

Which of the following contents is most harmful to aquatic animals?

- 1 Heavy metal ions
- 2 Sodium ions
- 3 Potassium ions
- 4 Chloride ions

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Concept:

Some of the toxic effects of **heavy metals** on fishes and aquatic invertebrates are; reduction of the developmental growth, increase of developmental anomalies, reduction of fishes survival- especially at the beginning of exogenous feeding or even cause extinction of entire fishes population in polluted reservoirs.