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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: Rice Operating Company	Contact: Bryan Clay	
Address: 122 W. Taylor Hobbs, New Mexico	Telephone No.: 505-393-9174	
Facility Name: <del>CONOCO</del> CONOCO F-1 (12/04)	Facility Type: SWD Gathering Line	
Surface Owner: State of New Mexico	Mineral Owner	Lease No.

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter U	Section 1	Township 21S	Range 36E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Lca
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Latitude: Longitude:

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 40 bbls	Volume Recovered: 35 bbls
Source of Release: Pipeline	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 12/3/04	Date and Hour of Discovery: 12/3/04 @ 11:15 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Paul Sheeley	
By Whom? Bryan Clay	Date and Hour: 12/3/04 @ 2:55 p.m.	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

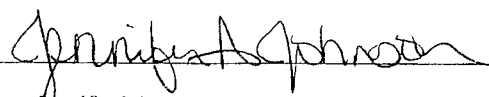
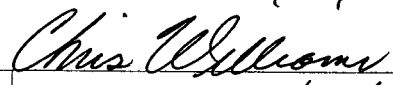
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A 3-inch rubber gasket slipped from between the flanges of connecting steel and poly lines. The releases water was immediately recovered.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The affected area was approximately 4828 square feet with the majority on a low-lying drive path.

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jennifer Johnson	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: Environmental Technician	Approval Date: 7/17/07	Expiration Date: 7/17/07
E-mail Address: jjriceswd@valornet.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 1/30/06 Phone: 505-393-9174		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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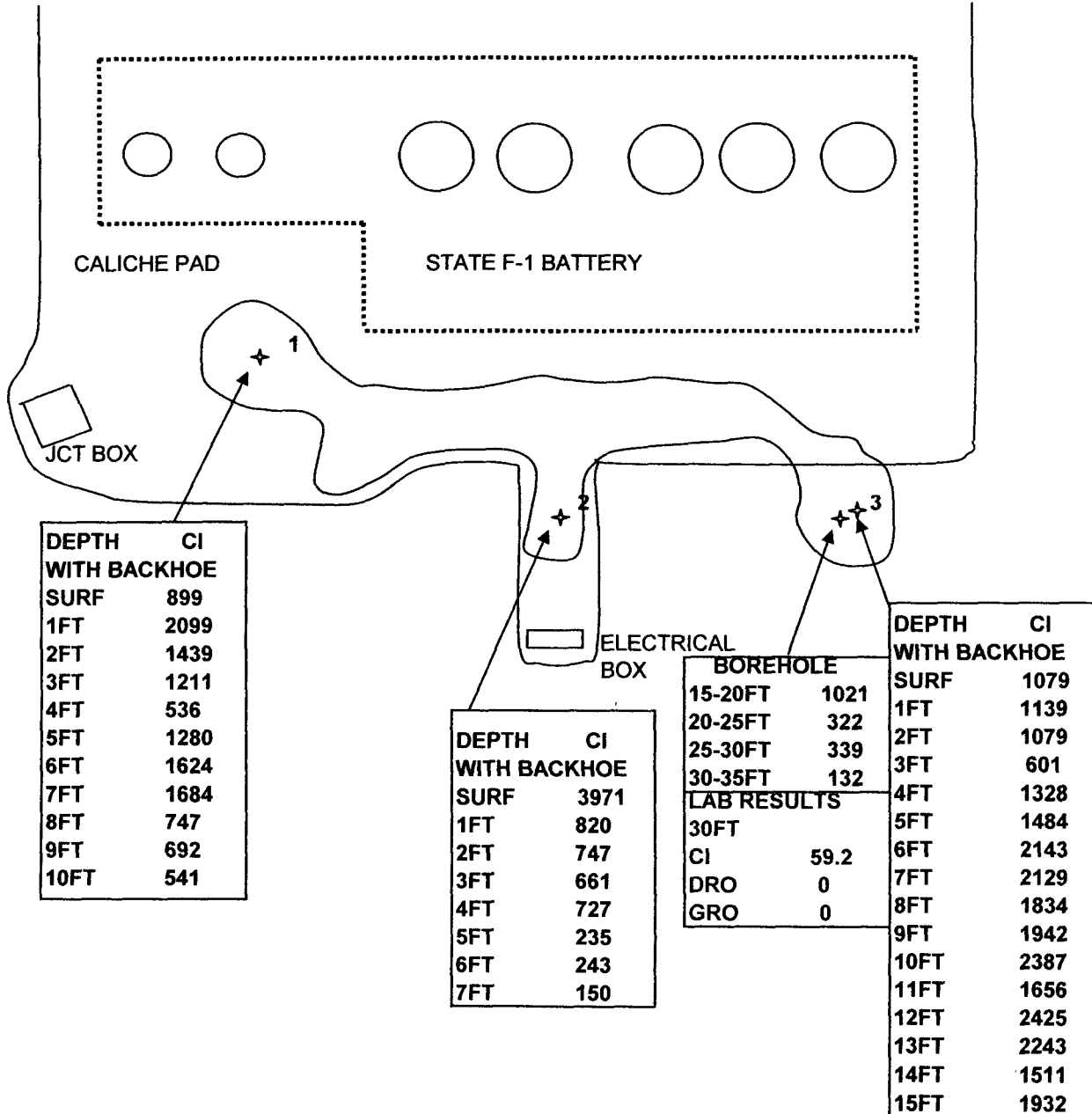
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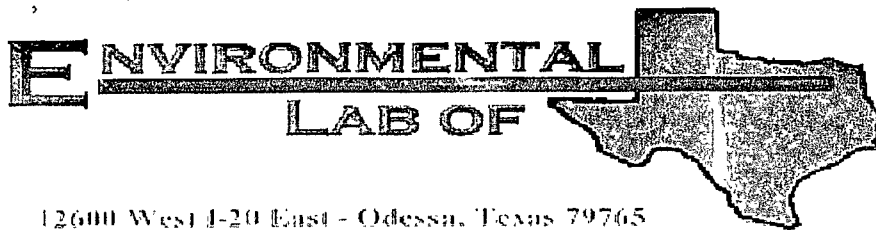
# EME CONOCO F-1 LEAK

UL/U SEC 1 T-21-S R-36-E

GW 92ft







12600 West I-20 East - Odessa, Texas 79765

## Analytical Report

**Prepared for:**

Kristin Farris-Pope

Rice Operating Co.

122 W. Taylor

Hobbs, NM 88240

Project: EME Conoco F-1

Project Number: None Given

Location: None Given

Lab Order Number: 5L15003

Report Date: 12/23/05

Rice Operating Co.  
122 W Taylor  
Hobbs NM, 88240

Project: EME Conoco F-1  
Project Number: None Given  
Project Manager: Kristin Farris-Pope

Fax: (505) 397-1471

Reported:  
12/23/05 15:47

### ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
EME Conoco F-1@ 30'bgs	5L15003-01	Soil	12/12/05 14:20	12/15/05 08:00

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**Organics by GC**  
**Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
<b>EME Conoco F-1@ 30' bgs (5L15003-01) Soil</b>									
Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	ND	10.0	mg/kg dry	1	EL51506	12/15/05	12/16/05	EPA 8015M	
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	ND	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	10.0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Surrogate 1-Chlorooctane		81.4 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	
Surrogate 1-Chlorooctadecane		70.4 %	70-130		"	"	"	"	

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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**  
**Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
EME Conoco F-1@ 30'bgs (5L15003-01) Soil									
Chloride	59.2	5.00	mg/kg	10	EL52102	12/20/05	12/21/05	EPA 300.0	
% Moisture	5.3	0.1	%	1	EL51609	12/15/05	12/16/05	% calculation	

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**Organics by GC - Quality Control**  
**Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch EL51506 - Solvent Extraction (GC)**

**Blank (EL51506-BLK1)**

Prepared & Analyzed 12/15/05

Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	ND	100	mg/kg wet							
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	ND	100	"							
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	100	"							
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	56.7		mg/kg	50.0		113	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	46.3		"	50.0		92.6	70-130			

**LCS (EL51506-BS1)**

Prepared & Analyzed 12/15/05

Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	378	100	mg/kg wet	500		75.6	75-125			
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	468	100	"	500		93.6	75-125			
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	846	100	"	1000		84.6	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	52.5		mg/kg	50.0		105	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	40.8		"	50.0		81.6	70-130			

**Calibration Check (EL51506-CCV1)**

Prepared 12/15/05 Analyzed: 12/16/05

Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	412		mg/kg	500		82.4	80-120			
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	504		"	500		101	80-120			
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	916		"	1000		91.6	80-120			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	52.1		"	50.0		104	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	42.5		"	50.0		85.0	70-130			

**Matrix Spike (EL51506-MS1)**

Source: 5L15003-01

Prepared & Analyzed 12/15/05

Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	496	100	mg/kg dry	528	ND	93.9	75-125			
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	441	100	"	528	ND	83.5	75-125			
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	937	100	"	1060	ND	88.4	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	50.6		mg/kg	50.0		101	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	36.1		"	50.0		72.2	70-130			

**Matrix Spike Dup (EL51506-MSD1)**

Source: 5L15003-01

Prepared & Analyzed: 12/15/05

Gasoline Range Organics C6-C12	502	100	mg/kg dry	528	ND	95.1	75-125	1.20	20	
Diesel Range Organics >C12-C35	441	100	"	528	ND	83.5	75-125	0.00	20	
Total Hydrocarbon C6-C35	943	100	"	1060	ND	89.0	75-125	0.638	20	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	51.0		mg/kg	50.0		102	70-130			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	35.9		"	50.0		71.8	70-130			

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The results in this report apply to the samples analyzed in accordance with the samples received in the laboratory. This analytical report must be reproduced in its entirety, with written approval of Environmental Lab of Texas

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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control**  
**Environmental Lab of Texas**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch EL51609 - General Preparation (Prep)**

**Blank (EL51609-BLK1)** Prepared: 12/15/05 Analyzed: 12/16/05

% Solids 100 %

**Duplicate (EL51609-DUP1)** Source: 5L14008-01 Prepared: 12/15/05 Analyzed: 12/16/05

% Solids 94.3 % 95.6 1.37 20

**Duplicate (EL51609-DUP2)** Source: 5L15001-09 Prepared: 12/15/05 Analyzed: 12/16/05

% Solids 90.7 % 91.0 0.330 20

**Duplicate (EL51609-DUP3)** Source: 5L15014-01 Prepared: 12/15/05 Analyzed: 12/16/05

% Solids 98.0 % 98.5 0.509 20

**Batch EL52102 - Water Extraction**

**Blank (EL52102-BLK1)** Prepared: 12/20/05 Analyzed: 12/21/05

Chloride ND 0.500 mg/kg

**LCS (EL52102-BS1)** Prepared: 12/20/05 Analyzed: 12/21/05

Chloride 8.33 mg/L 10.0 83.3 80-120

**Calibration Check (EL52102-CCV1)** Prepared: 12/20/05 Analyzed: 12/21/05

Chloride 8.46 mg/L 10.0 84.6 80-120

**Duplicate (EL52102-DUP1)** Source: 5L15002-01 Prepared: 12/20/05 Analyzed: 12/21/05

Chloride 94.9 5.00 mg/kg 92.0 3.10 20

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### Notes and Definitions

DET Analyte DETECTED  
ND Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit  
NR Not Reported  
dry Sample results reported on a dry weight basis  
RPD Relative Percent Difference  
LCS Laboratory Control Spike  
MS Matrix Spike  
Dup Duplicate

Report Approved By.

*Raland K Tuttle*

Date:

12/23/2005

Raland K. Tuttle, Lab Manager  
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# Environmental Lab of Texas Variance / Corrective Action Report – Sample Log-In

Client: Rice Op.

Date/Time: 12/15/05 1:00

Order #: 5L15003

Initials: CK

## Sample Receipt Checklist

Temperature of container/cooler?	Yes	No	1.5	C
Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	Yes	No		
Custody Seals intact on shipping container/cooler?	Yes	No	Not present	
Custody Seals intact on sample bottles?	Yes	No	Not present	
Chain of custody present?	Yes	No		
Sample Instructions complete on Chain of Custody?	Yes	No		
Chain of Custody signed when relinquished and received?	Yes	No		
Chain of custody agrees with sample label(s)	Yes	No		
Container labels legible and intact?	Yes	No		
Sample Matrix and properties same as on chain of custody?	Yes	No		
Samples in proper container/bottle?	Yes	No		
Samples properly preserved?	Yes	No		
Sample bottles intact?	Yes	No		
Preservations documented on Chain of Custody?	Yes	No		
Containers documented on Chain of Custody?	Yes	No		
Sufficient sample amount for indicated test?	Yes	No		
All samples received within sufficient hold time?	Yes	No		
VOC samples have zero headspace?	Yes	No	Not Applicable	

Other observations:

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## Variance Documentation:

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Date/Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Contacted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Regarding:

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Corrective Action Taken:

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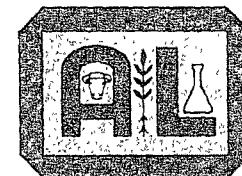


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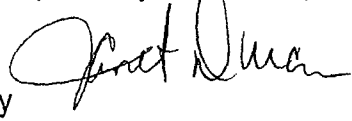
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Lab No:	Sample No:	E S P	Soluble Sodium from Saturated Paste	Extractable Sodium from Ammonium Acetate	C E C
		%	ppm	ppm	meq/100g
10491	EME	10.75	414	879	19
10672	CONOCO	0.58	754	763	7

Reference:

USDA Handbook No. 60, Page 100-101 and 107.

Respectfully submitted,



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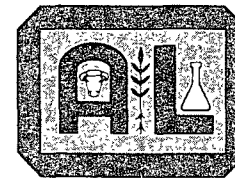
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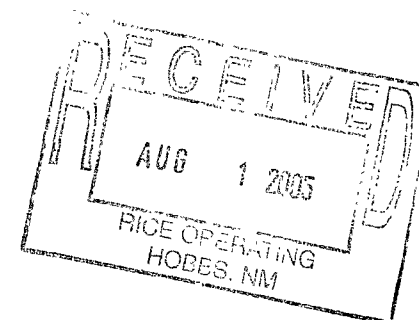
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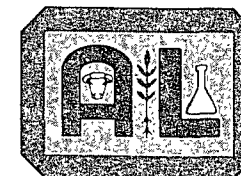
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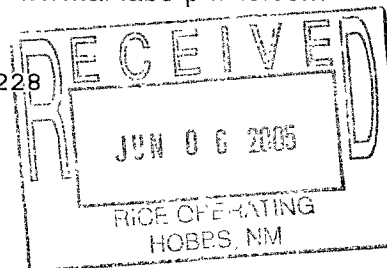
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CLIENT NO: 1228

GROWER:

CONOCO F-1

SAMPLES  
SUBMITTED BY:

JENNIFER JOHNSON

DATE 06/03/05

**SOIL ANALYSIS REPORT**

PAGE: 1

SAMPLE ID	LAB NUMBER	ORGANIC MATTER % RATE ENR lbs/A	PHOSPHORUS		POTASSIUM K ** ppm-K RATE	MAGNESIUM Mg *** ppm-Mg RATE	CALCIUM Ca *** ppm-Ca RATE	SODIUM Na *** ppm-Na RATE	pH		Cation Exchange C E C meq/100g	COMPUTED PERCENT BASE SATURATION				
			P1 (Weak Bray) ppm-P RATE	P2 (Strong Bray) ppm-P RATE					SOIL pH	BUFFER INDEX		K	Mg	Ca	H	Na
COMPOSIT	10672	0.5VL 40	11L	13L	237VH	88L	1831M	763VH	7.5		13.8	4.4	5.2	66.3	0.0	24.1

SAMPLE ID	NITRATE NO <sub>3</sub> *** ppm-NO <sub>3</sub> N RATE	SULFUR S *** ppm-S RATE	ZINC Zn *** ppm-Zn RATE	MANGANESE Mn *** ppm-Mn RATE	IRON Fe *** ppm-Fe RATE	COPPER Cu *** ppm-Cu RATE	BORON B *** ppm-B RATE	EX- CESS LIME RATE	SOLUBLE SALTS mmhos/cm RATE	Cl ppm	CODE TO RATINGS: VL = VERY LOW      L = LOW M = MEDIUM        H = HIGH VH = VERY HIGH     NR = NOT RATED  ND = NONE DETECTED IS = INSUFFICIENT SAMPLE ENR = ESTIMATED NITROGEN RELEASE  This report applies only to the sample(s) tested. Samples are retained for a maximum of thirty days after testing.  A & L PLAINS AGRICULTURAL LABORATORIES, INC.  By E. A. COLEMAN, PhD
COMPOSIT	6L	6L	0.2VL	5L	21H	0.6M	0.5L	M	1.4M	1396	

\* PHOSPHORUS - Multiply the results in ppm by 4.6 to convert to lbs per acre P2O5

\*\*\* - Multiply the results in ppm by 2 to convert to lbs per acre of the elemental form

\*\* - Multiply the results in ppm by 2.4 to convert to lbs per acre K2O

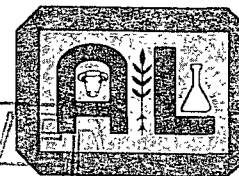
Most soils weigh two (2) million pounds (dry weight) for an acre of soil 6-2/3 inches deep

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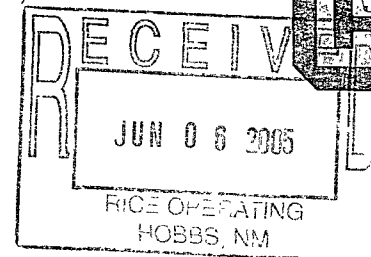
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GROWER: CONOCO F-1

Date: 06/03/2005

SUBMITTED BY: JENNIFER JOHNSON

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## SOIL FERTILITY GUIDELINES (lbs/A)

SAMPLE NUMBER	CROP	YIELD	AMENDMENTS	N Nitrogen	P2O5 Phosphate	K2O Potash	Mg Magnesium	S Sulfur	Zn Zinc	Mn Manganese	Fe Iron	Cu Copper	B Boron
COMPO	PASTURE-NATIV			70	30	60	10	15	1.5	0.5			1.0

### COMMENTS:

HAY TESTING IS RECOMMENDED TO INSURE QUALITY AND PROFITABILITY. QUICK AND ACCURATE ANALYSIS OF HAY QUALITY CAN BE OBTAINED AT A&L LABS. CALL THE LAB TODAY FOR INFO.

TOP DRESS WITH 60-0-50 AFTER EACH HARVEST.



EM2 Conoco F-1

### Site Assessment Criteria (NMOCD)

**Depth to Ground Water**

(Vertical distance from  
contaminants to seasonal  
high water elevation of  
ground water)

Less than 50 feet (20 points)  
50 feet to 99 feet (10 points)  
Greater than 100 feet ( 0 points)

10pts

**Wellhead Protection Area**

(Less than 200 feet from a private  
domestic water source, or; less than  
1000 feet from all other water sources)

Yes (20 points)  
No ( 0 points)

0

**Distance to Surface Water Body:**

(Horizontal distance to perennial  
lakes, ponds, rivers, streams, creeks,  
irrigation canals and ditches)

Less than 200 feet (20 points)  
200 feet to 1000 feet (10 points)  
Greater than 1000 feet ( 0 points)

0

**RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS):**

10pts

### Clean-up Target Concentrations for "Site Closure" (NMOCD)

IF RANKING SCORE IS:	>19	10-19	0-9
Benzene (ppm) *	10	10	10
BTEX (ppm) *	50	50	50
TPH (ppm) ***	100	1000	5000

\* A field vapor headspace measurement of 100 ppm may be substituted for a laboratory analysis.

\*\*\* The contaminant concentration for TPH is the concentration above background levels.