

Table 6 Nemerow integrated pollution index of heavy metals concentration in cassava mill effluent contaminated soil

| Parameters | BMM | | BGM | |
|------------|------|------|------|------|
| | Dry | Wet | Dry | Wet |
| Cu | 1.44 | 1.16 | 1.46 | 1.10 |
| Zn | 1.01 | 1.09 | 1.35 | 1.24 |
| Mn | 1.18 | 1.18 | 1.43 | 1.30 |
| Fe | 1.35 | 1.16 | 1.54 | 1.13 |
| Pb | 1.64 | 3.27 | 1.79 | 2.79 |
| Cd | 1.00 | 1.78 | 1.00 | 2.36 |
| Cr | 1.46 | 2.20 | 1.35 | 1.93 |
| Ni | 1.37 | 2.74 | 1.29 | 2.14 |
| Co | 0.98 | 1.80 | 1.25 | 1.37 |

Note: NIPI \leq 0.7 (No pollution); 0.7 $<$ NIPI \leq 1 (Warning line of pollution); 1 $<$ NIPI \leq 2 (Low level of pollution); 2 $<$ NIPI \leq 3 (Moderate level of pollution); NIPI $>$ 3 (High level of pollution); BMM- Background Median Mean; BGM- Background Geometric Mean