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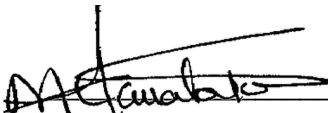
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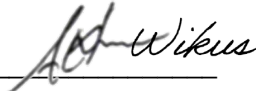
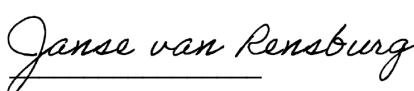
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## 1. Report Summary

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 licencing Authorities. This report contains the required information as specified in the license for March 2026. The information recorded in the report is obtained from Matimba Emission Reporting tool MTB0925ERT.



During the period under review, Matimba experienced thirty-three (33) exceedances of the daily particulate matter emission limit ( $50\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ), twenty one of those exceedances occurred within the 48-hour grace period and 12 occurred out of the 48 hours startup/upset conditions grace period.

There were no exceedances of the monthly  $\text{SO}_x$  limit ( $3500\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ) and the daily  $\text{NO}_x$  emission limit ( $750\text{mg}/\text{Nm}^3$ ).

Flue gas conditioning plant availability was above 90% for unit 1,3,4 and unit 6. All units  $\text{SO}_3$  plant availability was below 100% due to plants on hold when running with low load and defects experienced on the plant. Unit 2 availability was 87% due to plant on permit to work for multiple defects repairs on from the 22 March 2026 to 27 March 2026.

The consumption rates for fuel oil for the month of March 2026 exceeded the limit of 1200 tons by 1836.90 tons due to multiple units' light ups on unit 3 and 4.

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	807 578.00
	Fuel Oil	Tons/month	1 200	1836.90
Production Rates	Product/ By-Product Name	Unit	Maximum Production Capacity Permitted (Quantity)	Production Rate
	Energy	MW	4000	1 463.31
	Ash	Tons/month	547500	250106.91

- The consumption rates for fuel oil for the month of March 2026 exceeded the permitted maximum limits due to Unit 3 and unit 4 multiple light ups.

### 2.2 Abatement technology

Table 2: Abatement Equipment Control Technology Utilised

Associated Unit	Technology Type	Minimum utilisation (%)	Efficiency (%)
Unit 1	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99.63%
Unit 2	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99.75%
Unit 3	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99.95%
Unit 4	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99.90%
Unit 5	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	Off-line
Unit 6	Electrostatic Precipitator	100%	99.84%
Associated Unit	Technology Type	Minimum utilisation (%)	Actual Utilisation (%)
Unit 1	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	99%
Unit 2	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	87%
Unit 3	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	90%
Unit 4	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	94%
Unit 5	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	Unit Off-line
Unit 6	SO <sub>3</sub> Plant	100%	99%

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

	Characteristic	Stipulated Range (Unit)	Monthly Average Content
Coal burned	Sulphur Content	1.6%	1.24%
	Ash Content	40%	30.97%

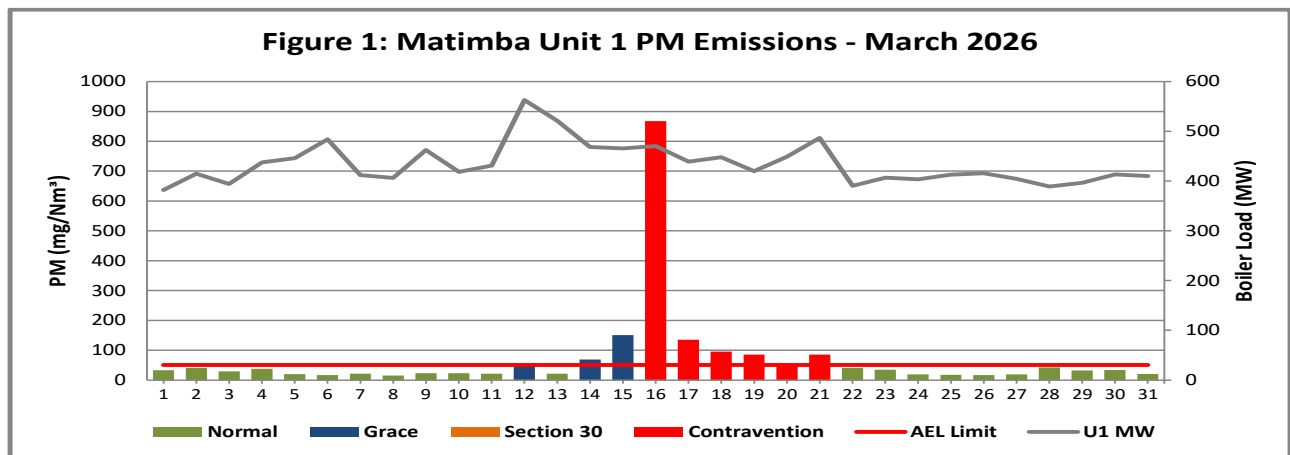
Energy source characteristics remained within the ranges stipulated in the license.

## 2.3 Emissions reporting

### 2.3.1 Particulate Matter Emissions

The emission monitors correlation and parallel tests were performed on unit 2,3 and 4 in June 2024 and the curves were applied on emissions calculations for March 2026. Unit 5 emission calculations were done using the correlation/parallel tests curves from the spot test performed in August 2023. Unit 1 and 6 emission calculations were done using the correlation/parallel tests curves performed in July 2025. Unit 2 PM correlation curve applied is linear curve, Unit 1,3 ,4 and 6 PM correlation curve applied are polynomial curve.

#### Unit 1 Particulate Emissions



**Figure 1: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of March 2026**

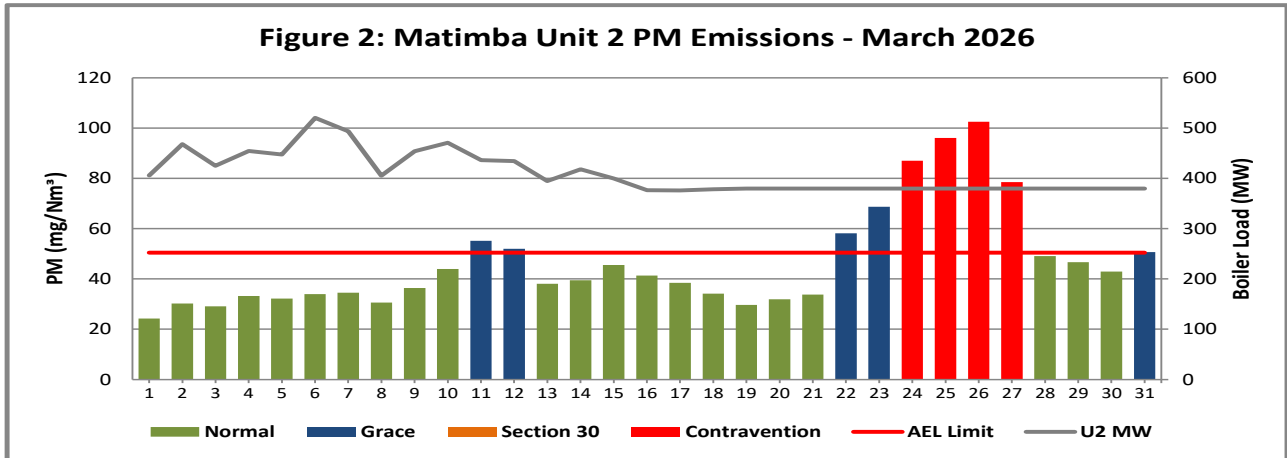
**Interpretation:** Unit 1 daily particulate emission exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 12 and 14 to 21 March 2026. The exceedance was identified after the implementation of the polynomial correlation curve on the unit, which were tested in August 2025. The exceedance will be recorded and managed as per Eskom incident management process.

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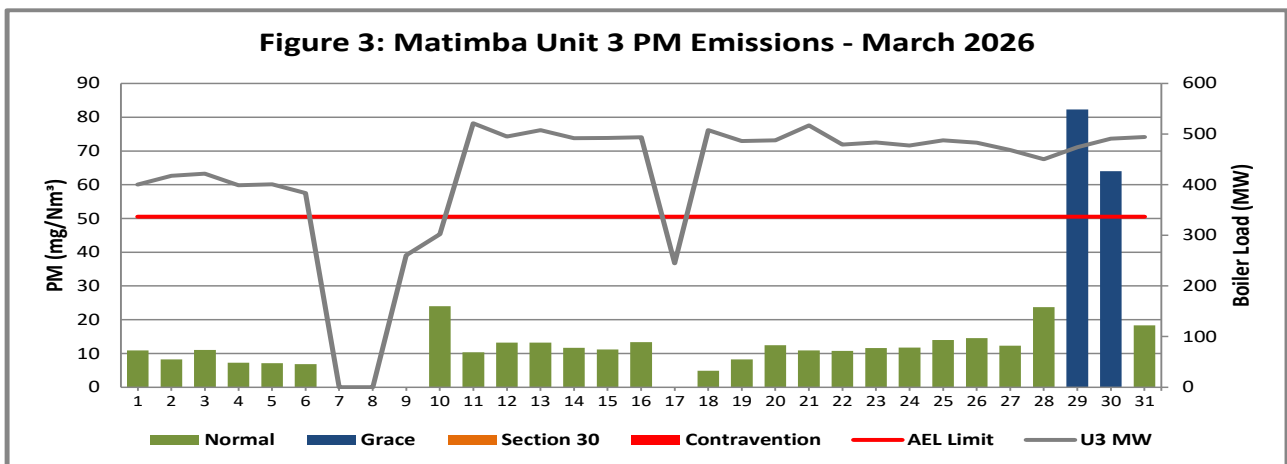
**Unit 2 Particulate Emissions**



**Figure 2: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of March2026**

**Interpretation:** Unit 2 exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 11 to 12 due to the ash backlog experience because of ash conveyance plant defect, the plant was fixed and returned to service on the 12 March 2026 and emissions recovered on the 13 March. The unit exceeded the daily limit again on 22 to 27 of March 2026 due to multiple defects experienced on the Sulphur plant, the plant was put on permit to work for the repairs during the period and return to service on 26/03/2026 and emissions recovered on the 28 March 2026.

**Unit 3 Particulate Emissions**



**Figure 3: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of March2026**

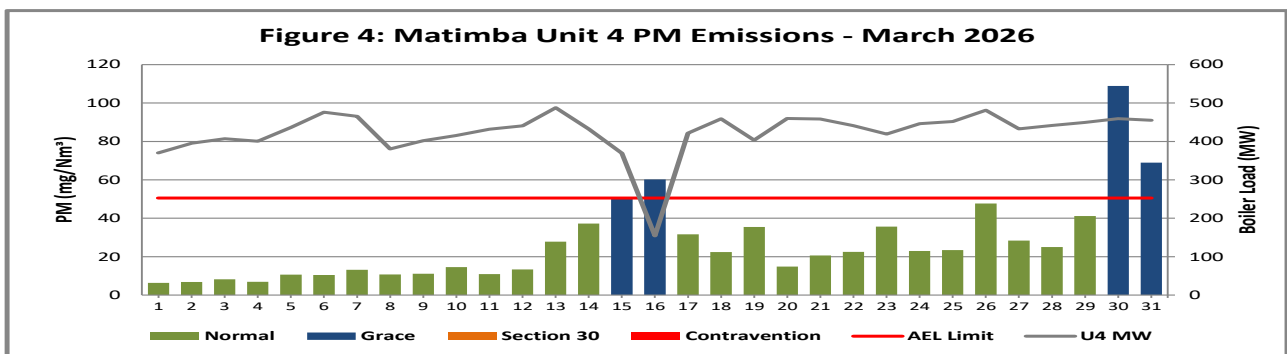
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**Interpretation:** Unit 3 exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on the 29 to 30 March 2026 due to the defects experienced on the SO<sub>3</sub> plant. The SO<sub>3</sub> plant was fixed, and both exceedances remain within the 48-hour grace period. The unit was taken down for maintenance on the 07 March 2026 and returned to service on the 08 March 2026, the unit also tripped on the 17 March 2026 and returned to service the same day. The PM emissions are measured 24 hours after unit startup as per the Atmospheric Emission License, which is the reason for not having a value on the 09 and 17 March 2026.

**Unit 4 Particulate Emissions**



**Figure 4: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of March 2026**

**Interpretation:** Unit 4 exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 15 and 16 of March 2026 due to the SO<sub>3</sub> on hold mode because the unit was operating at very low load. The unit 4 also exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 30 and 31 of March 2026 due to the defects experienced on the SO<sub>3</sub> plant on hold due to LH Precip inlet temp reading low. The defect was repaired and plant return to service on 31/03/2026 and emissions recovered on the 01 April 2026.

**Unit 5 Particulate Emissions**

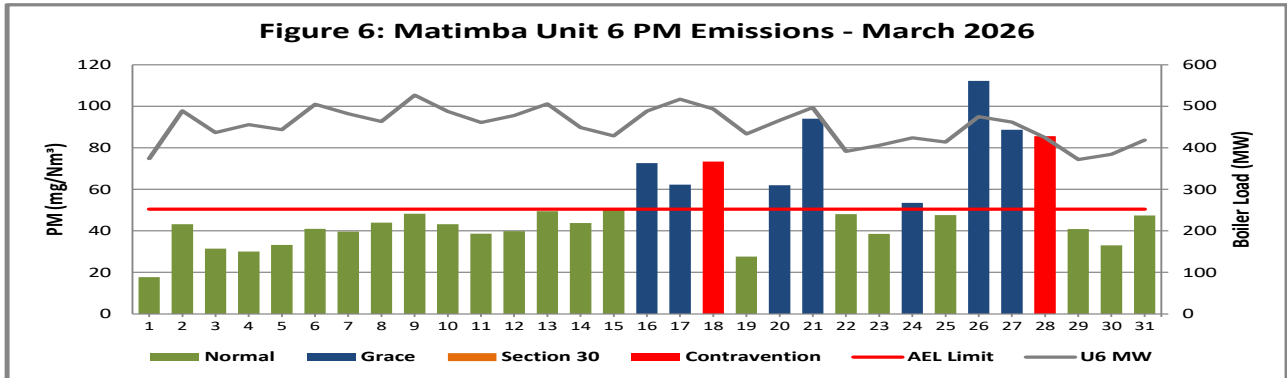
Unit on outage

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**Unit 6 Particulate Emissions**



**Figure 5: Particulate matter daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of March2026**

**Interpretation:** Unit 6 daily particulate emission exceeded the daily particulate emission limit of 50 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup> on 16-18,20-21,24 and 26-28 March 2026. The exceedance was identified after the implementation of the polynomial correlation curve on the unit, which were tested in August 2025. The exceedance will be recorded and managed as per Eskom incident management process.

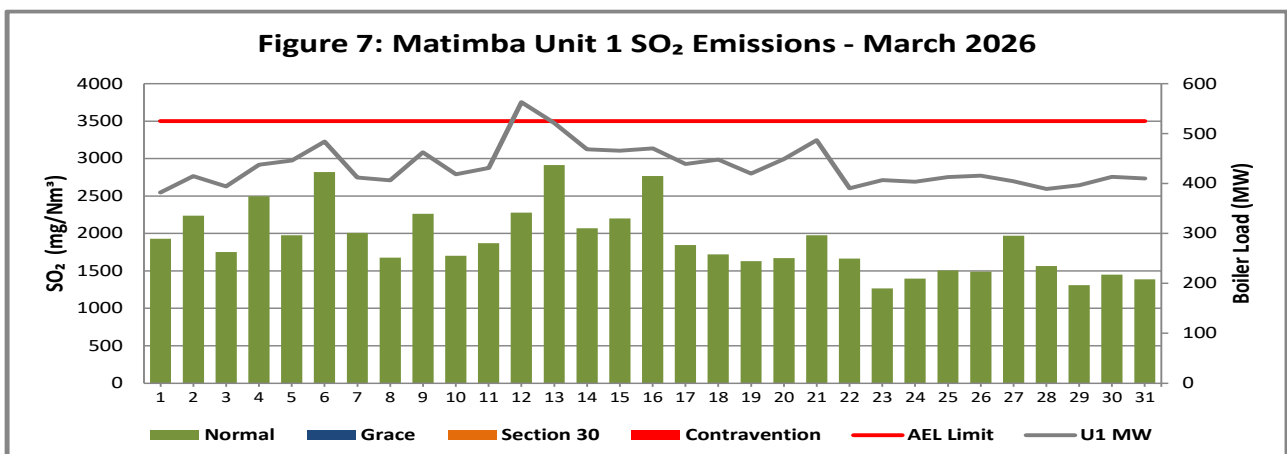
**2.3.2 Gaseous Emissions**

Gaseous emissions analyzers calibration for all 6 units were performed in March 2026 as per the Eskom emission standard requirement.

The quality assurance tests (QAL2) used for March 2026 emission calculations were performed in June 2024 for Unit 2,3 and 4. Unit 5 quality assurance curves utilized are spot tests performed in August 2023. Unit 1 and 6 curves were performed in September and October 2025.

**2.3.2.a SOx Emissions**

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



**Figure 6: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of March2026**

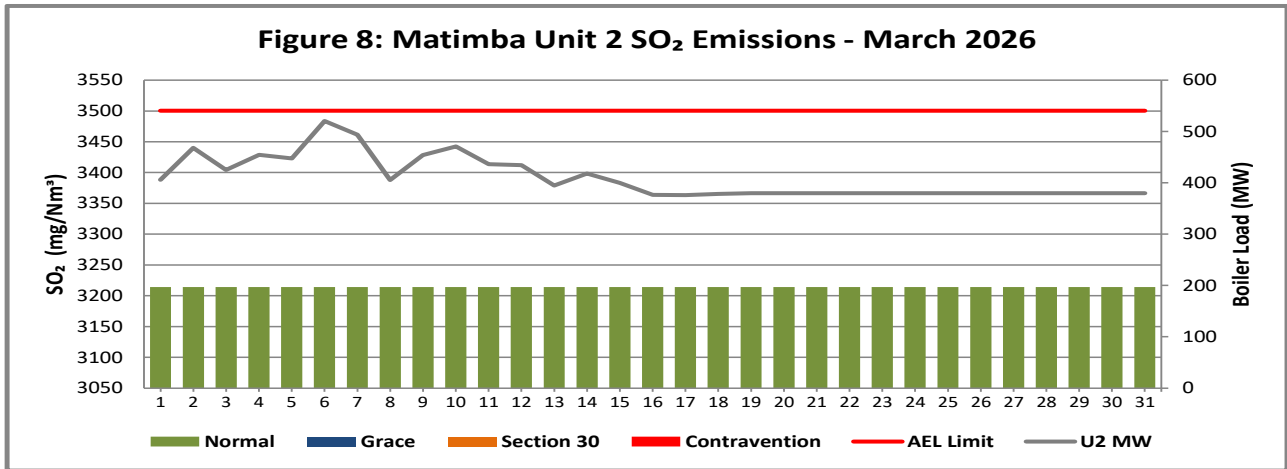
**Interpretation:** All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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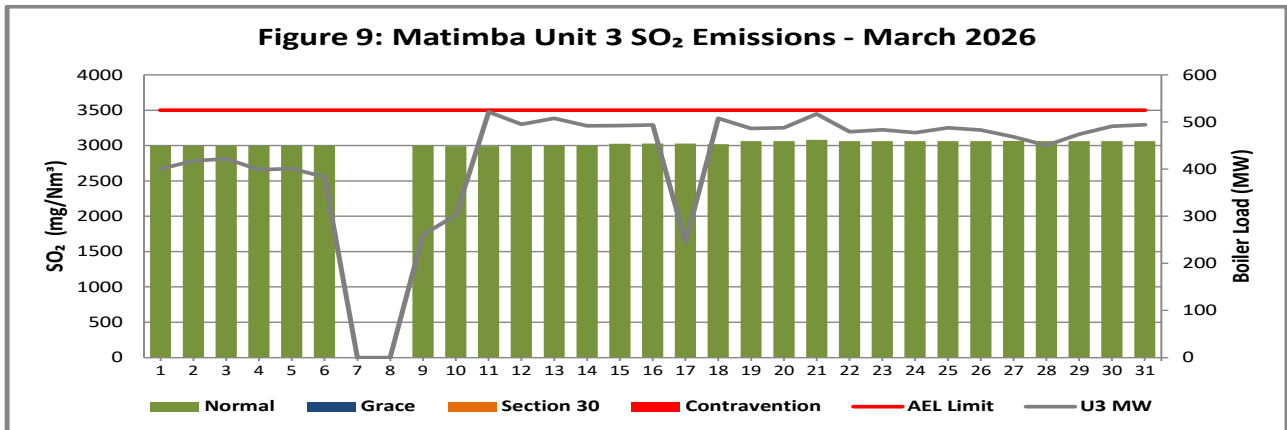
**Unit 2 SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions**



**Figure 7: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of March2026**

**Interpretation:** All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>. SRM (Standard Reference Measurements) from the QAL 2 tests report for all the gaseous parameters were used to calculate the SO<sub>2</sub> gaseous emissions for unit 2 in March 2026 due to defective monitor.

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



**Figure 8: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of March2026**

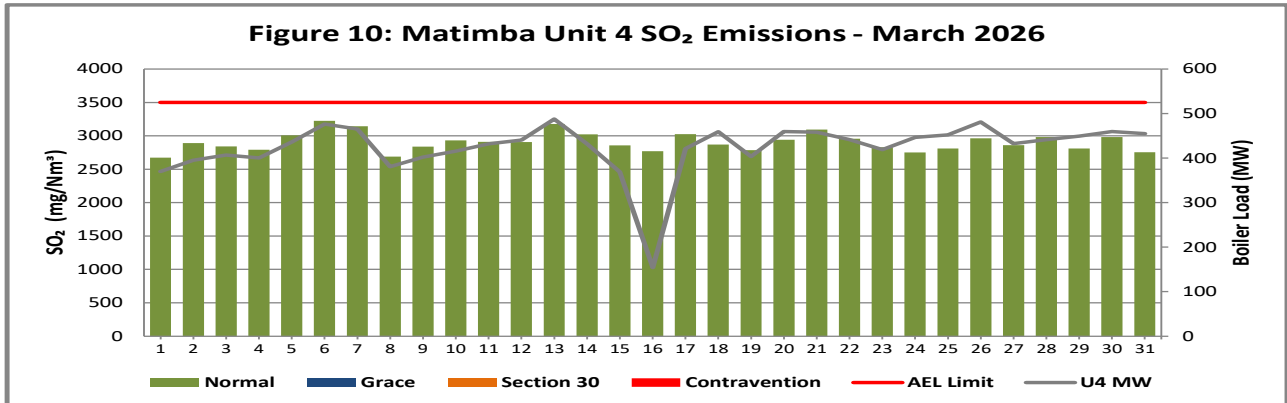
**Interpretation:** All daily averages below SO<sub>2</sub> emission monthly limit of 3500 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.SRM (Standard Reference Measurements) for all the gaseous parameters were used to calculate the SO<sub>2</sub> gaseous emissions for unit 3 in March2026 due to defective monitor.

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



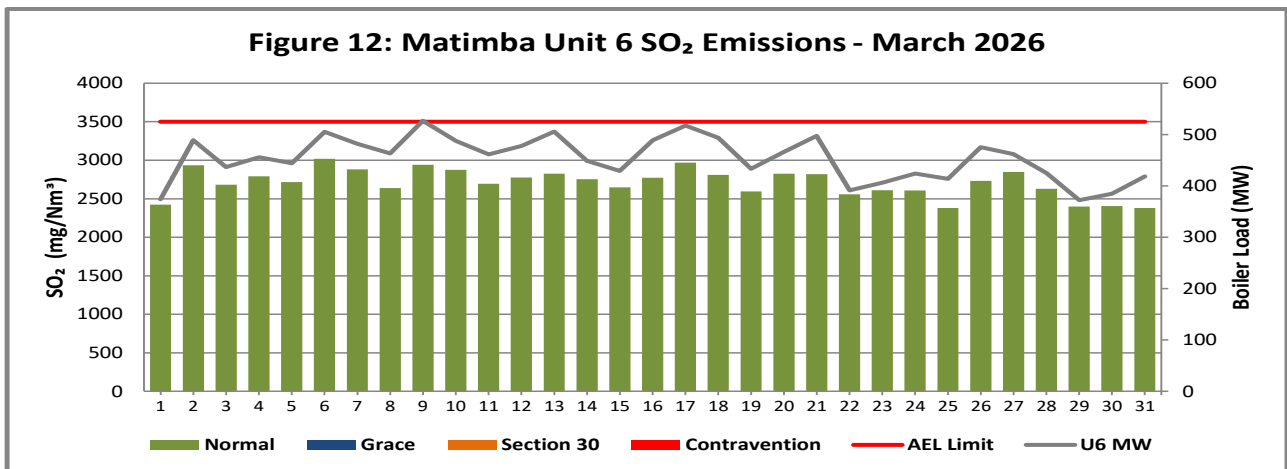
**Figure 9: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of March2026**

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

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

Unit on outage

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



**Figure 10: SO<sub>2</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of March2026**

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

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2.3.2.b NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions

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

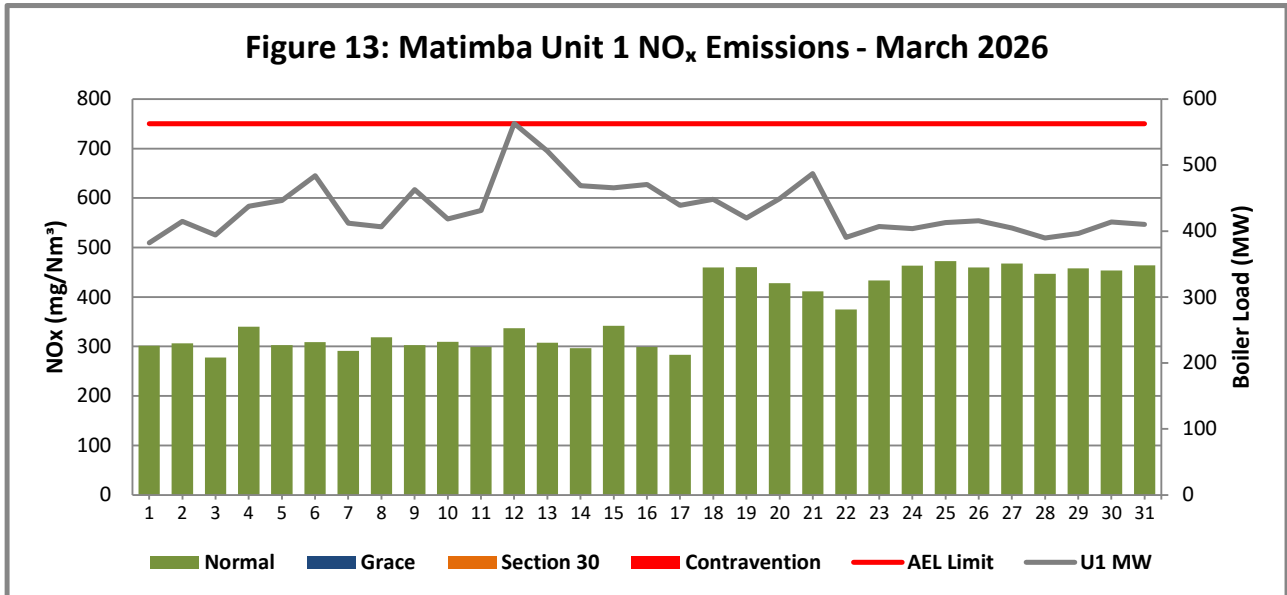


Figure 11: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 1 for the month of March2026

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

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

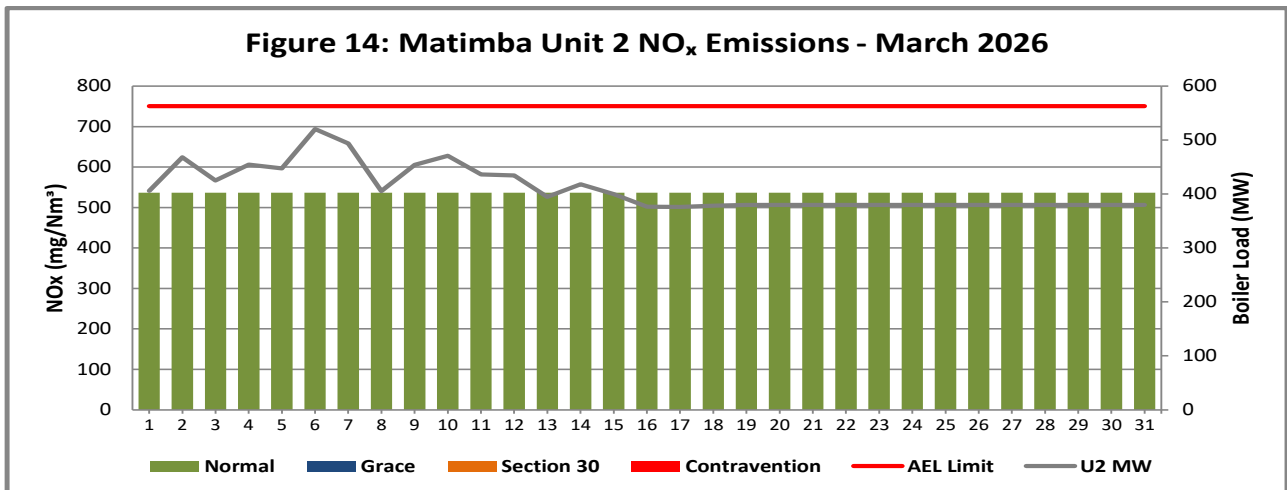


Figure 12: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 2 for the month of March2026

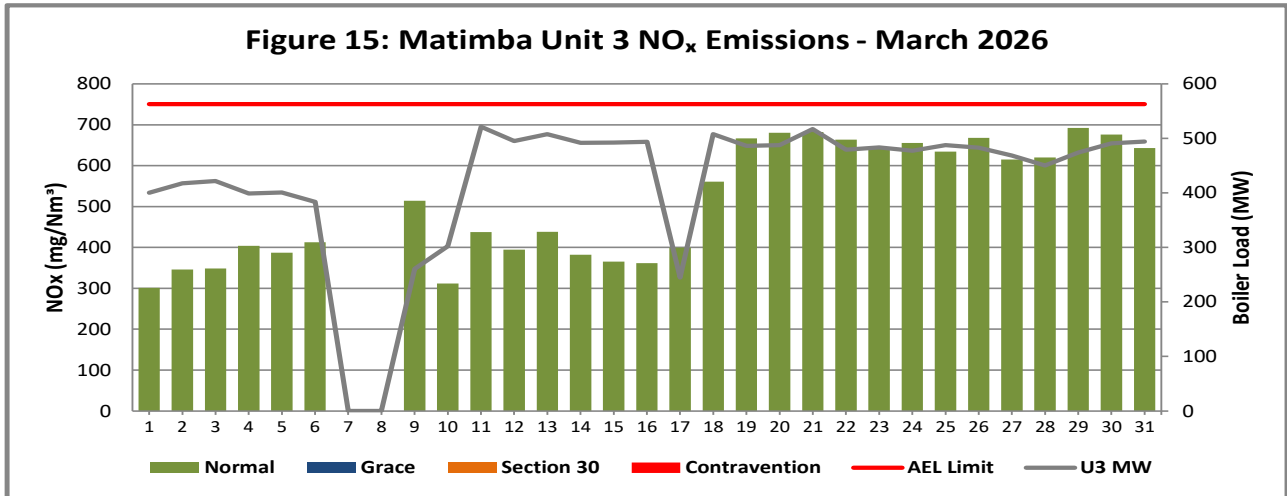
**Interpretation:** All daily averages below Nox emission monthly limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>. SRM (Standard Reference Measurements) from the QAL 2 tests report for all the gaseous parameters were used to calculate the NO<sub>x</sub> gaseous emissions for unit 2 in March 2026 due to defective monitor.

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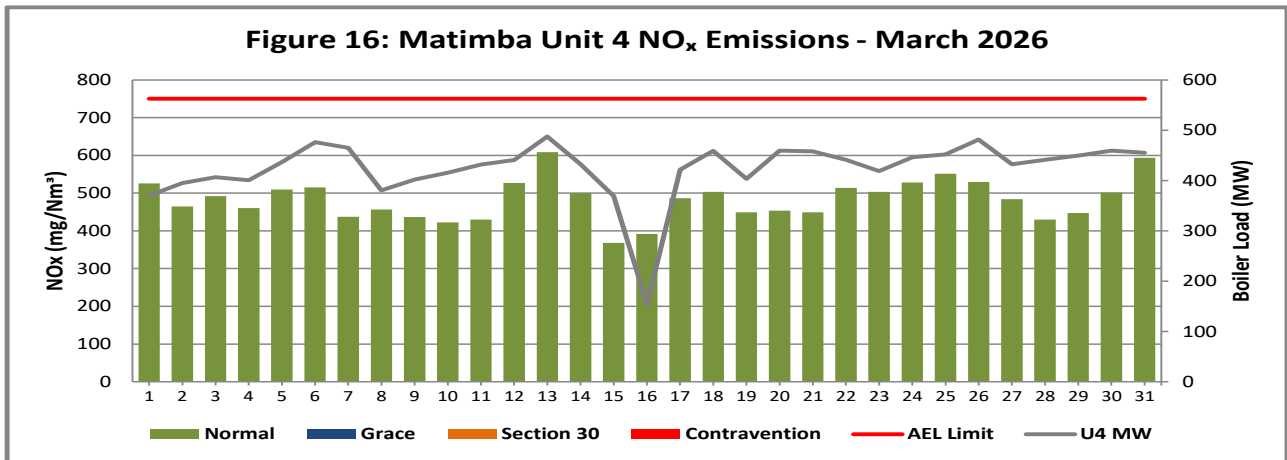
**Unit 3 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions**



**Figure 13: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 3 for the month of March 2026**

**Interpretation:** All daily averages below Nox emission monthly limit of 750 mg/Nm<sup>3</sup>.

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



**Figure 14: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 4 for the month of March 2026**

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

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

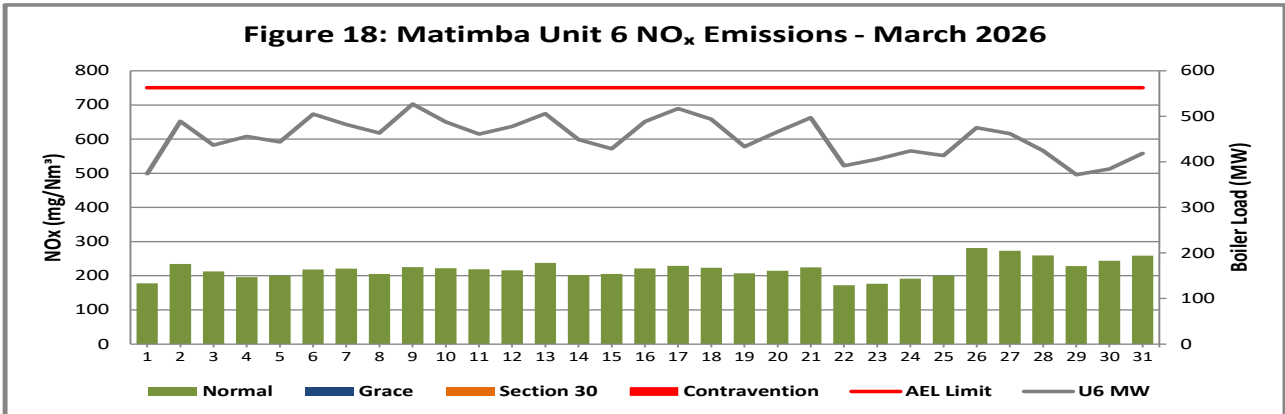
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**Unit 6 NO<sub>x</sub> Emissions**



**Figure 15: NO<sub>x</sub> daily average emissions against emission limit for unit 6 for the month of March 2026**

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


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### 2.3.3 Total Volatile Organic Compounds

**Table 4:** Total volatile compound estimates

		
CALCULATION OF EMISSIONS OF TOTAL VOLATILE COMPOUNDS FROM FUEL OIL STORAGE TANKS*		
<b>Date:</b>	Tuesday, 21 April 2026	
<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	
<b>MONTHLY INPUT DATA FOR THE STATION</b> Please only insert relevant monthly data inputs into the <b>blue cells</b> below Choose from a dropdown menu in the <b>green cells</b> The total VOC emissions for the month are in the <b>red cells</b> IMPORTANT: Do not change <b>any</b> other cells without consulting the AQ CoE		
<b>MONTH:</b>	September	
<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:	1836.900	
Molecular weight of the fuel oil:	166.00	Lb/lb-mole
<b>METEOROLOGICAL DATA FOR THE MONTH</b>	<b>Data</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Daily average ambient temperature	23.43	°C
Daily maximum ambient temperature	31.06	°C
Daily minimum ambient temperature	16.52	°C
Daily ambient temperature range	14.54	°C
Daily total insolation factor	4.41	kWh/m <sup>2</sup> /day
Tank paint colour	Grey/medium	NA
Tank paint solar absorbance	0.68	NA
<b>FINAL OUTPUT:</b>	<b>Result</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Breathing losses:	0.54 kg/month	
Working losses:	0.05 kg/month	
<b>TOTAL LOSSES (Total TVOC Emissions for the month):</b>	<b>0.60 kg/month</b>	
*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, Trittech Consulting Engineers, 85-93 Chevy Chase Street, Jamaica, NY 11432 USA, Tel - 718-454-3920, Fax - 718-454-6330, e-mail - PeressJ@nyc.rr.com.		

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### 2.3.4 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.

## 2.4 Daily power generated.

**Table 5:** Daily power generated per unit in MWh for the month of March2026

Date	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
2026/03/01	8042.56	8589.85	8627.11	7982.17	0	7976.8
2026/03/02	8795.32	9968.29	9022.37	8541.34	0	10534.8
2026/03/03	8345.48	9007.29	9115.25	8783.66	0	9373.52
2026/03/04	9368.16	9640.87	8577.51	8661.65	0	9799.73
2026/03/05	9536.08	9482.89	8624.17	9491.96	0	9521.15
2026/03/06	10408.1	11170.1	8274.13	10400.4	0	10891.2
2026/03/07	8799.73	10590.7	0	10150.7	0	10388.7
2026/03/08	8666.35	8617.29	0	8240.64	0	9956.16
2026/03/09	9955.95	9704.64	5375.17	8720.55	0	11367.6
2026/03/10	8925.9	10071.5	6336.49	9018.85	0	10510.4
2026/03/11	9209.31	9308.9	11257.1	9386.28	0	9931.46
2026/03/12	12127.8	9290.63	10679.4	9573.66	0	10291.4
2026/03/13	11216.8	8386.04	10941.8	10592.6	0	10907
2026/03/14	10016.3	8912.67	10610.1	9365.01	0	9654.27
2026/03/15	9962.98	8477.77	10635.8	8000.42	0	9214.01
2026/03/16	10115.2	7927.37	10678.4	3039.68	0	10552.7
2026/03/17	9397.67	7935.05	4984.69	9149.1	0	11165.5
2026/03/18	9615.17	8232.89	10999.1	9997.54	0	10651.6
2026/03/19	8973.57	8416.23	10494.1	8694.53	0	9311.5
2026/03/20	9622.48	8463.58	10508.6	9986.81	0	10045.8
2026/03/21	10492.2	8718.43	11189.9	9967.93	0	10734.9
2026/03/22	8318.93	8489.53	10337.6	9576.84	0	8385.21
2026/03/23	8679.87	8095.92	10442.8	9060.21	0	8723.41
2026/03/24	8603.63	8105.94	10317.1	9717.14	0	9115.09
2026/03/25	8825.82	8135.77	10535.8	9837.69	0	8864.6
2026/03/26	8893.11	8298.42	10423.6	10458.3	0	10233
2026/03/27	8647.04	8310.75	10093.2	9382.45	0	9942.57
2026/03/28	8295.66	8172.5	9715.25	9619.7	0	9117.44
2026/03/29	8436.74	8066.14	10244.5	9775.53	0	7942.93
2026/03/30	8822.84	8104.25	10600.7	9998.9	0	8232.56
2026/03/31	8735.9	8239.32	10670.7	9913.86	0	8981.38

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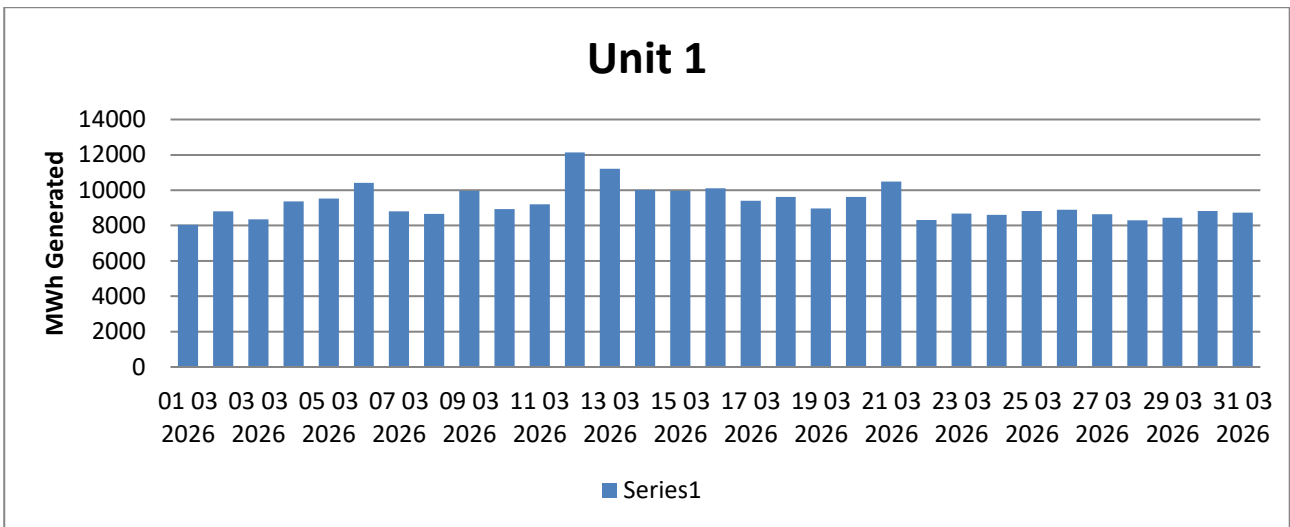


Figure 16: Unit 1 daily generated power in MWh for the month of March 2026

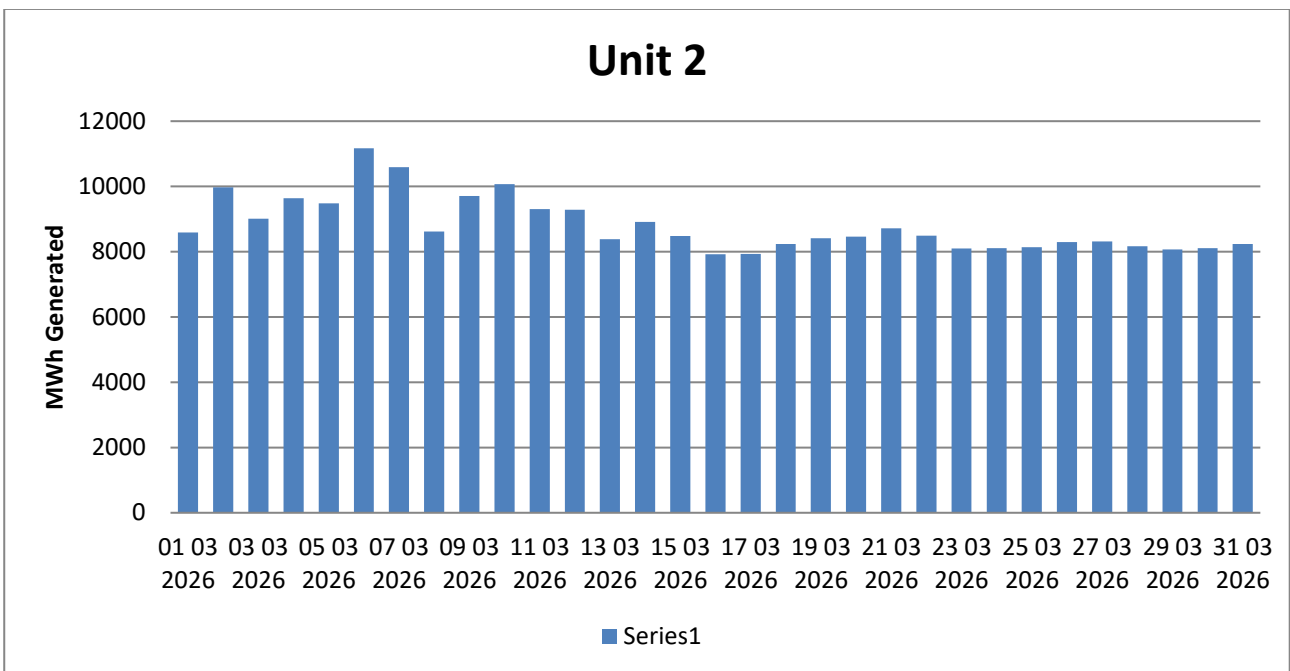


Figure 17: Unit 2 daily generated power in MWh for the month of March 2026

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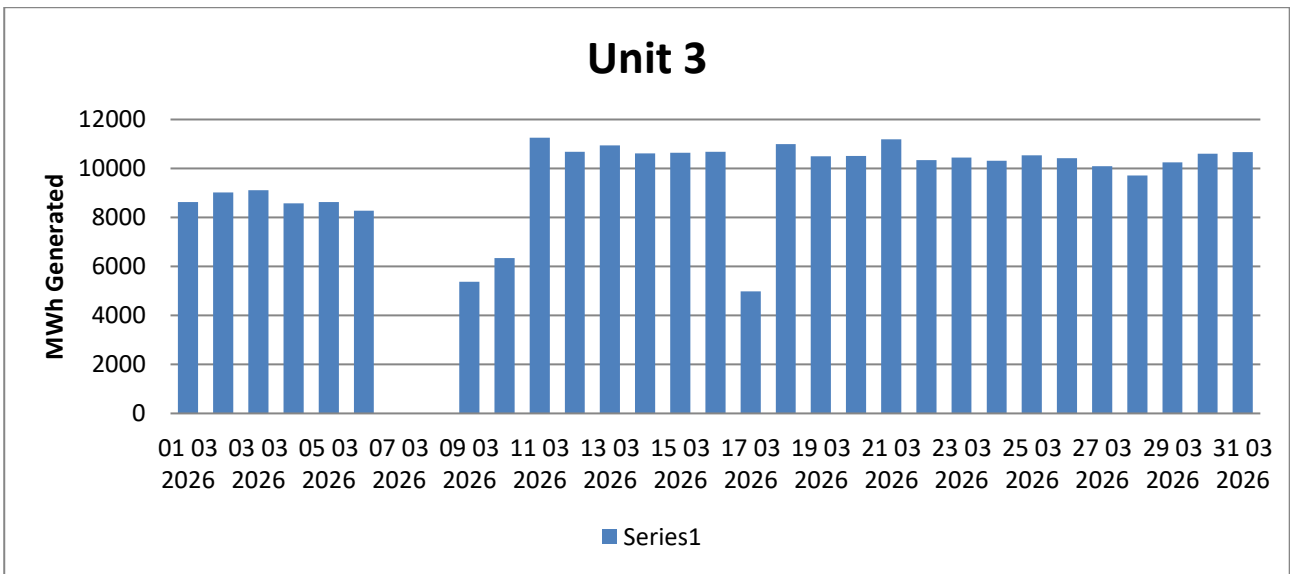


Figure 18: Unit 3 daily generated power in MWh for the month of March 2026

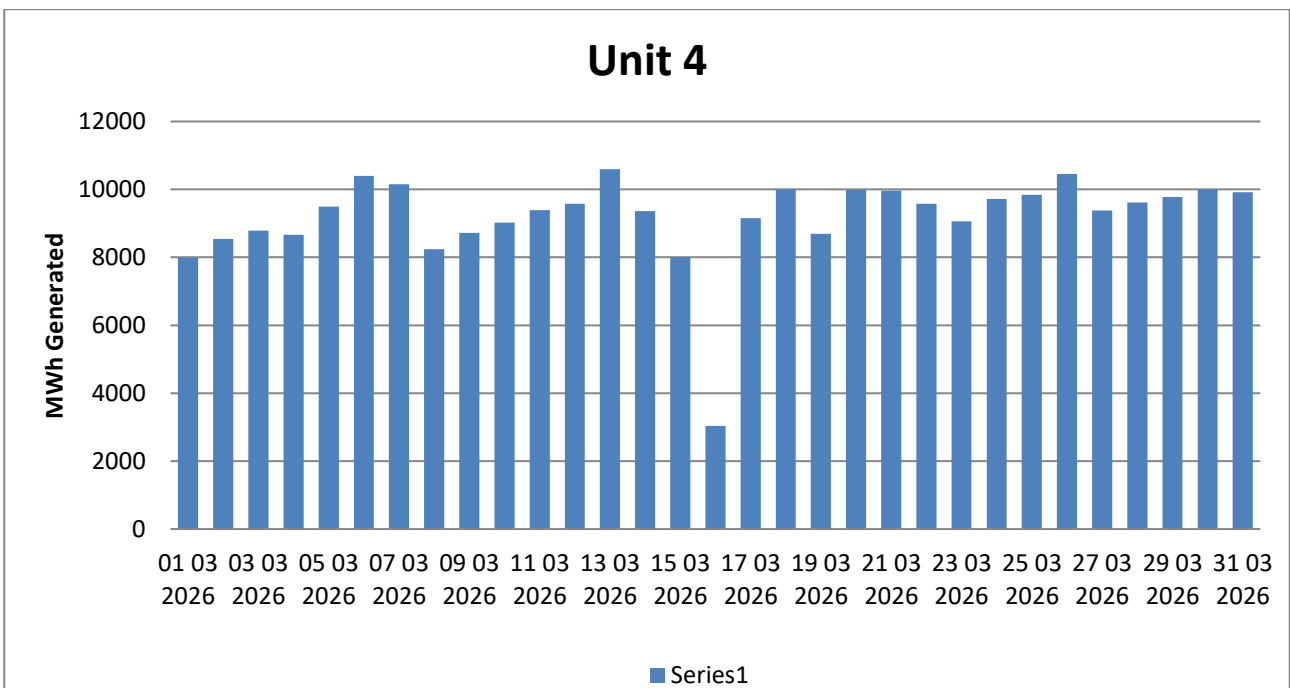
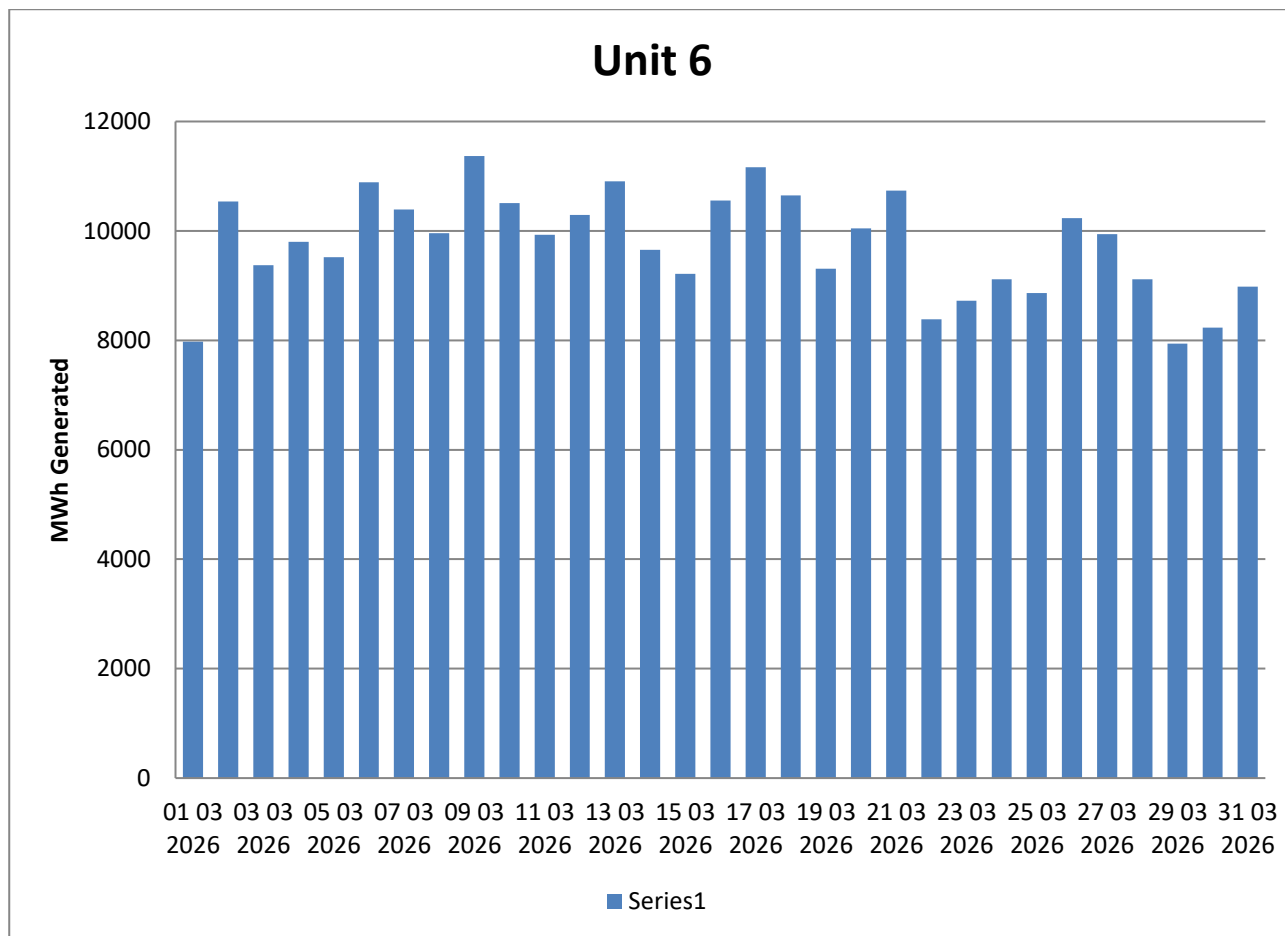


Figure 19: Unit 4 daily generated power in MWh for the month of March 2026

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**Figure 20: Unit 6 daily generated power in MWh for the month of March 2026**

## 2.5 Pollutant Tonnes

The emitted pollutant tonnages for March 2026 are provided in table 6.

**Table 6:** Pollutant tonnages for the month of March 2026

Associated Unit/Stack	PM (tons)	SO2 (tons)	NOx (tons)
Unit 1	164.6	4 096	742
Unit 2	112.0	7 703	1 286
Unit 3	19.6	3 939	676
Unit 4	45.1	5 335	890
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	76.3	3 981	322
SUM	417.66	25 054	3 916

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## 2.6 Operating days in compliance to PM AEL Limit

Table 7: Operating days in compliance with PM AEL limit of March 2026

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	NC	Total Exceedance	Mnth Avg (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	22	3	0	6	9	70.2
Unit 2	22	5	0	4	9	46.7
Unit 3	25	2	0	0	2	16.6
Unit 4	27	4	0	0	4	27.4
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	22	7	0	2	9	51.0
<b>SUM</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>33</b>	

## 2.7 Operating days in compliance to SOx AEL Limit

Table 8: Operating days in compliance with SOx AEL limit of March 2026

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	NC	Total Exceedance	Mnth Limit Value	Mnth Avg (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	31	0	0	0	0	3500	1 897.1
Unit 2	31	0	0	0	0	3500	3 214.1
Unit 3	29	0	0	0	0	3500	3 030.5
Unit 4	31	0	0	0	0	3500	2 906.4
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	3500	Off
Unit 6	31	0	0	0	0	3500	2 707.8
<b>SUM</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		

## 2.8 Operating days in compliance to NOx AEL Limit

Table 9: Operating days in compliance with NOx AEL limit of March 2026

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	NC	Total Exceedance	Mnth Avg (mg/Nm <sup>3</sup> )
Unit 1	31	0	0	0	0	370.3
Unit 2	31	0	0	0	0	536.4
Unit 3	29	0	0	0	0	514.1
Unit 4	31	0	0	0	0	483.0
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	31	0	0	0	0	219.3
<b>SUM</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

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## 2.9 Continuous Emission Monitors

**Table 10:** Monitor reliability percentage (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	PM	SO <sub>2</sub>	NO	O <sub>2</sub>
Unit 1	100.0	100.0	93.4	100.0
Unit 2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Unit 3	90.6	100.0	95.4	100.0
Unit 4	98.3	100.0	100.0	100.0
Unit 5	Off	Off	Off	Off
Unit 6	100.0	99.9	99.2	100.0

Note: NO<sub>x</sub> emissions are measured as NO in PPM. The final NO<sub>x</sub> value is expressed as total NO<sub>2</sub> equivalent.

### Comments:

Unit 2 and 3 gaseous monitor reliability was 100% due to the SRM (Standard Reference Material) values from the parallel test used to calculate the gaseous emissions for unit 2 and 3.

### 2.10.1 Changes, downtime, and repairs

#### Unit 1

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors.

#### Unit 2

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors.

#### Unit 3

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors.

#### Unit 4

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- No downtime or repairs done on the particulate monitors.

#### Unit 5

- Unit off load.

#### Unit 6

- No adjustments done on the CEMs.
- Correlation test done in September 2025

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**2.10.2 Sampling dates and times****Table 11:** Dates of last conducted CEMS Spot verification tests for PM, SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> for unit 5.

<b>Name of service provider:</b>		Levego Environmental services		
<b>Address of service provider:</b>		Building R6 Pineland site Ardeer Road Modderfontein 1645		
<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>
5	2023/08/05 07:30	2023/08/05 07:30	2023/08/05 07:30	2023/08/05 07:30

**Table 12:** Dates of last full conducted CEMS verification tests for PM for unit 2, unit 3 and 4 only

<b>Name of service provider:</b>		Levego Environmental services		
<b>Address of service provider:</b>		Building R6 Pineland site Ardeer Road Modderfontein 1645		
<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>
2	2024/07/02 08h50	2024/07/02 12h35	2024/07/02 12h35	2024/07/02 12h35
3	2024/06/23 16h34	2024/06/23 14h00	2024/06/23 14h00	2024/06/23 14h00
4	2024/06/29 16h05	2024/06/29 11h00	2024/06/29 11h00	2024/06/29 11h00

**Table 13:** Dates of last full conducted CEMS verification tests for PM for unit 1 and 6 only

<b>Name of service provider:</b>		Inthuu Measurement		
<b>Address of service provider:</b>		2/410 Seventh Road Bredell Kepton park 1619		
<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	2025/09/22 17:22	2025/08/16 16h21	2025/08/16 16h21	2025/08/16 16h21
6	2025/10/01 17h30	2025/08/13 16h26	2025/08/13 16h26	2025/08/13 16h26

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## 2.10 Units Start-up information

**Table 14:** Start-up information

<b>Unit</b>	3	
<b>Fires in</b>	2026/03/10	15h47
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2026/03/10	20h13
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2026/03/10	22h00
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	4.26	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	1.47	HOURS

<b>Unit</b>	3	
<b>Fires in</b>	2026/03/17	11h13
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2026/03/17	14h33
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2026/03/17	15h03
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	3.20	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	0.27	HOURS

<b>Unit</b>	4	
<b>Fires in</b>	2026/03/16	16h50
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2026/03/16	21h01
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2026/03/17	04h03
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	4.11	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	6.59	HOURS

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<b>Unit</b>	4	
<b>Fires in</b>	2026/03/19	11h19
<b>Synchronization with Grid</b>	2026/03/19	13h23
<b>Emissions below limit</b>	2026/03/19	14h00
<b>Fires in, to synchronization</b>	2.4	HOURS
<b>Synchronization to &lt; Emission limit</b>	0.37	HOURS

### 2.11 Emergency generation

**Table 15:** Emergency generation

	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
<b>Emergency Generation hours declared by national Control</b>	744	744	744	744	0	744
<b>Emergency Hours declared including hours after standing down</b>	744	744	666	727	0	744
<b>Days over the Limit during Emergency Generation</b>	9	9	2	4	0	9

During the period under review all Units were on emergency generation in force from 01 March 2026 until 31 March 2026.

### 2.12 Complaints register.

**Table 16:** Complaints

Source Name	Code/	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
None						

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## 2.13 Air quality improvements and social responsibility conducted.

### Air quality improvements

None

### Social responsibility conducted.

None

## 2.14 Ambient air quality monitoring

The March 2026 ambient air quality monitoring report is attached to this report as an addendum.

## 2.15 Electrostatic precipitator and Sulphur plant status

### Unit 1

- No issues on precipitators.
- The SO<sub>3</sub> plant operated normally with no abnormalities observed. Normal preventative maintenance done.

### Unit 2

- Precipitator internal damage to be repaired during next opportunity.
- The SO<sub>3</sub> plant had one breakdown on C&I instrumentation that was corrected. Normal preventative maintenance done.

### Unit 3

- No issues with precipitators.
- The SO<sub>3</sub> plant had one breakdown on C&I instrumentation that was corrected. Normal preventative maintenance done.

### Unit 4

- No issues with precipitators.
- The SO<sub>3</sub> plant on hold due to low precip inlet temperatures. Normal preventative maintenance done.

### Unit 5

- Unit on outage.

### Unit 6

- Precipitator internal damage to be repaired during next opportunity.
- The SO<sub>3</sub> plant operated normally with no abnormalities observed. Normal preventative maintenance done.

## SO<sub>3</sub> common plant

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- The SO<sub>3</sub> common plant is operating normally with no abnormalities observed.

## 2.16 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

- Fugitive dust fall out monitoring report.
- Marapong ambient air quality report

## 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 Janse van Rensburg*

GENERAL MANAGER: MATIMBA POWER STATION

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