

## Natural Gas STAR Annual Report - Gathering and Processing Segment

FORM VERSION: REPORTING SEASON 2021 (for activities completed in 2020)

RS2021GATHERv1

<b>Partner Name</b>	
<b>Reporting Year</b>	2020

Use the Table of Contents below to navigate to the different tabs of the form. You can use column B to indicate if you reported data on a specific tab.

Gathering & Processing Emission Sources	Data Reported	Information
<a href="#">Dehydrator Vents</a>	No	Install flash tank separators on glycol dehydrator vents
<a href="#">Equipment Leaks</a>	No	Directed inspection and maintenance at gas plants and booster stations
<a href="#">Pneumatic Controllers - Gathering &amp; B</a>	No	Convert high-bleed controllers to low-bleed; convert high-bleed or low-bleed controllers to zero-emitting controllers; remove controllers from service with no replacement.
<a href="#">Pneumatic Controllers - Processing</a>	No	
<a href="#">Additional Gathering and Processing A</a>	No	Use this tab to report all other methane reductions in the Gathering and Processing segment. You will be able to select the technology/practice used from the list of Natural Gas STAR Partner Reported Opportunities. If the activity you are reporting is not included in the list, please contact EPA at GasSTAR@epa.gov

Update Partner Information (If applicable)

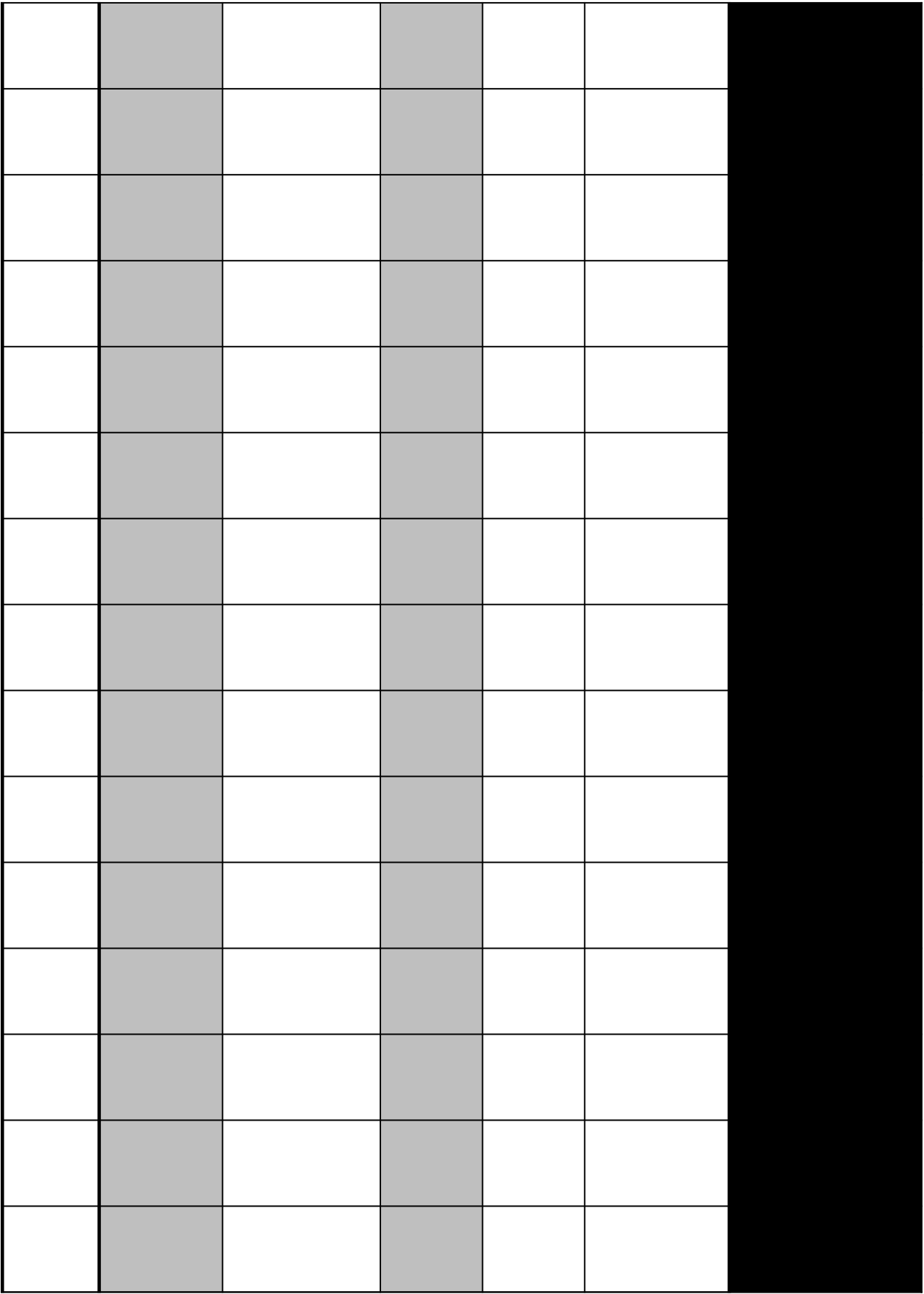
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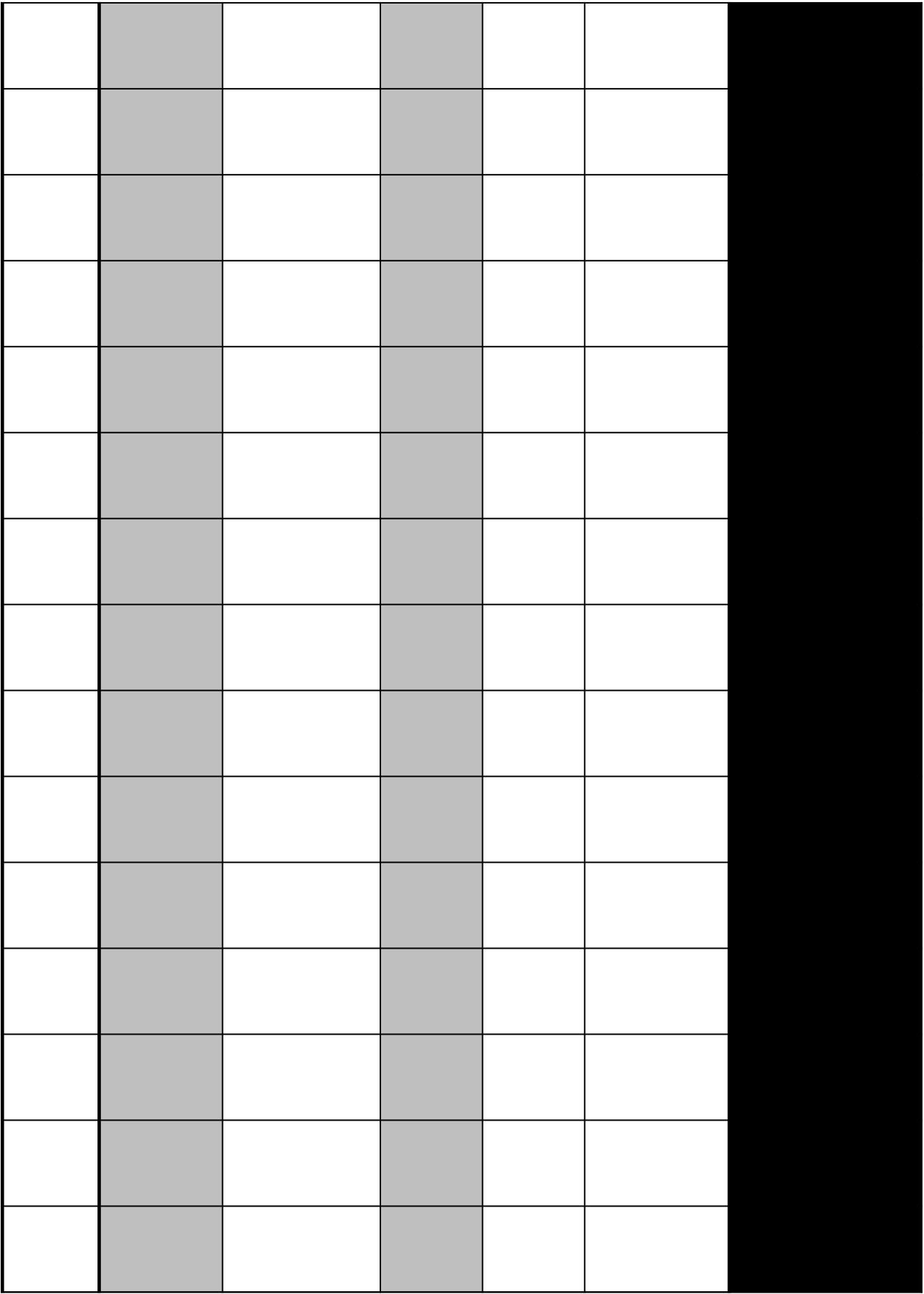
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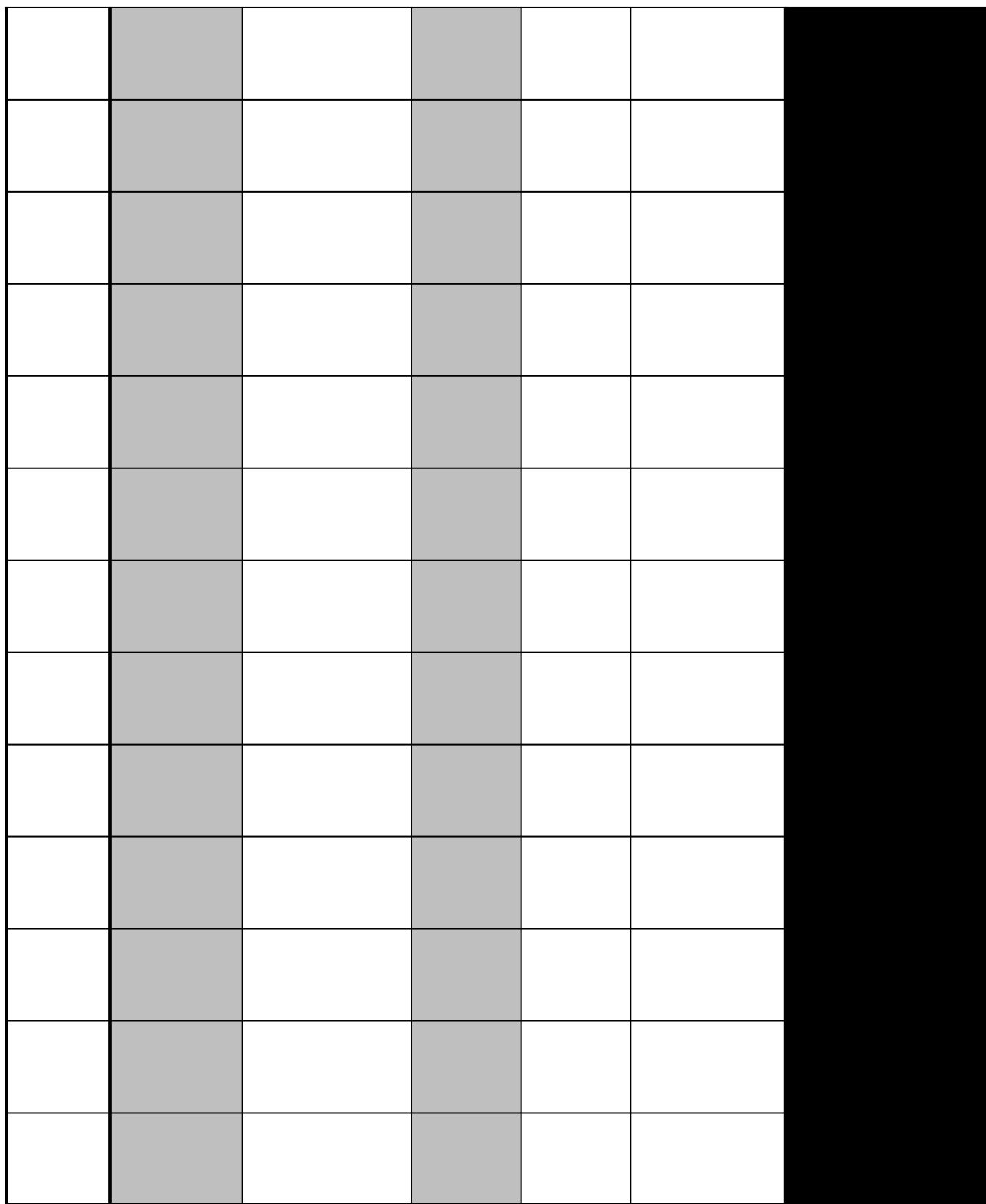




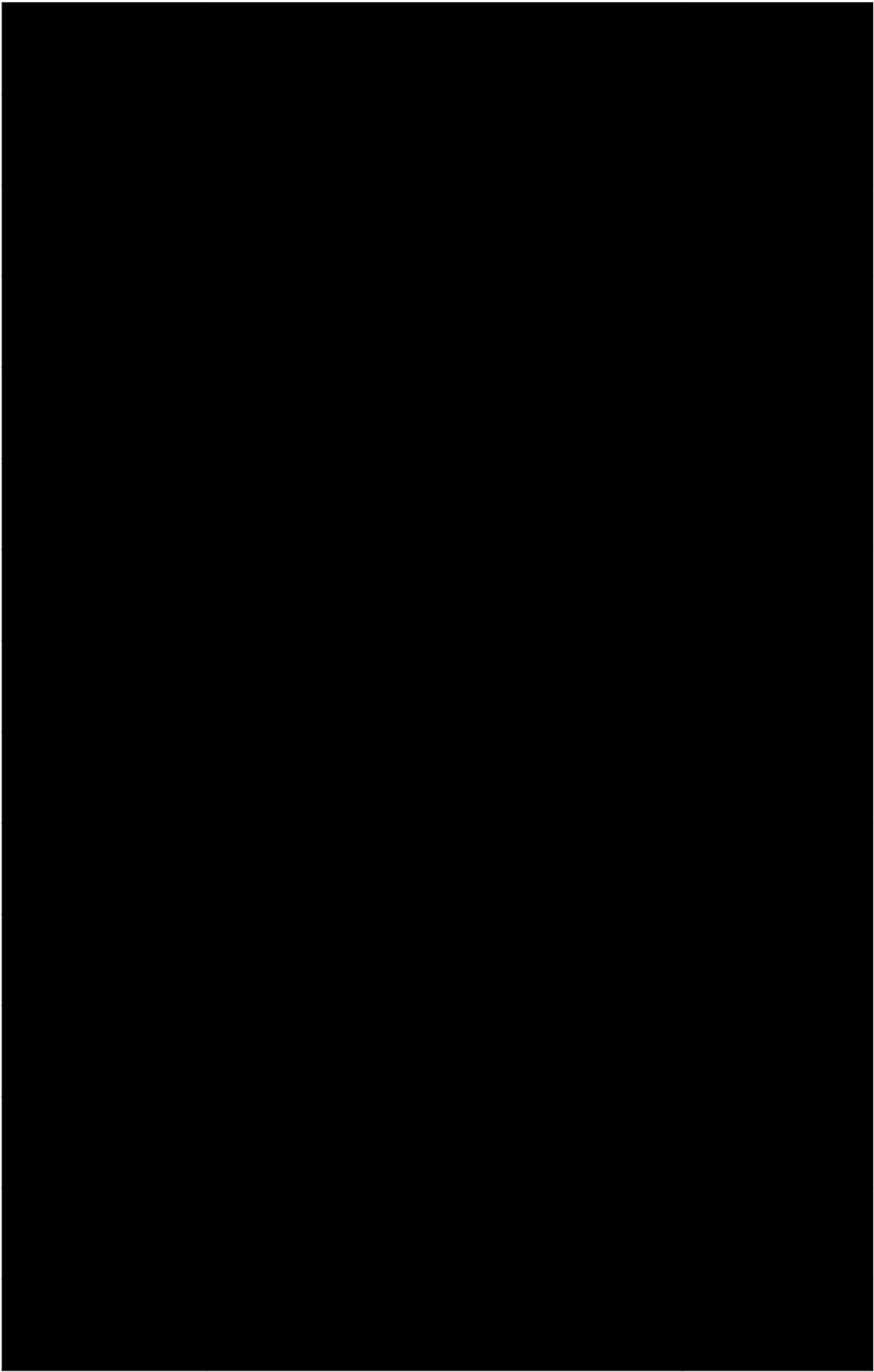


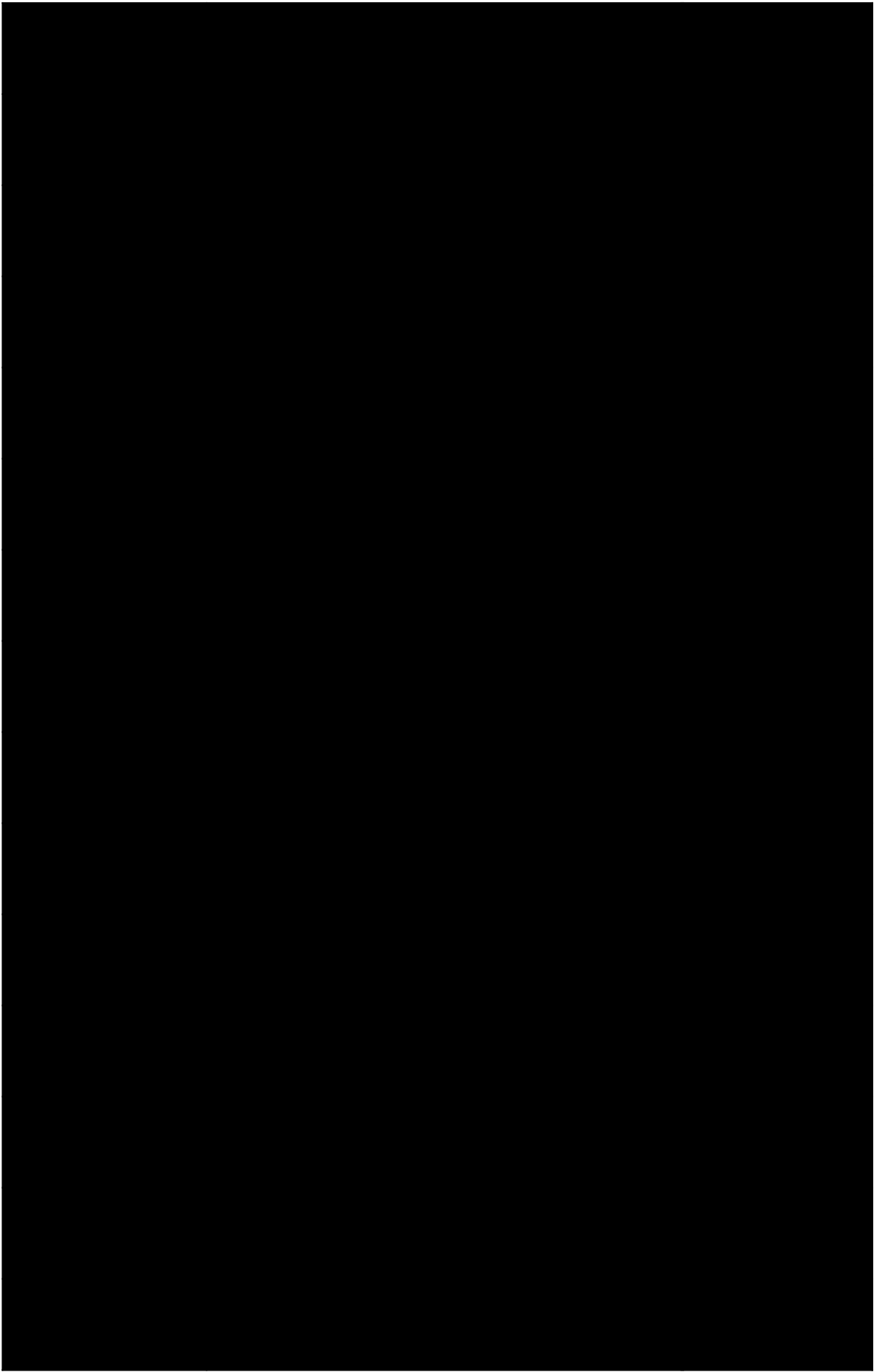


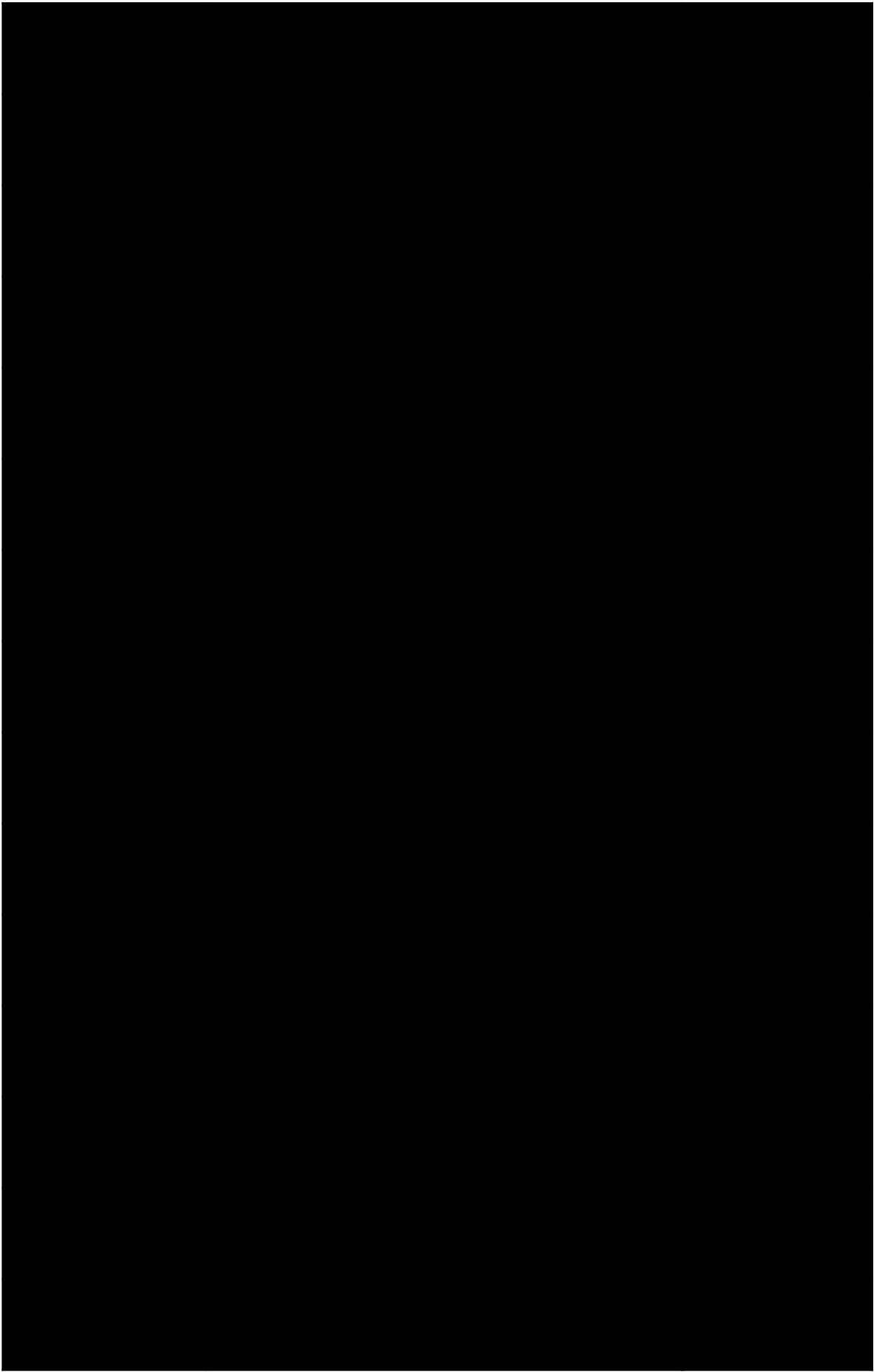


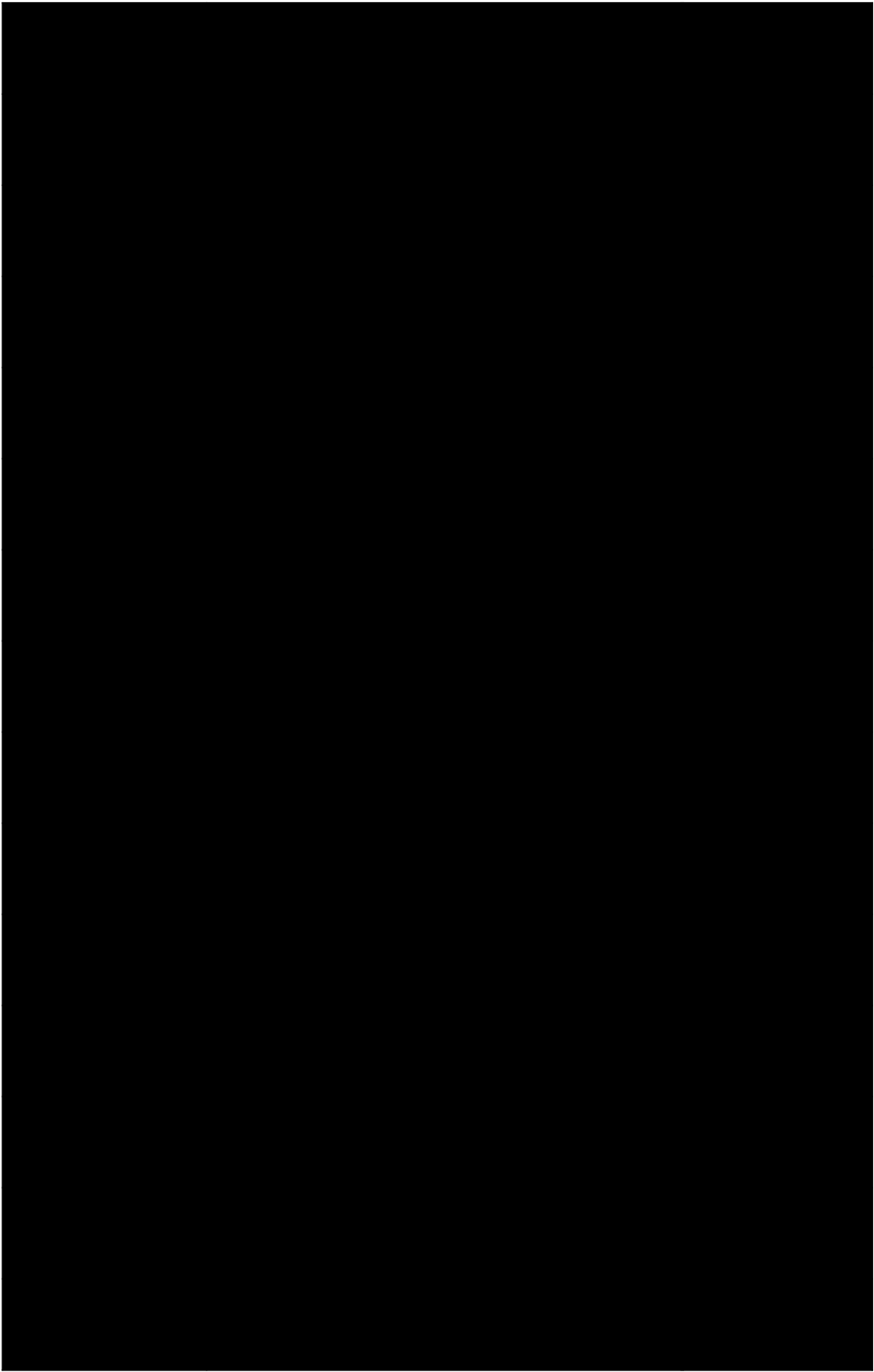


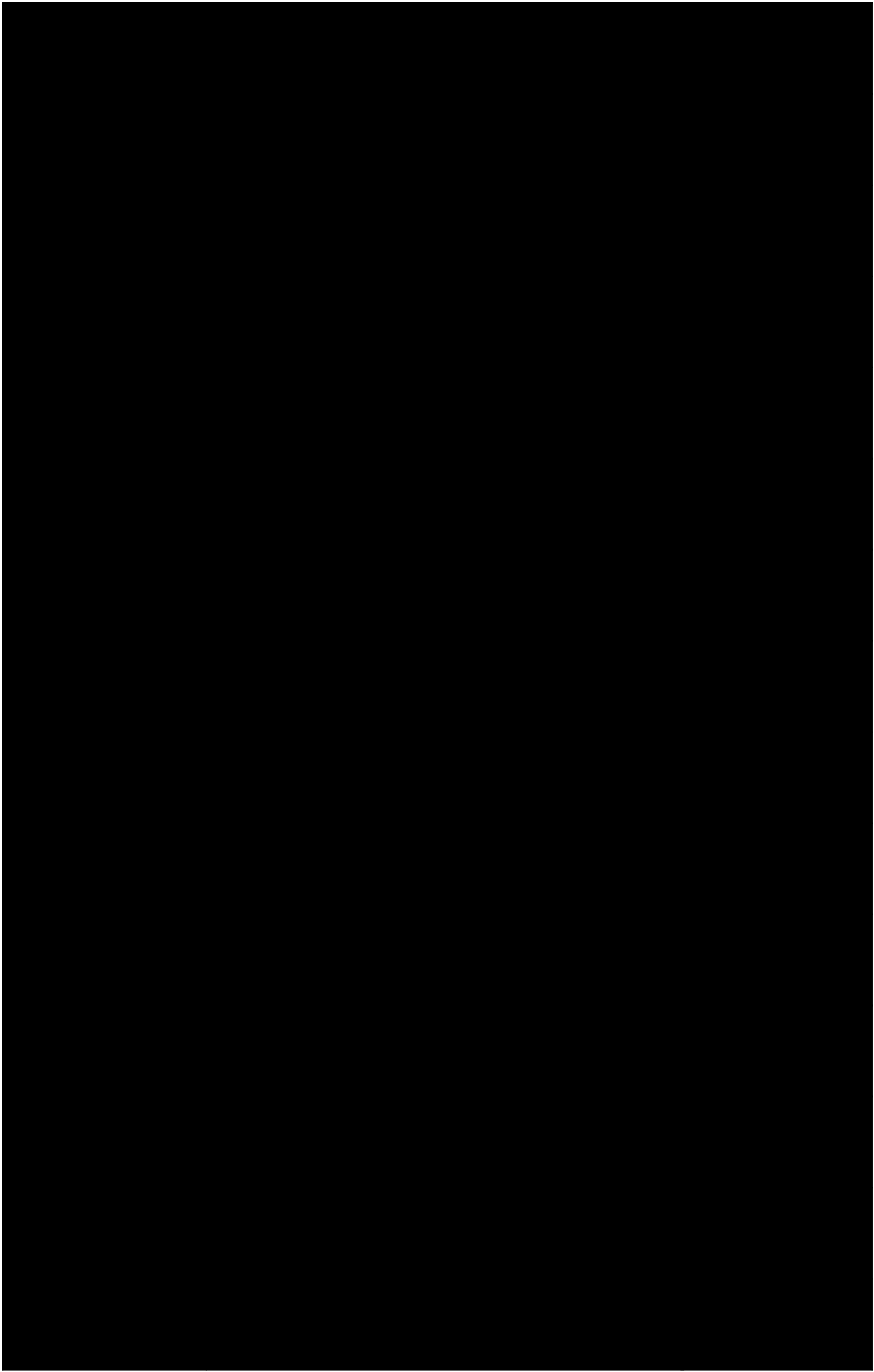
Calculate Using Default		
Average Gas Throughput (MMcf/yr)	Calculated Total Methane Emission Reduction Based on Default Values {[Number of Flash Tank Separators Installed]x[Average Gas Throughput] x 170 scf/MMcf x 0.9 / 1000}	TEG Circulation Rate (gal/hr)

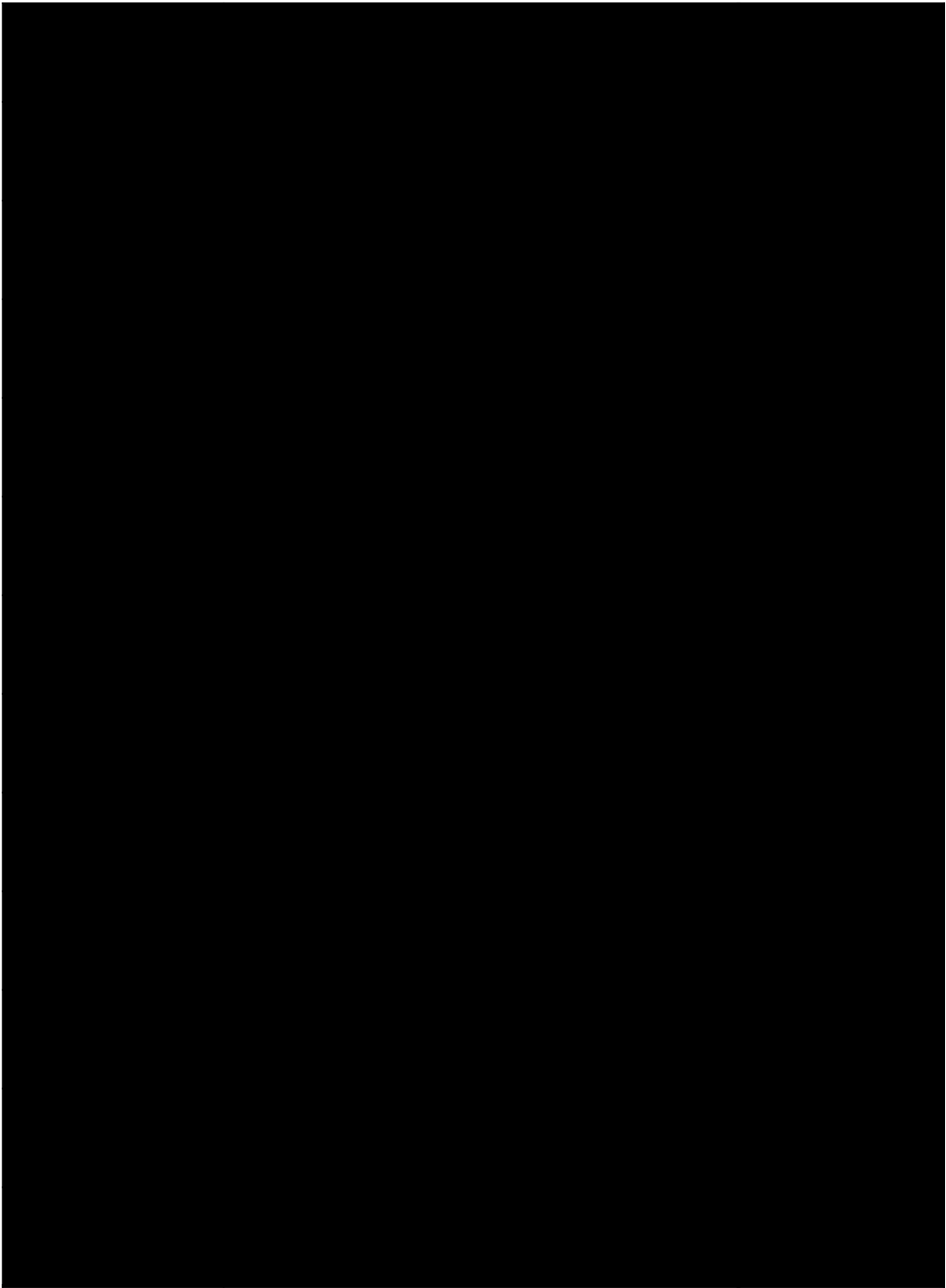








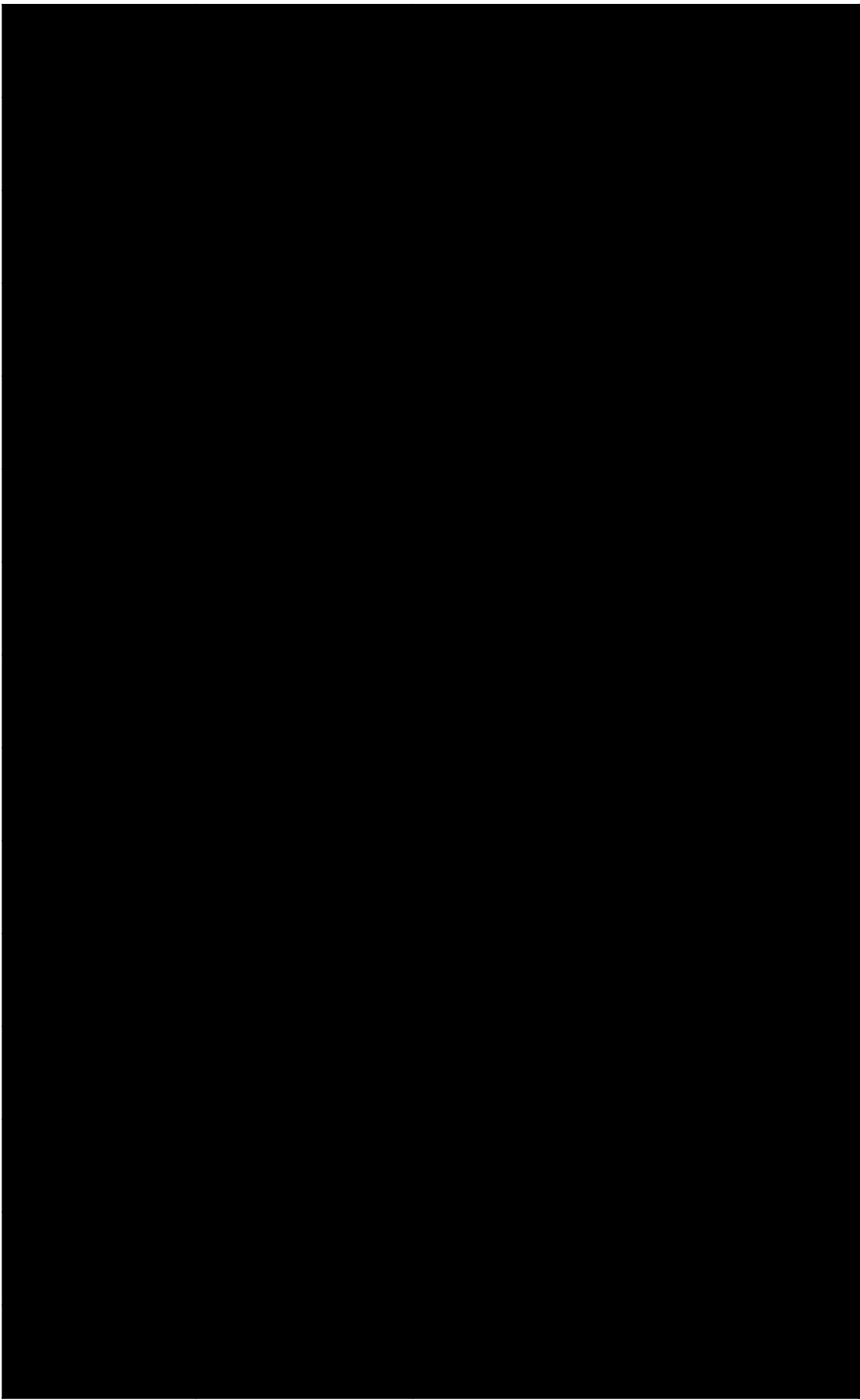


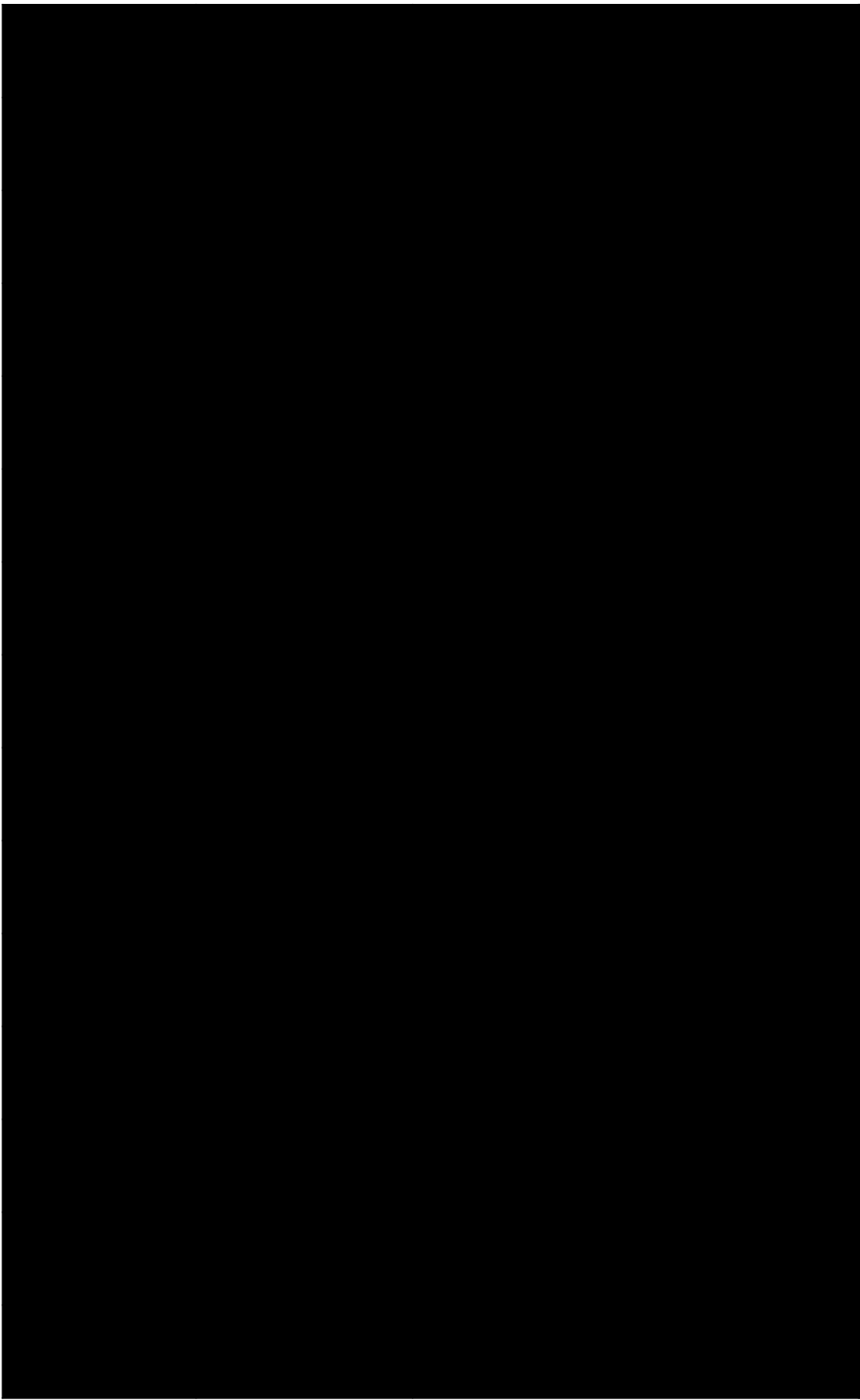


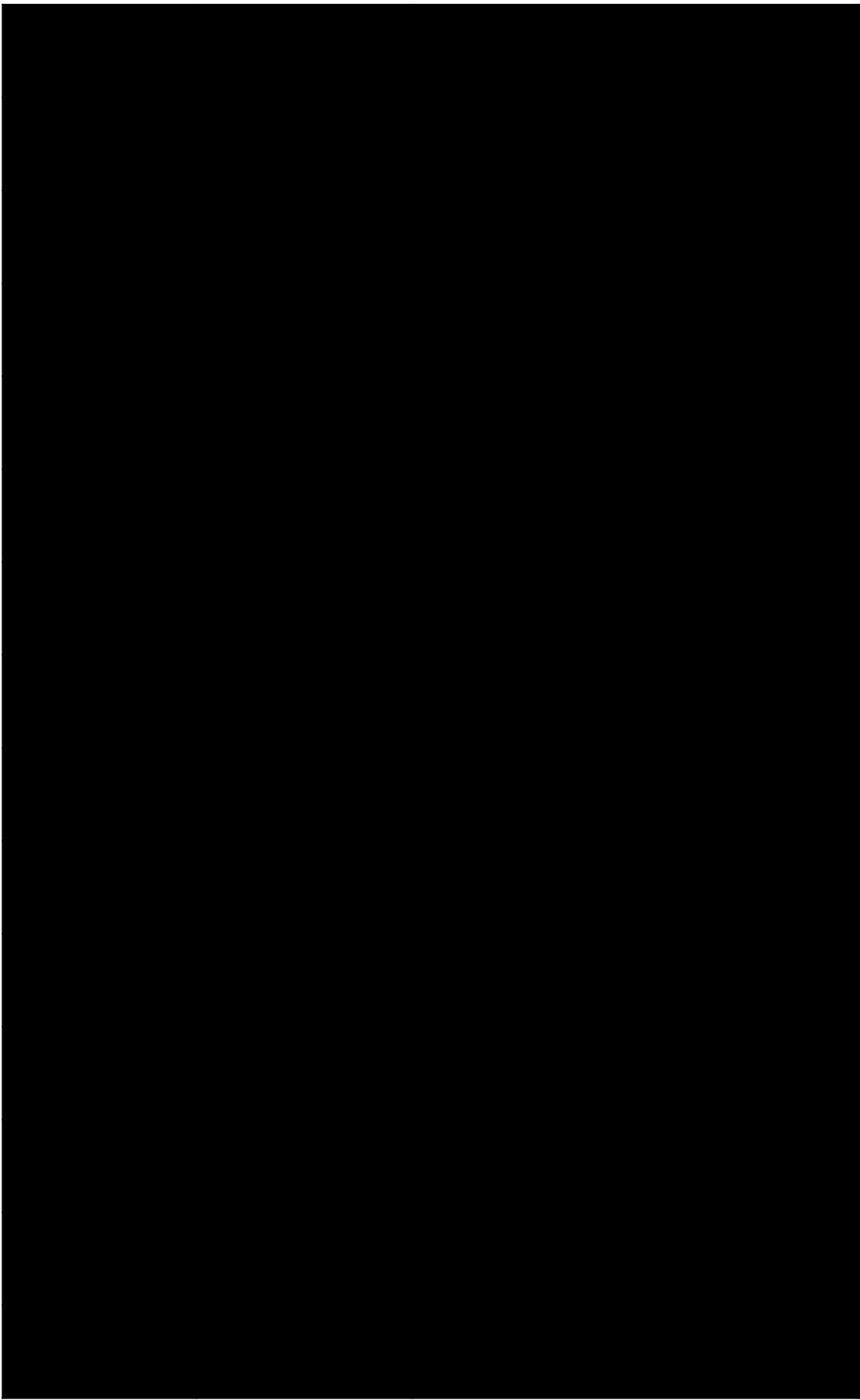


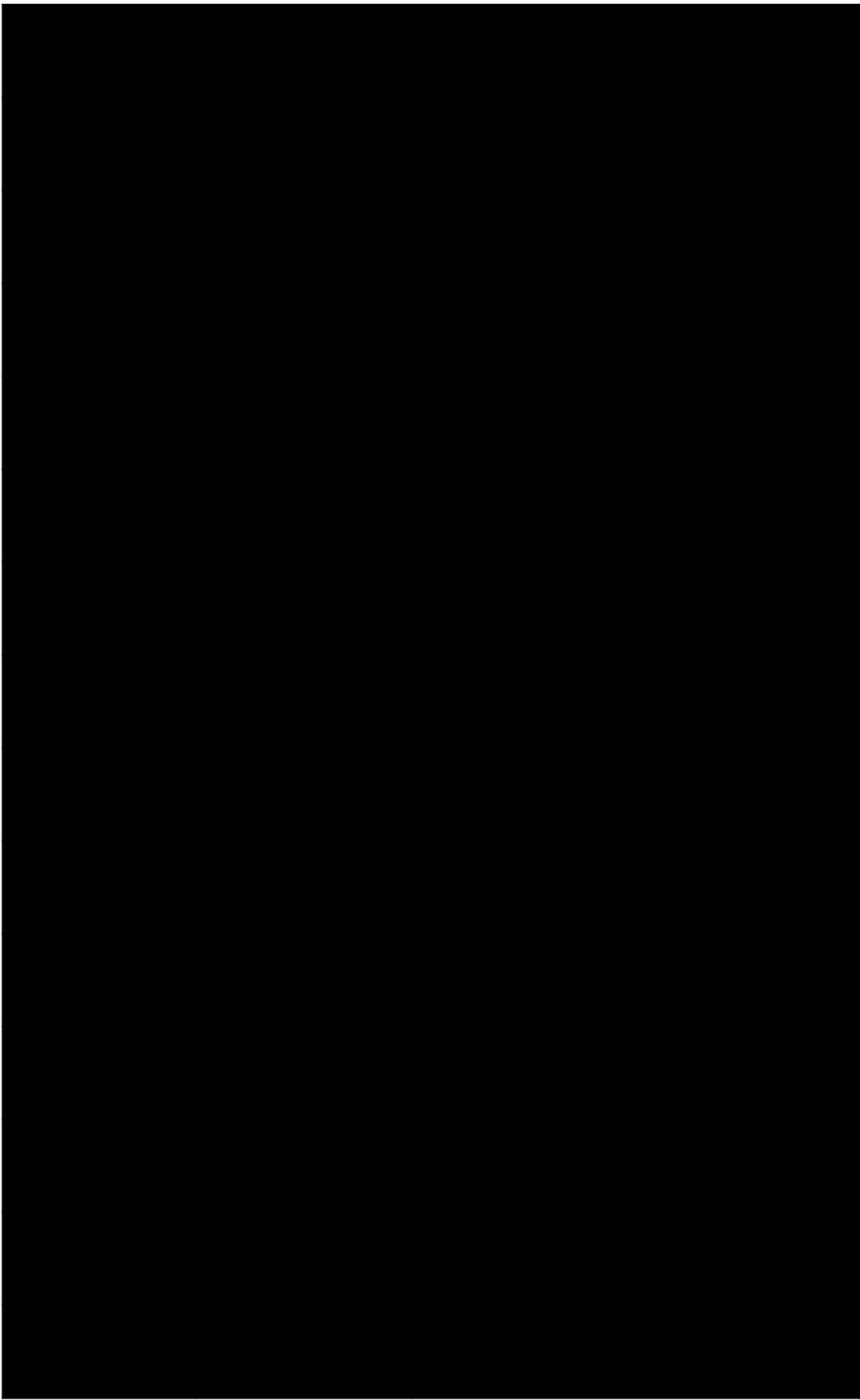
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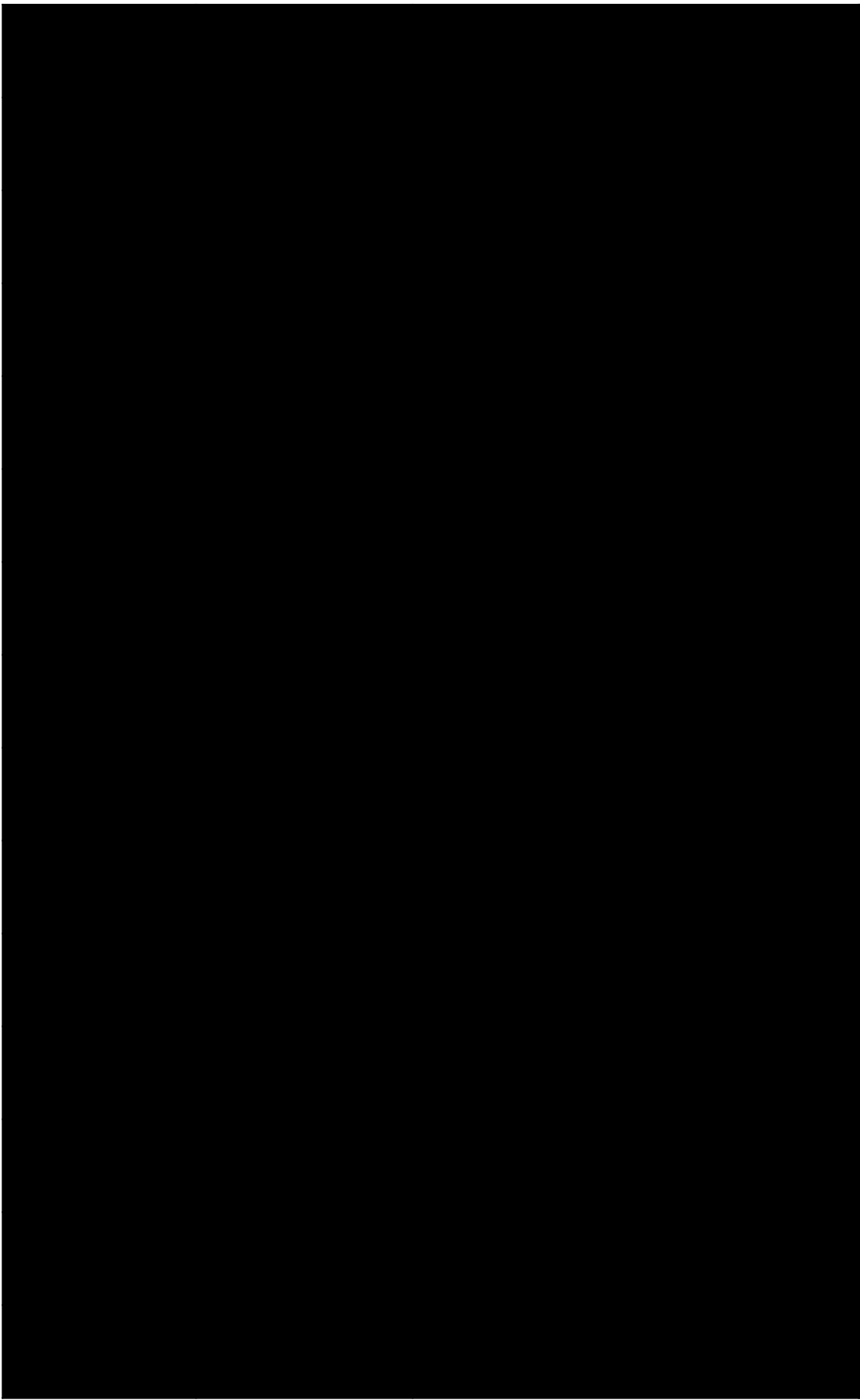
Calculate Using Standard Calculation		
Methane Entrainment Rate (scf/gal)	Hours of Operation (hrs/yr)	Calculated Total Methane Emission Reduction Based on Standard Calculation {[TEG Circulation Rate]x [Methane Entrainment Rate]x[Hours of Operation] x 0.90} / 1000}

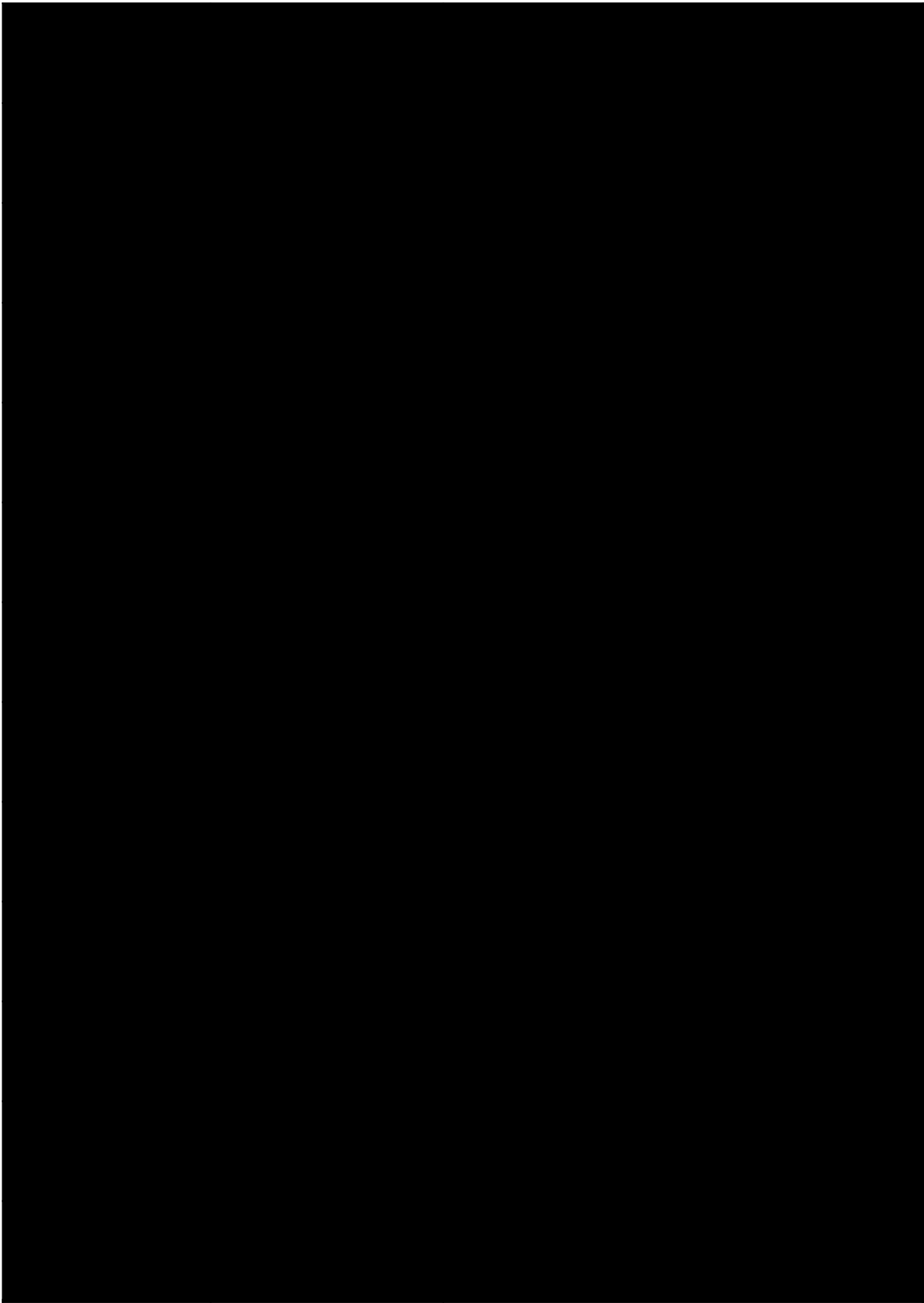








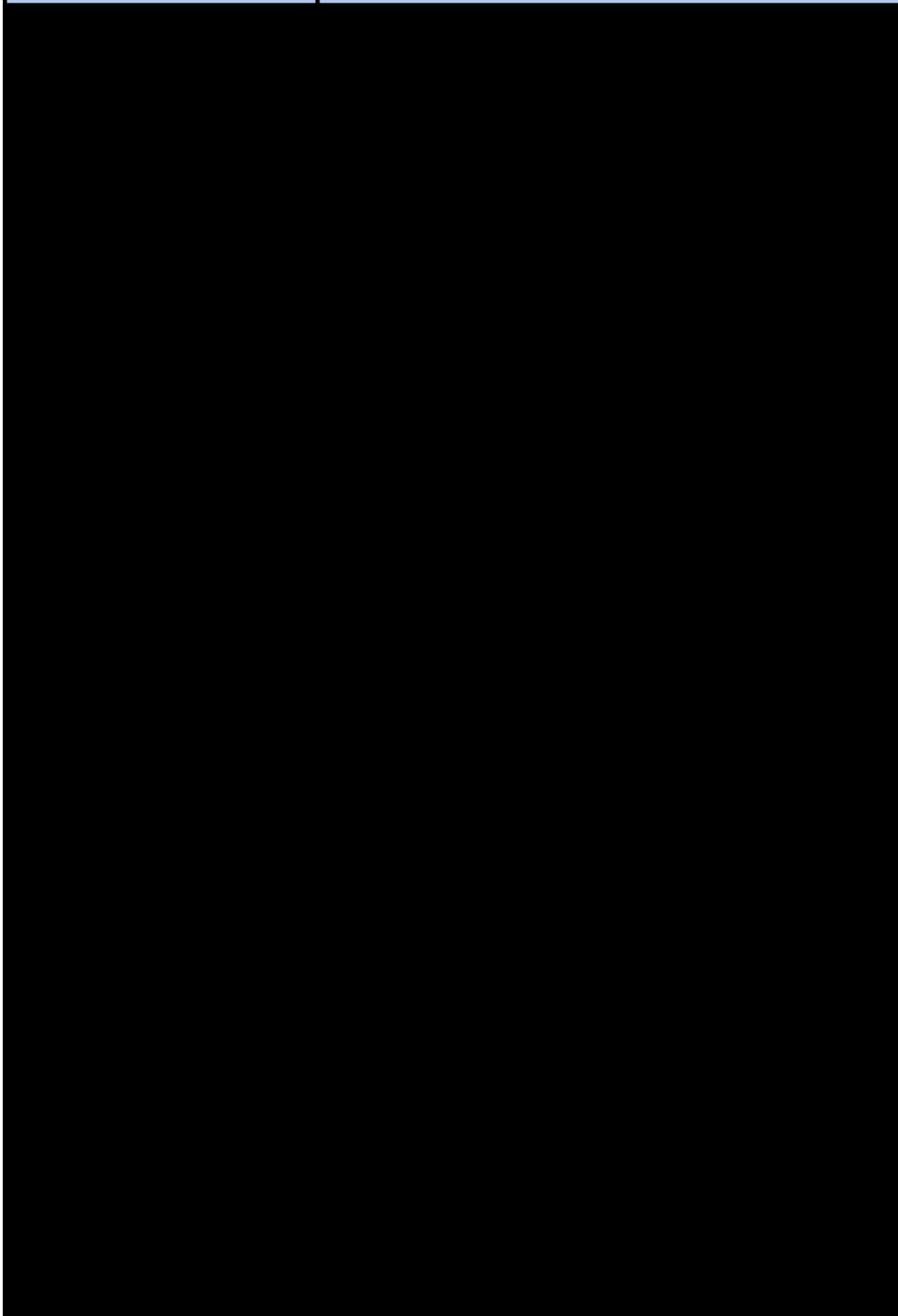




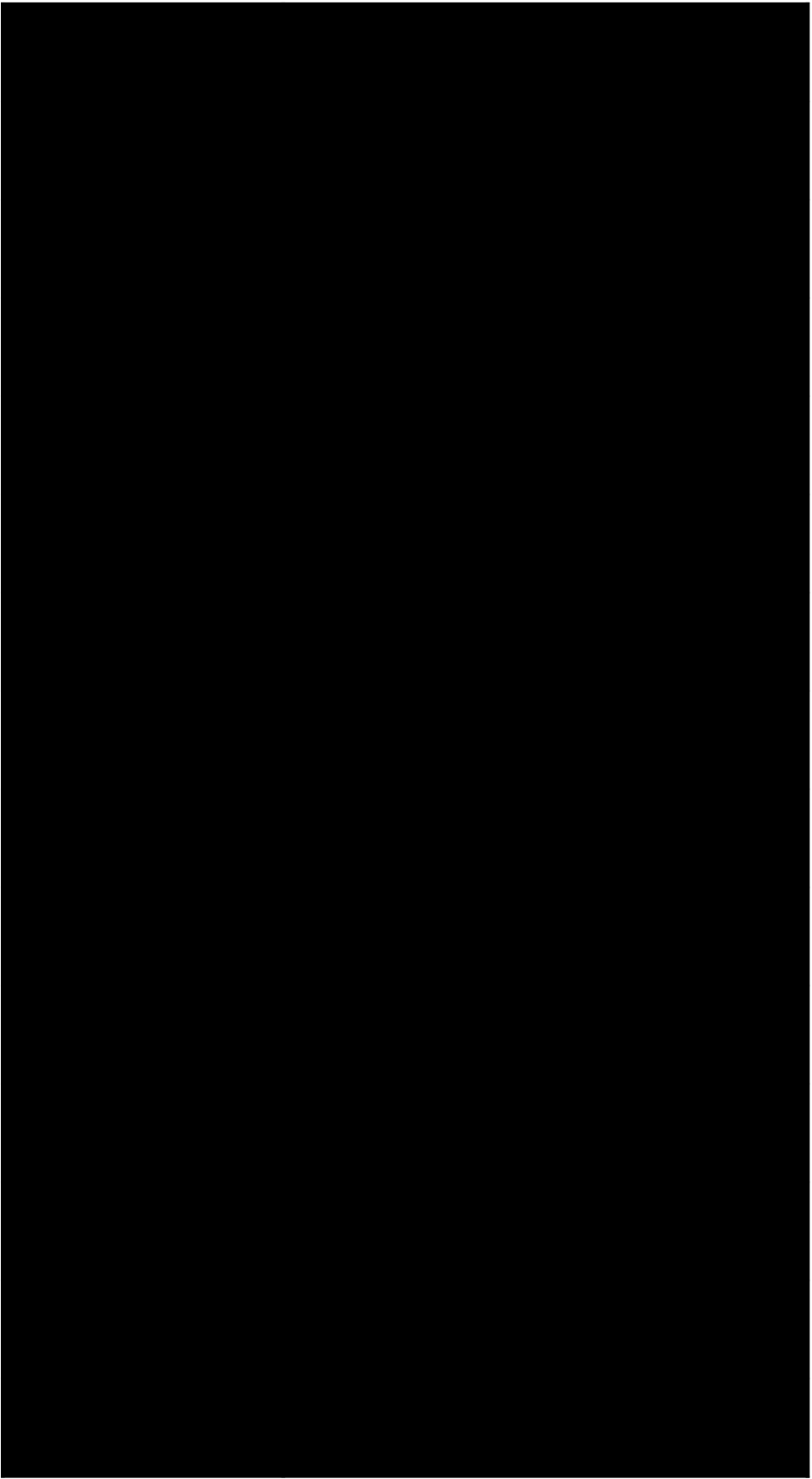
**Other Calculation**

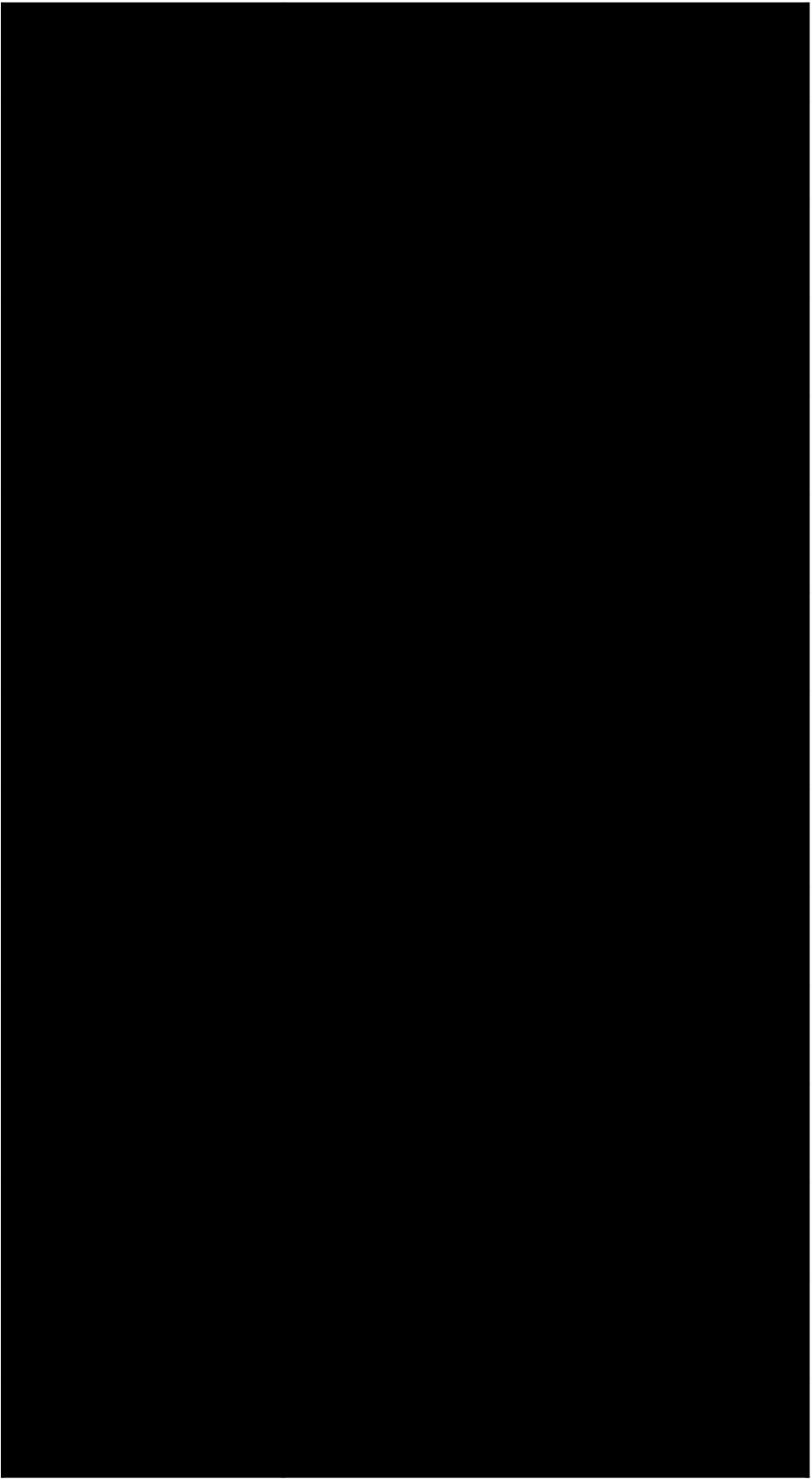
Total Methane Emission  
Reduction Based on Other  
Assumptions  
(Mcf/yr)

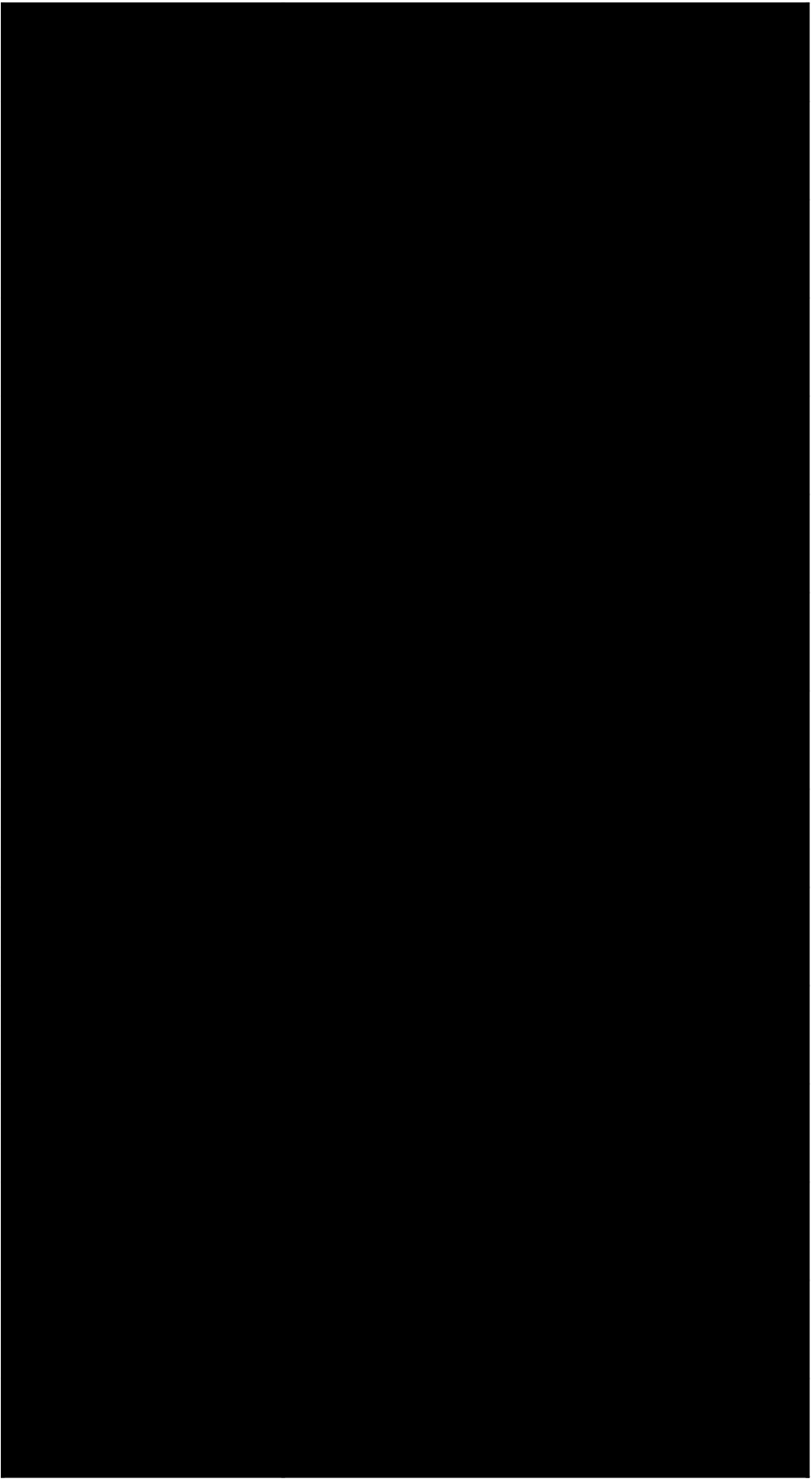
Explain Reduction Calculation Used

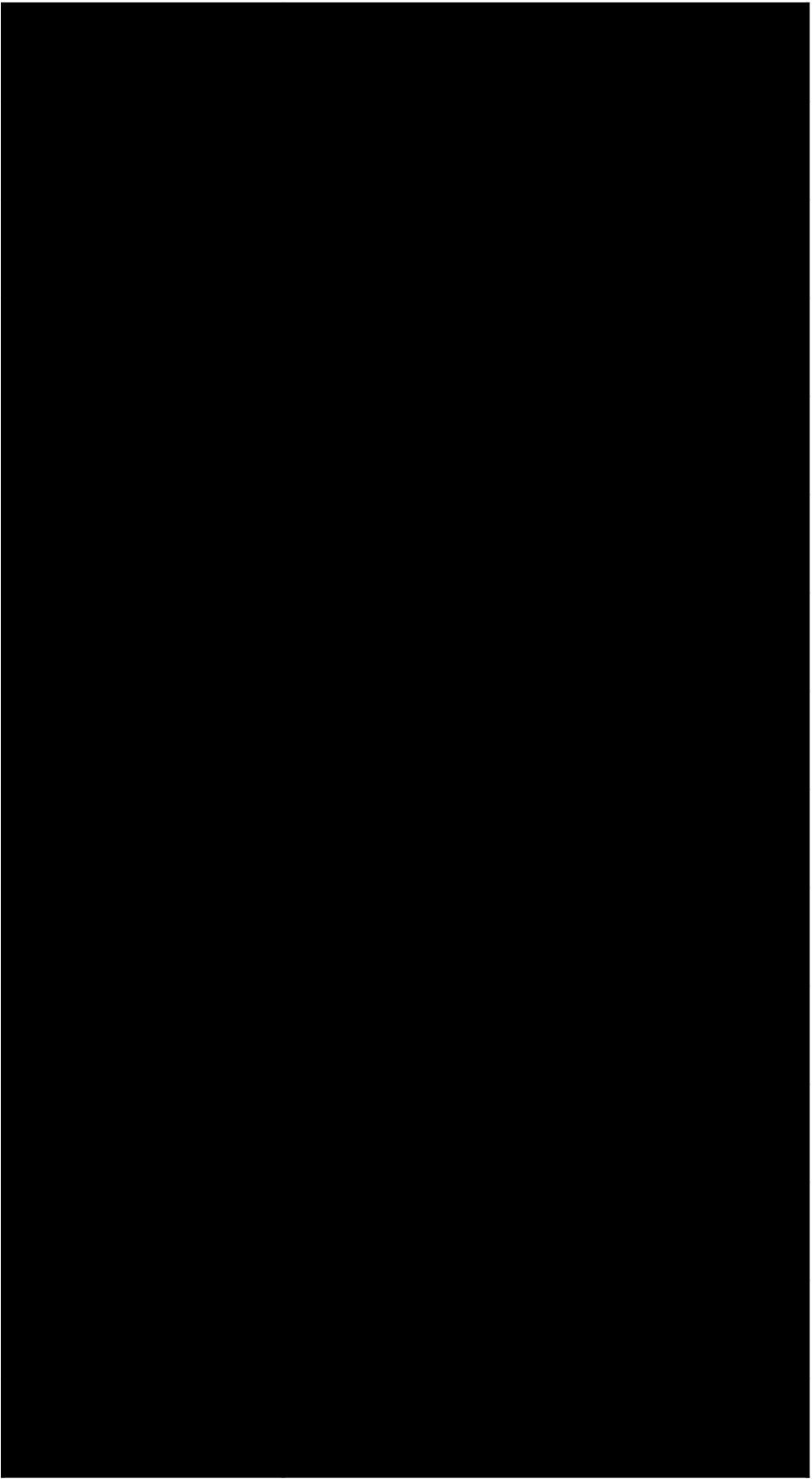


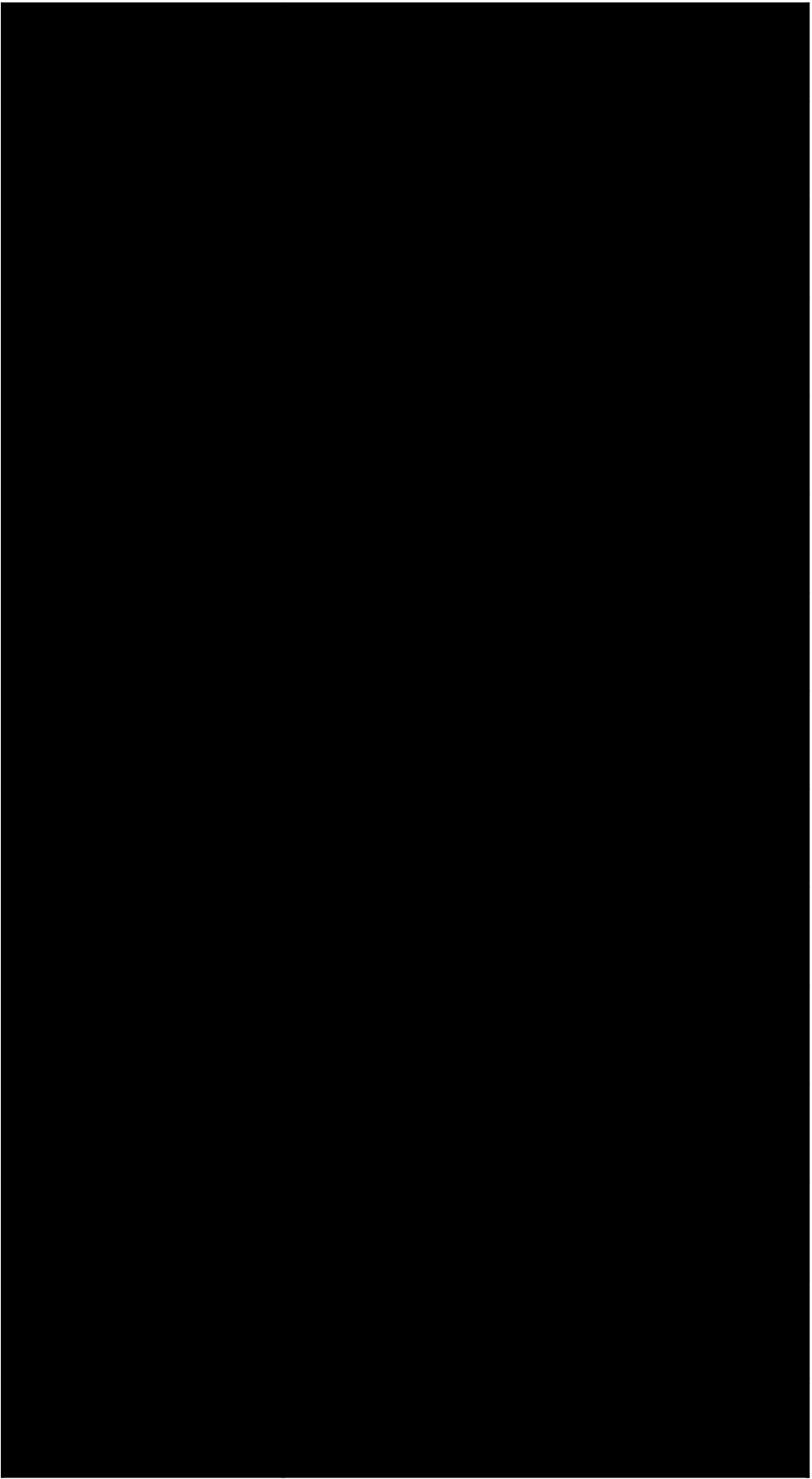


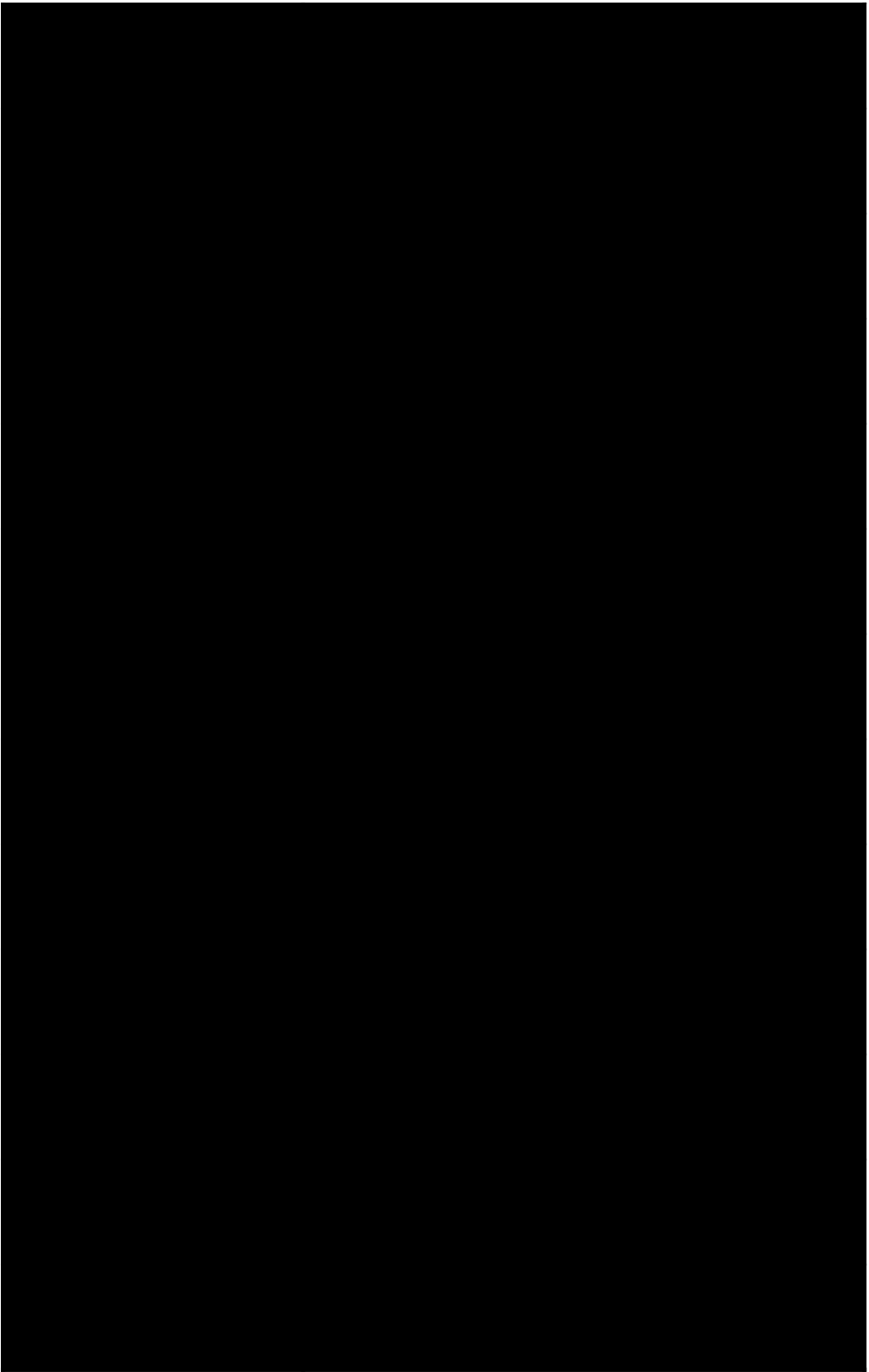




























# Equipment Leaks

*Directed inspection and maintenance at gas plants and booster stations*

Year	Total Number of Surveys Conducted	Total Number of Leaks Found	Total Number of Leaks Repaired	Total Number of Facilities at Which Leaks Repaired	Basis for Emission Reduction Estimate

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Total Methane Emission Reductions (Mcf/yr)	Explain Reduction Calculation Used

Provide additional comments or detail about how your company implemented this BMP

































































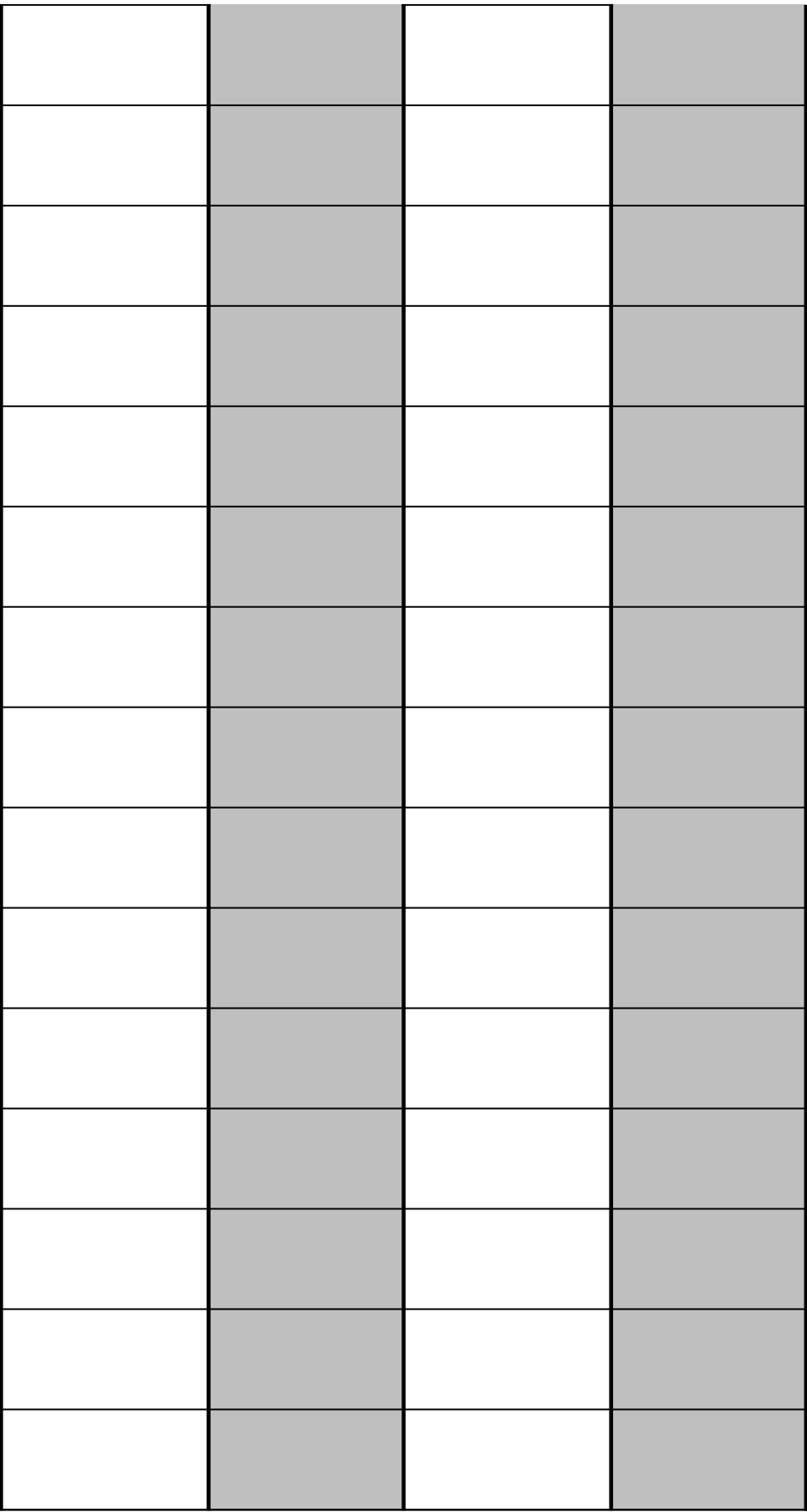
















































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Automatically calculate sunsets (if Sunset Years >1)?	End Year	Total Methane Emission Reduction (Mcf/yr)	Basis for Emission Reduction Estimate
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This sheet summarizes values used in calculations in this workbook. If you have questions on any c

### Install Flash Tank Separators on Glycol Dehydrators

#### Default Values

Emission Factor <sup>1</sup>	170	scf/MMcfd
Efficiency <sup>2</sup>	0.9	percent (expressed as decin

### Pneumatic Controllers

#### Emission Factors - Gathering and Boosting

Source: 40 CFR 98, Table W-1A (Population Emissior

Low Continuous Bleed Pneumatic Device Vents	1.39	scf whole gas / hour / devic
High Continuous Bleed Pneumatic Device Vents	37.3	scf whole gas / hour / devic

#### Emission Factors - Processing

Source: 40 CFR 98, Table W-3B [Transmission segme

Low Continuous Bleed Pneumatic Device Vents	1.37	scf whole gas / hour / devic
High Continuous Bleed Pneumatic Device Vents	18.2	scf whole gas / hour / devic

#### Default Values

Operating hours	8760	Assumes 24/7 operation all
Methane content of natural gas	82.1%	Inventory of U.S. Greenhous (Table 3.6-3), <a href="https://www.04/2018_ghgi_natural_gas">https://www.04/2018_ghgi_natural_gas</a>

Notes:

- <sup>1</sup> Derived from "Methane Emissions from the Natural Gas Industry," Volume 14, Glycol Dehydrators, co-spon
- <sup>2</sup> Derived from "Optimize Glycol Circulation And Install Flash Tank Separators In Glycol Dehydrators" Lessons

of the values used, please contact EPA at [GasSTAR@epa.gov](mailto:GasSTAR@epa.gov)

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