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Questions for Chloride

Read the article "Chloride" and answer the following questions:

1. What is chlorine used for? (two examples)
2. Explain why salt is used on roads.
3. What are you measuring when you test for chloride?
4. Explain how chloride (from rock salt) can end up in a pond.
5. What is the threshold of chloride concentration to decide whether water is unpolluted or not?
6. Why does the level of chloride rise during spring runoff?
7. What are the consequences of salty runoff?
8. How can road salt chloride end up in our tap water?
9. What could we do to reduce our impact on the chloride level in the water?