

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Devon Energy Production Co LP (6137)	Contact: Jeff Heath, Asst. Completions Foreman
Address: PO Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211	Telephone No. 575-513-2274
Facility Name: Trionyx treated frac pond	Facility Type: frac pond location

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner: State	API No. NA
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter P	Section 2	Township 25S	Range 31E	Feet from the 725	North/South Line South	Feet from the 122	East/West Line East	County Lea
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Latitude: 32.153988 Longitude: -103.740529

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Sodium Hydroxide (other)	Volume of Release: 2100 gal / 50 bbls	Volume Recovered: 2000 gal / 47.6 bbls
Source of Release: Bulkhead nipple	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11/14/15, 5:30 PM	Date and Hour of Discovery: 11/14/15, 5:30 PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? OCD-Kelly Jones	
By Whom? Jeff Heath, Asst. Completions Foreman	Date and Hour: 11/16/15, 7:13 AM	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. NA	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* NA

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The nipple leading into the bulkhead fitting on the caustic tank used for treating water on the Trionyx Frac Pond location failed causing a spill of approximately 50 barrels (2100 gals) of sodium hydroxide. Operations ceased temporarily until the spill was cleaned up and the nipple was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Approximately 2000 gallonss leaked into the secondary containment around the caustic tankd and was all recovered by a vacuum truck. Approximately 100 gallons leaked on to the location pad, but did not leave the pad. Contractors shoveled dirt on the pad spill, mixed it, picked it up, and put in a roll-off containment for solids to be disposed of at a proper disposal site. Devon will be submitting a work plan.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: Denise Menoud	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Denise Menoud	Signed By: Mike Brannon Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Field Admin Support	Approval Date: 12/1/15	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: Denise.Menoud@dvn.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 12/2/2015 Phone: 575-746-5544	SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

ATER THAN: 11/15/16

2RP-3431

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Menoud, Denise <Denise.Menoud@dvn.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 11:14 AM
To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Menoud, Denise
Subject: C-141 Trionyx spill 11/15/15
Attachments: C-141 Trionyx 11_14_15 spill with map and pics.pdf

Please see attached C-141 on a Trionys spill that occurred on 11/14/15, including a map and pics.

Thank you.

Denise Menoud

Admin Field Support 4 / Completions
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