



Certificate of Analysis

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June 11, 2021

Field: Turkey
Station Name: Turkey Track CTB Check B
Station Number: 14670B
Station Location: CTB
Sample Point: Meter
Formation: Monthly
County: Eddy
Type of Sample: : Spot-Cylinder
Heat Trace Used: N/A
Sampling Method: : Fill and Purge
Sampling Company: : SPL

Sampled By: Javier Lazo
Sample Of: Gas Spot
Sample Date: 06/08/2021 02:30
Sample Conditions: 78 psia, @ 96 °F Ambient: 98 °F
Effective Date: 06/08/2021 02:30
Method: GPA-2261M
Cylinder No: 5030-00528
Instrument: 70104124 (Inficon GC-MicroFusion)
Last Inst. Cal.: 05/24/2021 0:00 AM
Analyzed: 06/11/2021 09:04:42 by KNF

Analytical Data

Components	Un-normalized Mol %	Mol. %	Wt. %	GPM at 14.65 psia		
Hydrogen Sulfide	0.000	0.000	0.000		GPM TOTAL C2+	6.552
Nitrogen	1.951	1.994	2.501		GPM TOTAL C3+	3.404
Methane	73.516	75.129	53.956		GPM TOTAL iC5+	0.941
Carbon Dioxide	0.204	0.208	0.410			
Ethane	11.539	11.792	15.874	3.148		
Propane	5.820	5.948	11.742	1.636		
Iso-butane	0.716	0.732	1.905	0.239		
n-Butane	1.828	1.868	4.861	0.588		
Iso-pentane	0.481	0.492	1.589	0.180		
n-Pentane	0.521	0.532	1.718	0.193		
Hexanes Plus	1.277	1.305	5.444	0.568		
	97.853	100.000	100.000	6.552		

Calculated Physical Properties

Relative Density Real Gas	Total	C6+
	0.7741	3.2176
Calculated Molecular Weight	22.34	93.19
Compressibility Factor	0.9959	

GPA 2172 Calculation:

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

Real Gas Dry BTU	1311	5113
Water Sat. Gas Base BTU	1289	5024
Ideal, Gross HV - Dry at 14.65 psia	1305.7	5113.2
Ideal, Gross HV - Wet	1282.9	5023.7
Net BTU Dry Gas - real gas	1191	
Net BTU Wet Gas - real gas	1171	

Comments: H2S Field Content 2.5 ppm
Mcf/day 19530

Report generated by: Eric Ramirez

Quality Assurance: The above analyses are performed in accordance with ASTM, UOP, GPA guidelines for quality assurance, unless otherwise stated.

EVENT SPECIFIC JUSTIFICATIONS FORM**Facility:** Turkey Track CTB**Start Date:** 06/11/2021**End Date:** 06/11/2021**Cause:** Compressor Malfunction > Sales Compressor Unit 3**Duration of event:** 10 minutes**MCF Volume Flared:** 68**Method of Flared Gas Measurement:** 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 or prevented by good design, operation, and preventative maintenance practices. Internal OXY procedures ensure that upon gas compressor unit and/or multiple unit shutdown, due to malfunction and/or alarms, production techs are promptly notified, and are instructed to assess the issue as soon as possible in order to take prompt corrective action and minimize emissions.

This flaring event was caused when NGSG gas sales #3 compressor shutdown on left bank due to low lube flow. The compressor vendor was immediately dispatched to adjust lube oil flows/add additional lube oil. Once the unit was restarted, all flaring ceased. During the time that NGSG gas compressor units # 3 was down, OXY routed the stranded gas to a flare with a 98% combustion efficiency in order to minimize emissions as much as possible.

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

Although this is not a manned site, personnel were able to quickly respond adjust/add additional lube to unit 3, reset the alarm panel, and restart the unit. Once the unit was restarted, flaring ceased.

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

The 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 cannot take any corrective actions to eliminate the cause and potential reoccurrence of compressor malfunctions as notwithstanding proper gas compressor design, operation, and maintenance; various forms of mechanical or technical issues can be sudden, reasonably unforeseeable and unexpected. Oxy continually strives to maintain and operate its facility equipment in a manner consistent with good practices for minimizing emissions and reducing the number of emission events. Oxy has a dedicated compression equipment preventative maintenance program in place.

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QUESTIONS

Action 42349

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Operator: OXY USA INC P.O. Box 4294 Houston, TX 772104294	OGRID: 16696
	Action Number: 42349
	Action Type: [C-129] Venting and/or Flaring (C-129)

QUESTIONS

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 Well	Not answered.
Incident Facility	[fAB1829628786] TURKEY TRACK CTB

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 or is this venting and/or flaring caused by an emergency or malfunction	Yes
Did or will this venting and/or flaring last eight hours or more cumulatively within any 24-hour period from a single event	No
Is this considered a submission for a notification of a major venting and/or flaring	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 or will there be at least 50 MCF of natural gas vented and/or flared during this event	Yes
Did this venting and/or flaring 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 venting and/or flaring 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.

Representative Compositional Analysis of Vented or Flared Natural Gas	
Please provide the mole percent for the percentage questions in this group.	
Methane (CH4) percentage	75
Nitrogen (N2) percentage, if greater than one percent	2
Hydrogen Sulfide (H2S) PPM, rounded up	2
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	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.
Oxygen (O2) percentage quality requirement	Not answered.

Date(s) and Time(s)	
Date venting and/or flaring was discovered or commenced	06/11/2021
Time venting and/or flaring was discovered or commenced	12:00 AM
Time venting and/or flaring was terminated	12:10 AM
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: 68 Mcf Recovered: 0 Mcf Lost: 68 Mcf]
Other Released Details	Not answered.
Additional details for Measured or Estimated Volume(s). Please specify	Emergency flare due to compressor malfunction.
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 or is this venting and/or flaring a result of downstream activity	Not answered.
Date notified of downstream activity requiring this venting and/or flaring	Not answered.
Time notified of downstream activity requiring this venting and/or flaring	Not answered.

Steps and Actions to Prevent Waste	
For this event, the operator could not have reasonably anticipated the current event and it was beyond the operator's control.	True
Please explain reason for why this event was beyond your 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 or prevented by good design, operation, and preventative maintenance practices. Internal OXY procedures ensure that upon gas compressor unit and/or multiple unit shutdown, due to malfunction and/or alarms, production techs are promptly notified, and are instructed to assess the issue as soon as possible in order to take prompt corrective action and minimize emissions. This flaring event was caused when NGSG gas sales #3 compressor shutdown on left bank due to low lube flow. The compressor vendor was immediately dispatched to adjust lube oil flows/add additional lube oil. Once the unit was restarted, all flaring ceased. During the time that NGSG gas compressor units # 3 was down, OXY routed the stranded gas to a flare with a 98% combustion efficiency in order to minimize emissions as much as possible.
Steps taken to limit the duration and magnitude of venting and/or flaring	Although this is not a manned site, personnel were able to quickly respond adjust/add additional lube to unit 3, reset the alarm panel, and restart the unit. Once the unit was restarted, flaring ceased.
Corrective actions taken to eliminate the cause and reoccurrence of venting and/or flaring	The 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 cannot take any corrective actions to eliminate the cause and potential reoccurrence of compressor malfunctions as notwithstanding proper gas compressor design, operation, and maintenance; various forms of mechanical or technical issues can be sudden, reasonably unforeseeable and unexpected. Oxy continually strives to maintain and operate its facility equipment in a manner consistent with good practices for minimizing emissions and reducing the number of emission events. Oxy has a dedicated compression equipment preventative maintenance program in place.

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Created By	Condition	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.	8/16/2021