

**FORM
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X/20**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 312292 Inspector Name: Heibel, Krystal On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 95620

Name of Operator: WESTERN OPERATING COMPANY

Address: 1165 DELAWARE STREET #200

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80204

Status Summary:

- ☒ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- ☒ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- ☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

Findings:

10 Number of Comments

7 Number of Corrective Actions

- ☒ Corrective Action Response Requested

**ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM
PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT
BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE****Contact Information:**

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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
221086	WELL	PR	03/27/2006	OW	075-09212	PROPST 2	EI
479436	OFF- LOCATION FLOWLINE	AC	02/22/2021		-	Wellhead Line 27NESE	EI

General Comment:

On October 16, 2023, ECMC Environmental Staff (Alex Fischer, Kyle Waggoner, Krystal Heibel, and Reclamation Specialist Dylan Edwardson) conducted environmental and reclamation field inspections of Western Operating Company (Western) Probst B #2 (Location ID: 312292). At the time of the inspection, several soil borings were observed being drilled.

Refer to Reclamation Inspection Report (Doc# 708200627) for further information. This location has an associated AOC with Order NO. (1V-870).

Weather was sunny and temperature about 70 degrees Fahrenheit. For the most recent field inspection report of this facility, please refer to Document #709100065.

The following is a summary: Pit Facility ID 256303 is open and does not appear to be in use. Recent berm activity indicated that berms were arranged and pushed into the pit. Fluids were covering approx. 30% of the pit floor and hydrocarbons were not observed on the fluid surface.; Housekeeping; Environmental; and Reclamation.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

Any corrective action(s) and corrective action due dates from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

Location					
Overall Good: <input type="checkbox"/>					
Signs/Marker:					
Type	BATTERY				
Comment:	Emergency Contact # illegible from a distance.				
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 605.e.				Date: 01/27/2023
Emergency Contact Number:					
Comment:	Emergency Contact # illegible from a distance.				
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 605.e. and g.				Date: 01/27/2023
Good Housekeeping:					
Type	OTHER				
Comment:	Water in the pit.				
Corrective Action:	Operator shall provide analytical results, sampling for full Table 437-1, Table 915-1, and Table 615.e.(2). (excluding the dissolved gasses and bacteria analysis) for the water within the pit. Water shall also be sampled for Rule 909.j.(1). If analytes are duplicated within the tables, there is no need to duplicate the sampling. Operator shall submit the analytics within the supplemental Form 27 submittal.				Date: 11/20/2023
Type	TRASH				
Comment:	Trash and debris throughout location and in Pit Facility. Trash near pit.				
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 606.				Date: 10/12/2017
Overall Good: <input type="checkbox"/>					
Spills:					
Type	Area	Volume			
Crude Oil	Truck Loadout	<= 1 bbl			
Comment:	Loadout container observed to be open and overflowing with an approx. 1 foot by 2 foot hydrocarbon soil staining on ground.				
Corrective Action:	Properly dispose of oily waste in accordance with 905.e.. Remove fluids from secondary containment, and secure the lid to the secondary loadout to prevent winds from blowing the containment lid open.				Date: 08/24/2023
In Containment: No					
Comment: <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?					
Equipment:					
					corrective date
Type:		#			
Comment:	A 3" valve near the wellhead and within the shed were not plugged.				
Corrective Action:	Securely fasten all valves, pipes, fittings, and Production Facilities to ensure good mechanical condition, inspect at regular intervals and maintain in good mechanical condition per Rule 608.e.				Date: 08/24/2023
Tanks and Berms:					
Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CRUDE OIL	1	300 BBLS	STEEL AST		
Comment:	The lid on the secondary containment loadout can was found open. Unmarked flowline risers.				
Corrective Action:	Securely fasten all valves, pipes, fittings, and Production Facilities to ensure good mechanical condition, inspect at regular intervals and maintain in good mechanical condition per Rule 608.e.				Date: 12/13/2022

Paint

Condition		
Other (Content)		
Other (Capacity)		
Other (Type)		

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Comment:				
Corrective Action:				Date:

Venting:

Yes/No		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Flaring:

Type	
Comment:	
Corrective Action:	Date:

Inspected FacilitiesFacility ID: 221086 Type: WELL API Number: 075-09212 Status: PR Insp. Status: EIFacility ID: 479436 Type: OFF- API Number: - Status: AC Insp. Status: EI**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
See Reclamation Inspection Doc #708200627.	heibelk	10/19/2023

Attached DocumentsYou can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
709100130	photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6292281