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Site Name		
Site Description	Location:	
	Size:	
	Site Status: Active Inactive Unknown	
Site Conditions		
Current Conditions  (Request maps of site and adjacent areas)	Describe present site conditions using information obtained during property inspection or site-specific documents to identify:  On-site land use (e.g. residential, industrial, recreational, commercial, school)  Land use on adjacent property  Site topography and surface water runoff patterns  Surface features (pavement, buildings, landscaping, etc.)  Subsurface infrastructure (pipelines, french drains, utility conduits, etc.)  Number/type of people (residents [adults/children], industrial workers, construction workers)  Distance from base boundary, beneficial use wells, or other sensitive resources  Distance to nearest off-base community (residential and non-residential)  Site investigation phase, cleanup, or post-cleanup phase	
	Identify other site resources such as surface water bodies	
	Site ownership/control and easements	
Future Conditions	Describe potential future conditions (obtain from Base Master Plans or redevelopment plans for property transfers), consider including information as was identified under "current conditions" above	
Geology and Hydrogeology	Description of regional and site geology Physical properties of subsurface materials (e.g., porosity, bulk density, moisture content) Stratigraphy, including thickness, lateral extent, continuity of units, and presence of depositional features, such as channel deposits, that may provide preferential pathways for, or barriers to, contaminant transport or implementation of remedial options Geologic structures that may form preferential pathways for contaminant migration, zones of accumulation, or may potentially impact in situ or ex situ remedial options Aquifer characteristics including:  Groundwater current and potential use (potable vs. non-potable) Depth to groundwater and seasonal variation Hydraulic gradients (horizontal and vertical) (natural vs. induced)	

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	<ul> <li>Groundwater recharge and discharge information</li> <li>Groundwater flow direction and hydraulic gradients (horizontal and vertical) (natural vs. induced)</li> </ul>	
	Presence and thickness of a clean groundwater lens at the top of the aquifer	
Nature and Extent of Contamination		
Impacted Media	Surface soil Subsurface soil Groundwater NAPL Soil gas	
Description	List all known or suspected contaminant sources	
(Request figures)	For each source area, record the following information:	
	Describe history of contamination	
	Describe previous remedial/removal actions	
	Depth to top of source/plume	
	Depth to bottom of source/plume	
	Source/plume area	
	Source/plume length parallel to groundwater; plume orientation, direction, and speed; indicate if plume is migrating under residential vs. non-residential developments (with or w/o basements)	
	Identify contaminants/concentrations (typical constituents, components, additives, etc. stored or handled on the property or constituents detected in the environment):	
	volatile organics semi-volatile organics other organics	
	metals other inorganics NAPLs	
Special Considerat	ions for Vapor Intrusion CSMs	
Contaminant Sources for Vapor Intrusion	What are the source(s) of vapor intrusion at the site?  Dissolved plume	
	NAPL	
	Contaminated soil	
	Soil gas	
	Are there COCs of sufficient volatility and toxicity in subsurface?	
	(Refer to Table A-1 of the DoD VI Handbook [January 2009] for chemical-specific toxicity and volatility assessment)	

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	Do concentrations exceed generic screening criteria based on appropriate exposure scenarios/contaminated media?
	[For generic screening criteria refer to: 1) Appendix H of the ITRC [2007] guidance; 2) Use of USEPA Johnson & Ettinger model for Subsurface VI to Indoor Air; 3) State-specific screening levels/guidance]
Assess Quality of Data	Are there sufficient data of adequate quality to support a quantitative vapor intrusion assessment?
	Age of the data
	Number of sampling events/number of samples per each medium of interest
	Sample collection methods
	Analyses conducted for all suspected chemicals and degradation products
	Reporting limits sufficiently low for comparison to screening criteria
	Sampling locations relative to source area and buildings
Background Levels	Identify background contributions to indoor air
	Outdoor Sources:
	Indoor Sources:
	What are the background concentrations for each COC at the site (refer to Appendix G of the DOD Vapor Intrusion Handbook for assessment of background conditions, including literature values)?
Migration	What are the dominant migration mechanisms at the site?
Mechanisms	Diffusion in the unsaturated zone
	Diffusion through the capillary zone immediately above the top of the water table
	Advective/convective transport
	Migration through preferential pathways
Building Uses and Characteristics	Record relevant building information:
Characteristics	Building use (e.g., residential, non-residential)
	Exposed population (e.g., adult, children)
	Foundation type/material (e.g., slab on grade, basement)
	Distance from source area
	Floor thickness
	Length of structure
	Width of structure
	Height of structure

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	Floor-wall seam crack width
	Evaluate the enclosed inhabited space of the building, "Building Envelope"  HVAC system
	Leaky or tight (sumps/open pits)  Differential pressure monitoring
Factors Affecting Vapor Migration	Define the key vadose zone characteristics and vapor migration pathways:  Depth to source  Soil type Horizontal extent of contamination Distance of vapor source from buildings Sufficient delineation of the source area(s) Identify locations and depths of major underground utilities
Risk Assessment E	exposure Pathways and Receptors for Vapor Intrusion
Current and Future Land Use	Current:  residential industrial commercial agricultural recreational other
	Future:  residential industrial commercial agricultural recreational other
	Surrounding:  residential industrial commercial agricultural recreational other
Media affected or potentially affected	Source #: soil groundwater  Source #: soil groundwater
Identify Potential Receptors	Current Human: residents visitors workers other
	Future Human: residents visitors workers other
Identify	

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Appropriate Chemical-Specific Screening Level for Exposure	Human: generic site-specific	
Is the Vapor Intrusion Exposure Complete?	yes no  Rationale for exclusion of exposure pathway(s):	