

Analysis	Description	Grams (Dried)	Per Cent Organic Pb	Per Cent Inorganic Pb	
9972	Soil beneath tank	8.5	0.06	0.25	Appears to be oil but a musty-like blackish material line. Large amount solved in alcohol impregnated with not be removed.
9973	Sludge taken from sludge pit	6.5	1.31	1.38	
7101	Scale taken from side walls	6.0	0.17	3.09	

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Analyses of samples 44A-6973 and 44A-7101 were repeated in order to determine the amount of T.E.L. and portion.

44A-6973 --- Total lead in xylol extract (10 g. as 1st) = 51.2 mg.
 Lead in xylol extract following treatment with 29% NH₄OH = 37.5 mg. = 73% T.E.L.
 44A-7101 --- Total lead in xylol extract (10 g. as 1st) = 2.00 mg.
 Lead in xylol extract following treatment with 29% NH₄OH = 1.46 mg. = 73% T.E.L.

*The preliminary alcohol treatment was eliminated in this case.

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Sample of cloth which had been placed over manhole was also submitted for analysis. The cloth has 1/2 hours with a stream of compressed air being supplied to the tank.

Lead in control piece = 0.012 mg. per sq. ft.
 Lead in test cloth after exposure = 0.40 mg. per sq. ft.

Samples Received: December
 Samples Reported: January

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Analysis of a Number of Sludge and Core Samples from the
Continental Oil Refining Company, Artesia, New Mexico

Description	Grams (Dried)	Per Cent Organic Pb	Per Cent Inorganic Pb	Remarks
In tank	8.5	0.06	0.25	Appears to be clay; no odor of gasoline, but a musty-like odor. Blackish material with strong odor of gasoline. Large amount of oily material dissolved in alcohol-xylene. Sludge appeared impregnated with oily material which could not be removed by suction.
In from sludge pit	6.5	1.51	1.38	
In from side walls	6.0	0.17	3.09	

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Samples Received: December 18 and 23, 1944
 Samples Reported: January 9, 1945