



Certificate of Analysis

Number: 6030-25030113-001A

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Field: PERMIAN_RESOURCES
 Station Name: Red Tank 19 Train 2 Check
 Station Number: 15622C
 Station Location: OP-L2151-BT001
 Sample Point: Meter
 Property ID: FMP/LSE N/A
 Formation: NEW_MEXICO
 County:
 Well Name: CTB
 Type of Sample: : Spot-Cylinder
 Sampling Company: : SPL
 Heat Trace Used: N/A
 Sampling Method: Purge and Fill
 Last Inst. Cal.: 03/10/2025 07:40:57
 Analyzed: 03/11/2025 07:14:46 by CDW

Report Date: 03/11/2025
 Sampled By: Ian Pollock
 Sample Of: Gas
 Sample Type: Spot
 Sample Conditions: 128 psig, @ 78.1 °F
 Sample Date: 02/28/2025 11:40
 Received Date: 03/07/2025
 Login Date: 03/07/2025
 Effective Date: 03/01/2025
 Flow Rate: 35692 MSCFD
 Sampling Method:
 Heating Method:
 Method: GPA-2261M
 Cylinder No: 5030-03289
 Instrument: 6030_GC6 (Inficon GC-3000 Micro)

Analytical Data

Components	Un-normalized Mol %	Mol. %	Wt. %	GPM at 14.65 psia		
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.0000	0.0003	0.0005		GPM TOTAL C2+	6.319
Nitrogen	2.2260	2.2093	2.7879		GPM TOTAL C3+	3.071
Methane	74.0508	73.4967	53.1133		GPM TOTAL iC5+	0.443
Carbon Dioxide	1.8717	1.8577	3.6829			
Ethane	12.2596	12.1678	16.4814	3.248		
Propane	6.4182	6.3702	12.6536	1.752		
Iso-butane	0.8106	0.8045	2.1064	0.263		
n-Butane	1.9626	1.9479	5.1000	0.613		
Iso-pentane	0.3830	0.3801	1.2354	0.139		
n-Pentane	0.3985	0.3955	1.2854	0.143		
Hexanes Plus	0.3728	0.3700	1.5532	0.161		
	100.7538	100.0000	100.0000	6.319		

Calculated Physical Properties

Relative Density Real Gas	Total	C6+
	0.7691	3.2176
Calculated Molecular Weight	22.20	93.19
Compressibility Factor	0.9962	

GPA 2172 Calculation:

Calculated Gross BTU per ft³ @ 14.65 psia & 60°F

Real Gas Dry BTU	1259	5113
Water Sat. Gas Base BTU	1237	5024
Ideal, Gross HV - Dry at 14.65 psia	1253.7	5113.2
Ideal, Gross HV - Wet	1231.8	5023.7
Net BTU Dry Gas - real gas	1143	
Net BTU Wet Gas - real gas	1123	

Comments: H2S Field Content: 2.5 ppm

Hydrocarbon Laboratory Manager

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#** fAPP2127031815**Facility:** Red Tank 19 CTB**Duration of Event:** 3 Hours 2 Minutes**Start Time:** 12:00 AM**Cause:** Emergency Flare > Multiple Compressor Equipment Issues > Red Tank 19 CGL**Method of Flared Gas Measurement:** Gas Flare Meter**Operator:** OXY USA, Inc.**Flare Date:** 12/25/2025**MCF Flared:** 516**End Time:** 03:02 AM**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 sudden and simultaneous unexpected compression equipment malfunctions in the twilight hours of the day at the Red Tank 19 CGL, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered several brief intermittent flaring instances to occur at the Red Tank 19 CTB. This event is beyond OXY's control as notwithstanding compressor engine design and operation, compressors are inherently dynamic and even the smallest alarms, whether 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's field and operations teams diligently oversee the facility and field pressure to swiftly identify any deviations from accepted standard operational parameters. Although flaring is not OXY's preferred method for handling excess gas, it is necessary to ensure the safety of our operations, equipment, and field personnel. OXY took all possible measures to manage and reduce emissions to the greatest extent. This flaring event's duration and volume resulted from several intermittent flaring events within a 24-hour period.

2. Steps Taken to limit duration and magnitude of venting or flaring:

This facility is unmanned, except when Oxy production techs are gathering data daily or conducting daily walk-throughs to ensure that there are no problems, circumstances and/or assist other personnel on-site for maintenance purposes. 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 98% combustion efficiency to lessen emissions as much as possible. Internal OXY procedures ensure that upon unexpected emergency compressor equipment shutdowns, production technicians are instructed to assess the issue as soon as possible in order to take prompt corrective action to resolve the issue. OXY production technicians must assess whether a compressor unit shutdown is due to damage and immediate repair is needed, or whether there are other reasons for its cause. In this case, there were sudden and simultaneous unexpected compression equipment malfunctions in the twilight hours of the day at the Red Tank 19 CGL, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered several brief intermittent flaring instances to occur at the Red Tank 19 CTB. The Red Tank 19 CTB facility flare was activated intermittently, with wells being shut in as necessary to manage pressure during each flaring event. When the compressor units ran, they operated only for about an hour or so before shutting down again, requiring wells to be choked back once more to keep the pressure under control. This event is beyond OXY's control as notwithstanding compressor

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

OXY's corrective actions to address unexpected compressor unit shutdowns caused by engine malfunction faults are limited. Regardless of compressor engine design and operation, compressors exhibit dynamic behavior—whether accurate or false—can occur abruptly and may not always be foreseeable, potentially resulting in sudden and unexpected compression malfunctions. This may activate sensors or trigger signals that initiate an automatic shutdown of the unit to prevent severe or catastrophic internal engine damage. Additionally, NGSG Compression, the owner of these units, is responsible for preventative maintenance and is the only authorized party to implement corrective measures aimed at addressing recurring issues such as these, if possible. The only actions OXY and its personnel can take is to consistently communicate and work with NGSG Compression and its personnel to ensure that the compressor units are maintained in a good working manner and its preventative maintenance work is completed timely. 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

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 ID (n#)	Unavailable.
Incident Name	Unavailable.
Incident Type	Flare
Incident Status	Unavailable.
Incident Facility	[fAPP2127031815] RED TANK 19 CTB
<i>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.</i>	

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, major 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 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 > Multiple Compressor Equipment Issues > Red Tank 19 CGL

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	3
Carbon Dioxide (CO2) percentage, if greater than one percent	2
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.
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Date(s) and Time(s)	
Date vent or flare was discovered or commenced	12/25/2025
Time vent or flare was discovered or commenced	12:00 AM
Time vent or flare was terminated	03:02 AM
Cumulative hours during this event	3

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: 516 Mcf Recovered: 0 Mcf Lost: 516 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	
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	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 sudden and simultaneous unexpected compression equipment malfunctions in the twilight hours of the day at the Red Tank 19 CGL, which in turn, then prompted high field pressure to occur several times, which then triggered several brief intermittent flaring instances to occur at the Red Tank 19 CTB. This event is beyond OXY's control as notwithstanding compressor engine design and operation, compressors are inherently dynamic and even the smallest alarms, whether 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's field and operations teams diligently oversee the facility and field pressure to swiftly identify any deviations from accepted standard operational parameters. Although flaring is not OXY's preferred method for handling excess gas, it is necessary to ensure the safety of our operations, equipment, and field personnel. OXY took all possible measures to manage and reduce emissions to the greatest extent. This flaring event's duration and volume resulted from several intermittent flaring events within a 24-hour period.

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☒	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.
☒	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.
☒	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.
☒	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 further amendment(s), submit a [C-129] Amend Venting and/or Flaring Incident (C-129A), utilizing your incident number from this event.	2/5/2026