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Dear Mr. Hlanyane

MAJUBA POWER STATION'S MONTHLY EMISSIONS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2021

This serves as the monthly report required in terms of Majuba Power Station's Atmospheric Emission License (MPS/0014/2019/F03) under section 7 routine reporting and record keeping. The emissions are for the month of May 2021. Verified emissions of particulates are included. SO₂ and NO_x (as NO₂) emissions are included for all units. Greenhouse gasses are excluded as per the agreement reached between Eskom and the Department of Environmental, Forestry and Fisheries in the first quarter of 2017/18 financial year's MINTEC and MINMEC management meeting.

Raw Materials and Products

Table 1. Quantity of Raw Materials and Products used/produced for the month of May 2021

Raw Materials and Products used	Raw Material Type	Unit	Maximum Permitted Consumption/ Rate (Quantity)	Consumption/ Rate in Month of May 2021
	Coal	Tons/month	1 800 000	1 039 266
	Fuel Oil	Tons/month	6 000	8 470
Production Rates	Product/ By-Product Name	Unit	Maximum Production Capacity Permitted (Quantity - MW)	Production Rate in Month of May 2021
	Energy	GWh	4 110	1 949
	Ash	Tons/month	Not stated in the license	283 720

Abatement Technology

Table 2. Abatement Equipment Control Technology for the month of May 2021

Associated Unit	Technology Type	Actual Utilisation (%) for the month of May 2021	*Minimum Control Efficiency (%)
Unit 1	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.99%
Unit 2	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.95%
Unit 3	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.92%
Unit 4	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.96%
Unit 5	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.90%
Unit 6	Fabric Filter Plant	100	99.99%

*Calculated from the assumption of 90% fly ash to 10% bottom ash and percentage ash as measured in coal. Unit 2 was returned to service on 30 May 2021 after being on outage. The unit did not achieve full load during this period.

Energy Source Characteristics

Table 3. Energy Source Material Characteristics for the month of May 2021

Characteristic	Stipulated Range (Unit)	Monthly Average Content
Sulphur Content	0.6 to >0.94%	0.9%
Ash Content	28 to >30%	27.3%

Emissions Reporting

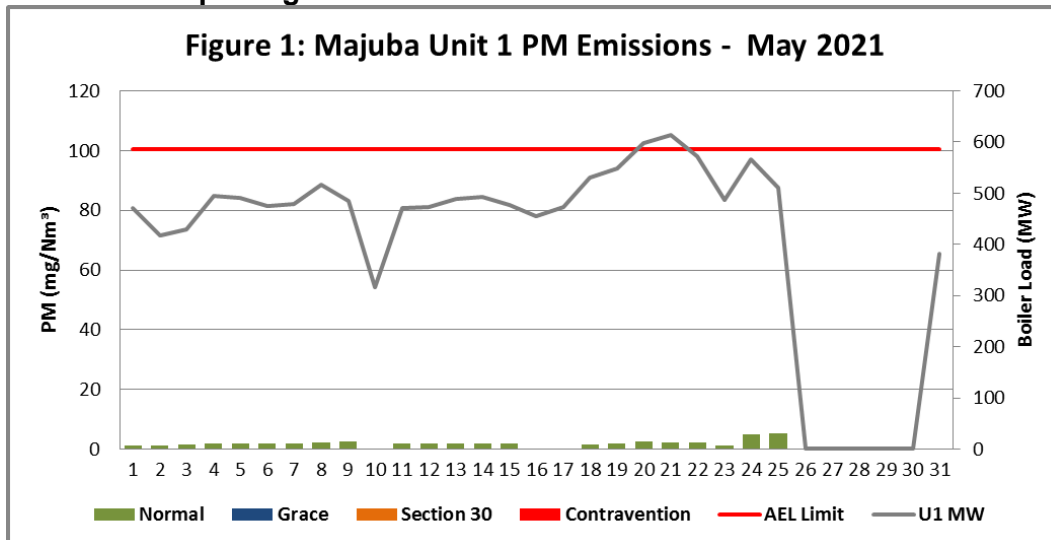


Figure 1. Particulate Matter emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 1.

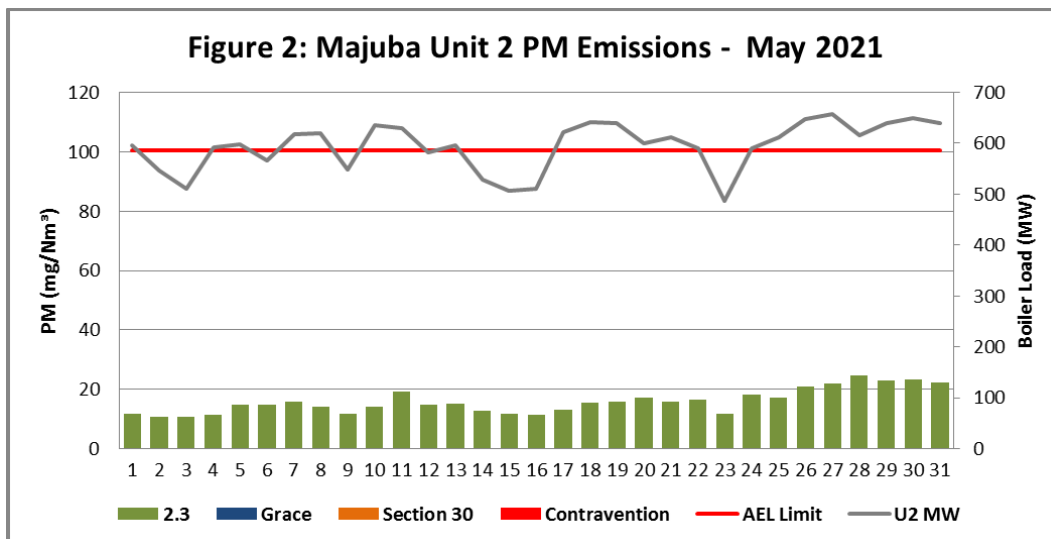


Figure 2. Particulate Matter emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 2.

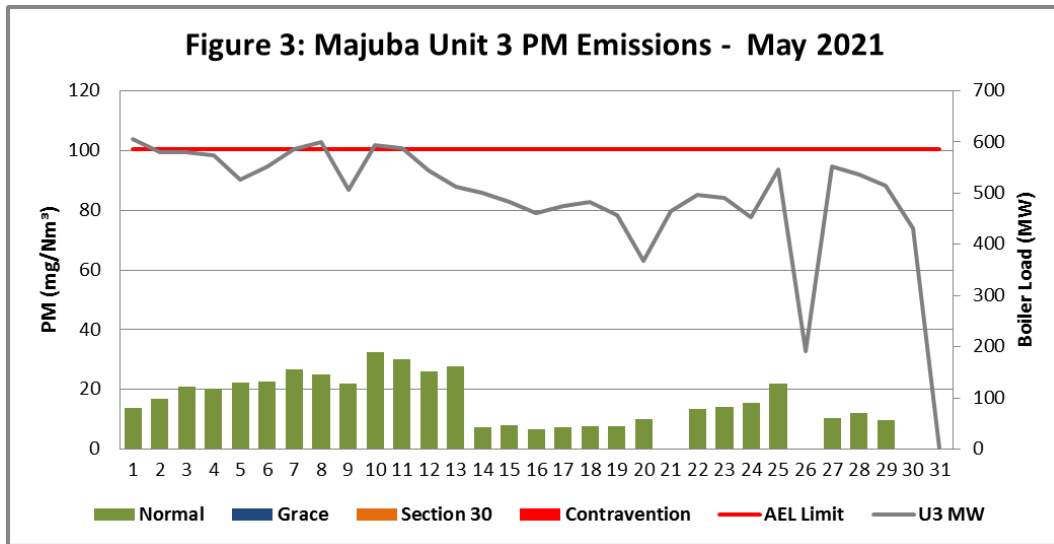


Figure 3. Particulate Matter emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 3.

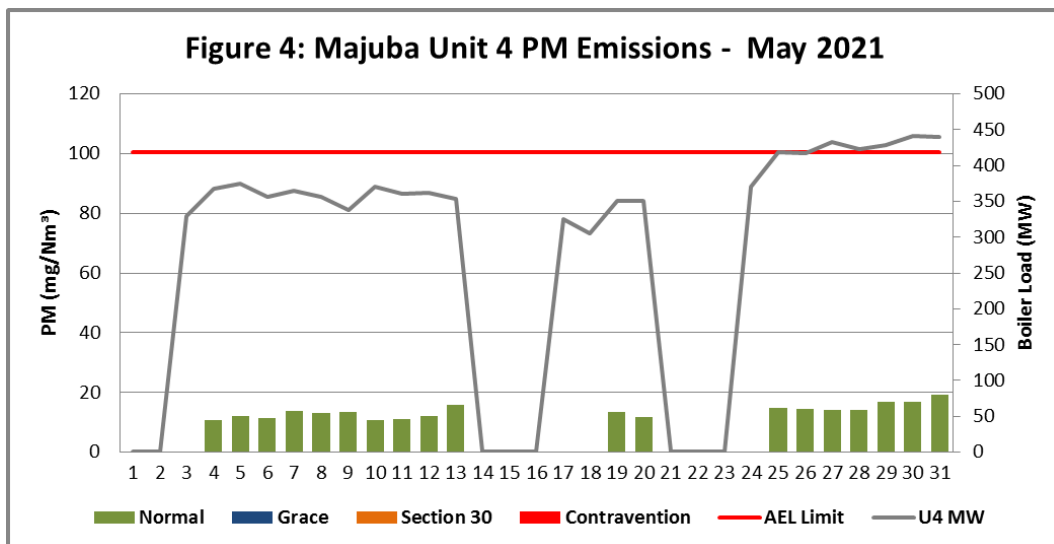


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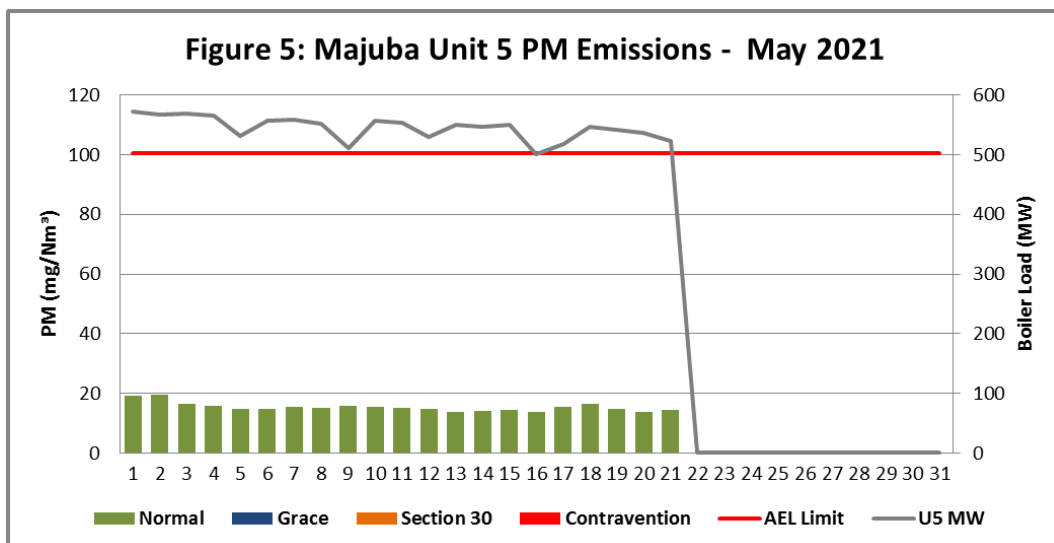


Figure 5. Particulate Matter emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 5.

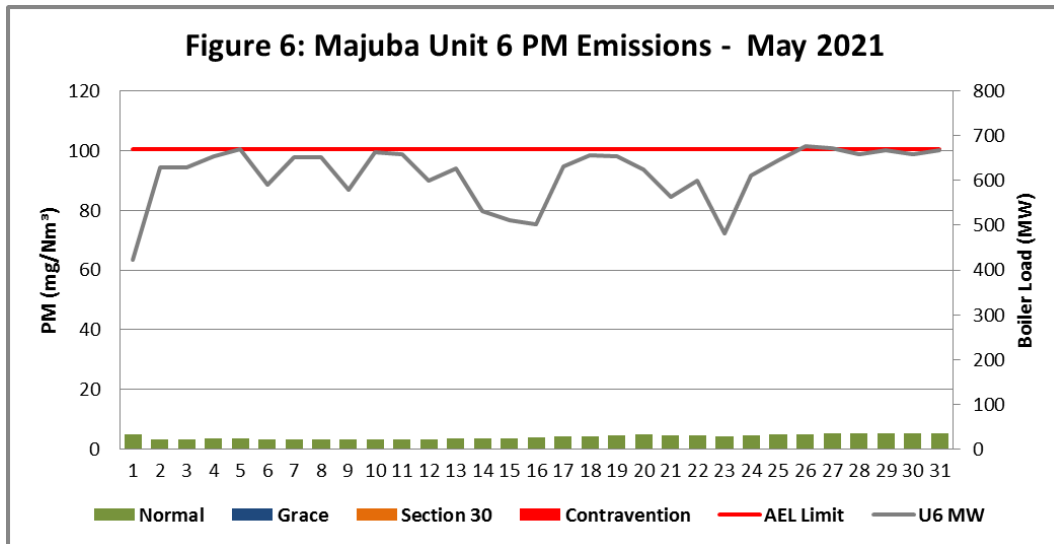


Figure 6. Particulate Matter emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 6.

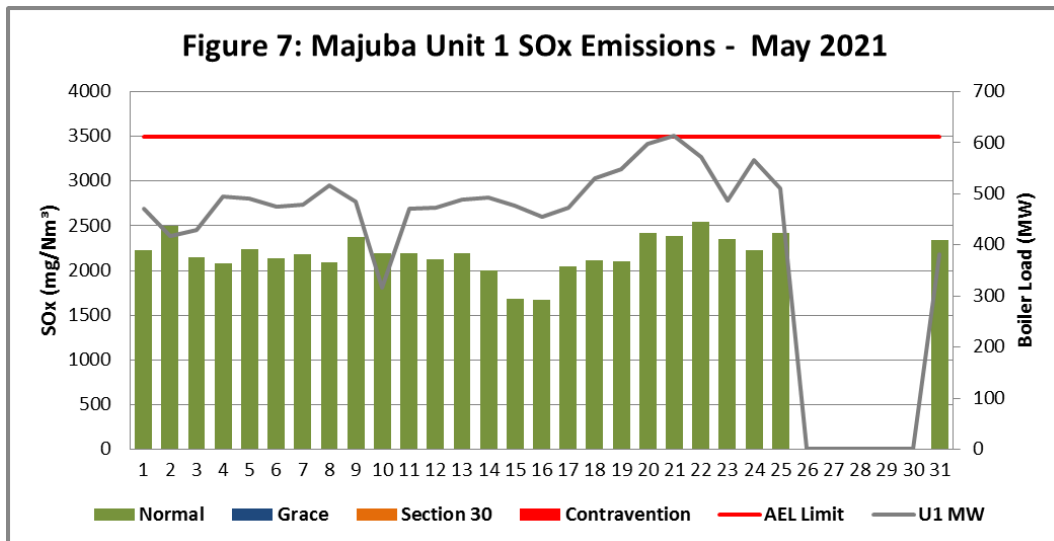


Figure 7. SOx emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 1.

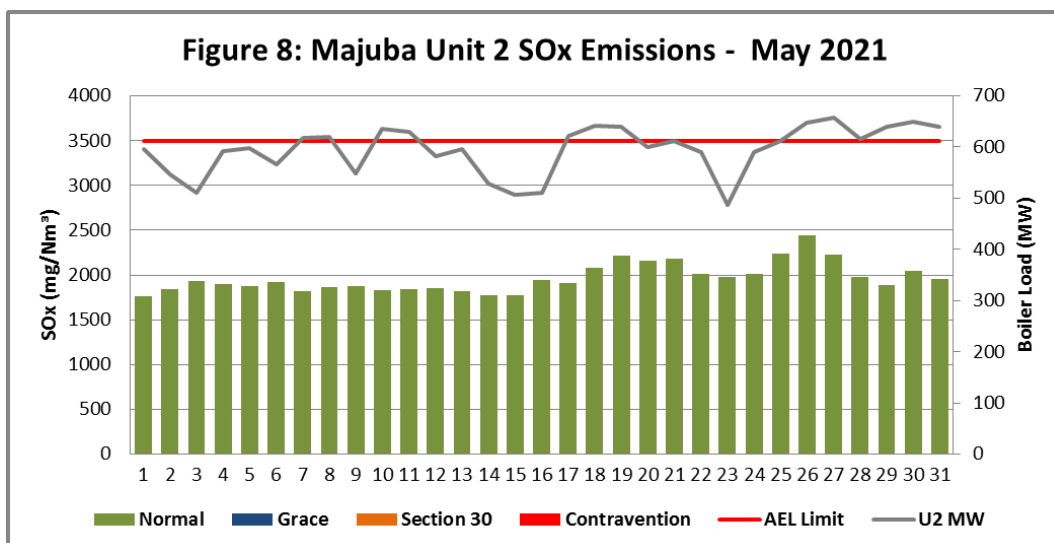


Figure 8. SOx emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 2.

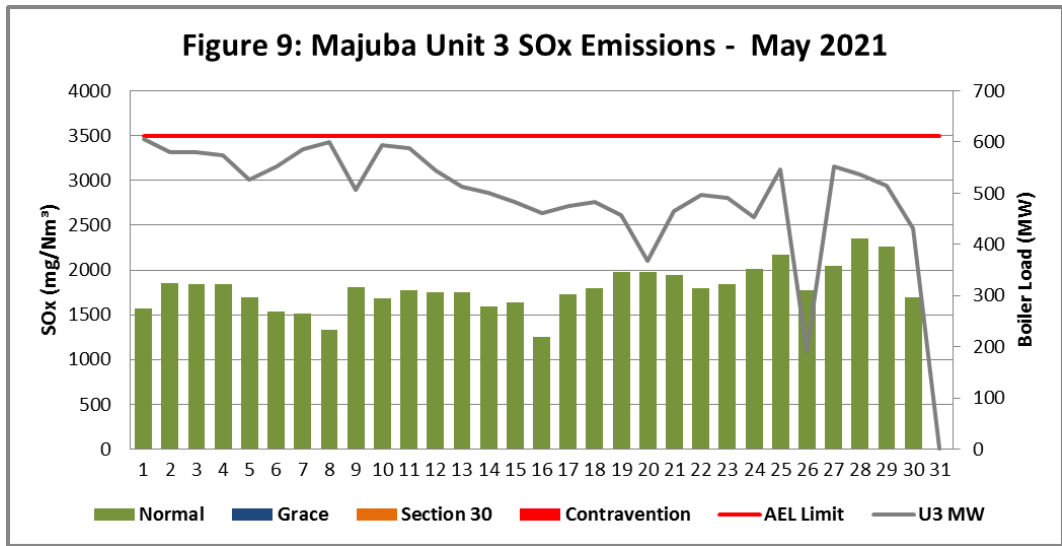


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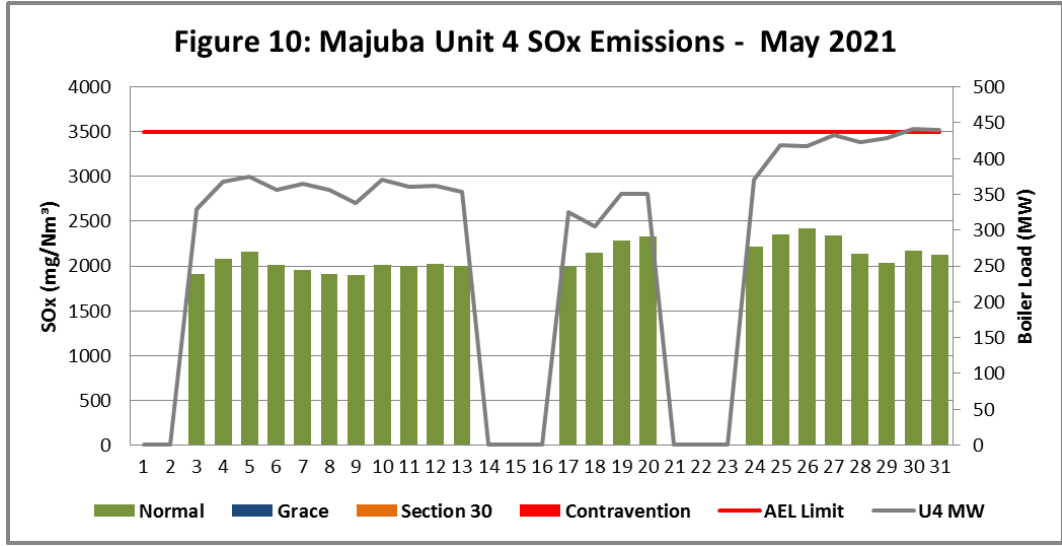


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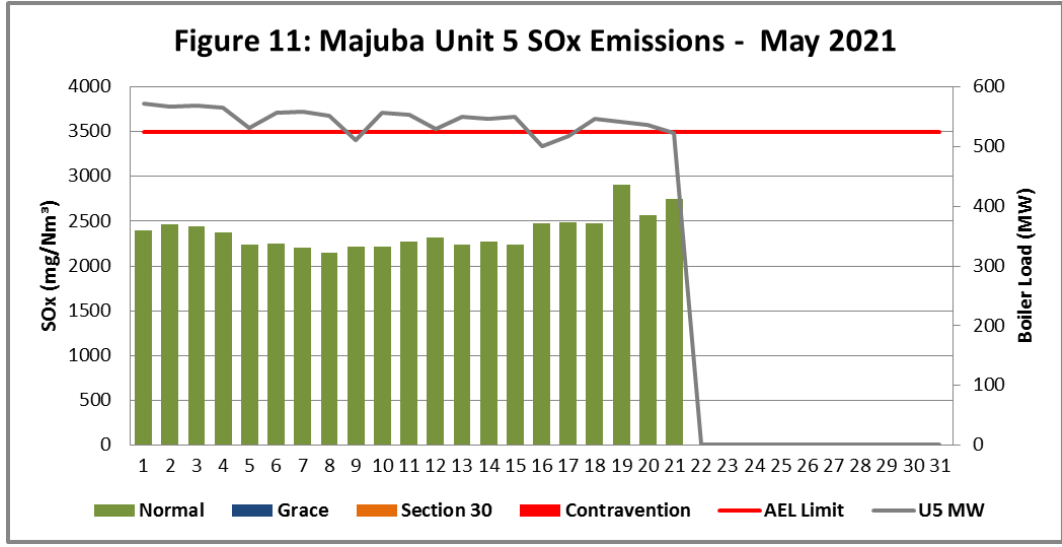


Figure 11. SOx emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 5.

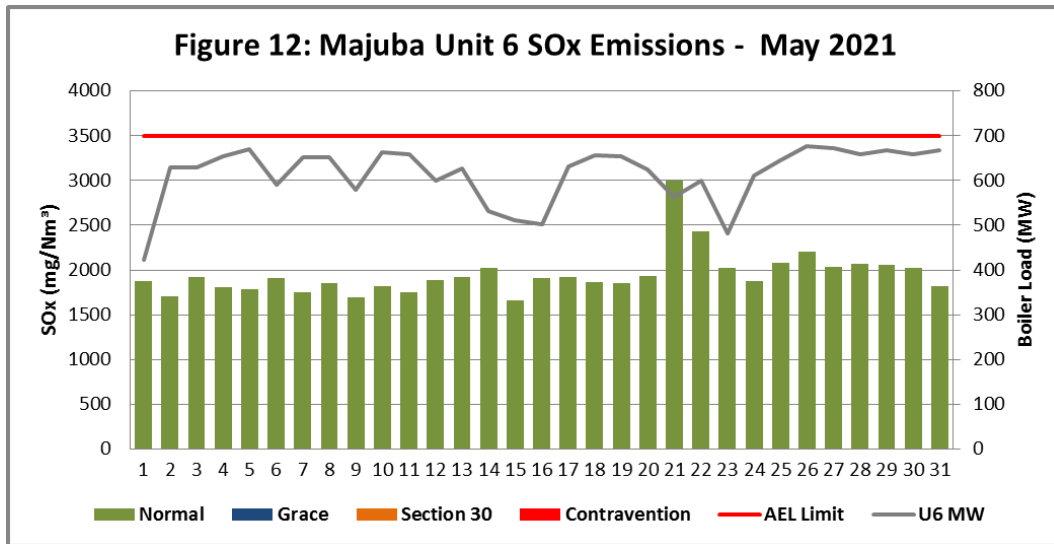


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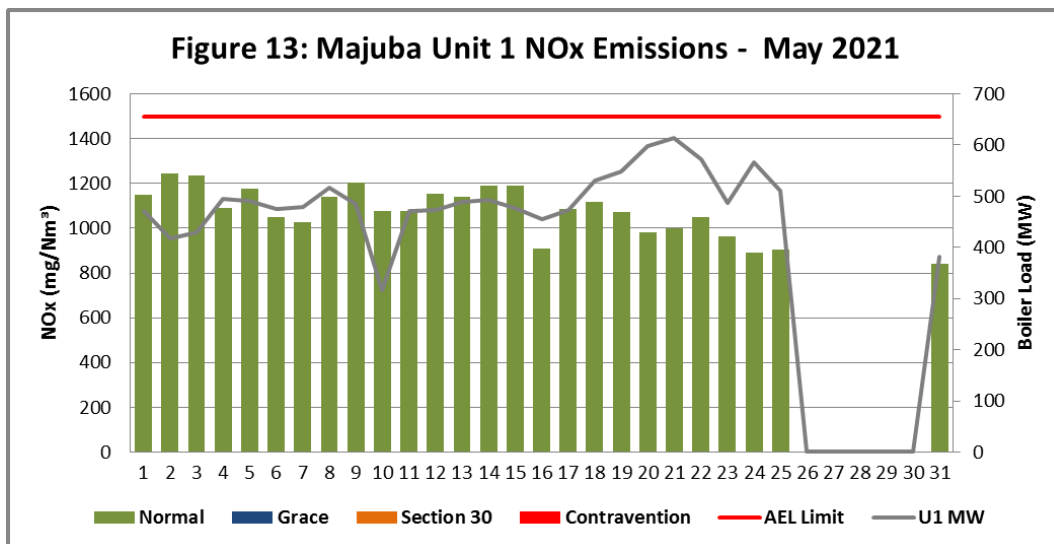


Figure 13. NOx emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 1.

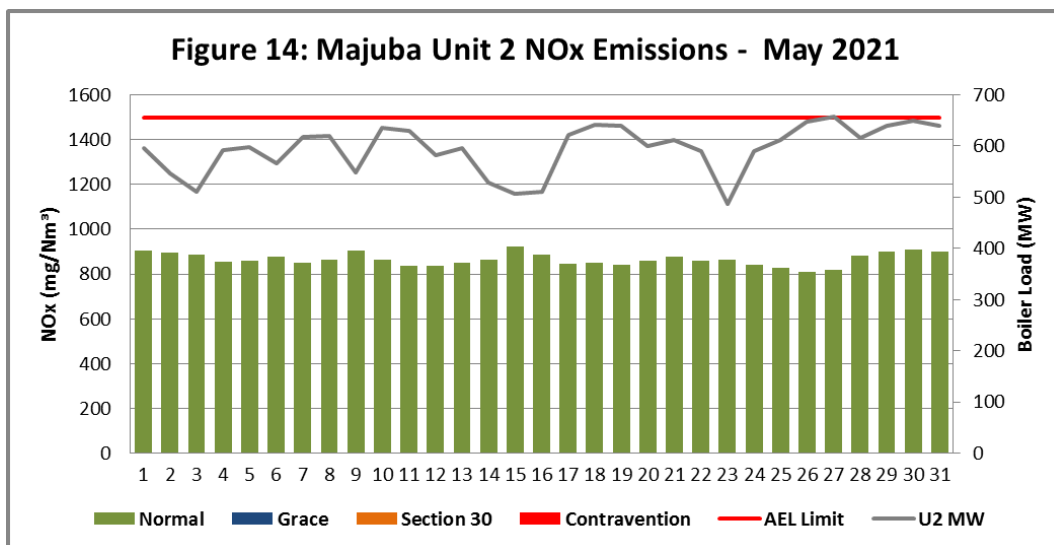


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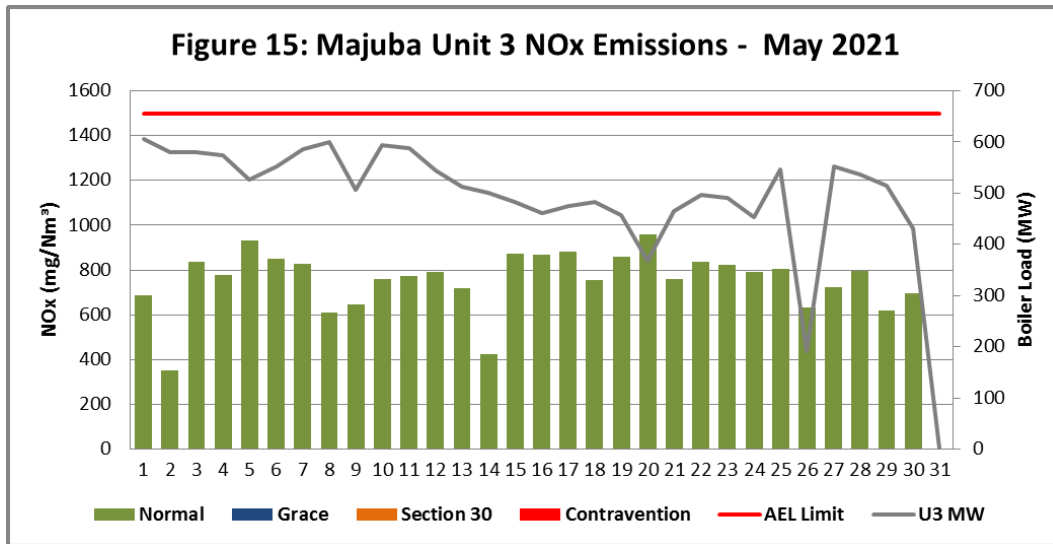


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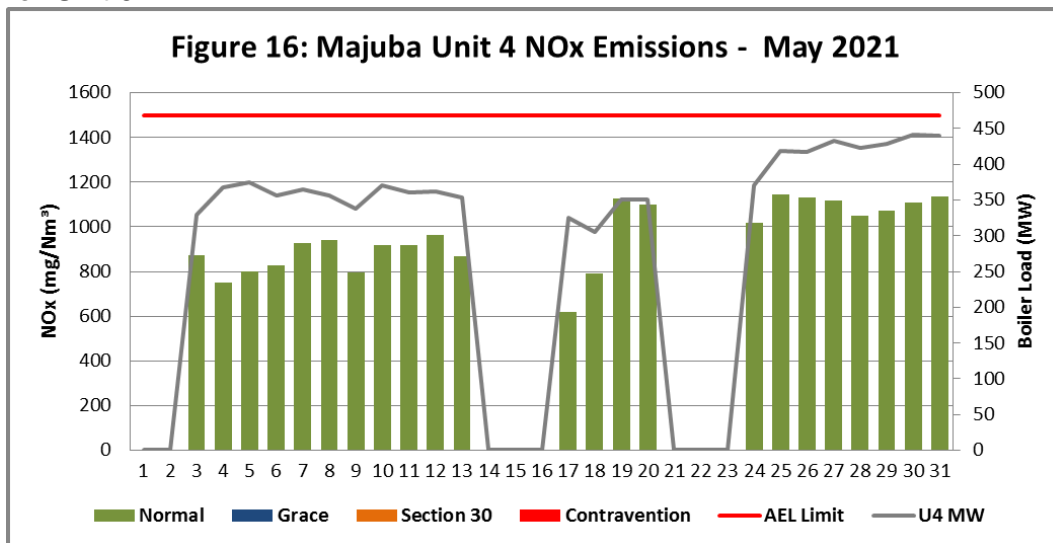


Figure 16. NOx emissions (daily averages) for the month of May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 4

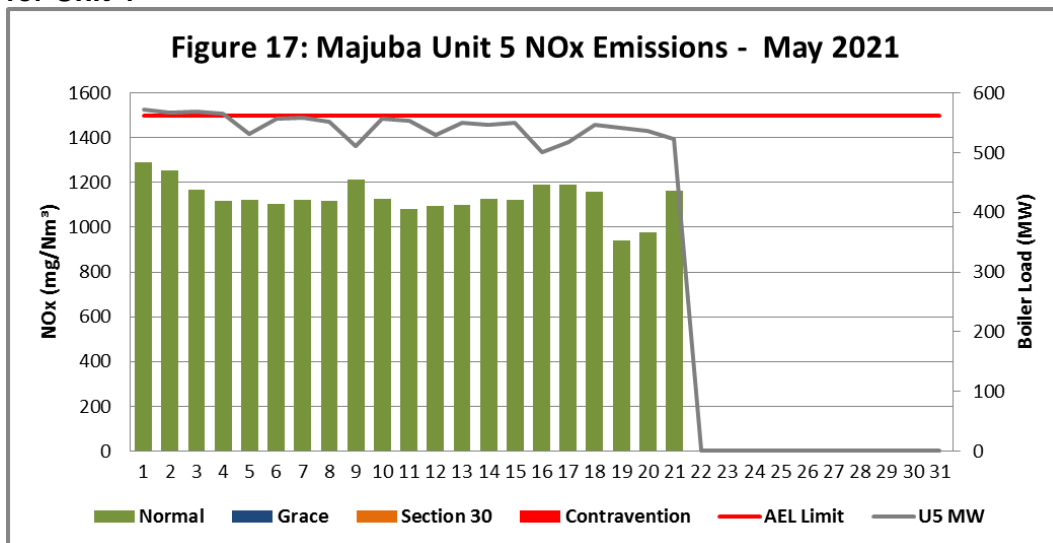


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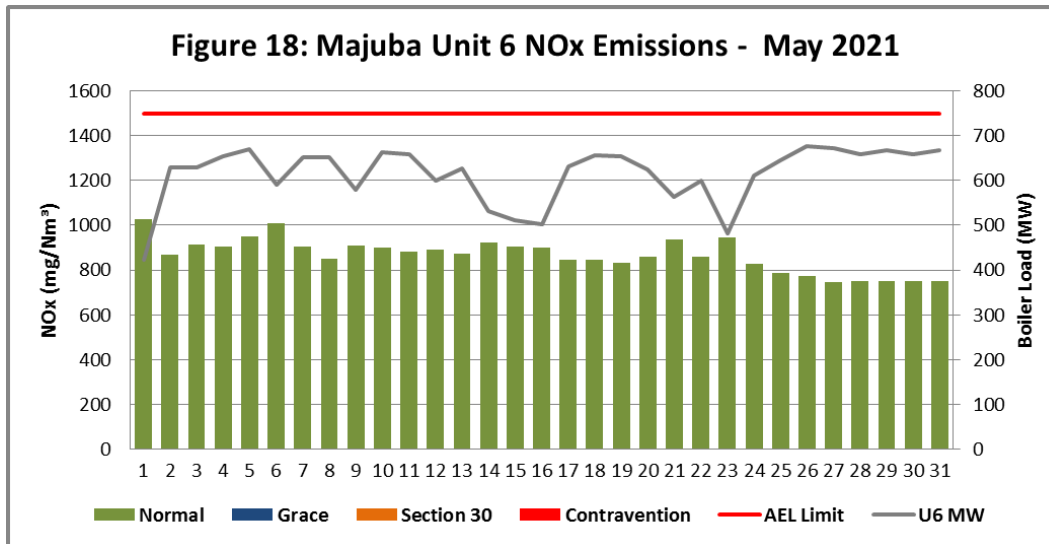


Figure 18. NOx emissions (daily averages) for the month May 2021 against emission limit for Unit 6

Table 4: Monthly tonnages for the month of May 2021

Unit	PM (tons)	SO ₂ (tons)	NO _x (tons)
1	2.6	3 168	1 562
2	35.7	4 373	1 918
3	26.2	2 878	1 223
4	12.5	2 451	1 138
5	22.6	3 485	1 658
6	9.2	4 524	1 998
Sum	108.8	20 879	9 498

Table 5: Average monthly concentrations (mg/Nm³) for the month of May 2021

Unit	PM (Mg/Nm ³)	SO ₂ (Mg/Nm ³)	NO ₂ (Mg/Nm ³)
1	2.1	2 191.3	1 075.7
2	15.9	1 966.6	865.7
3	16.9	1 792.0	755.2
4	13.6	2 110.1	956.0
5	15.4	2 378.6	1 132.0
6	4.1	1 949.5	866.5

Table 6: Each unit and respective days operating in compliance to the AEL Emission Limits (SO_x, NO_x and PM)

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance
Unit 1	26	0	0	0	0
Unit 2	31	0	0	0	0
Unit 3	30	0	0	0	0
Unit 4	23	0	0	0	0
Unit 5	21	0	0	0	0
Unit 6	31	0	0	0	0

CO₂ and O₂ Relationship

Date	Final Average CO ₂ (%)					Final Average O ₂ (%)						Final Average CO ₂ + O ₂ (%)					
	U2	U3	U4	U5	U6	U1	U2	U3	U4	U5	U6	U1	U2	U3	U4	U5	U6
01-May	11.5	11.8		10.8	10.1	10.6	8.8	8.7		11.5	9.4	19.9	20.4	20.4		22.2	19.5
02-May	11.0	11.5		10.5	12.6	11.6	9.5	9.2		11.2	6.8	20.2	20.4	20.7		21.8	19.4
03-May	10.7	11.4	8.0	10.7	12.7	11.5	10.0	9.6	11.7	10.5	7.3	20.1	20.7	20.9	19.7	21.2	20.0
04-May	11.7	11.3	8.8	10.8	12.9	10.2	8.6	9.1	11.3	10.1	7.2	19.7	20.3	20.4	20.1	20.9	20.1
05-May	11.7	10.4	8.9	10.6	12.9	10.8	8.7	10.3	11.1	10.3	7.4	19.8	20.4	20.7	20.0	20.9	20.3
06-May	11.5	11.3	8.6	10.8	12.3	10.7	9.0	9.2	11.5	10.0	8.2	19.9	20.5	20.5	20.1	20.8	20.5
07-May	12.0	11.8	8.4	10.9	12.9	10.4	8.3	9.2	11.8	10.0	7.1	19.9	20.4	21.0	20.2	20.9	20.0
08-May	12.0	11.8	8.3	10.9	12.9	10.0	8.2	9.4	11.9	10.0	7.1	19.8	20.3	21.2	20.2	20.8	19.9
09-May	11.2	10.1	8.4	10.2	12.5	10.7	9.4	11.1	11.5	11.0	7.5	20.0	20.6	21.2	19.9	21.3	20.0
10-May	12.0	11.7	8.7	10.9	12.9	12.5	8.3	9.1	11.2	10.0	6.9	20.1	20.3	20.9	20.0	20.9	19.8
11-May	11.9	11.6	8.4	10.9	12.8	10.7	8.1	9.1	11.6	9.7	7.1	19.9	20.1	20.6	20.0	20.6	20.0
12-May	11.6	10.9	8.6	10.6	12.4	10.6	8.6	9.9	11.3	10.1	7.9	19.8	20.2	20.8	19.9	20.7	20.2
13-May	11.7	10.3	8.5	10.8	12.6	10.1	8.4	10.4	11.5	9.9	7.5	19.8	20.1	20.7	19.9	20.7	20.1
14-May	11.0	10.2		10.8	12.0	10.5	8.9	10.6		10.2	8.3	19.8	19.9	20.8		21.1	20.3
15-May	10.6	9.8		10.8	11.8	10.7	9.7	11.2		10.2	8.4	19.9	20.4	21.0		21.0	20.2
16-May	10.8	9.7		10.0	11.8	10.8	9.5	11.5		11.4	8.4	19.6	20.3	21.2		21.4	20.2
17-May	11.8	9.9	8.1	10.2	12.6	10.0	8.3	10.9	11.4	11.1	7.5	19.6	20.1	20.8	19.6	21.3	20.2
18-May	12.1	9.8	8.1	10.6	12.9	9.8	8.2	11.0	11.9	10.5	7.2	19.9	20.3	20.8	20.0	21.1	20.1
19-May	12.1	9.7	7.9	10.4	12.9	9.4	8.2	11.2	12.2	10.6	7.2	19.7	20.3	20.8	20.1	21.0	20.0
20-May	11.7	8.8	7.8	10.3	12.7	9.0	8.6	12.2	12.4	10.6	7.4	19.6	20.3	21.0	20.2	20.9	20.1
21-May	11.6	10.3		10.1	12.2	9.2	8.8	10.8		11.1	8.5	19.7	20.4	21.1		21.2	20.6
22-May	11.4	10.1			12.5	10.0	9.1	10.9			8.0	20.1	20.4	21.1			20.4
23-May	10.4	10.0			11.3	11.4	10.0	10.9			9.3	20.3	20.4	20.9			20.6
24-May	11.6	9.9	8.9		12.4	9.8	8.7	11.0	10.8		7.8	19.8	20.3	20.8	19.7		20.2
25-May	11.8	11.2	8.7		12.7	10.5	8.5	9.6	11.4		7.4	20.1	20.3	20.8	20.1		20.1
26-May	12.1	7.3	8.5		12.9		8.1	12.9	11.6		7.2		20.2	20.2	20.1		20.1
27-May	12.1	11.1	8.7		12.9		8.1	9.7	11.3		7.2		20.2	20.8	20.1		20.1
28-May	11.7	10.7	9.0		12.8		8.5	10.2	10.9		7.2		20.3	20.9	19.9		20.1
29-May	11.9	11.2	8.7		12.8		8.3	9.1	11.2		7.2		20.2	20.3	19.9		20.0
30-May	11.9	9.8	8.6		12.8		8.4	10.5	11.4		7.2		20.3	20.4	20.0		20.0
31-May	12.0		8.8		12.9	11.7	8.5		11.5		7.0	20.0	20.5		20.3		19.9
Totals	11.6	10.5	8.5	10.6	12.5	10.5	8.7	10.3	11.5	10.5	7.6	19.9	20.3	20.8	20.0	21.1	20.1

Calculation: CO₂% + O₂% = 19.5-21.5%

Table 7: CO₂ and O₂ deviations of the Month of May 2021

*Blank spaces indicate that the unit was offline during that period

Emergency Generation

Table 8: Emergency Generation for the month of May 2021

	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
Emergency Generation hours declared by national Control	0	0	0	0	0	0
Emergency Hours declared including hours after stand down	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hours over the Limit during Emergency Generation	0	0	0	0	0	0

Comments on the performance and availability of each unit

UNIT 1

The Unit was on base load for most days of the month and was off for only five days. Six fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

UNIT 2

The Unit was on base load for the whole month. Two fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

UNIT 3

The Unit was on base load for most days of the month and was off for one day. Forty-three fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

UNIT 4

The Unit was on base load for most days of the month and was off for eight days. No fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

UNIT 5

The Unit was on base load for most days of the month and was off for ten days (forced outage). No fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

UNIT 6

The Unit was on base load for the whole month. No fabric filter bags were replaced this month.

Complaints Register

Table 9: Complaints for the month of May 2021

Source Code/ Name	Root Cause Analysis	Calculation of Impacts/ emissions associated with the incident	Dispersion modelling of pollutants where applicable	Measures implemented to prevent reoccurrence	Date by which measure will be implemented
n/a	One complaint was received during May 2021	No air quality impacts. Coal truck washing next to road	None	Service provider stopped delivering coal at Majuba Power Station	To be confirmed

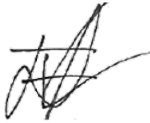
General

The fuel oil consumption for the month of May 2021 was above the AEL limit of 6000 ton/month. A detailed action plan to reduce the fuel oil consumption will be submitted to Gert Sibande District Municipality.

Hoping the above will meet your satisfaction

Yours sincerely

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