



ITRC Hydrocarbons Team Training: Scenario 1: Fluvial - Gasoline Site



The example boring log shown above illustrates the variations in soil geology corresponding to depth below ground surface. This is important to understand hydrogeologic conditions associated with LNAPL and groundwater and vertical zone of contaminant impacts.





The example soil data shows depth discrete soil concentration data (mg of contaminant per kilogram of soil) for a specific contaminant (TPH-aromatic) and compared against action levels. For example, samples were collected at 4 ft below ground (295), 9 ft (290) and 14 ft (285) and TPH-aromatic range was measured (at 8,808 mg/kg) only at 290 ft and exceeded the residential (97 mg/kg) and industrial (560 mg/kg) action levels.



The example data shows depth discrete soil gas concentration data (micrograms of contaminant per cubic meter of soil gas) for a specific contaminant (benzene) and compared against action levels. For example, samples were collected at ground (299) and 2 ft (297) and benzene was not measured. Action levels to compare are residential air (0.36 ug/kg), residential vapor (12 ug/kg) and industrial vapor (1.8 ug/kg).

## Soil Data

Benzene

Residential: 1.2

- → Contaminant of Concern
- Residential Action Level (Table 1) (solid blue line)
- Measured soil benzene concentration at the measured depth (e.g., 290 ft)
- → Elevation below Ground Surface
- Industrial Action Level (Table 1) (dashed magenta line)
- Concentration (mg/kg)

200

100

mg/kg) action levels.

The example soil data shows depth discrete soil concentration data (mg of contaminant per kilogram of soil) for a specific contaminant (benzene) and compared against action levels. For example, samples were collected at 4 ft below ground (295), 9 ft (290) and 14 ft (285) and benzene was measured (at 29.36 mg/kg) only at 290 ft and exceeded the residential (1.2 mg/kg) and industrial (5.1

## Soil Gas Data

- Contaminant of Concern
- Residential Air Action Level (Table 1) (solid purple line)
- Measured soil gas (benzene) concentration at the measured depth (e.g., 299 ft)
- Elevation below Ground Surface
- Residential Vapor Action Level (Table 1) (dashed magenta line)



The example soil data shows depth discrete soil concentration data (mg of contaminant per kilogram of soil) for a specific contaminant (TPH-aliphatic) and compared against action levels. For example, samples were collected at 4 ft below ground (295), 9 ft (290) and 14 ft (285) and TPH-aliphatic range was measured (at 14,680 mg/kg) only at 290 ft and exceeded the residential (96 mg/kg) and industrial (440 mg/kg) action levels.



The example data shows depth discrete soil gas concentration data (as percentage) for gases indicative of natural attenuation of LNAPL (oxygen, carbon dioxide and methane). For example, Oxygen was measured at atmospheric concentration (21%) at ground surface and depleted concentration (18%) at 297 ft. At this depth carbon dioxide was also measured at 2%.





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level of 0.005 mg/l.



aromatic range.

aliphatic range and above the action level of 0.01 mg/l for