



Certificate of Analysis

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Field:	PERMIAN_RESOURCES	Report Date:	07/17/2026
Station Name:	RED TANK 27 28 CTB TEST 3 (FMP) -- Meter	Sampled By:	Scott Beasley
Station Number:	16208T	Sample Of:	Gas
Station Location:	OP-L2152-BT002	Sample Type:	Spot
Sample Point:	Meter	Sample Conditions:	81.0 psig, @ 90.2 °F Ambient: 86 °F
Property ID:	FMP/LSE NMNM144210	Sample Date:	07/09/2026 09:15
Formation:	NEW_MEXICO	Received Date:	07/14/2026
County:	LEA, NM	Login Date:	07/14/2026
Well Name:	CTB	Effective Date:	07/01/2026
Type of Sample :	Spot-Cylinder	Flow Rate:	691 MSCFD
Sampling Company:	SPL - OXY	Sampling Method:	Purge/Fill
Instrument:	70142339 (Inficon GC-MicroFusion)	Heating Method:	Yes
Last Inst. Cal.:	07/13/2026 0:00 AM	Method:	GPA 2286
Analyzed:	07/16/2026 14:48:50 by CDW	Cylinder No:	1111-014238

Analytical Data

Components	Un-normalized Mol %	Mol. %	Wt. %	GPM at 14.73 psia	
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		GPM TOTAL C2+
Nitrogen	2.1085	2.1023	2.5956		5.975
Carbon Dioxide	3.8571	3.8457	7.4594		
Methane	73.5371	73.3204	51.8418		
Ethane	10.9748	10.9424	14.5016	2.937	
Propane	5.5108	5.4945	10.6784	1.519	
Iso-Butane	0.6986	0.6965	1.7842	0.229	
n-Butane	1.8618	1.8563	4.7553	0.587	
Iso-Pentane	0.4654	0.4640	1.4755	0.170	
n-Pentane	0.5266	0.5250	1.6694	0.191	
Hexanes	0.3098	0.3089	1.1732	0.127	
Heptanes	0.2942	0.2933	1.2953	0.136	
Octanes	0.1324	0.1320	0.6646	0.068	
Nonanes Plus	0.0188	0.0187	0.1057	0.011	
	100.2959	100.0000	100.0000	5.975	

Calculated Physical Properties

Calculated Molecular Weight	Total	C9+
Compressibility Factor	22.69	128.26
Relative Density Real Gas	0.9961	
	0.7862	4.4283

GPA 2172 Calculation:

Calculated Gross BTU per ft³ @ 14.73 psia & 60°F

Real Gas Dry BTU	1243.4	7012.5
Water Sat. Gas Base BTU	1222.2	6890.4
Ideal, Gross HV - Dry at 14.73 psia	1238.5	6985.0
Ideal, Gross HV - Wet	1216.9	6860.5

Comments: Calculations completed utilizing GPA-2145 at a temperature base of 60°F
H2S Field Content: 0 %

Mostaq Ahammad, 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#** fAPP2127030589**Facility:** Red Tank 27-28 CTB**Duration of Event:** 2 Hours**Start Time:** 10:30 AM**Cause:** Emergency Flare > Equipment Malfunctions > VRU > VFD Fault**Method of Flared Gas Measurement:** Gas Flare Meter**Operator:** OXY USA, Inc.**Flare Date:** 09/11/2026**MCF Flared:** 236**End Time:** 12:30 PM**1. Reason why this event was beyond Operator's control:**

The emissions were caused by the sudden, unavoidable breakdown of equipment or process that was beyond the owner/operator's control and did not stem from activity that could have been foreseen and avoided, and could not have been avoided by good design, operation, and maintenance practices. Internal OXY procedures ensure that upon a sudden and unexpected flaring event, production techs are promptly notified and are instructed to assess the issue as soon as possible to take prompt corrective action and minimize emissions. In this case, gas had to be flared rather than be compressed when HP VRU # 1 & 2 suddenly and unexpectedly shut down on an e-thermal VFD fault alarms. Gas from the facility's VRT was sent to the flare out of necessity to protect personnel and equipment as a safeguard until the VRU's could be restarted and returned to normal maximized operation. OXY's field and operations teams diligently oversee the facility and field pressure to swiftly identify any deviations from accepted standard operational parameters. Flaring is implemented as an essential critical safety protocol to manage excess gas resulting from sudden and unexpected operational disruptions. 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. 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 all 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, gas had to be flared rather than be compressed when HP VRU # 1 & 2 suddenly and unexpectedly shut down on an e-thermal VFD fault alarms. OXY production techs arrived at the facility in a timely manner and proceeded to inspect the VRU's, attempted to clear the malfunctions and restart the VRU's. After several attempts to restart the VRU's with no success, OXY production techs called HYBON, a third-party vendor specializing in VRU equipment, to dispatch a mechanic to resolve the VRU's malfunctions. HYBON mechanics were unable to respond in a timely manner due to an already heavy workload in the area. Gas from the facility's VRT was sent to the flare out of necessity to protect personnel and equipment as a safeguard until the VRU's could be restarted and returned to normal maximized operation.

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

OXY is limited in its corrective actions to eliminate the cause and potential reoccurrence of a malfunctioning VRU, as notwithstanding proper VRU, design and operation, whether low- or high-pressure, various forms of mechanical or technical issues can be sudden, reasonably unforeseeable and unexpected which can cause equipment malfunctions to occur without warning or advance notice. OXY makes every effort to control and minimize emissions as much as possible during these circumstances. The limited actions that OXY can do in this circumstance is to immediately call for a VRU mechanic, submit a work order for repair, and/or work with its equipment maintenance team to have the issue resolved in a timely manner and continue monitoring the equipment until its repair and restoration to normal operations is complete.

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Action 626003

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	Action Number: 626003
	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	[fAPP2127030589] RED TANK 27-28 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 withing 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 > Equipment Malfunctions > VRU > VFD Fault

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	73
Nitrogen (N2) percentage, if greater than one percent	2
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM, rounded up	0
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage, if greater than one percent	4
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	09/11/2026
Time vent or flare was discovered or commenced	10:30 AM
Time vent or flare was terminated	12:30 PM
Cumulative hours during this event	2

Measured or Estimated Volume of Vented or Flared Natural Gas	
Natural Gas Vented (Mcf) Details	Not answered.
Natural Gas Flared (Mcf) Details	Cause: Other Other (Specify) Natural Gas Flared Released: 236 Mcf Recovered: 0 Mcf Lost: 236 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	No
Was notification of downstream activity received by this operator	Not answered.
Downstream OGRID that should have notified this operator	Not answered.
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 were caused by the sudden, unavoidable breakdown of equipment or process that was beyond the owner/operator's control and did not stem from activity that could have been foreseen and avoided, and could not have been avoided by good design, operation, and maintenance practices.
Steps taken to limit the duration and magnitude of vent or flare	It is OXY's policy to route all 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.
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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.	9/18/2026