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REPORTS

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July 1997



November 5, 1997

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Mr. William C. Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87504

Environment Bureau
Oil Conservation Division

Re: Request for Closure of Eleven Groundwater Locations

Dear Mr. Olson:

I have enclosed closure packages for eleven groundwater locations that were identified during our pit closure project. El Paso Field Services (EPFS) hereby requests your review and approval for closure of these sites.

I have included a summary listing of the eleven locations. If you have any questions regarding this information, please call me at 505/599-2141.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Sandra D. Miller'.

Sandra D. Miller
Environmental Manager

xc: Mr. Bill Liesse, BLM w/o enclosures
Mr. Denny Foust, NMOCD - Aztec w/enclosures

Groundwater Locations
Request for Closure, 11/97

Meter/Line #	Location/Line Name	LTR	Sec	TN	RG	Land Type
74943	NM COM G1	P	36	30	10	1 - State
LD102	2C-22 #1 LINE DRIP	N	35	24	06	2 - Federal
94180	SALAZAR G 34-1	K	34	25	06	2 - Federal
89230	JOHNSTON FEDERAL #3A	I	12	30	09	2 - Federal
73079	Mae Gail Com #1	E	24	29	11	4 - Fee
70862	MCGRATH #1	F	07	30	11	4 - Fee
93156	MARY ACKROYD #1	J	18	30	11	4 - Fee
93828	JACQUEZ #3	E	25	30	09	4 - Fee
94984	ANDERSON GAS COM A#1 PC	C	28	29	10	4 - Fee
93296	GALLEGOS CANYON UNIT 188E	B	30	29	12	4 - Fee
93462	GALLEGOS CANYON UT 145 E	D	26	29	12	4 - Fee

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SAN JUAN BASIN PIT CLOSURES
San Juan Basin, New Mexico

Pit Closure Report

July 1997

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Environmental Bureau
Oil Conservation Division

Prepared For

El Paso Field Services
Farmington, New Mexico

Project 17520

PHILIP
ENVIRONMENTAL

Closure Checklist

Meter Code

93156

Summary

Site Map

Site Assessment Sheet

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Phase I Excavation

Yes

closure form

soil analytical results

soil chain-of-custody

groundwater analytical results

groundwater chain-of-custody

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Phase II Soil Boring

Yes

boring log

soil analytical results

soil chain-of-custody

well installation form

development form

groundwater analytical

groundwater chain-of-custody

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Phase III Excavation

closure form

soil analytical results

soil chain-of-custody

groundwater analytical

groundwater chain of-custody

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Recon/Geoprobe performed

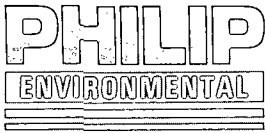
Yes

groundwater analytical

soil-gas analytical

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If item boxes are not checked they are not applicable



Environmental Services Group
Southern Region

Mary Ackroyd #1
Meter Code 93156

Pit was excavated to 12 feet beneath ground surface. The headspace soil reading from excavation bottom was 1 part per million. Soil analytical were as follows; benzene - <0.5 mg/kg, total BTEX - <3 mg/kg, TPH - 272 mg/kg.

One soil boring was completed and no monitoring well installed. Groundwater was encountered at 3.3 feet. No soil or groundwater samples were collected.

A Geoprobe survey was conducted and four groundwater samples were collected between the pit and valley bottom. The analytical results are as follows; PH-01 benzene - <1 ug/L, toluene - <1 ug/L, ethylbenzene - <1 ug/L, xylenes - <3 ug/L, PH-02 benzene - <1 ug/L, toluene - <1 ug/L, ethylbenzene - <1 ug/L, xylenes - <3 ug/L, PH-03 benzene - <1 ug/L, toluene - <1 ug/L, ethylbenzene - <1 ug/L, xylenes - <3 ug/L, PH-04 benzene - <1 ug/L, toluene - <1 ug/L, ethylbenzene - <1 ug/L, xylenes - <3 ug/L.

This site is ready for closure based on the following:

- Excavation soil analytical were below on benzene and total BTEX.
- Geoprobe groundwater analytical were below standards on all samples.



FIELD PIT SITE ASSESSMENT FORM

GENERAL

Meter: 93156 Location: MARY ACKROYD #1
 Operator #: _____ Operator Name: MANANA GAS P/L District: KUTZ
 Coordinates: Letter: J Section 18 Township: 30 Range: 11
 Or Latitude _____ Longitude _____
 Pit Type: Dehydrator _____ Location Drip: X Line Drip: _____ Other: _____
 Site Assessment Date: 12.12.94 Area: 02 Run: 71

SITE ASSESSMENT

NMOCD Zone: (From NMOCD Maps) Inside ☒ (1) Outside ☐ (2)

Land Type: BLM ☐ (1) State ☐ (2) Fee ☒ (3) Indian _____

Depth to Groundwater
 Less Than 50 Feet (20 points) ☒ (1)
 50 Ft to 99 Ft (10 points) ☐ (2)
 Greater Than 100 Ft (0 points) ☐ (3)

Wellhead Protection Area :
 Is it less than 1000 ft from wells, springs, or other sources of fresh water extraction? , or ; Is it less than 200 ft from a private domestic water source? ☐ (1) YES (20 points) ☒ (2) NO (0 points)

Horizontal Distance to Surface Water Body
 Less Than 200 Ft (20 points) ☐ (1)
 200 Ft to 1000 Ft (10 points) ☒ (2)
 Greater Than 1000 Ft (0 points) ☐ (3)

Name of Surface Water Body ANIMAS RIVER
 (Surface Water Body : Perennial Rivers, Major Wash, Streams, Creeks, Irrigation Canals, Ditches, Lakes, Ponds)
 Distance to Nearest Ephemeral Stream ☐ (1) < 100' (Navajo Pits Only)
☐ (2) > 100'

TOTAL HAZARD RANKING SCORE: 30 POINTS

REMARKS

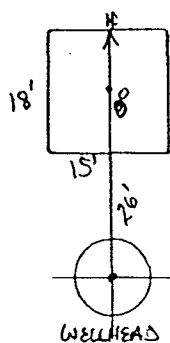
Remarks : REDUNE & TOPO SHOW LOCATION INSIDE V.Z. TWO PITS ON LOCATION - ONE BELONGS TO OPERATOR. EPNG HAS THE LOCATION DRIP PIT. PIT HAS A STEEL TANK IN IT. MAY CLOSE PIT.

ORIGINAL PIT LOCATION

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Original Pit : a) Degrees from North 0° Footage from Wellhead 26'

b) Length : 18' Width : 15' Depth : 2'



REMARKS

Remarks :

PHOTOS - 1214

Completed By:

Robert Thompson
Signature

12-12-94
Date

Phase I Excavation

FIELD PIT REMEDIATION/CLOSURE FORM

GENERAL

Meter: 93156 Location: Mary ACKROYD #1
 Coordinates: Letter: J Section 18 Township: 30 Range: 11
 Or Latitude _____ Longitude _____
 Date Started : 1-4-95 Run: 02 71

FIELD OBSERVATIONS

Sample Number(s): KP372
 Sample Depth: 12' Feet
 Final PID Reading 001 PID Reading Depth 12' Feet
 Yes No
 Groundwater Encountered ☐ ☒ Approximate Depth _____ Feet

CLOSURE

Remediation Method .
 Excavation ☒ Approx. Cubic Yards 20
 Onsite Bioremediation ☐
 Backfill Pit Without Excavation ☐
 Soil Disposition:
 Envirotech ☐ ☒ Tierra
 Other Facility ☐ Name: _____
 Pit Closure Date: 1-4-95 Pit Closed By: B. EI

REMARKS

Remarks : Some Little markers. started Remediating to 12'
soil dark Black like SWAMP. AT 12' soil Turned Light Brown NO odor.
closed pit.

Signature of Specialist: Kelly Petilla



FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY
ANALYTICAL REPORT
PIT CLOSURE PROJECT

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	KP372	946554
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	93156	Mary Ackroyd #1
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	1/4/95	900
PROJECT:	Phase I	
DATE OF TPH EXT. ANAL.:	1/12/95	1/12/95
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL.:	1/8/95	1/8/95
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	VC	Dark brown sand & clay

Field Remarks:

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q	M(g)	V(ml)
BENZENE	<0.5	MG/KG				
TOLUENE	<0.5	MG/KG				
ETHYL BENZENE	<0.5	MG/KG				
TOTAL XYLENES	<1.5	MG/KG				
TOTAL BTEX	<3	MG/KG				
TPH (418.1)	272	MG/KG			1.99	28
HEADSPACE PID	1	PPM				
PERCENT SOLIDS	86.2	%				

-- TPH is by EPA Method 418.1 and BTEX is by EPA Method 8020 --

The Surrogate Recovery was at 93.6 for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.

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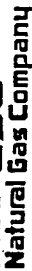
DF = Dilution Factor Used

Approved By:

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Date:

2-22-95



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**FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY
P. O. BOX 4990
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499**

QUALITY CONTROL REPORT

by Modified 418.1 by Infrared

Date of Analysis: January 12, 1995

12 Pit Samples
1 SJRP Landfarm

LABORATORY CONTROL SAMPLES: CALIBRATION CHECKS

SAMPLE ID	SOURCE	TRUE VALUE (PPM)	FOUND (MG/KG)	%R	ACCEPTABLE RANGE 75-125 %R YES NO
INITIAL CALIBRATION VERIF. "B" Heavy Oil (Lot M3G9616)	HORIBA	100	89	89	X

Narrative: Acceptable.

LABORATORY DUPLICATES:

SAMPLE NUMBER	TYPE	SAMPLE RESULT (S)MG/KG	DUPLICATE RESULT (D)MG/KG	RPD	ACCEPTABLE RANGE + / - 35% YES NO
946554	2nd Extract	272	302	10.5	X
946559	2nd Extract	947	1030	8.4	X

Narrative: Acceptable.

LABORATORY SPIKES:

SAMPLE NUMBER	SPIKE ADDED (SA)MG/KG	SAMPLE RESULT (S)MG/KG	SPIKE SAMPLE RESULT (SR)MG/KG	%R	ACCEPTABLE RANGE 75-125 %R YES NO
946554	3020	272	3770	116	X
946559	2760	947	4120	115	X

Narrative: Acceptable.

REFERENCE SOIL (Laboratory Control Sample):

SAMPLE ID	SOURCE	KNOWN VALUE (MG/KG)	SAMPLE RESULT FOUND (MG/KG)	MFG SPECIFIED RANGE	ACCEPTABLE YES NO
ERA TPH STANDARD #1 LOT # 91026	ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE ASS.	1340	1660	804 - 1680	X
ERA TPH STANDARD #2 w/int LOT # 91026	ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE ASS.	2590	3230	1550 - 3240	X

Narrative: Acceptable.

LABORATORY REAGENT BLANK:

SAMPLE ID	SOURCE	TPH LEVEL (MG/KG)	STATUS
Freon Solvent	EPNG Lab	< 10.0	ACCEPTABLE
Reagent Blank	EPNG Lab	< 10.0	ACCEPTABLE

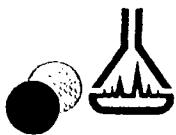
Narrative: Acceptable.

Approved By:

John S. Larkin

Date: 21-Feb-95

Extracted: 01/12/95



Analytical **Technologies**, Inc.

BTEX
1-8-95

2709-D Pan American Freeway, NE Albuquerque, NM 87107
Phone (505) 344-3777 FAX (505) 344-4413

ATI I.D. 501312

January 10, 1995

El Paso Natural Gas
P.O. Box 4990
Farmington, NM 87499

Project Name/Number: PIT CLOSURE 24324

Attention: John Lambdin

On 01/06/95, Analytical Technologies, Inc., (ADHS License No. AZ0015), received a request to analyze **non-aqueous** sample(s). The sample(s) were analyzed with EPA methodology or equivalent methods. The results of these analyses and the quality control data, which follow each set of analyses, are enclosed.

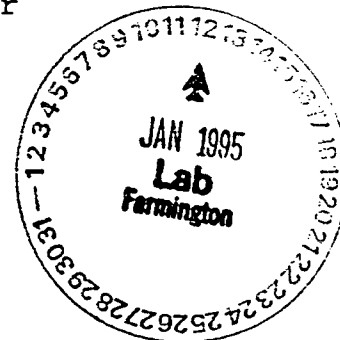
If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact us at (505) 344-3777.

Letitia Krakowski, Ph.D.
Project Manager

H. Mitchell Rubenstein, Ph.D.
Laboratory Manager

MR:jt

Enclosure





Analytical Technologies, Inc.

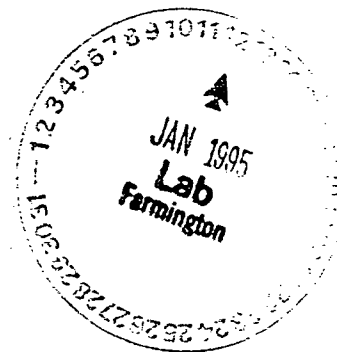
CLIENT : EL PASO NATURAL GAS
PROJECT # : 24324
PROJECT NAME : PIT CLOSURE

DATE RECEIVED : 01/06/95

REPORT DATE : 01/10/95

ATI ID: 501312

ATI #	CLIENT DESCRIPTION	MATRIX	DATE COLLECTED
01	946553	NON-AQ	01/03/95



---TOTALS---

<u>MATRIX</u>	<u>#SAMPLES</u>
NON-AQ	1

ATI STANDARD DISPOSAL PRACTICE

The samples from this project will be disposed of in thirty (30) days from the date of this report. If an extended storage period is required, please contact our sample control department before the scheduled disposal date.



Analytical **Technologies**, Inc.

GENERAL CHEMISTRY - QUALITY CONTROL

CLIENT : EL PASO NATURAL GAS ATI I.D. : 501312
PROJECT # : 24324 SAMPLE MATRIX : NON-AQ
PROJECT NAME : PIT CLOSURE UNITS : MG/KG

PARAMETER	ATI I.D.	SAMPLE RESULT	DUP. RESULT	RPD	SPIKED SAMPLE	SPIKE CONC.	% REC
PETROLEUM HYDROCARBONS	50131201	<20	<20	NA	190	150	127

*Accepted
1-13-96*

$$\% \text{ Recovery} = \frac{(\text{Spike Sample Result} - \text{Sample Result})}{\text{Spike Concentration}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RPD (Relative Percent Difference)} = \frac{(\text{Sample Result} - \text{Duplicate Result})}{\text{Average Result}} \times 100$$



Analytical Technologies, Inc.

GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY RESULTS

REAGENT BLANK

TEST	: BTEX (EPA 8020)	ATI I.D.	: 501312
BLANK I.D.	: 010695	MATRIX	: NON-AQ
CLIENT	: EL PASO NATURAL GAS	DATE EXTRACTED	: 01/06/95
PROJECT #	: 24324	DATE ANALYZED	: 01/09/95
PROJECT NAME	: PIT CLOSURE	DILUTION FACTOR	: 1

PARAMETER	UNITS	
BENZENE	MG/KG	<0.025
TOLUENE	MG/KG	<0.025
ETHYLBENZENE	MG/KG	<0.025
TOTAL XYLENES	MG/KG	<0.025

SURROGATE:

BROMOFLUOROBENZENE (%)	106
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Acceptable
13-95



Analytical Technologies, Inc.

GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY - QUALITY CONTROL

MSMSD

TEST : BTEX (EPA 8020)
MSMSD # : 50131201 ATI I.D. : 501312
CLIENT : EL PASO NATURAL GAS DATE EXTRACTED : 01/06/95
PROJECT # : 24324 DATE ANALYZED : 01/06/95
PROJECT NAME : PIT CLOSURE SAMPLE MATRIX : NON-AQ
REF. I.D. : 50131201 UNITS : MG/KG

PARAMETER	SAMPLE RESULT	CONC SPIKE	SPIKED SAMPLE	% REC	DUP SPIKE	DUP % REC	RPD
BENZENE	<0.025	1.0	0.84	84	0.83	83	1
TOLUENE	<0.025	1.0	0.91	91	0.91	91	0
ETHYLBENZENE	<0.025	1.0	0.93	93	0.93	93	0
TOTAL XYLENES	<0.025	3.0	2.8	93	2.8	93	0

$$\% \text{ Recovery} = \frac{(\text{Spike Sample Result} - \text{Sample Result})}{\text{Spike Concentration}} \times 100$$

$$\% \text{ (Relative Percent Difference)} = \frac{(\text{Sample Result} - \text{Duplicate Result})}{\text{Average Result}} \times 100$$

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1-12-95

Phase II Soil Boring

RECORD OF SUBSURFACE EXPLORATION

PHILIP ENVIRONMENTAL

4000 Monroe Road
Farmington, New Mexico 87401
(505) 326-2262 FAX (505) 326-2388

Borehole # BH-1

Well # _____

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Project Name EPNG PITS

Project Number 14509 Phase 6000 77

Project Location Mary Ackroyd #1 93156

Elevation _____

Borehole Location QJ-S18-TD-R1

GWL Depth 3.3' BGS

Logged By CM CHANCE

Drilled By Mr K Padilla F. Rivera

Date/Time Started 10/23/95-1210

Date/Time Completed 10/23/95-1400

Well Logged By CM Chance

Personnel On-Site K Padilla, D. Charlie

Contractors On-Site _____

Client Personnel On-Site _____

Drilling Method 4 1/4" ID HSA

Air Monitoring Method PID, CGI

Depth (Feet)	Sample Number	Sample Interval	Sample Type & Recovery (inches)	Sample Description Classification System: USCS	USCS Symbol	Depth Lithology Change (feet)	Air Monitoring Units: PPM			Drilling Conditions & Blow Counts
							BZ	BH	HS	
0				Backfill to 12'						
5										
10										
15	1	15-16	18	Br/clear SAND, med-coarse sand, tr fsand, dense, wet TDB 16'			0	3	D NA	V. hard d/hy cobbles @ 11' tags N. moist @ 11' GW @
20										
25										
30										
35										
40										

Comments:

No sample hit GW before 1st sample. GW @ 3.3' - BH Filled w/ Enviroplug
to 1' & grouted to surface. No odor or visible contamination in GW

Geologist Signature

CM Chance

RECON®/Geoprobe

SITE ACTIVITIES

21-Feb-97

Meter/Line #: 93156

Location/Line #: Mary Ackroyd #1

MW#:

Depth to GW:

Depth to Product:

Product Thickness:

Date: 11/14/96

Activity: Geoprobe. Probeholes only

Comments: Tank on pit and production equipment South of pit. East side of pit is fenceline. Samples collecte from 4 probeholes North and West of pit.



EL PASO FIELD SERVICES



FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY

ANALYTICAL REPORT

PIT CLOSURE PROJECT

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	CMC245	947996
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	93156	Mary Ackroyd #1
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	11/14/96	1010
PROJECT:	GEOPROBE	
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL.:	11/18/96	11/18/96
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	PH1	Water

Field Remarks: _____

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q		
BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOLUENE	<1	PPB				
ETHYL BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOTAL XYLENES	<3	PPB				
TOTAL BTEX	<6	PPB				

-BTEX is by EPA Method 8020 -

The Surrogate Recovery was at 93.1 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.
DF = Dilution Factor Used

Narrative: _____

Approved By: _____

Date: 11/25/96



FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY

ANALYTICAL REPORT

PIT CLOSURE PROJECT

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

SAMPLE NUMBER:	Field ID CMC246	Lab ID 947997
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	93156	Mary Ackroyd #1
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	11/14/96	1025
PROJECT:	GEOPROBE	
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL.:	11/18/96	11/18/96
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	PH2	Water

Field Remarks: _____

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q		
BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOLUENE	<1	PPB				
ETHYL BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOTAL XYLENES	<3	PPB				
TOTAL BTEX	<6	PPB				

-BTEX is by EPA Method 8020 -

The Surrogate Recovery was at 90.3 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.
DF = Dilution Factor Used

Narrative: _____

Approved By: _____

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'John L. Smith'.

Date: _____

11/25/96



FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY
ANALYTICAL REPORT
PIT CLOSURE PROJECT

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	CMC247	947998
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	93156	Mary Ackroyd #1
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	11/14/96	1040
PROJECT:	GEOPROBE	
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL.:	11/18/96	11/18/96
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	PH3	Water

Field Remarks: _____

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q		
BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOLUENE	<1	PPB				
ETHYL BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOTAL XYLENES	<3	PPB				
TOTAL BTEX	<6	PPB				

—BTEX is by EPA Method 8020—

The Surrogate Recovery was at 91.4 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.
DF = Dilution Factor Used

Narrative: _____

Approved By: _____

Date: _____

11/25/96



FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY
ANALYTICAL REPORT
PIT CLOSURE PROJECT

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	CMC248	947999
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	93156	Mary Ackroyd #1
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	11/14/96	1100
PROJECT:	GEOPROBE	
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL:	11/18/96	11/18/96
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	PH4	Water

Field Remarks: _____

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	O		
BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOLUENE	<1	PPB				
ETHYL BENZENE	<1	PPB				
TOTAL XYLENES	<3	PPB				
TOTAL BTEX	<6	PPB				

—BTEX is by EPA Method 8020—

The Surrogate Recovery was at 89.2 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.
DF = Dilution Factor Used

Narrative: _____

Approved By: _____

Date: _____

11/25/96