

Title POLLUTION AND HEALTH IN CENTRAL ASIA

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We did a wide study of POP (persistent organic pollutants) pollution of the main river basins of CA (Central Asia) – Syr-Darya-Aral Sea-Days with a scope of the last ten years. We studied water, drift soil (of pastures or veggie gardens), and vegetation.

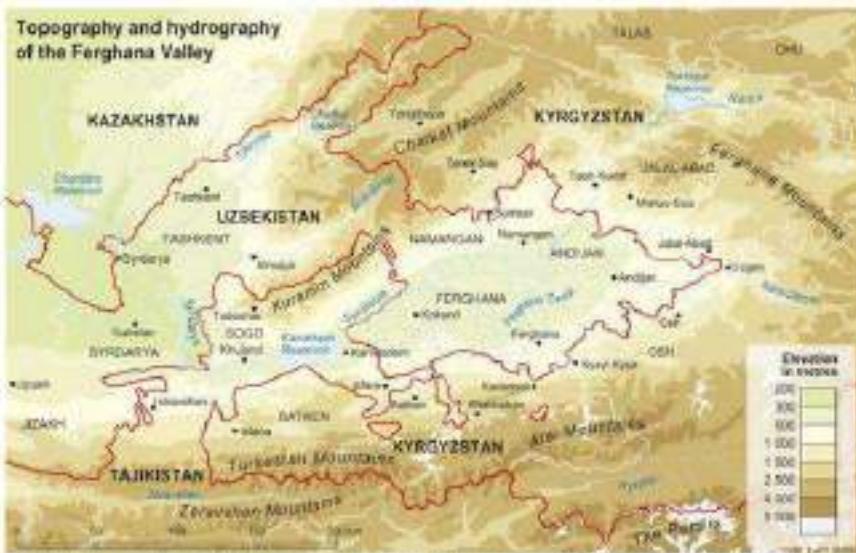
Results of chlorine pesticides pollution are: 1) old soil pollution in rice plains DDC over polymining cotton and rice lands is 690-800 ppm; 2) and salty tailings remaining by villages; 3-old tailings about depending and polluting by irrigating canals.

Methods. POP determination is done in accordance with recommendation of EPA US. Our device: HP 5840 T-Gas Chromatograph, Mass Spectrometer with EPA 1608 Chromatograph. Reference determination was done for chloroformic acid test [Methods recommended by Istituto Italiano, Mexico].

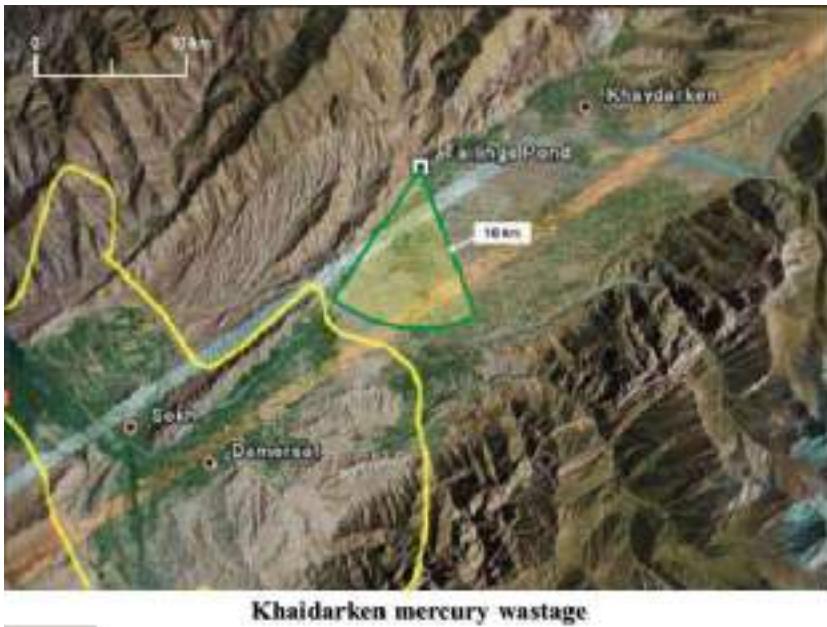
Kara-Darya river (Osh, Kyrgyzstan), irrigating canals in Aral sea (Kyrgyzstan), and in Vakhan River (border Afghanistan-Tajikistan). Several samples contain high (about 1000 ppm) - danger concentration of chloroformic acid 1.45x10⁻² mg / liter, Aral 9.0x10⁻³, DDT-DDE 4.64x10⁻² mg/liter, dield-CH200 (Kewa-Caker-Zeke-Gense) 7.26 mg/kg soil/kg, Aral CH200 – 1.7; parathion CH200 – 1.9; dield- CH200 – 8.35 for soil/kg. High toxic level of POP found in rice of Balkan area. These factors induce brain pollution and early child disorders. Laboratory data of early age children (between one and three years) in four polluted areas and control place are shown: infected diseases high percentage, and myelosynaps low level.8 immune gamma level decreased, almost road disrupted the slow brain level. It happens with negative genetic load in the next generation in three countries.

The pollution process would be increase due Global Warming and water balance disorder. We try to do programs for POP pollution levels in CA. Urgent actions of three CA countries are: water resources facilities are needed to be installed, but at polluted land river grow and population behavior changing.

Central Asia Map



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Сузакское захоронение

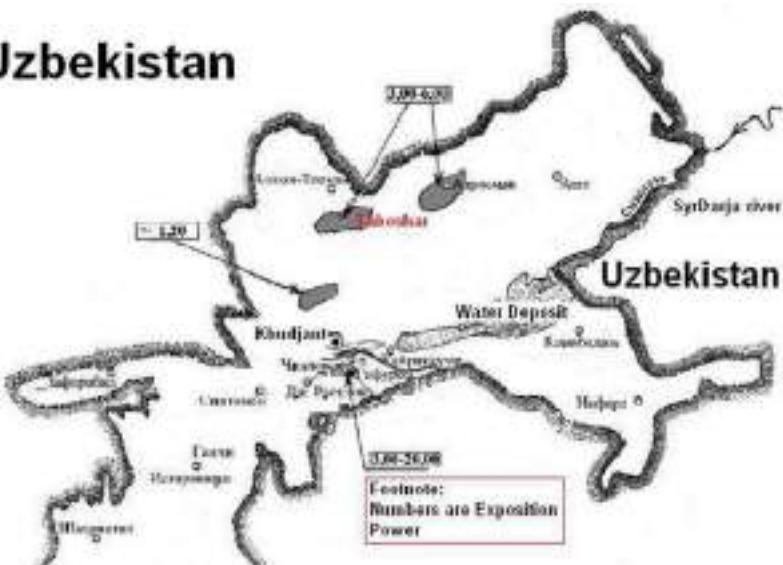
- Сузакское захоронение 1296 тонн УП из них 655 тонн - ДДТ в 70 тонн – альдрина
- Кочкорское захоронение всего 850 тонн УП из них 239 тонн – ДДТ



Кочкорское захоронение
Нарынской области

DDT Risks
Suzak, Kochkor
(Dzhakipova data)

Uzbekistan



Uranium tailings in North Tajikistan (Murtazaev map)



Tash-Komur free uranium mine entrance



Mailuu-Suu tailings in coast



Min-Kush tailings. Broken fence and cows.



Uranium and Mercury Tailings flow down possibility

Toxicants in sedimentary of Mailuu-Suu area,
(mg/kg) and Alfa-activity (Bq/kg)

Points	Cr	Mn	Co	Zn	As	Se	Mo	Cd	Pb	Tl	U	Alfa-activity
r Mailuu-Suu ¹	58,7	1320,0	49,10	103,1	15,2	1,77	0,16	0,16	5,5	3,50	1,60	424
r Mailuu-Suu ²	195,3	672,6	18,86	29,3	3,0	0,00	0,47	0,33	4,4	3,30	2,40	948
r Mailuu-Suu ³	231,9	1004,9	24,46	58,3	7,9	6,34	1,58	0,19	19,3	4,82	19,8	832
r Mailuu-Suu ⁴	269,5	942,8	25,64	94,5	13,5	6,68	1,57	0,36	20,1	8,19	4,00	683
r Saty-Bile	166,4	415,8	4,59	112,0	23,6	4,34	1,13	0,07	15,9	2,85	2,30	
r Kara-Jigach		330,5	6,53	11,2	5,5	0,00	0,21	0,17	4,1	3,82	0,50	807
r Kulmenary	94,2	449,1	8,23	40,6	10,1	7,20	0,79	0,48	21,0	7,51	4,50	684

Analisis of heavy metals and uranium

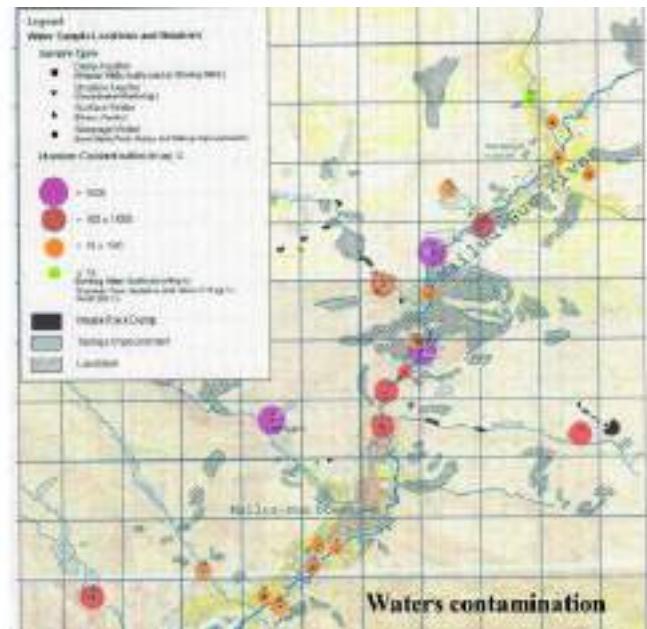
TOWN / AREA	CONTENT OF TAILINGS / DUMPS	POLLUTION WAY
NAVOJI (Uzb)	Uran; 620 hectares; 60 mln ton. units	Zeravshan - Uzbekistan
UCHKUDUK (Uzb)	Uran; 23 hectares; 2,5 mln ton	-
KHAIDARKE N (Kg)	Hg: 0,003 mg/l; 26 hectares; 4 mln t; slag-dump 39 hectares.	Shahtanaja; Zergher
NAIMAN(Kg)	Tailings 4 hect; Ore dump Hg hect.	-
AKTOBE (Kz)	Working enterprise (Cr – six valent).	Ilek - Russia
CHKALOVSK (Tj)	Tremendous uranium tailing Background 20 mkZ/hour.	Syr-Darya - Uzbekistan
KADAMJAI (Kg)	Total 250 m ³ ; upper layer: Ar 100 mg/l , Sb 800 mg/l.	ShakhimardanSay - Uzbekistan

**Content in sand-pebbles of Mailuu-Suu tailings
3,5,17, cover lie (ppm)**

U	1000-1500
As	43-52
Cd	0.7-1.1



Radioactive landslides broken fence





Mobile equipment



Blood sampling

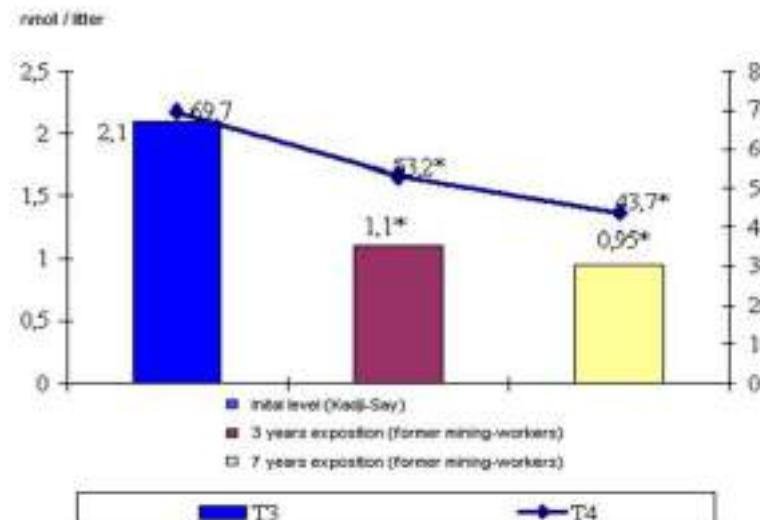


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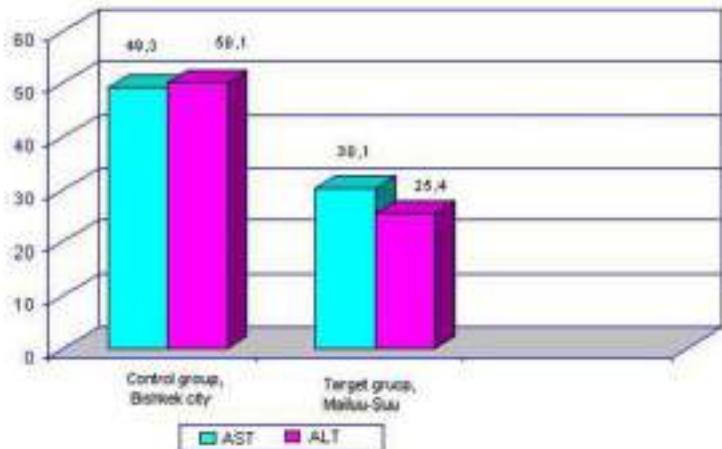
Blood sampling

- White blood cell count is decreased due to neutrophils (in 35% of adolescents), at that in 14% and 11% it was recorded toxic neutrophiles, and in 18% - thrombocytopenia. Such types of shifts are considered specific for mild form of radiation illness at least in substantial proportion of adolescents.
- As it is known in literature (Hiroshima, Chernobil), the main targets of effect of small and middle doses of radiation are: immune system (lymphocytes, neutrophils, proteins – IgA, IgG), thyroid gland, android glands. We are registering very similar effect recognizing as light radioactive disturbance.



Children thyroid gland test

Activity/Life



Что делать, чтобы оградить себя от действия радионуклидов?



Wastage areas information poster



Radiation impact poster

Спасибо за
внимание!