

## Pinal Energy, LLC Maricopa, Arizona

### General Information

<b>Client Name</b>	Pinal Energy, LLC
<b>Project Value:</b>	\$75,000,000
<b>Period of Performance:</b>	February 2006 to April 2007



### Project Overview

- RIO Technical Services performed construction oversight for this \$75 million project, the first ethanol plant constructed in Arizona.
- 50 million gallon Destination plant sourcing corn from local corn producers and the Midwest
- Pinal Energy sells its ethanol into the local Phoenix/Tucson 91,000,000 gallon ethanol market
- The state-of-the-art plant was constructed by The Industrial Company (TIC) and engineered by Delta-T Corp.

### Scope of Work

- RIO provided extensive support to Pinal Energy in securing initial construction permits for the plant. RIO's support mainly included addressing environmental concerns of the local community.
- RIO provided construction status on a weekly basis, analyzing the construction schedule vs. construction activities providing Pinal Energy near real-time status of construction progress to identify any discrepancies quickly and efficiently.
- RIO conducted quality control/quality assurance inspections on all construction activities.
- RIO conducted an earned value analysis of each contractor invoice providing Pinal Energy independent verification of percentage completion.
- RIO advised Pinal Energy of any emerging trends that may affect the cost or schedule of the project.