

**WORKING AGENDA**  
**ARCO SERVICE STATION 0608**  
**AUGUST 18, 1997**

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**A. Site Background**

**B. MtBE Risk Assessment Method**

Tier I GSI package:

- a. Assumptions
- b. Exposure pathways
- c. Representative concentration

**C. Risk Assessment Approval Letter**

- a. ARCO would like a draft letter for review

**D. TPPH-g, and Benzene, Concentration Trend Analysis**

**E. Reduction in Groundwater Monitoring Program**

*Plume stability → MtBE issue*

# RBCA TIER 1/TIER 2 EVALUATION

## Output Table 1

Site Name: Site Location:		Job Identification: Date Completed: Completed By:		Software: GSI RBCA Spreadsheet Version: 1.0.1	
NOTE: values which differ from Tier 1 default values are shown in bold italics and underlined.					
Exposure Parameter	Definition (Units)	Adult	Residential (1-5yrs)	Commercial/Industrial Chronic	Constrctn
ATc	Averaging time for carcinogens (yr)	70			
ATn	Averaging time for non-carcinogens (yr)	30	6	18	25
BW	Body Weight (kg)	70	15	35	70
ED	Exposure Duration (yr)	30	8	16	25
t	Averaging time for vapor flux (yr)	30		25	1
EF	Exposure Frequency (days/yr)	350		250	180
EF.Derm	Exposure Frequency for dermal exposure	350		250	
IRgw	Ingestion Rate of Water (L/day)	2		1	
IRs	Ingestion Rate of Soil (mg/day)	100	200	50	100
IRadj	Adjusted soil ing. rate (mg-yr/kg-d)	1.1E+02		9.4E+01	
IRa.in	Inhalation rate indoor (m^3/day)	15		20	
IRa.out	Inhalation rate outdoor (m^3/day)	20		20	10
SA	Skin surface area (dermal) (cm^2)	5.8E+03	2.0E+03	5.8E+03	5.8E+03
SAadj	Adjusted dermal area (cm^2-2-yr/kg)	2.1E+03		1.7E+03	
M	Soil to Skin adherence factor	1			
AAFs	Age adjustment on soil ingestion	TRUE		FALSE	
AAFd	Age adjustment on skin surface area	TRUE		FALSE	
tox	Use EPA tox data for air (or PEL based)?	TRUE			
gwMCL?	Use MCL as exposure limit in groundwater?	FALSE			
Matrix of Exposed Persons to Complete Exposure Pathways		Residential	Commercial/Industrial	Chronic	Constrctn
Outdoor Air Pathways:					
SS.v	Volatiles and Particulates from Surface Soils	TRUE		FALSE	FALSE
S.v	Volatilization from Subsurface Soils	TRUE		FALSE	
GW.v	Volatilization from Groundwater	TRUE		FALSE	
Indoor Air Pathways:					
S.b	Vapors from Subsurface Soils	TRUE		FALSE	
GW.b	Vapors from Groundwater	TRUE		FALSE	
Soil Pathways:					
SS.d	Direct Ingestion and Dermal Contact	TRUE		FALSE	FALSE
Groundwater Pathways:					
GW.i	Groundwater Ingestion	TRUE		FALSE	
S.I.	Leaching to Groundwater from all Soils	TRUE		FALSE	
Matrix of Receptor Distance and Location On- or Off-Site		Residential	Commercial/Industrial	Distance	On-Site
GW	Groundwater receptor (cm)			TRUE	
S	Inhalation receptor (cm)			TRUE	TRUE
Matrix of Target Risks		Individual	Cumulative		
TRab	Target Risk (class A&B carcinogens)	1.0E-06			
TRc	Target Risk (class C carcinogens)	1.0E-05			
THQ	Target Hazard Quotient	1.0E+00			
Opt	Calculation Option (1, 2, or 3)	1			
Tier	RBCA Tier	1			
Surface Parameters	Definition (Units)	Residential	Constrctn		
A	Contaminated soil area (cm^2)	2.2E+06	1.0E+06		
W	Length of affect. soil parallel to wind (cm)	1.5E+03	1.0E+03		
W gw	Length of affect. soil parallel to groundwater (cm)	1.5E+03			
Uair	Ambient air velocity in mixing zone (cm/s)	2.3E+02			
delta	Air mixing zone height (cm)	2.0E+02			
Lss	Thickness of affected surface soils (cm)	1.0E+02			
Pe	Particulate areal emission rate (g/cm^2/s)	6.9E-14			
Groundwater Definition (Units)	Value				
delta.gw	Groundwater mixing zone depth (cm)	2.0E+02			
I	Groundwater infiltration rate (cm/yr)	3.0E+01			
Ugw	Groundwater Darcy velocity (cm/yr)	2.5E+03			
Ugw.tr	Groundwater seepage velocity (cm/yr)	6.6E+03			
Ks	Saturated hydraulic conductivity(cm/s)				
grad	Groundwater gradient (cm/cm)				
Sw	Width of groundwater source zone (cm)				
Sd	Depth of groundwater source zone (cm)				
phi_eff	Effective porosity in water-bearing unit	3.8E-01			
foc sat	Fraction organic carbon in water-bearing unit	1.0E-03			
BIO?	Is biotreatment considered?	FALSE			
BC	Biodegradation Capacity (mg/L)				
Soil Definition (Units)	Value				
hc	Capillary zone thickness (cm)	5.0E+00			
hv	Vadose zone thickness (cm)	3.0E+02			
rho	Soil density (g/cm^3)	1.7			
foc	Fraction of organic carbon in vadose zone	0.01			
phi	Soil porosity in vadose zone	0.38			
Eqw	Depth to groundwater (cm)	3.0E+02			
Ls	Depth to top of affected subsurface soil (cm)	1.0E+02			
Lsubs	Thickness of affected subsurface soils (cm)	2.0E+02			
pH	Soil/groundwater pH	6.5			
capillary					
phi.w	Volumetric water content	0.342	0.12	0.12	
phi.a	Volumetric air content	0.038	0.26	0.26	
Building Definition (Units)	Residential	Commercial			
Lb	Building volume/area ratio (cm)	2.0E+02	3.0E+02		
ER	Building air exchange rate (s^-1)	1.4E-04	2.3E-04		
Lcrk	Foundation crack thickness (cm)	1.5E+01			
eta	Foundation crack fraction	0.01			
Transport Parameters Definition (Units)	Residential	Commercial			
Groundwater					
ax	Longitudinal dispersivity (cm)				
ay	Transverse dispersivity (cm)				
az	Vertical dispersivity (cm)				
Vapor					
dcy	Transverse dispersion coefficient (cm)				
dcz	Vertical dispersion coefficient (cm)				

## RBCA CHEMICAL DATABASE

## Physical Property Data

CAS Number	Constituent	type	Molecular Weight (g/mole)	Diffusion Coefficients		log (Koc) or log(Kd) (@ 20 - 25 C)		Henry's Law Constant (@ 20 - 25 C)		Vapor Pressure (@ 20 - 25 C)	Solubility (@ 20 - 25 C)	acid ref pKa	base ref pKb		
			MW ref	Dair ref	Dwat ref	log(l/kg) ref	mol ref	(atm-m <sup>3</sup> ) (unitless) ref	(mm Hg) ref	(mg/L) ref					
1634-04-4	Methyl t-Butyl Ether	O	88.146	5	7.92E-02	6	9.41E-05	7	1.08	A	5.77E-04	2.40E-02	2.49E+02	4.80E+04	A

Site Name: 0

Site Location: 0

Completed By: Pacific

Date Completed: 1/1/1904

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## Toxicity Data

CAS Number	Constituent	Reference Dose (mg/kg/day)				Slope Factors 1/(mg/kg/day)				EPA Weight of Evidence	Is Constituent Carcinogenic ?
		Oral RfD_oral	Inhalation ref RfD_inhal			Oral SF_oral	Inhalation SF_inhal				
1634-04-4	Methyl t-Butyl Ether	5.00E-03	R 8.57E-01	R	-	-	-	-	-	FALSE	

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Miscellaneous Chemical Data

CAS Number	Constituent	MCL (mg/L)	Maximum Contaminant Level reference	Permissible Exposure Limit PEL/TLV (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	ref	Relative Absorption Factors	Detection Limits		Half Life (First-Order Decay)		
							Groundwater (mg/L)	Soil (mg/kg)	ref	Saturated ref	Unsaturated ref
1634-04-4	Methyl t-Butyl Ether			1.44E+02	ACGIH	1	0.5			360	180

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Figure 1  
Benzene Concentrations at Cross Section A-A' Over Time

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17601 Hesperian Boulevard at Hacienda Avenue  
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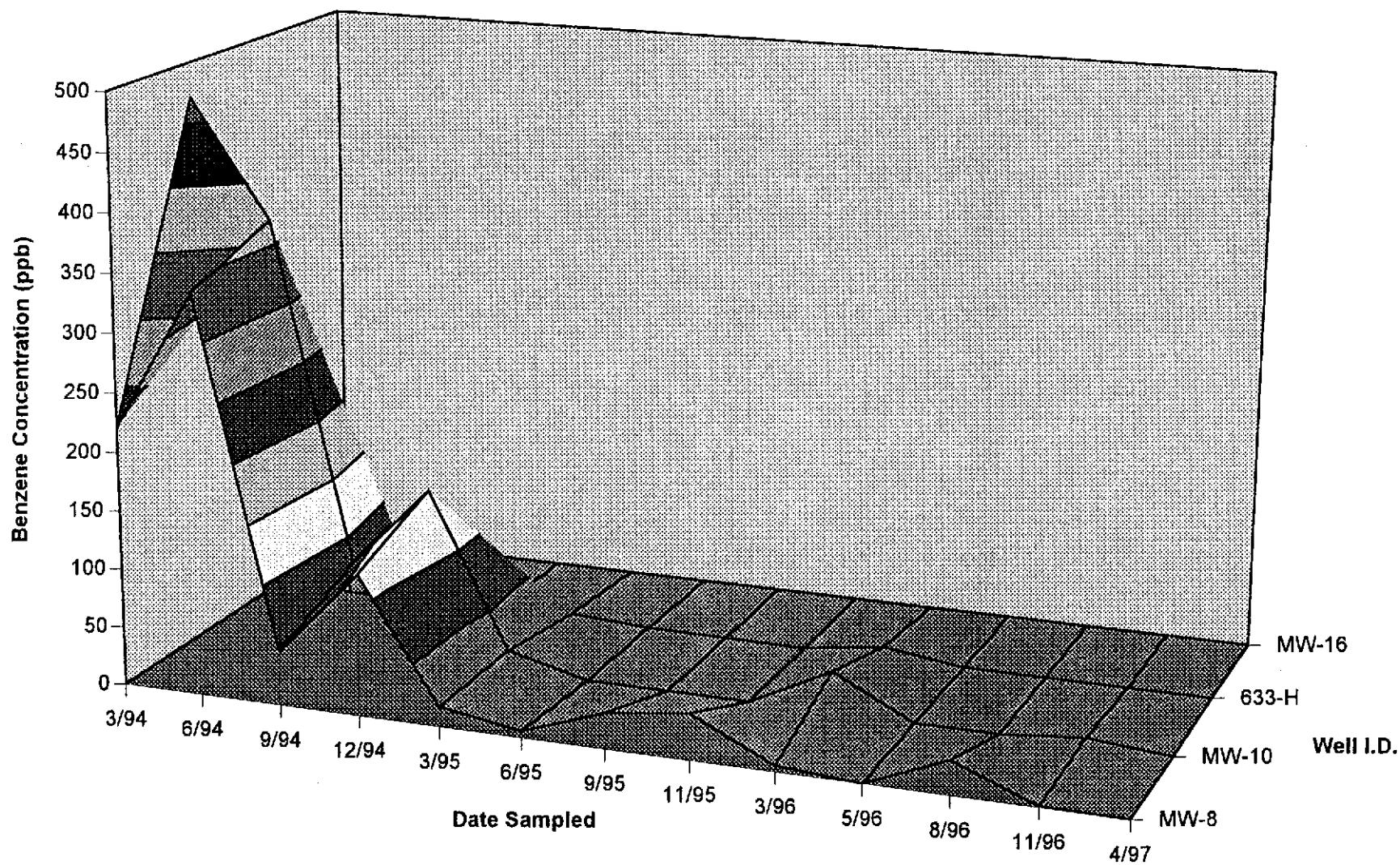


Figure 2  
Mathematical Average of Benzene Concentrations at Cross-Section A'A'

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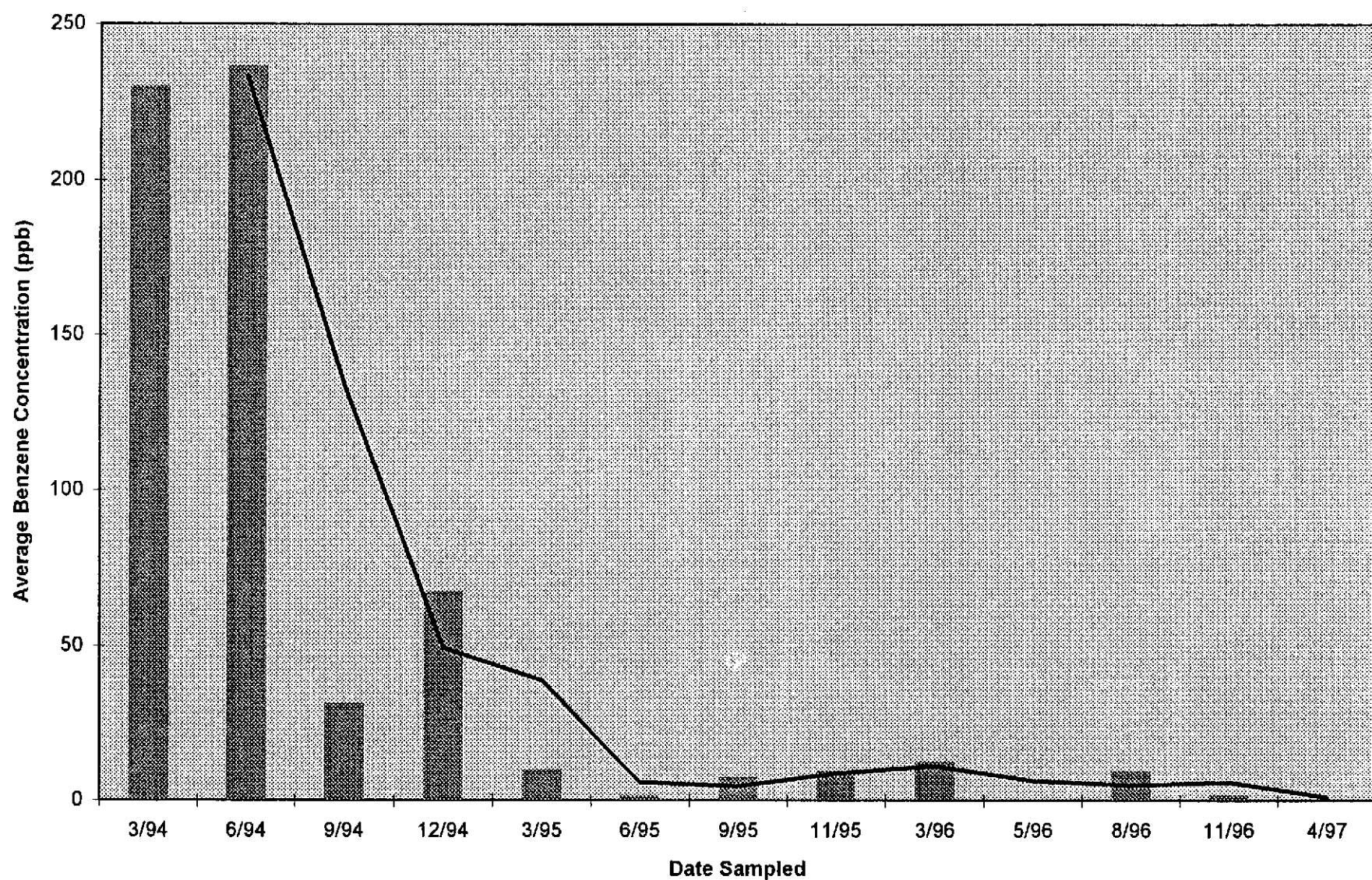


Figure 3  
TPPH-Gasoline Concentrations at Cross Section A-A' Over Time  
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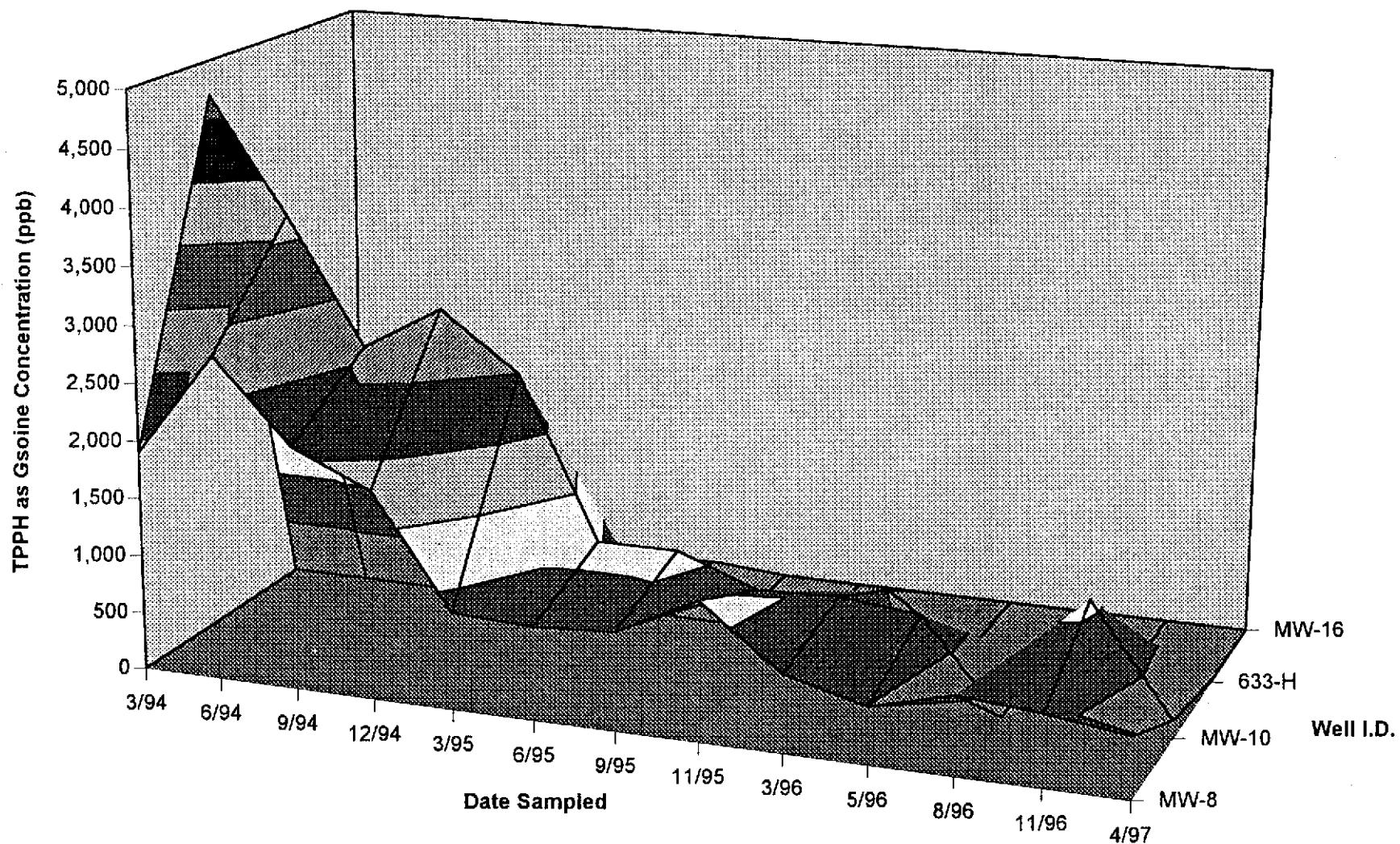
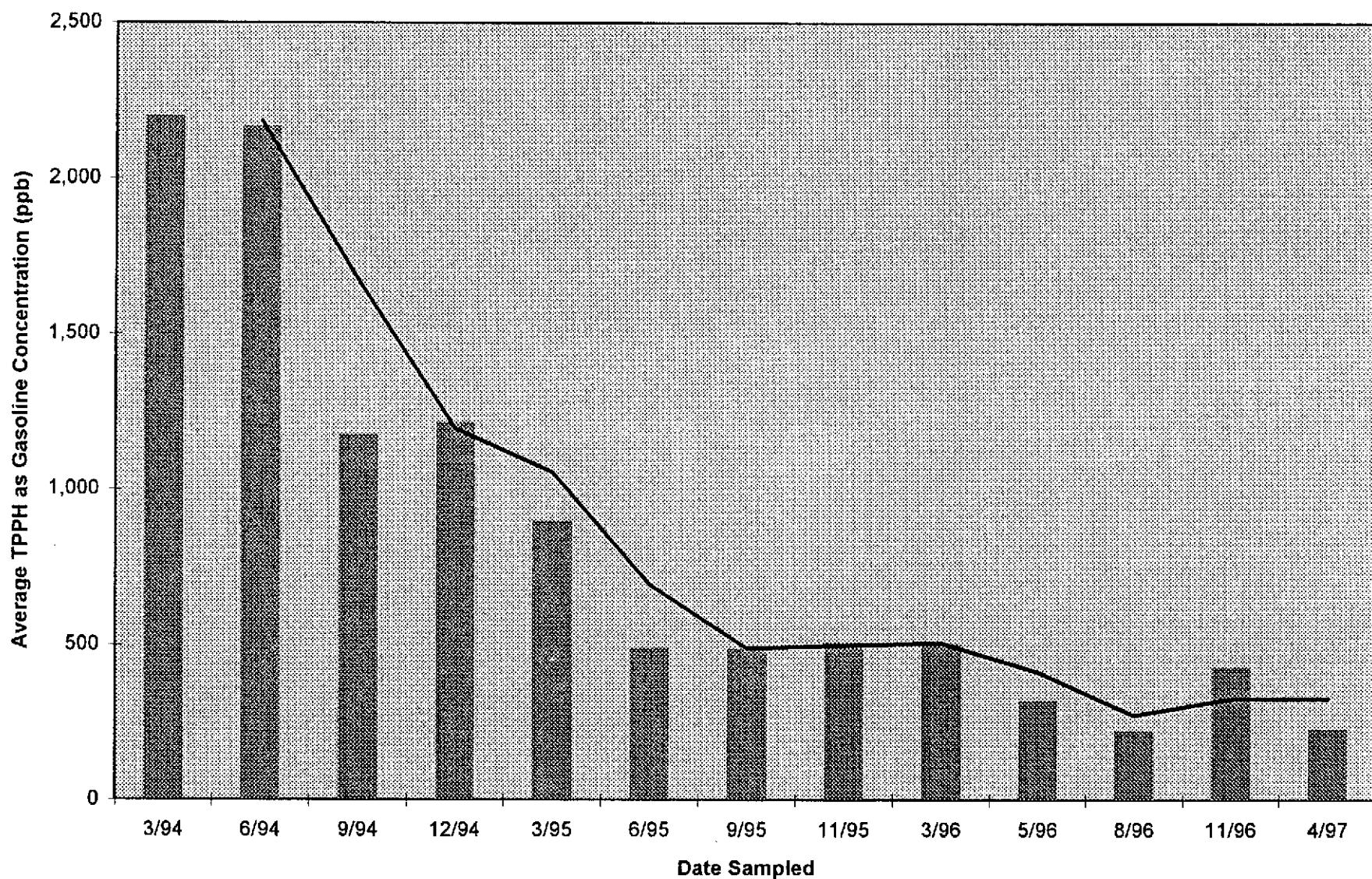


Figure 4  
Mathematical Average of TPPH-Gasoline Concentrations at Cross-Section A'A'

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*Proposed* Table 1  
Groundwater Sampling Schedule

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Well Number	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Sampling Frequency
MW-5	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-7	a	x	x	x	<u>Annual</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-8	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-9	a	x	x	x	<u>Annual</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-10	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-11	a	a	a	a	<u>Semi-annual</u>
E-1A	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-13	a	x	a	x	<u>Semi-Quarterly</u>
MW-14	a	x	x	x	<u>ANNUAL</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-15	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-16	a	a	a	a	Quarterly
MW-17	<u>Destroyed</u>				
MW-18	a	x	a	x	<u>Semi-Quarterly</u>
MW-19	a	x	a	x	<u>Semi-Quarterly</u>
MW-20	<u>Destroyed</u>				
MW-21	a	x	x	x	<u>Annual</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-22	a	x	x	x	<u>Annual</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-23	a	x	a	x	<u>Semi-Quarterly</u>
MW-24	a	x	x	x	<u>ANNUAL</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-25	a	x	x	x	<u>Annual</u> <u>Quarterly</u>
MW-26	a	x	a	x	<u>Semi-Quarterly</u>