

## Special Conditions

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1. This permit authorizes emissions only from those points listed in the attached table entitled "Emission Sources - Maximum Allowable Emissions Rate" and the facilities covered by this permit are authorized to emit subject to the emission rate limits on that table and other operating requirements specified in the Special Conditions.
2. Non-fugitive emissions from relief valves, safety valves, or rupture discs of gases containing volatile organic compounds (VOC) at a concentration of greater than one percent are not authorized by this permit unless authorized on the maximum allowable emissions rate (MAERT). Any releases directly to atmosphere from relief valves, safety valves, or rupture discs of gases containing VOC at a concentration greater than one weight percent are not consistent with good practice for minimizing emissions with the exception of safety relief valves that discharge to the atmosphere only as a result of fire, or failure of utilities, or as represented in the confidential section of permit alteration dated March 10, 1994.

### Federal Applicability

3. The facility (The Ethylene Unit) shall comply with all applicable requirements of the EPA regulations on: **(TBD)**
  - A. Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources promulgated in Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations Part 60 (40 CFR Part 60):
    - (1) Subpart A, General Provisions.
    - (2) Subpart D, Standards of Performance for Fossil-Fuel-Fired Steam Generators.
    - (3) Subpart NNN, Standards of Performance for Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Emissions From Synthetic Organic Chemical Manufacturing Industry (SOCMI) Distillation Operations.
    - (4) Subpart RRR, Standards of Performance for Volatile Organic Compound Emissions From Synthetic Organic Chemical Manufacturing Industry (SOCMI) Reactor Processes.
  - B. National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants in 40 CFR Part 61:
    - (1) Subpart A, General Provisions.
    - (2) Subpart BB, National Emission Standard for Benzene Emissions from Benzene Transfer Operations.
    - (3) Subpart FF, National Emission Standard for Benzene Waste Operations.
  - C. National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories in 40 CFR Part 63:
    - (1) Subpart A, General Provisions.
    - (2) Subpart YY, National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories: Generic Maximum Achievable Control Technology Standards.

### Emission Controls

4. Flares shall be designed and operated in accordance with the following requirements: **(TBD)(PSD)**

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- A. The flare system shall be designed such that the combined flare vent gas and total steam to the flare meets the 40 CFR § 63.670 specifications for minimum combustion zone net heating value and maximum tip velocity at all times that flare vent gas may be directed to the flare for more than 15 minutes. Flared gas actual exit velocity, vent gas net heating value, and flared gas combustion zone net heating value shall be determined in accordance with 40 CFR §63.670(k), §63.670(l), and §63.670(m) on a 15-minute block average and recorded at least once every 15 minutes.
- B. The flare shall be operated with pilot flames present at all times flare vent gas may be directed to the flare. The pilot flames shall be continuously monitored by a thermocouple, infrared monitor, or ultraviolet monitor. The time, date, and duration of any loss of pilot flame shall be recorded. Each monitoring device shall be accurate to, and shall be calibrated at a frequency in accordance with, the manufacturer's specifications.
- C. Flare shall be operated with no visible emissions except periods not to exceed a total of five minutes during any two consecutive hours, demonstrated and recorded per the requirements of §63.670(h).
- D. The permit holder shall install flow monitors that continuously measure, calculate, and record the total volumetric vent stream flow rate (including waste gas, purge gas, supplemental gas, and sweep gas), and shall install a monitoring system capable of determining the concentration of individual components in the flare vent gas or the net heating value of the flare vent gas. The flow monitor sensor and analyzer sample points shall be installed in the vent stream such that the total vent stream to the flare is measured and analyzed.

If one or more gas streams that combine to comprise the total flare vent gas flow are monitored separately for net heating value and flow, the 15-minute block average net heating value shall be determined separately for each measurement location and a flow-weighted average of the gas stream net heating values shall be used to determine the 15-minute block average net heating value of the cumulative flare vent gas.

The owner or operator shall install, operate, calibrate, and maintain a monitoring system capable of continuously measuring, calculating, and recording the total volumetric flow rate of assist steam used with the flare.

The monitors shall be calibrated or have a calibration check performed as specified in Table 13 of the appendix to 40 CFR 63, Part CC to meet the following accuracy specifications: the vent flow monitor shall be  $\pm 20$  percent of flow rate at velocities ranging from 0.03 to 0.3 meters per second (0.1 to 1 feet per second)  $\pm 5$  percent of flow rate at velocities greater than 0.3 meters per second (1 feet per second), all other gas flow monitors shall be  $\pm 5$  percent over the normal range of flow measured or 280 liters per minute (10 cubic feet per minute) whichever is greater, temperature monitor shall be  $\pm 1$  percent over the normal range of temperature measured, expressed in degrees Celsius (C), or 2.8 degrees C, whichever is greater, and pressure monitor shall be  $\pm 5$  percent over the normal operating range or 0.12 kilopascals (0.5 inches of water column), whichever is greater. For purposes of this permit, a calibration check means, at a minimum, using a second device or method to verify that the monitor is accurate as specified in the permit.

Calorimeters shall have an accuracy of at least  $\pm 2\%$  of span and be calibrated, installed, operated, and maintained in accordance with manufacturer recommendations and as specified in Table 13 of the appendix to 40 CFR 63, Part CC, to continuously measure and record the net heating value of the vent gas sent to the flare, in British thermal units/standard cubic foot of the gas.

For determination of net heating value by gas chromatograph, the minimum accuracy shall be as specified in Performance Specification 9 of Part 60, appendix B. Composition monitoring instruments shall be calibrated, installed, operated, and maintained in accordance

with manufacturer recommendations and as specified in 40 CFR §63.671(e) and Table 13 of 40 CFR Pt. 63, Subpart CC. Individual component properties specified in Table 12 of Subpart CC shall apply to net heating value calculations.

For determination of net heating value by continuous process mass spectrometer, the minimum accuracy; composition monitoring; calibration; installation; operation and maintenance shall be done in accordance with 40 CFR §63.1103(e)(4)(viii).

- E. Quality assured (or valid) data must be generated during periods that the specified flare is operating. Loss of valid data due to periods of monitor break down, out-of-control operation (producing inaccurate data), repair, maintenance, or calibration may be exempted provided it does not exceed 5 percent of the time (in minutes) that the flare operated over the previous rolling 12-month period. The measurements missed shall be estimated using engineering judgment and the methods used recorded.
  - F. Hourly mass emission rates shall be determined and recorded using the monitoring data collected pursuant to paragraph D of this Special Condition and the emission factors specified in the permit amendment application project 374897.
5. The following requirements apply to capture systems for the plant flare system:
- A. Either conduct a once a month visual, audible, and/or olfactory inspection of the capture system to verify there are no leaking components in the capture system; or verify the capture system is leak-free by inspecting in accordance with 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A. Test Method 21, once a year. Leaks shall be indicated by an instrument reading greater than or equal to 500 ppmv above background.
  - B. The control device shall not have a bypass.  
or  
If there is a bypass for the control device, comply with either of the following requirements:
    - (1) Install a flow indicator that records and verifies bypass flow at least once every fifteen minutes immediately downstream of each valve that if opened would allow a vent stream to bypass the control device and be emitted, either directly or indirectly, to the atmosphere; or **(TBD)**
    - (2) Once a month, inspect the valves, verifying that the position of the valves and the condition of the car seals that prevent flow out the bypass.  
A bypass does not include authorized analyzer vents, highpoint bleeder vents, low point drains, or rupture discs upstream of pressure relief valves if the pressure between the disc and relief valve is monitored and recorded at least weekly. A deviation shall be reported if the monitoring or inspections indicate bypass of the control device when it is required to be in service per this permit.
  - C. The date and results of each inspection performed shall be recorded. If the results of any inspection are not satisfactory, the deficiencies shall be recorded and the permit holder shall promptly take necessary corrective action, recording each action with the date completed.
6. Storage tanks are subject to the following requirements. The control requirements specified in paragraphs A-D of this condition shall not apply (1) where the VOC has an aggregate partial pressure of less than 0.50 psia at the maximum feed temperature or 95°F, whichever is greater, or (2) to storage tanks smaller than 25,000 gallons.

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- A. An internal floating deck or "roof" or equivalent control shall be installed in all tanks. The floating roof shall be equipped with one of the following closure devices between the wall of the storage vessel and the edge of the internal floating roof: (1) a liquid-mounted seal, (2) two continuous seals mounted one above the other, or (3) a mechanical shoe seal.
- B. For any tank equipped with a floating roof, the permit holder shall perform the visual inspections and seal gap measurements as specified in 40 CFR § 63.1063 to verify fitting and seal integrity. Records shall be maintained of the dates seals were inspected and seal gap measurements made, results of inspections and measurements made (including raw data), and actions taken to correct any deficiencies noted.
- C. The floating roof design shall incorporate sufficient flotation to conform to the requirements of API Code 650 dated November 1, 1998, except that an internal floating cover need not be designed to meet rainfall support requirements and the materials of construction may be steel or other materials.
- D. Except for labels, logos, etc., not to exceed 15 percent of the tank total surface area, uninsulated tank exterior surfaces exposed to the sun shall be white or unpainted aluminum. Storage tanks must be equipped with permanent submerged fill pipes.
- E. For purposes of assuring compliance with VOC emission limitations, the permit holder shall maintain an emissions record which includes calculated emissions of VOC from all storage tanks during the previous calendar month and the past consecutive 12 month period. The record shall include tank identification number, control method used, tank capacity in gallons, name of the material stored, VOC molecular weight, VOC monthly average temperature in degrees Fahrenheit, VOC vapor pressure at the monthly average material temperature in psia, and VOC throughput for the previous month and year-to-date. Records of VOC monthly average temperature are not required to be kept for unheated tanks which receive liquids that are at or below ambient temperatures.

Emissions from tanks shall be calculated using the methods that were used to determine the MAERT limits in the permit applications submitted up to date. Sample calculations from the applications shall be attached to a copy of this permit at the plant site.

7. The permit holder shall maintain and update monthly an emissions record which includes calculated emissions of VOC from all loading operations over the previous rolling 12 month period. The record shall include the loading spot, control method used, quantity loaded in gallons, name of the liquid loaded, vapor molecular weight, liquid temperature in degrees Fahrenheit, liquid vapor pressure at the liquid temperature in psia, liquid throughput for the previous month and rolling 12 months to date. Records of VOC temperature are not required to be kept for liquids loaded from unheated tanks which receive liquids that are at or below ambient temperatures. Emissions shall be calculated using the TCEQ publication titled "Technical Guidance Package for Chemical Sources - Loading Operations."
8. The cooling tower water (EPN PK-38) shall be operated and monitored in accordance with the following:
  - A. The cooling tower water shall be monitored monthly for VOC leakage from heat exchangers in accordance with the requirements of the TCEQ Sampling Procedures Manual Appendix P (dated January 2003 or a later edition) or another air stripping method approved by the TCEQ Executive Director. Cooling water may be monitored using the procedure in 40 CFR Part 63 Subpart XX (EPA Method 8260) if the VOC on the process side of the exchanger is water soluble with a vapor pressure less than 0.1 psia.
  - B. Cooling tower water VOC concentrations above 0.08 ppmw indicate faulty equipment. Equipment shall be maintained so as to minimize VOC emissions into the cooling water.

Faulty equipment shall be repaired at the earliest opportunity but no later than the next scheduled shutdown of the process unit in which the leak occurs.

Emissions from the cooling tower are not authorized if the VOC concentration of the water returning to the cooling tower exceeds 0.8 ppmw. The VOC concentrations above 0.8 ppmw are not subject to extensions for delay of repair under this permit condition. The results of the monitoring and maintenance efforts shall be recorded.

9. The cooling tower (EPN PK-38) shall be operated and monitored in accordance with the following:
- A. Cooling towers shall each be equipped with drift eliminators having manufacturer's design assurance of 0.001% drift or less. Drift eliminators shall be maintained and inspected at least annually. The permit holder shall maintain records of all inspections and repairs.
  - B. Total dissolved solids (TDS) shall not exceed 2500 parts per million by weight (ppmw). Dissolved solids in the cooling water drift are considered to be emitted as PM, PM<sub>10</sub>, and PM<sub>2.5</sub> as represented in the permit application calculations.
  - C. Cooling towers shall be analyzed for particulate emissions using one of the following methods:
    - (1) Cooling water shall be sampled at least once per day for total dissolved solids (TDS); or
    - (2) TDS monitoring may be reduced to weekly if conductivity is monitored daily and TDS is calculated using a ratio of TDS-to-conductivity (in ppmw per  $\mu\text{mho/cm}$  or ppmw/siemens). The ratio of TDS-to-conductivity shall be determined by concurrently monitoring TDS and conductivity on a weekly basis. The permit holder may use the average of two consecutive TDS-to-conductivity ratios to calculate daily TDS; or
    - (3) TDS monitoring may be reduced to quarterly if conductivity is monitored daily and TDS is calculated using a correlation factor established for each cooling tower. The correlation factor shall be the average of nine consecutive weekly TDS-to-conductivity ratios determined using C(2) above provided the highest ratio is not more than 10% larger than the smallest ratio.
    - (4) The permit holder shall validate the TDS-to-conductivity correlation factor once each calendar quarter. If the ratio of concurrently sampled TDS and conductivity is more than 10% higher or lower than the established factor, the permit holder shall increase TDS monitoring to weekly until a new correlation factor can be established.
  - D. Cooling water sampling shall be representative of the cooling tower feed water and shall be conducted using approved methods.
    - (1) The analysis method for TDS shall be EPA Method 160.1, ASTM D5907, or SM 2540 C [SM – 19th edition of Standard Methods for Examination of Water]. Water samples should be capped upon collection, and transferred to a laboratory area for analysis.
    - (2) The analysis method for conductivity shall be either ASTM D1125-95A (field or routine laboratory testing) or ASTM D1125-95B (continuous monitor). The analysis may be conducted at the sample site or with a calibrated process conductivity meter. If a conductivity meter is used, it shall be calibrated at least annually. Documentation of the method and any associated calibration records shall be maintained.
    - (3) Alternate sampling and analysis methods may be used to comply with D(1) and D(2) with written approval from the TCEQ Regional Director.
    - (4) Records of all instrument calibrations and test results and process measurements used for the emission calculations shall be retained.

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- E. Emission rates for PM, PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> shall be calculated using the measured TDS and the ratio or correlation of TDS to conductivity measurements, the design drift rate and the daily maximum and average actual cooling water circulation rate for the short-term and annual average rates. Alternately, the design maximum circulation rate may be used for all calculations. Emission records shall be updated monthly.
- F. The actual cooling water circulation rate shall be measured at least hourly unless the design maximum circulation rate is used for calculations. Measurements shall be reduced to an hourly average and recorded for use in emission calculations.
- G. Loss of valid data due to periods of monitor breakdown, out-of-control operation (producing inaccurate data), repair, maintenance, or calibration may be exempted provided it does not exceed 5 percent of the time (in hours) that the cooling tower operated over the previous rolling 12-month period.

**Fugitive Emission Monitoring**

10. Piping, Valves, Flanges, Pumps, Agitators and Compressors in contact with VOC - 28VHP

Except as may be provided for in the special conditions of this permit, the following requirements apply to the above-referenced equipment.

- A. The requirements of paragraphs F and G shall not apply (1) where the VOC has an aggregate partial pressure or vapor pressure of less than 0.044 pound per square inch, absolute (psia) at 68°F or (2) operating pressure is at least 5 kilopascals (0.725 psi) below ambient pressure. Equipment excluded from this condition shall be identified in a list or by one of the methods described below to be made readily available upon request to be made available upon request.

The exempted components may be identified by one or more of the following methods:

- Piping and instrumentation diagram (PID);
  - A written or electronic database or electronic file;
  - Color coding;
  - A form of weatherproof identification; or
  - Designation of exempted process unit boundaries.
- B. Construction of new and reworked piping, valves, pump systems, and compressor systems shall conform to applicable American National Standards Institute (ANSI), American Petroleum Institute (API), American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), or equivalent codes.
  - C. New and reworked underground process pipelines shall contain no buried valves such that fugitive emission monitoring is rendered impractical. New and reworked buried connectors shall be welded.
  - D. To the extent that good engineering practice will permit, new and reworked valves and piping connections shall be so located to be reasonably accessible for leak-checking during plant operation. Difficult-to-monitor and unsafe-to-monitor valves, as defined by Title 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 115 (30 TAC Chapter 115), shall be identified in a list to be made readily available upon request. Difficult-to-monitor and unsafe-to-monitor valves may be identified by one or more of the methods described in Paragraph A above. If an unsafe-to-monitor component is not considered safe to monitor within a calendar year, then it shall be

monitored as soon as possible during safe-to-monitor times. A difficult-to-monitor component for which quarterly monitoring is specified, may instead be monitored annually.

- E. New and reworked piping connections shall be welded or flanged. Screwed connections are permissible only on piping smaller than two-inch diameter. Gas or hydraulic testing of the new and reworked piping connections at no less than operating pressure shall be performed prior to returning the components to service or they shall be monitored for leaks using an approved gas analyzer within 15 days of the components being returned to service. Adjustments shall be made as necessary to obtain leak-free performance. Connectors shall be inspected by visual, audible, and/or olfactory means at least weekly by operating personnel walk-through.

Each open-ended valve or line shall be equipped with an appropriately sized cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve to seal the line. Except during sampling, both valves shall be closed. If the isolation of equipment for hot work or the removal of a component for repair or replacement results in an open ended line or valve, it is exempt from the requirement to install a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve for 72 hours. If the repair or replacement is not completed within 72 hours, the permit holder must complete either of the following actions within that time period;

- (1) a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve; or
- (2) the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once for leaks above background for a plant or unit turnaround lasting up to 45 days with an approved gas analyzer and the results recorded. For all other situations, the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once by the of the 72 hours period following the creation of the open ended line and monthly thereafter with an approved gas analyzer and the results recorded. For turnarounds and all other situations, leaks are indicated by readings of 500 ppmv and must be repaired within 24-hours or a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve.

- F. Accessible valves shall be monitored by leak-checking for fugitive emissions at least quarterly using an approved gas analyzer. Sealless/leakless valves (including, but not limited to, welded bonnet bellows and diaphragm valves) and relief valves equipped with a rupture disc upstream or venting to a control device are not required to be monitored. If a relief valve is equipped with rupture disc, a pressure sensing device shall be installed between the relief valve and rupture disc to monitor disc integrity.

A check of the reading of the pressure-sensing device to verify disc integrity shall be performed at least quarterly and recorded in the unit log or equivalent. Pressure-sensing devices that are continuously monitored with alarms are exempt from recordkeeping requirements specified in this paragraph. All leaking discs shall be replaced at the earliest opportunity but no later than the next process shutdown.

The gas analyzer shall conform to requirements listed in Method 21 of 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A. The gas analyzer shall be calibrated with methane. In addition, the response factor of the instrument for a specific VOC of interest shall be determined and meet the requirements of Section 8 of Method 21. If a mixture of VOCs is monitored, the response factor shall be calculated for the average composition of the process fluid. A calculated average is not required when all of the compounds in the mixture have a response factor less than 10 using methane. If a response factor less than 10 cannot be achieved using methane, then the instrument may be calibrated with one of the VOC to be measured or any other VOC so long as the instrument has a response factor of less than 10 for each of the VOC to be measured.

Replacements for leaking components shall be re-monitored within 15 days of being placed back into VOC service.

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- G. Except as may be provided for in the special conditions of this permit, all pump, compressor and agitator seals shall be monitored with an approved gas analyzer at least quarterly or be equipped with a shaft sealing system that prevents or detects emissions of VOC from the seal. Seal systems designed and operated to prevent emissions or seals equipped with an automatic seal failure detection and alarm system need not be monitored. These seal systems may include (but are not limited to) dual pump seals with barrier fluid at higher pressure than process pressure, seals degassing to vent control systems kept in good working order, or seals equipped with an automatic seal failure detection and alarm system. Submerged pumps or sealless pumps (including, but not limited to, diaphragm, canned, or magnetic driven pumps) may be used to satisfy the requirements of this condition and need not be monitored.
- H. Damaged or leaking valves or flanges found to be emitting VOC in excess of 500 parts per million by volume (ppmv) or found by visual inspection to be leaking (e.g., dripping process fluids) shall be tagged and replaced or repaired. Damaged or leaking pump, compressor, and agitator seals found to be emitting VOC in excess of 2,000 ppmv or found by visual inspection to be leaking (e.g., dripping process fluids) shall be tagged and replaced or repaired. A first attempt to repair the leak must be made within 5 days and a record of the attempt shall be maintained.
- I. A leaking component shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but no later than 15 days after the leak is found. If the repair of a component would require a unit shutdown that would create more emissions than the repair would eliminate, the repair may be delayed until the next scheduled shutdown. All leaking components which cannot be repaired until a scheduled shutdown shall be identified for such repair by tagging within 15 days of the detection of the leak. A listing of all components that qualify for delay of repair shall be maintained on a delay of repair list. The cumulative daily emissions from all components on the delay of repair list shall be estimated by multiplying by 24 the mass emission rate for each component calculated in accordance with the instructions in 30 TAC 115.782 (c)(1)(B)(i)(II). The calculations of the cumulative daily emissions from all components on the delay of repair list shall be updated within ten days of when the latest leaking component is added to the delay of repair list. When the cumulative daily emission rate of all components on the delay of repair list times the number of days until the next scheduled unit shutdown is equal to or exceeds the total emissions from a unit shutdown as calculated in accordance with 30 TAC 115.782 (c)(1)(B)(i)(I), the TCEQ Regional Manager and any local programs shall be notified and may require early unit shutdown or other appropriate action based on the number and severity of tagged leaks awaiting shutdown. This notification shall be made within 15 days of making this determination.
- J. Records of repairs shall include date of repairs, repair results, justification for delay of repairs, and corrective actions taken for all components. Records of instrument monitoring shall indicate dates and times, test methods and instrument readings. The instrument monitoring record shall include the time that monitoring took place for no less than 95% of the instrument readings recorded. Records of physical inspections shall be noted in the operator's log or equivalent.
- K. Alternative monitoring frequency schedules of 30 TAC § 115.352 through § 115.359 and National Emission Standards for Organic Hazardous Air Pollutants, 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart H, may be used in lieu of Items F through G of this condition.
- L. Compliance with the requirements of this condition does not assure compliance with requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 115, an applicable New Source Performance Standard (NSPS), or an applicable National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAPS) and does not constitute approval of alternative standards for these regulations.

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11. Piping, Valves, Connectors, Pumps, Agitators and Compressors in Benzene Service - Intensive Directed Maintenance - 28MID

Except as may be provided for in the special conditions of this permit, the following requirements apply to the above-referenced equipment:

- A. The requirements of paragraphs F and G shall not apply (1) where the concentration of benzene in the stream is less than 5 percent by weight or (2) where the volatile organic compounds (VOC) has an aggregate partial pressure or vapor pressure of less than 0.044 pounds per square inch, absolute (psia) at 68°F or (3) operating pressure is at least 5 kilopascals (0.725 psi) below ambient pressure. Equipment excluded from this condition shall be identified in a list to be made available upon request.

The exempted components may be identified by one or more of the following methods:

- Piping and instrumentation diagram (PID);
  - A written or electronic database or electronic file;
  - Color coding;
  - A form of weatherproof identification; or
  - Designation of exempted process unit boundaries.
- B. Construction of new and reworked piping, valves, pump systems, agitators and compressor systems shall conform to applicable American National Standards Institute (ANSI), American Petroleum Institute (API), American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME), or equivalent codes.
- C. New and reworked underground process pipelines shall contain no buried valves such that fugitive emission monitoring is rendered impractical. New and reworked buried connectors shall be welded.
- D. To the extent that good engineering practice will permit, new and reworked valves and piping connections shall be so located to be reasonably accessible for leak-checking during plant operation. Difficult-to-monitor and unsafe-to-monitor valves, as defined by Title 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 115 (30 TAC Chapter 115), shall be identified in a list to be made available upon request. The difficult-to-monitor and unsafe-to-monitor valves may be identified by one or more of the methods described in Paragraph A above. If an unsafe to monitor component is not considered safe to monitor within a calendar year, then it shall be monitored as soon as possible during safe to monitor times. A difficult to monitor component for which quarterly monitoring is specified may instead be monitored annually.
- E. New and reworked piping connections shall be welded or flanged. Screwed connections are permissible only on piping smaller than two-inch diameter. Gas or hydraulic testing of the new and reworked piping connections at no less than operating pressure shall be performed prior to returning the components to service or they shall be monitored for leaks using an approved gas analyzer within 15 days of the components being returned to service. Adjustments shall be made as necessary to obtain leak-free performance. Connectors shall be inspected by visual, audible, and/or olfactory means at least weekly by operating personnel walk-through.

Each open-ended valve or line shall be equipped with an appropriately sized cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve to seal the line. Except during sampling, both valves shall be closed. If the isolation of equipment for hot work or the removal of a component for repair or replacement results in an open ended line or valve, it is exempt from the requirement to install a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve for 72 hours. If the repair or replacement is

not completed within 72 hours, the permit holder must complete either of the following actions within that time period;

- (1) a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve; or
- (2) the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once for leaks above background for a plant or unit turnaround lasting up to 45 days with an approved gas analyzer and the results recorded. For all other situations, the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once by the end of the 72 hours period following the creation of the open ended line and monthly thereafter with an approved gas analyzer and the results recorded. For turnarounds and all other situations, leaks are indicated by readings of 500 ppmv and must be repaired within 24 hours or a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve.

- F. Accessible valves shall be monitored by leak-checking for fugitive emissions at least quarterly using an approved gas analyzer with a directed maintenance program. Sealless/leakless valves (including, but not limited to, welded bonnet bellows and diaphragm valves) and relief valves equipped with a rupture disc upstream or venting to a control device are not required to be monitored. For valves equipped with rupture discs, a pressure-sensing device shall be installed between the relief valve and rupture disc to monitor disc integrity. All leaking discs shall be replaced at the earliest opportunity but no later than the next process shutdown.

A check of the reading of the pressure-sensing device to verify disc integrity shall be performed at least quarterly and recorded in the unit log or equivalent. Pressure-sensing devices that are continuously monitored with alarms are exempt from recordkeeping requirements specified in this paragraph.

An approved gas analyzer shall conform to requirements listed in Method 21 of 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix A. The gas analyzer shall be calibrated with methane. In addition, the response factor of the instrument for a specific VOC of interest shall be determined and meet the requirements of Section 8 of Method 21. If a mixture of VOCs is being monitored, the response factor shall be calculated for the average composition of the process fluid. A calculated average is not required when all of the compounds in the mixture have a response factor less than 10 using methane. If a response factor less than 10 cannot be achieved using methane, then the instrument may be calibrated with one of the VOC to be measured or any other VOC so long as the instrument has a response factor of less than 10 for each of the VOC to be measured.

A directed maintenance program shall consist of the repair and maintenance of components assisted simultaneously by the use of an approved gas analyzer such that a minimum concentration of leaking VOC is obtained for each component being maintained. A first attempt to repair the leak must be made within 5 days. Records of the first attempt to repair shall be maintained. Replaced components shall be re-monitored within 15 days of being placed back into VOC service.

- G. All new and replacement pumps, compressors and agitators shall be equipped with a shaft sealing system that prevents or detects emissions of VOC from the seal. These seal systems need not be monitored and may include (but are not limited to) dual pump seals with barrier fluid at higher pressure than process pressure, seals degassing to vent control systems kept in good working order, or seals equipped with an automatic seal failure detection and alarm system. Submerged pumps or sealless pumps (including, but not limited to, diaphragm, canned, or magnetic-driven pumps) may be used to satisfy the requirements of this condition and need not be monitored.

All other pump and compressor seals emitting VOC shall be monitored with an approved gas analyzer at least quarterly.

- H. Damaged or leaking valves, connectors, compressor seals, pump seals and agitator seals found to be emitting VOC in excess of 500 parts per million by volume (ppmv) or found by visual inspection to be leaking (e.g., dripping process fluids) shall be tagged and replaced or repaired. A leaking component shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but no later than 15 days after the leak is found. If the repair of a component would require a unit shutdown, the repair may be delayed until the next scheduled shutdown. All leaking components which cannot be repaired until a scheduled shutdown shall be identified for such repair by tagging. A listing of all components that qualify for delay of repair shall be maintained on a delay of repair list. The cumulative daily emissions from all components on the delay of repair list shall be estimated by multiplying by 24 the mass emission rate for each component calculated in accordance with the instructions in 30 TAC 115.782 (c)(1)(B)(i)(II). The calculations of the cumulative daily emissions from all components on the delay of repair list shall be updated within ten days of when the latest leaking component is added to the delay of repair list. When the cumulative daily emission rate of all components on the delay of repair list times the number of days until the next scheduled unit shutdown is equal to or exceeds the total emissions from a unit shutdown as calculated in accordance with 30 TAC 115.782 (c)(1)(B)(i)(I), the TCEQ Regional Manager and any local programs shall be notified and may require early unit shutdown or other appropriate action based on the number and severity of tagged leaks awaiting shutdown. This notification shall be made within 15 days of making this determination.
- I. In lieu of the monitoring frequency specified in paragraph F, valves in gas and light liquid service may be monitored on a semiannual basis if the percent of valves leaking for two consecutive quarterly monitoring periods is less than 0.5 percent.
- Valves in gas and light liquid service may be monitored on an annual basis if the percent of valves leaking for two consecutive semiannual monitoring periods is less than 0.5 percent.
- If the percent of valves leaking for any semiannual or annual monitoring period is 0.5 percent or greater, the facility shall revert to quarterly monitoring until the facility again qualifies for the alternative monitoring schedules previously outlined in this paragraph.
- J. The percent of valves leaking used in paragraph I shall be determined using the following formula:
- $$(Vl + Vs) \times 100/Vt = Vp$$
- Where:
- Vl = the number of valves found leaking by the end of the monitoring period, either by Method 21 or sight, sound, and smell.
- Vs = the number of valves for which repair has been delayed and are listed on the facility shutdown log.
- Vt = the total number of valves in the facility subject to the monitoring requirements, as of the last day of the monitoring period, not including nonaccessible and unsafe-to-monitor valves.
- Vp = the percentage of leaking valves for the monitoring period.
- K. Records of repairs shall include date of repairs, repair results, justification for delay of repairs, and corrective actions take for all components. Records of instrument monitoring shall indicate dates and times, test methods, and instrument readings. The instrument monitoring record shall include the time that monitoring took place for no less than 95% of the instrument readings recorded. Records of physical inspections shall be noted in the operator's log or equivalent.

- L. Compliance with the requirements of this condition does not assure compliance with requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 115, an applicable New Source Performance Standard, or an applicable National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants and does not constitute approval of alternative standards for these regulations.

12. Connector Monitoring - 28CNTA

In addition to the weekly physical inspection required by Item E of Special Condition 10, all connectors in gas/vapor and light liquid service with a dimethyl sulfide concentration greater than 1 weight percent shall be monitored annually with an approved gas analyzer in accordance with Items F thru J of Special Condition 10. Alternative monitoring frequency schedules ("skip options") of Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations Part 63, Subpart H, National Emission Standards for Organic Hazardous Air Pollutants for Equipment Leaks, may be used in lieu of the monitoring frequency required by this permit condition. Compliance with this condition does not assure compliance with requirements of applicable state or federal regulation and does not constitute approval of alternative standards for these regulations.

13. Piping, Valves, Pumps, and Compressors in Ammonia Service - 28AVO

Except as may be provided for in the Special Conditions of this permit, the following requirements apply to the above-referenced equipment:

- A. Audio, olfactory, and visual checks for leaks within the operating area shall be made during every shift.
- B. Immediately, but no later than one hour upon detection of a leak, plant personnel shall take the following actions:
  - (1) Isolate the leak.
  - (2) Commence repair or replacement of the leaking component.
  - (3) Use a leak collection/containment system to prevent the leak until repair or replacement can be made if immediate repair is not possible.

Date and time of each inspection shall be noted in the operator's log or equivalent. Records shall be maintained at the plant site of all repairs and replacements made due to leaks. These records shall be made available to representatives of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) upon request.

- 14. Safety relief valves that discharge to the atmosphere must be equipped with a rupture disc upstream. A pressure gauge shall be installed between the relief valve and rupture disc to monitor disc integrity. All leaking discs shall be replaced at the earliest opportunity but no later than the next process shutdown. The following valves are exempt from the requirements to install a rupture disc and pressure gauge as required by this special condition.

Valve No.	Valve No.	Valve No.	Valve No.	Valve No.	Valve No.	Valve No.
44	45	66	394	90	91	107
108	109	110	111	112	113	128
129	143	156	144	148	145	154
146	150	147	161	151	160	153
164	155	159	157	163	158	162

191	192	193	212	217	283	284
293	294	308	309	315	388	318
385	607	571	608	572	478	479
488	493	489	490	491	492	494
495	397	486	487	579	580	624
626	628	629	579			

**Heaters**

15. The Flare (EPNs PK-16 and PK-16M) pilots and assist natural gas and Ethylene Cracking Heaters shall be fired with natural gas containing no more than 0.5 grains of total sulfur per 100 dry standard cubic feet (dscf) and/or plant fuel gas (process waste gas streams) containing no more than 10 grains of total sulfur per 100 dscf. **(TBD)**
16. The natural gas and fuel gas shall be sampled every 6 months to determine total sulfur and net heating value. Test results from the fuel supplier may be used to satisfy this requirement. Records shall be kept on a 2-yr rolling basis and shall be made available to the personnel from TCEQ, EPA and any local program having jurisdiction.
17. Ethylene Cracking Heaters shall operate according to the following conditions:
  - A. The Ethylene Cracking Heaters (EPNs PK-1 through PK-6, PK-9 through PK-11) shall have maximum hourly firing rate of 220 MMBtu/hr. These heaters shall achieve the following emission rates during normal operations:
    - 0.085 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (based on HHV of fuel) on an hourly basis, and
    - 0.078 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (based on HHV of fuel) on an annual average basis
    - 0.06 lb CO/MMBtu (HHV) on an hourly and annual average basis
  - B. The Ethylene Cracking Heater (EPN PK-12) shall have the maximum hourly firing rate of 190 MMBtu/hr and it shall be equipped with Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR) system to achieve the following emission rates in the exhaust of the SCR, during normal operations:
    - 0.011 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (based on HHV of the fuel) on an hourly basis and, 0.010 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (HHV) on an annual average basis,
    - 0.03 lb CO/MMBtu, or 50 ppmvd CO, corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub>, on an hourly and annual average basis,
    - 0.004 lb NH<sub>3</sub>/MMBtu, or 10 ppmvd NH<sub>3</sub> corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub>, on an hourly and annual average basis.
  - C. The Ethylene Cracking Heater (EPN PK-14) shall have the maximum hourly firing rate of 231 MMBtu/hr. This heater shall achieve the following emission rates during normal operations:
    - 0.10 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (based on HHV of fuel) on an hourly basis, and
    - 0.070 lb NO<sub>x</sub>/MMBtu (HHV) on an annual average basis
    - 0.06 lb CO/MMBtu (HHV) on an hourly and annual basis
  - D. For cracking heaters, during low firing mode (operating at firing rates that are no more than 66 MMBtu/hr for EPNs PK-1 through PK-6, PK-9 through PK-11, no more than 79 MMBtu/hr for EPN PK-12, and no more than 70 MMBtu/hr for EPN PK-14), the heat based (lb/MMBtu)

emission limits for NO<sub>x</sub> and CO as stated in Parts A, B and C above, do not apply. The lb/hr and ton per year (tpy) emission rate limits stated on the maximum allowable emission rates table (MAERT) shall not be exceeded for any heater under any operating conditions.

### Ongoing Determination of Compliance

18. The permit holder shall perform stack sampling and other testing as required to establish the actual pattern and quantities of air contaminants being emitted into the atmosphere from Cracking Heaters; BA-106 (EPN PK-9), BA-109 (EPN PK-12) and BA-99 (EPN PK-14) to demonstrate compliance with the MAERT. The permit holder is responsible for providing sampling and testing facilities and conducting the sampling and testing operations at his expense.

Sampling shall be conducted in accordance with the appropriate procedures of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) Sampling Procedures Manual and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Reference Methods. (The Cracking Heater BA-106 was tested on April 29, 1997. The Cracking Heater BA-99 was tested on November 19, 1997. (Test reports were submitted to the TCEQ Regional Office)

Requests to waive testing for any pollutant specified in this condition shall be submitted to the TCEQ Office of Air, Air Permits Division. Test waivers and alternate/equivalent procedure proposals for Title 40 Code of Federal Regulation Part 60 (40 CFR Part 60) testing which must have EPA approval shall be submitted to the TCEQ Regional Director.

- A. The appropriate TCEQ Regional Office in the region where the source is located shall be contacted as soon as testing is scheduled but not less than 45 days prior to sampling to schedule a pretest meeting.

The notice shall include:

- (1) Proposed date for pretest meeting.
- (2) Date sampling will occur.
- (3) Name of firm conducting sampling.
- (4) Type of sampling equipment to be used.
- (5) Method or procedure to be used in sampling.
- (6) Description of any proposed deviation from the sampling procedures specified in this permit or TCEQ/EPA sampling procedures.
- (7) Procedure/parameters to be used to determine worst case emissions during the sampling period.

The purpose of the pretest meeting is to review the necessary sampling and testing procedures, to provide the proper data forms for recording pertinent data, and to review the format procedures for submitting the test reports. The TCEQ Regional Director must approve any deviation from specified sampling procedures.

- B. Air contaminants emitted from the Cracking Heaters BA-106 (EPN PK-9) and BA-99 (EPN PK-14) to be tested for include (but are not limited to) PM, NO<sub>x</sub>, and CO. Air contaminants emitted from the Cracking Heater BA-109 (EPN PK-12) to be tested for include (but are not limited to) PM, NO<sub>x</sub>, CO, and ammonia. Testing for PM is only required on EPN PK-9 and PK-12.

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- C. Sampling shall occur within 60 days after achieving the maximum operating rate, but no later than 180 days after initial start-up of the facilities and at such other times as may be required by the Executive Director of the TCEQ. Requests for additional time to perform sampling shall be submitted to the TCEQ Regional Office. Requests for additional time to perform sampling shall be submitted to the appropriate TCEQ Regional Office.
  - D. The plant shall operate at maximum production rates during stack emission testing. Primary operating parameters that enable determination of production rate shall be monitored and recorded during the stack test. These parameters are to be determined at the pretest meeting. If the plant is unable to operate at maximum rates during testing, then future production rates shall be limited to the rates established during testing. Additional stack testing shall be performed within 120 days when higher production rates are achieved. This sampling may be waived by the TCEQ Air Section Manager for the region.
  - E. Copies of the final sampling report shall be forwarded to the offices below within 60 days after sampling is completed. Sampling reports shall comply with the attached provisions entitled "Chapter 14, Contents of Sampling Reports" of the TCEQ Sampling Procedures Manual". The reports shall be distributed as follows:
    - One copy to the appropriate TCEQ Regional Office
    - One copy to each local air pollution control program.
  - F. Sampling ports and platform(s) shall be incorporated into the design of the cracking heaters according to the specifications set forth in the attachment entitled "Chapter 2, Stack Sampling Facilities" of the TCEQ Sampling Procedures Manual. Alternate sampling facility designs must be submitted for approval to the TCEQ Regional Director.
19. The permit holder shall install, calibrate, and maintain a continuous emission monitoring system (CEMS) to measure and record the in-stack concentration of NO<sub>x</sub>, CO, and O<sub>2</sub> from all the Cracking Heaters. In addition, the permit holder shall install, calibrate and maintain a continuous emission monitoring system (CEMS) to measure and record the in- stack concentration of ammonia from the Ethylene Cracking Heater (EPN PK-12).
- A. The CEMS shall meet the design and performance specifications, pass the field tests, and meet the installation requirements and the data analysis and reporting requirements specified in the applicable Performance Specification Nos. 1 through 9, 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix B. If there are no applicable performance specifications in 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix B, contact the TCEQ Office of Air, Air Permits Division for requirements to be met.
  - B. Section 1 below applies to sources subject to the quality-assurance requirements of 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix F; Section 2 applies to all other sources, except Section 3 applies to Tunable Diode Laser Spectrometer (TDLS) ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>) CEMS:
    - (1) The permit holder shall assure that the CEMS meets the applicable quality-assurance requirements specified in 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix F, Procedure 1. Relative accuracy exceedances, as specified in 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix F, Section 5.2.3 and any CEMS downtime shall be reported to the appropriate TCEQ Regional Manager, and necessary corrective action shall be taken. Supplemental stack concentration measurements may be required at the discretion of the appropriate TCEQ Regional Manager.
    - (2) The NO<sub>x</sub>, CO, and O<sub>2</sub> monitoring systems shall be zeroed and spanned daily, and corrective action taken when the 24-hour span drift exceeds two times the amounts specified in the applicable Performance Specification Nos. 1 through 9, 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix B, or as specified by the TCEQ if not specified in Appendix B. Zero and

span is not required on weekends and plant holidays if instrument technicians are not normally scheduled on those days. **(7/24)**

Each monitor shall be quality-assured at least quarterly using Cylinder Gas Audits (CGA) in accordance with 40 CFR Part 60, Appendix F, Procedure 1, Section 5.1.2, with the following exception: a relative accuracy test audit (RATA) is not required once every four quarters (i.e., four successive quarterly CGA may be conducted). An equivalent quality-assurance method approved by the TCEQ may also be used. Successive quarterly audits shall occur no closer than two months.

All CGA exceedances of +15 percent accuracy indicate that the CEMS is out of control.

- (3) The TDLS NH<sub>3</sub> CEMS on Ethylene Cracking Heater (EPN PK-12) must conduct a relative accuracy test audit (RATA) and a 7-day drift test before use for compliance demonstration. The CEMS shall be installed, operated, and maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. The "Continuous Emission Monitoring System Quality Assurance Program" provided in TCEQ NSR Project No. 369864 shall be maintained and followed, with corrective action taken when a monthly or quarterly calibration validation indicates the instrument does not meet  $\pm 15$  percent accuracy. The instrument shall be considered out of control from the time the measurement is made that indicates the instrument is out of control until a calibration validation indicates compliance with the  $\pm 15$  percent accuracy requirement. Calibration validation shall occur at least monthly using the lower single point spike check and quarterly using the 2 different spike concentrations. "Dry basis" concentrations using process knowledge (which includes fuel feed composition) will be used in place of "wet basis" concentrations since the analyzer is path-based. **(7/24)**
- C. The permit holder shall install and operate a fuel flow meter to measure the gas fuel usage and an estimated composition and heating value in accordance with the representations and the DCS Ammonia Calculation workbook provided in TCEQ NSR Project No. 369864 for all heaters. The monitoring data shall be reduced to an hourly average flow rate at least once every day, using a minimum of four equally-spaced data points from each one-hour period. Each monitoring device shall be calibrated at a frequency in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications or at least annually, whichever is more frequent, and shall be accurate to within 5 percent. In lieu of monitoring fuel flow, the permit holder may monitor stack exhaust flow using the flow monitoring specifications of 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 60, Appendix B, Performance Specification 6 or 40 CFR Part 75, Appendix A. **(7/24)**
- D. The monitoring data shall be reduced to 15 minute average concentrations at least once every day, using a minimum of four equally-spaced data points from each one-hour period. The individual average concentrations shall be reduced to units of pounds per hour at least once every week as follows:
- The measured 15 minute average concentration from the CEMS shall be multiplied by the firing rate, which is the fuel flow, in pounds per hour, times the fuel heating value in BTU per hour. 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 19, Equation 19-1 will be used to determine the hourly emission rate.
- E. All monitoring data and quality-assurance data shall be maintained by the source. The data from the CEMS may, at the discretion of the TCEQ, be used to determine compliance with the conditions of this permit.
- F. The appropriate regional office shall be notified at least 30 days prior to any required RATA in order to provide them the opportunity to observe the testing.

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- G. Quality assured (or valid) data must be generated when the CEMS from the Cracking Heaters authorized in this permit are operating except during the performance of a daily zero and span check. Loss of valid data due to periods of monitor break down, out-of-control operation (producing inaccurate data), repair, maintenance, or calibration may be exempted provided it does not exceed 5 percent of the time (in minutes) that the corresponding Cracking Heater is operated over the previous rolling 12 month period. The measurements missed shall be estimated using engineering judgement and the methods used recorded. Options to increase system reliability to an acceptable value, including a redundant CEMS, may be required by the TCEQ Regional Manager.
20. As an approved alternative to ammonia CEMS for Heater PK-12, the ammonia slip may be measured using a sorbent or stain tube device specific for ammonia measurement. The frequency of sorbent or stain tube testing shall be daily for the first 60 days of operation, after which the frequency may be reduced to weekly testing if operating procedures have been developed to prevent excess amounts of ammonia from being introduced in the SCR unit and when operation of the SCR unit has been proven successful with regard to controlling ammonia slip.
21. The Light Aromatic Distillate tank (EPN PKA-8A) is authorized to store Heavy Aromatic Distillate and the Heavy Aromatic Distillate storage tank (EPN PKA-8B) is authorized to store Light Aromatic Distillate during tank maintenance activities.

**Maintenance, Startup, and Shutdown**

22. Planned startup and shutdown emissions due to the activities identified in Special Condition No. 23 are authorized provided the facilities and emissions are compliant with the MAERT and special conditions.
23. This permit authorizes emissions for the planned maintenance, startup, and shutdown (MSS) activities summarized in the MSS Activity Summary (Attachment B) attached to this permit.

Routine maintenance activities, as identified in Attachment A, may be tracked through the work orders or equivalent. Emissions from activities identified in Attachment A shall be calculated using the number of work orders or equivalent that month and the emissions associated with that activity identified in the permit amendment application dated January 7, 2008 and subsequent amendments. In lieu of using the emissions identified in the permit application, dated January 7, 2008 and subsequent amendments, the permit holder may record the information identified in paragraphs A through D below.

The performance of each planned MSS activity not identified in Attachment A and the emissions associated with it shall be recorded and include at least the following information:

- A. the process unit at which emissions from the MSS activity occurred, including the emission point number and common name of the process unit;
- B. the type of planned MSS activity and the reason for the planned activity;
- C. the common name and the facility identification number, if applicable, of the facilities at which the MSS activity and emissions occurred;
- D. the date and time of the MSS activity and its duration;
- E. the estimated quantity of each air contaminant, or mixture of air contaminants, emitted with the data and methods used to determine it. The emissions shall be estimated using the methods identified in the permit application, consistent with good engineering practice.

All MSS emissions shall be summed monthly and the rolling 12-month emissions shall be updated on a monthly basis.

24. Process units and facilities, with the exception of those identified in Special Condition Nos. 27 relating to Floating Roof Storage Tanks, 28 relating to Fixed Roof Storage Tanks, and 30 relating to Frac or Temporary Storage Tanks shall be depressurized, emptied, degassed, and placed in service in accordance with the following requirements.
- A. The process equipment shall be depressurized to a control device or a controlled recovery system prior to venting to atmosphere, degassing, or draining of material. Equipment that only contains material that is liquid with a VOC True Vapor Pressure (TVP) less than 0.50 psia at the normal process temperature and 95°F may be opened to atmosphere and drained in accordance with Paragraph C of this special condition. The vapor pressure at 95°F may be used if the actual temperature of the liquid is verified to be less than 95°F and the temperature is recorded.
  - B. If mixed phase materials must be removed from process equipment, the cleared material shall be routed to a knockout drum or equivalent to allow for managed initial phase separation. If the VOC TVP is greater than 0.50 psia at either the normal process temperature or 95°F, any vents in the system must be routed to a control device or a controlled recovery system. The vapor pressure at 95°F may be used if the actual temperature of the liquid is verified to be less than 95°F and the temperature is recorded. Control must remain in place until degassing has been completed or the system is no longer vented to atmosphere.
  - C. All liquids from process equipment or storage vessels must be removed to the maximum extent practical prior to opening equipment to commence degassing and/or maintenance. Liquids must be drained into a closed vessel or controlled wastewater system, unless prevented by the physical configuration of the equipment. If it is necessary to drain liquid into an open pan or sump, the liquid must be covered or transferred to a covered vessel within one hour of being drained.
  - D. If the VOC TVP is greater than 0.50 psia at the normal process temperature or 95°F, facilities shall be degassed using good engineering practice to ensure air contaminants are removed from the system through the control device or controlled recovery system to the extent allowed by process equipment or storage vessel design. The vapor pressure at 95°F may be used if the actual temperature of the liquid is verified to be less than 95°F and the temperature is recorded. The facilities to be degassed shall not be vented directly to atmosphere, except as necessary to establish isolation of the work area or to monitor VOC concentration following controlled depressurization. The venting shall be minimized to the maximum extent practicable and actions taken recorded. The control device or recovery system utilized shall be recorded with the estimated emissions from controlled and uncontrolled degassing calculated using the methods that were used to determine allowable emissions for the permit application.
    - (1) For MSS activities identified in Attachment A, the following option may be used in lieu of (2) below. The facilities being prepared for maintenance shall not be vented directly to atmosphere, until the VOC concentration has been verified to be less than 10 percent of the lower explosive limit (LEL) per the site safety procedures.

- (2) The locations and/or identifiers where the purge gas or steam enters the process equipment or storage vessel and the exit points for the exhaust gases shall be recorded (process flow diagrams [PFDs] or piping and instrumentation diagrams [PIDs] may be used to demonstrate compliance with the requirement). If the process equipment is purged with a gas, two system volumes of purge gas must have passed through the control device or controlled recovery system before the vent stream may be sampled to verify acceptable VOC concentration prior to uncontrolled venting. The VOC sampling and analysis shall be performed using an instrument meeting the requirements of Special Condition No. 25. The sampling point shall be upstream of the inlet to the control device or controlled recovery system. The sample ports and the collection system must be designed and operated such that there is no air leakage into the sample probe or the collection system downstream of the process equipment or vessel being purged. If there is not a connection (such as a sample, vent, or drain valve) available from which a representative sample may be obtained, a sample may be taken upon entry into the system after degassing has been completed. The sample shall be taken from inside the vessel so as to minimize any air or dilution from the entry point. The facilities shall be degassed to a control device or controlled recovery system until the VOC concentration is less than 10,000 ppmv or 10 percent of the LEL. Documented site procedures used to de-inventory equipment to a control device for safety purposes (i.e., hot work or vessel entry procedures) that achieve at least the same level of purging may be used in lieu of the above.

E. Gases and vapors with VOC TVP greater than 0.50 psia may be vented directly to atmosphere if all the following criteria are met:

- (1) It is not technically practicable to depressurize or degas, as applicable, into the process.
- (2) There is not an available connection to a plant control system (flare).
- (3) There is no more than 50 lb of air contaminant to be vented to atmosphere during shutdown or startup of a piece of equipment, as applicable.

All instances of venting directly to atmosphere per Special Condition 24E must be documented when occurring as part of any MSS activity. The emissions associated with venting without control must be included in the work order or equivalent for those MSS activities identified in Attachment A.

25. Air contaminant concentration shall be measured using an instrument/detector meeting one set of requirements specified below.

A. VOC concentration shall be measured using an instrument meeting all the requirements specified in EPA Method 21 (40 CFR 60, Appendix A) with the following exceptions:

- (1) The instrument shall be calibrated within 24 hours of use with a calibration gas such that the response factor (RF) of the VOC (or mixture of VOCs) to be monitored shall be less than 2.0. The calibration gas and the gas to be measured, and its approximate RF shall be recorded. If the RF of the VOC (or mixture of VOCs) to be monitored is greater than 2.0, the VOC concentration shall be determined as follows:

VOC Concentration = Concentration as read from the instrument\*RF

In no case should a calibration gas be used such that the RF of the VOC (or mixture of VOCs) to be monitored is greater than 5.0.

- (2) Sampling shall be performed as directed by this permit in lieu of section 8.3 of Method 21. During sampling, data recording shall not begin until after two times the instrument

response time. The date and time shall be recorded, and VOC concentration shall be monitored for at least 5 minutes, recording VOC concentration each minute. As an alternative the VOC concentration may be monitored over a five-minute period with an instrument designed to continuously measure concentration and record the highest concentration read. The highest measured VOC concentration shall be recorded and shall not exceed the specified VOC concentration limit prior to uncontrolled venting.

B. Colorimetric gas detector tubes may be used to determine air contaminant concentrations if they are used in accordance with the following requirements.

- (1) The air contaminant concentration measured as defined in (3) is less than 80 percent of the range of the tube and is at least 20 percent of the maximum range of the tube.
- (2) The tube is used in accordance with the manufacturer's guidelines.
- (3) At least 2 samples taken at least 5 minutes apart must satisfy the following prior to uncontrolled venting:

measured contaminant concentration (ppmv) < release concentration.

Where the release concentration is:

10,000\*mole fraction of the total air contaminants present that can be detected by the tube.

The mole fraction may be estimated based on process knowledge. The release concentration and basis for its determination shall be recorded.

Records shall be maintained of the tube type, range, measured concentrations, and time the samples were taken.

C. Lower explosive limit measured with a lower explosive limit detector.

- (1) The detector shall be calibrated within 30 days of use with a certified pentane gas standard at 25% of the lower explosive limit (LEL) for pentane. Records of the calibration date/time and calibration result (pass/fail) shall be maintained.
- (2) A functionality test shall be performed on each detector within 24 hours of use with a certified gas standard at 25% of the LEL for pentane. The LEL monitor shall read no lower than 90% of the calibration gas certified value. Records, including the date/time and test results, shall be maintained.
- (3) A certified methane gas standard equivalent to 58% of the LEL for pentane may be used for calibration and functionality tests provided that the LEL response is within 95% of that for pentane.

26. This condition applies only to piping and components subject to leak detection and repair monitoring requirements identified in other NSR permits. Each open-ended valve or line shall be equipped with an appropriately sized cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve to seal the line. Except during sampling, both valves shall be closed. If the isolation of equipment for hot work or the removal of a component for repair or replacement results in an open-ended line or valve, it is exempt from the requirement to install a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve for 72 hours. If the repair or replacement is not completed within 72 hours, the permit holder must complete either of the following actions within that time period:

- A. a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve; or
- B. the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once for leaks above background for a plant or unit turnaround lasting up to 45 days with an approved gas analyzer and the results

recorded. For all other situations, the open-ended valve or line shall be monitored once by the end of the 72 hours period following the creation of the open-ended line and monthly thereafter with an approved gas analyzer and the results recorded. For turnarounds and all other situations, leaks are indicated by readings of 500 ppmv and must be repaired within 24 hours or a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve must be installed on the line or valve.

27. This permit authorizes emissions from floating roof storage tanks (EPNs PKA-8A, and PKA-8B) during planned floating roof landings. Except for periods in which the tank vapor space is routed to a control device meeting the requirements of Special Condition No. 33, tank roofs may only be landed for changes of tank service or tank inspection/maintenance as identified in the permit application dated January 7, 2008. Tank roof landings include all operations when the tank floating roof is on its supporting legs. These emissions are subject to the maximum allowable emission rates indicated on the MAERT. The following requirements apply to tank roof landings.

Tank roofs may only be landed for changes of tank service or tank inspection/maintenance as identified in the permit application. Emissions from change of service tank landings, for which the tank is not cleaned and degassed, shall not exceed 10 tons of VOC in any rolling 12 month period. Tank roof landings include all operations when the tank floating roof is on its supporting legs. These emissions are subject to the maximum allowable emission rates indicated on the MAERT. The following requirements apply to tank roof landings.

- A. The tank liquid level shall be continuously lowered after the tank floating roof initially lands on its supporting legs until the tank has been drained to the maximum extent practicable without entering the tank. Liquid level may be maintained steady for a period of up to two hours if necessary to allow for valve lineups and pump changes necessary to drain the tank. This requirement does not apply where the vapor under a floating roof is routed to control during this process.
- B. If the VOC TVP of the liquid previously stored in the tank is greater than 0.50 psia at 95°F, tank refilling or degassing of the vapor space under the landed floating roof must begin within 48 hours after the tank has been drained unless the vapor under the floating roof is routed to control or a controlled recovery system during this period. The tank shall not be opened except as necessary to set up for degassing and cleaning. Floating roof tanks with liquid capacities less than 100,000 gallons may be degassed without control if the VOC TVP of the standing liquid in the tank has been reduced to less than 0.02 psia prior to ventilating the tank. Controlled degassing of the vapor space under landed roofs shall be completed as follows:
- (1) Any gas or vapor removed from the vapor space under the floating roof must be routed to a control device or a controlled recovery system and controlled degassing must be maintained until the VOC concentration is less than 10,000 ppmv, or 10 percent of LEL. The locations and identifiers of vents other than permanent roof fittings and seals, control device or controlled recovery system, and controlled exhaust stream shall be recorded. There shall be no other gas/vapor flow out of the vapor space under the floating roof when degassing to the control device or controlled recovery system.
  - (2) The vapor space under the floating roof shall be vented using good engineering practice to ensure air contaminants are flushed out of the tank through the control device or controlled recovery system to the extent allowed by the storage tank design.
  - (3) A volume of purge gas equivalent to twice the volume of the vapor space under the floating roof must have passed through the control device or into a controlled recovery system, before the vent stream may be sampled to verify acceptable VOC concentration. The measurement of purge gas volume shall not include any make-up

air introduced into the control device or recovery system. The VOC sampling and analysis shall be performed as specified in Special Condition 25.

- (4) The sampling point shall be upstream of the inlet to the control device or controlled recovery system. The sample ports and the collection system must be designed and operated such that there is no air leakage into the sample probe or the collection system downstream of the process equipment or vessel being purged.
  - (5) Degassing must be performed every 24 hours unless there is no standing liquid in the tank or the VOC TVP of the remaining liquid in the tank is less than 0.15 psia.
- C. The tank shall not be opened or ventilated without control, except as allowed below, until one of the criteria in Part D of this condition is satisfied.
- Minimize air circulation in the tank vapor space.
- (1) One man-way may be opened to allow access to the tank to remove or de-volatize the remaining liquid. Other man-ways or access points may be opened as necessary to remove or de-volatize the remaining liquid. Wind barriers shall be installed at all open man-ways and access points to minimize air flow through the tank.
  - (2) Access points shall be closed when not in use.
- D. The tank may be opened without restriction and ventilated without control, after all standing liquid has been removed from the tank or the liquid remaining in the tank has a VOC TVP less than 0.02 psia. These criteria shall be demonstrated in any one of the following ways:
- (1) A low VOC TVP liquid, that is soluble with the liquid previously stored, may be added to the tank to lower the VOC TVP of the liquid mixture remaining in the tank to less than 0.02 psia. This liquid shall be added during tank degassing if practicable. The estimated volume of the liquid remaining in the drained tank and the volume and type of liquid added shall be recorded. The liquid VOC partial pressure may be estimated based on this information and engineering calculations.
  - (2) If water is added or sprayed into the tank to remove standing VOC, one of the following must be demonstrated:
    - (a) Take a representative sample of the liquid remaining in the tank and verify no visible sheen using the static sheen test from 40 CFR 435 Subpart A, Appendix 1.
    - (b) Take a representative sample of the liquid remaining in the tank and verify hexane soluble VOC concentration is less than 1000 ppmw using EPA method 1664 (may also use 8260B or 5030 with 8015 from SW-846).
    - (c) Stop ventilation and close the tank for at least 24 hours. When the tank man-way is opened after this period, verify VOC concentration is less than 1000 ppmv through the procedure in Special Condition 25.
  - (3) No standing liquid verified through visual inspection.
- The permit holder shall maintain records to document the method used to release the tank.
- E. Tanks shall be refilled as rapidly as practicable until the roof is off its legs with the following exception:
- (1) Only one tank with a landed floating roof can be filled at any time at a rate not to exceed 3500 gallons/hr.

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- (2) The vapor space below the tank roof is directed to a control device when the tank is refilled until the roof is floating on the liquid. The control device used and the method and locations used to connect the control device shall be recorded. All vents from the tank being filled must exit through the control device.
  - F. The occurrence of each roof landing and the associated emissions shall be recorded and the rolling 12-month tank roof landing emissions shall be updated on a monthly basis. These records shall include at least the following information:
    - (1) The identification of the tank and emission point number, and any control devices or recovery systems used to reduce emissions;
    - (2) The reason for the tank roof landing;
    - (3) For the purpose of estimating emissions, the date, time, and other information specified for each of the following events:
      - (a) the roof was initially landed,
      - (b) all liquid was pumped from the tank to the extent practical,
      - (c) start and completion of controlled degassing, and volumetric flow,
      - (d) all standing liquid was removed from the tank or any transfers of low VOC true vapor pressure liquid to or from the tank including volumes and vapor pressures to reduce tank liquid VOC true vapor pressure to <0.02 psia,
      - (e) if there is liquid in the tank, VOC TVP of liquid, start and completion of uncontrolled degassing, and total volumetric flow,
      - (f) refilling commenced, liquid filling the tank, and the volume necessary to float the roof, and
      - (g) tank roof off supporting legs, floating on liquid.
    - (4) The estimated quantity of each air contaminant, or mixture of air contaminants, emitted between events c and g with the data and methods used to determine it. The emissions associated with roof landing activities shall be calculated using the methods described in Section 7.1.3.2 of AP-42 "Compilation of Air Pollution Emission Factors, Chapter 7 - Storage of Organic Liquids" dated November 2006 and the permit application dated January 7, 2008.
28. Fixed roof storage tanks are subject to the requirements of Special Condition Nos. 27.C and 27.D. If the ventilation of the vapor space is controlled, the emission control system shall meet the requirements of Special Condition Nos. 27.B.(1) through 27.B.(4). Records shall be maintained per Special Condition Nos. 27.F.(3) c through 27.F.(3) e, and 27.F.(4).
29. The following requirements apply to vacuum and air mover truck operations to support planned MSS at this site:
  - A. Prior to initial use, identify any liquid in the truck. Record the liquid level and document the VOC TVP. After each liquid transfer, identify the liquid, the volume transferred, and its VOC TVP.
  - B. If vacuum pumps or blowers are operated when liquid is in or being transferred to the truck, the following requirements apply:
    - (1) If the VOC TVP of the liquid in or being transferred to the truck is greater than 0.50 psi at 95°F, the vacuum/blower exhaust shall be routed to a control device or a controlled recovery system.

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- (2) Equip fill line intake with a "duckbill" or equivalent attachment if the hose end cannot be submerged in the liquid being collected.
    - (3) A daily record containing the information identified below is required for each vacuum truck in operation at the site each day.
      - (a) For each liquid transfer made with the vacuum operating, record the duration of any periods when air may have been entrained with the liquid transfer. The reason for operating in this manner and whether a "duckbill" or equivalent was used shall be recorded. Short, incidental periods, such as those necessary to walk from the truck to the fill line intake, do not need to be documented.
      - (b) If the vacuum truck exhaust is controlled with a control device other than an engine or oxidizer, VOC exhaust concentration upon commencing each transfer, at the end of each transfer, and at least every hour during each transfer shall be recorded, measured using an instrument meeting the requirements of Special Condition 25 A, B, or C.
  - C. Record the volume in the vacuum truck at the end of the day, or the volume unloaded, as applicable.
  - D. The permit holder shall determine the vacuum truck emissions each month using the daily vacuum truck records and the calculation methods utilized in the permit application. If records of the volume of liquid transferred for each pick-up are not maintained, the emissions shall be determined using the physical properties of the liquid vacuumed with the greatest potential emissions. Rolling 12 month vacuum truck emissions shall also be determined on a monthly basis.
  - E. If the VOC TVP of all the liquids vacuumed into the truck is less than 0.10 psia, this shall be recorded when the truck is unloaded or leaves the plant site and the emissions may be estimated as the maximum potential to emit for a truck in that service as documented in the permit application. The recordkeeping requirements in Special Condition 29A through 29D do not apply.
30. The following requirements apply to frac, or temporary tanks and vessels used in support of MSS activities.
  - A. Except for labels or logos not to exceed 15 percent of the tank/vessel total surface area, the exterior surfaces of these tanks/vessels that are exposed to the sun shall be white or aluminum effective May 1, 2013. This requirement does not apply to tanks/vessels that only vent to atmosphere when being filled, sampled, gauged, or when removing material.
  - B. These tanks/vessels must be covered and equipped with fill pipes that discharge within 6 inches of the tank/vessel bottom.
  - C. These requirements do not apply to vessels storing less than 450 gallons of liquid that are closed such that the vessel does not vent to atmosphere except when filling, sampling, gauging, or when removing material.
  - D. The permit holder shall maintain an emissions record which includes calculated emissions of VOC from all frac tanks during the previous calendar month and the past consecutive 12 month period. This record must be updated by the last day of the month following. The record shall include tank identification number, dates put into and removed from service, control method used, tank capacity and volume of liquid stored in gallons, name of the material stored, VOC molecular weight, and VOC TVP at the estimated monthly average material temperature in psia. Filling emissions for tanks shall be calculated using the TCEQ publication titled "Technical Guidance Package for Chemical Sources - Loading Operations"

and standing emissions determined using: the TCEQ publication titled "Technical Guidance Package for Chemical Sources - Storage Tanks.", EPA Tanks, or similar methods, as approved in the permit amendment application dated January 2008.

- E. If the tank/vessel is used to store liquid with a VOC TVP less than 0.10 psia at 95°F, records may be limited to the days the tank is in service and the liquid stored. Emissions may be estimated based upon the potential to emit as identified in the MSS permit amendment application dated January 7, 2008.
31. Additional occurrences of MSS activities authorized by this permit may be authorized under permit by rule only if conducted in compliance with this permit's procedures, emission controls, monitoring, and recordkeeping requirements applicable to the activity.
32. All permanent facilities authorized in this permit must comply with all operating requirements, limits, and representations as specified in the special conditions during planned startup and shutdown unless alternate requirements for emissions from routine emission points are identified below:
- A. Combustion units, with the exception of flares, at this site are exempt from NO<sub>x</sub> and CO operating requirements identified in special conditions in other NSR permits during planned startup and shutdown if the following criteria are satisfied.
    - (1) The maximum allowable emission rates in the permit authorizing the facility are not exceeded.
    - (1) The startup period does not exceed 8 hours in duration and the firing rate does not exceed 75 percent of the design firing rate. The time it takes to complete the shutdown does not exceed 4 hours.
    - (2) Control devices are started and operating properly when venting a waste gas stream.
  - B. A record shall be maintained indicating that the start and end times of each of the activities identified above occur and documentation that the requirements for each have been satisfied.
33. Control devices required by this permit for emissions from planned MSS activities are limited to those types identified in this condition. Control devices shall be operated with no visible emissions except periods not to exceed a total of five minutes during any two consecutive hours. Each device used must meet all the requirements identified for that type of control device.

Controlled recovery systems identified in this permit shall be directed to an operating process unit or to a collection system that is vented through a control device meeting the requirements of this permit condition.

- A. Carbon Adsorption System (CAS).
  - (1) The CAS shall consist of 2 carbon canisters in series with adequate carbon supply for the emission control operation.
  - (2) The CAS shall be sampled downstream of the first can and the concentration recorded at least once every hour of CAS run time to determine breakthrough of the VOC. The sampling frequency may be extended using either of the following methods:
    - (a) It may be extended to up to 30 percent of the minimum potential saturation time for a new can of carbon. The permit holder shall maintain records including the calculations performed to determine the minimum saturation time.
    - (b) The carbon sampling frequency may be extended to longer periods based on previous experience with carbon control of a MSS waste gas stream. The past

experience must be with the same VOC, type of facility, and MSS activity. The basis for the sampling frequency shall be recorded. If the VOC concentration on the initial sample downstream of the first carbon canister following a new polishing canister being put in place is greater than 100 ppmv above background, it shall be assumed that breakthrough occurred while that canister functioned as the final polishing canister and a permit deviation shall be recorded.

- (3) The method of VOC sampling and analysis shall be by detector meeting the requirements of Special Condition 25.A or B.
- (4) Breakthrough is defined as the highest measured VOC concentration at or exceeding 100 ppmv above background. When the condition of breakthrough of VOC from the initial saturation canister occurs, the waste gas flow shall be switched to the second canister and a fresh canister shall be placed as the new final polishing canister within four hours. Sufficient new activated carbon canisters shall be maintained at the site to replace spent carbon canisters such that replacements can be done in the above specified time frame.
- (5) Records of CAS monitoring shall include the following:
  - (a) Sample time and date.
  - (b) Monitoring results (ppmv).
  - (c) Canister replacement log.
- (6) Single canister systems are allowed if the time the carbon canister is in service is limited to no more than 30 percent of the minimum potential saturation time. The permit holder shall maintain records for these systems, including the calculations performed to determine the saturation time. The time limit on carbon canister service shall be recorded and the expiration date attached to the carbon can.

B. Thermal Oxidizer

- (1) The thermal oxidizer firebox exit temperature shall be maintained at not less than 1400°F and waste gas flows shall be limited to assure a 0.5 second residence time in the firebox while waste gas is being fed into the oxidizer.
- (2) The thermal oxidizer exhaust temperature shall be continuously monitored and recorded when waste gas is directed to the oxidizer. The temperature measurements shall be made at intervals of six minutes or less and recorded at that frequency. Temperature measurements recorded in continuous strip charts may be used to meet the requirements of this section.

The temperature measurement device shall be installed, calibrated, and maintained according to accepted practice and the manufacturer's specifications. The device shall have an accuracy of the greater of  $\pm 0.75$  percent of the temperature being measured expressed in degrees Celsius or  $\pm 2.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

- (3) As an alternative to Special Condition No. 33.B.(1), the thermal oxidizer may be tested within the past 12 months to confirm a minimum 99 wt% destruction efficiency. The results of the test will be used to determine the minimum operating temperature and residence time. Stack VOC concentrations and flow rates shall be measured in accordance with applicable United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Reference Methods. A copy of the testing results shall be included with the emission calculations.

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- (4) As an alternative to Special Condition 33.B (1-2), the thermal oxidizer may be equipped with continuous VOC monitors (inlet and outlet). The VOC monitors shall be calibrated and maintained according to Special Condition No. 25A. In order to demonstrate compliance with this requirement, inlet and outlet mass flow rates and VOC concentrations shall be measured and destruction efficiency shall be calculated on an hourly basis to confirm a minimum of 99 wt. % destruction efficiency.
  - C. The plant flare system  
The flare systems shall satisfy the requirements of Special Condition 4 and 5 of this permit during planned MSS activities authorized by this permit.
34. Planned maintenance activities must be conducted in a manner consistent with good practice for minimizing emission, including the use of air pollution control equipment, practices and processes. All reasonable and practical efforts to comply with Special Condition Nos. 21 through 33 must be used when conducting the planned maintenance activity, until the commission determines that the efforts are reasonable or impractical, or that the activity is an unplanned maintenance activity.

## Impacts Related Restrictions

35. Surge tank Carbon Canister (EPN PK-75) shall be used as a backup control device for Ethylene Flare (EPN PK-16) for a maximum of 30 days/yr.
36. Carbon bed change-out activities shall be performed as follows:
  - A. Only one carbon bed change-out (spent carbon bed unloading/loading) shall be done at a time for fixed carbon canisters at either CARB-LD1, CARB-LD2 or CARB-LD-3. There shall be no simultaneous carbon canister change-outs at EPN CARBLOAD.
  - B. Each carbon bed change-out activity shall be done during daytime and is limited to one hour only.
  - C. All portable carbon canisters shall be taken offsite for disposal. Only fixed carbon beds shall be loaded/unloaded on site.
37. Roof landings may occur at either EPN PKA-8AM or PKA-8BM in any one hour. Simultaneous roof landings at both EPNs are not allowed.

## Recordkeeping

38. The records required by these special conditions shall be maintained in hard copy or electronic format and shall be maintained for at least five years rather than the two-year period specified in General Condition No. 7. The five-year record retention requirement does not apply to records generated before January 2022. These records shall be made immediately available at the request of personnel from the TCEQ or any air pollution control agency with jurisdiction. **(TBD)**

## Flare CB-801 Consent Decree and AMOC (XX/24)

39. Flare CB-801 (EPNs PK-16 and PK-16M) is subject to requirements in the Federal Consent Decree Case 2:21-cv-00114 (DJ# 90-5-2-1-11114) as the Steam-Assisted Ethylene flare at the Orange Facility. The consent decree requires submission to the TCEQ of an appropriate application to incorporate the required Flare Gas Recovery System (FGRS) and associated emission reductions by December 31, 2025. **(TBD)**

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40. Alternative method of control (AMOC242) issued September 30, 2023, shall be used for compliance and supersedes compliance with requirements in 30 TAC Chapter 115 and other federal rules. If there is a conflict in compliance with Special Condition No. 4 and the AMOC, the most stringent requirement must be complied with. **(TBD)**

Date: TBD

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Attachment A

Routine Maintenance Activities

Pump Inspection/Cleaning/Repair/Replacement

Fugitive component (valve, pipe, flange) Inspection/Cleaning/Repair/Replacement

Date: March 22, 2019

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Attachment B

MSS Activity Summary

<b>Facilities</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Emissions Activity</b>	<b>EPN</b>
Tanks and sumps/trenches	Vacuum unloading/loading of tanks, sumps/trenches	Vent to carbon canisters or atmosphere	VAC-LOAD
Tank and vessel draining/degassing	Unit shutdown & cleaning	Vent to atmosphere	TANK-DEGAS
Quench tower, settler, and caustic units	Degassing of facilities	Vent to flare PK-16M	LOVOC-DEGAS
All process units	Process unit startup, shutdown, maintenance except during Flare (PK-16M) outage	Vent to flare PK-16M and to atmosphere	PK-16M
Floating Roof tanks	Floating Roof Landings and Maintenance	Vent to atmosphere	PKA8AM & PKA8BM
Fixed Roof Storage Tanks	Degassing for inspections and maintenance	vent to atmosphere	TANK-DEGASS
Load/unload line degas railcar area	N2 liquid line purge	vent to flare PK-16M	LINE-DEGAS
Load/unload line degas railcar area	vapor line purge	vent to atmosphere	LINE-DEGAS
Process Equipment and lines	depressuring process vessels and equipment for maintenance	vent to flare PK-16M	VESSEL-DEGAS
all process units and tanks	preparation for facility/component repair/replacement	vent to flare PK-16M	PK-16M
all process units and tanks	preparation for facility/component repair/replacement	vent to atmosphere	TANK-DEGAS & VESSEL-DEGAS
all process units and tanks	recovery from facility/component repair/replacement	vent to flare PK-16M	PK-16M
all process units and tanks	recovery from facility/component repair/replacement	vent to atmosphere	TANK-DEGAS & VESSEL-DEGAS
all process units and tanks	preparation for facility/component repair/replacement	remove liquid	TANK-DEGAS & VESSEL-DEGAS
all floating roof tanks	tank roof landing	operation with landed roof	PKA-8AM & PKA-8BM

all floating roof tanks	washing of tank with landed roof	controlled washing	PKA-8AM & PKA-8BM
all tanks	tank cleaning	cleaning activity and solvents	TANK-DEGAS
Catalyst and Molecular sieves	Catalyst and molecular sieve changeouts	Vent to atmosphere	CAT-LOAD
Carbon Beds	carbon beds changeouts	vent to atmosphere	CARB-LOAD
Tanks, process equipment and vessels	Standing and purge losses from tanks and vessels with a sludge heel	vent to atmosphere	SLUDGE-LOSS
Tanks, process equipment and vessels	Vacuum loading of sludge and washwater	vent to atmosphere	SLUDGE-LOAD
Tar box PK-62	Loading sludge from tar box into drums	vent to atmosphere	DRUM-LOAD
Piping and process lines	Fugitives from open ended lines during maintenance	vent to atmosphere	FUG-OELS
LAD storage tank	Floating roof landing losses	vent to atmosphere	PKA-8AM
HAD storage tank	Floating roof landing losses	vent to atmosphere	PKA-8BM
Flare CB-801 MSS	MSS activities	flare emissions	PK-16M
Heaters	Decoking of Heaters	Vent to atmosphere through Coke Separator Stack	PK-36
All Equipment	Clearing bottom products from equipments	Vent to Flare	PK-16M
All equipment in cold services	MeOH injection emissions from equipment in cold services	Vent to Flare	PK-16M
Ethylene fractionator feed dryer	Regenerating and purging ethylene fractionator feed dryer emissions	Vent to Flare	PK-16M
All process Units	Surge Tank emissions controlled by backup carbon canister	Vent to Carbon Canister	PK-75
All Process Units	API Separator emissions controlled by backup canister	Vent to Carbon Canister	PK-76

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