

April 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 Environment	onmental Protection Licence
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		✓ Yes	□ 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=Issued

Technical Reviewer

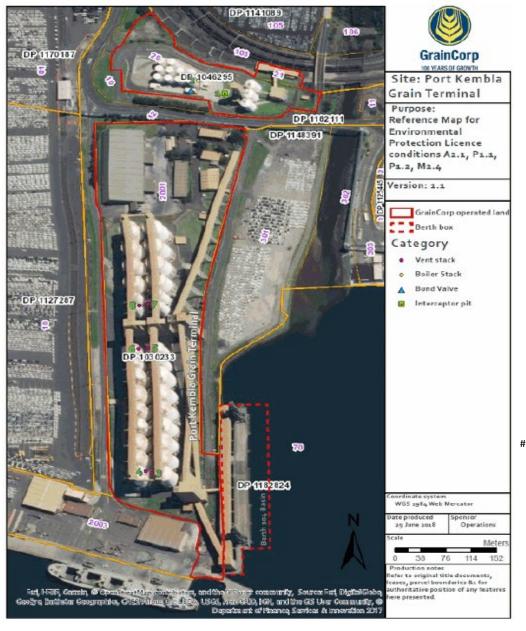
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A. Sampling points as per EPL - Port Kembla Grain Terminal



Environment Protection licence (EPL) Monitoring Locations

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.

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B. GrainCorp - Port Kembla Fumigation monitoring data summary: April 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: 6

					Exceedance			Res	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	Min. value	Max. value	100 percentile (allowable)	Units of measure	Monitoring point location	Exceedance (yes/no)
	Single silo ventilation event												
	Phosphine	A12	13:36	n/a	no	R. Newton –	Concentration	NA	0.0385	0.0424	grams per second	7	no
12/04/2022	·	ALL	13.30	11/4	110		Velocity	0.64	NA	0.5	metres per second	,	no
	Second silo ventilation event			ı									
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second	-	
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second		
	Single silo ventilation event												
			45.00	n/a	No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	5.8663	8	grams per second	_	no
14/04/2022	Methyl Bromide A5	A5	A5 15:20				Velocity	1.55	NA	1.4	metres per second	5	no
14/04/2022	Second silo ventilation event												
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second	_	
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second		
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	Single silo ventilation event Methyl Bromide B5						Concentration	NA	6.2125	8	grams per second		no
		B5 8:33	n/a	No	R. Newton	Velocity	1.57	NA	1.4	metres per second	6	no	
20/04/2022	Second silo ventilation event										sccond		
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
	No discharge occurred						Velocity		NA	-	metres per second	-	
	Single silo ventilation event			l							grams per		
	Phosphine	B8	13:26	n/a	No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	0.0229	0.0424	second	6	no
23/04/2022	Constant and the second						Velocity	0.68	NA	0.5	metres per second		no
	Second silo ventilation event										grams per		
	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	second	-	
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second		

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	Single silo ventilation event												
				,			Concentration	NA	0.0367	0.0424	grams per second	7	no
Phosphine 28/04/2022	hosphine A11 8:23	n/a No	R. Newton	Velocity	0.65	NA	0.5	metres per second	/	no			
20/04/2022	Second silo ventilation event												
No	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
							Velocity		NA	-	metres per second	ī	
	Single silo ventilation event												
	Methyl Bromide A4	A4	12:16	n/a	n/a No	R. Newton	Concentration	NA	3.7043	8	grams per second	5	no
30/04/2022		A4	A4 12:10 N/a	11/4		n. Newton	Velocity	1.55	NA	1.4	metres per second	5	no
30/04/2022	Second silo ventilation event												
No disch	No discharge occurred						Concentration	NA		-	grams per second		
	No discharge occurred			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: April 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)

Number of water release events during month: 9

Monitoring Point Location: Point 1

			Result		Limit		
Number of times measured/sampled during month	Pollutant (discharge to water)	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
7	рН	6.55	7.44		6.5-8.5	pН	no
,	Total suspended solids	< 5	8	NA	50	mg/L	no
	Turbidity	0.92	5.24		40	NTU	no

Sampling Event details									
Sampling date	Sampler	Lab report date	Lab report ID						
1/04/2022	D Jackson	12/04/2022	EW2201662						
6/04/2022	D Jackson	13/04/2022	EW2201664						
11/04/2022	B Loke	13/04/2022	EW2201690						
7/04/2022	D Jackson	13/04/2022	EW2201692						
11/04/2022	B Loke	22/04/2022	EW2201809						
26/04/2022	D Jackson	4/05/2022	EW2201962						
28/04/2022	B Loke	5/05/2022	EW2201979						

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