- What types of reactions occur in managed natural systems?
 - What do we need to do to make it work better?

Examples for Water Treatment

- How can we use chemistry to stop corrosion and dissolution of lead?
- What with the pH, alkalinity and hardness be after mixing two different types of water
 - e.g., groundwater and surface water
- How do we get the best performance from chemical precipitation processes
 - e.g., coagulation, softening
- What can we do to optimize oxidation treatments
 - e.g., removal of Mn, trace organic constituents

Solving real problems

 Why was this water treatment plant once perfectly designed for treating its raw water?

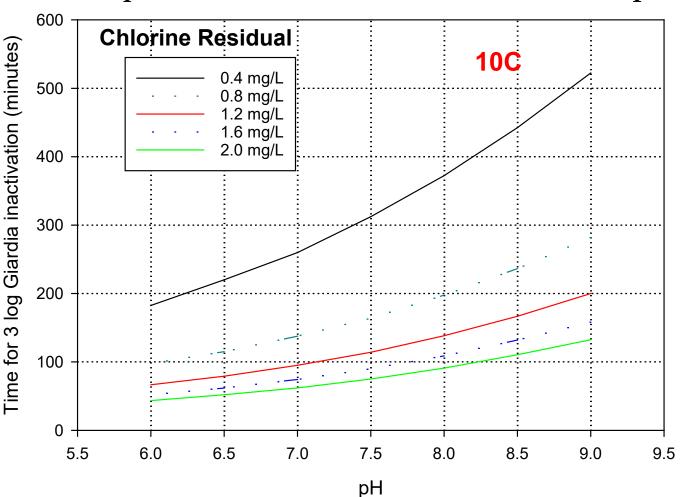




- Why has air pollution control rendered it far less effective?
- How can it be re-designed to work well again?

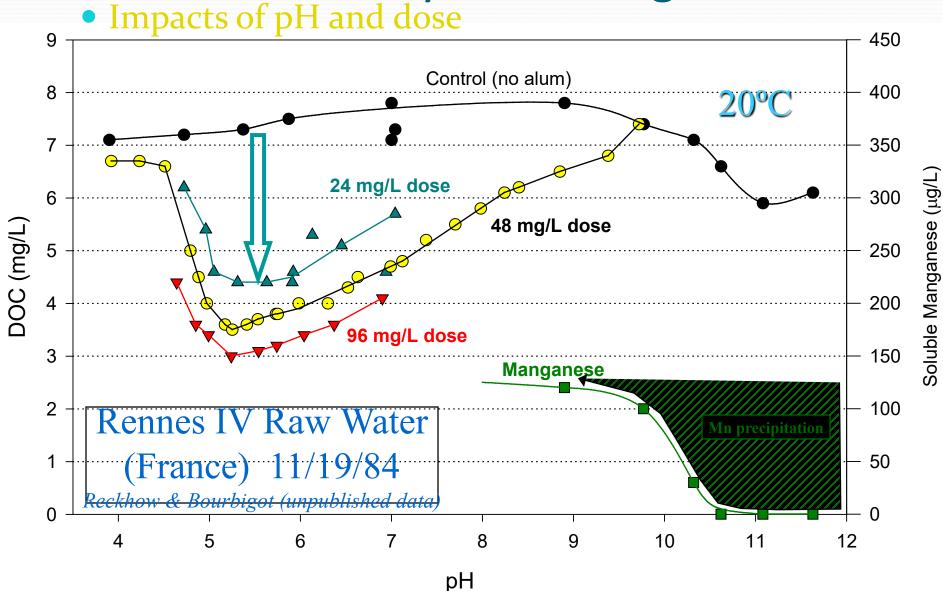
Disinfection with Free Chlorine

Required contact time increases with pH



Based on USEPA CT tables

DOC removal by alum coagulation



DBP Formation

1200

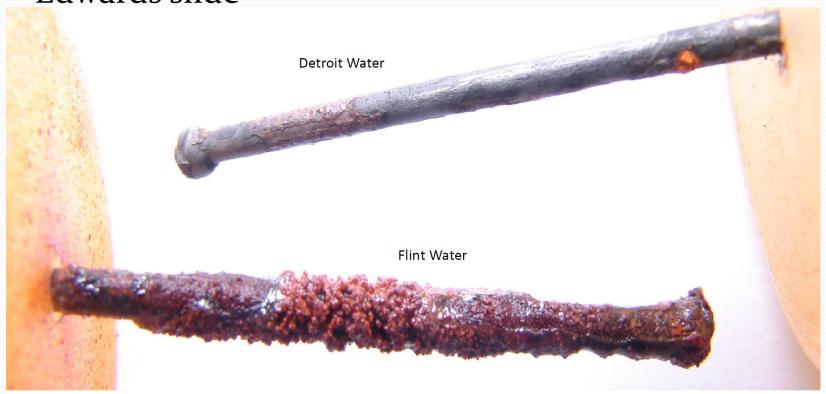
Effect of pH with free chlorine

TOX 1000 Concentration (µg/L) 800 600 **TTHM** 400 **TCAA** 200 DCAA 0 2 6 8 10 12 4

From: Reckhow & Singer, 1984 (4.2 mg/L TOC, 3 days, 20 mg/L dose, 20°C)

Flint water crisis

• Edwards slide



Steel Exposed One Month to Detroit vs. Flint River Water

Elemental abundance in fresh water

From: Stumm & Morgan, 1996; Benjamin, fig 1.4; Langmuir figure 8.12

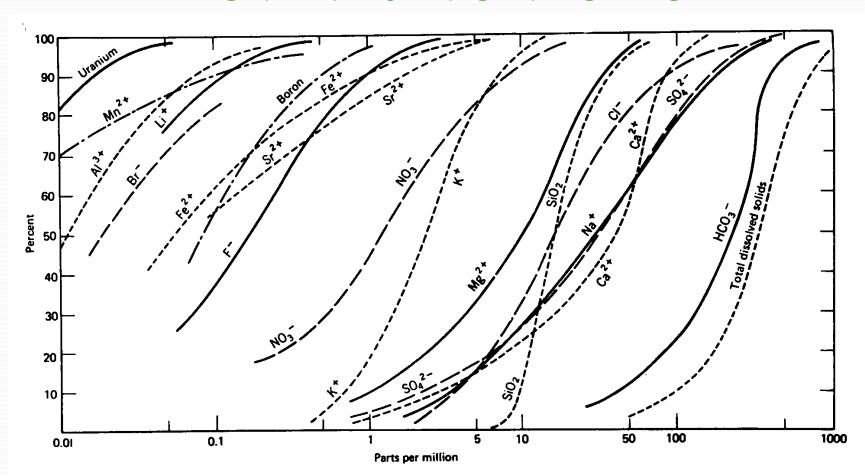


Figure 15.1. Cumulative curves showing the frequency distribution of various constituents in terrestrial water. Data are mostly from the United States from various sources. (Adapted from Davies and DeWiest, 1966.)

• <u>To next lecture</u>