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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural  
Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 24, 2018  
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAPP2113056455
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

## Release Notification

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party	OXY USA INC.	OGRID	16696
Contact Name	WADE DITTRICH	Contact Telephone	(575) 390-2828
Contact email	WADE_DITTRICH@OXY.COM	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	
Contact mailing address	PO BOX 4294; HOUSTON, TX 77210		

### Location of Release Source

Latitude N 32.22928 Longitude W 103.97929  
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	CEDAR CANYON RECYCLED WATER PONDS	Site Type	
Date Release Discovered	5-7-21	API# (if applicable)	

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
L	10	24S	29E	EDDY COUNTY, NM

Surface Owner: ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☒ Private (Name: \_\_\_\_\_)

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 15 BBL	Volume Recovered (bbls) 10 BBL
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

OTHER

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?

If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

## Initial Response

*The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury*

- ☒ The source of the release has been stopped.
- ☒ The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.
- ☒ Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.
- ☒ All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not been undertaken, explain why:

Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Printed Name: Wade Dittrich

Title: Environmental Coordinator

Signature: 

Date: 5-14-21

email: wade\_dittrich@oxy.com

Telephone: (575) 390-2828

**OCD Only**

Received by: Ramona Marcus

Date: 5/26/2021

## \*\*\*\*\* LIQUID SPILLS - VOLUME CALCULATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

NAPP2113056455

Location of spill: Cedar Canyon Recycled Water Ponds

Date of Spill: 5/7/2021

Site Soil Type: Silt (caliche)

Average Daily Production: BBL Oil BBL Water

Total Area Calculations						
Total Surface Area	width		length		wet soil depth	oil (%)
Rectangle Area #1	75 ft	X	135 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #2	5 ft	X	120 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #3	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #4	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #5	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #6	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #7	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #8	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%

Porosity 0.16 gal per gal

Saturated Soil Volume Calculations:

		H2O	OIL
Area #1	10125 sq. ft.	169 cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #2	600 sq. ft.	10 cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #3	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #4	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #5	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #6	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #7	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #8	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Total Solid/Liquid Volume:	10,725 sq. ft.	179 cu. ft.	cu. ft.

Estimated Volumes Spilled

	H2O	OIL
Liquid in Soil:	5.1 BBL	0.0 BBL
Liquid Recovered :	10.0 BBL	0.0 BBL
Spill Liquid	15.1 BBL	0.0 BBL
Total Spill Liquid:	15.1	

Recovered Volumes

Estimated oil recovered: 0.0 BBL  
 Estimated water recovered: 10.0 BBL

Soil Type	Porosity
Clay	0.15
Peat	0.40
Glacial Sediments	0.13
Sandy Clay	0.12
Silt	0.16
Loess	0.25
Fine Sand	0.16
Medium Sand	0.25
Coarse Sand	0.26
Gravely Sand	0.26
Fine Gravel	0.26
Medium Gravel	0.25
Coarse Gravel	0.18
Sandstone	0.25
Siltstone	0.18
Shale	0.05
Limestone	0.13
Basalt	0.19
Volcanic Tuff	0.20
Standing Liquids	

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CONDITIONS

Action 29661

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Operator: OXY USA INC P.O. Box 4294 Houston, TX 772104294	OGRID: 16696
	Action Number: 29661
	Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

**CONDITIONS**

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
marcus	None	5/26/2021