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# 1. INTRODUCTION

AWE Perth Pty Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of AWE Limited. Mitsui E&P Australia Pty Ltd and AWE Ltd are wholly owned subsidiaries of Mitsui & Co. Ltd. Combined they form the unified brand Mitsui E&P Australia Group (MEPAU). MEPAU is an oil and gas exploration and production business with a head office located in Perth, Western Australia.

MEPAU manages the Waitsia Gas Field located on grazing land in the Shire of Irwin, about 16 km south-east of Dongara and 367 km north of Perth (see Figure 1). The field sits within the Geraldton Sandplains bioregion of Western Australia.

The Waitsia Gas Project is the largest conventional onshore Australian discovery in 40 years. It currently consists of five oil and gas wells on petroleum permits L1 and L2. The field was discovered in 2014 and has been developed in stages. The field is currently producing from two wells, Waitsia-01 and Senecio-03 (collectively known as Waitsia Gas Project Stage 1). Wells Waitsia-02, Waitsia-03 and Waitsia-04 wells are currently suspended.

MEPAU is proposing to construct and operate the Waitsia Gas Plant and related infrastructure, collectively known as the Waitsia Gas Project – Stage 2 (WGP2). The Waitsia Gas Project – Stage 2 (WGP2) involves:

- Construction of a gas plant with a maximum capacity of 250 (terajoule) TJ per day (Waitsia Gas Plant).
- The operation of five (5) existing wells.
- The drilling of up to an additional 6 wells.
- A gathering system comprising flowlines and hubs to convey the extracted gas to the plant and the gas distribution network.

Ramboll Australia Pty Ltd (Ramboll) has been engaged by MEPAU to undertake air dispersion modelling to assess the potential air quality impacts of atmospheric emissions from the proposed development of the WGP2, comparing the Ground Level Concentrations (GLCs) predicted at sensitive receptor locations against the relevant ambient air quality criteria. This report presents the approach, methodology and results of air dispersion modelling for the Facility operating under the nominated scenario.



Figure 1. Overview of Project Location

# 2. ATMOSPHERIC EMISSIONS

#### 2.1 Introduction

This section provides details on the atmospheric emissions of concern from the proposed expansion of the WGP2 and other sources in the region. Emissions of concern from the WGP2 are oxides of nitrogen ( $NO_X$ ), sulphur dioxide ( $SO_2$ ), carbon monoxide (CO), particulate matter including  $PM_{2.5}$  and  $PM_{10}$ , VOCs (including benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and xylene) (BTEX) and mercury (Hg).

Besides the WGP2 sources, other emission sources that are significant in the region include the Mondarra Gas Storage Facility (MGSF), the Xyris Production Facility (XPF), the Hovea Production Facility and the nearby Patience sand mining operation.

## 2.2 Waitsia Gas Project - Stage 2 Emissions

Emission sources from the proposed expansion of the WGP2 include the following:

- Compressor gas engines Compression will be undertaken by two sets of three 2,600kw compressors. Each set of compressors will operate on an n+1 basis and so only 4 compressors will be operating at any one time. Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>x</sub>;
- Gas Engine Alternator (GEA) Power will be supplied by four 2,100kw generators. Then
  generators will be operating on an n+1 basis and so only three generators will operate at any
  one time. Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>X</sub>;
- Heating Medium Boiler A 15,000kw Heating Medium Boiler will operate continuously.
   Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>X</sub>;
- Incinerator An incinerator will be used to incinerate acid gases removed during processing. Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>X</sub>;
- Flare A flare will operate with a pilot light under normal operations and gas will be rerouted to the flare under an emergency scenario. In the event that the incinerator is not operational, the acid gas emissions will be redirected to the flare.
- Evaporation Pond A process water pond will be used which can contain some trace amounts
  of hydrocarbon and so has been included as fugitive emissions sources. Emissions of concern
  are primarily considered to be BTEX and mercury;
- Vehicular combustion sources Motor vehicles are considered a negligible source of atmospheric emissions (during both construction and operation), though they can result in relatively high ground level concentrations (GLCs) immediately adjacent to highly trafficked roads under stable, light wind conditions; and
- Fugitive dust from motor vehicle traffic and nearby exposed surfaces. This source is difficult to quantify accurately and therefore model and is considered best addressed through a monitoring and management program.

## 2.3 Other Regional Emission Sources

Other sources considered as part of this assessment include the proposed XPF, MGSF, the Patience Sand Quarry and the Hovea Production Facility.

## 2.4 Xyris Production Facility Emissions

The XPF currently processes 10TJ/day however there are plans to increase the production of the facility to  $\sim$ 30TJ/day. Emission sources from the proposed expansion of the XPF have been considered as part of this assessment and include the following:

- Compressor gas engine Compression will be undertaken by a 750kw CAT G3512 LE Lean burn four stroke. Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>X</sub>;
- Gas Engine Alternator (GEA) Power will be supplied by a 100kw Cummins CG6L-8G1 lean burn four stroke model engine. Emissions of concern are primarily considered to be NO<sub>X</sub>;
- Vents The vents include a gas breakout tank vent, a liquids storage tank vent and a plant vent. The plant vents are only used during plant maintenance when the plant needs to be depressured. Emissions of concern include BTEX and Hg.
- Two process water ponds including an evaporation pond and a turkey nest. Both ponds can
  contain some trace amounts of hydrocarbon and so have been included as fugitive emissions
  sources.
- Vehicular combustion sources Motor vehicles are considered a negligible source of atmospheric emissions (during both construction and operation), though they can result in relatively high ground level concentrations (GLCs) immediately adjacent to highly trafficked roads under stable, light wind conditions; and
- Fugitive dust from motor vehicle traffic, construction activities and nearby exposed surfaces. This source is difficult to quantify accurately and therefore model, and is considered best addressed through a monitoring and management program.

## 2.4.1 Mondarra Gas Storage Facility

The MGSF operates approximately 3 km to the east of the WGP2 as shown in Figure 1. The MGSF is located between two major pipelines that service Perth: the Parmelia Pipeline and the Dampier to Bunbury Natural Gas Pipeline (DBNGP). The MGSF includes the following sources of emissions to air:

- Flare A small quantity of gas is vented through a permanently lit flare. The gas that reaches the flare is used to maintain a blanket of gas over the liquids, effectively preventing ingress of air into the vessels. The flare can operate under either normal conditions, whereby the facility is in injection mode for 2/3 of the time and in withdrawal mode for 1/3 of the time, or under blow-out conditions, expected to only occur under extreme circumstances on a less that one hour per year basis.
- A vent is maintained at the site for emergency purposes and for purging gas from equipment prior to maintenance.
- Power Generation and Compressors The MGSF has two natural gas powered 3.2 MW compressor reciprocating engines as well as two 300 kVA natural gas powered GEAs operating.

All emissions information was obtained from a previous modelling assessment as supplied by the APA Group (Synergetics, 2011).

## 2.4.2 Patience Sand Quarry

A sand quarry excavating and transporting 3000 tonnes per year of sand operates approximately 1 km to the south of the WGP2 as shown in Figure 1. The main sources of emissions associated with the quarry include the excavation and loading of the product, wind erosion of the quarry and the transport of the product.

## 2.4.3 Hovea Production Facility

The Hovea Production Facility is located approximately 5 km to the west of the WGP2 as shown in Figure 1. It is currently under care and maintenance with no known plans to operate into the future. The Hovea Production Facility does have an evaporation pond and a sump where stored water can contain some trace amounts of hydrocarbon. The evaporation ponds have been included in this assessment as fugitive sources.

#### 2.5 Emissions Scenarios

For the operation of the WGP2, there are some variations in the emissions that can occur. For this modelling assessment, these are simplified into normal operations and emergency operations.

Normal operations at the WGP2 includes emissions from the generators, the compressors, the flare with a pilot flame, the heating medium boilers and the incinerator. The normal operations case that has been considered is the upper limit of such operations.

Emergency operations at the WGP2 includes emissions from the plant when the flare is operating at peak flow conditions. It has conservatively assumed that all other sources would remain operational. It is expected that emergency operations would only occur for a small number of hours, and as such this assessment has focussed on short term impacts (i.e. less than 24 hours) for this scenario.

#### 2.6 Emissions Rates

Emission rates for the WGP2 and XPF sources were derived from a number of sources including manufacturer provided fuel consumption rates and emission factors, the National Pollutant Inventory (NPI) Combustion Sources Emissions Estimations Manual (NPI, 2008) and the NPI Oil and Gas Emissions Estimations Manual (NPI, 1999).

Emissions estimates for the sand quarry were derived from handling, wind erosion and haulage emissions factors outlined in the NPI Mining Emissions Estimations Manual (NPI, 2012).

Emission rates from the ponds were determined using the US EPA's WATER9 program which consists of analytical expressions for estimating air emissions of individual waste constituents in wastewater collection, storage, treatment, and disposal facilities.

#### 2.7 Summary

A summary of the source parameters and emissions rates for the proposed expansion of the WGP2, as well as the XPF, MGSF, Hovea Production Facility and sand mining operations utilised in this assessment are presented in Table 1 to Table 5.

**Table 1: Source Parameters and Emission Rates for WGP2** 

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Emission Source	Gas Engine Generator	Export Gas Compressor Gas Turbine	Inlet Gas Compressor Gas Turbine	Heating Medium	Acid Gas Incinerator	Flare (Normal)	Flare (Peak Flow Rate)	Evap Pond
Stack Height (m)	3.5	9.8	9.8	8	18.5	18	18	-
Stack Internal Diameter (m)	0.35	1.27	1.27	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.5	-
Exit Velocity (m/s) [per unit]	63.8	31.4	31.4	30	16.3	20	20	-
Temperature (°C)	400	450	450	400	815	-	-	-
Package Length (m)	12	6	6	3		-	-	-
Package Width (m)	4	2.5	2.5	3	2.1	-	-	-
Package Height (m)	3.5	2.7	2.7	4	17	18	18	-
Area (m²)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21,576
NOx	6.57E-01	7.93E+00	7.93E+00	2.04E+00	1.66E+00	9.04E-04	4.46E+01	Nil
СО	1.48E+00	6.53E-01	6.53E-01	8.12E-01	3.14E-01	4.96E-03	2.44E+02	Nil
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	2.05E-04	1.49E-02	1.49E-02	7.37E-02	2.85E-02	Negl	Negl	Nil
$PM_{10}$	2.05E-04	1.49E-02	1.49E-02	7.37E-02	2.85E-02	Negl	Negl	Nil
SO <sub>2</sub>	2.06E-03	4.04E-03	4.04E-03	2.42E-03	9.36E-04	3.77E-06	1.88E-01	Nil
Benzene	1.17E-03	9.32E-05	9.32E-05	2.05E-03	1.49E-01	Negl	Negl	9.21E-03
Toluene	1.08E-03	1.03E-03	1.03E-03	3.26E-03	1.26E-01	Negl	Negl	4.48E-03
Ethylbenzene	1.05E-04	2.52E-04	2.52E-04	Negl	1.10E-01	Negl	Negl	1.61E-04
Xylene	4.89E-04	4.97E-04	4.97E-04	Negl	1.10E-01	Negl	Negl	3.34E-03
Hg	Negl	Negl	Negl	Negl	Negl	Negl	Negl	6.56E-06

**Table 2: Source Parameters and Emission Rates for XPF** 

Emission Source	Gas Engine Generator	Export Gas Compressor Engine	Gas Breakout Tank	Liquids Storage Tank	Plant Vent	Sump	Turkeys Nest
Capacity (kw)	100	750	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Stack Height (m)	2	5	8	8	5	N/A	N/A
Stack Internal Diameter (m)	0.114	0.179	0.29	0.146	0.1	N/A	N/A
Exit Velocity (m/s)	9.6	24.5	0.09	0.01	245	N/A	N/A
Temperature (°C)	300-400	300-400	23	20-30	0 to -5	25	25
Dimensions	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	33mx33mx2.5m	35mx25mx2.5m
Emission Rates							
NOx	1.30E-01	8.28E-01	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
СО	8.54E-02	5.44E-01	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1.18E-05	7.53E-05	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PM <sub>10</sub>	1.18E-05	7.53E-05	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
SO <sub>2</sub>	1.19E-04	7.58E-04	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Benzene	2.75E-03	1.73E-02	1.67E-04	4.70E-06	5.40E-02	2.37E-04	3.46E-04
Toluene	2.16E-03	1.36E-02	1.31E-04	3.69E-06	4.24E-02	1.08E-04	1.61E-04
Ethylbenzene	1.83E-04	1.15E-03	1.11E-05	3.12E-07	3.58E-03	3.88E-06	5.76E-06
Xylenes	8.46E-04	5.32E-03	5.13E-05	1.44E-06	1.66E-02	8.31E-05	1.25E-04
Нд	4.67E-08	2.94E-07	2.83E-09	7.98E-11	9.17E-07	4.14E-07	4.39E-07

**Table 3: Source Parameters and Emission Rates for Mondarra Gas Storage Facility** 

Emission Source	Export Gas Compressor Engine	Gas Engine Generator	Flare
Total Quantity	2	2	1
Quantity Operating	2	2	1
Stack Height (m)	9	9	12.6
Stack Internal Diameter (m)	0.3	0.2	4.5
Exit Velocity (m/s)	15	21	0.14
Temperature (°C)	460	450	1000
	Emission Rates		
NOx	3.31E+00	4.14E-01	2.03E-02
со	2.17E+00	2.72E-01	1.17E-01
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	2.78E-04	2.78E-05	1.67E-03
PM <sub>10</sub>	2.78E-04	2.78E-05	1.67E-03
SO <sub>2</sub>	3.06E-03	2.78E-04	0.00E+00
Benzene	1.67E-03	2.78E-04	5.56E-07
Toluene	1.67E-03	2.78E-04	8.33E-07
Ethylbenzene	2.78E-04	2.78E-05	0.00E+00
Xylenes	8.33E-04	8.33E-05	0.00E+00
Hg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
	Locations		
Zone	50 J	50 J	50 J
Easting - Unit 1 (mE)	317215	317115	317332
Northing - Unit 1 (mN)	6756189	6756164	6756254
Easting - Unit 2 (mE)	317214	317116	
Northing - Unit 2 (mN)	6756211	6756150	

**Table 4: Sand Mining Emissions Rates** 

Source	Unit	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>
Excavation and Loading (8.0 t/day)	g/s	0.027	0.0136
Wind Erosion (6.54 Ha)	g/s	0.36	0.18
Haulage 300 m x 2 X Trucks/Day <sup>1</sup>	g/s	0.011	0.0055

1. Assumed 82 t total load from 50 t haul truck <a href="https://www.cat.com/en\_AU/products/new/equipment/off-highway-trucks/18256246.html">https://www.cat.com/en\_AU/products/new/equipment/off-highway-trucks/18256246.html</a>

**Table 5: Source Parameters and Emission Rates for Hovea Facility** 

Emission Source	Evaporation Pond	Turkeys Nest
Zone	50 J	50 J
Easting (mE)	309752	309735
Northing (mN)	6755033	6755144
Temperature (°C)	25	25
Dimensions	45mx35mx1m	29mx24mx1.5m
Emissions Rates		
Benzene	5.47E-04	2.08E-04
Toluene	2.85E-04	1.00E-04
Ethylbenzene	1.03E-05	3.59E-06
Xylenes	2.11E-04	7.66E-05
Hg	2.40E-07	1.59E-07

# 3. IMPACT ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

## 3.1 Ambient Air Quality

In February 2017, the DWER published the Guidance Statement for Risk Assessments (DER, 2017) which lists Specific Consequence Criteria to be considered in determining public health and environment impacts. The publications containing air quality criteria relevant to this assessment include:

- National Environment Protection (Ambient Air Quality) Measure (NEPC, 2016);
- National Environment Protection (Air Toxics) Measure (NEPC, 2011); and
- Approved Methods for the Modelling and Assessment of Air Pollutants in New South Wales (NSW EPA, 2016).

The National Environment Protection (Ambient Air Quality) Measure specifies standards and goals for a range of pollutants relevant to this assessment, including CO,  $NO_2$ ,  $SO_2$ ,  $PM_{10}$  and  $PM_{2.5}$  (Table 6).

Table 6: National Environment Protection (Ambient Air Quality) Measure Ambient Air Quality Standards and Goals

Pollutant	Averaging period	Maximum concentration standard <sup>1</sup>	Maximum allowable exceedances
Carbon monoxide	8 hours	10,000 μg/m³	1 day a year
Nitrogen dioxide 1 hour 1 year		246 μg/m³ 62 μg/m³	1 day a year None
Sulphur dioxide	1 hour	570 µg/m³	1 day a year
	1 day	228 µg/m³	1 day a year
	1 year	60 µg/m³	None
Particles as PM <sub>10</sub>	1 day	50 μg/m³	None
	1 year	25 μg/m³	None
Particles as PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1 day	25 μg/m³	None
	1 year	8 μg/m³	None

#### Notes:

The National Environment Protection (Air Toxics) Measure specifies monitoring investigation levels for several key pollutants relevant to this assessment, including BTEX, established for use in assessing the significance of monitored levels of air toxics with respect to protection of human health as outlined in Table 7.

<sup>1.</sup> Referenced to 0°C, and 101.3 kPa

Table 7: National Environment Protection (Air Toxics) Measure Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Investigation Levels

Pollutant Averaging period		Monitoring investigation level <sup>1</sup>	Goal
Benzene	Annual average	9.6 μg/m³	8-year goal is to gather sufficient data nationally to facilitate development of a standard.
Toluene 24 hours Annual avera		3769 μg/m³ 377 μg/m³	8-year goal is to gather sufficient data nationally to facilitate development of a standard.
Xylenes (as total of ortho, meta and para isomers)	24 hours Annual average	1085 µg/m³ 868 µg/m³	8-year goal is to gather sufficient data nationally to facilitate development of a standard.

1. Referenced to 0°C, and 101.3 kPa

The NSW EPA (2016) specifies statutory impact assessment criteria for modelling and assessing emissions of air pollutants from stationary sources. Impact assessment criteria have been established for various individual toxic air pollutants and for individual odorous air pollutants, including (but not limited to) mercury and BTEX. The NSW EPA (2016) impact assessment criteria for inorganic mercury, benzene and ethylbenzene are based on toxicity to humans.

For the purposes of assessing potential impacts upon human health, additional ambient air quality criteria are often adopted from the World Health Organisation (WHO) for mercury. The WHO has published a Concise International Chemical Assessment Document (CICAD) for Elemental Mercury and Inorganic Mercury Compounds: Human Health Aspects (WHO, 2003), which determines a tolerable concentration of 0.2  $\mu$ g/m³ for long-term inhalation exposure to elemental mercury vapour.

DWER recommends that for each pollutant modelled, the assessment must account for existing concentrations caused by other sources plus (if significant) the background concentration (whether natural or man-made) to estimate the cumulative concentration.

For the contribution to be properly assessed, DWER requires modelling results (as described in the foregoing point) to be presented for:

- The existing emissions plus background concentration (pre-proposal);
- The proposed development in isolation (excluding existing emissions); and
- The combined (existing plus proposed plus background) emissions.

A summary of the standards applicable for this assessment are summarised in Table 8 below.

**Table 8: Ambient Air Quality Standards Applicable to WGP2** 

Pollutant	Averaging Period	Ambient Air Concentration (µg/m³)¹	Туре	Reference
Carbon monoxide	8 hours	10,000	human health	NEPC (2016)
Nitrogon diavido	1-hour	246	human health	NEPC (2016)
Nitrogen dioxide	Annual	62	human health	NEPC (2016)
	1-Hour	570	human health	NEPC (2016)
Sulphur dioxide	24-Hour	228	human health	NEPC (2016)
	Annual	60	human health	NEPC (2016)
Particles as PM <sub>10</sub>	24-Hour	50	human health	NEPC (2016)
Particles as PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual	25	human health	NEPC (2016)
Dartislas as DM	24-Hour	20 <sup>[2]</sup>	human health	NEPC (2016)
Particles as PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual	<b>7</b> <sup>[2]</sup>	human health	NEPC (2016)
Mananania	1-hour	1.8	human health	NSW EPA (2016)
Mercury inorganic	Annual	0.2	human health	WHO (2003)
Danners	1-hour	29	human health	NSW EPA (2016)
Benzene	Annual	9.6	human health	NEPC (2011)
Ethylbenzene	1-Hour	7,344	human health	NSW EPA (2016)
	1-Hour	330	human health	NSW EPA (2016)
Toluene	24-hour	3,769	human health	NEPC (2011)
	Annual	377	human health	NEPC (2011)
	1-hour	174	human health	NSW EPA (2016)
Xylene	24-hour	1,085	human health	NEPC (2011)
	Annual	868	human health	NEPC (2011)

- 1. Referenced to 0°C, and 101.3 kPa
- 2. PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations presented are from proposed 2025 changes to National Environment Protection (Ambient Air Quality) Measure.

## 3.2 Workplace Exposure Standards

Workplace exposure standards for approximately 700 substances and mixtures have been established in Australia by Safe Work Australia, an Australian government statutory body. These are legal concentration limits that must not be exceeded. Workplace exposure standards are generally less conservative than ambient air quality standards to account for the general health of the workforce and shorter exposure times. Relevant workplace exposure standards are presented in Table 9.

**Table 9: Workplace Exposure Standards** 

Pollutant	Averaging Period	Criteria (µg/m³)¹	Criteria Reference
NO <sub>2</sub>	15-Minute	9400	Safe Work Australia (2013)
NO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour	5,600	Safe Work Australia (2013)
SO <sub>2</sub>	15-Minute	13,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
SO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour	5,200	Safe Work Australia (2013)
СО	8-hour	34,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
Mercury	8-hour	25	Safe Work Australia (2013)
Benzene	8-hour	3,200	Safe Work Australia (2013)
	15-Minute	574,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
Toluene	8-Hour	191,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
	24-hour	3,769	NEPC (2011)
Ethi illa annon a	15-Minute	543,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
Ethylbenzene	8-Hour	434,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
	15-Minute	655,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
Xylene	8-Hour	350,000	Safe Work Australia (2013)
	24-hour	1,085	NEPC (2011)

1. Referenced to 0°C, and 101.3 kPa

# 4. ATMOSPHERIC DISPERSION MODELLING

## 4.1 Important Dispersion Processes to be Modelled

The relevant dispersion processes are dependent on the type of source, the topography, land use variations and general wind patterns. For the sources considered, the following meteorology and dispersion processes are important:

## 4.1.1 Plume Rise above the Stable Boundary Layer

Generally the buoyant plumes such as from the generators and compressors will penetrate any low inversion and remain above the inversion.

## 4.1.2 Morning Fumigation

This occurs in the morning when the morning mixed layer grows to the plume height and the plumes can be mixed rapidly to the ground. This phenomenon is generally considered to lead to the highest concentrations for distances greater than 5 to 10 km from the sources.

# 4.1.3 Plume Downwash due to Nearby Structures

Downwash of the plume by the turbulent eddies that develop when air flows over and around buildings. If the plume is emitted into or is caught in such an eddy, it can be brought to ground much sooner than would otherwise occur, resulting in higher GLCs.

#### 4.1.4 Convective Dispersion

During the day time, the heated earth's surface will generate convective cells of rising and descending air which can bring any plume to the ground within several hundred metres of the source.

#### 4.1.5 Terrain Effects on Airflow

Topography can impact significantly on air flow and therefore the dispersion of pollutants. The site however is generally flat and undulating and as such is considered to have only a minimal impact on dispersion.

#### 4.1.6 Inclusion of Other Regional Sources – Cumulative Assessment

For pollutants where there is a significant cumulative impact (i.e. background levels are significant), the impact assessment needs to include existing regional sources and/or background concentrations.

## 4.2 Model Selection

Due to the number of sources in the region located some distance from each other, the air dispersion modelling has been using the CALPUFF air dispersion model with a meteorological dataset from 2018.

## 4.3 Meteorological Processing

The closest meteorological monitoring stations with the applicable data available for this study were Geraldton (~50km away) and Mullewa (~90km away). Due to the distances and the fact that Geraldton is located on the coast and Mullewa is located in a semi-arid environment, neither dataset was considered suitable for use in this assessment.

In the absence of suitable monitored data, the TAPM (The Air Pollution Model) prognostic meteorological model developed by CSIRO was used to generate a gridded meteorological dataset

for the modelling domain for 2018. The TAPM output was used as inputs into the CALMET meteorological processor to develop a meteorological data file suitable for use in CALPUFF.

An annual wind rose generated by the CALMET meteorological processor using TAPM generated data for the WGP2 site is presented in Figure 2, with the annual frequency of wind speeds presented in Table 10.

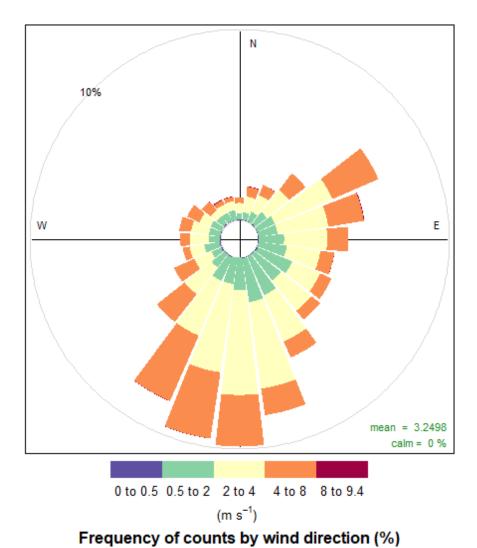


Figure 2. CALMET Generated Wind Rose

Table 10: Distribution of Wind Speeds for 2018 (CALMET-Generated Data)

Wind Speed	Calms	0.5-1.5 m/s	1.5-3.0 m/s	3.0-4.5 m/s	4.5-6.0 m/s	6.0-7.5 m/s	>7.5m/s
(%)	0.7	11.4	37.1	29.0	16.1	5.1	0.6

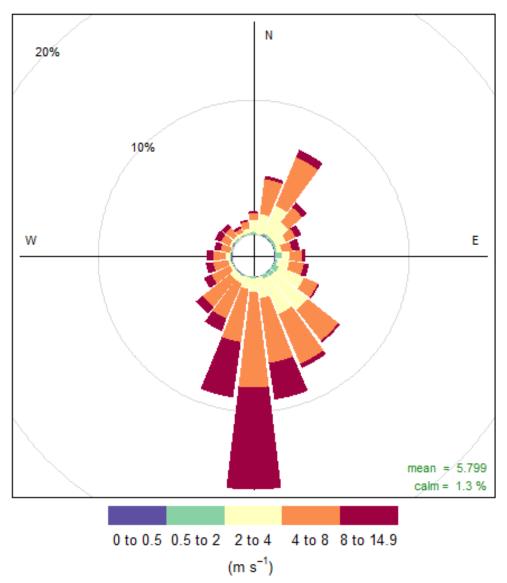
## 4.3.1 Model Validation against Meteorology

TAPM was used to generate the prognostic data for input into CALMET and then CALPUFF. The ability of TAPM to predict meteorological variables has been verified at numerous sites around the world (Hurley et al, 2004; Hurley, 2008). To verify the ability of the model to accurately predict wind direction and speed for this study, the TAPM predictions have been compared against the data from 3-hourly averaged data from the Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) meteorological monitoring station in Geraldton [Site name: Geraldton Airport, Site number: 008315, Latitude: 28.80° S, Longitude: 114.70° E, Elevation: 30 m (BOM 2019)].

Figure 3 presents the BOM meteorological station in Geraldton Airport. Some differences are expected when compared against the prognostic data as outline in Figure 2 due to the distance between the two locations and their distances from the coast:  $\sim$ 9 km and  $\sim$ 16 km, respectively. The main differences observed are:

- BOM dataset from Geraldton Airport shows an overall higher proportion of stronger winds (>8
  m/s) blowing mostly from the south, which is likely related to its greater proximity to the
  coast;
- The prognostic-generated dataset for WGP2 presents a higher proportion of winds blowing from the east and northeast.

For the purposes of this assessment, the TAPM-generated dataset is considered representative of the region and is deemed appropriate for use in this assessment.



Frequency of counts by wind direction (%)

Figure 3. Annual (2018) Wind Rose from BOM measured dataset from Geraldton Airport

## 4.4 CALPUFF Model Set Up

The following model set up options within CALPUFF were used:

- Building downwash was included using the BPIP-Prime algorithms with site layout and elevation. All buildings assessed to potentially influence sources were included in the modelling;
- Grid spacings of 250 m over a 19 km x 19 km model domain were applied, centred approximately on the site;
- No chemical transformation or deposition, except for the prediction of NO<sub>2</sub> (as discussed in Section 4.6);

A summary of the CALPUFF inputs applied in this assessment is provided in Appendix 1.

#### 4.5 Short Term Averaging Periods

Some workplace exposure standards are based on short term (15-minute) averages. However, air dispersion modelling is generally undertaken in 1 hour time steps and in order to compare the predicted concentrations against the nominated standards, a simple averaging-time scaling factor was used to estimate short-term peak concentrations. This adjustment primarily addresses the effect of meandering (fluctuations in the wind about the mean flow for the hour) on the average lateral distribution of material. The scaling factor used to adjust the lateral dispersion coefficient for averaging time is the 1/5th power law:

$$CI = Cs (60 / tl)^{0.2}$$

where

CI = Concentration for new averaging period;

Cs = Concentration for the 1 hour average period;

tl = the averaging time (min.) of interest

## 4.6 Treatment of Oxides of Nitrogen

A key element in assessing the potential environmental impacts from ground level  $NO_2$  concentrations is estimating  $NO_2$  concentrations from modelled  $NO_x$  emissions. The final  $NO_2$  concentration is a combination of the NO emitted as  $NO_2$  from the source stacks and the amount of NO that is converted to  $NO_2$  by oxidation in the plume after release.

Generally, after the  $NO_x$  is emitted from the stack, additional  $NO_2$  is formed as the plume mixes and reacts with the surrounding air. There are several reactions that both form and destroy  $NO_2$ , but the primary reaction is oxidation with ozone according to the following reaction:

$$NO + O_3 \rightarrow NO_2 + O_2$$

This reaction is essentially instantaneous as the plume entrains the surrounding air. It is limited by the amount of ozone available and by how quickly the plume mixes with the surrounding air. Thus the ratio of  $NO_2$  to  $NO_x$  increases as the plume disperses downwind. After release, the NO is converted to  $NO_2$  by chemical reactions, primarily involving ozone in the presence of sunlight and to a lesser extent due to other reactive gases.

In order to predict  $NO_2$  concentrations, Ramboll has applied the US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Ozone Limiting Method (OLM). This method assumes that ozone is the limiting reagent (i.e. the ozone concentration is less than the remaining NOx concentration) and requires an  $NO_2$  to  $NO_x$  in-stack ratio. In the absence of a site-specific in-stack ratio, it has been assumed that 10% of  $NO_x$  emissions are  $NO_2$  (a common assumption for gas combustion sources). Hourly average ozone concentrations for application in the OLM were obtained from the Caversham ambient air quality monitoring station as discussed in Section 4.10.

The OLM approach is considered conservative over short-term averaging periods as it assumes the reaction between  $NO_x$  and ozone occurs instantaneously, when in reality this is likely to take place over a number of hours, during which time the plume is subject to dispersion.

#### 4.7 Ozone

Photochemical smog is an air pollution problem commonly found in large cities. It is characterised by high ozone concentrations at ground level, and can be generated through the interaction of  $NO_x$  and reactive organic compounds (ROC) which includes BTEX in the environment.

The proposed WGP2 expansion is expected to be a relatively small emitter of NOx. Based on the emission rates provided in Table 1 and assuming continuous release throughout the year, it is estimated that the proposed WGP2 will emit approximately 1,300 tonnes of  $NO_x$  and 30 tonnes of VOCs annually.

By comparison, data from the NPI indicates a total of 760,000 tonnes of  $NO_x$  were emitted to the Kalgoorlie airshed for the 2018/2019 reporting year, where ozone is not considered a contaminant of concern.

In considering these figures, and the likelihood that the surrounding region is unlikely to have elevated concentrations of ozone given its rural and remote settings, photochemical modelling of  $NO_x$  and VOC emissions from the WGP2 has not been undertaken as part of this assessment.

## 4.8 Receptors

Concentrations for all relevant compounds and averaging periods were predicted at three farmhouses surrounding the facility as show in Figure 1 and at an onsite receptor to assess occupational exposure impacts at site. Table 11 presents the locations of the dwelling and onsite locations.

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Receptor	mE	mN	Туре
Rec_001	311822	6755012	Dwelling
Rec_002	318515	6757359	Dwelling
Rec_003	314800	6756400	Onsite
Rec. 004	310650	6758684	Dwelling

**Table 11: Receptor Locations (UTM coordinates)** 

#### 4.9 Building Downwash

According to modelling guidance "rules of thumb", downwash should be considered when nearby structures are more than 40% of the stack height. For the WGP2 sources, dimensions for relevant structures were provided by MEPAU and included as buildings. For the MGSF, building information was obtained from the previous modelling assessment as supplied by the APA Group (Synergetics, 2011).

# 4.10 Background Concentrations Used in the Modelling

The WGP2 is located in a remote location with no significant local sources of CO,  $SO_2$ ,  $NO_2$  or air toxics (other than those included as sources in this assessment). Particulate matter could arise from wind-blown dust but is still likely to be significantly lower than in a suburban environment affected by road transport and other combustion sources. No background monitoring data was identified in this assessment that was either in the immediate proximity of the study site or deemed to be representative of this location. Rather, most ambient air quality monitoring sites are located either in densely populated areas or near large known polluters in industrial zones.

The Western Australian Department of Water and Environment Regulation (DWER) collects air quality data from a number of monitoring stations throughout the Perth, Kwinana, Southwest, Kalgoorlie and Midwest regions of the state. Only two sites monitoring the pollutants of interest were identified that were not in a densely populated area and were not under the strong direct influence of a large polluting source: Caversham (NE suburbs of Perth) and Rolling Green (outer east rural site). Data from Caversham (DWER, 2018) was used as the more conservative estimate

(a semi-rural, outer suburban setting being more likely to have higher concentrations of most pollutants compared with a rural one).

The Environment Protection Authority Victoria (Vic EPA) State Environment Protection Policy (Ambient Air Quality) (SEPP (AQM)) (Gov. of Vic., 2001) recommends the 75th percentile concentration (concentration which is exceeded by 25% of concentrations for that averaging period) should be adopted as a background level for short term averages. For comparison against the short term workplace exposure standards, the 1 hour average was utilised. Annual averages were used for long term averages.

Table 12 presents a summary of the background concentrations obtained from the Caversham monitoring station (2017) and utilised as part of this assessment. No representative background data was available for Hg and BTEX, however it is unlikely that there are any significant sources of these compounds, other than those modelled.

**Table 12: Nominated Background Concentrations for Pollutants** 

Pollutant	Averaging Period	Representative Background (µg/m³)
NO	15-Minute 1-hour, 8-hour	39
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual	10
	15-Minute 1-hour, 8-hour	31
SO <sub>2</sub>	1-day	9
	Annual	9
СО	8-hour	250
DM	24-hour	20
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual	16
DM	24-hour	9
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual	9

It should be noted that the annual average for  $PM_{2.5}$  is already in exceedance of the guideline. It is unlikely that this is representative of conditions in the region, however in the absence of site-specific data, it has been utilised. Additionally, MEPAU has commissioned an air quality monitoring program which will provide accurate site-specific baseline data.

# 5. PREDICTED CONCENTRATIONS

The following sections present the predicted concentrations of  $NO_2$ , CO,  $SO_2$ ,  $PM_{10}$ ,  $PM_{2.5}$ , Hg and BTEX using the model CALPUFF. GLCs of the modelled compounds have been predicted within the modelling domain. The predicted GLCs for the proposed expansion of the WGP2 operating both in isolation and cumulatively with existing sources and background concentrations at the nominated receptor locations, are summarised in Table 13 to Table 20.

Tables 13 to 18 present the predicted concentrations and the percentage of the ambient air quality guideline values, both with and without background concentrations, at the nominated sensitive receptor locations. Tables 19 to 20 present the predicted concentrations and the percentage of the workplace exposure standards, both with and without background concentrations, at the nominated onsite receptor location.

The results of the air dispersion modelling assessment show that predicted GLCs for most compounds in isolation and cumulatively are well below the corresponding ambient air quality and workplace exposure standard criteria at the nominated receptor locations, with the exception of the scenarios that consider annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$ . The annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  were obtained from the Caversham monitoring station and were already in exceedance of the guideline before consideration of emissions from other sources. Given the rural nature and lack of industry in the region around the proposed facility it is highly likely that the actual background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  in the region are significantly below the monitored concentrations at Caversham. The annual average concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  predicted for the proposed expansion of the WGP2 and other existing sources, without consideration of background concentrations, are equal to 4% of the annual average  $PM_{2.5}$  guideline.

When considered without measured background concentrations, short term impacts from  $NO_2$  were predicted to be the main pollutant of concern from the WGP2 and MGSF, although predicted concentrations remain well below the nominated guideline. Figure 3 presents a contour plot of predicted cumulative concentrations of  $NO_2$  (under normal operations) in the region excluding background.

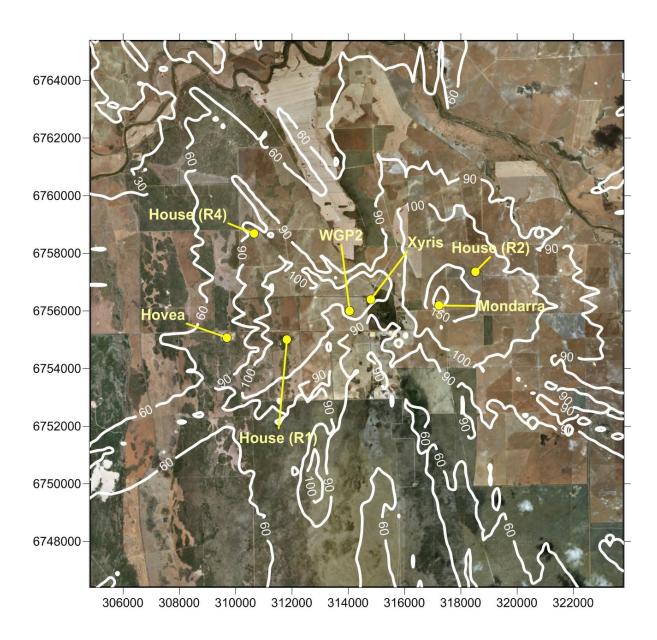


Figure 4. Maximum Predicted 1-hour Average GLCs of  $NO_2$  for Cumulative Operations Without Nominated Background Concentrations

Table 13: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline without Background at Sensitive Receptor 1

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Exis	iting	WGP2 in	Isolation	Cumulative Opera		Cumul Emerg Opera	gency
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
NO <sub>2</sub>	1-hour Max	246	86	35%	127	52%	130	53%	130	53%
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	1.1	2%	2.8	4.5%	3.8	6%	3.8	6%
	1-hour Max	570	0.09	0.02%	0.43	0.07%	0.45	0.08%	0.45	0.08%
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	0.012	0.005%	0.06	0.027%	0.07	0.032%	0.07	0.032%
	Annual Av	60	0.0010	0.002%	0.0036	0.0060%	0.005	0.008%	0.005	0.008%
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	44	0.4%	130	1.3%	139	1.4%	139	1.4%
DM	24-hour Max	50	1.1	2%	0.485	0.970%	1.3	3%	1.3	3%
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual Av	25	0.1	0.4%	0.03066	0.1226%	0.1	0.5%	0.1	0.5%
DM	24-hour Max	25	1.1	4%	0.485	1.941%	1.3	5%	1.3	5%
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	0.1	1%	0.03066	0.3832%	0.1	2%	0.1	2%
Manana	1-hour Max	2	0.00005	0.003%	0.00083	0.046%	0.00083	0.046%	0.0008	0.05%
Mercury	Annual Av	0.2	0.0000004	0.0002%	0.0000045	0.0023%	0.0000050	0.0025%	0.000005	0.0025%
D	1-hour Max	29	1.07	3.7%	2.8	10%	3	12%	3	12%
Benzene	Annual Av	9.6	0.0071	0.074%	0.027	0.28%	0.034	0.36%	0.03	0.36%
Talana	1-hour Max	330	0.84	0.25%	2.2	0.7%	2.7	0.8%	3	0.8%
Toluene	Annual Av	377	0.0056	0.0015%	0.021	0.006%	0.027	0.007%	0.03	0.007%
Ethylbenzene	1-hour Max	7,344	0.07	0.0010%	1.75	0.024%	1.76	0.024%	1.8	0.024%
Volene	1-hour Max	330	0.33	0.10%	1.9	0.57%	2.1	0.6%	2.1	0.6%
Xylene	Annual Av	868	0.0023	0.00026%	0.018	0.0020%	0.020	0.0023%	0.02	0.002%

Table 14: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline with Background at Sensitive Receptor 1

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria			ound Existing		WGP2 in Isolation		Cumulative - Normal Operations		Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
NO	1-hour Max	246	39	16%	125	51%	166	67%	169	69%	169	69%
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	10	16%	11	18%	13	21%	14	22%	14	22%
	1-hour Max	570	31	5%	31	5%	31	6%	31	6%	31	6%
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%
	Annual Av	60	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	250	3%	294	3%	380	4%	389	4%	389	4%
DM	24-hour Max	50	20	40%	21	42%	20	41%	21	43%	21	43%
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual Av	25	16	64%	16	65%	16	65%	16	65%	16	65%
DM	24-hour Max	25	9	37%	10	41%	10	39%	11	43%	11	43%
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	9	113%	9	114%	9	113%	9	114%	9	114%

Annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  are above the guideline before the addition of other regional and WGP2 sources. This data was obtained from the Caversham monitoring station located in the Perth Metropolitan Area. Given its rural nature, it is likely that background  $PM_{2.5}$  concentrations will be significantly below the concentrations presented as background in this table, however they have been included in this assessment for completeness.

Table 15: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline without Background at Sensitive Receptor 2

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Exis	ting	WGP2 in 1	Solation	Cumulative Opera		Emerg	Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	
NO	1-hour Max	246	117	48%	86	35%	117	48%	117	48%	
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	1.9	3%	0.5	0.8%	2.4	4%	2.4	4%	
	1-hour Max	570	0.38	0.07%	0.11	0.02%	0.38	0.07%	0.38	0.07%	
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	0.059	0.026%	0.01	0.005%	0.06	0.026%	0.06	0.026%	
	Annual Av	60	0.0022	0.004%	0.0005	0.0008%	0.003	0.005%	0.003	0.005%	
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	180	1.8%	45	0.4%	180	1.8%	180	1.8%	
PM <sub>10</sub>	24-hour Max	50	2.1	4%	0.094	0.188%	2.1	4%	2.1	4%	
	Annual Av	25	0.05	0.2%	0.00361	0.0144%	0.1	0.2%	0.05	0.2%	
214	24-hour Max	25	2.1	9%	0.094	0.377%	2.1	9%	2.1	9%	
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	0.0	1%	0.00361	0.0451%	0.05	1%	0.05	1%	
	1-hour Max	2	0.000036	0.0020%	0.00021	0.012%	0.00022	0.012%	0.0002	0.01%	
Mercury	Annual Av	0.2	0.00000014	0.000069%	0.0000006	0.0003%	0.0000007	0.0004%	0.0000007	0.0004%	
	1-hour Max	29	0.50	1.7%	0.7	2%	1.0	3%	1	3%	
Benzene	Annual Av	9.6	0.0029	0.030%	0.004	0.04%	0.007	0.07%	0.01	0.1%	
<b>-</b> .	1-hour Max	330	0.39	0.12%	0.6	0.2%	0.8	0.2%	1	0.2%	
Toluene	Annual Av	377	0.0025	0.0007%	0.003	0.001%	0.006	0.001%	0.01	0.001%	
Ethylbenzene	1-hour Max	7,344	0.03	0.0005%	0.50	0.007%	0.50	0.0068%	0.5	0.007%	
V 1	1-hour Max	330	0.15	0.05%	0.5	0.15%	0.5	0.15%	0.5	0.2%	
Xylene	Annual Av	868	0.0011	0.00013%	0.003	0.0003%	0.004	0.0004%	0.00	0.0004%	

Table 16: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline with Background at Sensitive Receptor 2

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Background		Existing		WGP2 in Isolation		Cumulative - Normal Operations		Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
NO	1-hour Max	246	39	16%	156	64%	125	51%	156	64%	156	64%
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	10	16%	12	19%	10	17%	12	20%	12	20%
	1-hour Max	570	31	5%	31	6%	31	5%	31	6%	31	6%
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%
	Annual Av	60	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	250	3%	430	4%	295	3%	430	4%	430	4%
DM	24-hour Max	50	20	40%	22	44%	20	40%	22	44%	22	44%
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual Av	25	16	64%	16	65%	16	64%	16	65%	16	65%
DM	24-hour Max	25	9	37%	11	46%	9	38%	11	46%	11	46%
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%

Annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  are above the guideline before the addition of other regional and WGP2 sources. This data was obtained from the Caversham monitoring station located in the Perth Metropolitan Area. Given its rural nature, it is likely that background  $PM_{2.5}$  concentrations will be significantly below the concentrations presented as background in this table, however they have been included in this assessment for completeness.

Table 17: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline without Background at Sensitive Receptor 4

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Exis	ting	WGP2 in 1	Isolation	Cumulative Opera		Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
No	1-hour Max	246	86	35%	91	37%	91	37%	91	37%
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	0.7	1%	1.3	2.1%	2.0	3%	2.0	3%
	1-hour Max	570	0.09	0.02%	0.15	0.027%	0.15	0.03%	0.15	0.03%
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	0.007	0.003%	0.01	0.007%	0.02	0.008%	0.02	0.008%
	Annual Av	60	0.0006	0.001%	0.0013	0.0021%	0.002	0.003%	0.002	0.003%
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	44	0.4%	44	0.4%	44	0.4%	44	0.4%
PM <sub>10</sub>	24-hour Max	50	0.5	1%	0.107	0.214%	0.6	1%	0.6	1%
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual Av	25	0.05	0.2%	0.01039	0.0416%	0.06	0.2%	0.06	0.2%
214	24-hour Max	25	0.5	2%	0.107	0.429%	0.6	2%	0.6	2%
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	0.05	1%	0.01039	0.1299%	0.06	1%	0.06	1%
	1-hour Max	2	0.000020	0.0011%	0.00022	0.012%	0.00022	0.012%	0.00022	0.012%
Mercury	Annual Av	0.2	0.00000033	0.000167%	0.0000015	0.0007%	0.0000018	0.0009%	0.0000018	0.0009%
D	1-hour Max	29	0.37	1.3%	1.0	4%	1.0	4%	1	4%
Benzene	Annual Av	9.6	0.0036	0.037%	0.010	0.11%	0.014	0.14%	0.01	0.1%
	1-hour Max	330	0.30	0.09%	0.8	0.2%	0.8	0.2%	1	0.2%
Toluene	Annual Av	377	0.0028	0.0007%	0.008	0.002%	0.011	0.003%	0.01	0.003%
Ethylbenzene	1-hour Max	7,344	0.03	0.0004%	0.63	0.0086%	0.63	0.0086%	0.6	0.009%
Wilson	1-hour Max	330	0.12	0.04%	0.6	0.20%	0.6	0.20%	0.6	0.2%
Xylene	Annual Av	868	0.0012	0.00013%	0.007	0.0008%	0.008	0.0009%	0.01	0.0009%

Table 18: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline with Background at Sensitive Receptor 4

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Background		Exis	Existing		WGP2 in Isolation		ntive - perations	Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
NO	1-hour Max	246	39	16%	125	51%	130	53%	130	53%	130	53%
NO <sub>2</sub>	Annual Av	62	10	16%	11	17%	11	18%	12	19%	12	19%
	1-hour Max	570	31	5%	31	5%	31	5%	31	5%	31	5%
SO <sub>2</sub>	24-hour Max	228	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%	9	4%
	Annual Av	60	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%	9	15%
СО	8-hour Max	10,000	250	3%	294	3%	294	3%	294	3%	294	3%
DM	24-hour Max	50	20	40%	21	41%	20	40%	21	41%	21	41%
PM <sub>10</sub>	Annual Av	25	16	64%	16	65%	16	64%	16	65%	16	65%
DM	24-hour Max	25	9	37%	10	39%	9	38%	10	40%	10	40%
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Annual Av	8	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%	9	113%

Annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  are above the guideline before the addition of other regional and WGP2 sources. This data was obtained from the Caversham monitoring station located in the Perth Metropolitan Area. Given its rural nature, it is likely that background  $PM_{2.5}$  concentrations will be significantly below the concentrations presented as background in this table, however they have been included in this assessment for completeness.

Table 19: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline without Background at Onsite Receptor

Pollutant	Averaging	Criteria	Ex	isting	WGP2 ir	ı Isolation		ve - Normal rations	Cumulative - Emergency Operations		
Poliutant	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	
NO	15-Minute Max	9400	138	1%	109	1%	138	1%	138	1%	
NO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour Max	5,600	69	1%	55	1%	69	1%	69	1%	
50	15-Minute Max	13,000	0.3	0.003%	0.3	0.003%	0.3	0.003%	0.3	0.003%	
SO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour Max	5,200	0.2	0.003%	0.2	0.003%	0.2	0.003%	0.2	0.003%	
СО	8-Hour Max	34,000	124	0.4%	123	0.4%	124	0.4%	124	0.4%	
Mercury	8-Hour Max	25	0.00013	0.00053%	0.0015	0.006%	0.0015	0.006%	0.0015	0.006%	
Benzene	8-Hour Max	3,200	4.07	0.127%	2	0.1%	4	0.1%	4	0.1%	
	15-Minute Max	574,000	6.4	0.00111%	2	0.000%	6	0.001%	6	0.001%	
Toluene	8-Hour Max	191,000	3.20	0.00167%	1	0.001%	3	0.002%	3	0.002%	
	24-Hour Max	3,769	0.56	0.0148%	0	0.01%	1	0.02%	1	0.02%	
Ether the common of	15-Minute Max	543,000	0.54	0.000099%	0.8	0.0001%	0.8	0.0001%	0.8	0.0001%	
Ethylbenzene	8-Hour Max	434,000	0.27	0.000062%	0.4	0.00009%	0.4	0.00009%	0.4	0.00009%	
	15-Minute Max	655,000	2.50	0.00038%	2	0.0002%	3	0.0004%	3	0.0004%	
Xylene	8-Hour Max	350,000	1.25	0.00036%	1	0.0002%	1	0.0004%	1	0.0004%	
	24-Hour Max	1,085	0.219	0.0202%	0.3	0.02%	0.3	0.03%	0.3	0.03%	

Table 20: Predicted Concentrations and Percentage of Guideline with Background at Onsite Receptor

Perio	Averaging Criteria		Background		Existing		WGP2 in Isolation		Cumulative - Normal Operations		Cumulative - Emergency Operations	
	Period	(µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.	Conc. (µg/m³)	% of Guide.
NO	15-Minute Max	9400	39	0.4%	177	2%	148	2%	177	2%	177	2%
NO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour Max	5,600	39	0.7%	108	2%	94	2%	108	2%	108	2%
60	15-Minute Max	13,000	31	0.2%	31	0.2%	31	0.2%	31	0.2%	31	0.2%
SO <sub>2</sub>	8-Hour Max	5,200	31	0.6%	31	0.6%	31	0.6%	31	0.6%	31	0.6%
СО	8-Hour Max	34,000	250	0.7%	374	1%	373	1%	374	1%	374	1%

# 6. CONCLUSIONS

MEPAU manages the Waitsia Gas Field located on grazing land in the Shire of Irwin, about 16 km south-east of Dongara and 367 km north of Perth. The field sits within the Geraldton Sandplains bioregion of Western Australia.

The Waitsia Gas Project is the largest conventional onshore Australian discovery in 40 years. It currently consists of five oil and gas wells on petroleum permits L1 and L2. The field was discovered in 2014 and has been developed in stages. The field is currently producing from two wells, Waitsia-01 and Senecio-03 (collectively known as Waitsia Gas Project Stage 1). Wells Waitsia-02, Waitsia-03 and Waitsia-04 wells are currently suspended.

MEPAU is proposing to construct and operate the Waitsia Gas Plant and related infrastructure, collectively known as the Waitsia Gas Project – Stage 2 (WGP2).

Air dispersion modelling was undertaken to assess the potential air quality impacts of atmospheric emissions from the proposed WGP2, comparing the GLCs predicted at sensitive receptor locations against the relevant ambient air quality criteria.

The modelling indicated that predicted GLCs for most compounds in isolation and cumulatively are well below the corresponding ambient air quality and workplace exposure standard criteria at the nominated receptor locations, with the exception of the scenarios that consider annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$ .

The annual average background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  were obtained from the Caversham monitoring station and were already in exceedance of the guideline before consideration of emissions from other sources. Given the rural nature and lack of industry in the region around the proposed facility it is highly likely that the actual background concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  in the region are significantly below the monitored concentrations at Caversham. The annual average concentrations of  $PM_{2.5}$  from WGP2 and other existing sources predicted without consideration of background concentrations are only 1% of the guideline.

When considered without potential background concentrations of pollutants, short term impacts from  $NO_2$  were predicted to be the main pollutant of concern from the WGP2 and MGSF, although predicted concentrations were still well below the nominated guideline.

The assessment incorporated a number of conservative assumptions, in the absence of more accurate or representative input data. This means that any uncertainties associated with the modelling are balanced by the conservativeness of the assessment, and that the outcomes reported are likely to be over-estimates of the pollutant concentrations that will actually be experienced at the receptors.

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# APPENDIX 1 CALPUFF INPUT FILE

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CALPUFF.INP 7.0
                     Generated by CALPUFF View 8.5.0 - 12/06/2019
----- Run title (3 lines) -----
          CALPUFF MODEL CONTROL FILE
INPUT GROUP: 0 -- Input and Output File Names
-----
Default Name Type
                  File Name
CALMET.DAT input ! METDAT = ..\..\Waitsia\CALPUFF_Mitsui\CALMET.DAT !
ISCMET.DAT input * ISCDAT = *
PLMMET.DAT input * PLMDAT = *
 or
PROFILE.DAT input * PRFDAT = *
SURFACE.DAT input * SFCDAT = *
RESTARTB.DAT input * RSTARTB = *
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CALPUFF.LST output ! PUFLST = CALPUFF.LST !
CONC.DAT output ! CONDAT = CONC.DAT !
DFLX.DAT output ! DFDAT = DFLX.DAT !
WFLX.DAT output ! WFDAT = WFLX.DAT !
VISB.DAT output * VISDAT = *
TK2D.DAT
         output * T2DDAT = *
RHO2D.DAT output * RHODAT = *
RESTARTE.DAT output * RSTARTE = *
______
Other Files
-----
OZONE.DAT input * OZDAT = *
VD.DAT input * VDDAT = *
CHEM.DAT input * CHEMDAT = *
        input * AUXEXT = *
AUX
(Extension added to METDAT filename(s) for files
with auxiliary 2D and 3D data)
H2O2.DAT input *H2O2DAT = *
NH3Z.DAT input * NH3ZDAT = *
         input * HILDAT = *
HILL.DAT
HILLRCT.DAT input * RCTDAT = *
COASTLN.DAT input * CSTDAT = *
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FLUXBDY.DAT input \* BDYDAT = \*

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BCON.DAT
             input * BCNDAT = *
DEBUG.DAT
             output * DEBUG = *
MASSFLX.DAT output * FLXDAT = *
MASSBAL.DAT output * BALDAT = *
           output * FOGDAT = *
FOG.DAT
            output * RISDAT = *
RISE.DAT
PFTRAK.DAT output * TRKDAT = *
All file names will be converted to lower case if LCFILES = T
Otherwise, if LCFILES = F, file names will be converted to UPPER CASE
     T = lower case
                      ! LCFILES = F!
     F = UPPER CASE
NOTE: (1) file/path names can be up to 132 characters in length
Provision for multiple input files
   Number of CALMET.DAT Domains (NMETDOM)
                       Default: 1
                                    ! NMETDOM = 1!
   Number of CALMET.DAT files (NMETDAT)
   (Total for ALL Domains)
                       Default: 1
                                    ! NMETDAT = 1 !
   Number of PTEMARB.DAT files for run (NPTDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NPTDAT = 0 !
   Number of BAEMARB.DAT files for run (NARDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NARDAT = 0 !
   Number of VOLEMARB.DAT files for run (NVOLDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NVOLDAT = 0 !
   Number of FLARE source files (FLEMARB.DAT)
   with time-varying data (NFLDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NFLDAT = 0 !
   Number of ROAD source files (RDEMARB.DAT)
   with time-varying data (NRDDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NRDDAT = 0 !
   Number of BUOYANT LINE source files (LNEMARB.DAT)
   with time-varying data (NLNDAT)
                       Default: 0
                                    ! NLNDAT = 0 !
   Note: Only 1 BUOYANT LINE source file is allowed
   ----
!END!
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```
Subgroup (0a)
_____
 Provide a name for each CALMET domain if NMETDOM > 1
 Enter NMETDOM lines.
                      a,b
Default Name
                  Domain Name
                  -----
* DOMAINLIST = *
 The following CALMET.DAT filenames are processed in sequence
 if NMETDAT > 1
 Enter NMETDAT lines, 1 line for each file name.
                       a,c,d
Default Name Type
                       File Name
----
none input * METDAT= * *END*
-----
  а
   The name for each CALMET domain and each CALMET.DAT file is treated
   as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input
   group terminator.
  b
   Use DOMAIN1= to assign the name for the outermost CALMET domain.
   Use DOMAIN2= to assign the name for the next inner CALMET domain.
   Use DOMAIN3= to assign the name for the next inner CALMET domain, etc.
   When inner domains with equal resolution (grid-cell size)
   overlap, the data from the FIRST such domain in the list will
   be used if all other criteria for choosing the controlling
   grid domain are inconclusive.
  С
   Use METDAT1= to assign the file names for the outermost CALMET domain.
   Use METDAT2= to assign the file names for the next inner CALMET domain.
   Use METDAT3= to assign the file names for the next inner CALMET domain, etc.
  d
   The filenames for each domain must be provided in sequential order
Subgroup (0b) - PTEMARB.DAT files
-----
 POINT Source File Names
 The following PTEMARB.DAT filenames are processed if NPTDAT>0
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A total of NPTDAT lines is expected with one file name assigned per line Each line is treated as an input group and must terminate with END

(surrounded by delimiters)

(Each file contains emissions parameters for the entire period modeled for  ${\bf 1}$  or more sources)

Default Name Type File Name
----\* PTDATLIST = \*

Subgroup (0c) – BAEMARB.DAT files

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#### **BUOYANT AREA Source File Names**

The following BAEMARB.DAT filenames are processed if NARDAT>0 A total of NARDAT lines is expected with one file name assigned per line Each line is treated as an input group and must terminate with END (surrounded by delimiters)

(Each file contains emissions parameters for the entire period modeled for 1 or more sources)

Default Name Type File Name
---\* ARDATLIST = \*

Subgroup (0d) - VOLEMARB.DAT files

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#### **VOLUME Source File Names**

The following VOLEMARB.DAT filenames are processed if NVOLDAT>0 A total of NVOLDAT lines is expected with one file name assigned per line Each line is treated as an input group and must terminate with END (surrounded by delimiters)

(Each file contains emissions parameters for the entire period modeled for  ${\bf 1}$  or more sources)

Default Name Type File Name

\* VOLDATLIST = \*

Subgroup (0e) - FLEMARB.DAT files

### FLARE Source File Names

The following FLEMARB.DAT filenames are processed if NFLDAT>0 A total of NFLDAT lines is expected with one file name assigned per line Each line is treated as an input group and must terminate with END (surrounded by delimiters)

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(Each file contains emissions parameters for the entire period modeled
 for 1 or more sources)
Default Name Type
                       File Name
-----
                    -----
* FLEMARBLIST = *
-----
Subgroup (0f) - RDEMARB.DAT files
 ROAD Source File Names
 The following RDEMARB.DAT filenames are processed if NRDDAT>0
 A total of NRDDAT lines is expected with one file name assigned per line
 Each line is treated as an input group and must terminate with END
 (surrounded by delimiters)
 (Each file contains emissions parameters for the entire period modeled
 for 1 or more sources)
Default Name Type
                      File Name
-----
* RDEMARBLIST = *
_____
Subgroup (0g) - LNEMARB.DAT file
 BUOYANT LINE Source File Name (not more than 1)
 The following LNEMARB.DAT filename is processed if NLNDAT>0
 The assignment is treated as an input group and must terminate with END
 (surrounded by delimiters)
Default Name Type
                       File Name
* LNEMARBLIST = *
INPUT GROUP: 1 -- General run control parameters
  Option to run all periods found
  in the met. file (METRUN) Default: 0 ! METRUN = 0!
     METRUN = 0 - Run period explicitly defined below
     METRUN = 1 - Run all periods in met. file
   Starting date: Year (IBYR) -- No default ! IBYR = 2018 !
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Month (IBMO) -- No default ! IBMO = 1!

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Day (IBDY) -- No default ! IBDY = 1!
Starting time:
              Hour (IBHR) -- No default ! IBHR = 1!
           Minute (IBMIN) -- No default ! IBMIN = 0!
           Second (IBSEC) -- No default ! IBSEC = 0!
Ending date:
               Year (IEYR) -- No default ! IEYR = 2018 !
           Month (IEMO) -- No default ! IEMO = 12!
           Day (IEDY) -- No default ! IEDY = 31!
               Hour (IEHR) -- No default ! IEHR = 23!
Ending time:
           Minute (IEMIN) -- No default ! IEMIN = 0 !
           Second (IESEC) -- No default ! IESEC = 0!
(These are only used if METRUN = 0)
Base time zone:
                     (ABTZ) -- No default ! ABTZ = UTC+0800 !
(character*8)
The modeling domain may span multiple time zones. ABTZ defines the
base time zone used for the entire simulation. This must match the
base time zone of the meteorological data.
Examples:
  Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) = UTC+0000
                    = UTC-0500
  EST
  CST
                    = UTC-0600
  MST
                     = UTC-0700
  PST
                    = UTC-0800
  Los Angeles, USA
                         = UTC-0800
  New York, USA
                        = UTC-0500
  Santiago, Chile
                       = UTC-0400
  UK
                    = UTC + 0000
  Western Europe
                        = UTC+0100
  Rome, Italy
                      = UTC+0100
  Cape Town, S.Africa
                         = UTC + 0200
  Sydney, Australia
                        = UTC+1000
Length of modeling time-step (seconds)
Equal to update period in the primary
meteorological data files, or an
integer fraction of it (1/2, 1/3 ...)
Must be no larger than 1 hour
(NSECDT)
                        Default:3600
                                       ! NSECDT = 3600 !
                    Units: seconds
Number of chemical species (NSPEC)
                    Default: 5
                                ! NSPEC = 20 !
Number of chemical species
to be emitted (NSE)
                          Default: 3
                                        ! NSE = 20 !
Flag to stop run after
SETUP phase (ITEST)
                            Default: 2
                                         ! ITEST = 2 !
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(Used to allow checking

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of the model inputs, files, etc.)
    ITEST = 1 - STOPS program after SETUP phase
    ITEST = 2 - Continues with execution of program
            after SETUP
Restart Configuration:
  Control flag (MRESTART)
                             Default: 0
                                            ! MRESTART = 0 !
   0 = Do not read or write a restart file
    1 = Read a restart file at the beginning of
      the run
    2 = Write a restart file during run
    3 = Read a restart file at beginning of run
      and write a restart file during run
  Number of periods in Restart
  output cycle (NRESPD)
                             Default: 0
                                           ! NRESPD = 0 !
   0 = File written only at last period
   >0 = File updated every NRESPD periods
Meteorological Data Format (METFM)
                     Default: 1
                                   ! METFM = 1!
   METFM = 1 - CALMET binary file (CALMET.MET)
   METFM = 2 - ISC ASCII file (ISCMET.MET)
   METFM = 3 - AUSPLUME ASCII file (PLMMET.MET)
   METFM = 4 - CTDM plus tower file (PROFILE.DAT) and
            surface parameters file (SURFACE.DAT)
   METFM = 5 - AERMET tower file (PROFILE.DAT) and
            surface parameters file (SURFACE.DAT)
Meteorological Profile Data Format (MPRFFM)
    (used only for METFM = 1, 2, 3)
                     Default: 1
                                   ! MPRFFM = 1 !
   MPRFFM = 1 - CTDM plus tower file (PROFILE.DAT)
   MPRFFM = 2 - AERMET tower file (PROFILE.DAT)
```

Sigma-y is adjusted by the factor (AVET/PGTIME)\*\*0.2 to either decrease it if the averaging time selected is less than the base averaging time, or increase it if the averaging time is greater. The base averaging time is denoted as PGTIME due to historical reasons as this adjustment was originally applied to the PG sigma option. It is now applied to all dispersion options. The factor is applied to the ambient turbulence sigma-v (m/s) and does not alter buoyancy enhancement or far-field Heffter growth.

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Averaging Time (minutes) (AVET)

Default: 60.0 ! AVET = 60!
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Base Averaging Time (minutes) (PGTIME)
                        Default: 60.0 ! PGTIME = 60 !
   Output units for binary concentration and flux files
   written in Dataset v2.2 or later formats
                                         ! IOUTU = 1 !
   (IOUTU)
                           Default: 1
                  - g/m3 (conc) or g/m2/s (dep)
      1 = mass
     2 = odour - odour_units (conc)
     3 = \text{radiation} - \text{Bq/m3 (conc) or Bq/m2/s (dep)}
!END!
INPUT GROUP: 2 -- Technical options
   Vertical distribution used in the
   near field (MGAUSS)
                                   Default: 1 ! MGAUSS = 1!
     0 = uniform
     1 = Gaussian
   Terrain adjustment method
   (MCTADJ)
                                Default: 3
                                            ! MCTADJ = 3 !
     0 = no adjustment
     1 = ISC-type of terrain adjustment
     2 = simple, CALPUFF-type of terrain
       adjustment
     3 = partial plume path adjustment
   Subgrid-scale complex terrain
   flag (MCTSG)
                                 Default: 0 ! MCTSG = 0!
     0 = not modeled
     1 = modeled
   Near-field puffs modeled as
   elongated slugs? (MSLUG)
                                     Default: 0 ! MSLUG = 0!
     0 = no
     1 = yes (slug model used)
   Transitional plume rise modeled?
   (MTRANS)
                                 Default: 1 ! MTRANS = 1!
     0 = no (i.e., final rise only)
     1 = yes (i.e., transitional rise computed)
   Stack tip downwash? (MTIP)
                                      Default: 1 ! MTIP = 1!
     0 = no (i.e., no stack tip downwash)
     1 = yes (i.e., use stack tip downwash)
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Method used to compute plume rise for
point sources not subject to building
downwash? (MRISE)
                                 Default: 1
                                            ! MRISE = 1 !
  1 = Briggs plume rise
  2 = Numerical plume rise
Apply stack-tip downwash to FLARE sources?
(MTIP_FL)
                             Default: 0
                                         ! MTIP_FL = 0 !
 0 = no (no stack-tip downwash)
  1 = yes (apply stack-tip downwash)
Plume rise module for FLARE sources
(MRISE FL)
                             Default: 2
                                         ! MRISE FL = 2 !
  1 = Briggs module
  2 = Numerical rise module
Method used to simulate building
downwash? (MBDW)
                                  Default: 1
                                             ! MBDW = 2 !
  1 = ISC method
  2 = PRIME method
Vertical wind shear modeled above
stack top? (MSHEAR)
                                Default: 0
                                             ! MSHEAR = 0!
  0 = no (i.e., vertical wind shear not modeled)
  1 = yes (i.e., vertical wind shear modeled)
Puff splitting allowed? (MSPLIT)
                                  Default: 0 ! MSPLIT = 0!
 0 = no (i.e., puffs not split)
  1 = yes (i.e., puffs are split)
Chemical mechanism flag (MCHEM)
                                      Default: 1
                                                 ! MCHEM = 0 !
  0 = chemical transformation not
    modeled
  1 = transformation rates computed
    internally (MESOPUFF II scheme)
  2 = user-specified transformation
    rates used
  3 = transformation rates computed
    internally (RIVAD/ARM3 scheme)
  4 = secondary organic aerosol formation
    computed (MESOPUFF II scheme for OH)
  5 = user-specified half-life with or
    without transfer to child species
  6 = transformation rates computed
    internally (Updated RIVAD scheme with
    ISORROPIA equilibrium)
  7 = transformation rates computed
    internally (Updated RIVAD scheme with
    ISORROPIA equilibrium and CalTech SOA)
```

Aqueous phase transformation flag (MAQCHEM)

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(Used only if MCHEM = 6, or 7)
                                   Default: 0
                                                ! MAQCHEM = 0 !
  0 = aqueous phase transformation
    not modeled
  1 = transformation rates and wet
    scavenging coefficients adjusted
    for in-cloud aqueous phase reactions
    (adapted from RADM cloud model
     implementation in CMAQ/SCICHEM)
Liquid Water Content flag (MLWC)
(Used only if MAQCHEM = 1)
                                   Default: 1
                                                ! MLWC = 1 !
  0 = water content estimated from cloud cover
    and presence of precipitation
  1 = gridded cloud water data read from CALMET
    water content output files (filenames are
    the CALMET.DAT names PLUS the extension
    AUXEXT provided in Input Group 0)
Wet removal modeled ? (MWET)
                                     Default: 1
                                                  ! MWET = 0 !
  0 = no
  1 = yes
Dry deposition modeled ? (MDRY)
                                     Default: 1
                                                ! MDRY = 0 !
  0 = no
  1 = yes
  (dry deposition method specified
  for each species in Input Group 3)
Gravitational settling (plume tilt)
modeled ? (MTILT)
                                Default: 0
                                             ! MTILT = 0 !
  0 = no
  1 = yes
  (puff center falls at the gravitational
  settling velocity for 1 particle species)
Restrictions:
  -MDRY = 1
  - NSPEC = 1 (must be particle species as well)
  - sg = 0 GEOMETRIC STANDARD DEVIATION in Group 8 is
           set to zero for a single particle diameter
Method used to compute dispersion
coefficients (MDISP)
                               Default: 3
                                            ! MDISP = 3!
  1 = dispersion coefficients computed from measured values
    of turbulence, sigma v, sigma w
  2 = dispersion coefficients from internally calculated
    sigma v, sigma w using micrometeorological variables
    (u*, w*, L, etc.)
  3 = PG dispersion coefficients for RURAL areas (computed using
```

```
the ISCST multi-segment approximation) and MP coefficients in
    urban areas
  4 = same as 3 except PG coefficients computed using
    the MESOPUFF II eqns.
  5 = CTDM sigmas used for stable and neutral conditions.
    For unstable conditions, sigmas are computed as in
    MDISP = 3, described above. MDISP = 5 assumes that
    measured values are read
Sigma-v/sigma-theta, sigma-w measurements used? (MTURBVW)
(Used only if MDISP = 1 \text{ or } 5)
                                 Default: 3
                                              ! MTURBVW = 3 !
  1 = use sigma-v or sigma-theta measurements
    from PROFILE.DAT to compute sigma-y
    (valid for METFM = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
  2 = use sigma-w measurements
    from PROFILE.DAT to compute sigma-z
    (valid for METFM = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
  3 = use both sigma-(v/theta) and sigma-w
    from PROFILE.DAT to compute sigma-y and sigma-z
    (valid for METFM = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
  4 = use sigma-theta measurements
    from PLMMET.DAT to compute sigma-y
    (valid only if METFM = 3)
Back-up method used to compute dispersion
                               Default: 3
                                            ! MDISP2 = 3!
```

when measured turbulence data are

missing (MDISP2)

(used only if MDISP = 1 or 5)

2 = dispersion coefficients from internally calculated sigma v, sigma w using micrometeorological variables

(u\*, w\*, L, etc.)

3 = PG dispersion coefficients for RURAL areas (computed using the ISCST multi-segment approximation) and MP coefficients in urban areas

! MTAULY = 0 !

4 = same as 3 except PG coefficients computed using the MESOPUFF II eqns.

## [DIAGNOSTIC FEATURE]

Method used for Lagrangian timescale for Sigma-y

(used only if MDISP=1,2 or MDISP2=1,2) Default: 0 (MTAULY)

0 = Draxler default 617.284 (s)

1 = Computed as Lag. Length / (.75 q) -- after SCIPUFF

-- e.g., 306.9 10 < Direct user input (s)

## [DIAGNOSTIC FEATURE]

Method used for Advective-Decay timescale for Turbulence (used only if MDISP=2 or MDISP2=2)

Default: 0 ! MTAUADV = 0! (MTAUADV)

0 = No turbulence advection

```
1 = Computed (OPTION NOT IMPLEMENTED)
 10 < Direct user input (s) -- e.g., 800
Method used to compute turbulence sigma-v &
sigma-w using micrometeorological variables
(Used only if MDISP = 2 or MDISP2 = 2)
(MCTURB)
                             Default: 1
                                          ! MCTURB = 1 !
  1 = Standard CALPUFF subroutines
  2 = AERMOD subroutines
PG sigma-y,z adj. for roughness?
                                   Default: 0
                                               ! MROUGH = 0 !
(MROUGH)
 0 = no
  1 = yes
Partial plume penetration of
                                Default: 1
                                             ! MPARTL = 1 !
elevated inversion modeled for
point sources?
(MPARTL)
 0 = no
  1 = yes
                                Default: 1
                                            ! MPARTLBA = 0 !
Partial plume penetration of
elevated inversion modeled for
buoyant area sources?
(MPARTLBA)
 0 = no
  1 = yes
Strength of temperature inversion
                                   Default: 0
                                               ! MTINV = 0 !
provided in PROFILE.DAT extended records?
(MTINV)
 0 = no (computed from measured/default gradients)
  1 = yes
PDF used for dispersion under convective conditions?
                         Default: 0
                                     ! MPDF = 0 !
(MPDF)
 0 = no
  1 = yes
Sub-Grid TIBL module used for shore line?
                        Default: 0
                                    ! MSGTIBL = 0 !
(MSGTIBL)
 0 = no
  1 = yes
Boundary conditions (concentration) modeled?
                        Default: 0
                                     ! MBCON = 0 !
(MBCON)
```

```
0 = no

1 = yes, using formatted BCON.DAT file

2 = yes, using unformatted CONC.DAT file
```

Note: MBCON > 0 requires that the last species modeled be 'BCON'. Mass is placed in species BCON when generating boundary condition puffs so that clean air entering the modeling domain can be simulated in the same way as polluted air. Specify zero emission of species BCON for all regular sources.

```
Individual source contributions saved?
```

Analyses of fogging and icing impacts due to emissions from arrays of mechanically-forced cooling towers can be performed using CALPUFF in conjunction with a cooling tower emissions processor (CTEMISS) and its associated postprocessors. Hourly emissions of water vapor and temperature from each cooling tower cell are computed for the current cell configuration and ambient conditions by CTEMISS. CALPUFF models the dispersion of these emissions and provides cloud information in a specialized format for further analysis. Output to FOG.DAT is provided in either 'plume mode' or 'receptor mode' format.

```
Configure for FOG Model output?
                                    ! MFOG = 0 !
                        Default: 0
(MFOG)
 0 = no
 1 = yes - report results in PLUME Mode format
 2 = yes - report results in RECEPTOR Mode format
Test options specified to see if
they conform to regulatory
values? (MREG)
                             Default: 1 ! MREG = 0!
 0 = NO checks are made
 1 = Technical options must conform to USEPA
    Long Range Transport (LRT) guidance
           METFM 1 or 2
           AVET
                 60. (min)
           PGTIME 60. (min)
           MGAUSS 1
           MCTADJ 3
           MTRANS 1
           MTIP
                 1
```

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MRISE 1
            MCHEM 1 or 3 (if modeling SOx, NOx)
            MWET
                   1
            MDRY
                   1
            MDISP 2 or 3
            MPDF 0 if MDISP=3
                 1 if MDISP=2
            MROUGH 0
            MPARTL 1
            MPARTLBA 0
            SYTDEP 550. (m)
            MHFTSZ 0
            SVMIN 0.5 (m/s)
!END!
______
INPUT GROUP: 3a, 3b -- Species list
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-----
Subgroup (3a)
-----
 The following species are modeled:
! CSPEC =
              1!
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
              2!
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
              3!
                      !END!
              4!
! CSPEC =
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
              5!
                      !END!
              6!
! CSPEC =
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
              7!
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
              8!
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
             9!
                      !END!
! CSPEC =
             10!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             11!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             12!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             13!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             14!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             15!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             16!
                       !END!
             17!
! CSPEC =
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             18!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             19!
                       !END!
! CSPEC =
             20!
                       !END!
```

			Dry		OUTPL	JT G	GROUP	
	SPECIES	MODELED	EM	IITTED [	DEPOSITE	D	NUMBER	₹
	NAME	(0=NO, 1=YES)	(0=	NO, 1=YES)	(0=NC	),	(0=NON	ΙE,
	(Limit: 12			1=COMPU	TED-GAS		1=1st CGRUP,	
	Characters			2=COMPL	JTED-PAF	RTIC	CLE 2=2nd CGRU	JP,
	in length)			3=USER-S	PECIFIED	))	3= etc.)	
!	1 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	2 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	3 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	4 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	5 =	1,	1,	0,	0	ļ.		
!	6 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	7 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	8 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	9 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	10 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	11 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	12 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	13 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	14 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	15 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	16 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	17 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	18 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	19 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		
!	20 =	1,	1,	0,	0	!		

## !END!

Note: The last species in (3a) must be 'BCON' when using the boundary condition option (MBCON > 0). Species BCON should typically be modeled as inert (no chem transformation or removal).

## Subgroup (3b)

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The following names are used for Species-Groups in which results for certain species are combined (added) prior to output. The CGRUP name will be used as the species name in output files. Use this feature to model specific particle-size distributions by treating each size-range as a separate species. Order must be consistent with 3(a) above.

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(XLAT1)

```
INPUT GROUP: 4 -- Map Projection and Grid control parameters
   Projection for all (X,Y):
   Map projection
   (PMAP)
                        Default: UTM ! PMAP = UTM!
     UTM: Universal Transverse Mercator
     TTM: Tangential Transverse Mercator
     LCC: Lambert Conformal Conic
      PS: Polar Stereographic
      EM: Equatorial Mercator
     LAZA: Lambert Azimuthal Equal Area
   False Easting and Northing (km) at the projection origin
   (Used only if PMAP= TTM, LCC, or LAZA)
   (FEAST)
                        Default=0.0
                                     ! FEAST = 0.0 !
   (FNORTH)
                        Default=0.0 ! FNORTH = 0.0 !
   UTM zone (1 to 60)
   (Used only if PMAP=UTM)
   (IUTMZN)
                         No Default
                                      ! IUTMZN = 50 !
   Hemisphere for UTM projection?
   (Used only if PMAP=UTM)
   (UTMHEM)
                         Default: N
                                       ! UTMHEM = S!
     N : Northern hemisphere projection
     S : Southern hemisphere projection
   Latitude and Longitude (decimal degrees) of projection origin
   (Used only if PMAP= TTM, LCC, PS, EM, or LAZA)
                                     ! RLAT0 = 0.00N !
   (RLAT0)
                        No Default
   (RLON0)
                        No Default
                                     ! RLON0 = 0.00E !
     TTM: RLON0 identifies central (true N/S) meridian of projection
          RLATO selected for convenience
     LCC: RLON0 identifies central (true N/S) meridian of projection
          RLAT0 selected for convenience
     PS: RLON0 identifies central (grid N/S) meridian of projection
          RLATO selected for convenience
     EM: RLON0 identifies central meridian of projection
          RLATO is REPLACED by 0.0N (Equator)
     LAZA: RLON0 identifies longitude of tangent-point of mapping plane
          RLATO identifies latitude of tangent-point of mapping plane
   Matching parallel(s) of latitude (decimal degrees) for projection
   (Used only if PMAP= LCC or PS)
```

! XLAT1 = 30S !

No Default

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(XLAT2) No Default ! XLAT2 = 60S!
```

LCC: Projection cone slices through Earth's surface at XLAT1 and XLAT2

PS: Projection plane slices through Earth at XLAT1

(XLAT2 is not used)

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Note: Latitudes and longitudes should be positive, and include a letter N,S,E, or W indicating north or south latitude, and east or west longitude. For example, 35.9 N Latitude = 35.9N 118.7 E Longitude = 118.7E

#### Datum-region

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The Datum-Region for the coordinates is identified by a character string. Many mapping products currently available use the model of the Earth known as the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS-84). Other local models may be in use, and their selection in CALMET will make its output consistent with local mapping products. The list of Datum-Regions with official transformation parameters is provided by the National Imagery and Mapping Agency (NIMA).

```
NIMA Datum - Regions(Examples)
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```
WGS-84 WGS-84 Reference Ellipsoid and Geoid, Global coverage (WGS84)
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NAS-C NORTH AMERICAN 1927 Clarke 1866 Spheroid, MEAN FOR CONUS (NAD27)

NAR-C NORTH AMERICAN 1983 GRS 80 Spheroid, MEAN FOR CONUS (NAD83)

NWS-84 NWS 6370KM Radius, Sphere

ESR-S ESRI REFERENCE 6371KM Radius, Sphere

Datum-region for output coordinates

(DATUM) Default: WGS-84 ! DATUM = WGS-84 !

METEOROLOGICAL Grid (outermost if nested CALMET grids are used):

Rectangular grid defined for projection PMAP, with X the Easting and Y the Northing coordinate

```
No. X grid cells (NX) No default ! NX = 20 !
No. Y grid cells (NY) No default ! NY = 20 !
No. vertical layers (NZ) No default ! NZ = 10 !
```

```
Grid spacing (DGRIDKM) No default ! DGRIDKM = 1 ! Units: km
```

```
Cell face heights
(ZFACE(nz+1)) No defaults
```

```
Units: m
! ZFACE = 0.0, 20.0, 40.0, 80.0, 160.0, 320.0, 640.0, 1200.0, 2000.0, 3000.0, 4000.0 !

Reference Coordinates
of SOUTHWEST corner of
    grid cell(1, 1):

X coordinate (XORIGKM) No default ! XORIGKM = 304.3000 !
Y coordinate (YORIGKM) No default ! YORIGKM = 6745.9000 !

Units: km
```

#### COMPUTATIONAL Grid:

The computational grid is identical to or a subset of the MET. grid. The lower left (LL) corner of the computational grid is at grid point (IBCOMP, JBCOMP) of the MET. grid. The upper right (UR) corner of the computational grid is at grid point (IECOMP, JECOMP) of the MET. grid. The grid spacing of the computational grid is the same as the MET. grid.

```
X index of LL corner (IBCOMP)
                                No default
                                             ! IBCOMP = 1 !
      (1 \le IBCOMP \le NX)
                                No default
Y index of LL corner (JBCOMP)
                                             ! JBCOMP = 1 !
      (1 \le JBCOMP \le NY)
                                 No default
X index of UR corner (IECOMP)
                                              ! IECOMP = 20 !
      (1 \le IECOMP \le NX)
Y index of UR corner (JECOMP)
                                 No default
                                             ! JECOMP = 20 !
      (1 \le JECOMP \le NY)
```

## SAMPLING Grid (GRIDDED RECEPTORS):

The lower left (LL) corner of the sampling grid is at grid point (IBSAMP, JBSAMP) of the MET. grid. The upper right (UR) corner of the sampling grid is at grid point (IESAMP, JESAMP) of the MET. grid. The sampling grid must be identical to or a subset of the computational grid. It may be a nested grid inside the computational grid. The grid spacing of the sampling grid is DGRIDKM/MESHDN.

```
Logical flag indicating if gridded receptors are used (LSAMP) Default: T ! LSAMP = T! (T=yes, F=no)

X index of LL corner (IBSAMP) No default ! IBSAMP = 1! (IBCOMP <= IBSAMP <= IECOMP)
```

```
Y index of LL corner (JBSAMP)
                                     No default ! JBSAMP = 1!
     (JBCOMP <= JBSAMP <= JECOMP)
                                                  ! IESAMP = 20 !
     X index of UR corner (IESAMP)
                                     No default
     (IBCOMP <= IESAMP <= IECOMP)
     Y index of UR corner (JESAMP)
                                     No default
                                                  ! JESAMP = 20 !
     (JBCOMP <= JESAMP <= JECOMP)
    Nesting factor of the sampling
                                 Default: 1 ! MESHDN = 4!
     grid (MESHDN)
     (MESHDN is an integer >= 1)
!END!
INPUT GROUP: 5 -- Output Options
   FILE
                     DEFAULT VALUE
                                             VALUE THIS RUN
   ____
                     _____
 Concentrations (ICON)
                                            ! ICON = 1 !
                               1
  Dry Fluxes (IDRY)
                                           ! IDRY = 0 !
                              1
 Wet Fluxes (IWET)
                                           ! IWET = 0 !
                              1
 2D Temperature (IT2D)
                              0
                                             ! IT2D = 0 !
 2D Density (IRHO)
                              0
                                            ! IRHO = 0 !
 Relative Humidity (IVIS)
                               1
                                            ! IVIS = 0 !
  (relative humidity file is
  required for visibility
   analysis)
  Use data compression option in output file?
  (LCOMPRS)
                              Default: T
                                            ! LCOMPRS = T!
  0 = Do not create file, 1 = create file
  QA PLOT FILE OUTPUT OPTION:
    Create a standard series of output files (e.g.
    locations of sources, receptors, grids ...)
    suitable for plotting?
    (IQAPLOT)
                             Default: 1
                                            ! IQAPLOT = 1 !
     0 = no
     1 = yes
```

#### DIAGNOSTIC PUFF-TRACKING OUTPUT OPTION:

Puff locations and properties reported to PFTRAK.DAT file for postprocessing?

(IPFTRAK) Default: 0 ! IPFTRAK = 0!

0 = no

1 = yes, update puff output at end of each timestep

2 = yes, update puff output at end of each sampling step

#### DIAGNOSTIC MASS FLUX OUTPUT OPTIONS:

Mass flux across specified boundaries

for selected species reported?

(IMFLX) Default: 0 ! IMFLX = 0!

0 = no

1 = yes (FLUXBDY.DAT and MASSFLX.DAT filenames are specified in Input Group 0)

Mass balance for each species

reported?

(IMBAL) Default: 0 ! IMBAL = 0!

0 = no

1 = yes (MASSBAL.DAT filename is specified in Input Group 0)

#### NUMERICAL RISE OUTPUT OPTION:

Create a file with plume properties for each rise increment, for each model timestep?

This applies to sources modeled with numerical rise

and is limited to ONE source in the run.

(INRISE) Default: 0 ! INRISE = 0!

0 = no

1 = yes (RISE.DAT filename is specified in Input Group 0)

## LINE PRINTER OUTPUT OPTIONS:

Print concentrations (ICPRT) Default: 0 ! ICPRT = 0! Print dry fluxes (IDPRT) Default: 0 ! IDPRT = 0!

Print wet fluxes (IWPRT) Default: 0 ! IWPRT = 0!

(0 = Do not print, 1 = Print)

Concentration print interval

(ICFRQ) in timesteps Default: 1 ! ICFRQ = 1!

Dry flux print interval

(IDFRQ) in timesteps Default: 1 ! IDFRQ = 1!

Wet flux print interval

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(IWFRQ) in timesteps

```
Units for Line Printer Output
   (IPRTU)
                      Default: 1 ! IPRTU = 3!
           for
                   for
         Concentration Deposition
     1 =
           g/m**3
                      g/m**2/s
     2 =
           mg/m**3
                     mg/m**2/s
           ug/m**3
                     ug/m**2/s
     3 =
     4 =
           ng/m**3
                      ng/m**2/s
     5 =
          Odour Units
          TBq/m**3
     6 =
                      TBq/m**2/s TBq=terabecquerel
     7 =
           GBq/m**3
                      GBq/m**2/s GBq=gigabecquerel
     8 =
           Bq/m**3
                      Bq/m**2/s Bq=becquerel (disintegrations/s)
   Messages tracking progress of run
   written to the screen?
   (IMESG)
                      Default: 2 ! IMESG = 2!
    0 = no
    1 = yes (advection step, puff ID)
    2 = yes (YYYYJJJHH, # old puffs, # emitted puffs)
  SPECIES (or GROUP for combined species) LIST FOR OUTPUT OPTIONS
        ---- CONCENTRATIONS ---- ----- DRY FLUXES ----- WET FLUXES ----- --
MASS FLUX --
 SPECIES
           PRINTED? SAVED ON DISK? PRINTED? SAVED ON DISK? PRINTED? SAVED
 /GROUP
ON DISK? SAVED ON DISK?
                                0,
                                        1,
                                                      0 !
           1,
                   1,
                         1,
                                               0,
      1 =
                               0,
                                             0,
      2 =
           1,
                                                      0 !
                  1,
                         1,
                                        1,
      3 =
                        1,
                               0,
                                       1,
                                             0,
           1,
                 1,
                                            0,
                 1,
                        1,
                               0,
                                                      0!
      4 =
           1,
                                        1,
                               0,
                                        1,
      5 =
           1,
                 1,
                         1,
                                             0,
                                                      0 !
                 1,
      6 =
           1,
                        1,
                               0,
                                        1,
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      7 =
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           1,
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                         1,
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           1,
      8 =
                         1,
                                        1,
      9 =
           1,
                  1,
                         1,
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      10 =
                  1,
                         1,
                                                      0!
            1,
                                0,
                                        1,
                                               0,
      11 =
                                0,
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            1,
                 1,
                         1,
                                        1,
                                               0,
      12 =
                                0,
                                       1,
            1,
                  1,
                         1,
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      13 =
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            1,
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      14 =
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      15 =
            1,
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      16 =
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      17 =
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      18 =
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                  1,
            1,
      19 =
                         1,
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                                       1,
                                               0,
                                                      0 !
                  1,
      20 =
                         1,
                                                      0!
            1,
                   1,
                                0,
                                        1,
                                                0,
```

Default: 1 ! IWFRQ = 1!

Note: Species BCON (for MBCON > 0) does not need to be saved on disk.

```
OPTIONS FOR PRINTING "DEBUG" QUANTITIES (much output)
    Logical for debug output
    (LDEBUG)
                                   Default: F
                                             ! LDEBUG = F!
    First puff to track
    (IPFDEB)
                                  Default: 1
                                              ! IPFDEB = 1!
    Number of puffs to track
    (NPFDEB)
                                  Default: 1 ! NPFDEB = 1000!
    Met. period to start output
                                 Default: 1 ! NN1 = 1!
    (NN1)
    Met. period to end output
    (NN2)
                                 Default: 10 ! NN2 = 10!
!END!
INPUT GROUP: 6a, 6b, & 6c -- Subgrid scale complex terrain inputs
-----
Subgroup (6a)
    Number of terrain features (NHILL)
                                         Default: 0 ! NHILL = 0!
    Number of special complex terrain
                                     Default: 0 ! NCTREC = 0!
    receptors (NCTREC)
    Terrain and CTSG Receptor data for
    CTSG hills input in CTDM format?
    (MHILL)
                                 No Default ! MHILL = 2!
    1 = Hill and Receptor data created
      by CTDM processors & read from
       HILL.DAT and HILLRCT.DAT files
    2 = Hill data created by OPTHILL &
      input below in Subgroup (6b);
       Receptor data in Subgroup (6c)
    Factor to convert horizontal dimensions Default: 1.0 ! XHILL2M = 1.0!
    to meters (MHILL=1)
```

```
Factor to convert vertical dimensions
                                        Default: 1.0 ! ZHILL2M = 1.0 !
    to meters (MHILL=1)
    X-origin of CTDM system relative to
                                        No Default
                                                     ! XCTDMKM = 0.0 !
    CALPUFF coordinate system, in Kilometers (MHILL=1)
    Y-origin of CTDM system relative to
                                        No Default
                                                    ! YCTDMKM = 0.0 !
    CALPUFF coordinate system, in Kilometers (MHILL=1)
! END!
_____
Subgroup (6b)
-----
              1 **
   HILL information
HILL
           XC
                  YC
                         THETAH ZGRID RELIEF EXPO 1 EXPO 2 SCALE 1
                                                                              SCALE 2
AMAX1
         AMAX2
                          (deg.) (m)
NO.
          (km)
                  (km)
                                         (m)
                                                (m)
                                                        (m)
                                                                (m)
                                                                        (m)
                                                                                (m)
(m)
Subgroup (6c)
  COMPLEX TERRAIN RECEPTOR INFORMATION
              XRCT
                        YRCT
                                  ZRCT
                                             XHH
              (km)
                                  (m)
                        (km)
1
   Description of Complex Terrain Variables:
      XC, YC = Coordinates of center of hill
      THETAH = Orientation of major axis of hill (clockwise from
            North)
      ZGRID = Height of the 0 of the grid above mean sea
            level
      RELIEF = Height of the crest of the hill above the grid elevation
      EXPO 1 = Hill-shape exponent for the major axis
      EXPO 2 = Hill-shape exponent for the major axis
      SCALE 1 = Horizontal length scale along the major axis
      SCALE 2 = Horizontal length scale along the minor axis
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AMAX = Maximum allowed axis length for the major axis BMAX = Maximum allowed axis length for the major axis XRCT, YRCT = Coordinates of the complex terrain receptors ZRCT = Height of the ground (MSL) at the complex terrain Receptor XHH = Hill number associated with each complex terrain receptor (NOTE: MUST BE ENTERED AS A REAL NUMBER) NOTE: DATA for each hill and CTSG receptor are treated as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator. INPUT GROUP: 7 -- Chemical parameters for dry deposition of gases SPECIES DIFFUSIVITY ALPHA STAR REACTIVITY MESOPHYLL RESISTANCE HENRY'S LAW COEFFICIENT NAME (cm\*\*2/s)(dimensionless) (s/cm) -----\* DRYGAS = \* !END! INPUT GROUP: 8 -- Size parameters for dry deposition of particles For SINGLE SPECIES, the mean and standard deviation are used to compute a deposition velocity for NINT (see group 9) size-ranges, and these are then averaged to obtain a mean deposition velocity. For GROUPED SPECIES, the size distribution should be explicitly specified (by the 'species' in the group), and the standard deviation for each should be entered as 0. The model will then use the deposition velocity for the stated mean diameter. SPECIES GEOMETRIC MASS MEAN GEOMETRIC STANDARD NAME DIAMETER **DEVIATION** (microns) (microns) -----\* DRYPART = \* !END!

INPUT GROUP: 9 -- Miscellaneous dry deposition parameters -----Reference cuticle resistance (s/cm) (RCUTR) Default: 30 ! RCUTR = 30 ! Reference ground resistance (s/cm) Default: 10 ! RGR = 10! (RGR) Reference pollutant reactivity (REACTR) Default: 8 ! REACTR = 8! Number of particle-size intervals used to evaluate effective particle deposition velocity (NINT) Default: 9 ! NINT = 9 ! Vegetation state in unirrigated areas (IVEG) Default: 1 ! IVEG = 1 ! IVEG=1 for active and unstressed vegetation IVEG=2 for active and stressed vegetation IVEG=3 for inactive vegetation !END! \_\_\_\_\_\_ INPUT GROUP: 10 -- Wet Deposition Parameters -----Scavenging Coefficient -- Units: (sec)\*\*(-1) Pollutant Liquid Precip. Frozen Precip. ----------\* WETDEPOS = \* !END! INPUT GROUP: 11a, 11b -- Chemistry Parameters ----------Subgroup (11a)

Several parameters are needed for one or more of the chemical transformation mechanisms. Those used for each mechanism are:

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S
                                                                                 B R O
                                                      ABRRR CH4B
                                                      V C N N N M K - - C O
                                              CMGKIIIHHIIKFVE
                                         M K N N N T T T 2 2 S S P R C C
                                         OOHHHEEEOORRMANA
                                                           Z 3 3 3 3 1 2 3 2 2 P P F C X Y
      Mechanism (MCHEM)
      0 None
                                               . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
      1 MESOPUFF II
                                                     X X . . X X X X . . . . . . . .
      2 User Rates
                                                  . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
      3 RIVAD
                                                X X . . X . . . . . . . . . . .
                                               x x . . . . . . . . . x x x .
      4 SOA
      5 Radioactive Decay
                                                   . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X
                                                        X X X X X X . . . X X X X . . . .
      6 RIVAD/ISORRPIA
      7 RIVAD/ISORRPIA/SOA X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X . . .
                                                                                                              ! MOZ = 1 !
      Ozone data input option (MOZ) Default: 1
      (Used only if MCHEM = 1,3,4,6 or 7)
           0 = use a monthly background ozone value
           1 = read hourly ozone concentrations from
                the OZONE.DAT data file
      Monthly ozone concentrations in ppb (BCKO3)
      (Used only if MCHEM = 1,3,4,6, or 7 and either
           MOZ = 0, or
           MOZ = 1 and all hourly O3 data missing)
                                                      Default: 12*80.
      ! BCKO3 = 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.00, 80.0
80.00!
      Ammonia data option (MNH3)
                                                                             Default: 0
                                                                                                                 ! MNH3 = 0 !
      (Used only if MCHEM = 6 \text{ or } 7)
           0 = use monthly background ammonia values (BCKNH3) - no vertical variation
           1 = read monthly background ammonia values for each layer from
                the NH3Z.DAT data file
      Ammonia vertical averaging option (MAVGNH3)
      (Used only if MCHEM = 6 or 7, and MNH3 = 1)
           0 = use NH3 at puff center height (no averaging is done)
           1 = average NH3 values over vertical extent of puff
                                                      Default: 1
                                                                                         ! MAVGNH3 = 1 !
      Monthly ammonia concentrations in ppb (BCKNH3)
      (Used only if MCHEM = 1 or 3, or
                      if MCHEM = 6 or 7, and MNH3 = 0)
                                                      Default: 12*10.
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! BCKNH3 = 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.00, 10.
10.00!
       Nighttime SO2 loss rate in %/hour (RNITE1)
       (Used only if MCHEM = 1, 6 \text{ or } 7)
       This rate is used only at night for MCHEM=1
       and is added to the computed rate both day
       and night for MCHEM=6,7 (heterogeneous reactions)
                                                           Default: 0.2
                                                                                                    ! RNITE1 = 0.2 !
       Nighttime NOx loss rate in %/hour (RNITE2)
       (Used only if MCHEM = 1)
                                                           Default: 2.0
                                                                                                     ! RNITE2 = 2 !
       Nighttime HNO3 formation rate in %/hour (RNITE3)
       (Used only if MCHEM = 1)
                                                           Default: 2.0
                                                                                                    ! RNITE3 = 2!
       H2O2 data input option (MH2O2) Default: 1
                                                                                                                              ! MH2O2 = 1 !
       (Used only if MCHEM = 6 or 7, and MAQCHEM = 1)
            0 = use a monthly background H2O2 value
            1 = read hourly H2O2 concentrations from
                  the H2O2.DAT data file
       Monthly H2O2 concentrations in ppb (BCKH2O2)
       (Used only if MQACHEM = 1 and either
            MH2O2 = 0 \text{ or }
            MH2O2 = 1 and all hourly H2O2 data missing)
                                                           Default: 12*1.
       ! BCKH2O2 = 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00 !
  --- Data for ISORROPIA Option
       (used only if MCHEM = 6 \text{ or } 7)
       Minimum relative humidity used in ISORROPIA computations (RH_ISRP)
                                                           Default: 50.
                                                                                                     ! RH_ISRP = 50.0 !
                                                           Units: %
       Minimum SO4 used in ISORROPIA computations (SO4 ISRP)
                                                           Default: 0.4
                                                                                                     ! SO4_ISRP = 0.4 !
                                                           Units: ug/m3
  --- Data for SECONDARY ORGANIC AEROSOL (SOA) Options
       (used only if MCHEM = 4 \text{ or } 7)
       The MCHEM = 4 SOA module uses monthly values of:
               Fine particulate concentration in ug/m^3 (BCKPMF)
               Organic fraction of fine particulate
                                                                                                 (OFRAC)
               VOC / NOX ratio (after reaction)
                                                                                                   (VCNX)
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The MCHEM = 7 SOA module uses monthly values of:

Fine particulate concentration in ug/m<sup>3</sup> (BCKPMF) Organic fraction of fine particulate (OFRAC)

These characterize the air mass when computing the formation of SOA from VOC emissions.

Typical values for several distinct air mass types are:

Month 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec

#### Clean Continental

## Clean Marine (surface)

#### Urban - low biogenic (controls present)

#### Urban - high biogenic (controls present)

#### Regional Plume

## Urban - no controls present

## Default: Clean Continental

!

! BCKPMF = 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00 ! ! OFRAC = 0.15, 0.15, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.20, 0.15 ! ! VCNX = 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00, 50.00

--- End Data for SECONDARY ORGANIC AEROSOL (SOA) Options

Number of half-life decay specification blocks provided in Subgroup 11b (Used only if MCHEM = 5)

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(NDECAY)
                                    Default: 0 ! NDECAY = 0!
!END!
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Subgroup (11b)
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   Each species modeled may be assigned a decay half-life (sec), and the associated
   mass lost may be assigned to one or more other modeled species using a mass yield
   factor. This information is used only for MCHEM=5.
   Provide NDECAY blocks assigning the half-life for a parent species and mass yield
   factors for each child species (if any) produced by the decay.
   Set HALF_LIFE=0.0 for NO decay (infinite half-life).
                 Half-Life Mass Yield
     SPECIES
     NAME
                 (sec) Factor
     -----
             -----
* SPECHLLIST = *
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  а
   Specify a half life that is greater than or equal to zero for 1 parent species
   in each block, and set the yield factor for this species to -1
   Specify a yield factor that is greater than or equal to zero for 1 or more child
   species in each block, and set the half-life for each of these species to -1
   NOTE: Assignments in each block are treated as a separate input
       subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
       If NDECAY=0, no assignments and input group terminators should appear.
INPUT GROUP: 12 -- Misc. Dispersion and Computational Parameters
   Horizontal size of puff (m) beyond which
   time-dependent dispersion equations (Heffter)
   are used to determine sigma-y and
   sigma-z (SYTDEP)
                                      Default: 550. ! SYTDEP = 550!
   Switch for using Heffter equation for sigma z
   as above (0 = Not use Heffter; 1 = use Heffter)
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Default: 0

! MHFTSZ = 0 !

Stability class used to determine plume

(MHFTSZ)

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growth rates for puffs above the boundary
layer (JSUP)
                                Default: 5
                                             ! JSUP = 5!
Vertical dispersion constant for stable
                                       Default: 0.01 ! CONK1 = 0.01!
conditions (k1 in Eqn. 2.7-3) (CONK1)
Vertical dispersion constant for neutral/
unstable conditions (k2 in Eqn. 2.7-4)
                                Default: 0.1 ! CONK2 = 0.1!
(CONK2)
Factor for determining Transition-point from
Schulman-Scire to Huber-Snyder Building Downwash
scheme (SS used for Hs <Hb + TBD * HL)
(TBD)
                              Default: 0.5 ! TBD = 0.5 !
 TBD <0 ==> always use Huber-Snyder
 TBD = 1.5 ==> always use Schulman-Scire
 TBD = 0.5 ==> ISC Transition-point
Range of land use categories for which
urban dispersion is assumed
(IURB1, IURB2)
                                  Default: 10
                                              ! IURB1 = 10 !
                                  19 ! IURB2 = 19!
Site characterization parameters for single-point Met data files ------
(needed for METFM = 2,3,4,5)
  Land use category for modeling domain
  (ILANDUIN)
                                 Default: 20
                                             ! ILANDUIN = 20 !
  Roughness length (m) for modeling domain
                              Default: 0.25 ! Z0IN = .25!
  (ZOIN)
  Leaf area index for modeling domain
  (XLAIIN)
                               Default: 3.0 ! XLAIIN = 3.0 !
  Elevation above sea level (m)
  (ELEVIN)
                                Default: 0.0 ! ELEVIN = .0!
  Latitude (degrees) for met location
  (XLATIN)
                                Default: -999. ! XLATIN = -999.0 !
  Longitude (degrees) for met location
  (XLONIN)
                                Default: -999. ! XLONIN = -999.0!
Specialized information for interpreting single-point Met data files -----
  Anemometer height (m) (Used only if METFM = 2,3)
                                Default: 10. ! ANEMHT = 10.0 !
  (ANEMHT)
  Form of lateral turbulance data in PROFILE.DAT file
  (Used only if METFM = 4.5 or MTURBVW = 1 or 3)
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(ISIGMAV)
                               Default: 1 ! ISIGMAV = 1!
    0 = read sigma-theta
    1 = read sigma-v
 Choice of mixing heights (Used only if METFM = 4)
 (IMIXCTDM)
                                Default: 0
                                            ! IMIXCTDM = 0 !
    0 = read PREDICTED mixing heights
    1 = read OBSERVED mixing heights
Maximum length of a slug (met. grid units)
(XMXLEN)
                               Default: 1.0 ! XMXLEN = 1!
Maximum travel distance of a puff/slug (in
grid units) during one sampling step
(XSAMLEN)
                               Default: 1.0 ! XSAMLEN = 1!
Maximum Number of slugs/puffs release from
one source during one time step
(MXNEW)
                               Default: 99 ! MXNEW = 99!
Maximum Number of sampling steps for
one puff/slug during one time step
(MXSAM)
                               Default: 99
                                            ! MXSAM = 99 !
Number of iterations used when computing
the transport wind for a sampling step
that includes gradual rise (for CALMET
and PROFILE winds)
                               Default: 2
                                            ! NCOUNT = 2 !
(NCOUNT)
Minimum sigma y for a new puff/slug (m)
                              Default: 1.0 ! SYMIN = 1!
(SYMIN)
Minimum sigma z for a new puff/slug (m)
                              Default: 1.0 ! SZMIN = 1!
(SZMIN)
Maximum sigma z (m) allowed to avoid
numerical problem in calculating virtual
time or distance. Cap should be large
enough to have no influence on normal events.
Enter a negative cap to disable.
(SZCAP_M)
                               Default: 5.0e06 ! SZCAP_M = 5000000 !
Default minimum turbulence velocities sigma-v and sigma-w
for each stability class over land and over water (m/s)
(SVMIN(12) and SWMIN(12))
          ----- LAND -----
                                      ----- WATER -----
 Stab Class: A B C D E F
                                      ABCDEF
Default SVMIN: .50, .50, .50, .50, .50, .50, .37, .37, .37, .37, .37
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Default SWMIN: .20, .12, .08, .06, .03, .016, .20, .12, .08, .06, .03, .016
   ! SVMIN = 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.37, 0.37, 0.37, 0.37, 0.37, 0.37
   ! SWMIN = 0.2, 0.12, 0.08, 0.06, 0.03, 0.016, 0.2, 0.12, 0.08, 0.06, 0.03, 0.016 !
Divergence criterion for dw/dz across puff
used to initiate adjustment for horizontal
convergence (1/s)
Partial adjustment starts at CDIV(1), and
full adjustment is reached at CDIV(2)
                               Default: 0.0,0.0 ! CDIV = 0, 0 !
(CDIV(2))
Search radius (number of cells) for nearest
land and water cells used in the subgrid
TIBL module
(NLUTIBL)
                               Default: 4
                                            ! NLUTIBL = 4 !
Minimum wind speed (m/s) allowed for
non-calm conditions. Also used as minimum
speed returned when using power-law
extrapolation toward surface
                                Default: 0.5 ! WSCALM = 0.5!
(WSCALM)
Maximum mixing height (m)
(XMAXZI)
                               Default: 3000. ! XMAXZI = 3000 !
Minimum mixing height (m)
(XMINZI)
                               Default: 50. ! XMINZI = 50!
Temperatures (K) used for defining upper bound of
categories for emissions scale-factors
11 upper bounds (K) are entered; the 12th class has no upper limit
(TKCAT(11))
       Default: 265., 270., 275., 280., 285., 290., 295., 300., 305., 310., 315. (315.+)
                <<
                      <<
                            << << << <Temperature Class: 1 2 3 4
7
              10 11 (12)
               ---- ---- ---- ---- ---- ----
        ! TKCAT = 265., 270., 275., 280., 285., 290., 295., 300., 305., 310., 315. !
Default wind speed profile power-law
exponents for stabilities 1-6
(PLX0(6))
                       Default : ISC RURAL values
                    ISC RURAL: .07, .07, .10, .15, .35, .55
                    ISC URBAN: .15, .15, .20, .25, .30, .30
                Stability Class: A B C D E F
                            --- --- --- ---
                      ! PLX0 = 0.07, 0.07, 0.1, 0.15, 0.35, 0.55 !
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Default potential temperature gradient

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for stable classes E, F (degK/m)
                        Default: 0.020, 0.035
(PTG0(2))
                       ! PTG0 = 0.02, 0.035 !
Default plume path coefficients for
each stability class (used when option
for partial plume height terrain adjustment
is selected -- MCTADJ=3)
                    Stability Class: A B C D E
(PPC(6))
                   Default PPC: .50, .50, .50, .50, .35, .35
                             --- --- --- ---
                       ! PPC = 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.35, 0.35 !
Slug-to-puff transition criterion factor
equal to sigma-y/length of slug
(SL2PF)
                           Default: 10.
                                           ! SL2PF = 10 !
Receptor-specific puff/slug properties (e.g., sigmas and height above
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Receptor-specific puff/slug properties (e.g., sigmas and height above ground at the time when the trajectory is nearest the receptor) may be extrapolated forward or backward in time along the current step using the current dispersion, for receptors that lie upwind of the puff/slug position at the start of a step, or downwind at the end of a step. Specify the upwind/downwind extrapolation zone in sigma-y units. Using FCLIP=1.0 clips the the upwind zone at one sigma-y at the start of the step and the downwind zone at one sigma-y at the end of the step. This is consistent with the sampling done in CALPUFF versions through v6.42 prior to the introduction of the FCLIP option.

The default is No Extrapolation, FCLIP=0.0.

(FCLIP) Default: 0.0 ! FCLIP = 0!

Puff-splitting control variables -----

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VERTICAL SPLIT
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Number of puffs that result every time a puff is split - nsplit=2 means that 1 puff splits into 2

(NSPLIT) Default: 3 ! NSPLIT = 3!

Time(s) of a day when split puffs are eligible to be split once again; this is typically set once per day, around sunset before nocturnal shear develops. 24 values: 0 is midnight (00:00) and 23 is 11 PM (23:00) 0=do not re-split 1=eligible for re-split (IRESPLIT(24)) Default: Hour 17 = 1

! IRESPLIT = 0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0,0,0,0 !

Split is allowed only if last hour's mixing height (m) exceeds a minimum value (ZISPLIT) Default: 100. ! ZISPLIT = 100!

Split is allowed only if ratio of last hour's mixing ht to the maximum mixing ht experienced by the puff is less than a maximum value (this postpones a split until a nocturnal layer develops)

(ROLDMAX) Default: 0.25 ! ROLDMAX = 0.25!

HORIZONTAL SPLIT

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Number of puffs that result every time a puff is split - nsplith=5 means that 1 puff splits

into 5

(NSPLITH) Default: 5 ! NSPLITH = 5!

Minimum sigma-y (Grid Cells Units) of puff

before it may be split

(SYSPLITH) Default: 1.0 ! SYSPLITH = 1!

Minimum puff elongation rate (SYSPLITH/hr) due to wind shear, before it may be split

(SHSPLITH) Default: 2. ! SHSPLITH = 2!

Minimum concentration (g/m^3) of each species in puff before it may be split Enter array of NSPEC values; if a single value is entered, it will be used for ALL species

(CNSPLITH) Default: 1.0E-07 ! CNSPLITH = 0!

Integration control variables -----

Fractional convergence criterion for numerical SLUG sampling integration

(EPSSLUG) Default: 1.0e-04 ! EPSSLUG = 0.0001 !

Fractional convergence criterion for numerical AREA

source integration

(EPSAREA) Default: 1.0e-06 ! EPSAREA = 1E-006 !

Trajectory step-length (m) used for numerical rise

integration

(DSRISE) Default: 1.0 ! DSRISE = 1.0!

Boundary Condition (BC) Puff control variables -----

Minimum height (m) to which BC puffs are mixed as they are emitted (MBCON=2 ONLY). Actual height is reset to the current mixing height at the release point if greater than this minimum.

(HTMINBC) Default: 500. ! HTMINBC = 500!

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Search radius (km) about a receptor for sampling nearest BC puff.
    BC puffs are typically emitted with a spacing of one grid cell
    length, so the search radius should be greater than DGRIDKM.
    (RSAMPBC)
                                Default: 10.
                                                ! RSAMPBC = 10 !
    Near-Surface depletion adjustment to concentration profile used when
    sampling BC puffs?
    (MDEPBC)
                                Default: 1
                                                ! MDEPBC = 1 !
      0 = Concentration is NOT adjusted for depletion
      1 = Adjust Concentration for depletion
!END!
INPUT GROUPS: 13a, 13b, 13c, 13d -- Point source parameters
_____
_____
Subgroup (13a)
_____
   Number of point sources with
   parameters provided below
                                (NPT1) No default ! NPT1 = 19!
   Units used for point source
                            (IPTU) Default: 1 ! IPTU = 1!
   emissions below
       1 =
               g/s
       2 =
              kg/hr
       3 =
              lb/hr
       4 =
             tons/yr
       5 =
             Odour Unit * m**3/s (vol. flux of odour compound)
       6 =
             Odour Unit * m**3/min
       7 =
             metric tons/yr
       8 =
             Bq/s (Bq = becquerel = disintegrations/s)
       9 =
             GBq/yr
   Number of source-species
   combinations with variable
   emissions scaling factors
                              (NSPT1) Default: 0 ! NSPT1 = 0 !
   provided below in (13d)
   Number of point sources with
   variable emission parameters
   provided in external file
                            (NPT2) No default ! NPT2 = 0 !
   (If NPT2 > 0, these point
   source emissions are read from
   the file: PTEMARB.DAT)
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!END!
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Subgroup (13b)
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    POINT SOURCE: CONSTANT DATA
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Source X Y Stack Base Stack Exit Exit Bldg. Emission
 No. Coordinate Coordinate Height Elevation Diameter Vel. Temp. Dwash Rates
 (km) (km) (m) (m) (m/s) (deg. K)
 1 ! SRCNAM = SRC 1 !
 1 \mid X = 314.118, 6756.082, \quad 3.6, 52.67, \quad 0.35, 63.8, 673.15, 1.0, \quad 1, \quad 0, \quad 0,
 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0,
                    0!
 1 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
1 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
 2 ! SRCNAM = SRC_2 !
 2! X = 314.130, 6756.082, 3.6, 52.47, 0.35, 63.8, 673.15, 1.0, 0, 1,
                                                             0,
 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
   0, 0, 0,
                 0,
                     0!
 2 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
 2 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
 3 ! SRCNAM = SRC_3 !
 3!X = 314.171,6756.082, 3.6,51.78, 0.35,63.8,673.15,1.0, 0, 1,
 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
          0,
      0,
                 0,
                    0!
 3!ZPLTFM = 0.0!
 3 \mid FMFAC = 1.0 \mid IEND!
 4 ! SRCNAM = SRC 4 !
 4!X = 314.183, 6756.082, 3.6, 51.58, 0.35, 63.8, 673.15, 1.0, 0, 0,
  1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
          0, 0,
   0, 0,
                    0!
 4 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
 4 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
 5 ! SRCNAM = SRC 5 !
 5 \mid X = 314.036, 6755.822, 9.8, 54.23, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0,
                                                         0,
  0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
          0,
   0, 0,
                 0,
                    0!
 5 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
 5 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
 6 ! SRCNAM = SRC 6 !
 6! X = 314.056, 6755.822, 9.8, 54.0, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0, 0
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0, 0, 1, 0, 0,
                       0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0!
6 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
6 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
7 ! SRCNAM = SRC_7 !
7 \mid X = 314.076, 6755.822, 9.8, 53.76, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0, 0,
0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
0, 0,
         0, 0,
                 0!
7 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
7 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
8 ! SRCNAM = SRC 8 !
8 \mid X = 314.135, 6755.822, 9.8, 52.99, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0, 0,
0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
         0,
0,
     0,
              0,
                  0!
8 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
8 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
9 ! SRCNAM = SRC 9 !
9!X = 314.155, 6755.822, 9.8, 52.7, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0, 0,
                                                          0,
0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0,
 0, 0,
         0, 0,
                  0!
9 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
9 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
10 ! SRCNAM = SRC 10 !
10! X = 314.175, 6755.822, 9.8, 52.39, 1.27, 31.4, 723.15, 0.0, 0,
                                                      0,
                                                           0,
0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0,
                  0!
10 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
10 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
11 ! SRCNAM = SRC 11 !
11 \mid X = 314.050, 6755.912, 25.0, 54.71, 0.25, 60.0, 328.15, 0.0, 0, 0
                                                           0,
0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0,
                  0!
11 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
11 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
12 ! SRCNAM = SRC_12 !
12! X = 314.147, 6755.912, 25.0, 53.38, 0.25, 60.0, 328.15, 0.0, 0,
                                                            0,
0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0,
                                                  0,
  0, 0,
         0, 0,
                  0!
12 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
12 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
13 ! SRCNAM = SRC 13 !
13! X = 314.188, 6755.735, 18.5, 49.64, 1.4, 16.3, 1123.15, 0.0, 0,
                                                        0,
                                                            0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0,
         0, 0, 0!
  0,
    0,
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13 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
13 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
14 ! SRCNAM = SRC 14 !
14 ! X = 314.188, 6755.715, 18.5, 49.6, 1.4, 16.3, 1123.15, 0.0,
                                                     0, 0,
                                                                 0,
         0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1,
                                                      0,
           0, 0,
  0, 0,
                    0!
14 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
14 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
15 ! SRCNAM = SRC_15 !
15! X = 314.176, 6755.911, 8.0, 52.92, 0.9, 30.0, 673.15, 0.0,
                                                      0,
                                                          0,
                                                                0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 0,
           0, 0,
                     0!
15 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
15 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
16 ! SRCNAM = SRC 16 !
16! X = 314.128, 6755.911, 8.0, 53.65, 0.9, 30.0, 673.15, 0.0,
                                                      0,
                                                          0,
                                                                0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  1, 0,
           0, 0,
                    0!
16 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
16 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
17 ! SRCNAM = SRC_17 !
17! X = 314.145, 6755.674, 18.33, 50.2, 0.058, 20.0, 1273.0, 0.0,
                                                     0,
                                                            0,
                                                                 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 1,
           0,
                0,
                     0!
17 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
17 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
18 ! SRCNAM = SRC 18 !
18! X = 314.145, 6755.674, 63.27, 50.2, 10.051, 20.0, 1273.0, 0.0,
                                                             0,
                                                                 0,
  0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
     0,
           1,
               0,
                     0!
18 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
18 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
19 ! SRCNAM = SRC 19 !
19! X = 314.145, 6755.674, 76.09, 50.2, 13.045, 20.0, 1273.0, 0.0,
                                                             0,
                                                                 0,
                    0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
  0, 0,
           0, 0,
               1,
  0,
      0,
           0,
                     0!
19 ! ZPLTFM = 0.0 !
19 ! FMFAC = 1.0 ! !END!
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a

Data for each source are treated as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator.

SRCNAM is a 12-character name for a source

(No default)

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Χ
         is an array holding the source data listed by the column headings
        (No default)
   SIGYZI is an array holding the initial sigma-y and sigma-z (m)
        (Default: 0.,0.)
   FMFAC is a vertical momentum flux factor (0. or 1.0) used to represent
        the effect of rain-caps or other physical configurations that
        reduce momentum rise associated with the actual exit velocity.
        (Default: 1.0 -- full momentum used)
   ZPLTFM is the platform height (m) for sources influenced by an isolated
        structure that has a significant open area between the surface
        and the bulk of the structure, such as an offshore oil platform.
        The Base Elevation is that of the surface (ground or ocean),
        and the Stack Height is the release height above the Base (not
        above the platform). Building heights entered in Subgroup 13c
        must be those of the buildings on the platform, measured from
        the platform deck. ZPLTFM is used only with MBDW=1 (ISC
        downwash method) for sources with building downwash.
        (Default: 0.0)
  b
   0. = No building downwash modeled
   1. = Downwash modeled for buildings resting on the surface
   2. = Downwash modeled for buildings raised above the surface (ZPLTFM > 0.)
   NOTE: must be entered as a REAL number (i.e., with decimal point)
   An emission rate must be entered for every pollutant modeled.
   Enter emission rate of zero for secondary pollutants that are
   modeled, but not emitted. Units are specified by IPTU
   (e.g. 1 for q/s).
Subgroup (13c)
       BUILDING DIMENSION DATA FOR SOURCES SUBJECT TO DOWNWASH
Source
No.
        Effective building height, width, length and X/Y offset (in meters)
       every 10 degrees. LENGTH, XBADJ, and YBADJ are only needed for
       MBDW=2 (PRIME downwash option)
  1 ! SRCNAM = SRC_1 !
  1! HEIGHT = 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
             3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
             3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
             3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
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3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
           3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50!
 1! WIDTH = 6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00,
           6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
           11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00!
 1!LENGTH = 12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86,
                                           9.46,
          10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00,
          12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
          10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00!
 1! XBADJ = -11.00, -10.84, -10.36, -9.55, -8.46, -7.12,
          -5.55, -3.82, -1.97, -2.14, -2.25, -2.30,
          -2.27, -2.17, -2.01, -1.78, -1.50, -1.18,
          -1.51, -1.80, -2.04, -2.21, -2.31, -2.35,
          -2.31, -2.20, -2.03, -3.88, -5.61, -7.17,
          -8.51, -9.59, -10.39, -10.86, -11.01, -10.82 !
 1!YBADJ = -0.87, -1.68, -2.44, -3.12, -3.71, -4.19,
          -4.54, -4.75, -4.82, -4.74, -4.52, -4.16,
          -3.67, -3.08, -2.38, -1.62, -0.81,
                                            0.03,
           0.87, 1.68, 2.44,
                              3.12, 3.71,
                                            4.19,
           4.54,
                 4.75,
                        4.82,
                               4.74, 4.52,
                                            4.16,
           3.67, 3.08,
                        2.38,
                               1.62,
                                      0.81, -0.03!
!END!
 2 ! SRCNAM = SRC_2 !
 2! HEIGHT = 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                              3.50, 3.50,
           3.50,
                  3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50!
 2! WIDTH = 6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00,
           6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00!
 2!LENGTH = 12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
           10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00,
          12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
          10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00!
 2! XBADJ = -10.96, -10.84, -10.38, -17.27, -17.66, -17.51,
          -16.83, -15.64, -13.97, -13.96, -2.45, -2.49,
          -2.45, -2.34, -2.16, -1.91, -1.60, -1.25,
          -1.55, -1.81, -2.01, 5.50, 6.88, -2.23,
          -2.17, -2.04, -1.85, -3.69, -5.42, -6.98,
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-8.33, -9.42, -10.23, -10.73, -10.91, -10.75!
 2!YBADJ = -0.68, -1.48, -2.25, 6.07, 4.00, 1.81,
          -0.44, -2.67, -4.82, -6.83, -4.51, -4.19,
          -3.74, -3.17, -2.50, -1.77, -0.97, -0.15,
           0.68, 1.48, 2.25, -6.07, -4.00,
                                           4.04,
           4.41,
                 4.65, 4.75, 4.70, 4.51,
                                            4.19,
                 3.17, 2.50, 1.77, 0.97,
                                            0.15!
           3.74,
!END!
 3 ! SRCNAM = SRC_3 !
 3! HEIGHT = 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
           3.50,
                 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50!
 3! WIDTH = 6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00,
           6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00!
 3!LENGTH = 12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
          10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00,
          12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
           7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
          10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00!
 3!XBADJ = -10.68, -10.59, -10.16, -9.43, -8.42, -7.14,
          -5.65, -3.99, -2.21, -2.44, -2.60, -2.68,
          -2.68, -2.60, -2.44, -2.20, -1.90, -1.54,
          -1.83, -2.06, -2.23, -2.33, -2.36, -2.32,
          -2.21, -2.03, -1.79, -3.58, -5.26, -6.78,
          -8.09, -9.16, -9.95, -10.44, -10.61, -10.46!
 3!YBADJ = -0.57, -1.33, -2.05, -2.71, -3.28, -3.76,
          -4.12, -4.36, -4.46, -4.43, -4.26, -3.97,
          -3.55, -3.03, -2.41, -1.72, -0.98, -0.21,
           0.57, 1.33, 2.05, 2.71, 3.28,
                                            3.76,
           4.12, 4.36,
                        4.46,
                              4.43, 4.26,
                                            3.97,
           3.55, 3.03,
                       2.41,
                              1.72, 0.98,
                                            0.21!
!END!
 4 ! SRCNAM = SRC_4 !
 4! HEIGHT = 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
                 3.50, 3.50,
                              3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50,
                              3.50, 3.50,
           3.50,
                 3.50,
                       3.50,
                                            3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                           3.50,
           3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50, 3.50,
                                            3.50!
 4! WIDTH = 6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
          12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
          11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00,
           6.02, 7.86, 9.46, 10.78, 11.76, 12.39,
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12.64, 12.51, 12.00, 12.51, 12.64, 12.39,
         11.76, 10.78, 9.46, 7.86, 6.02, 4.00!
4!LENGTH = 12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
         7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
         10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00,
         12.51, 12.64, 12.39, 11.76, 10.78, 9.46,
         7.86, 6.02, 4.00, 6.02, 7.86, 9.46,
         10.78, 11.76, 12.39, 12.64, 12.51, 12.00!
4! XBADJ = -10.68, -10.57, -10.14, -17.15, -17.61, -17.54,
        -16.93, -15.81, -14.21, -14.26, -2.57, -2.65,
         -2.65, -2.57, -2.42, -2.19, -1.89, -1.54,
         -1.83, -2.07, -2.25, 5.38, 6.83, -2.35,
         -2.25, -2.07, -1.83, -3.62, -5.30, -6.81,
         -8.13, -9.19, -9.97, -10.46, -10.62, -10.46!
4 ! YBADJ = -0.61, -1.37, -2.08, 6.49, 4.43, 2.24,
         -0.01, -2.27, -4.46, -6.51, -4.25, -3.95,
         -3.53, -3.00, -2.38, -1.69, -0.94, -0.17,
         0.61, 1.37, 2.08, -6.49, -4.43, 3.78,
         4.13, 4.36, 4.46, 4.42, 4.25,
                                           3.95,
         3.53, 3.00, 2.38, 1.69, 0.94, 0.17!
```

!END!

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Building height, width, length, and X/Y offset from the source are treated as a separate input subgroup for each source and therefore must end with an input group terminator. The X/Y offset is the position, relative to the stack, of the center of the upwind face of the projected building, with the x-axis pointing along the flow direction.

Subgroup (13d)

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POINT SOURCE: EMISSION-RATE SCALING FACTORS

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Use this subgroup to identify temporal variations in the emission rates given in 13b. Factors assigned multiply the rates in 13b. Skip sources here that have constant emissions. For more elaborate variation in source parameters, use PTEMARB.DAT and NPT2 > 0.

Sets of emission-rate scale factors are defined in Input Group 19, and are referenced by the FACTORNAME. Provide NSPT1 lines that identify the emission-rate scale factor table for each source-species combination that uses the scaling option. Note that a scale-factor table can be used with more than one source-species combination so a FACTORNAME can be repeated.

```
Source-
                 Source
                           Species Scale-factor table
 Species
                 Name b Name c
                                      Name
                                                d
 No.
               (SRCNAM)
                           (CSPEC)
                                      (FACTORNAME)
 -----
  а
  Assignment for each source-specie is treated as a separate input subgroup
  and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
   Source name must match one of the SRCNAM names defined in Input Group 13b
   Species name must match one of the CSPEC names of emitted species defined in Input Group
3
  d
   Scale-factor name must match one of the FACTORNAME names defined in Input Group 19
INPUT GROUPS: 14a, 14b, 14c, 14d -- Area source parameters
_____
_____
Subgroup (14a)
   Number of polygon area sources with
   parameters specified below (NAR1)
                                      No default ! NAR1 = 1 !
   Units used for area source
   emissions below
                        (IARU)
                                   Default: 1 ! IARU = 1!
              g/m**2/s
      1 =
      2 =
             kg/m**2/hr
      3 = \frac{lb}{m^{*}}2/hr
      4 = tons/m**2/yr
            Odour Unit * m/s (vol. flux/m**2 of odour compound)
            Odour Unit * m/min
      7 = metric tons/m**2/yr
            Bq/m**2/s (Bq = becquerel = disintegrations/s)
      9 =
            GBq/m**2/yr
   Number of source-species
   combinations with variable
   emissions scaling factors
   provided below in (14d)
                             (NSAR1) Default: 0 ! NSAR1 = 0 !
   Number of buoyant polygon area sources
```

with variable location and emission

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parameters (NAR2)
                              No default ! NAR2 = 0!
  (If NAR2 > 0, ALL parameter data for
  these sources are read from the file: BAEMARB.DAT)
!END!
_____
Subgroup (14b)
-----
     AREA SOURCE: CONSTANT DATA
     -----
          Effect. Base Initial Emission
Source
No.
          Height Elevation Sigma z Rates
          (m) (m)
                        (m)
 1 ! SRCNAM = SRC_20 !
                                                  0,
                                                        0,
 1 ! X = 0.0, 63.61,
                         0.0, 0, 0,
                                            0,
         0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0,
                                          0,
                                                           0,
   0,
         1!
!END!
  Data for each source are treated as a separate input subgroup
  and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
  An emission rate must be entered for every pollutant modeled.
  Enter emission rate of zero for secondary pollutants that are
  modeled, but not emitted. Units are specified by IARU
  (e.g. 1 for g/m**2/s).
-----
Subgroup (14c)
      COORDINATES (km) FOR EACH VERTEX(4) OF EACH POLYGON
Source
No.
       Ordered list of X followed by list of Y, grouped by source
       _____
 1 ! SRCNAM = SRC 20 !
 1! XVERT = 313.67383, 313.67383, 313.90583, 313.90583!
 1! YVERT = 6756.0607, 6756.1537, 6756.1537, 6756.0607!
!END!
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```

Data for each source are treated as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator.

------Subgroup (14d)

Subgroup (15a)

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AREA SOURCE: EMISSION-RATE SCALING FACTORS

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Use this subgroup to identify temporal variations in the emission rates given in 14b. Factors assigned multiply the rates in 14b. Skip sources here that have constant emissions. For more elaborate variation in source parameters, use BAEMARB.DAT and NAR2 > 0.

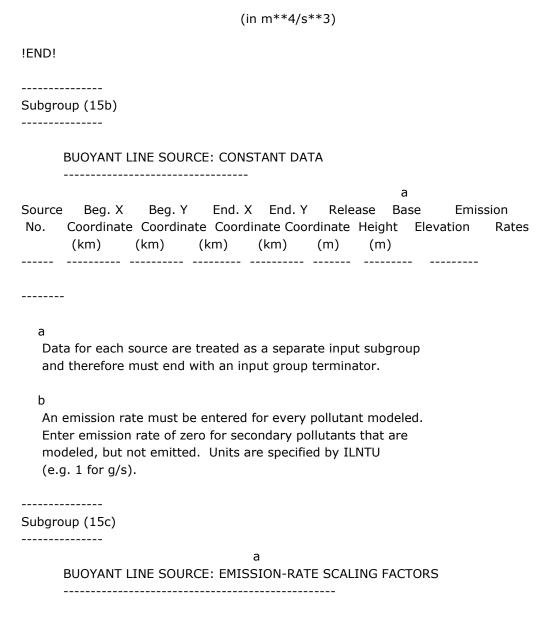
Sets of emission-rate scale factors are defined in Input Group 19, and are referenced by the FACTORNAME. Provide NSAR1 lines that identify the emission-rate scale factor table for each source-species combination that uses the scaling option. Note that a scale-factor table can be used with more than one source-species combination so a FACTORNAME can be repeated.

Source- Species No.		Name c	Scale-factor table Name d (FACTORNAME)
and therefore b Source name c Species nam d	e must end w e must match e must match	one of the s	a separate input subgroup t group terminator.  SRCNAM names defined in Input Group 14b c CSPEC names of emitted species defined in Input Group of the FACTORNAME names defined in Input Group 19
INPUT GROUPS:		c Line so	ource parameters

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Number of buoyant line sources
with variable location and emission
parameters (NLN2)
                                      No default ! NLN2 = 0 !
(If NLN2 > 0, ALL parameter data for
these sources are read from the file: LNEMARB.DAT)
Number of buoyant line sources (NLINES)
                                             No default ! NLINES = 0!
Units used for line source
emissions below
                         (ILNU)
                                       Default: 1 ! ILNU = 1!
    1 =
            g/s
    2 =
            kg/hr
    3 =
           lb/hr
    4 =
          tons/yr
    5 =
          Odour Unit * m**3/s (vol. flux of odour compound)
    6 =
          Odour Unit * m**3/min
    7 =
          metric tons/yr
    8 =
          Bq/s (Bq = becquerel = disintegrations/s)
    9 =
          GBq/yr
Number of source-species
combinations with variable
emissions scaling factors
provided below in (15c)
                           (NSLN1) Default: 0 ! NSLN1 = 0!
Maximum number of segments used to model
                                      Default: 7 ! MXNSEG = 7!
each line (MXNSEG)
The following variables are required only if NLINES > 0. They are
used in the buoyant line source plume rise calculations.
                                        Default: 6 ! NLRISE = 6!
  Number of distances at which
 transitional rise is computed
  Average building length (XL)
                                       No default *XL = *
                               (in meters)
  Average building height (HBL)
                                        No default * HBL = *
                               (in meters)
  Average building width (WBL)
                                        No default * WBL = *
                               (in meters)
  Average line source width (WML)
                                          No default * WML = *
                               (in meters)
  Average separation between buildings (DXL) No default * DXL = *
                               (in meters)
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Average buoyancy parameter (FPRIMEL)

No default \* FPRIMEL = \*



Use this subgroup to identify temporal variations in the emission rates given in 15b. Factors assigned multiply the rates in 15b. Skip sources here that have constant emissions. For more elaborate variation in source parameters, use LNEMARB.DAT and NLN2 > 0.

Sets of emission-rate scale factors are defined in Input Group 19, and are referenced by the FACTORNAME. Provide NSLN1 lines that identify the emission-rate scale factor table for each source-species combination that uses the scaling option. Note that a scale-factor table can be used with more than one source-species combination so a FACTORNAME can be repeated.

Source-	Source	Species	Scale-factor table	
Species	Name b	Name c	Name d	
No.	(SRCNAM)	(CSPEC)	(FACTORNAME)	

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   Data for each species are treated as a separate input subgroup
   and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
   Source name must match one of the SRCNAM names defined in Input Group 15b
   Species name must match one of the CSPEC names of emitted species defined in Input Group
3
   Scale-factor name must match one of the FACTORNAME names defined in Input Group 19
INPUT GROUPS: 16a, 16b, 16c -- Volume source parameters
_____
Subgroup (16a)
_____
   Number of volume sources with
   parameters provided in 16b,c (NVL1) No default ! NVL1 = 0!
   Units used for volume source
   emissions below in 16b
                            (IVLU) Default: 1 ! IVLU = 1!
      1 =
              g/s
      2 =
              kg/hr
      3 =
              lb/hr
      4 = tons/yr
       5 =
             Odour Unit * m**3/s (vol. flux of odour compound)
             Odour Unit * m**3/min
      6 =
       7 =
             metric tons/yr
       8 =
             Bq/s (Bq = becquerel = disintegrations/s)
       9 =
             GBq/yr
   Number of source-species
   combinations with variable
   emissions scaling factors
                            (NSVL1) Default: 0 ! NSVL1 = 0 !
   provided below in (16c)
   Number of volume sources with
   variable location and emission
                                   No default ! NVL2 = 0 !
   parameters
                         (NVL2)
   (If NVL2 > 0, ALL parameter data for
   these sources are read from the VOLEMARB.DAT file(s) )
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!END!								
	 up (16b)							
	VOLUME	SOURCE:	a CONSTAN	T DATA				
Source No.	X		Effect.	eight El	evation		Emission Sigma z	Rates
and b An e Ente mod	therefore emission r er emissio	source are must end rate must l on rate of z not emitte s).	with an i oe entere	nput gro	ery pollutar	inator. tant modents that a	eled.	
Subgro	 up (16c)							
\	VOLUME S	SOURCE: E	a MISSION	-RATE S	CALING	FACTORS	<b>;</b>	

Use this subgroup to identify temporal variations in the emission rates given in 16b. Factors assigned multiply the rates in 16b. Skip sources here that have constant emissions. For more elaborate variation in source parameters, use VOLEMARB.DAT and NVL2 > 0.

Sets of emission-rate scale factors are defined in Input Group 19, and are referenced by the FACTORNAME. Provide NSVL1 lines that identify the emission-rate scale factor table for each source-species combination that uses the scaling option. Note that a scale-factor table can be used with more than one source-species combination so a FACTORNAME can be repeated.

Source-	Source	Species	Scale-factor table	
Species	Name b	Name c	Name d	
No.	(SRCNAM)	(CSPEC)	(FACTORNAME)	

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   Data for each species are treated as a separate input subgroup
   and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
   Source name must match one of the SRCNAM names defined in Input Group 16b
   Species name must match one of the CSPEC names of emitted species defined in Input Group
3
  d
   Scale-factor name must match one of the FACTORNAME names defined in Input Group 19
INPUT GROUP: 17 -- FLARE source control parameters (variable emissions file)
-----
   Number of flare sources defined in FLEMARB.DAT file(s)
                             Default: 0 ! NFL2 = 0!
   (NFL2)
   (At least 1 FLEMARB.DAT file is needed if NFL2 > 0)
!END!
INPUT GROUPS: 18a, 18b, 18c -- Road Emissions parameters
_____
_____
Subgroup (18a)
```

Emissions from roads are generated from individual line segments defined by a sequence of coordinates provided for each road-link. Each link is entered as a discrete source and is defined as a section of the road for which emissions are uniform.

A long, winding isolated road might be characterized by a single link made up of many coordinate triples (x,y,z) that describe its pathway. These points should be sufficient to resolve curves, but need not have uniform spacing. For example, a straight flat segment can be defined by 2 points, regardless of the distance covered. Long line segments are automatically divided further within the model into segments that are limited by the grid-cell boundaries (no segment may extend across multiple cells). One emission rate (g/m/s) for each species is used for the entire road.

Near a congested intersection, many short links may be required to resolve the spatial and temporal distribution of emissions. Each is entered and modeled as a discrete source.

Number of road-links with emission parameters provided in Subgroup 18b (NRD1) No default ! NRD1 = 0!

Number of road-links with arbitrarily time-varying emission parameters (NRD2) No default ! NRD2 = 0 ! (If NRD2 > 0, ALL variable road data are read from the file: RDEMARB.DAT)

Emissions from one or more of the roads presented in Subgroup 18b may vary over time-based cycles or by meteorology. This variability is modeled by applying an emission-rate scale factor specified for particular road links and species in Subgroup 18c.

Number of road links and species combinations with variable emission-rate scale-factors (NSFRDS) Default: 0 ! NSFRDS = 0!

!END!

Subgroup (18b)

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## DATA FOR ROADS WITH CONSTANT OR SCALED EMISSION PARAMETERS

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b

Road Effect. Initial Initial Emission

No. Height Sigma z Sigma y Rates

(mAGL) (m) (m) (g/s/m)

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Data for each of the NRD1 roads are treated as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator.

h

NSPEC Emission rates must be entered (one for every pollutant modeled). Enter emission rate of zero for secondary pollutants.

c

Road-source names are entered without spaces, and may be 16 characters long.

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## Subgroup (18c)

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Source-

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## **EMISSION-RATE SCALING FACTORS**

Source

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Use this subgroup to identify temporal variations in the emission rates given in 18b. Factors assigned multiply the rates in 18b. Skip sources here that have constant emissions. For more elaborate variation in source parameters, use RDEMARB.DAT and NRD2 > 0.

Species

Ground

(m)

Coordinate Coordinate Elevation

(km)

Sets of emission-rate scale factors are defined in Input Group 19, and are referenced by the FACTORNAME. Provide NSFRDS lines that identify the emission-rate scale factor table for each source-species combination that uses the scaling option. Note that a scale-factor table can be used with more than one source-species combination so a FACTORNAME can be repeated.

Scale-factor table

Species	Name b	Name c	Name d
No.	(SRCNAM)	(CSPEC)	(FACTORNAME)
a			
_		=	treated as a separate input subgroup group terminator.
	ame must match	one of the S	SRCNAM names defined in Input Group 18b
C Source III	anie mast maten	one or the s	Sixchair hames defined in hiput Group 100
_	ame must match	one of the	CSPEC names of emitted species defined in Input Group
3			
d			
Scale-fac	tor name must m	atch one of	f the FACTORNAME names defined in Input Group 19
Subgroup (18	- 8d)		
	_		
	RDINATES FOR EA	ACH NAMED	) ROAD

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No.

Coordinate

(km)

Each line of coordinates is treated as a separate input subgroup and therefore must end with an input group terminator.

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INPUT GROUPS: 19a, 19b -- Emission rate scale-factor tables

Use this group to enter variation factors applied to emission rates for any source-specie combinations that use this feature. The tables of emission-rate scale factors are referenced by the name assigned to FACTORNAME. These names do not need to include specific source or species names used in the simulation, particularly if one factor table is used for many types of sources and species, but should be descriptive. But if a factor table applies to just one source, the reference name for it should generally contain that source-name. FACTORNAME must NOT include spaces.

The FACTORTYPE for each table must be one of the following:

CONSTANT1 1 scaling factor

MONTH12 12 scaling factors: months 1-12

DAY7 7 scaling factors: days 1-7

[SUNDAY, MONDAY, ... FRIDAY, SATURDAY]

HOUR24 24 scaling factors: hours 1-24 HOUR24 DAY7 168 scaling factors: hours 1-24,

repeated 7 times: SUNDAY, MONDAY, ... SATURDAY

HOUR24\_MONTH12 288 scaling factors: hours 1-24,

repeated 12 times: months 1-12

WSP6 6 scaling factors: wind speed classes 1-6

[speed classes (WSCAT) defined in Group 12]

WSP6\_PGCLASS6 36 scaling factors: wind speed classes 1-6

repeated 6 times: PG classes A,B,C,D,E,F [speed classes (WSCAT) defined in Group 12]

TEMPERATURE12 12 scaling factors: temperature classes 1-12 [temperature classes (TKCAT) defined in Group 12]

The number of tables defined may exceed the number of tables referenced in the input groups for each source type above (for convenience), but tables for all

FACTORNAME names referenced must be present here.

Subgroup (19a)

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Number of Emission Scale-Factor

tables (NSFTAB) Default: 0 ! NSFTAB = 0!

!END!

Group Name

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_____
Subgroup (19b)
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                                  a,b,c
  Enter factors for NSFTAB Emission Scale-Factor tables
_____
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  Assignments for each table are treated as a separate input subgroup
  and therefore must end with an input group terminator.
  FACTORNAME must be no longer than 40 characters
  Spaces are NOT allowed in any FACTORNAME or FACTORTYPE assignment,
  and the names are NOT case-sensitive
______
INPUT GROUPS: 20a, 20b, 20c -- Non-gridded (discrete) receptor information
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Subgroup (20a)
-----
  Number of non-gridded receptors (NREC) No default ! NREC = 0!
  Group names can be used to assign receptor locations in
  Subgroup 17c and thereby provide an identification that
  can be referenced when postprocessing receptors. The
  default assignment name X is used when NRGRP = 0.
  Number of receptor group names (NRGRP) Default: 0 ! NRGRP = 0!
!END!
Subgroup (20b)
_____
  Provide a name for each receptor group if NRGRP>0.
  Enter NRGRP lines.
            a,b
```

b

Receptor height above ground is optional. If no value is entered, the receptor is placed on the ground.

and therefore must end with an input group terminator.

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Receptors can be assigned using group names provided in 17b. If no group names are used (NRGRP=0) then the default assignment name X must be used.