

November 2022 - PKGT Monitoring Summary Report

The following Port Kembla Grain Terminal (PKGT) monthly monitoring summary report has been prepared by GrainCorp in accordance with Section 66 of the *Pollution of the Environment Operations Act 1997*. Monitoring data shared with the public on the website includes that collected as part of the Environmental Protection Licence (EPL) for the Port Kembla Grain Terminal Site. Monthly monitoring summaries are completed on the last day of any given month for the data collected.

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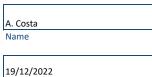
Section A. Map of PKGT and the location of sampling points as per the Environmental Protection Licence

		Ves	No No
Section B. PKGT fumigation emissions monitoring (Sampling Points 3,4,5,6,7 and 8)		see Section B	has not been included in report
	Monitoring triggered in this period	✓ Yes	🗌 No
Section C. PKGT interceptor water monitoring (Sampling Point 1)	and summarised in report?	see Section C	has not been included in report
		Yes	✓ No
Section D. PKGT diesel boiler monitoring (Sampling Point 2)		see Section D	has not been included in report

Site details

EPL Number	3693
Licensee Name	GrainCorp Operations Limited
Address	Port Kembla Grain Terminal, Morton Way, Port Kembla NSW 2505
EPL Public Register Link	http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/prpoeoapp/Detail.aspx?instid=3693&id=3693&option=licence&searchrange=licence⦥=POEO licence&prp=no&status=lssued

Technical Reviewer



Date

Date published to website



A. Sampling points as per EPL - Port Kembla Grain Terminal



Environment Protection licence (EPL) Monitoring Locations

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Point	Location at PKGT
1	Located at the Bulk Liquid Storage area of the Port Kembla Grain Terminal. The water sample is collected downstream the bund valve from the final section of the interceptor.
2	Diesel boiler air vent located within the bulk liquid storage area directly east of the bulk storage tank area bund.
3 and 4	Most southern fumigation vents located beside silos A1 and B1.
5 and 6	Fumigation vent located in the centre of the site beside silos A9 and B9.
7 and 8	The northern most fumigation vents located beside silos A10 and B10, just north of points 5 and 6.

B. GrainCorp - Port Kembla Fumigation monitoring data summary: November 2022

All air monitoring has been conducted in accordance with the methodology prescribed or a methodology approved in writing with NSW EPA.

Monitoring frequency: Continuous during every ventilation

No. of ventilation events during month: 5

					Exceedance			Re	sult	Limit			
Sampling date (ventilation event)	Pollutant (discharged to air)	Silo Vent No.	Initial Purge start time^	Initial Purge end time*	More than one silo vent in initial purge phase?* (yes/no)	Sampler (fumigator)	Parameter		Max. value	100 percentile (allowable)	Units of measure	Monitoring point location	Exceedance (yes/no)
	Single silo ventilation event			•									
	Methyl Bromide	Α9	11:46	n/a	no	no R. Newton Concentrati	Concentration	NA	5.143	8	grams per second	- 5	no
5/11/2022				, a			Velocity	1.56	NA	1.4	metres per second	5	no
	econd silo ventilation event												
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second		
	Single silo ventilation event												
							Concentration	NA	5.551	8	grams per		no
	Methyl Bromide	B11	15:57	n/a	No	R. Newton	Velocity	1.55	NA	1.4	second metres per	8	no
8/11/2022	Conned aile constitution accent						velocity	1.55	10/4	1.4	second		10
	Second silo ventilation event												
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	second		
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second		
	Single silo ventilation event								<u>т т</u>			-	
	Methyl Bromide	A13	17:43	n/a	No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	6	8	grams per second	7	no
11/11/2022							Velocity	1.53	NA	1.4	metres per second		no
11/11/2022	Second silo ventilation event												
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
	No uscharge occurred						Velocity		NA	-	metres per second	-	
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	Single silo ventilation event												
	Mothyl Promido		A4 11:24 n/a	n/2	No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	5.346	8	grams per second	- 5	no
	Methyl Bromide	A4		n/a			Velocity	1.55	NA	1.4	metres per second	5	no
16/11/2022	Second silo ventilation event												
							Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
	No discharge occurred						Velocity		NA		metres per	-	

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Sampling date (ventilation event)	Pollutant (discharged to air)	Silo Vent No.	Initial Purge start time^		More than one silo vent in initial purge phase?* (yes/no)	Sampler (fumigator)	Parameter	Min. value	Max. value	100 percentile (allowable)	Units of measure	Monitoring point location	Exceedance (<mark>yes</mark> /no)
Single silo ventilation event													
	Methyl Bromide I	P15	B15 9:54 n/a	No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	6.234	8	grams per second	8	no	
		615		iiy a	NO	R. Newton	Velocity	1.54	NA	1.4	metres per second		no
19/11/2022	19/11/2022 Second silo ventilation event												
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second	-	

Methyl bromide max concentration = 8g/sec, min velocity = 1.4m/sec

Phosphine max concentration = 0.0424g/sec; min velocity = 0.5m/sec

^ Initial Purge times that coincide are shaded in purple.

*The Initial Purge phase is the time between the start of vent and until emission rate from the grain silo is either 1 gram per second of Methyl Bromide or 0.01 grams per second of Phosphine. Only one grain silo can be in the initial purge phase at any one time. The maximum number of grain silos venting at any one time must not exceed two.

C. GrainCorp - Port Kembla water monitoring data summary: November 2022

The concentration of each pollutant specified below has been determined using the required sampling method, units of measure and sample frequency specified in the EPL. Water parameters and water samples are collected by suitably qualified staff and, where required, water samples are analysed at a NATA accredited laboratory.

Monitoring frequency: Single sample each day during any discharge (i.e. daily)

Lab report date

14/11/2022

Lab report ID

EW2205123

Number of water release events during month: 1

Sampling date

4/11/2022

Monitoring Point Location: Point 1

Sampling Event details

Sampler

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Number of times measured/sampled during Pollutant (disc						
month water)	harge to Min. value	Max. value	Visible or not visible?	100 percentile (allowable)	Units of measure	Exceedance (yes/no)
Oil and Grease	NA	NA	Not visible	Not visible	Visible	no
pH	7.81	7.81		6.5-8.5	рН	no
Total suspende	d solids <5	<5	NA	50	mg/L	no
Turbidity	2.71	2.71		40	NTU	no

Unit of Measure Abbreviation	Unit of Measure
mg/L	milligrams per litre
рН	рН
Visible	Visible
NTU	nephelometric turbidity units