# AKM MEASUREMENT SERVICES,LLC. Natural Gas Analysis Report GPA 2172-09/API 14.5 Report with GPA 2145-16 Physical Properties

	Sample Information
Sample Name	CORRAL 1 COMP STATION ENERGY TRANSFER CHECK
Technician	ANTHONY DOMINGUEZ
Analyzer Make & Model	INFICON MICRO GC
Last Calibration/Validation Date	12-22-2023
Meter Number	18000C
Air temperature	75
Flow Rate (MCF/Day)	10994.4
Heat Tracing	HEATED HOSE & GASIFIER
Sample description/mtr name	CORRAL 1 COMP STATION ENERGY TRANSFER CHECK
Sampling Method	FILL & EMPTY
Operator	OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM, OXY USA INC
State	NEW MEXICO
Region Name	PERMIAN_RESOURCES
Asset	NEW MEXICO
System	WEST
FLOC	OP-L2100-CS002
Sample Sub Type	CDP
Sample Name Type	METER
Vendor	AKM MEASUREMENT
Cylinder #	38558
Sampled by	LUIS JIMENEZ
Sample date	12-19-2023
Analyzed date	12-27-2023
Method Name	C9
Injection Date	2023-12-27 13:25:54
Report Date	2023-12-27 13:40:34
EZReporter Configuration File	1-16-2023 OXY GPA C9+ H2S #2.cfgx
Source Data File	4ffff345-bc68-4db2-8147-c637303310dc
NGA Phys. Property Data Source	GPA Standard 2145-16 (FPS)
Data Source	INFICON Fusion Connector

# **Component Results**

Component Name	Peak Area	Raw Amount	Response Factor	Norm Mole%	Gross HV (Dry) (BTU / Ideal cu.ft.)	Relative Gas Density (Dry)	GPM (Dry) (Gal. / 1000 cu.ft.)	
Nitrogen	18464.5	1.0507	0.00005691	1.0477	0.0	0.01013	0.116	
Methane	1004683.5	73.2049	0.00007286	72.9925	738.9	0.40431	12.423	
CO2	2884.6	0.1373	0.00004761	0.1369	0.0	0.00208	0.023	
Ethane	294823.4	13.5896	0.00004609	13.5501	240.4	0.14068	3.638	
H2S	0.0	0.0000	0.00000000	0.0000	0.0	0.00000	0.000	
Propane	232845.8	7.6298	0.00003277	7.6076	191.9	0.11583	2.104	
iso-butane	90764.2	1.0038	0.00001106	1.0009	32.6	0.02009	0.329	
n-Butane	216339.3	2.3788	0.00001100	2.3719	77.6	0.04760	0.751	
iso-pentane	44794.4	0.4377	0.00000977	0.4364	17.5	0.01087	0.160	
n-Pentane	48472.9	0.4549	0.00000938	0.4536	18.2	0.01130	0.165	
hexanes	24895.0	0.2454	0.00000986	0.2447	11.7	0.00728	0.101	
heptanes	18668.0	0.1128	0.00000604	0.1124	6.2	0.00389	0.052	
octanes	7975.0	0.0428	0.00000537	0.0427	2.7	0.00168	0.022	
nonanes+	797.0	0.0026	0.00000326	0.0026	0.2	0.00012	0.001	
Total:		100.2912		100.0000	1337.8	0.77585	19.886	

# **Results Summary**

	Result	Dry	Sat.
Total Un-No	ormalized Mole%	100.2912	
Pressure Ba	ase (psia)	14.730	
Temperature	e Base (Deg. F)	60.00	
Releasted to Ten	mpeiatyre2De3/27024 11:23:11	<b>4M</b> 110.8	

Received by OCD: 2/13/2024 11:19:10 AM	Dry	Sat.	Po
Flowing Pressure (psia)	1288.3		
Gross Heating Value (BTU / Ideal cu.ft.)	1337.8	1314.5	
Gross Heating Value (BTU / Real cu.ft.)	1343.4	1320.6	
Relative Density (G), Real	0.7788	0.7764	

# **Monitored Parameter Report**

	Parameter	Value	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Status	
•	Total un-normalized amount	100.2912	97.0000	103.0000	Pass	

#### **UPSET FLARING EVENT SPECIFIC JUSTIFICATIONS FORM**

Facility: Corral 1S CS Flare Date: 01/29/2024

**Duration of Event:** 1 Hours 40 Minutes **MCF Flared:** 163

Start Time: 02:50 PM End Time: 04:30 PM

**Cause:** Emergency Flare > Multiple Compression Equipment Issues

Method of Flared Gas Measurement: Gas Flare Meter

### 1. Reason why this event was beyond Operator's control:

This emissions event was caused by the unforeseen, unexpected, sudden, and 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 preventative maintenance practices. Oxy engages in respectable and good facility operation practices while also maintaining its continuous facility equipment preventative maintenance program. In this case, there were several instances of sudden and unexpected compression equipment malfunctions, which occurred within a 24-hour period, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered various intermittent flaring instances to occur throughout the day. This event is out of OXY's control yet OXY made every effort to control and minimize emissions as much as 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 a 98% combustion efficiency to lessen emissions as much as possible. In this case, there were several instances of sudden and unexpected compression equipment malfunctions, which occurred within a 24-hour period, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered various intermittent flaring instances to occur throughout the day. As soon as flaring occurred, the facility's well optimizer adjusted injection rates and field personnel manually shut-in wells to mitigate and subsequently cease flaring during each occurrence. Notwithstanding proper gas compressor design and operation, various forms of mechanical or technical issues can be sudden, reasonably unforeseeable and unexpected which can cause compressor unit malfunctions to occur without warning or advance notice. Compressor engines are designed to operate in a precise manner and when malfunctions occur, it disrupts the compression unit's operating manner and robs the compression engine of power, thus, causing an automatic shutdown of the unit. This event is out of OXY's control yet OXY made every effort to control and minimize emissions as much as possible.

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

Oxy is limited in the corrective actions available to them to eliminate the cause and potential reoccurrence of compressor malfunctions as notwithstanding compressor engine design and operation, compressors are inherently dynamic and even the smallest alarms, false or true, can be sudden, reasonably unforeseeable and unexpected which can cause compression malfunctions to occur, thereby, triggering the unit's sensors to automatically shut down the unit to avoid catastrophic damage to the internal engine components. Oxy continually strives to maintain and operate all its equipment in a manner consistent with good practices for minimizing emissions and reducing the number of emission events. Oxy has a strong and positive equipment preventative maintenance program in place.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

Operator:	OGRID:
OXY USA INC	16696
P.O. Box 4294	Action Number:
Houston, TX 772104294	313851
	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

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QUESTIONS				
Prerequisites				
Any messages presented in this section, will prevent submission of this application. Please resolve	these issues before continuing w	ith the rest of the questions.		
Incident Well	Unavailable.			
Incident Facility	[fAPP2126641362] CORR	AL #1 COMP STATION		
Determination of Reporting Requirements				
Answer all questions that apply. The Reason(s) statements are calculated based on your answers a	and may provide addional quidance	۵		
Was this vent or flare caused by an emergency or malfunction	Yes	о.		
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	Yes, minor venting and/or flaring of natural gas.		
An operator shall file a form C-141 instead of a form C-129 for a release that, includes liquid during v	venting and/or flaring that is or ma	by he a major or miner release under 10.15.20.7 NIMAC		
Was there at least 50 MCF of natural gas vented and/or flared during this event	Yes	y be a major of minor felease under 19.10.29.7 NiviAC.		
Did this vent or flare result in the release of <b>ANY</b> liquids (not fully and/or completely	100			
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 > Multip	ole Compression Equipment Issues		
Representative Compositional Analysis of Vented or Flared Natural Gas				
Please provide the mole percent for the percentage questions in this group.	T			
Methane (CH4) percentage	73			
Nitrogen (N2) percentage, if greater than one percent	1			
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM, rounded up	0			
Carbon Dioxide (C02) percentage, if greater than one percent	0			
Oxygen (02) percentage, if greater than one percent	0			
If you are venting and/or flaring because of Pipeline Specification, please provide the required spec	cifications for each gas.			
Methane (CH4) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.			
Nitrogen (N2) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.			
Hydrogen Sufide (H2S) PPM quality requirement	Not answered.			
Carbon Dioxide (C02) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.			

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Oxygen (02) percentage quality requirement

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#### QUESTIONS

Date(s) and Time(s)		
Date vent or flare was discovered or commenced	01/29/2024	
Time vent or flare was discovered or commenced	02:50 PM	
Time vent or flare was terminated	04:30 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: 163 Mcf   Recovered: 0 Mcf   Lost: 163 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.

teps 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	This emissions event was caused by the unforeseen, unexpected, sudden, and 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 preventative maintenance practices. Oxy engages in respectable and good facility operation practices while also maintaining its continuous facility equipment preventative maintenance program. In this case, there were several instances of sudden and unexpected compression equipment malfunctions, which occurred within a 24-hour period, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered various intermittent flaring instances to occur throughout the day. This event is out of OXY's control yet OXY made every effort to control and minimize emissions as much as possible.	
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V	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 <b>a complete</b> C-129 submission per 19.15.27.8 and 19.15.28.8 NMAC.
V	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.
V	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.
V	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.
V	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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#### CONDITIONS

Created By		Condition Date
shelbyschoepf	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.	2/13/2024