

ESB Engineering and Major Projects

Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket (Site ID 53)

Preliminary Environmental Site Assessment

602749 - R05 (01)





EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

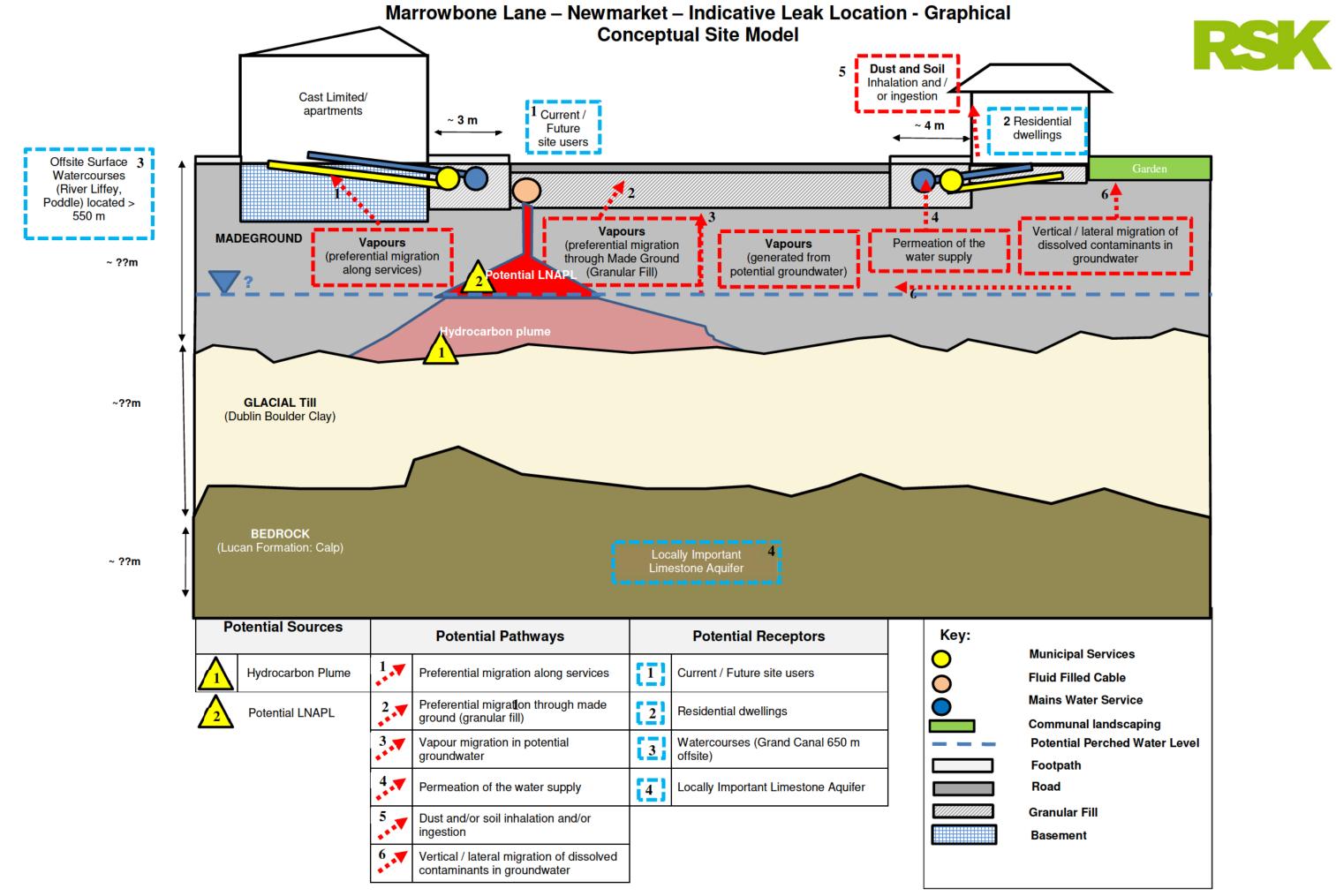
Following the submission of a proposal of works (reference: 602749, dated October 2019), RSK Ireland Limited (RSK) was instructed by ESB International Ltd in October 2019 to carry out a Preliminary Environmental Site Assessment (PSA) at the site of an historic fluid filled cable leak at a location on Brown Street South, approximately 20 m to the east of the junction with Brickfield, Merchants Quay, Dublin 8 (the site). The site of the leak has been assigned a site ID number 53.

Historic information confirms that the area surrounding the site has been subject to development since the 1830's and has been used for residential, industrial and other commercial end uses.

The site is the location of a leakage of cable fluid from a high voltage (HV) underground cable which occurred in December 2004 and was repaired in March 2005. It is RSK's understanding that the fluid contained Linear Alkyl Benzene (LAB) and that the total fluid loss was approximately 6,554 litres.

The aim of the PSA is to assess potential impacts to human health and the environment from the leaked fluid, establish any potential environmental liabilities associated with contamination issues at the site due to leaked insulating fluids, to include a detailed source audit and desk-based hydrogeological assessment.

Following the completion of a risk evaluation for the identified pollutant linkages, a potential pollutant linkage with a risk class of **LOW** for all identified pollution linkages.





EPA Contaminated Land & Groundwater Risk Assessment Methodology		Report Reference	Report Date	Status			
	STAGE 1: SITE CHARACTERISATION & ASSESSMENT						
1.1	PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT	602749 R05	20/12/2019	FINAL			
1.2	DETAILED SITE ASSESSMENT						
1.3	QUANTITATIVE RISK ASSESSMENT						
	STAGE 2: CORREC	CTIVE ACTION FEAS	IBILITY & DESIGN				
2.1	OUTLINE CORREC- TIVE ACTION STRAT- EGY						
2.2	FEASIBILITY STUDY & OUTLINE DESIGN						
2.3	DETAILED DESIGN						
2.4	FINAL STRATEGY & IMPLEMENTATION PLAN						
	STAGE 3: CORRECTIVE	ACTION IMPLEMEN	TATION & AFTERCA	RE			
3.1	ENABLING WORKS						
3.2	CORRECTIVE ACTION IMPLEMENTATION & VERIFICATION						
3.3	AFTERCARE						



RSK GENERAL NOTES

Project No.: 602749 - R05 (01)

Title:	Preliminary Environmental Site Assessment: Marrowbone Lane – Newmarket (Site I.D. 53)
Client:	ESB Engineering and Major Projects
Date:	20 th December 2019
Office:	Dublin
Status:	FINAL

Document Production/Approval Record

	Name	Signature	Date	Position	% Input
Prepared by (consultant)			20/12/19	Graduate Consultant	90
Approved by (consultant)			20/12/19	Principal Consultant	10

RSK Ireland Limited (RSK) has prepared this report for the sole use of the client, showing reasonable skill and care, for the intended purposes as stated in the agreement under which this work was completed. The report may not be relied upon by any other party without the express agreement of the client and RSK. No other warranty, expressed or implied, is made as to the professional advice included in this report.

Where any data supplied by the client or from other sources have been used, it has been assumed that the information is correct. No responsibility can be accepted by RSK for inaccuracies in the data supplied by any other party. The conclusions and recommendations in this report are based on the assumption that all relevant information has been supplied by those bodies from whom it was requested.

No part of this report may be copied or duplicated without the express permission of RSK and the party for whom it was prepared.

Where field investigations have been carried out, these have been restricted to a level of detail required to achieve the stated objectives of the work.

This work has been undertaken in accordance with the quality management system of RSK Ireland Ltd.



LIMITATIONS

All objectives and outlined scope of works contained within the proposal of works (proposal reference 602749, dated October 2019) have been achieved and completed.

The comments given in this report and the opinions expressed are based on the information reviewed. However, there may be conditions pertaining at the site that have not been disclosed by the investigation and therefore could not be taken into account.

This report is subject to the RSK Ireland Limited service constraints given in Appendix A.



CONTENTS

1	INT	RODUC	CTION	3
	1.1	Projec	t Contractual Basis and Personnel Involved	3
	1.2	Backgi	round Information	3
	1.3	Projec	t Objectives	3
	1.4	Scope	of Work	4
2	SO	JRCE A	AUDIT FINDINGS – PRODUCTION AND OPERATIONAL HISTORY	5
	2.1	Curren	t Site Activities	5
	2.2	Previo	us Site Operations	5
	2.3	Chemi	cals of Potential Concern	5
3	SIT	E ENVI	RONMENTAL SETTING	8
	3.1	Genera	al Introduction	8
	3.2	Regior	nal Geology and Hydrogeology	8
		3.2.1	Geology	8
	3.3	Hydrog	geology	9
		3.3.1	Aquifer characteristics	9
		3.3.2	Groundwater abstractions	10
	3.4	Hydrol	ogy	10
		3.4.1	Surface watercourses	10
		3.4.2	River Basin Management Plan	11
		3.4.3	Site Drainage	11
		3.4.4	Flood Risk	11
	3.5	EPA L	icensed IPPC/ Section 4 Discharge / Waste Facilities	11
	3.6	Sensiti	ve land uses	12
	3.7	Local A	Authority Information	12
4	CO	NCEPT	UAL SITE MODEL	13
	4.1	Summ	ary: Initial Conceptual Model	13
ESE	3 Engir	neering an	d Major Projects	1
Site	53 – N	Marrowbon	e Lane – Newmarket	



6	REFERENCES				
5	SUMMAR	Y, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS	16		
	4.2 Risk I	Evaluation	15		
	4.1.4	Potentially complete pollutant linkages	14		
	4.1.3	Summary of plausible pathways	13		
	4.1.2	Sensitive receptors	13		
	4.1.1	Summary of potential contaminant sources	13		

TABLES

Table 2.1:	Contaminants of potential concern
Table 4.1:	Potential sources and types of contamination
Table 4.2:	Risk estimation for potentially complete pollutant linkages

FIGURES

In Text

Executive Summary - Initial Site Conceptual Model Diagram

- Figure 3.1: Bedrock geology underlying site
- Figure 3.2: Groundwater vulnerability

Appended

- Figure 1: Site location
- Figure 2: Site layout plan
- Figure 3: Historical Map 1837 1842
- Figure 4: Historical Map 1888 1913
- Figure 5: Flood risk map

APPENDICES

- Appendix A: Service constraints
- Appendix B: Photographs
- Appendix C: Risk assessment methodology
- Appendix D: Material safety Data sheets



1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Contractual Basis and Personnel Involved

Following the submission of a proposal of works (reference: 602749, dated October 2019), RSK Ireland Limited (RSK) was instructed by ESB International Ltd in October 2019 to carry out a Preliminary Environmental Site Assessment (PSA) at the site of an historic fluid filled cable leak at a location on Brown Street South, approximately 20 m to the east of the junction with Brickfield, Merchants Quay, Dublin 8 (the site). The site of the leak has been assigned a site ID number 53.

This report has been compiled by Brian Cronin BSc, MSc, MIEI (Graduate Consultant with 2 years of experience) with the site walkover having been completed by Ryan Murphy BSc, MSc (Consultant with 2 years of experience).

This report is subject to the RSK service constraints given in Appendix A.

1.2 Background Information

The site is the location of a leakage of cable fluid from a high voltage (HV) underground cable which occurred in December 2004 and was repaired in March 2005. It is RSKs understanding that the fluid contained in the cable was a mix of linear alkyl benzene (LAB) and mineral oil; and that the total fluid loss was approximately 6,554 litres. It is also RSKs understanding that no previous investigations or monitoring has been undertaken at the subject site. The site location is shown on Figure 1.

The aim of the preliminary site assessment (PSA) is to assess potential impacts to human health and the environment from the leaked fluid, establish any potential environmental liabilities associated with contamination issues at the site due to leaked insulating fluids, undertake a detailed source audit and desk-based hydrogeological assessment.

1.3 Project Objectives

RSK will assess potential impacts associated with legacy cable fluid loss at the site. The PSA will determine the potential risks to human health and the environment at the leak location and potential areas of impact. The risk-based approach applied will be consistent with Irish regulations as well as the best practice document Guidance on the Management of Contaminated Land and Groundwater at EPA Licenced site.

In addition, risks will be assessed in accordance with CIRIA C552 and the outcome of the risk assessment will be used to determine any further actions that may be required to further inform the risk assessment.

The objectives of this assessment are to:

• Design a conceptual site model (CSM) for the site based on a review of historical information, environmental setting and a site walkover; and



• Obtain and review sufficient information regarding ground conditions from which risks to end-users and the environment can be assessed.

1.4 Scope of Work

A scope of work has been devised to meet the objectives set out in section 1.3. The scope of works for the assessment included:

- A desk-based assessment to include a review of geological, hydrogeological and hydrological information and historical plans and completion of a site walkover;
- Review of information held by the Ordinance Survey of Ireland (OSI), Geological Survey of Ireland (GSI), Office of Public Works (OPW), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Local Authority (Dublin City Council); and
- Produce an initial Conceptual Site Model (CSM) to identify and assess any potential pollution linkages assuming the ongoing commercial land use.



2 SOURCE AUDIT FINDINGS – PRODUCTION AND OPERATIONAL HISTORY

2.1 Current Site Activities

The site of the historic cable leak is located beneath an area of roadway and or adjoining footpath at Brown Street South, Merchants Quay, Dublin 8, 20 m to the east of the junction with Brickfield, Merchants Quay, Dublin 8 .

2.2 **Previous Site Operations**

A review of the site history was undertaken by assessing the available historical maps and aerial photos available from the Ordnance Survey of Ireland (OSI) Geohive public viewer <u>http://map.geohive.ie/mapviewer.html</u>.

The earliest available online OSI map dating from 1837-1842 (Figure 3) shows that the site and the surrounding land as being part of a built, urban environment to the north, east and west with some agricultural land to the south. The site is identified as being on Brown Street. A chemical works is illustrated on the map, approximately 50 m south-west of the site. There is a fever hospital approximately 100 m to the west and a printing mills approximately 200 m to the south.

The OSI online map from 1888-1913 (Figure 4) is broadly similar to the previous map (1837-1842) in terms of the street layout and immediate surrounding land use, although a printing works is now marked immediately north of Brown Street. The local land use beyond the immediate boundaries of the site has built up further, with more mixed residential and industrial development. There is a bacon curing factory approximately 100 m to the north-west of the site, a poplin and silk factory approximately 100 m to the east of the site and a tannery approximately 60 m south of the site. Tenter Fields (Market Gardens) and other large open green spaces still exist in the surrounding area > 100 m to the south-west and south-east.

The OSI aerial photos from 1995 to 2012 have poor resolution, and it is not possible to identify building or property use. The surrounding land use appears to be mixed residential and commercial in layout. There appears to be less industry in the area and areas of soft landscaping are present associated with adjoining residential land use.

2.3 Chemicals of Potential Concern

As previously mentioned the site is the location of a historical leak of insulating fluid from a HV cable. Therefore, the main chemicals/contaminants of potential concern (COPC) at the site are the hydrocarbons comprising the insulating fluid which leaked. The mixture used to insulate the cables was a LAB and mineral oil mixture.

LAB is a clear, colourless liquid with a mild petroleum odour. LAB has a low volatility with a vapour pressure of $0.013hPa @25^{\circ}C$ ⁽¹⁾.

Mineral oil is a liquid by-product of refining crude oil to make gasoline and other petroleum products. Mineral oil is a transparent, colourless oil, composed mainly

ESB Engineering and Major Projects

Site 53 - Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket



of alkanes and cycloalkanes. Refined mineral oils such as those used in insulting fluid have a low volatility with a vapour pressure of <0.01hPa @20°C.

The identified COPC are outlined in Table 2.1.

Table 2-1: Contaminants of potential concern

Potential Sources	COPC
HV Cable insulating fluid leak 2009	Linear Alkyl Benzene (LAB) and Mineral Oil mixture. Poly Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH), Total Petroleum Hydrocar- bons (TPH) and Semi-Volatile Organic Compounds (SVOCs)

The properties of LAB and Mineral Oil as identified in the material safety data sheets (Appendix D) are outlined below;

LAB;

- Physical State : Liquid
- Colour : Colourless
- Odour : Odourless
- Boiling Point/range : 278 316 0C
- Flash Point (Close Cup) (0C.): 140
- Vapour Density : 8.4 (Air = 1)
- Vapour Pressure @ 25 0C : 0.01 mmHg
- Evaporation Rate : NA
- Specific Gravity : 0.866 (Water = 1)
- pH : NA
- Solubility in Water : Insoluble
- Kinematic viscosity (@ 20°C: 4.0-4.2 mm²/s

Mineral Oil;

- Physical State: Liquid
- Colour: clear
- Flashpoint: 145°C
- Flammability lower limit (vol%): 0.6
- Flammability upper limit (vol%): 6.5
- Vapor Pressure (20°C): < 0.1 mm Hg
- Density (15°C): 888 kg/m³
- Evaporation Rate: Not available
- Solubility in water: Negligible
- Kinematic viscosity: 8.5 mm²/s

Site 53 - Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket



It should be noted that anecdotal information suggests that dissolved phase LAB has previously been identified in surface water samples recovered from surface waters adjacent to LAB leak locations and therefore the anecdotal information indicates that LAB may have at least limited solubility potential under certain conditions.



3 SITE ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

3.1 General Introduction

The site is located at Brown Street South, Merchants Quay, Dublin 8. The site is located approximately 2 km south west of Dublin City Centre. The site is centred on Irish Grid reference O 144 332 at an altitude of approximately 19 m above ordinance datum.

A site walkover survey was carried out by RSK on 6th November 2019. The site walkover consisted of observations made 250 meters both east and west along the indicative leak cable line. The findings are summarized below. The site walkover photographs are included in Appendix B.

The indicative leak is located on Brown Street South, in a predominantly residential area of Merchants Quay within The Liberties. The leak location underlies an area of hard standing comprising tarmacadam and/ or concrete on Brown Street South. Three story apartment blocks are present approximately 5m to the north and south of the leak location. Terraced properties with front and rear gardens bound the rest of Brown Street South to the south.

The western extent of the survey area from the indicative leak location is located at Donore Avenue in an area of terraced residential housing. A construction site is located c.40m west of the indicative leak location. A HSE facility and former fever hospital known as Bru Chaoimhin is located adjacent to the construction site further along the north side of Brown Street, approximately 80m from the leak location.

The eastern extent of the survey area from the indicative leak location is located on Clarence Mangan Road, with residential properties on both sides of the street with rear gardens. Weaver Park is located c.125 m northeast of the indicative leak location which has areas of communal landscaping and a playground. Mercy Family Centre is located approximately 100m to the east.

The area to the south of the survey area is predominantly residential estate housing with both front and rear gardens. Donore Boxing Club and Kevin's GAA club are both located c.100 m south west from the site. These lands are bounded by playing fields for the GAA club.

The site layout is shown on Figure 2. The area around the site is comprised primarily of commercial and residential land uses.

3.2 Regional Geology and Hydrogeology

3.2.1 Geology

Information from the Geological Survey of Ireland (GSI) online mapping public viewer <u>https://dcenr.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=a30af518e87a4c0ab2fbde2a</u> <u>aac3c228</u> indicates that the solid geology underlying the site is Calp, of the Lucan Formation, as shown in Figure 3.1 below. The Lucan formation comprises dark grey to black limestone and shale.





Figure 3.1 Bedrock Geology Underlying Site

The superficial geology underlying the area is made ground (urban). The made ground is underlain by glacial till comprising boulder clay.

RSK have undertaken a number of intrusive investigations in the south city centre area of Dublin. The glacial till encountered during intrusive works is dark brown to black, slightly gravelly clay also known as Dublin Boulder Clay which is highly impermeable. One example site where RSK encountered this geology is located at Kevin Street⁽²⁾ approximately 900m to the east of the subject site.

The GSI has published borehole and trial pit records on-line. Although there are no available borehole/trial pits records for the subject site.

3.3 Hydrogeology

3.3.1 Aquifer characteristics

Information from the GSI Groundwater public viewer website <u>http://spatial.dcenr.gov.ie/imf/imf.jsp?site=Groundwater</u> indicates that the underlying bedrock is categorised as a locally important aquifer, that is an aquifer which is productive only in local zones. It is anticipated that perched groundwater may be encountered in more permeable horizons within any made ground and superficial deposits.



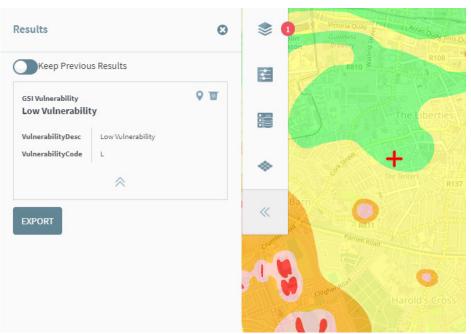


Figure 3.2 Groundwater Vulnerability

Groundwater vulnerability is classified as Low at the site (see Figure 3.2above). The EPA categorise the groundwater body as not at risk and water framework directive (WFD) monitoring (2010-2015) ranks the water quality status as good.

3.3.2 Groundwater abstractions

The GSI public viewer indicates that there is a groundwater abstraction approximately 1.4 km north-east of the site. No groundwater abstractions have been identified within 1km of the site. The well use is unknown. Yields are 114.5 m^3 /day. The site is not located in a source protection area.

3.4 Hydrology

3.4.1 Surface watercourses

EPA mapping (available at <u>https://gis.epa.ie/EPAMaps/</u>) has been reviewed to identify potential receptor surface watercourses. The nearest identified surface watercourse is the Grand Canal which flows in a west to east direction approximately 640 m south of the site. However, there is no data on the EPA map viewer regarding the Grand Canal.

There is a short un-culverted section of the River Poddle located approximately 550 m to the east of the site. It should be noted that the Poddle at this location is considered unlikely to be hydrogeologically connected to the site. There is no water quality information for the River Poddle at this location available on the EPA map viewer.

ESB Engineering and Major Projects

Site 53 – Marrowbone Lane – Newmarket 602749 – R05 (01)



The River Liffey is located approximately 1 km north of the site. The Liffey is classified as a transitional waterbody at this location and water quality is indicated as being at risk at this location and WFD monitoring (2010-2015) ranks the water quality status as moderate.

3.4.2 River Basin Management Plan

River Basin Management Plans (RBMPs) have been published for all River Basin Districts in Ireland in accordance with the requirements of the Water Framework Directive. The Water Maps viewer (available at http://www.wfdireland.ie/maps.html) is an integral part of the River Basin Management Plan and provides access to information at individual waterbody level and at Water Management Unit level for all the River Basin Districts in Ireland.

No surface watercourses have been identified within 500m of the investigation area. The waterbody underlying the site is Dublin Urban, its status is described as good, however it is noted to be at risk.

3.4.3 Site Drainage

The site is sealed with tarmac and/or concrete. From reviewing the available information on site, all local surface water drainage is assumed to discharge to the local municipal drainage system. Drawings have been requested from Dublin City Council (7th November 2019) and we are awaiting a response at the time of reporting.

3.4.4 Flood Risk

The Office of Public works (OPW) interactive flood maps, available at <u>https://www.floodinfo.ie/map/floodmaps/</u>, contains no report of historic flooding of the site. An historic flood event was recorded approximately 400m to the east of the site on Clanbrassil Street occurring in June 1963. Another historic flood event was recorded approximately 400 m north-west of the site on Marrowbone Lane in January 1941. No records of any other flood events have been recorded within 500m of the site.

A review of flood risk at the site was undertaken by assessing the available flood event maps provided by the OPW. The maps refer to flood event probabilities in terms of a percentage Annual Exceedance Probability, or 'AEP'. This represents the probability of a flood event occurring in any given year. These probabilities may also be expressed as odds (e.g. 100 to 1) of the event occurring in any given year. The latest maps, dated August 2016, indicate that the site has a 0.1% fluvial AEP event risk i.e. a 1 in 1,000 year event. The fluvial flood event map is presented as Figure 5.

Please note that this flood event map has been generated for a large area of Dublin City Centre. To most accurately quantity the risk, a site-specific Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) could be undertaken if deemed necessary.

3.5 EPA Licensed IPPC/ Section 4 Discharge / Waste Facilities

Information from the EPA website <u>https://gis.epa.ie/EPAMaps/</u> indicates that there is one IPPC licensed facility located within 1km of the site. The facility is Diageo Ireland located



at St James Gate brewery. There are no waste facilities, section 4 discharges or chemical monitoring points within a 1 km radius of the site.

3.6 Sensitive land uses

A 2km buffer zone for sensitive land uses has been used as RSK considers it reasonable to assume that significant impact is unlikely to receptors where surface water or groundwater migration is a potential pathway at this distance.

A search carried out using the National Parks and Wildlife website (<u>http://www.npws.ie/</u>) for the presence of any designated sites confirmed that there are no current designated sites within 2 km of the site.

The Grand Canal pNHA (proposed Natural Heritage Area (site code 00210)) is located approximately 640 m to the south of the site. Proposed Natural Heritage Areas (pNHAs) were published on a non-statutory basis in 1995; they have not been statutorily proposed or designated but are of significance for wildlife and habitats.

3.7 Local Authority Information

RSK have requested information from Dublin City Council on 7th November 2019 regarding any pertinent environmental issues that they are aware of on or adjacent to the subject site, however no response was issued from the Council at the time of reporting.



4 CONCEPTUAL SITE MODEL

4.1 Summary: Initial Conceptual Model

The information presented in Sections 2 and 3 has been used to compile an initial conceptual model. The identified potential sources of contamination, associated contaminants and receptors have been considered with plausible pathways that may link them. The resulting potential pollutant linkages are considered in Section 4.1.4.

4.1.1 Summary of potential contaminant sources

Potential sources and contaminants of concern are summarised in Table 4.1 below.

Table 4.1: Potential sources and types of contamination

Potential sources	Contaminants of concern
On-site	
Historic leak of HV cable insulating flu- ids.	LAB and mineral oil mixture and potential breakdown prod- ucts

4.1.2 Sensitive receptors

Sensitive receptors at the site include:

- Current / future site users (pedestrians).
- Neighbouring site users and surrounding areas.
- Surface waters.
- Groundwater in bedrock.

Please note that construction workers have not been identified in the conceptual model as receptors because risks are considered to be managed through health and safety procedures as required in the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work (Construction) Regulations 2013.

4.1.3 Summary of plausible pathways

The plausible pathways are summarised below:

- Migration of hydrocarbons vapours in any permeable soils or along existing service runs from natural deposits or made ground.
- Vertical and lateral migration via groundwater.
- Preferential migration of contaminants in groundwater via underground service corridors.
- Permeation of water supply pipes.
- Inhalation of hydrocarbon vapours.

ESB Engineering and Major Projects

Site 53 - Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket



• Direct contact via soil and dust ingestion/inhalation from near surface soils and dermal contact with near surface soils.

4.1.4 Potentially complete pollutant linkages

The outline conceptual model and an estimate of the risk associated with each linkage is summarised in Table 4.2 below. The risk classification has been undertaken in accordance with CIRIA C552 (Rudland et al., 2001), a summary of which is included in Appendix C.

Potential source	Possible pathway	Potential re- ceptor	Likelihood	Severity	Risk and justification
<u>On-site</u> Contamination associated with historic leakage of HV cable insulating fluid containing	Inhalation of hydrocarbon vapours	Current / future site users & occupants of adjacent sites	Unlikely	Medium	Low The insulating fluid has a low volatility. The vapour pressure of LAB is 0.013 hPa @ 25°C and mineral oils <0.1hPa @ 20°C. There are no buildings built over the cable route reducing risks to residential and commercial human health receptors. The leak of insulating fluid occurred in the roadway or adjoining pathway and most likely in granular materials used in the construction. The granular material in the road and path construction pack will likely act as a preferential pathway for any vapours formed. In addition, the leak occurred over 14 years ago, and the most volatile fractions of the fluid are likely to have partitioned and dissipated.
mineral oil and LAB.	Direct dermal contact or ingestion of hydrocarbons	Current / future site users & occupants of adjacent sites	Unlikely	Medium	Low The area of the insulating oil leak is under hard standing. Areas of soft landscaping adjacent to public pathways and on private property are unlikely to be impacted.
	Current / future site users & occupants of adjacent sites	Permeation of water supply pipes	Unlikely	Medium	Low Water will be moving rapidly and at high pressure in water supply pipes making it unlikely that permeation of the pipes will occur in significant or harmful concentrations. In addition both LAB and Mineral Oil have low solubility.

Table 4.2: Risk estimation for potentially complete pollutant linkages



Potential source	Possible pathway	Potential re- ceptor	Likelihood	Severity	Risk and justification
	Vertical and lateral migration	River Liffey/Grand Canal/River Poddle/Underl ying locally important aquifer	Unlikely	Medium	Low It is unlikely that perched groundwater at the site is in continuity with the River Liffey or the Poddle. However, if we assume that it is, given the distance to both surface waters (> 500 m), it is highly unlikely that dissolved contamination at the site of the leak will affect surface waters given the processes of dispersion and biodegradation that will occur to any dissolved contamination over this distance. As discussed in section 3.2.1, the underlying till material has a relatively low permeability which would impede any vertical migration of any hydrocarbons to the underlying locally important aquifer.

4.2 Risk Evaluation

Only potential source contamination related to the historic leak of HV cable insulating fluid containing LAB and mineral oil has been considered.

The initial CSM has identified potential pollutant linkages with a risk class of **LOW** for all identified pollution linkages.



5 SUMMARY, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Historic information confirms that the area surrounding the site has been subject to development since the 1830's and has been used for residential, industrial and other commercial end uses.

The site is the location of a leakage of cable fluid from a high voltage (HV) underground cable which occurred in December 2004 and was repaired in March 2005. It is RSKs understanding that the fluid contained a mixture of Linear Alkyl Benzene (LAB) and Mineral Oil and that the total fluid loss was approximately 6,554 litres.

The aim of the PSA is to assess potential impacts to human health and the environment from the leaked fluid and establish any potential environmental risks associated with contamination issues at the site due to leaked insulating fluids, to include a detailed source audit and desk-based hydrogeological assessment.

The initial CSM has identified potential pollutant linkages with a risk class of **LOW** for all remaining identified pollution linkages.



6 **REFERENCES**

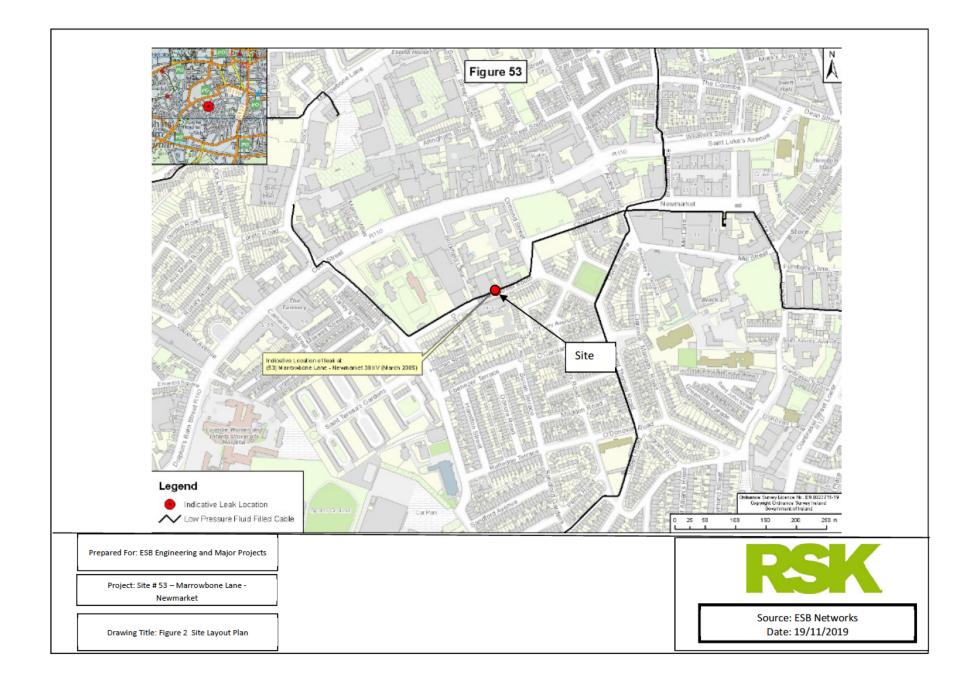
- 1. Petroleum Products in Drinking Water, Background Document for development of WHO guidelines for Drinking-water quality, 2008
- 2. RSK Ireland Limited, Historical site investigation information held by RSK, dated June/July 2019.
- European Chemicals Bureau. European Union Risk Assessment Report for Benzene C₁₀₋₁₃ Alkyl Derivs, June 1997
- 4. CIRIA, C552, Contaminated Land Risk Assessment. A Guide to Good Practice , 2001.



FIGURES

ESB Engineering Major Projects Site 53 – Marrowbone Lane – Newmarket 602749 – R05 (01)







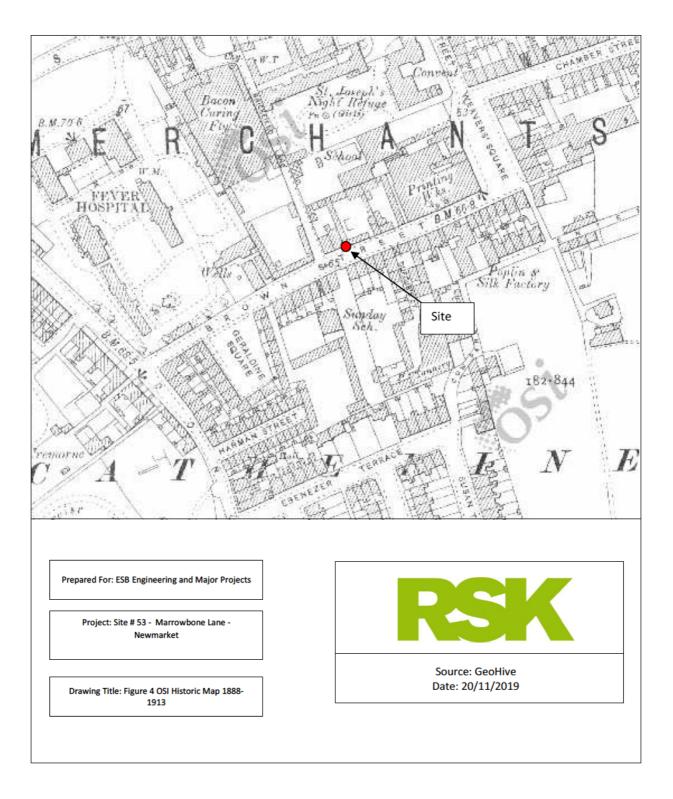
Prepared For: ESB Engineering and Major Projects

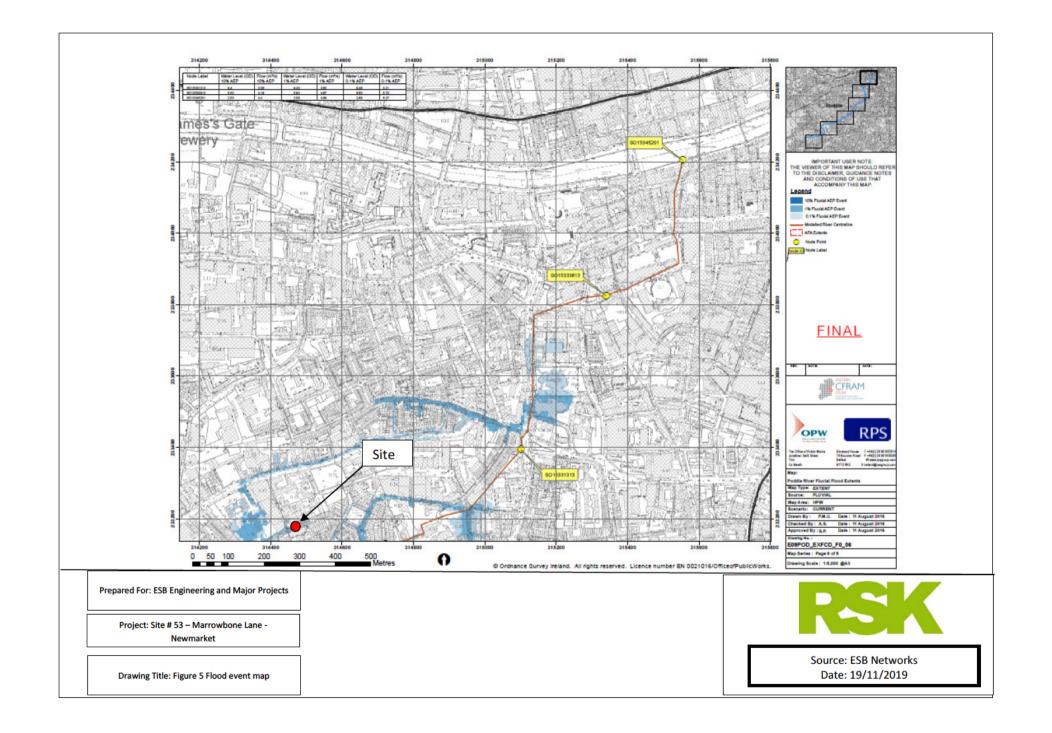
Project: #53 Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket

Drawing Title: Figure 3 - OSI Historic Map 1837-1842



Source: OSI (accessed via GeoHive) Date: 20/11/2019







APPENDIX A SERVICE CONSTRAINTS

RSK ENVIRONMENT LIMITED SERVICE CONSTRAINTS

- 1. This report (the "Services") was compiled and carried out by RSK Ireland Limited (RSK) for ESB International Ltd (the "client") in accordance with the terms of a contract between RSK and the "client", dated July 2019. The Services were performed by RSK with the skill and care ordinarily exercised by a reasonable environmental consultant at the time the Services were performed. Further, and in particular, the Services were performed by RSK taking into account the limits of the scope of works required by the client, the time scale involved and the resources, including financial and manpower resources, agreed between RSK and the client.
- 2. Other than that expressly contained in paragraph 1 above, RSK provides no other representation or warranty whether express or implied, in relation to the Services.
- 3. Unless otherwise agreed the Services were performed by RSK exclusively for the purposes of the client. RSK is not aware of any interest of or reliance by any party other than the client in or on the Services. Unless expressly provided in writing, RSK does not authorise, consent or condone any party other than the client relying upon the Services. Should this report or any part of this report, or otherwise details of the Services or any part of the Services be made known to any such party, and such party relies thereon that party does so wholly at its own and sole risk and RSK disclaims any liability to such parties. Any such party would be well advised to seek independent advice from a competent environmental consultant and/or lawyer.
- 4. It is RSK's understanding that this report is to be used for the purpose described in the introduction to the report. That purpose was a significant factor in determining the scope and level of the Services. Should the purpose for which the report is used, or the proposed use of the site change, this report may no longer be valid and any further use of or reliance upon the report in those circumstances by the client without RSK 's review and advice shall be at the client's sole and own risk. Should RSK be requested to review the report after the date hereof, RSK shall be entitled to additional payment at the then existing rates or such other terms as agreed between RSK and the client.
- 5. The passage of time may result in changes in site conditions, regulatory or other legal provisions, technology or economic conditions which could render the report inaccurate or unreliable. The information and conclusions contained in this report should not be relied upon in the future without the written advice of RSK. In the absence of such written advice of RSK, reliance on the report in the future shall be at the client's own and sole risk. Should RSK be requested to review the report in the future, RSK shall be entitled to additional payment at the then existing rate or such other terms as may be agreed between RSK and the client.
- 6. The observations and conclusions described in this report are based solely upon the Services which were provided pursuant to the agreement between the client and RSK. RSK has not performed any observations, investigations, studies or testing not specifically set out or required by the contract between the client and RSK. RSK is not liable for the existence of any condition, the discovery of which would require performance of services not otherwise contained in the Services. For the avoidance of doubt, unless otherwise expressly referred to in the introduction to this report, RSK did not seek to evaluate the presence on or off the site of asbestos, electromagnetic fields, lead paint, heavy metals, radon gas or other radioactive or hazardous materials.
- 7. The Services are based upon RSK's observations of existing physical conditions at the Site gained from a walk-over survey of the site together with RSK's interpretation of information including documentation, obtained from third parties and from the client on the history and usage of the site. The Services are also based on information and/or analysis provided by independent testing and information services or laboratories upon which RSK was reasonably entitled to rely. The Services clearly are limited by the accuracy of the information, including documentation, reviewed by RSK and the observations possible at the time of the walk-over survey. Further RSK was not authorised and did not attempt to independently verify the accuracy or completeness of information, documentation or materials received from the client or third parties, including laboratories and information services, during the performance of the Services. RSK is not liable for any inaccurate information or conclusions, the discovery of which inaccuracies required the doing of any act including the gathering of any information which was not reasonably available to RSK and including the client and RSK.
- 8. Any site drawing(s) provided in this report is (are) not meant to be an accurate base plan, but is (are) used to present the general relative locations of features on, and surrounding, the site.



APPENDIX B PHOTOGRAPHS

ESB Engineering Major Projects Site 53 – Marrowbone Lane – Newmarket 602749 – R05 (01)



PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

Client Name:

ESB Networks

Photo No.Date:1Nov 2019Direction Photo taken:

West

Description:

View of Chamber Street c.250m marker from indicative leak location. Bounded by attached residential housing with rear gardens and footpaths on both sides.

Site Location:

(53) Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket

Site walkover



Photo No.Date:
Nov 20192Nov 2019Direction Photo taken:North

Description:

An entrance to Weaver Park off Chamber Street c. 155m marker from indicative leak location. View of the playground and communal landscape within the park.



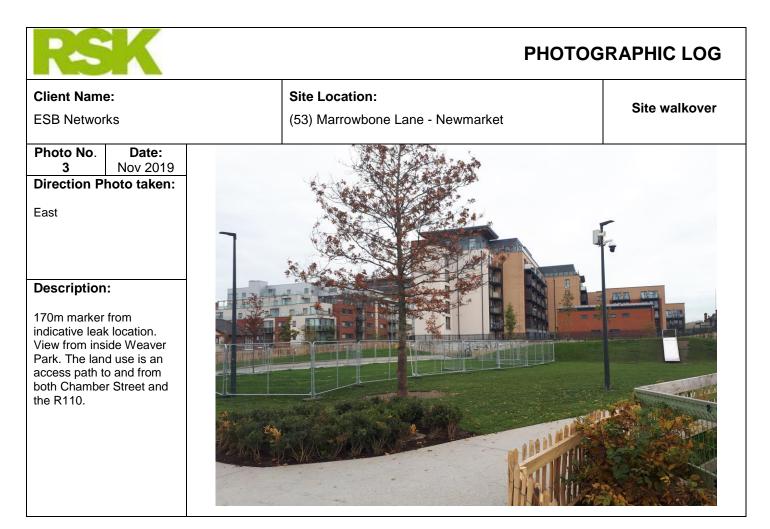


Photo No.Date:4Aug 2019Direction Photo taken:East

Description:

View from the indicative source leak (Brown Street South). The site is predominantly bounded by attached residential dwellings on both sides of the road. Trees and footpaths also bound both sides of the road.





PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

Client Name:

ESB Networks

Photo No.	Date:
5	Nov 2019
Direction P	hoto taken:

West

Description:

View of the construction site to the west of the site on Brown Street South c. 160m from the site. The area is surfaced by hard standing concrete and surrounded scaffolding and hoarding.

Site Location:

(53) Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket

Site walkover

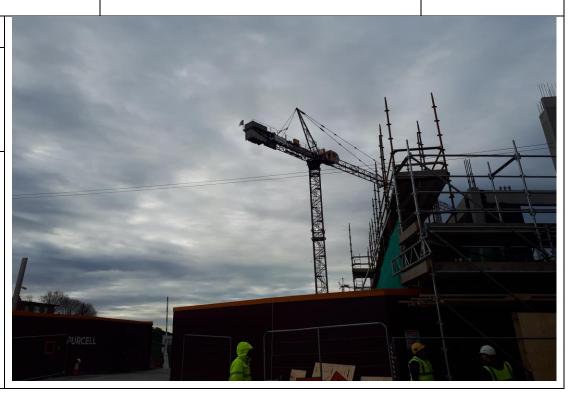


Photo No.Date:6Nov 2019Direction Photo taken:North

Description:

View of Donore Avenue bounded by attached residential dwellings (west) and a concrete wall (east) which is the boundary of Brú Chaoimhín Hospital. This marker is c. 180m from the site.





PHOTOGRAPHIC LOG

Client Name:

ESB Networks

Photo No.Date:
Nov 20197Direction Photo taken:West

Description:

View of the nearest main road, the R110 which is an access point to both Ormond Street and Donore Avenue.



(53) Marrowbone Lane - Newmarket

Site walkover



Photo No.Date:8Nov 2019Direction Photo taken:

South

Description:

View of Weaver Park from the R110. A south facing access point to the park and is a c.160m marker from the site.





APPENDIX C RISK ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY

CLR11 outlines the framework to be followed for risk assessment in the UK. The framework is designed to be consistent with UK legislation and policies including planning. Under CLR11, three stages of risk assessment exist: preliminary, generic quantitative and detailed quantitative. An outline conceptual model should be formed at the preliminary risk assessment stage that collates all the existing information pertaining to a site in text, tabular or diagrammatic form. The outline conceptual model identifies potentially complete (termed possible) pollutant linkages (source–pathway–receptor) and is used as the basis for the design of the site investigation. The outline conceptual model is updated as further information becomes available, for example as a result of the site investigation.

Production of a conceptual model requires an assessment of risk to be made. Risk is a combination of the likelihood of an event occurring and the magnitude of its consequences. Therefore, both the likelihood and the consequences of an event must be taken into account when assessing risk. RSK has adopted guidance provided in CIRIA C552 for use in the production of conceptual models.

The likelihood of an event can be classified on a four-point system using the following terms and definitions based on CIRIA C552:

- Highly likely: the event appears very likely in the short term and almost inevitable over the long term or there is evidence at the receptor of harm or pollution
- Likely: it is probable that an event will occur or circumstances are such that the event is not inevitable, but possible in the short term and likely over the long term
- Low likelihood: circumstances are possible under which an event could occur, but it is not certain even in the long term that an event would occur and it is less likely in the short term
- Unlikely: circumstances are such that it is improbable the event would occur even in the long term.

The severity can be classified using a similar system also based on CIRIA C552. The terms and definitions relating to severity are:

- Severe: short term (acute) risk to human health likely to result in 'significant harm' as defined by the Environment Protection Act 1990, Part IIA. Short-term risk of pollution of sensitive water resources. Catastrophic damage to buildings or property. Short-term risk to an ecosystem or organism forming part of that ecosystem (note definition of ecosystem in 'Draft Circular on Contaminated Land', DETR 2000)
- Medium: chronic damage to human health ('significant harm' as defined in 'Draft Circular on Contaminated Land', DETR 2000), pollution of sensitive water resources, significant change in an ecosystem or organism forming part of that ecosystem (note definition of ecosystem in 'Draft Circular on Contaminated Land', DETR 2000)



- Mild: pollution of non-sensitive water resources. Significant damage to crops, buildings, structures and services ('significant harm' as defined in 'Draft Circular on Contaminated Land', DETR 2000). Damage to sensitive buildings, structures or the environment
- Minor: harm, not necessarily significant, but that could result in financial loss or expenditure to resolve. Non-permanent human health effects easily prevented by use of personal protective clothing. Easily repairable damage to buildings, structures and services.

Once the likelihood of an event occurring and its severity have been classified, a risk category can be assigned using the table below.

		Consequences			
		Severe	Medium	Mild	Minor
	Highly likely	Very high	High	Moderate	Moder- ate/Low
bility	Likely	High	Moderate	Moder- ate/Low	Low
Probability	Low likelihood	Moderate	Moder- ate/Low	Low	Very Low
	Unlikely	Moderate/Low	Low	Very Low	Very Low

Definitions of these risk categories are as follows together with an assessment of the further work that may be required:

- Very high: there is a high probability that severe harm could occur or there is evidence that severe harm is currently happening. This risk, if realised, could result in substantial liability; urgent investigation and remediation are likely to be required.
- High: harm is likely to occur. Realisation of the risk is likely to present a substantial liability. Urgent investigation is required. Remedial works may be necessary in the short term and are likely over the long term.
- Moderate: it is possible that harm could arise, but it is unlikely that the harm would be severe and it is more likely that the harm would be relatively mild. Investigation is normally required to clarify the risk and determine the liability. Some remedial works may be required in the longer term.
- Low: it is possible that harm could occur, but it is likely that if realised this harm would at worst normally be mild.
- Very low: there is a low possibility that harm could occur and if realised the harm is unlikely to be severe.



APPENDIX D MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS

Safety Data Sheet (93/112/EC)



Date of edition: October 1995

1.	Identification of Substance/Preparation and Company Product name: Masse 106
	Supplier: FELTEN & GUILLEAUME Energietechnik AG
-	Schanzenstraße 24-30 51063 Köln
	Emergency telephone number: 0221/676-3333
2.	Composition/Information on Ingredients
	Blend of highly refined mineral oils and additives.
	On the basis of available information, the components of this preparation are not expected to
	impart hazardous properties to this product.
3.	Hazards Identifikation
	Human Health Hazards
	If swallowed, aspiration into the lungs may cause chemical pneumonitis.
	Prolonged or repeated exposure may give rise to dermatitis.
	No specific hazards under normal use conditions. Safet y hazards
	The preparation contains mineral oil, for which an exposure limit for oil mist applies.
	Enviromental hazards
	Ayoid spillage.
	The poduct is not readily biodegradable.
4.	First Aid Measures
~.	Inhalation
	Remove to fresh air.
	If breathing but unconscious, place in the recovery position.
	If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration.
	Medical attention is to be obtained immediately.
	Skin
	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected skin with soap and water.
	If high pressure injection injuries occur, obtain medical attention immediately. Eye
	Rinse immediately with plenty of water for ar least 10 minutes and seek medical advice.
	Ingestion
	Do not induce vomiting.
	Aspiration into the lungs may occur directly or following ingestion. This can cause chemical pneumonitis
	which may be fatal.
	If breathing but unconscious, place in the recovery position. If breathing has stopped, apply artificial respiration.
	Medical attention is to be obtained immediately.
	Advice to physicians
	Treat symptomatically
5.	Fire Fighting Measures
	Extinguishing media
	Sum Parsun Purdan

Safety Data Sheet (93/112/EC)

(FaG)

(Date of edition: October 1995

5.	Fire Fighting Measures (continued)							
	Unsuitable extinguishing media							
	Do not use water in a jet							
	Specific hazards Combustion is likely to give rise to a complex mixture of gases and airborne particulates, including carbon							
-	monoxide, oxides of su							
6.	Accidental Release Measures							
	Personal precautions							
	Ventilate contaminated area thoroughly.							
	Minimise contact with							
	Environmental precau Prevent further leakage		ant from antaring d	mine				
				by using sand, earth or other appropriate				
	barriers.							
	Clean-up methods							
	Absorb or contain liquid with sand, earth or spill control material.							
		clearly marked conta	liner for disposal or	reclamation in accordance with local				
	regulations.							
7.	Handling and Storag	e						
		Handling						
	When using do not eat When handling produc		otwear should be wo	m and proper handling equipment should be				
	When handling product in drums, safety footwear should be worn and proper handling equipment should be used							
	used							
	Prevent spillages.							
	Prevent spillages. Storage							
	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly	closed and in a well	ventilated place. Av	oid direct sunlight, heat sources and strong				
	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents.		-					
0	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia	ls: mild steel, high d	ensity polyethylene	oid direct sunlight, heat sources and strong for containers or container linings.				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P	ls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protectio	ensity polyethylene					
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m	ls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protectio easures	ensity polyethylene					
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil.	uls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protectio leasures ated areas.	ensity polyethylene					
5.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil. Occupational exposure	ls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protectio easures ated areas. e standards	ensity polyethylene	for containers or container linings.				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil.	ls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit	for containers or container linings. Other information				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil Occupational exposure Component name	ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist	ls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit	for containers or container linings. Other information				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil. Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cormally required.	lls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				
6.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventile Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cornally required. If c i mist cannot be co	lls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection leasures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage: Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil. Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cormally required. If c i mist cannot be co par culate prefilter sho	lls: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection leasures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil. Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cormally required. If c i mist cannot be co particulate prefilter shot Hand Protection	ds: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL ntrolled, a respirator build be used.	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ fitted with an organ	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				
3.	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventile Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cornally required. If c i mist cannot be compared and protection PVC or nitril rubber glob	ds: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL ntrolled, a respirator build be used.	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ fitted with an organ	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				
8.	Prevent spillages. Storage: Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventil. Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cornally required. If c i mist cannot be co particulate prefilter sho Hand Protection PVC or nitril rubber glo	ds: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL ntrolled, a respirator build be used.	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ fitted with an organ	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				
a .	Prevent spillages. Storage Keep container tightly oxidising agents. Recommended materia Exposure Controls/P Engineering control m Use only in well ventile Occupational exposure Component name Oil mist Respiratory Protection Not cornally required. If c i mist cannot be compared and protection PVC or nitril rubber glob	ds: mild steel, high d ersonal Protection easures ated areas. e standards Limit type 8 h TWA 10 min STEL ntrolled, a respirator build be used.	ensity polyethylene on Value/Unit 5 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ fitted with an organ	for containers or container linings. Other information ACGIH ACGIH				

+49 221 67626405.05.97

Safety Data Sheet

(93/112/EC)

-

18

Date of edition: October 1995

8.	Exposure Controls and Person Hygiene measures Don't keep oily rags in your pockets Wash hands before eating and drink	S.	ued)				
9	Physical and Chemical Properties						
	form	liquid					
	colour	yellow					
	pourpoint	<-60°C	DIN ISO 3016				
	flashpeint	145°C	DIN 51758				
	flammability - lower limit (vol%)	0,6					
	flammability - upper limit (vol%)	6,5					
	vapour pressure (20°C)	< 0,01 hPa					
	density (15°C)	888 kg/m³	DIN 51757				
	solubility in water (20°C)	negligible					
	n-octanol/water partition coeff.	na					
	kinematic viscosity (40°C)	8,5 mm ² /s	DIN 51562				
	stable under normal use conditions Materials to avoid streng oxidising agents Hazar dous decomposition product Hazardous decomposition products		turing normal storage				
11.	Harardous decomposition products are not expected to form during nonnal storage. Toxicological Information Toxicological Data: Acute toxicity - oral LD :0 is expected to be > 2000 mg/kg. Irritation of skin, irritation of eye The product is expected to be slightly irritant. Sensitisation of skin The produkt is not expected to be a skin sensitiser. Prolonged and/or repeated contact Prolonged/repeated contact may cause defarting of the skin, which can lead to dermatitis and may make the skin more susceptible to irritation and penetration by other materials. Carcinogenicity Product is based on mineral oils of types shown to be non-carcinogenic in animal skin-painting studies. Other components are not known to be associated with carcinogenic effects. Other information Aspiration into the lungs may occur directly or following ingestion. This can cause chemical pneumonitis which may be fatal.						

09:19

+49 221 67626405.05.97 09:19

Safety Data Sheet (93/112/EC)



Date of edition: October 1995

12.	Ecological Information
	Basis for assessment
	Information given is based on data on the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products.
	Mobility
-	Product floats on water. It is liquid under most environmental conditions.
	If it enters soil, it will be adsorbed to soil particles and will not be mobile.
	Product has the potential to bioaccumulate.
	Ecotoxicity
	Product is expected to be practically non-toxic to aquatic organisms, LC/EC50 > 100 mg/L.
13.	Disposal Considerations
	Product
	Precautions: Dispose to licensed disposal contractor.
	Waste disposal Nr. (D): 54106
	Container disposal
	Drain container thoroughly.
	Dispose to licensed disposal contractor. Recomanded cleaning procedure
	Cleaning by disposal contractor
14.	
	Product is not dangerous for conveyance under UN, IMO, ADR/RID and IATA/ICAO codes. (According
	ADR/ 1D regulations from 1.1.1995)
15.	Regulatory Information
	Classification
	The Product is not classified as dangerous under EC criteria.
16.	Other Information
	Additional informations
	Concawe Report 5/87 Health Aspects of Lubricants.
	This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for
	the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should therefore not be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.

3

page 4/4



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

Product Name:	Т 3788		
Application:	Hollow-core Energy Cable	Saturant	t
Company:	H&R ESP Ltd.		
<u>Address:</u>	Matrix House North 4 th Street Mi l ton Keynes, MK9 1NJ United Kingdom		
Telephone:	+44 (0)1908 351 111	Fax:	+44 (0)1908 351122

2: COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

- <u>Composition:</u> Low viscosity compound based on a blend of linear alkyl benzenes that have side alkyl chains of 10 13 carbon atoms in length.
- Synonyms: Linear Alkyl Benzenes Alkyl C10-C13, benzenes Benzene, C10-13-alkyl-deriv. Detergent Alkylate

Composition	EINECS	CAS	Symbol	Risk	Concentration
	number	number	letters	numbers	range
C10 – C13 Linear Alkyl Benzenes	267-051-0	67774-74-7	Not re	gulated	100%

All constituents of this product are listed in EINECS (European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances) or ELINCS (European List of Notified Chemical Substances) or are exempt.

3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of preparation:	This product is <u>not</u> classified as a dangerous substance / preparation in accordance with The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002 (CHIP3).
Physical and Chemical Properties:	Not classified as flammable, but will burn. Avoid contact with

strong oxidisers.

Health Effects

<u>Skin:</u>	Contact with the skin may cause irritation. Prolonged or repeated skin contact may cause drying of the skin, progressing to dermatitis. Symptoms may include itching, discolouration, swelling and blistering.
Eyes:	Contact with the eyes may cause irritation. Symptoms may include reddening, swelling and impaired vision.
Ingestion:	Ingestion of small amounts may cause nausea and vomiting.
Inhalation:	Due to low volatility, this product should not present an inhalation hazard under ambient conditions. Exposure to vapour or mineral oil mists may irritate the mucous membranes and cause dizziness, headaches and nausea.

Environmental Effects

No specific hazards under normal use conditions.

4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation:	Remove from further exposure. If respiratory irritation, dizziness, nausea, or unconsciousness occurs, seek immediate medical assistance and call a doctor. If breathing has stopped, administer artificial respiration.
<u>Skin contact:</u>	Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected skin with soap and water. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention. If high pressure injection injuries occur, obtain medical attention immediately.
Eye contact:	Flush eye with copious quantities of water. If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.
Ingestion:	Wash out mouth with water and obtain medical attention. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING.

5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Unsuitable extinguishing media:	Carbon dioxide (CO ₂), dry chemical, foam or water spray. Do not use water jets.
Special exposure hazards:	Combustion is likely to give rise to a complex mixture of airborne solid and liquid particulates and gases, including carbon monoxide, and unidentified organic and inorganic compounds.
Special protective equipment:	Proper protective equipment including breathing apparatus must be worn when approaching a fire in a confined space.

6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions:	Spilt product presents a significant slip hazard. Remove any sources of heat.
Environmental Precautions:	Prevent from spreading or entering into drains, sewers and watercourses by using inert absorbent material or other appropriate barriers. Inform local authorities if this cannot be prevented.
Methods for cleaning up:	Absorb liquid with inert absorbent material. Sweep up and remove to a suitable, clearly marked container for disposal in accordance with local and national regulations
7: HANDLING AND STORAGE	
<u>Handling:</u>	Do not eat, drink or smoke whilst using this product. To avoid the possibility of skin disorders repeated or prolonged contact with products of this type must be avoided. It is essential to maintain a high standard of personal hygiene.
<u>Storage:</u>	Store in a cool place away from sources of heat and out of direct sunlight to avoid pressure build up. Do not store near oxidisers.
Handling and Storage Materials and	Coatings

Suitable:	Carbon steel, baked epoxy or Phenolic coatings, aluminium.
Unsuitable:	Natural rubber, Butyl rubber

8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits:	Not established.
Engineering control measures:	Use of local exhaust ventilation is recommended whenever this product is used in a confined space, is heated above ambient temperatures, or is agitated.
<u>Hygiene measures:</u>	Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking and using the toilet. Gloves should be washed before being removed.
Respiratory Protection:	Normally not required if adequate ventilation is in place. Where concentrations in air may exceed the limits given in this section, it is recommended to use a half mask respirator to protect from over exposure by inhalation. Suitable filter material depends on the amount and type of chemicals being handled, but filter material suitable for organic vapours may be considered for use.
Hand Protection:	When handling this product it is recommended to wear chemical resistant gloves. Suggested materials for protective gloves include: PVC, Neoprene or similar.
Eye Protection:	Wear eye protection such as safety glasses, chemical goggles, or face shield if engineering controls or work practices are not adequate to prevent eye contact. Have suitable eye wash water available.

T 3788 MSDS Revision No. 00/09/05 Page 3 of 7 Wear impervious protective clothing to prevent skin contact. Selection of protective clothing may include gloves, apron, boots, and complete facial protection depending on operations conducted.

9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

General Information	
Appearance:	Clear, colourless liquid
Odour:	Mild petroleum odour

Health, safety and environmental information	
Not determined	
280 ℃	
>135 <i>°</i> C	
Non flammable	
Not explosive	
Not applicable	
<0.02 kPa	
0.86 g/cm⁻³ at 20 ℃ typical	
Insoluble	
$4.0 - 4.5 \text{ cSt} (4.0 - 4.5 \text{ mm}^2/\text{s}) \text{ typical}$	
>1	
Not determined	

Other information	
Pour point:	-60 °C typical
Expansion coefficient:	0.0007 /℃ typical
Neutralisation value:	0.03 mg KOH g ⁻¹ maximum

10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability:	This material is considered stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure and will not polymerise.
Conditions to avoid:	Temperatures above 140℃
Materials to avoid:	Strong oxidising agents, such as liquid chlorine, concentrated oxygen, sodium hypochlorite, calcium hypochlorite, peroxides etc, as this may present an explosion hazard.
Hazardous decomposition products:	Carbon monoxide and irritant fumes may be generated if this product is burned in an enclosed space.

11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Basis for assessment:	Toxicological data have not been determined specifically for this product. Information given is based on a knowledge of the components and the toxicology of similar products.
Acute toxicity:	Oral LD50 expected to be >5000 mg/kg (rat)
	Inhalation LC50/4hr expected to be >1.8 mg/l (rat)
	Dermal LD50 expected to be >2000 mg/kg (rabbit)
Corrosivity/irritation:	
Eye:	May be slightly irritant
Skin:	May be slightly irritant
Respiratory tract:	If mists are inhaled, slight irritation of the respiratory tract may occur
Skin sensitisation:	Not expected to be a skin sensitiser
Repeated-dose toxicity:	Prolonged and/or repeated contact may lead to irritation and possibly dermatitis, especially under conditions of poor personal hygiene.
Mutagenicity:	Not expected to be a mutagen.
Carcinogenicity:	Not expected to be a carcinogen.
Reproductive toxicity:	The preparation has not been assessed at all for this end- point, so its hazardous property in this regard is not known.

12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Basis for assessment:	Ecotoxicological data have not been determined specifically for this product. Information given is based on a knowledge of the components and the ecotoxicology of similar products.
Ecotoxicity:	Poorly soluble mixture. Product is not expected to be ecotoxic to fish/daphinia/algae, or sewage bacteria. This preparation is expected to be removed in a wastewater treatment facility
<u>Mobility:</u>	Liquid under most environmental conditions. Floats on water. If it enters soil, it will adsorb to soil particles and will not be mobile.
Persistence and degradability:	Readily biodegradable.
	Soils degradation – half life approx. 15 days.
	Natural waters degradation – half life approx. 4 – 9 days.
Bioaccumulative potential:	May have the potential to bioaccumulate

13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal must be in accordance with local and national legislation.

Unused Product:	Dispose of through an authorised waste contractor to a licensed site. May be incinerated.
Used/Contaminated Product:	Dispose of through an authorised waste contractor to a licensed site. May be incinerated.
Packaging:	Dispose of through an authorised waste contractor. May be steam cleaned and recycled.

14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

This product is not classified as dangerous for transport.

15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Classification/Symbol: Not Regulated

This preparation is not classified as Dangerous according to EU Directives

This safety data sheet is intended to assist in compliance with the following UK legislation:

- Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002
- Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002.
- Health and Safety at Work, etc. Act 1974.
- Environmental Protection Act 1990
- Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regs. 1991

• COSHH essentials: Easy steps to control chemicals. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations

Further Guidance

The following guidance notes are available from HMSO or HSE.

Occupational exposure limits (EH 40). Effects of mineral oil on the skin (SHW 397). Preventing dermatitis at work (INDG 233)

A step by step guide to COSHH assessment (HSG 97)

Assessing and managing risks at work from skin exposure to chemical agents (HSG 205) The selection use and maintenance of respiratory protective equipment: A practical quide (HS

The selection, use and maintenance of respiratory protective equipment: A practical guide (HSG 53)

Relevant EC Directives:

- Dangerous Substances Directive (DSD)
- Dangerous Preparations Directive (DPD)
- Safety Data Sheets Directive (SDSD)
- Health & Safety Framework Directive

16: OTHER INFORMATION

This data sheet was prepared in accordance with Commission Directive 2001/58/ECand SI 2002 No. 1689 (CHIP 3)

Key References:

- Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002
- The compilation of safety data sheets. Approved Code of Practice (third edition)

• Approved supply list (7th Edition). Information approved for the classification and labelling of substances and preparations dangerous for supply. Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002

• Approved classification and labelling guide. Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2002. Guidance on regulations (Fifth edition).

- EH40/2005 Workplace Exposure Limits 2005
- COSHH essentials: Easy steps to control chemicals. Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations
- European Inventory of Existing Commercial Substances (EINECS)

The data and advice given apply when the product is sold for the stated application or applications. The product is not sold as suitable for any other application. Use of the product for applications other than as stated in this sheet may give rise to risks not mentioned in this sheet. You should not use the product other than for the stated application or applications without seeking advice from us.

If you have purchased the product for supply to a third party for use at work, it is your duty to take all necessary steps to secure that any person handling or using this product is provided with the information in this sheet.

If you are an employer, it is your duty to tell your employees and others who may be affected of any hazards described in this sheet and of any precautions that should be taken.

We believe, in good faith and to the best of our knowledge that the preceding information is accurate. However, we give no guarantee or warranty in this respect. The information provided herein may not be adequate for all individuals and/or all situations. The purchaser/user of the product remains responsible for storing, using or dealing with the product safely and in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.