



Rasp Mine
Monthly Environmental Monitoring Report
April 2021



INTRODUCTION

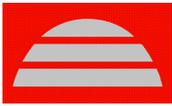
Broken Hill Operations Pty Ltd (BHOP) [a wholly owned subsidiary of CBH Resources Limited (CBH)] owns and operates the Rasp Mine (the Mine), which is located centrally within the City of Broken Hill on Consolidated Mine Lease 7 (CML7).

Mining has been undertaken within CML7 since 1885. The existing operations at the Rasp Mine include underground mining operations, a processing plant producing zinc and lead concentrates and a rail siding for concentrate dispatch. These operations are undertaken in accordance with Project Approval 07_0018 granted 31 January 2011, under Part3A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (EP&A Act).

As the holder of an Environmental Protection Licence, 12559, BHOP is required, under Section 66(6) of the NSW *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*, to publish pollution monitoring data. In addition BHOP is required to publish data in accordance with its Project Approval 07_0018 Schedule 4 Condition 9. These documents can be found on the Rasp Mine web site.

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1 Air Quality

The following criteria as listed in the Project Approval (DA 07_0018 MOD7 July 2019) apply to air quality monitoring:

Long Term Criteria for Particulate Matter

| Pollutant | Averaging Period | Criterion |
|--|------------------|----------------------|
| Total solid particles (TSP) | Annual | 90 µg/m ³ |
| Particulate matter < 10 µm (PM ₁₀) | Annual | 25 µg/m ³ |

Short Term Criterion for Particulate Matter

| Pollutant | Averaging Period | Criterion |
|--|------------------|----------------------|
| Particulate matter < 10 µm (PM ₁₀) | 24 hour | 50 µg/m ³ |

Long Term Criteria for Deposited Dust

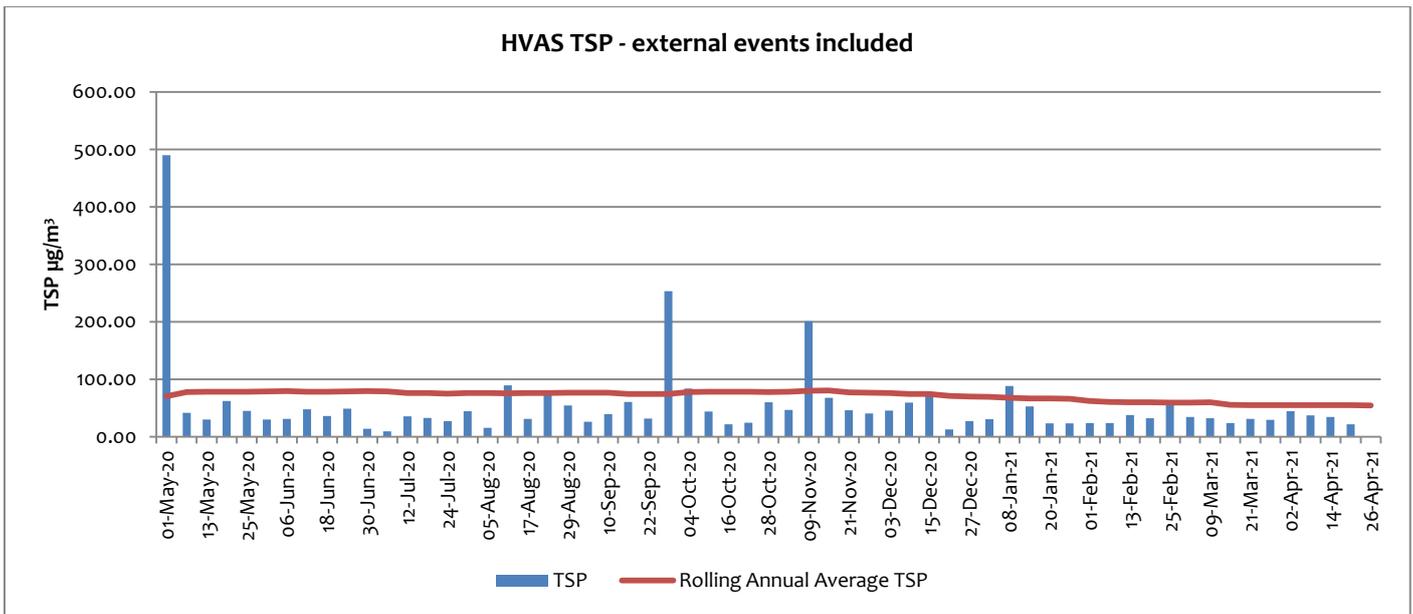
| Pollutant | Averaging Period | Maximum Project Contribution | Maximum Total Deposited Dust Level |
|----------------|------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Deposited dust | Annual | 2 g/m ² /month | 4 g/m ² /month |

1.1 High Volume Air Samplers

There are four high volume air samplers used to measure ambient air quality at the Rasp Mine – HVAS (EPL10) and HVAS1 (EPL11) are located at the Silver Tank, central and to the south of the mine lease, and HVAS2 (EPL12) and HVAS3 (EPL57) are located adjacent to and north of Blackwood Pit. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. HVAS and HVAS3 sample for total suspended particulates (TSP) and lead dust, and HVAS1 and HVAS2 sample for particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM₁₀) and lead dust.

HVAS (EPL10) - Silver Tank (On Site) Results for April 2021

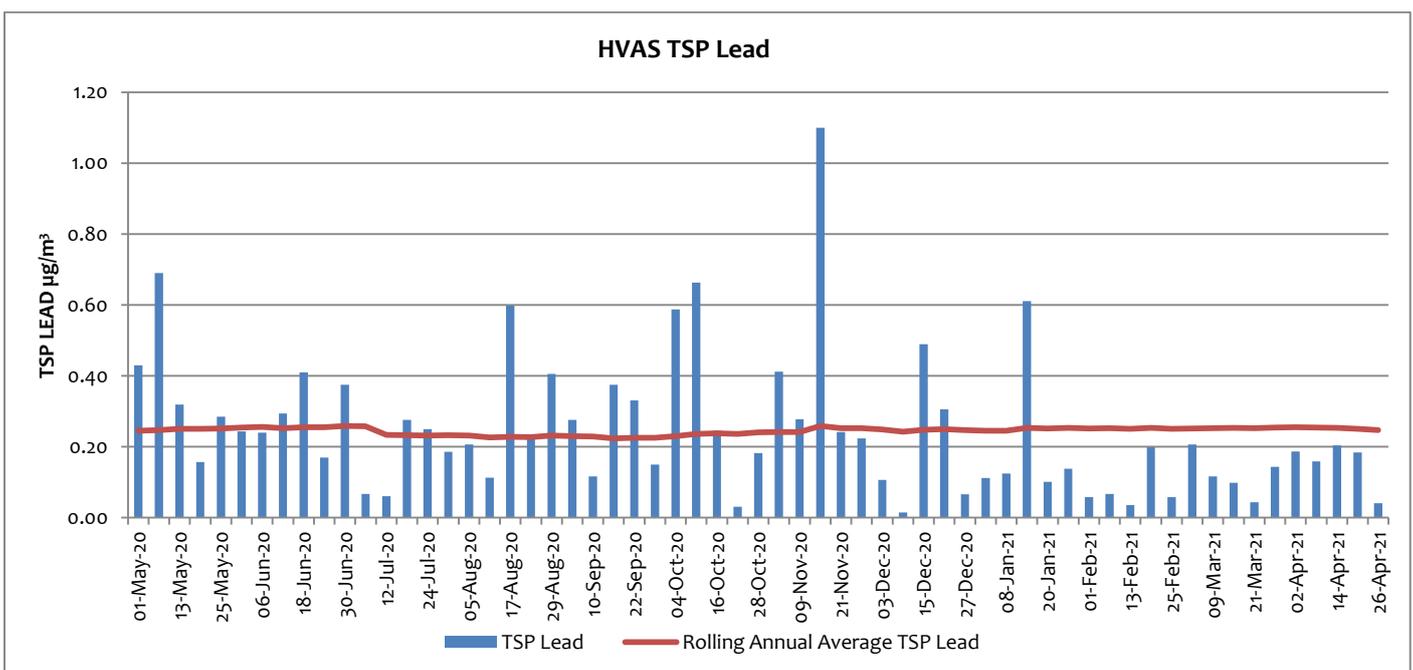
| DATE | TSP (µg/m ³) | Lead (µg/m ³) |
|-----------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 02-Apr-21 | 29.30 | 0.19 |
| 08-Apr-21 | 44.20 | 0.16 |
| 14-Apr-21 | 37.00 | 0.20 |
| 20-Apr-21 | 34.00 | 0.18 |
| 26-Apr-21 | 21.20 | 0.04 |



HVAS (EPL10) is located on the southern boundary of Rasp Mine and while limit criteria do not apply at this point, they do apply at the closest residential location.

TSP dust results at HVAS were low for the month of April compared to previous months. The annual rolling average for TSP at this location is $54.17 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ at the end of April 2021, significantly lower than the average at the beginning of April 2020 which was $77.61 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. Minor rainfall and fewer extreme dust events than the previous year contributed to the low dust levels measured in April.

The annual rolling average for TSP is determined using data with extreme dust events included.



There were slightly elevated TSP Lead levels recorded in April compared to the previous three months. The predominant wind direction in April was from the South which suggests there was contribution of lead dust from off-



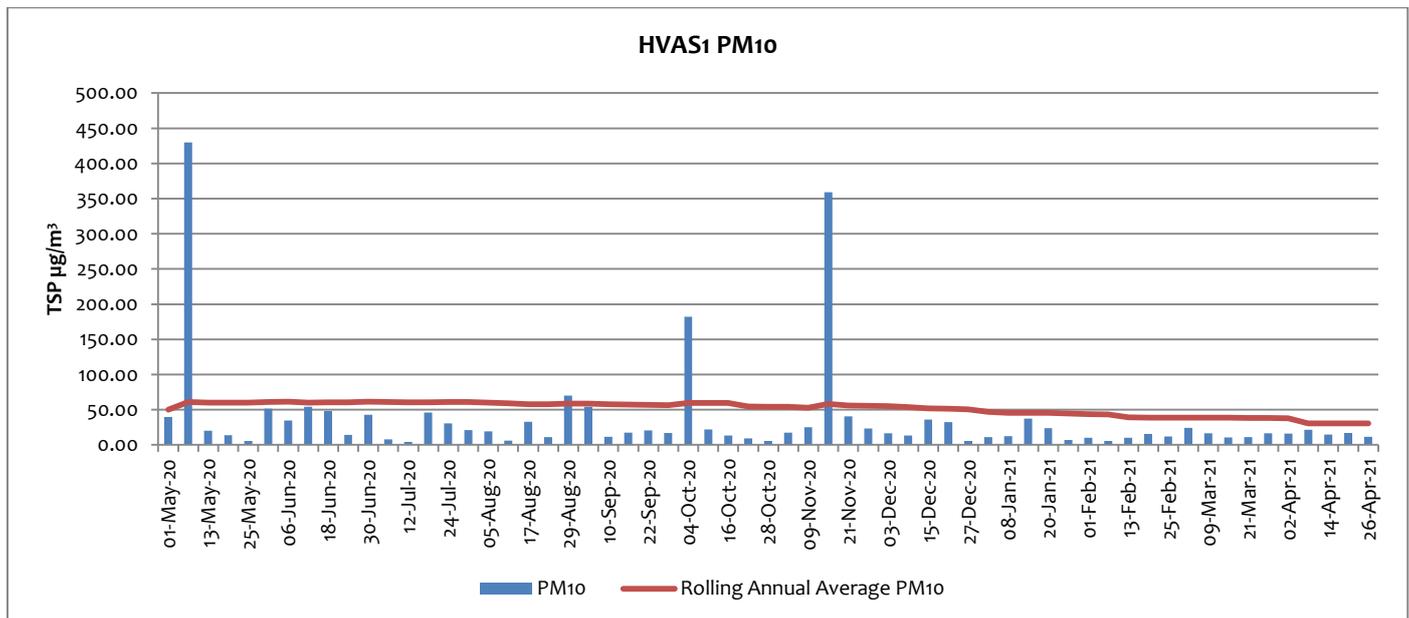
site sources. The rolling annual average for TSP Lead in April 2021 was $0.25 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, slightly higher than the level of $0.24 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ in May 2020.

Dust is controlled on site using the application of dust suppressant on free (unused) areas and side tracks, and from the frequent watering of haul roads.

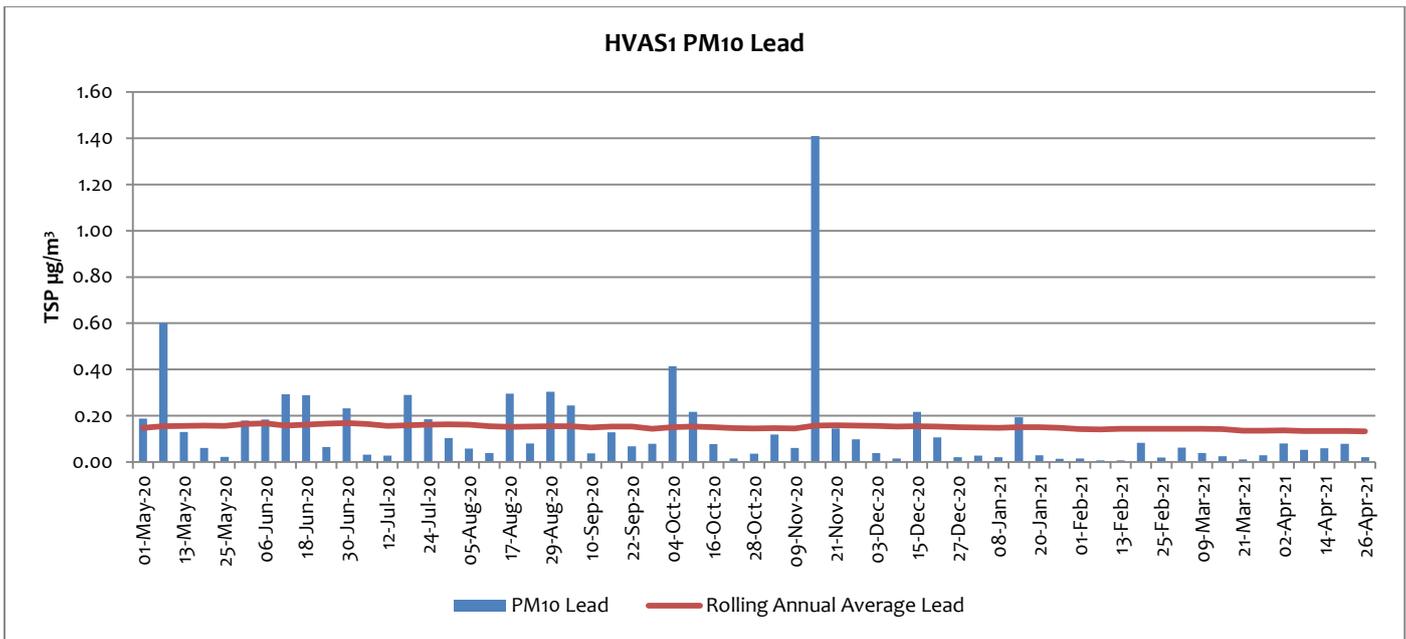
HVAS1 (EPL11) - Silver Tank (On Site) Results for April 2021

| DATE | PM ₁₀ ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) | PM ₁₀ Lead ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) |
|-----------|---|--|
| 02-Apr-21 | 16.00 | 0.08 |
| 08-Apr-21 | 21.40 | 0.05 |
| 14-Apr-21 | 14.60 | 0.06 |
| 20-Apr-21 | 17.20 | 0.08 |
| 26-Apr-21 | 11.50 | 0.02 |

HVAS1 (EPL11) is located on the southern boundary of Rasp Mine and while limit criteria do not apply at this point, they do apply at the closest residential location.



PM₁₀ dust results at HVAS1 were low for the month of April. The annual rolling average for PM₁₀ dust at this location is $30.8 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ at the end of April 2021, lower than the average at the beginning of May 2020 which was $50.0 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$. External dust events are recorded in measurements.



PM₁₀ lead levels were low in the month of April. The predominant wind direction in April was from the South and wind speeds were mild. The rolling annual average for PM₁₀ Lead in April 2021 was 0.13 µg/m³, down from 0.15 µg/m³ in May 2020.

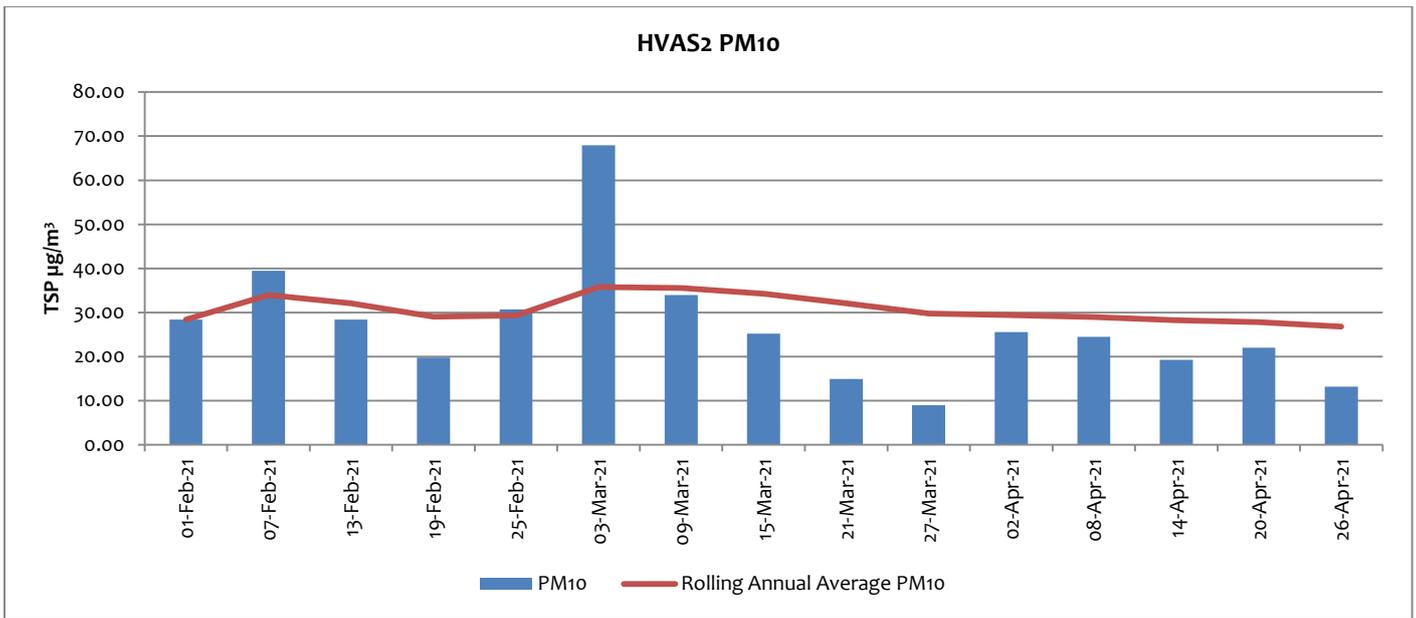
HVAS 2 (EPL12) - Blackwood Pit (On Site) Results for April 2021

| DATE | PM ₁₀ (µg/m ³) | PM ₁₀ Lead (µg/m ³) |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 02-Apr-21 | 25.60 | 0.27 |
| 08-Apr-21 | 24.50 | 0.20 |
| 14-Apr-21 | 19.30 | 0.23 |
| 20-Apr-21 | 22.00 | 0.20 |
| 26-Apr-21 | 13.20 | 0.03 |

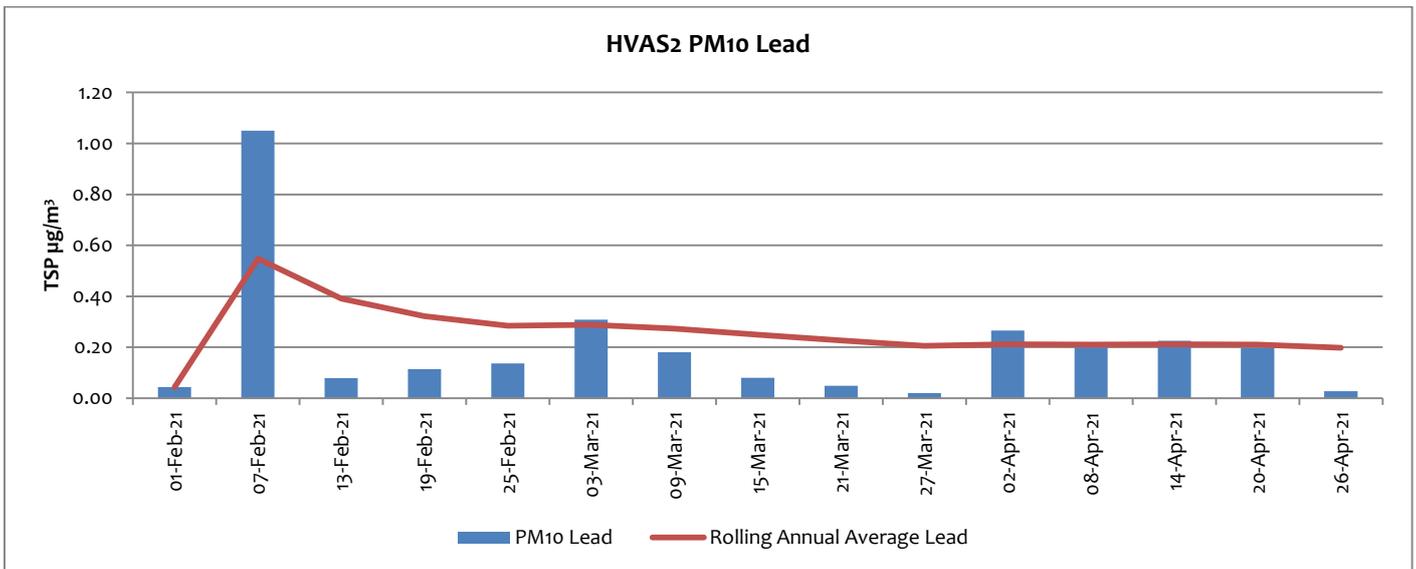
HVAS2 (EPL12) is located on the northern boundary of Rasp Mine and while limit criteria do not apply at this point, they do apply at the closest residential location. HVAS2 was decommissioned in June 2019 while Embankment 2 TSF2 construction works were undertaken and reinstalled in February 2021.

The annual rolling average for PM₁₀ dust at this location is 26.83 µg/m³ at the end of April 2021, however due to the unit being reinstalled after 19 months decommissioned, annual rolling average is calculated using data from February to April 2021 only.

The annual rolling average for PM₁₀ dust is determined using data with extreme dust events included.



PM₁₀ lead levels were higher in April than in March. The predominant wind direction in April was from the South. The rolling annual average for PM₁₀ Lead in April 2021 was 0.20 µg/m³, however due to the unit being reinstalled after 19 months decommissioned, annual rolling average is calculated using data from February to April only.



HVAS 3 (EPL57) - Blackwood Pit (On Site) Results for April 2021

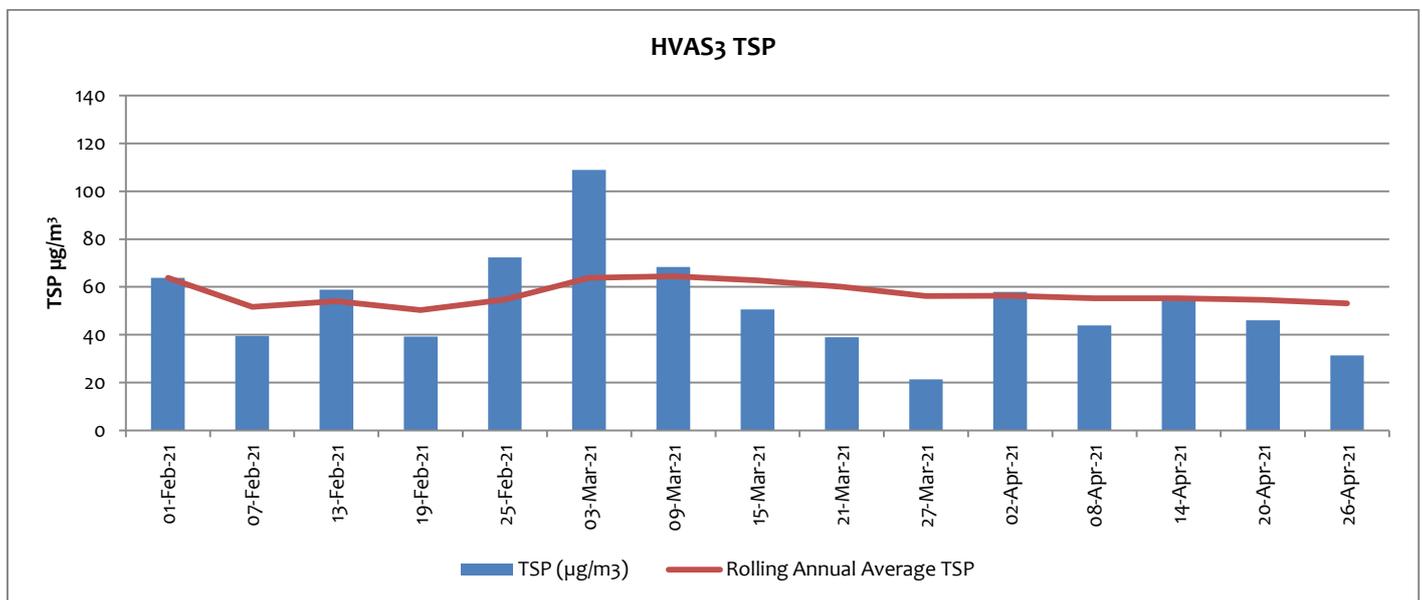
| DATE | TSP (µg/m ³) | Lead (µg/m ³) |
|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 02-Apr-21 | 57.9 | 0.747 |
| 08-Apr-21 | 43.9 | 0.056 |
| 14-Apr-21 | 55.1 | 0.918 |
| 20-Apr-21 | 46.0 | 0.693 |
| 26-Apr-21 | 31.3 | 0.088 |



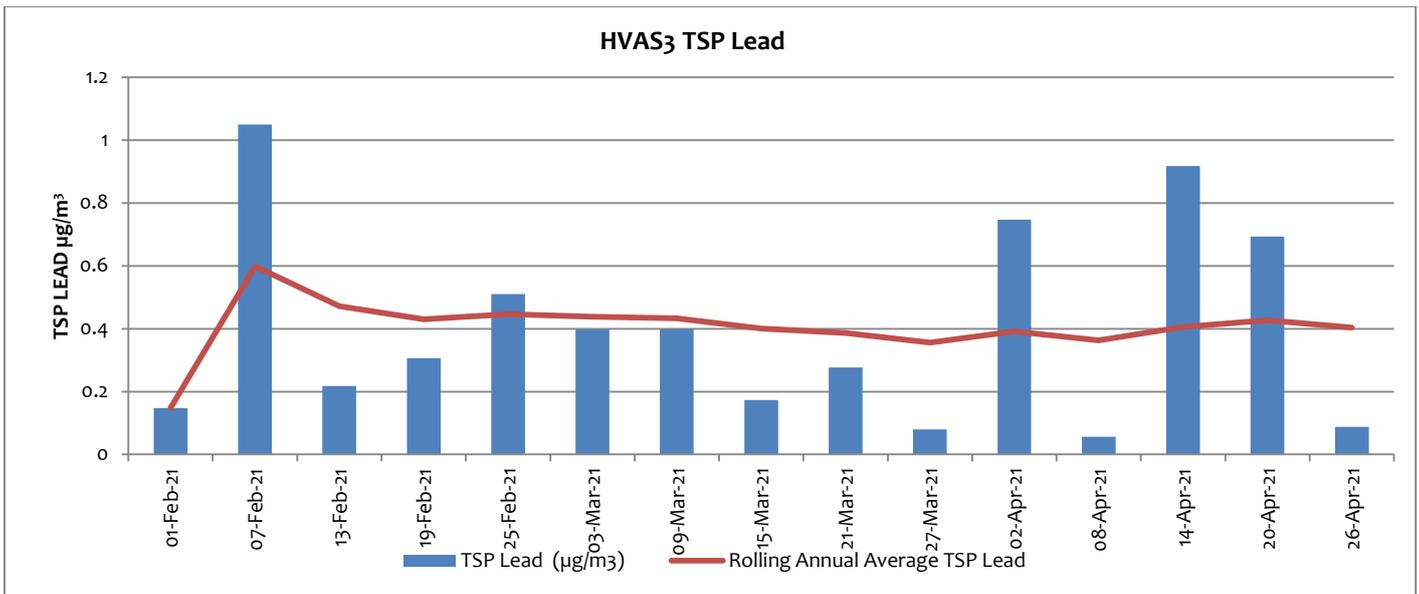
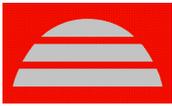
HVAS3 (EPL57) is located on the northern boundary of Rasp Mine and while limit criteria do not apply at this point, they do apply at the closest residential location. HVAS3 (EPL57) was included in EPL 12559 on 14 March 2019 to provide for monitoring of TSP Dust on the northern boundary of the site at Blackwoods Pit TSF2. HVAS3 was decommissioned in June 2019 while Embankment 2 TSF2 construction works were undertaken and reinstalled in February 2021.

The annual rolling average for TSP dust at this location is $53.08 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ at the end of April 2021, however due to the unit being reinstalled after 19 months decommissioned, annual rolling average is calculated using data from February to April 2021 only.

The annual rolling average for TSP is determined using data with extreme dust events included.



The rolling annual average for TSP Lead in April 2021 was $0.40 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, however due to the unit being reinstalled after 19 months decommissioned, annual rolling average is calculated using data from February to April only. Elevated lead levels were recorded on 2, 14, and 20 April with the results of 2 April and 14 April likely to have been generated from site activities as the predominant wind direction on these dates were from the ESE and SSW respectively. The predominant wind direction on 20 April was from the NW so lead content likely came from off-site sources or activities.



1.2 Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance Sampling (TEOM)

There are two Tapered Element Oscillating Microbalance (TEOM) sampling units used to measure ambient air quality at the Rasp Mine – TEOM1 (EPL13) is located off-site within the perimeter fence of Essential Water south of the mine lease, and TEOM2 (EPL14) is located on-site adjacent to Blackwood Pit to the north of the mine lease. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. TEOM1 and TEOM2 are designed to operate continuously and sample for particulate matter less than 10 microns (PM₁₀) in size.

TEOM2 was temporarily decommissioned in 19 June 2019 due to Embankment 2 TSF2 construction works. The decommissioning is in accordance with dust management strategies agreed with the EPA which includes the operation of a real-time PM₁₀ monitor north of the construction works. Both Project Approval and Environment Protection Licence criteria exclude dust storms and other extraordinary events.

Project Approval 07_0018 criteria apply at TEOM1 and TEOM2, with two criteria listed for PM₁₀, a 24 hour average criteria of 50 µg/m³ and an annual average criteria of 25 µg/m³.

TEOM data is validated by third party consultants using Australian Standards and internal procedures, and is used to populate the table of TEOM monthly data provided below.



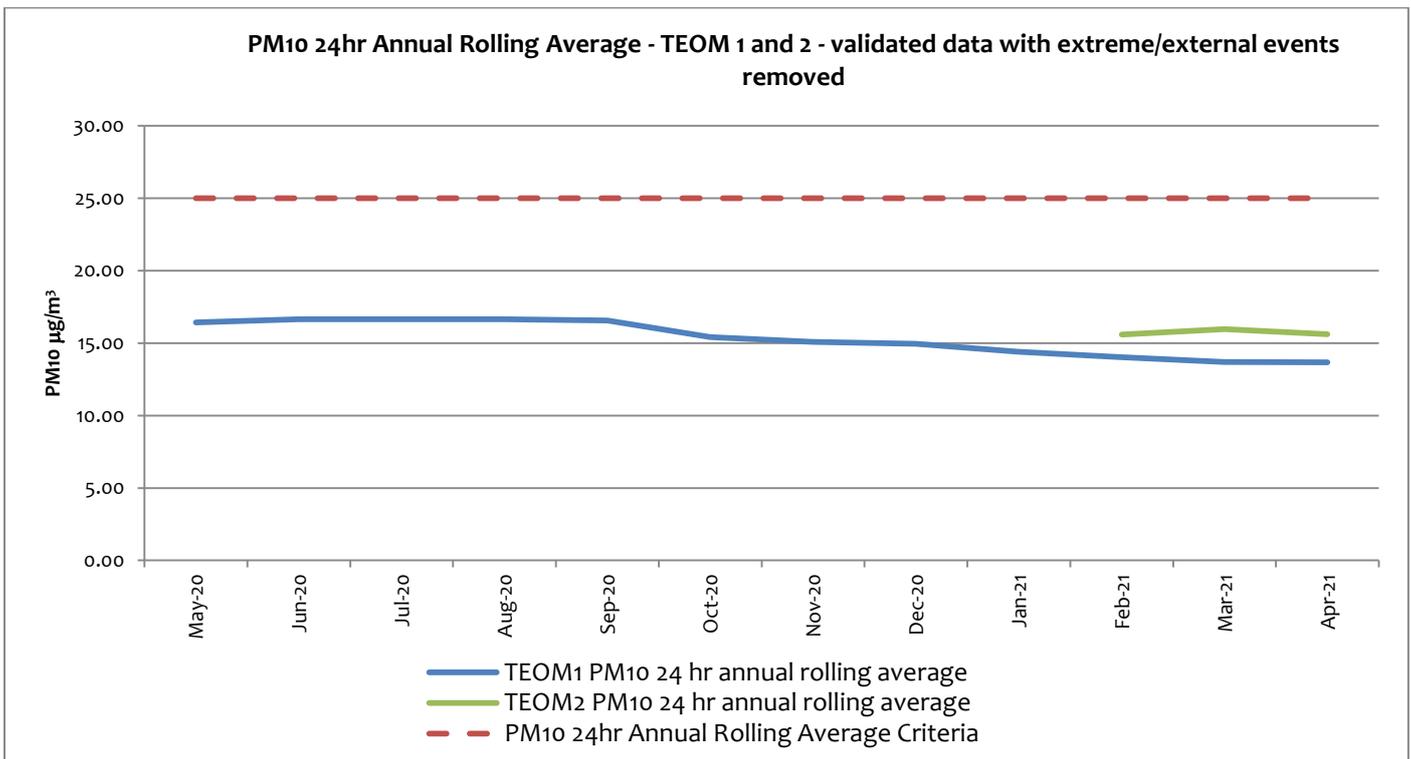
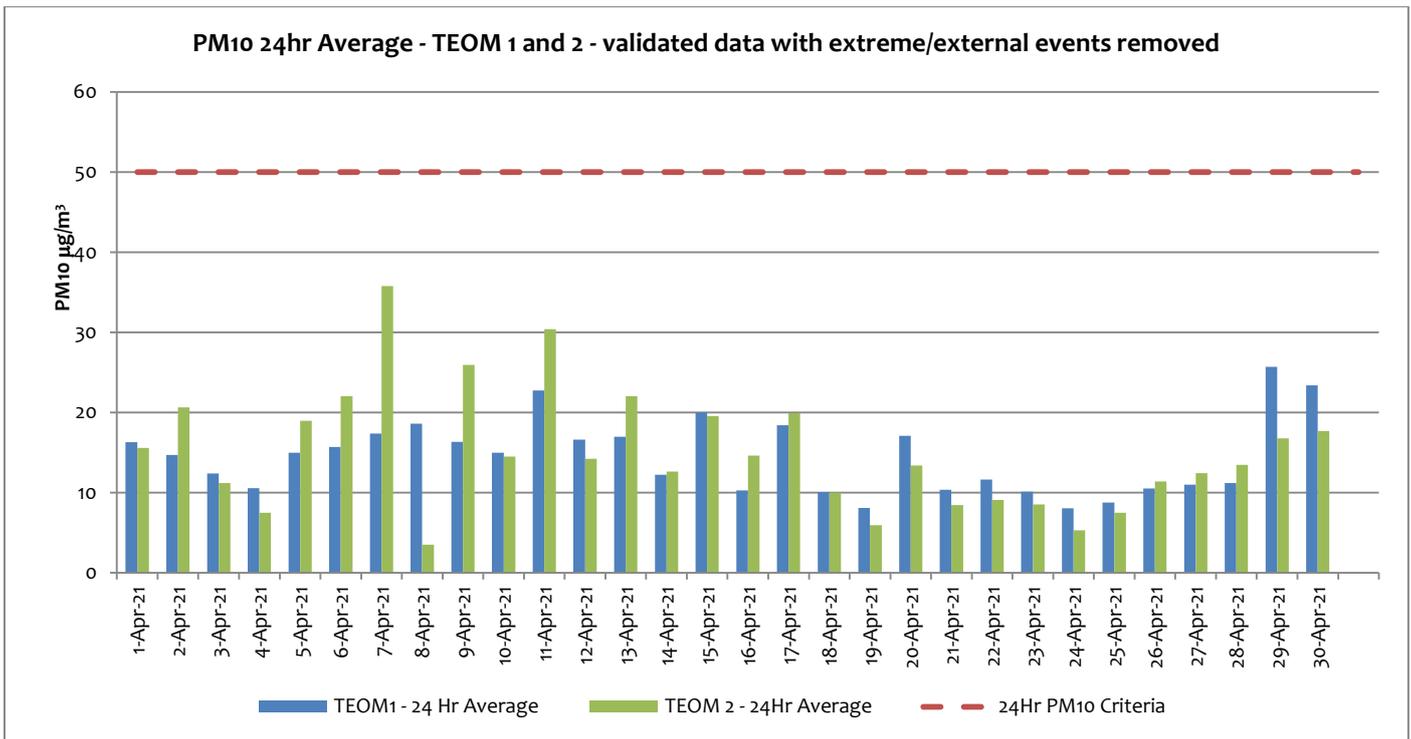
TEOM1 (EPL13) (Off Site) and TEOM2 (EPL14) (On Site) Validated Results for April 2021

| Particulate Matter <10 Microns 24Hr Average | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Date | TEOM 1 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) | Compliant with 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ 24hr average? | TEOM 2 ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) | Compliant with 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ 24hr average? |
| 1-Apr-21 | 16.3 | Y | 15.6 | Y |
| 2-Apr-21 | 14.7 | Y | 20.6 | Y |
| 3-Apr-21 | 12.4 | Y | 11.2 | Y |
| 4-Apr-21 | 10.5 | Y | 7.5 | Y |
| 5-Apr-21 | 15.0 | Y | 19.0 | Y |
| 6-Apr-21 | 15.7 | Y | 22.0 | Y |
| 7-Apr-21 | 17.4 | Y | 35.8 | Y |
| 8-Apr-21 | 18.6 | Y | 3.5 | Y |
| 9-Apr-21 | 16.3 | Y | 25.9 | Y |
| 10-Apr-21 | 15.0 | Y | 14.5 | Y |
| 11-Apr-21 | 22.7 | Y | 30.4 | Y |
| 12-Apr-21 | 16.6 | Y | 14.2 | Y |
| 13-Apr-21 | 17.0 | Y | 22.0 | Y |
| 14-Apr-21 | 12.2 | Y | 12.6 | Y |
| 15-Apr-21 | 20.0 | Y | 19.6 | Y |
| 16-Apr-21 | 10.3 | Y | 14.6 | Y |
| 17-Apr-21 | 18.4 | Y | 19.9 | Y |
| 18-Apr-21 | 10.1 | Y | 10.0 | Y |
| 19-Apr-21 | 8.1 | Y | 5.9 | Y |
| 20-Apr-21 | 17.1 | Y | 13.4 | Y |
| 21-Apr-21 | 10.3 | Y | 8.4 | Y |
| 22-Apr-21 | 11.6 | Y | 9.1 | Y |
| 23-Apr-21 | 10.1 | Y | 8.5 | Y |
| 24-Apr-21 | 8.0 | Y | 5.3 | Y |
| 25-Apr-21 | 8.8 | Y | 7.5 | Y |
| 26-Apr-21 | 10.5 | Y | 11.4 | Y |
| 27-Apr-21 | 11.0 | Y | 12.4 | Y |
| 28-Apr-21 | 11.2 | Y | 13.5 | Y |
| 29-Apr-21 | 25.7 | Y | 16.8 | Y |
| 30-Apr-21 | 23.4 | Y | 17.7 | Y |

NS – no sample collected.

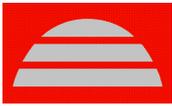
TEOM2 was decommissioned since June 2019 while Embankment 2 TSF2 construction works were undertaken and reinstalled in February 2021. Servicing, calibration and zeroing of both TEOM1 and TEOM2 were undertaken from 1st to 3rd of February. A portable PM10 monitor was operating adjacent to the TEOM2 location while servicing was being undertaken.

PM₁₀ dust levels at both TEOM units were low in the month of April. The PM₁₀ 24-hour rolling annual average for data with external elevated dust events removed at April 2021 is 13.67 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ for TEOM1. The PM₁₀ 24-hour rolling annual average for data with external elevated dust events removed at April 2021 is 15.61 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ for TEOM2. The PM₁₀ 24-hour rolling annual average for both TEOM sites remain below the annual average criteria of 25 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$.



1.3 Dust Deposition Sampling

There are seven dust deposition gauges to measure ambient air quality at the Rasp Mine – D1 to D7. D1 and D6 are located off-site, D1 near the St Johns training facility north of the Rasp Mine and D6 in Casuarina Avenue south of the Rasp Mine. D2 to D5 and D7 are located on the mine lease in various locations. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. Dust samples are collected monthly and analysed for total deposited dust

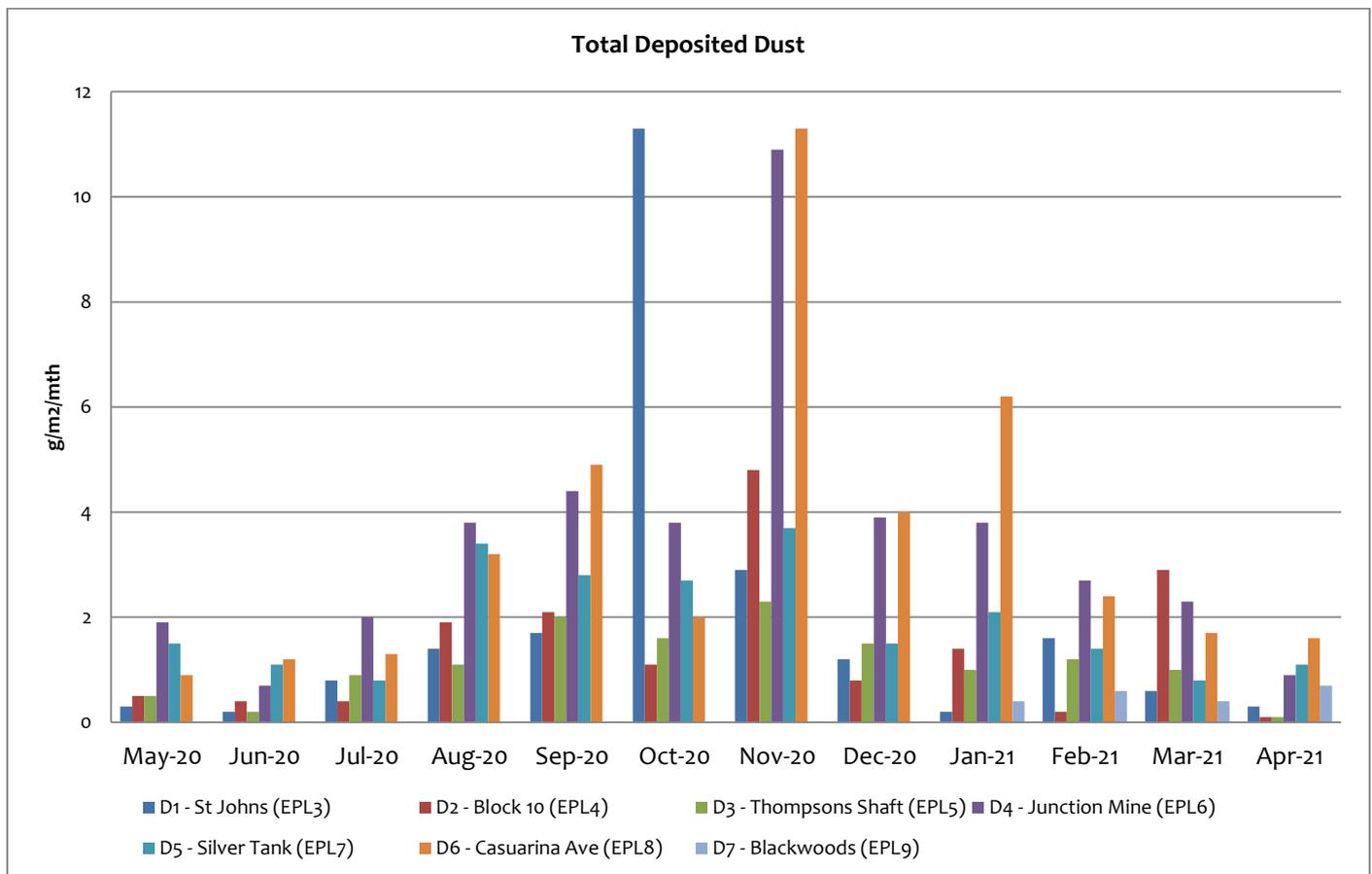


and deposited lead dust. DDG7 was decommissioned from June 2019 to January 2021 due to works on TSF Embankment 2.

Dust Deposition Gauges D1 (EPL3) to D7 (EPL9) – Results for April 2021

| Total Deposited Dust (g/m ² /Month) | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Sample Period | D1 (off site) | D2 (on site) | D3 (on site) | D4 (on site) | D5 (on site) | D6 (off site) | D7 (on site) |
| April 2021 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 0.7 |
| Background (2010) | 4.0 | 3.1 | 4.3 | 5.7 | - ¹ | 5.8 | - ¹ |
| Compliant? | Y | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | Y | N/A |

Note: “1”= background not available, N/A = not applicable as dust deposition unit is located on site, NS = No sample



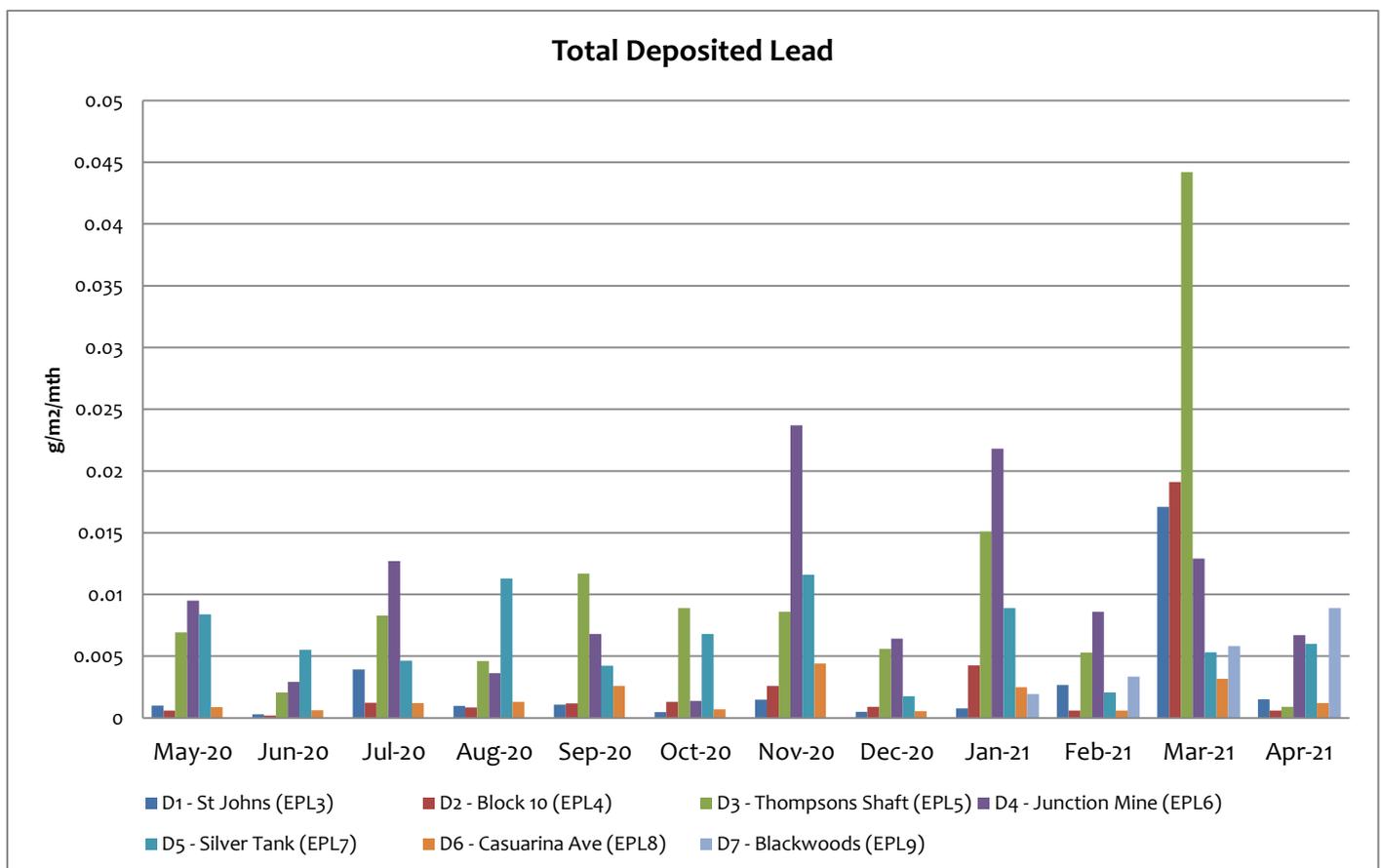
The dust levels recorded in Dust Gauges in April 2021 are low compared to the previous months. The highest dust levels were recorded in the D6 Casuarina Avenue gauge. The predominant wind direction for April 2021 was from the South as shown in the Wind Rose in Section 4.

| Total Deposited Lead (g/m ² /Month) | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Sample Period | D1 (off Site) | D2 (on site) | D3 (on site) | D4 (on site) | D5 (on site) | D6 (off Site) | D7 (on site) |
| April 2021 | 0.0015 | 0.00059 | 0.0009 | 0.007 | 0.006 | 0.0012 | 0.0089 |
| Background (2010) | 0.0034 | 0.005 | 0.005 | 0.006 | - ¹ | 0.004 | - ¹ |

Note: “1”= background not available, NS = No sample



There are no guidelines for deposited lead dust. Lead results in April 2021 were highest in the D4 Junction Mine, D5 Silver Tank and D7 Blackwoods gauges. The predominant wind direction for April 2021 was from the South as shown in the Wind Rose in Section 4. Site activities around the Rail Loadout area may contribute to elevated Lead levels at D4 Junction Mine, but only minimally, as the concentrate containers are loaded with concentrate in an enclosed shed under negative pressure, and the loading area alongside the train is a concrete pad which is regularly swept and watered. A water cart will also attend to the haul road between the concentrate loading shed at the Mill and the rail loadout area when concentrate containers are being transported on site. The D4 Junction Mine site is north of the site and impacted by both on-site and off-site activities. Much of the area around the D4 gauges is bare of cover and characterised by historical mining activities. Elevated levels at D7 Blackwoods were potentially due to Embankment Construction activities and disturbance of the surface of TSF2 Blackwoods which have now been completed and are ready for installation of a TSF surface spray system. The D5 Silver Tank levels were likely impacted by dust from off-site sources due to the predominantly southern wind direction.



Dust suppressant is applied to unsealed areas of the site and roads are frequently watered using water carts in an attempt to control dust emissions. The waste dump adjacent to the rail loadout is treated with dust suppressant to capture any loose dust accumulating on the lower batters and on the upper surface.

1.4 Ventilation Outlets and Bag House Monitoring

There are two locations to measure pollutants from exhausts or stacks; these include the Primary Ventilation Shaft, measuring pollutants from underground firings, and the Baghouse Stack at the crusher measuring dust. Each are located on site; the Primary Ventilation Shaft is located centrally and to the north of the mine lease and the Primary



Crusher Baghouse Stack is located within the area of the processing plant to the east of the lease. Shaft 6 (EPL56) was removed as a monitoring location with the variation of EPL12559 in March 2019 as it became an intake rather than an exhaust in April 2018. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. Samples are collected quarterly and analysed for a number parameters listed in below. Reference to the item required in the Rasp Mine Environment Protection Licence (EPL) is provided below. Emissions monitoring is conducted quarterly.

The following criteria apply:

Primary Ventilation Shaft (EPL1)

| | Unit | Criteria |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Nitrogen Oxides | mg/m ³ | 350 |
| Volatile Organic Compounds | mg/m ³ | 40 |

Primary Ventilation Shaft (EPL1) and Crusher Baghouse (EPL2)

| | Unit | Criteria |
|--|-------------------|----------|
| Total Suspended particles (TSP) | mg/m ³ | 20 |
| Type 1 and Type 2¹ | mg/m ³ | 1 |

Note 1: "Type 1 substance" means the elements antimony, arsenic, cadmium, lead or mercury or any compound containing one or more of those elements.

"Type 2 substance" means the elements beryllium, chromium, cobalt, manganese, nickel, selenium, tin or vanadium or any compound containing one or more of those elements.

Primary Vent Shaft (EPL1) and Crusher Baghouse (EPL2) Results for April 2021

Monitoring was conducted at the Primary Vent Shaft (EPL1) and the Crusher Baghouse (EPL2) on 13 April 2021. The monitoring results for the Primary Vent Shaft and the Crusher Baghouse from this monitoring event were below the licence criteria.

| | Unit | Primary Vent Shaft (EPL1) | Crusher Baghouse (EPL2) |
|--|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Dry Gas Density | Kg/m ³ | 1.29 | 1.29 |
| Moisture | % | 2.2 | 1.5 |
| Molecular weight of stack gases | g/m ³ | 1,287 | 1,288 |
| Temperature | °C | 25 | 26 |
| Nitrogen Oxides | mg/m ³ | 2.05 | NA |
| Volatile Organic Compounds | mg/m ³ | 0.468 | NA |
| Total Suspended particles | mg/m ³ | 4.59 | 5.49 |
| Type 1 and Type 2 | mg/m ³ | 0.0917 | 0.197 |
| Velocity | m/sec | 14.9 | 23.2 |
| Volumetric Flowrate | m ³ /sec | 260 | 9.59 |

The next round of compliance monitoring was scheduled for July 2021.



2 Noise

2.1 Blasting (Vibration and Overpressure)

There are 5 compliance vibration monitors at various locations measuring for vibration and overpressure from blast firings. These include V1 to V5 which are located on-site and off-site. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. In addition, there are a number of roving monitors which may be used to monitor vibration and overpressure at particular locations as required. Monitors operate continuously and are automatically triggered to record when a blast occurs. The following conditions apply as listed in the PA 07_0018 and EPL 12559:-

Blasting Criteria (Western Mineralisation and Main Lodes excluding Block 7)

| Location | Airblast Overpressure (dB(Lin Peak)) | Ground Vibration (mm/s) | Allowable Exceedance (for production and development blasts) |
|---|---|----------------------------|--|
| Residence on privately owned land (7am-7pm) | 115 | 5 | 5% of the total number of blasts over a 12-month period ¹ |
| (7am-7pm) | 120 | 10 | 0% |
| (7pm-10pm) | 105 | - | - |
| (10pm-7am) | 95 | - | - |
| Public Infrastructure | - | 100 | 0% |

Note 1: Does not apply until completion of Pollution Reduction Program on the EPL at the end of 2018. Applies to EPL criteria in the period for the Annual Return 3 Nov to 2 Nov the following year and to DPE criteria in the reporting period 1 Jul to 30 Jun each year.

Blasting Criteria (Block 7)

| Location | Airblast Overpressure (dB(Lin Peak)) | Ground Vibration (mm/s) | Allowable Exceedance (for production and development blasts) |
|---|---|----------------------------|---|
| Residence on privately owned land (7am-7pm) | 115 | 3 (interim) | 5% of the total number of blasts over a 12-month period ¹ |
| (7am-7pm) | 120 | 10 | 0% |
| (7pm-10pm) | 105 | - | - |
| (10pm-7am) | 95 | - | - |
| Broken Hill Bowling Club, Italo (Bocce) Club, Heritage Items within CML7 | - | 50 | 0% |
| Perilya Southern Operations | - | 100 | 0% |
| Public Infrastructure | - | 100 | 0% |

Note 1: Applies to EPL criteria in the period for the Annual Return 3 Nov to 2 Nov the following year and to DPE criteria in the reporting period 1 Jul to 30 Jun each year.

In addition the following conditions also apply:-

- Production blasts may occur between 6.45 am and 7.15 pm on any day



- 1 production blast per day, with 6 per week averaged over a calendar year
- 6 development blasts per day, with 42 per week averaged over a calendar year

Blasting Data Summary Results for April 2021

Total Blasts:

- 0 production blasts occurred before 6.45 am or after 7.15 pm
- The number of Production blasts averaged 2.46 per week over the previous calendar year
- The number of Development blasts averaged 27.90 per week over the previous calendar year

Western Mineralisation and Main Lodes (excluding Block 7):

- 0 Blasts recorded >5 mm/s
- 0 Blasts recorded >10 mm/s
- 0 development blasts recorded an over pressure level over 95 dBL (10pm to 7am)
- 0 development blasts recorded an over pressure level over 105 dBL (7pm to 10pm)
- 0 Blasts recorded an over pressure level over 115dBL (7am to 7pm)
- 0 Blasts recorded an over pressure level over or 120 dBL at any time
- Percentage of development blasts over 5 mm/sec for the annual period = 0%
- Percentage of production blasts over 5 mm/sec for the annual period = 2.4%

Block 7:

- 1 Blasts recorded >3 mm/s
- 0 Blasts recorded >10 mm/s
- 0 Blasts recorded >50 mm/s at V6
- 0 development blasts recorded an over pressure level over 95 dBL (10pm to 7am)
- 0 development blasts recorded an over pressure level over 105 dBL (7pm to 10pm)
- 0 Blasts recorded an over pressure level over 115 dBL (7am to 7pm)
- 0 Blasts recorded an over pressure level over or 120 dBL at any time
- Percentage of development blasts over 3mm/sec for the annual period = 0%
- Percentage of production blasts over 3mm/sec for the annual period = 100%

The percentage of production blasts in the Western Mineralisation and Main Lodes producing vibration at monitors over 5 mm/sec for the 12-month period is 2.4%.

The percentage of production blasts in Block 7 producing vibration at monitors over 3 mm/sec for the 12-month period is 100%. There have been 3 production blasts conducted in the period and all recorded more than 3 mm/s at a compliance monitor. No complaints have been received about Block 7 blasts.

2.2 Noise

Noise monitoring is undertaken as per the NSW Noise Policy for Industry at a frequency of once per annum. Annual noise monitoring was last conducted during two consecutive night-time periods from 15 to 17 December 2020.

The monitoring assessment found that site LAeq, 15min noise contributions satisfied the relevant limits during the measurements at all assessment locations.



3 Water

3.1 Groundwater

There are eighteen sampling locations for groundwater. GW01 (EPL37) to GW16 (EPL52) are piezometers installed at various locations around the mine site and are sampled quarterly. There are also two sampling locations for water pumped from underground mining, Shaft 7 (EPL53) and Kintore Pit (EPL54), which are sampled monthly. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. Groundwater monitoring is scheduled for completion in March, June, September and December. No limits are applied in the EPL to the results from groundwater monitoring.

After a decrease in EC levels in August and September 2020, levels have risen to normal levels for Shaft 7 and Kintore in November and December. Results for Kintore Pit/UG in April were consistent with long-term results. Shaft 7 was not pumping to the surface in April.

Groundwater Monitoring Requirements

| EPA Identification Number | Frequency | Parameters to be analysed |
|--|-----------|---|
| Shaft 7 EPL53 | Monthly | alkalinity (calcium carbonate (CaCO ₃)), cadmium (Cd), calcium (Ca), chloride (Cl), electrical conductivity (EC), iron (Fe), lead Pb), magnesium (Mg), manganese (Mn), pH, sodium (Na), sulphate (SO ₄), total dissolved solids (TDS) and zinc (Zn) |
| Kintore Pit (U/G dewatering) EPL54 | Monthly | |
| Piezometers EPL37 (GW01) to EPL52 (GW16) | Quarterly | |

Shaft 7 (EPL53) and Kintore Pit (EPL54) Results for April 2021

| Sample Point | pH | EC (µS/cm ²) | TDS (mg/l) | Alkalinity (CaCO ₃) (mg/l) | SO ₄ (mg/l) | Cl (mg/l) | Ca (mg/l) | Mg (mg/l) | Na (mg/l) | Cd (mg/l) | Pb (mg/l) | Mn (mg/l) | Zn (mg/l) | Fe (mg/l) |
|---------------------|-----|--------------------------|------------|--|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Shaft 7 (EPL53) | Dry | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kintore Pit (EPL54) | 5.6 | 14600 | 16600 | 5 | 7050 | 2220 | 455 | 368 | 1820 | 7.20 | 1.77 | 569 | 1440 | 4.31 |

Groundwater Bores (EPL37 - EPL52) Results for April 2021

The next round of groundwater monitoring is planned for June.

3.2 Surface Water Sample Record

There are seven sampling locations for surface water, these include surface water basins located on the mine lease to capture and retain rainfall and two locations up and down stream of an ephemeral creek located south of the mine lease boundary. A map indicating these locations can be found on the Rasp Mine web site. Based on historical data, sampling is most likely to be undertaken in October (highest rainfall month as recorded by Bureau of Meteorology) and April.



Surface Water Monitoring Requirements

| Description | Frequency | Parameters to be Analysed |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Federation Way Culvert EPL29/S31-1 | 2 x per year, six months apart | cadmium (Cd), chloride (Cl), electrical conductivity (EC), lead Pb), manganese (Mn), pH, sodium (Na), sulphate (SO ₄), total dissolved solids (TDS) and zinc (Zn) |
| Ryan Street Dam EPL31/S49 | 2 x per year, six months apart | |
| Adjacent Olive Grove EPL32/S1A | 2 x per year, six months apart | |
| Adjacent Bowls Club EPL33 /S9-B2 | 2 x per year, six months apart | |
| Horwood Dam EPL34/S34 | 2 x per year, six months apart | |
| Upstream Bonanza St EPL35 | 2 x per year, six months apart | |
| Downstream Sydney Rd EPL36 | 2 x per year, six months apart | |

Surface Water Monitoring Results for April 2021

No sampling of surface waters was possible in April due to lack of rainfall.



4 Weather Data

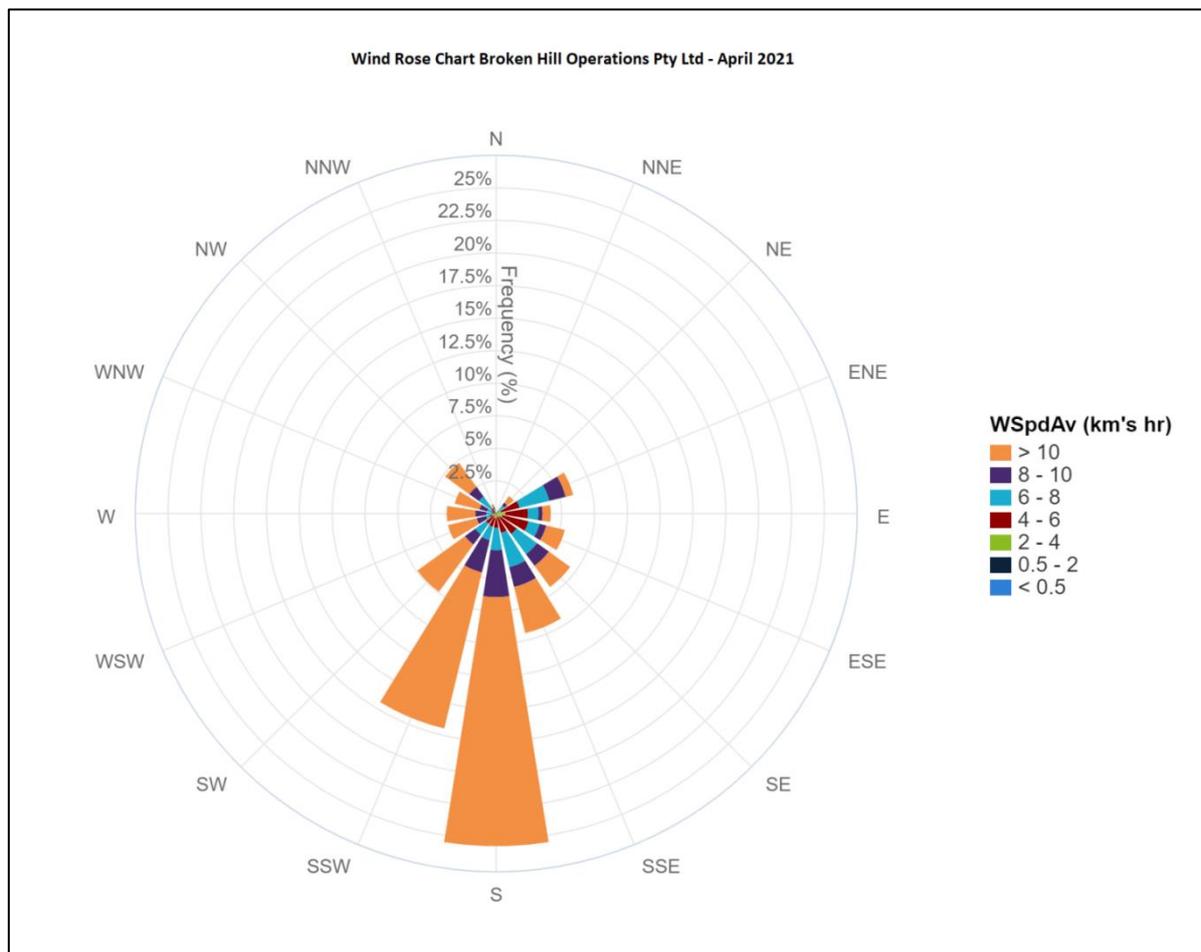
The weather station continuously monitors the following parameters as per Point 55 of the Environmental Protection Licence.

The following parameters are required to be recorded each month as listed in the EPL 12559:

Rasp Mine Weather Station (EPL55) Monitoring Requirements

| Parameter | Sampling method | Units of measure | Averaging period | Frequency |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|--|------------------|------------|
| Temperature at 10 metres | AM-4 | degrees Celsius | 15 minutes | Continuous |
| Wind Direction at 10 metres | AM-4 | degrees in a clockwise direction from True North | 15 minutes | Continuous |
| Wind Speed at 10 metres | AM-4 | metres per second | 15 minutes | Continuous |
| Rainfall | AM-4 | millimetres | 1 hour | Continuous |
| Sigma theta | AM-2 & AM-4 | degrees | 15 minutes | Continuous |

The windrose provided below indicates the main wind direction for the month of April was from the South.

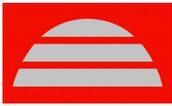




Weather Data Summary for April 2021

| Date | Temperature @ 10m (°C) | | Wind Speed @ 10m (km/hr) | | Predominant Wind Direction @ 10m | | Rainfall (mm) |
|-----------|---------------------------|------|-----------------------------|------|-------------------------------------|--------|------------------|
| | Min | Max | Min | Max | Cardinal | Degree | Total |
| 01-Apr-21 | 19.4 | 28.0 | 3.5 | 16.6 | NE | 50 | 0.00 |
| 02-Apr-21 | 20.4 | 28.3 | 3.0 | 18.4 | ENE | 65 | 0.00 |
| 03-Apr-21 | 19.6 | 29.3 | 3.9 | 22.5 | NE | 49 | 0.00 |
| 04-Apr-21 | 20.2 | 29.4 | 3.0 | 16.4 | South | 179 | 0.00 |
| 05-Apr-21 | 16.4 | 28.9 | 6.3 | 27.3 | South | 177 | 0.00 |
| 06-Apr-21 | 14.7 | 27.6 | 5.7 | 23.2 | South | 178 | 0.00 |
| 07-Apr-21 | 13.9 | 26.7 | 3.7 | 18.7 | South | 179 | 0.00 |
| 08-Apr-21 | 18.6 | 29.4 | 0.7 | 18.0 | West | 267 | 0.00 |
| 09-Apr-21 | 14.4 | 22.7 | 7.7 | 27.4 | South | 184 | 0.00 |
| 10-Apr-21 | 11.0 | 19.0 | 6.4 | 33.4 | SSW | 200 | 0.00 |
| 11-Apr-21 | 9.2 | 16.9 | 7.3 | 35.4 | South | 179 | 0.00 |
| 12-Apr-21 | 7.3 | 17.7 | 2.9 | 22.9 | East | 89 | 0.00 |
| 13-Apr-21 | 11.9 | 22.9 | 8.3 | 37.0 | SSW | 202 | 0.00 |
| 14-Apr-21 | 13.0 | 22.3 | 2.8 | 24.4 | SSW | 201 | 0.00 |
| 15-Apr-21 | 11.6 | 18.6 | 1.6 | 20.0 | SSW | 204 | 0.00 |
| 16-Apr-21 | 10.0 | 19.2 | 8.6 | 22.2 | South | 177 | 0.00 |
| 17-Apr-21 | 8.3 | 17.8 | 6.5 | 29.6 | South | 179 | 0.00 |
| 18-Apr-21 | 8.3 | 18.2 | 2.4 | 20.1 | South | 180 | 0.00 |
| 19-Apr-21 | 13.0 | 20.5 | 1.9 | 13.6 | NW | 312 | 0.00 |
| 20-Apr-21 | 9.7 | 22.6 | 4.7 | 31.9 | NW | 311 | 0.00 |
| 21-Apr-21 | 6.9 | 17.6 | 0.4 | 17.1 | SE | 132 | 0.00 |
| 22-Apr-21 | 10.6 | 19.6 | 4.8 | 18.5 | SW | 223 | 0.00 |
| 23-Apr-21 | 10.6 | 18.7 | 2.8 | 17.2 | SSW | 199 | 0.00 |
| 24-Apr-21 | 11.1 | 19.6 | 2.9 | 17.4 | SSW | 203 | 0.00 |
| 25-Apr-21 | 10.7 | 19.8 | 4.5 | 18.2 | South | 180 | 0.00 |
| 26-Apr-21 | 12.3 | 20.0 | 1.0 | 20.2 | South | 178 | 0.00 |
| 27-Apr-21 | 12.0 | 20.4 | 2.0 | 15.5 | SSE | 156 | 0.00 |
| 28-Apr-21 | 14.0 | 21.7 | 0.8 | 16.9 | SSE | 158 | 0.00 |
| 29-Apr-21 | 11.9 | 21.7 | 4.2 | 15.9 | SSE | 156 | 0.00 |
| 30-Apr-21 | 15.2 | 25.0 | 1.8 | 19.5 | ENE | 65 | 0.00 |

Rainfall of 0.0mm fell in April.



5 Data Log

| Sample | Result Received |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Hi Volume Samples | 14-05-2021 |
| TEOM | 28-05-2021 |
| Dust Deposition | 19-05-2021 |
| Vents & Bag House | 11-05-2021 |
| Water | 15-04-2021 |
| Blast vibration and overpressure | 1-05-2021 |
| Weather | 1-05-2021 |
| Date posted to web site | 08-07-2022 |

6 Correction Log

Total deposited dust for DG1 was incorrectly labelled as non-compliant against the criteria for deposited dust, corrected.