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GROOTVLEI POWER STATION MONTHLY EMISSIONS REPORT

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1 RAW MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS

Raw Materials and Products	Raw Material Type	Maximum Permitted Consumption Rate	Consumption Rate Jan-2022
	Coal	650 000	78 826.0
	Fuel Oil	18 000	3657.49
Production Rates	Product / By-Product Name	Maximum Production Capacity Permitted	Production Rate Jan-2022
	Energy	833.28	114.82
	Ash	300 000	23 214
	RE PM	not specified	0.05

2 ENERGY SOURCE CHARACTERISTICS

Coal Characteristic	Units	Stipulated Range	Monthly Average Content
Sulphur Content	%	0.6 to < 1.2	0.99
Ash Content	%	27 to < 32	29.45

3 EMISSION LIMITS (mg/Nm³)

Associated Unit/Stack	PM	SO ₂	NO
North	100	3500	1100
South	50	3500	1100

4 ABATEMENT TECHNOLOGY (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	Technology Type	
Unit 1	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	
Unit 2	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	
Unit 3	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	
Unit 4	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	
Unit 5	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	
Unit 6	<i>Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)</i>	

Note: Abatement plant does not have bypass mode operation, hence plant 100% Utilised.

5 MONITOR RELIABILITY (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	PM	SO ₂	NO	O ₂
North	84.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
South				

6 EMISSION PERFORMANCE

Table 6.1: Monthly tonnages for the month of January-2022

Associated Unit/Stack	PM (tons)	SO ₂ (tons)	NO ₂ (tons)
Unit 1	2.82	358.1	98.4
Unit 2	0.00	0.0	0.0
Unit 3	3.30	518.7	142.5
Unit 4	0.00	0.0	0.0
Unit 5	0.00	0.0	0.0
Unit 6	0.00	0.0	0.0
SUM	6.12	876.8	240.8

Table 6.2: Operating days in compliance to PM AEL Limit - January 2022

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Total Exceedance	Average PM (mg/Nm ³)
North	25	0	0	0	13.9
South	0	0	0	0	
SUM	25	0	0	0	





Table 6.3: Operating days in compliance to SOx AEL Limit - January 2022

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Total Exceedance	Average SOx (mg/Nm ³)
North	25	0	0	0	1 719.3
South	0	0	0	0	
SUM	25	0	0	0	

Table 6.4: Operating days in compliance to NOx AEL Limit - January 2022

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Total Exceedance	Average NOx (mg/Nm ³)
North	25	0	0	0	472.3
South	0	0	0	0	
SUM	25	0	0	0	

Table 6.5: Legend Description

Condition	Colour	Description
Normal		Emissions below Emission Limit Value (ELV)
Grace		Emissions above the ELV during grace period
Section 30		Emissions above ELV during a NEMA S30 incident
Contravention		

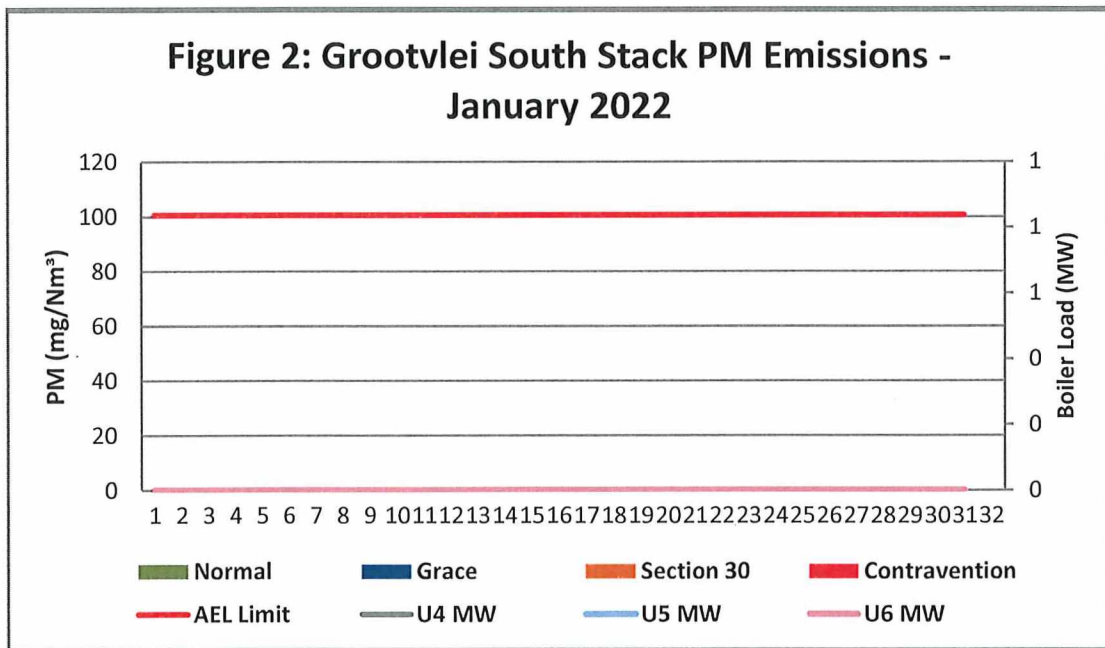
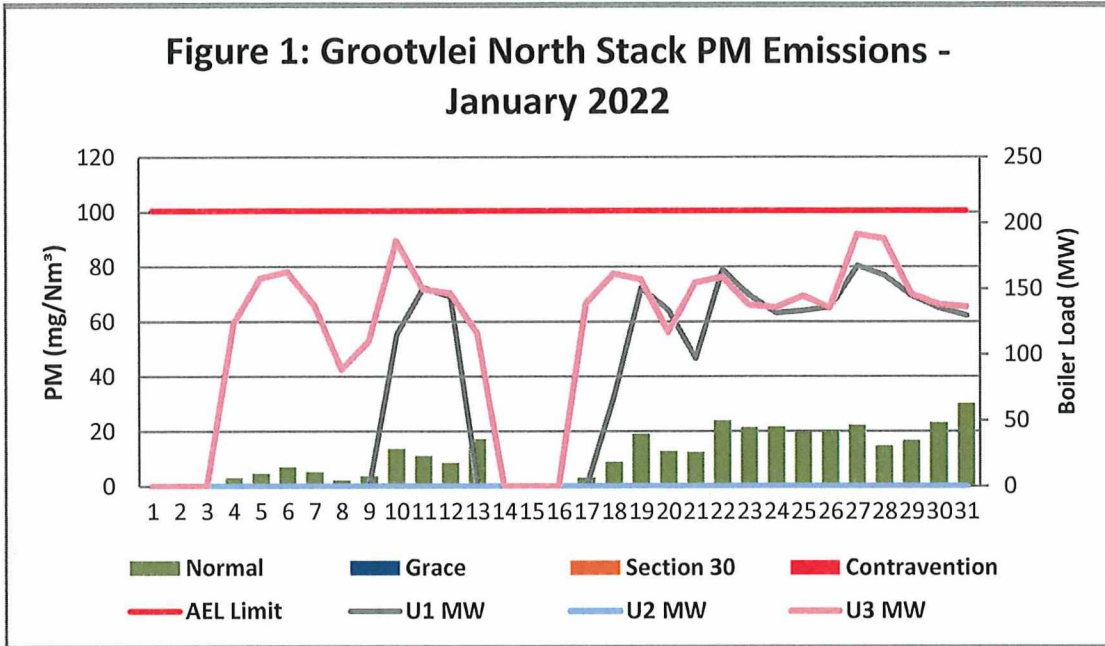


Figure 3: Grootvlei North Stack SOx Emissions - January 2022

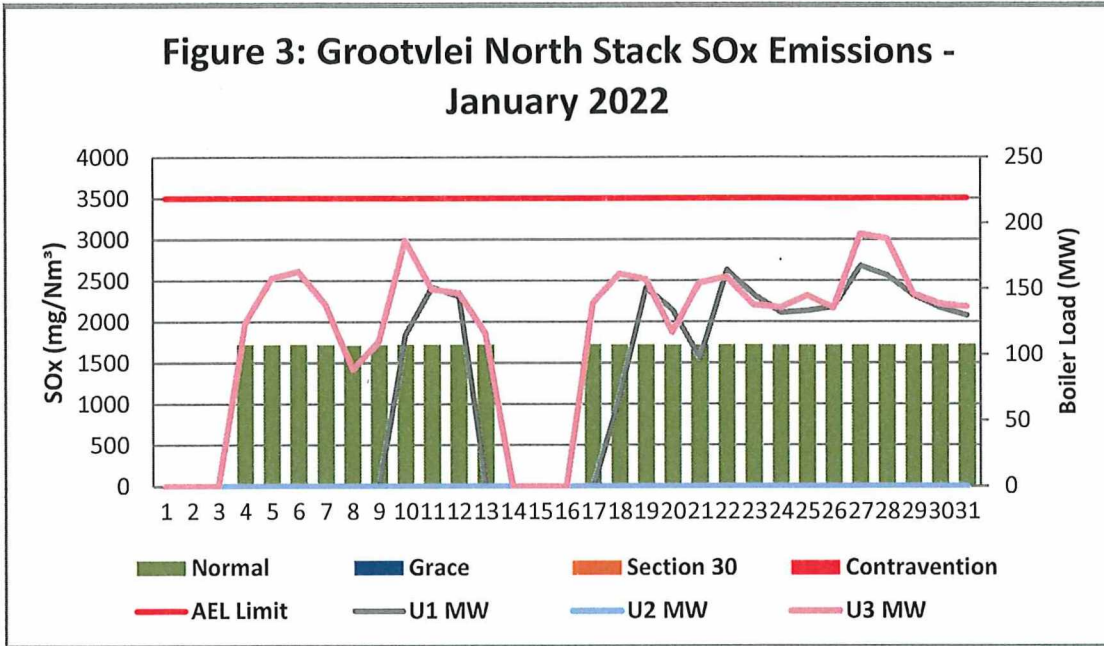


Figure 4: Grootvlei South Stack SOx Emissions - January 2022

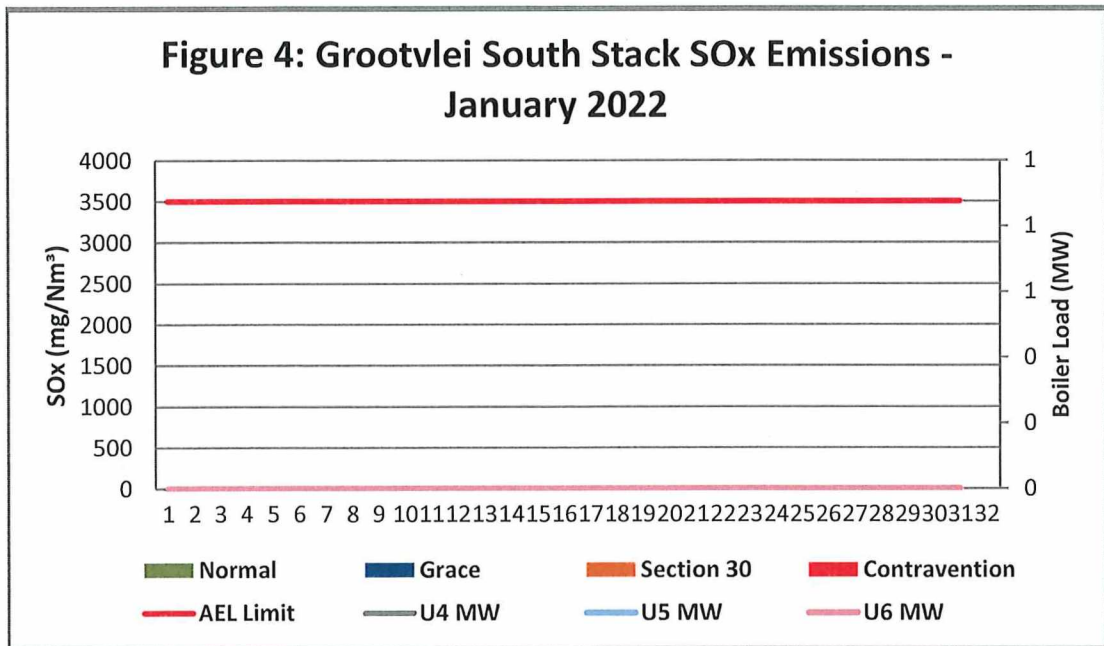


Figure 5: Grootvlei North Stack NOx Emissions - January 2022

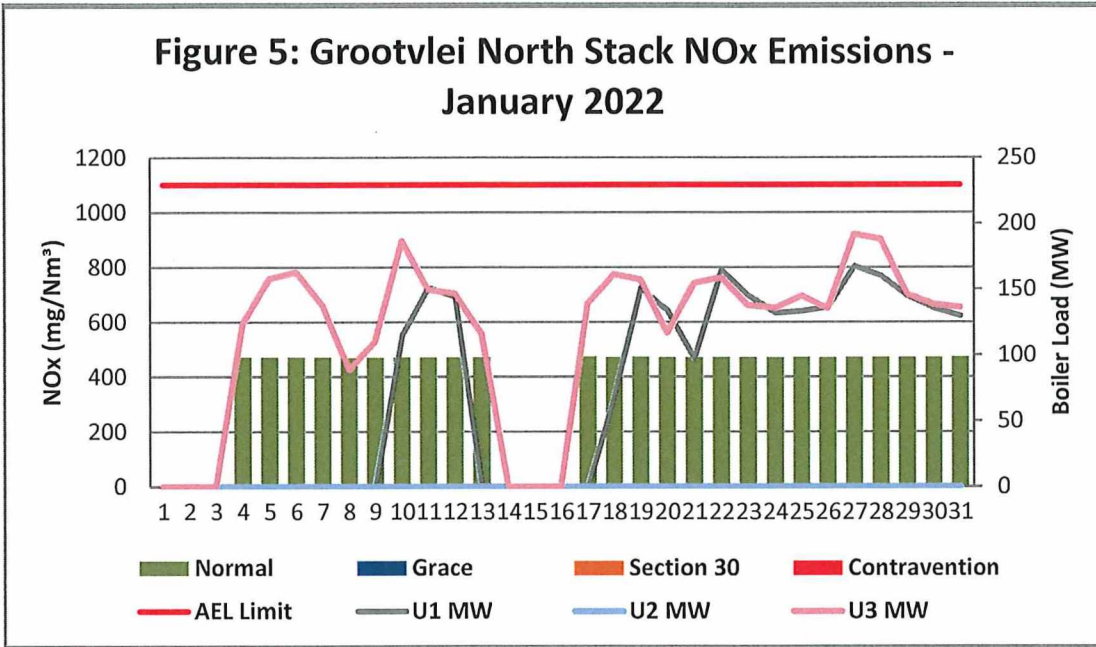
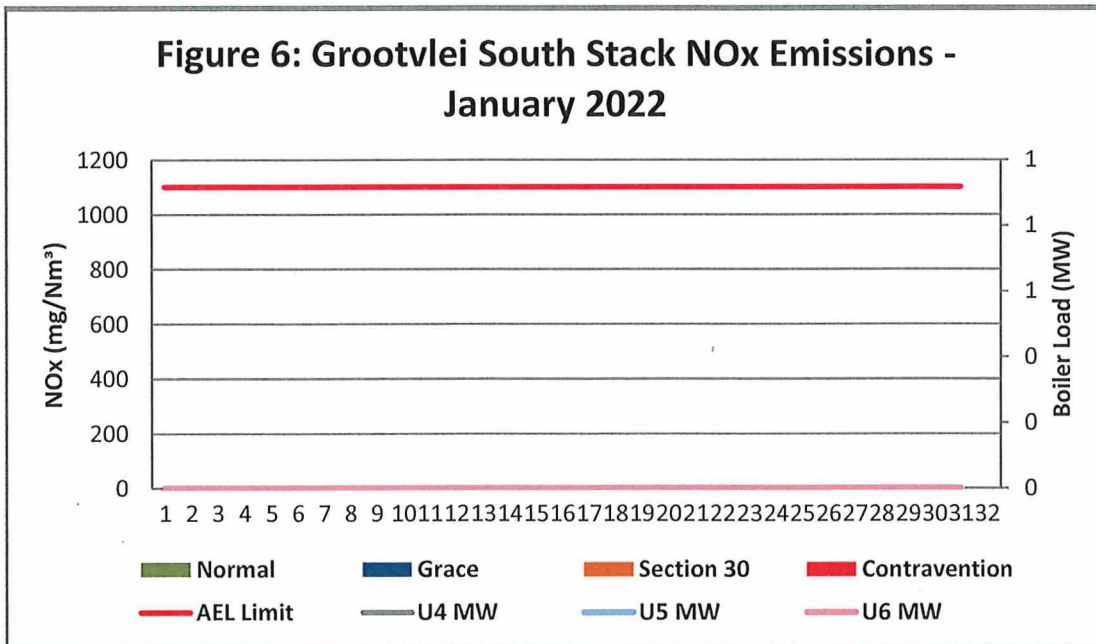


Figure 6: Grootvlei South Stack NOx Emissions - January 2022



7 SHUT DOWN AND LIGHT UP INFORMATION

Table 7.1. PM Start-up information for the month of January-2022

North Stack	Event 1			Event 3		Event 4	
Unit No.	Unit 1			Unit 1		no event	
Breaker Open (BO)	<i>BO previously</i>	<i>BO previously</i>	12/01/2022	2:55 PM	20/01/2022	2:40 AM	28/01/2022
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)	<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	12/01/2022	6:15 PM	20/01/2022	<i>DG did not trip or SD</i>	<i>DG did not trip or SD</i>
BO to DG SD (duration)	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	00:03:20	DD:HH:MM	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM
Fires in time	3:55 PM	08/01/2022	17/01/2022	11:00 PM	20/01/2022		
Synch. to Grid (or BC)	5:55 AM	10/01/2022	19/01/2022	8:15 PM	21/01/2022		
Fires in to BC (duration)	01:14:00	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	00:21:15	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>		
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM

North Stack ...Cont.	Event 1			Event 3		Event 4	
Unit No.	Unit			Unit 3		Unit 3	
Breaker Open (BO)	<i>BO previously</i>	<i>BO previously</i>	06/01/2022	8:45 PM	12/01/2022	8:50 AM	22/01/2022
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)	<i>n/a</i>	<i>n/a</i>	<i>DG did not trip or SD</i>	9:10 PM	13/01/2022	9:50 AM	22/01/2022
BO to DG SD (duration)	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	01:00:25	DD:HH:MM	00:01:00	DD:HH:MM
Fires in time	6:00 AM	03/01/2022		3:35 PM	16/01/2022	11:10 AM	22/01/2022
Synch. to Grid (or BC)	8:35 AM	04/01/2022		2:35 PM	17/01/2022	3:00 PM	22/01/2022
Fires in to BC (duration)	01:02:35	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	00:23:00	DD:HH:MM	00:03:50	DD:HH:MM
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>		<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>	<i>not > limit</i>
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM	<i>n/a</i>	DD:HH:MM

South Stack	<i>Event 1</i>		<i>Event 3</i>		<i>Event 4</i>	
Unit No.	<i>no event</i>		<i>no event</i>		<i>no event</i>	
Breaker Open (BO)						
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)						
BO to DG SD (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM
Fires in time						
Synch. to Grid (or BC)						
Fires in to BC (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)						
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM

South Stack ...Cont.	<i>Event 1</i>		<i>Event 3</i>		<i>Event 4</i>	
Unit No.	<i>no event</i>		<i>no event</i>		<i>no event</i>	
Breaker Open (BO)						
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)						
BO to DG SD (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM
Fires in time						
Synch. to Grid (or BC)						
Fires in to BC (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)						
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM	DD:HH:MM

7.2: Point Source emissions released during start-up (fires-in) and Shut-down (SD) for the month of January-2022 in mg/Nm³

[Include reference to once off test showing typical emissions rates during fires in and SD]



ADDENDUM TO MONTHLY EMISSIONS REPORT

8 EMERGENCY GENERATION

Emergency Generation *[This is only required for stations that are requested to report on this information]*

Table 8. Emergency Generation per unit for the month of January-2022

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

9 COMPLAINTS REGISTER

Table 9. Complaints for the month of January-2022

Source Code / Name	Root Cause Analysis	Calculation of Impacts / emissions associated with the incident	Dispersion modeling of pollutants where applicable	Measures implemented to prevent reoccurrence	Date measure will be implemented
<i>(Insert name of affected person/source)</i>	<i>(Insert root cause for incident)</i>	<i>(Insert emissions associated with incident)</i>	<i>(Insert dispersion model information where applicable)</i>	<i>(Insert mitigation measures taken)</i>	<i>(Insert date of implementation of mitigation method)</i>

10 S30 INCIDENT OR LEGAL CONTRAVENTION REGISTER

To be completed in the case of a S30 incident or a legal contravention:

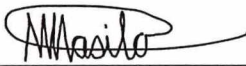
Unit no	Incident Start Date	Incident End Date	Incident Cause	Remedial action	Date S30 initial notification sent	Date S30 investigation report sent	Date DEA Acknowledgment	Date DEA Acceptable	Comments / Reference No.

11 General

South Stack off. Due to the North stack gas monitor reliability being 0%, QAL2 report averages for NOx, SOx and O2 were used.



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