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# **Dosimetrische Extrapolation von Ergebnissen aus Rattenstudien zur Ableitung von Expositions-Standards**

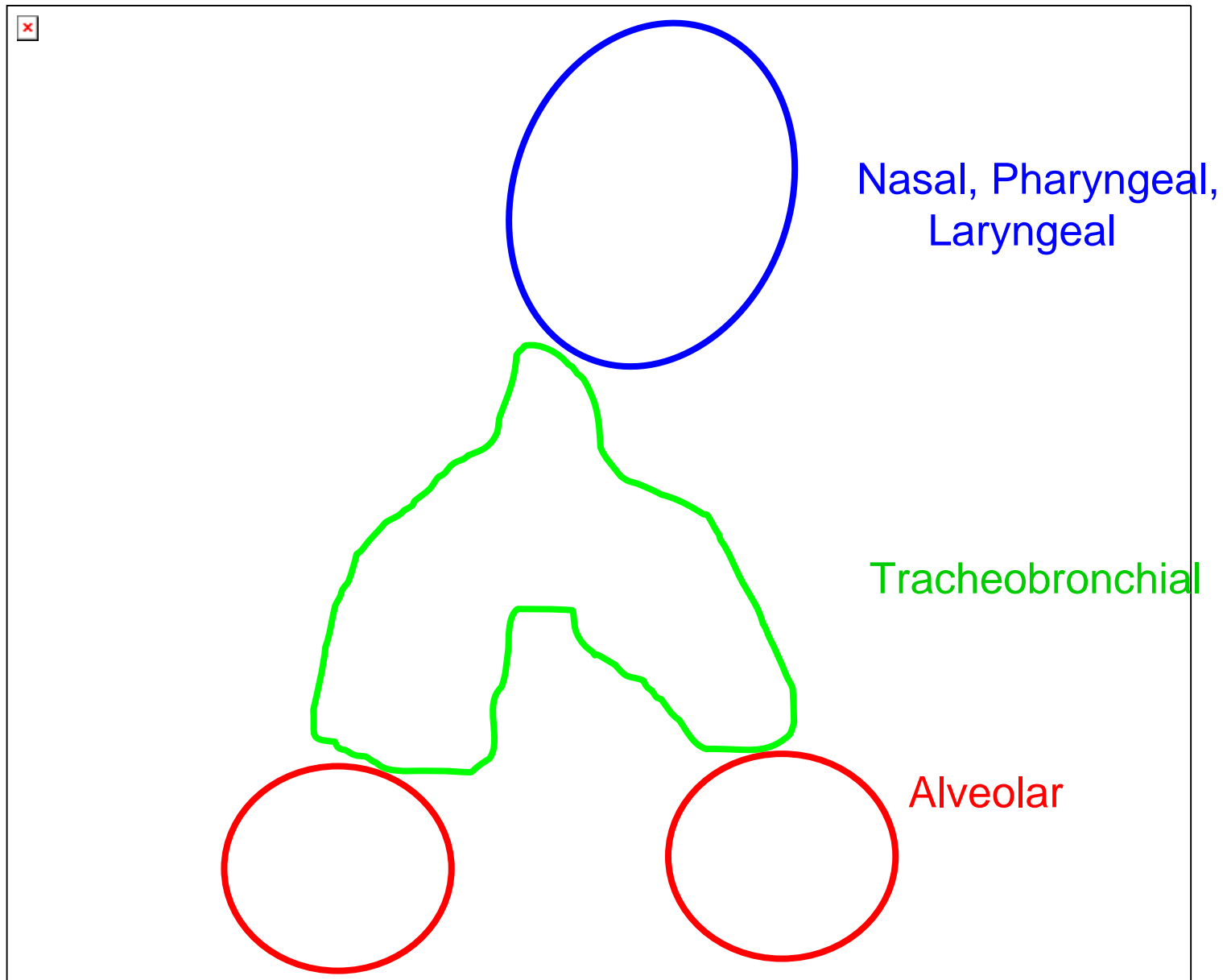
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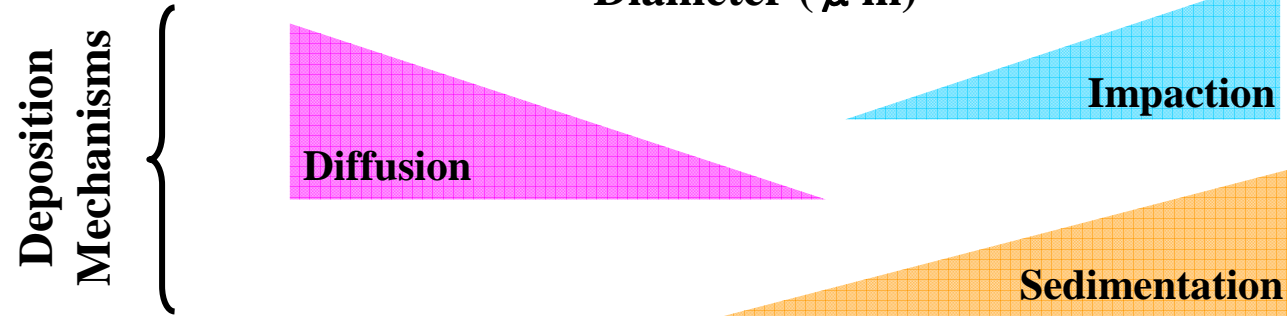
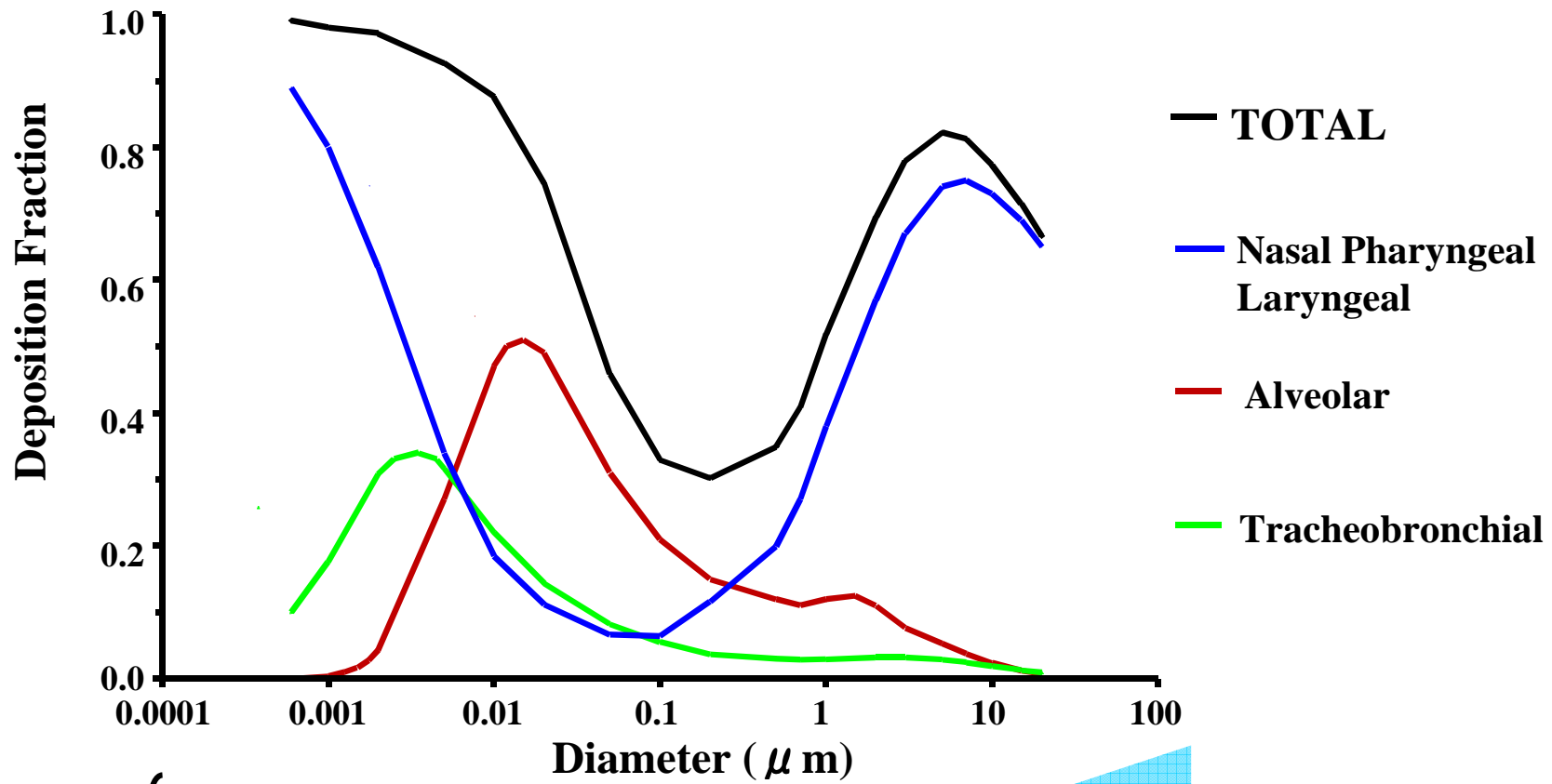
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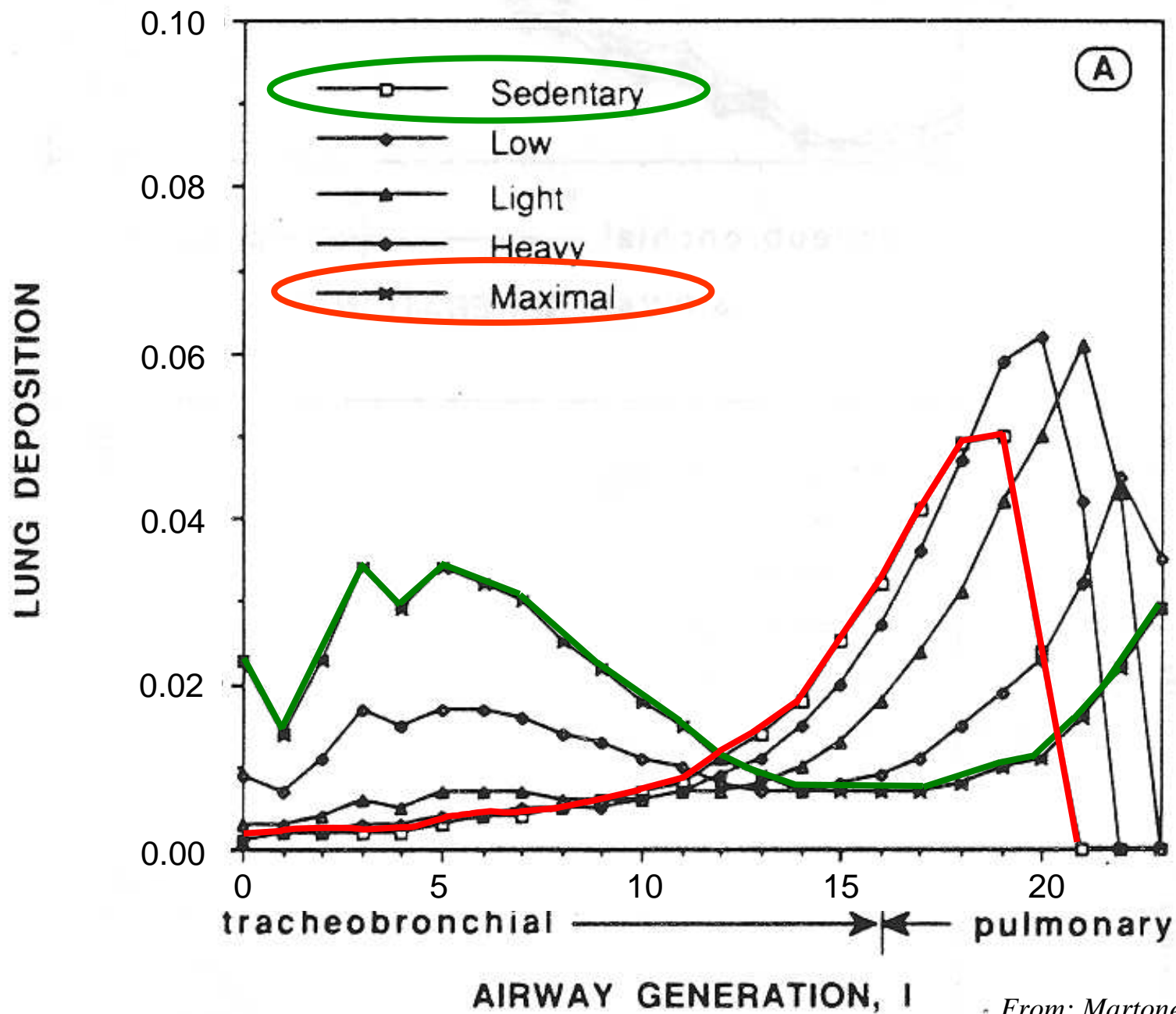
1. Vorbemerkungen Respirationstrakt Dosimetrie
2. Konzept Ableitung eines Luftgrenzwertes für Partikel am Arbeitsplatz von Ergebnissen einer chronischen Ratten Studie
3. Analyse der Akkumulations/Retentions Kinetik in der Lunge für eine Abschätzung der in vivo Löslichkeit und Toxizität inhalierter Metall-Partikel

# Regions of the Respiratory Tract





# Exercise and Deposition of Inhaled 2 $\mu\text{m}$ Particles in Human Airways



From: Martonen et al., 1992

# Respiratory Tract Toxicology

## *Exposure – Dose – Response Relationships*

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**Dose**:  $\neq$  airborne concentration  
 $\neq$  exposure

**Inhaled dose**:  $MV(\text{minute ventilation}) \times \text{conc.} \times \text{time}$

**Deposited dose**:  $MV \times \text{conc.} \times \text{time} \times \text{dep. fraction}$   
*[volume  $\times$  time<sup>-1</sup>  $\times$  mass  $\times$  volume<sup>-1</sup>  $\times$  time]*

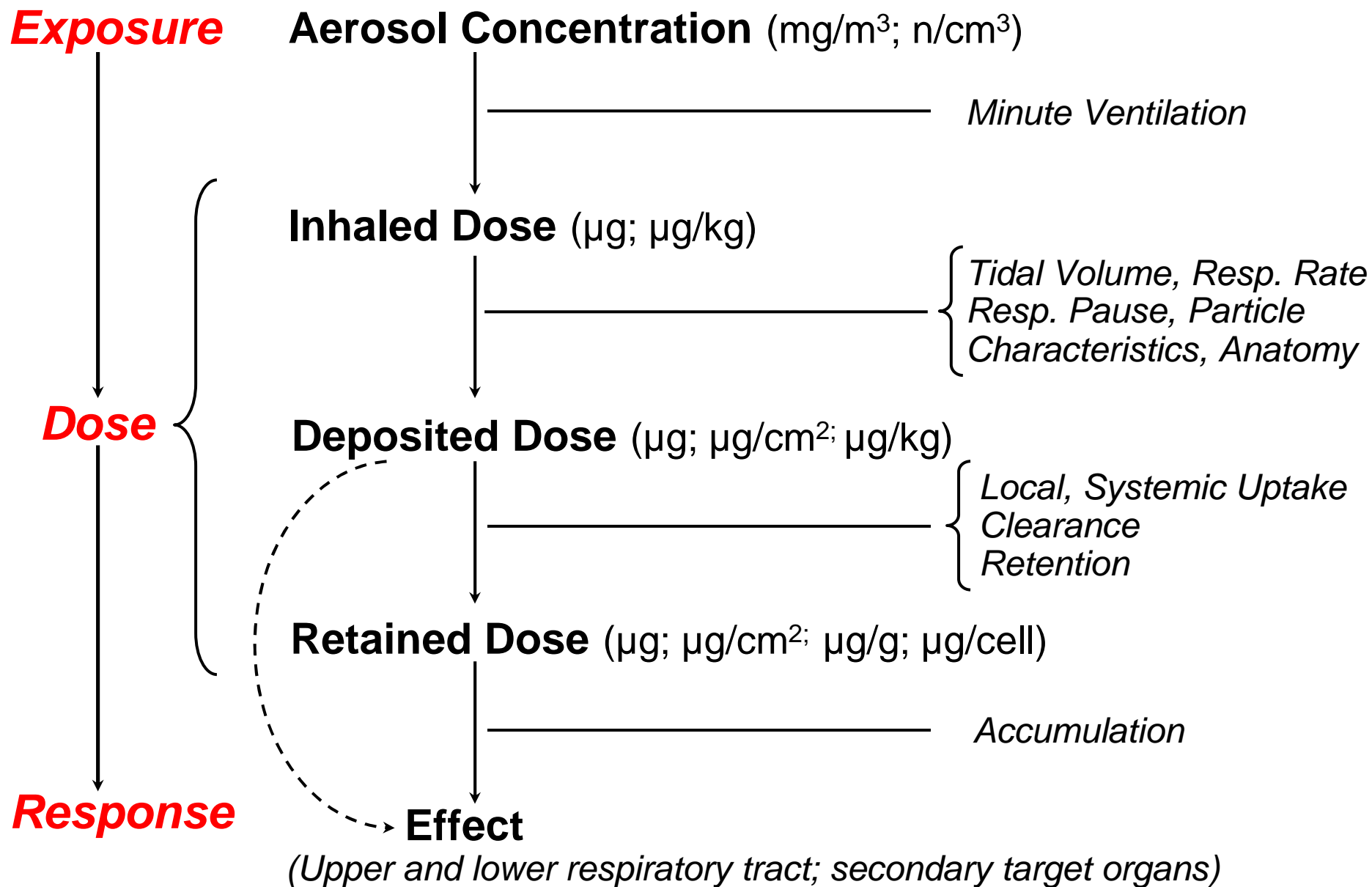
**Retained dose**: Remaining at some time after deposition  
*(Retention = Deposition – Clearance)*

**Dosimetry**: Measurement (calculation) of dose

**Dosemetric**: parameter of dose (*e.g., particle mass, volume, number, surface area*)

**Microdosimetry**: Dose at cellular, subcellular level

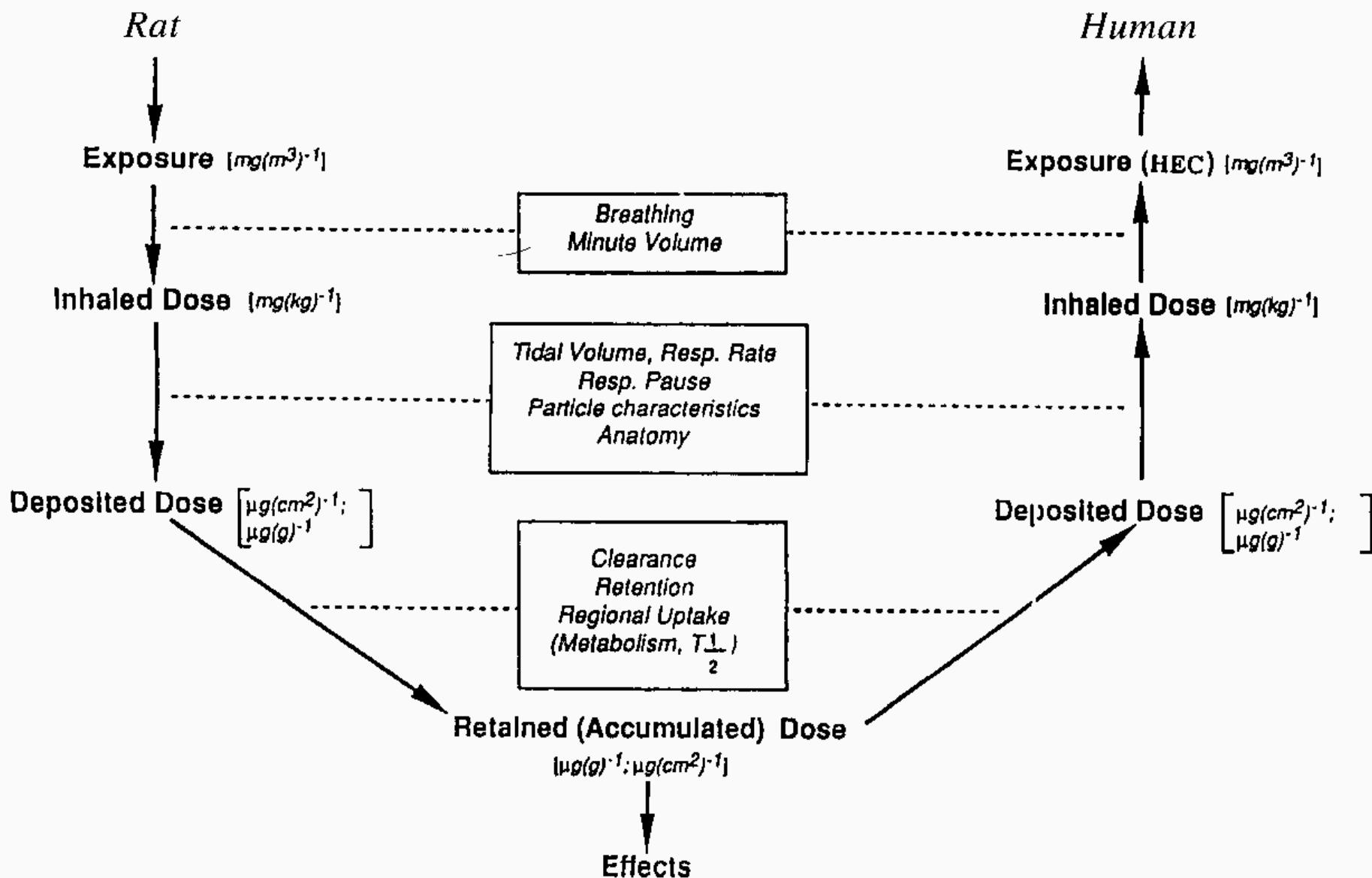
# Factors Involved in Respiratory Tract Dosimetry



## Surface Area of Respiratory Tract Regions

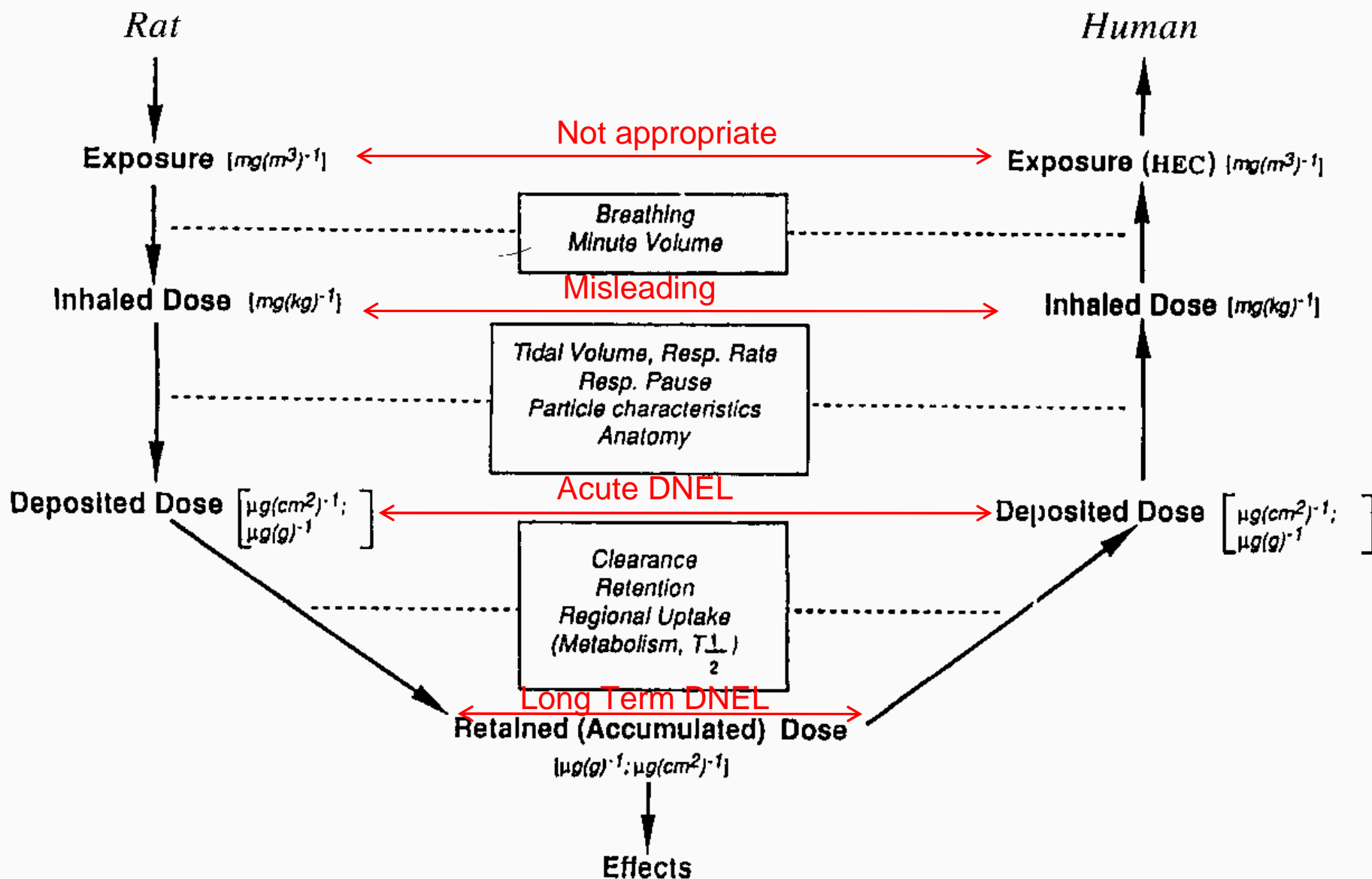
	<u>Rat</u>		<u>Human</u>	
	<i>cm<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>% of total</i>	<i>cm<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>% of total</i>
<i>Nasal</i>	<i>18.5</i>	<i>0.44</i>	<i>105</i>	<i>0.02</i>
<i>Trach-bronch</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>3200</i>	<i>0.54</i>
<i>Alveolar</i>	<i>4090</i>	<i>98.72</i>	<i>627000</i>	<i>99.44</i>

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# **Multiple Path Particle Deposition Model (MPPD)**

*(Asgharian et al, 1999)*

## **Human Model**

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**5-Lobar Yeh-Schum Model; Stochastic Model; Age Specific Model**

**FRC = 3300 cm<sup>3</sup>; URT = 50 cm<sup>2</sup>**

**Particle Parameter: MMAD; MMD; CMD; GSD; Concentration**

**Inhalability Adjustment; Nanoparticle Model; Gravity**

**Different Body Orientations: Upright; Prone; Supine; Right/Left Side**

**Tidal Volume; Breathing Frequency; Inspiratory Fraction and Pause**

**Breathing Scenario: Nasal; Oral; Oro-Nasal; Endotracheal**

**Deposition only; Deposition and Clearance**

**Bronchial and slow, medium, fast Alveolar Clearance**

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# **Multiple Path Particle Deposition Model (MPPD)**

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## **Rat Model**

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**Asymmetric Multiple Path**

**FRC = 4.0 cm<sup>3</sup>; URT = 0.42 cm<sup>3</sup>**

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# Ableitung von Expositions-Standard

**Beispiel: Chronische (2 Jahre) Ratten Inhalation, TiO<sub>2</sub>**  
*(Muhle et al., 1991; Bellman et al., 1991)*

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*F-344 Ratten; Rutile TiO<sub>2</sub>; 6 St/Tag; 5 Tage/Woche;*

*MMAD = 1,1 μm; GSD = 1,6; Konz.: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>; Spez Dichte: 4,3 g/cm<sup>3</sup>*

**TiO<sub>2</sub> Akkumulation in der Lunge:**

<b>Monat:</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>mg/Lunge:</b>	<b>0,91 ±0,22</b>	<b>1,53 ±0,19</b>	<b>2,02 ±0,34</b>	<b>2,97 ±0,71</b>	<b>3,20 ±0,44</b>

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**Ableitung einer HEC basierend auf:**

**A: Deponierte Dosis pro Tag**

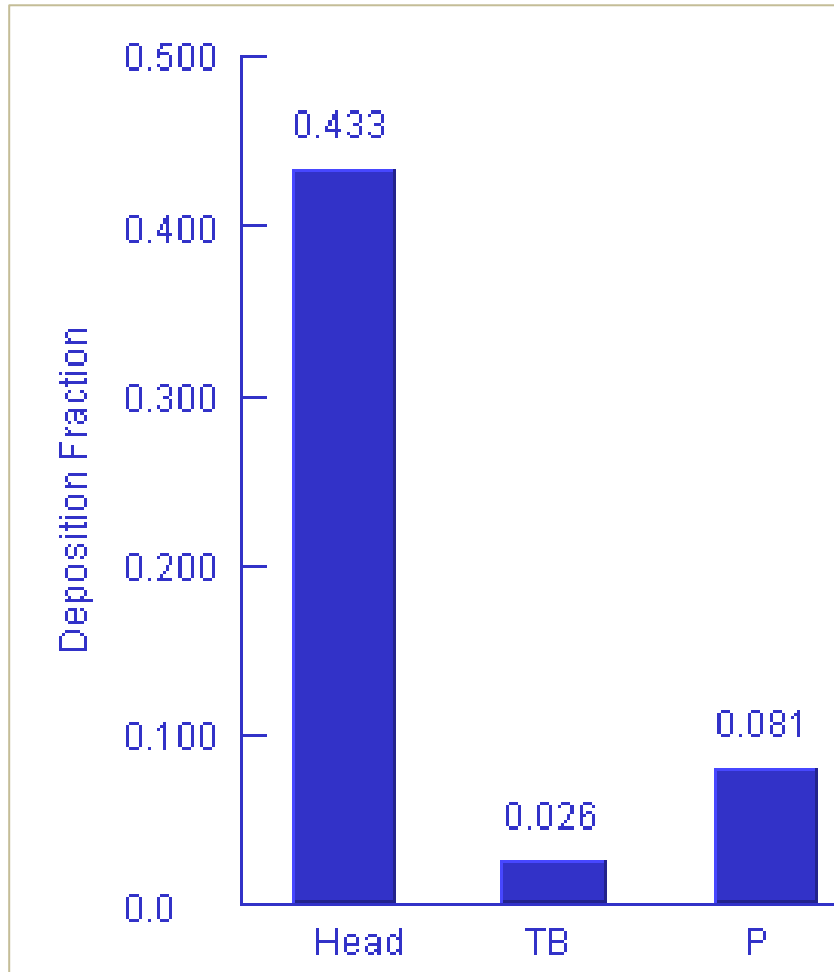
**Ratte: 45 μg/day**

**B: Retinierte Dosis, nach 2 Jahren:**

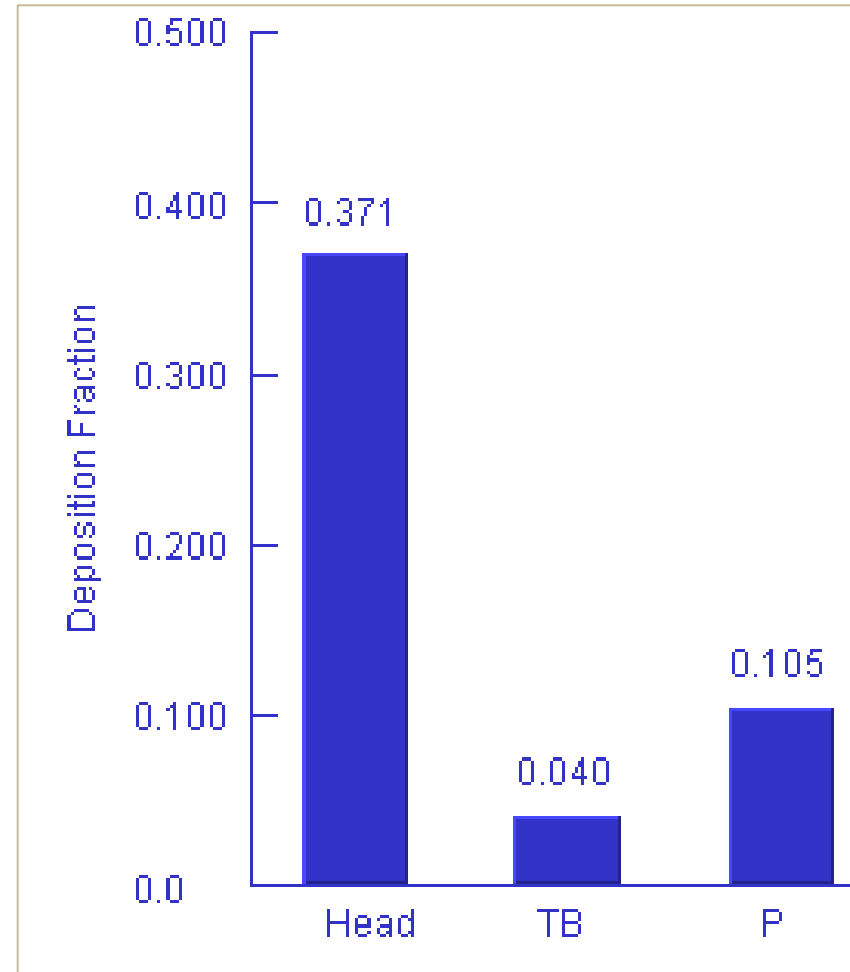
**Ratte: 3.2 mg/Lunge**

# TiO<sub>2</sub> Inhalation, Deposition Efficiency for MMAD = 1.1 μm with GSD = 1.6

## RAT



## HUMAN



**Ratte-Mensch dosimetrische Extrapolation, HEC,  
basierend auf gleicher **deponierter** Masse pro cm<sup>2</sup> alveolare Oberfläche:**

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**Alveoläre Oberfläche: Ratte = 4090 cm<sup>2</sup>      Mensch = 627000cm<sup>2</sup>**

*Ratte:* Äquivalente Masse pro Flächeneinheit deponiert an einem Tag:

**Pro Oberfläche deponiert: Ratte: 45 µg ÷ 4090 = 11 ng/cm<sup>2</sup>**

**= Äquivalenz-Oberflächen Dosis für Mensch deponiert an einem Tag**

*Mensch:* Gesamt Deposition in Human-Lunge pro 8-Stunden Tag unter

**Annahme leichter Arbeit: TV = 1024 ml; AF = 20/min**

**Inhalierte TiO<sub>2</sub> Konzentration um 11 ng/cm<sup>2</sup> zu erreichen:**

**6,7 mg/m<sup>3</sup>**





# Deposition per Unit Surface Area (cm<sup>2</sup>) over 6 (rat) or 8 (human) Hours at 500 μg/m<sup>3</sup> (NiO)

Human and rat data: MMAD=2.21μm  
GSD=1.97

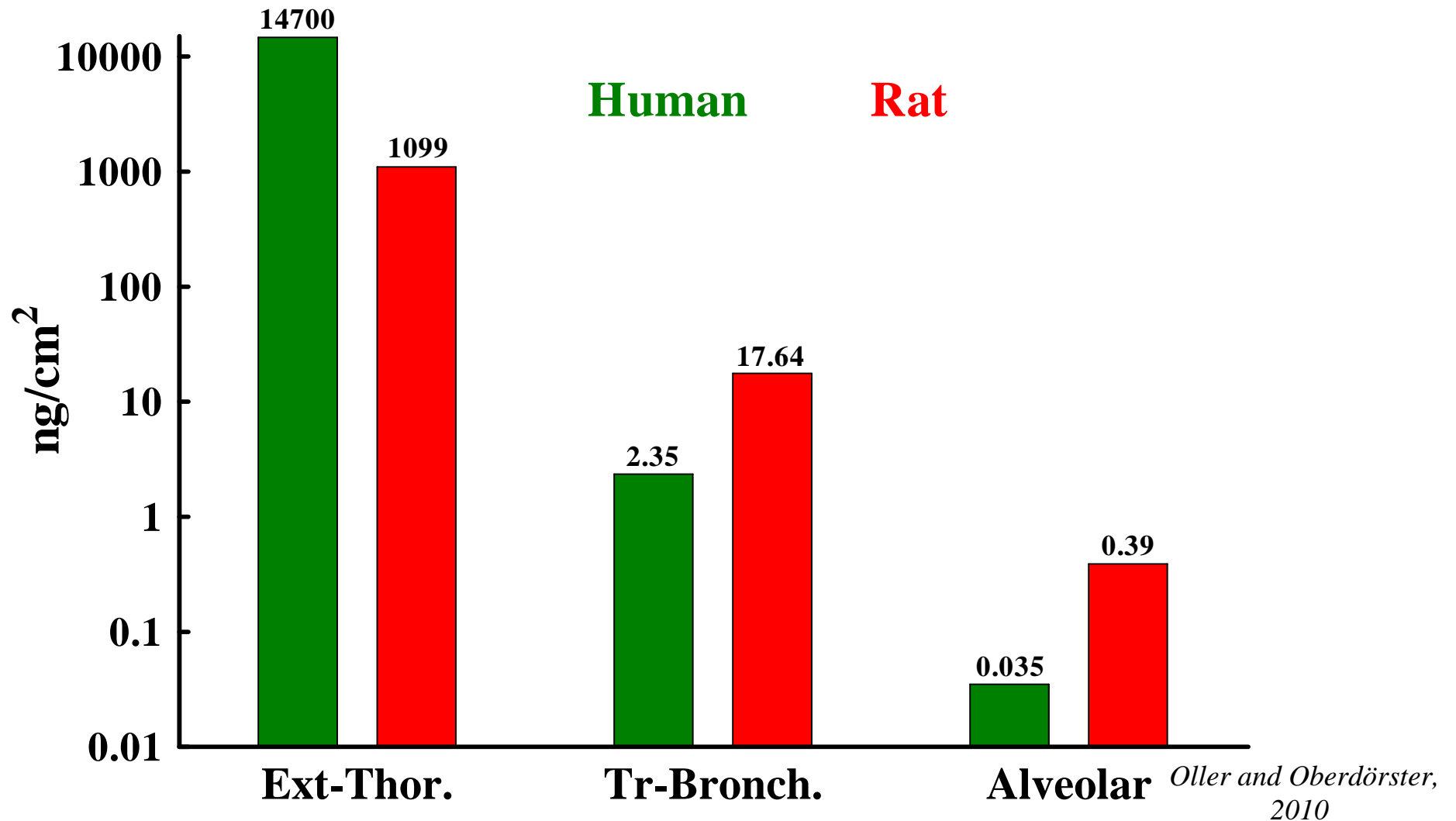


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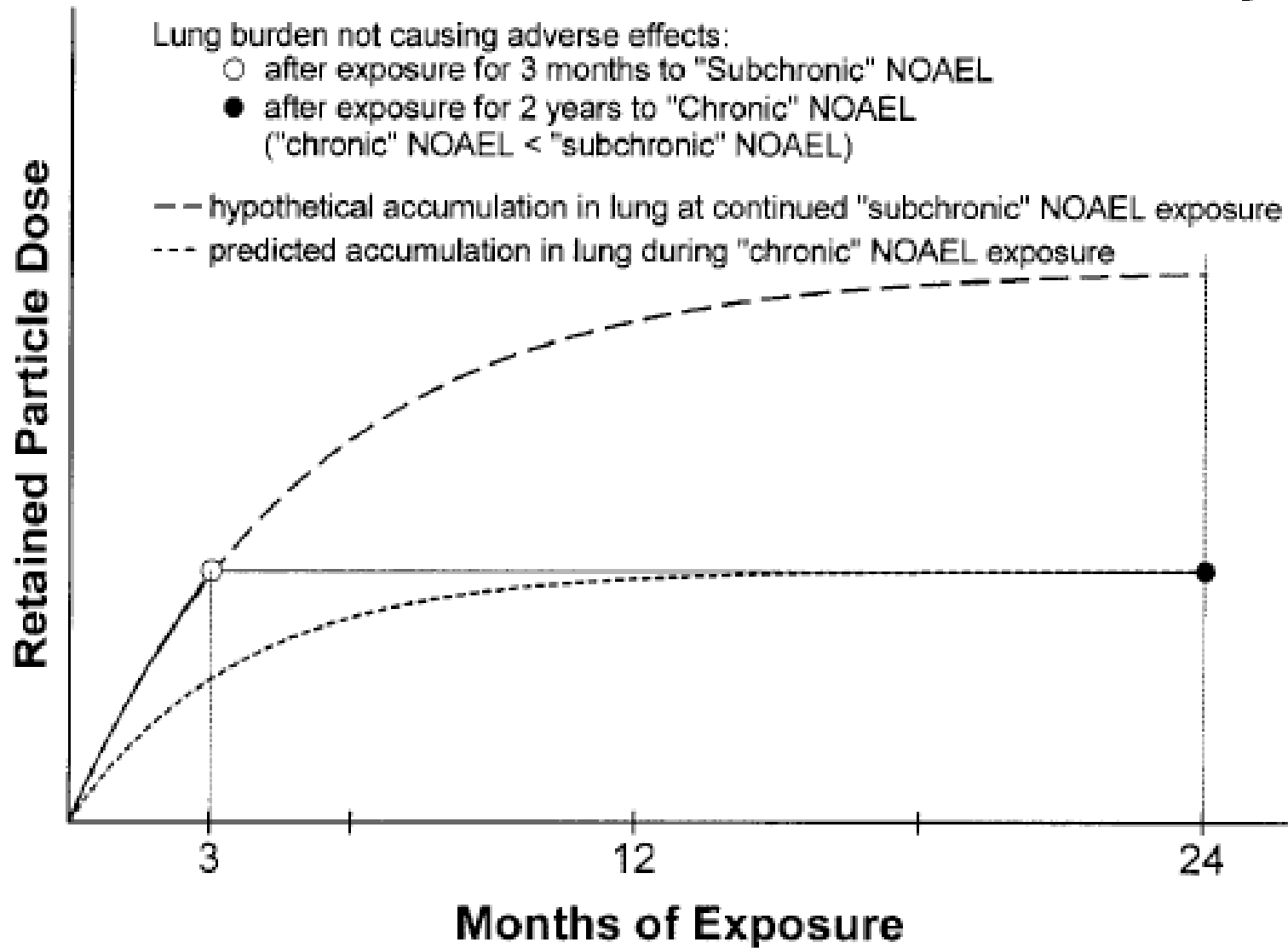
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Human data: MMAD=61.22 μm  
GSD=3.52

Rat data: MMAD=2.21 μm  
GSD=1.97



## Estimation of NOAEL from Subchronic Study

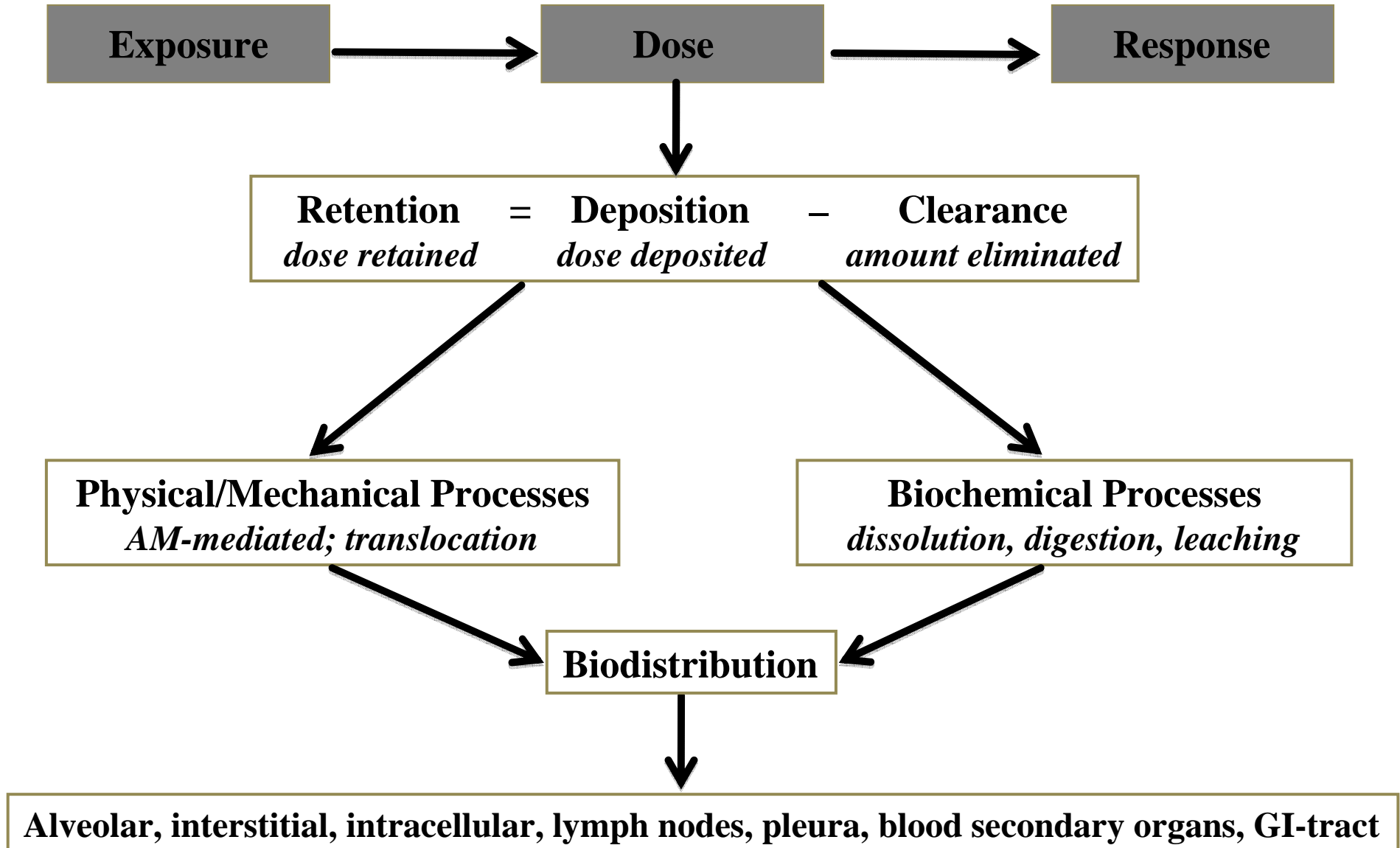


*From: Oberdörster, 2002*

# **In Vivo Löslichkeits-Rate**

# Determinants of Biokinetics of Inhaled Particles

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## Clearance of Inhaled particles: Separating mechanical and dissolution clearance

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### Determining Dissolution:

#### Approaches:

- ***in vitro***: simulated lung fluid, extra-, intra-cellular;  
static/dynamic system
- ***in vivo***:
  - lung clearance data and analyze together  
with blood levels
  - compare lung buildup of particle in question with that  
of a poorly soluble particle of low cytotoxicity (PSP)  
with same physical characteristics

# Clearance of Inhaled particles: Separating mechanical clearance and dissolution

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Lung accumulation, assuming first order kinetics:

$$A_t = \frac{a}{b} \times \frac{5}{7} (1 - e^{-bt})$$

$A_t$  = accumulated lung burden at time ( $t$ )

$a$  = daily deposited amount (MPPD model)

$b$  = clearance rate;  $\frac{\ln 2}{b} = T_{1/2}$

Total clearance rate = mechanical clearance rate + dissolution rate

$$\begin{aligned} b_{\text{tot}} &= b_{\text{mech}} + b_{\text{sol}} \\ \frac{1}{T_{1/2_{\text{tot}}}} &= \frac{1}{T_{1/2_{\text{mech}}}} + \frac{1}{T_{1/2_{\text{sol}}}} \end{aligned}$$

# Clearance of Inhaled particles: Separating mechanical and dissolution clearance

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## *In Vivo* Second Approach:

### Available:

Results from chronic rat inhalation study; 6 hrs/day, 5 days/wk, 1-2 years

Exposure concentration; MMAD; GSD; spec. density  $\rho$

Lung burden buildup over 6 months to 2 years

### Calculation:

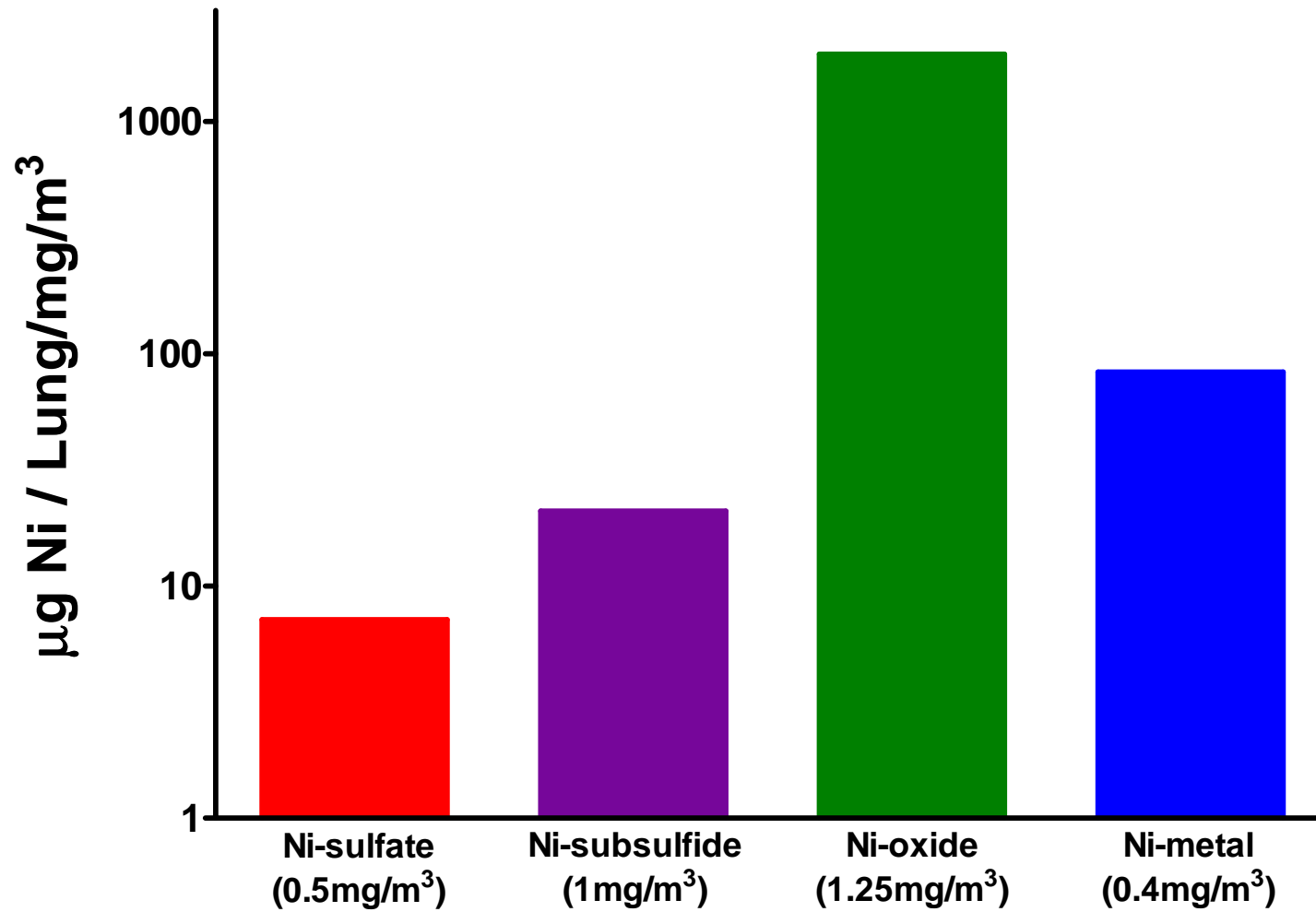
assume PSP with same physical particle parameters as study particle  
model buildup of PSP over study duration,

for PSP: (e.g., TiO<sub>2</sub>)  $T_{1/2_{\text{mech}}} = 70$  days (clearance rate  $b = 0.01/\text{day}$ )

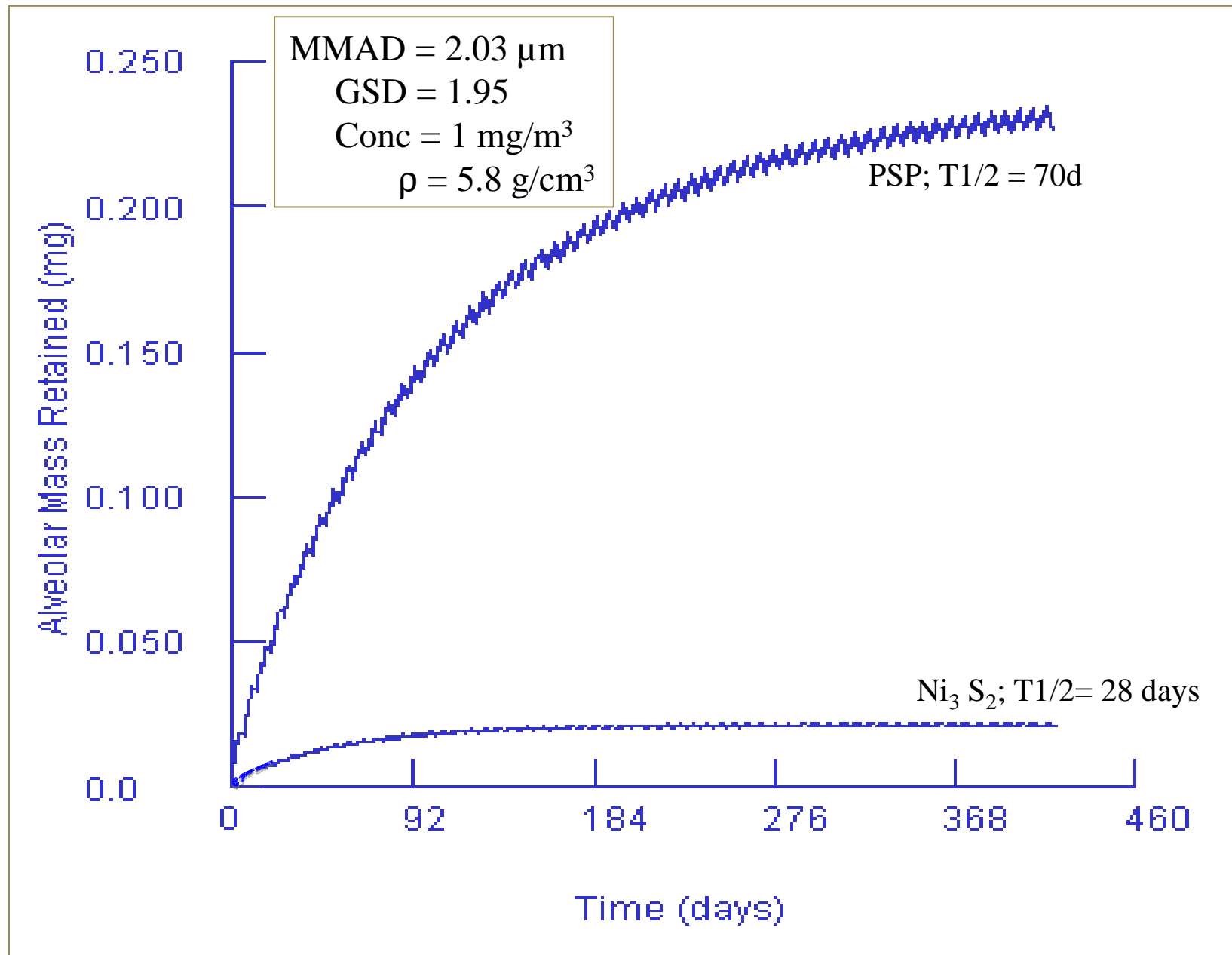
$$T_{1/2_{\text{sol}}} = 0$$

Compare to actual retention halftime ( $T_{1/2}$ ) and  
clearance rate ( $b$ ) of study particle

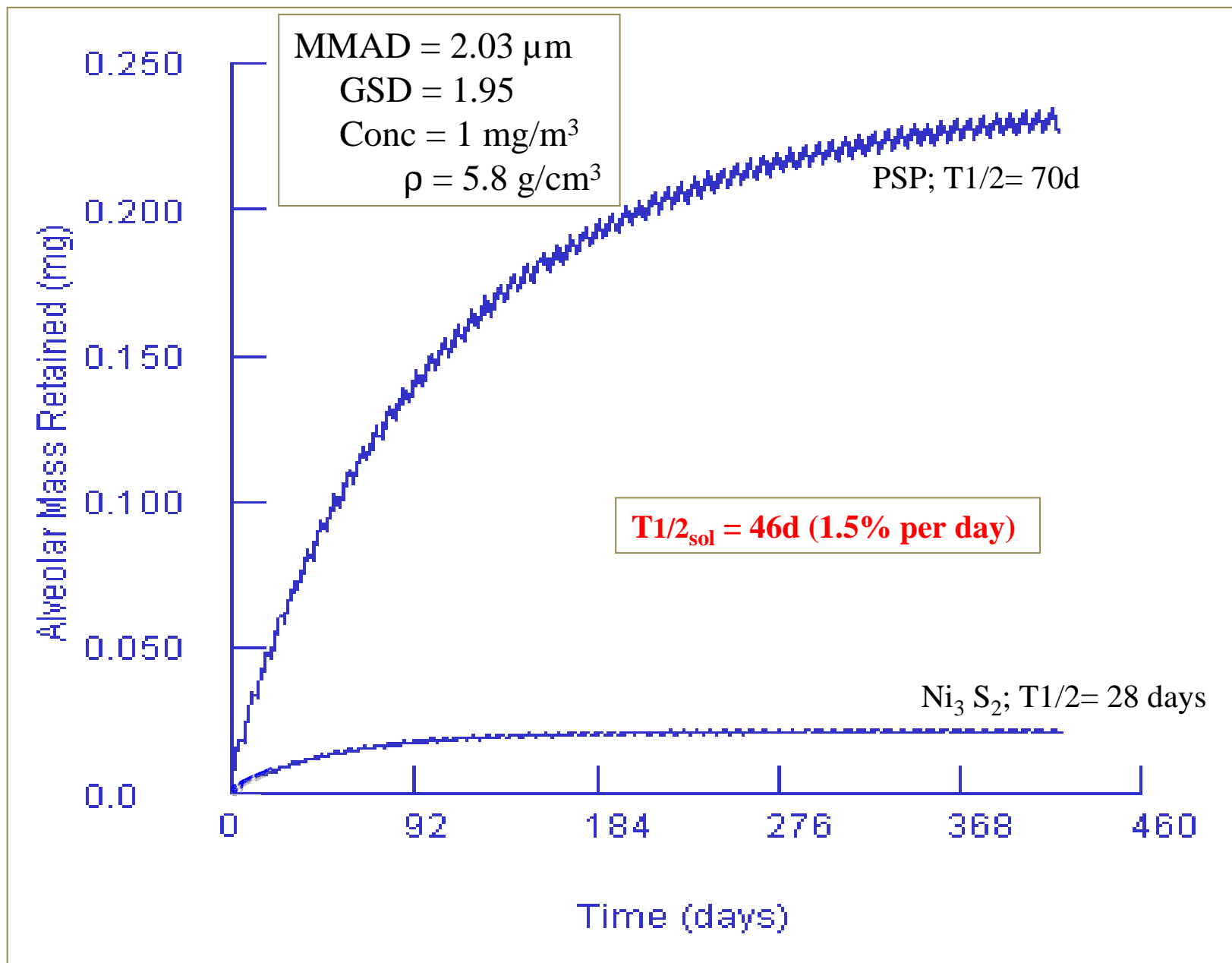
## Normalized Retained Lung Burden at 15 Months of Exposure (12 months for Ni-metal)



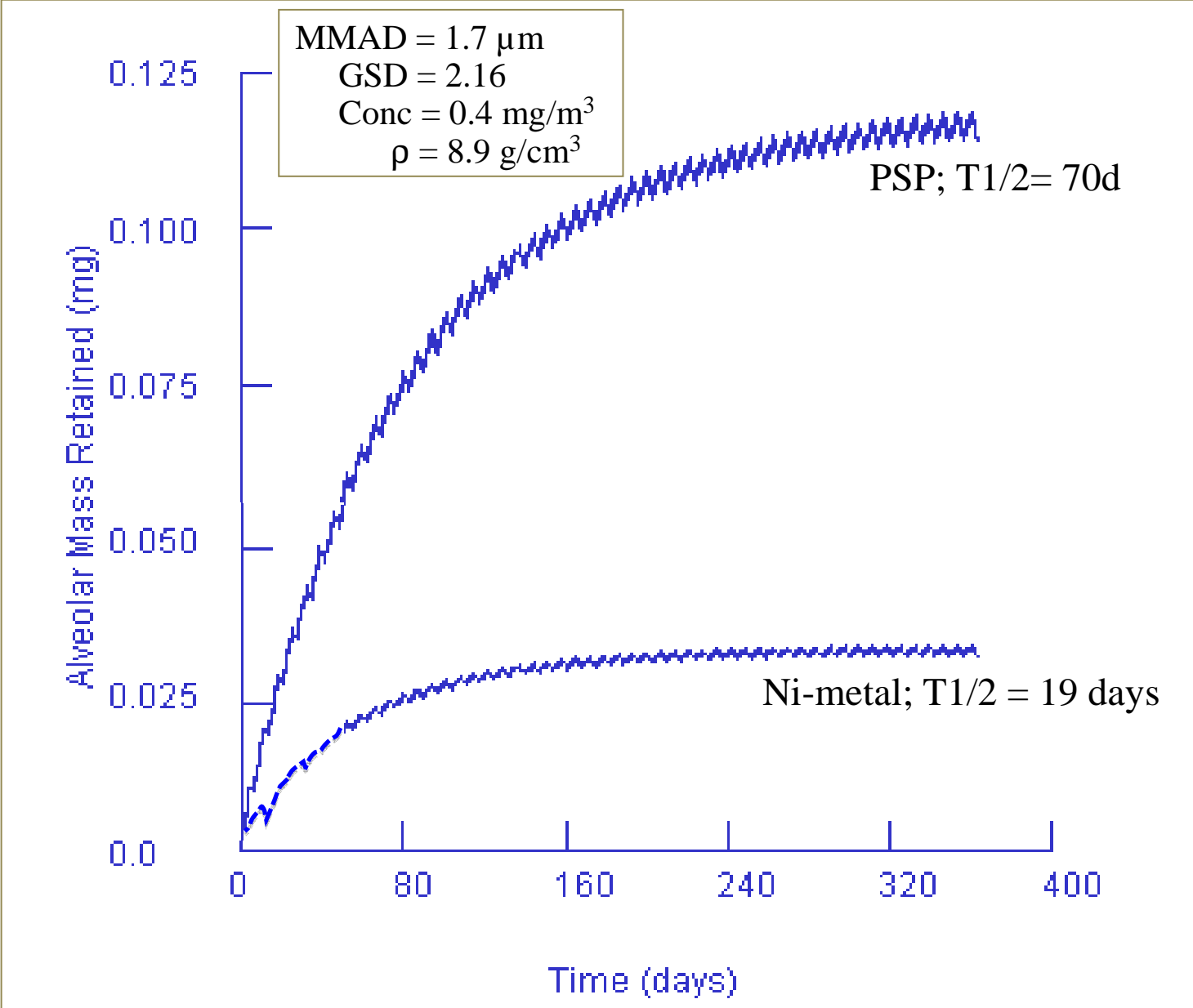
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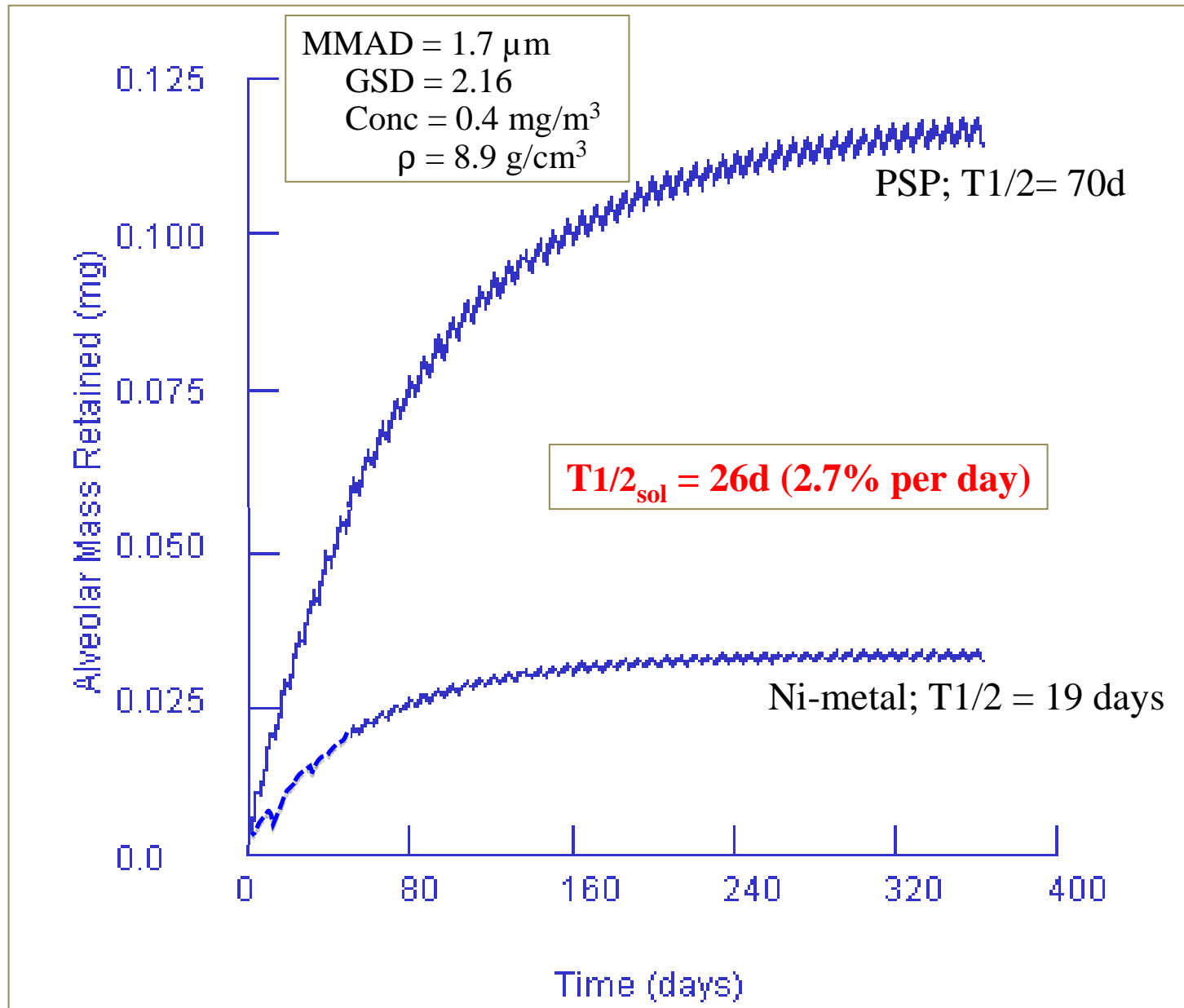
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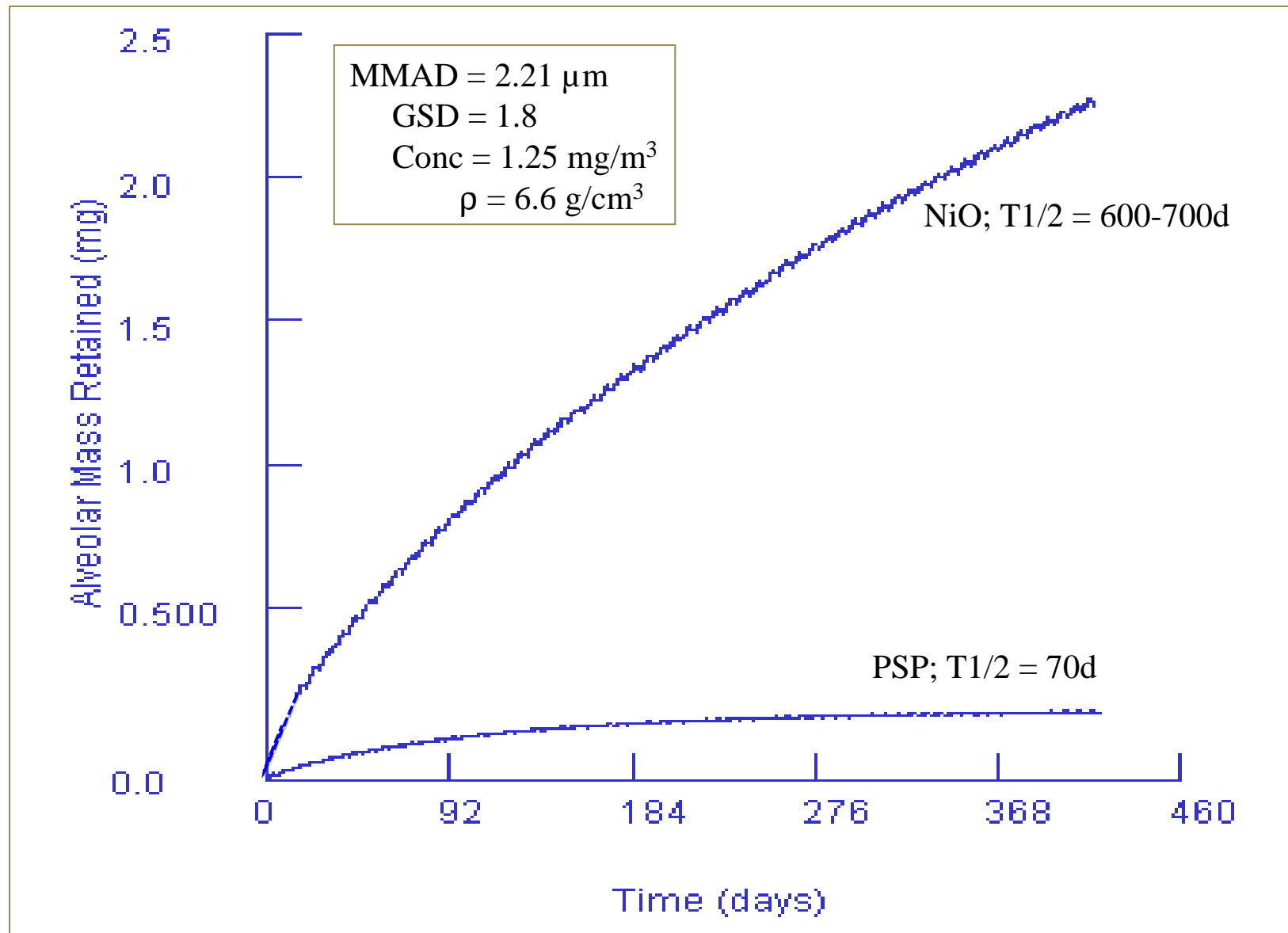
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***In Vivo* Löslichkeit inhalierter Metall-Partikel lässt sich durch Vergleich der Retention mit PSP abschätzen.**

**Aber:**

- **Die Clearance Rate könnte signifikant durch Bindung des gelösten Metalls an Zellstrukturen (Proteine) beeinflusst werden.**
- **Vergleich mit löslichen Metall-Verbindungen ist hilfreich.**
- **Annahme ist, dass  $T_{1/2_{sol}}$  ist gleich in der Lunge von Ratte und Mensch.**

