

Risk-Based Screening Level Analysis and Landfill "Cap" Design of Crude Oil Contaminated Soil Stockpile in Riau Province, Indonesia

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Abstract—In this study, a crude-oil contaminated stockpile is analyzed to understand the health risks and technical approach in its remediation. The stockpile has an approximate area of 13 hectares, with an approximate volume of 1.300.000 m³. Relaxed government regulations regarding environmental protection up in 2014 have made stockpiling crude-oil contaminated soils commonplace in Indonesia's oil and gas fields. The stockpile has a flat-shaped landscape, sloping at approximately 10 to 15 degrees, with a varied elevation ranging from 29 meters to 31 meters, peaking at 31.5 meters. This study's objective was to correctly identify the best curative approach to remediate the location to adhere to the Indonesian Government standards and best practices. A landfill "cap" aims to treat the hazardous waste stockpile similar to a typical landfill, though with the absence of the base layer below the stockpile.

Index Terms—Landfill capping design, hazardous waste landfill, crude oil contaminated soils, risk-based screening levels.

I. PROCEDURE AND DATA COLLECTION

This study used primary data complemented with secondary data was used to support this study. Primary data was gathered directly in the field and analyzed in a lab. Secondary data was collected through desk research by benchmarking against international best practices and other studies.

Data used in this study is a result of several different field-specific tests as listed below:

- 1) Topographic survey of the stockpiles
- 2) Borehole tests: drilling six shallow boreholes of depths up to 10 meters complemented by two deep boreholes of depths up to 30 meters with geotechnical and environmental soil sampling
- 3) Cone Penetration Tests: 7 CPTs to define the geotechnical parameters for both stockpile and the natural clay immediately beneath
- 4) Laboratory testing of environmental parameters which include but were not limited to the Toxicity Leaching Characteristic Procedure, TCLP, and soil analysis of Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon, TPH, content

Guided by the data collected, firstly, an interpretation of field survey data and laboratory results was made to determine the waste type of the crude-oil contaminated soil. This is used as a baseline and later on justification of engineering design. COCS was not yet listed as hazardous

waste in the Government Regulation No. 101 Year 2014. This process is done through data interpretation from the TCLP tests alongside the CPT tests yielding its TPH content. A geological study was then done in the surrounding environment to determine the characters in geology, such as soil type and water table and permeability, resistivity, and porosity.

As it will later be elaborated, the stockpile's size and volume have proven challenging to displace and be treated directly. In the design process, geological and hydrogeological studies are carried out to identify the lay of land. Then, a health and environmental risk assessment was done in the form of TPH delineation and heavy metal concentrations, which was then compared to the results of the Risk-Based Screening Levels (RBSL) [1] calculations to determine the magnitude of the potential risk posed by the stockpile. Through a site-wide sampling exercise using 13 well-tests, the site-specific characterization results have identified lithology underlying the stockpile to be clay soil with sandy inserts with no visibility of a water table. The lithological permeability value of the hydrocarbon contaminated soil consists of clay with permeability values ranging from 1.2x10⁻⁹ cm / sec to 1.5x10⁻⁶ cm / sec and sandy silt with permeability values of 1.1 x 10⁻⁸ cm / second 1.9 x 10⁻⁶ cm / second rendering its elemental layer as an aquitard [2]. Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon, TPH, has also been identified through borehole sampling resulting in TPH concentrations being relatively high in the clay soils on the surface with a permeability value of 1 × 10⁻⁶ cm/sec, concluding low permeability from stockpile surface into the soil beneath. Waste categorization is done to understand the nature of the waste itself through the Toxicity Characteristic Leaching Procedure, TCLP, resulting in 127,500 m³ of soil within stockpile to be hazardous waste. Through soil sampling, it has also been shown that the indigenous soil surrounding the stockpile to be high in Cadmium (Cd) and Chromium (Cr). Within the stockpile itself, Mercury (Hg) and Chromium (Cr) were most abundant. The stockpile's known characteristics were then used to calculate the health risks due to exposure through ingestion, inhalation, and dermal routes. The Total Hazard Index (THI) of the site shows a value of less than 1. Therefore all exposure routes considered does not show a strong potential in inducing non-carcinogenic effects with Site Specific Target Levels (SSTL) values of 80,196 mg/kg, 291,011 mg/kg, and 124,526 mg/kg for each exposure route, respectively, with a total SSTL value of 41.777 mg/kg (4.18%). Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon (TPH) as the main contaminant of concern was also measured for its concentration and compared to the

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SSTL levels to estimate the degree of contamination.

The methodology used to carry out this study was a modified interpretation of the typical waste landfill model. At the time of this study, there was little to no reference to modified landfill structures and their Indonesia implementation. Beyond the engineering challenges, hurdles in regulatory aspects were also encountered. The subject of this study, COCS, was an unfamiliar waste in the Indonesian waste management system. It is not a commonplace hazardous waste, resulting in a lack of regulatory guides and implementation references. Therefore, the methodology of this study relies heavily on interpretation of international experiences such as the American Petroleum Institute [3], The American Society for Testing and Materials, and local government regulation, namely Government Regulation No. 101 Year 2014 [4] about Hazardous Waste Management, Government Regulation No. 63 Year 2016 [5] on Hazardous Waste Landfilling Procedures and the US EPA's Review of Liner and Cap Regulations for Landfills [6].

II. FIELD OBSERVATIONS

This study's engineering design will be referred to as a landfill "cap" due to the absence of the elementary bottom layer, which would be found in a typical landfill. This approach's main reasoning is the massive 1.300.000 m³ area of the stockpile, which will be costly to displace and replace to layout an elemental layer, so soil displacement will also potentially cause environmental disruption and contamination. This assumption will, later on, be corroborated by field data to justify the approach further.

In designing a cap for the COCS stockpile, field characterization is essential to comprehensively understand the local geological and geomorphological conditions on top of waste characterization. Government Regulation No. 101 Year 2014, the standard of which hazardous waste management practices are based on this study, is used. The fifth appendix of the regulation states that crude oil fractions are categorized into two tranches, C6-C9 and C10-C36 petroleum hydrocarbon. Internal wells were put in place within the stockpile to measure TPH concentration, with one well outside of the study perimeter as a baseline.

Analysis of the well-test results yielded a TPH of the C6-C9 fractions to be 568 mg/kg and of the C10-C36 to be 10500 mg/kg. A model for the spread in concentration for these two fractions are modeled through Fig. 2 and Fig. 3.

TPH concentrations are a useful indicator of petroleum contamination in a specific location. Crude oils can vary in how many permutations of hydrogen-carbon chemicals they contain. Therefore TPH is used as a collective measure in providing a sense of joint concentration.

The two tranches of TPH concentration values are tested to comply with the Government Regulation No. 101 Year 2014 as it is defined in Annex V. In conclusion, according to the concentrations of TPH and the corresponding regulation, the COCS stockpile is concluded to contain 127.500 m³ of Category II hazardous waste.

In the Indonesian Government Regulation No. 101 Year 2014, hazardous waste is divided into two categories. Category I calls for wastes that are flammable, reactive, infectious, and corrosive. Category II is defined as hazardous

waste that is determined through Toxicity Leaching Characteristic Procedure (TCLP) test and/or LD50 toxicology tests and/or a sub-chronic toxicology test.

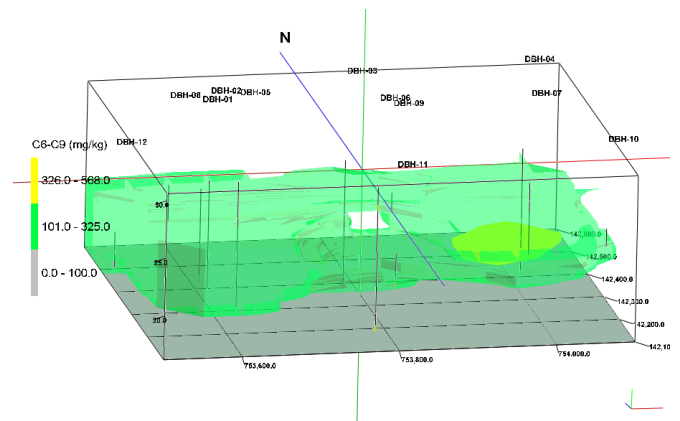


Fig. 1. Crude oil contaminated soil dispersion of C6-C9 fraction.

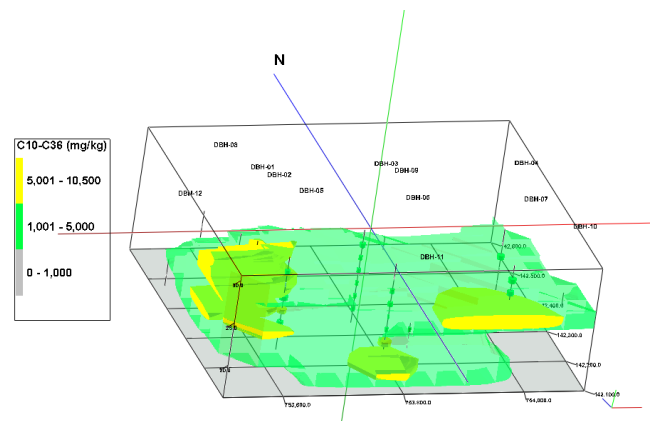


Fig. 2. Crude oil contaminated soil dispersion of C9-C36 fraction.

The TCLP test was carried out in this study to simulate the COCS leaching potential in the landfill. The test procedure follows the US EPA 1311 test method as its primary reference. The test specimen was the COCS with its solid phase extracted with a leaching substance, glacial acetic acid, or carbonic acid, 20 times its weight. The mixture will become uniform through agitation and is ready for both TPH content analysis and heavy metal parameters such as As, Ba, Be, B, Cd, Co, Cr, Cu, Pb, Hg, Mo, Ni, Ag, and Zn. Inorganic heavy metal parameters are exclusively used due to the low concentration of the C1-C6 TPH fraction. Low volatile contents indicate low organic contents; therefore, chances of contamination from organic heavy metals as a pollutant to be negligible.

Results of the TCLP tests were then matched to the tranches defined as Category A and Category B by the same regulation. Heavy metal testing was done in the same manner, in 11 test points within the stockpile with one additional well test as a baseline. A sample result from one test point within the stockpile is shown in Table I. It is to be understood that the well-test results follow a similar pattern.

Prominent heavy metals noted in high concentration is Chromium (Cr) and Mercury (Hg). It was found that the total concentration of the Cr parameter at all well-test points has a value between TK-B and TK-C, which indicates that all COCS samples collected from each location are categorized as non-hazardous waste. When comparing the Cr levels against the baseline, it is clear that the virgin soil is high in Cr.

Mercury concentrations have also led to the conclusion as the soil being categorized as non-hazardous waste due to its concentration between TK-C at 0,3 mg/kg and TK-B at 75 mg/kg.

TABLE I: SAMPLE RESULT FOR HEAVY METAL TESTING WITHIN STOCKPILE

Heavy Metal	Unit	Baseline	Test Point 1						
		3 m	1.5 m	3 m	4.5 m	6 m	7.5 m	9 m	
Antimony	mg/kg	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	
Arsenic	mg/kg	1.66	1.9	5.16	1.1	1.54	<1.00	1.08	
Barium	mg/kg	23.4	140	81.2	55.4	21.4	52.1	21.4	
Beryllium	mg/kg	1.04	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	
Boron	mg/kg	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	<5.00	
Cadmium	mg/kg	5.63	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	
Chromium	mg/kg	9.81	21.2	41.6	13.2	9.32	11.1	5.61	
Copper	mg/kg	7.47	2.7	4	2.1	4.64	1.52	2.81	
Lead	mg/kg	9.48	10.4	12.3	7.94	8.35	8.97	4.64	
Manganese	mg/kg	1220	24.3	31.1	18.5	12.2	20.2	40.4	
Mercury	mg/kg	<0.05	0.33	0.32	0.32	0.16	0.07	<0.05	
Molybdenum	mg/kg	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	
Nickel	mg/kg	12.3	6.61	6.18	3.66	2.07	6.3	6.94	
Selenium	mg/kg	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	
Silver	mg/kg	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	<1.00	
Vanadium	mg/kg	13	42.1	74.8	22.2	18.6	17.6	6.53	
Zinc	mg/kg	55.1	13.8	17.6	9.28	7.68	17.2	31.8	

In summary, from all 12 well-test points, prominent heavy metals found was to be Chromium and Mercury with a maximum concentration of 45,5 mg/kg against its 9,81 mg/kg baseline and 0,59 mg/kg against its 0,05 mg/kg benchmark, respectively. A physical model of both heavy metals and their dispersion throughout the stockpile could be found in Fig. 4 and 5.

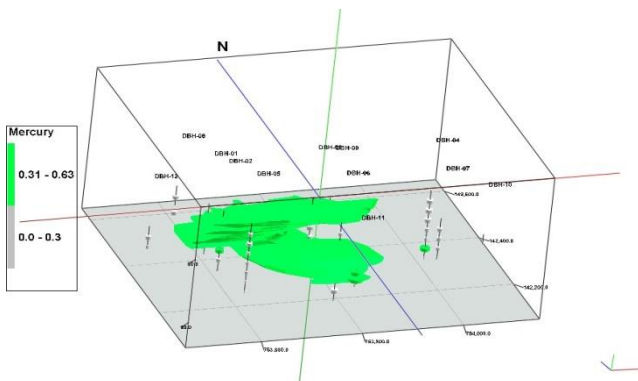


Fig. 3. Mercury spread within the stockpile.

A complete assessment of the site was then done by combining data collected concerning the waste constituent complemented with data from the surrounding soil area. Primary data was gathered through log lithology drilling superimposed with the geoelectricity identification for six cross-sections of the area, with a total of 12 testing wells. It was found that the lithology underlying the COCS was dominated by clay with sandy silt inserts, with no water table visible up to 25 meters below the COCS.

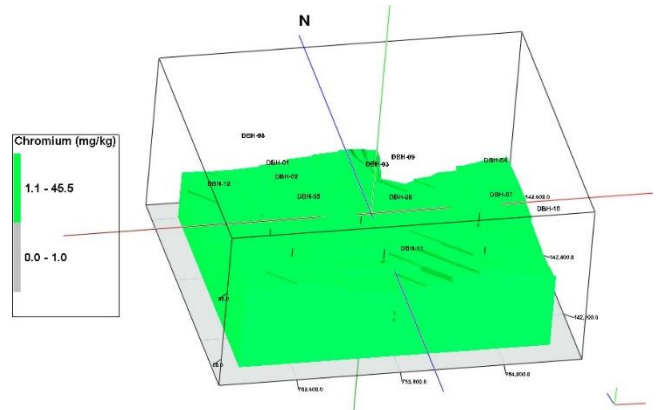


Fig. 4. Chromium spread within the stockpile.

It was found from the soil samples that the lithological permeability value of the hydrocarbon contaminated soil consists of clay with permeability values ranging from 1.2×10^{-9} cm/sec to 1.5×10^{-6} cm/sec and sandy silt with permeability values of 1.1×10^{-8} cm/second to 1.9×10^{-6} cm/second. The underlying soil was also sampled and yielded as a clay with a permeability below 10^{-5} cm/sec, indicating that it is incapable of transmitting water or any other heavy contaminants upon contact.

III. CALCULATIONS

Beyond data collection through site-sampling, two empirical parameters were then calculated as a predictor base to determine the potential danger of containment implementation activities. Parameters calculated include the value of the Site-Specific Target Level, SSTL, which values the maximum concentration allowed for no significant hazard to occur in the environment specifically in receptors through humans, and the calculation of the Total Hazard Index (THI) value which represents the hazard yielded from each total petroleum fraction. A risk-based clean-up approach is made by performing these human health risk assessments.

In conducting this assessment, the methodologies used are based on the United States Environmental Protection Agency methods, which are commonly used, supplemented by empirical formulas by the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) [7]. In calculating these values, which will be based on safety evaluation in this specific stockpile site, site-specific variables must be identified. The stockpile site is located in a remote area with a distance to the nearest anthropogenic settlement of 2 to 6 kilometers. Therefore it is inferred that the respondents potentially exposed to the stockpile contaminants are mainly workers and those with considerable distance between the stockpile and the settlement. It is safe to assume that workers will not be required to stay as residents within the stockpile site. Therefore each worker will spend an average of three days in one week, 165 days in a year, to run monitoring and control evaluation activities at the stockpile site. Beyond these assumptions, further assumptions that could be of use include:

- Exposure Route

The route of exposure is the "how" hazardous waste could potentially impact human health. Among the routes of exposure from polluted hydrocarbon soils include oral,

inhalation, and dermal contact. These exposure routes will be the assumption base for this study.

- Average Weight of Receptor

Activities within the stockpile area, which include monitoring, evaluation, maintenance, and emergencies, will require workers to enter the site and increase the potential of exposure. These workers will be considered the primary receptors of hazardous waste exposure with an average body weight of 57,7 kg, which is assumed to be the Asian race adult human average body weight [8].

- Exposure Duration

This stockpile construction will require dedicated resources responsible for this massive environmental project, from design and implementation to monitoring and evaluation. The Indonesian average working duration is 32 years, starting from the average university graduation at 22 years to the average retirement age of 54 years (Indonesian Statistic Bureau, 2018). Assuming the maximum duration of exposure, this value will be adapted.

- Reference Dose

Reference Dose is determined by The American Petroleum Institute, which constitutes a variable used in calculations to calculate exposure through each route for each Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon fraction.

Assumptions within this analysis follow the United States US EPA Risk-Based Screening Levels and are shown in Table II.

TABLE II: RISK-BASED SCREENING LEVEL GENERAL UNITS AND ASSUMPTIONS USED (US EPA, RISK ASSESSMENT GUIDANCE FOR SUPERFUND VOLUME I: HUMAN HEALTH EVALUATION MANUAL, 2004)

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	Value
Average Non-Carcinogenic Exposure Time	-	Years	32
Average Receptor Weight	BWW	Kg	57,7
Exposure Duration	EDW	Years	32
Exposure Frequency	EFW	Days/Year	365
Exposure Time to Outdoor Air	ETW	Hours/day	8
Soil Ingestion rate	IRW	Mg/Day	100
Outdoor Air Inhalation Rate	-	M3/Day	31
Soil to Skin Adherence Factor	AFW	mg/cm2	0,2
Surface Area of Skin Used for Soil Exposure	SAW	Cm2/Day	4100

The Screening Level value is calculated to determine whether an action should be taken against a particular polluted site. This method facilitates the identification of contaminants and areas of exposure that require attention and or remediation measures. This value is calculated using the assumption of the most critical condition, the worst-case scenario, by choosing the highest TPH data of 3.63%. The conversion between fractionated crude oil values into Total TPH values are listed in Table III regarding the weight-average method outlined in the TPH Criteria Working Group Study [9].

TABLE III: FRACTIONATION OF CRUDE OIL PRODUCTION IN STOCKPILE OPERATION AREA

Hydrocarbon Chain	Unit	Stockpile Value	Diesel Value	Gasoline Value	Baby Oil Value	
> 5 - 6 C Alifatik	mg/kg					
> 6 - 8 C Alifatik		2300	3900	240000		
> 8 - 10 C Alifatik		10000	17000	15000		
> 10 - 12 C Alifatik		15000	32000	14000		
> 12 - 16 C Alifatik		39000	150000	2100	16000	
> 16 - 44 C Alifatik		120000	320000	820	840000	
> 6 - 7 C Aromatic					7900	
> 7 - 8 C Aromatic				260	37000	
> 8 - 10 C Aromatic		540	4300	98000		
> 10 - 12 C Aromatic		2600	14000	26000		
> 12 - 16 C Aromatic		18000	86000	3500	180	
> 16 - 21 C Aromatic		31000	100000	1200	1500	
> 21 - 44 C Aromatic		88000	28000	360	7700	

The TPH component of petroleum is evaluated in terms of the "carbon range" of aliphatic and aromatic compounds. The carbon range is defined by groups of aliphatic or aromatic compounds that exhibit similar physiochemical and toxicological characteristics. These carbon groups are determined to make it easier to characterize and analyze these fractions concerning pollution by TPH. The compounds included in the C5-C8 aliphatic carbon range are the most volatile, although C9-C12 aliphatic and C9-C10 aromatics are also included in this category. Compounds belonging to the aromatic carbon ranges C13-C18 and C11-C22 are considered "semi-volatile." Aliphatic compounds with more than 18 carbon atoms and aromatic compounds with more

than ten carbon atoms are not regarded as volatile.

Values such as the Hazard Quotient (HQ), Total Hazard Index (THI), Risk-Based Screening Levels (RBSL), and Site-Specific Target Levels (SSTL) are calculated to characterize the maximum exposure acceptable to humans, in this case, workers at the stockpile site, as an indication as to what preventive measures could be carried out to protect or reduce the amount of exposure that is received by these receptors.

Petroleum components within the contaminated soils are complex made up of hundreds of different compounds consisting of hydrogen and carbon, which have become hydrocarbons. The compounds could collectively be grouped

into either aromatic or aliphatic carbon ranges based on the number of atom carbons in each compound. The Total Hazard Index is determined through the ratio of the TPH aliphatic fraction to the aromatic fraction.

TABLE IV: TOTAL PETROLEUM HYDROCARBON FRACTION ESTIMATION WITHIN STOCKPILE

TPH Fraction	Concentration(mg/kg)
Aliphatic:	
>6-8 C Aliphatic	255,79
>8-10 C Aliphatic	1.112,15
>10-12 C Aliphatic	1.668,22
>12-16 C Aliphatic	4.337,38
>16-44 C Aliphatic	13.345,79
Aromatic:	
>8-10 C Aromatic	60,06
>10-12 C Aromatic	289,159
> 12-16 C Aromatic	2.001,87
> 16-21 C Aromatic	3.447,70
> 21-44 C Aromatic	9.786,90
Σ Concentration of Aliphatic TPH	20.719,30
Σ Concentration of Aromatic TPH	15.585,70

The Hazard Quotient value is then the ratio between potential exposure against pollutant constituents at a certain level with zero expectations of harmful effects. An HQ value of less than or equal to one indicates that the impact on non-cancerous hazards is of no great potential and low probability of occurrence. The HQ value is a testament of whether or not a risk could occur and the potential it may impose concerning each pollutant. The Hazard Quotient is then calculated using the formula:

$$\text{Hazard Quotient} = \frac{\text{Average Daily Dose}}{\text{Reference Dose}}$$

The Average Daily Dose used in this calculation is the value of which the receptors receive the average daily dose of pollutants. This is referenced to the Reference Dose value, a set of baseline values commonly used by the Superfund Health Risk Technical Support Centre, United States Environmental Protection Agency as the maximum dose of exposure to pollutant constituents without causing significant and long-term damage to the recipient. The value of the average daily dose varies depending on several variables, which follows the equation below:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Average Daily Dose} \\ & \text{Chemical Concentration} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg soil}} \right) * \\ & \text{Rate of Exposure} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right) * \\ & \text{Exposure duration (years)} * \\ & \text{Frequency of exposure} \left(\frac{\text{days}}{\text{year}} \right) \\ = & \frac{\text{Body Weight of Receptor (kg)} * \text{Average Time of Exposure (days)}}{\text{Reference Dose}} \end{aligned}$$

Through these calculations of the daily average exposure

dose against the reference dose, it is now possible to calculate the Hazard Index due to aggregating the Hazard Quotient Value. The Hazard Quotient value is calculated based on each pollutant constituent's concentration, in this case, on each trench of the TPH fraction concentration concerning the exposure route and exposure duration. This calculation is done to assess the overall maximum dose and exposure hazard threshold, which is acceptable to the receptor. Thus, the Hazard Quotient values' aggregation from each TPH fraction concentration will result in the Hazard Index value. An aggregation of each Hazard Index for each respective exposure route, whether ingestion, inhalation, or dermal contact, will result in the maximum value of which the receptor can withstand exposure with no serious consequence. An aggregated Total Hazard Index value below one will indicate the likelihood of adverse effects on non-cancerous health risks are unlikely to occur and could be addressed less severely. Should the Total Hazard Index value be greater than or equal to 1, it would be safe to assume that the severity of the impact from exposure is more than likely to occur but will indefinitely depend on the variable duration of exposure, among other things. The Total Hazard Index value could be calculated using the following equation:

$$\text{Total Hazard Index} = \frac{\text{Potential Average Daily Dose} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg day}} \right)}{\text{Reference Dose Exposure Path} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg day}} \right)}$$

Risk-Based Screening Levels and Site-Specific Screening Levels are then calculated as another empirical approach to obtain both risk-based concentration screening level values for specific pollution sites and the maximum limit of concentration of pollutants allowed within site. These values are calculated for the exposure route, which is then aggregated to obtain the site-wide values.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Non - Carcinogenic Screening Level} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = & \frac{\text{Total Hazard Quotient} * \text{Receptor Body Weight (kg)} * \text{Average Exposure Time (days)}}{\frac{1}{\text{Reference Dose} * \frac{10^{-6} \text{kg}}{\text{mg}} * \text{Exposure Frequency} \left(\frac{\text{day}}{\text{year}} \right) * \text{Exposure Duration (years)} * \text{Exposure Rate} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{day}} \right)}} \\ \text{SSTL} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right) = & \frac{\text{Total Hazard Index}}{\Sigma \left(\frac{\text{Mass Fraction} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right)}{\text{Screening Level Non-Carcinogenic Value} \left(\frac{\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \right)} \right)} \end{aligned}$$

TABLE V: SSTL VALUES FOR EACH CHOSEN EXPOSURE ROUTE

Exposure Route	SSTL Value (mg/kg)	SSTL Value (%)
Ingestion	47,9219	4,79
Inhalation	364,734	36,47
Dermal	105,254	10,52
Total	30,203	3,019

Following the calculation methods detailed above, SSTL values for each chosen exposure route was then found to be as follows in Table VIII. SSTL values for a given exposure path and contaminant represent a concentration in the affected

medium that protects a human or ecological receptor located at a relevant point of exposure.

IV. RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS

Empirical results show that the total Total Hazard Index values show for all respective exposure routes to value less than and equal to 1, explaining that these exposure routes may be the possibility of not imposing carcinogenic effects to the receptors [10]. SSTL values for soil ingestion, inhalation and dermal contact exposure routes are found to be 47.9219 mg.kg, 364.734 mg / kg, and 105.254 mg / kg, respectively. To obtain a multi-exposure SSTL value, a weighted aggregation was done to each exposure route resulting in a value of 30.203 mg/kg (3.019%) within the stockpile area.

Furthermore, a descriptive analysis shown in Table VI on the TPH concentration within the stockpile has been done to present, and corroborate field sampling results shown in Table VII, that TPH concentration values are relatively small (<1%). The highest TPH concentration was found at the 7th testing point at a depth of 4.5 to 5 meters above the ground surface, a TPH concentration of 1,07%.

TABLE VI: DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS OF TPH CONCENTRATION

Descriptive Statistic Analysis	Descriptive Statistic Analysis
Average	0,21 %
Standard Deviation	0,24 %
Maxiumum Value	1,07 %
Total Sample	59

TABLE VII: CUMULATIVE FREQUENCY OF TPH CONCENTRATION

TPH	Total Sample	Percentage
>0%	59	100%
<1%	58	98,31%
<2%	59	100%

Regarding the 12 testing points done in the stockpile area, not one particular point within the stockpile had a TPH concentration that exceeded the total SSTL value coupled with the assumption that workers will work three days a week, it is concluded that the impacts from hazardous waste exposure through ingestion, inhalation, and dermal contact is negligible. Though concluded to result in minor receptor damage empirically, preventive measures, such as protective gear, are always advised when operating in areas of risk.

Based on the hazardous waste exposure potential analysis regarding worker safety, coupled with site-characterization and identification through geophysical analysis, it was then concluded that the design and construction of a landfill cap within these circumstances to be possible and viable as a remediation option. The cap's design followed the Indonesian Government Regulation No. 63 Year 2016 regarding landfills and construction. With reference to this regulation and the ASTM best practice guidelines, it was then technically formulated for the cap to adhere to specific technical requirements, shielding workers and those coming across the stockpile from potential danger due to hazardous waste exposure.

Pertinent factors to be considered in designing landfill "caps," especially those relating to the structure of the cap itself and the surrounding environment as a whole, include, but are not limited to, the stability of materials used to construct the infrastructure. The structure of the landfill cap

and its technical assignments are as follows. With reference to international standards calibrated with the Indonesian Ministry of Environmental and Forestry Regulation No. 63 Year 2016 are as follows:

- Land Cover Intermediaries

Intermediaries in the form of soil with a thickness of no less than 15 centimeters is placed above the hazardous waste stockpile. In principle, the primary layer above the waste consists of hydrophobic and hydrophilic cover layers. The compacted clay layer will cover the geomembrane layer's shortcomings while the geomembrane layer protects the clay layer. This concept aims to be efficient and tolerant of practical errors in the convective flow of water or gas and the diffusion of all types of pollutants. The intermediate soil cover becomes the first layer proposed to be used as an intermediary, piled directly on the hazardous waste with a thickness of at least 15 centimeters. The intermediate layer is useful as the first insulation layer. Directly above this first layer, a barrier clay soil compacted or geosynthetic clay liners is used as the next insulator.

- Barrier Hoods

In the form of clay soil, compacted to reach hydraulic conductivity of 10^{-7} cm/sec with a thickness of 60 centimeters, or in the form of a Geosynthetic Clay Liner layer with a thickness of 6 centimeters. In this case, clay, or GCL layer, is useful to prevent contaminants from reaching the layers below through infiltration; therefore, this layer needs to meet the hydraulic conductivity specifications of 10^{-7} cm/seconds. In the absence of clay soil, GCL is used. Although the GCL layer is prone to shearing from tears due to penetration of plant roots, the GCL possesses better elasticity than clay soils, making it possible for GCL layers to recover from deformation due to burden.

- Geomembrane Hoods

In the form of HDPE with a thickness of at least 1 millimeter with a hydraulic conductivity of 10^{-7} cm/sec and must be designed to withstand all stresses during installation, upper layer construction, and closing final filling facilities. Geomembranes used for settling layers in a waste collection system must meet the specifications' requirements, namely to prevent leakage not to pollute the surrounding environment. Geomembranes must be made from high-quality fresh and pure, high-quality synthetic polymer HDPE material, not from recycled products, which are about 97.5% HDPE and 2.5% carbon black material, without using additives, anti-oxidants, and heat stabilizers. The quality of the polymer must be certified and specific for geomembrane applications.

The geomembrane must have resistance to the influence of chemicals present in the waste and other microbiological impacts. Geomembranes must have high characteristic qualities and impermeability characterized by minimal permeability values. Table VII references standard best practices, as stated by The American Society for Testing and Materials are listed.

- Vegetation

The top layer of the hood construction is a layer of vegetation that is useful for creating a barrier against external aggressors and acts as a water catchment area for rainfall. A landfill "cap" was designed to suit the stockpile structure through data interpretation and calculation of both primary and secondary data. Leveling through the addition of clay soil

mixture to level the stockpile was done before the cap's layering. A sample cut of the stockpile structure is as follows: a height ratio of 1:1000 and a volume ratio of 1:1000. A detailed engineering drawing of the cap is enclosed to provide further details in Fig. 7.

TABLE VIII: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS AS MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR GEOMEMBRANES

No	Aspect	Physical Value	Standard Reference
1	Minimum thickness	1,5 mm	ASTM D 5199
2	Allowable thickness variation	≤ 5%	ASTM D 5199
3	Density	0,94 gram/cm ³	ASTM D 792 or 1505
4	Melt Flow Index	≥ 2 gram/10 minute	ASTM 1238
5	Tensile strength at yield	25 Newton/mm	ASTM D 6693
6	Elongation at yield	12%	ASTM D 6693
7	Black carbon Constituent	2%	ASTM 1603-94
8	Tear Resistance	200 Newton	ASTM D 1004
9	Puncture Resistance	≥ 500 Newton	ASTM D 4833
10	Stability in storage (1 hour/ 100°C)	≤ 2%	ASTM D 1204
11	Roll material width	≥ 8 Meter	ASTM D 1593

The fill-only approach in this design is carried out through leveling through an addition of clay soil directly on top of the stockpile. This approach was settled on instead of a cut-and-fill approach considering the risks of the displacement of the hazardous waste stockpile. Workers and the surrounding environment will be at risk of hazardous waste exposure in any case. Another alternative that was not chosen as the implemented design is constructing a cap that varies in-depth, following the stockpile's natural elevation. This design was deemed inefficient in construction since the cap must be segmented into more than many segments following the varying heights from 0,5 meters to 21 meters. Not only challenging in terms of construction, the sustainability of a varied height cap was questioned as the dips and climbs could be prone to shearing and tearing on top of flooding risks due to puddling of rainwater. In the chosen fill-only design alternative, the cap has been constructed with a slope of 1:4 to ensure the cap can channel rainwater into the surrounding drainage infrastructure and to prevent the possibility of erosion. While it is not designed here, a drainage system is crucial to redirect the water flow further.

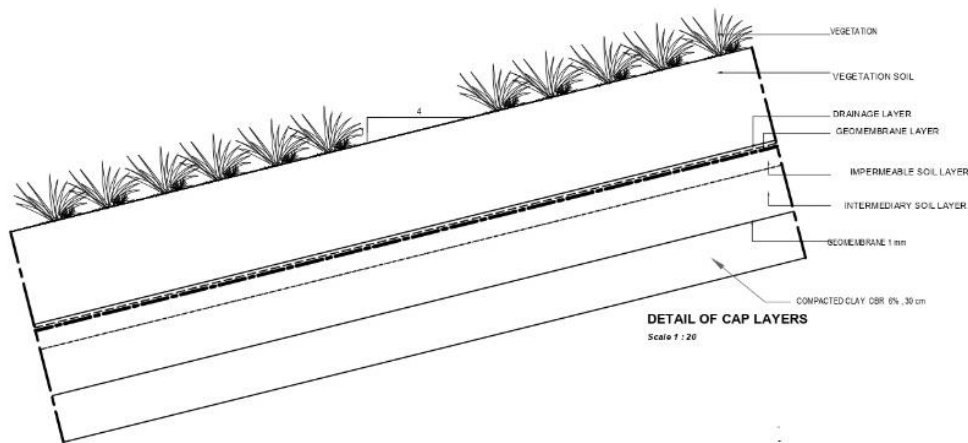


Fig. 5. Landfill cap layers in detail.

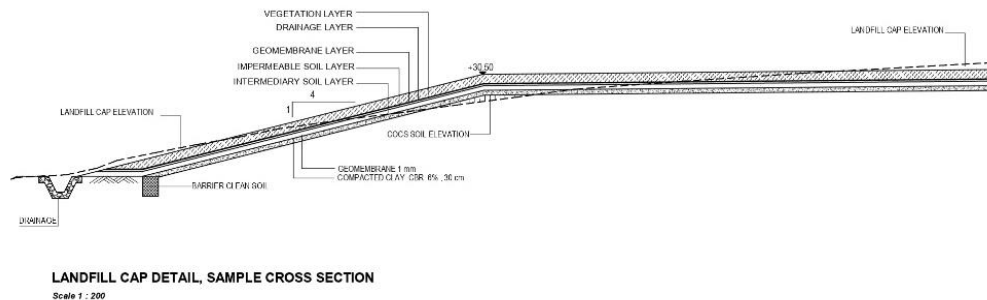


Fig. 6. Landfill cap cross-section in detail.

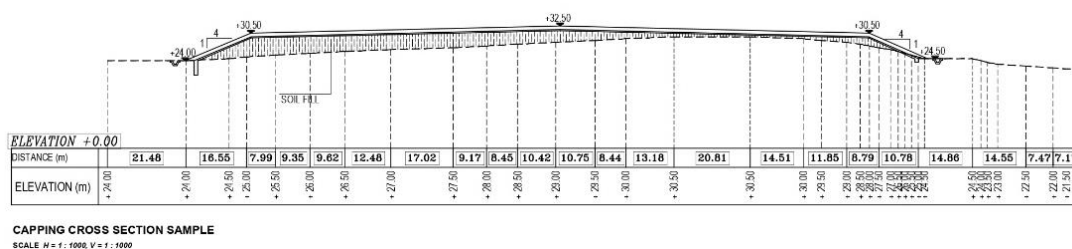


Fig. 7. Landfill cap layers in detail.

V. CONCLUSION

- 1) Hydrocarbon-contaminated soil in the Riau province stockpile has a thickness ranging from 0.5 to 21-meters, which is spread irregularly to the stockpile's outer boundary.
- 2) Lithology within and surrounding the stockpile is identified as clay soil with sandy silt inserts to a depth of 25 meters without groundwater levels.
- 3) The lithological permeability value of underground hydrocarbon contaminated soils consists of clay soils with permeability values ranging from 1.2×10^{-9} cm / sec to 1.5×10^{-6} cm / sec and sandy silt with permeability values of 1.1×10^{-8} cm / second to 1.9×10^{-6} cm / second. Based on the permeability values, it can be concluded that the lithology below the stockpile to be an aquitard.
- 4) TCLP test results from contaminated soil samples at the well drill points # 1, # 3, and # 7 are below the TCLP-C value, and none have concentrations above TCLP-B.
- 5) Concentration value of C6-C9 fraction at test point # 4 at 9 meters depth and C10-C36 fraction at test point # 2 well point at 9 meters and 10.5 meters depth, and test point # 7 at a depth of 4.5 meters between TK-A and TK-B values, therefore, contaminated soil samples at that point are categorized as Category II B3 waste and at other points classified as non-B3 waste. From the simulation of the distribution of B3 waste, the category 2 B3 waste volume is estimated at 127,500 m³.
- 6) Future allotment of the stockpile site is intended as an industrial area, implying receptors at risk of exposure to TPH contamination through ingestion, inhalation, and dermal contact. The SSTL value obtained from the calculation of Risk-Based Corrective Action is 3,19%, with all drill points in the site area having a TPH concentration below the SSTL value.
- 7) The results of the identification of TPH concentrations indicate that the distribution of TPH concentrations is relatively high on the surface of the contaminated landfill. Clay soils located under piles have a permeability value of 1×10^{-6} cm/sec, so that it can be concluded that the mobility of TPH from the surface into the soil is relatively low.
- 8) A landfill "cap" constructed on top of the hazardous waste stockpile is built with a fill-only method, leveling the hazardous waste stockpile height. A slope of 1:4 of the cap is a pertinent design feature to ensure that rainfall will be efficiently channeled into the surrounding drainage infrastructure.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The authors declare no conflict of interest.

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