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November 20, 1992

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Department of Environmental Health  
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Re: Hertz Service Center  
#1 Airport Drive  
Oakland, CA

*J Be*

Dear Mr. Chan:

Enclosed for your review, please find a copy of the September Monitoring Report. As the report indicates, the findings of the latest round of sampling indicate that the origin of the petroleum hydrocarbon contamination in the groundwater is in the vicinity of the fuel dispensers and former product lines.

If you have any questions regarding the report, I may be contacted at (201)307-2526. Thank you.

Sincerely,

*Patricia A. Woods*

Patricia A. Woods  
Project Manager  
Environmental Affairs

**SEPTEMBER 1992 QUARTERLY MONITORING REPORT  
FOR  
HERTZ SERVICE CENTER  
#1 AIRPORT DRIVE  
OAKLAND  
ALAMEDA COUNTY  
CALIFORNIA**

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**PROJECT NO. 6-91-5228**

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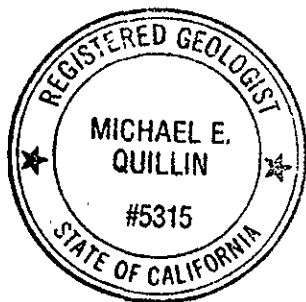
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10/26/92  
DATE

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Michael E. Quillin  
Michael E. Quillin, RG 5315  
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10/27/92  
DATE



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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results of quarterly ground water monitoring and sampling conducted on September 1, 1992 by Environmental Science & Engineering, Inc. (ESE) at the Hertz Service Center, No. 1 Airport Drive, Oakland, Alameda County, California. The site is an active rental car service and fueling facility located at the Oakland International Airport (See Figure 1 - Site Plan).

ESE summarized site investigation background in the August 1991 Quarterly Monitoring Report (ESE, 1991a) and the November 1991 Quarterly Monitoring Report (ESE, 1991b). The results of additional site investigation conducted by ESE, which included installation of a fourth ground water monitoring well at the site, were summarized in the February 1992 Quarterly Monitoring Report (ESE, 1992).

## 2.0 SEPTEMBER 1992 MONITORING AND SAMPLING RESULTS

### 2.1 Ground Water Elevations

ESE measured ground water levels in site wells and calculated ground water elevations relative to mean sea level (MSL). The results are presented in Table 1 - Summary of Ground Water Elevation and Analytical Data. These data show that ground water elevations decreased in the four wells (MW-1, MW-2, MW-3, and MW-4) by as much as 0.51 feet relative to the previous monitoring event. Field documentation for water level measurements, including well purging results, are presented in Appendix A - Well Purging and Sampling Data.

Ground water elevations for the current monitoring event are contoured in Figure 2 - Ground Water Elevations. These results demonstrate that the overall ground water gradient is oriented generally west-southwest, with an approximate magnitude of 140 feet/mile (0.026 ft/ft), which is higher than the gradient noted in May 1992 (80.6 feet/mile or 0.015 ft/ft).

## 2.2 Ground Water Chemistry

Ground water samples were collected from each of the wells after they were purged of approximately four casing volumes (See Appendix A). Samples were analyzed by Curtis & Tompkins, Ltd. for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons as Gasoline (TPH-Gas) and Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, and Total Xylenes (BTEX) using EPA Method 5030/8020 (modified). Current analytical results are summarized with historical data in Table 1 and graphically presented in Figure 3 - Concentrations of Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Ground Water. The laboratory report and chain of custody documentation are presented as Appendix B - Analytical Results and Chain of Custody Documentation. The data presented in Table 1 show that concentrations of petroleum hydrocarbons in Well MW-4 increased significantly relative to May and February 1992 findings. The concentration of TPH-Gas and Benzene doubled relative to the previous monitoring period in May 1992. Concentrations of petroleum hydrocarbons remained at their historically nondetectable levels in well MW-1. However, petroleum hydrocarbons were detected at concentrations slightly above detection limits in samples collected from wells MW-2 and MW-3. These findings tend to confirm that the origin of petroleum hydrocarbons in ground water is in the vicinity of the fuel dispensers and former product lines. These findings also suggest that, based on the historical preferred direction of ground water flow, there is the potential for off-site migration to the west.

For project quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) purposes, ESE collected a duplicate sample from well MW-2 and had it analyzed for TPH-Gas and BTEX. Results for sample MW-2 and its duplicate (DUP; Table 1) can be compared using relative percent differences (RPDs). For TPH-Gas, Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, and Total Xylenes (BTEX), the RPDs between the two samples were 19, 33, 33, 22, and 32, respectively. These results are considered fair agreement between ground water samples, and indicate that ESE's sample collection procedures were consistent and in accordance with standard practices.

### 3.0 REFERENCES

Environmental Science & Engineering, Inc. (ESE), 1991, August 1991 Quarterly Monitoring Report for Hertz Service Center, #1 Airport Drive, Oakland, Alameda County, California, September 16, 1991.

——— 1991, November 1991 Quarterly Monitoring Report for Hertz Service Center, #1 Airport Drive, Oakland, Alameda County, California, December 11, 1991.

——— 1992, February 1992 Quarterly Monitoring Report for Hertz Service Center, #1 Airport Drive, Oakland, Alameda County, California, March 24, 1992.

TABLE 1

SUMMARY OF GROUND-WATER ELEVATION AND ANALYTICAL DATA  
HERTZ/OAKLAND AIRPORT, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

GROUND WATER		Ground-Water Elevation (feet above MSL)	Metals (ppm)					Oil & Grease (ppm)	Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (ppb)						Purgeable Halocarbons (EPA 8010) (ppb)	Semi-Volatile Organics (EPA 8270) (ppb)	
Date	Well		Cd	Cr	Pb	Ni	Zn		as Gasoline	as Kerosene	as Diesel	B	T	E			X
09/01/92	MW-1	2.55	Not Analyzed					--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-2	4.15						--	56	--	--	2.0	3.0	0.8	3.1	--	--
	MW-3	3.21						--	ND	--	--	1.1	1.6	ND	1.9	--	--
	MW-4 DUP (MW-2)	3.14 --						--	120,000 68	--	--	8800 2.8	14000 4.2	2100 1.0	11000 4.3	--	--
05/13/92	MW-1	2.93	Not Analyzed					--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-2	4.66						--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-3	3.64						--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-4	3.57						--	62,000	--	--	3400	5200	990	5200	--	--
	DUP TRIP	-- --						--	61,000 ND	--	--	3300 ND	5200 ND	920 ND	5200 ND	--	--
02/18/92	MW-1	3.06	Not Analyzed					--	ND	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--	
	MW-2	3.86						--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-3	2.92						--	ND	--	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	--	--
	MW-4	3.43						--	6,600	--	--	ND	910	1900	280	1700	--
11/12/91	MW-1	3.06	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND		
	MW-2	3.86	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND		
	MW-3	2.92	7.2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	52 †	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND		
08/20/91	MW-1	2.30	all ND					ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND	
	MW-2	4.09	all ND					ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND	
	MW-3	3.06	all ND					ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND	
12/22/89	MW-1	2.9 est.	--					--	ND	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND *	
	MW-2	3.6 est.	--					--	ND	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND *	
	MW-3	2.7 est.	--					--	ND	--	ND	ND	ND	ND	all ND	all ND *	
11/25/88	Water Sample A5 from excavation							--	7,400	--	--	63	570	250	1900	--	--

## NOTES:

ND = Not detected. -- = Not Analyzed ppm = parts per million (mg/L) ppb = parts per billion (ug/L)

B = Benzene T = Toluene E = Ethylbenzene X = Xylenes

† = Detection limit for TPH as Diesel is 50 ppb. Duplicate sample analyzed contained ND&lt;50 ppb.

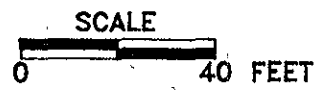
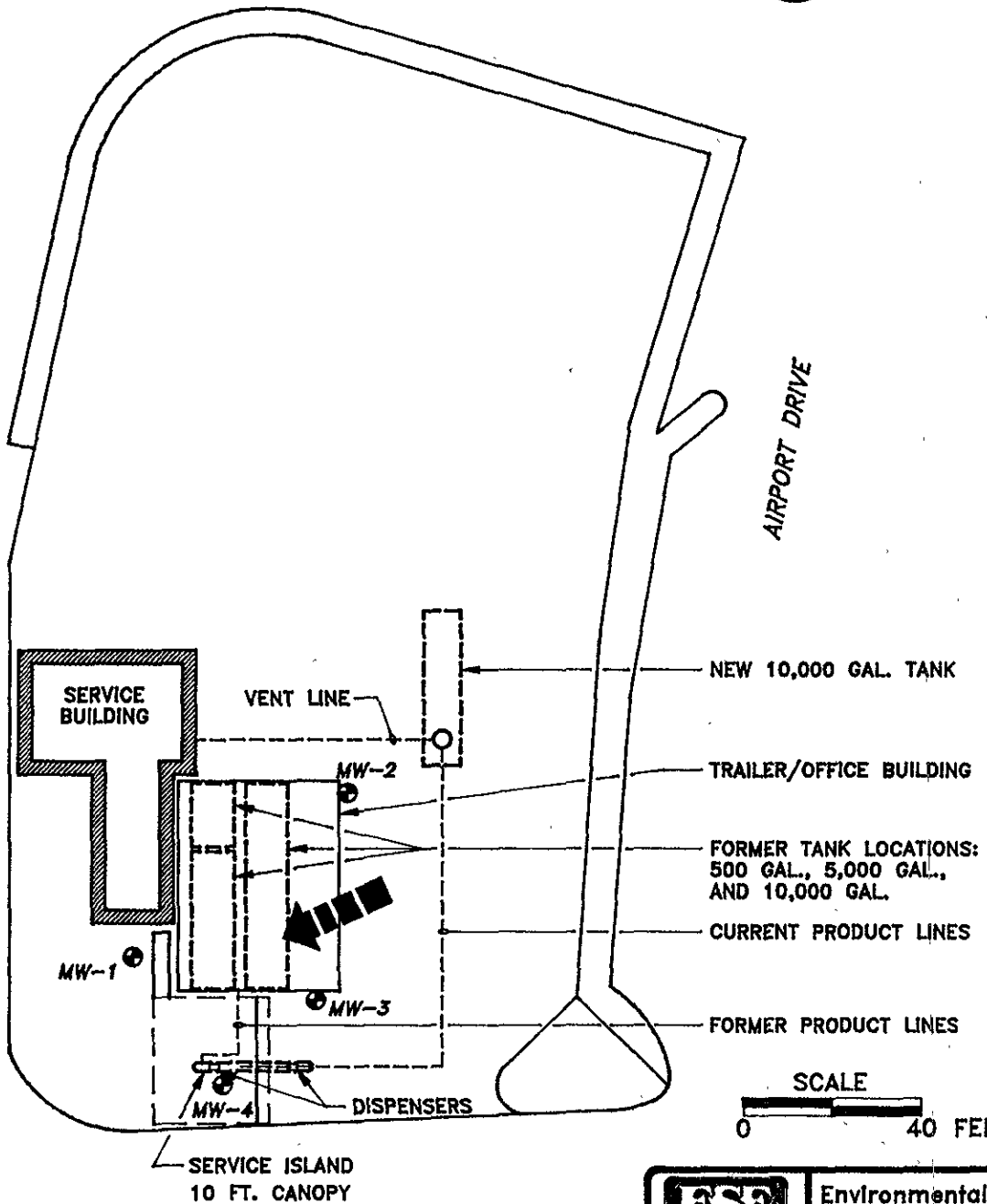
\* An open scan reported two "tentatively identified compounds": (iodomethyl) benzene at 30 ppb in MW-1 and 40 ppb in MW-3; and 4-4' butylidenebis [2-(1,1-dimethyl-ethyl) 5-methyl] phenol at 20 ppb in MW-2 and MW-3. The identity and concentrations of these compounds are not considered reliable.



ALLAN SHEPARD WAY



AIRPORT DRIVE



**LEGEND**

⊕ APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF MONITORING WELLS

← APPROXIMATE GROUND WATER FLOW DIRECTION - 9/92

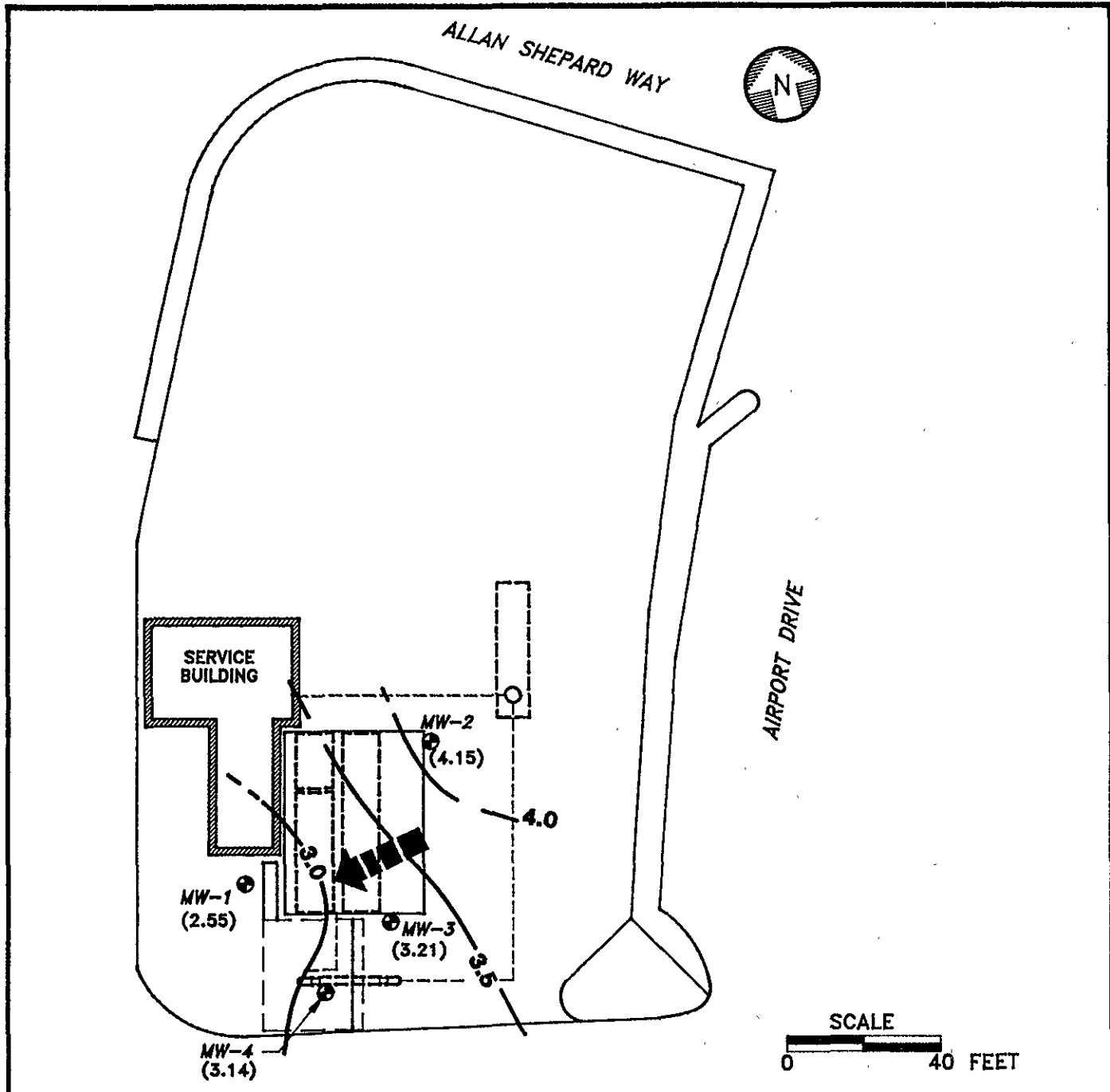


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OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

FIGURE 1  
SITE PLAN

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DATE 8/91	FILE NAME 52284001	PROJ. NO. 6-91-5228



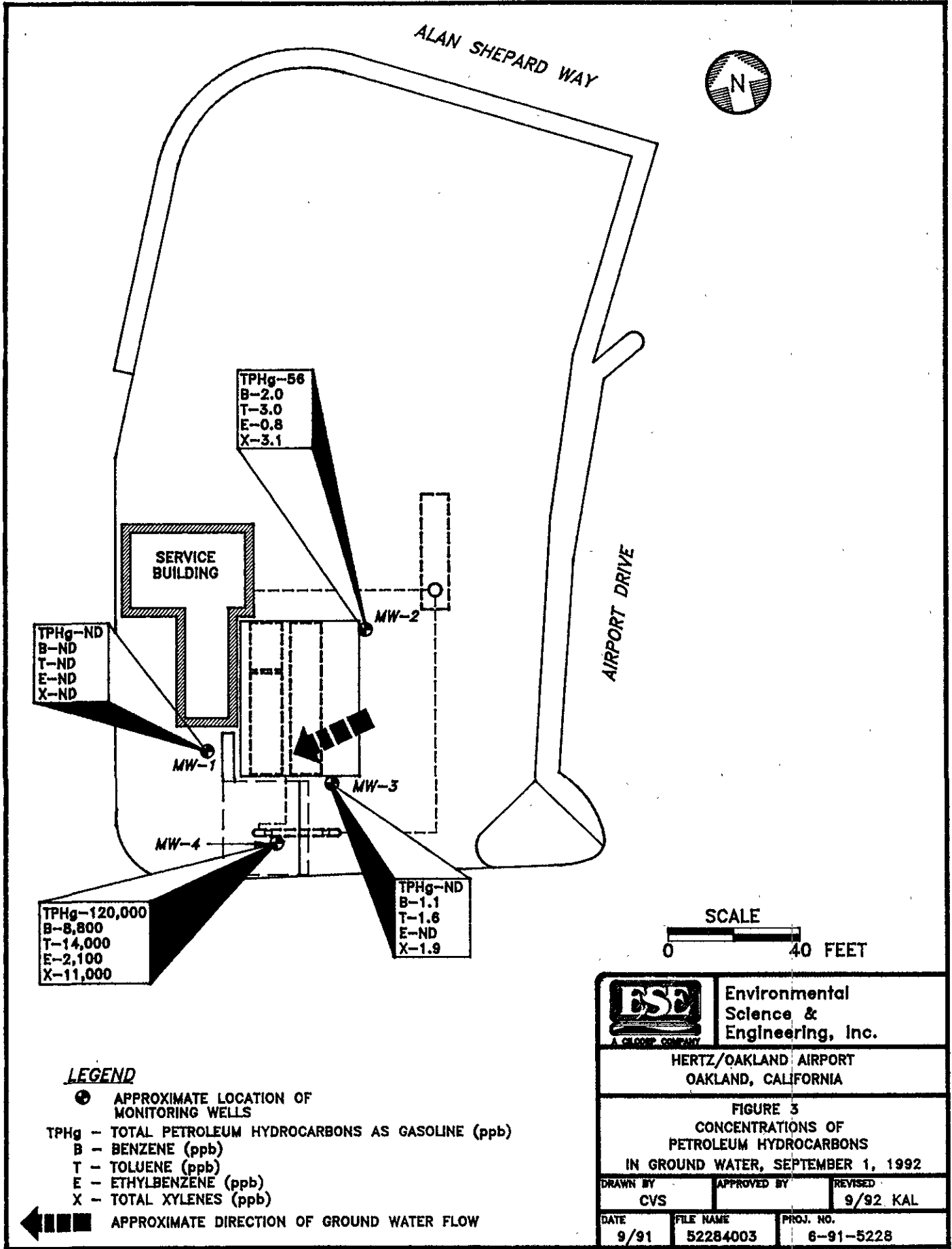
WELL	WELL ELEV(ft)	GW DEPTH(ft)	GW ELEV(ft)
MW-1	7.45	4.90	2.55
MW-2	8.09	3.94	4.15
MW-3	7.66	4.45	3.21
MW-4	8.23	5.09	3.14

**LEGEND**

- ⊕ APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF MONITORING WELLS (4)
- 3.5 — GROUND WATER ELEVATION CONTOUR (IN FEET ABOVE MSL)
- ← APPROXIMATE DIRECTION OF GROUND WATER FLOW

CONTOUR INTERVAL: 0.50 FEET

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<b>HERTZ/OAKLAND AIRPORT          OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA</b>		
<b>FIGURE 2          GROUND WATER ELEVATIONS          SEPTEMBER 1, 1992</b>		
DRAWN BY <b>CVS</b>	APPROVED BY	REVISED <b>DWR 9/92</b>
DATE <b>9/91</b>	FILE NAME <b>52284002</b>	PROJ. NO. <b>6-91-5228</b>



**APPENDIX A**  
**WELL PURGING AND SAMPLING DATA**

WELL PURGING AND SAMPLING DATA

Date: 9/1/92 Project Number: 6-91-5-228 Project Name: Hertz

Well Number: MW-7 Boring Diameter: \_\_\_\_\_ Casing Diameter: 2"

Column of Fluid in Well	Volume to be Removed
depth to product <u>0</u>	gal per ft Annular Space = _____
depth to water <u>3.94</u>	column of water X _____
total depth of well <u>14.22</u>	volume of annular space = _____
column of product <u>0</u>	gal per ft of casing = _____
column of water <u>10.28</u>	column of water X _____
	volume of casing = <u>1.70</u>
	total volume = _____
	number of vol to remove X <u>3</u>
	total vol to remove = <u>5</u>

MW-2

method of measuring fluid Well Sounder

method of purging well 2" Grund fos. rate \_\_\_\_\_

method of decon Alconox & Water

Physical appearance of water (clarity, color, particulates, odor)

Initial	Cloudy	Brown	Yes	NO
Initial	<u>Cloudy</u>	<u>Brown</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>NO</u>
During				
Final				

Field Analysis	Initial	During	Final
time	_____	_____	_____
conductivity	<u>2.98</u>	<u>3.09</u>	<u>4.06</u>
pH	<u>7.74</u>	<u>7.55</u>	<u>7.42</u>
temperature	<u>75.2</u>	<u>75.1</u>	<u>74.8</u>
method of measurement	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>
		<u>Hydac. 9.</u>	

Total volume purged 6.8 gal. Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Number MW-7 Amount of Sample 6 Vials.

Signed/Sampler [Signature] Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed/Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

WELL PURGING AND SAMPLING DATA

Date: 9/1/92 Project Number: 6-91-5-228 Project Name: Hertz

Well Number: MW-2 Boring Diameter: \_\_\_\_\_ Casing Diameter: 2"

Column of Fluid in Well

Volume to be Removed

depth to product 0  
 depth to water 4.96'  
 total depth of well 14.86'  
 column of product 0  
 column of water 9.96

gal per ft Annular Space = \_\_\_\_\_  
 column of water X \_\_\_\_\_  
 volume of annular space = \_\_\_\_\_  
 gal per ft of casing = \_\_\_\_\_  
 column of water X 9.96  
 volume of casing = \_\_\_\_\_  
 total volume = 1.65  
 number of vol to remove X 3  
 total vol to remove = 5 gal

method of measuring fluid Well Sounding

method of purging well 2" Grind Fos. rate 2gpm

method of decon Alconox & Water

Physical appearance of water (clarity, color, particulates, odor)

Initial	<u>Clear</u>	<u>Clear</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>
During	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Final	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Field Analysis

	Initial	During	Final
time	_____	_____	_____
conductivity	<u>2067</u>	<u>2046</u>	<u>2062</u>
pH	<u>8.13</u>	<u>8.04</u>	<u><del>7.72</del> 7.69</u>
temperature	<u>80.5</u> <u>2</u>	<u>80.1</u> <u>4</u>	<u>77.2</u> <u>6</u>
method of measurement	<u>Hydra 9.</u>		

Total volume purged 6 gal Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Number MW-2 Amount of Sample 3 Vials

Signed/Sampler [Signature] Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed/Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**WELL PURGING AND SAMPLING DATA**

Date: 9/1/92 Project Number: 6-97-5328 Project Name: Hutz  
 Well Number: MW-3 Boring Diameter: \_\_\_\_\_ Casing Diameter: 2"

Column of Fluid in Well	Volume to be Removed
depth to product <u>Ø</u>	gal per ft Annular Space = _____
depth to water <u>4.45'</u>	column of water X _____
total depth of well <u>14.44</u>	volume of annular space = _____
column of product <u>Ø</u>	gal per ft of casing = _____
column of water <u>9.99</u>	column of water X _____
	volume of casing = _____
	total volume = <u>1.65</u>
	number of vol to remove X <u>3</u>
	total vol to remove = <u>4.95</u>

method of measuring fluid Well Sounding  
 method of purging well 2" Grundfos rate \_\_\_\_\_  
 method of decon Alconox & Water

Physical appearance of water (clarity, color, particulates, odor)

Initial	<u>Cloudy</u>	<u>Gray</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>NO</u>
During	<u>Clear</u>	<u>Clear</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>NO</u>
Final	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Field Analysis	Initial	During	Final
time	_____	_____	_____
conductivity	<u>11.20</u>	<u>5.70</u>	<u>6.11</u>
pH	<u>7.80</u>	<u>7.65</u>	<u>7.56</u>
temperature	<u>75.8</u>	<u>75.1</u>	<u>74.90</u>
method of measurement	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>6</u>
		<u>Hydac 90</u>	

Total volume purged 6 gal Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Number MW-3 Amount of Sample 3/100s  
 Signed/Sampler [Signature] Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed/Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

WELL PURGING AND SAMPLING DATA

Date: 9/1/92 Project Number: 16-91-5228 Project Name: HRTZ

Well Number: MW-4 Boring Diameter: \_\_\_\_\_ Casing Diameter: 4"

Column of Fluid in Well	Volume to be Removed
depth to product <u>0</u>	gal per ft Annular Space = _____
depth to water <u>5.089'</u>	column of water X _____
total depth of well <u>7.82'</u>	volume of annular space = _____
column of product <u>0</u>	gal per ft of casing = _____
column of water <u>2.73'</u>	column of water X _____
	volume of casing = _____
	total volume = <u>0.45</u>
	number of vol to remove X <u>3</u>
	total vol to remove = <u>1.35</u>

method of measuring fluid Well Sounder

method of purging well 2" Grand fos. rate \_\_\_\_\_

method of decon Aleowax & Water

Physical appearance of water (clarity, color, particulates, odor)

Initial Clear Clear NO ~~42~~ (strong) GAS

During \_\_\_\_\_

Final \_\_\_\_\_

Field Analysis	Initial	During	Final
time	_____	_____	_____
conductivity	_____	_____	_____
pH	_____	_____	_____
temperature	_____	_____	_____
method of measurement	_____		

Total volume purged 2 gal. Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Number MW-4 Amount of Sample 3 Vials

Signed/Sampler [Signature] Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed/Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**APPENDIX B**

**ANALYTICAL RESULTS AND CHAIN OF CUSTODY DOCUMENTATION**



Curtis & Tompkins, Ltd., Analytical Laboratories, Since 1878

2323 Fifth Street, Berkeley, CA 94710, Phone (510) 486-0900

DUPLICATE

DATE RECEIVED: 09/02/92  
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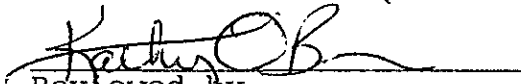
LABORATORY NUMBER: 108521

CLIENT: ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

PROJECT ID: 6-91-5228

LOCATION: HERTZ OAKLAND

RESULTS: SEE ATTACHED

  
Reviewed by

See 108521







100521

CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD

DATE 9/1/92 PAGE 1 OF 1

PROJECT NAME Hertz Oakland

ADDRESS Oakland Airport

PROJECT NO. 6-91-5228

SAMPLED BY Paul Marsden

LAB NAME CdT

ANALYSES TO BE PERFORMED

MATRIX

NUMBER OF CONTAINERS

MATRIX

MATRIX



Environmental Science & Engineering, Inc.

4090 Nelson Avenue Suite J Concord, CA 94520

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REMARKS (CONTAINER, SIZE, ETC.)

SAMPLE #	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
MW-1	9/1/92	1605	Oakland
MW-2		1550	
MW-3		1600	
MW-4		1610	
DUP		1550	

TPH gas BTEX

Water

3  
3  
3  
3  
3

Ugas.

RELINQUISHED BY: (signature)

1. M. Quill FOR TFM

2. M. Quill

3. Mary Carpenter

4.

5.

RECEIVED BY: (signature)

M. Quill

Mary Carpenter

James E. Quillin

date time

9/1/92 1600

9/2/92 0750

9-2-92 1025

15

TOTAL NUMBER OF CONTAINERS

REPORT RESULTS TO: Mike Q.

SPECIAL SHIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

SAMPLE RECEIPT

INSTRUCTIONS TO LABORATORY (handling, analyses, storage, etc.):

Standard Turn around.

CHAIN OF CUSTODY SEALS

REC'D GOOD COND'TN/COLD

CONFORMS TO RECORD