

# **Sheen Monitoring Report #10**

Monitoring Period: Daily from 12/23/2013 through 12/29/2013

<u>Mitigation:</u> Suspected petrogenic sheens were removed using absorbent materials.

## Observations in Drainage Ways:

## A-Main

- One streamer, six covers (no particular structure), and three patches of metallic sheens; and two covers (no particular structure) of rainbow sheens observed. Sheens broke apart when disturbed ("brittle")¹.
- One cover (no particular structure) and one patch of metallic sheens observed. Sheens did not break when disturbed ("non-brittle")<sup>2</sup>.

### A365W

 One cover (no particular structure) of brittle<sup>1</sup> metallic sheens observed.

## A365E

 Four covers (no particular structure) and two patches of brittle<sup>1</sup> metallic sheens, and one patch of brittle<sup>1</sup> rainbow sheens observed.

# Observations in Dawson Cove Inlet Channel:

- One cover (no particular structure) and one patch of brittle<sup>1</sup> metallic sheens observed.
- Five patches (four with 0.1-inch wide oil spots), five covers (no particular structure), and two streamers (one with 0.1-inch wide oil spots) of non-brittle<sup>2</sup> rainbow sheens observed.

# Mayflower Pipeline Incident Response

# **Mayflower, Arkansas**

#### Legend:

Green Line – No Sheen
Aqua Circle – "Brittle" Sheen Location
Pink Circle – "Non-Brittle" Sheen Location



Drainage Ways (Summary of Observations from 12/23/2013 through 12/29/2013)



Rainbow Sheen Cover Observation on 12/28/2013



Dawson Cove Inlet Channel (Summary of Observations from 12/23/2013 through 12/29/2013)

#### Notes:

- 1. Brittle sheens are often of natural biogenic origin.
- 2. Non-brittle sheens are often related to anthropogenic sources, including petrogenic sources (e.g., petroleum hydrocarbons).
- 3. Laboratory testing is required to distinguish sheen sources (e.g., crude oil, roadway runoff, natural biologic activity).
- Sheen color (dark/metallic/rainbow/silver gray) and structure (patches/streamers/cover) terminology reference: NOAA 2007. NOAA Open Water Oil Identification Job Aid.



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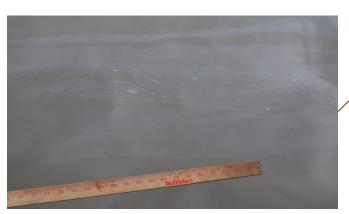
## **Sheen Monitoring Report #10 (continued)**

# **Mayflower, Arkansas**

Monitoring Period: Daily from 12/23/2013 through 12/29/2013

## Observations in Dawson Cove:

- Four patches (with 0.1-, 0.25-, 0.5-, and 0.75-inch wide oil spots) and eight streamers (with 0.1-, 0.25-, and 0.5-inch wide oil spots) of non-brittle<sup>2</sup> rainbow sheens; and one streamer of non-brittle<sup>2</sup> metallic sheens observed.
- One patch of brittle<sup>1</sup> metallic sheens and one patch of brittle<sup>1</sup> rainbow sheens observed.



Rainbow Sheen Streamer Observation on 12/28/2013

# Path Forward for 12/29/2013 to 1/5/2014:

Continue sheen monitoring in all areas.

## Legend:

Aqua Circle – "Brittle" Sheen Location
Pink Circle – "Non-Brittle" Sheen Location
OW-1 – Shoreline Observation Location



Dawson Cove (Summary of Observations from 12/23/2013 through 12/29/2013)



Rainbow Sheen Patch with Small Oil Spots (0.1-inch Wide) Observation on 12/23/2013

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