

**THAMES WATER UTILITIES**  
**WATER QUALITY REPORT - 2014 DATA**

<b>Water Supply Zone:</b> OX 3 BICESTER			<b>Zone No.:</b> 195					
			<b>Population:</b> 45679					
<b>Time Period: 01/01/2014 to 31/12/2014</b>			<b>Concentration or Value (all samples)</b>			<b>No. of Samples</b>		
<b>Date extracted: 10/04/2015</b>								
Parameter	Units	PCV	Min.	Mean	Max.	Total	Contra-vening	% of samples contravening PCV
Coliform bacteria	no./100ml	0	0	0	0	108	0	0
<i>E. coli</i>	no./100ml	0	0	0	0	108	0	0
<i>Enterococci</i>	no./100ml	0	0	0	0	8	0	0
<i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	no./100ml	0	0	0	0	417	0	0
Colony count 22°C	cfu/ml	-	0	0.389	3	36	0	0
Colony count 37°C	cfu/ml	-	0	0.083	1	36	0	0
Residual Disinfectant	mg/l	-	0.12	0.49	0.85	108	0	0
Colour (Pt/Co scale)	mg/lPt/Co	20	0.3	0.769	<0.800	36	0	0
Hydrogen Ion	pH	6.50-9.50	7.2	7.339	7.7	36	0	0
Turbidity	FTU	4	<0.060	0.093	0.31	36	0	0
Conductivity at 20°C	uS/cm	2500	460	516.528	582	36	0	0
Ammonium as NH <sub>4</sub>	mg/l	0.5	<0.030	<0.030	<0.030	36	0	0
Chloride as Cl	mg/l	250	29.21	33.298	36.53	8	0	0
Sodium as Na	mg/l	200	15.2	18.375	22.6	8	0	0
Sulphate as SO <sub>4</sub>	mg/l	250	54.9	69.025	85	8	0	0
Nitrate as NO <sub>3</sub>	mg/l	50	10.7	15.2	18.8	8	0	0
Nitrite as NO <sub>2</sub>	mg/l	0.5	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	8	0	0
Nitrate/Nitrite calculation	mg/l	1	0.21	0.306	0.38	8	0	0
Total Organic Carbon as C	mg/l	-	0.9	1.367	1.6	24	0	0
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>	mg/l	N/A	218	241	264	2	0	0
Odour (quantatative)	dilution no.	0	0	0	0	18	0	0
Taste (quantatative)	dilution no.	0	0	0	0	18	0	0
Iron as Fe	ug/l	200	2.5	16.933	123.6	36	0	0
Manganese as Mn	ug/l	50	0.2	1.047	4.5	36	0	0
Aluminium as Al	ug/l	200	2.3	9.333	44.7	36	0	0
Antimony as Sb	ug/l	5	<0.700	<0.788	<0.800	8	0	0
Arsenic as As	ug/l	10	0.4	0.538	0.8	8	0	0
Cadmium as Cd	ug/l	5	<0.100	<0.100	<0.100	8	0	0
Chromium as Cr	ug/l	50	<0.900	<0.938	<1.200	8	0	0
Copper as Cu	mg/l	2	<0.004	0.018	0.036	8	0	0
Lead as Pb	ug/l	10	<0.200	<0.213	<0.300	8	0	0
Mercury as Hg	ug/l	1	<0.090	<0.093	<0.120	24	0	0
Nickel as Ni	ug/l	20	<1.300	<1.338	<1.600	8	0	0
Fluoride as F	mg/l	1.5	0.09	0.121	0.171	8	0	0
Selenium as Se	ug/l	10	<0.800	<0.800	<0.800	8	0	0
Boron as B	mg/l	1	0.035	0.04	0.045	8	0	0
Bromate as BrO <sub>3</sub>	ug/l	10	<0.700	0.917	1.6	24	0	0
Cyanide as CN	ug/l	50	<0.700	0.729	1.1	24	0	0
PAHs (Sum of 4 substances)	ug/l	0.1	0	0	0	8	0	0
Benzo (a) pyrene	ug/l	0.01	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	8	0	0
Trihalomethanes	ug/l	100	11.1	17.838	26.2	8	0	0
Tetra- & Trichloroethene calc	ug/l	10	0	0	0	8	0	0
Tetrachloromethane	ug/l	3	<0.200	<0.200	<0.200	9	0	0
1,2 dichloroethane	ug/l	3	<0.200	<0.267	<0.300	9	0	0

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Benzene	ug/l	1	<0.100	<0.100	<0.100	9	0	0
Atrazine	ug/l	0.1	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Bentazone	ug/l	0.1	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Bromoxynil	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Carbetamide	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	24	0	0
Chlortoluron	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	24	0	0
Clopyralid	ug/l	0.1	<0.009	<0.010	<0.010	24	0	0
2,4-D	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Dicamba	ug/l	0.1	<0.007	<0.007	<0.007	24	0	0
Dichlorprop	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.004	<0.006	24	0	0
Diuron	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	24	0	0
Fluroxypyr	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.006	<0.006	24	0	0
Isoproturon	ug/l	0.1	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Ioxynil	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Linuron	ug/l	0.1	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Mecoprop	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.008	<0.008	24	0	0
MCPA	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.006	<0.006	24	0	0
MCPB	ug/l	0.1	<0.004	<0.005	<0.008	24	0	0
Pentachlorophenol	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Propazine	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.003	24	0	0
Prometryn	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.003	24	0	0
Propyzamide	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Simazine	ug/l	0.1	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
2,4,5-T	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Terbutryn	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	24	0	0
2,4-DB	ug/l	0.1	<0.004	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Fenoprop	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Monuron	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.003	<0.003	24	0	0
Picloram	ug/l	0.1	<0.005	<0.008	<0.008	24	0	0
Triclopyr	ug/l	0.1	<0.003	<0.005	<0.005	24	0	0
Tebuthiuron	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.003	24	0	0
Ametryne	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.003	24	0	0
Carbendazim	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.003	24	0	0
Metaldehyde	ug/l	0.1	<0.006	0.02	0.045	24	0	0
Metazachlor	ug/l	0.1	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	24	0	0
Quinmerac	ug/l	0.1	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	24	0	0
Total Pesticides	ug/l	0.5	0	0.019	0.045	24	0	0
Gross alpha activity	Bq/l	0.1	<0.040	0.041	0.05	24	0	0
Gross beta activity	Bq/l	1	0.09	0.182	1.82	24	1	4.2

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**Commentary on Water Quality:**

Very good water quality, however one infringement to report for gross beta activity. Our investigations (in conjunction with the Environment Agency) showed the infringement for gross beta activity was anomalous at one of our supplying assets (and not likely to recur), and not indicative of the quality of water supplied to this zone.

**NOTES:**

For some parameters, monitoring occurs at the supplying Water Treatment Works rather than the Water Supply Zone