





LEGEND:

- Groundwater Monitoring Well
- Agricultural Supply Well
- Domestic Supply Well
- Other Supply Well
- Groundwater Extraction Well (Active)
- Multifunction Test Well, or Inactive Extraction/Injection Well
- Freshwater Injection Well
- PG&E Owned Property
- PG&E Compressor Station
- County Parcel
- Transmission Line
- Approximate Limit of Saturated Alluvium Upper Aquifer
- Approximate Location of Lockhart Fault
- Fault Trace is Intermittent, and There is No Surface Expression (Starnes et al., 2011)
- Bedrock Exposed at Ground Surface

Abbreviations:

- µg/L, micrograms per liter
- mg/L, milligrams per liter
- Cr(VI), hexavalent chromium
- Cr(III), total dissolved chromium in Silica Reactive Zone
- ND, not detected
- NS, not sampled

Groundwater Cr(VI) concentrations in monitoring wells:

- More than 1,000 µg/L
- 100 to 1,000 µg/L
- 50 to 100 µg/L
- 10 to 50 µg/L
- 3.1 to 10 µg/L
- Less than 3.1 µg/L or ND

NOTES:

- Chromium results are shown for Site-wide Groundwater Monitoring Program and domestic wells sampled in the First Quarter (January through March) 2016 monitoring period. For wells sampled multiple times during the reporting period, the most recent results are shown.
- The concentration contours are based on First Quarter 2016 chromium results for the groundwater monitoring and extraction wells that are completed in the shallow zone and deep zone of the Upper Aquifer as noted on Figures 5-1 and 5-2. Results for domestic wells (brown-colored labels) were not used for chromium plume contouring except for those in the northern area, pursuant to the Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board's Cleanup and Abatement Order dated November 4, 2015.
- Pursuant to the Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board's Cleanup and Abatement Order dated November 4, 2015, groundwater monitoring wells are not used for chromium contouring if they are located in the areas southwest of the Lockhart Fault and on or east of Dine Road. Monitoring wells sampled southwest of Lockhart Fault and east of Dine Road were sampled in support of United States Geological Survey investigations.
- Chromium plume contours in the general area south of Highway 58, were developed using a larger set of monitoring data which is presented in the April 15, 2016 First Quarter 2016 Monitoring Report for the In-Situ Reactive Zone and Northwest Freshwater Injection Projects (Acacia 2016). Select wells from that program are shown here for reference.

WORKS CITED:

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FIGURE 5-5
CHROMIUM RESULTS FOR FIRST QUARTER 2016
GROUNDWATER MONITORING AND
DOMESTIC WELL SAMPLING AND MAXIMUM
COMPOSITE PLUME OUTLINE IN UPPER AQUIFER

FIRST QUARTER 2016 GROUNDWATER MONITORING REPORT AND DOMESTIC WELL RESULTS SITE-WIDE GROUNDWATER MONITORING PROGRAM

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