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<u>Case study</u> WATER QUALITY STATUS OF RIVER DONAN DUE TO OPERATIONAL REFINERY PERTAMINA UNIT IV CILACAP-

CENTRAL JAVA-INDONESIA

5 6 ABSTRACT

Objective: Indonesian State Oil Company processes crude oil into fuel oil, non-fuel fuel 7 and petrochemical, this activity produces waste that allows pollution of the Donan river. 8 herefore, this study aims to analyze the quality of Donan streams based on water 9 chemical - physical quality, and the plankton and benthos diversity conditions, due to 10 the impact of waste discharged from the installation of wastewater treatment units from 11 cilacap state oil companies. 12 Methodology: This research was conducted by analyzing water samples with Atomic 13 Absorption Spectrophotometer method. Water sampling is done at point 2 sampling 14 points is at sampling point A = holding basin output 39 and B = holding basin output 66 -15 49. Results: Based on Biological Oxygen Demand (ppm) analysis between 5.5 ppm - 7.2 16 ppm. Chemical Oxygen Demand concentration (ppm) between 33.6 ppm - 33.7 ppm. 17 While the concentration of Dissolved Oxygen (ppm) between 6.0 ppm - 5.9 ppm. The 18 results of heavy metal chromium analysis with concentrations between 0.04 ppm - 0.05 19 ppm. Free chlorine concentration with concentration of 0.04 ppm - 0.05 ppm. While the 20 concentration of H₂S was 0.2 ppm . and the fluoride concentration was 0.88 ppm - 1.01 21 ppm. Based on the quality standards stipulated by Regulation of the Minister of 22 Environment No. 19 of 2010 and Regional Regulations of Central Java, No. 5 of 2012 23 shows that the Donan river on the verge of polluted. Plankton analysis was found as the 24 dominant species of Coscinodiscus sp and Nitzschia sp which is a bio-indicator of 25 pollutant.the waters are contaminated lightly 26 27 28 Keywords: Biological Oxygen Demand, Dissolved Oxygen, Chemical Oxygen Demand,

- 29 Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer Nitzschia sp, Coscinodiscus sp
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34 INTRODUCTION

Oil and Gas Refinery Unit is an Indonesian owned company located in cilacap city. The company is processing crude oil into petroleum and petrochemical fuel. In the process would produce waste that could disrupt the ecological balance to the surrounding environment, especially the Donan river (Directorate General of Water Resources 2015).

The entry of the remaining production can cause disruption to the river's ecological 39 system. The oxygen content will decrease in Donan river waters bodies, which means the 40 41 dissolved oxygen content and the amount of oxygen needed to oxidize organic matter are also reduced. (Directorate General of Water Resources 2015).Pollution waters is the entry of 42 pollutant materials into water bodies due to human activities, so the quality of the waters to 43 some extent causes water can not function in accordance with its appointment. From the 44 formula can be that. Thereforesaid that pollution waters is a decrease in water quality due to 45 46 the entry of pollutant components of human activities or natural processes, therefore the water is not feasible or even disrupt its utilization. (Government of the Republic of Indonesia, 2001) ` 47 Biological components (Dissolved Oxygen, Biochemical Oxygen Demand nd Chemical 48

Oxygen Demand) are often used as indicators therefore changes in water quality. Similarly, 49 50 biological components can adapt to occupied environments to be bio-indicators of aquatic environments.Benthos is one of the organisms that can be used as bio-indicator because it has 51 three properties that are very helpful. in indicating the level of pollution waters, namely: a) Has 52 a different level of sensitivity to various types of pollutants and provide rapid reactions to 53 changes that occur. b) Have a low mobility, so it is very easily influenced by in the 54 circumstances surrounding environment. c) Easy to be catch and identified. Therefore, these 55 indicators are often used to assess quality of river waters(Wilhm, J.L.1975) 56

Benthic invertebrates are one of the groups of animals that can survive in a bad 57 environment and where pollution buildup of watertherefore, this group of animals other than a 58 59 component to balance the aquatic animal community, can also be used as an indicator of water quality of aquatic.. Similarly plankton is a marine organism whose existence can be serve as an 60 indicator of changes in biological quality of river waters. Plankton which has the nature of 61 always moving can also be used as indicators of pollution waters. It is therefore the diversity 62 63 and dominance of plankton on river waters is very important. The diversity of plankton and benthos shows the level of river water quality, the higher the diversity of plankton and benthos 64 65 mka the better the quality of the water (Shuh-Sen Young et al., 2014)

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Oil and Gas Refinery Unit is an Indonesian owned companyin accordance with the EPA 66 67 Standard Industry Classification can be defined as a company engaged in producing gasoline, kerosene, distillate fuel oil, spent fuel oil, and lubricants, by fractionation, crude oil refining, 68 unfinished petroleum derivatives redistilation. The Environmental Protection Agency is also 69 70 considering and selecting the Petroleum Refining category for further review as it ranks fourth 71 highest among all point source categories for both toxic and non-conventional pollutants. Ha is possible to contain vanadium, mercury, and selenium, and also affects the composition of 72 on river flows (Wilhm, J.L. 73 Biochemical Oxygen Demand and Chemical Oxygen Demand 74 1975). Similarly, research on the oil company Cilacap needs to be in-depth research in 75 assessing the impact on the water quality of the Donan river. The Donan river body is the final disposal of the Pertamina crude oil processing plant. (Mitra Adi Pranata, 2015). 76 The environmental aquatic components expected to be affected by the development of the Wax Unit 77 78 Plant. Aquatic ecological limits taking into account potential spreading of waste water spill 79 during transport to vessels and mixing the discharge of liquid waste from activities with the Donan**river waters** bodies. The waters in the study area, including the type of tidal force and 80 semi-diurnal movement pattern that is currently in the tidal period with the current flow of waters 81 of the southern Donan river. The main river that flows in the research area is the Donan River 82 83 which has a small gradient and is affected by tides. The influence of sea water can reach as far 84 as 5 km upstream. This pattern is influenced by local rainfall and the addition of water from sea 85 to river, even in Donan rivers often show puddles. Free ground water is present in very 86 unfragmented quarter deposits that lead to high graduation rates(Boyd, C.E. 1990.)

87 The River pollution is a situation where the ecological conditions become unbalanced so that the water function changes and does not does not regulate its function.Based on 88 Government Regulation no. 20/1990 on pollution waters control that pollution waters is the 89 entry or the entry of living creatures, substances, energy and other components into the water 90 by human activities and the quality of the water down to a certain extent which causes the water 91 no longer function in accordance with the appointment and utilization. (IndonesianGovernment 92 Regulation, 1990). This causes changes in bio indicators in the river, among others, changes 93 in Dissolved Oxygen conditions, oxygen demand in water, chemical oxygen demand and 94 95 plankton-benthos diversity index.Among others, benthos because it has three properties that are very helpful in indicating the level of pollution of waters, namely:a. Has a different level of 96 sensitivity to various types of pollutants and provide rapid reactions to changes that occur, b. 97 Have a low mobility, so it is very easily influenced by in the circumstances surrounding 98 environment and easy to be catch and identified. (Onyema, I.C 2013) 99

100	Dissolved oxygen is needed by organisms in the metabolism process, this is because	
101	with the decrease of oxygen content in water causes the process of catabolism of organic	 Comment [A5]: In line 126: Please divide this
102	material by organism becomes disturbed. The result of aerobic imperfect catabolism will turn	sentence to two sentences as follows: in the process of metabolism. Absence In
103	into anaerobic to produce toxic compounds such as H_2S and NH_4 .(Christy E, et al. 2013). The	addition, move "interrupted" after water and delete causes Then, this sentence will be: Absence
104	need for Oxygen (BOD $_5$) is the amount of oxygen required by organisms in the aerobic	of oxygen in water interrupted metabolic process
105	metabolic process, whileChemical Oxygen Demand is the chemical oxygen content, required	
106	fordegradation of organic material by chemical reaction.	 Comment [A6]: •In line 129: Please write aerobic not Aerobic.
107	Chemical Oxygen Demand can also be defined as a parameter to estimate the	
108	amount of organic material present in water and utilized by organisms in the process of	Comment [A7]: • . In line 132: please delete "or water which is
109	catabolism of organic matter into energy.Based on the UNESCO / WHO / UNEP (1992) The	
110	Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD5) content is allowed to drink water and the maintenance of	
111	living organisms ranges from 3.0 ppm to 6.0 ppm. While based onministerial ministerial decree	 Comment [A8]: •In line 133: please move
112	number 51 / Ministry of Environment and Forestry / 10/1995 that the Biological Oxygen Demand	maximum to be between the and content
113	(BOD ₅₎ value for quality raw wastewater for industrial purposes Group I is 50 ppm and Group II	
114	was 150 ppm and Chemical Oxygen Demandvalues for non-contaminated waters have a	
115	value of <20 ppm.	
116	The Plankton or benthos can be used as bio-indicators of water quality, the presence of	
117	certain species may indicate the conditions of pollution levels, therefore if there is a change of	
118	environmental condition. The plankton or benthoswill beadapt to environmental changes. The	
119	water quality index is closely related to the saprobity index as measured by the number of	 Comment [A9]: •In line 143: please do not use plankton or benthos type and use species or
120	species (plankton and benthos) found, as each species (plankton and benthos) is a constituent	genera
121	of a particular saprobic group that will affect the value of water saprobitas	
122	Based on the saprobik index divided into 3 categories are oligosaprobik, mesosaprobik	
123	and oligosaprobik The Oligosaprobik category is a classification of waters that have not been	 Comment [A10]: • . In line 148: please delete "are the spirogyra and desmidium genera"
124	contaminated or contaminated lightly, commonly found species from the Class of Chlorophage	 In line 150 - 151: please delete divisions of algae and move Nitzschia actinastroides to be between spirogyra
125	(Trishala K. Parmar, Deepak Rawtani & Y. K. Agrawal, 2016). The mesosaprobic category is	sp, and Rhizosolonia sp., In line 152: please delete "the" before
126	waters with mild to moderate contamination levels, its levers are inhabited by Spirogyra sp,	Bacillariophyceae and "class" after Bacillariophyceae. In line 153: please rewrite saprobic as not italic and
127	Desmidium sp, Melosira sp, Spyrogira sp, Rhizosolonia sp., Nitschia sp., Oscillatoria sp.	write cyanobacteria instead of Chrysophyceae.
128	Nitzschia actinastroides and Spirulina sp, while the Polysaprobic waters category, are more	C
129	inhabited by Spirulina sp of the genus of <i>Chrysophyceae</i> (Onyema, 2013 and Edward and David	
130	C, 2010).	
131	This study aims to determine the condition of Donan <mark>river waters</mark> before and after the	
132	project footprint of State Oil Company, so it can be an effort to manage and monitor the	

environment in the area. especially if the area will be developed in the future.

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135 APPLICATION METHODS IN SAMPLE

136 1. The sampling has been done on December, 2017. The onsite temperature were $28 \,^{\circ}$ C, with 137 air pressure 765 mmHg, humidity 74.4 %– 78.8%. The wind speed were 0.4 m/s – 1.3 m/s 138 with northwest to soutwest direction.

2. Water sampling is carried out at two sampling points, at a point of sampling (A) near the 139 North Holding Basin outlet and at sample point B near Unit 49 and 66 Holding Basin outlets. 140 The exact location is shown in Figure 1. The sampling methods for surface water 141 qualitywere based on Indonesian National Standard (SNI) No. 06-6989.57:2008 of The 142 Methods of Surface Water Sampling. The analysis of heavy metal content was used Atomic 143 Absorption Spectrophotometry Method (Varian, 2015) and whileTotal Suspended Solid 144 (TSS)analysis was used gravimetric method (Indonesian National Standard. 2017, 145 146 Letter, Teeter and Donnel. 2003)

Sampling of plankton and benthos is done at the same point. The fitoplankton and 147 3. zooplankton sample were taken using plankton net with mesh size of 30-50 µm for 148 fitoplankton and 0.2 mm for zooplankton. Then, the sampel were preserved with 4-5% 149 formalin solution (Goswami, S.C., 2004). The identification of planktonwere 150 usedidentification key such as Bold & Wynne (1978) and APHA (1992) and benthos sample 151 152 were taken by grab sampler. The sediment that had been taken were sifted in water by 5 153 mesh sieve (254mm). The filtered material then preserved by 10% formalin solution that 154 had been added with coloring solution. The sample were identified by identification key. The 155 plankton and benthos that had been identified then analyzed with standard Shanon-Wiener diversity index. 156

Figure 1. Below shows the sampling points of surface water, plankton and benthos, as follows:

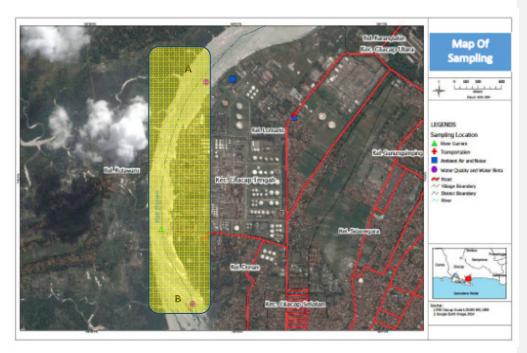


Figure 1. Water Sampling Point, Plankton and Benthos (Sampling A = Donan River, near outlet of north Holding Basin and Sampling B = Donan River, near outlet of holding Basin 66 And Holding Basin 49)⁽²⁾

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Based on the analysis results Measurement of water quality is done in 2 locations as follows:

 Table 1. Water Quality Measurement Data (Mitra Adi Pranata, 2015)

			Sampling Location		Water Quality Criteria Based on Maximun Class Level (PP No. 82/2001)			
No	Parameter	Unit	A (sampling before project)	B (sampling after project)	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV
	I. PHYSICS							
1	Temperature	°C	31.7 ⁰	31.9 ⁰	Deviation+/- 3	Deviation +/- 3	Deviation+/- 3	Deviation+/- 3
2	Dissolved Residue	ppm	15,752	11,916	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
3	Suspended Residue	ppm	22	32	50	50	400	400
	II. CHEMICAL							
1	Hq	-	7,9	7,8	6 - 9	6 – 9	6 – 9	6 – 9

2	BOD	ppm	5.5	7.2	2	3	6	12
3	COD	ppm	33.7	33.7	10	25	50	100
4	DO	ppm	6.0	5.9	6	4	3	0
5	Total Phosphate as P	ppm	< 0.001	< 0.001	0.2	0.2	1	5
6	NO3 as N	ppm	0.018	0.161	10	10	20	20
7	Arsenic (As)	ppm	< 0.003	< 0.003	0.05	1	1	1
8	Cadmium (Cd)	ppm	< 0.010	< 0.010	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
9	Chromium (Cr +6)	ppm	0.004	0.005	0.05	0.05	0.05	1
10	Copper (Cu)	ppm	< 0.010	< 0.010	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
11	Lead (Pb)	ppm	< 0.030	< 0.030	0.3	0.3	0.3	1
12	Mercury (Hg)	ppm	< 0.001	< 0.001	0.001	0.002	0.002	0.005
13	Zinc (Zn)	ppm	< 0.001	< 0.001	0.05	0.05	0.05	2
14	Cyanide (CN)	ppm	< 0.002	< 0.002	0.02	0.02	0.02	-
15	Fluoride (F)	ppm	0.88	1.01	0.5	1.5	1.5	-
16	Nitrit as N (NO ₂)	ppm	< 0.001	< 0.001	0.06	0.06	0.06	-
17	Free chlorine	ppm	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	-
18	Sulfur as H2S	ppm	< 0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	-
	III. ORGANIC CHEMICALS	ppm						
1	Oil and fat	ppm	250	500	1000	1000	1000	-
2	Detergent as MBAS	ppm	12	21	200	200	200	-
3	Phenol compounds as Phenol	ppm	< 1	< 1	1	1	1	-
	IV. MICROBIOLOGY							
1	Faecal Coliform	number/100 mL	330	270	100	1,000	2,000	2,000
2	Total Coliform	number/100 mL	330	270	1,000	3,000	10,000	10,000
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Description: ource: Primary Data Analysis Result, 2014

171 A = Donan River basin holding output 39

172 B = Donan River basin holding output 66 and 49

173 a) First class, water which can be used for drinking water, and / or other designations that require the same water 174 175 quality as that purpose;

b) Secondary classes, water which may be used for recreational water facilities, cultivation of freshwater fish, farms, 176 water to irrigate crops, and or other designations that require the same water quality as those uses; 177

c) Class three, water whose designation may be used for the cultivation of freshwater fish, farms, water to irrigate crops, and or other designations that require the same water quality as those uses;

178 179 d) Class four, the water of which the designation may be used to irrigate crops and / or other designations which 180 require the same water quality as those uses

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Based on the analysis of the water sample then some parameters have exceeded the specified 183 limit is are as follows : Biological Oxygen Demand(ppm) value range 5.5-7.2 ppm, Chemical 184 Oxygen Demand (ppm) value range 33.64- 33.73, a.Dissolved Oxygen(ppm)value range 6.01-185 5.90 ppm, Fluoride (ppm) value range 0,878 -1,007 ppm while the other parameters are still 186 below the specified threshold base on Government of the Republic of Indonesia, 2001. 187 Indonesia Government Regulation No. 82 of 2001 on Water Quality Management and pollution 188 189 waters Control . (Indonesia Government Regulation, 2001) 190

191 a. Dissolved Oxygen The need for dissolved oxygen in the waters of the Donan river will increase as the oxygen demand of water organisms increases to metabolize organic matter. **Therefore**, an increase in organic matter will increase the oxygen demand in Donan river waters. The quality of Donan river waters on Dissolved Oxygen parameters are classified as mild contamination streams, based on measurement results show that a. Dissolved Oxygen(ppm) has a value between 6.01 - 5.90ppm (Indonesia Government Regulation, 2001)

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199 b. Biochemical Oxygen Demand and Chemical Oxygen Demand

200 Biological Oxygen Demandcondition is very related to the content of Dissolved Oxygen 201 inwaters, this is linear, If Biological Oxygen Demandneeds increase then dissolved oxygen will 202 also rise. Biological Oxygen Demand is the Oxygen Needs required by all biological activities in water. Biological imbalances in the waters cause water to become polluted (APHA, 1992). 203 204 The higher the Biological Oxygen Demand requirement, the worse the water conservation. also 205 according to lee at al (1978)Biological Oxygen Demandvalue 5.53 ppm - 7.19 ppm included in 206 the range of 5 ppm -15 ppm waters with fairly polluted criteria. The Chemical Oxygen Demand number is a measure for water pollution by organic substances that can be oxidized naturally 207 through microbiological processes, and result in reduced oxygen in water (Poole, R.W., 1974) . 208 209 The Chemical Oxygen Demandvalue is always higher than the Biological Oxygen Demand 210 value. The differences between the two values Biochemical Oxygen Demand and Chemical Oxygen Demand are caused by many factors such as chemicals that are resistant to 211 212 biochemical oxidation but are not resistant to chemical oxidation, such as lignin, (Environmental 213 Protection Agency, 2001)

Based on the analysis withBiological Oxygen Demandparameter, the Donan river is included in the category of medium polluted river (Government Regulation No. 82/2001), While based on the analysis with Chemical Oxygen Demand parameters then the Donan river with Chemical Oxygen Demand value : 33.64 ppm – 33.73 ppm (Table 1), included in the category of mild contaminated streams that are class 3 categories based on government regulations on the quality of river waters(standard 50 ppm - 100 ppm).

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221 c. Flouride

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Based on Indonesia Government Regulation no. 82 of 2001 on the Management and
 Control of Water Quality for First Class Water Pollution that is water that can be used for
 drinking water requires maximum permissible fluoride level of 0.5 ppm. Effect of

fluoride may be detrimental to health if at high exposure, Fluoride compound mechanism in the body it is possible to inhibit nerve impulses and inhibit resistance chains so as to cause necrosis, if fluorescent fluids range from 3 ppm to 10 ppm (WHO, 2004)

Based on the measurement results that the content of fluoride from the Donan flow is in the range of 0.88 mg - 1.01 ppm included in the category of mild contamination therefore the waters of the Donan river belonging to Class 1 category is mild contamination therefore water category can be used as raw drinking water source after cooking (Chinoy, NJ, et al, 1994and Government of the Republic of Indonesia, 2001)

235 d. Plankton and Benthos

The quality of Donan river can be known based on the plankton diversity index and benthos. The plankton diversity index is the ratio value of the number of an individual of each type to the total number of individuals of all species found. The plankton diversity index is the ratio value of the number of an individual of each type to the total number of indi- viduals of all species found. The diversity index (H) represents the species diversity of plankton and benthos inhabiting a community, where the value of diversity is closely related to the small number of species present in the community denoted by H.

Plankton and benthos are organisms that can be used as bioindicators of water pollution, therefore plankton and benthos sampling are important parameters.(Onyema, I.C 2013). Sampling of plankton and benthos was conducted at the same location as water quality sampling. Sampling is done at two points, namely the Donan River output from North Basin Holding, and Donan River output from Holding Basin Units 66 and Unit 49. Table 2 shows plankton and Benthos sampling results in waters around the study area as follows:

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Tabel 2. Plankton Analysis in Donan River Waters (Mitra Adi Pranata, 2015 and Kathleen A. Nolan and Jill E. 2005)

No	Species (Type)	Sampling after Project (ind/L)	Sampling before Project (ind/L)
1	Asterionella sp	1	-
2	Biddulphia sp	-	1
3	Chaetoceros sp	2	9
4	Codonellopsis sp	3	-
5	Coscinodiscus sp	3	79
6	Cyclops sp	64	6

7	Nauplius sp	76	80
8	Nitzchia sp	1	-
9	Peridinium sp	2	39
10	Thalasiothrix sp	-	2
	Number of types	8	7
	Number of individuals	152	216
	Index of diversity (H)	1.05	1.35
	Index dominance	0.49	0.31
	Uniformity index	0.21	0.25
Sou	rce: Primary data analysis results, 2014		

254 Water quality based on plankton and benthos diversity is calculated by using the shannon

255 winner diversity index as follows (Kathleen A. Nolan and Jill E. 2005)

- 256 H = Σ pi ln pi
- 257 Information:
- 258 pi = comparison of the number of individuals of a type with the whole type
- 259 The pollution index is divided into four categories:
- 260 > 2.0 = Unaffected
- 261 2.0 1.6 = Pure Light
- 262 1.5 1.0 = Medium Medium
- 263 <1.0 = Seriously Weight
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265 Most of the identified plankton are diatoms. Some types of diatoms can be used as 266 environmental bioindicators. Type Coscinodiscus is a type of plankton that can survive 267 in waters that contain lots of calcium while the type of Nitzchia can survive at high H₂S 268 levels From the result of measurement of water quality of H₂S parameter shows the 269 value of 0.002 ppm and has been on the threshold of water quality standard for class I, 270 II and III. The value of the diversity index shows that the quality of the waters is contaminated lightly therefore the plankton community in the waters is quite good. The 271 272 stability of the plankton community is supported by a dominant index value ranging from 0.114 to 0.156. Based on shannon winner diversity index indicating that no species 273 dominates other species therefore the plankton community structure becomes 274 275 stable(Onyema, 2013)

Benthos are organisms that live in the bottom of the water (substrate) either sleazy, creep or dig a hole. Bentos live in sand, mud, rocks, broken corals or dead corals. The aquatic substrates and depths affect the pattern of dispersal and functional morphology as well as the behavior of benthic animals. This is related to the characteristics and types of food benthos. Bentos is an organism that lives on the seabed or river either attached to sand or mud. Some examples of bentos include Comment [A11]: base on become Based on

shellfish, sea urchins, starfish, sea whips, coral reefs and others. Animals bentos live
relatively settled, so good used as a guide of environmental quality, because it is always
in contact with waste into its habitat(Ernest Hodgson, 2004)The result of bentos
analysis in the study area is presented in table 3 below:

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Table 3. Bentos Anal	/sis Of Sampling at DonanRiver	(Mitra Adi Pranata, 2015)

No	Species (Type)	Sampling after Project	Sampling before Project	
NO	Species (Type)	(ind/L)	(ind/L)	
1	Macoma sp	4	6	
2	Macula sp	4	2	
3	Prothothaca sp	2	4	
4	Tagelus sp	4	4	
	Number of types	4	4	
	Number of individuals	14	16	
	Diversity index	1.35	1.32	
	Dominance index	0.19	0.14	
	Uniformity index	0.51	0.48	
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287 Source: Primary data analysis results, 2014

According to Lee, et.al, (1978) water quality criteria associated with the Sannon winner

Diversity Index are: (<1.0) highly polluted; (1.0 - 1.5) is sufficiently polluted; (1.5 - 2.0) is

lightly contaminated, and; (> 2) has not been polluted. Based on benthos analysis,

sample diversity index A = 1.35 and sample B = 1.32 indicating that benthos diversity

index in Donan river is mild-moderate contaminated category (Lee, C.D et al. 1978)

The condition of waters in the mild-moderate category of contamination is usually dominated by shrubs (bivalves) that live in mud substrate and sandy mud, because their shells (bivalves) are able to utilize the remaining organic material as a source of energy. **Therefore**, bivalves may be used as an indicator of bio-water contaminated with organic matter under moderate-to-moderate category (Kaushik Gupta*et al*, 2015)

298 CONCLUSION

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Pertamina Unit IV Cilacap-Central Java-Indonesiaindicates that the Pertamina Refinery
Operational Activity of IV Cilacap has no significant impact on the quality of Donan river
waters when viewed from chemical, physical and biological reviews. the Donan river is

still in the category of mild to moderate contamination.

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