Oil and gas operators provided the Library with samples from a record 2,645 wells.

Samples from a record 2,693 wells were preserved at an average rate of 1,402 sample feet per hour for a total of 2,654 processing hours.

207,500 sample envelopes and 2,600 sample boxes were used to preserve well samples.

Samples from 53 wells were discarded because the samples were not geologically significant to the oil or gas operator and the Library.

Staff preserved a record 3.83 million sample feet, equivalent to the distance from Wichita, KS to Dayton, OH.

Nearly 570 hours were dedicated to sample restoration of 794 wells resolving 4,883 issues, including the recovery of samples for 231 wells.

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