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Dear Young Chang:

NECCO PARK 2021 ANNUAL REPORT

This document is the *Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring 2021 Annual Report* for the Chemours Necco Park Hydraulic Controls System (HCS), Groundwater Treatment Facility (GWTF), and landfill cap. This revised report incorporates changes based on USEPA comments provided May 26, 2022 and Chemours June 16, 2022 Responses, to which USEPA accepted on July 12, 2022 (with one small exception related to flow rate from RW-5). Chemours Response to Comments are provided in this submittal.

This sixteenth annual report for the Necco Park Remedy has been prepared pursuant to Administrative Order (AO) Index No. II CERCLA-98-0215 dated September 28, 1998, issued by United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA). This report describes hydraulic and chemistry monitoring conducted in 2021 as required by the *Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Plan*, dated April 2005 for the DuPont Necco Park Site located in Niagara Falls, New York, and subsequent revisions (2010 and 2012).

Construction and start-up of the HCS and GWTF was substantially complete on April 5, 2005. Thereafter, the systems have been operated in accordance with the Operations and Maintenance Plan (O&M Plan). HCS operation uptime for 2021 was 90.6%. Excluding scheduled downtime for planned maintenance, HCS uptime for 2021 was 97.0%. The groundwater elevations, geochemical results, and DNAPL monitoring indicate HCS continues to be effective at controlling source area groundwater at the Chemours Necco Park site. Furthermore, the results indicated monitored natural attenuation remains actively degrading the site compounds.

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CHEMOURS RESPONSES TO USEPA COMMENT LETTER



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Re: Response to Comments regarding USEPA May 26, 2022 letter regarding the 2021 Annual Report, Chemours Necco Park Superfund Site, Niagara Falls, New York

Dear Young Chang:

Chemours submits the following Responses to Comments (RTCs) from the USEPA and NYSDEC regarding the 2021 Annual Report for the Necco Park Site. If these replies/changes are acceptable, the report will be revised and reissued.

1. ES iii and section 2.1 page 3: The text should state what the RW-5 downtime was in 2021, in order to compare to the 506 hours in 2020.

Response: The text in these sections reminds the reader that Chemours responded to the USEPA comments (Chemours May 5, 2021 email response to USEPA April 21, 2021 letter, comment 4) through a procedural change that was instituted to reduce weekend pump failures at RW-5. Before the procedures were changed in 2Q2021 there were weekend failures, however, after the change there were zero weekend failures. The text will be revised to elaborate on the fact that RW-5 weekend downtime has been reduced from 506 hours in 2020 to zero hours after the change was instituted in April 2021, as follows (bold font represents revised/updated text):

"As referenced in Chemours May 5, 2021 response to USEPA April 21, 2021 letter comment 4, further improvements were made to operations and maintenance scheduling in 1Q21, whereby the RW-5 inline spare pump is now brought on-line prior to potential failure during weekends. This has reduced RW-5 downtime associated with weekend pump failures from 506 hours in 2020 down to 55 hours in 2021 all if which occurred prior to the process change. There were zero hours of weekend pump failures at RW-5 in 2021 after the process change was instituted in April 2021."

2. Section 2.4 page 4: How is the flow rate at RW-5 measured? What is the design flow rate?

Response: The flow rate at RW-5 (as well as all other pumping wells at Necco Park) is measured with a well-specific ultrasonic dual-channel flow meter (Siemens SITRANS model FUS1010, see <u>website</u>). Groundwater capture is evaluated through hydraulics and groundwater observations (groundwater contours etc.) on a quarterly basis. Flow rate is monitored daily through the Experion[®] Process Control System (Experion) with an operational target flow rate at approximately 2 to 3 gpm for RW-5. Flow is controlled through a level setpoint which is optimized based on groundwater contours and operations data. While there are natural variables (i.e. recharge) that affect the flow rate, a constant water level is maintained in RW-5 using the Experion control system and the variable-speed-drive pump.

3. Section 3.3.3 page 9: The text on the B/C zone includes the TVOC concentrations at 136B, but the TVOC at this well should be addressed in section 3.4 page 11, so this text should also be removed. This text also appears to have "136D" instead of 136B.

Response: Text will be revised as follows (bold represents changes): "While well 136B had exceeded the one percent solubility criteria from 2012 to 2014, the concentrations in 2015 through 2021 were below the criteria. Historic exceedance of the one percent solubility criteria at well location 136B for PCE represents the western edge of the limit of the B-Zone source area. The TVOC concentrations (which cannot be related to the one percent solubility criteria or individual compound concentrations, but do represent temporal trends) demonstrate that the concentrations at 136B have steadily declined to under 1,000 micrograms per liter (μ g/l) from near 3,000 μ g/l in 2012. The TVOC concentration at 136 \oplus B in 2021 (572 μ g/l) was the lowest observed at this location to date."

4. Section 3.3.3 page 9: The text on well 150C should note that it exceeded the 1% solubility criteria for TCE in 2020.

Response: Text revised as follows: "Trichloroethene exceeded the 1% solubility criteria for TCE in 2020 at well 150C but decreased to below the criteria in 2021. Prior to 2020, the concentrations were below the had not previously exceeded criteria prior to 2020 and in 2021 was again below criteria. Well 150C is south of the C-Zone source area limits."

5. Section 3.4 page 10: The TVOC concentrations in the A-Zone are low, but two A-zone wells had DNAPL in 2021. Why is there no VOC sampling at 129A and 190A?

Response: The long-term monitoring is focused on downgradient locations to evaluate source area control. The agency-approved revised sampling plan removed locations within the source area as these locations have historic presence of DNAPL and/or consistently high TVOC concentrations.

6. Section 3.4 page 12: The sentence on the declines in 150C and 146C in 2005 through 2006 should be removed. Those concentrations do not inform the current conditions.

Response: Text has been revised in this sentence to elaborate on the decreasing trends from 2005 to 2013. The relevant paragraphs will be replaced with the following:

"TVOC concentrations at downgradient well 146C were over 20 μ g/l prior to 2006; however, the concentrations decreased between 2006 and 2013 to below 15.0 μ g/l. Concentrations between 2014 and 2017 increased to between 58.0 μ g/l and 76.0 μ g/l. In 2018 TVOC concentration decreased to 50.9 μ g/l and decreased further in 2019 (25.3 μ g/l) and 2020 (19.6 μ g/l), the lowest in seven years. In 2021, TVOC concentrations decreased again to 14.3 μ g/l, the lowest in eight years.

At location 150C, concentrations are variable, having historical concentrations of 48,687 μ g/l in 1990 followed by significant decreases by 94% since sampling began, from near 250 µg/l to below 15 µg/l in 2010 and 2012. However, the TVOC results for 2013 and 2014 show a marked increase to 463.3 µg/l and 2,352 µg/l. After 2014, TVOC concentrations decreased each year, with the concentration in 2018 the lowest observed to date (3.74 μ g/l). In 2019 TVOC concentrations increased slightly to 17.25 μ g/l but a significant increase to 62,860 µg/l was observed in 2020. In 2021 TVOC concentrations at 150C decreased slightly to 53,560 µg/l. While the 2020 concentration increase at 150C is notable, an increase and subsequent decrease in concentrations observed in 150C is not unprecedented. Future sampling will determine if the concentration spike observed in 2020, and subsequent decrease in concentration in 2021 represents a trend. These changes in concentration, dominated by degradation products (cis-12,DCE and VC), are likely the result of variations in concentration near the edge of the plume and not changes in source area extent. It is important to note, as mentioned in Section 2.4, well 150C was redeveloped in 2020 prior to the groundwater sampling event, therefore some of the previous data may be biased low. Most of VOCs at 150C are attributed to DCE and VC.

7. Section 3.4 page 13: Is there a 150D well? Since 150C and 150E are located near the source area limits, would it be helpful to sample 150D to evaluate the stability of the source zone?

Response: No, there is no 150D well.

8. Section 3.5 page 14: This section states that analytical results for the different sampling methods can be seen in Appendix B and analytical results compare favorably with previous data. The text and Appendix B should note which wells were switched to low flow sampling in 2019. There should be text added to this section that compares the data in more detail and explain what a favorable comparison would be.

Response: The Long Term Monitoring Program was always low flow sampling and remains as such. The revision was related to using a peristaltic pump for wells that do not pump dry and where water depth does not require the use of a bladder pump. No change to the report is anticipated.

The paragraph will be revised as such:

"As approved by the USEPA, groundwater sampling was completed using a low-flow peristaltic pump in wells with depths to water less than approximately 20 feet to improve field efficiency, reduce decontamination, and reduce waste. In deeper wells or wells that exhibited significant drawdown, an impeller pump or bladder pump was used. This approved sampling method replaced the use of only bladder pumps prior to 2019."

Based on the 2019 through 2021 analytical results obtained using the USEPA-approved new sampling methods, analytical results compare favorably with the many previous

years of existing data. None of the well locations sampled from 2019 through 2021 exhibited anomalously low TVOC results out of historical range. Future groundwater sampling events plan to use the same methods employed from 2019 through 2021."

9. Section 5.1.2 page 20: The text should provide more information on the hydrogeological testing near RW-5. Will there be a separate work plan submitted?

Response: Chemours routinely completes small scale evaluations as a matter of assessing performance monitoring and optimization. The intent of the recommendation was to deploy transducers and perform a recovery drawdown test to compare with previous recovery tests. The annual report is revised with the follow text:

- "Evaluate the capture in the B/C zone with detailed hydrogeological testing, focusing near RW-5. Transducers will be deployed to B/C zone wells in the area of RW-5 prior to a scheduled maintenance shutdown at RW-5. Water level data will be collected prior to, during, and after the shutdown and used to support the capture evaluation in the B/C zone in the area of RW-5."
- **10.** Figures: For the figures with monitoring data, could you highlight the analytes that exceed standards, so they stand out better for reviewers.

Response: The figures represent total volatile organic data (a sum of all detected volatile organic compounds and not a single compound) of which there is no standard. TVOCs are plotted as a means for monitoring and tracking plume trends for source area control without relationship to the groundwater standards. No change to the report is anticipated.

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Sincerely,

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ACRONYMS

Acronym	Definition / Description	
AOA	Analysis of Alternatives	
BFBT	Blast-fractured bedrock trench	
cis-DCE	cis-1,2-dichloroethene	
CMMP	Cap Maintenance and Monitoring Plan	
CRG	DuPont Corporate Remediation Group	
CVOC	Chlorinated Volatile Organic Compounds	
DDR	Data deliverable review	
DNAPL	Dense non-aqueous phase liquid	
DuPont	E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company	
gpm	Gallon(s) per minute	
GWTF	Groundwater Treatment Facility	
HCBD	Hexachlorobutadiene	
HCS	Hydraulic controls system	
HDPE	High-density polyethylene	
LCS	Laboratory control sample	
LCSD	Laboratory control sample duplicate	
LTGMP	Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Plan	
MDL	Method detection limit	
µg/l	Micrograms per liter	
MNA	Monitored natural attenuation	
MS	Matrix spike	
MSD	Matrix spike duplicate	
Necco Park	DuPont Necco Park Site	
NYSDEC	New York State Department of Environmental Conservation	
O&M	Operation and maintenance	
PDI	Pre-design investigation	
POTW	Publicly-owned treatment works	
PQL	Practical quantitation limit	
QA/QC	Quality assurance/quality control	
QAPP	Quality Assurance and Project Plan	
RPD	Relative percent difference	
SAMP	Sampling, Analysis, and Monitoring Plan	
SAR	Source area report	
SFR	Subsurface formation repair	
SIU	Significant Industrial User	
SOW	(Necco Park) Statement of Work	
SVOC	Semi-volatile organic compound	

Acronym	Definition / Description
TCE	Trichloroethene
TIC	Tentatively identified compound
TVOC	Total volatile organic compound
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
VC	Vinyl chloride
VOC	Volatile organic compound

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring 2021 Annual Report has been prepared pursuant to Administrative Order Index No. II-CERCLA-98-0215 issued by United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) on September 28, 1998. This is the seventeenth such report and describes hydraulic and chemistry monitoring conducted in 2021 at the Necco Park Site in Niagara Falls, New York. Monitoring activities were conducted in accordance with the agency approved Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Plan (LTGMP) dated April 2005 (DuPont Corporate Remediation Group [CRG] 2005a), and subsequent agency approved revisions (USEPA, 2011, 2015, and 2016).

The Necco Park Remedial Action consists of an upgraded cap over the landfill and an enhanced groundwater hydraulic control system (HCS) from the previous pumping system which first began operation in the early 1980's. The HCS includes a network of five groundwater recovery wells and a groundwater treatment facility (GWTF). Construction and startup of the HCS and GWTF was substantially complete on April 5, 2005. Thereafter, the systems have been operated in accordance with the Operations and Maintenance Plan (DuPont CRG 2005b). HCS operation uptime for 2021 was 90.6%. Excluding scheduled downtime for planned maintenance, HCS uptime for 2021 was 97.0%. Summaries of system operations and hydraulic head data were previously provided to the USEPA and the NYSDEC in the 2021 Quarterly Data Packages (Parsons 2021a, 2021b, 2021c, and 2022). This Annual Report provides a detailed evaluation of system effectiveness with respect to the performance standards presented in the Necco Park Statement of Work (SOW).

Hydraulic monitoring data from 2021 show that, overall, the HCS has maintained hydraulic control of the source area in the A- through F-Zones. Improved hydraulic control in the upper bedrock in the western portion of the site began in fourth quarter 2008 when a combined B-Zone blast-fractured bedrock trench and a new B/C-Zone recovery well (RW-11) were put into operation. Well RW-11 was installed to replace recovery well RW-10 which exhibited diminished hydraulic efficiency after startup in 2005.

As referenced in Chemours May 5, 2021 response to USEPA's April 21, 2021 letter comment 4, further improvements were made to operations and maintenance scheduling in 1Q21, whereby the RW-5 inline spare pump is now brought on-line prior to potential failure during weekends. This has reduced RW-5 downtime associated with weekend pump failures from 506 hours in 2020 down to 55 hours in 2021 all of which occurred prior to the process change. There were zero hours of weekend pump failures at RW-5 in 2021 after the process change was instituted in April 2021.

Two well rehabilitation events were completed in B/C-Zone recovery wells during 2021 using high pressure jetting and vacuum technique developed with National Vacuum, Inc. during 2012-2013. The spring well rehabilitation occurred March 15 and 16 and the fall event occurred September 27 through 29. Additionally, DNAPL recovery events were completed at RW-4 on April 5 and June 30. Both well rehabilitation events had a typical modest removal of sediments and maintenance of flow rate. The flow at RW-5 remains at an increased rate (approximately 2 – 3 gpm), when compared with the 2005 – 2015 average as the result of more thorough well cleaning in the Fall 2015, thereby demonstrating that the significant improvement on well yield has been maintained.

In accordance with the LTGMP (DuPont CRG 2005a), annual groundwater sampling began in 2008 after three years of biannual sampling had been conducted. In 2010, a revised sampling program was accepted by USEPA to focus on key locations on an annual basis and intermittently (every 5 years) sample the original 2005 program. In 2012, USEPA agreed to

removal of AT wells from the program, sampling VOCs only in the treatment process, and other minor program changes (such as the elimination of drawdown maps in annual reports). In 2015, USEPA approved reductions in the DNAPL monitoring program. In 2016, the USEPA approved a request by Chemours CRG to end the requirement of 10% independent data validation of the groundwater data while QA/QC continues to include in-house data review. In 2019, prior to the 2019 annual groundwater sampling event, USEPA approved minor changes to the groundwater sampling methods, specifically the use of peristaltic pump for purging and sample for well allowable depth to water. The original LTGMP and MNA programs were last completed in 2018 and are scheduled to be completed next in 2023, on the five-year schedule.

The 2021 groundwater sampling results continue to show an overall decrease in concentrations of total volatile organic compounds (TVOCs) for all flow zones compared to historical results, with the exception of 150C (see below). The 2021 results indicate:

- Two of the four A-Zone wells sampled were less than 2 micrograms per liter TVOCs and the other two wells were 71.03 micrograms per liter (137A) and 6.3 micrograms per liter (146AR). A-Zone well 137A TVOC result in 2021 was the lowest observed at this location. A-Zone well 145A tied for lowest ever observed at 145A with a TVOC result below analytical detection limits, which also occurred at 145A in 2000 and 2015.
- TVOC concentrations at key source area limit wells in the B and C zones, such as 137B, 150B, 172B, and 145C continue to have stable/decreased concentrations and/or declining trends. One of the B-Zone wells (136B) sampled in 2021 resulted in the lowest TVOC concentration observed at the well location.
- Decreasing or stable TVOC concentrations are apparent in the D/E/F zones at key source area limit wells such as 136F, 146E, and 146F.
- There was an increase in TVOCs concentrations at 150C to 62,860 µg/l in 2020 and a subsequent decrease in 2021 to 53,560 µg/l. These TVOC concentrations are higher than the previous peak of 2,352 µg/l in 2014, and of similar historical concentrations of 48,687 µg/l in 1990. While the 2020 and 2021 concentrations at 150C are notable, these fluctuation are not unprecedented. Future sampling will determine if the concentration spike observed in 2020, and subsequent decrease in concentration in 2021 represents a short term anomaly or a trend. Additionally, concentrations this area of the B/C zone are similar, for example 168B (side gradient to 150C) has ranged from 59,248 to 25,020 µg/l in TVOC since 2012. These changes in concentrations which are dominated by degradation products, are likely the result of variations in concentrations near the edge of the plume and not changes in source area extent.
- Overall, the TVOC concentrations are decreasing for all groundwater flow zones at the outer portions of the source area and in the downgradient far-field. In the few cases where there were increasing TVOC trends, the concentrations were within historical range, near the source area / a recovery well, or represented increases in degradation products.

Based on the 2019 through 2021 analytical results obtained using the USEPA-approved new sampling methods, analytical results compare favorably with the many previous years of existing data. If the new sampling methods has any bias compared to the previous methods, it is for the results to be slightly biased higher. Future groundwater sampling is planned using the same methods employed in 2019 through 2021.

DNAPL was monitored every month throughout 2021. As approved by the USEPA, a reduced list of wells was monitored monthly and semi-annually beginning in June 2015 with the full list of wells to be monitored once every two years (USEPA June 11, 2015 and USEPA August 12,

2015). Measurable DNAPL was observed in each of the ten monthly, one semiannual, and one biennial monitoring events during 2021. DNAPL removal in 2021 was completed as follows:

- March 18 gallons RW-4 and 14 gallons from RW-5.
- April 5 gallons from RW-4.
- May 4 gallons from 129C and 1 gallon from 190A.
- June 6 gallons from RW-4.
- September 16 gallons from RW-4 and 6 gallons from RW-5.
- November 1.26 gallons from 129A and 0.06 gallons from 190A.

The total DNAPL recovered in 2021 was 71.3 gallons which is within the range of DNAPL typical recovery from the previous ten years (range is from 0 to 130 gallons). This volume represents less than 1% of the total DNAPL removed which is only a small fraction of the total mass removed.

The 2021 groundwater elevations, geochemical results and DNAPL monitoring indicated the HCS continues to be effective at controlling source area groundwater at the Chemours Necco Park site through 2021. Groundwater potentiometric contour maps depict a capture zone encompassing the source area in the B-, C-, D-, E- and F-Zones, and vertical gradient downward from the A to the B zone were maintained. Overall, the TVOC concentrations were decreasing for all groundwater flow zones in the source area and far-field. It is recommended that the long-term monitoring program continue in its current form, including the revisions from approved by the USEPA in 2011 and 2016. Future groundwater sampling at 150C should provide information related to the increase in VOCs observed in 2020 and 2021.

Data on chlorinated ethenes in Necco Park groundwater is consistent with lines of evidence required for natural attenuation of contaminants (USEPA, Monitored Natural Attenuation Directive, 1999). Analytical results from 2021, such as concentrations of degradation products and geochemical conditions, continue to support the recommendation that MNA assessments be conducted every five years. The next MNA monitoring event is scheduled for 2023 and another full MNA analysis will be completed then.

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Site Location

The 24-acre Chemours Necco Park inactive industrial waste disposal site is located approximately 1.5 miles north of the Niagara River in a predominantly industrial area of Niagara Falls, New York (**Figure 1-1**).

1.2 Source Area Remedial Action Documentation and Reporting

The approved remedy for the Necco Park Site included construction of the Bedrock and Overburden Source Area Hydraulic Controls System (HCS) and the Landfill Cap Upgrade. Completion of the remedy and compliance with the performance standards described in the Statement of Work (SOW) are documented in the Remedial Action Report (DuPont Corporate Remediation Group [CRG] 2007). This 2021 Annual Report presents hydraulic and chemical monitoring results from the fifteenth year of operation of the hydraulic controls. In addition, this 2021 Annual Report includes historical groundwater chemistry results for assessment of groundwater quality trends.

2.0 HCS OPERATIONS SUMMARY

The Necco Park groundwater Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Plan (DuPont CRG 2005b), in conjunction with vendor O&M Manuals, describes normal operation and shutdown procedures, emergency shutdown procedures, alarm conditions, trouble-shooting, and preventative maintenance procedures for the HCS and the Groundwater Treatment Facility (GWTF). This section of the report summarizes 2021 HCS operations.

2.1 Operational Summary

Operational information for the HCS is provided in the 2021 Quarterly Data Packages (Parsons 2021a, 2021b, 2021c, and 2022) and summarized in the table below.

Period	HCS Uptime (%)	HCS Uptime [excluding scheduled maintenance downtime] (%)	Groundwater Treated (Gallons)	DNAPL ¹ Removed (Gallons)
1Q21	93.4	97.5	3,117,462	32.0
2Q21	91.5	98.1	3,171,365	16.0
3Q21	95.9	95.9	3,205,440	22.0
4Q21	81.5	96.3	2,495,387	1.3
2021 Total	90.6	97.0	11,989,654	71.3

¹DNAPL – dense non-aqueous phase liquid

A summary of monthly groundwater quantities and uptime for each recovery well is provided in **Table 2-1**.

The HCS remained operational throughout 2021, averaging 90.6% total system uptime through December 31, 2021 with no unscheduled outage and one scheduled maintenance outage described below. Excluding scheduled downtime for planned maintenance, HCS uptime for 2021 was 97.0%. GWTF downtime was minimized by continuously monitoring operating conditions and implementing mechanical and procedural changes to the process equipment and the Honeywell Experion[®] PKS (Process Knowledge System) process control system.

There was one reportable scheduled maintenance activity in 2021. Between October 20 and November 3 all pumping wells were shut down for the annual scheduled maintenance which included cleaning, inspecting, and repairs to the influent and effluent tanks. The wells were down for 392.7 hours during this scheduled maintenance event. There were no reportable unscheduled HCS down time events in 2021.

Individual pumping wells were down for greater than 48 hours on five (5) occasions in 2021. Two of the five individual well downtimes were scheduled. Well RW-5 was down between March 15 and March 24 for pumping well maintenance and piping upgrades. Between June 16 and June 29, RW-5 and RW-11 were down for up to 359.5 hours for

the Chemical Bulk Storage (CBS) 5-Year Internal Inspection per 6 NYCRR subdivision 598.7(d). The unscheduled individual downtimes were as follows:

- RW-5 was down February 20 to 22 for 55 hours due to pump failure.
- RW-5 was down July 2 to 6 for 90 hours due to a low-low acid addition valve alarm.
- RW-9 was down between December 25 and 27 for 82.4 hours due to a flow meter malfunction.
- RW-9 was down August 7 to 9 for 58 hours due to a flow meter malfunction.

The following table summarizes HCS reportable downtime in 2021 by component malfunction and scheduled maintenance:

Reason	Contributing Downtime %	Comments
Process component malfunction	2.6%	Unexpected process-related downtime because of alarms and interlocks.
Scheduled maintenance shutdowns and system upgrades/inspections	10.7%	Routine inspections, interlock verification, preventative maintenance, equipment inspection and mechanical upgrades to process-related infrastructure.

HCS downtime is considered reportable when any recovery well is not operating for a period of more than 48 consecutive hours (DuPont letter to USEPA, January 27, 2012).

As referenced in Chemours May 5, 2021 response to USEPA April 21, 2021 letter comment 4, further improvements were made to operations and maintenance scheduling in 1Q21, whereby the RW-5 inline spare pump is now brought on-line prior to potential failure during weekends. This has reduced RW-5 downtime associated with weekend pump failures from 506 hours in 2020 down to 55 hours in 2021 all if which occurred prior to the process change. There were zero hours of weekend pump failures at RW-5 in 2021 after the process change was instituted in April 2021.

2.2 GWTF Process Sampling

In accordance with the Sampling, Analysis and Monitoring Plan (SAMP), quarterly process sampling is conducted to assess the effectiveness of the treatment system in removing volatile organic compounds (VOCs) from groundwater. Two influent samples are collected, one from the B/C-Zone influent tank and one from the D/E/F-Zone influent tank. One effluent sample is collected from the combined effluent tank. Beginning in 2012 and as approved by USEPA, these process samples are analyzed for VOCs only. Semi-volatile organic compound (SVOC) monitoring will be conducted as needed if significant changes occur to the hydraulic or chemical load observed during routine

process monitoring or if there is a change in an operations condition (e.g. change in pump intake elevation). A summary of results for the process sampling conducted in 2021 is provided in **Table 2-2**.

2.3 Sewer Sampling Summary

Significant Industrial User (SIU) permit #76 with the City of Niagara Falls publicly-owned treatment works (POTW) regulates the treated groundwater effluent discharged from Necco Park. Results from the quarterly sampling conducted at the permitted discharge point (MS#1) are used to determine POTW compliance. There were no exceedances of the permit limits in 2021.

2.4 Recovery and Monitoring Well Rehabilitations and Maintenance

Two rehabilitation events were completed in B/C-Zone recovery wells during 2021 using high pressure jetting and vacuum technique developed with National Vacuum Environmental Services Corp. during 2012-2013. This technique allows for safer removal of the sediments, improved pressure control, and allows larger quantities of water to be withdrawn at a high pumping rate (i.e. over-pumping). The first well rehabilitation occurred March 15 (RW-4) and March 16 (RW-5), and the second event took place on September 27 (RW-4) and September 29 (RW-5). Additionally, DNAPL recovery events were completed at RW-4 on April 5 and June 30. Rehabilitation events had a typical modest removal of sediments and maintenance of flow rate. The flow at RW-5 remains at an increased rate (approximately 2 - 3 gpm), when compared with the 2005 – 2015 average as the result of more thorough well cleaning in the Fall 2015, thereby demonstrating that the significant improvement on well yield has been maintained.

Well painting, labeling and protective casing repairs were performed in 2021 as part of continual site monitoring well maintenance. One concrete pad around a well was replaced or repaired, one wells stick-up completion was replaced, caps were repaired or replaced on seven wells, and 26 well casings were painted and/or re-labeled.

2.5 Road Repairs

During the week of June 28, 2021 repairs were completed to the dirt access road south of the Allied Waste Secure Cells leading to well clusters VH-172. The road had become deeply rutted in a few areas and was close to impassable. Roadway repairs included leveling out areas as needed, placing fabric, spreading stone (about 6-inches thick), and compacting mechanically.

3.0 HCS PERFORMANCE

3.1 Hydraulic Head Monitoring

Potentiometric surface maps based on water level elevations are the primary evidence of groundwater control. Supporting lines of evidence are well hydrographs and groundwater chemistry changes. Sections 3.1 and 3.2 discuss the results of hydraulic head monitoring and the associated potentiometric maps and hydrographs. Section 3.3 discusses the groundwater chemistry.

Groundwater hydraulic head measurements are used to evaluate control of groundwater in the overburden and bedrock groundwater flow zones by the HCS at Necco Park. Monitoring and recovery well locations are shown in **Figure 3-1**. Depth-to-water measurements and measuring point elevation data are used to calculate the elevation of groundwater and to generate hydrographs that show groundwater elevation trends in individual monitoring wells (**Table 3-1**). Hydrographs and potentiometric surface-contour maps included in this report (**Figures 3-8 and 3-10 through 3-14**) were selected from maps prepared and presented in the 2021 Quarterly Data Packages.

3.2 Hydraulic Control Assessment

Assessment of hydraulic control is described for each relevant bedrock zone in the following sections.

3.2.1 A-Zone

The overburden materials comprising the A-Zone are generally characterized by high clay content and low hydraulic conductivity. Groundwater flow in the A-Zone is primarily downward to the more transmissive fractured bedrock, as expected in this low permeability formation.

The hydrographs in **Figure 3-2** demonstrate the long-term drawdown from groundwater extraction in context of the seasonal variability. Decreases in water elevations from prestartup are due to the combined effect of the impermeable landfill cap and continuous downgradient groundwater extraction from the recovery wells. The decreasing hydrographs represent long-term drawdown in an unconfined low-permeability unit and storage depletion. The water content of the unit continued to decrease by reductions in infiltration from the cap and groundwater recovery in the underlining water bearing unit (B-Zone). While there are fluctuations in the hydrographs, the overall trend is a clear decrease in the water elevations compared to pre-startup. In a few cases, there is an increasing trend from the originally large drawdown observed; however, these remain well below static conditions (approximately 2 -3 feet).

Figures 3-8 and 3-9 present A-Zone potentiometric surface contours and vertical gradient maps. The potentiometric map demonstrated that the groundwater flow was toward the capture systems. The cones of depression surrounding recovery wells RW-5 and RW-11 are significant, ranging from 3 to 4 feet of closed contours in the A-Zone (**Figure 3-8**). The 2021 water levels in the area of RW-11 suggest the well rehabilitations have helped sustain a large cone of depression around this location in the A-Zone.

Vertical gradients were downward (negative) between the A/B-Zones as presented in **Table 3-2** (2021 average gradients) and shown in **Figure 3-9** (November 18, 2021

gradients). These gradients demonstrate that the predominant flow potential is downward; therefore, the horizontal flow (i.e. to the south) is insignificant.

3.2.2 B and C Bedrock Water-Bearing Zones

Groundwater flow directions in the B-Zone and C-Zone were consistent throughout 2021 (**Figure 3-10**). Hydraulic controls in the B-Zone and C-Zone were maintained throughout 2021, which is attributable to high recovery well up time and well pumping rates. Additionally, long-term monitoring demonstrates the continuation of capture zone improvements in the area of RW-11. The improvements were the result of installation and maintenance of the hybrid recovery well RW-11 which includes a screened interval within a BFBT in the B-Zone and an open bedrock hole for the C-Zone. Increases in yield at RW-5 during the Fall of 2015 have been maintained as well as the increased capture zone due to continued semiannual rehabilitation events.

B-Zone

Groundwater elevation hydrographs, along with potentiometric surface contour maps, illustrate the hydraulic effects of the HCS in the B-Zone. RW-4, RW-5 and RW-11 have induced inward (toward the recovery wells) hydraulic gradients over a large area (**Figures 3-3** and **3-10**), capturing site groundwater in the source area. **Figure 3-3** is a plot of well hydrographs from B-Zone wells in the area near and surrounding RW-11. This plot demonstrates the improved effectiveness of capturing groundwater from installation of the BFBT and RW-11.

Primary evidence of groundwater control is observed in the potentiometric contour map provided in **Figure 3-10**. The contour map demonstrates large cones of depression established for each of the recovery wells. As mentioned in the well rehabilitation section above, the Fall 2015 rehabilitation at RW-5 created significant improvements in flow and mass removal and semiannual or more frequent rehabilitation events continue to maintain these improvements.

C-Zone

Groundwater elevation hydrographs and potentiometric surface-contour maps illustrate the hydraulic effects of the HCS in the C-Zone (**Figures 3-4** and **3-11**). The C-Zone influence attributed to RW-4, RW-5, and RW-11 extends north to wells 115C, 123C, and 159C, and west to 136C. The southern extent of influence extends to well 137C and is obscured by the CECOS Landfills between the recovery wells and monitoring wells 150C, 160C and 168C. Beginning in 2008, hydraulic control in the C-Zone was improved significantly with the rehabilitation of RW-5 and the start-up of RW-11. The semiannual rehabilitations of these recovery wells, conducted as a preventative action taken which maintains well performance.

After the Fall 2015 rehabilitation at RW-5, significant improvements in flow and mass removal were observed including with a wider cone of depression in the C-zone. This resulted in a less pronounced depression immediately surrounding RW-5 in the C-zone maps (compared with previous years) because of an improved connection to the aquifer (**Figure 3-11**). However, connectivity analysis conducted in 2016 (Parsons, 2016) demonstrated that a set point ranging from 563 to 565 in RW-5 resulted in drawdown of greater than 5 feet in the recovery well. Similarly, at 162C (approximately 70 feet east of RW-5) greater than 4 feet of drawdown was observed. This verified the large drawdown in the C-Zone as noted in the past reports.

3.2.3 D, E, and F Bedrock Water-Bearing Zones

Groundwater elevation hydrographs and potentiometric surface-contour maps illustrate the effectiveness of the HCS in maintaining hydraulic control in the D-, E-, and F-Zones (**Figures 3-5** through **3-7** and **3-12** through **3-14**). The hydrographs clearly indicate the initial and sustained drawdown of groundwater elevation in the recovery wells and the surrounding monitoring wells. Potentiometric maps demonstrate the consistent cone of depression and that associated hydraulic gradients were toward the recovery wells throughout 2021, indicating the HCS is effectively controlling groundwater migration. This is further demonstrated in the spatial relationship of the source area depiction and the flow patterns depicted in **Figures 3-12** through **3-14**.

3.3 Groundwater Chemistry Monitoring

3.3.1 Background

Extensive monitoring has been conducted at Necco Park dating back to the early 1980s. Monitoring includes (but is not limited to) pre-design investigations, remedial investigations, geologic investigation, analysis of remedial alternatives, and source area investigations. Groundwater monitoring continues to meet the following objectives as defined in the SOW:

- Monitor reductions in aqueous chemistry in zone-specific source area wells as a consequence of the hydraulic control from recovery well pumping;
- Monitor the far-field groundwater chemistry to determine if the recovery system is controlling off-site migration of chemical constituents associated with the Necco Park site;
- Monitor for the presence of DNAPL;
- Monitor natural attenuation and intrinsic bioremediation in the source area and far-field; and
- Continue to evaluate the overall effectiveness of the remedial action.

The first annual status report following completion of hydraulic control elements of the Necco Park remedy (2005 Annual Report) included an extensive discussion of the first monitoring results and how these results compared to source area criteria introduced in the 1995 Analysis of Alternatives (AOA) report (DuPont Environmental Remediation Services 1995). This 2021 report provides an update of groundwater chemistry trends in relation to the long-term remedy for groundwater as well as an update of data relevant to the Source Area Criteria. The Source Area Criteria are provided in **Table 3-3**, with the 2021 results and comparison to criteria provided in **Tables 3-4** and **3-5**.

Monitoring completed in 2021 represents the seventeenth year of LTGMP performance monitoring and the fourteenth year of annual-only sampling. In accordance with the Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Plan (LTGMP) (DuPont CRG 2005a), chemical monitoring was conducted on a semi-annual basis during the first three years of system operation. Sampling has been annual since the beginning of the fourth year of system operation, with modifications to the number of wells sampled. In 2010, DuPont proposed to reduce the number of wells monitored annually based on existing data showing either very low concentrations or concentrations decreasing over time. USEPA agreed to the changes in a letter dated July 16, 2010, but required that the full list of wells be sampled on a three- or five-year schedule to monitor source area groundwater chemistry trends.

The full list of wells was last sampled during the 2018 annual sampling event, and the full well list will again be sampled in 2023. The list of wells used for long-term monitoring is included in **Table 3-6**. **Figure 3-1** provides a well location map.

3.3.2 Sample Collection and Analysis

The annual sampling event was completed between September 15 and September 24, 2021. Parsons of Buffalo, New York, completed the sampling. Samples and associated quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) samples were analyzed by TestAmerica Laboratories located in North Canton, Ohio.

As described in the Necco Park SAMP, groundwater sampling was conducted using USEPA low-flow sampling methodology and either a peristaltic pump (approved by USEPA, 2019) or using an air-driven bladder pumps equipped with disposable Teflon[©] bladders. In several cases where wells were unable to maintain low flow yields a low-flow impeller pump was used to purge the well dry and was then sampled with a bladder pump within 24 hours. The pumps were fitted with dedicated HDPE tubing.

Samples were collected at 26 monitoring well locations during the 2021 annual event. The well locations are listed in **Table 3-6**. Analytical indicator parameters are listed in **Table 3-7**. Analytical results for the sampling event conducted in 2021 are provided as **Appendix A**. For reporting purposes, the results are discussed as total VOCs (TVOCs). This is consistent with historic reporting where TVOCs are indicator compounds used to assess groundwater contamination and trends over time. Results for the respective flow zones are discussed below.

3.3.3 Source Areas Delineation

The 2021 groundwater sampling results have been compared to the same historically employed criterion to evaluate source area limits. Consistent with the AOA, any location where DNAPL was observed at least once was included in the source area. Groundwater chemistry data for the 2021 sampling event was also compared to solubility criteria to evaluate source area extent. Consistent with previous assessments, these included effective solubility for a given compound and one percent of a given compound's pure-phase solubility.

Calculated solubility criteria for DNAPL compounds evaluated during this study are presented in **Table 3-3**. A comparison of 2005 through 2021 data to the effective solubility and one percent of pure-phase solubility criteria are provided in **Tables 3-4** and **3-5**, respectively. Refinement of the monitoring program reduced the number of well comparisons from 2010 through 2012 in **Table 3-4**.

A discussion of the source area results by flow zone is provided below. It should be noted that some of the wells which are within the source area are sampled in the 5 year cycle and are not sampled annually.

A-Zone

The A-Zone source area has been defined as the Necco Park property and a limited area south of the property line. The A-Zone source limits have not changed from those provided with the 100% design submittal. The 2021 sample results indicate no exceedance of the solubility criteria. There has been only one exceedance of the solubility criteria since long term monitoring began: the 2005 first round results for well D-11 reported HCBD above the one percent solubility criteria.

Semi-annual DNAPL observations conducted at A-Zone well location 131A in 2021 indicated that no DNAPL was present. The most recent DNAPL observation at an A-Zone well prior to 2021 was at well 131A in May 2006. This well is located on the landfill. In April 2021 a foot of DNAPL was observed in 129A and in November 2021 1.26 feet and 0.06 feet was observed in 129A and 190A, respectively. Both 129A and 190A are within the source area for the site.

Groundwater flow in the A-Zone is predominantly downward to the B-Zone. Therefore, hydraulic control of the upper bedrock groundwater flow will capture flow from the A-Zone. As discussed in Section 3.3, the installation of the BFBT and recovery well RW-11 (November 2008) enhanced the degree of A-Zone hydraulic control. Based on the results of the 2021 source area criteria and DNAPL monitoring, the system is effective in controlling the A-Zone source area.

B/C-Zone

The B/C-Zone source limits have not changed from those provided with the 100% design submittal. The results indicated three wells had exceedances of the solubility criteria in 2021. At well 171B, hexachlorobenzene exceeded the solubility criteria in 2020 but had not exceeded these criterion since 2017, and hexachlorobenzene returned to below analytical detection limits in 2021 at well 171B. At 168C, hexachlorobenzene exceeded the solubility criteria for the first time in 2020 and exceeded again in 2021, however at a lower concentration. The refined sampling program reduced the frequency of some of the wells that typically exceed the criteria.

Three wells in the B/C-Zone exceeded the more conservative one percent criteria in 2021 (171B, 172B, and 168C). At 171B hexachlorobutadiene (HCBD) concentration was 620 μ g/L which is above the 20 μ g/L criteria but lower than the 2020 result (2,900 μ g/L). Hexachlorobenzene was not detected (<3.1 μ g/L) which is less than the 2020 result of 22 J µg/L, which was above the 0.11 µg/L criteria. Tetrachloroethene (PCE) concentration was below criteria (1,500 µg/L) in 2021 compared to the 2020 result of 3,400 µg/L. At 172B, the reported HCBD concentration was 150 µg/L which is above the 20 µg/L criteria. At 168C, hexachlorobenzene was 0.92 J µg/L which is above the 0.11 μg/L criteria and HCBD was 130 μg/L which is above the 20 μg/L criteria. Exceedances of the one percent solubility criteria at well locations 171B and 172B represent the spatial limit of the B-Zone source area. As discussed in Section 3.5, TVOC concentrations have significantly decreased since 2002 at locations 171B and 172B. While well 136B had exceeded the one percent solubility criteria from 2012 to 2014, the concentrations in 2015 through 2021 were below the criteria. Historic exceedance of the one percent solubility criteria at well location 136B for PCE represents the western edge of the limit of the B-Zone source area. The TVOC concentrations (which cannot be related to the one percent solubility criteria or individual compound concentrations, but do represent temporal trends) demonstrate that the concentrations at 136B have steadily declined to under 1,000 micrograms per liter (µg/l) from near 3,000 μg/l in 2012. The TVOC concentration at 136B in 2021 (572 μg/l) was the lowest observed at this location to date. Trichloroethene exceeded the 1% solubility criteria for TCE in 2020 at well 150C but decreased to below the criteria in 2021. Prior to 2020, the concentrations were below the criteria. Well 150C is south of the C-Zone source area limits. Well 168C had not exceeded the one percent criteria for HCBD since 2011 but had exceeded fairly frequently prior to 2011 and hexachlorobenzene had not exceeded in the past but had a detection limit greater than the criteria for each time it was analyzed. PCE at 168C had been below criteria but in 2021 was found at the criteria

of 1,500 μ g/l. Well 168C represents the southern edge of the limit of the C-Zone source area.

The frequency of observed DNAPL in B/C-Zone wells has decreased over the course of the monitoring program. In 2021, measurable DNAPL was observed during monthly or semi-annual DNAPL monitoring in RW-4, RW-5, and 129C. No DNAPL was observed in 2017 or 2018.

Results of the source area criteria analysis and DNAPL monitoring suggests that operation of recovery wells RW-4, RW-5, and RW-11 has achieved and maintained control of the B/C-Zone.

D/E/F-Zone

None of the 10 wells sampled in 2021 exceeded the effective solubility criteria in the D/E/F wells. One of the 10 wells typically had exceeded the more conservative one percent pure-phase criteria. Well 165E is within the limit of the D/E/F-Zone source area and had exceeded the one percent pure-phase criteria ($20 \mu g/I$) for hexachlorobutadiene since 2007, except for 2016. In 2021, Hexachlorobutadiene was below the criteria.

Source zone criteria comparison analysis conducted during 2021 confirms that the operation of recovery wells RW-8 and RW-9 has achieved and maintained source control of the D/E/F-Zone.

3.4 Groundwater Chemistry Results and Trends

An analysis of 2021 chemistry results and trends has been completed to assess the effectiveness of the HCS and previous groundwater pumping system in reducing organic compound concentrations in groundwater. TVOC concentrations versus time plots for A-Zone overburden and B- through F-Zone bedrock monitoring wells are presented in **Appendix B**.

In general, operation of the HCS and the previous groundwater recovery system, combined with the presence of the landfill cap and Subsurface Formation Repair (SFR), have contributed to an overall trend of declining TVOC concentrations in the A-Zone overburden and bedrock fractures zones. TVOC concentration decreases at several near source area and far-field wells are significant and coincide strongly with the onset of HCS operations in April 2005, thereby demonstrating the effectiveness of containments and remediation of site groundwater. Natural attenuation processes are also contributing to the reduction in chemical mass in the bedrock fracture zones.

A-Zone Overburden

Results from the four LTGMP A-Zone wells indicate TVOC concentrations are all 6.3 μ g/l or less, except for well 137A. Sampling results for well 137A (71.03 μ g/l) represents the location of the highest reported A-Zone TVOCs and the 2021 TVOC concentration was the lowest observed at this location. Other well locations were significantly lower: 145A (below detection limits), 146AR (6.3 μ g/L), and 150A (0.22 μ g/L). The not detected TVOC result at 145A was last observed in 2015. The 2021 results are consistent with historical results in that they show no significant off-site horizontal chemical migration in the overburden.

Three of the four annual wells used to monitor the A-Zone (145A, 146AR, and 150A) exhibit near consistently low (<5 μ g/l) TVOC concentrations with no true discernable trend. These three wells have been less than 5 μ g/l since 2007 or earlier except for

146AR that had a negligible increase in 2020 to 10.79 μ g/l which improved in 2021 to 6.3 μ g/L.

Closer to the landfill, well 137A has shown the greatest decline of the A-Zone wells with concentrations ranging close to 1,200 μ g/l in 2005 to as low as 71.03 μ g/l in 2021. A downward trend between 2005 and 2013 is evident at 137A, has been maintained through 2021 and suggests groundwater extraction in the RW-10/RW-11 area has effectively controlled offsite groundwater flow in this location.

B-Zone

Results from the eight LTGMP B-Zone wells indicate TVOC concentrations were consistent with previous years with decreases in TVOC over time, thereby demonstrating effective groundwater capture by the recovery wells (**Appendix B**). Results were below 2,000 μ g/l in five of the wells sampled in 2020. Six of the eight wells exhibit large decreases in TVOC over time, thereby demonstrating effective groundwater capture by the recovery wells.

Source area limit wells 171B and 172B show a continued overall TVOC declining trend. Well 171B has decreased 3 orders of magnitude between 2002 and 2018 from over 100,000 μ g/l to 141.47 μ g/l but exhibited an increase in 2019 (9,730 μ g/l) and 2020 (24,363 µg/l). In 2021, 171B (1,788 µg/L) declined from the previous two years to closer to earlier concentrations. Well 172B has decreased one order of magnitude to 4,874 $\mu q/l$ during a similar timeframe. Additionally, the concentrations suggest that there is an active natural attenuation component to the VOCs, as biogenic degradation compounds including cis-1,2-dichloroethene (cis-DCE) and vinyl chloride (VC) are prevalent compounds in the TVOC results at these well locations. The trend towards increased degradation compounds coupled with an absence of source area constituents is evident at well location 171B based on the 2007 through 2021 VOC results. Additionally, well 145B, just outside the source area in the southeast corner, also provides evidence of hydraulic control as concentrations have decreased significantly. Concentrations were over 30,000 μ g/l in 2006 and have decreased to less than 10,000 since 2010 and as low as 3.12 µg/l in 2018. In 2021 the TVOC concentration was 3,273 µg/l which is similar to the range observed over the past 10 years. At 145B, concentrations of DCE and VC are the highest parameters withing the TVOC results.

Far-field wells 146B and 150B also demonstrate the effectiveness of the groundwater control system. Concentrations have decreased by one order of magnitude at both wells since 2000. In 2021, the TVOC concentration at 146B was 33.1 μ g/l and at 150B the TVOC concentration was 157.8 μ g/l.

Three B-Zone wells (136B, 137B, and 168B) have a slight overall flat to decreasing trend with more apparent decreasing trends from 2012 to 2021. At location 136B, which is at the southwestern edge of the source area, there is a slight overall declining trend in the data and a more robust declining trend in the data between 2012 and 2021. The 2021 result at 136B (572 μ g/l) is the lowest found at this location to date. At well 168B (southern edge of the source area), the TVOC concentrations are within the 2000 through 2012 range, but appeared to be increasing between 2005 and 2012, then decreasing between 2012 and 2021. Since 2012 (59,248 μ g/l) TVOC concentrations have decreased to 25,020 μ g/l, in 2019, increased slightly in 2020 to 31,860 μ g/l, then decreased slightly in 2021 (29,980 μ g/l). At well 137B, along the southern source area boundary, there appears to be a slight overall decreasing trend in the data, with the early data to 2010 slightly unstable then from 2011 to 2021 the data is stable with a strong

decreasing trend during this time period. TVOC concentrations at 137B have ranged from 271.1 μ g/l to 2,112 μ g/l and were 295.0 μ g/l (average of sample and duplicate sample, 294.7 μ g/l and 295.2 μ g/l) in 2021.

C-Zone

Results from the four C-Zone wells analyzed for long term trends indicate TVOC concentrations are consistent with previous long-term monitoring results and source area is controlled.

Wells 145C and 168C are used to delineate the C-Zone source area limit. These wells had TVOC concentrations in 2021 between 187.8 μ g/l (145C) and 25,793 μ g/l (168C). At 145C concentrations were lowest in the record for the six years in a row between 2013 and 2018, and a decreasing trend is evident, even with a slight TVOC concentration uptick in 2019 to 260.4 μ g/l, 2020 to 164.9 μ g/l, and 2021 187.8 μ g/l the decreasing trend with time remains evident. Since this is a source area well, it is expected to take an extended period for concentrations to decline. At downgradient well 168C, the concentration initially decreased after 2005 start-up but later increased to the 10,000 to 15,000 μ g/l range. The concentrations have been slightly decreasing again since 2010. In 2018, a significant decline was observed to 216.9 μ g/l, the lowest observed TVOC concentration at 168C to date. However, in 2019 TVOCs increased to 4,412 μ g/l and increased again in 2020 to 10,952 μ g/l and again in 2021 to 25,793 μ g/l which is similar to TVOC concentrations observed between 2011 and 2017.

TVOC concentrations at downgradient well 146C were over 20 μ g/l prior to 2006; however, the concentrations decreased between 2006 and 2013 to below 15.0 μ g/l. Concentrations between 2014 and 2017 increased to between 58.0 μ g/l and 76.0 μ g/l. In 2018 TVOC concentration decreased to 50.9 μ g/l and decreased further in 2019 (25.3 μ g/l) and 2020 (19.6 μ g/l), the lowest in seven years. In 2021, TVOC concentrations decreased again to 14.3 μ g/l, the lowest in eight years.

At location 150C, concentrations are variable, having historical concentrations of 48,687 µg/l in 1990 followed by significant decreases by 94% since sampling began, from near 250 µg/l to below 15 µg/l in 2010 and 2012. However, the TVOC results for 2013 and 2014 show a marked increase to 463.3 µg/l and 2,352 µg/l. After 2014, TVOC concentrations decreased each year, with the concentration in 2018 the lowest observed to date (3.74 μg/l). In 2019 TVOC concentrations increased slightly to 17.25 μg/l but a significant increase to 62,860 μ g/l was observed in 2020. In 2021 TVOC concentrations at 150C decreased slightly to 53,560 µg/l. While the 2020 concentration increase at 150C is notable, an increase and subsequent decrease in concentrations observed in 150C is not unprecedented. Future sampling will determine if the concentration spike observed in 2020, and subsequent decrease in concentration in 2021 represents a trend. These changes in concentration, dominated by degradation products (cis-12,DCE and VC), are likely the result of variations in concentration near the edge of the plume and not changes in source area extent. It is important to note, as mentioned in Section 2.4, well 150C was redeveloped in 2020 prior to the groundwater sampling event, therefore some of the previous data may be biased low. Most of VOCs at 150C are attributed to DCE and VC.

D-Zone

Results from the four D-Zone wells indicate TVOC concentrations are generally low and/or declining over time at these monitoring locations.

Well 165D is within the source area. TVOC concentration here were under 25 μ g/l between 2016 and 2019. Well 165D had TVOC concentrations which have been declining since the peak of approximately 1,600 μ g/l in May 2006. An increase in TVOC concentrations was found in 2020 with a result of 5,734 μ g/l. In 2021 TVOC concentrations at 165D decreased to 2,731 μ g/l, well below the 2020 result but not back in the previously observed TVOC range. Future TVOC results will determine if the spike encountered in 2020 is a new trend in TVOC concentrations or is an anomalous result.

TVOC concentrations at far-field wells (136D, 145D, and 148D) ranged from 3.98 μ g/l (148D) to 202.5 μ g/l (145D). At wells 136D and 145D, the concentrations have continued to decline since the historical concentrations as high as approximately 3,000 μ g/l. In 2021, the TVOC concentrations in wells 136D and 145D have decreases to 165.74 μ g/l and 202.5 μ g/l, respectively. At far field well 148D, the concentrations remained low and have been below 5.3 μ g/l from 1996 to present. At 148D there is a potential declining trend from 2016 to 2021, however, due to the low concentrations (< 5 μ g/l) there is little meaning to the trend.

Consistent with previous long-term monitoring results, biogenic degradation compounds including cis-DCE and VC dominate TVOC results for wells 136D, 145D, 148D, and 165D (see Section 3.5 for more details on MNA). Furthermore monitoring has shown hydraulic control from the HCS extends beyond the D/E/F-Zone source area limits, and concentrations in D-Zone wells demonstrate that the HCS is effectively controlling groundwater flow as designed.

E-Zone

Results from the three E-Zone wells (146E, 150E, and 165E) indicate TVOC concentrations were between 529.6 μ g/l and 8,100 μ g/l. Well 165E (8,100 μ g/l) is within the E-Zone source area and has shown an increasing TVOC trend between 2006 and 2011 however, more recent TVOC results have indicated a strong declining trend from 2011 through 2021. The TVOC concentrations are high (now typically between 26,580 $\mu q/l$ and 15.280 $\mu q/l$, 2018 and 2019), therefore the significance of any potential trend is difficult to identify. This well is less than 100 feet up-/side-gradient to RW-9. It is likely that the effectiveness of capture on the E-Zone at RW-5 is related to the increasing concentrations observed through 2011, as expected in this type of capture scenario. The 2019 and 2020 TVOC concentration at well 146E (487.5 μ g/l and 190.3 μ g/l) were the lowest observed at this location. In 2021, TVOC concentrations at 146E were 529.6 μ g/l, while higher than 2019 and 2020 still the lowest observed outside of the previous two years. TVOC results for well 146E, located at the edge of the source area limits, have been trending lower, with concentrations typically over 10,000 μ g/l prior to 2009 and between 3,500 and 6,300 µg/l between 2009 and 2014. In 2015 the TVOC concentration at 146E increased to 11,566 µg/l from 3,531 µg/l in 2014. 2016 TVOC concentrations increased again to 14,169 µg/l. Even with the TVOC increases observed in the 2015 and 2016 sampling events, the overall trend for TVOCs continues to be declining. Well 150E also located near, but outside the source area limits has maintained initial decreases observed in 1996, with concentrations ranging from 6,590 μ g/l (1996) to 388 μ g/l (2015) and typically between 500 and 1,500 μ g/l in recent years,

however in 2019 the TVOC concentration increase to 7,835 μ g/l (the highest observed at this location). The 2020 results indicate this increase observed in 2019 was anomalous with TVOC concentrations dropping back down (1,020.1 μ g/l), but in 2021 bounced back up to 5,250.0 μ g/l. While the 2021 result is an increase from the 2020 result, it is still significantly less than the result observed in 2019. All E-Zone groundwater monitoring locations are stable or on a declining trend. Degradation products including cis-DCE and VC dominate TVOC results for all the E-Zone wells. As discussed in Section 3.5, the presence of these degradation compounds is indicative of the occurrence of active natural attenuation processes.

Groundwater concentrations in E-Zone wells demonstrate that the HCS is effectively controlling groundwater flow as designed.

F-Zone

Results from the three F-Zone wells indicate TVOC concentrations ranged from 6.20 μ g/L to 9,290 μ g/l, and all three locations showed decreasing trends. Similar to the results from the E-Zone wells TVOC, results for all the F-Zone wells are mostly dominated by biogenic degradation compounds cis-DCE and VC.

TVOC concentrations at well 146F, at the edge of the F-Zone source area have decreased from a high of 36,700 μ g/l in 2000 to 9,290 μ g/l in 2021. TVOC concentrations at near source well 136F have also steadily declined since HCS startup from 8,348 μ g/l (2005) to 6.20 μ g/l (2021). TVOC concentrations have been below 10 μ g/l for the last 4 years. TVOC concentrations at location 150F have shown a steady trend lower since 1998, with concentrations decreasing from initially over 4,500 μ g/l to 889 μ g/l in 2021.

TVOC concentrations have apparently decreased at these F-Zone locations in response to the startup of the HCS, which indicates that the HCS is effectively controlling groundwater flow as designed.

3.5 Evaluation of New Groundwater Sampling Methods

As approved by the USEPA, groundwater sampling was completed using a low-flow peristaltic pump in wells with depths to water less than approximately 20 feet to improve field efficiency, reduce decontamination, and reduce waste. In deeper wells or wells that exhibited significant drawdown, an impeller pump or bladder pump was used. This approved sampling method replaced the use of only bladder pumps prior to 2019. Analytical results for the different sampling methods can be seen in the plots of the analytical data included in **Appendix B**.

Based on the 2019 through 2021 analytical results obtained using the USEPA-approved new sampling methods, analytical results compare favorably with the many previous years of existing data. None of the well locations sampled from 2019 through 2021 exhibited anomalously low TVOC results out of historical range. Future groundwater sampling events plan to use the same methods employed from 2019 through 2021.

3.6 Monitored Natural Attenuation (MNA) Assessment

Based on the 2018 MNA sampling results (discussed in the 2018 Annual Report) and USEPA approval (USEPA July 16, 2010), future MNA sampling is currently scheduled to be completed on a five-year schedule. The next MNA sampling is scheduled to be completed in 2023. However, VOC and field parameter concentrations from 2021

generally indicate that MNA remains an active component in the source area and the farfield plume. For example, downgradient constituents are predominately degradation products (DCE and VC) and source area groundwater has remained anaerobic and likely sulfate reducing and or methanogenic.

3.7 DNAPL Monitoring and Recovery

As described in the LTGMP and the DNAPL Monitoring and Recovery Plan, monitoring for the occurrence of DNAPL has been conducted routinely at the Necco Park site since the early 1980s. An active recovery and monitoring program was instituted in 1989 to remove free-phase DNAPL from monitoring and groundwater recovery wells. The historically established monitoring program was modified based on results of the Predesign Investigations. In 2015, the USEPA agreed to a request from Chemours to reduce the number of wells monitored monthly and semi-annually for DNAPL. However, the USEPA requested that once every two years, the full list of DNAPL wells are checked. The revised monitoring schedule began in June 2015.

The 2021 monthly DNAPL monitoring results are summarized in **Table 3-8** with removal events as follows:

- March 18 gallons RW-4 and 14 gallons from RW-5.
- April 5 gallons from RW-4.
- May 4 gallons from 129C and 1 gallon from 190A.
- June 6 gallons from RW-4.
- September 16 gallons from RW-4 and 6 gallons from RW-5.
- November 1.26 gallons from 129A and 0.06 gallons from 190A.

The total DNAPL recovered in 2021 was 71.3 gallons which is within the range of DNAPL typical recovery from the previous ten years (range is from 0 to 130 gallons). This volume represents less than 1% of the total DNAPL removed and only a small fraction of the total mass removed. **Figure 3-15** provides DNAPL recovery volumes over the length of the program. As demonstrated in the plot, greater than 70% of the total DNAPL was recovered in the first 6 years and 95% total DNAPL was recovered in the first 23 years (between 1989 and 2011). The decline in DNAPL recovery is typical and generally expected. Furthermore small increases and decreases on a year to year basis are expected for site such as Necco Park. DNAPL observations over the last three years are significantly lower than early in the program (1989 -1991) and very similar to yearly volumes since 1992. There has not been a significant increase in DNAPL recovery between 2019 and 2021.

3.8 Quality Control/Quality Assurance

The 2021 annual groundwater samples were submitted to TestAmerica Laboratories in North Canton, Ohio, for all chemical analyses. In accordance with the LTGMP and consistent with previous years, QA/QC procedures included in-house data review. In previous years through 2016, 10% independent validation of the data was completed by Environmental Standards, Inc., of Valley Forge, Pennsylvania. On July 30, 2015, Chemours proposed to eliminate the 10% validation based on 10 years of no instances when significant data qualification or rejection of data occurred as a result of findings from the 10% full validation that wasn't also identified by the 100% CDRP. The USEPA

approved the proposed reduction in a letter dated October 19, 2016. All other provisions of the QAPP remain unchanged.

3.8.1 Sample Collection

All samples were collected in accordance with the scope and technical requirements defined in the project Work Plan and Quality Assurance Project Plan (DuPont CRG 2005c) and USEPA approved changes agreed to via email May 30, 2019. May 2019 approved changes allowed for the use of a peristaltic pump or a low flow impeller pump such as the Grundfos Rediflow2 to complete low flow groundwater sampling. Samples were submitted in six delivery groups received at the laboratories between September 16 and 25, 2021. Based on laboratory receipt records, all samples were received in satisfactory condition, properly preserved, and within USEPA holding time and temperature requirements. Field QC samples collected during the sampling round included two field duplicate pairs, two daily equipment blank samples, and six trip blanks (volatile organics).

In-House Data Collection

The quality of the data set was evaluated by the AECOM Analytical Data Quality Management Group using the analytical results provided in hard-copy contract laboratory protocol-type data packages in conjunction with an automated data evaluation of the electronic data deliverables (the Chemours Data Review [DVM] process described below). The laboratory data packages presented a review of the QA/QC procedures conducted by the laboratory and included case narratives identifying any significant issues associated with sample receipt, preparation, and analysis.

The electronic data was processed through an automated program developed by Chemours, referred to as the DVM, where a series of checks were performed on the data, essentially resulting in a summary level validation. The data were evaluated against holding time criteria, checked for laboratory blank, equipment blank, and trip blank contamination, and assessed against the following:

- Matrix spike(MS)/matrix spike duplicate (MSD) recoveries
- Relative percent differences (RPDs) between MS/MSD samples
- Laboratory control sample (LCS)/control sample duplicate (LCSD) recoveries
- RPDs between LCS/LCSD
- RPDs between laboratory replicates
- Surrogate spike recoveries
- RPDs between field duplicate samples

The DVM also applied the following data qualifiers to analysis results, as warranted:

DEFAULT QUALIFIERS

Qualifier	Definition
В	Not detected substantially above the level reported in the laboratory or field blanks.
R	Unusable result. Analyte may or may not be present in the sample.

Qualifier	Definition
J	Analyte present. Reported value may not be accurate or precise.
UJ	Not detected. Reporting limit may not be accurate or precise.

All volatile organic and semi-volatile organic sample analyses were completed within the USEPA recommended holding times. All organic parameters were reported to the current laboratory method detection limit (MDL). Target compounds detected between the MDL and the reporting limit (PQL/RL) were J qualified as estimated concentrations.

A number of samples required dilutions for analysis of volatiles and semi-volatiles due to the levels of target compounds and/or non-target interferences. As a result, the reporting limits for the affected samples are elevated, and in some cases, the sample surrogate recoveries could not be determined (diluted out) or were recovered outside of the laboratory control window.

Low concentrations of barium was detected in the September 17, 2021 equipment blank. Similar detections of these analytes in the associated well samples from 145B and 171B were B qualified during the data review process. The reported concentrations may not be representative of actual well conditions.

The semi-volatile analysis included a target tentatively identified compound reported as TIC #1. All positive results reported for TIC #1 have been J qualified as estimated concentrations. Additionally, a non-target tentatively identified compound was detected in several samples and was J qualified as estimated concentrations.

The laboratory instrumentation cannot separate 3-methylphenol and 4-methylphenol under the chromatographic conditions used for sample analysis. The results reported represent the combined total of both semi-volatile compounds.

All analyses for organics were completed within the 14-day USEPA holding time guidance for preserved volatiles. Two samples (137B and BLIND2-DUP) had measured pH greater than two but were analyzed within seven days of collection and were therefore not qualified as estimated. The semi-volatiles analyses met the USEPA holding time guidance of 7 days from collection for extraction, and 40 days of collection for analysis for aqueous samples.

All inorganics were reported to the current laboratory MDLs. Detections between the MDL and the PQL/RL were J-qualified as estimated concentrations.

A number of samples required dilutions for chloride analysis. As a result, the reporting limits for the affected samples are elevated.

The USEPA holding time guidance for barium (180 days) was met for all samples in the program.

There was insufficient sample volume available for the laboratory to include projectspecific matrix spikes with all sample prep groups for all analyses. Matrix spikes were prepared and analyzed as available, and laboratory control spikes/spike duplicates were also analyzed with each sample group and used for determining compliance with QC limits.

Evaluation of the Relative Percent Difference (%RPD) between field duplicate pairs is performed via the automated DVM process. The positive analyte detections in the two pairs of blind field duplicates collected for this program compared very well (less than the 30% RPD guideline used for aqueous samples).

All samples were collected in accordance with the scope and technical requirements defined in the project Work Plan and Quality Assurance Project Plan (DuPont CRG 2005c). Samples were submitted in six delivery groups received at the laboratories between September 16 and September 25, 2021. Based on laboratory receipt records, all samples were properly preserved, and within USEPA holding time and temperature requirements. All samples were received in satisfactory condition with the following exceptions:

- Two amber liter sample bottles were received at the laboratory broken in sample group 240-156287-1, however sufficient volume was available for analysis;
- The pH of VOA vials for 137B and BLIND2-DUP measured greater than 2. The volatile results in these samples were not qualified as estimated since the VOA analysis was completed within seven days of sample collection.

4.0 CAP MAINTENANCE

The cap was substantially completed in 2005, and all remedial items were completed by August 2006. A lawn maintenance contractor maintains both the landfill cap and ditch vegetation. Landfill cap maintenance activities are conducted in accordance with the Cap Maintenance and Monitoring Plan (CMMP). Results of the landfill cap maintenance inspection conducted on December 13, 2021 are provided in **Appendix C**. No leachate seeps or settlement was identified, and all aspects of the landfill that were inspected were found acceptable.

5.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

5.1 Hydraulic Control Effectiveness

5.1.1 Conclusions

The HCS continues to be effective at controlling source area groundwater at the Necco Park site. The following observations support this conclusion:

- Water levels in the A-Zone continue a long-term decreasing trend due to the inplace remedial measures including the impermeable landfill cap and groundwater pumping. The A-Zone is dewatering vertically from the hydraulic depression created by the HCS in the B-Zone. This is evident in vertical gradients, drawdown calculations, and time series plots of water level elevations.
- Groundwater potentiometric contour maps depict a capture zone encompassing the source area in the B-, C-, D-, E- and F-Zones.

The addition of RW-11 continues to be an improvement in A-, B-, and C-Zone hydraulic control in the southwestern part of the site. Furthermore, increases in well yield at RW-5 in Fall 2015 increased capture in the A, B and C-Zone around this well.

5.1.2 Recommendations

Based on the site history, years of monitoring, and observations made in 2021, the following procedures are recommended:

- Continue to rehabilitate RW-4, RW-5, RW-11, semi-annually and/or as necessary.
- Evaluate 2022 concentrations at 150C to determine if the increase in concentrations observed in 2020 and 2021 represents a trend or a short term increase. Transducers will be deployed to B/C zone wells in the area of RW-5 prior to a scheduled maintenance shutdown at RW-5. Water level data will be collected prior to, during, and after the shutdown and used to support the capture evaluation in the B/C zone in the area of RW-5.
- Evaluate the capture in the B/C zone with detailed hydrogeological testing, focusing near RW-5.

5.2 Groundwater Chemistry Monitoring

5.2.1 Conclusions

The 2021 and historical chemistry monitoring results indicate the following:

- Overall, the TVOC concentrations are decreasing for all groundwater flow zones in the source area and far-field. In the very few locations where there were increasing trends of TVOC, the concentrations were within historical range or inside the source area near a recovery well.
- Analytical results for 2021 would not change the A-Zone and B/C-Zone source area limits as delineated in the SAR.

- Analytical results for 2021 (including well 146E) support the 2005 Annual Report conclusion of a reduced source area limit for the D/E/F-Zone as delineated in the SAR based on the analytical results from well 146E.
- Results from groundwater sampling events completed since HCS startup show that the HCS is effectively controlling zone-specific source areas.

5.2.2 Recommendations

The 2021 sampling results represent the 20th groundwater sampling event in the long-term monitoring program. It is recommended that the long-term monitoring program continue in its current form, including the revisions from 2010, 2011, 2016, and 2019.

5.3 MNA Conclusions and Recommendations

The next sampling event for formal MNA monitoring is scheduled to be completed in 2023. However, the analytical results from 2021, such as concentrations of degradation products and geochemical conditions, continue to support the recommendation that MNA assessments be conducted every five years.

5.4 DNAPL Monitoring and Recovery

5.4.1 Conclusions

Results of the 2021 DNAPL monitoring and historical recovery efforts indicate the following:

- Monitoring for the presence of DNAPL was completed monthly during 2021.
- Measurable DNAPL was identified in each of the months in 2021.
- Approximately 8,953 gallons of DNAPL have been recovered since the recovery program was initiated in 1989.
- As approved by the USEPA, a revised list of wells was monitored monthly and semi-annually beginning in June 2015. The full list of well previously checked for DNAPL is monitored once every two years.

5.4.2 Recommendation

Continue DNAPL monitoring as revised and approved by the USEPA in 2015 and recover DNAPL where encountered.

5.5 Landfill Cap

5.5.1 Conclusions and Recommendations

With establishment of a continuous vegetative cover, the landfill cap construction is complete and is maintained in accordance with the CMMP. In 2021, no repairs to the landfill cap were necessary and the cap was appropriately maintained. The landfill cap inspection was completed on December 13, 2021 and will continue in 2022.

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TABLES



Table 2-1HCS Recovery Well Performance Summary - 2021

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Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

	B/C-ZONE D/E/F-ZONE										
	RW-4	1	RW-	5	RW-1	1	RW-8	8	RW-9)	
	Total Gallons Pumped	Uptime°	Total Gallons Pumped	Uptime°	Total Gallons Pumped	Uptime°	Total Gallons ⁻ Pumped Uptime°		Total Gallons Pumped	Uptime°	
January	13,510	91.67%	163,929	89.30%	285,791	91.68%	298,520	92.70%	227,671	92.72%	
February	19,470	97.90%	148,388	89.61%	235,467	97.89%	321,519	97.93%	290,607	97.93%	
March	24,107	99.05%	103,640	68.97%	286,631	96.17%	379,518	100.00%	318,694	98.08%	
April	18,405	89.14%	131,320	92.49%	257,782	94.87%	379,783	100.00%	359,281	100.00%	
May	24,936	99.03%	139,990	98.71%	240,301	98.95%	377,670	99.10%	362,139	99.09%	
June	24,430	98.96%	67,165	49.94%	104,088	52.65%	357,524	99.24%	326,542	99.93%	
July	20,797	93.15%	139,133	84.11%	232,893	96.51%	346,031	96.56%	340,713	96.55%	
August	17,346	99.80%	159,483	92.98%	216,860	96.94%	346,093	99.77%	334,663	99.80%	
September	18,440	96.76%	113,143	87.33%	198,738	98.49%	352,209	100.00%	368,898	100.00%	
October	11,610	58.92%	90,261	57.08%	155,465	57.18%	227,229	61.29%	241,839	61.30%	
November	24,905	92.19%	134,952	91.83%	236,006	92.11%	275,322	93.67%	224,306	95.53%	
December	15,618	96.08%	134,993	95.38%	250,119	96.06%	277,600	92.80%	195,162	81.76%	
2021 TOTAL / AVG.	233,574	92.7%	1,526,397	83.1%	2,700,141	89.1%	3,939,018	94.4%	3,590,515	93.6%	
2020	220,949	90.2%	1,828,035	83.6%	3,024,489	90.8%	3,046,342	92.2%	3,096,254	91.6%	
2019	263,589	90.0%	2,054,652	82.9%	3,077,949	86.6%	3,551,504	93.1%	3,605,878	90.9%	
2018	304,833	88.4%	2,146,956	82.1%	3,140,119	87.6%	3,741,978	89.6%	4,215,450	92.1%	
2017	187,283	82.1%	2,408,465	74.8%	2,841,144	85.7%	4,198,265	91.8%	4,192,719	91.8%	
2016	233,743	83.7%	2,270,861	74.6%	2,422,531	82.1%	4,508,452	87.6%	3,191,504	87.6%	
2015	274,254	77.0%	2,000,841	75.1%	1,668,783	77.4%	4,470,155	82.9%	3,563,902	82.8%	
2014	290,476	95.7%	1,889,388	88.4%	2,155,520	91.6%	5,653,830	98.0%	4,301,449	98.1%	
2013	433,801	92.5%	1,005,124	89.3%	3,367,369	84.4%	5,680,340	94.4%	5,250,524	93.8%	
2012	475,401	94.9%	1,221,900	88.8%	3,538,799	85.4%	5,135,229	97.7%	4,774,110	97.7%	
2011	115,439	90.7%	1,380,257	84.6%	2,772,890	85.8%	4,587,729	96.7%	4,763,517	97.1%	
2010	144,749	90.3%	1,437,736	86.1%	3,327,973	86.0%	4,091,555	90.8%	4,772,745	90.6%	
2009	106,849	93.7%	1,447,179	88.7%	5,585,699	90.8%	4,639,060	97.8%	4,397,025	97.6%	
2008	103,262	90.9%	1,101,634	71.4%	1,149,746**	69.0%	3,680,999	96.9%	6,210,570	96.2%	
2007	109,853	95.1%	1,391,339	83.6%	362,994*	92.6%	3,857,693	96.2%	5,506,023	95.9%	
2006	92,358	90.0%	2,184,288	93.9%	701,579*	87.8%	4,581,348	95.0%	5,236,043	94.4%	
2005	70,814	94.0%	1,966,338	93.0%	799,663*	95.0%	2,950,786	93.0%	3,881,318	93.0%	

°Time taken for routine maintenance was not calculated as down-time

*RW-10

** RW-10 and RW-11 Combination

Table 2-2GWTF Process Sampling Results - 2021Remedial Acton Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report

Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

General Water Quality			B/C INF	LUENT			D/E/F IN	FLUENT		(т
Analyte		3/9/2021	6/2/2021	8/17/2021	11/18/2021	3/9/2021	6/2/2021	8/17/2021	11/18/2021	3/9/2021	6/2/2021	8/17/2021	11/18/2021
Field Parameters													
SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE	μmhos/cm	1900	6744	6520	7960	1900	4554	4450	5560	500	4362	4530	5700
TEMPERATURE	°C	10.6	13.8	17.5	13.2	11.8	13.4	15.1	12.4	7.7	16.5	19.3	13.7
COLOR	ns	cloudy	clear	cloudy	cloudy	clear	clear	clear	clear	none	clear	clear	cloudy
ODOR	ns	slight	mild	strong	strong	strong	mild	slight	strong	none	none	none	none
РН	std units	7.16	5.98	5.19	5.81	7.65	7.06	6.83	7.13	8.44	7.61	7.49	7.98
REDOX	mv	125.3	144.8	3.6	-47.1	-180	-165	-235.5	-244.5	-104.4	-60	-63.7	-152.2
TURBIDITY	ntu	35.0	42.2	60.7	53.6	52.3	52.4	58.7	38.5	1.21	12.6	56.3	72.4
Volatile Organics													
1,1,2,2-TETRACHLOROETHANE	μg/l	4500	3200	3200	3700	1200	1000	770	990	12	12	500	360
1,1,2-TRICHLOROETHANE	μg/l	3500	2500	2300	2900	2000	1800	1500	1800	4.7	5.1	200	480
1,1-DICHLOROETHENE	μg/l	500	440	360 J	370 J	250	240	240	250	<0.19	<0.19	<4.9	<4.9
1,2-DICHLOROETHANE	μg/l	560	410	420 J	500	160 J	130 J	140 J	160 J	0.26 J	0.35 J	11	37
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE	μg/l	7100	6400	5100	6200	720	770	630	850	<0.26	<0.26	<2.6	6.8 J
CHLOROFORM	μg/l	17000	14000	13000	17000	2300	2200	2100	2700	6.1	9.4	44	250
CIS-1,2-DICHLOROETHENE	μg/l	8400	7200	6500	6700	9300	9100	8600	9500	1.1	1.6	38	160
METHYLENE CHLORIDE	μg/l	2800	2200	2000 J	4200 B	4200	3700	3700	5100 B	<2.6	<2.6	33 J	150 B
TETRACHLOROETHENE	μg/l	12000	10000	8200	9100	620	580	510	700	0.34 J	0.3 J	5.4 J	33
TRANS-1,2-DICHLOROETHENE	μg/l	450	360 J	320 J	360 J	640	560	570	610	<0.19	<0.19	<5.1	<5.1
TRICHLOROETHENE	μg/l	16000	14000	13000	15000	3400	3500	3000	3500	0.5 J	0.76 J	14	80
VINYL CHLORIDE	μg/l	2200	2400	1400	1300	1600	2000	1200	1300	<0.2	<0.2	<4.5	<4.5
TOTAL VOLATILES	μg/l	75,010	63,110	55,800	63,130	26,390	25,580	22,960	22,360	25	30	845	1,407

< and ND = Non detect at stated reporting limit

J= Analyte present. Reported value may not be precise.

TABLE 3-1Quarterly Hydaulic Monitoring Locations

Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

Well ID	Zone	Well ID	Zone	Well ID	Zone
53	А	159B	В	203D	D
111A	А	160B	В	RW-8	D/E/F
117A	А	161B	В	RW-9	D/E/F
119A	А	163B	В	202D	D
123A	А	167B	В	129E	E
129A	А	168B	В	136E	E
131A	А	169B	В	142E	E
137A	А	170B	В	145E	E
139A	А	171B	В	146E	E
140A	А	172B	В	150E	E
145A	А	201B	В	163E	E
146AR	А	BZTW-1	В	164E	Е
150A	А	BZTW-2	В	165E	F
159A	А	BZTW-4	В	202E	Е
163A	А	D-23	В	203E	F
168A	А	PZ-B	В	112F	F
173A	А	D-10	B/C	123F	F
174A	А	D-14	B/C	129F	F
175A	А	RW-5	B/C	130F	F
176A	А	RW-4	B/C	136F	F
178A	А	RW-11	B/C	145F	F
179A	А	105C	С	146F	F
184A	А	115C	С	148F	F
185A	А	123C	С	150F	F
186A	А	129C	С	163F	F
187A	А	130C	С	164F	F
188A	А	136C	С	165F	F
189A	А	137C	С	202F	F
190A	А	138C	С	203F	F
191A	А	139C	С	136G	G
192A	А	141C	С	TRW-6	B/C
193A	А	145C	С	TRW-7	B/C
194A	А	146C	С	PZ-205B	В
D-9	А	149C	С		
D-11	А	150C	С		
RDB-3	А	151C	С		
RDB-5	А	159C	С		
D-13	А	160C	С		
PZ-A	А	161C	С		
168A	А	162C	С		
102B	В	168C	С		
111B	В	204C	С		
112B	В	105D	D		
116B	В	111D	D		
118B	В	115D	D		
119B	В	123D	D		
120B	В	129D	D		
123B	В	130D	D		
129B	В	136D	D		
130B	В	137D	D		
136B	В	139D	D		
137B	В	145D	D		
138B	В	148D	D		
139B	В	149D	D		
145B	В	158D	D		
146B	В	159D	D		
149B	В	163D	D		
150B	В	164D	D		
151B	В	165D	D		

Notes: 1. Well 204C installed in 2008 to replace 112C. Water levels began in 1Q09.

2. Piezometers PZ-A, PZ-B, and 168A installed in 2008.

3. All AT zone wells were eliminated from the hydraulic monitoring program on consent from USEPA

letter dated 01/27/2012.

4. PZ-205B installed in 2015.

Table 3-22021 Average A-Zone to B-Zone Vertical Gradients

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		Α	В	С	D	
Wel	l Pair	2021 Average A-Zone Head	2021 Average B-Zone Head	A-Zone Mid-Point of Well Screen	B-Zone Fracture Elevation ¹	Vertical Gradient ^{2,3} (B-A) / (C-D)
111A	111B	572.44	571.57	573.94	561.80	-0.07
119A	119B	573.84	573.16	571.63	556.90	-0.05
129A	129B	573.75	571.60	570.10	557.80	-0.17
137A	137B	571.91	571.13	570.10	561.30	-0.09
145A	145B	571.46	569.33	564.19	546.30	-0.12
150A	150B	571.98	570.44	564.69	553.18	-0.13
159A	159B	576.55	571.83	580.62	562.90	-0.27
163A	163B	572.88	572.87	572.49	564.96	0.00
168A	168B	572.34	569.86	555.22	544.90	-0.24

Notes:

1) A B-Zone fracture was not observed in the 145B borehole, therefore the midpoint of the open hole was used.

- 2) Unitless (ft/ft).
- 3) Negative values indicate a downward (from A-Zone to B-Zone) gradient.
- 4) Average gradients were used to better reflect typical vertical gradients at the site.

Table 3-3DNAPL Components and Solubility Criteria Values

Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

Contaminant	Mole Fraction in DNAPL (%)	Pure-Phase Solubility (μg/l)	One-Percent Pure-Phase Solubility (μg/l)	Effective Solubility (μg/l)
Hexachlorobutadiene	59	2,000	20	1,180
Hexachloroethane	9	50,000	500	4,500
Hexachlorobenzene	2	11	0.11	0.22
Carbon tetrachloride	5	800,000	8,000	40,000
Chloroform	1	8,000,000	80,000	80,000
Tetrachloroethene	3	150,000	1,500	4,500
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	5	2,900,000	29,000	145,000
Trichloroethene	4	1,100,000	11,000	44,000

Table 3-4

Effective Solubility Concentration Exceedances for DNAPL Compounds - 2005 through 2021 Annual Sampling Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report

Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 Criteria Flow 1st Event 2nd Event 1st Event 2nd Event 1st Event 2nd Event (ppb) Well ID Zone Analyte BC BC BC BC BC BC Hexachlorobutadiene 1,180 2,100 BC BC NS BC BC BC 171B В BC <0.95 < 0.41 Hexachlorobenzene 0.22 4.0 31 J 3.4 J NS 1.4 J < 0.4 < 2.5 BC BC BC Carbon Tetrachloride 40.000 NS NS NS BC NS BC BC BC NS NS NS BC NS 1,700 BC NS Hexachlorobutadiene 1,180 NS С 105C 80,000 BC 180,000 120,000 NS 90,000 82,000 BC NS NS 100,000 NS Chloroform NS NS 4,500 32,000 35,000 NS 36,000 NS 37,000 J 32,000 13,000 NS NS NS 24,000 NS Tetrachloroethene 280,000 140,000 NS Trichloroethene 44,000 190,000 NS 190,000 NS 160,000 74,000 NS NS NS 190,000 С 5.200 14,800 5,300 NS 136C Tetrachloroethene 4,500 4,100 3,600 3,300 3,100 3,800 5,600 NS NS NS 137C С BC NS 4,500 8,500 22,000 NS 7,900 NS BC NS NS NS BC Tetrachloroethene BC 168C С Hexachlorobenzene <0.75 <1.5 <1.3 <1.3 <3.2 <1.3 <3.2 NS <10 <4.8 <4.8 <1.6 <1.6 0.22 NS 150,000 83,000 NS 170,000 NS 190,000 BC 200,000 NS NS 360,000 Carbon Tetrachloride 40,000 NS 80,000 98,000 35,000 NS 80,000 NS 90,000 96,000 120,000 NS NS NS 160,000 NS Chloroform 105D D 4,500 12,000 57,000 NS 11,000 NS 13,000 J 12,000 16,000 NS NS NS 22,000 NS Tetrachloroethene Trichloroethene 44,000 120,000 51,000 NS 110,000 NS 120,000 130,000 180,000 NS NS NS 250.000 NS 4,900 NS 5,300 J 4,700 BC NS 4,500 5,100 NS BC 7,200 NS NS NS Tetrachloroethene 137D D 64,000 76,000 NS 91,000 70,000 NS NS NS NS Trichloroethene 44,000 NS BC 76,000 BC Hexachlorobenzene 0.22 3.0 11.0 NS 0.22 38 J 11 J NS Hexachlorobenzene 139D D NS Hexachlorobutadiene 1,180 1,200 BC NS NS NS NS NS NS NS NS NS NS

BC: Below Criteria

NS: Not Sampled

"<" = compound not identified above the detection limit.

2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	2,900	BC
< 0.32	< 0.41	0.48 J	BC	<0.39	22 J	<3.1
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
<0.81	<0.81	<0.81	<1.6	<3.1	1.5 J	0.92 J
NS	NS	NS	45,000	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	65,000	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	5.2 J	NS	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS

Table 3-5 1% of Pure-Phase Solubility Concentration Exceedances for DNAPL Compounds - 2005 through 2021 Annual Sampling Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report

Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

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				20	005	2	006	20	007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
	Flow		Oritorio							-													
Well ID	Flow Zone	Analyte	Criteria (ppb)	1st Event	2nd Event	1st Event	2nd Event	1st Event	2nd Event														
D-11	A	Hexachlorobutadiene	20	29	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
136B	В	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	1,500	1,600	BC	BC	2,000	1,500	1,500	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
		Tetrachloroethene	1,500	NS	NS	NS	2000 J	NS	4,600	3,100	3,200	NS	NS	NS	2,900	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
139B	В	Hexachlorobutadiene	20	78	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
		1,1,2,2-Tetrachlorethane	29000	NS	NS	NS	29,000	NS	BC	BC	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
		Hexachlorobutadiene	20	2,100	130	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	55	2,900	620
171B	В	Hexachlorobenzene	0.11	BC	4.0	3.1 J	3.4 J	BC	1.4 J	BC	< 0.4	< 0.5	<0.95	BC	BC	<0.41	<0.32	<0.41	<0.45	<0.18	<0.39	22 J	<3.1
		Tetrachloroethene	1,500	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	3,400	BC
172B	В	Hexachlorobutadiene	20	140	89	140 J	110	BC	110	54	170	210	20	130	45	120	53	48	79	63	43	180	150
1720	В	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	1,800	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
		Hexachlorobutadiene	20	1,700	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
		Carbon Tetrachloride	8,000	25,000	BC	NS	BC	NS	BC	BC	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
105C	С	Chloroform	80,000	250,000	180,000	NS	120,000	NS	90,000	82,000	BC	NS	NS	NS	100,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
		Tetrachloroethene	1,500	32,000	35,000	NS	36,000	NS	37,000 J	32,000 J	13,000	NS	NS	NS	24,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
		Trichloroethene	11,000	280,000	190,000	NS	190,000	NS	160,000	140,000	74,000	NS	NS	NS	190,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
136C	С	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	4,100	3,600	3,300	3,100	5,200	3,800	4,800	5,600	NS	NS	NS	5,300	NS	NS	NS	NS	4,000	NS	NS	NS
137C	С	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	8,500	22,000	NS	7,900	NS	2,200	2,700	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
1370	C	Trichloroethene	11,000	BC	19,000	NS	16,000	NS	20,000	70,000	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
150C	С	Trichloroethene	11,000	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	12,000	BC
		Hexachlorobutadiene	20	330.0	64	54 J	NS	44 J	BC	BC	NS	<27	21 J	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	110	130
168C	С	Hexachlorobenzene	0	<0.75	<1.5	<1.3	<1.3	<3.2	<1.3	<3.2	NS	<10	<4.8	<4.8	<1.6	<1.6	<0.81	<0.81	<0.81	<1.6	<3.1	1.5 J	0.92 J
		Tetrachloroethene	1,500	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	1,500
		Hexachlorobutadiene	20	95.0	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	N/S	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
		Carbon Tetrachloride	8,000	150,000	83,000	NS	170,000	NS	190,000	190,000	200,000	NS	NS	NS	360,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	45,000	NS	NS	NS
		Chloroform	80,000	98,000	BC	NS	80,000	NS	90,000	96,000	120,000	NS	NS	NS	160,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
105D	D	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	12,000	5,700	NS	11,000	NS	13,000 J	12,000 J	16,000	NS	NS	NS	22,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	4,200	NS	NS	NS
		1,1,2,2-Tetrachlorethane	29,000	NS	NS	NS	88,000	NS	79,000	76,000	79,000	NS	NS	NS	100,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
		Trichloroethene	11,000	120,000	51,000	NS	110,000	NS	120,000	130,000	180,000	NS	NS	NS	250,000	NS	NS	NS	NS	33,000	NS	NS	NS
137D	D	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	5,100	4,900	NS	BC	NS	7,200	5,300	4,700	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	4,400	NS	NS	NS
		Trichloroethene	11,000	64,000	76,000	NS	27,000	NS	91,000	70,000	76,000	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	65,000	NS	NS	NS
139D	D	Hexachlorobenzene	0.11	38.0	11.0	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	5.2 J	NS	NS	NS
_		Tetrachloroethene	1,500	1,900	BC	NS	BC	NS	BC	BC	BC	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS	NS	BC	NS	NS	NS
		Hexachlorobutadiene	20	27.0	BC	32 J	46 J	BC	45 J	91 J	44 J	79 J	26 J	130 J	65 J	130 J	34 J	<5.1	140 J	150 J	38 J	85 J	BC
165E	Е	Tetrachloroethene	1,500	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	2,000	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC
BC: Belov		Trichloroethene	11,000	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	11,000	12,000	12,000	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC	BC

BC: Below Criteria NS: Not Sampled "<" = compound not identified above the detection limit.

Table 3-6

Chemical Monitoring List, Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring

Remedial Action Post Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

MONITORING WELL	ZONE	MONITORING WELL	ZONE
137A	A	136D	D
145A	А	145D	D
146AR	А	148D	D
150A	А	165D	D
136B	В	146E	E
137B	В	150E	E
145B*	В	165E	E
146B	В	136F	F
150B	В	146F	F
168B	В	150F*	F
171B	В		
172B	В		
145C*	С		
146C*	С		
150C*	С		
168C	С		

*Well does not meet bedrock zone water bearing criteria $(k<10^{-4} \text{ cm/sec})$.

PARSONS

Table 3-7

Indicator Parameter List, Long-Term Groundwater Monitoring Remedial Action Post Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

Inorganic and General Water Quality Parameters	Volatile Organic Compounds	Semivolatile Organic Compounds
pH* Specific conductivity* Temperature* Turbidity* Dissolved oxygen * Redox potential* Chloride Dissolved barium	Vinyl chloride 1,1-dichloroethene Trans-1,2-dichloroethene Cis-1,2-dichloroethene Chloroform Carbon tetrachloride 1,2-dichloroethane Trichloroethene 1,1,2-trichloroethane Tetrachloroethene 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane	Hexachloroethane Hexachlorobutadiene Phenol 2,4,6-trichlorophenol 2,4,5-trichlorophenol Pentachlorophenol Hexachlorobenzene 4-methlyphenol TIC-1

*Field parameter

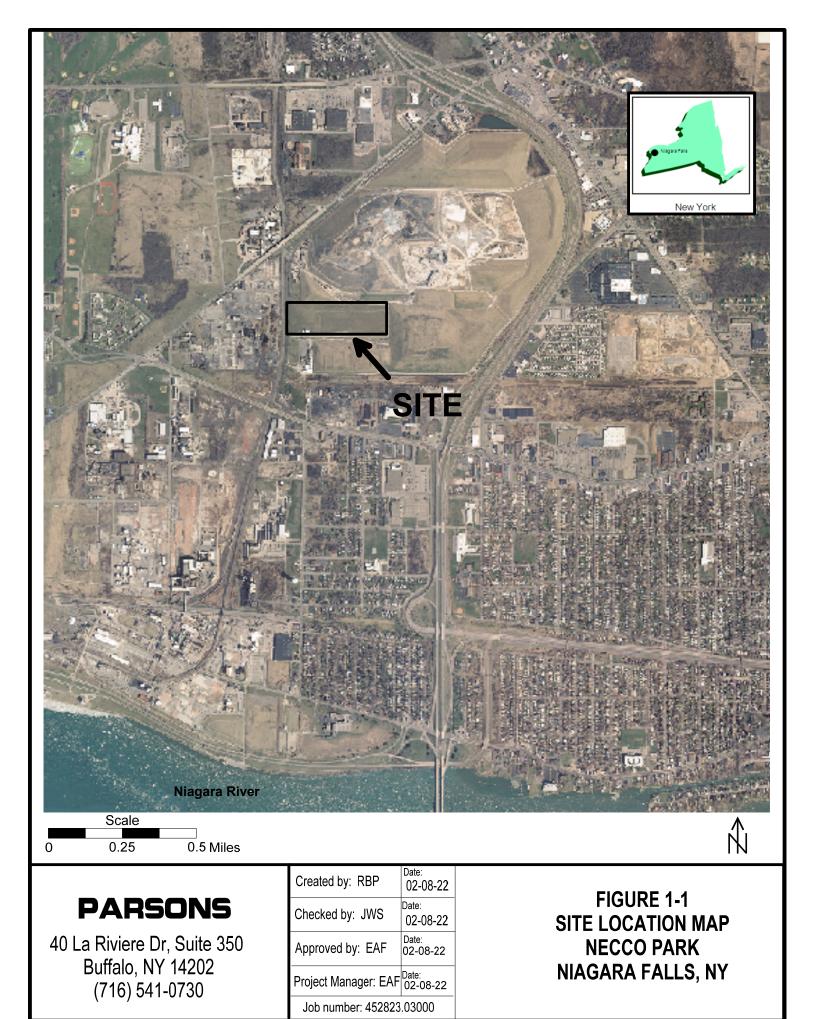
Table 3-8 **2021 DNAPL Recovery Summary** Remedial Action Post-Construction Monitoring - 2021 Annual Report Chemours Necco Park, Niagara Falls, New York

		29-	Jan	26-	Feb	30-	Mar	13-	Apr	6-N	lay	2-	Jun	30-	Jul	30-	Aug	17-3	Sep	26-	Oct	30-	Nov	30-	-Dec
Well ID	Frequency	FT	GALS	FT	GALS	FT	GALS	FT	GALS	FT	GALS														
RW-4	Monthly	2.0		3.5		1.0	18.0	0.0	5.0	0.6		1.5	6.0	0.8		2.0		3.0	16.0	0.4		0.7		1.3	
RW-5	Monthly	0.6		2.5		0.0	14.0	0.0		1.0		0.0		0.0		0.4		0.8	6.0	0.0		0.4		0.4	
RW-11	Monthly	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
204C	Monthly	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
VH-129C	Semi-annually	na		na		na		5.5		na	4.0	na		na		na		na		0.0		na		na	
VH-131A	Semi-annually	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-139C	Semi-annually	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-161B	Semi-annually	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-161C	Semi-annually	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-171B	Semi-annually	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
RW-6	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
RW-7	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
PZ-A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-117A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-123A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-129A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		4.4		na	1.26	na									
VH-190A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.6		na	1.0	na		na		na		na		0.4		na	0.06	na	
D-23	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
PZ-B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-160B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-167B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-168B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-169B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0	1	na		na									
VH-170B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-172B	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-160C	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-162C	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0	1	na		na									
VH-168C	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
VH-139A	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
CECOS52SR	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
CECOS18SR	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									
CECOS-53	Biennial	na		na		na		0.0		na		0.0		na		na									

na - not applicable/not taken due to reduction in scope, approved by USEPA (June 11, 2015 and August 12, 2015) GALS - gallons purged

FIGURES





//NYBUF03FS01/Dupont/Necco/HydroGeo/Mapping/gis/Figure 1-1-Necco Site Location.srf





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LEGEND

- RECOVERY WELLS
- ANNUAL SAMPLING WELLS
- 5 YEAR SAMPLING WELLS
- MONITORING WELL
- HI RAIL ROADS
- GROUT CURTAIN

FIGURE 3-1 WELL AND PIEZOMETER LOCATIONS CHEMOURS NECCO PARK SITE NIAGARA FALLS, NY

Figure 3-2 Select A-Zone Monitoring Wells Groundwater Elevations 2005 through 2021 Chemours Necco Park

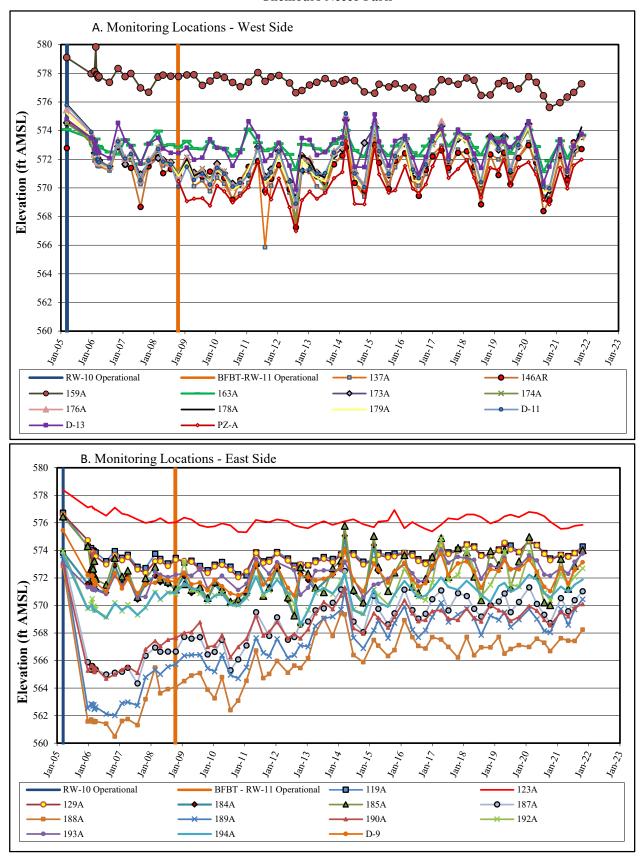


Figure 3-3 Select B-Zone Monitoring Wells Groundwater Elevations 2005 through 2021 Chemours Necco Park

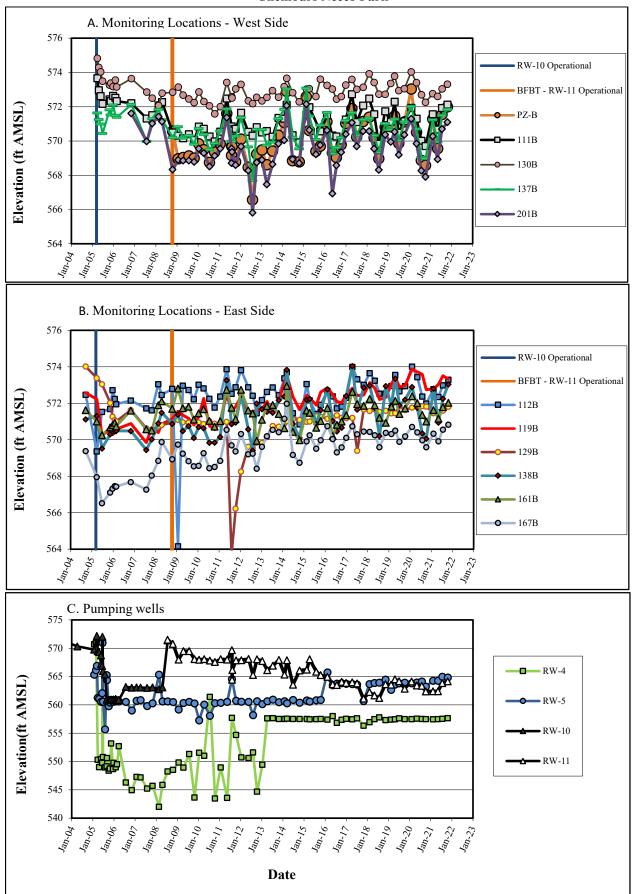
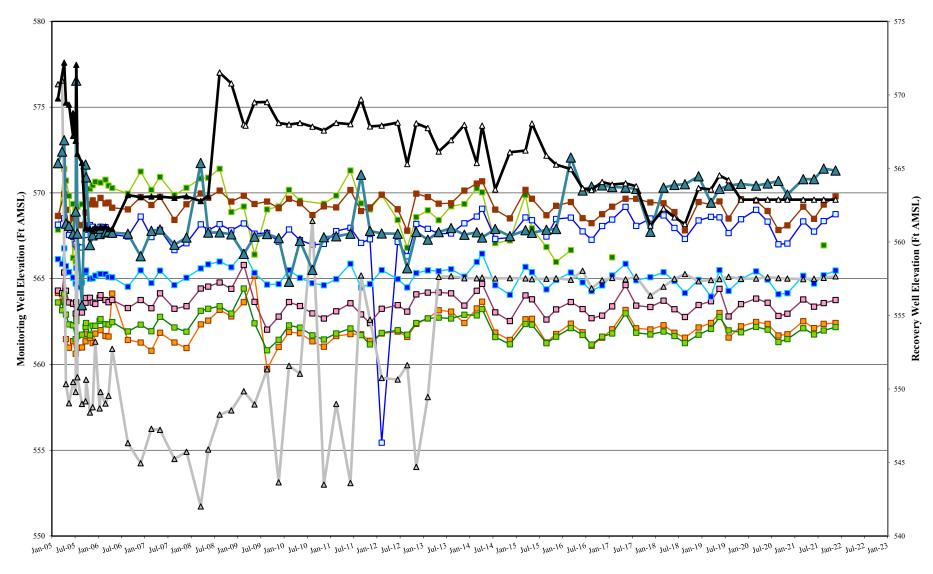
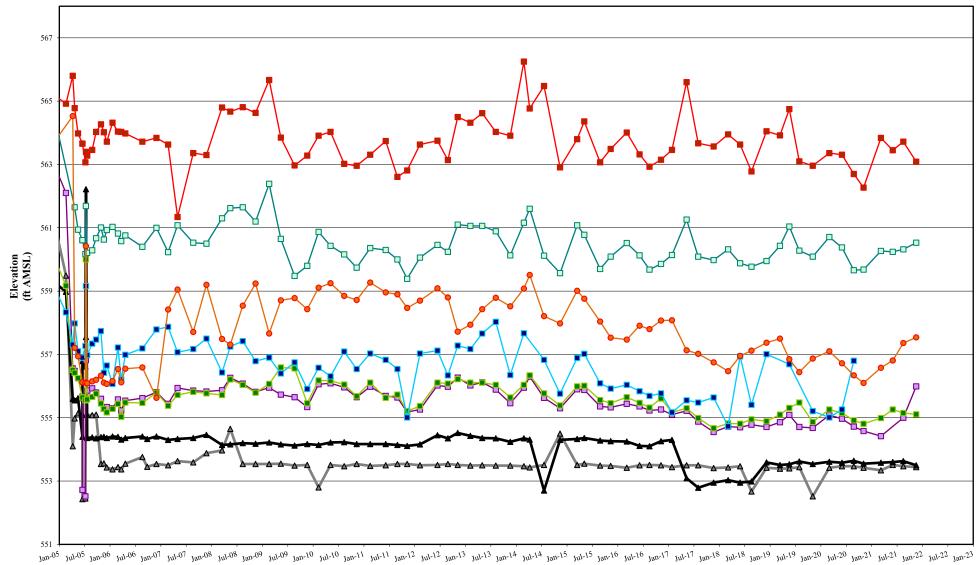


Figure 3-4 Select C-Zone Monitoring Wells Groundwater Elevations 2005 Through 2021 Chemours Necco Park



Date —■—105C —■—139C —■—146C —■—149C —■—160C —■—161C —■—168C —▲—RW-4 —▲—RW-5 —▲—RW-10 —▲—RW-11

Figure 3-5 Select D-Zone Monitoring Wells Groundwater Elevations 2005 through 2021 Chemours Necco Park



Note: Well 149D water level was anomalously high in 1Q19 (564.31), in 3Q19 (571.2), in 4Q20 (562.1), 1Q21 (567.4), 2Q21(568.38), 3Q21 (568.53), and in 4Q21 (563.21). Well 105D was anomalously high in 2Q21 (558.92). These events are not included in the hydrograph.

 Date

 ▲ RW-8
 ▲ RW-9
 ■ 105D
 ■ 111D
 ■ 123D
 ■ 145D
 ■ 149D
 ● 164D

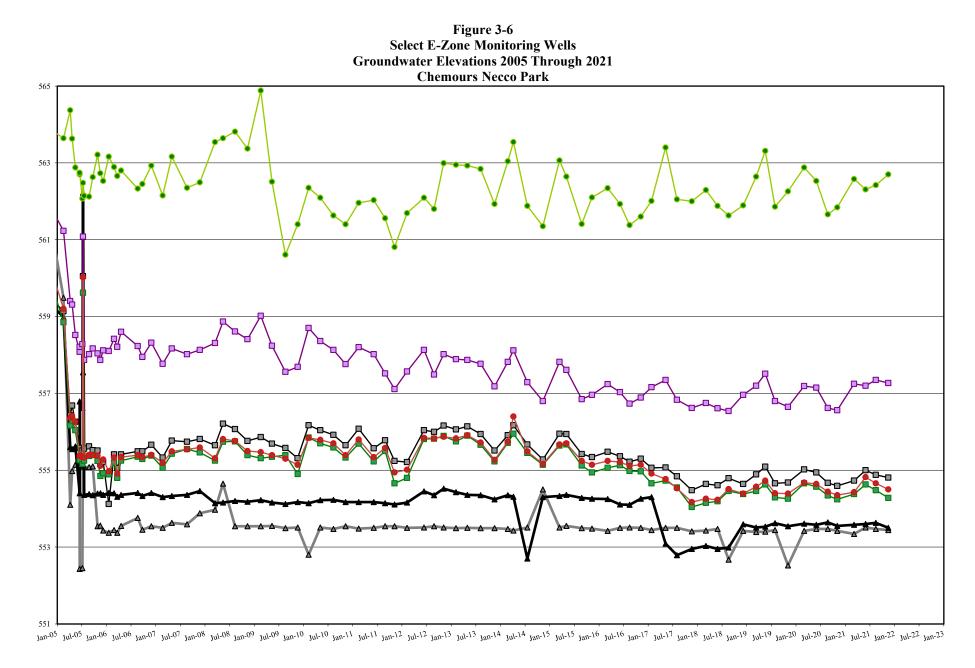
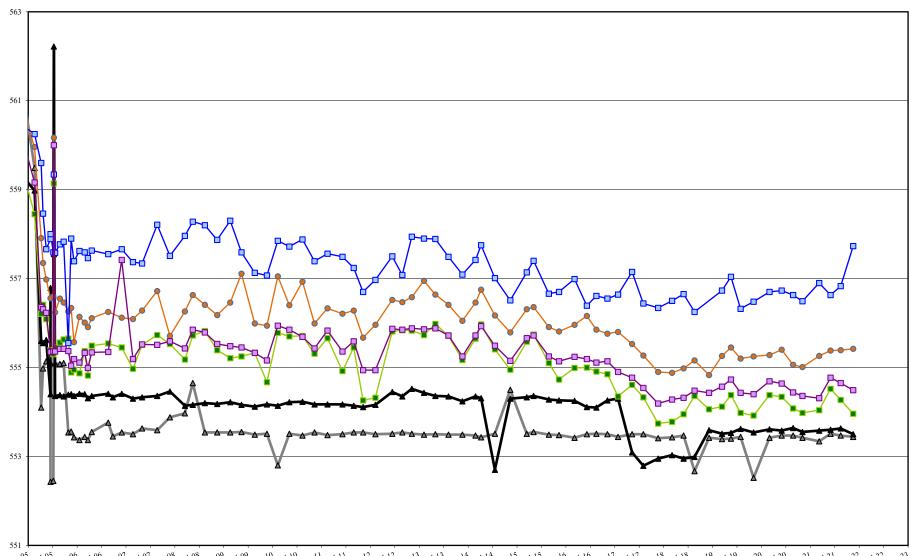
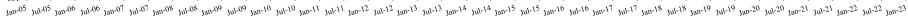




Figure 3-7 Select F-Zone Monitoring Wells **Groundwater Elevations 2005 Through 2021 Chemours Necco Park**





Date

—■ 146F — 150F — 164F **—△** RW-8 —**●**— 130F

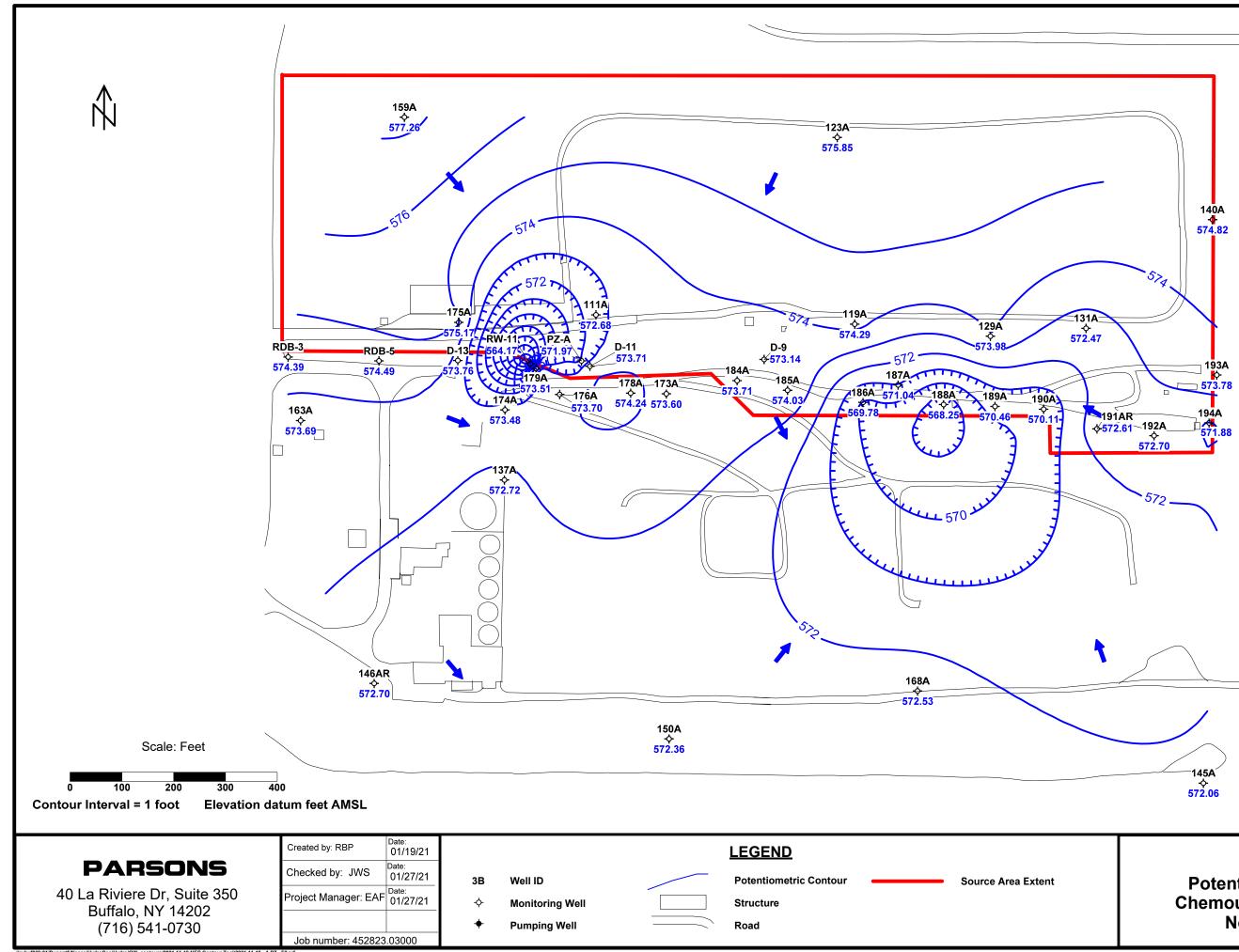
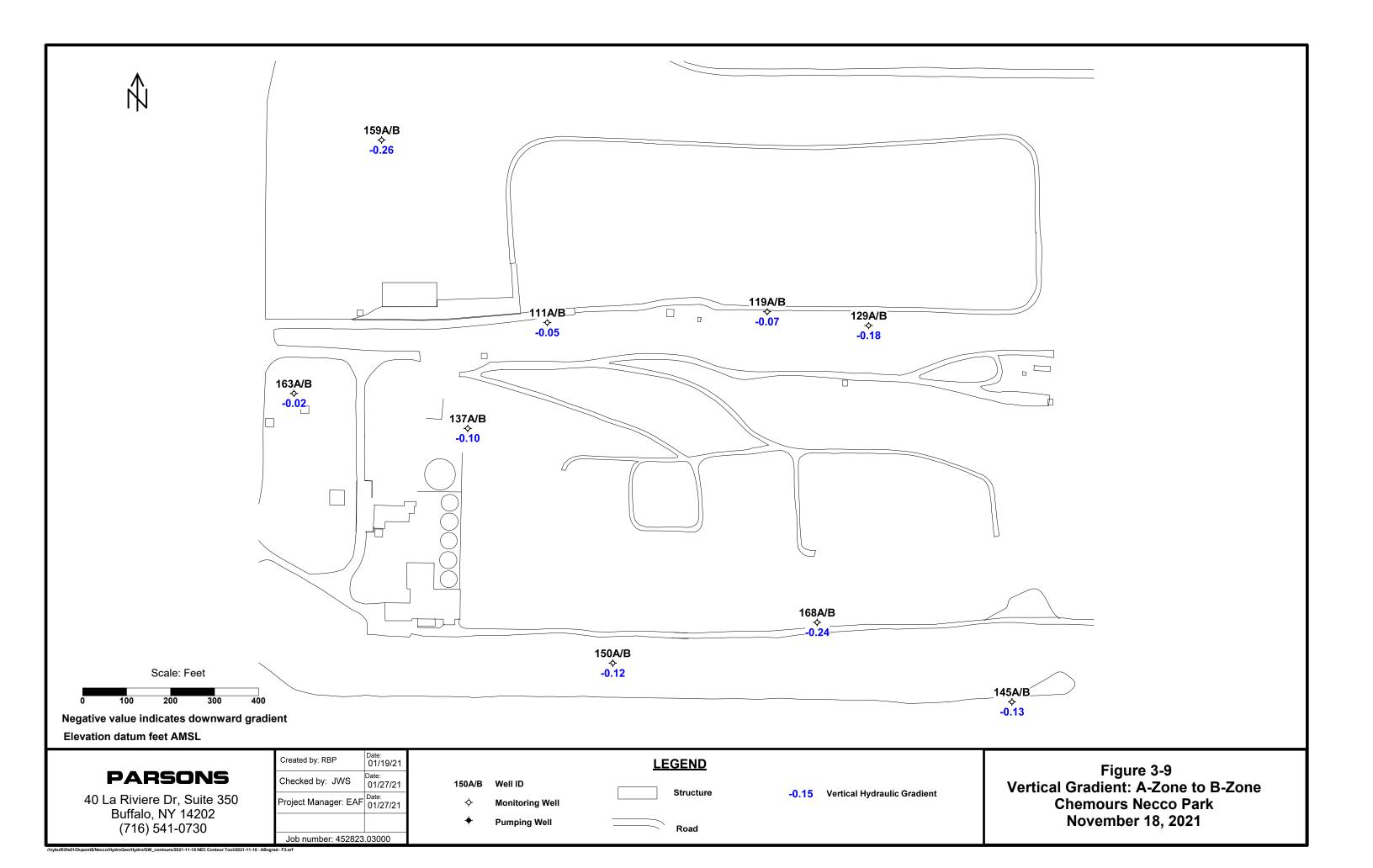
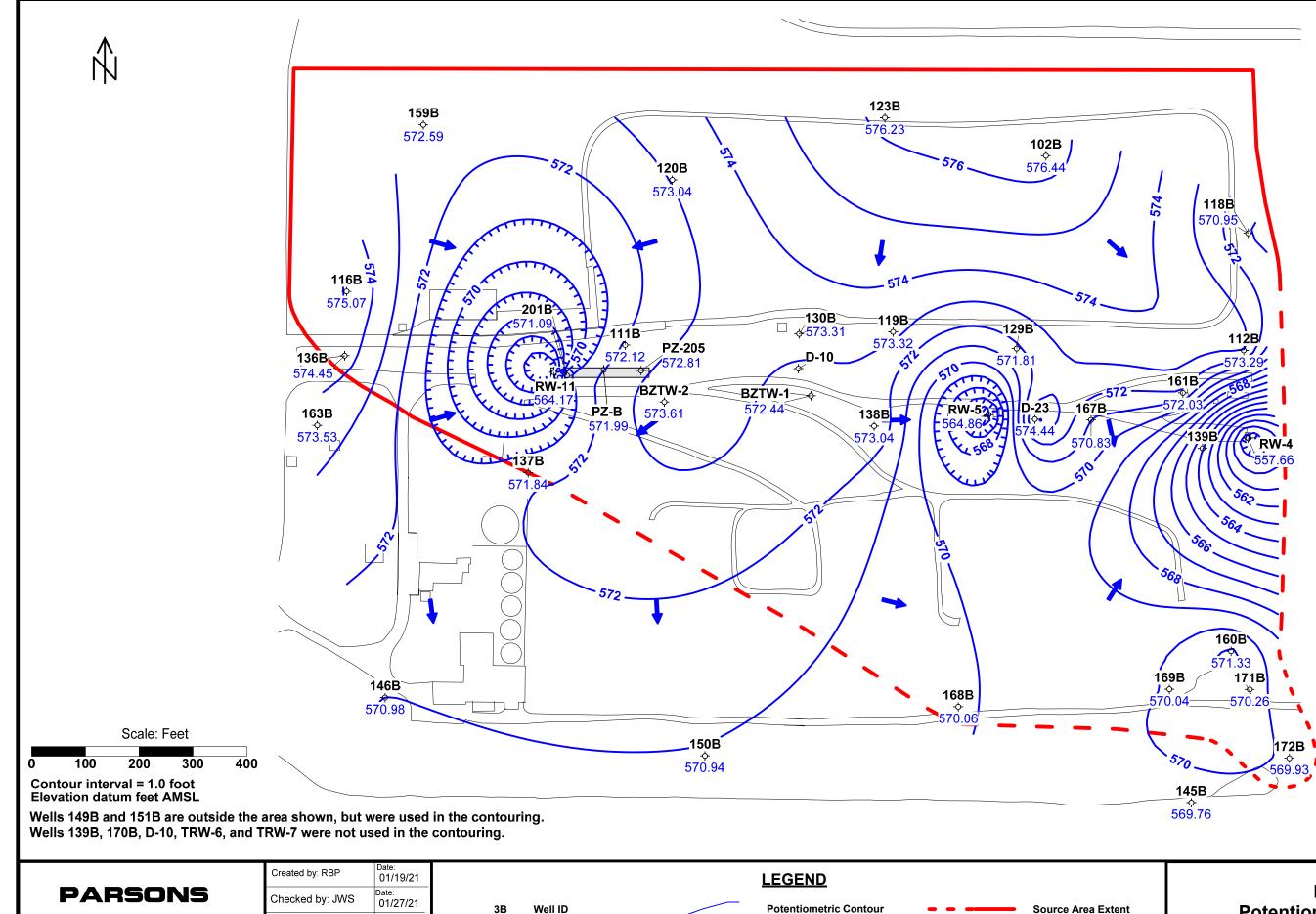


Figure 3-8 Potentiometric Surface Map Chemours Necco Park: A-Zone November 18, 2021





Structure

Road

Approximate Location of Bedrock Fractured Blast Trench

40 La Riviere Dr, Suite 350
Buffalo, NY 14202
(716) 541-0730

Created by: RBP	Date: 01/19/21		
Checked by: JWS	Date: 01/27/21	3B	Well ID
Project Manager: EAF	Date: 01/27/21	ф	Monitoring Well
		+	Pumping Well
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Figure 3-10 Potentiometric Surface Map Chemours Necco Park: B-Zone November 18, 2021

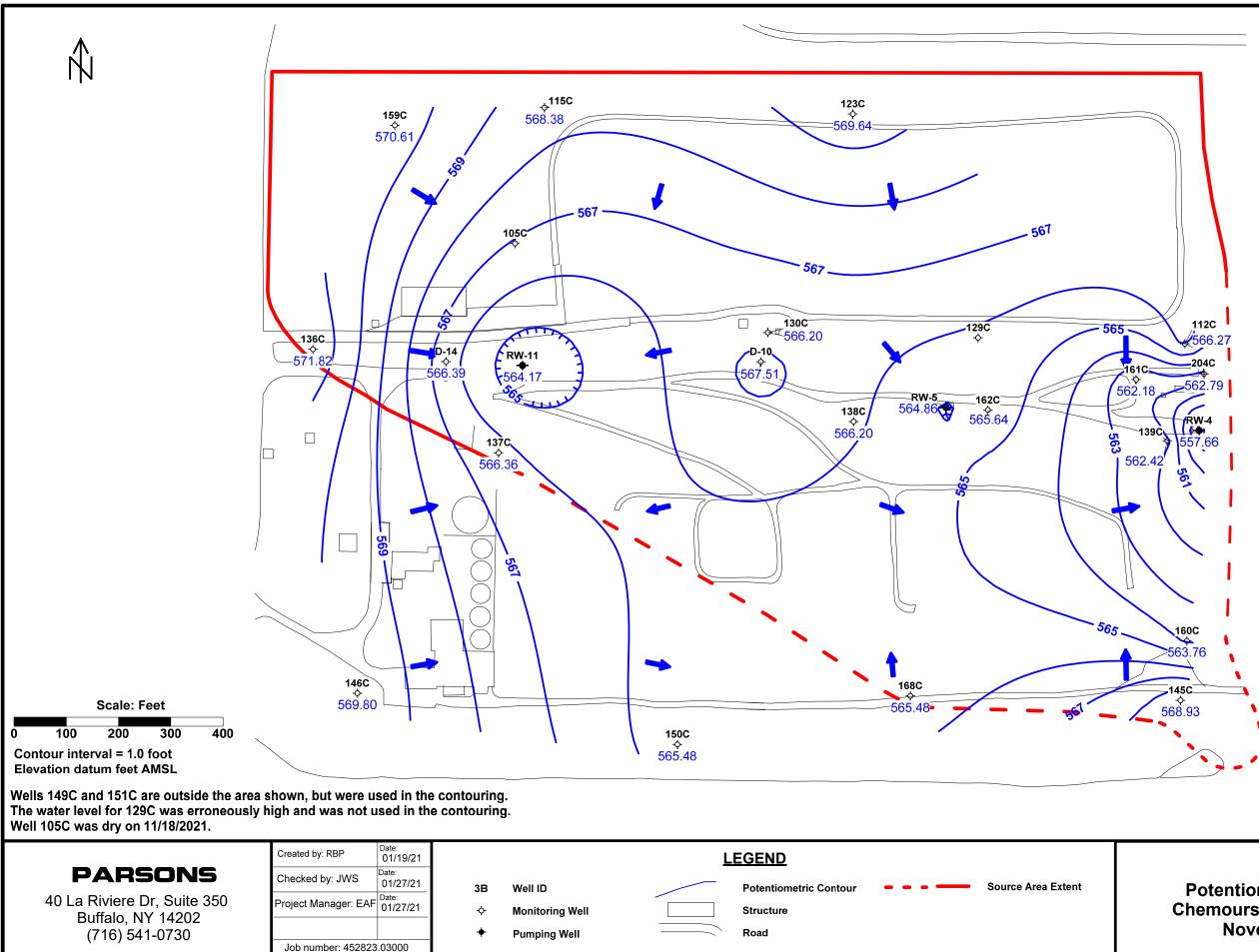
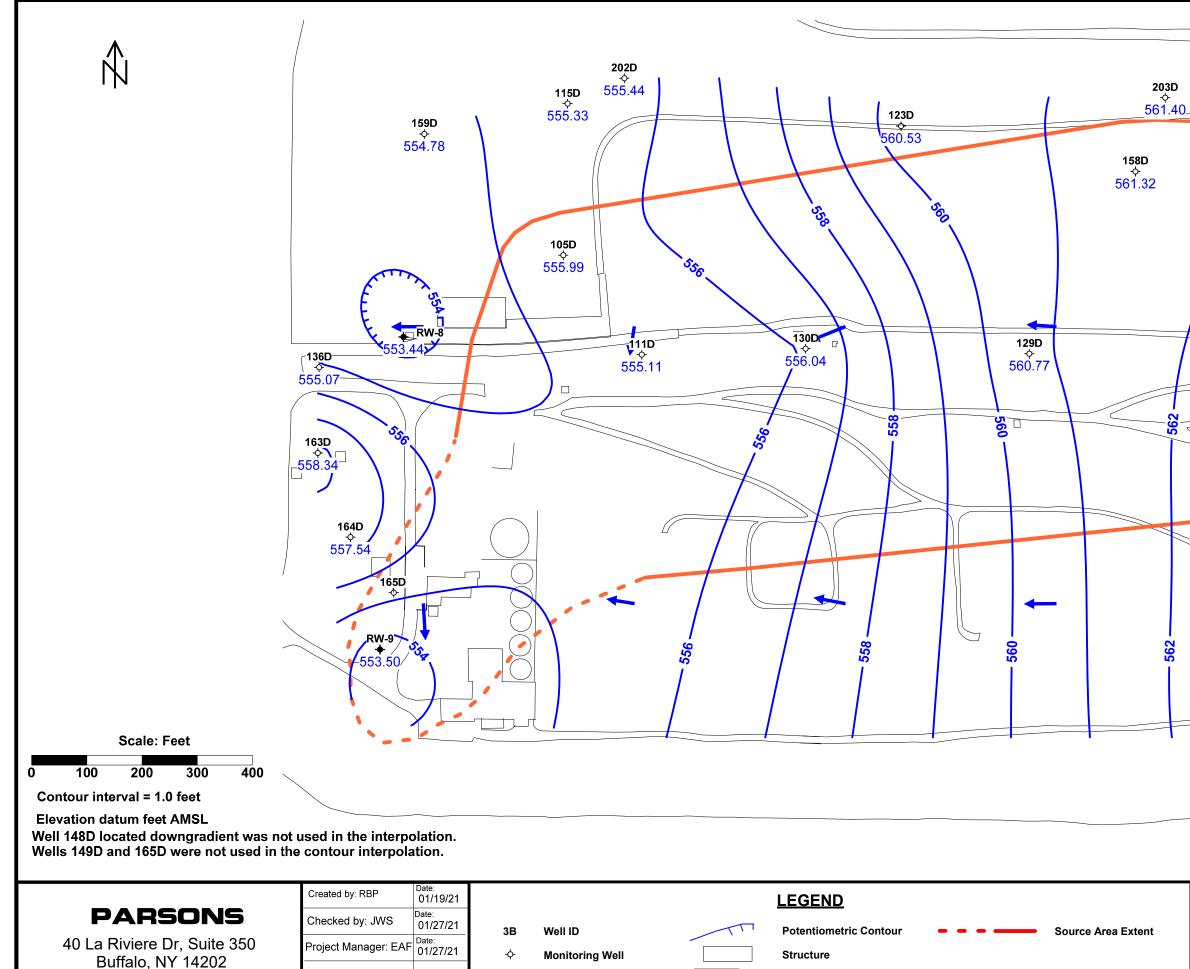


Figure 3-11 Potentiometric Surface Map Chemours Necco Park: C-Zone November 18, 2021



Pumping Well

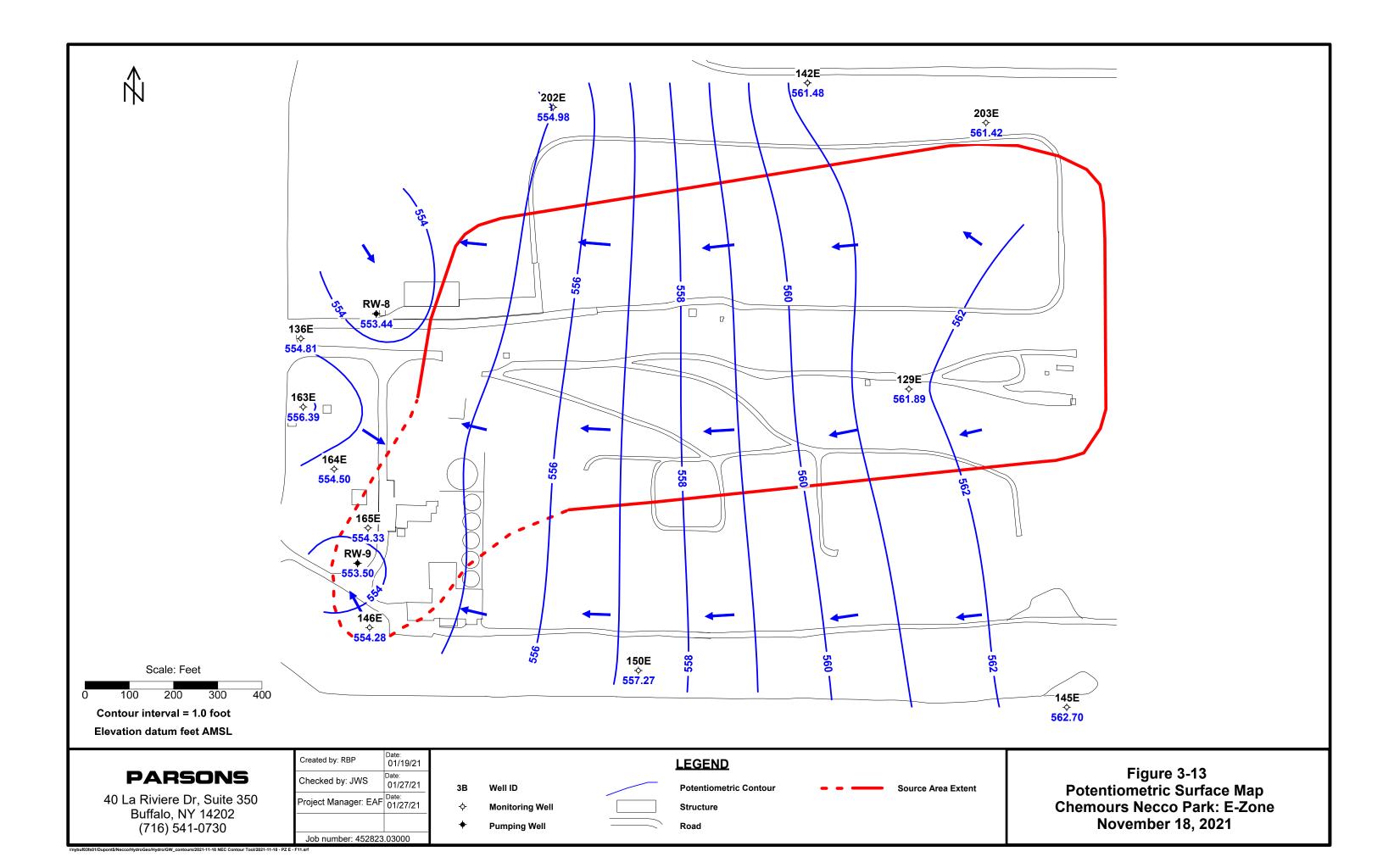
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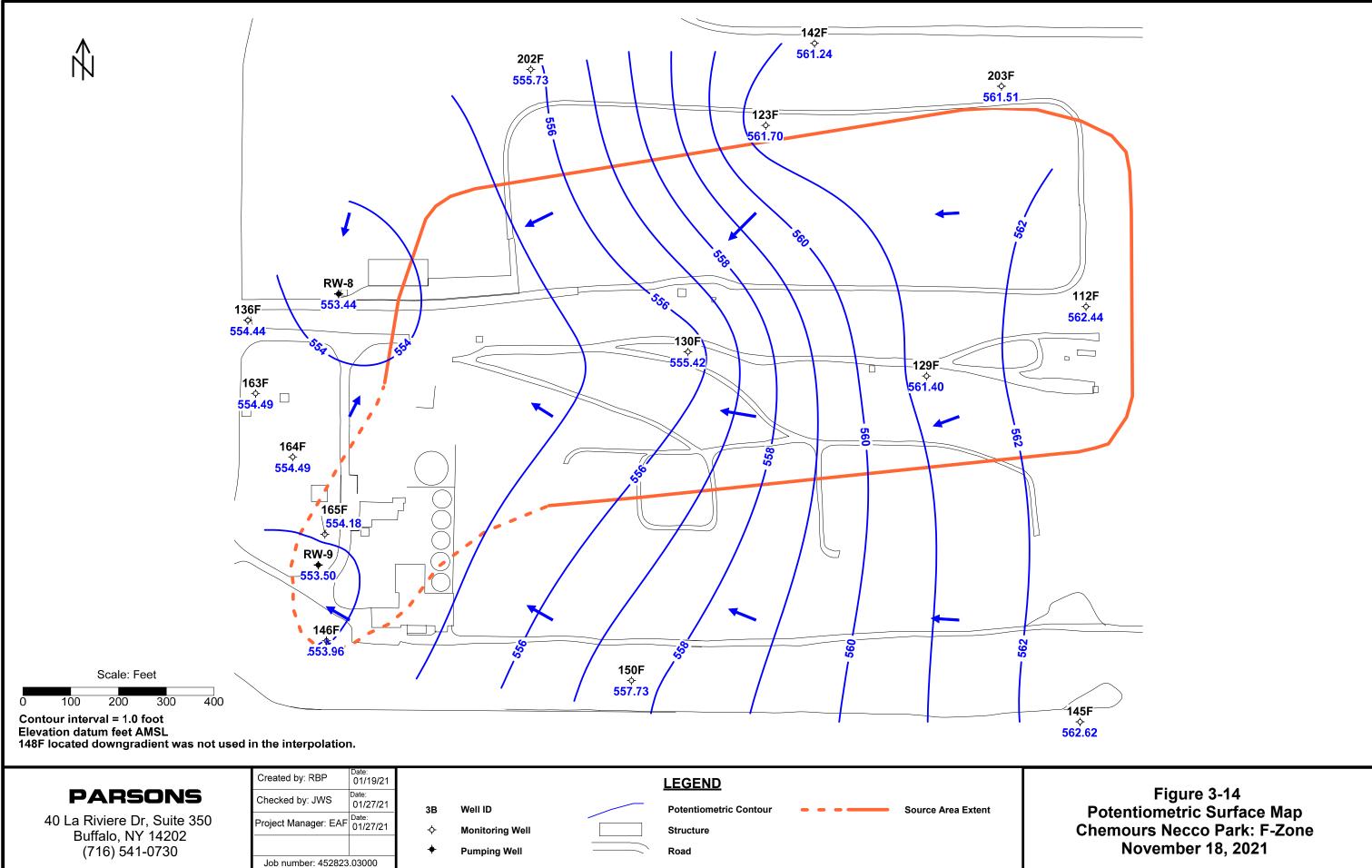
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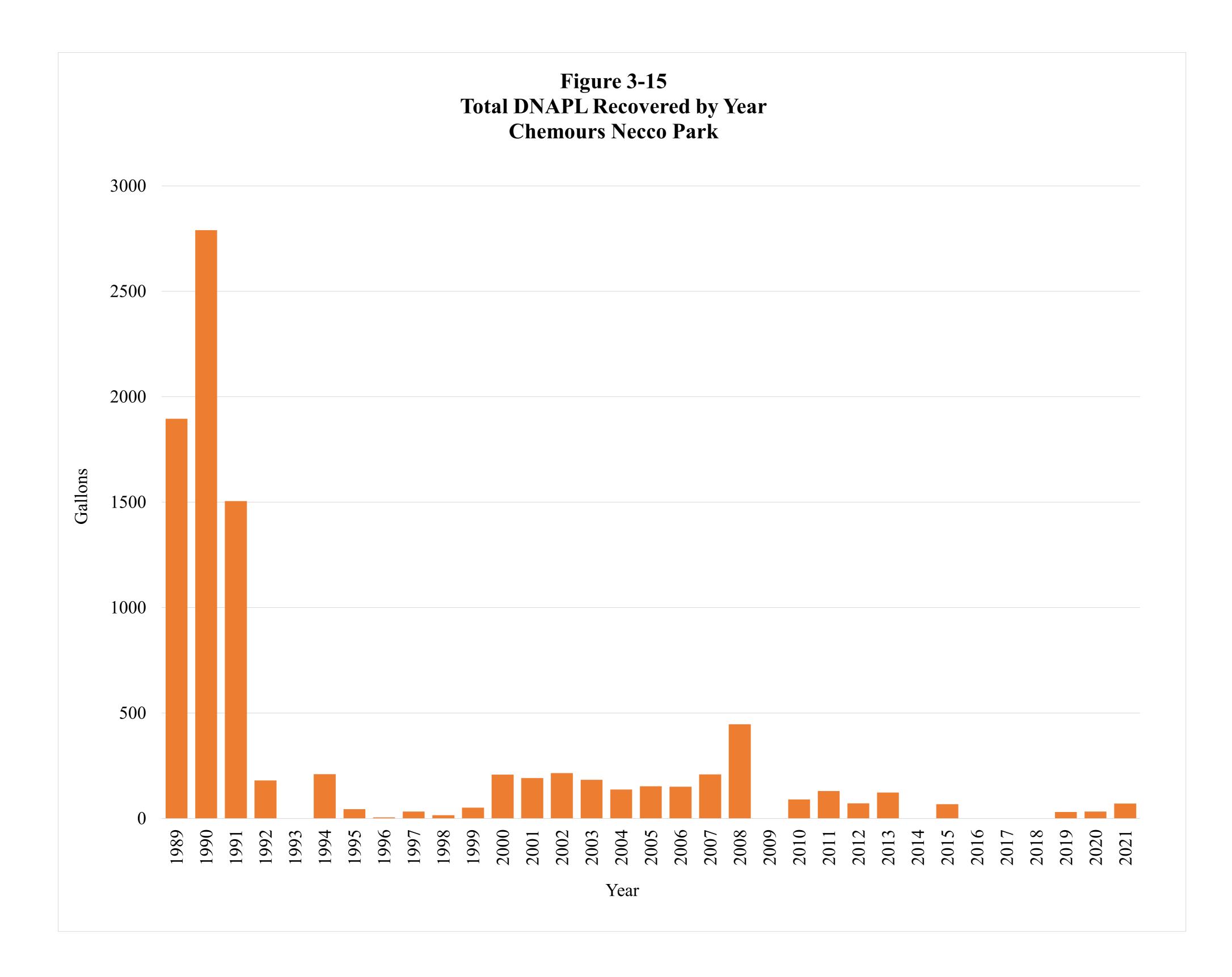
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Figure 3-12 Potentiometric Surface Map Chemours Necco Park: D-Zone November 18, 2021







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		Location Date	136B 09/15/2021	136D 09/15/2021	136D 09/15/2021	136F 09/15/2021	137A 09/21/2021	137B 09/21/2021	137B 09/21/2021	145A 09/16/2021	145B 09/17/2021	145C 09/17/2021	145D 09/24/2021	146AR 09/15/2021
Method	Parameter Name	Units	FS	FS	DUP	FS	FS	DUP	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS
	Field Parameters													
	COLOR	NONE	clear	gray	gray brown	clear	clear							
	DEPTH TO WATER	Feet	8.17	24.33	24.33	25.32	6.98	7.55	7.55	6.85	30.15	24.43	15.09	5.63
	DISSOLVED OXYGEN	MG/L	0.4	0.47	0.47	0.44	0.48	0.54	0.54	0.44	3.57	4.22	0.7	0.35
	ODOR	NONE	weak	weak	weak	weak	none	none	none	none	weak	moderate	weak	weak
	OXIDATION REDUCTION POTENTIAL	MV	-199.1	-241.4	-241.4	-158	-255.2	-283.1	-283.1	-190.5	-74.1	-31.6	-245.5	-249.9
	РН	STD UNITS	8.14	7.23	7.23	7.41	12.29	12.67	12.67	6.47	6.82	6.2	6.58	8.44
	SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE	UMHOS/CM	2	4	4	2	2	7	7	4	17	11	11	3
	TEMPERATURE	DEGREES C	16.40	14.60	14.60	13.70	19.70	15.90	15.90	15.80	22.10	24.9	13.30	17.70
	TURBIDITY QUANTITATIVE	NTU	4.19			1.75	3.40	6.72	6.72	2.3	43.7	50.3		4.5
	Volatile Organics													
8260C	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	UG/L	<6	<1.2	<1.2	<0.6	<0.6	<1.5	<2.4	<0.6	<60	14	<2	<0.6
8260C	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	UG/L	<4.8	<0.96	<0.96	<0.48	<0.48	<1.2	<1.9	<0.48	<48	21	5.5	<0.48
8260C	1,1-Dichloroethene	UG/L	<4.9	1.5 J	1.7 J	<0.49	2.7	12	12	<0.49	<49	8.6	3.6	<0.49
8260C	1,2-Dichloroethane	UG/L	<2.1	0.78 J	0.9 J	3.6	0.63 J	3.4	3.3 J	<0.21	<21	6.1	<0.7	<0.21
8260C	Carbon Tetrachloride	UG/L	<2.6	<0.52	<0.52	<0.26	<0.26	<0.65	<1	<0.26	<26	<0.26	<0.87	<0.26
8260C	Chloroform	UG/L	<4.7	<0.94	<0.94	<0.47	1.6	1.4 J	<1.9	<0.47	65 J	13	19	1.1
8260C	cis-1,2 Dichloroethene	UG/L	280	78	83	1.1	17	80	80	<0.46	2400	1100	97	1.6
8260C	Tetrachloroethene	UG/L	230	<0.88	<0.88	<0.44	21	52	53	<0.44	<44	1.1	<1.5	1.6
8260C	trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	UG/L	<5.1	1.4 J	1.3 J	<0.51	1.1	5.9	5.9	<0.51	280	150	35	<0.51
8260C	Trichloroethene	UG/L	38	2.5	2.4	<0.44	22	91	91	<0.44	48 J	24	8.4	2
8260C	Vinyl Chloride	UG/L	24	77	81	1.5	5	49	50	<0.45	480	850	34	<0.45
	Total VOC	UG/L	572	161.18	170.3	6.2	71.03	294.7	295.2	0	3273	2187.8	202.5	6.3
	Semi-Volatile Organics													
8270D	2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	360	2.5 J	2.3 J	<1.9	<1.9	6 J	4.7 J	<2	<2.1	<1.9	<2	2.4 J
8270D	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	27 J	<1.8	<1.8	<1.8	<1.7	1.7 J	<1.9	<1.8	<1.9	<1.7	<1.8	<1.8
8270D	3- And 4- Methylphenol	UG/L	<1.9	<0.19	<0.19	<0.19	3.8 J	14 J	15 J	<0.19	3.3 J	6 J	0.84 J	<0.19
8270D	Hexachlorobenzene	UG/L	<1.6	<0.16	<0.16	<0.16	<0.16	<0.15	<0.17	<0.16	<0.17	<0.15	<0.16	<0.16
8270D	Hexachlorobutadiene	UG/L	<5.4	<0.55	<0.54	<0.53	<0.53	2.4 J	2.9 J	<0.55	<0.57	0.95 J	<0.54	<0.54
8270D	Hexachloroethane	UG/L	<4	<0.4	<0.39	<0.39	<0.38	<0.38	<0.41	<0.4	<0.42	<0.38	<0.39	<0.4
8270D	Pentachlorophenol	UG/L	530	3.2 J	<3.1	<3	<3	5.6 J	4.6 J	<3.1	<3.3	<3	<3.1	<3.1
8270D	Phenol	UG/L	<1.3	<0.13	<0.13	<0.13	17	33	40	<0.13	0.6 J	4 J	1.9 J	<0.13
8270D	Tentativley Identified Compound	UG/L					9 J	28 J	30 J		620 J	500 J	140 J	
	Inorganics													1
6010C	Barium, dissolved	MG/L	0.059 J	0.04 J	0.039 J	0.034 J	0.81	3	3.1	0.035 J	0.024 B	0.038 J	0.032 J	0.047 J
300	Chloride, total	MG/L	160	210		230	94	540	520	750	4600	3200	3400	140

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Method	Parameter Name	Units	FS											
	Field Parameters													
	COLOR	NONE	clear	It brown	clear	clear	light gray	clear	clear	clear	clear	black	clear	clear
	DEPTH TO WATER	Feet	6.14	22.41	20.97	20.90	10.70	4.41	5.6	10.5	20.89	53.87	21.71	22.62
	DISSOLVED OXYGEN	MG/L	0.31	1.46	0.41	0.71	0.30	0.47	0.33	0.50	0.57	0.42	0.51	0.38
	ODOR	NONE	weak	none	moderate	moderate	weak	none	none	strong		strong	none	none
	OXIDATION REDUCTION POTENTIAL	MV	-333.9	-80.2	-331.4	-340	-436.7	-106.4	-391.4	-346.4	-340	-293.5	-266.9	-358
	PH	STD UNITS	11.56	7.42	7.10	6.31	11.24	6.93	11.48	5.89	5.90	5.96	8.12	8.64
	SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE	UMHOS/CM	1.379	2	6	30	3	2	2	23	33	23	2	2
	TEMPERATURE	DEGREES C	16.00	15.20	13.90	14.80	16.60	16.90	15.90	12.80	21.2	15.00	13.40	16.30
	TURBIDITY QUANTITATIVE	NTU	2.1	16.9	0.93	5.19	4.68	8.4	2.83	3.01	2.13	over range	2.78	7.40
	Volatile Organics													
8260C	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	UG/L	<0.6	<0.6	5.5	<120	<0.6	<0.6	<2.4	<240	<12	<6	74	<240
8260C	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	UG/L	<0.48	<0.48	7.1	<96	<0.48	<0.48	<1.9	680	<9.6	<4.8	41 J	<190
8260C	1,1-Dichloroethene	UG/L	4.8	<0.49	18	300	<0.49	<0.49	3.7 J	1200	120	37	32 J	<200
8260C	1,2-Dichloroethane	UG/L	<0.21	<0.21	10	<42	<0.21	0.22 J	0.85 J	280 J	<4.2	<2.1	<11	<84
8260C	Carbon Tetrachloride	UG/L	<0.26	<0.26	<1	<52	<0.26	<0.26	<1	<100	<5.2	<2.6	13 J	<100
8260C	Chloroform	UG/L	<0.47	<0.47	21	<94	<0.47	<0.47	<1.9	2000	120	25	170	<190
8260C	cis-1,2 Dichloroethene	UG/L	17	4.3	120	6500	1.7	<0.46	100	26000	2900	700	1700	6700
8260C	Tetrachloroethene	UG/L	<0.44	<0.44	<1.8	<88	0.78 J	<0.44	6.8	<180	<8.8	<4.4	<22	<180
8260C	trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	UG/L	1.3	<0.51	29	370	<0.51	<0.51	5.4	1800	240	37	31 J	<200
8260C	Trichloroethene	UG/L	2.2	<0.44	29	120 J	1.5	<0.44	11	6600	270	15	210	<180
8260C	Vinyl Chloride	UG/L	7.8	10	290	2000	<0.45	<0.45	30	15000	1600	75	460	1400
	Total VOC	UG/L	33.1	14.3	529.6	9290	3.98	0.22	157.75	53560	5250	889	2731	8100
	Semi-Volatile Organics													
8270D	2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	16	<1.9	3.4 J	120	<1.9	<2	16	15 J	<10	<5	110	1000
8270D	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	2.8 J	<1.8	<1.8	34 J	<1.7	<1.8	2.3 J	<13	<9.3	<4.5	11 J	<45
8270D	3- And 4- Methylphenol	UG/L	1.8 J	<0.19	4 J	39 J	28	<0.19	8.5 J	120 J	56 J	15 J	2.8 J	9.3 J
8270D	Hexachlorobenzene	UG/L	<0.15	<0.16	<0.16	<0.79	<0.15	<0.16	<0.16	<1.2	<0.83	<0.4	<0.68	<4
8270D	Hexachlorobutadiene	UG/L	<0.52	<0.53	0.95 J	<2.7	<0.52	<0.54	<0.54	<3.9	<2.8	<1.4	<2.3	16 J
8270D	Hexachloroethane	UG/L	<0.38	<0.39	<0.39	<1.9	<0.38	<0.4	<0.4	<2.8	<2	<0.99	<1.7	<9.9
8270D	Pentachlorophenol	UG/L	21 J	<3	<3	<15	<3	<3.1	7.9 J	<22	<16	<7.8	<13	<78
8270D	Phenol	UG/L	<0.12	<0.13	<0.13	75	3.4 J	0.32 J	28	170	210	66	<0.54	<3.2
8270D	Tentativley Identified Compound	UG/L	2 J		69 J	830 J	32 J		28 J	9500 J	5900 J	700 J	77 J	130 J
	Inorganics													
6010C	Barium, dissolved	MG/L	0.016 J	0.028 J	0.051 J	0.035 J	0.046 J	0.04 J	0.46	1.4	0.21	0.076 J	0.031 J	0.025 J
300	Chloride, total	MG/L	170	160	510	4500	530	160	440	9000	9500	8900	300	450

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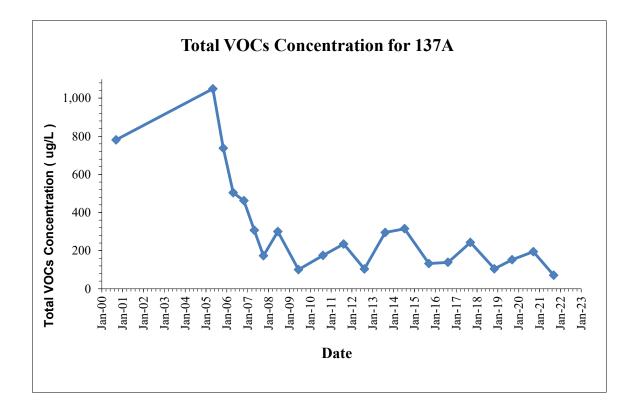
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Method	Parameter Name	Units	FS	FS	FS	FS	EB	EB	ТВ	ТВ	ТВ	ТВ	ТВ	ТВ
	Field Parameters													
	COLOR	NONE	gray	black	clear	dark gray								
	DEPTH TO WATER	Feet	9.37	15.87	10.65	10.65								
	DISSOLVED OXYGEN	MG/L	0.42	0.39	0.29	0.30								
	ODOR	NONE	moderate	moderate	moderate	moderate								
	OXIDATION REDUCTION POTENTIAL	MV	-335	-323.9	-238.2	-291.5								
	PH	STD UNITS	5.85	5.8	6.5	6.2								
	SPECIFIC CONDUCTANCE	UMHOS/CM	33	43	12	10								
	TEMPERATURE	DEGREES C	13.70	13.90	16.20	14.60								
	TURBIDITY QUANTITATIVE	NTU	4	3	2.36	3.77								
	Volatile Organics													
8260C	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	UG/L	<240	3400	250	1600	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6
8260C	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	UG/L	210 J	2600	<9.6	64	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48	<0.48
8260C	1,1-Dichloroethene	UG/L	270 J	470	<9.8	<20	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49	<0.49
8260C	1,2-Dichloroethane	UG/L	<84	53	<4.2	<8.4	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21	<0.21
8260C	Carbon Tetrachloride	UG/L	<100	2900	36	110	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26	<0.26
8260C	Chloroform	UG/L	<190	4600	91	290	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47	<0.47
8260C	cis-1,2 Dichloroethene	UG/L	17000	740	270	1300	<0.46	<0.46	<0.46	< 0.46	<0.46	< 0.46	<0.46	<0.46
8260C	Tetrachloroethene	UG/L	<180	1500	480	460	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44
8260C	trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	UG/L	1200	220	91	120	< 0.51	< 0.51	<0.51	< 0.51	< 0.51	< 0.51	<0.51	<0.51
8260C	Trichloroethene	UG/L	300 J	9100	340	740	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44	< 0.44
8260C	Vinyl Chloride	UG/L	11000	210	230	190	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45	<0.45
	Total VOC	UG/L	29980	25793	1788	4874	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Semi-Volatile Organics													
8270D	2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	<11	<9.8	<38	<9.6	<1.9	<1.9						
8270D	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	UG/L	<9.7	<8.9	<35	<8.7	<1.7	<1.7						
8270D	3- And 4- Methylphenol	UG/L	130	6.2 J	<3.7	<0.92	<0.18	<0.19						
8270D	Hexachlorobenzene	UG/L	<0.87	0.92 J	<3.1	<0.77	<0.15	<0.16						
8270D	Hexachlorobutadiene	UG/L	<2.9	130	620	150	<0.52	<0.53						
8270D	Hexachloroethane	UG/L	<2.1	73 J	79 J	56 J	<0.38	<0.38						
8270D	Pentachlorophenol	UG/L	<17	<15	<60	<15	<3	<3						
8270D	Phenol	UG/L	62	18 J	<2.5	< 0.62	<0.12	<0.12						
8270D	Tentativley Identified Compound	UG/L	4200 J	4000 J	180 J	39 J								
	Inorganics													
6010C	Barium, dissolved	MG/L	1.4	0.21	0.024 B	0.021 J	0.0052 J	< 0.0013						
300	Chloride, total	MG/L	14000	24000	3900	3100	0.87 J	<0.28						

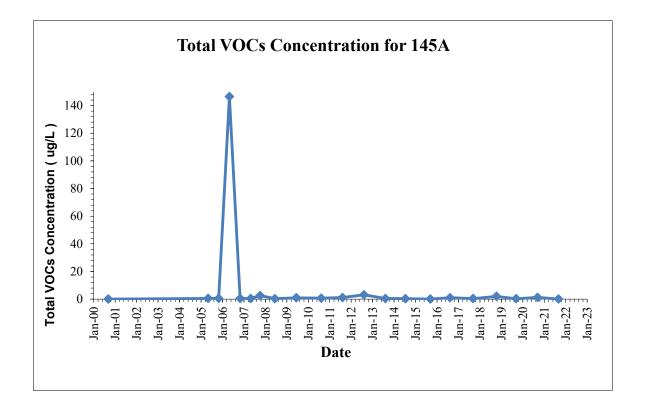
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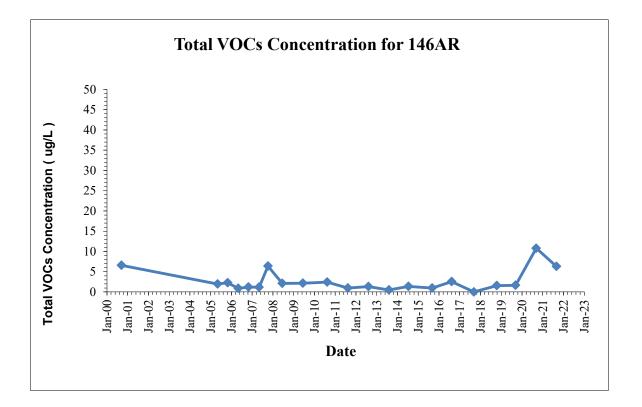
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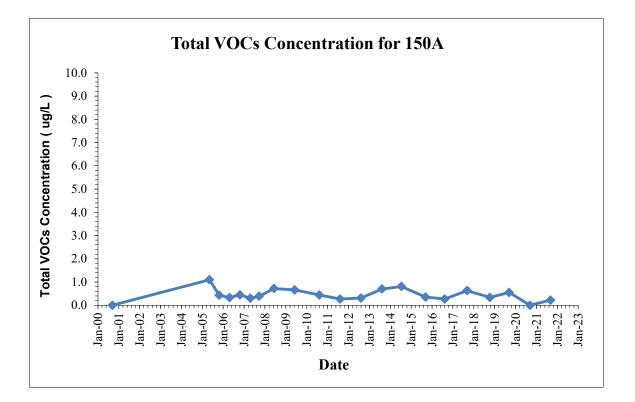
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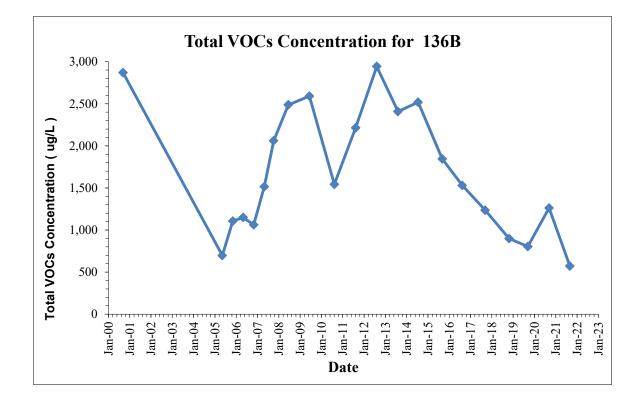


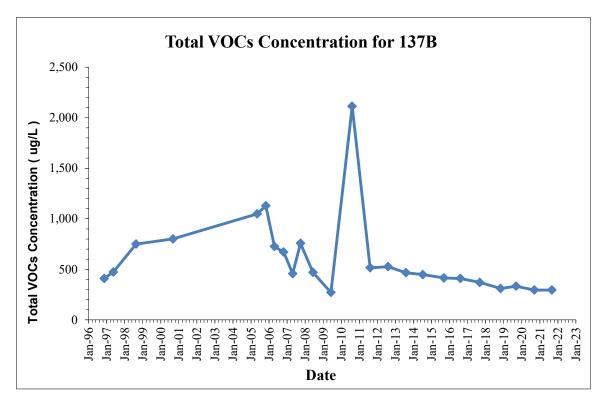


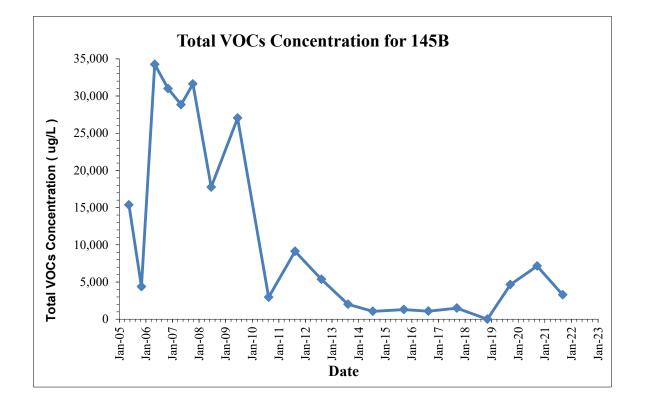


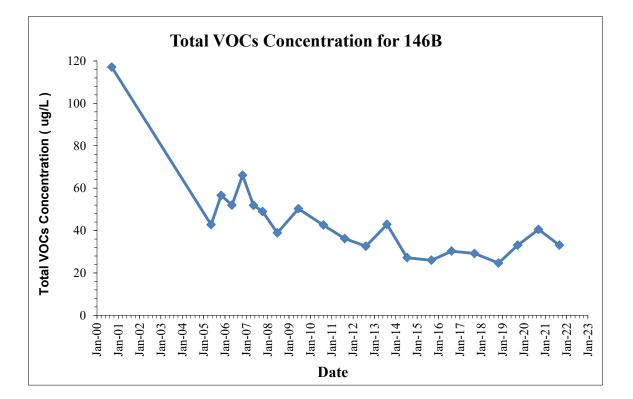


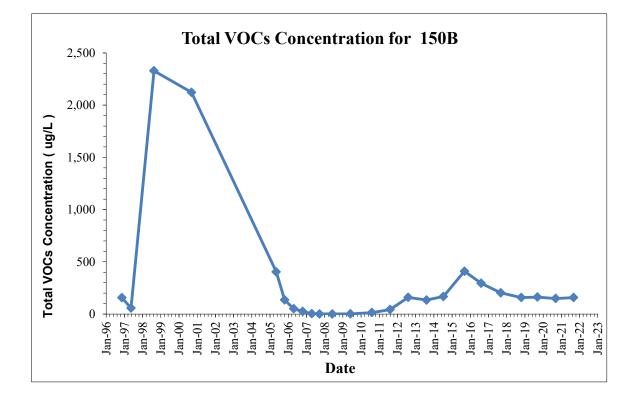


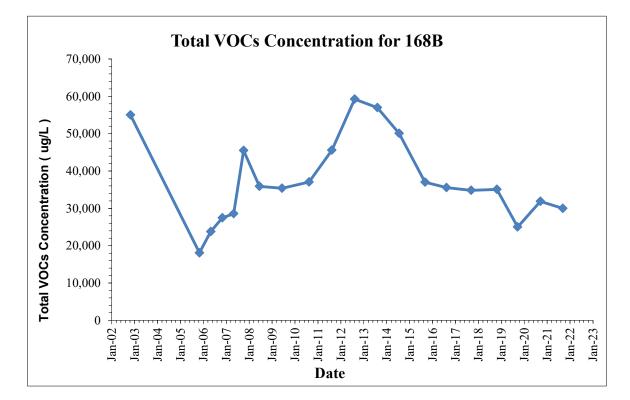




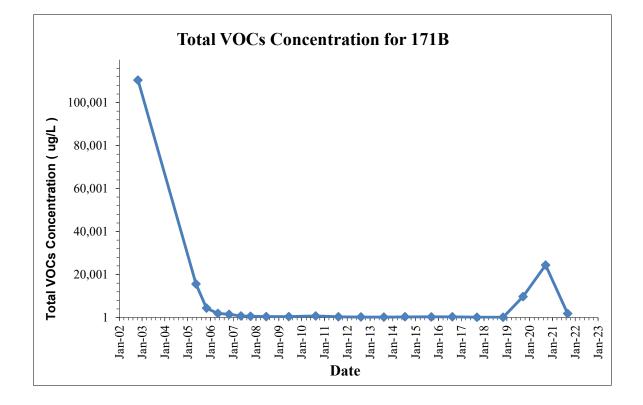


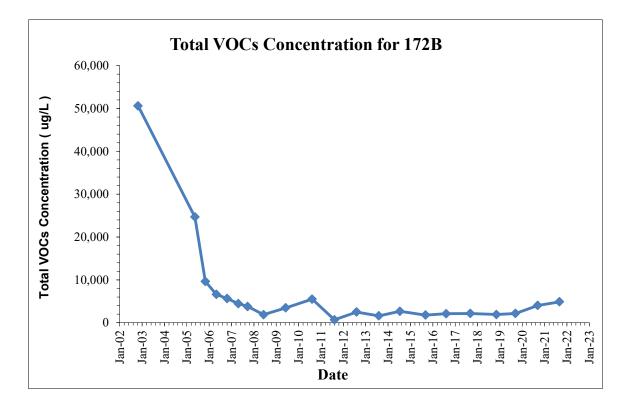


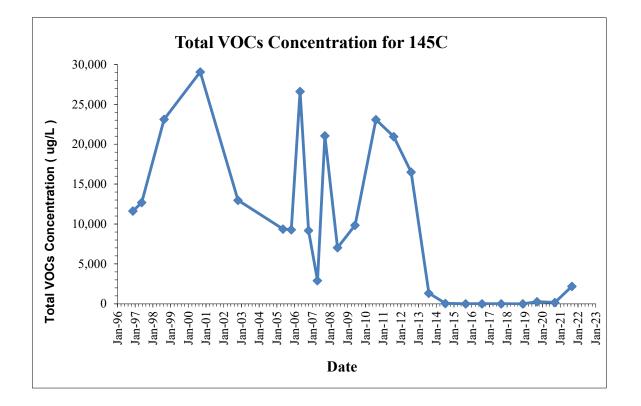


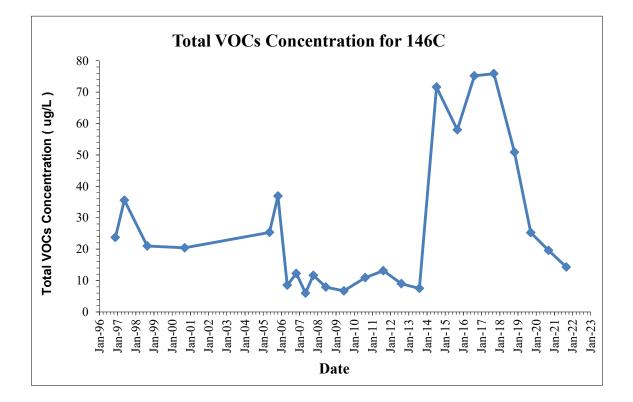


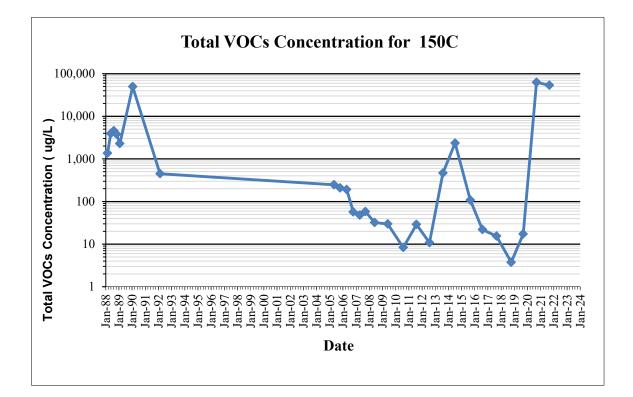


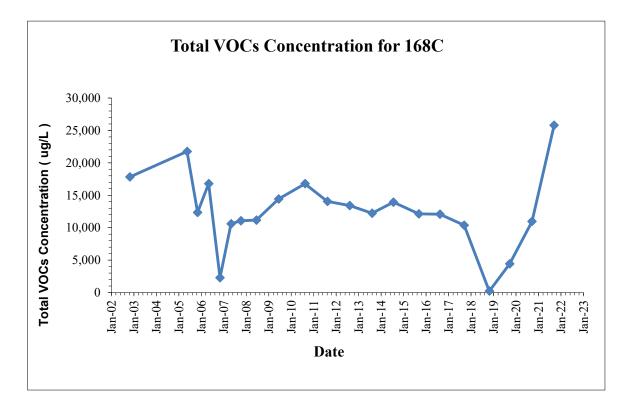


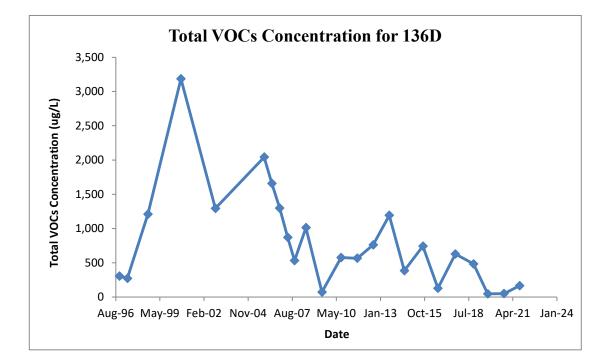


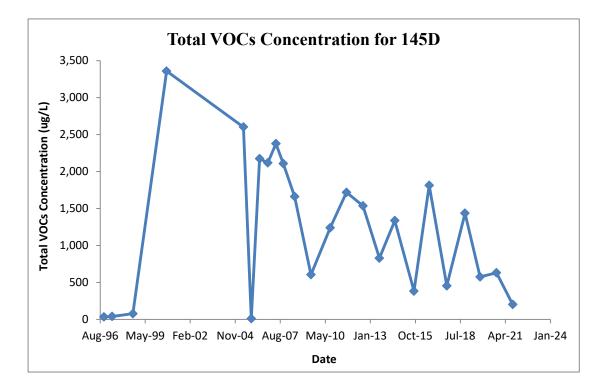


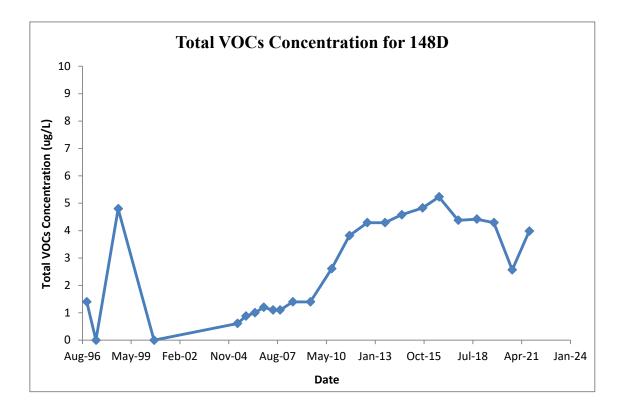


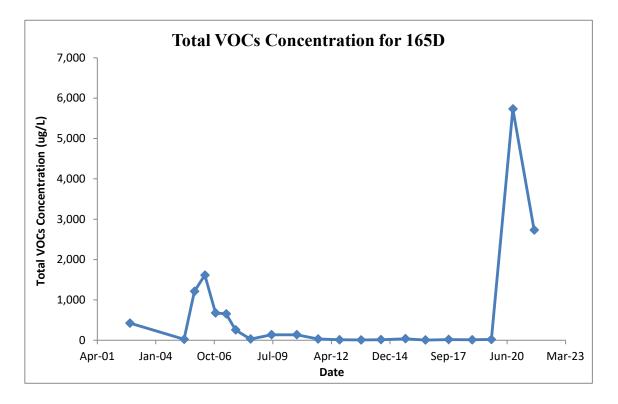


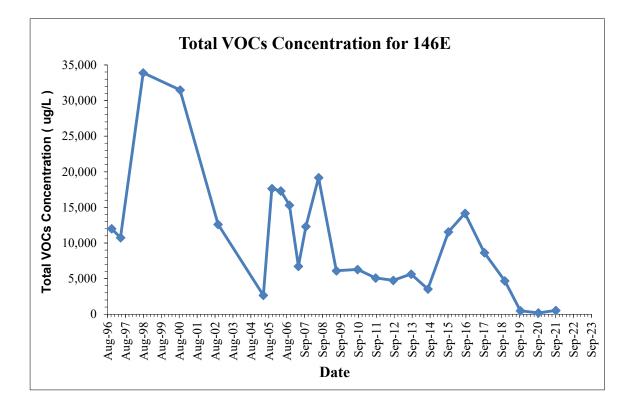


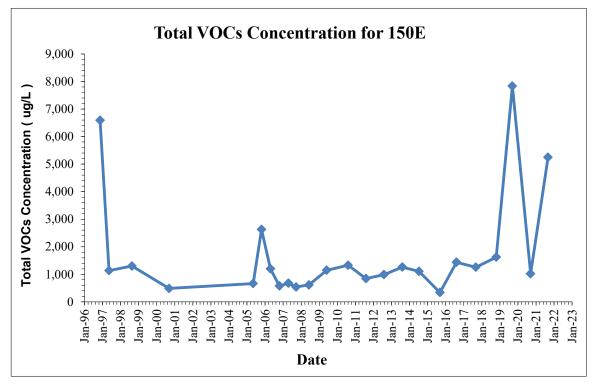


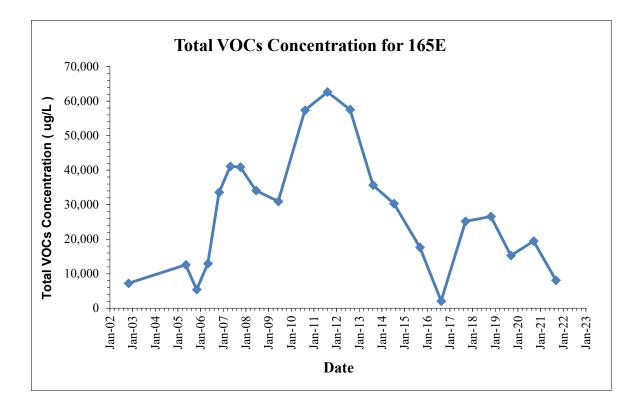


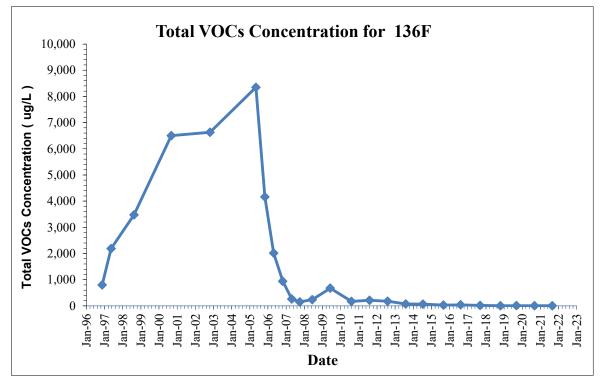


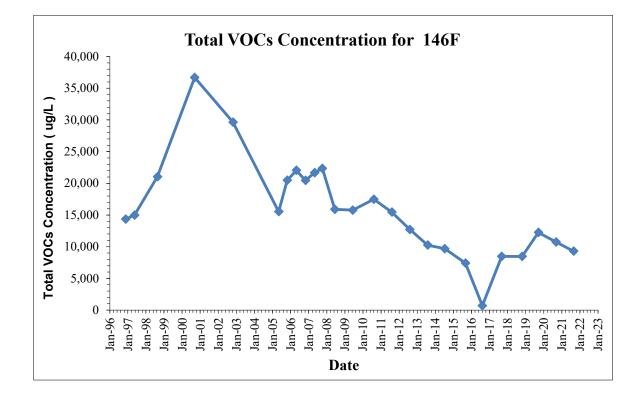


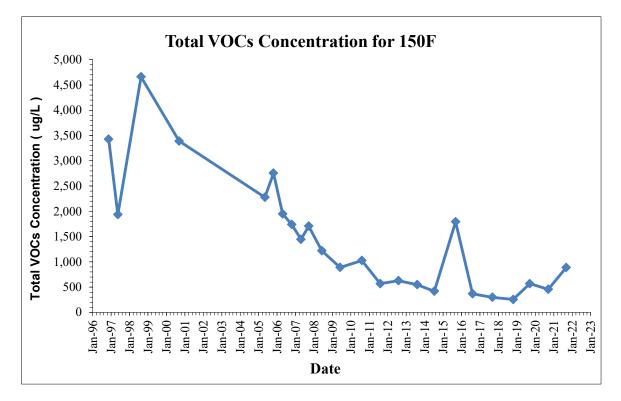












APPENDIX C LANDFILL CAP INSPECTION RESULTS (DECEMBER 2021)



EXHIBIT A CAP AND SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE INSPECTION CHECKLIST NECCO PARK

DATE: INSPECTOR: WITNESSES: Not Require				hepard	EMERGENCY CONTACT: TIMOThy PEZZINO Phone #716 - 570-6846				
CONDITION: (Check) (Not Acceptable or Not Present require comments below))	
				<u>Acceptable</u>	Not <u>Acceptable</u>	Present	Not <u>Present</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
1)	Ve Dit a) b) c) d) e)	Pooling Slope Ir Overall	lverts nt Build-Up/Debris or Ponding						
2)	Access Roads		×						
3)	Lar a) b) c) d) e) f)	Erosion Leachat Settleme Stone A Vegetati	ent prons	× 			×		
4)	a)		ty Top Soil Side Slope	× ×					
5) 6)		Vents nitoring V	Wells	XX					
COMMENTS: DESCRIPTION OF CONDITION: 38) No Leachate Seeps Present: 3c) No Settling on Landfill or Side Slopes. 3F) Very Small Mice + Mole Burrows on Landfill cap and side Slopes									
DESCRIPTION OF CONCERN:									

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EXHIBIT B CAP AND SURFACE WATER DRAINAGE MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST NECCO PARK

DATE: INSPECTOR: WITNESSES:	12-13-2021 Jerry Shepard Not Required	EMERGENCY CONTACT: Timothy Pezzino Phone #716-570.6846		
Maintenance <u>Performed</u> (Check)	Item	Performed by:	Remarks	
	 Vegetative Cover: a) Seeding b) Fertilizing c) Topsoil Replaced d) Removal of Undesirable Vegetation 			
	 2) Drainage Ditches a) Sediment Removal b) Fill c) Regrading d) Stone Apron Repair e) Vegetative Cover Placement f) Liner Replacement 			
	 3) Access Road a) Excavation b) Fill c) Grading d) Stone Paving 			
	 4) Landfill Cap a) Excavation b) Cover Materials topsoil barrier protection layer drainage composite geomembrane geotextile c) Testing d) Barrier Protection Layer e) Vegetative Cover 	Contractor Napier		
	 5) Gas Vents - Pipes - Bedding and Adjacent Media 			
	6) Other			

DESCRIPTION OF MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES: 48 Brosh Locard And	Line Trimmed
LANDFILL CAP, Side slopes, and Ditch - Completed 3	C. H. C
	CUTTINGS

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