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Executive summary

Todd Energy Ltd (Todd) operates the Mangahewa-G hydrocarbon exploration site located on Otaraoa Road, Tikorangi. This report outlines and discusses the results of the monitoring programme implemented by the Council in relation to hydraulic fracturing activities conducted by Todd at the wellsite over the period 3 November 2020 to 25 June 2021. The report also details the results of the monitoring undertaken and assesses the environmental effects of the Company's activities.

During the monitoring period, Todd demonstrated an overall high level administrative performance and an overall high level of environmental performance.

The programme of hydraulic fracturing undertaken by Todd at the Mangahewa-G wellsite included the hydraulic fracturing of three wells. The wells targeted for stimulation were the Mangahewa-26, Mangahewa-31, and Mangahewa-32 wells.

The programme of monitoring implemented by the Council in relation to these hydraulic fracturing activities occurred during the 2020/21 monitoring year. Monitoring included pre and post discharge groundwater sampling. Samples of hydraulic fracturing fluids, and fluids returning to the wellhead post fracturing, were also obtained for physicochemical analysis in order to characterise the discharges and to determine compliance with consent conditions.

This is the second monitoring report produced by the Council in relation to the hydraulic fracturing activities at the Mangahewa-G wellsite.

The monitoring carried out by the Council indicates that the hydraulic fracturing activities undertaken by Todd had no significant adverse effects on local groundwater or surface water resources. There were no unauthorised incidents recording non-compliance in respect of the resource consent held by Todd in relation to these activities or provisions in regional plans, during the period under review.

Todd demonstrated a high level of environmental and administrative performance and compliance with the resource consents over the reporting period.

For reference, in the 2020/21 year, consent holders were found to achieve a high level of environmental performance and compliance for 86% of the consents monitored through the Taranaki tailored monitoring programmes, while for another 11% of the consents, a good level of environmental performance and compliance was achieved.

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1.1.1 Introduction

This report outlines and discusses the results of the monitoring programme implemented by Taranaki Regional Council (the Council) in relation to the programme of hydraulic fracturing undertaken by Todd Energy Ltd (Todd) at the Mangahewa-G wellsite, over the period 3 November 2020 to 25 June 2021. The report also assesses Todd's level of environmental performance and compliance with the resource consent held in relation to the activity.

The programme of hydraulic fracturing undertaken by Todd at the Mangahewa-G wellsite included the hydraulic fracturing of three wells. The wells targeted for stimulation were the Mangahewa-26, Mangahewa-31, and Mangahewa-32 wells.

The programme of monitoring implemented by the Council in relation to these hydraulic fracturing activities occurred during the 2020/21 monitoring year. Monitoring included a mixture of groundwater, surface water and discharge monitoring components. This is the second monitoring report produced by the Council in relation to hydraulic fracturing activities at the Mangahewa-G wellsite.

1.1.2 Structure of this report

Section 1 of this report is a background section. It sets out general information about:

- the nature of the monitoring programme in place for the period under review; and
- a description of the activities and operations conducted at Mangahewa-G.

Section 2 presents the results of monitoring during the period under review, including scientific and technical data.

Section 3 discusses the results, their interpretations, and their significance for the environment.

Section 4 presents recommendations to be implemented for the future monitoring of any hydraulic fracturing activities at the Mangahewa-G wellsite.

A glossary of common abbreviations and scientific terms, and a bibliography, are presented at the end of the report.

1.1.3 The Resource Management Act 1991 and monitoring

The Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA) primarily addresses environmental 'effects' which are defined as positive or adverse, temporary or permanent, past, present or future, or cumulative. Effects may arise in relation to:

a. the neighbourhood or the wider community around an activity, and may include cultural and social-economic effects;
b. physical effects on the locality, including landscape, amenity and visual effects;
c. ecosystems, including effects on plants, animals, or habitats, whether aquatic or terrestrial;
d. natural and physical resources having special significance (for example recreational, cultural, or aesthetic); and
e. risks to the neighbourhood or environment.

In drafting and reviewing conditions on discharge permits, and in implementing monitoring programmes, the Council is recognising the comprehensive meaning of 'effects' inasmuch as is appropriate for each activity. Monitoring programmes are not only based on existing permit conditions, but also on the obligations of the RMA to assess the effects of the exercise of consents. In accordance with Section 35 of the RMA, the Council undertakes compliance monitoring for consents and rules in regional plans, and maintains an overview of the performance of resource users and consent holders. Compliance monitoring, including both activity and impact monitoring, enables the Council to continually re-evaluate its approach and that of consent holders to resource management and, ultimately, through the refinement of methods and considered responsible resource utilisation, to move closer to achieving sustainable development of the region's resources.

1.1.4 Evaluation of environmental and administrative performance

Besides discussing the various details of the performance and extent of compliance by the Company, this report also assigns a rating as to each Company's environmental and administrative performance during the period under review. The rating categories are high, good, improvement required and poor for both environmental and administrative performance. The interpretations for these ratings are found in Appendix II.

For reference, in the 2020/21 year, consent holders were found to achieve a high level of environmental performance and compliance for 86% of the consents monitored through the Taranaki tailored monitoring programmes, while for another 11% of the consents, a good level of environmental performance and compliance was achieved.[1]

1.2 Process description

1.2.1 Hydraulic fracturing

Hydraulic fracturing is a reservoir stimulation technique used to increase the flow of hydrocarbons to the surface. The primary objective of hydraulic fracturing is to increase the permeability of the target reservoir by creating numerous small, interconnected fractures, thus increasing the flow of hydrocarbons from the formation to a given well. The process of hydraulic fracturing has enabled companies to produce hydrocarbons at economically viable rates from extremely low permeability reservoirs and those that have become depleted using conventional production techniques.

The process of hydraulic fracturing involves the pumping of fluids and a proppant (medium-grained sand or small ceramic pellets) down a well, through a perforated section of the well casing, and into the target reservoir. The fluid mixture is pumped at a pressure that exceeds the fracture strength of the reservoir rock in order to create fractures. Once fractures have been initiated, pumping continues in order to force the fluid and proppant into the fractures created. The proppant is designed to keep the fractures open when the pumping is stopped. The placement of proppant into the fractures can be assisted by the use of cross-linked gels (gel fracturing), turbulent flow (slick-water fracturing), or the use of nitrogen gas.

1.2.1.1 Gel fracturing

Gel fracturing utilises cross-linked gel solutions, which are liquid at the surface but, when mixed, form long-chain polymer bonds and thus become viscous gels. These gels are used to transport the proppant into the formation. Once in the formation they 'break' back with time, temperature and the aid of gel breaking

1 The Council has used these compliance grading criteria for more than 21 years. They align closely with the 4 compliance grades in the MfE Best Practice Guidelines for Compliance, Monitoring and Enforcement, 2018

chemicals into a liquid state and are flowed back to surface, without disturbing the proppant which remains in place and enhances the flow of hydrocarbons back to the surface.

1.2.1.2 Slick water fracturing

Slick water fracturing utilises water based fracturing fluids with friction-reducing additives. The addition of the friction reducers allows the fracturing fluids and proppant to be pumped to the target zone at higher rates and reduced pressures, than when using water alone. The higher rate creates turbulence within the fluid column holding the proppant and enabling its placement into the open fractures and enhancing the flow of hydrocarbons back to the surface.

1.2.1.3 Nitrogen gas fracturing

Nitrogen gas assisted fracturing involves replacing some of the fluid used in the fracturing process with nitrogen gas, which can fracture rock at high pressures much like water. While nitrogen (N_2) is a gas at room temperature, it can be maintained in a liquid state through cooling and pressurisation. Nitrogen assisted fracturing can be beneficial from a production standpoint as inevitably during the fracturing process some of the water pumped down the well remains underground in the rock formation, which can block some of the small pores inhibiting hydrocarbon recovery. The use of nitrogen gas reduces the amount of water required for each fracturing event. This also reduces the total concentration of chemical additives required and the volume of water returning to the surface that requires subsequent disposal.

1.2.2 The Mangahewa-G wellsite and hydraulic fracturing activities

The Mangahewa-G wellsite is located on Otaraoa Road, Tikorangi and lies within the Waitara catchment. The area surrounding the site is rural in nature and farming and forestry activities co-exist with active petroleum exploration and production operations. The location of the wellsite is illustrated in Figure 1. A summary of the hydraulic fracturing activities carried out by Todd at the Mangahewa-G wellsite during the period being reported is provided below in Table 1.

Table 1 Summary of hydraulic fracturing details

Well	Bore id.	Date range	Mid-point injection intervals (m TVDss)	Formation
Mangahewa-26	GND3020	23/11/2020-26/11/2020	3,289-3,528	Mangahewa
Mangahewa-31	GND3136	24/04/2021-25/06/2021	3347.7-4040	Mangahewa
Mangahewa-32	GND3137	28/04/2021-18/06/2021	3294.5-4063.5	Mangahewa

Figure 1 Location map

1.3 Resource consents

1.3.1 Discharges of wastes to land

Sections 15(1)(b) and (d) of the RMA stipulate that no person may discharge any contaminant onto land if it may then enter water, or from any industrial or trade premises onto land under any circumstances, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent, a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations.

The Company holds one resource consent the details of which are summarised in Table 2 below. The consent renewed early and varied on two occasions during the reported period. Summaries of the conditions attached to the permit are set out in Section 3 of this report.

A summary of the various consent types issued by the Council is included Appendix I, as is a copy of the permit held by the Company during the period under review.

Table 2 Resource consent held by the Company during the period under review

Consent number	Purpose of consent	Granted	Next review	Expires
10025-1	To discharge water based hydraulic fracturing fluids into land at depths greater than 3,200 m TVDss beneath the Mangahewa-G wellsite	03 March 2015	N/A	varied
10025-1.1		03 March 2015	N/A	renewed
10025-2.0		19 March 2019	N/A	varied
10025-2.1		19 March 2019	June 2027	01/06/2033

1.4 Monitoring programme

1.4.1 Introduction

Section 35 of the RMA sets obligations upon the Council to gather information, monitor and conduct research on the exercise of resource consents within the Taranaki region. The Council is also required to assess the effects arising from the exercising of these consents and report upon them.

The Council may therefore make and record measurements of physical and chemical parameters, take samples for analysis, carry out surveys and inspections, conduct investigations and seek information from consent holders.

The monitoring programme for the Mangahewa-G wellsite consisted of four primary components.

1.4.2 Programme liaison and management

There is generally a significant investment of time and resources by the Council in:

- ongoing liaison with resource consent holders over consent conditions and their interpretation and application;
- in discussion over monitoring requirements;
- preparation for any consent reviews, renewals or new consent applications;
- advice on the Council's environmental management strategies and content of regional plans; and
- consultation on associated matters.

1.4.3 Assessment of data submitted by the consent holder

As required by the conditions of Consent 10025-2.1, Todd submitted pre and post fracturing discharge reports to the Council for the well fractured during the period under review. Pre-fracturing discharge reports provide an outline of the proposed fracturing operations in relation to each well, while post fracturing reports confirm details of what actually occurred. The specific range of information required in each report is stipulated in the conditions of the consent.

1.4.4 Physicochemical sampling

1.4.4.1 Groundwater

As a general principle, all existing bores or wells within a 1km radius of a hydraulic fracturing activity are assessed for their suitability for sampling (or otherwise) and included in the monitoring programme for the wellsite.

The survey of existing sites resulted in a total of eight potential monitoring sites being identified within the 1km radius of the site. Upon further analysis four of the eight sites were found to be oil wells and the remaining four sites were unsuitable due to either their proximity to the wellsite (greater than 500m away and/or up-gradient) or depth (too shallow). As there were no suitable monitoring sites located consent conditions required Todd install a site specific monitoring bore. The new bore installed by Todd is the sole groundwater monitoring site included in the monitoring programme. A summary of bore details are included in Table 3 below.

Table 3 Details of groundwater sites included in the monitoring programme

Monitoring site	Easting (NZTM)	Northing (NZTM)	Distance from wellsite (m)	Total depth (m)	Screened/open interval (m)	Aquifer
GND2823	17114395	5674073	On-site	32	26-32	Marine terraces north

Samples of groundwater were obtained pre-fracturing to provide a baseline reference of groundwater composition and a further two rounds of sampling were carried out following completion of the activities.

1.4.4.2 Hydraulic fracturing and return fluids

In addition to the sampling of local groundwater, representative samples of the hydraulic fracturing fluid and reservoir fluids produced back to the wellhead immediately following each fracturing event (return fluids) were obtained for analysis.

Samples of return fluids were collected at regular intervals during the flow-back period. Return fluids are comprised of a mixture of hydraulic fracturing fluids and formation fluids produced from the target reservoir, following the completion of the hydraulic fracturing process. The relative concentrations of each contributing fluid type change as the volume of fluid produced from the well increases. Immediately following the opening of the well post fracturing, a high proportion of the fluid returning to the wellhead is fluid injected during the hydraulic fracturing process. As the volume of fluid produced from the well increases, the proportion of hydraulic fracturing fluid reduces in relation to formation fluids. The individual samples of return fluid are generally combined in a composite sample for laboratory analysis. Composites are designed to provide a representative sample of fluids returning to the wellhead over the entire flow-back period.

All samples were transported to Hill Laboratories Ltd (Hills) for analysis following standard chain of custody procedures.

1.4.5 Surface water quality monitoring

One ephemeral unnamed tributary of the Mangahewa Stream is located to the north of the Mangahewa-G wellsite. (Figure 1). Following a survey of the area no suitable monitoring sites were identified down-gradient of the site and the estimated location of groundwater/subsurface drainage from the discharge area. Therefore, no surface water monitoring is required for inclusion in the monitoring programme.

2. Results

2.1 Consent holder submitted data

The conclusions from the Mangahewa-G post fracturing discharge reports are summarised as follows:

2.1.1 Mangahewa-26 post fracturing discharge report

- A total of three intra-zonal units were fractured over the period 23 November to 26 November 2020 at mid-point depths between 3289.6 to 3528m TVDss.
- A total of 5,028bbls (799.3m^3) of liquid was discharged across the three fractured units. The total proppant weight was 107.3 tonnes (236,597 lbs).
- All fluid injected was returned from the well over the flow-back period.
- A total of 106.4 tonnes (234,618 lbs) of proppant was estimated to have remained within the formation following flow-back.
- There were no screen outs occurred during hydraulic fracturing of the Mangahewa-26 well.
- The Company monitored the Geonet seismic network throughout the duration of the programme and there were no events recorded in proximity to the wellsite.
- All return fluid from the Mangahewa-26 fracturing operations was pumped to the Mangahewa and McKee production station (MMPS) and disposed of by deep well injection under the Company's deep well injection consents.
- Pressure testing was undertaken of all surface equipment, including flow lines and the wellhead, prior to injection.
- There was no escape of fluids during hydraulic fracturing operations.

2.1.2 Mangahewa-31 post fracturing discharge report

- A total of 14 intra-zonal units were fractured over the period 24 April 2021 to 25 June 2021 at mid-point depths between 3347.7 to 4,040m TVDss.
- A total of 27,352bbls (4,348m^3) of liquid was discharged across the 14 fractured zones. The total proppant weight was 428.1 tonnes (943,807 lbs).
- All fluid injected was returned from the well over the flow-back period.
- A total of 422.8 tonnes 932,311 lbs) of proppant was estimated to have remained within the formation following flow-back.
- One screen out occurred in the Ma1 interval during hydraulic fracturing of the Mangahewa-26 well. All fluids remained within the injection interval.
- The Company monitored the Geonet seismic network throughout the duration of the programme and there were no events recorded in proximity to the wellsite.
- All return fluid from the Mangahewa-26 fracturing operations was pumped to the MMPS and disposed of by deep well injection under the Company's deep well injection consents.
- Pressure testing was undertaken of all surface equipment, including flow lines and the wellhead, prior to injection.
- There was no escape of fluids during hydraulic fracturing operations.

2.1.3 Mangahewa-32 post fracturing discharge report

- A total of 11 intra-zonal units were fractured over the period 28 April 2021 to 18 June 2021 at mid-point depths between 3,294.5 to 4,063.5m TVDss.

- A total of 19,083bbls (3,3033.9m^3) of liquid was discharged across the 11 fractured zones. The total proppant weight was 447.8 tonnes (987,330 lbs).
- All fluid injected was returned from the well over the flow-back period.
- A total of 433.4 tonnes (955,557 lbs) of proppant was estimated to have remained within the formation following flow-back.
- Two screen outs occurred during hydraulic fracturing of the Mangahewa-32 well, one in MaA2L-2u-3L and one in Matapo. All fluids remained in the injection interval.
- The Company monitored the Geonet seismic network throughout the duration of the programme and there were no events recorded in proximity to the wellsite.
- All return fluid from the Mangahewa-32 fracturing operations was pumped to the MMPS and disposed of by deep well injection under the Company's deep well injection consents.
- Pressure testing was undertaken of all surface equipment, including flow lines and the wellhead, prior to injection.
- There was no escape of fluids during hydraulic fracturing operations.

2.2 Physicochemical sampling

2.2.1 Groundwater

Hydraulic fracturing activities commenced at the Mangahewa-G wellsite on 23 November 2020 and continued until 25 June 2021. A pre-fracturing baseline sample was collected on 10 November 2020 following installation of the site specific monitoring bore. Post fracturing samples were collected at various intervals following commencement of the activities which spanned several months. Samples were collected on 26 March 2021, 15 October 2021, and 21 June 2022.

Overall, samples demonstrate relatively narrow ranges in analyte concentrations over time. The subtle variation in analyte concentrations is a result of natural seasonal fluctuation and sampling variability. The results of the laboratory analysis indicate there have been no significant changes in groundwater composition over the period monitored.

A summary of the results for groundwater samples taken in relation to the hydraulic fracturing activities compared to baseline is included in Table 4. The certificates of analysis for the review period are included in Appendix III.

Table 4 Results of groundwater sampling carried out in relation to the Mangahewa-G fracturing event

		Pre-fracturing	3 mth post fracturing	3 mth post fracturing	1 year post fracturing
Sample date	**Unit**	**10/11/2020**	**26/03/2021**	**15/10/2021**	**21/06/2022**
Sample time	**-**	**11:30**	**11:25**	**12:04**	**14:20**
Sample id. TRC	**-**	**TRC203764**	**TRC211376**	**TRC213209**	**TRC226812**
pH	pH	7.2	7.4	6.5	6.8
Temperature	°C	17.1	20	16.1	14.9
Total alkalinity	g/m^3 $CaCO_3$	18.3	20	16.2	18.8
Bicarbonate	g/m^3 HCO_3	22	25	19.7	23
Total hardness	g/m^3 $CaCO_3$	12.6	26	14.2	35
Electrical conductivity	mS/m	4.8	9.0	5.8	7.7
Total dissolved solids	g/m^3	48	52	51	63
Dissolved calcium	g/m^3	3.9	7.9	4.0	6.8
Chloride	g/m^3	3.3	5.5	5.0	9.3
Dissolved magnesium	g/m^3	0.67	1.54	1.01	1.44
Dissolved potassium	g/m^3	1.17	1.5	1.11	1.37
Dissolved sodium	g/m^3	3.9	5.8	5.2	5.9
Nitrite	g/m^3 N	<0.002	<0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002
Nitrate	g/m^3 N	0.141	0.20	0.31	0.53
Nitrate & nitrite	g/m^3 N	0.141	0.02	0.31	0.53
Sulphate	g/m^3	5.2	13	4.5	3.6
Dissolved barium	g/m^3	0.010	0.023	0.016	0.022
Bromide	g/m^3	0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	<0.05
Dissolved copper	g/m^3	0.0041	0.0024	0.0034	0.0011
Dissolved iron	g/m^3	0.04	<0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02
Dissolved manganese	g/m^3	0.0042	0.078	0.0006	1.44
Dissolved mercury	g/m^3	< 0.00008	< 0.00008	< 0.00008	< 0.00008
Dissolved Nickel	mg/kg	<0.0005	< 0.0005	< 0.0005	< 0.0005
Dissolved zinc	g/m^3	0.048	0.087	0.055	0.074
Ethylene glycol	g/m^3	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4
Propylene glycol	g/m^3	< 4	< 4	< 4	< 4
Methanol	g/m^3	< 2	< 2	< 2	<2
Benzene	g/m^3	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010
Toluene	g/m^3	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	0.0014
Ethylbenzene	g/m^3	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010
m-Xylene	g/m^3	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002
o-Xylene	g/m^3	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010	< 0.0010
Formaldehyde	g/m^3	< 0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02
Ethane	g/m^3	< 0.003	< 0.003	< 0.003	< 0.003
Ethylene	g/m^3	< 0.004	< 0.004	< 0.004	< 0.004
Methane	g/m^3	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002	< 0.002
C7-C9 hydrocarbons*	g/m^3	< 0.10	< 0.10	< 0.10	< 0.10
C10-C14 hydrocarbons*	g/m^3	< 0.2	< 0.2	< 0.2	< 0.2
C15-C36 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	< 0.4	< 0.4	<0.4	< 0.4
Total hydrocarbons*	g/m^3	< 0.7	< 0.7	< 0.7	< 0.7

Note higher detection limits are a result of the matrix requiring dilution prior to analysis*

2.2.2 Hydraulic fracturing and return fluids

The results of the analyses carried out on samples of the hydraulic fracturing fluid used in the treatment of the Mangahewa-26, Mangahewa-31 and Mangahewa-32 wells are shown below in Table 5. The certificates of analysis are included in Appendix IV.

The results of the analyses carried out on the return fluid samples obtained following the hydraulic fracturing of the Mangahewa-26, Mangahewa-31 and Mangahewa-32 wells are summarised below in Table 6. The certificates of analysis are included in Appendix IV. The results demonstrate the variability of groundwater composition and hydrocarbon concentrations during flow-back. The relatively high levels of chloride, sodium and hydrocarbons in each sample indicate that the composite samples prepared contained a greater proportion of reservoir fluids than hydraulic fracturing fluids introduced during the fracturing activities, which are comprised predominantly of freshwater.

Table 5 Results of hydraulic fracturing fluid sampling

Parameter	Site code	GND3020		GND3136				GND3137	
	Todd id.	MHW26		MHW31				MHW32	
Sample id.	Unit	TRC210290	TRC210292	TRC212280	TRC212281	TRC212282	TRC212283	TRC212278	TRC212279
Ethylene glycol	g/m^3	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
Propylene glycol	g/m^3	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
Methanol	g/m^3	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
Benzene	g/m^3	0.0027	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
Toluene	g/m^3	0.0027	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
Ethylbenzene	g/m^3	<0.0010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010
m-Xylene	g/m^3	0.003	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	0.04	<0.02	<0.02
o-Xylene	g/m^3	<0.0010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	<0.010	0.014	<0.010	<0.010
C7-C9 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8	<0.8
C10-C14 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	2,800	4,800	500	1,120	2,600	1,300	800	1,870
C15-C36 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	270	480	37	50	74	66	46	72
Total hydrocarbons	g/m^3	3,100	5,300	540	1,170	2,700	1,370	840	1,940

Table 6 Results of hydraulic fracturing return fluid sampling

Parameter	Site code	GND3020		GND3136		GND3137		
	Todd id.	MHW26		MHW31		MHW32		
Sample id.	unit	TRC210291	TRC210293	TRC212284	TRC212285	TRC212286	TRC212287	TRC212288
pH	pH	6.7	7.4	7	7.3	6.7	7.2	7.2
Total alkalinity	g/m^3 $CaCO_3$	1,800	2,000	2,100	2,400	1,660	2,000	2,400
Bicarbonate	g/m^3 HCO_3	1,907	2,110	1,065	2,320	703	1,906	2,280
Total hardness	g/m^3 $CaCO_3$	260	170	240	182	220	260	146
Electrical conductivity	mS/m	3,640	4,400	2,070	1,741	1,890	2,250	1,729
Total dissolved solids	g/m^3	24,000	31,000	14,000	7,800	12,700	18,600	11,600
Total barium	g/m^3	118	66	45	24	48	48	40
Bromide	g/m^3	18	17	25	22	23	32	25
Total calcium	g/m^3	85	54	74	56	74	87	48

Parameter	Site code	GND3020		GND3136		GND3137		
	Todd id.	MHW26		MHW31		MHW32		
Sample id.	unit	TRC210291	TRC210293	TRC212284	TRC212285	TRC212286	TRC212287	TRC212288
Total copper	g/m^3	0.0145	0.060	0.021	0.037	0.56	<0.0053	<0.0053
Total iron	g/m^3	7.2	7.2	2.6	15.3	13.9	3.3	4.8
Total magnesium	g/m^3	10.9	8.3	14.6	10.1	7.8	10.8	6.5
Total manganese	g/m^3	0.3	0.65	1.74	1.07	1.92	1.58	1.01
Total mercury	g/m^3	0.00024	<0.00008	<0.00008	0.00176	0.0030	<0.00008	0.00046
Total Nickel	g/m^3	0.043	0.175	<0.032	0.047	0.123	<0.032	<0.032
Total potassium	g/m^3	6,000	10,500	460	400	480	480	310
Total sodium	g/m^3	3,700	2,800	4,700	4,100	4,100	5,400	4,400
Total sulphur	g/m^3	148	290	23	49	21	7	22
Total zinc	g/m^3	0.25	0.47	0.083	0.167	0.20	0.186	0.075
Chloride	g/m^3	11,100	13,300	6,900	5,000	6,200	7,200	4,900
Nitrite nitrogen	g/m^3 N	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrate nitrogen	g/m^3 N	<0.10	0.43	<0.5	<0.5	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Nitrate & nitrite nitrogen	g/m^3 N	<0.10	0.46	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10	<0.10
Sulphate	g/m^3	440	870	69	146	63	21	65
Ethylene glycol*	g/m^3	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
Propylene glycol*	g/m^3	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4
Methanol	g/m^3	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2
Benzene	g/m^3	4.7	1.69	6.6	24	240	6	8
Toluene	g/m^3	1.14	0.42	3.5	47	520	6.7	5.9
Ethylbenzene	g/m^3	0.029	0.0145	0.22	6	53	1.24	0.29
m-Xylene	g/m^3	0.144	0.076	1.38	40	310	7.9	1.64
o-Xylene	g/m^3	0.099	0.047	0.65	12.1	95	3.2	0.72
Formaldehyde	g/m^3	1.29	3	<1.5	2.6	<0.15	0.22	<1.5
C7-C9 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	1.5	1.37	17.4	260	1,810	58	14.2
C10-C14 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	6.1	49	113	340	2,200	230	53
C15-C36 hydrocarbons	g/m^3	10	18.2	150	230	1,700	200	63

Parameter	Site code	GND3020		GND3136		GND3137		
	Todd id.	MHW26		MHW31		MHW32		
Sample id.	unit	TRC210291	TRC210293	TRC212284	TRC212285	TRC212286	TRC212287	TRC212288
Total hydrocarbons	g/m^3	18	68	280	8	5,700	490	130

*Note * Depending on the viscosity of the sample received at the laboratory, samples may require dilution prior to analysis which results in higher detection limit.*

2.3 Investigations, interventions, and incidents

The monitoring programme for the year was based on what was considered to be an appropriate level of monitoring, review of data, and liaison with Todd. During the year matters may arise which require additional activity by the Council, for example provision of advice and information, or investigation of potential or actual causes of non-compliance or failure to maintain good practices. A pro-active approach that in the first instance avoids issues occurring is favoured.

The Council operates and maintains a register of all complaints or reported and discovered excursions from acceptable limits and practices, including non-compliance with consents, which may damage the environment. The incident register includes events where the consent holder concerned has itself notified the Council. The register contains details of any investigation and corrective action taken.

Complaints may be alleged to be associated with a particular site. If there is potentially an issue of legal liability, the Council must be able to prove by investigation that the identified company is indeed the source of the incident (or that the allegation cannot be proven).

During the period under review, the Council was not required to undertake significant additional investigations and interventions, or record incidents, in association with Todd's conditions in resource consents or provisions in Regional Plans.

3. Discussion

3.1 Environmental effects of exercise of consents

Three wells (Mangahewa-26, Mangahewa-31 and Mangahewa-32) were stimulated by hydraulic fracturing at the Mangahewa-G wellsite during the period 23 November 2020 to 25 June 2021.

The monitoring programme carried out by the Council in relation to the fracturing events undertaken included pre and post fracturing sampling at one groundwater monitoring site in the vicinity of the Mangahewa-G wellsite. The results of post fracturing groundwater sampling carried out generally showed only very minor variations in water composition in comparison to baseline results. The minor variations in analytes are a result of natural variations in water composition. There was no surface water monitoring undertaken in relation to the wellsite as there are no nearby surface waters suitable for monitoring.

In summary, the monitoring carried out by the Council during the period being reported indicated that the hydraulic fracturing activities undertaken by Todd at the Mangahewa-G wellsite has had no significant adverse effects on local groundwater or surface water resources.

3.2 Evaluation of performance

A tabular summary of the consent holder's compliance record for the year under review is set out in Table 7.

Table 7 Summary of performance for consent 10025-2.1

Purpose: To discharge water based hydraulic fracturing fluids into land at depths greater than 3,200 metres true vertical depth subsea (TVDss) beneath the Mangahewa-G wellsite		
Condition requirement	**Means of monitoring during period under review**	**Compliance achieved?**
1. Any discharge shall occur below 3,200 m TVDss	Assessment of consent holder submitted data	Yes
2. No discharge shall occur after 1 June 2028	Assessment of consent holder submitted data	N/A
3. Undertake micro seismic monitoring for events within 1km of the Inglewood fault	Notification and post fracturing report	N/A
4. Monitoring and reporting of seismic events within 5km of any discharge location	Notification and post fracturing report	Yes
5. Actions to be taken following the occurrence of any event described in condition 3 and 4	Notification under condition 3 and 4	N/A
6. Exercise of consent shall not result in any contaminants reaching any useable freshwater	Results of groundwater monitoring	Yes
7. Consent holder shall undertake sampling programme	Development and certification of a monitoring programme	Yes
8. If no suitable bores exist within 500m of the wellsite, a monitoring bore may need to be installed	Inspection of bores	Yes
9. Sampling programme shall follow recognised field procedures and be analysed for a specified range of chemical parameters	Development and certification of a monitoring programme and assessment of results	Yes

Purpose: To discharge water based hydraulic fracturing fluids into land at depths greater than 3,200 metres true vertical depth subsea (TVDss) beneath the Mangahewa-G wellsite		
Condition requirement	**Means of monitoring during period under review**	**Compliance achieved?**
10. All sampling to be carried out in accordance with a certified Sampling and Analysis Plan	Development and certification of a Sampling and Analysis Plan	Yes
11. Well and equipment pressure testing to be carried out prior to any hydraulic fracturing programme commencing	Assessment of consent holder submitted data	Yes
12. A pre-fracturing discharge report is to be provided to the Council 14 days prior to discharge	Pre-fracturing discharge report received	Yes
13. Consent holder shall notify the Council of hydraulic fracturing discharge	Notification received	Yes
14. A post fracturing discharge report is to be provided to the Council within 90 days of any commencement	Post fracturing discharge report received	Yes
15. For programs including multiple hydraulic fracturing discharges, more than one 'Post-fracturing discharge report' may be required	Reports received via email	Yes
16. A review of the seismic monitoring data to be provided to the Council within 6 months of the commencement of any hydraulic fracturing	Seismic monitoring report received	Yes
17. The reports outlined in conditions 12, 14 and 15 must be emailed to consents@trc.govt.nz	Report received by email	Yes
18. The consent holder shall provide access to a location where samples of hydraulic fracturing fluids and return fluids can be obtained by the Council officers	Access provided	Yes
19. Consent holder to adopt best practicable option at all times	Site inspections, sampling and assessment of consent holder submitted data	Yes
20. No hydrocarbon based hydraulic fracturing fluid shall be discharged	Assessment of consent holder submitted data and sampling of fracturing fluid	Yes
21. Lapse clause	Receive notice of exercise of consent	Yes
22. Review condition	N/A	N/A
Overall assessment of environmental performance and compliance in respect of this consent		**High**
Overall assessment of administrative performance and compliance in respect of this consent		**High**

N/A = not applicable

During the monitoring period, Todd demonstrated a high level of environmental and high level of administrative performance with the resource consent as defined in Section 1.1.4.

3.3 Alterations to monitoring programmes of future hydraulic fracturing events

In designing and implementing the monitoring programmes for air/water discharges in the region, the Council has taken into account:

- the extent of information already made available through monitoring or other means to date;
- its relevance under the RMA;
- the Council's obligations to monitor consented activities and their effects under the RMA;
- the record of administrative and environmental performances of the consent holder; and
- reporting to the regional community.

The Council also takes into account the scope of assessments required at the time of renewal of permits, and the need to maintain a sound understanding of industrial processes within Taranaki exercising resource consents.

It is proposed that the range of monitoring carried out in relation to the hydraulic fracturing activities undertaken by Todd be replicated for any future fracturing events at the Mangahewa-G wellsite.

Recommendations to this effect are included in Section 4 of this report.

It should be noted that the proposed programme represents a reasonable and risk-based level of monitoring for the site in question. The Council reserves the right to subsequently adjust the programme from that initially prepared, should the need arise if potential or actual non-compliance is determined at any time during future monitoring periods.

3.4 Exercise of optional review of consent

Resource Consent 10025-2.1 provides for an optional review of the consent in June 2027. Condition 22 allows the Council to review the consent, for the purpose of:

a. ensuring that the conditions are adequate to deal with any significant adverse effects on the environment arising from the exercise of this consent, which were either not foreseen at the time the application was considered or which it was not appropriate to deal with at the time; and/or
b. further specifying the best practicable option as required by condition 19; and/or
c. ensuring hydraulic fracturing operations appropriately take into account any best practice guidance published by a recognised industry association or environmental regulator.

Based on the results of monitoring in the year under review, it is considered that there are no grounds that require a review to be pursued or grounds to exercise the review option.

4. Recommendations

1. THAT in the first instance, the range of monitoring carried out during the reporting period in relation to Todd's hydraulic fracturing activities be replicated for any future fracturing events at the Mangahewa-G wellsite.
2. THAT should there be issues with environmental or administrative performance in future periods, monitoring may be adjusted to reflect any additional investigation or intervention as found necessary.
3. THAT the option for a review of resource consents in June 2027, as set out in condition 22 of the consent not be exercised.

Glossary of common terms and abbreviations

The following abbreviations and terms may be used within this report:

Biomonitoring	Assessing the health of the environment using aquatic organisms.
bbls	Barrel. Unit of measure used in the oil and gas industry (equivalent to approximately 159L).
Conductivity	An indication of the level of dissolved salts in a sample, usually measured at 25°C and expressed in µS/cm.
DO	Dissolved oxygen.
E.coli	Escherichia coli, an indicator of the possible presence of faecal material and pathological micro-organisms. Usually expressed as colony forming units per 100 millilitre sample.
EPT	Ephemeroptera (mayfly), Plecoptera (stonefly) and Trichoptera (caddisfly) which are macroinvertebrates sensitive to pollution.
Fresh	Elevated flow in a stream, such as after heavy rainfall.
g/m^3	Grams per cubic metre, and equivalent to milligrams per litre (mg/L). In water, this is also equivalent to parts per million (ppm), but the same does not apply to gaseous mixtures.
Incident	An event that is alleged or is found to have occurred that may have actual or potential environmental consequences or may involve non-compliance with a consent or rule in a regional plan. Registration of an incident by the Council does not automatically mean such an outcome had actually occurred.
Intervention	Action/s taken by Council to instruct or direct actions be taken to avoid or reduce the likelihood of an incident occurring.
Investigation	Action taken by Council to establish the circumstances/events surrounding an incident including any allegations of an incident.
L/s	Litres per second.
Macroinvertebrate	An invertebrate that is large enough to be seen without the use of a microscope.
masl	Metres above sea level.
MCI	Macroinvertebrate community index; a numerical indication of the state of biological life in a stream that takes into account the sensitivity of the taxa present to organic pollution in stony habitats.
mS/m	Millisiemens per metre.
m^3	Cubic metre (1,000L).
NZTM	New Zealand Transverse Mercator coordinates.
pH	A numerical system for measuring acidity in solutions, with 7 as neutral. Numbers lower than 7 are increasingly acidic and higher than 7 are increasingly alkaline.
Physicochemical	Measurement of both physical properties (e.g. temperature, clarity, density) and chemical determinants (e.g. metals and nutrients) to characterise the state of an environment.
Resource consent	Refer Section 87 of the RMA. Resource consents include land use consents (refer Sections 9 and 13 of the RMA), coastal permits (Sections 12, 14 and 15), water permits (Section 14) and discharge permits (Section 15).
RMA	Resource Management Act 1991 and including all subsequent amendments.

Screen Out	A condition that occurs when the solids carried in a treatment fluid, such as proppant in a fracture fluid, create a bridge across the perforations or similar restricted flow area. This creates a sudden and significant restriction to fluid flow that causes a rapid rise in pump pressure.
SQMCI	Semi quantitative macroinvertebrate community index.
TVDss	True vertical depth sub-sea.
µS/cm	Microsiemens per centimetre.
Workover	The repair or stimulation of an existing production well for the purpose of restoring, prolonging or enhancing the production of hydrocarbons.

For further information on analytical methods, contact a manager within the Environment Quality Department.

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Appendix I

Resource consent held by Todd Energy Ltd

(For a copy of the signed resource consent please contact the TRC Consents department)

Water abstraction permits

Section 14 of the RMA stipulates that no person may take, use, dam or divert any water, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent or a rule in a regional plan, or it falls within some particular categories set out in Section 14. Permits authorising the abstraction of water are issued by the Council under Section 87(d) of the RMA.

Water discharge permits

Section 15(1)(a) of the RMA stipulates that no person may discharge any contaminant into water, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent or a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations. Permits authorising discharges to water are issued by the Council under Section 87(e) of the RMA.

Air discharge permits

Section 15(1)(c) of the RMA stipulates that no person may discharge any contaminant from any industrial or trade premises into air, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent, a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations. Permits authorising discharges to air are issued by the Council under Section 87(e) of the RMA.

Discharges of wastes to land

Sections 15(1)(b) and (d) of the RMA stipulate that no person may discharge any contaminant onto land if it may then enter water, or from any industrial or trade premises onto land under any circumstances, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent, a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations. Permits authorising the discharge of wastes to land are issued by the Council under Section 87(e) of the RMA.

Land use permits

Section 13(1)(a) of the RMA stipulates that no person may in relation to the bed of any lake or river use, erect, reconstruct, place, alter, extend, remove, or demolish any structure or part of any structure in, on, under, or over the bed, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent, a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations. Land use permits are issued by the Council under Section 87(a) of the RMA.

Coastal permits

Section 12(1)(b) of the RMA stipulates that no person may erect, reconstruct, place, alter, extend, remove, or demolish any structure that is fixed in, on, under, or over any foreshore or seabed, unless the activity is expressly allowed for by a resource consent, a rule in a regional plan, or by national regulations. Coastal permits are issued by the Council under Section 87(c) of the RMA.

Discharge Permit

Pursuant to the Resource Management Act 1991
a resource consent is hereby granted by the
Taranaki Regional Council

Name of Consent Holder:	Todd Energy Limited PO Box 802 New Plymouth 4340	
Decision Date (Change):	8 May 2019	
Commencement Date (Change):	8 May 2019	(Granted Date: 19 March 2019)

Conditions of Consent

Consent Granted:	To discharge water-based hydraulic fracturing fluids into land at depths greater than 3,200 mTVDss beneath the Mangahewa-G wellsite
Expiry Date:	1 June 2033
Review Date(s):	June 2021, June 2027
Site Location:	Mangahewa-G wellsite, 1067 Otaraoa Road, Tikorangi
Grid Reference (NZTM)	1714303E-5674058N
Catchment:	Onaero
Tributary:	Mangahewa

For General, Standard and Special conditions
pertaining to this consent please see reverse side of this document

General condition

a. The consent holder shall pay to the Taranaki Regional Council all the administration, monitoring and supervision costs of this consent, fixed in accordance with section 36 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Special conditions

1. The discharge point shall be deeper than 3,200 mTVDss.

   Note: mTVDss = metres true vertical depth subsea, i.e. the true vertical depth in metres below mean sea level

2. There shall be no discharge of hydraulic fracturing fluids after 1 June 2028.

3. The consent holder shall undertake micro-seismic monitoring during any hydraulic fracturing activities occurring within 1,000 metres of the subsurface mapped position of the Inglewood fault. If the micro-seismic monitoring records a seismic event higher than a Modified Mercalli intensity of magnitude 1 hydraulic fracturing shall cease.

4. If the GeoNet seismic monitoring network records a seismic event higher than a Modified Mercalli intensity of magnitude 3 within 5 km of the geographical position of any hydraulic fracturing discharge, then:
   (a) if a hydraulic fracturing discharge is currently being undertaken it shall cease immediately and not recommence; or
   (b) if a hydraulic fracturing discharge has occurred within the previous 72 hours no further hydraulic fracturing discharges shall occur.

5. Following the occurrence of any seismic event described in special condition 3 or 4 the consent holder shall cease discharges and investigate and report to the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council on the likelihood of the seismic event being induced by the exercise of this consent. Hydraulic fracturing discharges may only then continue once the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council has considered the report and concluded that the environmental risk of recommencing hydraulic fracturing is acceptable and has advised the consent holder accordingly.

6. The consent holder shall ensure that the exercise of this consent does not result in contaminants reaching any useable fresh water (groundwater or surface water). Usable fresh groundwater is defined as any groundwater having a Total Dissolved Solids concentration of less than 1,000 mg/l.

7. The consent holder shall undertake a programme of sampling and testing that monitors the effects of the exercise of this consent on fresh water resources to assess compliance with condition 6 (the 'Monitoring Programme'). The Monitoring Programme shall be certified by the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council ('the Chief Executive'), before this consent is exercised, and shall include:
   (a) the location of the discharge point(s);
   (b) the location of sampling sites; and
   (c) sampling frequency with reference to a hydraulic fracturing programme.

8. Representative groundwater sampling is required to be undertaken at a minimum of one suitable site within 500 metres of the wellsite. If no suitable groundwater monitoring sites can be identified it will be necessary to install at least one monitoring bore of a depth, location and design determined after consultation with the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council and installed in accordance with NZS 4411:2001.

9. All water samples taken for monitoring purposes shall be taken in accordance with recognised field procedures and analysed for:

   (a) pH;
   (b) conductivity;
   (c) total dissolved solids;
   (d) major ions (Ca, Mg, K, Na, total alkalinity, bromide, chloride, nitrate-nitrogen, and sulphate);
   (e) trace metals (barium, copper, iron, manganese, nickel, and zinc);
   (f) total petroleum hydrocarbons;
   (g) formaldehyde;
   (h) dissolved methane and ethane gas;
   (i) methanol;
   (j) glycols;
   (k) benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX); and
   (l) carbon-13 composition of any dissolved methane gas discovered ($^{13}C\text{-}CH_4$).

   Note: The samples required, under conditions 7 and 9 could be taken and analysed by the Taranaki Regional Council or other contracted party on behalf of the consent holder.

10. All sampling and analysis shall be undertaken in accordance with a *Sampling and Analysis Plan*, which shall be submitted to the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council for review and certification before the first sampling is undertaken. The plan shall specify the use of standard protocols recognised to constitute good professional practice including quality control and assurance. An International Accreditation New Zealand (IANZ) accredited laboratory shall be used for all sample analysis. Results shall be provided to the Chief Executive within 30 days of sampling and shall include supporting quality control and assurance information. These results will be used to assess compliance with condition 6.

    Note: The Sampling and Analysis Plan may be combined with the Monitoring Programme required by condition 7.

11. The consent holder shall undertake well and equipment pressure testing prior to any hydraulic fracture programme on a given well to ensure any discharge will not affect the integrity of the well and hydraulic fracturing equipment.

12. Any hydraulic fracture discharge shall only occur after the consent holder has provided a comprehensive 'Pre-fracturing Discharge Report' to the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council. The report shall be provided at least 14 days before the discharge is proposed to commence and shall detail the hydraulic fracturing programme proposed, including as a minimum:

    (a) the specific well in which each discharge is to occur, the intended fracture interval(s) ('fracture interval' is the discrete subsurface zone to receive a hydraulic fracture treatment), and the duration of the hydraulic fracturing programme;
    (b) the number of discharges proposed and the geographical position (i.e. depth and lateral position) of each intended discharge point;
    (c) the total volume of fracture fluid planned to be pumped down the well, including mini-fracture treatments, and their intended composition, including a list of all contaminants and Material Safety Data Sheets for all the chemicals to be used;
    (d) the monitoring techniques to be used to determine the fate of discharged material;
    (e) the results of the reviews required by condition 19;
    (f) results of modelling showing an assessment of the likely extent and dimensions of the fractures that will be generated by the discharge;
    (g) the preventative and mitigation measures to be in place to ensure the discharge does not cause adverse environmental effects and complies with condition 6;
    (h) the extent and permeability characteristics of the geology above the discharge point to the surface;
    (i) an annotated seismic profile showing the locations of any interpreted faults (active or inactive) within 2 km if available of the subsurface discharge location, and a discussion regarding the potential for adverse environmental effects due to the presence of any identified faults;
    (j) an assessment of the integrity of the well;
    (k) the burst pressure of the well casing and the anticipated maximum well and discharge pressures and the duration of the pressures;
    (l) details of the disposal of any returned fluids, including any consents that are relied on to authorise the disposal; and
    (m) details why the contaminants in the discharge and the monitoring techniques used comply with condition 19.

    Note; If seismic data is not available within 2 km of the subsurface discharge location the pre-fracturing report should include a seismic profile to the distance that data is available and a map showing any identified faults within the modelled fracture length plus a margin of 50%.

    Note: For further information regarding the level of detail required to adequately comply with the requirements of the pre-fracturing report contact Taranaki Regional Council.

13. The consent holder shall notify the Taranaki Regional Council of the date that each discharge is intended to commence by emailing worknotification@trc.govt.nz, unless the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council advises that an alternative electronic method of service is required. Notification also shall identify the 'Pre-fracturing Discharge Report', required by condition 12, which details the discharge and be given no less than 3 days before the intended discharge date. If any discharge occurs more than 30 days after the notification date, additional notification as specified in this condition is required.

14. Subject to condition 15, within 90 days of any commencement date as advised under condition 13, the consent holder shall submit a comprehensive 'Post-fracturing Discharge Report' to the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council. The report shall, as a minimum, contain:

    (a) date and time of discharge;
    (b) confirmation of the interval(s) where fracturing occurred for that programme, and the geographical position (i.e., depth and lateral position) of the discharge point for each fracture interval;
    (c) the contaminant volumes and composition of fluid discharged into each fracture interval;
    (d) the volume of return fluids from each fracture interval;
    (e) an analysis for the constituents set out in conditions 9(a) to 9(l), in a return fluid sample taken within the first two hours of flow back, for each fracture interval if flowed back individually, or for the well if flowed back with all intervals comingled;
    (f) an estimate of the volume of fluids (and proppant) remaining underground;
    (g) the volume of water produced with the hydrocarbons (produced water) over the period beginning at the start of the hydraulic fracturing programme and ending 30 days after the programme is completed or after that period of production;
    (h) an assessment of the extent and dimensions of the fractures that were generated by the discharge, based on modelling undertaken after the discharge has occurred and other diagnostic techniques, including production analysis, available to determine fracture length, height and containment;
    (i) The results of the seismic monitoring required by conditions 3 and 4;
    (j) the results of pressure testing required by condition 11 and the top-hole pressure (psi), slurry rate (bpm), surface proppant concentration (lb/gal), bottom hole proppant concentration (lb/gal), and calculated bottom hole pressure (psi), as well as predicted values for each of these parameters; prior to, during and after each hydraulic fracture treatment;
    (k) details of the disposal of any returned fluids, including any consents that are relied on to authorise the disposal;
    (l) details of any incidents where hydraulic fracture fluid is unable to pass through the well perforations (screen outs) that occurred, their likely cause and implications for compliance with conditions 1 and 6;
    (m) results of the monitoring referred to in condition 12(d); and
    (n) an assessment of the effectiveness of the mitigation measures in place with specific reference to those described in the application for this consent.

    Note: Further information regarding the level of detail required to adequately comply with the requirements of the post-fracturing report can be found on the Taranaki Regional Council website.

15. For programs including multiple hydraulic fracturing discharges, more than one 'Post-fracturing discharge report' may be required in order to meet the specified 90-day deadline from each commencement date. In these situations the consent holder shall submit a subsequent 'Post-fracturing Discharge Report' to the Chief Executive, Taranaki Regional Council within 90 days of the previous report submitted.

16. Within 6 months of any commencement date as advised under condition 13, the consent holder shall submit a review of the GeoNet seismic monitoring network data and any monitoring undertaken in accordance with condition 3 on the likelihood of any seismic events occurring as the result of the exercise of this consent, extending for a period of 3 months past the last hydraulic fracture.

17. The reports described in conditions 12, 14 and 15 shall be emailed to consents@trc.govt.nz with a reference to the number of this consent.

18. The consent holder shall provide access to a location where the Taranaki Regional Council officers can obtain a sample of the hydraulic fracturing fluids and the return fluids.

19. The consent holder shall at all times adopt the best practicable option, as defined in section 2 of the Resource Management Act 1991, to prevent or minimize any actual or likely adverse effect of the activity on the environment by, as a minimum, ensuring that:

    (a) the discharge is contained within the fracture interval;
    (b) regular reviews of monitoring techniques used to ensure the discharge does not cause adverse environmental effects are undertaken;
    (c) regular reviews are undertaken of the preventative and mitigation measures adopted to ensure the discharge does not cause adverse environmental effects; and
    (d) regular reviews of the chemicals used are undertaken with a view to reducing the toxicity of the chemicals used.

20. The fracture fluid shall be comprised of no less than 95% water, nitrogen and proppant by volume.

21. This consent shall lapse on 31 March 2024, unless the consent is given effect to before the end of that period or the Taranaki Regional Council fixes a longer period pursuant to section 125(1)(b) of the Resource Management Act 1991.

22. The Taranaki Regional Council may review any or all of the conditions of this consent by giving notice of review:

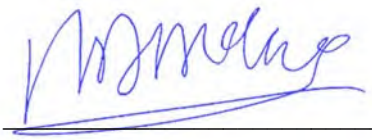
    a) during the month of June each year, and/or
    b) within 30 days of receiving any investigation and report in accordance with special condition 5 above;

    for the purposes of:

    (a) ensuring that the conditions are adequate to deal with any significant adverse effects on the environment arising from the exercise of this consent, which were either not foreseen at the time the application was considered or which it was not appropriate to deal with at the time; and/or
    (b) further specifying the best practicable option as required by condition 19; and/or
    (c) ensuring hydraulic fracturing operations appropriately take into account any best practice guidance published by a recognised industry association or environmental regulator.

Signed at Stratford on 8 May 2019

For and on behalf of
Taranaki Regional Council



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Appendix II

Categories used to evaluate environmental and administrative performance

Categories used to evaluate environmental and administrative performance

Environmental performance is concerned with actual or likely effects on the receiving environment from the activities during the monitoring year. Administrative performance is concerned with the Company's approach to demonstrating consent compliance in site operations and management including the timely provision of information to Council (such as contingency plans and water take data) in accordance with consent conditions.

Events that were beyond the control of the consent holder and unforeseeable (that is a defence under the provisions of the RMA can be established) may be excluded with regard to the performance rating applied. For example loss of data due to a flood destroying deployed field equipment.

The categories used by the Council for this monitoring period, and their interpretation, are as follows:

Environmental Performance

High: No or inconsequential (short-term duration, less than minor in severity) breaches of consent or regional plan parameters resulting from the activity; no adverse effects of significance noted or likely in the receiving environment. The Council did not record any verified unauthorised incidents involving environmental impacts and was not obliged to issue any abatement notices or infringement notices in relation to such impacts.

Good: Likely or actual adverse effects of activities on the receiving environment were negligible or minor at most. There were some such issues noted during monitoring, from self-reports, or during investigations of incidents reported to the Council by a third party but these items were not critical, and follow-up inspections showed they have been dealt with. These minor issues were resolved positively, co-operatively, and quickly. The Council was not obliged to issue any abatement notices or infringement notices in relation to the minor non-compliant effects however, abatement notices may have been issued to mitigate an identified potential for an environmental effect to occur.

For example:

- High suspended solid values recorded in discharge samples however, the discharge was to land or to receiving waters that were in high flow at the time;
- Strong odour beyond boundary but no residential properties or other recipient nearby.

Improvement required: Likely or actual adverse effects of activities on the receiving environment were more than minor, but not substantial. There were some issues noted during monitoring, from self-reports, or during investigations of incidents reported to the Council by a third party. Cumulative adverse effects of a persistent minor non-compliant activity could elevate a minor issue to this level. Abatement notices and infringement notices may have been issued in respect of effects.

Poor: Likely or actual adverse effects of activities on the receiving environment were significant. There were some items noted during monitoring, from self-reports, or during investigations of incidents reported to the Council by a third party. Cumulative adverse effects of a persistent moderate non-compliant activity could elevate an 'improvement required' issue to this level. Typically there were grounds for either a prosecution or an infringement notice in respect of effects.

Administrative performance

High: The administrative requirements of the resource consents were met, or any failure to do this had trivial consequences and were addressed promptly and co-operatively.

Good: Perhaps some administrative requirements of the resource consents were not met at a particular time however, this was addressed without repeated interventions from the Council staff. Alternatively adequate reason was provided for matters such as the no or late provision of information, interpretation of 'best practical option' for avoiding potential effects, etc.

Improvement required: Repeated interventions to meet the administrative requirements of the resource consents were made by Council staff. These matters took some time to resolve, or remained unresolved at the end of the period under review. The Council may have issued an abatement notice to attain compliance.

Poor: Material failings to meet the administrative requirements of the resource consents. Significant intervention by the Council was required. Typically there were grounds for an infringement notice.

Appendix III

Certificates of analysis (groundwater)

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Certificate of Analysis

Client:	Taranaki Regional Council	**Lab No:**	2569601 SPv1
Contact:	Jane Harvey C/- Taranaki Regional Council Private Bag 713 Stratford 4352	**Date Received:**	27-Mar-2021
		Date Reported:	06-Apr-2021
		Quote No:	47915
		Order No:	72831
		Client Reference:	#6664 - Mangahewa-G 3 Month PF GW March 2021
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Aqueous

Sample Name:		TRC211376 (GND2823) 26-Mar-2021 11:25 am				
Lab Number:		2569601.1				
Individual Tests						
Sum of Anions	meq/L	0.83	-	-	-	-
Sum of Cations	meq/L	0.82	-	-	-	-
pH	pH Units	7.4	-	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	20	-	-	-	-
Bicarbonate	g/m³ at 25°C	25	-	-	-	-
Total Hardness	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	26	-	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	mS/m	9.0	-	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	g/m³	52	-	-	-	-
Sample Temperature*†	°C	20.8	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Barium	g/m³	0.023	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Calcium	g/m³	7.9	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Copper	g/m³	0.0024	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Iron	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Magnesium	g/m³	1.54	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Manganese	g/m³	0.078	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Mercury	g/m³	< 0.00008	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Nickel	g/m³	< 0.0005	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Potassium	g/m³	1.50	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Sodium	g/m³	5.8	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Zinc	g/m³	0.087	-	-	-	-
Bromide	g/m³	< 0.05	-	-	-	-
Chloride	g/m³	5.5	-	-	-	-
Nitrite-N	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N	g/m³	0.020	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	g/m³	0.020	-	-	-	-
Sulphate	g/m³	13.0	-	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*						
Ethylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*						
Propylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 2	-	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Aqueous						
Sample Name:		TRC211376 (GND2823) 26-Mar-2021 11:25 am				
Lab Number:		2569601.1				
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Toluene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS						
Formaldehyde	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Gases in groundwater						
Ethane	g/m³	< 0.003	-	-	-	-
Ethylene	g/m³	< 0.004	-	-	-	-
Methane	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.10	-	-	-	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	< 0.2	-	-	-	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	< 0.4	-	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	< 0.7	-	-	-	-

Analyst's Comments

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Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	1
Total anions for anion/cation balance check	Calculation: sum of anions as mEquiv/L calculated from Alkalinity (bicarbonate), Chloride and Sulphate. Nitrate-N, Nitrite-N. Fluoride, Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus and Cyanide also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.07 meq/L	1
Total cations for anion/cation balance check	Sum of cations as mEquiv/L calculated from Sodium, Potassium, Calcium and Magnesium. Iron, Manganese, Aluminium, Zinc, Copper, Lithium, Total Ammoniacal-N and pH (H^+) also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 meq/L	1
pH	pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	1
Total Alkalinity	Titration to pH 4.5 (M-alkalinity), autotitrator. APHA 2320 B (modified for Alkalinity <20) 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Bicarbonate	Calculation: from alkalinity and pH, valid where TDS is not >500 mg/L and alkalinity is almost entirely due to hydroxides, carbonates or bicarbonates. APHA 4500-CO_2 D 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ at 25°C	1
Total Hardness	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.1 mS/m	1
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	10 g/m³	1
Sample Temperature*	Temperature of the sample at the time of sampling, supplied by customer.	0.1 °C	1

Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Dissolved Barium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Calcium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Copper	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Iron	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Magnesium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Manganese	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Mercury	0.45µm filtration, bromine oxidation followed by atomic fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	1
Dissolved Nickel	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Potassium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Sodium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Zinc	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Bromide	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Chloride	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Nitrite-N	Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Sulphate	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	1
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	1
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	1
Gases in groundwater	Headspace GC-FID analysis. In-house.	0.002 - 0.003 g/m³	1
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	1
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	1
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	1
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	1

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	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	19-Nov-2020
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	47915
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	72831
		Client Reference:	#6353 - Mangahewa-G Re-sample/Pre-frac GW
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Aqueous

		Sample Name:	TRC203764 (GND2823) 10-Nov-2020 11:30 am				
		Lab Number:	2470970.1				
Individual Tests							
Sum of Anions	meq/L		0.58	-	-	-	-
Sum of Cations	meq/L		0.45	-	-	-	-
pH	pH Units		7.2	-	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$		18.3	-	-	-	-
Bicarbonate	g/m³ at 25°C		22	-	-	-	-
Total Hardness	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$		12.6	-	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	mS/m		4.8	-	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	g/m³		48	-	-	-	-
Sample Temperature*†	°C		17.1	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Barium	g/m³		0.010	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Calcium	g/m³		3.9	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Copper	g/m³		0.0041	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Iron	g/m³		0.04	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Magnesium	g/m³		0.67	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Manganese	g/m³		0.0042	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Mercury	g/m³		< 0.00008	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Nickel	g/m³		< 0.0005	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Potassium	g/m³		1.17	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Sodium	g/m³		3.9	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Zinc	g/m³		0.048	-	-	-	-
Bromide	g/m³		0.05	-	-	-	-
Chloride	g/m³		3.3	-	-	-	-
Nitrite-N	g/m³		< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N	g/m³		0.141	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	g/m³		0.141	-	-	-	-
Sulphate	g/m³		5.2	-	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*							
Ethylene glycol*	g/m³		< 4	-	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*							
Propylene glycol*	g/m³		< 4	-	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*							
Methanol*	g/m³		< 2	-	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Aqueous						
Sample Name:		TRC203764 (GND2823) 10-Nov-2020 11:30 am				
Lab Number:		2470970.1				
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Toluene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS						
Formaldehyde	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Gases in groundwater						
Ethane	g/m³	< 0.003	-	-	-	-
Ethylene	g/m³	< 0.004	-	-	-	-
Methane	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.10	-	-	-	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	< 0.2	-	-	-	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	< 0.4	-	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	< 0.7	-	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	1
Total anions for anion/cation balance check	Calculation: sum of anions as mEquiv/L calculated from Alkalinity (bicarbonate), Chloride and Sulphate. Nitrate-N, Nitrite-N. Fluoride, Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus and Cyanide also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.07 meq/L	1
Total cations for anion/cation balance check	Sum of cations as mEquiv/L calculated from Sodium, Potassium, Calcium and Magnesium. Iron, Manganese, Aluminium, Zinc, Copper, Lithium, Total Ammoniacal-N and pH (H^+) also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 meq/L	1
pH	pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	1
Total Alkalinity	Titration to pH 4.5 (M-alkalinity), autotitrator. APHA 2320 B (modified for Alkalinity <20) 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Bicarbonate	Calculation: from alkalinity and pH, valid where TDS is not >500 mg/L and alkalinity is almost entirely due to hydroxides, carbonates or bicarbonates. APHA 4500-CO_2 D 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ at 25°C	1
Total Hardness	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.1 mS/m	1
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	10 g/m³	1
Sample Temperature*	Temperature of the sample at the time of sampling, supplied by customer.	0.1 °C	1

Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Dissolved Barium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Calcium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Copper	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Iron	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Magnesium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Manganese	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Mercury	0.45µm filtration, bromine oxidation followed by atomic fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	1
Dissolved Nickel	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Potassium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Sodium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Zinc	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Bromide	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Chloride	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Nitrite-N	Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Sulphate	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	1
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	1
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	1
Gases in groundwater	Headspace GC-FID analysis. In-house.	0.002 - 0.003 g/m³	1
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	1
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	1
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	1
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	1

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Client:	Taranaki Regional Council	**Lab No:**	2737364 SPv1
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	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	27-Oct-2021
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	47915
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	4500002828
		Client Reference:	#7050 - Mangahewa-G 3 Month PF GW
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Aqueous

Sample Name:		TRC213209 (GND2823) 15-Oct-2021 12:04 pm				
Lab Number:		2737364.1				
Individual Tests						
Sum of Anions	meq/L	0.58	-	-	-	-
Sum of Cations	meq/L	0.54	-	-	-	-
pH	pH Units	6.5	-	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	16.2	-	-	-	-
Bicarbonate	g/m³ at 25°C	19.7	-	-	-	-
Total Hardness	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	14.2	-	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	mS/m	5.8	-	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	g/m³	51	-	-	-	-
Sample Temperature*†	°C	16.1	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Barium	g/m³	0.016	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Calcium	g/m³	4.0	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Copper	g/m³	0.0034	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Iron	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Magnesium	g/m³	1.01	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Manganese	g/m³	0.0006	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Mercury	g/m³	< 0.00008	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Nickel	g/m³	< 0.0005	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Potassium	g/m³	1.11	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Sodium	g/m³	5.2	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Zinc	g/m³	0.055	-	-	-	-
Bromide	g/m³	< 0.05	-	-	-	-
Chloride	g/m³	5.0	-	-	-	-
Nitrite-N	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N	g/m³	0.31	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	g/m³	0.31	-	-	-	-
Sulphate	g/m³	4.5	-	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*						
Ethylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*						
Propylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 2	-	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Aqueous						
Sample Name:		TRC213209 (GND2823) 15-Oct-2021 12:04 pm				
Lab Number:		2737364.1				
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Toluene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS						
Formaldehyde	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Gases in groundwater						
Ethane	g/m³	< 0.003	-	-	-	-
Ethylene	g/m³	< 0.004	-	-	-	-
Methane	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.10	-	-	-	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	< 0.2	-	-	-	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	< 0.4	-	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	< 0.7	-	-	-	-

Analyst's Comments

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Summary of Methods

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Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	1
Total anions for anion/cation balance check	Calculation: sum of anions as mEquiv/L calculated from Alkalinity (bicarbonate), Chloride and Sulphate. Nitrate-N, Nitrite-N. Fluoride, Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus and Cyanide also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.07 meq/L	1
Total cations for anion/cation balance check	Sum of cations as mEquiv/L calculated from Sodium, Potassium, Calcium and Magnesium. Iron, Manganese, Aluminium, Zinc, Copper, Lithium, Total Ammoniacal-N and pH (H^+) also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 meq/L	1
pH	pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	1
Total Alkalinity	Titration to pH 4.5 (M-alkalinity), autotitrator. APHA 2320 B (modified for Alkalinity <20) 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Bicarbonate	Calculation: from alkalinity and pH, valid where TDS is not >500 mg/L and alkalinity is almost entirely due to hydroxides, carbonates or bicarbonates. APHA 4500-CO_2 D 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ at 25°C	1
Total Hardness	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.1 mS/m	1
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	10 g/m³	1
Sample Temperature*	Temperature of the sample at the time of sampling, supplied by customer.	0.1 °C	1

Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Dissolved Barium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Calcium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Copper	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Iron	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Magnesium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Manganese	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Mercury	0.45µm filtration, bromine oxidation followed by atomic fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	1
Dissolved Nickel	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Potassium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Sodium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Zinc	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Bromide	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Chloride	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Nitrite-N	Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Sulphate	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	1
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	1
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	1
Gases in groundwater	Headspace GC-FID analysis. In-house.	0.002 - 0.003 g/m³	1
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	1
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	1
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	1
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	1

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Client:	Taranaki Regional Council	**Lab No:**	3018717 SPv1
Contact:	Jane Harvey	**Date Received:**	22-Jun-2022
	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	30-Jun-2022
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	47915
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	4500002828
		Client Reference:	#7634 - Mangahewa-G June HF sampling
		Submitted By:	Angela Collins

Sample Type: Aqueous

Sample Name:		TRC226812 (GND2823) 21-Jun-2022 2:20 pm				
Lab Number:		3018717.1				
Individual Tests						
Sum of Anions	meq/L	0.75	-	-	-	-
Sum of Cations	meq/L	0.75	-	-	-	-
pH	pH Units	6.8	-	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	18.8	-	-	-	-
Bicarbonate	g/m³ at 25°C	23	-	-	-	-
Total Hardness	g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	23	-	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	mS/m	7.7	-	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	g/m³	63	-	-	-	-
Sample Temperature*†	°C	14.9	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Barium	g/m³	0.022	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Calcium	g/m³	6.8	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Copper	g/m³	0.0011	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Iron	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Magnesium	g/m³	1.44	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Manganese	g/m³	< 0.0005	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Mercury	g/m³	< 0.00008	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Nickel	g/m³	< 0.0005	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Potassium	g/m³	1.37	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Sodium	g/m³	5.9	-	-	-	-
Dissolved Zinc	g/m³	0.074	-	-	-	-
Bromide	g/m³	< 0.05	-	-	-	-
Chloride	g/m³	9.3	-	-	-	-
Nitrite-N	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N	g/m³	0.53	-	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	g/m³	0.53	-	-	-	-
Sulphate	g/m³	3.6	-	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*						
Ethylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*						
Propylene glycol*	g/m³	< 4	-	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 2	-	-	-	-

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Sample Name:		TRC226812 (GND2823) 21-Jun-2022 2:20 pm				
Lab Number:		3018717.1				
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Toluene	g/m³	0.0014	-	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.0010	-	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS						
Formaldehyde	g/m³	< 0.02	-	-	-	-
Gases in groundwater						
Ethane	g/m³	< 0.003	-	-	-	-
Ethylene	g/m³	< 0.004	-	-	-	-
Methane	g/m³	< 0.002	-	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.10	-	-	-	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	< 0.2	-	-	-	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	< 0.4	-	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	< 0.7	-	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	1
Total anions for anion/cation balance check	Calculation: sum of anions as mEquiv/L calculated from Alkalinity (bicarbonate), Chloride and Sulphate. Nitrate-N, Nitrite-N. Fluoride, Dissolved Reactive Phosphorus and Cyanide also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.07 meq/L	1
Total cations for anion/cation balance check	Sum of cations as mEquiv/L calculated from Sodium, Potassium, Calcium and Magnesium. Iron, Manganese, Aluminium, Zinc, Copper, Lithium, Total Ammoniacal-N and pH (H^+) also included in calculation if available. APHA 1030 E 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 meq/L	1
pH	pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	1
Total Alkalinity	Titration to pH 4.5 (M-alkalinity), autotitrator. APHA 2320 B (modified for Alkalinity <20) 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Bicarbonate	Calculation: from alkalinity and pH, valid where TDS is not >500 mg/L and alkalinity is almost entirely due to hydroxides, carbonates or bicarbonates. APHA 4500-CO_2 D 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ at 25°C	1
Total Hardness	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.1 mS/m	1
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	10 g/m³	1
Sample Temperature*	Temperature of the sample at the time of sampling, supplied by customer.	0.1 °C	1

Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Dissolved Barium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Calcium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Copper	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Iron	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Magnesium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Manganese	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Mercury	0.45µm filtration, bromine oxidation followed by atomic fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	1
Dissolved Nickel	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0005 g/m³	1
Dissolved Potassium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Dissolved Sodium	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.02 g/m³	1
Dissolved Zinc	Filtered sample, ICP-MS, trace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Bromide	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1
Chloride	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Nitrite-N	Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	1
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.002 g/m³	1
Sulphate	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	1
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	1
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	1
Gases in groundwater	Headspace GC-FID analysis. In-house.	0.002 - 0.003 g/m³	1
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	1
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	1
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	1
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	1

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Client:	Taranaki Regional Council	**Lab No:**	2511476 SPv1
Contact:	Jane Harvey	**Date Received:**	21-Jan-2021
	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	04-Feb-2021
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	50522
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	72831
		Client Reference:	#6499 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-G (MHW-26)
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Aqueous

Sample Name:	TRC210290 (GND3020) MaE1 Frac Fluid 23-Nov-2020	Composite of TRC210292 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Frac Fluid [1] and TRC210292 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Frac Fluid [2] 26-Nov-2020			
Lab Number:	2511476.1	2511476.4			
Ethylene Glycol in Water*					
Ethylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*					
Propylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*					
Methanol* g/m³	< 20	< 20	-	-	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS					
Benzene g/m³	0.0027	< 0.010	-	-	-
Toluene g/m³	0.0027	< 0.010	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene g/m³	< 0.0010	< 0.010	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene g/m³	0.003	< 0.02	-	-	-
o-Xylene g/m³	< 0.0010	< 0.010	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water					
C7 - C9 g/m³	< 0.8	< 0.8	-	-	-
C10 - C14 g/m³	2,800	4,800	-	-	-
C15 - C36 g/m³	270	480	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36) g/m³	3,100	5,300	-	-	-

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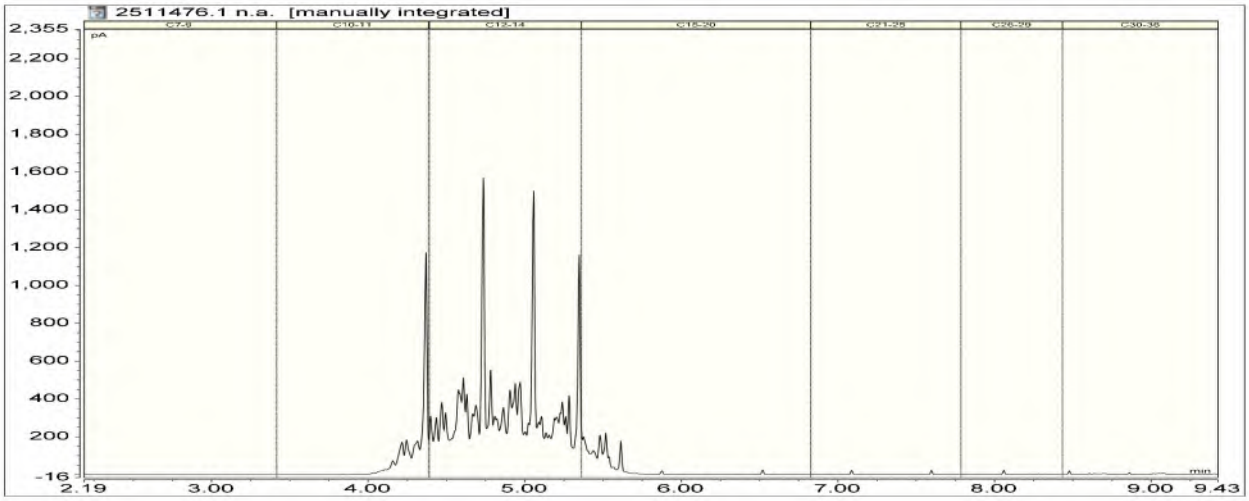

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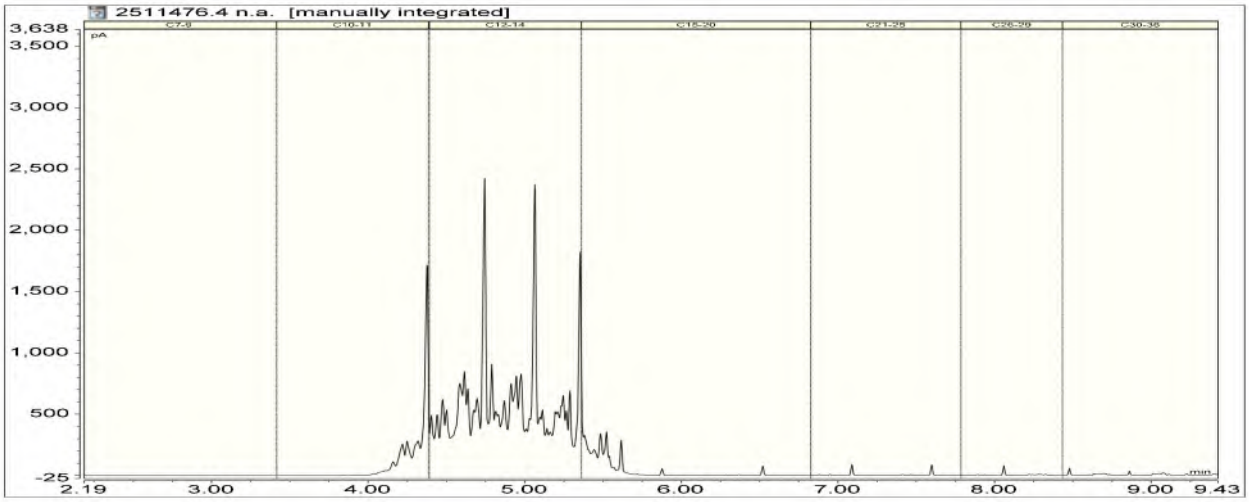
Composite of TRC210292 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Frac Fluid [1] and TRC210292 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Frac Fluid [2] 26-Nov-2020
Client Chromatogram for TPH by FID



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Sample Type: Aqueous			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	1, 4
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	1, 4
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m^3	1, 4
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m^3	1, 4
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m^3	1, 4
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m^3	1, 4
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m^3	1, 4
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m^3	1, 4

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	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	05-Feb-2021
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	71307
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	72831
		Client Reference:	#6499 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-G (MHW-26)
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Saline

Sample Name:	TRC210291 (GND3020) MaE1 Return Fluid 24-Nov-2020	Composite of TRC210293 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Return Fluid [1] and TRC210293 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Return Fluid [2]			
Lab Number:	2512244.1	2512244.4			
Individual Tests					
pH pH Units	7.5	7.4	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1,800	2,000	-	-	-
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate‡ °C	21	22	-	-	-
Bicarbonate‡ g/m³ at Analysis Temperature	1,907	2,110	-	-	-
Total Hardness* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	260	170	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC) mS/m	3,640	4,400	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)* g/m³	24,000	31,000	-	-	-
Total Barium g/m³	118	66	-	-	-
Total Calcium g/m³	85	54	-	-	-
Total Copper g/m³	0.0145	0.060	-	-	-
Total Iron g/m³	7.2	7.2	-	-	-
Total Magnesium g/m³	10.9	8.3	-	-	-
Total Manganese g/m³	0.30	0.65	-	-	-
Total Mercury* g/m³	0.00024	< 0.00008	-	-	-
Total Nickel g/m³	0.043	0.175	-	-	-
Total Potassium g/m³	6,000	10,500	-	-	-
Total Sodium g/m³	3,700	2,800	-	-	-
Total Sulphur* g/m³	148	290	-	-	-
Total Zinc g/m³	0.25	0.47	-	-	-
Bromide* g/m³	18	17	-	-	-
Chloride* g/m³	11,100	13,300	-	-	-
Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #1	< 0.10 #1	-	-	-
Nitrate-N g/m³	< 0.10	0.43	-	-	-
Nitrate* g/m³	< 0.5	1.9	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #1	0.46 #1	-	-	-
Sulphate* g/m³	440	870	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*					
Ethylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-

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Sample Type: Saline						
Sample Name:		TRC210291 (GND3020) MaE1 Return Fluid 24-Nov-2020	Composite of TRC210293 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Return Fluid [1] and TRC210293 (GND3020) MaE3, Matapo Return Fluid [2]			
Lab Number:		2512244.1	2512244.4			
Propylene Glycol in Water*						
Propylene glycol*	g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 20	< 20	-	-	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*						
Benzene*	g/m³	4.7	1.69	-	-	-
Toluene*	g/m³	1.14	0.42	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene*	g/m³	0.029	0.0145	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene*	g/m³	0.144	0.076	-	-	-
o-Xylene*	g/m³	0.099	0.047	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*						
Formaldehyde*	g/m³	1.29	3.0	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water*						
C7 - C9*	g/m³	1.5	1.37	-	-	-
C10 - C14*	g/m³	6.1	49	-	-	-
C15 - C36*	g/m³	10	18.2	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	g/m³	18	68	-	-	-

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TRC210291 (GND3020) MaE1 Return Fluid 24-Nov-2020
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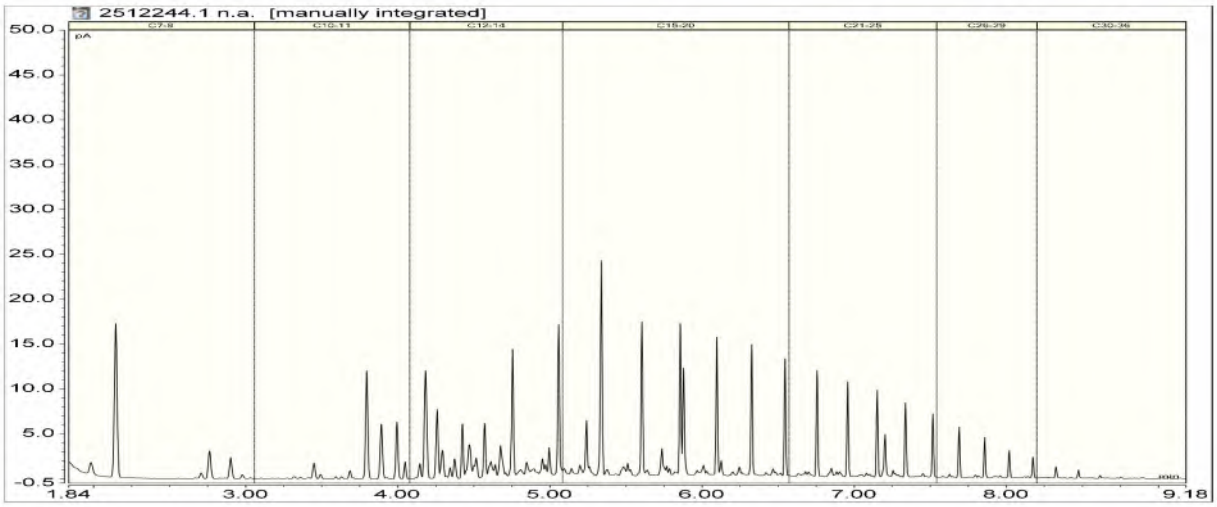

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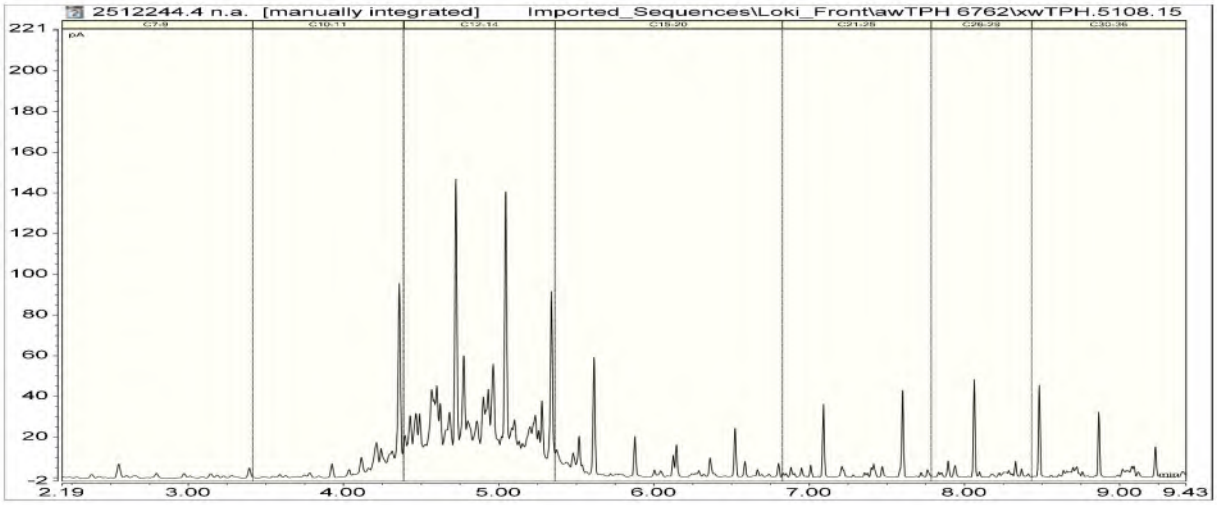

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Sample Type: Saline

Test	Method Description	Default Detection Limit	Sample No
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved*	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	1, 4
Total Digestion*	Boiling nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	1, 4
Total Digestion of Saline Samples*	Nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	1, 4
pH	Saline water, pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	1, 4
Total Alkalinity*	Saline water, Titration to pH 4.5.	1.0 g/m^3 as $CaCO_3$	1, 4
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate	Temperature at which Bicarbonate titration was conducted as reported by Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei.	1.0 °C	1, 4
Bicarbonate	Bicarbonate (HCO3) Titration Method conducted at reported temperature. Subcontracted to Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei. ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 of 1988.	20 g/m^3 at Analysis Temperature	1, 4
Total Hardness*	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m^3 as $CaCO_3$	1, 4
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Saline water, Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.10 mS/m	1, 4
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)*	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	50 g/m^3	1, 4
Total Barium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.00063 g/m^3	1, 4
Total Calcium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m^3	1, 4

Sample Type: Saline			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Total Copper	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m³	1, 4
Total Iron	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m³	1, 4
Total Magnesium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m³	1, 4
Total Manganese	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m³	1, 4
Total Mercury*	Bromine Oxidation followed by Atomic Fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	1, 4
Total Nickel	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0070 g/m³	1, 4
Total Potassium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m³	1, 4
Total Sodium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m³	1, 4
Total Sulphur*	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-OES (method may not fully account for H_2S due to volatilisation during digestion). All forms of oxidised and organic sulphur will be determined by this method. APHA 3120 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1, 4
Total Zinc	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m³	1, 4
Bromide*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	1, 4
Chloride*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	1, 4
Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1, 4
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	1, 4
Nitrate*	Calculation from Nitrate-N.	0.005 g/m³	1, 4
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	1, 4
Total Sulphate*	Calculation: from total sulphur.	2 g/m³	1, 4
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1, 4
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	1, 4
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	1, 4
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	1, 4
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	1, 4
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	1, 4
C10 - C14*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	1, 4
C15 - C36*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	1, 4
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	1, 4

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GNS Lot No: 2021012605

GNS Sample No.	2021000453
Collection Date	
Site ID	2512244.1
Field ID	

Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	1907	-	-	-
pH		7.45	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	21	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Date		26/01/2021	-	-	-

SUMMARY OF METHODS AND DETECTION LIMITS

The following table gives a brief description of the methods used to conduct the analyses on this report.
The detection limits given below are those attainable in a relatively clean matrix.

Parameter	Method	*Detection Limit	
Bicarbonate (total)	HCO_3 Titration Method ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 1988	20	mg/l
pH	Electrometric Method - APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd Edition 2017	-	-

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GNS Lot No: 2021012903

GNS Sample No.	2021000541
Collection Date	
Site ID	2512244.4
Field ID	

Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	2107	-	-	-
pH		7.77	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	22	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Date		29/01/2021	-	-	-

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pH	Electrometric Method - APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd Edition 2017	-	-

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Contact:	Jane Harvey C/- Taranaki Regional Council Private Bag 713 Stratford 4352	**Date Received:**	07-Jul-2021
		Date Reported:	20-Jul-2021
		Quote No:	71307
		Order No:	4500002828
		Client Reference:	#6842 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-GMHW31
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Saline

Sample Name:	Composite of TRC212284 (GND3136) MHW31 Return Fluid 1-4 24/04-04/06	Composite of TRC212285 (GND3136) MHW31 Return Fluid 1-3 16/06-27/6			
Lab Number:	2651474.8	2651474.9			
Individual Tests					
pH pH Units	7.0	7.3	-	-	-
Total Alkalinity* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	2,100	2,400	-	-	-
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate‡ °C	22	23	-	-	-
Bicarbonate‡ g/m³ at Analysis Temperature	1,065	2,320	-	-	-
Total Hardness* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	240	182	-	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC) mS/m	2,070	1,741	-	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)* g/m³	14,000	7,800	-	-	-
Total Barium g/m³	45	24	-	-	-
Total Calcium g/m³	74	56	-	-	-
Total Copper g/m³	0.021	0.037	-	-	-
Total Iron g/m³	2.6	15.3	-	-	-
Total Magnesium g/m³	14.6	10.1	-	-	-
Total Manganese g/m³	1.74	1.07	-	-	-
Total Mercury* g/m³	< 0.00008	0.00176	-	-	-
Total Nickel g/m³	< 0.032	0.047	-	-	-
Total Potassium g/m³	460	400	-	-	-
Total Sodium g/m³	4,700	4,100	-	-	-
Total Sulphur* g/m³	23	49	-	-	-
Total Zinc g/m³	0.083	0.167	-	-	-
Bromide* g/m³	25	22	-	-	-
Chloride* g/m³	6,900	5,000	-	-	-
Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #1	< 0.10 #1	-	-	-
Nitrate-N g/m³	< 0.10	< 0.10	-	-	-
Nitrate* g/m³	< 0.5	< 0.5	-	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #1	< 0.10 #1	-	-	-
Sulphate* g/m³	69	146	-	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*					
Ethylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*					
Propylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-

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Lab Number:		2651474.8	2651474.9			
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 20	< 20	-	-	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*						
Benzene*	g/m³	6.6	24	-	-	-
Toluene*	g/m³	3.5	47	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene*	g/m³	0.22	6.0	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene*	g/m³	1.38	40	-	-	-
o-Xylene*	g/m³	0.65	12.1	-	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*						
Formaldehyde*	g/m³	< 1.5	2.6	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water*						
C7 - C9*	g/m³	17.4	260	-	-	-
C10 - C14*	g/m³	113	340	-	-	-
C15 - C36*	g/m³	150	230	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	g/m³	280	830	-	-	-

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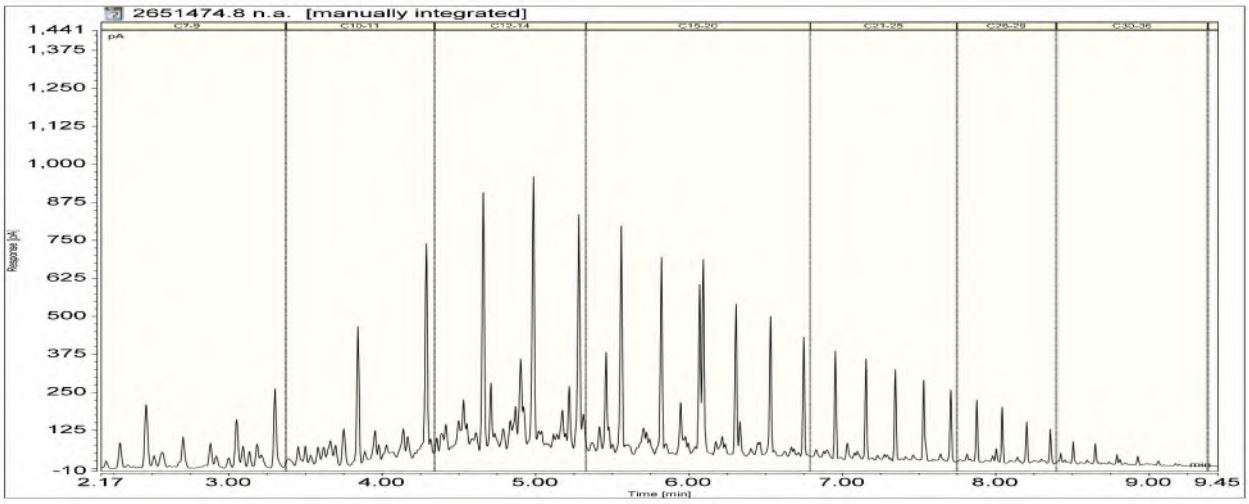

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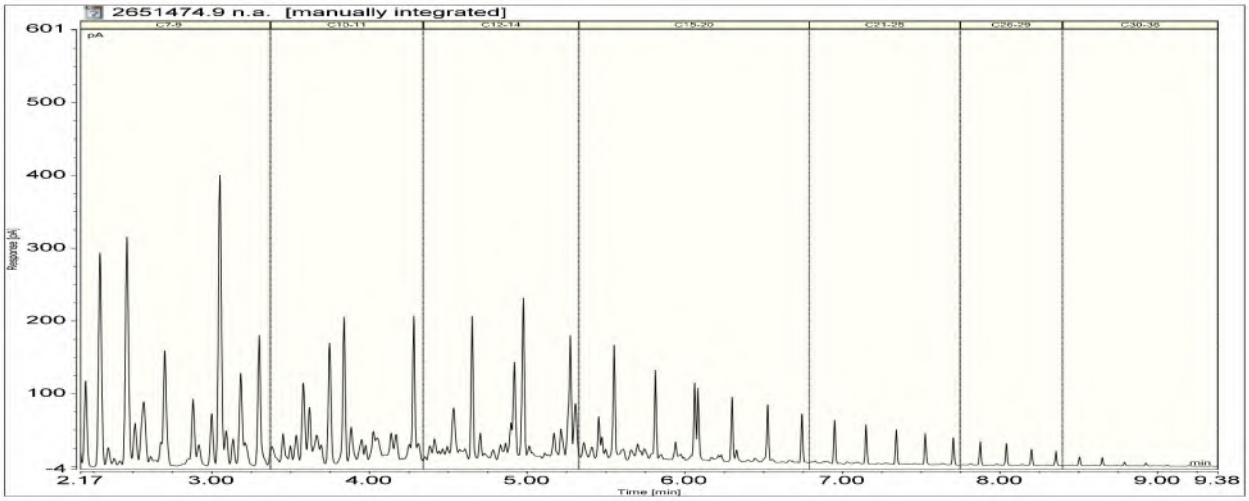

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Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved*	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	8-9
Total Digestion*	Boiling nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	8-9
Total Digestion of Saline Samples*	Nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	8-9
pH	Saline water, pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	8-9
Total Alkalinity*	Saline water, Titration to pH 4.5.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	8-9
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate	Temperature at which Bicarbonate titration was conducted as reported by Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei.	1.0 °C	8-9
Bicarbonate	Bicarbonate (HCO3) Titration Method conducted at reported temperature. Subcontracted to Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei. ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 of 1988.	20 g/m³ at Analysis Temperature	8-9
Total Hardness*	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	8-9
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Saline water, Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.10 mS/m	8-9
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)*	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	50 g/m³	8-9
Total Barium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.00063 g/m³	8-9
Total Calcium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m³	8-9
Total Copper	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m³	8-9

Sample Type: Saline			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Total Iron	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m³	8-9
Total Magnesium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m³	8-9
Total Manganese	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m³	8-9
Total Mercury*	Bromine Oxidation followed by Atomic Fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m³	8-9
Total Nickel	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0070 g/m³	8-9
Total Potassium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m³	8-9
Total Sodium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m³	8-9
Total Sulphur*	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-OES (method may not fully account for H_2S due to volatilisation during digestion). All forms of oxidised and organic sulphur will be determined by this method. APHA 3120 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	8-9
Total Zinc	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m³	8-9
Bromide*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m³	8-9
Chloride*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m³	8-9
Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	8-9
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m³	8-9
Nitrate*	Calculation from Nitrate-N.	0.005 g/m³	8-9
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m³	8-9
Total Sulphate*	Calculation: from total sulphur.	2 g/m³	8-9
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	8-9
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m³	8-9
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m³	8-9
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m³	8-9
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m³	8-9
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m³	8-9
C10 - C14*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m³	8-9
C15 - C36*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m³	8-9
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m³	8-9

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GNS Lot No: 2021070901

GNS Sample No.		2021003878	2021003879	2021003880	2021003881
Collection Date					
Site ID		2651474.8	2651474.9	2651473.11	2651473.12
Field ID					
Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	1065	2325	703	1906
pH		7.31	7.43	6.85	7.59
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	22	23	21	23
HCO_3 Analysis Date		09/07/2021	09/07/2021	09/07/2021	10/07/2021

GNS Sample No.		2021003882			
Collection Date					
Site ID		2651473.13			
Field ID					
Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	2278	-	-	-
pH		7.66	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	23	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Date		10/07/2021	-	-	-

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SUMMARY OF METHODS AND DETECTION LIMITS

The following table gives a brief description of the methods used to conduct the analyses on this report.
The detection limits given below are those attainable in a relatively clean matrix.

Parameter	Method	*Detection Limit	
Bicarbonate (total)	HCO_3 Titration Method ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 1988	20	mg/l
pH	Electrometric Method - APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd Edition 2017	-	-

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	C/- Taranaki Regional Council	**Date Reported:**	21-Jul-2021
	Private Bag 713	**Quote No:**	50522
	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	4500002828
		Client Reference:	#6842 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-G MHW31
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Saline

Sample Name:		Composite of TRC212280 (GND3136) MHW31 Frac Fluid 1-5 24/04-26/04	Composite of TRC212281 (GND3136) MHW31 Frac Fluid 1-2 04/05-01/06	Composite of TRC212282 (GND3136) MHW31 Frac Fluid 1-5 13/06-15/06	Composite of TRC212283 (GND3136) MHW31 Frac Fluid 1-2 01/06/21	
Lab Number:		2651485.15	2651485.16	2651485.17	2651485.18	
Ethylene Glycol in Water						
Ethylene glycol	g/m³	< 400	< 400	< 400	< 400	-
Propylene Glycol in Water						
Propylene glycol	g/m³	< 400	< 400	< 400	< 400	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents						
Methanol	g/m³	< 20	< 20	< 20	< 20	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-
Toluene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.02	< 0.02	< 0.02	0.04	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	< 0.010	0.014	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.8	< 0.8	< 0.8	< 0.8	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	500	1,120	2,600	1,300	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	37	50	74	66	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	540	1,170	2,700	1,370	-

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Composite of TRC212280 (GND3136) MHW31 Frac Fluid 1-5 24/04-26/04
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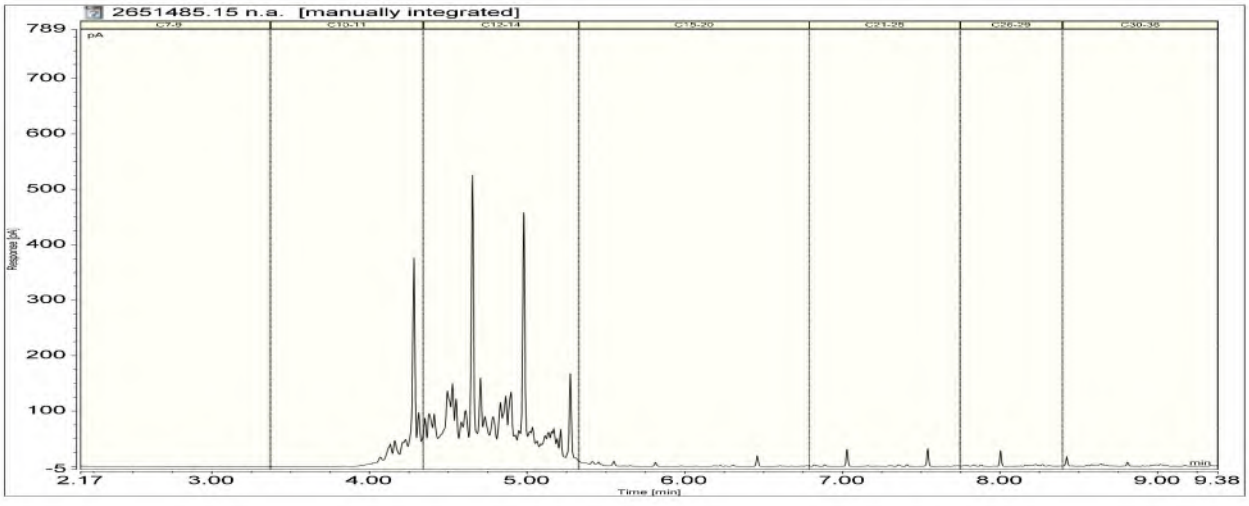

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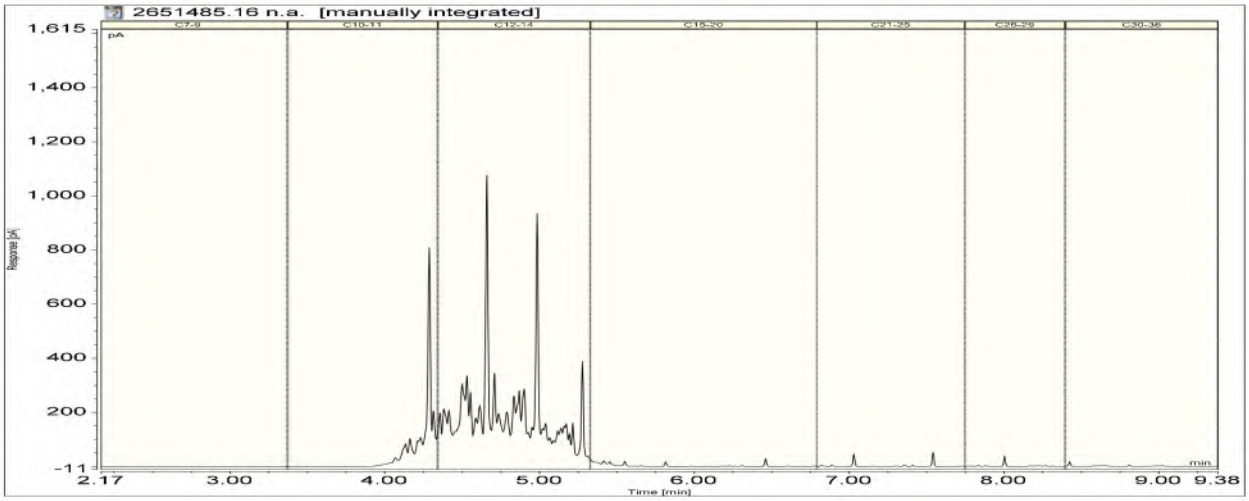

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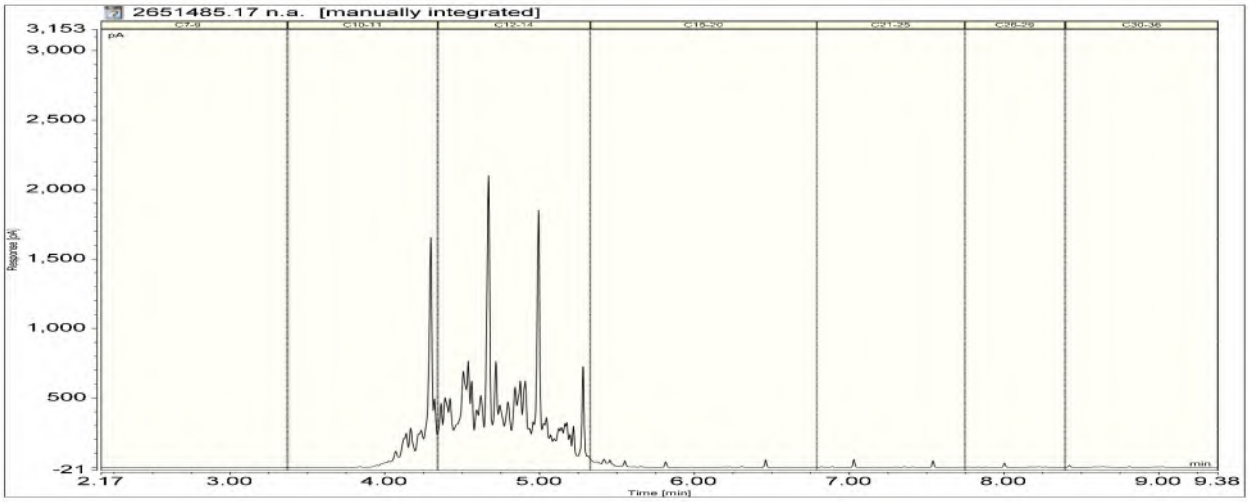

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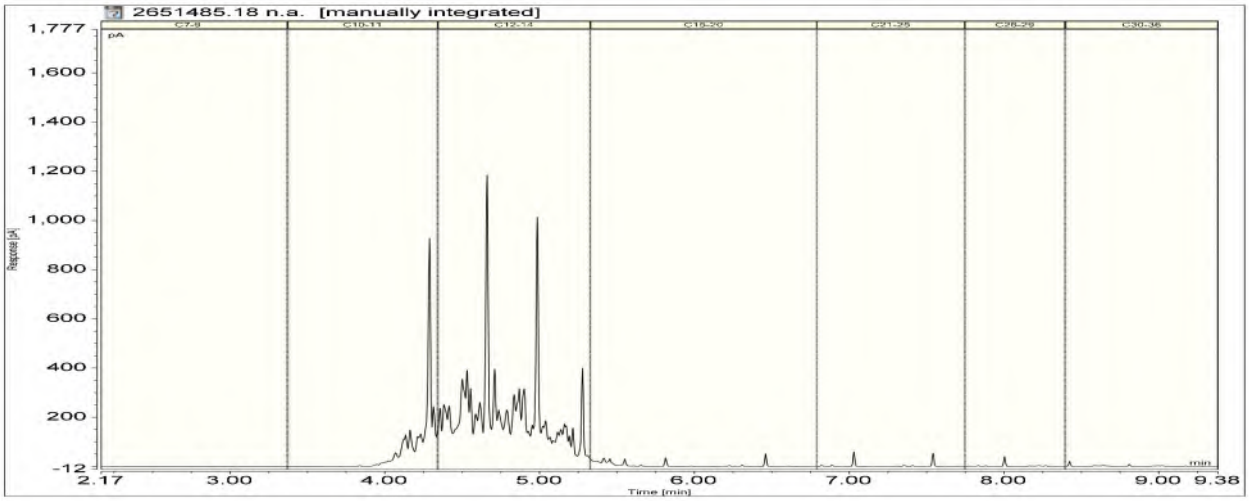

Summary of Methods

The following table(s) gives a brief description of the methods used to conduct the analyses for this job. The detection limits given below are those attainable in a relatively simple matrix. Detection limits may be higher for individual samples should insufficient sample be available, or if the matrix requires that dilutions be performed during analysis. A detection limit range indicates the lowest and highest detection limits in the associated suite of analytes. A full listing of compounds and detection limits are available from the laboratory upon request.
Unless otherwise indicated, analyses were performed at Hill Laboratories, 28 Duke Street, Frankton, Hamilton 3204.

Sample Type: Saline			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Individual Tests			
Ethylene Glycol in Water	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	15-18
Propylene Glycol in Water	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	15-18
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m^3	15-18
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m^3	15-18
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m^3	15-18
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m^3	15-18
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m^3	15-18
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m^3	15-18

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	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	4500002828
		Client Reference:	#6841 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-G MHW32
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin

Sample Type: Saline

Sample Name:		Composite of TRC212278 (GND3137) MHW32 Frac Fluid Upper Zone 1-7 28/4-17/05	Composite of TRC212279 (GND3137) MHW32 Frac Fluid Lower Zone 1-6 17/05-18/06			
Lab Number:		2651484.14	2651484.15			
Ethylene Glycol in Water						
Ethylene glycol	g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water						
Propylene glycol	g/m³	< 400	< 400	-	-	-
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents						
Methanol	g/m³	< 20	< 20	-	-	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS						
Benzene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-	-
Toluene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-	-
Ethylbenzene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-	-
m&p-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.02	< 0.02	-	-	-
o-Xylene	g/m³	< 0.010	< 0.010	-	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water						
C7 - C9	g/m³	< 0.8	< 0.8	-	-	-
C10 - C14	g/m³	800	1,870	-	-	-
C15 - C36	g/m³	46	72	-	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	g/m³	840	1,940	-	-	-

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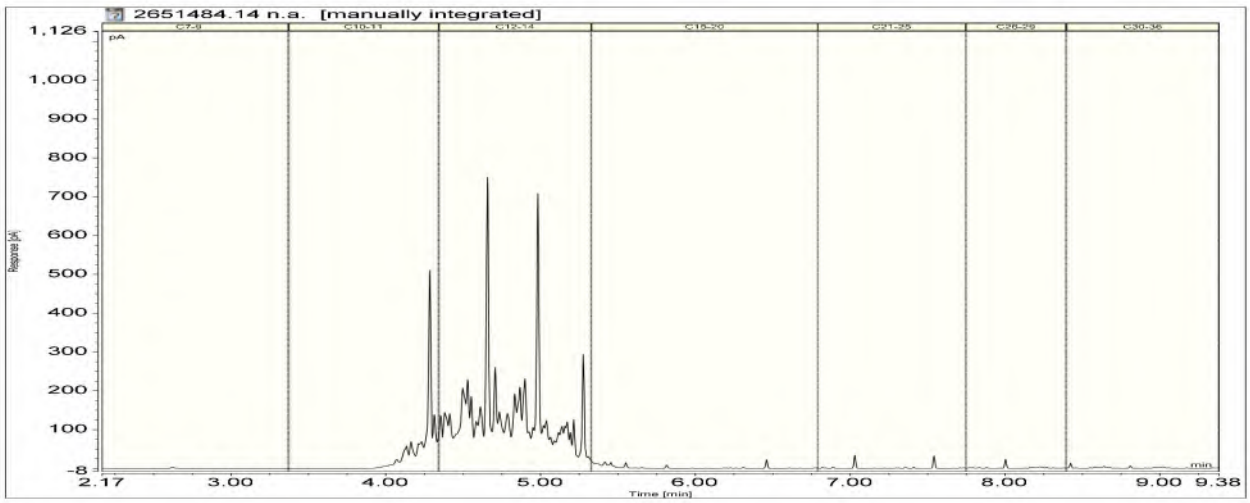
Composite of TRC212278 (GND3137) MHW32 Frac Fluid Upper Zone 1-7 28/4-17/05
Client Chromatogram for TPH by FID



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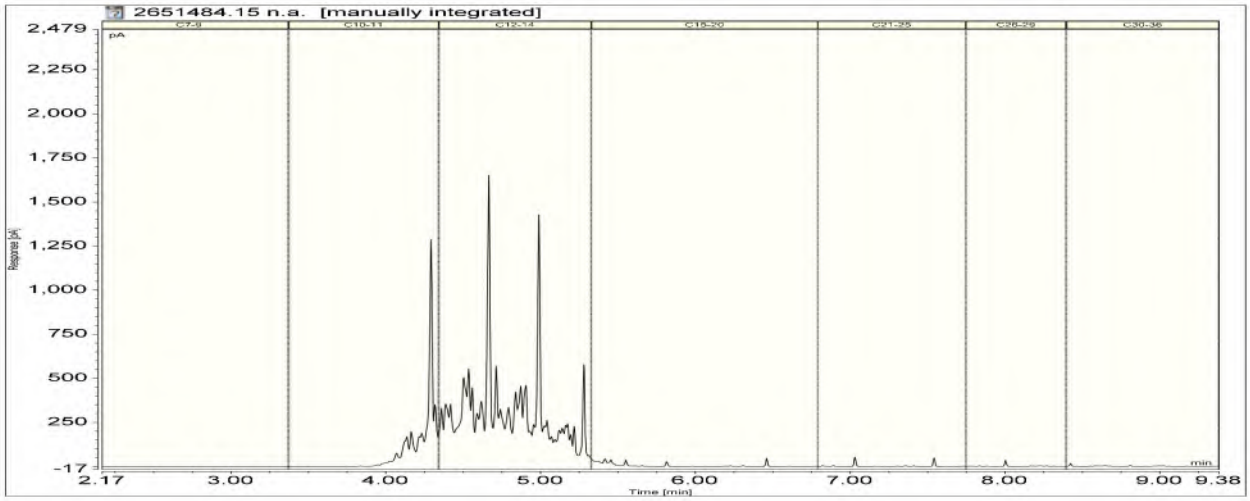

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Sample Type: Saline

Test	Method Description	Default Detection Limit	Sample No
Individual Tests			
Ethylene Glycol in Water	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	14-15
Propylene Glycol in Water	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	14-15
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m^3	14-15
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m^3	14-15
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m^3	14-15
C10 - C14	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m^3	14-15
C15 - C36	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m^3	14-15
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m^3	14-15

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	Stratford 4352	**Order No:**	4500002828	
		Client Reference:	#6841 - Hydraulic Fracturing Mangahewa-G MWH32	
		Submitted By:	Sarah Larkin	

Sample Type: Saline

Sample Name:	Composite of TRC212286 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-4 1/05-13/05	Composite of TRC212287 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-2 19/05-21/05	Composite of TRC212288 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-4 09/06-22/06		
Lab Number:	2651473.11	2651473.12	2651473.13		
Individual Tests					
pH pH Units	6.7	7.2	7.2	-	-
Total Alkalinity* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	1,660	2,000	2,400	-	-
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate‡ °C	21	23	23	-	-
Bicarbonate‡ g/m³ at Analysis Temperature	703	1,906	2,280	-	-
Total Hardness* g/m³ as $CaCO_3$	220	260	146	-	-
Electrical Conductivity (EC) mS/m	1,890	2,250	1,729	-	-
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)* g/m³	12,700	18,600	11,600	-	-
Total Barium g/m³	48	48	40	-	-
Total Calcium g/m³	74	87	48	-	-
Total Copper g/m³	0.56	< 0.0053	< 0.0053	-	-
Total Iron g/m³	13.9	3.3	4.8	-	-
Total Magnesium g/m³	7.8	10.8	6.5	-	-
Total Manganese g/m³	1.92	1.58	1.01	-	-
Total Mercury* g/m³	0.0030 #1	< 0.00008	0.00046	-	-
Total Nickel g/m³	0.123	< 0.032	< 0.032	-	-
Total Potassium g/m³	480	480	310	-	-
Total Sodium g/m³	4,100	5,400	4,400	-	-
Total Sulphur* g/m³	21	7	22	-	-
Total Zinc g/m³	0.20	0.186	0.075	-	-
Bromide* g/m³	23	32	25	-	-
Chloride* g/m³	6,200	7,200	4,900	-	-
Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #2	< 0.10 #2	< 0.10 #2	-	-
Nitrate-N g/m³	< 0.10	< 0.10	< 0.10	-	-
Nitrate* g/m³	< 0.5	< 0.5	< 0.5	-	-
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N g/m³	< 0.10 #2	< 0.10 #2	< 0.10 #2	-	-
Sulphate* g/m³	63	21	65	-	-
Ethylene Glycol in Water*					
Ethylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	< 400	-	-
Propylene Glycol in Water*					
Propylene glycol* g/m³	< 400	< 400	< 400	-	-

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Sample Type: Saline						
Sample Name:		Composite of TRC212286 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-4 1/05-13/05	Composite of TRC212287 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-2 19/05-21/05	Composite of TRC212288 (GND3137) MHW32 Return Fluid 1-4 09/06-22/06		
Lab Number:		2651473.11	2651473.12	2651473.13		
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*						
Methanol*	g/m³	< 20	< 20	< 20	-	-
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*						
Benzene*	g/m³	240	6.0	8.0	-	-
Toluene*	g/m³	520	6.7	5.9	-	-
Ethylbenzene*	g/m³	53	1.24	0.29	-	-
m&p-Xylene*	g/m³	310	7.9	1.64	-	-
o-Xylene*	g/m³	95	3.2	0.72	-	-
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*						
Formaldehyde*	g/m³	< 0.15	0.22	< 1.5	-	-
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water*						
C7 - C9*	g/m³	1,810	58	14.2	-	-
C10 - C14*	g/m³	2,200	230	53	-	-
C15 - C36*	g/m³	1,700	200	63	-	-
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	g/m³	5,700	490	130	-	-

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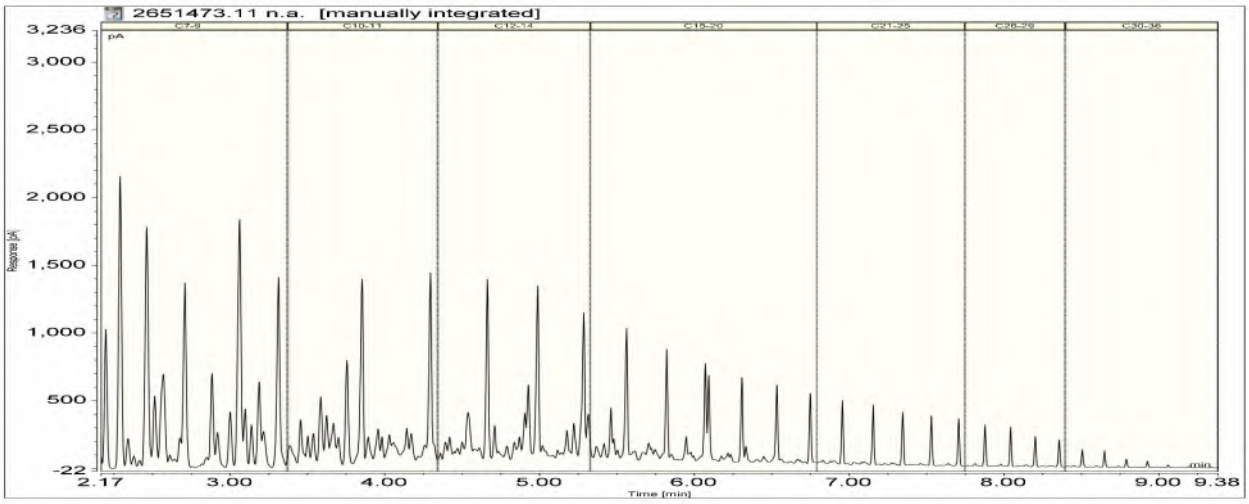

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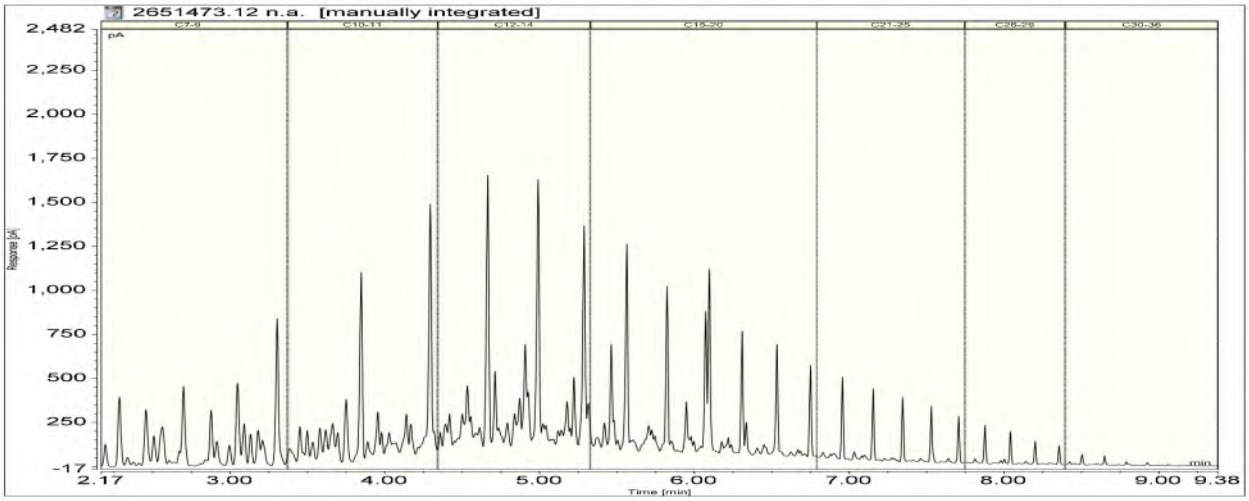

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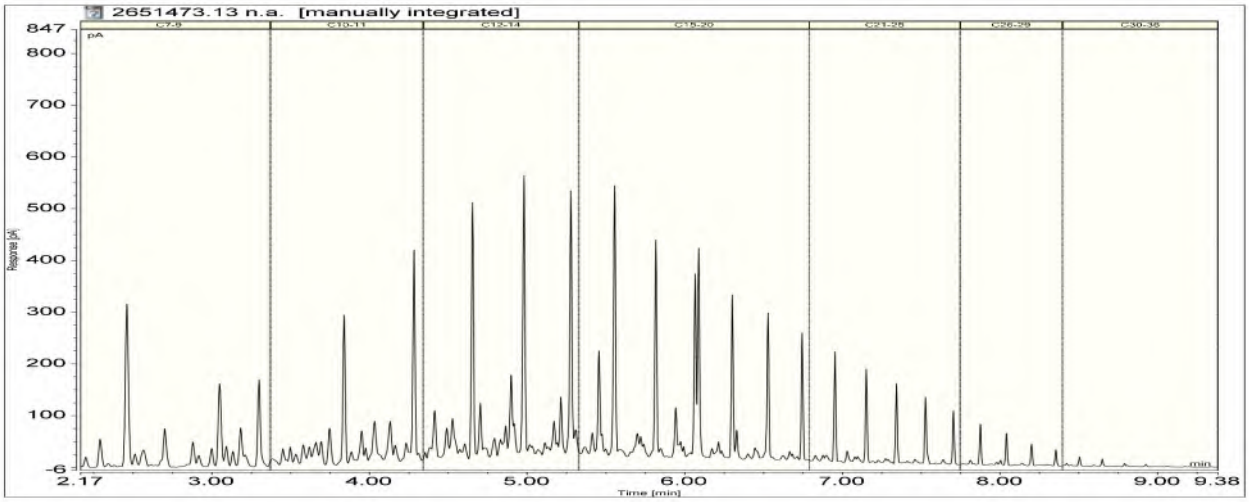

Analyst's Comments

‡ Analysis subcontracted to an external provider. Refer to the Summary of Methods section for more details.

#1 Due to an oily layer being present on the surface of this sample the mercury result was obtained from the aqueous layer beneath.

#2 Due to the nature of this sample a dilution was performed prior to analysis, resulting in a detection limit higher than that normally achieved for the NO2N, NO3N and NOxN analysis.

Amended Report: This certificate of analysis replaces report '2651473-SPv1' issued on 27-Jul-2021 at 9:03 am.
Reason for amendment: Sampling names corrected at clients request.

Appendix No.1 - GNS report

Summary of Methods

The following table(s) gives a brief description of the methods used to conduct the analyses for this job. The detection limits given below are those attainable in a relatively simple matrix. Detection limits may be higher for individual samples should insufficient sample be available, or if the matrix requires that dilutions be performed during analysis. A detection limit range indicates the lowest and highest detection limits in the associated suite of analytes. A full listing of compounds and detection limits are available from the laboratory upon request.
Unless otherwise indicated, analyses were performed at Hill Laboratories, 28 Duke Street, Frankton, Hamilton 3204.

Sample Type: Saline

Test	Method Description	Default Detection Limit	Sample No
Individual Tests			
Filtration, Unpreserved*	Sample filtration through 0.45µm membrane filter.	-	11-13

Sample Type: Saline			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Total Digestion*	Boiling nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	11-13
Total Digestion of Saline Samples*	Nitric acid digestion. APHA 3030 E (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	-	11-13
pH	Saline water, pH meter. APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd ed. 2017. Note: It is not possible to achieve the APHA Maximum Storage Recommendation for this test (15 min) when samples are analysed upon receipt at the laboratory, and not in the field. Samples and Standards are analysed at an equivalent laboratory temperature (typically 18 to 22 °C). Temperature compensation is used.	0.1 pH Units	11-13
Total Alkalinity*	Saline water, Titration to pH 4.5.	1.0 g/m^3 as $CaCO_3$	11-13
Analysis Temperature for Bicarbonate	Temperature at which Bicarbonate titration was conducted as reported by Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei.	1.0 °C	11-13
Bicarbonate	Bicarbonate (HCO3) Titration Method conducted at reported temperature. Subcontracted to Geological & Nuclear Sciences, Wairakei. ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 of 1988.	20 g/m^3 at Analysis Temperature	11-13
Total Hardness*	Calculation from Calcium and Magnesium. APHA 2340 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.0 g/m^3 as $CaCO_3$	11-13
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	Saline water, Conductivity meter, 25°C. APHA 2510 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.10 mS/m	11-13
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)*	Filtration through GF/C (1.2 µm), gravimetric. APHA 2540 C (modified; drying temperature of 103 - 105°C used rather than 180 ± 2°C) 23rd ed. 2017.	50 g/m^3	11-13
Total Barium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.00063 g/m^3	11-13
Total Calcium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m^3	11-13
Total Copper	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m^3	11-13
Total Iron	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m^3	11-13
Total Magnesium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m^3	11-13
Total Manganese	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0011 g/m^3	11-13
Total Mercury*	Bromine Oxidation followed by Atomic Fluorescence. US EPA Method 245.7, Feb 2005.	0.00008 g/m^3	11-13
Total Nickel	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0070 g/m^3	11-13
Total Potassium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	1.1 g/m^3	11-13
Total Sodium	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS, ultratrace level. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.42 g/m^3	11-13
Total Sulphur*	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-OES (method may not fully account for H_2S due to volatilisation during digestion). All forms of oxidised and organic sulphur will be determined by this method. APHA 3120 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m^3	11-13
Total Zinc	Nitric acid digestion, ICP-MS with dynamic reaction cell, ultratrace. APHA 3125 B 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0042 g/m^3	11-13
Bromide*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.05 g/m^3	11-13
Chloride*	Filtered sample. Ion Chromatography. APHA 4110 B (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.5 g/m^3	11-13
Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Automated Azo dye colorimetry, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m^3	11-13
Nitrate-N	Calculation: (Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N) - NO2N. In-House.	0.0010 g/m^3	11-13
Nitrate*	Calculation from Nitrate-N.	0.005 g/m^3	11-13
Nitrate-N + Nitrite-N	Saline sample. Total oxidised nitrogen. Automated cadmium reduction, Flow injection analyser. APHA 4500-NO_3^- I (modified) 23rd ed. 2017.	0.0010 g/m^3	11-13
Total Sulphate*	Calculation: from total sulphur.	2 g/m^3	11-13
Ethylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	11-13
Propylene Glycol in Water*	Direct injection, dual column GC-FID.	4 g/m^3	11-13
Methanol in Water - Aqueous Solvents*	GC-FID analysis. In-house.	1.0 g/m^3	11-13
BTEX in Water by Headspace GC-MS*	Headspace GC-MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8260 and 5021.	0.0010 - 0.002 g/m^3	11-13
Formaldehyde in Water by DNPH & LCMSMS*	Derivatisation, SPE extraction, LC-MS/MS analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8315A.	0.02 g/m^3	11-13

Sample Type: Saline			
Test	**Method Description**	**Default Detection Limit**	**Sample No**
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons in Water			
C7 - C9*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.10 g/m^3	11-13
C10 - C14*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.2 g/m^3	11-13
C15 - C36*	Solvent extraction, GC-FID analysis. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.4 g/m^3	11-13
Total hydrocarbons (C7 - C36)*	Calculation: Sum of carbon bands from C7 to C36. In-house based on US EPA 8015.	0.7 g/m^3	11-13

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Testing was completed between 09-Jul-2021 and 26-Jul-2021. For completion dates of individual analyses please contact the laboratory.

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GNS Lot No: 2021070901

GNS Sample No.		2021003878	2021003879	2021003880	2021003881
Collection Date					
Site ID		2651474.8	2651474.9	2651473.11	2651473.12
Field ID					
Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	1065	2325	703	1906
pH		7.31	7.43	6.85	7.59
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	22	23	21	23
HCO_3 Analysis Date		09/07/2021	09/07/2021	09/07/2021	10/07/2021

GNS Sample No.		2021003882			
Collection Date					
Site ID		2651473.13			
Field ID					
Bicarbonate (Total)	mg/l	2278	-	-	-
pH		7.66	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Temperature	°C	23	-	-	-
HCO_3 Analysis Date		10/07/2021	-	-	-

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SUMMARY OF METHODS AND DETECTION LIMITS

The following table gives a brief description of the methods used to conduct the analyses on this report.
The detection limits given below are those attainable in a relatively clean matrix.

Parameter	Method	*Detection Limit	
Bicarbonate (total)	HCO_3 Titration Method ASTM Standards D513-82 Vol.11.01 1988	20	mg/l
pH	Electrometric Method - APHA 4500-H^+ B 23rd Edition 2017	-	-

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