

#### APPENDIX 4

Correlations of the exchangeable cations and some ICP-measured metals  
(log ratio-transformed data) with pH values (raw data),  
as imaged by Pearson  $r^2$  values,  
systems with  $r^2 < 0.30$  are not listed

	$r^2$ , pH <sub>H2O</sub>	Trend type	$r^2$ , pH <sub>KCl</sub>	Trend type
Na <sup>+</sup>	0.73	polynomial	0.62	polynomial
K <sup>+</sup>	0.55	polynomial		
Mg <sup>2+</sup>	0.55	polynomial		
Ca <sup>2+</sup>			0.55	linear