



Certificate of Analysis

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Field:	PERMIAN_RESOURCES	Report Date:	09/29/2025
Station Name:	MESA VERDE CTB CHECK (FMP) -- Meter	Sampled By:	JE
Station Number:	15500C	Sample Of:	Gas
Station Location:	OP-L2109-BT001	Sample Type:	Spot
Sample Point:	Meter	Sample Conditions:	103 psig, @ 76 °F Ambient: 82 °F
Property ID:	FMP/LSE NMNM137096X	Sample Date:	09/23/2025 09:00
Formation:	NEW_MEXICO	Received Date:	09/24/2025
County:		Login Date:	09/24/2025
Well Name:	CTB	Effective Date:	09/01/2025
Type of Sample :	Spot-Cylinder	Flow Rate:	28980 MSCFD
Sampling Company:	SPL - OXY	Sampling Method:	Purge/Fill
Instrument:	70142339 (Inficon GC-MicroFusion)	Heating Method:	Yes
Last Inst. Cal.:	09/22/2025 0:00 AM	Method:	GPA 2286
Analyzed:	09/26/2025 08:47:06 by CDW	Cylinder No:	9999-005115

Analytical Data

Components	Un-normalized Mol %	Mol. %	Wt. %	GPM at 14.65 psia	
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		GPM TOTAL C2+
Nitrogen	1.4326	1.4228	1.8095		5.788
Carbon Dioxide	2.4798	2.4629	4.9208		
Methane	76.3993	75.8775	55.2620		
Ethane	10.9653	10.8904	14.8664	2.907	
Propane	5.2175	5.1819	10.3735	1.425	
Iso-Butane	0.7629	0.7577	1.9993	0.247	
n-Butane	1.8099	1.7975	4.7430	0.566	
Iso-Pentane	0.4434	0.4404	1.4425	0.161	
n-Pentane	0.4977	0.4943	1.6191	0.179	
Hexanes	0.3081	0.3060	1.1971	0.126	
Heptanes	0.2486	0.2469	1.1232	0.114	
Octanes	0.1028	0.1021	0.5295	0.052	
Nonanes Plus	0.0197	0.0196	0.1141	0.011	
	100.6876	100.0000	100.0000	5.788	

Calculated Physical Properties	Total	C9+
Calculated Molecular Weight	22.03	128.26
Compressibility Factor	0.9962	
Relative Density Real Gas	0.7631	4.4283
GPA 2172 Calculation:		
Calculated Gross BTU per ft³ @ 14.65 psia & 60°F		
Real Gas Dry BTU	1246.9	6974.4
Water Sat. Gas Base BTU	1225.6	6852.4
Ideal, Gross HV - Dry	1242.2	6948.0
Ideal, Gross HV - Wet	1220.4	6823.6

Comments: H2S Field Content: 0 %

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Petroleum Chemist

Quality Assurance: The above analyses are performed in accordance with ASTM, UOP, GPA guidelines for quality assurance, unless otherwise stated. The test results apply to the sample as received.

**UPSET FLARING EVENT SPECIFIC JUSTIFICATIONS FORM****Facility Id#** fAPP2126659618**Facility:** Mesa Verde 18 CTB**Duration of Event:** 57 Minutes**Start Time:** 02:49 PM**Cause:** Emergency Flare > Third Party Downstream Activity > ONEOK > Rico Station > Multiple Issues**Method of Flared Gas Measurement:** Gas Flare Meter**Operator:** OXY USA, Inc.**Flare Date:** 08/16/2026**MCF Flared:** 370**End Time:** 03:46 PM**1. Reason why this event was beyond Operator's control:**

The emissions event was caused by the unforeseen, unexpected, sudden, and unavoidable interruption, restriction or complete shut-in of a gas pipeline by a third-party pipeline compressor station operator, which impacted OXY's ability to send gas to them. This interruption, restriction or complete shut-in of the gas pipeline by a third-party pipeline operator is downstream of OXY's custody transfer point and out of OXY's control to foresee, avoid or prevent from happening and did not stem from any of OXY's upstream facility activity that could have been foreseen and avoided, and could not have been avoided by good design, operation, and preventative maintenance practices. In this case, ONEOK, a third-party downstream operator, had continuing equipment issues and, without advance notice, repeatedly reduced its intake of OXY's sales gas within a 24-hour period. These sudden and unexpected reductions caused immediate sales gas backups and increased line pressure, triggering a few brief intermittent flaring events. ONEOK personnel did not provide OXY with advance notice of equipment issues or reductions in sales gas intake rates. OXY's field and operations teams continuously monitor facility performance for any deviations from standard operating parameters, and upon initiation of flaring, OXY field personnel promptly implemented procedures to divert gas to available storage wells and reduced output from several wells, ensuring that field pressure remained below the facility's established flare trigger setpoints to terminate the flaring event. Flaring is implemented as an essential safety protocol to manage excess gas resulting from operational disruptions caused by third-party downstream operators. This critical safety process allows us to control facility overpressure, safely combust excess gas, and mitigate potential risks including equipment damage, leaks, or explosions, thereby ensuring the protection of our operations, equipment, and field personnel. OXY's operations and facility equipment were operating normally and at full capacity before the flaring event, which was attributed to continuing operational issues at ONEOK's Rico station. This event transpired outside of OXY's control; however, OXY has comprehensive strategies to effectively manage and minimize emissions to the fullest extent possible.

2. Steps Taken to limit duration and magnitude of venting or flaring:

It is OXY's policy to route its stranded gas to a flare during an unforeseen and unavoidable emergency or malfunction, that is beyond Oxy's control to avoid, prevent or foresee, to minimize emissions as much as possible as part of the overall steps taken to limit duration and magnitude of flaring. The flare at this facility has 98% combustion efficiency to lessen emissions as much as possible. In this case, ONEOK, a third-party downstream operator, had continuing equipment issues and, without advance notice, repeatedly reduced its intake of OXY's sales gas within a 24-hour period. These sudden and unexpected reductions caused immediate sales gas backups and increased line pressure, triggering a few brief intermittent flaring events. OXY's field and operations teams continuously monitor facility performance for any deviations from standard operating parameters, and upon initiation of flaring, OXY field personnel promptly implemented procedures to divert gas to available storage wells and reduced output from several wells, ensuring that field pressure remained below the facility's established flare trigger setpoints to terminate each intermittent flaring event. Flaring is implemented as an essential safety

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3. Corrective Actions taken to eliminate the cause and reoccurrence of venting or flaring:

OXY is not able to implement or take corrective actions to resolve the underlying cause or prevent future instances of third-party downstream operator's gas flow restriction, shut-in, or suspension within their offload sales gas pipeline, as these issues occur beyond OXY's custody transfer point and lie outside the company's control. Operational challenges at ONEOK that affect its ability to manage gas flow volumes from OXY may consequently limit OXY's capacity to continue its sales gas transmission. In these instances, excess gas must be flared to ensure safety when sales gas line pressures reach hazardous levels, potentially impacting Oxy's operations, equipment, and field personnel. OXY is dedicated to minimizing emissions wherever feasible and strives to maintain effective communication with both downstream and midstream operators, when practical, to address such issues promptly and efficiently.

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Action 619501

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	Action Number: 619501
	Action Type: [C-129] Venting and/or Flaring (C-129)

DEFINITIONS

For the sake of brevity and completeness, please allow for the following in all groups of questions and for the rest of this application: • this application's operator, hereinafter "this operator"; • venting and/or flaring, hereinafter "vent or flare"; • any notification or report(s) of the C-129 form family, hereinafter "any C-129 forms"; • the statements in (and/or attached to) this, hereinafter "the statements in this"; • and the past tense will be used in lieu of mixed past/present tense questions and statements.

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QUESTIONS

Prerequisites <i>Any messages presented in this section, will prevent submission of this application. Please resolve these issues before continuing with the rest of the questions.</i>	
Incident Well	Unavailable.
Incident Facility	[fAPP2126659618] MESA VERDE 18 CTB

Determination of Reporting Requirements <i>Answer all questions that apply. The Reason(s) statements are calculated based on your answers and may provide additional guidance.</i>	
Was this vent or flare caused by an emergency or malfunction	Yes
Did this vent or flare last eight hours or more cumulatively within any 24-hour period from a single event	No
Is this considered a submission for a vent or flare event	Yes, minor venting and/or flaring of natural gas.
<i>An operator shall file a form C-141 instead of a form C-129 for a release that, includes liquid during venting and/or flaring that is or may be a major or minor release under 19.15.29.7 NMAC.</i>	
Was there at least 50 MCF of natural gas vented and/or flared during this event	Yes
Did this vent or flare result in the release of ANY liquids (not fully and/or completely flared) that reached (or has a chance of reaching) the ground, a surface, a watercourse, or otherwise, with reasonable probability, endanger public health, the environment or fresh water	No
Was the vent or flare within an incorporated municipal boundary or within 300 feet from an occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church in existence	No

Equipment Involved	
Primary Equipment Involved	Other (Specify)
Additional details for Equipment Involved. Please specify	Emergency Flare > Third Party Downstream Activity > ONEOK > Rico Station > Multiple Issues

Representative Compositional Analysis of Vented or Flared Natural Gas <i>Please provide the mole percent for the percentage questions in this group.</i>	
Methane (CH4) percentage	76
Nitrogen (N2) percentage, if greater than one percent	1
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM, rounded up	0
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage, if greater than one percent	2
Oxygen (O2) percentage, if greater than one percent	0
<i>If you are venting and/or flaring because of Pipeline Specification, please provide the required specifications for each gas.</i>	
Methane (CH4) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.
Nitrogen (N2) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM quality requirement	Not answered.
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.
Oxygen (O2) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.

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Date(s) and Time(s)	
Date vent or flare was discovered or commenced	08/16/2026
Time vent or flare was discovered or commenced	02:49 PM
Time vent or flare was terminated	03:46 PM
Cumulative hours during this event	1

Measured or Estimated Volume of Vented or Flared Natural Gas	
Natural Gas Vented (Mcf) Details	Not answered.
Natural Gas Flared (Mcf) Details	Cause: Midstream Emergency Maintenance Other (Specify) Natural Gas Flared Released: 370 Mcf Recovered: 0 Mcf Lost: 370 Mcf.
Other Released Details	Not answered.
Additional details for Measured or Estimated Volume(s). Please specify	Gas Flare Meter
Is this a gas only submission (i.e. only significant Mcf values reported)	Yes, according to supplied volumes this appears to be a "gas only" report.

Venting or Flaring Resulting from Downstream Activity	
Was this vent or flare a result of downstream activity	Yes
Was notification of downstream activity received by this operator	No
Downstream OGRID that should have notified this operator	[315649] ONEOK PERMIAN NGL OPERATING COMPANY, L.L.C.
Date notified of downstream activity requiring this vent or flare	Not answered.
Time notified of downstream activity requiring this vent or flare	Not answered.

Steps and Actions to Prevent Waste	
For this event, this operator could not have reasonably anticipated the current event and it was beyond this operator's control.	True
Please explain reason for why this event was beyond this operator's control	The emissions event was caused by the unforeseen, unexpected, sudden, and unavoidable interruption, restriction or complete shut-in of a gas pipeline by a third-party pipeline compressor station operator, which impacted OXY's ability to send gas to them
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Corrective actions taken to eliminate the cause and reoccurrence of vent or flare	OXY is not able to implement or take corrective actions to resolve the underlying cause or prevent future instances of third-party downstream operator's gas flow restriction, shut-in, or suspension within their offload sales gas pipeline, as these issues occur beyond OXY's custody transfer point and lie outside the company's control.

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☒	I acknowledge that I am authorized to submit a <i>Venting and/or Flaring</i> (C-129) report on behalf of this operator and understand that this report can be a complete C-129 submission per 19.15.27.8 and 19.15.28.8 NMAC.
☒	I acknowledge that upon submitting this application, I will be creating a new incident file (assigned to this operator) to track any C-129 forms, pursuant to 19.15.27.7 and 19.15.28.8 NMAC and understand that this submission meets the notification requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection G and F respectively.
☒	I hereby certify the statements in this report are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and acknowledge that any false statement may be subject to civil and criminal penalties under the Oil and Gas Act.
☒	I acknowledge that the acceptance of any C-129 forms by the OCD does not relieve this operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate, report, and remediate contamination that poses a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health, or the environment.
☒	I acknowledge that OCD acceptance of any C-129 forms does not relieve this operator of responsibility for compliance with any other applicable federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
marialuna2	If the information provided in this report requires an amendment, submit a [C-129] Amend Venting and/or Flaring Incident (C-129A), utilizing your incident number from this event.	8/31/2026