Endocrine Disruptors and Persistent Organics in Ithaca NY.

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- CAYUGA FLOATING CLASSROOM



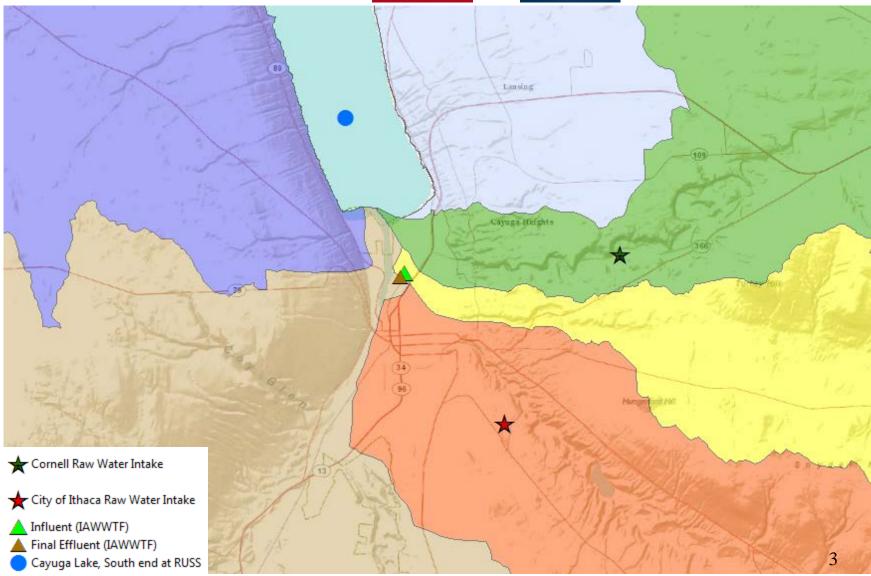




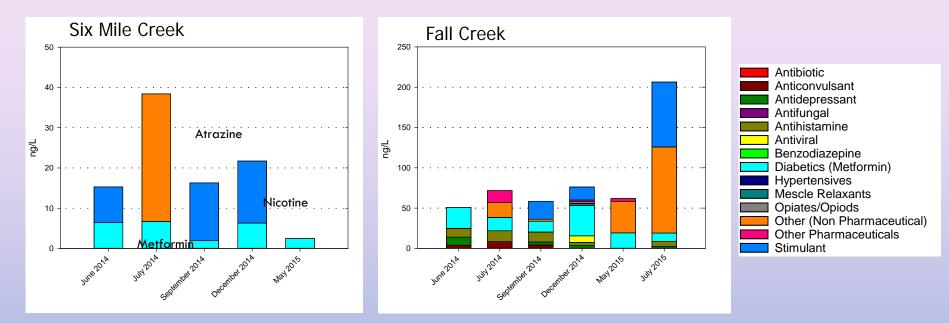






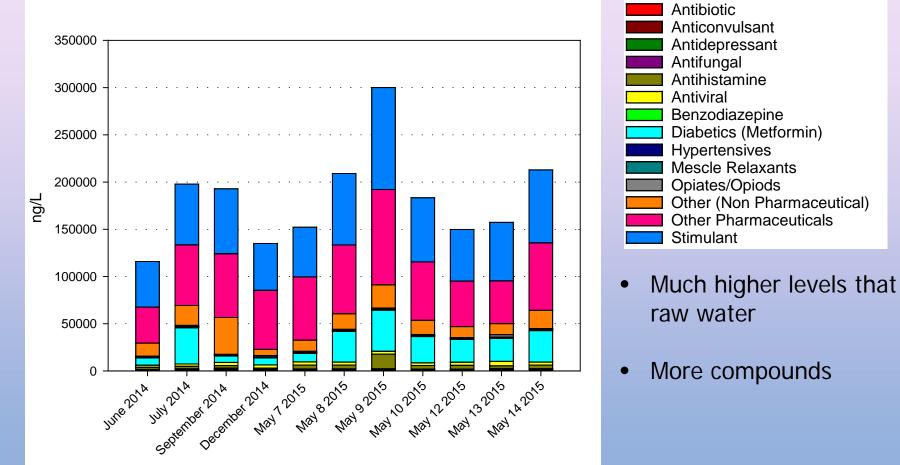


THE STARTING POINT: DRINKING WATER INTAKE



- Six Mile Creek water is cleaner than Fall Creek Water (note scales differ)
- Metformin, atrazine, nicotine, and acetaminophen found most often and at highest concentrations
- Detectable, reportable, but less than 1 pinch of salt on 10 tons of potato chips
- Doesn't mean that is what comes out of your sink! (just atrazine! 35 nanograms/L)

AFTER HUMAN USE: INFLUENT



INFLUENT: Caffeine Acetaminophen Metformin MAY 9, 2015 Methyl-1H-benzotriazole 1.7-Dimethylxanthine Fexofenadine Pseudoephedrine + ephedrine3 Acyclovir Nicotine Theophylline Atenolol Ranitidine Antibiotic Desvenlafaxine Diphenhydramine Anticonvulsant Morphine Trimethoprim Antidepressant Cotinine Sitagliptin Antifungal Methocarbamol Sulfamethoxazole Antihistamine Lidocaine Amphetamine Antiviral Tramadol Venlafaxine Benzodiazepine Citalopram Meprobamate **Diabetics** (Metformin) Diltiazem Cimetidine Hypertensives Metoprolol Quinine Mescle Relaxants Lamivudine Carbamazepine **Opiates/Opiods** Famotidine Piperonyl butoxide Other (Non Pharmaceutical) Codeine **Bupropion** Other Pharmaceuticals Fluconazole Dextromethorphan Stimulant Oxvcodone Fluoxetine Metaxalone Pentoxifylline Abacavir Penciclovir Nadalol Triamterene Ketoconazole Nizatidine Verapamil Desmethyldiltiazem Thiabendazole Amitriptyline Propranolol Sertraline Promethazine 10-Hydroxy-amitriptyline Atrazine Carisoprodol

Chlorpheniramine Norverapamil

Methadone Loratadine Fluvoxamine

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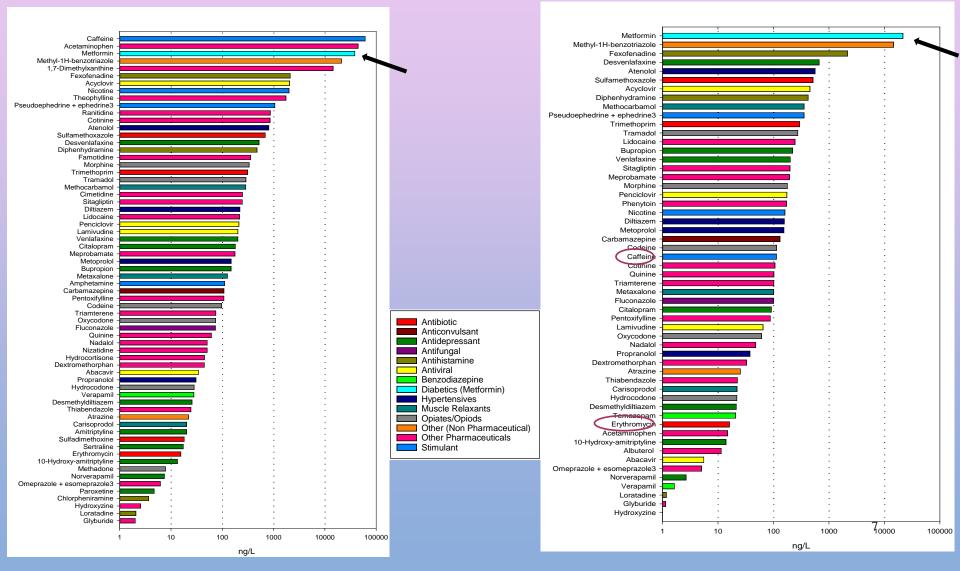
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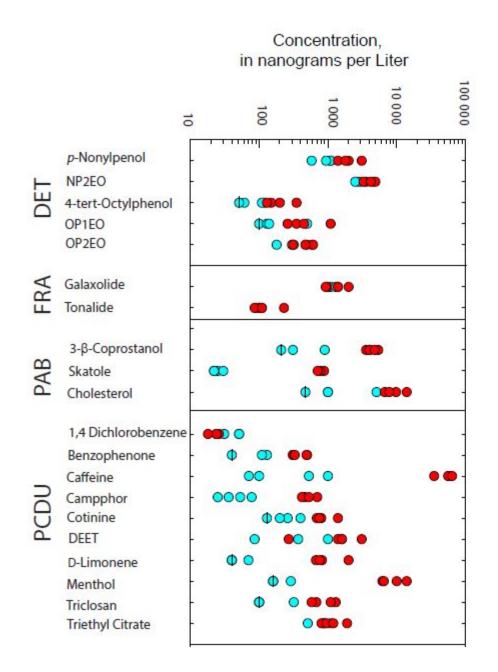
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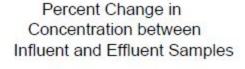
JULY 2014 SH2440 INFLUENT VS. EFFLUENT

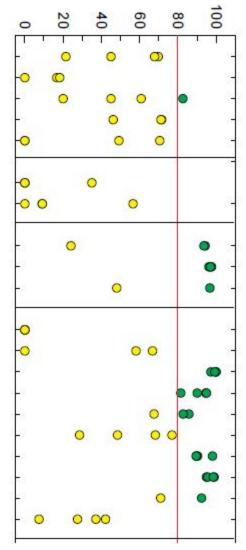


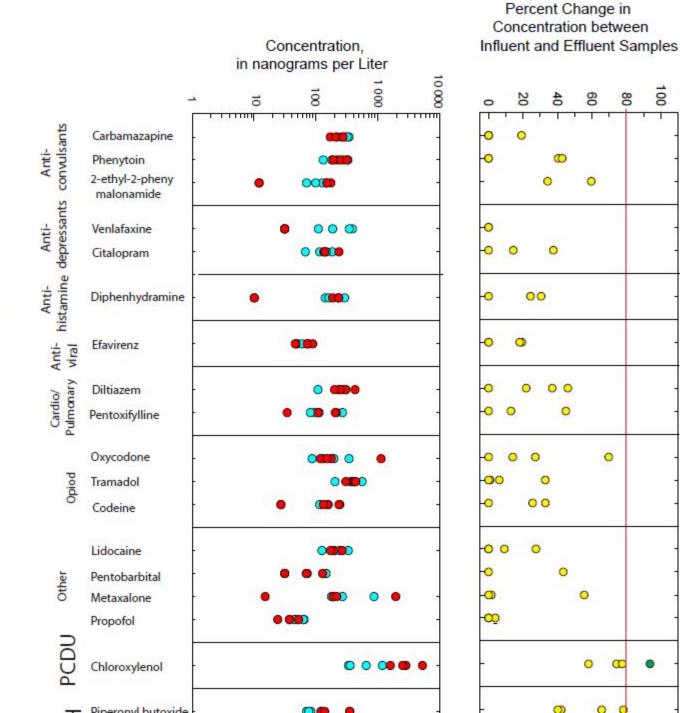
Influent

Effluent









Pharmaceuticals

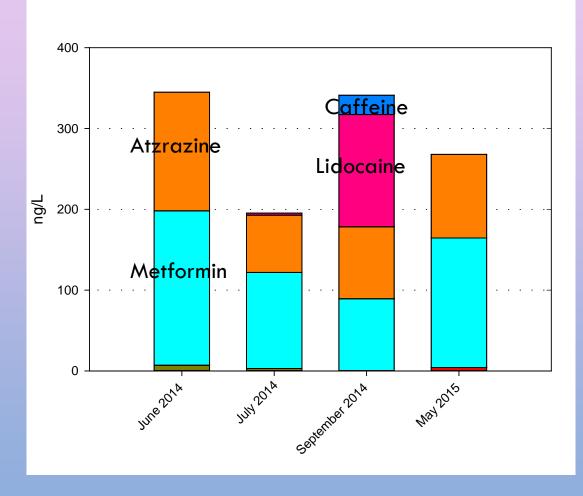
Treatment trend:

Polar escapes

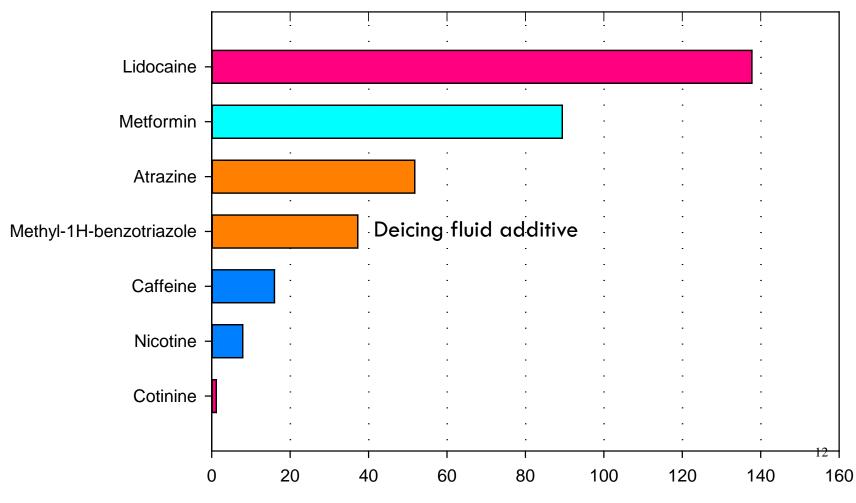
Lipophilic stays

THE ENDING POINT: CAYUGA LAKE

- Much lower concentrations than influent/effluent (100,000 to 300 ng/l)
- But some pharmaceuticals detectable



CAYUGA LAKE PHARMACEUTICALS SEPTEMBER 2014



ng/L

Compounds Always Detected

- Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate
- Common plasticizer, classified as a High Production Volume Chemical
- Caffeine
- DEET
- Prometon
- Herbicide used for landscaping; not used for food crops
- Sucralose
- Venlafaxine
- Antidepressant

		Removal		Removal
	Compound	efficiency	Compound	efficiency
DET				
	p-Nonylphenol	45%	anti-depresants	
	4-ter-Octylphenol	60%	Bupropion	0%
			Citalopram	0%
PHARM			Desvenlafaxine	0%
	Albuterol	0%		
	Carbamazapin	0%	anti-histaminics	
	Carisoprodol	0%	Chlorpeniramine	0%
	Dextrpmethormophan	0%	Diphenyldramine	0%
	Lidocaine	0%	Fexofenidine	0%
	Meprobamate	0%		
	Metaxalone	0%	cardio/pulmonary	
	Metmorphin	0%	Atenonol	0%
	Methocarbamol	0%	Diltiazem	0%
	Trimethoprim	0%	Pentoxyifyline	0%
	Venlafaxine	0%	Traimterene	0%
	Efavirenz	10%		
	Penciclovor	0%	opiods	
Other			Codeine	0%
	Methyl-1H-benzotriazole	0%	Methadone	0%
	Piperonyl butoxide	20%	Oxycodone	0%
	Propofol	5%	Tramadol	0%

Alternatives:

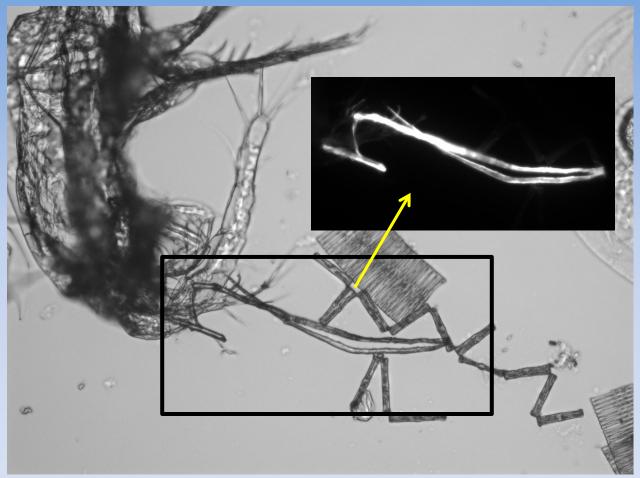
Avoidance

UV-O3 / Filtration

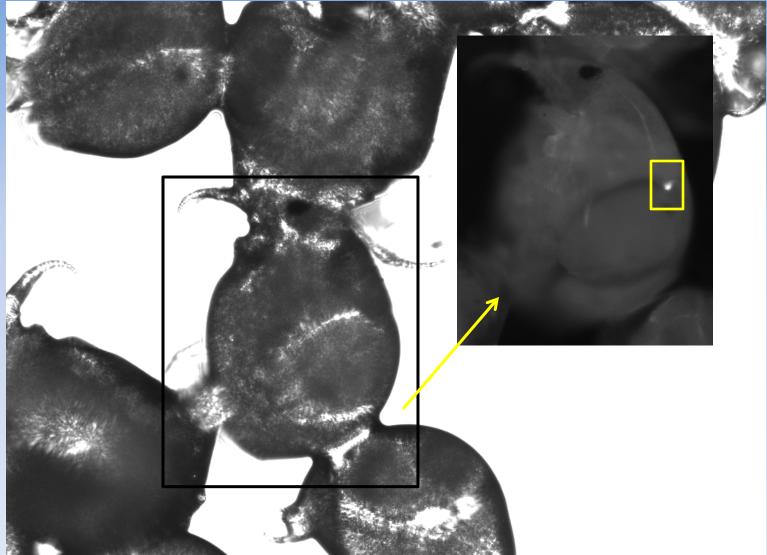
Selective adsorption/desorption (cyclodextrins)

EAG Technology

Also of Concern: Microplastics Crowbar Sample



Near East Shore Sailing Dock, 2016, appears to be in GI tract





All USGS data will be on the NWIS data base

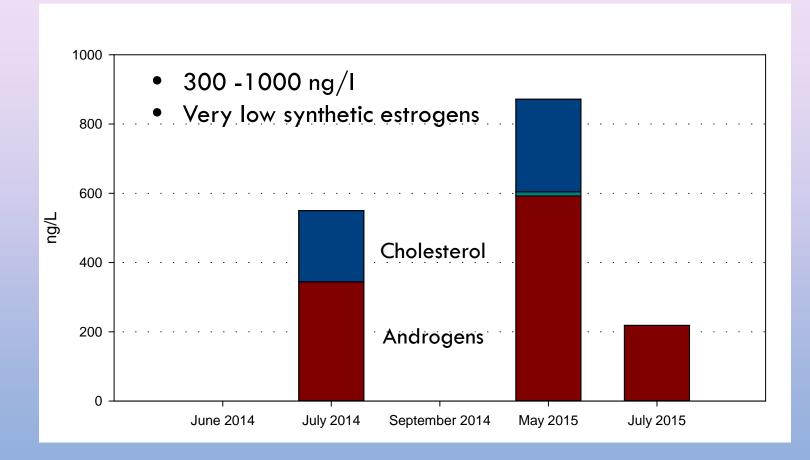
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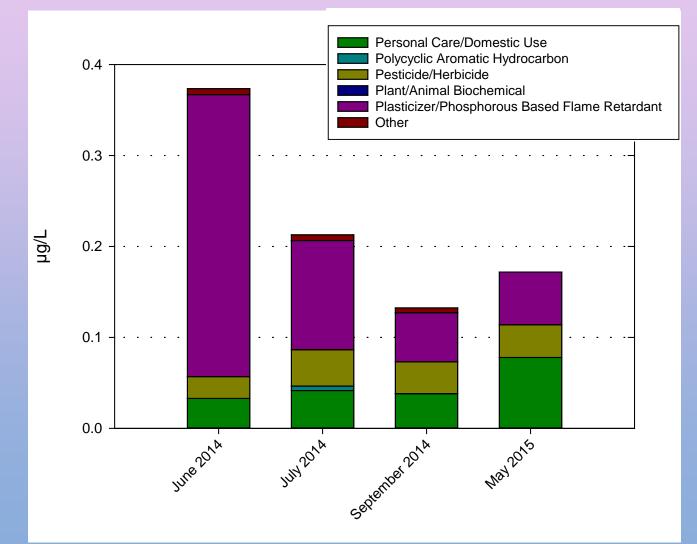
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THE ENDING POINT: CAYUGA LAKE HORMONES



CAYUGA LAKE: WASTEWATER COMPOUNDS



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