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**Building 275**

**Fort Stewart, Georgia**

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FOR  
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List of Abbreviations and Acronyms

ACL	alternate concentration limit
AMSL	above mean sea level
BGS	below ground surface
BTEX	benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene
BTOC	below top of casing
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
DAF	dilution attenuation factor
GA EPD	Georgia Environmental Protection Division
IWQS	In-stream Water Quality Standards
ND	not detected
NFAR	no further action required
NRC	no regulatory criteria
PAH	polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbon
SAIC	Science Applications International Corporation
USACE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
UST	underground storage tank
USTMP	Underground Storage Tank Management Program

## MONITORING ONLY REPORT

Submittal Date: September 2005 Monitoring Report Number: 5<sup>th</sup> Semiannual Event

For Period Covering: January 2005 to January 2006

Facility Name: USTs 208 & 209, Building 275 Street Address: Bultman Avenue & E. 4<sup>th</sup> Street

Facility ID: 9-089036 City: Fort Stewart County: Liberty Zip Code: 31314

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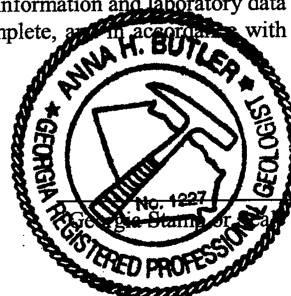
### I. REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER OR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I have directed and supervised the field work and preparation of this plan, in accordance with State Rules and Regulations. As a registered professional geologist and/or professional engineer, I certify that I am a qualified ground-water professional, as defined by the Georgia State Board of Professional Geologists. All of the information and laboratory data in this plan and in all of the attachments are true, accurate, complete, and in accordance with applicable State Rules and Regulations.

Name: Anna Butler

Signature: Anna Butler

Date: 11/8/05



## II. PROJECT SUMMARY

*(Appendix I, Figure 1: Site Location Map)*

*Provide a brief description or explanation of the site and a brief chronology of environmental events leading up to this report.*

Former USTs 208 & 209, Facility ID #9-089036, were located near Building 275 at Fort Stewart, Georgia. UST 208 was used to store gasoline, and UST 209 was used to store diesel. Both USTs were removed from the site in 1995. SAIC performed a CAP-Part A investigation in 1996 and a CAP-Part B investigation in 1997 to determine the extent of petroleum contamination at the site. Four monitoring wells and five soil borings were installed during these investigations. The CAP-Part B Report (SAIC 1998a) recommended semiannual monitoring of three of the four monitoring wells: 42-05, 42-07, and 42-08. Based on comments received from GA EPD, USTMP on the CAP-Part B report, three additional monitoring wells were installed. The additional analytical data were presented in the First Annual Monitoring Only Report (SAIC 1999a), which was submitted to GA EPD USTMP in May 1999 and is pending review. In addition, it was recommended that the semiannual monitoring be revised to include wells 42-05, 42-07, 42-11, and 42-12. Based on analytical results collected during the third semiannual sampling event (July 1999), Fort Stewart added monitoring well 42-10 to the monitoring program beginning in January 2000.

As part of the Second Annual Monitoring Only Report, the fate and transport modeling was revised to reflect a continuous source of contamination based on the benzene concentrations observed during the semiannual monitoring events. The revised fate and transport modeling results are summarized in Attachment A of the Second Annual Monitoring Only Report.

The purpose of the fourth semiannual monitoring was to confirm the results of the fate and transport modeling and that natural attenuation was taking place at the site. The measured benzene concentrations have been below the benzene ACL for the last four semiannual sampling events (i.e., since June 1998).

This fifth semiannual sampling event was initiated to verify status of the ground-water quality conditions at the site. The results of this event, four years after the previous sampling indicate similar levels of dissolved benzene in well 42-10, however, free product was observed in well 42-07, within the former tank pit. A ground-water sample was not collected from well 42-07, however, free product thickness measured 0.6 feet.

## III. ACTIVITIES AND ASSESSMENT OF EXISTING CONDITIONS

### A. Potentiometric Data:

*(Appendix I, Figure 2a and 2b: Potentiometric Surface Maps)*

*(Appendix II, Table 1: Groundwater Elevations)*

*Discuss groundwater flow at this site and implications for this project.*

During the third semiannual sampling event in July 1999, ground-water elevations were measured in all existing monitoring wells to determine the ground-water flow direction. However, ground-water elevations were measured again in August due to a 100-yr rain event that preceded the July 1999 sampling event. In August 1999, the ground-water flow direction was towards the east and the ground-water gradient was approximately 0.0025 ft/ft.

During the fourth semiannual sampling event in January 2000, ground-water elevations were measured in all existing monitoring wells to determine the ground-water flow direction. In January 2000, the ground-water flow direction was towards the northeast and the ground-water gradient was approximately 0.0015 ft/ft.

During the fifth semiannual sampling event in July 2005, ground-water elevations were measured in all of the monitoring wells to determine the ground-water flow direction. In July 2005, the ground-water flow direction was toward the northeast, and the ground-water gradient was approximately 0.0072 ft/ft.

**B. Analytical Data:**

*(Appendix I, Figure 3a and 3b: Groundwater Quality Maps)*

*(Appendix I, Figure 4: Trend of Contaminant Concentrations)*

*(Appendix II, Table 2, Groundwater Analysis Results)*

*(Appendix III, Laboratory Analysis Results)*

*Discuss groundwater analysis results, trend of contaminant concentrations, and implications for this project.*

During the third semiannual sampling event in July 1999, monitoring wells 42-05, 42-07, 42-11, and 42-12 were sampled for BTEX. Analytical results from the third sampling event showed estimated concentrations below the analytical reporting limits or no detectable BTEX concentrations in wells 42-05 and 42-12. BTEX compounds were present in wells 42-07 and 42-11. However, benzene was the only constituent to exceed its IWQS and was detected at 242 µg/L in well 42-07 and 3.4 µg/L in well 42-11. The benzene concentration in well 42-07, located in the former tank pit, decreased from the previous sampling event in January 1999. The benzene concentrations in 42-07 and 42-11 were below the ACL of 556 µg/L during this event.

During the fourth semiannual sampling event in January 2000, monitoring wells 42-05, 42-07, 42-10, 42-11, and 42-12 were sampled for BTEX. Analytical results from the fourth sampling event showed no detectable BTEX concentrations in wells 42-05 and 42-12. BTEX compounds were present in wells 42-07, 42-10, and 42-11. However, benzene was the only constituent to exceed its IWQS and was detected at 183 µg/L in well 42-07, 39 µg/L in well 42-10, and 1.0 µg/L in well 42-11. The benzene concentration in well 42-07, located in the former tank pit, decreased from the previous sampling event in July 1999. The benzene concentrations in 42-07, 42-10, and 42-11 were below the ACL of 556 µg/L during this event.

During the fifth semiannual sampling event in July 2005, monitoring wells 42-05, 42-07, 42-10, 42-11, and 42-12 were sampled for BTEX. Analytical results showed no detectable BTEX concentrations in wells 42-05 and 42-12. BTEX compounds were present in wells 42-10 and 42-11. Free product was encountered in the former tank pit well 42-07 with a measured thickness of 0.6 feet. A ground-water sample was not collected from well 42-07 during this event. The benzene concentrations in the down gradient wells 42-10, and 42-11 remain below the ACL of 556 µg/L. Figure 4 shows the variation in benzene concentrations in ground water for all the wells.

As recommended in the First Annual Monitoring Only Report, PAH analysis was discontinued for the site beginning with the third semiannual sampling event in July 1999.

The closest surface water bodies are a drainage ditch and Peacock Creek located at 700 feet and 7500 feet, respectively, down gradient from the site. Previous and current analytical results indicate that the storm drain is not impacted by benzene in ground water above the IWQS of 71.28 µg/L. Thus, the distance from the nearest contaminant plume to downgradient surface water or utility trenches was considered to be less than or equal to 500 feet in the site ranking form.

**IV. SITE RANKING** (Note: re-rank site after each monitoring event)  
(Appendix IV: Site Ranking Form)

*Environmental Site Sensitivity Score:* 25,750 (June 1998 – First Semiannual Monitoring Event)  
25,750 (Jan. 1999 – Second Semiannual Monitoring Event)  
3250 (July 1999 – Third Semiannual Monitoring Event)  
3250 (Jan. 2000 – Fourth Semiannual Monitoring Event)  
51,000 (July 2005 – Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event)

**V. CONCLUSIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS**

*Provide justification of no-further-action-required (NFAR) recommendation or briefly discuss future monitoring plans for this site.*

Recommended future action will include free product removal at well 42-07 and the monitoring-only program at this site will be continued.

The Monitoring Only plan will be conducted in accordance with Section III.D of the CAP-Part B Report (SAIC 1998a) and approved by GA EPD USTMP in correspondence dated August 15, 1998 (Logan 1998).

**VI. REIMBURSEMENT**  
(Appendix V: Reimbursement Application)

Attached \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  X

Fort Stewart is a federally owned facility and has funded the investigation for the former USTs 208 & 209 site, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036, using Department of Defense Environmental Restoration Account Funds. Application for Georgia Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund reimbursement is not being pursued at this time.



**APPENDIX I**  
**REPORT FIGURES**

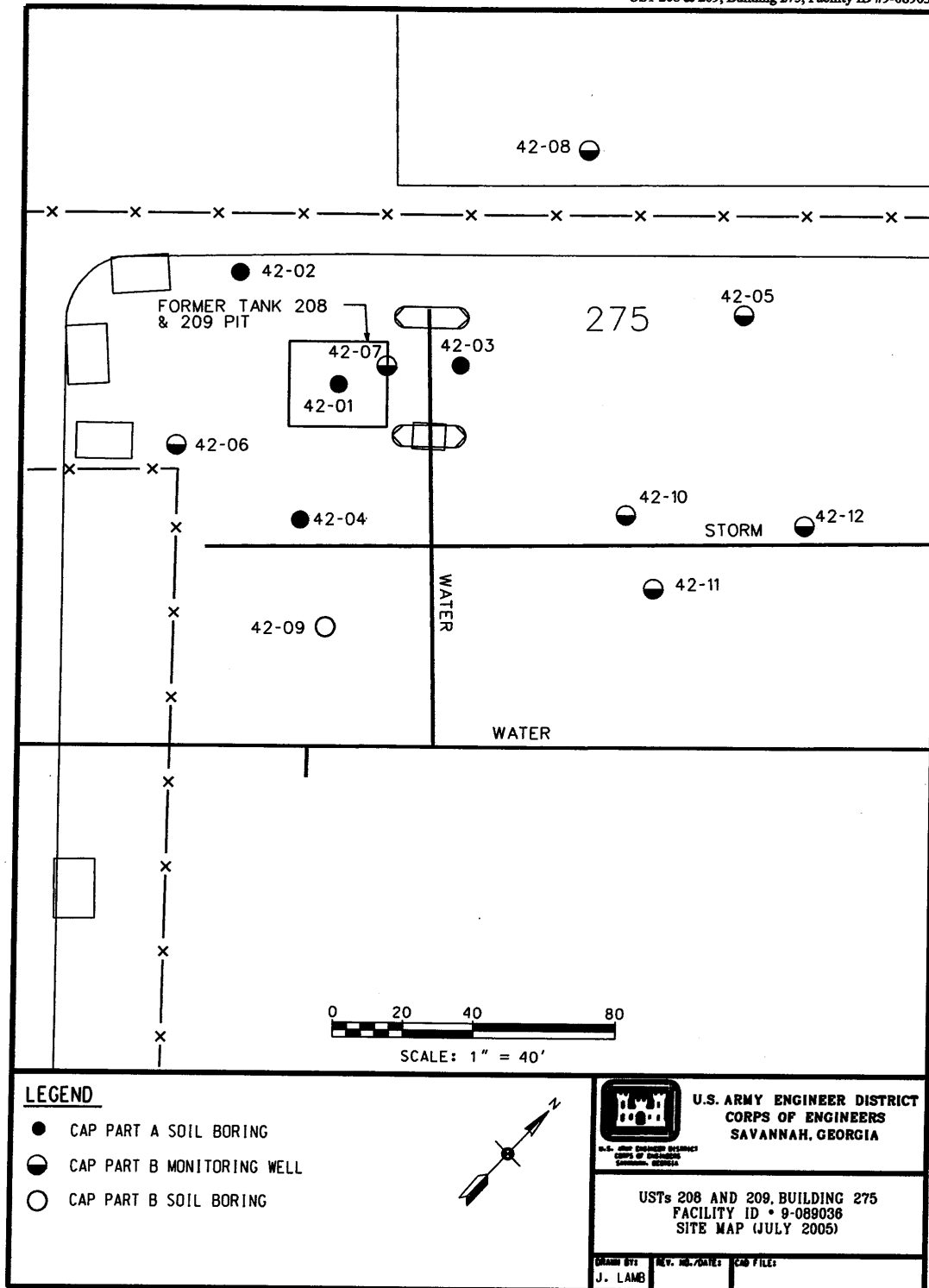


Figure 1

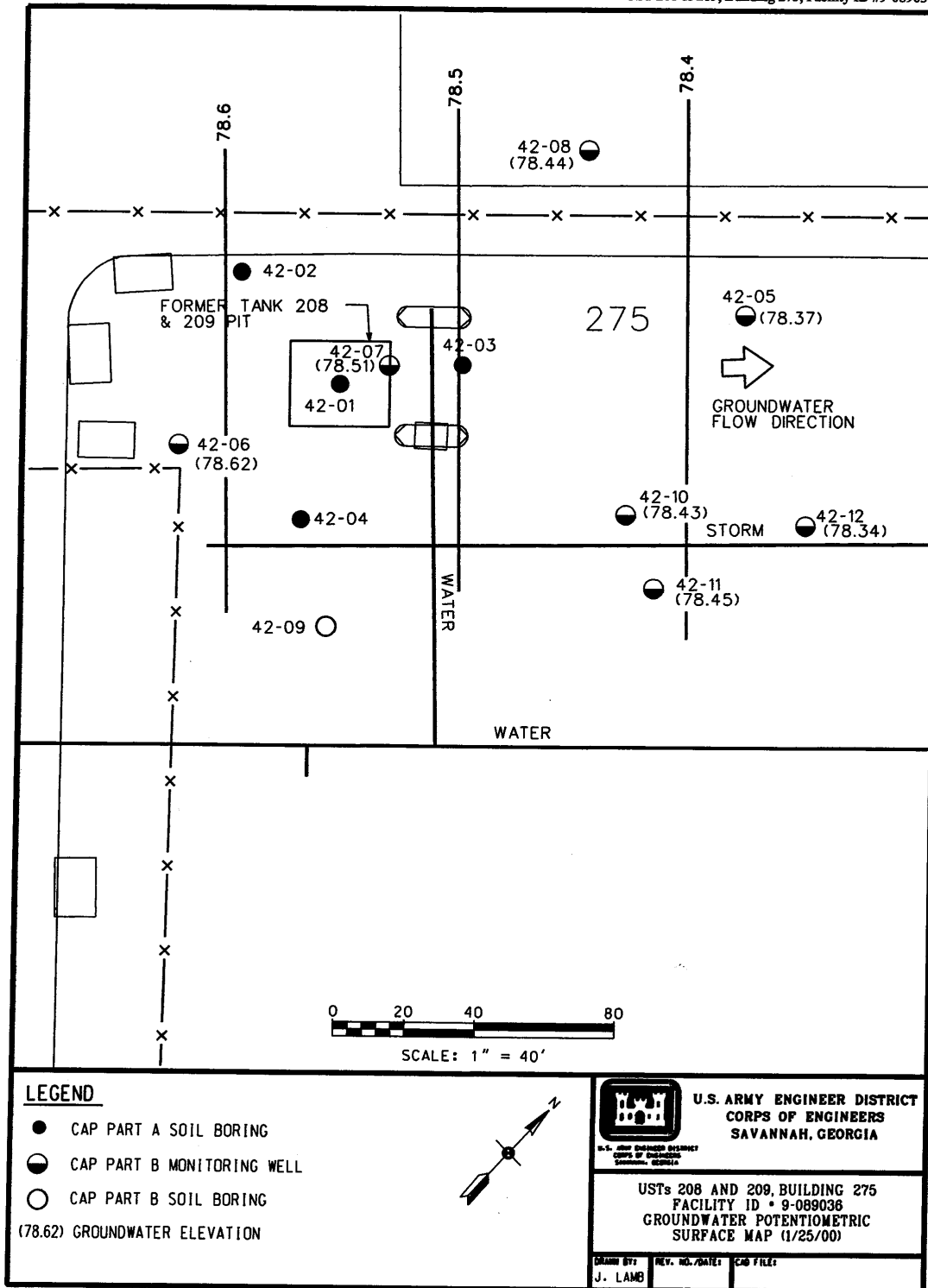


Figure 2a.

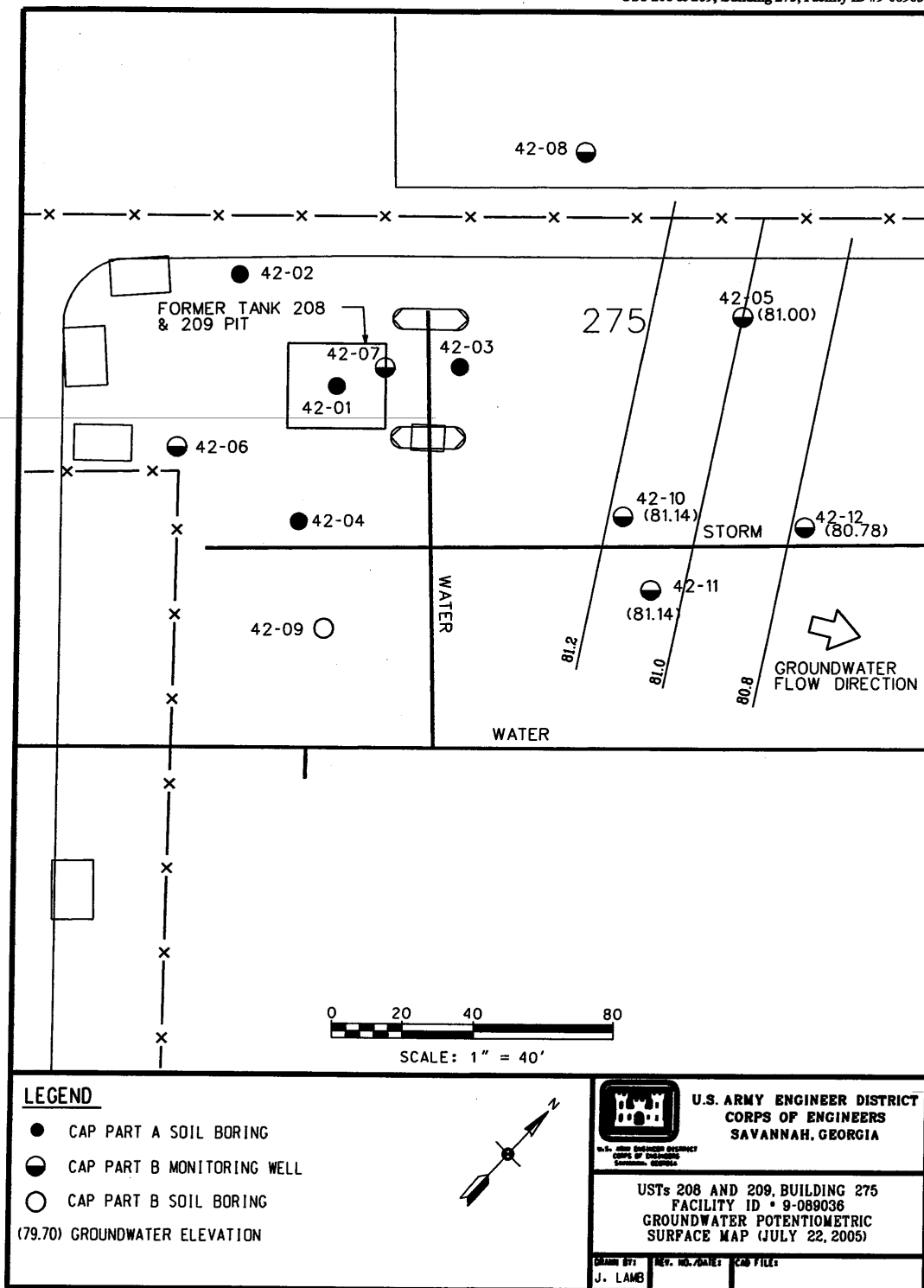


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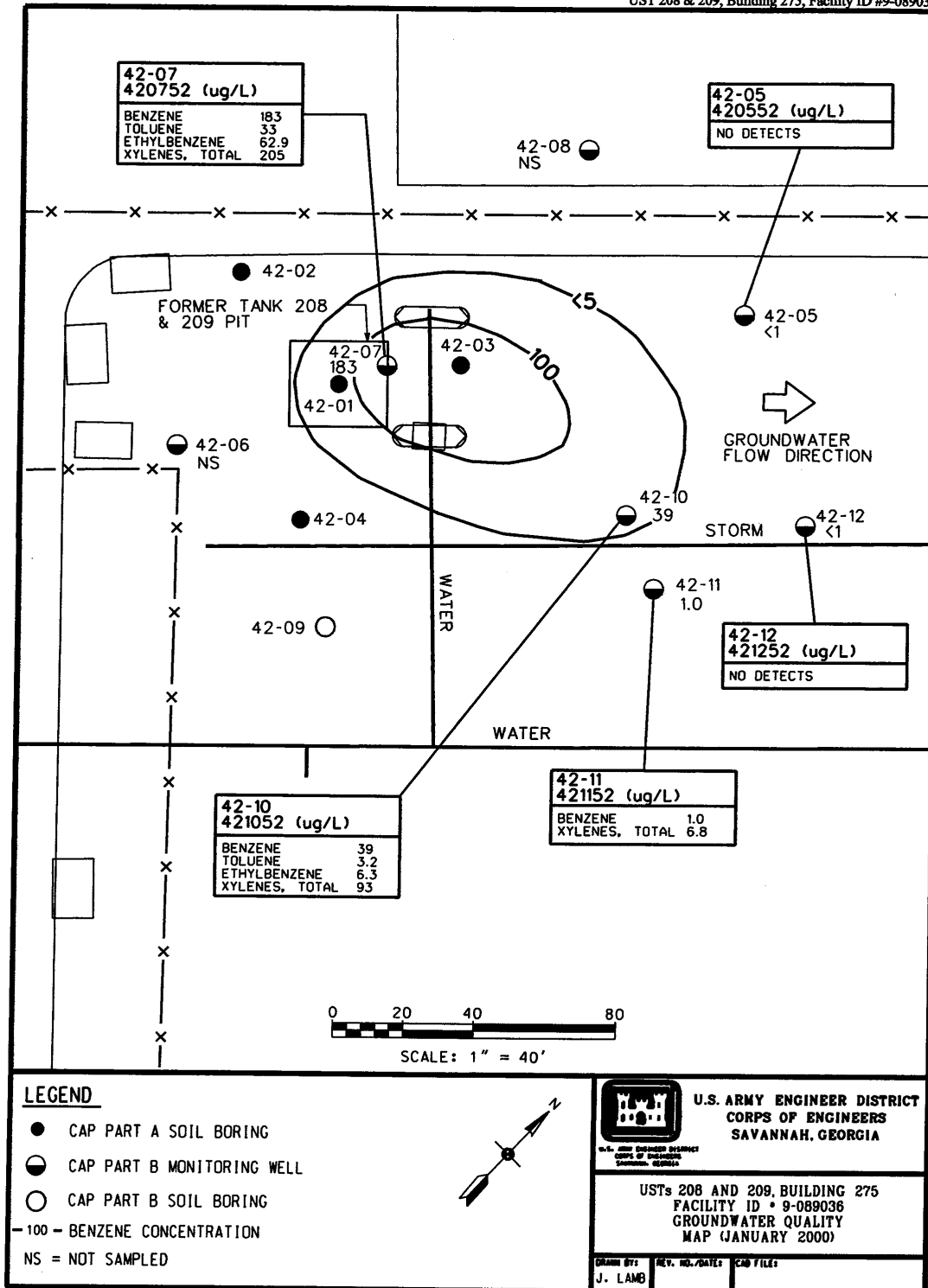


Figure 3a

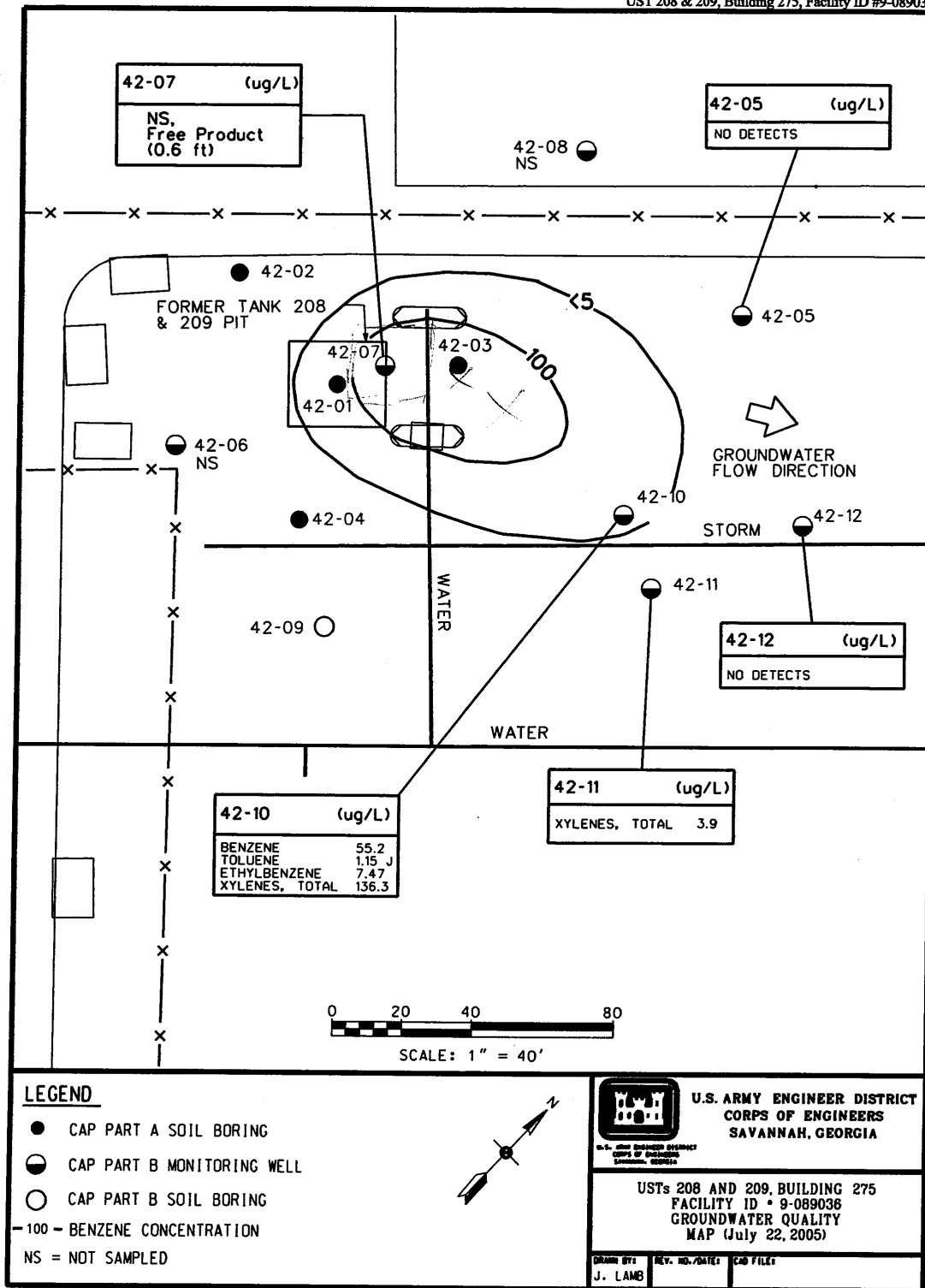
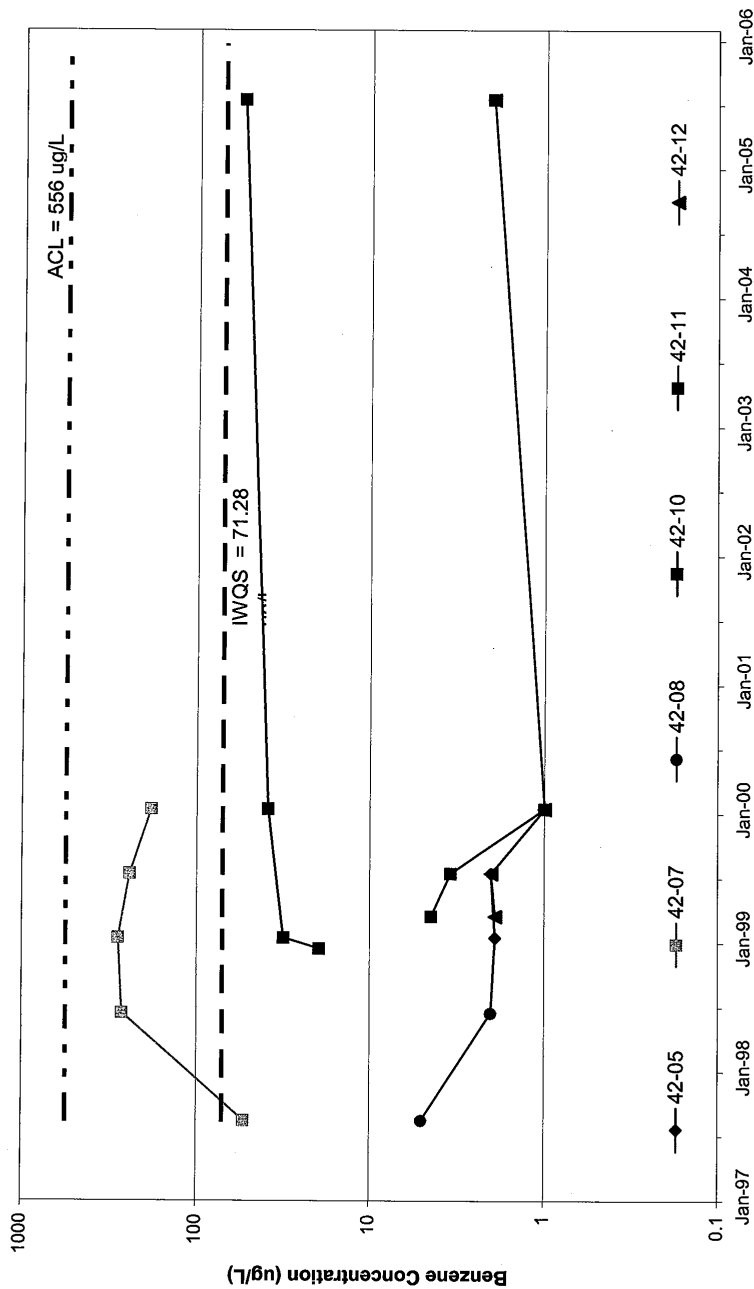


Figure 3b

# **Benzene concentrations versus time in groundwater at the USTs 208 & 209 Site**



NOTE: The detection limit was 5 ug/L in August 1997, 2 ug/L from December 1997 to July 1999, 1 ug/L during January 2000 and 2 in July 2005. Well 42-08 was not sampled. Well 42-07 was not sampled, measured free product.

Figure 4. Trend of Benzene Concentrations

**APPENDIX II**  
**REPORT TABLES**



Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event  
USTs 208 and 209, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036

**Table 1. Groundwater Elevations**

Well Number	Date of Measurement	Top of Casing Elevation (ft AMSL)	Screened Interval (ft BGS)	Depth of Free Product (ft BTOC)	Water Depth (ft BTOC)	Product Thickness (feet)	Corrected Groundwater Elevation (ft AMSL)
<i>First Semiannual Monitoring Event – July 1998</i>							
42-05	7/21/1998	85.16	4.0 – 14.0		6.34		78.82
42-06	7/21/1998	83.42	4.0 – 11.0		4.44		78.98
42-07	7/21/1998	84.47	3.5 – 13.5		5.55		78.92
42-08	7/21/1998	83.36	3.8 – 13.8		4.47		78.79
<i>Second Semiannual Monitoring Event – March 1999</i>							
42-05	3/11/1999	85.16	4.0 – 14.0		5.72		79.44
42-06	3/11/1999	83.42	4.0 – 11.0		3.86		79.56
42-07	3/11/1999	84.47	3.5 – 13.5		5.5		78.97
42-08	3/11/1999	83.36	3.8 – 13.8		3.87		79.49
42-10	3/11/1999	84.55	2.2 – 12.2		5.19		79.36
42-11	3/11/1999	84.55	3.3 – 13.3		5.19		79.36
42-12	3/11/1999	84.78	3.3 – 13.3		5.5		79.28
<i>Third Semiannual Monitoring Event – August 1999</i>							
42-05	8/24/1999	85.16	4.0 – 14.0		4.97		80.19
42-06	8/24/1999	83.42	4.0 – 11.0		2.92		80.5
42-07	8/24/1999	84.47	3.5 – 13.5		4.13		80.34
42-08	8/24/1999	83.36	3.8 – 13.8		3.04		80.32
42-10	8/24/1999	84.55	2.2 – 12.2		4.43		80.12
42-11	8/24/1999	84.55	3.3 – 13.3		4.42		80.13
42-12	8/24/1999	84.78	3.3 – 13.3		4.7		80.08
<i>Fourth Semiannual Monitoring Event – January 2000</i>							
42-05	1/25/2000	85.16	4.0 – 14.0		6.79		78.37
42-06	1/25/2000	83.42	4.0 – 11.0		4.8		78.62
42-07	1/25/2000	84.47	3.5 – 13.5		5.96		78.51
42-08	1/25/2000	83.36	3.8 – 13.8		4.92		78.44
42-10	1/25/2000	84.55	2.2 – 12.2		6.12		78.43
42-11	1/25/2000	84.55	3.3 – 13.3		6.1		78.45
42-12	1/25/2000	84.78	3.3 – 13.3		6.44		78.34
<i>Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event – July 2005</i>							
42-05	7/22/2005	85.16	4.0 – 14.0		4.16		81.0
42-07	7/22/2005	84.47	3.5 – 13.5		4.15		80.87
42-10	7/22/2005	84.55	2.2 – 12.2		3.41		81.14
42-11	7/22/2005	84.55	3.3 – 13.3		3.41		81.14
42-12	7/22/2005	84.78	3.3 – 13.3		4.00		80.78

**NOTE:**

AMSL above mean sea level  
BGS below ground surface  
BTOC below top casing

Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event  
USTs 208 and 209, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036

Table 2. Groundwater Analytical Results

Sample Location	Sample ID	Date Sampled	Benzene (µg/L)	Toluene (µg/L)	Ethylbenzene (µg/L)	Xylenes (µg/L)	Naphthalene (µg/L)	MTBE (µg/L)	Total BTEX (µg/L)	Total PAH (µg/L)
<b>First Semiannual Monitoring Event – June 1998</b>										
42-05	420522	6/30/1998	2 U	2 U	2 U	6 U	NA	NA	ND	ND
42-07	420722	6/30/1998	<b>267 =</b>	56.6 J	120 J	143 J	NA	NA	586.6	218.7
42-08	420822	6/30/1998	2 U	2 U	2 U	6 U	NA	NA	ND	ND
<b>Second Semiannual Monitoring Event – January 1999</b>										
42-05	420532	1/10/1999	1.9 J	4.8 =	1.9 J	8.8 =	NA	NA	17.4	ND
42-07	420732	1/10/1999	<b>281 =</b>	61.1 =	94.7 =	260 =	NA	NA	696.8	109
42-10	421032	1/10/1999	31.7 =	3.7 U	3.2 =	71.9 =	NA	NA	106.8	20.3
<b>Third Semiannual Monitoring Event – July 1999</b>										
42-05	420542	7/9/1999	2 U	0.61 J	2 U	6 U	NA	NA	0.61	NA
42-07	420742	7/11/1999	<b>242 =</b>	35.4 =	73.2 =	178 =	NA	NA	528.6	NA
42-11	421142	7/9/1999	3.4 =	2 U	2 U	9.5 =	NA	NA	12.9	NA
42-12	421242	7/9/1999	2 U	2 U	2 U	6 U	NA	NA	ND	NA
<b>Fourth Semiannual Monitoring Event – January 2000</b>										
42-05	420552	1/26/2000	1 U	1 U	1 U	3 U	NA	NA	ND	NA
42-07	420752	1/26/2000	<b>183 =</b>	33 =	62.9 =	205 =	NA	NA	483.9	NA
42-10	421052	1/26/2000	39 =	3.2 =	6.3 =	93 =	NA	NA	111.5	NA
42-11	421152	1/26/2000	1 =	1 U	1 U	6.8 =	NA	NA	6.8	NA
42-12	421252	1/26/2000	1 U	1 U	1 U	3 U	NA	NA	ND	NA
<b>Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event – July 2005</b>										
42-05	732704	7/22/2005	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	ND	NA
42-07	-	7/22/2005	<b>FREE PRODUCT</b>							
42-10	732707	7/22/2005	55.2 =	1.4 J	6.41 J	136.1 =	79.9 =	79.8 =	199.11	NA
42-11	732708	7/22/2005	2 U	2 U	2 U	3.88 =	9.86 =	9.94 =	3.88	NA
42-12	732706	7/22/2005	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	2 U	ND	NA
In-Stream Water Quality Standards (GA EPD Chapter 391-3-6)			71.28	200,000	28,718	NRC			NRC	NRC
Alternate Concentration Limits			556	1.56E+06	2.24E+05	-			-	-

NOTE:

**Bold** values exceed the IWQS  
*Italics* exceed the ACL  
 BTEX Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene  
 BGS Below ground surface  
 ND Not detected  
 NRC No regulatory criteria  
 PAH Polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbon

Laboratory Qualifiers:

U Indicates the compound was not detected at the concentration reported.  
 UJ Indicates that the compound was not detected above an approximated sample quantitation limit.  
 J Indicates the value for the compound is an estimated value.  
 = Indicates the compound was detected at the concentration reported.



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GROUND WATER  
FIELD DATA LOG

1. CLIENT: Ft. Stewart  
DATE: 7-22-05 TIME: 1350  
SAMPLED BY: Steve Widincamp & Horace Cooper  
WEATHER CONDITIONS: Cloudy, 99° F

Location: Ft. Stewart UST 208-209

Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-5-7-05

PRESERVATIVE: Ice, HCL

ANALYSES REQUESTED: VOC's

# OF CONTAINERS: 9

SAMPLING METHOD: ☐ Peristaltic Pump

☒ Bladder Pump

LOW FLOW: ☒ YES ☒ NO

SAMPLES FILTERED: ☐ YES ☒ NO

DUPLICATE SAMPLE: ☒ YES ☐ NO

2. WATER LEVEL DATA

MEASURING POINT: ☒ Top of casing ☐ Other:

METHOD OF MEASUREMENT: Water Level Indicator

3. WELL EVACUATION DATA

Well Depth (wd): 15.00 (ft)

Diameter (d): 0.167 (ft)

Depth to Water (dw): 4.16 (ft)

Well Volume =  $(5.904 \times d^2 (wd-dw)) = 1.785$  (gallons)

Flow Rate : 500 (ml/min)

Length of Time Purged: 30 (minutes)

Purge Start Time: 1320

Amount Purged= 3.9 (gallons)

4. FIELD PARAMETERS

INSTRUMENT	CALIBRATED
pH Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Conductivity Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Temperature - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Turbidity Meter - Hach 2100 P	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DO Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ORP Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CO <sub>2</sub> - Hach Digital Titrator	<input type="checkbox"/>

Time	1335	1340	1350			
pH	5.34	5.35	5.34			
Sp. Cond ( $\mu$ S)	186.0	186.0	186.1			
Temp. °C	30.0	30.0	30.0			
Turbidity	178	179	183			
DO	2.99	2.99	2.89			
ORP	44	43	45			

5. COMMENTS

Water had a yellow tint.

Duplicate sample taken @ 1330. (UST-208-209-DUP1-7-05)

MS/MSD taken.



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GROUND WATER  
FIELD DATA LOG

1. CLIENT: Ft. Stewart  
DATE: 7-22-05 TIME: 1440  
SAMPLED BY: Steve Widincamp & Horace Cooper  
WEATHER CONDITIONS: Sunny, 101° F

Location: Ft. Stewart UST 208-209

Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-12-7-05

PRESERVATIVE: Ice, HCL

ANALYSES REQUESTED: VOC's

# OF CONTAINERS: 3

SAMPLING METHOD: ☐ Peristaltic Pump  
☒ Bladder Pump

LOW FLOW: ☒ YES ☐ NO

SAMPLES FILTERED: ☐ YES ☒ NO

DUPLICATE SAMPLE: ☐ YES ☒ NO

2. WATER LEVEL DATA

MEASURING POINT: ☒ Top of casing ☐ Other:

METHOD OF MEASUREMENT: Water Level Indicator

3. WELL EVACUATION DATA

Well Depth (wd): 13.50 (ft)

Diameter (d): 0.167 (ft)

Depth to Water (dw): 4.00 (ft)

Well Volume =  $(5.904 \times d^2 (wd-dw)) = 1.564$  (gallons)

Flow Rate: 500 (ml/min)

Length of Time Purged: 37 (minutes)

Purge Start Time: 1403

Amount Purged= 4.8 (gallons)

4. FIELD PARAMETERS

INSTRUMENT	CALIBRATED
pH Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Conductivity Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Temperature - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Turbidity Meter - Hach 2100 P	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DO Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ORP Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CO <sub>2</sub> - Hach Digital Titrator	<input type="checkbox"/>

Time	1420	1430	1440			
pH	5.11	5.09	5.09			
Sp. Cond ( <sub>us</sub> )	113.2	111.1	110.1			
Temp. °C	30.1	30.0	30.0			
Turbidity	829	>1000	>1000			
DO	33	34	35			
ORP	1.22	1.20	1.24			

5. COMMENTS

Turbidity got worse as well was purged.



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GROUND WATER  
FIELD DATA LOG

1. CLIENT: Ft. Stewart  
DATE: 7-22-05 TIME: 1456  
SAMPLED BY: Steve Widincamp & Horace Cooper  
WEATHER CONDITIONS: Sunny, 101° F

Location: Ft. Stewart UST 208-209

Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-10-7-05

PRESERVATIVE: Ice, HCL

ANALYSES REQUESTED: VOC's

# OF CONTAINERS: 3

SAMPLING METHOD: ☒ Peristaltic Pump  
☐ Bladder Pump

LOW FLOW: ☐ YES ☒ NO

SAMPLES FILTERED: ☐ YES ☒ NO

DUPLICATE SAMPLE: ☐ YES ☒ NO

2. WATER LEVEL DATA

MEASURING POINT: ☒ Top of casing ☐ Other:

METHOD OF MEASUREMENT: Water Level Indicator

3. WELL EVACUATION DATA

Well Depth (wd): 13.55 (ft) Diameter (d): 0.167 (ft)

Depth to Water (dw): 3.41 (ft)

Well Volume =  $(5.904 \times d^2 (wd-dw)) = 1.670$  (gallons)

Flow Rate : N/A (ml/min)

Length of Time Purged: 49 (minutes) Purge Start Time: 1407

Amount Purged= 7.0 (gallons)

4. FIELD PARAMETERS

INSTRUMENT	CALIBRATED
pH Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Conductivity Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Temperature - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Turbidity Meter - Hach 2100 P	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DO Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ORP Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CO <sub>2</sub> - Hach Digital Titrator	<input type="checkbox"/>

Time	1450	1453	1456			
pH	4.44	4.43	4.41			
Sp. Cond (µS)	103.9	103.7	103.7			
Temp. °C	29.6	29.5	29.6			
Turbidity	482	464	472			
DO	0.70	0.60	0.53			
ORP	150	149	148			

5. COMMENTS

Turbidity got worse as well was purged.



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GROUND WATER  
FIELD DATA LOG

1. CLIENT: Ft. Stewart  
DATE: 7-22-05 TIME: 1525  
SAMPLED BY: Steve Widincamp & Horace Cooper  
WEATHER CONDITIONS: Sunny, 101° F

Location: Ft. Stewart UST 208-209

Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-11-7-05

PRESERVATIVE: Ice, HCL

ANALYSES REQUESTED: VOC's

# OF CONTAINERS: 3

SAMPLING METHOD: ☐ Peristaltic Pump

☒ Bladder Pump

LOW FLOW: ☒ YES ☐ NO

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Flow Rate : 500 (ml/min)

Length of Time Purged: 35 (minutes) Purge Start Time: 1450

Amount Purged= 4.6 (gallons)

4. FIELD PARAMETERS

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pH Meter - Hydrolab Minisonde 4a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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CO <sub>2</sub> - Hach Digital Titrator	<input type="checkbox"/>

Time	1505	1513	1515	1525		
pH	4.37	4.23	4.21	4.20		
Sp.Cond (µS)	111.5	102.7	101.8	100.3		
Temp. °C	28.4	28.2	28.0	28.0		
Turbidity	>1000	>1000	>1000	>1000		
DO	1.82	1.73	1.72	1.72		
ORP	130	142	142	142		

5. COMMENTS

Blank taken @ 1600. (UST-208-209-BLK1-7-05)

**APPENDIX III**  
**LABORATORY ANALYTICAL RESULTS**



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8. LCS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)
9. LCSD (when applicable) Recoveries and RPD Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)

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10. MS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents); and
11. MSD Recoveries and RPD Summary (EPA CLP Form-3 equivalents)
12. Post Digestion Spike (PDS) study Results, when applicable (EPA Form-1 equivalents)
13. Serial Dilution (SD) study Results, when applicable (EPA Form-1 equivalents)
14. PDS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)
15. RPD for SD results, when applicable (EPA Form-3 equivalents)

### **Sample Result Forms**

Sample results are shown on modified CLP Form 1 equivalents with the following qualifiers:

U = Not detected or detected below method detection limit (MDL) or reliable detection limit (RDL).

J = Detected above MDL or RDL but below the method quantitation limit (MQL).

J = RPD >40% between primary and confirmation column results for GC and HPLC methods.

E = Detected at levels in excess of the upper calibration limit.

R = Rejected due to significant QA outliers.

MDLs, and MQLs have been adjusted for sample weight or volume, dilution, and percent solids, when applicable. Quantitative results for analytes detected in the sample (positive results) are shown under the column labeled "Result". Results coded with the qualifier E should not be used unless additional analyses were unavailable due to other limitations. Data coded as E should not be compared to other data since non-linearity in calibration may be a severe problem for some analytes.

MDL=Method Detection Limit (Lowest amount that can be reported as positive based on statistical considerations).

LLR = Lowest Level for reporting ( $MDL < LLR < MQL$ ). This is the lowest amount that AML reports as positive on a routine basis. The LLR is typically one half of the MQL in our laboratories. However, it can be as low as the MDL and it equals MDL for some parameters. The center of excellence (CX) at Omaha has been pushing the laboratories to use "RDL or Reliable detection limit" as the equivalent of LLR. However, RDL is defined as two times the MDL, which makes it very difficult for the laboratories to use this term.

MQL=Method Quantitation Limit. It is the lowest point on our calibration curve. It is the equivalent of the reporting limit (RL) and/or practical quantitation limit (PQL) used by most laboratories. The term "Reporting Limit" has become meaningless since the laboratories are required to report results below this limit as an estimated result with a "J" flag).

Multiple sample result forms may be provided for one or more of the following reasons, if in the professional judgment of the laboratory that sample results for a given compound may be more accurate from one of the multiple analyses:

Sample was reanalyzed for surrogate recovery outliers;

Sample was reanalyzed at a dilution;

One of the analyses was performed outside holding times; and

A replicate analysis was performed for internal quality control purposes

#### **QC Association Forms**

The list consisting of MB, LCS, LCSD (if any), MS (whenever available), MSD (whenever available), and field samples associated with each QC batch are shown on QC Association Forms, which are CLP Form-4 equivalents. Additional items such as PDS, SD (and CCAL) may be included for some parameters. Separate forms are included for each QC batch for each matrix and fraction. The QC batch numbers shown on these reports are based on LIMS.

#### **Surrogate Recovery Forms (when applicable)**

A summary of the system monitoring compound recoveries for organic analyses is included in this section. EPA CLP Form 2 equivalents are used to report surrogate recoveries. The QC limits from the Department of Defense Quality Systems Manual for Environmental Laboratories, Final Version 2, June 2002 (DoD QSM) is used with the exception of VOCs since limits are incomplete for all the surrogates in soil. The QC limits from USACE EM 200-1-3, Appendix I (Shell) are used for VOCs. The Shell document requires limits for controlled matrices (MB, LCS, and LCSD) to be tighter than those for actual matrix samples (MS, MSD, and samples). Corrective action involving re-extraction and/or reanalysis is performed for samples that exceed the surrogate QC limits. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project and test-specific requirements are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Method Blank Result Forms**

Laboratory method blank samples were analyzed with each QC batch as described in the QC Association Form. Analytical results for method blanks are shown on CLP Form 1 equivalents. They include data for all target compounds/analytes and surrogates. The MB amount should not exceed one half of the applicable MQL for each target analyte with the exception of common laboratory contaminants. The source of contamination is investigated, corrected, and reanalysis performed whenever possible if the blank contamination above one half of the MQL exceeds 1/10 of the specified regulatory limit and/or the measured concentration of any sample in the associated QC sample batch. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) Report Forms**

Laboratory control samples were analyzed with each QC batch as described in the QC Association Form. LCS results of these QC analyses are shown in CLP Form 1. LCS recoveries and RPDs for duplicates (if performed) are shown on EPA Form-3 equivalents. The laboratory statistical control (3-sigma) and marginal (4-sigma) exceedence (ME) limits are compared periodically with QC limits from DoD QSM, which are used as default limits in this report. When the 3-sigma control limit is exceeded for any analyte, associated data is flagged "ME" and 4-sigma ME limits are applied automatically. The total number of method analytes, and the number of ME analytes are tracked and compared against the number allowed per DoD QSM. This information is also provided at the bottom of each Form-3 report. Analytes with LCS recoveries that exceed the 4-sigma limits are

flagged ME\* and reanalysis will be required for the affected analyte if it is a contaminant of concern. If the number of marginal exceedences are greater than those allowed by DoD QSM, reanalysis of the affected QC batch is performed. The relative percent difference (RPDs) for the LCS duplicates, a voluntary laboratory QC parameter is also computed to track in-house precision and provided on Form-3 reports for duplicates. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate Recoveries Report Forms**

The MS/MSD results are shown in EPA CLP Form-1 equivalents. See section on LCS for additional details. The RPDs for MS duplicates that are outside the applicable QC limits are flagged with an asterisk (\*). The effect of matrix is taken into account in determining corrective action procedures based on MS and MSD results, recoveries, and RPD. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Calibration**

Instruments were calibrated in accordance with applicable method. Deviations are shown in parameter-specific case narratives. Copies of initial calibration and calibration verification summaries and associated raw data will be maintained in project files and made available for detailed client review, if necessary.

#### **Test Methods and Holding Times**

Analyses were performed within applicable holding times except as noted in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Batch-specific Quality Control Procedures**

Quality control data from method blanks and laboratory control samples are used as batch QC elements. In accordance with EPA, USACE, and DoD guidelines, QC data from matrix spikes are used as matrix-specific QC elements and QC data from surrogates, internal standard areas, etc. are used as sample-specific QC elements. When the batch QC elements are outside their QC limits, results for associated samples are evaluated and corrective actions that affect the entire sample set are performed. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Matrix-specific or Sample-specific Quality Control Procedures**

Sample concentrations exceeding the upper calibration limit, surrogate recoveries outside the QC limits, calibration parameters (e.g. ICAL, CALV, ICV, CCV, ICB, CCB, etc.) not within QC limits, etc. are used as sample-specific and/or sample-group specific QC elements for one or more associated samples during instrumental analysis. Serial dilution, standard addition, MS recoveries, etc. are used as matrix-specific QC elements for one or more associated samples. When these QC elements are outside their QC limits, associated individual sample results are evaluated and appropriate corrective actions are performed. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

### **Manual Integration**

Manual integration operations that have potential to improve accuracy of analysis are performed, as necessary (shown with a "M" flag on raw data) based on visual inspection of peak shapes for each target analyte. Such operations are technically defensible and they are not aimed at meeting the minimum technical requirements of the analytical procedure.

### **Statement**

To the best of our knowledge, this data package is in compliance with the terms and conditions of the contract/purchase order/delivery order/task order as applicable, both technically and for completeness, for other than the conditions detailed in this case narrative. The quality assurance manager or his designee, as verified by the signature on the cover letter has authorized release of data contained in this report. In accordance with NELAP guidelines and our certificate (No. E-10254) requirements, this report has been paginated and it may not be reproduced for distribution, except in full, without written approval from Analytical Management Laboratories.

### **VOCs Analysis**

Calibration and sample analyses were performed using GC/MS by SW-846 Method 8260B. The BFB tune criteria were met for the analyses. Corrective actions were attempted in response to QC outliers requiring such action as described below. When corrective actions were not successful, data released by the laboratory may require qualification for usability in accordance with client procedures and project requirements.

### **Initial Calibration (ICAL) -Water**

Six-point initial calibration (2- $\mu\text{g/L}$  to 60- $\mu\text{g/L}$ ) was employed. The response factors for the SPCC compounds and the %RSDs for the CCC compounds were within method QC limits for the ICAL. The %RSDs for the mean response factor of the target compounds were within QC limits (15% desirable and 30% maximum) for a vast majority of the target compounds. The response factor method was employed for quantitation with linear/non-linear regression methods for a small subset of target compounds that did not meet the recommended 15% RSD criterion. Acceptable initial calibrations were not obtained for the following compounds, which were detected in project samples: None.

### **Initial Calibration Verification (ICV)**

A second source standard was employed for the ICV. The QC recovery limits are 80% to 120% for both aqueous and soil samples. There is no allowance for any outliers.

### **Continuing Calibration Verification (CCVs)**

A same source standard was employed for the CCV. The instrument tune and response factors for the SPCC compounds and the %RSDs for the CCC compounds were within method QC limits for the CCVs. Acceptable CCVs were not obtained for the following compounds, which were detected in project samples: None.

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**Method Blank**

No significant anomalies were noted with the exception of the random detection of common laboratory contaminants.

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

**Surrogate Recoveries**

Four SW-846 Method 8260B surrogates were employed. The recoveries for all four surrogates should be within QC limits for acceptability of the data. The USACE Shell limits are applied for environmental samples (70-130 for all samples, MS, and MSD) and interference-free matrices (80-120 for water and 75-125 for soil MB, LCS, and LCSD). Samples exceeding QC limits are re-analyzed using dilution, if necessary. Surrogate recoveries were within QC limits for the project samples with the following exception(s):

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

**Laboratory Control Sample Recoveries**

The DoD QSM LCS control and marginal exceedence limits are listed in the LCS/LCSD recovery form for aqueous and soil samples. The statistically allowable number of sporadic marginal failures (SMFs) or marginal exceedences (ME) based on the number of target compounds for this method is 3. Expanded SMF QC limits are applicable for the SMF compounds. Compounds that may have recoveries outside the QC limits in the LCS may be within the QC limits in the LCSD. QC outliers requiring corrective action:

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

**Matrix Spike Recoveries**

Additional sample vials were collected for matrix spike analysis on two project samples (169701 and 169711). The DoD QSM QC control and marginal exceedence limits are listed in the MS/MSD recovery form for aqueous and soil samples. Expanded SMF QC limits are applicable for the 3 allowable SMF compounds. Compounds that may have recoveries outside the QC limits in the MS may be within the QC limits in MSD.

QC outliers requiring corrective action:

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Matrix Spike Duplicates**

The %RPD for matrix spike duplicate results are calculated to assess precision.

QC outliers requiring corrective action:

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Internal Standard Areas and Retention Times**

Three SW-846 internal standard (IS) are used for calibration and analysis.

Internal standard (IS) areas for the associated samples  $\pm 50\%$  of the areas observed for the ICV, beginning CCV, or the mid-point of the ICAL for all three internal standards. The IS retention times for the associated samples should also be within QC limits ( $\pm 30$ -seconds of those for the nearest CCV). Samples exceeding QC limits are re-analyzed using dilution, if necessary. QC outliers requiring corrective action:

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: None.

QC Batch 2667: None.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Project Samples:**

QC Batch 2665: None.

QC Batch 2666: Sample -11 required dilution due to analytes exceeding the upper linear calibration range of the instrument. The dilution can be found in Batch 2668.

QC Batch 2667: Samples -17 and -18 required dilution due to analytes exceeding the upper linear calibration range of the instrument. The dilutions can be found in Batch 2687.

QC Batch 2668: None.

QC Batch 2687: None.



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Sampler's Signature: St. Waters

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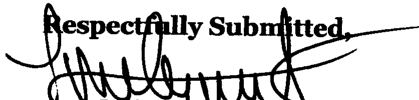
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7. MS duplicate (MSD) Results (EPA CLP Form-1 equivalents)
8. LCS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)
9. LCSD (when applicable) Recoveries and RPD Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)

RRR2

10. MS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents); and
11. MSD Recoveries and RPD Summary (EPA CLP Form-3 equivalents)
12. Post Digestion Spike (PDS) study Results, when applicable (EPA Form-1 equivalents)
13. Serial Dilution (SD) study Results, when applicable (EPA Form-1 equivalents)
14. PDS Recoveries Summary (EPA Form-3 equivalents)
15. RPD for SD results, when applicable (EPA Form-3 equivalents)

### **Sample Result Forms**

Sample results are shown on modified CLP Form 1 equivalents with the following qualifiers:

U = Not detected or detected below method detection limit (MDL) or reliable detection limit (RDL).

J = Detected above MDL or RDL but below the method quantitation limit (MQL).

J = RPD >40% between primary and confirmation column results for GC and HPLC methods.

E = Detected at levels in excess of the upper calibration limit.

R = Rejected due to significant QA outliers.

MDLs, and MQLs have been adjusted for sample weight or volume, dilution, and percent solids, when applicable. Quantitative results for analytes detected in the sample (positive results) are shown under the column labeled "Result". Results coded with the qualifier E should not be used unless additional analyses were unavailable due to other limitations. Data coded as E should not be compared to other data since non-linearity in calibration may be a severe problem for some analytes.

MDL=Method Detection Limit (Lowest amount that can be reported as positive based on statistical considerations).

LLR = Lowest Level for reporting ( $MDL < LLR < MQL$ ). This is the lowest amount that AML reports as positive on a routine basis. The LLR is typically one half of the MQL in our laboratories. However, it can be as low as the MDL and it equals MDL for some parameters. The center of excellence (CX) at Omaha has been pushing the laboratories to use "RDL or Reliable detection limit" as the equivalent of LLR. However, RDL is defined as two times the MDL, which makes it very difficult for the laboratories to use this term.

MQL=Method Quantitation Limit. It is the lowest point on our calibration curve. It is the equivalent of the reporting limit (RL) and/or practical quantitation limit (PQL) used by most laboratories. The term "Reporting Limit" has become meaningless since the laboratories are required to report results below this limit as an estimated result with a "J" flag).

Multiple sample result forms may be provided for one or more of the following reasons, if in the professional judgment of the laboratory that sample results for a given compound may be more accurate from one of the multiple analyses:

Sample was reanalyzed for surrogate recovery outliers;

Sample was reanalyzed at a dilution;

One of the analyses was performed outside holding times; and

RRR3

A replicate analysis was performed for internal quality control purposes

#### **QC Association Forms**

The list consisting of MB, LCS, LCSD (if any), MS (whenever available), MSD (whenever available), and field samples associated with each QC batch are shown on QC Association Forms, which are CLP Form-4 equivalents. Additional items such as PDS, SD (and CCAL) may be included for some parameters. Separate forms are included for each QC batch for each matrix and fraction. The QC batch numbers shown on these reports are based on LIMS.

#### **Surrogate Recovery Forms (when applicable)**

A summary of the system monitoring compound recoveries for organic analyses is included in this section. EPA CLP Form 2 equivalents are used to report surrogate recoveries. The QC limits from the Department of Defense Quality Systems Manual for Environmental Laboratories, Final Version 2, June 2002 (DoD QSM) is used with the exception of VOCs since limits are incomplete for all the surrogates in soil. The QC limits from USACE EM 200-1-3, Appendix I (Shell) are used for VOCs. The Shell document requires limits for controlled matrices (MB, LCS, and LCSD) to be tighter than those for actual matrix samples (MS, MSD, and samples). Corrective action involving re-extraction and/or reanalysis is performed for samples that exceed the surrogate QC limits. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project and test-specific requirements are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Method Blank Result Forms**

Laboratory method blank samples were analyzed with each QC batch as described in the QC Association Form. Analytical results for method blanks are shown on CLP Form 1 equivalents. They include data for all target compounds/analytes and surrogates. The MB amount should not exceed one half of the applicable MQL for each target analyte with the exception of common laboratory contaminants. The source of contamination is investigated, corrected, and reanalysis performed whenever possible if the blank contamination above one half of the MQL exceeds 1/10 of the specified regulatory limit and/or the measured concentration of any sample in the associated QC sample batch. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) Report Forms**

Laboratory control samples were analyzed with each QC batch as described in the QC Association Form. LCS results of these QC analyses are shown in CLP Form 1. LCS recoveries and RPDs for duplicates (if performed) are shown on EPA Form-3 equivalents. The laboratory statistical control (3-sigma) and marginal (4-sigma) exceedence (ME) limits are compared periodically with QC limits from DoD QSM, which are used as default limits in this report. When the 3-sigma control limit is exceeded for any analyte, associated data is flagged "ME" and 4-sigma ME limits are applied automatically. The total number of method analytes, and the number of ME analytes are tracked and compared against the number allowed per DoD QSM. This information is also provided at the bottom of each Form-3 report. Analytes with LCS recoveries that exceed the 4-sigma limits are

flagged ME\* and reanalysis will be required for the affected analyte if it is a contaminant of concern. If the number of marginal exceedences are greater than those allowed by DoD QSM, reanalysis of the affected QC batch is performed. The relative percent difference (RPDs) for the LCS duplicates, a voluntary laboratory QC parameter is also computed to track in-house precision and provided on Form-3 reports for duplicates. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate Recoveries Report Forms**

The MS/MSD results are shown in EPA CLP Form-1 equivalents. See section on LCS for additional details. The RPDs for MS duplicates that are outside the applicable QC limits are flagged with an asterisk (\*). The effect of matrix is taken into account in determining corrective action procedures based on MS and MSD results, recoveries, and RPD. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Calibration**

Instruments were calibrated in accordance with applicable method. Deviations are shown in parameter-specific case narratives. Copies of initial calibration and calibration verification summaries and associated raw data will be maintained in project files and made available for detailed client review, if necessary.

#### **Test Methods and Holding Times**

Analyses were performed within applicable holding times except as noted in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Batch-specific Quality Control Procedures**

Quality control data from method blanks and laboratory control samples are used as batch QC elements. In accordance with EPA, USACE, and DoD guidelines, QC data from matrix spikes are used as matrix-specific QC elements and QC data from surrogates, internal standard areas, etc. are used as sample-specific QC elements. When the batch QC elements are outside their QC limits, results for associated samples are evaluated and corrective actions that affect the entire sample set are performed. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

#### **Matrix-specific or Sample-specific Quality Control Procedures**

Sample concentrations exceeding the upper calibration limit, surrogate recoveries outside the QC limits, calibration parameters (e.g. ICAL, CALV, ICV, CCV, ICB, CCB, etc.) not within QC limits, etc. are used as sample-specific and/or sample-group specific QC elements for one or more associated samples during instrumental analysis. Serial dilution, standard addition, MS recoveries, etc. are used as matrix-specific QC elements for one or more associated samples. When these QC elements are outside their QC limits, associated individual sample results are evaluated and appropriate corrective actions are performed. Specific corrective action procedures employed for this project are described in parameter-specific case narratives.

### **Manual Integration**

Manual integration operations that have potential to improve accuracy of analysis are performed, as necessary (shown with a "M" flag on raw data) based on visual inspection of peak shapes for each target analyte. Such operations are technically defensible and they are not aimed at meeting the minimum technical requirements of the analytical procedure.

### **Statement**

To the best of our knowledge, this data package is in compliance with the terms and conditions of the contract/purchase order/delivery order/task order as applicable, both technically and for completeness, for other than the conditions detailed in this case narrative. The quality assurance manager or his designee, as verified by the signature on the cover letter has authorized release of data contained in this report. In accordance with NELAP guidelines and our certificate (No. E-10254) requirements, this report has been paginated and it may not be reproduced for distribution, except in full, without written approval from Analytical Management Laboratories.

### **VOCs Analysis**

Calibration and sample analyses were performed using GC/MS by SW-846 Method 8260B. The BFB tune criteria were met for the analyses. Corrective actions were attempted in response to QC outliers requiring such action as described below. When corrective actions were not successful, data released by the laboratory may require qualification for usability in accordance with client procedures and project requirements.

### **Initial Calibration (ICAL) -Water**

Six-point initial calibration (2- $\mu$ g/L to 60- $\mu$ g/L) was employed. The response factors for the SPCC compounds and the %RSDs for the CCC compounds were within method QC limits for the ICAL. The %RSDs for the mean response factor of the target compounds were within QC limits (15% desirable and 30% maximum) for a vast majority of the target compounds. The response factor method was employed for quantitation with linear/non-linear regression methods for a small subset of target compounds that did not meet the recommended 15% RSD criterion. Acceptable initial calibrations were not obtained for the following compounds, which were detected in project samples: None.

### **Initial Calibration Verification (ICV)**

A second source standard was employed for the ICV. The QC recovery limits are 80% to 120% for both aqueous and soil samples. There is no allowance for any outliers.

### **Continuing Calibration Verification (CCVs)**

A same source standard was employed for the CCV. The instrument tune and response factors for the SPCC compounds and the %RSDs for the CCC compounds were within method QC limits for the CCVs. Acceptable CCVs were not obtained for the following compounds, which were detected in project samples: None.

END

#### **Method Blank**

No significant anomalies were noted with the exception of the random detection of common laboratory contaminants.

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Surrogate Recoveries**

Four SW-846 Method 8260B surrogates were employed. The recoveries for all four surrogates should be within QC limits for acceptability of the data. The USACE Shell limits are applied for environmental samples (70-130 for all samples, MS, and MSD) and interference-free matrices (80-120 for water and 75-125 for soil MB, LCS, and LCSD). Samples exceeding QC limits are re-analyzed using dilution, if necessary. Surrogate recoveries were within QC limits for the project samples with the following exception(s):

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Laboratory Control Sample Recoveries**

The DoD QSM LCS control and marginal exceedence limits are listed in the LCS/LCSD recovery form for aqueous and soil samples. The statistically allowable number of sporadic marginal failures (SMFs) or marginal exceedences (ME) based on the number of target compounds for this method is 3. Expanded SMF QC limits are applicable for the SMF compounds. Compounds that may have recoveries outside the QC limits in the LCS may be within the QC limits in the LCSD. QC outliers requiring corrective action:

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Matrix Spike Recoveries**

Additional sample vials were collected for matrix spike analysis on two project samples (169701 and 169711). The DoD QSM QC control and marginal exceedence limits are listed in the MS/MSD recovery form for aqueous and soil samples. Expanded SMF QC limits are applicable for the 3 allowable SMF compounds. Compounds that may have recoveries outside the QC limits in the MS may be within the QC limits in MSD.

QC outliers requiring corrective action:

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Matrix Spike Duplicates**

The %RPD for matrix spike duplicate results are calculated to assess precision. QC outliers requiring corrective action:

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

#### **Internal Standard Areas and Retention Times**

Three SW-846 internal standard (IS) are used for calibration and analysis. Internal standard (IS) areas for the associated samples  $\pm 50\%$  of the areas



observed for the ICV, beginning CCV, or the mid-point of the ICAL for all three internal standards. The IS retention times for the associated samples should also be within QC limits ( $\pm 30$ -seconds of those for the nearest CCV). Samples exceeding QC limits are re-analyzed using dilution, if necessary. QC outliers requiring corrective action:

Water - QC Batch 2669: None.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

**Project Samples:**

Water - QC Batch 2669: Benzene was over the initial calibration range in sample 732707. As a corrective action, the sample was reanalyzed at a dilution (1/5) in Batch 2687.

Water - QC Batch 2687: None.

**Field Sample Information**  
(COC, Sample Status and Receipt Report, Sample Condition  
Upon Receipt Report)

**SDG 7327**  
(Sample Delivery Group Number)



### **Chain of Custody Record / Request for Analysis**

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Company Name: USACE

Phone #: (912) 632-5851 Ext.:     

Fax #: (912) 652-5311

Email:

Project Number: 0005

Purchase Order Number:

Project Due Date:

Project Comments:

Sampler's Signature: St. Louis

Analysis/Method	Analysis/Method to be Performed (Check all that apply)
1. <b>Visual Inspection</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visual inspection of the structure for signs of damage, including cracking, spalling, and delamination. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visual inspection of the reinforcement bars for corrosion and damage. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visual inspection of the concrete surface for signs of moisture and water infiltration. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visual inspection of the structure for signs of settlement and movement.
2. <b>Non-Destructive Testing (NDT)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ultrasonic testing (UT) to detect internal defects and measure concrete strength. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rebound testing to measure concrete surface hardness and strength. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) to detect reinforcement bars and voids. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Core sampling to obtain concrete samples for laboratory testing.
3. <b>Material Testing</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compressive strength testing of concrete samples. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tensile strength testing of reinforcement bars. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Modulus of elasticity testing of concrete and reinforcement bars.
4. <b>Structural Analysis</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Load testing to determine the ultimate load capacity of the structure. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finite Element Analysis (FEA) to model the structure and predict its behavior under load.
5. <b>Environmental Monitoring</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moisture monitoring to track moisture levels within the concrete structure. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temperature monitoring to track temperature variations within the structure.

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By signing the request (chain of custody) you are ordering work from Analytical Management Laboratories, Inc. which constitutes the acceptance of the terms and conditions on the back of this form

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1A - Equivalent  
VOLATILE ORGANICS ANALYSIS DATA SHEET

Lab Name: Analytical Managment Laboratories Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-5-7-05  
Client ID: CESAS Project ID: Ft Stewart, DO# 0005  
Matrix: W Project Num: 7327  
Sample g/ml: 25 Lab Sample ID: 732704  
% Solids: not dec. Date Collected: 7/22/05 Time: 13:50  
Instrument ID: V5973B Dilution Factor: 1  
Analytical Method: 8260B Date Analyzed: 8/1/05 Time: 15:32  
Prep Method: EPA 5030 Date Received: 7/26/05 8:00:00 AM  
Analytical Batch: 2669

CAS NO.	COMPOUND	RESULT	Units	Q	LLR	ML
71-43-2	Benzene		µg/l	U	0.139	2
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene		µg/l	U	0.1	2
1634-04-4	Methyl-tert-butyl-ether		µg/l	U	0.1	2
m+p xylene	m-Xylene and p-Xylene		µg/l	U	0.216	2
91-20-3	Naphthalene		µg/l	U	0.139	2
95-47-6	o-Xylene		µg/l	U	0.102	2
108-88-3	Toluene		µg/l	U	0.105	2

1A - Equivalent  
VOLATILE ORGANICS ANALYSIS DATA SHEET

Lab Name: <u>Analytical Managment Laboratories</u>	Sample ID: <u>UST-208-209-42-10-7-05</u>
Client ID: <u>CESAS</u>	Project ID: <u>Ft Stewart, DO# 0005</u>
Matrix: <u>W</u>	Project Num: <u>7327</u>
Sample g/ml: <u>25</u>	Lab Sample ID: <u>732707</u>
% Solids: not dec. _____	Date Collected: <u>7/22/05</u> Time: <u>14:56</u>
Instrument ID: <u>V5973B</u>	Dilution Factor: <u>5</u>
Analytical Method: <u>8260B</u>	Date Analyzed: <u>8/4/05</u> Time: <u>0:07</u>
Prep Method: <u>EPA 5030</u>	Date Received: <u>7/26/05 8:00:00 AM</u>
Analytical Batch: <u>2687</u>	

CAS NO.	COMPOUND	RESULT	Units	Q	LLR	MQL
71-43-2	Benzene	55.2	µg/l		0.695	10
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene	6.41	µg/l	J	0.5	10
1634-04-4	Methyl-tert-butyl-ether	79.8	µg/l		0.5	10
m+p xylene	m-Xylene and p-Xylene	86.8	µg/l		1.08	10
91-20-3	Naphthalene	79.9	µg/l		0.695	10
95-47-8	o-Xylene	49.3	µg/l		0.51	10
108-88-3	Toluene	1.4	µg/l	J	0.525	10

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FORM 1 VOA - Equivalent

1A - Equivalent  
VOLATILE ORGANICS ANALYSIS DATA SHEET

Lab Name: <u>Analytical Managment Laboratories</u>	Sample ID: <u>UST-208-209-42-11-7-05</u>
Client ID: <u>CESAS</u>	Project ID: <u>Ft Stewart, DO# 0005</u>
Matrix: <u>W</u>	Project Num: <u>7327</u>
Sample g/ml: <u>25</u>	Lab Sample ID: <u>732708</u>
% Solids: not dec. _____	Date Collected: <u>7/22/05</u> Time: <u>15:25</u>
Instrument ID: <u>V5973B</u>	Dilution Factor: <u>1</u>
Analytical Method: <u>8260B</u>	Date Analyzed: <u>8/1/05</u> Time: <u>17:05</u>
Prep Method: <u>EPA 5030</u>	Date Received: <u>7/26/05 8:00:00 AM</u>
Analytical Batch: <u>2669</u>	

CAS NO.	COMPOUND	RESULT	Units	Q	LLR	MQL
71-43-2	Benzene		µg/l	U	0.139	2
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene		µg/l	U	0.1	2
1634-04-4	Methyl-tert-butyl-ether	9.94	µg/l		0.1	2
m+p xylene	m-Xylene and p-Xylene	2.28	µg/l		0.216	2
91-20-3	Naphthalene	9.86	µg/l		0.139	2
95-47-6	o-Xylene	1.6	µg/l	J	0.102	2
108-88-3	Toluene		µg/l	U	0.105	2

EPA Lab Code:KS00902  
Kansas Certification:E-10254

FORM I VOA - Equivalent

1A - Equivalent  
VOLATILE ORGANICS ANALYSIS DATA SHEET

Lab Name: Analytical Managment Laboratories Sample ID: UST-208-209-42-12-7-05  
Client ID: CESAS Project ID: Ft Stewart, DO# 0005  
Matrix: W Project Num: 7327  
Sample g/ml: 25 Lab Sample ID: 732706  
% Solids: not dec. Date Collected: 7/22/05 Time: 14:40  
Instrument ID: V5973B Dilution Factor: 1  
Analytical Method: 8260B Date Analyzed: 8/1/05 Time: 16:17  
Prep Method: EPA 5030 Date Received: 7/26/05 8:00:00 AM  
Analytical Batch: 2669

CAS NO.	COMPOUND	RESULT	Units	Q	LLR	MDL
71-43-2	Benzene		µg/l	U	0.139	2
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene		µg/l	U	0.1	2
1634-04-4	Methyl-tert-butyl-ether		µg/l	U	0.1	2
m+p xylene	m-Xylene and p-Xylene		µg/l	U	0.216	2
91-20-3	Naphthalene		µg/l	U	0.139	2
95-47-6	o-Xylene		µg/l	U	0.102	2
108-88-3	Toluene		µg/l	U	0.105	2

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FORM 1 VOA - Equivalent

Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event  
USTs 208 & 209, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036

**APPENDIX IV**  
**SITE RANKING FORMS**



### SITE RANKING FORM

Facility Name: USTs 208 & 209, Building 275

Ranked by: Z. Haverland

County: Liberty Facility ID #: 9-089036

Date Ranked: 9/29/2005

#### SOIL CONTAMINATION

A. Total PAHs –  
Maximum Concentration found on the site  
(Assume <0.660 mg/kg if only gasoline  
was stored on site)

- ☐ ≤0.660 mg/kg = 0  
☐ >0.66 - 1 mg/kg = 10  
☐ >1 - 10 mg/kg = 25  
\* ☒ >10 mg/kg = 50

\* CAP-Part A Soil Sample 4203B1

B. Total Benzene -  
Maximum Concentration found on the site

- ☐ ≤0.005 mg/kg = 0  
☐ >0.005 - .05 mg/kg = 1  
☐ >0.05 - 1 mg/kg = 10  
\* ☒ >1 - 10 mg/kg = 25  
☐ >10 - 50 mg/kg = 40  
☐ >50 mg/kg = 50

\* CAP-Part A Soil Sample 4203B1

C. Depth to Groundwater  
(bls = below land surface)

- ☐ >50' bls = 1  
☐ >25' - 50' bls = 2  
☐ >10' - 25' bls = 5  
☒ ≤10' bls = 10

Fill in the blanks: (A. 50) + (B. 25) = (75) x (C. 10) = (D. 750)

#### GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION

E. Free Product (Nonaqueous-phase  
liquid hydrocarbons; See Guidelines  
For definition of "sheen").

- ☐ No free product = 0  
☐ Sheen - 1/8" = 250  
☒ >1/8" - 6" = 500  
☐ >6" - 1ft. = 1,000  
☐ For every additional inch, add another  
100 points = 1,000 +

F. Dissolved Benzene -  
Maximum Concentration at the site  
(One well must be located at the source  
of the release.)

- ☐ ≤5 µg/L = 0  
☒ >5 - 100 µg/L = 5  
☐ >100 - 1,000 µg/L = 50  
☐ >1,000 - 10,000 µg/L = 500  
☐ >10,000 µg/L = 1500

Fill in the blanks: (E. 1000) + (F. 5) = (G. 1005)

Facility Name: USTs 208 & 209, Building 275 County: Liberty Facility ID #: 9-089036

**POTENTIAL RECEPTORS (MUST BE FIELD-VERIFIED)**

Distance from nearest contaminant plume boundary to the nearest downgradient and hydraulically connected Point of Withdrawal for water supply. **If the point of withdrawal is not hydraulically connected, evidence as outlined in the CAP-A guidance document MUST be presented to substantiate this claim.**

**H. Public Water Supply**

- ☐ Impacted = 2000  
☐ ≤500' = 500  
☐ >500' - ¼ mi = 25  
☐ ¼ mi - 1 mi = 10  
☐ >1 mi - 2 mi = 2

- \* ☒ > 2 mi = 0  
For lower susceptibility areas only:  
☐ >1 mi = 0

**Note: If site is in lower susceptibility area, do not use the shaded areas.**

\* For justification that withdrawal point is not hydraulically connected, see attached text.

**I. Non-Public Water Supply**

- ☐ Impacted = 1000  
☐ ≤100' = 500  
☐ >100' - 500' = 25  
☐ >500' - ¼ mi = 5  
☐ >¼ - ½ mi = 2

- ☒ >½ mi = 0  
For lower susceptibility areas only:  
☐ >¼ mi = 0

**J. Distance from nearest Contaminant Plume boundary to downgradient Surface Waters OR UTILITY TRENCHES & VAULTS (a utility trench may be omitted from ranking if its invert elevation is more than 5 feet above the water table)**

- ☐ Impacted = 500  
\* ☒ ≤500' = 50  
☐ >500' - 1,000' = 5  
☐ >1,000' = 2

\* Concentrations at the storm drain do not exceed IWQS

**K. Distance from any Free Product to basements and crawl spaces**

- ☐ Impacted = 500  
☐ <500' = 50  
☐ >500' - 1,000' = 5  
☒ >1,000' or no free product. = 0

Fill in the blanks: (H. 0) + (I. 0) + (J. 50) + (K. 0) = L. 50

(G. 1005) x (L. 50) = M. 50250

(M. 50250) + (D. 750) = N. 51000

**P. SUSCEPTIBILITY AREA MULTIPLIER**

- ☐ If site is located in a Low Ground-Water Pollution Susceptibility Area = 0.5  
☒ All other sites = 1

**Q. EXPLOSION HAZARD**

Have any explosive petroleum vapors, possibly originating from this release, been detected in any subsurface structure (e.g., utility trenches, basements, vaults, crawl spaces, etc.)?

- ☐ Yes = 200,000  
☒ No = 0

Fill in the blanks: (N. 51000) x (P. 1) = (51000) + (Q. 0)

**= 51000 (Based on CAP Part A soil data and July 2005 ground-water data)  
ENVIRONMENTAL SENSITIVITY SCORE**

## **OTHER GEOLOGIC AND HYDROLOGIC DATA**

The following information is presented to provide supplemental information to Item H of the Site Ranking Form and provides detailed information relating to the geologic and hydrogeologic conditions at Fort Stewart, which supports Fort Stewart's determination that the water withdrawal point(s) located at Fort Stewart are not hydraulically connected to the surficial aquifer.

### **1.0 REGIONAL AND LOCAL GEOLOGY**

Fort Stewart is located within the coastal plain physiographic province. This province is typified by nine southeastward dipping strata that increase in thickness from 0 feet at the fall line located approximately 150 miles inland from the Atlantic coast, to approximately 4,200 feet at the coast. State geologic records describe a probable petroleum exploration well (the No. 1 Jelks-Rogers) located in the region as encountering crystalline basement rocks at a depth of 4,254 feet BGS. This well provides the most complete record for Cretaceous, Tertiary, and Quaternary sedimentary strata in the region.

The Cretaceous section was found to be approximately 1,970 feet thick and dominated by clastics. The Tertiary section was found to be approximately 2,170 feet thick and dominated by limestone with a 175-foot-thick cap of dark green phosphatic clay. This clay is regionally extensive and is known as the Hawthorn Group. The interval from approximately 110 feet to the surface is Quaternary in age and composed primarily of sand with interbeds of clay or silt. This section is undifferentiated into separate formations (Herrick and Vochis 1963).

State geologic records contain information regarding a well drilled in October 1942, 1.8 miles north of Flemington at Liberty Field of Camp Stewart (now known as Fort Stewart). This well is believed to be an artesian well located approximately one-quarter mile north of the runway at Wright Army Airfield within the Fort Stewart Military Reservation. The log for this well describes a 410-foot section, the lowermost 110 feet of which consisted predominantly of limestone sediments, above which 245 feet of dark green phosphatic clay typical of the Hawthorn Group was encountered. The uppermost portion of the section was found to be Quaternary-age interbedded sands and clays. The top 15 feet of these sediments were described as sandy clay (Herrick and Vochis 1963).

The surface soil located throughout the Fort Stewart garrison area consists of Stilson loamy sand. The surface layer of this soil is typically dark grayish-brown loamy sand measuring approximately 6 inches in depth. The surface layer is underlain by material consisting of pale yellow loamy sand and extends to a depth of approximately 29 inches. The subsoil is dominantly sandy clay loam and extends to a depth of 72 inches or more (Herrick and Vochis 1963).

### **2.0 REGIONAL AND LOCAL HYDROGEOLOGY**

The hydrogeology in the vicinity of Fort Stewart is dominated by two aquifers referred to as the Principal Artesian and the surficial aquifers. The Principal Artesian aquifer is the lowermost hydrologic unit and is regionally extensive from South Carolina through Georgia, Alabama, and most of Florida. Known elsewhere as the Floridan, this aquifer is composed primarily of Tertiary-age limestone, including the Bug Island Formation, the Ocala Group, and the Suwannee Limestone. These formations are approximately 800 feet thick, and ground water from this aquifer is used primarily for drinking water (Arora 1984).

The uppermost hydrologic unit is the surficial aquifer, which consists of widely varying amounts of sand and clay ranging from 55 to 150 feet in thickness. This aquifer is primarily used for domestic lawn and agricultural irrigation. The top of the water table ranges from approximately 2 to 10 feet BGS (Geraghty and Miller 1993). The base of the aquifer corresponds to the top of the underlying dense clay of the Hawthorn Group. The Hawthorn Group was not encountered during drilling at this site but is believed to be located at 40 to 50 feet BGS; thus, the effective aquifer thickness would be approximately 35 to 45 feet. Soil surveys for Liberty and Long Counties describe the occurrence of a perched water table within the Stilson loamy sands present within Fort Stewart (Looper 1980).

The confining layer for the Principal Artesian aquifer is the phosphatic clay of the Hawthorn Group and ranges in thickness from 15 to 90 feet. The vertical hydraulic conductivity of this confining unit is on the order of  $10^{-8}$  cm/sec. There are minor occurrences of aquifer material within the Hawthorn Group; however, they have limited utilization (Miller 1990). The Hawthorn Group has been divided into three formations: Coosawhatchie Formation, Markshead Formation, and Parachula Formation, which are listed from youngest to oldest.

The Coosawhatchie Formation is composed predominantly of clay but also has sandy clay, argillaceous sand, and phosphorite units. The formation is approximately 170 feet thick in the Savannah Georgia area. This unit disconformably overlies the Markshead Formation and is distinguished from the underlying unit by dark phosphatic clays or phosphorite in the lower part and fine-grained sand in the upper part.

The Markshead Formation is approximately 70 feet thick in the Savannah Georgia area and consists of light-colored phosphatic, slightly dolomitic, argillaceous sand to fine-grained sandy clay with scattered beds of dolostone and limestone.

The Parachula Formation consists of sand, clay, limestone, and dolomite, and is approximately 10 feet thick in the Savannah, Georgia, area. The Parachula Formation generally overlies the Suwannee Limestone in Georgia.

Ground water encountered at all the underground storage tank investigation sites is part of the Surficial Aquifer system. Based on the fact that all public and non-public water supply wells draw water from the Principal (Floridan) Aquifer, and that the Hawthorn confining unit separates the Principal Aquifer from the Surficial Aquifer, it is concluded that there is no hydraulic interconnection between the Surficial Aquifer (and associated ground-water plumes, if applicable) located beneath former UST sites and identified water supply withdrawal points at Fort Stewart.

**APPENDIX V**  
**REIMBURSEMENT APPLICATION**

Fifth Semiannual Monitoring Event  
USTs 208 & 209, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036

Fort Stewart is a federally owned facility and has funded the investigation for the former USTs 208 & 209 site, Building 275, Facility ID #9-089036, using U.S. Department of Defense Environmental Restoration Account Funds. Application for Georgia Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund reimbursement is not being pursued at this time.

**ATTACHMENT A**

**SUMMARY OF FATE AND TRANSPORT MODELING RESULTS**

## A.1 FATE AND TRANSPORT MODELING

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In summary, the Analytical Transient 1-, 2-, 3-Dimensional (AT123D) Model was used to model contaminant migration to three potential downgradient receptors: a storm drain located approximately 80 feet east of the tank pit, a drainage ditch located approximately 700 feet east of the site, and Peacock Creek located approximately 7500 feet east of the site. The invert elevation of the storm drain was located below the water table elevation and was considered a potential preferential pathway for contaminant migration.

#### A.1.1 Summary of CAP-Part B Report Fate and Transport Modeling Results

The fate and transport modeling performed as part of the *Corrective Action Plan-Part B Report for USTs 208 & 209, Facility IDs #9-089079, Building 275, Fort Stewart, Georgia* (SAIC 1998) was based on the analytical data collected during the CAP-Parts A and B investigations. This fate and transport model was based on the assumption that the source of contamination was removed at the time of the tank removal and was no longer present and the maximum observed benzene concentration in groundwater (i.e., 281 µg/L in temporary piezometer 42-07 during the CAP-Part A investigation). The ACLs for the site were calculated based on risk based methodology. The ACLs for the site were 990 µg/L for benzene and 30,000 µg/L for ethylbenzene. GA EPD USTMP approved the proposed ACLs in correspondence dated August 15, 1998 approving the CAP-Part B Report (Logan 1998).

After submittal of the CAP-Part B Report, GA EPD indicated that fate and transport modeling should assume a continuous source of contamination of infinite duration. As a result, the modeling results were revised in the First Annual Monitoring Only Report using these assumptions

#### A.1.2 Summary of First Annual Monitoring Only Report Fate and Transport Modeling Results

As a result of the benzene concentrations observed during the semiannual monitoring, the fate and transport modeling results were revised in the *First Annual Monitoring Only Report for USTs 208 & 209, Facility IDs #9-089035, Building 275, Fort Stewart, Georgia* (SAIC 1999) to reflect more recent site conditions. The revised fate and transport modeling that was based on the assumption of a continuous source of contamination of infinite duration at the site based on the maximum predicted or observed benzene concentration in groundwater. These modeling results were based on a liquid phase concentration of 1880 µg/L at the source due to partitioning from the maximum benzene soil concentration of 3.7 mg/kg observed in well 42-03 during the CAP-Part A investigation. The modeling results indicated that, due to dilution attenuation, benzene may reach the storm drain at a concentration of up to 240 µg/L. No detectable concentrations of benzene were predicted to reach the drainage ditch and Mill Creek at detectable concentrations. Based on modeling results, the estimated dilution attenuation factor (DAF) for benzene at the storm drain was 7.8, while the DAFs at the drainage ditch and Peacock Creek are infinity, indicating that the concentration at this receptor was predicted to be zero. Alternate concentration limits (ACLs) were not developed for the drainage ditch or Peacock Creek because the ACLs would be infinite. For the storm drain, the proposed ACL for benzene was 556 µg/L (i.e.,  $7.8 \times 71.28 \text{ µg/L} = 121 \text{ µg/L}$ ), the proposed ACL for ethylbenzene was  $2.24\text{E}+05$  (i.e.,  $7.8 \times 28,718 \text{ µg/L} = 2.24\text{E}+05 \text{ µg/L}$ ), and the proposed ACL for toluene was  $1.56\text{E}+06$  (i.e.,  $7.8 \times 20,000 \text{ µg/L} = 1.56\text{E}+06 \text{ µg/L}$ ).



#### **A.1.3 Summary of Second Annual Monitoring Only Report Fate and Transport Modeling Results**

As a result of the benzene concentrations observed during the semiannual monitoring, the fate and transport modeling results were revised in the *Second Annual Monitoring Only Report for USTs 208 & 209, Facility IDs #9-089035, Building 275, Fort Stewart, Georgia* (SAIC 200) to reflect more recent site conditions. The model was calibrated by matching the benzene concentration of 281 µg/L in well 42-07 on January 10, 1999, and 39 µg/L in well 42-10 on January 26, 2000. A source loading was assumed for a certain period of time to attain steady-state. Once the steady-state condition was reached, source loading was stopped and contamination was allowed to spread based on the contaminant mass already present in the aquifer from past loadings.

The revised modeling results indicated that, due to dilution attenuation, benzene does not impact the storm drain, located 80 feet downgradient of the former tank pit, at a concentration above the IWQS of 71.28 µg/L. No detectable concentrations of benzene were predicted to reach the drainage ditch and Peacock Creek. Based on the revised modeling results, the estimated DAF for benzene at the storm drain was revised to 16.1, while the DAFs at the drainage ditch and Peacock Creek remain at infinity, indicating that the concentrations at these receptors are predicted to be zero. The ACLs were not revised based on the latest modeling results.

#### **A.1.4 Fate and Transport Modeling Conclusions**

The conclusions below are based on fate and transport modeling that assumes a continuous source of contamination of infinite duration at the site based on the maximum observed benzene concentration in groundwater (i.e., 281 µg/L in January 1999) during the semiannual monitoring events.

- Benzene concentration in groundwater has never exceeded the benzene ACL of 556 µg/L during the CAP-Part A, CAP-Part B, or semiannual monitoring events.
- Benzene contamination does not impact the closest downgradient receptor, a storm drain, above the IWQS.
- Benzene contamination will never exceed the IWQS at the drainage ditch or Peacock Creek.

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