An Investigation of Heavy Metal Contamination of Drinking Water in the City of Trondheim, Norway

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ABSTRACT

As the municipal water supply may be suspected to contain certain amounts of heavy metals, the authors have carried out a systematic study on this, using samples of drinking water taken from kitchen taps all over the city of Trondheim, and analyzing the samples by means of an atomic absorption spectrophotometer supplied with a carbon rod atomizer to increase the sensitivity.