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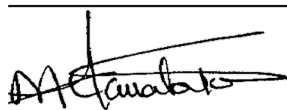
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## 1. Report Summary

Matimba Power Station was issued with an Atmospheric Emission License (H16/1/13-WDM05) in September 2022. The License requires the license holder to submit monthly reports to the Department. This report contains the required information as specified in the license for July 2023.



During the period under review, Matimba experienced 43 exceedances of the daily particulate matter emission limit ( $50\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ), 32 of these exceedances occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence.

No exceedances of the monthly  $\text{SO}_x$  limit ( $3500\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ) or the daily  $\text{NO}_x$  emission limit ( $750\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ) occurred.

The flue gas conditioning plant ( $\text{SO}_3$  Plant) for all the units did not achieve the required 100% availability due to the defects and breakdown experienced on the plants throughout the month. On 21 July 2023 at 21:30 the units Sulphur plant were reported to start tripping due to low sulphur flow that was caused by the defective supply pump. Repairs on the offloading pump were started and completed on 24 July 2023 at 21:30 and the sulphur tanked was then topped up. The  $\text{SO}_3$  plants defects were repaired, and plants returned to operation.

More information regarding above mentioned issues is provided in the relevant sections within the report.

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## 2. Emission information

### 2.1 Raw materials and products

**Table 1:** Quantity of Raw Materials and Products used/produced for the month

Raw Materials and Products used	Raw Material Type	Unit	Maximum Permitted Consumption Rate (Quantity)	Consumption Rate
	Coal	Tons/month	1 500 000	1 042 250
	Fuel Oil	Tons/month	1 200	553,961
Production Rates	Product/ By-Product Name	Unit	Maximum Production Capacity Permitted (Quantity)	Production Rate
	Energy	MW	4000	2620,171

The consumption rates for the month of July 2023 were within the permitted maximum limits

### 2.2 Abatement technology

**Table 2:** Abatement Equipment Control Technology Utilised

Associated Unit	Technology Type	Minimum utilisation (%)	Efficiency (%)
Unit 1	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,810%
Unit 2	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,840%
Unit 3	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,845%
Unit 4	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,693%
Unit 5	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,808%
Unit 6	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99,899%
Associated Unit	Technology Type	Minimum utilisation (%)	Actual Utilisation (%)
Unit 1	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	83,45%
Unit 2	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	94,09%
Unit 3	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	92,88%
Unit 4	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	91,80%
Unit 5	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	88,58%
Unit 6	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	93,99%

Flue gas conditioning plant availability was below the required 100% for all six (06) units due to maintenance activities and unplanned breakdowns. Defects were addressed and plants returned. On 21 July 2023 at 21:30 the units Sulphur plant were reported to start tripping due to low sulphur flow that was caused by the defective supply pump. Repairs on the offloading pump were started and completed on 24 July 2023 at 21:30 and the sulphur tanked was then topped up and the sulphur plant returned to operation.

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## 2.3 Energy source characteristics

**Table 3:** Energy Source Material Characteristics.

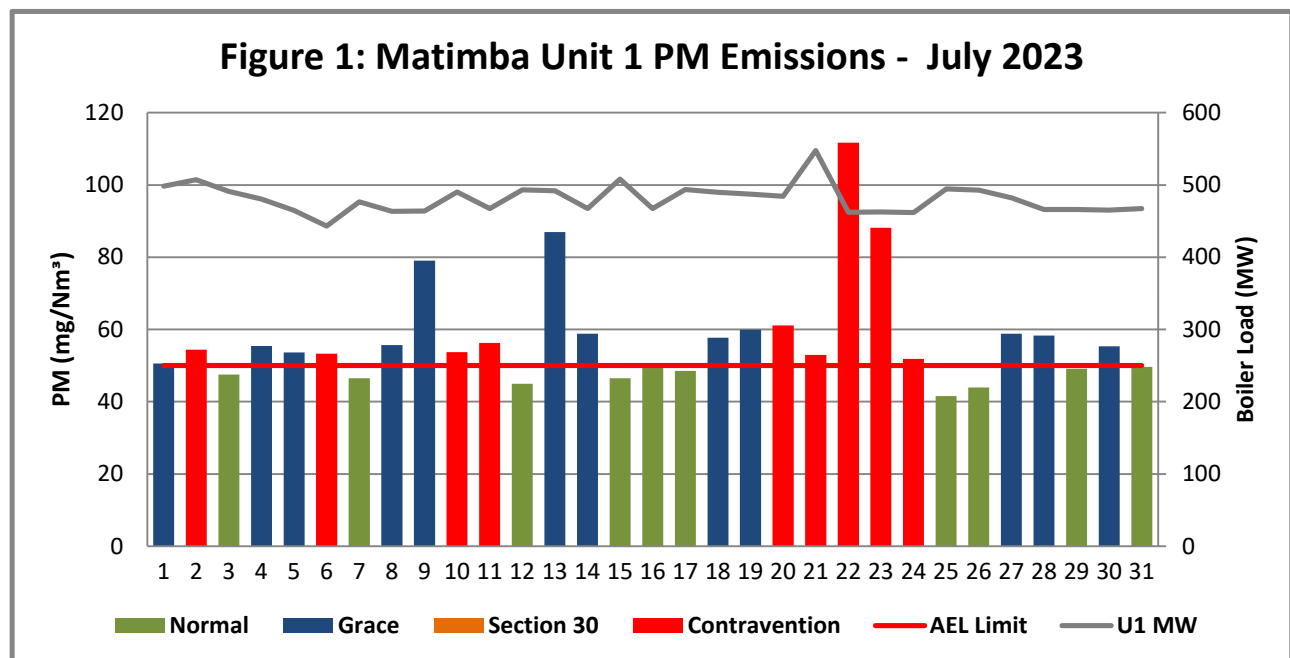
	Characteristic	Stipulated Range (Unit)	Monthly Average Content
Coal burned	Sulphur Content	1.6%	1,21 %
	Ash Content	40%	34,79 %

Energy source characteristics remained within the ranges stipulated in the license.

## 2.4 Emissions reporting

### 2.4.1 Particulate Matter Emissions

#### Unit 1 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 1: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of July 2023**

#### Interpretation:

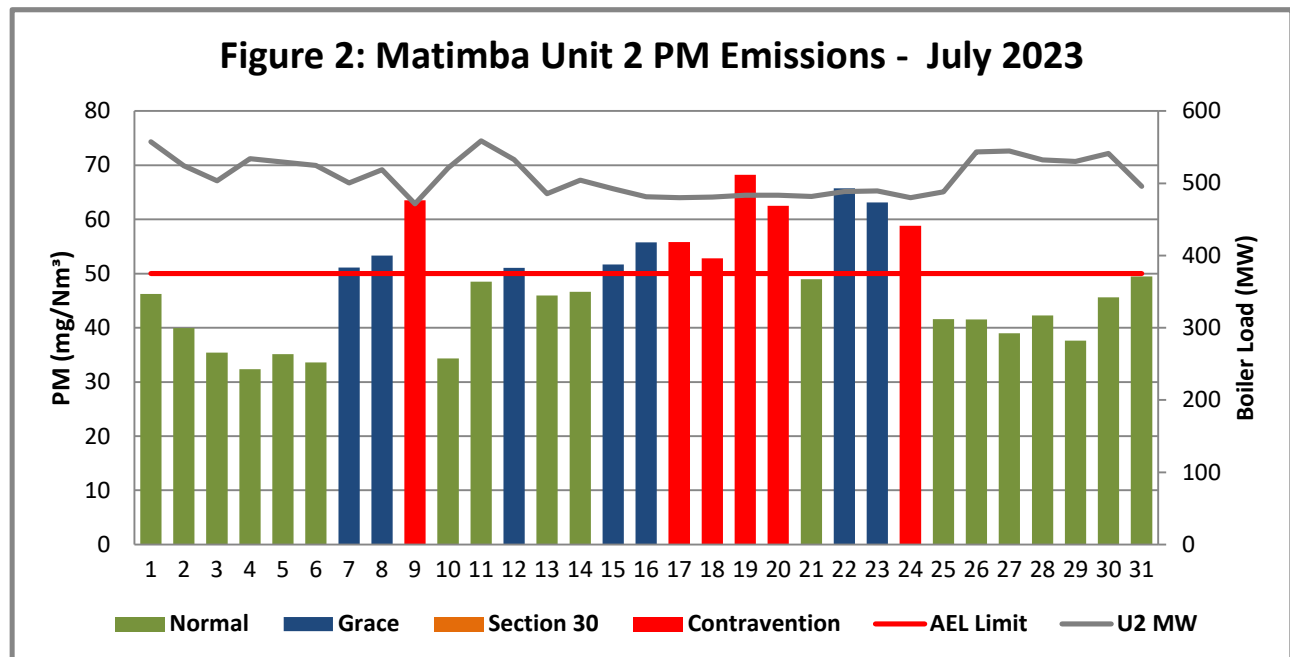
Unit 1 exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 1,2,4,5,6, 8,9,10,11,13,14,18,19,20,21,22,24,27,28, and 30 July 2023. The exceedances on 2,6,10,11,20 to 24 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to accumulation of ash at the dust handling plant leading to high hopper levels within the flue gas cleaning system which resulted in reducing the efficiency of the abatement technology (electrostatic precipitator fields) and the unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant. The investigation into the causes of the exceedances were done and corrective measure put in place to correct the root causes.

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## Unit 2 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 2: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of July 2023**

#### Interpretation:

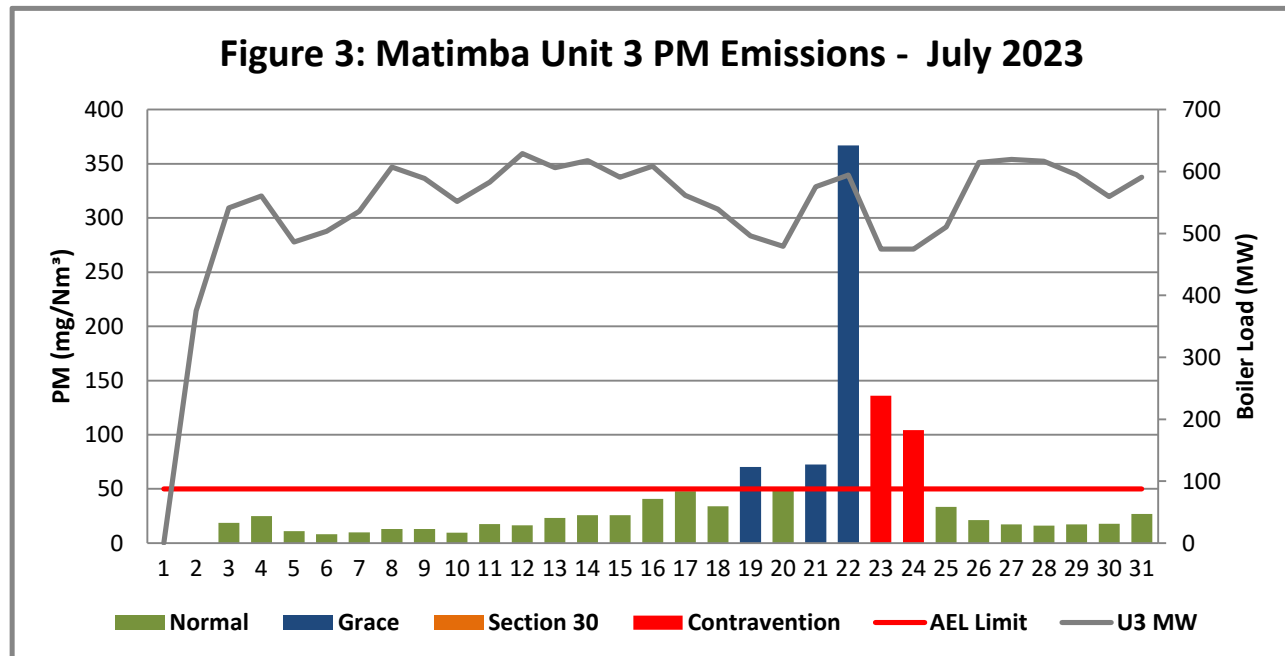
Unit 2 exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 7,8,9,12,15,16,17,18,19,20,22,23, and 24 July 2023. The exceedances from on 9,17,18,19,20, and 24 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to accumulation of ash at the dust handling plant leading to high hopper levels within the flue gas cleaning system which resulted in reducing the efficiency of the abatement technology (electrostatic precipitator fields) and the unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant. The investigation into the causes of the exceedances were done and corrective measure put in place to correct the root causes.

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## Unit 3 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 3: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of July 2023**

#### Interpretation:

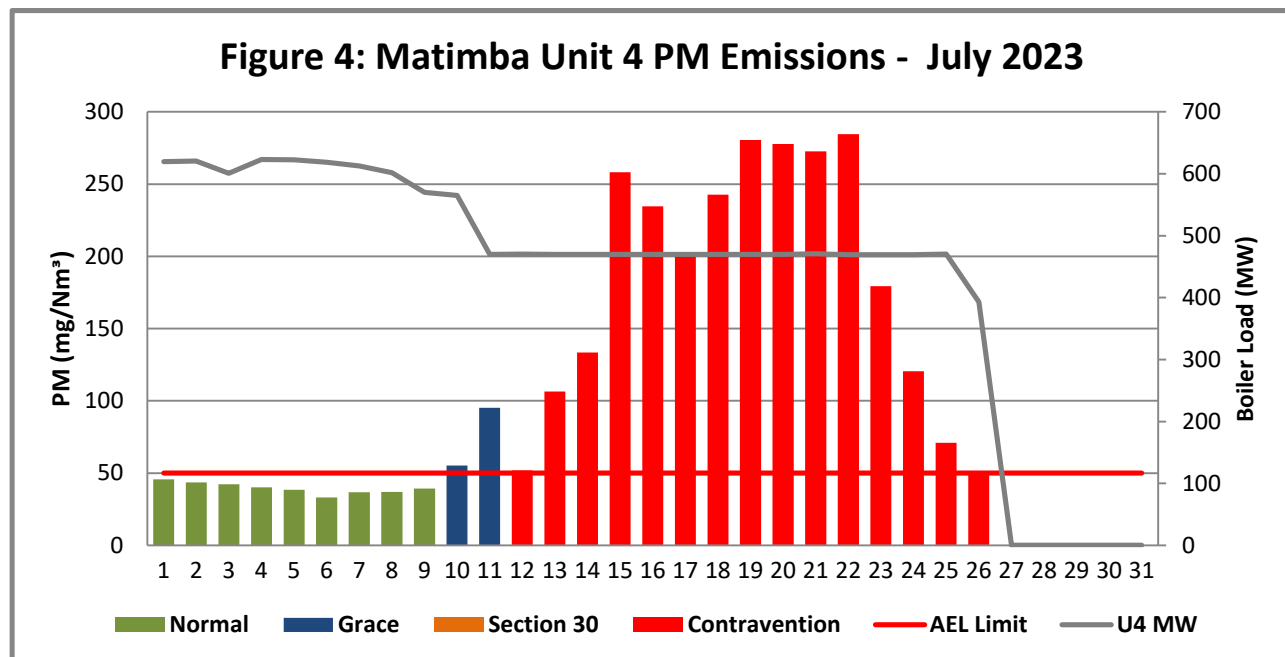
Unit 3 Particulate matter exceeded the daily limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 19, 21, 22, 23, and 24 July 2023. The exceedances from on 23 and 24 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to accumulation of ash at the dust handling plant leading to high hopper levels within the flue gas cleaning system which resulted in reducing the efficiency of the abatement technology (electrostatic precipitator fields) and the unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant.

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**Unit 4 Particulate Emissions**

**Figure 4: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of July 2023**

**Interpretation:**

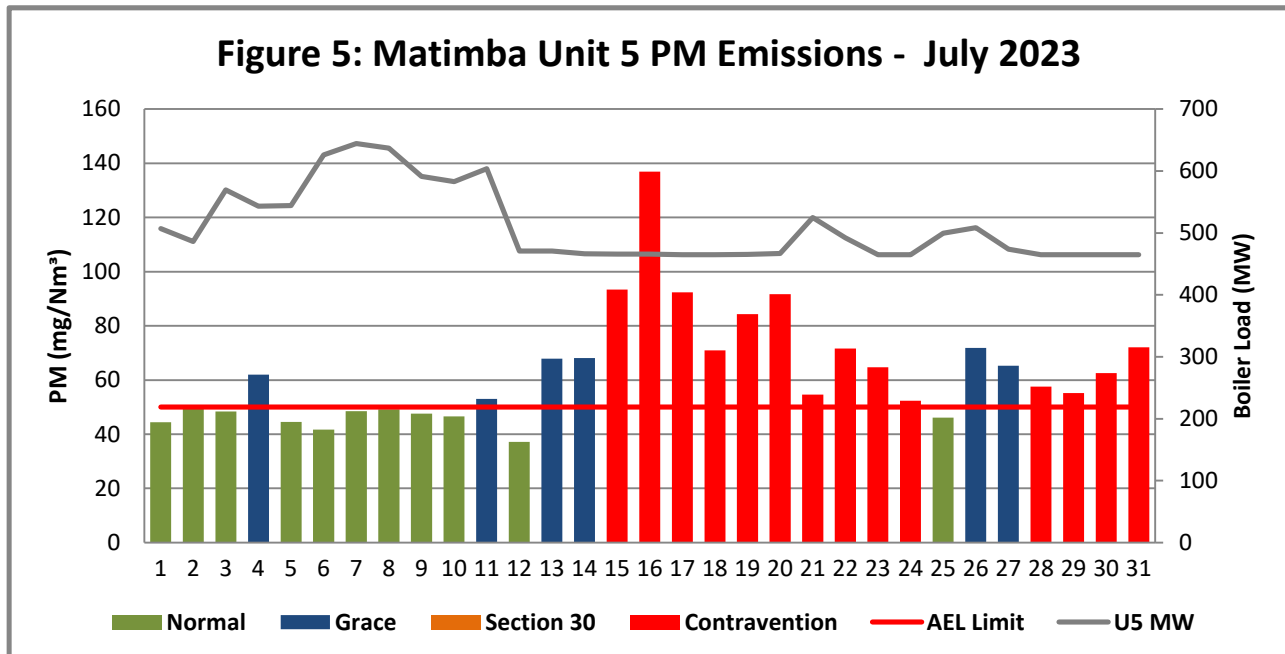
Unit 4 Particulate matter exceeded the daily limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 10 to 26 July 2023. Exceedance from 12 to 26 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to accumulation of ash at the dust handling plant leading to high hopper levels within the flue gas cleaning system which resulted in reducing the efficiency of the abatement technology (electrostatic precipitator fields) and the unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant. The investigation into the causes of the exceedances were done and corrective measure put in place to correct the root causes.

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## Unit 5 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 5: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 5 for the month of July 2023**

#### Interpretation:

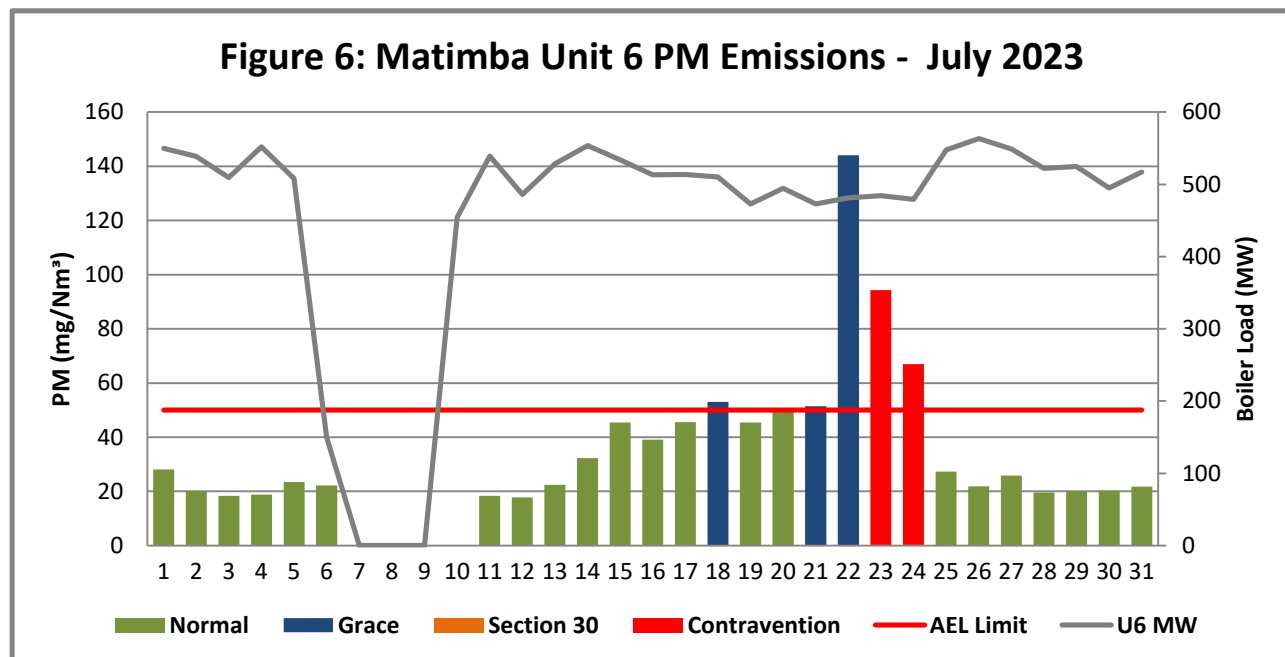
Unit 5 Particulate matter exceeded the daily limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 4,11,13 to 24,26 to 31 July 2023. Exceedance from 15 to 24 and 28 to 31 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to accumulation of ash at the dust handling plant leading to high hopper levels within the flue gas cleaning system which resulted in reducing the efficiency of the abatement technology (electrostatic precipitator fields) and the unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant. The investigation into the causes of the exceedances were done and corrective measure put in place to correct the root causes.

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## Unit 6 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 6: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of July 2023**

**Interpretation:**

Unit 6 Particulate matter exceeded the daily limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 18, 21, 22, 23, and 24 July 2023. The exceedances from on 23 and 24 July 2023 occurred outside of the 48-hour grace period and were recorded on the Eskom incident management process as non-compliance to the Atmospheric Emissions Licence. The exceedances were due to unavailability of the SO<sub>3</sub> plant.

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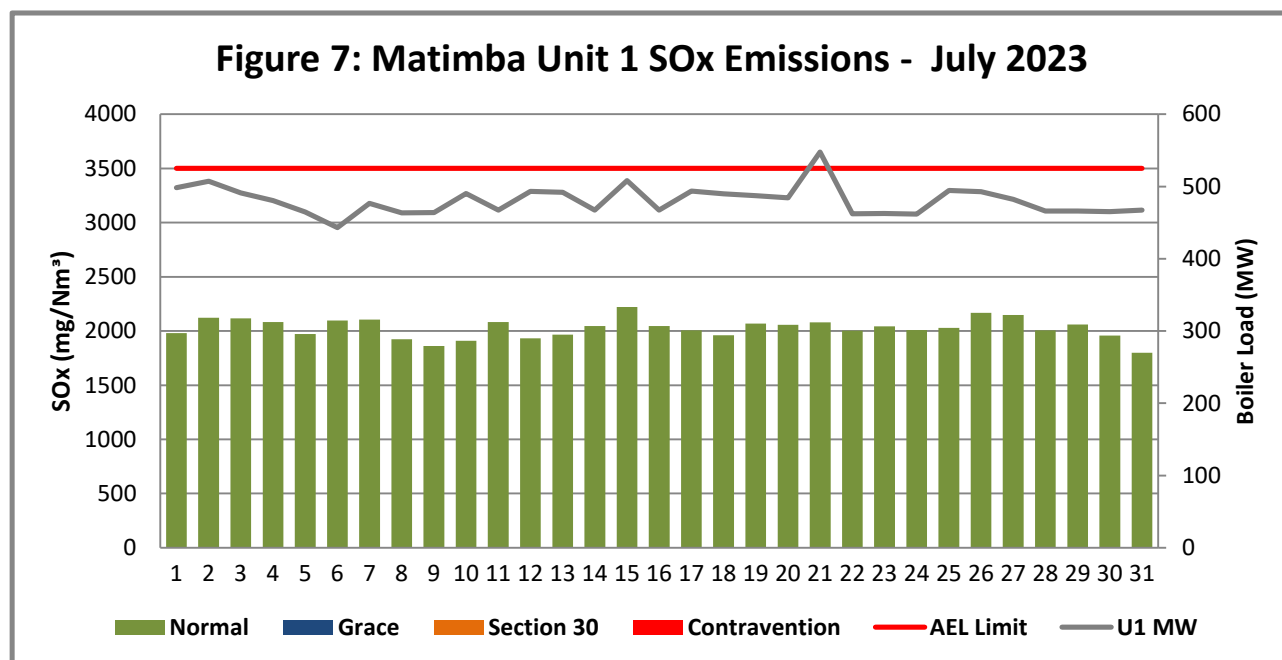
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## 2.4.2 Gaseous Emissions

Gaseous emissions analyzers calibration for all 6 units were performed in June 2023. The quality assurance spot tests were performed on the monitors in July 2023.

### Unit 1 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions



**Figure 7: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of July 2023**

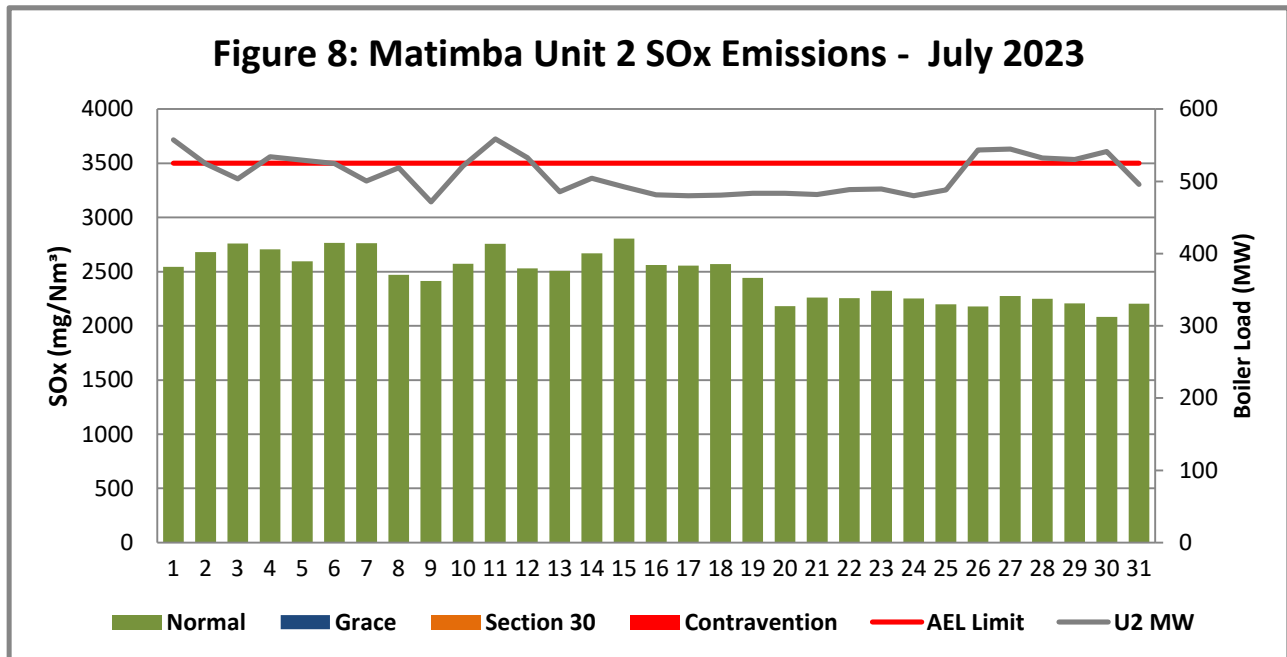
#### Interpretation:

All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 2 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

**Figure 8: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of July 2023**

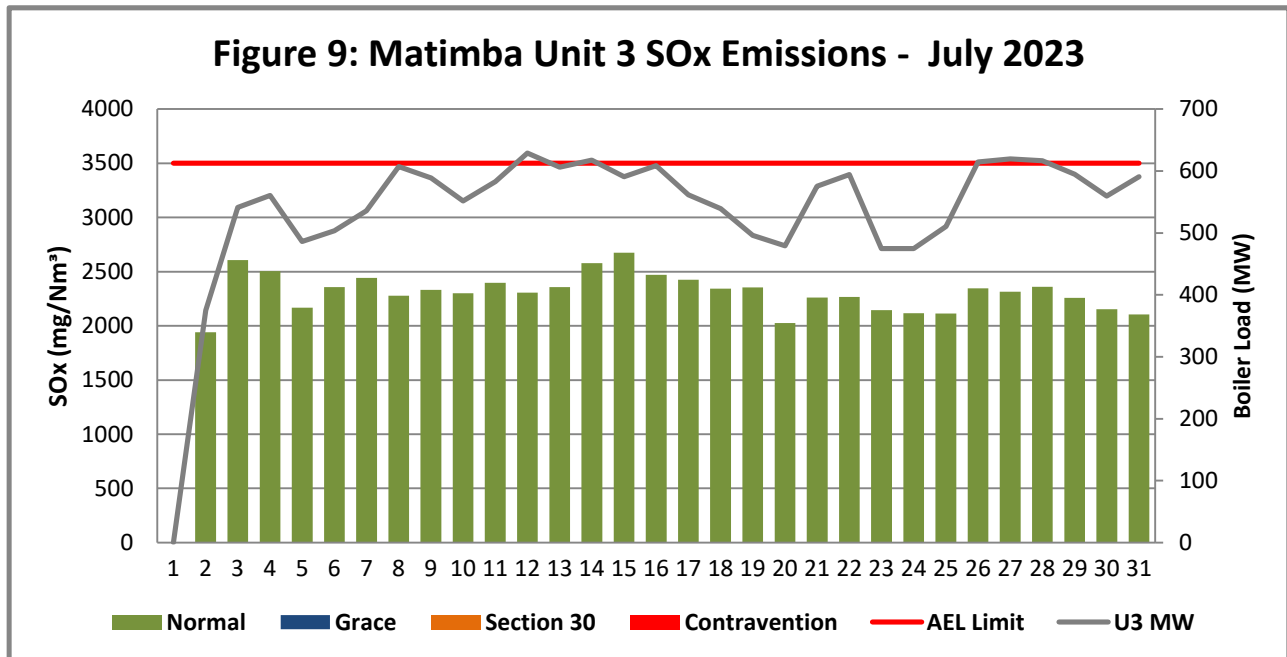
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>

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Unit 3 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

**Figure 9: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of July 2023**

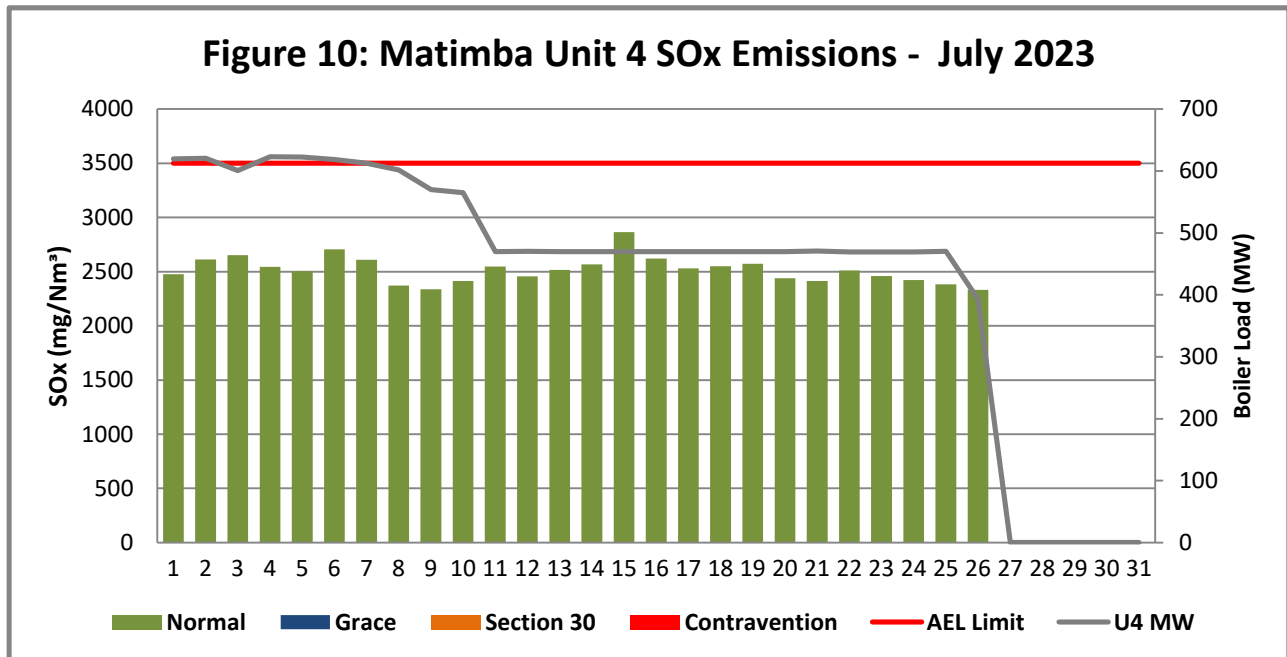
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 4 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

**Figure 10: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of July 2023**

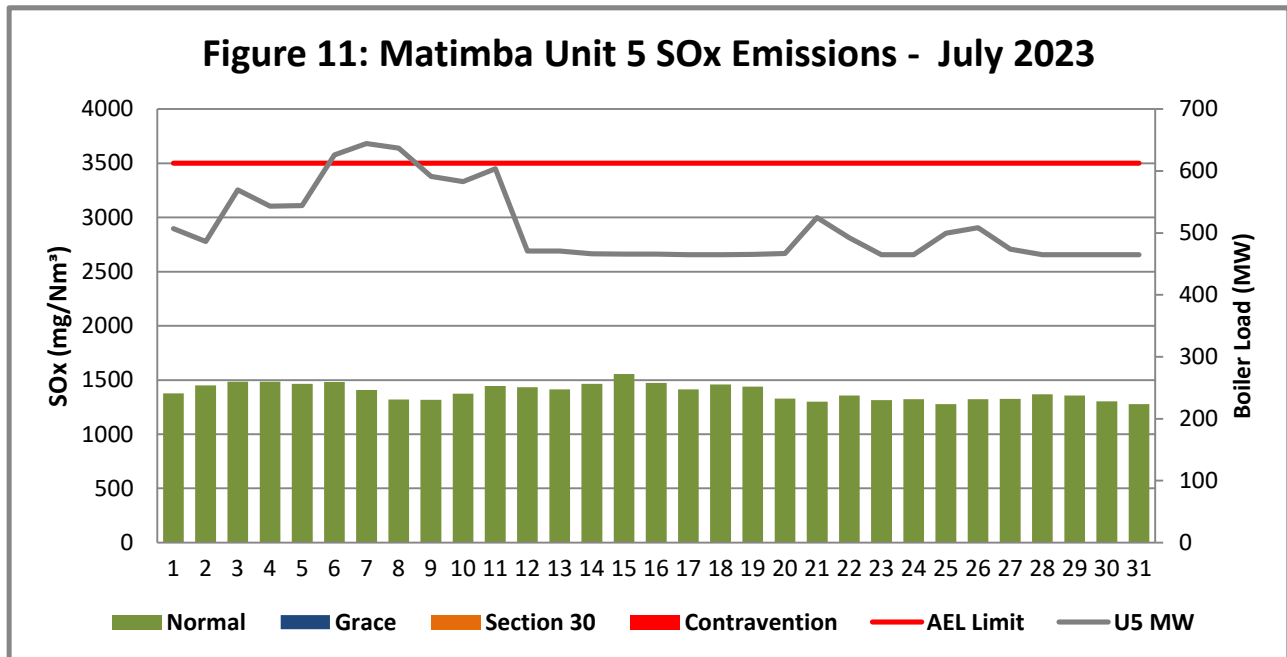
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 5 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

**Figure 11: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 5 for the month of July 2023**

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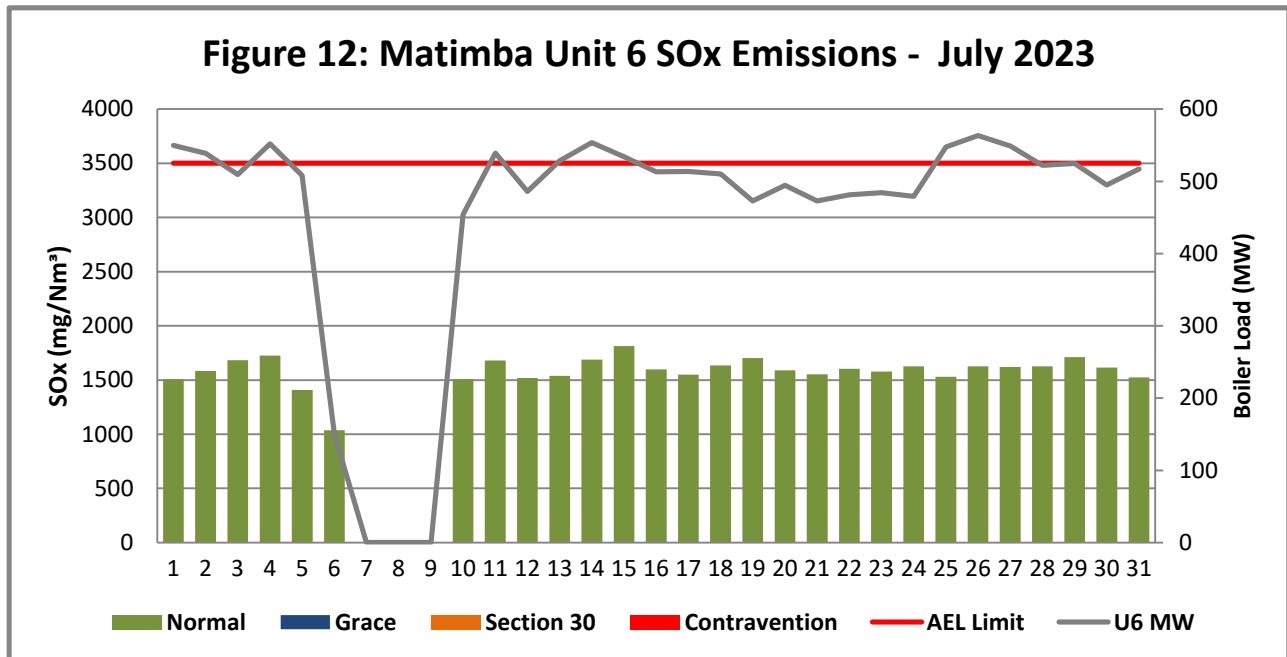
All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 6 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

**Figure 12: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of July 2023**

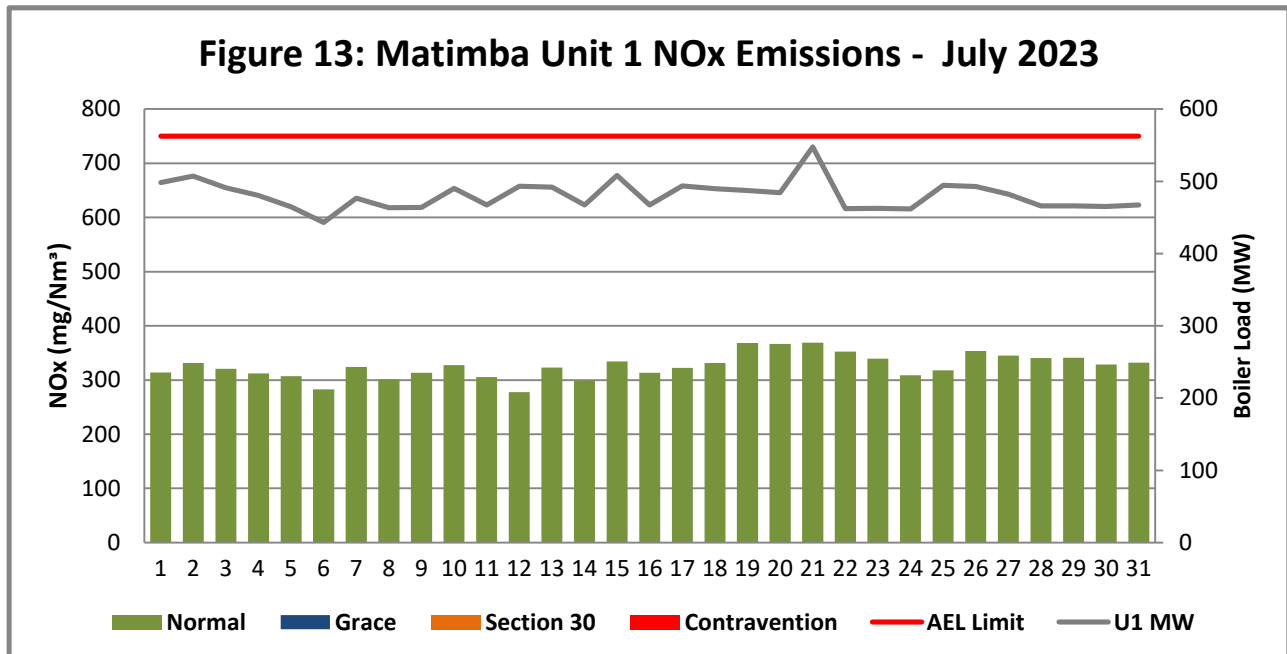
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages remained below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 1 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 13: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of July 2023**

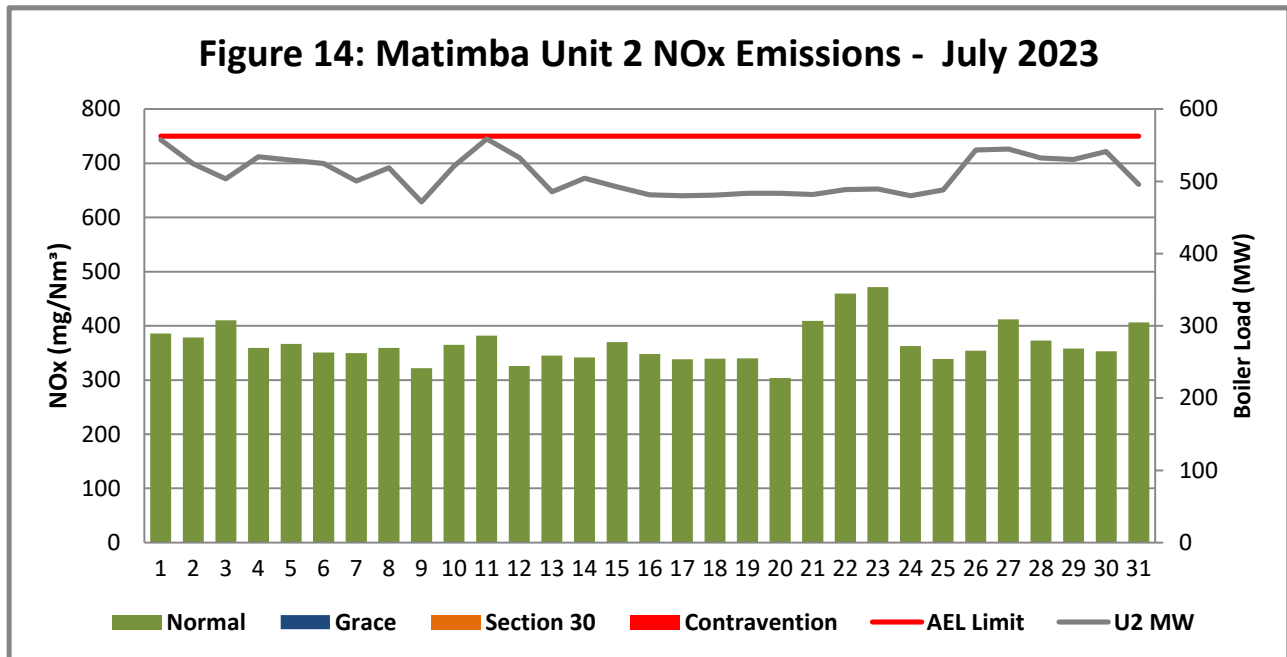
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below NO<sub>x</sub> emission limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 2 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 14: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of July 2023**

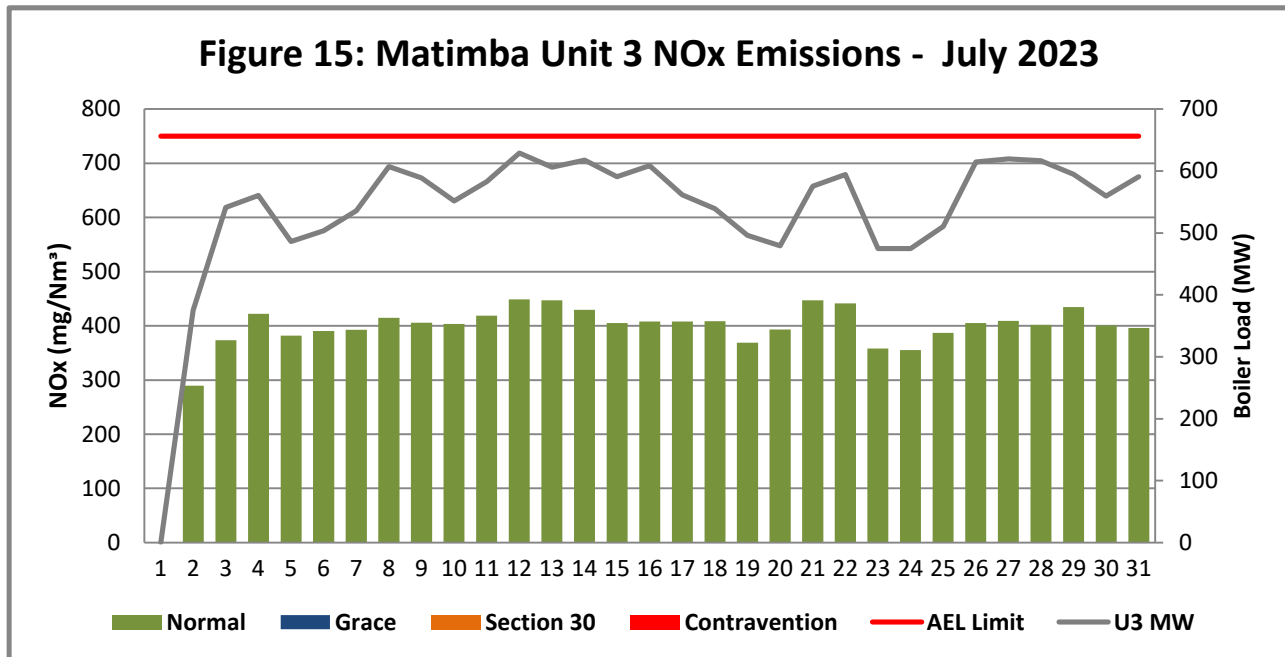
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below NO<sub>x</sub> emission limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 3 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 15: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of July 2023**

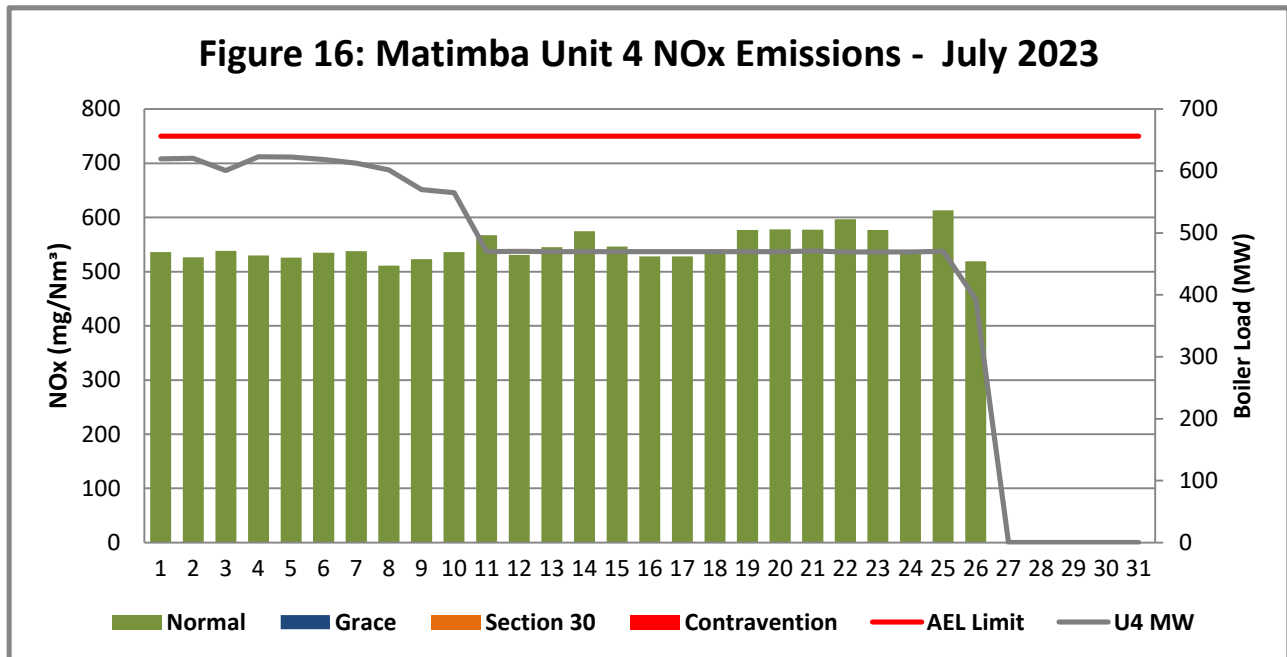
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below NO<sub>x</sub> emission limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 4 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 16: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of July 2023**

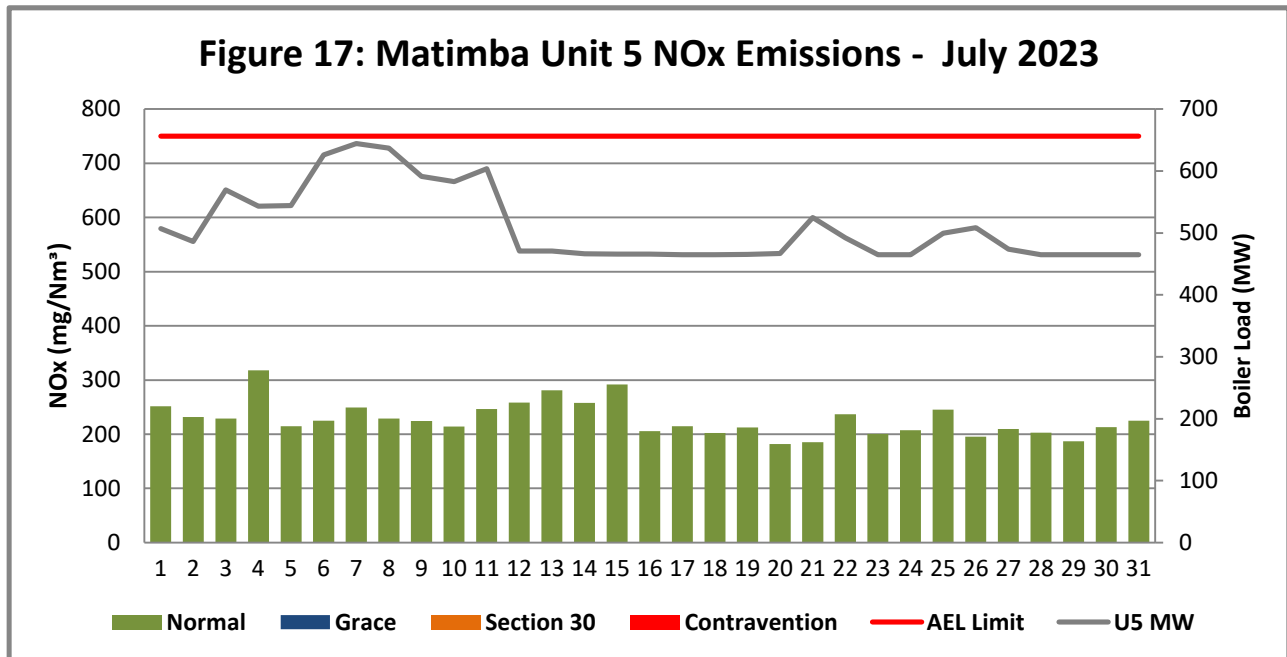
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Unit 5 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 17: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 5 for the month of July 2023**

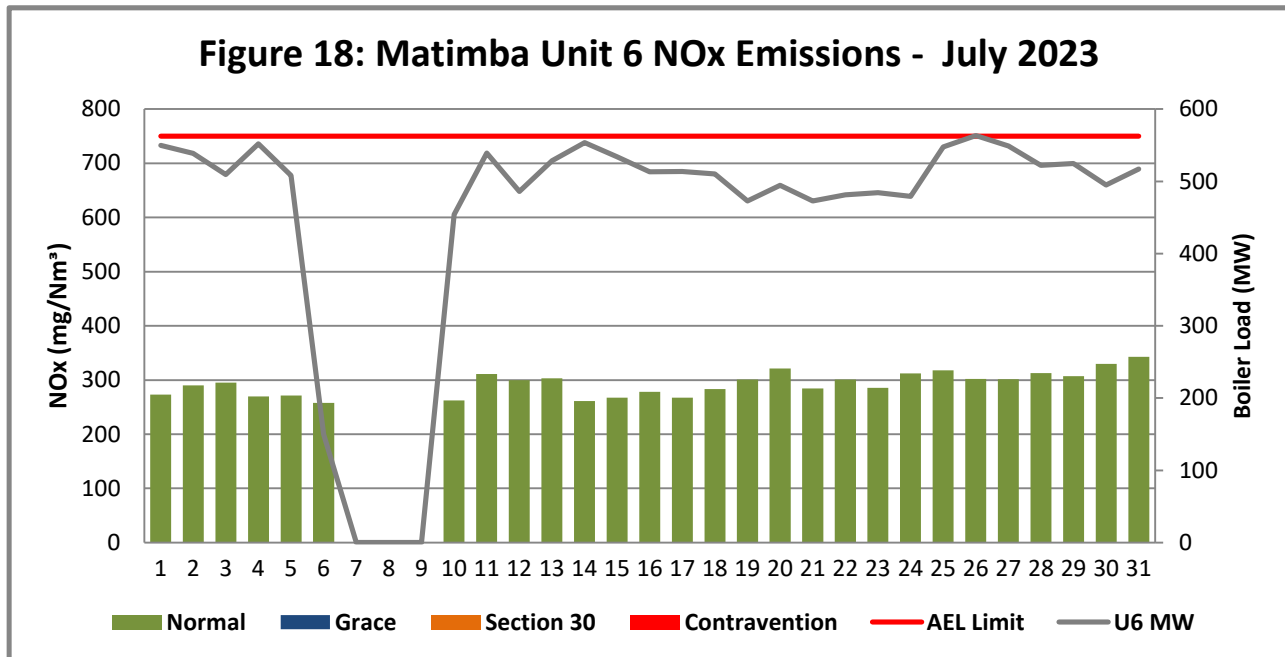
**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below NO<sub>x</sub> emission limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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Unit 6 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

**Figure 18 NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of July 2023**

**Interpretation:**

All daily averages below NO<sub>x</sub> emission limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.


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### 2.4.3 Total Volatile Organic Compounds

**Table 4:** Total volatile compound estimates

		
<b>CALCULATION OF EMISSIONS OF TOTAL VOLATILE COMPOUNDS FROM FUEL OIL STORAGE TANKS*</b>		
<b>Date:</b>	Thursday, 17 August 2023	
<b>Station:</b>	Matimba Power Station	
<b>Province:</b>	Limpopo Province	
<b>Tank no.</b>	1-4	
<b>Description:</b>	Outdoor fuel oil storage tank	
<b>Tank Type:</b>	Vertical fixed roof (vented to atmosphere)	
<b>Material stored:</b>	Fuel Oil 150	
<p align="center"><b>MONTHLY INPUT DATA FOR THE STATION</b></p> <p align="center">Please only insert relevant monthly data inputs into the <b>blue cells</b> below</p> <p align="center">Choose from a dropdown menu in the <b>green cells</b></p> <p align="center">The total VOC emissions for the month are in the <b>red cells</b></p> <p align="center">IMPORTANT: Do not change <b>any</b> other cells without consulting the AQ CoE</p>		
<b>MONTH:</b>	<b>August</b>	
<b>GENERAL INFORMATION:</b>	<b>Data</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Total number of fuel oil tanks:	4	NA
Height of tank:	13,34	m
Diameter of tank:	9,53	m
Net fuel oil throughput for the month:	<b>553,961</b>	
Molecular weight of the fuel oil:	166,00	Lb/lb-mole
<b>METEROLOGICAL DATA FOR THE MONTH</b>	<b>Data</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Daily average ambient temperature	20,46	°C
Daily maximum ambient temperature	28,86	°C
Daily minimum ambient temperature	12,76	°C
Daily ambient temperature range	16,09	°C
Daily total insolation factor	4,23	kWh/m²/day
Tank paint colour	<b>Grey/medium</b>	NA
Tank paint solar absorbance	0,68	NA
<b>FINAL OUTPUT:</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Breathing losses:	<b>0,56 kg/month</b>	
Working losses:	<b>0,02 kg/month</b>	
<b>TOTAL LOSSES (Total TVOC Emissions for the month):</b>	<b>0,58 kg/month</b>	
<p>*Calculations performed on this spreadsheet are taken from the USEPA AP-42- Section 7.1 Organic Liquid Storage Tanks - January 1996. This spreadsheet is derived from materials provided by Jimmy Peress, PE, Tritech Consulting Engineers, 85-93 Chew Chase Street, Jamaica, NY 11432 USA, Tel - 718-454-3920, Fax - 718-454-6330, e-mail - PeressJ@nyc.rr.com.</p>		

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## 2.4.4 Greenhouse gas (CO<sub>2</sub>) emissions

CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are reported in terms of the Greenhouse gas reporting regulations (GN 43712, GNR. 994/2020) and are not included in the monthly AEL compliance report.

## 2.5 Daily power generated

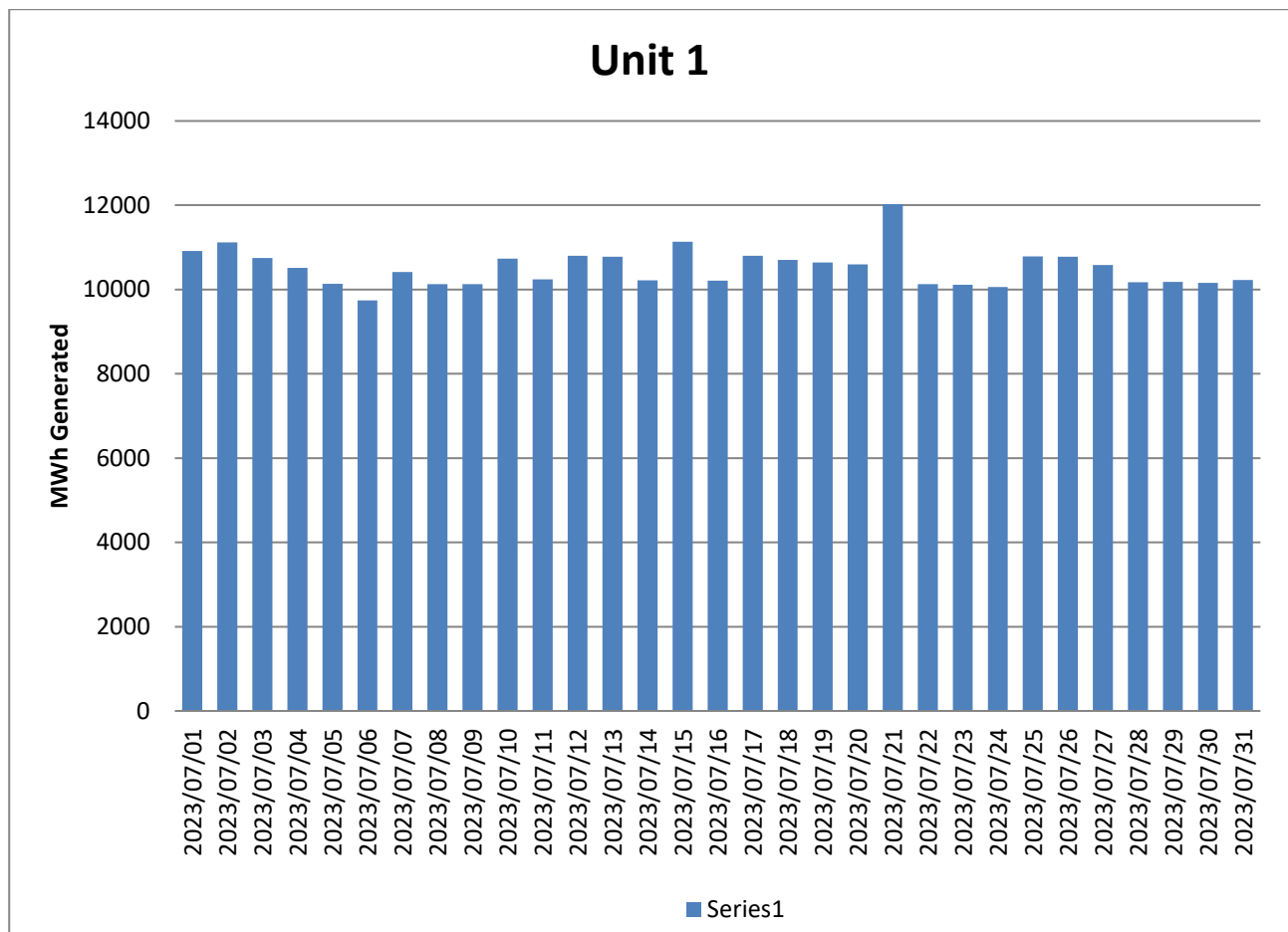
**Table 5:** Daily power generated per unit in MWh for the month of July 2023

Date	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
2023/06/01	11060,8	10172,3	13482,9	11925,3	0	11669,8
2023/06/02	10861,3	10246,3	13018,4	11311,7	6776,5	11213,8
2023/06/03	10751,1	10099,8	12315,1	11258,5	7493,8	11205,5
2023/06/04	10098,7	9715,31	12040,5	10857,9	10558,9	10553,9
2023/06/05	10895,3	9736,61	12449,6	11634,8	11393,6	10834,5
2023/06/06	11616,8	9968,28	12540,5	11827,2	12692,1	11285,3
2023/06/07	10214,5	10104	12760,1	10965,5	13086,2	11309
2023/06/08	10569	10096,9	12341	10868,1	11365,9	10968,2
2023/06/09	9704,67	10081,1	12094,4	10195	10212,3	10168,8
2023/06/10	10096,9	10153,9	10441	10171	10305	10004,3
2023/06/11	10212,5	10135,9	10474,2	10230,1	10266	10265,3
2023/06/12	10176	10192,3	10062,9	10191,1	10236,7	10239,9
2023/06/13	10152,7	10196,4	12441,3	10196,3	9980,69	10482,5
2023/06/14	10102,7	10185,5	11614,3	10195	10119,1	10244,2
2023/06/15	9900,2	10196,5	11295	11233,3	10114,4	10449,6
2023/06/16	9811,63	10169,5	13176,5	11730	10124,2	11645,7
2023/06/17	10829,7	10199,1	12183,5	11308,7	10121,8	11442,8
2023/06/18	11563,7	10183,7	13219,3	11301,2	10339,4	11837
2023/06/19	10697,8	10027,2	12026,8	11403,5	10106,2	11210,8
2023/06/20	10215,9	10084,6	12528,5	12135,6	10106,3	11218,5
2023/06/21	10781,5	10174,8	13066,1	12783,1	10140	11967,9
2023/06/22	10925,1	10181,1	12988,2	12927,4	10144,6	11289
2023/06/23	11206,9	10189,2	13314	12913,9	11124,2	11263,2
2023/06/24	11250,1	10175,7	1177,55	12931,9	10123,8	12183,5
2023/06/25	11609,2	10172,7	0	12670,4	10273,2	11900,8
2023/06/26	10511,3	10177,5	0	10805	10117,9	11639,4
2023/06/27	10663,2	10557,6	0	10204,1	10389,2	11928,2
2023/06/28	10248,4	11114	0	11021,5	11065	11862,7
2023/06/29	11149,6	11188,3	0	12859,6	10690,7	11146,5
2023/06/30	11008,3	11358,2	0	12951,7	11541,7	11565,5

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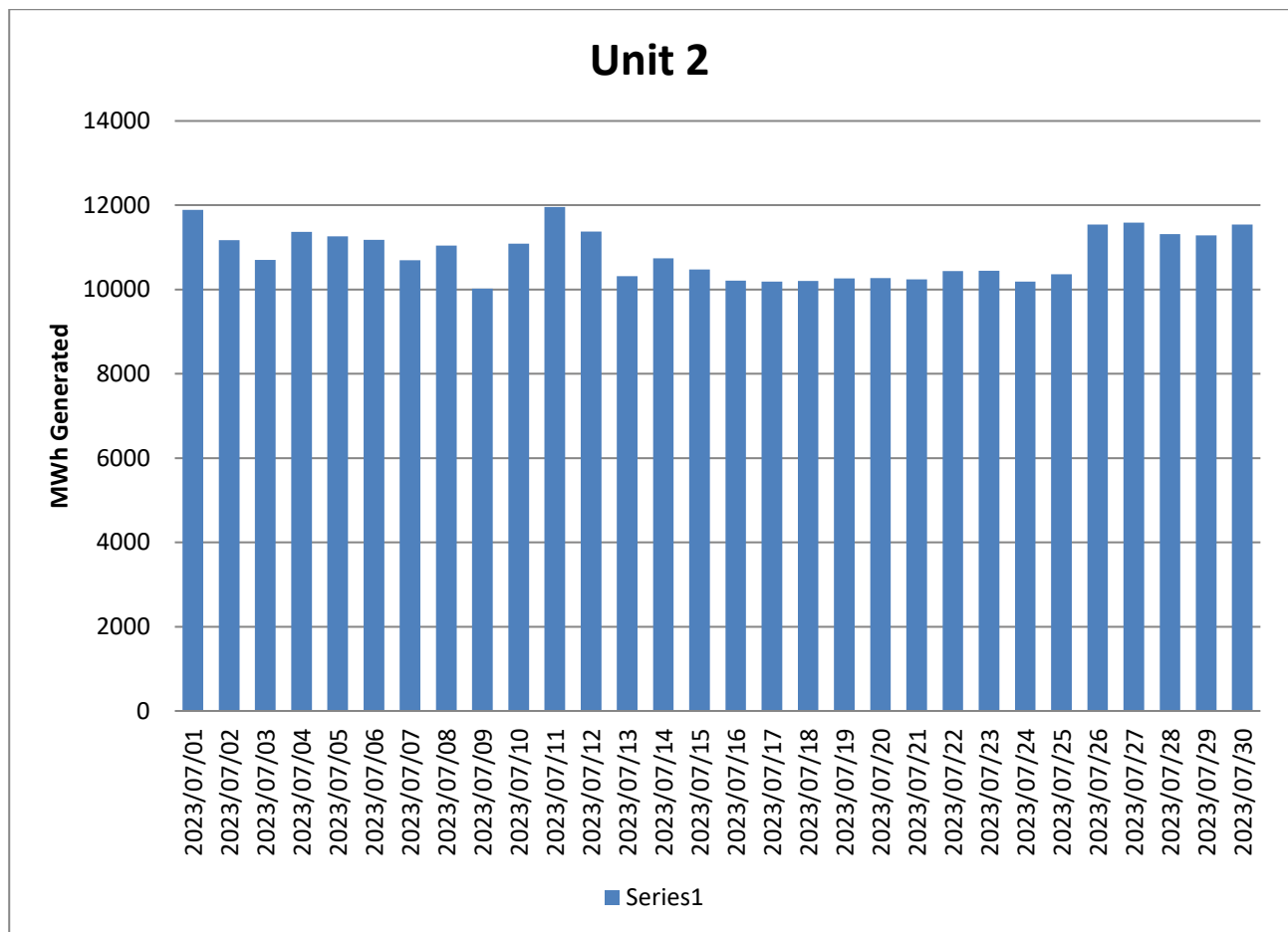


**Figure 19: Unit 1 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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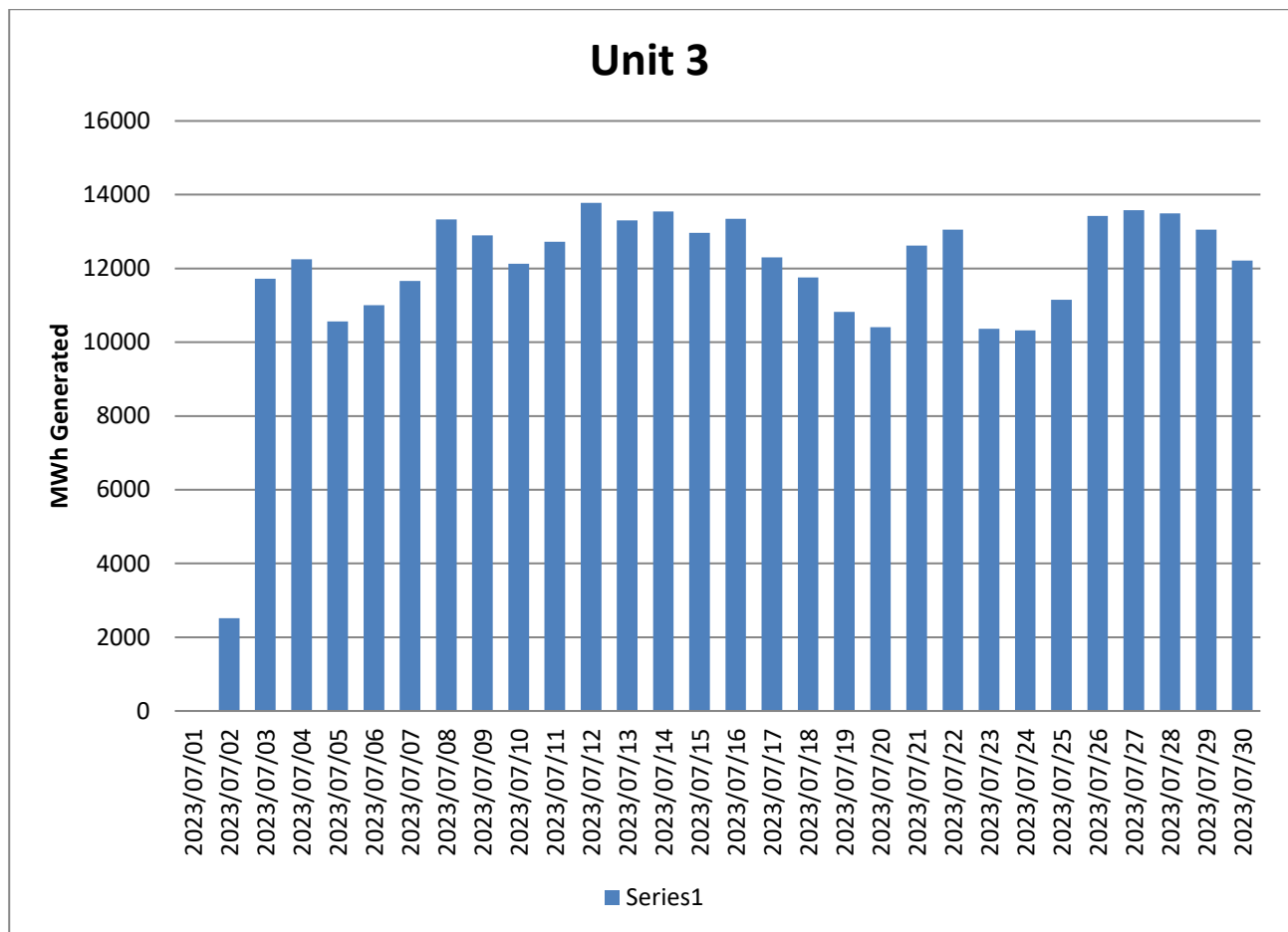


**Figure 20: Unit 2 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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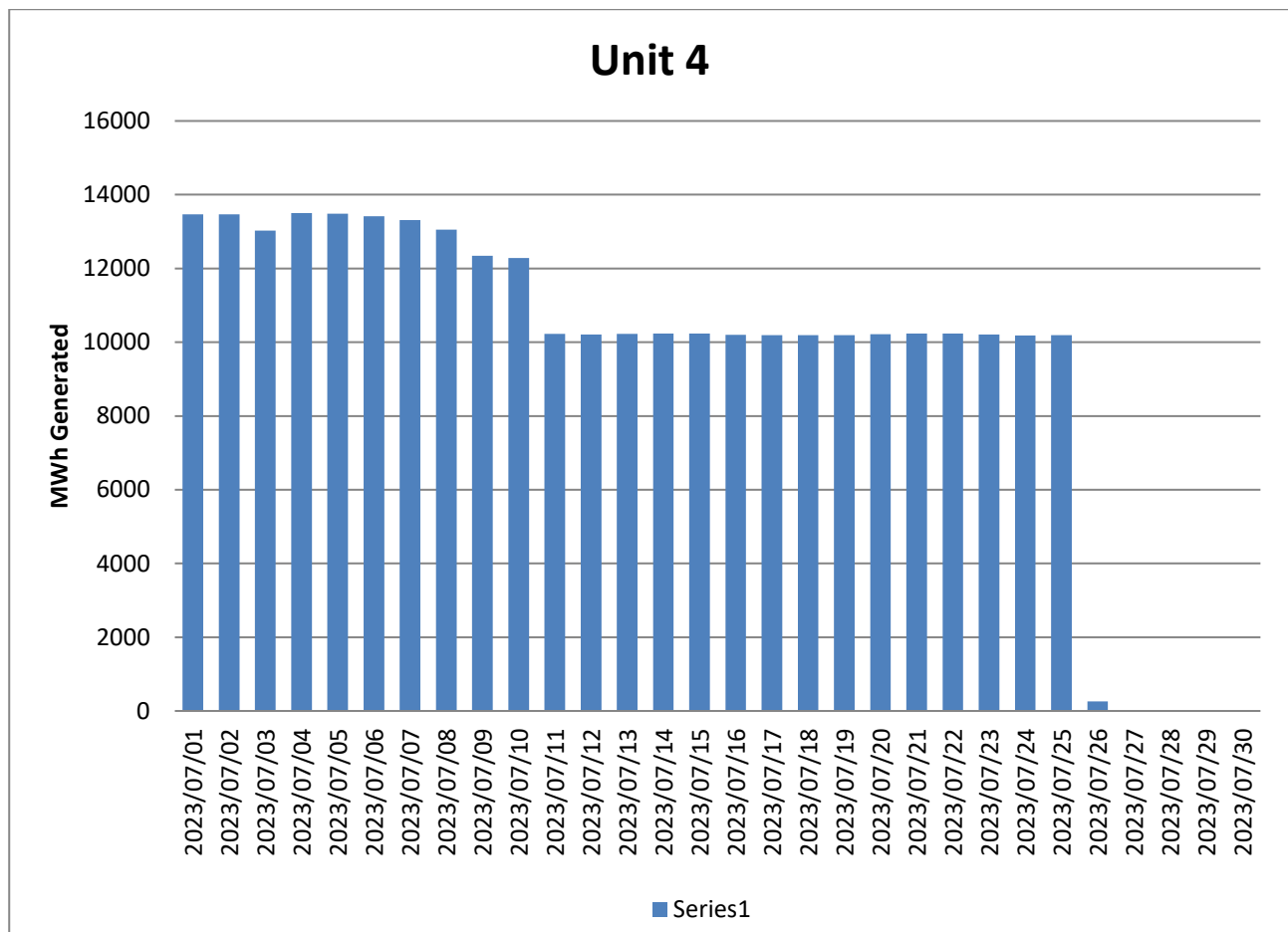


**Figure 21: Unit 3 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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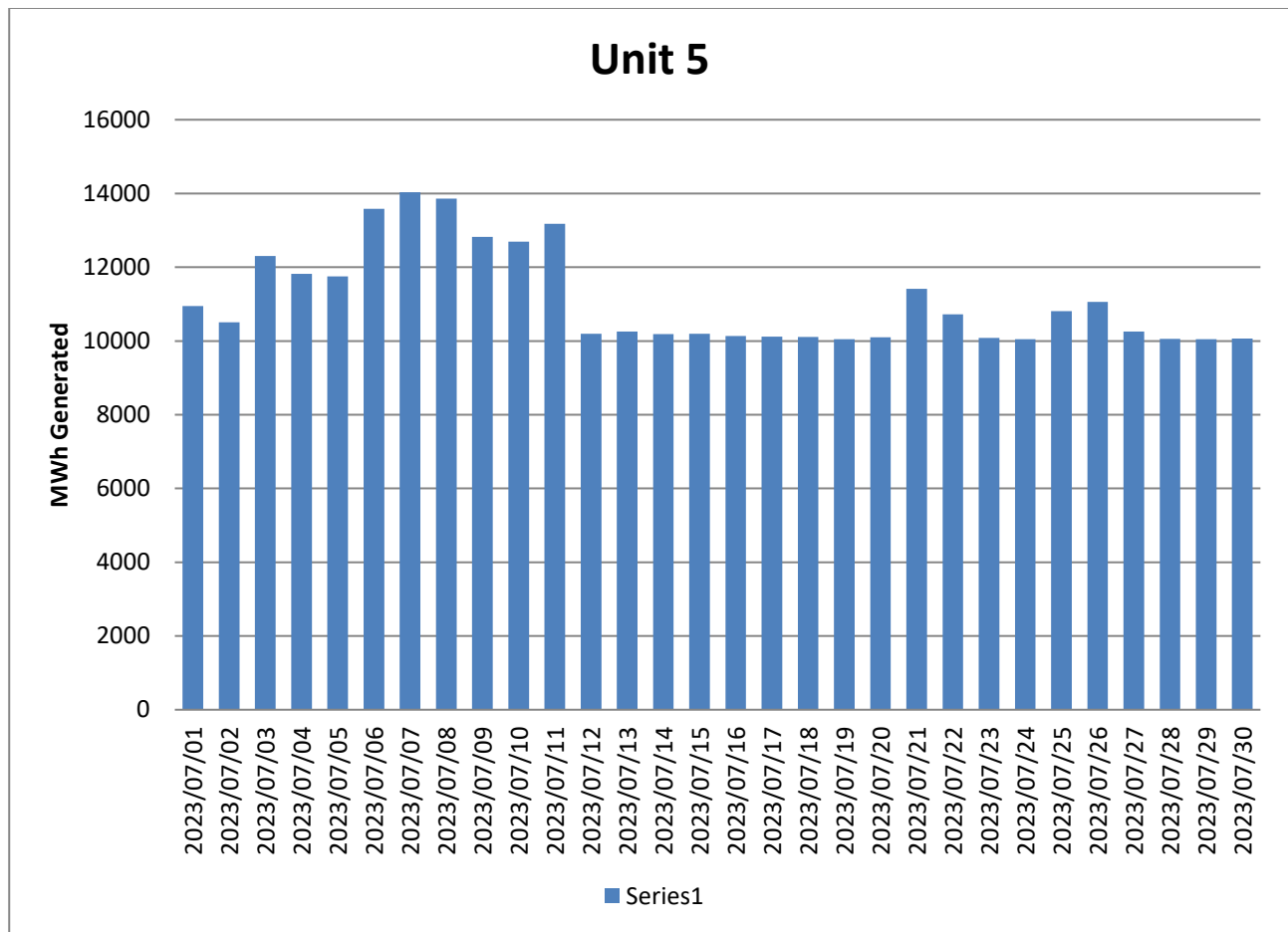


**Figure 22: Unit 4 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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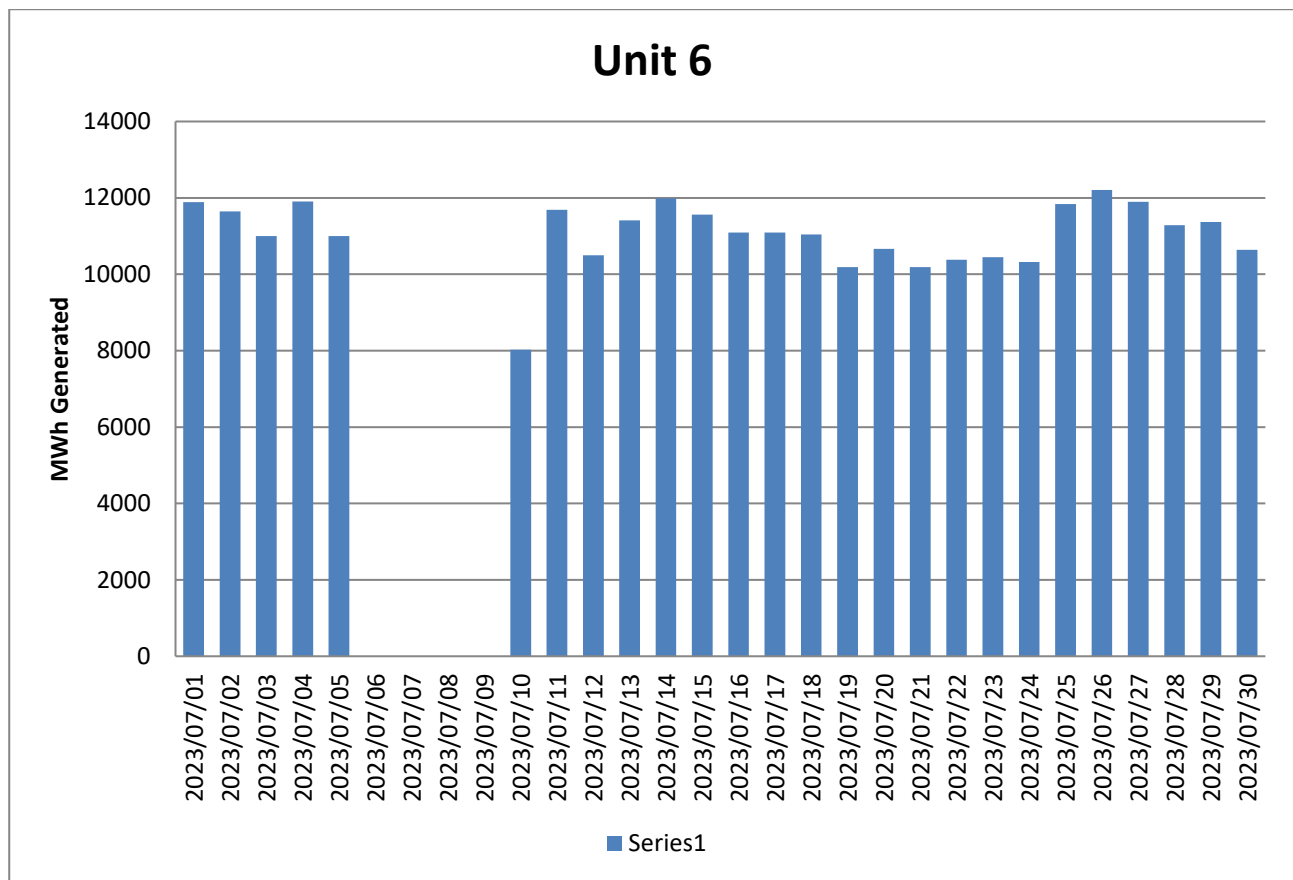


**Figure 23: Unit 5 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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**Figure 24: Unit 6 daily generated power in MWh for the month of July 2023**

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## 2.6 Pollutant Tonnages

The emitted pollutant tonnages for July 2023 are provided in table 6.

**Table 6:** Pollutant tonnages for the month of July 2023

Associated Unit/Stack	PM (tons)	SO <sub>2</sub> (tons)	NO <sub>x</sub> (tons)	CO <sub>2</sub> (tons)
Unit 1	105,9	3 969,6	636,0	330 201
Unit 2	94,0	6 399,7	950,1	395 837
Unit 3	85,2	5 748,8	1 003,5	424 098
Unit 4	141,8	4 092,2	886,2	275 782
Unit 5	110,5	2 818,2	461,4	221 889
Unit 6	53,2	3 363,6	617,2	354 299
<b>SUM</b>	<b>590,7</b>	<b>26 392,2</b>	<b>4 554,3</b>	<b>2 002 106</b>

## 2.7 Operating days in compliance to PM AEL Limit

**Table 7:** Operating days in compliance with PM AEL limit of July 2023

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average PM (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	10	12	0	9	21	57,4
Unit 2	18	7	0	6	13	48,4
Unit 3	24	3	0	2	5	44,5
Unit 4	9	2	0	15	17	125,8
Unit 5	11	6	0	14	20	63,0
Unit 6	22	3	0	2	5	37,5
<b>SUM</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>56</b>	

## 2.8 Operating days in compliance to SO<sub>x</sub> AEL Limit

**Table 8:** Operating days in compliance with SO<sub>x</sub> AEL limit of July 2023

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average SO <sub>x</sub> (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	31	0	0	0	0	2 027,8
Unit 2	31	0	0	0	0	2 462,5
Unit 3	30	0	0	0	0	2 310,0
Unit 4	26	0	0	0	0	2 515,8
Unit 5	31	0	0	0	0	1 391,2
Unit 6	28	0	0	0	0	1 584,9
<b>SUM</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

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## 2.9 Operating days in compliance to NO<sub>x</sub> AEL Limit

**Table 9: Operating days in compliance with NO<sub>x</sub> AEL limit of July 2023**

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average NO <sub>x</sub> (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	31	0	0	0	0	326,0
Unit 2	31	0	0	0	0	367,1
Unit 3	30	0	0	0	0	401,6
Unit 4	26	0	0	0	0	547,4
Unit 5	31	0	0	0	0	227,4
Unit 6	28	0	0	0	0	293,3
<b>SUM</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

## 2.10 Reference values

**Table 10:** Reference values for data provided, July 2023

Compound / Parameter	Units of Measure	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
Oxygen	%	5,87	8,91	4,95	8,05	6,12	6,23
Moisture	%	4,44	3,19	5,41	3,01	4,39	1,85
Velocity	m/s	21,2	33,4	26,8	25,0	21,5	28,1
Temperature	°C	140,9	124,3	129,1	133,6	124,4	161,7
Pressure	mBar	928,8	936,0	920,4	923,7	943,5	920,5

## 2.11 Continuous Emission Monitors

### 2.11.1 Reliability

Continuous emission monitors were available for more than 80% of the reporting period. The emitted pollutant tonnages for July 2023 are provided in table 6.

**Table 11:** Average percentage (%) availability of monitors for the month of July 2023.

Associated Unit/Stack	PM	SO <sub>2</sub>	NO
Unit 1	100,0	100,0	100,0
Unit 2	100,0	100,0	98,7
Unit 3	99,6	100,0	100,0
Unit 4	82,5	100,0	99,8
Unit 5	99,9	99,7	96,6
Unit 6	94,6	96,4	96,4

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## 2.11.2 Changes, downtime, and repairs

### Unit 1

- No adjustments done on the CEMs. Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

### Unit 2

- No adjustments done on the CEMs. Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

### Unit 3

- No adjustments done on the CEMs. Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

### Unit 4

- No adjustments done on the CEMs. Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

### Unit 5

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.

No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

### Unit 6

- No adjustments done on the CEMs. Calibration of gaseous analysers is not done from April 2023 due to unavailability of the calibration gas.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors

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### 2.11.3 Sampling dates and times

**Table 12:** Dates of last conducted CEMS verification tests for PM, SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub>

<b>Name of service provider:</b>		Stacklabs Environmental Services CC		
<b>Address of service provider:</b>		10 Chisel Street Boltonia Krugersdorp 1739		
<b>Stack/ Unit</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>SO<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>NO<sub>x</sub></b>	<b>CO<sub>2</sub></b>
1	2020/09/30 06h04	2020/09/09 13h00	2020/09/09 13h00	2020/09/09 13h00
2	2021/01/26 04h52	2021/01/27 13h00	2021/01/27 13h00	2021/01/27 13h00
3	2021/08/10 12h05	2020/09/24 07h00	2020/09/24 07h00	2020/09/24 07h00
4	2021/07/13 14h31	2020/09/16 02h00	2020/09/16 02h00	2020/09/16 02h00
5	2020/10/06 05h39	2020/10/08 02h30	2020/10/08 02h30	2020/10/08 02h30
6	2020/09/09 06h41	2020/09/09 13h00	2020/09/09 13h00	2020/09/09 13h00

Note: The CEMS verification tests for PM, SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> were performed in October 2022 and failed. The tests are planned to be repeated on 18 July 2023.

### 2.12 Units Start-up information

**Table 13:** Start-up information

<b>Unit</b>	3	
<b>Fires in</b>	2023/07/02	09h33
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2023/07/02	15h43
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2023/07/02	22h01
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	6,10	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	6,18	HOURS

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<b>Unit</b>	6	
<b>Fires in</b>	2023/07/09	22h42
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2023/07/10	03h52
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2023/07/10	19h01
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	5,10	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	15,8	HOURS

## 2.13 Emergency generation

**Table 14:** Emergency generation

	<b>Unit 1</b>	<b>Unit 2</b>	<b>Unit 3</b>	<b>Unit 4</b>	<b>Unit 5</b>	<b>Unit 6</b>
<b>Emergency Generation hours declared by national Control</b>	744	744	744	744	744	744
<b>Emergency Hours declared including hours after stand down</b>						
<b>Days over the Limit during Emergency Generation</b>	22	13	5	17	20	5

During the period under review all Units were on emergency generation in force from 01 July 2023 until 31 July 2023.

## 2.14 Complaints register

**Table 15:** Complaints

<b>Source Code/ Name</b>	<b>Root Cause Analysis</b>	<b>Calculation of Impacts/ emissions associated with the incident</b>	<b>Dispersion modelling of pollutants where applicable</b>	<b>Measures implemented to prevent reoccurrence</b>	<b>Date by which measure will be implemented</b>
Manketti Lodge	Investigation underway.				

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## **2.15 Air quality improvements and social responsibility conducted**

### **2.15.1 Air quality improvements**

None

### **2.15.2 Social responsibility conducted**

None

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## 2.16 Ambient air quality monitoring

Ambient air quality monitoring report was not available at the time of publishing this report.

## 2.17 Electrostatic precipitator and Sulphur plant status

### Unit 1

- 8 fields out of service, will be inspected next opportunity.
- No abnormalities on the SO3 plant. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### Unit 2

- 11 fields out of service, will be inspected next opportunity.
- No abnormalities on the SO3 plant. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### Unit 3

- 2 fields out of service, will be inspected next opportunity. No abnormalities on the SO3 plant. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### Unit 4

- 9 field out of service, will be inspected next opportunity.
- No abnormalities on the SO3 plant. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### Unit 5

- 7 fields out of service, will be inspected next opportunity.
- Hole in burner casing and sulphur leak causing low availability. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### Unit 6

- 13 fields out of service, will be inspected next opportunity.
- Hole in burner casing and sulphur leak causing low availability. Preventative maintenance done during the month.

### SO3 common plant

- No abnormalities on the sulphur storage plant.

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## 2.18 General

### Name and reference number of the monitoring methods used:

1. Particulate and gas monitoring according to standards
  - a. BS EN 14181:2004 - Quality Assurance of Automated Measuring Systems
  - b. ESKOM internal standard 240-56242363 Emissions Monitoring and Reporting Standard

### Sampling locations:

1. Stack one
  - a. Particulates:
    - i. S23° 40' 2.8" E027° 36' 34.8" 175m from ground level and 75m from the top.
  - b. Gas:
    - i. S23° 40' 2.8" E027° 36' 34.8" 100m from ground level and 150m from the top.
  - c. Stack height
    - i. 250 meter consist of 3 flues
2. Stack two
  - a. Particulates:
    - i. S23° 40' 14.8" E027° 36' 47.5" 175m from ground level and 75m from the top.
  - b. Gas:
    - i. S23° 40' 14.8" E027° 36' 47.5" 100m from ground level and 150m from the top.
  - c. Stack height
    - i. 250 meter consist of 3 flues

## 3. Attachments

None

## 4. Report Conclusion

The rest of the information demonstrating compliance with the emission license conditions is supplied in the annual emission report sent to your office.

Hoping the above will meet your satisfaction.

I hereby declare that the information in this report is correct.

Yours sincerely

*Wikus van Rensburg*

GENERAL MANAGER: MATIMBA POWER STATION

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