

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: OXY USA Inc.	Contact: Chris Jones
Address: 102 S. Main St. Carlsbad, NM 88220	Telephone No.: 575-628-4121
Facility Name: Red Tank 34 Federal #13	Facility Type: Well

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No.: 30-025-32761
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter D	Section 34	Township 22S	Range 32E	Feet from the 410'	North/South Line North	Feet from the 990'	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude **32.5645954 N** Longitude **-104.1504613 W**

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Mixed Fluids	Volume of Release: 3 bbls Oil & 10 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 0 bbls
Source of Release: Nipple on wellhead failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence 2/11/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery 2/11/2015 @ 8:00 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher & Heather Patterson @ NMOCD Jim Amos @ BLM	
By Whom? Kimberly Wilson	Date and Hour: 2/18/2015	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* **The nipple on the wellhead failed due to internal corrosion causing a release of 3 barrels of oil and 10 barrels of produced water. No fluids were recovered. Talon/LPE was contracted to perform an initial site assessment and soil sampling.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
The area affected is around the wellhead measuring approximately 30'x50'.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD 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 NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD 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.

Signature: Chris Jones <small>Digitally signed by Chris Jones DN: cn=Chris Jones, o, ou, email=ckjones88@yahoo.com, c=US Date: 2015.02.18 13:03:35 -0600</small>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Chris Jones	Approved by <i>Hydrologist</i> Environmental Specialist	
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: 2-18-15	Expiration Date: 4-18-15
E-mail Address: Christopher.Jones@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 2/18/2015 Phone: 575-628-4121	<i>Site Supervisor required. Relinquish and relocate near as per NMOCD guides.</i>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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