

Place-name	Country	Concentration of Pb and Zn (mg/L)	Reference
Skadar Lake	border of Montenegro and Albania	<0.005, 0.004	24
Nile River (winter)	Egypt (Cairo)	0.105, 0.139	23
Tishgo River	Peru	0.028, 0.060	21
Lake Manzala	Egypt	0.022, 0.311	19
Old Brahmaputra River	Bangladesh	0.11, 0.01	20
Uglješnica River	Serbia	0.582, 0.346	27
surface water of the Tianshan Mountains	China	0.045, 0.689	35
Yi River	China	0.0004, 0.0009	25
Çeltek Pond	Turkey	0.0027, 0.054	29
Kowalskie Lake reservoir	Poland	0.0012, 0.014	31
Groundwater of Kohistan region	Pakistan	0.0096, 0.951	28
surface water of Kohistan region	Pakistan	0.005, 0.034	28
Yelang Lake	China	0.0003, 0.0006	34
Lake Muhazi	Rwanda	0.292, 0.041	30
Luvuvhu River	South Africa	0.0001, 0.0082	26
Bohai Region	China	0.001, 0.03	33
Nzhelele River	South Africa	0.0078, 0.076	22
lower São Francisco River basin	Brazil	0.014, 0.013	32

Supplementary Table S1. Concentration of two heavy metals, Pb and Zn, in the water of various aquatic ecosystems around the world.