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#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The exhaust shaft at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) site was a conventional mining-slashing enlargement of an upreamed shaft. Geotechnical activities in the exhaust shaft were designed to provide additional confirmation of the stratigraphic details that exist in the strata overlying the WIPP underground facility, provide detailed information about the geology in identified zones of interest, confirm the geology of planned instrument levels and locations, and provide a basis for field adjustment and modification of key and aquifer seal design. These activities were carried out concurrently with construction during the period from July 16, 1984 through January 18, 1985.

The exhaust shaft penetrates thin surficial deposits and five formations: the Gatuña Formation of Quaternary age, the Santa Rosa Sandstone of Triassic age, and a Permian age section consisting of the Dewey Lake Redbeds, the Rustler Formation, and the Salado Formation. The entire shaft section from the surface to the facility level was geologically mapped. Ten preselected zones of special interest were mapped in detail. Gypsum-filled fracture systems in three zones in the Dewey Lake Redbeds were mapped in detail as follows:

- The depth interval from 195.0 to 210.0 feet (Figure 6)
- The depth interval from 269.0 to 280.5 feet (Figure 7)
- The depth interval from 353.5 to 375.0 feet (Figure 8).

Seven zones were located in or adjacent to the Rustler Formation:

- The Dewey Lake/Rustler contact (546.5 feet, Figure 9)
- The Forty-Niner Member claystone (575.5 to 586.5 feet, Figure 10)
- The Magenta Dolomite Member (602.5 to 627.0 feet, Figure 10)
- The Tamarisk Member claystone (689.0 to 695.5 feet, Figure 11)
- The Culebra Dolomite Member (713.5 to 736.0 feet, Figure 11)
- The upper portion of the unnamed lower member (736.0 to 800 feet, Figure 11)
- The Rustler/Salado Formation contact and the keyway (845.0 to 912.0 feet, Figure 12).

The stratigraphy observed in the exhaust shaft correlates well with that observed in the waste handling shaft.

Minor fluid-producing zones were observed within the Magenta and Culebra Dolomite Members of the Rustler Formation. The shaft key and aquifer seals were adjusted downward between seven and nine feet as a result of the observed geology.

#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) project is a Department of Energy (DOE) research-and-development facility constructed to demonstrate the safe disposal of radioactive wastes derived from the defense activities of the United States. The WIPP project's mission consists of two parts. The first is to demonstrate the safe handling and disposal of transuranic (TRU) waste in bedded salt. The second is to create a research facility for in-situ examination of the technical issues related to the emplacement of defense-related radioactive waste in bedded salt.

The WIPP facility is located approximately 26 miles east of Carlsbad, New Mexico in an area known as Los Medanos (Figure 1). The underground portion of the facility is located at a depth of approximately 2,150 feet in the bedded salt deposits of the Salado Formation (Figure 2). An extensive program of site characterization and validation has been conducted for the past nine years (1976-1985). The results of these studies are summarized in the WIPP "Geological Characterization Report" (Powers et al., 1978), the WIPP "Safety Analysis Report" (DOE, 1980), the WIPP "Preliminary Design Validation Report" (Bechtel, 1983), and the WIPP "Results of Site Validation Experiments" (Black et al., 1983). Additional site investigations are being conducted as part of an ongoing program to further refine the understanding of the site-specific geology. The geotechnical activities conducted in the exhaust shaft are part of this program.

The exhaust shaft will provide a pathway for the release of exhaust air from the facility to the surface. The shaft is an enlargement of a six-foot diameter, upreamed shaft. The finished diameter is 14 feet in the lined portion of the shaft and 15 feet minimum in the unlined portion. Geotechnical activities consisting of reconnaissance geologic mapping, detailed geologic mapping in specific zones of interest, geologic confirmation of instrument locations, and field adjustment and modification of the key and aquifer seal design were performed concurrently with construction from July 16, 1984 to January 18, 1985. This report presents and discusses the findings from the geologic

mapping efforts in the exhaust shaft. Also, the construction history of the exhaust shaft is summarized, and several engineering geology characteristics are discussed.

#### 1.1 SCOPE OF WORK

The detailed scope of work is presented in the January 12, 1984 Work Plan of Geotechnical Activities in the Waste and Exhaust Shafts (Appendix A). The objectives of the geotechnical activities are as follows:

- Provide additional confirmation and documentation of the strata overlying the WIPP facility horizon.
- Provide detailed information of the gypsum-filled fractures in the Dewey Lake Redbeds.
- Provide detailed information of the geologic conditions in the Rustler Formation in the vicinity of the Dewey Lake/Rustler Formation contact, the Forty-Niner Member claystone, the Magenta Dolomite Member, the Tamarisk Member claystone, the Culebra Dolomite Member, the upper portion of the unnamed lower member, the Rustler/Salado Formation contact, and keyway interval.
- Confirm the geology of planned geomechanical instrument levels/locations.
- Provide a basis for field adjustment and modification of key and aquifer seal design, based on the observed geology.

The geotechnical activities performed to fulfill these objectives included:

- Reconnaissance geologic mapping of the exposed shaft surface during sinking operations.
- Detailed, 360 degree geologic mapping of identified zones of interest.
- Geologic confirmation of planned instrument locations during the aforementioned activities.

Reconnaissance geologic mapping was performed throughout the entire shaft section, with the exception of the zones mapped in detail. Detailed, 360 degree geologic mapping was performed in previously identified zones of interest in the Dewey Lake Redbeds and the Rustler Formation. Three zones containing abundant gypsum filled fractures were selected in the Dewey Lake

Redbeds. Seven zones were selected in the Rustler Formation. In addition, the keyway interval was designated as a zone of interest and mapped in detail. These zones were selected because of possible dissolution origin or hydrologic significance.

#### 1.2 METHODOLOGY

#### 1.2.1 Reconnaissance Geologic Mapping

Reconnaissance geologic mapping was performed concurrently with construction on a non-interference basis in the lined portion of the shaft (from 0 to 907 feet). During each construction cycle, the freshly exposed strata were mapped using the galloway (Figure 3) as the work platform. The lithology observed was measured and described; the entire exposed interval was photographed, and when possible, representative samples were taken.

In the concrete-lined portion of the shaft, the construction cycle consisted of: a) excavation (drilling and blasting), and b) liner construction (pouring concrete in the curb ring and main forms). Exactly 24 feet of the concrete liner was poured during each construction cycle. After excavation, the curb ring was set prior to the pouring of the concrete. At that time, the strata in the interval between the base of the previous pour and the base of the new pour were mapped (Figure 3).

In the unlined portion of the shaft (below 907 feet), reconnaissance geologic mapping could not be performed on a non-interference basis due to the unpredictable nature of the construction cycle. The construction cycle in the unlined portion (i.e., lined only with rock-bolted wire mesh) of the shaft consisted of: a) excavation (similar to lined portion), and b) "hanging" wire mesh. The inability to maintain vertical control and the inconsistent positioning of the galloway during this phase of construction deterred mapping on a non-interference basis. As a result, dedicated shaft time was purchased from the construction contractor (Ohbayashi-Gumi Ltd.) to allow a mapping team of three to four geologists full control of the shaft. Reconnaissance mapping was done on a weekly basis in the unlined portion of the shaft. The entire unlined portion of the shaft was mapped in a total of six exercises averaging about five hours in length. Up to 250 feet of exposed section was mapped at any one time. A vertical strip, approximately five feet wide, of the entire mapping interval was cleaned and mapped.

Vertical survey control was provided by the contractor during both phases of shaft construction. As the shaft liner was constructed, the depth to the base of each successive pour was provided by the contractor and vertical control for mapping was then established from the base of the previous pour. During construction of the unlined portion of the shaft, the contractor's need to maintain vertical control decreased and vertical control was established with survey chains hung from contractor-supplied survey control points.

The procedural guide used for the reconnaissance geologic mapping is outlined by McKinney and Newton (1983) in the "Site Validation Field Program Plan". In the Salado, reconnaissance field maps were drawn on predrafted sheets of gridded mylar at a scale of one inch equals ten feet.

#### 1.2.2 Detailed Geologic Mapping

Dedicated shaft time was purchased from the construction contractor (Ohbayashi-Gumi, Ltd.) to allow mapping teams of four to six geologists full control of the shaft during detailed mapping exercises. Field maps were drawn on blank, gridded mylar at a scale of one inch equals five feet. Vertical control was established from the base of the previous pour, and horizontal lines were spray-painted at five-foot intervals around the circumference of the shaft. Horizontal control and the southernmost point in the shaft were established using the contractor's plumb lines (side lines). A vertical line was spray-painted at the southernmost point of the shaft, and the shaft wall was marked with spray-painted vertical lines at five-foot intervals both east and west of the south line around the circumference of the shaft. This procedure established a five-foot by five-foot grid on the shaft surface.

Accurate map locations of lithologic contacts and features were established using the grid for survey control. The grid also provided a means for identifying locations of samples, features of specific interest, and photographs of the shaft wall. Photographic coverage of each mapped interval was provided for the full circumference of the shaft. All samples were marked with an azimuth and an up arrow, so they can be properly oriented. The samples are cataloged in Appendix B.

#### 1.3 SHAFT CONDITIONS

During the geotechnical activities in the exhaust shaft, a galloway was utilized as the main work platform (Figure 3). The galloway is a steel structure 12 feet in diameter, consisting of three levels or decks. The galloway is raised and lowered by two cables operating on a system separate from the main hoist. The main hoist provides access from the surface to the galloway via a cage.

To assure the optimum observations, geologic mapping exercises were performed as soon as possible after the shaft surface was exposed. However, the shaft wall was often coated with dust from blasting and/or concrete spill-over from the shaft liner construction. In some cases, the shaft wall was covered with rock-bolted wire mesh to prevent spalling, and occasionally material caught behind the mesh totally obscured the lithology. During reconnaissance geologic mapping in the lined portion of the shaft, the walls of the shaft could not be cleaned or washed, as this would interfere with construction progress. However, the shaft surface was washed prior to each detailed mapping exercise when the mapping team had full control of the shaft.

#### 2.0 CONSTRUCTION HISTORY

The exhaust shaft is an enlargement of a six-foot diameter upreamed (raise-bored) shaft. The initial up-reaming or raise-boring was done by two companies: Raisebor, Inc. and J.S. Redpath Co. The construction contractor (Ohbayashi-Gumi, Ltd) employed a conventional mining-slashing method to enlarge the original six-foot diameter shaft to a 14-foot diameter in the lined portion and a 15-foot minimum diameter in the unlined portion. The pilot hole was completed during the period from September 22, 1983 to December 16, 1983. The raise-boring of the exhaust shaft commenced on December 31, 1983 and was completed on February 10, 1984. Excavation for the exhaust shaft collar began on July 15, 1984. The collar liner plate was installed and the concrete backfill was poured on July 17, 1984. The shaft was lined with concrete from the top of the collar to the base of the shaft key at a depth of 907 feet. Concrete liner construction began on July 18, 1984 and was completed on November 29, 1984.

As part of the shaft design, both the Magenta and Culebra Dolomite Members of the Rustler Formation were covered with liner plate prior to the pouring of the concrete liner. The liner plate provided for a temporary void between the rock surface and the concrete lining to prevent hydrostatic pressure buildup before the concrete lining had reached its full strength. After the concrete lining had reached full strength, the area behind the liner plate was grouted to seal off possible fluid inflow. The Culebra was grouted during the period from December 2 to December 4, 1984, and the Magenta was grouted during the period from December 4 to December 5, 1984. Rock-bolted wire mesh was installed in the unlined portion of the shaft. Construction in this phase began on December 7, 1984. On January 17, 1985, excavation in the exhaust shaft was completed to the WIPP underground facility at a depth of approximately 2150 feet. A summary of the exhaust shaft construction history is given in Table 1.

#### 3.0 EXHAUST SHAFT GEOLOGY

#### 3.1 GEOLOGIC MAPPING RESULTS

Geologic mapping was performed using two levels of effort: reconnaissance or detailed mapping. Reconnaissance geologic mapping was performed in all shaft sections not mapped in detail. The results of the reconnaissance geologic mapping are presented in Figure 4. Twenty-five samples were taken during reconnaissance geologic mapping exercises and are cataloged in Appendix B-1.

A higher level of mapping detail was provided by detailed, 360 degree mapping of specific zones of interest. The goals for the detailed mapping in the exhaust shaft were to provide (1) an initial data base of information gathered from in-situ gypsum filled fractures in the Dewey Lake Redbeds, and (2) detailed information concerning previously identified zones of interest.

The gypsum-filled fractures in the Dewey Lake Redbeds are well exposed in both the exhaust and waste shafts. Three intervals containing representative sections of Dewey Lake fractures were selected to be mapped in detail in the exhaust shaft:

- The depth interval from 195.0 to 210.0 feet (Figure 6)
- The depth interval from 269.0 to 280.5 feet (Figure 7)
- The depth interval from 353.5 to 375.0 feet (Figure 8).

These zones were mapped in detail, and the fractures and morphology of their fillings were described. When viewing the figures, it is important to note that only mappable fractures were described, and many fractures were not mapped as they were too small to be included on a map of the entire circumference of the shaft. The lithology of these intervals was reconnaissance mapped in an effort to conserve the amount of time purchased from the construction contractor.

Detailed mapping in the remainder of the shaft section was performed in previously identified zones of interest, as follows:

- The Dewey Lake/Rustler contact (546.5 feet, Figure 9)
- The Forty-Niner Member claystone (575.5-586.5 feet, Figure 10)

- The Magenta Dolomite Member (602.5-627.0 feet, Figure 10)
- The Tamarisk Member claystone (689.0-695.5 feet, Figure 11)
- The Culebra Dolomite Member (713.5-736.0 feet, Figure 11)
- The upper portion of the unnamed lower member (736.0-800 feet, Figure 11)
- The Rustler/Salado Formation contact and the keyway (845.0-912.0 feet, Figure 12).

The data obtained from detailed mapping efforts are presented in Figures 6 through 12. A total of 255 samples were collected during the detailed mapping efforts and are cataloged in Appendix B-2.

In general, the exhaust shaft mapping results correlate well with the geology in the waste handling shaft. Minor exceptions do occur, as the geology appears to vary slightly laterally. Other minor discrepancies are the result of more complete and accurate descriptions during the exhaust shaft mapping as the amount of time available for reconnaissance geologic mapping was greater than that provided for the geologic inspections in the waste handling shaft. Unlike the geologic inspections in the waste handling shaft which confirmed previously mapped strata (Holt and Powers, 1984), the descriptions in the exhaust shaft were completely independent of previously collected data.

#### 3.2 EXHAUST SHAFT STRATIGRAPHY

The exhaust shaft penetrates surficial deposits consisting of Quaternary dune sands and the Mescalero caliche and five formations. In descending order, they are the Gatuña Formation of Quaternary age, the Santa Rosa Sandstone of Triassic age, and the Dewey Lake Redbeds, the Rustler Formation, and the Salado Formation, all of Permian age (Figure 5).

#### 3.2.1 Quaternary Dune Sand

The most recent wide-spread sedimentary deposit in the WIPP site area is a thin blanket of windblown sand. The sand, known locally as the Mescalero sand

(Vine, 1963), occurs as relatively inactive dunes, except in areas where local blowouts occur.

Nearly eight feet of unconsolidated sand occurs at the exhaust shaft. This sand is reddish-brown, silty, and poorly sorted. The majority of the grains are subangular. Less than ten percent of the grains are mafic.

#### 3.2.2 Mescalero Caliche

The Mescalero caliche is an informal stratigraphic unit which derives its name from the Mescalero plain. It is an areally extensive pedogenic petrocalcic horizon that began to form 510,000 years ago (Bachman, 1985).

The Mescalero caliche is 9.5 feet thick in the area of the exhaust shaft. The upper one-foot of the caliche is very hard, and the hardness and overall degree of induration decrease with depth. It also becomes nodular with depth, and the size of the nodules increases with depth. Locally, siltstone and sandstone are engulfed by the caliche. Chert and sandstone pebbles are engulfed higher in the section, and large zones of sand are engulfed at the base.

#### 3.2.3 Gatuña Formation

The Gatuña Formation was named by Robinson and Lang (1938). In the WIPP site area the Gatuña is represented by a thin veneer of fluvial sandstone that is locally absent (Powers et al., 1978). The upper part of the formation is middle Pleistocene in age (Bachman, 1980).

The Gatuña Formation occurs in the depth interval from 17.2 to 34.0 feet. It is a poorly sorted, fine to very fine grained, friable, calcareous sandstone. The lower 1.5 feet of the Gatuña contains angular debris from the underlying Santa Rosa Formation.

#### 3.2.4 Santa Rosa Formation

The Late Triassic Santa Rosa Formation is part of the Dockum Group. In the WIPP site area, the Santa Rosa occurs as an erosional wedge that pinches out west of the site center (Powers et al., 1978).

The Santa Rosa occurs in the depth interval from 34.0 to 53.5 feet. It consists of calcareous reddish-brown siltstone and fine-grained sandstone and contains pebbles of chert.

#### 3.2.5 Dewey Lake\_Redbeds

The Dewey Lake Redbeds were named by Page and Adams (1940). The term "Dewey Lake" is now used for Permian beds included in the "Pierce Canyon" originally proposed by Lang (1935). The term "Pierce Canyon" was used as late as 1963 by Vine in his descriptions of the Permian redbeds in Nash Draw. However, the United States Geological Survey (USGS) adopted the term "Dewey Lake", as it was more widely accepted by geologists.

The Dewey Lake Redbeds occur in the depth interval from 53.5 to 546.5 feet. The Dewey Lake is characterized by its reddish-orange to reddish-brown color and varying sedimentary structures. In the exhaust shaft, the Dewey Lake consists almost entirely of mudstone, claystone, siltstone, and interbedded sandstone. Abundant sedimentary structures are evident throughout the Dewey Lake section in the exhaust shaft. These structures include horizontal laminations, fine cross-laminations of varying size, rip-up clasts, silt-filled mud cracks, interbasinally-derived pebble conglomerates, fining-upward sequences, and soft sediment deformation features. Locally, greenish-gray reduction spots are abundant, and occasionally, entire beds may have a gray color.

With the exception of the upper portion, the Dewey Lake is characterized by locally abundant gypsum-filled fractures. The majority of the fractures are filled with fibrous gypsum, although granular gypsum fillings mark the first occurrence of gypsum fracture fillings in the Dewey Lake. The first occurrence of gypsum fracture fillings in the Dewey Lake at the exhaust shaft is at a depth of 121.5 feet. The significance of the first occurrence of gypsum-filled fractures at various localities is not clear. Preliminary comparisons of data gathered from the waste handling and exhaust shafts with data gathered from boreholes around the WIPP site indicate that the first gypsum fracture fillings do not occur in the same stratigraphic interval laterally.

The majority of all fractures in the Dewey Lake are horizontal to subhorizontal and follow bedding planes (Figures 6, 7, and 8). High angle fractures constitute the lowest percentage of fracture types in the Dewey Lake. At least three separate episodes of fracturing and subsequent filling are locally discernable in the Dewey Lake at the exhaust shaft. In general, younger horizontal to subhorizontal gypsum-filled fractures cross-cut older subvertical fractures, and, in rare cases, younger subvertical fractures cross-cut older horizontal to subhorizontal fractures.

The crystal morphology of the fibrous fracture filling is the result of the stress field which produced it (Durney and Ramsay, 1973). The majority of the gypsum fibers in the fracture fillings are perpendicular to the wall rock. This indicates that there was no displacement parallel to the fracture surface at the time of fracturing and subsequent filling. In some instances, the fibers are not at right angles to the fracture surface, indicating that a component of displacement parallel to the fracture surface occurred throughout the period of fracturing and filling. In rare cases, the fibers have a sigmoidal shape which indicates that there was a component of displacement parallel to the fracture surface not synchronous with the initial fracturing.

#### 3.2.6 Rustler Formation

The term Rustler Formation was clarified by Lang (1935) to stratigraphically define the interval between the Pierce Canyon Redbeds (now recognized as the Dewey Lake Redbeds) and the Salado Formation. Two laterally persistent units of dolomite were recognized, described, and named by Lang (1935; in Adams, 1944). The lowermost is named the Culebra Dolomite Member, and the uppermost is named the Magenta Dolomite Member. A five-fold stratigraphic subdivision of the Rustler was introduced by Vine (1963). Vine designated the anhydrite section above the Magenta as the Forty-Niner Member, and named the interval between the Culebra and the Magenta the Tamarisk Member. The clastic-rich interval below the Culebra was not named and herein is referred to as the unnamed lower member of the Rustler Formation. The Rustler Formation occurs in the depth interval from 546.5 to 850.5 feet. Overall, the lithology of the Rustler is quite variable, containing carbonates, sulfates (gypsum, anhydrite, polyhalite), clastic materials, and halite. The lower portion of the Rustler consists of clastics with some interbedded evaporites, and the upper portion

consists predominantly of anhydrite, carbonates, and clastic materials. As previously indicated, all or a portion of these members were mapped in detail. The lithology of each of the five members is summarized below.

#### 3.2.6.1 Forty-Niner Member

In the exhaust shaft, the top of the Forty-Niner Member occurs at a depth of 546.5 feet, and the depth to the base is 602.5 feet. The Forty-Niner consists of an upper anhydrite (29.0 feet thick), a middle claystone (11.0 feet thick), and a lower anhydrite (16.0 feet thick).

The upper 29.0 feet of the Forty-Niner Member consists of gray, hard, finely crystalline anhydrite. The contact with the Dewey Lake Redbeds is sharp, and undulatory up to 1.5 feet (Figure 9). Laminae within the anhydrite are erosionally terminated at the upper contact, suggesting at least a minor disconformity between the Dewey Lake and the Rustler. The anhydrite is laminated to banded to locally nodular and contains an increasing upwards content of clay interbeds. Horizontal to subhorizontal, gypsum-filled fractures up to 1/2-inch thick with variable spacing occur throughout the anhydrite.

An 11-foot thick clastic zone underlies the upper anhydrite (Figure 10). The clastic zone, commonly called the Forty-Niner Member claystone, is divided into five lithologically distinct mapping units (Figure 10), but herein is divided into three compositionally distinct zones: an upper silty mudstone and claystone zone, a middle gypsiferous silty claystone zone, and a lower gypsiferous siltstone and argillaceous siltstone zone.

The upper zone is approximately one-foot thick and consists of gray (at the top) and reddish-brown, thinly laminated, silty mudstone and silty claystone. An erosional contact marks the base of the gypsum-free upper zone.

The middle zone is about seven feet thick and consists of reddish-brown, thinly laminated to cross-laminated, silty claystone with varying amounts of gypsum. The gypsum occurs locally as nodules and often exhibits enterolithic structures; also, gypsum may occur as cement. The overall content of gypsum in the claystone decreases with depth, and the bedding surrounding local occurrences of gypsum usually shows evidence of soft sediment deformation.

Greenish-gray reduction spots occur locally throughout the middle zone and often have a morphology similar to the gypsum nodules and enterolithic structures. The middle zone contains one major erosional surface between mapping unit 5 and mapping unit 6 (Figure 10). The lower contact of the middle zone appears to be disconformable.

The lower zone consists of siltstone at the top grading to argillaceous siltstone with depth. The lower zone is thinly laminated to very thinly bedded and rarely exhibits soft sediment deformation features. Gypsum nodules occur in the lower zone, and the frequency of their occurrence decreases with depth. The basal contact of the Forty-Niner claystone is sharp, undulatory, and erosional.

The lower anhydrite is gray to brownish-gray, hard, finely crystalline, and 16.0 feet thick. It is laminated to nodular and contains interbeds of laminated carbonate locally and near the base. Fibrous gypsum-filled fractures up to 1/2-inch thick occur throughout the lower anhydrite. The lower contact of the lower anhydrite is sharp and disconformable.

#### 3.2.6.2 Magenta Dolomite Member

The Magenta Dolomite Member of the Rustler Formation is the uppermost of two regionally extensive dolomite units in the Rustler Formation. It is considered to be the second most productive hydrologic unit in the Los Medanos area (Mercer, 1983).

The Magenta occurs in the depth interval from 602.5 to 627.0 feet (Figure 10). The Magenta consists of light brown to dark brown arenaceous dolomite with disseminated gypsum crystals, nodules, and vugs. It contains an abundance of primary sedimentary structures. The bedding is tabular to lenticular, discontinuous, frequently convoluted, and occasionally may be erosionally truncated. Cross-bedding and cross-laminations are pervasive throughout the upper portion of the Magenta. The density of cross-laminations decreases with depth. Clay drape over ripple forms is locally abundant. The bedding often resembles flaser bedding and wavy and lenticular bedding (after Reineck and Singh, 1980).

Load structures occasionally occur at the base of individual beds, and light brown flattened pebbles occur locally. In general, the bedding and associated sedimentary structures become larger with depth.

A zone containing abundant probable algal structures occurs in the lower two feet (Magenta unit 8, Figure 10). These structures are mound-shaped and contain dark brown, probably organic-rich, claystone laminae. Also, a zone containing brownish-black claystone laminae of possible organic origin occurs near the base of the Magenta. The basal contact with the Tamarisk Member is gradational.

#### 3.2.6.3 Tamarisk Member

In the exhaust shaft, the top of the Tamarisk occurs at a depth of 627.0 feet, and the base occurs at a depth of 713.5 feet. Like the Forty-Niner Member, the Tamarisk Member may be divided into three parts: an upper anhydrite, a middle claystone, and a lower anhydrite (Figure 11).

As observed in the exhaust shaft, the upper 62.0 feet of the Tamarisk Member consists of anhydrite. The upper one to two feet of the anhydrite is gypsiferous and exhibits a nodular chicken-wire structure. Below the gypsiferous area, the upper anhydrite becomes finely crystalline and hard. Sedimentary structures in the anhydrite are locally quite variable, and the anhydrite may be laminated to banded to nodular. Interbeds of tan, thinly laminated carbonate are quite common and may be associated with anhydrite pseudomorphs after gypsum swallowtail crystals. A one-inch to two-inch thick bed of black organic-rich (?) claystone containing fibrous gypsum-filled fractures occurs at a depth of 665.9 feet. A one-foot thick light and dark gray, thinly laminated anhydritic claystone occurs 1.5 feet from the top of the middle claystone and is underlain by argillaceous anhydrite containing enterolithic structures and nodules flattened parallel to bedding. The basal contact of the upper anhydrite with the middle claystone is sharp and occurs at a depth of 689.0 feet.

The Tamarisk Member middle claystone is silty and is subdivided on the basis of color; the upper portion of the claystone is gray, and the lower portion is reddish-brown. The contact between the two is diffuse, undulatory up to 3.5

feet, and is considered to be a reduction-oxidation contact. Both the gray and reddish-brown portions of the Tamarisk Member middle claystone contain irregularly-shaped zones of the other color, reddish-brown or gray.

The upper gray and lower reddish-brown units of the middle claystone do not appear to be consistently separable by any means other than color, and for ease of reporting, will be considered as one unit. The claystone is weakly thinly laminated. Locally, the laminae may be slickensided, and as a whole, the unit appears to have undergone ductile flow. Nodules of gypsum and subangular, irregularly shaped clasts of anhydrite occur throughout the claystone, and in general, the concentration of both increases with depth. Pyrite or marcasite occurs locally in the upper part, and stringers of orange sand occur locally in the lower part. The lower two inches to 1.5 feet is in part anhydritic. The basal contact of the claystone with the lower anhydrite occurs at an average depth of 695.5 feet, is sharp, extremely undulatory, and erosional. An erosional channel 2.5 feet into the underlying anhydrite occurs at the west side of the shaft.

This zone contains considerably less gypsum-filled fractures than the stratigraphic equivalent in the waste handling shaft. The prevalent fracture pattern is arcuate, and the gypsum filling in the fractures is fibrous and commonly exhibits a sigmoidal internal structure.

The lower 18.0 feet of the Tamarisk Member consists of light gray to gray anhydrite. The anhydrite is finely crystalline and nodular to thinly laminated to banded. The upper 0.1 to 0.2 feet contains brown gypsum stars or rosettes. In cross-section the gypsum rosettes have a radiating crystal habit. Between a depth of 702.0 and 702.5 feet, a dark gray claystone bed occurs; the claystone bed contains locally bifurcating fibrous gypsum-filled fractures. Below the clay seam, cross-cutting relationships within the anhydrite are evident. Thin beds and laminae containing thinly laminated carbonate occur with depth.

The lower two feet of the lower anhydrite is gypsiferous and displays a nodular chicken-wire structure. The basal contact of the Tamarisk Member occurs at an average depth of about 713.5 feet, is sharp, and is slightly undulatory.

#### 3.2.6.4 Culebra Dolomite Member

The Culebra is the lowermost of two laterally persistent units of dolomite in the Rustler. The Culebra is the most productive hydrologic unit in the Los Medanos area (Mercer, 1983).

In the exhaust shaft, the Culebra occurs in the depth interval from 713.5 to about 736.0 feet (Figure 11). The Culebra consists primarily of dolomite and argillaceous dolomite containing some arenaceous material. Gypsum-filled vugs and nodules are locally abundant and may vary in diameter from less than 1/16 inch to 1-1/2 inch. The dolomite is microlaminated to medium bedded, and often, the thicker beds are microlaminated to thinly laminated to structureless, and are occasionally cross-laminated.

The lower one-half to one foot of the Culebra (mapping unit 7, Figure 11) is lithologically distinct from the rest of the section. It consists of well indurated and bedded, thinly laminated to laminated dolomite. The laminae within this bed parallel an extremely undulatory lower contact and locally dip up to 45 degrees. Deformational space problems are apparent as individual laminae are locally contorted and apparently displaced parallel to bedding. An east-west trending trough-shaped downwarp of the bedding was observed in the shaft. On the west side of the shaft, a zone of breccia clasts is associated with the downwarp. These clasts apparently originate from the basal unit in the Culebra (Culebra unit 7, Figure 11); the breccia is clast supported, consisting of roughly 80 percent angular to subangular clasts of dolomite with a dolomite matrix.

In the exhaust shaft, the bedding in the Culebra is disjointed by abundant fractures which cause a very broken overall appearance. The fracture patterns are locally consistent but vary from unit to unit. In many cases, mapping units were picked on the basis of the nature of fracture patterns. In the Culebra, the degree of induration and apparent competency of various units, as well as the nature of the fracture patterns displayed, appear to be a function of the amount of clay-rich interbeds and the clay content of the dolomite itself. A general correlation can be made between the abundance of broken, fractured beds and the overall content of clay.

In the upper portion of the Culebra, fracture surfaces are usually marked with an orange stain. In the lower portion, the orange stain occurs less frequently, and the fracture surfaces are, instead, marked by what appears to be relict gypsum fracture fillings.

#### 3.2.6.5 Unnamed Lower Member

The unnamed lower member of the Rustler Formation occurs in the depth interval from about 736.0 to 850.5 feet. It overlies the Salado Formation and underlies the Culebra Dolomite Member. The composition of the lower member is the most variable of any member in the Rustler; it consists of clastic material with subordinate amounts of interbedded halite, anhydrite, and polyhalite (Figures 4 and 11).

The upper nine feet of the lower member consist of claystone, silty claystone, and argillaceous siltstone with minor amounts of interbedded anhydrite and gypsum. This interval is subdivided into five mapping units. The lithology of this zone from top to bottom is subdivided as follows: an upper claystone, an upper fining-upward sequence, a middle claystone, a middle fining-upward sequence, and a lower gypsiferous claystone. The contacts of the mapping units are undulatory and mimic the upper contact with the Culebra.

Along the west side of the shaft, the unnamed lower member mapping units are deformed where they underlie the breccia at the base of the Culebra. The mapping units are continuous around the circumference of the shaft, but are bent downward in the area of disturbance. The upper two mapping units are identified as the major constituents in this zone. The lowermost claystone unit thins directly below the zone and thickens in the area adjacent. Flowage type structures are abundant in the zone and are indicated by abundant slickensides. The middle claystone and the middle fining-upward sequence are bent downward in the area directly adjacent to the zone and apparently thin in that direction.

The upper claystone is gray to grayish-maroon and thinly laminated. Each of the fining-upward sequences consists of argillaceous siltstone at the base grading upward into silty claystone. The middle claystone and the argillaceous siltstone at the base of the middle fining-upward sequence are thinly laminated. Each of the fining-upward sequences contain locally broken interbeds of anhydrite. These anhydrite beds, although broken, are continuous and traceable around the shaft wall. The uppermost fining-upward sequence contains poorly preserved gypsum enterolithic structures. The lower gypsiferous zone consists of locally thinly laminated, silty claystone containing abundant nodules of gypsum up to two inches in diameter. Slickensides are locally present throughout the majority of the section, and where the units are laminated, the laminae often are slickensided. Fibrous gypsum-filled fractures occur in the lower three mapping units; they vary in thickness from 1/32 inch to one inch. The overall size and frequency of occurrence decreases with depth. The majority of the fractures are horizontal to subhorizontal. The basal contact of this unit occurs at an average depth of 745.0 feet and is sharp.

Anhydrite occurs in the depth interval from 745.0 to 755.0 feet. The upper 0.5 to 1.5 feet of the anhydrite is white, gypsiferous and contains radial gypsum structures. A one-foot thick bed of mixed reddish-pink polyhalite and anhydrite occurs below the gypsiferous zone. Within the one-foot thick bed, the polyhalite content increases with depth and then abruptly decreases at the base. This is the only polyhalite bed observed in the Rustler section in the exhaust shaft. The remainder of the anhydrite is nodular to thinly laminated to laminated. Halite pseudomorphs after gypsum swallowtail crystals become abundant with depth. The pseudomorphs vary in size up to a maximum of two inches. The basal contact of the anhydrite is sharp.

An 11-foot thick, halite-rich sequence underlies the anhydrite. In general, the halite content increases with depth, and the detrital content decreases with depth. The upper two feet of this zone consists of thinly laminated, sandy mudstone with about one to two percent halite. The remainder of the section consists of halitic mudstone and argillaceous halite. Halite occurs as clear displacive crystals (e.g., Shearman, 1978). Deeper in the section, some halite crystals contain fluid inclusions aligned in zones parallel to crystal faces. Clay occurs as interstitial material and matrix. Several small channels were observed in the middle part of the section. The basal contact of this interval is gradational. A two-foot thick, finely crystalline

anhydrite underlies the halite sequence and contains five to ten percent halite in irregularly shaped, horizontal vugs or spaces. It is thinly laminated at the base. The bedding is distorted in the upper 10 to 12 inches, and beds are frequently tilted upward toward peaks in a manner similar to carbonate tepee structures.

A second halite-rich sequence occurs beneath the anhydrite in the depth interval from approximately 767.5 to 790.0 feet. The upper three feet of this sequence consists of pink to white, polyhalitic, coarsely crystalline halite interbedded with layers of anhydrite and claystone which contain displacive halite crystals. The middle part of this sequence consists of argillaceous halite containing halitic sandy mudstone locally near the base. Halite occurs as displacive crystals which have disrupted the surrounding bedding. The lower part of this sequence consists of argillaceous halite and halitic mudstone grading to sandy halitic siltstone with depth. In this lower unit, halite occurs as displacive crystals and as clear crystals with fluid inclusions. Although there are local occurrences where the halite content increases with depth, the overall halite content decreases and the amount of clastic material increases with depth.

From a depth of about 790.0 feet to a depth of about 803.8 feet, the lower member consists of siltstone and sandy siltstone interbedded with claystone and mudstone. The lithology exposed in this interval may be subdivided into units eight to twenty inches thick. The units in this interval are microlaminated to thinly bedded and exhibit cross-cutting relationships. In general, units are down-cut to the east and the southeast. Observed sedimentary structures include: symmetrical ripples with clay drape, local fining-upward sequences, cross-laminations, and rare soft sediment deformation. The majority of the cross-laminations show current directions to the south.

The remainder of the unnamed lower member, with the exception of the basal one to two feet, consists mainly of siltstone and argillaceous siltstone interbedded with minor amounts of claystone. The majority of the section is thinly laminated and exhibits an abundance of sedimentary structures. A major portion of the remainder of the unnamed lower member contains sedimentary rock disturbed in a manner which resembles bioturbation. Clasts or nodules of

anhydrite, 1/8 inch to 1-1/2 inch in diameter, occur lower in the section and may be aligned in zones parallel to bedding. A sandstone pebble conglomerate occurs near the base of the unnamed lower member. This conglomerate contains fossil bivalve hash and exhibits a petroliferous odor when broken.

Two sulfate units occur in the lower one to two feet. The uppermost sulfate unit consists of finely crystalline, locally nodular and enterolithic mix of polyhalite and anhydrite. The lower sulfate unit consists of argillaceous polyhalite and anhydrite with very small displacive halite crystals. The basal contact of the unnamed lower member of the Rustler Formation occurs at an average depth of 850.5 feet and is marked by a change in matrix from sulfate to clay.

#### 3.2.7 Salado Formation

The term Salado was originated by Lang (1935) for the upper, salt-rich part of the Castile gypsum of Richardson (1904). An informal threefold division of the Salado Formation is herein utilized; it includes: an unnamed upper member, a middle member locally designated the McNutt potash zone, and an unnamed lower member. As each of the members contain similar amounts of halite, anhydrite, and polyhalite (Jones, 1973), the distinction between the members is made on the basis of the content of other potassium and magnesium-bearing minerals. The upper and lower members demonstrate a lack of these minerals, while the middle member (McNutt potash zone) shows a relative abundance of potassium and magnesium-bearing minerals. Due to the abundance of laterally-persistent beds, the Salado is also subdivided on a much finer scale. A system of numbering individual beds of anhydrite and polyhalite (marker beds) was introduced by geologists of the USGS (Jones et al., 1960). The marker bed system is used extensively by mining companies in the Carlsbad potash mining district.

The top of the Salado occurs at an average depth of 850.5 feet in the exhaust shaft. The Salado consists of halite, anhydrite, and polyhalite with varying amounts of other potassium-bearing minerals. About 85 to 90 percent of the Salado is halite (Jones, 1973). Beds of anhydrite and polyhalite alternate with thicker beds of halite throughout the Salado section.

Halite in the Salado is rarely pure and often contains minor amounts of clay, polyhalite, and anhydrite. The halite is generally white to clear, but it may be tinted orange, reddish-brown, and gray by varying amounts of interstitial polyhalite or clay. Halite may also occur in some beds of claystone, argillaceous halite and, occasionally, anhydrite as displacive crystals. Halite replacements of sulfate are common and most visibly occur as halite pseudomorphs after gypsum swallowtail crystals.

In the Salado, argillaceous halite is reddish-brown to gray in color. In an argillaceous halite, clay may occur as matrix material, interstitial material, and intercrystalline material. The clay content of most argillaceous halites decreases with depth. Clay frequently occurs as stringers, usually less than 1/4 inch thick, which may be horizontal to subhorizontal or randomly oriented. Thin beds of claystone frequently occur at the base of sulfate units.

The majority of the sulfate units in the Salado consist of finely crystalline polyhalite and/or anhydrite. In the exhaust shaft, various classic sulfate sedimentary structures were observed in the anhydrites and polyhalites of the Salado, including nodular structures, enterolithic structures, and swallowtail structures. Some of the anhydrite and polyhalite beds are visually structureless. The majority of the polyhalite and anhydrite beds are underlain by thin beds of gray claystone. Polyhalite and anhydrite may also occur in halite beds as disseminated, irregularly shaped blebs or as stringers.

Several sedimentary features, previously unreported at the WIPP site, were observed in the Salado at the exhaust shaft and are discussed below. In the depth interval between 1038.7 and 1040.3 feet, two beds of carbonate occur. The upper bed is thinly laminated with alternating light brown and grayish-brown laminae. The structure displayed in this interval is remarkably similar to that which occurs in an algal stromatolite. The lower bed consists of finely crystalline dolomite.

The Vaca Trista marker bed, which marks the top of the McNutt potash zone, occurs in the interval between 1353.6 and 1358.0 feet. The Vaca Trista is classified as a halitic siltstone. Abundant channel forms filled with

siltstone up to three feet deep, occasionally containing cross-laminations, were observed in this unit. Halite occurs as isolated displacive crystals up to 1-1/2 inch on a side.

Erosional features are very common in the Salado at the exhaust shaft. Penecontemporaneous dissolution pits, similar to those described by Powers and Hassinger (1985), occur abundantly throughout the Salado section and may occasionally achieve depths greater than three feet. Between 2032.0 and 2036.3 feet, the exhaust shaft penetrated a 4.3-foot deep erosional channel in marker bed 136 that is filled with halite. The width of this channel could not be determined, as only the west bank of the channel was intercepted by the shaft.

#### 3.3 ENGINEERING GEOLOGY

#### 3.3.1 Fractures and Hardness of Rock Types

Engineering properties related to the occurrence of significant naturally occurring fractures/joints and the relative hardness of some rocks exposed are described in the lithologic descriptions in Figures 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12.

Due to the lithostatic pressure, many unfilled fractures were naturally closed and could not be readily observed unless blasting had removed the block from one side and exposed a flat surface. Thus, unfilled fracture density and orientation could not be readily determined, as the data available was incomplete. Where observed, significant filled and unfilled fractures are described in the aforementioned figures.

#### 3.3.2 Groundwater Inflows

Of the five formations observed during geologic mapping in the exhaust shaft, only the Rustler Formation contained obvious fluid-bearing zones. These zones are the Magenta and the Culebra Dolomite Members of the Rustler Formation. The Rustler/Salado contact, often considered a fluid-producing zone (Mercer, 1983), did not yield any observable fluid.

In the Magenta Dolomite Member, the only zone observed producing fluid occurs in the depth interval from about 609.5 to 615.0 feet (Magenta mapping unit 5, Figure 10). This zone produced very little fluid. It was moist at the onset

of mapping and remained so even after the rock was washed and the rest of the section had dried. No obvious source of fluid was visible. The section was distinctly moist, but the quantity of fluid produced was too small to be measured or estimated. Fluid production in this interval is confined to a lithologically distinct unit and cannot be attributed to any macroscopically visible lithologic features. The unit is neither fractured to any great extent nor does it contain an excessive amount of vugs when compared with the rest of the Magenta section. The unit is well indurated and hard and contains an abundance of primary sedimentary structures.

Unlike the Magenta, the entire Culebra section was wet. Fluid was observed issuing from bedding planes, fracture surfaces, and small unfilled vugs. In general, the zones producing the most fluid contained more abundant natural fractures. The major fluid producing zone appeared to occur in the interval between 724.5 feet and about 735.5 feet (Culebra mapping unit 6, Figure 11). This zone is a lithologically distinct unit and is the most fractured unit mapped in the Culebra. Overall inflow into the shaft from the Culebra was visually estimated to be between three and six gallons per minute.

#### 3.3.3 Unstable Areas

The majority of the shaft section could be considered relatively stable with respect to overall rock strength characteristics. Only a few intervals were substantially less stable. All of these zones occur in the Rustler Formation and include the Forty-Niner Member claystone (575.5 to 586.5 feet), the Tamarisk Member claystone (689.0 to 695.5 feet), and the upper nine feet of the unnamed lower member (736.0 to 745.0 feet).

#### 3.3.4 Blast-Related Effects

The effects of smooth wall blasting were visually assessed during the geologic mapping. In particular, two blasting-induced effects were observed: overblast and blast-induced fracturing.

As used here, the term overblast refers to the removal of material, by blasting, from outside the designed shaft wall circumference. The ideal final result of smooth wall blasting is a relatively smooth shaft wall with one-half of each of the outermost blasting drill-holes remaining. An overblast

situation occurs when the explosive charge in an outer drill-hole is too large to permit the wall rock to remain in place, and thus removes more rock than originally designed, including all trace of the original drill-hole. Slight overblasts were observed in almost every interval exposed in the shaft. Due to the frequency and irregular distribution of overblasted zones, they were not included on the final lithologic descriptions. However, two general observations can be made; the frequency of overblasts in the Salado section was considerably less than elsewhere in the shaft, and the Rustler anhydrites were rarely overblasted.

The most common type of fractures induced by blasting originate from a blast-hole at the shaft wall and radiate outward into the wall rock. The rock surface in the lined portion of the shaft was rarely exposed for more than one day before it was covered with concrete. As a result, blast-induced fractures were rarely observed, and when observed, were not very prominent. In the unlined section, the rock was not covered with concrete and was observed up to a week after the initial exposure by blasting. In this case, blast-induced fractures were distinctly visible. The fractures were commonly open, and often, several fractures could be observed originating from one remnant blast-hole.

#### 3.3.5 Shaft Design Modifications Based on Observed Geology

With the exception of the diameter, concrete thickness, and station configuration, the exhaust shaft design is similar to the waste handling shaft design. During mapping, however, it was noted that the Magenta, Culebra, and the top of the Salado Formation occurred deeper in the exhaust shaft than in the waste handling shaft. As a result, the liner plated zones and the shaft keyway were located deeper than originally designed (Table 2).

Designed geomechanical instrumentation locations (Table 3) were selected based on the observed geology and construction-related constraints.

#### 4.0 CONCLUSION

The objectives of the geotechnical activities in the exhaust shaft were fulfilled during the period from July 16, 1984 through January 18, 1985. Geologic mapping of the shaft (including documentation from samples and photographs) from the surface to the facility level provided additional confirmation of the geologic conditions that exist above the WIPP facility level and were the basis for field modification of the key and aquifer seal design.

The exhaust shaft mapping data correlates well with the data collected in the waste handling shaft and boreholes adjacent to the WIPP. No anomalous structural or stratigraphic features were observed, although slight differences in the depth and thickness of various stratigraphic units were noted. In general, stratigraphic units occurred slightly deeper in the exhaust shaft than they do in the waste handling shaft. As a result, the key and aquifer seal depths were adjusted downward seven and nine feet respectively.

The Magenta and Culebra Dolomite Members of the Rustler Formation contained the only fluid-producing zones observed in the shaft. The fluid-producing zones within each member were identified. Each zone produced only minor amounts of fluid.

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# TABLE 1 ABRIDGED CONSTRUCTION HISTORY OF THE EXHAUST SHAFT

Location:

Eddy County, New Mexico New Mexico Grid Coordinates

Y 499287.23, X 667370.39

Elevation: Shaft Collar: 3411.5 feet MSL

Reference: 3409 feet MSL

Construction Contractor: Ohbayashi-Gumi, Ltd.

> Subcontractors for Raisebore, Inc. and Raise Bore Shaft: J. S. Redpath Co.

Pilot Hole for

Raise Bore Started: September 22, 1983

Pilot Hole Completed: December 16, 1983

Upreaming Started: December 31, 1983

Upreaming Completed: February 10, 1984

Collar Excavation Began: July 15, 1984

Liner Plate and Concrete

Backfill Completed: July 17, 1984

Concrete Liner Started: July 18, 1984

Concrete Liner Completed: November 29, 1984

Culebra Dolomite Grouted: December 2-4, 1984

Magenta Dolomite Grouted: December 4-5, 1984

Construction of Unlined December 7, 1984

Portion Began:

Construction of Unlined

Portion Completed: January 17, 1985

TABLE 2

EXHAUST SHAFT DESIGN LOCATIONS MODIFIED ON THE BASIS
OF THE OBSERVED GEOLOGY

	Design Location Depth (Feet) (1)	As-Built Location Depth (Feet)	Net Adjustment <sup>(2)</sup> (Feet)
Top of Liner Plate			
Magenta	591	600	+9
Culebra	701	710	+9
Top of Keyway	837	844	+7
Bottom of Keyway	900	907	+7

### Notes:

<sup>(1)</sup> Depths are based on reference elevation at 3409 feet msl.

<sup>(2)</sup> Positive adjustment (+) indicates that the item was adjusted downward relative to land surface.

TABLE 3
INSTRUMENT LOCATIONS IN THE EXHAUST SHAFT

Instrument Type (1)	Number	Depth (feet)(2)	Elevation (feet)
PE	3	544	2865
PE	3	615	2794
PE	3	673	2736
PE	3	721	2688
PE	3	768	2641
PE	3	850	2559
WE	4	874	2535
PE	3	887	2522
GE	3	1078	2331
GE	3	1573.5	1835.5
GE	3	2066	1343

### Notes:

GE = Extensometer

PE = Piezometer

WE = Earth pressure cell

<sup>(1)</sup> Instrument Type:

<sup>(2)&</sup>quot;Depths" are based on the reference elevation at 3409 feet MSL. From marked-up as-built drawing No. 35-J-003-030, Rev.2, p. 3.

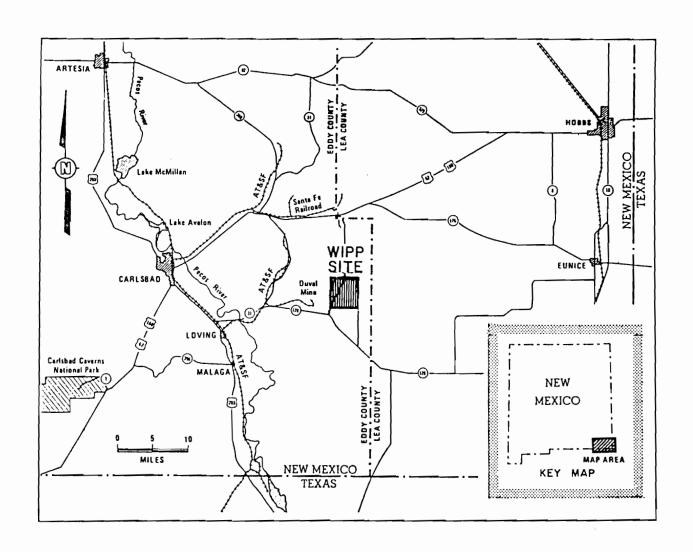
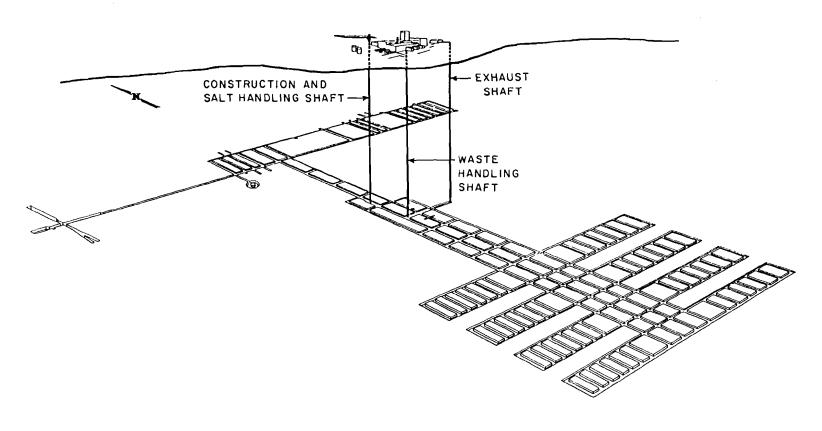


FIGURE I
GENERAL LOCATION
OF THE
WIPP SITE
PREPARED FOR

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORPORATION
CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO



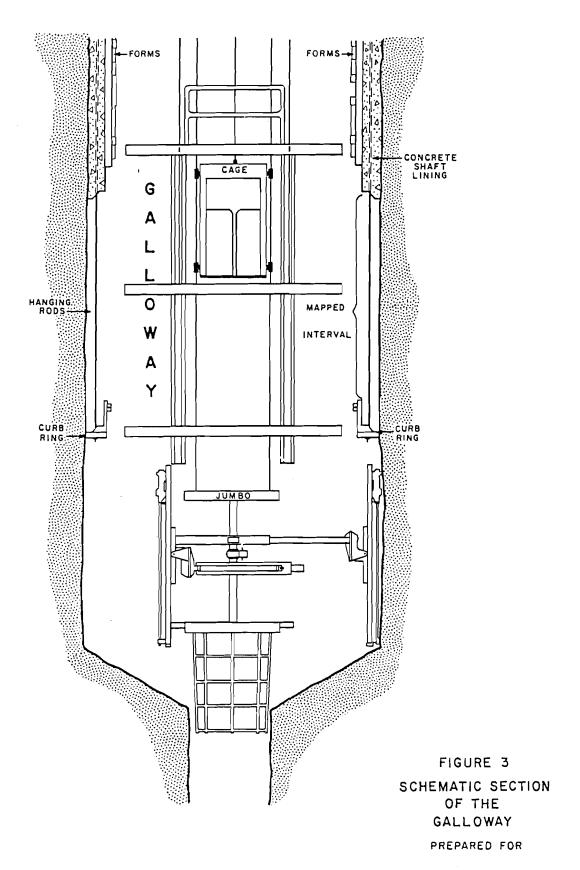
## FIGURE 2

WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PROJECT PLANT UNDERGROUND LAYOUT

PREPARED FOR

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORPORATION CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

IT CORPORATION



WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORPORATION CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

# Figure 4 EXHAUST SHAFT LITHOLOGIC LOG

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	EXPLAN	ATION		WTSD-TME 038
	ROCK T	YPE		
SAND/SANDSTONE	MUDSTO CLAYST		SILTSTONE	
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3410 -	•.		QUATERWARY DUNE SAND. SAND, SILTY, REDDISH-BROWN, POORLY SORTED, SUBANGULAR CRAIMS,
3409 -	<b>⊢</b> 0		A FEW MAFIC CRAIMS (LESS THAN 10%); WEAKLY CONSOLIDATED.
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			MESCALERO CALICHE. CALICER, WHITE TO TAM, MODULAR, SIZE AND QUANTITY OF MODULES
j			INCREASING WITH DEPTH; CARBONATE CONTENT HIGHEST IN LIGHT COLORED SUBHORIZONTAL
3399	- 10		STRINGERS; UPPER 1.8" HARD, HARDNESS DECREASING TOWARD BASE; MOIST; CONTAINS LOCAL
[	,		CONCENTRATIONS OF SILTSTONE AND SANDSTONE; COLOR BECOMES REDDISH-BROWN TOWARD BASE;  IRREGULARLY-SHAPED DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF SILTSTONE, CHERT AND SANDSTONE PEBBLE
			CONGLONERATE HIGHATE VERTICALLY AND LATERALLY; THICK DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF ORANGISH-
			BROWN SAND OCCUR NEAR BASE; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
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1			CATUMA FORMATION. SANDSTONE, FINE TO VERY FINE CRAINED, REDDISH-BROWN, POORLY
1			SORTED, CALCAREOUS, FRIABLE, DRY; BASAL 1.5' IS SANDSTONE, COARSE TO FINE GRAINED,
3389	- 20		POORLY SORTED, ROUNDED, CONTAINING ANGULAR DEBRIS FROM UNDERLYING REDBEDS; BASAL
3309	-20		CONTACT SHARP, EROSIONAL, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
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3374	- 33		SAND-SIZED CRAIMS, REDDISH-BROWN, CALCAREOUS, POORLY SORTED, CONTAINS PEBBLES OF
I	l		CHERT AND MAPIC GRAINS; UPPER 1.9' CONTAINS CALICHE IN SUBBORIZONTAL STRINGERS;
	Į.		BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
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3354-	<b>55</b>	-	DEVEY LAKE REDBEDS  MUDSTONE INTERBEDDED WITH ARGILLACEOUS SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED (1/8" TO 1"), BEDDING SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, HARD; SEDIMENTARY STRUC- TURES INCLUDE: SHALL TABULAR RIP-UP CLASTS (<1/4") ALIGNED IN THIN BEDS, CROSS LANINATIONS, LOAD STRUCTURES, FILLED DESICCATION CRACKS; OCCASIONAL 1-1/2" INTERBEDS
3349	-60		OF GRAY SILTSTOWE; RAME GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (<1/16" DIAMETER); BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
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1 1			HUDSTONE, REDDISE-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED, HARD; CONTAINS THIN BEDS
3319-	- 90		(1/2" TO 1") OF GRAY SILTY MUDSTONE; PRACTURES PARALLEL TO BEDDING, SPACED 1"; OCCA-
33.3			SIGNAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/4" TO 1/2" DIAMETER); CONTAINS OCCASIONAL
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1 1			LOAD STRUCTURES; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
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3314-	- 95		SILTY HUDSTONE INTERBEDDED WITH ARGILLACEOUS SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LANI-
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j 1			NATED TO THINLY BEDDED (<1/32" TO 2-1/2"); OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY SILTSTONE
j 1			INTERBEDS; OCCASIONAL LOAD STRUCTURES; SMALL OPEN PRACTURES PARALLEL TO BEDDING,
) 1			SPACED 1" TO 2-1/2"; FEW SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES, SPACED 1' TO 2.5'; BASAL CONTACT
			DIFFUSE.
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! [			SANDSTONE, VERY FINE GRAINED, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO CROSS-LAMINATED,
3304	-105		HARD TO SOFT, RARE INTERSEDS OF SILTY HUDSTONE (1/2" TO 1" THICK); THIN (<1/32")
1 1			·
1 1			SUBBORIZONTAL FRACTURES PARALLEL TO BEDDING, SPACED 3" TO 9"; TWO 1/2" THICK
1 . 1			PARALLEL HORIZONTAL FRACTURES FILLED WITH CARBONATE OCCUR AT 108.0' AND 108.5';
1 1			OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
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			LAMINATED, HARD; RARE GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1/2" DIAMETER);
<u> </u>			OCCASIONAL 1/4" TO 2" THICK GREENISH-GRAY INTERBEDS; OCCASIONAL SOFT SEDIMENT
<u> </u>			DEFORMATION FEATURES; HORIZONTAL FRACTURES PARALLEL TO BEDDING, SPACED: 1" TO 4";
{ <b>!</b>			BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
<b>}</b>			
3289	-120		SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO CROSS-LAMINATED; OCCASIONAL INTERBEDS
1 1			OF SILTY MUDSTONE; LOAD STRUCTURES, MUDSTONE RIP-UP CLASTS; MODERATELY ABUNDANT
<b>1</b>			GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1/4" DIAMETER); OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY
j			BEDS (1/2" TO 2" THICK); THIN HORIZONTAL PRACTURES (<1/32") WITH CYPSUM FILLING
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) i			BELOW 121.5', SPACED 2" TO 1.5'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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3279	130		SILTY MUDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LANIMATED (<1/32"), LOCALLY INTERBEDDED WITH
			SILTSTONE; CONTAINS CROSS-LANINATIONS, FILLED DESICCATION CRACKS; SUBVERTICAL CLAY-
			FILLED FRACTURES OCCUR NEAR TOP, SPACED 3" TO 4"; LOCALLY, BEDDING MAY BE GREENISH-
			GRAY IN COLOR; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER);
			SUBHORIZONTAL CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, SPACED 3" TO 6"; SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES SPACED
3274	-135		3" TO 12"; IN LOWER 3', 1/8" TO 3" THICK HORIZONTAL CREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION ZONES
32.			OCCUR IN GROUPS, INDIVIDUAL ZONES SPACED 1/2", GROUPS SPACED 0.8' TO 1.5'; BASAL
	ı		CONTACT SHARP, NARKED BY 2" BED OF WHITISH-GRAY SILTSTONE WITH A GREENISH-GRAY
			REDUCTION ZONE ABOVE AND BELOW.
			WITHPEAUP BARE SPRATER SEAM THEFESTREE HAS STOWN AND THE BARE TO CHE SEAT THE STOWN SEAT
3269	-140		MUDSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, INTERBEDDED WITH SILTY HUDSTONE, LIGHT REDDISH-BROWN,
		- <del></del>	THINLY LANIMATED TO SEDDED (<1/32" TO 1/2"), LOCALLY FISSILE, OCCASIONALLY CROSS-
			LAHINATED, BEDDING MAY TERMINATE EROSIONALLY, STRUCTURES BECOMES LESS FINE BELOW
ĺ	,		148.0'; RARE SUBVERTICAL TO HIGH ANGLE FRACTURES WITH GRANULAR GYPSUM FILLING (<1/8"
			THICK); FROM 132.5' TO 147.5', ABUNDANT SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES, SPACED 1'; ABUNDANT
	_		GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/32" TO 2" DIAMETER); BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
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3259	-150		<del></del>
			SILTY MUDSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, INTERBEDDED WITH SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN,
			THIMLY LAMIMATED TO BEDDED (1/32" TO 1-1/2"), SOFT; OCCASIONALLY CROSS-LAMIMATED,
		<del></del>	CONTAINS LOAD STRUCTURES, OVERALL SEDIMENTARY STRUCTURES ARE LESS FINE THAN OVER-
			LYING UNIT, GRAIN SIZE COARSENS DOWNWARD; 1" TO 2" THICK HORIZONTAL GREENISH-GRAY
			REDUCED ZOWES, SPACED 3" TO 5"; FRACTURES OCCUR BELOW 154.5", 1/8" THICK, FILLED
3254	-155		WITH CYPSUM; SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES SPACED 2' TO 3', SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES SPACED
			0.5' TO 1.3'; BASAL 2' CONTAINS CREENISH-GRAY AND REDDISH-BROWN INTERBEDDED
			MUDSTONE; ABUNDANT CREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/32" TO 1" DIAMETER); BASAL CON-
		( ( (	TACT SHARP.
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3249	-160		
		<del></del>	SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO STRUCTURELESS; BEDDING THICKENS AND
			THINS (1/2" TO 2"); OCCASIONAL GREEWISH-GRAY BEDS 1/8" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED 3.0';
	ļ	4-4-	ONLY A FEW HIGH ANGLE FRACTURES 1/8" CHICK, CYPSUN-FILLED, STRIKING N60'W; AT 167.5'
		<del></del>	CHANNEL LAG CONCLOMERATE OCCURS CONTAINING SILTSTONE PEBBLES; THINLY LANINATED SILTY
3244			HUDSTONE FROM 170.5' TO 171.3' WITH GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION ZONES 1" TO 3" THICK,
3244	103		SPACED 4"; WEAR 171.3' BECOMES POORLY SORTED; THINTY LAMINATED WITH CROSS-
			LAMINATIONS AND EROSIONAL TERMINATIONS NEAR BASE; CONTAINS GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION
		_	SPOTS UP TO 2" DIAMETER; BASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL.
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3224-	- 185		MUDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO BEDDED (1/32" TO 1/2" THICK), SOFT;
			BEDDING INDISTINCT; RARE CREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS TO 1" DIAMETER, REDUCTION
į l			SPOTS CONCENTRATED AROUND REDUCED, CREENISH-GRAY, 1" WIDE MORIZONTAL BAND AT 191.7',
	:		VERY FEW FRACTURES; BASAL 1.5' BECOMES SILTY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY
1			UNDULATORY, OVERLYING BEDS DRAPE OVER CONTACT, EROSIONAL.
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			SANDSTONE, VERY FINE GRAINED, GRAYISH-WHITE, HARD TO SOFT; TROUGH CROSS-BEDDING
			BECOMES APPARENT WEAR BASE; CONTAINS FIBROUS CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES WITH VARIABLE
3214	-195		ORIENTATION, 1/4" TO 1" THICK; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1			SANDSTONE AT TOP GRADING TO SILTSTONE, REDDISH-MAROON, LAMINATED TO BEDDED, OCCA-
1 1			SIGNALLY CROSS-LAMINATED, MARD; COLOR BECOMES WHITISH-HAROON TOWARD BASE; LOWER 1.3'
[ [			IS SANDSTONE, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR OCCASIONAL INTERBEDS OF REDDISH-BROWN
		( ( ( (	SILISTOME; ABUNDANT FRACTURES, MOST HORIZONTAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL AND SLIGHTLY UNDU-
3209-	-200	<del></del>	LATORY, FILLED WITH FIBROUS CYPSUM, THICKNESS 1/16" TO 2", SPACED 1/8" TO 6"; BASAL
3203	100		CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
			CLAYSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LANIMATED; CROSS-LAMIMATED, SETS 1/2" ACROSS,
			BEDDING EROSIONALLY TERMINATED, CONTAINS SOFT SEDIMENT DEFORMATION FEATURES; BECOMES
			SILTY TOWARD BASE; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS TO 1/2" DIAMETER, SPOTS
			OCCASIONALLY BROKEN BY CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES; SEE FIGURE 6 FOR FRACTURE MOTES;
3204-	-205		BASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL.
			MUDSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED SILTSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED, ABUNDANT
		<del></del>	CROSS-LAMINATIONS, BEDDING OFTEN TERMINATED EROSIONALLY; ABUNDANT SUBHORIZONTAL
3199-	~210		GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, SPACED 6", 1/8" TO 3" THICK; VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL
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3189	220 -225	<b></b>	SILISTOME INTERBEDDED WITH VERY FINE SANDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LANIMATED TO BEDDED, CROSS-LAMINATED, BEDS OFTEN EROSIONALLY TERMINATED, HARD; CROSS-LAMINATIONS INCPEASE BELOW 223.0°, HORIZONTAL EROSIONAL PLANES OCCUR BELOW 223.0°, SPACED 1.0° TO 2.0°; SUBHORIZONTAL CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES ABUNDANT, 1/16" TO 1/4" THICK; RARE SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL.
3179—	-230		
3174	-235	7 7	SAMOSTOME, REDOISH-BROWN, SILTY, THINKY LAMINATED TO BEDDED, OCCASIONALLY CROSS- LAMINATED; ABUNDANT SURMORIZONTAL GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES, 1/16" TO 1" THICK, SPACED 2" TO 1.0", FRACTURES BIFURCATE LOCALLY; RAME SUBVENTICAL GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
3169-	-240	\$ \$ \$ \$	
3164-	-245		SANDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, SILTY, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT RARE CROSS-LAMINATIONS AND
3159-	-250		HORIZONTAL LAMINATIONS; FEWER GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES THAM OVERLYING UNIT, FRACTURES TO 2" THICK; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
3154-	25 <b>5</b>		
3149 <del>-</del>	-260 265	<b>)</b>	SANDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, SILTY, LOCALLY LAMINATED AND CROSS-LAMINATED; OCCASIONAL SUBHORIZONTAL GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES, 1/4" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED 2.8' TO 3.4'. FRACTURES BIFURCATE LOCALLY; SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES RARE; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-CRAY REDUCTION SPOTS TO 1" DIAMETER; BASAL 1.0' CONSISTS OF REDDISH-BROWN SILTSTONE; BASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL.

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3144	265		AS ABOVE
3139 <del>-</del>	-270		SANDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, SILTY, MOSTLY MASSIVE WITH SOME LOCAL LAMINATIONS AND CROSS-BEDDING; SUBHORIZONTAL AND SUBVERTICAL CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, SUBHORIZONTAL MORE ABUNDANT, SEE FIGURE 7; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
3134	-275		
3129-	-280		ARCILLACEOUS SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LANIMATED TO LANIMATED (1/16" TO 1/4"
3124 3119		- \ - \ - \ - \ - \ - \ - \ - \ - \ - \	THICK); ABUNDANT SEDIMENTARY STRUCTURES INCLUDING: TROUGH CROSS-LAMINATIONS, EROSIONAL SURFACES TRACEABLE AROUND CIRCUMFERENCE OF SHAFT, SOFT SEDIMENT DEFORMATION FEATURES; CROSS-LANINATION SETS ARE 1" TO 4" ACROSS, INCREASING TO 2.0' TO 3.0' ACROSS NEAR BASE; LOWER 1.0' CONTAINS 1/4" THICK BEDS OF CLAYSTONE; HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES 1/4" TO 1" THICK, SPACED 0.3' TO 2.0'; VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES 1/8" TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 3.0' TO 5.0'; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS TO 1" DIAMETER; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY OCCURRENCE OF A HUDSTONE BED.
	:	<del>}</del>	MUDSTONE INTERBEDDED WITH SILTY CLAYSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO VERY THINLY BEDDED (<1/16" TO 1/2" THICK); ABUNDANT SETS OF TROUGH CROSS-LAMINATIONS 1" TO 4" ACROSS, CLAY DRAPE OVER RIPPLE CROSS-LAMINATIONS; OCCASIONAL SOFT SEDIMENT
3114	-295		DEFORMATION; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1/2" DIAMETER); UNIT BOUNDED BY HORIZONTAL GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, 1" THICK AT TOP GRADING TO 1/2" THICK AT BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  MUDSTOME AT TOP GRADING TO SILTSTONE AT BASE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED (1/6" TO 1" THICK); ABUNDANT FINE STRUCTURES INCLUDING: FLASER BEDDING, CROSS-LAMINATIONS, TROUGH CROSS-LAMINATIONS, FILLED DESICCATION CRACKS,
3109-			LOAD STRUCTURES, ABUNDANT EROSIONAL CONTACTS; GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES ARE HODERATELY ABUNDANT, 1/16" TO 1-1/2" THICK, HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES SPACED 1.0' TO 4.0', VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES SPACED 3.0' TO 5.0'; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER); RARE 2" THICK, SUBHORIZONTAL, GREENISH-GRAY REDUCED ZONES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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3099	310		MUDSTONE AT TOP, GRADING TO SILISTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN TO REDDISH-BROWN, WITH
"""			MINOR INTERBEDDED MUDSTONE, THINLY LAMINATED TO LAMINATED (<1/32" TO 1/8"), HARD;
1			CROSS-LAMINATED, BECONING HORE ABUNDANT WITH DEPTH; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY
j j			REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1/4" DIAMETER); PIBROUS CYPSUM-PILLED FRACTURES BECOME
}		<del>\</del>	LESS ABUNDANT WITH DEPTH; HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES 1/16" TO 1" THICK,
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[ [			TO 2.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
i i			HUDSTONE AT TOP, GRADING TO SILISTONE WITH DEPTH, DARK REDDISH-BROWN TO REDDISH-
i		( +	BROWN, UNIT SIMILAR TO ABOVE EXCEPT FOR A 3" THICK BED OF MUDSTONE WHICH OCCURS AT
i l			316.2' AND HAS A SHARP UPPER CONTACT AND GRADES TO SILTSTONE WITH DEPTH, HARD;
1 1			NUDSTONE: STRUCTURELESS; SILTSTONE: FINELY LAMINATED TO CROSS-LAMINATED; FRACTURES
3089	- 320		SIMILAR TO OVERLYING UNIT; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS TO 1" DIAMETER;
<b>'</b>			BASAL CONTACT MARKED BY 3" THICK SUBHORIZONTAL GREENISH-GRAY ZONE AND DARK REDDISH-
<b>,</b>			BROWN MUDSTONE, SHARP.
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j l			CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1 1			CLAYSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, INTERBEDDED WITH SILTSTONE, LICHT REDDISH-BROWN,
3084-	-325		MICRO-LAMINATED TO VERY THINLY BEDDED (<1/32" TO 1/2"); SILTSTONE: CROSS-LAMINATED;
] ]			CLAYSTONE: STRUCTURELESS: ABUNDANT GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS; GRADES TO
			SILTSTONE AT BASE; ALL FRACTURES FILLED WITH FIBROUS GYPSUN; HORIZOWTAL AND
1 1			SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES 1/8" TO 1" THICK, SPACED 3" TO 2.0"; VERTICAL AND SUB-
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[			VERTICAL FRACTURES 1/16" TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 2.0' TO 3.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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! !			CLAYSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, MICRO-LANINATED TO THINLY LANINATED (<1/32" TO
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i i			GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER); ABUNDANT GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, -901
3074	335		HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL; TWO SCALES OF SPACING: MINOR - 1/8" TO 2", MAJOR - 2"
30,4	555		TO 6" FRACTURE DENSITY INCREASES TOWARD BASE, THICKNESS VARIES FROM 1/16" TO 1.0';
, ,			REMAINING -10% VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES, SPACED 2" TO 2.5', THICKNESS
			1/16" TO 1/4"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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3064	~345	$\rightarrow$	DEFORMATION FEATURES, HARD; ALL FRACTURES FILLED WITH FIBROUS CYPSUM; SUBHORIZONTAL
			AND HORIZONTAL FRACTURES 1/16" TO 1" THICK, SPACED 1" TO 1.0"; VERTICAL AND
]			SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES 1/8" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED 6" TO 2.0"; ABUNDANT GREENISH-CRAY
]			REDUCTION SPOTS 1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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3054 3049-	355 · -360		MUDSTONE GRADING TO SILTSTONE IN VERTICAL GRADATIONAL SEQUENCES 1.0' TO 3.0' THICK, REDDISH-BROWN (SILTSTONE) AND DARK REDDISH-BROWN (MUDSTONE), EACH SEQUENCE CONSISTS OF STRUCTURELESS MUDSTONE AT TOP GRADING TO THINLY LAMINATED TO BEDDED SILTSTONE AT BASE; AMOUNT OF SEDIMENTARY STRUCTURES INCREASE TO BASE OF EACH SEQUENCE, THESE STRUCTURES INCLUDE: CROSS-LAMINATIONS, TROUGH CROSS-LAMINATIONS, EROSIONAL SUR-
3044—	<b>-</b> 365		FACES, OCCASIONAL SOFT SEDIMENT DEFORMATION FEATURES; UPPER CONTACT OF EACH SEQUENCE IS EROSIONAL; OCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER); ALL FRACTURES GYPSUM-FILLED; VERTICAL AND HIGH ANGLE FRACTURES APPEAR YOUNGER THAN HORI-ZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES; SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURE FILLING OCCASIONALLY SIGNOIDAL AND/OR TILTED; FILLING IN VERTICAL AND HIGH ANGLE FRACTURES HAVE A COMPONENT OF THRUST; THREE TYPES OF HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES; THICK - 1/2" TO 1", SPACED 1.0' TO 2.0'; HODERATELY THIN - 1/8" TO 1/2:, SPACED 1" TO 1.5'; THIN - <1/8", SPACED 1/4" TO 1"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
3039—	-370	, , , , ,	
3034-	-375		
3029-	-380	\ \ \	SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, WITH INTERBEDDED CLAYSTONE, DARK REDDISH-BROWN, 1" TO 4" THICK FINING UPWARD SEQUENCES, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED (1/16" TO 2" THICK), HARD; SEDIMENTARY STRUCTURES INCLUDE: CROSS-LAMINATIONS, SOFT SEDIMENT LOAD STRUCTURES, EROSIONAL CONTACTS AT TOP OF EACH FINING UPWARD SEQUENCE; LOCALLY
3024-	-385	<b>\</b>	ABUNDANT GREEMISE-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 1" DIAMETER), SOME OCCUR IN ALIČNED ZONES; OVERALL GRAIN SIZE INCREASES TO BASE; ABUNDANT HOBIZONTAL, FIBROUS GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES OCCUR IN TWO SIZE GROUPS: 0" TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 1/4" TO 1"; 1/4" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED 0.5' TO 2.0'; VERTICAL AND HIGH ANGLE FIBROUS GYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES ARE NODERATELY ABUNDANT, 1/16" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED 2.5' TO 5'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, POSSIBLY EROSIONAL.
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2979-	<b>−430</b>	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	SILTSTONE AT TOP, GRADING TO CLAYSTONE AT BASE, REDDISH-BROWN TO DARK REDDISH-BROWN, TRACE OF BEDDING AT TOP GRADING TO STRUCTURELESS AT BASE, HARD; CONTAINS OCCASIONAL GLAYSTONE CLASTS <1/8" DIAMETER; RARE INTERBEDS OF CLAYSTONE, 1/16" THICK; ABUNDANT GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 2" DIAMETER) OCCUR IN ZONES; ABUNDANT HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, MAJORITY 1/16" THICK,
2974—	-43 <b>5</b>	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	SPACED 1" TO 2"; MODERATELY ABUNDANT VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES UP TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 1.0' TO 3.0'; BASAL CONTACT OBSCURED.
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	131	- 4 4	SLIGHTLY SANDY SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, INTERBEDDED WITH SILTY-HUDSTONE, DARK
2949-	<b>-460</b>	- ( · ) - ( · )	REDDISH-BROWN, 1" THICK FINING UPWARDS SEQUENCES, THINLY BEDDED (1"); HIMOR ERO- SIONAL CONTACTS AT TOP OF EACH FINING UPWARD SEQUENCE; HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES <1/8" THICK, SPACED 0" TO 6"; SUBVERTICAL AND VERTICAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES ARE LESS ABUNDANT AND CROSS-CUT HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
2944—	<b>–465</b>	<b>5</b>	SILTSTONE AT TOP GRADING TO CLAYSTONE AT BASE, REDDISH-BROWN TO DARK REDDISH-BROWN, TRACE OF BEDDING AT TOP GRADING TO STRUCTURELESS AT BASE, HARD; ABUNDANT GREENISH- GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS (1/16" TO 2" DIAMETER); HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES <1/8" THICK; SUBVERTICAL AND VERTICAL GYPSUM-FILLED
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			HODERATELY ABUNDANT VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL FIBROUS CYPSUN-FILLED FRACTURES 1/8" TO
1000			1/2" THICK; BASAL COWTACT SHARP.
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}			TURELESS WITH DEPTH, LOCALLY MODULAR; UPPER 3.0° CONTAINS INTERBEDDED CLAY LAMINAE,
ì			CONTENT DECREASING WITH DEPTH; LOCALLY CYPSIFEROUS IN UPPER 6"; MEAR TOP, HORIZONTAL
i i			AND SUBHORIZONTAL CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES ARE ABUNDANT, 1/8" TO 1/2" THICK, SPACED
}			1" TO 3"; BEDDING TERMINATED EROSIONALLY AT UPPER CONTACT; BORIZONTAL AND SUBBORI-
2854-	- 555		ZONTAL GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES SPACED I" TO 2-0", 1/10" TO 1/4" TRICK; BARB-VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, 1/8" TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 2.0' TO 6.0';
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2779 -	<b>–</b> 630		TAMARISK MEMBER  ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, CRAY TO LIGHT BROWNISH-GRAY TO TAM WITH DEPTH, LAHI- NATED TO MODULAR, HARD; LOCALLY CYPSIFEROUS AT UPPER CONTACT; CONTAINS INTERBEDS OF LAMINATED CARBONATE LOCALLY AND MEAR BASE; LAHIMAE MAY LOCALLY SE TERHIMATED EBO- SIGNALLY; 1" TO 2" THICK ORGANIC (7) BLACK CLAYSTONE AY 665.9', CONTAINS FIBROUS CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES, FIBERS ORIENTED VERTICALLY, 1/32" TO 1" THICK, DISCOM- TIMUOUS, LOCALLY BIFURCATING; MORIZONTAL FIBROUS CYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES THROUGHOUT WITH SPACING 0.5' TO 1.5', 1/32" TO 1/16" THICK; RARE SUBVERTICAL FRACTURES; BASAL
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2719 -	<del>-</del> 690		SILTY CLAYSTONE; SEE FIGURE 11.
2714 -	- 695		AMMYDRITE; SEE FIGURE 11.
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ı		mm	CLAYSTONE; SEE FIGURE 11. ANNYDRITE; SEE FIGURE 11.
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2699-	- 710		
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2694	715		DOLOHITE, CYPSIFEROUS; SEE FICURE 11.

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			ANHYDRITE; SEE FIGURE 11.
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			SANDY MUDSTONE; SEE FIGURE 11.
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ŀ			8" TO 28" THICK; BEDDING AND LAMINATIONS CENERALLY HORIZONTAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL, SOME WAVY BEDDING, SOME MICEO CROSS-LAMINATIONS; FROM 792.0' TO 795.0' LARGER CROSS-
			CUTTING RELATIONSHIPS WITH SOME UNITS PARTIALLY TO WHOLLY EROSIONALLY REMOVED, UNITS
2614	795	=====	GENERALLY DOWN-CUT TO EAST AND SOUTHEAST; SHALL-SCALE CROSS-BEDDING HAS VARIABLE CURRENT DIRECTIONS WITH DEPTH, MOST SOUTH; AT 794.0' SYMMETRICAL RIPPLES WITH CLAY
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2599 —	<b>– 8</b> 10	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	DIRECTIONS IN SMALLER SETS VARY, CURRENT DIRECTIONS IN LARGER SETS NOSTLY MORTHEAST; RABE LOAD STRUCTURES, EROSIONAL SCOUR AND FILL; BARE HIGH-ANGLE HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; FRACTURE OCCURRENCE INCREASES WITH DEPTH, MEAR BASE RARE HORIZONTAL AND SUBVERTICAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES 1/8" TO 3" THICK, SPACED 3.0' TO 8.0'; SOME LARGER SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURES EXHIBIT AN EAST (TOP) WEST (BOTTOM) SHEAR; CONTAINS DARK GRAY SPOTS AND BLEBS (BIOTURBATION), CONTENT INCREASING WITH DEPTH; BECOMES
2594-	 		ARGILLACEOUS SILTSTOME WITH DEPTH; GRAY WITH LOCAL REDDISH-SROWN AREAS, THINLY LAMINATED AND CONTAINS BROWNISH CLASTS OF ANHYDRITE (1/8" TO 1-1/2" DIAMETER) ROUNDED AND OCCASIONALLY FLATTENED PARALLEL TO BEDDING; CLASTS RANDOHLY SCATTERED THROUGHOUT; BARE LOW-ANGLE CROSS-LAMINATION SETS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL OVER 1/2", IRREGULAR, HAPPED AS DIFFUSE DUE TO EXTREME CONTACT UNDULATIONS.
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2564	845		SANDY SILTSTONE; SEE FIGURE 12.
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2559	850	<i>&gt;&gt;&gt;&gt;</i>	POLYHALITE, AMHYDRITE, AMD ARGILLACEOUS ANHYDRITE; SEE FIGURE 12.

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j			SUBBORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE AND POLYHALITE; SLICHTLY ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 0.5'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLICHTLY UNDULATORY.
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2494	- 915	X \	
	- · ·	-ttt	SILTY CLAYSTONE, BROWNISH-RED, VERY SOFT; HALITIC, HALITE OCCURS AS 1/4" TO 1" DIS-
			PLACIVE CRYSTALS; CONTAINS LOCALLY REDUCED CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE, GENE- TICALLY GRADATIONAL.
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2489 -	920		HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS INTERSTITIAL RED
j 1			CLAY IN UPPER 3.0°, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE RANDONLY ORIENTED STRINGERS
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2484-	- 925	×	HALITE HIXED WITH POLYHALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR;
} <b>!</b>		••••	POLYHALITE CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CONTENT CREATEST IN UPPER 0.5', OCCURS AS
i i		x	GROUPS OF SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS, BECOMING LESS ABUNDANT WITH DEPTH; SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE OCCUR WITH DEPTH. STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE
<b>!</b>		x x	BECOME RANDONLY ORIENTED WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
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2479	- 930	· x \	HALITE IN UPPER 3" TINTS HALITE ORANGE: SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE AND
		×	ANHYDRITE SPACED 1" TO 3"; BED OF VERY POLYHALITIC HALITE OCCURS BETWEEN 729.4' AND
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j i	1		ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, ARGILLACEOUS MATERIAL REDDISH-BROWN, HALITE WHITISH-GRAY TO
	[		CLEAR; HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS AND ACCRECATES OF CRYSTALS; UNIT CON-
2474 -	- 935	<b>-</b>	TAINS LOCAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION ZONES; CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH,
į <b>l</b>			DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 937.8'; ROCK BELOW 937.8' CLASSIFIED AS: HALLITE, WHITE,
			MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY CONTENT DECREASING WITH
		ł	DEPTH, TRACE POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE STRINGERS CONTENT INCREASING WITH DEPTH, STRINGERS RANDONLY ORIENTED AT TOP, BECONING SUBMORIZONTAL WITH DEPTH, SPACED 1" TO
2469	940	_	3"; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, MARKED BY 1" THICK ZOWE OF GRAYISH-WHITE HALITE.
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			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITISH-GRAY TO CLEAR, MASSIVE;
]	l		HALITE OCCURS AS CRYSTAL ACGREGATES IN ZONES OR PODS; CLAY CONTENT DECREASES
2459-	<b>- 950</b>	×	ABRUPTLY BELOW 949.6'; TRACE DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH
		x	DEPTH; BECOMES BEDDED IN LOWER 2.0' WITH ALTERNATING POLYMALITIC HALITE AND CLEAR HALITE BEDS 2" TO 3" THICK; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCOMPORNABLE.
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2454-	- 955	x x	
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			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE IN UPPER 2.0', REDDISH-BROWN, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH,
1			GRADES INTO POLYHALITIC HALITE; HALITE IS WHITE TO TIMED GRANGE TO CLEAR, HEDIUM TO
		×	COARSELY CRYSTALLINE; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS BLEBS AND STRINGERS, POLYHALITE BED AT
2449-			961.5'; CONTAINS LOCAL CREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS IN ARGILLACEOUS NATERIAL NEAR
		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	THE BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 3" THICK HORIZONTAL FIBROUS HALITE-FILLED FRACTURE.
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		-	SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, TRACE OF BEDDING; CONTAINS SMALL 1/4" IMBAYED DISPLACIVE
2444_	- 965	<b>,</b> , ,	HALITE CRYSTALS NEAR TOP; CONTAINS RARE SUBVERTICAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; BECOMES
			AMHYDRITIC (GRAY) IN LOWER 2.0'; CONTAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS <1/8"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
	,		CURING JURAT.
	-	<del>\ \ \ \</del>	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, ARGILLACEOUS MATERIAL REDDISH-BROWN, HALITE CLEAR; BELOW 969.0'
			CLAY CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY, UNIT BECOMES SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS AND POLYHALITIC,
2439-	970		CLAY AND POLYMALITE OCCUR AS RANDONLY ORIENTED STRINGERS; GVERALL CLAY CONTENT
, [		_ x	DECREASES WITH DEPTH; POLYHALITE CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT
		x_	GRADATIONAL.
			POLYHALITE, ANHYDRITIC, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGE, HARD; HALITIC, HALITE WHITE;
			ANHYDRITE CRAY; DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF WHITE FINELY CRYSTALLINE HALITE NEAR TOP; AT
2434-	<b>- 975</b>		975.0', 1" THICK BED OF THINLY LAMINATED ANHYDRITE OCCURS; UNIT CONTAINS CLEAR DIS- 
		x X x	HALITE, POLYHALITIC, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TIMTED GRANGE, THIM TO
	 	xxxxxxxxxxx	MEDIUM BEDDED BY SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED
} I			BY A 2" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE.
<b> </b>			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, REDDISH-BROWM, SLIGHTLY AMHYDRITIC, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; NEAR TOP, HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS; BECOMES THE DONIHANT HIMERAL
2429-	- 980		TYPE WITH DEPTH, BECOMES MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR, THINLY
] [		-\ <u>-</u>	BEDDED IN LOWER 2.0' WITH STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE SEPARATING BEDS; ARGILLACEOUS
}		× _ \	HATERIAL OCCURS AS HATRIX IN UPPER PART, STRINGERS IN LOWER PART; SOME GREENISH-GRAY
{		-\ <u>_</u> -	REDUCTION SPOTS OCCUR NEAR TOP; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH;
2424	985	x x	BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.

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2414 —	<b>–</b> 995		ARGILLACEOUS HALITE GRADING TO HALITE WITH DEPTH; CLAY OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN HATRIX AT TOP, HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS AND CRYSTAL AGGREGATES ALIGNED IN ZONES, CLAY IN UPPER 1" GREENISH GRAY; CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; HALITE BECOMES DOMINANT BOCK TYPE WITH DEPTH, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; TRACE POLYHALITE BLEBS AND RANDONLY ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; RARE ANHYDRITE STRINGERS; LOWER 3.0' TINTED ORANGE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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2404	-1005	x _ x	
2399	-1010	x _   - x	
2394	- 1015	x - x - x - x - x - x - x - x - x - x -	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; 1" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BEDS 3"  ABOVE AND AT BASAL CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO ORANGE; TRACE POLYHALITE STRINGERS  AND DISSEMINATED BLEBS; AT 1017.8°, 1" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS UNDERLAIN BY A
2389-	- 10 <b>20</b>		1/4" THICK BED OF CRAY CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, NARKED BY DISSOLUTION TROUGHS.  ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, WHITE TO CLEAR, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE; CLAY OCCURS AS BROWN SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS, SPACED 1" TO 2"; STRINGERS ARE TERMINATED EROSIONALLY AT UPPER CONTACT, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE STRINGERS AND DISSEMINATED BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES IN LOWER 3.0"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, EROSIONAL,
2384		x x x x	UNDULATORY UP TO 1.0'.
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AMPONITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT AND DARK CHAY, LAMINATED TO VERY TRIBLY REDORS REDORNE UNDULATES SLICENTE, SEED OFFER CONTAIN DETROLITIES TRUCTURES; LOCAL CLIFA CHARACTERIAL OF RALITE; LIGHT BROWN CARROWARD STEE AVERAGING A" TO J" ACROSS PROMER (DOLLOWITE!), FINELY CRYSTALLINE, CLIGHT BROWN CARROWARD STEE AVERAGING A" TO J" ACROSS PROMER (DOLLOWITE!), FINELY CRYSTALLINE, DURING CORDARY DOWNARD STEE AVERAGING A" TO J" ACROSS PROMER LAND AT STRUCTURES; LOCAL CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT BROWN, HITH OF RODING; BASAL CONTACT SMAP, ACROSS PROMER LAND AT STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STEE AVERAGING A" TO J" ACROSS PROMER LAND AT STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STEE AVERAGING A" TO J" ACROSS PROMER LAND AT STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STALL CONTACT SMAP, ACROSS PROMER LAND AND ACROSS PROMER LAND AND ACROSS PROMER LAND AND ACROSS PROMER LAND ACROSS STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STRUCTURE STALL CONTENT CREATED HAVE AND CHAY.  AND ACCURATE CHARGES FROM MAILE TO SUBBOLIZOUTAL STRUCTURES STALL CONTENT DECERAGES WITH DEFTH; A THINK ACCOUNTS DECERAGES WITH DEFTH; A THINK ACCOUNTS DECERAGES WITH DEFTH; A THINK ACCOUNTS DECERAGES WITH DEFTH; AND AMBYRAITE OCCURS AT THICK SED OF AMPORTED COCCURS AT 1053.0° 1 LONG R 1.0° 15 WERT POLYMALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SMAP.  2354—1055  X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X	<b></b>	STRATIGRAPHIC	REMARKS
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CARBONATE (DOLONITE!), FIRELY CRYSTALLINE OR CHAINED, LIGHT BROWN WITH CRAYISH-BROWN LAMINAR, THERY LAMINATED, LANIMAR OCCUR AS CONCAVE DOMPHARD SETS AVERACING A" TO 1" ACROSS; PROBABLE ALGAL STROMATOLITES; DARRES LANIMAR ORGANIC (?); BASAL CONTACT WARED BY SUMMOLTOWITH, CHAINES—BROWN MINER, CARDATIONAL.  DOLONITE, FIRELY CRYSTALLINE, LICHT BROWN, REPT OF REDDING; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, EROSIONAL.  AMBITCHIT, CARBONATE-RICH, FIRELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LICHT CRAY AND CRAY, THINKY LANIMATED IS UPPER 0.9", BECAUSEDES STRUCTURELESS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, ERO- SIGNAL.  SILIT CHAINTON, CHAY, LOCALLY TRINKY LANIMATED; CONTAINS DISPLACIVE RALITE CHISTALLI RABALL CONTACT SHARP, WRITE TO CLEAR TO GRAMCE; CLAY NATRIX IN UPPER 1.0", BALLITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALLINE, WRITE TO CLEAR TO GRAMCE; CLAY NATRIX IN UPPER 1.0", BALLITE OCCURS STRUCTURE SECONE DISCONTINUOUS AND GRIENTED RANDOMLY; SELON 1047.9" ARCILLACEDUS STRUCTURES SECONE DISCONTINUOUS AND GRIENTED RANDOMLY; TRACE DISCONTINUOUS SUBMORIZOWTAL STRUCTURE DECORED AND ORD OF POLYMALITE CARDINA AMBITCHITE SEC CLAY CONCERT DECREASES AND FOLD OF POLYMALITE COCURS, RELICA THIS SEC CLAY CONCERT DECREASES AND FOLD OF POLYMALITE AND AMBITCHITES SEC CLAY CONCERT DECREASES AND ELESS OF POLYMALITE DECURS AT 1053.0"; LOWER 1.0" IS VERY POLYMALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X		MB 103	THIMLY BEDDED; BEDDING UNDULATES SLIGHTLY, BEDS OFTEN CONTAIN ENTROLITHIC STRUCTURES; LOCAL <1/4" CRYSTALS OF HALITE; LIGHT BROWN CARBONATE (?) INTERBEDS; BASAL
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EROSIONAL.  AMPURITE, CARBONATE-RICH, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT GRAY AND GRAY,  TENHY LANIBATED IN UPPER 0.5', REMAINDER STRUCTURELESS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, ERO-  SICHAL.  SILTY CALSTONE, GRAY, LOCALLY TRIVEY LANIBATED; COVIAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE  CLAY HOMPHOLDER GRAY AND CIRKS FROM MATELY TO SUBMODIZONTAL STRINGERS SPACED IN TO 2",  BELOW 1043.9', ARCILLACEOUS STRINGERS SECONE DISCONTINUOUS AND GREETED BANDOMLY;  TRACE DISCONTINUOUS SUBMORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND PORS OF POLYHALITE, CONTENT  TRACE DISCONTINUOUS SUBMORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND PORS OF POLYHALITE, CONTENT  TRACE DISCONTINUOUS SUBMORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND PORS OF POLYHALITE AND  ARMYDRITE OCCUR IN DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS AND PORS OF POLYHALITE AND  ARMYDRITE OCCUR IN DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS; 2" TRICK BED OF ARMYDRITE OCCURS AT  1055.0'; LOWER 1.0' IS VERY POLYHALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  X X X  X X X  ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WRITE TO CLEAR, CLAY OCCURS IN  RANDOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  WANDOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  ARADOMLY-GRIENTED STRINGERS WITH DEPTH, CLAY OCCURS IN STRINGERS; TRACE POLY-  HALITE AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS WHICH GRADE TO SUBMORIZONTAL WITH DEPTH,  CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; AT 1071.6, 1" TRICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS UNDERLAIN  BELOW IN THE CASH AND THE PROPERS AND BLESS BROWN BELOW IN COURSE SHICKER BELOCKLY BELOW DIVIS.*. COLORS  BELOW IN THE CASH AND THE COURSE WITH DEPTH INCREASES SHICKET BELOW DEPTH.			LAMINAE, THINLY LANINATED, LAMINAE OCCUR AS CONCAVE DOWNWARD SETS AVERAGING 4" TO 7" ACROSS; PROBABLE ALGAL STROMATOLITES; DARKER LAMINAE ORGANIC (?); BASAL CONTACT NARKED BY SUBBORIZONTAL GRAYISH-BROWN LAMINAE, GRADATIONAL.
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2359—1050  X		MB 103	ANHYDRITE, CARBONATE-RICH, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT GRAY AND GRAY, THINLY LANIMATED IN UPPER 0.9', REMAINDER STRUCTURELESS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, ERO- SIONAL.
UPPER 1.0°, BALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH;  LA	2364 1045	x _	,
INCREASES WITH DEPTH; AT 1050.0' A 0.3' THICK LANIMATED BED OF AMPLYBRITE OCCURS,  BELOW THIS BED CLAY CONTENT DECREASES MARKEDLY AND TRACE AMOUNTS OF POLYHALITE AND AMPLYBRITE OCCURS IN DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS; 2" THICK BED OF AMPLYBRITE OCCURS AT  1055.0'; LOWER 1.0' IS VERY POLYHALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  X X X  X X X  ARCILLACEOUS HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR, CLAY OCCURS IN RAMDORLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; STRINGERS AND BLESS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO 1.0'.  POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT NEAR BASE; LOCALLY HALITIC; THIS GRAY AMPLYDRITE BED OCCURS AT BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, HALITE, REDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARCILLACEOUS AT TOP, REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CLAY OCCURS IN STRINGERS; TRACE POLY- HALITE AS EAMPONITY OF THE STRINGERS WHICH CRADE TO SUBHORIZONTAL WITH DEPTH, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; AT 1071.6, 1" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS UNDERLAIN BY 1" THICK CRAY CANTSTONE.  THIS BED OF CRAY CANTSTONE.  THIS BED OF CRAY CANTSTONE.  Y  Y  THIS CREATES WITH DEPTH; AT 1071.6, 1" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS UNDERLAIN BY 1" THICK CRAY CONTENT DECREASES WHICH CRADE TO SUBHORIZONTAL WITH DEPTH, COWNERS INCREASES WITH DEPTH; AT 1071.6, 1" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS UNDERLAIN BY 1" THICK CRAY CANTSTONE BED; CLAY CONTENT INCREASES SLICKITLY BELOW 1071.6, "COLOR	·	x - x	UPPER 1.0°, HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; CLAY MORPHOLOGY CHANGES FROM MATRIX TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS SPACED 1" TO 2", BELOW 1047.0° ARGILLACEOUS STRINGERS BECOME DISCONTINUOUS AND ORIENTED RANDOWLY;
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			EALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLIME, CLEAR TO WHITE; UPPER 1.0' ARGILLACEOUS
2324-	- 1085	X x	STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; POLYHALITE STRINGERS, CONTENT INCREASES
2324	1003	, × , ,	WITE DEPTE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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			CLAYSTONE BED; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1			HALITE, MODERATELY ARGILLACEOUS AND POLYHALITIC, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE,
2319 -	-109 <b>0</b>		WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; LOCAL REDDISH-BROWN CLAY NATRIX, HALITE OCCURS AS
1			DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS, LOCAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION ZONES; ARGILLACEOUS STRINGERS ABUNDANT IN UPPER 3.0', CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, ABSENT BELOW 1103.0';
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2284	-1125	×	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; UNDERLAIM BY 2" THICK GRAY
1		x —   r	CLAYSTOME BED; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
			HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; UPPER 4"  VERY ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN DISCONTINUOUS RANDONLY-ORIENTED
			STRINGERS; REMAINDER CONTAINS TRACE CLAY STRINGERS, LOCALLY STRINGERS BECOME
0070			SUBHORIZONTAL AND DENSITY MAY INCREASE; CONTAINS TRACE POLYHALITE WITH DEPTH; BASAL
2279	- 1130		CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
		$\times\!\!\times\!\!\times\!\!\times\!\!\times$	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO ORANGE; UPPER 1" VERY ARGILLACEOUS.
			SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS TO 1146.0'; HODERATELY ABUNDANT RANDOHLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS
		_	AND LARGE BLEBS OF POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASING WITH DEPTH, LOWER 1.5' VERY POLY-
			HALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
2274	-1135	-	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE; LOCALLY INTERBEDDED WITH
			HALITIC MUDSTOWE CONTAINING DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS; REDDISE-BROWN CLAY DISSEMI-
		_ [ ]	NATED THROUGHOUT AS MATRIX, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; IRREGULARLY SHAPED ZONES
		_	(1.0' x 2.0') OF PURE HALITE RANDONLY SCATTERED THROUGHOUT UNIT; LOCAL SMALL ZONES
		_ [ ]	OF REDUCED CREENISH-GRAY CLAY; DISSOLUTION PITS THROUGH UNIT FILLED WITH ARGILLA-
0000			CEOUS HALITE; POLYHALITIC, COMTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, DISCONTINUOUS 1" THICK
2269	-1140	_ x	POLYHALITE BED AT BASAL CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, IRREGULAR WITH UP TO
		_ ] ]	1.0' OF RELIEF, LOCALLY SHARP, EROSIONAL.
		_	ANHYDRITE, PINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT GRAY TO LIGHT TANNISH-GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO
		_	THINLY BEDDED, BEDS SEPARATED BY DARK CRAY THIN LAMINAE; HALITE PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER
		x	GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS BECOME ABUNDAMY BELOW 1155.0°, 1/16" TO 2" HIGH, BECOME
2264	- 1145		MORE ABUNDANT AND LARGER WITH DEPTH, MOST OCCUR ALONG SUBHORIZONTAL BEDDING PLANES,
		_ ×	OCCASIONALLY PSEUDOMORPHS LIE PARALLEL TO BEDDING; AT UPPER CONTACT DISSOLUTION PITS
		x x	INTO ANHYDRITE OCCUR, FILLED WITH GRAY ARGILLACEOUS HALITE AND HALITIC MUDSTONE,
l		x	0.5' TO 2.0' DEEP INTO ANHYDRITE, BEDDING TERMINATED EROSIONALLY AT SIDES OF
		x x	DISSOLUTION PITS; LOCALLY, POLYHALITE IS INCLUDED IN HALITE FILLING OF HALITE PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS. POLYHALITE ALSO OCCURS IN
2259-	- 1150	x ^x ^x	IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES (2" x 3") AS REPLACEMENT OF ANHYDRITE; HALITE OCCURS ALONG
2233	- 1150		BEDDING PLANES BELOW 1157.9°; LOWER 1" CONTAINS INTERBEDS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL
1			CONTACT SHARP.
			POLYHALITE, SLIGHTLY HALITIC, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, HINT OF BEDDING IN
	İ		UPPER 4", REMAINDER STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR RARE HALITE PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER SWALLOW-
			TAIL GYPSUM CRYSTALS; CONTAINS ABUNDANT IRREGULARLY-SHAPED CRYSTALS OF HALITE (1/32"
2254	-1155	V///////	TO 1/2"); LOWER 3" IS ANHYDRITIC OR CARBONATE-RICH, COLOR GRADES TO BROWN AT BASE;
		////	BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY OF TWO SCALES: MINOR - UP TO 3", MAJOR - UP TO
ł		VIIIIII	2.5', EXHIBITS SOFT SEDIMENT DEFORMATION DUE TO LOADING.
		<i>&gt;&gt;&gt;&gt;&gt;&gt;</i>	CLAYSTONE, LIGHT GRAY AT TOP TO GRAY AT BASE, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR FLOWAGE
		XXXXXXXX	STRUCTURES; THICKNESS RANCES FROM 0.2' TO 1.0'; LOCALLY BROKEN BY 0" TO 2" THICK
2249	-1160	(XXXXXXX)	FRACTURES FILLED WITH CLEAR TO ORANGE HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO
'-			2.0', DISCONFORMABLE.
			HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, CLEAR TO WHITE; CONTAINS GRAY CLAY STRINGERS IN UPPER
		MB 109	2.0', CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH,
		\	OCCURS AS BLEBS, RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, AND AS THICK SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS  1/4" THICK; ANHYDRITE OCCURS WITH POLYHALITE STRINGERS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH
2244	1165	x \ x	DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO 1.0°.
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2239		X	AMNYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, CRAY TO LIGHT GRAY, HINT OF THIN LAMINATIONS; CONTAINS 1" TRICK ANNYDRITE LOCAL ZONES OF MIXED HALITE AND FINELY CRYSTALLINE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS HORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF AMHYDRITE, 1" TO 3" THICK BEDS OF FINELY CRYSTALLINE ANHYDRITE WITH HALITE PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS AT 1167.3', 1168.4', 1169.4'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  AMMYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT GRAY TO GRAY, FINELY LAMINATED; CONTAINS HALITE
2234—	— I I 75	MB 109 ************************************	PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS, 1/4" TO 1-1/2" HICH, OCCURRING  PARALLEL TO BEDDING PLANES; BASAL CONTACT UNDULATORY DUE TO INFILLING OF SHALLOW  CHANNEL FORMS IN UNDERLYING UNIT, SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.  AMBYDRITE AND CLAYSTONE; ANHYDRITE OCCURS AS ISOLATED GRAY NODULES IN A POORLY  INDURATED GRAY CLAYSTONE MATRIX; SIZE OF NODULES INCREASES WITH DEPTH; TEXTURE OF  BASAL 1.8° DEFINED AS NODULAR; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
2229 —	- 1180	x - x - x	AMBYDRITE, HALITIC, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, GRAY TO BROWNISH-GRAY, MICRO TO THINLY LAMI- NATED, LAMINAE ALTERNATE LIGHT TO DARK; CONTAINS LOCAL HALITE PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SMALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS, < 1/8" HIGH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, LOCALLY DISCOMPORMABLE, MARKED BY DISCONTINUOUS 1" THICK POLYHALITE BED.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; POLYHALITIC AT TOP, COMTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
2224	1185	- x - x - - x -	POLYHALITE, FIMELY CRYSTALLINE, PALE ORANGISH-BROWN, LOCALLY MICROLAMINATED TO BANDED (< 1/32" TO 1" THICK); LOCALLY 1/2" TO 1" THICK UNALTERED ANHYDRITE BEDS, HEAR TOP BEDS CONTAIN HALITE PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER GYPSUN SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS 1/4" TO 1/2" HIGH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO 0.5', DISCONFORMABLE, MARKED BY THE OCCURRENCE OF 1" TO 2" THICK BED OF GRAY CLAYSTONE.
2219-	- 1190	 	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; BLEBS AND SUBHORI- ZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE TO 1/2" THICK; LOCAL GRAY SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF CLAY TERMINATED AT PENECONTEMPORANEOUS DISSOLUTION PITS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE, UNDULATORY UP TO 0.4".  HALITE AND ARGILLACEOUS HALITE; HALITE: WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; CLAY:
2214-		x _ x	REDDISH-BROWN; UPPER 0.5' VERY ARGILLACEOUS, CONTAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS  (< 1/4") IN MUDSTONE MATRIX, UPPER 3" GREENISH-GRAY IN COLOR, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES  WITH DEPTH TO 1189.0', 0.5' THICK REDDISH-BROWN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE BED OCCURS BELOW  1189.0', CLAY CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY, THEN DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CLAY MATERIAL  OCCURS AS MATRIX MATERIAL OR AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, CLAY CONTENT LOCALLY  INCREASES BELOW 1200.0'; TRACE POLYHALITE AT TOP, CONTENT INCREASING WITH DEPTH, AS  DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT
2209-	-1200	x x	SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.
2204	-1205	x -x -x -x	
2199	1210	<u>x x </u>	

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2194 1215	x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO ORANGISH-WHITE; UPPER 2.0' REDDISK- BROWN HALITIC MUDTONE CONTAINING DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS, GRADES INTO SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS HALITE; REMAINDER CONTAINS GRAY CLAY DISSEMINATED THROUGHOUT AS INTER- CRYSTALLINE MATERIAL; POLYMALITE OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS AND DISSEMI NATED BLESS, BETWEEN 1217.0' AND 1219.0', 2" THICK POLYMALITE BEDS SPACED 0.5' TO 1.0' OCCUR, 3" THICK DISCONTINUOUS BED OF POLYMALITE UNDERLAIN BY A THIM BED OF GRAY
2189 — 1220		CLAYSTONE OCCURS AT 1219.0°, BED OF FINELY CRYSTALLIME ORANGISH-WHITE POLYHALITE OCCURS BETWEEN 1227.1° TO 1227.5°; 1/8" TO 1/4" THICK SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE OCCUR IN THE INTERVALS FROM 1225.1° TO 1227.1° AND 1227.5° TO 1229.5°; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.
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2179 1230	x x x = x = x = x = x = x = x = x = x =	
2174 — 1235	 x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CLAY AND POLYHALITE OCCUR AS RANDOMLY- ORIENTED DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS; UPPER 2.0° ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, HALITE OCCURS IN DISCONTINUOUS ZONES AND POOS OF CRYSTALS IN CLAY AND HALITE MATRIX, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY.
21691240	x - - - - x x x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; POLYHALITIC AND ARGILLACEOUS; ARGIL- LACEOUS HALITE OCCURS IN UPPER 0.5', CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS, BELOW 1243.0' POLYHALITE BECOMES ABUNDANT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO 1.0'.
2164 1245	X X X	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, CONTAINS ZONES OF LIGHT ORANGE;  APPEARS TO HAVE MOUND FORMS AT UPPER CONTACT; CONTAINS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED CRYSTALS  OF HALITE (1/16" TO 3/4") DISSEMINATED THROUGHOUT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1"
2159 1250	_ x	TO 2-1/2" THICK CRAY CLAYSTONE CONTAINING HALITE.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLIME, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TIMTED ORANGE; TRACE GRAY CLAY, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, BETWEEN 1255.8' AND 1257.0' SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF REDDISH-BROWN CLAY ARE CONTINUOUS AROUND THE CIRCUMFERENCE OF THE SHAFT; DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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2154	1255	_	AS ABOVE
2149 —	<b>–</b> 1260	x xx	
			HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 0.5' ARGILLACEOUS,
<b>!</b>			CLAY OCCURS WITH BALITE AS MATRIX, BELOW 1260.7' CLAY OCCURS AS STRINGERS, CONTENT
] <u> </u>		х х	DECREASES WITH DEPTH; DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGISH-RED, STRUCTURELESS; UNDERLAIN BY 1" THICK
		X ********	GRAY CLAYSTOWE BED; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
2144		- x	HALITE, WHITE TO CLEAR, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS; CLAY OCCURS IN
			STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, ABSENT BELOW 1268.0'; TRACE POLYHALITE
			BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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2139	- 1270	x	
		XXXXXXXX	POLYHALITE, FIWELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; UNIT SPLIT BY 4"
	_	$\times$	THICK CLEAR MALITE SED. OCCURS 3" BELOW UPPER CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED
		X xxxxx	BY 2" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.
			HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO ORANGE TO CLEAR; TRACE POLYHALITE,
2134		KXXXXX X	OCCURS AS DISCONTINOUS RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS AND AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS;
		~ ^	SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, GRAY CLAY STRINGERS TO 1276.0°, ABSENT BETWEEN 1276.0° AND 1280.0°, CLAY STRINGERS IN 1.0° THICK BAND BELOW 1280.0°, BELOW 1284.0° CLAY CONTENT
		200000	INCREASES AS SUBBORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLICHTLY UNDULATORY.
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2124-	- 1285		
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		×	2.0' ARGILLACEOUS HALITE WITH CLAY AND HALITE MATRIX, HALITE OCCURS AS ZONES AND
2119	_ 1290	— ×	PODS OF CRYSTALS AND DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS TO 1/2" ACROSS, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; POLYMALITE OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND DISSEMINATED BLEBS, CONTENT
2119 <b>T</b>	1290	l	INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY.
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1		×	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGISH-RED, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR 1" THICK
2114	- 1295	XXXXXXXXX	INTERBEDS OF HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS SUBHORIZONTAL CONTINUOUS
- 1	}	×	STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE IN UPPER 0.5', IN THE REMAINDER OF THE UNIT POLYHALITE
1	ļ		OCCURS AS RARE DISSEMINATED BLESS; SASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1	1		HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARGILLACEOUS AT TOP, CLAY OCCURS AS
		-	RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT
2109	1300	<u> </u>	CRADATIONAL.

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2109	1300		AS ABOVE
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2104	-1305	x	POLYHALITE, FIMELY CRYSTALLIME, REDDISH-ORANGE; CONTAINS IRREGULAR CRYSTALS AND BEDS OF HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, EXTREMELY IRREGULAR.
2099	-1310	x	MALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLIME, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TIMTED ORANGE; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS IRREGULAR RANDOMLY-ORIENTED AND SUBBORIZOWTAL STRINGERS AND AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; SETWEEN 1307.0° AND 1308.0° HORIZOWTAL AND SUBBORIZOWTAL STRINGERS OF CLAY OCCUR; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
2099	-1310	x x x	
		x x	
2094	-1315		ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, REUDISH-BROWN CLAY, HALITE WHITE TO CLEAR; HALITE OCCURS IN PODS AND IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES AND AS GROUPS OF CRYSTALS DISPERSED THROUGHOUT, BOTH CLAY AND HALITE OCCUR AS HATRIX; RASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL.
2089-	-1320	X (XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, REDDISH-BROWN, CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, FROM 1320.4° TO 1320.9° A REDDISH-ORANGE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE POLYHALITE BED OCCURS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
2084	-1325	 -   x x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 4" ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY OCCURS AS FIME DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, ABSENT BELOW 1326.0'; BECOMES POLYHALITIC BELOW 1326.0', CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
2079	-1330	x x	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT AND HEDIUM GRAY; INTERBEDS OF HALITE IN UPPER PART, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; LOWER 1" CONTAINS NO INTERBEDS OF HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  POLYHALITE, HALITIC, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; CONTAINS IRREGULAR DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF CLEAR HALITE AND IRREGULARLY-SHAPED CRYSTALS OF HALITE 1/32" TO 1/8"
2074	1	x –	ACROSS; OCCASIONAL HALITE PSEUDOHORPUS AFTER CYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS IN UPPER 1"; FROM 1331.5' TO 1331.8' OF GRAY FINELY CRYSTALLIME ANHYDRITE BED OCCURS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1" THICK BED OF GRAY CLAYSTONE.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLIME, WHITE TO CLEAR; VERY SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS; TRACE
2069		— \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE, IRREGULAR BLEBS OF POLYHALITE OCCURS ABOVE 1335.0°, AMMYDRITE OCCURS AS CONTINUOUS AND DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS BELOW 1335.0°, BASAL 2.0° CONTAINS 1/4" THICK SUBBORIZOWIAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
2064	1345		POLYHALITE INTERSEDDED WITH ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT CRAY TO LIGHT GRAYISH-ORANGE, THINLY LANIMATED TO STRUCTURELESS; HALITE BED BETWEEN 1343.1' AND 1343.4'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.

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2064	1345	x x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS CONTINUOUS HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND AS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
		x x	
2059 -	−1350	x x x	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-BROWN HALITIC CLAYSTONE HATRIX, HALITE CLEAR TO WHITE; HALITE OCCURS AS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED AGGREGATES OF
			CRYSTALS; CONTAINS 1/4" TO 2" THICK SUBHORIZONTAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT UNDULATORY UP TO 2.0", GRADATIONAL TO SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
2054-	−ı355		HENUTT POTASH ZONE  VACA TRISTA MARKER BED  HALITIC SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO STRUCTURELESS; HALITE OCCURS  AS ISOLATED DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS UP TO 1-1/2" ACROSS; LOCAL CHANNEL FILL STRUCTURES  PRESENT; CONTAINS BOTH SUBVERTICAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES 1/8" TO
2049	-1360	_ x _	2" THICK; CHANNEL INTO UNDERLYING UNIT 3.0' DEEP (EAST SIDE OF SHAFT); NUMEROUS FILLED CHANNELS THROUGHOUT UNIT; OCCASIONAL CROSS-LAMINATIONS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL TO LOCALLY SHARP, UNDULATORY UP TO 3.0'.
2044—	<b>-</b> -1365	X _ xxxxxx	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARGILLACEOUS TO 1363.0°, CLAY OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN MATRIX, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, HALITE OCCURS AS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED CRYSTAL MASSES; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH AS SUBHORIZONTAL CONTINUOUS AND DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS AND THIN BEDS, ALSO AS DISSEM- INATED BLEBS; BELOW 1363.0° ARGILLACEOUS MATERIAL OCCURS AS LOCAL SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; 1" THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS AT 1365.6°; FROM 1373.4° TO 1373.9°
2039-		— X	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE OCCURS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
		XXXXXXXXX	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE, CRUDELY
2034-	-1375	x - x	THIN TO MEDIUM BEDDED; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL PARALLEL STRINGERS GROUPED IN UPPER 2.0°, RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS BELOW 1380.4°, DISSEMINATED BLEBS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; LOCALLY SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, COLOR WHITISH-GRAY, SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND LOCAL IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES OF CLAY, CONTENT DECREASES
2029	-1380	_ x	WITH DEPTH; 1/4" TO 1/2" THICK CLAYSTONE BED AT 1383.8'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.  HALITIC CLAYSTONE AND ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, HALITE WHITE TO CLEAR
		×	AND FINELY CRYSTALLINE; HALITE CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS (1/8" TO 1/2" ACROSS) AND PODS OF RELATIVELY PURE HALITE; LOCAL PODS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
2024	-1385	— х _	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; LOCALLY ARGILLACEOUS,  REDDISH-BROWN CLAY OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS IN SUBHORIZONTAL ZONES,  CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1390.1'; TRACE POLYHALITE AS  RARE DISSEMINATED RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS AND BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH  DEPTH, POLYHALITE BED OCCURS BETWEEN 1390.9' AND 1391.1', CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY
2019	1390		NEAR BASE; LOCAL ZONES AND STRINGERS OF ARGILLACEOUS HALITE CONTAINING GRAY CLAY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.

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(FT. MSL) 2019	(FT.) 1390		AS ABOVE
2014	<del>-</del> 1395	- x x x x x x	HALITIC CLAYSTOWE, UPPER 2" GRAY, REMAINDER REDDISH-BROWN, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS (1/8" TO 1/2"); LOCAL GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION SPOTS; HINT OF RELICT BEDDING; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, UNDULATORY.  HALITE, NEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; VERY POLY-
2009—	1400	x x x	HALITIC TO 1400.0°, OCCURRING AS ABUNDANT RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND ZOMES; BELOW 1400.0° RARE POLYHALITE AND SUBHORIZONTAL GRAY STRINGERS OF CLAY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
2004-	- 1405 -	x	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE; CRAY CLAY IN UPPER 1.0', REMAINDER REDDISH-BROWN; HALITE OCCURS AS WELL-ROUNDED PODS OR COBBLES (?) 1" TO 4" DIAMETER, FINE GRAINED OR CRYSTALLINE COARSENING TOWARD CENTER, WHITE TO CLEAR WITH RARE ORANGE TINT, PODS BREAK IN SPHER- ICAL PATTERN; LOCALLY HALITE OCCURS AS CLEAR TO WHITE IRREGULARLY SHAPED ZONES, HALITE ALSO OCCURS AS SHALL DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS <1/32" TO 1/8" ACROSS; LOCAL 1/8" TO
1999~	-1410		1/4" DISCONTINUOUS HALITE-FILLED (FIBROUS) FRACTURES; CONTAINS LOCAL POLYHALITE ZONES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1994~	-1415	X X	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; ARGILLA- CEOUS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, LOCAL DISCONTINUOUS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES OF CLAYSTONE, CLAY ALSO OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; MODERATELY ABUNDANT POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS; CLAY ABSENT BELOW 1415.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY UP TO 4".
1989~	-1420	X X	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; THIN SUBHORIZONTAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES <1/16" THICK; CONTAINS RARE CRYSTALS OF HALITE 1/16" TO 1/4" ACROSS; LOWER 4" CONTAINS BLACK LAHINAE PARALLEL TO LOWER CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY ON TWO SCALES: MAJOR - 0.8', MINOR - 0.1', MARKED BY 1" THICK GREENISH-GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.
1984-	-1425	x — x —	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; RARE IRREGULAR DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS AND BLEBS OF POLYHALITE; LOCAL TRACE AMOUNTS OF GRAY SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF CLAY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.
1979-	-1430 -	_	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; MODERATELY ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY REDDISH-BROWN TO GRAY WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS INTER-CRYSTALLINE MATERIAL AND SUBHORIZOWTAL TO RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE BLEBS, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, AT 1437.5' A 0.1' THICK BED OF
1974	1435		REDDISH-ORANGE POLYHALITE OCCURS; BELOW POLYHALITE BED CLAY CONTENT INCREASES SLIGHTLY THEM DECREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE, CONFORMABLE.

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1974	1435		AS ABOVE
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			POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANCE, STRUCTURELESS; HALITIC IN UPPER
	-	kxxxxxxxx	1.5', HALITE OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS THIN BEDS AND IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES, WHITE
1964	-1445	XMBXXXX	TO CLEAR; REMAINDER HALITE-FREE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1" TO 2" THICK
i		$\times\!\!\times\!\!\times\!\!\times\!\!\times$	CREENISH-GRAY CLAYSTONE BED, DISCONFORMABLE.
	·	х	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT
	•		INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS RARE DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL
•		x .	STRINGERS; TWO 3/4" THICK BEDS OF POLYHALITE NEAR 1450'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1959	-1450	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	DAI WILLTON STUDY COVERAGE THE DEBATCULARING STOUCTURE SEC SYCERT SAD BARS CUR.
		×	POLYMALITE, PINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR RARE SUB- HORIZONTAL AND SUBVERTICAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES < 1/8" THICK; BASAL CONTACT
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Ī		_ x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE; TRACE SUBHORIZONTAL GRAY CLAY STRINGERS; RARE DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE, COM-
. 1954-	_1456	x x	TENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, INCREASES ABRUPTLY IN LOWER 4"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
19547	-1435	<del>^</del> ^	
J			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE AND HALITIC CLAYSTONE; UPPER 0.5° TO 1.0° CRAY, REMAINDER  REDDISH-BROWN; HALITE OCCURS AS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES, DISCONTINUOUS BEDS, DIS-
			PLACIVE CRYSTALS < 1/8" ACROSS; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
			HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; VERY
l		×	ARGILLACEOUS TO 1459.0', CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS IRREGULARLY-
1949	~1460		SHAPED ZONES OF HALITIC CLAYSTONE WITH DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS AND AS MATRIX AND
		_	RANDONLY-OBJENTED STRINGERS OF CLAY IN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, BELOW 1459.0' CLAY CON-
	ĺ	Ì	TENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS
	ł		DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS, STRINGERS
		. – 1	BECOME HORIZONTAL AND 1/4" THICK SPACED 2" TO 4" IN LOWER 5.0', 0.5' THICK BED OF POLYHALITE OCCURS AT 1469.0'; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1944		xxxxxx	POLYMALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE TO ORANGISH-RED; UPPER 0.5' CONTAINS
	ĺ		DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF IRREGULARLY-SHAPED PODS OF HALITE; BECOMES LAMINATED WITH
ł	ł		CLAY PARTINGS BELOW 1470.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1" TO 4" THICK BED OF
ì	ļ	XXXXXX	CRAY CLAYSTONE SPLIT BY BIFURCATING HALITE-FILLED SUBHORIZONTAL FRACTURE,
	ļ		UNDULATORY UP TO 0.5'.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE, BEDDED WITH SUBHORIZONTAL CONTINUOUS STRINGERS
1939-	-1470	**************************************	AND BEDS OF POLYHALITE 1/4" TO 3/4" THICK; POLYHALITE CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH,
		<b>XXXXXXXX</b>	ABSENT BELOW 1475.0'; BEDDED WITH SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF GRAY CLAY BELOW
J.	ļ	**********	1475.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
]	J	×	HALITE, FINELY TO MEDIUM CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; GRAYISH-BLACK CLAY OCCURS AS INTERSTITIAL FILLING AND AS DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT
		Ţ	SHARP.
1934	-1475	_ ×	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TIMTED GRANGE, BANDED BY
l	L		ORANGE-TINTED HALITE SPACED 1" TO 2"; 1" THICK BED OF GREENISH-GRAY CLAYSTONE
<u> </u>	. [	<b>-</b> .	OCCURS 2" ABOVE LOWER CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
	Ī		HALITIC CLAYSTONE AND ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, REDDISH-BROWN; HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLA-
[	1		CIVE CRYSTALS AND SUBHGRIZONTAL FRACTURE FILLINGS 1/4" THICK; UPPER 4" GREENISH- CRAY; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
1929	1480		

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	•	-	HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED GRANGE; SLIGHTLY
			ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 2.0' AS DISCONTINUOUS RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; TRACE POLYMALITE AT TOP, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLESS AND
1924-	-1485	×	STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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			POLYHALITE, FIMELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1919-	-1490	XM03XXXXXXX	HARKED BY 1/2" TO 1" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.
	-		HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS SUBHORIZONTAL
	-		STRINGERS OF BLACKISH-GRAY CLAY SPACED 2" TO 4"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE, BANDED WHITE AND
		×	ORANGE, SPACED 1" TO 2", TRACE POLYMALITE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
	1405	×	
1914-	<u>-</u> 1495		ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FIWELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; HALITE OCCURS
			AS PODS AND IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES OF CRYSTALS SURROUNDED BY REDDISH-BROWN CLAY
			HATRIX; CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; UPPER 4" CONTAINS SUBHORIZONTAL
		_	STRINGERS OF BLACKISH-GRAY CLAY SPACED 1"; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
1909-	-1500	x	
		n i	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO ORANGE: TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS:
		х х <sub></sub>	BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY UP TO 1", DISCONFORMABLE.
ľ			POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; HALITIC, CONTAINS IRREGULARLY-
1904	-1505	<b>MBX2X</b>	SHAPED PODS OF HALITE TO 4" ACROSS; CONTAINS LOCAL ZONES RICH IN ANHYDRITE OR
1304	. 1303	<b>*********</b>	LANGBENITE (?); BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, SLICHTLY IRREGULAR.
		x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; TRACE
		×	POLYHALITE, COMTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
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	•	XXXXXXX	POLYHALITE, FIMELY CRYSTALLIME, BROWN TO TAM, STRUCTURELESS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
	ļ	XXXXXX —	HALITE, FIMELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS STRINGERS OF
1894	-1515	_	POLYHALITE AND CRAY CLAY SPACED 1" TO 2"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
	ļ		HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE; UPPER 0.5' ARCIL- LACEOUS, REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TWO 3" THICK BEDS OF REDDISH-
		x –	BROWN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE OCCUR AT 1519.8' AND 1520.2'; BASAL 0.5' CONTAINS SUB-
	ļ		HORIZONTAL GRAY CLAY STRINGERS, SPACED 1" TO 3"; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DIS-
			SEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDONLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT
1889	-1520		SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, DISCOMFORMABLE.
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1884	1525		<u></u>

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1884 1525		AS ABOVE
1879 1530		ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, UPPER 1.0' TO 3.0' GRAY ARGILLACEOUS HALITE WITH RARE SMALL DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS < 1/16" ACROSS; HALITE OCCURS AS AGGREGATES OF CRYSTALS IN PODS OR ZONES; CLAY OCCURS AS MATRIX IN UPPER PART, OCCURS AS DISSEMI-WATED IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
18741535	5	UNION ANHYDRITE  AMBYDRITE, ALTERNATES WHITISH-GRAY TO DARK GRAY, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, THINLY LAMI- NATED TO THIMLY BEDDED: HALITIC, CONTAINS RARE 1/16" CRYSTALS OF HALITE: UPPER 2" TO
18691540		5" POLYHALITIC, DISCONTINUOUS POLYHALITE LENS OCCURS ON MORTHWEST SIDE OF SHAFT BETWEEN 1539.5' AND 1541.6'; LOWER 1.0' TO 2.0' CONTAINS WHITE LAMINAE INTERBEDDED WITH ANHYDRITE, POSSIBLY CARBONATE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, ALTERNATION CONTACT, COMFORMABLE.  POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGISH-RED TO REDDISH-ORANGE, THINLY LAMINATED TO
1864		THINLY BEDDED, LOCALLY STRUCTURELESS, LAMINAE OFTEN SLIGHTLY CONTORTED; LOCALLY ANHYDRITIC, OCCURS AS UNALTERED LAMINAE AND ZONES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY LOAD CASTS INTO UNDERLYING UNIT (2" DEEP BY 1" TO 3" ACROSS) AND FLAME STRUCTURES. ANHYDRITIC CLAYSTONE, FINELY LAMINATED, CRAY TO WHITISH-GRAY; CONTAINS LOCAL, SMALL ENTROLITHIC STRUCTURES; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL TO DIFFUSE.
18591550	****** *******	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE, SLIGHTLY BEDDED BY DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE AND BANDS OF POLY- HALITIC HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, MODERATELY ABUNDANT IN UPPER 1.0°, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSENINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT
1854—-1555	_	GRADATIONAL.
: 1849—— 1560	x x	HALITE, FIMELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 1.5', GRAY, AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND BEDS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, 1.0' TO 2.0' THICK BED OF GRAY ARGILLACEOUS HALITE AT 1560.2'; BELOW 1560.2' CLAY CONTENT INCREASES AND BECOMES REDDISH-BROWN, OCCURS AS STRINGERS AND DISCONTINUOUS BEDS OF ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, LOCALLY GRAY, CONTENT DROPS TO
1844 1565		TRACE NEAR BASE; SOME POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES TO 1560.2', BELOW WHICH IT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
1839 1570		

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ELEV.	DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC COLUMN	REMARKS
(FT. MSL)	(FT.) 1570	0020111	AS ABOVE
1834		x	AS ABUTE
1829 —	- 1580	_ x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TIMTED ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; UPPER 0.5' SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, ABSENT BELOW 1582.0', OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS AND AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX; TRACE DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, HIGHLY IRREGULAR, MARKED BY THE OCCURRENCE OF ARGILLACEOUS HALITE.
1824	-1585	×	
1819—	-1590	-=-=	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 0.5' HAS REDDISH- BROWN CLAY MATRIX, COMTENT DECREASES SLIGHTLY WITH DEPTH, CLAY BECOMES BOTH GRAY AND REDDISH-BROWN, OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND AS STRINGERS WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, DISCONFORMABLE.
1814	- 1595	x —	
1809~	J	X X	
1804	- 1605	- x x -	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, REDDISH-BROWN, OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATERIAL AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, LOCALLY OCCURS IN GREATER CONCENTRATIONS; TRACE POLY-HALITE, CONTENT INCREASES SLIGHTLY WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS, BLEBS BECOME LARGER WITH DEPTH (UP TO 2" x 1"); BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1799	-1610	- x	
1794	1615	x	

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ELEV.	DEPTH (FT.)	COLUMN	REMARKS
1794	1615	_ x	·
1789-		MB 123	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, BROWNISH-GRAY TO ORANGISH-TAN, THINLY LAMINATED; LOCALLY ALTERED TO POLYHALITE; LAMINAE OFTEN CONTORTED AND SLIGHTLY HALITIC, LOCALLY NODULAR, STRUCTURE OFTEN ENTROLITHIC; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1784 —		×××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××××	HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE; 3" THICK BED OF ORANGISH-RED POLYHALITE AT 1624.2"; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; THIN 1" THICK IRREGULAR BED OF ANHYDRITE AT 1628.3"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE (?).
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17 <b>79</b> -	1630 ·	MB 124	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, BROWNISH-GRAY TO TANNISH-GRAY, ENTROLITHIC TO NODULAR TO 1633.0', BELOW 1633.0', BECOMES LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED, LOCALLY CONTAINS ANHYDRITE PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS; LOCALLY POLYHALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 2.0" TO 4.0" THICK GRAY THINLY LAMINATED CLAYSTONE BED CONTAINING SEVERAL SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES 1/8"
1774—	1635		TO 1/4" THICK, SPACED 1" TO 2"; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.  ARGILLACEOUS POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANCE; POLYHALITE OCCURS AS
1769 <del>-</del>	-1640	x x	REPLACEMENT OF ANHYDRITE OR GYPSUM NODULES IN GRAY CLAYSTONE MATRIX; NODULE CONCENTRATION INCREASES WITH DEPTH UNTIL MATRIX IS POLYHALITE; NODULE DIAMETER 1/8" TO 1/2"; UNDERLAIN BY 1" TO 2" GRAY CLAYSTONE BED; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, IRREGULAR.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE; POLYHALITIC, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; GRAY
1764 <del></del>	-1645	x	CLAYSTONE BED OCCURS AT 1644.0'; POLYHALITE CONTENT TRACE BELOW 1644.0'; LOWER 1.5' CONTAINS TRACE AMOUNT OF CLAY STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR WITH DISSOLUTION PITS 0.3' DEEP, MARKED BY 2" TO 3" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.
1759	-1650	_	
1754—	−1655	x x	HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO ORANGE; POLYHALITIC, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; TRACE DISSEMINATED GRAY CLAY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1749	1660	- x	AS BELOW

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ELEV.	DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC COLUMN	REMARKS
(FT. MSL)	1660	×	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; TRACE REDDISH-BROWN AND GRAY CLAY, OCCURRING AS STRINGERS AND AS LOCALLY DISSEMINATED MATRIX, CLAY CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1662.0° AS REDDISH-BROWN STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH
1744 —	— 1665		DEPTH, ARGILLACEOUS HALITE BED OCCURS WITH CLAY AS STRINGERS AND MATRIX BETWEEN 1673.0' AND 1673.8', LOWER 2.5' CONTAINS DISCONTINUOUS HORIZONTAL AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF GRAY CLAY; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS WITH SIZE INCREASING WITH DEPTH (1" DIAMETER); BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY TO 0.5'.
1739 -	<del>-</del> 1670		
1734 —	-1675	x	
1729 —	- 1680	x 	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE;
1724 —	- 1685	 -	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE OCCURS BETWEEN 1681.4' AND 1682.6', GRAY CLAY; REDDISH-BROWN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE OCCURS BETWEEN 1682.6' AND 1684.1', CLAY OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS AND AS MATRIX; CLAY CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1684.1'; TRACE POLYHALITE BELOW 1686.4', CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1719 -	- 1690	x -	
1714	- 1695	x - x -	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; VERY ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 0.5', CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX AND RARE STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1704.0'; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; BASAL
1709 -	- 1700		CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, DISCONFORMABLE.
1704	1705	х	

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ELEV.	DEPTH	COLUMN	REMARKS
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1699 —	— 1710	-	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 0.3' TO 0.4' AND LOWER 0.7' PURE HALITE, REMAINDER SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, BECOMING GRAY WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, DISCONFORMABLE.
1694 —	— 1715	_	
1689 —	<b>–</b> 1720	x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; UPPER 1.0' ARGILLACEOUS, COMTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS, LOWER 1.0' VERY POLYHALITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY.
1684 —	- 1725	X X X X X XM-9XX26X	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ORANGISH-RED, STRUCTURELESS; UNIT VERY UNDULATORY; BASAL 0.4' CONSISTS OF GREENISH-GRAY CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY,
1679 —	- 1730	- x x -	DISCONFORMABLE.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; LOCALLY ARGILLACEOUS, CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMI- NATED BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR WITH DISSOLUTION PITS 1.0' DEEP INTO UNDERLYING UNIT.
1674 —	- 1735	- x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 2.0' SLIGHTLY ARGIL- LACEOUS, CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND DISSEMINATED INTERCRYSTALLINE MATERIAL; TRACE POLYHALITE AT TOP, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1669	- 1740	- x	
1664	- 1745	x -	
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1659	1750	x	

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ELEV.	DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC	REMARKS
(FT. MSL)	(FT.)	COLUMN	
1659	1750	×	AS ABOVE
	,	<b>70/8×12/7</b>	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, TRACE THIN LAMINATIONS; LOCALLY
İ			ANHYDRITIC; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1		MB-127	HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE OCCASIONALLY TINTED GRANGE; SUBHORI-
1654 -		x	ZONTAL POLYHALITE STRINGERS, 1/8" THICK; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR.
1034 -	_ 1733		POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1"
i i		×	THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.
1 1		^	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; POLYHALITIC, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS STRINGERS AND BLEBS; 0.1' TO 0.4' THICK ANHYDRITE
1 1		•	BED OCCURS AT 1761.9'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
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1649	<b>—</b> 1760	v	
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1 1			
}		XXXXXXXXX	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-GRANGE, THINLY LAMINATED; 0.3' THICK HALITE
{			BED AT 1763.9', LOWER 0.1' TO 0.2' HALITIC GRAY CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1644	- 1765		HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE OCCASIONALLY TINTED GRANGE, HINT DO
			BEDDING FROM SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE SPACED 0.2'; 0.1' THICK BED OF
}			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE OCCURS AT 1767.3'; POLYHALITE CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY NEAR
ł			BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE.
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1639 -	- 1770		
		X X	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED
			ORANGE; GRAY CLAY OCCURS AS MATRIX AND INTERCRYSTALLINE MATERIAL, CLAY BECOMES
		x x x	REDDISH-BROWN BELOW 1773.8', CLAY CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; CLAY-FREE
-			POLYHALITIC HALITE OCCURS BETWEEN 1773.3' AND 1773.8'; POLYHALITE CONTENT INCREASES
1634 -	-1775	_	WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRRECULAR.
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1629	- 1780		
1 1023 T	1780		
} }			HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; ARGILLA- CEOUS TO 1782.4°, CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW, CLAY OCCURS AS MATRIX; TRACE
<u> </u>		-	POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND
[ ]		l	RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1624	_ 1705	×	
1 '044 ]	-1/85	ļ	
-		ļ	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, DARK REDDISH-ORANGE, HINT OF THIN LAMINATIONS;
			TRACE HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 1" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED, SLIGHTLY
} }		***	UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.
			ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, CLEAR; CRAY CLAY AT TOP,
1619	- 1790		GRADING TO REDDISH-BROWN WITH DEPTH, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH UNTIL ABSENT AT
]	}		1792.3'; CLAY CONTENT INCREASES AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATERIAL AND STRINGERS BELOW
	}		1792.3', CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, ABSENT SELOW 1794.0'; TRACE POLYHALITE,
	Į	×	CONTEST INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO
1614	1705	_	SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 0.1' THICK BED OF
1614	1795		POLYHALITE UNDERLAIN BY 1/4" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.

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ELEV.	DEPTH	COLUMN	REMARKS
1614	(FT.) 1795		AS ABOYE
1609	1800	- x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CONTAINS SUBHORIZONTAL GRAY
1604 —	<del></del> ∣805	- x	CLAY STRINGERS TO 1804.3', ABSENT BELOW 1804.3'; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY 3" ZONE OF GRAYISH HALITE UNDERLAIN BY 1" THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE.
1599 —	1810	x x	
1594 -	- 1815	x x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; UPPER 1.8' ARGILLACEOUS, REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS, BLEBS ALIGNED IN ZONES AND STRINGERS OCCUR BELOW 1817.6'; CONTAINS GRAY CLAY AS STRINGERS AND DISSEMINATED INTERCRYSTALLIME MATERIAL BETWEEN 1819.2' AND 1819.9'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, DISCONFORMABLE.
589 <del> </del>	- 1820	x	HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; ARGILLA-
1584 —	- 1825	- x	CEOUS, REDDISH-BROWN, CLAY OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX AND STRINGERS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1823.0'; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
1579	- 1830 - 1835	- x	HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 4.0°, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CLAY OCCURS AS STRINGERS AND INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX, CONTAINS RARE SMALL (<1/16") DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY DISSOLUTION PITS 6" TO 8" DEEP INTO UNDERLYING UNIT, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY.
1569	1840	— х	HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARGILLACEOUS TO 1839.8', OCCURS AS GRAY STRINGERS; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS BLEBS AND RANDONLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, HIGHLY IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.

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1569 184	0	AS ABOYE
1564 — 18	45 x x	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE; HALITIC; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL,  VERY IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY.  HALITE, FIMELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; ARGILLA-
1559 18	50 — X X —	CEOUS, GRAY AT TOP GRADING TO REDDISH-BROWN WITH DEPTH, CONTENT DECREASES WITH  DEPTH, CLAY OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND AS MATRIX MATERIAL IN  IRREGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES OF ARGILLACEOUS HALITE; POLYHALITIC, CONTENT INCREASES  WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDOMLY-ORIENTED DISCONTINUOUS  STRINGERS; CONTAINS LARGE IRREGULAR ZONES (SEVERAL SQUARE FOOT AREA) OF PURE WHITE  HALITE WHICH ARE CONTINUOUS INTO UNDERLYING UNIT (DISSOLUTION PITS ?); BASAL
1554 — 18	<u> </u>	CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, DISCONFORMABLE.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; ARGILLACEOUS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS BISSEMINATED BLEBS; CONTAINS DISSOLUTION PITS 2.0' TO 3.0' DEEP, FILLED WITH WHITE COARSELY CRYSTALLINE HALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP TO ABSENT, MARKED BY 1"
1549 18	50 x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE; POLYHALITIC, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL 1/4" THICK STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
1544 18	55 X X	
1539 18	70 - X X -	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, DARK REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; HALITIC; UNDERLAIN BY 4" THICK BED OF GRAY HALITIC CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; POLYHALITIC, CON- TENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS, POLYHALITE BED 0.1' THICK AT 1875.7'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
1534 18	75 x	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; CLAY REDDISH- BROWN TO GRAY, OCCURS AS IRREGULAR SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; HALITE OCCURS IN PODS OR ZONES OF CRYSTALS; TRACE POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.
1529 181	- x - x	HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE; BECOMES SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS WITH DEPTH;  POLYHALITIC, OCCURS AS BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP,  IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.  ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, REDDISH-BROWN WITH TRACE OF GRAY; HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY  CRYSTALLIME, WHITE TO CLEAR, OCCURS AS IRREGULARLY-SHAPED BEDS AND PODS, LOCALLY  POLYHALITIC AND FREE OF CLAY; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH,  OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND IRREGULAR RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; 1/4" THICK
1524 18	35	BED OF FOLYHALITE UNDERLAIN BY 1/4" THICK DISCONTINUOUS BED OF CRAY CLAYSTONE OCCURS AT 1898.2'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.

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PRELIMINARY	STRATIGRAPHIC	REMARKS
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1524   1885	-	AS ABOVE
1519 — 1890	_	
1514 1895		POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, DARK REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS; UNDERLAIN BY 1"
15091900	_	THICK GREENISH-GRAY CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE; TRACE  ARGILLACEOUS MATERIAL BELOW 1901.0°, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, TOTALLY ABSENT  BELOW 1904.8°, OCCURS AS RANDONLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS BECOMING  BLEBS WITH DEPTH; 1/4" THICK SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE OCCUR BELOW
1504 ——1905		1914.0'; AT 1916.5', A 0.2' THICK PINKISH-RED POLYHALITE BED OCCURS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR AND UNDULATORY.
1499 — 1910	_	
1494 — 1915	************	POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, DARK RED, STRUCTURELESS AT TOP GRADING TO LAMINATED
1489 — 1920	- x x x 	AT BASE; HALITIC, BASAL CONTACT SHARP TO GRADATIONAL, MARKED BY 0.1' TO 0.2' THICK GRAY CLAYSTONE BED.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR, SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, OCCURS AS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; ABUNDANT POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; CONTAINS LOCAL ZONES OF PURE HALITE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, IRREGULAR.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, CLEAR TO WHITE; RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO
1484 1925	x	SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF BLACK CLAY OCCUR BETWEEN 1923.5' AND 1926.4'; POLYHALITIC, CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 1926.8', THEN DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
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1479 1930	x	HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, CLEAR TO WHITE; NODERATELY ARGILLACEOUS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS BLACK BLEBS AND STRINGERS; TRACE POLY-HALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS IRREGULAR RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND DISSEMINATED BLEBS; CONTAINS LOCAL BEDS AND ZONES OF CLAY-FREE HALITE; POLYHALITE CONTENT INCREASES ABRUPTLY NEAR BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1469 1940	x x	
1464 1945	x - x	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LICHT TO DARK CRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO LAMINATED;  UPPER 0 TO 0.5' POLYHALITIC; LOCALLY HALITIC, OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS BEDS AND  PODS; SOME LAMINAE ORGANIC-RICH (?); LAMINAE UNDULATE SLIGHTLY; UNDERLAIN BY 0.1'  TO 0.3' THICK GRAY HALITIC CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY  UNDULATORY.  HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS;
1459 — 1950	-	SLICHTLY ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 5.0', OCCURS AS GRAY DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS, BELOW 1952.3' CONTENT INCREASES SHARPLY, THEM DECREASES WITH DEPTH, DISCONTINUOUS 1" TO 2" THICK IRREGULAR GRAY CLAYSTONE BED OCCURS AT 1952.3'; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS LIGHT ORANGISH-WHITE DISSEMINATED BLEBS; IN BASAL 1.0' POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE OCCUR AS DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR.
1454 — 1955	_ x	
14491960	X //////	
14441965	MB 134	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, CRAY ALTERNATING WITH DARK CRAY, THINLY LAMINATED; LOCALLY CONTAINS PODS OF HALITE AND HALITE-RICH LAMINAE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, CONFORMABLE.  ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, GRAY; HALITIC, OCCURS AS ABUNDANT HALITE PSEUDO- MORPHS AFTER CYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS ALIGNED PARALLEL TO BEDDING, 1/8" TO 2" HICH, MAJORITY ORIENTED VERTICALLY; LOCALLY, ANHYDRITE IS FREE OF PSEUDOMORPHS AND THINLY LAMINATED, LAMINAE ALTERNATE FROM LIGHT TO DARK GRAY; HALITE PSEUDOMORPHS
1439 1970	MB 134	ABSENT BETWEEN 1966.6' AND 1967.5'; BASAL CONTACT CRADATIONAL TO DIFFUSE.  ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT AND DARK GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO LAMINATED; LAMINAE OFTEN CONTAIN INSIPIENT ENTROLITHIC STRUCTURES AND ANHYDRITE  PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS; UNDERLAIN BY 0.4' TO 0.5' THICK BED  OF MICROLAMINATED TO THINLY LAMINATED GRAY CLAYSTONE CONTAINING SUBHORIZONTAL  BIFURCATING 0 TO 1" THICK HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY, DISCONFORMABLE.
1434 1975		

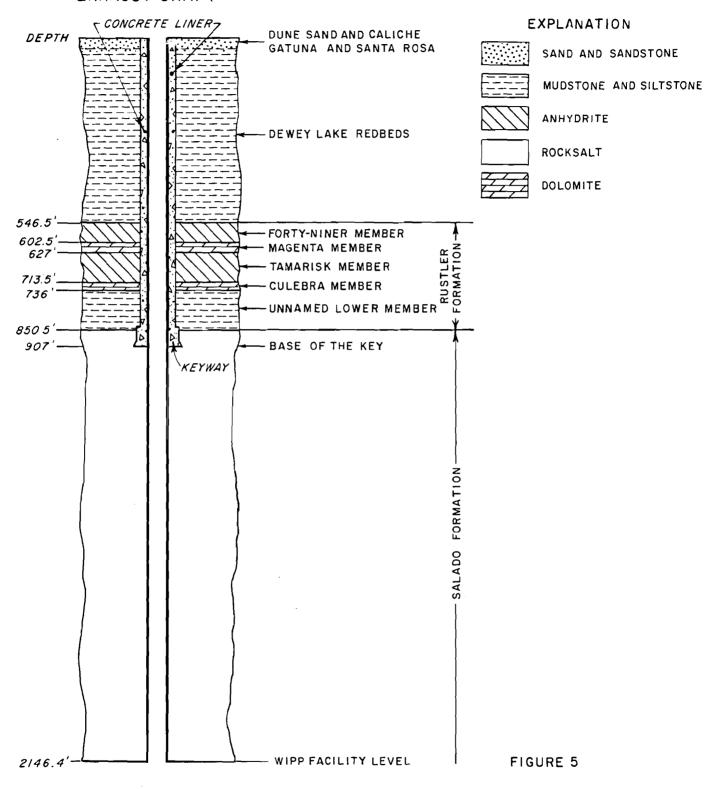
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ELEV.	DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC COLUMN	REMARKS
(FT MSL) 1434	1975	-	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR, STRUCTURELESS; MODERATELY ARGILLACEOUS, GRAY, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED RANDOMLY-
1429 —	- 1980	x -	ORIENTED DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS AND BLEBS; TRACE POLYHALITE BLEBS; CONTAINS INTER- UNIT DISSOLUTION PITS FILLED WITH RELATIVELY PURE HALITE; FREE OF GRAY CLAY FROM 1985.0' TO 1989.0'; THIM (<1/8") SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE OCCUR BELOW 1986.0'; IRREGULAR BED OF HALITIC ANHYDRITE IN LOWER 1" TO 3" OVERLIES HIGHLY UNDU- LATORY BASAL CONTACT, CONTACT MARKED BY GRAY CLAYSTONE IN CHANNEL TROUGHS, CONTACT EROSIONALLY TERMINATES UNDERLYING UNIT AT THE WEST SIDE OF SHAFT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1424		x	
			HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE; CONTAINS DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE, <1/4" THICK; UNIT THICKNESS VARIES FROM 0 TO 1.5' AS IT IS EROSIONALLY TERMINATED AT UPPER CONTACT; SHAPE LENTICULAR (0 TO 1.5' X 6'); BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1419	- 1990	MB\135	AMMYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT GRAY, LOCALLY THINLY LAMINATED; CONTAINS ABUN- DANT HALITE PSEUDOHORPHS AFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, HARKED BY 1/4" TO 1/2" THICK GRAY CLAYSTOME BED.
1414 -	- 1995	- x	HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED GRAY, BANDED, SPACED 1/2" TO 4", TRACE GRAY CLAY; CONTAINS CONTINUOUS IRREGULAR SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF GRAY CLAY; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY UP TO 4".  HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED GRAY, BANDED ON 1/2" TO 2" SCALE, SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS, OCCURS AS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND LOCAL RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS,
1409 —	- 2000	x	CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR, STRUCTURELESS: SLIGHTLY  ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER PART, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN  RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS; TRACE POLYHALITE, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL  CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY (3").
		_	ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE; CLAY REDDISH-BROWN, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX, GRADES TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS WITH DEPTH; HALITE OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS BEDS
1404 -	- 2005		AND ALIGNED PODS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY.
1399	- 2010	-	
1394 —	- 2015	-	
1389	2020		

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ELEV.		STRATIGRAPHIC COLUMN	REMARKS
(FT MSL)	(FT.) 2020	COLOWIN	AS ABOYE
1369	2020		HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE, OCCURS AS IRREGULAR DISCONTINUOUS BEDS 1/2" TO 2" THICK AT TOP, BECOMES MASSIVE WITH DEPTH; VERY ARGIL-LACEOUS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX; ABUNDANT POLYHALITE AT TOP, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED
1384 —	<b>−2025</b>	- x	BLEBS AND RARE SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; CONTAINS ABUNDANT VERTICALLY-ORIENTED  ELONGATE ZONES OF PURE AND POLYHALITIC HALITE WITH IRREGULAR EDGES, 1.0° TO 2.0°  ACROSS, UP TO 3.0° DEEP; BASAL CONTACT EXHIBITS CHANNEL FORM, WITH HIGH SIDE  OCCURRING ON WEST SIDE OF SHAFT AT 2032.0° AND LOW POINT OCCURRING ON EAST SIDE OF  SHAFT AT 2036.3°; CHANNEL FILL CONSISTS OF HALITE AND POLYHALITIC HALITE BELOW  2032.0°, A 0.5° THICK BED OF FINELY CRYSTALLINE ANHYDRITE OCCURS AT 2032.3° AND
1379 —		x	TERMINATES AGAINST UNDERLYING UNIT AT WEST SIDE OF SHAFT, FILL CONTAINS ABUNDANT SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE THAT TERMINATE AGAINST UNDERLYING UNIT AT WEST SIDE OF SHAFT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1374 -	— 20 <b>3</b> 5		POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-ORANGE, STRUCTURELESS EXCEPT FOR LOCAL ZONES CONTAINING HALITE PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER CYPSUM SWALLOWTAIL CRYSTALS AND LOCAL ZONES WITH MODULAR STRUCTURE, LOCALLY THINLY LANINATED NEAR BASE; UPPER 2.0' ON
1369 —	- 2040	MB 136	WEST SIDE OF SHAFT CONSISTS OF THINLY LAMINATED ANHYDRITE: BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, UNDULATORY.
1364	-2045	MB 136	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LICHT AND DARK GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED,  LAMINAE UNDULATE SLICHTLY; 0.3' ABOVE LOWER CONTACT, 0 TO 1" THICK DISCONTINUOUS  PURE HALITE BED OCCURS, CONTAINS ONE DISCONTINUOUS STRINGER OF POLYHALITE; BASAL  CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS,
1359 —	- 2050	- x -	CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN TO GRAY RANDOMLY-ORIENTED TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS WHICH BECOME SUBHORIZONTAL WITH DEPTH; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS NEAR BASE; 1" TO 2" THICK BED OF ANHYDRITE (NORTHWEST SIDE OF SHAFT) AND POLYHALITE (SOUTHEAST SIDE OF SHAFT) AT 2059.3'; SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE IN LOWER 5.0'; NO CLAY OCCURS BELOW 2059.3'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY TO 0.4', DISCONFORMABLE.
1354 -	- 2055	-	
1349	- 2060	\ — \ \MB\*13\% x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR TO TINTED ORANGE AND GRAY, THINLY BEDDED TO GRAY ARGILLACEOUS HALITE WITH CLAY-FREE HALITE, BEDDING TERMINATED AT UPPER CONTACT; TRACE POLYHALITE AT TOP, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISSENINATED BLEBS; ARGILLACEOUS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, GRAY AT TOP GRADING TO GRAYISH-BROWN WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS RANDOMLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS AND LOCAL ZONES OF INTERCRYSTALLINE MATERIAL, BECOMES REDDISH-BROWN BELOW 2070.2', CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 2079.0', BASAL 2.0' SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS; BASAL
1344	2065	_ x	CONTACT SHARP, SLICHTLY UNDULATORY, IRREGULAR, MARKED BY DISCONTINUOUS IRREGULAR 2" THICK BED OF HALITIC ANHYDRITE.

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ELEV. DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC	REMARKS			
(FT MSL) (FT.)	COLUMN				
1344 2065	x _	AS ABOVE			
1339 — 2070	x				
1334 2075	×	,			
1329 2080	x - x				
1324 2085	- x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; TRACE POLYHALITE, OCCURS AS DISSEMINATED BLEBS; ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 1.2', OCCURS AS REDDISH-BROWN DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZOWTAL STRINGERS AND HASSES OF HALITIC MUDSTONE, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; TRACE DISSEMINATED BLEBS AND RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE; ARGILLACEOUS IN UPPER 1.0', CONTENT			
1319 2090	x x	DECREASES WITH DEPTH; LOCAL ANHYDRITE STRINGERS OCCUR NEAR BASAL CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR AND UNDULATORY.			
1314 2095	_ x	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; RARE DISSEMINATED POLYHALITE BLEBS; ARGILLACEOUS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH EXCEPT FOR LOCAL INCREASES, CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 2101.5', OCCURS AS DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS; THIN DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE AND POLYHALITE OCCUR IN LOWER 2.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.			
1309 — 2100	x x	•			
. 1304 2105	xxxxxxx 	ANHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT AND DARK GRAY, THINLY LANINATED; UNDERLAIN BY 1/2" THICK GRAYISH-BROWN CLAYSTONE BED; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.  HALITE, FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE, BEDDED AT TOP WITH REDDISH-BROWN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, SPACED 1" TO 2"; ARGILLACEOUS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, OCCURS AS INTERCRYSTALLINE MATRIX IN ARGILLACEOUS HALITE BANDS AT TOP			
1299 2110		AND RANDONLY-ORIENTED STRINGERS WITH DEPTH, CONTENT DECREASES ABRUPTLY BELOW 2111.3'; RARE DISSEMINATED BLEBS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.			

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ELEV.	DEPTH	STRATIGRAPHIC COLUMN	REMARKS
(FT MSL)	(FT.) 2110	<del></del>	AS ABOVE
		x	
1294 —	— 2115 —	-	HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; RARE STRINGERS OF CLAY IN UPPER 1.7'; TRACE SUBHORIZONTAL TO HORIZONTAL CONTINUOUS STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE BELOW 2117.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
1289~	<b>–</b> 2120		HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED ORANGE, RARE RANDOMLY- ORIENTED CLAY STRINGERS TO 2125.2'; UPPER CONTACT MARKED BY ANHYDRITIC CLAYSTONE CONTAINING DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS (<1/4"); TRACE POLYHALITE BLEBS; ANHYDRITE STRINGERS OCCUR BETWEEN 2128.1' AND 2128.5'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLICHTLY UNDU- LATORY, IRRECULAR.
1284—	- 2125		
1279 —	- 2130		AMMYDRITE (A), FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED, LAMINAE SLIGHTLY CONTORTED; LOCALLY CONTAINS SMALL HALITE CRYSTALS (<1/16"); BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY. HALITE, HEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; RARE CLAY STRINGERS TO
1274 -	- 2135	, v	2131.5'; SUBBORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF ANHYDRITE SPACED 2" TO 4" OCCUR BELOW 2134.0'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
	; -		AMMYDRITE (B), FINELY CRYSTALLINE, LIGHT GRAY, HIMT OF THIN LAMINATIONS; HALITIC,  BASAL CONTACT SHARP, IRREGULAR, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.  HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO CLEAR; RARE SUBHORIZONTAL CLAY
1269-	- 2140	×	STRINGERS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; VERY RARE BLEBS OF POLYHALITE; BASAL CONTACT NOT OBSERVED.
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1264	- 2145		
_	- 2146.4	FACILITY LEVEL	
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## EXHAUST SHAFT



# EXHAUST SHAFT STRATIGRAPHY NOTES:

I. ALL ROCKS BELOW SANTA ROSA ARE PERMIAN IN AGE.

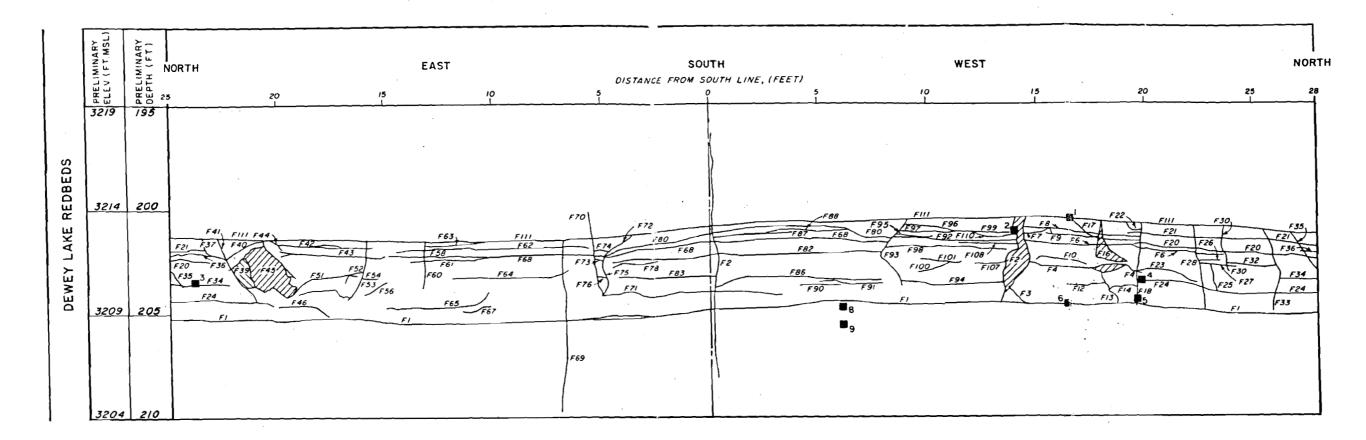
2. ALL DEPTHS ARE MEASURED FROM A REFERENCE ELEVATION AT 3409 MSL.

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## NOTES

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED ON 10-3-84.
- 2) THE LITHOLOGY OF THIS INTERVAL IS DESCRIBED IN FIGURE 4.
- 3) DEPTHS AND EVALUATIONS ARE RELATED TO THE REFERENCE ELEVATION OF 3409 FEET ABOVE MSL.
- 4) ONLY FRACTURES THAT WERE DEEMED "MAPABLE" AT A SCALE OF ONE INCH EQUALS FIVE FEET ARE INCLUDED ON THE MAP.
- 5) MAPPING EFFORTS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE DEPTH INTERVAL FROM 195.0 FEET TO 200.0 FEET.

#### **EXPLANATION**

MAPPED FRACTURE #20, SEE FRACTURE NOTES FOR DESCRIPTION

24 SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAFT DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE

#24 MAPPED FRACTURE #29, FRACTURE SURFACE EXPOSED

FIGURE 6 - SHEET 1 OF 11

FRACTURE LOG IN
THE DEWEY LAKE REDBEDS
DEPTH 190.0 THROUGH 205.0 FEET
EXHAUST SHAFT

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## WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 2 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth** of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill* <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F1	horizontal		1/4-1/2"	fg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface, second growth 1/4 inch from base	No terminations
F2	70-85°	230	1/4-3/4"	fg	Sigmoidal growth of fibers suggesting slight left lateral movement	
F3	56°	000	. 1/4"	fg	Fibers are straight, but at angle of 30° to the fractured surface	F2 and F1 terminate F3
F4	15°	330	0-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically with slight inclination to the fracture plane; contains small siltstone inclusions in center of vein	F4 cut by F2
F5***	44°	055	<1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F6	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically with small siltstone inclusions in middle to lower 1/2	F6 intersects F16, F18, F28 relationships not determined
F7	20°	270	1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F7 intersects F8, F2
F8	horizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F8 terminated at F2, F18

<sup>\*</sup>t'g = fibrous gypsum

\*\*Azimuth of pole describes the direction of dip; quadrant notation describes the strike of the plane.

\*\*\*Fracture not mapped

## WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 4 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth <u>of Pole</u>	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F19***	26°	350	1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically with suture line	F19 terminates at F8 & F18
F20	horizontal		0-1/4"	fg	Consistent vertical sig- moidal fibers	F20 cut by F28, F18 F20 intersects F30, F35, and F33
F21	horizontal		0-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically, suture contains frequent thin lenticular siltstone inclusions	F21 intersects F18, F28, F30, F33 and F35 F21 terminates at F37
F22	38°	100	1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F22 terminates at F111 and F18
F23	subhorizontal		1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F23 terminates at F18
F24	subhorizontal undulatory		1/4-2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically, fibers are straight to sigmoidal, bifurcates with inclusions of siltstone up to one inch thick	F24 terminates at F18 F24 intersects F33
F25	75°	080	1/16"	fg		F25 terminates at F24, F27
F26	22°	350	0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F26 terminates at F28
F27	horizontal		1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	F27 terminates at F28 F27 intersects F30
F28	70°	090	0-1/16"			F28 terminates at F111 and F1 F28 intersects F20, F21, F6, and F24

## WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 5 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F29***	horizontal		1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F29 terminates at F28 and F30
F30	subvertical	N70E	<1/16"	fg		F30 terminates at F111 F27, F21 and F20 intersect F
F31***	subvertical	N 10W	0-1/16"	fg		
F32	23°	350	0-1/8"	fg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture plane	F32 terminates at F33 and F30
F33	65°	080	0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	F33 cut by F21 and F20 F33 intersects F24 F33 terminates at F111
F34	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F34 terminated by F33 F34 cut by F35
F35	56°	090	1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F35 terminates at F111
F36	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	F36 terminates at F37 F36 cut by F35
F37	55°	060	1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	F37 terminates at F111 F37 joins F41
F38 - not	described					
F39	subvertical	EW to S30E	1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented horizon-tally	Indeterminable

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 6 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F40	35°	300	1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F40 terminated at F111 and F41
F41	65°	070	1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F24 and F111 terminate F41
F42	subhorizontal undulatory		1/8-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F42 cut by F53
F43	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically, includes siltstone clasts	F43 cut by F53
F44 - no	t described					
F45	65°	160	1/16-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subhori- zontally	F45 terminates at F111 and F51
F46	80°	010	1/8"	fg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture plane	
F47***	subhorizontal		1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F48 <b>***</b>	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F49 <sup>***</sup>	subvertical	N70E		none		
F50 <sup>***</sup>	30°	000	1/16-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F50 terminates at F52
F51	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	ſg	Fibers oriented vertically	F51 cut by F52

## WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 7 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture <u>Thickness</u>	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F52	subvertical	N30E	1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented subhorizon- tally	F52 terminates at F53
F53	vertical	N35E	1/4-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented subhori- zontally with suture line	F53 terminates at F111 F53 intersects F42
F54	subhorizontal		1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F54 terminates at F53
F55***	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	fibers oriented vertically	F53 and F56 terminate F55
F56	subvertical	S60E	0-1/4"	fg	Gypsum filling is discontinuous, fibers oriented subvertically	
F5 <b>7***</b>	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F53 and F56 terminate F57
F58	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F58 intersects F60
F59 <sup>***</sup>	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F56 and F60 terminate F59
F60	85°	040	0-1/8"			F111 terminates F60
F61	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F62	subhorizontal		0-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F62 intersects F60 and F69

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 8 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F63	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F64	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F69 terminates F64
F65	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	
F66***	65°	190	1/8"			F1 and F65 terminate F66
F67	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	
F68	subhorizontal		1/4-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically, is a continuation of F58 and F61	F68 terminates at F93 F68 intersects F69, F70 and F2
F69	subvertical	110	1/4-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented horizon-tally	F69 cut by F62, F68, F64, and F1; F111 cut by F69
F70	subvertical	110				F70 cut by F68
F <b>7</b> 1	subhorizontal		1/4-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F70 cut by F71
F <b>7</b> 2	25°	060	1/4-1/2"			F72 terminates at F111 and F68
F73	subhorizontal		1/8-1/2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F72 and F70 terminate F73
F74	subhorizontal		1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F70 and F72 terminate F74

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 9 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F75	subvertical	110	1/8-1/4"	fg		F75 joins F70 and F72
F76	subhorizontal		1/8"			F75 and F70 terminate F76
F77***	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	Joins with F78 and F79
F78 - no	t described					
F79 <b>***</b> -	not described					
F80	subhorizontal		1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F80 joins F72 F93 terminates F80
F81***	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F81 joins F68
F82	subhorizontal		0-1/2"	ſ́g	Fibers oriented vertically	F82 terminates at F93
F83	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F83 terminates at F2
F84 <sup>***</sup>	37°	000	1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	
F85***	subhorizontal		1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F86	subhorizontal		1/16-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F2 terminates F86
F87	subhorizontal		1/16-1/4"	ſg	Fibers oriented vertically	F80 terminates F84
F88	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented subverti- cally	F80 terminates F88 F88 joins F87

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 10 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture	Dip of					<del></del>
Number	<u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth <u>of Pole</u>	Fracture <u>Thickness</u>	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting <u>Relationships</u>
F89 <b>***</b>	subhorizontal		1/16-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F89 joins F68 and F80
F90	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	
F91	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	Discontinuous
F92	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F68 terminates F92
F93	68°	090	1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented subvertically	F111 terminates F93
F94	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F94 terminates at F93
F95	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F95 terminates at F93
F96	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F96 terminates at F93 F96 joins F97
F97	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F97 terminates at F93 F97 joins F96
F98	subhorizontal		1/4-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F93 terminates F98
F99	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg		F2 terminates F99
F100	subhorizontal		1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F100 joins F101
F101	subhorizontal		1/8"			
F102***	subhorizontal		1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F102 terminates at F93

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 6 - SHEET 11 OF 11 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F103***	subvertical		1/16"	fg	Fibers oriented subhori- zontally	F98 terminates F102
F104***	subvertical	N20E	1/16"	fg		F104 terminates at F111 and F101
F105***	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F105 cut by F104 F105 terminates at F2
F106***	subhorizontal		0-1/6"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F106 terminates at F104
F107	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F107 terminates at F2
F108	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F108 terminates at F2
F109 <sup>***</sup> -	- not described					
F110	subhorizontal		0-1/8"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically	F110 terminates at F2 F110 joins F99
F111	subhorizontal		1-2"	fg	Fibers oriented vertically, frequent siltstone clasts along suture, suture closer to top	F111 terminates most vertical fractures except F2, F69, and F70

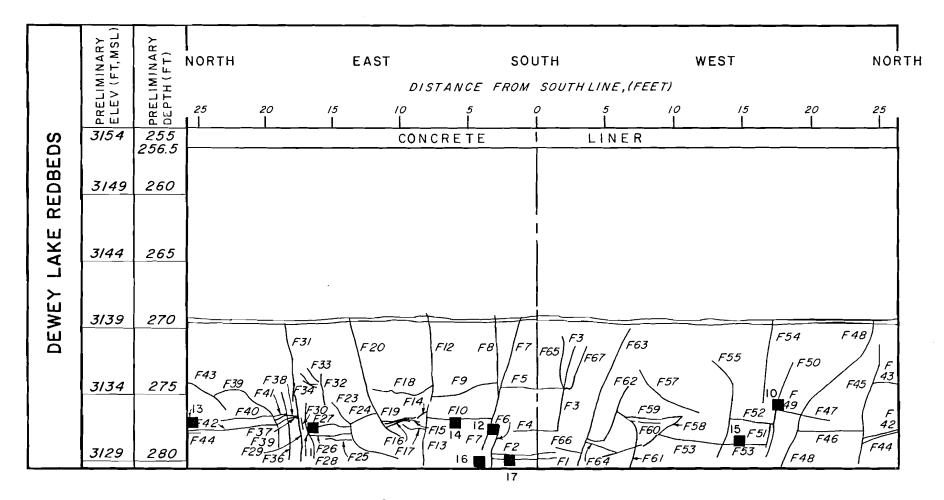


FIGURE 7 - SHEET 1 OF 9

FRACTURE LOG IN THE DEWEY LAKE REDBEDS
DEPTH 256.5 TO 280.5 FEET, EXHAUST SHAFT

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#### WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 2 OF 9

## **EXPLANATION**

F20 MAPPED FRACTURE #20, SEE FRACTURE NOTES FOR DESCRIPTION.

SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAFT DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE #24.

## **NOTES**

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED ON 10-3-84.
- 2) THE LITHOLOGY OF THIS INTERVAL IS DESCRIBED IN FIGURE 4.
- DEPTHS AND ELEVATIONS ARE RELATED TO THE REFERENCE ELEVATION OF 3409 FEET ABOVE MSL.
- 4) ONLY FRACTURES THAT WERE DEEMED "MAPABLE" AT A SCALE OF ONE INCH EQUALS FIVE FEET ARE INCLUDED ON THE MAP.
- 5) MAPPING EFFORTS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE DEPTH INTERVAL FROM 269.0 FEET TO 280.5 FEET.

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 3 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth(1)	Fracture Thickness	Fill(2) Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F1	not described					
F2	not described					
F3	subvertical	280	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface, with suture	F4 & F5 terminate at F3
F4	subhorizontal		1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F4 terminates at F3
F5	subhorizontal		1 - 1-1/2"	wfg	Suture closer to upper fractured surface (1/3 distance), contains small fragment of wall rock material at suture	F5 terminates at F3 & F7
F6	89°	100	1/16"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	No terminations
F7	79°	100	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F5, F8, F10 terminate at F7
F8	subvertical	90	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F9 terminates at F8 F8 terminates at F7
F9	subhorizontal		1/4"	wſg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F9 terminates at F8 & F12

<sup>(1)</sup> Azimuth of pole describes the direction of dip; quadrant notation describes the strike of the plane. (2)  $_{\rm wfg}$  - white fiberous gypsum

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 4 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

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Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F10	horizontal		1"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface, suture closer to top	F10 terminates at F7 & F13
F11 <sup>(3)</sup>	subhorizontal		1/4"	wfg	Fibers dip W 80°	not mapped
F12	subvertical	80	1/4"	wfg	Fibers dip SE	
F13	subvertical	70	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F10, F14 & F17 terminate at F13
F14	32°(apparent)	undetermined	5/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F14 terminates at F13
F15	subhorizontal		5/8"	wfg	Fibers dip W of perpendicular	No termination
F16	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	wfg	Fibers dip W of perpendicular	F16 terminates at F20
F17	subhorizontal		1/2"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F17 terminates at F13
F18	horizontal		1/16-3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F18 terminates at F12
F19	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F19 terminates at F20
F20	49°	45	1/8-3/8"	wfg	Fibers dip SW of perpendicular	F16, F19, & F24 terminate at F20

<sup>(3)</sup> Not mapped

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 5 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F21(3)	horizontal		1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F21 terminates at F20
F22(3)	36°	45	1/16"	wfg	Indeterminable	
F23	75°	110	1/4"	wfg	Perpendicular to fracture surface	F24, F25, F26, F27 terminate at F23
F24	17°(apparent)	undetermined	1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F24 terminates at F20 & F23
F25	subhorizontal		0-5/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F25 terminates at F23
F26	subhorizontal		3/8-3/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F26 terminates at F23 & F28
F27	subhorizontal		1/2"	wfg	Fibers vertical to subvertical, dip N	F27 terminates at F23 & F28
F28	subvertical	130	3/16"	wfg	Indeterminable	F26 & F27 terminate at F28
F29	83°	130	<1/16-1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F37 & F38 terminate at F29
F30	74°	30	1/16-1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	no terminations
F31	84°	120	0-3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	no terminations
F32	76°	135	undetermined	wfg	Indeterminable	no terminations

<sup>(3)</sup> Not mapped

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 6 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture <u>Thickness</u>	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F33	65°	90	1/8"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F33 terminates at F34
F34	70°	150	1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F33 terminates at F34 F34 intersects F21 (rela- tionship indeterminable)
F35(3)	not described					
F36	76°	43	1/16-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F41, F38 & F37 terminate at F36
F37	subhorizontal		1/2"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F37 terminates at F39 & F36
F38	horizontal		7/16"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F38 terminates at F39 & F36
F39	0 to 60°	170	1/4"	wſg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F39 terminates at F43 F40 & 42 terminate at F39
F40	horizontal		0-1/2"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F40 terminates at F39
F41	subhorizontal		1/4-3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F41 terminates at F39, F36
F42	subhorizontal		1"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically, suture closer to top	F42 terminates at F39 & F45

<sup>(3)</sup> Not mapped

## WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 7 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	<b></b>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F43	66°	190	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F39 terminates at F43 F43 terminates at F45
F44	phorizontal		0-1"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F44 terminates at F45
F45	71°	80	0-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F46, F44, F43, F42 terminate at F45
F46	orizontal		0-1"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F46 terminates at & F48
F47	orizontal		0-1"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F47 terminates at F48
F48	61°	50	1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented horizon-tally	F46, F47 & F49 terminate at F48
F49	32°	25	not measured	clear fg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F49 terminates at F48 & F50
F50	82°	60	1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented horizon-tally	F52 & F49 terminate F50
F51	75°	75	3/16"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F51 terminates at F52 F53 terminates at F51
F50	82°	60	1/4"	fg wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface  Fibers oriented horizon-tally  Fibers perpendicular to	F49 to F50 F52 & F51 to

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 8 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture <u>Thickness</u>	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F52	subhorizontal		3/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F52 terminates at F50 & F55
F53	subhorizontal		3/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F53 terminates at F51 & F58
F54	80°	45	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	No terminations
F55	88°	20	1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F52 terminates at F55 F53 intersects F55 (rela- tionship indeterminable)
F56 = F5	3					
F57	65°(variable) (20° apparent in lower part)	70	1/4-3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	No terminations
F58	58°	45	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F64, F59 & F53 terminate at F58; F61 intersects F58 (relationship indeterminable)
F59	subhorizontal		1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F59 terminates at F58 & F61
F60	subhorizontal		1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vwetically	F60 terminates at F61
F61	89° (25° at top)	120	1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F59 & F60 terminate at F61; F61 intersects F58 (relationship indeterminable)

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 7 - SHEET 9 OF 9 FRACTURE NOTES

Fra <b>c</b> ture <u>Number</u>	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture <u>Thic</u> knes <u>s</u>	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F62	65°	45	1/4"	wfg	Fibers dip S	F62 terminates at F63; F61 terminates at F62
F63	70°	90	1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers dip W	F64, F62, F66 terminate at F63
F64	subhorizontal		3/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented vertically	F64 terminates at F63 & F58
F65	89°	0	1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	Terminations indeterminable
F66	subhorizontal		3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fractured surface	F66 terminates at F63
F67	80°	35	1/4"	wfg	Fibers oriented horizon-tally	Termination indetermin- able

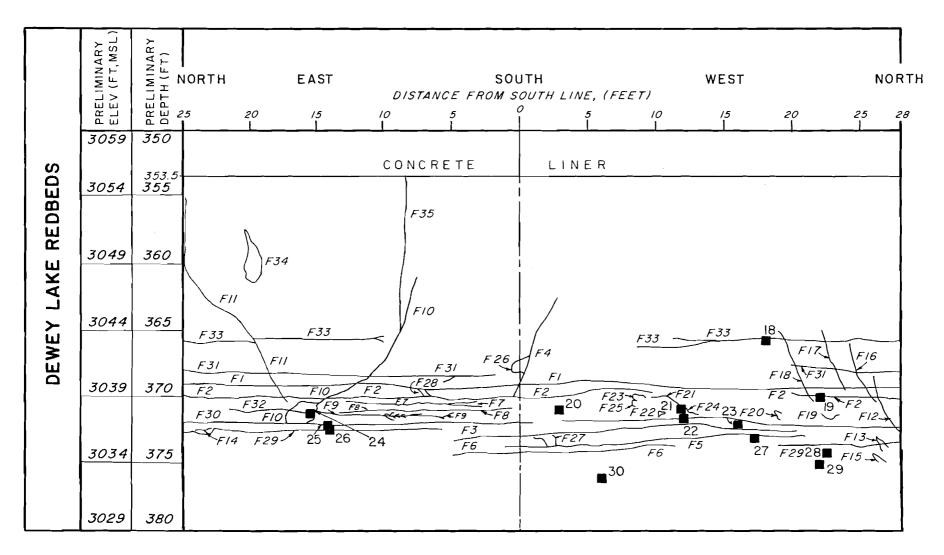


FIGURE 8 - SHEET 1 OF 6

FRACTURE LOG IN THE DEWEY LAKE REDBEDS DEPTH 353.5 TO 380.0 FEET, EXHAUST SHAFT

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#### WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 8 - SHEET 2 OF 6

### **EXPLANATION**

- F20 MAPPED FRACTURE #20, SEE FRACTURE NOTES FOR DESCRIPTION.
  - 24 SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAFT DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE #24.

## <u>NOTES</u>

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED ON 10-8-84.
- 2) THE LITHOLOGY OF THIS INTERVAL IS DESCRIBED IN FIGURE 4.
- DEPTHS AND ELEVATIONS ARE RELATED TO REFERENCE ELEVATION OF 3409 FEET ABOVE MSL.
- ONLY FRACTURES THAT WERE DEEMED "MAPPABLE", AT A SCALE OF ONE INCH EQUALS FIVE FEET ARE INLUDED ON THE MAP.
- 5) MAPPING EFFORTS WERE CONCENTRATED IN THE DEPTH INTERVAL FROM 365.0 FEET TO 375.0 FEET.

### WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 8 - SHEET 3 OF 6 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth(2) of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill(1) Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F1	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface,(fracture at top of mudstone bed)	F18, F17, F16, F12, F11, F10 & F4 cuts F1
F2	subhorizontal		1/4-1/2"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface (fracture at top of mudstone bed)	F18, F16, F12, F11, F10, & F4 cuts F2 1/4" down- ward displacement of F2 E. of F16
F3	subhorizontal		0-1/2"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	not cut
F4	62°E	80		wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface (thrust components of movement 1/4-inch)	F4 cuts F1 & F2
F5	subhorizontal		0-3/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	not cut
F6	subhorizontal		1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	not cut
F7	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	wfg	Bifurcates, sigmoidal fibers indicating W/E	Cross-cut by several mino subvertical fractures dip ping East with thrust com component of movement, displacement 1/8-inch

<sup>(1)</sup> wfg = white fiberous gypsum(2) Azimuth of pole describes the direction of dip; quadrant notation describes the strike of the plane.

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 8 - SHEET 4 OF 6 FRACTURE NOTES

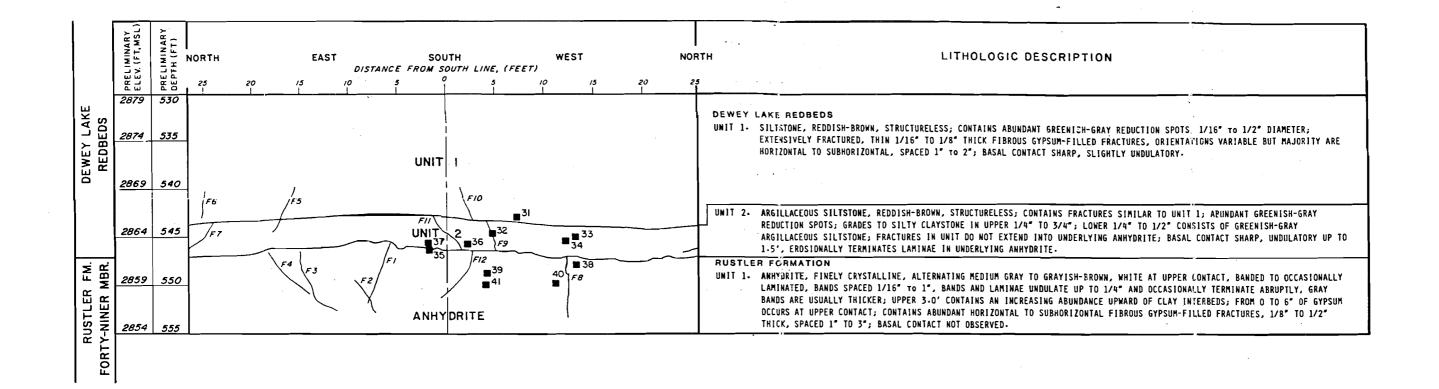
Fracture <u>Number</u>	Dip of <u>Fracture</u>	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure <u>Within Vein</u>	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F8	subhorizontal		1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	Cross-cut by several minor subvertical fractures dipping East with thrust component of movement 1/8-in.
F9	subhorizontal		0-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface, fracture bifurcates	F9 terminates at F10
F10	69°E	80	. 1/4"	wfg	Indeterminable	F10 cross-cuts many hori- zontal fractures
F11	70°E	45 .	1/2"	wfg		Cross-cuts many horizontal fractures, may have a component of thrust
F <b>1</b> 2	74°NE	40	1/8"	wfg	Indeterminable	No terminations obvious
F13	82°NE	25	1/4"	wfg	Indeterminable	No terminations obvious
F14	vertical	N	1/8"	wfg	Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F15	74°NE	25	1/4"	wfg	Indeterminable	No terminations obvious
F16	62°E	60	0-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	F16 cuts F31, F1 & F2
F17	67°SE	135	0-1/8"	wfg	Fiber are not perpendi- cular, indicate thrust displacement	F17 cuts F33,F31 & F1

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 8 - SHEET 5 OF 6 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture <u>Thickness</u>	Fill <u>Material</u>	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F18	62°E	135	1/8-1/4"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	Cross-cuts many horizonta fractures
F 19	62°E	135	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	No terminations
F20	61°SE	135	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	No terminations
F21	30°NW	340	1/16-1/8"	wfg	Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	No terminations
F22	67°SW	110	1/8"		Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	No terminations
F23	61°NE	45	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F24	68°E	80	1/8"		Fibers perpendicular to fracture surface	Indeterminable
F25	85°E	80	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F26	75°N	345	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F27	71°N	340	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F28	58°W	280	Indeterminable		Indeterminable	Indeterminable
F29	subhorizontal		1"		Fibers are not perpendi- cular to fracture surface, but inclined out to the South at edges and to the North at the suture	F13 cuts F29

# WIPP EXHAUST SHAFT FIGURE 8 - SHEET 6 OF 6 FRACTURE NOTES

Fracture Number	Dip of Fracture	Azimuth of Pole	Fracture Thickness	Fill Material	Structure Within Vein	Cross-Cutting Relationships
F30	subhorizontal		1/16-3/8"		Fibers similar to F29	No terminations or cross- cuts discernible
F31	subhorizontal		1/4-3/4"		Suture near base	F11 & F10 cut F31
F32	subhorizontal		1/8-1/2"		Sigmoidal fibers with S/N displacement, bifurcates	F10 cuts F32
F33	not described					
F34	not described					
F35	not described					



#### FRACTURE NOTES

ONLY FRACTURES WITH OBTAINABLE ATTITUDES WERE MAPPED AS THERE WERE TOO MANY SMALL FRACTURES TO BE INCLUDED ON THE MAP.

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	<u> </u>	THE POLE	THICKNESS
F1	75°	90°	1/8"
F2	78°	170°	1/8"
F3	NOT ME	ASURABLE	1/8"
F4	64°	80°	1/4"
F5	58°	280°	1/8"-1/2"
F6	78°	315°	1/8"
F <i>7</i>	69°	280°	1/8*
F8	90°	45°	1/8"
F9	72°	340°	1/8"-1/4"
F10	80°	315°	1/8*
F11	54°	280°	1/8*
F12	82°	165°	1/4"

### EXPLANA? ION

SHARP CONTACT

SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAFT
DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE #24

MAPPED FRACTURE

#### NOTES

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED ON 10-15-84.
- 2) THE DEPTHS ARE RELATED TO THE SHAFT REFERENCE LOCATION AT 3409.0 FEET ABOVE MSL.
- 3) STANDARD GEOLOGIC SYMBOLS ARE NOT USED IN ORDER TO ENHANCE THE CLARITY OF THE LOG COLUMN.

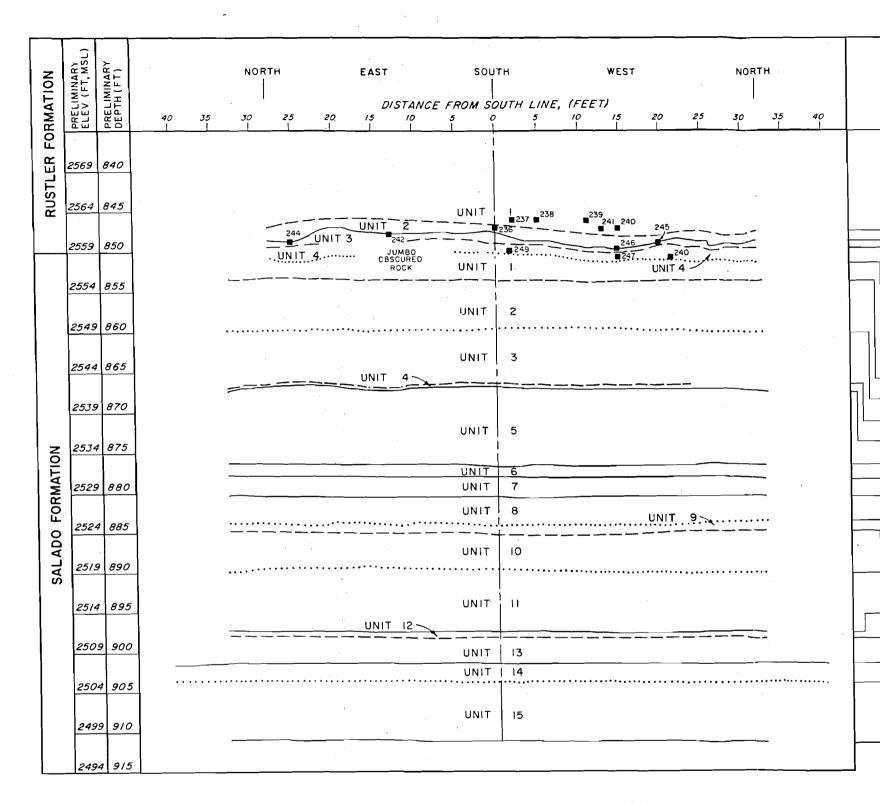
FIGURE 9

GEOLOGIC LOG OF
DEWEY LAKE REDBEDS - RUSTLER FORMATION CONTACT
DEPTH 530 THROUGH 555 FEET
EXHAUST SHAFT

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#### HOTES

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED ON 11/11/84 AND 11/16/84-
- 2) THE DEPTHS ARE RELATED TO THE SHAFT REFERENCE ELEVATION AT 3409-0 FEET ABOVE MSL. 3) STANDARD GEOLOGIC SYMBOLS ARE NOT USED IN ORDER TO
- ENHANCE THE CLARITY OF THE LOG COLUMN.
- 4) THE INTERVAL FROM 835-855 FEET WAS MAPPED FROM THE
- 5) A PORTION OF THE ROCK WAS OBSCURED BY THE DRILLING
- THE MAPPING INTERVAL VISIBLY PRODUCED NO WATER. HOWEVER, MAPPING CONDITIONS WERE WET FROM CULEBRA DISCHARGE.

### EXPLANATION

SHARP CONTACT --- GRADATIONAL CONTACT (DEFINED WITHIN 2 IN•) OIFFUSE CONTACT (DEFINED WITHIN 6 IN.) ■ 24 SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAF DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE #24

#### LITHOLOGIC DESCRIPTION

#### RUSTLER FORMATION - UNNAMED LOWER MEMBER

- UNIT 1- ARGILLACEOUS SILTSTONE, GRAY WITH LOCAL REDDISH-BROWN AREAS, THINLY LAMINATED, RARE LOW-ANGLE CROSS-LAMINATIONS; CONTAINS BROWN CLASTS OF ANHYDRITE RANDOMLY SCATTERED THROUGHOUT UNIT, 1/8" TO 1-1/2" DIAMETER, ROUNDED AND FLATTEMED PARALLEL TO REDDING; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL OVER 1/2", IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY, REDUCTION-DXIDATION CONTACT, MAPPED AS DIFFUSE DUE TO EXTREME CONTACT UNDULATIONS-
- UNIT 2- SANDY SILTSTONE WITH ARGILLACEOUS SILTSTONE AT TOP, REDDISH-BROWN WITH LOCAL GRAY AREAS, FINELY LAMINATED, LOW ANGLE CROSS-LAMINATIONS MODERATELY ABUNDANT, BROWN CLASTS OF ANHYDRITE OCCUR THROUGHOUT BUT CONCENTRATED IN UPPER PART, SMALLER CLASTS ARE LOCALLY ALIGNED IN ZONES PARALLEL TO BEDDING; LOWER 1° TO 2° DEFINED AS SANDSTONE PEBBLE CONGLOMERATE; WHITE TO LIGHT GRAY TO BLACK, MATRIX SILTSTONE, POORLY SORTED; FINE SANDSTONE PEBBLES ROUNDED TO SUBANGULAR, GRAY AND REDUCED, TO 1° HIGH AND 3° LONG, FLATTENED PARALLEL TO BEDDING, CONTAINS FOSSIL BIVALVE HASH; THIN BLACK LAMINATIONS OCCUR THROUGHOUT; EXHIBITS PETROLIFEROUS ODOR WHEN BROKEN; ROCK AND MATRIX ABOVE PEBBLES REDUCED; LOWER 1/32" CONTAINS SAND-SIZED CLASTS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, EXHIBITS SOFT SEDIMENT LOADING INTO UNDERLYING UNITS, LOCALLY BEDDING AND CONGLOMERATI BED ARE BENT AND SQUEEZED DOWNWARD INTO UNDERLYING UNIT. LAMINAE OF UNIT AT BASE PARALLEL LOWER CONTACT AND COMMONLY EXHIBIT ROOM PROBLEMS HIGHER IN SECTION DUE TO LOADING DEFORMATION, LOCAL CLAY DRAPE OVER BASAL CONTACT INDICATES THAT IT IS EROSIONAL, CONTACT UNDULATORY.
- UNIT 3. SILTSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED, CROSS-LAMINATED, FINES UPWARD; SOFT SEDIMENT LOADING OF OVERLYING UNIT AT TOP; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL
- UNIT 4. SUBDIVIDED INTO TWO LITHOLOGICALLY DISTINCT SUBUNITS:
  - 44. ANHYDRITE AND POLYHALITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, REDDISH-BROWN TO WHITISH-GRAY, POORLY REDDED TO STRUCTURELESS, LOCALLY NODULAR TO
  - ENTROLITHIC; 3° TO 1-0' THICK; BASAL CONTACT SHARF, MARKED BY FIRST OCCURRENCE OF DISPLACIVE HALITE.

    ARGILLACEOUS POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE, REDDISH-BROWN TO WHITE, LAMINATED; UPPER CONTACT MARKED BY 1/2° TO 1° THICK RED OF GREENISH-GRAY ARGILLACEOUS ANNYDRITE CONTAINING SMALL DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS, OCCURS AROUND 70% OF CIRCUMFERENCE OF SHAFT; SMALL, <1/3\* ACROSS, DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS OCCUR THROUGHOUT; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE, MARKED BY CHANGE IN MAIRIX FROM ANHYDRITE TO CLAY-

- UNIT 1. HALITIC MUDSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, CONTAINS CLEAR DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS 1/32" TO 1/16" ACROSS AND 1/4" TO 3" PODS OF WHITE TO DRANGE HALITE; LARGE GREENISH-GRAY SPOTS UP TO 2" DIAMETER; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
- UNIT 2. MALITE. FINELY TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE. SLIGHTLY ARGILLACEOUS AND POLYHALITIC, PINK TO WHITE TO CLEAR, MASSIVE EXCEPT FOR DISCONTINUOUS CLAY STRINGERS; CLAY CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, CLASSIFIED AS ARGILLACEOUS HALITE AT BASE; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE
- HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO PINK, LOCALLY REDDISH-ORANGE AND REDDISH-BROWN; TRACE POLYHALITE BLEBS; LOCALLY ARGILLACEOUS NEAR TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, CLAY OCCURS IN STRINGERS NEAR BASE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.
- HALITIC CLAYSTONE WITH POLYHALITE AND ANHYDRITE; UPPER 0.2' TO 0.3' CONSISTS OF STRUCTURELESS PINK POLYHALITE; THIN DISCONTINUOUS BED OF ANHYDRITE UNDERLIES POLYHALITE; LOWER 0.1' TO 0.2' CONSISTS OF STRUCTURELESS HALITIC CLAYSTONE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP-
- UNIT 5. HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE, COARSELY BEDDED WITH CONTINUOUS TO DISCONTINUOUS SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE AND CLAY IN UPPER ·1-0', STRINGERS SPACED D-3' TO O-6'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
- UNIT 6. HALITIC CLAYSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN TO GREENISH-GRAY IN UPPER 1-0', STRUCTURELESS, CONTAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS; MODERATELY ABUNDANT GREENISH-GRAY STRINGERS DISSEMINATED THROUGHOUT; RARE RANDOMLY-ORIENTED HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT SMARP-
- HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO PINK; COARSELY BEDDED WITH HORIZONTAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS OF POLYHALITE AND
- ANHTDRITE, SPACED 1\* TO 3\*, BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
  MALITIC CLAYSTONE, REDDISH-BROWN, STRUCTURELESS, CONTAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE; MODERATELY ABUNDANT SUBHORIZONTAL REDUCED GREENISH-GRAY ZONES 1/2" THICK; 1/4" TO 1" THICK RANDOMLY-BRIENTED HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
- ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, MATRIX REDDISH-BROWN, HALITE PINK TO WHITE TO CLEAR, CHARSELY BEDDED; TRACE POLYHALITE; TRACE SUBHORIZONTAL ANHYDRITE STRINGERS; DCCASIONAL GREENISH-GRAY ZONES; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL-
- UNIT 10. CLAYSTONE, SLIGHTLY HALITIC, REDDISH-BROWN, UPPER 1.5' STRUCTURELESS AND CONTAINS DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS, REMAINDER THINLY LAMINATED; HALITE CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, SUBVERTICAL HALITE-FILLED FRACTURES SPACED 1-0' TO 4-0', 1/2" TO 1" THICK; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE-
- UNIT 11- HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO PINK TO REDDISH-BROWN; ARGILLACEOUS, 5% TO 10% CLAY, CLAY OCCURS AS INTERSTITIAL MATERIAL AND AS LENTICULAR CLAYSTONE PODS, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; SURHORIZONTAL DISCONTINUOUS STRINGERS OF CLAY AND ANHYDRITE SPACED 2" TO 4"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP-
- UNIT 12- ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, REDDISH-BROWN, FAINTLY LAMINATED; HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS; RASAL CONTACT SHARP, MAPPED AS GRADATIONAL AS I
- UNIT 13- HALITE, MEDIUM TO COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO SLIGHTLY ORANGE, THICKLY BEDDED; TRACE SUBHORIZONTAL STRINGERS AND BEDS OF POLYHALITE, SPACED 2" TO 5", CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, RARE STRINGERS OF CLAY MEAR BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.
- UNIT 14. ARGILLACEDUS HALITE, REDDISH-BRONN; HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS TO 3/4" ACROSS; 1" THICK BAND OF HALITE OCCURS 2" BELOW UPPER CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE.
- UNIT 15- HALITE, COARSELY CRYSTALLINE, WHITE TO TINTED DRANGE. CHARSELY BEDDED BY HALITE, CONTAINING HORIZONTALLY ALIGNED PODS OF ARGILLACEOUS HALITE, SEPARATED BY BEDS OF WHITE HALITE; LOWER 2-0' CONTAINS STRINGERS OF CLAY, POLYHALITE, AND ANHYDRITE SPACED 1" 10 2"; BASAL CONTACT SHARP-

FIGURE 12

GEOLOGIC LOG OF RUSTLER-SALADO FORMATION CONTACT AND THE KEYWAY AREA DEPTH 835 THROUGH 915 FEET EXHAUST SHAFT

WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PLANT CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

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EXHAUST SHAFT DEPTH 568.5 THROUGH 630 FEET DOLOMITE MEMBER, RUSTLER FORMATION MEMBER CLAYSTONE AND THE MAGENTA GEOLOGIC LOG OF THE FORTY-NINER

FIGURE 10 F13 - 1/4"-1/2" THICK, FIBERS ORIENTED PERPENDICULAR TO FRACTURE PLANE, STRIKE 550"E. FRACTURE PLANE, STRIKE M50°E, DIP 66°S. FIZ - 1/8"-1/4" THICK, FIBERS ORIENTED PERPENDICULAR TO FII - 1/4" THICK, STRIKE M45"W, DIP 80"S. NOWIH SIDE' SINIKE NRO.N' DIE 62"N. AND LUCALLY SIGNOIDAL, SOUTH SIDE UPTHROWN RELATIVE 10 FIO - 1/2" THICK, FIBERS ORIENTED 60" FROM FRACTURE PLANE PRACTURE PLANE, STRIKE M70\*W. F9 - 1/8"-1/4" THICK, FIBERS DRIENTED PERPENDICULAR TO PLANE, STRIKE N30"W. FB - 1/8" THICK, FIBERS ORIENTED PERPENDICULAR TO FRACTURE E) - 1/4" THICK, STRIKE M45"W, DIP BO"S. WEST SIDE UPTHROWN RELATIVE TO EAST SIDE. FEB - 1/2" THICK, FIBERS ORIENTED 30" FROM FRACTURE PLANE, UPTHROWN RELATIVE TO NORTH SIDE, DIP 61"N, STRIKE F5 - 1/16"-1/8" THICK, NORIZONTAL FIBER ORIENTATION. - IVE"-1/4" THICK, MORIZOMIAL FIBER ORIENTATION. 3 - 1/16"-1/8" THICK, MORIZOMTAL FIBER ORIENTATION. 22 - 1/16"-1/4" THICK, HORIZONTAL FIBER ORIENTATION. ALL FRACTURES ARE FILLED WITH FIBROUS GYPSUM.

#### ERACTURE NOTES

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> > EXPLANATION.

# BASAL CONTACT NOT OBSERVED. INIT 1- ANNYDRITE, GYPSIFEROUS AT TOP, CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, FINELY CRYSTALLINE TO MEDIUM (GYPSUM), DARK GRAY TO WHITE, MODULAR, DOCOMILE FAMINE OCCUR COCNECTA, SURROUNDED BY GYPSUM OF UNDERLYING UNIT, IN MARE CASES ZONES OF GYPSUM ARE INCORPORABLED THIS DOCOMILE.

1/4. DIAMETER OCCUR, LOCAL ZDWES CONTAIN EYPSUM; BROWNISH-BLACK ORGANIC-RICH ZONE OCCURS WERR BASE; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL ID DIFFUSE, AEWA INIMFA BEDDEG' EIRMONE CALERHE-LIFTED EWCLINGES 7/10. 10 1/8. INICK OCCUM DEWFFEEF 10 BEDDING 25MCED 1/4. 10 2.' CALERH-HIFTED ANGE 10 SEQUENCES OF CONVEX AND CONCAVE LENS FORMS WITH CLAY-RICH LAMINAE DRAPED OVER EROSIONAL MARGINS OF LEWIICALS, WIGHEST DIPS OF LAMINAE IN CEWIER OF MOUNDS, MAYELEGEN RIDUEND FORMS, UPPER I" TO 4" LAMINAE DIP FROM 30° TO 70° ON SIDES OF MOUNDS, FILL BETWEEN MOUNDS IS WEDGE FORM TO LENTICULAR-SHAPED FILL, OFTEN DCCURS AS ALTERNATING ROWK, THINLY LAMINAED, D∺RY BROWN LAMINAE POSSIBLY ORGANIC-RICH, LAMINAE RRE MOUNDED, LAMINAE OFTEN CONTINUÔUS FRÒM MOUND 10 MOUND. UMIT 8. DOLOMITE, GYPSIFEROUS, DREMUE OR CLAY-RICH, SOME AREMATEOUS MATERIAL, VERY FINE-GRAINED AND FINELY CRYSTALLINE ALTERNATING BROWN AND DARK

EKOSTOWALLY TEKNINALES BEDUTAG OF UNDERLYTHE UNIT. FILLED FRACTURES PRRALLEL TO BEDDING; OCCASIONAL GYPSUM-FILLED VUGS UP TO 1/4" DIAMETER; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY BLACK CLAY LAMINAE, PARECES EXHIBITING ANDICATIONS, ABBRINDANT DRAKE OF DARKER CAMBRINDE DAKE UNDOLATORS SORFACES, CONTRINS 1/16, TO 1/4" THICK FIBROUS GYPON-CONLINADOR FOR THE TO 2.0' AND ENDRINATE LEWINATED' FEW REDR HAVE INTERNAL STRUCTURE, BEDS THICKEN AND THIN WITH BOTH HPPER AND LONGER BEDDING TABULAR TO LEWTICULAR, THIN LAMINAE OF DARK-COLONED MATERIAL DRAPE OVER RIPPLE FORMS AT THE UPPER SURFACE OF THICKER BEDS, BEODING UMIL 7. DOLOMITE, GYPSIFEROUS, ABUNDANT AREMACEOUS MATERIAL, FINE-GRAINED, ALTERNATINE LICHT AND DRAK BROWN, INIMLY LAMINERED IN VERY THINLY BEDDED.

WAS AND CONTINUOUS; RAPAL CONTACT SHARP, MAKKED BY 1. TO 2" THICK BED OF FINE-GRAINED DOLOMITE WITH NO INTERNAL STRUCTURE EXHIBITING RIPPLE THINTA BEDDED, LIGHT BROWN COLOR DOMINATES, STRUCTURE SIMILAR TO UNIT 5 EKCERT FEWER CROSS-LAMINATIONS, BEDDING 15 COARSER, MORE I OMIL 6. DOLOMITE, GYPSIFEROUS, SOME AREMACECUS MATERIAL, FINE-GRAINED AND FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT AND DARK BROWN, MICROLAMINATED TO

OTHER YOMES WERE WASHED AND HAD DRIED, NO OBVIOUS SOURCE OF FLUID WAS ORSERVED; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL. OF THE SHAFT MARKING MINOR EROSIONAL CONTACTS; UNIT 5 IS MAJOR FLUID-PRODUCING ZONE IN MAGENTA, WET AT OUTSET OF MAPPING, REMAINED NET AFTER TROUGH CROSS-LAMINATIONS WITH DEPTH, DENSITY OF CROSS-LAMINATIONS DECREASES WITH DEPTH, FEW BEDS ARE CONTINUOUS AROUND THE CIRCUMFERENCE DOMINATES, MICROLAMINATED TO THINKY BEDDED, THICKER BEDS LENTICULAR TO TABULAR, DFTEW CONTAINS CROSS-LAMINATIONS, CROSS-LAMINATIONS AND FORMS MODERATELY ABUNDANT, ALL CROSS-LAMINAE COMTAIN LIGHT SROWN PEBBLES FLATTEWED PARALLEL TO BEDDING; REMAINDER LIGHT BROWN COLOR JRONGH CKOZE-TEWINELIONZ' CHREEKL DIRECTIONE ARRIVETE' CONTRIA CONCRAE NEARD BEDZ OF TICHL-COTONED WELEKIET EKOZIONETTA BEDRED DEL' WIGHTE COZORFTA DRUK BRONN) 10 INIMIA BEDDED' NABER 3-0, DRUK BRONN MILH WINDE WWONNLZ OF TICHL BRONN INLERBEDZ' EINETA FWHINELED'

NMIL 5. BOLOMITE, GYPSTEEROUS, SOWE RPEMACEOUS MATERIAL, FINE-GRAINED AND FINELY CRYSTALLING, PATERMATING DARK AND LIGHT BROWN, MICROLAMITED VUGS; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY LOAD CASTS INTO UNDERLYING UNIT, EROSIONALLY TERMINATES BEDRING NE UNDERLYING UNIT. EXCEST FOR THINFA FUNDATED INTEREEDS OF DARK MATERIAL. BEDS THICKEN AND THIN DUE TO FORDING STRUCTURES, CONTAINS ARMODANT GYPSUM-FILLED LOVES 0.5' LICHTER COLORED, MORE CORRECTA GRAINES, THINFA BEDDED TONE 0.5' LICHTER COLORED, MORE CORRECTA GRAINES, THINFA BEDDED CURRENT DIRECTION SOUTH, EXTREMELY FINE SEDIMENTERY STRUCTURES, RIPPLE FORMS OCCUR WITH MAVELENGING OF 1" TO 2" AND AMPLITUDES OF 1/4";

CURRENT DIRECTION SOUTH, EXTREMELY FINE SEDIMENTERY STRUCTURES, RIPPLE FORMS OCCUR WITH MAVELENGING OF 1" TO 2" AND AMPLITUDES OF 1/4";

VUGED 1716" TO 172" DIAMETEC: BETWEER 4" AND 8" BELON UPPER COMTACT, DOLOMITE IS THINLY REDDED WITH FEW CLAYSTOWE LAMINAE AS INTERBEDS. UNIT 4- DOCOMITE, GYPSIFEROUS, ABUEDANT RRENACEOUS MATERIAL, FINE-GRAINED, LIGHT BROWN WITH RARE DARK BROWN INTERREDS, MICROLAMINATED TO THINLY THICK STRUCTURELESS LIGHT-COLORED BED OVERLYING CLAY LAMINAE, TERMINATES REDDING OF UNDERLYING THIT.

REDDING WORE CONTINUOUS THAN UNDERLYING UNITS, NODERATELY ABUNDANT GYPSUM-FILLED VUGS HP TO 1/4" DIANETER; BASAL CONTAUDUS THAN UNDERLYBY, MARKED RY 4" 4° ACR32S, OCCASIOWAL RIPPLE FORMS, LARGER BEDS USUALLY COMTIMUDUS AROUMD CIRCUMFERENCE OF SHAFT, BUT ARE OCCASIONALLY TARULER; OVERALL, HHIMFA BEDDED' CROZS-FWHINYLED' OCCRZIONAE I BONCH CBOZZ-FWHINYLONZ HITH ARBIRBEE CRBEENT DIRECTIONS' CROZZ-FWHINYLED' SCLZ ARKA EROW S., TO MMIT 3. DOLOMITE, BYPSIFEROUS, SOME AREMACEOUS MATERIAL, FINE-GRAINED AND FINELY CRYSTALLINE, ALTERNATING LIGHT AND DARK BROWN, MICROLAMINATED TO OCCURS BELOW UPPER CONTACT; GYPAUM-FILLED VUGS UP TO 1/2" DIAMRIER, DENSITHME, EROSEMMENLY TERMLUNTES BEDRUMG OF UNDERLYHUE HWIT.
THIM CLAY BED AT UPPER CONTACT; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY THIM CLAY LENDIMENLY TERMLUATES BEDRUMG OF UNDERLYHUE HWIT.

STRUCTURE HORE BROAD AND LESS VARIABLE AND GRAIN SIZE LARGER THAN UNDERLYING UNITS. 2" THICK STRUCTURELESS RED WITH LOAD CASIS AT BASE PHINATION SEIZ BROAD, VARY FROM 2" TO 6" ACROSS, BEDDING TABULAR TO LENTICULAR OFTEN TERMINATED EROSIONALLY, LOAD STRUCTURES, OVERALL, CHILT S- DOLOMITE, GYPSIFEROUS, ABUNDANT REWACEOUS MATERIAL, MEDUM-GRAIMED SAND, MAJORITY OF GRAIMS, APPERR TO RE DOLOMITE, LESS ABUNDANT DARK
GROSS-LAMINATIONS AND REDIUM RROWN, MICROLAMINATED TO WENT TMILLY OF GRAIMS, APPERR TO RE DOLOMITE, LESS ABUNDANT DARK CONTRINS GYPSUM-FILLED VUES UP TO 1/4" DIRMETER, BASAL CONTRET SHRRP, TERMINATES UNDERLYING BEDDING, DISCOMFDRMBBLE.

HATENARICY STRUCTURELESS EKCEPT FOR RARE THIN LAMINATIONS AND RARE CROSS-LAMINATIONS, LOWER 3" CONTAIN EROSIONALLY TERMINATED TABULAR BEDS; DOCOMITE, SYPSIFEROUS, SOME AREMACEOUS MATERIAL, FINELY CRYSTALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, BROWN AND LIGHT BROWN, THIM TO MEDIUM EEDDED, BEDS

ASSESSED DOCUMENTS READER INTEL TO INS. THICK, SPACED 1" TO 1.0", BASAL CONTACT SHARP, DISCONFORMABLE. FYPSTFERDUS RREAS HERR TOP AND BASE ARE MEDIUM CRYSTALLINE; MAJORITY OF FRACTURES HORIZOWIAL, IN SUBHORIZOWIAL, FILLED WITH FIBROUS GYPSUM, UNIT 8. AMHYDRITE, FINELY CRYSTALLINE, GRRY TO GRRYISH-BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED IN 11PPER 1.0' TD 2.0' GRADING TO NODULAR WITH DEPTH, LICAL

SPACED 0.25' TD 1.5', ABSENT IN UPPER 0.2' TO 0.5'; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, EROSIONAL. THICK, UNDULATORY, FOLLOWS BEDDING PLANES, AVERACE SPACING 3" 10 5", VERTICAL AND SUBVERTICAL GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES 1/16" THICK, NODULES OF WHITE GYPSUM (<1/2" DIAMETER), CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH; NORIZONTAL AND SUBMORIZONTAL GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES 1/16" 10 1/4"
FAINT HINTS OF THIN LAMINATIONS, STRUCTURELESS ZOWE BOUNDED AT BASE BY MINOR ERDSINAL SUBFACE WHICH TERMINATES UNDERLYING BEDDING, CONTRINS HINTA BEDDED, LAMINAE UNDULATE SLIGHTLY PRAALLELING LOWER CONTACT, RARE SOFT-SEDIMENT DEFORMATION; UPPER 0.2' STRUCTURELESS WITH

UNIL 7. SILISIONE GRADING TO ARGILLACEOUS SILISIONE WITH DEPTH, LIGHT GRAY WITH RARE DARK GRAY (ORGANIC-RICH ?) LAMINARE, THIMLY LAMINATED TO VERY PAREMIZH-PARE SENIS OCCOR IN OBER 5-0.3 RESEC CONTROL SHEKE TO PAREMEN DISCONFORMERTE SPOTS LOCALLY ABUNDANT, DETEN MAVE MORPHOLOGY SIMILAR TO GYPSUM, SEVERAL 1" THICK HORIZOWTAL TO SUBHORIZOWTAL ZONES CONTRINING ABUNDAN

STRUCTURES EXHIBIT SOFT-SEDIMENT DEFORMATION, LAMINAE ARE CONTORTED, CONVOLUTED, AND DISRUPTED RY GYPSIM STRUCTURES, GREENISH-GRAY REDUCTION ENTROLITHIC STRUCTURES OCCUR THROUGHOUL, COMTEMI DECREASES TOWARD THE BASE, CLAYSTONE LAMINAE STRROUUNDING GYPSUM MODILES AND ENTROLITHIC LEBRINATED EROZIONAFICK' YENCE CROZZ-FWEINATIONS' ZOLL' NOBER O 10 2, DELINED AZ GABZILEBONZ CFYAZIONE' REDDIZH-BROMN' FREGE CROZZ-FWEINATIONS' ROLL' A CHIMALED' FRAINATED' RAINATED' FRAI

APPOINT RICH TONES, DOE TO LOGALY DEFINED WHITE TONES (6795) FEADURE 7); BEAR CONTROL SHARP, UNDULATORY, DISCOMFORMABLE, MARKED BY ZICIA CEVAZIONE' SEDDIZH-SBORN' FOCETEA ININEA EMBINATED' CONIENZ FOCET SONES UL CARZIONE' SEDDIZH-SEDDINE FOCETEA DIZBERLED' IN CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, DISCOMFORMEBLE, MARKED BY THE OCCURRENCE OF A FINELY LAMINATED SLIGHTLY FISSILE DARK REDDISH-RROWN SILTY ZITIA CTAZZIONE' BEDOIZH-RUDMM' 1HIMTA TWMINWIED' COMINIMO 1/10, 10 1/8, 1HICK ROBHOBISUMINT GABRIM-EITTED EWCINWEZ RACED 1, 10 3.º BAZWF

WHI 3. SILIY MUDSTOWE, GRAY (REDUCED), THIMLY LANIMATED, SOFT, FRACTURES FROM UNDERLYING UNIT CONTINUOUS INTO UNIT 3; RASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL. MERK BASE; BASAL CONTACT SHARP.

2. AMMYDRITE, FUNCLY TO MEDULA (RYSTALLINE, ALTERNATINE LIGHT TO DARK GRAY, STRUCTURELESS AT TOP BECOMINE BANDED WITH DEPTH, MARD, GYPSTFEROUS UNDER THE RESTRICT CRYSTALLINE, MEDIUM TO DARK GRAY, POSSIBLE MODULAR STRUCTURE, MARD; HPPER CONTACT NOT OBSERVED; BASAL CONTACT SMARP.

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#### APPENDIX A

WORK PLAN OF GEOTECHNICAL ACTIVITIES IN THE WASTE AND EXHAUST SHAFTS (1) WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PLANT (WIPP) CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

<sup>(1)</sup> This plan is a working document to provide overall guidance for the field geotechnical activities. Its recommendations are subject to modification according to the actual field conditions and further analysis of the technical issues.

### WORK PLAN OF GEOTECHNICAL ACTIVITIES IN THE WASTE AND EXHAUST SHAFTS WIPP FACILITY, CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this work plan is to describe the upcoming geotechnical activities during enlargement of the waste shaft (previously referred to as the ventilation shaft) and sinking of the exhaust shaft and to provide background information for the planning of field activities. The previous results of the geologic mapping of the 6-foot diameter vent shaft will be confirmed by additional geologic mapping in zones of interest (e.g., Magenta and Culebra dolomites, Rustler/Salado Formation contact) and by observations of the geology exposed during the enlargement of the shaft to a 19-foot finished diameter. In the new exhaust shaft, a geologic strip log to total depth will be produced, along with more detailed geologic mapping in zones of interest. Because the strata above the Salado Formation will be covered by a concrete liner in both shafts, emphasis will be directed to gathering geologic information on the overlying strata during shaft sinking.

Information from the geologic mapping will be used to:

- o Provide additional confirmation and documentation of the strata overlying the WIPP facility horizon.
- o Provide detailed information of the geologic conditions in the vicinity of the Magenta dolomite, Culebra dolomite, washout zones and the Rustler/ Salado Formation contact.
- o Confirm geomechanical instrument levels/locations.
- o Provide basis for field adjustment and modification of key and aquifer seal design, based on the observed geology

For the purposes of geologic mapping, the field procedures given in Appendix A of the Site Validation Field Program Plan (McKinney and Newton, 1983) will be followed; a copy of Appendix A is included as Attachment A to this work plan. Certain references in Attachment A are specific to the exploratory shaft mapping, but the principles and methods are appropriate to the waste and exhaust shaft mapping effort as well.

#### 2.0 SCOPE OF WORK

Prior to performing the geotechnical activities in the waste and exhaust shafts, the following work items will be addressed:

- o Hazard training for shaft work for all personnel who will perform shaft mapping. Training will be performed at the WIPP Site.
- o Familiarization with the geology overlying the facility horizon as necessary by review of appropriate literature and selected core in the WIPP core library.
- o Preparation of inspection and geologic mapping forms for use in the shafts.
- o Coordinate with OSM personnel to establish horizontal survey control (by use of tightlines or laser) and vertical survey control (relative to known construction features to be surveyed in later).
- o Coordinate with OSM personnel for shaft access, timing of mapping activities relative to on-going shaft sinking operations, galloway lighting, ventilation, etc.
- o Check, clean, and procure supplies and equipment needed to support the mapping activity.

The specific activities to be performed in the two shafts are described below.

#### 2.1 WASTE SHAFT

Geologic mapping, both detailed and reconnaissance level, has been performed in the existing 6-foot diameter ventilation shaft (to become the new waste shaft) from a depth of 97 to 2168 feet, as described in "Geotechnical Field Data Report No. 4." The geotechnical activities planned for the new waste shaft will concentrate on confirming the previous mapping results and noting any change of conditions from that previously observed. The activities will include geologic inspection and observation of the exposed shaft surface during sinking operations and detailed mapping in specific zones of interest. Identified zones of interest include:

- o Magenta dolomite Approximate map depths 590-625 feet
- o Culebra dolomite Approximate map depths 700-735 feet

- o Keyway and the Rustler/Salado Formation contact Approximate map depths 840-900 feet
- o Washout zones observed during the vent shaft mapping Approximate map depths: 565-580 feet 675-695 feet 725-735 feet 745-785 feet
- o Any anomalous areas in the Rustler Formation indicative of dissolution, brecciation, etc.

In addition, a strip log near the major instrumentation levels not already covered by the above activities will be provided in the following areas:

Piezometers - Approximate depths: 530 feet

610 feet (Covered by mapping of

Magenta dolomite)

665 feet

720 feet (Covered by mapping of

Culebra dolomite)

Extensometers - Approximate depths: 1073 feet

1568 feet 2058 feet

The detailed geologic mapping in the zones of interest will consist of map coverage at a map scale of 1 in. equals 5 ft., horizontally and vertically, supplemented by continuous 360° photo coverage. Geologic observations and photographs will be made prior to placement of each segment of concrete liner. The shaft inspection form is included in Figure 1. Of particular concern during the inspection will be areas producing observable amounts of water, vuggy areas, zones of possible dissolution, or any change of conditions from previous observations.

#### 2.2 EXHAUST SHAFT

Reconnaissance mapping, resulting in a strip log at a scale of 1 in. equals 10 ft., will be performed in the exhaust shaft from the first available exposed bedrock down to the facility level. The mapping will be performed following upreaming of the exhaust shaft to a six-foot diameter. Should the exhaust shaft be unavailable due to safety considerations or access limitations after up-reaming, the mapping activities will be performed concurrent with shaft enlargement activities. In addition to the reconnaissance geologic log,

detailed 360° geologic mapping at a scale of 1 in. equals 5 ft., both horizontally and vertically, and a photo log will be made in zones of interest. Known zones of interest are similar to those previously described in the waste shaft.

#### 2.3 PRESENTATION OF MAPPING RESULTS

The results of the geologic mapping effort will be summarized in a memo after the shaft mapping and inspection has been completed. Photo coverage and other information will be presented as the project needs dictate.

#### 3.0 PERSONNEL

The reconnaisance geologic mapping and photo log effort will be typically performed on a non-interference basis, concurrent with the Contractor's construction activities by a geologist dedicated to the activity. Detailed geologic mapping of zones of interest will also be performed concurrent with the Contractor's construction activities, using a second geologist to supplement the dedicated full-time geologist. However, shaft time limitations for performing the detailed mapping may require four or more geologists working simultaneously in teams of two in order to expedite the data collection, or it may become necessary to negotiate a dedicated block of shaft time from the Contractor. The actual field conditions will dictate how the mapping personnel will be scheduled. Support for the mapping effort will be provided by either on-site personnel or home office support, depending on availability and other project commitments.

#### 4.0 SCHEDULE

According to the latest available Contractor's schedule, geologic mapping activity will begin immediately in the waste shaft and will continue through May 1984. Subsequent activity in the exhaust shaft will begin in July 1984 and will be completed in January 1985. It is expected that the mapping within the concrete-lined portions of the shafts (above the Salado Formation) will primarily be limited to a several hour block of time following blasting and slashing operations, but before the concrete liner is placed. Due to the 24-hour construction activities, the geologist assigned to the shaft activities would be available on-call to cover the construction activities. Following

completion of the field activities, a final report describing the geologic conditions will be produced.

#### 5.0 ADDITIONAL ITEMS

### 5.1 SURVEY CONTROL

In order to perform the geologic mapping of the shafts, it is necessary to establish survey control in the shaft for both depth and orientation. Since the working conditions are a typical shaft sinking operation, the survey control methods must be quick and reliable. Horizontal survey control can be established by using Contractor installed tightlines and marking an orientation (compass direction) on the exposed rock below the concrete and on the finished concrete surface of the lift above the zone to be mapped. Depth control for geologic mapping control can be tied into two systems. General approximate depths can be obtained from the Contractor by using the concrete curb ring for a particular concrete placement as a reference level during mapping. In addition, a reference point (such as a ramset nail with an identifying tag) can be installed in the concrete liner lift immediately above the zone to be mapped. Placing the reference point at a predetermined orientation (compass direction) would provide both a horizontal and vertical reference for the zone being mapped. The identified reference points would be later surveyed using an EDM device to establish elevations. The actual method that will be used will depend on the field conditions.

#### 5.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

Quality assurance will be performed by R. A. Lundstrom (D'Appolonia) in accordance with the Quality Assurance Plan which was presented in the Site Validation Field Program Plan (McKinney and Newton, 1983). The following exception is noted: there will be no field audit of the shaft activities. However, field records will be audited as a part of a project and report audit of the presentation memo. Also, references in the QA plan to subcontractors or equipment calibration are not applicable to the shaft activities.

#### 5.3 ADMINISTRATION

All geotechnical work described in this plan will be performed under the technical and administrative direction of Roy McKinney. It will be Mr.

McKinney's responsibility to coordinate activities of all permanent, temporary, and consultant-type personnel utilized during the performance of these tasks and to insure that the tasks performed are coordinated with the schedules of the project participants or interested individuals/organizations.

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APPENDIX B EXHAUST SHAFT SAMPLE CATALOG

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All samples taken during the geotechnical activities in the exhaust shaft are permanently stored in the WIPP core storage library at the WIPP site for future reference. They are cataloged in two parts: a catalog of samples taken during reconnaissance geologic mapping (Appendix B-1) and a catalog of samples taken during detailed geologic mapping exercises (Appendix B-2). In each case, the notation used for sample identification also describes the depth and, in the case of detailed mapping samples, the location of the sample with respect to the shaft wall. The notations are described below.

#### RECONNAISSANCE GEOLOGIC MAPPING SAMPLES

The method of identification used for samples taken during geologic inspections is as follows:

#### ES24-466

The notation ES24 indicates that the sample is exhaust shaft reconnaissance geologic mapping sample number 24. The number 466 indicates that the sample was taken at the depth of 466 below the reference elevation.

#### DETAILED GEOLOGIC MAPPING SAMPLES

Samples taken during detailed geologic mapping exercises are identified using the following notation:

### ESM49-715/10' W. of S.

As above, the ESM49 indicates that the sample is the exhaust shaft sample number 49, and the number 715 corresponds with the depth. In addition, 10' W. of S. indicates the location of the sample along the circumference of the shaft. This notation means that the sample location is ten feet west of the south line along the circumference of the shaft.

APPENDIX B-1
CATALOG OF SAMPLES TAKEN DURING
RECONNAISSANCE GEOLOGIC MAPPING

Sample No.	<u>Formation</u>
ES1-196	Dewey Lake
ES2-197	Dewey Lake
ES3-199	Dewey Lake
ES4-212	Dewey Lake
ES5-225	Dewey Lake
ES6-324	Dewey Lake
ES7-344	Dewey Lake
ES8-350	Dewey Lake
ES9-393.5	Dewey Lake
ES10-421	Dewey Lake
ES11-435	Dewey Lake
ES12-645	Rustler
ES13-665.9	Rustler
ES14-667	Rustler
ES15-812	Rustler
ES16-814.5	Rustler
ES17-822	Rustler
ES18-822	Rustler
ES19-823	Rustler
ES20-828	Rustler
ES21-828	Rustler
ES22-833	Rustler
ES23-835	Rustler
ES24-835	Rustler
ES25-836	Rustler

APPENDIX B-1
CATALOG OF SAMPLES TAKEN DURING RECONNAISSANCE GEOLOGIC MAPPING

Sample No.	<u>Formation</u>
ES1-196	Dewey Lake
ES2-197	Dewey Lake
ES3-199	Dewey Lake
ES4-212	Dewey Lake
ES5-225	Dewey Lake
ES6-324	Dewey Lake
ES7-344	Dewey Lake
ES8-350	Dewey Lake
ES9-393.5	Dewey Lake
ES10-421	Dewey Lake
ES11-435	Dewey Lake
ES12-645	Rustler
ES13-665.9	Rustler
ES14-667	Rustler
ES15-812	Rustler
ES16-814.5	Rustler
ES17-822	Rustler
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ES20-828	Rustler
ES21-828	Rustler
ES22-833	Rustler
ES23-835	Rustler
ES24-835	Rustler
ES25-836	Rustler

# APPENDIX B-2

# CATALOG OF SAMPLES TAKEN DURING DETAILED GEOLOGIC MAPPING EXERCISES

Mapping Exercise	Date Collected	Sample No.
Dewey Lake	9/29/84	ESM1-200/17'W. of S. ESM2-201/14' W. of S. ESM3-203/24' E. of S. ESM4-203.5/20' W. of S. ESM5-204/19' W. of S. ESM6-204/16' W. of S. ESM7-204/19' W. of S. ESM8-205/6' W. of S.
	10/3/84	ESM10-276/18' W. of S. ESM11-277/16' E. of S. ESM12-277/3' E. of S. ESM13-277/26' E. of S. ESM14-277/6' E. of S. ESM15-278/15' W. of S. ESM16-280/4' E. of S. ESM17-280/3' E. of S.
	10/8/84	ESM18-366/18' W. of S. ESM19-370/22' W. of S. ESM20-371/3' W. of S. ESM21-371/12' W. of S. ESM22-372/12' W. of S. ESM23-372/16' W. of S. ESM24-372/16' E. of S. ESM25-372.5/14' E. of S. ESM26-373/14' E. of S. ESM27-373/17' W. of S. ESM28-374/22.5' W. of S. ESM29-375/22' W. of S. ESM30-376/6' W. of S.
Dewey Lake/ Rustler Contact	10/15/84	ESM31-543/7' W. of S. ESM32-544/4.5' W. of S. ESM33-545/13' W. of S. ESM34-545.5/12' W. of S. ESM35-546/2' E. of S. ESM36-546/2' W. of S. ESM37-546/2' E. of S. ESM38-548/13' E. of S. ESM39-549/4' W. of S.

Mapping Exercise	Date Collected	Sample No.
Dewey Lake/ Rustler Contact	10/15/84	ESM40-550/11' W. of S. ESM41-550/4' W. of S. ESM42/No location above D/R contact ESM43/No location below D/R contact
Forty-Niner Member Claystone	10/17/84	ESM44-573/13' W. of S. ESM45-575/24' W. of S. ESM46-575/19' E. of S. ESM47-576/23' E. of S. ESM48-577/26' E. of S. ESM49-577/24' W. of S. ESM50-577/25' W. of S. ESM51-578/27' E. of S. ESM52-578/28' E. of S. ESM52-578/28' E. of S. ESM54-580/18' E. of S. ESM54-580/18' E. of S. ESM54-580/18' E. of S. ESM56-584/15' W. of S. ESM57-584/24' E. of S. ESM59-584/17' E. of S. ESM60-585.5/12' E. of S. ESM60-585.5/12' E. of S. ESM62-586/5' W. of S. ESM62-586/5' W. of S. ESM64-587/6' W. of S. ESM64-587/6' W. of S. ESM65-588/18' E. of S. ESM66-589/13' E. of S. ESM66-589/13' E. of S. ESM67-589/13' W. of S.
Magenta Dolomite Member	10/19/84	ESM68-603/7' W. of S. ESM69-603/6' W. of S. ESM70-604/26' W. of S. ESM71-605/25' W. of S. ESM72-605/S. Line ESM73-607/18' W. of S. ESM74-608/19' E. of S. ESM75-610/3' W. of S. ESM75-611/16' W. of S. ESM76-611/16' E. of S. ESM79-612/12' E. of S. ESM80-612/24' E. of S. ESM81-613/6' E. of S. ESM81-613/6' E. of S.

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Mapping Exercise	Date Collected	Sample No.
Magenta Dolomite Member	10/19/84	ESM83-613/10' W. of S. ESM84-614/24' E. of S. ESM85-614/11' E. of S. ESM86-618/23' W. of S. ESM87-624/8' E. of S. ESM89-626/24' E. of S. ESM90-626/10' W. of S. ESM91-626/27' E. of S. ESM92-627/6' W. of S. ESM93-627/14' W. of S. ESM94-627/7' W. of S. ESM95-627/8' W. of S. ESM96-627/10' W. of S. ESM96-627/10' W. of S.
Tamarisk Member Claystone	10/29/84	ESM98-678/16' W. of S. ESM99-680/16' W. of S. ESM100-685/No location ESM101-688/17' E. of S. ESM102-689/20' W. of S. ESM103-689/12.5' W. of S. ESM104-687/6' W. of S. ESM105-690/20' W. of S. ESM105-690/14' E. of S. ESM107-690/14' E. of S. ESM108-691/3' W. of S. ESM109-692/16' W. of S. ESM110-693/17' W. of S. ESM111-693/25' E. of S. ESM112-694/10' W. of S. ESM113-695/6' E. of S. ESM113-695/21' W. of S. ESM117-696/22' W. of S. ESM117-696/22' W. of S. ESM117-696/22' W. of S. ESM119-697/17' W. of S. ESM119-697/17' W. of S. ESM119-697/17' W. of S. ESM121-698/No location ESM122-Unoriented sample Unit 4
Culebra Dolomite Member	11/1/84	ESM123-No location ESM124-702/8' E. of S. ESM125-702/3' W. of S. ESM126-703/4' E. of S.

Mapping Exercise	Date Collected	Sample No.
Culebra Dolomite Member	11/1/84	ESM127-707/5' W. of S. ESM128-708/No location ESM129-710/N. line ESM130-710/30' W. of S. ESM131-711/7' E. of S. ESM132-712/28.5' E. of S. ESM132-712/28.5' E. of S. ESM133-714/10' W. of S. ESM134-714.25/10' W. of S. ESM135-714/1' W. of S. ESM136-713.5/5' E. of S. ESM137-715/13' W. of S. ESM138-715.5/5' W. of S. ESM139-716/17.5' W. of S. ESM140-716/17.5' W. of S. ESM141-717.5/0.5' E. of S. ESM142-720/28' W. of S. ESM143-720/28' W. of S. ESM143-720/28' W. of S. ESM144-720/12.5' W. of S. ESM144-720/12.5' E. of S. ESM147-721/2.5' E. of S. ESM147-721/2.5' E. of S. ESM148-722/16' E. of S. ESM149-722/19' W. of S. ESM150-723/3' E. of S. ESM151-723/3' W. of S. ESM151-723/3' W. of S. ESM152-724/21' W. of S. ESM153-725/12.5' E. of S. ESM154-725/8' W. of S. ESM157-728/N. Line ESM158-730/14' W. of S. ESM158-730/14' W. of S. ESM159-732/9' W. of S.
	11/3/84	ESM160-738/17.5' W. of S. ESM161-736.5/19' W. of S. ESM162-736/24' W. of S.
Unnamed Lower Member	11/3/84	ESM163-737/12' W. of S. ESM164-739/17.5' W. of S. ESM165-739/5' W. of S. ESM166-739/21' W. of S. ESM167-740/5' W. of S. ESM168-741/5' E. of S. ESM169-741/19' W. of S. ESM170-741/22' E. of S. ESM171-742/3' W. of S.

Mapping Exercise	Date Collected	Sample No.
Unnamed Lower Member	11/3/84	ESM172-743/4' E. of S. ESM173-743/1.5' E. of S. ESM174-745.5/4' W. of S. ESM175-744/S. Line ESM176-745/S. Line ESM177-747/S. Line ESM178-747/10' E. of S. ESM179/No location
	11/6/84	ESM180-750/4' W. of S. ESM181-750/No location ESM182-751/6' W. of S. ESM183-751/1' W. of S. ESM183-751/1' W. of S. ESM184-751/7' E. of S. ESM185-752/15' W. of S. ESM186-755/12' E. of S. ESM186-755/12' E. of S. ESM187-756/6' E. of S. ESM189-760/21' W. of S. ESM189-760/21' W. of S. ESM190-761/29' W. of S. ESM190-761/29' W. of S. ESM192-763/14' W. of S. ESM193-763/13' E. of S. ESM193-763/13' E. of S. ESM194-763.5/9' E. of S. ESM195-767/6' E. of S. ESM196-767/27' E. of S. ESM196-767/27' W. of S. ESM199-767/2' W. of S. ESM199-767/2' W. of S. ESM200-768/6' E. of S. ESM201-769/18' W. of S. ESM201-769/18' W. of S. ESM201-769/18' W. of S. ESM203-770/11' E. of S. ESM204-770/21' E. of S. ESM204-770/21' E. of S. ESM205-771/4' E. of S. ESM206-771/29' E. of S. ESM206-771/29' E. of S. ESM208-771/25' E. of S. ESM209-775/12' W. of S. ESM209-775/12' W. of S.
	11/8/84	ESM210-775/1' W. of S. ESM211-776/6' W. of S. ESM212-777/2' E. of S. ESM213-777/9' E. of S. ESM214-778/11' W. of S.

ESM215-778/17' W. of S.

Mapping Exercise	<u>Date Collected</u>	Sample No.
Unnamed Lower Member	11/8/84	ESM216-779/9' W. of S. ESM217-782/17' W. of S. ESM218-782/21' W. of S. ESM219-782.5/16' E. of S. ESM220-786/2' E. of S. ESM221-787/15' W. of S. ESM222-787/6' W. of S. ESM223-788/4' W. of S. ESM224-788/11' W. of S. ESM224-788/11' W. of S. ESM225-789/14' W. of S. ESM225-789/14' W. of S. ESM225-790/14' W. of S. ESM227-790/14' W. of S. ESM227-790/14' W. of S. ESM228-790.5/4.5' W. of S. ESM229-792.5/No location ESM230-792.5/21' W. of S. ESM231-792/18' E. of S. ESM232-794/16' W. of S. ESM233-794.5/16' W. of S.
Rustler/Salado Contact	11/11/84	ESM235-846/2' W. of S. ESM236-846/S. Line ESM237-846/2' W. of S. ESM238-846/5' W. of S. ESM239-846/11' W. of S. ESM240-847/15' W. of S. ESM241-847/13' E. of S. ESM242-847/18' E. of S. ESM242-847/18' E. of S. ESM243-848/14' E. of S. ESM244-848/25' E. of S. ESM245-849/20' W. of S. ESM246-849.8/14.7' W. of S. ESM247-850.5/15' W. of S. ESM248-850.5/22' W. of S.
Assorted Samples Near Basal Conglomerate		ESM250 ESM251 ESM252 ESM253 ESM254 ESM255

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#### LITHOLOGICAL DESCRIPTION

LINE, LIGHT GRAYISH-BROWN TO TAN, THINLY LAMINATED TO BEDDED, BEDDING MAY TERMINATE EROSIONALLY, CARBONATE CREASES AND COLOR BECOMES GRAY TO DARK GRAY WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.

LLINE, BROWNISH-GRAY, MICRO TO THINLY LAMINATED, LAMINAE UNDULATE WITH CRESTS ABOUT 1.0' APART AND TROUGHS 1/2" T, MARKED BY 1/2" BED OF BLACKISH-GRAY ORGANIC (?) CLAYSTONE.

AY TO BROWNISH-GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED, LOCALLY CONTAINS ANHYDRITE PSEUDOMORPHS AFTER GYPSUM CONTAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES WHICH FOLLOW BEDDING PLANES, LOCALLY BIFURCATE AND TO 1/2", BASAL CONTACT LOCALLY SHARP, MAPPED AS GRADATIONAL, UNDULATORY UP TO 1".

HINLY LAMINATED, LAMINAE CONTORTED AND DIP AT HIGH ANGLES IN UPPER PART, CONTAINS ABUNDANT FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED BIFURCATE AND TERMINATE, UP TO 2" THICK, LOCALLY DISTORTS BENDING, LOWER O TO 4" CONSISTS OF SOFT CLAYSTONE WHICH RP.

REEMISH-GRAY TO GRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED, LOCALLY ENTROLITHIC, CONTAINS NOOULES OF ANHYDRITE TO 4" LONG; 1/2" TO 1" THICK BEDS OF ANHYDRITE OCCUR NEAR TOP; LOCAL NODULAR GYPSUM, VERY SMALL CRYSTALS OF PYRITE LANES IN LOWER PART; BASAL CONTACT HINDULATORY, SHARP, MARKED BY FIRST OCCURRENCE OF GRAY CLAY.

SHAPED ZONES OF REDDISH-BROWN, LOCAL WHITISH-GRAY ZONES, CONTAINS FAINT HINTS OF THIN LAMINATIONS, LOCALLY THINLY JLES OF SYPSUM AND IRREGULARLY-DEFINED CLASTS OF ANHYDRITE, 1/8" TO 3" DIAMETER, GYPSUM MODULE CONCENTRATION IRS LOCALLY, LAMINAE SLICKENSIDED IN MIDDLE AND LOWER PORTION OF UNIT, OVERALL UNIT APPEARS TO HAVE UNDERGONE AZOXIDATION CONTACT, HIGHLY IRREGULAR, UNDULATORY.

EGULARLY-SHAPED ZONES OF GREENISH-GRAY, COLOR GRADES TO DARK BROWNISH-GRAY IN LOWER 2" TO 1.5', ALL COLOR CONTACTS
THIN LAMINATIONS, LOCAL STRINGERS OF VERY FINE-GRAINED DRANGE SAND, ABUNDANT GYPSUM NODULES TO 3" DIAMETER AND
NOCENTRATION INCREASES WITH DEPTH; GRAY ZONE AT BASE LOCALLY ANHYDRITIC; STRUCTURE SIMILAR TO OVERLYING UNIT; BASAL
ON MEST SIDE OF SHAFT.

GRAY, NODULAR; UPPER 0-1' TO 0-2' CONTAINS BROWN GYPSUM STARS OR ROSETTES; LOWER 1-0' ARGILLACEOUS AND LAMINATED;

ED, CONTAINS LAMINAE OF SILT AND SAND NEAR BASE, EXHIBITS CLAY DRAPE OVER INDULATORY BASAL CONTACT, LAMINAE OFTEN "; CONTAINS SUBHORIZONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES WITH VERTICAL FIBERS, LOCALLY TERMINATE AND BIFHRCATE, DF GYPSUM UP TO 1/4" ACROSS, BASAL CONTACT SHARP, EROSIONAL.

MINATED TO BANDED, UNDULATORY BEDDING SHOWS CROSS-CUTTING RELATIONSHIPS, UPPER 3-0' CONTAINS GYPSUM CRYSTALS TO UPPER CONTACT, BEDS THICKEN TO 3/4" WITH DEPTH, CARBONATE LAMINAE OCCUR WITH DEPTH, LOWER 2-0' GYPSIFEROUS, CONTAL FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES OCCUR NEAR BASE, SPACED 1" TO 3", 1/32" TO 1/4" THICK, FIBERS SIGMOIDAL, ENT, BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, POSSIBLY EROSIONAL.

AMINATED, CROSS-LAMINATED, STRUCTURE BECOMES LESS OBVIOUS WITH DEPTH, UPPER 4° CONTAINS COARSE SANO-SIZED GRAINS OF ERAL LAMINAE OF DARK BLACKISH-BROWN ORGANIC (?) CLAYSTONE NEAR MIDDLE AND BASE OF UNIT; CONTAINS WHITE TO CLEAR LAMETER, FRACTURE SURFACES LOCALLY STAINED RED; LOWER 1° CONTAINS A FINING UPWARDS SEQUENCE OF SMALL GYPSUM GRAINS D FRACTURE SURFACES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, UNDULATORY, MARKED BY CLAY LAMINAE, EROSIONAL.

CEOUS MATERIAL, FIMELY CRYSTALLINE AND FIME-GRAINED, LIGHT AND DARK BROWN, THINLY TO MEDIUM BEDDED WITH THINLY EOUS DOLOMITE POORLY TO MODERATELY INDURATED, DOLOMITE WELL INDURATED; SMALL GYPSUM-FILLED VIIGS IN ARGILLACEDIS L CONTACT SHARP TO GRADATIONAL.

L, FINELY CRYSTALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, MEDIUM BROWN, THINLY LAMINATED TO STRUCTURELESS, MODERATELY WELL INDURATED, ABUNDANT SMALL <1/16° DIAMETER GYPSUM-FILLED AND UNFILLED VUGS, LARGER FILLED VUGS UP TO 1° DIAMETER MODERATELY TERN, INDIVIDUAL BLOCKS AVERAGE 4° HIGH BY 4° LONG, MOST FRACTURE SURFACES COLORED WITH ORANGE STAIN, BASAL CONTACT RE.

STALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, MEDIUM BROWN, VERY THINLY BEDDED TO THINLY BEDDED WITH LAMINATED TO CROSS-LAMINATED
SUM-FILLED AND UNFILLED VUGS TO 1/4" DIAMETER, VERY RARE LARGE GYPSUM-FILLED VUGS TO 1-1/2" DIAMETER, CHARACTERIZED
TURED THAN OVERLYING UNIT, ORANGE STAIN APPARENT ON MOST FRACTURE SURFACES; BASAL CONTACT SHARP, MARKED BY GRAY

CEOUS MATERIAL, FINELY CRYSTALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, BROWN, THINLY TO MEDIUM BEDDED WITH FINELY LAMINATED INTERNAL JED, LOCAL ZONES OF MODERATELY INDURATED DOLOMITE, RARE LARGE 1° DIAMETER GYPSUM-FILLED AND UNFILLED YUGS, FRACTURE N ON FRACTURE SURFACES, BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE TO GRADATIONAL.

EDS OF ARGILLACEOUS DOLOMITE, SOME ARENACEOUS MATERIAL, FINELY CRYSTALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, LIGHT BROWN, VERY ATED TO MICRO CROSS-LAMINATED INTERNAL STRUCTURE, VERY POORLY INDURATED; VERY WET, FLUID OBSERVED ORIGINATING FROM ANT SMALL <1/32" DIAMETER UNFILLED VUGS, MODERATELY ABUNDANT LARGE GYPSUM-FILLED VUGS TO 1-1/2" DIAMETER; FRACTURE ORANGE STAIN ON FRACTURE SURFACES DECCURS LESS DETEN, MAJORITY OF FRACTURE SURFACES MARKED BY RELICT GYPSUM FRACTURE AL, BASAL CONTACT SMARP, POSSIBLY EROSIONAL.

STALLINE AND FINE-GRAINED, ALTERNATING THICK BROWN AND THIN DARK BROWN LAMINAE, THINLY LAMINATED TO LAMINATED, RGANLG-RICH.(?) LAMINAE. LAMINAE CONTOCTED PARALLEL TO BASAL CONTACT. REDS LOCALLY DIP UP TO 45° AND ARE

#### EXPLANATION

SHARP CONTACT
GRADATIONAL CONTACT (DEFINED WITHIN 2 IN.)

DIFFUSE CONTACT (DEFINED WITHIN 6 IN.)

24 SAMPLE LOCATION, EXHAUST SHAFT DETAILED MAPPING SAMPLE #24
MAPPED FRACTURE #4, SEE FRACTURE NOTES

HALITE FILLED FRACTURE

#### MOTES

- 1) THIS INTERVAL WAS MAPPED IN FIVE PARTS: INTERVAL 675.0-698.5 FEET ON 10-29-84, INTERVAL 698.5-730.0 FEET ON 10-31-84; INTERVAL 730.0-748.0 FEET ON 11-3-84; INTERVAL 748.0-775.0 FEET ON 11-6-84; INTERVAL 775.0-800.0 FEET ON 11-8-84.
- 2) THE MAJOR FLUID PRODUCING ZONE IN THE CULEBRA OCCURS
  IN THE INTERVAL FROM 724.5 FEET TO ABOUT 735.5 FEET
  (CULEBRA MAPPING UNIT 6).
- 3) THE SHAFT CIRCUMFERENCE WAS MEASURED DURING EACH MAPPING EXERCISE. AS A RESULT, VARIATIONS IN THE SHAFT CIRCUMFERENCE ARE RECORDED ON THE MAP.
- 4) DEPTHS AND ELEVATIONS ARE RELATED TO THE REFERENCE ELEVATION AT 3409.0 FEET ABOVE MSL.
- 5) STANDARD GEOLOGIC SYMBOLS ARE NOT USED IN ORDER TO EMHANCE THE CLARITY OF THE LOG COLUMN.

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F12 1" THICK F11 3/4 THICK

1/S. THICK

RELATIVE TO BOTTOM

1" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED MORTH WEST RELATIVE TO BOTTOM,

1/2" - 1-1/4" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED 84

0-1/2" THICK. RELATIVE TO BOTTOM.

0-1" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED EAST

RELATIVE TO BOTTOM,

1/4-1/2" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED EAST RELATIVE TO BOTTOM

1" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED MORTH WEST 1/5--3/d. IHICK RELATIVE TO BOTTOM.

F2 - 2" THICK, SIGNOIDAL FILLING, TOP HAS MOVED NORTH

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ARE MALITE FILLED.

ARE FILLED WITH FIBROUS GYPSUM. ALL OTHER MAPPED FRACTURES ALL FRACTURES IDENTIFIED WITH AN F AND FOLLOWED BY A NUMBER

FRACTURE NOTES

TENT DEFORMATION DUE TO FLUID SHEAR, BASAL CONTACT NOT OBSERVED.

CAL RIPPLES WITH CLAY DRAPE OCCUR, RIPPLE SETS AVERAGE 1/4" TO 1/2" THICK, CONTAINS OCCASIONAL ANNYDRITE CLASIS NOMMONITIME TREND TO EAST AND SOUTHEAST, SMALL-SCALE CROSS-LAMINATIONS SHOW VARIABLE CURRENT DIRECTION, BUT SOUTH IORISONIAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL WITH SOME WAYY BEDDING AND CROSS-LAMINATIONS, LARGE CROSS-CUTTING RELATIONSHIPS WITH \$EDDISH-BROWN, INTERBEDDED WITH THIN LAYERS DF MEDIUM GRAY CLAYSTONE AND MUDSTONE, THINLY BEDDED TO MICROLAMINATED,

OF GRAY COLOR.

DIRECTIONS, BUT SOUTHEAST PREVALENT, CONTAINS SCATTERED SMALL (<1/32" ACROSS) DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS, BASAL BOWN AND GRAY, THINLY BEDDED TO THINLY LAMINATED, BEDDING HORIZONTAL TO WAVEY TO CROSS-LAMINATED, CROSS-LAMINATION

SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, POSSIBLY DISCONFORMABLE.

ILE RISE DECKEYSES EKOM I. YCKOZZ WI 10b 10 I/35. YCKOZZ WI BYSE' I/4. 10 I/5. IHICK BED OF REWA WHADBILIC (3) DE ARGITLACEOUS HALITE, HALITE CONTENT DECREASES WITH DEPTH, HALITE OCCURS AS DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS AND AS CLEAR REDDISH-BROWN, CRUDELY BEDDED MEAR BASE, COARSE TO THINLY BEDDED AT TOP, UPPER 1.0' AND LOWER 1.3' COMSIST OF

DIZENDIED WHERE LARGER DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS OCCUR, PROSSIBLE CRRSS-LAMINATIONS IN SLIGHT TROUGH 22E TO 25E ILITE CRYSTALS, 1/32" TO 1" ACROSS, REMAINDER CONTAINS ABUNDANT SMALL (<1/4" ACROSS) DISPLACIVE HALITE CRYSTALS, IDSTONE HERR BASE, REDDISH-BROWN MATRIX, MODERATELY DISTINCT THIN LAMINATIONS TO VERY THIN BEDS, LOWER 3.3' MORE

15. 10 IVIE. THICK FAMINE OF ANHYDRITE, LANGE EROSIONALLY TERMINATED AT TOP, INTERVAL 2-0, THICK: DARK REDDISH-"2' HATJIE" COMUSETA CUASIAFTINE' CTERM 10 MHILE 10 LIMIED DINK' 10 10 50% CONIRIN ETNID INCTUZIONS PTIRMED [HICK LAMINATED GRAY ANHYDRITE OVERLIES REDDISH-BROWN MUDSTONE, INTERBEDDED WITH THIN LAMINAE OF MUDSTONE, CONTAINS FALITE WHITE TO PINK, MOSTLY CLEAR, SOME CRYSTALS CONTAIN FLUID INCLUSIONS, GRADES TO REDDISH-BROWN MUDSTONE IN E, LOWER 1" CONSISTS OF GRAY ANHYDRITE WITH SMALL DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS, ARGILLACEOUS HALITE WITH THOREASHING

(SIMILAR TO CARBONATE TEPEE STRUCTURES); UPPER CONTACT SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY AND REFLECTS STRUCTURE IMMEDIATELY ILITE IN IRREGULARLY-SHAPED HORIZONTAL YUGS OR SPACES, HALITE OCCURS IN SLIGHTLY DISTORTED ANHYDRITE BEDS, BEDDING TO THINLY BEDDED IN LOWER 4" TO 6", BEDDING NOT DISPLAYED OR DEVELOPED WELL IN MIDDLE R" TO 12", UPPER 10" TO 12" TRIX ALIGNED IN CRUDE BEDDING, CLAY CONTENT 10 10 10 15 LONGENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH; BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL.

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\cdots\_) GREENISH-GRAY SPOTS ARE SCATTERED THROUGH LOWER HALF OF UNIT, SMALL CHANNELS AT SE OF S AND 25E OF S, BASAL ISH-BROWN, THINLY LANINATED NEAR BASE; HALITE OCCURS AS CLEAR DISPLACIVE CRYSTALS, CRYSTAL SIZE IS LARGE, >1" NEAR

-GRAY IN UPPER 6" TO 8", THINLY LAMINATED TO THINLY BEDDED, CONTAINS I TO 2% NALITE, BASAL CONTACT SHARP, POSSIBLY ED, UPPER THIRD LESS WELL BEDDED, GRAYER, CONTAINS FEWER PSEUDOMORPHS, BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY. RYSTALS, MIDDLE THIRD HAS UP TO 2" HIGH HALITE PSEUDOMORPHS BFTER GYPSUM SWALLOWIALL CRYSTALS SEPARATING LAMINAR SRAY, THINLY LAMINATED TO LAMINATED, BEDDING FLAT TO SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY, LOWER THIRD HAS ABUNDANT SMALL <1/2" HIGH

RYSTALS OCCUR 10" TO 13" ABOVE LOWER CONTRCT, BASAL CONTENT GRADATIONAL, MARKED BY ZONE WITH PROMINENT HORIZONTAL PSIFEROUS ZONE, POLYHALITE REDDISH-PIMK, CONTENT INCREASES WITH DEPTH, THEM ABRUPTLY DECREASES, 1/2" TO 2" WIGH INVLED TO NODULAR, UPPER 0.5' TO 1.5' WHITE, SYPSIFEROUS, CONTAINS RADIAL STRUCTURES, 1.0' THICK ZONE OF

. BASAL CONTACT SHARP, SLIGHTLY UNDULATORY.

DIWWELER OF GYPSUM IN LOWER 1.5', FIBROUS GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES WITH VARIABLE ORIENTATION, 1/32" TO 1/4" THICK, GREENISH-GRAY, LOCALLY THINLY LANINATED, MODERATELY POORLY INDURATED IN LONER 1.5', REMAINDER YERY POORLY

IONS, MAJORITY OF FRACTURES HORIZONTAL TO SUBHORIZONTAL, BASAL CONTACT GRADATIONAL, UNDULATORY.

ICTYCEON2 SICIZIONE CONIVINZ I. 10 S. IHICK FOCYFTA BROKEN BED OF ARBEITFÄCEOUS ANHADRIIE! ABRNDANI 1/S. 10 I. IHICK A IMDURBATED, LOWER 1.0' TO 1.5' COMSISTS OF ARGILLACEOUS SILISTOME, WHERE UNIT THINS DRAMATICALLY ARGILLACEOUS Y CLAYSTONE AT TOP, REDDISH-BROWN, SILTSTONE THINLY LAMINATED, CLAYSTONE STRUCTURELESS WITH HINTS OF THIN

UT MAPPED AS DIFFUSE DUE TO EXAGEERATED UNDULATIONS.

<1/4. LIBWONZ GABZNM-EIFTED EWECTURES CONTINUONS THROUGH UNIT INTO UNDERLYING AND OVERLYING UNITS, UPPER AND LOWER</p> LLY THINLY LAMINATED, LAMINAE SLICKENSIDED, POORLY TO MODERATELY POORLY INDURATED, UNIT DEFINED ON BASIS OF COLOR

TRUCTURES; VERY FEW GYPSUM-FILLED FRACTURES; BASAL CONTACT DIFFUSE, VERY UMDULATORY.

LE, CONTAINS LOCALLY BROKEN INTERBEDS OF GRAY, FINELY TO MEDIUM CRYSTALLINE ANHYDRITE, LOCAL 1/4" THICK GYPSIFEROUS STONE AT TOP, REDDISH-BROWN TO MAROON, CONTAINS LOCAL RED AND GRAY INTERBEDS, LOWER 1.0' WELL INDURATED, POORLY

LEL UPPER CONTACT, WEARLY FISSILE, POORLY INDURATED, SOFT, SLICKENSIDES OCCUR PARALLEL TO BEDDING, BASAL CONTACT 1 TOP THICKENS WHEN LOWER CONTACT DROPS LOWER, REMAINDER GRAVISH-MARGON WITH THIN <1/8" INTERBEDS COLORED RED AND

ARP, UNDULATORY.

