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Environmental Assessment of Ogoniland
Site Specific Fact Sheets

WIIBOORA- KPEAN

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.

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Site fact sheet

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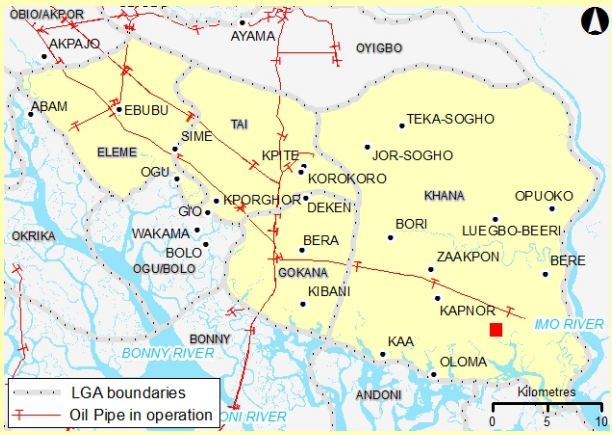
I - Site Description

Site Name	WIIBOORA- KPEAN
Site Number	qc_014-004
LGA	KHANA
Main community	WIIBOORA KPEAN
Surrounding communities	WIIBOORA KPEAN WIIBORA
Investigated area (ha)	10.23
Category	SPDC Operating Site
Eastings (WGS 84, Zone 32N)	329078
Northings (WGS 84, Zone 32N)	508497



Recommendations for risk reduction	- Communities should be informed in community meetings about health and safety precautions. - The site should be remodelled to prevent run off from the contaminated area into the downstream swamps. - Additional soil sampling along with trial pits should be done at the contaminated site to delineate the site to be 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. - 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.

II - Oilfield Infrastructure Type

Wells	YORLA-008 (producing)
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	No
Spill reported by community	Yes

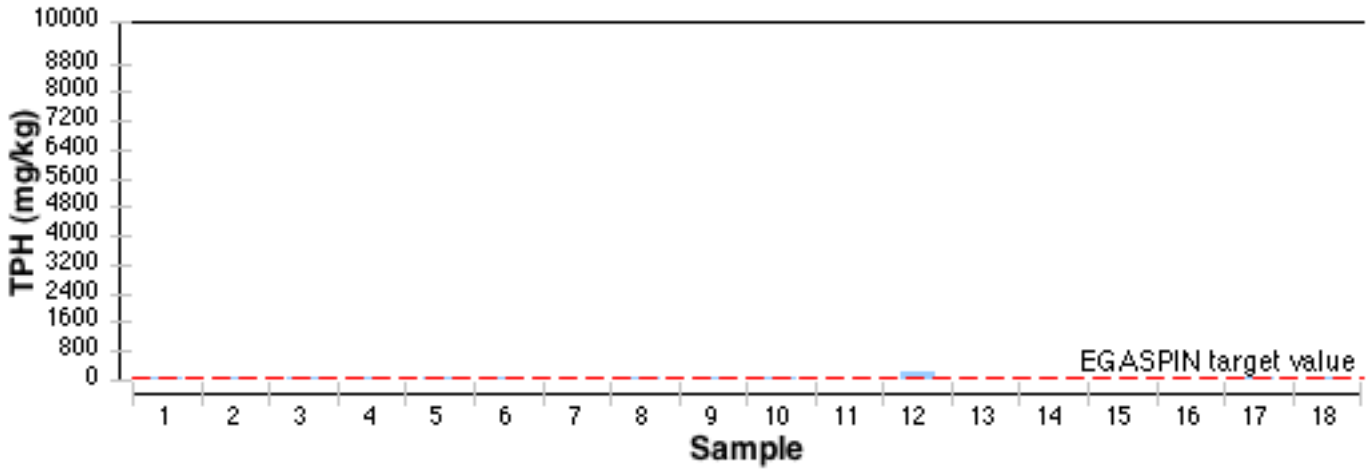
IV - Data Screening

Assessment criteria

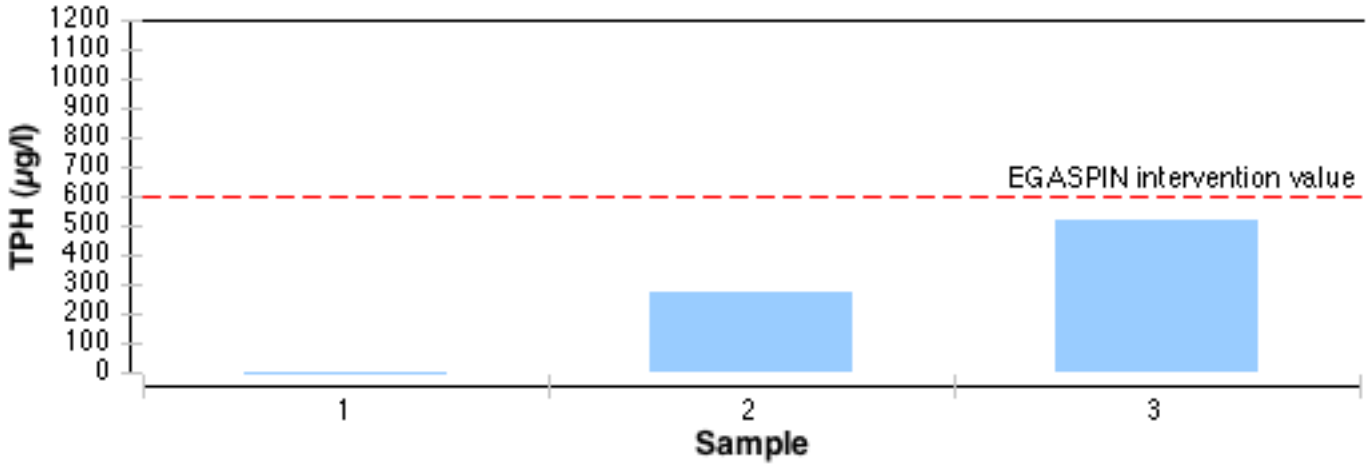
Soil contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention value 5000 mg/kg; target value 50 mg/kg)
Groundwater contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention value 600 µg/l; target value 50 µg/l)
Sediment contamination	Nigerian standards EGASPIN (intervention value 5000 mg/kg; target value 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	18
Deepest investigation (m)	2.6
Maximum soil TPH (mg/kg)	198.000
Number of soil measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value	0
Deepest sample greater than EGASPIN (m)	0
Number of soil measurements below 1m	14
Number of soil measurements below 1m greater than EGASPIN intervention value	0
Number of ground water samples	3
Maximum groundwater TPH (µg/l)	519
Number of groundwater measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value	0
Number of community well samples	0
Presence of hydrocarbons in community wells	Not applicable
Number of CL sediment samples	0
Maximum CL sediment TPH (mg/kg)	Not applicable
Number of CL sediment measurements greater than EGASPIN intervention value	0
Presence of hydrocarbons in sediment above EGASPIN intervention value	Not applicable

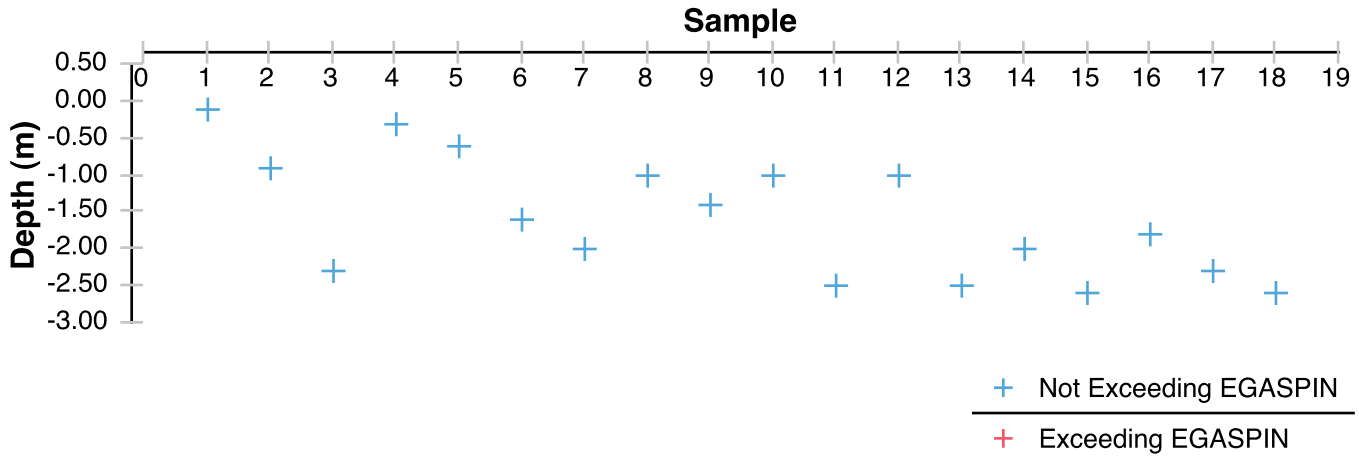
Soil Samples



Groundwater Samples



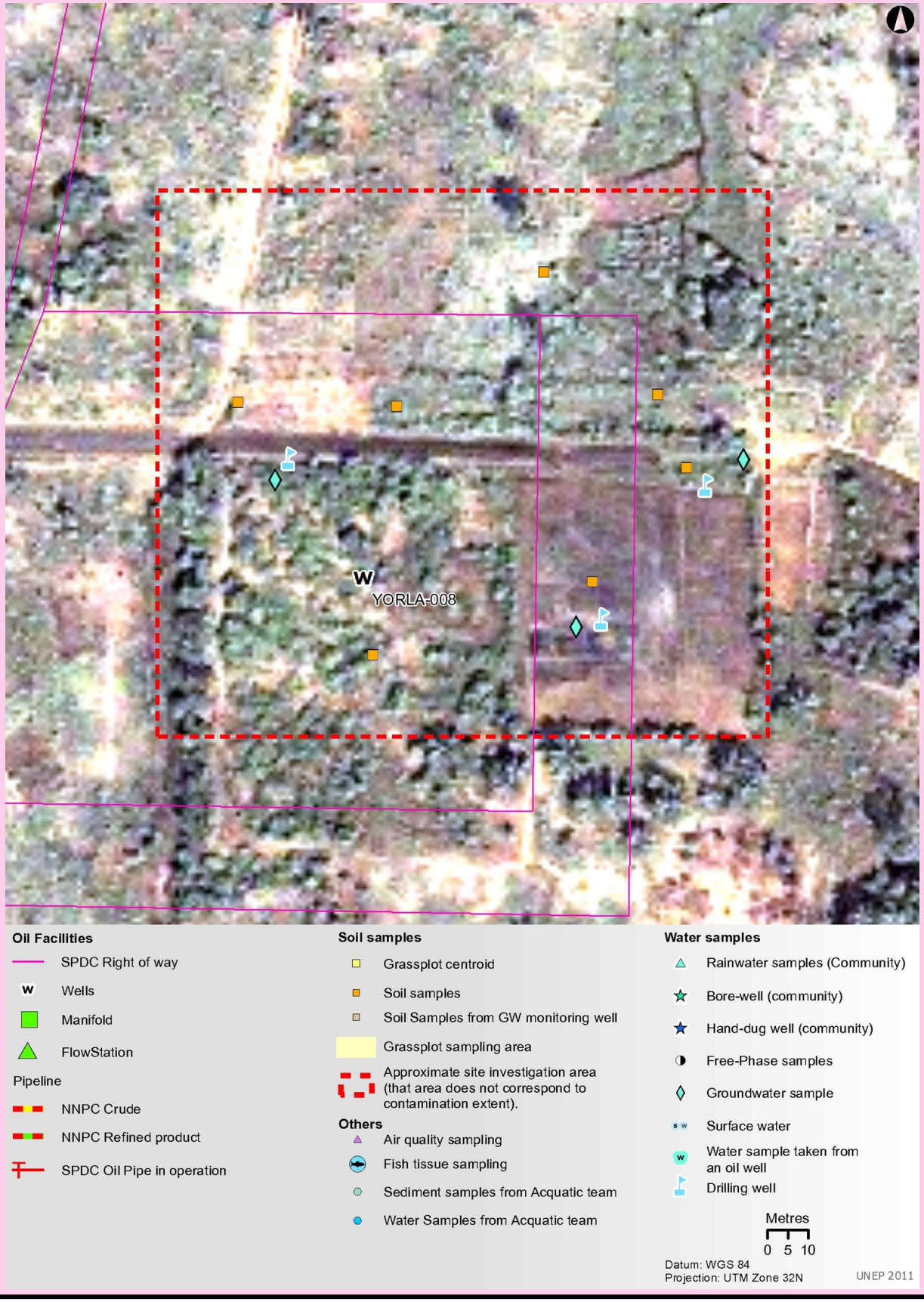
Soil Samples depth



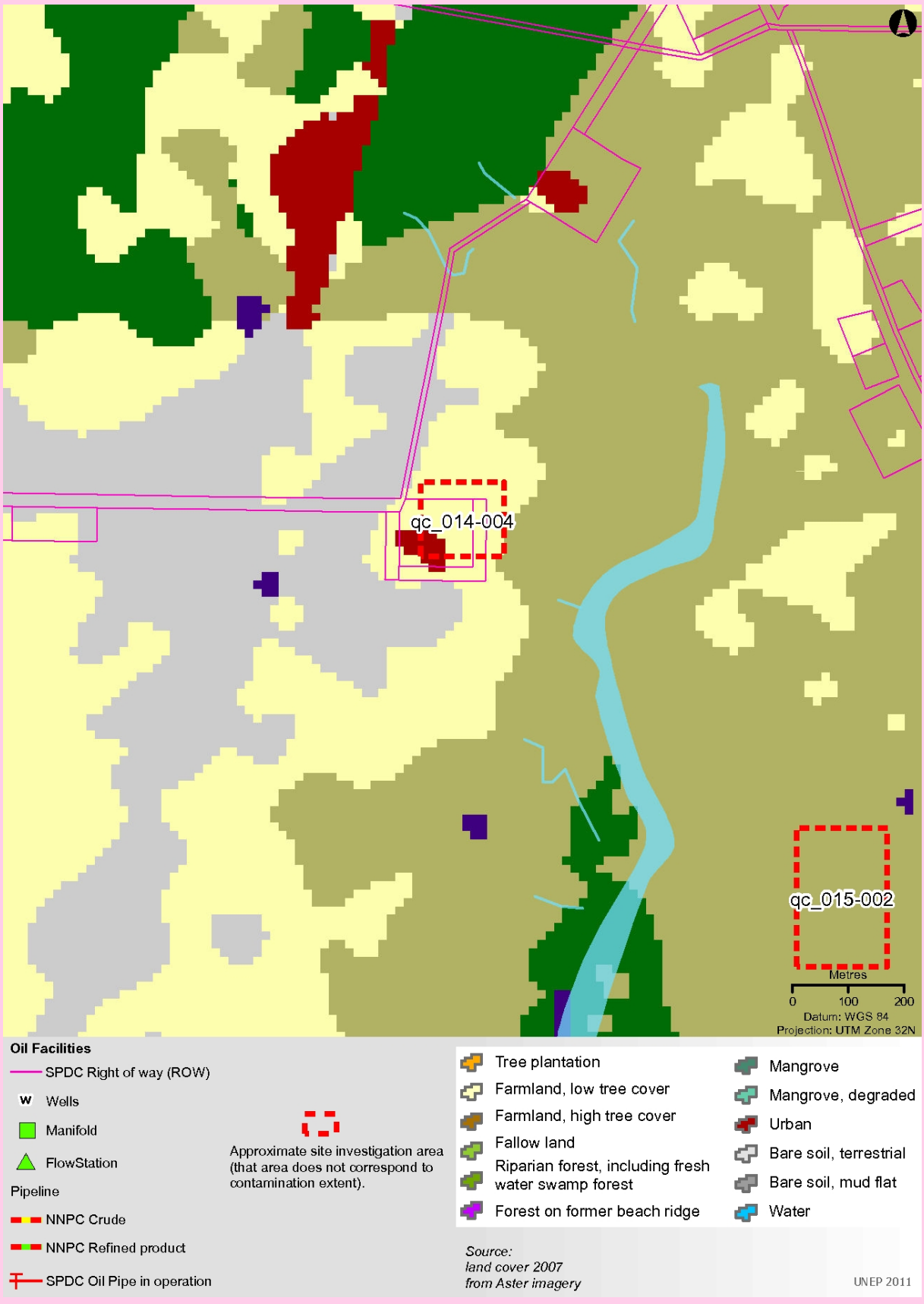
V - Maps

Satellite image of the site

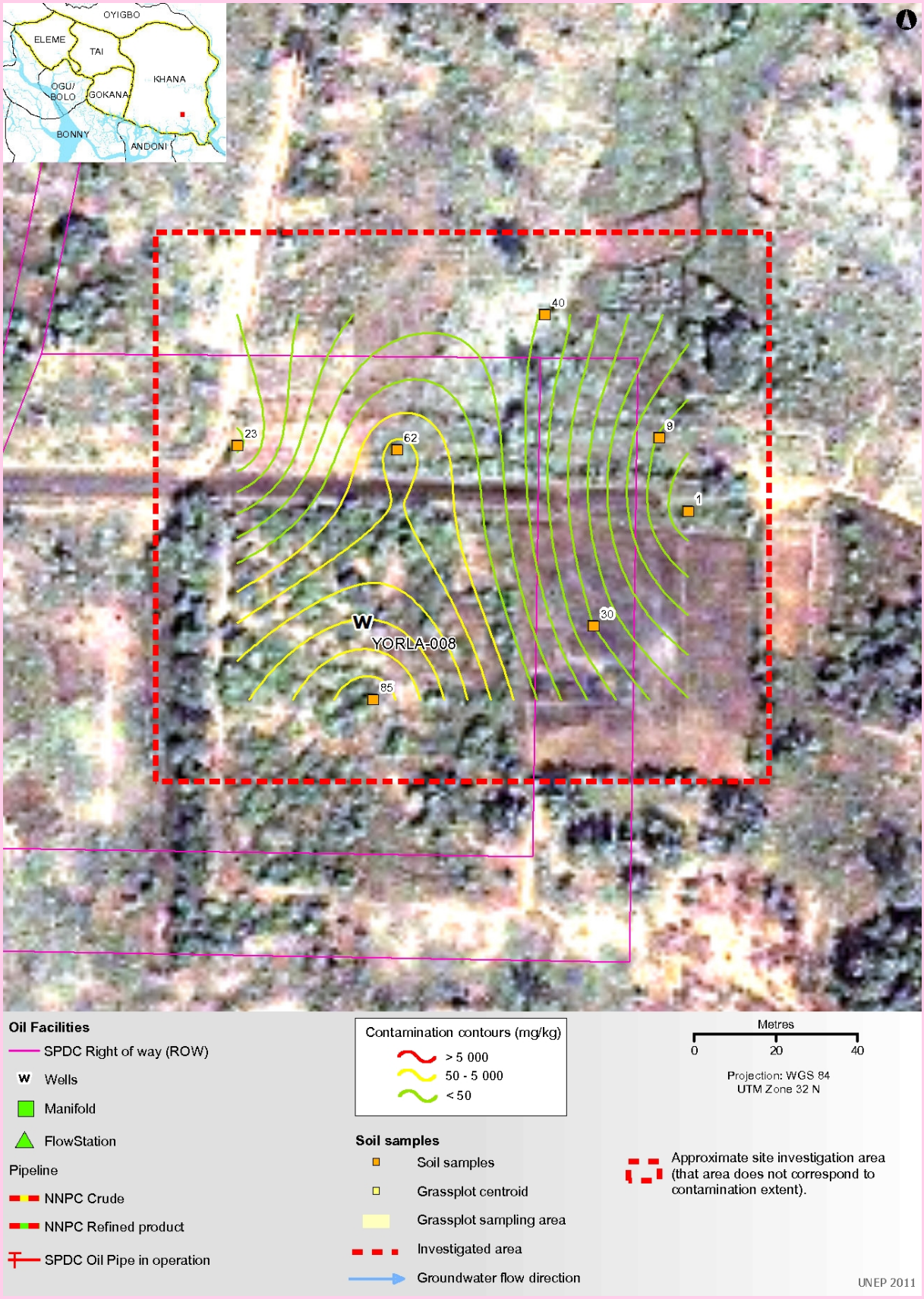
Sampling location map



Landcover 2007



Soil Contamination Map



The values shown next to soil sample points represent the average TPH value for all samples taken from the borehole at that location.

VI - Photos

Ground photograph

VII - Sample List

Soil sample list

Sample Identifier	Total petroleum hydrocarbon (mg/kg)	Depth (m)	Easting	Northing
1813692	74.400	1.00	329110	508468
1813731	9.130	2.50	329056	508450
1813765	0.550	2.60	329133	508496
1813813	24.900	2.30	329023	508512
1813855	19.300	1.00	329098	508544
1813883	0.674	1.80	329126	508514
1813958	90.400	1.40	329098	508544
1813975	22.800	2.60	329126	508514
1814005	0.421	2.00	329062	508511
1814018	0.274	2.50	329110	508468
1814037	0.687	2.00	329133	508496
1814162	48.000	0.60	329062	508511
1814178	198.000	1.00	329056	508450
1814183	32.400	2.30	329126	508514
1814199	22.500	0.90	329023	508512
1814215	85.700	1.60	329062	508511
1814232	24.300	0.10	329023	508512
1815449	81.700	0.30	329062	508511

Groundwater sample list

Sample Identifier	Total petroleum hydrocarbon (µg/l)	Easting	Northing
1812973	268	329106	508457
1813600	519	329032	508493
1813659	BDL	329147	508498

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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	New 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

1. 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