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**SUMMARY**

**T.R.S. EMISSION - RECOVERIES**

	PERMIT	ACHIEVED					
		January		February		March	
		DAILY MAX	MONTHLY AVG	DAILY MAX	MONTHLY AVG	DAILY MAX	MONTHLY AVG
No. 3 recovery TRS mg/m <sup>3</sup>	<9.2	6.83	2.35	3.27	1.49	5.53	1.64
SO <sub>2</sub> ppm	NL	550	443	450	180	450	316
No. 4 recovery TRS mg/m <sup>3</sup>	<9.2	3.47	0.55	0.72	0.11	11.92	1.80
SO <sub>2</sub> ppm	NL	500	375	100	50	440	218

NL = No Limit

**PARTICULATE EMISSIONS**

	<b>QUARTER NO. 1</b>	<b>PERMIT</b>
No. 3 Recovery mg/m <sup>3</sup>	40.5	230
No. 4 Recovery mg/m <sup>3</sup>	15.6	230
Lime Kilns mg/m <sup>3</sup>	46.3	230
No. 3 Dis. Stack kg/ADUt	.06	0.20
No. 4 Dis. Stack kg/ADUt	.08	0.20
No. 4 P. Boiler January-		
Total mg/m <sup>3</sup>	67.0	230
Salt Free	31.5	
No. 4 P. Boiler February		
Total mg/m <sup>3</sup>	119	230
Salt Free	54.2	
No. 4 P. Boiler March		
Total mg/m <sup>3</sup>	107	230
Salt Free	48.4	
No. 4 P. Boiler - 4 month rolling average Total mg/m <sup>3</sup>	79	115

**T.R.S. EMISSIONS**

**1. RECOVERY BOILERS**

	AVERAGE TRS EMISSION (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )		
	January	February	March
#3 Recovery	2.35	1.49	1.64
#4 Recovery	0.55	0.11	1.80

\* new analyzer installed but the results are unreliable

**2. MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES**

January	Kg Sulphur/day	ADUt/day	Kg S/ADUt
#3 Dissolving stack	24.5	1411	.017
#4 Dissolving stack	23.5	1411	.017
Kilns	12.6	993	.013
Foam and Seal Tanks	9.1	1189	.008
A Brown Washers	40.1	1189	.034
B Seal Tanks	46.4	1189	.039
B&K Brown Washers	21.1	1189	.018
TRS EMISSIONS	(Permit 0.225 kg/ADUt)		.145

February	Kg Sulphur/day	ADUt/day	Kg S/ADUt
#3 Dissolving stack	26.0	1173	.022
#4 Dissolving stack	16.0	1173	.014
Kilns	13.5	1270	.011
Foam and Seal Tanks	6.7	1377	.005
A Brown Washers	66.6	1377	.048
B Seal Tanks	31.1	1377	.023
B&K Brown Washers	20.4	1377	.015
TRS EMISSIONS	(Permit 0.225 kg/ADUt)		.137

March	Kg Sulphur/day	ADUt/day	Kg S/ADUt
#3 Dissolving stack	29.1	1142	.025
#4 Dissolving stack	15.2	1142	.013
Kilns	12.8	1284	.010
Foam and Seal Tanks	13.4	1522	.009
A Brown Washers	70.4	1522	.046
B Seal Tanks	35.7	1522	.023
B&K Brown Washers	26.4	1522	.017
TRS EMISSIONS	(Permit 0.225 kg/ADUt)		.145

**3. % NCG VENTING TIME**

	Digesters	Concentrator *	Evaporators		
			No. 1 *	No. 2 *	No. 3 *
<b>January</b>	5.0	0	0	0	0
<b>February</b>	30.8	0	0	0	0
<b>March</b>	6.7	0	0	0	0

\* NCG venting emissions from the concentrator and the No. 1, No. 2, and No. 3 evaporator trains are treated through the #3 recovery boiler dissolving tank scrubber using weak wash as the scrubber medium.

## SULPHUR DIOXIDE EMISSIONS

### 1. RECOVERY BOILERS

	AVERAGE SO2 EMISSION (ppm)		
	January	February	March
#3 Recovery	443	180	316
#4 Recovery	375	50	218

### 2. POWER BOILER

	SO2 EMISSION (Kg SO2)		
	January	February	March
#4 Power Boiler	11408	39087	46538

### 3. KILNS

	SO2 EMISSION (Kg SO2)		
	January	February	March
Kiln	32441	17717	21333

**PARTICULATE EMISSIONS**

**1. RECOVERY BOILERS**

RECOVERY BOILER NO.	DATE	B.L. FIRING RATE SOLIDS t/day	FLOW m <sup>3</sup> /min. (1)	%O <sub>2</sub>	PARTICULATE mg/m <sup>3</sup>		
					TEST	AVG.	PERMIT
3	Feb. 4	986	3520	7.7	40.0	40.5	230
	Feb. 4	986	3570	7.7	36.2		
	Feb. 4	986	3550	7.7	45.3		
4	Feb. 5	1765	5730	6.7	17.5	15.6	230
	Feb. 5	1765	5720	6.8	16.4		
	Feb.5	1765	5660	6.8	12.8		

		QUARTER NO. 1	
		NO. 3 Boiler Average	NO. 4 Boiler Average
1	Average Firing Rate For Quarter (t/day)	777	1436
2	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile rate (t/day) For 90 Days Prior to Test	960	1636
3	Maximum Operating Rate in Quarter (t/day)	1036	1809

2. DISSOLVING STACKS

TANK NO.	DATE	PROD'N RATE		AIR FLOW	PARTICULATE (kg/ADU <sub>t</sub> )		
		SOLIDS FIRED t/day	PULP ADU <sub>t</sub> t/day	m <sup>3</sup> /min (1)	TEST	AVG.	PERMIT
3	Jan. 15	906	868	495	.05	.06	.20
	Jan. 15	906	868	504	.06		
	Jan. 15	906	868	489	.07		
4	Feb. 6	1185	1016	519	.09	.08	.20
	Feb. 6	1185	1016	520	.07		
	Feb.6	1185	1016	519	.08		

3. LIME KILNS

DATE	PROD'N RATE t/day	90 <sup>th</sup> percentile t/day	FLOW m <sup>3</sup> /min	PARTICULATE mg/cu.m		
				TEST	AVERAGE	PERMIT
Mar. 19	344	348	846	41.6	46.3	230
Mar. 19	344	348	864	51.2		
Mar. 19	344	348	874	46.0		

4. POWER BOILERS

ITEM	TEST 1	TEST 2	TEST 3	AVG
No. 4 Power Boiler:	Jan.17	Jan.17	Jan.17	
Steam Flow LB/HR	329235	319021	323476	323911
Steam from Hog LB/HR	269000	261547	263247	264598
Air Flow m <sup>3</sup> /min	4830	4870	4940	4880
% CO <sup>2</sup>	10.8	9.3	9.3	9.8
90 <sup>th</sup> percentile LB/HR	362000	362000	362000	362000
Particulate mg/m <sup>3</sup> :				
Total	50.3	80.0	70.8	67.0
Salt Free	23.6	37.5	33.3	31.5

4. POWER BOILERS (continued)

ITEM	TEST 1	TEST 2	TEST 3	AVG
No. 4 Power Boiler:	Feb. 27	Feb. 27	Feb. 27	
Steam Flow LB/HR	480944	476324	465777	474348
Steam from Hog LB/HR	378850	366444	350985	365426
Air Flow m <sup>3</sup> /min	5450	5330	5420	5400
% CO <sup>2</sup>	13.0	12.7	12.3	12.6
90 <sup>th</sup> percentile LB/HR	358000	358000	358000	358000
Particulate mg/m <sup>3</sup> :				
Total	116	129	113	119
Salt Free	52.1	60.5	49.9	54.2

ITEM	TEST 1	TEST 2	TEST 3	AVG
No. 4 Power Boiler:	Mar. 20	Mar. 20	Mar. 20	
Steam Flow LB/HR	409897	420227	421858	417327
Steam from Hog LB/HR	332878	366559	370140	256525
Air Flow m <sup>3</sup> /min	5690	5650	5750	5700
% CO <sup>2</sup>	10.0	10.0	9.0	9.7
90 <sup>th</sup> percentile LB/HR	362000	362000	362000	362000
Particulate mg/m <sup>3</sup> :				
Total	95.7	112	114	107
Salt Free	44.2	51.8	49.3	48.4