

use of oil sands



Assessment of compliance with the criteria for ecological sustainability for research proposals within the Helmholtz-Alberta Initiative, HAI

Title of Research Proposal:					
Participating Helmholtz Centre/s:					
Planned Project Start: Envisaged Project Completion:					
		Funding Amount			
Collaborative Partners in Science:					
Collaborative Partners in Industry:					
Referee:					
Summary of Research Proposal:					
Su	stainability Criteria			plicable	
_		relevant	fulfilled	Not fulfilled	
-	Reduction of demands on surface space Reduction of contaminated surfaces				
	Contribution to ecological landscape development				
	(recultivation)				
	Reduction of the water requirement during the process of oil sand mining and use				
	Protection of a good ecological condition of the water systems outside the tailing basins (in relation to the reference condition)				
	Minimisation of the ecological effects of the tailings basins (air pollution, groundwater load, toxicity, impact on flora and fauna)				
	Minimisation of ecological damage during opening of the mining surfaces				
	Reduction of air pollution through improved technological processes and an optimal environmental management during the different phases of the value chain for oil sand processing and use.				
	Contribution to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions during the different phases of the value chain for oil sand processing and use.				
	Development of new environmental technologies for the different phases of the value chain for oil sand processing				
	Contribution to the improvement of environment management for the different phases of the value chain for oil sand processing				
	Contribution to the education of new generation scientists with regard to an environmentally friendly processing and				

Signature Date