

Lead Contamination of the Surface Water at the Old Baccu Locci Mine Area in Sardinia, Italy

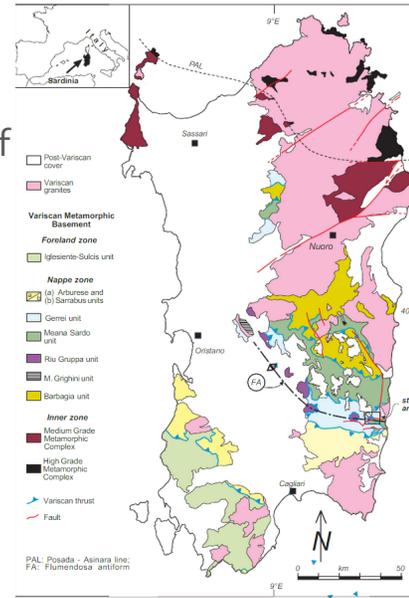
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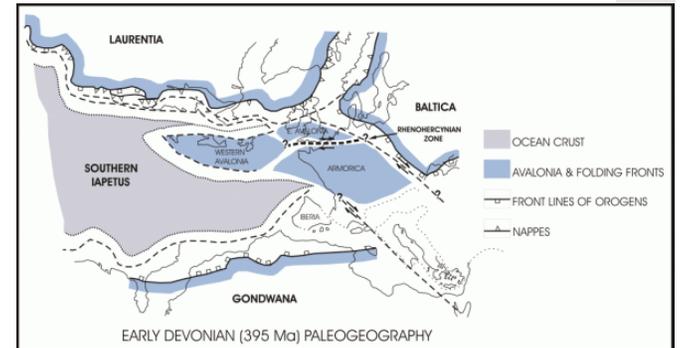
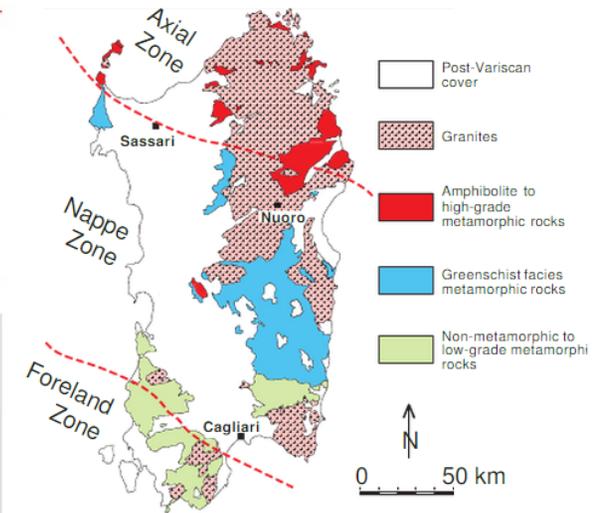
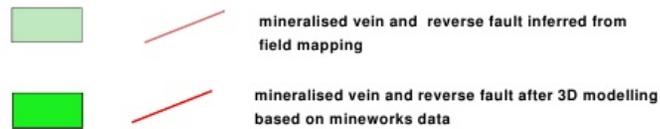
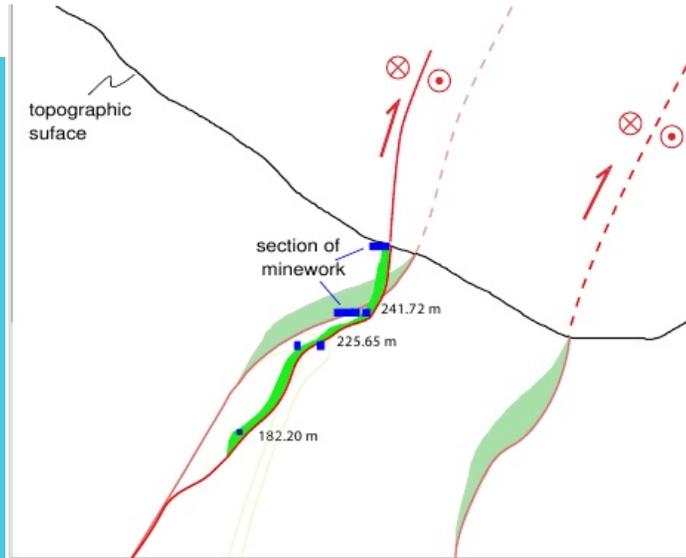
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Background

- Located in the South East of Sardinia, near Villaputzu, Cagliari Province
- Mining shut down in mid to late 20th century
- Baccu Locci is an arsenic, lead and zinc mine
- Severe As contamination also
- Pillar and stall mining technique
- World Health Organization limits 10 micrograms/L
- Italian Limits 50 micrograms/L.... 5x that of the WHO!



Background-Geology



Repercussions of Lead contamination

Blood Lead Level	Health Effects
Blood lead levels below 5µg/dL	<p>Children:</p> <p>Decreased academic achievement, decreased IQ, and decreases in specific cognitive measures, increased incidence of attention-related behaviors and problem behaviors</p> <p>Adults:</p> <p>Decreased kidney function, maternal blood lead associated with reduced fetal growth</p>
Blood lead levels below 10µg/dL	<p>Children:</p> <p>Delayed puberty, reduced postnatal growth, decreased IQ and decreased hearing</p> <p>Adults:</p> <p>Increased blood pressure, increased risk of hypertension, and increased incidence of essential tremor</p>

Previous Study

- Franco Frau's Paper 'Environmental geochemistry and mineralogy of lead at the old mine area of Baccu Locci (south-east Sardinia, Italy)'
- Focused on the precipitation or dissolution of Pb bearing Jarosite, which I didn't find in my modeling.
- His results of speciation-solubility calculations with PHREEQC and field evidence suggest that Pb could precipitate as As-containing plumbojarosite
- He admits to possibly poor and unreliable results of his Pb and Pb-As jarosite

My Study

- Selection of 2 important sample sites for comparison.
- Further Investigation as to the affect of pH on the saturation of Pb bearing minerals

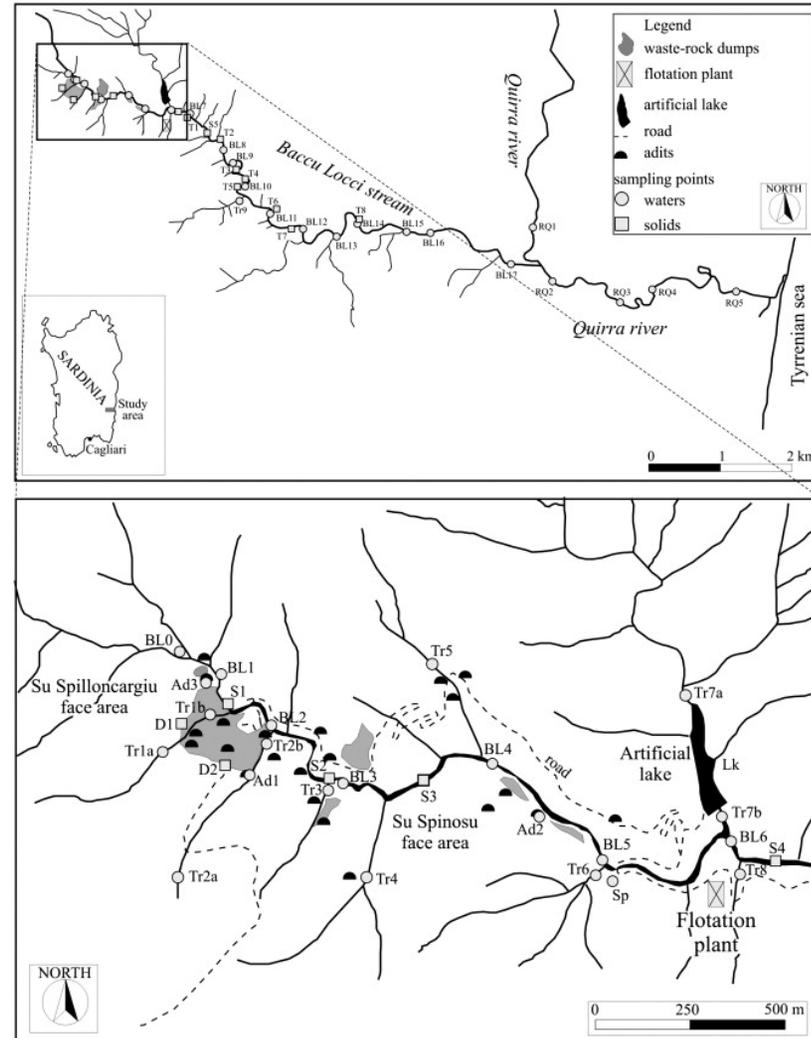


Table of results from sampling

Sample	T °C	pH	Eh V	TDS g/L	Ca mg/L	Mg	Na	K	Alk	Cl	SO ₄	SiO ₂	Al µg/L	Mn	Fe	Cu	Zn	As	Cd	Pb
BL0	11	7.7	0.48	0.21	35	12	22	<1.4	110	50	33	5.1	43	1.8	24	6	61	15	1.3	0.97
BL1	11	7.8	0.50	0.22	38	12	22	<1.4	110	48	42	5.6	53	11	21	26	360	110	5.5	3.8
BL2	11	7.7	0.50	0.26	43	13	21	<1.4	91	47	79	6.2	140	74	19	83	5900	90	91	23
BL3	11	7.5	0.54	0.26	42	13	20	<1.4	74	44	92	6.7	25	5.4	<6.2	29	4200	200	85	12
BL4	12	7.6	0.50	0.19	29	9	18	<1.4	64	37	53	5.8	130	13	64	40	1700	160	40	29
BL5	12	7.5	0.48	0.19	30	10	19	<1.4	61	37	58	6.0	140	21	69	37	1400	150	32	26
BL6	11	7.9	0.48	0.23	37	12	20	<1.4	62	44	77	6.4	38	5.4	20	14	650	270	15	7.4
BL7	12	7.9	0.45	0.22	36	11	19	1.7	57	39	74	6.3	120	9.8	66	26	470	300	10	16
BL8	12	7.9	0.47	0.23	39	11	19	1.8	55	40	83	6.2	69	2.9	48	15	180	480	4.4	9.9
BL9	12	7.9	0.47	0.26	44	12	20	1.8	64	41	97	6.7	35	1.8	22	9.5	170	560	4.3	4.8
BL10	12	7.9	0.48	0.28	51	13	21	2.0	66	43	110	6.5	11	0.8	10	8.1	140	720	4.2	2.1
BL11	12	8.0	0.47	0.22	35	11	21	2.0	53	45	72	7.0	30	1.3	28	5.9	71	370	2.2	1.2
BL12	12	7.8	0.47	0.24	39	12	22	2.1	62	46	78	7.3	3.1	0.53	<6.2	4.2	68	480	2.3	0.49
BL13	11	7.7	0.48	0.22	34	11	23	1.7	59	49	66	6.9	5.1	0.32	<6.6	5.5	56	490	1.9	0.64
BL14	11	7.8	0.48	0.27	39	14	28	2.0	71	58	79	7.6	4.2	0.81	<6.6	5.6	50	450	1.8	0.47
BL15	11	7.6	0.48	0.25	37	12	25	2.0	66	54	74	8.8	5	0.38	<6.6	4.9	33	440	1.2	0.57
BL16	14	7.7	0.45	0.27	40	14	26	1.8	71	54	87	11	4.1	0.58	<6.2	3.2	30	370	1.1	0.55
BL17	15	7.0	0.47	0.42	70	19	34	2.5	110	59	160	10	8.9	114	21	8	188	670	2.71	1.82
RQ1	11	7.5	0.48	0.29	47	18	25	1.3	160	48	54	8.1	4.6	78	110	1.6	14	2	0.11	1.2
RQ2	12	7.4	0.48	0.28	47	18	28	1.7	170	53	39	9.1	3.1	57	62	2.1	22	22	0.15	1.6
RQ3	12	7.3	0.49	0.30	51	20	25	1.4	180	44	54	9.3	7.8	120	142	1.7	40	31	0.62	1.6
RQ4	13	7.6	0.48	0.83	64	37	170	7.1	220	360	68	9.7	3.2	71	168	1.3	9.0	25	0.13	0.77
RQ5	12	7.9	0.47	1.70	69	68	420	16	200	870	140	8.2	4.5	28	53	2.9	9.0	24	0.13	0.77
Tr1a	11	8.1	0.48	0.27	51	14	23	<1.4	150	54	40	5.2	40	15	17	19	760	24	11	4.8
Tr1b	11	7.1	0.56	0.48	60	20	21	<1.4	70	46	230	8.6	1100	1200	41	880	45000	30	670	42
Tr2a	11	7.9	0.48	0.25	49	13	22	<1.4	160	49	34	5.5	33	8.4	9.7	57	370	33	17	91
Tr2b	11	7.3	0.54	0.41	50	16	19	1.6	89	41	180	8.3	650	750	14	1000	47000	11	940	250
Tr3	11	7.9	0.53	0.20	27	11	21	<1.4	45	44	68	8.0	670	160	8.0	43	320	130	7.3	3.7
Tr4	11	7.9	0.46	0.19	29	10	23	<1.4	74	49	38	5.1	35	0.9	20	10	55	4.0	1.4	4.8
Tr6	12	8.1	0.48	0.25	36	14	29	1.6	120	57	44	7.7	15	2.9	20	2.1	11	71	0.14	1.4
Tr7a	11	8.0	0.49	0.29	59	14	22	<1.4	170	51	53	6.3	3.0	0.81	<6.2	1.9	21	250	0.23	0.31
Tr7b	11	8.1	0.47	0.40	78	21	33	2.3	240	72	70	7.2	1.0	3.8	8.9	1.4	17	500	0.37	0.64
Tr9	12	7.5	0.47	0.16	19	8.1	21	1.9	31	44	38	7.2	53	1.2	33	4.8	30	11	0.55	1.0
Lk	11	8.0	0.47	0.32	59	18	28	2.2	190	61	54	3.2	4.5	5.6	17	20	220	0.42	0.58	
Ad1	11	4.4	0.69	1.99	83	47	13	4.6	-	28	1200	23	3100	5900	396	6900	510000	10	1100	1600
Ad2	11	4.8	0.53	1.03	160	52	28	2.7	-	49	670	22	6900	3300	4509	140	9700	120	61	240
Ad3	11	7.4	0.52	0.39	56	25	20	1.7	51	36	210	16	260	410	19	27	3300	120	22	2.0

Alkalinity (Alk) is reported as HCO₃. BL=Bacu Locci stream waters; RQ=Rio Quirra river; Tr=tributaries; Ad=adit waters.

PHREEQC MODELLING- BL6 sample site

Reading input data for simulation 1.

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TITLE BL6 Initial Results
SOLUTION 1
  pH 7.9
  temp 11
  pe 79.87
  units mg/L
  Alkalinity 62
  Al 0.038
  Cd 0.015
  Ca 37
  Cl 44
  Cu 0.014
  Fe 0.02
  Pb 0.0074
  Mg 12
  Mn 0.0054
  K 1.4
  Si 6.4 as SiO2
  Na 20
  S 77 as SO4-2
  Zn 0.65
EQUILIBRIUM_PHASES 1
  O2(g) -0.678
  CO2(g) -3.46
END
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-----Solution composition-----

Elements	Molality	Moles
Al	1.330e-06	1.330e-06
Alkalinity	1.183e-03	1.183e-03
Ca	8.810e-04	8.810e-04
Cd	1.270e-07	1.270e-07
Cl	1.262e-03	1.262e-03
Cu	2.076e-07	2.076e-07
Fe	3.441e-07	3.441e-07
K	3.592e-05	3.592e-05
Mg	4.710e-04	4.710e-04
Mn	9.670e-08	9.670e-08
Na	8.728e-04	8.728e-04
Pb	3.396e-08	3.396e-08
S	7.624e-04	7.624e-04
Si	1.066e-04	1.066e-04
Zn	9.452e-06	9.452e-06

-----Description of solution-----

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pH = 7.900
pe = 79.870
Activity of water = 0.100
Ionic strength = 5.565e-03
Mass of water (kg) = 1.000e+00
Total carbon (mol/kg) = 1.546e-03
Total CO2 (mol/kg) = 1.546e-03
Temperature (deg C) = 11.000
Electrical balance (eq) = -3.325e-04
Percent error, 100*(Cat-|An|)/(Cat+|An|) = -4.60
Iterations = 101
Total H = 1.110140e+02
Total O = 2.055514e+03
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	Pb				
	3.396e-08				
PbCO3	3.186e-08	3.190e-08	-7.497	-7.496	0.001
Pb+2	8.875e-10	6.503e-10	-9.052	-9.187	-0.135
PbHCO3+	5.928e-10	5.485e-10	-9.227	-9.261	-0.034
Pb(CO3)2-2	3.086e-10	2.261e-10	-9.511	-9.646	-0.135
PbSO4	1.832e-10	1.834e-10	-9.737	-9.737	0.001
PbOH+	1.089e-10	1.007e-10	-9.963	-9.997	-0.034
PbCl+	2.268e-11	2.098e-11	-10.644	-10.678	-0.034
Pb(SO4)2-2	6.589e-13	4.828e-13	-12.181	-12.316	-0.135
Pb(OH)2	3.109e-13	3.113e-13	-12.507	-12.507	0.001
PbCl2	5.098e-14	5.105e-14	-13.293	-13.292	0.001
PbCl3-	4.670e-17	4.321e-17	-16.331	-16.364	-0.034
Pb(OH)3-	3.068e-17	2.839e-17	-16.513	-16.547	-0.034
Pb2OH+3	2.952e-18	1.466e-18	-17.530	-17.834	-0.304
PbCl4-2	2.941e-20	2.155e-20	-19.532	-19.667	-0.135
Pb(OH)4-2	7.049e-22	5.166e-22	-21.152	-21.287	-0.135

PHREEQC MODELING- RQ5

TITLE RQ5 initial results
SOLUTION 1

pH 7.9
temp 12
pe 79.87
units mg/L
Alkalinity 200
Al 0.0045
Cd 0.00013
Ca 69
Cl 870
Cu 0.0029
Fe 0.053
Pb 0.00077
Mg 68
Mn 0.028
K 16
Si 8.2 as SiO2
Na 420
S 140 as SO4-2
Zn 0.009
EQUILIBRIUM_PHASES 1
O2(g) -0.678
CO2(g) -3.46

END

-----Solution composition-----

Elements	Molality	Moles
Al	1.573e-07	1.573e-07
Alkalinity	4.413e-03	4.413e-03
Ca	1.664e-03	1.664e-03
Cd	1.118e-09	1.118e-09
Cl	2.423e-02	2.423e-02
Cu	4.300e-08	4.300e-08
Fe	9.006e-07	9.006e-07
K	4.133e-04	4.133e-04
Mg	2.704e-03	2.704e-03
Mn	5.035e-07	5.035e-07
Na	1.788e-02	1.788e-02
Pb	3.588e-09	3.588e-09
S	1.411e-03	1.411e-03
Si	1.367e-04	1.367e-04
Zn	1.349e-07	1.349e-07

-----Description of solution-----

pH = 7.900
pe = 79.870
Activity of water = 0.100
Ionic strength = 3.380e-02
Mass of water (kg) = 1.000e+00
Total carbon (mol/kg) = 5.614e-03
Total CO2 (mol/kg) = 5.614e-03
Temperature (deg C) = 12.000
Electrical balance (eq) = -4.433e-03
Percent error, 100*(Cat-|An|)/(|Cat+|An|) = -7.75
Iterations = 101
Total H = 1.110173e+02
Total O = 2.055528e+03

Pb	3.588e-09				
PbCO3	3.301e-09	3.326e-09	-8.481	-8.478	0.003
Pb(CO3)2-2	1.594e-10	8.178e-11	-9.798	-10.087	-0.290
PbHCO3+	6.572e-11	5.562e-11	-10.182	-10.255	-0.072
Pb+2	3.810e-11	1.956e-11	-10.419	-10.709	-0.290
PbCl+	1.338e-11	1.132e-11	-10.874	-10.946	-0.072
PbSO4	6.504e-12	6.555e-12	-11.187	-11.183	0.003
PbOH+	3.578e-12	3.029e-12	-11.446	-11.519	-0.072
PbCl2	4.677e-13	4.714e-13	-12.330	-12.327	0.003
Pb(SO4)2-2	3.995e-14	2.050e-14	-13.398	-13.688	-0.290
Pb(OH)2	9.287e-15	9.360e-15	-14.032	-14.029	0.003
PbCl3-	8.288e-15	7.015e-15	-14.082	-14.154	-0.072
PbCl4-2	1.201e-16	6.161e-17	-15.921	-16.210	-0.290
Pb(OH)3-	1.009e-18	8.536e-19	-17.996	-18.069	-0.072
Pb2OH+3	5.948e-21	1.326e-21	-20.226	-20.877	-0.652
Pb(OH)4-2	3.027e-23	1.553e-23	-22.519	-22.809	-0.290

Comparison

Molarity to micrograms/L

$$207.2 \times 3.396 \times 10^{-8} =$$

$$7.04 \times 10^{-6} \text{g/L}$$

$$7.4 \text{micrograms/L}$$

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Cd	1.270e-07	1.270e-07	Cd	1.118e-09	1.118e-09
Cl	1.262e-03	1.262e-03	Cl	2.423e-02	2.423e-02
Cu	2.076e-07	2.076e-07	Cu	4.300e-08	4.300e-08
Fe	3.441e-07	3.441e-07	Fe	9.006e-07	9.006e-07
K	3.592e-05	3.592e-05	K	4.133e-04	4.133e-04
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Dilution and/or Sorption onto Ferrihydrites

$$207.2 \times 3.588 \times 10^{-9} =$$

$$7.43 \times 10^{-7} \text{g/L}$$

$$0.74 \text{micrograms/L}$$

PHREEQC MODELING- Affect of changing pH on saturation of Pb-bearing minerals

Reading input data for simulation 1.

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TITLE BL6 Initial Results
SOLUTION 1
  pH 7.9
  temp 11
  pe 79.87
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  Cl 44
  Cu 0.014
  Fe 0.02
  Pb 0.0074
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  Mn 0.0054
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  Si 6.4 as SiO2
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Reminder of original data from BL6 at
normal conditions (pH 7.9)

Resultant Mineralogy

-----Saturation indices-----

Phase	SI	log IAP	log KT	
Al(OH)3(a)	-0.48	11.28	11.76	Al(OH)3
Albite	5.90	11.16	5.26	NaAlSi3O8
Alunite	1.65	2.06	0.41	KAl3(SO4)2(OH)6
→ Anglesite	-4.62	-12.49	-7.87	PbSO4
Anhydrite	-2.18	-6.52	-4.33	CaSO4
Anorthite	4.92	33.19	28.27	CaAl2Si2O8
Aragonite	-0.51	-8.77	-8.26	CaCO3
Ca-Montmorillonite	14.19	23.44	9.25	Ca0.165Al2.33Si3.67O10(OH)2
Calcite	-0.35	-8.77	-8.41	CaCO3
Cd(OH)2	-6.96	6.69	13.65	Cd(OH)2
CdSiO3	-3.95	5.71	9.66	CdSiO3
CdSO4	-10.85	-10.41	0.43	CdSO4
→ Cerrusite	-1.43	-14.74	-13.31	PbCO3
Chalcedony	1.75	-1.97	-3.72	SiO2
Chlorite(14A)	-1.65	72.20	73.85	Mg5Al2Si3O10(OH)8
Chrysotile	-6.03	27.99	34.02	Mg3Si2O5(OH)4
CO2(g)	-2.14	-20.35	-18.21	CO2
Dolomite	-1.05	-17.80	-16.75	CaMg(CO3)2
Fe(OH)3(a)	1.62	6.51	4.89	Fe(OH)3
FeS(pppt)	-742.41	-795.52	-53.11	FeS
Gibbsite	2.35	11.28	8.93	Al(OH)3
Goethite	7.99	7.51	-0.48	FeOOH
Gypsum	-3.93	-8.52	-4.59	CaSO4·2H2O
H2(g)	-175.54	-175.54	0.00	H2
H2O(g)	-2.89	-1.00	1.89	H2O
H2S(g)	-673.46	-717.26	-43.80	H2S
Halite	-7.58	-6.03	1.55	NaCl
Hausmannite	-27.96	-42.63	-14.66	Mn3O4
Hematite	18.92	16.03	-2.89	Fe2O3
Illite	12.64	26.06	13.42	K0.6Mg0.25Al2.3Si3.5O10(OH)2
Jarosite-K	-4.16	-12.24	-8.08	KFe3(SO4)2(OH)6
K-feldspar	7.26	9.78	2.51	KAlSi3O8
K-mica	19.49	34.34	14.85	KAl3Si3O10(OH)2
Kaolinite	10.90	19.61	8.71	Al2Si2O5(OH)4
Mackinawite	-741.68	-795.52	-53.84	FeS
Manganite	15.48	14.38	-1.10	MnOOH
Melanterite	-88.59	-104.36	-15.76	FeSO4·7H2O
O2(g)	261.03	349.08	88.05	O2
Otavite	-0.56	-12.66	-12.10	CdCO3
→ Pb(OH)2	-4.04	4.61	8.66	Pb(OH)2
Pyrite	-1233.33	-1337.24	-103.90	FeS2

Results with changed variables

Increase to pH 10

Decrease to pH 6

-----Saturation indices-----

Phase	SI	log IAP	log KT	Phase	SI	log IAP	log KT
Al(OH)3(a)	-3.44	8.32	11.76	Al(OH)3	-0.88	10.88	11.76
Albite	-2.82	2.44	5.26	NaAlSi3O8	-3.39	1.87	5.26
Alunite	-16.50	-16.08	0.41	KAl3(SO4)2(OH)6	3.18	3.60	0.41
Anglesite	-6.52	-14.39	-7.87	PbSO4	-3.39	-11.25	-7.87
Anhydrite	-2.19	-6.53	-4.33	CaSO4	-2.15	-6.48	-4.33
Anorthite	-3.41	24.86	28.27	CaAl2Si2O8	-5.65	22.62	28.27
Aragonite	1.16	-7.10	-8.26	CaCO3	-2.36	-10.62	-8.26
Ca-Montmorillonite	-2.74	6.51	9.25	Ca0.165Al2.33Si3.67O10(OH)2	2.98	12.23	9.25
Calcite	1.31	-7.10	-8.41	CaCO3	-2.21	-10.62	-8.41
Cd(OH)2	-0.93	12.72	13.65	Cd(OH)2	-8.75	4.90	13.65
CdSiO3	-1.20	8.46	9.66	CdSiO3	-8.73	0.93	9.66
CdSO4	-10.99	-10.56	0.43	CdSO4	-10.81	-10.38	0.43
Cerrusite	-1.66	-14.97	-13.31	PbCO3	-2.09	-15.39	-13.31
Chalcedony	-0.54	-4.26	-3.72	SiO2	-0.25	-3.97	-3.72
Chlorite(14A)	12.51	86.36	73.85	Mg5Al2Si3O10(OH)8	-21.35	52.50	73.85
Chrysotile	6.97	40.99	34.02	Mg3Si2O5(OH)4	-16.37	17.65	34.02
CO2(g)	-5.64	-23.85	-18.21	CO2	-1.21	-19.42	-18.21
Dolomite	2.29	-14.46	-16.75	CaMg(CO3)2	-4.76	-21.51	-16.75
Fe(OH)3(a)	1.31	19.57	18.26	Fe(OH)3	0.52	18.78	18.26
FeS(ppt)	-58.20	-97.94	-39.74	FeS	-79.71	-119.45	-39.74
Gibbsite	-0.62	8.32	8.93	Al(OH)3	1.95	10.88	8.93
Goethite	6.68	19.57	12.89	FeOOH	5.89	18.78	12.89
Gypsum	-1.94	-6.53	-4.59	CaSO4:2H2O	-1.89	-6.48	-4.59
H2(g)	-20.94	-20.94	0.00	H2	-27.32	-27.32	0.00
H2O(g)	-1.89	-0.00	1.89	H2O	-1.89	-0.00	1.89
H2S(g)	-63.23	-107.03	-43.80	H2S	-80.77	-124.57	-43.80
Halite	-7.58	-6.04	1.55	NaCl	-7.59	-6.04	1.55
Hausmannite	-8.05	56.61	64.66	Mn3O4	-22.93	41.74	64.66
Hematite	15.29	39.14	23.85	Fe2O3	13.72	37.56	23.85
Illite	-1.76	11.66	13.42	K0.6Mg0.25Al2.3Si3.5O10(OH)2	0.75	14.17	13.42
Jarosite-K	-14.35	17.68	32.03	KFe3(SO4)2(OH)6	-4.73	27.30	32.03
K-feldspar	-1.46	1.06	2.51	KAlSi3O8	-2.03	0.48	2.51
K-mica	2.84	17.69	14.85	KAl3Si3O10(OH)2	7.40	22.25	14.85
Kaolinite	-0.60	8.11	8.71	Al2Si2O5(OH)4	5.11	13.82	8.71
Mackinawite	-57.47	-97.94	-40.47	FeS	-78.98	-119.45	-40.47
Mangawite	-2.98	22.36	25.34	MnOOH	-6.87	18.47	25.34
Melanterite	-11.78	-14.18	-2.40	FeSO4:7H2O	-7.77	-10.16	-2.40
O2(g)	-46.17	41.88	88.05	O2	-33.41	54.64	88.05
Otsavite	0.96	-11.14	-12.10	CdCO3	-2.42	-14.52	-12.10
Pb(OH)2	0.23	8.88	8.66	Pb(OH)2	-4.63	4.03	8.66
Pyrite	-93.50	-184.03	-90.53	FeS2	-126.17	-216.70	-90.53

-----Saturation indices-----

Phase	SI	log IAP	log KT	Phase	SI	log IAP	log KT
Al(OH)3(a)	-0.88	10.88	11.76	Al(OH)3	-0.88	10.88	11.76
Albite	-3.39	1.87	5.26	NaAlSi3O8	-3.39	1.87	5.26
Alunite	3.18	3.60	0.41	KAl3(SO4)2(OH)6	3.18	3.60	0.41
Anglesite	-3.39	-11.25	-7.87	PbSO4	-3.39	-11.25	-7.87
Anhydrite	-2.15	-6.48	-4.33	CaSO4	-2.15	-6.48	-4.33
Anorthite	-5.65	22.62	28.27	CaAl2Si2O8	-5.65	22.62	28.27
Aragonite	-2.36	-10.62	-8.26	CaCO3	-2.36	-10.62	-8.26
Ca-Montmorillonite	2.98	12.23	9.25	Ca0.165Al2.33Si3.67O10(OH)2	2.98	12.23	9.25
Calcite	-2.21	-10.62	-8.41	CaCO3	-2.21	-10.62	-8.41
Cd(OH)2	-8.75	4.90	13.65	Cd(OH)2	-8.75	4.90	13.65
CdSiO3	-8.73	0.93	9.66	CdSiO3	-8.73	0.93	9.66
CdSO4	-10.81	-10.38	0.43	CdSO4	-10.81	-10.38	0.43
Cerrusite	-2.09	-15.39	-13.31	PbCO3	-2.09	-15.39	-13.31
Chalcedony	-0.25	-3.97	-3.72	SiO2	-0.25	-3.97	-3.72
Chlorite(14A)	-21.35	52.50	73.85	Mg5Al2Si3O10(OH)8	-21.35	52.50	73.85
Chrysotile	-16.37	17.65	34.02	Mg3Si2O5(OH)4	-16.37	17.65	34.02
CO2(g)	-1.21	-19.42	-18.21	CO2	-1.21	-19.42	-18.21
Dolomite	-4.76	-21.51	-16.75	CaMg(CO3)2	-4.76	-21.51	-16.75
Fe(OH)3(a)	0.52	18.78	18.26	Fe(OH)3	0.52	18.78	18.26
FeS(ppt)	-79.71	-119.45	-39.74	FeS	-79.71	-119.45	-39.74
Gibbsite	1.95	10.88	8.93	Al(OH)3	1.95	10.88	8.93
Goethite	5.89	18.78	12.89	FeOOH	5.89	18.78	12.89
Gypsum	-1.89	-6.48	-4.59	CaSO4:2H2O	-1.89	-6.48	-4.59
H2(g)	-27.32	-27.32	0.00	H2	-27.32	-27.32	0.00
H2O(g)	-1.89	-0.00	1.89	H2O	-1.89	-0.00	1.89
H2S(g)	-80.77	-124.57	-43.80	H2S	-80.77	-124.57	-43.80
Halite	-7.59	-6.04	1.55	NaCl	-7.59	-6.04	1.55
Hausmannite	-22.93	41.74	64.66	Mn3O4	-22.93	41.74	64.66
Hematite	13.72	37.56	23.85	Fe2O3	13.72	37.56	23.85
Illite	0.75	14.17	13.42	K0.6Mg0.25Al2.3Si3.5O10(OH)2	0.75	14.17	13.42
Jarosite-K	-4.73	27.30	32.03	KFe3(SO4)2(OH)6	-4.73	27.30	32.03
K-feldspar	-2.03	0.48	2.51	KAlSi3O8	-2.03	0.48	2.51
K-mica	7.40	22.25	14.85	KAl3Si3O10(OH)2	7.40	22.25	14.85
Kaolinite	5.11	13.82	8.71	Al2Si2O5(OH)4	5.11	13.82	8.71
Mackinawite	-78.98	-119.45	-40.47	FeS	-78.98	-119.45	-40.47
Manganite	-6.87	18.47	25.34	MnOOH	-6.87	18.47	25.34
Melanterite	-7.77	-10.16	-2.40	FeSO4:7H2O	-7.77	-10.16	-2.40
O2(g)	-33.41	54.64	88.05	O2	-33.41	54.64	88.05
Otsavite	-2.42	-14.52	-12.10	CdCO3	-2.42	-14.52	-12.10
Pb(OH)2	-4.63	4.03	8.66	Pb(OH)2	-4.63	4.03	8.66
Pyrite	-126.17	-216.70	-90.53	FeS2	-126.17	-216.70	-90.53

Precipitation!

Results/ Conclusion

- The Lead contamination is below the WHO limits (far below the Italian limit), therefore not a significant problem
- Arsenic is the polluted which needs filtering from the surface water (which we've already heard about from previous presentations)
- pH affects the SI's of different Pb-bearing compounds differently. $\text{Pb}(\text{OH})_2$ and Cerrusite become more saturated with an increase in pH, the opposite affect on Anglesite is observed.
- A dramatic change in pH would be needed for any significant affect on saturation of Pb in the surface water. Natural variation in the river ranges from 7.0 to 8.0

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