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DUVHA POWER STATION

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GENERAL MANAGER

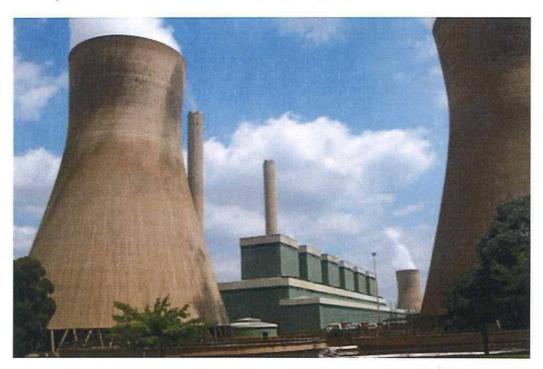
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DUVHA POWER STATION MONTHLY EMISSIONS REPORT

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1 RAW MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS

Raw Materials and Products	Raw Material Type	Units	Maximum Permitted Consumption Rate	Consumptio n Rate Feb- 2025	
Naw materials and i roducts	Coal	Tons	1 400 000	276 097.840	
	Fuel Oil	Tons	5 000	2162.27	
Production Rates	Product / By- Product Name	Units	Maximum Production Capacity Permitted	Indicative Production Rate Feb-	
Floudction Nates			II COMMONITORESSES	2025	

Tons

not specified

64 800.2

Note: Maximum energy rate is as per the maximum capacity stated in the AEL: [3 600 MW] x 24 hrs x days in Month/1000 to convert to GWh

Ash

2 ENERGY SOURCE CHARACTERISTICS

Coal Characteristic	Units	Stipulated Range	Monthly Average Content
CV Content	MJ/kg	18-24	22.60
Sulphur Content	%	0.6 TO >1.2	0.63
Ash Content	%	27 TO 30	23.47

3 EMISSION LIMITS (mg/Nm³)

Associated Unit/Stack	PM	SO ₂	NOx
Unit 1	100	3500	1100
Unit 2	100	3500	1100
Unit 4	100	3500	1100
Unit 5	100	3500	1100
Unit 6	100	3500	1100

4 ABATEMENT TECHNOLOGY (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	Technology Type	Efficiency Feb-2025	Technology Type	SO ₃ Utlization Feb-2025
Unit 1	FFP	99.9%	SO₃	n/a
Unit 2	FFP	100.0%	SO ₃	n/a
Unit 4	ESP + SO₃	Off	SO ₃	Off
Unit 5	ESP + SO₃	Off	SO ₃	Off
Unit 6	ESP + SO₃	99.7%	SO₃	100.0%

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

5 MONITOR RELIABILITY (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	РМ	SO ₂	NO	O ₂
Unit 1	100.0	94.8	96.1	100.0
Unit 2	100.0	90.9	94.6	99.5
Unit 4	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	99.2	83.3	100.0	98.7

Note: NOx emissions is measured as NO in PPM. Final NOx value is expressed as total NO2

6 EMISSION PERFORMANCE

Table 6.1: Monthly tonnages for the month of February 2025

Associated Unit/Stack	PM (tons)	SO ₂ (tons)	NO _x (tons)
Unit 1	39.1	2 964	1 086
Unit 2	15.8	2 266	1 080
Unit 4	Off	Off	Off
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	91.2	254	170
SUM	146.11	5 483	2 336

Table 6.2: Operating days in compliance to PM AEL Limit - February 2025

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average PM (mg/Nm³)
Unit 1	27	0	0	0	0	25.6
Unit 2	27	0	0	0	0	11.3
Unit 4	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	2	3	0	0	3	513.8
SUM	56	3	0	0	3	

Table 6.3: Operating days in compliance to SO₂ AEL Limit - February 2025

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average SO ₂ (mg/Nm³)
Unit 1	28	0	0	0	0	1 879.8
Unit 2	28	0	0	0	0	1 561.9
Unit 4	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	6	0	0	0	0	1 090.9
SUM	62	0	0	0	0	

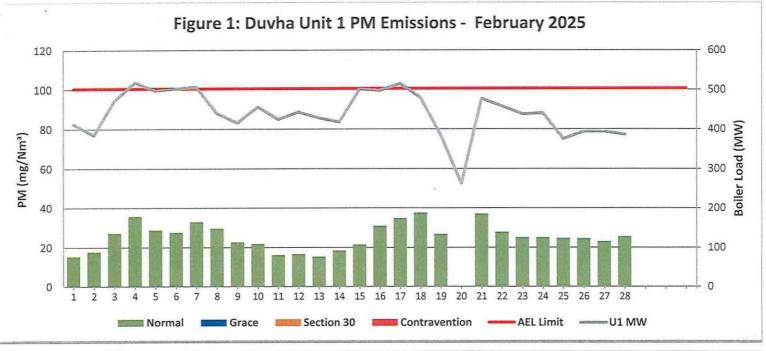
Table 6.4: Operating days in compliance to NOx AEL Limit - February 2025

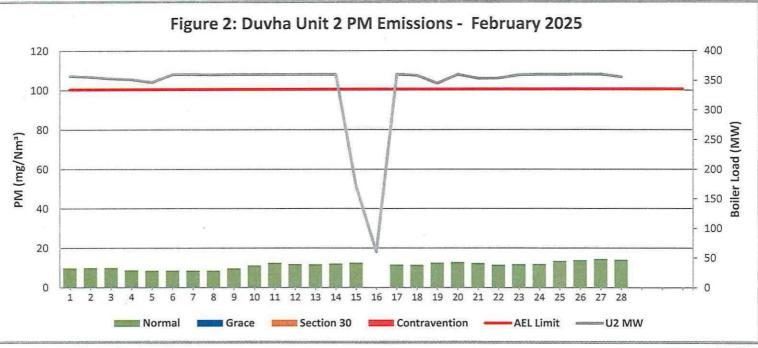
Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average NOx (mg/Nm³)
Unit 1	28	0	0	0	0	687.9
Unit 2	28	0	0	0	0	748.2
Unit 4	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	6	0	0	0	0	676.4
SUM	62	0	0	0	0	

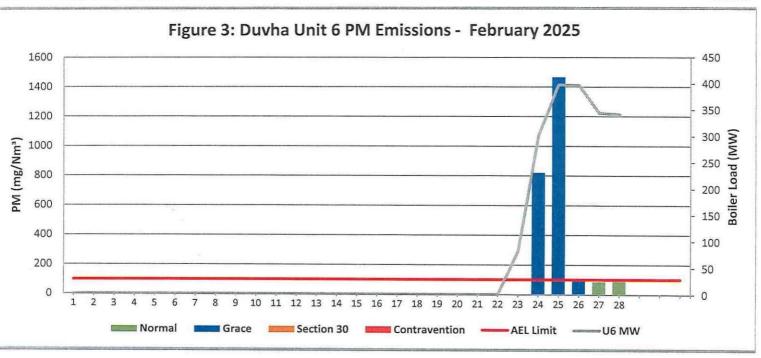
Note: NO_x emissions is measured as NO in PPM. Final NO_x value is expressed as total NO₂

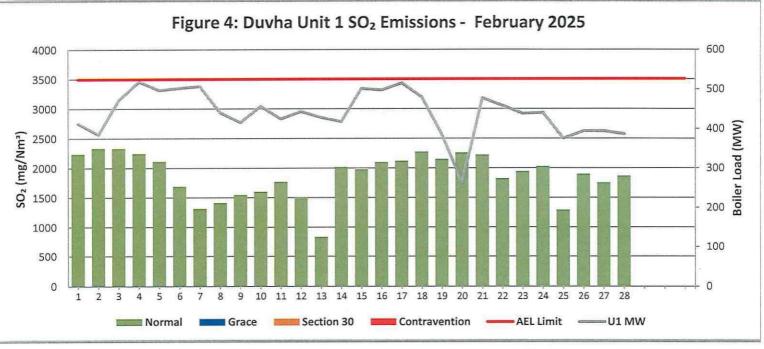
Table 6.5: Legend Description

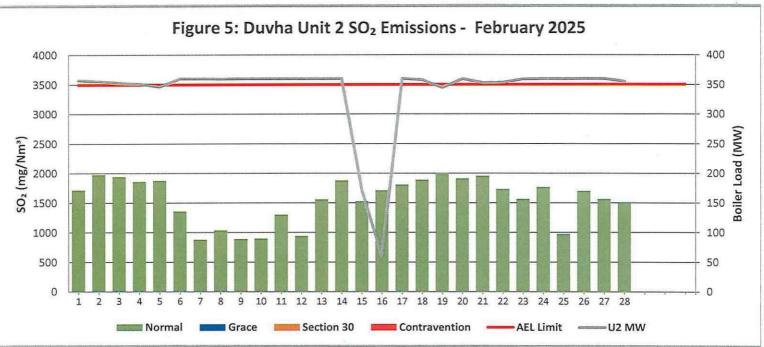
Condition	Colour	Description			
Normal		Emissions below Emission Limit Value (ELV)			
Grace		Emissions above the ELV during grace period			
Section 30		Emissions above ELV during a NEMA S30 incident			
Contravention		Emissions above ELV but outside grace or S30 incident conditions			

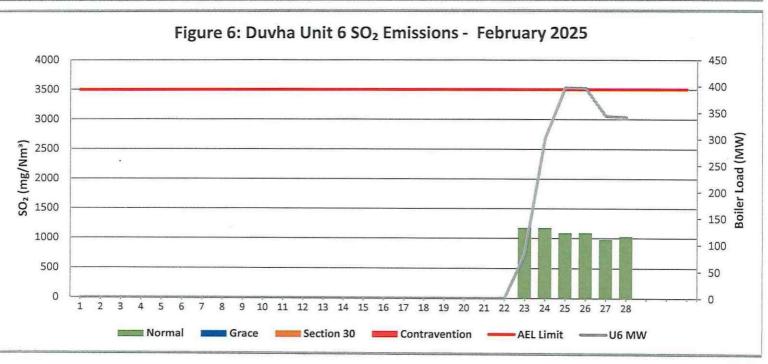




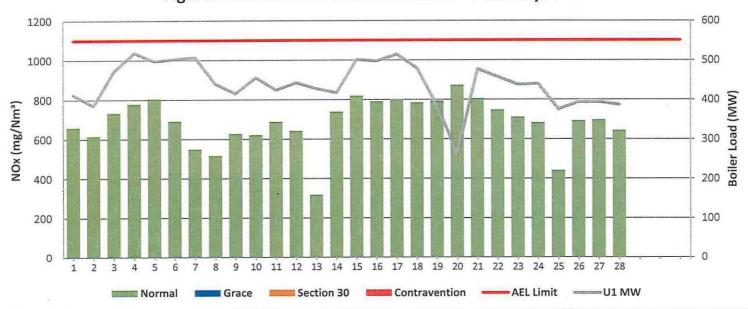


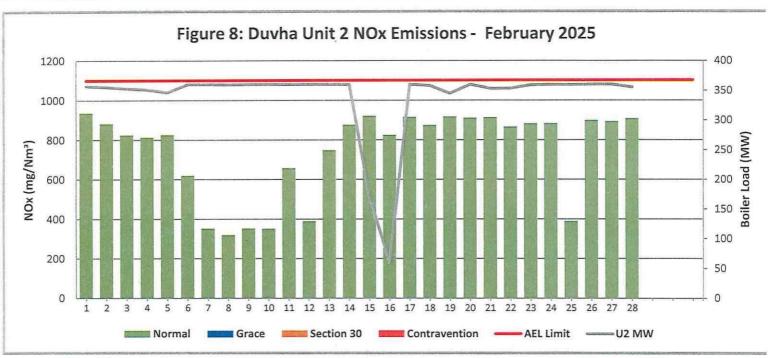


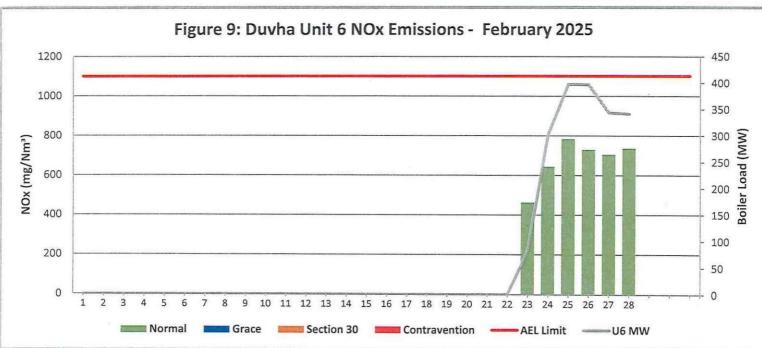












7 SHUT DOWN AND LIGHT UP INFORMATION

Tables 7.1: Shut-down and light-up information for the month of February 2025

Unit No.1	Event 1		
Breaker Open (BO)	6:25 pm	2025/02/19	
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)	9:40 pm	2025/02/19	
BO to DG SD (duration)	00:03:15	DD:HH:MM	
Fires in time	1:15 am	2025/02/20	
Synch. to Grid (or BC)	7:05 am	2025/02/20	
Fires in to BC (duration)	00:05:50	DD:HH:MM	
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)	not > limit	not > limit	
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)	n/a	DD:HH:MM	

Unit No.2	Event 1			
Breaker Open (BO)	11:45 am	2025/02/15		
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)	8:45 am	2025/02/16		
BO to DG SD (duration)	00:21:00	DD:HH:MM		
Fires in time	10:50 am	2025/02/16		
Synch. to Grid (or BC)	7:15 pm	2025/02/16		
Fires in to BC (duration)	00:08:25	DD:HH:MM		
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)	not > limit	not > limit		
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)	n/a	DD:HH:MM		

Unit No.6	Event 1		Event 2	
Breaker Open (BO)	BO previously	BO previously	9:40 pm	2025/02/28
Draught Group (DG) Shut Down (SD)	2:20 am	2025/02/16	DG did not trip or SD	DG did not trip or SD
BO to DG SD (duration)	n/a	DD:HH:MM	n/a	DD:HH:MM
Fires in time	7:35 am	2025/02/23		
Synch. to Grid (or BC)	10:50 pm	2025/02/23		
Fires in to BC (duration)		DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM
Emissions below limit from BC (end date)	7:00 pm	2025/02/27		
Emissions below limit from BC (duration)	03:20:10	DD:HH:MM		DD:HH:MM

8 COMPLAINTS

There were no complaints for this month

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

9 GENERAL

Exceedance Particulate Matter

Unit 6

24/02/2025 - 26/02/2025

The unit came back from a cold unit light up. There was a backlog on the Dust handling plant and the precipitator fields tripped on communication fault.

The averages for Oxygen (O2) and Carbon Dioxide (CO2) data from the QAL2 tests reports were used for reporting gaseous emissions for units 1, 2 and 4 due to poor performance of the O2 and CO2 gaseous monitors. The poor performance of the monitors, on multiple units was because of the station's inability to conduct bi-weekly calibrations and preventative maintenance of the O2 analysers for an extended period

The lack of preventative maintenance on the O2 analysers is because the station historically did not have a long-term maintenance contract for this purpose. When a contract was eventually placed in October 2024, a fault-finding exercise was conducted by the service provider (SI analytics) gave their findings which are being addressed.

The station has given the service provider time to resolve these issues identified with the monitors and the monitors are expected to perform at 80% reliability by 31 April 2025

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

10 S30 Incidents Register

There were no section 30 incidents for this month

Boiler Mant Engineering Manager

2025-03-31 Date

Engineering Manager

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