

Appendix J – GHG Calculations

Background Information:

29.2%			diesel wells/generators		
70.8%			electric wells		
1.02 kWh	per	1 AF by 1 foot		(UC Tulare County)	http://cetulare.ucanr.edu
3412.14 BTU	per	kWh			
139,000 BTU	per	gallon of diesel		(Corr et. Al. 2011)	https://www.ksre.ksu.edu
23% percent		efficiency for diesel		(Corr et. Al. 2011)	https://www.ksre.ksu.edu
70% percent		efficiency for electric		(UC Tulare County)	http://cetulare.ucanr.edu
22.38 lbs CO2	per	gallon of diesel		(US EIA)	http://www.eia.gov/totals
610.82 lbs CO2	per	MWh in California		(US EPA)	http://www.epa.gov/cleanair
1,000 kWh	per	MWh			
2205 lbs	per	metric ton			

No Action Alt 1a:

18,000 AFY	total	pumping
30 feet		average depth
5,262 AFY		Water pumped with diesel
161,003 kWh		Power needed at 100% efficiency
700,013 kWh		Power needed at 23% efficiency
2,388,543,647 BTU		Power needed at 23% efficiency
17,184 gallons		Diesel Fuel needed
384,573 lbs		CO2 from diesel
174 metric tons		CO2 from diesel
12,738 AFY		Water pumped with electric
389,797 kWh		Power needed at 100% efficiency
556,853 kWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
557 MWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
340,137 lbs		CO2 from electricity
154 metric tons		CO2 from electricity
329 metric tons		CO2 Total

No Action Alt 1b:

25,000 AFY	total	pumping in Westlands
400 feet		average depth
10,200,000 kWh		Power needed at 100% efficiency
14,571,429 kWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
14,571 MWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
8,900,520 lbs		CO2 from electricity
4,037 metric tons		CO2 from electricity

3,708 metric tons CO2 Total

3,684

Proposed Action:

26,316 AFY 30 feet	total	pumping in Westlands average depth
7,692 AFY		Water pumped with diesel
235,386 kWh		Power needed at 100% efficiency
1,023,420 kWh		Power needed at 23% efficiency
3,492,050,812 BTU		Power needed at 23% efficiency
25,123 gallons		Diesel Fuel needed
562,245 lbs		CO2 from diesel
255 metric tons		CO2 from diesel
18,624 AFY		Water pumped with electric
569,883 kWh		Power needed at 100% efficiency
814,119 kWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
814 MWh		Power needed at 70% efficiency
497,280 lbs		CO2 from electricity
226 metric tons		CO2 from electricity
481 metric tons		CO2 Total

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