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# Abstract

Annual geothermal monitoring data from 2005 to 2021 are presented for long-term observations of geothermal feature conditions. A field survey was conducted in November – December 2020. Twelve geothermal fields were visited: Atiamuri, Mokai, Ngatamariki, Orakei Korako, Reporoa, Rotokawa, Tauhara, Te Kopia, Waikite, Waiotapu, and Whangairorohea. Water temperature and pH measurements were taken where possible, and general observations on the feature conditions were also recorded. Images captured from a relatively new infrared thermal imager device are included in this report to show the thermal profile of each surface feature. Many features have exhibited temperature and pH changes since 2005, while others remained relatively unchanged. The Hydrothermal Eruption Crater at Ngatamariki is observed to have a semi-permanent sediment apron composed of pumiceous materials from a landslip which occurred in 2019. A new feature that we named Orion's Belt was discovered in late 2020 at Orakei Korako. The Champagne Pool at Waiotapu and Te Manaroa Pool at Waikite are two major alkali-chloride springs that did not show major changes since 2005.

# **Executive summary**

Waikato Regional Council is required by RMA s36 to monitor the state of the regional environment, which includes 70% of the nation's geothermal resource. The existing geothermal resources provide many social, cultural, scientific, and economic benefits. Geothermal features are dynamic and have a natural range of behaviours and activities that need to be understood, so that anthropogenic changes can be identified and addressed in an appropriate manner if necessary. Uses of the regional geothermal resource can adversely affect the natural character of the resource and therefore it is important to undertake regular monitoring to identify changes.

Annual monitoring of geothermal surface is conducted at geothermal fields that are most sensitive to changes, as a way to continuously monitor and update the state of environment in these geothermal areas. Most of the features monitored are alkali chloride springs and geysers, which are typically characterised by their near-neutral pH, boiling conditions, chloride-rich chemistry, and in many places sinter deposition. Data of alkali chloride springs and geysers provide the best representation of the deep benign chloride reservoir conditions of a geothermal system. Included in the annual monitoring is Whangairorohea, a small geothermal system, while Horohoro, Ketetahi, Ohaaki, Tokaanu, and Wairakei are some of the large systems not monitored due to lack of access, a lack of significant surface features, or because large-scale geothermal resource users such as geothermal electricity producers are required to do monitoring.

Since 2005, many features have experienced temperature and pH changes, with some of the conditions returning to initial conditions from 2005. At Ngatamariki, a pumiceous sediment apron is forming at the Hydrothermal Eruption Crater due to natural causes. A group of newly formed features named the Orion's Belt was discovered in Orakei Korako. Wharepapa Rd Fumaroles in Reporce has been buried by soil, and no longer show any thermal signature. The bathing structure at West Mokai Spring has now been removed.

It is valuable to continue undertaking annual monitoring of geothermal features to increase understanding of the region's geothermal resources, so that long-term feature conditions and changes can be observed, and any threats or damage to the features due to human causes can be mitigated appropriately.

# 1 Introduction

Monitoring of a selection of geothermal features in the Waikato Region was implemented in 1995. The aim of the monitoring is to observe the natural state of geothermal surface features. Assessments are made on changes that are occurring over time, as well as reporting on any threats or damage to the features. This will allow us to make more informed decisions to protect and enhance the geothermal resources and ecosystems.

## 1.1 Report Content

Annual geothermal monitoring is conducted once a year and includes quarterly sites and sites only visited once a year (Figure 1). This report covers data from January 2005 to May 2021. The specific geothermal fields recorded throughout this monitoring period are as follows:

- Atiamuri
- Mokai
- Ngatamariki
- Orakei Korako
- Reporoa
- Rotokawa
- Tauhara
- Te Kopia
- Waiotapu
- Waikite
- Whangairorohea

Waikite and Waiotapu are separate geothermal fields within the Waikite-Waiotapu-Waimangu geothermal system, while Tauhara is a part of the Wairakei-Tauhara geothermal system. Also recorded in this report is Mokai geothermal system and Kurapai Geyser in Orakeikorako, both visited after an absence of several years.

## 1.2 Methodology

Direct water temperature is measured using a *Fluke 566 IR Thermometer* with a 6 m submersible thermocouple attached. The infrared *FLUKE TiS60+ thermal imager* is used to as to collect secondary measurements to the submersible thermocouple, and is used to produce infrared spectra images shown for some sites.

GPS co-ordinates gathered during previous site visits have been converted from NZMG to NZTM, which is now the standard coordinate system for WRC. Where existing known co-ordinates have not been available, a *Garmin GPSmap 60CSx* has been used to record locations, with an accuracy of  $\pm$  5 m. Each GPS reading was taken in the same spot as the photograph was taken from.

pH measurements were taken using *Whatman*<sup>®</sup> *Universal pH 1-11* indicator papers. Samples were cooled before being tested, to comply with the paper's temperate range. Where possible, water flow was estimated. The liquid flow or discharge was estimated when assessed to be realistic, i.e., that the entire flow can be seen, and seepage or flow diversion is not occurring on a large scale.

The water level was recorded for some features; subject to choosing an easily identified and physically long-lived benchmark in the vicinity, or relative to the overflow level. 'Ebullition' and gas discharge are recorded, also water clarity and colour, and the general condition of the sinter is noted.



Figure 1 Map of the geothermal systems within the Taupo Volcanic Zone area of the Waikato Region. Systems and fields monitored annually are shown in purple, quarterly monitored fields in red, and unmonitored systems in yellow. All quarterly sites are monitored during annual monitoring periods. Small geothermal systems are shown as circles.

# 2 ATIAMURI

## 2.1 66\_94: Upper Atiamuri School Spring

- A small feature appearing more similar to a culvert than a natural spring due to anthropogenic modifications to the feature. The feature is distinguishable from nearby water bodies by orange staining in the flow area.
- This feature has insufficient data continuity for long-term trend comparisons.

Location: -38.333298, 176.066017

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2018/02/08	7.6	22.1		<2.0	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	ents Water temperature: Transferred from Fulcrum								



Fig.1 - taken on 2021-04-29 09:11:03"

Fig.2 - taken on 2021-04-29 09:11:10"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of the Atiamuri School spring. Taken on 2021-04-29.

# 2.2 3058\_6: Bergs Crater

- An eruption crate that was a sinter-depositing spring in prehistoric times but is now inactive. Until the late 1990s it was a sinter-lined crater about 5 metres deep with a slightly warm pool at the bottom. When the land use changed from forestry to farming the farmer filled it in with tree stumps and other organic debris.
- The feature is currently dry and vegetated, making observation of crater surface difficult.

Location: -38.363132, 176.04621

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
2019/01/14		14.0						
2020/02/25		25.0						

**Comments** No activity, ground collapsing at southeast side.



Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 10:48:05"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-25 10:48:40"

## 2.3 3058\_2: Whangapoa Pools Northwest Pool

- Large circular pool >10 m in diameter with fencing around. Due to fencing, measurements are taken at a man-made pool at the outflow.
- The pool has a dug channel about 1.5 m deep keeping the pool level artificially low. This is because the pool was previously used as the source water for a public swimming pool, which was demolished in the early 1990s.
- Despite slight increases and decreases since 2005, the temperature and pH measurements at this feature remain similar up to 2021.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2015/05/08	8.0	65.8	(111)	<0.5	Cloudy	Blue/green	Upwelling at outlet
Comments	Surg	ing					
	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving			
2016/01/18	7.5	64.2		<0.5	Cloudy	Green/blue	Constant upwelling at outlet
Comments	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving			
2017/01/20	7.5	50.5		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Audible bubbling
Comments	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> Too	steam	y to see	the pool		
2018/02/08	7.0	60.4		<0.5	Cloudy	Green - Light	Upwelling at outlet
Comments	pH: 1	Гетр 49.4					
	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving			
2019/01/14	7.0	52.0		<0.5	Cloudy	Blue - Green	Audible bubbles
Comments	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving			
	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> Rain	ing dif	ficult to :	see		
2020/02/25	7.9	60.4		<0.5	Clear	Green	Steaming, cannot see pool to see ebullition.
2021/04/29	7.0	50.8	0	<5.0	Clear	Colourless	Only audible
Commonts	Sam	oled from	outflov	w due to	barbed wir	es, where algal con	nmunities are observed. Ebullition
comments	cann	ot be visu	ally ob	served d	ue lack of a	ccess and steam di	scharge blocking line of view.

Location: -38.362452, 176.049843

#### Whangapoa Pools Northwest Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 10:22:34"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-25 10:25:07"



Fig.3 - taken on 2021-04-29 10:06:07"



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-04-29 10:04:43"



# 2.4 3058\_3: Whangapoa Pools: Southeast Pool

- Large circular pool ~15 m in diameter, also known as the Scalding Pool.
- This pool previously had a shallow discharge channel dug when it was on private forestry land. In the min 1990s the land surrounding the two Whangapoa Pools was given to the NZ Government and designated Scientific Reserve under the management of the Department of Conservation. DOC restored the natural water level, removed pipes and pine trunks from the pool and sinter outflow terrace, and planted native vegetation on the surrounding land.
- Temperature and pH conditions remain stable between 2005 to 2021.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2015/05/08	8.0	61.3	. ,	<0.5	Clear	Blue	Upwelling in centre
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflow	ing			
2016/01/18	8.0	65.3		<0.5	Clear	Blue/Aqua	Upwelling
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflow	ing			
2017/01/20	7.0	64.8		<0.5	Clear	Turquoise	Upwelling in centre
2018/02/08	6.5	59.3		<0.5	Clear	Turquoise	Upwelling in centre
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	verflow	ing			
2019/01/14	7.5	64.3		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant upwelling in centre
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflow	ing			
2020/02/25	8.0	66.7		<0.5	Clear	Green - Blue	Constant upwelling
2021/04/29	7.0	57.0	0	<5.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition from a single point
Comments	Nooc weak	lles of sint	er near esh silic	outflow a deposi	/. Suspend	ed silica fragment ol rim. but verv th	s in water, sinter layers are very in lavers only.

#### Whangapoa Pools: Southeast Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 10:48:05"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-04-29 09:40:00"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of the Whangapoa Southeast Pool. Taken on 2021-04-29.

## 2.5 3058\_1: Matapan Rd

- A feature springing from a fracture in an ignimbrite block, cascading down as a small waterfall.
- Temperature decreased significantly between 2007 to 2016, accompanied with a minor pH decrease. By 2020, both properties recovered to 2005 levels.
- In recent years a landslide on the ignibrite face substantially altered the spring and outflow characteristics.
- The landowner channels some of the flow to a private spa pool.

Location: -38.35349, 176.079352

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
2015/05/08	6.5	52.4		<2.0	Clear	Clear	nd	
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflowir	ng				
2016/01/18	7.0	58.0		<0.5	Clear	Clear	nd	
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflowir	ıg				
2017/01/20	6.0	40.0		<0.5	Clear	Clear	nd	
2018/02/08	5.5	42.5		<0.5	Clear	Colourles	s nd	
Comments	Look	s like there	has be	en a floo	d or a slip,	, area has ch	anged.	_
	Wate	er level: Ov	erflowir	ng				
2019/01/14	6.5	60.1		<0.5	Clear	Colourles	s nd	
Comments	Wate	er level: Ov	erflowir	ng				
2020/02/25	7.9	67.6		<0.5	Clear	Colourles	s nd	
2021/04/29	7.0	66.8	0	<5	Clear	Colourles	s Nd, flowing like a stream	
Comments	Algal	growth ob	served.					

#### Matapan Rd: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 11:39:46"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-25 11:40:36"



Fig.3 - taken on 2021-04-29 11:26:07



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-04-29 11:30:58'



Fig. 5 Infrared image of the 152 Matapan Rd spring. Taken on 2021-04-29.

# 3 MOKAI

## 3.1 3062\_12: P3 Paerata Rd (Mud Geyser / MKNF13)

- A large rectangular mud geyser, with dimensions being 10 m diameter E-W and 5 m N-S.
- Constantly upwelling or erupting up to 1.5 m high. Difficult to observe surface due to constant steam discharge, and as the vertical distance from ledge to the feature below is ~ 15 m.
- Direct temperature and pH measurements cannot be taken with current methodologies.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2007/04/01				None	nd	nd	nd
Comments	E27	765575 NG	5295092	2.Feature	located a	t Paerata Rd	. Now called Mokai Mud Geyser.
	Wa	iter level:	nd				
2008/01/01				None	nd	nd	Audible vigorous bubbling
Comments	Fea	ature not v	isible d	lue to int	ense cloud	ds of steam.	Pool heard bubbling vigorously.
	Wa	iter level:	nd				
2009/02/01				None	nd	nd	Bubbling
Comments	Fea	ature not v	isible d	lue to ste	am. Stean	n and gases	latered rock walls. Cliffs bright white
	col	our.					
	Wa	iter level:	nd				
2010/06/14		88.0		None	nd	light grey	Violent upwelling
Comments	Wa	ter level:	nd				
2011/07/24		82 O		Nono	nd	nd	Violent upwelling, the mud appeared
2011/07/24		02.0		None	nu	nu	to be boiling.
Comments	Infr	rared is af	fected k	by the ste	eam.		
2021/04/29		56.8		Nd	Muddy	Grey	Constant, violent
Comments	Dif	ficult to vi	sually o	bserve fe	eature due	e to steam b	ut when momentarily clear, constant
	vio	lent ruptu	ring of	the mud	was obser	ved. The eb	ullition does not seem to be centred at one
	роі	nt, and th	e mud v	was obse	rved to no	ot be viscous	(water-like consistency).
	Ter	mperature	: Infrare	ed therm	ometry m	easurement	from ~20 m distance.

Location: -38.510253, 175.929819

# P3 Paerata Rd (Mud Geyser / MKNF13: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



Fig.1- taken on 2021-04-29



Fig. 2 Infrared image of the Mud Geyser. Taken on 2021-04-29.

#### 3062\_13: P4 Paerata Rd (Feature 1 / P1 a-g) 3.2

- An area with a group of mud pools and hot seeps. Gas discharge visible from multiple points. •
- Direct temperature and pH measurements not taken as ground looks unstable. •

Location: -38.510404, 175.930972

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2007/04/01			(,	None	nd	nd	nd
Comments	Clus	ter of geoth	ermal f	eatures lo	cated at Pa	erata Road in an a	area 100m long x 70m wide.
	Arec	n of feature:	100m l	ong x 70n	n wide		
2008/01/01		45.0		None	Muddy	Green/brown	nd
Comments	Feat	ures predor	minanth	y brown a	nd muddy v	with low water lev	els. Colour varied from green to
	brov	vn.					
	Wat	er temperat	<i>ture:</i> Te	mperatur	e range 29-	45 degrees	
	Wat	er level: Wa	iter leve	el low			
2009/02/01				None	Muddy	Brown	nd
Comments	Gro	up of geothe	ermal fe	atures 10	0m long x 7	70m wide	
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
	Area	n of feature:	100m >	(70m			
2010/06/14	2.3	14.0		None	Murky	Grey/brown	Calm
Comments	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2011/07/24		16.0		None	Murky	Grey/brown	Calm
Comments	All f	eatures mer	ged int	o one poo	d.		
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2021/04/29		66.4			Muddy	Grey	Low in some pools
Comments	Site muc	was driest e I pools and s	ever obs steam v	erved by ents due t	Richard Set to the low v	ters (Mercury). An water level.	ea observed to be separate



Fig.1- taken on 2021-04-29



Fig. 2 Infrared image of ta mud pool at P4 Paerata Rd. Taken on 2021-04-29.

## 3.3 3062\_14: T5 Tirohanga Rd - Crater 3

• Between 2007 to 2011, temperature of this feature fluctuated within 20 °C, but more data required for observing long-term trends.

Location: -38.503965, 175.905234

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(l/s)							
2007/04/01				None	nd	nd	nd				
Comments	Two	Two mud pools located at site. E2763448 N6295832.									
	<i>Water level:</i> nd										
2008/01/01		64.4 2.0 None		Muddy	1uddy Grey nd						
Comments	Surr	ounding w	/eeds f	lattened	and covere	ed in mud.					
	Wat	er level: B	elow si	urface							
2009/02/01		47.5 None		None	nd	Grey	nd				
Comments	Poo	l is overflo	wing. A	Area of st	eaming gro	ound and burnt v	regetation beside the pool.				
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> n	d								
2010/06/14	7.0	7.0 66.0 None		None	Murky	Brown	Calm				
Comments	Wat	er level co	vering	ground k	between th	e pools in a 0.6 i	n wide channel.				
	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving							
2010/06/14	6.1 41.0 <2.0 Murky Brown Calm			Calm							
Comments	Wat	er level co	vering	ground b	between th	e pools in a 0.6 i	n wide channel.				
	Wat	er level: O	verflow	ving							
2011/07/24		63.0	1.5	>0.5	Murky	Brown	Calm				
Comments	Wat	Water level: Below rim									
2021/04/29		62.3	0.3	Nd	Muddy	Brown – Light	Constant on multiple spots.				
Comments	Floa	ting black	raft sti	uctures	similar to b	acterial mats or	sulphur globules observed. Small				
	роо	flows into	o the la	rger poo	l and has s	tronger ebullitio	n.				
	Wat	er Level: H	las bee	n decrea	sing, lowes	st ever observed	by Richard Setters (Steam field				
	coor	coordinator, Mercury)									

#### T5 Tirohanga Rd - Crater 3: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2021-04-29

Fig.2 - taken on 2021-04-29

Fig.3 - taken on 2021-04-29



Fig. 4 Infrared image of the mud pool at P4 Paerata Rd. Taken on 2021-04-29

## 3.4 3062\_37: T1 & T2 Tirohanga Rd Crater 8a

- The elevated grounds marginal to the crater are warmer even when the feature is dry.
- The temperature of this feature decreased significantly in 2011, but there has been poor data continuity since to observe any other changes.

Location: -38.505198, 175.905272

Date	pH Temp	°CLevel (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2008/01/01	42.6		None	Muddy	Brown	Calm				
Comments	Ascending	gas bub	bles co	vering ent	ire pool.					
	<i>pH:</i> nd									
	Water lev	<i>el:</i> nd								
2009/02/01	56.8		None	Muddy	Brown	Ascending gas bubbles within entire pool				
Comments	Now mer	ged with	Feature	e 1.						
	<i>pH:</i> nd									
	Water lev	<i>el:</i> nd								
2010/06/14	7.0 57.0	0.3	None	Milky	Khaki	Calm				
Comments	Water lev	<i>el:</i> Belov	v rim							
2011/07/24	15.0		None	Milky	Pale brown	Calm				
Comments	Site has ty	Site has two merged pools. E2763460 N6295714								
	<i>pH:</i> nd	<i>pH:</i> nd								
	Water lev	<i>Water level:</i> nd								
2021/04/29	52.0	0.4	Nd	Clear	Green – Blue	Nd				

#### T1 & T2 Tirohanga Rd Crater 8a: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig. 1 Infrared image of Crater 8a. Taken on 2021-04-29.

# 3.5 3062\_38: T3 Tirohanga Rd Crater 8

- Feature could only be observed behind a vegetation cover for safety measures. As a result, direct temperature and pH measurements cannot be obtained.
- Temperature measurements decreased significantly between 2007 to 2011.

Location: -38.505045, 175.905278

Date	рН	Temp	°CLevel (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2007/04/01				None	nd	nd	nd			
Comments	E27 Wa	'63455 ter leve	N62957 el: nd	751						
2008/01/01		60 5		None	Mud	Grey	Rare gas discharge evident in pool.			
2008/01/01		00.5		None	e iviuu	Grey	Steaming.			
Comments	Wa	ter leve	el: nd							
2009/02/01		47.0		None	Murky	Green	Calm, steaming.			
Comments	No Wa	No signs of upwelling or discharge evident. Steaming. Water level: nd								
2010/06/14	7.1	36.0	0.3	None	Murky	Pale brown	Calm			
Comments	Wa	Water level: Below stump.								
2011/07/24		33.0	0.2	None	Murky	Green	Calm			
Comments	This	s pool is	s ~5m fi	rom Fea	ture 1 ar	nd Feature	2, however the water level is ~1.5m above			
	Fea	Feature 1 and Feature 2.								
	Wa	Water level: Below stump.								

T3 Tirohanga Rd Crater 8: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig. 1 Infrared image of Crater 8. Taken on 2021-04-29

# 3.6 3062\_39: T4 Tirohanga Rd - Crater 7

- Feature cannot be safely approached due to hazards. As a result, direct temperature and pH measurements cannot be obtained.
- Observations using an IR camera show that the rock wall next to the feature is much hotter than the mud surface.
- Temperature measurements decreased significantly between 2007 to 2011.

Location: -38.504837, 175.905292

Date	рН	Temp	°C Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2007/04/01				None	nd	nd	nd			
Comments	3 m	ud poo	ls locate	d E276346	50 N6295777					
	Wat	ter leve	<i>l:</i> nd							
2008/01/01		93.3 <10.0		nd	Pale grey	Several zones of upwelling				
Comments	Con	sists of	3 mud p	ools each	2.5m deep.					
	Wat	ter leve	l: Overflo	owing						
2009/02/01		91.2	2.5	<none< td=""><td>Clear</td><td>Clear</td><td>Minor gas discharge</td></none<>	Clear	Clear	Minor gas discharge			
Comments	Nov	water v	isible. Po	ool depth	2.5m in all 3 poo	ls. No gas or visibl	e upwelling.			
	Wat	Water level: Below surface								
2010/06/14	7.2	70.0		None	Slightly milky	Brownish blue	Calm			
Comments	Wat	Water level: Ground level								
2011/07/24		22.0	1.3	None	Slightly milky	Pale brown	Calm			
Comments	Feat Wat	tures ha ter leve	ave cool I: Below	ed conside rim	erably since Febr	uary 2009. E27634	60 N6295777			
			-							

#### T4 Tirohanga Rd - Crater 7: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig. 1 Infrared image of Crater 7. Taken on 2021-04-29.

# 3.7 3062\_17: West Mokai Spring MKF17

- Often incorrectly called "Parekiri Pool", which is a different feature.
- Not enough continuous data has been collected for long-term trend observations.

Location: -38.501748, 175.903414

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2018/02/08	3.1	51.6		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Bath Wate	Bath house torn down. Now just a pool. <i>Water level:</i> Overflowing							
2021/04/29	6.0	47.9			Clear	Colourless	Nd, bubbly surface		
Comments	Water surface is covered by numerous gas bubbles.								

West Mokai Spring MKF17: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



Fig.1 - taken on 2021-04-29 20:37:06



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-04-29 20:37:11""



Fig. 3 Infrared image of MKF17. Taken on 2021-04-29.

## 3.8 3062\_42 : Waipapa Stream Springs

• Multiple alkali chloride streams discharging into the Waipapa Stream, mixing and consequentially turning the stream chemistry into a geothermal stream.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2018/02/08	5.5	56.2		None	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Thick l	Thick blackberry all the way to site. Cannot see wooden fence from road.							
	Water	<i>level:</i> nd							
2021/04/29	7.3	60.8		<10.0	Clear	Colourless			
Comments	Minor	sinter deposi	tion on sti	ream marg	ins				

Location: -38.456718, 175.953866

#### Waipapa Feature (Spring): Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1- taken on 2021-04-29

# 4 NGATAMARIKI

### 4.1 3063\_1: Hydrothermal Eruption Crater

- Since the hydrothermal eruption that formed this feature in 2005, temperature measurements experienced constant but minor decrease between 2005 to 2017, since which the temperature has fluctuated within a 20  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  range.
- pH measurements fluctuated from 2011 to 2016, but slowly increased since 2016 towards neutral conditions.
- In November 2019, a large weather event caused large amounts of pumiceous sediments from the nearby slope to become transported and deposited into the feature. In February 2020, much of the pumiceous debris could be seen accumulating into a sediment apron on the north-western side of the feature, while those that were floating were bounded by microbial communities, forming numerous raft-like structures. In November 2020, raft structures were no longer present, while the sediment apron appeared to be permanent. The permanent nature of the apron was later confirmed in April 2021, when it was observed that the sediments have settled.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2019/02/08	6.0	45.9	0.105	<2.0	Murky	Green - Dark	Relatively constant ebullition in places					
Comments	Who Wate	Whole pool is steaming. Lots of yellow algal mats <i>Water level:</i> ESG										
2019/04/16	6.0	40.4	0.8	<3.0	Murky	Green - Dark	Small bubbles in several areas					
2019/11/08	6.0	43.3	0.07	<3.0	Murky	Green - Murky	Small bubbles all over pool					
Comments	Algal	mats are	right side (	of pool. Sc	um on surfac	e on far right and	d left of pool.					
2020/02/11	6.0	48.4	0.095	<6.0	Murky	Brown - Dark	Small bubbles all over pool.					
Comments	The a	The area has changed considerably. There has been a landslip on the far side. This may be										
	what	t has cause	d the cha	nge to the	pool. There i	is a large mound	of dirt on the far side, the					
	HER	HER crater is brown. Freshly broken silica blocks on top of mound on access side.										
2020/08/04	7.0	38.0	0.215	<5.0	Murky	Brown	Small bubbles					
Comments	Fogg <i>Ebull</i>	y <i>lition:</i> Sma	ll bubbles	around the	e edge							
2020/12/03	4.0	46.5	0.2		Murky	Green - Dark	Low to high					
	Sedir more	Sediment apron 2-3 m thick on W side, looks more permanent compared to last visit. W side more effervescent. Ebullient spring observed on SW side, grey waters, flowing into main pool										
Commonte	(poss	sibly previo	ously subn	nerged but	t exposed du	e to water level o	irop). No rafting					
comments	Ehull	lubacteria lition: Gen	arally low	s observed ebullition	ı. Moderate el	bullition in NE sid	e with individual hubbling					
	contres. New spring observed in the far SW with high shullition											
	Erup	tion Const	ant on SE	side								
	, ,	54.0	0.2	. 10.0	Classel	Green –	Constant loss shulliti					
	6.0	51.0	0.3	>10.0	Cloudy	Murky	Constant low ebuilition					
Comments	The s	The sediment apron has become permanent. Increased pH since last monitoring trip.										

Location: -38.533395, 176.172105







Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 12:26:05"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 10:06:30"

Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 11:01:55"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-04 10:37:16"

Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 09:04:50"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-11-13 13:03:20"


Fig.7 - taken on 2021-04-30 12:43:42"



Fig. 8 Infrared image of the distal part of the hydrothermal eruption crater. Taken on 2021-04-30.



Fig. 9 Infrared image of the proximal part of the hydrothermal eruption crater. Taken on 2021-04-30.

## 4.2 3063\_4: Southern Spring aka Biodiversity Pool

- On the aftermath of the Ngatamariki hydrothermal eruption in 2005, temperature conditions of the Biodiversity Pool decreased by over 60 °C, before rebounding back to above 70 °C later in the year. Since then, the pool's temperature underwent a minor steady decline until 2010. Temperatures conditions changed more dramatically between 2010 to 2016, when temperatures fluctuated and decreased from ~70 °C to 20 °C, but later increased to pre-2010 conditions in 2019.
- pH conditions generally have a positive correlation to temperature conditions, however, no pH measurements were taken in the relatively stable temperature period between 2005 – 2010, and in the period of greatest temperature decrease between 2014 and 2016 due to the pool track being heavily overgrown.

Date	рН	Temp °C	LevelFlow (m) (l/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2019/02/08	7.0	70.0	Nor	e Clear	Colourless	Constant in patches					
Comments	Me	asurem	ents taken (	on far side	of pool						
2019/04/16	6.0	58.2	Nor	e Clear	Grey - Light	Constant bubbles					
Comments	Wa	ter leve	<i>l:</i> Nd								
2019/11/08	7.0	68.4		Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition in centre					
2020/02/11				Murky	Brown - Light	nd -appears calm from a distance					
Comments	Can	Can't access as tree has fallen across path. Pool appears brown and murky.									
2020/11/13	7.4	71.0		Clear	Green - Dark	Ebullition					
Comments	Log	on nor	thern side,	algae on su	rface. Plant ma	aterial fallen into spring. Bubbles everywhere					
	Ebu	Illition:	Mainly on n	orth side. S	Spring is bubbly	//effervescent all around					
2021/04/30	7.0	65.0		Clear	Green – Light	Constant low ebullition from main pool. Other pools are more ebullient.					
Comments	Wh <i>The</i>	White mineral precipitates forming on subaqueous objects and subaerial branches. Thermocouple Temp: Not possible to take measurement at hottest point.									

Location: -38.534198, 176.172393

# Southern Spring aka Biodiversity Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 12:57:44"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 11:26:50"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 09:24:20"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-11-13 13:40:22'



Fig.5 - taken on 2021-04-30 13:24:56"



Fig.6 - taken on 2021-04-30 13:25:01"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-04-30 13:27:55"



Fig. 8 Infrared image of the Biodiversity Pool. Taken on 2021-04-30.

# 5 ORAKEI KORAKO

### 5.1 3065\_1: Map of Australia

- The temperature at this pool regularly cycles between 80  $^{\circ}\rm{C}$  and approximately 70  $^{\circ}\rm{C}$  since early measurements were taken in 2008.
- pH measurement is observed to be inversely correlated to temperature, and ranges between pH 6 and 8, remaining near-neutral.
- In December 2020, the pool overflowed significantly and microbial mat communities formed in overflows above soil level. Silicification was ongoing, with some mats becoming partially silicified. In March 2021 the silicified mats are has become absent, but it is unknown if the process is natural or anthropogenic.

Location: -38.473425, 176.1426

Date	рН	oH Temp °C Level		Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(I/s)							
2019/01/14	6.5	80.0	0.22	<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant upwelling				
Comments	Wat	er level: I	Ruler								
2019/04/16	6.0	75.4	0.22	<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light					
2019/07/26	7.0	78.1	0.21	<1.0	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling on right side				
Comments	Wat	er level: \	Water ove	rflowed	onto gras	ss area.					
2019/08/19	7.0	73.0	0.21	<1.0	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling on right side				
Comments	Wat	Water level: Water overflowed onto grass area.									
2019/11/08	7.0	77.4	0.225		Clear	Blue - Light	Constant on right side				
Comments	Tree	Tree fallen into pool on right									
2020/02/11	6.0	77.3	0.225	<1.0	Clear	Blue	Constant upwelling on right side.				
2020/08/06	8.0	79.2		<0.5	Clear	Blue - Green	Small bubbles				
Comments	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> No	ot constan	t							
2020/12/04	7.0	70.0	0.2		Clear	Blue – Light	Low				
	Over	flowing	and sinter	depositi	ng. Micro	bial communiti	es growing in overflown areas of soil				
	and	and grass. Spring and thermal gradient seems to be extending.									
Commonte	Infra	ired Tem	<i>p:</i> Some g	rassy are	as observ	ved to have T >5	60 C.				
comments	Wat	er Level:	Risen abo	ve previ	ous levels	s, increasing wa	ter content in soil				
	Clari	<i>ity:</i> 5 m									
	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> In	frequent g	gas bubb	les rising	from a focus po	int at the deepest part of spring.				
2021/04/20	70	77 8	0		Clear	Colourless	Constant weak ebullition from				
2021/04/30	7.0	//.0	0		Clear	colouriess	single part of the pool.				
Comments	Pool	no longe	er overflov	ving as o	bserved	on Dec 2020. Re	cent sinter deposits are damaged and				
connents	algal	l commu	nities are §	gone. Ar	eas of inc	reased tempera	tures around pool now cool.				



### Map of Australia: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



Fig. 1 Infrared image of Map of Australia. Taken on 2021-03-26.



Fig.2 - taken on 2018-10-16 08:40:30"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 10:32:56"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-26 10:33:42



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-07-26 10:36:02"



Fig.6 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:07:10"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-02-11 11:38:22"



Fig.8 - taken on 2020-08-06 09:32:59"



Fig.9 - taken on 2020-12-04 11:36:26"



Fig.10 - taken on 2020-12-04 11:40:36'



Fig.11 - taken on 2020-12-04 11:40:41"



Fig.12 - taken on 2020-12-04 11:40:50"



Fig.13 - taken on 2021-03-26 11:22:20'

#### 3065\_2: OKF26 Mercury Monitoring Pool 5.2

This pool has water temperatures between 74 and 83.2 °C, and is monitored by Mercury as • one of the features used for understanding the relationship between Orakei Korako and Ngatamariki.

Location: -38.473195, 176.142452

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(I/s)							
2019/01/14	5.5	74.1		<0.5	Clear	Brown	Constant upwelling				
Comments	Wat	er level: O	verflow	ing							
2019/04/16	6.0	82.2	0.45	<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Insta	Installed data logger S0083094									
	Wat	Water level: Used tape measure ESG broken									
2019/07/26	7.0	80.5	0.21	<0.5	Clear	Brown	Constant bubbling in centre				
Comments	Data	alogger ret	rieved.								
2019/08/19	7.0	83.2	0.21	<0.5	Clear	Brown	Constant bubbling in centre				
Comments	Data	Datalogger retrieved.									
2020/08/06	6.0	79.1			Clear	Brown - Dark	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> In m	niddle o	f pool							
04/12/2020	7.0	80.6		<1	Clear	Brown	Constant, moderate				
	Thin	sinter obs	served f	orming t	he margi	n of pool, underlyin	g organic topsoil.				
Comments	Clar	<i>ity:</i> Clear t	o 0.5 m,	obscure	e beyond	0.5 m					
	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> Erup	oting for	<sup>-</sup> 90 seco	onds						
2021/03/26	6.0	82.8	0		Clear	Brown – Light					
	Old si	nter depo	sits at p	ool mar	gins.						
Comments	Ebulli	tion: Cons	tant mo	derate e	bullition	from centre of poo	<ol> <li>Minor bubbles springing</li> </ol>				
comments	spora	dically else	ewhere.								
	Flow:	Weak flov	v								

### OKF26: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1









Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-16 12:40:03"

Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-26 10:43:09"

Fig.3 -taken on 2020-08-06 09:42:01"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-12-04



Fig 5. Infrared image of OKF26. Taken on 04-12-2020.

## 5.3 3065\_6: Diamond Geyser

- Temperature conditions at Diamond Geyser have been constantly ranging between 70 and 90 °C.
- pH measurements have a great variation between pH 3 and 9. This could be affected by water accumulating at the surface of geyser vent being affected by the subaerial environment when the feature is not overflowing, with dissolved H<sub>2</sub>S oxidising to H<sub>2</sub><sub>S</sub>O<sub>4</sub>.
- This feature regularly erupts and overflow to the distal apron. Microbial mats with bubblemat textures grow in the outflow along the intermediate and distal vent slope.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
			(m)	(I/s)						
2019/01/14	6.5	80.7		None	Clear	Grey - Dark	Constant upwelling near outlet			
Comments	Wat	er level: O	verflo	wing						
2019/04/16	5.0	76.2		None	Clear	Grey - Dark	Constant at outlet			
Comments	Loge	ger installe	ed SOO8	33095						
	Wat	er level: O	verflo	wing						
2019/07/24				None						
2019/07/26	7.0	81.0		<0.05	Clear	Grey - Dark	Constant at outlet			
Comments	Feat	Feature to the right of geyser has been active								
2019/08/19	7.0	85.7		<0.05	Clear	Grey - Dark	Constant at outlet			
Comments	Feat	ure to the	right	of geyser	has been	active				
2019/11/08	7.0	88.3		<0.05	Clear	Blue - Grey	Constant bubbles at outlet			
Comments	Path	i up to dia	mond	geyser is	wet. Looks	s like the new ve	nt beside it has increased its flow			
	path	n. Do not g	o up t	he path i	f the vent i	s noisy.				
2020/02/11	5.0	87.8		<0.5	Clear	Blue - Grey	Constant upwelling at outlet			
2020/08/06	6.0	76.0		<1.0	Clear	Grey - Dark	Small bubbles			
2020/12/04	60	<u>81 0</u>	0	<u>&gt;</u> 2 0	Clear	Blue – Grov	Constant low ebullition,			
2020/12/04	0.0	81.0	0	>3.0	Clear	Blue – Gley	focused at one point			
Comments	Clar	ity: 3 m								
2021/03/26	6.0	88.9	0	Nd	Cloudy	Grey	Constant ebullition at 2 points			
Comments	New	v but mino	r nodu	ılar sinte	r deposits (	observed.				

Location: -38.473622, 176.146676

### Diamond Geyser: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 09:08:48"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 13:07:25"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 11:00:38"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:28:41"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11 12:03:51"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-06 09:56:27"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 12:51:34"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 10:41:16"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Diamond Geyser. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 5.4 3065\_7: Bush Geyser

- The recorded temperature at Bush Geyser have greatly varied between 60 and 100 °C. As the best measurements are taken when the geyser is erupting, and given that the geyser does not always erupt during the visits, it is likely that low temperature measurements correspond to monitoring trips when the feature does not erupt, instead of reflecting true thermal cyclicity of the feature.
- The average pH measurements are between pH 6 and 8, remaining near-neutral.
- Organic debris deposited from nearby trees are become silicified by the erupted fluids if they fall into the geyser's splash zone.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(I/s)							
2019/01/14	8.0	50.0	1.0	None	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wat	Water level: Below ground level									
	Ebu	Ebullition: No eruption									
2019/04/16	8.0	90.6	0.97	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Steam, no audible ebullition				
Comments	Data	aloggers in	stalled:	S005639	6 and 98	944					
2019/07/26	8.0		1.2	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Erupted				
Comments	рН:	nd									
2019/08/19	8.0	90.0	1.2	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Erupted				
Comments	рН:	nd									
2019/11/08	8.0	78.3	0.9		Clear	Colourless	Calm steaming				
Comments	Erup	Erupted while we were at Cascade Geyser.									
	Ebu	<i>llition:</i> Rec	ent eru	ption hea	ard it whi	le at Diamond	Geyser. Erupted again while we were at				
	Case	cade Geyse	er for ov	/er 2 min	utes.						
2020/02/11	6.0	98.9			Clear	Colourless	Vigorous eruption for 5 minutes				
2020/08/06		87.0			Clear	Colourless	Bubbling				
Comments	Ebu	llition: Cou	ld only	hear it							
2020/12/04	8.0	32.0	0	Nd	Clear	Colourless	Nd				
	Feat	ure currei	ntly dry.	Fresh no	dular gey	yserites observ	ved proximal to vent.				
Commonte	рН:	from ex-si	tu samp	ole in the	slash zon	e					
comments	Infrared Temp: Measured on the surface, water level not high enough										
	Wat	er Level: N	lot high	enough	to be obs	ervable					
2021/03/26		91.3	0	Nd							
Comments	Feat	ures arou	nd this	geyser ha	ive expan	ded. Not curre	ently erupting.				
	Ebu	llition: Cou	ld only	hear it							

Location: -38.47351, 176.146821



### Bush Geyser: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 09:22:42"







Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:39:11"

Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11 12:18:48"

Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-06 10:03:16"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 12:41:44"

Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 10:53:30"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Bush Geyser. Taken on 2021-03-26

## 5.5 3065\_18: Sapphire Geyser

- This geyser is usually only observed from the tourist path but is actually relatively safe to approach through the sinter platform.
- Water eruptions and steam eruptions have been observed at this geyser, playing up to 0.5 m and lasting more than 5 minutes.
- Microbial mats forming proximal to Sapphire Geyser (black to orange cover on Fig.1 to Fig.3) are actually discharge of Cascade Geyser overflowing to its distal slope, where Sapphire Geyser is. Sapphire Geyser is observed to have geyserite sinter texture and lacks lower temperature microbial mat communities.
- Not enough continuous data has been collected for long-term trend observations.

Location: -38.473503, 176.147084

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2019/01/14							Erupted with steam for 30 seconds			
							no water			
2019/04/16				None						
2019/07/26				None						
2019/08/19				None						
2020/02/11	8.9	97.6			Clear	Colourless	Erupting up to 0.5m for over 5 minutes			
2020/12/04		43.0			Clear	White	Erupting			
Comments	Geys Infra Erup seco	Geyser observed to erratically play up to 2 m. Infrared Temp: Taken 15 m away Eruption: Constant eruption playing 0.2 m high. Erratic eruptions up to 2 m high for ~15 seconds.								
2021/03/26	7.0	99.4	0.4		Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition below geyser vent			
Comments	Erup follo	<i>Eruption:</i> Splashes just > 0.2 m high constantly. Erupted up to 4-5 m high for 76 seconds, followed by an intense steam discharge for $\sim$ 30 seconds.								



Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 09:30:27"

Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 13:36:25"

Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:44:04"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 12:23:32"

Fig.5 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:12:44"



Fig.6 Infrared image of Sapphire Geyser. Taken on 2021-03-26.

#### 5.6 3065\_8: Cascade Geyser

- Due to the sub-horizontal vent opening of the Cascade Geyser, its eruptions often are • observable but do not reach outside of the vent "cave". Small eruptions that do not exit the cave are infrequently observed, playing up to 0.5 m and lasting up to 30 seconds. At rare occasions, the geyser may erupt a high steam column of water outside of the cave opening.
- The overflow of the geyser flows to the distal apron and to areas surrounding Sapphire Geyser, • and even reaching the geothermal marsh facies. Some overflowed areas are populated by microbial mat communities.
- There are not enough continuous measurements to make long-term trend observations. •

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2010/01/14			(m)	(I/S)	Cloar	Colourloss	Eruptod for 20 coss				
2019/01/14					Clear	Colouriess	Elupted for 50 sets				
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Erupted twice for 30 seconds									
2019/04/16				None							
2019/07/26				None							
2019/08/19				None							
2020/12/04		65.5			Clear	Colourless	Infrequent				
Infrequent eruptions. Remaining algal community dying.											

Location: -38.473594, 176.147031

Comments	Ebullition: Fluid observed but does not eject out of cave opening (geyser vent). ~0.5 m column									
	observed for 30	econds.								
2021/03/26	53.4	Infrequent								
Comments	Eruption: Short	periods of <1 min of increased splashing and ebullition, but no eruption or accurate mouth								
	Tuptuning out of									



Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 09:28:53"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 13:35:32"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 11:22:31"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:40:50"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11 12:27:53"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-06 10:13:15"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:00:40"



Fig.8 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:08:28"



Fig.9 - taken on 2021-03-26 11:10:52"



Fig. 10 Infrared image of Cascade Geyser. Taken on 2021-03-26.

#### 3065\_29: Devil's Throat 5.7

The temperature of this feature has remained in constant near-boiling conditions, except in • February 2019 when measurements dropped to 63 °C and again to 75 in August 2020 (75 °C).

Location: -38.473101, 176.147616

Date	рΗ	Temp	Leve	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
		°C	(m)	(I/s)			
2019/01/14	7.5			<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous
Comments	Wa	ter tem	perati	<i>ire:</i> The	ermoco	uple not worl	king
	Wa	ter leve	l: Ove	rflowin	g		
2019/02/23	7.0	63.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Boiling
Comments	Wa	ter leve	l: Ove	rflowin	g		
2019/04/16	6.0	99.1		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Erupting
Comments	Wa	ter leve	l: Ove	rflowin	g		
	Ebu	llition: \	Was ca	alm the	en starte	ed erupting a	t 13:52 causing flow to increase
2019/07/26	7.0	89.0		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant, vigorous ebullition. Surging.
2019/08/19	7.0	98.0		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant, vigorous ebullition. Surging.
2019/11/08	6.0	94.5		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant vigorous ebullition up to 0.2 m high.
Comments	The	re is a l	ot of v	vater fl	owing c	lown from th	e terrace and the vent behind the feature.
2020/02/11	7.0	02 5		-10	Clear	Colourlass	Cyclical ebullition quiet for 5 minutes then
2020/02/11	7.0	95.5		<1.0	Clear	Colouriess	erupted vigorously up to 0.2m high.
2020/08/06	70	75.0		~10	Clear	Grey -	Boiling
2020/08/00	7.0	75.0		<1.0	Clear	Dark	Bolling
2021/03/26	7.0	81.3	0	>8.0	Clear	Colourless	Not visible, sporadically audible
Comments	Not	: extrusi	ive eru	ptions	. Water	flowing out a	as 2 "streams".

Devil's Throat: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-

Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04

Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16

Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08

Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11



Fig. 8 Infrared image of Devil's Throat. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 5.8 3065\_11: Map of Africa

- Pool difficult to access due to overflows and algal mat growth, so only infrared temperature measurements could be taken.
- Feature became completely covered by microbial mats in August 2020 (Fig.7), but was no longer covered by mats in December 2020.

Location: -38.473485, 176.147393

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition						
2019/01/14		39.3	(111)	None	Clear	Green - Dark	nd						
Comments	Too d	Too dangerous to take some measurements. Couldn't access pool.											
	Wate	Water level: Overflowing											
	Ebulli	ition: Was ra	ining so	couldn't tel	Ι.								
2019/04/16	5.0	50.0		None	Clear	Grey - Dark	Calm						
Comments	Oran	ge algal mat.											
2019/07/26		46.0		None	Clear	Grey - Dark	Calm						
Comments	Algae	Algae mats growing over pool. Can't get close to get pH.											
2019/08/19		53.0		None	Clear	Grey - Dark	Calm						
Comments	Algae	Algae mats growing over pool. Can't get close to get pH.											
2019/11/08		33.0			Clear	Grey - Dark	Calm						
Comments	Thick	algae mats	surround	ling pool ar	nd over it. 0.1	m deep near path. I	Unsafe to walk out to						
	get p	Н.											
2020/02/11		41.3		<0.05	Clear	Black	Calm						
2020/08/06		38.0		<0.5	Clear	Black	No ebullition						
2021/12/04	Nd	55.0	0		Murky	Black	No ebullition						
	Featu	ire relatively	calm, bi	ut could po	ssibly have la <sup>.</sup>	teral seeps through	its margins, under algal						
Comments	colon	ies or on sin	ter.										
connicitts	Wate	Water Level: Possibly seeping out through the margins											
	Clarit	y: Poor clari	ty										
2021/03/26	Nd	57.9	0.2		Nd	Nd	Nd						
Comments	No al	gal commun	ities ove	r surface.									
connento	Wate	r Level: Low	water le	vel									



Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 09:43:41"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 13:45:50"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 11:31:56"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:52:25"



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-11-08 10:53:02



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-02-11 12:35:14



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-08-06 10:17:25"



Fig.8 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:26:49"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Map of Africa. Taken on 2020-12-04.

## 5.9 3065\_31: Manganese Pool

- This is one of the most thermally and physically dynamic pools monitored throughout the region. The overall temperature gradient of this pool has been constantly decreasing since 2005, when the pool was recorded in near-boiling conditions. Major temperature decreases occurred in 2007, 2010, 2013, 2015, and 2019, but temperatures generally rebound to the 50 70 °C range.
- pH conditions have been more stable than temperature measurements, generally ranging between pH 6 and 8.
- This pool often receives the overflow from features below the Golden Fleece Terrace, primarily the Wairiri Geyser.
- Prominent conophyton structures were observed in the middle of the pool in February 2020 (Fig.4). Previous visit of the author to the pool in March 2019 did not record observations of the conophyton structures. By December 2020, the pool is almost 50% populated by silicified conophyton structures (Fig.5 and Fig.6). It is important to note that this period when the conophyton structures were observed coincides with a period with no overflow from higher elevation features. By March 2021 (Fig.7), Wairiri Geyser was erupting and overflowing over Manganese Pool, and no conophyton structures were present any longer.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2019/01/14	6.5	55.2	• •	None	Clear	Green - Light	Occasional bubbles					
Comments	Wat	Water level: Overflowing										
2019/07/26	7.0	22.6	0.9	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Calm					
Comments	Inflo	w from ter	race, a	rtists palle	et flowing o	ver scarp						
2019/08/19	7.0	22.8	0.9	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Calm					
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from terrace, artists pallet flowing over scarp										
2019/11/08	7.0	27.5		<0.05	Clear	Green - Light	Calm					
Comments	Over	Overflow from pools below Golden Fleece as well as from Golden Fleece Terrace flowing into										
	Man	ganese Po	ol.									
2020/02/11	7.5	69.7			Clear	Colourless	Constant small bubbles					
Comments	Thic	k algal mat	s surro	unding po	ol. Flow fro	om Artists Palette. F	low is diffuse.					
2020/12/04	6.0	61.2	0	<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Low constant ebullition					
Commonte	Ove	flowing fe	ature. (	Coniform	structures r	now fully silicified.						
comments	Wat	er Level: M	lultiple	outflows								
2021/03/26		57.0	0		Cloudy	Colourless	Nd					
Comments	Sprin	ng reduced	in size	by ~1/3.	All conophy	ton structures now	silicified and inactive. Overflow					
	from	n Wairiri Ge	eyser ei	nters this	feature, dil	uting the waters.						

Location: -38.473464, 176.148171



### Manganese Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 13:02:02"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:52:09"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:59:14"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-03-26 11:58:03"



Fig. 8 Infrared image of Soda Fountain. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 5.10 3065\_30: Fred & Maggie Pool

- Temperature conditions remain relatively stable between 90 and 100 °C from 2005 to 2018. In early 2019, a temperature decrease was recorded, reaching a low of 47.3 °C, before recovering to historical levels in April 2019, and then decreasing again to today.
- pH measurements have constantly fluctuated between pH 5 and 8.
- The two pool basins have been observed to have no hydrological communication during low water levels.
- Spicular geyserite textures were present above the pool rim in March 2019 (observed by author before working for WRC), but disappeared as of December 2020.

Location: -38.473221, 176.148183

Date	рН	pH Temp °C Level		Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(I/s)							
2019/01/14	6.5	47.3		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant upwelling				
Comments	Incre	eased flow	from A	Artist'sPa	lette, flo	wing into this poo	ol and cooling it down				
	Wat	er temperd	nture: ٦	Temp tak	en with l	R Camera as IR gu	un not working.				
	Wat	er level: Ov	/erflow	/ing							
2019/04/16	5.0	93.3		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant boiling at outlet				
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from Golden Fleece terrace									
	Wat	Water level: Nd									
2019/07/26	6.0	84.9		<0.5	Clear	Grey	Constant bubbles near outlet				
Comments	Othe	Other flow from terrace and Golden Fleece scarp is overflowing from artists pallet									
2019/08/19	6.0	86.3		<0.5	Clear	Grey	Constant bubbles near outlet				
Comments	Othe	Other flow from terrace and Golden Fleece scarp is overflowing from artists pallet									
2019/11/08	5.0	71.1		<0.5	Clear	Green tinge	Constant ebullition at outlet				
Comments	Wate	er flowing	into po	ool from	Golden F	leece Terrace.					
2020/02/11	6.0	75.6		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant upwelling				
Comments	Alga	e from the	edge i	s ending	up in the	e pool and floatin	g within it.				
2020/08/06	6.0	74.0		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebul	lition: Mid	dle of p	lood							
2020/12/04	7.0	91.0	0	>3.0	Clear	Blue	High constant ebullition				
Commonte	Prev	iously obse	erved g	geyserite	rim now	nonexistent.					
	Clari	<i>ty:</i> 1.5 m									
2021/03/26	7.0	91.2	0	Nd	Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition				
Comments	Over	flow of W	airere g	geyser n	ow flows	into this feature.					

### Fred & Maggie Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 10:02:39"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 14:01:44"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 11:50:46"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 11:10:21







Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 13:48:41"



Fig. 8 Infrared image of Fred and Maggie Pool. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 5.11 3065\_22: Soda Fountain

- The temperature measured at Soda Fountain regularly fluctuates from near-boiling conditions (95 – 100 °C) to 70 °C. In 2014, the temperature was at its coldest, declining to ~50 °C before returning to the regular trend.
- This feature typically has an outflow, but may irregularly become fully dry (Fig.5).

Location: -38.473762, 176.147141

Date	рН	Temp °C L	evel	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2019/01/14	7.5	ر 75.9	,	<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light	Vigorous				
Comments	Wa	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/04/16	7.0			<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant boiling				
Comments	pH:	рН: 6.5									
	Wa	Water temperature: Thermocouple not working									
	Wa	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/07/26	8.0	93.9		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Near the back									
2019/08/19	8.0	96.1		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Near the back									
2010/11/09	70	00 1		<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant upwelling on far side				
2013/11/08	7.0	50.1		<0.5		Bide - Light	0.2m high				
2020/02/11		63.7	1.5								
Comments	Роо	Pool is empty. There is inflow from the right side of the pool that is 63 degrees.									
	Wa	Water temperature: May be from inflow									
	Wa	Water level: Cant see water estimate as pool is empty									
2020/08/06	8.4	97.3		<1.0	Clear	Blue - Light	Boiling				
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Back of pool									
2020/12/04	6.0	88.0	0	>5.0	Clear	Blue – Light	Constant high ebullition				
Commonte	Ver	Very ebullient, overflowing. Sinter at pool margin, geyserite at opposite end of the pool, with									
comments	nod	nodular and globular textures.									
2021/03/26	Nd	Nd	Nd	Nd	Nd	Nd	Nd				
Comments	Cur	Currently empty. Steam up to 56 $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}.$									

### Soda Fountain: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 11:10:14"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 14:59:38"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:49:43'



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 12:03:07"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11 13:51:27"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-06 11:36:12"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 15:14:22"



Fig.8 - taken on 2020-12-04 15:14:10"



Fig.9 - taken on 2021-03-26 12:32:59"



Fig. 10 Infrared image of Soda Fountain. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 5.12 3065\_177: North Pool by Boardwalk

- The temperature of this pool fluctuates from near-boiling conditions to as low as 40 °C. General temperature conditions have decreased since 2013, and from 2018 the feature has had relatively low water level or gone completely dry.
- pH conditions have ranged from 5 to 8 but have experienced more changes since 2015.

Location: -38.474339, 176.148461

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(l/s)							
2019/01/14	8.0	39.1	0.4	None	Murky	Grey	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Wat	Water temperature: Used infrared camera for temp									
	Wat	Water level: Below lower rim									
2019/04/16	5.0		0.93	0.0	Murky	Grey	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Wat	Water temperature: Not working									
2019/07/26	6.0	56.3	0.7		Murky	Grey - Light	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from artists pallet									
2019/07/26	6.0	60.4	0.7	0.0	Murky	Grey - Light	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from artists pallet									
2019/08/19	6.0	56.3	0.7	0.0	Murky	Grey - Light	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from artists pallet									
2019/11/08	6.0	6.0 47.5 1.0 Clear Colourless Calm occasional bubbles									
Comments	Inflo	Inflow from terrace, increased while we were there. Heard more activity on artists palette.									
2020/02/11	6.0	63.6	0.5		Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles				
2020/08/06	6.0	62.9	0.5		Murky	Grey - Light	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebul	Ebullition: Middle of pool									
2020/12/94	6.0	73.0	2.2	0	Muddy	Colourless	Nd				
Comments	Low	Low water level, surrounding environment dry. Sinter exposed.									
	Clari	Clarity: Mixing with surrounding mud and sediments									

North Pool by Boardwalk: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 10:44:13"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:23:00"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 11:35:58"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 13:19:26"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-06 11:05:17"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-04 14:30:03"



Fig.7 Infrared image of North Pool by Boardwalk. Taken on 2020-12-14.

## 5.13 3065\_178: South Pool by Boardwalk

- From 2006 to 2017, water temperature has always fluctuated between 50 and 80 °C. In 2017, a decreasing temperature trend was observed, and until 2021, the temperature has remained below 50 °C.
- pH conditions are regularly between pH 5 and 8, except in 2013 (pH 2, possibly anomalous) and 2019 (pH 3).
- Water colour may vary between murky grey and cloudy brown.

Location: -38.474375, 176.148474

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(I/S)							
2019/01/14	4.0		1.0	None	Murky	Brown - Light	Occasional upwelling				
Comments	Wat	Water		mperature	: Thermocouple		stopped	working			
	Wat	Water level: Below ground level									
2019/04/16	5.0	48.6	1.48	0.0	Clear	Brown	Occasional bubbles				
2019/07/26	5.0	46.8	1.3	0.0	Clear	Brown	Calm				
Comments	Brov	Brown algae mats covering everything									
2019/08/19	5.0	46.3	1.3	0.0	Clear	Brown	Calm				
Comments	Brov	Brown algae mats covering everything									
2019/11/08	6.0	44.7	1.3		Clear	Colourless	Calm				
Comments	Pool	Pool is cooler than usual. Green algae growing in pool.									
2020/02/11	6.0	45.4	1.6		Clear	Colourless	Occasional bubbles				
Comments	Leav	Leaves floating on surface. Branch in pool.									
2020/08/06	6.0	43.8	0.5		Clear	Brown - Light	Constant small bubbl	es			
2020/12/04	6.0	67.6	1.6	0	Clear	Grey – Light	Moderate				
Commonte	Rela	Relatively low water level									
connents	Ebul	Ebullition: Foci at margin and centre of pool									

### South Pool by Boardwalk: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 10:40:05"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:14:10"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 11:30:04"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 13:15:09"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-06 10:56:49"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-04 14:36:14"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 14:36:23"



Fig.8 Infrared image of South Pool by Boardwalk. Taken on 2020-12-14.

### 5.14 3065\_180: Fumarole to the left of the boardwalk

- The temperature of this fumarole has been fluctuating since the start of recording in 2005. However, the temperature has never reached measurements from 2010, when the discharge was measured to have reached ~90 °C.
- There are no pH measurements as this fumarole is discharging gases only.

Location: -38.474027, 176.148367

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/01/14		35.6					nd
Comments	W	ater level: Dry					
2019/04/16		31.7		0.0			Steaming on front
Comments	W	<i>ater level:</i> Nd					
2019/07/26		27.0		None			Steaming
Comments	Eb	ullition: At from	nt				
2019/08/19				None			Steaming
Comments	Eb	ullition: At from	nt				
2020/12/04		62.0					
Comments	De	position of rec	d minera	ls around ver	nt possibly A	As-rich.	











Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 10:32:56"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:10:14"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:10:21"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-12-04 14:19:27"
### 5.15 3065\_185: Ruatapu Cave main pool

• The period from 2005 to 2016 had relatively stable temperature conditions, with only minor fluctuations. In 2017, the temperature increased to ~45°C, before dropping to ~30 °C in 2018 and 2018.

Location: -38.475027, 176.149694

Date	pH Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/01/14	26.9	(,	None	Clear	Green	Calm, steam coming from back
Comments	Steam comin	ng froi	m back o	f pool		
	Water tempe	eratur	<i>e:</i> Taken	from pla-	tform using IR carr	nera as IR gun not working
	Water level:	nd				
2019/04/16			None	Clear	Green - Light	Calm
Comments	Steam at bac	k of p	ool			
	Water level:	nd				
2019/07/26	45.1		0.0	Clear	Green - Blue	Calm
Comments	Ebullition: St	eamir	ng at the	back		
2019/08/19			0.0	Clear	Green - Blue	Calm
Comments	Ebullition: St	eamir	ng at the	back		
2019/11/08	44.9			Clear	Green - Light	Calm
2020/02/11	46.7			Clear	Blue	Calm
2020/08/06	31.0			Clear	Green - Dark	No ebullition
2020/12/04	36.0					
Comments	Team observ	ed at	far end o	of cave		

### Ruatapu Cave main pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-16 10:59:39"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-16 14:48:37"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 12:36:14"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-08 11:52:04"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-11 13:36:05"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-06 11:16:43"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-03-26 12:19:51"



# 5.16 3065\_183: Kurapai

- From the tourist centre, the tourism site operators see frequent eruptions of this geyser.
- The geothermal ground surrounding the geyser (above the sinter terrace) is still active.

Location: -38.474553, 176.147221

Date	pHTemp °CLevelFlow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition								
2019/07/26	(III) (I/S) None			Deep audible bubbling								
Comments	Looks like it has erupted re	Looks like it has erupted recently- water around the edge. Got confirmation that it has										
	erupted 3 times recently	···· · <b>,</b> ···· ·										
	Ebullition: Steaming											
2019/08/19	43.5 None			Deep audible bubbling								
Comments	Looks like it has erupted re	ecently- water a	round the edge.	Got confirmation that it has								
	erupted 3 times recently											
	Ebullition: Steaming											
2020/12/04			White	Erupting								
Comments	Eruption: Erupting for 90	seconds, playir	ng up between	7 and 10 m high. Microbial mats								
	observed inside the wall o	f the geyser ven	nt. Geyser vent i	s ca 3 m long, 1.5 m deep, and 3 m								
	deep, with a flat gravel floo	or. Rising about	50 cm from the f	loor is a pipe encrusted with sinter.								
	The pipe was once much lo	The pipe was once much longer but has been broken, with the longer part lying fallen on the										
	gravel bed. The geyser ver	gravel bed. The geyser vent is quite dry after an eruption due to rapid evaporation of the hot										
	water. The site manager (	Greg Gibson say	s it fills very qui	ckly, in less than a minute once the								
	water starts rising followin	g the previous e	eruption and eru	pts up to 8-13 times a day.								



Fig.1 - taken on 2020-12-04

Fig.2 - taken on 2020-12-04

Fig.3 - taken on 2020-12-04"

## 5.17 3065\_500: Orion's Belt

- A set of 3 new non-flowing neutral chloride springs discovered due to audible eruption and visible steam column >5 m high. Vegetation surrounding the features is still green while dead vegetation is observed proximal to margins of features, indicating new and localised thermal features. The three pools are the west pool, middle pool, and east pool. Age of features unknown but appears very recent because the vegetation is freshly dead.
- Infrequent periods of increased ebullition for about 1-2 minutes, with water column rising to ~1 m and splash zone extending 2 m away from middle pool.
- Location near old overgrown path, approximately 25 m NE of old sinter terrace leading up to Kurapai (3065\_183).
- Measurements are from the middle pool.

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Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
04/12/2020	7.0	82			Muddy	Brown	Constant, episodic high	
<b>C</b>								

Location: 2784624 E, 6298450 N. Location measured from GPS (+/- 5 m).

Comments

*Clarity:* Clear to 0.5 m, obscure beyond 0.5 m *Ebullition:* Constant, with periods of increased ebullition



Fig.1 - taken on 2020-12-04



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-12-04



Fig.3 - taken on 2020-12-04

### 5.18 3065\_451: Waihunuhunu Inlet 1

- The water temperature at Waihunuhunu Inlet is relatively consistent, apart from two decreases that occurred in 2011 and 2019.
- The source spring that feeds this stream is several kilometres away, and at the point of discharge into Lak Ohakuri, where the measurement is taken, has been culverted under Te Kopia Rd. Accordingly, the measurement point is from a perched pipe discharging into the Waihunuhunu arm of the lake. It is very likely that the feature provenance has higher temperature conditions than at the sampling point.

Location: -38.452977, 176.156227

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
2019/02/07	7.0	50.0		<30.0	Clear	Colourless	nd	
Comments	Water	r		<i>level:</i> Overf	lowing	fro	m	pipe
	Bathe	rs: And 1 ob	server in	boat				
2019/11/08	6.0	36.0		<30.0	Clear	Colourless	nd	
2020/02/11	6.0	40.6		<40.0	Clear	Colourless	nd	
Comments	Flaxes	have been j	planted.					
	<i>рН:</i> рł	45.5						
2020/08/05	7.2	53.1		<10.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition	
2020/12/04	5.0	51.9	0	>25.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a	
2021/03/26	5.0	51.9	0	>2.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a	

#### Waihunuhunu Inlet 1: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-15 14:19:12"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-11-08 12:51:11"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-11-08 12:52:03"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-11 08:41:13"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-05 08:56:22'



Fig.6 - taken on 2021-03-26 14:11:39"



Fig. 7 Infrared image of Waihunuhunu Inlet. Taken on 2021-03-26.

# 6 **REPOROA**

# 6.1 3066\_1: Butcher's Pool

• Butcher's Pool is a natural hot pool that Rotorua District Council has built wooden swimming pool infrastructure around. Both the temperature and pH conditions at Butcher's Pool have been relatively stable since 2010. Based on infrared imagery (Fig.3), the hottest water seem to accumulate around the margins of the pool, and not in the centre.

Location: -38.453451, 176.34291

Date	рΗ	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2016/12/01	7.0	38.8	1.2	None	Clear	Blue	small bubbles		
Comments	Son	ne scum	on sur	face					
	Wa	ter level	: below	pool su	rround				
	Bat	hers: 4 k	bystand	ers, 2 fo	oreign				
2017/01/27	7.0	39.6	0.85	None	Clear	Blue/green	Effervescent		
Comments	Ora	nge scu	m arou	nd edge	s of poo	I			
	Wa	ter level	: Below	pool rir	n				
2018/02/09	5.0	37.6	0.8	None	Clear	Blue - Light	Small bubbles in centre		
Comments	Oil	Oil slick over two areas of pool. Some scum near outlet							
	Wa	ter level	: From	top of p	ool edge	2			
2010/01/15	7 5	40.2	0.0	Nono	Clear	Dhuo Light	Effervescing in centre. Constant upwelling		
2019/01/15	7.5	40.2	0.8	None	Clear	Blue - Light	in spots		
Comments	Oily	slick or	n surfac	e and sc	um on s	urface near ou	utflow		
	Wa	ter level	: From	top of p	ool edge	5			
2020/02/26	67	37 2	0 77		Clear	Green -	Effervescent		
	0.7	57.2	0.77		cicui	Blue			
Comments	Ora	nge, foa	amy alg	ae near	outflow				
2021/03/25	7.0	41.9	0.5		Clear	Colourless	Constant small bubbles. Effervescent.		
Comments	Wa	ter surfa	ace has	scum ar	nd an oil	y sheen.			

### Butcher's Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-03-17 11:15:04"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 17:07:00""



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Butcher's Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

# 6.2 3066\_24: Wharepapa Rd: Fumaroles

- The fumaroles are in a flat paddock on a dairy farm, adjacent to a very hot chloride spring. The fumarole area heat output fluctuates greatly over the course of years, expanding and contracting the area and number of fumaroles and mud pools. The fumaroles experienced cooling periods from 2008 to 2011 and from 2016 to 2017.
- During a visit in March 2021, the fumaroles have been buried by soil, and no thermal signature was observed through an infrared camera.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2015/01/28		75.8	0.9	•••••			Audible bubbling
Comments	Ground	collapsing					
	Water le	<i>evel:</i> Below gro	ound leve	I			
	Area of	feature: 0.5x0.	7				
2016/01/12		78.4					Audible bubbling
Comments	Small co	ollapse on side					
2017/01/27		47.1	0.4	None	nd	nd	Audible bubbling
Comments	Collapsi	ng, covered in	grass				
	<i>pH:</i> nd						
	Water le	evel: depth					
	Area of	<i>feature:</i> 0.24 x	0.27				
2018/02/09		30.6		None	Muddy	nd	nd
Comments	Ground	collapsed into	vent, de	oth 0.1 m	below gro	ound level	
	Water le	<i>evel:</i> nd					
2019/01/15		49.1	0.9	None	Muddy	Brown - Dark	Constant bubbling
Comments	Fumaro	le 1 & 2 now o	ne larger	fumarole	9		
	Water le	<i>evel:</i> Below gro	ound leve	l - angled			
2020/02/26		75.0					Steaming
Comments	Ground	collapsing in v	ent.				

Location: -38.416027, 176.330671

#### Wharepapa Rd: Fumaroles: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-03-17 11:15:04"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25

### 6.3 3066\_25: Longview Road Lake

• Water temperature increased by approximately 10 °C from 2011 to 2013 without accompanying pH change. Measurements slightly reduced to approximately 28°C and have remained so until 2021.

Location: -38.413805, 176.36113

Date	рН	Temp °	CLevel (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2015/01/28	3.0	33.7	. ,	None	Murky	Green	Effervescing
Comments	Wat	er level:	nd				
2018/02/09	3.5	28.7		None	Murky	Green - Light	Several areas of discharge
Comments	Scun Wat	n on top <i>er level:</i>	of poo nd	I			
2019/01/15	2.8	28.5		None	Green - Light	Cloudy	nd
Comments	Unsa Wat	afe to ge <sup>.</sup> <i>er level:</i>	t close nd	due to incre	ease size of mu	սd pool. Scum on sւ	irface of lake
2021/03/25	4.0	28.9	0	Not observed	Cloudy	Gren – Murky	Multiple foci, constant
Comments	Wat	er surfac	e areas	near the la	ike margins ar	e covered with bub	bles.

### Longview Road Lake: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2021-03-25 17:41:14"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 17:41:24"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Longview Road Lake. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 6.4 3066\_26: Longview Road Mud Pools

The average temperature of the mud pools appears to be approximately 23 – 25°C. Two temperature increases were observed in 2011 and 2017. In 2011, the temperature increased from <20 °C to the average levels. In 2017, the measurement shortly increased to 30.2°C, before again returning to the mean level, and then increasing again in 2019.</li>

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2015/01/28		25.0	(111)	(1/5)	Murky	Brown	Constant discharge			
Comments	Gro	Ground cracked, too hazardous to get close								
2016/01/12	2.0	23.6	0.15	None	Murky	Brown	Constant all over pool			
Comments	Gro	und aroun	d mud p	pools too	unstable t	o access lake				
	Wat	ter level: B	elow gr	ound leve	el					
2016/12/01	2.0	23.6	0.15	None	Murky	Brown	Constant all over pool			
Comments	Gro	und aroun	d mud p	pools too	unstable t	o access lake				
	Wat	ter level: B	elow gr	ound leve	el					
2017/01/27	2.5	30.2	0.3	None	Murky	Brown	Constant discharge			
Comments	Wat	<i>ter level:</i> b	elow rir	n						
2018/02/09	2.0	22.3	0.1	None	Turbid	Brown - Light	Bubbles all over			
Comments	Wat	ter level: B	elow rir	n						
2019/01/15	3.0	22.9	0.05	None	Muddy	Brown - Light	Constant in multiple spots			
Comments	Роо	l larger tha	an last t	ime						
	Wat	ter level: B	elow rir	n						
2020/02/26		28.0	0.5		Muddy	Brown	Constant discharge all over.			
Comments	Lots	of new ho	oles ope	ened up, s	ulphur dep	oosits around som	e vents. Ground too soft to walk			
	arou	und to get	to pool	. Could no	ot get close	e to take pH meas	urement.			

Location: -38.413257, 176.361379

#### Longview Road Mud Pools: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 14:51:31"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-26 14:51:21"

### 6.5 3066\_8: Figure 8 Shaped Hot Pool

• Between 2005 to 2021, the water temperature at Figure 8 Shaped Hot Pool remained between 80 and 100 °C, and with pH constantly remaining at near-neutral conditions.

Location: -38.415366, 176.330458

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2015/01/28	8.0	<b>9</b> 6.6	0.2	None	Murky	Brown	Constant upwelling, discharge
Comments	Large pool surging, flowing into small poo				g into sm	all pool	
	<i>Water level:</i> Below rim						
2016/01/12	7.5	90.6		None	Clear	Clear	Calm
Comments	Flov	ving int	o small	pool			
	Wat	ter leve	<i>l:</i> nd, ir	flow fro	m large p	lood	
2017/01/27	7.5	88.1	0.15	None	Clear	Clear	Upwelling
Comments	Роо	ls joine	d				
	Wat	ter leve	<i>l:</i> belov	v outflov	N		
2018/02/09	7.0	90.5		None	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles
Comments	Fence collapsing around feature						
	Wat	ter leve	l: Over	lowing i	nto smal	l pool, level h	igher than normal
2019/01/15	7.0	84.6	0.05	None	Clear	Grey - Light	Constant bubbling in center
Comments	Wat	ter leve	<i>l:</i> Belov	v outflov	N		
							Vigorous intermittent periods of high
2020/02/26	7.7	90.5	0.2	<0.5	Clear	Colourless	ebullience. Constant bubbling when
							calmer.
Comments	Wat	ter leve	L and e	bullitior	changin	g throughout	visit.
	Wat	ter leve	l: Wate	r level c	hanges d	ropped with l	nigh ebullience.
2021/03/25	7	92.4	0	None	Clear	Colourless	Constant low ebullience
Comments	All r poo	nearby Is (not	terrain separat	and fum ing with	aroles co 3066_27	overed with so 7).	bil. Pool not separated into two small sub-

Figure 8 shaped hot pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 13:52:26"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 13:19:40"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Figure 8 Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

#### 6.6 3066\_27: Figure 8 shaped hot pool -small pool

- The temperature of this pool remains below 90 °C and below conditions at feature 3066 8, • with which this feature could sometimes be merged with (as observed in March 2021). In 2018, the temperature dropped to 74 °C, but immediately returned to previous conditions.
- The pH at this site has been declining from pH 9 in 2012 to pH 5 in 2020. •

Location: -38.415341, 176.330388

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colou	r	Ebullitic	on	
2017/01/27	7.0	89.5	0.15	None	Clear	Clear		Calm		
Comments	Wate	er level: be	low outflo	w						
2018/02/09	6.0	74.0		None	Clear	Colo	urless	Calm		
Comments	Large	e pool	overflow	ing into	small	pool.	Fence	collapsing	around	feature.
	Wate	er level: no	l							
2019/01/15	6.5	87.0	0.2	None	Clear	Gree	n - Light	Infrequ	uent bubbi	ing
Comments	Wate	ater level: Below rim								
2020/02/26	5.0	89.0	0.5		Clear	Colo	urless	Occasi	onal bubb	les







Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 13:45:43"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-26 13:46:35"

### 6.7 3066\_9: Hot Pool 3 at Reporoa

- Temperature conditions at Hot Pool 3 between 2005 to 2010 remained relatively constant at near-boiling conditions. Since 2012, there has been a decreasing trend in the average temperature; however, the feature underwent cycles of short-term increase and decrease, with temperatures ranging between 75 and 94 °C.
- pH measurements have generally decreased from pH 9 to 7.
- There are multiple anthropogenic debris including coils inside the feature.

Location: -38.415908, 176.331342

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
			(m)	(I/s)			
2015/01/28	7.0	94.0		<2.0	Clear	Blue	Constant upwelling
Comments	Very	y steamy,	fence	broken			
	Wat	ter level: (	Overflo	owing			
2016/01/12	8.0	80.2		<2.0	Clear	Blue	Upwelling
Comments	Wat	ter level: (	Overflo	owing			
2016/12/01	8.0	91.2		<2.0	Clear	Blue	Upwelling
Comments	Wat	ter level: (	Dverflo	owing			
2017/01/27	7.0	86.3		<2.0	Clear	Blue	Upwelling
Comments	Wat	ter level: (	Dverflo	owing			
2018/02/09	8.0	92.5		<5.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Constant all over
Comments	Nev	v fence ar	ound f	earture	<u>.</u>		
	Wat	ter level: (	Overflo	owing			
2019/01/15	7.5	75.6		<3.0	Clear	Blue	Constant upwelling in centre
Comments	Sma	ill pool ha	s oper	ned up b	pehind m	nain pool.	
	Wat	ter level: (	Overflo	owing			
2020/02/26	7.7	92.5		<2.0	Clear	Blue	Occasional bubbles
Comments	Fen	ce repaire	d arou	und poo	ol. Pool c	almer than us	ual. Oil on surface.
2021/03/25	7	93.2	0.5	<2.0	Clear	Blue	Constant ebullition near outflow point
Comments	Oily	sheen ob	served	d on wa	ter surfa	ice around po	ol margins, provenance unknown.











Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 14:00:09"

Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-26 14:01:03"

Fig.3 - taken on 2021-03-25 13:30:34"



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-03-25 13:30:42"

## 6.8 3066\_10: Hot Pool 4 at Reporoa

• Temperature measurements decreased from 63°C to 49.6°C between 2017 to 2018 but have increased to 62°C in 2020.

Location: -38.413609, 176.334591

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
			(m)	(I/s)						
2015/01/28		71.3	1.5	None	Murky	Brown	Constant discharge			
Comments	Wa	<i>ter level:</i> B	elow C	Overflow						
2016/01/12		67.5	1.5	None	Murky	Grey/brown	Constant discharge			
Comments	Wa	<i>ter level:</i> B	elow g	round lev	/el					
2016/12/01		67.5	1.5	None	Murky	Grey/brown	Constant discharge			
Comments	Wa	<i>ter level:</i> B	elow g	round lev	/el					
2017/01/27	nd	63.1	2.0	None	Murky	Grey	Constant discharge			
Comments	Wa	ter tempei	rature:	Temp tal	ken from ra	ace				
	Wa	<i>ter level:</i> b	elow r	im						
2018/02/09		49.6	0.4	None	Murky	Grey	Constant bubbling			
Comments	Me	asurement	ts take	n from th	e race.					
	Wa	ter tempei	rature:	Taken fro	om race					
	Wa	<i>ter level:</i> B	elow g	round lev	/el					
2019/01/15		53.7	0.2	None	Clear	Grey	Constant bubbles in centre			
Comments	Me	asurement	ts take	n from th	e race.					
	Wa	ter tempei	rature:	Taken fro	om race wi	th steam interfe	ence			
	Wa	<i>Water level:</i> Below ground level								
2020/02/26		62.0	1.5		Murky	Brown	Constant vigorous discharge.			
Comments	Sulp	Sulphur deposition up to 1m above water level.								
	Wa	ter temper	rature:	Taken fro	om race.					

### Hot Pool 4 at Reporoa: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 14:15:19"

### 6.9 **3066\_11:** Golden Springs Motel; North Pool

- Temperature decreased to below 30 °C from 2007 to 2011 but recovered to 39.4 °C in 2015, before constantly experiencing a minor decrease to 2019.
- pH generally remained at pH 7, in exception to 2018 when pH was measured to be 5. However, this change was not reflected by abnormal temperature changes during the same period.

Location: -38.46875, 176.30955

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2015/01/21	7.5	39.4		<30.0	Murky	Green	Calm					
Comments	Gree	Green algae on steps around pool. Couldn't access south pool due to access being blocked by										
	a tree	e falling dowr	າ.									
	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing									
2016/01/12	7.0	37.8		<30.0	Cloudy	Cloudy	Calm					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing									
2016/12/01	7.0	37.4		<30.0	Cloudy	Cloudy	Calm					
Comments	Wate	er level: Overf	lowing									
2017/01/27	7.0	37.8		40.0	Murky	Pale green	nd					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing									
2018/02/09	5.0	35.6		<20.0	Murky	Green-grey	nd					
Comments	Wate	er level: Overf	lowing									
2019/01/15	7.0	33.4		<20.0	Murky	Grey	Calm					
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing										
2020/02/26	7.1	35.6	0.41	<20.0	Cloudy	Blue - Grey	nd					
2021/03/25	7.0	39.4	0	<20.0	Cloudy	Grey – Light	n/a					

### Golden Springs Motel; North Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-03-17 11:15:12"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 21:33:20""



Fig. 3 Infrared image of North Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

## 6.10 3066\_12: Golden Springs Motel; South Pool

- The temperature of this feature experiences periods of minor decline since 2007 but has always remained between 30 and 40 °C.
- pH measurements appear to be inversely correlated to temperature, with measurements since late 2017 showing that pH decreases when temperature increases. However, all of the changes are relatively minor.

Date	рН	Temp °C Level		Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
			(m)	(I/s)								
2016/01/12	7.0	34.6		40.0	Cloudy	Green/grey	Calm					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overfl	owing									
2016/12/01	7.0	33.6		40.0	Cloudy	Green/grey	Calm					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overfl	owing									
2017/01/27	6.5	35.5		<40.0	Murky	Pale green	nd					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overfl	owing									
2018/02/09	6.0	33.4		<30.0	Murky	Green-grey	nd					
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overfl	owing									
2019/01/15	7.5	32.0		<30.0	Murky	Grey	nd					
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing										
2020/02/26	6.0	35.6	0.7	<20.0	Cloudy	Grey - Light	nd					
Comments	Wate	Water level: Water level has dropped considerably.										
2021/03/25	7.0	37.5	0	<5.0	Cloudy	Grey	N/a					
Comments	Relat	Relatively weak flow compared to previous records.										

Location: -38.470031, 176.308852

### Golden Springs Motel; South Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-03-17 11:15:14"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 21:33:40""



Fig. 1 Infrared image of South Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 6.11 3066\_13: No 3 across Golden Spring Hotel

- The water temperature of this feature has remained relatively constant since 2006.
- pH has remained in near-neutral conditions except for observations in 2018, where the pH was measured to be 5.
- Pool is often covered in organic debris and/or subaerial microbial mat communities, making it difficult to observe the water conditions.
- In 2021 a very large tree has fallen across the pool, with its trunk and branches acting as a partial roof.

Date	рΗ	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
			(m)	(I/s)			
2015/01/21	6.5	42.0			Murky	Green	Effervescing
Comments	Alga	l mats					
2016/01/12	7.0	41.3		None	Murky	Green-yellow	Effervescing
Comments	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2016/12/01	7.0	38.8		None	Murky	Green-yellow	Effervescing
Comments	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2017/01/27	7.0	41.0		None	Murky	Pale Green	Effervescing in centre
Comments	Alga	l mats cove	ering m	ost of the	pool		
	Wat	er level: Ov	erflow	ing			
2018/02/09	5.0	40.3		None	Cloudy	Green - Light	Effervescing
Comments	Less	algal mats	than u	sual			
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2019/01/15	6.5	40.5		None	Cloudy	Green - Light	Effervescing in centre
Comments	Wat	<i>er level:</i> nd					
2020/02/26	6.8	41.3	0.2		Murky	Green - Light	Effervescing in centre
Comments	Alga	e mats cov	ering m	nost of the	e feature.		
2021/03/25	7	42.9	0	N/a	Cloudy	Green - Murky	Constant ebullition
Comments	Surfa	ace covere	d in org	anic debr	is.		

Location: -38.465192, 176.310522

### No 3 across Golden Spring Hotel: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 12:04:25"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 16:41:12"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of No3 pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 6.12 3066\_14: No 4 across the Golden Springs Hotel

• This site has experienced temperature decreases at the same time as 3066\_13, in 2010 and 2016. This is expected as both sites are only different points of a stream, and so have the same water source.

Location: -38.464388, 176.310267

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
			(m)	(I/s)						
2016/01/12	7.5	38.1		None	Cloudy	Green/blue	Small bubbles			
Comments	Alga	I mats on	pool							
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> no	b							
2016/12/01	7.5	37.1		None	Cloudy	Green/blue	Small bubbles			
Comments	Alga	I mats on	pool							
	Wat	<i>er level:</i> no	b							
2017/01/27	7.0	39.4		None	Murky	Grey/green	Calm			
Comments	Alga	Algal mats covering most of the pool								
	Wat	er level: O	verflov	ving						
2018/02/09	5.0	38.9		None	Cloudy	Green-grey	nd			
Comments	Alga	l mats cov	ering f	eature						
	Wat	Water level: Overflowing								
2020/02/26	5.0	45.9			Clear	Colourless	Constant upwelling in centre.			
Comments	Alga	l mats cov	ering r	nost of th	ne pool.					
2021/03/25	7.0	46.7	0	N/a	Cloudy	Grey	nd			
Comments	Alga	e covered	on the	surface.						

# No 4 across the Golden Springs Hotel: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 12:15:01"

Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-26 12:17:48"

Fig.3 - taken on 2021-03-25 16:49:29"



Fig. 4 Infrared image of No 4 pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

# 7 ROTOKAWA

# 7.1 3067\_3: RKF3

- Water temperature conditions decreased between 2014 t0 2017.
- pH measured at this site has always shown acidic pH, between pH 3 and 4.

Location: -38.62713, 176.190395

Date	рН	Temp °C	Leve	I Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
		L	(m)	(1/5)			
2014/01/29	3.0	48.4		None	Cloudy	Pale green	Constant discharge
Comments	Wa	ter leve	l: Not	overflov	ving		
2015/01/21	3.0	51.7		<0.5	Clear	Green grey	Small discharge around pool
Comments	Wa	ter leve	<i>l:</i> nd				
2016/01/12	2.5	47.4		None	Cloudy	Pale green	Constant discharge
Comments	Wa	ter leve	l: not	overflov	ving		
2018/02/09	3.0	32.3	0.4		Cloudy	Green - Light	Areas of small bubbles
Comments	H25	5, gas ala	arms i	ead up	to 20ppm	. Water level	lower than usual.
	Wa	ter leve	l: Belo	w inflow	v.		
2019/01/15			0.5		Murky	Green - Murky	Constant bubbling all over
Comments	Cοι	ıldn't ge	t clos	e to the	pool due	to gas clouds	blowing across the pools.
	pH:	nd, uns	afe to	get san	nple		
	Wa	ter tem	oerati	<i>ire:</i> nd -	unsafe		
	Wa	ter leve	l: Belo	w grour	nd level - e	estimated fro	m a distance
2020/02/26		36.0	0.5		Cloudy	Green - Blue	Constant gas discharge on left less ebullient in centre. Slightly effervescent.
Comments	Ebu forr	Illition o med, cu	n left	, produc v dry. Sc	ing sulph	ur. Thick sulp I. Two dead a	hur on ground next to pool. New outflow nimals (wild pigs?) in pool. Couldn't access
	RKF	4.	-	, ,	0		
2021/04/30	4.0	39.6	0.3		Milky	Blue - Light	None

### **RKF3: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2022/1/1**







Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-26 10:16:18"

Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-26 10:16:25"



Fig.3 - taken on 2021-04-30 10:03:44"



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-04-30 10:03:48"



Fig. 4 Infrared image of RKF3. Taken on 2021-04-30.

# 7.2 3067\_4: RKF4

- Temperature experienced an increase between 2016 and 2018, but no measurements were taken in 2017. From 2018 to 2021, the temperature condition has been relatively stable.
- pH measured at this site has remained relatively unchanged since 2014.

Location: -38.62713, 176.190395

Date	рН	Temp °C	LevelFlow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2014/01/29	2.5	73.1	None	Murkv	Grev/green	Constant				
Comments	Wa	ter level	: Overflowing							
	Are	a of feat	<i>ture:</i> 3 x 3 m							
2015/01/21	3.0		None	Clear	Clear	Constant discharge				
Comments	Wa	ter tem	<i>perature:</i> nd -	couldn't g	get temp as wi	nd changed, too dangerous with high H2S				
	gas									
	Wa	ter level	<i>:</i> nd							
2016/01/12	3.0	70.7	None	Clear	Blue	Constant, vigorous				
Comments	Wa	ter level	: Overflowing							
2018/02/09	3.0	82.5	<1.0	Murky	Grey - Light	Constant all over				
Comments	Wa	ter level	: Overflowing							
2021/04/20	2.4	07 E		Cloudy	Vollow	Constant audible ebullition not visible due				
2021/04/30	2.4	82.5		Cloudy	Tenow	to steam				
Comments	Sus	pended	yellow sedim	ents (pos	sibly sulphurou	us) on water surface, and 0.3-0.8 diameter				
	sed	sediment rim around pool.								

### RKF4: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2022/1/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2021-04-30 10:12:55"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-04-30 10:13:01"

# 8 TAUHARA

### 8.1 3068\_119: Kathleen Stream u/s confluence Otumuheke

- Despite temperature fluctuations occurring until 2021, this feature has a decreasing temperature trend since at least 2009.
- Discharge rates of Otumuheke Stream has been decreasing according to measurements on WRC weirs, which could potentially influence the temperature changes occurring.
- pH measurements fluctuate without observed direct correlation to temperature.

Location: -38.671534, 176.091551

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2019/02/07	6.5	46.7	(,	<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Gree	n algae and	l iron flo	ock on stream bed							
	Wate	er level: Ove	erflowin	g							
2019/04/29	6.0	31.0		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wate	er level: Ove	erflowin	g							
2019/07/26	6.0	37.3		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Fenc	Fence post across part of stream. Orange algae.									
2019/08/19	6.0	36.0		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Fenc	e post acro	ss part o	of stream. Orange al	gae.						
2019/11/08	6.0	36.1		<10.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Gree	n and oran	ge algae	on stream bed. Alg	ae mats float	ing on stream.					
2019/12/12	6.0	42.5		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Oran	ge algae or	stream	bed. Oily substance	e on surface.						
2020/02/26	5.0	35.4		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Oran	ge algae or	stream	bed. Oily substance	e on surface.						
2020/08/05	7.0	33.0		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition				
2020/12/10	7.0	50.0	0.2	<3.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a				
2021/03/25	7.0	51.2	0	Not measured	Clear	Colourless	N/a				

# Kathleen Stream u/s confluence Otumuheke: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-03-17 11:15:16"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 18:41:00"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Otumuheke Stream. Taken on 2020-03-25.
## 8.2 3068\_101: Otumuheke u/s confluence Kathleen Stream

- The temperature conditions at this sampling point have been relatively stable, with the only major decrease being observed in early 2014.
- Fluctuations in pH measurements appear to somewhat reflect the changes in temperature.

Location: -38.671515, 176.091562

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2019/02/07	6.5	53.4	()	<40.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wate	er level: Over	flowing								
2019/04/29	6.0	51.4		<20.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wate	Nater level: Overflowing									
2019/07/26	5.0	51.2		<40.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Oran	Orange algae									
2019/08/19	5.0	50.0		<40.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Oran	Orange algae									
2019/11/08	6.0	51.5		<40.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
2019/12/12	6.0	52.7		<20.0	Clear	Colourless	Nd				
Comments	Wate	Water level is lower than usual.									
2020/02/26	5.0	49.7		<30.0	Clear	Colourless	nd				
2020/08/05	6.0	46.0		<5.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition				
2021/03/25	7.0	46.9	0	<5.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a				

# Otumuheke u/s confluence Kathleen Stream: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



## 8.3 3068\_112: Waipahihi New Spring

- Temperature has been stable between 2010 and 2015, when fluctuations occurred, but stayed within a range between 50 and 70 °C.
- pH shows a strong positive correlation to changes in temperature measurement.

Location: -38.70258, 176.102028

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2019/01/14	5.5	54.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Water	Water temperature: Used infrared camera as IR gun not working										
2019/07/26	7.0	65.2		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Looks	Looks like more flow than there used to be. Path way getting swampy, stream will block path										
soon. Also appears to be higher water level downstream.												
2019/08/19	7.2	67.3		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Looks	like more flov	v than the	ere used to	be. Pathway	getting swampy, st	ream will block path					
	soon. Also appears to be higher water level downstream.											
2020/12/10	7.0	67.0	0	>2.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a					
2021/03/26	6.0	66.9	0	>7.0	Clear	Colourless	N/a					

### Waipahihi New Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-07-26 09:34:30"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-12-03 16:45:08"

Fig.3 - taken on 2020-12-03 16:45:20"



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-03-26 08:21:08"



Fig. 5 Infrared image of Waipahihi New Spring. Taken on 2020-03-17.

## 8.4 3068\_6: Waipahihi Source Spring

- Between 2008 to 2016, the temperature of this springs has a negative trend, before experiencing increasing temperature between 2016 and 2021.
- pH conditions vary but remain in near-neutral conditions.

Location: -38.702477, 176.10253

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
			(m)	(l/s)							
2019/01/14	5.5			<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wate	r temperatu	<i>re:</i> Ther	mocouple	e not worki	ng					
	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Over	flowing								
2019/04/29	6.0	57.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/07/26	7.0	62.4		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Calm				
2019/08/19	7.0	61.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Calm				
2019/11/07	6.0	66.2		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Calm				
Comments	Lots o	Lots of bees									
2019/12/12	6.0	58.9		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Nd				
Comments	Cutty	grass growi	ng in TR	bank. Lo	gger SO056	396 installed					
2020/02/25	6.0	65.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Calm				
Comments	Lots o	of vegetation	n around	pool no،	w. Many be	es on TR bank. Da	ata logger removed.				
2020/08/05	6.8	72.4			Clear	Grey	No ebullition				
2020/12/03	7.0	66.7	0	<4.0	Clear	Colourless	Low, constant				
Comments	Meta	l coil is obse	rved ins	ide the po	ool.						
2021/03/26	6.0	67.5	0		Clear	Colourless	Nd				

### Waipahihi Source Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-29 14:59:19"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-26 09:22:43"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 09:23:45



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-07 17:34:39



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-12-12 15:11:14"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-02-25 17:06:21"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-03 17:13:01"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 08:00:07"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Waipahihi Source Spring. Taken on 2021-03-25.

## 8.5 3068\_16: Taharepa Springs

- The temperature conditions at Taharepa Springs are relatively stable since 2006.
- pH conditions consistently measure between pH 5 and 7.
- Orange staining affecting the water and surrounding rocks was observed in 2020 and 2021. It is possible that the orange colour is caused by mineral leaching.

Location: -38.70023, 176.084303

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
			(m)	(I/s)								
2019/02/07	6.0	64.4		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing										
	Bath	Bathers: Has been dammed up in places										
2019/04/29	7.0	58.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing										
2019/07/26	6.0	67.8		<0.5	Cloudy	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Rock	s across ou	tflow									
2019/08/19	6.0	59.0		<0.5	Cloudy	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Rock	Rocks across outflow										
2019/11/07	6.0	63.4		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Som	e blockages	to outl	et								
2020/02/26	5.0	64.0		<0.05	Clear	Colourless	nd					
Comments	Sand	has infilled	l most o	of the poo	l area.							
2020/08/05	6.7	64.3		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition					
2020/12/10	7.0	61.5	0	<1.0	Clear	Orange	No ebullition					
Comments	Oran	ge staining	observ	ed in wate	er and surrou	nding rocks, non-algal. O	ily substance observed					
comments	at or	ne section o	f the sp	ring.								
2021/03/26	7.0	57.0	0		Clear	Orange in some areas	No ebullition					
Comments	Oran	ge staining	in som	e areas fro	om mineral/s	oil.						

### Taharepa Springs: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-15 17:31:59"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-29 14:35:56"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-26 08:25:59"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-11-07 18:05:25"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-26 08:41:08"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-02-26 08:43:18"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-04 08:29:00"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 07:14:03"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Taharepa Spring. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 8.6 3068\_17: Rocky Point Spring

- This feature has an average water temperature between 60 and 70 °C, however experiences fluctuations due to lake water incursions during high lake level.
- During high lake level, the spring is underwater and cannot be monitored.

Location: -38.701805, 176.085049

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/07	7.0	64.1		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd
Comments	Wate	er level: Ove	rflowing	g			
2019/04/29	6.0	63.0		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	nd
Comments	Wate	er level: Ove	rflowing	g			
2019/07/26	7.0	65.6		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd
2019/08/19	7.0	64.2		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd
2019/11/07		23.4			Clear	Colourless	Calm
Comments	Lake	level high, f	eature	flooded.			
2020/02/26	6.0	63.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd
2020/08/05	6.8	62.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition
2021/03/26	7.0	67.0	0	<1	Clear	Colourless	None, only small ripples on the surface

### Rocky Point Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-15 17:23:23"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-29 14:26:53"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-04-29 14:28:06"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-26 08:17:41"



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-07-26 08:18:07"



Fig.6 - taken on 2019-11-07 17:58:20"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-02-26 08:27:53"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 07:29:04"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Rocky Point Spring. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## **9 TE KOPIA**

## 9.1 3069\_1: Large pool and mud volcano

• Surface temperature of the mud at the main pool area decreased between 2011 and 2018, before increasing from 2018 to 2020.

Location: -38.401345, 176.215514

Date	pH Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/07	37.0		None	Milky	Blue - Light	Bubbles at far end
Comments	Water level	: Close	to top of	pool		
2020/02/25	45.0			Muddy	Grey - Light	Bubbling all over pool.
2021/02/26		4.0		Muddy	Brown Light	Constant at multiple points
2021/05/20		4.0	iviuuuy		BIOWII – Ligiit	at the pool

### Large pool and mud volcano: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 15:49:03"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-26 14:35:11"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Te Kopia mud pools. Taken on 2021-03-26.



Fig. 4 Infrared image of Te Kopia mud volcano. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 9.2 3069\_4: Mud pools west of Te Kopia Rd

• The mud temperature at this site significantly fluctuates between <20 and 100 °C, with evidence of mud eruptions observable at times such as in 2019.

Location:	-38.397907,	176.216724
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Date	pHTemp °C	Leve (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition					
2018/02/22	40.0	8.0	None	Muddy	Light brown mud	Bubbling mud, hissing steam					
Comments	Water le	vel: Be	low dov	wnhill side	e of vent						
2018/06/26	63.9	1.5	None	Muddy	Brown - Light	Constant discharge					
Comments	Water le	Water level: Below downhill side of vent									
2019/02/07	44.1	6.0	None	Murky	Brown - Light	Vigorous gas discharge on right, calm in main vent					
Comments	Recent e	ruptio	n evidei	nt on tree	s. Hole appears la	rger. Doom vent appears to have blown out					
	and is ve	and is very steamy.									
	Water le	Water level: Below downhill side of vent									

### Mud pools west of Te Kopia Rd: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1



## 9.3 3069\_43: TKF100

- This site is not regularly monitored and is an area of multiple geothermal cascades. Images of the sampling trip on 26 March 2021 are presented on Fig.1 Fig.3.
- There is a difference between the temperature and pH measurements taken in 2005 and 2021. However, as measurements were not collected at the water provenance, natural changes to temperature and pH may occur as the water was moving downstream.

Locatio	n: -38.392088	8, 176.214394						
Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (l/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
2005/09/30	7.5	60.3						
2021/03/26	5.0	47.3	n/a	>10.0	Clear	Cyan	N/a	
Comments	Measu	rements were ta	aken at the b	ottom of one o	of the cascades.	not at the wate	r source.	



Fig.1 - taken on 2021-03-26 15:39:30"

Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-26 15:42:20'

Fig.3 - taken on 2021-03-26 15:42:25"



Fig. 4 Infrared image of the TKF100 falls. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 9.4 3069\_45: Murphy's twin tomos, eastern vent (Doom)

• The temperature at this mud pool has significantly fluctuated since 2010, however measurements were collected using near infrared thermometry at a distance of >10 m, so the margin of error for temperature measurements may be significant.

Date	pH Temp	°C Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2017/01/19	20.2		None			Calm, no steam
Comments	Water le	e <i>vel:</i> dry				
2020/02/25	83.0	3.5		Muddy	Grey - Light	Constant vigorous discharge in main pool hissing on side vent
Comments	Mud is r	<sup>.</sup> unny. Sเ	ılphur de	positions c	on side of ver	nt. TK8 blown out, hissing. Orange moss on
	trees ab	ove poo	l. Some b	ranches ha	ave fallen int	o pool.
2021/03/26	82.0	1	N/a	Muddy	Brown	Constant ebullition, with large bubbles ~20 – 30 cm in diameter

Location: -38.397897, 176.216758

# Murphy's twin tomos, eastern vent (Doom): Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-26



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Doom vent. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## **10 WAIKITE**

### 10.1 3073\_106: Top Inlet Spring

- The water temperature of this feature has constantly remained between 80 and 100  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  between 2010 to 2016.
- pH conditions have ranged between pH 7 to 9.

Location: -38.326999, 176.303727

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition	
2016/02/03	9.0	89.7		None	Clear	Clear	Vigorous	
Comments	Wate	er level: Over	flowing					
2016/03/02	9.0	94.8		None	Clear	Clear	Vigorous	
Comments	Wate	er level: Over	flowing					
2016/05/10	8.2	94.2		None	Clear	Clear	Vigorous discharge	
Comments	Wate	er level: Over	flowing					





## 10.2 3073\_107: Hot Pools Supply Spring

- The overall temperature trend since 2005 is minor but visible temperature decrease over time and stays above 90 °C.
- pH conditions often fluctuate but remain within near-neutral conditions.

• Fresh geyserites form around the pool within the splash zone (Fig.8).

Location: -38.327257, 176.304471	

Date	рН	Temp °C Leve	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
		(m)	(I/s)							
2019/02/07	6.0	90.0	None	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous ebullition				
Comments	Wat	<i>er level:</i> Overflo	owing							
2019/04/29	7.0	93.4	None	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous				
Comments	Wat	er level: Overflo	owing							
	Ebul	<i>lition:</i> Vigorous	on right,	smaller s	pring in left					
2019/07/25	7.0	89.0	None	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous ebullition				
Comments	Cent	tre vent vigorou	ıs dischar	ge, consta	ant smaller disch	harge from vent on left				
2019/08/19	7.0	92.8	None	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous ebullition				
Comments	Cent	Centre vent vigorous discharge, constant smaller discharge from vent on left								
2019/12/05	7.0	90.5		Clear	Colourless	Vigorous discharge splashing up to				
						Vigorous chullition coroving over				
2020/02/10	6.0	93.8		Clear	Colourless	path				
2020/08/05	7.0	92.0	<1.0	Clear	Colourless	Vigorous				
Comments	Ebul	Ebullition: Constant boiling								
2020/11/13	8.1	93.3		Clear	Grey - Dark	High				
Comments	Geys	Geyserite deposition surrounding spring. Red minerals on right side, similar to As rich								
	minerals observed in other sites. Algae in splash zone, ~40 C area.									
	Ebul	Ebullition: Splashes 1 m outside of spring								
2021/02/26	7.0	01.1 0		Cloar	Colourloss	Erupting, with water column				
2021/03/26	7.0	94.4 0		Clear		reaching up to 0.3 m high				
Commonte	Red	Red algal communities growing in the splash zone within 2 m of pool margins. Now water								
comments	from	from an upper spring is channelled into this feature (from 3073_106).								

### Hot Pools Supply Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-29 12:07:39"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 16:03:08"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-12-05 16:35:17"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-10 15:56:15"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-05 10:49:54"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:26:26"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-03-26 16:28:08"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-26 16:28:26"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Hot Pools Supply Spring Taken on 2021-03-25

## 10.3 3073\_108: Pool adjacent to Supply Spring

• From 2010 to 2021, the water temperature of this feature has regularly varied between 60 and 90 °C. This is likely caused by relatively cooled waters from the outlet of Hot Pools Supply Spring (3073\_107) entering into and cooling this feature.

Location: -38.32703, 176.303568

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2019/02/07	6.0	82.5	<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant upwelling			
Comments	Are	a has beer	l cleared						
	Wa	ter level: C	Verflowing						
2019/04/29	7.0	81.8	None	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant upwelling			
2019/07/25	7.0	75.0	<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant upwelling			
2019/08/19	7.0	81.8	<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Constant upwelling			
2019/12/05	7.0	81.1	<0.5	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant bubbling in centre 10 mm high			
2020/02/10	7.0	83.3	<1.0	Clear	Blue - Light	Constant upwelling in centre			
2020/08/05	6.0	72.0		Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbles			
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Towards the middle of pool							
2020/11/13	6.0	84.9	>3.0	Clear	Blue - Grey	Moderate			
Comments	Clar	Clarity: No suspended materials							
	Ebu	Ebullition: Ebullition from deepest section non-effervescent							
2021/03/26	7.0	82.5	0 Nd	Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition at multiple points			
Comments	Not	Not flowing out as water from Supply Spring (3073 107) is now entering into this feature.							

### Pool adjacent to Supply Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-15 13:00:21"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-29 12:11:16"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 16:06:00'



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-25 16:07:33"



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-12-05 16:40:33"





Fig.7 - taken on 2020-02-10 16:01:36"



Fig.8 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:17:11"



Fig.9 - taken on 2021-03-26 16:33:32"



Fig.10 Infrared image of pool adjacent to Supply Spring. Taken on 2020-11-13.

## **10.4 3073\_32: WAF5586 Te Manaroa Pool**

- Besides short-term temperature decreases in 2013, 2016, and 2017, the general temperature trend at Te Manaroa Pool is consistent, remaining in near-boiling conditions.
- Average pH measurements have been decreasing since 2011, but measurements vary.

Location: -38.326956, 176.304926

Date	рН	Temp	Level Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
		°C	(m) (l/s)							
2019/02/07	6.0	96.5	<50.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Constant, boiling				
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing								
2019/04/29	7.0	88.0	<50.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Constant vigorous upwelling up to 0.5 m				
Comments	Wate	r level: C	Overflowing							
2019/07/25	7.0	96.8	<60.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Vigorous upwelling 0.5m high				
Comments	Lots o	of steam	by roadside. I	Manaroa	a very steamy.					
2019/08/19	7.0	92.0	<60.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Vigorous upwelling 0.5m high				
Comments	Lots o	Lots of steam by roadside. Manaroa very steamy.								
2020/02/10	6.0	98.0	<50.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Vigorous boiling in centre 0.5m high				
2020/08/05	7.8	98.1	>5.0	Clear	Blue - Dark	Vigorous bubbling				
Comments	Very	Very steamy, couldn't see much								
	Ebulli	Ebullition: In middle of pool								
2020/11/13	6.0	98.0	0	Clear	Grey	Very high ebullience, also effervescent				
Commonte	Erupt	Eruption Description: Constant eruption up to ~0.6 m high								
comments	Alway	ys boilinį	g and erupting	g Nodula	r travertine is	brown, interpreted to not be fresh				
2021/03/26	7.0	93.2	0	Clear	Colourless	Constant eruptive ebullition				
Comments	Bigge	Bigger radius of rupturing centre than usual								

### WAF5586 Te Manaroa Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-29 12:23:12"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 16:21:43"



Fig.3 - taken on 2020-02-10 16:11:27"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-08-05 11:02:48"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:41:34"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:42:00"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:42:06"

Fig.8 - taken on 2020-11-13 11:45:51"

Fig.9 - taken on 2021-03-26 16:56:49"



Fig.10 Infrared image of Te Manaroa Pool. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## 10.5 3073\_109: Scalding Spring

- The water temperature at Scalding Springs regularly varies between 70 and 100 °C. A major temperature decrease occurred in October 2016, with the temperature falling to <30 °C, however this change was ephemeral.
- pH measurements range between pH 6 to 9.

Location: -38.316698, 176.314705

Date	рΗ	Temp °	C Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
			(m)	(I/s)						
2019/02/07	6.5	97.4		<0.5	Cloudy	Blue - Light	Constant, boiling			
Comments	Has	been us	sed to co	ok mea	at. Oily, fa	tty substance o	on surface. Bits of plastic floating on			
	surf	ace. Sm	ells like	meat. C	larity is cl	oudy				
	Wat	ter level.	: Overflo	wing						
2019/04/29	8.0	74.0		<0.5	Murky	Blue - Light	Constant bubbling at outlet			
Comments	Wat	ter level.	: Overflo	wing						
	Clar	<i>ity:</i> Still	a bit mu	ırky						
2019/07/25	7.0	94.6		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling at outlet			
2019/08/19	7.0	83.0		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling at outlet			
2019/12/05	7.0	92.2		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbles at outlet 30mm high			
2020/02/10	7.0	87.2		<0.5	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling at outlet			
2020/08/05	7.0	94.4		<1.0	Clear	Blue	Constant bubbling			
Comments	Ebu	Ebullition: Towards outlet/inlet								
2020/11/13	7.6	95.4	0.05		Clear	Blue - Grey	Moderate			
Comments	Wat	Water level: Measurement below spring level up to 0.1 m								
	Clar	Clarity: No suspended materials								
	Ebu	Ebullition: Intermittent pulses of high ebullition								
	Area	Area of feature: Estimated by sight								
2021/04/30	7.0	94.3	0	>5.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant ebullition			
Comments	Con	Constant ebullition near outlet, which is the hottest part of the pool.								

### Scalding Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-15 12:04:33"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-29 11:37:40"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 15:19:52'



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-12-05 16:04:15"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-10 15:15:14"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-08-05 10:13:24"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-04-30 16:31:39"



Fig.8 Infrared image of Scalding Spring. Taken on 2021-04-30.

## 10.6 3073\_110: Waikite Scarp and Spring

- Significant short-term temperature increases occurred in 2013 and 2014, reaching nearboiling temperatures.
- pH measurements for this site range between pH 7 to 9.
- There is prominent sinter precipitation and silicification of organic debris at this feature (Fig.7).

Location: -38.32045, 176.312635

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2019/02/07	7.0	74.4	(111)	<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Could	n't access sp	ring due	to blackbe	erry						
	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/04/29	9.0	67.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing								
2019/07/25	8.0			<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
2019/08/19	8.0	68.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
2019/12/05	8.0	74.3		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	Nd				
2020/02/10	8.0	75.5		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd				
2020/08/05	9.3	65.7		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition				
2020/11/13	7.0	76.3		<1.0	Clear	Colourless	No ebullition				
Comments	Full of	Full of silica deposition									
2021/04/30	8.0	79.1			Clear	Colourless	Nd				
	Micro	bial mats on	stream r	nargins an	d on vegetat	tion. Animal rema	ins observed in stream				
Comments	(frog,	cricket and b	oird). Plar	nts fall into	o stream and	do not get direct	ly calcified/silicified, but				
	becomes opaque and lose organic matters.										

### Waikite Scarp and Spring: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-29 11:10:29"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-29 11:16:46"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-04-29 11:19:29"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-25 14:54:31"



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-07-25 15:02:55"



Fig.6 - taken on 2019-12-05 15:28:51"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-08-05 09:41:21"



Fig.8 Infrared image of Waikite Scarp feature. Taken on 2020-08-05.

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## 11.1 3074\_124: Kerosene Creek

- The water temperature at Kerosene Creek fluctuates seasonally, with slightly lower temperatures observed during winter, which reflect mixing with meteoric waters in periods of higher precipitation.
- pH conditions are regularly at pH 3 4.

Location: -38.335113, 176.386481

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
2019/02/08	4.0		(,	<170.0	Murky	Brown	nd				
Comments	Wate	Water temperature: nd									
	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/04/30	4.0	32.7		<190.0	Murky	Brown	nd				
Comments	Foam	ny scum on t	rue right	bank of strea	am						
	Wate	er level: Ove	rflowing								
2019/07/25	4.0	33.1	0.4	<200.0	Murky	Brown	nd				
Comments	Trees	s fallen acro	ss stream	upstream ar	nd downstrea	am. More flow on <sup>-</sup>	TR bank				
	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/08/19	4.0	32.0	0.4	<200.0	Murky	Brown	nd				
Comments	Trees	Trees fallen across stream upstream and downstream. More flow on TR bank									
	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2019/12/05	4.0	37.2		<180.0	Murky	Brown	Nd				
2020/02/10	4.0	39.0	0.52	<160.0	Murky	Brown - Light	nd				
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing									
2020/08/04	4.0	34.2		>10.0	Murky	Green - Dark	No bubbles				
2020/12/03	4.0	37.4	0	>10.0	Turbid	Brown	N/a				
Comments	Foam	n observed a	s clusters	s on water su	rface.						
2021/03/25	4.0	38.7	0	>10.0	Clear	Brown – Light	N/a				

### Kerosene Creek: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 09:16:40"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 14:06:51"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-12-05 10:26:17"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-10 09:39:59"



Fig.5 - taken on 2021-03-25 09:34:18"



Fig. 1 Infrared image of Kerosene Creek sampling point. Taken on 2021-03-25.
### 11.2 3074\_292: Kerosene Creek Large Pool

• This feature is often visited by bathers. In late 2020 and 2021, multiple branches have fallen into the pool.

Location: -38.335577, 176.386308

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/08							
2019/04/30				None			
2019/07/25				None			
Comments	Bathe	<i>rs:</i> 4 observer	S				
2019/08/19				None			
Comments	Bathe	rs: 4 observer	s				
2019/12/05							
2020/02/10							
2020/08/04							
2021/03/25	4.0	37.3	0		Clear	Brown – Light	N/a



Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 09:21:23"

Fig.2 - taken on 2020-02-10 09:46:24"

Fig.3 - taken on 2021-03-25 09:49:51"



Fig. 4 Infrared image of Kerosene Creek Large Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### **11.3 3074\_174: WTF1049 The Hidden Pool**

- Water temperature measurements at this pool consistently remain between 30 and 50 °C.
- pH conditions are typically between pH 2 and 3, indicating the water has travelled from its provenance. The only exception is a sample measuring pH 6 in 2012.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/08	3.0	39.3		<25.0	Murky	Grey - Dark	nd
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing				
2019/04/30	3.0	37.0		<30.0	Murky	Brown	nd
Comments	Wate	<i>r level:</i> Overf	lowing				
2019/07/25	3.0	37.0		<30.0	Murky	Brown - Dark	nd
2019/08/19	3.0	37.7		<30.0	Murky	Brown - Dark	nd
2019/12/05	3.0	40.4		<30.0	Murky	Brown	nd
2020/02/10	3.0	39.5		<40.0	Cloudy	Grey - Dark	nd

Location: -38.34984, 176.372193

#### WTF1049 The Hidden Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-19 11:12:18"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-30 11:13:21"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 11:16:41"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-12-05 11:54:41"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-10 11:22:47"

### 11.4 3074\_177: WTF1052 Lady Knox Geyser

- Freshly erupted waters from Lady Knox Geyser have near-boiling temperatures. Lower temperatures were measured when sampling was not undertaken on freshly erupted fluids.
- The sinter vent is much colder than the liquid and gas discharged by the geyser.

Location: -38.350748, 176.37696

Date	pH Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/08	60.0	(111)	(1/3)	Clear	Colourless	Erupting
Comments	Ebullition:	Erupte	ed up to 2	10 meter	rs. Still erupting	g when we left after 40 minutes
2019/04/30	97.6		None	Clear	Colourless	Erupted
2019/07/25			None			Audible bubbling. No longer geysering.
2019/08/19	96.4		None			Audible bubbling. No longer geysering.
Comments	Water tem	peratı	<i>ire:</i> In th	e vent		
2019/12/05						Audible bubbling
2020/02/10						Erupted up to 4 m for 30 seconds.
2021/03/25						Only audible
COmments	Constant a	udible	rumblin	g from w	ithin the vent,	with constant steam discharge.

#### WTF1052 Lady Knox Geyser: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1











Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-30 10:40:27"

Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 10:50:34'



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-10 10:36:11"



Fig. 5 Infrared image of Lady Knox Geyser. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 11.5 3074\_178: WTF1053 Knox hole spring and channel

- The overall temperature trend as Knox Hole Spring is decreasing over time, although there are major fluctuations (40 60 °C temperature change) occurring.
- pH conditions remain relatively stable since 2010.

Location: -38.350748, 176.37696

Date	рН	Temp	°C Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2019/02/08	3.0	73.5	0.3	None	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
Comments	Wat	ter leve	<i>l:</i> Below	ground level					
2019/04/30	3.0	80.1	0.4	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
2019/07/25	3.0	65.0	0.2	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
2019/08/19	3.0	67.7	0.2	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
2019/12/05	3.0	64.0	0.35		Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling 10mm high		
2020/02/10	2.6	60.9	0.3		Clear	Colourless	Slightly Effervescent		
2021/03/25	3.0	78.9	0.5	Very weak flow	Clear	Colourless	Constant moderate ebullition		
Comments	Disc	Discharge downstream is very sulphurous.							

# WTF1053 Knox hole spring and channel: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1 $\,$





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 10:54:14"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 11:00:20"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-12-05 11:25:00"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-10 10:43:01"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-10 10:43:08"



Fig.6 - taken on 2021-03-25 10:37:24"



Fig. 2 Infrared image of Knox Hole spring. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 11.6 3074\_184: WTF1059 Weather Pool

- Water temperature conditions at Weather Pool decreased significantly in 2013 and 2019. The average temperature range is between 40 60 °C.
- This feature cannot be visited and sampled directly due to its location.
- Based on infrared imagery (Figure 8), the pool closest to Weather Pool is observed to have a greater temperature condition than Weather Pool.

Date	pH Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
		(m)	(I/s)					
2019/02/08	64.0		None	Cloudy	Blue - Light	Occasional	bubbles	
Comments	Water	r temperature		<i>e:</i> Temp	taken	from	board	walk
	Water level	: Overf	lowing					
2019/04/30			None	Cloudy	Green - Light	Calm		
Comments	Water level	: Overf	lowing					
2019/07/26	56.0		<0.05	Cloudy	Green - Blue	Calm		
2019/08/19			<0.05	Cloudy	Green - Blue	Calm		
2019/12/05	27.0		<0.5	Cloudy	Blue - Light	Small bubb	les around edges	
Comments	Clarity: Slig	htly clo	udy					
2020/02/10	62.3		<0.5	Cloudy	Green - Light	Occasional	bubbles	
2020/08/04	53.0			Cloudy	Blue - Grey	Random bu	bbles	
Comments	Ebullition: I	n the m	niddle of <sub>l</sub>	pool				
2021/12/10	57.2	0.5		Milky	Blue – Grey	Nd		
Comments	Feature wa	s very o	alm.					
2021/03/25	50.3				Blue – Grey	Nd		

Location: -38.356614, 176.36816

#### WTF1059 Weather Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-19 11:37:21"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-30 11:44:51"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 11:49:49"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-12-05 12:41:55'



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-10 12:05:59"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-03 11:55:08'



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-03-25 11:04:15'



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Weather Pool. Taken on 2020-12-03.

#### 11.7 3074\_185: WTF1060 Devil's Bath

• Water temperature at Devil's Bath undergoes significant fluctuations, however these measurements were taken using infrared thermometry at a distance of ~10 m, so are not highly accurate.

Location: -38.357366, 176.367382

Date	pH Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
		(m)	(I/S)			
2019/02/08	24.8		None	Milky	Green - Lime	Calm
Comments	Water level: A	Above high	n watermar	'k		
2019/04/30			None	Murky	Green - Lime	Calm
Comments	Water level is	s higher th	an usual			
	Water level: A	Above high	n water ma	rk		
2019/07/25	17.0	1.0	None	Clear	Green - Lime	Calm
Comments	Yellow precip	itate abov	e water lin	e. Water leve	was 2m higher.	
	<i>Clarity:</i> Visibi	lity 0.5m.	Clearer tha	n usual.		
2019/08/19		1.0	None	Clear	Green - Lime	Calm
Comments	Yellow precip	itate abov	e water lin	e. Water leve	was 2m higher.	
	<i>Clarity:</i> Visibi	lity 0.5m.	Clearer tha	n usual.		
2019/12/05	25.3	0.2		Murky	Green - Lime	Calm
2020/02/10	30.2			Cloudy	Green - Lime	Calm
2020/08/04	17.0	5.0		Cloudy	Green - Lime	No bubbles
2020/12/03	27.1	-1.5		Murky	Green – Lime	Nd
2021/03/25	19.7	0		Milky	Green – Lime	Nd

#### WTF1060 Devil's Bath: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-12-03 13:26:00"



Fig.2 - taken on 2020-12-03 13:26:00"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Devil's Bath. Taken on 2020-12-03.

### 11.8 3074\_191: WTF1066 NW Boardwalk geyser

## • No temperature and pH measurements were taken at this feature.

Location: -38.358854, 176.369808

Date	pH Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour Ebu	
2015/07/17		(m)	(1/5)	Cloudy	Green	
2013/07/17				Cloudy	Oleen	
2015/10/29				Clear	Green	
2016/02/03				Cloudy	blue/green	Calm
2016/05/10				Clear	Green	nd
Comments	Yellow preci	pitate				
	<i>pH:</i> nd					
	Water level:	nd				
2016/07/26				Cloudy	Pale green	Calm
2016/10/27			None	Clear	Pale green	Calm
Comments	Water level:	Overfl	owing			
2017/01/26			None	Cloudy	Green	Calm
Comments	Water level:	Not ov	erflowing			
2017/08/03			None	Cloudy	One bluepool, one green pool	Calm
Comments	Water level:	Full				
2017/10/31			None	Clear	Clear	Calm
Comments	Water level:	Overfl	owing			

### **11.9 3074\_192: WTF1067 Sinter Terraces-Foreground Pool**

- The average temperature conditions at this pool fluctuates between 40 and 70 °C.
- Two prominent black streaks were observed SE of the pool from late 2020 (Fig.5 7), but their nature and provenance are unknown.

Location: -38.358495, 176.369471

Date	pHTemp °C Leve (m)	l Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/02/08	67.9	None	Murky	Green - Light	Constant bubbles
Comments	Water level: To	p of pool			
2019/04/30	63.0	None	Cloudy	Green	Constant bubbles
Comments	Water level: Ov	erflowing			
2019/07/25		<0.05	Clear	Yellow - Green	Constant bubbling
Comments	Very steamy				
2019/08/19	61.0	<0.05	Clear	Yellow - Green	Constant bubbling
Comments	Very steamy				
2019/12/05	70.4		Murky	Green - Light	Constant bubbling 10mm high
Comments	Colour and clar	ity have change	d.		
2020/02/10	68.7		Murky	Green	Constant bubbling in centre
2020/08/04	55.0		Cloudy	Green - Blue	No bubbles
2020/12/03		Not flowing	Milky	Green – Yellow	Low ebullition
Comments	Clarity: 0.5 m				
comments	2 black elongate	e zones observe	ed 7 – 8 m	away from pool, p	ossibly chemical fronts or algae.

## WTF1067 Sinter Terraces-Foreground Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 11:59:45"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:00:53"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-12-05 12:55:38"



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-02-10 12:19:36"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-08-04 12:56:27"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-03 12:14:28"



Fig.7 - taken on 2020-12-03 12:14:38"



Fig. 8 Infrared image of Foreground Pool. Taken on 2020-12-03.

#### 11.10 3074\_194: WTF1069 Jean Batten Geyser

• The geyser had anomalous temperature fluctuations between 2011 to 2017, but is now inactive.

Date	pH Temp °C	Level	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition						
2016/02/03		(111)	None	nd	nd	Steam, no audible discharge						
2016/05/10	30.0											
Comments	New hole h	as open	ed up bes	ide the b	oardwalk,	it is too dangerous to get close to the geyser,						
	gas alarm g	oing off										
	Water temp	Water temperature: Temperature taken from boardwalk										
2016/07/26		None Calm										
Comments	Boardwalk I	nas bee	n moved,	can't acce	ess the gey	vser						
	Water level.	: No vis	ble water	-								
2016/10/27		0.1	None	Clear	Clear	nd						
Comments	Water temp	erature	: Can't ge	et close to	geyser to	put thermocouple in						
	Water level	: Below	ground le	evel								
2017/01/26	20.0		None			No steam						
Comments	Geyser appe	ears ina	ctive - dry	/ and no s	team							
	Water temp	perature	: No visib	le water a	and appea	rs inactive						
	Water level	: Dry, no	o visible w	vater								
2017/08/03	25.6											
Comments	Can't get clo	ose eno	ugh to Ge	eyser to sa	imple or g	et temp reading. Temp taken with IR from						
	about 10m	away.										
	Water temp	perature	: Taken fi	rom 10m a	away							
	Water level	: No vis	ble water	-								
2020/12/03	24	0		Clear	Blue – C	Grey Nd						
Comments	Area surrou	nding f	eature ve	ry dry.								
2021/03/25	27.1		None	nd	nd	nd						
Comments	Could not g	et close	to geyse	r as the gr	ound appe	eared active and unstable.						
	Water level.	: Below	surface									

#### Location: -38.359252, 176.369758

#### WTF1069 Jean Batten Geyser: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-12-03 12:27:32"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 11:24:12"



Fig. 3 Infrared image of Jean Batten Geyser and pool next to it. Taken on 2021-03-25.

### 11.11 3074\_199: WTF1075 Oyster Pool

- Water temperature conditions at Oyster Pool average between 50 and 70 °C.
- pH conditions average at pH 5, with the greatest change occurring in 2011, when pH conditions decreased from pH 6 to 2.

Location: -38.361701, 176.369506

Date	рΗ	Temp °C	CLevel	Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
			(m)	(I/s)			
2019/02/08	5.0	56.3		None	Cloudy	Green - Light	Constant from centre and edge
Comments	Wa	ter level:	Top of	f pool			
2019/04/30	5.0	60.5		None	Cloudy	Green - Light	Constant bubbling in centre
Comments	Wa	ter level:	Overfl	owing			
2019/07/25	5.0	59.0		<0.05	Cloudy	Green - Light	Constant bubbling
2019/08/19	5.0	62.9		<0.05	Cloudy	Green - Light	Constant bubbling
2019/12/05	6.0	58.9		<0.05	Cloudy	Green - Light	Constant bubbling in centre 10mm high
2020/02/10	5.0	62.1		<0.05	Milky	Green - Light	Constant bubbling in centre
2020/08/04	5.4	61.2			Cloudy	Green - Blue	Constant bubbling
Comments	Ebu	<i>llition:</i> In	the m	iddle of	<sup>f</sup> pool		
2020/12/03		48.0	01		Milky	Grey – Light	Moderate ebullition from multiple
2020/12/03		40.0	0.1		IVIIIKY	Grey Eight	centres; no effervescence
Comments	Sur	rounding	area i	s relativ	ely dry		
2021/03/25	5.0	64.2	0	Nd	Milky	Blue – Grey	Constant ebullition

#### WTF1075 Oyster Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1













Fig.4 - taken on 2019-12-05 13:39:04"



Fig.5 - taken on 2020-02-10 13:10:14"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:44:21"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-12-03 12:52:57"



Fig.7 - taken on 2021-03-25 11:49:40"



Fig.8 - taken on 2021-03-25 11:49:59"



Fig. 9 Infrared image of Oyster Pool. Taken on 2021-03-25

### 11.12 3074\_195: Waiotapu Geyser

- Waiotapu Geyser had lower average temperatures and fluctuated more since 2011, before experiencing a major temperature decrease in 2019.
- pH measurements of this feature is positively correlated to temperature measurements, with pH decreasing when temperature decreases.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2019/02/08	7.0	76.0	0.1	None	Clear	Colourless	Calm		
Comments	Wate	er level: Bel	ow outflo	w					
2019/04/30	5.0	82.3	0.2	None	Clear	Colourless	Calm		
Comments	Oily	Oily slick on surface							
2019/07/25	5.0	77.0	0.35	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Calm and steaming		
2019/08/19	6.5	34.2	0.35	0.0	Clear	Colourless	Calm and steaming		

Location: -38.361322, 176.369202

#### Waiotapu Geyser: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-19 12:08:36"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-30 12:20:16"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:17:58'



Fig.4 - taken on 2020-12-03 12:59:46"



Fig.5 - taken on 2021-03-25 11:34:27"



Fig. 6 Infrared image of Waiotapu Geyser. Taken on 2020-12-03.

### 11.13 3074\_294: Waiotapu Geyser outlet 1

- Temperature at this outlet point increased between March to July 2019.
- Insufficient temperature and pH data for long-term trend observations.

Location: -38.361296, 176.369166

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2019/02/08	3.0	37.0		None	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
Comments	Wate	er level: Ove	rflowing						
2019/04/30	3.0	45.0		None	Clear	Colourless	Bubbling		
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing							
2019/07/25	3.0	51.0		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Yello	Yellow precipitate. Inflow from stream.							
2019/08/19	3.0	53.2		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Yello	w precipitat	e. Inflov	rom str	eam.				



Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 12:25:09"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:25:28"

### 11.14 3074\_295: Waiotapu Geyser outlet 2

- There was a temperature decrease between February and April 2019. Temperature has since then remained in the lower measurement range.
- Insufficient temperature and pH data for long-term trend observations.

Location: -38.361334, 176.369111

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2019/02/08	3.0	46.4		None	Clear	Colourless	Constant bubbling		
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing							
2019/04/30	3.0	36.0		None	Clear	Colourless	bubbling		
Comments	Wate	Water level: Overflowing							
2019/07/25	3.0	39.4		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Yellov	Yellow precipitate. Gas monitor went off multiple times.							
2019/08/19	3.0	38.2		<0.5	Clear	Colourless	nd		
Comments	Yello	Yellow precipitate. Gas monitor went off multiple times.							



Fig.1 - taken on 2019-04-30 12:31:08"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:31:42'

#### 11.15 3074\_286: WTF3064 Champagne Pool Sampling Pt 3

- The water temperature measurements at this Champagne Pool sampling site remained relatively stable since 2006, without any major changes or fluctuations.
- pH measurements are not continuous, but show measurements between pH 5 to 6.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition			
2019/07/25	5.0	75.1		<0.5	Murky	Green	Effervescent			
Comments	Clari	Clarity is murkier than usual								
2019/08/19	5.0	69.0		<0.5	Murky	Green	Effervescent			
Comments	Clari	Clarity is murkier than usual								
2019/12/05	6.0	74.3		<0.5	Murky	Green - Dark	Effervescent			
2020/08/04	5.9	76.0			Clear	Green - Dark	Fizzing			
Comments	Ebul	Ebullition: Around the edges								
2020/12/03	6.0	64.0	0.5		Clear	Green-Blue	Low ebullition, effervescent			
Commonto	Clari	<i>ty</i> : 4 m								
Comments	Temperature only measured using infrared.									
2021/03/25	6.0	78.5	0		Clear	Colourless	Constant low ebullition, effervescent			

Location: -38.359253, 176.369403

# WTF3064 Champagne Pool Sampling Pt 3: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2019-07-25

Fig.2 - taken on 2019-12-05

Fig.3 - taken on 2020-08-04



Fig. 4 Infrared image of Champagne Pool margins. Taken on 2021-03-25

#### 11.16 3074\_291: WTF4064 Champagne Pool Sampling Pt 4

- Different sampling point to the same feature (Champagne Pool) as 3074\_286. Point further west, closer to outflow.
- Temperature at this point is more fluctuating than at sampling point 3 (previous entry), but higher temperature readings are similar. Very low measurement in August 2020 could be anomalous, as measurements from sampling point 3 show regular water temperatures.
- As this sampling point is further away from the major upwelling area, it is possible that the measurements taken here are more influenced by subaerial processes, and therefore is less representative of the deep reservoir conditions.

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2019/04/30	6.0	74.0		None	Clear	Green - Dark	Effervescent
Comments	Wate	er level: Over	flowing				
2020/02/10	6.0	65.0		<1.0	Murky	Green	Effervescent
2020/08/04		16.7		<1.0	Clear	Green - Blue	No ebullition

Location: -38.359318, 176.36872





#### 11.17 3074\_212: WTF1088 Lake Ngakoro

- Water temperature conditions at Lake Ngakoro experienced an increasing trend between 2010 to 2013, before experiencing significant fluctuations to today.
- pH conditions remain relatively acidic, between pH 2 and 3.

Location: -38.363109, 176.36877

Date	pH Temp °C	Level Flow	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition				
		(m) (l/s)							
2019/02/08	25.0		Cloudy	Green - Murky	Effervescent just out from edges				
Comments	Water tem	<i>perature:</i> By o	utflow						
2019/04/30		None	Cloudy	Green	nd				
2019/07/25	19.0	None	Murky	Blue - Light	Calm				
Comments	Small islan	d that was for	ning has d	isappeared.					
	Water tem	Water temperature: Temp 26 by waterfall							
2019/08/19		None	Murky	Blue - Light	Calm				
Comments	Small islan	d that was for	ning has d	isappeared.					
2019/12/05	24.6		Murky	Green	Calm				
Comments	Small Islan	Small Island has reappeared							
	Water tem	Water temperature: 34 near outlet							
2020/02/10	18.7		Murky	Green	Effervescent around edges				
Comments	Water leve	Water level is low, island visible.							
2020/08/04	13.0		Cloudy	Green	Constant bubbles				
Comments	Ebullition: Around the edge								

#### WTF1088 Lake Ngakoro: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2021/5/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-19 12:35:18"



Fig.2 - taken on 2019-04-30 12:47:21"



Fig.3 - taken on 2019-04-30 12:47:26"



Fig.4 - taken on 2019-07-25 12:57:03



Fig.5 - taken on 2019-12-05 14:05:01"



Fig.6 - taken on 2020-02-10 12:59:39"

### 11.18 3074\_172: WTF1047 Venus Bath Spring

• There are not enough temperature and pH measurements to observe long term trends. Location: -38.349378, 176.37041

Date	рН	Temp °C	Level (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition
2005/02/18	3.3	54.4		<0.5	Clear, visibility <2m	Clear	Calm
Comments	No cł	nanges. Fawr	n-grey se	diments.			
2005/05/05	3.4	52.7		<0.3	Clear, visibility >2m	Green	Calm
Comments	No a	oparent char	iges.				

### 11.19 3074\_281: Waiotapu Loop Rd Pools

• This site is regularly visited, but no measurements are taken. Only number of bathers are recorded for this site.

Location: -38.35606, 176.364233



Fig.1 - taken on 2018-10-19 13:20:37"



Fig.2 - taken on 2018-10-19 13:20:43'



Fig.3 - taken on 2021-03-25 12:34:54"



Fig.4 - taken on 2021-03-25 12:34:59"



Fig.5 Infrared image of Loop Rd Pools. Taken on 2021-03-26.

## **12 WHANGAIROROHEA**

### 12.1 3076\_1: Tahunaatapu Pool

- The water temperature at Tahunaatapu Pool increased between 2005 and 2013, before significantly decreasing between 2013 to 2014, and has remained lower ever since.
- The pH measurements range between pH 5 and 9. Initial measurements from 2005 2014 show pH fluctuating between 7 and 9, but decreased to pH 5 in 2018, before reaching pH 8 in 2021.

Date	рН	Temp °	CLevel (m)	Flow (I/s)	Clarity	Colour	Ebullition		
2015/01/28	7.0	39.8	0.8	None	Clear	Blue green	Occasional upwelling		
Comments	Ora	nge alga	al mats a	around e	dges				
	Wa	ter level	: Below	top of je	tty				
2017/01/20	6.0	35.1	0.5	None	Clear	Blue/green	Upwelling in centre		
Comments	Wa	ter level	: Below	top of je	tty				
2018/06/27	5.0	33.8	0.45	None	Clear	Colourless	Occasional bubbles in centre.		
Comments	Wa	Water level: From top of jetty							
2019/02/07	7.0	35.0	0.41	None	Clear	Green - Blue	Occasional bubbles		
Comments	Lots	Lots of orange algal mats on left of pool							
	Wa	<i>Water level:</i> From top of jetty							
2020/02/25	7.0	37.8	0.39		Clear	Green - Blue	Constant bubbles in centre.		
Comments	Lots	Lots of orange algae floating on left side of pool.							
2021/03/25	7.9	33.8			Clear	Colourless	Low but persistent in the centre of pool		
Comments	Alga	Algal communities floating on surface							

Location: -38.335113, 176.386481

#### Tahunaatapu Pool: Temperature and pH for 2005/1/1 - 2022/1/1





Fig.1 - taken on 2020-02-25 14:07:21"



Fig.2 - taken on 2021-03-25 14:56:34"