

AEC 21

AEC 21: Upper Scrap Areas (Former Boneyard)

Area Description	
Location	Southwest and upslope of Mill Building.
Topography	Generally flat on surface with a slight slope to northeast. Steep decline from northeast boundary of AEC towards Mill Building.
Surface Drainage	Northeast
Background	Used historically for storage and/or disposal of mining heavy equipment and as a staging area for general solid waste. Waste material included machinery, engines, steel, drums, tires, insulation, asphalt with oxidized gravel, and hoses. Mine ore, and lesser waste rock, is currently stockpiled on portions of AEC.
Historical Assessment Information	
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA, 2008)	Number of surface soil samples: 6
	Number of soil samples analyzed for metals: 6
	Number of soil samples analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons: 6
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts: 6
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbons impacts: 3
Comments: Two distinct occurrences of near-surface stained soil within Upper Scrap Area contained CWS fractions F2 and F3 concentrations that exceeded NWT IL criteria. EBA inferred that contaminated soil occurrence was continuous at depth. Identified soil contamination was not delineated. EBA inferred that identified soil contamination occurred above a depth of approximately 1.0 m. Soil contained concentrations of one or more of arsenic, copper, selenium, and zinc that exceed NWT IL criteria. Except for selenium in some soil, soil does not contain metals concentrations that exceed their estimated local background concentrations.	
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details	
Environmental Site Assessment Scope	
Utility Locate SOP followed?	Yes
EM 31 Geophysics Completed?	Yes
Number of test pits advanced	8 (2017), 3 (2018)
Number of boreholes advanced	0
Number of hand auger locations advanced	0
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis	9 (2017), 6 (2018)
Number of rock samples collected for acid-rock drainage and metal leaching	3 (2017)
Number of rock samples submitted for acid-base accounting analysis	3 (2017)
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells	0
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells	0
Number of groundwater samples collected	N/A
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected	N/A
Geophysics (EM 31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity) Findings	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ As indicated on Figure A21-3 survey was completed along upper scrap areas and former Boneyard. ▪ Background apparent terrain conductivity values for area are generally between 5 to 20 mS/m. These values are represented by cool colours shown on figure. ▪ Areas of higher than background apparent terrain conductivity values are observed and are indicated by hot colours shown on figure. ▪ Areas with negative (pink) apparent terrain conductivity values are likely caused from a metallic response. ▪ An area of negative apparent terrain conductivities is located in western area (West end of Coarse Ore Stockpile Area) near Test Pit 17A21TP8. Surface metal was not observed, suggesting potential buried metals in that area. 	

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Soil Investigation and Conditions						
Maximum Depth of Investigation	3.0 mbgs (September 21, 2017)					
General Stratigraphy						
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations			
Various intervals of silt, sand, gravel and cobbles	0	3.0	Fill soil. Buried organics, metal debris, and wood debris observed in several test pits. Slight hydrocarbon odour observed at 18A21TP9.			
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)						
All CVCs were less than 10 parts per million by volume (ppmv).						
Groundwater Conditions						
Depth to Groundwater	Inferred depth to groundwater based on estimated groundwater contours is approximately 18 m					
Free Product Thickness (if present)	N/A					
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Figure A21-1 shows test pit locations. – Figure A21-3 provides results of geophysical assessment. – Table A21-1 summarizes soil chemical results relative to guidelines and management limits. 						
General Site Observations						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tetra Tech did not show historical sampling locations on Figure A21-1 because we consider that sampling locations shown on Figure 12 in EBA (2009) may be inaccurate. – No spent equipment or debris was observed. – Mine Ore stockpiles were observed on southwest and northeast portions of AEC. Majority of ore stockpiles are located between sample locations 17A21-02 and 17A21-03. – Main body of ore stockpile volume estimated as 8,000 m³ (100m x 20m x 4m). Additional coarse ore stockpile across road with estimated volume of 6,000 m³ (50 m x 30 m x 4 m). – Ore stockpile material is composed of a mix of low to high grade ore material and lesser amounts of variably mineralized waste rock. Majority of material is sulphide and metal-rich pyrrhotite skarn and Swiss cheese limestone with high potential for acid generation and metal leaching. – Test pit excavations intercepted soils (sand and gravels) with orange-red oxidation coating from leachate of overlying rock. Elevated metals in soil beneath stockpile is believed to be partially a result of metal leachate infiltration from overlying material. – Buried debris including metal and wood was observed in several test pits advanced. Soil with a slight hydrocarbon odour was observed at test pit 18A21TP9 from 0.9 to 1.0 mbgs. 						
Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC)						
2017						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Laboratory results all less than the CCME/CSR guidelines with exception of: – Sample 17A21TP4-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F3. – Sample 17A21TP5-3 at a depth of 1.6 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. 						
2018						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Three test pits (18A21TP9, 18A21TP10 and 18A21TP11) were excavated at 3 m to 5 m step-out distances from 17A21TP4 to the east, northwest and southwest, respectively, to delineate the PHC management limit exceedance found at 1.0 mbgs. Laboratory results from the two soil samples tested for PHCs F2-F4 at each of the three test pit locations were less than the management limits. 						

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Soil: Metals

- Various metal concentrations exceeded CCME CEQG including arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, nickel, selenium, tin, and zinc.
- With the exception of copper (no background yet established), most metals concentrations were below the preliminary background concentrations. The following metals exceeded proposed preliminary background concentrations:
 - Arsenic (17A21TP5 at 1.6 mbgs).
 - Cadmium (17A21TP6 at 0.25 mbgs and 17A21TP7 at 1.0 mbg).
 - Selenium (17A21TP4 at 1.0 mbg, 17A21TP6 at 0.25 mbg, and 17A21TP7 at 1.0 mbg).
 - Zinc (17A21TP6 at 0.25 mbg and 17A21TP7 at 1.0 mbg).

Soil: Other PCOCs (Glycols, VOCs, PAHs, PCBs)

- Laboratory chemical results less than detection limits and guidelines with exception of:
 - Detection limits for PCBs in sample 17A21TP6-1 were greater than guidelines due to matrix interferences.
 - Detection limits for PAHs in sample 17A21TP4-2 were greater than guidelines due to elevated PHCs.

Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within guidelines.

Rock: Acid Rock Drainage (see Geochemistry Report, Tetra Tech, 2019g)

Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

N/A

Groundwater: Other PCOCs

N/A

Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Sediment: Metals

N/A

Sediment: Other PCOCs

N/A

Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

N/A

Surface Water: Other PCOCs

N/A

Grainsize Analysis

- Soil sample 17A21TP2-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (69% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A21TP5-3 at a depth of 1.6 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (77% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A21TP8-1 at a depth of 0.25 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (69% >75 µm).

Environmental Concerns

Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Surface of whole area	Leaks, spills from spent equipment storage, scrap metal oxidation and leaching	Soil	Soil: Cyanide, metals , petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs) , glycols, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), volatile organic compounds (VOCs), polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)

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Mine ore stockpiles	Oxidation of and metal leaching from sulphide-rich and metal-rich mine ore and waste rock	Rock	ARD/ML
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Discussion (Significance of the Results)

Soils:

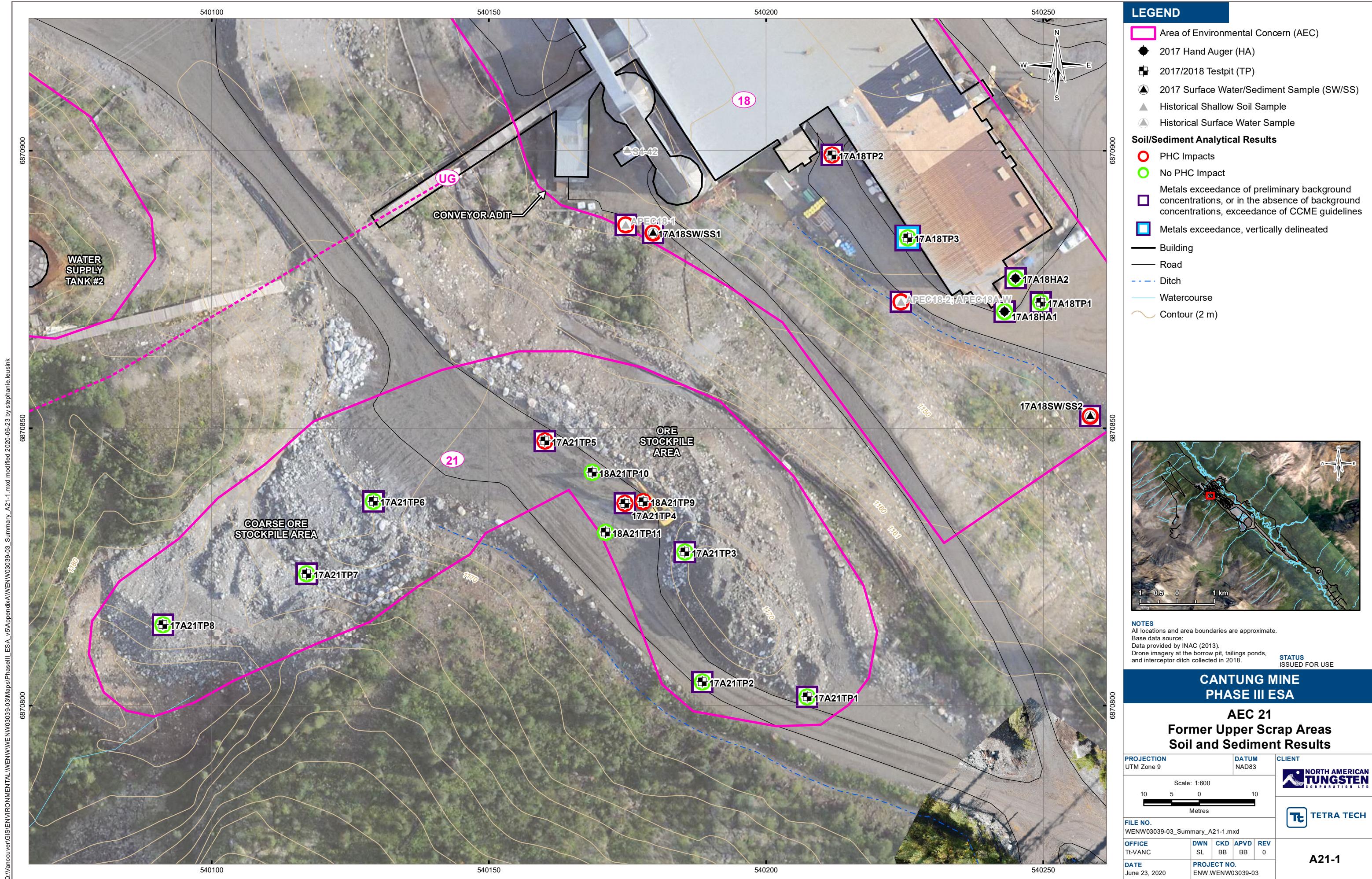
- PHC impacts in soil exceeding the management limits have been horizontally delineated. The estimated depth of PHC impacts greater than the management limits used to calculate the contaminated soil volume is 1.0 mbgs.
- There was no obvious point source of environmental impacts observed on site which suggests that PHC affected area is likely a result of buried debris-containing fill soil that was historically impacted from spent equipment storage.
- Glycols, PCBs, PAHs and VOCs were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC.
- Based on PAHs and PCBs results from other samples submitted for analysis (i.e., less than detection limit and less than guideline), elevated detection limit for PCBs in sample 17A21TP6-1 and PAHs in sample 17A21TP4-2 is not considered a concern.
- Samples from coarse ore stockpile (17A21TP6 and 17A21TP7) generally contained highest metal concentrations and most exceedances of proposed background concentrations.
- Samples from 17A21TP1 and 17A21TP2 collected at southern edge of AEC 21 had lowest metals concentrations.
- High metals concentrations appear to be related to stockpiled mine rock material.

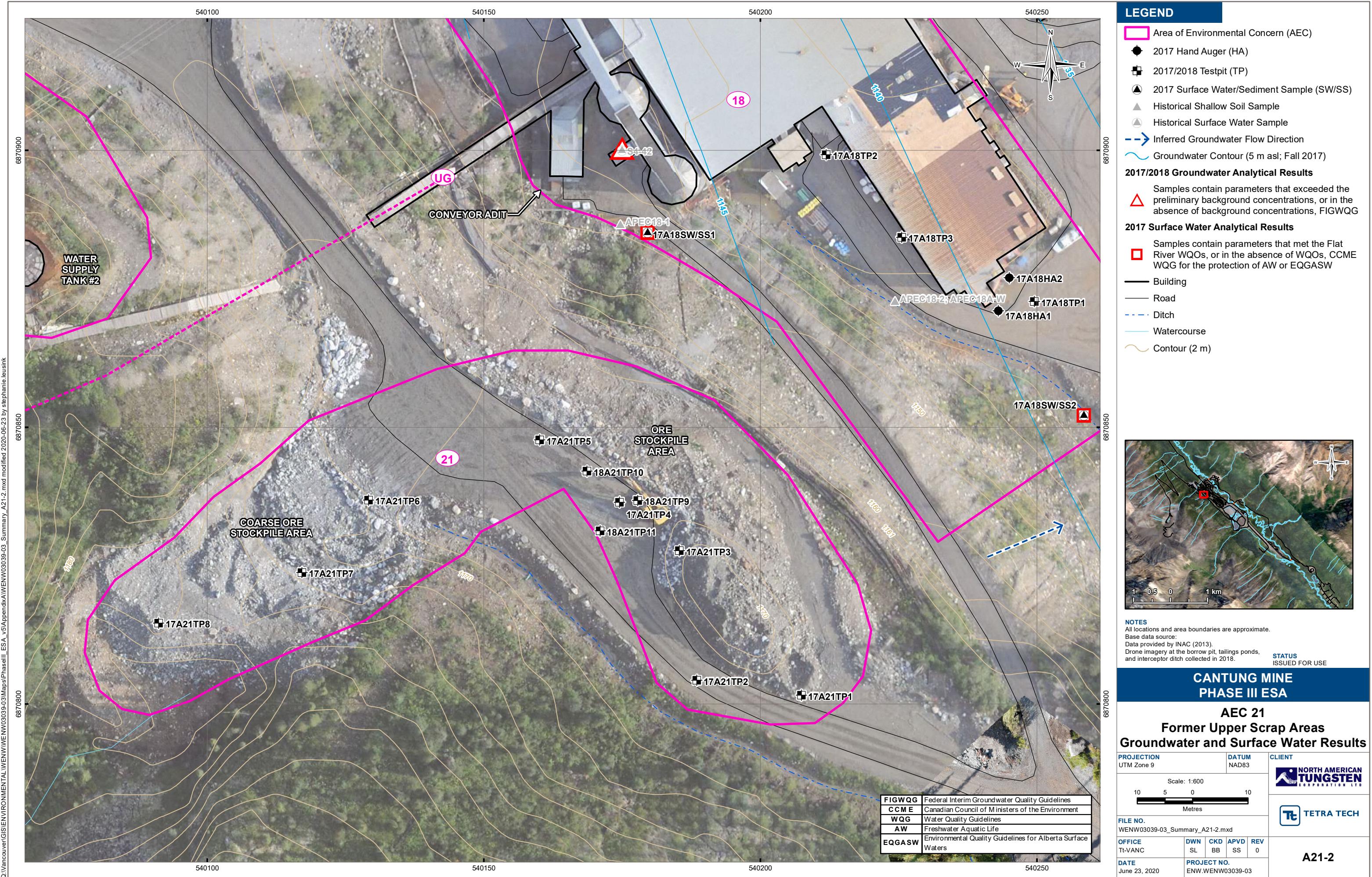
Rock:

- Historical data is available for ore and waste rock lithologies, and this information was considered and relied upon in analysis and assessment.
- For ARD/ML discussion, see geochemistry report (Tetra Tech, 2020e)

Attachments

- Figure A21-1 – Soil and Sediment Results
 Figure A21-2 – Groundwater and Surface Water Results
 Figure A21-3 – EM31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity Survey
 Figure A21-4 – Acid Rock Drainage Results
 Table A21-1 – Soil Analytical Results
 Test pit Logs
 Photographs





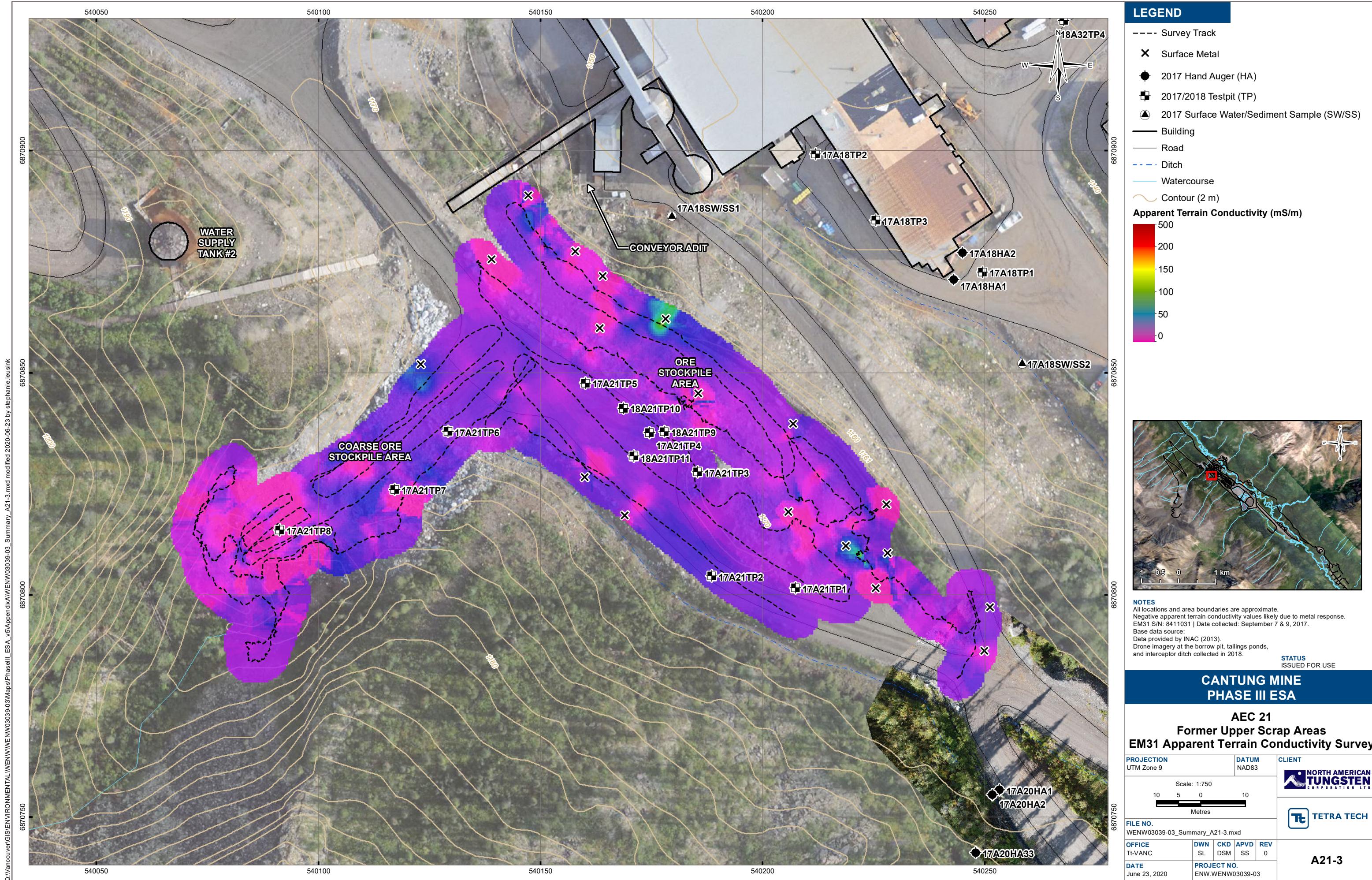




Table A21-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	CCME ^{1,2} and NWT CSR ³	Background Concentration ⁴	Management Limits ⁵	AEC 21																	
					Location			TP1	TP2	TP3	TP4	TP5	TP6	TP7	TP8	TP9-2	TP9-3	TP10-2	TP10-3	TP11-2	TP11-3	
					Field ID			17A21TP1-2	17A21TP2-2	17A21TP2-4	17A21TP3-2	17A21TP4-2	17A21TP5-3	17A21TP6-1	17A21TP7-2	17A21TP8-1	18A21TP9-2	18A21TP9-3	18A21TP10-2	18A21TP10-3	18A21TP11-2	18A21TP11-3
					Sample Date			20-Sep-2017	20-Sep-2017	20-Sep-2017	20-Sep-2017	20-Sep-2017	21-Sep-2017	21-Sep-2017	21-Sep-2017	21-Sep-2017	27-Jun-2018	27-Jun-2018	27-Jun-2018	27-Jun-2018	27-Jun-2018	27-Jun-2018
					Laboratory Report Number			8762356	8762362	8762367	8762371	8762373	8757653	8757654	8757660	8757663	18Y357306	18Y357306	18Y357306	18Y357306	18Y357306	18Y357306
					Laboratory Sample ID			17Y265105	17Y265105	17Y265105	17Y265105	17Y265105	17Y264579									
Physical Parameters																						
pH	pH Units	6-8	-	-	7.6	7.92	6.72	7.44	7.41	7.6	7.75	7.11	7.21	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Moisture	%	-	-	-	5.58	5.47	32	7.92	7.35	8.61	6.09	18.2	17	2.4	5.2	5.2	3.9	7.7	3.9			
Carbon																						
Carbon	%	-	-	-	-	0.28	-	-	1.29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Asbestos Fibres																						
Asbestos fibres	%	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Cyanide																						
Cyanide (SAD)	mg/kg	-	-	-	-	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Cyanide (WAD)	mg/kg	0.9	-	<0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Metals																						
Antimony	mg/kg	20	-	-	0.7	0.7	0.4	1.5	1.3	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	-	19.8	23	54	20.9	22.1	120	8.3	42.7	14.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	-	380	256	113	787	877	326	52.8	111	147	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	-	-	0.8	0.7	3	1.6	1.3	1.3	2.7	2.8	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	-	0.72	1.14	0.48	2.08	2.46	0.9	15.5	8.02	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Chromium	mg/kg	64	-	-	21	19	38	20	20	22	8	32	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	-	-	10.5	11.3	34.2	14.3	17.3	16.2	23.2	32.2	18.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Copper	mg/kg	63	-	-	198	58	128	393	642	242	1120	435	455	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Lead	mg/kg	70	-	-	14.1	10.5	25.7	20	23.4	11.9	15.8	22.5	12.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	-	-	<0.01	0.18	0.07	0.21	0.03	0.7	0.39	1.48	1.68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	-	1.4	1.2	3.2	4.4	3.3	2.1	3.3	3.2	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	-	24	24.8	59.9	29.3	28	9.3	52.3	25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	-	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.6	1.9	1.3	4	2.2	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Silver	mg/kg	20	-	-	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	0.5	<0.5	1.3	<0.5	<0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Thallium	mg/kg	1	-	-	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Tin	mg/kg	5	-	-	1	0.8	2.1	3.4	2.8	3.1	8.5	3.2	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Uranium	mg/kg	23	-	-	1.2	1.1	12.8	2.1	2.7	1.8	3.3	5.6	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	-	37	38	47	46	40	30	22	39	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	-	97	129	179	222	273	127	1370	629	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Particle Size																						
>75 µm	%	-	-	-	-	69	-	-	-	77	-	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Grain Size	N/A	-	-	-	-	Coarse	-	-	-	Coarse	-	-	Coarse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Petroleum Hydrocarbons																						
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	-	-	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005			
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-	<0.05	<0.05																

Table A21-1: Soil Analytical Results

Notes

¹ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils

² Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils.

³ Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland land uses.
⁴ Preliminary Background Concentration.

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BOLD - Exceeds most stringent CCME or NWT CSR standard/guide.

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background
Shaded - Exceeds Management Limits

Italic - Laboratory detection limit is greater than one or more reference

-: Not analyzed or no applicable standard/guideline

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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A21TP1			
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1166.548 m	
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540207.421 E; 6870801.56 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments
0		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, dense, grey brown, (100 mm thick) GRAVEL (FILL) - some cobbles, some sand, trace boulders, damp, dense, reddish brown, wood debris, angular gravel, (300 mm thick) COBBLES (FILL) - gravelly, some sand to sandy, trace to some boulders, damp, grey brown, wood debris, angular cobbles		■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	
1	Excavated			1-1 ■	
1				1-2 ■	
1				1-3 ■	
2		END OF TESTPIT (1.7 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion			
3					
4					
5					
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 1.7 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe		Start Date: 2017 September 20	
		Logged By: NH		Completion Date: 2017 September 20	
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A21TP2				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1167.309 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540188.521 E; 6870804.266 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	
0	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp, dense, brown	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	2-1		
0.5		COBBLES (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace to some boulders, damp, dense, brown, wood debris		2-2	31% particles <75 µm (ie. smaller than sand particle)	
1		SILT (FILL) - some sand, trace clay, organics, trace rootlets, damp, soft, dark brown		2-3		
1.5				2-4		
3		END OF TESTPIT (2.7 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion				
4						
5						
TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2.7 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 20	
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 20	
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1	



TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A21TP3</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1167.017 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540185.357 E; 6870827.689 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SILT (FILL) - sandy, some gravel, some cobbles, damp, firm, brown, (150 mm thick) GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, trace to some boulders, damp, dense, brown, wood debris			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		1167
1	Excavated	END OF TESTPIT (1.1 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion	3-1				1166
2			3-2				1165
3							1164
4							1163
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 20		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 20		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1 style="margin: 0;">Testpit No: 17A21TP4</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1167.647 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540174.531 E; 6870836.478 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp, dense, brown, subangular gravel, (300 mm thick)		4-1	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
	Excavated	COBBLES (FILL) - some gravel, some sand, trace to some boulders, damp, dense, brown		4-2	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		1167
1				4-3	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
		END OF TESTPIT (1.6 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion					1166
2							
3							
4							
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.6 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 20		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 20		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A21TP5</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1168.042 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540160.129 E; 6870847.705 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
Excavated		GRAVEL (FILL) - silty, sandy, some cobbles, trace to some boulders, trace silt, damp, dense, brown - reddish brown - (COLLUVIAL), silty, some boulders, dark brown		5-1			1168
1				5-2			1167
				5-3		23% particles <75 µm (i.e. smaller than sand particle)	
2		END OF TESTPIT (1.6 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1166
3							1165
4							1164
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.6 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 21		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 21		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A21TP6					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1168.122 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540129.191 E; 6870836.819 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
Excavated		SAND (FILL) - some gravel, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, dense, grey, (100 mm thick) GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, dense, grey, angular gravel, (200 mm thick) SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace cobbles, trace boulders, reddish brown		6-1			1168
1				6-2			1167
2				6-3			1166
3		END OF TESTPIT (2.7 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		6-4			1165
4							1164
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2.7 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 21		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 21		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A21TP7</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1168.781 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540117.156 E; 6870823.775 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
Excavated		COBBLES (FILL) - gravelly, some sand, some boulders, trace silt, damp, dense, grey, metal debris		7-1			
		SILT (FILL) - some sand, trace gravel, trace clay, damp to moist, firm, brown		7-2			1168
1				7-3			1167
2				7-4			1166
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1165
4							1164
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 21		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 21		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A21TP8				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1171.585 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540091.254 E; 6870814.587 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	
0		COBBLES (FILL) - silty, sandy, some boulders, damp, loose, brown		8-1	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	Backfill Elevation (m)
		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some cobbles, trace to some boulders, damp, firm, brown		8-2		1171
1	Excavated	- some silt, some gravel, trace to some boulders, trace organics, trace rootlets		8-3		1170
2				8-4		1169
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion				1168
4						1167
5						
TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 21	
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 21	
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1	



TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A21TP9			
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1167.583 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540177.864 E; 6870836.774 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400
0.2		GRAVEL - cobbly, some sand, well graded, moist, brown, fine to coarse angular gravel and cobbles to 300 mm diameter - light brown to orange		9-1	
0.4				9-2	
0.6					
0.8					
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: Ore stockpile, 3 m northeast of 17A21TP4 Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		9-3	
1.2					
1.4					
1.5					
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 1 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe		Start Date: 2018 June 27	
		Logged By: BB		Completion Date: 2018 June 27	
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		ENVIRONMENTAL ENW.WENW03039-03-JUNELOGS.GPJ EBA.GDT 19-1-8			

North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A21TP10				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1167.998 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540168.664 E; 6870842.053 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0		GRAVEL - cobbly, some sand, moist, brown, 100 mm thick rusty brown layers, fine to angular gravel and cobbles to 300 mm diameter			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400	
0.2				10-1		1167.8
0.4				10-2		1167.6
0.6						1167.4
0.8						1167.2
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: Ore stockpile, northwest of 17A21TP4 Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		10-3		1167.0
1.2						1166.8
1.4						1166.6
1.5						



TETRA TECH

Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m
Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 June 27
Logged By: BB	Completion Date: 2018 June 27
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A21TP11					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1167.9 m		
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540171.027 E; 6870831.245 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Elevation (m)
0		GRAVEL - cobbly, some sand, well graded, moist, rusty brown to brown, fine to coarse angular gravel and cobbles to 300 mm diameter			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400		
0.2				11-1			1167.8
0.4				11-2			1167.6
0.6							1167.4
0.8							1167.2
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 5 m southwest of 17A21TP4 at ore stockpile Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		11-3			1166.8
1.2							1166.6
1.4							
1.5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 1 m			
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe		Start Date: 2018 June 27			
		Logged By: BB		Completion Date: 2018 June 27			
		Reviewed By: SS		Page 1 of 1			



Photo 1: Facing southeast towards upper scrap yard and former boneyard.
(September 7, 2017)



Photo 2: Facing east towards upper scrap yard and former boneyard. Photo provided by NATC.
(August 13, 2013)



Photo 3: Ore stockpile at road edge, facing southeast.
(September 29, 2017)



Photo 4: Close-up of ore stockpile material, facing southeast.
(September 29, 2017)



Photo 5: Ore stockpile dominated by skarnified swiss-cheese limestone including sulphide-rich pyrrhotite skarn. (September 29, 2017)



Photo 6: High sulphide content pyrrhotite skarn in ore stockpile.
(September 29, 2017)

AEC 23

AEC 23: Fuel Transfer Area Beside Tank Farm

Area Description						
Location	Southwest of Mill Building and southeast of Active Tank Farm.					
Topography	Generally flat on surface with a slight slope to northeast. Steep decline at northeast boundary of area. Berm of Active Tank Farm (AEC 33) bounds northwest limit of AEC.					
Surface Drainage	Northeast					
Background	A fuel transfer shed is used to replenish diesel fuel tanks in Active Tank Farm (AEC 33) and distribute fuel from Active Tank Farm to remainder of mine. An apparent underground storage tank located adjacent to fuel transfer shed was reportedly used historically to measure fuel levels for decommissioned tank farm infrastructure (i.e., piping) that was subsequently replaced with new infrastructure. A partially buried aboveground storage tank was also located adjacent to fuel transfer shed and was reportedly used to contain potential overflow during tank refueling.					
Historical Assessment Information						
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA, 2008)	Number of test pits		2			
	Number of surface soil samples		10			
	Number of soil samples analyzed for metals		5			
	Number of soil samples analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons		14			
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbons impacts		13			
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts		0			
Comments: Petroleum hydrocarbons identified in shallow soils, but not fully delineated.						
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details						
Environmental Site Assessment Scope						
Utility Locate SOP followed?	Yes					
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?	N/A					
Number of test pits advanced	5 (2017), 6 (2018)					
Number of boreholes advanced	7 (2017)					
Number of hand auger locations advanced	0					
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis	19 (2017), 12 (2018)					
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells	2 (2017)					
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells	0					
Number of groundwater samples collected	2 (2017), 1 (2018)					
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected	0					
Geophysics Findings						
N/A						
Soil Investigation and Conditions						
Maximum Depth of Investigation	12.19 mbgs (September 20, 2017)					
General Stratigraphy						
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations			
Various intervals of silt, sand, gravel, and cobbles	0	4.0	Fill soil. Potential tailings observed in several test pits and boreholes.			
Boulders and cobbles	4.0	5.5	Native soil			

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Various intervals of silt, sand, gravel and cobbles	5.5	12.19	Native soil			
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)						
Ranged from less than instrument detection limit to 507 parts per million by volume (ppmv) in sample 17A23BH4-6.						
Groundwater Conditions						
Depth to Groundwater	7.76 – 7.21 mbgs (October 1, 2017); 7.14 mbgs (June 29, 2018). Based on groundwater contours, depth to groundwater below upper portion of AEC is likely about 10 m.					
Free Product Thickness (if present)	Slight hydrocarbon sheen at 17A23MW4 (2017); 0.27 m product in 17A23MW4 (June 29, 2018)					
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Figure A23-1 shows borehole, monitoring well, and test pit locations. ▪ Figure A23-2 shows groundwater chemical results. ▪ Table A23-1 summarizes soil chemical results relative to guidelines and management limits. ▪ Table A23-2 summarizes groundwater chemical results relative to guidelines. 						
General Site Observations						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Underground storage tank and partially buried above-ground storage tank observed next to fuel transfer shed. ▪ No staining observed on surface soils surrounding fuel transfer shed; but there may be new gravel in area. ▪ Potential tailings observed in several boreholes and test pits advanced. ▪ Petroleum hydrocarbon staining and/or odour observed in several borehole and test pits advanced. Liquid product (diesel) encountered in only one MW (17A23MW4; 2018). 						
Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC and PAHs)						
2017						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Laboratory results all less than the CCME/CSR guidelines with exception of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Sample 17A23BH3-3 at a depth of 4.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A23BH4-5 at a depth of 5.4 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F2. – Sample 17A23BH4-6 at a depth of 8.7 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A23BH6-1 at a depth of 1.7 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A23TP1-2 at a depth of 0.3 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F2 and F3. – Sample 17A23TP3-1 at a depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A23TP3-3 at a depth of 2.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F2. – Sample 17A23TP4-1 at a depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A23TP5-1 at a depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. 						
2018						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Six test pits (18A23TP6 to 18A23TP11) were excavated to a depth of 1 mbgs to the southwest and west of the Diesel Transfer Station to delineate past management limit exceedances. Laboratory results from the two soil samples tested for PHCs F2-F4 at each of the six test pit locations were less than the management limits with exception of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Sample 18A23TP6-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs. – Sample 18A23TP7-2 at a depth of 0.5 mbgs. – Sample 18A23TP7-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs. – Sample 18A23TP8-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs. – Sample 18A23TP9-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs. 						
Soil: Metals						
2017						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Parameters with exceedances of CCME CEQGs include arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, tin, and zinc. 						

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- Following metals concentrations also exceeded preliminary background concentrations:
 - Barium (17A23TP1 at 0.30 mbgs).
 - Cadmium (17A23TP1 at 0.30 mbgs).
 - Selenium (17A23BH1 at 1.95 mbgs, 17A23BH4 at 8.7 mbgs, 17A23TP3 at 0.25 mbgs).
- 2018** (see discussion of risk-based metals delineation by Risk Management Unit (RMU) in report text)
- Soil: Other PCOCs (Glycols)**
- Laboratory chemical results less than detection limits and guidelines.
- Soil: Routine (pH)**
- Laboratory results within the CCME/CSR guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A23BH1-2 at a depth of 1.95 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A23BH3-6 at a depth of 7.9 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A23BH4-4 at a depth of 4.3 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A23BH4-5 at a depth of 5.4 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A23BH4-6 at a depth of 8.7 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.

Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHCs and PAHs)

2017

- Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A23MW4 had PHC F2 concentration greater than guidelines.
 - Sample 17A23MW4 had naphthalene and phenanthrene concentrations greater than guidelines.

2018

- Laboratory chemical results less than detection limits in 17A23MW5.
- 0.27 m of diesel product measured in 17A23MW4 (June 29, 2018)

Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

2017

- Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A23MW5 had sulphate concentration greater than guidelines and preliminary background concentration.
 - Sample 17A23MW4 had arsenic, barium, and iron concentrations greater than guidelines.
 - Sample 17A23MW5 had cadmium concentration greater than guidelines but below preliminary background concentration.
- Detection limits for acridine and anthracene were raised above guidelines for sample 17A23MW4 due sample matrix interference.

2018

- Laboratory chemical results less than guidelines with exception of:
 - Sulphate exceeded guidelines and background concentrations at 17A23MW5.

Groundwater: Other PCOCs

N/A

Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Sediment: Metals

N/A

Sediment: Other PCOCs

N/A

Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

N/A

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Surface Water: Other PCOCs

N/A

Grainsize Analysis

- Soil sample 17A23BH5-4 at a depth of 10.1 mbgs classified as fine-grained (10% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A23TP1-2 at a depth of 0.3 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (84% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A23TP3-3 at a depth of 2.0 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (74% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 18A23TP6-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (88% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 18A23TP7-2 at a depth of 0.5 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (83% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A23TP9-2 at a depth of 0.5 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (71% >75 µm).

Environmental Concerns

Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Surface of whole area	Leaks or releases from fueling infrastructure	Soil and groundwater	Soil: <u>Metals</u> , <u>petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs)</u> , glycols, <u>polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)</u> . Groundwater: <u>Metals</u> , <u>sulphate</u> , nutrients <u>petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs)</u> , <u>polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)</u> .

Discussion (Significance of Results)

Soils:

- PHC impacts measured in boreholes 17A23BH3 and 17A23BH4 were encountered at a deeper stratigraphic interval than other impacts observed. These deeper impacts are suspected to be associated with a historical fuel release at the Active Tank Farm (AEC 23). Based on this assessment conducted for AEC 33, PHC impacts related to the historical Active Tank Farm release have been horizontally delineated to north and east, and vertically delineated.
- For management limit exceedances, in general, the PHC impacts in soil were horizontally delineated except to the north towards the bermed diesel tank storage area and to the east where a steep bank is present. The estimated depth of PHC impacts greater than the management limits used to calculate the contaminated soil volume is 1.0 mbgs.
- Glycols were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC.
- Metals concentrations were generally high in test pit samples and significantly lower in most borehole samples, i.e., highest metals concentrations were observed in shallow samples.

Groundwater:

- PHC and PAH impacts to groundwater quality at 17A23MW4 may be related to a historical fuel release at AEC 33; diesel product measured in 2018 at this well will require remediation and product recovery as part of ROA; PHC contamination in groundwater further down-gradient (at 17A23MW5) was not detected
- Most dissolved metals parameters at 17A23MW4 had concentrations at least two times higher than concentrations at 17A23MW5 (2017).

Attachments

Figure A23-1 – Soil and Sediment Results

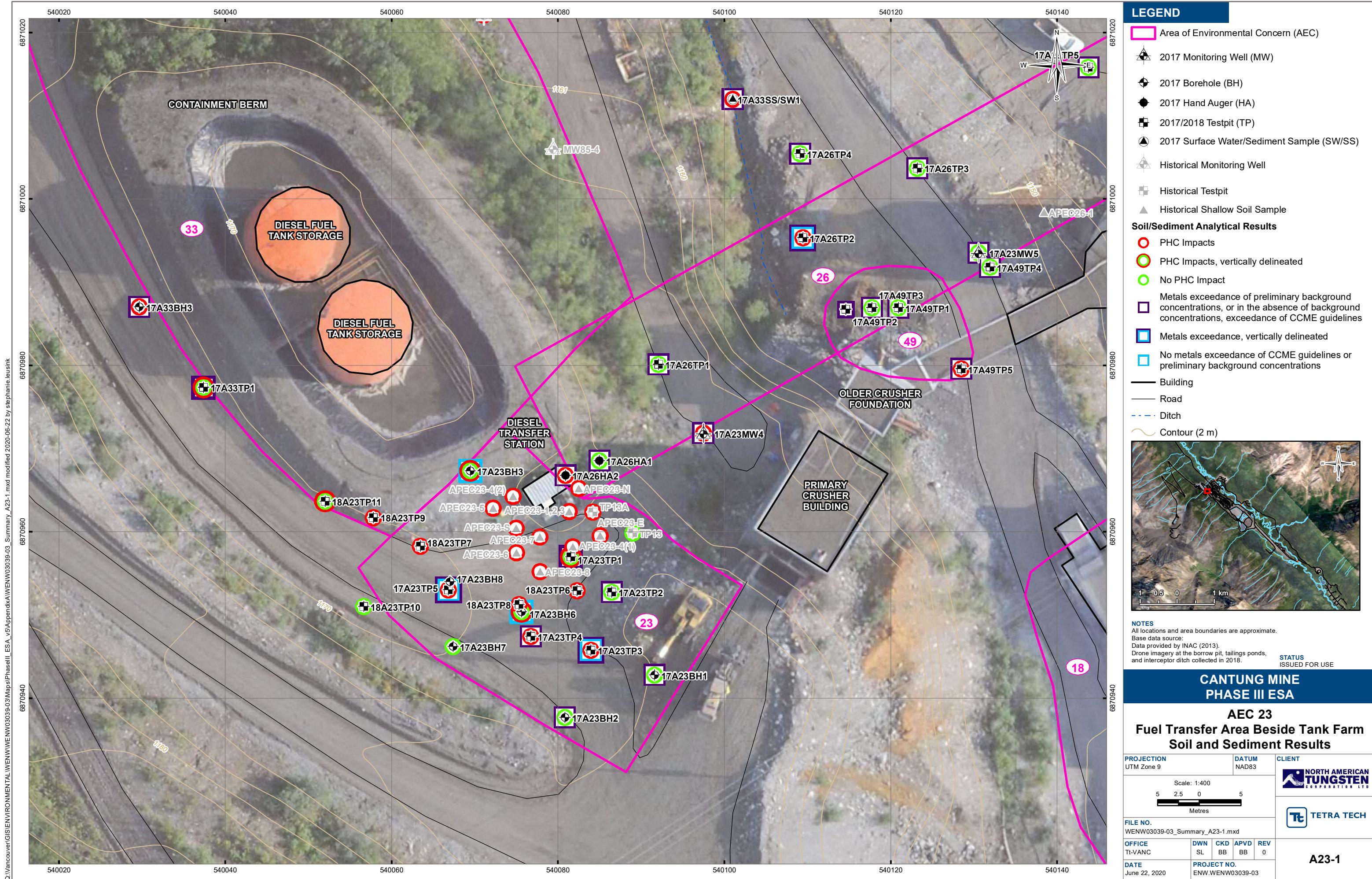
Figure A23-2 – Groundwater and Surface Water Results

Table A23-1 – Soil Analytical Results

Table A23-2 – Groundwater Chemical Results

Borehole and Test pit Logs

Photographs



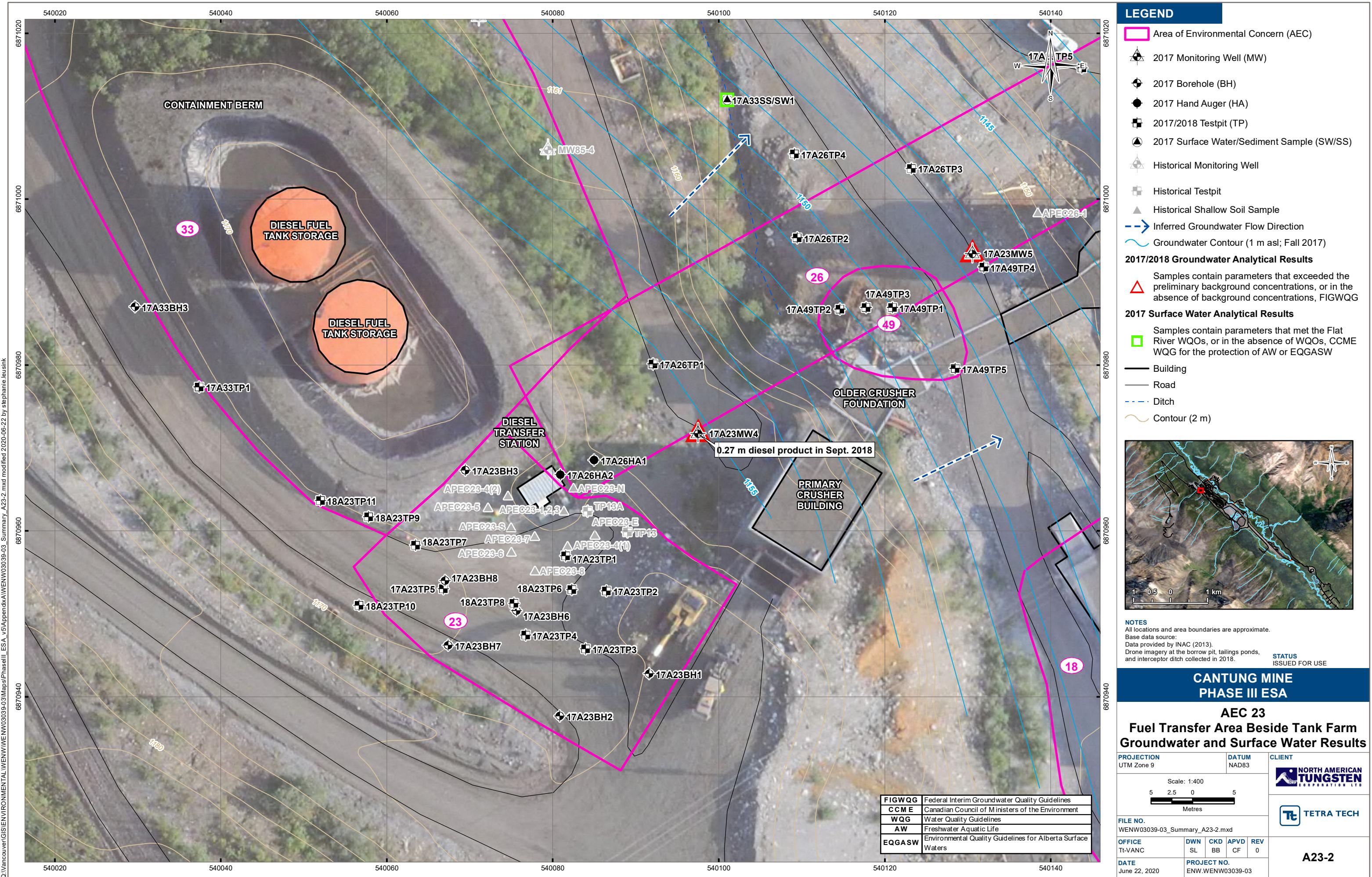


Table A23-1: Soil Analytical Results

Notes:-

¹ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils

²Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils

³ Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2003), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland land use

4 Preliminary Background Concentration

⁵ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME)

BOLD - Exceeds most stringent CCME or NWT CSR stan

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

Shaded - Exceeds Management Limits

Italic - Laboratory detection limit is greater than one or more

"—" Not analyzed or no applicable standard/guideline

Table A23-1: Soil Analytical Results

Note

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4 Preliminary Background Concentration

⁵ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) (2008). Canada-Wide Strategy for Emissions Trading Systems. CCME – NWT-GCP Joint Consultation.

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concentration
Shaded - Exceeds Management Limit

Italic - Laboratory detection limit is greater than one or more referenced guidelines.

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" " Not analyzed or no applicable standard/guideline

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Table A23-2: Groundwater Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Federal Interim Guideline ¹		Preliminary Background Concentrations	AEC 23			
		Agricultural	Res / Park		17A23MW4	17A23MW5		
		Field ID	17A23MW4	17A23MW5	17A23MW5			
		Sample Date	1-Oct-2017	1-Oct-2017	30-Jun-2018			
Laboratory Report Number		17Y269471	17Y269471	18Y358442				
Laboratory Sample ID		8797135	8797136	9378834				
Field Parameters								
Field Temperature	°C	-	-	-	1.6	1.5	2.3	
Field pH	pH Units	6.5-9	6.5-9	-	6.84	7.05	7.17	
Field Conductivity	µS/cm	-	-	-	873	762	845	
Routine								
pH	pH Units	6.5-9	6.5-9	-	7.57	7.8	7.37	
Electrical Conductivity (EC)	µS/cm	-	-	-	938	733	1040	
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	mg/L	3000	-	-	535	470	738	
Hardness as CaCO ₃	mg/L	-	-	-	503	373	395	
Alkalinity (total as CaCO ₃)	mg/L	-	-	-	528	210	239	
Bromide	mg/L	-	-	-	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	
Chloride	mg/L	100	120	-	6	0.4	1.37	
Fluoride	mg/L	0.12	0.12	0.39	0.03	0.09	0.07	
Sulphate	mg/L	100	100	182	8	197	356	
Nutrients								
Ammonia	mg/L	0.021-231 ²	0.021-231 ²	-	-	-	<0.01	
Nitrate (as NO ₃ -N)	mg/L	13	13	-	<0.005	0.034	0.114	
Nitrite (as NO ₂ -N)	mg/L	0.06	0.06	-	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	
Nitrogen (Total)	mg/L	-	-	-	-	-	0.31	
Dissolved Metals								
Aluminum	mg/L	0.005 / 0.1 ³	0.005 / 0.1 ³	-	0.02	0.016	<0.002	
Antimony	mg/L	2	2	-	0.0003	<0.0002	<0.0002	
Arsenic	mg/L	0.005	0.005	-	0.0058	0.0003	0.0003	
Barium	mg/L	0.5	0.5	-	0.865	0.0235	0.0229	
Beryllium	mg/L	0.0053	0.0053	-	0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001	
Boron	mg/L	0.5	1.5	-	0.03	0.013	0.006	
Cadmium	mg/L	0.00012	0.00012	0.000047	<0.00001	0.00002	0.00002	
Calcium	mg/L	-	-	-	133	115	120	
Chromium	mg/L	0.089	0.089	-	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	
Cobalt	mg/L	0.05	-	-	0.00213	0.0006	<0.0005	
Copper	mg/L	0.002	0.002	-	0.0003	0.0002	0.0003	
Iron	mg/L	0.3	0.3	-	4.11	0.037	<0.01	
Lead	mg/L	0.001-0.002 ⁴	0.001-0.002 ⁴	-	0.00007	<0.00005	<0.00005	
Lithium	mg/L	-	-	-	0.0315	0.0085	0.0078	
Magnesium	mg/L	-	-	-	41.6	20.9	23.2	
Manganese	mg/L	0.2	-	-	0.393	0.111	0.004	
Mercury	mg/L	0.000016	0.000016	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001	
Molybdenum	mg/L	0.073	0.073	-	0.00187	0.00058	0.00043	
Nickel	mg/L	0.025-0.083 ⁴	0.025-0.083 ⁴	-	0.0044	0.0006	0.0003	
Potassium	mg/L	-	-	-	4.52	1.88	1.87	
Selenium	mg/L	0.001	0.001	-	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	
Silver	mg/L	0.00025	0.00025	-	<0.00002	<0.00002	<0.00002	
Sodium	mg/L	-	-	-	5.35	2.31	6.23	
Strontium	mg/L	-	-	-	-	-	0.168	
Thallium	mg/L	0.0008	0.0008	-	<0.00001	0.00001	0.00001	
Tin	mg/L	-	-	-	-	-	<0.0005	
Titanium	mg/L	0.1	0.1	-	0.0024	0.0012	0.0011	
Tungsten	mg/L	-	-	-	-	-	0.00035	
Uranium	mg/L	0.01	0.015	-	0.00205	0.00214	0.00246	
Vanadium	mg/L	0.1	-	-	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	
Zinc	mg/L	0.01	0.01	-	0.006	<0.002	<0.002	

Notes:

¹ Environment Canada (June 2016). Guidance Document on Federal Interim Groundwater Quality Guidelines (FIGGQ) for Federal Contaminated Sites, for fine and coarse textured soil under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland land use

² Guideline varies with pH and temperature

³ Guideline varies with pH

⁴ Guideline varies hardness

"-" No applicable guideline or not analyzed

BOLD - Greater than Guideline

RED - Greater than Preliminary Background Concentration

Italic - Detection limit greater than guideline

Table A23-2: Groundwater Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Federal Interim Guideline ¹		Preliminary Background Concentrations			
		Agricultural	Res / Park				
				AEC		AEC 23	
		Location	Field ID	17A23MW4	17A23MW5	17A23MW4	17A23MW5
Benzene	mg/L	0.088	0.14	-	0.0054	<0.0005	<0.0005
Toluene	mg/L	0.083	0.083	-	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005
Ethylbenzene	mg/L	3.2	11	-	0.0454	<0.0005	<0.0005
Xylene (m)	mg/L	-	-	-	0.0136	<0.0005	<0.0005
Xylene (o)	mg/L	-	-	-	0.0012	<0.0005	<0.0005
Xylenes Total	mg/L	3.9	3.9	-	0.015	<0.001	<0.001
F1 (C ₆ -C ₁₀)	mg/L	-	-	-	0.31	<0.1	<0.1
F1 (C ₆ -C ₁₀) - BTEX	mg/L	0.81	0.81	-	0.24	<0.1	<0.1
F2 (C ₁₀ -C ₁₆)	mg/L	1.3	1.3	-	3.68	<0.1	<0.1
F3 (C ₁₆ -C ₃₄)	mg/L	-	-	-	0.53	0.12	<0.1
F4 (C ₃₄ -C ₆₀)	mg/L	-	-	-	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)							
Acenaphthene	mg/L	0.0058	0.0058	-	<0.0002	<0.00002	<0.00002
Acenaphthylene	mg/L	0.046	0.046	-	<0.0002	<0.00002	<0.00002
Acridine	mg/L	0.00005	0.00005	-	< 0.0005	<0.00005	<0.00005
Anthracene	mg/L	0.000012	0.000012	-	< 0.0001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/L	0.000018	0.000018	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benz(a) pyrene	mg/L	0.00001	0.00001	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/L	-	-	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benzo(b+j)fluoranthene	mg/L	0.00048	0.00048	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/L	0.00017	0.00017	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	mg/L	-	-	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/L	0.00048	0.00048	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Chrysene	mg/L	0.0001	0.0001	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/L	0.00026	0.00026	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
Fluoranthene	mg/L	0.00004	0.00004	-	<0.00002	<0.00002	<0.00002
Fluorene	mg/L	0.003	0.003	-	0.0027	<0.00002	<0.00002
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	mg/L	0.00021	0.00021	-	<0.00001	<0.00001	<0.00001
1-Methylnaphthalene	mg/L	0.18	0.18	-	-	-	<0.00005
2-Methylnaphthalene	mg/L	0.18	0.18	-	-	-	<0.00005
Naphthalene	mg/L	0.0011	0.0011	-	0.0874	<0.00005	<0.00005
Phenanthrene	mg/L	0.0004	0.0004	-	0.0009	<0.00004	<0.00004
Pyrene	mg/L	0.000025	0.000025	-	<0.00002	<0.00002	<0.00002
Quinoline	mg/L	0.0034	0.0034	-	<0.001	<0.0001	<0.00005

Notes:

¹ Environment Canada (June 2016). Guidance Document on Federal Interim Groundwater Quality Guidelines (FIGGG) for Federal Contaminated Sites, for fine and coarse textured soil under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland land use

² Guideline varies with pH and temperature

³ Guideline varies with pH

⁴ Guideline varies hardness

“” No applicable guideline or not analyzed

BOLD - Greater than Guideline

RED - Greater than Preliminary Background Concentration

Italic - Detection limit greater than guideline

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A23BH1							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1172.223 m				
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540091.607 E; 6870942.807 N; Z 9				
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments			
0	Sonic	SILT (FILL) - trace to some sand and gravel, moist, brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel				■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200			
1		SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - trace silt, damp, brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel			1-1				
1		SAND (TAILINGS) - trace gravel, damp, reddish brown, fine sand		■	1-2				
2		- some silt, moist		■					
2		SILT - some gravel, trace sand, damp, light brown, fine to coarse gravel		■	1-3				
3		BOULDER							
3		SILT - some gravel, trace sand, damp, light brown, fine to coarse gravel		■					
3		SAND - some gravel, damp, brown, fine to medium sand and gravel		■					
4		COBBLES - some sand and gravel, dry, greyish brown							
4		SAND - some gravel, trace silt, damp, light brown							
5		END OF BOREHOLE (4.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion							
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11									
12									
13									
14									
15									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 4.5 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17				
		Logged By: MG			Completion Date: 2017 September 17				
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1				



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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A23BH2</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1171.345 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540080.849 E; 6870937.704 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		Elevation (m)
1	Sonic	SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - road base, trace to some silt, damp, brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel					1171
1		SILT (FILL) - some sand, trace gravel, trace organics, moist to wet, soft, brown, black streaks, fine sand, fine gravel		2-1			1170
2		- wet, burnt streaks - damp		2-2			1169
2		SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - some silt, poorly graded, damp, brown, black streaks, fine to coarse gravel and sand		2-3			1168
3		SAND (FILL) - some silt, some gravel, damp, dark grey, no discernible odour		2-4			1167
3		SILT (FILL) - some sand, some gravel, occasional cobbles, moist, brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel					1166
4		SAND (FILL) - some gravel, trace silt, damp, brown, fine to coarse sand					1165
5		END OF BOREHOLE (4.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1164
6							1163
7							1162
8							1161
9							1160
10							1159
11							1158
12							1157
13							
14							
15							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 4.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17		
		Logged By: MG			Completion Date: 2017 September 17		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A23BH3						
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1171.977 m				
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540069.451 E; 6870967.321 N; Z 9				
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	Backfill	Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - trace to some gravel, trace silt, damp, brown, fine to medium sand and gravel - silty			3-1	■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		1171
1	Sonic	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, trace silt, damp, brown			3-2			1170
2		SILT (FILL) - some sand, trace to some gravel, damp, grey, fine sand			3-3			1169
3		SAND (FILL) - trace gravel, trace silt, damp, brown, fine to medium sand, slight hydrocarbon odour GRANITE BOULDERS			3-4			1168
4		SILT - some sand and gravel, brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel, hydrocarbon odour BOULDER			3-5			1167
5		SILT - some sand, some gravel, light brown, fine to coarse sand and gravel, slight hydrocarbon odour			3-6			1166
6		SAND - trace to some gravel, trace silt, damp, brown			3-7			1165
7		SILT - trace to some sand and gravel, occasional cobbles, damp						1164
8		- rock layer						1163
9		END OF BOREHOLE (10.60 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion						1162
10								1161
11								1160
12								1159
13								1158
14								1157
15								
TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 10.6 m			
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17			
		Logged By: MG			Completion Date: 2017 September 18			
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Borehole No: 17A23BH4/MW4

Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment

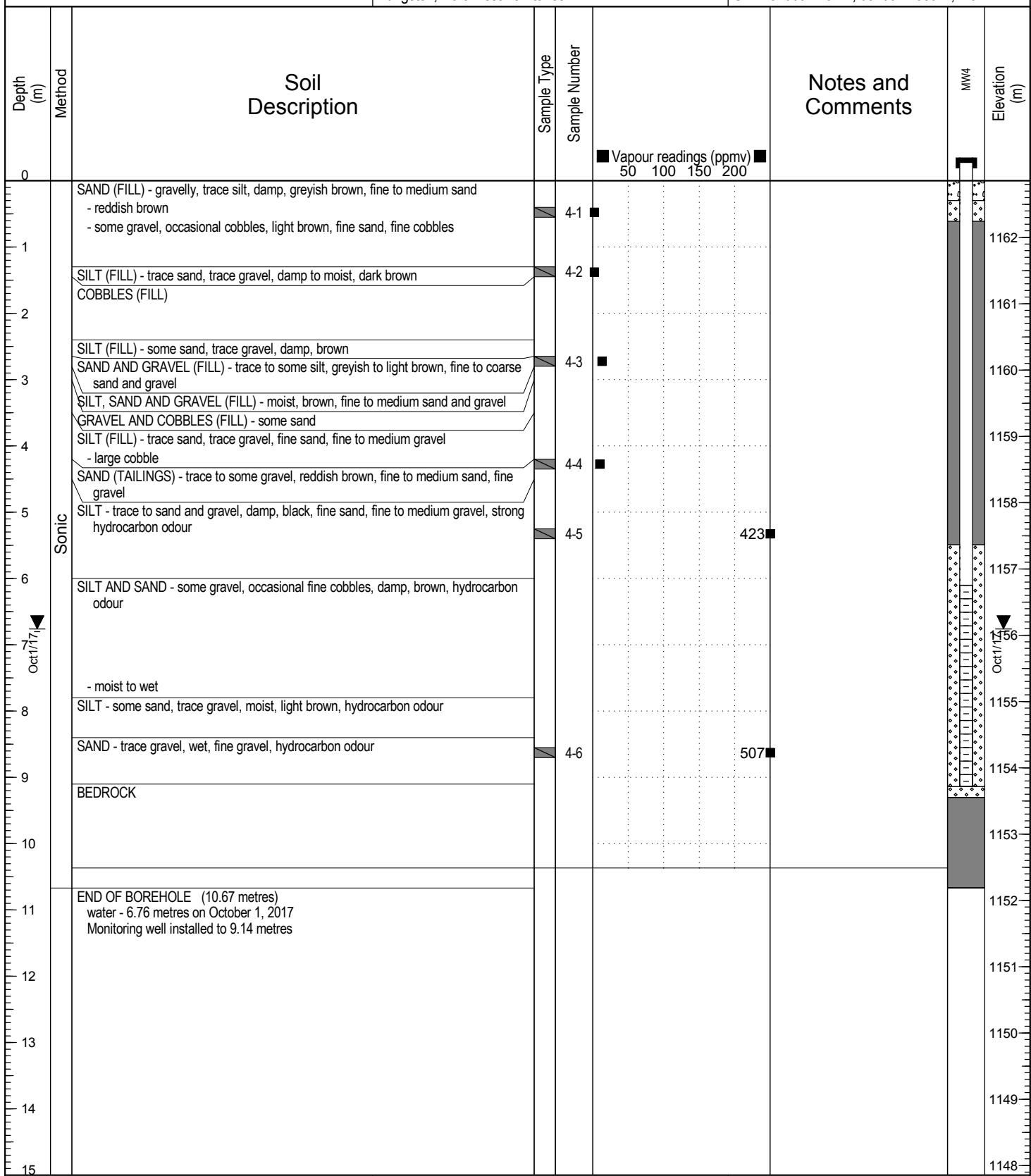
Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6

Location: Cantung Mine

Ground Elev: 1162.855 m

Tungsten, Northwest Territories

UTM: 540097.487 E; 6870971.859 N; Z 9



TETRA TECH

Contractor: Boart Longyear

Completion Depth: 10.367 m

Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted

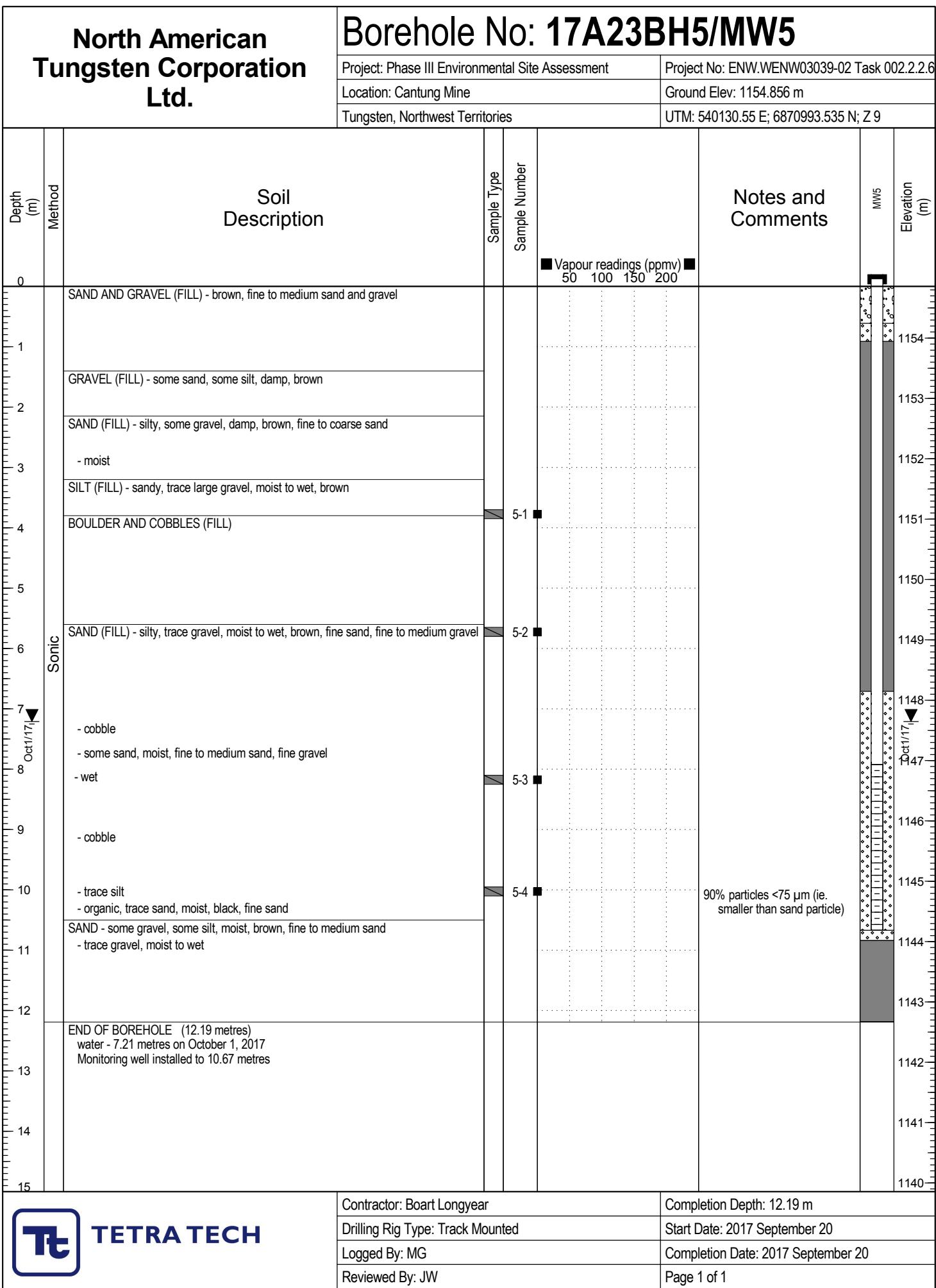
Start Date: 2017 September 18

Logged By: MG

Completion Date: 2017 September 18

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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A23BH6</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment				Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine				Ground Elev: 1170.49 m	
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540075.632 E; 6870950.378 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, brown, fine sand			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		
1	Sonic	- red, trace plastic debris		6-1			1170
2		- no visible staining, hydrocarbon odour					1169
3		- silty		6-2			1168
4							1167
5		END OF BOREHOLE (4.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1166
6							1165
7							1164
8							1163
9							1162
10							1161
11							1160
12							1159
13							1158
14							1157
15							1156
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 4.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 26		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 26		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A23BH7</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1170.153 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540067.383 E; 6870946.213 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, trace to some silt, damp, reddish brown, fine sand - brown - silty			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		
1	Sonic	- trace to some cobbles		7-1			1170
2				7-2			1169
3							1168
4							1167
5		END OF BOREHOLE (4.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1166
6							1165
7							1164
8							1163
9							1162
10							1161
11							1160
12							1159
13							1158
14							1157
15							1156
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 4.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 26		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 26		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A23BH8</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment				Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540067 E; 6870954 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Depth (ft)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		0
1	Sonic	SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, damp, brownish grey					2
2		- trace organics - trace to some cobbles - silty, trace to some gravel, dark brown, fine sand		8-1			4
3		SAND - some gravel, trace to some silt, damp, brown					6
4		- pulverized white rock		8-2			8
5		END OF BOREHOLE (4.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					10
6							12
7							14
8							16
9							18
10							20
11							22
12							24
13							26
14							28
15							30
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 4.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 26		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 26		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A23TP1</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1170.201 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540081.546 E; 6870956.995 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - some silt, some gravel, trace clay, damp to moist, soft, brown - black staining, moderate hydrocarbon odour		1-1 1-2	50 100 150 200 ■ 258 ■	16% particles <75 µm (i.e. smaller than sand particle)	
1	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp, dense, brown		1-3			1170
1		COBBLES (FILL) - some boulders, some sand, trace gravel, damp, dense, brown		1-4			1169
2		END OF TESTPIT (2.0 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion					1168
3							1167
4							1166
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 11		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A23TP2</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1170.546 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540086.461 E; 6870952.774 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
Excavated		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp, loose, brown, (300 mm thick)		2-1			
		BOULDERS (FILL) - some cobbles, trace to some sand, trace silt, damp, dense, brown		2-2			
1							1170
		END OF TESTPIT (1.2 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1169
2							1168
3							1167
4							1166
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.2 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 12		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A23TP3				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1171.222 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540083.964 E; 6870945.803 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - some silt, some gravel, trace clay, damp, soft, brownish grey, (300 mm thick) - red staining, oxidation	■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	3-1		
		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, some cobbles, trace silt, damp, grey, (300 mm thick)		3-2		
1		SAND (FILL) - some gravel, trace cobbles, trace silt, trace boulders, damp, firm, light brown, wood debris, wire debris - brown - light brown		3-3		
2		SAND (TAILINGS) - silty, trace gravel, damp, loose, red	■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	3-3	26% particles <75 µm (ie. smaller than sand particle)	
3		END OF TESTPIT (2.2 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on boulder Backfilled at completion				
4						
5						
TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2.2 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 12	
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12	
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A23TP4					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1170.61 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540076.725 E; 6870947.451 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL)- silty, some gravel, trace clay, damp, soft, brownish grey, (300 mm thick) - red staining, oxidation GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, damp, dense, reddish grey, (200 mm thick) SAND - gravelly, some cobbles, trace boulders, damp, dense, brownish grey - weathered rock, extremely weak, white - silty, sandy, black, no discernible hydrocarbon odour		4-1 4-2 4-3 4-4	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
1	Excavated	END OF TESTPIT (1.4 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on boulder Backfilled at completion					1170
2							1169
3							1168
4							1167
5							1166
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.4 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 12		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A23TP5							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1170.062 m					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540066.807 E; 6870953.018 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments			
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace clay, damp, soft, reddish brown - grey, no discernible odour - gravelly, some silt, some cobbles, trace boulders, dense, blackish grey			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200				
1		- 250 mm thick sand layer - red			5-1				
2		END OF TESTPIT (1.25 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion			5-2				
3					5-3				
4									
5									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.25 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 12				
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12				
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP6			
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1170.456 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540082.274 E; 6870952.925 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400
0.0		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, moist, brown, medium angular gravel, (200 mm thick)		6-1	
0.2		SAND AND GRAVEL - cobbly, some boulders, well graded, moist, brown, fine to coarse sand, angular cobbles to 300 mm diameter, boulders to 500 mm diameter			
0.4				6-2	
0.6					
0.8					
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 11 m south of the diesel pump station Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		6-3	
1.2					
1.4					
1.5					
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 June 27		
		Logged By: BB	Completion Date: 2018 June 27		
		Reviewed By: SS	Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP7				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1170.029 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540063.454 E; 6870958.281 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0					■ 100 200 300 400 ■	
0		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, well graded, moist, brown, medium angular gravel - grey, strong hydrocarbon odour		7-1	■	1170.0
0.2						1169.8
0.4				7-2	■	1169.6
0.6		SAND (FILL) - silty, cobbly, well graded, moist, brown, fine to medium sand				1169.4
0.8						1169.2
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 9 m southwest of diesel pump Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		7-3	■	1169.0
1.2						1168.8
1.4						1168.6
1.5						



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Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m
Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 June 27
Logged By: BB	Completion Date: 2018 June 27
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP8				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1170.469 m		
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540075.326 E; 6870951.283 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, moist, brown, medium angular gravel, (150 mm thick)		8-1	■ 100 ■ 200 ■ 300 ■ 400	1170.4
0.2		SAND (FILL) - cobbly, some silt, some gravel, well graded, moist, brown grey, fine to coarse sand, angular cobbles to 300 mm diameter - hydrocarbon odour		8-2	■ 100 ■ 200 ■ 300 ■ 400	1170.2
0.4				8-3	■ 100 ■ 200 ■ 300 ■ 400	1170.0
0.6						1169.8
0.8						1169.6
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 10.5 m southwest of the diesel pump station Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018				1169.4
1.2						1169.2
1.4						1169.0
1.5						



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Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m
Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 June 27
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP9				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1169.476 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540037.269 E; 6870977.977 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0					■ 100 200 300 400	
0		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, moist, light brown, medium angular gravel, (150 mm thick)		9-1	■	1169.4
0.2		GRAVEL - cobbly, some sand, some boulders, well graded, moist, grey, fine to coarse angular gravel		9-2	■	1169.2
0.4		- rusty brown		9-3	■	1169.0
0.6		- light brown				1168.8
0.8						1168.6
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 13.5 m southwest of diesel fueling station at southeast corner of tank farm Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018				1168.4
1.2						1168.2
1.4						1168.0
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m			
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 June 27			
		Logged By: BB	Completion Date: 2018 June 27			
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP10			
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1169.72 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540056.656 E; 6870951.02 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400
Excavated		SAND AND GRAVEL - silty, cobbly, homogenous, well graded, moist, very compact, medium brown, subrounded gravel, fine to coarse sand and gravel, cobbles to 150 mm diameter		10-1	
		- trace grey staining, no discernible odour		10-2	
		SAND AND GRAVEL - cobbly, some boulders, trace silt, well graded, light to yellowish brown, subrounded gravel, fine to coarse sand and gravel, subangular to subrounded cobbles to 200 mm diameter, subrounded boulders to 450 mm diameter			
		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018			
1.5					
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 August 28		
		Logged By: DT	Completion Date: 2018 August 28		
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A23TP11					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1169.748 m		
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540052.004 E; 6870963.681 N; Z 9		
Excavated	Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	Elevation (m)
	0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■	
						100 200 300 400	
	0.2		SAND AND GRAVEL - silty, cobbly, homogenous, well graded, moist, very compact, grey to medium brown, subrounded gravel, fine to coarse sand and gravel, cobbles to 150 mm diameter, (200 mm thick)		11-1		1169.6
	0.4		SAND AND GRAVEL - cobbly, some boulders, trace silt, well graded, medium brown, subrounded gravel, fine to coarse sand and gravel, subangular to subrounded cobbles to 200 mm diameter, subrounded boulders to 450 mm diameter		11-2		1169.4
	0.6		SILT AND SAND - some gravel, moist, very compact, light grey, fine to coarse sand, very fine gravel, possible staining, no discernible odour or sheen				1169.2
	0.8		END OF TESTPIT (0.80 metres) Note: Stopped due to risk of damaging tank farm berm Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		11-3		1169.0
	1.0						1168.8
	1.2						1168.6
	1.4						1168.4
	1.5						
	TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 0.8 m			
			Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 August 28			
			Logged By: DT	Completion Date: 2018 August 28			
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Photo 1: Facing northwest at fuel transfer area. Current tank farm visible in background.
(September 17, 2017)



Photo 2: Panorama of fuel transfer area (on other side of truck, between truck and tank farm).
Tank farm visible on the left. (September 4, 2017)



Photo 3: Facing east at current tank farm and fuel transfer area (circled). Photo provided by NATC.
(May 29, 2014)

AEC 26

AEC 26: Diesel Line Between Tank Farm and Fueling Area

Area Description					
Location	Northwest of Mill Building, extending from Fuel Transfer Area (AEC 23) to Old Tank Farm and Fueling Area (AEC 14).				
Topography	Intervals of slight declines and steep declines to northeast due to mine road switchbacks				
Surface Drainage	Northeast				
Background	Pipeline that transfers fuel from Fuel Transfer Shed to fueling area in vicinity of old Tank Farm.				
Historical Assessment Information					
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA, 2009)	Number of surface soil samples:		3		
	Number of soil samples analyzed for metals:		0		
	Number of soil samples analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons:		3		
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbons impacts:		2		
Comments: Two of three soil samples contained PHC impacts. It was inferred that impacts were from pipeline leaks and/or from AEC 23 (Fuel Transfer Station). The PHC impacts were not delineated.					
2017 Environmental Site Assessment Details					
Environmental Site Assessment Scope					
Utility Locate SOP followed?	Yes				
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?	N/A				
Number of test pits advanced	5				
Number of boreholes advanced	0				
Number of hand auger locations advanced	2				
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis	9				
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells	0				
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells	0				
Number of groundwater samples collected	N/A				
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected	N/A				
Geophysics Findings					
N/A					
Soil Investigation and Conditions					
Maximum Depth of Investigation	3.0 mbgs (September 12, 2017)				
General Stratigraphy					
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations		
Various intervals of sand, gravel and boulders	0	3.0	Fill soil. Buried organics, metal debris, and wood debris observed in several test pits. PHC staining observed in test pit 17A26TP2.		
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)					
Ranged from 0.2 ppm in several samples to 3.6 ppm in sample 17A26TP5-3					
Groundwater Conditions					
Depth to Groundwater	Varies – see groundwater contour map (Figure A21-2)				
Free Product	N/A				

AEC 26: Diesel Line Between Tank Farm and Fueling Area

2017 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary

- Figure A21-1 shows hand auger and test pit locations.
- Figure A21-2 shows groundwater contours, and nearby AEC groundwater and surface water sampling results.
- Table A21-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines.

General Site Observations

- Current fuel line is HDPE, portions of decommissioned metal fuel line located parallel to existing active fuel line.
- No staining was observed on surface soils surrounding decommissioned and active fuel lines.
- Buried debris including metal and wood was observed in several test pits advanced.
- PHC staining observed in test pit 17A26TP2 at depth of approximately 0.3 mbgs.

Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC)

- Laboratory results less than guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A26HA2-1 at depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs greater than guidelines.
 - Sample 17A26TP2-1 at depth of 0.3 mbgs contained PHCs greater than guidelines.

Soil: Metals

- Various metals exceeded CCME CEQGs including arsenic, barium, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, tin, and zinc.
- The following metals also exceeded preliminary background concentrations:
 - Arsenic (17A26TP5 at 0.25 mbgs).
 - Barium (17A26HA1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26HA2 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26TP3 at 1.0 mbgs).
 - Cadmium, (17A26HA1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26HA2 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26TP2 at 0.3 mbgs, 17A26TP3 at 0.35 mbgs, 17A26TP4 at 0.25 mbgs).
 - Selenium (17A26HA1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26TP2 at 0.3 mbgs, 17A26TP3 at 0.35 mbgs, 17A26TP4 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A26TP5 at 0.25 mbgs).
 - Zinc (17A26TP2 at 0.3 mbgs, 17A26TP3 at 0.35 mbgs, 17A26TP4 at 0.25 mbgs).

Soil: Other PCOCs (PAHs)

- Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines.

Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within guidelines.

Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

N/A

Groundwater: Other PCOCs

N/A

Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Sediment: Metals

N/A

Sediment: Other PCOCs

N/A

Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

N/A

Surface Water: Other PCOCs

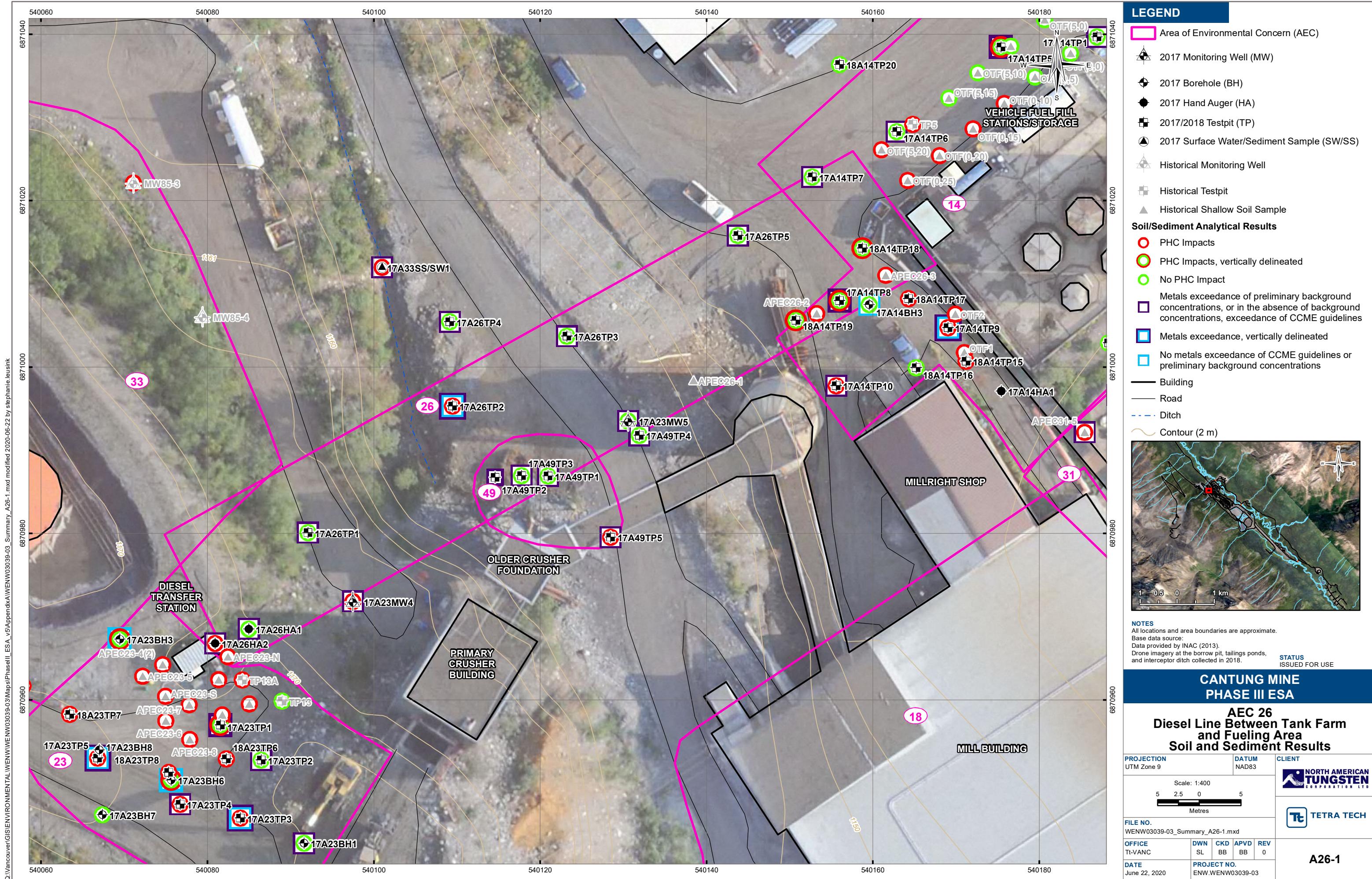
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Grainsize Analysis

N/A

AEC 26: Diesel Line Between Tank Farm and Fueling Area

Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Extending from Fuel Transfer Shed to Old Tank Farm	Leaks from fuel line	Soil	Soil: Metals, petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)
Discussion (Significance of Results)			
Soils: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The PHC impacts identified at 17A26TP2 have been horizontally delineated to northwest and northeast, and have also been delineated to southeast based on results of assessment conducted for AEC 49. Further, PHC affected area is bounded to southwest by mountain face. The PHC impacts have not been vertically delineated, however based on site observations PHC impacts appear to be limited to depth of 0.5 mbgs. ▪ The PHC impacts identified at 17A26HA2 are suspected to be associated with surface release at fuel transfer shed (AEC 23). These impacts have been horizontally delineated to southeast, northeast, and have been vertically delineated based on this assessment and assessment conducted for AEC 23. ▪ PAHs were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC. ▪ Based on current assessment results, maximum estimated depth of PHC impacts used to calculate contaminated soil volumes in affected area is 0.5 mbgs. ▪ Metals concentrations are generally high with multiple exceedances of both CCME CEQGs and preliminary background concentrations. 			
Further Assessment Requirements			
▪ None			
Attachments			
Figure A26-1 – Soil and Sediment Results Figure A26-2 – Groundwater contours, and nearby surface water and groundwater Results Table A26-1 – Soil Analytical Results Hand Auger and Test pit Logs Photographs			



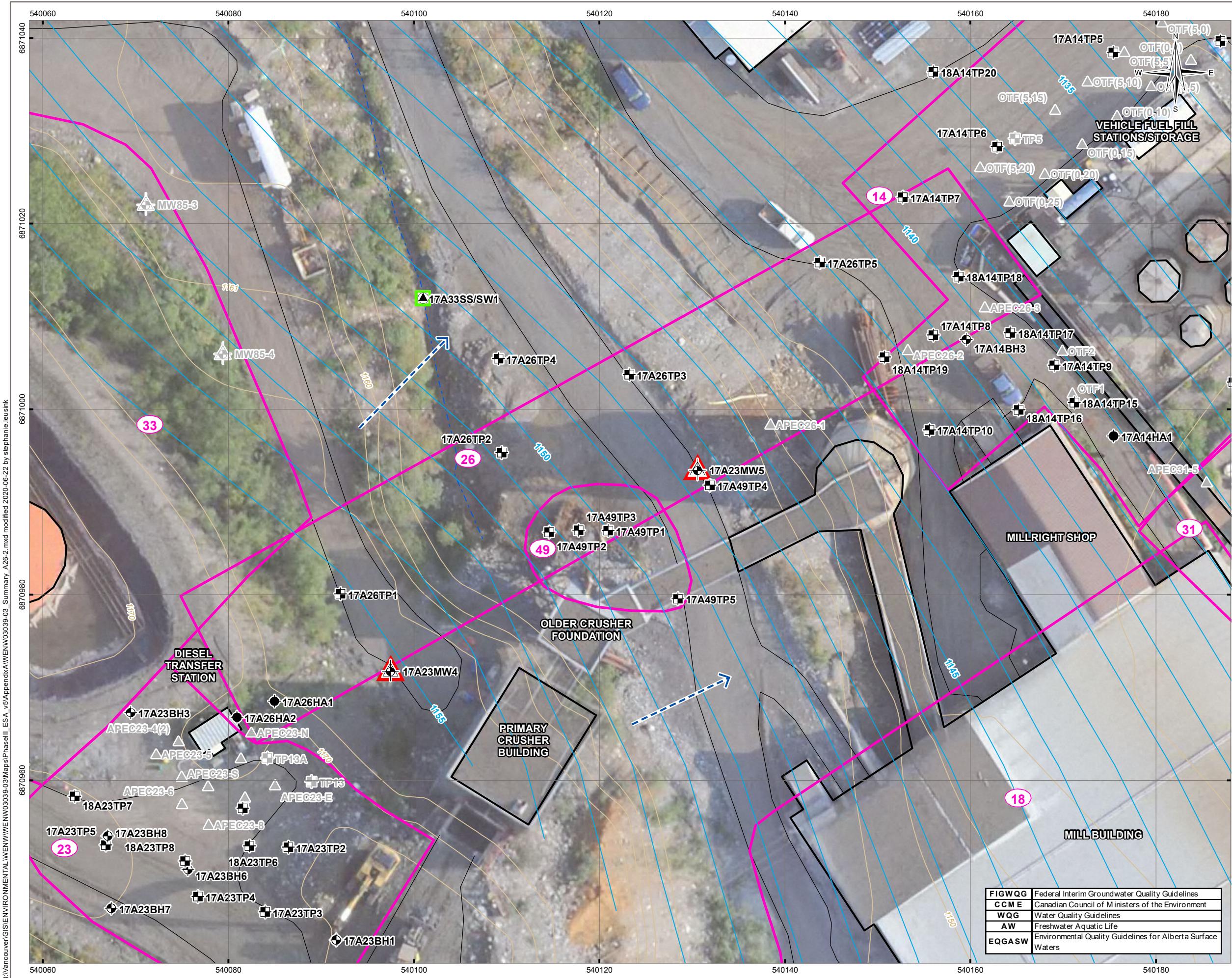
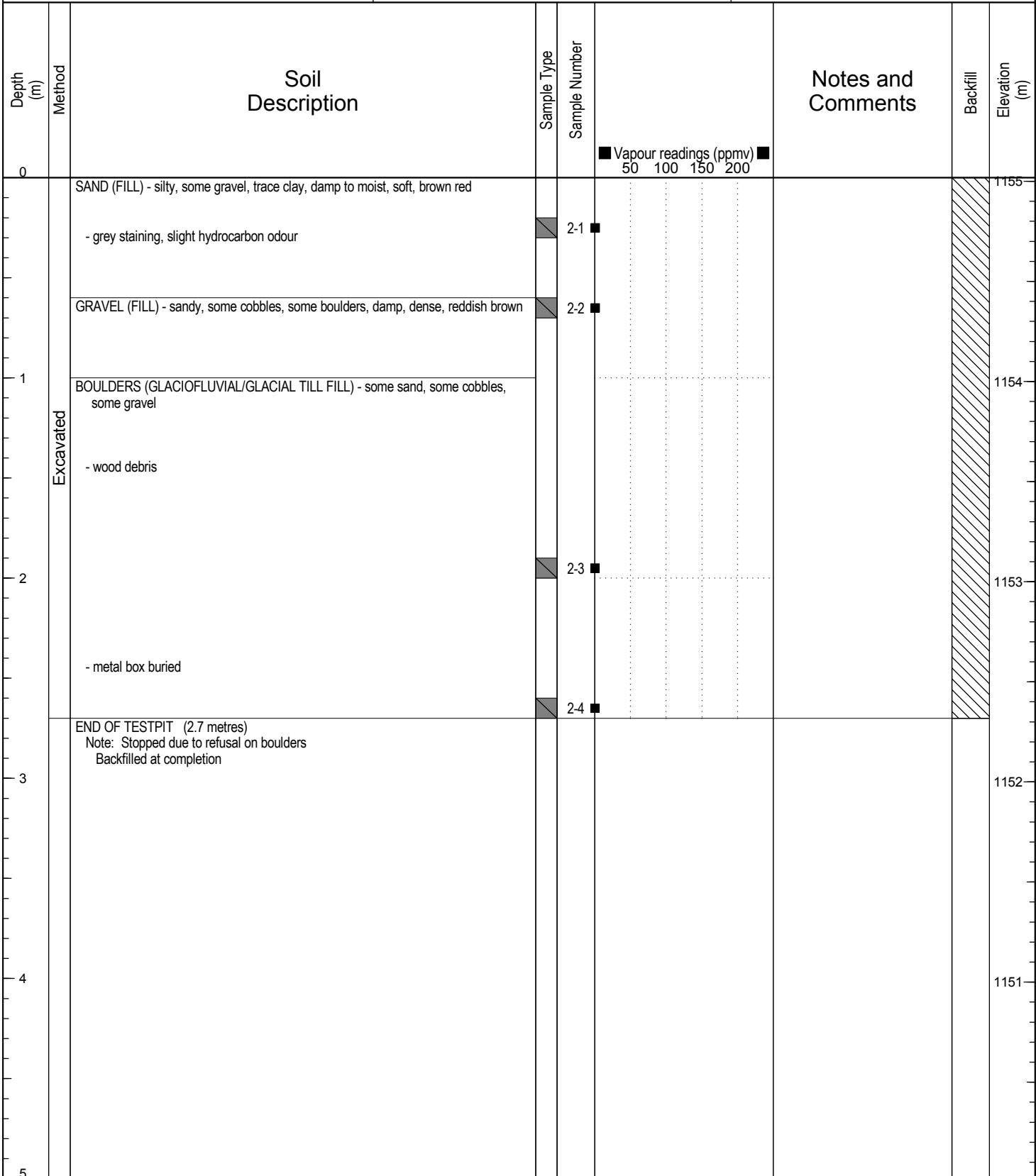


Table A26-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	Most Stringent of Referenced Guidelines ^{1,2,3}	Preliminary Background Concentration ⁴	A26									
				17A26HA1	17A26HA2	17A26TP1	17A26TP2		17A26TP3		17A26TP4	17A26TP5	
				0.25 m	0.25 m	0.3 m	0.3 m	2.0 m	0.35 m	1.0 m	0.25 m	0.25 m	
				9/13/2017	9/13/2017	9/12/2017	9/12/2017	9/12/2017	9/12/2017	9/12/2017	9/14/2017	9/15/2017	
Asbestos Fibres													
Asbestos fibres	%	NG		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyanide													
Cyanide (SAD)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyanide (WAD)	mg/kg	0.9	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Routine / Salinity													
pH	pH Units	6-8	NG	7.62	7.92	7.42	7.11	7.93	7.34	7.62	6.84	7.19	
Moisture	%	NG	NG	9.71	10.3	12.2	8.2	-	8.7	-	5.45	22.8	
Metals													
Antimony	mg/kg	20	NG	4.6	4.4	1.2	0.3	0.4	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.8	
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	29.4	20.1	25.2	5.2	24.1	31.4	21.9	7.4	69	
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	2000	2850	773	37.6	237	339	972	139	147	
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	NG	0.7	0.5	1.1	2.6	0.8	1.5	1.2	1.5		
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	3.3	3.05	1.26	6.22	0.54	6.18	1.93	3.78	1.15	
Chromium	mg/kg	64	NG	24	18	27	12	25	22	17	21	34	
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	NG	18.8	12.9	16	28.7	10.2	19.4	18.5	24.2	16.7	
Copper	mg/kg	63	NG	276	98.6	352	2020	52.3	909	417	1100	330	
Lead	mg/kg	70	NG	30.6	19.8	16.2	8.8	14	14.1	11	10.5	15	
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	NG	1.26	0.68	0.69	0.09	0.24	0.4	0.82	1.62	0.52	
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	7.8	7.2	2.9	3.6	1.5	3.2	3.6	6	5.3	
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	61.8	60.5	32.4	9	21.1	25	22.6	22.3	34.2	
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	2	1.5	1.5	6	0.5	2.2	1.5	3.7	2.3	
Silver	mg/kg	20	NG	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	1.3	<0.5	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.5	
Thallium	mg/kg	1	NG	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	
Tin	mg/kg	5	NG	2.6	0.8	1.5	6.4	1.1	3.7	2.8	5	2.8	
Uranium	mg/kg	23	NG	2.8	1.9	1.6	2.5	1.7	2.4	1.8	2.3	2.4	
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	85	94	50	14	35	44	38	22	53	
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	343	365	161	688	62	537	207	747	254	
Petroleum Hydrocarbons													
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-	<0.005	-	<0.005	<0.005	
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	NG	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	-	<0.01	-	<0.01	<0.01	
Xylenes (m & p)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	0.02	<0.02	<0.02	-	<0.02	-	<0.02	<0.02	
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	-	<0.02	-	<0.02	<0.02	
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Volatile Hydrocarbons (VH6-10)	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
F1 (C6-C10)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10	<10	<10	-	<10	-	<10	<10	
VPH C6-C10	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
F1 (C6-C10 / BTEX CORRECTED)	mg/kg	30	NG	<10	<10	<10	<10	-	<10	-	<10	<10	
F2 (C10-C16)	mg/kg	150	NG	<20	216	<20	<20	-	<20	-	<20	<20	
F3 (C16-C34)	mg/kg	300	NG	152	714	248	321	-	69	-	183	38	
F4: (C34-C50)	mg/kg	2800	NG	62	182	104	192	-	33	-	64	<20	
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)													
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	NG	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	<0.6	-	<0.6	-	<0.6	<0.6	
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
2-methylnaphthalene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-	<0.005	-	<0.005	<0.005	
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-	<0.005	-	<0.005	<0.005	
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-	<0.005	-	<0.005	<0.005	
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	NG	0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	-	<0.004	-	<0.004	<0.004	
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	-	<0.03	-	<0.03	<0.03	
Benz(a)pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	-	<0.03	-	<0.03	<0.03	
Benz(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Benz(b+j)fluoranthene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Benzo(e)pyrene	mg/kg	NG	NG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Chrysene	mg/kg	NG	NG	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	mg/kg												

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A26TP1</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1162.433 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540092.079 E; 6870980.118 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■		
					50 100 150 200		
Excavated		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, some cobbles, damp, soft, brown - red - wood and metal debris - some gravel, some cobbles, some boulders, no visible silt or debris - buried organics for 300 mm - weathered rock, extremely weak, black		1-1			1162
1				1-2			1161
2				1-3			1160
3		END OF TESTPIT (2.5 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion		1-4			1159
4							1158
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 12		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.	Testpit No: 17A26TP2				
	Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
	Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1155.018 m	
	Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540109.452 E; 6870995.319 N; Z 9	



TETRA TECH

Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 2.7 m
Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe	Start Date: 2017 September 12
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A26TP3				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1154.685 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540123.215 E; 6871003.709 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	
0		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace clay, damp to moist, soft, reddish brown - some cobbles, some boulders, damp, dense, reddish brown		3-1	Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200	
1	Excavated	BOULDERS (GLACIOFLUVIAL/GLACIAL TILL FILL) - sandy, some cobbles, some gravel - wood debris		3-2		1154
2		- buried wood debris		3-3		1153
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		3-4		1152
4						1151
5						1150
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 12	
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 12	
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TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A26TP4					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1155.021 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540109.121 E; 6871005.447 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, some cobbles, damp, soft, reddish brown, no visible staining, no discernible hydrocarbon odour, (300 mm thick)		4-1	■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		1155
	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some cobbles, some boulders, trace silt, damp, dense, brown, wood and metal debris, no visible staining, no discernible hydrocarbon odour					
1		END OF TESTPIT (1.0 metre) Note: Backfilled at completion					1154
2							1153
3							1152
4							1151
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 14		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 14		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A26TP5</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1145.614 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540143.761 E; 6871015.813 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace cobbles, damp, soft, reddish brown - trace organics, rootlets - gravelly, some cobbles, trace silt, trace boulders, no visible organics or rootlets, damp, dense, brown - some boulders		5-1	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
1	Excavated			5-2			1145
2		END OF TESTPIT (1.8 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		5-3			1144
3							1143
4							1142
5							1141
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.8 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 15		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 15		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A26HA1					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1169.117 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540084.977 E; 6870968.532 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
	Hand auger	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace rootlets, damp to moist, brown, trace oxides - trace to some cobbles		1-1			1169
		END OF HAND AUGER (0.6 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on cobbles Backfilled at completion		1-2			1168
1							1167
2							1166
3							1165
4							
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor:			Completion Depth: 0.6 m		
		Drilling Rig Type:			Start Date: 2017 September 13		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 13		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A26HA2					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1169.278 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540080.905 E; 6870966.797 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - some silt, some gravel, trace rootlets, damp, soft, brown, trace oxides, plastic debris - trace to some cobbles		2-1	50 100 150 200		
	Hand auger	END OF HAND AUGER (0.3 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on cobbles Backfilled at completion					1169
1							1168
2							1167
3							1166
4							1165
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor:			Completion Depth: 0.3 m		
		Drilling Rig Type:			Start Date: 2017 September 13		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 13		
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Photo 1: Facing west at diesel line from elevation of old tank farm and fueling area. Tank farm visible in background. (September 21, 2017)



Photo 2: Diesel line runs up the slope to the right towards tank farm.
(September 21, 2017)

AEC 27

AEC 27: Main Portal and Former Portal Fueling Area

Area Description					
Location	Southwest of Compressor Building/Backfill Plant				
Topography	Generally flat with slight slope to northeast				
Surface Drainage	Northeast				
Background	A former fuel aboveground storage tank and fueling area was located on north portion of area. There was significant historical mine vehicle traffic in and out of the main portal.				
Historical Assessment Information					
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA, 2009)	Number of surface soil samples		8		
	Number of soil samples analyzed for metals		8		
	Number of soil samples analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons		8		
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbons impacts		8		
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts		8		
Comments: All soil samples contained PHC impacts. The impacts were not delineated and groundwater was not assessed as part of study.					
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details					
Environmental Site Assessment Scope					
Utility Locate SOP followed?			Yes - power de-energized as mitigation in 2017		
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?			N/A		
Number of test pits advanced			7 (2017), 1 (2018)		
Number of boreholes advanced			1 (2017)		
Number of hand auger locations advanced			0		
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis			7 (2017), 1 (2018)		
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells			0		
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells			0		
Number of groundwater samples collected			N/A		
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected			N/A		
Geophysics Findings					
N/A					
Soil Investigation and Conditions					
Maximum Depth of Investigation	2.1 mbgs (September 11, 2017)				
General Stratigraphy					
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations		
Various intervals of silt, sand, gravel and cobbles	0	0.5	Fill soil. Buried asphalt slab observed in several test pits. PHC staining and/or odour observed in 17A27BH1, 17A27TP1 and 17A27TP2.		
Bedrock	0.5	2.1	-		
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVCs)					
Ranged from less than 10 parts per million by volume (ppmv) to 125 ppmv in sample 17A27BH1-1					

AEC 27: Main Portal and Former Portal Fueling Area

Groundwater Conditions	
Depth to Groundwater	Likely about 4 m as observed at nearby 17A17MW2 (Sept 28, 2017)
Free Product	N/A

2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary

- Figure A27-1 shows borehole and test pit locations.
- Figure A27-2 shows nearby groundwater sampling results at AEC 17.
- Table A27-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines and management limits.

General Site Observations

- No fuel aboveground storage tanks were observed in AEC.
- No surface stains were observed in area; although appears freshly graded.
- Shallow bedrock was observed in most test pits advanced.
- A discrete interval of stained soil or soil exhibiting PHC odour approximately 5 cm thick was observed in test pits 17A27BH1, 17A27TP1, and 17A27TP2 between surface and approximately 0.75 mbgs.
- Buried asphalt slab observed in several test pits.

Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC, PAHs)

2017

- Laboratory chemical results greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines for one or more of PHCs and PAHs with exception of:
 - Sample 17A27TP4-1 at depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs less than guidelines.

2018

- Test pit 18A27TP8 was excavated to delineate the western extent of the management limit exceedance previously identified at 2008 soil sample APEC17-10. The soil sample collected from test pit 18A27TP8 at a depth of 0.5 mbgs and tested for PHCs F2-F4 contained concentrations less than the management limits.

Soil: Metals

- Various metal concentrations exceeded CCME CEQGs including arsenic, cadmium, copper, molybdenum, selenium, and zinc.
- The following metals also exceeded preliminary background concentrations:
 - Cadmium (17A27TP1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A27TP6 at 0.2 mbgs).
 - Molybdenum (17A27TP1 at 0.25 and 0.75 mbgs).
 - Selenium (17A27TP1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A27TP6 at 0.2 mbgs).

Soil: Other PCOCs (Glycols)

- Laboratory results less than detection limits and guidelines.

Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A27BH1-1 at depth of 0.3 mbgs had pH value outside guideline range.

Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

N/A

Groundwater: Other PCOCs

N/A

Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Sediment: Metals

N/A

Sediment: Other PCOCs

N/A

AEC 27: Main Portal and Former Portal Fueling Area

Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

N/A

Surface Water: Other PCOCs

N/A

Grainsize Analysis

N/A

Environmental Concerns

Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Surface of whole area	Leaks, spills from former fuel storage. Leaks/spills from mine vehicles	Soil	Soil: <u>Metals</u> , <u>petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs)</u> , glycols, <u>polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)</u>

Discussion (Significance of Results)

Soils:

- The PHC affected area appears to be comprised of discrete intervals of stained soil or soil exhibiting PHC odour approximately 5 cm thick between surface and depth of approximately 0.75 mbgs. These shallow impacts appear to extend southeast to APEC 17.
- The bedrock at AEC is generally shallow (i.e., less than 1.5 mbgs).
- The AEC is bounded to northwest and southwest by mountain-face and as result, assessment locations cannot be extended further northwest and southwest from PHC affected area with standard methods (i.e., drilling or test pitting).
- The AEC is bounded to southeast by compressor building (AEC 17) that was also assessed and has similarly PHC affected soils.
- The PHC impacts exceeding the management limits have been horizontally delineated at AEC 27.
- Based on current assessment results, maximum estimated average depth of PHC and PAH impacts used to calculate contaminated soil volumes in affected area is 1.0 mbgs.
- Glycols were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC.
- Metals concentrations moderately high with some parameters exceeding background concentrations.
- In addition, copper in all samples exceeded CCME CEQG.

Attachments

Figure A27-1 – Soil and Sediment Results

Figure A27-2 – Groundwater Results from nearby AEC 17

Table A27-1 – Soil Analytical Results

Borehole and Test pit Logs

Photographs

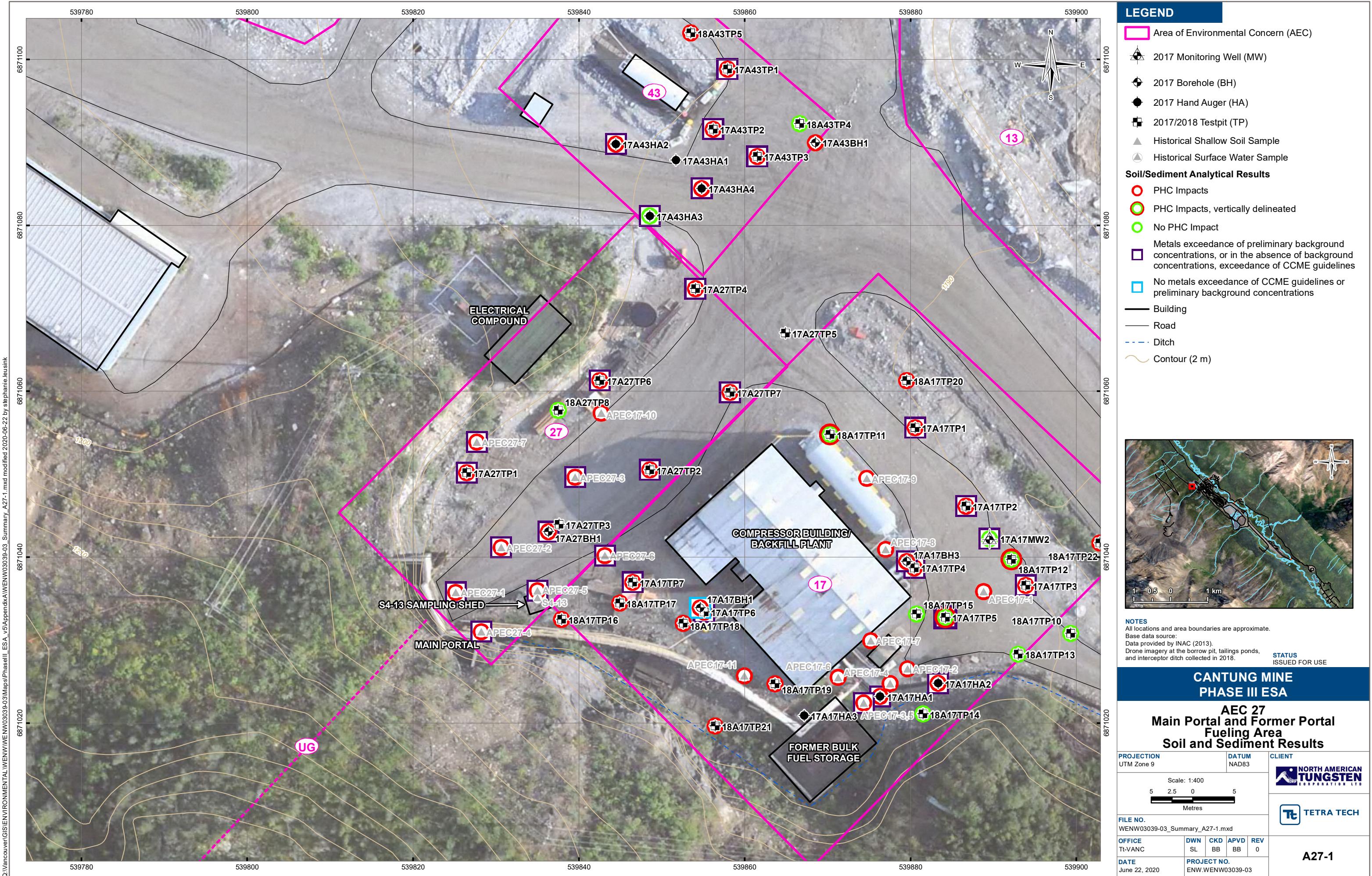




Table A27-1: Soil Analytical Results

Parameter	Unit	CCME ^{1,2} and NWT CSR ³	Background Concentration ⁴	Management Limits ⁵	AEC		AEC 27						
					Location	BH1	TP1	TP2	TP4	TP6	TP7	TP8-2	
						Sample Depth	0.3 m	0.25 m	0.75 m	0.20 m	0.25 m	0.5 m	
					Field ID	17A27BH1-1	17A27TP1-1	17A27TP1-2	17A27TP2-1	17A27TP4-1	17A27TP6-1	17A27TP7-1	18A27TP8-2
					Sample Date	17-Sep-2017	10-Sep-2017	10-Sep-2017	10-Sep-2017	11-Sep-2017	10-Sep-2017	10-Sep-2017	28-Jun-2018
					Laboratory Report Number	8742776	8721651	8721655	8721656	8721694	8721675	8721686	18Y357306
					Laboratory Sample ID	17Y263066	17Y260675	17Y260675	17Y260675	17Y260675	17Y260675	17Y260675	9372364
Physical Parameters													
pH	pH Units	6-8	-	-		8.45	7.54	7.56	7.72	7.53	7.99	7.54	-
Moisture	%	-	-	-		1.32	18.9	12.3	3.5	9.4	18.2	5.6	13.6
Metals													
Antimony	mg/kg	20	-	-		<0.1	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	-
Arsenic	mg/kg	12	64	-		1.1	5.8	11.2	4.1	17.6	12.5	5.3	-
Barium	mg/kg	500	946	-		59.9	89.1	119	156	277	134	193	-
Beryllium	mg/kg	4	-	-		0.8	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.8	1.5	1	-
Cadmium	mg/kg	1.4	2.8	-		0.31	3.29	2.65	0.95	0.79	3.85	1.47	-
Chromium	mg/kg	64	-	-		17	20	23	15	25	16	11	-
Cobalt	mg/kg	40	-	-		7.4	14.7	14.2	11.5	12.5	14.6	10.3	-
Copper	mg/kg	63	-	-		260	536	307	445	126	646	319	-
Lead	mg/kg	70	-	-		8.5	12.7	14.9	14.3	13.5	12.5	18.9	-
Mercury	mg/kg	6.6	-	-		0.13	2.24	1.49	1.45	0.62	2.33	1.36	-
Molybdenum	mg/kg	5	10	-		1.9	13.9	12.2	2.2	1.4	6.5	2.7	-
Nickel	mg/kg	45	72	-		13.7	14.6	21.6	12.6	25.5	13.6	12.1	-
Selenium	mg/kg	1	1.7	-		0.8	1.8	1.6	1.3	0.9	2	1.1	-
Silver	mg/kg	20	-	-		<0.5	0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	0.6	<0.5	-
Thallium	mg/kg	1	-	-		0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	-
Tin	mg/kg	5	-	-		2.7	4.8	3.1	3.3	1.4	3.8	2.4	-
Uranium	mg/kg	23	-	-		4.5	3.2	2.8	1.9	1.5	2.4	1.7	-
Vanadium	mg/kg	130	160	-		39	28	38	23	36	23	19	-
Zinc	mg/kg	200	462	-		48	371	269	116	105	385	159	-
Petroleum Hydrocarbons													
Benzene	mg/kg	0.03	-	-		0.012	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-
Toluene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
Ethylbenzene	mg/kg	0.082	-	-		0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	-
Xylene (m)	mg/kg	-	-	-		0.03	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	-
Xylene (o)	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	<0.02	-
Xylenes Total	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
F1 (C ₆ -C ₁₀)	mg/kg	30	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
F1 (C ₆ -C ₁₀) - BTEX	mg/kg	30	-	700		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
F2 (C ₁₀ -C ₁₄)	mg/kg	150	-	1000		23	79	24	175	<20	24	127	<20
F3 (C ₁₆ -C ₂₀)	mg/kg	300	-	2500		187	2480	392	1970	262	384	2100	235
F4 (C ₂₄ -C ₃₀)	mg/kg	2800	-	10,000		1260	1800	973	504	171	112	322	56
Glycols													
Diethylene glycol	mg/kg	-	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
Ethylene glycol	mg/kg	960	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
Propylene glycol	mg/kg	-	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
Tetraethylene Glycol	mg/kg	-	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
Triethylene Glycol	mg/kg	-	-	-		<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	-
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)													
B(a)P Total Potency Equivalent	mg/kg	0.6	-	-		<0.05	<0.5	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
IACR (CCME)	mg/kg	1	-	-		0.6	<6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	-
Acenaphthene	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-
Acenaphthylene	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	-
Anthracene	mg/kg	2.5	-	-		<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	<0.04	-
Benz(a)anthracene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.03	<0.3	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	-
Benzo(a) pyrene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.03	<0.3	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	-
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.05	<0.5	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
Benzo(b+)fluoranthene	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.05	0.5	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
Benzo(j)fluoranthene	mg/kg	-	-	-		<0.05	0.5	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	-
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	mg/kg	0.1	-	-		<0.05	<0.5	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	&	

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		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1191.203 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539836.317 E; 6871043.093 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		
1	Sonic	SAND (FILL) - gravelly, trace to some silt, dry, brown, (150 mm thick) ASPHALT - (100 mm thick) SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - trace to some silt, occasional cobble, brown, slight hydrocarbon odour - no discernible hydrocarbon odour BEDROCK		1-1	■		1191
2		END OF BOREHOLE (1.50 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1190
3							1189
4							1188
5							1187
6							1186
7							1185
8							1184
9							1183
10							1182
11							1181
12							1180
13							1179
14							1178
15							1177
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 1.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 17		
		Logged By: MG			Completion Date: 2017 September 17		
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		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1191.458 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539826.47 E; 6871050.199 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		Elevation (m)
Excavated		GRAVEL (FILL) - moist, dense, grey, (50 mm thick) CLAY (FILL) - some silt, trace sand, trace gravel, damp, grey, slight hydrocarbon odour, (250 mm thick) ASPHALT - (150 mm thick) CLAY (FILL) - gravelly, some sand, some silt, damp to moist, low plastic, brown, trace oxides BEDROCK - no visible staining, no discernible odour END OF TESTPIT (1.5 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		1-1 1-2			1191
1							1190
2							1189
3							1188
4							1187
5							1186
6							1185
7							1184
8							1183
9							1182
10							1181
11							1180
12							1179
13							1178
14							1177
15							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 10		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 10		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A27TP2							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1190.938 m					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 539848.539 E; 6871050.54 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments			
0	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp to moist, brownish grey, (100 mm thick)			■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200				
		ASPHALT - (50 mm thick)		2-1	■				
1		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, trace silt, damp, hard, grey, hydrocarbon staining, moderate hydrocarbon odour - no visible staining, no discernible hydrocarbon odour		2-2	■				
2		BEDROCK END OF TESTPIT (0.6 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion							
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
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11									
12									
13									
14									
15									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.6 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 10				
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 10				
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TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A27TP3					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1191.251 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539837.596 E; 6871043.951 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
1	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, moist, dense, grey, (200 mm thick) ASPHALT END OF TESTPIT (0.2 metres) Note: Stopped due to auger refusal on asphalt Backfilled at completion		3-2 3-1			1191
2							1190
3							1189
4							1188
5							1187
6							1186
7							1185
8							1184
9							1183
10							1182
11							1181
12							1180
13							1179
14							1178
15							1177
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.2 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 10		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 10		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A27TP4					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1191.094 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539854.085 E; 6871072.383 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		Elevation (m)
1	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, trace clay, damp, dense, grey, no visible staining, no discernible hydrocarbon odour - red staining COBBLES (FILL) - some gravel, trace to some sand, damp, dense, brown SILT (FILL) - some gravel, trace to some cobbles, trace sand, stiff, low plastic, brown - 200 mm thick sand lens - damp, brown, medium sand, on one side of testpit - buried organics COBBLES - some gravel, trace boulders, trace sand, damp, dense, brownish grey END OF TESTPIT (2.1 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		4-1 4-2 4-4 4-3			1191
2							1190
3							1189
4							1188
5							1187
6							1186
7							1185
8							1184
9							1183
10							1182
11							1181
12							1180
13							1179
14							1178
15							1177
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 2.1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 11		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 11		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A27TP5</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1190.613 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539864.912 E; 6871067.033 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		
1	Excavated	SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - some silt, some cobbles, trace clay, damp, dense, brown, trace oxides BEDROCK END OF TESTPIT (0.2 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on bedrock Backfilled at completion		5-1			1190
2							1189
3							1188
4							1187
5							1186
6							1185
7							1184
8							1183
9							1182
10							1181
11							1180
12							1179
13							1178
14							1177
15							1176
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.2 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 11		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 11		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Borehole No: 17A27TP6</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1191.148 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 539842.537 E; 6871061.29 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		Elevation (m)
Excavated		SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - some silt, moist, dense, grey, (300 mm thick) - broken rock - some oxides		6-1			1191
		BEDROCK					1190
		END OF TESTPIT (0.3 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on bedrock Backfilled at completion					1189
1							1188
2							1187
3							1186
4							1185
5							1184
6							1183
7							1182
8							1181
9							1180
10							1179
11							1178
12							1177
13							
14							
15							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.3 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 11		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 11		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A27TP7							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1190.813 m					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 539858.222 E; 6871059.866 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments			
0	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, moist, dense, grey, (200 mm thick) COBBLES (FILL) - some gravel, trace to some sand, damp, dense, light brown		■ Vapour readings (ppmv)	50 100 150 200				
1	Excavated	BEDROCK END OF TESTPIT (0.6 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal on bedrock Backfilled at completion		7-1 7-2				
2									
3									
4									
5									
6									
7									
8									
9									
10									
11									
12									
13									
14									
15									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.6 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 10				
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 10				
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1				



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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A27TP8			
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1191.163 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories		UTM: 539839.3 E; 6871059.05 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400
0.2	Excavated	GRAVEL AND SAND (FILL) - some cobbles, well graded, moist, light brown, fine to coarse angular gravel		8-1	
0.4				8-2	
0.6		END OF TESTPIT (0.50 metres) Location: 4 m west of 2008 soil sample APEC17-10 Note: Stopped due to refusal on bedrock Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018			
0.8					
1.0					
1.2					
1.4					
1.5					
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 0.5 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe		Start Date: 2018 June 28	
		Logged By: BB		Completion Date: 2018 June 28	
		Reviewed By: SS		Page 1 of 1	



Photo 1: Drilling in front of main portal.
(September 17, 2017)



Photo 2: Panorama of main portal and former fuel area.
(September 17, 2017)



Photo 3: Main Portal visible in centre of photo. Photo provided by NATC.
(August 13, 2013)

AEC 31

AEC 31: Between Tungsten Concentrate Storage and Mill Buildings

Area Description	
Location	Adjacent northeast of the Mill Building including the Tungsten Concentrate Storage Building
Topography Surface Drainage	Generally flat with a slight slope to the northeast.
Surface Drainage	Northeast
Background	Chemical storage area adjacent to the mill with loading and unloading bays. Numerous reported surface spills of industrial chemicals and metals from forklift traffic.
Historical Assessment Information	
Phase II Environmental Site Assessment (EBA, 2008)	Number of surface soil samples:
	5
	Number of soil samples analyzed for metals:
	5
	Number of soil samples analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons:
	5
	Number of soil samples with metal impacts:
	5
	Number of soil samples with petroleum hydrocarbons impacts:
	3
Comments: Shallow surfaces soil samples collected contained PHC and metal impacts. The soil impacts were not delineated and groundwater was not assessed as part of the study.	
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Details	
Environmental Site Assessment Scope	
Utility Locate SOP followed?	Yes
EM 31 Geophysics Complete?	Yes
Number of test pits advanced	7 (2017), 3 (2018)
Number of boreholes advanced	1 (2017)
Number of hand auger locations advanced	2 (2017)
Number of soil samples submitted for laboratory chemical analysis	14 (2017), 8 (2018)
Number of boreholes completed as groundwater monitoring wells	0
Number of historical groundwater monitoring wells	0
Number of groundwater samples collected	0
Number of sediment and surface soil samples collected	2 (2017)
Geophysics (EM 31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity) Findings	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Survey was completed from the Powerhouse (AEC 32) to the Heavy Duty Maintenance Shop Building (AEC 16) (see Figure A31-2). ▪ Background apparent terrain conductivity values generally between 5 to 20 mS/m (represented by cool colours on Figure A31-2). ▪ Areas of higher-than-background apparent terrain conductivity values indicated by the warm colours shown on Figure A31-2). ▪ Areas with data affected by buried cables and utilidors marked with a thick black rectangle. ▪ Areas with negative and higher than background apparent terrain conductivity values are consistent with data caused by surface metals and utilities. ▪ Negative (pink) apparent terrain conductivity values near Borehole 17A31BH1 and 17A31TP3 are possibly caused by concrete made with rebar on the surface. ▪ Conductive (red) values near Test pit 17A31TP2 are possibly caused by surface metal or conductive pore fluids due to leaching. 	
Soil Investigation and Conditions	
Maximum Depth of Investigation	9.1 mbgs (September 23, 2017)

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General Stratigraphy						
Description	Depth from (mbgs)	Depth to (mbgs)	Observations			
Surface gravel overlying Sand with varying amounts of gravel and silt	0	8.5	Fill soil. Petroleum hydrocarbon staining and odour observed throughout this layer. Possible tailings observed in 17A31TP3 and 17A31TP5.			
Silt with a trace of gravel and cobbles	7.9	9.1	-			
Combustible Vapour Concentrations (CVC)						
Shallow Soil Samples: Ranged from less than 10 parts per million by volume (ppmv) to 634 ppmv in soil sample 18A31TP9-3.						
Deep Soil Samples: Ranged from less than 10 ppmv to 216.2 ppmv at 17A31BH1-2.						
Groundwater Conditions						
Depth to Groundwater	N/A					
Free Product	N/A					
2017/2018 Environmental Site Assessment Results Summary						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Figure A31-1 shows the borehole, test pit, and hand auger locations. ▪ Figure A31-2 shows the EM31 apparent terrain conductivity survey. ▪ Table A31-1 summarizes soil lab results relative to guidelines and management limits. 						
Soil: Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHCs, PAHs)						
2017						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Laboratory results all less than the CCME/CSR guidelines with exception of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Sample 17A31BH1-1 at a depth of 4.3 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31BH1-2 at a depth of 7.3 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31HA2-1 at a depth of 0.25 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F2. – Sample 17A31TP1-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. This soil sample also exceeded the management limits for PHC F2. – Sample 17A31TP1-4 at a depth of 3.2 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP2-4 at a depth of 3.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP3-2 at a depth of 0.5 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP4-1 at a depth of 0.3 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP5-4 at a depth of 3.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP6-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs contained PHCs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. – Sample 17A31TP7-1 at a depth of 0.9 mbgs contained PHCs and PAHs greater than the CCME/CSR guidelines. 						
2018						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Test pits 18A31TP8 and 18A31TP10 were excavated at approximately 4 m and 15 m step-out distances, respectively, from 17A31HA2 to delineate the PHC management limit exceedance found at 0.25 mbgs. Both soil samples tested from 18A31TP8 contained PHC F2 concentrations greater than the management limits. None of the two samples tested at 18A31TP10 exceeded the management limits. ▪ Test pit 18A31TP9 was excavated to delineate management limit exceedances identified in the 2008 Phase II ESA at sample locations APEC11A-W, APEC11A-1B, APEC11A-N, APEC11A-E and APEC11-2 located between the powerhouse and the mill building. All three of the soil samples tested from 18A31TP9 contained PHC F2 concentrations greater than the management limits. 						
Soil: Metals						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Metals concentrations were generally high, especially in samples collected near surface. ▪ Metals concentrations in samples from 17A31BH1 below 4.3 mbgs were low. 						

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- Various metals exceeded CCME CEQGs including arsenic, barium, cadmium, cobalt, copper, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, tin, vanadium, and zinc.
- The following metals also exceeded the preliminary background concentrations:
 - Barium (17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP2 at 3.0 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs).
 - Cadmium (17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP2 at 1.0 and 3.0 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs).
 - Molybdenum (17A31HA1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs).
 - Nickel (17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs).
 - Selenium (17A31HA1 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A31HA2 at 0.25 mbgs, 17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP2 at 1.0 mbgs, 17A31TP3 at 0.5 mbgs, 17A31TP4 at 3.0 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs, 17A31TP7 at 0.9 mbgs).
 - Zinc (17A31TP1 at 1.0 and 3.2 mbgs, 17A31TP2 at 1.0 mbgs, 17A31TP6 at 1.0 mbgs).

Soil: Other PCOCs (glycols, VOCs)

- Laboratory chemical results less than detection limits and guidelines with the exception of the following:
 - 1,2,4 Trichlorobenzene at 17A31BH1 at 4.3 mbgs.

Soil: Routine (pH)

- Laboratory results within the CCME/CSR guidelines with exception of:
 - Sample 17A31BH1-3 at a depth of 8.5 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A31TP2-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.
 - Sample 17A31TP5-4 at a depth of 3.0 mbgs had a pH value outside the CCME/CSR guideline range.

Groundwater: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Groundwater: Metals/Routine Parameters

N/A

Groundwater: Other PCOCs

N/A

Sediment: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Sediment: Metals

N/A

Sediment: Other PCOCs

N/A

Surface Water: Petroleum Hydrocarbons

N/A

Surface Water: Metals/Nutrients

N/A

Surface Water: Other PCOCs

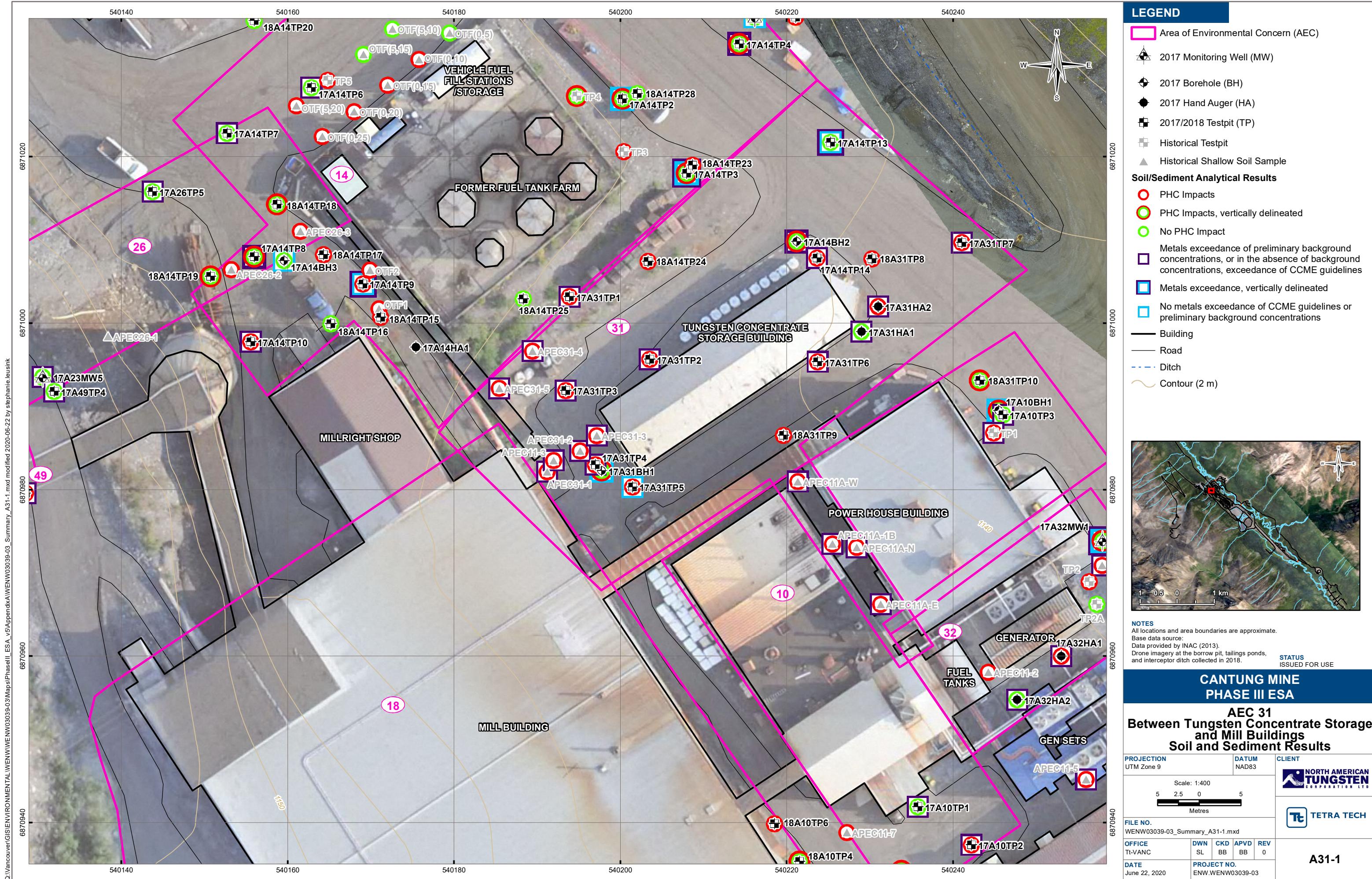
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Grainsize Analysis

- Soil sample 17A31BH1-1 at a depth of 4.3 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (57% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A31BH1-3 at a depth of 8.5 mbgs classified as fine-grained (14% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A31TP6-2 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (92% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 17A31TP7-1 at a depth of 0.9 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (77% >75 µm).
- Soil sample 18A31TP10-3 at a depth of 1.0 mbgs classified as coarse-grained (76% >75 µm).

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Environmental Concerns			
Location in AEC	Potential Source(s)	Identified Contaminated Media	Parameters Assessed and Contaminant(s) of Concern (COCs; bold & underline)
Between the northeast corner of Mill and Tungsten Concentrate Storage Building. Northeast end of Tungsten Concentrate Storage Building	Fuel, glycol and other chemical releases	Soil	Soil: <u>Metals</u> , <u>petroleum hydrocarbons (PHCs)</u> , <u>glycols</u> , <u>polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)</u> , <u>volatile organic compounds (VOCs)</u> ,
Discussion (Significance of the Results)			
Soils:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ PHC impacts were identified surrounding the Tungsten Concentration Building that appear to extend from surface to depths ranging from 6 to 8 mbgs. ▪ Two areas of PHC soil contamination were found to exceed the management limits. The horizontal extents of the area immediately east of the Tungsten Concentration Building has been delineated except to the northwest. The area between the Mill Building, Tungsten Concentration Building and Powerhouse has been delineated to the north and south only. For both areas, the estimated depth of PHC impacts greater than the management limits used to calculate the contaminated soil volume is 1.0 mbgs. ▪ The deep PHC impacts measured in borehole 17A31BH1 was vertically delineated. ▪ The deep VOC (i.e., 1,2,4 trichlorobenzene) impact measured in borehole 17A31BH1 was not vertically delineated, however based on the PHC results the impacts are likely limited to a depth of approximately 8.0 mbgs. ▪ Glycols were not detected and are no longer considered PCOCs in soil at this AEC. ▪ Metals concentrations were observed to be generally high, especially in shallow samples, with multiple exceedances of both CCME CEQGs and preliminary background concentrations. 			
Attachments			
Figure A31-1 – Soil and Sediment Results Figure A31-2 – AEC 31 Between Tungsten Concentrate Storage Building and Mill Buildings EM31 Apparent Terrain Conductivity Survey Table A31-1 – Soil Analytical Results Borehole, Test pit and Hand Auger Logs Photographs			



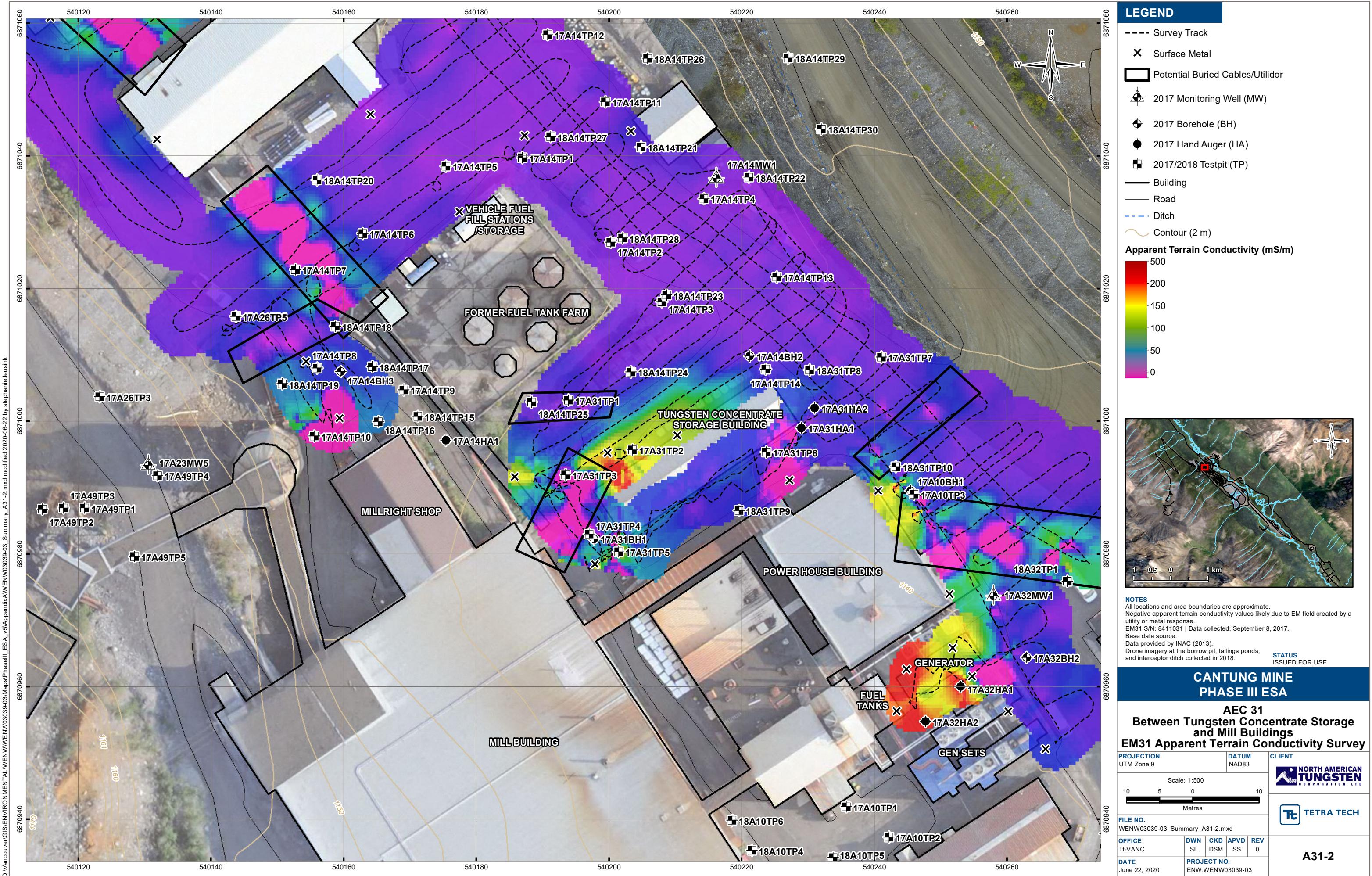


Table A31-1: Soil Analytical Results

¹ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canada-Wide Standards (CWS) for Petroleum Hydrocarbons (PHC) in Soil (CCME 2008), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils

² Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) Canadian Environmental Quality Guidelines (CEQG) - Canadian Soil Quality Guidelines for the Protection of Environmental and Human Health (CCME 1999), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland soils
³ Northwest Territories Environmental Guideline for Contaminated Site Remediation (NWT CSR 2002), for coarse textured soils under Agricultural and Residential/Parkland land uses

⁴ Preliminary Background Concentrations

⁵ Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) (2008). Canada

BOLD - Exceeds most stringent CCME or NWT CSR standard

Red - Exceeds Preliminary Background Concen

Shaded - Exceeds Management Limits

Italic - Laboratory detection limit is greater than one or more referenced guideli

"—" Not analyzed or no applicable standard/guideline

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Borehole No: 17A31BH1							
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6				
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1141.681 m					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540197.732 E; 6870982.29 N; Z 9			
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description		Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments			
0	Sonic	SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, brown - black, hydrocarbon odour for 160 mm				■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200			
1		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, damp, brown, hydrocarbon odour							
2		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, trace silt, trace cobbles, brown, fine to coarse sand, hydrocarbon odour							
3									
4		SAND AND SILT (POSSIBLE TAILINGS) - damp, light brown, hydrocarbon odour							
5		SAND - gravelly, some silt, trace cobbles, damp, brown, hydrocarbon odour - silty, some gravel, wet, some black staining - some silt, fine to coarse sand				43% particles <75 µm (i.e. smaller than sand particle)			
6									
7		- black staining							
8		SAND - trace silt, trace cobbles, wet, brown				86% particles <75 µm (i.e. smaller than sand particle)			
9									
10		END OF BOREHOLE (9.10 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion							
11									
12									
13									
14									
15									
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: Boart Longyear			Completion Depth: 9.1 m				
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Mounted			Start Date: 2017 September 23				
		Logged By: MH			Completion Date: 2017 September 23				
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1				



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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A31TP1</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1142.478 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540193.883 E; 6871003.182 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, trace clay, damp, soft, brown, buried pipe debris		1-1	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
1	Excavated	- grey black staining, hydrocarbon odour		1-2		551 ■	1142
2		- buried organics, wood debris		1-3	■		1141
3		SAND - some gravel, trace silt, trace cobbles, damp, loose, brown, coarse sand		1-4	■		1140
4		END OF TESTPIT (3.2 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1139
5							1138
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3.2 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Track Excavator			Start Date: 2017 September 16		
		Logged By: MH/NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 16		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A31TP2</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1141.303 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540203.539 E; 6870995.673 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Elevation (m)
0		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, trace silt, trace cobbles, damp, dense, grey, wood debris		2-1	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		
1	Excavated	SAND (POSSIBLE TAILINGS) - some silt, trace to some gravel, trace cobbles, damp, soft, reddish brown, fine sand		2-2	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		1141
1.5		- some gravel, trace silt, no visible cobbles, grey, medium sand		2-3	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		1140
2		- medium to coarse sand		2-4	■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200		1139
2.5							
3		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					1138
4							1137
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 22		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 22		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A31TP3					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1141.664 m		
Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540193.437 E; 6870991.918 N; Z 9					
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		
	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - some silt, some sand, trace cobbles, damp, dense, brown, wire debris, plastic, wood, angular gravel		3-1	■		
		CONCRETE END OF TESTPIT (0.50 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion		3-2	■		
1							1141
2							1140
3							1139
4							1138
5							1137
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 0.5 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 22		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 22		
		Reviewed By: JW			Page 1 of 1		

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A31TP4					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540197 E; 6870983 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments		Backfill Depth (ft)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 100 150 200		0
0	Excavated	GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, damp, dense, grey, wood debris, (300 mm thick) - reddish brown CONCRETE END OF TESTPIT (0.3 metres) Note: Stopped due to refusal Backfilled at completion		4-1			
1							1
2							2
3							3
4							4
5							5



TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		Testpit No: 17A31TP5				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment		Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6		
		Location: Cantung Mine		Ground Elev: 1141.349 m		
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories		UTM: 540201.463 E; 6870980.336 N; Z 9		
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	
0	Excavated	SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, damp, dense, grey, coarse sand - black staining, moderate hydrocarbon odour		5-1	■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 50 ■ 100 ■ 150 ■ 200	
1		GRAVEL (FILL) - sandy, some silt, some cobbles, damp, dense, grey, subangular gravel, hydrocarbon staining and odour		5-2	■	
2		SAND (POSSIBLE TAILINGS) - trace to some gravel, trace silt, damp, soft, grey, fine sand, slight hydrocarbon odour - moderate hydrocarbon odour		5-3	■	
3				5-4	■	
4		END OF TESTPIT (3.0 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion				
5						
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 3 m	
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 22	
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 22	
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A31TP7</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment				Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540241.07 E; 6871009.676 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Depth (ft)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		0
Excavated		SAND (FILL) - silty, some gravel, damp, dense, brown, (300 mm thick)					
		GRAVEL (GLACIAL TILL FILL) - sandy, some cobbles, trace silt, damp, dense, brown					
1		- silty - grey black hydrocarbon staining, hydrocarbon odour	7-1			23% particles <75 µm (i.e. smaller than sand particle)	
		END OF TESTPIT (1.1 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					
2							
3							
4							
5							
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC			Completion Depth: 1.1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Rubber Tire backhoe			Start Date: 2017 September 22		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 22		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A31HA1</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment				Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540229 E; 6870999 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Depth (ft)
0		SAND (FILL) - gravelly, some silt, moist, brown, fine gravel, (250 mm thick) (CONCRETE PAD) END OF HAND AUGER (0.25 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion		1-1	50 100 150 200		0
1	Hand auger						1
2							2
3							3
4							4
5							5
 TETRA TECH		Contractor:			Completion Depth: 0.25 m		
		Drilling Rig Type:			Start Date: 2017 September 22		
		Logged By: NH			Completion Date: 2017 September 22		
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North American Tungsten Corporation Ltd.		<h1>Testpit No: 17A31HA2</h1>					
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment				Project No: ENW.WENW03039-02 Task 002.2.2.6	
		Location: Cantung Mine					
		Tungsten, Northwest Territories				UTM: 540231 E; 6871002 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Notes and Comments	Backfill Depth (ft)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) 50 100 150 200		0
	Hand auger	SILT (FILL) - some sand, some gravel, damp, orangey brown, fine gravel, (220 mm thick)					
		SAND (FILL) - some gravel, trace to some silt, damp, grey and black, strong hydrocarbon odour	■	2-1	■		
		END OF HAND AUGER (0.35 metres) Note: Backfilled at completion					
1							1
2							2
3							3
4							4
5							5
		Contractor:				Completion Depth: 0.35 m	
		Drilling Rig Type:				Start Date: 2017 September 22	
		Logged By: NH				Completion Date: 2017 September 22	
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TETRA TECH

North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A31TP8				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1140.014 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540230.26 E; 6871007.721 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0					■ 100 200 300 400 ■	
		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, moist, brown, fine to coarse subangular gravel, (100 mm thick)				1140.0
0.2		SAND AND GRAVEL (FILL) - some cobbles, well graded, moist, brown to grey, fine to coarse sand, fine to coarse subangular gravel, subangular cobbles to 250 mm diameter		8-1	■	1139.8
0.4		- hydrocarbon odour		8-2	■	1139.6
0.6						1139.4
0.8						1139.2
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 3 m from east side of tungsten concentrate storage building, 4 m northwest of sample 17A31HA2 Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		8-3	■	1139.0
1.2						1138.8
1.4						1138.6
1.5						



TETRA TECH

Contractor: NATC	Completion Depth: 1 m
Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe	Start Date: 2018 July 2
Logged By: BB	Completion Date: 2018 July 2
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A31TP9				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1143.05 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540219.611 E; 6870986.537 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Notes and Comments	Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400	
0.2		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, damp, light brown, fine to coarse subangular gravel, (250 mm thick)				1143.0
0.4		SAND AND GRAVEL - trace cobbles, well graded, moist, grey, fine to coarse sand, fine to coarse subangular gravel, subrounded cobbles to 150 mm diameter, hydrocarbon odour		9-1	529	1142.8
0.6				9-2	■	1142.6
0.8				9-3	634	1142.4
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: Between tungsten storage and powerhouse buildings Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018				1142.0
1.2						1141.8
1.4						1141.6
1.5						
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe		Start Date: 2018 July 2		
		Logged By: BB		Completion Date: 2018 July 2		
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North American Tungsten Corp.		Testpit No: 18A31TP10				
		Project: Phase III Environmental Site Assessment			Project No: ENW.WENW03039-03	
		Location: Cantung Mine			Ground Elev: 1139.525 m	
		Cantung, Northwest Territories			UTM: 540243.225 E; 6870993.132 N; Z 9	
Depth (m)	Method	Soil Description	Sample Type	Sample Number	Vapour readings (ppmv)	Elevation (m)
0					■ Vapour readings (ppmv) ■ 100 200 300 400	
0.0		GRAVEL (FILL) - some sand, well graded, moist, light brown, medium angular gravel, (150 mm thick)				
0.2		SAND - gravelly, some cobbles, well graded, moist, brown, fine to coarse sand, fine to coarse subangular gravel		10-1	■	1139.4
0.4						1139.2
0.6						1139.0
0.8						1138.8
1.0		END OF TESTPIT (1.00 metre) Location: 4 m northeast from northern corner of powerhouse, >5 m from high voltage line Note: Testpit location surveyed by Tetra Tech on August 28, 2018		10-2	■	1138.6
1.2						1138.4
1.4						1138.2
1.5						1138.0
 TETRA TECH		Contractor: NATC		Completion Depth: 1 m		
		Drilling Rig Type: Backhoe		Start Date: 2018 July 2		
		Logged By: BB		Completion Date: 2018 July 2		
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Photo 1: Facing south between Power House Building and Tungsten Concentrate Storage Building. Mill Building is visible on the right. (September 20, 2017)



Photo 2: Panorama of Mill Building. Concentrate building (white) visible on left.
(September 5, 2017)



Photo 3: Facing northwest at 17A31TP1. Old Tank Farm in background.
(September 16, 2017)



Photo 4: 17A31TP5 (September 22, 2017)