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§ 421.311 Specialized definitions.

For the purpose of this subpart the general definitions, abbreviations, and methods of analysis set forth in 40 CFR part 401 shall apply to this subpart.

§ 421.312 Effluent limitations guidelines representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable control technology currently available.

Except as provided in 40 CFR 125.30 through 125.32, any existing point source subject to this subpart shall achieve the following effluent limitations representing the degree of effluent reduction attainable by the application of the best practicable technology currently available:

(a) Tungsten detergent wash and rinse.

BPT LIMITATIONS FOR THE SECONDARY TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of tungsten scrap washed	
Copper	0.371	0.195
Nickel	0.374	0.248
Ammonia (as N)	25.990	11.430
Cobalt	0.768	0.337
Tungsten	1.357	0.542
Oil and grease	3.900	2.340
Total suspended solids	7.995	3.803
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(b) Tungsten leaching acid.

BPT LIMITATIONS FOR THE SECONDARY TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of tungsten produced	
Copper	4.885	2.571
Nickel	4.937	3.265
Ammonia (as N)	342.700	150.700
Cobalt	10.130	4.448
Tungsten	17.890	7.147
Oil and grease	51.420	30.850
Total suspended solids	105.400	50.140
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(c) Tungsten post-leaching wash and rinse.

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Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of tungsten produced	
Copper	9.772	5.143
Nickel	9.875	6.532
Ammonia (as N)	685.600	301.400
Cobalt	20.263	8.897
Tungsten	35.800	14.300
Oil and grease	102.900	61.720
Total suspended solids	210.900	100.300
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(d) Synthetic scheelite filtrate.

BPT LIMITATIONS FOR THE SECONDARY TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of synthetic scheelite produced	
Copper	31.660	16.660
Nickel	31.990	21.160
Ammonia (as N)	2,221.000	976.300
Cobalt	65.644	28.824
Tungsten	116.000	46.320
Oil and grease	333.200	200.000
Total suspended solids	683.100	324.900
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(e) Tungsten carbide leaching wet air pollution control.

BPT LIMITATIONS FOR THE SECONDARY TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of tungsten carbide scrap leached	
Copper	3.327	1.751
Nickel	3.362	2.224
Ammonia (as N)	233.400	102.600
Cobalt	6.899	3.029
Tungsten	12.190	4.868
Oil and grease	35.020	21.010
Total suspended solids	71.790	34.150
pH	(¹)	(¹)

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(f) Tungsten carbide wash water.

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Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of tungsten carbide produced	
Copper	15.830	8.333
Nickel	16.000	10.580
Ammonia (as N)	1,111.000	488.300
Cobalt	32.832	14.416
Tungsten	58.000	23.170
Oil and grease	166.700	100.000
Total suspended solids	341.700	162.500
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(g) Cobalt sludge leaching wet air pollution control.

**BPT LIMITATIONS FOR THE SECONDARY
TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY**

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of cobalt produced from cobalt sludge	
Copper	67.990	35.780
Nickel	68.700	45.440
Ammonia (as N)	4,770.000	2,097.000
Cobalt	140.977	61.901
Tungsten	249.000	99.470
Oil and grease	715.600	429.400
Total suspended solids	1,467.000	697.700
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(h) Crystallization decant.

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TUNGSTEN AND COBALT SUBCATEGORY**

Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of cobalt produced	
Copper	79.140	41.650
Nickel	79.970	52.900
Ammonia (as N)	5,552.000	2,441.000
Cobalt	164.101	72.055
Tungsten	289.900	115.800
Oil and grease	833.000	499.800
Total suspended solids	1,708.000	812.200
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

(i) Acid wash decant.

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Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of cobalt produced	
Copper	36.220	19.060
Nickel	36.600	24.210
Ammonia (as N)	2,541.000	1,117.000
Cobalt	75.104	32.977
Tungsten	132.700	52.990
Oil and grease	381.300	228.800
Total suspended solids	781.600	371.700
pH	(¹)	(¹)

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(j) Cobalt hydroxide filtrate.

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Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of cobalt produced	
Copper	107.600	56.650
Nickel	108.800	71.940
Ammonia (as N)	7,551.000	3,320.000
Cobalt	223.189	97.999
Tungsten	394.300	157.500
Oil and grease	1,133.000	679.800
Total suspended solids	2,323.000	1,105.000
pH	(¹)	(¹)

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(k) Cobalt hydroxide filter cake wash.

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Pollutant or pollutant property	Maximum for any 1 day	Maximum for monthly average
	mg/kg (pounds per million pounds) of cobalt produced	
Copper	207.200	109.100
Nickel	209.400	138.500
Ammonia (as N)	14,530.000	6,389.000
Cobalt	429.598	188.631
Tungsten	758.900	303.100
Oil and grease	2,181.000	1,309.000
Total suspended solids	4,471.000	2,126.000
pH	(¹)	(¹)

¹ Within the range of 7.5 to 10.0 at all times.

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