

General Environmental Incident Summary

Incident: 2045 **Date/Time Notice:** 9/17/2013 1619 **DEM Incident No:**
Responsible Party: American Crystal Sugar Company
Date Incident: 9/17/2013 **Time Incident:** 1300 **Duration:** 10 minutes
County: Pembina **Twp:** 159 **Rng:** 51 **Sec:** 13 **Qtr:**
Lat: 48.59272 **Long:** -97.15803 **Method:** Derived from TRS
Location Description: 8152 County Hwy 44 North
Drayton, ND 58225-0190

Submitted By: Steve Lindquist **Affiliation:**

Address:

City: **State:** **Zip:**

Received By:

Contact Person: Paul King
8152 County Hwy 44 North
Drayton, ND 58225-0190

Distance Nearest Occupied Building: 2 Miles

Type of Incident: Vehicle Accident

Description of Released Contaminant: sugar beet molasses

Volume Spilled: 175.00 gallons **Ag Related:** No

EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance: No **Reported to NRC:** Unknown

Cause of Incident:

The molasses tanker did not overflow--- there was a plug in the fill line. The back pressure blew the line apart spilling the molasses over the railcar and the tracks.

Risk Evaluation:

None

of Fatalities: 0 **# of Injuries:** 0 **Affected Medium:** 04 - water and soil

Potential Environmental Impacts:

None

Action Taken or Planned:

Checking the hose before loading will now be a part of the pre-loading inspection.

Wastes Disposal Location: The area will be rinsed. The water will be pumped to the Mud pond via the drainage ditches on the property.

Agencies Involved:

Updates

Date: 9/17/2013 ***Status:*** Reviewed - Assigned to NDDoH Division

Author: Roberts, Kris

Updated Volume:

Notes:

Release occurred at rail loading rack. Referred to WQ Permits Section.