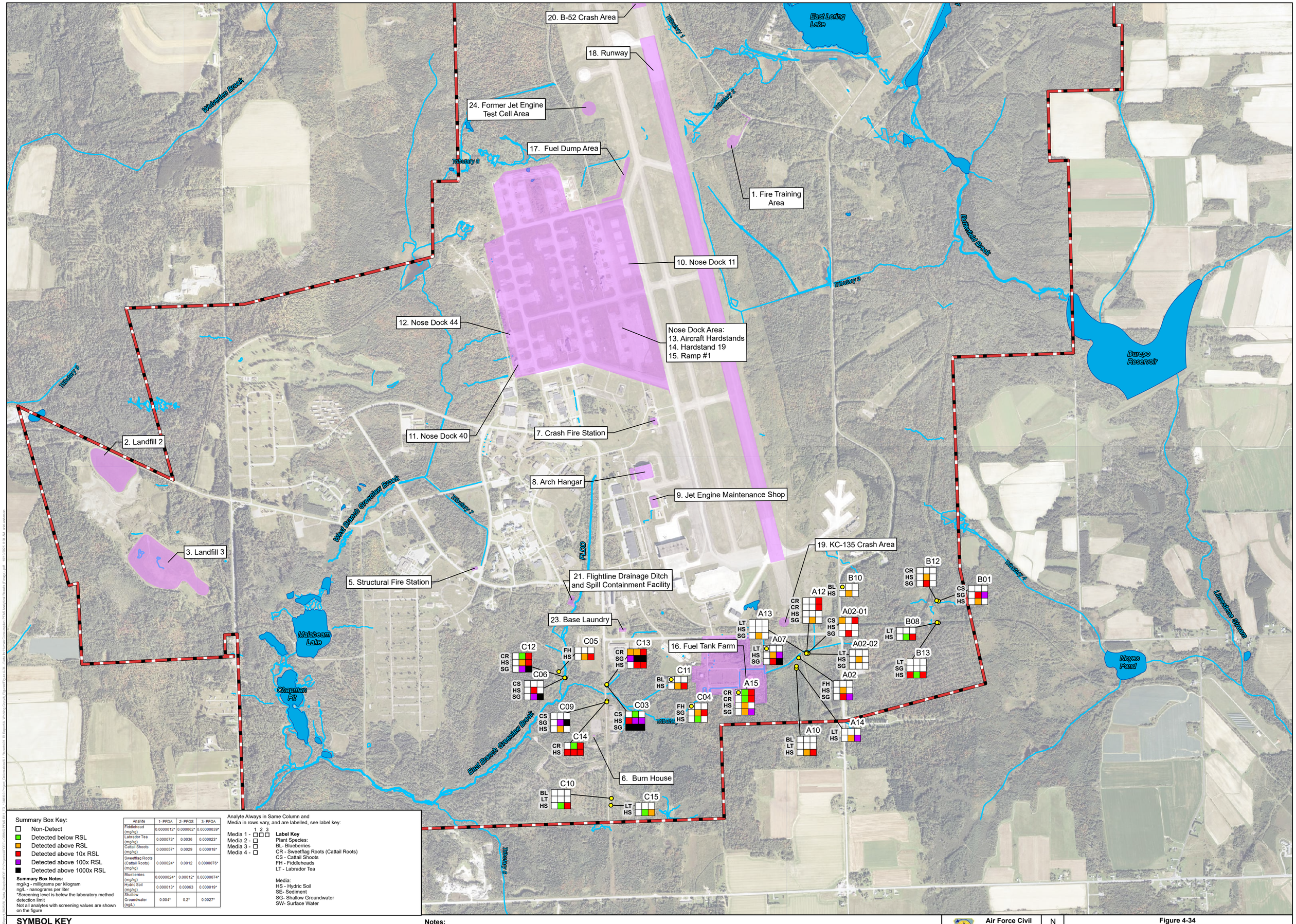


Summary Box Key:

- Non-Detect
- Detected below RSL
- Detected above RSL
- Detected above 10x RSL
- Detected above 100x RSL
- Detected above 1000x RSL

Summary Box Notes:
ng/kg - milligrams per kilogram
ng/L - nanograms per liter
*Screening level is below the laboratory method detection limit
Not all analytes with screening values are shown on the figure

Analyte	1- PFDA	2- PFOS	3- PFOA
Fiddlehead (mg/kg)	0.0000012*	0.000062*	0.00000039*
Labrador Tea (mg/kg)	0.000073*	0.0036	0.000023*
Cattail Shoots (mg/kg)	0.000057*	0.0029	0.000018*
Sweetflag Roots (Cattail Roots) (mg/kg)	0.000024*	0.0012	0.0000076*
Blueberries (mg/kg)	0.0000024*	0.00012*	0.00000074*
Hydric Soil (mg/kg)	0.000013*	0.00063	0.000019*
Shallow Groundwater (ng/L)	0.004*	0.2*	0.027*

Analyte Always in Same Column and Media in rows vary, and are labelled, see label key:

Media 1 - ☐☐☐ (1 2 3)
Media 2 - ☐
Media 3 - ☐
Media 4 - ☐

Label Key
Plant Species:
BL- Blueberries
CR - Sweetflag Roots (Cattail Roots)
CS - Cattail Shoots
FH - Fiddleheads
LT - Labrador Tea

Media:
HS - Hydric Soil
SE- Sediment
SG- Shallow Groundwater
SW- Surface Water

SYMBOL KEY

- Potential Aqueous Film Forming Foam Release Area
- Former Installation Boundary
- Stream
- Surface Water Body
- Biota Forage Locations

Notes:
Biota for Human Consumption - Screening levels from United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Remedial Action Guidelines (RAGS) Part A and the Regional Screening Level (RSL) calculator for food ingestion.

Hydric Soil and Shallow Groundwater - Screening levels consistent with USEPA RSLs.

See Table 1-3 for more information about screening levels.

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0 150 300 600 Meters
0 650 1,300 2,600 Feet

Figure 4-34
Biota for Human Consumption PFAS Analytical Results (Forage)
Remedial Investigation Site Characterization Summary Report
Former Loring Air Force Base, Limestone, ME

SOURCES:
-Aerial Imagery obtained from NAIP, USDA-FSA, Published September, 2021.

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