

1. Dioxins and PCBs are released from some industrial processes

PCB

Dioxins



6. Big fish eat a lot of fish and accumulate higher levels of dioxins and PCBs

5. Bigger fish eat a lot of small fish and accumulate contaminants in their bodies

2. Dioxins and PCBs are not soluble, sink to the bottom and attach to the sediments

4. Small fish eat the small organisms, together with contaminants

3. Small organisms eat contaminated sediments

