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07/23/1990	90-0065	UNKNOWN	ALLEGED PESTICIDE DUMPING	NA		BANK OF COTTONWOOD RIVER		
07/17/1990	90-0130	ALL CROP FERTILIZER	SPILL	UNKNOWN	SPRINGFIELD	ROAD - AN AREA 30'x90' DOWNSLOPE FROM LOAD OUT AREA	BURNSTOWN	109N 34W 17
09/10/1990	90-0159	NATURAL RESOURCES MN DEPT OF	BOX TIPPED OVER	1 PT 2,4-D		FACILITY HIGHWAY 15 SOUTH CONCRETE FLOOR	NEW ULM	110N 30W 19
10/25/1990	91-0052	LAND O'LAKES INC	ABANDONED BARRELS THAT MAY CONTAIN 2,4-D	UNKNOWN		NW OF THE INTERSECTION OF 3RD ST N & SPRING ST		
10/29/1990	91-0067	BROWN COUNTY FEED SERVICE INC	FACILITY INSPECTION-HISTORICAL			SAMPLING OF CONTAINER STORAGE AND RUN-OFF AREAS		
04/22/1991	91-0833	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN	HANSKA	PREVIOUS PARKING LOT AREA AT AG CHEM FACILITY	LINDEN	108N 30W 24
09/04/1991	91-0856	CARGILL INC	PRECONSTRUCTION SOIL SAMPLING	UNKNOWN		FARM FIELD		
05/04/1992	92-0109	CENEX HARVEST STATES COOPS	PROD. RLSED FROM TOP VENT/MINIBULK DURING TRANSIT	1 1/2 GAL TRI-4	SLEEPY EYE	5TH AVE SE, SE CORNER OF SLEEPY EYE, MN		
06/09/1992	92-0159	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	LEAKING SEAL ON ANHYDROUS AMMONIA PUMP	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	ESSIG	PUMP LEADING FROM ANHYDROUS AMMONIA STORAGE	MILFORD (NORTH)	111N 31W 19
10/28/1992	93-0007	HARVEST LAND COOP	HITCH BROKE, IMPLEMENT DROPPED, RUPTURED HOSE	2.5 TON OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	SPRINGFIELD	NE - OF SEC 32, BASHOW TWSHP, BROWN CO.	BASHAW	108N 34W 32
05/05/1993	93-0080	BRANDES	LEAKY GAUGE	SMALL AMOUNT OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		ROUTE 3 - BOX 141, NEW ULM, MN		
06/07/1993	93-0115	HARVEST LAND COOP	CHECK VALVE LEAKED FROM APPLICATOR UNIT	1 GAL TANK MIX; MIXED AT A RATE OF 3 PTS PROWL & 18 GAL H2O	SPRINGFIELD	EAST SIDE OF NORTH DRIVEWAY NEAR DITCH	BURNSTOWN	109N 34W 17
05/28/1993	93-0153	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	PRODUCT SPLASHED THROUGH THE OVERFLOW VENT	2 GAL 28%	ESSIG	INTERSECTION OF HWY 11 & 1ST ST EAST IN ESSIG	MILFORD	111N 31W 19
07/07/1993	93-0188	LAND O'LAKES INC	SITE ASSESSMENT DETERMINED ELEVATED AG CHEMICALS			FORMER MIDLAND COOP - THIRD ST IN NEW ULM		
09/21/1993	93-0266	NATURAL RESOURCES MN DEPT OF	LEAKING CONTAINER		NEW ULM	CHEMICAL STORAGE ROOM	NEW ULM	110N 30W
01/24/1994	94-0024	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	TRUCK LEFT ROAD AND WAS DAMAGED	POTASH TRANSPORT		INTERSECTION OF COUNTY ROADS 13 AND 20	LAKE HANSKA	108N 31W 12
05/12/1994	94-0141	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	TIRE RUBBED ON HOSE OF THE HERBICIDE RESERVOIR OF AN ON-THE-GO MACHINE	10 GALLONS TRI-4	EVAN	9 MILES OF REDWOOD CO HWY 4, BROWN CO HWY 28, FARMERS ELEVATOR-EVAN FACILITY	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N 33W 16
05/19/1994	94-0253	BROWN COUNTY AG SERVICE	FIRE	NUMEROUS		BULK FERTILIZER, BAGGING FACILITY, PESTICIDE STORAGE, BAGGED FERTILIZER WAREHOUSE		
03/15/1994	95-0267	SCHROEPFER	HOGS RUPTURED INSECTICIDE BAG	FURADAN ISG BAG	SLEEPY EYE	FEED LOT	ALBIN	108N 32W 17

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06/20/1995	95-0466	SEIDL	TIPPED OUTH THE BACK END OF PICK UP	28% LIQUID NITROGEN @ 500 GALLONS	HANSKA	DRIVEWAY OF THE FARM	LAKE HANSKA	108N	31W	07
05/20/1995	95-0639	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	VALVE OPENED	10 GALLONS OF A TRI-4 TANKMIX.		STOP SIGN AT THE ESSIG BRANCH LOCATION.	MILFORD	111N	31W	19
/ /	95-0830	BROWN COUNTY AG SERVICE	DUMPING OF WASTE PRODUCT	POSSIBLE WASTE WEED-N-FEED	SLEEPY EYE	ADJACENT TO FIRE DEBRIS PILES	HOME (SOUTH)	110N	32W	24
04/30/1996	96-0246	MORGAN GRAIN & FEED CO	BROKEN PIPE VALVE	NURSE TANK OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	MORGAN	N 1/2 OF THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 5	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W	05
06/20/1996	96-0415	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	RUN OFF FROM FLOODED DRY FERTILIZER STORAGE		HANSKA	BULK DRY FERTILIZER STORAGE	LINDEN	108N	30W	24
08/22/1996	96-0842	HARVEST LAND COOP		UNKNOWN		AREAS OF INTENSE PESTICIDE HANDLING				
10/08/1996	96-0854	FCA COOP	TENDER TRUCK TIPPED OVER AT CORNER	DRY FERTILIZER	JACKSON	SE CORNER OF SECTION 13	COTTONWOOD	109N	30W	13
10/29/1996	96-0855	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	AA TANK TIPPED OVER, BROKE VALVE, SLAM VALVE MALFUNCTIONED.	NURSE TANK OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	HANSKA	2.5 MILES E OF HWY 15 ON HWY 68	COTTONWOOD	109N	30W	11
01/22/1997	96-1022	NEW ULM LEASED HOUSING ASSOC LP		ORGANOCHLORINE PEST. DETECTED IN SOIL		GERMAN HEIGHTS TOWNHOUSES, 1508 SOUTH GERMAN ST., 1518 SOUTH GERMAN ST., 40715TH ST. SO., 421 15TH ST. SO., 406 16TH ST. SO., NEW ULM				
03/17/1997	96-1083	WINTER	BURRIED TREATED PAVING BLOCKS	CREOSOTE CONTAMINATION		LOT 13, BLOCK 79, SOUTH OF CENTER STREET 1701 SOUTH BROADWAY, NEW ULM				
05/10/1997	96-1228	HARVEST LAND COOP	VALVE BROKE UNDER TANK	50-100 GALLON TANKMIX ALONG 1/2 MILE OF ROAD		1/2 MILE SOUTH ON CO RD 2 OFF HWY 14				
06/02/1997	96-1310	NELSON	SPRAYER TIPPED OVER	500 GALLONS ATRAZINE AND CLARITY	SLEEPY EYE	ADJACENT TO LIVESTOCK SHED. SW 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W	26
07/31/1997	96-1537	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	HOSE BROKE ON APPLICATOR	10 GALLON TANKMIX OF DIMETHOATE	ESSIG	JUST WEST OF ESSIG FACILITY				
10/29/1997	96-1722	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	HOSE RUPTURE	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA		3 1/2 MILES N ON CO RD 13, 400' WEST	SIGEL	109N	31W	36
03/29/1998	CF-2062	HARVEST LAND COOP	FUJITA SCALE F-3 TORNADO APPROX. 1.25 MILES WIDE	NUMEROUS SMALL PACKAGED PESTICIDES, AA TANK VALVE LEAK, BULK FERT BLDG DAMAGE	COMFREY	101 PINE ST @ BULK FERTILIZER STORAGE BLDG AND BULK AA TANK	BASHAW	108N	34W	34
05/19/1998	CF-2282	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	STRAP BROKE HOLDING TANK ON TRAILER	200 GALLON POLY TANK 28-0-0		3 MILES NORTH OF HANSKA AT THE INTERSECTION OF CO RD 13 & 102	LAKE HANSKA	108N	31W	01
05/21/1998	CF-2308	BROCKMEMEIER	PULL SPRAYER TANK SPLIT OPEN	160 GALLONS TANKMIX OF WATER 7 10 PINTS CLARITY		HEADLAND OF A CORNFIELD	EDEN (south)	111N	33W	20
06/05/1998	CF-2365	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	HOSE BROKE	TANKMIX OF POAST PLUS & CROP OIL. 0.5 PINTS OF HERB.		TAR ROAD	MILFORD (north)	111N	31W	23
/ /	CF-4288	RIVER REGION COOP	PRECONSTRUCTION			FACILITY, HOME (SOUTH) TOWNSHIP/SEC 24/ NE 1/4 SW 1/4				
04/26/2000	CF-4297	RIVER REGION COOP	PUMP ON INDUCTOR LEFT HOOKED TO A BATTERY, PUMP TURNED ON WHILE EN ROUTE	5 GALLONS OF SURPASS PRODUCT	SLEEPY EYE	2 MILE SECITON OF CO RD 27 LEADING FROM THE FACILITY	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W	36
05/14/2001	CF-5591	LA SALLE FARMERS GRAIN CO	UNSECURED LOAD, PROBABLY FELL OFF TRUCK. 1 QUART LOST TO PAVEMENT AND DITCH.	2, 2.5 GALLON PLASTIC JUGS OF PURSUIT PLUS		1.25 MI S OF HANSKA ON HWY 13	LAKE HANSKA	108N	31W	25
06/12/2001	CF-5706	RIVER REGION COOP	LIQUID SLOSHED WITHIN TANK, TANK BROKE STRAP TIE DOWN AND FELL OFF	1800 GALLONS OF 28%	SLEEPY EYE	INTERSECTION OF CO RD 4 AND HWY 68. SLEEPY EYE	HOME (south)	110N	32W	20

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			WAGON						
06/11/2001	CF-5737	NATURAL RESOURCES MN DEPT OF	SPRAY TANK TRAILER TIPPED OVER WHEN IT WAS PULLED OVER HIDDEN POSTS.	50 GALLON TANKMIX OF TRANSLINE HERBICIDE. 20 OZ CLOPYRALID.		OLD ABANDONED BUILDING SITE. SE4 OF SECTION 15. BASHAW TWSP, BROWN COUNTY.	BASHAW	108N	34W 15
05/11/2001	CF-6318	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	ROUTINE USE OF FERTILIZERS.		EVAN	FACILITY, SAMPLING AT THE FORMER LIQUID FERTILIZER DIKE AND WATER FILL AREA.	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W 16
05/11/2001	CF-6320	FARMERS ELEVATOR CO	OLD LIQUID FERT DIKE.	FERTILIZER		FACILITY			
04/30/2002	CF-6713	REIHS	SPILLED DURING TRANSFER OF PRODUCT	2 GALLONS OF DOUBLE PLAY		FIELD APPROACH	LINDEN	108N	30W 26
05/03/2002	CF-6725	HOLM	TRAILER HITCH BROKE.	100 GALLONS OF 10-34-0 STARTER.		WEST SIDE OF THE ONLY ROAD THAT PASSES THROUGH THE SW4 OF SECTION 10.	SIGEL	109N	31W 10
10/31/2002	CF-7642	RIVER REGION COOP	TRAFFIC ACCIDENT	TOTAL RELEASE OF A 1500 GALLON FULL AA NURSE TANK	SEARLES	INTERSECTION OF CO RDS 24 AND 15, SEARLES	COTTONWOOD	109N	30W 22
11/04/2002	CF-7666	ASPLUNDH TREE EXPERT CO	ABANDONED PESTICIDE CONTAINERS. UNRINSED	TRACE AMOUNTS OF GLYPHOSATE		BROWN COUNTY, STATE HWY 14 W OF COBDEN	LEAVENWORTH	109N	33W 6
09/26/2003	CF-8459	DAKOTA MINNESOTA & EASTERN RR	TRAIN CAR DERAILMENT	3 FULL TANK CARS EACH W/CAPACITY OF 20,000 GALLONS	NEW ULM	NEAR 12TH STREET AND N FRONT ST INTERSECTION. WEST SIDE OF FRONT.	NEW ULM	110N	30W 20
11/01/2003	CF-8552	RIVER REGION COOP	SPREADER APRON STILL ENGAGED AS IT LEFT FIRM FACILITY. FERT SPREAD OVER 2 MILES OF ROAD.	3000 POUNDS OF A MIXTURE OF 18-46-0 & 0-0-60.	SLEEPY EYE	STARTED AT FACILITY AND WENT NORTHWARD FOR 1 MILE	HOME (south)	110N	32W 24
07/31/2004	CF-9288	CREATIVE TOUCH LANDSCAPING	HOSE RELEASE	HYDROSEED WITH EARTH SOILS N-CAL; 19% N 2% CALCIUM		421 15TH ST SOUTH TO DRAIN ON CORNER OF 16TH & GERMAN ST			
09/08/2004	CF-9310	HARVEST LAND COOP	COMPROMISED WELD ON BULK TANK	1,000 GALLONS 10-34-0		BULK LIQUID FERTILIZER SECONDARY CONTAINMENT			
12/20/2004	CF-9438	HARVEST LAND COOP	HOLE DEVELOPED IN BULK TANK. 495,000 GALLON CAPACITY.	6170 GALLONS OF 10-34-0.		POLY LINED EARTHEN SECONDARY CONTAINMENT			
//	CF-10304	FARMERS COOP OF HANSKA	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10318	GUGGISBERG AG SERVICE INC	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10319	SPRINGFIELD COOP CREAMERY ASSN	ABANDONED SITE						
//	CF-10330	STANDARD OIL CO	ABANDONED SITE						
09/19/2005	CF-10402	HARVEST LAND COOP	AFTER HYDROSTATIC TESTING THEY FILLED BULK TANK WITH FERT. SMALL PIN-HOLE SIZED LEAK WAS DISCOVERED.	LIQUID FERTILIZER		WITHIN BULK SECONDARY CONTAINMENT.			
//	CF-11268	ALL CROP FERTILIZER	ABANDONED SITE		SPRINGFIELD				
//	CF-11269	SPRINGFIELD COOP CREAMERY ASSN	ABANDONED SITE						
05/26/2007	CF-11400	RIVER REGION COOP	LIBERTY 60 GALLON MINIBULK SLIPPED OUT FROM TRUCK	3 GALLONS OF LIBERTY		BROWN COUNTY 10 AND 260TH STREET			
07/05/2007	CF-11473	TERYJON	HELICOPTER LOST ENGINE POWER.	TANKMIX CONTAINING 23 OUNCES OF BIFENTHRIN (Capture).		EAST SIDE OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE SW4 OF MULLIGAN TWSP, BROWN COUNTY.			

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11/11/2007	CF-11592	HARVEST LAND COOP	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA RIG WEDGED IN BRIDGE STRUCTURE. AMMONIA RELEASED FROM COLD FLOW UNIT.	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA. 50 GALLONS.		HWY 258. 2.5 MILES SOUTH OF US HWY 14. ON BRIDGE.			
11/16/2007	CF-11597	RIVER REGION COOP	TRACTOR TRAVELED TO CLOSE TO DITCH. NURSE TANK ROLLED OVER, BREAKING OFF WITHDRAWAL VALVE BUT EXCESS FLOW VALVE CLOSED. 1000 GALLON TANK UPSIDE DOWN.	SMALL AMOUNT OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA.	SLEEPY EYE	SECTION 1, 110N/R32W, BROWN COUNTY. ALONG 220TH AVE DITCH.			
08/22/1978	FY781006	DEL MONTE CORP	TRUCK HIT CHUCK HOLE IN AIRPORT & BROKE CONNECTION	100 GAL. WATER, 2 GAL. PARATHION		NEW ULM AIRPORT			
09/20/1979	FY791001	BROWN COUNTY AG SERVICE	FIRE	NO PESTICIDES	SLEEPY EYE	SLEEPY EYE	HOME (SOUTH)	110N	32W 24
05/27/1980	FY801019	WILLARD WAIBEL FARM	BACK SIPHONING OF TREFLAN INTO FARM WELL	TREFLAN, 30 GALLON MIX		UNKNOWN			
05/18/1981	FY811419	HARVEST LAND COOP	PUMP FITTING BROKE & SPILLED HERBICIDE ONTO ROADS	50 GALLONS OF 4 GALLON TREFLAN IN 500 GALLONS WATER	SPRINGFIELD	CASS AVE, RANGE ROAD			
11/06/1981	FY821056	HARVEST LAND COOP	ELEVATOR COLLAPSED BREAKING 1 OF 2 30 GAL TREFLAN	2 - 30 GAL DRUMS TREFLAN ONLY - 1 DRUM LEAKED	SPRINGFIELD	UNKNOWN	BURNSTOWN	109N	34W 17
11/06/1981	FY821056	HARVEST LAND COOP	ELEVATOR COLLAPSED BREAKING 2 30 GAL.BAR. TREFLAN	2, 30 GAL. DRUMS TREFLAN; ONLY 1 DRUM LEAKED	SPRINGFIELD	UNKNOWN	BURNSTOWN	109N	34W 17
01/22/1983	FY831037	G T A ELEVATORS	BAGS FELL OFF TRUCK	23 BAGS RAMROD BUT 16 BAGS MISSING		HIGHWAY 14 EAST OF SLEEPY EYE			
02/17/1984	FY841026	RIVER REGION COOP	FIRE	25 PESTICIDES; 113,581 GALLONS	SLEEPY EYE	PESTICIDE WAREHOUSE	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W 25
12/11/1986	FY871017	HARVEST LAND COOP	FIRE	VERY LITTLE FERTILIZER	SPRINGFIELD	INSIDE STORAGE BUILDING	BURNSTOWN	109N	34W 17
04/20/1988	FY881050	HARVEST LAND COOP	LEAK	1000 GAL NH3, NURSE TANK		SPRINGFIELD; RANGE 34W	BURNSTOWN	109N	34W 17
05/10/1988	FY881077	HARVEST LAND COOP	SPILL WHEN THE 2" FEEDER HOSE ON SPRAYER BROKE	50 GAL TREFLAN/WATER		EDEN	EDEN	112N	33W
07/07/1987	FY88R147	HARVEST LAND COOP	FACILITY INSPECTION - HISTORICAL.						
08/09/1988	FY89F001	RIVER REGION COOP	INSPECTION 8-9-88-HISTORICAL CONTAMINATION, POOR HANDLING PRACTICES		SLEEPY EYE	T110N,R3W,SECT 02 FACILITY	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W 02
05/09/1989	FY891093	WELLMANN		1,200 GAL 10-34-0		HANSKA	LAKE HANSKA	108N	31W 08
06/23/1989	FY891166	GRIEBEL		5 GAL CAN OF AMIBEN		5 MI S OF NEW ULM			
/ /	FY89R001	VERCRUYSE	FACILITY INSPECTION - HISTORICAL.			T.110N., R31W.	MILFORD	110N	
04/27/1990	FY901123	RIVER REGION COOP	VALVE WAS NOT SHUT TIGHT	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	SLEEPY EYE	FACILITY	PRAIRIEVILLE	110N	33W 36