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Volume for Emission Event:

3. Time of Event							1. Vented or Flared?	2. Calculating Volumetric Release Rate for VRU Releases Incapable of Estimation				3. Gaseous Volumetric Release Rate (scf/hr or scf/event)	
Date of discovery	Time of Discovery or Scheduled Activity St	Date of start of event or Scheduled Activity	Time of Start of Event or Scheduled Activity St	Date of end of event or Scheduled Activity E	Time of est. or actual end of event or Scheduled Activity E	Duration of Event in Hours	Vent or Flare	Is Volume Metered, Estimated or Otherwise Known?	Daily Production (barrels of oil / day)	Site-specific GOR Available?	Site-specific GOR (scf gas / barrel oil)	Value	Units
6/24/2021	11:15:00	6/24/2021	11:15:00	6/24/2021	12:30:00	1.25	Flare					292	mscf/event

Gas Analysis for Emission Event:

I. Gas Sample Selection	Is a gas analysis for this release of gas available?	
	Sample ID #	2021041727
II. Gas Sample Characteristics	Sample Date	5/18/2021
	Sample Description	
	Low Heating Value (BTU/SCF)	458.6
	H ₂ S (mol%) ¹⁰¹	0.400
	Nitrogen (mol%)	2.255
	CO ₂ (mol%)	79.188
	Methane (mol%)	5.940
	Ethane (mol%)	3.524
	Propane (mol%)	2.359
	Iso-Butane (mol%)	0.438
	n-Butane (mol%)	1.278
	iso-Pentane (mol%)	0.531
	n-Pentane (mol%)	0.635
	Hexanes (mol%)	3.452
	Heptanes + (mol%)	
	2,2,4-trimethylpentane (mol%)	
	n-Hexane (mol%)	
	Benzene (mol%)	
	Ethyl-Benzene (mol%)	
	Xylene (mol%)	
	Toluene (mol%)	

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QUESTIONS

Action 34876

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Operator: CHEVRON U S A INC 6301 Deauville Blvd Midland, TX 79706	OGRID: 4323 Action Number: 34876 Action Type: [C-129] Venting and/or Flaring (C-129)
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QUESTIONS**Determination of Reporting Requirements**

Answer all questions that apply. The Reason(s) statements are calculated based on your answers and may provide additional guidance.

Was or is this venting or flaring caused by an emergency or malfunction	Yes
Did or will this venting or flaring last eight hours or more cumulatively within any 24-hour period from a single event	No
Is this considered a submission for a notification of a major venting or flaring	Yes, minor venting or flaring of natural gas.
The operator shall file a form C-141 instead of a form C-129 for a release that includes liquid during venting or flaring that is or may be a major or minor release under 19.13.29.7 NMAC.	
Was there or will there be at least 50 MCF of natural gas vented or flared during this event	Yes
Did this venting or flaring 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

Unregistered Facility Site

Please provide the facility details, if the venting or flaring occurred or is occurring at a facility that does not have an Facility ID (##) yet.

Facility or Site Name	Vacuum Grayburg San Andres Unit
Facility Type	Not answered.

Equipment Involved

Primary Equipment Involved	Not answered.
Additional details for Equipment Involved. Please specify	Not answered.

Representative Compositional Analysis of Vented or Flared Natural Gas

Please provide the mole percent for the percentage questions in this group.

Methane (CH4) percentage	6
Nitrogen (N2) percentage, if greater than one percent	2
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM, rounded up	4,000
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage, if greater than one percent	79
Oxygen (O2) percentage, if greater than one percent	0
If you are venting and/or flaring because of Pipeline Specification, please provide the required specifications for each gas.	
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.

Date(s) and Time(s)

Date venting or flaring was discovered or commenced	06/24/2021
Time venting or flaring was discovered or commenced	11:15 AM
Is the venting or flaring event complete	Yes
Date venting or flaring was terminated	06/24/2021
Time venting or flaring was terminated	12:30 PM
Total duration of venting or flaring in hours, if venting or flaring has terminated	1
Longest duration of cumulative hours within any 24-hour period 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: Equipment Failure Gas Compressor Station Natural Gas Flared Spilled: 292 Mcf Recovered: 0 Mcf Lost: 292 Mcf]
Other Released Details	Not answered.
Additional details for Measured or Estimated Volume(s). Please specify	Not answered.
Is this a gas only submission (i.e. only Mcf values reported)	Yes, according to supplied volumes this appears to be a "gas only" report.

Venting or Flaring Resulting from Downstream Activity

Was or is this venting or flaring a result of downstream activity	Not answered.
Date notified of downstream activity requiring this venting or flaring	Not answered.
Time notified of downstream activity requiring this venting or flaring	Not answered.

Steps and Actions to Prevent Waste

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For this event, the operator could not have reasonably anticipated the current event and it was beyond the operator's control.	True
Please explain reason for why this event was beyond your operator's control	Electricians were performing instrumentation function test and this resulted in the shutdown of compressors.
Steps taken to limit the duration and magnitude of venting or flaring	Chevron field personnel executed practicable measures to minimize emissions. The production team was notified to shut-in the wells.
Corrective actions taken to eliminate the cause and reoccurrence of venting or flaring	Chevron field personnel executed practicable measures to minimize emissions.

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
system	If the information provided in this report requires an amendment, submit a [C-129] Request to Amend Venting and/or Flaring Incident, utilizing your incident number from this event.	7/5/2021