

Environmental Assessment of Ogoniland Site Specific Fact Sheets

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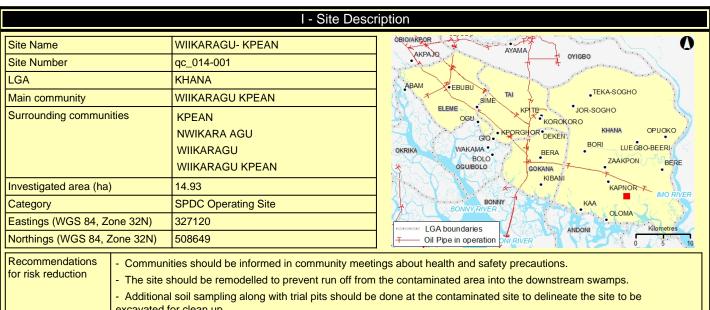
This fact sheet is part of a series prepared as part of the Environmental Assessment of Ogoniland by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP). It provides the observations and results from one of the individual sites studied in detail, plus the specific risk reduction measures for follow-up action.

This fact sheet should be read in conjunction with the main assessment report available at: www.unep.org/nigeria.



Site fact sheet

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- excavated for clean up.
- A system of ground water monitoring wells should be installed to act as early warning for communities which are not yet impacted by ground water contamination.
- A detailed plan should be prepared for clean up of the contaminated water and risk reduction in the community.
- While undertaking the clean up, management of excavation water should be handled properly to ensure that no pollutants are emitted into the environment without control.

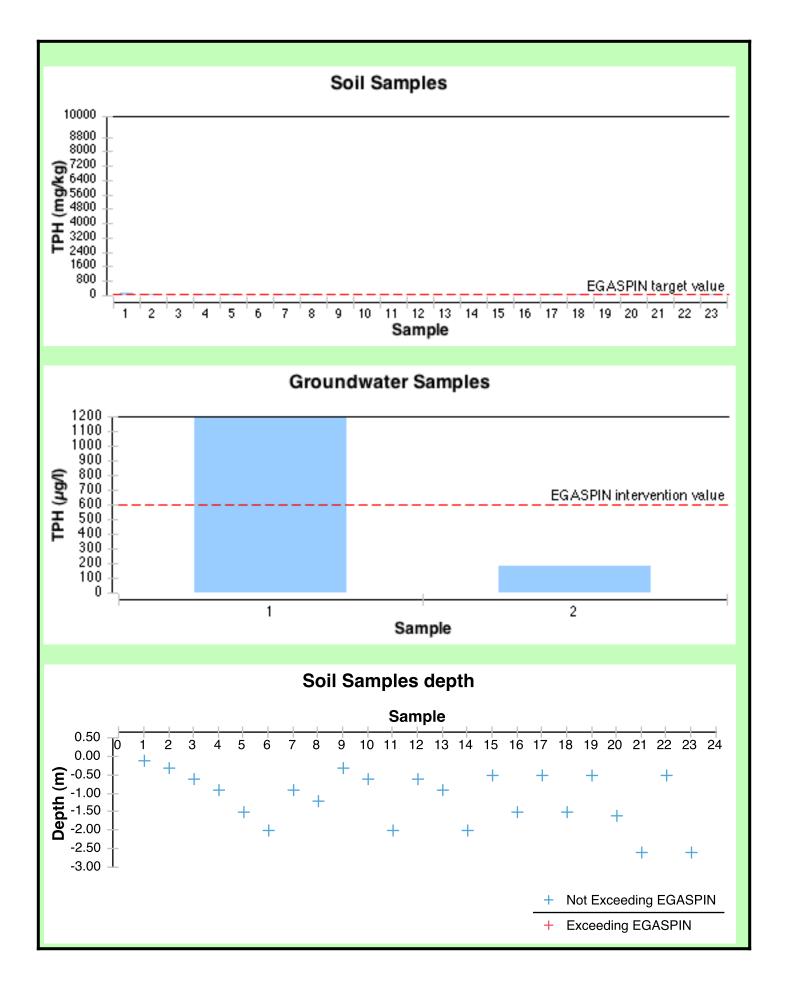
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II - Oilfield Infrastructure Type					
Wells	YORLA-016 (closed in)				
Flowstations	No				
Manifolds	No				
Flaresites	No				
Oil pipeline in operation	No				
NNPC crude line	No				
NNPC product line	No				
	III - Spill History				
Spills reported by SPDC	Incident Number	Incident Date			
	2003_00032	20030217			
Spill reported by community	Yes				
	IV - Data Screenir	ng			
Assessment criteria					
Soil contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention valu	e 5000 mg/kg; target value 50 mg/kg)			
Groundwater contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention value 600 μg/l; target value 50 μg/l)				
Sediment contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention value 5000 mg/kg; target value 50 mg/kg)				
Drinking water contamination	WHO guidelines (benzene: 10 μg/l)				
	Nigerian drinking water standards (mineral oils:	3 µg/l)			
Number of soil samples		23			
Deepest investigation (m)		2.6			
Maximum soil TPH (mg/kg)		157.000			
Number of soil measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value		0			
Deepest sample greater than EGASPIN (m)		0			
Number of soil measurements below 1m		10			
Number of soil measurements be	elow 1m greater than EGASPIN intervention value	0			
Number of ground water samples		2			
Maximum groundwater TPH (μg/l)		2,140			
Number of groundwater measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value		1			
Number of community well samp	les	1			
Presence of hydrocarbons in community wells		Not found			
Number of CL sediment samples		0			
Maximum CL sediment TPH (mg.		Not applicable			
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Not applicable

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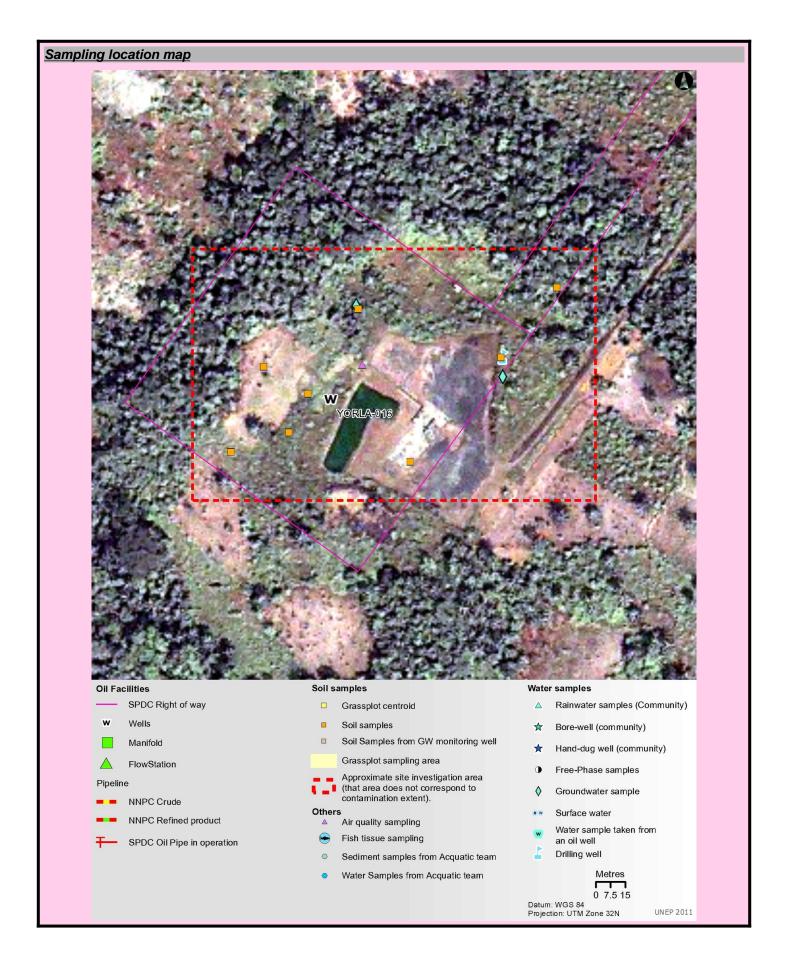
Number of CL sediment measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value Presence of hydrocarbons in sediment above EGASPIN intervention value



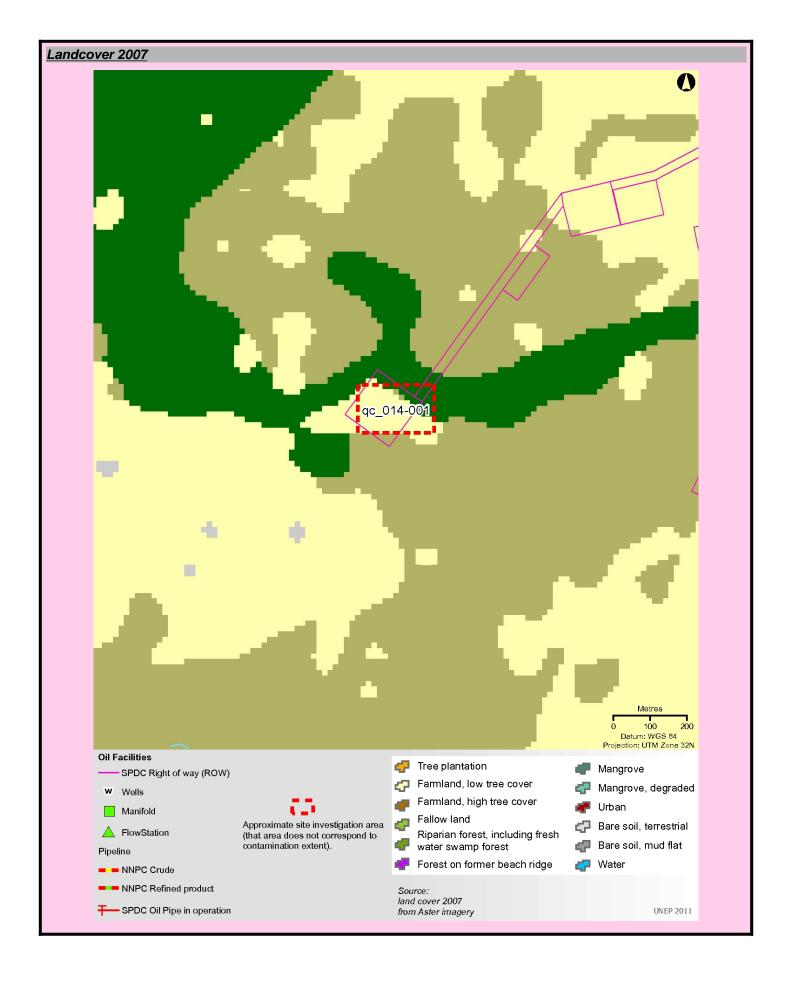
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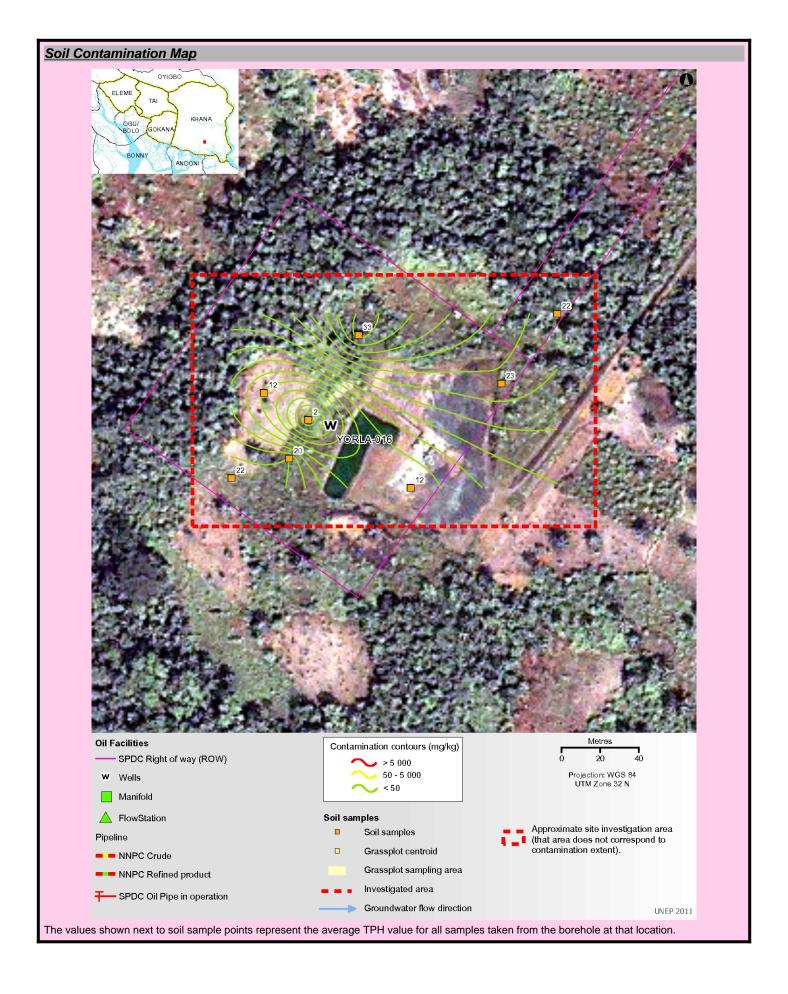
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VI - Photos

Ground photograph



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Sample Identifier	Total petroleum hydrocarbon (mg/kg)	Depth (m)	Easting	Northing
1822250	49.400	1.50	327101	508683
1822266	21.800	1.50	327065	508619
1822285	BDL	2.00	327075	508639
1822303	0.365	0.60	327101	508683
1822320	3.450	0.30	327075	508639
1822334	14.800	0.90	327128	508604
1822423	20.800	1.50 2.00 0.10	327035 327101	508609
1822456	9.120			508683
1822478	157.000		327101	508683
1822501	28.300	2.60	327175	508658
1822569	24.200	0.50	327035	508609
1822596	14.300	1.60	327052	508653
1822641	32.400	0.30	327101	508683
1822673	31.500	31.500 0.90 327101 8.750 2.00 327128 BDL 2.60 327052 3.250 0.50 327175	327101	508683
1822724	8.750		327128	508604
1822735	BDL		327052	508653
1822760	3.250		327175	508658
1822778	16.700	0.50	327065	508619
1822802	8.300	0.60	327075	508639
1822853	27.200	1.20	327204	508694
1822866	16.800	0.60	327128	508604
1822884	28.900	0.50	327052	508653
1822976	20.900	0.90	327204	508694
dwater sample li	<u>ist</u>			
Sample Identifier	Total petroleum hydrocarbon (µg/l)	Easting		Northing
1823013	178	327176		508648
1823025	2,140	327100		508685

BDL

328504

509806

2390635

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The Site Fact Sheets present more detailed data from UNEP's environmental assessment of Ogoniland on a site-by-site basis. Note that all data is based on the analysis of samples taken during the fieldwork period. The period of most intensive fieldwork ran from April to December 2010. The final sampling visit was completed in January 2011.

Here is a guide to the terms and abbreviations used. Please refer to the Environmental Assessment of Ogoniland report for details of EGASPIN target and intervention values.

Terminology

Site number Reference number allocated by UNEP to identify a study site

Area (ha) Estimated surface area (in hectares) of a given study site

Well Oil well, also referred to as a production well

Fugro well installed by Fugro at UNEP's request to enable scientific

sampling and monitoring

Community well Wells belonging to communities which are used to collect water for

drinking and sanitation needs

Contamination contour Maps that display the geographical distribution of oil contamination

concentrations in an analyzed receptor

Flare site Indicates whether the burning of unwanted gas through a pipe (or flare)

takes place at a given site

Flow station Separation facilities (also called gathering centres) which separate

natural gas and water from crude oil extracted from production wells

Incident number Numbers as supplied from the SPDC oil spills database

Manifold An arrangement of piping or valves designed to control, distribute and

often monitor fluid flow

Abbreviations

BDL Below Detection Limit
CL Contaminated Land

EGASPIN Environmental Guidelines and Standards for Petroleum Industries in

Nigeria

GW groundwater

LGA Local Government Area mbgs metre/s below ground surface

NNPC Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation

SPDC Shell Petroleum Development Company of Nigeria

TPH total petroleum hydrocarbons

UNEP United Nations Environment Programme

Explanatory Note

- The recommendations given are for initial risk reduction. Final clean up would need significant additional site specific engineering as well as consultation work.
- 2. Spill reported by SPDC has the date format YYYYMMDD
- 3. Assessment is done based on a screening of the measured value against a Nigerian or international standard
- 4. In the soil sample maps, the highest value has been cut-off to 2 times the intervention value. This was done to visually express the excedences above intervention values. Actual values are given in the sample tables.

5. The values of soil contamination listed in the Soil Contamination Maps are average values of all samples taken at that sampling location

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