



Natural Gas Analysis Report

GPA 2172-09/API 14.5 Report with GPA 2145-16 Physical Properties

Sample Information	
Sample Name	8. CORRAL 2N COMPRESSOR STATION AFTER FUEL SKID
Technician	ANTHONY DOMINGUEZ
Analyzer Make & Model	INFICON MICRO GC
Last Calibration/Validation Date	03-02-2023
Meter Number	NA
Air temperature	64
Flow Rate (MCF/Day)	NA
Heat Tracing	Heated Hose & Gasifier
Sample description/mtr name	8. CORRAL 2N COMPRESSOR STATION AFTER FUEL SKID
Sampling Method	fill and empty
Operator	OCCIDENTAL PETROLEUM
State	New Mexico
Region Name	PERMIAN_RESOURCES
Asset	NEW MEXICO
System	NA
FLOC	NA
Sample Sub Type	NA
Sample Name Type	NA
Vendor	AKM MEASUREMENT
Cylinder #	AKM-4
Sampled by	JONATHAN ALDRICH
Sample date	3-1-2023
Analyzed date	3-2-2023
Method Name	C9
Injection Date	2023-03-02 11:01:47
Report Date	2023-03-02 11:05:23
EZReporter Configuration File	1-16-2023 OXY GPA C9+ H2S #2.cfgx
Source Data File	454164ab-9c70-4a26-9a81-475679206b40
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	19900.4	1.1216	0.00005636	1.1210	0.0	0.01084	0.124
Methane	1048827.2	76.8431	0.00007327	76.8014	777.5	0.42540	13.064
CO2	3240.1	0.1531	0.00004726	0.1530	0.0	0.00232	0.026
Ethane	273459.1	12.4443	0.00004551	12.4375	220.6	0.12913	3.338
H2S	0.0	0.0000	0.00000000	0.0000	0.0	0.00000	0.000
Propane	193142.1	6.3290	0.00003277	6.3256	159.5	0.09631	1.749
iso-butane	69923.5	0.7771	0.00001111	0.7767	25.3	0.01559	0.255
n-Butane	155310.4	1.7060	0.00001098	1.7051	55.8	0.03422	0.539
iso-pentane	29200.4	0.2836	0.00000971	0.2835	11.4	0.00706	0.104
n-Pentane	29465.3	0.2790	0.00000947	0.2789	11.2	0.00695	0.101
hexanes	10415.0	0.0791	0.00000760	0.0791	3.8	0.00235	0.033
heptanes	4902.0	0.0306	0.00000624	0.0306	1.7	0.00106	0.014
octanes	1200.0	0.0067	0.00000558	0.0067	0.4	0.00026	0.003
nonanes+	141.0	0.0009	0.00000619	0.0009	0.1	0.00004	0.001
Total:		100.0541		100.0000	1267.2	0.73153	19.351

Results Summary

Result	Dry	Sat.
Total Un-Normalized Mole%	100.0541	
Pressure Base (psia)	14.730	
Temperature Base (Deg. F)	60.00	
Flowing Temperature (Deg. F)	0.0	
Flowing Temperature (Deg. F)	125.0	

Result	Dry	Sat.
Gross Heating Value (BTU / Ideal cu.ft.)	1267.2	1245.2
Gross Heating Value (BTU / Real cu.ft.)	1271.8	1250.2
Relative Density (G), Real	0.7339	0.7323

### Monitored Parameter Report

Parameter	Value	Lower Limit	Upper Limit	Status
Total un-normalized amount	100.0541	97.0000	103.0000	Pass

### UPSET FLARING EVENT SPECIFIC JUSTIFICATIONS FORM

**Facility:** Corral 2N CS

**Flare Date:** 09/03/2024

**Duration of Event:** 27 Minutes

**MCF Flared:** 62

**Start Time:** 05:30 PM

**End Time:** 05:57 PM

**Cause:** Emergency Flare > Third Party Downstream Activity > ETC > Hobson Gas Plant > Emergency Shut Down > Operational Issues

**Method of Flared Gas Measurement:** Gas Flare Meter

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#### 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 compression station 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 instance, the flaring event was initiated by a sudden and unannounced reduction or stoppage in sales gas flow intake rates, which originated from ETC, a third-party downstream offloading operator, which was experiencing continuing operational issues at their Hobson gas plant. Although Oxy strived to keep communication channels open with ETC personnel, there was no dialogue regarding the continuing gas plant disruptions happening on their end or their need to continually reduce their gas flow rate intakes. This lack of communication and information significantly hindered Oxy's ability and capacity to prevent flaring from occurring. Oxy's field and operations teams diligently oversee the facility to swiftly identify any deviations from standard operational parameters. Nevertheless, ETC did not provide any advance warning to the personnel at Oxy regarding a potential stoppage or immediate reduction of gas flow intake rates. If ETC has provided prior notification to Oxy personnel, field and operation personnel would have adjusted and balanced the wells to reduce the amount of gas being sent to the facility and to sales, which in turn would have mitigated the chance of a flaring event from occurring. This flaring situation was beyond OXY's control, but Oxy took all possible measures to reduce emissions effectively.

#### 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 instance, the flaring event was initiated by a sudden and unannounced reduction or stoppage in sales gas flow intake rates, which originated from ETC, a third-party downstream offloading operator, which was experiencing continuing operational issues at their Hobson gas plant. Although Oxy strived to keep communication channels open with ETC personnel, there was no dialogue regarding the continuing gas plant disruptions happening on their end or their need to continually reduce their gas flow rate intakes. This lack of communication and information significantly hindered Oxy's ability and capacity to prevent flaring from occurring. Oxy's field and operations

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

Oxy is not in a position to implement corrective measures to address the root cause and prevent future incidents of a gas flow restriction, shut-in or suspension in the ETC offload sales gas pipeline, since this matter is beyond Oxy's custody transfer point and outside of Oxy's capacity to correct or keep from happening again. When ETC and its operations face challenges managing the volume of gas flow from Oxy, it then limits Oxy's ability to push forward with its sales gas transmission, which in turn, prompts Oxy to flare its excess gas. Oxy is committed to minimizing emissions as much as possible and aims to maintain open communication with its downstream and midstream operators, when feasible, to handle such events effectively.

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	Action Number: 385884
	Action Type: [C-129] Amend Venting and/or Flaring (C-129A)

**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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**Prerequisites**

Any messages presented in this section, will prevent submission of this application. Please resolve these issues before continuing with the rest of the questions.

Incident ID (n#)	Unavailable.
Incident Name	Unavailable.
Incident Type	Flare
Incident Status	Unavailable.
Incident Facility	[fAPP2126641235] CORRAL #2 NORTH COMP STATION

Only valid Vent, Flare or Vent with Flaring incidents (selected above in the Application Details section) that are assigned to your current operator can be amended with this C-129A application.

**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 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.

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.

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 > ETC > Hobson Gas Plant > Emergency Shut Down > Operational Issues

**Representative Compositional Analysis of Vented or Flared Natural Gas**

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

Methane (CH4) percentage	77
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	0
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	0
Nitrogen (N2) percentage quality requirement	0
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM quality requirement	0
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage quality requirement	0
Oxygen (O2) percentage quality requirement	0



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Date(s) and Time(s)	
Date vent or flare was discovered or commenced	09/03/2024
Time vent or flare was discovered or commenced	05:30 PM
Time vent or flare was terminated	05:57 PM
Cumulative hours during this event	0

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: 62 MCF   Recovered: 0 MCF   Lost: 62 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	[267255] ENERGY TRANSFER PARTNERS, LP
Date notified of downstream activity requiring this vent or flare	
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. This interruption, restriction or complete shut-in of the gas pipeline by a third-party pipeline compression station 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 instance, the flaring event was initiated by a sudden and unannounced reduction or stoppage in sales gas flow intake rates, which originated from ETC, a third-party downstream offloading operator, which was experiencing continuing operational issues at their Hobson gas plant. Although Oxy strived to keep communication channels open with ETC personnel, there was no dialogue regarding the continuing gas plant disruptions happening on their end or their need to continually reduce their gas flow rate intakes. This lack of communication and information significantly hindered Oxy's ability and capacity to prevent flaring from occurring. Oxy's field and operations teams diligently oversee the facility to swiftly identify any deviations from standard operational parameters. Nevertheless, ETC did not provide any advance warning to the personnel at Oxy regarding a potential stoppage or immediate reduction of gas flow intake rates. If ETC has provided prior notification to Oxy personnel, field and operation personnel would have adjusted and balanced the wells to reduce the amount of

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	I acknowledge that with this application I will be amending an existing incident file (assigned to this operator) for a vent or flare event, pursuant to 19.15.27 and 19.15.28 NMAC.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	I acknowledge that amending an incident file does not replace original submitted application(s) or information and understand that any C-129 forms submitted to the OCD will be logged and stored as public record.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	I hereby certify the statements in this amending 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.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	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.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	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
shelbyschoepf	If the information provided in this report requires further amendment(s), submit a [C-129] Amend Venting and/or Flaring Incident (C-129A), utilizing your incident number from this event.	9/23/2024