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Assets AIRGAS Merchant Gas Kalama / 88917 (1,850) Results All

Inspection Information

Inspection Name Airgas Section 114 Checklist

Status PLANNED
Start Year 2022
System Type GT
Protocol Set ID GT.2022.02

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Inspection Summary

Inspection Scope and Summary

This is a Airgas, Kalama, PIPES Act of 2020 Section 114 inspection.

SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

Commodity: Hydrogen Gas

Pipe Type: Steel

Pipe Size: 2"

MAOP: 285psig

Length: 2.16 miles

Class Location: 2

Facilities visited and Total AFOD

1 AFOD

Summary of Significant Findings

Report Filters: Results: all

No findings

Primary Operator contacts and/or participants

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Scope (Assets)

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	Asset	Asset	Excluded			Total	%
# Short Name Long Name	Type	IDs	Topics	Planned Red	quired Ins	pected	Complete
1. 88917 (1,850) AIRGAS Merchant Gas	unit	88917		24	24	24	100.0%

^{1.} Percent completion excludes unanswered questions planned as "always observe".

Plans

#	Plan Assets	Focus Directives	Involved Groups/Subgroups	Qst Type(s)	Extent	Notes
1.	88917 (1,850)		114	P, R, O, S	Detail	

Plan Implementations

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1	Airgas 114 questio		09/19/202		114	all	all	24	24	24	100.0%
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- 1. Since questions may be implemented in multiple activities, but answered only once, questions may be represented more than once in this table.
- 2. Percent completion excludes unanswered questions planned as "always observe".
- 3. Question counts and completion percents are filtered to include only questions planned for and results applied to the filtered Assets.

Forms

No.	Entity	Form Name	Status	Date Completed	Activity Name	Asset
1	Attendance List	Airgas 114 questions	COMPLETED	09/20/2022	Airgas 114 questions	88917 (1,850)

Results (all values, 24 results)

58 (instead of 24) results are listed due to re-presentation of questions in more than one sub-group.

114.GT: Section 114 - Gas Transmission

1. Question Result, ID, NIC, SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S, (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)
References

Airgas Section 114 Checklist

Question Text What are your assets comprised of?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes Airgas pipeline consists of 2.18 miles of a 2" steel Hydrogen pipeline. MAOP 294psig, operating at 185psig.

2. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S, (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)
References

Question Text Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review.

3. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S, (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

4. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.NGUSE.S, (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities? Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

5. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.COMPRESSOR.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)
References

Question Text Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

6. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

7. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSID.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GGBOOST)
References

Question Text Do procedures provide a methodology for identifying sources of fugitive natural gas emissions in the system?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

8. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)
References

Question Text Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with nonemergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline.

9. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST) References

Question Text Do procedures provide for investigation of any unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

10. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

11. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSDETECTLK.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) References

Question Text Do procedures include instructions for personnel to detect leaks to help further reduce emission in stations and along the right of way?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

12. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKMITGRPRREPAIR.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a)

Question Text Do procedures provide alternatives to cutouts (to reduce emissions)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review.

13. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.TESTESD.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures contain measures for ensuring ESD testing minimizes natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

14. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases? Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

15. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.FLARE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures for flaring from pipeline facilities for transporting natural gas include measures for minimization of natural gas emissions?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

16. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

17. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.GNLCMPSTATION.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures contain mechanisms for minimizing natural gas emissions from operations and maintenance activities within a compressor station (i.e., beyond compressor/driver-specific procedures)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

18. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLS.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leak prone pipe

19. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, 114.GGBOOST)

Report Filters: Results: all

Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

20. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, References 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Pipeline quality steel.

 Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPROTHER.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.UNGS, References 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leaks.

114.UNGS: Section 114 - Underground Natural Gas Storage

22. Question Result, ID, References NIC, SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text What are your assets comprised of?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes Airgas pipeline consists of 2.18 miles of a 2" steel Hydrogen pipeline. MAOP 294psig, operating at 185psig.

23. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review.

24. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

25. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.NGUSE.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities? Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

26. Question Result, ID, References NA, 114.114.COMPRESSOR.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

27. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)
References

Question Text Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

Report Filters: Results: all

28. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST) References

Question Text Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with nonemergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline.

29. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures provide for investigation of any unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

30. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

31. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSWELLHD.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a)

Question Text Do procedures provide for periodic leakage surveys around the wellhead?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. No underground storage.

32. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSANN.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) References

Question Text Do procedures provide for periodic checking of wellhead annuluses for indications of leaks (e.g., unexplained pressure variations)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

33. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSFIELD.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a)

Question Text Do procedures provide for leak surveys for well casing containment or geologic issues?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. No UGS

34. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST) References

Question Text Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

35. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST) References

Question Text Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

36. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLS.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leak prone pipe

- 37. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.GGBOOST) References
 - Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

38. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, References 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Pipeline quality steel.

39. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPROTHER.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, References 114.GGBOOST)

Question Text Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leaks.

114.GGBOOST: Section 114 - Gas Gathering & Boosting

40. Question Result, ID, NIC, SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text What are your assets comprised of?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes Airgas pipeline consists of 2.18 miles of a 2" steel Hydrogen pipeline. MAOP 294psig, operating at 185psig.

41. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review.

42. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

43. Question Result, ID, NA, SRN.114.NGUSE.S, (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities? Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

44. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.COMPRESSOR.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS) References

Question Text Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

45. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review.

46. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSID.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT)

Question Text Do procedures provide a methodology for identifying sources of fugitive natural gas emissions in the system?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

47. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with nonemergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline.

48. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do procedures provide for investigation of any unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

49. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

50. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.TESTESD.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT)

Question Text Do procedures contain measures for ensuring ESD testing minimizes natural gas releases? Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

51. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

52. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.FLARE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT)

Question Text Do procedures for flaring from pipeline facilities for transporting natural gas include measures for minimization of natural gas emissions?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

53. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS) References

Question Text Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

54. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.114.GNLCMPSTATION.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT)

Question Text Do procedures contain mechanisms for minimizing natural gas emissions from operations and maintenance activities within a compressor station (i.e., beyond compressor/driver-specific procedures)?

Airgas Section 114 Checklist Report Filters: Results: all

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

55. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLS.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leak prone pipe

56. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLSLKDATA.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)
References

Question Text Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Hydrogen pipeline

57. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such relevant facilities/equipment existed in the scope of inspection review. Pipeline quality steel.

58. Question Result, ID, NA, 114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPROTHER.P, 49 U.S.C. 60108(a) (also presented in: 114.GT, 114.UNGS)

Question Text Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?

Assets Covered 88917 (1,850)

Result Notes No such event occurred, or condition existed, in the scope of inspection review. No leaks.

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Report Filters: Results: all

Inspection Results (IRR)

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Row	Assets	Result	(Note ¹)	Sub-Group	Qst #	Question ID	References	Question Text
1.	88917 (1,850)	NIC	3	114.GT	1.	SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S		What are your assets comprised of?
2.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	2.	SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S		Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?
3.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	3.	SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S		Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?
4.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	4.	SRN.114.NGUSE.S		Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities?
5.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	5.	114.114.COMPRESSOR.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?
6.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	6.	114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?
7.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GT	7.	114.114.LKRLSID.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide a methodology for identifying sources of fugitive natural gas emissions in the system?
	88917 (1,850)		3	114.GT	8.	114.114.LKRLSVENT.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with non-emergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?
9.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	9.	114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide for investigation of any

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								unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?
10.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	10.	114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
11.	88917 (1,850)	NA		114.GT	11.	114.114.LKRLSDETECTLK.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include instructions for personnel to detect leaks to help further reduce emission in stations and along the right of way?
12.	88917 (1,850)	NA		114.GT	12.	114.114.LKMITGRPRREPAIR.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide alternatives to cutouts (to reduce emissions)?
13.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GT	13.	114.114.TESTESD.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures contain measures for ensuring ESD testing minimizes natural gas releases?
14.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	14.	114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases?
15.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GT	15.	114.114.FLARE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures for flaring from pipeline facilities for transporting natural gas include measures for minimization of natural gas emissions?
16.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	16.	114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?
17.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GT	17.	114.114.GNLCMPSTATION.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures contain mechanisms for minimizing natural gas emissions from

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								operations and maintenance activities within a compressor station (i.e., beyond compressor/driver- specific procedures)?
18.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	18.		49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?
19.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	19.		49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
20.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	20.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?
21.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GT	21.		49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?
22.	88917 (1,850)	NIC	3	114.UNGS	1.	SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S		What are your assets comprised of?
	88917 (1,850)		3	114.UNGS	2.	SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S		Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?
24.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	3.	SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S		Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?

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25.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	4.	SRN.114.NGUSE.S		Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities?
26.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	5.	114.114.COMPRESSOR.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?
27.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	6.	114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?
28.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	7.	114.114.LKRLSVENT.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with nonemergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?
29.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	8.	114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide for investigation of any unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?
30.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	9.	114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
31.	88917 (1,850)	NA		114.UNGS	10.	114.114.LKRLSWELLHD.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide for periodic leakage surveys around the wellhead?
32.	88917 (1,850)	NA		114.UNGS	11.	114.114.LKRLSANN.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide for periodic checking of wellhead annuluses for indications of leaks

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								(e.g., unexplained pressure variations)?
33.	88917 (1,850)	NA		114.UNGS	12.	114.114.LKRLSFIELD.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures provide for leak surveys for well casing containment or geologic issues?
34.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	13.	114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases?
35.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	14.	114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?
36.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	15.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLS.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?
37.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	16.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLSLKDATA.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
38.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	17.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?
39.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.UNGS	18.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPROTHER.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?

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40.	88917 (1,850)	NIC	3	114.GGBOOST	1.	SRN.114.INSPECTCVRG.S		What are your assets comprised of?
41.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	2.	SRN.114.GASTRANSPORT.S		Do you transport natural gas as a specific commodity (i.e., not a byproduct or constituent of another substance)?
42.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	3.	SRN.114.DRIVERENGINE.S		Do you use natural gas-fueled drivers or engines to compress natural gas?
43.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	4.	SRN.114.NGUSE.S		Do you use natural gas for fuel or power appurtenances or instrument gas on regulated facilities?
44.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	5.	114.114.COMPRESSOR.P		Do the maintenance and operations procedures for compressors include provisions to minimize fugitive natural gas losses?
45.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	6.	114.114.DRIVERENGINE.P	60108(a)	Do maintenance procedures include measures for monitoring and correcting incomplete combustion of natural gas in driver or engine exhausts and taking corrective action if identified?
46.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GGBOOST	7.	114.114.LKRLSID.P		Do procedures provide a methodology for identifying sources of fugitive natural gas emissions in the system?
47.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	8.	114.114.LKRLSVENT.P		Do procedures identify measures for minimizing natural gas release volumes associated with nonemergency venting and blowdowns from operations and maintenance?
48.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	9.	114.114.LKRLSUNEXPCTVENT.P		Do procedures provide for investigation of any unanticipated vented releases of natural gas, and if so, what are the associated actions?
49.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	10.	114.114.LKRLSLKDATA.P		Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and analyze detailed

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								information from detected natural gas leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
50.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GGBOOST	11.	114.114.TESTESD.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures contain measures for ensuring ESD testing minimizes natural gas releases?
51.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	12.	114.114.TESTRELIEFVLV.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do relief valve testing procedures include measures to minimize natural gas releases?
52.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GGBOOST	13.	114.114.FLARE.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures for flaring from pipeline facilities for transporting natural gas include measures for minimization of natural gas emissions?
53.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	14.	114.114.GNLDSGNCNFG.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do operation and maintenance procedures contain mechanisms for identifying potential design/configuration changes for reducing natural gas releases?
54.	88917 (1,850)	NA	2	114.GGBOOST	15.	114.114.GNLCMPSTATION.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures contain mechanisms for minimizing natural gas emissions from operations and maintenance activities within a compressor station (i.e., beyond compressor/driverspecific procedures)?
	88917 (1,850)		3	114.GGBOOST	16.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLS.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	What procedures are in place to monitor for and identify pipe segments that are leak-prone, and what criteria (e.g., frequency of leak or failure events) are specified for determining a pipeline segment is leak-prone?
56.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	17.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKRLSLKDATA.P	49 U.S.C. 60108(a)	Do procedures include a methodology to collect, retain and

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								analyze detailed information from detected leaks, including those eliminated by lubrication, adjustment, tightening or otherwise below thresholds for regulatory reporting?
57.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	18.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPREXAMPLE.P	60108(a)	Do procedures identify cast iron, unprotected steel, wrought iron, and vintage plastic pipe with known leak issues?
58.	88917 (1,850)	NA	3	114.GGBOOST	19.	114.LEAKPRONE.LKMITGRPROTHER.P	60108(a)	Do procedures clearly define a process to address replacement or remediation of pipe segments with known leak issues beyond those specifically identified in Section 114?

1. Result is repeated (N) times in this report due to re-presentation of the question in multiple sub-groups.

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