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This progress report summarizes activities associated with the environmental monitoring program (EMP) during the second calendar quarter of 1995 for the U.S. Department of Energy's Innovative Clean Coal Technology project entitled "Demonstration of Innovative Applications of Technology for the CT-121 FGD Process." This demonstration project was conducted at Georgia Power Company's Plant Yates Unit 1, located near Newnan, Georgia, until January 1995, when operational responsibility was permanently transferred to Georgia Power Company from Southern Company Services, Inc., manager of the demonstration project.

No further operational testing is planned, and monitoring under the EMP will be limited to groundwater monitoring.

Post-operational-phase groundwater monitoring began during the previous report quarter (first quarter of 1995). A report containing the results of groundwater monitoring conducted during that quarter is attached.

Attachment

**Groundwater Monitoring Report
for the First Quarter of 1995**

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1.0 Introduction

This report summarizes the results of groundwater monitoring performed during the first calendar quarter of 1995 as part of the environmental monitoring program (EMP) for the U.S. Department of Energy's Innovative Clean Coal Technology project entitled "Demonstration of Innovative Applications of Technology for the CT-121 FGD Process." This demonstration project is being conducted at Georgia Power Company's Plant Yates Unit 1, located near Newnan, Georgia.

1.1 Project Summary

The purpose of this ICCT project is to demonstrate the use of the Chiyoda Thoroughbred-121 flue gas desulfurization process as a means of reducing SO₂ and particulate emissions from pulverized-coal utility boilers that use medium-sulfur coal. This project is also designed to demonstrate the lower cost and higher reliability of the CT-121 process compared to conventional wet limestone FGD processes.

The demonstration project at Plant Yates consists of four distinct environmental test periods:

- ▶ Period 0: Site Preparation, Construction, and Startup of the Demonstration Project (including background groundwater monitoring [29 months]);
- ▶ Period 1: Baseline Testing at Low Particulate Loading—ESP In Service (12 months);
- ▶ Period 2: Testing at High Particulate Loading—ESP Detuned or Out of Service (12 months); and
- ▶ Period 3: Post Demonstration Groundwater Testing and Gypsum Byproduct Evaluation.

Period 2 ended in December 1994. Groundwater monitoring was initiated in Period 0 and will continue through Period 3.

1.2 Purpose and Scope of Groundwater Monitoring

The CT-121 process produces gypsum, which is being disposed of in an on-site stacking area, where the solids are concentrated as they are allowed to settle, dewater, and dry. The gypsum and gypsum/fly ash stacking area is lined with a synthetic liner to minimize the potential for adverse impacts on the groundwater. Requirements for the liner, leachate collection system, and groundwater monitoring are specified in the permit issued by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources (DNR). One requirement is the regular monitoring of groundwater before, during, and for two years after the demonstration program. The purpose of this monitoring is to demonstrate that the gypsum stacking area can be operated in an environmentally benign and acceptable manner.

In 1990, five groundwater monitoring wells were installed in the vicinity of the proposed gypsum stacking area. These wells were used to monitor baseline groundwater quality prior to construction of the stacking area. Monitoring was conducted every two months from September 1990 through July 1991. Table 1 is a summary of the parameters that were monitored during this period. The results of this monitoring activity were summarized in the report "Environmental Monitoring Program Report of Preconstruction Monitoring: 1990-1991 Background Water Quality."

Following the preconstruction monitoring period, and as a DNR permit requirement, two additional monitoring wells were installed in 1992. The locations of all seven monitoring wells are shown in Figure 1. Because of a delay in the commencement of Phase 1 testing, an additional round of preoperational groundwater monitoring was conducted on September 3-4 and October 14, 1992. The results from this monitoring effort were presented in the report "Interim Data Report of Preoperational Groundwater Monitoring: September 3-4 and October 14, 1992."

Operational-phase groundwater monitoring, performed on a quarterly basis, was initiated in the fourth quarter of 1992. Monitoring was conducted for the suite of parameters shown previously in Table 1. Samples were analyzed each quarter for all parameters shown except for

Table 1. EMP Groundwater Monitoring Parameters

pH	Conductivity	Temperature
Eh	Alkalinity	Total Dissolved Solids
Bromide	Chloride	Total Organic Carbon
Fluoride	Nitrate-Nitrite	Sulfate
Trace Elements (Dissolved)		
Silver	Aluminum	Arsenic
Boron	Barium	Beryllium
Bismuth	Calcium	Cadmium
Cobalt	Copper	Chromium
Mercury	Iron	Potassium
Lithium	Magnesium	Manganese
Molybdenum	Sodium	Nickel
Phosphorus	Lead	Sulfur
Antimony	Selenium	Silicon
Tin	Strontium	Tellurium
Titanium	Thallium	Uranium
Vanadium	Tungsten	Zinc
Other		
Radionuclides		

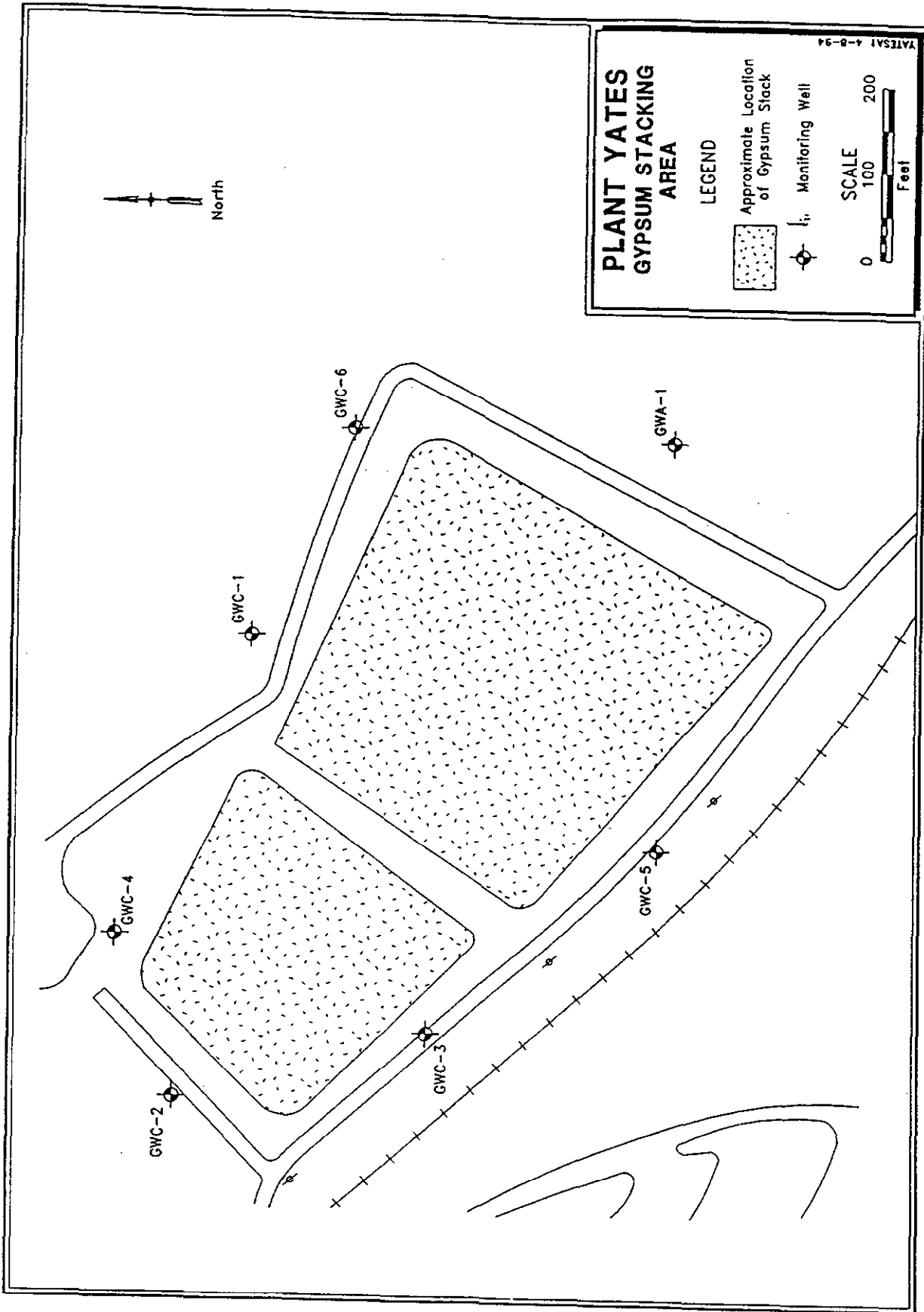


Figure 1. Location of Groundwater Monitoring Wells

radionuclides, which were monitored semiannually. The post-demonstration groundwater monitoring period began with in the first quarter of 1995 and will be conducted over a period of two years for the same parameters and at the same frequency as during the operational phase.

1.3 Report Contents

This report presents the results of quarterly operational-phase groundwater monitoring for the first calendar quarter of 1995. The groundwater monitoring wells were sampled on March 28-29, 1995.

Section 2 is a brief summary of the groundwater sampling and analytical methods. Monitoring results are presented in Section 3. Results of quality assurance/ quality control (QA/QC) activities associated with sample analyses are summarized in Section 4. Tables of historical trends for selected parameters and the results for field and laboratory duplicates are given in the appendices.

2.0 Sampling and Analytical Methods

This section describes the methods used to obtain and analyze groundwater samples. These methods were specified in Radian's "Test Plan for Groundwater Monitoring Around the Plant Yates Gypsum Stacking Area," August 30, 1990, as amended.

2.1 Sampling Methods

The QED Well Wizard dedicated sampling system was used to purge the monitoring wells and collect samples. The Well Wizard system utilizes a dedicated Teflon® bladder pump and portable air compressor to extract groundwater samples.

To ensure the collection of a representative sample, standing water was removed from each well by purging a minimum of three wetted casing volumes. Conductivity, pH, redox potential, and temperature were monitored and recorded on field sampling forms during purging. Samples were collected after these indicator parameters stabilized and after at least three wetted casing volumes of water were removed or immediately following recovery if a well was purged dry.

Samples were obtained from five of the six downgradient wells (GWC-1, GWC-2, GWC-3, GWC-4, and GWC-5). As has been the case during all previous rounds of monitoring, well

GWC-6 could not be sampled since it was unproductive and contained no water. The upgradient well (GWA-1) was not sampled this quarter since it was also dry. This makes six consecutive quarters since samples were obtained from the upgradient well. Table 2 summarizes the groundwater samples collected during this monitoring period.

To preserve the integrity of the groundwater samples before analyses, proper sample container, preservation, holding time duration, shipment, and chain-of-custody procedures were followed. Sample bottles, preservation methods, and maximum holding times are summarized in Table 3.

2.2 Analytical Procedures

The analytical methods used in this program are listed in Table 4. There were no deviations from these methods.

3.0 Summary of Results

The results of the first-quarter 1995 groundwater monitoring are presented in Table 5. The concentrations of all of the monitored dissolved constituents in the groundwater near the gypsum stacking area continue to be low.

To help determine whether the material in the gypsum stacking area is having an impact on groundwater quality, the monitoring data for a selected number of representative species from all of the monitoring rounds conducted to date were tabulated and examined. The representative species selected are those present in appreciable concentrations in the gypsum slurry, including the major cations and anions (i.e., calcium, magnesium, chloride, and sulfate), as well as several other indicator parameters such as pH, TDS, conductivity, and alkalinity. The complete set of historical data for these species is provided in Appendix A. Examples of concentration-versus-time plots for several species are provided in Figures 2 through 4. Data are presented for the upgradient well, GWA-1, and two downgradient wells, GWC-2 and GWC-4. The locations of these wells were shown previously in Figure 1. Samples were not obtained this quarter from either the upgradient well, GWA-1, or downgradient well GWC-6. Well GWA-1 has been nonproductive for six successive quarters.

**Table 2. Summary of Groundwater Samples Collected
at Plant Yates on March 28-29, 1995**

Well ID	Sample ID	Analyses
GWA-1	None	Well dry; no samples collected
GWC-1	GWC-1-17-1	Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides
GWC-2	GWC-2-17-1	Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides
GWC-3	GWC-3-17-1	Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides
GWC-4	GWC-4-17-1 GWC-4-17-2	Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides
GWC-5	GWC-5-17-1	Anions, TOC, TOX, Metals, and Radionuclides
GWC-6	None	Well dry; no samples collected

Table 3. Sample Containers, Preservation Method, and Maximum Holding Times

Bottle Label	Containers*	Parameter	Preservation Method	Maximum Holding Time (days)
Total Organic Carbon	500-mL Amber Glass	Total Organic Carbon	H ₂ SO ₄ pH<2	28
Anions/TDS	1-L Plastic	Bromide	4 °C	28
		Chloride	4 °C	28
		Fluoride	4 °C	28
		Nitrate-Nitrite	4 °C	28
		Sulfate	4 °C	28
		Total Dissolved Solids	4 °C	7
Metals	1-L Plastic	Trace Metals	Filtered On Site Ultrex II HNO ₃ pH<2	180
Radioactivity	(3) 1-L Plastic	Radium 226, Radium 228, Gross Alpha, Gross Beta, Gross Gamma	Filtered On Site Ultrex II HNO ₃ pH<2	180

*Sample containers supplied by either I-Chem or Eagle Picher.

Table 4. Analytical Methods

Parameter	Technique	Reference
pH	Potentiometry	EPA 150.1
Conductivity	Specific Conductance	EPA 120.1
Temperature	Temperature Probe	EPA 170.1
Eh	Electrometry	ASTM D1498
Alkalinity	Titrimetric or Colorimetric	EPA 310.1 or 310.2
Bromide	Ion Chromatography	EPA 300
Chloride	Ion Chromatography	EPA 300
Total Organic Carbon	Combustion/IR	EPA 415.1
Fluoride	SIE	EPA 340.2
Nitrate/Nitrite	Colorimetry	EPA 353.1
Sulfate	Ion Chromatography	EPA 300
Total Dissolved Solids	Filtration/Evaporation/Gravimetry	EPA 160.2
Mercury	On-site Filtration/Cold Vapor AA	EPA 245.1
Trace Elements	On-site Filtration/AA and ICP-AES	EPA 200.7, 7421 (Cr), 7060 (As), 7421 (Pb), 7041 (Sb), 7740 (Se), and 7841 (Tl)
Radium 226 and 228	Proportional Counter	ASTM D2460
Gross Alpha	Proportional Counter	ASTM D1943
Gross Beta	Proportional Counter	ASTM D1890
Gross Gamma	Gamma Ray Spectrometer	ASTM D2459

Legend:

- AA = Atomic absorption spectrophotometry;
- SIE = Specific ion electrode;
- ICP-AES = Inductively coupled plasma-atomic emission spectrometry; and
- IR = Infrared detection.

References:

EPA "Methods for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes," EPA-600/4-79-020, revised March 1983.

ASTM = American Society for Testing and Material, *Annual Book of ASTM Standards*.

Table 5. Results of Groundwater Monitoring Conducted March 28-29, 1995 (1st Quarter 1995)

Parameter	GWA-1-17-1*	GWC-1-17-1	GWC-2-17-1	GWC-3-17-1	GWC-4-17-1	GWC-5-17-1
pH		6.05	5.53	5.10	5.10	5.52
Conductivity (µS/cm)		77	65	36	163	50
Temperature (°C)		16.8	17.8	17.7	17.0	17.9
Eh (mV)		200	195	180	210	235
Alkalinity (mg/L CaCO ₃)		29.1	13.3	8.6	9.0	9.5
Total Dissolved Solids (mg/L)		63	63	44	113	50
Bromide (mg/L)		1.13	3.18	1.31	6.80	0.322
Chloride (mg/L)		2.64	3.81	3.15	34.1	2.54
Total Organic Carbon (mg/L)		<0.137	<0.137	<0.137	<0.137	<0.137
Total Organic Halogens (µg/L)		<11.7	<11.7	12.3 ^c	17.2 ^c	<11.7
Fluoride (mg/L)		0.0413 ^b	0.0273 ^b	0.0296 ^b	0.0231 ^b	0.0191 ^{b,c}
Nitrate-Nitrite (mg/L as N)		0.254	0.693	0.289	1.58	0.0725
Sulfate (mg/L)		1.23	4.98	0.0471	4.18	6.45
Radium 226 and 228 (pCi/L)		0.296 ± 1.21 0.003 ± 1.63	0.056 ± 0.738 0.210 ± 0.541	0.440 ± 0.731 0.550 ± 0.862	0.800 ± 0.339 -0.393 ± 1.52	-0.632 ± 0.944 0.696 ± 1.49
Gross Alpha (pCi/L)		0.87 ± 0.50	-0.27 ± 0.27	-0.12 ± 0.23	-0.06 ± 0.51	0.39 ± 0.35
Gross Beta (pCi/L)		1.11 ± 0.48	0.21 ± 0.42	0.64 ± 0.43	0.97 ± 0.49	0.24 ± 0.42
Gross Gamma (pCi/L)						
Ac-228		-0.620 ± 18.7	13.2 ± 9.03	-3.474 ± 21.8	-2.693 ± 10.9	6.30 ± 6.98
Bi-214		-2.915 ± 12.0	-16.151 ± 15.4	-15.165 ± 15.4	-8.412 ± 7.75	-8.606 ± 12.2
K-40		74.8 ± 72.6	40.4 ± 101	56.2 ± 93.1	22.2 ± 41.2	6.69 ± 72.8
Pb-214		-2.536 ± 9.98	-12.851 ± 14.3	-7.159 ± 11.0	-11.272 ± 6.63	-19.227 ± 10.9

Table 5 (continued)

Parameter	GWA-1-17-1 *	GWC-1-17-1	GWC-2-17-1	GWC-3-17-1	GWC-4-17-1	GWC-5-17-1
Gross Gamma (pCi/L) (continued)						
Silver (mg/L)		<0.00519	<0.00519	<0.00519	<0.00519	<0.00519
Aluminum (mg/L)		0.0560 ^c	0.0538 ^c	0.0657 ^c	<0.0523	0.0532 ^c
Arsenic (mg/L)		<0.00102	<0.00102	<0.00102	<0.00102	<0.00102
Boron (mg/L)		<0.0176	<0.0176	<0.0176	0.0856 ^c	0.0234 ^c
Barium (mg/L)		0.0109 ^b	0.0116 ^b	0.00784 ^b	0.0273 ^b	0.00784 ^b
Beryllium (mg/L)		<0.000510	<0.000510	<0.000510	<0.000510	<0.000510
Bismuth (mg/L)		<0.00504	<0.00504	<0.00504	<0.00504	<0.00504
Calcium (mg/L)		5.30 ^b	2.23 ^b	0.441 ^b	3.21 ^b	1.51 ^b
Cadmium (mg/L)		<0.00386	<0.00386	<0.00386	<0.00386	<0.00386
Cobalt (mg/L)		<0.00407	<0.00407	<0.00407	<0.00407	<0.00407
Copper (mg/L)		<0.00916	<0.00916	<0.00916	<0.00916	<0.00916
Chromium (mg/L)		0.00582 ^c	0.0130 ^c	0.00715 ^c	<0.00524	<0.00524
Mercury (mg/L)		<0.000028	<0.000028	<0.000028	<0.000028	<0.000028
Iron (mg/L)		0.195 ^b	0.155 ^b	0.0925 ^b	0.0937 ^b	0.0767 ^b
Potassium (mg/L)		0.919 ^c	<0.822	<0.822	<0.822	<0.822
Lithium (mg/L)		<0.00543	<0.00543	<0.00543	<0.00543	<0.00543
Magnesium (mg/L)		3.65	1.88	1.10	10.2	1.59
Manganese (mg/L)		<0.00155	0.0132	0.00242 ^c	0.129	0.00360 ^c
Molybdenum (mg/L)		0.00755 ^{b,c}	<0.00739 ^b	<0.00739 ^b	<0.00739 ^b	<0.00739 ^b
Sodium (mg/L)		4.21	6.79	4.39	7.63	5.34
Nickel (mg/L)		0.0886	0.0467 ^c	<0.0141	<0.0141	0.0162 ^c

Table 5 (continued)

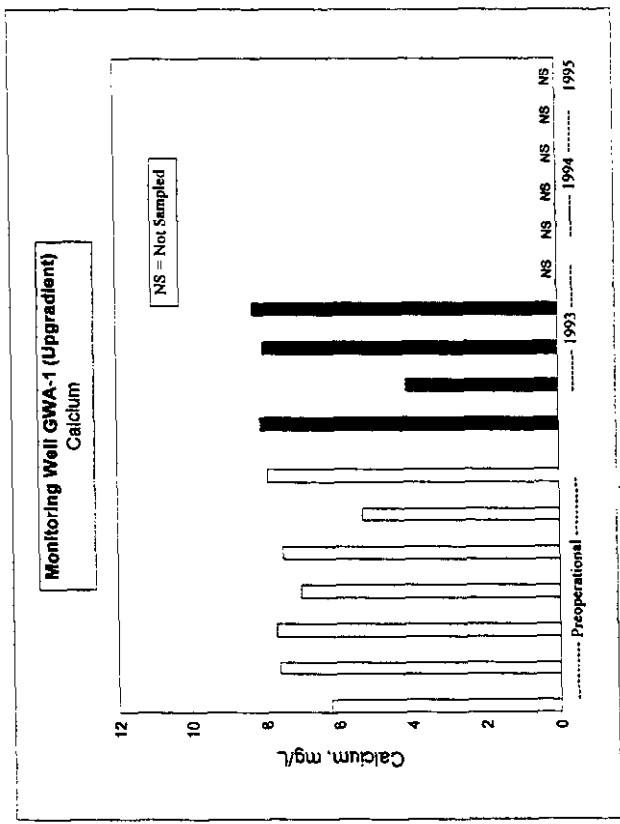
Parameter	GWA-1-17-1 ^a	GWC-1-17-1	GWC-2-17-1	GWC-3-17-1	GWC-4-17-1	GWC-5-17-1
Gross Gamma (pCi/L) (continued)						
Phosphorus (mg/L)	<0.109	<0.109	<0.109	<0.109	0.524 ^c	<0.109
Lead (mg/L)	<0.000966	<0.000966	<0.000966	<0.000966	<0.000966	<0.000966
Sulfur (mg/L)	0.357 ^c	1.79	1.79	<0.175	1.31	2.50
Antimony (mg/L)	0.00240 ^c	0.00494 ^c	0.00494 ^c	0.00121 ^c	0.00116 ^c	<0.00104
Selenium (mg/L)	<0.00124	<0.00124	<0.00124	<0.00124	<0.00124	<0.00124
Silicon (mg/L)	10.9 ^b	12.2 ^b	12.2 ^b	8.97 ^b	9.36 ^b	10.3 ^b
Tin (mg/L)	<0.0145 ^b	<0.0145 ^b	<0.0145 ^b	<0.0145 ^b	<0.0145	0.0512 ^{b,c}
Strontium (mg/L)	0.0148	0.00922	0.00922	0.00320 ^c	0.0261	0.00882
Tellurium (mg/L)	<0.00449	<0.00449	<0.00449	<0.00449	<0.00449	<0.00449
Titanium (mg/L)	0.00339 ^c	0.00165 ^c	0.00165 ^c	0.00218 ^c	<0.00159	<0.00159
Thallium (mg/L)	<0.00119	<0.00119	<0.00119	<0.00119	<0.00119	<0.00119
Uranium (mg/L)	<0.199	<0.199	<0.199	<0.199	<0.199	<0.199
Vanadium (mg/L)	<0.00454	<0.00454	<0.00454	<0.00454	<0.00454	<0.00454
Tungsten (mg/L)	<0.0408	<0.0408	<0.0408	<0.0408	<0.0408	<0.0408
Zinc (mg/L)	<0.00402	<0.00402	<0.00402	<0.00402	<0.00402	<0.00402

^a Well was dry; no samples collected.

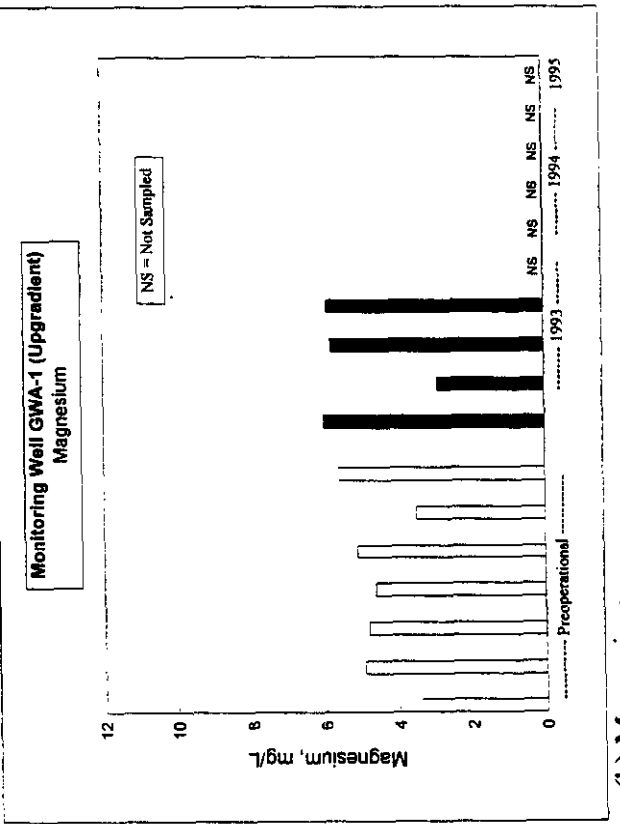
^b Detected in the method blank.

^c Less than five times the detection limit; results are expected to be less accurate as concentrations approach the detection limit.

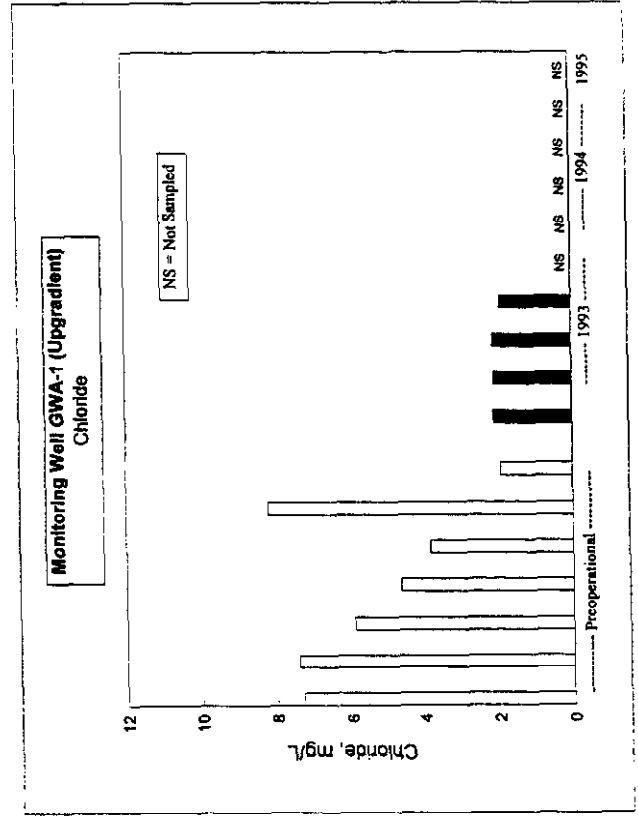
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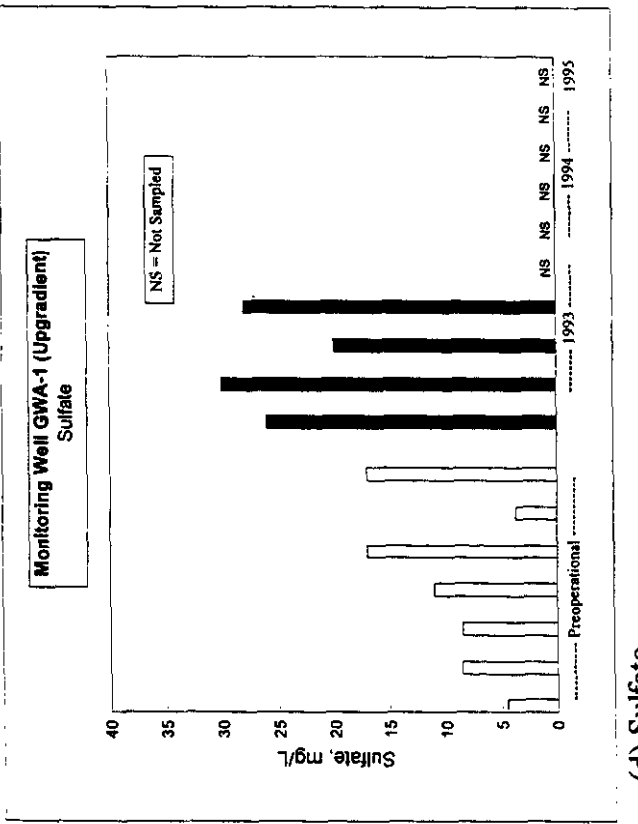
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(b) Magnesium

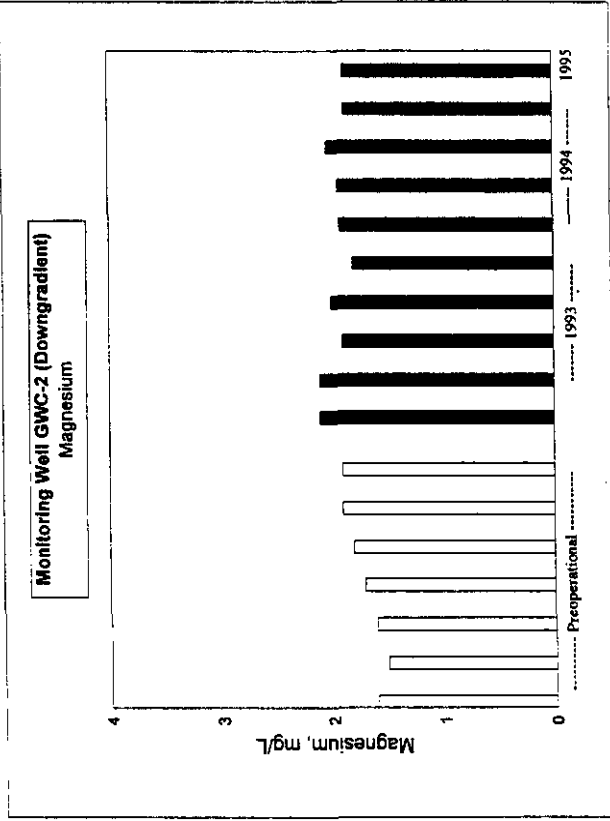


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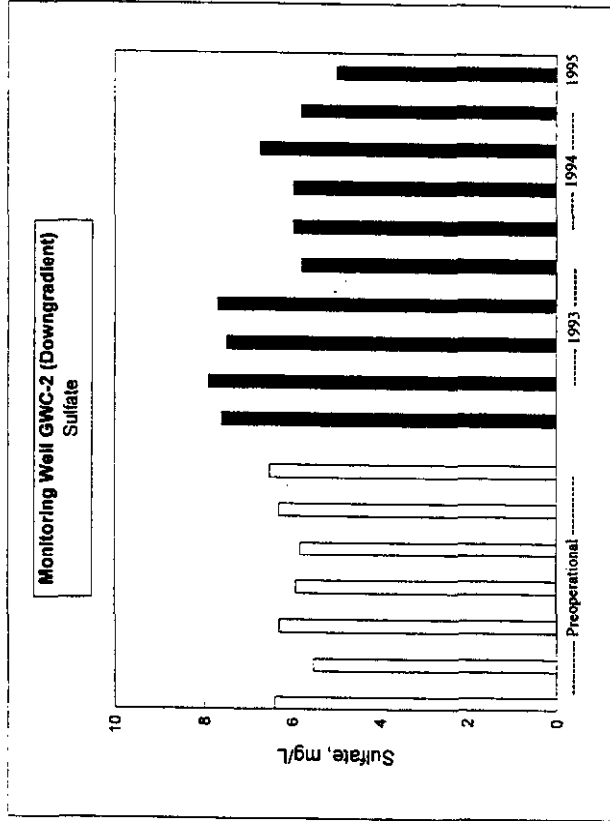


(d) Sulfate

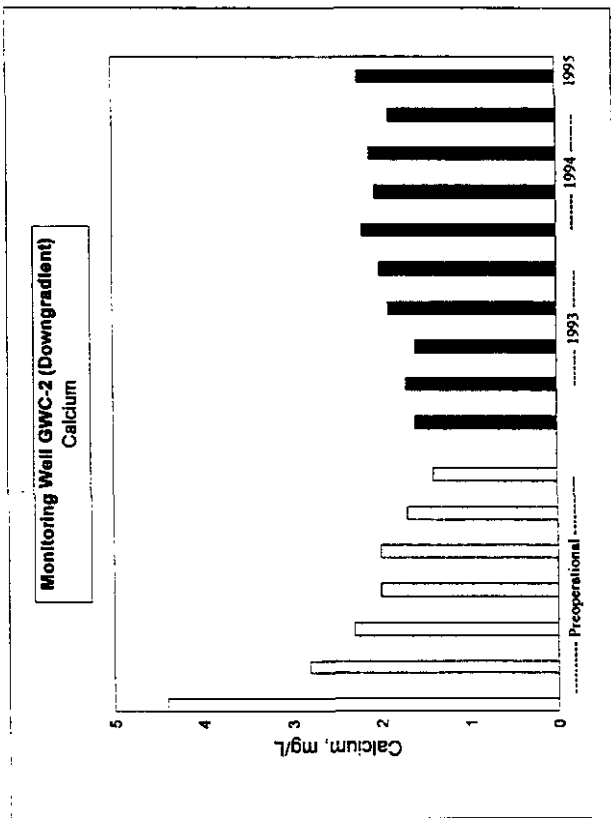
Figure 2. Historical Data for Representative Species from Well GWA-1 (Upgradient)



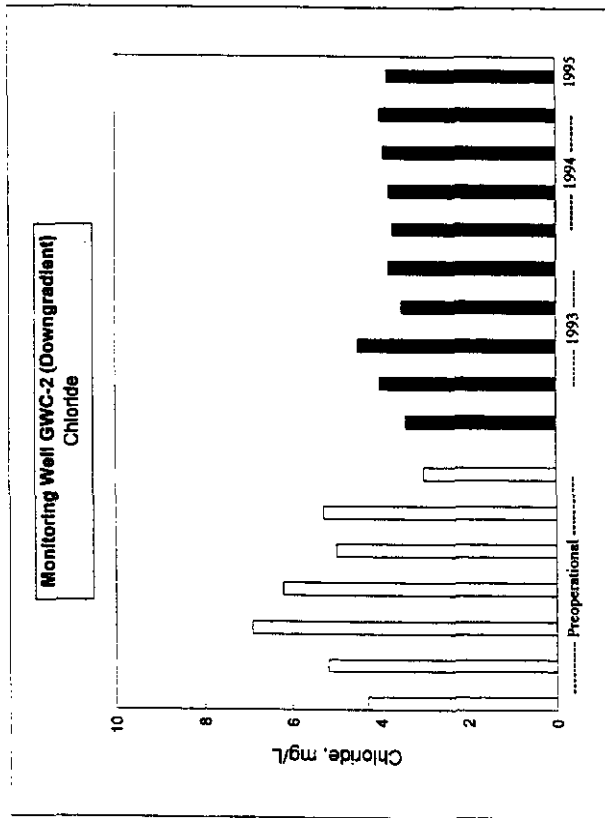
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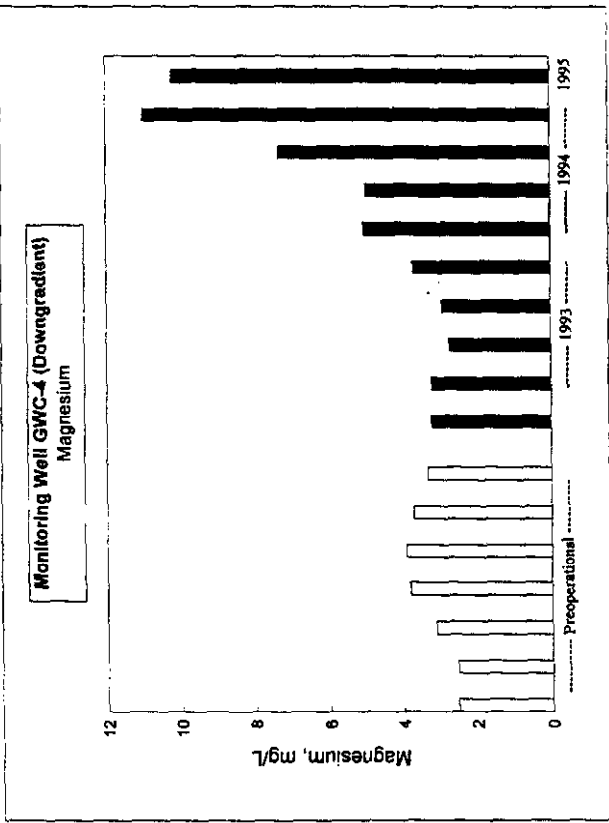


(a) Calcium

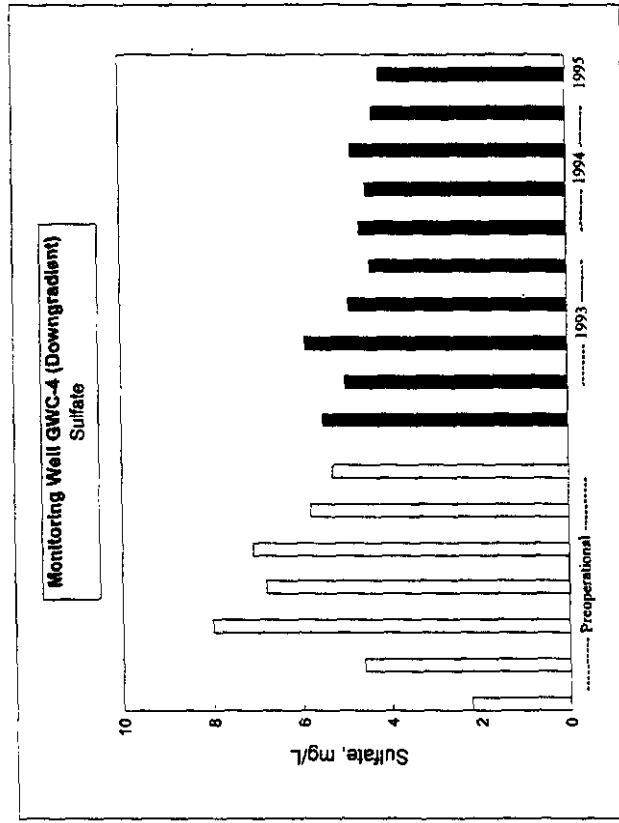


(c) Chloride

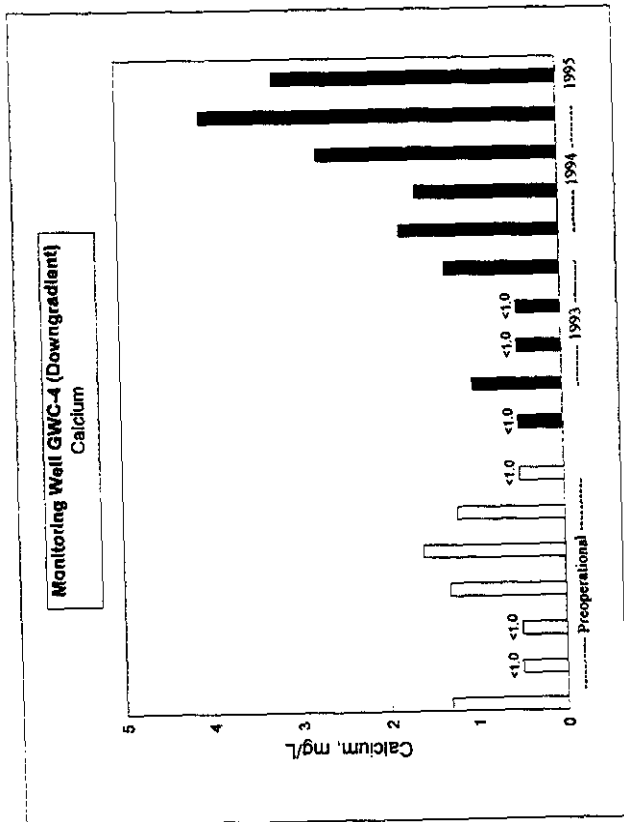
Figure 3. Historical Data for Representative Species from Well GWC-2 (Downgradient)



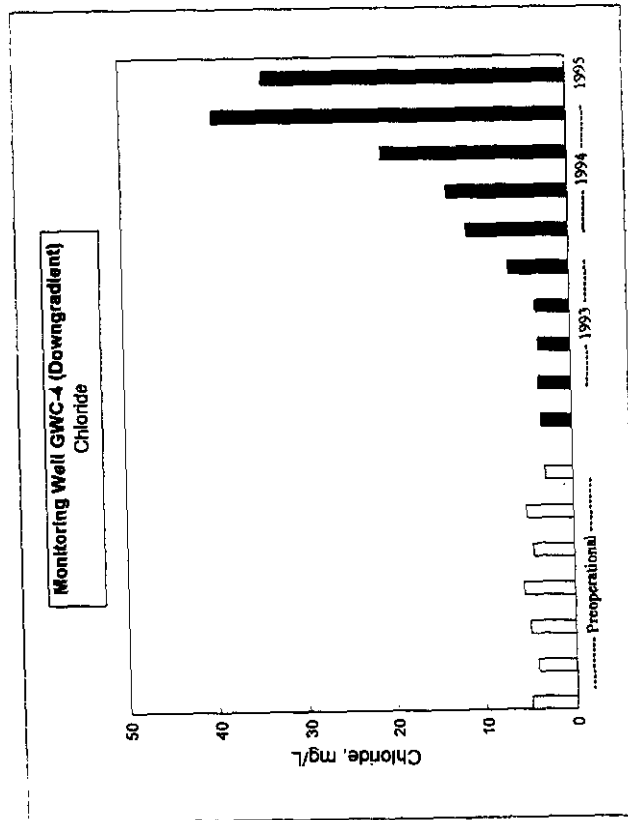
(b) Magnesium



(d) Sulfate



(a) Calcium



(c) Chloride

Figure 4. Historical Data for Representative Species from Well GWC-4 (Downgradient)

For well GWC-2, the measured concentrations of all monitored parameters are generally close to the historically observed concentrations of these species. For well GWC-4, the concentrations of chloride, magnesium, and calcium all decreased slightly, after increasing since the fourth quarter of 1993, following a leak from the gypsum pond that occurred on July 24, 1993, in the vicinity of this well. Although the contaminant levels in the groundwater at this location continue to be higher than they were prior to the gypsum pond leak, they are still very low. For example, the latest chloride concentration found in well GWC-2 samples is less than 14% of the maximum concentration recommended in the National Secondary Drinking Water Standards (i.e., 34 mg/L versus 250 mg/L).

4.0 Summary of QA/QC Activities

A number of QA/QC activities are being performed, as specified in the project's EMP, to assure that the data obtained meet project objectives. These include the following:

- ▶ Groundwater samples were split for independent analysis by a laboratory selected by SCS.
- ▶ Established sampling and analytical methods were specified and used. All samples were analyzed within the specified holding times, as outlined in Section 2. There were no deviations from the specified methods during this quarter's monitoring effort.
- ▶ Chain-of-custody procedures established in the test plan for this project were observed.
- ▶ In the laboratory, method blanks, control samples, and matrix spikes were analyzed in conjunction with the sample analyses, following recognized good laboratory practice. Specified recovery limits (typically 80 to 120%) were met for all analytes in the laboratory control samples and matrix spikes.
- ▶ Duplicate samples were obtained in the field and analyzed for all parameters. Replicate analyses were performed for a smaller number of parameters.

The results of the analysis of field and laboratory duplicates are summarized in Table 6 for those parameters measured above the detection limit. Complete results are provided in Appendix B. Differences in the duplicate analyses results were small for most species (i.e., less than 10%). For total organic halides (TOX), phosphorus, and antimony, the measured concen-

trations in one or both samples were less than five times the detection limit, a region where less accurate results can be expected. Iron was found in low concentrations, so that a small difference between the analyses translated into a large percentage difference. Except for TOX, the results of the of duplicate analyses showed good reproducibility.

Table 6. Results for Duplicate Samples—1st Quarter 1995

Parameter	Units	Sample GWC-4-17-1	Field Duplicate GWC-4-17-2	% Diff. ^a	Duplicate Analysis GWC-4-17-2	% RPD ^b	Spec. Limit
Total Dissolved Solids	mg/L	113	109	-3.5	104	4.7	15
Bromide	mg/L	6.80	7.01	3.1	7.06	0.7	20
Chloride	mg/L	34.1	34.6	1.5	32.9	5.0	20
Fluoride	mg/L	0.0231 ^c	0.0225 ^c	-2.6	0.0224 ^c	0.4	20
Sulfate	mg/L	4.18	4.25	1.7	4.19	1.4	20
Nitrate-Nitrite as N	mg/L	1.58	1.58	0.0	1.55	1.9	20
Total Organic Halides	µg/L	17.2 ^d	12.2 ^d	-29.1	19.6 ^d	46.5	20
Aluminum	mg/L	<0.0523	0.0999 ^d	NC			
Boron	mg/L	0.0856	0.0779	-9.0			
Barium	mg/L	0.0273 ^c	0.0293 ^c	7.3			
Calcium	mg/L	3.21 ^c	3.32 ^c	3.4			
Chromium	mg/L	<0.00524	0.00589 ^d	NC			
Iron	mg/L	0.0937 ^c	0.139 ^c	48.3			
Magnesium	mg/L	10.2	10.5	2.9			
Manganese	mg/L	0.129	0.134	3.9			
Molybdenum	mg/L	<0.00739 ^c	0.0173 ^{c,d}	NC			
Sodium	mg/L	7.63	7.84	2.8			
Phosphorus	mg/L	0.524 ^d	0.671	28.1			
Sulfur	mg/L	1.31	1.43	9.2			
Antimony	mg/L	0.00116 ^d	0.00224 ^d	53.4			
Silicon	mg/L	9.36 ^c	8.76 ^c	-6.4			
Strontium	mg/L	0.0261	0.0265	1.5			
Titanium	mg/L	<0.00159	0.0039 ^d	NC			

Notes:

^a % Difference = (GWC-4-17-2 - GWC-4-17-1)/GWC-4-17-1 * 100%.

^b RPD = Relative percent difference, defined as follows:

$$RPD = \frac{(\text{Larger Value} - \text{Smaller Value})}{(\text{Larger Value} + \text{Smaller Value})/2} \times 100\%.$$

^c Detected in the method blank.

^d Value is less than five times the detection limit; results are expected to be less accurate as concentrations approach the detection limit.

NC = Not computed.

Appendix A

Historical Monitoring Data for Selected Parameters

Table A-1. Historical Monitoring Data for Selected Parameters

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWA-1 (Formerly CW-1)											
pH	5.86	6.27	5.6	6.7	6.05	5.94	6.4	5.7	6.82	6.1	5.9
Conductivity	98	114	112	121	104	85	116	101	128	100	110
Alkalinity	15.6	22.3	25.8	27.1	25	16.4	35.4	22.7	28	27	24.8
TDS	94	87	86	84	90	77	99	110	110	116	99
Chloride	7.3	7.4	5.9	4.6	3.8	8.2	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.9
Sulfate	4.5	8.5	8.5	11	17	3.7	17	26	30	20	28
Calcium	6.2	7.6	7.7	7	7.5	5.3	7.9	8.1	4.1	8.0	8.3
Magnesium	3.4	4.9	4.8	4.6	5.1	3.5	5.6	6.0	2.9	5.8	5.9
Sodium	4.2	4.8	4.9	4.3	4.4	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.4	4.3
Silicon	9.8	11	14	16	17	9.6	15	17	11	18	17
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jun 95				
Well: GWA-1 (Formerly CW-1) (continued)											
pH	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	6.31				
Conductivity	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	116				
Alkalinity	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	28.6				
TDS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	108				
Chloride	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	2.10				
Sulfate	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	18.3				
Calcium	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	6.98				
Magnesium	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	5.47				
Sodium	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	4.29				
Silicon	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	16.6				

Table A-1 (continued)

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWC-1 (Formerly CW-2)											
pH	6.09	5.79	5.62	5.93	6.04	5.96	6.1	4.5	5.83	6.0	6.0
Conductivity	81	70	72	63	63	66	78	57	67	57	61
Alkalinity	21.7	22.9	24.4	22.1	20.5	25.8	27.8	23.3	22.5	24.1	27.3
TDS	81	51	59	52	48	64	64	68	43	74	70
Chloride	3.5	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5
Sulfate	7.6	5	2.8	<0.05	1.2	1.5	3.2	3.3	2.2	<2.5	2.6
Calcium	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.2	3.4	3.6	4.3	4.0	8.8	4.1	4.1
Magnesium	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.2	2.4	2.5	3.2	3.0	6.2	2.9	3.0
Sodium	5.9	5.2	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.0	3.8
Silicon	9	9	9.2	11	11	11	11	12	16	12	12
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jun 95				
Well: GWC-1 (Formerly CW-2) (continued)											
pH	6.1	5.89	5.91	6.09	6.09	6.05	5.70				
Conductivity	74	61	60	68	76	77	66				
Alkalinity	29.9	25	30.1	25	22	29.1	31.0				
TDS	22	66	56	64	46	63	72				
Chloride	3.5	2.43	2.77	2.71	2.68	2.64	2.76				
Sulfate	3.3	1.75	1.77	1.64	1.19	1.23	1.10				
Calcium	5.1	4.72	4.65	5.00	4.50	5.30	5.12				
Magnesium	3.7	3.14	3.39	3.70	3.33	3.65	3.83				
Sodium	4.3	4.12	4.16	4.32	4.10	4.21	4.15				
Silicon	12.7	11.9	11.9	11.8	10.9	10.9	11.8				

Table A-1 (continued)

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWC-2 (Formerly CW-3)											
pH	5.64	5.6	5.04	5.5	4.97	5.65	5.5	4.6	5.29	5.4	5.6
Conductivity	76	69	64	66	33	71	66	56	67	56	49
Alkalinity	23.5	19.3	15.2	16.9	12.2	17.5	18.2	17.3	12.5	14.1	15.9
TDS	76	50	55	55	63	65	79	71	68	77	60
Chloride	4.3	5.2	6.9	6.2	5	5.3	3.0	3.4	4.0	4.5	3.5
Sulfate	6.4	5.5	6.3	5.9	5.8	6.3	6.5	7.6	7.9	7.5	7.7
Calcium	4.4	2.8	2.3	2	2	1.7	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.9
Magnesium	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.0
Sodium	7.3	7.4	6.9	7	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.5	6.7	6.8
Silicon	10	10	9.3	12	11	11	11	13	12.0	11	13
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jun 95				
Well: GWC-2 (Formerly CW-3) (continued)											
pH	5.75	5.5	5.72	5.63	5.34	5.53	5.39				
Conductivity	53	57	59	60	66	65	65				
Alkalinity	15.7	14	16.2	7.0	6.9	13.3	14.5				
TDS	27	76	58	60	65	63	64				
Chloride	3.8	3.7	3.79	3.92	4.00	3.81	3.97				
Sulfate	5.78	5.97	5.95	6.73	5.78	4.98	4.33				
Calcium	2.0	2.19	2.05	2.11	1.89	2.23	2.08				
Magnesium	1.8	1.92	1.93	2.03	1.87	1.88	1.92				
Sodium	7.0	7.15	7.09	7.17	6.96	6.79	6.85				
Silicon	12.9	13.3	13.0	12.9	12.2	12.2	13.4				

Table A-1 (continued)

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWC-3 (Formerly CW-4)											
pH	5.4	5.15	4.8	4.73	6.19	5.08	5.25	3.8	5.23	5.2	5.3
Conductivity	40	35	30	34	32	35	32	27	33	27	27
Alkalinity	11.5	15.2	9.9	11	7	11.1	10.0	8.9	7.0	8.5	9.1
TDS	50	35	31	34	39	41	28	37	44	52	21
Chloride	3	2.8	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.0	2.3	2.7	2.9	2.8
Sulfate	2.6	2.1	<0.05	<0.05	0.9	1.5	1.7	2.6	1.6	<2.5	<2.5
Calcium	1	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Magnesium	1	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Sodium	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.1	3.9	3.8
Silicon	8	7.8	3.9	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.3	9.3	9.0	8.7	9.2
Well: GWC-3 (Formerly CW-4) (continued)											
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jun 95				
pH	5.5	5.18	5.43	5.41	5.06	5.10	5.10				
Conductivity	22	28	29	30	36	36	37				
Alkalinity	9.3	7.5	8.5	77	4.8	8.6	8.5				
TDS	<8.7	42	36	39	30	44	52				
Chloride	2.8	2.77	2.76	2.91	3.02	3.15	3.13				
Sulfate	<0.06	1.38	1.52	<0.0471	1.01	<0.0471	0.968				
Calcium	<1.0	0.392	0.321	0.328	0.335	0.441	0.314				
Magnesium	<1.0	0.962	0.935	1.00	1.02	1.10	1.08				
Sodium	4.1	4.35	4.14	4.17	4.34	4.39	4.47				
Silicon	9.7	10.1	9.16	9.15	8.94	8.97	8.90				

Table A-1 (continued)

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWC-4 (Formerly CW-5)											
pH	5.34	4.97	4.8	4.6	5.03	5.4	5.05	3.9	5.04	5.2	5.2
Conductivity	62	62	66	72	54	70	72	58	64	52	54
Alkalinity	12.5	15.3	13.1	15.1	8.6	14.2	11.5	8.0	6.0	6.9	7.0
TDS	61	52	60	51	58	64	61	65	63	55	44
Chloride	5	4.2	5	5.6	4.5	5.2	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.8
Sulfate	2.2	4.6	8	6.8	7.1	5.8	5.3	5.5	5.0	5.9	4.9
Calcium	1.3	<1.0	<1.0	1.3	1.6	1.2	<1.0	<1.0	1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Magnesium	2.5	2.5	3.1	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.9
Sodium	5.4	5.8	5.3	5.1	5	5.2	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.4
Silicon	9.9	9.1	4.7	9.7	9.2	10	8.6	9.5	8.7	8.3	9.3
Well: GWC-4 (Formerly CW-5) (continued)											
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jun 95				
pH	5.2	4.98	5.2	5.10	4.92	5.10	4.98				
Conductivity	63	72	81	108	188	163	148				
Alkalinity	9.2	5.0	10.3	5.0	3.8	9.0	4.6				
TDS	20	64	75	93	110	113	132				
Chloride	6.7	11.3	13.5	20.8	39.7	34.1	39.1				
Sulfate	4.4	4.64	4.50	4.83	4.34	4.18	3.91				
Calcium	1.3	1.81	1.62	2.73	4.04	3.21	3.89				
Magnesium	3.7	5.05	4.98	7.32	11.0	10.2	12.5				
Sodium	5.0	5.33	4.87	5.80	7.86	7.63	8.61				
Silicon	9.8	9.91	9.18	9.91	10.1	9.36	10.0				

Table A-1 (continued)

Parameter	Baseline Monitoring										
	Round 1 6 Sep 90	Round 2 2 Nov 90	Round 3 8-9 Jan 91	Round 4 11 Mar 91	Round 5 8 May 91	Round 6 1-2 Jul 91	Round 7 3-4 Sep 92	Round 8 29-30 Dec 92	Round 9 30-31 Mar 93	Round 10 21 Jun 93	Round 11 23-24 Sep 93
Well: GWC-5											
pH							5.6	4.4	6.13	5.4	5.6
Conductivity							61	60	54	41	40
Alkalinity							14.8	13.5	12.5	10.2	11.5
TDS							91	86	67	56	50
Chloride							1.8	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.5
Sulfate							8.8	10	7.4	6.7	5.5
Calcium							2.1	2.7	2.2	1.6	1.4
Magnesium							1.9	2.3	1.8	1.5	1.4
Sodium							6.0	6.2	5.7	5.5	5.2
Silicon							12	14	13	12	12
Parameter	Round 12 5 Jan 94	Round 13 22-23 Mar 94	Round 14 21-22 Jun 94	Round 15 31 Aug 94	Round 16 20-21 Dec 94	Round 17 28-29 Mar 95	Round 18 13-14 Jan 95				
Well: GWC-5 (continued)											
pH	7.0	5.38	5.42	5.53	5.57	5.52	5.60				
Conductivity	39	43	45	43	47	50	52				
Alkalinity	10.8	8.6	10.8	13.0	11.2	9.5	8.5				
TDS	29	53	61	61	45	50	64				
Chloride	2.6	2.34	2.48	2.67	2.70	2.54	2.62				
Sulfate	5.3	6.56	7.65	6.68	5.75	6.45	6.64				
Calcium	1.3	1.65	1.38	1.26	1.20	1.51	1.31				
Magnesium	1.3	1.6	1.55	1.46	1.32	1.59	1.73				
Sodium	5.5	5.74	5.77	5.38	5.43	5.34	5.54				
Silicon	11.4	11.8	11.3	10.5	10.3	10.3	11.1				

Appendix B
QA/QC Results

Table B-1. Results for Duplicate Samples—1st Quarter 1995

Parameter	Units	Sample GWC-4-17-1	Field Duplicate GWC-4-17-2	% Diff. ^a	Duplicate Analysis GWC-4-17-2	% RPD ^b	Spec. Limit
Total Dissolved Solids	mg/L	113	109	-3.5	104	4.7	15
Bromide	mg/L	6.80	7.01	3.1	7.06	0.7	20
Chloride	mg/L	34.1	34.6	1.5	32.9	5.0	20
Fluoride	mg/L	0.0231 ^c	0.0225 ^c	-2.6	0.0224 ^c	0.4	20
Sulfate	mg/L	4.18	4.25	1.7	4.19	1.4	20
Total Organic Carbon	mg/L	<0.137	<0.137	NC	<0.137	NC	20
Nitrate-Nitrite as N	mg/L	1.58	1.58	0.0	1.55	1.9	20
Total Organic Halides	µg/L	17.2 ^d	12.2 ^d	-29.1	19.6 ^d	46.5	20
Silver	mg/L	<0.00519	<0.00519	NC			
Aluminum	mg/L	<0.0523	0.0999 ^d	NC			
Arsenic	mg/L	<0.00102	<0.00102	NC			
Boron	mg/L	0.0856	0.0779	-9.0			
Barium	mg/L	0.0273 ^c	0.0293 ^c	7.3			
Beryllium	mg/L	<0.00051	<0.00051	NC			
Bismuth	mg/L	<0.00504	<0.00504	NC			
Calcium	mg/L	3.21 ^c	3.32 ^c	3.4			
Cadmium	mg/L	<0.00386	<0.00386	NC			
Cobalt	mg/L	<0.00407	<0.00407	NC			
Copper	mg/L	<0.00916	<0.00916	NC			
Chromium	mg/L	<0.00524	0.00589 ^d	NC			
Mercury	mg/L	<0.000028	<0.000028	NC			
Iron	mg/L	0.0937 ^c	0.139 ^c	48.3			
Potassium	mg/L	<0.822	<0.822	NC			
Lithium	mg/L	<0.00543	<0.00543	NC			
Magnesium	mg/L	10.2	10.5	2.9			
Manganese	mg/L	0.129	0.134	3.9			
Molybdenum	mg/L	<0.00739 ^c	0.0173 ^{c,d}	NC			
Sodium	mg/L	7.63	7.84	2.8			

Table B-1 (continued)

Parameter	Units	Sample GWC-4-17-1	Field Duplicate GWC-4-17-2	% Diff. ^a	Duplicate Analysis GWC-4-17-2	% RPD ^b	Spec. Limit
Nickel	mg/L	<0.0141	<0.0141	NC			
Phosphorus	mg/L	0.524 ^d	0.671	28.1			
Lead	mg/L	<0.000966	<0.000966	NC			
Sulfur	mg/L	1.31	1.43	9.2			
Antimony	mg/L	0.00116 ^d	0.00224 ^d	53.4			
Selenium	mg/L	<0.00124	<0.00124	NC			
Silicon	mg/L	9.36 ^c	8.76 ^c	-6.4			
Tin	mg/L	<0.0145	<0.0145	NC			
Strontium	mg/L	0.0261	0.0265	1.5			
Tellurium	mg/L	<0.00449	<0.00449	NC			
Titanium	mg/L	<0.00159	0.0039 ^d	NC			
Thallium	mg/L	<0.00119	<0.00119	NC			
Uranium	mg/L	<0.199	<0.199	NC			
Vanadium	mg/L	<0.00454	<0.00454	NC			
Tungsten	mg/L	<0.0408	<0.0408	NC			
Zinc	mg/L	<0.00402	<0.00402	NC			

^a % Difference = (GWC-4-17-2 - GWC-4-17-1)/GWC-4-17-1 * 100%.

^b RPD = Relative percent difference, defined as follows:

$$RPD = \frac{(\text{Larger Value} - \text{Smaller Value})}{(\text{Larger Value} + \text{Smaller Value})/2} \times 100\%.$$

^c Detected in the method blank.

^d Value is less than five times the detection limit; results are expected to be less accurate as concentrations approach the detection limit.

NC = Not computed.