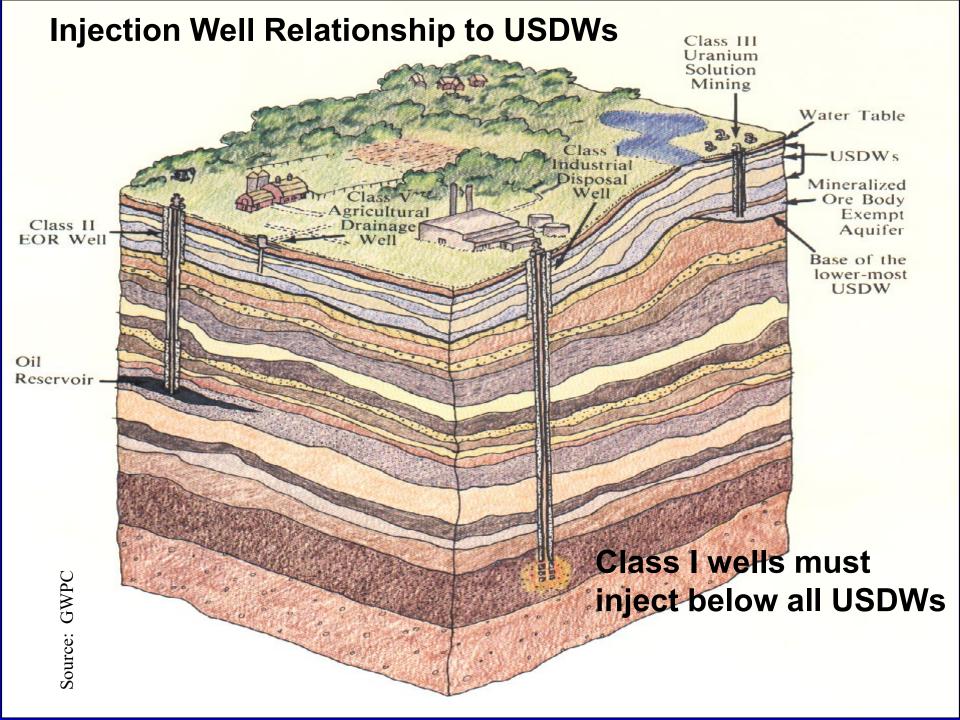
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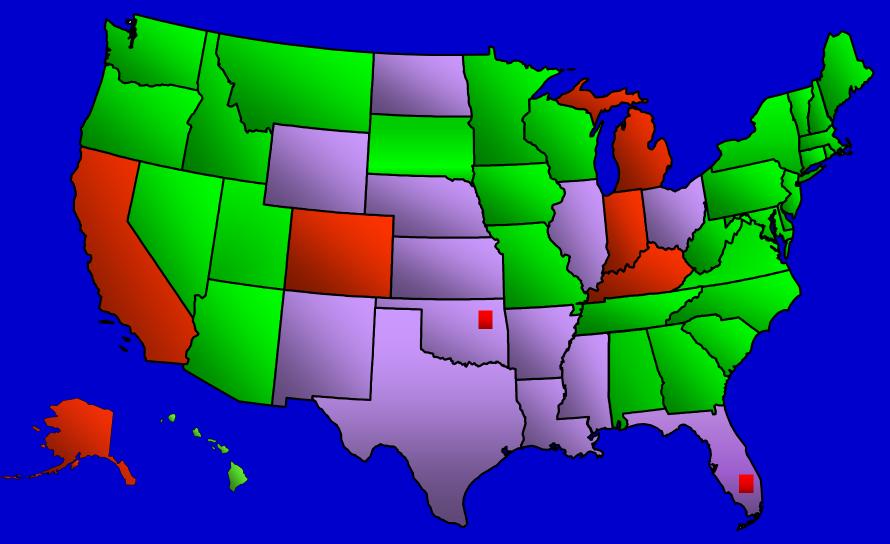
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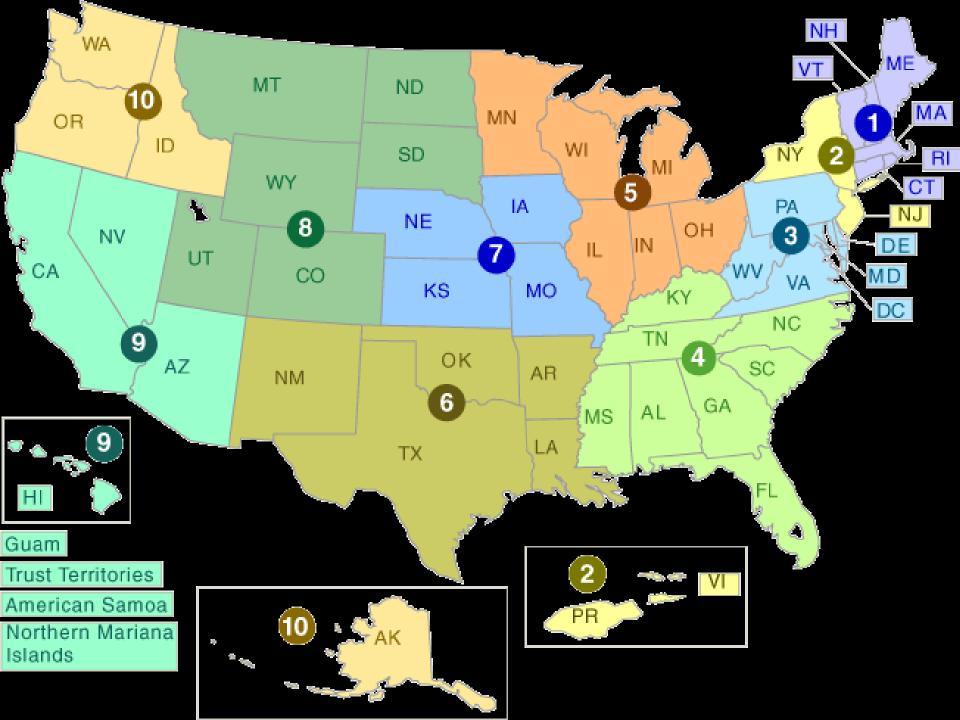




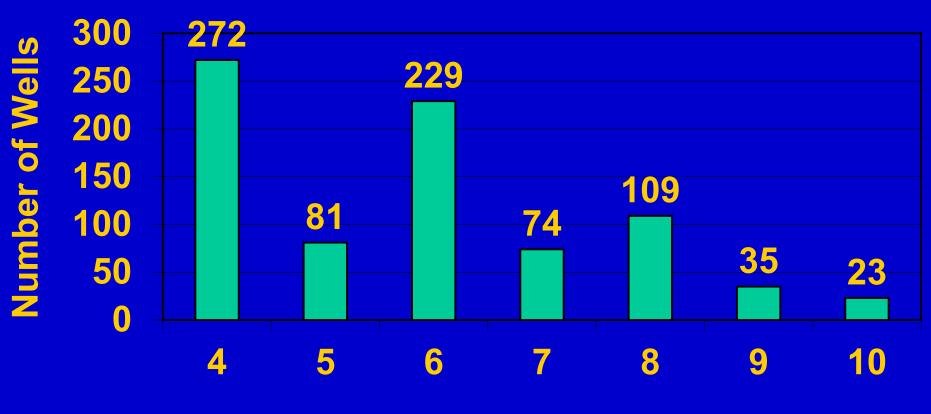
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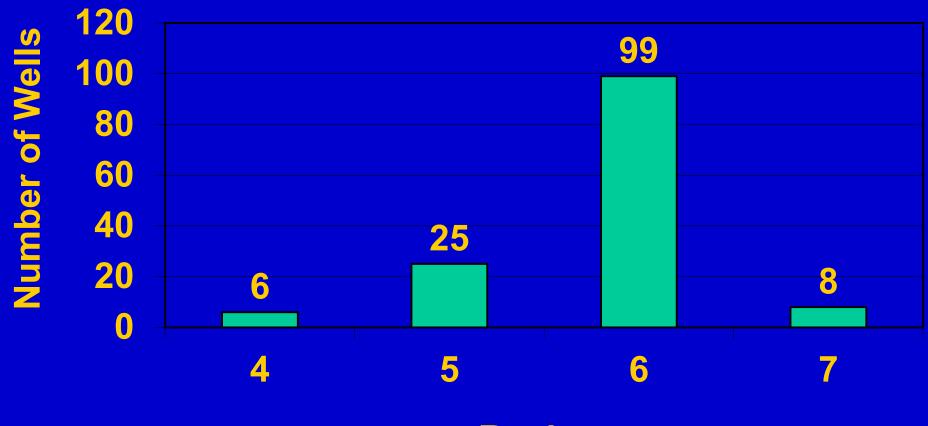


### **Class I Wells**



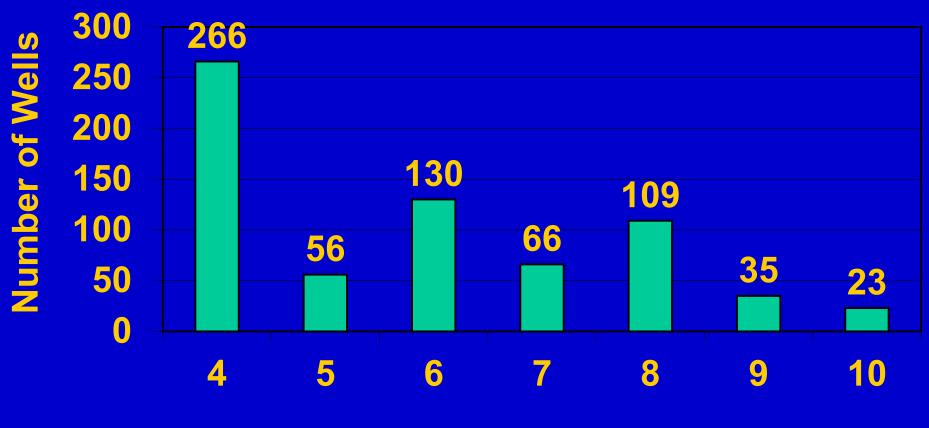
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#### **Class I Hazardous Wells**



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#### **Class I Nonhazardous Wells**

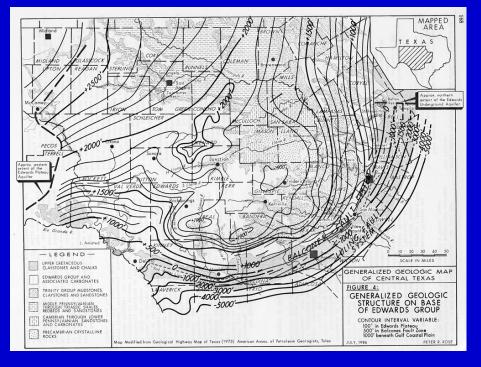


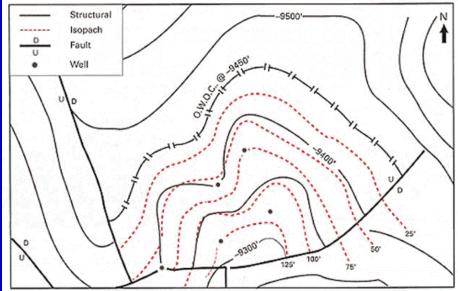
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# **Class | Well Siting**

- Just because a State or EPA has UIC regulations a Class I well can't be constructed everywhere in the U.S.
- A permit/petition reviewer must evaluate:
  - Geology
  - Injection zone/interval properties
  - Area of review
  - Seismic activity (hazardous wells)

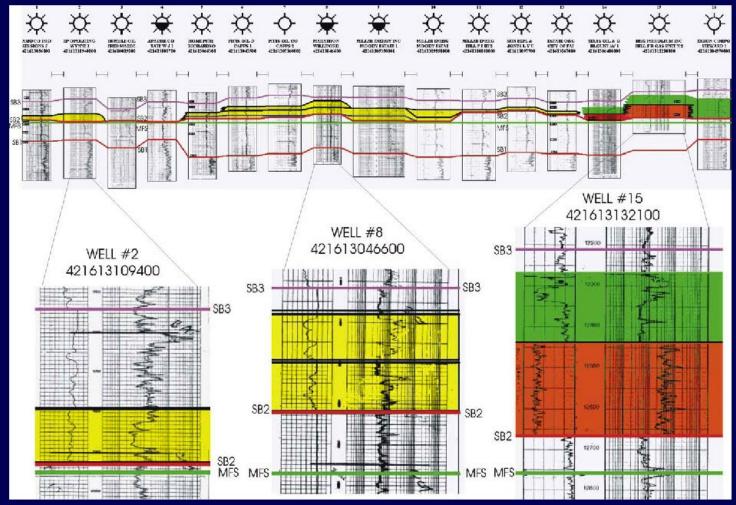
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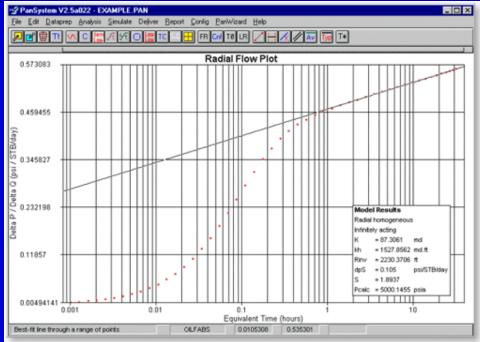
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#### WELL LOG CROSS-SECTION #6



## **Injection Reservoir Properties**

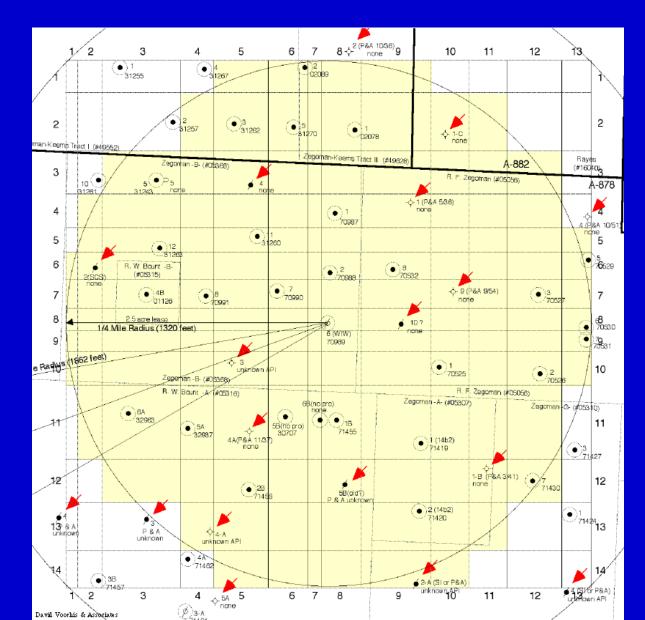




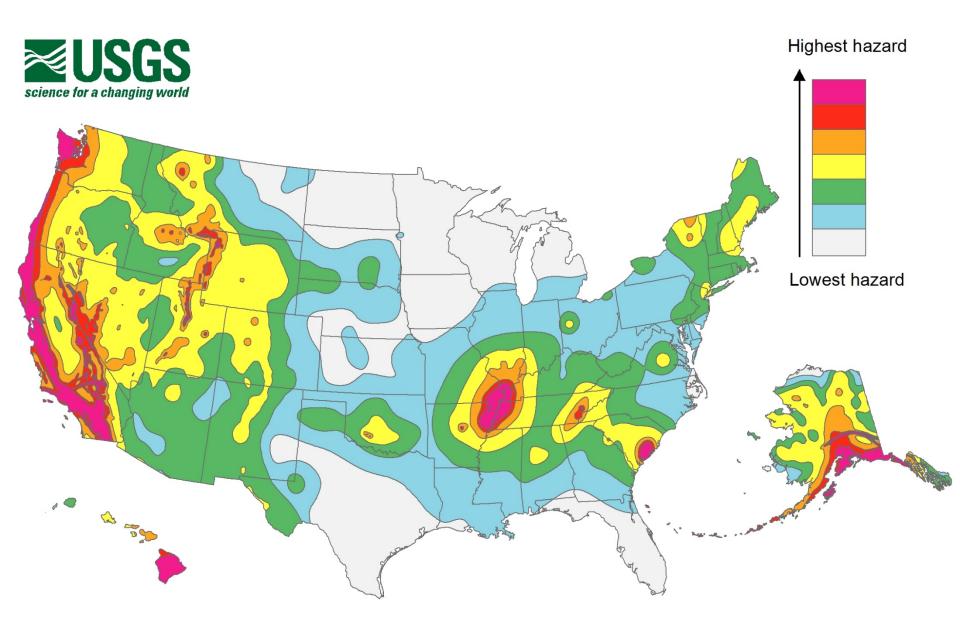
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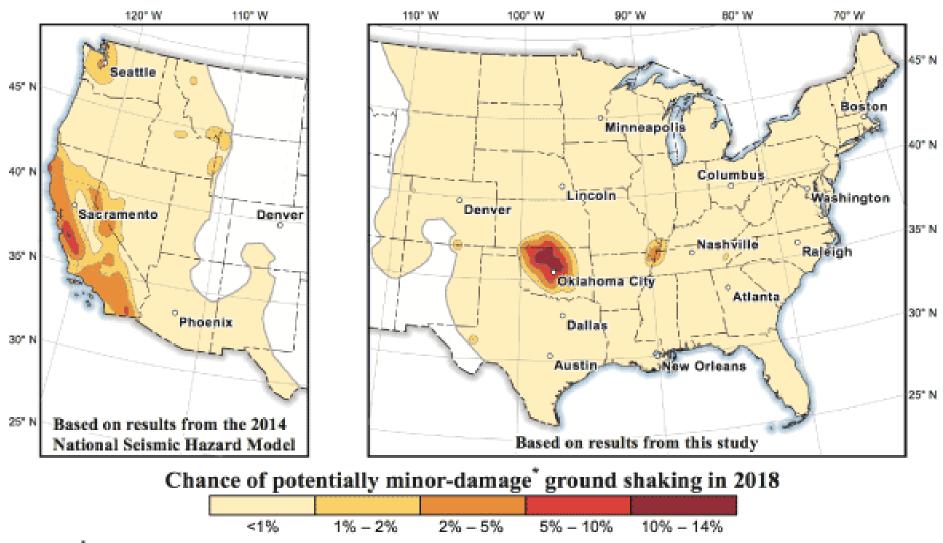
# **Area of Review**



## **Seismic Hazards Map**



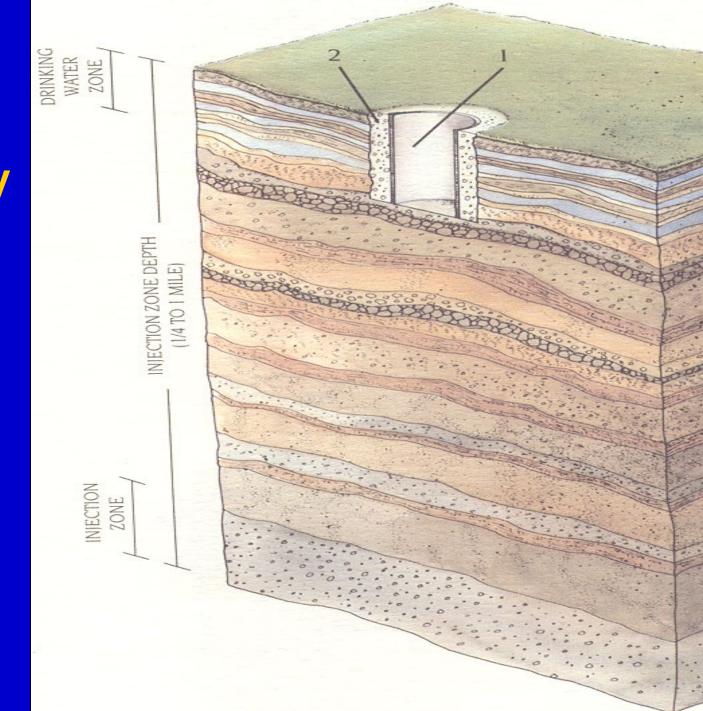
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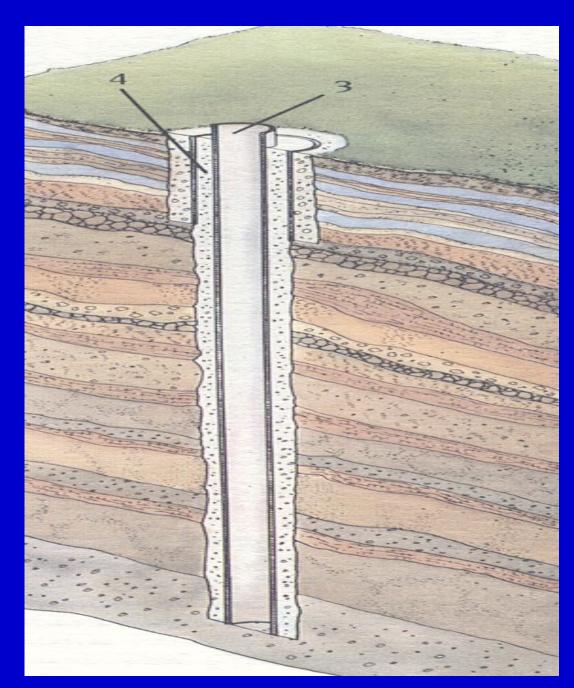


equivalent to Modified Mercalli Intensity VI, which is defined as: "Felt by all, many frightened. Some heavy furniture moved; a few instances of fallen plaster. Damage slight."

Injection Well Technology

### 1st Step: Surface Casing





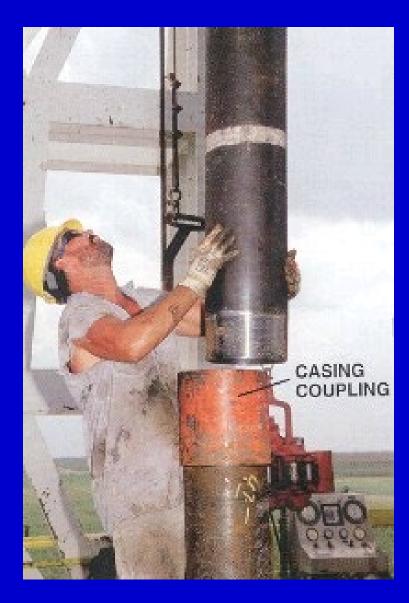
# 2nd Step: Long-String Casing

## **Installing Casing**







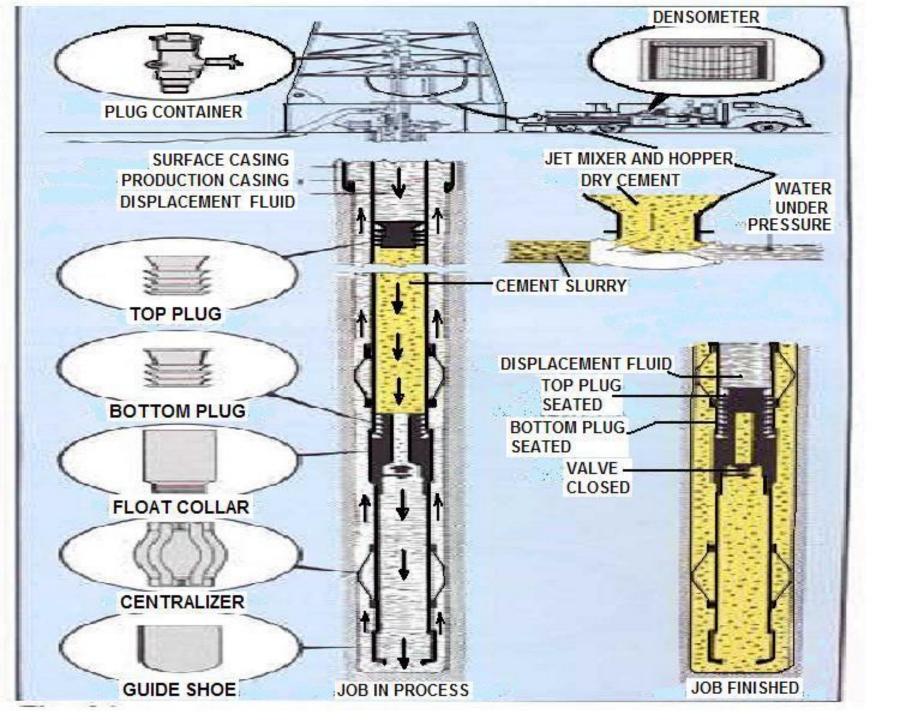


## **Casing with Centralizer**

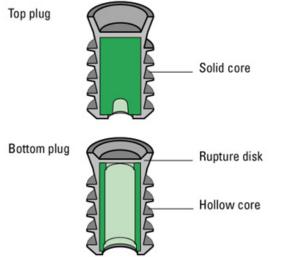
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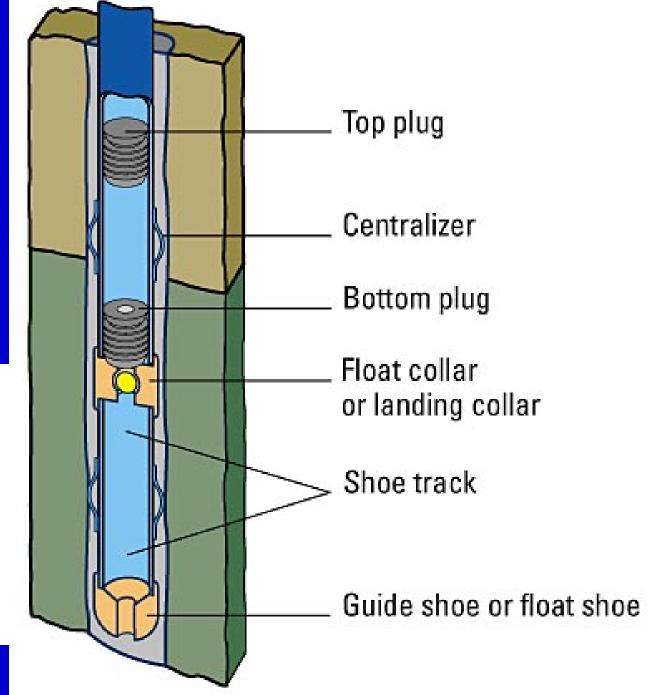
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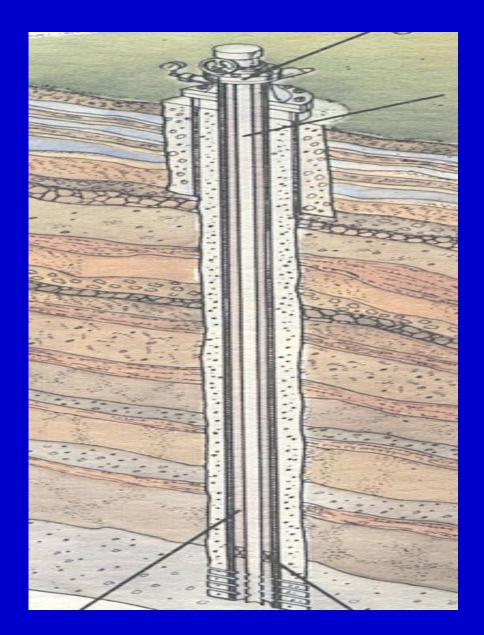




#### Casing Cementing Operations







# **3rd Step: Tubing and Packer**



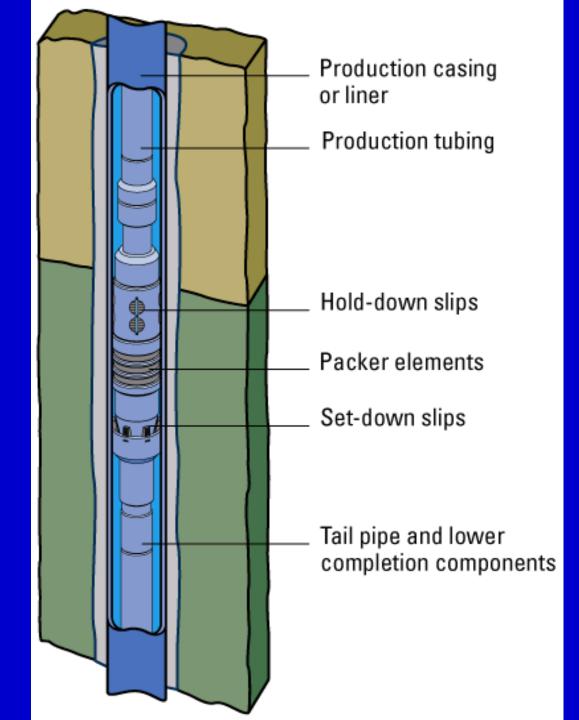
## Tubing and Packers



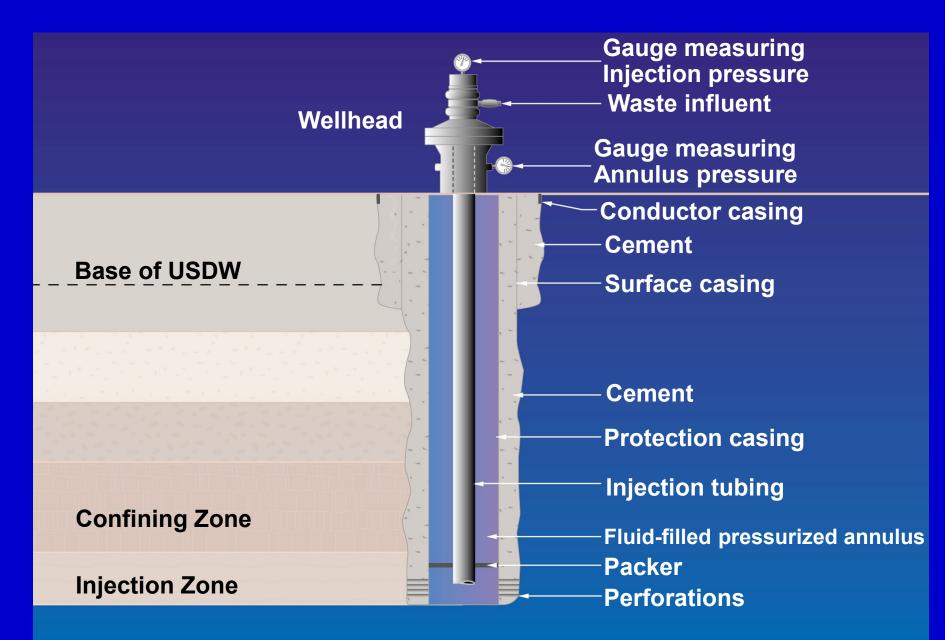
## **Running a Packer**



## Packer Installed in Casing

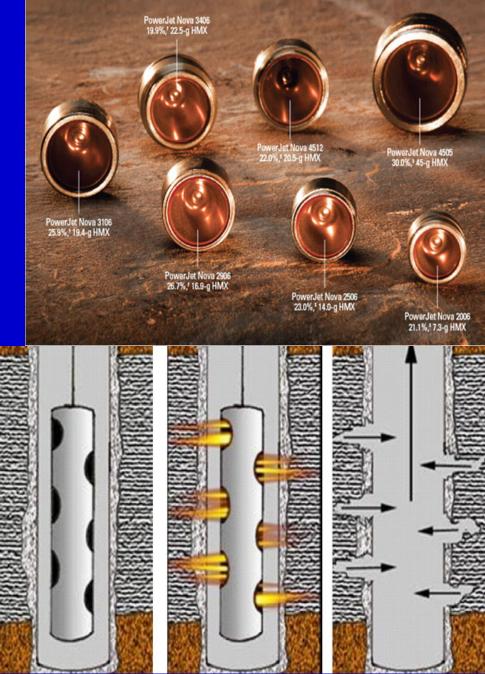


### **Class I Well Construction**

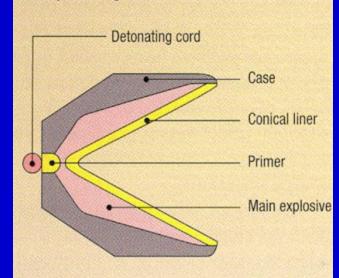


## Perforating





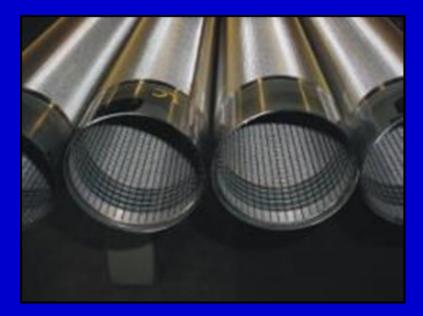
#### Shaped charge



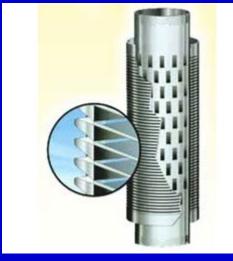
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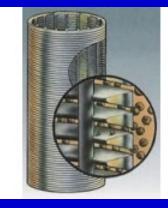
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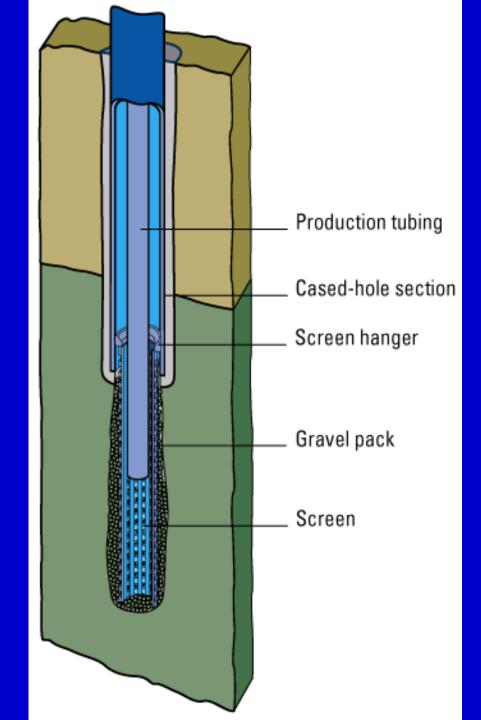


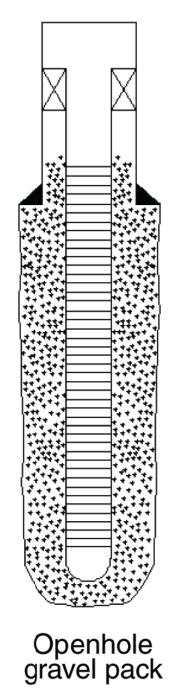


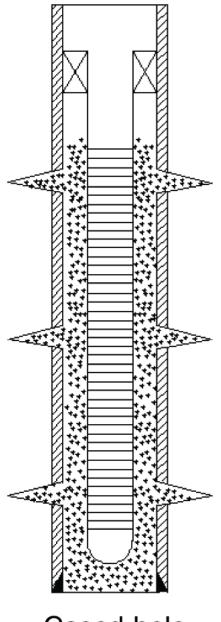




Screen and Gravel Pack Completion

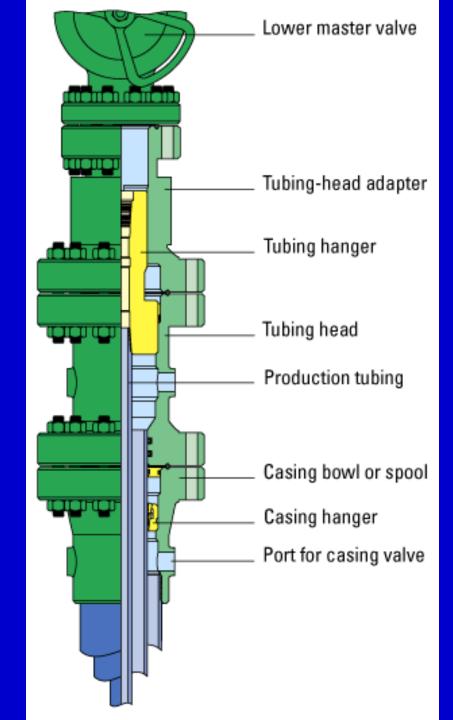






Cased-hole gravel pack

Wellhead Showing Tubing and Casing Hangers

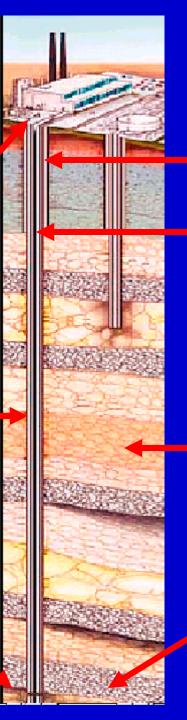


# Deep Well Safeguards

Monitoring injection pressure and flow rate helps ensure peak efficiency and regulatory compliance

Protective concrete and steel barriers continue to protect the injection zone

Waste solution is sealed in the injection zone, much like oil and gas deposits are trapped for millions of years

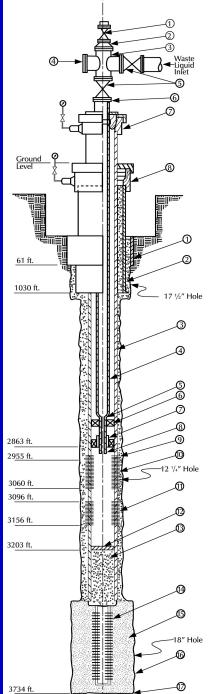


Double barriers of concrete and steel protect drinking water

Pressurized annulus fluid is monitored 24 hours a day to protect against leaks

Impermeable rock, up to several hundred feet thick, prevents upward flow of wastes

Over time, wastes are neutralized or reduced in hazard by the forces of nature



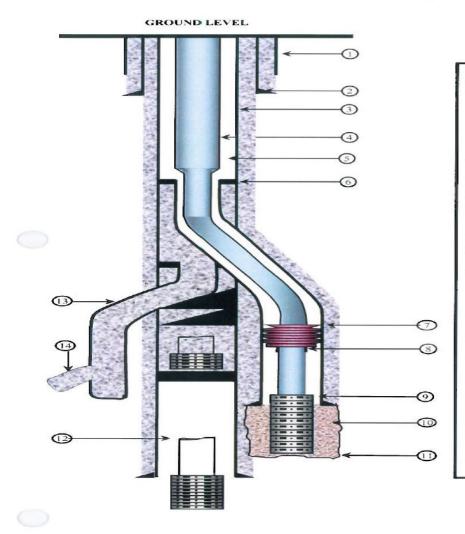
#### WELLHEAD DETAILS

- 1. Flanged Valve 4" Series 600, with 4" pipe adapter on top
- 2. Reducer 6" x 4" Series 600
- 3. Flow Cross 6" Series 600
- 4. Blind Flange 6" Series 600
- 5. Wing Valve 6" Series, full opening
- 6. Flange below valve, 5.75" I.D.
- Tubinghead Cameron 10" 3,000 psi x 9 5/8" top flange is type MH with pack-off on 7" tubing; grease packing is put through 1" hole on the side of the flange
- 8. Casinghead: Cameron 12" 3000 psi x 13 5/8"

#### **BELOW GROUND DETAILS**

- 1. Conductor Casing: 20", 3/8" wall thickness driven to 61'±
- 2. Surface Casing: 13 3/8", 48 lb/ft, 8rd, H-40, set at 1,030'±
- 3. Protection Casing: 9 5/8", 47 lb/ft, 43.5 lb/ft and 36 lb/ft
- Injection Tubing: 6 joints of 7", 23 lb/ft, K-55, LT&C, 8rd; 1 crossover, 7", 26 lb/ft, K-55, LT&C 4. box and buttress; 35 joints of 7", 26 lb/ft, K-55, buttress; 1 crossover, 7", 26 lb/ft, K-55, buttress box and LT&C; 29 joints of 7", 26 lb/ft, K-55, LT&C, 8rd, set at 2,831'±
- 5. Crossover 7" LT&C x 4 1/2"EUE 8rd at 2,831'± -2,832'±
- 6. Packer Guiberson 9 5/8" x 4 1/2" Uni VI, LD. 3.98", set at 2,832'± to 2,840'±
- 7. Old Injection Tubing: 7", 23 lb/ft, left at 2,845' $\pm$  2,855' $\pm$  with the old packer TTW "LH" 9 5/8" x 7", left at 2,855' $\pm$  2,863' $\pm$
- 8. Tail Pipe: 1 joint, 4 1/2" EUE, 8rd with a mule shoe, at 2,870'±
- 9. Perforations 2,955'± 2,985'±, 4 SPF 0" Phasing added 12/17/91
- 10. Perforations 2,986'± 3,060'±
- 11. Perforations 3,096'± 3,156'±
- 12. Rubber packer element at 3,198'±
- 13. Plugged Back Depth  $3,203'\pm$
- 14. Screen: Howard Smith 0.020 gauge, stainless steel 316
- 15. Gravel Pack Abandoned
- 16. Hole Underreamed to 18" abandoned 17. Total Depth - 3,734'±

#### **Sidetracked Well**



KB = 25' (GL) GL = 13.8 (MSL)All depths RKB

#### COMPLETION DETAIL

- 1. 20" Conductor Casing driven to 90 ft.
- 13-3/8" Surface Casing @ 1627', set in 17.5" hole: 1627 ft of 54.5 lb/ft K-55 ST & C; Cemented with 990 sx of Halliburton light + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 800 sx 50/50 Pozmix + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 180 sx Class A.
- 9-5/8" Protection Casing @ 4847', set in 12.25" hole: 4847 ft of 40 lb/ft K-55 LT&C; Cemented with 1460 sx Halliburton light and 200 sx Class H.
- Injection Tubing: 7" 26 lb/ft K-55 8rd X 5-1/2" 15.5 lb/ft K-55 LT&C with X/O @ 2578'.
- Annular Fluid: 9.1 ppg NaCl brine + 10 gal ANHIB.
- 7-5/8" Protection Liner from 2661' to 4258'; 26.4 lb/ft P-110; Lead cement is 237 bbl standard + 0.5% Halad 344 & 0.7% HR7, mixed @ 14.5 ppg. Tail cement is 129 bbl Premium + 0.3% Halad @ 16.4 ppg.
- 7. Injection Packer @ 4082': 7-5/8" X 5-1/2" TIW "LH"
- TIW Overshot (4' polished bore) from 4091' 5000'; Top of polished riser at 4095'.
- 4-1/2" Injection Screen: 9.50 lb/ft Incoloy 825 blank from 4095' to 4225'; 25 ga.HWS Incoloy 825 wire-wrapped screen from 4225' to 4354'. 15" Bow Spring Centralizers @ 4270' & 4354'. Bullplug @ 4354' to 4355'.
- Gravel pack sand: 12/20 mesh; Open hole underreamed to 22" AHS
- 11. Total Depth: 4356'
- 12. Abandoned Completion
- Abandoned Sidetrack casing was section milled and cemented with 7 plugs:
  - 5 bbl premium cement from 4209' to 4252'
  - 14 bb1 premium cement from 4120' to 4209'
  - 9.5 bbl premium cement from 4052' to 4120'
  - 15.5 bbl premium cement from 3876' to 4052'
  - 14 bbl premium cement from 3753' to 3876'
  - 26.5 bbl premium cement from 3482' to 3753'
  - 40.5 bbl premium cement from 2920' to 3482'
- Abandoned Sidetrack (4250' to 4182') Cemented with 5.6 bbl premium cement

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Figure 3: Injection Well No. 1 Sidetrack No. 1













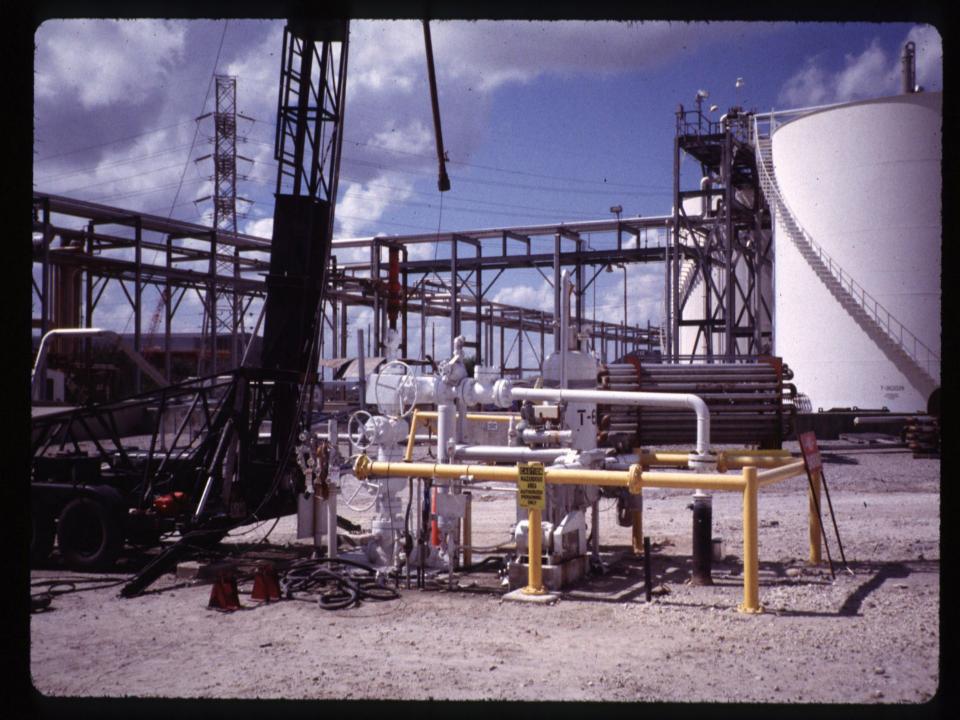
















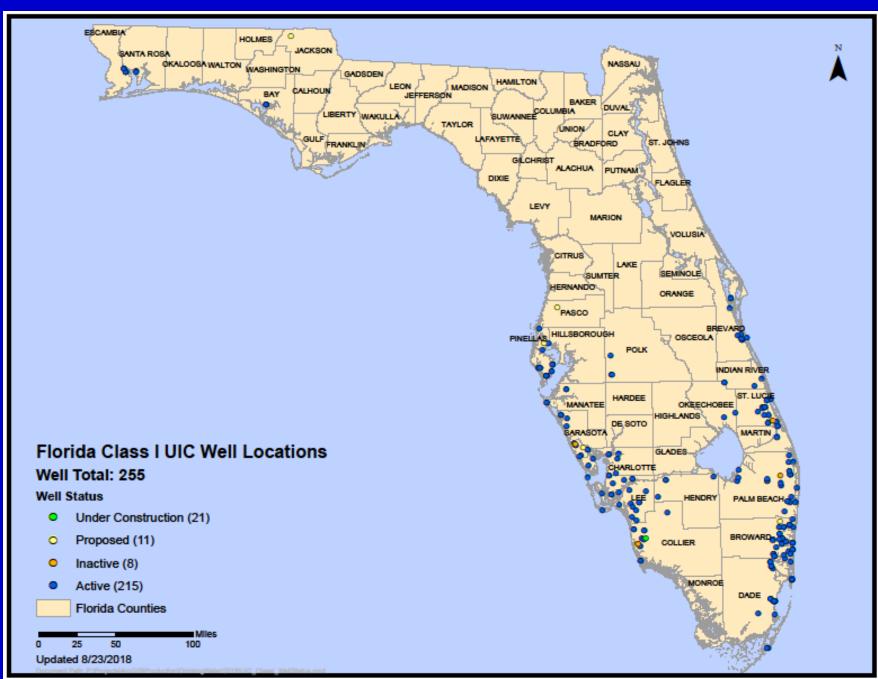




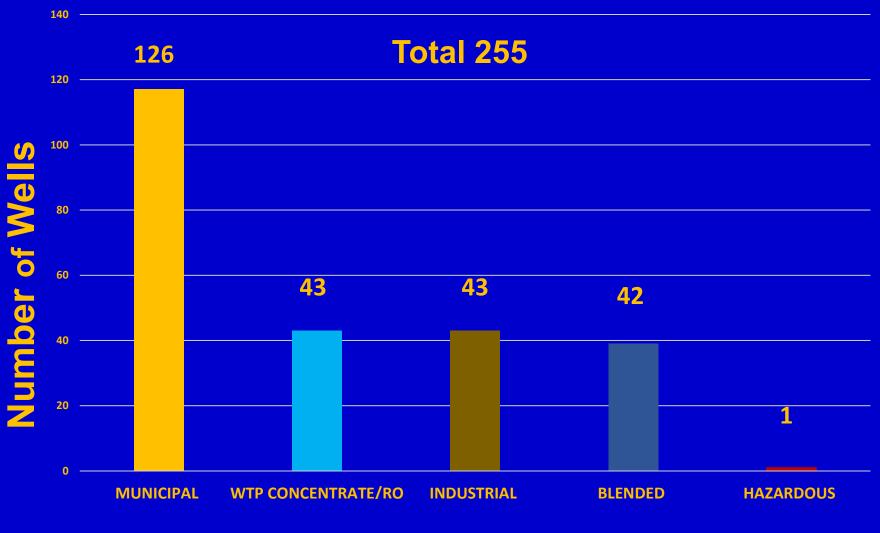
# Class I Municipal Wells



### **Florida Class I Well Locations**

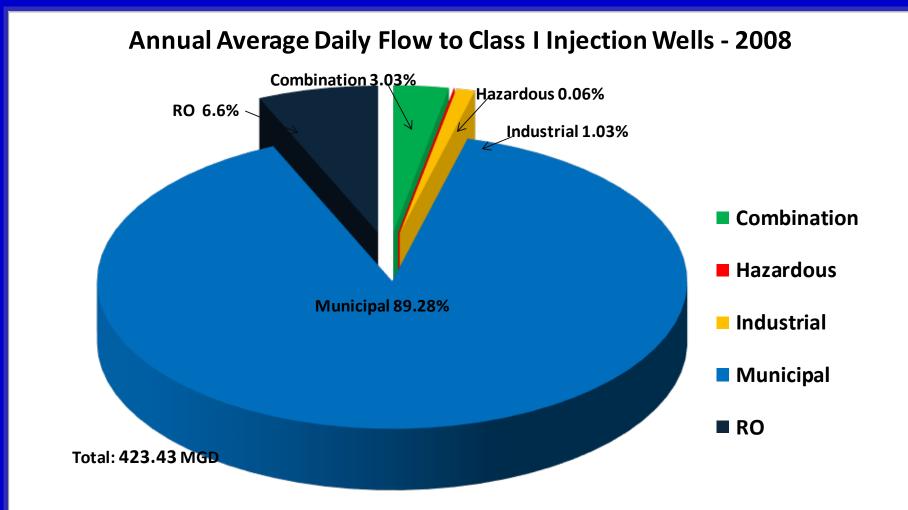


### Florida Class I Injection Wells by Type

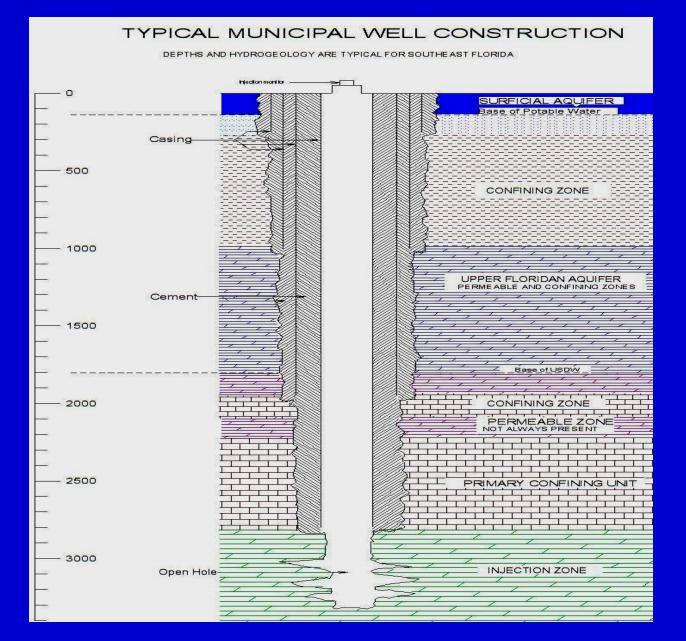


**Type of Well** 

## **Florida Class I Wells Annual Flow**

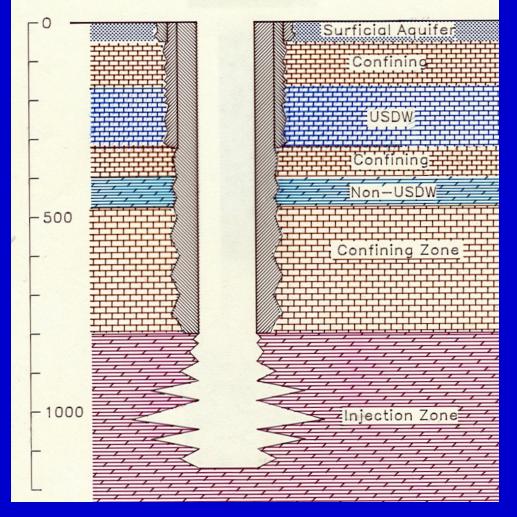


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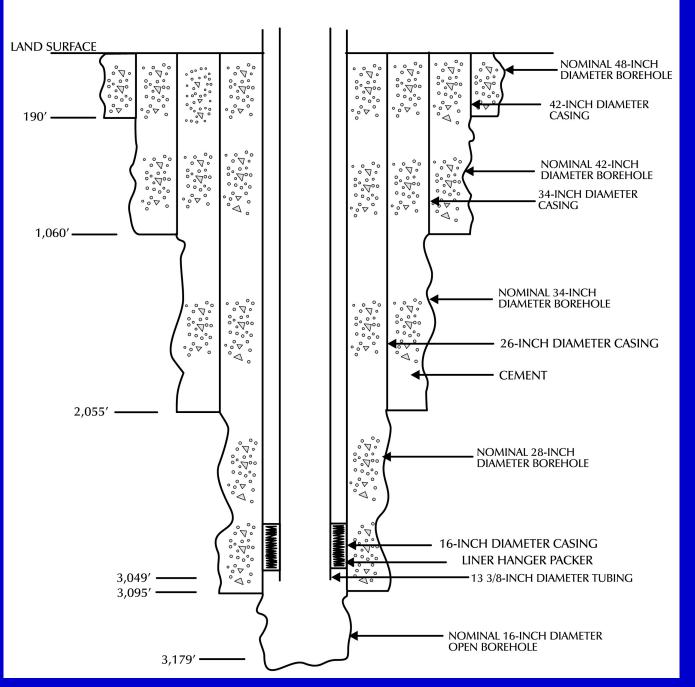


### General Class I Design St. Petersburg

### TYPICAL INJECTION WELL CONSTRUCTION PINELLAS COUNTY

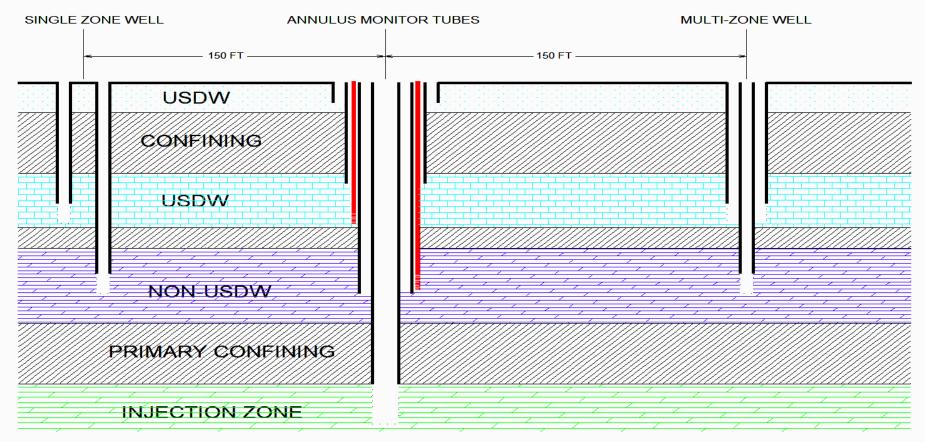


#### **INJECTION WELL IW-1**

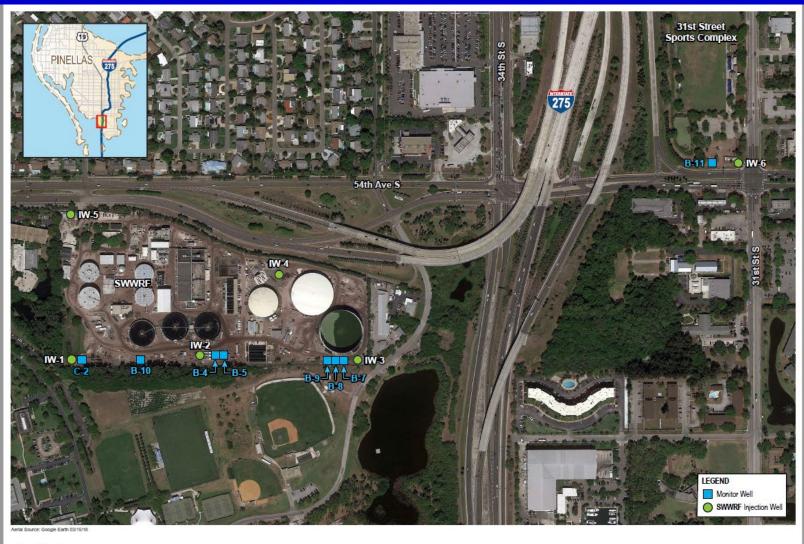


## Florida Class I Facility Monitor Well Designs

### MONITORING



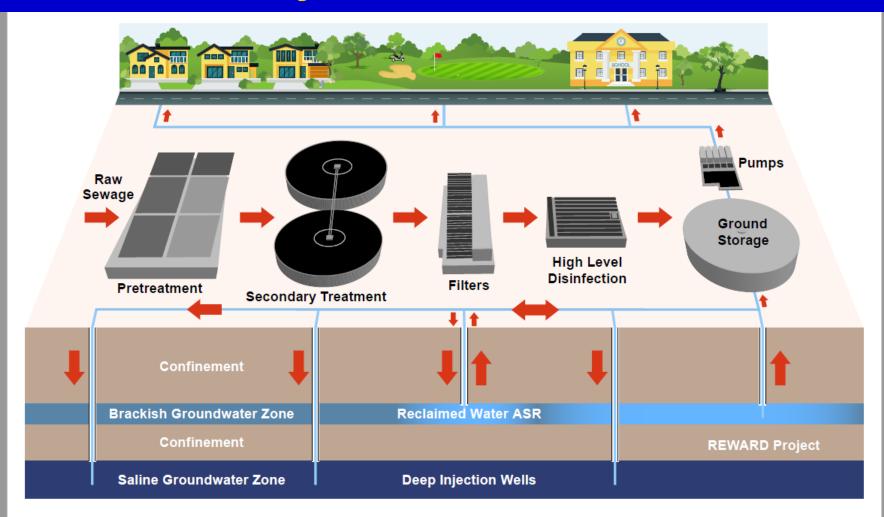
### **St. Petersburg SW Water Reclamation Facility**







### St. Petersburg Water Reclamation Facility Treatment Process





City of St. Petersburg Treatment and Reclaimed Water Reuse Process



# Installing Fiberglass Tubing





# Injection Well Packer



























### Drinking Water Treatment Residual Disposal Wells

- Residuals may be generated by the following water treatment processes:
  - Presedimentation
  - Coagulation, flocculation, and sedimentation
  - Precipitative softening
  - Filtration, microfiltration, and ultrafiltration
  - Membrane desalination
  - Ion exchange
  - Activated carbon (adsorption process)

From EPA publication EPA 820-R-11-003, Drinking Water Treatment Plant Residuals Management Technical Report, September 2011

### Desalination and Nanofiltration Concentrate Injection Wells

- Associated with drinking water plants
- Membrane technology
- Desalination; for use with high salinity source waters
   Reverse Osmosis
- Nanofiltration; for use with mildly brackish source waters or to remove organic material, soften water, etc.
- Lower injection pressures than municipal wells
- Often are used 24/7 if there is no other drinking water source

## **Potential Concentrate Issues**

- pH extremes
- Corrosivity (brackish and salt water)
- Scale forming
- Suspended solids
- Bacterial activity/biofouling
- Chemical imbalances between injectate and formation water

# Well Plugging

Locations subject to well plugging

- Piping from water source to wellhead
- Inside of injection tubing/casing
- Injection zone pore space

# **Precipitate Buildup in Injectate Piping System**



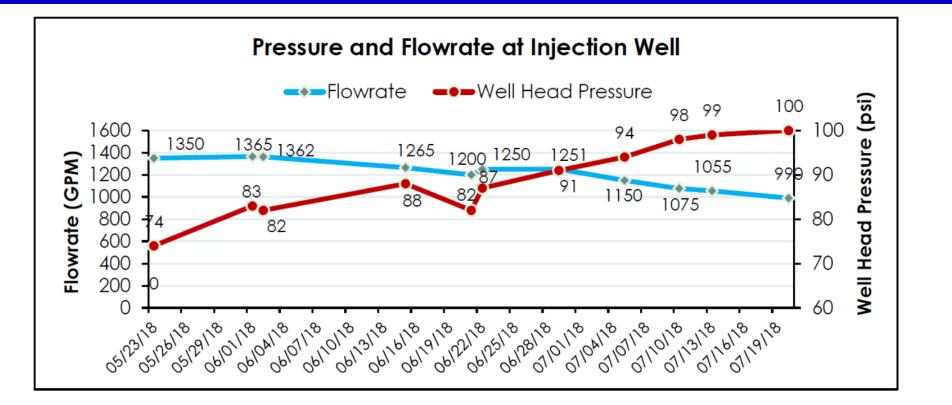
### Precipitate Buildup in Injectate Piping System



## Precipitate Buildup in Injectate Piping System



## Well Head Injection Pressure Response to Plugging



### **Class | Well**

### **Hazardous and Nonhazardous Summary**

| Well Requirements                  | Nonhazardous                                       | Hazardous  |
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| AoR (Area of Review)               | 1/4 mile   | 2 miles  |
| Casing and Cement                  | Prevent fluid<br>movement into or<br>between USDWs | Surface and<br>longstring cemented<br>to the surface |
| Tubing and Packer                  | Required except for<br>municipal wells             | Required   |
| Injection Pressure                 | Below fracture pressure                            | Below fracture pressure                              |
| Annulus Pressure                   | Approved by director                               | Exceeds injection pressure                           |
| MIT<br>(Mechanical Integrity Test) | Every 5 years                                      | Annually or workover                                 |

### Class I Well Hazardous and Nonhazardous Summary

| Well Requirements                                       | Nonhazardous  | Hazardous   |
|---|---------------|---|
| <b>Borehole Fluid Movement</b>                          | Every 5 years | Every 5 years   |
| RAT (Radioactive Tracer)                                | Not required  | Annually bottomhole   |
| Casing Inspection Log                                   | Not required  | At Director discretion<br>every 5 years or<br>during workover |
| Continuous Monitoring<br>(inj pr, rate & vol, & ann pr) | Yes           | Yes, plus injection fluid temperature                         |
| Automatic Alarm and shut-off system                     | Not required  | Required  |
| Continuous Corrosion<br>Monitoring                      | Not required  | Required  |
| Falloff Tests   | Annually      | Annually  |

## **Types of Class | Inspections**

### Construction

- Open hole logging of the well
- Running casing and cementing
- Running tubing and packer
- Perforating or gravel pack installation
- Mechanical Integrity (MIT)
  - Annulus pressure test
  - Radioactive tracer test
  - Temperature log
- Ambient Monitoring
  - Pressure falloff test
  - Monitoring well sampling
- Compliance
  - Records review
  - Examination of wellhead and surface equipment
- Workover
  - Well repair
  - Well treating/stimulation
- Plugging
  - Observe final MIT testing
  - Observe setting of plugs

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| Com                 | apany Well No NOR unit No UIC Permit No   | _                                       |
| Secti               | ion A – PRE-INJECTION FACILITIES  |   |
| 1.                  | Are facilities injecting solid wastes including hazardous and/or nonhazardous wa  | istes? N/A_YES_NO                       |
| No                  | ote: Wells used for hazardous wastes or non-hazardous waste, either from industrial<br>assified as Class 1 wells [331.11 (a)(1)]. In general, this checklist applies to Class 1 | or municipal facilities, are wells.     |
| 2.                  | Are the facilities injecting only waste as described in the UIC permit?   | N/A YES NO                              |
| 3 .<br>Perm         | Are pre-injection facilities (tank units and surface impoundments) covered unde<br>int?   | r the applicable UIC or RCRA<br>YESNO   |
| 4.<br>regist        | If no, are pre-injection facilities (tank units and surface impoundments) co<br>tration<br>and exempted from RCRA permitting requirements?[335.6 (c)]                           | vered under the solid waste N/AYESNO    |
| 5.                  | Describe pre-injection facilities:  |   |
| 6.<br>other<br>YES_ |   | nent from solid waste units or<br>N/ANO |
| Note                | : If yes, refer to Generator Checklist for reviewing follow up actions.   |   |
| Section             | ion B UIC FACILITIES  |   |
| 1.                  | Is a legible sign with company name, company well number and Commission pe<br>posted at the well site? [331.66(b)(1)]   | mit number<br>N/AYESNO                  |
| 2.                  | Is an all weather road to the well installed and maintained? [331.66 (b)(2)]  | N/A YES NO                              |
| 3.                  | Is wellhead painted (if appropriate), and maintained in good working order without leaks? [331.66(b)(3)]  | N/AYESNO                                |
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4. Make the following observations for onsite gauges and provide comments for noncompliance:

| No. | Parameter (units)            | Gauge<br>Reading   | Recorder<br>Reading                 | Permit Limit   | Compliant? |        |     |
|-----|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|----------------|------------|--------|-----|
| я.  | Surface Inj. pressure (psig) |  |                                     |                | N/A_       | _YES_  | _N0 |
| b.  | Annulus pressure (psig)      |  |                                     |                | N/A        | _ YES_ | _NO |
| с.  | Differential pressure (psi)  | in a final second s | elor andusover<br>destault fundered |                | N/A_       | _YES_  | NO  |
| d.  | Injection flow rate (gpm)    |  |                                     |                | N/A_       | _ YES_ | _NO |
| e.  | Inj. Fluid temp (degree F)   | Times 244  | di ar fadriseat                     | and a straight | N/A_       | _YES_  | _NO |
| f.  | pH (S.U.)                    | ized transmouth  | and sales had                       | anni Indani    | N/A_       | _YES_  | _NO |
| e.  | Fluid density (g/cubic cm)   |  |                                     | -              | N/A        | YES    | NO  |

### COMMENTS:

Operating, monitoring and testing requirements

Are injection fluids sampled and analyzed sufficiently to yield representative data about characteristics? 5. [331.64(b)/ 331.64(b)(1)/ 331.64(b)(1)(A)/ 331.64(b)(1)(B)/ 331.64(b)(1)(C)/ 331.64(b)(2)/ 351.64(b)(3)/ 331.64(b)(4) /146.68(a)] N/A YES\_NO\_\_\_

Note: Waste stream analysis must be performed according to the permittee=s approved Waste Analysis Plan, at a frequency of at least once per year, and whenever there are processes or operating changes that may significantly alter the waste physical or chemical characteristics. The RCRA waste analysis plan may address the UIC wastes. The facility should develop and follow a written Waste Analysis Plan [331.54(b)(1)]

See the boxed notes under this item concerning what is considered as continuous. Are continuous recording 6. devices used to monitor and record injection tubing pressures, injection flow rates, injection volumes, tubing string casing annulus pressure and volume, and any other data (differential pressure, pH, specific gravity, long specified by the permit? [331.64(d) / 146.67(f)] or other) N/A YES NO

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1. Pneumatic or analog controllers, monitoring instruments and recording devices remain es acceptable technology for satisfying the continuous monitoring and recording requirements. 2. For continuous monitoring of well operating parameters that involves periodic sampling of an electronic signal for the purpose of control and/or recording, the minimum sampling frequency is once every 15 seconds. 3. All monitored points whose value exceeds a permit parameter must be recorded. The following are the minimums for electronic recording devices which will satisfy the Acontinuous recordings requirements: a. The minimum recording frequency of the average or instantaneous value is once every 15 minutes. b. Electronic data recording devices should record based on a deviation of greater than  $\forall$ 4% from the previously monitored value (based or typical accuracy of electronic instrumentation, see Program Policy Point No.1 for details). If no deviation occurs, the minimum recording frequency for this type of device is once per hour. 4. Where Class I non-commercial disposal well permits do not address the frequency for monitoring of pH and specific gravity, the minimum measurement frequency which satisfies continuous monitoring is once per day as long as there is little variation in these characteristics. More frequent monitoring is in order for streams whose characteristics can change quickly. 5. If primary monitoring system failure occurs due to power failure or other reasons, an operator should perform manual monitoring and record keeping at least every 15 minutes for a well in service, or at least every hour for a well that is out of service. Instances of manual monitoring should be reported on the quarterly self reporting forms (monthly forms for commercial wells). Is annulus pressure maintained at least 100 psi greater than the injection tubing pressure to prevent leaks from 7. the well into unauthorized zones and to detect well malfunctions? [331.63(e) / 146.67(c)] N/A\_\_\_YES\_\_NO During well start-ups, shut-downs and documented operating changes (switching pumps, annulus pressure system, filters, instruments and others), the cifferential pressure may be less than 100 psi for periods up to 15 minutes. These situations must be documented in the lacility=s operating records. Are antulus fluid volume changes regularly observed by the facility operator and records maintained? 8 [331.64(d) / 145.67 (f)] N/A YES NO Annulus fluid tank level, when used, must be checked and recorded on a regular basis (daily) in lieu of continuous recording of annulus volumes.

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| 9.                     | Are pressure gauges installed and maintained in proper working order at al   | II - 20   |            |                |
|------------------------|--|---|------------|----------------|
|                        | [331.64(c)]  | N/A   |            |                |
| with:<br>feed<br>be or | : The difference in parameter values between a wellhead gauge and recorder which<br>in 4% of full-scale for the gauge or 40 psi, which ever is less. The injection tubing p<br>line to the well, anywhere between the last injection pump and the wellhead; the an-<br>tike annulus pressure system equipment, anywhere from the annulus pet to the ann-<br>ld verify communication between each gauge and corresponding pressure sensing de-  | ressure gauge sh<br>mulus pressure g<br>ulus space at the | ould be on | the was        |
| 0.                     | Are recorders installed and maintained in proper working order? [331.64(d  | l)] N/A_  | YES        | NO_            |
| No<br>will             | te: The difference in parameter values between a wellhead gauge and recorder which<br>hin 4% of full scale for the gauge or 40 psi, whichever is less.   | n measure the sam   | ne paramel | er must        |
| 1.                     | Are recorders and other required instruments housed in weatherproof enclo<br>[331.64(d)]   | osures?<br>N/A_   | YES_       | NO_            |
| 2.                     | Are automatic alarms and shutoff devices installed and operational? $[531.64(d)(1) / 146.67(f)(1)]$  | N/A   | YES        | NO             |
| 3.                     | If no, has owner/operator certified that a trained operator will be on locatio respond to alarms when an operating parameter is exceeded? $[231.64(d)(2) / 146.67(f)(2)]$  |   | YES        | NO             |
| Not                    | <ul> <li>Auto shutoff is not required if owner/operator certifies to Commission that trained<br/>is operating.</li> </ul>  |   |            |                |
| 4.                     | Has an automatic alarm or shutoff system triggered since the last state inve   |   | YES        | NO             |
|                        | Note: If yes, investigate the corrective actions taken by the facility and con   | nment:  | 1153_      | _NO_           |
| 5.                     | Are corrosion monitoring tests if required by permit performed and records $[331.64(g)(1),331.64(g)(1)(A),331.64(g)(1)(B),331.54(g)(1)(C),146.68(c),146.68(c)(2)(ii),146.68(c)(2)(iii),146.68(c)(3),146$ | 146.68(c)(1),14<br>(i),146.68(c)(3)(                      | ii)]       |                |
|                        |  |   | YES        | _              |
| corre                  | : Methods prescribed by BPA in 40 CFR 146.68 (c)(1)-(3) for corrosion monitoring a<br>sion monitoring based on demonstration of noncorrosivity of the subject wastes mus<br>iting process (new, renewed, or amended permits) that includes opportunity for noti  | t he accomplishe  | d through  | uarter ly<br>a |
| 6.                     | Are all gauges, pressure sensing and recording devices tested and calibrate:   | 1 quarterly? [33  | 1.63(g)]   |                |
| ecti                   | on C RECORDS REVIEW  | N/A   | YES        | _NO            |

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|--|--|-------------------------------|--|---|
| ι.                                     | Are monthly and quarterly injection data submitted using the Commission self-rep<br>by permit and rules? [331.65(z)(1) for noncommercial facilities] or  | porting fo                    | om as rec  | quired  |
|  | [331.65(c)(2) /146.69 (a)/ 146.69(b) for commercial facilities]  | N/A                           | _YES_  | _NO_  |
| 2.                                     | Are complete and accurate records maintained as required by permit and rules? $[331.67(a)]$  | N/A                           | _YES_  | _N0_  |
| reco                                   | e: For purposes of determining the accuracy in reporting, allowable discrepancy (deviation) orded data is defined as 10%. The recordkeeping includes 1), all permitted parameters [331, s like injection fluid analysis, mechanical integrity, and bottom hole pressure determinations the periods and times that emergency measures were used [331.67 (a)(3)].  | .67 (a)(1)]                   | , 2). perio  | dic well  |
| 3.                                     | Are records available for review by Commission representatives? [331.67(b)]  | N/A                           | _YES_  | _NO_  |
| 4.<br>331.                             | Are all records retained throughout the active life of the well and three years follo $6?(c)$ ] N/A_   | wing the<br>YES               | abandon:<br>NO   | ment?   |
| (Regi                                  | : For the following questions 5 through 8, if answer is no, follow up with the Field C<br>ion 14 Corpus Christi) to investigate the problem.<br>Has an injection zone annual report been submitted with December self reported of  |                               |  |   |
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| (Regi<br>5.                            | ion 14 Corpus Christi) to investigate the problem.<br>Has an injection zone annual report been submitted with December self reported of  | iata? [33<br>31.65(c)(<br>N/A | 1.65(c)(3<br>(3)(F)]   | )/<br>_NO_  |
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| (Rcgi<br>5.<br>331.6<br>6.             | <ul> <li>ion 14 Corpus Christi) to investigate the problem.</li> <li>Has an injection zone annual report been submitted with December self reported c 55(c)(3)(A)/331.65(c)(3)(B)/331.65(c)(3)(C)/331.65(c)(3)(D)/331.65(c)(3)(B)/3</li> <li>a. Did the facility receive an approval letter from the Commission?</li> <li>Did permittee notify Commission and get approval before beginning any well wor that require taking well out of service? [331.63(i)]</li> <li>Has annual mechanical integrity been demonstrated by annulus pressure test and a</li> </ul>   | iata? [33<br>31.65(c)(<br>N/A | 1.65(c)(3)<br>[2)(F)]<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>// tracer :                          | )/<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>survey?                             |
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| (Rogi<br>5.<br>331.6<br>5.<br>7.<br>8. | <ul> <li>ion 14 Corpus Christi) to investigate the problem.</li> <li>Has an injection zone annual report been submitted with December self reported c (5(c)(3)(A)/331.65(c)(3)(B)/331.65(c)(3)(C)/331.65(c)(3)(D)/331.65(c)(3)(E)/3</li> <li>a. Did the facility receive an approval letter from the Commission?</li> <li>Did permittee notify Commission and get approval before beginning any well worthat require taking well out of service? [331.63(i)]</li> <li>Has annual mechanical integrity been demonstrated by annulus pressure test and r [331.64(e)(1)/146.68(d)(1)]</li> <li>Has an annual pressure falloff test been performed? [331.64(h)(2)/146.68(e)(1)]</li> </ul>   | iata? [33<br>31.65(c)(<br>N/A | 1.65(c)(3<br>(3)(F)]<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES<br>_ YES      | )/<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>_NO_<br>_NO_                |
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### Section D- ABANDONED WELLS

- Is a permanent marker with permit number, date abandoned, and company name placed at the abandoned well? [331.46(l)]
   N/A\_\_\_\_YES\_\_\_NO\_\_
- Are all required monitoring parameters concerning post closure care for abandoned wells performed and reported? [331.46, 331.68 / 146.72 (b) (c)]
   N/A\_\_\_YES\_\_\_NO\_

### Section E-- SELF REPORTED DATA-RECORDS REVIEW

The allowable discrepancy between reported and recorded data is defined as 10%. Any time that the recording system is nor working and a 10% discrepancy is likely to occur, the operator should take immediate actions to correct the problem. While corrective actions are being taken, any backup system including manual measurements should be used.

Report within 24 hours incidents which could reasonably be interpreted as leakage of injected waste from the injection zone and/or contamination of underground sources of crinking water (USDWs) including losses of well mechanical integrity. Reporting within 24 hours is not required if support systems fail (annulus pumps, continuous monitoring, injection pumps, etc.) and if there is no reasonable evidence that an internal well failure has occurred that resulted in leakage of waste from the injection zone or into USDWs.

Operators should report (using the self-reporting form) the lowest monthly annulus differential pressure occurrence that exceeds 15 minutes, whether or not the occurrence constitutes a permit violation. Additionally, operators should report all occurrences of annulus differential pressure which violate permit requirements.

Review of Self Reported Data for \_\_\_\_\_(month, year).

(Note: Complete the following table per monthly review of records.)

| No | Parameter (Units)   | Reported Value          | Observed Value            | Permit Value | Compliant?  |
|----|---|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| 1. | Max. Surface Inj.<br>Pressure (psig)<br>[331.63(c), 331.64(c)&(d),<br>331.65(c), 331.67(a)(1)(A)<br>/ 146.69(a)(2)] | an nguyan<br>han nguyan | etti Communitari az       |              | N/A_YES_NO_ |
| 2. | Min. Annulus Pres.<br>(psig)<br>[331.63(e), 331.64(e)&(d),<br>331.65(e), 331.67(a)(1)(B)<br>/ 146.69(a)(2)]         | ng sa gang kanang s     | n as binned as            |              | N/AYE\$NO   |
| З. | Min. Differential Pres.<br>(psig)<br>[331.63(c), 331.65(c)]   | in the South M          | Por chart an 18<br>Pro-ti |              | N/AYESNO    |
|    | Max. Injection Rate   |                         |                           |              |             |

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| No  | Parameter (Units)  | Reported Value | Observed Value | Permit Value | Compliant?  |
|-----|--|----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
| 4.  | (gpm)<br>[331.63(1), 331.64(d),<br>331.65(c),<br>331.67(a)(1)(C)]                      |                |                |              | N/AYESNO_   |
| 5.  | Monthly Avg. Injection<br>Rate (gpm)<br>[331.63(f)], 331.65(c)                         |                |                |              | N/AYESNO_   |
| 6.  | Total Injection Vol.<br>(mgals/month)<br>[331.65(c)/331.67(a)(1)(D<br>)/ 146.69(a)(4)] |                |                |              | N/AYESNO_   |
| 7.  | Minimum pH (S.U.)<br>[331.63(h), 331.65(c),<br>331.66(c)(1)/146.69(a)(b)]              | -              |                |              | N/A_YES_NO_ |
| 8.  | Max. Fluid Density (g/cc)<br>[331.63(h), 331.65(c) /<br>146.69(a)(6)]                  |                |                | -            | N/AYESNO_   |
| 9.  | Inj, Fluid Temp. (degree<br>F)<br>[331.64(d), 331.65(e),<br>331.66(e)(1) / 146.69(a)]  |                |                |              | N/A YES_NO_ |
| 10. | Other Permit<br>Parameters<br>[331.63(h)]  |                |                |              | N/AYESNO_   |

Pen Colors and Conversion Factors (optional)

### COMMENTS:

(Use additional comment sheet if necessary)

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# Hazardous Waste

- Hazardous waste is managed under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) authority
- Characteristic Waste A waste that exhibits any of the characteristics listed in 40 CFR 261 Subpart C which are:
  - Ignitability
    - EPA Waste Code D001
  - − Corrosivity (2≥pH≥12.5)
    - EPA Waste Code D002
  - Reactivity
    - Reacts violently with water (explosive)
    - EPA Waste Code D003
  - Toxicity
    - Exhibits toxicity when tested by the Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure (TCLP) or (TC)
    - Numerous EPA Waste Codes (e.g., Arsenic D004, Lead D008, Mercury D009, Silver D011, and Benzene D018)

## **Hazardous Waste**

- Listed Hazardous Waste A waste that is specifically listed in 40 CFR Part 261, Subpart D.
- Mixture Rule

   Any waste that is mixed with a listed hazardous waste becomes hazardous and any waste mixed with a characteristic hazardous waste is hazardous if the resultant mixture is still characteristically hazardous.

# Land Disposal Restrictions

- RCRA §3004(k) prohibits land disposal of untreated waste in:
  - -Landfills
  - -Surface impoundments
  - -Waste piles
  - –Injection wells
  - -Land treatment facility

- -Salt dome
- -Salt bed formation
- –Underground mine
- -Cave

 Regulate liquid hazardous waste or free liquids associated with the treatment of hazardous waste

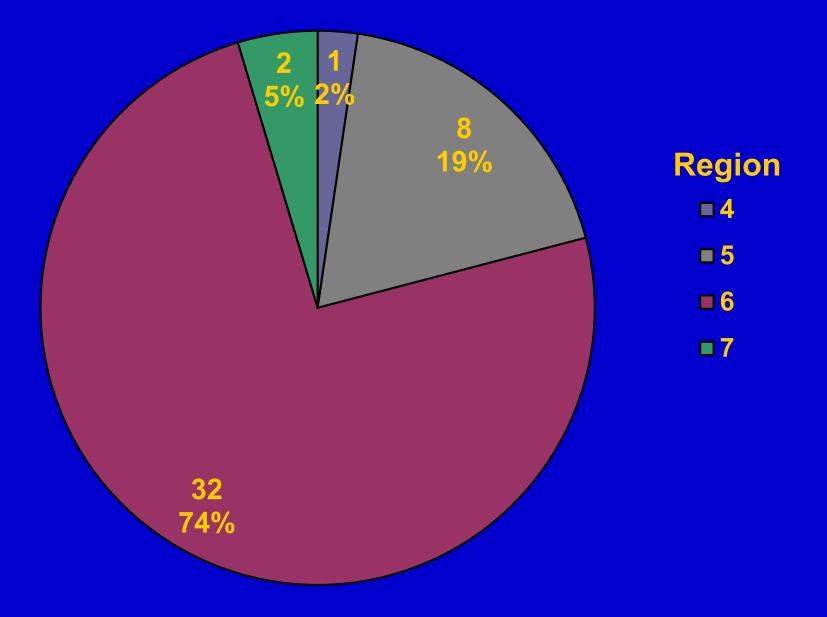
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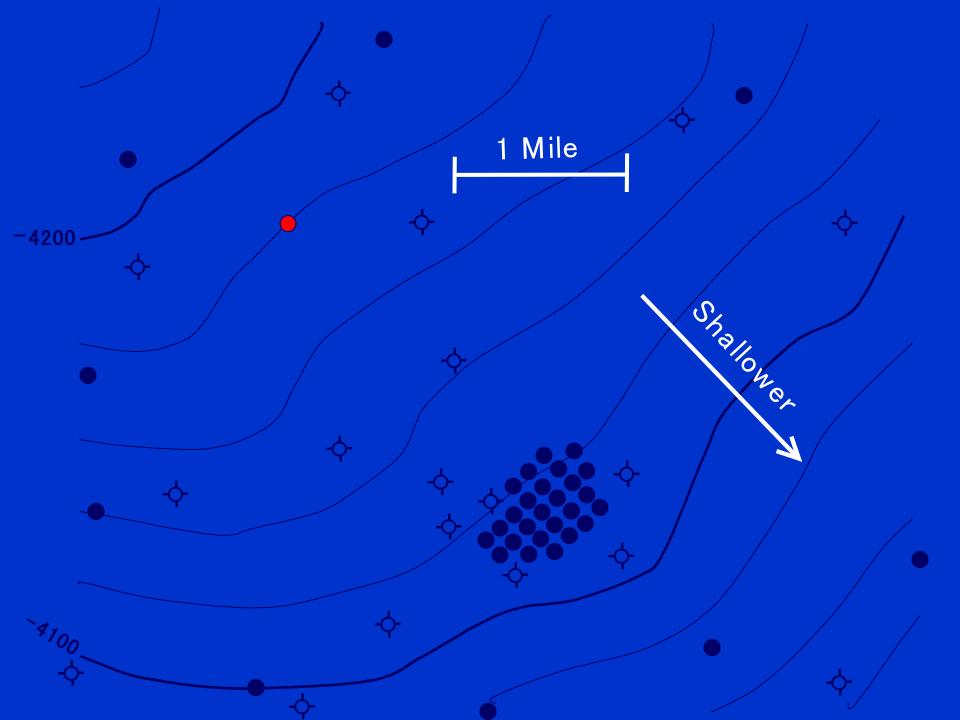
- RCRA 1984 HSWA amendments banned the land disposal (including injection) of hazardous waste, unless:
  - The waste is treated to meet specific concentration or technology-based standards or
  - The hazardous waste is disposed of in a land disposal unit that has an approved "no migration" petition

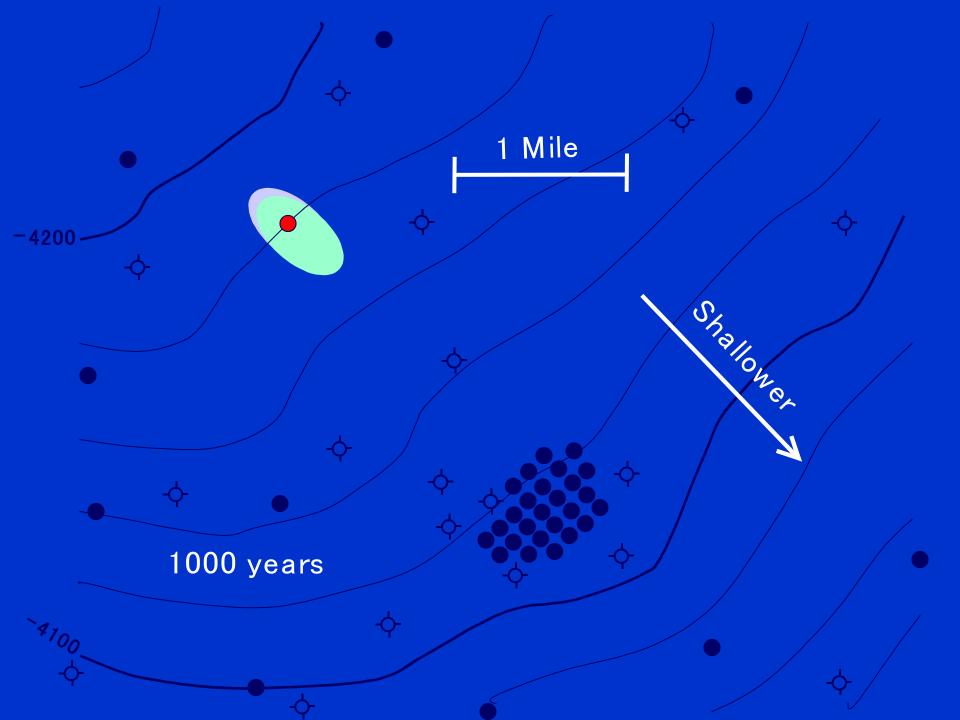
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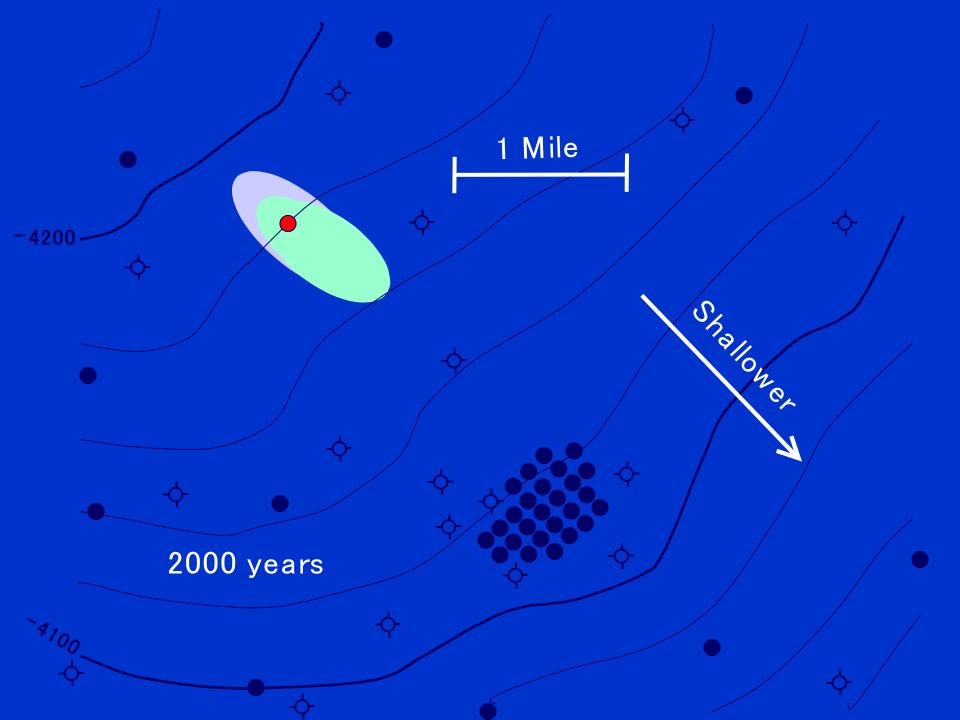
- Engineer/Geologist team review
- Local and regional geology are reviewed
- Mathematical waste movement and pressure buildup models evaluated
- Artificial penetrations are reviewed
- Forty-five day public comment period (since hazardous waste) for proposed approval – public notice published in local paper and mailed to adjacent landowners, local officials, and other government agencies
- Public hearing held locally if there is significant public interest (30 day notice of any hearing)
- Final approval notice published in Federal Register

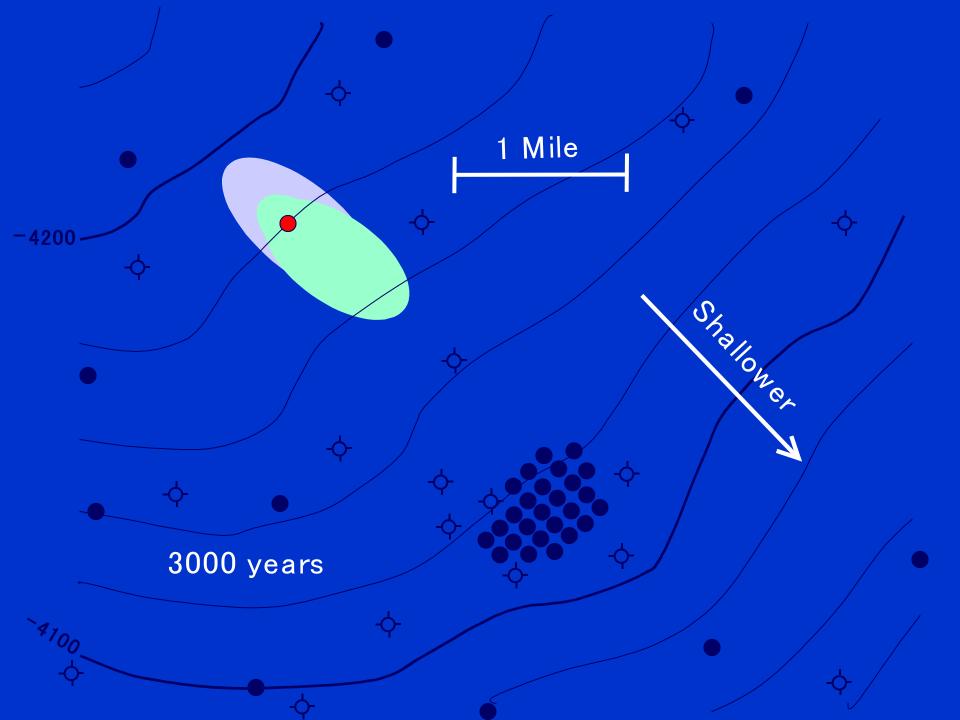
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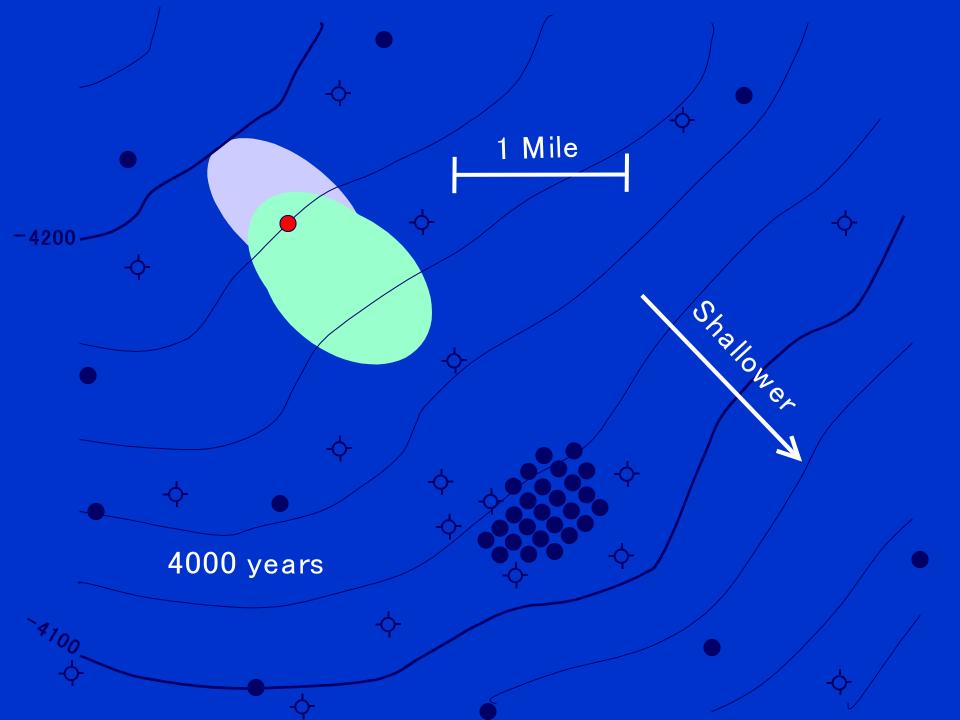


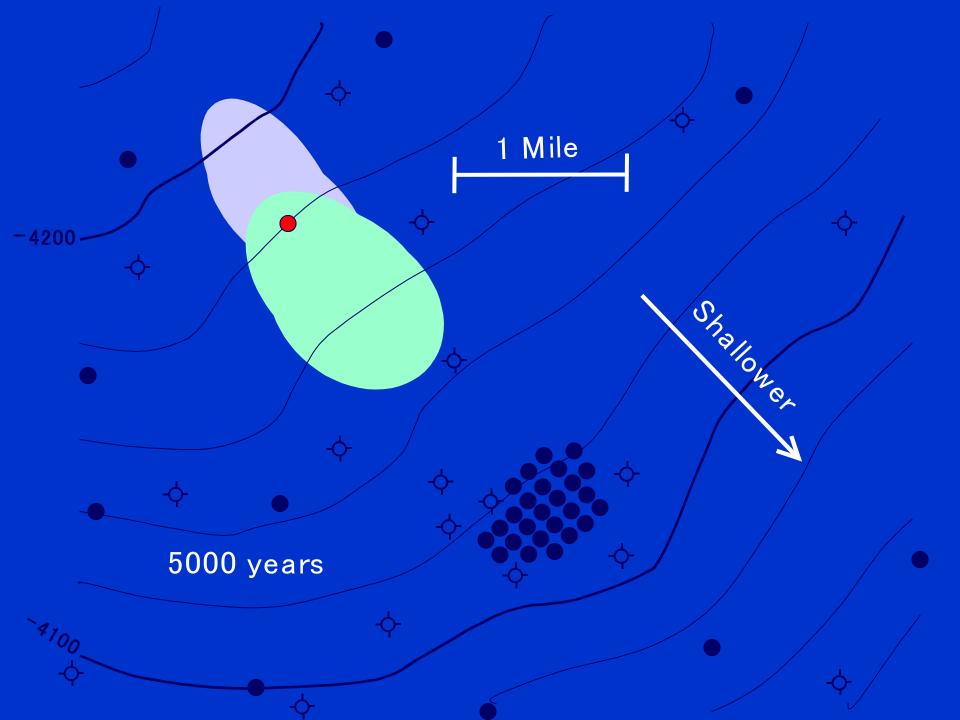


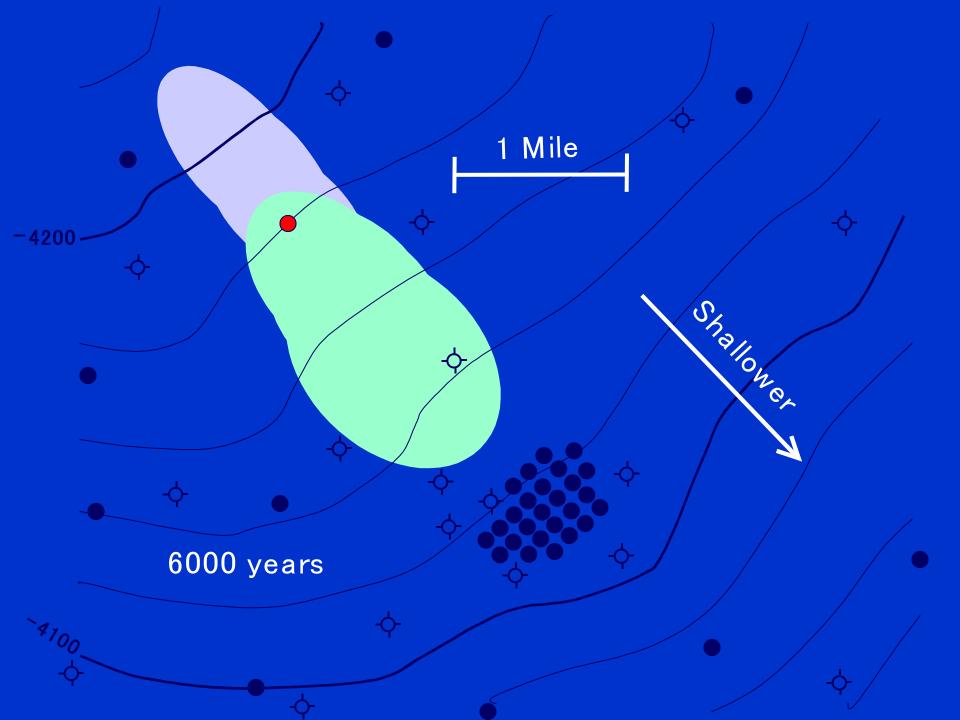


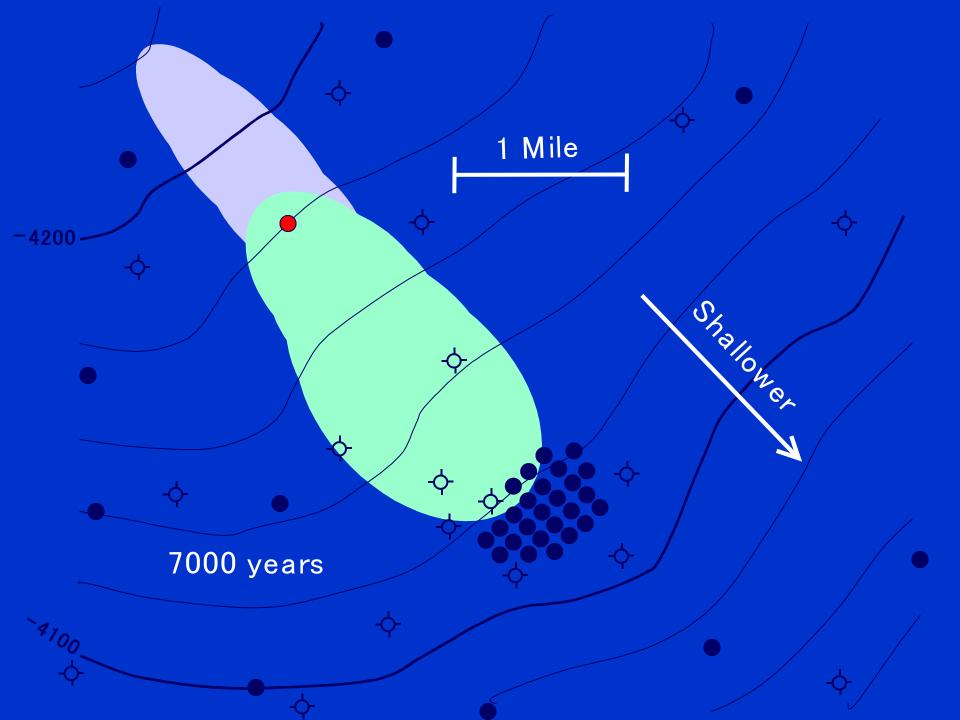


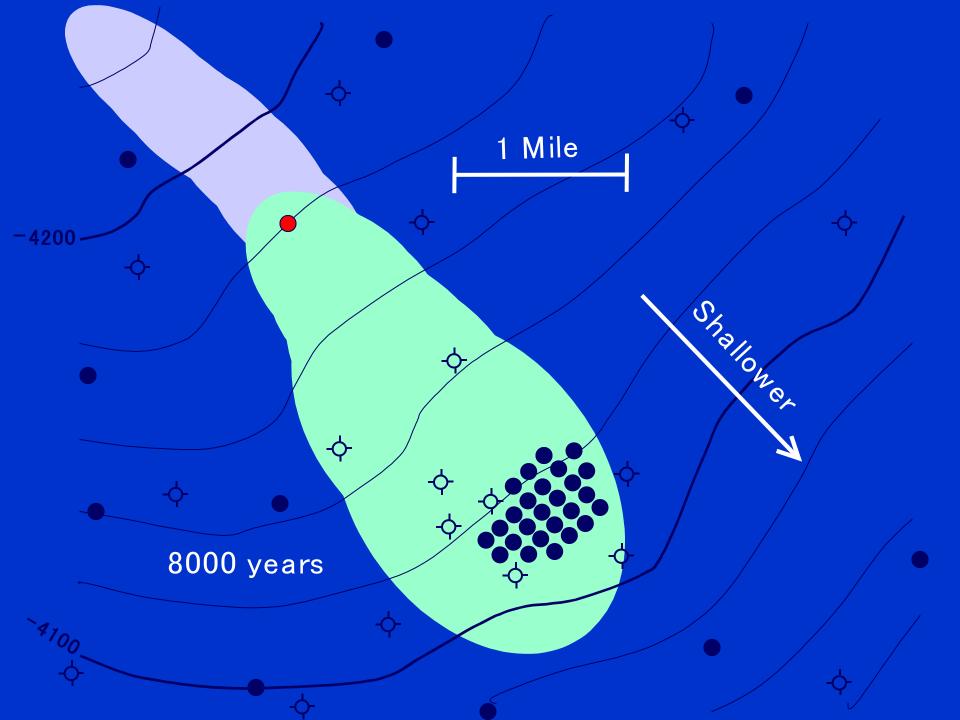


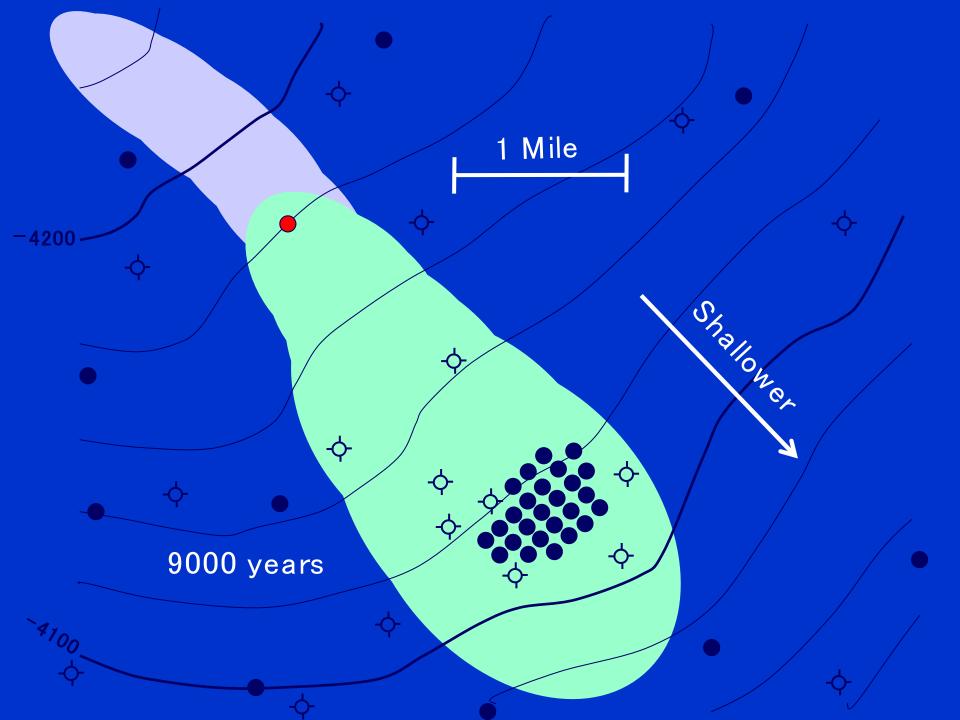


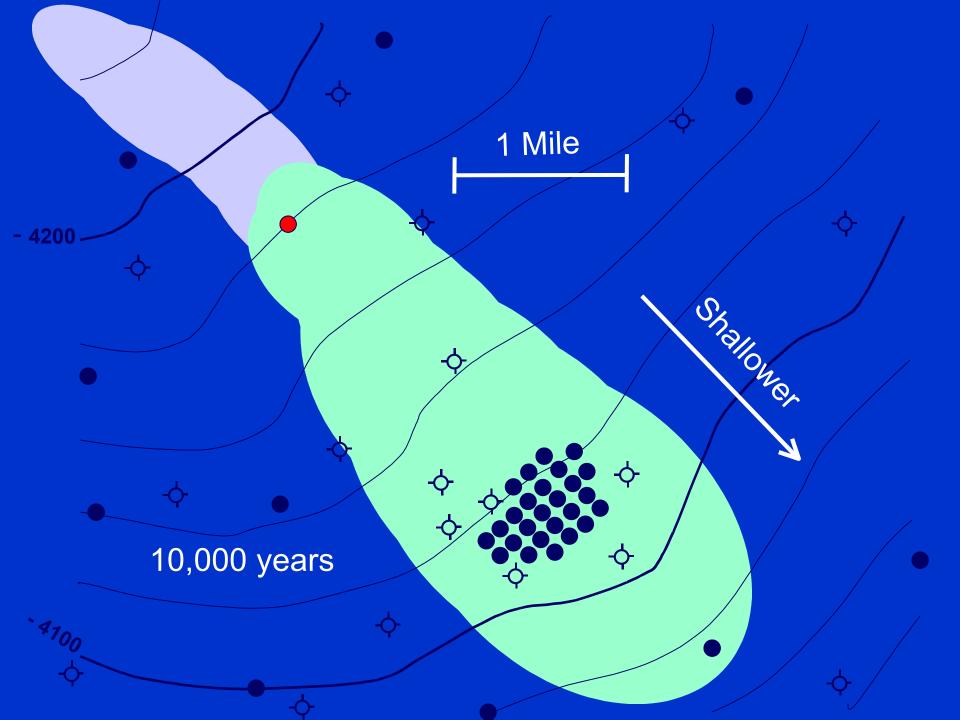












# **Petition Compliance**

- Facility is in compliance with their petition approval conditions – EPA performs petition compliance inspections to ensure that facility is in compliance with these conditions
- Annual falloff testing analysis indicates that approved petition modeling input parameters and pressure buildup projections are still conservative
- Annual radioactive tracer survey documents that all hazardous waste is being emplaced in the injection interval and the bottomhole cement has no channels

