

# APPENDIX A

## EFDC WATER QUALITY MODEL PARAMETERS AND KINETIC COEFFICIENTS

Lake Thunderbird, Oklahoma

Table 1. Kinetic Coefficients for Cyanobacteria

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Maximum growth rate for Cyanobacteria (/day)		1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.00	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Basal metabolism rate for Cyanobacteria (/day)		0.06	0.07	0.055	0.055	0.07	0.06	0.055	0.055	0.055	0.07
Settling velocity for Cyanobacteria (m/day)		0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Predation rate onCyanobacteria (/day)		0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Carbon-to-Chl ratio for Cyanobacteria (mg C/μg Chl)	0.01										
Nitrogen-to-Carbon ratio for Cyanobacteria (g N/g C)	0.167										
Constant 1 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	42										
Constant 2 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	85										
Constant 3 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	200										
Oxygen-to-Carbon ratio (g O2/g C)	2.67										
Oxygen-to-Nitrogen (NO3) ratio (g O2/g N)	4.33										
N half-saturation constant for Cyanobacteria (mg N/L)	0.025										
P half-saturation constant for Cyanobacteria (mg P/L)	0.018										
Suboptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0060										
Superoptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0060										
Lower optimal temperature for growth (deg-C)	30										
Upper optimal temperature for growth(deg-C)	30										
Reference temperature for basal metabolism (Deg-C)	20										
Temperature coefficient for basal metabolism	0.0690										
Optimal depth for growth (meters)	1.0										

Table 2. Kinetic Coefficients for Diatoms

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Maximum growth rate for diatoms (/day)		2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20	1.00	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20
Basal metabolism rate for diatoms (/day)		0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Settling velocity for diatoms (m/day)		0.04	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.001	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10
Predation rate on diatoms (/day)		0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
Carbon-to-Chl ratio for algae:diatoms (mg C/ $\mu$ g Chl)	0.05										
Nitrogen-to-Carbon ratio for diatoms (g N/g C)	0.167										
Constant 1 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	42										
Constant 2 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	85										
Constant 3 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	200										
Oxygen-to-Carbon ratio (g O <sub>2</sub> /g C)	2.67										
Oxygen-to-Nitrogen (NO <sub>3</sub> ) ratio (g O <sub>2</sub> /g N)	4.33										
N half-saturation constant for diatoms (mg N/L)	0.065										
P half-saturation constant for diatoms (mg P/L)	0.006										
Suboptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0025										
Superoptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0120										
Lower optimal temperature for growth (deg-C)	18										
Upper optimal temperature for growth(deg-C)	20										
Reference temperature for basal metabolism (Deg-C)	20										
Temperature coefficient for basal metabolism	0.0690										
Optimal depth for growth (meters)	1.0										

Table 3. Kinetic Coefficients for Green Algae

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Maximum growth rate for greens (/day)		1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.00	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80
Basal metabolism rate for greens (/day)		0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08
Settling velocity for greens (m/day)		0.04	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Predation rate on greens (/day)		0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Carbon-to-Chl ratio for algae:greens (mg C/ $\mu$ g Chl)	0.065										
Nitrogen-to-Carbon ratio for greens (g N/g C)	0.167										
Constant 1 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	42										
Constant 2 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	85										
Constant 3 used in determining algae C:P ratio (gC / G P)	200										
Oxygen-to-Carbon ratio (g O <sub>2</sub> /g C)	2.67										
Oxygen-to-Nitrogen (NO <sub>3</sub> ) ratio (g O <sub>2</sub> /g N)	4.33										
N half-saturation constant for greens (mg N/L)	0.045										
P half-saturation constant for greens (mg P/L)	0.010										
Suboptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0100										
Superoptimal temperature coefficient for growth	0.0100										
Lower optimal temperature for growth (deg-C)	25										
Upper optimal temperature for growth(deg-C)	25										
Reference temperature for basal metabolism (Deg-C)	20										
Temperature coefficient for basal metabolism	0.0690										
Optimal depth for growth (meters)	1.0										

Table 4. Light Attenuation Coefficients

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Background light extinction coefficient (1/m)		1.0	5.0	2.2	1.8	2.3	0.5	1.8	1.8	2.0	3.0
Light extinction due to TSS (1/m per mg/L)	0.052										
Light extinction due to chlorophyll a (1/m per mg/L)	0.031										
Light extinction due to POC (1/m per mg/L)	0.078										
Photosynthetic Fraction of Incident Light (PAR)	0.43										

Table 5. Kinetic Coefficients for Organic Carbon

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Algae predation, carbon fraction to RPOC	0.28										
Algae predation, carbon fraction to LPOC	0.12										
Algae predation, carbon fraction to DOC	0.60										
Fraction of basal metabolism excreted as DOC, cyanobacteria	0.25										
Fraction of basal metabolism excreted as DOC, diatoms	0.25										
Fraction of basal metabolism excreted as DOC, greens	0.25										
Oxygen half-sat constant for algae DOC excretion, cyabobacteria (g O <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>3</sup> )	0.50										
Oxygen half-sat constant for algae DOC excretion, diatoms (g O <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>3</sup> )	0.50										
Oxygen half-sat constant for algae DOC excretion, greens (g O <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>3</sup> )	0.50										
Minimum dissolution rate of RPOC (/day)	0.005										
Minimum dissolution rate of LPOC (/day)	0.075										
Minimum heterotrophic respiration rate of DOC (/day)	0.01										
Constant relating RPOC Diss. rate to total Chl-a	0.00										
Constant relating LPOC Diss. rate to total Chl-a	0.00										
Constant relating DOC Resp. rate to total Chl-a	0.00										
Reference temprature for dissolution (degC)	20.00										
Reference temprature for mineralization (degC)	20.00										
Temperature effect coefficient for dissolution	0.069										
Temperature effect coefficient for mineralization	0.069										
Half-Saturation constant for denitrification (g N/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.10										
Ratio of denitrification rate to oxic DOC respiration rate	0.50										
Settling velocity for RPOC (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Settling velocity for LPOC (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2

Table 6. Kinetic Coefficients for Organic Phosphorus

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Algae predation, phosphorus fraction to RPOP	0.21										
Algae predation, phosphorus fraction to LPOP	0.09										
Algae predation, phosphorus fraction to DOP	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as RPOP, cyanobacteria	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as RPOP, diatoms	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as RPOP, greens	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as LPOP, cyanobacteria	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as LPOP, diatoms	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as LPOP, greens	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as DOP, cyanobacteria	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as DOP, diatoms	0.20										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as DOP, greens	0.20										
Minimum hydrolysis rate of RPOP (/day)	0.005										
Minimum hydrolysis rate of LPOP (/day)	0.075										
Minimum mineralization rate of DOP (/day)	0.10										
Constant relating hydrolysis rate of RPOP to algae	0.00										
Constant relating hydrolysis rate of LPOP to algae	0.00										
Constant relating mineralization rate of DOP to algae	0.20										
Settling velocity for RPOP (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Settling velocity for LPOP (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2

Table 7. Kinetic Coefficients for Total Phosphate

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Algae predation, phosphorus fraction to Inorganic-P	0.50										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as P4T, cyanobacteria	0.40										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as P4T, diatoms	0.40										
Fraction of metabolized P produced as P4T, greens	0.40										
Partition coefficient for sorbed/dissolved PO4 (to TSS or TAM)	0.04										

Table 8. Kinetic Coefficients for Organic Nitrogen

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Algae predation, nitrogen fraction to RPON	0.28										
Algae predation, nitrogen fraction to LPON	0.12										
Algae predation, nitrogen fraction to DON	0.35										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as RPON, cyanobacteria	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as RPON, diatoms	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as RPON, greens	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as LPON, cyanobacteria	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as LPON, diatoms	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as LPON, greens	0.075										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DON, cyanobacteria	0.25										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DON, diatoms	0.25										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DON, greens	0.25										
Minimum hydrolysis rate of RPON (/day)	0.005										
Minimum hydrolysis rate of LPON (/day)	0.100										
Minimum mineralization rate of DON (/day)	0.030										
Constant relating hydrolysis rate of RPON to algae	0.000										
Constant relating hydrolysis rate of LPON to algae	0.000										
Constant relating mineralization rate of DON to algae	0.000										
Settling velocity for RPON (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Settling velocity for LPON (m/day)		0.04	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2

Table 9. Kinetic Coefficients for Organic Ammonia and Nitrate/Nitrite

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Algae predation, nitrogen fraction to DIN	0.25										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DIN, cyanobacteria	0.60										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DIN, diatoms	0.60										
Fraction of metabolized N produced as DIN, greens	0.60										
Mass NO <sub>3</sub> reduces per DOC oxidized (gN / g C)	0.933										
Maximum nitrification rate (gN /m <sup>3</sup> /day)	0.08										
Oxygen half-Sat constant for nitrification (gO <sub>2</sub> / m <sup>3</sup> )	1.00										
NH <sub>4</sub> half-saturation constant for nitrification (gN / m <sup>3</sup> )	1.00										
Reference temperature for nitrification (degC)	21.00										
Suboptimal temperature coefficient for nitrification	0.0450										
Superoptimal temperature coefficient for nitrification	0.0045										

Table 10. Kinetic Coefficients for Chemical Oxygen Demand

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Oxygen Half-Sat constant for COD decay (mg/L O <sub>2</sub> )	1.50										
COD decay rate (/day)	0.10										
Reference temperature for COD decay (degC)	20.00										
Temperature rate constant for COD decay	0.041										

Table 11. Kinetic Coefficients for Dissolved Oxygen

Kinetic Coefficient	Zones										
	Global	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Reaeration Option Switch		2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
Reaeration Rate Constant		3.933	3.933	1	1	3.933	1	1	1	1	1
Reaeration constant (3.933 for O'Connor-Dobbins; 5.32 for Owen-Gibbs)	1.00										
Temperature rate constant for reaeration	1.024										