



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

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## Executive Summary

The air quality in communities across the province is generally considered to be good as the ambient air quality standards are rarely exceeded for the pollutants being measured. On occasion, communities in close proximity to an industrial operation may experience episodic decreases in the quality of the air; however, these episodes tend to be brief in nature and are rarely at levels that exceed the air quality standards. Elevated levels of air pollutants can also occur due to long-range transport from mainland Canada and the United States, but these events are episodic in nature and rarely produce levels that exceed the ambient air quality standards. On the local level, emissions from sources such as vehicular traffic and woodstoves also impact the air quality in the province.

This 6<sup>th</sup> annual report presents all the monitoring results from both the federal / provincial operated National Air Pollution Surveillance (NAPS) network as well as the stations operated by industrial facilities in the province. Both datasets undergo a rigorous quality assurance procedure to ensure that the highest level of data confidence is achieved.

In 2014 there were no major long range transport events to adversely affect the air quality in the province similar to the forest fires in western Labrador and eastern Quebec in 2013. The air quality at most monitoring stations indicated no exceedances of the ambient air quality standards. There were however instances where the levels measured at a station operated by an industrial facility approached or exceeded the associated ambient standard.

The report does not provide commentary on the data contained herein except in situations where there has been a technological change in the data collection system (eg. PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitoring was switched from TEOM to BAM), or there has been a change in industrial operating conditions which would lead to a change in emissions (eg. a switch from heavy fuel oil combustion to distillate combustion).

Though an industrial facility may monitor the ambient air for specific pollutants, this report in no way implies or attributes those measurements to emissions from that facility.

The 2014 monitoring results are summarized below.

## Sulphur Dioxide - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 1-hour Concentration	Maximum 3-hour Concentration	Maximum 24-hour Concentration	Annual Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>900</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	St. John's	20.8	17.6	8.4	1.6
	Mt. Pearl	36.9	19.0	3.0	0.4
	Grand Falls Windsor	7.3	6.0	4.6	1.4
	Corner Brook	10.0	6.7	3.3	0.9
	Burin	40.9	14.9	3.2	0.1
<b>NALCOR</b>	Butterpot Road	77.9	58.4	18.4	2.0
	Green Acres Road	305.1	124.1	22.9	3.6
	Indian Pond Drive	194.1	146.9	59.5	3.8
	Indian Pond Road	158.0	118.2	31.1	2.3
	Lawrence Pond Road	135.0	79.0	21.9	2.7
<b>NARL</b>	Arnold's Cove	135.9	62.2	18.1	2.7
	Come by Chance	173.7	153.0	58.8	5.2
	Sunnyside	181.3	148.8	59.0	6.0
	Property Boundary	1091.0 *	872.8 *	796.3 *	85.1 *
<b>IOCC</b>	Indian Point	196.7	188.5	94.2	2.2
	Tamarack Drive	315.1 *	277.3 *	135.8 *	2.7 *
	Smokey Mountain	60.7	30.9	9.0	1.0
<b>Wabush Mines</b>	Bond Street	53.4	46.0	11.4	2.9
<b>CBPP</b>	Main Street	19.0	16.9	4.3	1.5

Observations in  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

\* based on limited data

## Nitrogen Dioxide - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 1-hour Concentration	Maximum 24-hour Concentration	Annual Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>400</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	St. John's	137.6	53.1	11.6
	Mt. Pearl	68.5	16.6	2.9
	Grand Falls Windsor	50.3	10.6	1.6
	Corner Brook	58.8	21.6	5.0
	Burin	39.0	8.1	1.0
<b>NALCOR</b>	Butterpot Road	26.0	5.9	1.2
	Green Acres Road	40.6	6.2	1.6
	Indian Pond Drive	29.7	14.1	1.8
	Indian Pond Road	32.1	11.6	2.1
	Lawrence Pond Road	50.2	9.0	2.0
<b>IOCC</b>	Indian Point	91.6	61.2	6.3
	Tamarack Drive	87.9	60.7	8.6
	Smokey Mountain	80.5	44.1	17.8
<b>VALE</b>	Community Centre	13.8 *	2.3 *	0.9 *
	Main Road	23.3	14.4	2.7
	Access Road	41.8 *	34.0 *	4.1 *
	Crusher Building	75.1	46.2	5.5
	Accommodation Building	113.6	65.4	18.9

Observations in  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$   
 \* based on limited data

### Ozone - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 1-hour Concentration	Maximum 8-hour Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>160</b>	<b>87</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	St. John's	122.2	92.9
	Mt. Pearl	111.2	88.5
	Grand Falls Windsor	105.4	102.6
	Corner Brook	112.6	105.6
	Burin	112.6	96.6
	Port aux Choix	95.0	93.9
<b>IOCC</b>	Smokey Mountain	181.5	158.0

Observations in  $\text{ug}/\text{m}^3$

### Carbon Monoxide - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 1-hour Concentration	Maximum 8-hour Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\text{mg}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	St. John's	1.6	0.6
	Mt. Pearl	1.5	0.8
	Grand Falls Windsor	0.8	0.5
	Corner Brook	0.9	0.5
	Burin	0.8	0.7

Observations in  $\text{mg}/\text{m}^3$

### PM<sub>10</sub> - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 24-hour Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>50</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	Burin	27.8
<b>Wabush Mines</b>	Substation	22.3 *

Observations in  $\text{ug}/\text{m}^3$

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**PM<sub>2.5</sub> - 2014**

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 24-hour Concentration	Annual Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>8.8</b>
<b>NAPS</b>	St. John's	21.5	6.7
	Mt. Pearl	30.2	7.2
	Grand Falls Windsor	24.3	4.9
	Corner Brook	21.1	4.9
	Burin	13.5	6.5
<b>NALCOR</b>	Butterpot Road	13.5	4.3
	Green Acres Road	18.9	4.8
	Indian Pond Drive	20.8	4.6
	Indian Pond Road	19.8	5.0
	Lawrence Pond Road	15.8	3.4
	Property Boundary	18.6	5.1
<b>NARL</b>	Arnold's Cove	16.4	5.4
	Come by Chance	20.5	6.0
	Sunnyside	54.0	7.2
	Property Boundary	151.5	22.8
<b>IOCC</b>	Indian Point	16.3	3.7
	Tamarack Drive	18.8 *	3.4 *
	Smokey Mountain	14.0	2.4
<b>Wabush Mines</b>	Bond Street	16.0	3.3
	Cabot Drive	22.5	3.4
	Substation	6.7 *	2.0 *
<b>CBPP</b>	Main Street	48.4	7.4
<b>VALE</b>	Community Centre	15.1 *	7.4 *
	Main Road	30.5 *	6.7 *
	Access Road	23.4 *	4.5 *
	Accommodation Building	15.1	2.6

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

\* based on limited data

### Total Particulate Matter - 2014

Operator	Monitoring Location	Maximum 24-hour Concentration	Annual Concentration
<b>Regulatory Limit (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</b>		<b>120</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>NALCOR</b>	Green Acres Road	23.4	7.3
	Indian Pond Drive	153.7	10.0
	Indian Pond Road	29.3	8.8
	Lawrence Pond Road	152.7	9.9
	Property Boundary	242.2	31.8
<b>IOCC</b>	Indian Point	177.3	10.3
	Tamarack Drive	197.3	20.0
	Smokey Mountain	203.6	9.3
	Bartlett Drive	110.6	15.5
	Hudson Drive	86.0	19.2
<b>Wabush Mines</b>	Bond Street	63.2	10.8
	Cabot Drive	57.8	11.0
	Substation	35.2 *	8.4 *
<b>CBPP</b>	Main Street	147.9	27.7
	West Street	248.3	20.6
<b>VALE</b>	Port Site	281.0	7.2

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All data presented herein may be subject to future revision.



## 1.0 Introduction

The ambient air quality in Newfoundland and Labrador is monitored through a joint effort between the Department of Environment and Conservation and Environment Canada via the National Air Pollution Surveillance (NAPS) network. In 2014, the Department operated stations at six locations as part of the (NAPS) network. Additionally the major industrial operations in the province are required to monitor the air quality near their operations for select pollutants. The Department audits the operation of these industrial monitoring networks on a regular basis.

In general the air quality in the province is good as indicated by the levels recorded at the various monitors. Unlike the major forest fires in Labrador and northern Quebec in late June and early July 2013 which resulted in an extended period of poorer air quality in the province, in 2014 there were no major long range episodes to diminish the air quality. There were however, instances in 2014 where the levels measured at an industrial monitoring station approached or exceeded the associated ambient standard, and instances when elevated air pollutant levels, particularly ozone, were seen as a result of long range transport. Local emissions, such as those from vehicular traffic and woodstoves, also impact air quality on a routine basis.

This report provides 2-year tabular summary information and 5-year graphical trends for each air quality monitor in Newfoundland and Labrador which were either operated or audited by the Department in 2014. All monitoring stations are required to meet minimum standards set out by the NAPS network in the *National Air Pollution Surveillance (NAPS) Program Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) Guidelines*, and those defined in the *Departmental Guidelines for Ambient Air Monitoring* ([http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/env/env\\_protection/science/gd\\_ppd\\_065.pdf](http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/env/env_protection/science/gd_ppd_065.pdf)). Additionally all data has gone through a data reduction and quality assurance process to account for any anomalous readings or system malfunctions.

In this report, Section 2 provides an overview of the monitoring network in the province, a description of the pollutants being measured and their associated standard. Section 3 provides results from the monitors in the NAPS network; while Section 4 provides results from the monitoring of industrial emissions.

## 1.1 Definitions

The following definitions are used throughout this report:

AQHI	Air Quality Health Index
CO	Carbon Monoxide
IOCC	Iron Ore Company of Canada
mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Milligrams per cubic metre
NALCOR	NALCOR Energy
NARL	North Atlantic Refining Limited
NAPS	National Air Pollution Surveillance
NO <sub>2</sub>	Nitrogen Dioxide
NO <sub>x</sub>	Oxides of Nitrogen
O <sub>3</sub>	Ozone
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Particulate Matter less than or equal to 2.5 microns
PM <sub>10</sub>	Particulate Matter less than or equal to 10 microns
SO <sub>2</sub>	Sulphur Dioxide
TPM	Total Particulate Matter
µg/m <sup>3</sup>	Micrograms per cubic metre
VALE	VALE Newfoundland and Labrador

## 2.0 Monitoring Network

Five categories of pollutants are measured at the monitoring networks in the province, though not all networks monitor all pollutants. The monitored pollutants are sulphur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>), oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>) (which includes nitric oxide (NO) and nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>)), carbon monoxide (CO), particulate matter (PM) (which includes particles less or equal to than 2.5 microns (PM<sub>2.5</sub>), particles less than or equal to 10 microns (PM<sub>10</sub>) and total particulate matter (TPM)), and ozone (O<sub>3</sub>). Volatile organic compounds, (VOCs) are also measured on a one-in-six day cycle at the NAPS station in St. John's, but the data is not included in this report.

### 2.1 Pollutants

#### 2.1.1 Oxides of Nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>)

In a combustion process, NO<sub>x</sub> is produced through 3 mechanisms, namely thermal NO<sub>x</sub>, fuel NO<sub>x</sub> and prompt NO<sub>x</sub>. Thermal NO<sub>x</sub> is the primary source of NO<sub>x</sub> and is formed as a high temperature dissociation and subsequent reaction of nitrogen (N<sub>2</sub>) and oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>). It is produced in the hottest part of the flame and its formation increases exponentially with the flame temperature. The control of thermal NO<sub>x</sub> is generally achieved through reducing the flame temperature, reducing the residence time, or by operating under fuel rich conditions. Fuel NO<sub>x</sub> is formed by the reaction of nitrogen compounds chemically bound in liquid or solid fuels with oxygen in the combustion air. In the combustion of such fuels, fuel NO<sub>x</sub> can account for up to 50% of the total NO<sub>x</sub> emissions. Prompt NO<sub>x</sub> is formed from the rapid reaction of atmospheric nitrogen with hydrocarbon radicals, and typically under partially fuel-rich conditions. It can be reduced through combustion staging or by operating under highly oxidizing combustion conditions.

NO<sub>2</sub> is the primary component of concern in NO<sub>x</sub> emissions. Generally between 5% and 10% of the NO<sub>x</sub> emitted from the combustion of fuel is emitted as NO<sub>2</sub>. The remainder is emitted as NO, which is subsequently converted to NO<sub>2</sub> in reactions with various oxidants and oxygen as the plume is transported downwind from the source. The rate of NO<sub>2</sub> formation varies with time of day, season, temperature, wind speed, solar radiation and the availability of oxidants to help drive the chemical reactions.

NO<sub>2</sub> is a reddish brown gas with a pungent odour, which upon reaction with other atmospheric compounds, becomes a major contributor to smog, acid rain, inhalable particulates and reduced visibility. At significant levels and exposure, inhalation may result in irritation and burning to the skin and eyes, nose and throat. Prolonged exposure may result in permanent lung damage.

### **2.1.2 Particulate Matter (PM)**

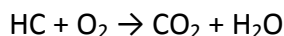
Particulate matter is the term for particles found in the air, including dust, dirt, soot, smoke, and liquid droplets, and can be large and dark enough to be seen with the naked eye or so small that they can only be detected with an electron microscope. Many manmade and natural sources emit particulate matter directly while others emit gaseous pollutants that react in the atmosphere to form particulate matter.

The size of the particulate has important health considerations. Particulate matter less than or equal to 10 microns in diameter (PM<sub>10</sub>) poses a health concern because it can be inhaled into and accumulate in the respiratory system. Particulate matter less than or equal to 2.5 microns in diameter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) is believed to pose the greatest health risks as it can lodge deeply into the lungs; a PM<sub>2.5</sub> particle is approximately 1/30<sup>th</sup> the average width of a human hair. Typically these smaller particles are suspended in the air for long periods of time. Total Particulate Matter (TPM) is the term applied to any particle suspended in the atmosphere, but depending on the monitoring method, is typically limited to particulate matter less than 44 microns. Particulate larger than 10 microns is typically associated with a nuisance issue rather than a health issue.

### **2.1.3 Carbon Monoxide (CO)**

Carbon monoxide is a colourless and odourless gas which reduces the delivery of oxygen to the body's organs. For those with heart disease, exposure to low doses can result in chest pain. For healthier people, exposure to higher levels affects the central nervous system.

Incomplete oxidation of fuel results in the formation of CO. In simplified terms, the generic stoichiometric combustion equation for complete combustion is:



However if sufficient oxygen (O<sub>2</sub>) is not present to complete the combustion of the hydrocarbon fuel (HC), then the oxidation to carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) and water (H<sub>2</sub>O) is not completed and hence CO is emitted.

### **2.1.4 Sulphur Dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>)**

Levels of sulphur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) in ambient air are directly related to the concentration of sulphur in fuel and the quantity of fuel being combusted. Upon combustion, approximately 98% of the sulphur in the fuel will oxidize to form SO<sub>2</sub>, with the remaining 2% producing sulphur trioxide (SO<sub>3</sub>). The emitted SO<sub>2</sub> can also further oxidize to SO<sub>3</sub> and react with water to produce acid rain in the form of sulphuric acid (H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>).

Short-term exposures to SO<sub>2</sub> have shown adverse respiratory effects including bronchoconstriction and increased asthma symptoms.

### 2.1.5 Ozone (O<sub>3</sub>)

Ground-level ozone is not directly emitted into the air, but rather is formed by chemical reactions between NO<sub>x</sub> and volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in the presence of ultraviolet (UV) radiation. Ozone is a primary component of smog.

Breathing ozone can trigger a variety of health problems including chest pain, coughing, throat irritation, and congestion. It can also worsen bronchitis, emphysema, and asthma as well as reduce lung function and inflame the linings of the lungs, permanently scarring lung tissue under repeated exposure.

## 2.2 Ambient Air Standards

The maximum concentrations of air pollutants considered to be protective of the environment are defined in the *Air Pollution Control Regulations, 2004*. For the pollutants discussed in the report, the ambient air standards are detailed in Table 2.2.1.

**TABLE 2.2.1 - AMBIENT AIR STANDARDS IN NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR**

Pollutant	Averaging Period	Concentration (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	1-hour	35000
	8-hour	15000
Nitrogen Dioxide (NO <sub>2</sub> )	1-hour	400
	24-hour	200
	1-year	100
Ozone	1-hour	160
	8-hour	87
Particulate Matter < 2.5 microns (PM <sub>2.5</sub> )	24-hour	25
	1-year	8.8 *
Particulate Matter < 10 microns (PM <sub>10</sub> )	24-hour	50
Particulate Matter Total (TPM)	24-hour	120
	1-year	60
Sulphur Dioxide (SO <sub>2</sub> )	1-hour	900
	3-hour	600
	24-hour	300
	1-year	60

\* The 3 year average of the annual average concentrations

## 2.3 Monitoring in Newfoundland and Labrador

Table 2.3.1 provides the listing of monitoring stations in the province that measured pollutants during 2014. Figure 2.0.1 provides a picture of a typical ambient air monitoring station.

**TABLE 2.3.1 - POLLUTANT MONITORING IN NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR**

OPERATOR	STATION LOCATION	POLLUTANT						
		SO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub> / NO <sub>2</sub>	O <sub>3</sub>	TPM	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	CO
ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION + ENVIRONMENT CANADA (NAPS)	Water Street, St. John's	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
	Old Placentia Road, Mount Pearl	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
	Macpherson Avenue, Corner Brook	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
	Scott Avenue, Grand Falls Windsor	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
	Port aux Choix			✓				
	Burin	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
NALCOR ENERGY	Butterpot Road	✓	✓				✓	
	Green Acres Road	✓	✓		✓		✓	
	Indian Pond Drive	✓	✓		✓		✓	
	Indian Pond Road	✓	✓		✓		✓	
	Lawrence Pond Road	✓	✓		✓		✓	
	Property Boundary				✓		✓	
NORTH ATLANTIC REFINING LIMITED	Come by Chance	✓					✓	
	First Street, Arnold's Cove	✓					✓	
	Sunnyside	✓					✓	
	Property Boundary	✓					✓	
CORNER BROOK PULP AND PAPER	Main Street	✓			✓		✓	
	West Street				✓			

OPERATOR	STATION LOCATION	POLLUTANT						
		SO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub> / NO <sub>2</sub>	O <sub>3</sub>	TPM	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	CO
IRON ORE COMPANY OF CANADA	Hudson Drive				✓			
	Bartlett Drive				✓			
	Indian Point	✓	✓		✓		✓	
	Smokey Mountain	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
	Tamarack Drive	✓	✓		✓		✓	
VALE NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR LIMITED	Voisey's Bay Camp		✓				✓	
	Voisey's Bay Process Area		✓					
	Voisey's Bay Port				✓			
	Long Harbour Community Centre		✓				✓	
	Long Harbour Main Road		✓				✓	
	Long Harbour Property Boundary		✓				✓	
WABUSH MINES	Bond Street	✓			✓		✓	
	Cabot Drive				✓		✓	
	Hydro Substation				✓	✓	✓	

**FIGURE 2.0.1 - TYPICAL AMBIENT AIR MONITORING STATION**



NAPS monitoring station in Mt. Pearl



## 2.4 Air Quality Health Index (AQHI)

The Air Quality Health Index (AQHI) is a numerical scale designed to help an individual understand what the air quality means to your health. Ranging from 1 to 10+, the higher the number on the scale the greater the health risk associated with air quality. Specifically the AQHI health messages are defined in Table 2.4.1.

The AQHI is calculated on an hourly basis and considers the combined relative health risks of O<sub>3</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>2</sub>. Data for the calculation of AQHI is currently being collected at the NAPS stations and at the Smokey Mountain station operated by the Iron Ore Company of Canada. The hourly AQHI is published to the Environment Canada weather office website.

[http://weather.gc.ca/airquality/pages/provincial\\_summary/nl\\_e.html](http://weather.gc.ca/airquality/pages/provincial_summary/nl_e.html)

**TABLE 2.4.1 - AQHI HEALTH MESSAGES**

AQHI READING	HEALTH RISK LEVEL	HEALTH MESSAGES	
		GENERAL POPULATION	AT RISK POPULATION
1-3	LOW	Ideal air quality for outdoor activities.	Enjoy your usual outdoor activities.
4-6	MODERATE	No need to modify your usual outdoor activities unless you experience symptoms such as coughing and throat irritation.	Consider reducing or rescheduling strenuous activities outdoors if you are experiencing symptoms.
7-10	HIGH	Consider reducing or rescheduling strenuous activities outdoors if you experience symptoms such as coughing and throat irritation.	Reduce or reschedule strenuous activities outdoors. Children and the elderly should also take it easy.
10+	VERY HIGH	Reduce or reschedule strenuous activities outdoors, especially if you experience symptoms such as coughing and throat irritation.	Avoid strenuous activities outdoors. Children and the elderly should also avoid outdoor physical exertion.

## 2.5 Data Validity and Acceptability

All air monitoring data monitored in both the NAPS network and the industrial monitoring network undergoes a quality assurance and quality control procedure before being published. This procedure ensures that any anomalous readings or questionable data is not incorporated into the published dataset. Elements of this procedure account for:

- Routine calibration and auditing of the analyzers
- Zero correction of the baseline drift and noise
- Analyzer “Status Flag” activation
- Shelter temperature analysis
- Statistical rendering of outliers

Further details on the quality assurance and quality control procedures can be found in the Departmental *Guidelines for Ambient Air Monitoring (GD-PPD-065)* ([http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/env/env\\_protection/science/gd\\_ppd\\_065.pdf](http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/env/env_protection/science/gd_ppd_065.pdf)) and in the *National Air Pollution Surveillance (NAPS) Program Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) Guidelines*.

### 3.0 National Air Pollution Surveillance (NAPS) Network

The NAPS network in the province is primarily established to monitor the air quality in urbanized settings and in neighbourhoods away from the influences of industrial operations. In 2014 there were five permanent sites operational with a complete suite monitoring ( $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ ,  $\text{NO}_x$  /  $\text{NO}_2$ ,  $\text{CO}$  and  $\text{O}_3$ ), and one which monitored  $\text{O}_3$  only. The NAPS stations with a complete suite of monitoring provide the data necessary to calculate the AQHI.

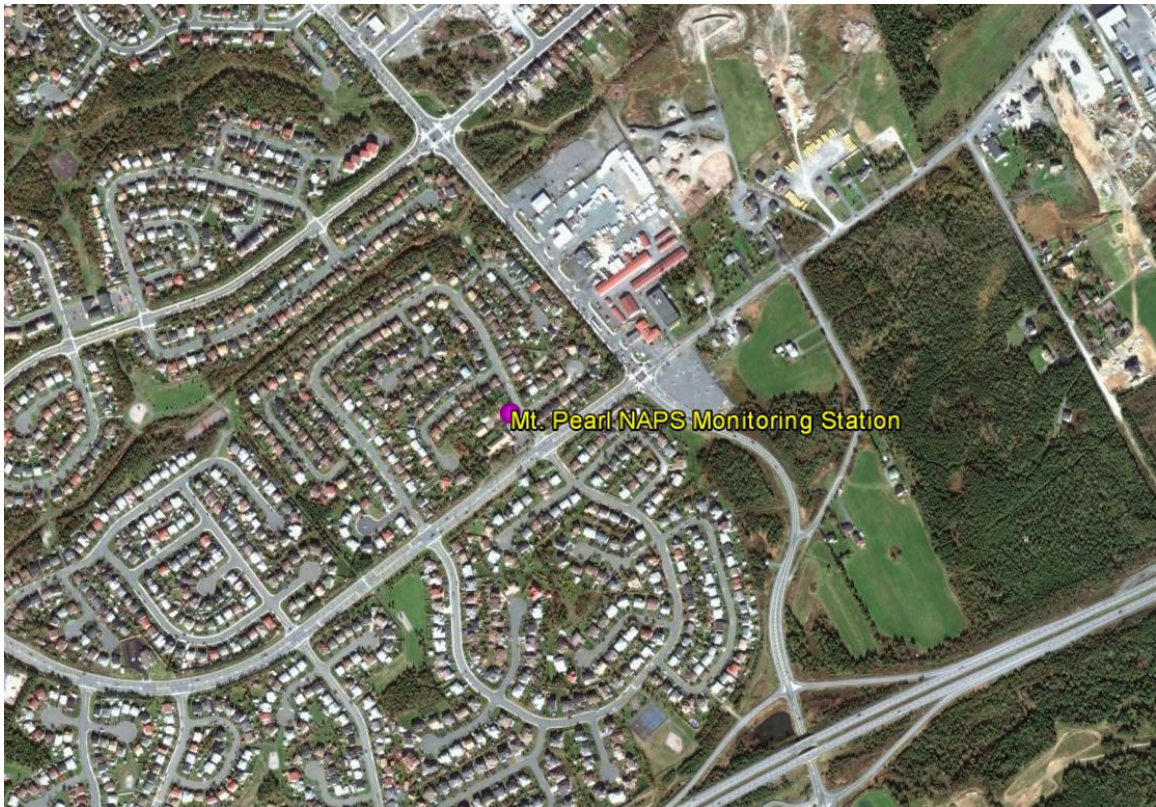
The five permanent sites were located in St. John's on Water Street, in Mt. Pearl on Old Placentia Road, in Grand Falls Windsor on Scott Avenue, in Corner Brook on Macpherson Avenue and in Burin at the Highway Depot. The station which monitored  $\text{O}_3$  only was located at the Town Depot in Port aux Choix.

The maps identifying the location of the NAPS stations in the St. John's and Mt. Pearl are presented in Figures 3.0.1 and 3.0.2, while the location of the Grand Falls Windsor station is presented in Figure 3.0.3. The location of the Corner Brook station is presented in Figure 3.0.4 while Figure 3.0.5 presents the location of the Port aux Choix Station. The location of the Burin station is presented in Figure 3.0.6.

**FIGURE 3.0.1 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN ST. JOHN'S**



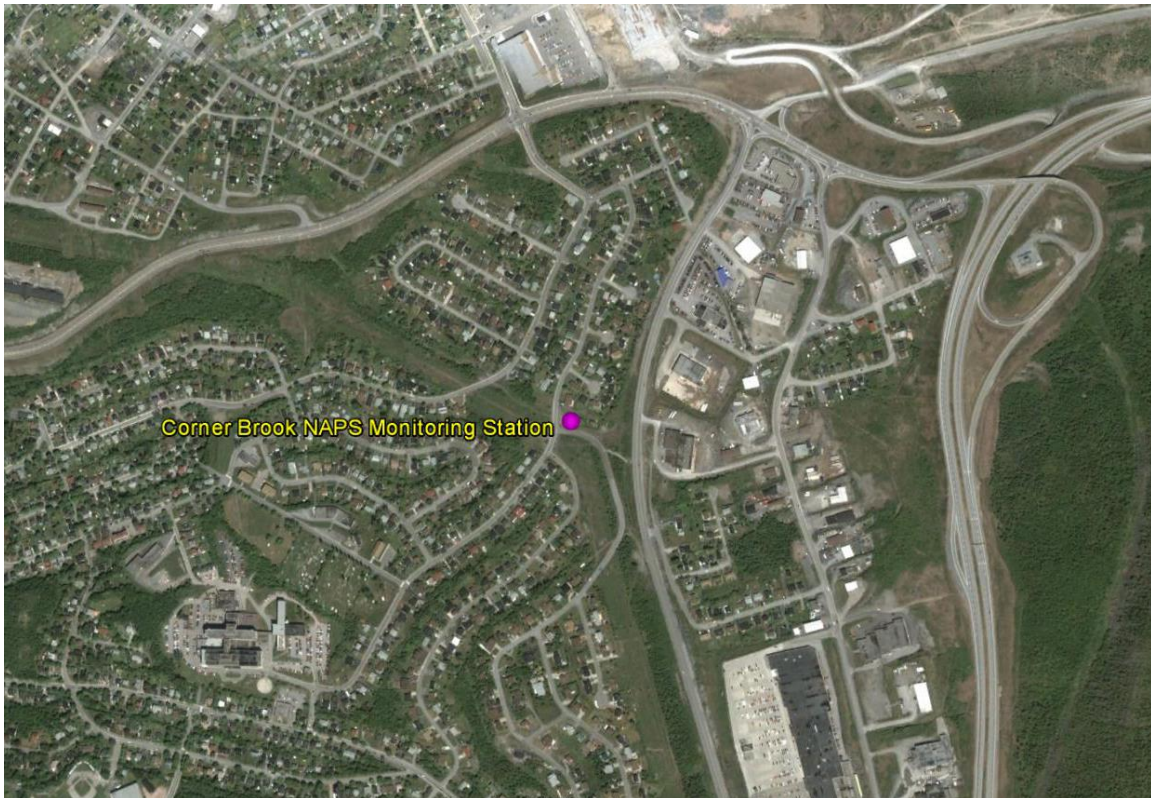
**FIGURE 3.0.2 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN MOUNT PEARL**



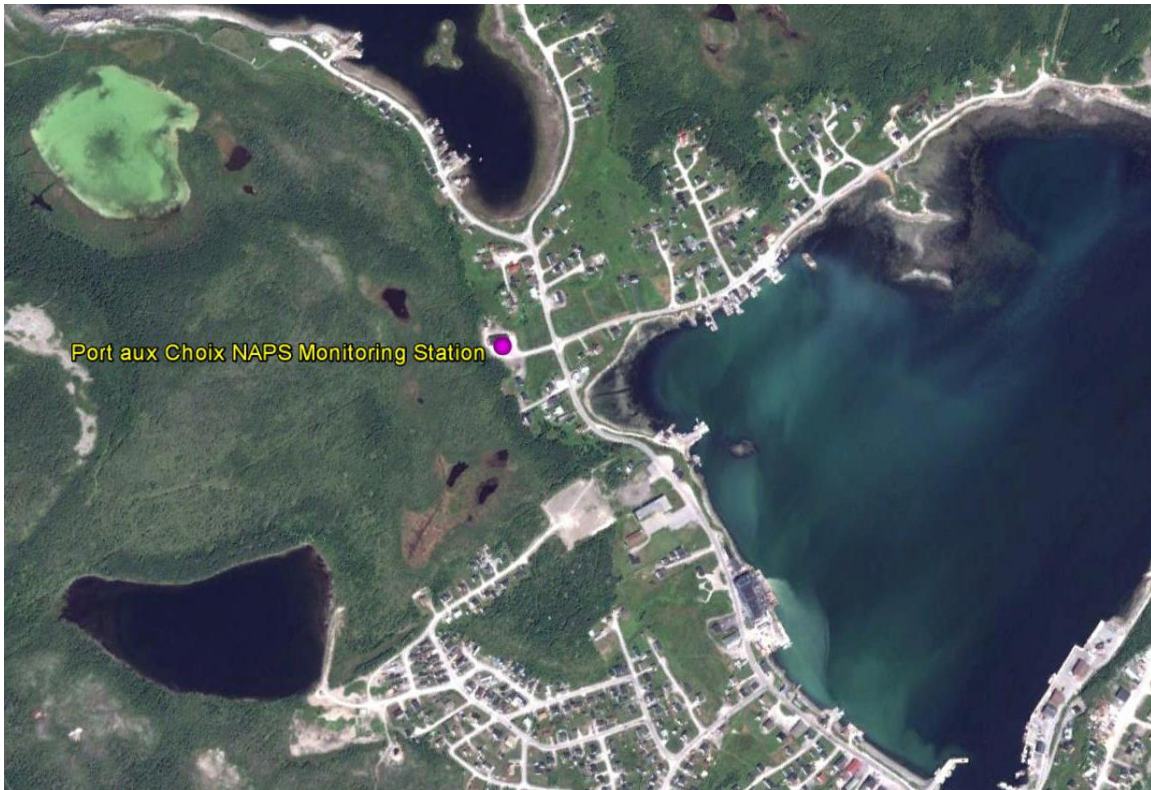
**FIGURE 3.0.3 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN GRAND FALLS WINDSOR**



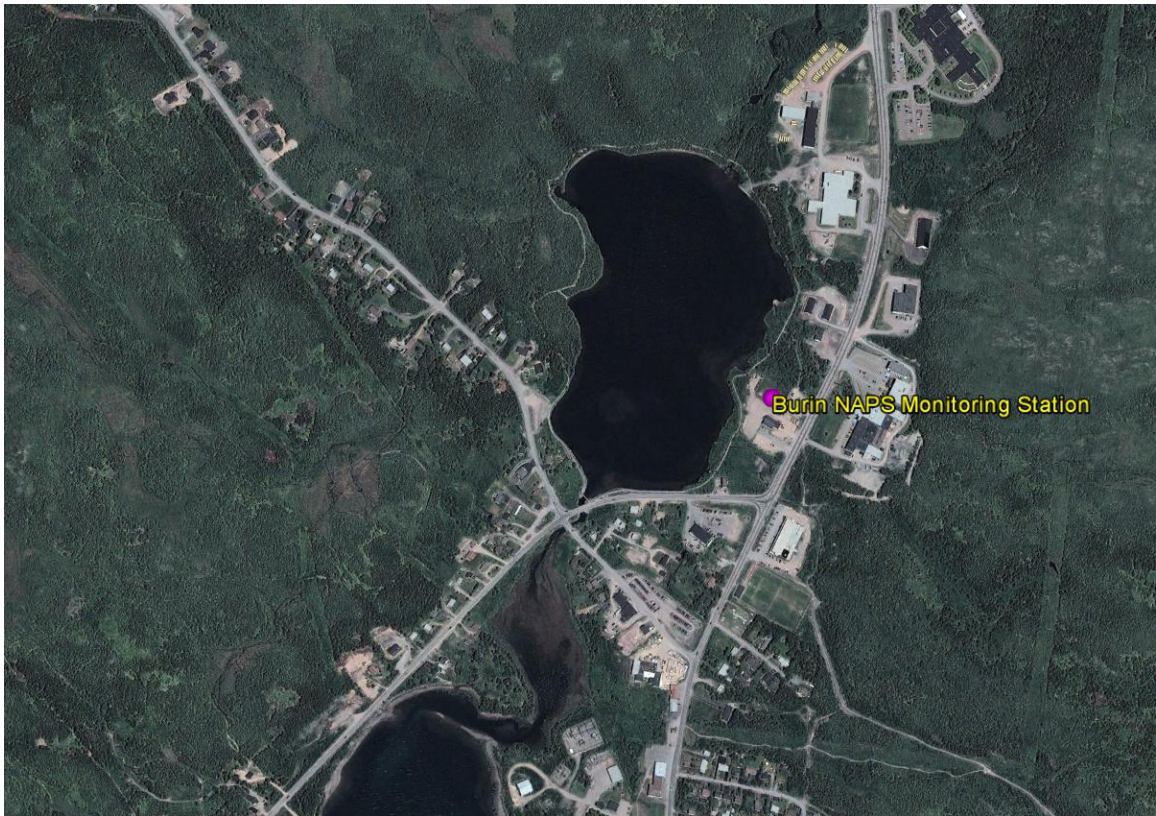
**FIGURE 3.0.4 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN CORNER BROOK**



**FIGURE 3.0.5 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN PORT AUX CHOIX**



**FIGURE 3.0.6 - NAPS MONITORING STATION IN BURIN**



### **3.1 St. John's**

The St. John's NAPS monitoring station is located on Water Street near the convention centre and monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and CO, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. For O<sub>3</sub>, the 8-hour standard was exceeded four times in 2014, once in March, twice in April and once in August.

Tables 3.1.1 through 3.1.5 present the summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the St. John's NAPS station, while Figures 3.1.1 through 3.1.5 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant. Table 3.1.6 provides a summary of the AQHI while Figure 3.1.6 provides a graphical representation of the percentage of time the AQHI values were below a given level in 2014.

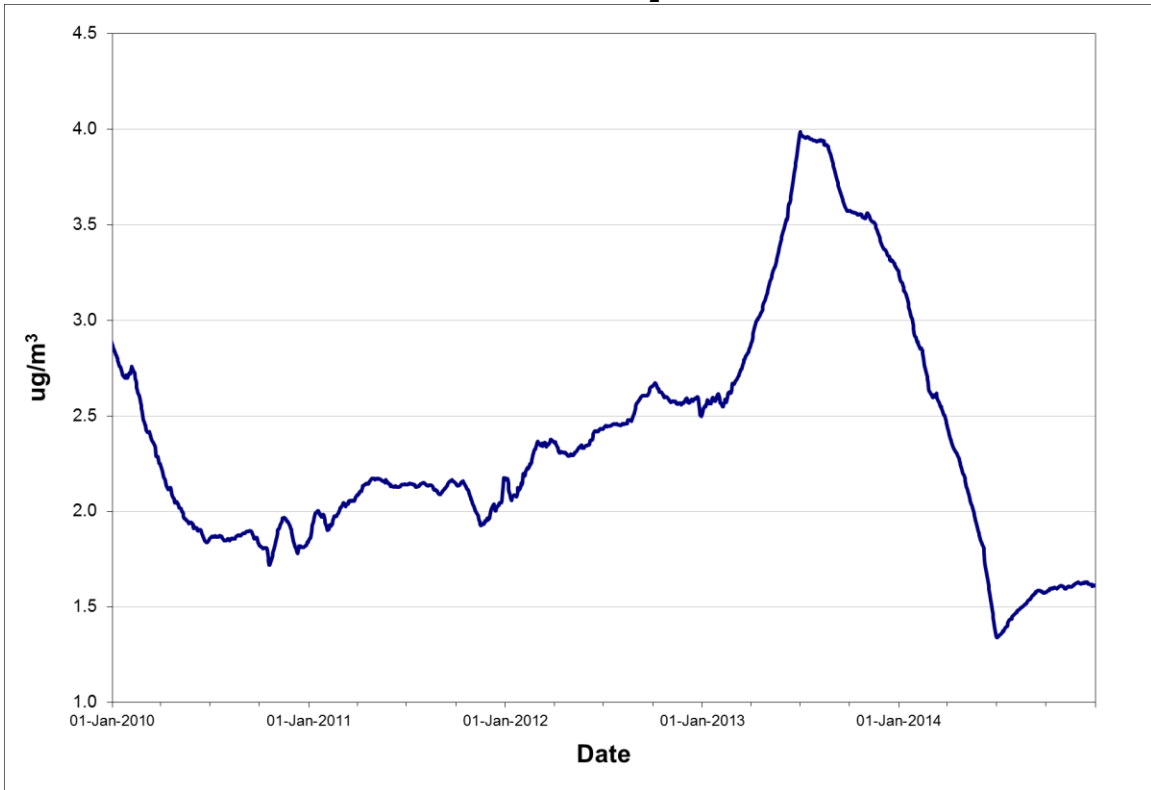
**TABLE 3.1.1 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	630	84.7%	6.0	29.0	22.8	10.0	0	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	6.7	40.1	36.0	16.0	0	0	0
	March	729	98.0%	5.0	13.9	11.7	7.1	0	0	0
	April	623	86.5%	4.7	14.7	13.4	7.5	0	0	0
	May	693	93.1%	5.1	15.2	12.4	6.4	0	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	7.9	47.8	41.0	19.2	0	0	0
	July	734	98.7%	0.7	11.5	10.1	5.2	0	0	0
	August	739	99.3%	0.5	13.3	9.0	2.2	0	0	0
	September	713	99.0%	0.6	5.4	4.9	2.2	0	0	0
	October	711	95.6%	0.7	3.9	3.4	1.7	0	0	0
	November	632	87.8%	0.5	4.3	3.4	1.9	0	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	1.3	18.9	12.1	3.8	0	0	0
Annual		8332	95.1%	3.3	47.8	41.0	19.2	0	0	0
2014	January	669	89.9%	1.6	20.0	10.1	3.3	0	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	3.0	17.5	12.6	6.9	0	0	0
	March	738	99.2%	3.0	20.8	17.6	8.4	0	0	0
	April	713	99.0%	1.3	9.7	7.7	3.7	0	0	0
	May	742	99.7%	1.2	14.0	6.8	3.4	0	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	1.7	13.9	9.5	3.2	0	0	0
	July	717	96.4%	2.0	14.5	8.0	5.3	0	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	1.5	9.6	4.9	2.6	0	0	0
	September	628	87.2%	1.0	7.5	4.1	1.9	0	0	0
	October	679	91.3%	1.0	16.8	5.8	2.4	0	0	0
	November	618	85.8%	0.8	5.6	3.9	1.5	0	0	0
	December	739	99.3%	1.1	10.2	5.7	3.4	0	0	0
Annual		8373	95.6%	1.6	20.8	17.6	8.4	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 3.1.1 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



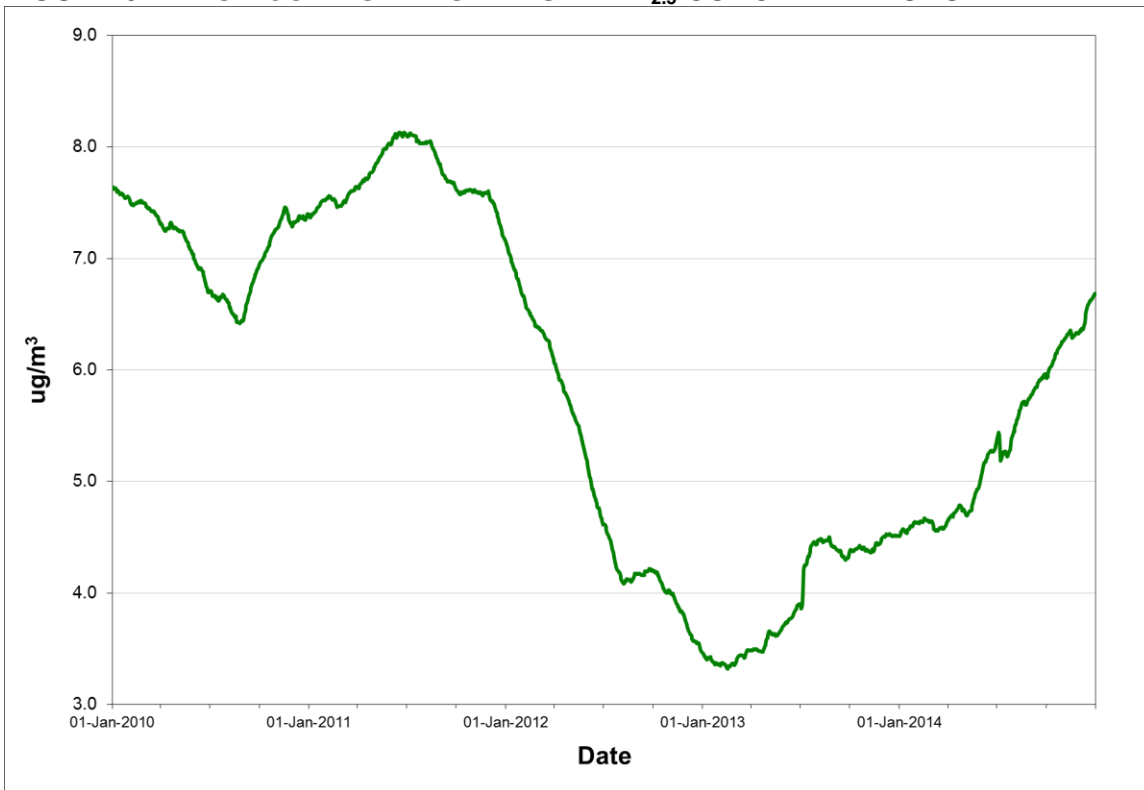
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.1.2 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	24	77.4%	1.6	5.7	0
	February	27	96.4%	2.9	6.4	0
	March	30	96.8%	4.3	12.1	0
	April	25	83.3%	5.6	16.8	0
	May	25	80.6%	5.4	10.3	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.4	8.7	0
	July	31	100.0%	10.1	60.5	2
	August	31	100.0%	5.6	13.8	0
	September	30	100.0%	3.8	12.8	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.4	11.5	0
	November	30	100.0%	3.7	9.5	0
	December	30	96.8%	1.7	5.4	0
Annual		344	94.2%	4.5	60.5	2
2014	January	25	80.6%	3.5	10.3	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.1	8.0	0
	March	30	96.8%	4.3	8.4	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.6	11.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	8.4	13.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	9.3	13.6	0
	July	31	100.0%	11.1	21.5	0
	August	31	100.0%	9.3	17.8	0
	September	26	86.7%	6.1	14.0	0
	October	23	74.2%	7.2	16.9	0
	November	25	83.3%	4.2	7.3	0
	December	30	96.8%	5.7	20.3	0
Annual		340	93.2%	6.7	21.5	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.1.2 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



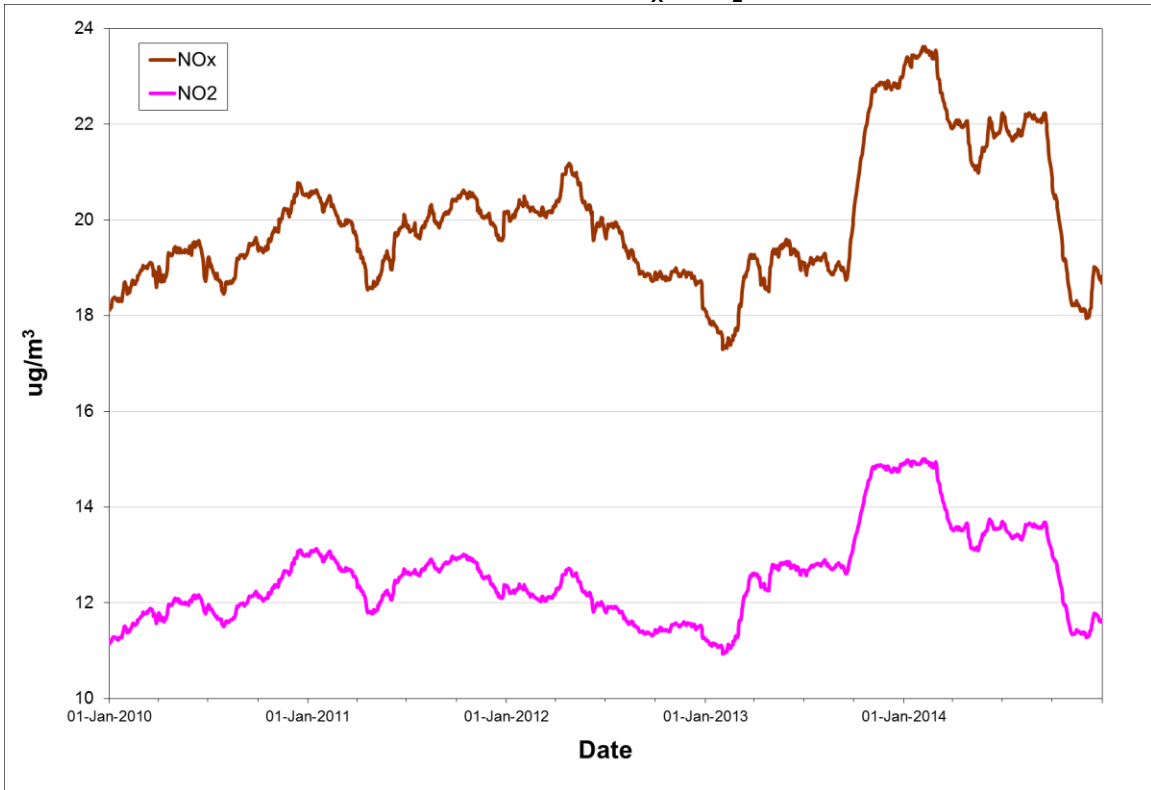
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 3.1.3 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	630	84.7%	15.0	11.5	241.3	76.1	38.0	24.4	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	19.8	14.1	182.7	82.8	61.8	42.9	0	0
	March	729	98.0%	35.2	27.7	249.5	95.2	76.5	54.5	0	0
	April	622	86.4%	20.0	13.7	283.6	96.0	86.3	56.7	0	0
	May	693	93.1%	22.3	12.8	374.4	84.2	75.3	46.2	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	19.9	12.0	161.7	63.7	56.2	27.9	0	0
	July	735	98.8%	16.0	9.3	245.3	58.7	46.4	25.9	0	0
	August	739	99.3%	13.4	8.3	124.3	72.5	37.4	23.6	0	0
	September	714	99.2%	28.0	14.7	221.1	47.8	95.5	33.8	0	0
	October	734	98.7%	46.1	28.3	163.2	44.1	79.9	37.0	0	0
	November	714	99.2%	21.6	13.6	96.7	44.3	59.2	38.3	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	18.3	12.2	272.9	76.8	60.1	32.2	0	0
Annual		8438	96.3%	23.1	14.9	374.4	96.0	95.5	56.7	0	0
2014	January	665	89.4%	20.2	11.5	308.0	86.2	105.1	49.1	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	20.6	14.5	188.7	82.7	56.2	36.9	0	0
	March	738	99.2%	16.6	11.5	165.7	72.4	48.2	30.8	0	0
	April	715	99.3%	16.5	11.7	250.1	98.0	37.1	23.4	0	0
	May	742	99.7%	20.9	14.0	270.0	74.4	55.7	28.7	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	28.3	14.5	233.0	69.4	67.8	31.4	0	0
	July	738	99.2%	12.1	6.1	282.6	56.7	58.0	17.9	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	16.3	10.6	115.4	66.3	52.7	30.6	0	0
	September	630	87.5%	11.6	7.4	116.7	56.9	30.9	17.1	0	0
	October	680	91.4%	20.0	11.3	215.2	62.6	80.9	34.8	0	0
	November	618	85.8%	15.3	11.0	121.9	69.7	36.3	27.1	0	0
	December	739	99.3%	24.6	14.8	353.7	137.6	139.3	53.1	0	0
Annual		8395	95.8%	18.7	11.6	353.7	137.6	139.3	53.1	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.1.3 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



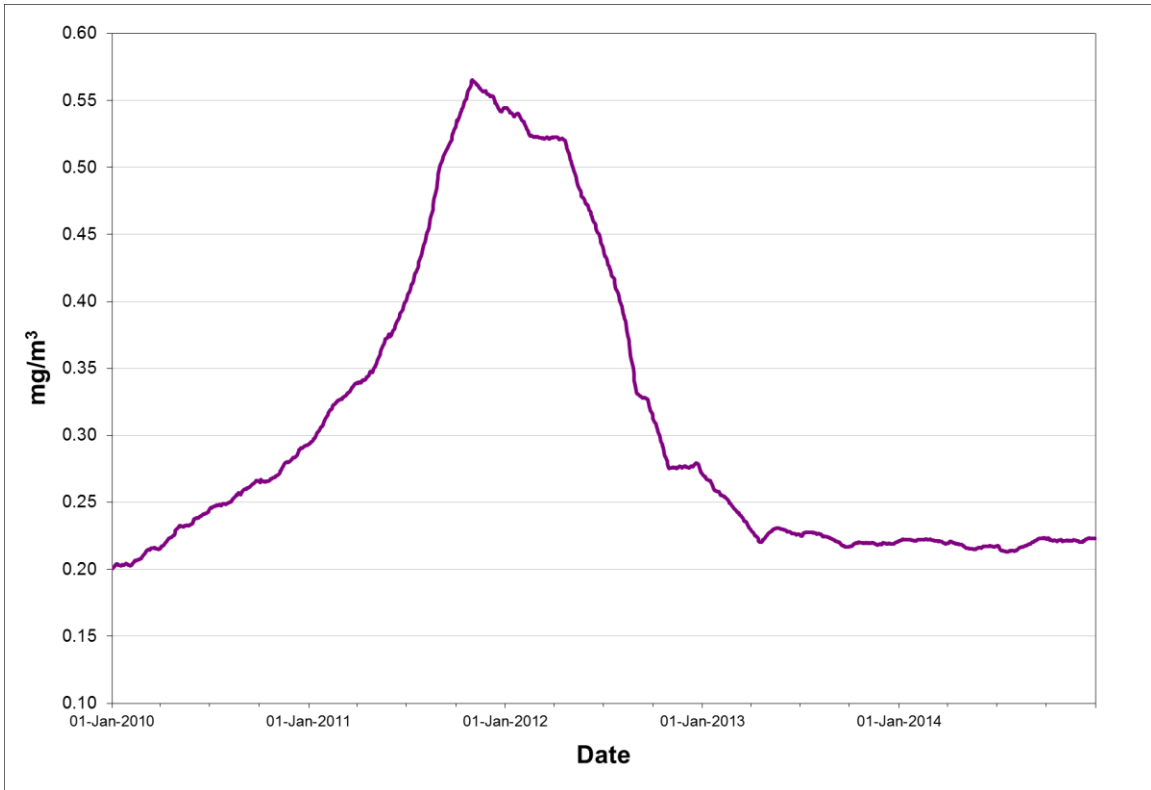
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.1.4 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS CO SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>35)	8-Hour (>15)
2013	January	605	81.3%	0.2	0.8	0.4	0	0
	February	659	98.1%	0.2	1.0	0.6	0	0
	March	729	98.0%	0.3	0.8	0.5	0	0
	April	621	86.3%	0.3	0.6	0.4	0	0
	May	693	93.1%	0.2	0.7	0.4	0	0
	June	718	99.7%	0.2	1.0	0.4	0	0
	July	736	98.9%	0.2	1.1	0.9	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
	September	715	99.3%	0.2	0.6	0.4	0	0
	October	734	98.7%	0.3	1.6	0.9	0	0
	November	714	99.2%	0.2	0.7	0.6	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	0.2	1.0	0.5	0	0
Annual		8406	96.0%	0.2	1.6	0.9	0	0
2014	January	670	90.1%	0.2	1.0	0.5	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	0.2	1.0	0.4	0	0
	March	738	99.2%	0.2	1.0	0.4	0	0
	April	715	99.3%	0.2	1.5	0.5	0	0
	May	742	99.7%	0.2	1.5	0.5	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	0.2	0.7	0.4	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.2	1.2	0.5	0	0
	September	630	87.5%	0.2	0.9	0.5	0	0
	October	668	89.8%	0.2	1.6	0.5	0	0
	November	618	85.8%	0.2	1.4	0.5	0	0
	December	739	99.3%	0.2	1.4	0.6	0	0
Annual		8389	95.8%	0.2	1.6	0.6	0	0

Observations in mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.1.4 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS ANNUAL CO CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

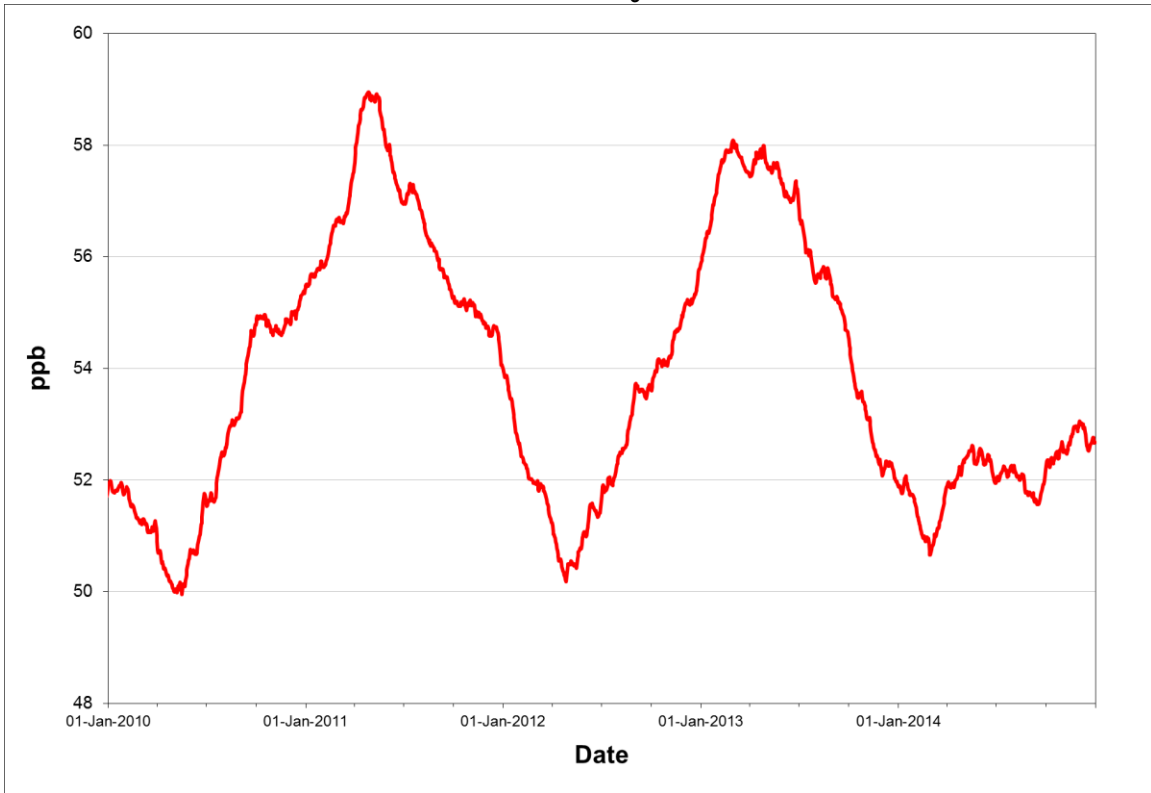
**TABLE 3.1.5 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	630	84.7%	63.6	81.3	80.3	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	69.6	91.4	90.5	0	4
	March	108	14.5%	55.1	137.2	73.3	0	0
	April	560	77.8%	65.2	95.0	92.6	0	4
	May	693	93.1%	55.6	91.7	84.6	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	45.5	84.1	79.4	0	0
	July	737	99.1%	41.6	88.2	76.2	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	49.5	111.9	108.3	0	2
	September	713	99.0%	40.1	91.7	68.4	0	0
	October	734	98.7%	37.9	68.7	65.3	0	0
	November	713	99.0%	49.4	76.9	73.3	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	58.5	78.3	75.1	0	0
Annual		7756	88.5%	51.9	137.2	108.3	0	10
2014	January	670	90.1%	59.4	84.8	80.4	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	58.5	85.3	79.9	0	0
	March	738	99.2%	65.2	91.6	87.9	0	1
	April	716	99.4%	67.6	95.6	87.7	0	2
	May	742	99.7%	58.0	99.5	80.0	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	38.4	75.4	71.0	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	45.1	96.3	76.7	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	43.9	104.3	92.9	0	1
	September	628	87.2%	44.0	122.2	84.0	0	0
	October	680	91.4%	42.6	82.0	78.3	0	0
	November	618	85.8%	53.1	83.5	71.6	0	0
	December	740	99.5%	55.5	86.7	85.9	0	0
Annual		8401	95.9%	52.7	122.2	92.9	0	4

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 3.1.5 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**

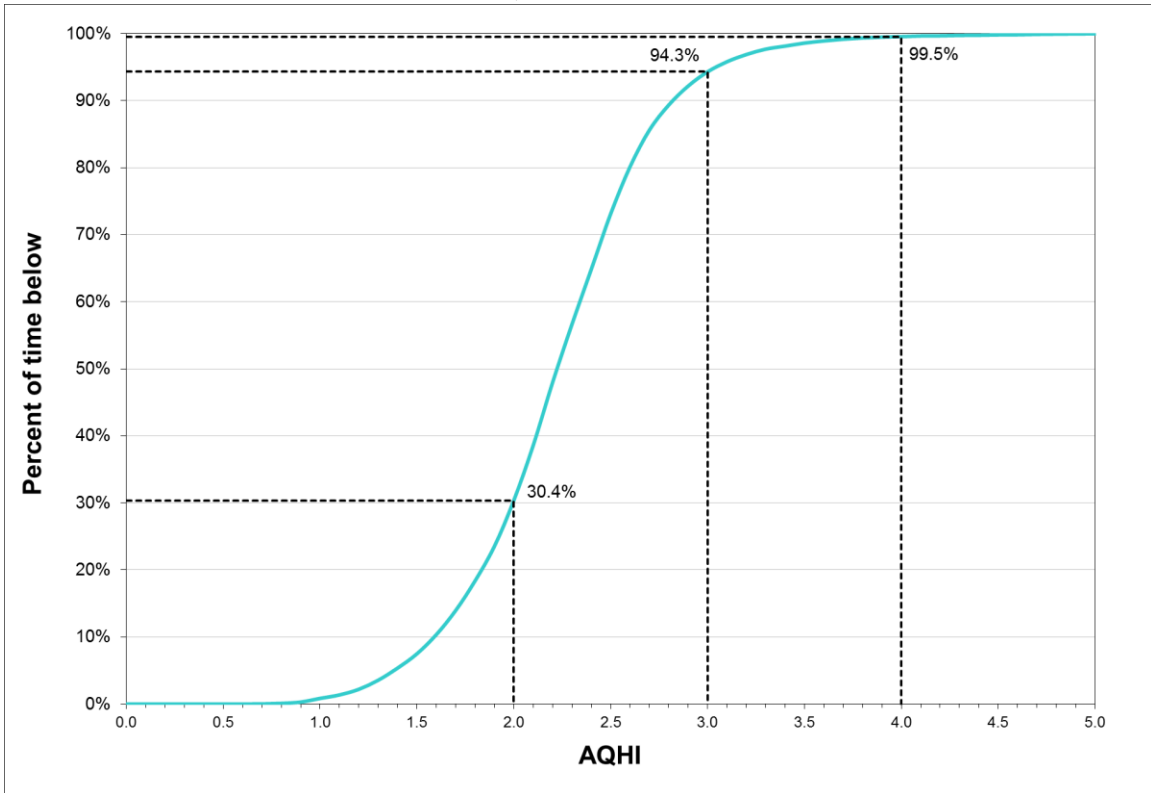


Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.1.6 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS AQHI SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2013	January	608	81.7%	2.3	3.4
	February	655	97.5%	2.6	4.4
	March	108	14.5%	3.5	5.1
	April	559	77.6%	2.6	5.0
	May	630	84.7%	2.3	4.9
	June	718	99.7%	2.0	3.8
	July	738	99.2%	2.0	8.1
	August	744	100.0%	1.9	4.0
	September	710	98.6%	1.9	3.3
	October	734	98.7%	2.4	3.7
	November	699	97.1%	2.1	4.1
	December	695	93.4%	2.2	3.7
Annual		7598	86.7%	2.2	8.1
2014	January	626	84.1%	2.3	4.7
	February	651	96.9%	2.3	4.0
	March	724	97.3%	2.5	4.0
	April	720	100.0%	2.6	5.0
	May	744	100.0%	2.6	3.9
	June	718	99.7%	2.1	4.0
	July	739	99.3%	2.0	4.3
	August	742	99.7%	2.1	4.3
	September	628	87.2%	1.8	3.5
	October	562	75.5%	1.9	3.2
	November	614	85.3%	2.1	3.5
	December	726	97.6%	2.4	5.2
Annual		8194	93.5%	2.2	5.2

**FIGURE 3.1.6 - ST. JOHN'S NAPS AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 94.3% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0

## 3.2 Mt. Pearl

The Mt. Pearl NAPS monitoring station is located on Old Placentia Road near Admiralty House and monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, and CO, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. For O<sub>3</sub>, the 8-hour ambient standard was exceeded on two occasions in April 2014, while the 24-hour PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard was exceeded once in February.

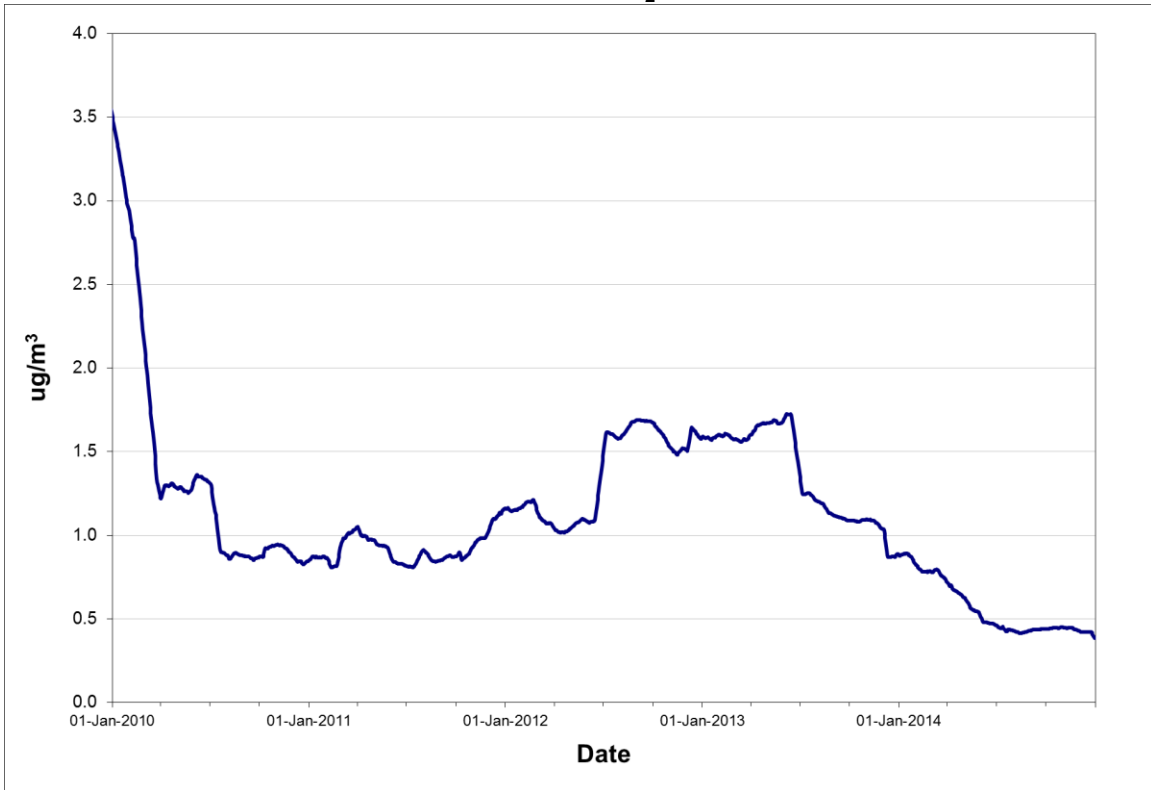
Tables 3.2.1 through 3.2.5 present the summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Mt. Pearl NAPS station, while Figures 3.2.1 through 3.2.5 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant. Table 3.2.6 provides a summary of the AQHI while Figure 3.2.6 provides a graphical representation of the percentage of time the AQHI values were below a given level in 2014.

**TABLE 3.2.1 - MT. PEARL NAPS SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	727	97.7%	1.5	20.5	14.2	4.3	0	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	1.3	16.9	10.9	3.6	0	0	0
	March	737	99.1%	1.3	18.6	7.6	3.4	0	0	0
	April	713	99.0%	1.4	12.7	8.9	5.6	0	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	1.3	3.8	3.5	3.1	0	0	0
	June	627	87.1%	1.0	5.0	4.8	3.6	0	0	0
	July	697	93.7%	0.7	10.6	5.9	2.4	0	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	0.4	2.4	2.0	1.5	0	0	0
	September	714	99.2%	0.1	1.6	1.2	0.6	0	0	0
	October	656	88.2%	0.1	2.7	1.3	0.6	0	0	0
	November	639	88.8%	0.5	2.1	2.0	1.4	0	0	0
	December	740	99.5%	0.8	21.1	14.9	4.6	0	0	0
Annual		8401	95.9%	0.9	21.1	14.9	5.6	0	0	0
2014	January	721	96.9%	0.9	19.1	7.9	2.4	0	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	0.8	36.9	16.6	2.5	0	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	0.6	17.8	11.2	3.0	0	0	0
	April	712	98.9%	0.3	24.1	19.0	2.8	0	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	0.1	13.4	6.0	1.3	0	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	0.2	4.8	3.2	0.9	0	0	0
	July	738	99.2%	0.3	15.0	9.8	3.0	0	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.4	10.9	3.8	0.9	0	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	0.3	2.4	1.5	0.8	0	0	0
	October	733	98.5%	0.3	2.7	1.8	0.7	0	0	0
	November	682	94.7%	0.2	1.1	0.9	0.4	0	0	0
	December	493	66.3%	0.3	2.9	1.2	0.6	0	0	0
Annual		8401	95.9%	0.4	36.9	19.0	3.0	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.2.1 - MT. PEARL NAPS ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



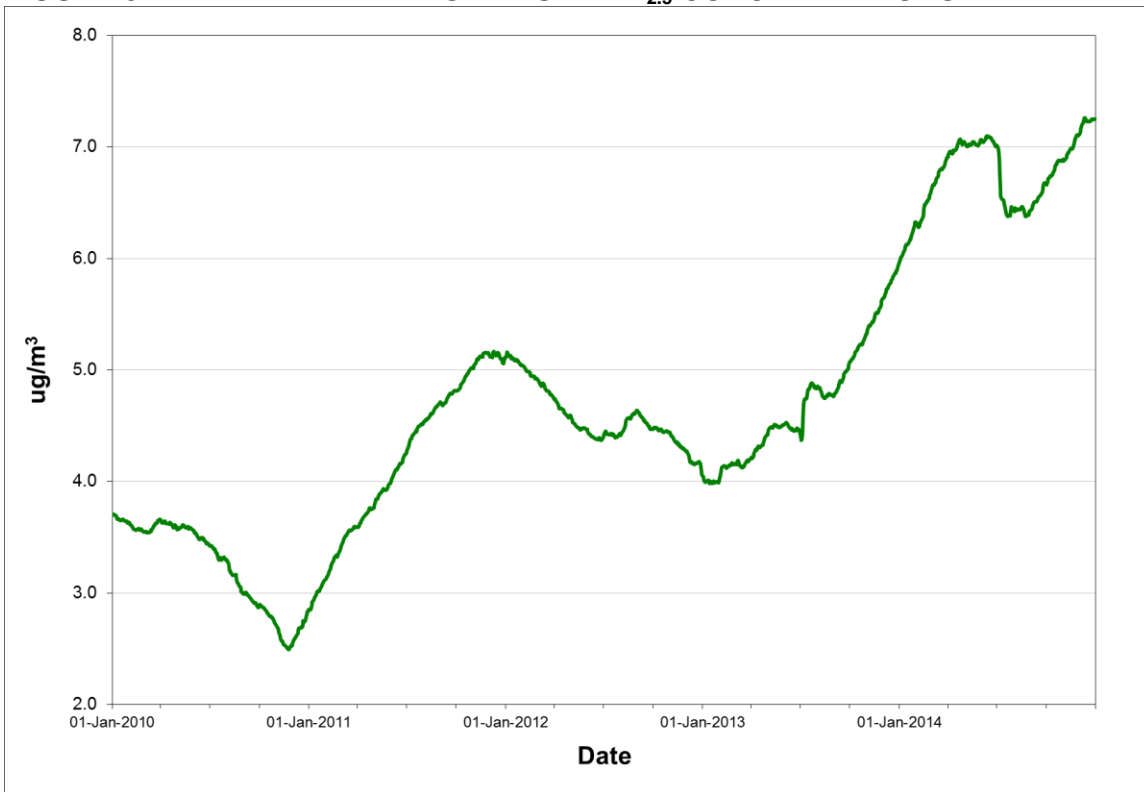
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.2.2 - MT. PEARL NAPS PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	30	96.8%	4.0	10.0	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.8	17.8	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.6	11.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.5	11.5	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.8	10.6	0
	June	27	90.0%	3.6	9.7	0
	July	30	96.8%	10.3	57.0	2
	August	31	100.0%	5.4	12.5	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.5	11.3	0
	October	27	87.1%	6.9	10.2	0
	November	30	100.0%	6.7	12.4	0
	December	31	100.0%	7.3	11.0	0
Annual		356	97.5%	6.0	57.0	2
2014	January	29	93.5%	8.4	12.9	0
	February	28	100.0%	9.2	30.2	1
	March	31	100.0%	8.3	11.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	8.0	13.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.1	9.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	3.2	6.8	0
	July	31	100.0%	3.7	18.9	0
	August	23	74.2%	4.9	9.1	0
	September	30	100.0%	8.3	13.0	0
	October	31	100.0%	9.3	19.3	0
	November	28	93.3%	9.5	13.7	0
	December	31	100.0%	8.9	14.2	0
Annual		353	96.7%	7.2	30.2	1

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.2.2 - MT. PEARL NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

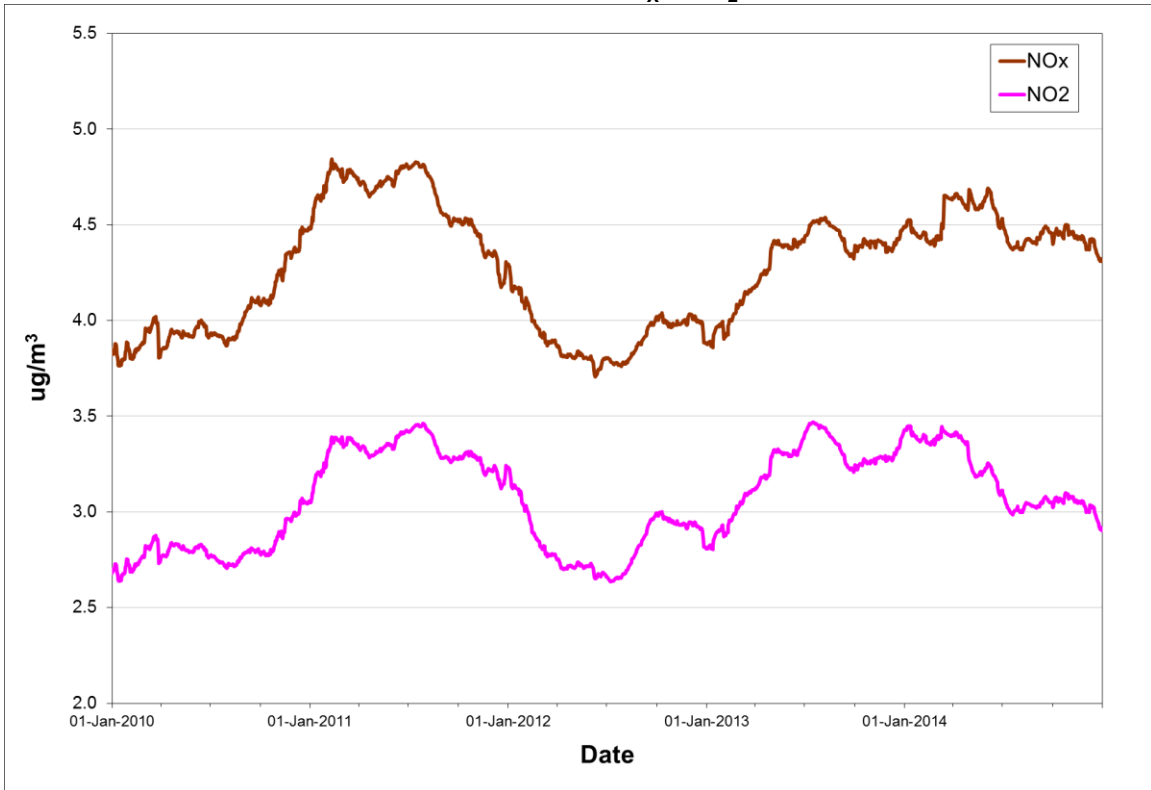


**TABLE 3.2.3 - MT. PEARL NAPS NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	725	97.4%	5.7	4.7	81.3	50.7	16.7	12.2	0	0
	February	667	99.3%	5.5	4.3	91.3	53.4	20.1	16.8	0	0
	March	741	99.6%	4.4	3.4	58.0	41.1	10.4	8.3	0	0
	April	714	99.2%	5.0	4.0	72.7	51.9	22.6	18.8	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	3.8	2.8	23.8	18.3	8.6	7.2	0	0
	June	695	96.5%	5.3	3.8	136.5	67.5	17.8	9.7	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	3.7	2.6	36.6	24.7	8.3	5.9	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	2.4	1.6	21.9	20.1	5.2	4.0	0	0
	September	710	98.6%	3.4	2.4	119.8	22.4	16.7	8.6	0	0
	October	655	88.0%	5.1	3.6	214.4	72.3	19.8	10.3	0	0
	November	714	99.2%	4.4	3.4	50.9	40.1	11.4	8.8	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	5.4	4.7	47.2	37.7	12.9	10.0	0	0
Annual		8585	98.0%	4.5	3.4	214.4	72.3	22.6	18.8	0	0
2014	January	721	96.9%	5.0	4.1	70.3	68.5	15.1	12.5	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	5.5	4.5	68.5	66.1	10.4	8.6	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	6.8	3.6	112.3	64.4	42.8	14.8	0	0
	April	626	86.9%	5.5	2.2	82.2	33.4	40.4	8.1	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	3.3	2.3	70.4	19.8	9.4	5.5	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	3.9	2.4	58.2	33.8	16.6	9.1	0	0
	July	738	99.2%	2.0	1.3	52.7	22.8	7.4	5.7	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	2.7	1.8	28.7	21.3	8.3	6.0	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	3.8	2.6	78.7	24.8	13.0	6.0	0	0
	October	732	98.4%	5.2	3.8	97.9	37.2	16.4	11.4	0	0
	November	692	96.1%	3.9	3.0	77.6	55.5	9.3	7.2	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	4.3	3.2	111.9	55.0	23.6	16.6	0	0
Annual		8576	97.9%	4.3	2.9	112.3	68.5	42.8	16.6	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.2.3 - MT. PEARL NAPS ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



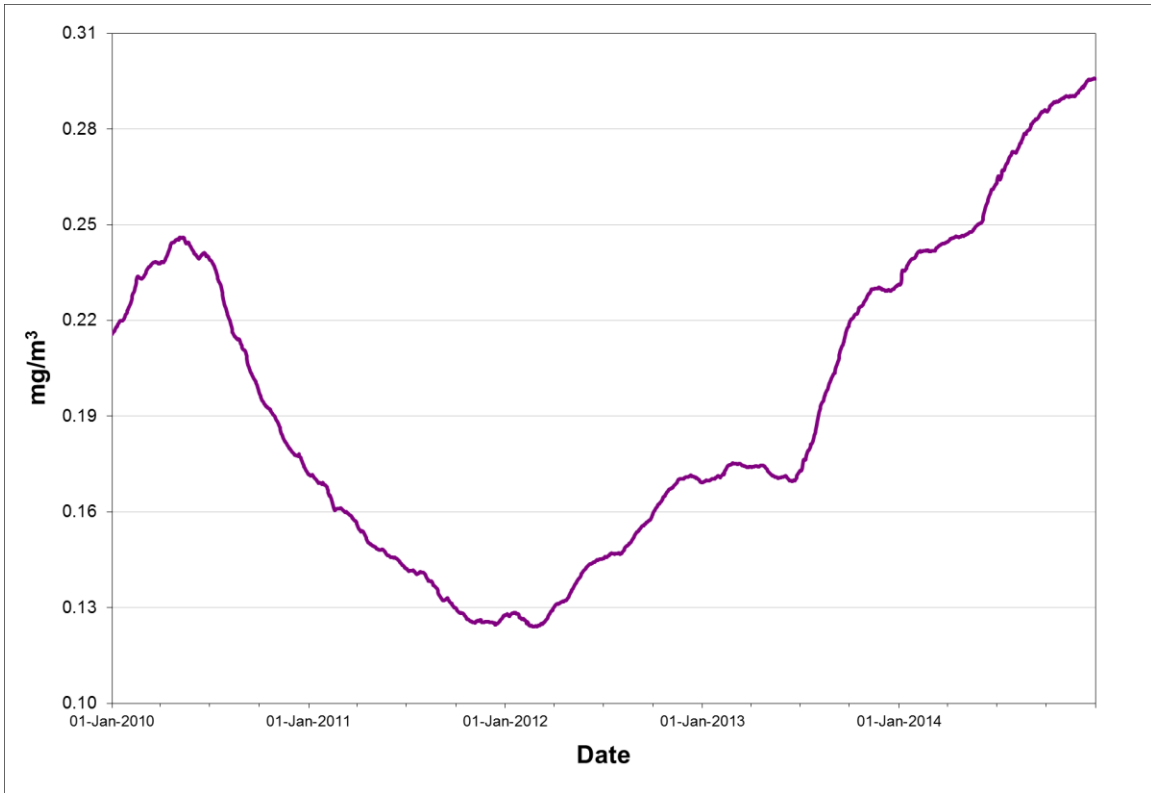
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.2.4 - MT. PEARL NAPS CO SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>35)	8-Hour (>15)
2013	January	727	97.7%	0.2	0.9	0.3	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	0.2	1.8	0.6	0	0
	March	742	99.7%	0.2	0.6	0.3	0	0
	April	199	27.6%	0.2	0.4	0.2	0	0
	May	0	0.0%					
	June	507	70.4%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	July	703	94.5%	0.3	1.0	0.8	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	0.3	0.8	0.5	0	0
	September	710	98.6%	0.3	0.8	0.4	0	0
	October	655	88.0%	0.3	1.3	0.4	0	0
	November	715	99.3%	0.2	0.6	0.5	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
Annual		7108	81.1%	0.2	1.8	0.8	0	0
2014	January	720	96.8%	0.3	1.0	0.8	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	0.2	0.8	0.4	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	0.2	1.5	0.5	0	0
	April	713	99.0%	0.3	0.5	0.3	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	0.3	0.4	0.3	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	0.3	0.5	0.4	0	0
	July	738	99.2%	0.4	0.5	0.5	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.4	0.7	0.5	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	0.4	0.6	0.5	0	0
	October	733	98.5%	0.3	1.1	0.5	0	0
	November	692	96.1%	0.2	0.6	0.3	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	0.2	1.3	0.4	0	0
Annual		8662	98.9%	0.3	1.5	0.8	0	0

Observations in mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.2.4 - MT. PEARL NAPS ANNUAL CO CONCENTRATIONS**



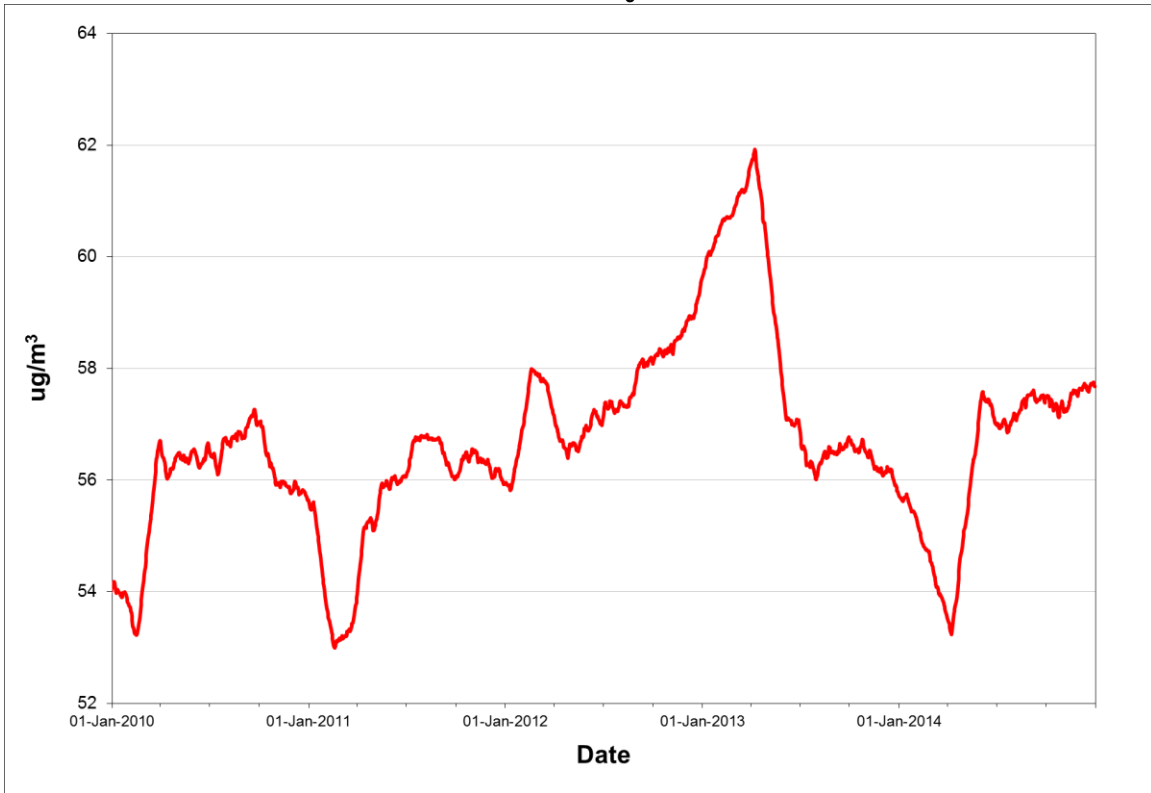
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.2.5 - MT. PEARL NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	727	97.7%	66.9	81.6	79.6	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	75.0	89.1	87.7	0	4
	March	741	99.6%	80.5	94.3	92.4	0	17
	April	713	99.0%	55.9	101.9	97.1	0	9
	May	743	99.9%	38.1	75.9	59.3	0	0
	June	606	84.2%	46.5	87.0	79.5	0	0
	July	701	94.2%	43.4	82.3	68.7	0	0
	August	702	94.4%	52.6	110.2	105.6	0	2
	September	687	95.4%	46.7	89.7	77.0	0	0
	October	655	88.0%	45.6	71.1	67.8	0	0
	November	715	99.3%	53.8	75.8	75.0	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	61.6	76.8	75.5	0	0
Annual		8400	95.9%	55.7	110.2	105.6	0	32
2014	January	720	96.8%	62.5	82.6	79.2	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	65.0	84.6	80.0	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	68.9	88.0	85.8	0	0
	April	713	99.0%	73.2	95.4	88.5	0	2
	May	741	99.6%	64.3	92.8	84.2	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	44.3	79.3	68.9	0	0
	July	707	95.0%	44.9	90.9	76.1	0	0
	August	69	9.3%	58.6	93.9	76.7	0	0
	September	603	83.8%	44.6	111.2	79.3	0	0
	October	733	98.5%	45.8	80.6	77.7	0	0
	November	675	93.8%	56.0	82.8	74.2	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	62.6	89.6	80.5	0	0
Annual		7829	89.4%	57.7	111.2	88.5	0	2

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.2.5 - MT. PEARL NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**

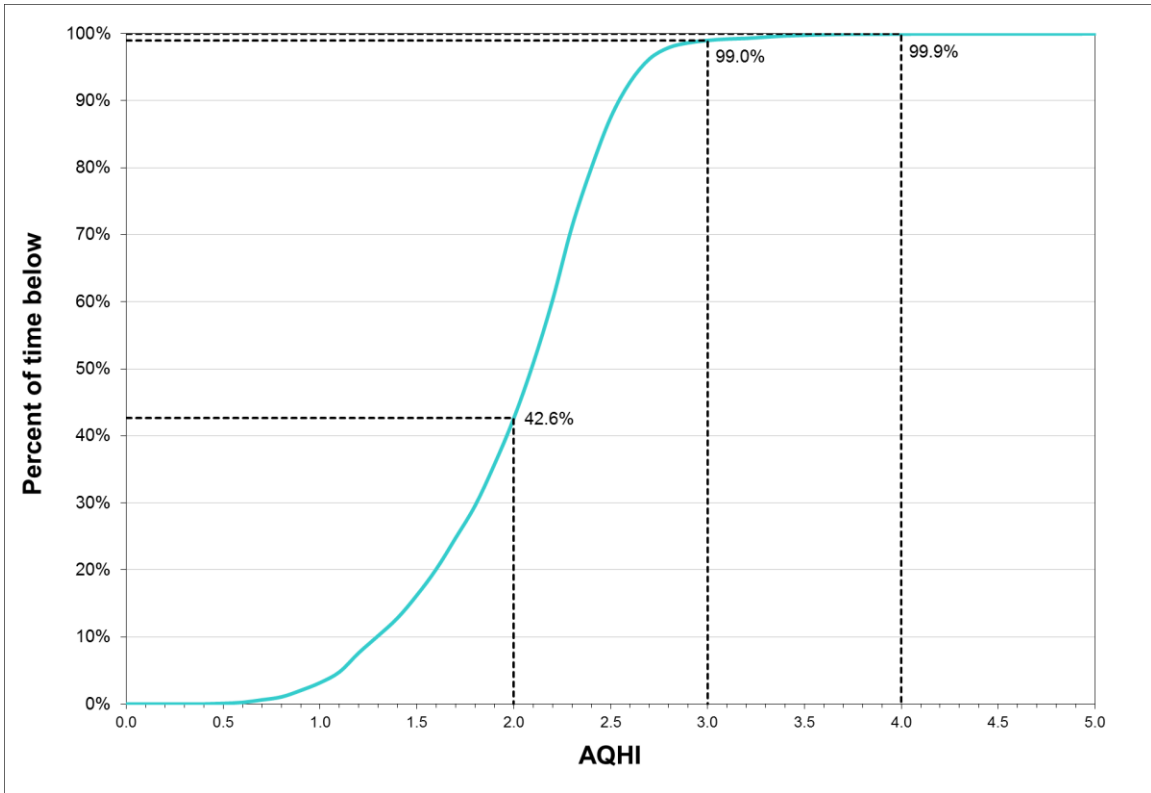


Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.2.6 - MT. PEARL NAPS AQHI SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2013	January	728	97.8%	2.2	4.0
	February	670	99.7%	2.5	4.2
	March	744	100.0%	2.5	3.7
	April	714	99.2%	2.0	4.7
	May	744	100.0%	1.4	2.9
	June	599	83.2%	1.5	3.6
	July	703	94.5%	1.8	8.5
	August	706	94.9%	1.7	3.8
	September	688	95.6%	1.6	3.2
	October	662	89.0%	1.7	3.2
	November	717	99.6%	1.9	3.3
	December	744	100.0%	2.2	3.0
Annual		8419	96.1%	1.9	8.5
2014	January	719	96.6%	2.2	3.5
	February	669	99.6%	2.4	5.9
	March	744	100.0%	2.4	3.9
	April	632	87.8%	2.4	3.7
	May	744	100.0%	2.0	2.9
	June	720	100.0%	1.4	2.9
	July	711	95.6%	1.4	3.1
	August	51	6.9%	1.7	2.3
	September	612	85.0%	1.7	3.3
	October	737	99.1%	1.8	2.9
	November	676	93.9%	2.1	3.4
	December	744	100.0%	2.2	3.6
Annual		7759	88.6%	2.0	5.9

**FIGURE 3.2.6 - MT. PEARL NAPS AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 99.0% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0



### **3.3 Grand Falls Windsor**

The Grand Falls Windsor NAPS monitoring station is located on Scott Avenue and monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. For O<sub>3</sub>, the 8-hour ambient standard was exceeded on sixty one occasions in 2014 between February and July. For all other pollutants, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014

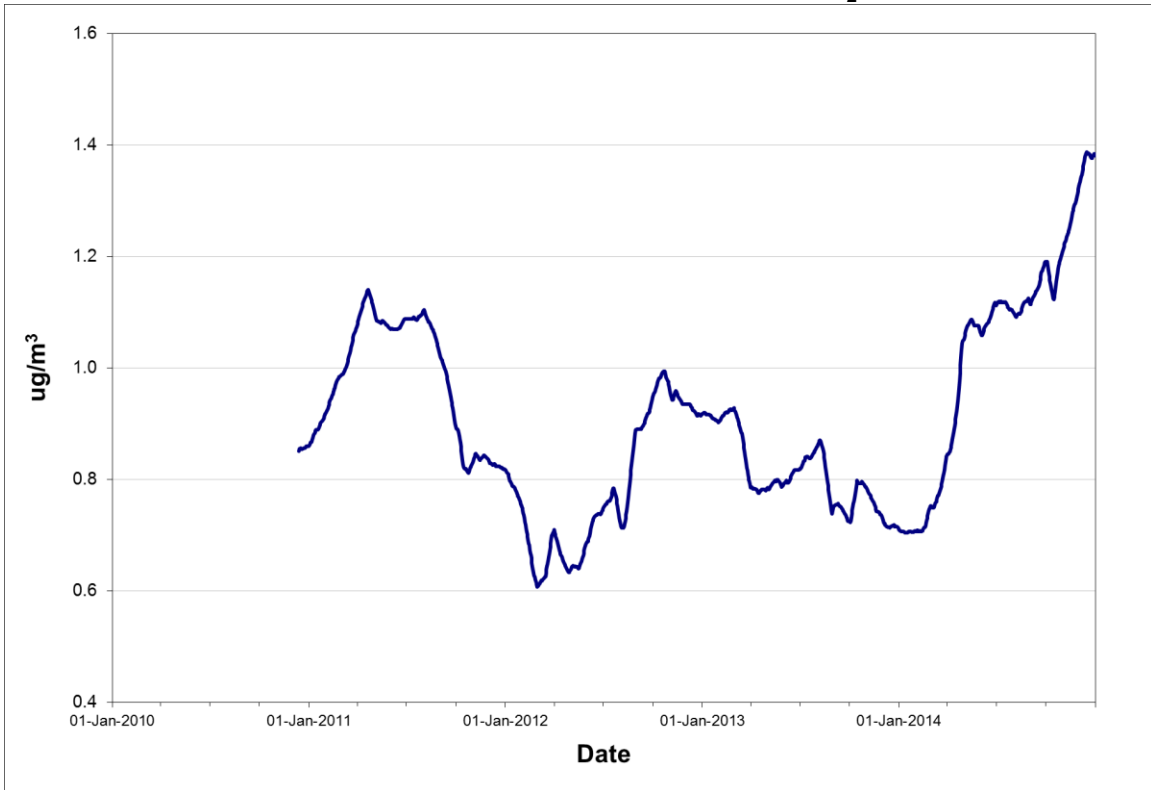
Tables 3.3.1 through 3.3.5 present the summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Grand Falls Windsor NAPS station, while Figures 3.3.1 through 3.3.5 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant. Table 3.3.6 provides a summary of the AQHI while Figure 3.3.6 provides a graphical representation of the percentage of time the AQHI values were below a given level in 2014.

**TABLE 3.3.1 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	732	98.4%	0.8	2.3	1.6	1.3	0	0	0
	February	670	99.7%	0.6	2.4	2.3	1.3	0	0	0
	March	733	98.5%	1.0	2.7	2.0	1.6	0	0	0
	April	714	99.2%	0.3	4.4	3.1	1.3	0	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	0.7	3.8	2.4	1.4	0	0	0
	June	650	90.3%	1.3	3.6	2.3	1.6	0	0	0
	July	742	99.7%	0.8	20.1	7.4	1.8	0	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.5	4.1	2.4	2.0	0	0	0
	September	720	100.0%	0.5	10.5	4.2	1.6	0	0	0
	October	737	99.1%	1.4	10.8	4.7	3.3	0	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	0.2	1.2	0.9	0.7	0	0	0
	December	379	50.9%	0.3	2.0	1.6	1.4	0	0	0
Annual		8279	94.5%	0.7	20.1	7.4	3.3	0	0	0
2014	January	0	0.0%							
	February	242	36.0%	1.6	3.0	2.9	2.3	0	0	0
	March	660	88.7%	2.0	5.7	4.2	3.8	0	0	0
	April	703	97.6%	2.4	6.3	5.5	4.6	0	0	0
	May	721	96.9%	0.9	2.8	2.5	2.0	0	0	0
	June	720	100.0%	1.7	2.8	2.3	2.3	0	0	0
	July	744	100.0%	0.7	2.5	1.7	1.5	0	0	0
	August	738	99.2%	0.6	4.1	2.4	1.4	0	0	0
	September	711	98.8%	1.2	3.7	2.9	2.0	0	0	0
	October	505	67.9%	1.7	4.7	3.5	3.0	0	0	0
	November	628	87.2%	1.3	7.3	6.0	2.2	0	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	1.4	5.2	3.2	2.3	0	0	0
Annual		7115	81.2%	1.4	7.3	6.0	4.6	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.3.1 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



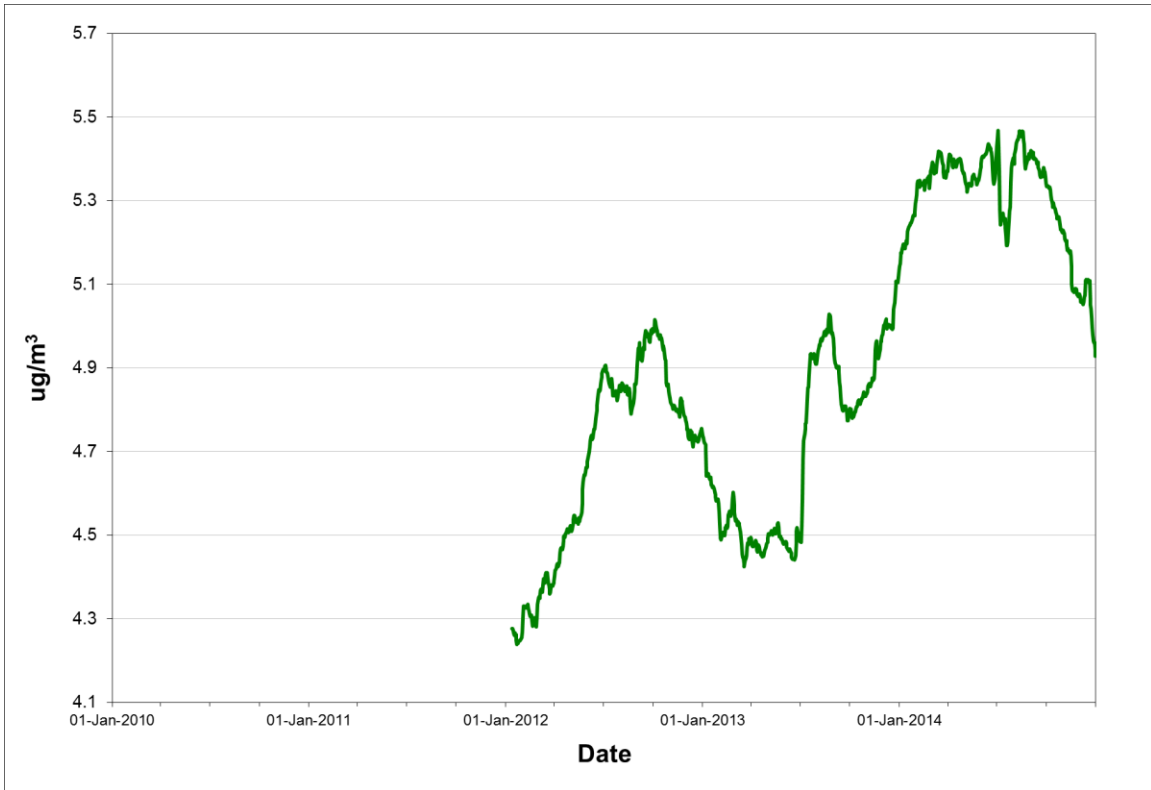
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.3.2 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	30	96.8%	3.3	8.8	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.1	12.0	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.7	10.7	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.9	8.0	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.5	8.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.2	14.9	0
	July	31	100.0%	8.9	37.4	2
	August	31	100.0%	5.1	16.2	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.0	7.7	0
	October	30	96.8%	4.5	7.2	0
	November	30	100.0%	5.9	20.9	0
	December	31	100.0%	6.3	19.7	0
Annual		363	99.5%	5.1	37.4	2
2014	January	26	83.9%	5.3	13.5	0
	February	27	96.4%	6.1	13.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.7	9.2	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.9	9.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.6	8.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.5	11.2	0
	July	31	100.0%	8.8	24.3	0
	August	24	77.4%	5.1	13.5	0
	September	30	100.0%	3.2	7.2	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.2	7.6	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.2	7.1	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.6	14.0	0
Annual		352	96.4%	4.9	24.3	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.3.2 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



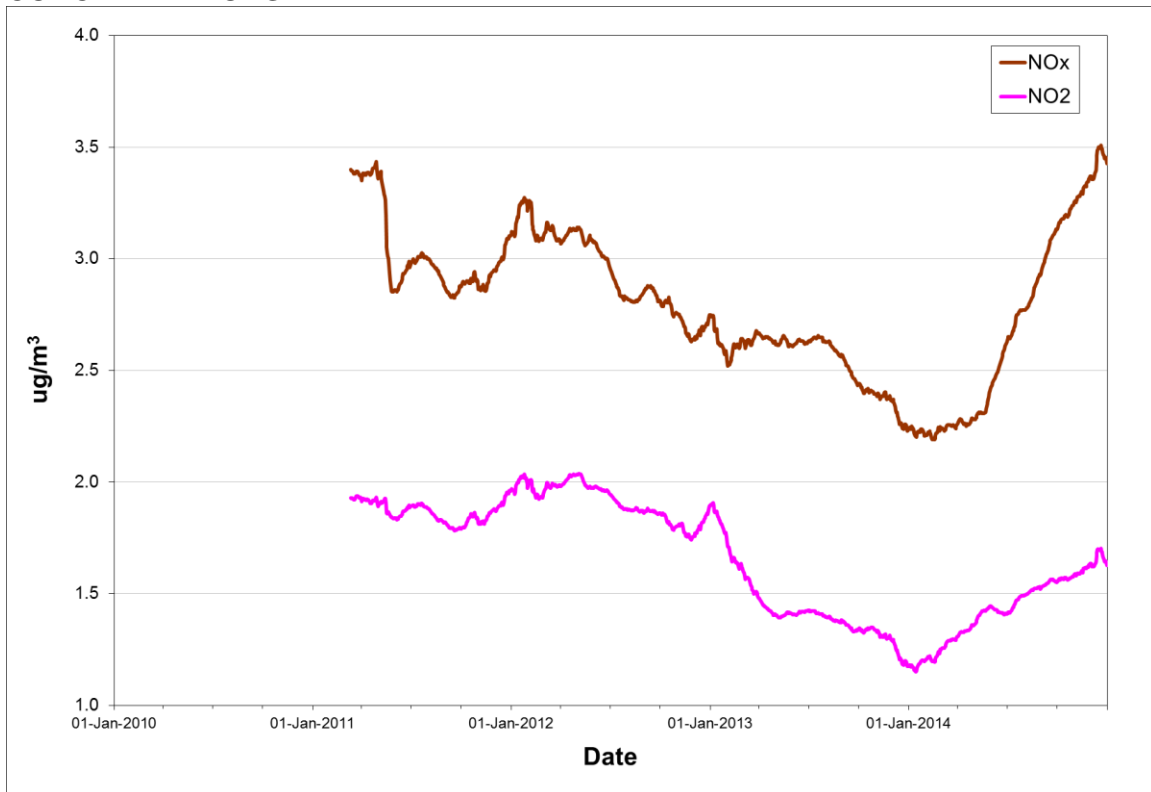
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 3.3.3 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	731	98.3%	2.7	1.2	37.3	18.7	6.2	4.0	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	4.1	1.5	38.2	19.2	8.4	5.1	0	0
	March	743	99.9%	3.1	0.9	24.0	9.8	6.8	2.6	0	0
	April	698	96.9%	2.3	0.6	24.7	14.6	4.6	2.4	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	2.3	1.1	36.4	19.7	4.4	3.4	0	0
	June	421	58.5%	2.2	1.6	18.5	8.9	3.7	2.7	0	0
	July	740	99.5%	1.5	0.5	18.4	8.3	3.4	1.6	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	1.2	0.9	16.2	11.2	5.5	3.8	0	0
	September	720	100.0%	0.6	0.7	24.1	16.9	3.4	2.6	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	2.0	1.4	33.7	13.0	4.1	2.7	0	0
	November	720	100.0%	2.0	1.4	34.4	30.1	6.4	5.3	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	3.1	2.4	55.5	26.5	8.6	7.0	0	0
Annual		8412	96.0%	2.2	1.2	55.5	30.1	8.6	7.0	0	0
2014	January	688	92.5%	2.4	1.5	42.9	24.7	9.8	6.6	0	0
	February	553	82.3%	5.0	2.4	40.7	24.6	9.6	6.8	0	0
	March	740	99.5%	3.2	1.5	40.9	18.0	6.0	4.0	0	0
	April	700	97.2%	2.5	1.2	71.8	36.4	5.1	2.5	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	3.9	2.1	54.1	25.1	8.2	3.8	0	0
	June	720	100.0%	4.8	1.1	29.4	12.5	6.7	2.4	0	0
	July	742	99.7%	3.2	1.5	68.0	13.5	12.8	4.1	0	0
	August	732	98.4%	3.0	1.2	31.2	10.9	6.9	2.4	0	0
	September	710	98.6%	3.1	1.1	26.3	14.1	6.2	2.5	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	3.3	1.7	101.1	40.2	7.4	4.2	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	3.4	2.0	34.7	20.5	10.2	7.2	0	0
	December	738	99.2%	3.8	2.2	145.2	50.3	17.2	10.6	0	0
Annual		8525	97.3%	3.4	1.6	145.2	50.3	17.2	10.6	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.3.3 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

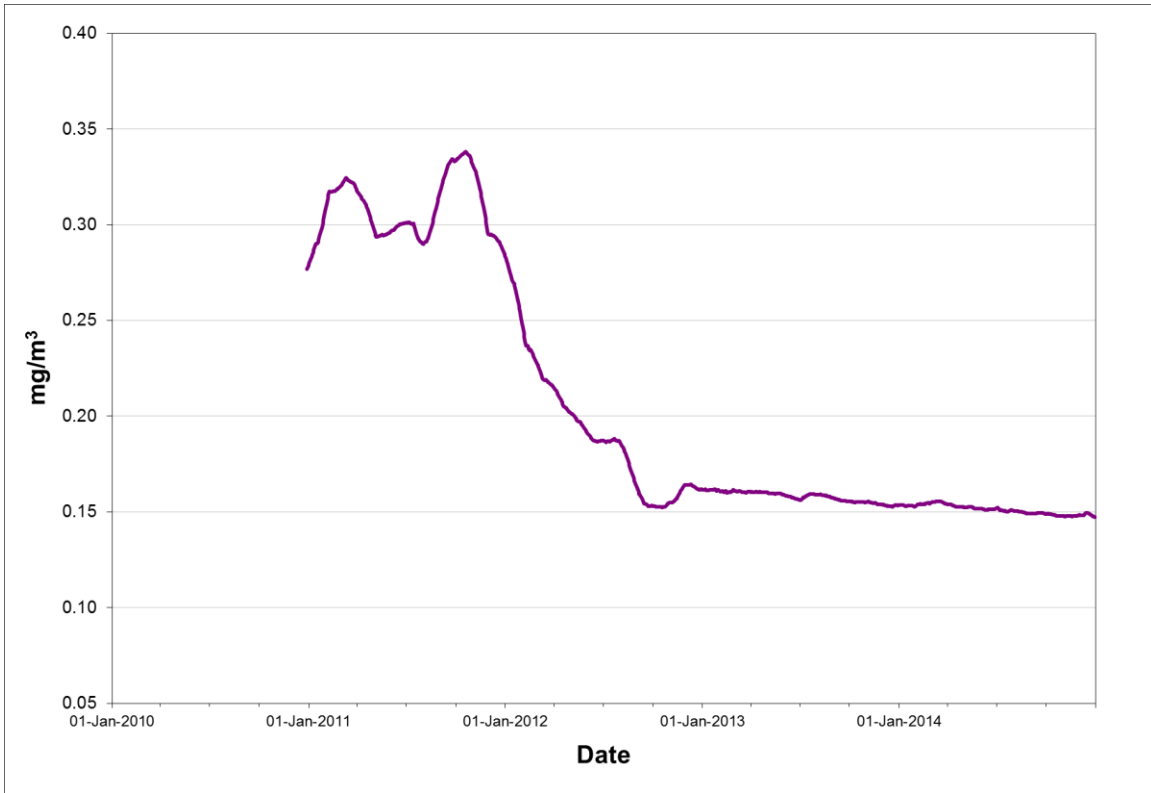
**TABLE 3.3.4 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS CO SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>35)	8-Hour (>15)
2013	January	734	98.7%	0.2	0.4	0.3	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	0.2	0.8	0.4	0	0
	March	744	100.0%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	April	716	99.4%	0.2	0.4	0.3	0	0
	May	744	100.0%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	July	742	99.7%	0.1	0.6	0.5	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	September	720	100.0%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	0.1	0.4	0.3	0	0
	November	719	99.9%	0.2	0.7	0.4	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
Annual		8737	99.7%	0.2	0.8	0.5	0	0
2014	January	742	99.7%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	February	638	94.9%	0.2	0.8	0.5	0	0
	March	743	99.9%	0.2	0.6	0.4	0	0
	April	717	99.6%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	June	650	90.3%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	July	703	94.5%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	0.1	0.3	0.1	0	0
	September	718	99.7%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	November	720	100.0%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	0.2	0.8	0.5	0	0
Annual		8602	98.2%	0.1	0.8	0.5	0	0

Observations in mg/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 3.3.4 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS ANNUAL CO CONCENTRATIONS**



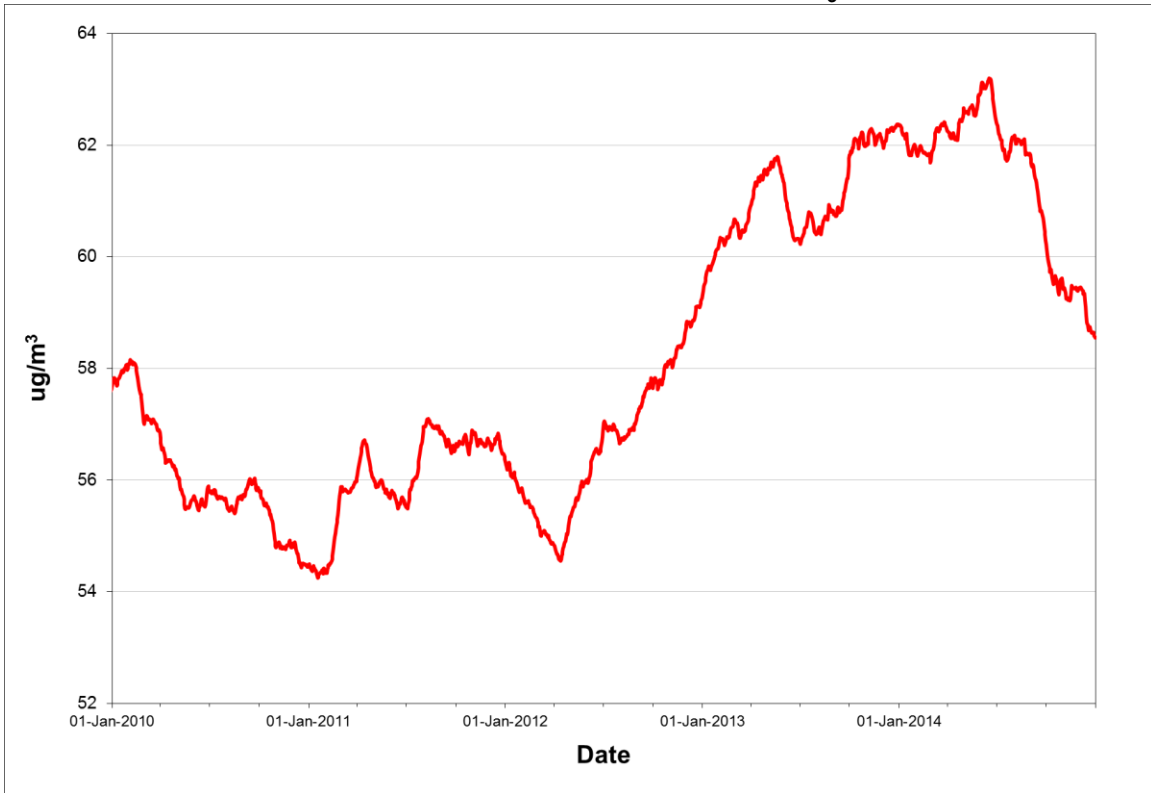
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.3.5 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	732	98.4%	69.9	83.1	79.3	0	0
	February	505	75.1%	78.9	94.5	93.0	0	6
	March	472	63.4%	83.1	101.1	97.3	0	29
	April	717	99.6%	81.2	112.1	104.1	0	41
	May	743	99.9%	63.3	108.2	93.8	0	5
	June	556	77.2%	47.9	86.9	73.8	0	0
	July	344	46.2%	38.5	65.7	56.6	0	0
	August	662	89.0%	46.5	131.5	108.3	0	3
	September	191	26.5%	50.6	82.5	77.8	0	0
	October	684	91.9%	48.3	77.1	73.8	0	0
	November	594	82.5%	56.6	85.7	83.6	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	68.0	88.9	84.8	0	0
Annual		6944	79.3%	62.4	131.5	108.3	0	84
2014	January	480	64.5%	67.7	88.5	86.5	0	0
	February	557	82.9%	74.3	94.0	88.4	0	4
	March	742	99.7%	80.7	101.3	93.9	0	20
	April	720	100.0%	84.3	105.4	102.6	0	31
	May	740	99.5%	66.6	103.9	97.1	0	5
	June	720	100.0%	46.2	88.4	78.6	0	0
	July	741	99.6%	48.6	103.5	87.0	0	1
	August	744	100.0%	45.3	94.0	75.4	0	0
	September	718	99.7%	41.1	99.0	79.7	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	41.0	81.7	77.2	0	0
	November	599	83.2%	54.9	80.1	78.3	0	0
	December	719	96.6%	58.3	83.9	78.6	0	0
Annual		8224	93.9%	58.5	105.4	102.6	0	61

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.3.5 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**

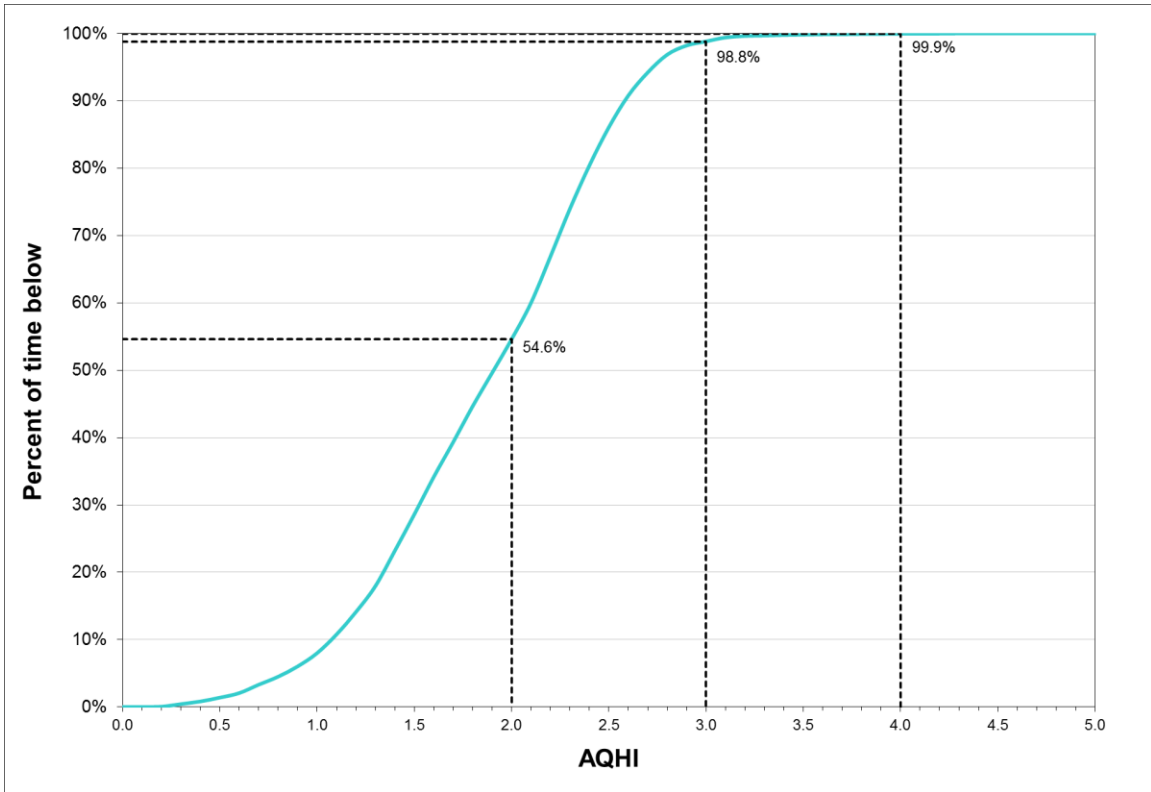


Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.3.6 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS AQHI SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2013	January	727	97.7%	2.1	2.6
	February	506	75.3%	2.4	4.1
	March	469	63.0%	2.5	3.3
	April	696	96.7%	2.4	3.3
	May	742	99.7%	1.9	3.1
	June	331	46.0%	1.6	3.9
	July	339	45.6%	1.3	4.5
	August	660	88.7%	1.5	4.0
	September	193	26.8%	1.5	2.5
	October	646	86.8%	1.5	2.4
	November	593	82.4%	1.9	3.5
	December	744	100.0%	2.2	3.2
Annual		6646	75.9%	2.0	4.5
2014	January	475	63.8%	2.1	3.5
	February	549	81.7%	2.4	3.7
	March	738	99.2%	2.4	3.8
	April	698	96.9%	2.5	3.5
	May	737	99.1%	2.1	3.1
	June	716	99.4%	1.5	2.6
	July	737	99.1%	1.8	4.3
	August	585	78.6%	1.5	2.9
	September	699	97.1%	1.3	3.2
	October	731	98.3%	1.3	2.4
	November	594	82.5%	1.7	2.7
	December	707	95.0%	1.9	3.1
Annual		7966	90.9%	1.9	4.3

**FIGURE 3.3.6 - GRAND FALLS WINDSOR NAPS AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 98.8% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0

### **3.4 Corner Brook**

The Corner Brook NAPS monitoring station is located on MacPherson Avenue near Confederation Drive and monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. The station was moved to its current location in 2009 after being located on Brook Street since 2001. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO and PM<sub>2.5</sub>, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. The 8-hour O<sub>3</sub> standard was exceeded on thirty five occasions in 2014 between February and September.

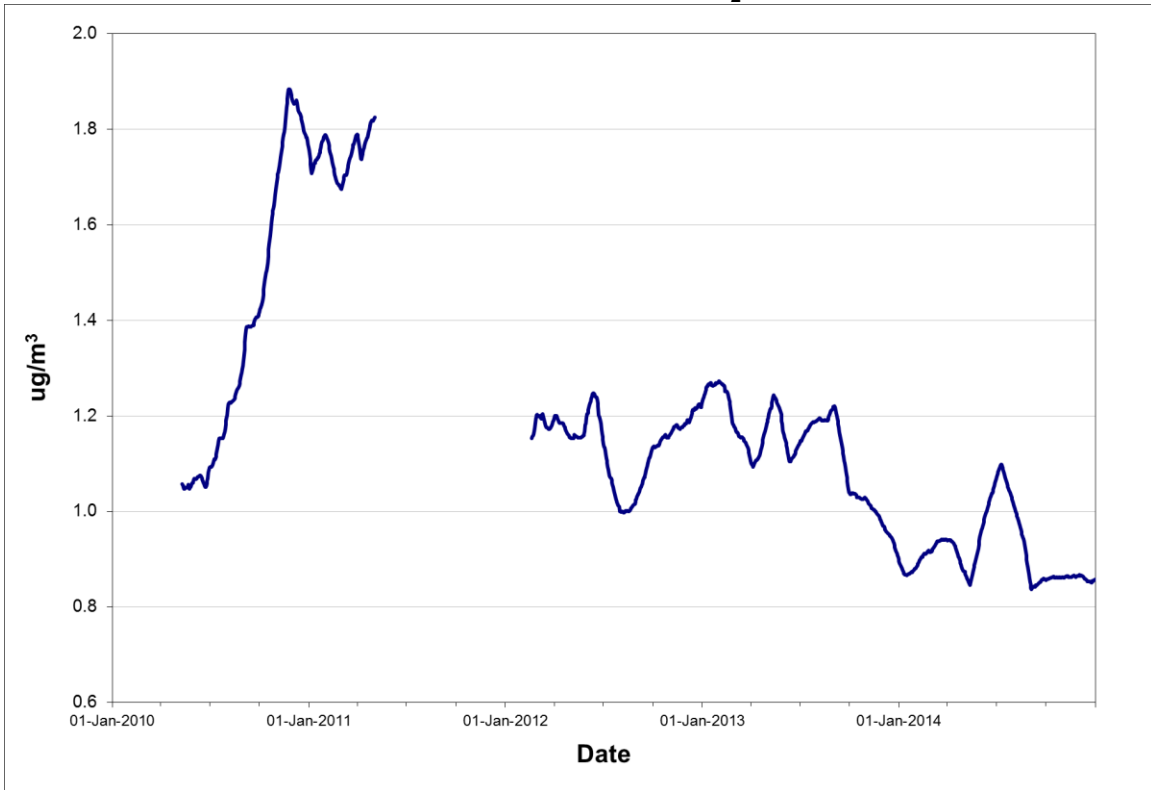
Tables 3.4.1 through 3.4.5 present the summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Corner Brook NAPS station, while Figures 3.4.1 through 3.4.5 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant. The disconnection in the Figures corresponds to the timeframe in which the station was relocated. Table 3.4.6 provides a summary of the AQHI while Figure 3.3 provides a graphical representation of the percentage of time the AQHI values were below a given level in 2014.

**TABLE 3.4.1 - CORNER BROOK NAPS SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	658	88.4%	0.9	17.3	6.0	2.1	0	0	0
	February	659	98.1%	0.3	5.2	4.1	1.2	0	0	0
	March	725	97.4%	0.3	5.0	1.9	0.7	0	0	0
	April	641	89.0%	1.7	6.6	3.6	2.5	0	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	1.4	19.7	8.2	3.5	0	0	0
	June	640	88.9%	0.9	5.2	3.8	1.9	0	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	1.4	6.4	2.9	1.9	0	0	0
	August	733	98.5%	2.0	6.6	4.1	3.1	0	0	0
	September	715	99.3%	0.5	7.0	4.2	3.0	0	0	0
	October	680	91.4%	0.4	4.4	1.9	1.0	0	0	0
	November	705	97.9%	0.4	4.4	2.0	0.9	0	0	0
	December	538	72.3%	0.4	13.8	4.7	0.8	0	0	0
Annual		8174	93.3%	0.9	19.7	8.2	3.5	0	0	0
2014	January	234	31.5%	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.4	0	0	0
	February	437	65.0%	0.6	4.6	2.8	1.1	0	0	0
	March	730	98.1%	0.6	2.4	1.7	1.0	0	0	0
	April	702	97.5%	0.9	4.5	3.6	1.9	0	0	0
	May	732	98.4%	2.1	10.0	6.7	3.3	0	0	0
	June	709	98.5%	2.2	5.7	3.9	2.7	0	0	0
	July	733	98.5%	0.9	3.9	2.7	2.5	0	0	0
	August	732	98.4%	0.3	1.8	1.6	0.6	0	0	0
	September	666	92.5%	0.5	4.6	2.4	0.8	0	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	0.5	4.0	3.5	1.2	0	0	0
	November	715	99.3%	0.4	2.0	1.5	0.9	0	0	0
	December	733	98.5%	0.4	1.6	1.3	0.9	0	0	0
Annual		7866	89.8%	0.9	10.0	6.7	3.3	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.4.1 - CORNER BROOK NAPS ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

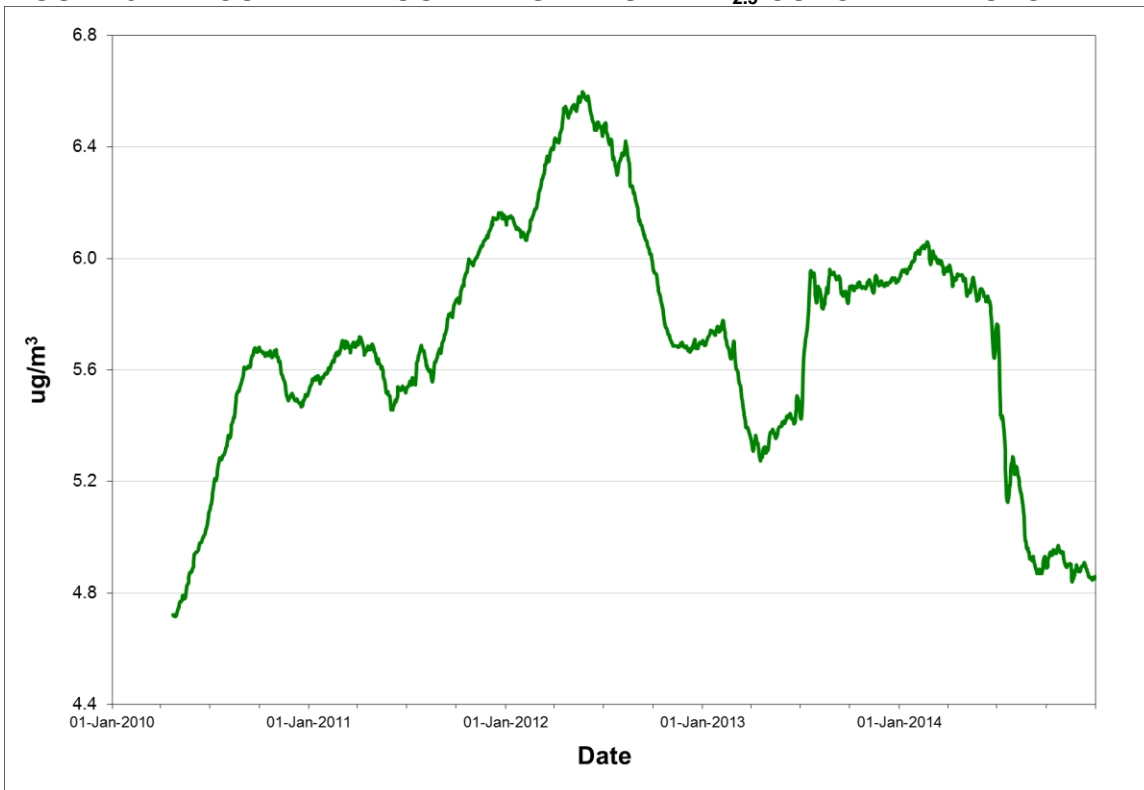


**TABLE 3.4.2 - CORNER BROOK NAPS PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	4.7	7.5	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.8	13.8	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.2	7.2	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.0	13.6	0
	May	31	100.0%	6.0	13.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	6.7	15.8	0
	July	31	100.0%	12.4	39.9	3
	August	31	100.0%	7.6	21.8	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.2	10.8	0
	October	31	100.0%	4.0	10.5	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.9	14.3	0
	December	21	67.7%	3.7	5.4	0
Annual		355	97.3%	5.9	39.9	3
2014	January	6	19.4%	4.9	7.7	0
	February	18	64.3%	5.0	7.6	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.0	7.5	0
	April	30	100.0%	5.6	9.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.7	12.2	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.3	16.6	0
	July	31	100.0%	7.6	21.1	0
	August	31	100.0%	3.9	13.7	0
	September	27	90.0%	3.9	8.0	0
	October	30	96.8%	4.4	12.3	0
	November	25	83.3%	4.1	7.5	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.9	7.3	0
Annual		321	87.9%	4.9	21.1	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.4.2 - CORNER BROOK NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



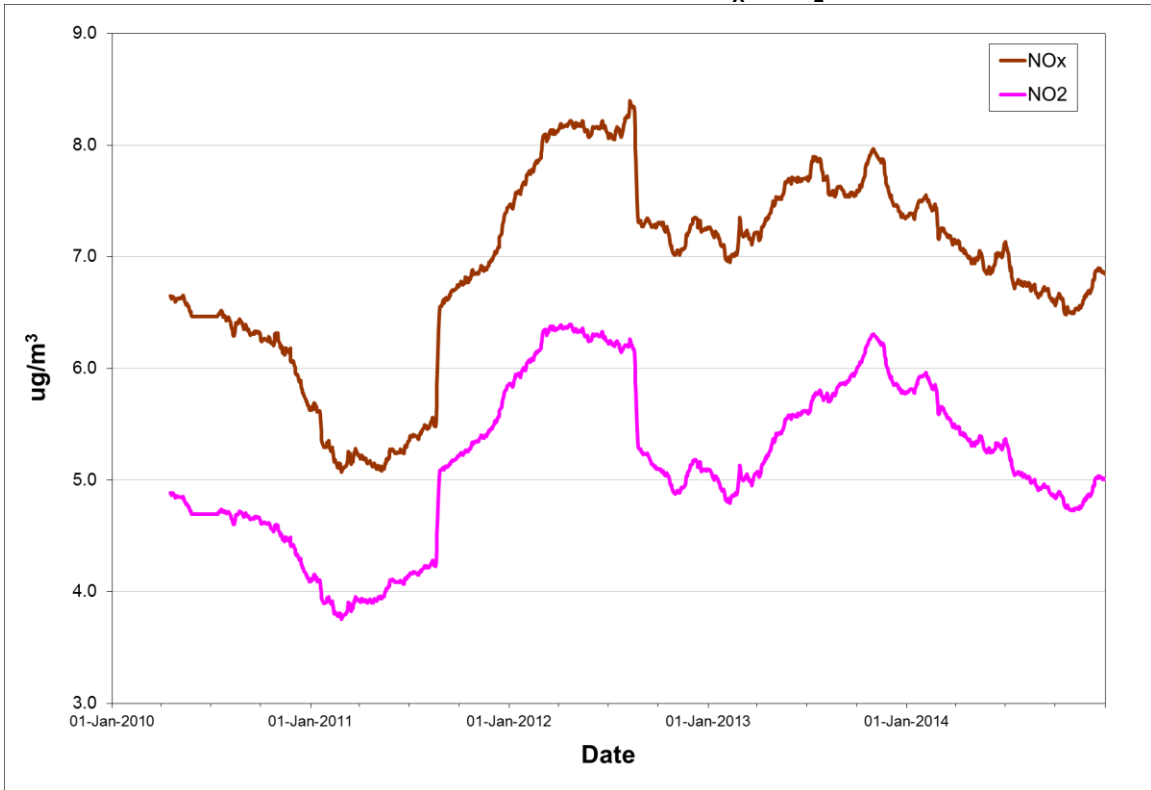
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 3.4.3 - CORNER BROOK NAPS NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	733	98.5%	6.2	4.6	71.7	43.4	16.9	11.5	0	0
	February	671	99.9%	13.1	11.0	117.9	67.6	40.8	30.9	0	0
	March	743	99.9%	6.6	5.9	58.4	43.8	13.3	11.9	0	0
	April	720	100.0%	7.9	6.9	69.0	47.9	21.8	17.5	0	0
	May	739	99.3%	7.5	6.2	50.0	41.3	17.8	14.0	0	0
	June	720	100.0%	6.8	5.0	64.8	37.7	21.4	13.0	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	8.4	5.9	60.1	46.2	23.5	15.7	0	0
	August	743	99.9%	6.9	5.0	52.9	40.1	21.5	13.4	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	5.3	3.9	51.5	33.4	14.3	10.5	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	8.6	6.4	87.2	30.2	27.0	15.3	0	0
	November	708	98.3%	5.3	4.3	69.2	47.8	15.3	11.3	0	0
	December	539	72.4%	5.5	4.3	49.9	33.7	13.3	11.0	0	0
Annual		8515	97.2%	7.4	5.8	117.9	67.6	40.8	30.9	0	0
2014	January	236	31.7%	9.2	7.2	65.6	41.6	23.2	16.7	0	0
	February	443	65.9%	9.9	7.8	113.7	58.8	24.6	16.3	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	6.3	4.6	95.7	52.3	21.7	15.4	0	0
	April	685	95.1%	5.7	5.0	48.2	35.1	11.4	9.6	0	0
	May	735	98.8%	7.0	5.9	90.9	50.1	28.9	21.6	0	0
	June	719	99.9%	9.3	5.9	66.4	38.8	20.2	14.3	0	0
	July	743	99.9%	4.8	2.8	84.6	54.8	17.0	12.4	0	0
	August	738	99.2%	5.3	3.3	56.4	36.5	13.6	8.7	0	0
	September	690	95.8%	4.8	3.3	47.9	29.3	13.1	8.3	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	7.6	5.1	74.8	42.9	21.5	12.9	0	0
	November	714	99.2%	7.4	5.7	67.9	45.8	16.6	12.7	0	0
	December	741	99.6%	7.6	6.0	74.8	51.0	23.4	19.1	0	0
Annual		7926	90.5%	6.8	5.0	113.7	58.8	28.9	21.6	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.4.3 - CORNER BROOK NAPS ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



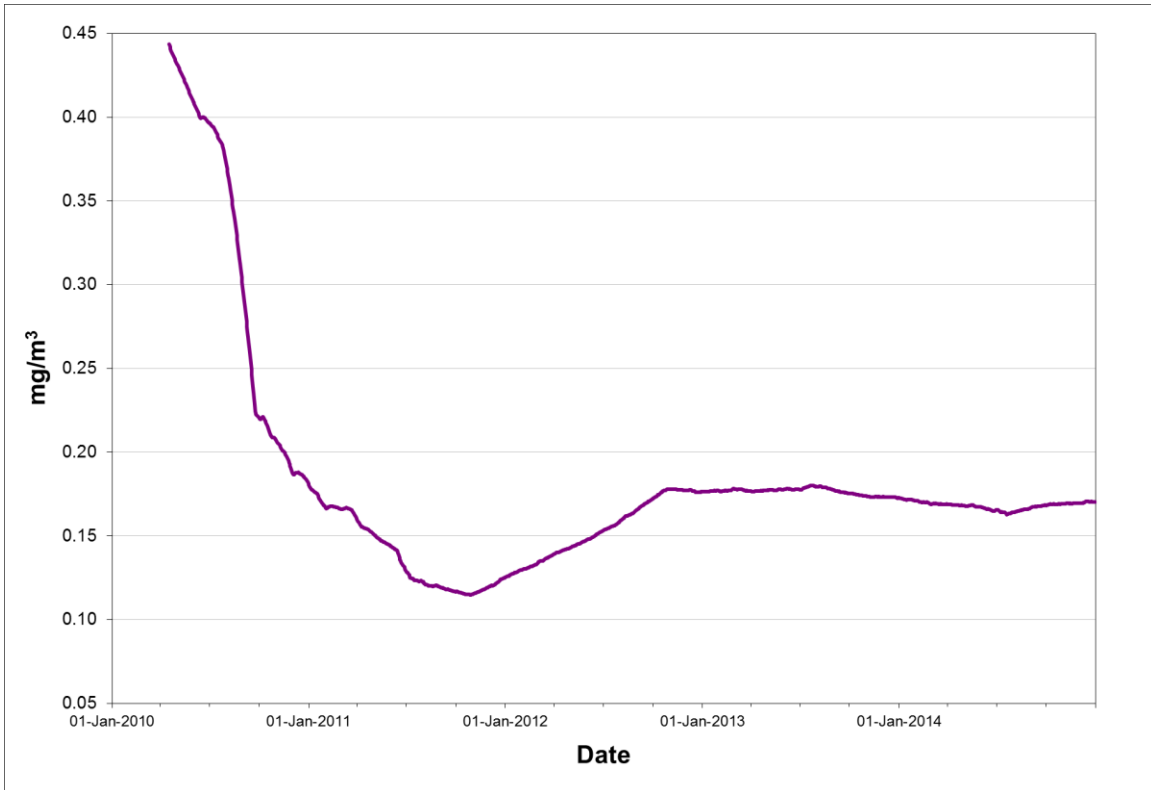
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.4.4 - CORNER BROOK NAPS CO SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>35)	8-Hour (>15)
2013	January	738	99.2%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
	February	670	99.7%	0.2	0.8	0.4	0	0
	March	743	99.9%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	April	720	100.0%	0.2	0.6	0.4	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	0.2	0.4	0.3	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	0.1	0.4	0.3	0	0
	July	736	98.9%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	0.2	0.4	0.3	0	0
	September	719	99.9%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	October	740	99.5%	0.1	0.5	0.2	0	0
	November	707	98.2%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
	December	535	71.9%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
Annual		8508	97.1%	0.2	0.8	0.4	0	0
2014	January	198	26.6%	0.2	0.7	0.4	0	0
	February	444	66.1%	0.2	0.9	0.4	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	0.2	0.6	0.3	0	0
	April	709	98.5%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	May	739	99.3%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	0.2	0.3	0.3	0	0
	August	743	99.9%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	September	668	92.8%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	0.2	0.6	0.3	0	0
	December	735	98.8%	0.2	0.7	0.5	0	0
Annual		7891	90.1%	0.2	0.9	0.5	0	0

Observations in mg/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.4.4 - CORNER BROOK NAPS ANNUAL CO CONCENTRATIONS**



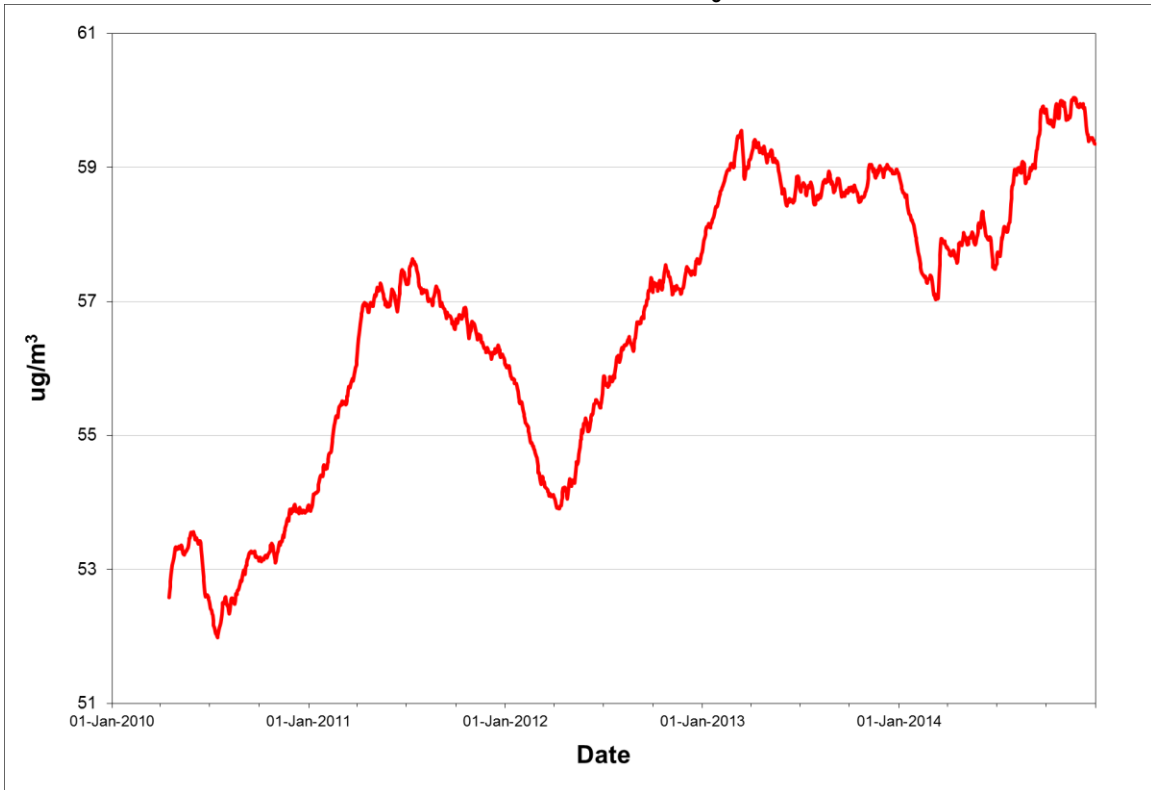
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.4.5 - CORNER BROOK NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	739	99.3%	69.6	84.3	81.1	0	0
	February	670	99.7%	73.0	92.7	90.2	0	3
	March	742	99.7%	72.1	100.7	99.0	0	30
	April	720	100.0%	76.5	108.5	101.7	0	28
	May	742	99.7%	60.5	103.0	90.9	0	3
	June	720	100.0%	52.2	109.4	102.6	0	1
	July	739	99.3%	45.1	83.0	73.6	0	0
	August	742	99.7%	47.5	107.5	103.8	0	2
	September	718	99.7%	45.0	80.3	73.1	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	45.9	79.5	66.7	0	0
	November	712	98.9%	57.9	85.1	80.1	0	0
	December	467	62.8%	65.2	81.6	80.1	0	0
Annual		8454	96.5%	58.9	109.4	103.8	0	67
2014	January	235	31.6%	60.8	82.5	79.1	0	0
	February	443	65.9%	70.6	91.0	87.5	0	1
	March	739	99.3%	76.5	99.0	91.9	0	9
	April	713	99.0%	78.8	110.1	105.6	0	16
	May	742	99.7%	61.7	95.5	84.1	0	0
	June	719	99.9%	46.0	82.7	72.4	0	0
	July	743	99.9%	57.5	106.7	98.7	0	7
	August	742	99.7%	49.8	98.1	85.9	0	0
	September	666	92.5%	53.9	112.6	99.1	0	2
	October	743	99.9%	47.7	93.1	77.5	0	0
	November	711	98.8%	57.0	80.9	75.5	0	0
	December	737	99.1%	57.3	79.0	77.4	0	0
Annual		7933	90.6%	59.3	112.6	105.6	0	35

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.4.5 - CORNER BROOK NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



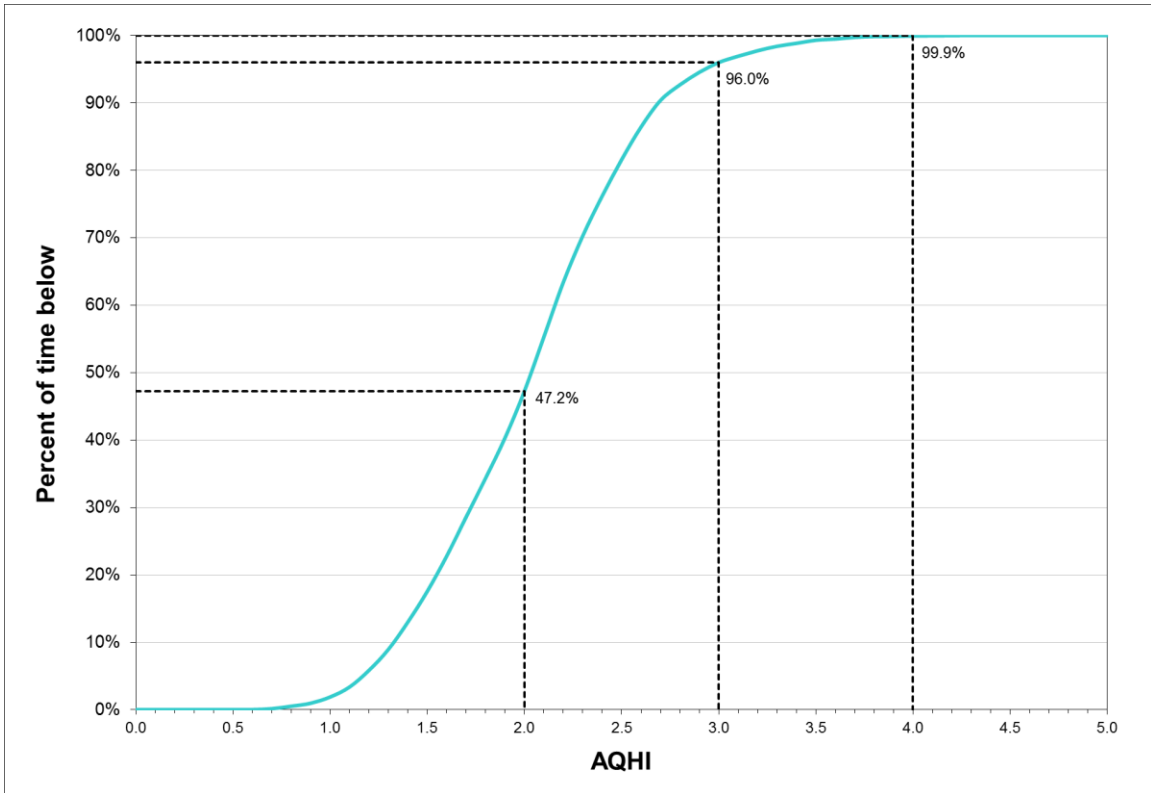
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations



**TABLE 3.4.6 - CORNER BROOK NAPS AQHI SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2013	January	734	98.7%	2.3	3.1
	February	665	99.0%	2.7	5.2
	March	742	99.7%	2.4	3.8
	April	720	100.0%	2.6	4.9
	May	737	99.1%	2.2	4.0
	June	720	100.0%	1.9	4.0
	July	739	99.3%	2.0	5.1
	August	742	99.7%	1.8	4.3
	September	716	99.4%	1.6	3.2
	October	738	99.2%	1.7	2.9
	November	707	98.2%	2.0	3.5
	December	464	62.4%	2.1	2.6
Annual		8424	96.2%	2.1	5.2
2014	January	236	31.7%	2.2	3.3
	February	440	65.5%	2.5	4.2
	March	740	99.5%	2.4	3.9
	April	685	95.1%	2.6	3.8
	May	737	99.1%	2.2	4.2
	June	720	100.0%	1.7	3.9
	July	741	99.6%	2.0	3.7
	August	714	96.0%	1.6	3.5
	September	589	81.8%	1.8	3.7
	October	731	98.3%	1.7	4.0
	November	623	86.5%	1.9	3.3
	December	734	98.7%	2.0	3.5
Annual		7690	87.8%	2.0	4.2

**FIGURE 3.4.6 - CORNER BROOK NAPS AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 96.0% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0

### **3.5 Burin**

The Burin station was commissioned in October 2011 and monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, O<sub>3</sub> and PM<sub>10</sub> on a continuous basis. The ambient air criteria for SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and PM<sub>10</sub> were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. For 8-hour ozone, the ambient air criteria were exceeded on thirty one occasions in 2014. Tables 3.5.1 through 3.5.6 provide summary information on the level of each air contaminant measured at the Burin site while Figures 3.5.1 through 3.5.6 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend for each pollutant.

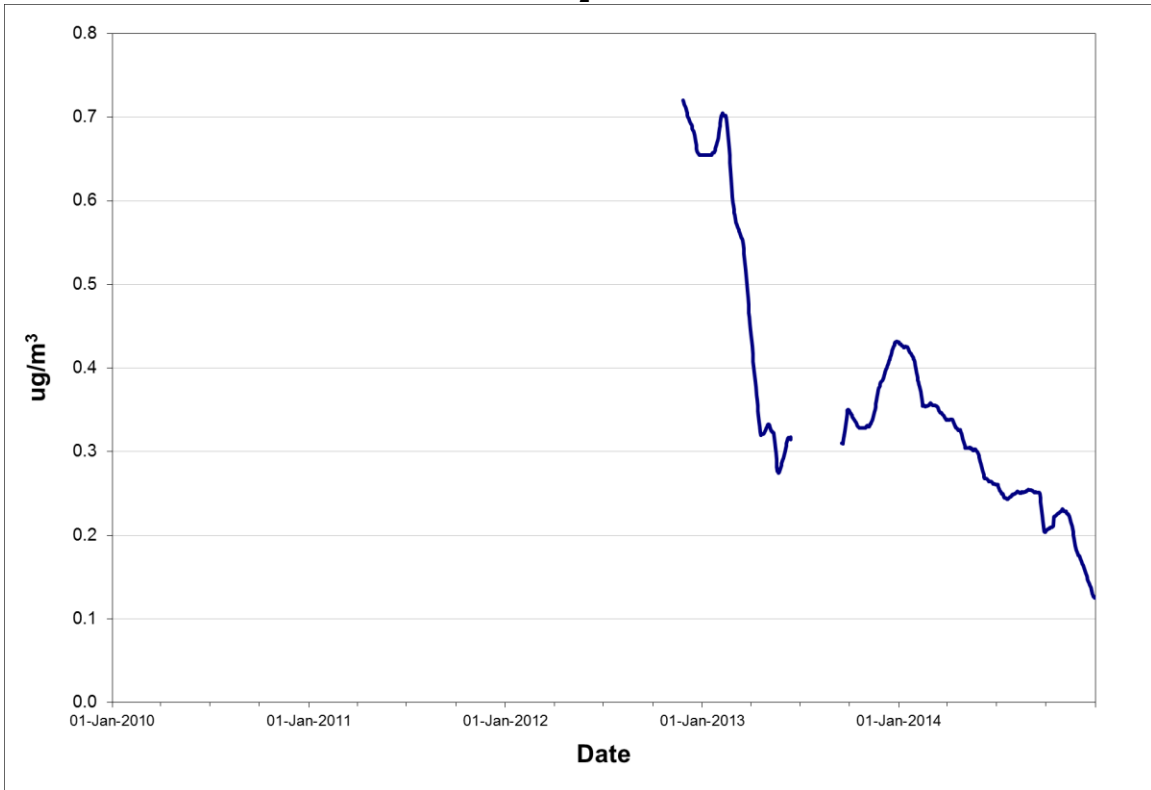
Table 3.5.7 provides a summary of the AQHI, while Figure 3.5.7 provides a graphical representation of the AQHI frequency based on all data collected in Burin in 2014.

**TABLE 3.5.1 - BURIN NAPS SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	36	4.8%	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.6	0	0	0
	February	664	98.8%	0.7	2.4	2.2	2.0	0	0	0
	March	739	99.3%	0.4	3.5	1.8	0.9	0	0	0
	April	615	85.4%	0.4	3.3	2.4	1.1	0	0	0
	May	581	78.1%	0.5	1.8	1.1	0.8	0	0	0
	June	519	72.1%	0.4	1.0	1.0	0.9	0	0	0
	July	744	100.0%	0.2	4.1	2.6	0.7	0	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	0.2	3.1	1.2	0.5	0	0	0
	September	660	91.7%	0.6	3.7	2.0	1.8	0	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	0.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	0	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	0.6	3.0	2.5	1.1	0	0	0
Annual		7501	85.6%	0.4	4.1	2.6	2.0	0	0	0
2014	January	727	97.7%	0.2	1.8	0.9	0.7	0	0	0
	February	670	99.7%	0.1	2.6	1.8	0.5	0	0	0
	March	447	60.1%	0.0	1.4	1.0	0.3	0	0	0
	April	491	68.2%	0.0	1.7	1.0	0.2	0	0	0
	May	296	39.8%	0.1	0.8	0.7	0.3	0	0	0
	June	716	99.4%	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.2	0	0	0
	July	464	62.4%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
	August	85	11.4%	0.2	3.0	1.1	0.2	0	0	0
	September	718	99.7%	0.1	0.9	0.6	0.3	0	0	0
	October	731	98.3%	0.3	40.9	14.9	3.2	0	0	0
	November	512	71.1%	0.2	1.6	0.8	0.4	0	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	0.2	1.6	1.3	0.6	0	0	0
Annual		6600	75.3%	0.1	40.9	14.9	3.2	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.5.1 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



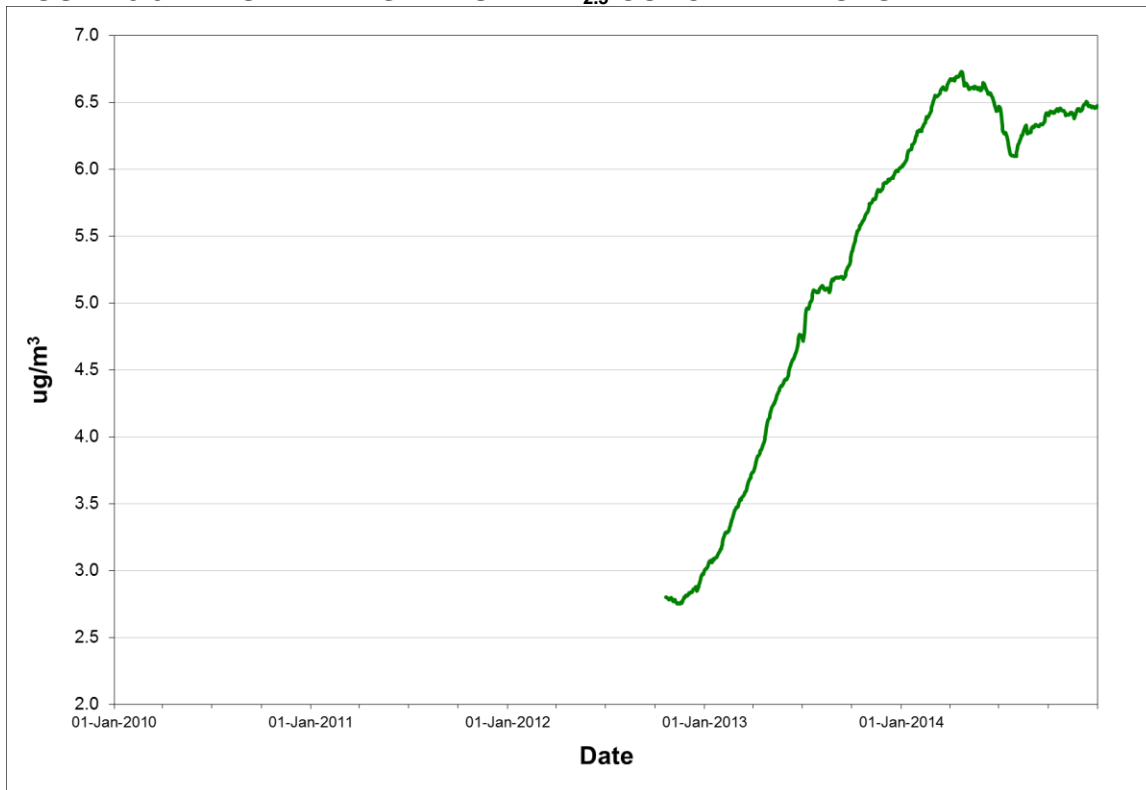
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.5.2 - BURIN NAPS PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	5.4	8.0	0
	February	27	96.4%	6.2	11.7	0
	March	31	100.0%	6.3	11.3	0
	April	30	100.0%	8.3	13.6	0
	May	25	80.6%	6.0	9.5	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.6	12.1	0
	July	31	100.0%	6.1	28.0	1
	August	31	100.0%	3.3	16.6	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.4	9.0	0
	October	24	77.4%	5.8	9.3	0
	November	30	100.0%	7.3	11.1	0
	December	31	100.0%	7.5	10.9	0
Annual		351	96.2%	6.0	28.0	1
2014	January	30	96.8%	8.4	12.6	0
	February	28	100.0%	8.8	12.6	0
	March	31	100.0%	8.3	12.9	0
	April	30	100.0%	7.9	11.5	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.9	9.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	3.6	9.0	0
	July	31	100.0%	2.0	13.4	0
	August	30	96.8%	5.7	13.5	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.5	9.7	0
	October	31	100.0%	6.3	12.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	7.4	12.2	0
	December	31	100.0%	7.9	10.5	0
Annual		363	99.5%	6.5	13.5	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.5.2 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

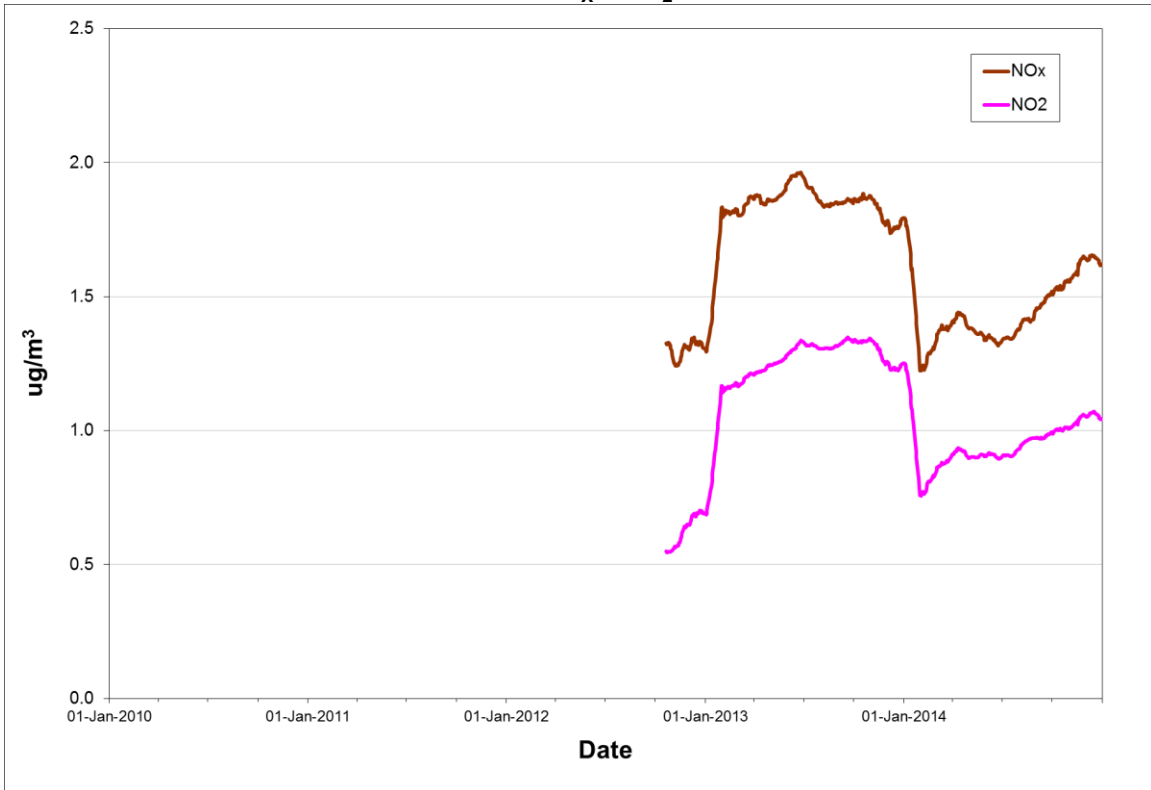
**TABLE 3.5.3 - BURIN NAPS NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	736	98.9%	7.5	6.4	76.4	41.6	18.9	14.6	0	0
	February	662	98.5%	1.2	0.9	46.8	22.7	6.2	3.6	0	0
	March	740	99.5%	1.3	0.8	80.7	24.8	7.5	3.0	0	0
	April	719	99.9%	1.7	1.2	22.1	11.4	4.6	2.5	0	0
	May	744	100.0%	1.7	0.8	33.1	11.6	5.5	2.1	0	0
	June	719	99.9%	1.3	0.8	10.7	5.8	2.4	1.9	0	0
	July	631	84.8%	0.3	0.2	21.9	8.6	2.5	1.2	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	1.0	0.4	85.2	21.9	4.7	1.0	0	0
	September	714	99.2%	0.7	0.5	30.0	11.0	3.2	1.7	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	1.4	0.9	27.7	10.0	4.8	2.8	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	1.2	0.7	20.8	10.0	3.8	2.1	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	2.0	1.3	53.3	17.1	4.4	3.1	0	0
Annual		8608	98.3%	1.8	1.3	85.2	41.6	18.9	14.6	0	0
2014	January	721	96.9%	0.9	0.6	42.7	21.6	9.1	4.7	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	2.5	1.9	68.6	35.2	9.7	7.5	0	0
	March	744	100.0%	2.2	1.6	43.2	26.8	5.7	4.0	0	0
	April	719	99.9%	1.3	1.0	76.0	39.0	7.2	3.9	0	0
	May	742	99.7%	1.2	0.9	27.0	11.0	3.9	2.0	0	0
	June	720	100.0%	1.2	0.8	32.3	14.2	4.8	2.3	0	0
	July	467	62.8%	0.7	0.5	11.2	5.4	1.7	1.4	0	0
	August	555	74.6%	2.0	0.9	27.4	12.2	7.1	2.5	0	0
	September	719	99.9%	1.5	0.8	41.2	25.9	5.6	3.4	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	1.8	1.0	44.3	11.0	6.2	2.8	0	0
	November	720	100.0%	2.2	1.2	87.5	37.2	16.2	8.1	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	1.7	1.2	23.3	13.5	5.7	3.8	0	0
Annual		8267	94.4%	1.6	1.0	87.5	39.0	16.2	8.1	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 3.5.3 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



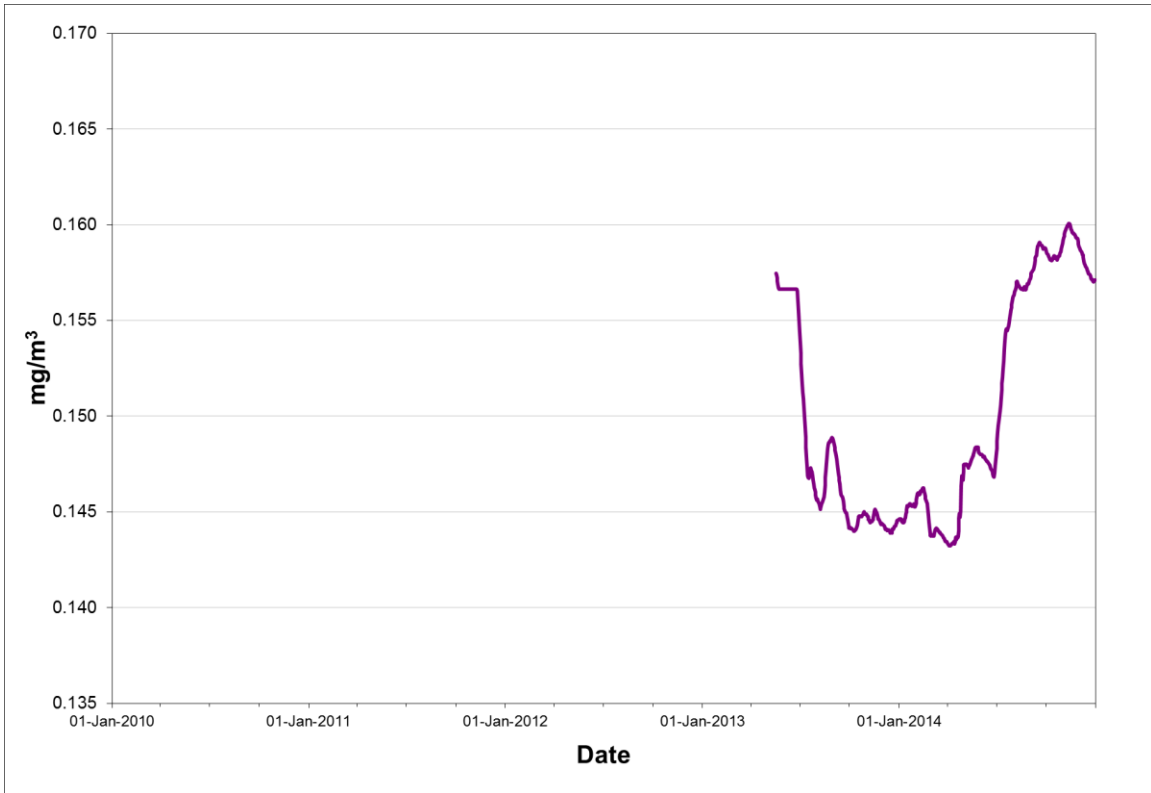
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.5.4 - BURIN NAPS CO SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>35)	8-Hour (>15)
2013	January	738	99.2%	0.2	0.5	0.3	0	0
	February	663	98.7%	0.2	0.4	0.3	0	0
	March	740	99.5%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	April	718	99.7%	0.2	0.3	0.2	0	0
	May	538	72.3%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
	June	104	14.4%	0.0	0.1	0.1	0	0
	July	742	99.7%	0.1	0.5	0.3	0	0
	August	743	99.9%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	September	716	99.4%	0.1	0.2	0.1	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
	November	717	99.6%	0.1	0.3	0.2	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	0.2	0.2	0.2	0	0
Annual		7903	90.2%	0.1	0.5	0.3	0	0
2014	January	619	83.2%	0.2	0.3	0.3	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	0.2	0.6	0.3	0	0
	March	744	100.0%	0.2	0.3	0.3	0	0
	April	685	95.1%	0.2	0.8	0.7	0	0
	May	546	73.4%	0.2	0.5	0.4	0	0
	June	720	100.0%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	July	410	55.1%	0.2	0.5	0.5	0	0
	August	85	11.4%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
	September	719	99.9%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	0.1	0.4	0.2	0	0
	November	720	100.0%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0	0
Annual		7408	84.6%	0.2	0.8	0.7	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.5.4 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL CO CONCENTRATIONS**



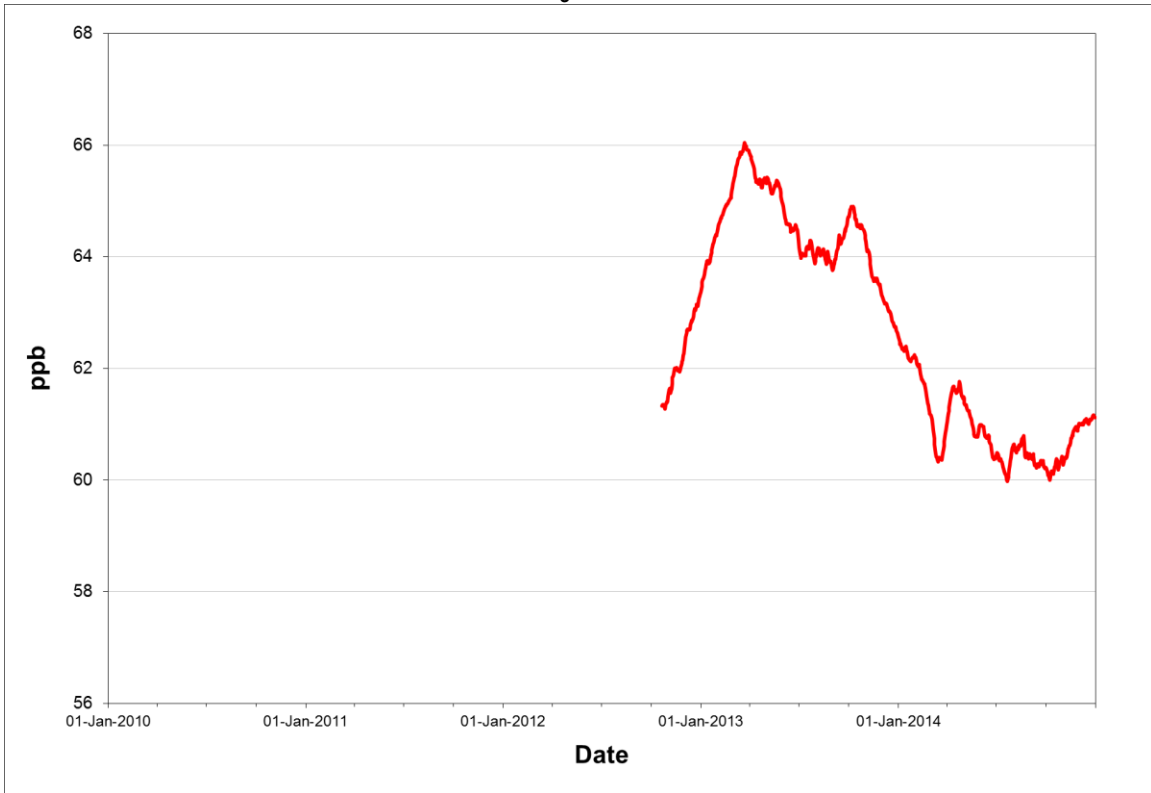
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.5.5 - BURIN NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	737	99.1%	73.7	89.9	88.5	0	1
	February	662	98.5%	82.4	98.8	98.1	0	21
	March	521	70.0%	85.2	100.2	96.9	0	32
	April	465	64.6%	79.2	101.9	98.4	0	26
	May	744	100.0%	70.0	103.6	100.7	0	12
	June	720	100.0%	54.5	92.1	80.3	0	0
	July	636	85.5%	48.9	97.2	86.0	0	0
	August	742	99.7%	54.2	129.0	112.2	0	6
	September	715	99.3%	50.8	88.4	80.3	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	47.9	83.6	73.4	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	53.3	70.1	68.2	0	0
	December	743	99.9%	63.1	76.8	72.4	0	0
Annual		8144	93.0%	62.6	129.0	112.2	0	98
2014	January	691	92.9%	70.0	112.6	87.0	0	1
	February	511	76.0%	72.4	94.0	90.2	0	1
	March	535	71.9%	81.4	100.3	94.0	0	14
	April	670	93.1%	79.5	109.5	96.6	0	14
	May	733	98.5%	64.6	88.3	85.4	0	0
	June	719	99.9%	48.2	81.0	75.4	0	0
	July	471	63.3%	48.0	84.6	77.8	0	0
	August	629	84.5%	51.5	105.4	89.5	0	1
	September	718	99.7%	48.2	108.4	86.0	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	49.5	83.6	79.2	0	0
	November	720	100.0%	59.7	84.6	79.9	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	64.9	84.4	78.8	0	0
Annual		7885	90.0%	61.1	112.6	96.6	0	31

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.5.5 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



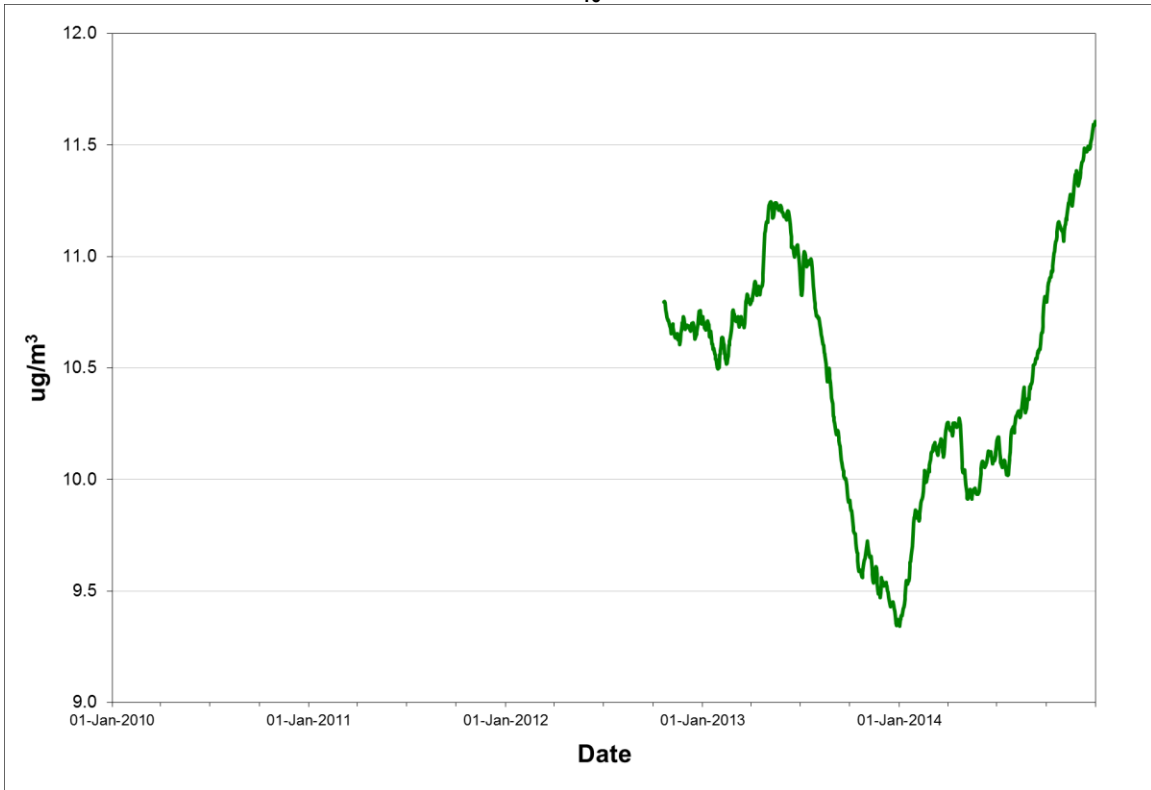
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.5.6 - BURIN NAPS PM<sub>10</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>50 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	30	96.8%	7.1	14.3	0
	February	27	96.4%	9.5	27.4	0
	March	24	77.4%	11.4	25.4	0
	April	30	100.0%	15.2	28.7	0
	May	31	100.0%	10.2	21.8	0
	June	30	100.0%	6.9	15.3	0
	July	31	100.0%	9.8	35.5	0
	August	31	100.0%	8.1	24.3	0
	September	30	100.0%	8.1	15.4	0
	October	25	80.6%	7.0	14.5	0
	November	30	100.0%	10.1	24.3	0
	December	31	100.0%	8.8	17.0	0
Annual		350	95.9%	9.4	35.5	0
2014	January	30	96.8%	13.0	22.6	0
	February	28	100.0%	12.4	22.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	13.0	25.6	0
	April	30	100.0%	12.5	22.9	0
	May	31	100.0%	9.9	16.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	8.7	15.7	0
	July	31	100.0%	10.8	27.8	0
	August	31	100.0%	10.2	20.7	0
	September	30	100.0%	12.8	20.7	0
	October	31	100.0%	11.4	20.0	0
	November	30	100.0%	12.6	22.2	0
	December	31	100.0%	12.0	19.0	0
Annual		364	99.7%	11.6	27.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.5.6 - BURIN NAPS ANNUAL PM<sub>10</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



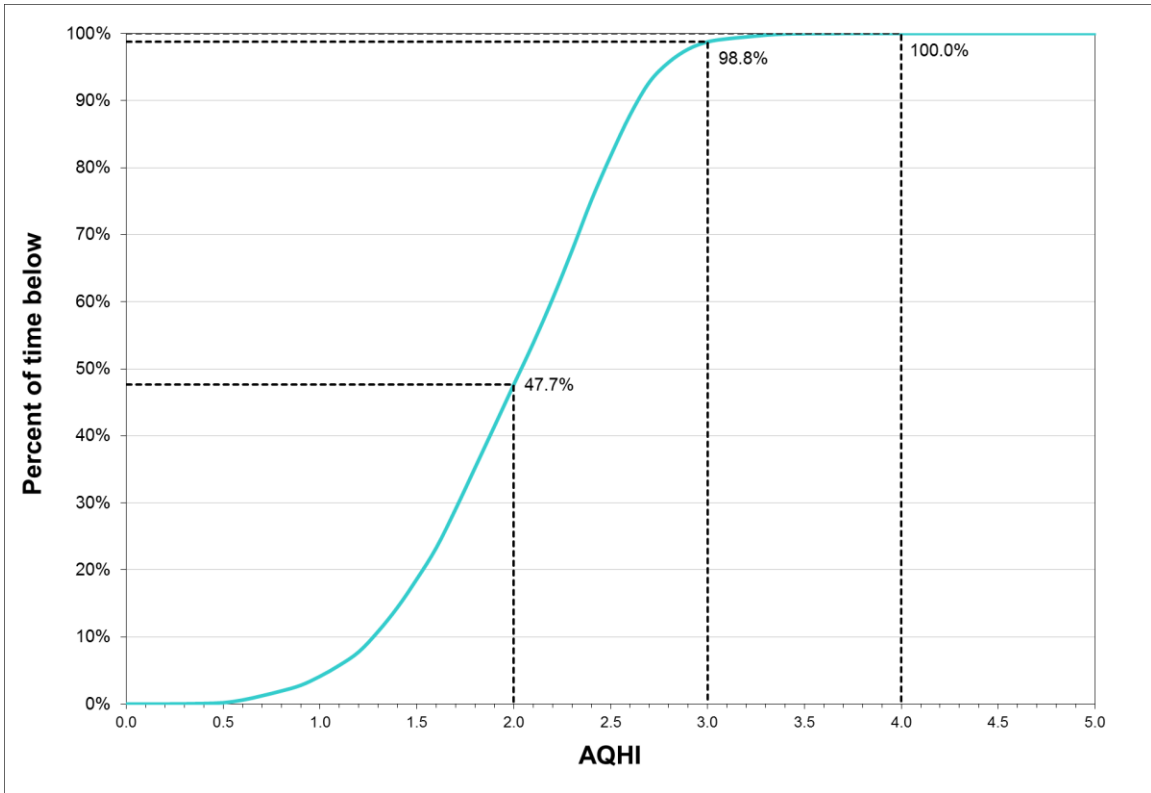
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 3.5.7 - BURIN NAPS AQHI SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2013	January	736	98.9%	2.5	3.3
	February	658	97.9%	2.5	3.4
	March	523	70.3%	2.6	3.6
	April	465	64.6%	2.6	3.6
	May	612	82.3%	2.3	3.3
	June	720	100.0%	1.7	2.7
	July	630	84.7%	1.6	5.5
	August	741	99.6%	1.6	4.4
	September	712	98.9%	1.6	2.9
	October	603	81.0%	1.6	2.4
	November	720	100.0%	1.8	2.5
	December	744	100.0%	2.1	2.5
Annual		7864	89.8%	2.0	5.5
2014	January	686	92.2%	2.3	3.1
	February	511	76.0%	2.4	3.3
	March	535	71.9%	2.6	3.4
	April	671	93.2%	2.5	3.4
	May	733	98.5%	2.0	2.9
	June	720	100.0%	1.5	2.6
	July	468	62.9%	1.4	3.1
	August	457	61.4%	1.8	3.3
	September	719	99.9%	1.6	3.3
	October	744	100.0%	1.7	3.7
	November	720	100.0%	2.0	3.3
	December	742	99.7%	2.1	3.2
Annual		7706	88.0%	2.0	3.7



**FIGURE 3.5.7 - BURIN NAPS AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 98.8% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0

### **3.6 Port aux Choix**

The Port aux Choix NAPS monitoring station was relocated from the Ferolle Point location in 2010 due to logistical issues. The station monitors the ambient levels of O<sub>3</sub> on a continuous basis.

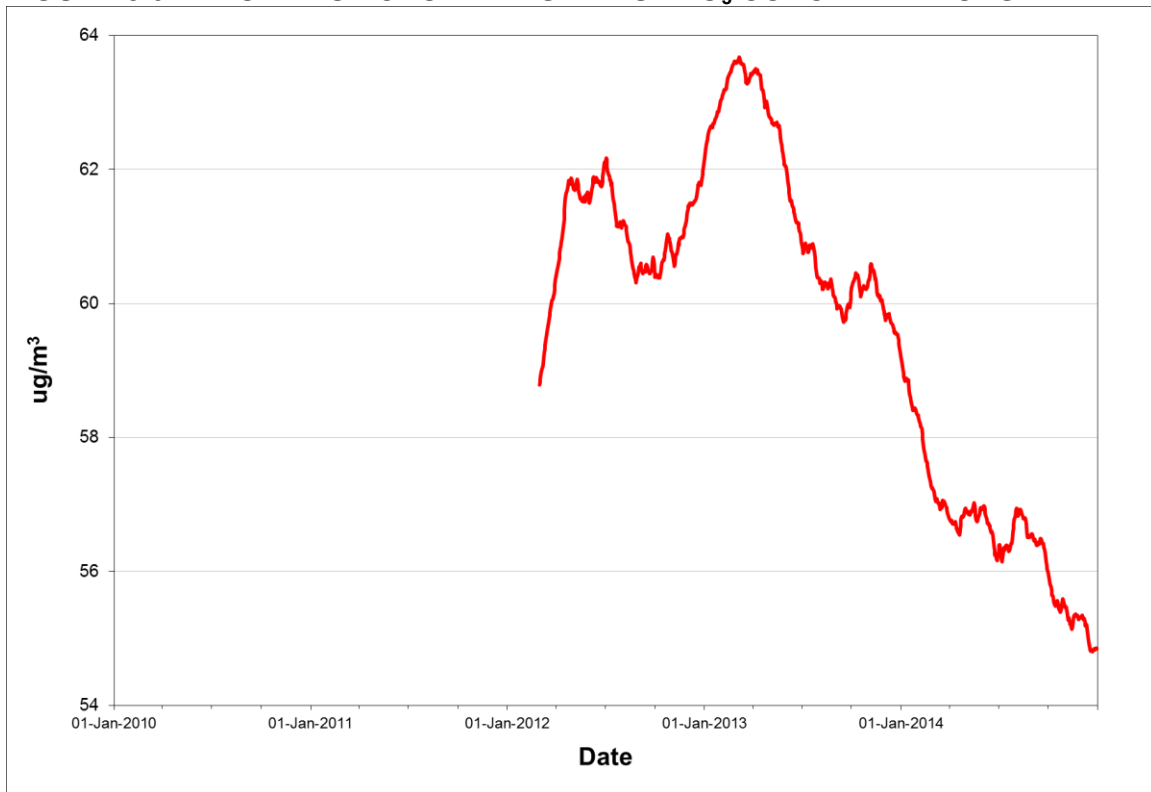
The 8-hour ambient air standard for O<sub>3</sub> was exceeded on two occasions in 2014. Table 3.6.1 presents the summary information on the level of O<sub>3</sub> measured at the Port aux Choix NAPS station while Figure 3.6.1 presents a graphical representation of the annual trend of O<sub>3</sub>.

**TABLE 3.6.1 - PORT AUX CHOIX NAPS O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2013	January	742	99.7%	75.1	86.3	85.7	0	0
	February	647	96.3%	80.9	98.6	93.6	0	13
	March	743	99.9%	73.1	92.3	86.1	0	0
	April	720	100.0%	70.2	95.7	89.4	0	2
	May	743	99.9%	57.3	90.3	79.5	0	0
	June	718	99.7%	47.9	90.4	81.8	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	41.4	73.9	70.2	0	0
	August	744	100.0%	41.3	86.4	84.1	0	0
	September	470	65.3%	44.1	68.8	60.3	0	0
	October	541	72.7%	49.4	73.6	69.5	0	0
	November	717	99.6%	58.5	79.5	76.2	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	66.0	85.2	80.0	0	0
Annual		8266	94.4%	59.2	98.6	93.6	0	15
2014	January	742	99.7%	65.2	87.0	84.0	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	66.8	79.9	76.5	0	0
	March	744	100.0%	68.0	82.5	80.4	0	0
	April	719	99.9%	72.0	95.0	93.9	0	2
	May	739	99.3%	57.2	86.2	78.4	0	0
	June	718	99.7%	40.3	73.1	64.5	0	0
	July	743	99.9%	47.2	94.1	86.2	0	0
	August	739	99.3%	38.6	80.8	76.1	0	0
	September	703	97.6%	41.5	78.4	73.5	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	45.3	75.1	69.4	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	56.2	73.1	71.5	0	0
	December	662	89.0%	61.2	77.4	75.1	0	0
Annual		8640	98.6%	54.8	95.0	93.9	0	2

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 3.6.1 - PORT AUX CHOIX NAPS ANNUAL O<sub>3</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

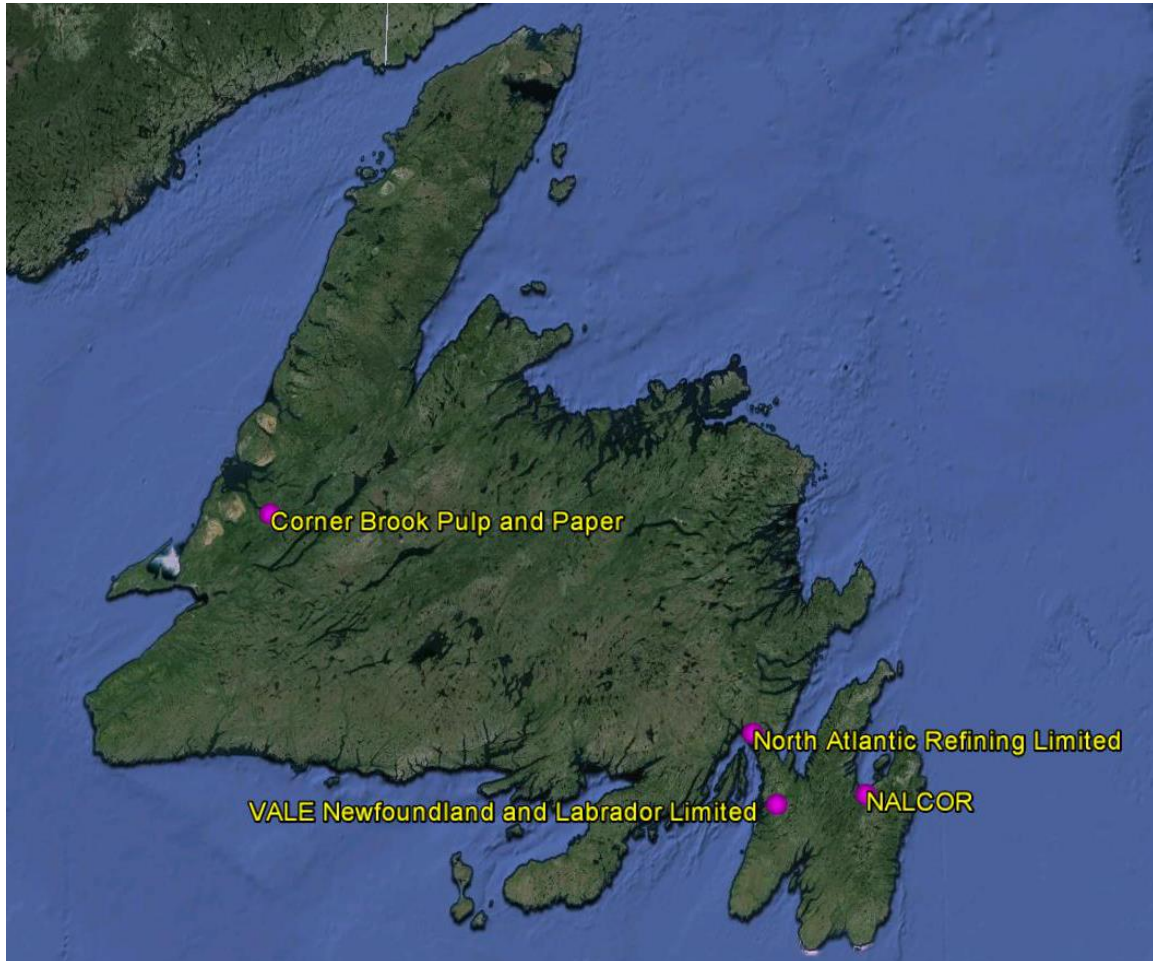
## 4.0 Industrial Monitoring Network

Industrial operations in the province are responsible for the monitoring of their emissions. The Department audits the operation of the industrial monitoring stations on a regular basis to ensure that the monitors are functioning according to instrument specifications and to the standard operating procedures. If the audits indicate a monitor is not operating with the specifications, corrective actions are required by the industry and data may be invalidated.

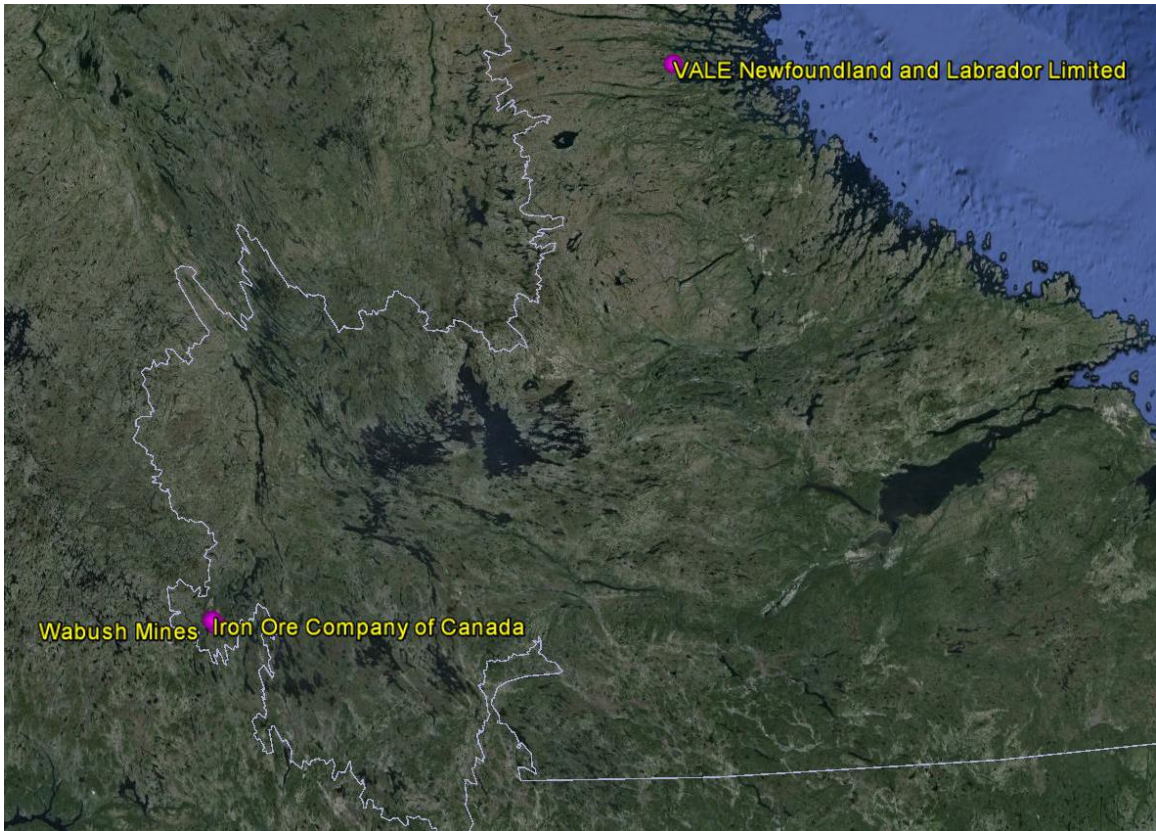
On the island of Newfoundland, there were four monitoring networks operated by industry in 2014 and another three in Labrador. Figures 4.0.1 and 4.0.2 present the locations of these monitoring networks.

The subsequent sections of this report detail the summary statistics and the longer term trend of pollutants measured at each station within a given network.

**FIGURE 4.0.1 - INDUSTRIAL MONITORING NETWORK IN NEWFOUNDLAND**



**FIGURE 4.0.2 - INDUSTRIAL MONITORING NETWORK IN LABRADOR**



## 4.1 NALCOR

In 2014, NALCOR operated monitoring stations at 6 locations in the Holyrood area. These stations are installed to monitor the emissions from the Holyrood Thermal Generating Station and are located at Butterpot Road, Green Acres Road, Indian Pond Drive, Indian Pond Road, Lawrence Pond, and the NALCOR property boundary. Figure 4.1.1 indicates the location of these stations.

**FIGURE 4.1.1 - NALCOR AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



### 4.1.1 Butterpot Road

The Butterpot Road station monitors the ambient levels of  $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{NO}_x / \text{NO}_2$  and  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  on a continuous basis. For all pollutants, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.1.1.1 through 4.1.1.3 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Butterpot Road, while Figures 4.1.1.1 through 4.1.1.3 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

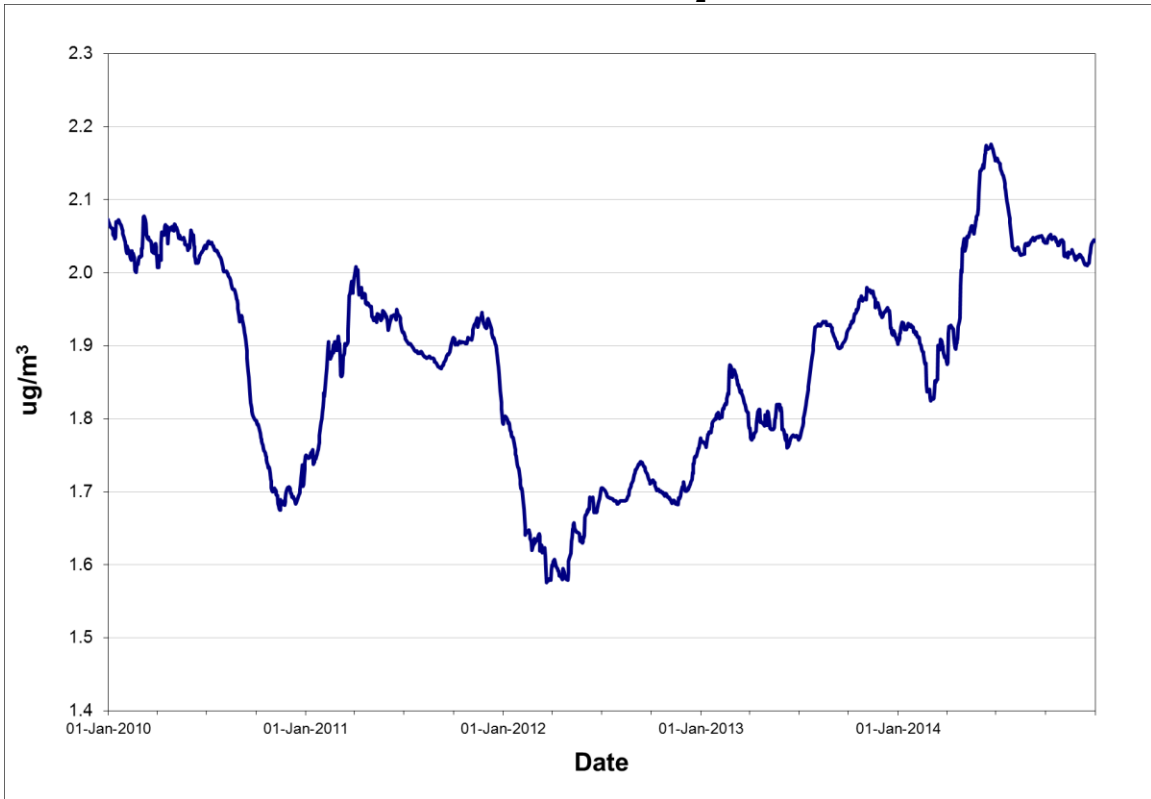
**TABLE 4.1.1.1 - BUTTERPOT ROAD SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	699	94.0%	1.9	26.2	13.2	3.8	0	0	0
	February	639	95.1%	2.5	50.0	42.7	12.4	0	0	0
	March	709	95.3%	1.9	27.0	12.3	4.9	0	0	0
	April	690	95.8%	2.3	37.6	27.5	7.0	0	0	0
	May	685	92.1%	2.1	51.9	25.1	8.8	0	0	0
	June	687	95.4%	1.8	26.6	14.8	4.3	0	0	0
	July	703	94.5%	2.7	11.8	6.2	4.0	0	0	0
	August	689	92.6%	1.4	4.5	2.5	1.8	0	0	0
	September	686	95.3%	1.3	6.7	4.3	2.9	0	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	1.6	23.9	14.0	3.0	0	0	0
	November	682	94.7%	1.7	22.7	19.7	7.9	0	0	0
	December	527	70.8%	1.6	19.0	12.1	4.3	0	0	0
Annual		8109	92.6%	1.9	51.9	42.7	12.4	0	0	0
2014	January	686	92.2%	2.1	25.0	17.0	4.3	0	0	0
	February	642	95.5%	1.5	13.9	9.3	2.7	0	0	0
	March	703	94.5%	2.4	67.3	58.4	18.4	0	0	0
	April	690	95.8%	4.1	77.9	43.8	18.3	0	0	0
	May	689	92.6%	3.2	61.4	32.1	8.8	0	0	0
	June	687	95.4%	2.2	33.5	22.5	8.3	0	0	0
	July	638	85.8%	1.2	7.1	3.7	1.8	0	0	0
	August	708	95.2%	1.4	20.5	15.0	4.1	0	0	0
	September	685	95.1%	1.3	8.3	5.0	1.9	0	0	0
	October	711	95.6%	1.6	34.4	21.6	4.4	0	0	0
	November	683	94.9%	1.4	29.3	19.0	4.0	0	0	0
	December	712	95.7%	2.0	25.8	18.1	7.0	0	0	0
Annual		8234	94.0%	2.0	77.9	58.4	18.4	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.1.1 - BUTTERPOT ROAD ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



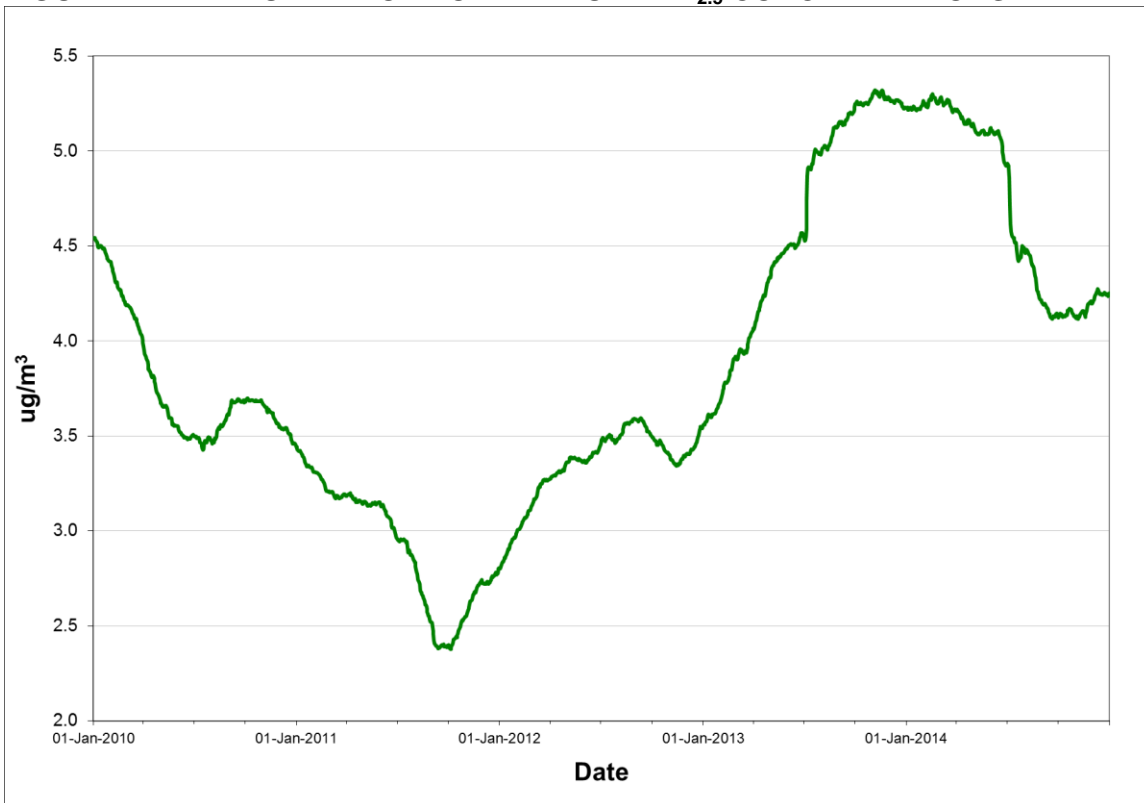
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.1.2 - BUTTERPOT ROAD PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	5.2	9.4	0
	February	26	92.9%	6.6	10.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.9	10.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.8	9.3	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.0	9.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.1	10.6	0
	July	30	96.8%	8.5	54.0	2
	August	31	100.0%	5.2	12.5	0
	September	29	96.7%	3.4	7.2	0
	October	27	87.1%	3.7	5.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	3.7	7.5	0
	December	22	71.0%	4.2	6.2	0
Annual		346	94.8%	5.2	54.0	2
2014	January	27	87.1%	5.7	9.8	0
	February	27	96.4%	6.5	12.3	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.5	9.5	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.1	10.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.7	7.8	0
	June	30	100.0%	1.8	6.5	0
	July	27	87.1%	3.4	13.5	0
	August	31	100.0%	2.1	8.8	0
	September	26	86.7%	2.3	6.3	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.7	10.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.5	7.8	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.8	8.7	0
Annual		352	96.4%	4.3	13.5	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.1.2 - BUTTERPOT ROAD ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



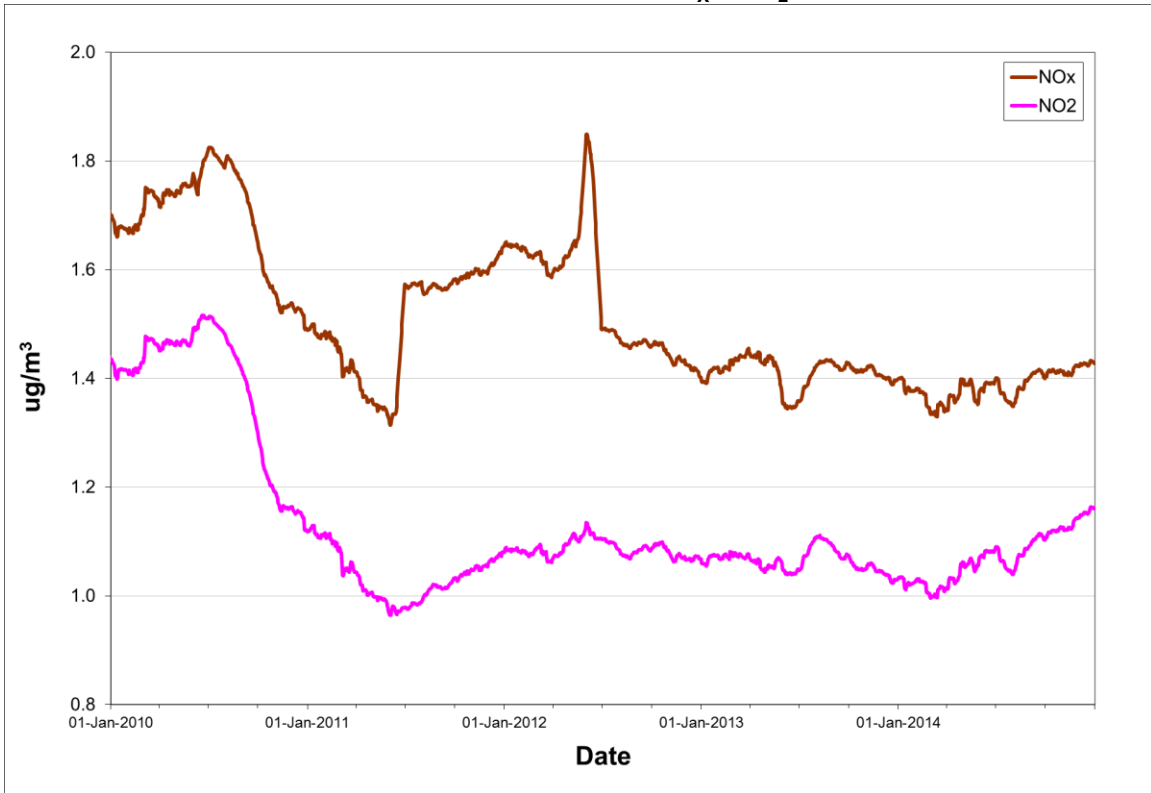
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.1.3 - BUTTERPOT ROAD NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	669	89.9%	1.4	1.2	23.7	21.5	5.2	4.7	0	0
	February	609	90.6%	1.4	1.2	31.4	27.0	8.1	6.9	0	0
	March	680	91.4%	1.4	1.0	21.1	15.7	4.1	3.3	0	0
	April	660	91.7%	1.3	0.9	18.3	11.5	4.4	3.3	0	0
	May	675	90.7%	2.9	1.3	30.7	15.1	6.5	4.0	0	0
	June	687	95.4%	1.3	1.1	8.2	8.0	2.3	1.9	0	0
	July	703	94.5%	1.5	1.3	7.1	5.5	3.0	2.7	0	0
	August	687	92.3%	1.0	0.7	4.3	2.7	1.7	1.3	0	0
	September	687	95.4%	1.0	0.7	9.6	8.2	3.0	2.6	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	1.2	0.9	8.8	6.0	2.4	1.9	0	0
	November	665	92.4%	1.2	1.0	6.2	5.5	2.6	2.4	0	0
	December	512	68.8%	1.2	1.0	10.7	7.0	2.4	2.1	0	0
Annual		7947	90.7%	1.4	1.0	31.4	27.0	8.1	6.9	0	0
2014	January	650	87.4%	1.2	1.1	11.7	10.4	3.5	3.4	0	0
	February	593	88.2%	1.0	0.9	6.7	6.4	2.0	1.8	0	0
	March	636	85.5%	1.3	1.1	35.3	22.8	9.0	5.9	0	0
	April	690	95.8%	1.9	1.5	31.1	19.3	7.3	5.7	0	0
	May	675	90.7%	2.6	1.4	20.0	13.5	7.8	3.4	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.6	1.3	14.4	13.2	3.4	2.8	0	0
	July	638	85.8%	0.9	0.8	6.1	4.4	1.6	1.3	0	0
	August	710	95.4%	1.6	1.3	42.3	26.0	4.2	3.5	0	0
	September	686	95.3%	1.0	0.9	13.2	12.8	1.9	1.7	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	1.3	1.2	19.8	13.7	3.3	2.5	0	0
	November	687	95.4%	1.3	1.2	13.5	10.3	3.3	2.8	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	1.3	1.2	15.0	13.9	4.2	4.0	0	0
Annual		8077	92.2%	1.4	1.2	42.3	26.0	9.0	5.9	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.1.3 - BUTTERPOT ROAD ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

#### 4.1.2 Green Acres Road

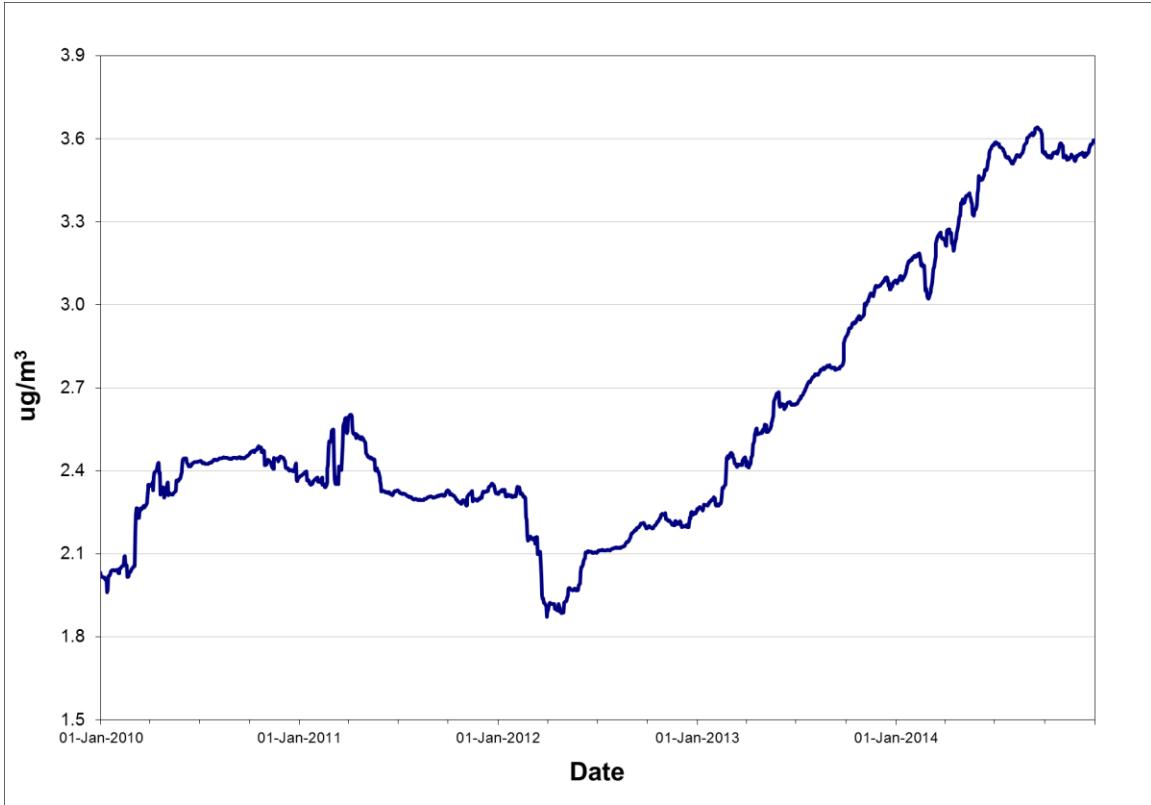
The Green Acres Road station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle consistent with the NAPS defined schedule. For all pollutants the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.1.2.1 through 4.1.2.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Green Acres Road, while Figures 4.1.2.1 through 4.1.2.4 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.1.2.1 - GREEN ACRES ROAD SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	692	93.0%	2.7	57.0	13.7	6.8	0	0	0
	February	644	95.8%	5.1	90.1	79.7	23.3	0	0	0
	March	707	95.0%	2.5	98.3	54.7	9.4	0	0	0
	April	690	95.8%	3.7	133.4	47.5	14.6	0	0	0
	May	712	95.7%	4.0	214.1	98.0	21.0	0	0	0
	June	664	92.2%	2.0	29.7	16.8	4.2	0	0	0
	July	708	95.2%	2.4	14.7	11.0	3.9	0	0	0
	August	712	95.7%	2.2	13.6	7.7	4.6	0	0	0
	September	681	94.6%	3.0	50.7	44.9	23.6	0	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	3.1	59.8	22.6	5.9	0	0	0
	November	687	95.4%	3.6	55.3	49.1	17.3	0	0	0
	December	705	94.8%	2.9	30.1	18.8	5.6	0	0	0
Annual		8315	94.9%	3.1	214.1	98.0	23.6	0	0	0
2014	January	695	93.4%	3.7	59.9	24.5	6.4	0	0	0
	February	643	95.7%	3.2	17.7	8.9	5.5	0	0	0
	March	653	87.8%	5.1	115.0	56.4	20.4	0	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	5.3	228.9	124.1	22.9	0	0	0
	May	703	94.5%	4.6	113.6	53.0	18.7	0	0	0
	June	681	94.6%	4.1	305.1	120.8	21.5	0	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.7	6.1	5.1	2.7	0	0	0
	August	712	95.7%	3.2	50.5	22.5	8.4	0	0	0
	September	665	92.4%	2.3	61.2	36.9	8.3	0	0	0
	October	707	95.0%	3.5	52.7	25.9	7.4	0	0	0
	November	683	94.9%	3.0	43.7	31.5	5.9	0	0	0
	December	705	94.8%	3.5	43.5	31.4	8.1	0	0	0
Annual		8248	94.2%	3.6	305.1	124.1	22.9	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.2.1 - GREEN ACRES ROAD ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

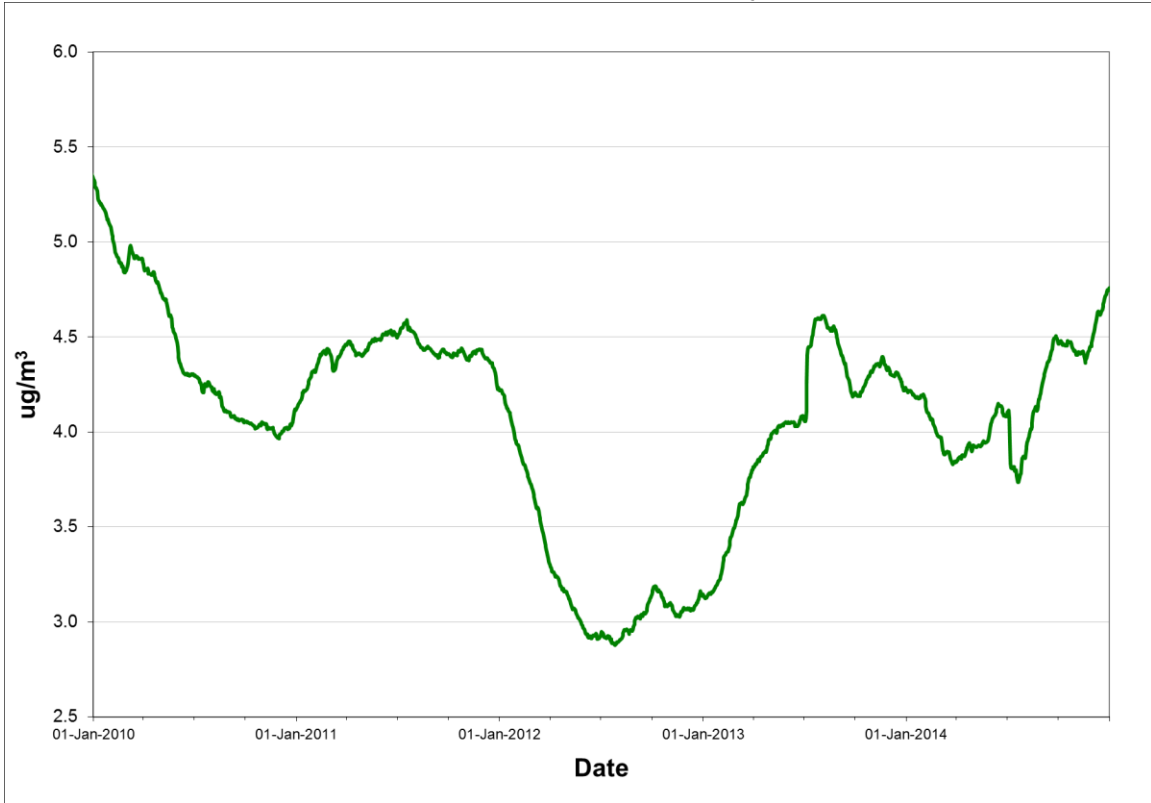
**TABLE 4.1.2.2 - GREEN ACRES ROAD PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	3.1	5.4	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.6	9.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.2	11.1	0
	April	26	86.7%	4.3	10.9	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.1	5.6	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.0	10.0	0
	July	31	100.0%	9.5	54.4	2
	August	30	96.8%	2.9	11.4	0
	September	30	100.0%	2.2	8.0	0
	October	27	87.1%	4.3	8.1	0
	November	28	93.3%	3.8	8.3	0
	December	21	67.7%	1.8	3.5	0
Annual		342	93.7%	4.2	54.4	2
2014	January	29	93.5%	2.8	6.8	0
	February	28	100.0%	2.8	7.5	0
	March	28	90.3%	3.8	6.9	0
	April	30	100.0%	5.2	9.2	0
	May	30	96.8%	4.2	9.9	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.6	9.1	0
	July	31	100.0%	7.2	18.9	0
	August	31	100.0%	6.8	12.2	0
	September	19	63.3%	5.4	9.6	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.8	13.0	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.3	7.8	0
	December	31	100.0%	5.8	11.0	0
Annual		348	95.3%	4.8	18.9	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.2.2 - GREEN ACRES ROAD ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



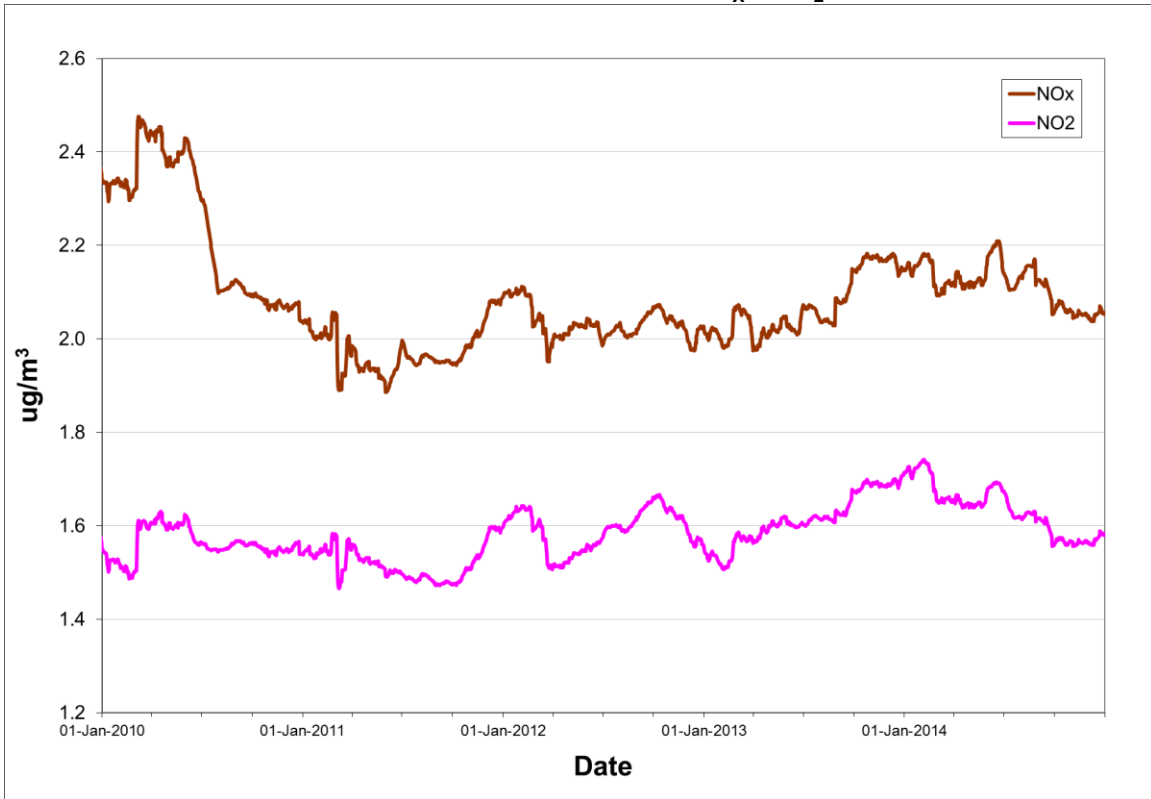
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.2.3 - GREEN ACRES ROAD NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	661	88.8%	1.8	1.5	34.5	24.3	5.5	4.8	0	0
	February	616	91.7%	2.8	2.3	54.4	32.8	12.4	8.2	0	0
	March	676	90.9%	1.6	1.4	47.8	32.2	5.3	4.3	0	0
	April	659	91.5%	2.4	1.9	60.0	31.4	7.0	4.4	0	0
	May	682	91.7%	2.1	1.7	74.6	42.8	7.9	5.3	0	0
	June	651	90.4%	2.5	1.5	13.4	10.0	5.4	2.5	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.5	1.3	7.6	5.7	2.8	2.3	0	0
	August	703	94.5%	2.0	1.5	93.3	36.0	21.9	10.2	0	0
	September	681	94.6%	2.6	2.1	29.2	20.0	12.9	9.7	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	2.2	1.7	17.5	13.3	4.4	3.5	0	0
	November	686	95.3%	2.1	1.8	27.8	12.3	5.5	4.5	0	0
	December	706	94.9%	2.1	1.8	32.3	15.0	5.2	4.5	0	0
Annual		8146	93.0%	2.1	1.7	93.3	42.8	21.9	10.2	0	0
2014	January	645	86.7%	2.1	1.8	27.6	17.6	6.2	5.5	0	0
	February	644	95.8%	1.9	1.3	18.5	14.5	2.9	2.4	0	0
	March	655	88.0%	1.9	1.3	47.7	19.8	8.9	4.4	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	2.4	1.8	93.4	39.9	10.1	6.2	0	0
	May	703	94.5%	2.6	2.0	40.3	24.4	7.4	5.2	0	0
	June	681	94.6%	2.3	1.6	92.0	40.6	7.8	4.4	0	0
	July	713	95.8%	1.5	0.7	8.2	4.5	2.5	1.4	0	0
	August	713	95.8%	1.9	1.5	49.8	21.6	5.8	3.4	0	0
	September	666	92.5%	1.7	1.4	39.6	24.1	5.7	3.6	0	0
	October	692	93.0%	2.3	1.8	39.7	16.4	5.4	3.3	0	0
	November	644	89.4%	1.9	1.8	23.2	13.5	4.7	3.8	0	0
	December	706	94.9%	2.2	2.0	26.2	23.8	6.2	5.8	0	0
Annual		8151	93.0%	2.1	1.6	93.4	40.6	10.1	6.2	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.2.3 - GREEN ACRES ROAD ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



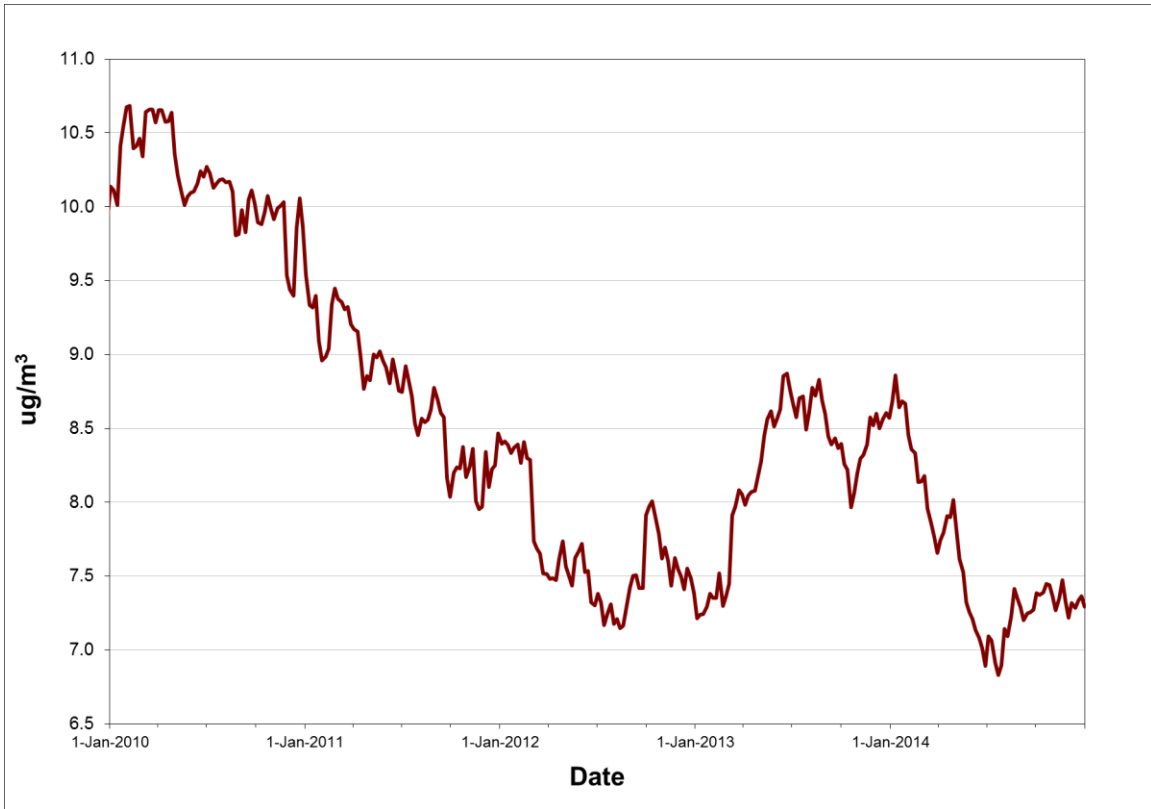
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.2.4 - GREEN ACRES ROAD TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	3	60.0%	8.4	14.4	0
	February	5	100.0%	9.8	11.4	0
	March	5	100.0%	10.5	18.3	0
	April	5	100.0%	10.4	26.5	0
	May	5	100.0%	12.9	14.8	0
	June	5	100.0%	9.4	18.2	0
	July	5	100.0%	7.8	15.5	0
	August	5	100.0%	7.3	17.3	0
	September	5	100.0%	8.5	12.3	0
	October	6	100.0%	7.2	10.7	0
	November	5	100.0%	7.3	10.6	0
	December	2	40.0%	4.4	4.7	0
Annual		56	91.8%	8.7	26.5	0
2014	January	4	80.0%	7.3	13.2	0
	February	4	80.0%	4.5	7.4	0
	March	5	100.0%	6.2	13.5	0
	April	5	100.0%	12.2	19.9	0
	May	5	100.0%	4.8	6.9	0
	June	5	100.0%	7.1	10.0	0
	July	5	100.0%	8.3	19.0	0
	August	5	100.0%	13.8	23.4	0
	September	5	100.0%	7.1	12.8	0
	October	5	100.0%	7.6	11.5	0
	November	5	100.0%	7.2	16.8	0
	December	6	100.0%	5.7	9.3	0
Annual		59	96.7%	7.3	23.4	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.2.4 - GREEN ACRES ROAD ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

### 4.1.3 Indian Pond Drive

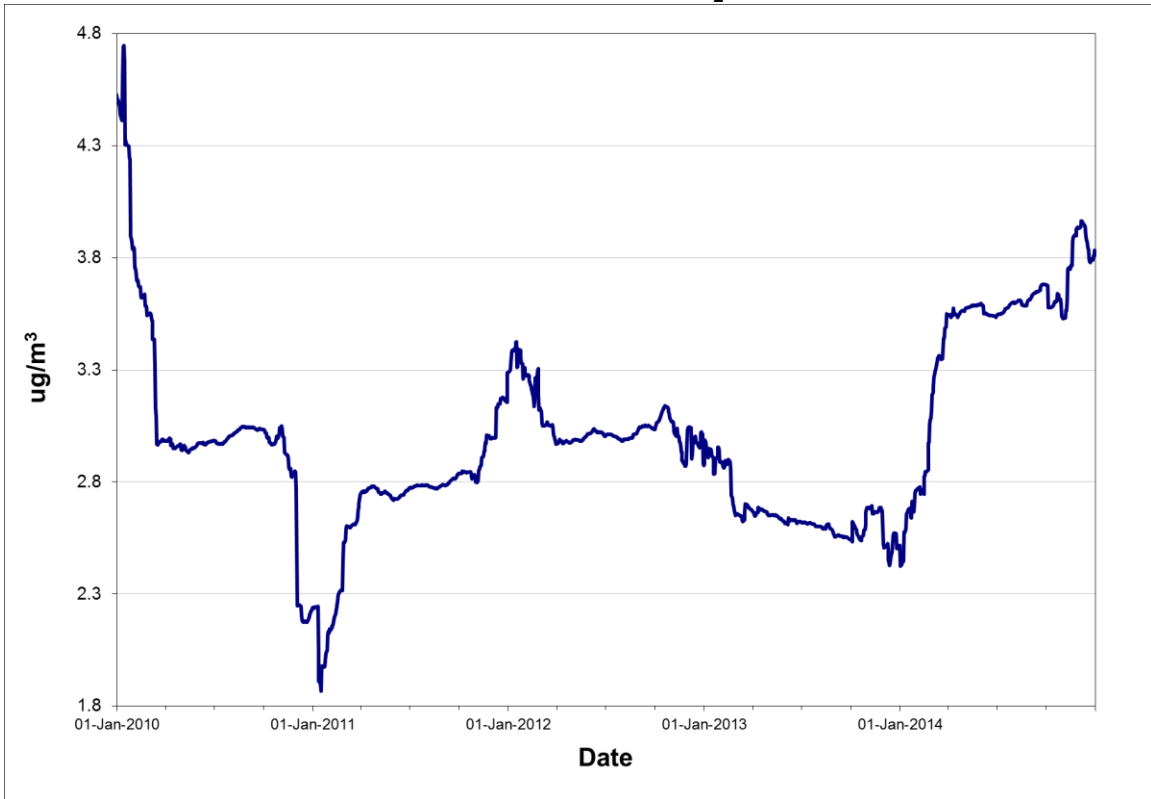
The Indian Pond Drive station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle consistent with the NAPS defined schedule. With the exception of TPM, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. The 24-hour TPM standard was exceeded on one occasion in 2014. Tables 4.1.3.1 through 4.1.3.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Indian Pond Drive, while Figures 4.1.3.1 through 4.1.3.4 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.1.3.1 - INDIAN POND DRIVE SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	670	90.1%	5.4	96.0	78.4	39.7	0	0	0
	February	634	94.3%	2.1	88.8	68.4	10.6	0	0	0
	March	709	95.3%	2.6	106.7	55.3	15.3	0	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	2.1	43.2	33.2	9.4	0	0	0
	May	710	95.4%	1.2	12.8	7.7	2.0	0	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	2.2	63.2	48.2	14.1	0	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.1	4.5	3.3	1.7	0	0	0
	August	682	91.7%	1.6	7.3	6.1	4.3	0	0	0
	September	687	95.4%	1.6	3.6	2.7	1.9	0	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	4.4	102.1	81.2	35.5	0	0	0
	November	682	94.7%	1.9	20.3	12.3	4.2	0	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	4.2	103.1	42.9	17.8	0	0	0
Annual		8287	94.6%	2.5	106.7	81.2	39.7	0	0	0
2014	January	692	93.0%	8.2	142.9	117.1	59.5	0	0	0
	February	520	77.4%	7.6	194.1	146.9	43.8	0	0	0
	March	652	87.6%	7.8	120.9	65.6	27.0	0	0	0
	April	612	85.0%	2.1	85.1	43.6	13.3	0	0	0
	May	699	94.0%	1.5	34.6	12.8	3.4	0	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.5	11.2	6.6	2.8	0	0	0
	July	650	87.4%	1.7	9.7	6.8	3.3	0	0	0
	August	653	87.8%	1.7	5.8	4.8	3.0	0	0	0
	September	687	95.4%	2.3	26.2	14.3	4.9	0	0	0
	October	710	95.4%	2.7	56.8	42.6	17.9	0	0	0
	November	685	95.1%	6.5	153.1	133.2	49.6	0	0	0
	December	709	95.3%	2.9	49.9	41.0	11.9	0	0	0
Annual		7957	90.8%	3.8	194.1	146.9	59.5	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.3.1 - INDIAN POND DRIVE ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

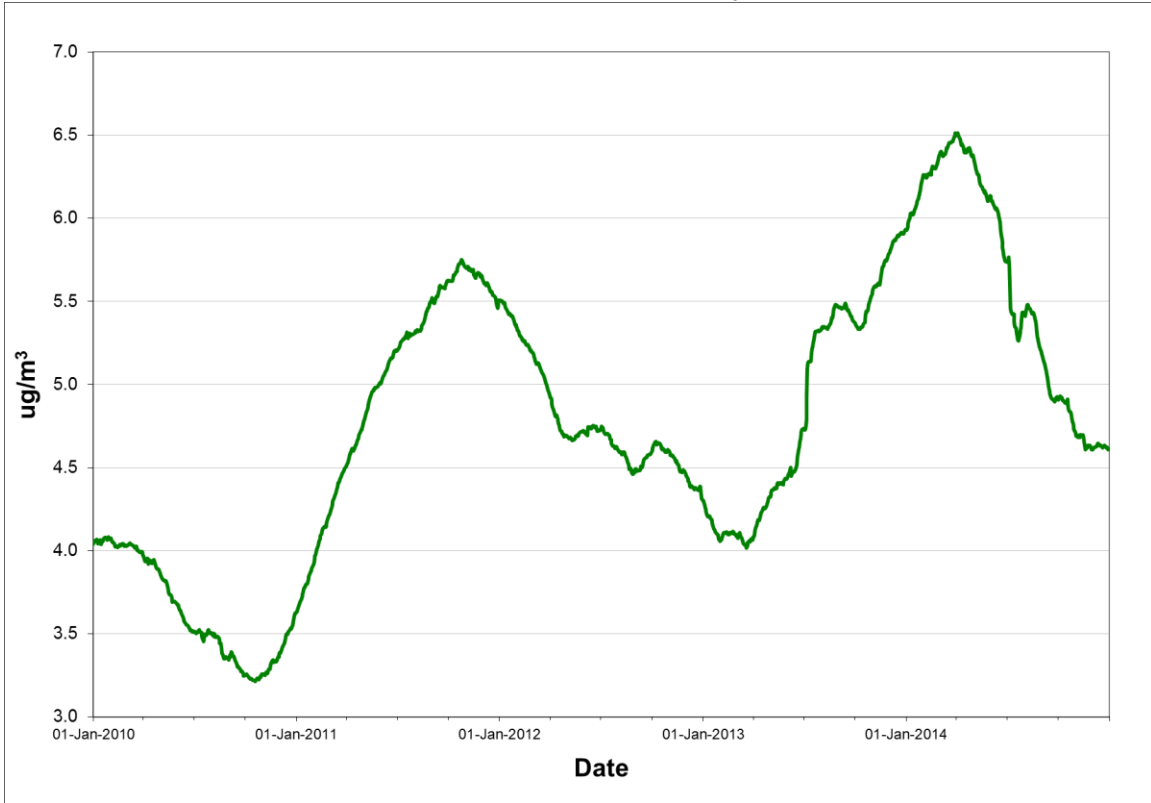
**TABLE 4.1.3.2 - INDIAN POND DRIVE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	28	90.3%	1.2	4.8	0
	February	28	100.0%	4.4	8.0	0
	March	30	96.8%	3.3	8.1	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.7	11.9	0
	May	31	100.0%	6.7	11.1	0
	June	30	100.0%	8.4	21.5	0
	July	31	100.0%	11.1	61.1	2
	August	23	74.2%	6.6	15.9	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.7	11.3	0
	October	27	87.1%	6.3	21.6	0
	November	29	96.7%	5.9	12.3	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.4	6.6	0
Annual		348	95.3%	5.9	61.1	2
2014	January	28	90.3%	5.3	10.8	0
	February	21	75.0%	5.5	13.0	0
	March	26	83.9%	4.7	9.5	0
	April	26	86.7%	5.1	8.9	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.1	11.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.0	9.3	0
	July	27	87.1%	8.1	20.8	0
	August	31	100.0%	3.8	12.1	0
	September	26	86.7%	2.2	5.1	0
	October	31	100.0%	4.0	11.9	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.6	9.8	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.4	9.7	0
Annual		338	92.6%	4.6	20.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.3.2 - INDIAN POND DRIVE ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



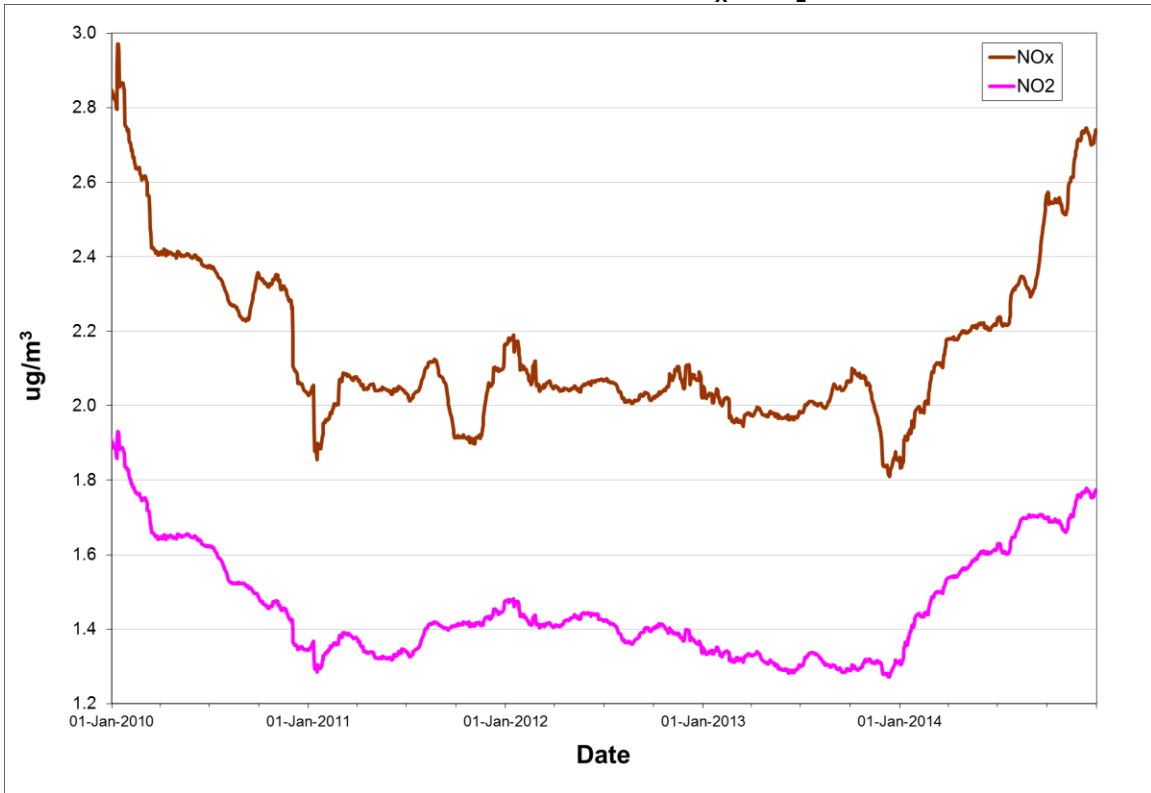
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.3.3 - INDIAN POND DRIVE NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	642	86.3%	2.6	1.8	35.4	13.6	12.8	6.2	0	0
	February	610	90.8%	1.7	1.2	36.5	22.1	4.9	3.0	0	0
	March	680	91.4%	1.7	1.3	46.3	18.5	6.7	3.5	0	0
	April	671	93.2%	1.4	0.9	16.0	8.8	4.1	2.5	0	0
	May	707	95.0%	1.4	1.0	12.6	10.8	3.0	2.4	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.9	1.4	20.7	9.6	5.1	3.2	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.6	1.4	15.0	8.0	3.3	2.9	0	0
	August	682	91.7%	2.1	0.9	16.0	3.8	4.6	2.0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	1.9	1.2	24.0	15.2	4.3	2.9	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	2.5	1.8	34.4	15.4	12.9	6.0	0	0
	November	641	89.0%	1.4	1.2	14.2	9.0	2.4	2.0	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	2.2	1.7	38.4	15.5	5.7	4.7	0	0
Annual		8145	93.0%	1.9	1.3	46.3	22.1	12.9	6.2	0	0
2014	January	670	90.1%	4.1	3.2	52.6	27.8	26.4	14.1	0	0
	February	520	77.4%	3.0	1.9	64.5	23.5	12.2	6.2	0	0
	March	655	88.0%	3.0	2.0	37.9	19.4	8.0	4.8	0	0
	April	614	85.3%	1.6	1.2	22.1	12.8	4.3	2.6	0	0
	May	702	94.4%	1.7	1.6	13.9	10.3	3.0	2.8	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.9	1.6	37.2	18.3	4.2	2.8	0	0
	July	650	87.4%	2.6	1.7	61.0	21.6	12.0	5.2	0	0
	August	640	86.0%	1.8	1.5	14.7	9.9	3.7	3.0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	5.0	1.2	23.5	9.2	7.4	1.9	0	0
	October	712	95.7%	1.9	1.4	16.9	10.0	5.6	2.8	0	0
	November	684	95.0%	3.8	2.3	51.3	17.5	16.4	7.1	0	0
	December	710	95.4%	2.4	1.8	63.4	29.7	8.1	4.6	0	0
Annual		7933	90.6%	2.7	1.8	64.5	29.7	26.4	14.1	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.3.3 - INDIAN POND DRIVE ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



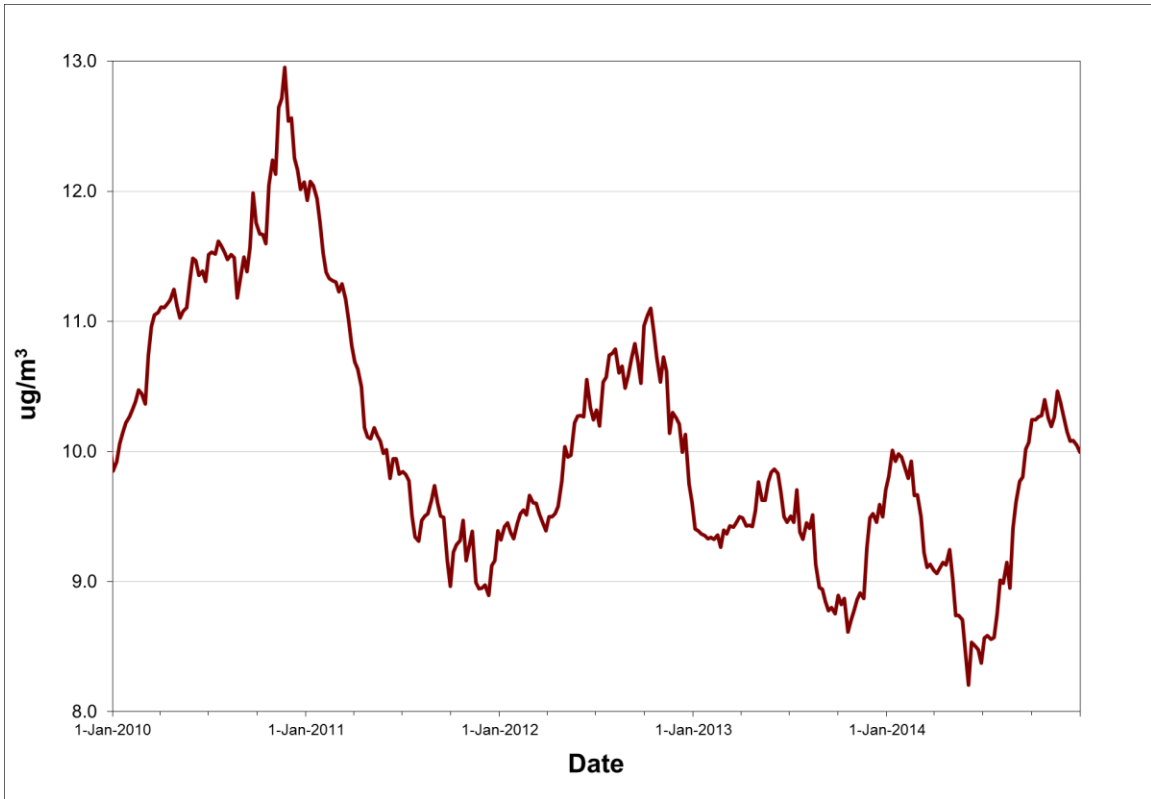
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.3.4 - INDIAN POND DRIVE TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	7.9	10.9	0
	February	5	100.0%	11.7	17.2	0
	March	5	100.0%	14.1	20.8	0
	April	5	100.0%	13.2	23.8	0
	May	5	100.0%	21.6	37.6	0
	June	5	100.0%	9.6	14.2	0
	July	5	100.0%	10.5	20.6	0
	August	5	100.0%	4.8	18.3	0
	September	5	100.0%	6.7	10.6	0
	October	6	100.0%	8.4	12.6	0
	November	5	100.0%	10.3	20.0	0
	December	5	100.0%	7.5	7.9	0
Annual		60	98.4%	9.8	37.6	0
2014	January	4	80.0%	10.5	17.1	0
	February	5	100.0%	7.0	23.2	0
	March	5	100.0%	7.1	12.3	0
	April	5	100.0%	14.2	24.4	0
	May	5	100.0%	6.9	15.7	0
	June	5	100.0%	11.9	153.7	1
	July	5	100.0%	18.1	35.1	0
	August	5	100.0%	13.0	34.8	0
	September	5	100.0%	13.8	28.1	0
	October	5	100.0%	11.2	16.0	0
	November	5	100.0%	8.2	22.9	0
	December	6	100.0%	6.4	10.6	0
Annual		60	98.4%	10.0	153.7	1

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.3.4 - INDIAN POND DRIVE ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

#### **4.1.4 Indian Pond Road**

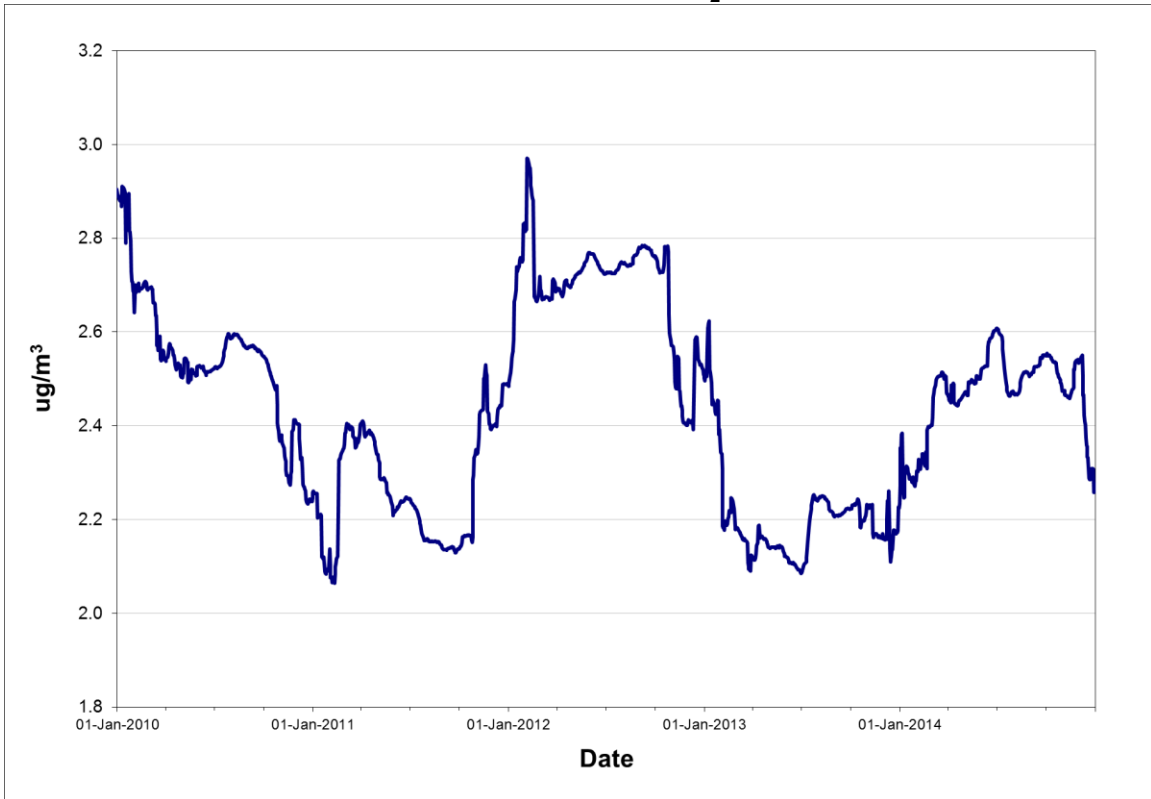
The Indian Pond Road station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle consistent with the NAPS defined schedule. For all pollutants, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.1.4.1 through 4.1.4.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Indian Pond Road, while Figures 4.1.4.1 through 4.1.4.4 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.1.4.1 - INDIAN POND ROAD SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	686	92.2%	4.5	87.1	75.5	29.5	0	0	0
	February	642	95.5%	2.2	84.4	24.4	12.8	0	0	0
	March	710	95.4%	1.8	71.2	32.5	14.2	0	0	0
	April	684	95.0%	2.2	77.9	40.3	14.2	0	0	0
	May	712	95.7%	1.4	32.4	15.2	3.3	0	0	0
	June	687	95.4%	0.9	5.3	3.8	1.5	0	0	0
	July	688	92.5%	3.1	8.7	8.0	6.9	0	0	0
	August	704	94.6%	1.0	10.7	6.2	2.0	0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	1.4	5.3	2.7	1.8	0	0	0
	October	706	94.9%	2.0	57.2	28.5	6.2	0	0	0
	November	688	95.6%	1.2	23.0	13.5	5.1	0	0	0
	December	707	95.0%	5.1	112.6	80.7	21.5	0	0	0
Annual		8302	94.8%	2.2	112.6	80.7	29.5	0	0	0
2014	January	690	92.7%	5.1	147.1	118.2	29.8	0	0	0
	February	640	95.2%	3.8	158.0	80.0	31.1	0	0	0
	March	711	95.6%	2.5	63.8	43.7	17.0	0	0	0
	April	683	94.9%	2.2	65.0	49.5	17.1	0	0	0
	May	711	95.6%	1.9	113.9	38.6	11.5	0	0	0
	June	684	95.0%	2.1	111.9	44.9	16.6	0	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.5	17.2	10.5	3.8	0	0	0
	August	674	90.6%	1.3	18.6	6.8	4.4	0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	1.9	43.8	20.3	6.9	0	0	0
	October	710	95.4%	1.1	8.1	4.9	2.3	0	0	0
	November	576	80.0%	1.8	53.2	44.4	14.8	0	0	0
	December	703	94.5%	2.1	55.2	28.3	9.2	0	0	0
Annual		8182	93.4%	2.3	158.0	118.2	31.1	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.4.1 - INDIAN POND ROAD ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

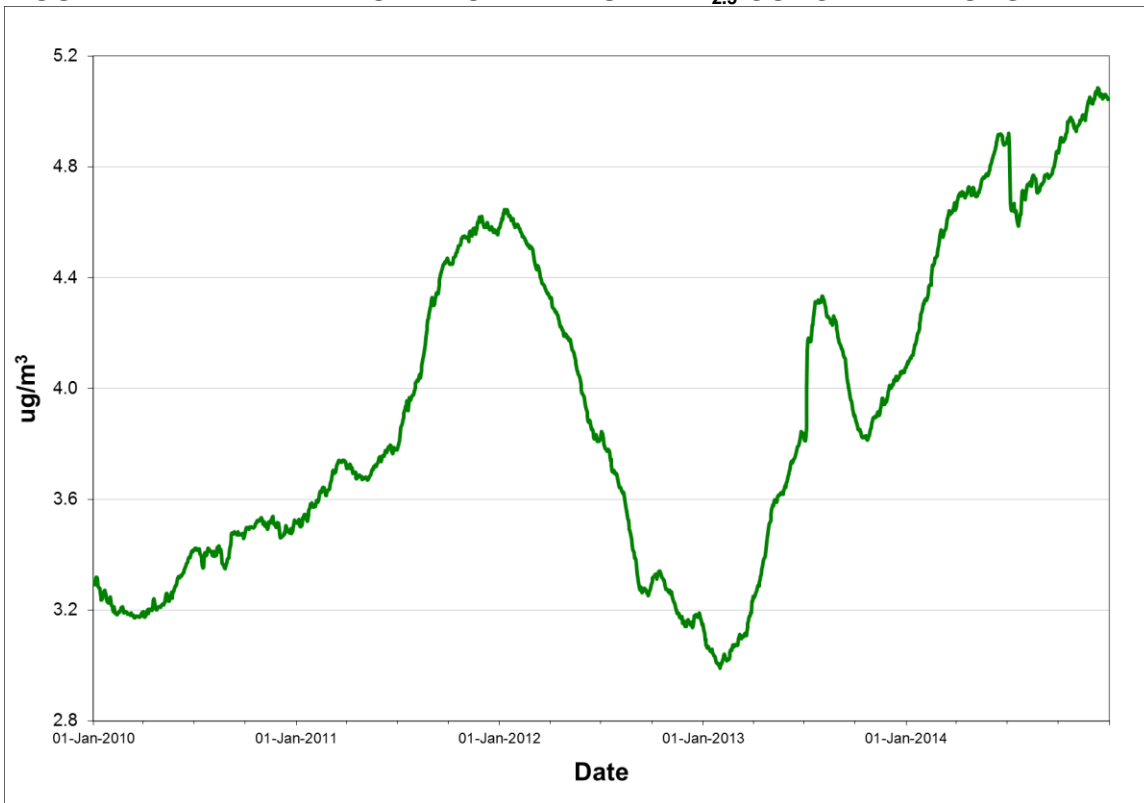
**TABLE 4.1.4.2 - INDIAN POND ROAD PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	2.4	5.1	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.5	8.6	0
	March	31	100.0%	3.9	14.8	0
	April	29	96.7%	5.0	9.7	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.4	8.4	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.3	9.9	0
	July	31	100.0%	10.1	53.4	2
	August	30	96.8%	3.1	12.2	0
	September	30	100.0%	1.9	6.0	0
	October	27	87.1%	2.8	7.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	3.9	7.8	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.2	10.1	0
Annual		357	97.8%	4.1	53.4	2
2014	January	29	93.5%	5.3	9.9	0
	February	28	100.0%	6.2	13.6	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.5	8.7	0
	April	30	100.0%	5.7	9.4	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.4	9.6	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.2	9.0	0
	July	31	100.0%	8.0	19.8	0
	August	31	100.0%	3.5	9.8	0
	September	26	86.7%	3.0	6.2	0
	October	31	100.0%	4.1	14.6	0
	November	24	80.0%	5.1	8.7	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.3	10.0	0
Annual		353	96.7%	5.0	19.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.4.2 - INDIAN POND ROAD ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.4.3 - INDIAN POND ROAD NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	654	87.9%	3.1	2.2	39.1	20.8	12.1	6.9	0	0
	February	616	91.7%	2.4	1.8	31.6	21.0	5.7	4.3	0	0
	March	680	91.4%	2.1	1.8	74.0	71.6	11.8	9.7	0	0
	April	656	91.1%	1.9	1.5	31.4	21.2	7.1	5.4	0	0
	May	682	91.7%	1.9	1.5	15.0	11.3	4.4	3.6	0	0
	June	658	91.4%	2.3	2.1	16.8	12.1	6.3	4.8	0	0
	July	685	92.1%	2.5	1.9	10.5	7.3	4.8	3.5	0	0
	August	706	94.9%	2.7	1.7	9.9	8.9	3.4	2.9	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	2.1	1.9	10.6	9.0	3.1	2.6	0	0
	October	706	94.9%	2.5	2.2	19.2	16.8	6.3	5.3	0	0
	November	690	95.8%	2.3	2.0	19.1	15.2	3.6	3.0	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	3.6	2.6	38.5	28.0	8.7	5.1	0	0
Annual		8132	92.8%	2.5	1.9	74.0	71.6	12.1	9.7	0	0
2014	January	691	92.9%	3.7	2.7	63.3	28.9	12.5	7.6	0	0
	February	644	95.8%	2.8	2.0	59.4	32.1	11.5	6.7	0	0
	March	711	95.6%	2.2	1.5	36.4	22.8	9.8	5.8	0	0
	April	673	93.5%	2.0	1.4	17.7	12.0	5.6	3.7	0	0
	May	713	95.8%	2.4	1.8	59.3	27.4	6.5	3.9	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	2.4	2.3	31.2	16.1	5.6	3.9	0	0
	July	693	93.1%	2.1	2.0	9.9	8.6	3.5	3.1	0	0
	August	664	89.2%	3.7	1.6	26.6	13.1	7.0	3.2	0	0
	September	658	91.4%	2.0	1.7	29.0	12.3	3.7	2.7	0	0
	October	682	91.7%	2.6	2.1	21.6	14.3	4.4	3.2	0	0
	November	555	77.1%	6.1	4.6	26.6	18.7	16.6	11.6	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	2.9	2.3	35.5	23.2	6.5	5.7	0	0
Annual		8083	92.3%	2.9	2.1	63.3	32.1	16.6	11.6	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.4.3 - INDIAN POND ROAD ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



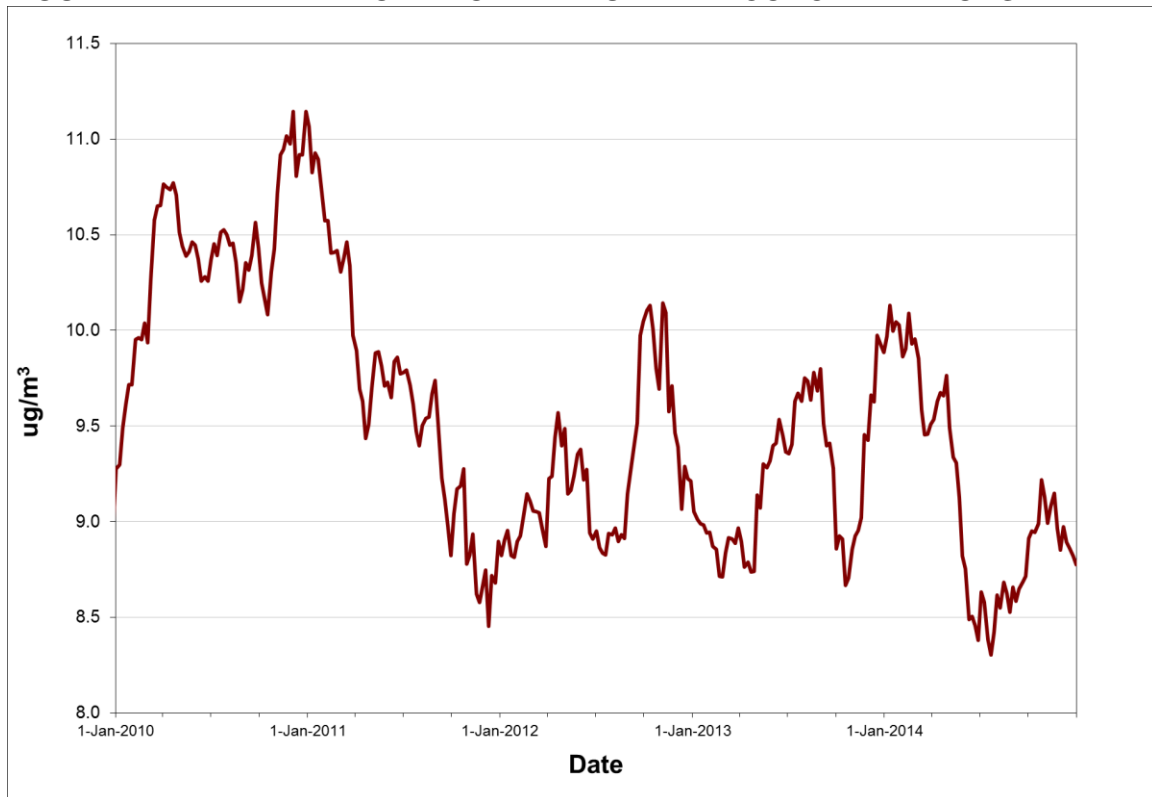
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.4.4 - INDIAN POND ROAD TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	7.2	10.0	0
	February	5	100.0%	9.2	11.7	0
	March	5	100.0%	14.3	20.9	0
	April	5	100.0%	12.8	23.7	0
	May	5	100.0%	15.8	20.5	0
	June	5	100.0%	9.0	22.7	0
	July	5	100.0%	11.6	19.7	0
	August	5	100.0%	8.9	18.9	0
	September	5	100.0%	7.8	13.5	0
	October	6	100.0%	7.9	12.2	0
	November	5	100.0%	9.2	13.3	0
	December	5	100.0%	9.4	12.4	0
Annual		60	98.4%	10.0	23.7	0
2014	January	4	80.0%	8.5	14.9	0
	February	5	100.0%	8.0	29.3	0
	March	5	100.0%	7.4	15.4	0
	April	5	100.0%	16.2	22.4	0
	May	5	100.0%	5.0	17.0	0
	June	5	100.0%	6.9	11.2	0
	July	5	100.0%	10.9	25.6	0
	August	5	100.0%	9.9	19.3	0
	September	5	100.0%	11.1	15.0	0
	October	5	100.0%	12.7	18.8	0
	November	5	100.0%	7.2	16.6	0
	December	6	100.0%	7.0	10.6	0
Annual		60	98.4%	8.8	29.3	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.4.4 - INDIAN POND ROAD ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

### 4.1.5 Lawrence Pond Road

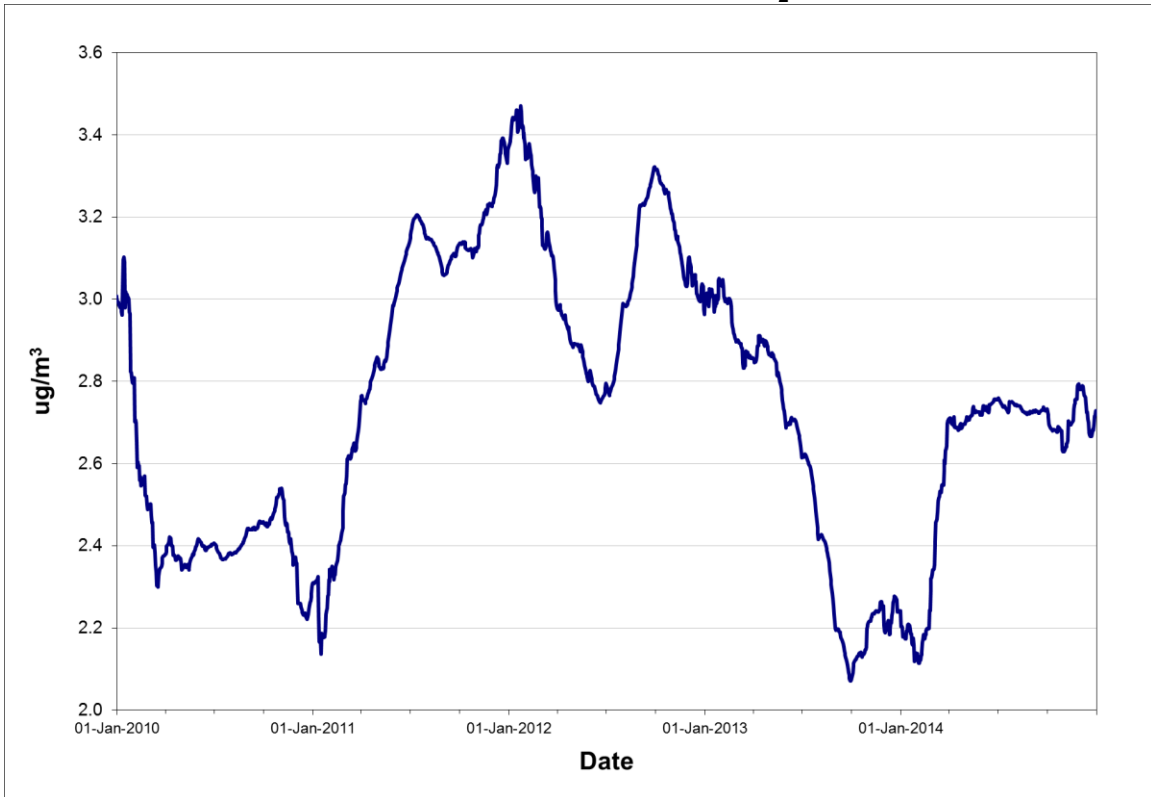
The Lawrence Pond Road station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle consistent with the NAPS defined schedule. For all pollutants except TPM, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. The TPM 24-hour standard was exceeded on one occasion in 2014. Tables 4.1.5.1 through 4.1.5.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Lawrence Pond Road, while Figures 4.1.5.1 through 4.1.5.4 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.1.5.1 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	634	85.2%	5.3	60.6	42.0	17.1	0	0	0
	February	642	95.5%	2.1	52.4	26.9	8.2	0	0	0
	March	706	94.9%	2.0	28.3	19.8	10.1	0	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	2.3	48.5	24.0	10.5	0	0	0
	May	711	95.6%	1.3	58.0	23.9	5.9	0	0	0
	June	683	94.9%	1.6	21.9	17.4	4.8	0	0	0
	July	713	95.8%	1.6	5.4	3.5	2.3	0	0	0
	August	713	95.8%	1.3	4.7	3.4	1.8	0	0	0
	September	665	92.4%	1.7	4.5	4.4	2.4	0	0	0
	October	712	95.7%	2.7	42.7	33.5	16.6	0	0	0
	November	690	95.8%	2.0	41.4	22.6	7.6	0	0	0
	December	706	94.9%	3.3	75.0	32.8	11.0	0	0	0
Annual		8264	94.3%	2.2	75.0	42.0	17.1	0	0	0
2014	January	663	89.1%	3.8	47.9	35.3	10.6	0	0	0
	February	643	95.7%	4.6	75.5	49.6	20.1	0	0	0
	March	706	94.9%	6.5	135.0	79.0	21.9	0	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	2.2	58.0	24.3	7.7	0	0	0
	May	713	95.8%	1.6	49.8	35.5	6.4	0	0	0
	June	630	87.5%	1.9	41.4	29.2	6.5	0	0	0
	July	710	95.4%	1.4	54.6	35.9	10.2	0	0	0
	August	690	92.7%	1.1	13.6	8.3	3.2	0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	1.8	30.3	17.0	4.5	0	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	1.5	21.4	16.7	8.3	0	0	0
	November	663	92.1%	3.9	52.0	40.8	19.2	0	0	0
	December	707	95.0%	2.6	43.4	26.2	9.2	0	0	0
Annual		8215	93.8%	2.7	135.0	79.0	21.9	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.5.1 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

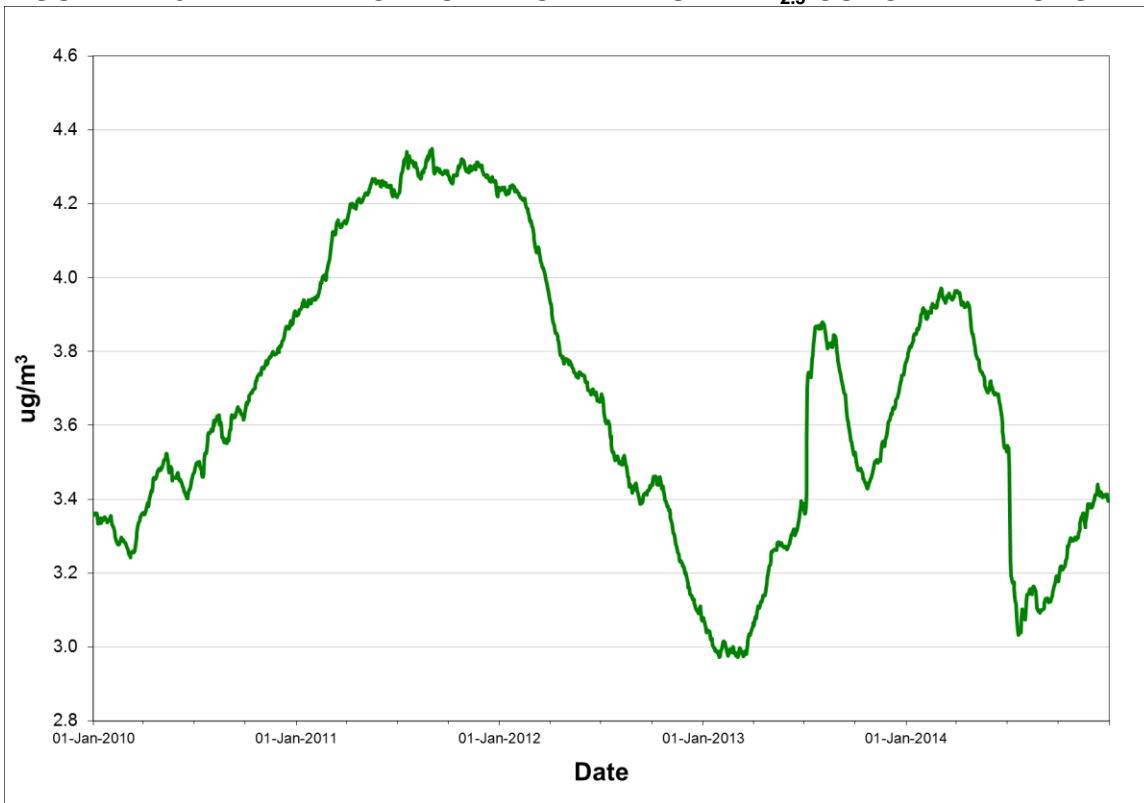
**TABLE 4.1.5.2 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	28	90.3%	2.0	5.1	0
	February	28	100.0%	2.9	6.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	3.4	8.0	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.6	8.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.7	7.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	4.4	9.3	0
	July	31	100.0%	9.5	52.5	2
	August	30	96.8%	3.2	11.3	0
	September	30	100.0%	1.7	6.0	0
	October	27	87.1%	2.1	4.2	0
	November	25	83.3%	3.3	7.2	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.8	5.9	0
Annual		352	96.4%	3.8	52.5	2
2014	January	23	74.2%	3.9	7.5	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.2	7.9	0
	March	29	93.5%	3.6	7.0	0
	April	30	100.0%	3.3	5.7	0
	May	31	100.0%	2.3	7.0	0
	June	27	90.0%	2.1	4.8	0
	July	31	100.0%	4.6	15.8	0
	August	31	100.0%	3.3	13.8	0
	September	26	86.7%	2.5	5.0	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.5	11.2	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.2	7.9	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.0	8.3	0
Annual		348	95.3%	3.4	15.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.5.2 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



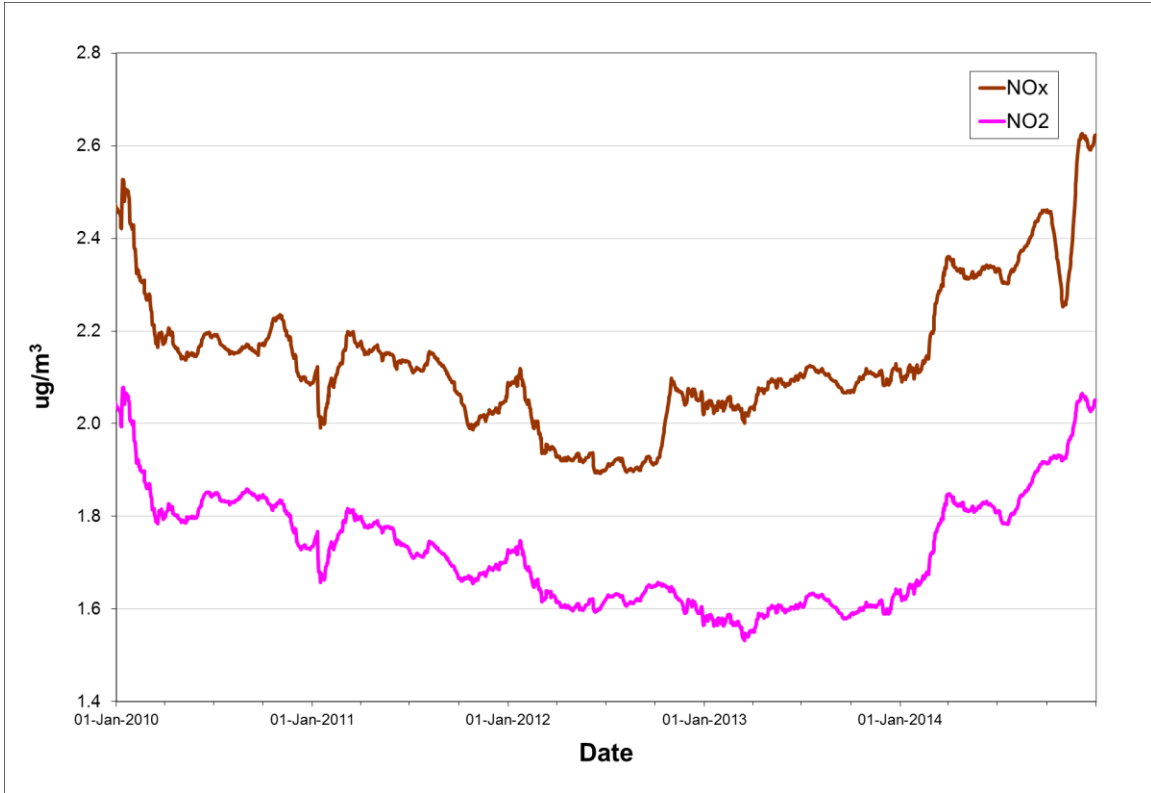
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.5.3 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	642	86.3%	2.6	1.8	35.4	13.6	12.8	6.2	0	0
	February	610	90.8%	1.7	1.2	36.5	22.1	4.9	3.0	0	0
	March	680	91.4%	1.7	1.3	46.3	18.5	6.7	3.5	0	0
	April	671	93.2%	1.4	0.9	16.0	8.8	4.1	2.5	0	0
	May	707	95.0%	1.4	1.0	12.6	10.8	3.0	2.4	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.9	1.4	20.7	9.6	5.1	3.2	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	1.6	1.4	15.0	8.0	3.3	2.9	0	0
	August	682	91.7%	2.1	0.9	16.0	3.8	4.6	2.0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	1.9	1.2	24.0	15.2	4.3	2.9	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	2.5	1.8	34.4	15.4	12.9	6.0	0	0
	November	641	89.0%	1.4	1.2	14.2	9.0	2.4	2.0	0	0
	December	711	95.6%	2.2	1.7	38.4	15.5	5.7	4.7	0	0
Annual		8145	93.0%	1.9	1.3	46.3	22.1	12.9	6.2	0	0
2014	January	670	90.1%	4.1	3.2	52.6	27.8	26.4	14.1	0	0
	February	520	77.4%	3.0	1.9	64.5	23.5	12.2	6.2	0	0
	March	655	88.0%	3.0	2.0	37.9	19.4	8.0	4.8	0	0
	April	614	85.3%	1.6	1.2	22.1	12.8	4.3	2.6	0	0
	May	702	94.4%	1.7	1.6	13.9	10.3	3.0	2.8	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.9	1.6	37.2	18.3	4.2	2.8	0	0
	July	650	87.4%	2.6	1.7	61.0	21.6	12.0	5.2	0	0
	August	640	86.0%	1.8	1.5	14.7	9.9	3.7	3.0	0	0
	September	688	95.6%	5.0	1.2	23.5	9.2	7.4	1.9	0	0
	October	712	95.7%	1.9	1.4	16.9	10.0	5.6	2.8	0	0
	November	684	95.0%	3.8	2.3	51.3	17.5	16.4	7.1	0	0
	December	710	95.4%	2.4	1.8	63.4	29.7	8.1	4.6	0	0
Annual		7933	90.6%	2.7	1.8	64.5	29.7	26.4	14.1	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.5.3 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



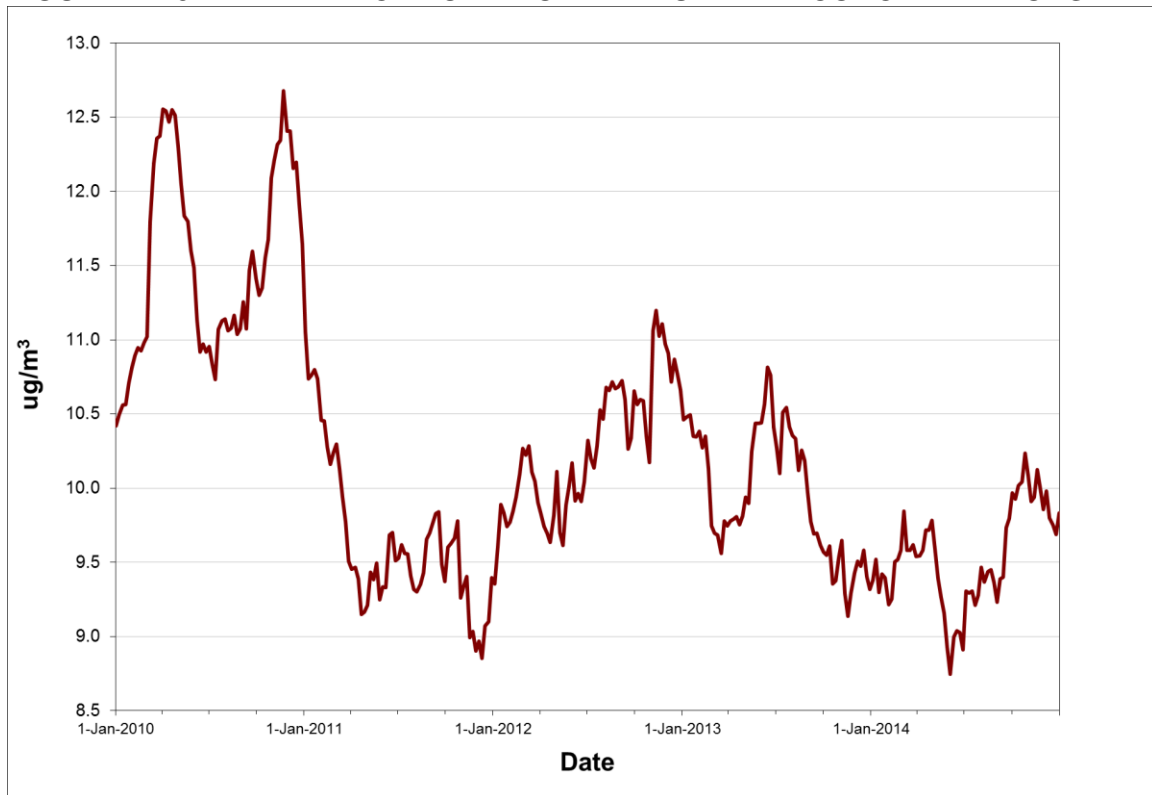
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.1.5.4 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	3	60.0%	8.6	10.1	0
	February	5	100.0%	5.3	12.7	0
	March	5	100.0%	10.8	15.2	0
	April	5	100.0%	8.0	10.4	0
	May	5	100.0%	23.2	43.9	0
	June	5	100.0%	11.9	27.4	0
	July	5	100.0%	18.8	64.3	0
	August	5	100.0%	10.5	21.8	0
	September	5	100.0%	6.6	10.9	0
	October	6	100.0%	7.6	10.0	0
	November	5	100.0%	7.1	10.3	0
	December	5	100.0%	6.1	7.7	0
Annual		59	96.7%	9.4	64.3	0
2014	January	4	80.0%	8.8	20.1	0
	February	5	100.0%	10.4	28.3	0
	March	5	100.0%	7.0	13.8	0
	April	5	100.0%	10.7	15.8	0
	May	5	100.0%	6.1	19.0	0
	June	5	100.0%	17.4	152.7	1
	July	5	100.0%	24.9	44.1	0
	August	5	100.0%	12.3	30.8	0
	September	5	100.0%	12.3	67.0	0
	October	5	100.0%	10.9	13.9	0
	November	5	100.0%	6.1	17.3	0
	December	6	100.0%	5.2	9.5	0
Annual		60	98.4%	9.9	152.7	1

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.5.4 - LAWRENCE POND ROAD ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

#### **4.1.6 NALCOR Property Boundary**

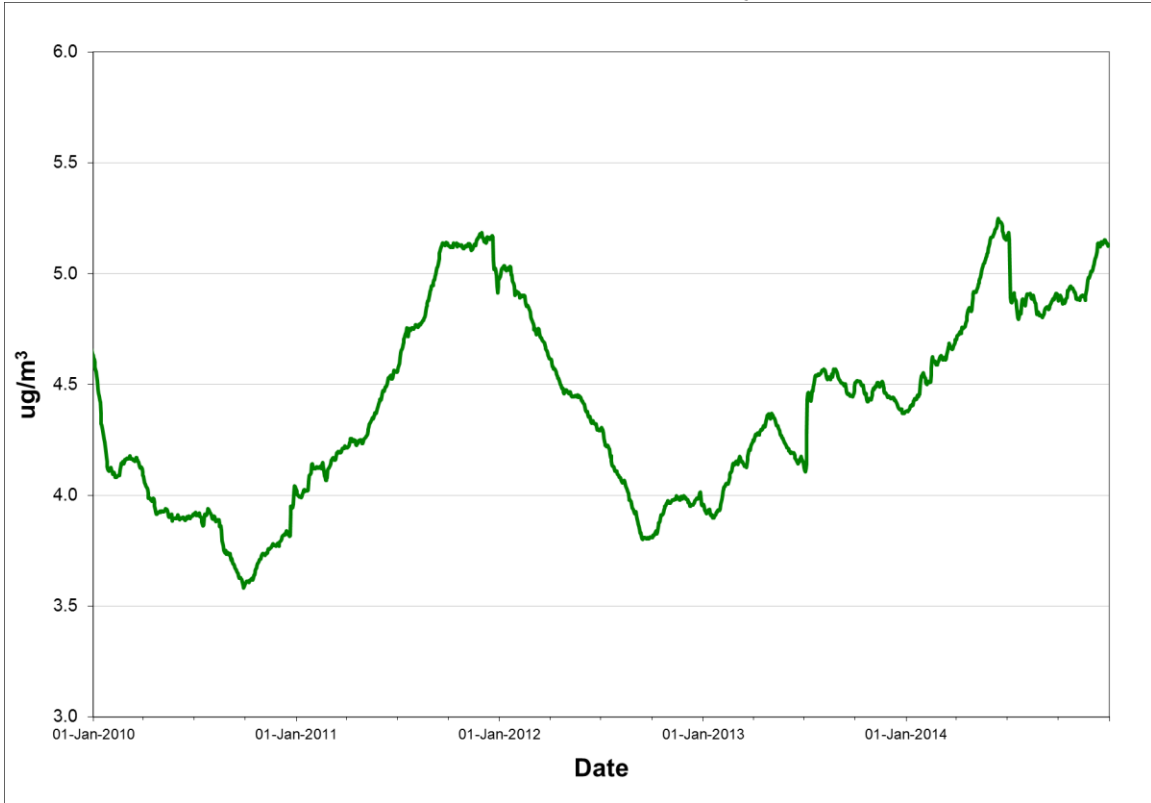
The NALCOR Property Boundary station monitors the ambient levels of PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle consistent with the NAPS defined schedule. Due to the construction of the new combustion turbine in close proximity to the property boundary monitoring station, the 24-hour TPM ambient air quality standard was exceeded on eight occasions in 2014, however the 24-hour PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard was not exceeded at any time. Tables 4.1.6.1 through 4.1.6.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at NALCOR Property Boundary, while Figures 4.1.6.1 through 4.1.6.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.1.6.1 - NALCOR BOUNDARY PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	3.9	5.7	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.7	9.8	0
	March	30	96.8%	4.6	9.5	0
	April	28	93.3%	5.0	8.3	0
	May	30	96.8%	2.8	7.6	0
	June	30	100.0%	2.8	8.9	0
	July	31	100.0%	9.1	55.9	2
	August	28	90.3%	4.1	12.4	0
	September	30	100.0%	3.2	8.3	0
	October	25	80.6%	4.2	7.8	0
	November	26	86.7%	3.8	6.7	0
	December	20	64.5%	2.7	5.2	0
Annual		335	91.8%	4.4	55.9	2
2014	January	28	90.3%	5.9	18.6	0
	February	28	100.0%	6.4	17.6	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.6	8.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	7.1	15.1	0
	May	26	83.9%	5.9	9.7	0
	June	25	83.3%	2.3	11.0	0
	July	31	100.0%	6.1	14.6	0
	August	28	90.3%	3.4	12.0	0
	September	19	63.3%	3.7	5.9	0
	October	29	93.5%	4.5	12.9	0
	November	30	100.0%	5.0	8.5	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.8	10.4	0
Annual		336	92.1%	5.1	18.6	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.1.6.1 - NALCOR BOUNDARY ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

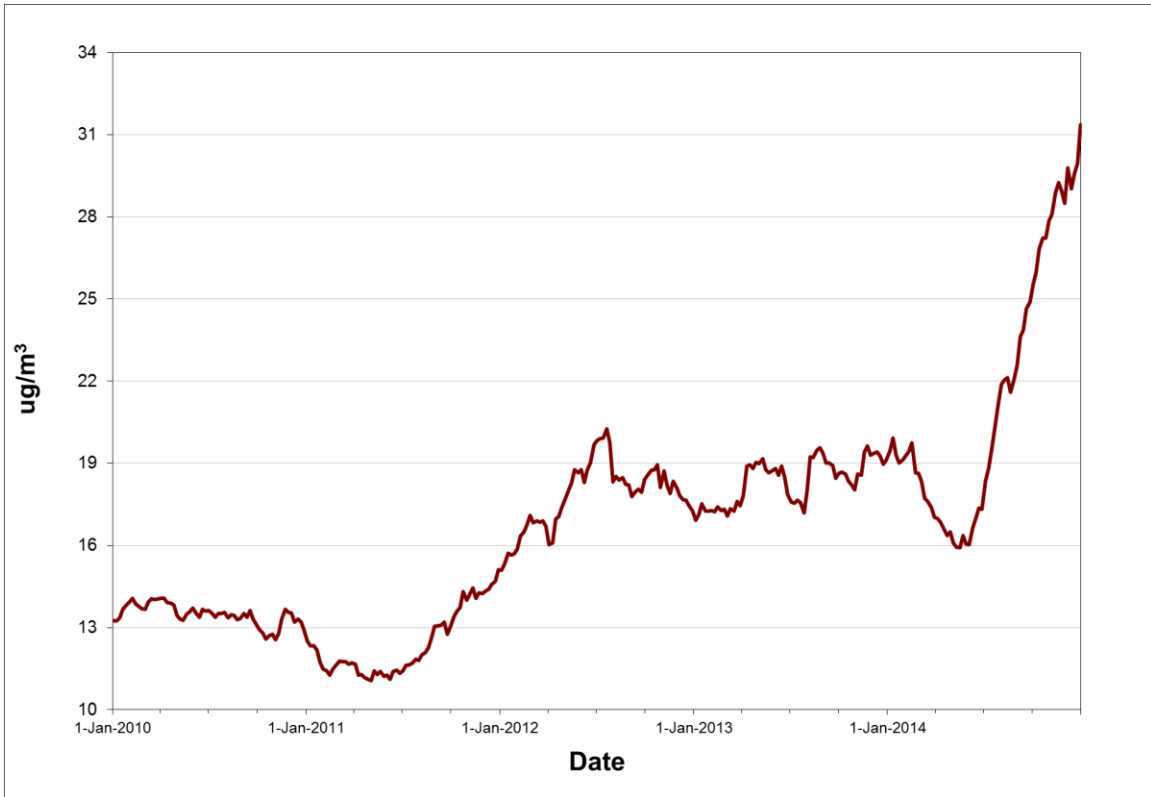
**TABLE 4.1.6.2 - NALCOR BOUNDARY TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	19.3	67.2	0
	February	5	100.0%	22.4	65.8	0
	March	5	100.0%	22.9	36.7	0
	April	5	100.0%	33.8	53.3	0
	May	4	80.0%	24.0	34.3	0
	June	5	100.0%	13.4	19.7	0
	July	5	100.0%	20.3	43.6	0
	August	4	80.0%	24.5	33.1	0
	September	5	100.0%	12.8	27.8	0
	October	5	83.3%	19.2	22.4	0
	November	4	80.0%	21.8	53.9	0
	December	5	100.0%	11.5	23.6	0
Annual		56	91.8%	19.5	67.2	0
2014	January	4	80.0%	16.9	27.9	0
	February	3	60.0%	10.7	24.4	0
	March	5	100.0%	10.0	16.1	0
	April	5	100.0%	19.3	29.9	0
	May	5	100.0%	18.7	55.9	0
	June	5	100.0%	38.8	166.9	1
	July	5	100.0%	183.6	242.2	5
	August	5	100.0%	33.3	118.4	0
	September	4	80.0%	73.5	93.7	0
	October	4	80.0%	55.6	121.2	1
	November	4	80.0%	63.4	126.7	1
	December	6	100.0%	24.4	104.1	0
Annual		55	90.2%	31.8	242.2	8

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.1.6.2 - NALCOR BOUNDARY ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

## 4.2 North Atlantic Refining Limited

North Atlantic Refining Limited (NARL) operated monitoring stations at four locations in 2014. These stations are installed to monitor the emissions from North Atlantic's refinery in Come-by-Chance and are located at Arnold's Cove, Come-by-Chance, Sunnyside and the NARL property boundary. The locations of these monitoring stations are identified in Figure 4.2.1.

In January 2013, NARL replaced the PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitors at all monitoring stations, switching from TEOM technology to BAM technology. The new BAM units meet the standards set out in the Departmental Ambient Air Monitoring Guidelines.

**FIGURE 4.2.1 - NARL AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



#### **4.2.1 Arnold's Cove**

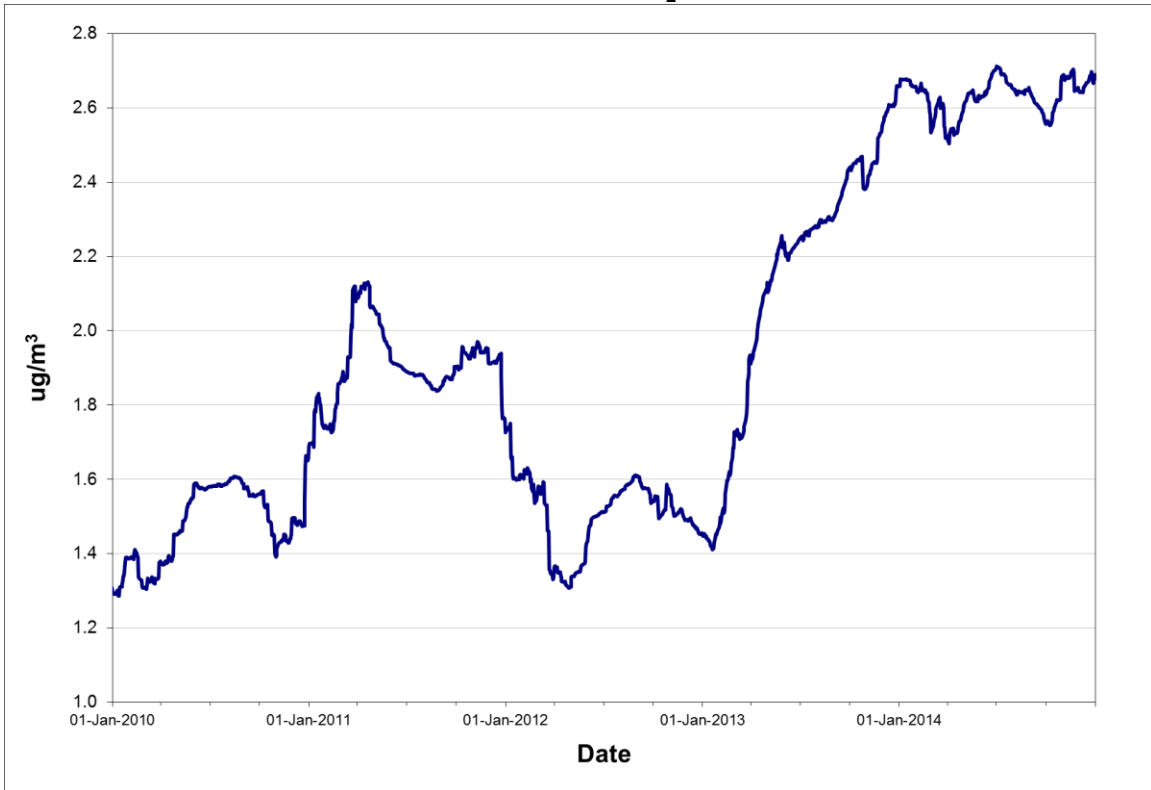
The Arnold's Cove station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and is located near Tricentia Academy School. For both SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.2.1.1 through 4.2.1.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Arnold's Cove, while Figures 4.2.1.1 through 4.2.1.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.2.1.1 - ARNOLD'S COVE SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	251	33.7%	3.1	26.9	12.9	5.9	0	0	0
	February	654	97.3%	5.2	79.6	43.2	19.0	0	0	0
	March	735	98.8%	4.1	140.9	84.0	21.3	0	0	0
	April	717	99.6%	3.0	38.2	19.6	8.6	0	0	0
	May	736	98.9%	3.0	33.7	18.2	5.9	0	0	0
	June	714	99.2%	1.6	28.0	16.1	5.4	0	0	0
	July	735	98.8%	1.5	38.9	17.2	4.8	0	0	0
	August	700	94.1%	1.2	34.9	14.9	3.7	0	0	0
	September	598	83.1%	2.3	32.5	18.3	5.9	0	0	0
	October	703	94.5%	1.5	28.6	13.6	3.4	0	0	0
	November	683	94.9%	2.8	60.6	48.7	20.8	0	0	0
	December	706	94.9%	3.1	70.2	36.0	11.6	0	0	0
Annual		7932	90.5%	2.7	140.9	84.0	21.3	0	0	0
2014	January	542	72.8%	2.8	135.9	59.5	10.1	0	0	0
	February	634	94.3%	3.6	36.9	19.2	6.4	0	0	0
	March	699	94.0%	4.1	37.2	17.7	6.7	0	0	0
	April	699	97.1%	4.0	43.4	30.7	13.2	0	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	3.2	40.6	30.0	8.9	0	0	0
	June	705	97.9%	2.5	44.7	22.6	8.0	0	0	0
	July	737	99.1%	0.8	8.5	4.5	1.7	0	0	0
	August	714	96.0%	1.2	20.1	14.5	4.9	0	0	0
	September	683	94.9%	1.2	6.2	4.3	1.9	0	0	0
	October	688	92.5%	3.0	87.0	62.2	18.1	0	0	0
	November	621	86.3%	2.3	12.3	6.8	3.7	0	0	0
	December	704	94.6%	3.6	20.4	12.2	6.8	0	0	0
Annual		8166	93.2%	2.7	135.9	62.2	18.1	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.1.1 - ARNOLD'S COVE ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



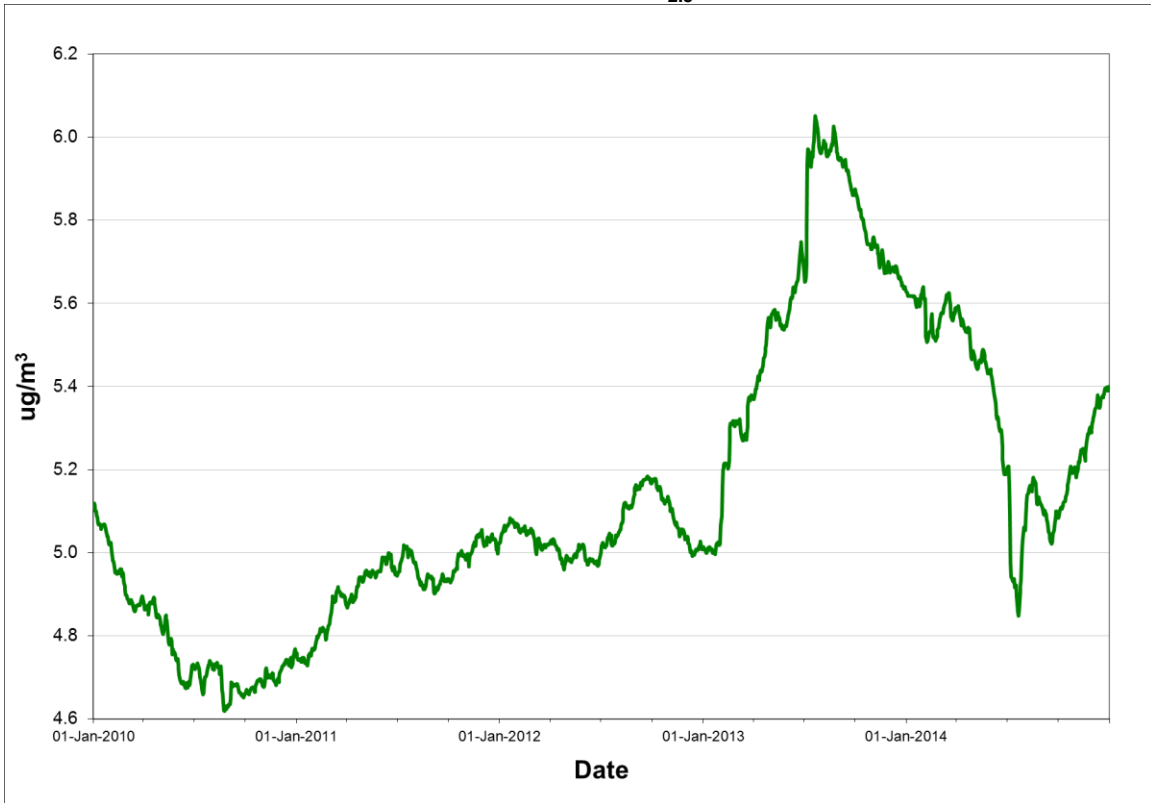
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.2.1.2 - ARNOLD'S COVE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	10	32.3%	5.5	9.1	0
	February	28	100.0%	8.0	27.1	1
	March	26	83.9%	5.8	19.2	0
	April	30	100.0%	7.1	11.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.9	8.6	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.7	12.9	0
	July	31	100.0%	8.9	56.2	2
	August	29	93.5%	6.0	15.0	0
	September	25	83.3%	4.3	8.5	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.0	5.2	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.0	9.0	0
	December	29	93.5%	4.3	7.0	0
Annual		330	90.4%	5.6	56.2	3
2014	January	23	74.2%	5.7	10.4	0
	February	28	100.0%	6.8	14.0	0
	March	31	100.0%	6.3	9.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	5.8	9.4	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.4	8.0	0
	June	27	90.0%	2.6	6.2	0
	July	31	100.0%	7.4	16.4	0
	August	31	100.0%	6.6	16.1	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.1	8.4	0
	October	26	83.9%	4.2	7.2	0
	November	27	90.0%	5.0	9.5	0
	December	31	100.0%	5.5	9.3	0
Annual		346	94.8%	5.4	16.4	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.1.2 - ARNOLD'S COVE ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

### 4.2.2 Come by Chance

The Come by Chance station, located near the town office, monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. For both SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.2.2.1 through 4.2.2.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Come by Chance, while Figures 4.2.2.1 through 4.2.2.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

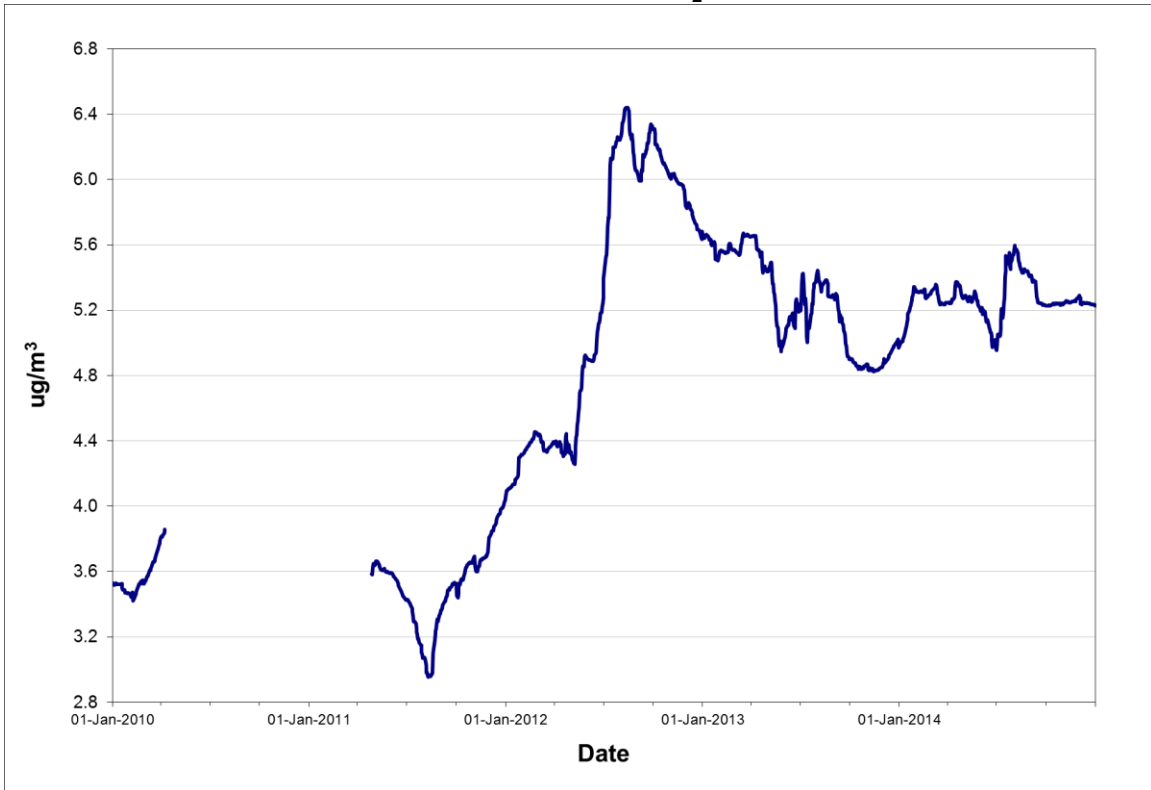
**TABLE 4.2.2.1 - COME BY CHANCE SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	658	88.4%	2.6	173.5	59.6	10.8	0	0	0
	February	642	95.5%	3.5	142.6	81.5	21.9	0	0	0
	March	709	95.3%	4.2	93.5	61.3	16.4	0	0	0
	April	686	95.3%	4.0	68.3	25.2	12.9	0	0	0
	May	671	90.2%	4.7	68.4	44.1	12.1	0	0	0
	June	712	98.9%	8.8	220.0	100.6	42.9	0	0	0
	July	727	97.7%	15.2	259.6	125.0	50.1	0	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	4.5	78.2	62.5	16.2	0	0	0
	September	682	94.7%	3.8	101.1	60.8	19.9	0	0	0
	October	706	94.9%	1.7	41.0	25.0	6.7	0	0	0
	November	686	95.3%	2.1	34.1	13.6	4.9	0	0	0
	December	727	97.7%	3.8	59.6	43.6	16.3	0	0	0
Annual		8346	95.3%	5.0	259.6	125.0	50.1	0	0	0
2014	January	546	73.4%	7.6	120.5	72.2	16.6	0	0	0
	February	638	94.9%	3.2	54.7	22.5	7.7	0	0	0
	March	718	96.5%	3.6	38.3	21.5	6.5	0	0	0
	April	709	98.5%	4.4	64.4	53.0	25.3	0	0	0
	May	736	98.9%	4.0	45.7	26.6	13.0	0	0	0
	June	713	99.0%	6.2	113.7	87.2	30.2	0	0	0
	July	735	98.8%	21.3	173.7	153.0	58.8	0	0	0
	August	714	96.0%	2.9	128.3	91.2	21.1	0	0	0
	September	683	94.9%	1.7	37.2	13.3	4.7	0	0	0
	October	706	94.9%	1.9	33.3	20.4	6.4	0	0	0
	November	705	97.9%	2.7	20.0	11.1	5.3	0	0	0
	December	717	96.4%	3.1	28.0	20.0	6.7	0	0	0
Annual		8320	95.0%	5.2	173.7	153.0	58.8	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.2.2.1 - COME BY CHANCE ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



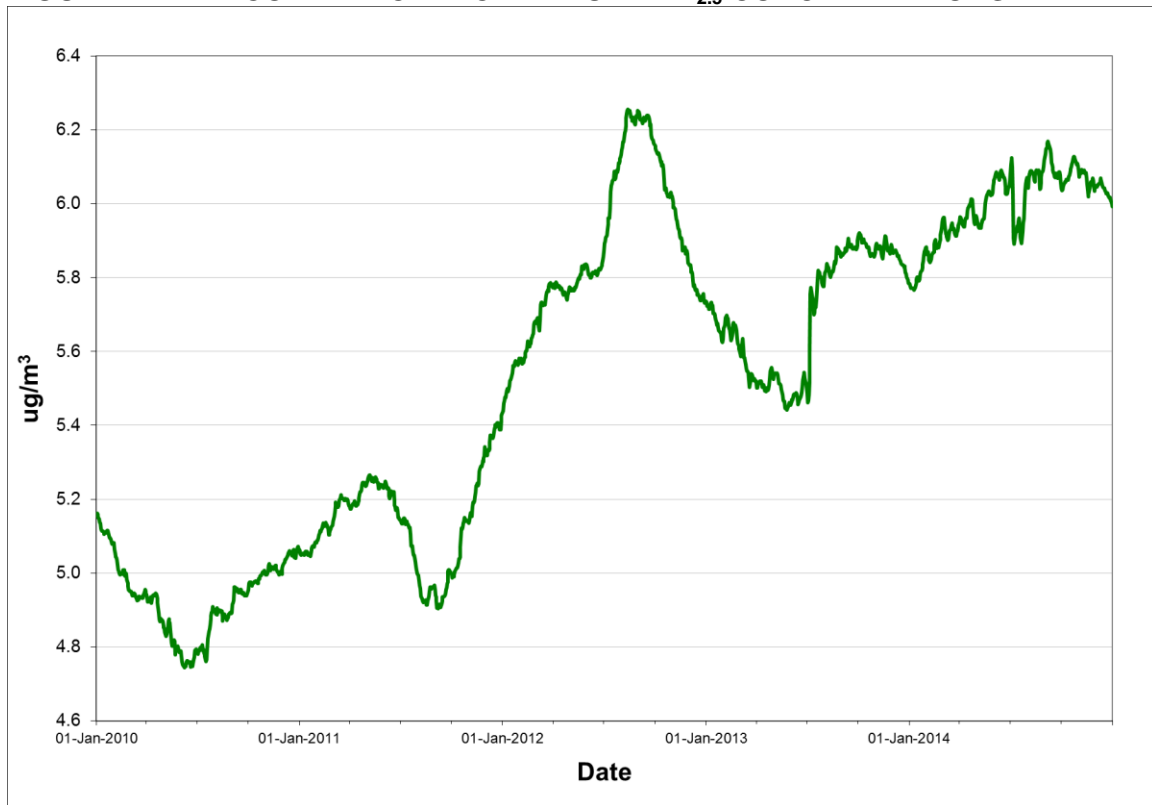
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.2.2.2 - COME BY CHANCE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	21	67.7%	4.5	7.5	0
	February	28	100.0%	5.7	14.8	0
	March	29	93.5%	5.5	11.4	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.0	11.1	0
	May	27	87.1%	4.2	7.3	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.3	13.3	0
	July	31	100.0%	11.3	64.0	2
	August	31	100.0%	7.4	17.6	0
	September	30	100.0%	6.0	11.6	0
	October	31	100.0%	4.3	8.4	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.9	9.2	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.7	6.7	0
Annual		349	95.6%	5.8	64.0	2
2014	January	23	74.2%	6.2	9.9	0
	February	28	100.0%	6.3	11.5	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.6	8.5	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.1	11.3	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.5	11.2	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.4	9.6	0
	July	31	100.0%	11.4	20.5	0
	August	31	100.0%	8.0	15.0	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.3	9.6	0
	October	24	77.4%	4.4	7.6	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.1	7.5	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.2	6.4	0
Annual		350	95.9%	6.0	20.5	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.2.2 - COME BY CHANCE ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



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### 4.2.3 Sunnyside

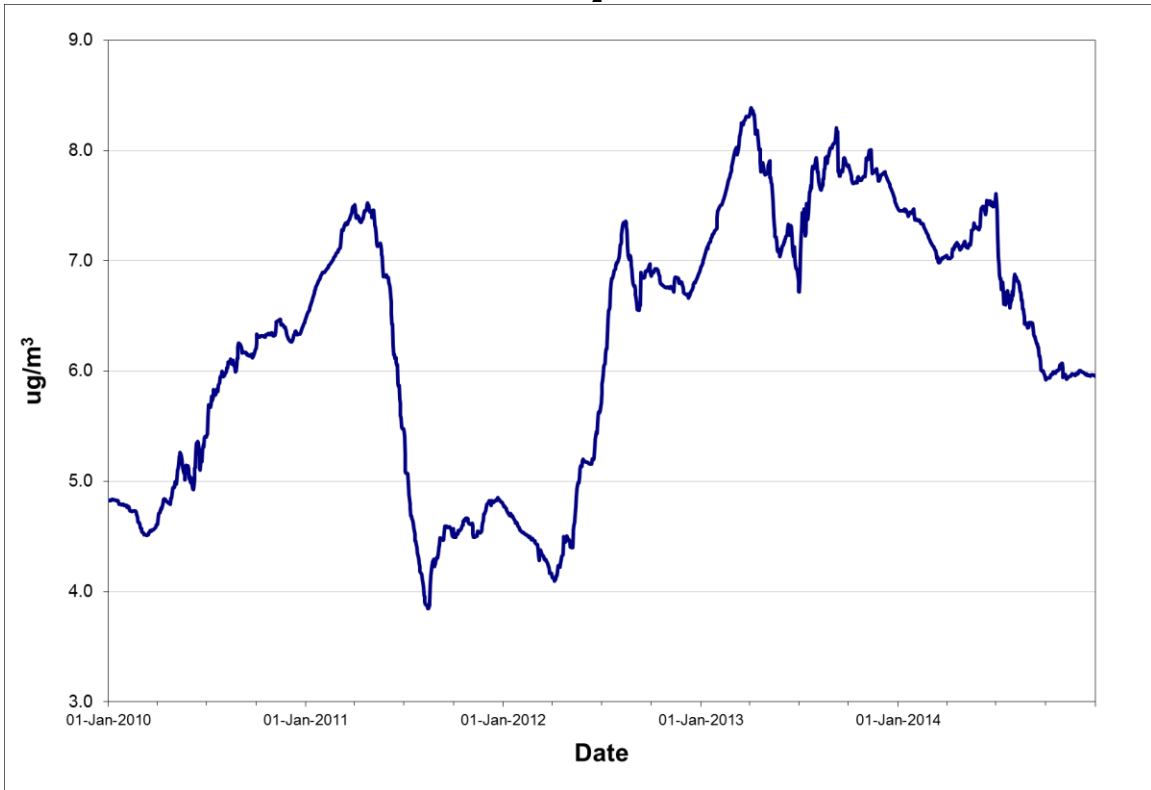
The Sunnyside station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis. The monitoring station was moved from the Gardner School area to near the town office in February 2013. For SO<sub>2</sub>, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014, however the 24-hour PM<sub>2.5</sub> standard was exceeded on seven occasions in 2014. Tables 4.2.3.1 through 4.2.3.3 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Sunnyside, while Figures 4.2.3.1 through 4.2.3.3 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.2.3.1 - SUNNYSIDE SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	278	37.4%	6.1	157.5	89.2	27.3	0	0	0
	February	200	29.8%	5.2	127.7	63.8	18.7	0	0	0
	March	603	81.0%	6.8	95.4	56.7	19.9	0	0	0
	April	709	98.5%	5.1	63.8	44.4	13.6	0	0	0
	May	738	99.2%	5.2	72.9	53.4	19.3	0	0	0
	June	715	99.3%	6.1	97.6	75.8	21.6	0	0	0
	July	706	94.9%	25.8	251.3	210.3	85.9	0	0	0
	August	669	89.9%	8.4	150.3	67.2	29.5	0	0	0
	September	714	99.2%	7.6	111.4	67.3	29.8	0	0	0
	October	710	95.4%	2.6	95.0	49.7	15.9	0	0	0
	November	682	94.7%	5.0	116.7	69.3	29.4	0	0	0
	December	699	94.0%	3.4	23.7	12.0	4.7	0	0	0
Annual		7423	84.7%	7.5	251.3	210.3	85.9	0	0	0
2014	January	453	60.9%	5.5	97.9	45.6	12.0	0	0	0
	February	616	91.7%	3.9	44.7	31.9	7.6	0	0	0
	March	678	91.1%	5.1	77.4	33.8	12.3	0	0	0
	April	684	95.0%	6.1	90.3	49.5	15.7	0	0	0
	May	719	96.6%	6.9	88.7	65.3	31.5	0	0	0
	June	683	94.9%	8.9	181.3	148.8	43.2	0	0	0
	July	708	95.2%	16.4	179.5	148.0	59.0	0	0	0
	August	708	95.2%	5.0	136.6	86.1	34.1	0	0	0
	September	677	94.0%	1.9	46.9	18.6	6.8	0	0	0
	October	701	94.2%	4.0	179.7	65.1	17.9	0	0	0
	November	707	98.2%	4.0	61.2	28.6	9.9	0	0	0
	December	706	94.9%	3.2	44.2	28.2	11.8	0	0	0
Annual		8040	91.8%	6.0	181.3	148.8	59.0	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.3.1 - SUNNYSIDE ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



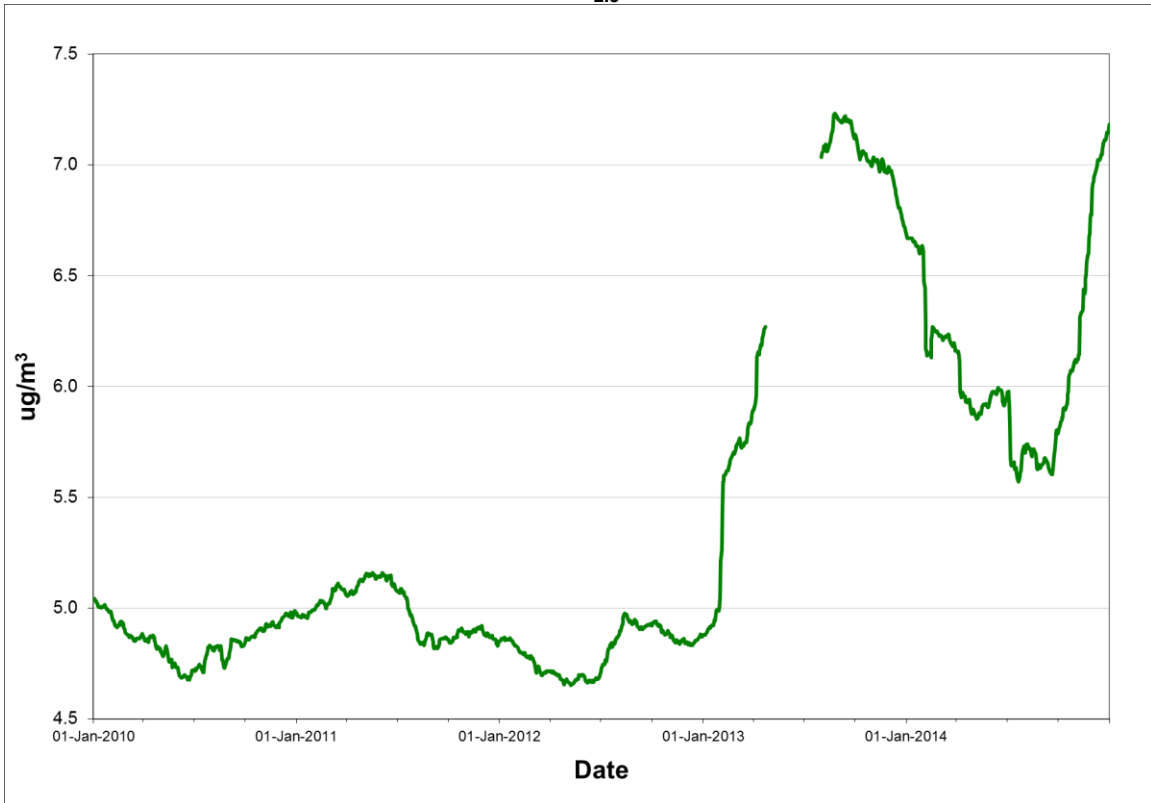
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.2.3.2 - SUNNYSIDE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	13	41.9%	6.8	17.1	0
	February	9	32.1%	22.1	61.9	3
	March	24	77.4%	6.0	11.0	0
	April	26	86.7%	9.8	51.8	1
	May	31	100.0%	4.7	7.9	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.4	12.8	0
	July	31	100.0%	12.3	67.8	2
	August	31	100.0%	7.9	20.2	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.1	10.9	0
	October	28	90.3%	3.4	8.1	0
	November	30	100.0%	4.2	10.0	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.5	7.8	0
Annual		314	86.0%	6.7	67.8	6
2014	January	22	71.0%	5.5	10.5	0
	February	28	100.0%	7.0	33.2	1
	March	26	83.9%	5.1	8.5	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.2	13.0	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.3	10.8	0
	June	25	83.3%	5.4	8.6	0
	July	31	100.0%	9.8	18.5	0
	August	31	100.0%	6.9	14.6	0
	September	30	100.0%	6.7	18.6	0
	October	28	90.3%	7.4	25.8	1
	November	27	90.0%	12.6	54.0	4
	December	31	100.0%	7.7	33.7	1
Annual		340	93.2%	7.2	54.0	7

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.3.2 - SUNNYSIDE ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

#### **4.2.4 NARL Property Boundary**

The NARL Property Boundary station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub>. Given its proximity to the process area of NARL, this station routinely records ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> in excess of the standards. In 2014, though the SO<sub>2</sub> analyzer was down for an extended period during the summer, the 1-hour SO<sub>2</sub> standard was still exceeded nine times, the 3-hour standard fifty nine times and the 24-hour standard twenty one times.

The TEOM PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitor was replaced with a BAM PM<sub>2.5</sub> monitor in January 2013. The change-out resulted in more stable and reliable PM<sub>2.5</sub> measurements. In 2014 there were one hundred and nine recorded PM<sub>2.5</sub> exceedances of the 24-hour ambient standard.

Tables 4.2.4.1 through 4.2.4.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at NARL Property Boundary, while Figures 4.2.4.1 and 4.2.4.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

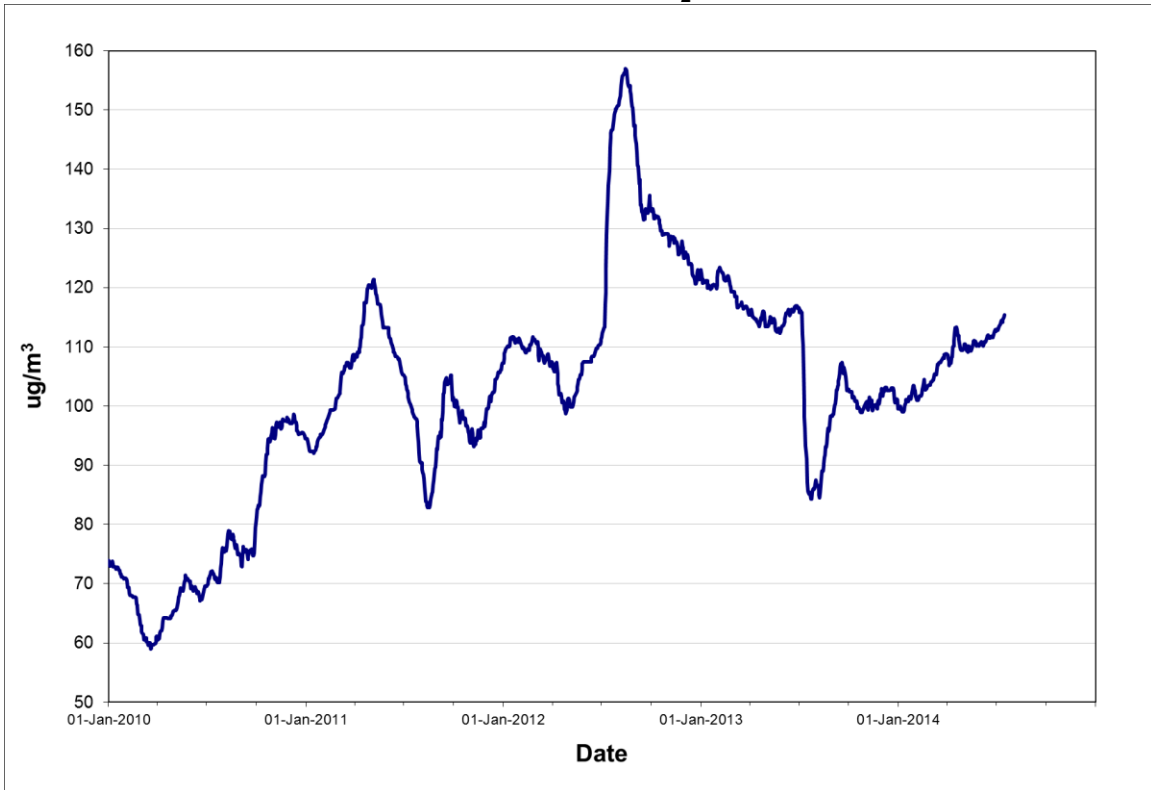


**TABLE 4.2.4.1 - NARL BOUNDARY SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	711	95.6%	73.6	803.4	737.8	478.6	0	4	1
	February	649	96.6%	51.3	901.8	828.4	511.4	1	2	2
	March	713	95.8%	26.9	544.3	531.1	178.3	0	0	0
	April	687	95.4%	106.4	627.7	507.7	301.2	0	0	1
	May	709	95.3%	93.6	776.1	638.2	294.5	0	1	0
	June	697	96.8%	86.3	699.6	512.8	204.3	0	0	0
	July	605	81.3%	115.9	1084.5	993.9	540.5	3	8	2
	August	668	89.8%	249.3	1083.7	1015.7	637.8	6	23	11
	September	686	95.3%	184.1	895.5	734.7	485.1	0	8	9
	October	635	85.3%	26.5	553.5	473.9	189.9	0	0	0
	November	615	85.4%	127.4	911.3	860.9	536.0	2	9	4
	December	711	95.6%	59.2	970.4	869.8	417.4	2	8	2
Annual		8086	92.3%	99.5	1084.5	1015.7	637.8	14	63	32
2014	January	666	89.5%	109.4	881.7	720.2	407.3	0	2	3
	February	642	95.5%	62.0	723.7	608.0	284.8	0	2	0
	March	689	92.6%	85.2	999.7	861.0	370.9	2	3	1
	April	691	96.0%	115.3	881.3	756.0	608.2	0	13	5
	May	346	46.5%	92.4	731.7	627.3	324.1	0	2	1
	June	0	0.0%							
	July	0	0.0%							
	August	0	0.0%							
	September	608	84.4%	23.6	471.1	271.5	122.2	0	0	0
	October	704	94.6%	78.7	894.2	859.9	597.7	0	9	2
	November	693	96.3%	110.6	888.9	823.9	517.2	0	14	4
	December	714	96.0%	84.3	1091.0	872.8	796.3	7	14	5
Annual		5753	65.7%	85.1	1091.0	872.8	796.3	9	59	21

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.4.1 - NARL BOUNDARY ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



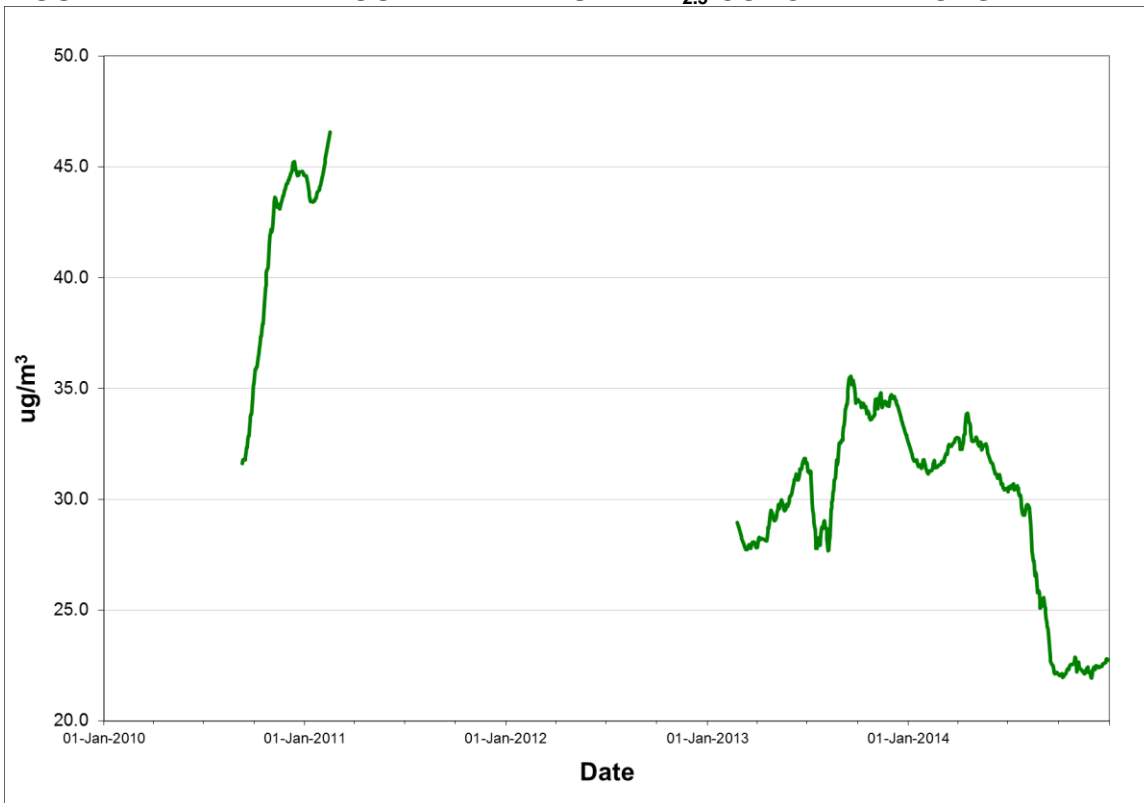
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**TABLE 4.2.4.2 - NARL BOUNDARY PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	8	25.8%	28.7	88.6	3
	February	25	89.3%	14.1	111.8	2
	March	28	90.3%	10.7	48.3	3
	April	30	100.0%	38.2	88.3	16
	May	31	100.0%	30.7	82.8	15
	June	30	100.0%	30.8	85.3	18
	July	31	100.0%	49.8	188.5	22
	August	22	71.0%	88.1	239.3	17
	September	30	100.0%	49.9	133.0	18
	October	31	100.0%	9.8	67.9	3
	November	26	86.7%	35.8	117.0	11
	December	29	93.5%	12.3	55.3	4
Annual		321	87.9%	32.6	239.3	132
2014	January	31	100.0%	20.1	73.5	11
	February	28	100.0%	15.6	62.3	7
	March	26	83.9%	25.4	100.8	9
	April	30	100.0%	36.4	151.5	12
	May	30	96.8%	19.2	78.7	7
	June	28	93.3%	14.9	49.3	7
	July	26	83.9%	39.8	85.1	20
	August	24	77.4%	28.6	104.5	9
	September	28	93.3%	11.5	53.9	3
	October	31	100.0%	18.2	96.3	7
	November	30	100.0%	25.0	78.8	10
	December	31	100.0%	20.8	139.6	7
Annual		343	94.0%	22.8	151.5	109

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.2.4.2 - NARL BOUNDARY ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

### 4.3 Iron Ore Company of Canada

The Iron Ore Company of Canada (IOCC) operates five monitoring stations in Labrador City, and they are located on Smokey Mountain Road, at the Town Depot / Tamarack Drive, Indian Point, Bartlett Drive, and Hudson Drive. The locations of these monitoring stations are identified in Figure 4.3.1.

**FIGURE 4.3.1 - IOCC AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



### **4.3.1 Indian Point**

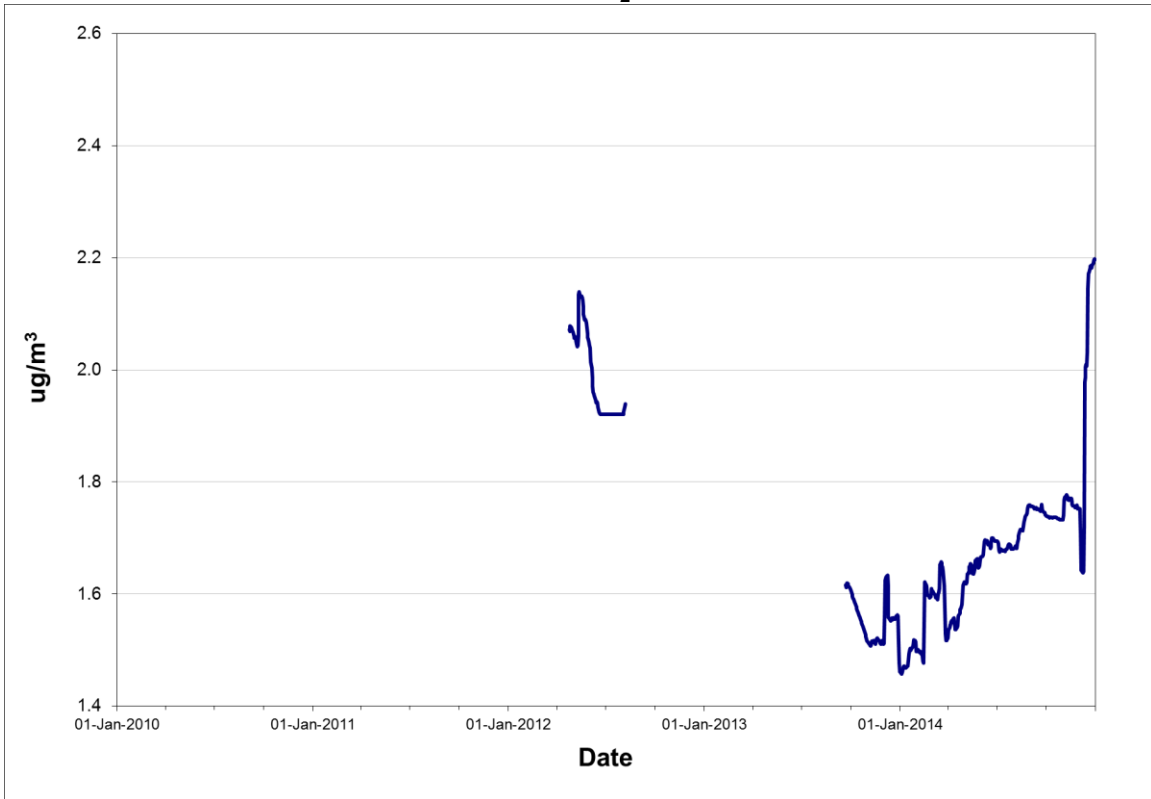
The Indian Point station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and TPM on a continuous basis. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014, however for TPM, the 24-hour ambient air criteria was exceeded on four occasions. Tables 4.3.1.1 through 4.3.1.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Indian Point while Figures 4.3.1.1 through 4.3.1.4 present the graphical representation of the annual trends.

**TABLE 4.3.1.1 - INDIAN POINT SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	706	94.9%	1.4	37.2	23.2	7.8	0	0	0
	February	642	95.5%	2.1	60.6	36.0	7.7	0	0	0
	March	706	94.9%	3.1	45.7	26.4	18.1	0	0	0
	April	634	88.1%	1.2	25.6	19.0	5.7	0	0	0
	May	707	95.0%	1.4	28.3	17.6	6.1	0	0	0
	June	668	92.8%	1.0	14.9	9.7	3.3	0	0	0
	July	710	95.4%	1.1	24.1	15.5	4.5	0	0	0
	August	701	94.2%	0.7	7.2	2.5	1.1	0	0	0
	September	664	92.2%	0.8	11.5	7.4	3.7	0	0	0
	October	709	95.3%	0.6	4.1	2.7	1.1	0	0	0
	November	688	95.6%	1.4	50.9	20.2	3.9	0	0	0
	December	708	95.2%	2.7	77.9	60.5	24.3	0	0	0
Annual		8243	94.1%	1.5	77.9	60.5	24.3	0	0	0
2014	January	709	95.3%	1.8	50.2	16.9	5.9	0	0	0
	February	641	95.4%	3.6	94.9	60.9	27.9	0	0	0
	March	703	94.5%	2.0	86.9	72.5	16.1	0	0	0
	April	711	98.8%	2.4	34.0	23.4	7.7	0	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	1.9	60.9	35.7	7.3	0	0	0
	June	692	96.1%	1.3	15.6	14.1	5.0	0	0	0
	July	730	98.1%	1.0	9.5	6.1	2.3	0	0	0
	August	723	97.2%	1.6	39.3	16.4	3.9	0	0	0
	September	713	99.0%	0.7	25.3	14.0	4.1	0	0	0
	October	735	98.8%	0.6	9.0	3.6	1.0	0	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	1.7	37.0	26.3	10.3	0	0	0
	December	647	87.0%	8.6	196.7	188.5	94.2	0	0	0
Annual		8462	96.6%	2.2	196.7	188.5	94.2	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.1.1 - INDIAN POINT ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations



**TABLE 4.3.1.2 - INDIAN POINT PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	2.1	5.5	0
	February	28	100.0%	4.6	8.1	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.5	9.4	0
	April	27	90.0%	4.6	8.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.4	8.3	0
	June	26	86.7%	10.2	46.7	4
	July	31	100.0%	23.8	169.6	7
	August	30	96.8%	4.6	18.0	0
	September	29	96.7%	1.5	4.0	0
	October	31	100.0%	1.6	4.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	2.7	11.5	0
	December	28	90.3%	3.2	9.7	0
Annual		351	96.2%	5.7	169.6	11
2014	January	31	100.0%	4.2	8.8	0
	February	28	100.0%	4.6	9.4	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.0	7.6	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.1	9.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.3	5.9	0
	June	29	96.7%	4.7	16.3	0
	July	31	100.0%	3.9	15.6	0
	August	30	96.8%	4.0	14.3	0
	September	30	100.0%	2.7	6.8	0
	October	30	96.8%	2.9	6.9	0
	November	30	100.0%	2.1	7.5	0
	December	26	83.9%	3.6	13.6	0
Annual		357	97.8%	3.7	16.3	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.1.2 - INDIAN POINT ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



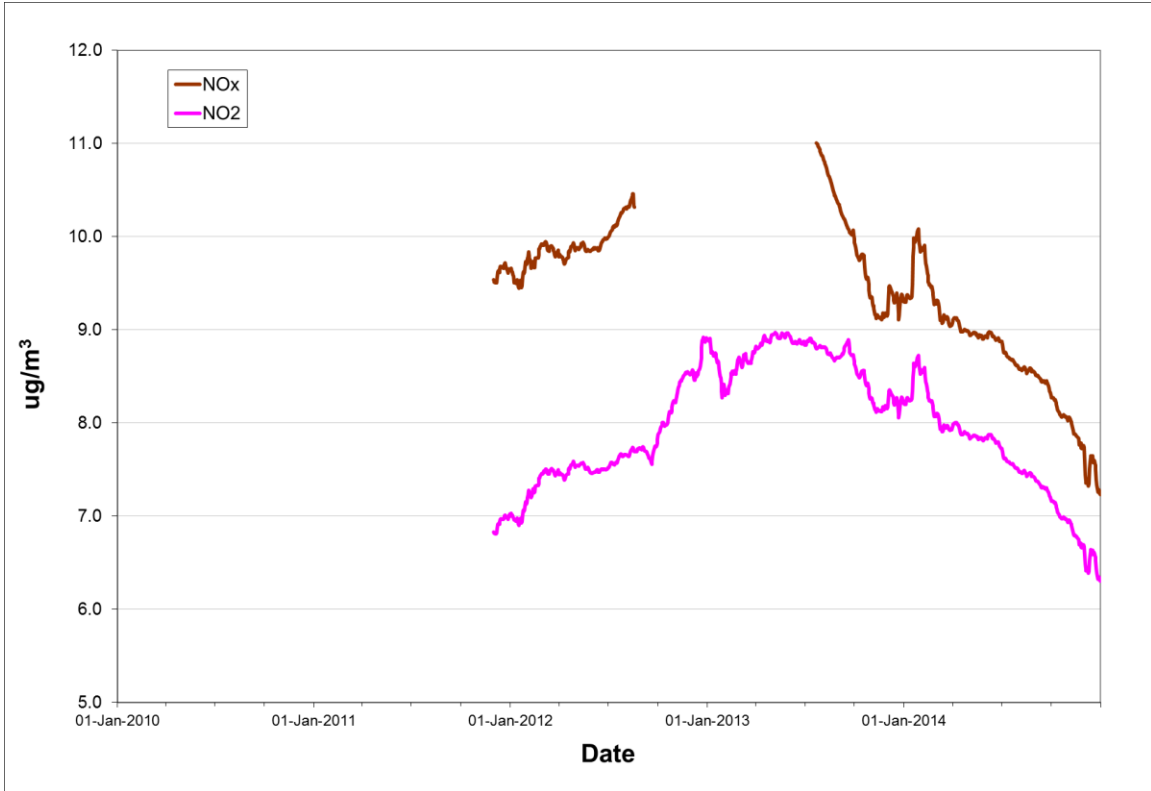
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**TABLE 4.3.1.3 - INDIAN POINT NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub>	1-Hour NO <sub>2</sub>	24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub>	24-Hour NO <sub>2</sub>	1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	736	98.9%	8.8	7.9	103.7	66.4	53.2	42.9	0	0
	February	669	99.6%	17.7	15.3	96.3	74.2	49.1	40.4	0	0
	March	734	98.7%	11.9	9.9	108.1	58.3	37.3	30.0	0	0
	April	661	91.8%	8.5	7.9	51.2	46.8	18.8	17.0	0	0
	May	738	99.2%	7.1	6.5	76.4	53.5	13.7	11.9	0	0
	June	694	96.4%	6.0	5.6	140.5	58.8	15.3	13.5	0	0
	July	739	99.3%	6.9	6.1	42.5	41.0	22.5	21.1	0	0
	August	731	98.3%	5.4	5.2	54.7	22.6	10.1	9.4	0	0
	September	687	95.4%	6.5	6.0	57.8	34.9	17.4	12.4	0	0
	October	730	98.1%	7.2	6.5	74.0	32.9	16.9	13.1	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	8.9	8.2	59.3	46.3	27.7	23.2	0	0
	December	740	99.5%	16.8	13.8	177.9	86.7	58.7	38.4	0	0
Annual		8577	97.9%	9.3	8.2	177.9	86.7	58.7	42.9	0	0
2014	January	739	99.3%	15.0	11.5	313.7	91.6	114.4	61.2	0	0
	February	656	97.6%	10.6	9.5	61.5	55.4	23.3	18.4	0	0
	March	732	98.4%	9.4	8.5	64.4	54.1	22.1	19.3	0	0
	April	718	99.7%	7.5	7.0	64.2	57.5	14.9	12.9	0	0
	May	739	99.3%	6.6	6.1	55.5	44.5	12.5	11.7	0	0
	June	693	96.3%	5.2	4.2	28.2	27.1	13.1	10.3	0	0
	July	734	98.7%	3.9	3.6	62.7	39.1	10.0	8.0	0	0
	August	724	97.3%	4.5	4.0	33.5	20.2	8.3	6.8	0	0
	September	713	99.0%	3.7	3.2	60.2	23.0	12.8	7.6	0	0
	October	735	98.8%	4.1	3.8	36.5	25.2	15.5	13.2	0	0
	November	718	99.7%	5.5	5.1	56.1	44.0	16.3	15.3	0	0
	December	647	87.0%	11.2	9.7	122.8	65.9	60.4	42.9	0	0
Annual		8548	97.6%	7.2	6.3	313.7	91.6	114.4	61.2	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.1.3 - INDIAN POINT ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



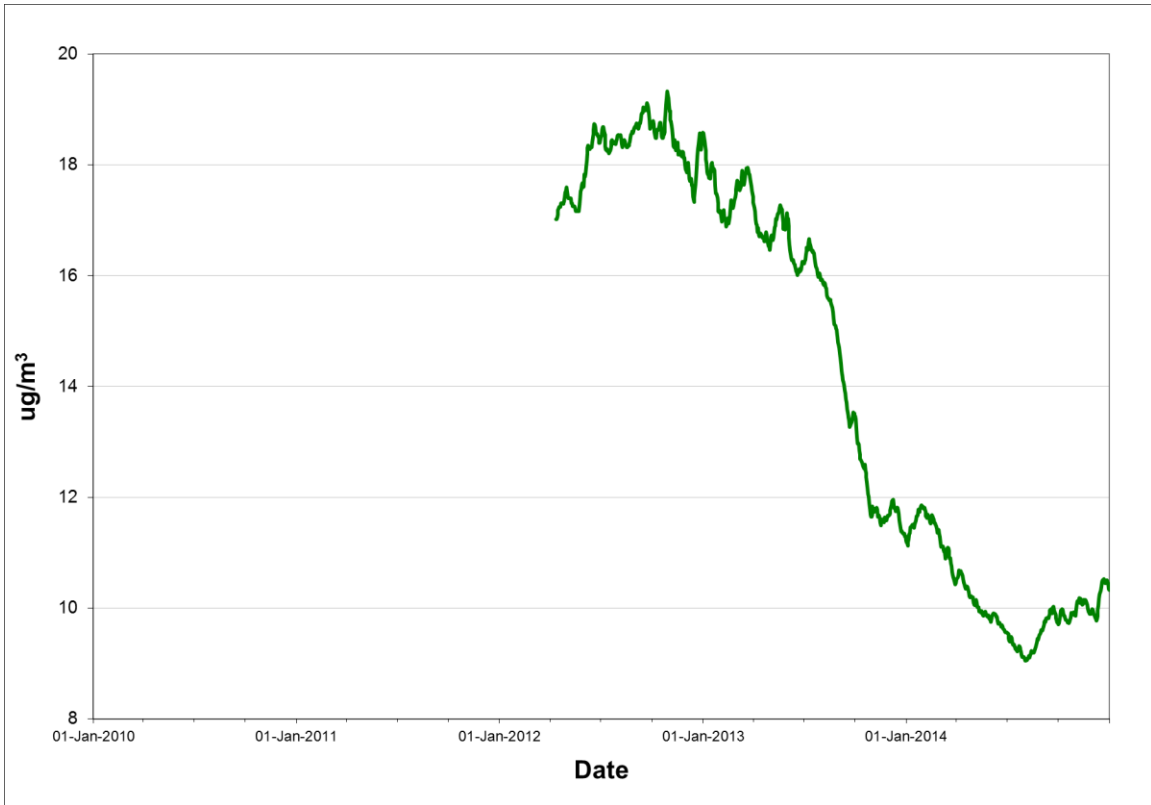
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.3.1.4 - INDIAN POINT TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	29	93.5%	4.7	41.3	0
	February	26	92.9%	15.4	93.5	0
	March	30	96.8%	20.4	67.3	0
	April	27	90.0%	16.0	55.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	25.8	130.2	2
	June	28	93.3%	30.9	100.8	0
	July	31	100.0%	28.0	360.2	3
	August	30	96.8%	9.9	34.6	0
	September	29	96.7%	5.7	29.4	0
	October	30	96.8%	3.5	22.1	0
	November	29	96.7%	5.3	70.8	0
	December	25	80.6%	6.8	95.0	0
Annual		345	94.5%	11.2	360.2	5
2014	January	30	96.8%	8.7	61.5	0
	February	26	92.9%	9.9	135.0	1
	March	28	90.3%	7.2	49.1	0
	April	30	100.0%	11.5	86.0	0
	May	31	100.0%	16.2	43.9	0
	June	29	96.7%	22.4	62.3	0
	July	30	96.8%	16.8	94.7	0
	August	30	96.8%	18.2	52.6	0
	September	29	96.7%	6.7	41.8	0
	October	28	90.3%	3.8	42.1	0
	November	26	86.7%	5.5	177.3	2
	December	26	83.9%	11.1	130.8	1
Annual		343	94.0%	10.3	177.3	4

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.1.4 - INDIAN POINT ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

### **4.3.2 Tamarack Drive / Town Depot**

The Tamarack Drive / Town Depot station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and TPM on a continuous basis. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. The 24-hour TPM standard however was exceeded on eleven occasions. Tables 4.3.2.1 through 4.3.2.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Tamarack Drive / Town Depot. Figures 4.3.2.1 through 4.3.2.4 provide a graphic presentation of the annual trend for the various pollutants.

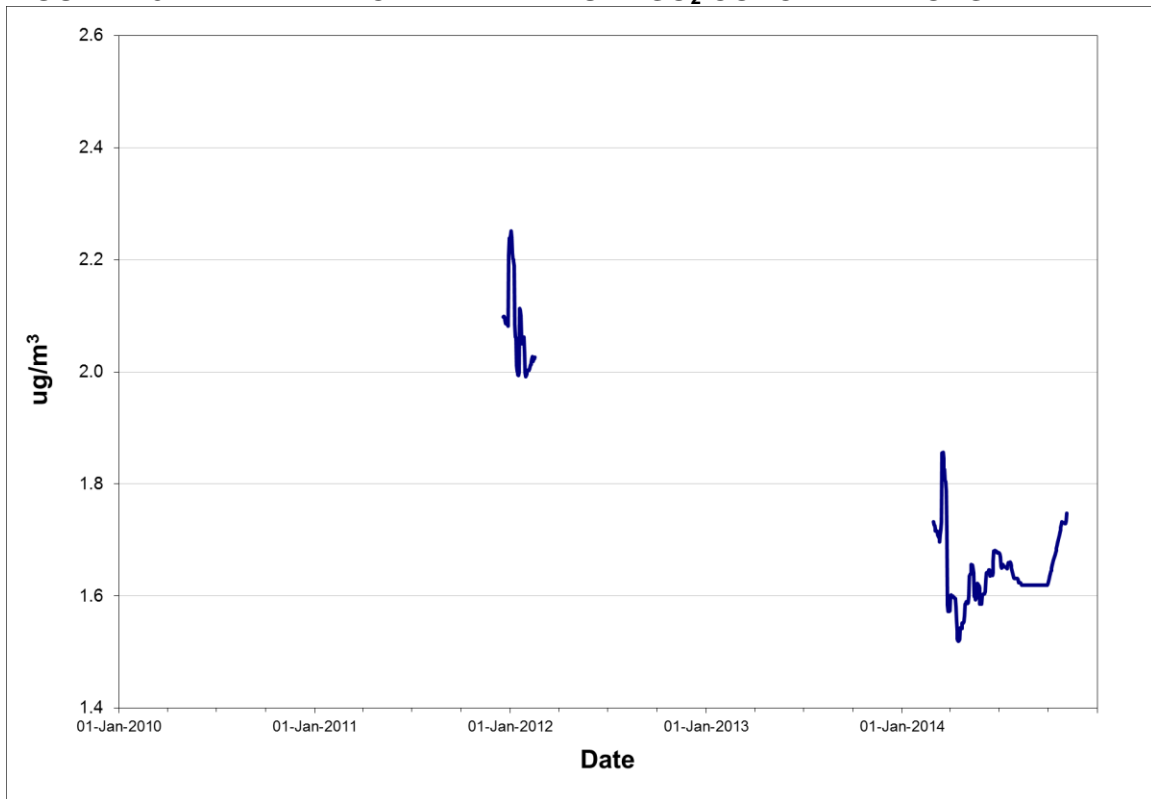
**TABLE 4.3.2.1 - TAMARACK DRIVE SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24- Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	707	95.0%	1.6	121.9	53.1	14.6	0	0	0
	February	607	90.3%	1.9	71.8	41.2	7.8	0	0	0
	March	625	84.0%	3.8	76.4	63.8	40.0	0	0	0
	April	619	86.0%	1.3	33.6	23.6	7.2	0	0	0
	May	704	94.6%	1.8	85.0	64.0	13.7	0	0	0
	June	668	92.8%	0.7	21.7	11.8	3.5	0	0	0
	July	490	65.9%	0.8	10.2	9.1	4.9	0	0	0
	August	0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
	September	10	1.4%	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0	0	0
	October	660	88.7%	0.4	9.9	4.9	1.2	0	0	0
	November	704	97.8%	0.7	23.0	18.0	2.9	0	0	0
	December	693	93.1%	2.7	127.9	97.1	29.7	0	0	0
Annual		6487	74.1%	1.6	127.9	97.1	40.0	0	0	0
2014	January	741	99.6%	1.2	68.0	30.2	5.3	0	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	3.8	196.5	112.9	47.0	0	0	0
	March	732	98.4%	2.0	137.4	128.5	34.9	0	0	0
	April	715	99.3%	1.5	54.4	29.5	8.5	0	0	0
	May	739	99.3%	1.9	58.9	39.0	10.2	0	0	0
	June	694	96.4%	1.5	22.8	15.3	6.2	0	0	0
	July	676	90.9%	0.5	10.0	6.6	2.4	0	0	0
	August	152	20.4%	1.1	11.0	6.8	1.6	0	0	0
	September	0	0.0%							
	October	61	8.2%	0.3	4.7	1.7	0.2	0	0	0
	November	639	88.8%	0.8	14.4	10.1	2.6	0	0	0
	December	697	93.7%	11.0	315.1	277.3	135.8	0	0	0
Annual		6518	74.4%	2.7	315.1	277.3	135.8	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.3.2.1 - TAMARACK DRIVE ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



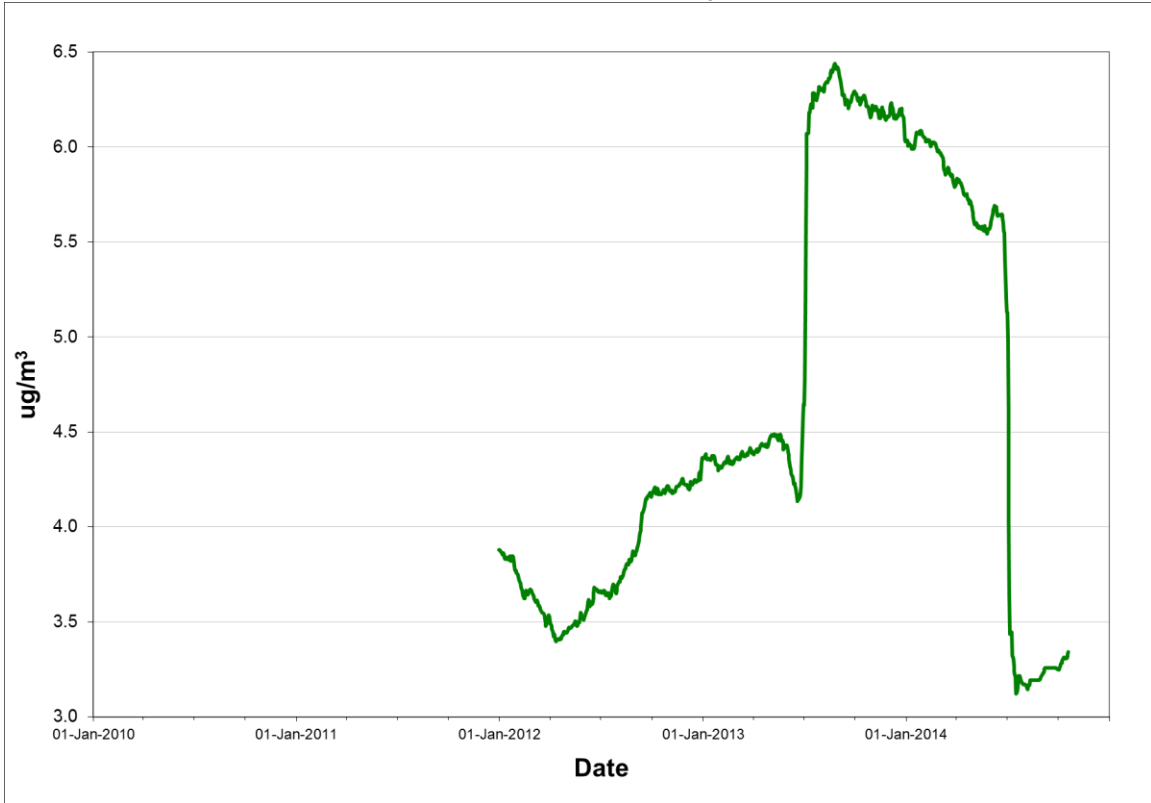
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**TABLE 4.3.2.2 - TAMARACK DRIVE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	26	83.9%	3.3	6.9	0
	February	26	92.9%	4.5	8.2	0
	March	24	77.4%	4.5	10.0	0
	April	26	86.7%	4.7	7.9	0
	May	29	93.5%	4.0	8.5	0
	June	29	96.7%	8.6	47.8	4
	July	21	67.7%	29.9	168.5	7
	August	4	12.9%	1.8	3.3	0
	September	10	33.3%	2.0	4.4	0
	October	27	87.1%	1.5	4.7	0
	November	29	96.7%	2.7	12.2	0
	December	25	80.6%	3.7	13.3	0
Annual		276	75.6%	6.0	168.5	11
2014	January	28	90.3%	3.8	15.1	0
	February	27	96.4%	3.8	9.0	0
	March	28	90.3%	2.8	7.3	0
	April	29	96.7%	3.3	11.3	0
	May	30	96.8%	3.3	6.8	0
	June	29	96.7%	4.2	11.4	0
	July	30	96.8%	3.1	15.4	0
	August	10	32.3%	3.9	10.8	0
	September	0	0.0%			
	October	2	6.5%	0.9	1.1	0
	November	25	83.3%	2.5	9.1	0
	December	31	100.0%	3.8	18.8	0
Annual		269	73.7%	3.4	18.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.2.2 - TAMARACK DRIVE ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



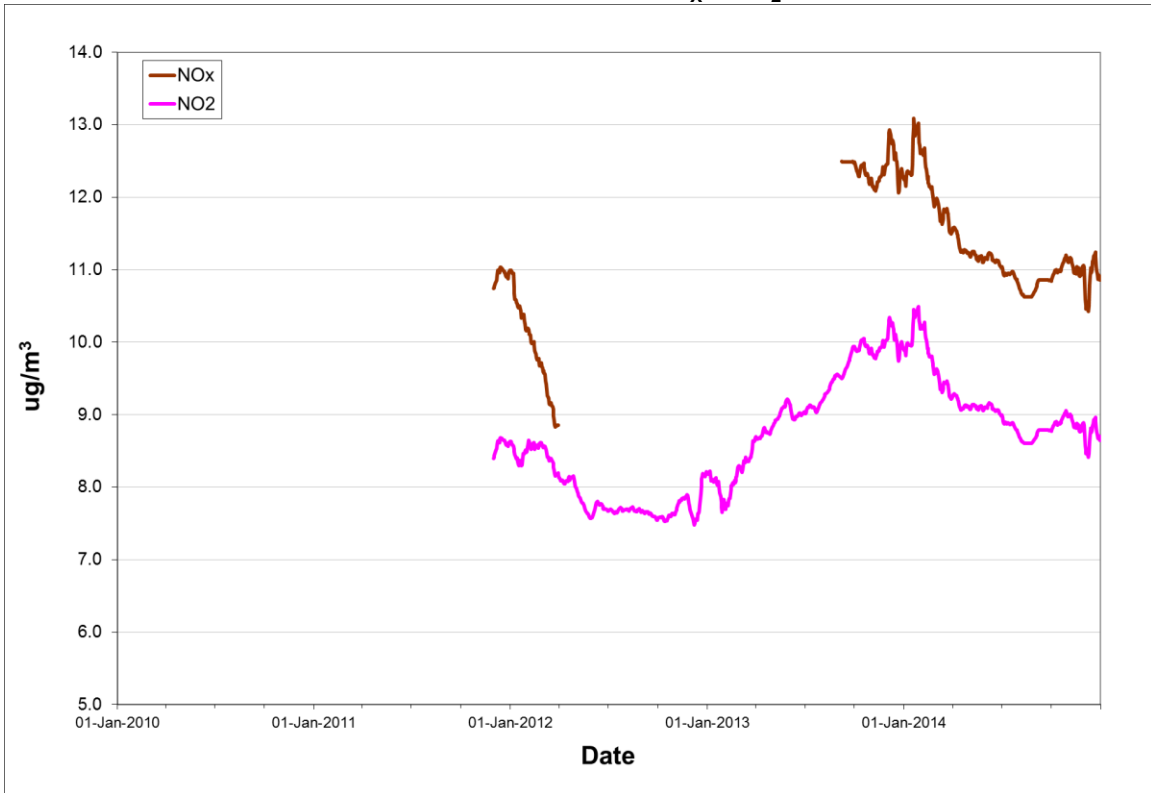
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.3.2.3 - TAMARACK DRIVE NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	709	95.3%	13.0	9.5	700.4	132.4	73.4	54.2	0	0
	February	607	90.3%	23.9	19.5	114.8	87.3	57.9	46.2	0	0
	March	625	84.0%	17.6	14.0	122.9	81.6	66.1	44.6	0	0
	April	636	88.3%	10.8	8.2	107.5	81.4	26.1	20.8	0	0
	May	705	94.8%	9.2	7.4	101.7	49.1	22.7	15.4	0	0
	June	668	92.8%	7.2	6.0	46.7	30.6	15.6	13.3	0	0
	July	509	68.4%	5.8	5.3	46.3	44.8	23.3	22.3	0	0
	August	107	14.4%	5.4	4.5	23.6	19.4	7.1	5.9	0	0
	September	243	33.8%	5.8	5.1	39.4	28.2	12.1	11.0	0	0
	October	661	88.8%	7.2	5.9	65.9	46.7	17.6	13.9	0	0
	November	705	97.9%	11.1	9.5	77.1	54.5	34.0	27.0	0	0
	December	693	93.1%	20.0	16.5	202.6	89.7	68.5	43.3	0	0
Annual		6868	78.4%	12.3	9.9	700.4	132.4	73.4	54.2	0	0
2014	January	738	99.2%	16.1	12.0	194.7	86.9	109.6	60.7	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	15.6	12.4	126.6	87.9	49.2	33.0	0	0
	March	733	98.5%	13.0	10.0	142.1	74.3	35.2	25.2	0	0
	April	714	99.2%	7.9	7.0	61.5	53.5	14.5	13.1	0	0
	May	739	99.3%	8.8	7.4	66.1	47.6	20.6	18.0	0	0
	June	696	96.7%	5.9	4.8	57.5	33.4	17.6	11.9	0	0
	July	733	98.5%	5.3	4.1	61.3	44.3	11.7	9.5	0	0
	August	261	35.1%	5.1	4.2	27.5	22.7	8.6	7.2	0	0
	September	0	0.0%								
	October	61	8.2%	3.0	2.2	17.1	13.1	3.3	2.1	0	0
	November	663	92.1%	10.2	8.3	128.9	68.6	38.9	29.7	0	0
	December	700	94.1%	18.0	14.1	189.1	76.7	89.4	53.6	0	0
Annual		6710	76.6%	10.9	8.6	194.7	87.9	109.6	60.7	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.2.3 - TAMARACK DRIVE ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



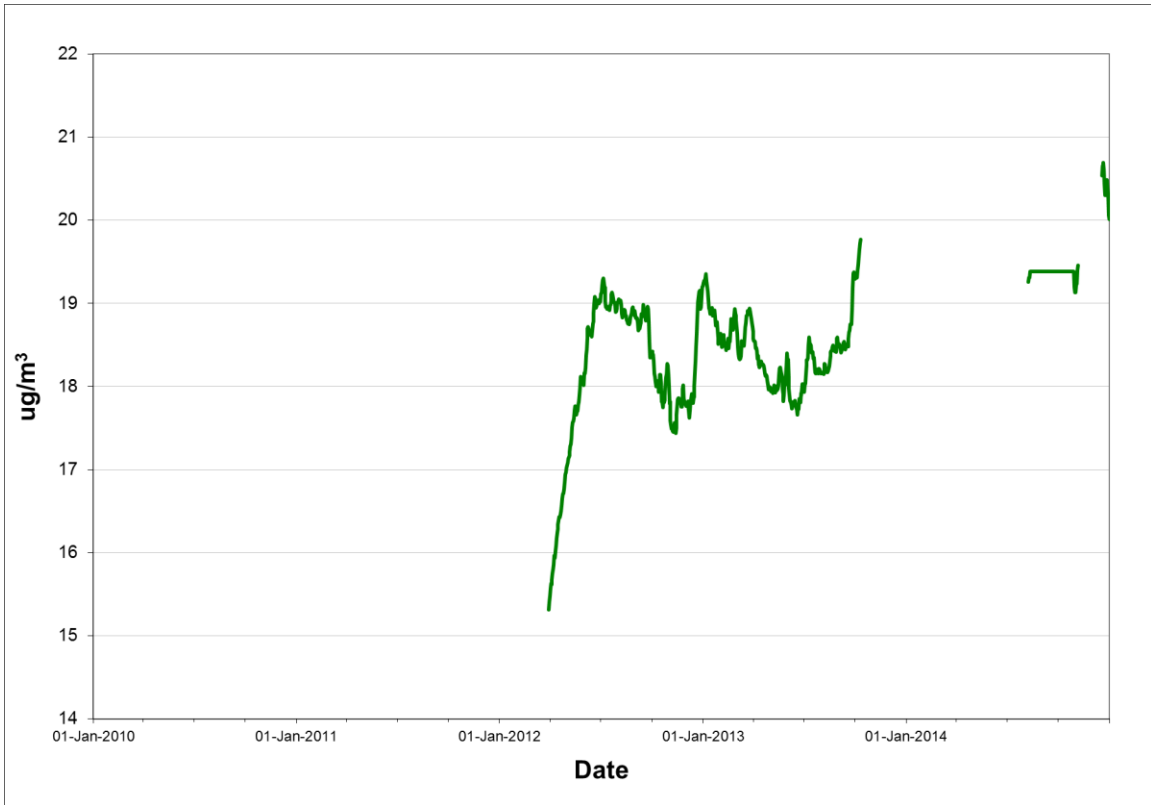
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.3.2.4 - TAMARACK DRIVE TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	9.2	53.2	0
	February	25	89.3%	18.9	138.7	1
	March	30	96.8%	24.7	110.8	0
	April	27	90.0%	26.9	101.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	39.9	126.2	1
	June	28	93.3%	35.0	104.0	0
	July	21	67.7%	31.5	383.0	3
	August	0	0.0%			
	September	0	0.0%			
	October	0	0.0%			
	November	29	96.7%	9.8	136.0	1
	December	27	87.1%	11.9	156.5	2
Annual		249	68.2%		383.0	8
2014	January	31	100.0%	13.8	123.7	1
	February	28	100.0%	15.2	197.3	2
	March	31	100.0%	13.7	77.0	0
	April	30	100.0%	22.7	141.7	2
	May	31	100.0%	34.6	96.1	0
	June	29	96.7%	37.2	124.9	1
	July	30	96.8%	32.3	193.2	1
	August	10	32.3%	28.8	111.1	0
	September	0	0.0%			
	October	2	6.5%	3.1	8.0	0
	November	24	80.0%	10.4	66.6	0
	December	31	100.0%	16.3	178.9	4
Annual		277	75.9%	20.0	197.3	11

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.2.4 - TAMARACK DRIVE ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

### 4.3.3 Smokey Mountain

The Smokey Mountain station monitors the ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub>, TPM and O<sub>3</sub> on a continuous basis. For SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub>, and PM<sub>2.5</sub> the ambient air standards were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. For TPM, the 24-hour ambient air standard was exceeded on two occasions while the 1-hour O<sub>3</sub> standard was exceeded on 8 occasions and the 8-hour O<sub>3</sub> standard was exceeded on 13 occasions.

In late 2013, IOCC, in conjunction with Environment Canada and the Department of Environment and Conservation became the first industrial operation in the province to install an ozone monitor. The ozone monitor at the Smokey Mountain station was installed for the purpose of generating the data required to calculate the hourly AQHI reading.

Tables 4.3.3.1 through 4.3.3.4 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at Smokey Mountain while Figures 4.3.3.1 through 4.3.3.4 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend for each pollutant. Table 4.3.3.5 provides details of the ozone measured at Smokey Mountain while Table 4.3.3.6 provides the AQHI levels for 2014 and Figure 4.3.3.5 provides the frequency distribution for 2014.

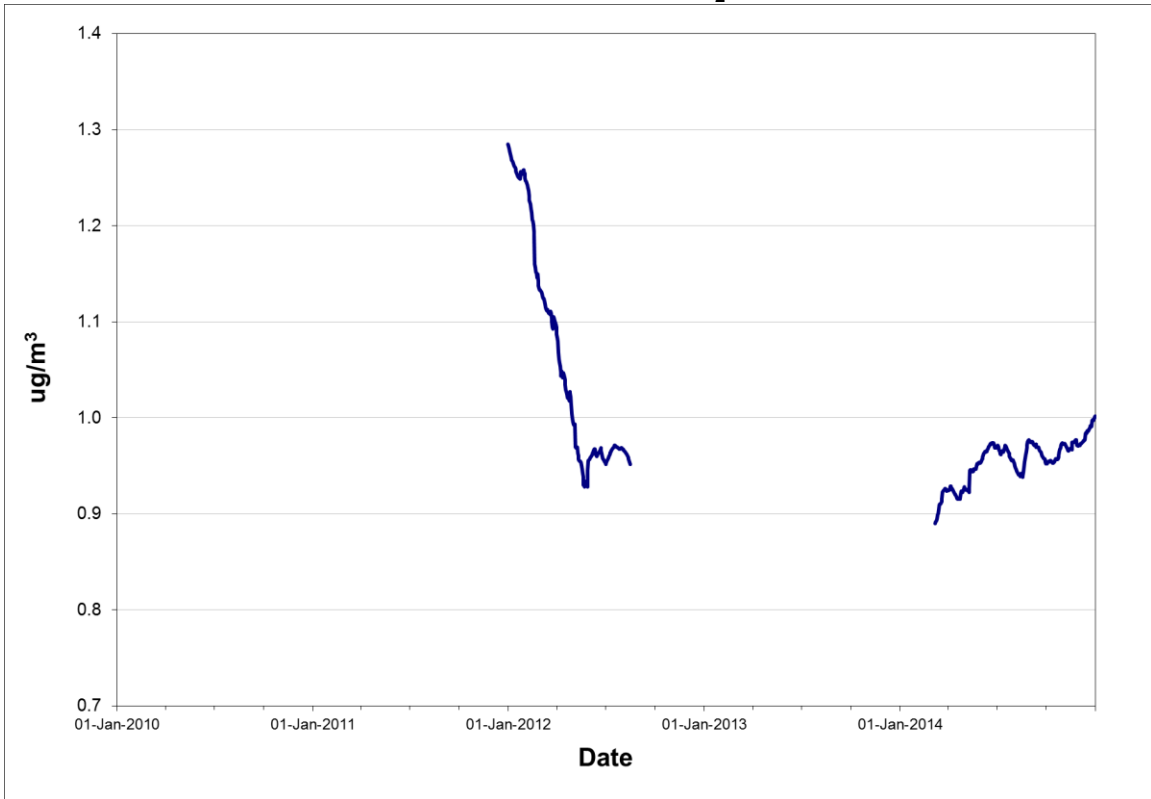


**TABLE 4.3.3.1 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	0	0.0%							
	February	0	0.0%							
	March	0	0.0%							
	April	0	0.0%							
	May	237	31.9%	0.9	3.9	2.5	1.3	0	0	0
	June	691	96.0%	0.8	8.2	7.0	2.2	0	0	0
	July	709	95.3%	1.1	3.9	3.6	1.8	0	0	0
	August	699	94.0%	1.0	5.0	2.1	1.5	0	0	0
	September	659	91.5%	1.1	4.4	3.4	1.7	0	0	0
	October	705	94.8%	0.6	5.5	3.5	1.1	0	0	0
	November	672	93.3%	0.8	27.0	2.7	1.3	0	0	0
	December	686	92.2%	0.5	12.6	8.2	1.7	0	0	0
Annual		5058	57.7%	0.9	27.0	8.2	2.2	0	0	0
2014	January	710	95.4%	1.2	60.7	30.9	9.0	0	0	0
	February	645	96.0%	0.7	13.8	6.8	2.3	0	0	0
	March	701	94.2%	1.3	13.4	9.2	2.9	0	0	0
	April	675	93.8%	1.0	24.1	10.7	2.2	0	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	1.2	36.5	22.1	6.7	0	0	0
	June	685	95.1%	1.0	4.3	2.3	1.8	0	0	0
	July	726	97.6%	0.9	5.1	3.0	2.0	0	0	0
	August	682	91.7%	1.3	10.3	5.7	2.8	0	0	0
	September	715	99.3%	0.9	5.9	4.1	2.0	0	0	0
	October	738	99.2%	0.9	12.0	7.4	1.8	0	0	0
	November	687	95.4%	0.8	20.4	13.0	3.8	0	0	0
	December	726	97.6%	0.9	16.5	9.2	2.9	0	0	0
Annual		8431	96.2%	1.0	60.7	30.9	9.0	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.3.1 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



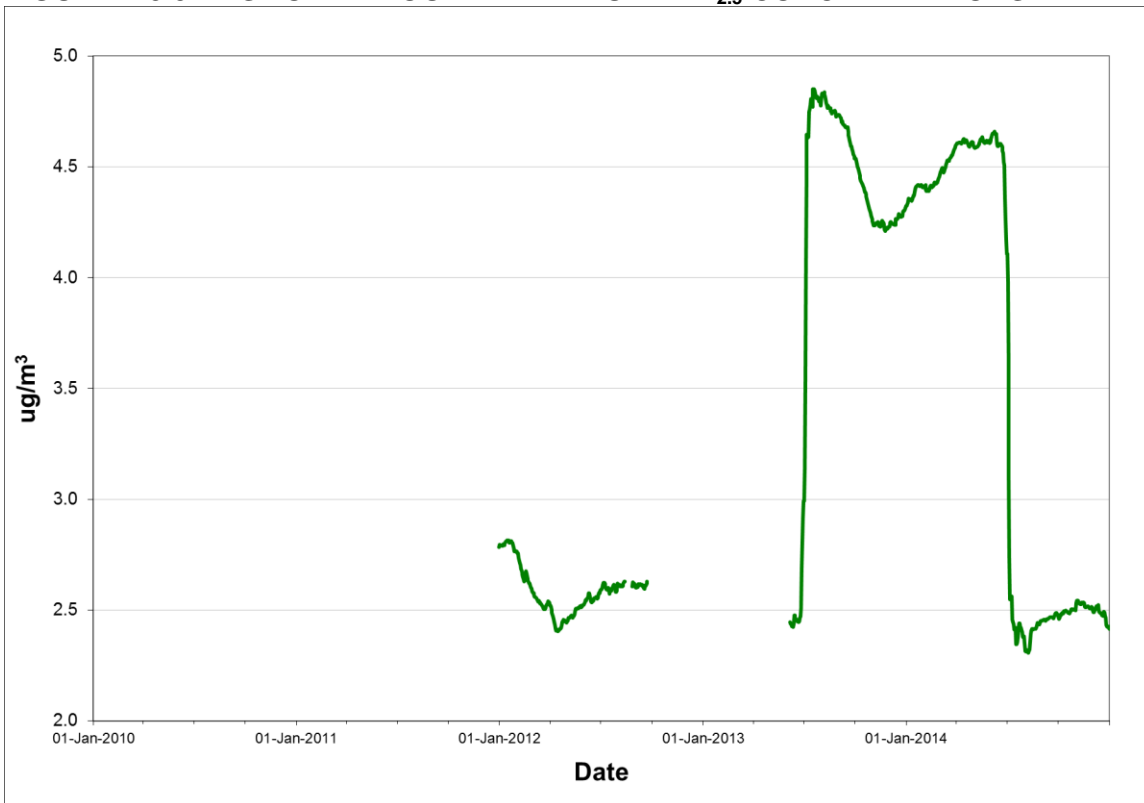
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**TABLE 4.3.3.2 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	2.8	6.3	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.2	8.3	0
	March	31	100.0%	2.1	8.8	0
	April	26	86.7%	2.5	6.4	0
	May	28	90.3%	1.5	5.2	0
	June	27	90.0%	8.3	53.5	4
	July	31	100.0%	20.3	167.9	7
	August	28	90.3%	2.2	14.8	0
	September	29	96.7%	0.9	3.0	0
	October	30	96.8%	1.4	4.8	0
	November	28	93.3%	1.9	7.8	0
	December	26	83.9%	3.8	11.2	0
Annual		343	94.0%	4.3	167.9	11
2014	January	29	93.5%	3.7	10.5	0
	February	11	39.3%	2.4	4.8	0
	March	21	67.7%	3.2	4.8	0
	April	24	80.0%	2.5	3.6	0
	May	31	100.0%	1.8	3.8	0
	June	29	96.7%	2.6	8.1	0
	July	30	96.8%	2.6	14.0	0
	August	30	96.8%	2.9	12.0	0
	September	30	100.0%	1.3	3.4	0
	October	31	100.0%	1.6	4.7	0
	November	29	96.7%	2.1	12.5	0
	December	31	100.0%	2.5	6.1	0
Annual		326	89.3%	2.4	14.0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.3.2 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



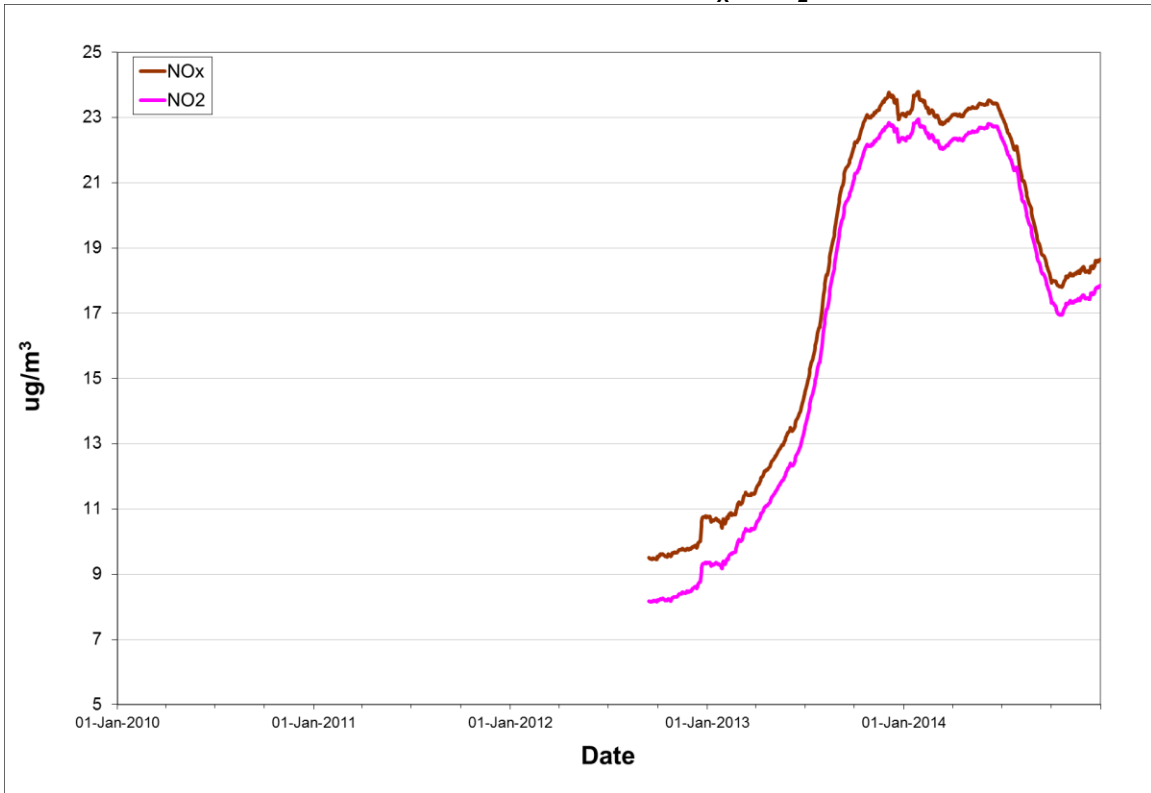
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**TABLE 4.3.3.3 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	736	98.9%	13.8	12.9	213.4	111.5	70.0	58.7	0	0
	February	668	99.4%	21.4	20.3	151.4	90.9	51.3	47.2	0	0
	March	732	98.4%	14.1	13.8	76.3	71.2	43.4	42.0	0	0
	April	664	92.2%	15.9	15.4	61.1	58.4	27.9	27.1	0	0
	May	717	96.4%	16.4	15.8	65.5	46.8	28.0	26.9	0	0
	June	697	96.8%	24.6	24.1	103.8	69.9	43.3	42.6	0	0
	July	741	99.6%	34.6	33.7	98.2	97.4	60.9	60.3	0	0
	August	729	98.0%	46.3	45.4	128.6	115.4	78.0	77.8	0	0
	September	691	96.0%	33.6	33.0	106.0	83.5	58.2	56.5	0	0
	October	735	98.8%	21.4	20.8	82.4	65.5	39.4	37.9	0	0
	November	701	97.4%	18.1	17.6	64.6	56.8	34.2	30.0	0	0
	December	715	96.1%	16.4	14.9	113.3	65.6	49.6	39.5	0	0
Annual		8526	97.3%	23.1	22.4	213.4	115.4	78.0	77.8	0	0
2014	January	741	99.6%	18.7	17.2	152.9	71.0	66.6	44.1	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	15.0	14.2	110.1	73.1	30.8	28.4	0	0
	March	726	97.6%	14.8	14.7	99.5	73.6	32.7	31.8	0	0
	April	689	95.7%	18.4	18.0	54.7	52.1	32.3	31.6	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	18.0	17.8	62.9	60.2	27.3	26.7	0	0
	June	692	96.1%	20.7	20.6	52.4	52.1	30.8	30.6	0	0
	July	728	97.8%	21.6	21.3	70.4	67.2	30.8	30.0	0	0
	August	261	35.1%	20.4	20.3	57.9	56.3	28.4	28.0	0	0
	September	365	50.7%	10.4	10.2	41.8	27.7	16.5	16.4	0	0
	October	738	99.2%	22.5	19.2	89.0	80.5	39.7	37.8	0	0
	November	716	99.4%	21.3	20.4	89.1	62.2	34.8	31.6	0	0
	December	723	97.2%	19.0	17.9	96.4	66.4	46.6	37.3	0	0
Annual		7791	88.9%	18.7	17.8	152.9	80.5	66.6	44.1	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.3.3 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



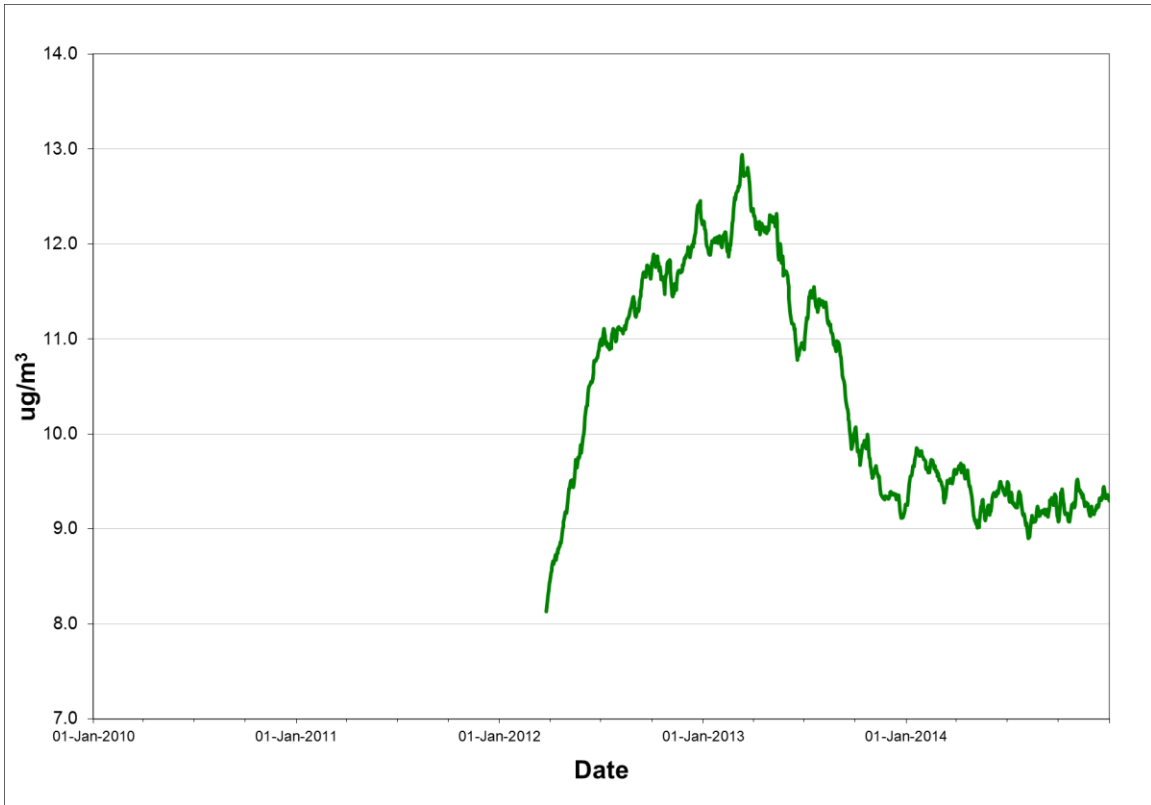
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.3.3.4 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	28	90.3%	4.8	20.8	0
	February	27	96.4%	9.1	48.0	0
	March	31	100.0%	12.1	82.0	0
	April	27	90.0%	19.2	116.3	0
	May	29	93.5%	13.2	137.5	1
	June	25	83.3%	17.6	99.7	0
	July	31	100.0%	20.3	365.8	4
	August	30	96.8%	11.1	41.0	0
	September	28	93.3%	5.8	115.0	0
	October	28	90.3%	5.5	65.5	0
	November	28	93.3%	4.5	25.7	0
	December	25	80.6%	4.6	21.4	0
Annual		337	92.3%	9.3	365.8	5
2014	January	29	93.5%	9.1	86.0	0
	February	28	100.0%	7.1	59.0	0
	March	29	93.5%	12.9	76.8	0
	April	24	80.0%	12.0	36.8	0
	May	30	96.8%	12.6	55.1	0
	June	29	96.7%	21.9	123.4	1
	July	29	93.5%	15.3	80.1	0
	August	30	96.8%	11.3	62.5	0
	September	29	96.7%	5.5	20.1	0
	October	28	90.3%	6.5	50.8	0
	November	29	96.7%	4.5	203.6	1
	December	28	90.3%	5.4	34.5	0
Annual		342	93.7%	9.3	203.6	2

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.3.4 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations



**TABLE 4.3.3.5 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN O<sub>3</sub> SUMMARY 2014**

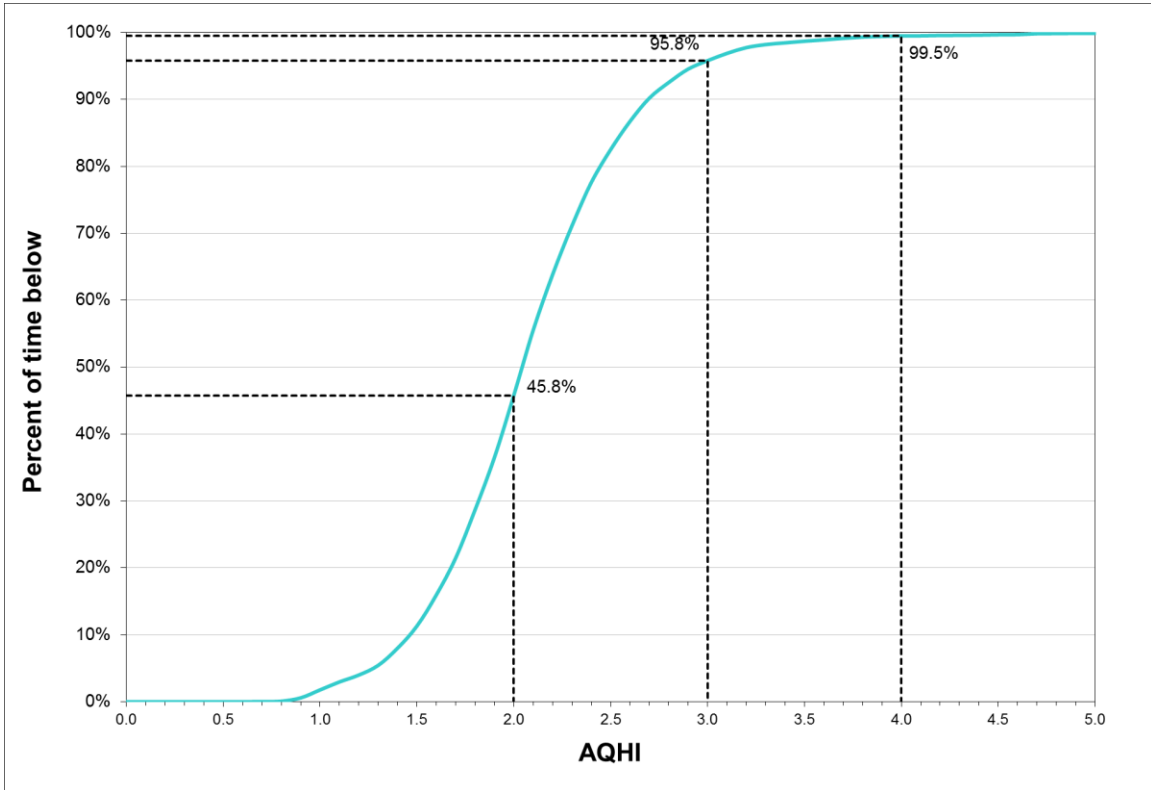
Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum		Regulatory Exceedances	
					1-Hour	8-Hour	1-Hour (>160)	8-Hour (>87)
2014	January	741	99.6%	45.5	69.0	67.7	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	50.4	70.8	67.0	0	0
	March	708	95.2%	50.2	85.0	77.6	0	0
	April	597	82.9%	54.1	77.2	71.7	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	43.9	80.8	73.4	0	0
	June	697	96.8%	47.2	181.5	158.0	5	10
	July	538	72.3%	50.4	120.1	87.5	0	1
	August	724	97.3%	23.9	52.9	47.4	0	0
	September	716	99.4%	25.4	58.4	42.8	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	37.6	138.2	118.6	0	2
	November	717	99.6%	36.2	53.5	52.8	0	0
	December	731	98.3%	35.7	49.3	47.2	0	0
Annual		8325	95.0%	41.3	181.5	158.0	5	13

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**TABLE 4.3.3.6 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN AQHI SUMMARY 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	<u>Maximum</u> 3-Hour
2014	January	686	92.2%	2.2	4.0
	February	408	60.7%	2.2	3.7
	March	552	74.2%	2.2	4.0
	April	594	82.5%	2.3	3.2
	May	744	100.0%	2.0	3.1
	June	681	94.6%	2.3	6.0
	July	523	70.3%	2.5	3.7
	August	257	34.5%	2.0	3.0
	September	367	51.0%	1.2	2.1
	October	741	99.6%	1.9	4.6
	November	697	96.8%	2.0	3.8
	December	731	98.3%	1.9	3.8
Annual		6981	79.7%	2.1	6.0

**FIGURE 4.3.3.5 - SMOKEY MOUNTAIN AQHI FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 2014**



e.g. 95.8% of the time the AQHI recorded was below 3.0

#### **4.3.4 Bartlett Drive**

The Bartlett Drive monitoring station is located at A. P. Low School and measured TPM on a one day in six day cycle in 2014. The station had an equipment upgrade in 2011, resulting in period of monitoring downtime. There were no exceedances of the 24-hour ambient air standard in 2014.

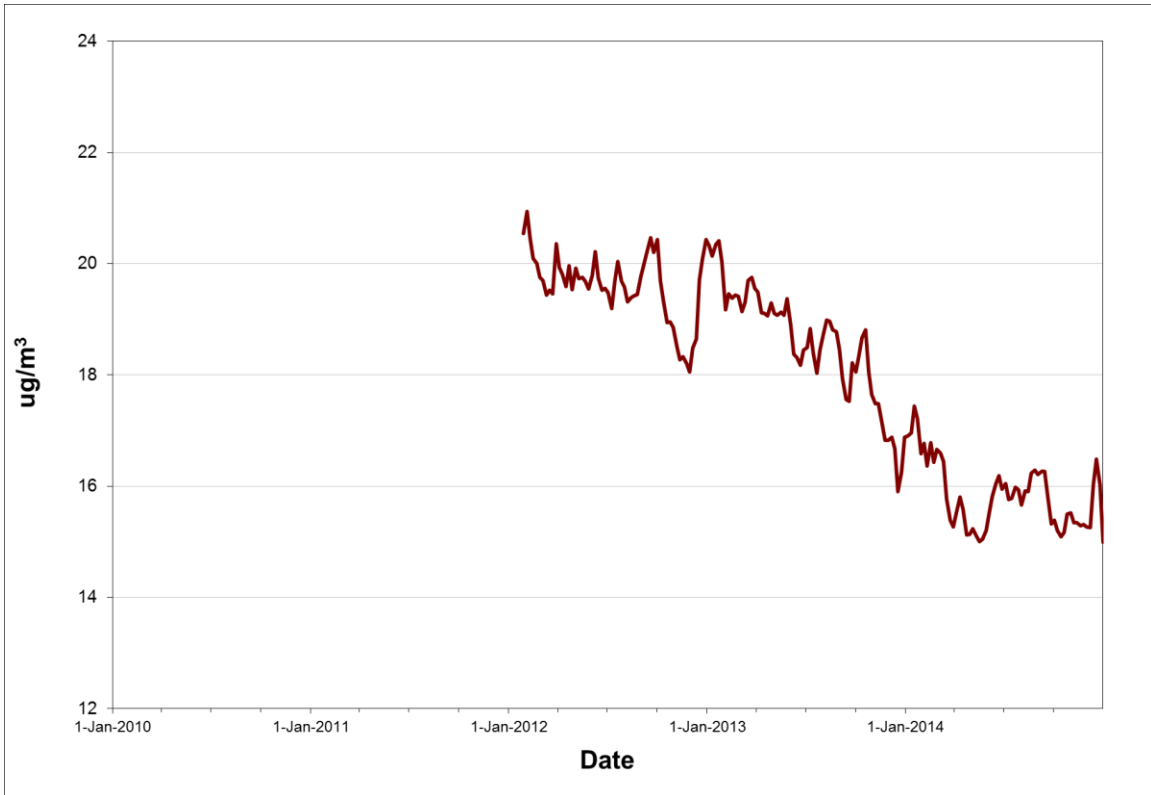
Table 4.3.4.1 provides summary information of air contaminants measured at Bartlett Drive, while Figure 4.3.4.1 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend of the measured pollutant.

**TABLE 4.3.4.1 - BARTLETT DRIVE TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	8.0	14.1	0
	February	4	80.0%	8.0	17.2	0
	March	5	100.0%	21.3	60.8	0
	April	5	100.0%	20.5	57.7	0
	May	5	100.0%	48.3	60.8	0
	June	4	80.0%	24.3	89.8	0
	July	4	80.0%	25.4	46.7	0
	August	5	100.0%	20.9	32.6	0
	September	5	100.0%	21.6	73.7	0
	October	3	50.0%	6.1	8.0	0
	November	5	100.0%	6.0	9.2	0
	December	5	100.0%	22.3	165.9	1
Annual		54	88.5%	16.9	165.9	1
2014	January	5	100.0%	7.6	21.5	0
	February	5	100.0%	9.8	27.6	0
	March	5	100.0%	8.0	38.1	0
	April	4	80.0%	19.7	39.3	0
	May	5	100.0%	50.6	67.6	0
	June	5	100.0%	38.0	54.1	0
	July	5	100.0%	22.9	39.3	0
	August	5	100.0%	26.8	53.4	0
	September	5	100.0%	10.8	14.7	0
	October	4	80.0%	10.7	19.7	0
	November	5	100.0%	5.7	8.6	0
	December	6	100.0%	14.2	110.6	0
Annual		59	96.7%	15.5	110.6	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.4.1 - BARTLETT DRIVE ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

### 4.3.5 Hudson Drive

The Hudson Drive monitoring station is located at the fire hall and measured TPM on a one day in six day cycle in 2014. The station was newly installed in 2011.

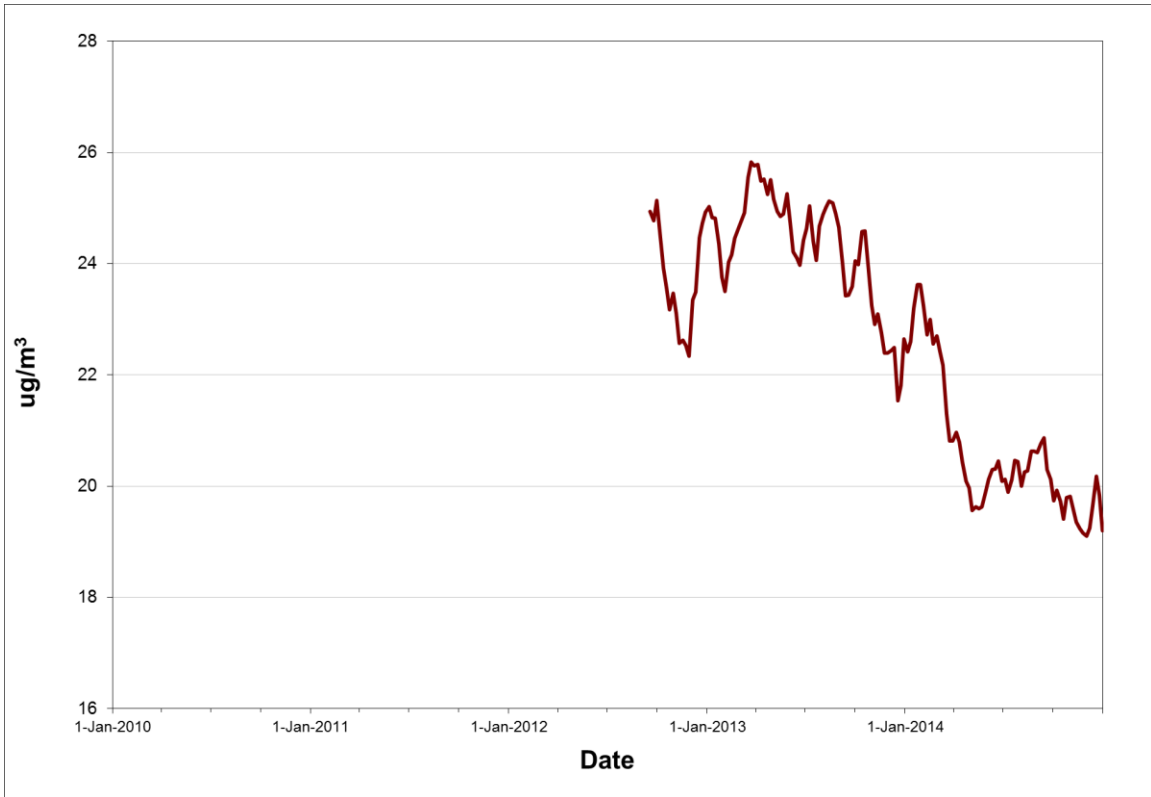
Table 4.3.5.1 provides summary information of air contaminants measured at Hudson Drive while Figure 4.3.5.1 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend. In 2014, the 24-hour ambient air criterion was not exceeded.

**TABLE 4.3.5.1 - HUDSON DRIVE TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	5	100.0%	9.0	24.6	0
	February	4	80.0%	17.8	37.5	0
	March	5	100.0%	30.0	86.0	0
	April	5	100.0%	38.8	92.1	0
	May	5	100.0%	60.1	86.0	0
	June	4	80.0%	37.1	141.4	1
	July	4	80.0%	25.8	73.7	0
	August	5	100.0%	28.6	44.8	0
	September	5	100.0%	18.0	43.0	0
	October	6	100.0%	17.4	92.1	0
	November	5	100.0%	9.1	13.5	0
	December	5	100.0%	23.9	98.3	0
Annual		58	95.1%	22.6	141.4	1
2014	January	5	100.0%	14.6	30.1	0
	February	5	100.0%	11.8	19.7	0
	March	5	100.0%	10.8	86.0	0
	April	5	100.0%	23.8	38.1	0
	May	5	100.0%	57.5	86.0	0
	June	5	100.0%	36.7	61.4	0
	July	5	100.0%	30.3	67.6	0
	August	5	100.0%	32.0	67.6	0
	September	5	100.0%	13.3	17.8	0
	October	5	100.0%	16.1	28.3	0
	November	5	100.0%	6.3	9.8	0
	December	6	100.0%	20.4	79.9	0
Annual		61	100.0%	19.2	86.0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.3.5.1 - HUDSON DRIVE ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations



#### **4.4 Wabush Mines**

In 2013, Wabush Mines initiated a minor revamp of their monitoring network, updating equipment and relocating instruments. Work on this upgrade was completed in early 2014. As a consequence Wabush Mines closed the Shea Street station and the station near the NALCOR substation. By the end of 2014 there were two monitoring stations in operation in Wabush, namely on Bond Street near the Provincial Building and a new station on Cabot Drive near the J. R. Smallwood school. These stations are installed to monitor the emissions from Wabush Mines' iron ore mine, concentrator / processing facility and the tailings. The locations of these monitoring stations are identified in Figure 4.4.1.

In February 2014, Wabush Mines indefinitely idled the processing facility, and it remained idled at year end. Though not processing, Wabush Mines are committed to their environmental responsibilities and will continue to operate the ambient air monitoring network until further notice.

**FIGURE 4.4.1 - WABUSH MINES AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



#### **4.4.1 Bond Street**

The Bond Street monitoring station is located near the Provincial Building and measures SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and TPM on a continuous basis. Each monitor did not record exceedances of the associated ambient air criteria on any occasion in 2014. The TPM monitor was newly installed in September 2013.

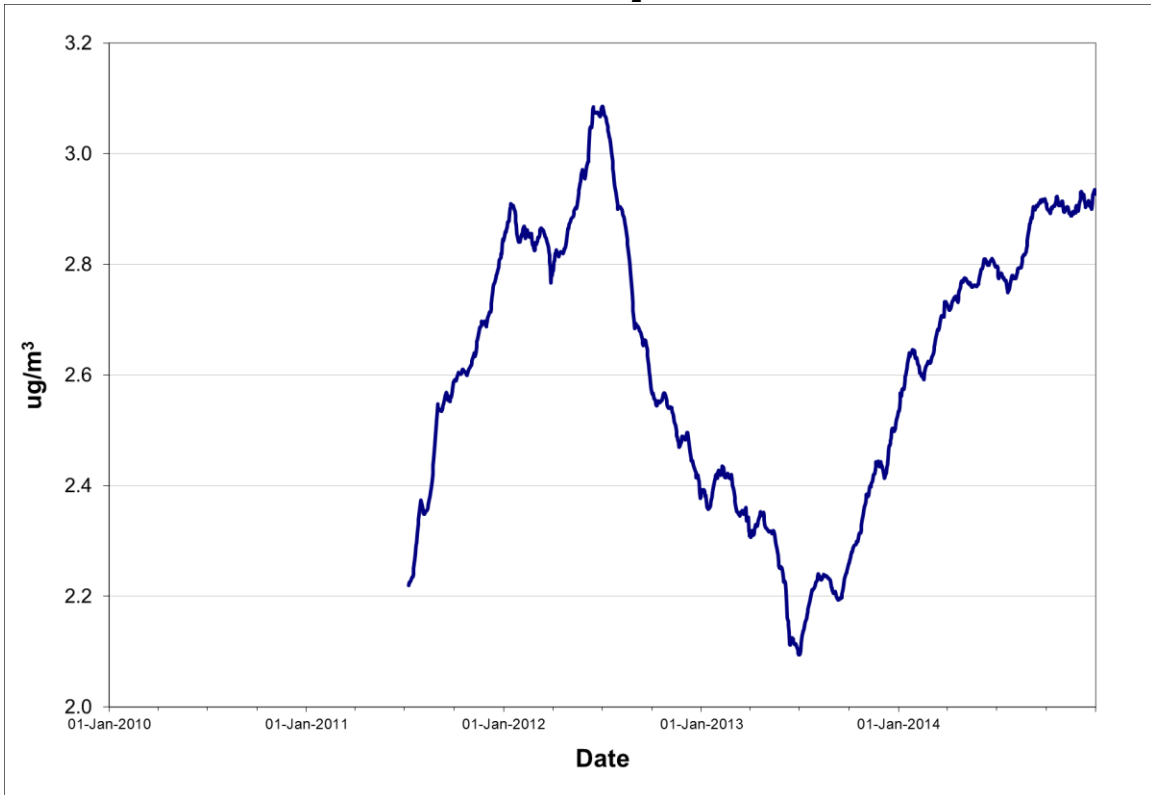
Tables 4.4.1.1 to 4.4.1.3 provide summary information of air contaminants measured at Bond Street, while Figures 4.4.1.1 and 4.4.1.3 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of SO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub> and TPM respectively.

**TABLE 4.4.1.1 - BOND STREET SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	708	95.2%	2.9	21.6	11.2	5.2	0	0	0
	February	640	95.2%	2.4	17.3	14.3	5.8	0	0	0
	March	714	96.0%	1.8	17.3	10.0	3.5	0	0	0
	April	668	92.8%	2.5	22.5	9.5	4.2	0	0	0
	May	698	93.8%	2.5	7.0	5.3	4.0	0	0	0
	June	677	94.0%	2.1	14.1	8.1	3.5	0	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	3.2	10.5	9.5	5.9	0	0	0
	August	700	94.1%	1.8	11.6	7.9	3.0	0	0	0
	September	581	80.7%	2.4	6.7	4.6	3.7	0	0	0
	October	681	91.5%	2.7	14.7	6.7	4.5	0	0	0
	November	527	73.2%	3.3	29.2	19.3	5.5	0	0	0
	December	733	98.5%	3.0	18.5	13.0	6.4	0	0	0
Annual		8039	91.8%	2.5	29.2	19.3	6.4	0	0	0
2014	January	742	99.7%	4.0	27.7	19.5	7.3	0	0	0
	February	660	98.2%	2.2	32.9	21.7	7.9	0	0	0
	March	725	97.4%	3.0	53.4	46.0	11.4	0	0	0
	April	678	94.2%	3.1	16.6	11.2	4.7	0	0	0
	May	717	96.4%	2.6	23.7	16.0	5.3	0	0	0
	June	673	93.5%	2.3	21.4	11.0	4.1	0	0	0
	July	705	94.8%	2.9	14.6	7.0	5.3	0	0	0
	August	693	93.1%	2.9	16.7	10.9	5.1	0	0	0
	September	597	82.9%	2.9	17.0	7.6	4.6	0	0	0
	October	710	95.4%	2.8	6.1	5.3	4.7	0	0	0
	November	685	95.1%	3.1	10.9	7.6	6.5	0	0	0
	December	712	95.7%	3.3	9.2	9.1	7.5	0	0	0
Annual		8297	94.7%	2.9	53.4	46.0	11.4	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.1.1 - BOND STREET ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



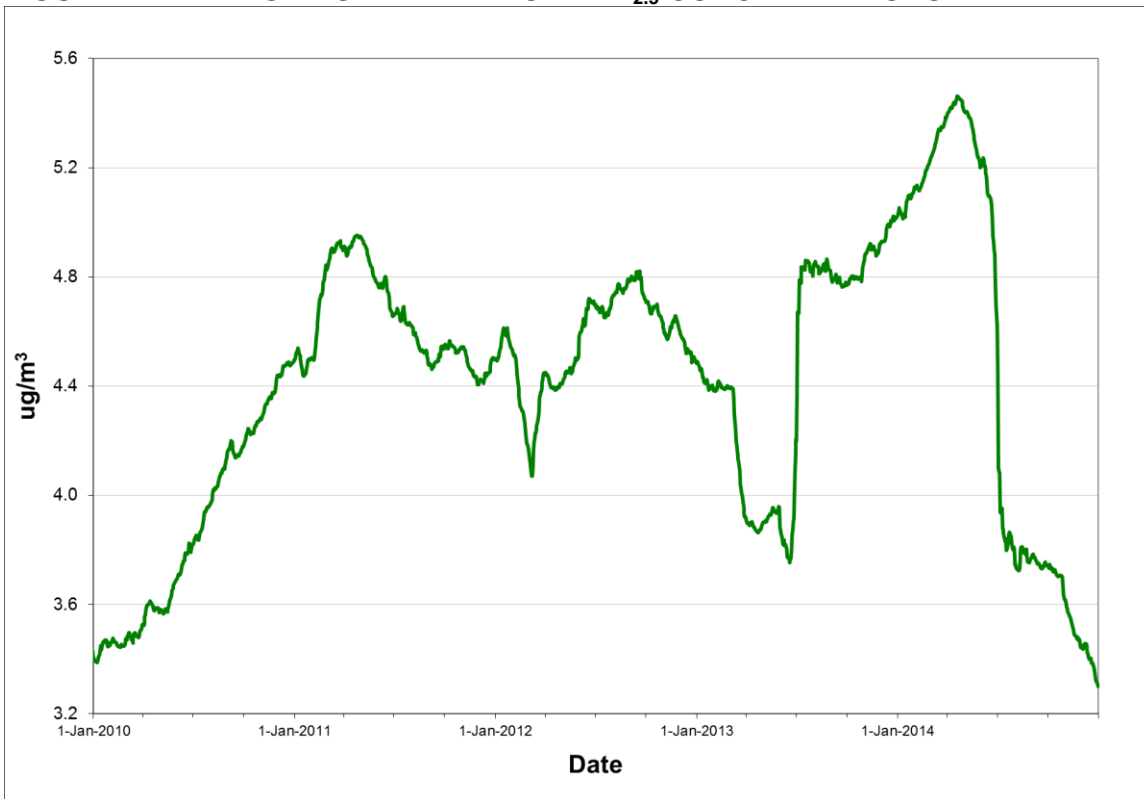
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.4.1.2 - BOND STREET PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	4.1	6.0	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.7	8.3	0
	March	31	100.0%	2.9	6.0	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.0	6.5	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.5	7.9	0
	June	29	96.7%	9.1	40.5	2
	July	29	93.5%	12.7	119.3	3
	August	30	96.8%	4.7	17.8	0
	September	29	96.7%	3.0	5.8	0
	October	27	87.1%	3.7	11.9	0
	November	25	83.3%	3.6	7.0	0
	December	29	93.5%	4.5	12.9	0
Annual		349	95.6%	5.0	119.3	5
2014	January	31	100.0%	5.3	14.3	0
	February	23	82.1%	4.8	7.6	0
	March	17	54.8%	4.1	5.7	0
	April	27	90.0%	4.2	6.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	2.2	4.7	0
	June	26	86.7%	2.2	10.3	0
	July	30	96.8%	3.6	16.0	0
	August	30	96.8%	4.3	13.8	0
	September	26	86.7%	2.6	4.3	0
	October	31	100.0%	2.3	5.9	0
	November	30	100.0%	1.7	4.4	0
	December	31	100.0%	2.8	6.0	0
Annual		333	91.2%	3.3	16.0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.1.2 - BOND STREET ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



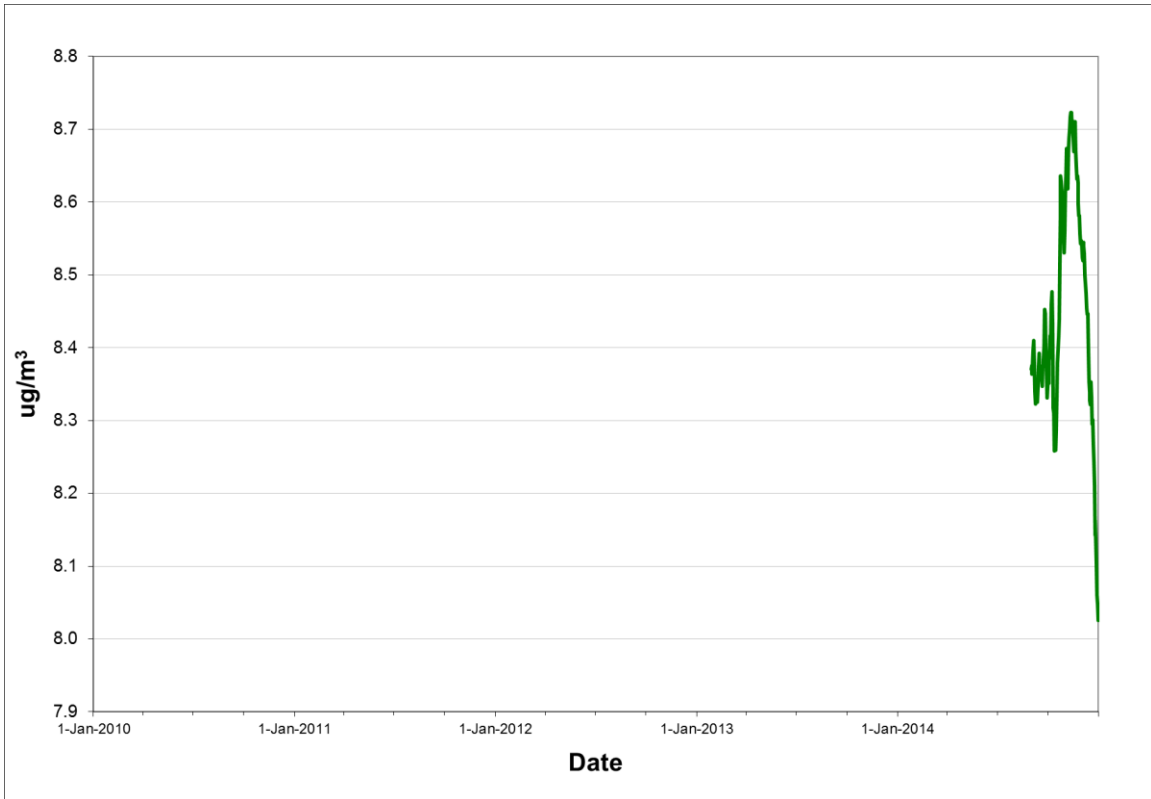
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.4.1.3 - BOND STREET TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January					
	February					
	March					
	April					
	May					
	June					
	July					
	August					
	September	25	83.3%	8.2	24.4	0
	October	31	100.0%	5.8	18.4	0
	November	27	90.0%	7.5	15.6	0
	December	29	93.5%	8.1	18.1	0
Annual		112	30.7%	7.4	24.4	0
2014	January	28	90.3%	10.4	26.6	0
	February	12	42.9%	9.6	12.0	0
	March	22	71.0%	11.3	39.8	0
	April	28	93.3%	9.2	27.8	0
	May	28	90.3%	18.9	52.6	0
	June	24	80.0%	14.1	61.9	0
	July	28	90.3%	13.6	63.2	0
	August	30	96.8%	11.7	21.0	0
	September	23	76.7%	8.5	27.5	0
	October	28	90.3%	7.9	25.0	0
	November	28	93.3%	9.1	45.9	0
	December	31	100.0%	4.8	13.5	0
Annual		310	84.9%	10.8	63.2	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.1.3 - BOND STREET ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



#### **4.4.2 Cabot Drive**

The Cabot Drive monitoring station was installed in early 2014 and is located near the J.R. Smallwood School. The station measures  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  and TPM on a continuous basis. Each monitor did not record exceedances of the associated ambient air criteria on any occasion in 2014.

Tables 4.4.2.1 and 4.4.2.2 provide summary information of air contaminants measured at Cabot Drive. No graphical representation of the annual trend is provided for either pollutant as there is insufficient data.



**TABLE 4.4.2.1 - CABOT DRIVE PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2014	January					
	February	26	92.9%	5.9	22.5	0
	March	30	96.8%	4.7	16.2	0
	April	25	83.3%	3.5	6.5	0
	May	27	87.1%	3.4	6.7	0
	June	26	86.7%	5.5	9.9	0
	July	29	93.5%	3.3	15.4	0
	August	30	96.8%	2.7	10.6	0
	September	27	90.0%	1.5	3.4	0
	October	31	100.0%	2.3	7.8	0
	November	30	100.0%	2.0	3.6	0
	December	29	93.5%	3.4	7.1	0
Annual		310	84.9%	3.4	22.5	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>**TABLE 4.4.2.2 - CABOT DRIVE TPM SUMMARY 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2014	January					
	February	28	100.0%	10.7	18.9	0
	March	30	96.8%	9.9	35.3	0
	April	29	96.7%	7.9	25.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	17.7	57.8	0
	June	27	90.0%	22.4	56.9	0
	July	31	100.0%	14.2	52.3	0
	August	26	83.9%	13.9	32.0	0
	September	28	93.3%	9.1	25.2	0
	October	31	100.0%	8.1	44.7	0
	November	30	100.0%	8.7	25.7	0
	December	31	100.0%	7.0	19.0	0
Annual		322	88.2%	11.0	57.8	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

### **4.4.3 Substation**

The Substation monitoring station was located near the NALCOR substation to the north of the town of Wabush but was closed in April 2014 as part of the revamp to the monitoring network. The station monitored the ambient levels of TPM, PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a 1 day in 6 day cycle. There were no exceedances of the 24-hour ambient air criteria for all three pollutants in 2014.

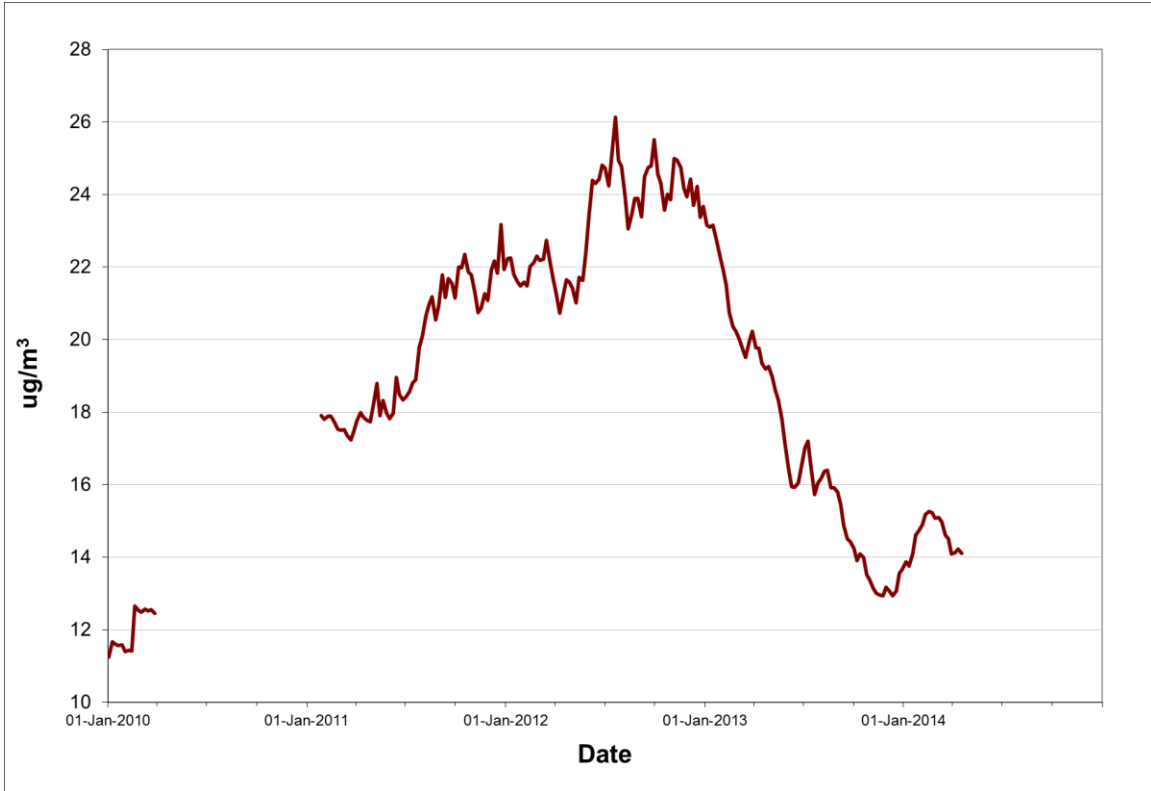
Tables 4.4.2.1 through 4.4.2.3 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Substation, while Figures 4.4.2.1 through 4.4.2.3 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each air contaminant.

**TABLE 4.4.3.1 - SUBSTATION TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	5	100.0%	5.6	8.3	0
	February	5	100.0%	6.9	12.1	0
	March	5	100.0%	12.0	26.9	0
	April	5	100.0%	12.4	32.3	0
	May	5	100.0%	16.9	21.3	0
	June	5	100.0%	74.5	313.2	2
	July	5	100.0%	49.5	202.3	1
	August	5	100.0%	19.2	36.2	0
	September	5	100.0%	10.8	28.8	0
	October	6	100.0%	8.6	42.3	0
	November	5	100.0%	9.1	12.5	0
	December	5	100.0%	8.0	39.1	0
Annual		61	100.0%	13.7	313.2	3
2014	January	5	100.0%	13.9	35.2	0
	February	5	100.0%	9.2	18.0	0
	March	5	100.0%	5.3	6.2	0
	April	3	100.0%	6.8	9.9	0
	May					
	June					
	July					
	August					
	September					
	October					
	November					
	December					
Annual		18	100.0%	8.4	35.2	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.3.1 - SUBSTATION ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



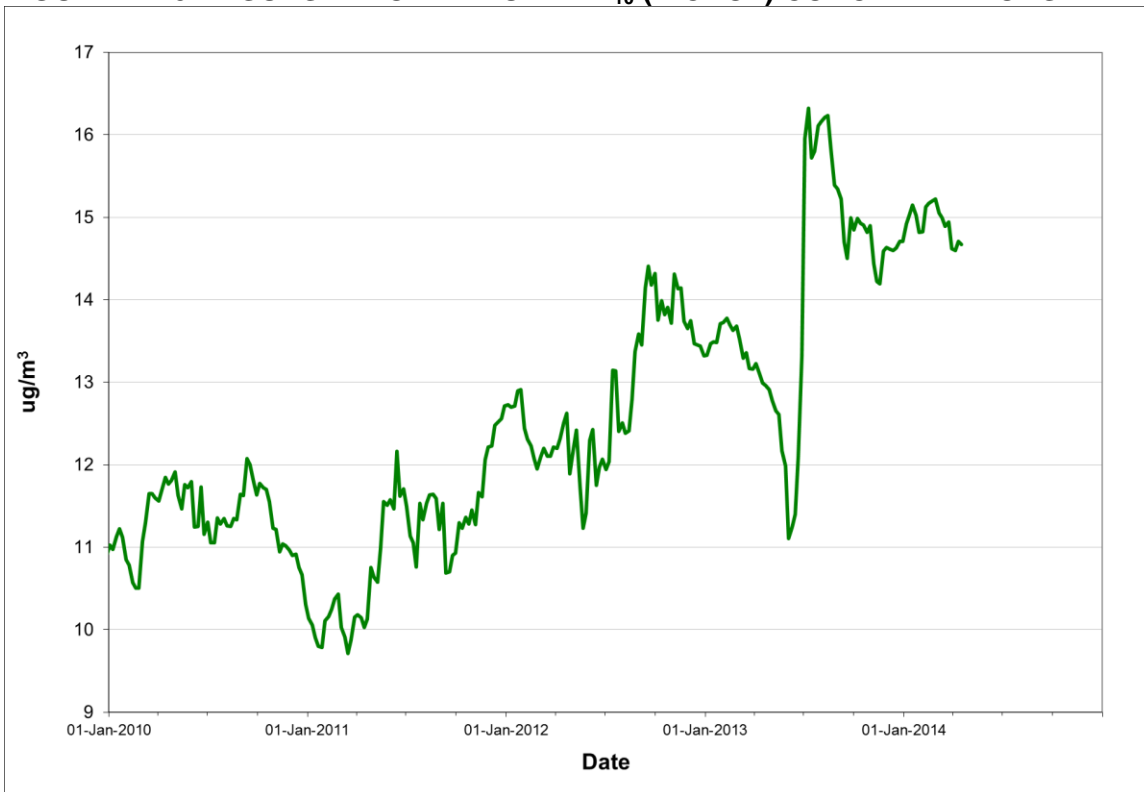
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.4.3.2 - SUBSTATION PM<sub>10</sub> (DICHOT) SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>50 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	5.5	8.9	0
	February	5	100.0%	3.3	4.2	0
	March	5	100.0%	11.0	24.0	0
	April	5	100.0%	10.4	16.7	0
	May	5	100.0%	8.3	11.1	0
	June	5	100.0%	39.6	85.9	2
	July	5	100.0%	53.0	153.6	1
	August	5	100.0%	11.1	15.5	0
	September	5	100.0%	11.1	32.2	0
	October	6	100.0%	7.7	12.6	0
	November	5	100.0%	10.9	35.0	0
	December	5	100.0%	4.0	6.2	0
Annual		60	98.4%	14.7	153.6	3
2014	January	3	60.0%	4.7	9.5	0
	February	5	100.0%	8.1	22.3	0
	March	5	100.0%	3.9	6.7	0
	April	3	100.0%	11.2	15.3	0
	May					
	June					
	July					
	August					
	September					
	October					
	November					
	December					
Annual		16	88.9%	6.7	22.3	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.3.2 - SUBSTATION ANNUAL PM<sub>10</sub> (DICHOT) CONCENTRATIONS**



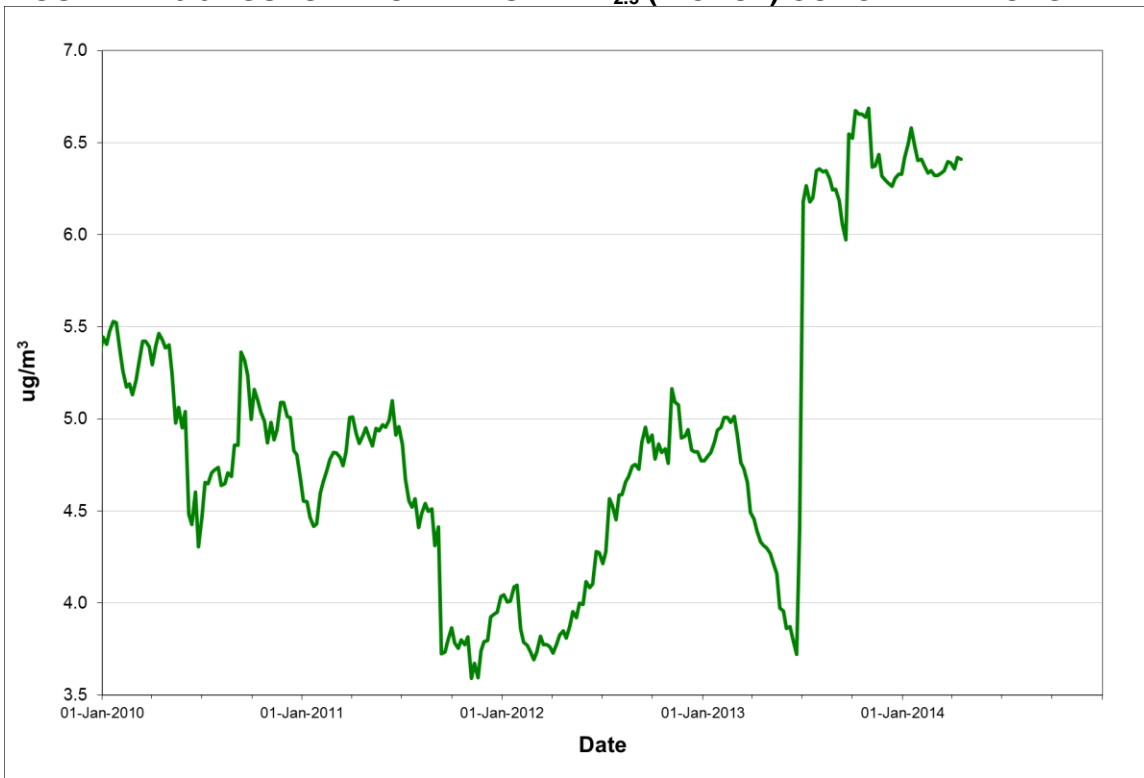
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.4.3.3 - SUBSTATION PM<sub>2.5</sub> (DICHOT) SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	4	80.0%	2.9	6.7	0
	February	5	100.0%	2.2	3.4	0
	March	5	100.0%	1.3	2.1	0
	April	5	100.0%	2.4	3.6	0
	May	5	100.0%	2.7	4.3	0
	June	5	100.0%	13.1	43.2	1
	July	5	100.0%	28.7	101.2	1
	August	5	100.0%	5.7	9.3	0
	September	5	100.0%	7.8	34.9	1
	October	6	100.0%	4.4	9.7	0
	November	5	100.0%	2.1	4.7	0
	December	5	100.0%	2.3	3.5	0
Annual		60	98.4%	6.3	101.2	3
2014	January	3	60.0%	3.2	6.7	0
	February	5	100.0%	1.3	2.1	0
	March	5	100.0%	2.1	3.7	0
	April	3	100.0%	2.1	4.5	0
	May					
	June					
	July					
	August					
	September					
	October					
	November					
	December					
Annual		16	88.9%	2.0	6.7	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.4.3.3 - SUBSTATION ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> (DICHOT) CONCENTRATIONS**



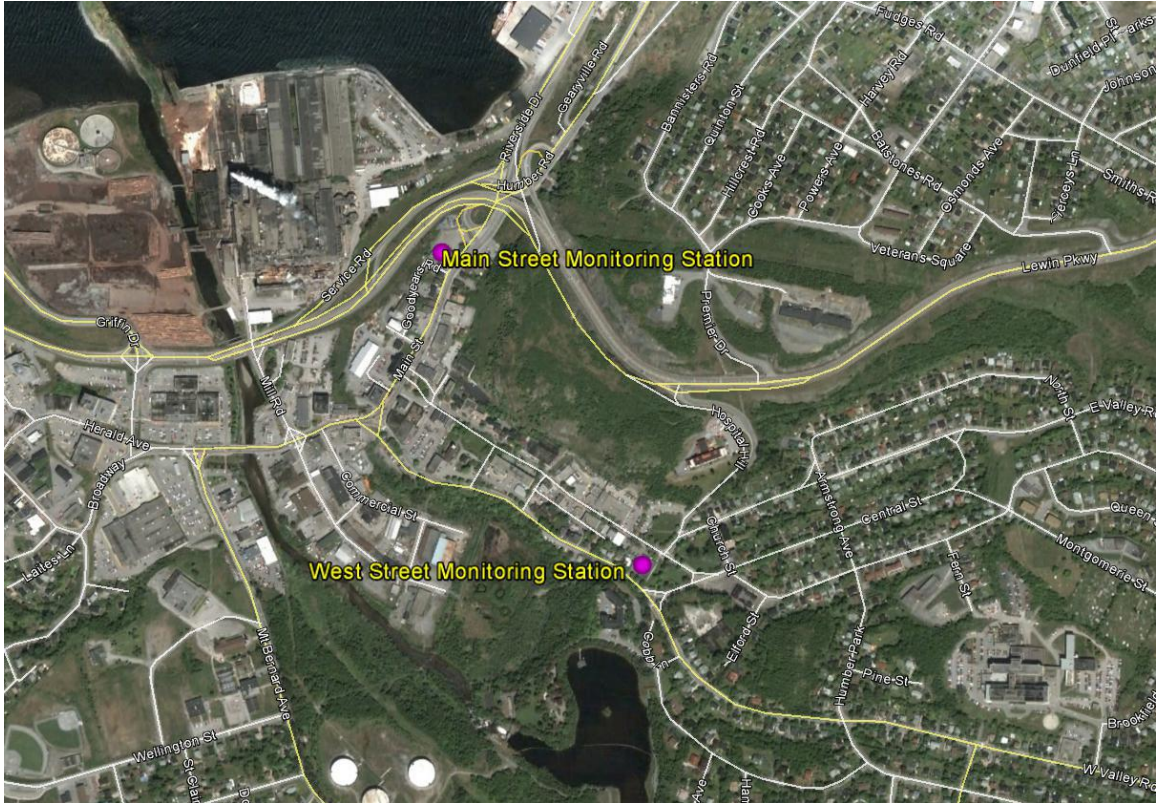
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations



## 4.5 Corner Brook Pulp and Paper

In 2014, Corner Brook Pulp and Paper (CBPP) operated monitoring stations at two locations in Corner Brook. These stations are installed to monitor the emissions from CBPP's paper mill operation and are located on Main Street and West Street. The locations of these monitoring stations are identified in Figure 4.5.1.

**FIGURE 4.5.1 - CBPP AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



### 4.5.1 Main Street

The Main Street monitoring station is located at Hotel Corner Brook. The station monitors ambient levels of SO<sub>2</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> on a continuous basis and TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle. For PM<sub>2.5</sub> and TPM, the 24-hour ambient air criteria were exceeded on nine and one occasion respectively in 2014; the SO<sub>2</sub> criteria were not exceeded during the year.

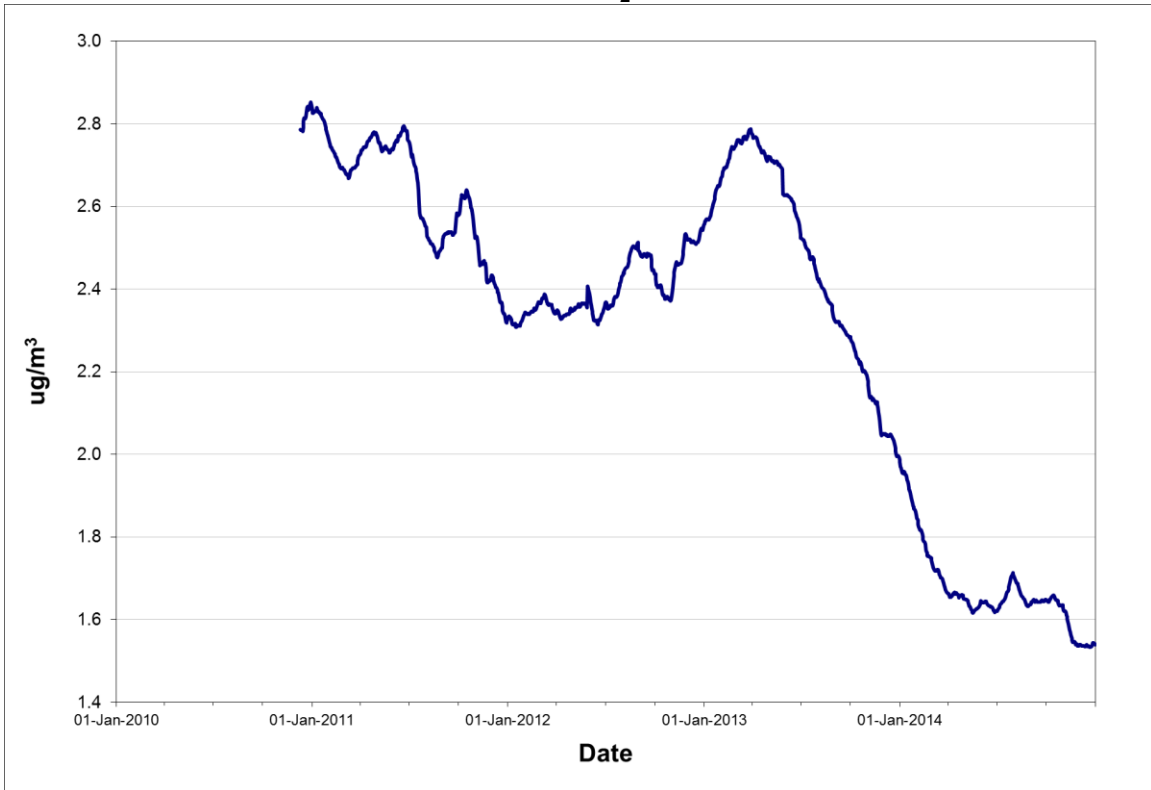
Tables 4.5.1.1 through 4.5.1.3 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Main Street Station, while Figures 4.5.1.1 through 4.5.1.3 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.5.1.1 - MAIN STREET SO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average	Maximum			Regulatory Exceedances		
					1-Hour	3-Hour	24-Hour	1-Hour (>900)	3-Hour (>600)	24-Hour (>300)
2013	January	694	93.3%	3.4	6.3	6.0	5.8	0	0	0
	February	670	99.7%	3.0	9.5	7.1	6.4	0	0	0
	March	742	99.7%	2.6	5.3	5.1	4.0	0	0	0
	April	703	97.6%	1.7	5.3	5.2	3.2	0	0	0
	May	740	99.5%	1.4	5.4	4.8	2.8	0	0	0
	June	717	99.6%	1.4	3.5	3.0	2.1	0	0	0
	July	735	98.8%	1.5	6.7	4.2	2.3	0	0	0
	August	744	100.0%	1.8	3.1	2.9	2.5	0	0	0
	September	720	100.0%	1.5	5.3	5.1	2.3	0	0	0
	October	741	99.6%	1.6	6.5	4.7	3.0	0	0	0
	November	712	98.9%	2.5	7.5	5.8	4.3	0	0	0
	December	736	98.9%	1.7	17.4	3.5	3.1	0	0	0
Annual		8654	98.8%	2.0	17.4	7.1	6.4	0	0	0
2014	January	736	98.9%	1.8	5.9	3.5	3.0	0	0	0
	February	663	98.7%	1.6	3.6	3.3	2.4	0	0	0
	March	736	98.9%	1.6	4.5	3.9	2.9	0	0	0
	April	720	100.0%	1.5	14.1	6.9	2.4	0	0	0
	May	741	99.6%	1.3	19.0	16.9	4.3	0	0	0
	June	709	98.5%	1.1	2.3	2.0	1.5	0	0	0
	July	710	95.4%	2.6	4.7	4.6	4.1	0	0	0
	August	742	99.7%	0.9	2.8	2.1	1.8	0	0	0
	September	720	100.0%	1.6	5.1	4.1	2.4	0	0	0
	October	736	98.9%	1.4	12.7	4.8	2.3	0	0	0
	November	719	99.9%	1.3	4.9	3.2	2.7	0	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	1.7	3.6	3.5	2.8	0	0	0
Annual		8676	99.0%	1.5	19.0	16.9	4.3	0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.5.1.1 - MAIN STREET ANNUAL SO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



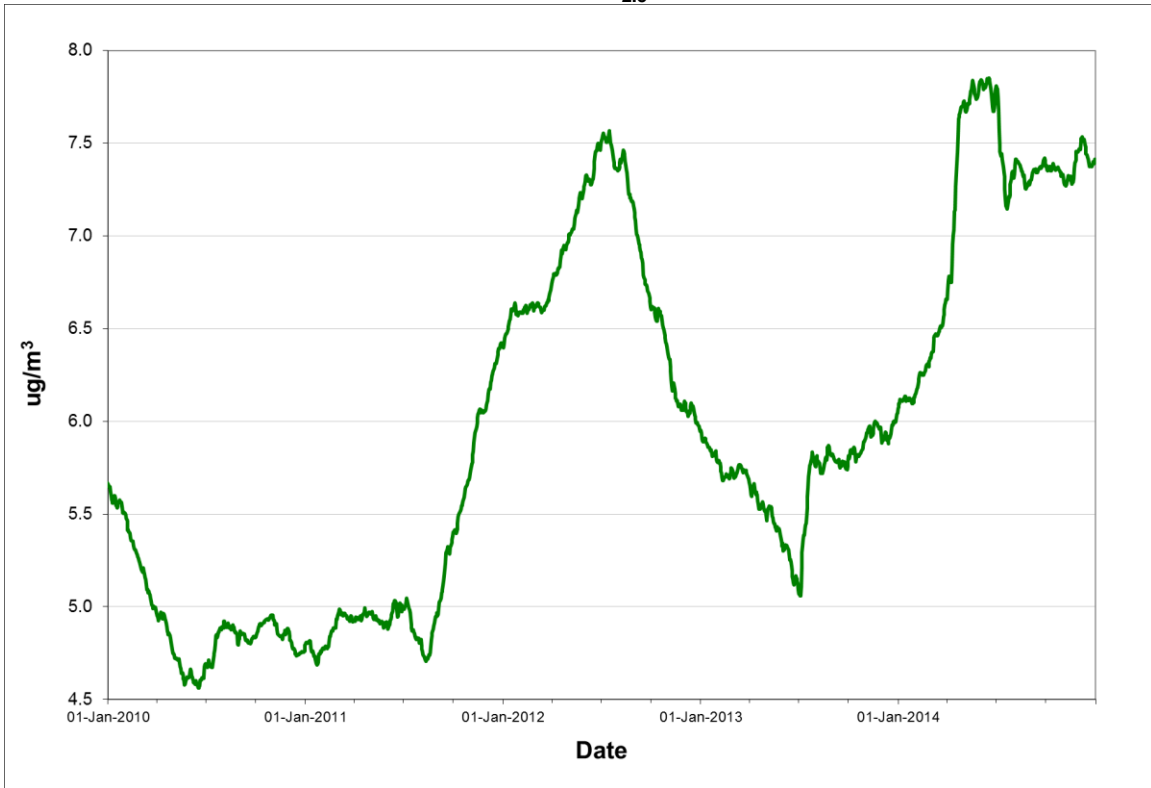
Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

**TABLE 4.5.1.2 - MAIN STREET PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	16	51.6%	3.8	13.3	0
	February	26	92.9%	4.7	11.0	0
	March	23	74.2%	4.1	10.8	0
	April	30	100.0%	5.4	14.5	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.6	12.8	0
	June	30	100.0%	6.5	18.3	0
	July	31	100.0%	13.3	41.7	3
	August	31	100.0%	6.9	21.5	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.0	11.6	0
	October	31	100.0%	5.6	14.2	0
	November	27	90.0%	4.6	11.8	0
	December	31	100.0%	6.3	14.5	0
Annual		337	92.3%	6.1	41.7	3
2014	January	31	100.0%	5.5	10.4	0
	February	23	82.1%	7.6	16.1	0
	March	18	58.1%	9.7	25.7	1
	April	21	70.0%	21.5	48.4	8
	May	31	100.0%	7.0	15.0	0
	June	30	100.0%	6.0	16.8	0
	July	29	93.5%	8.6	21.1	0
	August	31	100.0%	6.1	18.6	0
	September	30	100.0%	5.2	12.9	0
	October	31	100.0%	4.9	10.2	0
	November	30	100.0%	6.4	21.3	0
	December	31	100.0%	5.7	15.8	0
Annual		336	92.1%	7.4	48.4	9

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.5.1.2 - MAIN STREET ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



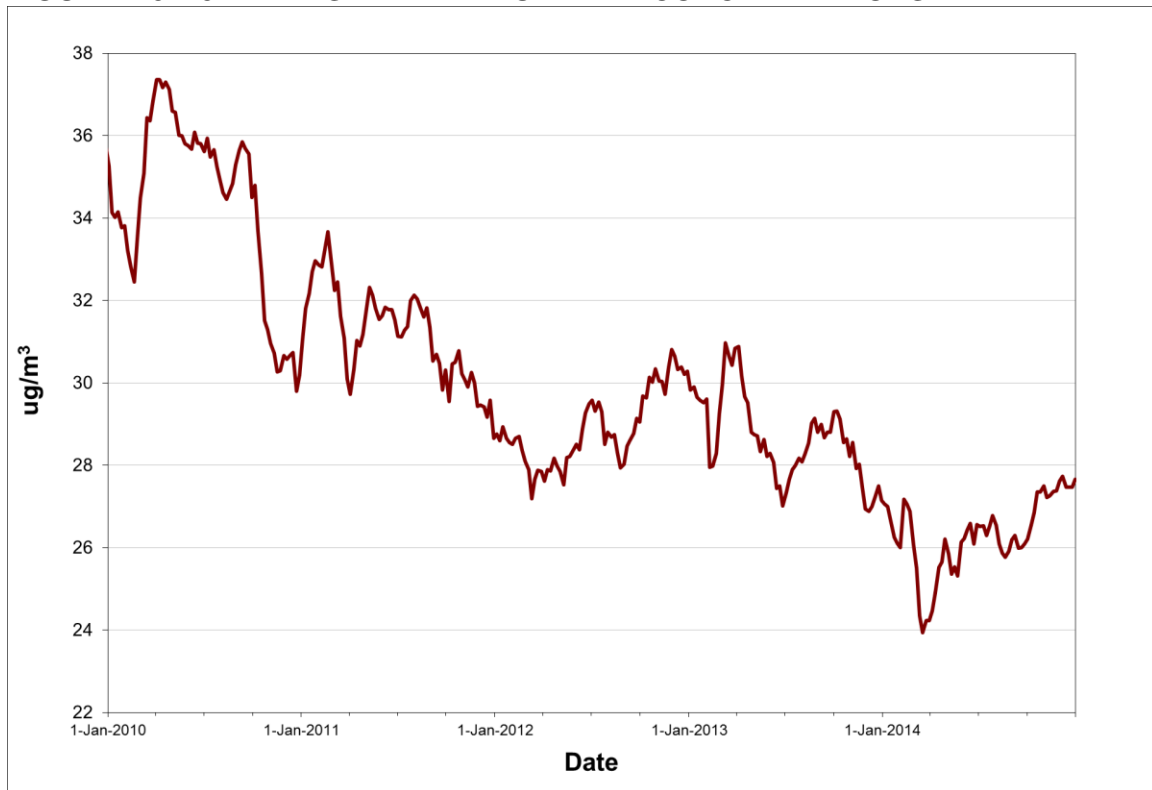
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.5.1.3 - MAIN STREET TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	5	100.0%	15.8	18.8	0
	February	5	100.0%	15.0	104.4	0
	March	3	60.0%	69.1	147.0	1
	April	5	100.0%	39.5	85.3	0
	May	5	100.0%	39.5	59.5	0
	June	5	100.0%	32.7	69.6	0
	July	5	100.0%	41.0	63.2	0
	August	5	100.0%	40.0	57.7	0
	September	2	40.0%	23.6	37.4	0
	October	6	100.0%	19.5	51.8	0
	November	5	100.0%	19.9	39.8	0
	December	3	60.0%	13.7	20.0	0
Annual		54	88.5%	27.1	147.0	1
2014	January	5	100.0%	10.4	15.1	0
	February	5	100.0%	14.7	19.7	0
	March	5	100.0%	20.7	47.4	0
	April	5	100.0%	94.8	147.9	1
	May	5	100.0%	38.3	97.7	0
	June	5	100.0%	39.3	56.5	0
	July	5	100.0%	45.0	54.3	0
	August	5	100.0%	27.6	45.9	0
	September	5	100.0%	27.1	38.7	0
	October	5	100.0%	37.5	66.7	0
	November	5	100.0%	19.9	49.4	0
	December	4	66.7%	15.7	23.5	0
Annual		59	96.7%	27.7	147.9	1

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.5.1.3 - MAIN STREET ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

#### **4.5.2 West Street**

The West Street monitoring station is located at the Western Star building. The station monitors ambient levels TPM on a 1 day in 6 day cycle. The ambient air criterion was exceeded on two occasions in 2014.

Tables 4.5.2.1 provides summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the West Street Station, while Figure 4.5.2.1 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend.

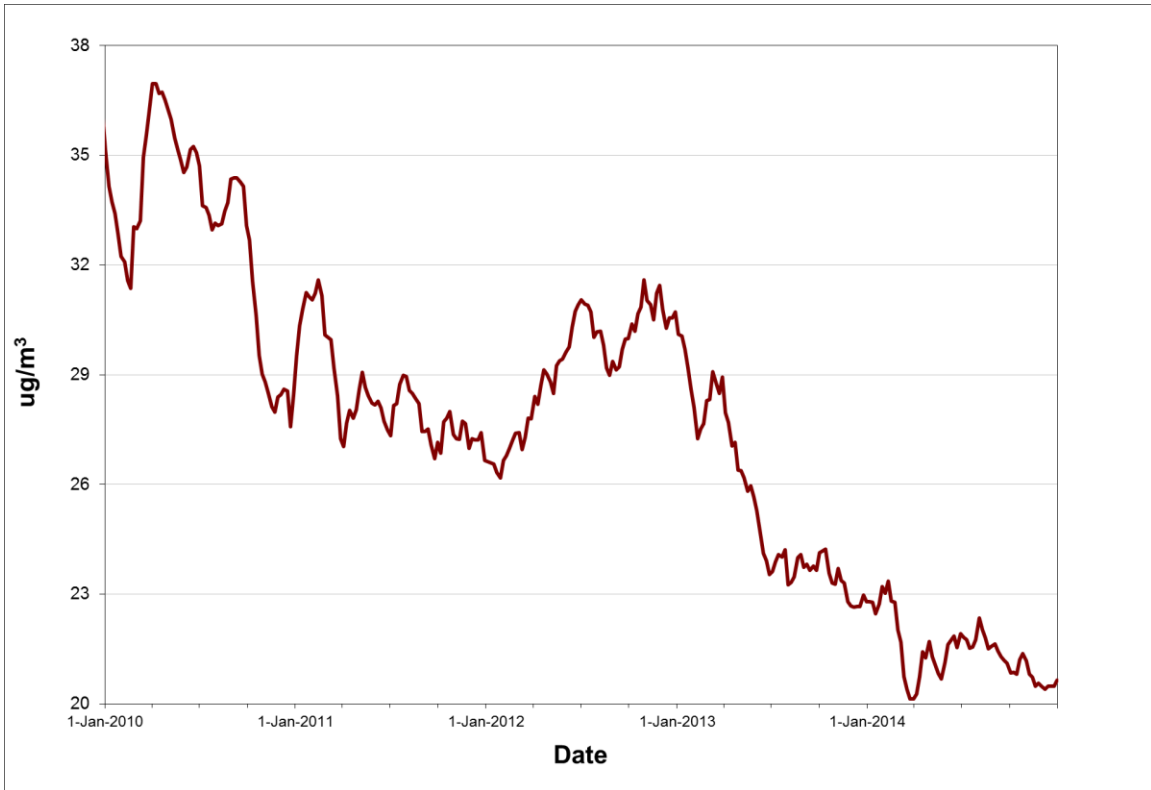
**TABLE 4.5.2.1 - WEST STREET TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	5	100.0%	6.4	12.5	0
	February	5	100.0%	17.8	89.1	0
	March	3	60.0%	47.2	135.6	1
	April	5	100.0%	43.7	140.6	1
	May	5	100.0%	37.3	81.6	0
	June	5	100.0%	21.6	42.7	0
	July	5	100.0%	31.5	47.1	0
	August	5	100.0%	21.9	46.5	0
	September	2	40.0%	23.8	31.8	0
	October	6	100.0%	22.1	62.9	0
	November	5	100.0%	20.9	29.5	0
	December	3	60.0%	13.0	16.3	0
Annual		54	88.5%	22.8	140.6	2
2014	January	5	100.0%	7.8	11.7	0
	February	5	100.0%	10.0	14.1	0
	March	4	80.0%	13.7	21.5	0
	April	5	100.0%	100.6	248.3	2
	May	3	60.0%	32.8	52.7	0
	June	5	100.0%	32.1	63.3	0
	July	5	100.0%	29.0	37.4	0
	August	5	100.0%	20.0	29.6	0
	September	4	80.0%	17.0	24.8	0
	October	5	100.0%	23.1	30.5	0
	November	5	100.0%	16.2	25.5	0
	December	4	66.7%	14.1	16.2	0
Annual		55	90.2%	20.6	248.3	2

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.5.2.1 - WEST STREET ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

#### 4.6 VALE Newfoundland and Labrador Limited - Voisey's Bay

In 2014, VALE Newfoundland and Labrador Limited (VALE) operated monitoring stations at three locations at its Voisey's Bay mine site. These stations are installed to monitor the emissions from VALE's mining operation and port activities and are located at the Accommodation unit, the Crusher and the concentrate storage facility near the Port. The locations of these monitoring stations are identified in Figure 4.6.1.

**FIGURE 4.6.1 - VALE / VOISEY'S BAY AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



#### **4.6.1 Accommodation Unit**

The Accommodation Unit station monitors the ambient levels of PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> on a continuous basis. For all pollutants, the ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Tables 4.6.1.1 through 4.6.1.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Accommodation Unit, while Figures 4.6.1.1 through 4.6.1.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend of each pollutant.

**TABLE 4.6.1.1 - ACCOMMODATION UNIT PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	24	77.4%	7.0	13.1	0
	February	22	78.6%	5.5	7.7	0
	March	31	100.0%	4.7	8.8	0
	April	29	96.7%	4.7	6.8	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.2	6.1	0
	June	30	100.0%	2.7	5.4	0
	July	31	100.0%	3.0	7.9	0
	August	23	74.2%	2.5	6.0	0
	September	30	100.0%	2.6	5.8	0
	October	27	87.1%	2.5	5.1	0
	November	30	100.0%	3.1	6.3	0
	December	29	93.5%	5.4	8.5	0
Annual		337	92.3%	3.9	13.1	0
2014	January	31	100.0%	4.9	15.1	0
	February	24	85.7%	3.1	5.1	0
	March	31	100.0%	2.7	6.3	0
	April	29	96.7%	2.3	4.3	0
	May	31	100.0%	0.8	3.2	0
	June	25	83.3%	0.8	4.3	0
	July	20	64.5%	1.5	8.1	0
	August	31	100.0%	1.9	5.9	0
	September	26	86.7%	0.8	3.0	0
	October	27	87.1%	3.0	5.0	0
	November	26	86.7%	3.2	5.2	0
	December	31	100.0%	5.3	7.8	0
Annual		332	91.0%	2.6	15.1	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.6.1.1 - ACCOMMODATION UNIT ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



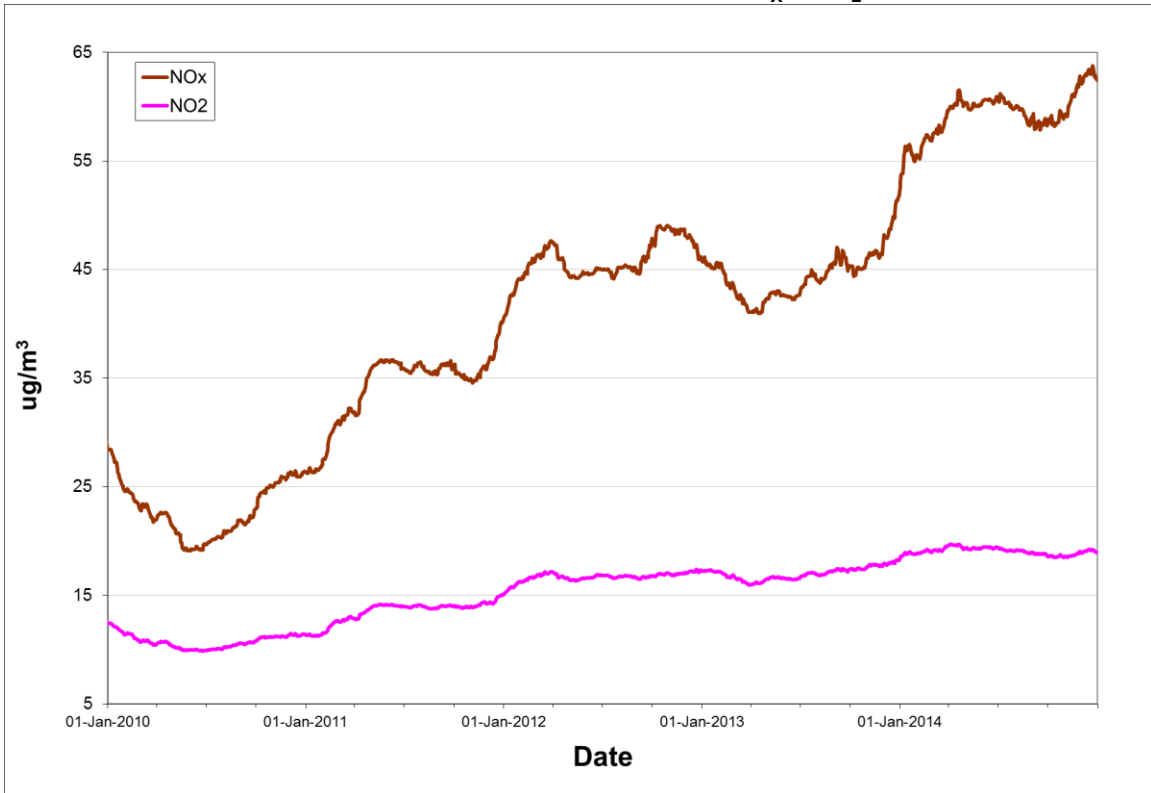
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.6.1.2 - ACCOMMODATION UNIT NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	713	95.8%	77.2	29.2	456.7	86.7	180.4	44.7	0	0
	February	448	66.7%	73.2	30.5	462.2	92.3	164.8	41.0	0	0
	March	708	95.2%	35.1	14.2	541.8	75.4	172.6	32.6	0	0
	April	673	93.5%	40.9	18.7	710.4	108.3	189.1	46.9	0	0
	May	710	95.4%	26.4	11.5	533.9	94.9	166.2	49.2	0	0
	June	690	95.8%	17.2	8.6	268.1	90.2	60.7	25.9	0	0
	July	711	95.6%	40.8	11.8	541.4	60.6	162.4	34.7	0	0
	August	720	96.8%	38.3	12.0	498.8	52.1	129.2	25.9	0	0
	September	693	96.3%	69.3	17.8	721.8	73.4	299.0	46.4	0	0
	October	718	96.5%	48.6	15.7	852.6	73.4	207.2	40.5	0	0
	November	707	98.2%	55.6	20.9	911.0	116.6	270.1	50.7	0	0
	December	727	97.7%	109.5	33.2	682.4	99.0	243.8	53.1	0	0
Annual		8218	93.8%	52.2	18.3	911.0	116.6	299.0	53.1	0	0
2014	January	720	96.8%	113.4	34.4	840.4	108.5	425.1	65.4	0	0
	February	666	99.1%	85.6	28.1	524.5	91.8	218.9	43.3	0	0
	March	744	100.0%	68.0	21.8	634.5	76.3	187.7	32.3	0	0
	April	714	99.2%	50.0	15.5	792.5	75.5	283.4	35.4	0	0
	May	726	97.6%	25.4	11.8	380.3	85.1	145.1	39.3	0	0
	June	685	95.1%	24.2	9.6	333.8	50.2	81.2	24.1	0	0
	July	718	96.5%	30.2	8.0	440.6	48.2	203.5	25.1	0	0
	August	741	99.6%	28.6	10.4	568.8	104.7	239.3	33.3	0	0
	September	697	96.8%	65.5	14.0	730.3	73.2	280.5	35.1	0	0
	October	712	95.7%	53.8	14.7	545.0	84.0	243.1	43.5	0	0
	November	694	96.4%	93.2	26.3	875.3	106.5	280.9	46.2	0	0
	December	744	100.0%	111.4	32.4	886.4	113.6	225.6	51.6	0	0
Annual		8561	97.7%	62.4	18.9	886.4	113.6	425.1	65.4	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.6.1.2 - ACCOMMODATION UNIT ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

## 4.6.2 Crusher Site

The Crusher Site station monitors the ambient levels of NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> on a continuous basis. The ambient air criteria were not exceeded on any occasion in 2014. Table 4.6.2.1 provides summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Crusher Site, while Figure 4.6.2.1 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend.

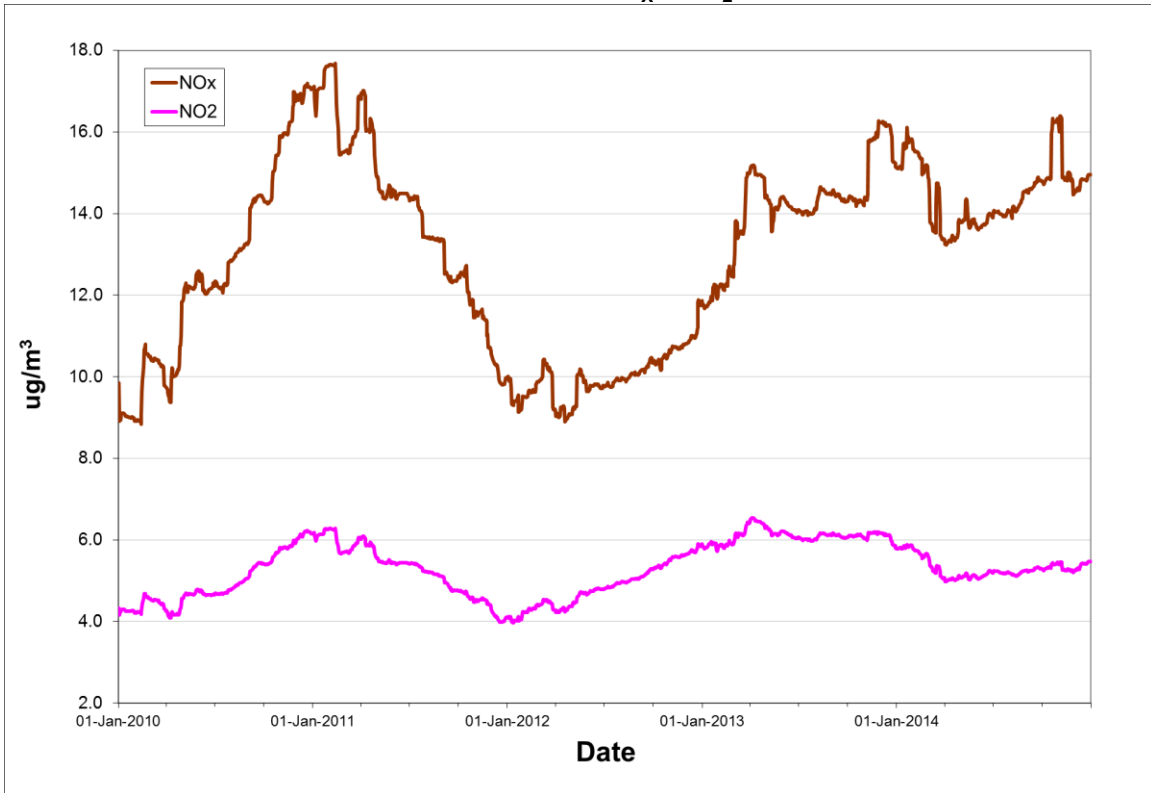
**TABLE 4.6.2.1 - CRUSHER SITE NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub>	1-Hour NO <sub>2</sub>	24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub>	24-Hour NO <sub>2</sub>	1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	681	91.5%	15.4	6.4	493.2	69.7	115.4	27.2	0	0
	February	644	95.8%	11.9	5.3	488.5	66.3	139.2	28.2	0	0
	March	708	95.2%	39.1	11.0	595.7	89.5	274.0	45.9	0	0
	April	686	95.3%	9.2	5.8	139.8	74.1	44.7	31.1	0	0
	May	709	95.3%	17.6	6.6	443.9	78.3	81.7	17.3	0	0
	June	678	94.2%	7.5	4.4	94.3	46.4	21.1	10.1	0	0
	July	712	95.7%	9.7	4.8	122.4	31.1	23.5	10.8	0	0
	August	709	95.3%	13.3	5.9	228.8	36.1	67.8	16.8	0	0
	September	690	95.8%	8.0	4.3	219.5	48.8	26.5	14.5	0	0
	October	713	95.8%	12.1	5.9	159.0	42.8	39.7	13.2	0	0
	November	614	85.3%	35.6	6.9	963.7	391.0	478.5	49.2	0	0
	December	688	92.5%	3.6	2.0	169.3	61.3	29.1	15.8	0	0
Annual		8232	94.0%	15.1	5.8	963.7	391.0	478.5	49.2	0	0
2014	January	714	96.0%	20.6	6.2	512.9	74.2	187.0	33.4	0	0
	February	640	95.2%	6.5	3.6	183.6	54.0	41.0	20.5	0	0
	March	713	95.8%	18.1	4.3	700.6	69.0	248.0	37.9	0	0
	April	691	96.0%	14.4	6.1	284.2	72.3	90.8	22.3	0	0
	May	716	96.2%	15.9	6.5	456.5	49.9	169.5	21.5	0	0
	June	668	92.8%	10.4	5.9	249.0	43.4	39.3	12.3	0	0
	July	710	95.4%	11.2	4.7	297.5	38.4	64.0	15.0	0	0
	August	713	95.8%	19.3	6.5	590.7	37.6	104.6	13.8	0	0
	September	675	93.8%	11.0	4.8	391.7	55.6	52.1	13.4	0	0
	October	706	94.9%	29.4	7.5	677.2	73.1	421.9	46.2	0	0
	November	687	95.4%	12.1	4.4	789.0	72.6	153.1	25.4	0	0
	December	686	92.2%	8.8	4.8	363.1	75.1	57.7	19.9	0	0
Annual		8319	95.0%	14.9	5.5	789.0	75.1	421.9	46.2	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>



**FIGURE 4.6.2.1 - CRUSHER SITE ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

### 4.6.3 Port Site

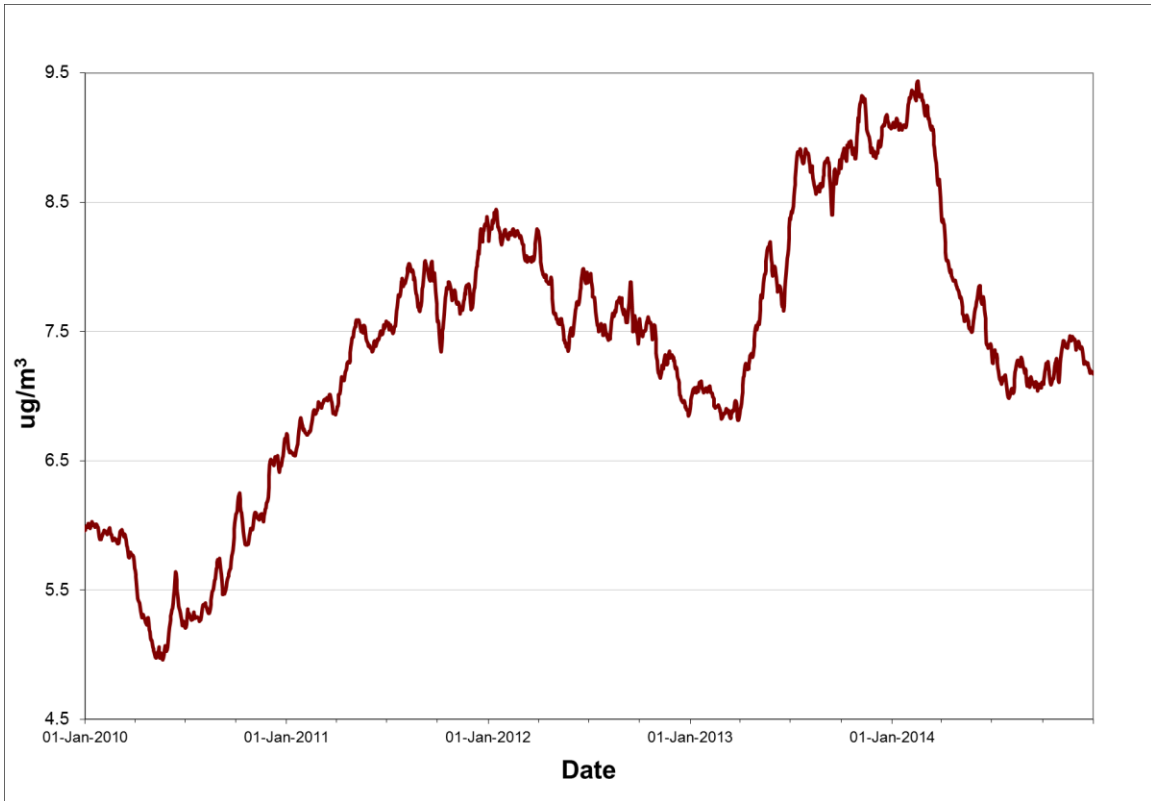
The Port Site station monitors the ambient levels of TPM on a continuous basis. The 24-hour ambient air criterion was exceeded on five occasions in 2014 owing to ship loading operations. Table 4.6.3.1 provides summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Port Site, while Figure 4.6.3.1 provides a graphical representation of the annual trend.

**TABLE 4.6.3.1 - PORT SITE TPM SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>120ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	17	54.8%	4.8	8.3	0
	February	22	78.6%	3.3	7.3	0
	March	18	58.1%	10.5	32.7	0
	April	30	100.0%	11.3	57.4	0
	May	31	100.0%	7.4	35.5	0
	June	30	100.0%	17.1	713.5	2
	July	31	100.0%	11.8	50.0	0
	August	31	100.0%	10.2	102.3	0
	September	30	100.0%	13.0	218.0	1
	October	31	100.0%	7.7	174.5	2
	November	19	63.3%	7.9	50.5	0
	December	30	96.8%	8.0	42.1	0
Annual		320	87.7%	9.1	713.5	5
2014	January	31	100.0%	8.0	42.5	0
	February	26	92.9%	3.7	281.0	1
	March	29	93.5%	3.4	49.2	0
	April	24	80.0%	4.2	38.0	0
	May	31	100.0%	5.8	53.9	0
	June	30	100.0%	10.4	104.6	0
	July	31	100.0%	6.9	52.6	0
	August	31	100.0%	14.2	61.0	0
	September	30	100.0%	11.1	206.4	2
	October	26	83.9%	8.9	132.0	1
	November	30	100.0%	10.3	174.9	1
	December	31	100.0%	6.0	98.3	0
Annual		350	95.9%	7.2	281.0	5

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.6.3.1 - PORT SITE ANNUAL TPM CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

## 4.7 VALE Newfoundland and Labrador - Long Harbour

VALE operates a monitoring network in the Long Harbour / Mt. Arlington Heights area to monitor the background concentrations and the eventual emissions from the Hydromet Nickel Processing facility currently being constructed by VALE. The network monitors levels of  $\text{NO}_x$  /  $\text{NO}_2$  as well as  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ . In 2014, VALE operated three stations; near the Community Centre in Long Harbour, along the Main Road in Long harbour, and near the Access Road to the Hydromet facility. The location of the stations is shown in Figure 4.7.1.

**FIGURE 4.7.1 - VALE / LONG HARBOUR AMBIENT MONITORING STATIONS**



### 4.7.1 Community Centre (AM1)

The Community Centre (AM1) station was the first station installed in the area by VALE and monitors the ambient levels of  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  and  $\text{NO}_x$  /  $\text{NO}_2$  on a continuous basis. Neither the 24-hour ambient air criterion for  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  nor the ambient air criteria for  $\text{NO}_x$  /  $\text{NO}_2$  was exceeded in 2014. Tables 4.7.1.1 and 4.7.1.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Community Centre (AM1) site, while Figures 4.7.1.1 and 4.7.1.2 provide a graphical representation on the annual trend in  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ .

Owing to prolonged maintenance related issues, significant volumes of both PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> data collected at the station was invalidated. In late December, the maintenance issues were resolved and valid data was again being recorded.

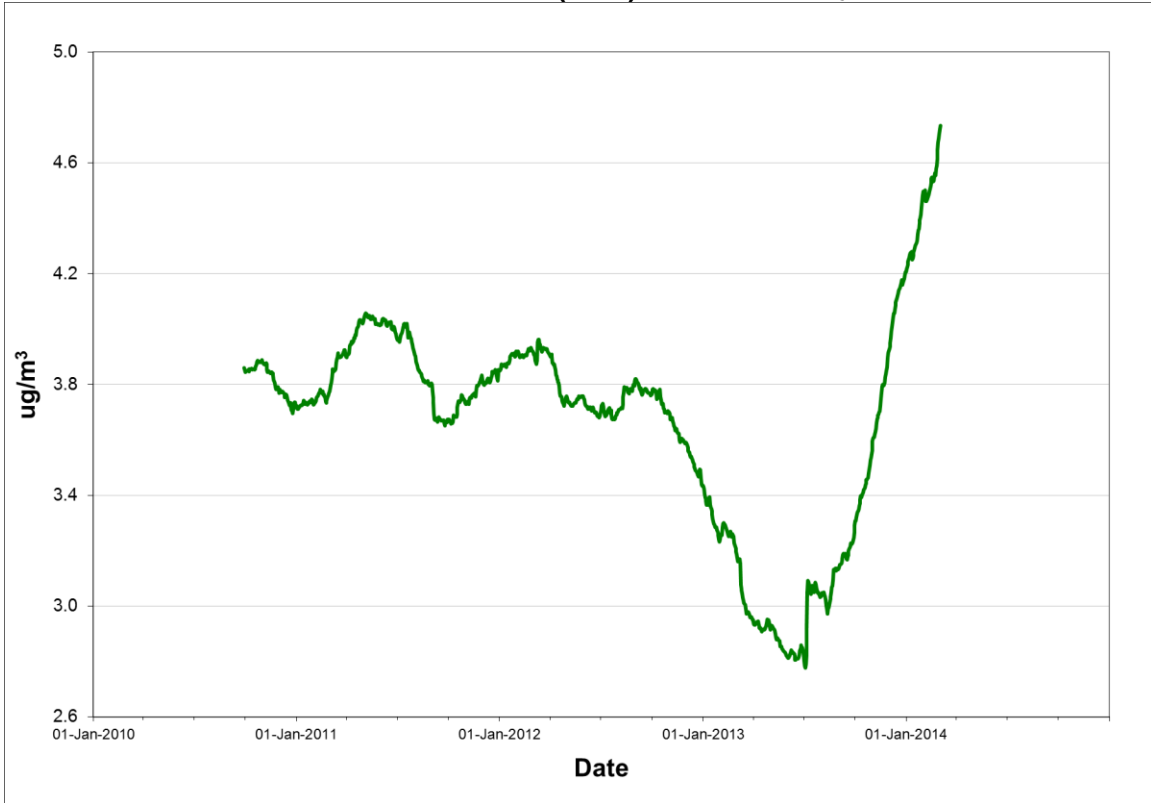
Though presented for illustrative purposes, the averaging contained within Tables 4.7.1.1 and 4.7.1.2 for 2014 does not meet established criteria.

**TABLE 4.7.1.1 - COMMUNITY CENTRE (AM1) PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	2.5	13.0	0
	February	28	100.0%	3.5	12.5	0
	March	31	100.0%	2.1	7.0	0
	April	30	100.0%	3.3	6.8	0
	May	28	90.3%	2.0	5.2	0
	June	29	96.7%	2.3	8.9	0
	July	24	77.4%	7.8	48.2	2
	August	25	80.6%	5.8	17.0	0
	September	27	90.0%	4.8	9.8	0
	October	31	100.0%	5.4	8.0	0
	November	27	90.0%	7.2	16.1	0
	December	10	32.3%	6.4	8.5	0
Annual		321	87.9%	4.2	48.2	2
2014	January	9	29.0%	8.1	11.7	0
	February	6	21.4%	8.6	9.6	0
	March	7	22.6%	8.1	10.1	0
	April	6	20.0%	10.1	15.1	0
	May	4	12.9%	4.9	7.5	0
	June	0	0.0%			
	July	0	0.0%			
	August	0	0.0%			
	September	0	0.0%			
	October	0	0.0%			
	November	3	10.0%	6.0	7.2	0
	December	17	54.8%	6.1	10.9	0
Annual		52	14.2%	7.4	15.1	0

Observations in µg/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.1.1 - COMMUNITY CENTRE (AM1) ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



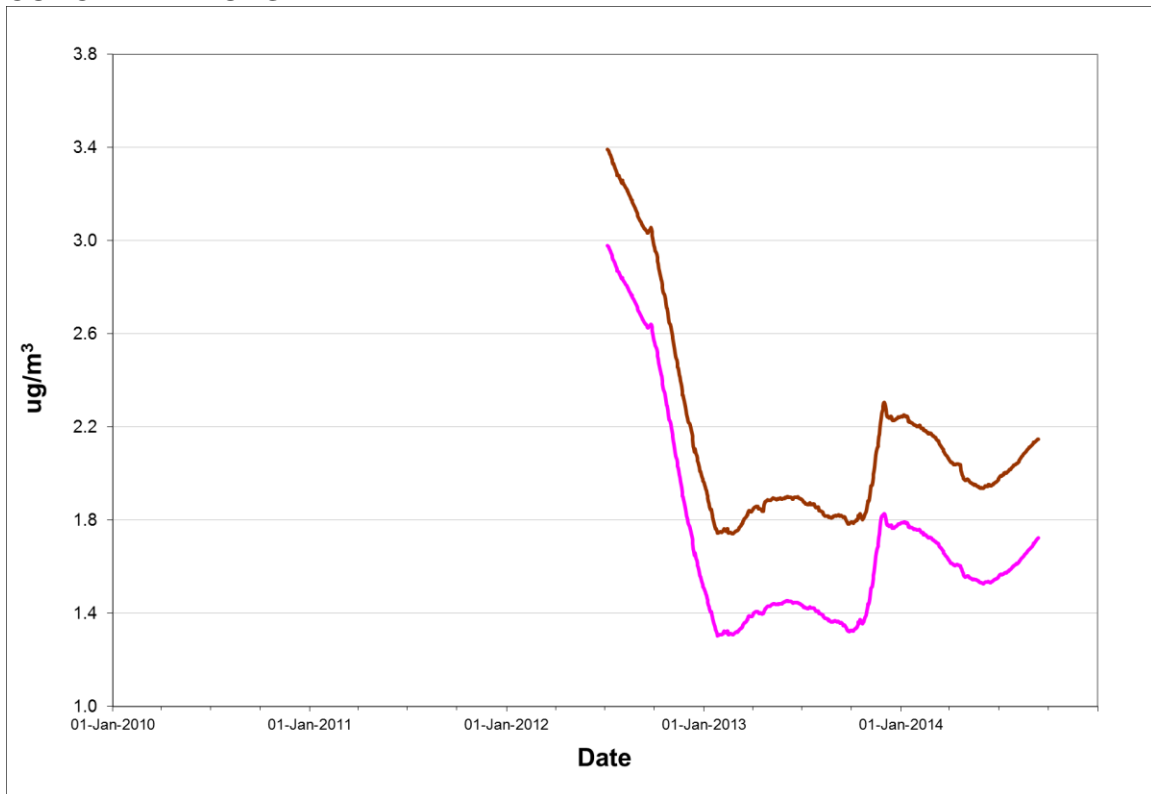
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.7.1.2 - COMMUNITY CENTRE (AM1) NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	714	96.0%	1.7	1.3	29.1	20.2	7.0	5.4	0	0
	February	643	95.7%	1.6	1.4	23.7	21.5	3.7	3.3	0	0
	March	740	99.5%	2.5	1.9	47.2	23.3	3.7	3.2	0	0
	April	553	76.8%	2.3	1.8	96.7	28.7	10.7	4.7	0	0
	May	723	97.2%	1.5	1.1	12.9	12.2	2.3	2.1	0	0
	June	692	96.1%	1.3	1.0	30.9	10.9	3.2	1.9	0	0
	July	705	94.8%	1.3	1.0	10.6	7.8	2.5	2.2	0	0
	August	691	92.9%	1.2	0.8	10.1	7.0	2.0	1.7	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	1.8	1.1	10.3	7.0	3.8	2.8	0	0
	October	743	99.9%	3.4	2.9	14.6	12.7	7.9	7.2	0	0
	November	716	99.4%	6.6	5.8	21.0	19.1	13.0	12.8	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	1.5	1.1	24.8	15.3	3.6	2.5	0	0
Annual		8379	95.7%	2.2	1.8	96.7	28.7	13.0	12.8	0	0
2014	January	708	95.2%	1.3	1.0	11.8	10.4	2.8	2.3	0	0
	February	672	100.0%	1.2	0.9	22.9	9.6	2.6	1.6	0	0
	March	738	99.2%	1.3	0.9	8.0	7.1	2.3	1.8	0	0
	April	720	100.0%	1.2	0.9	5.6	4.1	2.2	1.7	0	0
	May	744	100.0%	1.1	0.8	14.0	6.4	2.0	1.4	0	0
	June	368	51.1%	1.5	1.0	24.9	13.8	3.7	2.2	0	0
	July	0	0.0%								
	August	0	0.0%								
	September	0	0.0%								
	October	0	0.0%								
	November	0	0.0%								
	December	340	45.7%	1.1	0.7	8.2	6.2	1.9	1.4	0	0
Annual		4290	49.0%	1.2	0.9	24.9	13.8	3.7	2.3	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.1.2 - COMMUNITY CENTRE (AM1) ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations



#### **4.7.2 Main Road (AM2)**

The Main Road (AM2) station was installed in 2010 and monitors the ambient levels of PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> on a continuous basis. The PM<sub>2.5</sub> ambient air criterion was exceeded on one occasion in 2014 while there were no exceedances of the NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> criteria. Tables 4.7.2.1 and 4.7.2.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Main Road (AM2) site, while Figures 4.7.2.1 and 4.7.2.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend for pollutants.

Owing to prolonged maintenance related issues, significant volumes of PM<sub>2.5</sub> data collected at the station was invalidated. In late December, the maintenance issues were resolved and valid data was again being recorded.

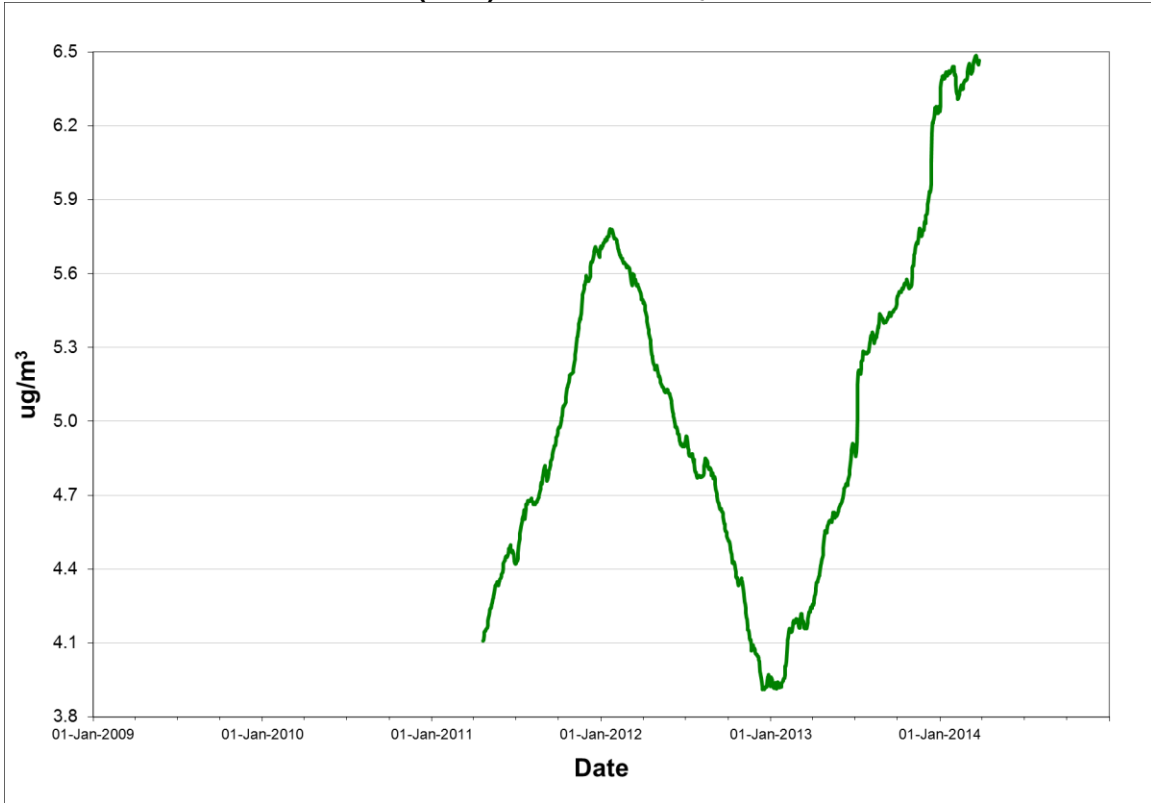
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**TABLE 4.7.2.1 - MAIN ROAD (AM2) PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	5.6	11.4	0
	February	28	100.0%	6.7	16.9	0
	March	31	100.0%	5.5	10.9	0
	April	30	100.0%	6.7	13.1	0
	May	31	100.0%	4.6	9.3	0
	June	30	100.0%	5.4	14.4	0
	July	27	87.1%	10.2	53.0	2
	August	31	100.0%	6.4	18.2	0
	September	30	100.0%	4.0	8.7	0
	October	31	100.0%	3.9	6.9	0
	November	25	83.3%	7.3	16.7	0
	December	31	100.0%	9.6	46.4	2
Annual		356	97.5%	6.3	53.0	4
2014	January	3	9.7%	18.1	30.5	1
	February	0	0.0%			
	March	0	0.0%			
	April	0	0.0%			
	May	0	0.0%			
	June	0	0.0%			
	July	12	38.7%	7.0	16.4	0
	August	31	100.0%	6.4	16.5	0
	September	18	60.0%	8.1	23.8	0
	October	0	0.0%			
	November	0	0.0%			
	December	15	48.4%	3.4	5.6	0
Annual		79	21.6%	6.7	30.5	1

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.2.1 - MAIN ROAD (AM2) ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



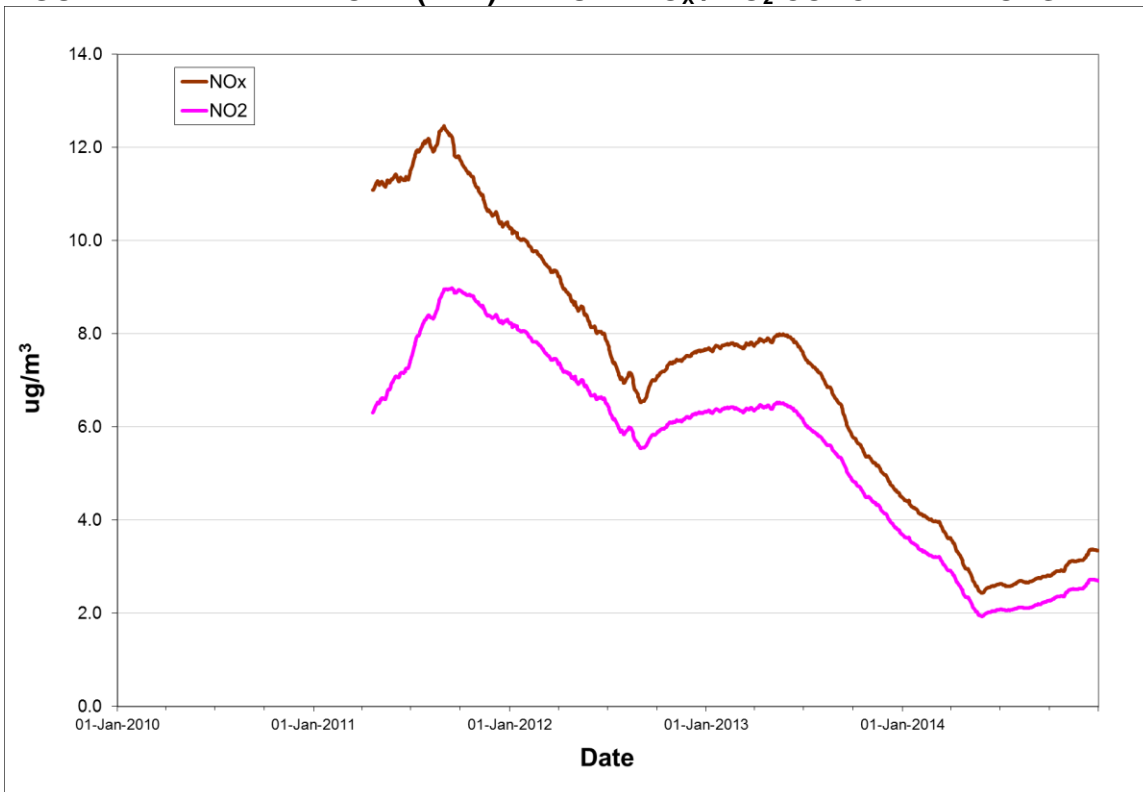
Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

**TABLE 4.7.2.2 - MAIN ROAD (AM2) NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour		24-Hour		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
				NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>	NO <sub>x</sub>	NO <sub>2</sub>		
2013	January	714	96.0%	7.9	6.9	47.8	38.1	24.7	18.4	0	0
	February	644	95.8%	5.4	4.8	27.7	24.6	14.3	12.9	0	0
	March	710	95.4%	6.0	5.2	23.9	19.6	16.2	13.3	0	0
	April	712	98.9%	9.1	8.0	47.2	32.1	17.7	14.7	0	0
	May	728	97.8%	7.8	6.4	88.0	26.3	17.0	12.4	0	0
	June	692	96.1%	2.0	1.6	12.5	9.3	4.0	3.2	0	0
	July	639	85.9%	3.5	2.4	39.0	23.2	15.0	9.3	0	0
	August	735	98.8%	2.3	1.6	11.8	6.9	4.4	2.8	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	2.8	1.9	11.4	7.2	4.9	3.0	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	2.8	2.2	14.5	6.7	4.4	3.6	0	0
	November	711	98.8%	2.4	1.9	9.3	8.0	4.3	3.7	0	0
	December	742	99.7%	2.1	1.6	17.3	12.7	5.0	4.1	0	0
Annual		8488	96.9%	4.5	3.7	88.0	38.1	24.7	18.4	0	0
2014	January	90	12.1%	2.1	1.7	11.7	7.7	2.5	2.0	0	0
	February	253	37.6%	2.0	1.5	8.0	7.4	3.1	2.6	0	0
	March	603	81.0%	2.0	2.0	12.7	10.2	3.9	3.6	0	0
	April	565	78.5%	2.2	2.0	9.6	8.0	3.8	3.3	0	0
	May	743	99.9%	2.7	2.4	16.7	10.2	4.9	4.0	0	0
	June	718	99.7%	3.8	3.0	58.3	22.0	10.8	7.0	0	0
	July	744	100.0%	3.6	2.6	13.5	8.1	6.3	3.9	0	0
	August	740	99.5%	2.8	2.0	11.4	6.9	5.7	4.3	0	0
	September	719	99.9%	3.8	3.3	18.8	9.9	7.1	5.5	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	4.6	3.6	35.8	21.6	19.5	12.3	0	0
	November	711	98.8%	4.0	3.1	30.9	19.3	13.3	8.4	0	0
	December	698	93.8%	4.1	3.3	27.9	23.3	17.1	14.4	0	0
Annual		7328	83.7%	3.3	2.7	58.3	23.3	19.5	14.4	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.2.2 - MAIN ROAD (AM2) ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations

### **4.7.3 Access Road (AM3)**

The Access Road (AM3) station was installed in June 2011 near the VALE Inco security gate and monitors the ambient levels of PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> on a continuous basis. The PM<sub>2.5</sub> ambient air standards were not exceeded in 2014 nor were the NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> standards. Tables 4.7.3.1 and 4.7.3.2 provide summary information on the level of air contaminants measured at the Access Road (AM3) site while Figures 4.7.3.1 and 4.7.3.2 provide a graphical representation of the annual trend in the data.

Owing to prolonged maintenance related issues, significant volumes of both PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> data collected at the station was invalidated. In late December, the maintenance issues were resolved and valid data was again being recorded. In the case of NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> the monitor was removed from service with its replacement not re-installed in 2014.

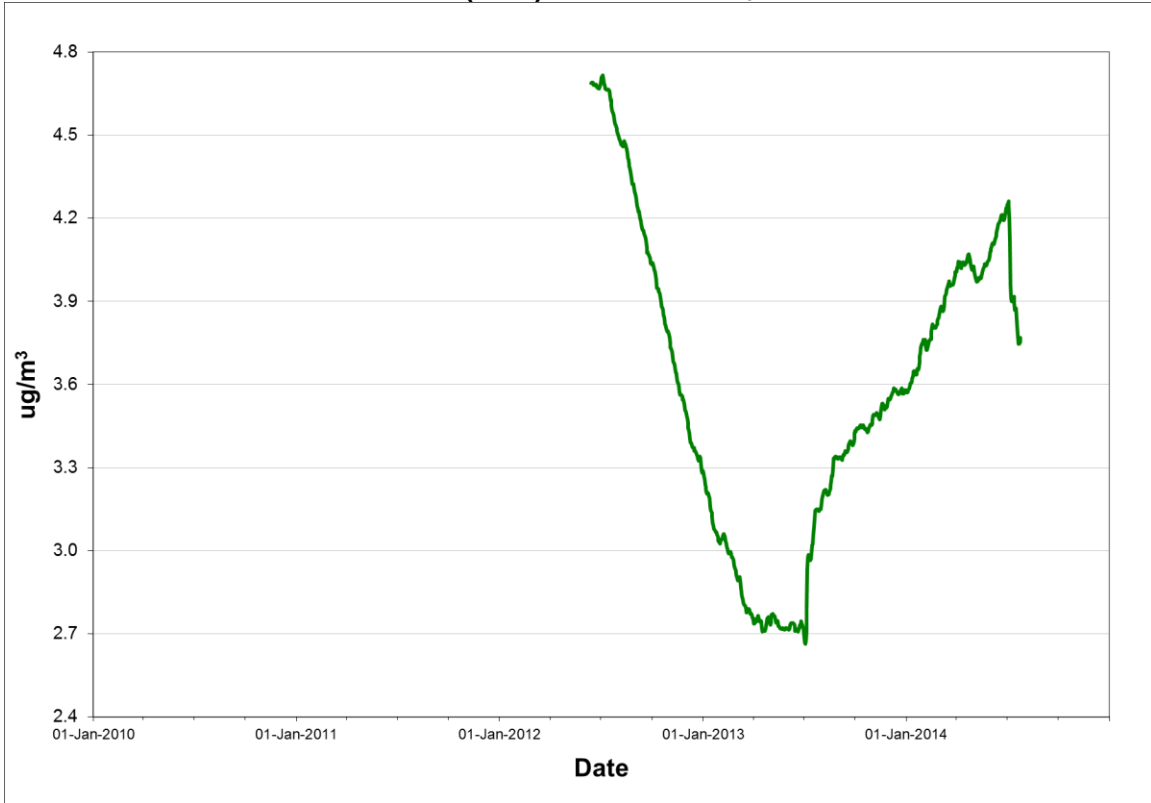
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**TABLE 4.7.3.1 - ACCESS ROAD (AM3) PM<sub>2.5</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Days	% Valid Days	Average	Maximum 24-Hour	Regulatory Exceedances (>25 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )
2013	January	31	100.0%	2.8	6.3	0
	February	27	96.4%	3.5	9.2	0
	March	31	100.0%	3.1	7.5	0
	April	30	100.0%	4.6	8.2	0
	May	31	100.0%	3.3	9.4	0
	June	29	96.7%	2.5	8.2	0
	July	31	100.0%	7.8	50.0	2
	August	23	74.2%	4.6	14.0	0
	September	29	96.7%	2.7	7.4	0
	October	31	100.0%	2.3	6.8	0
	November	30	100.0%	2.9	7.3	0
	December	31	100.0%	2.8	6.6	0
Annual		354	97.0%	3.6	50.0	2
2014	January	28	90.3%	5.1	10.0	0
	February	28	100.0%	4.5	10.7	0
	March	30	96.8%	5.1	14.9	0
	April	21	70.0%	5.1	12.4	0
	May	17	54.8%	3.8	6.8	0
	June	0	0.0%			
	July	1	3.2%	1.7	1.7	0
	August	9	29.0%	3.6	5.7	0
	September	17	56.7%	3.5	7.6	0
	October	13	41.9%	2.6	4.4	0
	November	24	80.0%	3.7	8.5	0
	December	22	71.0%	6.0	23.4	0
Annual		210	57.5%	4.5	23.4	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.2.1 - ACCESS ROAD (AM3) ANNUAL PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of daily concentrations

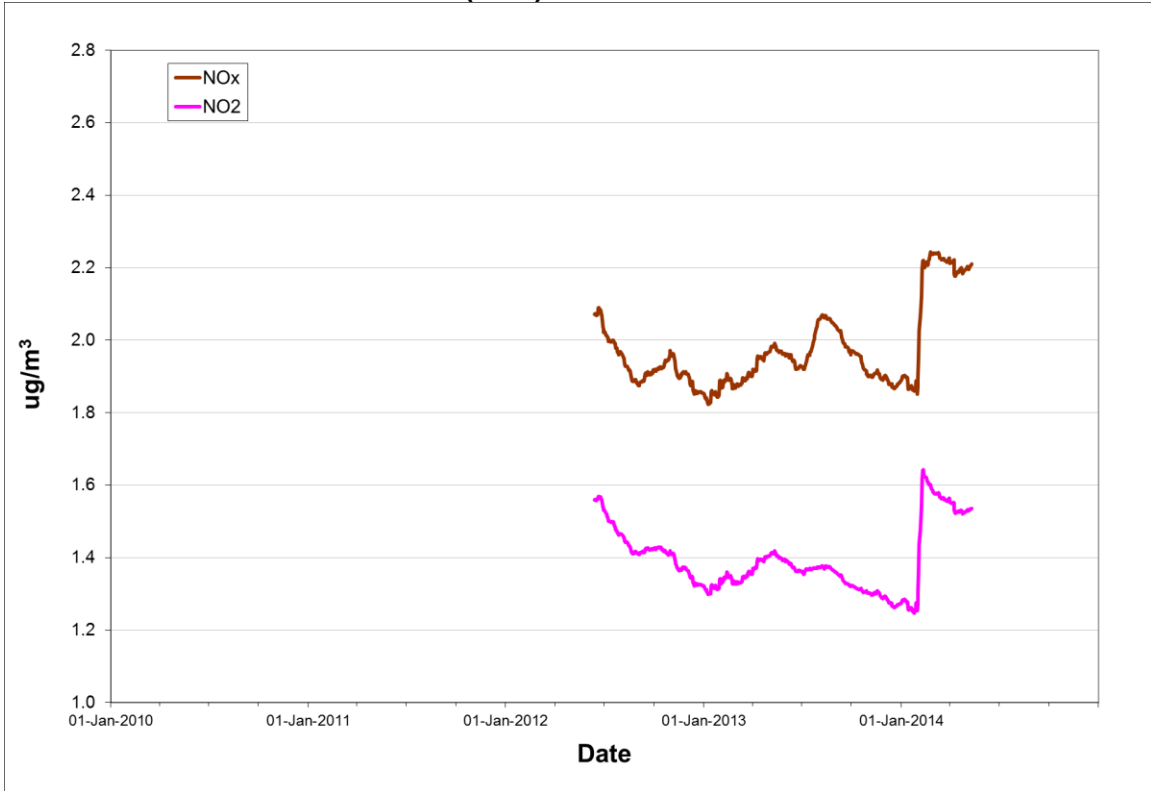


**TABLE 4.7.3.2 - ACCESS ROAD (AM3) NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> SUMMARY 2013 & 2014**

Year	Month	# Valid Hours	% Valid Hours	Average NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		Maximums				Exceedances	
						1-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		24-Hour NO <sub>x</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		1-Hour (>400)	24-Hour (>200)
2013	January	715	96.1%	2.5	1.8	69.8	35.7	15.5	10.2	0	0
	February	636	94.6%	2.3	1.8	54.9	33.8	8.8	7.2	0	0
	March	735	98.8%	2.4	1.7	22.6	17.1	6.3	4.9	0	0
	April	705	97.9%	2.5	1.9	180.7	61.1	14.6	7.6	0	0
	May	716	96.2%	1.5	1.1	42.0	13.7	3.7	2.3	0	0
	June	688	95.6%	1.6	1.2	39.1	8.5	4.0	2.4	0	0
	July	709	95.3%	3.0	1.1	28.9	9.2	6.2	2.6	0	0
	August	732	98.4%	1.3	1.0	19.7	9.5	2.3	2.0	0	0
	September	717	99.6%	1.3	0.9	20.0	9.2	4.0	1.8	0	0
	October	744	100.0%	1.6	1.0	19.2	9.3	3.4	2.1	0	0
	November	705	97.9%	1.6	1.1	18.0	10.5	2.8	1.9	0	0
	December	668	89.8%	1.2	0.8	15.2	11.7	3.0	2.3	0	0
Annual		8470	96.7%	1.9	1.3	180.7	61.1	15.5	10.2	0	0
2014	January	582	78.2%	2.4	1.9	24.0	22.5	9.6	8.9	0	0
	February	529	78.7%	8.0	6.7	42.7	41.8	34.6	34.0	0	0
	March	47	6.3%	2.5	0.3	4.3	0.5	1.6	0.2	0	0
	April	0	0.0%								
	May	0	0.0%								
	June	0	0.0%								
	July	0	0.0%								
	August	0	0.0%								
	September	0	0.0%								
	October	0	0.0%								
	November	0	0.0%								
	December	0	0.0%								
Annual		1158	13.2%	5.0	4.0	42.7	41.8	34.6	34.0	0	0

Observations in ug/m<sup>3</sup>

**FIGURE 4.7.3.2 - ACCESS ROAD (AM3) ANNUAL NO<sub>x</sub> / NO<sub>2</sub> CONCENTRATIONS**



Rolling annual average of hourly concentrations