

**Appendix A**

**La Paz Agreement Annex IV Text**



ANNEX IV TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES  
ON COOPERATION FOR THE PROTECTION AND IMPROVEMENT  
OF THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE BORDER AREA

AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
AND THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES  
REGARDING TRANSBOUNDARY AIR POLLUTION CAUSED  
BY COPPER SMELTERS ALONG THEIR COMMON BORDER

P R E A M B L E

The Government of the United States of America ("the United States"), and the Government of the United Mexican States ("Mexico"), ("the Parties"),

Recognizing public concern for health and environmental damage resulting from air pollution caused by copper smelters along their common border;

Taking note that such public concern led to consultations between the Parties in the framework of their Agreement on Cooperation for the Protection and Improvement of the Environment in the Border Area of 1983 ("the 1983 Agreement");

Taking note also with satisfaction that such consultations led to the taking by each of the Parties, in their respective territories, of measures which will yield an improvement of the air quality in the border area;

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Recognizing that the decision in the United States to close the Phelps Dodge copper smelter in Douglas, Arizona, by January 15, 1987, will constitute a significant contribution to the protection of the environment in the border area;

Recognizing also that the efforts already in progress in Mexico to establish a high efficiency plant for the processing of sulphur dioxide to sulphuric acid, in the Mexicana de Cobre La Coridad copper smelter in Nacozari, Sonora, by June 1, 1988, will constitute a significant contribution to the protection of the environment in the border area;

Considering the importance for the Parties to ensure the implementation of the above described measures, as well as the need to contemplate the adoption of other measures to further protect and improve air quality from activities by copper smelters in the border area;

Reaffirming Principle 21 of the 1972 Declaration of the United Nations Conference on the Human Environment, adopted at Stockholm, which provides that States have, in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations and the principles of international law, the sovereign right to exploit their own resources pursuant to their own environmental policies and the responsibility to ensure that activities within their jurisdiction or control do not cause damage to the environment of other States or of areas beyond the limits of national

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Desirous to cooperate effectively to protect public health and welfare from the effects of air pollution caused by copper smelters in the border area; and

Recalling that Article 3 of the 1983 Agreement provides that the Parties may conclude specific arrangements for the solution of common problems in the border area as annexes to that Agreement;

Have agreed as follows:

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## ARTICLE I

### Emissions Reduction Measures

1. The United States undertakes to ensure that in the event that the Phelps Dodge copper smelter in Douglas, Arizona, recommences smelting after January 15, 1987, or that any other copper smelter is established in its side of the border area in the future, such smelter will be subject upon commencement of smelting operations to the taking of effective measures necessary to ensure that sulphur dioxide emissions shall not exceed .065 percent by volume during any six-hour period.
2. In the United States other existing copper smelters in its side of the border area, whether currently operating or not, will continue to be subject to effective control measures necessary to protect the environment from sulphur dioxide emissions, as provided by applicable state and federal law.
3. Mexico undertakes to ensure that operations of the Mexicana de Cobre la Caridad copper smelter in Nacozeni, Sonora, after 1 June 1988, or the establishment of any other copper smelter in its side of the border area in the future, will upon commencement of operations be subject to the taking of effective measures necessary to ensure that sulphur dioxide emissions shall not exceed .065 percent by

volume during any six-hour period. Until that date, the Nacozari smelter will continue operating at a maximum average sulphur dioxide emissions limit that does not exceed any ambient concentration up to 0.13 parts per million during any twenty-four hour period.

4. Mexico undertakes to ensure that any future expansion of the smelting capacity of the Compañía Minera de Cananea copper smelter in Cananea, Sonora, will be subject, at the time of commencement of such expanded operations, to the taking of effective measures to ensure that sulphur dioxide emissions shall not exceed .065 percent by volume during any six-hour period.
5. For the purpose of determining compliance with the .065 emissions limitation established in this Annex,
  - a) Six-hour average sulphur dioxide concentrations shall be calculated and recorded daily for the four consecutive six-hour periods of each operating day, beginning at 12 a.m.
  - b) Each six-hour period shall be contiguous one-hour average sulphur dioxide concentrations.
  - c) One-hour average emissions concentrations shall be computed from four or more data points equally spaced over each six-hour period.

5. The Parties shall endeavor to take, subject to the availability of resources, any other appropriate interim emissions reduction measures intended to protect public health and welfare from air pollution caused by copper smelters in the border area.

## ARTICLE II

### Emissions Monitoring, Recordkeeping and Reporting Systems

1. Any copper smelter that, in accordance with this Annex, will be required to comply with the emissions limitation of .065 percent by volume during any six-hour period, shall install, operate and maintain continuous emissions monitoring, recordkeeping and reporting systems, on the following bases:
  - a) For the purpose of monitoring emissions of sulphur dioxide, the monitoring system shall be installed, calibrated and maintained by the owner or operator of any copper smelter to which this Article applies, with zero and span checks to be performed daily and a quality assurance program.



- b) For the purpose of recordkeeping, all records of emissions shall be kept for two years following the dates of such emissions, and:
- i) Other information to be kept on file may include continuous monitoring system, monitoring device and performance testing measurements, all continuous monitoring system or monitoring device calibration checks, adjustments or maintenance performed on these systems or devices, and all other information that the competent national authority may require be kept.
  - ii) The smelter owner or operator shall be required to keep a monthly record of the total smelter charge.
  - iii) The copper smelter owner or operator shall be required to submit to the competent national authority, on a quarterly basis, written reports of sulphur dioxide emissions that exceed .065 percent by volume during any six-hour period, as well as the following information:

- The magnitude of any emissions which exceed .065 percent by volume during any six-hour period, and the date and time of commencement and completion of each time period of these emissions.

- Specific identification of each six-hour period in which emissions exceed .065 percent by volume during startup, shutdown or malfunctions of the smelter, the nature and cause of any malfunction, if known, and the corrective actions taken.

- The date, time, and duration of each period during which the continuous monitoring system was inoperative, except for zero and span checks, and the nature of the system repairs or adjustments.

2. The emissions monitoring, recordkeeping and reporting systems referred to in paragraph 1 of this Article, are aimed at availing each Party with adequate information to enable it to undertake whatever practicable measures are regarded as appropriate, or to enable the Parties to cooperate to that end, and in no way shall such resulting information be interpreted so as to alter the commitments of the Parties specified in Article I of this Annex or in any of its other provisions.

3. The Parties shall consult in order to find effective means of cooperation, to ensure the most immediate means for the prompt and full implementation of the provisions in this Article.

### ARTICLE III

#### Atmospheric Monitoring Facilities

The Parties shall continue to consult concerning their existing atmospheric monitoring facilities located in the border area, and will continue to cooperate to enhance effective monitoring.

### ARTICLE IV

#### Working Group of Technical Experts

1. The Parties confirm the binational body established by the First Annual Meeting of National Coordinators, in the spirit of Article 11 of the 1983 Agreement, of technical experts known as the U.S.-Mexico Air Quality Working Group ("Working Group"). The Working Group shall be co-chaired by officials who shall be appointed by and report to the United States and Mexican Coordinators ("National Coordinators") as provided for under Article B of the 1983

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Agreement. The Working Group shall meet on a regular basis and shall include participation, as appropriate or necessary, of state and local officials from both countries.

2. The Working Group shall meet at least once every six months to review progress in abating smelter pollution in the border area, as contemplated by this Annex and, if necessary, to make findings on additional corrective measures for recommendation to the National Coordinators. The Working Group shall submit all its recommendations and its evaluation of the Parties' compliance with the terms of this Annex in a bi-annual report to the National Coordinators. The National Coordinators shall, by mutual agreement, implement such recommendations as they deem appropriate.
3. The National Coordinators shall forward all Working Group reports to the respective Foreign Ministries in each country, namely, the Department of State, in the case of the United States, and the Secretariat of External Relations, in the case of Mexico, and shall recommend, taking into account Working Group reports, such additional action as may be needed to further the purposes of this Annex.

4. The Parties shall, consistent with their respective domestic legislation and regulations, exchange information and data on copper smelters in their respective border states, and also ensure that the Working Group is provided with complete information, including atmospheric and emissions monitoring data in the border area and other information either existing or which may become available as a result of this Annex.

#### ARTICLE V

##### Legislative Authority

The Parties will promote legislative authority, as may be necessary, to provide for the abatement of transboundary air pollution caused by copper smelters. The Parties shall continue to consult with respect to these matters.

#### ARTICLE VI

##### Effect on Other Instruments

1. Nothing in this Annex shall be construed to prejudice other existing or future agreements concluded between the Parties, or affect the rights or obligations of the Parties under international agreements to which they are Party.

2. The provisions of this Annex shall, in particular, not be deemed to prejudice or otherwise affect the functions entrusted to the International Boundary and Water Commission, in accordance with the 1944 Treaty on the Utilization of Waters of the Colorado and Tijuana Rivers and of the Rio Grande.

#### ARTICLE VII

##### Appendices

Any appendices to this Annex may be added through an exchange of diplomatic notes and shall form an integral part of this Annex.

#### ARTICLE VIII

##### Amendment

This Annex, and any appendices added hereto, may be amended by mutual agreement of the Parties through an exchange of diplomatic notes.

ARTICLE IX

Review

The Parties shall meet at least every two years from the date of entry into force of this Annex, at a time and place to be mutually agreed upon, in order to review the effectiveness of its implementation and to agree on whatever individual and joint measures are necessary to improve such effectiveness.

ARTICLE X

Entry into Force

This Annex shall enter into force upon an exchange of diplomatic notes between the Parties stating that each Party has completed its necessary internal procedures.

ARTICLE XI

Termination

This Annex shall remain in force indefinitely, unless one of the Parties notifies the other in writing through diplomatic channels of its desire to terminate it, in which case the Annex shall terminate six months after the date of such written notification. Unless otherwise agreed, such termination shall not affect the validity of any agreements made under this Annex.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Annex.

DONE at Washington, in duplicate, this twenty-ninth day of January, 1987, in the English and Spanish languages, both texts being equally authentic.

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE  
UNITED MEXICAN STATES:

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## **Appendix B**

# **Copper Smelter Emissions/Monitoring Procedures: Summaries**

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**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
-Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures-**

**A. ASARCO El Paso Copper Smelter**

**1. Points of Contact:**

ASARCO El Paso: Tom Martin/Envr. Manager (915) 541-1819  
 TNRCC El Paso: Joe Saenz/Ambient Monitoring (915) 783-6642

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type                                     |         |   |   |   |
|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|   | Concentrate Dryer(s)                            | Roaster | Smelting Furnaces(s)  | Primary Converter Gases                                     | Captured Fugitives                              |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>                                   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   | 10 ppm (hourly ave.)                            | NA      | 960 ppm 1-hr, 500 ppm 6-hr                                  | 960 ppm 1-hr, 500 ppm 6-hr                                  | 255 ppm (hourly ave.)                           |
| State Rules   | --  | NA      | 650 ppm 3-hr  | 650 ppm 3-hr  |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | --  | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr  | 650 ppm 6-hr  |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>                                  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   | 0.01 gr/dscf                                    | NA      | acid mist at acid plant outlet:<br>0.2 mg/acf or 3.7 lb/hr  | acid mist at acid plant outlet:<br>0.2 mg/acf or 3.7 lb/hr  | 0.02 gr/dscf                                    |
| State Rules   | --  | NA      |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                            | NA      |   |   |   |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   | 10%   | NA      | 15%   | 15%   | 15%   |
| State Rules   | 20%   | NA      | 15%   | 15%   | 20%   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 20%   | NA      | 20%   | 20%   |   |
| Control Systems   | baghouse  | NA      | acid plant  | acid plant  | baghouse  |
| Stack CEMs  | opacity   | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub>   | SO <sub>2</sub>   | opacity   |
| Applicable stack CEM calibration, audit, reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted | NA      | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted |

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**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**A. ASARCO El Paso Copper Smelter (continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Number and type of ASARCO ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:   | 5 SO <sub>2</sub> monitors, 4 of ASARCO design (wet chemistry). These monitors collect 30-minute grab samples on a continuous basis. Other monitor is electronic, installed below smelter as a result of TNRCC order to determine compliance with TNRCC 1-hour SO <sub>2</sub> standard. Compliance with 1-hour limit was demonstrated over 6 month period, and as a result monitoring is no longer required at this station. |
| QA procedures:  | None required by regulation, though electronic SO <sub>2</sub> monitor was calibrated/audited following the requirements in 40 CFR 52.  |
| Any ASARCO monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                      | Yes. One ASARCO monitor is collocated next to a TNRCC SO <sub>2</sub> monitor located on the University of Texas El Paso campus (Hawthorne site).   |
| The state SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near the point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | Yes. TNRCC TECO 43 ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at the UT El Paso campus. Monitor is 1982 vintage, though it continues to pass all audit requirements. Monitor collects 5-minute raw averages to calculate recorded 1-hour average.   |
| Number of SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances?  | One recent exceedance in November 1996 due to an acid plant upset. This is only exceedance recorded in several years.   |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at TNRCC SO <sub>2</sub> monitor (Joe Saenz):            | Extremely rare. Once per year or less since ASARCO completed CONTOP smelter upgrade around 1994. Collocated ASARCO monitor typically reads ~ 20 percent higher than TNRCC monitor.  |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

97 percent is typical sulfur removal estimated by ASARCO El Paso.

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

ASARCO El Paso replaced roasters and a reverberatory furnace with a fluidized bed dryer and CONTOP cyclone reactors in 1993. This modification resulted in significant reductions in smelter SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate emissions. The fluidized bed dryer is equipped with a cyclone and baghouse. CONTOP reactor secondary hood airflow is routed to a baghouse and then to the tall stack. The overall installed cost of the CONTOP modification was approximately \$100,000,000. The total installed cost of the air pollution control systems included with the CONTOP modification project summed to approximately \$25,000,000.

**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**B. Phelps-Dodge Hidalgo Copper Smelter, Playas, NM**

**1. Points of Contact:**

Phelps-Dodge Hidalgo: Jerry Roose/Envr. Manager (505) 436-2211  
 NMED/Air Quality: Eric Aaboc/Ambient Monitoring (505) 827-0040

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type   |         |   |   |   |
|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|   | Concentrate<br>Dryer(s)   | Roaster | Smelting<br>Furnaces(s)                 | Primary<br>Converter<br>Gases           | Captured<br>Fugitives                     |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | > 90 percent overall sulfur capture required (current),<br>≥ 93.5 percent overall sulfur capture required (future) <sup>a</sup> |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | NA  | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr <sup>a</sup>               | 650 ppm 6-hr <sup>a</sup>               |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | 0.03 gr/dscf  |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | NA  | NA      | NA                                      |   | NA  |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Rules   |   |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | NA  | NA      | 20% <sup>a</sup>                        | 20% <sup>a</sup>                        | --  |
| Control Systems   | ESP,<br>tall stack  | NA      | acid plant                              | acid plant                              | baghouse,<br>tall stack                   |
| Stack CEMs  | SO <sub>2</sub> ,<br>opacity <sup>b</sup>   | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub>                         | SO <sub>2</sub>                         | SO <sub>2</sub> ,<br>opacity <sup>b</sup> |
| Applicable stack CEM<br>calibration, audit,<br>reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60,<br>Appendix B,<br>Appendix F   | NA      | 40 CFR 60,<br>Appendix B,<br>Appendix F | 40 CFR 60,<br>Appendix B,<br>Appendix F | 40 CFR 60,<br>Appendix B,<br>Appendix F   |

Notes:

- a) Hidalgo is planning to add a fourth converter. When approved, the acid plant stacks will be subject to NSPS Subpart P SO<sub>2</sub> and opacity limits. The smelter will also be subject to a ≥ 93.5% sulfur capture limit.
- b) Both dryer exhaust gases and captured fugitives are ducted to the same tall stack equipped with opacity and SO<sub>2</sub> CEMs.

**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**B. Phelps-Dodge Hidalgo Copper Smelter, Playas, NM  
(continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

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| Number and type of Hidalgo Smelter ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:  | Two TECO 43 SO <sub>2</sub> monitors presently in operation, one located on smelter property and the other located at Gold Hill (approximately 4 miles from smelter). A dozen ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors were operated by the smelter until 1996 as part of a GEP stack height study designed and conducted by PD Hidalgo. |
| QA procedures:  | Automatic daily zero and span calibration is performed. Periodic multi-point calibrations and audits are conducted by in-house personnel.  |
| Any Hidalgo monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                     | The Gold Hill site is located at the modeled point of maximum SO <sub>2</sub> concentration.   |
| The state SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near the point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | Yes. The state monitor is collocated with the PD Hidalgo monitor at Gold Hill.   |
| Number of SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances?  | One ambient exceedance in recent years due to an acid plant upset. State monitor at Gold Hill reached maximum span value of 0.5 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> on one occasion in 1996, unknown how high actual concentration was as it was outside span range of instrument.   |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at NM SO <sub>2</sub> monitor (Eric Aaboe):              | Unknown, due to SO <sub>2</sub> monitor span value of 0.5 ppm.   |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

Required by NM regulation. 94 percent is typical sulfur removal achieved by Hidalgo Smelter.

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

Converter secondary hooding, and matte and slag tapping hooding, are controlled by separate baghouses installed in 1994. Telescoping converter secondary hoods were also added during the baghouse installation project. The installed cost of these two baghouses and associated converter hoods was approximately \$14,000,000. No other major air pollution control capital investments have been made at the Hidalgo Smelter since 1988.

**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**C. Phelps-Dodge Hurley Copper Smelter, Hurley, NM**

**1. Points of Contact:**

Phelps-Dodge Hurley: Eddie Humphrey/Envr. Manager (505) 537-4305  
 NMED/Air Quality: Eric Aaboe/Ambient Monitoring (505) 827-0040

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type                                  |         |                                   |                                   |   |
|---|--|---------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
|   | Concentrate Dryer(s)                         | Roaster | Smelting Furnaces(s)              | Primary Converter Gases           | Captured Fugitives                      |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>                                   |  |         |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   | --   | NA      |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Rules   | ≥ 90 percent overall sulfur capture required |         |                                   |                                   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | --   | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr                      | 650 ppm 6-hr                      |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>                                  |  |         |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |  | NA      |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Rules   | ≤ 0.03 gr/dscf                               |         |                                   |                                   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                         | NA      |                                   |                                   |   |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |  |         |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |  | NA      |                                   |                                   |   |
| State Rules   |  | NA      |                                   |                                   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 20%  | NA      | 20%                               | 20%                               |   |
| Control Systems   | baghouse                                     | NA      | acid plant                        | acid plant                        | baghouse, tall stack                    |
| Stack CEMs  | opacity                                      | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub> opacity           | SO <sub>2</sub> opacity           | SO <sub>2</sub> (2), high and low range |
| Applicable stack CEM calibration, audit, reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B                        | NA      | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B                   |

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**Table 1. Copper Smelters Within 100 Km. of Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**C. Phelps-Dodge Hurley Copper Smelter, Hurley, NM  
(continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

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| Number and type of Hurley Smelter ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:  | Nine Hurley ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors presently in operation. One monitor is TECO 43 design, the other eight monitors are ASARCO-type wet chemistry monitors that have been in operation since the 1970s. The TECO 43 is located at the Hilltop site. The Hilltop site was installed as the "high terrain" site in air dispersion model development program that ended in the mid-1990s.  |
| QA procedures:   | All ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors subject to U.S. EPA ambient monitor 40 CFR 52 audit/calibration procedures. Smelter personnel perform daily zero/span calibration checks. Monitors are manually recalibrated if the calibration check reveals the monitor is outside acceptable drift limits. Smelter personnel also perform quarterly multi-point calibration checks on the monitors. Quarterly audits are also done by an independent testing contractor. All Hurley SO <sub>2</sub> monitors are part of the EPA SLAMS ambient monitoring network and as a result are subject to EPA calibration/audit procedures. |
| Any Hurley monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                 | The state agency and Hurley are currently doing attainment modeling. As a result, one monitor will be relocated to the point of maximum impact. Historically Hurley, NM has been an SO <sub>2</sub> non-attainment area, though the area has gone 7 years without an SO <sub>2</sub> exceedance.   |
| The NMED SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | The closest NMED monitor has historically been located at the Bayard site, approximately 4 miles from the smelter. The monitoring station is currently being moved to the smelter fence line, as a result of the attainment modeling project.  |
| Number of SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances measured at NMED Bayard site?  | One or less 3-hour exceedances in each of the last 7 years. The 3-hour exceedance level is defined as 0.5 ppm (1,300 µg/m <sup>3</sup> )   |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at NMED SO <sub>2</sub> monitor (Eric Aaboe):       | The state monitor is in the process of being moved from the Bayard site to the modeled point of maximum SO <sub>2</sub> concentration near the smelter fence line. The Bayard site historical data is in the process of being analyzed to determine the number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> .   |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

Required by NM regulation. 95 percent is typical sulfur removal achieved by Hurley Smelter.

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

Converter secondary hooding exhaust gas is controlled by baghouses installed in 1996. The installed cost of these two baghouses was approximately \$10,000,000. No other major air pollution control capital investments have been made at the Hurley Smelter since 1988.



**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
 –Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**A. ASARCO Hayden Copper Smelter**

**1. Points of Contact:**

ASARCO Hayden: Ed Riege/Environmental Engineer (520) 356-3817  
 ADEQ Phoenix: Jim Guyton/Ambient Monitoring (602) 207-2364

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type   |         |   |   |   |
|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|   | Concentrate<br>Dryer(s)   | Roaster | Smelting<br>Furnaces(s)                                     | Primary<br>Converter<br>Gases                               | Captured<br>Fugitives                           |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>                                   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | ASARCO Hayden must maintain an average annual SO <sub>2</sub> emission rate of slightly less than 4.8 tons/hour to ensure that SO <sub>2</sub> exceedance criteria established by ADEQ are not triggered. |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | --  | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr  | 650 ppm 6-hr  |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>                                  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | --  | NA      |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | NA      |   |   |   |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 20%   | NA      | 20%   | 20%   |   |
| Control Systems   | baghouse,<br>ESP, tall<br>stack   | NA      | acid plant  | acid plant  | baghouse<br>or ESP,<br>tall stack               |
| Stack CEMs  | opacity   | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub> ,<br>opacity                                | SO <sub>2</sub> ,<br>opacity                                | opacity   |
| Applicable stack CEM calibration, audit, reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted   | NA      | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted |

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**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
-Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures-**

**A. ASARCO Hayden Copper Smelter (continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Number and type of ASARCO Hayden ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:  | 5 SO <sub>2</sub> monitors, all five are TECO 43 UV fluorescent analyzers. These monitors collect 1-minute raw averages of continuous data. Thirty minute average SO <sub>2</sub> values are calculated from the 1-minute raw averages. The data acquisition system checks for 45 minutes of good data in each 1-hour period as specified in EPA regulations. |
| QA procedures:  | SO <sub>2</sub> monitors are calibrated/audited following the requirements in 40 CFR 50 and 58.   |
| Any ASARCO monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                      | Yes. One ASARCO Hayden monitor is collocated next to an ADEQ SO <sub>2</sub> monitor located at the Hayden Jail, approximately 0.5 miles from the smelter.  |
| The state SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near the point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | Yes. ADEQ TECO 43 ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at the Hayden Jail. Monitor is 1982 vintage, though it continues to pass all audit requirements. Monitor collects 5-minute raw averages to calculate recorded 1-hour average.  |
| Number of SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances in last 7 years?  | One.  |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at ADEQ SO <sub>2</sub> monitor:                         | Unknown.  |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

Required by ADEQ regulation. 94 percent is typical sulfur removal achieved by ASARCO Hayden.

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

Secondary hood particulate emissions are routed to a baghouse that has been online since late 1996, then to the existing tall stack. The capital cost of the baghouse (installed) was approximately \$4,200,000. ESCV and slag-tapping hood particulate emissions are controlled by an electrostatic precipitator (ESP) that was originally installed in the 1930s. This ESP was rebuilt in 1993 at a cost of approximately \$1,000,000. These are the two major air pollution control capital investments at ASARCO Hayden since 1988.

**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
–Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures–**

**B. BHP San Manuel Copper Smelter**

**1. Points of Contact:**

BHP San Manuel: Jerry May/Environmental Engineer (520) 385-3395  
 ADEQ Phoenix: Jim Guyton/Ambient Monitoring (602) 207-2364

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type   |         |   |   |   |
|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|   | Concentrate Dryer(s)  | Roaster | Smelting Furnaces(s)  | Primary Converter Gases                                     | Captured Fugitives                              |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>                                   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | BHP San Manuel must maintain an average annual SO <sub>2</sub> emission rate of approximately 9 tons/hour to ensure that SO <sub>2</sub> exceedance criteria established by ADEQ are not triggered. |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | --  | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr  | 650 ppm 6-hr  |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>                                  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | --  | NA      |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>  | NA      |   |   |   |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | 20%   | NA      | 20%   | 20%   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | 20%   | NA      | 20%   | 20%   |   |
| Control Systems   | ESP, tall stack   | NA      | acid plant  | acid plant  | ESP, tall stack                                 |
| Stack CEMs  | SO <sub>2</sub> , opacity   | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub>   | SO <sub>2</sub>   | SO <sub>2</sub> (converter bldg.)               |
| Applicable stack CEM calibration, audit, reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted   | NA      | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Appendix F, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix D, Quarterly EERs submitted |

EER: Excess Emission Report

**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
-Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures-**

**B. BHP San Manuel Copper Smelter (continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Number and type of BHP ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:  | Three SO <sub>2</sub> monitors, all three are TECO 43 UV fluorescent analyzers. These monitors collect 5-minute raw averages of continuous data. One hour average SO <sub>2</sub> values are calculated from the 5-minute raw averages.   |
| QA procedures:  | SO <sub>2</sub> monitors are calibrated/audited following the requirements in 40 CFR 52. Both a BHP audit team and the ADEQ perform quarterly multi-point calibration audits of the monitors.   |
| Any BHP monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                         | Yes. ADEQ differentiates between Maximum Ground Level Impact (MGLI) from tall stack emissions and MGLI from fugitive emissions. All three BHP monitors are "high level" monitors, 0-2.0 ppm, scaled to accurately quantify high SO <sub>2</sub> excursions. One of these monitors is located near an ADEQ SO <sub>2</sub> monitor located at the LDS church approximately 1 mile from the smelter property line. The LDS church site monitors MGLI from the BHP tall stack. There are two fugitive MGLI monitoring sites operated by BHP, the Hospital site and the Dormitory site. These fugitive MGLI monitoring sites are a few hundred yards from each other and are essentially located at the BHP fence line. |
| The state SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near the point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | Yes. ADEQ API 100A ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at the LDS church. Monitor was installed in 1997 and replaced TECO 43. Monitor collects 5-minute raw averages to calculate recorded 1-hour average.   |
| Number of NAAQS SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances in last 7 years?  | Zero.   |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at BHP monitors:   | 1995: 31<br>1996: 25<br>1997: 19 (through June 30, 1997)  |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

Required by ADEQ regulation, 98 percent is typical sulfur removal achieved by BHP San Manuel.

**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
-Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures-**

**B. BHP San Manuel Copper Smelter (continued)**

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

The gas cooling tower serving the four BHP converter offgases was overhauled in 1994. This overhaul resulted in a concomitant reduction in SO<sub>2</sub> emissions from the converter building. The cost of the gas cooling tower overhaul was \$2,000,000. A third sulfuric acid plant was also started up in 1994. This change debottlenecked the airflow limitation through the converter primary hoods and resulted in a 60+ percent reduction in converter building secondary SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate emissions. The capital cost of the third acid plant was approximately \$61,000,000, and included a rebuild/upgrade of the second acid train. These are the two major air pollution control capital investments at BHP San Manuel since 1988.



**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
-Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures-**

**C. Cyprus Miami Copper Smelter**

**1. Points of Contact:**

Cyprus Miami: Wayne Leipold/Senior Environmental Engineer (520) 473-7149  
 ADEQ Phoenix: Jim Guyton/Ambient Monitoring (602) 207-2364

**2. Emission Limits, Controls, Stack CEMs:**

|   | Source Type   |         |   |   |   |
|---|---|---------|---|---|---|
|   | Concentrate<br>Dryer(s)   | Roaster | Smelting<br>Furnaces(s)                         | Primary<br>Converter<br>Gases                   | Captured<br>Fugitives                           |
| <b>SO<sub>2</sub> Limits:</b>                                   |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | Cyprus Miami must maintain an average annual SO <sub>2</sub> emission rate of approximately 1.2 tons/hour to ensure that SO <sub>2</sub> exceedance criteria established by ADEQ are not triggered. |         |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | --  | NA      | 650 ppm 6-hr                                    | NA  |   |
| <b>PM<sub>10</sub> Limits:</b>                                  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | weight-based<br>throughput<br>limit   | NA      |   |   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | NA  | NA      |   | NA  |   |
| <b>Opacity Limits:</b>  |   |         |   |   |   |
| State Permit to Operate   |   | NA      |   |   |   |
| State Rules   | 20%   | NA      | 20%   | 20%   |   |
| Federal (NSPS)  | NA  | NA      | 20%   | NA  |   |
| Control Systems   | baghouse  | NA      | acid plant                                      | acid plant                                      | scrubber,<br>tall stack                         |
| Stack CEMs  | none  | NA      | SO <sub>2</sub>                                 | SO <sub>2</sub>                                 | SO <sub>2</sub>                                 |
| Applicable stack CEM calibration, audit, reporting requirements | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted   | NA      | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted | 40 CFR 60, Appendix B, Quarterly EERs submitted |

EER: Excess Emission Report

**Table 2. Cu Smelter in Border State > 100 Km. from Border  
 --Emission Limits/Monitoring Procedures--**

**C. Cyprus Miami Copper Smelter (continued)**

**3. Ambient SO<sub>2</sub> Monitoring:**

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Number and type of Cyprus Miami ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitors:   | 2 SO <sub>2</sub> monitors, both are TECO 43A UV fluorescent analyzers. These monitors collect 1-minute raw averages of continuous data. 15-minute averages are generated and stored from the the 1-minute values. Reported one-hour average SO <sub>2</sub> values are calculated from the 15-minute averages.  |
| QA procedures:  | SO <sub>2</sub> monitors are calibrated/audited following the requirements in 40 CFR 52.   |
| Any Cyprus Miami monitors located at/near point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration?                | Yes. One monitor is located at the modeled maximum SO <sub>2</sub> impact at the Jones Ranch site on a ridge about 1.9 miles from the smelter. The other monitor is in the town of Miami at the Catholic church approximately 1.7 miles from the smelter. The scale used on each monitor is 0-2 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> .  |
| The state SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at/near the point of maximum ground level SO <sub>2</sub> concentration? | Yes. ADEQ TECO 43 ambient SO <sub>2</sub> monitor is located at the Ridgeline site, approximately 1 mile from the smelter fence line. This site is the modeled maximum PM <sub>10</sub> impact area. The ADEQ monitor had been collocated with the Cyprus Miami monitor at the Jones Ranch site until the landowner increased the site rental fee charged to ADEQ. ADEQ chose to move the state monitor to the Ridgeline site instead of paying the increased rent at the Jones Ranch site. The ADEQ monitor is 1982 vintage, though it continues to pass all audit requirements. Monitor collects 5-minute raw averages to calculate recorded 1-hour average. |
| Number of SO <sub>2</sub> exceedances in last 7 years?  | Zero.  |
| Number of 5-minute peaks at or above 0.6 ppm SO <sub>2</sub> at ADEQ SO <sub>2</sub> monitor:                         | Unknown.   |

**4. Monthly Sulfur Balance:**

Required by ADEQ regulation. 98 percent is typical sulfur removal achieved by Cyprus Miami.

**5. Capital Investment in Air Pollution Control Systems Since 1988:**

A packed bed caustic scrubber was installed in 1991 to limit collected fugitive SO<sub>2</sub> emissions to avoid going through NSR. An Isa smelting vessel was brought online in 1992. At that time the acid plant was upgraded with two new wet ESPs and "star" coolers. In the last two years, additional acid plant work has included SO<sub>2</sub> cooler addition and heat exchanger upgrades. This year the acid plant catalytic converter and the final absorption tower were renovated with new equipment. In 1998 the intermediate absorption tower will be replaced and upgraded. These investments in process/air pollution control equipment sum to more than \$10,000,000. The Isa smelting vessel was installed in part to meet NSPS equivalent SO<sub>2</sub> limits. If the installed cost of the Isa furnace is added to the other process/air pollution control equipment investments since 1988, total investment exceeds \$100,000,000.

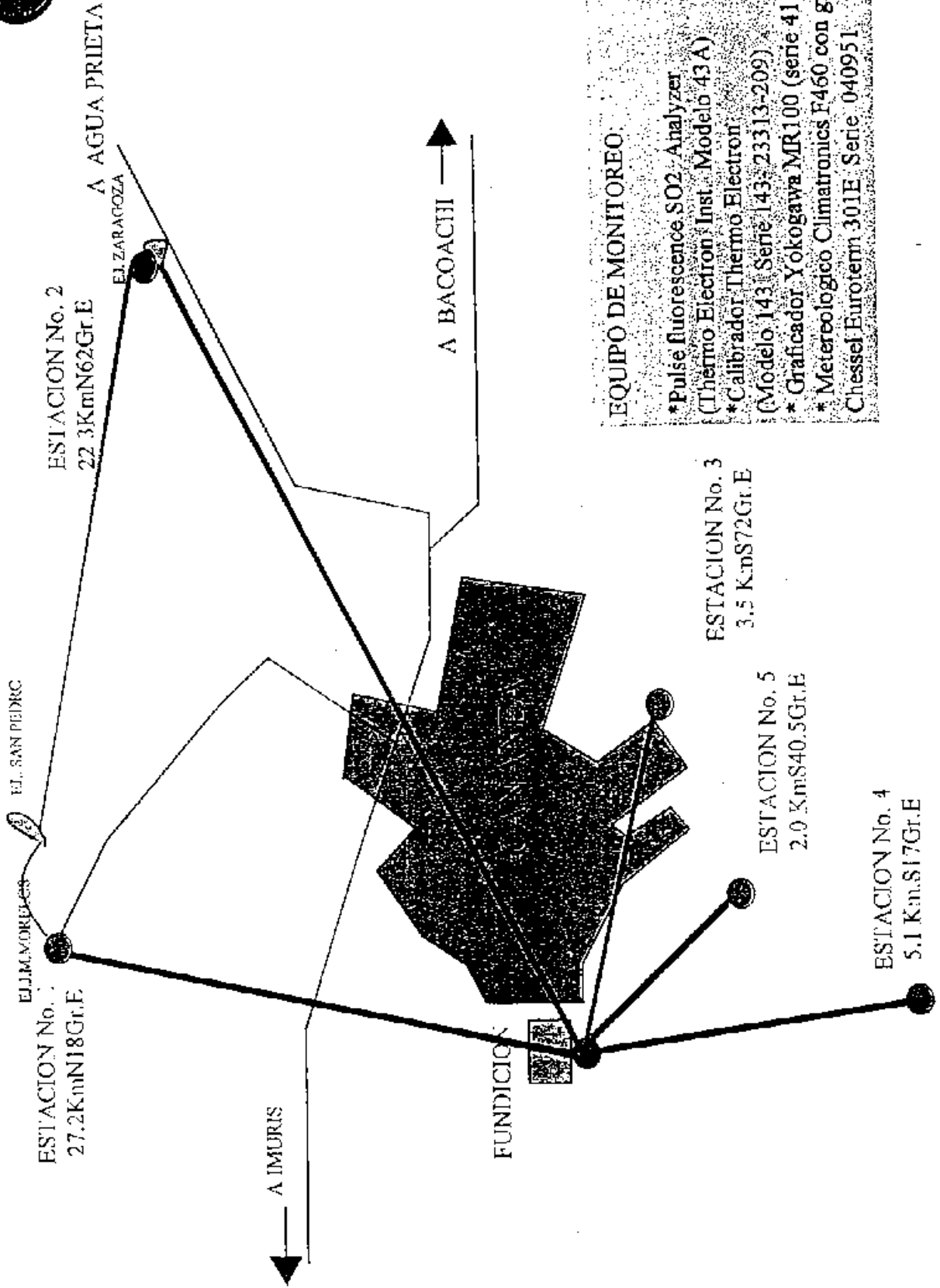
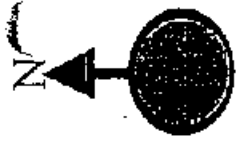


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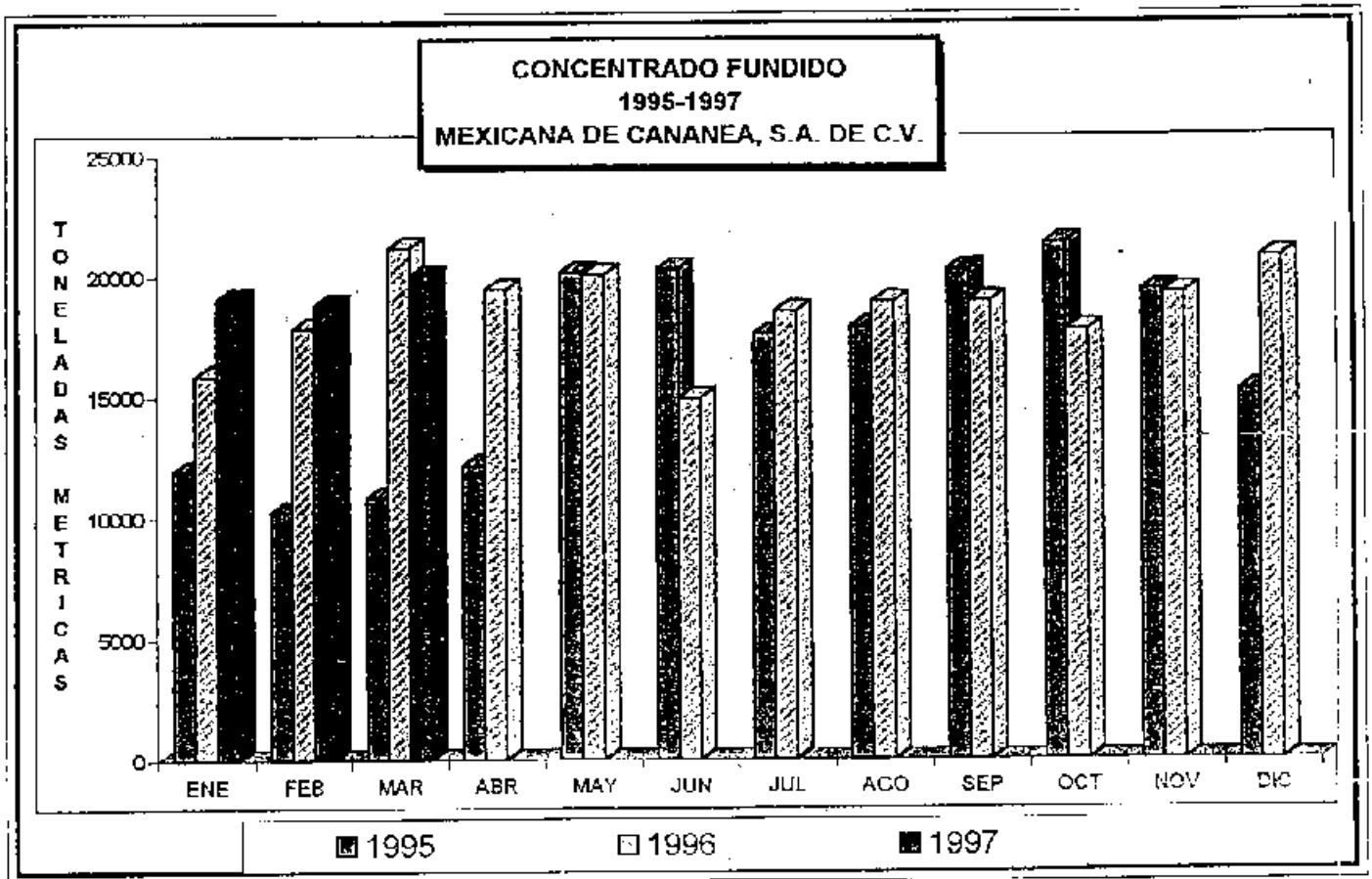
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EQUIPO DE MONITOREO:

- \* Pulse fluorescence SO<sub>2</sub> Analyzer (Thermo Electron Inst. Modelo 43 A)
- \* Calibrador Thermo Electron (Modelo 143 Serie 143-23313-209)
- \* Graficador Yokogawa MR100 (serie 4110343)
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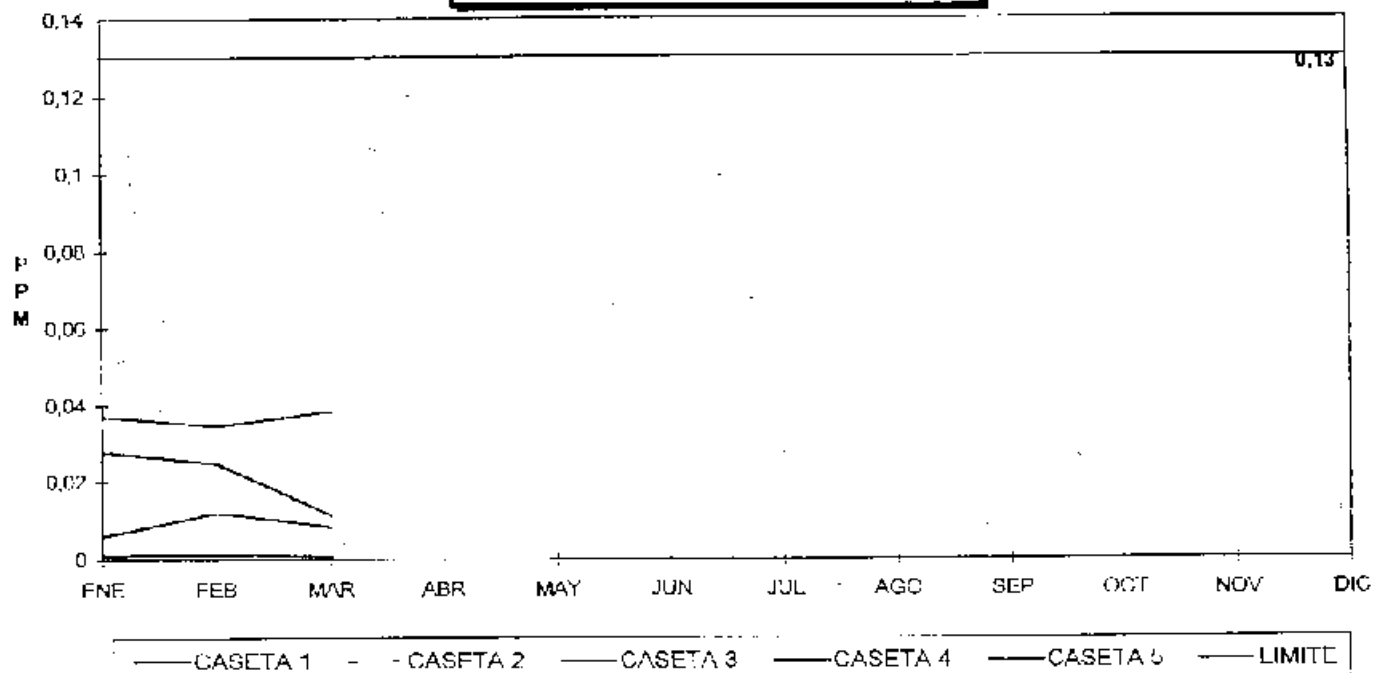


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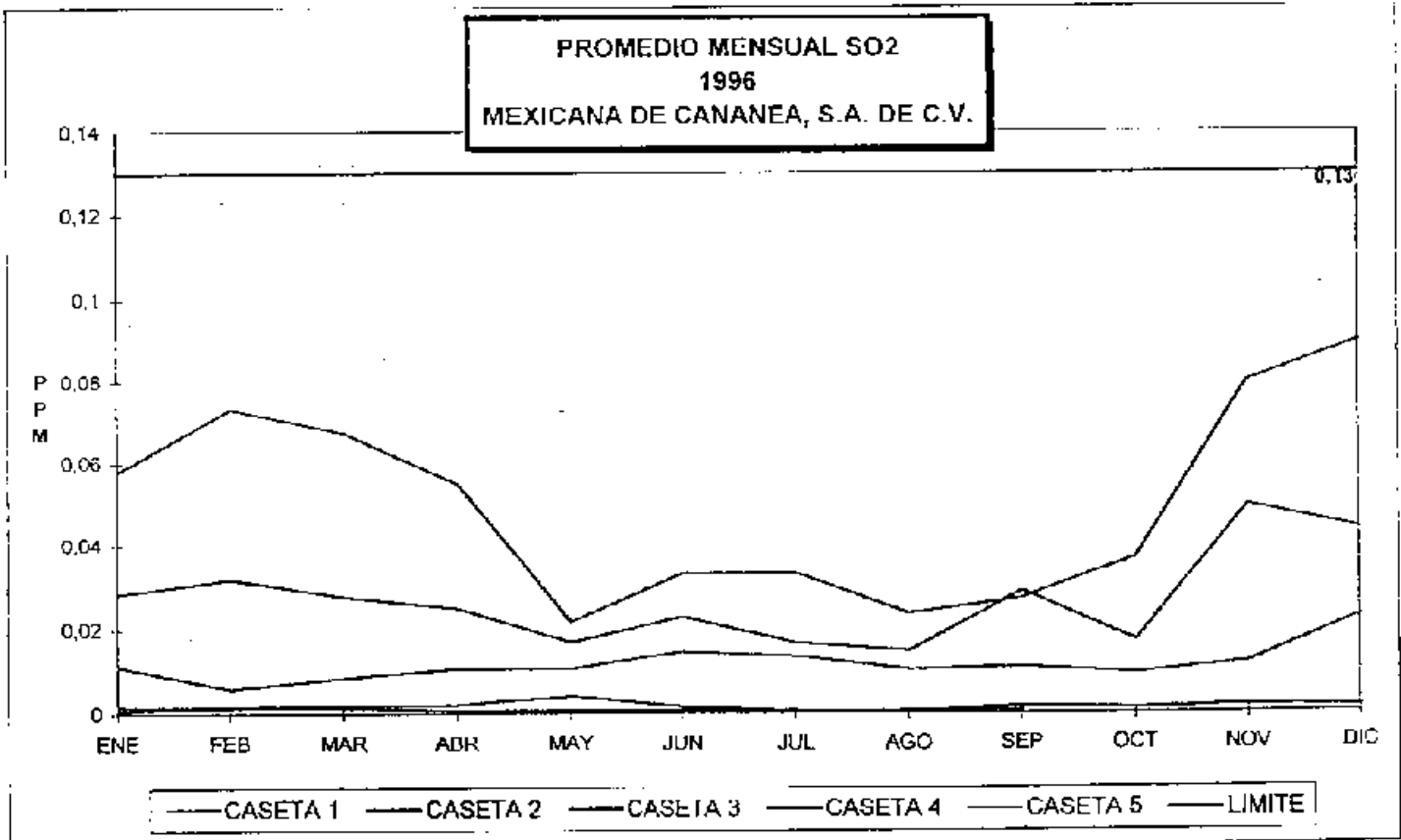
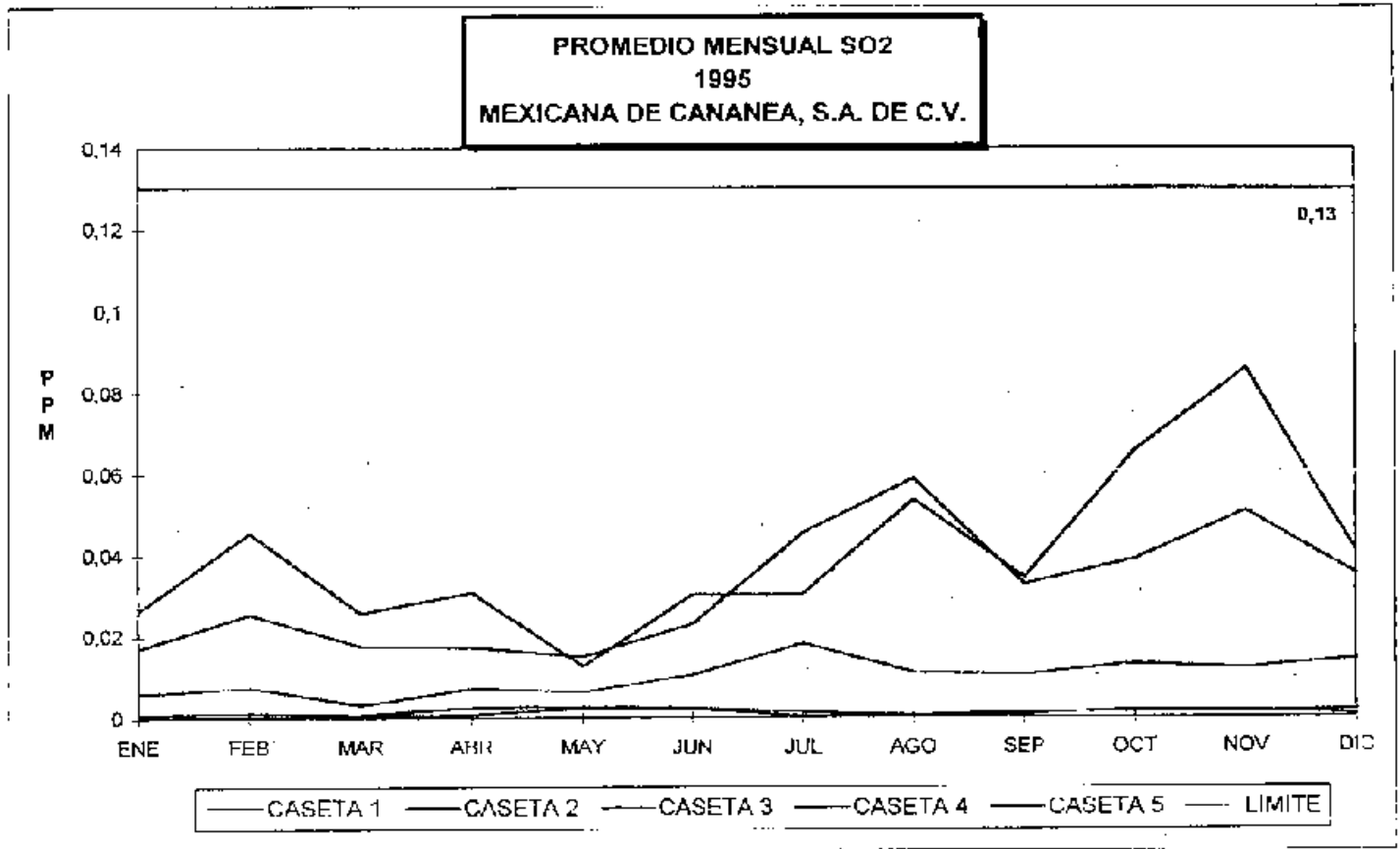
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MES: MAYO 1987

ESTACION No. 3 [ CLUB CAMPESIRES 3.5 Km., S 72° E ]

PARAMETRO: BIXIDO DE AZUFRE

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|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1     | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 2     | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.010 |
| 3     | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.003 |
| 4     | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.05 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.008 |
| 5     | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.10 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.011 |
| 6     | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.008 |
| 7     | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.007 |
| 8     | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.032 |
| 9     | 0.07 | 0.32 | 0.34 | 0.53 | 0.18 | 0.05 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.12 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.063 |
| 10    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.017 |
| 11    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.005 |
| 12    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.005 |
| 13    | 0.00 | 0.10 | 0.08 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.061 |
| 14    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.024 |
| 15    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.013 |
| 16    | 0.00 | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.16 | 0.36 | 0.18 | 0.12 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.044 |
| 17    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.20 | 0.32 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.042 |
| 18    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.015 |
| 19    | 0.16 | 0.07 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.018 |
| 20    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.014 |
| 21    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.003 |
| 22    | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.015 |
| 23    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.003 |
| 24    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 25    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 26    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 27    | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 28    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.011 |
| 29    | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.034 |
| 30    | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |
| 31    | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.04 | 0.25 | 0.05 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.018 |

UNIDADES: Partes Por Millon

PROMEDIO MENSUAL = 0.0182  
 PROMEDIO MAX. CADA 24 HRS. = 0.0783



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DELEGACION GUERRA MORELOS 27.2 Km., N. 19° E. 1

MFS: MAYO 1997

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 DEPARTAMENTO DE ECOLOGIA  
 ESTACION No. 1 EJIDO

PARAMETRO: BIXIDO DE AZUFRE

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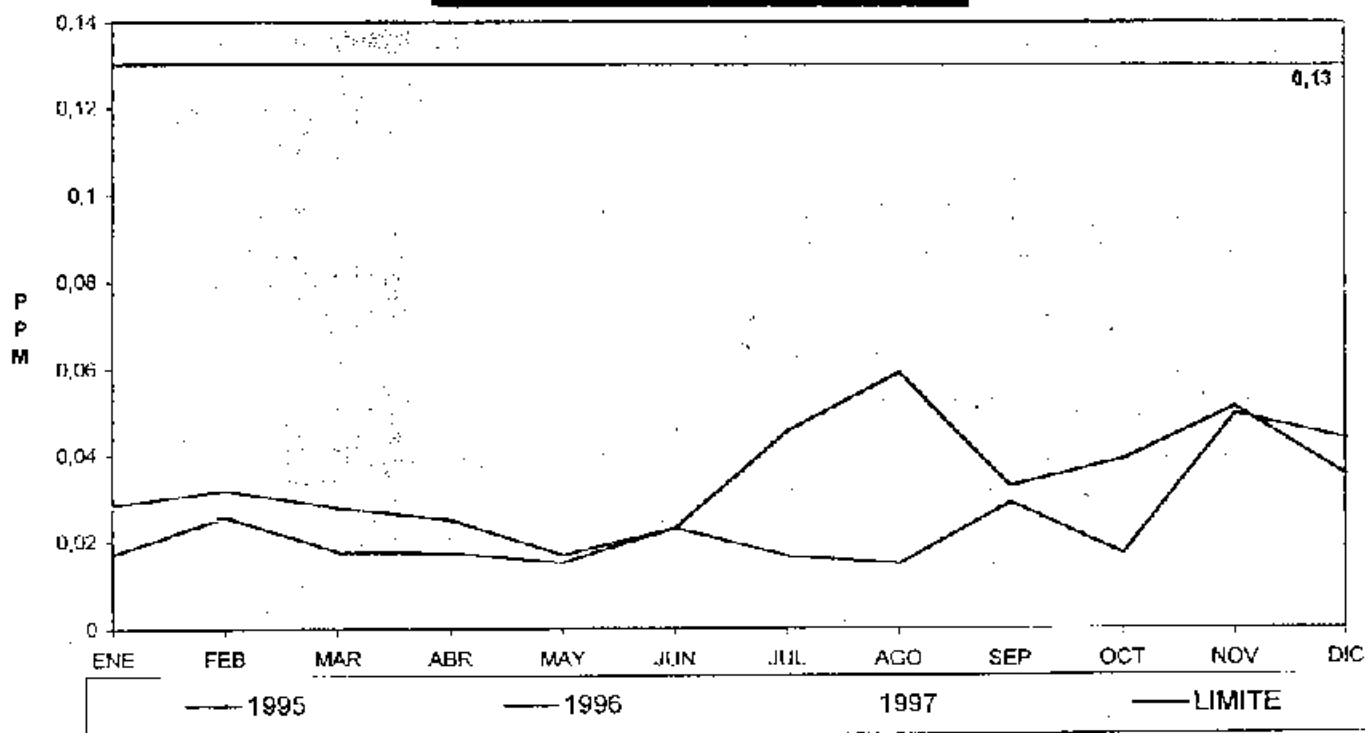
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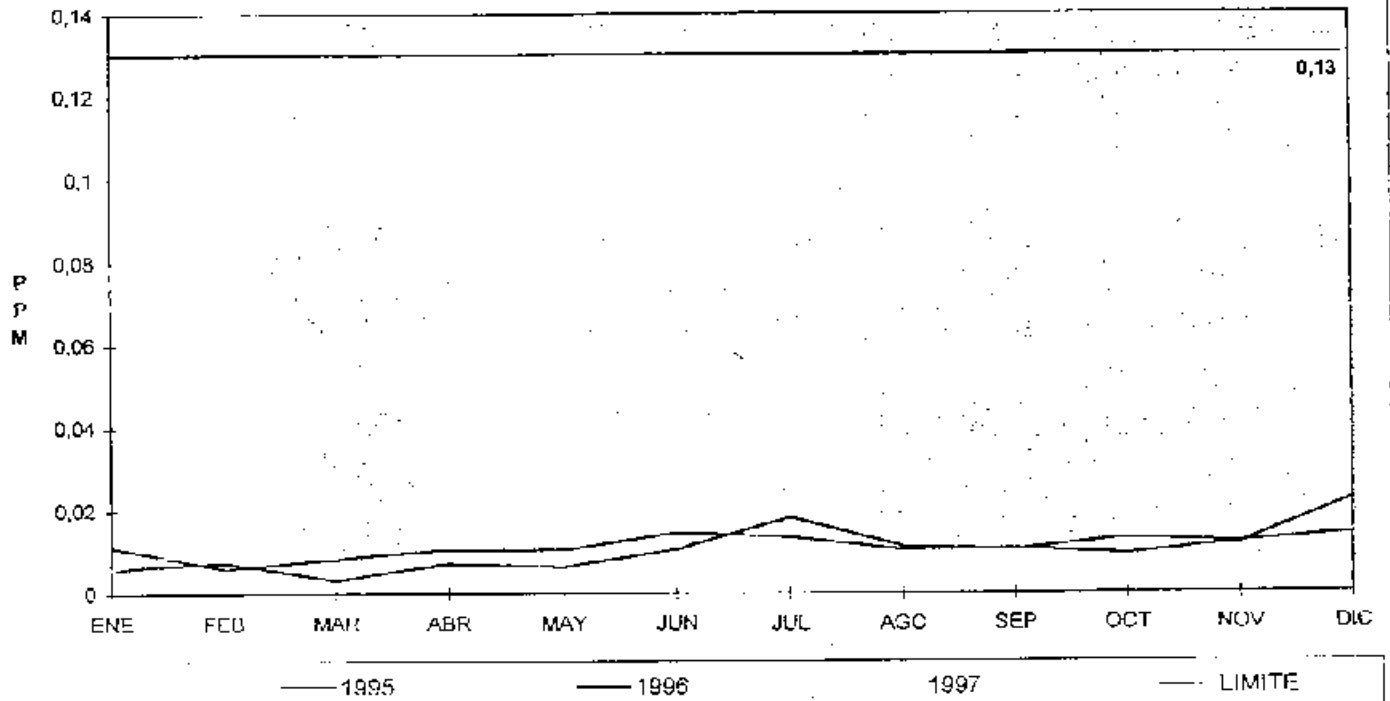
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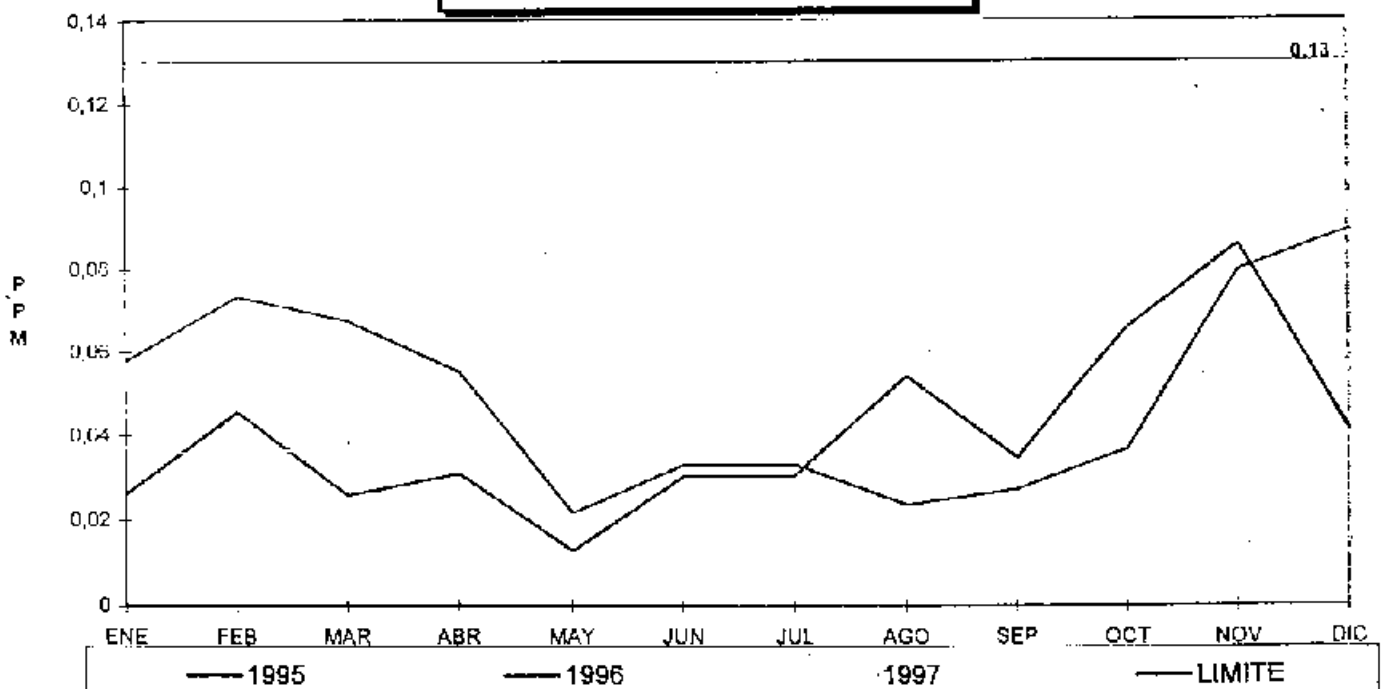


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**PROMEDIO MENSUAL SO2  
CASETA No. 4  
MEXICANA DE CANANEA, S.A. DE C.V.**



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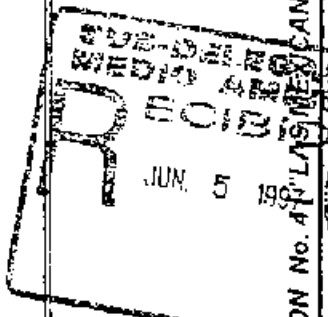
ESTACION No. 4 "LAS MEXICANAS" 5.5 Km., S 17° E J

PARAMETRO: BIXOXIDO DE AZUFRE

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| 9    | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00  | 0.000 |       |
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MFS: MAYO 1997

PARAMETRO: BIXIDO DE AZUFRE

ESTACION No. 5 "SERVICIOS DE KIN., S40.5°E"

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| 13      | 0.45 | 0.15 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.10 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.28 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.07 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.06 | 0.22 | 0.30 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00  | 0.083 |
| 14      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.043 |       |
| 15      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.040 |       |
| 16      | 0.20 | 0.52 | 0.26 | 0.20 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.116 |       |
| 17      | 0.46 | 0.16 | 0.34 | 0.25 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.072 |       |
| 18      | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.10 | 0.23 | 0.08 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.070 |       |
| 19      | 0.42 | 0.38 | 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.07 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.048 |       |
| 20      | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.12 | 0.20 | 0.15 | 0.09 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.08 | 0.24 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.001 |       |
| 21      | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.056 |       |
| 22      | 0.14 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.17 | 0.23 | 0.16 | 0.12 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.006 |       |
| 23      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |       |
| 24      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |       |
| 25      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |       |
| 26      | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 |       |
| 27      | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.022 |       |
| 28      | 0.13 | 0.06 | 0.15 | 0.00 | 0.40 | 0.45 | 0.15 | 0.26 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.083 |       |
| 29      | 0.22 | 0.18 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.15 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.038 |       |
| 30      | 0.12 | 0.25 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.34 | 0.18 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.15 | 0.26 | 0.10 | 0.07 | 0.03 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.090 |       |
| 31      | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.10 | 0.10 | 0.12 | 0.18 | 0.45 | 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.073 |       |

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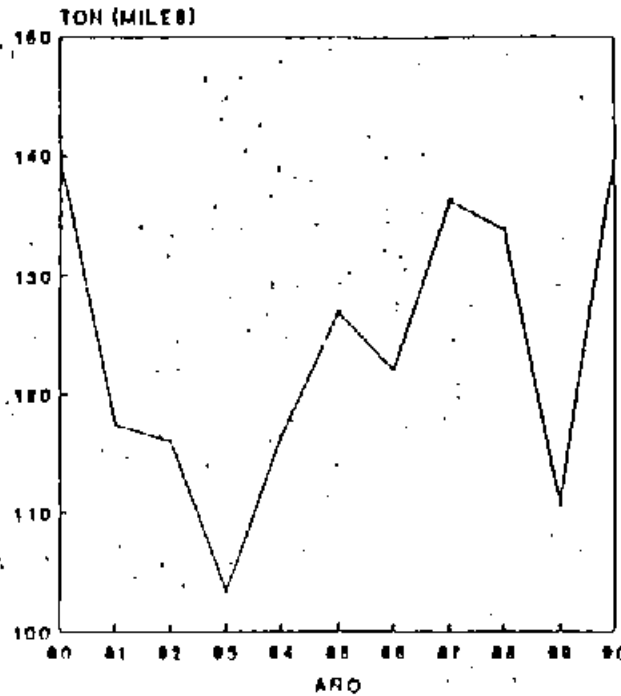
- CANANEA -

2.1.5 Resumen de los Resultados de la Red de Monitoreo de Bióxido de Azufre de la Cía. Minera de Cananea, S. A.

[ Mayo 1986 → ABRIL 1987 ]

| Año | Estación No. 1<br>Ejido San Pedro<br>Ubicación (27.2 km, N 18°E) |                      |                   |                   | Estación No. 2<br>Ejido Zaragoza<br>Ubicación (20.8 km, N 64°E) |                      |                   |                   | Estación No. 3<br>Campestre<br>Ubicación (3.5 km, Sur 60°E) |                      |                   |                   | Estación No. 4<br>La Mexicana<br>Ubicación (5.5 km, Sur 19°E) |                      |                   |                   |
|-----|--|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|     | Prom. diario mensual   | Prom. diario mensual | Veces Fuera Norma | Veces Fuera Norma | Prom. diario mensual  | Prom. diario mensual | Veces Fuera Norma | Veces Fuera Norma | Prom. diario mensual  | Prom. diario mensual | Veces Fuera Norma | Veces Fuera Norma | Prom. diario mensual  | Prom. diario mensual | Veces Fuera Norma | Veces Fuera Norma |
| 86  | 0.00401  | 0.03002              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00303   | 0.01401              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0187  | 0.1003               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0625  | 0.2345               | 3                 | 3                 |
| 86  | 0.00171  | 0.00625              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00189   | 0.00917              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.03507   | 0.1675               | 1                 | 1                 | 0.0509  | 0.2266               | 4                 | 4                 |
| 86  | 0.00146  | 0.01021              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00194   | 0.01625              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.02139   | 0.1170               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0532  | 0.2441               | 1                 | 1                 |
| 86  | 0.00391  | 0.01458              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00151   | 0.01042              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.02996   | 0.1487               | 1                 | 1                 | 0.0596  | 0.1979               | 2                 | 2                 |
| 86  | 0.00506  | 0.01667              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00350   | 0.01792              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00085   | 0.0342               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0116  | 0.0733               | 0                 | 0                 |
| 86  | 0.00735  | 0.02750              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00323   | 0.02000              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00794   | 0.0566               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0840  | 0.3783               | 9                 | 9                 |
| 86  | 0.01026  | 0.04375              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00614   | 0.02833              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01242   | 0.0520               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.1082  | 0.645                | 0                 | 0                 |
| 87  | 0.01007  | 0.05250              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00446   | 0.02125              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00225   | 0.02125              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.1077  | 0.515                | 10                | 10                |
| 87  | 0.00656  | 0.03792              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00226   | 0.01792              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0150  | 0.069                | 0                 | 0                 | 0.1310  | 0.636                | 12                | 12                |
| 87  | 0.00144  | 0.00483              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00085   | 0.00333              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0147  | 0.1687               | 1                 | 1                 | 0.035   | 0.185                | 2                 | 2                 |
| 87  | 0.00163  | 0.01333              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00083   | 0.00958              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0170  | 0.0833               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0331  | 0.1441               | 1                 | 1                 |
| 87  | 0.00069  | 0.00333              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00296   | 0.01583              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0133  | 0.0579               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0979  | 0.2491               | 12                | 12                |
| 87  | 0.00239  | 0.00813              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00128   | 0.01000              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0119  | 0.0620               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0491  | 0.1847               | 4                 | 4                 |
| 87  | 0.00406  | 0.0439               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00335   | 0.0098               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0295  | 0.1204               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0587  | 0.2650               | 6                 | 6                 |
| 87  | 0.00237  | 0.0112               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00268   | 0.0083               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0186  | 0.0891               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0109  | 0.097                | 0                 | 0                 |
| 87  | 0.0097   | 0.068                | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0324  | 0.0957               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0172  | 0.0516               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.0304  | 0.086                | 0                 | 0                 |
| 87  | 0.00248  | 0.00771              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00525   | 0.02923              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01906   | 0.07792              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.06995   | 0.22500              | 7                 | 7                 |
| 87  | 0.00293  | 0.02063              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00123   | 0.00500              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01548   | 0.13167              | 1                 | 1                 | 0.03474   | 0.20500              | 3                 | 3                 |
| 87  | 0.00111  | 0.00500              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00211   | 0.02125              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.001172  | 0.16917              | 1                 | 1                 | 0.007903  | 0.32250              | 0                 | 0                 |
| 87  | 0.00206  | 0.01667              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00283   | 0.02542              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.02244   | 0.14875              | 1                 | 1                 | 0.07388   | 0.29750              | 7                 | 7                 |
| 88  | 0.00045  | 0.00333              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00110   | 0.00583              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01841   | 0.11750              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.07911   | 0.37167              | 8                 | 8                 |
| 88  | 0.00017  | 0.00146              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00127   | 0.02125              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01123   | 0.0458               | 0                 | 0                 | 0.07714   | 0.29750              | 6                 | 6                 |
| 88  | 0.00053  | 0.00333              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00249   | 0.01375              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01293   | 0.04458              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.06348   | 0.29667              | 7                 | 7                 |
| 88  | 0.00371  | 0.005667             | 0                 | 0                 | 0.00200   | 0.01917              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.01418   | 0.11083              | 0                 | 0                 | 0.08846   | 0.47500              | 9                 | 9                 |

Fig.2 Emisiones de SO<sub>2</sub> producidas por la Fundción de Cananea



Fuente: SEDUE documento interno

Sonora, los cálculos de emisiones corresponden a los años que ésta tiene de funcionamiento hasta el 24 de octubre de 1991 (Figura 3). La caída en la curva de emisiones expresada en la Figura 4, coincide con la instalación y puesta en marcha de la Planta de Acido Sulfúrico, el 27 de julio de 1988, en fundición de El Tajo, Nacozari, actualmente en operación





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## RESUMEN

En la búsqueda de una causalidad histórica al problema de la contaminación ambiental, se ha investigado una actividad económica que ha caracterizado la vida de la región fronteriza nororiental de Sonora: los procesos mineros de beneficio y fundición de mineral de cobre. Estos se identifican como la causa principal de la contaminación del aire, agua y suelo en la región. Pese a los controles de contaminación implantados, en lo relativo a conservación del medio y salud ambiental, aún hay mucho por hacer. En general, se requiere de la participación conjunta de especialistas técnico-científicos y de ciencias sociales y humanas, para encontrar soluciones integrales y alternativas tecnológicas a los problemas ambientales, teniendo como base una nueva concepción del Progreso.

*"Tal vez la técnica sea una plaga, que sólo pueda combatirse con las armas que ella misma nos suministra; no tanto demolición de la técnica, cuanto transformación de la misma en el sentido de una reconciliación con la naturaleza y con la sociedad"*

Mercurio, H., 1975

## INTRODUCCION

El interés por estudiar desde una perspectiva histórica la naturaleza antropogénica de la contaminación ambiental, radica en el hecho de que, a la vez que es generada por el hombre y que él mismo padece sus impactos, en la misma medida, dependen de él las soluciones. El principal sujeto de la historia es el hombre y su quehacer, y en esta medida interesa a los estudios históricos los problemas de contaminación ambiental. Conocer cronológicamente la evolución del problema nos ayuda a localizar y comprender las causas y condiciones que lo generaron, y a explicar que el problema actual no ha surgido espontáneamente ni existe por sí mismo sino dentro de una compleja red de relaciones económicas, sociales y políticas, que se han desarrollado históricamente.

La contaminación atmosférica de la región del triángulo de las fundiciones es atribuida a una actividad humana bien identificada, la actividad minera industrial que ha caracterizado, a lo largo de su historia, a la zona serrana del noreste de Sonora. Como resultado directo de los

La contaminación del aire ha sido provocada principalmente por las emisiones de gases y polvos que son subproductos contaminantes del proceso de fundición del mineral de cobre (susceptibles de ser recuperados como es el caso del dióxido de azufre). El interés particular por estudiar la región que en algún momento se denominó el "triángulo gris", parte de la cual se trata, principalmente, de un problema de contaminación atmosférica generado por tres fundiciones que a pesar de encontrarse en dos países diferentes han conformado un solo problema. Así, la pluma de  $SO_2$  en forma de Luvia Ácida, ha viajado tanto hacia las Montañas Rocallosas en territorio norteamericano, como hacia los valles agrícolas de Fronteras y Agua Prieta, en Sonora, impactando los suelos, la economía de los rancharos, las aguas de los ríos, la salud de los habitantes, etc.

La región de referencia se encuentra ubicada en la parte nororiental de Sonora; las fundiciones se localizan en las ciudades de Cananea, Son.; la extinta Phelps Dodge en Douglas, Arizona, y la tercera el El Tajo, Municipio de Nacozeri, Sonora, existiendo una distancia media entre las tras, de 85 km.

La fundición de Douglas, Arizona, está fuera de operación desde 1987 fecha en que se electuó el cierre definitivo como resultado de la reacción ciudadana y de la convergencia de otros factores tales como la existencia de un Acuerdo Binacional para la Protección del Medio Ambiente en la Zona Fronteriza entre México y Estados Unidos, y la baja de los precios del cobre en el mercado internacional que no hacen costable la instalación de equipos de control anticontaminantes en esa fundición. Las otras dos, la de Cananea y la de Nacozeri, Sonora, están en operación contando esta última con una planta de ácido sulfúrico que recupera el  $SO_2$ . Estas fundiciones, a pesar de la situación actual de control en que se encuentran, han tenido un impacto tanto social como sobre el medio natural que se ha venido dando a lo largo del siglo, por los menos desde 1903 fecha que inició sus operaciones la fundición de Douglas, Az.

Para comprobar la hipótesis de que el deterioro ambiental evidente a simple vista, así como la contaminación química de aire, aguas y suelo han sido provocados por esta actividad industrial, se ha realizado una investigación que parte desde la historia misma de los centros mineros y sus respectivas fundiciones, pasando por el cálculo de las emisiones de  $SO_2$ , en toneladas por año en cada fundición, hasta el análisis comparativo de la situación actual y previa de la fauna y la



era la minería mexicana. En este período de mayor importancia pues la base productiva y las técnicas extractivas establecidas, prevalecieron a lo largo de la primera mitad del siglo XX y no fue sino hasta 1961, con la mecanización de la minería, que se llevaron a cabo cambios significativos en las tecnologías, en los estatutos de propiedad de las compañías mineras, a la vez que una revalorización en el mercado mundial, de los precios del cobre. Para el caso particular de las minas de la región de estudio, las de Nacozari sobrevivieron las crisis mundiales hasta 1948, la de Cananea mantuvo sus trabajos a lo largo del siglo, aunque con paros temporales, respondiendo a los momentos de crisis con modernizaciones tecnológicas y manteniéndose en los primeros lugares de importancia en la economía regional.

### Importancia de las fundiciones

Dentro de este complejo económico-minero, las fundiciones cumplían un papel especial. Además de fundir el mineral de la propia compañía a la que pertenecían, las fundiciones maquilaban el mineral de otras pequeñas empresas mineras nacionales. La importancia de este hecho radica en la información que sobre reservas y producción de minerales en la República Mexicana, tenían las empresas fundidoras. Estas no siempre formaban parte de un complejo minero, al contrario, en ocasiones eran las grandes fundiciones las que adquirían concesiones y empresas mineras generando de ese modo, un monopolio casi absoluto de las fundiciones en México. (Alianza Guggenheim y ASARCO)

La idea de progreso por la que pugnaba el porfirismo y todas las naciones del mundo industrializado, ponía en primer plano el desarrollo industrial como el modelo a seguir por todas las naciones que pretendieran salir del subdesarrollo. No se analiza aquí este modelo de desarrollo, pero no puede dejar de señalarse que si bien la política porfiriana mantenía aparentemente la propiedad de la nación sobre los recursos naturales y las riquezas del subsuelo, al mismo tiempo otorgaba concesiones a empresas extranjeras que usufructuaban el patrimonio nacional.

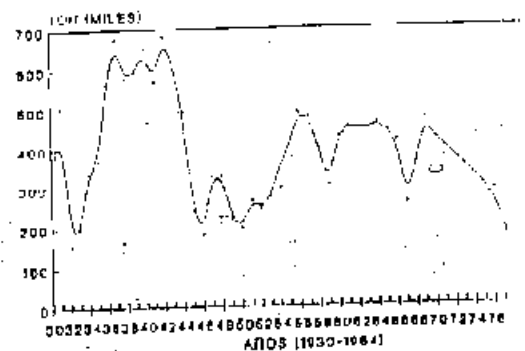
Es en 1917, con la promulgación de la Constitución Revolucionaria, cuando, además de que se reivindica la propiedad de la nación sobre las riquezas del territorio nacional, se menciona por primera vez la preocupación hacia los aspectos de conservación y protección de las mismas. A partir de la segunda mitad del siglo, el problema ambiental en México se fue agudizando, volviéndose necesaria la creación de una legislación ambiental, cuya aparición debió esperar hasta la década de los sesenta.

Aun cuando la preocupación por los problemas ambientales no ha sido completamente ajena a la actividad industrial, ésta se manifestó en los principales centros urbano-industriales de Europa. En nuestros países, se ha manifestado y ha ido definiendo sus rasgos, como se deba líneas arriba, en las tres últimas décadas. Para el caso específico de los problemas ambientales provocados por

de los diferentes procesos y los gases que dependen también de esta diferenciación. El caso que nos ocupa, de la contaminación atmosférica provocada por emisiones de  $SO_2$ , son las únicas que se pueden comprobar en este caso. Aunque no han sido consideradas en este estudio, no se descarta la aportación contaminante de las emisiones de polvos y partículas asociadas a la fundición de cobre, entre las que se encuentra el arsénico.

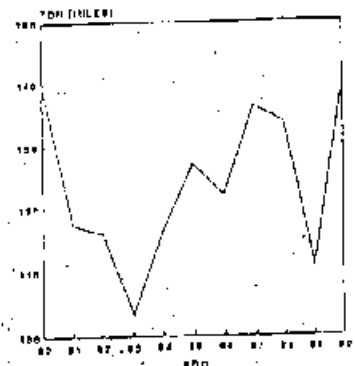
De acuerdo al material obtenido, se han realizado cálculos de emisiones de  $SO_2$  de las fundiciones del "triángulo gris" que datan, en el caso de la Phelps Dodge de Douglas, Arizona desde 1930 hasta 1984 (Figura 1). Para el caso de la de Cananea, Sonora, se cuenta con resultados de cálculos de emisiones correspondientes a la década de los ochenta (Figura 2); y para la fundición de El Tajo, en Nacozari,

Fig. 1 Emisiones de  $SO_2$  producidas por Fundición de Douglas



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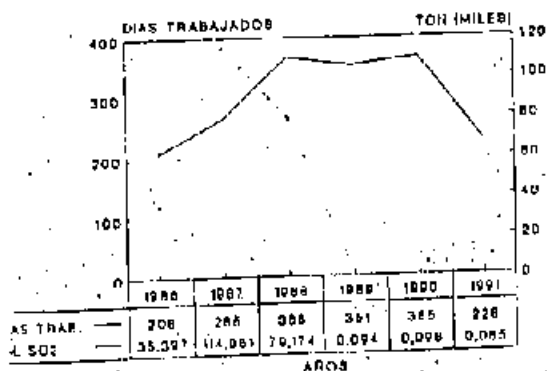
Fig. 2 Emisiones de  $SO_2$  producidas por la Fundición de Cananea



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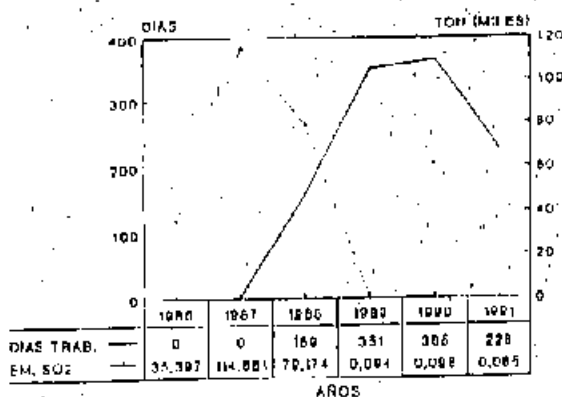
Sonora, los cálculos de emisiones correspondían que ésta tiene de funcionamiento hasta el 24 de 1991 (Figura 3). La caída en la curva de emisiones en la Figura 4, coincidió con la instalación y puesta

### Días trabajados/año y SO<sub>2</sub> emitido por la Fundición de Nacozari



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Fig.4 Emisiones de SO<sub>2</sub> y Días Trabajados/año por la Planta de Acido de Nacozari



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### EFFECTOS EN EL MEDIO NATURAL Y HUMANO.

Los primeros registros que arrojan información sobre el medio ambiente de la región, datan por lo menos de 1702. El Vocabulario de Lengua Onata (la extinta india de la región) elaborado por el jesuita Lombardo Natali, consigna una gran variedad de especies de flora y fauna que actualmente no están presentes en la biota regional, sin mencionar el águila de dos cabezas que registra Juan Nentwig en su obra. Igualmente, el atlas geográfico de García y Cubas que data de 1853, informa sobre especies hoy ausentes en la zona.

Los efectos negativos de la contaminación generada por las mineras y fundiciones, fue manifestado por los habitantes en diferentes momentos, pero no fue sino hasta finales de los setentas que se volvió explícito el malestar, culminando en agosto de 1983 con la firma del Convenio

Sonora, cumplir con ciertos límites de emisiones. En el momento de estudio, las medidas en particular consistieron en: el cierre de la fundición de Douglas, Arizona, la no ampliación de la fundición de Cananea, y la instalación de la Planta de Acido Sulfúrico en El Tajo, Nacozari.

Para este momento ya habían sido calculados los perjuicios de las emisiones de SO<sub>2</sub> de la fundición de Douglas sobre la zona agrícola del Valle de Fronteras y Agua Prieta, habiéndose registrado pérdidas económicas del orden de \$ 48,541,000.00 (en pesos de 1985) correspondientes a 1,748 toneladas de cultivos del ciclo agrícola 1984-85 (Williams: 1986).

"La fundición de Phelps Dodge, que fue excluida del Acta de Aire Limpio hasta 1968, para salvar empleos, emite alrededor de 900 toneladas de SO<sub>2</sub> diariamente. La planta, que arroja un tercio más de SO<sub>2</sub> que cualquier otra fundición en los Estados Unidos, se le ha autorizado emitir arriba de 1,100 toneladas por día hasta diciembre de 1987, fecha en que deberá reducir su operación, o cerrar" (Los Angeles Times: ago/24/84)

El daño sobre el suelo provocado por las emisiones de la fundición de Douglas, comprendió una larga serie de indemnizaciones a los agricultores tanto norteamericanos como mexicanos. Cabe aclarar que la erosión del suelo en territorio sonorense, se debe también, en buena medida, a la difundida práctica del sobrepastoreo.

Como medida de presión para acelerar el cierre de la Phelps Dodge de Douglas, se utilizó, a manera de monitor de SO<sub>2</sub>, una mujer asmática, que a una distancia considerable de la fundición, reportaba la elevación en los niveles del gas mediante la agudización de sus ataques. Esto era cotejado con la lectura de los molihures, coincidiendo. Sobre la situación atmosférica en 1950 en Agua Prieta (ciudad gemela de Douglas), comenta un entrevistado, habitante de esa ciudad desde 1947: "Nosotros veníamos de Píares, cuando el cierre de los trabajos en la mina. Agua Prieta nos pareció el paraíso, pues allá había por lo menos un muerto cada semana, y aquí estaba tan bonito, lleno de árboles, peces con el humo, todo andábamos amarillos, parecíamos muertos" (encl.1)

La contaminación atmosférica producida por la fundición Cananea, sigue siendo de importancia en la actualidad. En zona de mayor impacto de los humos localizada hacia noreste de la fundición, el suelo presenta una coloración oscura y vegetación atrofiada. La ciudad de Cananea encuentra hacia la parte sur de la fundición, que aunqu es la zona de mayor impacto, se ve severamente afectada por los humos, cuando los vientos no le favorecen. estadísticas de salud de la Coordinación Médica le correspondientes a los años de 1986, 87 y 88, ubica primer lugar de causas de muerte las cardiopatías segundo todo tipo de cáncer, y en tercero,

primera lugar, en causas de muerte los cardiovasculares, en segundo todo tipo de cáncer, y en tercero, las broncopulmonares. Haría falta una profundización mayor en el análisis sobre las causas de muerte y morbilidad, y su relación con las emisiones de la fundición, para atribuirlos solamente a éstos; pero de lo que sí no se puede dudar es de la gran influencia que tienen sobre la salud de los habitantes y en el tipo de padecimientos que sufren, pues se sabe que "varias especies de animales, incluyendo el hombre; reaccionan con broncoconstricción ante el SO<sub>2</sub>; este efecto sobre los bronquios se puede evaluar en términos de un ligero aumento en la resistencia en el conducto de aire (...), el óxido de azufre en combinación con partículas y humedad relativa es un peligro potencialmente serio para la salud" (Warner/Wark: 1978). Esto es particularmente importante para Cananea, pues la fundición se encuentra casi en el centro de la ciudad. A propósito comenta un entrevistado, habitante de Cananea: "El humo no es tan dañino como podría ser en otras partes (...), aquí raras veces baja, pero sí pasa, cuando vienen los vientos helados del norte" (ent.2); y para caracterizar la situación en 1945, otra persona entrevistada dice: "Cuando menos en aquel entonces, el humo era parte cotidiana del pueblo, pero lo respicas y sientes una cosa caliente que muchas veces hasta te duele (...). Regularmente la gente que respira mucho ese humo, se enferma de los bronquios. La bronquitis se debió a la combinación del frío y del ácido sulfúrico" (ent.3).

Las emisiones de la planta fundidora de El Tajo, Nacození, están actualmente dentro de los niveles permitidos debido a que casi la totalidad de las mismas son recuperadas por la planta de Ácido sulfúrico. La denominación de "triángulo gris", se debió a la inminencia de la puesta en operación de la fundición de Mexicana de Cobre, S.A., que si los controles actuales hubiera resultado verdaderamente desastroso para el ambiente por la magnitud de su capacidad procesadora.

En lo relativo a la contaminación de los cuerpos de agua, la más denunciada ha sido la contaminación de ríos y arroyos sobre todo los que proceden de la sierra de Cananea, en las inmediaciones de las presas de jales, como el Río San Pedro que corre hacia el norte; y por el sureste los escurrimientos ocurridos de las presas de jales alcanzaron a afectar los afluentes del Río Sonora, tales como el Río Bacanuchi. La permeabilidad del suelo de la zona podría favorecer la contaminación de los mantos subterráneos de las cuencas de la región, debido a las posibles infiltraciones de las presas de jales. En Cananea se localiza un parterguas de regiones y cuencas hidrológicas. Tomando la ciudad como punto de referencia, hacia el norte se encuentra la cuenca del Río Colorado, al sur la del Río Sonora, y al oeste, la Región Hidrológica 8 o Sonora Norte y la cuenca del Río Altar. Hacia el este, se encuentra la Región Hidrológica 7 o del Río Colorado. La cuenca del Río Yaqui se localiza desde Agua Prieta hacia el sur pasando por Nacození, lo mismo que la Región Hidrológica 9 o Sonora Sur. Por todo esto es de la mayor importancia, el control de las antes mencionadas presas de aguas residuales de las compañías mineras. Los perjuicios ocasionados a los rancheros, por el agua contaminada proveniente de la mina La Caridad se aprecia en una carta enviada por un agricultor de la región del Valle de

ocasionado por las emanaciones que surgen de norte de la Mina de Nacození..." (SFDUE, Sonora: 1987)

El aporte contaminante de los procesos preindustriales de amalgamación de plata por mercurio, que existieron en la región comprendida básicamente entre Nacození y Moctezuma (60 Km. al sur de Nacození) no ha sido considerado en los estudios sobre contaminación ambiental del estado de Sonora. Al respecto existe una referencia sobre el hipertiroidismo existente en la región de Moctezuma, dedicada al beneficio de plata, donde además según la fuente de 1925, se atribuye esta enfermedad "a la mala calidad de las aguas" (Sonora T.: 1989).

## CONCLUSIONES

El caso de la región del "triángulo gris", no es más que una muestra nuestra de cómo opera esta lógica económica que se critica. Las acciones llevadas a cabo para controlar los problemas ambientales en la zona, han resultado efectivas para el caso de Douglas y Nacození, sin ahondar en las medidas que deberán tomarse al respecto de la sobresaturación de ácido sulfúrico existente en el mercado. El plan de control definitivo de contaminantes atmosféricos para el caso de Cananea, consistirá en canalizar, en un futuro próximo, el procesamiento del concentrado de cobre a la fundición de Nacození, según declaró un funcionario de esa empresa. En lo relativo al problema de contaminación de las aguas, fuera de modificar su PH en las presas de jales y elevar los muros de contención de las mismas, no se conoce otro método de control.

La solución de los problemas ambientales no podrá ser alcanzada en el corto plazo, pues depende de varios factores fundamentales, tales como una inmediata reconversión industrial dirigida a desarrollar procesos no contaminantes; a la necesidad de una nueva orientación en la concepción del diseño industrial de máquinas que incluya la componente anti-contaminante; la planeación de políticas económicas de los gobiernos que incluyan consideraciones ecológicas; la profundización en la investigación sobre fuentes alternativas de energía, evitando el uso de los recursos no renovables; y lo más importante, la reconversión en las conciencias, la inversión en las tendencias de acumulación de riqueza a costa de la naturaleza y del hombre.

## RECOMENDACIONES

Desde el punto de vista del historiador, las recomendaciones no pueden ser de tipo operativo o técnico. Sólo se limitan a invitar a una revisión de los elementos que componen los actuales problemas de contaminación, incluyendo en esta reflexión, la participación de especialistas de ciencias sociales y humanas. La solución debe alcanzarse mediante la conjunción de los esfuerzos de todas las disciplinas y de todos los hombres, si el objetivo es la preservación de la vida.

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**Summary Mexico 2**  
**Nacozari Copper Smelter**





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Ubicación de las Estaciones de Monitoreo de SO<sub>2</sub>

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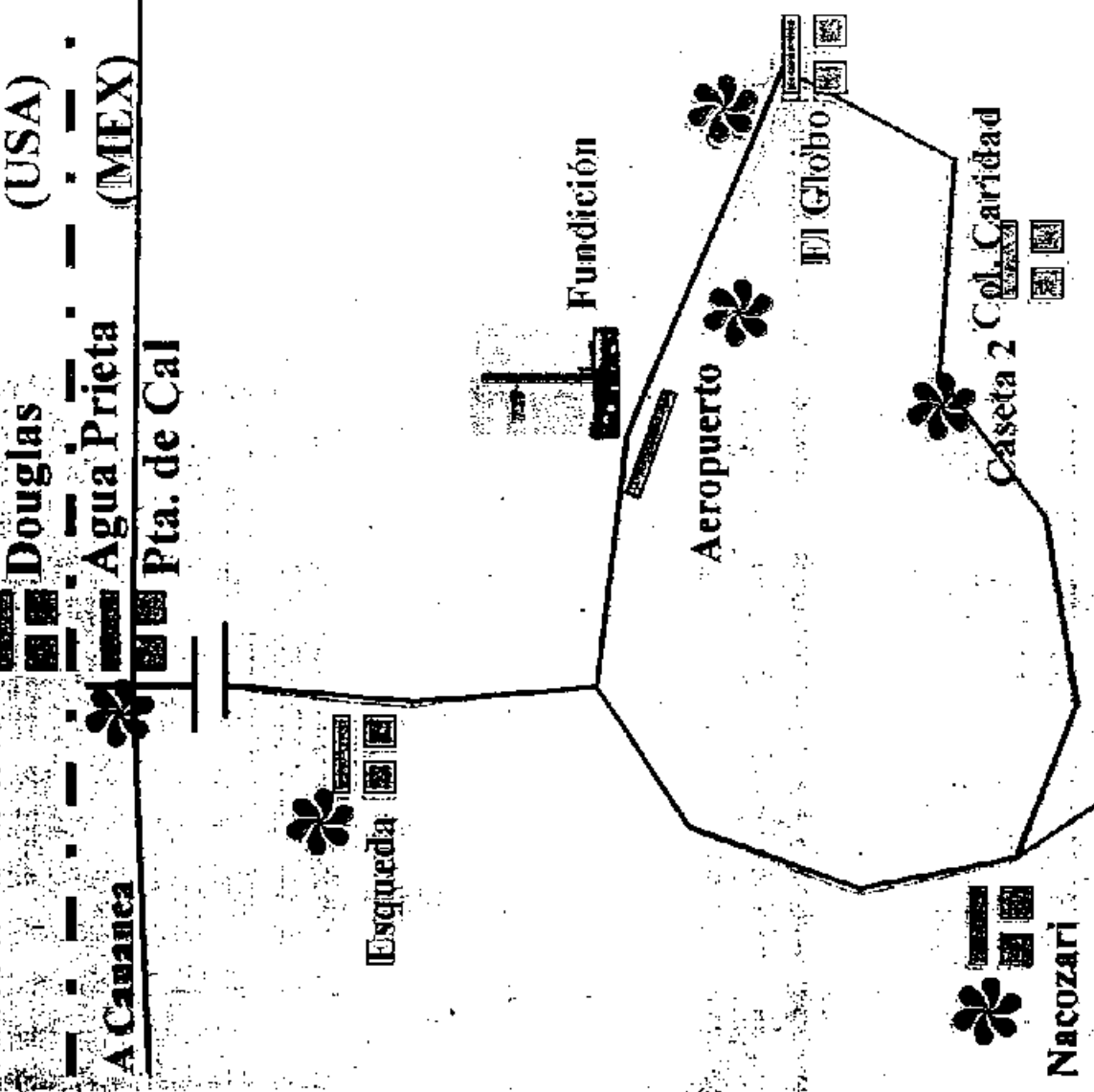
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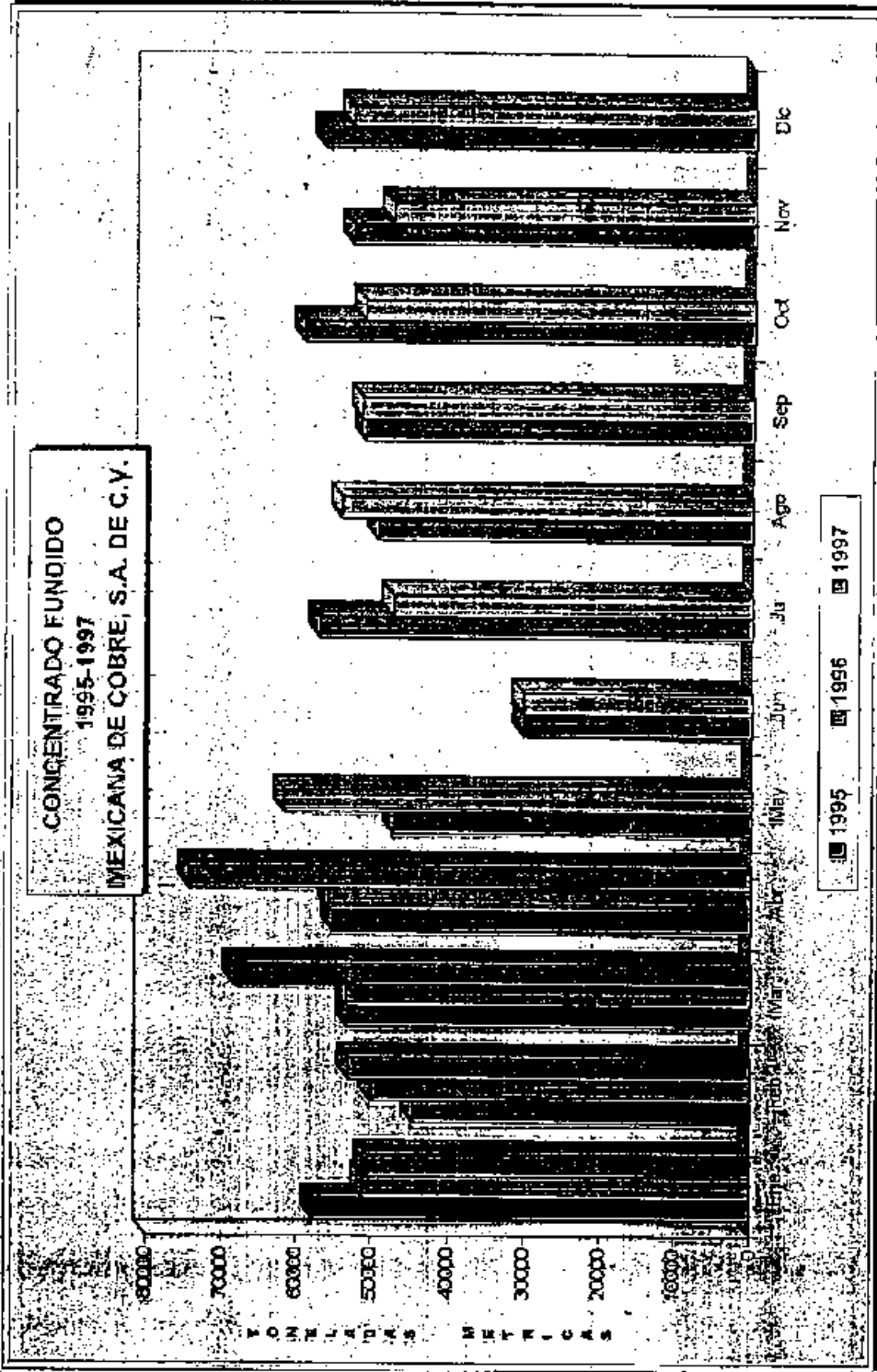
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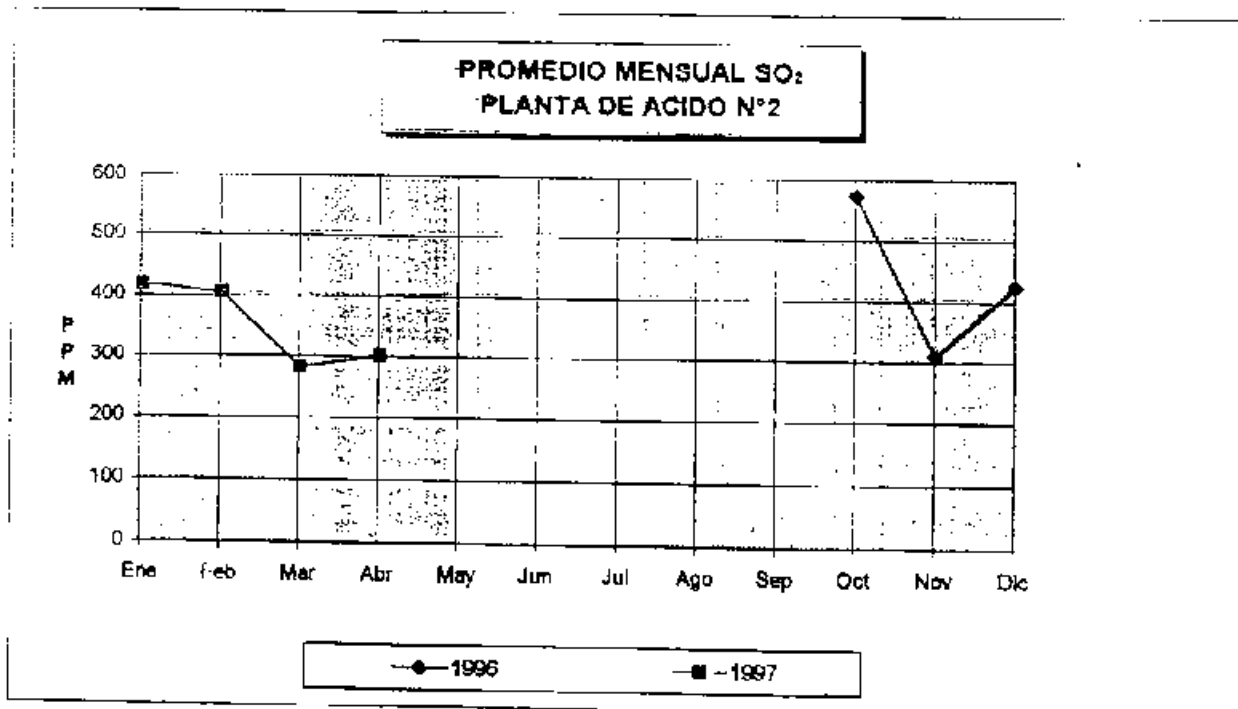
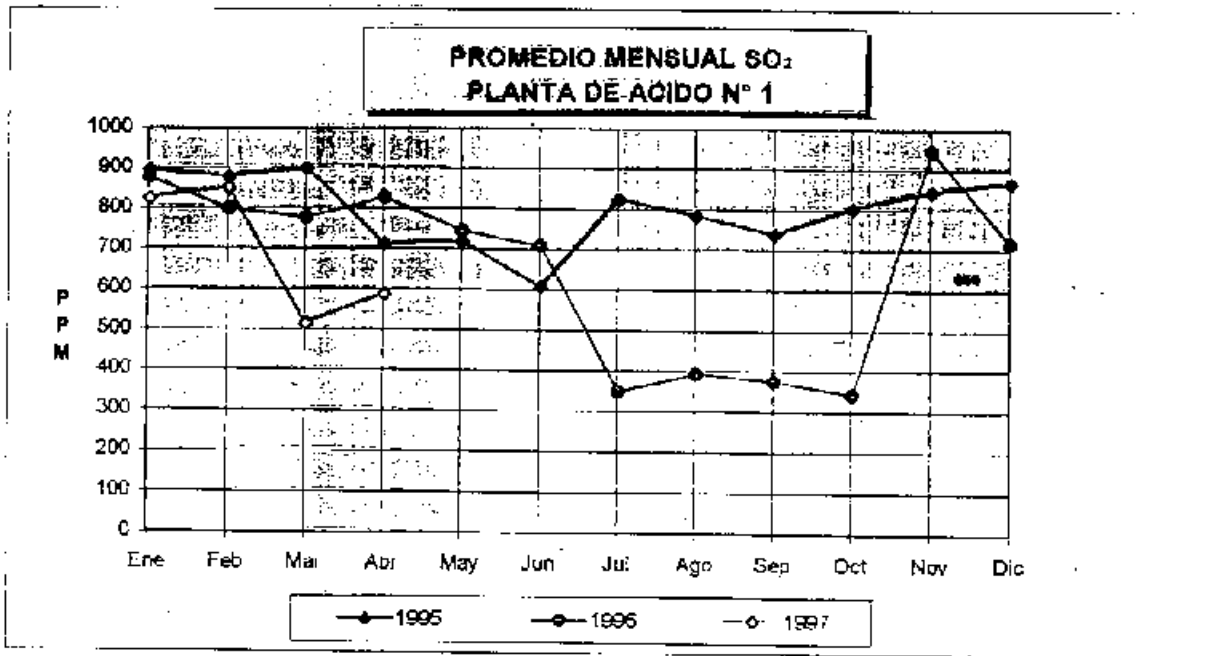
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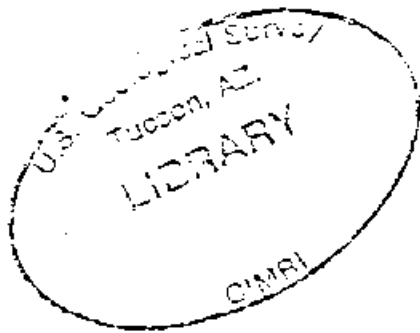
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# IMPURITIES CONTENT IN COPPER CONCENTRATE, MATTE AND ANODE COPPER

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|      | FEBRUARY   | 1700               | 540    | 2240 | 1660   | 620    | 2120 | 1460   | 500    | 1960 |
|      | MARCH      | 1600               | 580    | 2180 | 1600   | 590    | 2190 | 1800   | 430    | 2230 |
|      | APRIL      | 1500               | 470    | 1970 | 1500   | 520    | 1820 | 1280   | 440    | 1720 |
|      | MAY        | 2000               | 730    | 2730 | 1400   | 650    | 2050 | 1540   | 530    | 2070 |
|      | JUNE       | 1700               | 520    | 2220 | 1700   | 590    | 2290 | 1960   | 650    | 2610 |
|      | JULY       | 2000               | 530    | 2530 | 1600   | 450    | 2050 | 1450   | 450    | 1900 |
|      | AUGUST     | 1900               | 400    | 2300 | 1900   | 400    | 2300 | 1355   | 380    | 1735 |
|      | SEPTEMBER  | 1600               | 530    | 2130 | 1700   | 420    | 2120 | 1210   | 350    | 1560 |
|      | OCTOBER    | 1700               | 640    | 2340 | 1800   | 400    | 2200 | 1500   | 400    | 1900 |
|      | NOVEMBER   | 2000               | 750    | 2750 | 2100   | 750    | 2850 | 1125   | 400    | 1525 |
|      | DECEMBER   | 1700               | 640    | 2340 | 1300   | 370    | 1670 | 1400   | 500    | 1900 |
|      | AVERAGE    | 1742               | 579    | 2321 | 1617   | 512    | 2128 | 1477   | 471    | 1948 |
|      | MAXIMUM    | 2000               | 750    | 2750 | 2100   | 750    | 2850 | 1960   | 650    | 2610 |
|      | MINIMUM    | 1500               | 400    | 1900 | 1200   | 350    | 1570 | 1125   | 350    | 1525 |
|      | DIFFERENCE | 500                | 350    | 780  | 900    | 400    | 1280 | 835    | 300    | 1085 |
| 9    | JANUARY    | 1700               | 730    | 2430 | 1700   | 550    | 2250 | 1450   | 440    | 1890 |
|      | FEBRUARY   | 1800               | 600    | 2400 | 1600   | 450    | 2050 | 1600   | 420    | 2020 |
|      | MARCH      | 2300               | 1560   | 3860 | 1800   | 490    | 2290 | 2300   | 850    | 3150 |
|      | APRIL      | 1700               | 850    | 2550 | 1200   | 170    | 1970 | 2150   | 730    | 2880 |
|      | MAY        | 1300               | 530    | 1830 | 1200   | 360    | 1560 | 2015   | 830    | 2845 |
|      | JUNE       | 2000               | 540    | 2540 | 1800   | 340    | 2140 | 2290   | 640    | 2930 |
|      | JULY       | 1200               | 680    | 1880 | 1300   | 190    | 2090 | 2300   | 935    | 3235 |
|      | AUGUST     | 1400               | 520    | 1920 | 1300   | 350    | 1650 | 2100   | 700    | 2800 |
|      | SEPTEMBER  | 1400               | 530    | 1930 | 1300   | 300    | 1600 | 1800   | 665    | 2465 |
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|      | DECEMBER   | 1764               | 708    | 2472 | 1482   | 480    | 1962 | 2100   | 770    | 2870 |
|      | AVERAGE    | 1764               | 708    | 2472 | 1482   | 480    | 1962 | 2100   | 770    | 2870 |
|      | MAXIMUM    | 2700               | 1560   | 3960 | 1900   | 750    | 2650 | 2760   | 1320   | 3660 |
|      | MINIMUM    | 1200               | 520    | 1720 | 1200   | 280    | 1480 | 1450   | 420    | 1870 |
|      | DIFFERENCE | 1500               | 1040   | 2240 | 700    | 510    | 1170 | 1250   | 900    | 1790 |

HAWOR SUIT LIGHT PLANT

## **Appendix C**

### **SO<sub>2</sub> CEM and Ambient Monitor Audits**







ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION

REVIEW OF COMPLIANCE TEST REPORT

Name of Company: Magma Copper Company

Company Address: P.O. Box M; San Manuel, AZ 85631 Permit Numbers 1241 & 211136

Source Tested: Relative Accuracy Testing for Facility SO<sub>2</sub> & NO<sub>x</sub> Monitors (see below)

Person Submitting Test Report: Jerry May

Date(s) of Test(s): August 29 - September 12, 1995

Process Rate: Not Applicable

Test Methods Performed: Methods 1-4, 6C, 7E, Performance Spec. 2 & 6, Appendix F

Review of Test Method: Acceptable

Review of Calculations: Acceptable

Comments (precision & accuracy of replicate tests, percent isokinetic sampling, operating anomalies, etc.):

Some minor arithmetic errors were noted. Some raw data sheets were difficult to read.

| Pollutant Tested   | Tested Emission Rate     | Allowable Emission Rate    | Pass/Fail |
|--------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Boilers            |                          |                            |           |
| #7 NO <sub>x</sub> | 13.67% Relative Accuracy | 20% Relative Accuracy (RA) | Pass      |
| #8 NO <sub>x</sub> | 18.04% RA                | 20% RA                     | Pass      |
| #1 Acid Plant      |                          |                            |           |
| SO <sub>2</sub>    | 10.13% RA                | 20% RA                     | Pass      |
| Flow               | 9.24% RA                 | 20% RA                     | Pass      |
| #2 Acid Plant      |                          |                            |           |
| SO <sub>2</sub>    | 4.06% RA                 | 20% RA                     | Pass      |
| Flow               | 4.9 RA                   | 20% RA                     | Pass      |

Reviewer(s): Wayne Hunt *WH* Date(s): June 22, 1995

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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION

REVIEW OF COMPLIANCE TEST REPORT

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Source Tested: Relative Accuracy Testing for Facility SO2 & NOx Monitors (see below)

Person Submitting Test Report: Jerry May

Date(s) of Test(s): August 29 - September 12, 1995

Process Rate: Not Applicable

Test Methods Performed: Methods 1-4, 6C, 7E, Performance Spec. 2 & 6, Appendix F.

Review of Test Method: Acceptable

Review of Calculations: Acceptable

Comments (precision & accuracy of replicate tests, percent isokinetic sampling, operating anomalies, etc.):

Some minor arithmetic errors were noted. Some raw data sheets were difficult to read.

| Pollutant Tested    | Tested Emission Rate | Allowable Emission Rate | Pass/Fail |
|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| #3 Acid Plant       |                      |                         |           |
| SO2                 | 4.3% RA              | 20% RA                  | Pass      |
| Flow                | 4.55 RA              | 20% RA                  | Pass      |
| Flash Fugitives     |                      |                         |           |
| SO2                 | 10.45% RA            | 20% RA                  | Pass      |
| Flow                | 2.50% RA             | 20% RA                  | Pass      |
| Converter Fugitives |                      |                         |           |
| SO2                 | 6.78% RA             | 20% RA                  | Pass      |
| Flow                | 1.21 RA              | 20% RA                  | Pass      |

Reviewer(s): Wayne Hunt *WH* Date(s): June 22, 1995



ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
AIR QUALITY DIVISION

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Person Submitting Test Report: Jerry May

Date(s) of Test(s): August 29 - September 12, 1995

Process Rate: Not Applicable

Test Methods Performed: Methods 1-4, 6C, 7E, Performance Spec. 2 & 6, Appendix F.

Review of Test Method: Acceptable

Review of Calculations: Acceptable

Comments (precision & accuracy of replicate tests, percent isokinetic sampling, operating anomalies, etc.):  
Some minor arithmetic errors were noted. Some raw data sheets were difficult to read.

| Pollutant Tested  | Tested Emission Rate | Allowable Emission Rate | Pass/Fail |
|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Flash Bypass Duct |                      |                         |           |
| SO2               | 15.35 RA             | 15% RA                  | Pass      |
| Roof Monitor      |                      |                         |           |
| SO2               | 2.74% RA             | 15% RA                  | Pass      |
|                   |                      |                         |           |
|                   |                      |                         |           |
|                   |                      |                         |           |

Reviewer(s): Wayne Hunt Date(s): June 22, 1995

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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Fife Symington, Governor Edward Z. Fox, Director

September 9, 1994

Fred Kennard  
Senior Environmental Engineer  
ASARCO  
P.O. Box 8  
Hayden, Arizona 85235

Dear Mr. Kennard,

On September 8, 1994 ADEQ conducted a performance audit on the SO<sub>2</sub> analyzer's located at the Garfield and Jail sites. Using the criteria set forth on page 39 Section 2.0.12 of the Quality Assurance Handbook for Air Pollution Measurement Systems, July 1984, the analyzer's passed the audit (See attached report form).

If you have any questions please feel free to call me at (602) 207-2359.

Sincerely,

Ron Thaut  
QA/Monitoring Coordinator

cc: Jim Guyton  
Prabhat Bhargava  
Dave Kempson

Sulfur Dioxide Audit Report

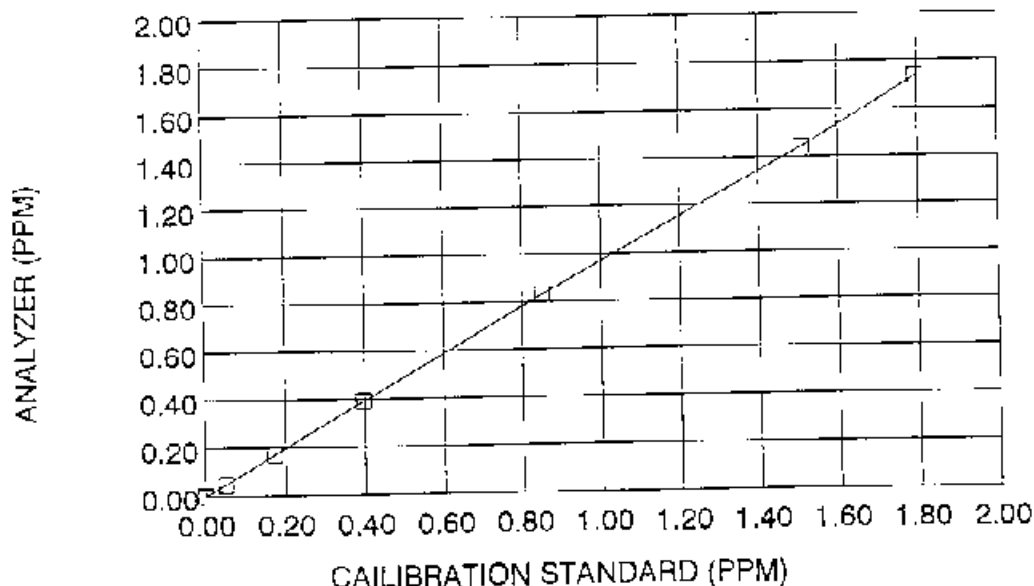
Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: Sept 8, 1994  
 Operator: ASARCO  
 For Site: Garfield  
 Analyzer: Teco M/N: 43B AUDITED BY: Ron Thaut  
 A/N: 833

Range(ppm): 2.00 F/S Output Volts: 10.00  
 CALIBRATOR: Environics M/N: 100 A/N: 22349  
 Zero Air Cylinder No: FF2385 Press (psi): 1000  
 Span Gas Cylinder No: SG9116 PPM: 13.5 Press(psi): 1900

Voltage = ppm/F.S.ppm

| Data Point (ppm) | Calibration Gas Concentration (V) | Analyzer (V) | Analyzer (PPM) | Analyzer Net Response (PPM) | Percentage Difference (%) |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 0.0000           | 0.0000                            | -0.0002      | 0.0000         | 0.0000                      | -----                     |
| 0.0500           | 0.2500                            | 0.2300       | 0.0460         | 0.0460                      | -7.9200                   |
| 0.1740           | 0.8700                            | 0.8500       | 0.1700         | 0.1700                      | -2.2759                   |
| 0.3990           | 1.9950                            | 1.9600       | 0.3920         | 0.3920                      | -1.7444                   |
| 0.8510           | 4.2550                            | 4.1500       | 0.8300         | 0.8300                      | -2.4630                   |
| 1.5100           | 7.5500                            | 7.2200       | 1.4440         | 1.4440                      | -4.3682                   |
| 1.7960           | 8.9800                            | 8.6800       | 1.7360         | 1.7360                      | -3.3385                   |

|                                     | EPA CRITERIA | % Difference | RESULT |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------|
| Zero (PPM): 0.0000                  | < 1% FS      | -0.002       | PASS   |
| Slope: 0.962528                     | < 15%        | -3.74717991  | PASS   |
| Intercept: 0.002479                 | < 3% FS      | 0.123965715  | PASS   |
| Correlation Coefficient: 0.99994993 | <= .9950     | -----        | PASS   |



Sulfu. Dioxide Audit Report

Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: Sept 8, 1994

Operator: ASARCO  
 For Site: Jail  
 Analyzer: Teco

AUDITED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
 A/N: 4884

Ron Thaut

Range(ppm): 2.00 F/S Output Volts: 10.00

CALIBRATOR: Envirionics M/N: 100 A/N: 281

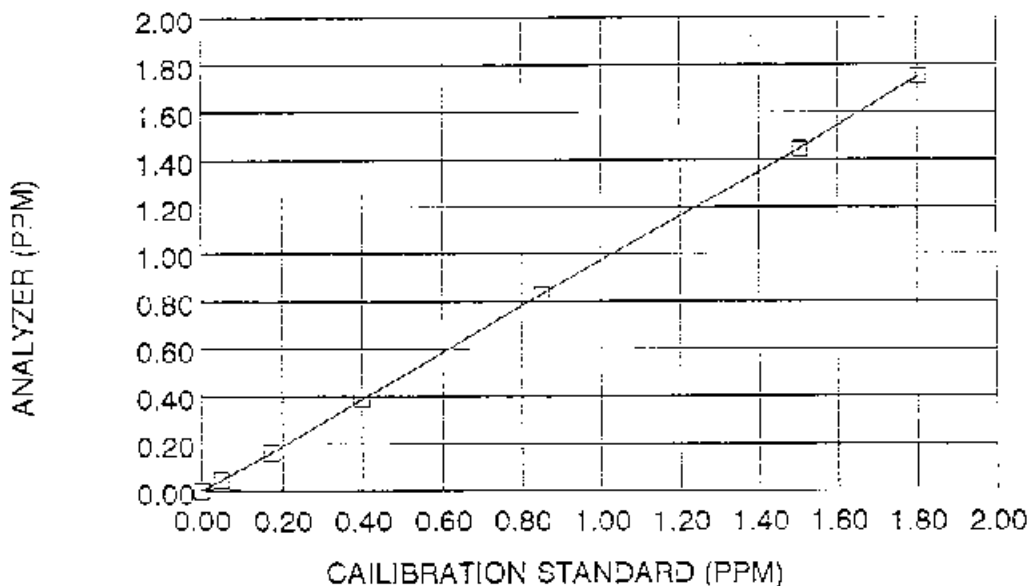
Zero Air Cylinder No: FF2385 Press (psi): 1100

Span Gas Cylinder No: SG9116 PPM: 13.5 Press(psi): 1700

Voltage = ppm/F.S.ppm

| Data Point (ppm) | Calibration Gas Concentration (V) | Analyzer (V) | Analyzer (PPM) | Analyzer Net Response (PPM) | Percentage Difference (%) |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 0.0000           | 0.0000                            | -0.0004      | -0.0001        | 0.0000                      | -----                     |
| 0.0490           | 0.2450                            | 0.2300       | 0.0460         | 0.0461                      | -5.9592                   |
| 0.1740           | 0.8700                            | 0.8100       | 0.1620         | 0.1621                      | -6.8506                   |
| 0.3990           | 1.9950                            | 1.9270       | 0.3854         | 0.3855                      | -3.3885                   |
| 0.8500           | 4.2500                            | 4.1400       | 0.8280         | 0.8281                      | -2.5788                   |
| 1.5050           | 7.5250                            | 7.2400       | 1.4480         | 1.4481                      | -3.7821                   |
| 1.8020           | 9.0100                            | 8.7500       | 1.7500         | 1.7501                      | -2.8812                   |

|                          | EPA CRITERIA | % Difference | RESULT      |      |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------|
| Zero (PPM):              | -0.0001      | < 1% FS      | -0.004      | PASS |
| Slope:                   | 0.969394     | < 15%        | -3.06059327 | PASS |
| Intercept:               | -0.001836    | < 3% FS      | -0.09181605 | PASS |
| Correlation Coefficient: | 0.99997163   | <= .9950     | -----       | PASS |







**Appendix D**

**Monthly/Quarterly Emission Summary Reports: U.S.  
Smelters Within 100 Kilometers of Border**

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# ASARCO

El Paso Plant  
L. W. Castor, Unit Manager

February 06, 1997

Mr. Dan Pearson, Executive Director  
Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission  
**Attn: Ms Jeanne Philquist, Manager (MC 169)**  
Enforcement division, Air Section  
Post Office Box 13087  
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Attention: Compliance Division

Dear Mr. Pearson,

Submitted herewith in compliance with Order No. 70 1701 of the Forty First Judicial District Court is the monthly report for January 1997 of ambient sulfur dioxide excursions above established standards:

|       | <u>Standard</u>      | <u>No. Excursions</u> | <u>%Compliance</u> |
|-------|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| TNRCC | 0.50 ppm/ 1-hr. avg. | 0                     | 100                |
| EPA   | 0.50 ppm/ 3-hr. avg. | 0                     | 100                |
| EPA   | 0.14 ppm/24-hr. avg. | 0                     | 100                |

Sincerely,



J.A. Baca  
Sr. Environmental Engineer

cc: File  
E.A. Groten  
J.B. Richardson  
41st Judicial Court  
Archie Clouse, Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission  
Jesus Reynoso, El Paso City/County Health and Environmental District

# ASARCO

El Paso Plant  
L. W. Castor, Unit Manager

January 30, 1997

Mr. Archie Clouse  
Manager Air Program  
Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission  
7500 Viscount, Suite 147  
El Paso, Texas 79925

**RE: Quarterly CEM and COM Reporting for Permit No. 20345**

Dear Mr. Clouse:

Attached are the required reports for the fourth quarter of 1996 for the continuous emission monitor (CEM) for sulfur dioxide and the two continuous opacity monitors (COM's) required by Special Provision No. 23 of Permit No. 20345.

There were 18 periods of excess SO<sub>2</sub> emissions for 6-hour block averages as indicated on the attached, all resulting from acid plant shutdowns and startups that were reported to your office as required by Rule 101.6 or 101.7. These reports include information concerning the corrective actions taken and are incorporated by reference into this report.

Also enclosed is a copy of the quarterly audit and quality assurance performed on the CEM and COMs during the week of December 16, 1996.

I certify that the information contained in this report is true, accurate, and complete.

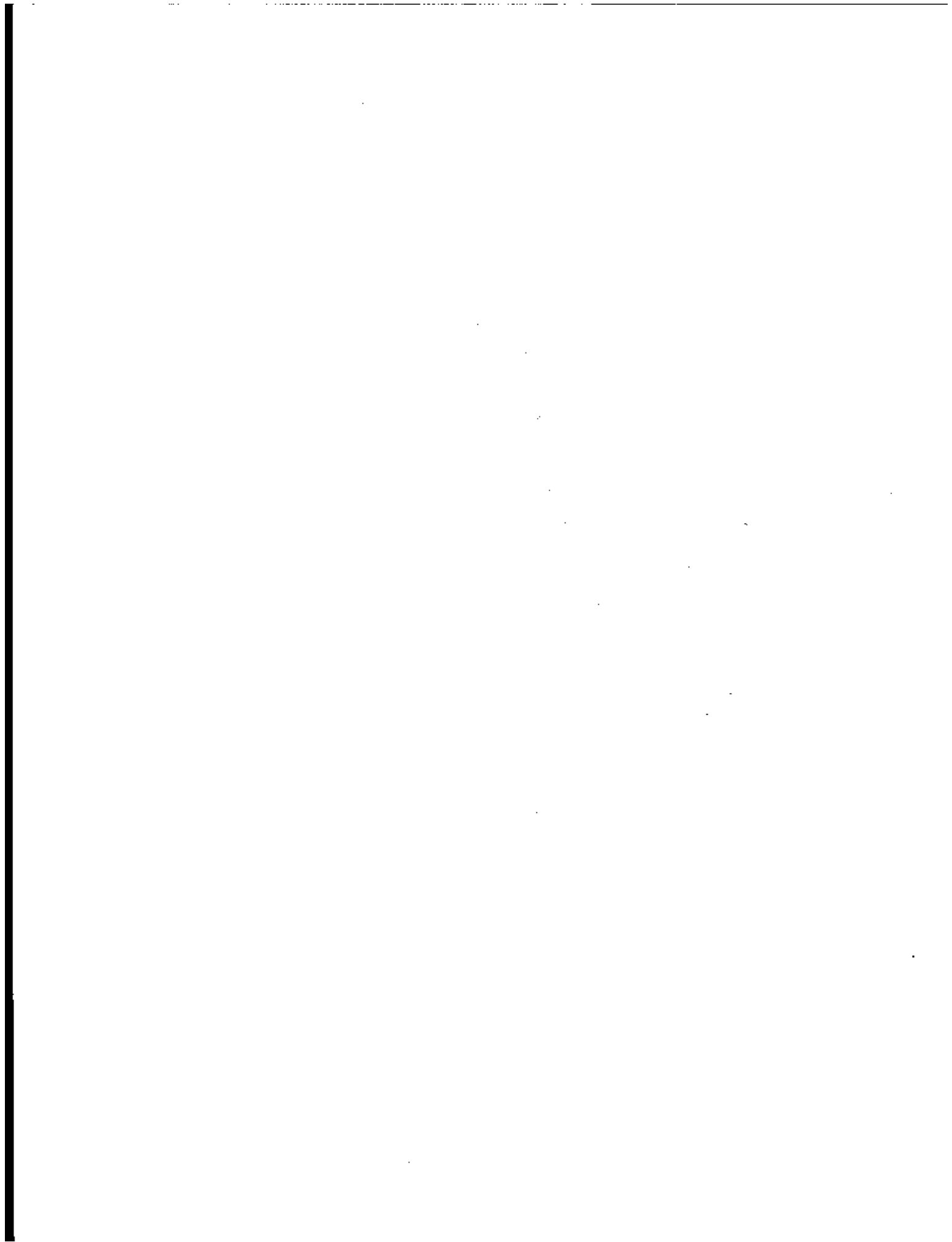
Sincerely,



Joseph A. Baca  
Senior Environmental Engineer

cc: EA Groten  
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**ASARCO INCORPORATED**  
**EL PASO PLANT**  
**CEM/COM SUMMARY REPORT**  
**FOURTH QUARTER 1996**



**FLUID BED DRYER COM**

Pollutant - Opacity

Reporting period dates: October 01, 1996 - December 31, 1996

Company: ASARCO Incorporated, El Paso Plant

Emission Limitation: 10 %

Address: 2301 W. Paisano, El Paso, Texas 79922

Monitor Manufacturer and Model No.: United Sciences, Inc. Model 500C S/N 03941125

Date of Latest CMS Certification or Audit: December 16, 1996.

Process Unit(s) Description: Fluid bed concentrate dryer baghouse

Total source operating time in reporting period: 1824.0 hours

Instrument Tag #AIT078301

**A. Emission Data Summary**

1. Duration of excess emissions in reporting period due to:
  - a. Startup/Shutdown: 18 minutes
  - b. Control equipment problems: 0 minutes
  - c. Process problems: 6 minutes
  - d. Other known causes: 0 minutes
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 minutes
2. Total duration of excess emissions: 24 minutes
3. Total duration of excess emissions was 0.0 % (<1 %) of total source operating time, so no "long form" report required. Please refer to Section D. below for information pertaining to part 1(c) above.

**B. CMS Performance Summary**

1. CMS downtime in reporting period due to:
  - a. Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 minutes
  - b. Non-Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 minutes
  - c. Quality assurance calibration: 1182 minutes
  - d. Other known causes: 222 minutes
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 minutes
2. Total CMS downtime: 1404 minutes
3. Total CMS downtime was 1.3% (<5 %) of total source operating time, so no "long form" report is required.

**CONVERTER BUILDING VENTILATION BAGHOUSE COM**

Pollutant - Opacity

Reporting period dates: October 01, 1996 - December 31, 1996

Company: ASARCO Incorporated, El Paso Plant

Emission Limitation: 15%

Address: 2301 W. Paisano, El Paso, Texas 79922

Monitor Manufacturer and Model No.: United Sciences, Inc. Model 500C S/N 03941119

Date of Latest CMS Certification or Audit: December 17, 1996.

Process Unit(s) Description: Converter Building Ventilation Baghouse

Total source operating time in reporting period: 2208 hours

Instrument Tag # AIT078301

**A. Emission Data Summary**

1. Duration of excess emissions in reporting period due to:
  - a. Startup/Shutdown: 204 minutes
  - b. Control equipment problems: 0 minutes
  - c. Process problems: 66 minutes
  - d. Other known causes: 0 minutes
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 minutes
2. Total duration of excess emissions: 270 minutes
3. Total duration of excess emissions was 0.2 % (<1 %) of total source operating time so no "long form" report required.

**B. CMS Performance Summary**

1. CMS downtime in reporting period due to:
  - a. Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 minutes
  - b. Non-Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 minutes
  - c. Quality assurance calibration: 18 minutes
  - d. Other known causes: 0 minutes
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 minutes
2. Total CMS downtime: 18 minutes
3. Total CMS downtime was 0.0% (<5 %) of total source operating time, so no "long form" report required.



## ACID PLANT STACK SO<sub>2</sub> CEM

Pollutant SO<sub>2</sub>

Reporting period dates: October 01, 1996 - December 31, 1996

Company: ASARCO Incorporated, El Paso Plant

Emission Limitation: 500 ppm / 6 hours

Address: 2301 W. Paisano, El Paso, Texas 79922

Monitor Manufacturer and Model No : AMETEK 400-460 S/N 7692

Date of Latest CMS Certification or Audit: December 16, 1996.

Process Unit(s) Description: Acid plants #1 and #2 Common stack.

Total source operating time in reporting period: 1485.0 hours

Instrument Tag # AIT078202

### A. Emission Data Summary

1. Duration of excess emissions in reporting period due to:
  - a. Startup/Shutdown: 108.0 hours
  - b. Control equipment problems: 0 hours
  - c. Process problems: 0 hours
  - d. Other known causes: 0 hours
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 hours
2. Total duration of excess emissions: 108.0 hours
3. Total duration of excess emissions was 7.3% (>1 %) of total source operating time. Please refer to Section C. and E. below and to previously filed 101.6 and 101.7 reports (cross referenced in attached table) for information required by 40 CFR §60.7(c).

### B. CMS Performance Summary

1. CMS downtime in reporting period due to:
  - a. Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 hours
  - b. Non-Monitor equipment malfunctions: 0 hours
  - c. Quality assurance calibration: 0 hours
  - d. Other known causes: 0 hours
  - e. Unknown causes: 0 hours
2. Total CMS downtime: 0 hours
3. Total CMS downtime was 0.0 % (<5%) of total source operating time, so no "long form" report required.

C. Explanation for 6-hour block averages exceeding 500 ppm of SO<sub>2</sub> are as follows:

| DATE     | 6 HR-BLOCK | AVG PPM | EXPLANATION        | MAINT/UPSET NO. |
|----------|------------|---------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 10/01/96 | 1200-1800  | 1072    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/05/1996     |
| 10/05/96 | 0000-0600  | 705     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | U10/02/1996     |
| 10/05/96 | 0600-1200  | 1055    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | U10/02/1996     |
| 10/05/96 | 1200-1800  | 810     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | U10/02/1996     |
| 10/18/96 | 1800-2400  | 773     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 10/25/96 | 1200-1800  | 534     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M10/08/1996     |
| 11/06/96 | 1200-1800  | 1204    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/06/96 | 1800-2400  | 508     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/07/96 | 0000-0600  | 628     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/08/96 | 1800-2400  | 573     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/09/96 | 0000-0600  | 1116    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/20/96 | 1800-2400  | 723     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M11/04/1996     |
| 11/22/96 | 1800-2400  | 574     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 11/23/96 | 0000-0600  | 1057    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M09/02/1996     |
| 12/05/96 | 1800-2400  | 716     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M12/02/1996     |
| 12/15/96 | 1800-2400  | 569     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | M12/03/1996     |
| 12/27/96 | 1200-1800  | 683     | ACID PLANT STARTUP | U12/02/1996     |
| 12/27/96 | 1800-2400  | 1160    | ACID PLANT STARTUP | U12/02/1996     |

**D. Explanation for Excess Emissions duration of greater than five (5) percent for the Acid Plant Stack SO<sub>2</sub> CEM:**

The high percentage of excess emissions for the 4th quarter of 1996 resulted, in part, from reduced operating hours due to a prolonged shut-down for a major rebuild of Number 2 Acid Plant beginning November 06, 1996. This shutdown, alone, reduced the "Total Source Operating Time", by 784 hours. The result of this shut-down was to improve the conversion of sulfur dioxide to sulfuric acid and lower tail gas emissions. Startups associated with Spray Chamber cleaning accounted for the remainder of excess emissions. All start-ups were preceded by written notification in accordance with TNRCC Requirements for Major Upset (101.6) and Maintenance (101.7).





Hidalgo Smelter, Playas, New Mexico 88009 • (505) 436-2211

July 7, 1997

Mr. Jimmy Romero  
Compliance Section  
New Mexico Environment Department  
Air Pollution Control Bureau  
P. O. Box 26110  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

**Re: Transmittal Monthly Sulfur Recovery Reports  
2nd Quarter 1997**

Dear Mr. Romero:

Attached is the sulfur recovery report for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 1997, as required by AQCR 652. We are pleased to report that recovery, after exclusion of emissions that were reported to you pursuant to Air Quality Control Regulation 801, was 95.47%, 96.33%, and 96.35% for the months of April, May, and June respectively. More importantly, we are proud to report that actual sulfur capture, i.e., capture of total sulfur input to the smelter without sulfur input and recovery related to emissions reported under AQCR 801, was 95.06%, 95.27%, and 95.86% for the months of April, May, and June respectively.

Because the smelter captured over 90 percent of its actual sulfur input, the 90 percent capture requirement contained in AQCR 652.B was satisfied without regard to emissions exempted under AQCR 801. The smelter therefore had no excess emissions, as that term is defined in AQCR 801, during the months of April, May, and June 1997.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Mr. G. R. Roose at (505) 436-2211.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. G. Ross", written over a horizontal line.

A. G. Ross  
General Manager - Hidalgo

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Attachment

**Phelps Dodge Mining Company  
Hidalgo Smelter  
Sulfur Recovery - 2nd Quarter 1997**

| <u>Sulfur Input (Tons)</u>       | <u>April</u> | <u>May</u> | <u>June</u> | <u>2nd Quarter</u> |
|----------------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Gross Sulfur Input               | 21895.80     | 15222.10   | 24637.67    | 61755.57           |
| Less Exempt Under AQCR 801       | 95.26        | 170.04     | 126.92      | 392.22             |
| Net Sulfur Input                 | 21800.54     | 15052.06   | 24510.75    | 61363.35           |
| <br>                             |              |            |             |                    |
| <u>Sulfur Recovered (Tons)</u>   |              |            |             |                    |
| Gross Sulfur Recovered           | 20814.17     | 14501.76   | 23617.26    | 58933.19           |
| Less Exempt Under AQCR 801       | 0.93         | 2.11       | 1.19        | 4.23               |
| Net Sulfur Recovered             | 20813.24     | 14499.65   | 23616.07    | 58928.96           |
| <br>                             |              |            |             |                    |
| <u>Sulfur Recovery (Percent)</u> | 95.47%       | 96.33%     | 96.35%      | 96.03%             |
| <br>                             |              |            |             |                    |
| <u>w/o 801 Exemptions</u>        | 95.06%       | 95.27%     | 95.86%      | 95.43%             |



Hidalgo Smelter, Playas, New Mexico 88009 • (505) 436-2211

April 7, 1997

Mr. Jimmy Romero  
Compliance Section  
New Mexico Environment Department  
Air Pollution Control Bureau  
P. O. Box 26110  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

Re: Transmittal Monthly Sulfur Recovery Reports  
1st Quarter 1997

Dear Mr. Romero:

Attached is the sulfur recovery report for the 1st quarter of 1997, as required by AQCR 652. We are pleased to report that recovery, after exclusion of emissions that were reported to you pursuant to Air Quality Control Regulation 801, was 92.33%, 92.33%, and 95.54% for the months of January, February, and March respectively. More importantly, we are proud to report that actual sulfur capture, i.e., capture of total sulfur input to the smelter without sulfur input and recovery related to emissions reported under AQCR 801, was 91.56%, 90.69%, and 95.08% for the months of January, February, and March respectively.

Because the smelter captured over 90 percent of its actual sulfur input, the 90 percent capture requirement contained in AQCR 652.B was satisfied without regard to emissions exempted under AQCR 801. The smelter therefore had no excess emissions, as that term is defined in AQCR 801, during the months of January, February, and March 1997.

If you have any questions, please contact me or Mr. G. R. Roose at (505) 436-2211.

Sincerely,

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A. G. Ross  
General Manager - Hidalgo

AGR:gr  
Attachment

**Phelps Dodge Mining Company  
Hidalgo Smelter  
Sulfur Recovery - 1st Quarter 1997**

| <u>Sulfur Input (Tons)</u>       | <u>January</u> | <u>February</u> | <u>March</u> | <u>1st Quarter</u> |
|----------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Gross Sulfur Input               | 24283.36       | 22095.31        | 27479.22     | 73857.89           |
| Less Exempt Under AQCR 801       | 204.68         | 318.06          | 134.14       | 656.88             |
| Net Sulfur Input                 | 24078.68       | 21777.25        | 27345.08     | 73201.01           |
| <br>                             |                |                 |              |                    |
| <u>Sulfur Recovered (Tons)</u>   |                |                 |              |                    |
| Gross Sulfur Recovered           | 22233.00       | 20038.88        | 26126.29     | 68398.17           |
| Less Exempt Under AQCR 801       | 2.12           | 3.03            | 1.50         | 6.65               |
| Net Sulfur Recovered             | 22230.88       | 20035.85        | 26124.79     | 68391.52           |
| <br>                             |                |                 |              |                    |
| <u>Sulfur Recovery (Percent)</u> |                |                 |              |                    |
|                                  | 92.33%         | 92.00%          | 95.54%       | 93.43%             |
| <br>                             |                |                 |              |                    |
| <u>w/o 801 Exemptions</u>        | 91.56%         | 90.69%          | 95.08%       | 92.61%             |



## **Appendix E**

### **Monthly/Quarterly Emission Summary Reports: Mexican Smelters Within 100 Kilometers of Border**

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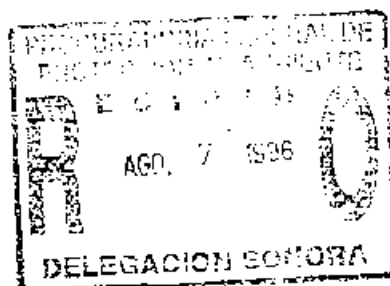
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At'n : Lic. Ernesto Gándara Cannon  
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Me permito enviar Reporte de Resultados de Monitoreo de Concentración de  $SO_2$  en el ambiente que se origina por las emisiones de la Planta Fundición de Cobre en El Tajo, Municipio de Nacozari de García, Sonora.

Estos reportes corresponden a los monitores instalados en Nacozari, Aeropuerto La Caridad, Col. El Globo, Caseta No. 7 y Planta de Cal, cercana a Agua Prieta, Sonora durante el mes de ~~Julio~~ de 1996.

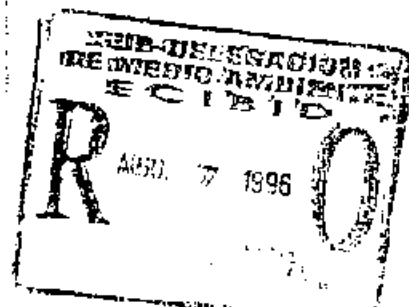
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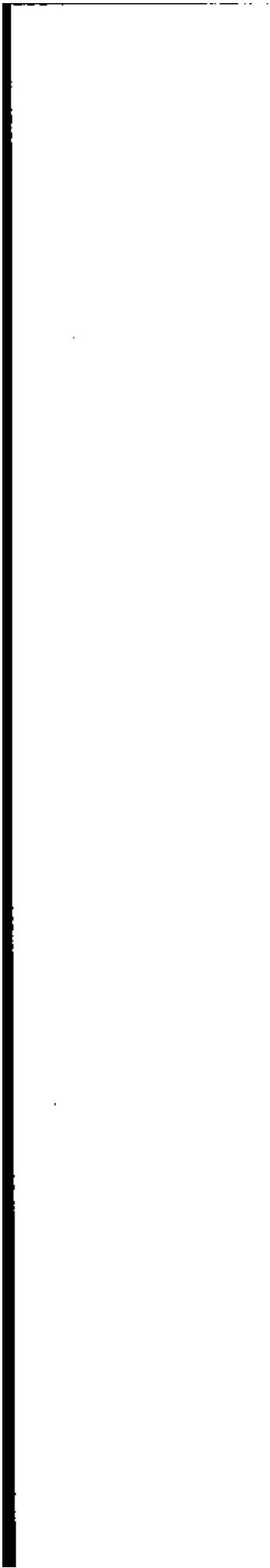
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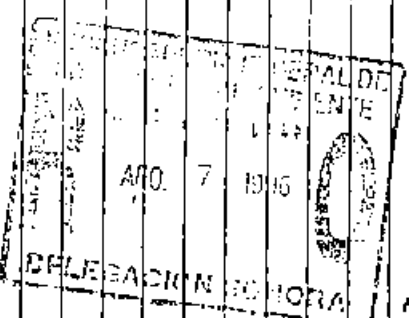
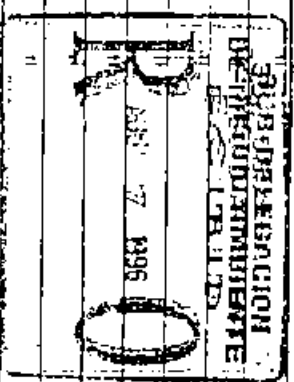
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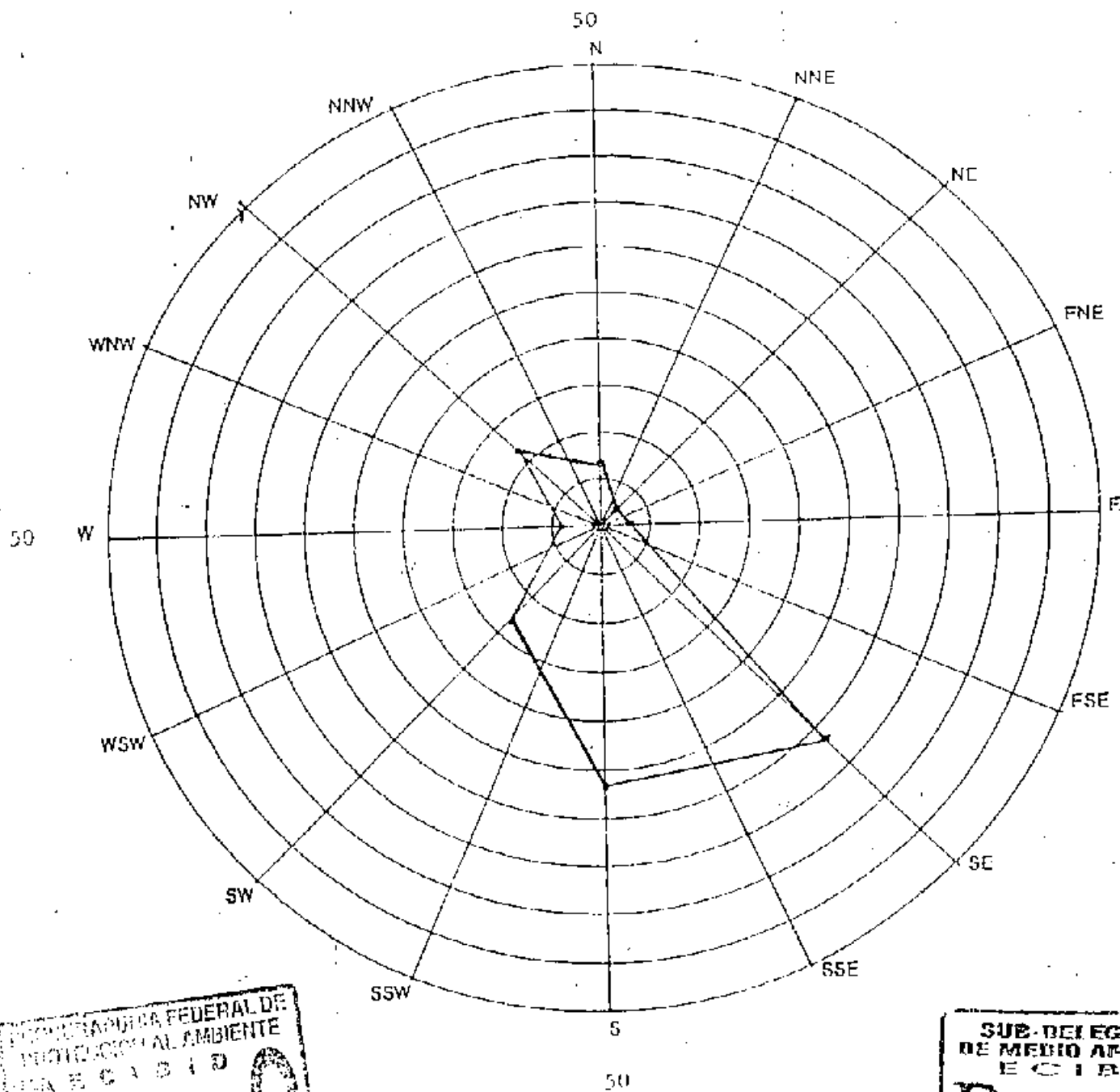
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| 13 | 18° c | 18° c                 | 0° c                     | 29° c                 | 13° c                 | X                   | 1.00"                        | SS                  | LUBRICA  | "                                   |
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| 21 | 17° d | 17° c                 | 0° c                     | 30° c                 | 11° c                 | X                   | O.35"                        | SW                  | LUBRICA  | "                                   |
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| 24 | 17° d | 17° c                 | 0° c                     | 33° d                 | 12° c                 | X                   | O.20"                        | SN                  | LUBRICA  | "                                   |
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| 26 | 18° d | 18° c                 | 0° c                     | 32° d                 | 12° c                 | X                   | O.40"                        | SN                  | LUBRICA  | "                                   |
| 27 | 19° d | 19° c                 | 0° c                     | 32° d                 | 12° c                 | X                   |                              | SE                  | CEBO     | "                                   |
| 28 | 19° d | 19° c                 | 0° c                     | 32° c                 | 13° c                 | X                   | O.13"                        | SN                  | LUBRICA  | "                                   |
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| 30 | 21° d | 21° c                 | 0° c                     | 35° d                 | 15° c                 | X                   |                              | SE                  | CEBO     | "                                   |
| 31 | 23° d | 21° c                 | 2° c                     | 35° d                 | 17° c                 | X                   |                              | SE                  | CEBO     | "                                   |

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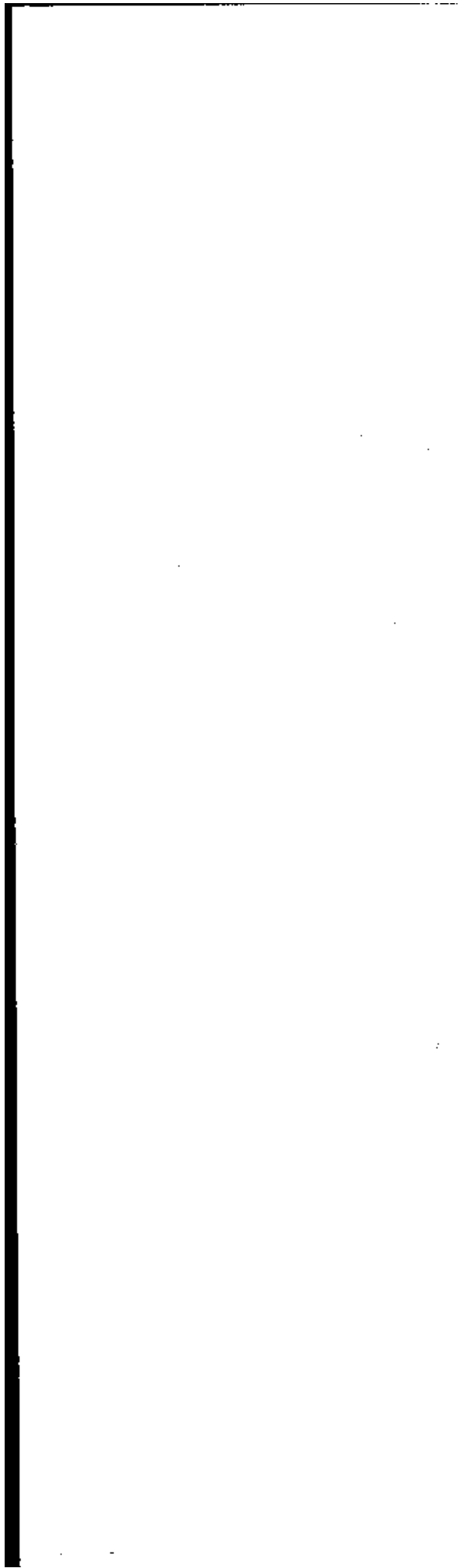
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**Monthly/Quarterly Emission Summary Reports: U.S.  
Smelters in Border States Located Greater Than 100  
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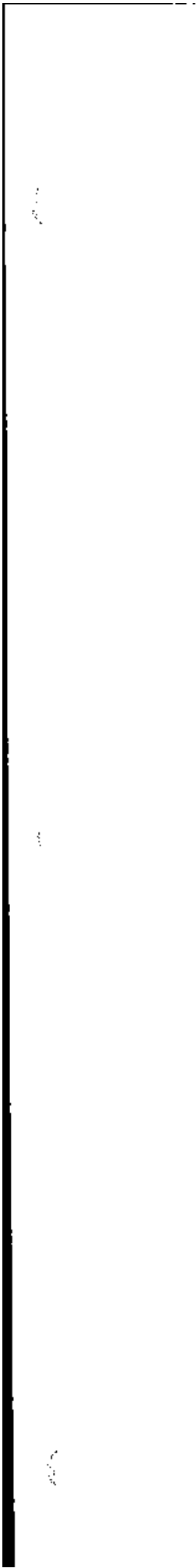


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**CYPRUS MIAMI MINING CORPORATION**

**AIR QUALITY AFFAIRS  
MONTHLY REPORT**

**JUNE 1995**







Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation  
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July 5, 1995

Nancy Wrona, Director  
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Dear Ms. Wrona:

The following report is submitted to summarize the operation of Cyprus' smelter, acid plant and associated equipment during the month of June, 1995.

Sincerely,

*RK Watkins*

R. K. Watkins, Manager  
Copper Products Division

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## SECTION A

## (a) DAILY SULFUR BALANCE

JUN-1995

| DATE | SULFUR IN<br>FEED(T/D) | SULFUR IN<br>ACID(T/D) | SULFUR IN<br>SLAG(T/D) |
|------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1    | 606.                   | 584.                   | 12.5                   |
| 2    | 578.                   | 603.                   | 15.4                   |
| 3    | 519.                   | 561.                   | 11.1                   |
| 4    | 558.                   | 608.                   | 12.9                   |
| 5    | 419.                   | 401.                   | 9.0                    |
| 6    | 0.                     | 34.                    | 0.0                    |
| 7    | 0.                     | 21.                    | 0.0                    |
| 8    | 0.                     | 23.                    | 0.0                    |
| 9    | 0.                     | 27.                    | 0.0                    |
| 10   | 305.                   | 317.                   | 6.1                    |
| 11   | 572.                   | 496.                   | 12.2                   |
| 12   | 572.                   | 556.                   | 12.2                   |
| 13   | 607.                   | 586.                   | 12.2                   |
| 14   | 536.                   | 565.                   | 12.5                   |
| 15   | 666.                   | 624.                   | 16.8                   |
| 16   | 662.                   | 644.                   | 15.4                   |
| 17   | 574.                   | 582.                   | 11.5                   |
| 18   | 502.                   | 515.                   | 10.7                   |
| 19   | 641.                   | 627.                   | 14.0                   |
| 20   | 605.                   | 632.                   | 17.5                   |
| 21   | 574.                   | 592.                   | 11.6                   |
| 22   | 632.                   | 647.                   | 12.9                   |
| 23   | 599.                   | 638.                   | 11.6                   |
| 24   | 605.                   | 600.                   | 7.2                    |
| 25   | 518.                   | 544.                   | 11.5                   |
| 26   | 592.                   | 614.                   | 13.6                   |
| 27   | 492.                   | 414.                   | 10.0                   |
| 28   | 585.                   | 634.                   | 13.2                   |
| 29   | 624.                   | 604.                   | 14.7                   |
| 30   | 649.                   | 642.                   | 15.4                   |

Section A

(b) 3-MONTH SULFUR BALANCE

April - June 1995

|   | APR    | MAY    | JUNE   | 3-Month<br>Period |
|---|--------|--------|--------|-------------------|
| Sulfur in Slag and<br>Byproducts (Tons)   | 505    | 525    | 332    | 1,362             |
| Sulfur in<br>Acids (Tons)                 | 16,865 | 18,059 | 14,935 | 49,859            |
| Sulfur Increase In<br>Secondaries (Tons)  | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0                 |
| Total Sulfur<br>Recovered (Tons)          | 17,370 | 18,584 | 15,267 | 51,221            |
| Sulfur in NMBM<br>(Tons)                  | 16,285 | 18,178 | 14,784 | 49,247            |
| Sulfur in Decreased<br>Secondaries (Tons) | 751    | 63     | 122    | 936               |
| Sulfur in Non--NMBM<br>Materials (Tons)   | 412    | 581    | 652    | 1,645             |
| Unaccounted Sulfur<br>(Tons/Day)          | 2.6    | 7.7    | 11     | 6.9               |
| Number of<br>Operating Days               | 30     | 31     | 27     | 88                |

Section B

MONITOR STATISTICS

June 1995

| Monitor | (a) Excursions |          | (b) Ambient Maximums           |            |                                 |         |
|---------|----------------|----------|--------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|---------|
|         | #3-hour        | #24-Hour | Highest 3-Hour Average (ug/m3) | Date/Hours | Highest 24-Hour Average (ug/m3) | Date    |
| JR      | 0              | 0        | 153                            | 6-19/07-10 | 25                              | 6/12/95 |
| MI      | 0              | 0        | 213                            | 6-19/07-10 | 32                              | 6/22/95 |
| BU      | 0              | 0        | 0                              | *          | 0                               | *       |

\* No SO2 concentrations observed.

(c) During the month of June, 1995, there were no exceedances of the ambient air quality standards for SO2.

## SECTION C

 CONTINUOUS EMISSION MONITORING SYSTEM REPORT for 3/95  
 a) DAILY ANNUAL AND SOURCE AVERAGES

| DAY | ANNUAL<br>LBS-SO <sub>2</sub> /YR | MONTHLY<br>UP TAKE % | DAILY<br>VENT<br>AVG. LB/HR | DAILY<br>TAIL STACK<br>AVG. LB/HR | DAILY<br>BYPASS<br>AVG. LB/HR |
|-----|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1   | 343.                              | 100.0                | 20.                         | 355.                              | 71.                           |
| 2   | 346.                              | 100.0                | 20.                         | 321.                              | 0.                            |
| 3   | 347.                              | 100.0                | 18.                         | 266.                              | 0.                            |
| 4   | 347.                              | 100.0                | 27.                         | 310.                              | 0.                            |
| 5   | 348.                              | 100.0                | 45.                         | 304.                              | 0.                            |
| 6   | 348.                              | 100.0                | 24.                         | 70.                               | 266.                          |
| 7   | 347.                              | 99.4                 | 0.                          | 0.                                | 3.                            |
| 8   | 347.                              | 99.5                 | 0.                          | 0.                                | 6.                            |
| 9   | 348.                              | 99.6                 | 7.                          | 2.                                | 82.                           |
| 10  | 348.                              | 99.6                 | 66.                         | 376.                              | 122.                          |
| 11  | 348.                              | 99.6                 | 40.                         | 219.                              | 0.                            |
| 12  | 348.                              | 99.7                 | 31.                         | 338.                              | 0.                            |
| 13  | 347.                              | 99.7                 | 30.                         | 312.                              | 31.                           |
| 14  | 347.                              | 99.7                 | 35.                         | 320.                              | 0.                            |
| 15  | 347.                              | 99.7                 | 18.                         | 385.                              | 0.                            |
| 16  | 347.                              | 99.7                 | 16.                         | 420.                              | 0.                            |
| 17  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 19.                         | 345.                              | 0.                            |
| 18  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 22.                         | 263.                              | 0.                            |
| 19  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 20.                         | 392.                              | 0.                            |
| 20  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 27.                         | 395.                              | 0.                            |
| 21  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 75.                         | 367.                              | 0.                            |
| 22  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 76.                         | 444.                              | 0.                            |
| 23  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 24.                         | 396.                              | 0.                            |
| 24  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 33.                         | 391.                              | 0.                            |
| 25  | 347.                              | 99.8                 | 35.                         | 359.                              | 0.                            |
| 26  | 346.                              | 99.9                 | 22.                         | 357.                              | 0.                            |
| 27  | 346.                              | 99.8                 | 23.                         | 199.                              | 0.                            |
| 28  | 346.                              | 99.9                 | 20.                         | 246.                              | 0.                            |
| 29  | 346.                              | 99.9                 | 22.                         | 341.                              | 0.                            |
| 30  | 347.                              | 99.9                 | 22.                         | 338.                              | 0.                            |

**Section C**

**CONTINUOUS EMISSIONS MONITORING REPORT**

June, 1995

**(b) CEM SYSTEM DOWN PERIODS**

| DATE            | TIME      | DURATION | REASON  |
|-----------------|-----------|----------|---|
| 6/7/95          | 1100-1200 | 1 hour   | 90 inch duct CEM data lost due to a power outage. |
| Total Down Time |           | 1 hour   |   |

$$\text{CEM system data recovery} = 100 - \frac{11 \times 100}{30 \times 24} = 99.9$$

**(c) 3 HOUR CUMULATIVE OCCURRENCE EXCEEDENCES**

During the month of June, 1995, there were no 3 hour emission exceedences.

| LEVEL | NMBR | LEFT | LEVEL | NMBR | LEFT |
|-------|------|------|-------|------|------|
| 3800  | 0    | 2240 | 8700  | 0    | 130  |
| 4100  | 0    | 1910 | 9250  | 0    | 94   |
| 4500  | 0    | 1610 | 9750  | 0    | 68   |
| 4800  | 0    | 1340 | 10250 | 0    | 48   |
| 5200  | 0    | 1100 | 10800 | 0    | 32   |
| 5500  | 0    | 890  | 11500 | 0    | 20   |
| 5800  | 0    | 710  | 12250 | 0    | 12   |
| 6300  | 0    | 560  | 13100 | 0    | 7    |
| 6750  | 0    | 435  | 13900 | 0    | 4    |
| 7200  | 0    | 330  | 14750 | 0    | 2    |
| 7600  | 0    | 245  | 15800 | 0    | 1    |
| 8200  | 0    | 180  | 16900 | 0    | 0    |



**Section C**

**(d) Bypass Reports**

Bypass Number 1  
Beginning: 1548, 6/1/95  
Ending: 1608, 6/1/95

**1. Causes and Corrections:**

The Smelter and Acid Plant were shutdown due to the A and B cold gas blowers accidentally kicking out. Once the blowers were restarted, the Smelter and Acid Plant resumed normal operations.

All maintenance and repairs were performed in an expeditious fashion and all personnel were utilized where practical, to insure a timely completion.

All air pollution control equipment, process equipment, and processes are maintained and operated employing best operating practices, to the maximum extent practicable, for the minimization of emissions.

During the period, there were no measured violations of the national ambient air quality standards.

**2. Emissions during the bypass.**

| Date   | Period    | Duration<br>Minutes | Bypass Stack<br>(lbs SO2) |
|--------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 6/1/95 | 1548-1608 | 20                  | 1,704                     |
|        |           |                     |                           |
|        |           |                     |                           |

Total Stack SO2 Emissions (lbs SO2)

1,704

**Section C**

**(d) Bypass Reports**

Bypass Number 2  
Beginning: 0500, 6/6/95  
Ending: 0409, 6/10/95

1. Causes and Corrections:

The Smelter and Acid Plant were shutdown due to an acid leak in C cooler. Due to extensive acid damage, a longer than anticipated shutdown was required. During the shutdown, new larger capacity acid coolers were connected to replace the older coolers. An Acid Plant shutdown was scheduled for approximately 6/14/95 for this connection. Once the new coolers were connected and repairs completed, the Smelter and Acid Plant resumed normal operations.

All maintenance and repairs were performed in an expeditious fashion and all personnel were utilized where practical, to insure a timely completion.

All air pollution control equipment, process equipment, and processes are maintained and operated employing best operating practices, to the maximum extent practicable, for the minimization of emissions.

During the period, there were no measured violations of the national ambient air quality standards.

2. Emissions during the bypass.

| Date    | Period | Duration<br>Minutes | Bypass Slack<br>(lbs SO2) |
|---------|--------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 6/6/95  | 0500-  | 5,709               | 8,808                     |
| 6/10/95 | 409    |                     |                           |
|         |        |                     |                           |

Total Slack SO2 Emissions (lbs SO2)

8,808

**Section C**

**(d) Bypass Reports**

Bypass Number 3  
Beginning: 1259, 6/13/95  
Ending: 1411, 6/13/95

1. Causes and Corrections:

The Smelter and Acid Plant were shutdown to repair a gas leak at the outlet of the 202B heat exchanger. Once repairs were completed, the Smelter and Acid Plant resumed normal operations.

All maintenance and repairs were performed in an expeditious fashion and all personnel were utilized where practical, to insure a timely completion.

All air pollution control equipment, process equipment, and processes are maintained and operated employing best operating practices, to the maximum extent practicable, for the minimization of emissions.

During the period, there were no measured violations of the national ambient air quality standards.

2. Emissions during the bypass.

| Date    | Period    | Duration<br>Minutes | Bypass Slack<br>(lbs SO2) |
|---------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| 6/13/95 | 1259-1411 | 72                  | 744                       |
|         |           |                     |                           |
|         |           |                     |                           |

Total Stack SO2 Emissions (lbs SO2)

744

Section C

(a) EXCESS OPACITY REPORT

During the month of June, 1995, no excess opacity was observed.

On June 17, 1995 at approximately 1315, the concentrate dryer baghouse caught fire. Black smoke was observed at the beginning of the fire until the dryer was shutdown and isolated. Intermittent periods of opacity greater than 40% were observed but a Method 9 reading was not taken.

The baghouse was immediately shutdown and isolated upon discovery of the fire to minimize opacity > 40%. Repairs were initiated as soon as possible. The dryer was not operated while the baghouse was being repaired. Once repairs were completed, the dryer and baghouse were brought back on-line. This occurred at approximately 0430, 6/27/95.

Section C

(f) EXCESS SO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS REPORT

Report Number: 1  
Emission Point: Acid Plant Tailstack  
Emission Period: 6-10-95, 0000 - 0600  
SO<sub>2</sub> Emission Limits for this Point: 650 ppm/6 hrs  
Resultant SO<sub>2</sub> Emissions 705 ppm

Causes and Corrections:

The Acid Plant was in a start-up mode after being shutdown for approximately 4 days. Due to cooler than normal operating temperatures in the converter beds at the Acid Plant, the tailstack SO<sub>2</sub> concentration exceeded the 650 ppm/6hr limit.

While on start-up, the one converter that was operating was rolled in and out to try to control the tailstack SO<sub>2</sub> concentration. Also, furnace feed was turned on and off to help control the SO<sub>2</sub> concentration. Once normal operating temperatures were achieved at the converter beds at the Acid Plant, the Smelter and Acid Plant resumed normal operations.

SECTION D

**LEVELS OF INPUT MATERIALS (TONS)**

(a) 12 - Month Rolling  
Material Input Levels  
July 1994 - June 1995

|                                   | JULY   | AUG    | SEPT   | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUNE   | 12<br>MONTH<br>TOTAL |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------------------|
| NEW METAL BEARING MATERIAL (TONS) | 34,910 | 50,195 | 41,281 | 44,778 | 39,042 | 38,403 | 20,367 | 20,361 | 63,208 | 53,513 | 58,570 | 48,020 | 512,648              |
| RECYCLABLE HAZARDOUS WASTE (TONS) | 249    | 155    | 261    | 101    | 64     | 124    | 15     | 46     | 184    | 460    | 744    | 711    | 3,114                |
| TOTAL FEED (TONS)                 | 35,159 | 50,350 | 41,542 | 44,879 | 39,106 | 38,527 | 20,382 | 20,407 | 63,392 | 53,973 | 59,314 | 48,731 | 515,762              |

Please Note: In the May 1995 monthly report, the Total Feed tons for May 1995 should be 59314.

## SECTION D

## LEVELS OF INPUT MATERIALS (TONS)

(b) 12-Month Rolling Trace Element Input  
Levels in Recyclable Hazardous Waste (tons)

June 1994 - May 1995

| ELEMENT | JUNE    | JULY    | AUG    | SEPT    | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB    | MAR     | APR     | MAY     | 12       |       |
|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|-------|
|         |         |         |        |         |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |         | MONTH    | TOTAL |
| S       | 18.3650 | 15.2700 | 7.0500 | 17.3150 | 5.2600 | 3.2300 | 8.1150 | 2.1200 | 4.3250 | 12.0500 | 22.4900 | 34.1350 | 149.7250 |       |
| Sb      | 0.0165  | 0.0200  | 0.0045 | 0.0375  | 0.0030 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0020 | 0.0075 | 0.1170  | 0.0865  | 0.2160  | 0.5105   |       |
| As      | 0.0000  | 0.0005  | 0.0000 | 0.0000  | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0015 | 0.0000 | 0.0025 | 0.0130  | 0.0700  | 0.1015  | 0.1895   |       |
| Ba      | 0.1245  | 0.0910  | 0.0835 | 0.1190  | 0.0345 | 0.0195 | 0.0295 | 0.0025 | 0.0190 | 0.0785  | 0.4230  | 0.6225  | 1.6470   |       |
| Be      | 0.0000  | 0.0000  | 0.0000 | 0.0000  | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000  | 0.0000  | 0.0015  | 0.0015   |       |
| Cd      | 0.1740  | 0.0780  | 0.0815 | 0.1460  | 0.0240 | 0.0000 | 0.0175 | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0530  | 0.3770  | 0.9020  | 1.8535   |       |
| Cr      | 4.1525  | 3.0425  | 1.0270 | 2.7820  | 0.4615 | 0.7860 | 0.7840 | 0.0045 | 0.4790 | 1.0045  | 5.3910  | 11.4065 | 31.3210  |       |
| Pb      | 1.0495  | 1.0000  | 0.6425 | 1.7485  | 0.3950 | 0.3610 | 0.7175 | 0.1320 | 0.2335 | 4.6010  | 3.0795  | 7.9130  | 21.8730  |       |
| Hg      | 0.0005  | 0.0005  | 0.0005 | 0.0010  | 0.0005 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0020  | 0.0005  | 0.0000  | 0.0055   |       |
| Ni      | 2.9675  | 2.1460  | 0.8415 | 1.8550  | 0.9195 | 0.6615 | 1.4420 | 0.0765 | 0.1245 | 1.9610  | 6.2320  | 11.8200 | 31.0470  |       |
| Se      | 0.0000  | 0.0000  | 0.0000 | 0.0000  | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0090  | 0.0085  | 0.0085  | 0.0270   |       |
| Ag      | 0.0294  | 0.0260  | 0.0681 | 0.0795  | 0.0191 | 0.0033 | 0.0104 | 0.0215 | 0.0336 | 0.0749  | 0.0617  | 0.3076  | 0.7351   |       |
| Tl      | 0.0015  | 0.0020  | 0.0000 | 0.0010  | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0015 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000  | 0.0045  | 0.0010  | 0.0115   |       |

ECTIONE

MONTHLY STACK EMISSIONS (lbs/hr)  
 VENT FUME STACK  
 MAY 1994 - APRIL 1995

| ELEMENT | MAY    | JUNE   | JULY   | AUG    | SEPT   | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | 12 MONTH |       |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-------|
|         |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        | AVG      | AVG   |
| Sb      | 0.0790 | 0.1487 | 0.1408 | 0.1287 | 0.0820 | 0.0444 | 0.1077 | 0.1137 | 0.0231 | 0.0455 | 0.1244 | 0.0153 | 0.088    | 0.317 |
| As      | 0.2360 | 0.3000 | 0.4153 | 0.3194 | 0.2991 | 0.2165 | 0.6314 | 0.8013 | 0.1178 | 0.1358 | 0.2678 | 0.0640 | 0.317    |       |
| Ba      | 0.0190 | 0.0032 | 0.0191 | 0.0000 | 0.0164 | 0.0462 | 0.0218 | 0.0256 | 0.0255 | 0.0222 | 0.0182 | 0.0404 | 0.021    |       |
| Cd      | 0.1410 | 0.1772 | 0.2194 | 0.0731 | 0.2394 | 0.1885 | 0.2402 | 0.3050 | 0.0110 | 0.0183 | 0.2181 | 0.0546 | 0.157    |       |
| Cr      | 0.0140 | 0.0013 | 0.0435 | 0.0055 | 0.0029 | 0.0547 | 0.0055 | 0.0005 | 0.0046 | 0.0742 | 0.0418 | 0.0142 | 0.022    |       |
| Pb      | 1.0630 | 1.1880 | 1.4508 | 0.8947 | 1.5684 | 0.7256 | 3.0929 | 3.1927 | 1.3277 | 0.9024 | 1.9572 | 0.5238 | 1.491    |       |
| Mn      | 0.0470 | 0.0006 | 0.0753 | 0.0087 | 0.0017 | 0.0007 | 0.0039 | 0.0099 | 0.0110 | 0.0060 | 0.0568 | 0.1114 | 0.028    |       |
| Hg      | 0.0010 | 0.0001 | 0.0005 | 0.0028 | 0.0006 | 0.0016 | 0.0047 | 0.0006 | 0.0009 | 0.0010 | 0.0028 | 0.0003 | 0.001    |       |
| Ni      | 0.0320 | 0.0039 | 0.0255 | 0.0065 | 0.0028 | 0.0193 | 0.0087 | 0.0002 | 0.0062 | 0.0438 | 0.0373 | 0.0339 | 0.018    |       |
| Se      | 0.0030 | 0.0024 | 0.0021 | 0.0078 | 0.0026 | 0.0025 | 0.0096 | 0.0056 | 0.0011 | 0.0148 | 0.0181 | 0.0027 | 0.006    |       |
| Ag      | 0.0070 | 0.0138 | 0.0038 | 0.0006 | 0.0037 | 0.0048 | 0.0026 | 0.0007 | 0.0026 | 0.0030 | 0.0019 | 0.0017 | 0.004    |       |
| Zn      | 3.9970 | 0.6228 | 0.6189 | 0.3792 | 0.8337 | 0.4083 | 0.7987 | 0.7232 | 0.2444 | 0.3220 | 0.6611 | 0.2106 | 0.818    |       |



## SECTION E

MONTHLY STACK EMISSIONS (lbs/hr)  
 ACID PLANT TAILSTACK  
 MAY 1994 - APRIL 1995

| ELEMENT | MAY    | JUNE   | JULY   | AUG    | SEPT   | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | 12<br>MONTH<br>AVG |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------------------|
| Sb      | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0002 | 0.0000 | 0.000              |
| As      | 0.0040 | 0.0001 | 0.0005 | 0.0002 | 0.0015 | 0.0007 | 0.0008 | 0.0007 | 0.0008 | 0.0117 | 0.0021 | 0.0017 | 0.002              |
| Ba      | 0.0020 | 0.0008 | 0.0006 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0001 | 0.0015 | 0.0022 | 0.0023 | 0.0004 | 0.0007 | 0.0026 | 0.001              |
| Cd      | 0.0030 | 0.0005 | 0.0002 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0002 | 0.0005 | 0.0001 | 0.0002 | 0.0003 | 0.0000 | 0.0001 | 0.000              |
| Cr      | 0.0060 | 0.0009 | 0.0052 | 0.0017 | 0.0034 | 0.0027 | 0.0045 | 0.0454 | 0.0084 | 0.0038 | 0.0009 | 0.0197 | 0.009              |
| Pb      | 0.0300 | 0.0007 | 0.0002 | 0.0000 | 0.0005 | 0.0005 | 0.0018 | 0.0014 | 0.0021 | 0.0018 | 0.0034 | 0.0216 | 0.005              |
| Mn      | 0.0090 | 0.0016 | 0.0023 | 0.0008 | 0.0004 | 0.0005 | 0.0244 | 0.0076 | 0.0084 | 0.0026 | 0.0446 | 0.0364 | 0.012              |
| Hg      | 0.0040 | 0.0016 | 0.0254 | 0.0888 | 0.0593 | 0.0138 | 0.1822 | 0.0928 | 0.0564 | 0.0018 | 0.0592 | 0.0481 | 0.053              |
| Ni      | 0.0100 | 0.0016 | 0.0044 | 0.0033 | 0.0038 | 0.0030 | 0.0171 | 0.0525 | 0.0057 | 0.0048 | 0.0015 | 0.0285 | 0.011              |
| Se      | 0.0030 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0003 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0216 | 0.0110 | 0.0001 | 0.003              |
| Ag      | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0001 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0001 | 0.0004 | 0.0001 | 0.0000 | 0.0003 | 0.0001 | 0.0000 | 0.000              |
| Zn      | 0.9310 | 0.0356 | 0.0049 | 0.0010 | 0.0010 | 0.0015 | 0.0107 | 0.0062 | 0.0058 | 0.0004 | 0.0032 | 0.0160 | 0.065              |

# MAGMA

M A G M A   C O P P E R   C O M P A N Y  
SAN MANUEL OPERATIONS

May 13, 1994

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MAY 13 1994

Arizona Department of Environmental Quality  
Air Quality Division  
3033 North Central Avenue, 12T  
Phoenix, AZ 85012  
Attn: Director, Air Quality Division

VIA: Certified Mail

RE: Magma Copper Company Operating Permit No. 0355-88

Dear Ms. Wrona:

Enclosed is Magma Copper Company's monthly compliance report for April, 1994. Magma was in compliance with the terms and conditions contained in its smelter operating permit during the month of April.

Ambient and Emission Monitoring

There were no exceedances of any applicable sulfur dioxide emission limits or National Ambient Air Quality Standards during April. Ambient and emissions monitoring produced excellent data during the month. Pursuant to the April 20, 1994 correspondence from Mr. Gary Neuroth of your staff, Magma has permanently discontinued the operation of the dorm, mine 3-C and Oracle air monitor stations. Subsequent monthly reports will contain data from the remaining hospital, elks, golf course, and townsite monitors.

Sulfur Removal Equipment

Plantwide sulfur recovery was 98.95 percent for the month of April.

Sincerely,

*[Handwritten signature: Jerry C. May]*  
Jerry C. May  
Division Manager of  
Environmental Control

JCM:pg

cc: Mr. David Howekamp, EPA Region IX

Month April 1994

**MAGMA COPPER COMPANY  
MONTHLY SULFUR BALANCE**

**INPUT**

|           |                  |   |              |                          |                        |
|-----------|------------------|---|--------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| New:      | <u>104,495</u>   | * | <u>32.76</u> | Tons Sulfur (Conc.)      | <u>34,232.5</u>        |
| Recycled: | <u>5,674</u>     | * | <u>15.78</u> | Tons Sulfur (Conc.)      | <u>895.3</u>           |
|           | (Smelted Conc.)  |   | (Avg. % S)   |                          |                        |
|           | <u>21,335</u>    | * | <u>0.00</u>  | Tons Sulfur (Conv. Flux) | <u>0.0</u>             |
|           | (converter Flux) |   | (Avg. % S)   |                          |                        |
|           | <u>12,796</u>    | * | <u>10.89</u> | Tons Sulfur Secondaries  | <u>1,393.2</u>         |
|           | (Tons)           |   | (Avg. % S)   |                          |                        |
|           |                  |   |              | <b>Total</b>             | <b><u>36,521.1</u></b> |

**OUTPUT**

|                         |               |   |              |                                   |                        |
|-------------------------|---------------|---|--------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
|                         | <u>70,337</u> | * | <u>4.06</u>  | Tons Sulfur Slag                  | <u>2,853.8</u>         |
|                         | (Slag)        |   | (Avg. % S)   |                                   |                        |
|                         | <u>1,444</u>  | * |              | Tons Sulfur Weak Acid             | <u>472.1</u>           |
| (As 100% Acid Produced) |               |   | (32.69% S)   |                                   |                        |
|                         | <u>95,982</u> | * |              | Tons Sulfur Strong Acid           | <u>31,376.6</u>        |
| (100% Acid Produced)    |               |   | (32.69% S)   |                                   |                        |
|                         | <u>29,907</u> | * | <u>0.004</u> | Tons Sulfur New Cu                | <u>1.2</u>             |
|                         | (New CU)      |   | (Avg. % S)   |                                   |                        |
|                         | <u>13,112</u> | * | <u>10.93</u> | Tons Sulfur Secondaries           | <u>1,433.0</u>         |
|                         | (Tons)        |   | (Avg. % S)   |                                   |                        |
|                         |               |   |              | <b>Total</b>                      | <b><u>36,136.8</u></b> |
|                         |               |   |              | <b>Monthly % Sulfur Recovery*</b> | <b><u>98.95</u></b>    |

\*Total output divided by total input

**MAGMA DAILY EMISSION RATES  
TONS OF SO2 PER DAY  
APRIL 1994**

| DATE | ACID<br>PLANT<br>TAIL<br>STACK | FLASH<br>FUGITIVE<br>STACK | CONVERTER<br>SECONDARY<br>STACK | FLASH<br>EMERG.<br>VENT<br>STACK | ROOF<br>EMISSION | TOTAL  |
|------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--------|
| 1    | 11.87                          | 4.45                       | 8.91                            |                                  | 17.87            | 43.10  |
| 2    | 12.83                          | 4.77                       | 10.20                           |                                  | 10.27            | 38.07  |
| 3    | 12.47                          | 4.76                       | 9.07                            |                                  | 17.05            | 43.35  |
| 4    | 9.80                           | 2.45                       | 6.90                            | 5.72                             | 9.80             | 34.67  |
| 5    | 11.63                          | 3.81                       | 8.15                            | 0.76                             | 5.47             | 29.82  |
| 6    | 9.07                           | 3.20                       | 6.67                            | 2.92                             | 8.07             | 29.93  |
| 7    | 8.52                           | 3.68                       | 5.79                            | 1.24                             | 3.04             | 22.27  |
| 8    | 6.26                           | 4.20                       | 5.47                            |                                  | 3.89             | 19.82  |
| 9    | 10.50                          | 4.03                       | 6.85                            |                                  | 9.98             | 31.36  |
| 10   | 5.56                           | 4.14                       | 7.87                            |                                  | 3.36             | 20.93  |
| 11   | 7.42                           | 4.09                       | 6.23                            |                                  | 5.63             | 23.37  |
| 12   | 4.90                           | 4.20                       | 6.15                            |                                  | 2.87             | 18.12  |
| 13   | 5.49                           | 4.50                       | 6.10                            |                                  | 2.38             | 18.47  |
| 14   | 6.07                           | 4.93                       | 7.48                            |                                  | 3.28             | 21.76  |
| 15   | 8.69                           | 4.98                       | 6.88                            |                                  | 4.28             | 24.83  |
| 16   | 7.48                           | 4.35                       | 6.20                            |                                  | 3.63             | 21.66  |
| 17   | 7.63                           | 4.53                       | 8.53                            |                                  | 3.16             | 23.85  |
| 18   | 6.05                           | 4.07                       | 7.15                            |                                  | 3.85             | 21.12  |
| 19   | 6.39                           | 4.07                       | 6.80                            |                                  | 3.27             | 20.53  |
| 20   | 6.92                           | 4.57                       | 5.89                            |                                  | 3.65             | 21.03  |
| 21   | 7.14                           | 3.82                       | 5.64                            |                                  | 4.69             | 21.29  |
| 22   | 7.01                           | 2.17                       | 4.61                            | 2.39                             | 6.96             | 23.14  |
| 23   | 5.56                           | 3.70                       | 5.21                            |                                  | 8.72             | 23.19  |
| 24   | 6.29                           | 3.73                       | 10.40                           |                                  | 5.65             | 26.07  |
| 25   | 4.47                           | 3.19                       | 5.52                            |                                  | 3.54             | 16.72  |
| 26   | 5.72                           | 3.81                       | 6.13                            |                                  | 6.15             | 21.81  |
| 27   | 6.43                           | 3.49                       | 4.47                            |                                  | 5.64             | 20.03  |
| 28   | 9.71                           | 3.28                       | 7.61                            |                                  | 12.35            | 32.95  |
| 29   | 8.75                           | 4.10                       | 8.26                            |                                  | 5.38             | 26.49  |
| 30   | 5.52                           | 3.66                       | 8.43                            |                                  | 3.09             | 20.70  |
|      | 232.15                         | 118.73                     | 209.57                          | 13.03                            | 186.97           | 760.45 |

One hour calculated on Acid Plant, Train 2, April 01

**MAGMA COPPER COMPANY**  
**Sulfur Dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) Compliance Information**  
**APRIL 1994**

| Date | Cumulative Average<br>Emission Rate | Maximum Three-Hour<br>Average Emission Rate |
|------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1    | 2229                                | 5933  |
| 2    | 2230                                | 4143  |
| 3    | 2231                                | 4791  |
| 4    | 2230                                | 4610  |
| 5    | 2229                                | 3413  |
| 6    | 2227                                | 3786  |
| 7    | 2223                                | 2384  |
| 8    | 2219                                | 1916  |
| 9    | 2219                                | 4471  |
| 10   | 2217                                | 2339  |
| 11   | 2215                                | 2628  |
| 12   | 2210                                | 2405  |
| 13   | 2206                                | 2047  |
| 14   | 2203                                | 2238  |
| 15   | 2200                                | 2708  |
| 16   | 2195                                | 2512  |
| 17   | 2193                                | 2845  |
| 18   | 2190                                | 2118  |
| 19   | 2186                                | 2354  |
| 20   | 2184                                | 2503  |
| 21   | 2185                                | 2991  |
| 22   | 2186                                | 3847  |
| 23   | 2185                                | 2946  |
| 24   | 2186                                | 3629  |
| 25   | 2184                                | 2176  |
| 26   | 2184                                | 2412  |
| 27   | 2183                                | 2489  |
| 28   | 2185                                | 4989  |
| 29   | 2186                                | 4037  |
| 30   | 2184                                | 2496  |

**MAGMA COPPER COMPANY**  
**Sulfur Dioxide (SO2) Compliance Information**  
**April 1994 30 Operating Days**  
**E Max = 18275 lb/hr**

| SO2 Emission Limits (E)* | Cumulative Occurrence LIMIT (N) | Number of Three Hour Averages in Excess of E |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| 72,000                   | 0                               | 0  |
| 68,000                   | 1                               | 0  |
| 64,000                   | 2                               | 0  |
| 61,000                   | 4                               | 0  |
| 57,800                   | 7                               | 0  |
| 54,800                   | 12                              | 0  |
| 52,000                   | 20                              | 0  |
| 49,500                   | 32                              | 0  |
| 47,500                   | 48                              | 0  |
| 45,500                   | 68                              | 0  |
| 43,500                   | 94                              | 0  |
| 41,200                   | 130                             | 0  |
| 39,200                   | 180                             | 0  |
| 37,200                   | 245                             | 0  |
| 35,200                   | 330                             | 0  |
| 33,770                   | 435                             | 0  |
| 32,000                   | 560                             | 0  |
| 30,200                   | 710                             | 0  |
| 28,700                   | 890                             | 0  |
| 27,200                   | 1,100                           | 0  |
| 25,700                   | 1,340                           | 0  |
| 24,500                   | 1,610                           | 0  |
| 23,000                   | 1,910                           | 0  |
| 21,700                   | 2,240                           | 0  |

\*Pounds of SO2 per hour

MAGMA COPPER COMPANY  
 CEM SYSTEM AVAILABILITY  
 April 1994

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Number<br/>of Hrs<br/>Lost</u> | <u>CEM<br/>Affected</u> | <u>Parameter<br/>(SO<sub>2</sub> or Flow)</u> | <u>Reason</u>             |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| 01          | 0000-0700A  | 7                                 | Train 2                 | Flow  | Lost flow<br>signal       |
| 28          | 1300-1600A  | 3                                 | Flash<br>Fugitives      | SO <sub>2</sub>                               | Auto zero<br>actuator bad |

%Data Recovery (Roof) =  $100 * \frac{(720-0)}{720} = 100\%$

%Data Recovery (Converter Secondary) =  $100 * \frac{(720-0)}{720} = 100\%$

%Data Recovery (Flash Fugitives) =  $100 * \frac{(720-3)}{720} = 99.6\%$

%Data Recovery (Flash Emergency) =  $100 * \frac{(24-0)}{24} = 100\%$

%Data Recovery (Tail 1) =  $100 * \frac{(720-0)}{720} = 100\%$

%Data Recovery (Tail 2) =  $100 * \frac{(720-7)}{720} = 99.0\%$

%Data Recovery (Tail 3) =  $100 * \frac{(612-0)}{612} = 100\%$

%Data Recovery (System) =  $100 * \frac{(720-10)}{720} = 98.6\%$

**MAGMA COPPER COMPANY  
 AMBIENT SO2 CONCENTRATIONS  
 APRIL 1994**

| STATION        | CUM.<br>SO2 AVG<br>JAN 01,94<br>APR 30,94 | MONTH<br>AVG | MO. DATA<br>RECOVERY<br>% | MAX 3-HR<br>AVG<br>DATE-TIME | NO. 3-HR<br>AVGS<br>>1300<br>ug/m | MAX<br>24-HR AVG<br>DATE-TIME | NO. 24-HR<br>AVGS<br>>365<br>ug/m |
|----------------|---|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| TOWNSITE       | 20  | 8            | 99.0%                     | 225<br>13/1300A              | 0                                 | 38<br>15/2400A                | 0                                 |
| GOLF<br>COURSE | 15  | 16           | 100.0%                    | 275<br>15/1000A              | 0                                 | 55<br>16/2400A                | 0                                 |
| ELKS           | 23  | 14           | 100.0%                    | 262<br>21/2000A              | 0                                 | 70<br>20/2400A                | 0                                 |
| DORM           | 22  | 15           | 100.0%                    | 201<br>21/2100A              | 0                                 | 47<br>19/0500A                | 0                                 |
| MINE           | 13  | 6            | 99.7%                     | 191<br>03/0600A              | 0                                 | 42<br>03/1000A                | 0                                 |
| ORACLE         | 5   | 3            | 99.9%                     | 12<br>25/0800A               | 0                                 | 7<br>12/2400A                 | 0                                 |
| HOSPITAL       | 27  | 22           | 99.7%                     | 394<br>09/0700A              | 0                                 | 79<br>20/2400A                | 0                                 |
| 3C'S           | 4   | 5            | 100.0%                    | 80<br>09/0700A               | 0                                 | 16<br>09/2400A                | 0                                 |

**TIME PERIODS WHEN VALID DATA IS UNAVAILABLE (INCLUDING CALIBRATION)**

TOWNSITE: 28/1100-1500A (AUDIT OF METEOROLOGICAL EQUIPMENT)  
 30/0500-0600A (ANALYZER DOWN)

GOLF COURSE: NONE

ELKS: NONE

DORM: NONE

MINE: 26/1000-1200A (STATE AUDIT)

ORACLE: 26/1100-1200A (CALIBRATION)

HOSPITAL: 26/0800-1000A (STATE AUDIT)

3C'S: NONE





SIX - MINUTE SO2 AVERAGES GREATER THAN 1.0 ppm (2600 ug/m )  
 AND ONE - HOUR SO2 AVERAGES GREATER THAN 0.50 ppm (1300 ug/m )  
 NOVEMBER 1992

| Ambient SO2 Data (ug/m) |         |                 |             | SO2 Emissions Data (lb) |            |                |             |               |      |               |            |                |  |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|------|---------------|------------|----------------|--|
| Date                    | Monitor | 6 - MIN SO2 Avg | Ending Time | 1 - Hour SO2 Avg        | Flash Fug. | Flash Prev. Hr | Tail Stacks | Tail Prev. Hr | Roof | Roof Prev. Hr | Conv. Fug. | Conv. Prev. Hr |  |
| 07                      | HOSP    | 4679            | 1342        | 732                     | 443        | 427            | 945         | 618           | 864  | 468           | 4228       | 334            |  |
| 09                      | DORM    | 2615            | 1148        | 966                     | 351        | 332            | 1073        | 1258          | 3912 | 3808          | 899        | 475            |  |
| 09                      | HOSP    | 1914            | 1130        | 1125                    | 351        | 332            | 1073        | 1258          | 3912 | 3808          | 899        | 475            |  |
| 09                      | HOSP    | 2557            | 1136        | 1125                    | 351        | 332            | 1073        | 1258          | 3912 | 3808          | 899        | 475            |  |
| 09                      | HOSP    | 2622            | 1154        | 1125                    | 351        | 332            | 1073        | 1258          | 3912 | 3808          | 899        | 475            |  |
| 09                      | HOSP    | 2300            | 1206        | 506                     | 481        | 351            | 610         | 1073          | 4972 | 3912          | 1653       | 899            |  |
| 13                      | HOSP    | 2274            | 1324        | 480                     | 3          | 2              | 614         | 614           | 1036 | 1127          | 1557       | 2058           |  |
| 15                      | ELKS    | 2069            | 1348        | 531                     | 272        | 350            | 921         | 1147          | 3935 | 3848          | 1214       | 837            |  |
| 15                      | HOSP    | 2127            | 1248        | 736                     | 350        | 349            | 1147        | 1001          | 3848 | 3872          | 837        | 484            |  |
| 15                      | HOSP    | 3785            | 1348        | 583                     | 272        | 350            | 921         | 1147          | 3935 | 3848          | 1214       | 837            |  |
| 15                      | HOSP    | 2821            | 1636        | 411                     | 395        | 298            | 1419        | 958           | 5640 | 2111          | 2458       | 1719           |  |
| 16                      | TOWN    | 2223            | 1242        | 723                     | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | ELKS    | 2274            | 1218        | 1123                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | ELKS    | 1947            | 1236        | 1123                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | HOSP    | 2197            | 1212        | 1501                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | HOSP    | 2808            | 1218        | 1501                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | HOSP    | 2634            | 1236        | 1501                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 16                      | HOSP    |                 | 1300        | 1501                    | 433        | 220            | 1395        | 760           | 2685 | 725           | 302        | 1208           |  |
| 18                      | GOLF    | 3978            | 0848        | 423                     | 241        | 424            | 781         | 933           | 3251 | 4144          | 1585       | 1922           |  |
| 19                      | TOWN    | 1985            | 0948        | 743                     | 508        | 323            | 1012        | 929           | 1707 | 2372          | 1010       | 855            |  |
| 19                      | TOWN    | 2712            | 1600        | 271                     | 450        | 511            | 707         | 514           | 596  | 3493          | 705        | 1142           |  |
| 19                      | TOWN    | 2422            | 2354        | 245                     | 209        | 473            | 887         | 907           | 1178 | 752           | 930        | 846            |  |
| 20                      | GOLF    | 3933            | 1054        | 953                     | 352        | 231            | 1281        | 438           | 1761 | 2577          | 2456       | 1149           |  |
| 20                      | GOLF    | 5599            | 1100        | 953                     | 352        | 231            | 1281        | 438           | 1761 | 2577          | 2456       | 1149           |  |
| 21                      | TOWN    | 2075            | 1006        | 302                     | 493        | 427            | 753         | 1014          | 3872 | 1237          | 1021       | 3587           |  |

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## **Appendix G**

### **July 1995 EPA Report on Copper Smelter HAP Emission Estimates**

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FINAL SUMMARY REPORT

Primary Copper Smelters  
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## 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

There are presently eight primary copper smelters operating in the United States: three in Arizona, two in New Mexico, and one each in Utah, Texas, and Michigan.

Several of the smelters have undergone changes that have significantly lowered hazardous air pollutant (HAP) emissions since passage of the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments. In particular, the ASARCO-El Paso, Texas smelter has installed a fluidized bed concentrate dryer and CONTOP cyclone reactors in place of roasters and a reverberatory furnace. Additionally, modifications in 1993 and 1994 at the ASARCO-Hayden and Magma Copper Company smelters in Arizona probably resulted in decreases in HAP emissions. Further changes are planned at other smelters, which will result in significant reductions of HAP heavy metal emissions. These changes include the construction of a modernized smelter by Kennecott in Utah, which will eliminate ladle transfers of molten metal. The Copper Range Company smelter in White Pine, Michigan, is planning installation of acid plants and extensive particulate controls as part of a consent agreement with the State of Michigan and EPA Region 5. In 1994, the Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo smelter installed telescoping converter secondary collection hoods, and baghouses on captured fugitive gas streams. Baghouse utilization has resulted in a 90% reduction in HAP emissions from the main stack, and secondary converter hoods are currently operating between 60-65% efficient. These results are based on EPA draft method 29 for heavy metals testing and EPA methods 5 and 8 which was conducted on all stacks,

converter primary offgas, and converter secondary offgas. An extensive HAP material balance around converter operations was utilized to indicate hood efficiencies.

A wide variety of smelting processes are utilized at the seven operating primary copper smelters. These smelting processes are centered around several furnace/reactor types, including Outokumpu flash furnaces (two plants), Inco flash furnaces (two plants), CONTOP reactors (one plant), Noranda reactors (one plant), and an Isa vessel (one plant). Six of the seven operating smelters have Pierce-Smith converters (the Cyprus Miami smelter in Arizona has Hoboken converters). The modernized smelter at Kennecott will use flash converters and eliminate hot matte metal transfers by granulation of the matte.

Anode copper production at the plants in 1992 ranged from 370,913 tons to 81,361 tons, a ratio of 4.5 to one. The total 1992 anode copper production for the eight plants was 1,360,000 tons.

Hazardous air pollutants emissions from primary copper smelters consist primarily of compounds of lead and arsenic. In fact, lead and arsenic represent approximately 80 percent, by mass, of the total heavy metal HAP emissions from primary copper smelters. Other metallic HAP emissions include compounds of antimony, beryllium, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, manganese, mercury, nickel, and selenium.

At present (December 1993), the Copper Range Company smelter and the Kennecott Utah Copper smelter have the highest HAP

emissions in the primary copper smelting industry. Both smelters have emissions greater than 10 tons per year of any one HAP, and 25 tons per year of all HAPs combined, definitely identifying them as a "major" source of hazardous air pollutants. However, by July 1995 (when the Kennecott Utah modernized copper smelter and other plant modifications at other smelters are projected to be completed) it appears that possibly there may not be any primary copper smelters with actual emissions greater than 10 tons per year of any one HAP, or 25 tons per year of all HAPs combined.

Due to possible changes in input impurity levels at each of the smelters, several of the smelters may have the "potential to emit" greater than 10 tons per year of lead compounds, or 25 tons per year of all HAPs combined. Additionally, it is known that at least two smelters currently have permits that allow for HAP emissions greater than 10 tons per year of any one HAP, and 25 tons per year of combined HAPs, indicating the "potential to emit" greater than 10 tons per year of any one HAP, and 25 tons per year of combined HAP's.

All of the smelters except the Copper Range smelter in Michigan have acid plants to convert sulfur dioxide into sulfuric acid. The particulate controls used to protect the catalyst beds in acid plants are extremely effective in removing heavy metals HAPs. (Note: Copper Range is planning to install, in 1995, an acid plant, an Isasmelt reactor, and particulate controls on all fugitive collection systems.) The particulate/heavy metals

controls at the inlets to acid plants are so effective that virtually all the heavy metal HAP emissions from primary copper smelters are from non-process gas streams (gas streams that are not treated in the acid plant), and uncaptured fugitive emissions (primarily from converter buildings). Controls for non-process gas streams (such as gases captured by converter secondary hoods, and furnace matte tapping and slag tapping hoods) include baghouses, electrostatic precipitators, and (sulfur dioxide) scrubbers. Some plants do not have controls for non-process gas streams.

There is a wide variation in amounts (concentrations) of input impurities (HAP-forming metals, such as lead, arsenic, antimony, etc.) in the concentrates and other materials charged to primary copper smelters. In 1992, the highest input impurity levels were found at the two ASARCO smelters, and the lowest input impurity levels were found at the two Phelps Dodge smelters, and Copper Range-White Pine. At the two ASARCO smelters, certain input materials contributed significantly to the input impurity load, but not to the total plant mass input.

Based on the data submitted by the smelters (December 1993), the ASARCO-El Paso, Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines and Phelps-Dodge Hildago plants have HAP emissions that are among the lowest in the primary copper smelting industry. The low HAP emissions are achieved in distinctly different ways. ASARCO-El Paso, despite having the highest input impurity percentages in the industry (in 1992), achieves low HAP emissions by virtual elimination of

converter building fugitive emissions (with a totally enclosed building, ventilated to a baghouse), and by baghouse control of converter secondary hood and furnace matte and slag tapping hood gases. Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines, despite having approximately average converter building fugitive particulate emissions (as indicated by sulfur dioxide emissions data), and no control of secondary hood or matte and slag tapping gases, achieves low HAP emissions through use of low-input-impurity feeds (1992 impurity data). The Phelps Dodge-Hildago smelter also has very low levels of HAPs in ore concentrate feeds (1992 impurity data).

## 2. THE COPPER SMELTER INDUSTRY

### 2.1 Location

There are eight primary copper smelters in the United States. The smelter names and locations are given in Table 1. There are three smelters in Arizona, two in New Mexico, and one each in Texas, Utah, and Michigan.

ASARCO-El Paso: The plant is located within the city of El Paso, Texas. Of the eight primary copper smelters, ASARCO-El Paso is located closest to a major population center. The other seven smelters are located in much more remote locations.

ASARCO-Hayden: The ASARCO-Hayden smelter is located near the town of Hayden, Arizona. The smelter is co-located with a copper mine, and the combined facility is known as the ASARCO Ray Complex.

Copper Range-White Pine: The Copper Range smelter is located in Ontonagon County, on the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, approximately one half mile north of the town of White Pine, and approximately five miles from the shore of Lake Superior.

Cyprus-Miami: The Cyprus-Miami smelter is located in Claypool, Arizona, approximately <sup>85</sup>65 miles east of Phoenix, Arizona. Nearby towns include the towns of Miami and Globe, Arizona.

Kennecott-Utah: The Kennecott Utah Copper smelter is located approximately 15 miles west of Salt Lake City, Utah, and five miles west of Magna, Utah. Other Kennecott facilities in



**Table 1. Primary Copper Smelters in the United States**

| Owner/Operator                       | Location                                   |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| ASARCO, Incorporated                 | El Paso, Texas                             |
| ASARCO, Incorporated                 | Hayden, Arizona                            |
| Copper Range Company (1)             | White Pine, Michigan                       |
| Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation      | Claypool, Arizona                          |
| Kennecott Utah Copper Corporation    | Magna, Utah                                |
| Magma Copper Company                 | San Manuel, Arizona                        |
| Phelps Dodge-<br>Chino Mines Company | Hurley, New Mexico                         |
| Phelps Dodge Mining Company          | Playas, New Mexico<br>(Hidalgo County) (2) |

(1) Copper Range has shut down its existing smelter in early 1995.

(2) Although the mailing address of the Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo smelter is Playas, New Mexico, the smelter is actually located in Hidalgo County, New Mexico, 15 miles south of New Mexico Highway 9, at the Playas turn-off.

the general area with the smelter include the Bingham Canyon Copper Mine, a concentrator near Copperton, Utah, a concentrator and a power plant near Magna, Utah, and a copper refinery two miles east of the smelter.

**Magma-San Manuel:** The Magma Copper Company smelter is located in San Manuel, Arizona, approximately 25 miles northeast of Tucson, Arizona.

**Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines:** The Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines smelter is operated by Chino Mines Company, which is a subsidiary of Phelps Dodge Corporation and Heisei Minerals Corporation. The copper smelter is located in the town of Hurley, New Mexico. Other nearby towns include Bayard, Tyrone, and Silver City, New Mexico.

**Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo:** The Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo smelter is located in Hidalgo County, New Mexico, approximately 30 miles from Arizona, and 25 miles from the border to Mexico. The nearest town to the smelter is the company-built town of Playas, New Mexico.

## 2.2 Current Status

Several of the eight smelters have recently undergone, or will soon undergo, modifications that will significantly reduce hazardous air pollutant (HAP) emissions. A brief discussion of the March 1995 status of each of the smelters is given below:

ASARCO-El Paso: Replaced roasters and a reverberatory furnace with a fluidized bed dryer and CONTOP cyclone reactors. Equipment installation was completed in March of 1993. This modification resulted in significant reductions in plant HAP emissions. For example, ASARCO-El Paso reported emissions for arsenic and lead in 1992 were 27.8 tons and 20.1 tons, respectively. Emissions testing completed in December 1993 found the post-CONTOP lead and arsenic emissions to be 8.8 tons per year and 2.6 tons per year, respectively.

ASARCO-Hayden: In several steps, over a period of several months, ASARCO has rebuilt the Ventilation Gas Cottrell (electrostatic precipitator). These modifications reduced particulate emissions from the Ventilation Gas Cottrell, as measured by a continuous particulate monitoring system located at the outlet of the Ventilation Gas Cottrell.

Copper Range White Pine: Under a Consent Agreement with the State of Michigan and EPA Region 5, Copper Range-White Pine shut down in early 1995 to install major renovations at their smelter. An acid plant(s) will be built to control high concentration SO<sub>2</sub> gases from the new flash furnace and the converters. Additional controls will be installed to control and capture both SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate in low concentration SO<sub>2</sub> gas streams.

Cyprus-Miami: Installed the Isasmelt® system in 1992. The system included installation of an Isa vessel and several pollution control devices. The modifications were permitted

under a no-net-increase clause for sulfur dioxide and lead emissions. Because the area is still a non-attainment area, the no net increase rule was applied to SO<sub>2</sub> emissions. The area is an attainment area for lead so no increase in excess of significant levels was allowed.

Kennecott Utah Copper: Construction and startup of a modernized smelter, which will include both flash smelting and recently developed flash converting, is scheduled for completion in July 1995. Both the flash smelting furnace and the flash converter will operate continuously (not in batches) and will produce a steady, high-strength offgas, which will enable the new double-contact acid plant to achieve very high sulfur capture efficiency. The flash converter will eliminate ladle transfers of molten metals, because its feed is cooled, granulated matte. Both the flash furnace and flash converter will be connected directly to the gas handling system, preventing most fugitive emissions and eliminating the need for separate primary hoods. Potential secondary emission sources (for example, launders, matte and slag taphole, slag pot stations) will be hooded and ventilated to further minimize fugitive emissions. Gases captured by these hoods will be treated by a baghouse and a wet scrubber.

Magma-San Manuel: In 1994, Magma increased the smelter capacity by adding a third acid plant train and replacing a 13' x 35' Pierce-Smith converter with a 15' x 35' unit. As a condition of State acceptance of these modifications, the permitted plant-

wide sulfur dioxide emissions were reduced to 4,010 pounds per hour, annual average, in May of 1994. The average plant-wide sulfur dioxide emission rate during 1992 was 5,800 pounds per hour. Magma is also required to perform stack testing for total particulate and metals.

Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines: Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines installed particulate controls for gases captured by the flash furnace matte and slag tapping hoods, and converter secondary hoods. Emissions from the converter secondary hoods and furnace slag- and matte-tapping hoods are currently directed, uncontrolled, out the main stack. Chino Mines is preparing to install particulate controls.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo: In 1994, Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo installed improved converter secondary hooding, improved furnace slag- and matte-tapping hoods, and baghouses to collect the material captured by the improved hooding. (Emissions from the converter secondary hoods and furnace slag- and matte-tapping hoods were previously directed, uncontrolled, to the main stack.) To confirm the reduction in HAP emissions, Phelps Dodge Hidalgo conducted EPA methods 5, 8, and 29 sampling on the main stack and the acid plant stacks.

### 2.3 Stack List

Table 2 is a complete list of all known stacks at each smelter.

Table 3 lists only those stacks that contribute 10 percent or more of the plant stack HAP emissions. Table 3 also includes the processes and controls which feed these stacks.

#### 2.4 Solids Flow Diagrams

All eight of the primary copper smelters currently produce anode copper from sulfur-bearing ores with the same basic processes: 1) matte smelting, 2) converting, and 3) refining in an anode furnace.

Copper "concentrates" are received by the smelter. These concentrates typically contain 24-30 percent copper, 30 percent sulfur, 25 percent iron, and 10-20 percent oxides of silicon, calcium, aluminum, magnesium, and zinc. (Copper-bearing ores typically contain 0.5 to 1 percent copper by mass. A froth-flotation process is utilized to produce the "concentrate". This froth-flotation process may or may not be performed at the smelter site.) Concentrates also contain input impurities, such as lead, arsenic, antimony, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, manganese, mercury, nickel, and selenium. These input impurities are typically found in combined concentrations of less than one percent. The smelter may also receive copper scrap (for direct input into the converters), or may receive other non-concentrate inputs, such as precipitates, or copper "speiss".

Incoming concentrates are typically dried before input into a smelting furnace or reactor. Several types of smelting

**Table 2. Complete List of Stacks at Primary Copper Smelters**

| Plant          | Stack Designation  |
|----------------|--|
| Asarco-El Paso | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack Annulus</li> <li>2. Main Stack Core</li> <li>3. Acid Plant Stack</li> <li>4. Copper Concentrates Unloading Building Stacks (2)</li> <li>5. Transfer Baghouse Stack at Unloading *</li> <li>6. Concentrate Storage Building Ventilation Stacks (2)</li> <li>7. Plug Mill Baghouse Stack</li> <li>8. RCC WTP Spray dryer Stack</li> </ol>   |
| Asarco-Hayden  | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack Annulus</li> <li>2. Main Stack Core</li> <li>3. Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel (ESCV) Stack</li> <li>4. Revert Crusher</li> </ol>  |
| Copper Range   | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack</li> <li>2. Matte/Slag Tapping Stack (East Side)</li> <li>3. Matte/Slag Tapping Stack (West Side)</li> <li>4. Dryer Stack</li> <li>5. Anode Furnace Stacks (2)</li> <li>6. Holding Furnace Stack</li> <li>7. Anode Cutting Stack</li> <li>8. Anode Cooling Water Stack</li> <li>9. Crushing/Grinding Vent Stack*</li> <li>10. Mill Building Vent Stack*</li> <li>11. Power Plant Stacks (2)*</li> </ol> |
| Cyprus Miami   | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Vent Furnace Stack</li> <li>2. Acid Plant Tail Stack</li> <li>3. Dryer Stack*</li> <li>4. Acid Plant Bypass Stack</li> </ol>   |

Table 2. (Continued)

| Plant                    | Stack Designation  |
|--------------------------|--|
| Kennecott Utah Copper    | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack</li> <li>2. Dryer Stack</li> <li>3. Vent Stacks (2) **</li> <li>4. Feed Hopper Vent</li> <li>5. Transfer Tower #3</li> <li>6. Transfer Tower #4</li> <li>7. #7 Acid Plant Preheater</li> <li>8. #8 Acid Plant Preheater</li> <li>9. Powerhouse Boilers (2)</li> <li>10. Powerhouse Superheaters</li> <li>11. Shop Dust Collector</li> <li>12. Lab Baghouse</li> </ol> |
| Magma-San Manuel         | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Acid Plant Stack I</li> <li>2. Acid Plant Stack II</li> <li>3. Converter Secondary Hoods Stack</li> <li>4. Flash Furnace Fugitives Stack</li> <li>5. Dryer Stack</li> <li>6. Emergency Vent Stack *</li> <li>7. Acid Plant Stack III</li> </ol>  |
| Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack</li> <li>2. Dryer Stack #1</li> <li>3. Dryer Stack #2</li> <li>4. Flash Furnace Vent Stack</li> </ol>   |
| Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo     | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Main Stack</li> <li>2. Lurgi Acid Plant Stack #1</li> <li>3. Chertico Acid Plant Stack #2</li> <li>4. Electric Slag Cleaning Furnace Stack</li> <li>5. Material Handling Baghouses</li> </ol>  |

\* Indicates that stack is not included in Information Request response Table 1.  
 \*\* Discontinued 1/15/93. Emissions now go to the main stack.



Table 3. Partial Stack List, With Associated Processes and Controls

| Plant                        | Stack Designation   | Processes (Controls)   |
|------------------------------|---|--|
| Asarco - El Paso             | 1. Main Stack Annulus   | 1A. Furnace Matte/Slag Tapping Hoods, Converter Secondary Hoods, Converter Building Evacuation (Baghouse)<br>1B. Fluidized Bed Dryer (Cyclone, Baghouse)<br>1C. Feed System (Double Baghouse) (through the converter building Evacuation baghouse) |
| Asarco - Hayden              | 1. Main Stack Annulus   | 1A. Furnace/Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel Matte/Slag Tapping Hoods, Converter Secondary Hoods (ESP) <sup>1</sup><br>1B. Fluidized Bed Dryer (Baghouse, ESP)  |
| Copper Range                 | 1. Main Stack<br>2. Matte/Slag Tapping Stack (East)<br>3. Matte/Slag Tapping Stack (West) | 1A. Reverb Furnace Process Gas (ESP) <sup>2</sup> , Converter Primary Hood (Uncontrolled) <sup>2</sup><br>2A. Furnace Matte/Slag Tapping (Uncontrolled)<br>3A. Furnace Matte/Slag Tapping (Uncontrolled)   |
| Cyprus Miami                 | 1. Vent Furne Stack   | 1A. Isa Vessel Slag/Matte Tapping, Electric Furnace Slag Tapping, Electric Furnace return Launder Hoods (scrubber)   |
| Kennecott                    | 1. Main Stack   | 1A. Reactor Matte/Slag Tapping, Converter Secondary Hoods (Uncontrolled) <sup>3</sup><br>1B. Noranda Reactor Process Gas and Converter Primary Hoods (Acid Plant)  |
| Magma                        | 1. Flash Furnace Fugitives Stack<br>2. Converter Stack                                    | 1A. Furnace Slag/Matte Tapping (ESP)<br>2A. Converter Secondary Hoods (ESP)  |
| P Phelps Dodge - Chino Mines | 1. Main Stack   | 1A. Furnace and Primary Hoods (acid plant)<br>1B. Furnace Matte/Slag Tapping, Converter Secondary Hoods (uncontrolled) <sup>4</sup>  |
| P Phelps Dodge - Hidalgo     | 1. Main Stack   | 1A. Furnace/ESCV Matte/Slag Hoods, Converter Secondary Hoods (uncontrolled) <sup>5</sup><br>1B. Rotary Kiln Dryer (ESP)  |

1) ESP = Electrostatic Precipitator; ESCV = Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel.

2) Copper Range is planning to upgrade the reverberatory furnace ESP in 1994. Additional planned controls include routing the gases from the existing ESP through a scrubber and parallel wet ESP's. Gases from the converter will pass through a high-energy radial scrubber and wet ESP.

3) Kennecott is planning to complete a modernized smelter in July 1995, which will completely eliminate ladle transfers of molten metal

4) Phelps Dodge - Chino Mines is considering particulate controls on these streams.

5) Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo is planning to install baghouses in 1994.

furnaces/reactors are currently utilized in the United States, including two plants with Outokumpu flash furnaces, two plants with Inco flash furnaces, one with CONTOP reactors, one with Noranda reactors and one with an IsaSmelt reactor. The smelting furnace/reactor produces molten copper matte, typically containing 55-75 percent copper, which is tapped from the furnace, and transferred by ladles to converters. The smelting furnace/reactor also produces slag, containing relatively low amounts of copper (typically less than two percent). This slag may be discarded directly, if less than 1 percent copper, or may be transferred to an electric slag cleaning vessel (for further copper removal), or may be cooled and reconcentrated (again, in an attempt for further copper removal).

Molten copper matte is transferred by ladles from the furnace/reactor, and poured into the converters. In the converters, further sulfur is removed from the matte, and in addition, iron is oxidized and separated by skimming. The output from the converters is "blister" copper, generally containing greater than 98 percent copper.

Molten blister copper is poured from the converter, and transferred by ladles to anode furnaces, where further refining by removal of oxygen and other impurities takes place. The resulting "anode" copper is generally greater than 98.5 percent pure. It is cast into anodes for use in the final electrolytic refining step.

Further refining of "anode" copper into "cathode" copper (greater than 99.9 percent purity) is performed by electrolytic means in a "tank house." Production of cathode copper may or may not take place at the smelter site.

Solids flow diagrams for each of the eight smelters are shown in Figures 1 through 8. In the Section 114 Information Requests sent to the plants in July 1993, the plants were requested to supply data on the mass flow (in tons per hour), and the percentages of primary constituents (copper, sulfur, and iron) and trace constituents (arsenic, lead, antimony, etc.) at each of the points, corresponding to operation at the maximum plant production rate. A brief description of the processes involved at each plant is given below.

ASARCO-El Paso (Figure 1): The ASARCO-El Paso smelter utilizes CONTOP (Continuous Top-feed Oxygen Process) reactors for smelting.

Incoming concentrates are stored in a bedding building prior to being dried in a fluidized bed dryer. The dried concentrates, in the form of small particles, are captured in a dryer cyclone and baghouse. The dried concentrates from the cyclone and baghouse are injected into the top of the CONTOP cyclone reactors. The resulting matte, slag and gases, are discharged into an oxy/fuel-fired holding furnace. Slag from the CONTOP holding furnace is dumped at an on-site slag dump to solidify.

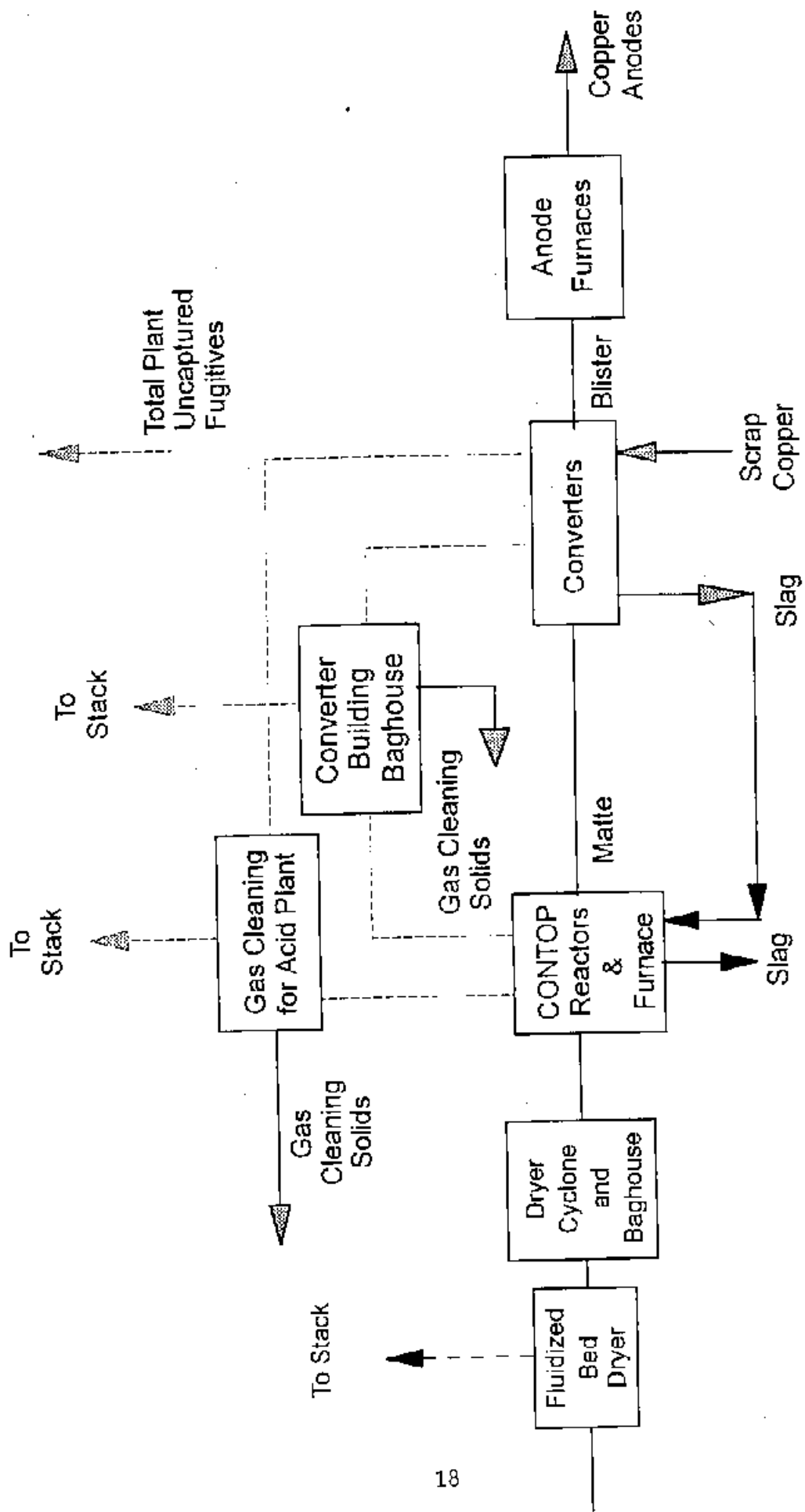


Figure 1 - Solids Flow Diagram for ASARCO, Incorporated Copper Smelter in El Paso, Texas.  
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The solid slag is then removed and crushed for use as a railroad ballast, sandblasting agent, and aggregate for asphalt.

Matte tapped from the CONTOP holding furnace is transferred by ladle to Pierce-Smith converters. There are three converters at the ASARCO-El Paso plant. The design copper content for the copper matte is 58.5 percent copper. Based on this copper content, one-converter operation is expected to be practiced during normal CONTOP operation. In addition to matte being charged to the converters, copper scrap, representing less than 15 percent of the total converter input, is also directly charged to the converters.

Blister copper from converter operation is transferred by ladle for refining in one of two anode furnaces. Converter slag is transferred back to the CONTOP holding furnace.

Acid plant gas cleaning solids, consisting of spray chamber solids and water treatment sludge are both sent to the bedding building, for recycle into the smelting process. Converter building baghouse and CONTOP Cottrell (ESP) solids are conveyed directly back to the fluidized bed dryer feed system, for input back into the smelting process.

ASARCO-Hayden (Figure 2): The ASARCO-Hayden complex utilizes an Inco flash furnace.

Incoming materials are dried in a fluidized bed dryer. The dried concentrates, in the form of small particles, are captured in a dryer baghouse. The dried concentrates from the cyclone and baghouse are injected into the Inco flash furnace. In addition

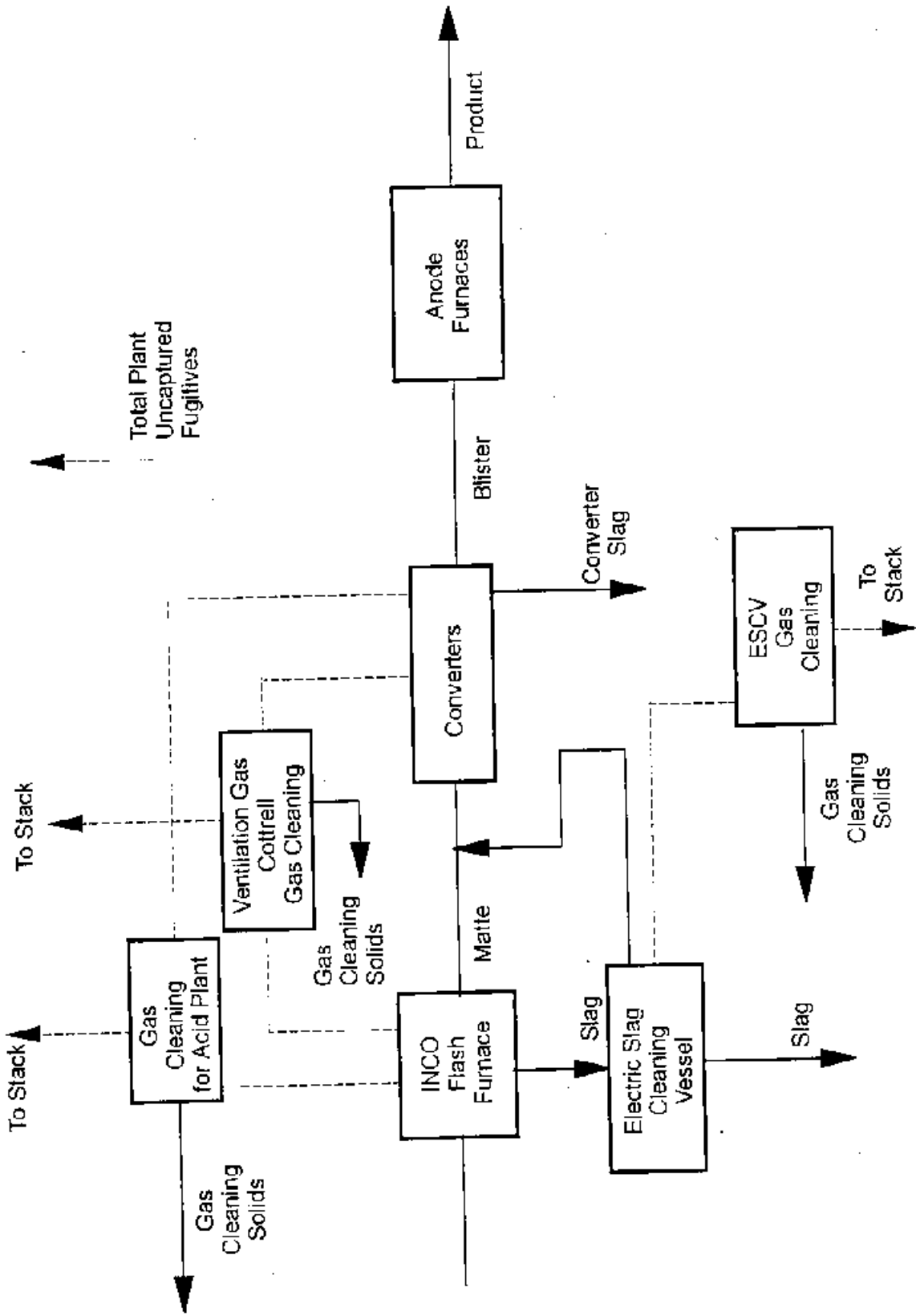


Figure 2 - Solids Flow Diagram for the ASARCO, Incorporated Copper Smelter in Hayden, Arizona.  
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to concentrates, in 1992, the ASARCO-Hayden plant received other input materials, including lead speiss from the ASARCO-East Helena lead smelter.

Molten matte (containing approximately 58 percent copper) is transferred by ladles to the Pierce-Smith converters. Molten slag from the Inco furnace is transferred by launder to an Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel (ESCV). The function of the ESCV is to recover additional copper, which would otherwise be lost in the slag. Matte from the ESCV is transferred by ladle to the converters. Molten slag from the ESCV is transferred by Kress slag haulers to a slag dump.

There are five converters at ASARCO-Hayden. Three are typically operating (with one blowing, one skimming, and one charging), one is on (hot) standby, and one down (cold) for maintenance.

Blister copper from converter operation is transferred by ladle to anode furnaces. Molten converter slag is transferred by ladle back to the Inco furnace.

Acid plant gas cleaning solids are sent to Mixes/Unloading for recycle into the smelting process. Flue dust from the Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP) is also sent to Mixes/Unloading for recycle into the smelting process.

Copper Range (Figure 3): Prior to shut down for modifications, the Copper Range-White Pine smelter utilized a reverberatory furnace for smelting.

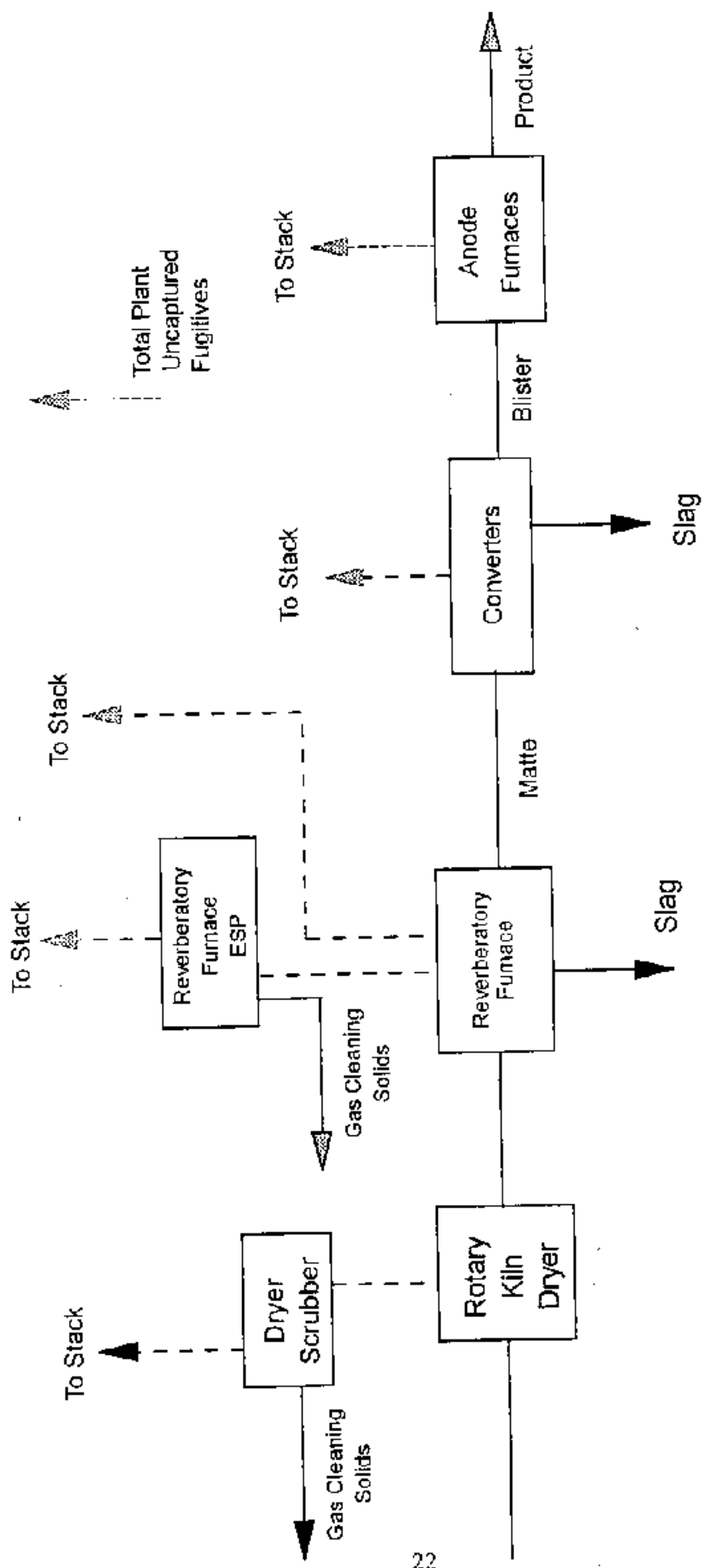


Figure 3 - Solids Flow Diagram for the Copper Range Company Copper Smelter in White Pine, Michigan. (September 1993)

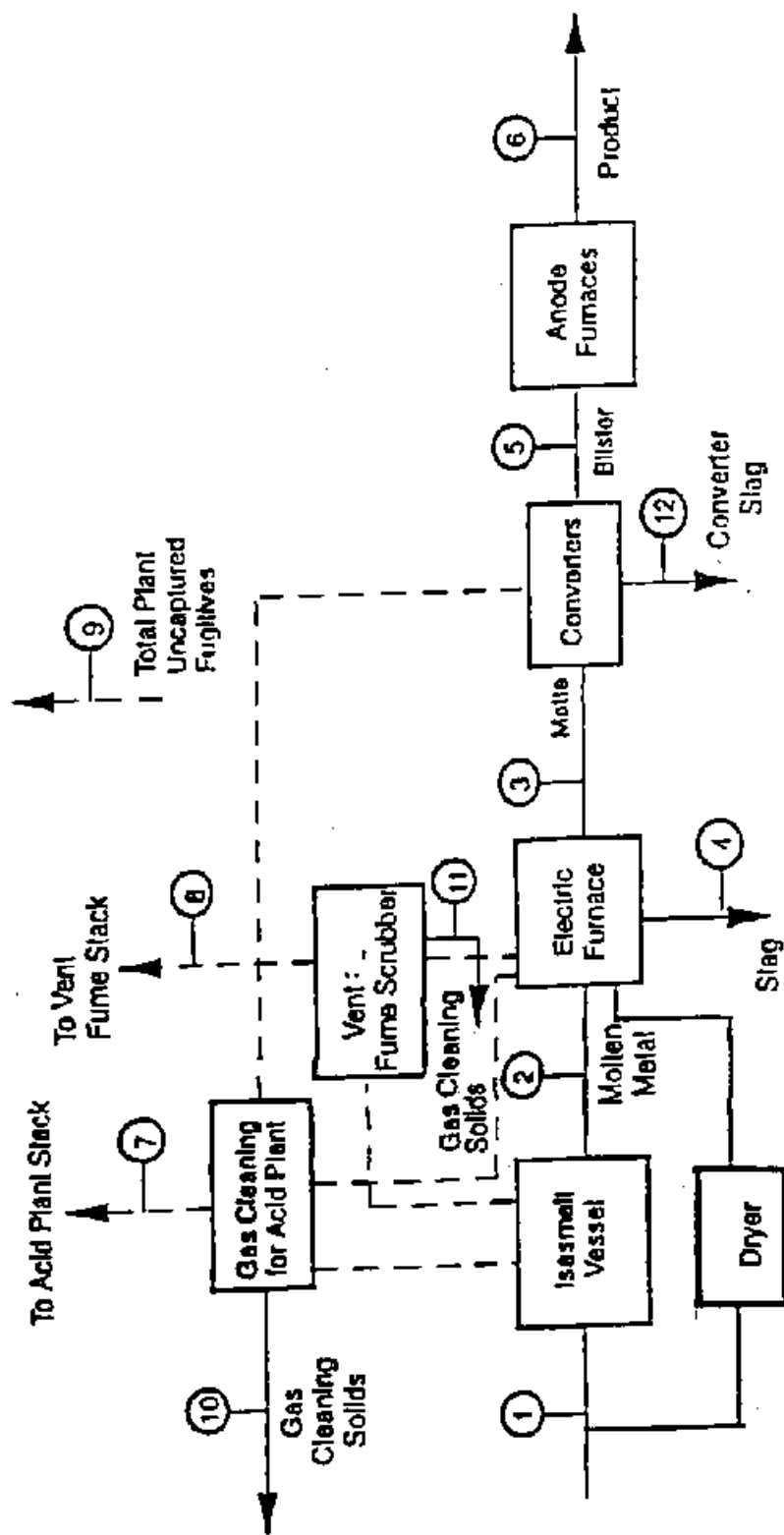


Inlet concentrate was dried in a rotary kiln dryer before entering the reverberatory furnace. Matte from the reverberatory furnace contained approximately 62 percent copper, and was transferred by ladle to a converter. Slag from the reverberatory furnace went to an on-site slag dump.

There were two converters at Copper Range-White Pine, but only one converter was ever blowing at one time. Blister copper from the converters was transferred by ladle to reverberatory-type anode furnaces.

Flue dust from the reverberatory furnace ESP was recycled back to the reverberatory furnace. The plant went down in early 1995 and will come back on stream only after major modifications required in the Consent Decree.

Cyprus Miami (Figure 4): The Cyprus Miami plant added an Isa smelting vessel to its existing electric furnace smelting system in 1992. The plant can therefore be run in two distinct modes. In the first and primary mode, concentrates are added directly to the Isa vessel (no concentrate dryer is utilized). Molten material from the Isa vessel is launder-transferred to the electric furnace for matte and slag separation. The electric furnace thus serves as a settling vessel for molten material from the Isa vessel. In the second mode of operation, the electric furnace serves as the smelting vessel. In this mode of operation, inlet concentrate is run through a rotary kiln dryer, prior to smelting.



**Figure 4 - Solids Flow Diagram for Cyprus Miami Copper Smelter in Claypool, Arizona.  
(September 1993)**

Copper matte is tapped from the electric furnace, and transferred by ladles to converters. The Cyprus Miami smelter utilizes four Hoboken (syphon) converters, rather than the Pierce-Smith converters utilized at other smelters. (The Cyprus Miami smelter also has one Inspiration converter, but this converter is used infrequently.) Normally, three of the Hoboken converters are kept hot, with one converter down for repairs. Out of the three "hot" converters, two are usually blowing, while one is on turnaround.

Kennecott-Utah (Figure 5): The current Kennecott Utah Copper smelter utilizes Noranda reactors for smelting.

Kennecott copper facilities in Utah include the smelter, the Bingham Canyon Mine, the Copperton Concentrator, the Magna Concentrator, a refinery, and a power plant. In 1992, all of the concentrates processed in the Kennecott Utah Copper smelter were produced from ore that came from the Bingham Canyon mine.

Incoming concentrates either pass through a rotary kiln dryer, or enter the Noranda reactors directly, depending on initial moisture content. Normally one reactor (and one converter) is operating. The Noranda reactor produces a very high-copper content matte, approximately 76 percent copper. This matte is transferred by ladle to the converters. Molten slag from the Noranda reactor is transferred outside the smelter building by Kress slag haulers, then water-quenched while still in slag pots. The solidified slag is then crushed and processed

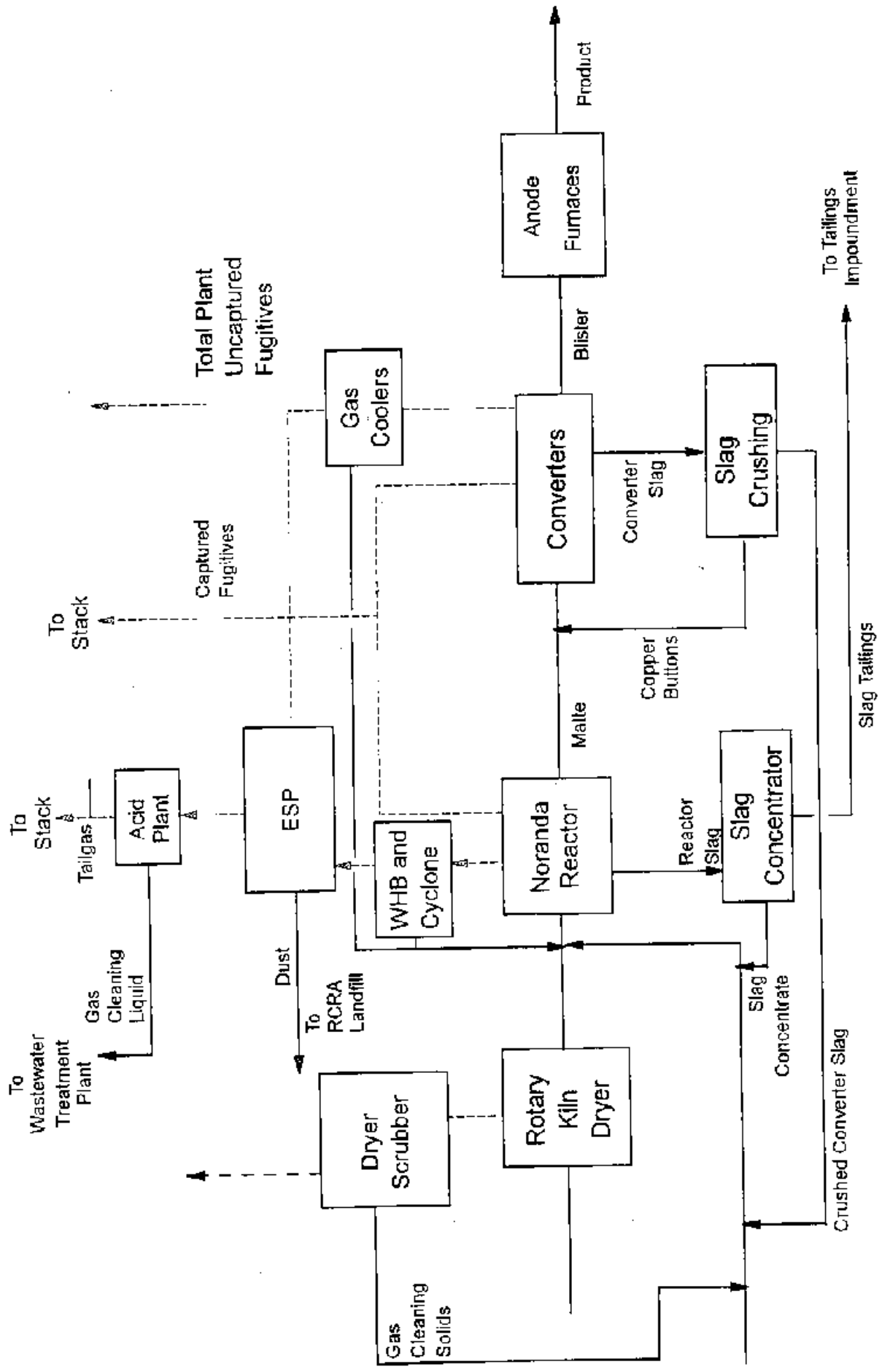


Figure 5 - Solids Flow Diagram for the Kennecott Utah Copper Smelter in Magna, Utah. (September 1993)

in a special on-site slag concentrator (a froth-flotation cell designed to process slag). Outputs from the slag concentrator include slag concentrate, which is recycled back to the Noranda reactor, and slag tailings, which are sent to the tailings impoundment.

Molten matte (containing approximately 76 percent copper) is transferred by ladles to the Pierce-Smith converters. There are four converters at the Kennecott Utah Copper smelter. During normal operation, one converter is operating (in copper blow or slag blow). If neither of the Noranda reactors is operating, at times two converters may be blowing simultaneously. One of the four converters is normally down for maintenance. One converter is operating (on copper or slag blow). One converter is on standby (or down for preventative maintenance and matte storage). One converter is receiving matte, in preparation to operating (preparing for copper blow).

Blister copper from converter operation is transferred by ladle to anode furnaces. Molten converter slag is transferred by ladle outside the converter building, then water quenched. The solidified converter slag is then crushed. Copper "buttons" (pieces of metallic copper) are sent back to the converters, and the rest of the crushed slag is sent to the Noranda reactor.

Flue dusts collected in the Joy plate/wire ESPs upstream of the acid plant (i.e., flue dusts from the Noranda reactor and converter primary hood) are sent to a RCRA (Resource Conservation and Recovery Act) landfill. Liquids from the Acid Plant gas

cleaning equipment are sent to the wastewater treatment plant. Solids (particulate) captured by the dryer scrubber are sent to the Noranda reactor.

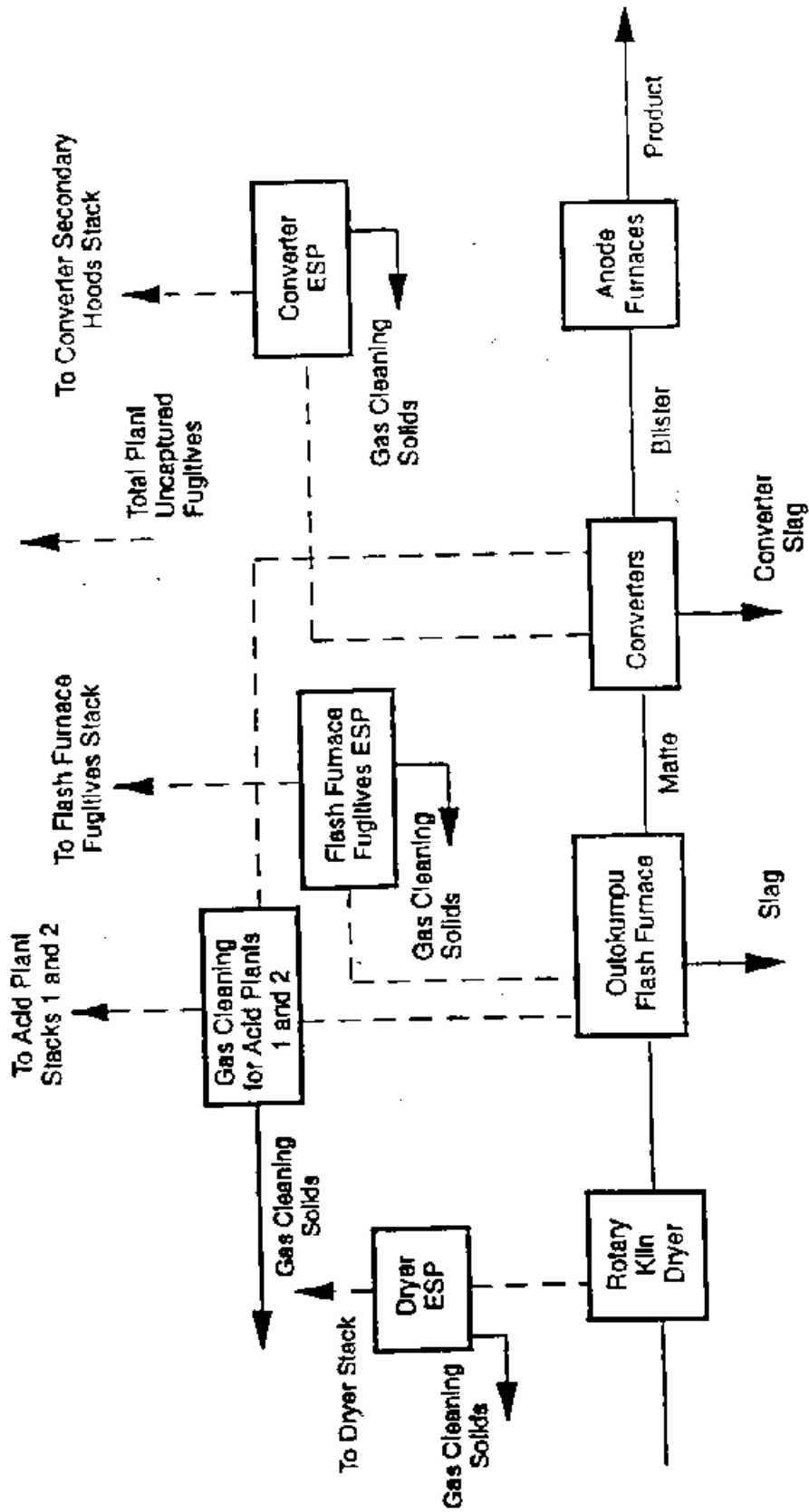
This operation has been modernized and is in the process of moving to the new flash smelter and flash converting technology. The transition to the new technology is expected to be complete in 1995. The existing operation will be phased out at that time.

Magma Copper Company (Figure 6): The Magma-San Manuel plant uses an Outokumpu flash furnace for smelting.

Incoming materials are dried in a rotary kiln dryer, with dried concentrates fed to the flash furnace. The furnace produces matte containing approximately 55 percent copper, which is transferred by ladles to Pierce-Smith converters. The furnace also produces slag, which is transferred by Kress slag haulers to cooling pits, and then to a concentrator. The concentrate from the concentrator is recycled back to the flash furnace.

There are four converters at the Magma San Manuel plant. Three are operated (hot) at any one time, with the fourth converter down for campaign repair. Typically, one converter is operating on slag blow, one on copper blow, and one on turnaround/receiving matte.

Blister copper from converter operation is transferred by ladle to anode furnaces. Molten converter slag, like Outokumpu furnace slag, is transferred by ladle to cooling pits, and then to a concentrator.



**Figure 6 - Solids Flow Diagram for Magma Copper Company Copper Smelter in San Manuel, Arizona.  
(September 1993)**

Acid plant gas cleaning solids are sent to the concentrator, with the majority of solids ending up as tailings. Converter secondary hood gas cleaning solids and flash furnace gas cleaning solids are recycled to the flash furnace.

Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines (Figure 7): The Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines smelter utilizes an Inco flash furnace.

Incoming concentrate is dried in two fluidized bed dryers, operating in parallel. All of the concentrate is entrained in the dryer gases, and is collected in the two fluidized bed dryer baghouses, before being introduced into the flash furnace. The flash furnace produces copper matte, and slag, which is discarded.

Copper matte from the Inco furnace is transferred by ladles, either to one of three receiving (holding) vessels, or to one of the four Pierce-Smith converters. Blister copper from the converters is ladle-transferred to one of two anode furnaces, for refining.

Particulate material caught by the acid plant gas-cleaning equipment goes to a metal recovery plant, and is recycled back to the flash furnace.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo (Figure 8): The Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo plant uses an Outokumpu flash furnace for smelting.

Incoming materials are dried in a rotary kiln dryer, with dried concentrates fed to the flash furnace. The furnace produces matte containing approximately 61 percent copper, which



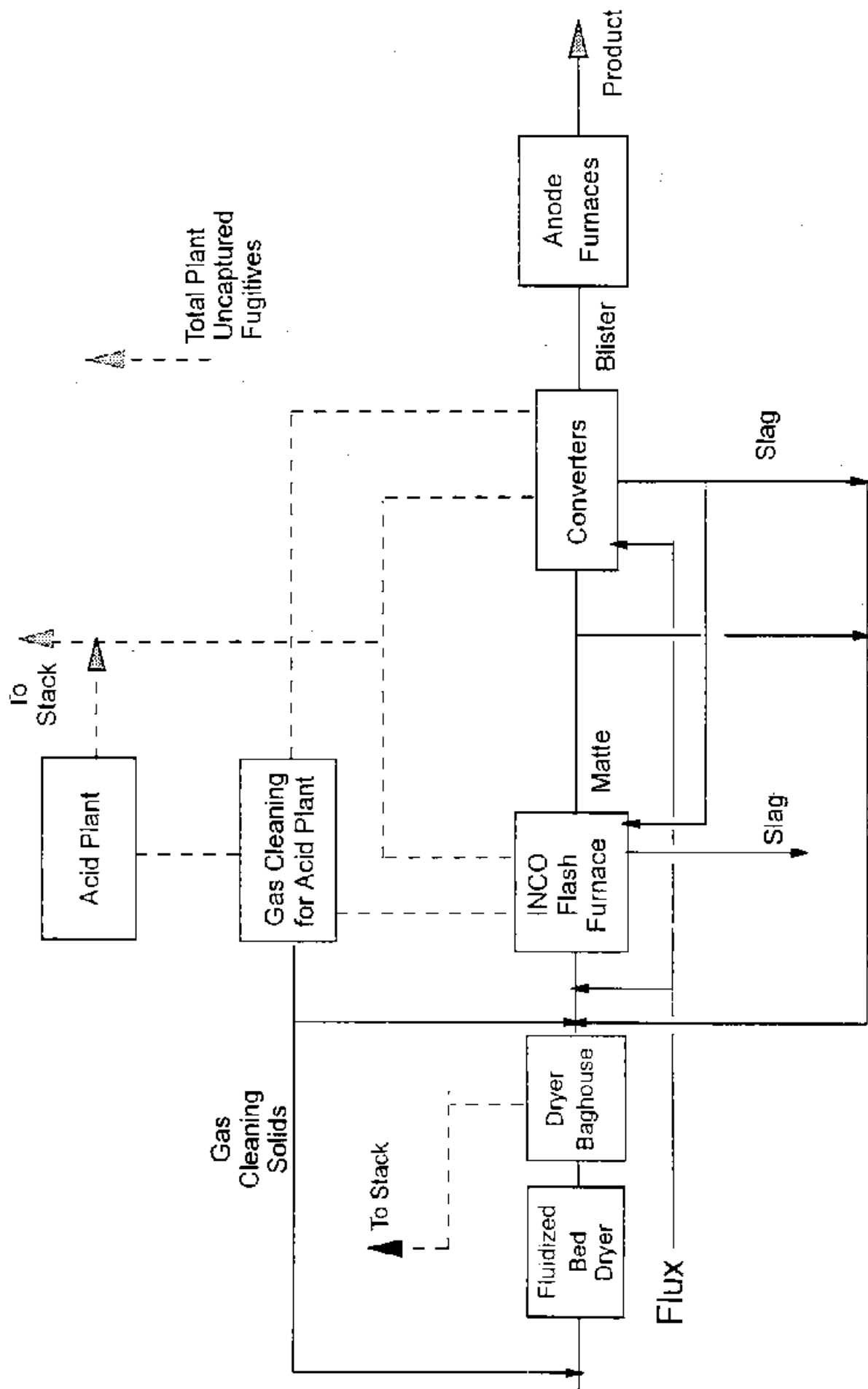


Figure 7 - Solids Flow Diagram for the Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines Copper Smelter in Hurley, New Mexico. (September 1993)

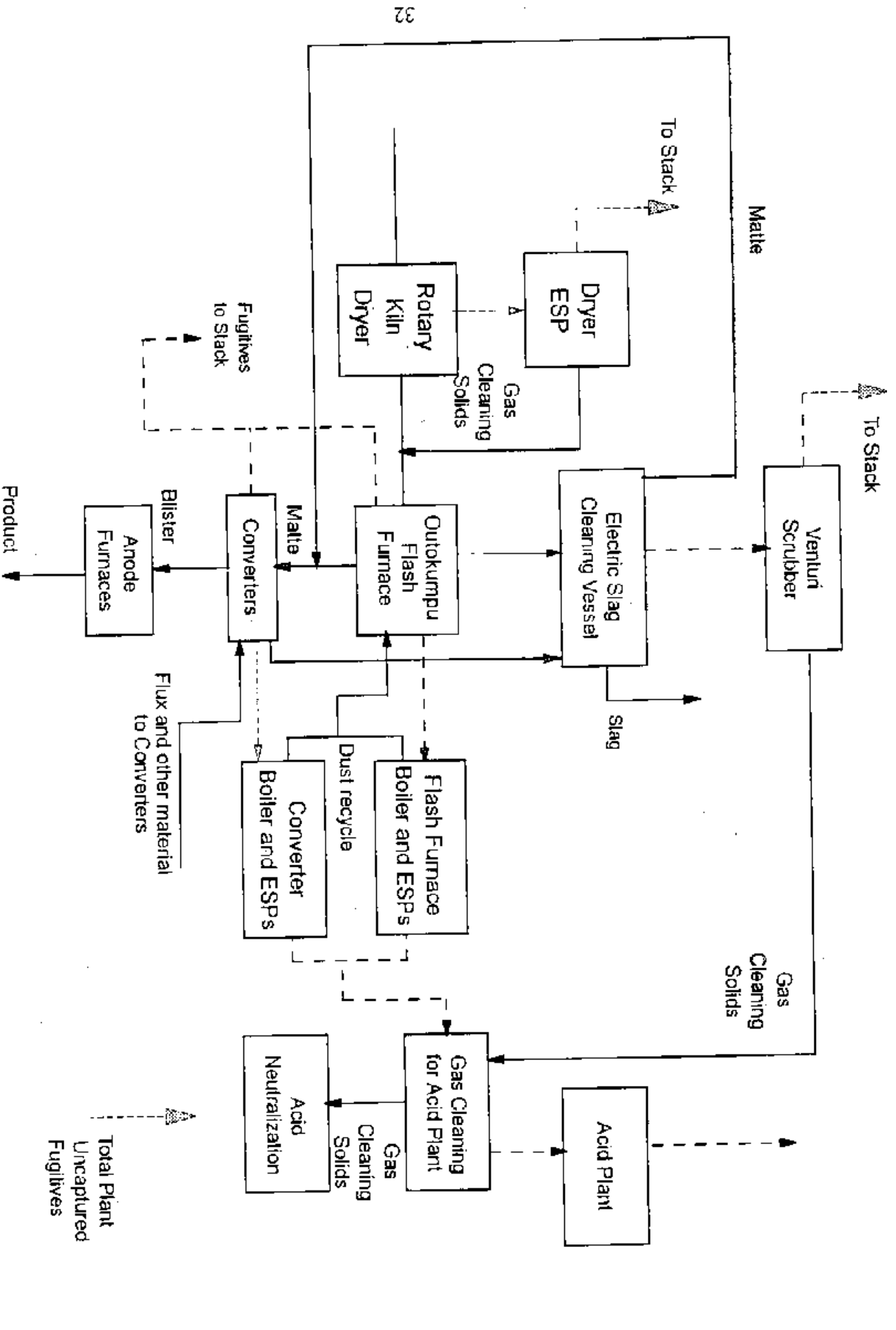


Figure 8 - Solids Flow Diagram for the Phelps Dodge Copper Smelter in Hidalgo County (Playas), New Mexico. (September 1993)

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is transferred by ladles to Pierce-Smith converters. The furnace also produces slag, which is transferred by launders (water-cooled troughs) to an electric slag cleaning furnace.

The electric slag cleaning furnace produces matte (containing approximately 66 percent copper), which is transferred by ladle to the converters. The electric slag cleaning furnace also produces slag, which is transferred by Kress slag haulers to a slag dump.

There are three converters at Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo. Approximately 75 percent of the time, all three are operated hot. One converter is operated on copper blow, one on slag blow and one on turnaround/receiving matte. The other 25 percent of the time, one converter is down for major repair, and the other two converters are operated hot.

Blister copper from converter operation is transferred by ladle to anode furnaces. Molten converter slag is poured into ladles, then poured into a slag return launder to the electric slag cleaning furnace.

Acid plant gas cleaning solids are sent to a neutralization pond.

## 2.5 Gas Flow Diagrams

Gas flow diagrams for ducted flows at the eight smelters are shown in Figures 9 through 16. In the Section 114 Information Requests sent to the smelters in July 1993, the smelters were requested to provide gas flow rates (in cubic feet per minute), temperatures, and mass flows for sulfur dioxide ( $\text{SO}_2$ ), particulate, arsenic, lead, and cadmium at any points for which this information was available. The smelters were also requested to provide locations of sulfur dioxide, opacity, and continuous particulate sampling monitors by designating the points with "S", "O", and "P", respectively.

A summary of the origins, control devices, and destinations of ducted gas flows at each smelter is given in Table 4. Ducted gas flows at primary copper smelters can be generalized to include the following streams:

- 1) High-sulfur-dioxide-concentration "process" streams, such as those from furnaces/reactors and converter primary hoods, are usually sent to an acid plant. (Only one plant, Copper Range-White Pine, does not have an acid plant.)
- 2) Low-sulfur-dioxide-concentration "non-process" streams, such as those captured by converter secondary hoods, or furnace/reactor matte and slag tapping hoods, may be sent to particulate control devices (ESPs or baghouses), sulfur dioxide control devices (scrubbers), or may be directed, uncontrolled, to

Table 4. Summary of the Origins, Control Devices, and Destinations<sup>(1)</sup> of Gas Flows (December 1993)

| Plant I.D.             | Smelter Furnace Process Gas            | Smelter Furnace Non-Process Gases (e.g., from launder transfers) | Converter Process Gas                  | Converter Gases That Escape Primary Hoods                | Converter Gases That Escape Secondary Hoods                   |
|------------------------|--|--|--|--|---|
| ASARCO - El Paso       | Acid Plant (A.P.) A.P. Stack           | Hooding / Baghouse Main Stack Annulus                            | Acid Plant A.P. Stack                  | Secondary Hoods/Baghouse Main Stack Annulus              | Bldg. Enclosure/Baghouse Main Stack Annulus                   |
| ASARCO - Hayden        | Acid Plant (A.P.) Main Stack Core      | Hooding / ESP Main Stack Annulus                                 | Acid Plant Main Stack Core             | Secondary Hoods / ESP Main Stack Annulus                 | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Natural Draft Ventilation      |
| Copper Range           | ESP <sup>(2)</sup> Main Stack          | Hooding / Uncontrolled Two Tapping Stacks                        | Uncontrolled <sup>(2)</sup> Main Stack | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Forced Draft Ventilation  | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Forced Draft Ventilation       |
| Cyprus Miami           | Acid Plant (A.P.) Acid Plant Tailstack | SO <sub>2</sub> Scrubber Vent Fume Stack                         | Acid Plant Acid Plant Tailstack        | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Bldg. Natural Ventilation | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Natural Draft Ventilation      |
| Kennecott              | Acid Plant (A.P.) Main Stack           | Hooding / Uncontrolled <sup>(3)</sup> Main Stack                 | Acid Plant Main Stack                  | Secondary Hoods / Uncontrolled <sup>(3)</sup> Main Stack | Partial Tertiary Hood/ Uncontrolled <sup>(3)</sup> Main Stack |
| Magma                  | Acid Plant (A.P.) Three A.P. Stacks    | Hooding / ESP Furnace Fugitives Stack                            | Acid Plant Three A.P. Stacks           | Secondary Hoods / ESP Converter Stack                    | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Forced Draft Ventilation       |
| Phelps Dodge - Chino   | Acid Plant (A.P.)                      | Hooding / Uncontrolled <sup>(4)</sup> Main Stack                 | Acid Plant                             | Secondary Hoods / Uncontrolled <sup>(4)</sup> Main Stack | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Natural Draft Ventilation      |
| Phelps Dodge - Hidalgo | Acid Plant (A.P.)                      | Hooding / Uncontrolled Main Stack                                | Acid Plant                             |  | Bldg. Fugitives (Uncontrolled) Natural Draft Ventilation      |

(1) Table is presented with the capture and control devices listed above the destination of the gas flow, i.e. Secondary Hoods/Baghouse Main Stack Annulus

(2) Copper Range is planning to upgrade the ESP on the reverberatory smelting furnace in 1994. Copper Range is also planning to install a scrubber and parallel acid mist ESP's downstream of the reverberatory furnace ESP, and to install a scrubber and acid mist ESP for captured converter gases.

(3) Kennecott is constructing a modernized smelter, planned for completion in July 1995, which will eliminate ladle transfers of molten metals.

(4) Phelps Dodge - Chino Mines is considering particulate controls for these streams.

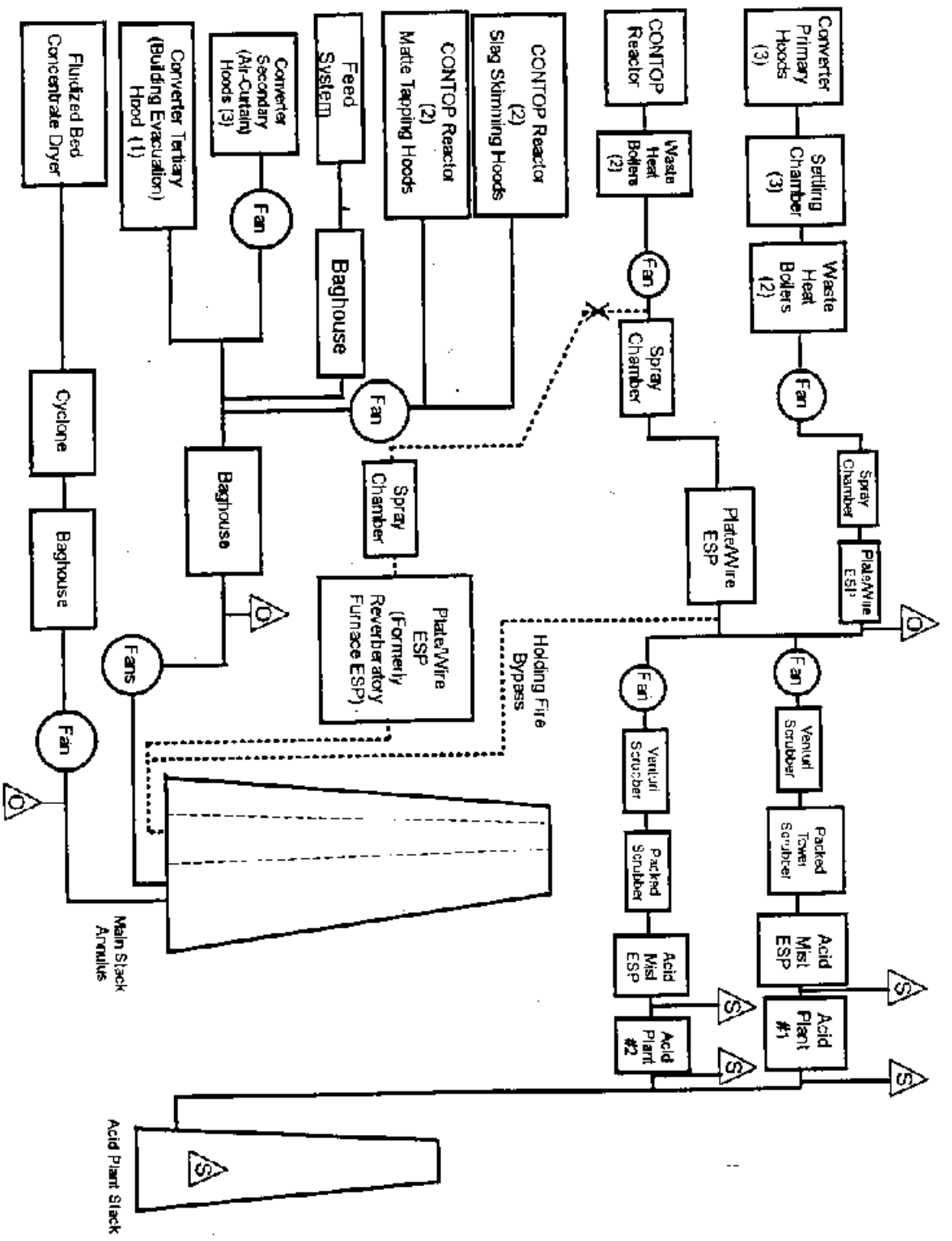


Figure 9 - Gas Flow Diagram for ASARCO, Incorporated Copper Smelter in El Paso, Texas. (June 1995)

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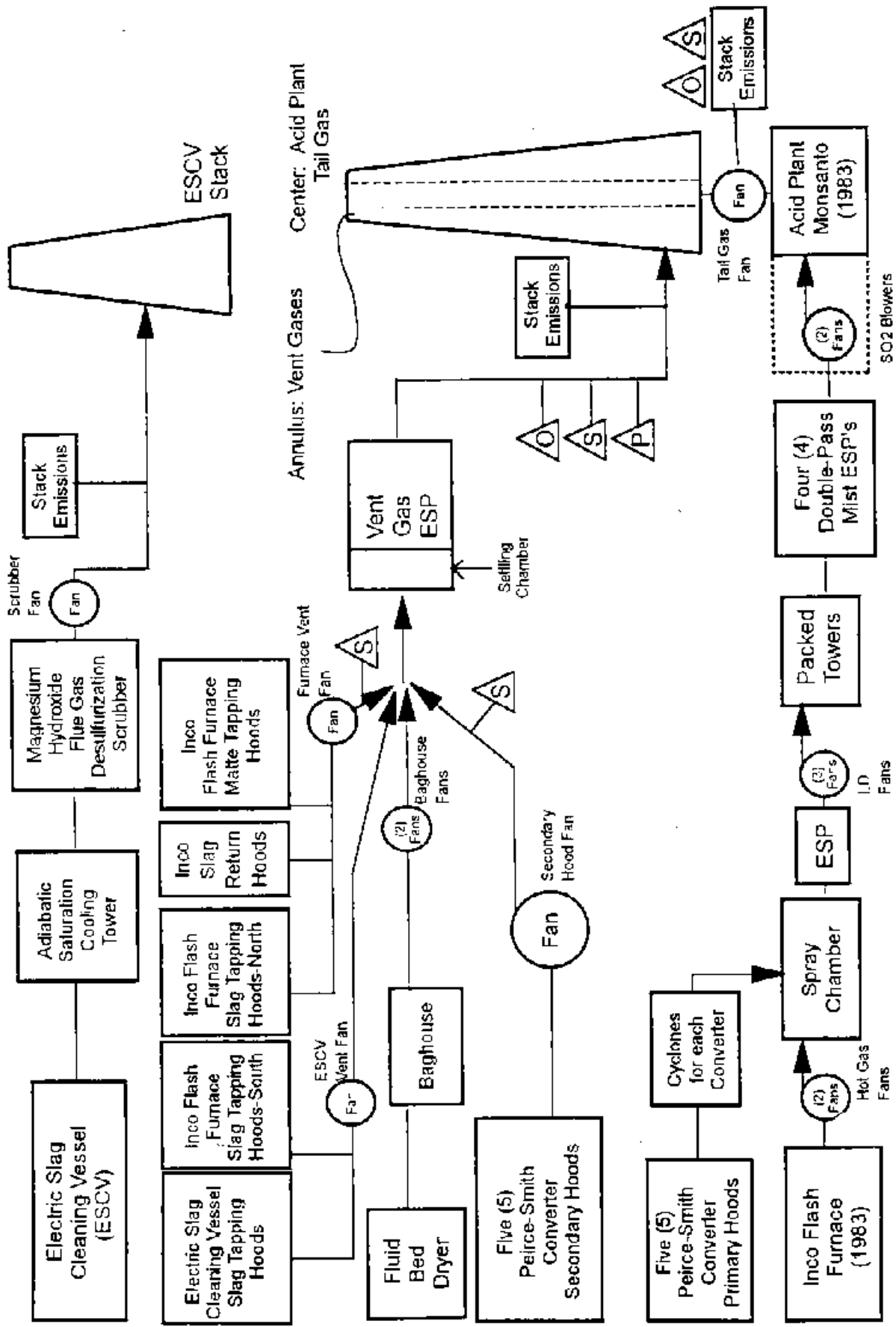
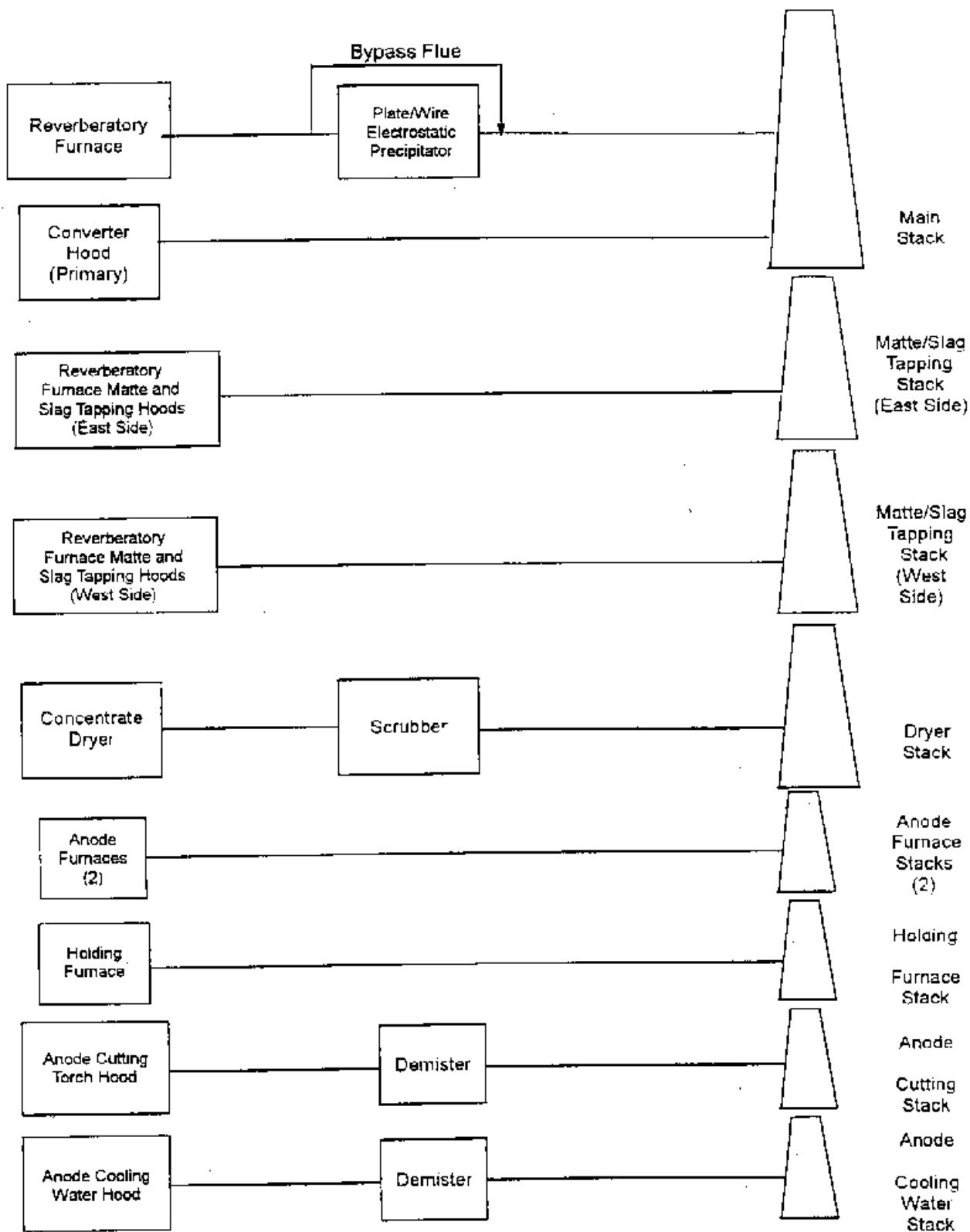


Figure 10 - Gas Flow Diagram for ASARCO, Incorporated Copper Smelter in Hayden, Arizona. (September 1993)

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**Figure 11 - Gas Flow Diagram for the Copper Range Company Copper Smelter in White Pine, Michigan. (September 1993)**

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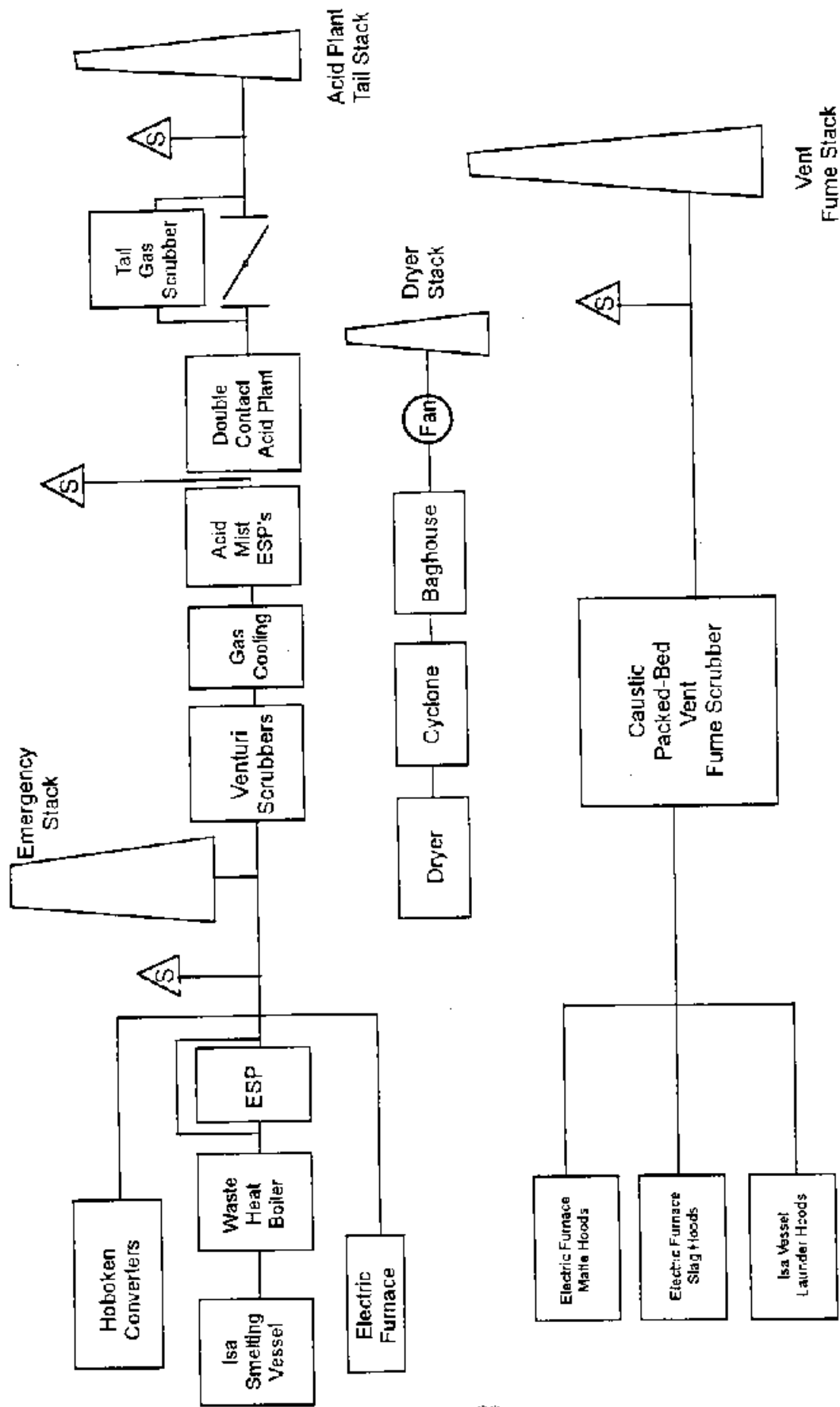


Figure 12 - Gas Flow Diagram for Cyprus Miami Copper Smelter in Claypool, Arizona. (September 1993)

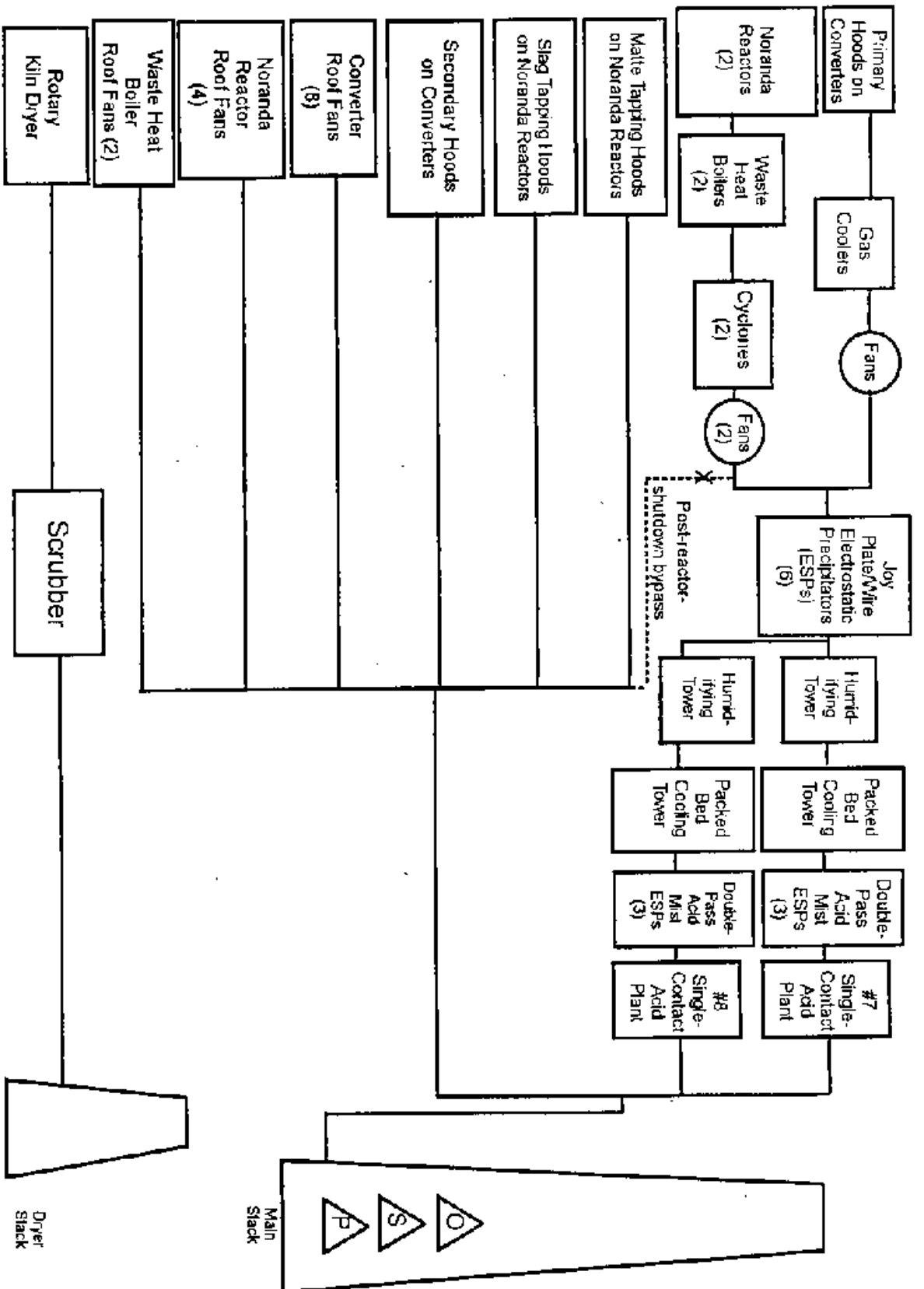
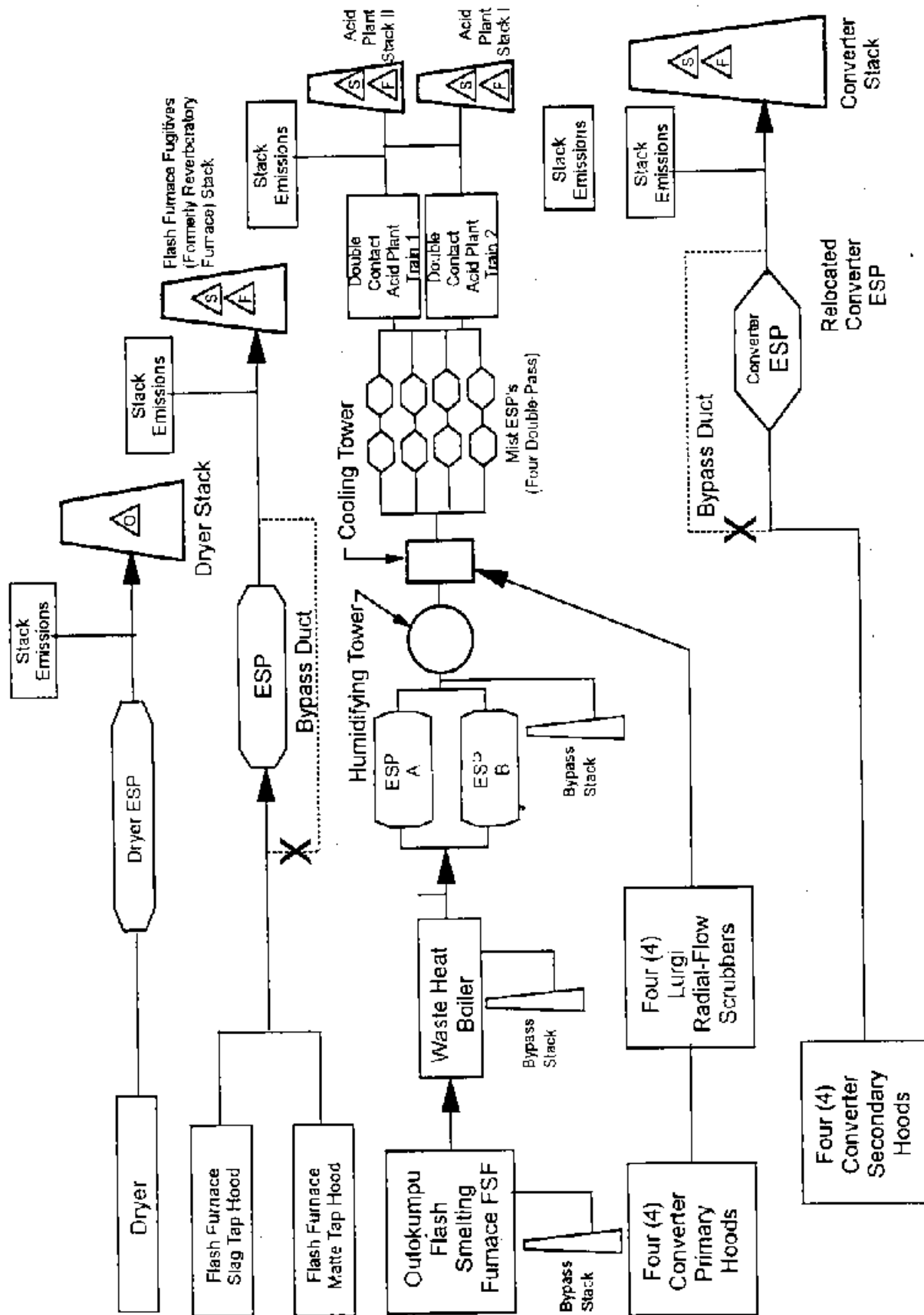


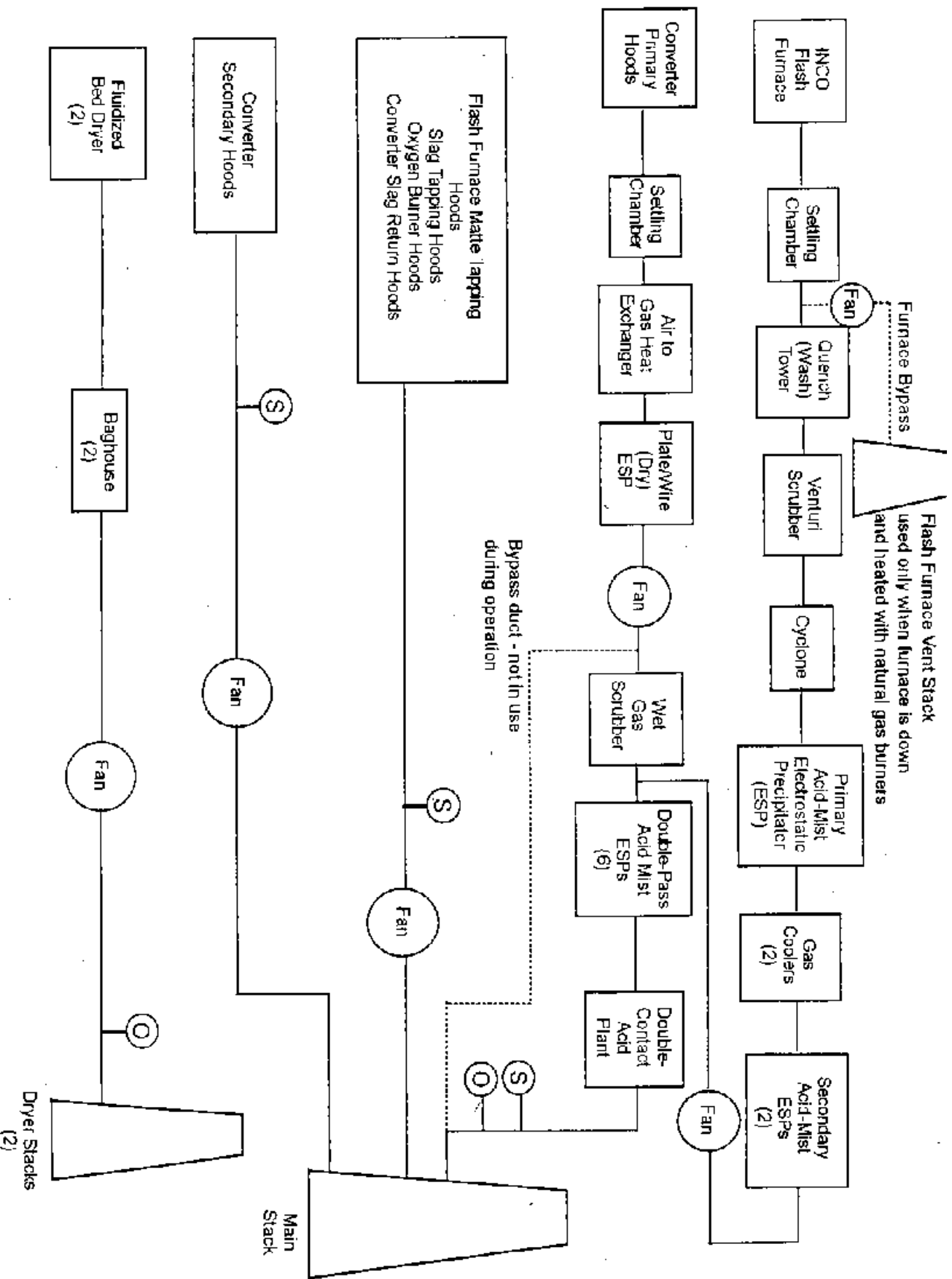
Figure 13 - Gas Flow Diagram for the Kennecott Utah Copper Smelter in Magna, Utah. (September 1993)

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**Figure 14 - Gas Flow Diagram for Magma Copper Company Copper Smelter in San Manuel, Arizona. (September 1993)**

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**Figure 15 - Gas Flow Diagram for the Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines Primary Copper Smelter in Hurley, New Mexico. (September 1993)**

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3) Low-sulfur-dioxide-concentration process streams, such as those from an electric slag cleaning vessel, or concentrate dryer (rotary kiln or fluidized bed). Process gases from electric slag cleaning vessels are handled by scrubbers or an acid plant. Process gases from rotary kiln dryers may be handled by ESPs <sup>baghouses</sup> or scrubbers. Process gases from fluidized bed dryers are handled by baghouses.

## 2.6 Production

In responses to Section 114 information requests sent in July-September 1993, each smelter reported three values for anode production: 1) Production capacity; 2) Production during calendar year 1992, and 3) Anode production during stack testing reported by the smelters. The production capacity and 1992 anode copper production values reported by each of the smelters are presented in Table 5.

## 3. PLANT EMISSIONS

### 3.1 Reported by Smelters

All eight primary copper smelters were asked to report emissions of HAPs and criteria pollutants (total suspended particulate and sulfur dioxide) from all stacks and all fugitive emissions locations (including the converter building). The smelters were asked to report the emissions in pounds per hour (lb/hr). The smelters were also asked to provide values for the number of operating hours per year that would convert the hourly

**Table 5. Anode Copper Production**

| Plant                  | Production Capacity (Tons/year)          | Production During 1992 (Tons/year) |
|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| ASARCO-El Paso         | 133,000                                  | 107,787                            |
| ASARCO-Hayden          | > 210,093 (1)                            | 210,093                            |
| Copper Range           | 110,093                                  | 81,361                             |
| Cyprus Miami           | 256,800 (3)                              | 104,290                            |
| Kennecott (Existing)   | 160,000                                  | 156,934                            |
| Kennecott (New)        | 310,000 (2)                              | Not Applicable                     |
| Magma                  | > 368,000 (1)                            | 370,913                            |
| Phelps Dodge - Hurley  | 215,000                                  | 148,000                            |
| Phelps Dodge - Hidalgo | 232,237                                  | 181,283                            |
| Industry Total         | > 1,688,136 (1993)<br>> 1,838,136 (1995) | 1,360,661                          |

Notes:

- 1) Both ASARCO-Hayden and Magma-San Manuel stated that 1992 production values were the highest achieved to date, and exceeded the rated capacities of the respective furnaces.
- 2) Production capacity (refined copper) for the modernized Kennecott smelter and refinery, as reported in the Wall Street Journal, March 13, 1992.
- 3) Theoretical capacity associated with maximum permitted throughput of 850,000 of NMBM

emissions into annual emissions. The values that were provided ranged from 6683 hours per year (Kennecott Utah Copper) to 8760 hour per year (Magma and Copper Range Company), with a mean value of 7733 hours per year. The summary of all of the emissions data submitted is shown in Table 6. Table 6 shows the annual emissions as reported by the smelters for the actual operating hours at each facility

ASARCO-El Paso: The smelter followed up on the original 1993 ICR submissions with the results of a comprehensive emissions test effort that was conducted for the State of Texas in 1993. This data was reported to EPA in a April 15, 1994 letter from the smelter. The testing program included testing of all stack emission points which included captured fugitive emissions from the converter building.

ASARCO-Hayden: Particulate and metals emissions from the Main Stack Annulus are based on particulate and metals testing conducted in November, 1992, by EEMC (Energy and Environmental Measurement Corporation). This testing was conducted before completion of a rebuilding program on the Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP). The rebuilding program on the ESP resulted in much lower outlet particulate levels in the main stack annulus. The effects of the rebuilding program on particulate emissions are described in Section 4.2.4. and illustrated in figure 23. Because the reported particulate and metals emissions represent



Table 6. Emissions Reported by Smelters in September 1993  
(actual 1992 emissions)

|                             | ASARCO - EL PASO   |                       |                   | ASARCO - HAYDEN    |                       |                   | COPPER RANGE       |                       |                   | CYPRUS - MIAMI     |                       |                   |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
|                             | TOTAL STACKS (TPY) | TOTAL FUGITIVES (TPY) | TOTAL PLANT (TPY) | TOTAL STACKS (TPY) | TOTAL FUGITIVES (TPY) | TOTAL PLANT (TPY) | TOTAL STACKS (TPY) | TOTAL FUGITIVES (TPY) | TOTAL PLANT (TPY) | TOTAL STACKS (TPY) | TOTAL FUGITIVES (TPY) | TOTAL PLANT (TPY) |
| TOTAL SUSPENDED PARTICULATE | 236                | 86                    | 245               | 186                | 775                   | 961               | 1894               | 0                     | 1894              | 199                | 0                     | 199               |
| SULFUR DIOXIDE              |                    |                       |                   | 19331              | 9708                  | 23059             | 62057              | 0                     | 62057             | 1663               | 3797                  | 5460              |
| ARSENIC COMPOUNDS           | 2.57               | 0.04                  | 2.61              | 0.92               | 1.69                  | 2.61              | 19.04              | 0.00                  | 19.04             | 0.42               | 0.21                  | 0.63              |
| LEAD COMPOUNDS              | 8.76               | 0.06                  | 8.81              | 6.16               | 4.84                  | 11.00             | 21.60              | 0.00                  | 21.60             | 5.05               | 12.61                 | 17.66             |
| ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS          | 0.23               | 0.01                  | 0.23              | 0.12               | 0.90                  | 1.02              | 0.27               | 0.00                  | 0.27              | 0.16               | 0.84                  | 1.00              |
| BERYLLIUM COMPOUNDS         | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              |
| CADMIUM COMPOUNDS           | 0.24               | 0.00                  | 0.24              | 0.37               | 0.21                  | 0.58              | 3.36               | 0.00                  | 3.36              | 0.40               | 1.68                  | 2.08              |
| CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS          | 0.06               | 0.01                  | 0.07              | 0.21               | 0.00                  | 0.21              | 2.60               | 0.00                  | 2.60              | 0.01               | 0.09                  | 0.10              |
| COBALT COMPOUNDS            | 0.27               | 0.00                  | 0.27              | 0.00               | 0.60                  | 0.60              | 0.16               | 0.00                  | 0.16              | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              |
| MANGANESE COMPOUNDS         | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              | 0.07               | 0.00                  | 0.07              | 0.56               | 0.00                  | 0.56              | 0.08               | 0.00                  | 0.08              |
| MERCURY COMPOUNDS           | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00              | 0.02               | 0.00                  | 0.02              | 0.67               | 0.00                  | 0.67              | 0.02               | 0.00                  | 0.02              |
| NICKEL COMPOUNDS            | 0.09               | 0.00                  | 0.09              | 0.44               | 0.21                  | 0.65              | 2.55               | 0.00                  | 2.55              | 0.03               | 1.68                  | 1.71              |
| SELENIUM COMPOUNDS          | 0.15               | 0.00                  | 0.15              | 0.10               | 0.00                  | 0.10              | 0.51               | 0.00                  | 0.51              | 0.04               | 0.21                  | 0.24              |
| TOTAL HAPS                  | 12.92              | 0.82                  | 12.45             | 9.58               | 7.85                  | 16.24             | 61.32              | 0.00                  | 61.32             | 6.21               | 17.33                 | 24.26             |

(1) ASARCO-El Paso results are 1993 test results reported to EPA on April 15, 1994

|                             | KENNECO<br>TUFALL        |                             | MAGMA -<br>SAN<br>MANUEL |                          | PHELPS<br>DODGE -<br>HURLEY |                         | PHELPS<br>DODGE -<br>HIDALGO |                             |       |       |      |       |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|
|                             | TOTAL<br>STACKS<br>(TPY) | TOTAL<br>FUGITIVES<br>(TPY) | TOTAL<br>PLANT<br>(TPY)  | TOTAL<br>STACKS<br>(TPY) | TOTAL<br>FUGITIVES<br>(TPY) | TOTAL<br>PLANT<br>(TPY) | TOTAL<br>STACKS<br>(TPY)     | TOTAL<br>FUGITIVES<br>(TPY) |       |       |      |       |
| TOTAL SUSPENDED PARTICULATE | 393                      | 347                         | 740                      | 217                      | 35                          | 254                     | 513                          | 113                         | 526   | 434   | 59   | 493   |
| SULFUR DIOXIDE              | 13921                    | 4331                        | 18302                    | 10394                    | 3211                        | 13604                   | 14502                        | 7534                        | 22036 | 25887 | 2097 | 27984 |
| ARSENIC COMPOUNDS           | 7.24                     | 1.36                        | 8.60                     | 3.95                     | 3.36                        | 7.31                    | 0.65                         | 0.15                        | 0.79  | 0.93  | 0.28 | 1.21  |
| LEAD COMPOUNDS              | 19.21                    | 2.92                        | 22.13                    | 5.99                     | 6.87                        | 12.86                   | 0.28                         | 0.03                        | 0.32  | 0.56  | 0.16 | 0.72  |
| ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS          | 0.15                     | 0.03                        | 0.18                     | 0.85                     | 1.59                        | 2.44                    | 0.08                         | 0.02                        | 0.09  | 0.03  | 0.01 | 0.04  |
| BERYLLIUM COMPOUNDS         | 0.05                     | 0.01                        | 0.06                     | 0.00                     | 0.00                        | 0.00                    | 0.01                         | 0.00                        | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.80 | 0.00  |
| CADMIUM COMPOUNDS           | 0.10                     | 0.05                        | 0.15                     | 0.34                     | 0.76                        | 1.10                    | 0.40                         | 0.08                        | 0.46  | 2.44  | 0.75 | 3.19  |
| CHROMIUM COMPOUNDS          | 0.07                     | 0.02                        | 0.06                     | 0.01                     | 0.00                        | 0.01                    | 0.03                         | 0.01                        | 0.05  | 0.03  | 0.01 | 0.04  |
| COBALT COMPOUNDS            | 0.10                     | 0.03                        | 0.13                     | 0.00                     | 0.00                        | 0.00                    | 0.01                         | 0.00                        | 0.01  | 0.03  | 0.01 | 0.04  |
| MANGANESE COMPOUNDS         | 0.07                     | 0.02                        | 0.09                     | 0.00                     | 0.01                        | 0.01                    | 0.00                         | 0.00                        | 0.01  | 0.05  | 0.01 | 0.06  |
| MERCURY COMPOUNDS           | 0.00                     | 0.00                        | 0.00                     | 0.02                     | 0.01                        | 0.03                    | 0.00                         | 0.00                        | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00  |
| NICKEL COMPOUNDS            | 0.08                     | 0.02                        | 0.10                     | 0.02                     | 0.00                        | 0.02                    | 0.55                         | 0.11                        | 0.68  | 0.02  | 0.00 | 0.02  |
| SELENIUM COMPOUNDS          | 2.84                     | 0.37                        | 3.21                     | 0.04                     | 0.01                        | 0.05                    | 0.15                         | 0.03                        | 0.19  | 0.01  | 0.00 | 0.02  |
| TOTAL HAPS (TPY)            | 29.92                    | 4.83                        | 34.75                    | 11.22                    | 12.61                       | 23.82                   | 2.15                         | 0.45                        | 2.61  | 4.10  | 1.23 | 5.33  |

values prior to the ESP rebuild, the particulate and metals emissions for the Main Stack Annulus reported by ASARCO-Hayden are almost certainly too high.

Copper Range: Values for the Main Stack at Copper Range-White Pine were based on an emissions characterization test program conducted for Copper Range Company by TRC Environmental Corporation in September of 1992 (final report issued on October 15, 1992).

Copper Range Company reported as "unknown" emissions from many stacks, including the two stacks carrying gases captured by the reverberatory furnace matte and slag tapping hoods (uncontrolled). Copper Range Company also reported converter building fugitive emissions as being unknown. The unknown values appear as "zeros" in Table 6.

Cyprus Miami: Cyprus Miami reported stack emissions (from the Vent Fume Stack and Acid Plant Stack) on the basis of nine monthly tests for particulate and metals conducted on the stacks from August, 1992 to April, 1993. The results of this testing are presented in Table 7.

Converter building fugitive emissions reported by Cyprus Miami were based on worst-case emissions estimates submitted with the installation permit for the Isa furnace, ratioed down by Cyprus Miami to reflect more normal operating conditions.

Kennecott-Utah Copper: Kennecott Utah Copper stack emissions (from the Main Stack) were based on analyses for metals conducted on the particulate sampling filters which are part of

Table 7. Cyprus Miami Emission Test Program Results (August 1992 - April 1993)  
(Hourly Emissions Projected to 8760 hours/year)

CYPRUS MIAMI MINING CORPORATION

|                        |      | TRACE METAL EMISSION RATES |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |         |         | Aug 92 to<br>Apr 93 |
|------------------------|------|----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------------------|
| VENT FUME STACK TON/YR |      | AUG 92                     | SEP 92 | OCT 92 | NOV 92 | DEC 92 | JAN 93 | FEB 93 | MAR 93 | APR 93 | AVERAGE | AVERAGE |                     |
| ELEMENT                |      |                            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |         |         |                     |
| Sb                     | 0.09 | 0.00                       | 0.14   | 0.10   | 0.64   | 0.11   | 0.11   | 0.11   | 0.05   | 0.02   | 0.14    | 0.14    |                     |
| As                     | 0.00 | 0.17                       | 0.80   | 0.74   | 0.94   | 0.21   | 0.35   | 0.77   | 0.71   | 0.71   | 0.52    | 0.52    |                     |
| Cd                     | 0.22 | 0.29                       | 0.49   | 0.18   | 0.64   | 0.15   | 0.23   | 0.66   | 0.04   | 0.04   | 0.32    | 0.32    |                     |
| Cr                     | 0.00 | 0.00                       | 0.02   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00    | 0.00    |                     |
| Pb                     | 1.80 | 1.59                       | 7.74   | 3.94   | 12.82  | 5.12   | 3.96   | 4.13   | 3.42   | 3.42   | 4.94    | 4.94    |                     |
| Mn                     | 0.09 | 0.10                       | 0.09   | 0.18   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.25   | 0.08    | 0.08    |                     |
| Hg                     | 0.00 | 0.00                       | 0.00   | 0.10   | 0.02   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.04   | 0.01   | 0.02    | 0.02    |                     |
| Ni                     | 0.00 | 0.00                       | 0.11   | 0.04   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.52   | 0.22   | 0.22   | 0.10    | 0.10    |                     |
| Se                     | 0.00 | 0.02                       | 0.01   | 0.04   | 0.13   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.02    | 0.02    |                     |
| Total HAPs             | 2.19 | 2.17                       | 9.39   | 5.31   | 15.20  | 5.61   | 4.64   | 8.17   | 4.56   | 4.56   | 6.15    | 6.15    |                     |
| Total Particulate      | 47.4 | 32.4                       | 59.6   | 66.9   | 136.7  | 45.7   | 26.1   | 71.9   | 140.0  | 140.0  | 69.7    | 69.7    |                     |

| ACID PLANT TAIL STACK TON/YR |      | AUG 92 | SEP 92 | OCT 92 | NOV 92 | DEC 92 | JAN 93 | FEB 93 | MAR 93 | APR 93 | AVERAGE |
|------------------------------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| ELEMENT                      |      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |         |
| Sb                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00    |
| As                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00    |
| Cd                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.73   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.01   | 0.08    |
| Cr                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.05   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.01    |
| Pb                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.04   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.01    |
| Mn                           | 0.04 | 0.03   | 0.02   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.02   | 0.02   | 0.02    |
| Hg                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00    |
| Ni                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.03   | 0.01   | 0.00    |
| Se                           | 0.00 | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.01   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.00    |
| Total HAPs                   | 0.04 | 0.03   | 0.02   | 0.84   | 0.02   | 0.01   | 0.00   | 0.00   | 0.07   | 0.05   | 0.12    |
| Total Particulate            | 23.7 | 10.3   | 24.8   | 57.1   | 71.0   | 11.3   | 13.4   | 10.4   | 10.6   | 10.6   | 25.8    |

the continuous particulate sampling system at Kennecott Utah Copper. The main stack HAP emission values reported by Kennecott Utah Copper were based on the average of all the values obtained from the metals analyses on the filters, not on the maximum of the values.

Converter building HAP emissions reported by Kennecott Utah Copper are based on informal testing conducted at the discharge of the converter building ventilation fans.

Magma Copper Company: Stack HAP emissions reported by Magma Copper Company are based on stack total particulate testing conducted in 1994, and engineering estimates for HAP metals concentrations measured at the roof fan emissions.

Converter building fugitive HAP emissions that are reported are based on measurements of emissions through the roof ventilators.

All sulfur dioxide emissions reported by Magma Copper Company in the Section 114 Information Request response were based on average values recorded by continuous emissions monitors for the 1992 calendar year. Magma Copper Company is the only primary copper smelter that has continuous emission monitors for measuring converter building fugitive sulfur dioxide emissions.

Subsequent to transmitting the original Section 114 Information Request response in 1993, Magma Copper Company overhauled the gas cooling tower. This work was performed in late 1993 and early 1994 and resulted in a significant decrease in sulfur dioxide emissions from the converter building, and also

resulted in a decrease in sulfur dioxide emissions from the Converter (secondary hoods) Stack. The effects of the modification on sulfur dioxide emissions can be seen in Table 8.

A further major modification in the form of the start up of a third sulfuric acid plant occurred in April 1994. With the added capacity, Magma increased the draft flow in their converter primary hoods significantly by pulling all of the dilution air needed for maintaining the SO<sub>2</sub> concentrations going to the three acid plants. Magma has monitored SO<sub>2</sub> concentrations flowing through the seven ventilation fans in the roof of their converter building for several years and have fugitive emissions data before and after the increase in primary hood flows. The before and after data indicate that a 60+% decrease in fugitive SO<sub>2</sub> emissions and associated HAP containing particulate occurred with the increase in primary hood draft. Table 8 shows the monthly data for both SO<sub>2</sub> and associated metal HAPs before and after the change in April 1994.

Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines: Reported stack emissions of HAPs were based on particulate and metals testing conducted on the Main Stack by SEACOR in July 1993.

Reported fugitive emissions of HAPs were based on the assumption that fugitive HAP emissions were equal to 21 percent of the HAP emissions measured in the Main Stack. The 21 percent value was based on 1988 and 1989 sulfur dioxide fugitive emissions studies that indicated that 21 percent of fugitive

**TABLE 8****EMISSIONS DATA FROM MAGMA COPPER**

| MONTH        | CONV STACK<br>SO <sub>2</sub> LBS/HR | ROOF<br>SO <sub>2</sub> LB/HR | TOTAL<br>TPY As | TOTAL<br>TPY Pb |
|--------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| February 93  | 2250                                 | 1372                          | 3.3             | 4.4             |
| March 93     | 1089                                 | 1288                          | 4.3             | 5.9             |
| April 93     | 1389                                 | 1994                          | 5.6             | 8.0             |
| May 93       | 911                                  | 1887                          | 6.2             | 8.9             |
| June 93      | 617                                  | 1556                          | 5.6             | 8.0             |
| July 93      | 892                                  | 1519                          | 5.0             | 7.1             |
| August 93    | 696                                  | 1503                          | 4.9             | 7.0             |
| September 93 | 1053                                 | 2208                          | 8.8             | 12.9            |
| October 93   | 1032                                 | 2379                          | 10.6            | 15.8            |
| November 93  | 978                                  | 1700                          | 4.3             | 6.0             |
| December 93  | 1226                                 | 1124                          | 3.6             | 4.9             |
| January 94   | 1086                                 | 1207                          | 4.8             | 6.7             |
| February 94  | 750                                  | 1241                          | 4.5             | 6.3             |
| March 94     | 492                                  | 874                           | 6.6             | 9.5             |
| April 94     | 583                                  | 519                           | 3.1             | 4.1             |
| May 94       | 634                                  | 409                           | 2.6             | 3.4             |
| June 94      | 594                                  | 311                           | 2.2             | 2.7             |
| July 94      | 411                                  | 288                           | 2.6             | 3.2             |
| August 94    | 589                                  | 309                           | 2.1             | 2.6             |
| September 94 | 492                                  | 685                           | 6.5             | 9.6             |
| October 94   | 614                                  | 583                           | 6.8             | 5.2             |
| November 94  | 558                                  | 883                           | 5.9             | 9.4             |
| December 94  | 553                                  | 553                           | 2.3             | 1.9             |
| January 95   | 519                                  | 550                           | 6.8             | 7.3             |

**NOTE:** All monthly arsenic and lead emissions, except October 1994 are based on actual dust tonnages and estimated dust and stack assays. The November and December 1994, and January 1995 values are based on actual assays of captured dust.

**TABLE 8 (CONT)**

**Reductions in Emissions Related to Increased  
Primary Hood Flow Beginning April 1994**

|                                 | <b>Prior to 4/94</b> | <b>After 4/94</b> | <b>% Reduction</b> |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Roof SO <sub>2</sub>            | 1390 lb/hr           | 509 lb/hr         | 63                 |
| Converter stack SO <sub>2</sub> | 1033 lb/hr           | 555 lb/hr         | 46                 |
| Total As                        | 5.6 ton/yr           | 4.1 ton/yr        | 27                 |
| Total Pb                        | 7.9 ton/yr           | 4.9 ton/yr        | 38                 |



(i.e., non-process) sulfur dioxide streams at Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines are not captured.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo: Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo reported stack emissions of HAPs based on stack sampling for total suspended particulate conducted in June 1989, and engineering judgement of HAP content.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo reported sulfur dioxide emissions from the main stack based on sulfur dioxide continuous emission monitoring (CEM) data, and sulfur dioxide emissions from the converter building based on sulfur dioxide mass balances.

### 3.2 Evaluation of Major Source Status

Title III, Section 112 of the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments lists 189 Hazardous Air Pollutants. Section 112 of the Amendments further defines a "major source" of hazardous air pollutants as "... a stationary source or group of stationary sources located within a contiguous facility and under common control that emits or has the potential to emit considering controls, in the aggregate, 10 tons per year or more of any hazardous air pollutant or 25 tons per year or more of any combination of hazardous air pollutants."

There are several issues in this definition which are pertinent to the primary copper smelting industry. These issues are discussed below.

1) Lead Compounds as a Hazardous Air Pollutant (HAP) Versus Elemental Lead as a Criteria Pollutant: Title III, Section 112

identifies "Lead Compounds" as a Hazardous Air Pollutant. However, elemental lead is a criteria pollutant, for which a National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) exists. This fact is recognized by additional wording in Section 112 which states that "The Administrator may not list elemental lead as a hazardous air pollutant under this subsection."

2) Emissions of Metallic Compounds Versus Emissions of Metallic Elements: All metals listed as hazardous air pollutants in the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments are listed as metallic compounds. For instance, Cadmium is listed as "Cadmium Compounds," Chromium as "Chromium Compounds," Manganese as "Manganese Compounds," etc. However, no EPA testing Reference Method currently exists to identify the actual form of an emitted metallic compound. Instead, the emission rates of metallic compounds are typically expressed in terms of the elemental metal emission rate, such as "two (2) tons per year of cadmium compounds, expressed as elemental cadmium."

3) Actual Emissions Versus "Potential to Emit:" There is no question, if a source has actual emissions greater than 10 tons per year of any one hazardous air pollutant or 25 tons per year of any combination of hazardous air pollutants, that the source is a "major source." However, if a source has actual emissions less than 10 tons per year of any one HAP or 25 tons per year of any combination of HAPs, it might still be considered to have the "potential to emit" greater than 10 tons per year of any one HAP, or 25 tons per year of any combination of HAPs. In

other words, the "potential to emit" is greater than or equal to actual emissions.

Historically, a source's "potential to emit" has been defined in terms of the source's air pollution permit. Sources have been considered to have the "potential to emit" at rates up to whatever is allowed in the source's air permit.

The exact status and contents of air permits for all eight primary copper smelters has not been determined. However, partial copies of the installation permits for the Cyprus Miami Isasmelt® modification and the ASARCO-El Paso CONTOP® modification were obtained and reviewed.

Attachment C-1 to the Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation Installation Permit (Number 1232, dated 3/13/92) allows total plant-wide (stacks plus fugitives) emissions of 149.77 tons per year (TPY) of lead. The total allowable emissions for this lead is 149 TPY, which is greater than 10 TPY of a single HAP. Therefore, from a review of the permit, the Cyprus Miami permit allows for the "potential to emit" greater than 10 TPY any one HAP or 25 TPY of any combination of HAPs.

The ASARCO-El Paso permit (Number 20345, dated 5/1/92) contains a Special Provision number 58, which summarizes the allowable emissions after CONTOP installation to include a 14 TPY limit on lead emissions. Therefore, from a review of the permit, the ASARCO-El Paso permit allows for the "potential to emit" greater than 10 TPY of any one HAP.

#### 4. DISCUSSION OF CONTROLS

##### 4.1 Description

##### 4.1.1 Acid Plants (Acid Plant Particulate Controls)

All plants, including future modifications at Copper Range, have acid plants for sulfur dioxide control. Acid plants, which utilize catalysts to transform sulfur dioxide into sulfuric acid, have extensive particulate controls in order to protect the catalysts from particulate fouling. These particulate controls typically consist of a dry (plate/wire) ESP, a scrubber (to further remove particulate and to lower gas temperature to 120-160 degrees Fahrenheit), and a wet (tube/wire) acid mist ESP (to remove sulfuric acid and volatile heavy metals that condense during the cooling process). The result of the particulate controls utilized to protect the acid plant catalyst is essentially "perfect" control of HAP metals. In almost all cases, combined emissions of all HAP metals in acid plant tail gases are less than 0.1 tons per year.

Acid plants are utilized to control process gases from smelting furnaces/vessels, and from converter primary hoods. Cyprus-Miami also controls process gas from its electric furnace with acid plant controls.

##### 4.1.2 Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel (ESCV)

Two plants (ASARCO-Hayden and Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo) have electric slag cleaning vessels. ASARCO-Hayden has a scrubber. Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo used to route ESCV gases through a scrubber, but the gases are now routed to the acid plant.

Uncontrolled slag cleaning furnaces are not significant sources of sulfur dioxide, particulate, or HAPs, compared to converter operations.

#### 4.1.3 Hooding

All plants have hooding at all smelting furnace/vessel matte and slag tapping points.

Six of the eight plants have both primary and secondary hoods on Pierce-Smith converters. Cyprus-Miami has Hoboken (siphon) converters, which do not have hooding associated with them. The modified Kennecott plant is using flash converting which eliminates the converter primary and secondary hoods. Copper Range converters will have both primary and secondary hoods installed as part of the planned modifications. A summary of converter hooding arrangements, and controls associated with converter hooding, is given in Table 9.

#### 4.1.4 Controls for Non-Process Gases

Table 10 summarizes controls associated with non-process gases. Non-process gases include those associated with slag- and matte-tapping for the smelting furnace/vessel, and converter secondary hood gases. Notes about controls at specific plants are given below.

**Table 9. Converter Hooding and Associated Controls at Primary Copper Smelters**

| Plant                         | Primary Hood<br>Type<br>Control               | Secondary Hood<br>Type<br>Control           | Tertiary Hood<br>Type<br>Control | Converter<br>Building<br>Ventilation<br>to<br>Atmosphere |
|-------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|--|
| ASARCO -<br>El Paso           | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Fixed Air Curtain<br>Baghouse               | Full Building<br>Baghouse        | Forced Draft<br>thru Baghouse                            |
| ASARCO -<br>Hayden            | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Vertical Sliding<br>ESP                     | None                             | Natural<br>Draft   |
| Copper Range,<br>White Pine   | Vertical Sliding<br>None <sup>(2)</sup>       | None <sup>(3)</sup>                         | None                             | Forced<br>Draft  |
| Cyprus Miami                  | None <sup>(4)</sup>                           | None <sup>(4)</sup>                         | None <sup>(4)</sup>              | Natural<br>Draft   |
| Kennecott <sup>(5)</sup>      | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Fixed<br>None                               | Part Building<br>None            | Forced<br>Draft  |
| Magma                         | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Vertical Sliding<br>ESP                     | None                             | Forced<br>Draft  |
| Phelps Dodge -<br>Chino Mines | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Horizontal Sliding<br>None <sup>(6)</sup>   | None                             | Natural<br>Draft   |
| Phelps Dodge -<br>Hidalgo     | Vertical Sliding<br>Acid Plant <sup>(1)</sup> | Fixed <sup>(7)</sup><br>None <sup>(7)</sup> | None                             | Natural<br>Draft   |

- (1) Prior to an acid plant, gases typically pass through dry electrostatic precipitators (ESPs), scrubbers (or coolers), and acid mist-ESPs.
- (2) Copper Range plans to install a high-energy scrubber and acid mist ESP to control converter hood gases in 1994.
- (3) Copper Range does not have a secondary hood. However, due to the relatively high primary hood flowrate, and the distance of the primary hood from the converter, the primary hood probably performs somewhat like a secondary hood.
- (4) Cyprus Miami has Hoboken (siphon) converters, rather than the Peirce-Smith converters utilized at the other seven plants. Hoboken converters are designed such that the converter itself functions as a hooding system. Process gases from the converter go (through ESPs and coolers) to an acid plant.
- (5) Kennecott is constructing a new smelter, which will have flash-converting, and will eliminate ladle transfers of molten metal. Completion is planned for July 1995.
- (6) Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines is considering particulate controls for secondary hood gases.
- (7) Phelps Dodge - Hidalgo is planning an upgrade of converter hooding (in 1994) that will include movable secondary hoods, with captured gases controlled by a baghouse.

ASARCO-El Paso: ASARCO-El Paso has a baghouse that receives combined flows from the converter secondary hoods and converter building evacuation system (tertiary hood).

ASARCO-Hayden: ASARCO-Hayden has a single electrostatic precipitator, the Ventilation Gas Cottrell, which receives gases from the secondary hoods, matte- and slag-tapping hoods, and from the outlet of the fluidized bed dryer baghouse.

The Ventilation Gas Cottrell underwent a series of modifications and a rebuild during 1992 and 1993. The rebuild consisted of replacing all the existing carbon steel collecting plates with heavier-gauge stainless steel plates. Also, the high-voltage wire electrodes were replaced with a special shrouded electrode design, intended to reduce wire breakage. The cost of this rebuild was \$800,000. Other modifications included replacement of (PCB-containing) transformer/rectifiers and replacement of transformer/rectifier controls.

At present, ASARCO-Hayden and Magma-San Manuel utilize ESPs to control particulate matter (PM) in the gases captured by the converter secondary hoods and furnace matte and slag tapping hoods. A comparison of design characteristics of the ASARCO-Hayden Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP) with ESPs at Magma-San Manuel is given in Table 11.

Copper Range Company: Copper Range Company had no controls for slag- or matte-tapping hoods; emissions captured by these hoods were vented directly out individual stacks. Copper Range Company also had no secondary hooding system. However, the

Table 10. Controls Associated with Non-Process Gas Streams

| Plant                      | Non-Process Gas Stream(s)   | (Current) Control Device Identification   | Comments  |
|----------------------------|---|---|---|
| ASARCO-El Paso             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter secondary hooding.</li> <li>2) Converter Tertiary (Converter Building Evaporation) hooding</li> <li>3) Contop Reactor Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> </ul>                | Converter Building Baghouse   | The outlet from the feed system baghouse also enters the converter building baghouse.   |
| ASARCO-Hayden              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Secondary Hooding.</li> <li>2) Inco Furnace Slag and Matte Tapping Hooding.</li> <li>3) Inco Slag Return Hooding.</li> <li>4) Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel Hooding.</li> </ul> | Ventilation Gas ESP (Control)   | Rebuilt in March 1993. Post-rebuild particulate emission rate of 12 lb/hr represents a collection efficiency of 95 percent (for an input rate of 256 lb/hr).  |
| Copper Range               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> </ul>  | Uncontrolled  | Have two stacks (East and West) for captured matte and slag tapping gases.  |
| Cyprus Miami               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Electric Furnace Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> <li>2) Isa Smelting Vessel Launder Hooding.</li> </ul>  | 40<br>Acoustic Packed-Bed Ventilation Furnace Scrubber  | Low differential pressure (approximately 3 inches). Intended for sulfur dioxide (not particulate) removal.  |
| Kennecott                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Secondary Hooding.</li> <li>2) Partial Tertiary (Reactor/Converter Building Roof) Hooding.</li> <li>3) Noranda Reactor Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> </ul>               | Uncontrolled  | Modernized smelter (scheduled for completion in July, 1995) will eliminate need for converter hooding.  |
| Magma                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Secondary Hooding.</li> <li>2) Outokumpu Furnace Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter ESP</li> <li>2) Flash Furnace Fugitives ESP</li> </ul>      | Calculated (December 1993) inlet particulate mass flow rates to the Converter ESP and the Flash Furnace Fugitives ESP of 36 and 53 lb/hr, respectively. Magma will be performing outlet tests on these ESPs, possibly in late-1994. |
| Phelps Dodge - China Mines | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Secondary Hooding.</li> <li>2) Inco Furnace Matte and Slag Tapping Hooding.</li> <li>3) Converter Slag Return Hooding.</li> <li>4) Oxygen Burner Hooding.</li> </ul>            | Uncontrolled  | Considering particulate controls for gases captured by the converter secondary hooding, and furnace matte and slag tapping hooding.   |
| Phelps Dodge - Hidalgo     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Secondary Hooding.</li> <li>2) Flash Furnace Matte and Slag Tapping Hoods.</li> <li>3) Electric Furnace Matte and Slag Tapping Hoods.</li> </ul>                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Converter Baghouse</li> <li>2) Flash Furnace/ESCV Baghouse</li> </ul> | Converter secondary hooding, and matte and slag tapping hooding, will be controlled by (separate) baghouses, beginning in 1994.   |



converter hoods at Copper Range Company probably served, to some extent, as both primary and secondary hoods.

Gases captured by the converter hoods at Copper Range Company were currently vented directly to the atmosphere (without control), through the main stack. However, Copper Range shut down in 1995 to install major modifications as part of a Consent Decree with EPA and the State of Michigan.

Cyprus Miami: Cyprus Miami has a ventilation gas scrubber that handles gases from the Isa vessel launder-hoods, and the electric furnace matte- and slag-tapping. The scrubber was designed for sulfur dioxide removal, rather than particulate removal. The scrubber differential pressure is nominally 3 inches of water, which would be classified as a "low-energy" scrubber (not expected to be very efficient for particulate removal).

Kennecott Utah Copper: There are no controls for non-process gases at the Kennecott Utah Copper smelter. Gases from the matte- and slag-tapping hoods, converter secondary hoods, and building roof fans above the converters, Noranda reactors, and waste heat boilers are all vented directly (without controls) to the main stack.

The modernized Kennecott Utah Copper smelter, which is anticipated to be operating in 1995, will include both flash smelting and recently developed flash converting. Both the flash smelting furnace and the flash converter will operate continuously (not in batches) and will produce a steady, high-

strength offgas, which will enable the new double-contact acid plant to achieve very high sulfur capture efficiency. The flash converter will eliminate ladle transfers of molten metals, because its feed is cooled, granulated matte. Both the flash furnace and flash converter will be connected directly to the gas handling system, preventing most fugitive emissions and eliminating the need for separate primary hoods and converter secondary hoods. Potential secondary emissions sources will be hooded and ventilated to further minimize fugitive emissions. Gases captured by these hoods will be treated by a baghouse to remove particulate matter and a wet scrubber to remove SO<sub>2</sub>.

Magma: Magma-San Manuel has one ESP for secondary converter hood gases, and one ESP for flash furnace fugitive gases.

At present, ASARCO-Hayden and Magma San Manuel are the only plants that utilize ESPs to control particulate matter in the gases captured by the converter secondary hoods and furnace matte and slag tapping hoods. Table 11 summarizes the design characteristics of the Magma Converter (Secondary Hoods) ESP, the Magma Flash Furnace Fugitives ESP, and the ASARCO-Hayden Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP).

Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines: There are no controls for the gases captured by the secondary hoods, or matte- and slag-tapping hoods. Gases captured by these hoods are vented directly to the atmosphere through the main stack. Chino is considering adding controls to the secondary hood system.

Table 11. Comparison between non-process ESPs at Magma-San Manuel and ASARCO-Hayden

| ESP Location and Description                     | Gas Flowrate (DSCFM) | Total Collection Area (sq ft) | Corona Power (Watts) | Specific Collection Area (sq ft/1000 DSCFM) | Specific Corona Power (Watts/1000 DSCFM) | Number of Fields | Number of Transverse Chambers | Comments  |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|---|--|------------------|-------------------------------|---|
| ASARCO-Hayden Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP)     | 433,500              | 83,328                        | 96,900               | 192   | 224                                      | 3                | 8                             | Rebuilt, March 1993. Post-rebuild particulate emission rate of 12 lb/hr represents collection efficiency of 95 percent, (for inlet of 256 lb/hr). |
| Magma-San Manuel Converter (Secondary Hoods) ESP | 230,000 (AVERAGE)    | 59,940                        | 10,500               | 261   | 46                                       | 3                | 1                             | Calculated inlet particulate load of 38 lb/hr (December 1993). Magma will be testing outlet, possibly late-1994.                                  |
| Magma-San Manuel Flash Furnace Fugitives ESP     | 150,000              | 101,520                       | 45,000               | 677   | 300                                      | 4                | 1                             | Calculated on inlet particulate load of 53 lb/hr. Magma will be testing outlet, possibly late-1994.   |

Comments:

- 1) In general, larger specific collection areas promote higher collection efficiencies.
- 2) In general, higher specific corona powers promote higher collection efficiencies.
- 3) In general, more fields promote higher collection efficiencies.
- 4) ASARCO-Hayden's eight transverse chambers allow the Ventilation Gas Cottrell to be serviced while the ESP is still on-line. Both Magma ESPs must be bypassed during servicing.
- 5) Flow through the Magma Converter ESP was reported to be 160,000 to 300,000 dscfm. An average value of 230,000 dscfm was utilized to calculate specific collection area and specific corona power.
- 6) Corona power for Magma-San Manuel ESPs was calculated based on a secondary voltage of 30 kV.
- 7) Corona power for ASARCO-Hayden was based on measurements made by ASARCO on 11/3/83.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo: Gases captured by the converter secondary hoods, are treated by lime injection followed by a baghouses for particulate removal prior to venting to the main stack. Matte- and slag-tapping hoods gases are passed through a separate baghouse and vented to the main stack. ASARCO-El Paso and Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo are two plants that use baghouses to control converter secondary hood emissions.

#### 4.2 Evaluation of Effectiveness

##### 4.2.1 Acid Plant Particulate Controls

As is discussed in Section 4.1.1, all smelters with acid plants have extensive particulate controls, in order to protect the catalysts from particulate fouling. These particulate controls typically consist of a dry (plate/wire) ESP, a scrubber (to further remove particulate and to lower gas temperature to 120-160 degrees Fahrenheit), and a wet (tube/wire) acid mist ESP (to remove sulfuric acid and volatile heavy metals that condense during the cooling process). The result of the particulate controls utilized to protect the acid plant catalyst is essentially "perfect" control of HAP metals, with HAP metal control efficiencies of greater than 99.9 percent. In almost all cases, combined emissions of all HAP metals in acid plant tail gases are less than 0.1 tons per year. This can be seen in Table 7, presented earlier, which presents the results of 9 sets of monthly tests for HAP metals in the Acid Plant Tailstack at Cyprus Miami. The average combined HAP emission rate for the nine monthly tests is 0.057 tons per year, and only one of the

nine monthly tests has combined HAP metal emission rates greater than 0.1 tons per year.

#### 4.2.2 Electric Slag Cleaning Vessel Scrubber

Two of the eight plants have electric slag cleaning vessels (ASARCO-Hayden and Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo). The ASARCO-Hayden plant uses a scrubber, but the Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo plant sends the gases to the acid plant. Uncontrolled emissions from ESCV's are not significant in terms of HAPs, when compared to converter operations.

#### 4.2.3 Hooding

Hooding capture efficiencies for furnace matte- and slag-tapping hoods are not available at any of the smelters. However, based on observations of the furnace matte and slag tapping hoods at all of the smelters, it is believed that the capture efficiencies are probably greater than 90 percent. This is because all matte and slag tapping hoods have a "doghouse" directly above ladle parking areas, as well as hooding or covers for launder transfers. It should also be noted that furnace/reactor matte tapping and slag tapping processes are not large sources of sulfur dioxide and particulate emissions, when compared to converter processes. For example, particulate and sulfur dioxide measurements on the matte tapping and slag tapping ducts at ASARCO-Hayden indicated mass flows of 35.6 and 238 lb/hr, respectively. This compares with converter secondary hood mass flows of 172 and 4871 lb/hr, respectively.

Converter hooding capture efficiencies may be calculated for many of the smelters. Table 12 presents calculated converter hooding capture efficiencies for smelters for which information is available. Hooding capture efficiencies have been calculated based on sulfur dioxide emissions from the converter building, and sulfur dioxide mass flows in the converter secondary and primary hooding ducts. Calculated sulfur dioxide flows in the primary hood ducts are based on copper matte input rates and sulfur concentrations, minus sulfur dioxide flows in the secondary hood ducts, tertiary hood ducts, and building fugitives. Secondary hood duct sulfur dioxide mass flows were typically based on continuous emission monitoring data.

Table 12 shows that ASARCO-El Paso has the highest overall converter hooding sulfur dioxide capture efficiency of any of the smelters, with an overall capture calculated at 99.99 percent (i.e. a penetration of 0.01 percent). This is not surprising, because ASARCO-El Paso has converter "tertiary" hooding consisting of total converter building enclosure and converter building ventilation, in addition to primary hoods and air curtain secondary hoods. The next highest calculated overall

TABLE 12. SULFUR DIOXIDE (SO<sub>2</sub>) MASS FLOW IN DUCTS, AND RESULTANT CALCULATED HOOD CAPTURE EFFICIENCIES

| Smelter            | Primary Hoods SO <sub>2</sub> Flow (lb/hr) | Secondary Hoods SO <sub>2</sub> Flow (lb/hr) | Tertiary Hoods SO <sub>2</sub> Flow (lb/hr) | Building Fugitives SO <sub>2</sub> Flow (lb/hr) | Pri Hood Capture Efficiency (percent) | Sec Hood Capture Efficiency (percent) | Test Hood Capture Efficiency (percent) | Overall Capture Efficiency (percent) |
|--------------------|--|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Asarco - El Paso   | Unknown                                    | Unknown                                      | Unknown                                     | 1   | Unknown                               | Unknown                               | Unknown                                | Unknown                              |
| Asarco - Hayden    | 64,000                                     | 2,848  | N/A   | 2,703   | 92                                    | 51                                    | N/A                                    | 95.1                                 |
| Copper Range       | 14,623                                     | N/A  | N/A   | Unknown   | Unknown                               | N/A                                   | N/A                                    | Unknown                              |
| Cyprus - Miami     | Unknown                                    | N/A  | N/A   | 903   | Unknown                               | Unknown                               | N/A                                    | Unknown                              |
| Kennecott          | Unknown                                    | Unknown                                      | Unknown                                     | 1,305   | Unknown                               | Unknown                               | Unknown                                | Unknown                              |
| Magma              | 56,690                                     | 1,008  | N/A   | 733   | 97                                    | 58                                    | N/A                                    | 98.7                                 |
| PD - Chuino        | 33,000                                     | 2,400  | N/A   | 2,000   | 88                                    | 55                                    | N/A                                    | 94.7                                 |
| PD - Hidalgo (rev) | 32,300                                     | 3,115  | N/A   | 2,076   | 86                                    | 60                                    | N/A                                    | 94.4                                 |

converter hooding capture efficiency is for Magma Copper Company, from 11/21/93 to 11/30/93, with a capture efficiency of 98.5 percent (penetration of 1.5 percent). It should be noted that the high overall sulfur capture efficiency exhibited by Magma is due to the significant increase in converter primary hooding capture efficiency that resulted from cleaning the gas cooling tower from November 15-20, 1993. Further improvements in capture efficiency are evident with the introduction of the third sulfuric acid plant, and the accompanying increase in primary hood draft rate.

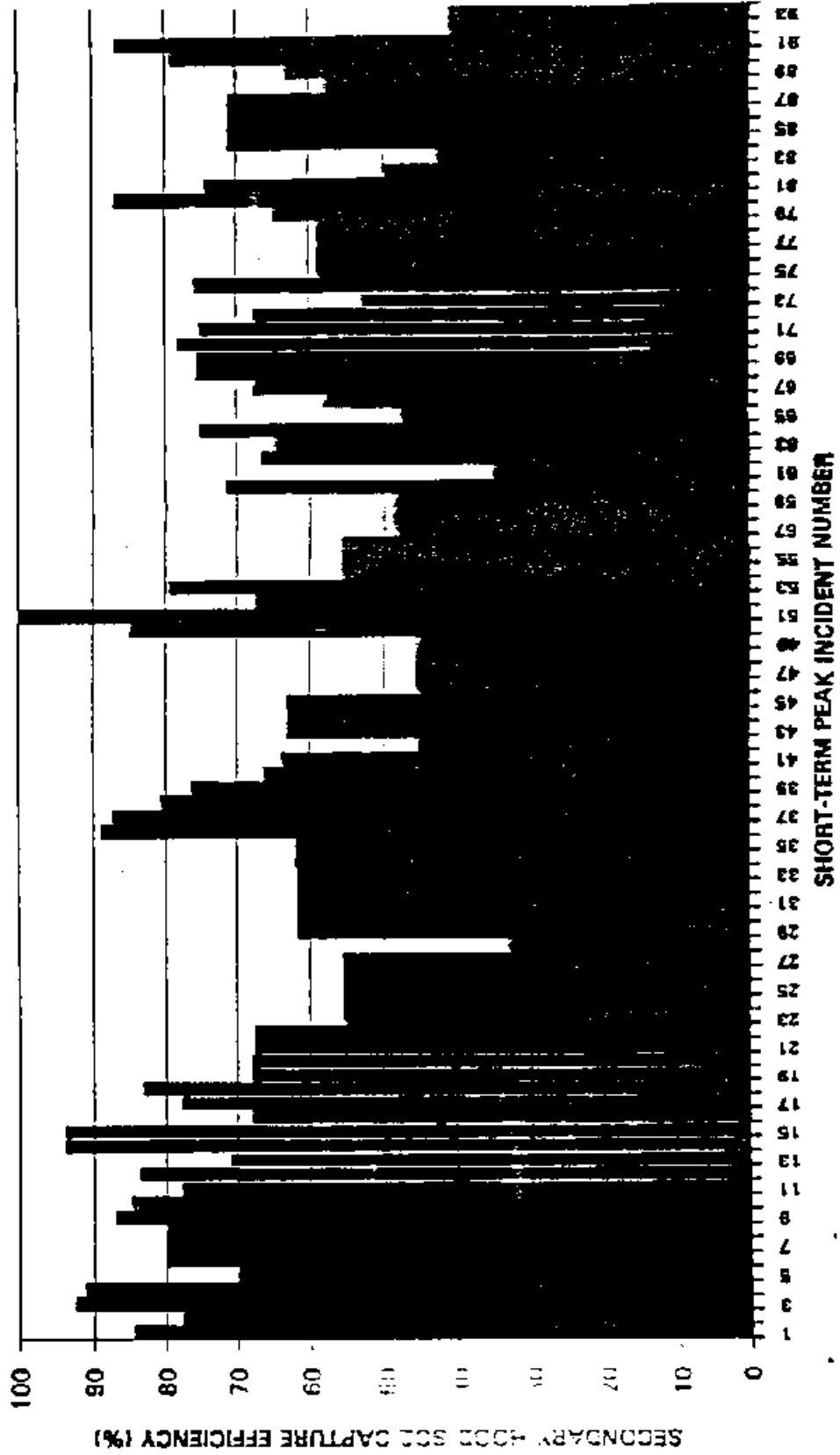
It should be noted that hooding capture efficiency is not constant, but changes over time. Figure 17 shows the secondary hooding capture efficiencies for Magma during selected periods in the 1989-1991 time period. The selected periods represent 93 one-hour measurements. The capture efficiencies were calculated by RTI from data supplied by Magma to the State of Arizona. Magma reported hourly sulfur dioxide emissions from all emissions locations (including the converter building and converter secondary hoods stack), for incidents in which the ambient (off-site) sulfur dioxide concentrations exceeded one part per million for six minutes. The secondary hood capture efficiency was calculated by dividing the sulfur dioxide emissions from the converter (secondary hoods) stack by the sum of the emissions from the converter stack and the converter building. The average capture efficiency over these periods was approximately 67 percent.

#### 4.2.4 Controls for Non-Process Gases

ASARCO-El Paso: ASARCO-El Paso has a baghouse that treats streams from the converter secondary hoods, converter tertiary hood (converter building evacuation system), and matte- and slag-tapping hoods. The baghouse particulate and HAP collection efficiency is not specifically known, but would be expected to be 99% or greater. Based on December 1993 performance testing, the average outlet particulate flow was 23 lb/hr from the converter building baghouse.



Figure 17- Magma Converter Secondary Hood Capture Efficiency  
 During Short-Term Ambient SO2 Peaks  
 (February 1989 - September 1991)



ASARCO-Hayden: ASARCO-Hayden has a Ventilation Gas Cottrell (ESP) that handles flows from the converter secondary hoods, INCO furnace and electric slag cleaning vessel matte- and slag-tapping hoods, and from the fluidized bed dryer baghouse outlet. In in-house testing conducted by EEMC in September 1991, ASARCO measured the total suspended particulate flows from these streams to be 172.5, 35.6, 34.5, and 13.5 lb/hr, respectively. These values result in a calculated input to the ESP of 256 lb/hr.

The ASARCO-Hayden plant has a continuous particulate sampling system at the outlet of the Ventilation Gas Cottrell. From the sampling system, monthly-average particulate emissions can be determined. Figure 18 presents both the monthly-average particulate emissions (reported in lb/hr), and the calculated efficiency, based on an inlet particulate mass flow of 256 lb/hr. Over the six months from April 1993 to September 1993, the average particulate emission rate was approximately 12 lb/hr, representing a collection efficiency of approximately 95 percent, based on 256 lb/hr at the ESP inlet.

Copper Range: Copper Range does not have controls for the reverberatory furnace matte or slag tapping hoods.

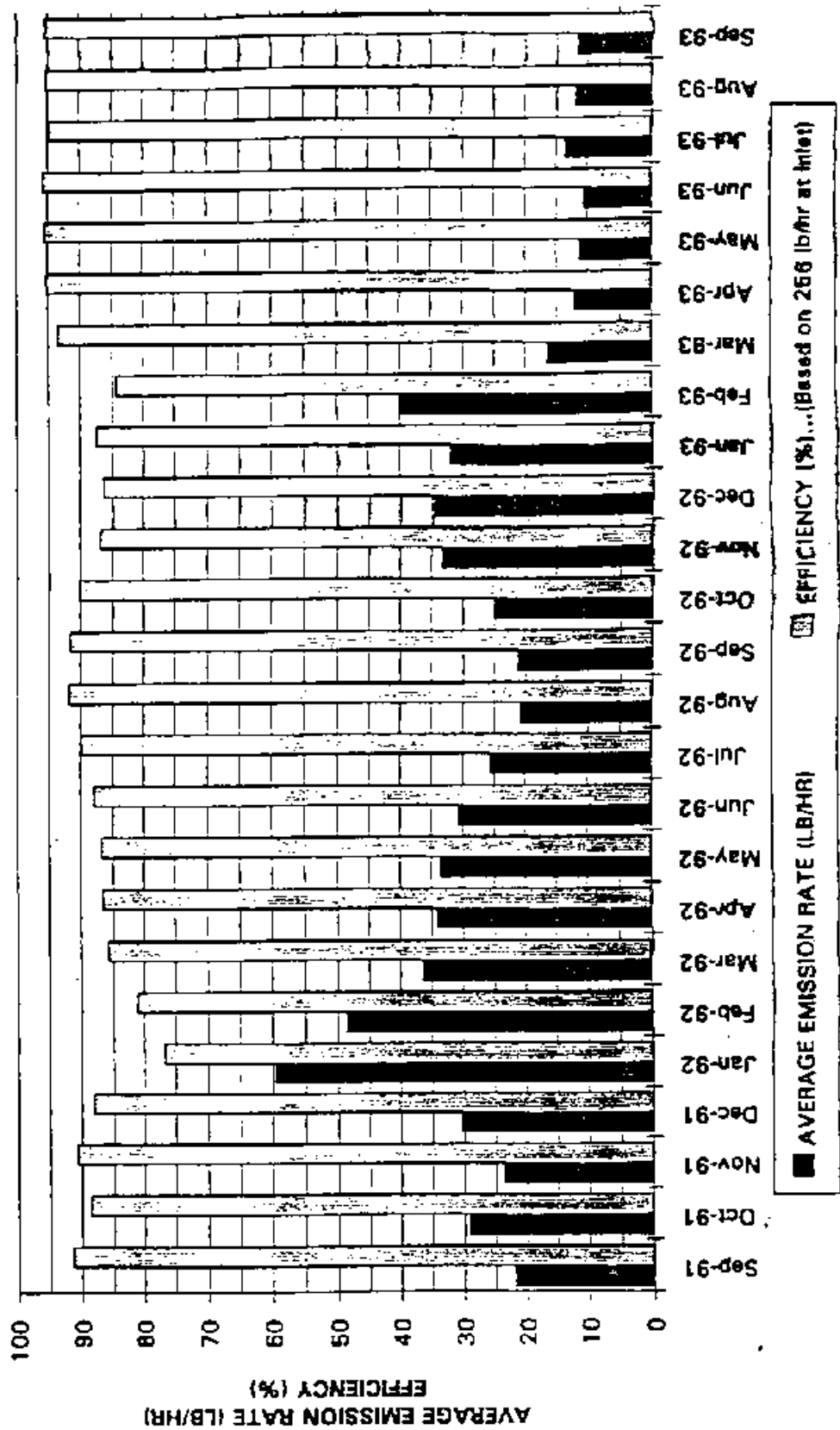
At present, Copper Range also does not have controls for the converter hoods. However, the modernized plant will have controls when it starts back up, based on the Consent Decree.

Cyprus Miami: The Ventilation Gas Scrubber at Cyprus Miami handles gases from the Isa vessel launder hooding and electric furnace matte and slag tapping hooding.

Kennecott-Utah: Gases captured by the converter secondary hoods, partial tertiary hood (i.e., partial converter building evacuation) and Noranda reactor slag- and matte-tapping hoods are sent to the main stack without controls at the existing Kennecott Utah Copper smelter.

The modified Kennecott smelter that is expected to be operating in 1995 will have no ladle transfers of molten metal, and will therefore not require converter secondary hoods.

Figure 18- Ventilation Gas Electrostatic Precipitator (Cottrell) Performance  
at ASARCO - Hayden.



Magma Copper Company: Magma has one ESP to control gases captured by the converter secondary hoods, and one ESP to control gases captured by the flash furnace fugitives (matte tapping and slag tapping) hoods. The collection efficiencies of these ESP's have not been measured.

Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines: Non-process gases (including those captured by the matte- and slag tapping hoods, and converter secondary hoods) are currently sent to the Main Stack without controls. However, Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines is considering particulate controls for these gas streams.

Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo: In 1994, Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo installed separate baghouses to treat gases from both the converter secondary hoods, and matte and slag tapping hoods. Both these baghouses are expected to have overall particulate collection efficiencies greater than 99 percent.

#### 5. PLANT INPUT IMPURITIES

Table 13 summarizes the plant input impurity data for the 1992 calendar year. The data are expressed in terms of total input impurity mass inputs. Also included (in parentheses) in Table 13 are the total mass inputs to the smelters. In both cases the reported masses do not include internal plant recycle streams. The data in Table 13 can be expressed in terms of input impurity percentages, as shown in Table 14. All plant input impurity values in Table 14 represent data for the 1992 calendar year, except for data from Cyprus Miami. The Cyprus Miami data reflect input impurities during Performance Testing performed at the plant on December 8-9, 1992. In all cases, plant input impurities include all inputs to the smelters from outside sources, but do not include internal plant recycle impurities.

In the Section 114 Information Request, all smelters were asked to provide breakdowns of plant input impurities on a per-mine, or per-source, basis. Analysis of these breakdowns indicated that certain input sources could significantly affect total plant impurity inputs. An example of how a single high-

impurity source can significantly impact overall plant impurity inputs is illustrated by ASARCO-Hayden. In 1992, ASARCO-Hayden received lead "speiss" from the ASARCO-East Helena, Montana lead smelter. Although the lead speiss represented only 0.7 percent of the total plant mass input (5,084 tons of 767,253 tons), it represented 80 percent of the lead input (681 tons of 851 tons), 61 percent of the arsenic input (523 tons of 851 tons), and 74 percent of the antimony input (430 tons of 578 tons).

Plant input impurities can change over time. These input impurity changes can vary over any length of time, from hourly to annually. One way to get an idea of the variations in input impurities over time is to examine reports submitted under the current (Primary Copper Smelter) Arsenic NESHAP. The current Arsenic NESHAP requires all the smelters to submit annual summaries of arsenic contained in matte charged to the converters.

Table 15 summarizes 1992 arsenic charge reports for most of the smelters (the arsenic charge reports for both Phelps Dodge plants were claimed to be Confidential Business Information). Multi-year arsenic charge data were available for Copper Range Company and Kennecott Utah Copper. These data are summarized in Table 16. From Tables 15 and 16, it can be seen that there are monthly and annual variations in arsenic inputs to smelters. Similarly, it can be expected that other (potential HAP-generating) input impurities vary over time.

Table 13. 1992 Smelter Concentrate Input Impurities

|   | AS<br>(TONS) | PB<br>(TONS) | SB<br>(TONS) | BE<br>(TONS) | CD<br>(TONS) | CR<br>(TONS) | CO<br>(TONS) | MN<br>(TONS) | HG<br>(TONS) | W<br>(TONS) | SE<br>(TONS) |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| ASARCO - EL PABO (366,368 TONS)           | 760          | 1961         | 385          | N            | 78           | N            | N            | N            | N            | 134         | 22           |
| ASARCO - HAYDEN (787,293 TONS)            | 851          | 1430         | 578          | 77           | 70           | 86           | 201          | 94           | 1            | 121         | 1            |
| COPPER RANGE (246,742 TONS)               | 31           | 33           | 25           | 25           | 25           | 27           | 8            | 139          | 1            | 4           | 18           |
| CYPRUS MIANS (2)                          |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |             |              |
| KENNECOTT (580,238 TONS)                  | (80)         | (334)        | (69)         |              | (8)          | (207)        |              |              |              |             | (1)          |
| MAGMA (1,300,000 TONS) (3)                | 1188         | 871          | 267          | 3            | 42           | 61           | 148          | 80           | 3            | 42          | 137          |
| PHELPS DODGE - CHINO MINES (878,697 TONS) | 58           | 376          | 31           | 33           | 101          | 5            | 131          | 90           | 0            | 41          | 65           |
| PHELPS DODGE - HIDALGO (781,340 TONS)     | 184          | 360          | 48           | 1            | 67           | 121          | 87           | 132          | 1            | 32          | 4            |

(1) Values in parenthesis are total plant mass inputs (concentrates, reverts from other plants, flux, coal, etc.).

Table 14. 1992 Smelter Concentrate Input Impurities

|                        | AS (%) | PB (%) | SB (%) | BE (%) | CD (%) | CR (%) | CO (%) | MN (%) | HG (%) | NI (%) | SE (%) |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| ASARCO - EL PASO       | 0.207  | 0.451  | 0.100  | 0.021  | 0.021  |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| ASARCO - HAYDEN        | 0.111  | 0.185  | 0.075  | 0.010  | 0.009  | 0.011  | 0.026  | 0.012  | 0.000  | 0.037  | 0.008  |
| COPPER RANGE           | 0.012  | 0.013  | 0.010  | 0.010  | 0.010  | 0.011  | 0.003  | 0.058  | 0.000  | 0.002  | 0.008  |
| CYPRUS MIAMI           | 0.033  | 0.100  | 0.060  | 0.004  | 0.019  | 0.030  | 0.019  | 0.060  | 0.000  | 0.030  | 0.001  |
| KENNECOTT              | 0.189  | 0.161  | 0.012  |        | 0.002  | 0.038  |        |        |        |        |        |
| MAGMA                  | 0.088  | 0.065  | 0.020  | 0.000  | 0.003  | 0.004  | 0.017  | 0.008  | 0.000  | 0.003  | 0.010  |
| PHELPS DODGE - CHINO   | 0.008  | 0.041  | 0.005  | 0.005  | 0.016  | 0.001  | 0.019  | 0.013  | 0.000  | 0.003  | 0.008  |
| PHELPS DODGE - HIDALGO | 0.021  | 0.046  | 0.008  | 0.000  | 0.009  | 0.016  | 0.011  | 0.017  | 0.000  | 0.004  | 0.001  |

(1) Cyprus Miami percentages from Particulate Performance Testing, December 8-9, 1992.

(2) Magma percentages based on estimated total plant input.

TABLE 15. Summary of Converter Arsenic Charge Reports for 1992

|           | 1992                     |       | 1992                    |       | 1992                 |       | 1992                 |         | 1992              |       |               |       |
|-----------|--------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|---------|-------------------|-------|---------------|-------|
|           | ASARCO - EL PASO PERCENT | KG/HR | ASARCO - HAYDEN PERCENT | KG/HR | COPPER RANGE PERCENT | KG/HR | CYPRUS MIAMI PERCENT | KG/HR   | KENNECOTT PERCENT | KG/HR | MAGMA PERCENT | KG/HR |
| JANUARY   | 0.1                      | 17.0  | 0.069                   | 16.8  | 0.028                | 3.9   | NOT OP.              | NOT OP. | 0.009             | 2.7   | 0.087         | 44.6  |
| FEBRUARY  | 0.11                     | 19.1  | 0.063                   | 15.0  | 0.027                | 4.1   | NOT OP.              | NOT OP. | 0.024             | 8.5   | 0.132         | 73    |
| MARCH     | 0.13                     | 21.2  | 0.058                   | 14.0  | 0.023                | 3.8   | 0.012                | 3.9     | 0.02              | 6.2   | 0.128         | 67.4  |
| APRIL     | 0.11                     | 17.5  | 0.057                   | 13.6  | 0.025                | 3.6   | 0.01                 | 3.9     | 0.026             | 9.4   | 0.115         | 61.1  |
| MAY       | 0.13                     | 19.8  | 0.053                   | 12.8  | 0.028                | 4.3   | 0.015                | 5.8     | 0.028             | 6.3   | 0.083         | 43.8  |
| JUNE      | 0.1                      | 14.9  | 0.050                   | 14.4  | 0.021                | 3.3   | 0.003                | 1.2     | 0.073             | 21.9  | 0.093         | 49.5  |
| JULY      | 0.1                      | 15.4  | 0.063                   | 15.7  | 0.017                | 3     | 0.018                | 6.5     | 0.07              | 24.3  | 0.148         | 77.6  |
| AUGUST    | 0.11                     | 17.0  | 0.063                   | 14.7  | 0.027                | 4.8   | 0.02                 | 6.5     | 0.076             | 28.5  | 0.12          | 63.7  |
| SEPTEMBER | 0.13                     | 21.4  | 0.061                   | 14.1  | 0.036                | 5.5   | 0.015                | 5.4     | 0.04              | 14.5  | 0.095         | 39.8  |
| OCTOBER   | 0.126                    | 18.5  | 0.065                   | 15.1  | 0.033                | 5.3   | 0.016                | 5.9     | 0.07              | 21.2  | 0.088         | 48.8  |
| NOVEMBER  | 0.126                    | 17.8  | 0.063                   | 14.3  | 0.048                | 7.3   | 0.018                | 6.5     | 0.049             | 19.8  | 0.062         | 32.5  |
| DECEMBER  | 0.129                    | 20.5  | 0.059                   | 13.4  | 0.031                | 5.2   | 0.017                | 5.4     | 0.03              | 12.5  | 0.065         | 33    |
| AVERAGE   | 0.117                    | 18.3  | 0.061                   | 14.5  | 0.029                | 4.5   | 0.014                | 5.1     | 0.043             | 14.8  | 0.101         | 62.9  |

1) Arsenic charge reports for Phelps Dodge-Hidalgo and Phelps Dodge-Chino Mines were claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI).



Table 16- Multi-Year Arsenic Charge Reports for Copper Range Company and Kennecott Utah Copper

| 1992                    |       | 1991         |       | 1990         |       | 1989         |       | 1988         |         | 1987         |       | 1982      |       | 1991      |       |
|-------------------------|-------|--------------|-------|--------------|-------|--------------|-------|--------------|---------|--------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| COPPER RANGE<br>PERCENT | KG/HR | COPPER RANGE |       | COPPER RANGE |       | COPPER RANGE |       | COPPER RANGE |         | COPPER RANGE |       | KENNECOTT |       | KENNECOTT |       |
|                         |       | PERCENT      | KG/HR | PERCENT      | KG/HR | PERCENT      | KG/HR | PERCENT      | KG/HR   | PERCENT      | KG/HR | PERCENT   | KG/HR | PERCENT   | KG/HR |
| 0.028                   | 3.9   | 0.047        | 6.3   | 0.047        | 6.3   | 0.039        | 4.1   | 0.094        | 11      | 0.042        | 4.3   | 0.008     | 2.7   | 0.016     | 4.8   |
| 0.027                   | 4.1   | 0.048        | 7.4   | 0.048        | 6.5   | 0.037        | 4.1   | 0.085        | 8.6     | 0.034        | 4.2   | 0.024     | 8.6   | 0.02      | 6.5   |
| 0.023                   | 3.8   | 0.048        | 6.4   | 0.034        | 4     | 0.067        | 5.3   | 0.088        | 6.3     | 0.032        | 3.8   | 0.02      | 6.2   | 0.005     | 1.7   |
| 0.025                   | 3.8   | 0.051        | 6.4   | 0.032        | 3.7   | 0.059        | 6.4   | NOT OP.      | NOT OP. | 0.048        | 4.8   | 0.026     | 6.4   | 0.005     | 1.8   |
| 0.028                   | 4.3   | 0.04         | 5.1   | 0.03         | 3.2   | 0.073        | 8     | 0.062        | 7.2     | 0.046        | 4.6   | 0.026     | 6.3   | 0.045     | 13.5  |
| 0.021                   | 3.3   | 0.028        | 3.9   | 0.036        | 4.5   | 0.059        | 6.9   | 0.06         | 7.9     | 0.048        | 5.9   | 0.073     | 21.9  | 0.03      | 12.3  |
| 0.017                   | 3     | 0.03         | 4.1   | 0.044        | 5.6   | 0.045        | 5.8   | 0.052        | 6       | 0.047        | 5.3   | 0.07      | 24.3  | 0.086     | 30.7  |
| 0.027                   | 4.6   | 0.024        | 3.6   | 0.047        | 5.9   | 0.052        | 6.6   | 0.077        | 6.9     | 0.055        | 6.8   | 0.076     | 28.5  | 0.055     | 18.4  |
| 0.038                   | 5.5   | 0.022        | 3.2   | 0.045        | 5.7   | 0.048        | 6.4   | 0.081        | 6.8     | 0.054        | 6.6   | 0.04      | 14.5  | 0.024     | 8     |
| 0.033                   | 5.3   | 0.02         | 3.3   | 0.048        | 5.4   | 0.06         | 7.3   | 0.04         | 4.3     | 0.086        | 10.2  | 0.07      | 21.2  | 0.075     | 24.6  |
| 0.048                   | 7.3   | 0.021        | 3.3   | 0.044        | 5     | 0.05         | 5     | 0.039        | 3.9     | 0.085        | 10    | 0.048     | 19.8  | 0.039     | 12.9  |
| 0.031                   | 5.2   | 0.028        | 4     | 0.05         | 7     | 0.048        | 4.7   | 0.021        | 2.1     | 0.062        | 7.1   | 0.03      | 12.5  | 0.038     | 11.3  |
| 0.029                   | 4.6   | 0.034        | 4.8   | 0.042        | 5.2   | 0.052        | 5.9   | 0.084        | 6.8     | 0.053        | 6.1   | 0.043     | 14.8  | 0.037     | 12.2  |

## 6. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

An evaluation of all of the emissions data submitted from the smelters indicates that the stack emissions data was in all cases derived from actual measurements. However in the case of the fugitive HAP emissions, these are in most cases estimates and not actual measurements. The two current exceptions are the 1993 testing completed at ASARCO-El Paso as reported to EPA April, 1994 and the measurements being conducted at Magma at the converter building roof ventilators.

In order to make a determination of the major source status of the remaining smelters, more accurate measurements of fugitive HAPs must be made. Accurate fugitive measurements combined with the current stack testing results will allow EPA to determine the major source status of each plant and the industry.

Thus it is recommended that fugitive emissions measurements protocols be established at all operating smelters, measurements be made of HAP emissions and the results of this testing be reported to EPA.

## **Appendix H**

### **Representative Copper Smelter Fugitive HAP Quantification Reports**

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**RESULTS OF A  
FUGITIVE PARTICULATE EMISSION STUDY  
AT ASARCO HAYDEN SMELTER**

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APPENDIX G

**Metals Emission Estimates**

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| <u>Metal</u> | <u>Area</u>   | <u>1995 tons/yr*</u> |
|--------------|---------------|----------------------|
| Antimony     | Furnace (F)   | 0.39                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.93                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.37                 |
|              | F + C         | 1.32                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 1.70                 |
| Arsenic      | Furnace (F)   | 5.75                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 10.12                |
|              | Anode (A)     | 16.71                |
|              | F + C         | 15.87                |
|              | F + C + A     | 32.58                |
| Beryllium    | Furnace (F)   | 0.05                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.19                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.33                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.25                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 0.28                 |
| Cadmium      | Furnace (F)   | 0.28                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.54                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.30                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.82                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 1.13                 |
| Chromium     | Furnace (F)   | 0.07                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.20                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.20                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.26                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 0.47                 |
| Cobalt       | Furnace (F)   | 0.07                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.19                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.05                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.27                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 0.32                 |
| Lead         | Furnace (F)   | 9.75                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 35.57                |
|              | Anode (A)     | 13.04                |
|              | F + C         | 45.32                |
|              | F + C + A     | 58.35                |
| Manganese    | Furnace (F)   | 0.08                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.22                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.06                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.29                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 0.35                 |
| Nickel       | Furnace (F)   | 0.09                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 0.33                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 0.18                 |
|              | F + C         | 0.43                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 0.61                 |
| Selenium     | Furnace (F)   | 1.15                 |
|              | Converter (C) | 6.34                 |
|              | Anode (A)     | 16.04                |
|              | F + C         | 7.49                 |
|              | F + C + A     | 23.53                |

\* Based on 316 working days per year, ratio of emissions from two-week study and new dimensions for anode, converter and general roof monitors



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December 30, 1996

Ms. Nancy Wrona, Director  
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Dear Ms. Wrona:

The enclosed report and data summarize the operations of the Cyprus Miami Mining Corporation PM<sub>10</sub> network during April - June, 1996. This report is late due to problems with the XRF machine at Desert Research Institute. (Please see copies of enclosed letters) There were no PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations greater than 150 ug/m<sub>3</sub>.

One special 24-hour was required during this period due to Acid Plant downtime. The special sample was not used in the quarterly averaging. Six samples were lost due to equipment malfunctions or technician errors.

If you have any questions, please call me at (520) 473-7016 or John Reichenbach at (520) 473-7418.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'R F Ressler'.

for  
Robert F. Ressler, Manager  
Environmental and Land

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# CYPRUS MIAMI MINING CORPORATION

## PM10 CONCENTRATION DATA

| Sample Date | PM10 Concentration (ug/m3) |           |           |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|             | Golf Course                | Colocated | Ridgeline |
| 4/3/96      | 25                         | 30        | 10        |
| 4/6/96      | 37                         | 8         | 5         |
| 4/9/96      | 38                         | 49        | 19        |
| 4/12/96     | 35                         | 40        | **        |
| 4/15/96     | 31                         | ***       | 9         |
| 4/18/96     | 36                         | 35        | 13        |
| 4/21/96     | 37                         | 35        | 17        |
| 4/24/96     | 56                         | 53        | 24        |
| 4/27/96     | 44                         | 55        | 15        |
| 4/30/96     | 64                         | 67        | 24        |
| 5/3/96      | 41                         | 48        | 16        |
| 5/6/96      | 46                         | 40        | 19        |
| 5/9/96      | 38                         | 37        | 18        |
| 5/10/96     | 36                         |           | 19        |
| 5/12/96     | **                         | **        | 20        |
| 5/15/96     | 39                         | 38        | 13        |
| 5/18/96     | 32                         | 32        | 19        |
| 5/21/96     | 62                         | 56        | 24        |
| 5/24/96     | 27                         | 29        | 21        |
| 5/27/96     | 18                         | 18        | ***       |
| 5/30/96     | 35                         | 39        | 14        |
| 6/2/96      | 31                         | 34        | 17        |
| 6/5/96      | 55                         | 51        | 17        |
| 6/8/96      | 32                         | 31        | 19        |
| 6/11/96     | 56                         | 47        | 24        |
| 6/14/96     | 20                         | 20        | 15        |
| 6/17/96     | 39                         | 39        | 18        |
| 6/20/96     | 45                         | 44        | 22        |
| 6/23/96     | 29                         | 29        | 13        |
| 6/26/96     | 22                         | 24        | ***       |
| 6/29/96     | 24                         | 33        | 15        |

\* - Special sample due to Acid Plant shutdown

\*\* - Sample lost due to equipment malfunction

\*\*\* - Sample lost due to technician error

Table 2 (continued)

Cyprus Miami Mining 2nd Quarter 1996 Dichotomous Sampler Analysis Results

Site: Golf Course Date: 04/27/96 Start time: 0  
 Filter IDs Volume (m<sup>3</sup>) Flags Duration: 24 hrs  
 Teflon Quartz Teflon Quartz Tefln Qrtz Mass Anions NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> K<sup>+</sup> Carbon XRF  
 Fine: GCDT1494 18.9 0.0 U2  
 Coarse: GCDT1493 21.0 0.0 U2 54

|                              | Fine, Coarse, and PM <sub>10</sub> Concentrations (µg/m <sup>3</sup> ) |         |            |         |                  |         |
|------------------------------|--|---------|------------|---------|------------------|---------|
|                              | Fine   |         | Coarse     |         | PM <sub>10</sub> |         |
| Mass                         | 10.1319 ±  | 0.6442  | 34.1701 ±  | 1.8700  | 44.3020 ±        | 1.9779  |
| Cl <sup>-</sup>              | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup> | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| K <sup>+</sup>               | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| OC                           | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | 99.0000 ±        | -99.000 |
| EC                           | -99.0000 ±   | -99.000 | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| TC                           | -99.0000 ±   | 99.000  | -99.0000 ± | -99.000 | -99.0000 ±       | -99.000 |
| Al                           | 0.3524 ±   | 0.0197  | 3.5601 ±   | 1.0592  | 3.9125 ±         | 1.0594  |
| Si                           | 0.9787 ±   | 0.0497  | 8.6115 ±   | 2.7287  | 9.5902 ±         | 2.7292  |
| P                            | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0063  | 0.0117 ±   | 0.0147  | 0.0117 ±         | 0.0160  |
| S                            | 0.3664 ±   | 0.0192  | 0.3632 ±   | 0.1320  | 0.7296 ±         | 0.1334  |
| Cl                           | 0.0307 ±   | 0.0052  | 0.1171 ±   | 0.0351  | 0.1478 ±         | 0.0355  |
| K                            | 0.1764 ±   | 0.0097  | 1.0890 ±   | 0.2170  | 1.2654 ±         | 0.2172  |
| Ca                           | 0.2084 ±   | 0.0114  | 1.1619 ±   | 0.1963  | 1.3703 ±         | 0.1966  |
| Ti                           | 0.0202 ±   | 0.0135  | 0.1089 ±   | 0.0136  | 0.1291 ±         | 0.0192  |
| V                            | 0.0025 ±   | 0.0076  | 0.0014 ±   | 0.0083  | 0.0039 ±         | 0.0113  |
| Cr                           | 0.0005 ±   | 0.0026  | 0.0009 ±   | 0.0030  | 0.0014 ±         | 0.0040  |
| Mn                           | 0.0059 ±   | 0.0017  | 0.0313 ±   | 0.0024  | 0.0372 ±         | 0.0029  |
| Fe                           | 0.2643 ±   | 0.0134  | 1.4032 ±   | 0.0723  | 1.6675 ±         | 0.0735  |
| Co                           | 0.0006 ±   | 0.0045  | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0222  | 0.0006 ±         | 0.0227  |
| Ni                           | 0.0004 ±   | 0.0015  | 0.0009 ±   | 0.0015  | 0.0013 ±         | 0.0021  |
| Cu                           | 0.1634 ±   | 0.0083  | 0.2120 ±   | 0.0153  | 0.3754 ±         | 0.0174  |
| Zn                           | 0.0356 ±   | 0.0022  | 0.0169 ±   | 0.0028  | 0.0525 ±         | 0.0036  |
| Ga                           | 0.0006 ±   | 0.0022  | 0.0006 ±   | 0.0014  | 0.0012 ±         | 0.0026  |
| As                           | 0.0054 ±   | 0.0233  | 0.0017 ±   | 0.0050  | 0.0081 ±         | 0.0238  |
| Se                           | 0.0018 ±   | 0.0007  | 0.0003 ±   | 0.0008  | 0.0018 ±         | 0.0011  |
| Br                           | 0.0045 ±   | 0.0008  | 0.0001 ±   | 0.0009  | 0.0046 ±         | 0.0012  |
| Rb                           | 0.0007 ±   | 0.0003  | 0.0047 ±   | 0.0005  | 0.0054 ±         | 0.0007  |
| Sr                           | 0.0021 ±   | 0.0006  | 0.0098 ±   | 0.0007  | 0.0119 ±         | 0.0009  |
| Y                            | 0.0002 ±   | 0.0016  | 0.0009 ±   | 0.0006  | 0.0011 ±         | 0.0017  |
| Zr                           | 0.0005 ±   | 0.0011  | 0.0037 ±   | 0.0008  | 0.0042 ±         | 0.0014  |
| Mo                           | 0.0008 ±   | 0.0019  | 0.0041 ±   | 0.0013  | 0.0049 ±         | 0.0023  |
| Rd                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0068  | 0.0014 ±   | 0.0065  | 0.0014 ±         | 0.0094  |
| Ag                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0076  | 0.0001 ±   | 0.0072  | 0.0001 ±         | 0.0105  |
| Cd                           | 0.0022 ±   | 0.0081  | 0.0035 ±   | 0.0077  | 0.0057 ±         | 0.0112  |
| In                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0091  | 0.0003 ±   | 0.0087  | 0.0003 ±         | 0.0126  |
| Sn                           | 0.0049 ±   | 0.0117  | 0.0021 ±   | 0.0108  | 0.0070 ±         | 0.0159  |
| Sb                           | 0.0011 ±   | 0.0136  | 0.0014 ±   | 0.0127  | 0.0025 ±         | 0.0186  |
| Ba                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0490  | 0.0350 ±   | 0.0335  | 0.0350 ±         | 0.0594  |
| La                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0664  | 0.0043 ±   | 0.0613  | 0.0043 ±         | 0.0901  |
| Au                           | 0.0023 ±   | 0.0029  | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0025  | 0.0023 ±         | 0.0038  |
| Hg                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0020  | 0.0006 ±   | 0.0018  | 0.0006 ±         | 0.0027  |
| Tl                           | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0045  | 0.0001 ±   | 0.0019  | 0.0001 ±         | 0.0049  |
| Pb                           | 0.1472 ±   | 0.0077  | 0.0106 ±   | 0.0101  | 0.1578 ±         | 0.0127  |
| P                            | 0.0000 ±   | 0.0017  | 0.0006 ±   | 0.0017  | 0.0006 ±         | 0.0024  |
| Sum                          | 2.7814 ±   | 0.1099  | 16.7760 ±  | 2.9469  | 19.5574 ±        | 2.9489  |

Field: Forest fire at Four  
 Peaks Gravimetry: C-33  
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Field: Forest fire at Four  
 Peaks Gravimetry: C-33  
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# ASARCO

## Ray Complex

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March 2, 1998

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Dear Mr. Crumpler:

Enclosed is a report entitled Data Re-evaluation - Fugitive Emission Study, Particulate and Metals Emissions, ASARCO Incorporated, Hayden Smelter, prepared by TRC Environmental Corporation. This new report evaluates the six-month fugitive particulate emission study done by TRC-NAWC in late 1994 and early 1995 and concludes that the fugitive emissions were overstated due primarily to the use of an erroneous sampler flow rate in the emission calculations.

Sincerely,



Neil A. Gambell

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Table 3  
Fugitive Emission Program Overall Summary  
Metals Emission Summary by Month and Source Contribution  
Emissions in Pounds per Day

|    | Month         | Furnace Building | Converter Building | Anode Building | Total Emissions |
|----|---------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| PM | October 1994  | 380.29           | 65.62              | 124.34         | 570.25          |
|    | November 1994 | 178.20           | 103.38             | 193.12         | 474.70          |
|    | December 1994 | 208.25           | 166.32             | 409.77         | 784.34          |
|    | January 1994  | 247.19           | 172.13             | 477.10         | 896.42          |
|    | February 1994 | 208.49           | 185.19             | 548.64         | 942.33          |
|    | Average       | =                | =                  | =              | =               |
|    | Average       | 244.48           | 138.53             | 350.59         | 733.61          |
| Ag | October 1994  | 0.088            | 0.024              | 0.181          | 0.294           |
|    | November 1994 | 0.072            | 0.041              | 0.419          | 0.532           |
|    | December 1994 | 0.060            | 0.084              | 0.530          | 0.673           |
|    | January 1994  | 0.124            | 0.095              | 0.924          | 1.143           |
|    | February 1994 | 0.065            | 0.051              | 0.940          | 1.061           |
|    | Average       | =                | =                  | =              | =               |
|    | Average       | 0.082            | 0.059              | 0.600          | 0.741           |
| As | October 1994  | 2.412            | 0.385              | 5.599          | 8.396           |
|    | November 1994 | 2.222            | 1.197              | 8.085          | 11.504          |
|    | December 1994 | 3.526            | 4.551              | 14.467         | 22.544          |
|    | January 1994  | 4.682            | 3.672              | 18.134         | 26.487          |
|    | February 1994 | 4.919            | 7.196              | 19.927         | 32.042          |
|    | Average       | =                | =                  | =              | =               |
|    | Average       | 3.552            | 3.400              | 13.242         | 20.195          |
| Cd | October 1994  | 0.296            | 0.029              | 0.020          | 0.345           |
|    | November 1994 | 0.152            | 0.108              | 0.102          | 0.362           |
|    | December 1994 | 0.191            | 0.244              | 0.231          | 0.666           |
|    | January 1994  | 0.207            | 0.139              | 0.268          | 0.614           |
|    | February 1994 | 0.139            | 0.181              | 0.037          | 0.358           |
|    | Average       | =                | =                  | =              | =               |
|    | Average       | 0.197            | 0.140              | 0.132          | 0.469           |
| Cu | October 1994  | 88.528           | 11.934             | 18.984         | 119.446         |
|    | November 1994 | 34.719           | 18.797             | 26.231         | 79.747          |
|    | December 1994 | 32.505           | 23.242             | 133.682        | 189.429         |
|    | January 1994  | 50.650           | 37.378             | 171.900        | 259.928         |
|    | February 1994 | 33.664           | 19.687             | 208.516        | 261.867         |
|    | Average       | =                | =                  | =              | =               |
|    | Average       | 48.013           | 22.208             | 111.862        | 182.083         |



Table 3  
Fugitive Emission Program Overall Summary  
Monthly Metals Emission Summary  
Emissions in Pounds per Day  
(continued)

|    | Month         | Furnace Building | Converter Building | Anode Building | Total Emissions |
|----|---------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Fe | October 1994  | 30.354           | 3.028              | 0.740          | 34.122          |
|    | November 1994 | 16.418           | 5.173              | 1.107          | 22.698          |
|    | December 1994 | 14.506           | 5.725              | 4.635          | 24.866          |
|    | January 1994  | 18.745           | 6.065              | 2.569          | 27.380          |
|    | February 1994 | 15.354           | 6.044              | 2.795          | 24.193          |
|    | Average       | 19.075           | 5.207              | 2.369          | 26.652          |
| Pb | October 1994  | 3.852            | 0.918              | 3.113          | 7.883           |
|    | November 1994 | 5.371            | 4.289              | 5.379          | 15.038          |
|    | December 1994 | 7.375            | 11.641             | 10.142         | 29.158          |
|    | January 1994  | 7.410            | 8.850              | 12.850         | 29.109          |
|    | February 1994 | 7.406            | 20.606             | 13.674         | 41.686          |
|    | Average       | 6.283            | 9.261              | 9.031          | 24.757          |
| Sb | October 1994  | 0.079            | 0.028              | 0.064          | 0.171           |
|    | November 1994 | 0.114            | 0.090              | 0.140          | 0.344           |
|    | December 1994 | 0.245            | 0.589              | 0.404          | 1.238           |
|    | January 1994  | 0.356            | 0.477              | 0.476          | 1.308           |
|    | February 1994 | 0.362            | 2.004              | 0.418          | 2.784           |
|    | Average       | 0.231            | 0.637              | 0.300          | 1.169           |
| Se | October 1994  | 0.780            | 0.320              | 4.494          | 5.594           |
|    | November 1994 | 0.787            | 0.566              | 7.698          | 9.051           |
|    | December 1994 | 1.269            | 1.989              | 11.396         | 14.653          |
|    | January 1994  | 1.286            | 1.956              | 18.351         | 21.594          |
|    | February 1994 | 0.616            | 0.681              | 17.417         | 18.714          |
|    | Average       | 0.948            | 1.102              | 11.871         | 13.921          |
| Zn | October 1994  | 4.179            | 0.897              | 2.203          | 7.278           |
|    | November 1994 | 3.021            | 3.667              | 2.229          | 8.916           |
|    | December 1994 | 3.011            | 14.391             | 4.966          | 22.367          |
|    | January 1994  | 3.178            | 5.852              | 2.858          | 11.888          |
|    | February 1994 | 2.152            | 18.358             | 2.180          | 22.690          |
|    | Average       | 3.108            | 8.633              | 2.887          | 14.628          |





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Dear Mr. Crumpler:

Attached are the reports from Goodfellow Consultants Texas Inc. summarizing the results of fugitive emission field surveys that were performed at the Phelps Dodge Mining Company's Chino and Hidalgo Smelters. These reports summarize the field survey methods and results found during the testing.

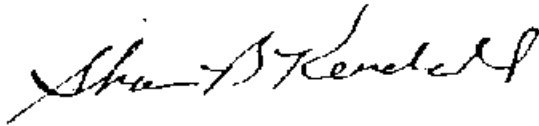
In reviewing the reports, management personnel from the smelters determined that certain figures which contain process specific descriptions about our operating practices may not be known to the industry as a whole, and must therefore be treated as Confidential Business Information (CBI) of Phelps Dodge Corporation. These figures are referred to as Figures 6-11 and 6A-11A in the text of the Chino Report, and Figures 6-9 and 6A-9A of the Hidalgo Report. These figures will be provided to you under separate cover to ease in your handling of the CBI protection of these materials.

Also, in reviewing the Hidalgo report, Ms. C. Vicelli noted that the sampling was performed during a period when one of the converters was not fully operational. She prepared a supplemental Table 3 for the Hidalgo report which scales up the results of the Goodfellow report to reflect full 3 converter operation (attached after the original Table 3 in the Hidalgo report).

In summary, we found no process units which individually or collectively would qualify as a major source of HAPS.

If you have any questions related to these reports please feel free to contact me at (602)-234-8308.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shawn B. Kendall". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Shawn" being the most prominent.

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The above figures indicate that the emissions from the anode section of the roof monitor represent about 47% of the dust emissions and about 16% of the SO<sub>2</sub> emissions. The length of the roof monitor above the converter section is about 260' and the length above the anode section is about 80'.

The fugitive emissions that escape the pollution control systems and report to the smelter roof line are primarily a result of the following activities:

- converter process gas escaping from the converter primary hoods during the blowing cycle
- flash furnace secondary emissions (matte tapping, slag pour backs and process gas fugitives)
- matte ladle transfer
- revert handling
- charging converters with matte and reverts
- slag skimming and tapping blister
- anode furnace operations since they are vented directly to the building

The above activities contribute to the background SO<sub>2</sub> and dust loading in the smelter building. Based on the field survey results, the background SO<sub>2</sub> concentration and emission rates at the roof level and flow conditions through the roof monitor are as follows:

|                   | SO <sub>2</sub> Conc.<br>(ppm) | Avg. Temp.<br>(° F) | Avg. Vel.<br>(fpm) | Air Flow<br>(scfm) | SO <sub>2</sub><br>Emission<br>Rate<br>(lb/hr) |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|
| Converter section | 40                             | 84                  | 291                | 636,000            | 252  |
| Anode section     | 34                             | 98                  | 473                | 301,000            | 102  |
| <b>Total</b>      |                                |                     |                    | <b>937,000</b>     | <b>354</b>                                     |

The above figure represents the SO<sub>2</sub> emission rate through the roof monitor based on the background SO<sub>2</sub> concentration. However, individual converter aisle activities which result in significantly higher instantaneous emissions cause the average emission rates to be higher than the background levels. The background emission rate represents about 77% of the total emissions from the roof line. The remainder is due to the emissions associated with various converter aisle activities.

The emission rates and typical duration of these activities, based on the field observation during the test period, are given below:

| Activity               | Typical Duration<br>(min) | Typical Emission Rate<br>(lb/hr) |
|------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Converter Charging     | 5 - 10                    | 52                               |
| Pour Blister/Skim Slag | 5 - 10                    | 40                               |
| Anode Fee. Operation   | 10 - 60                   | 17                               |
| Other                  | 5                         | 1                                |
| <b>Total</b>           |                           | <b>110</b>                       |



## 2.0 Field Survey

### 2.1 Field Survey Description

A field survey was conducted to quantify particulate and SO<sub>2</sub> emission rates through the converter aisle roof monitor and to relate the emissions to the smelter activities.

Figure 1 presents the outline of the PD Hidaigo smelter converter aisle section including the measurement points for SO<sub>2</sub> and particulates. SO<sub>2</sub> was measured using a continuous analyzer and EPA Method 6. EPA Method 6 is used for determination of SO<sub>2</sub> emissions from stationary sources. A gas sample is extracted from the sampling point and the SO<sub>2</sub> is absorbed in an H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> solution. The SO<sub>2</sub> fraction is determined by the titration method. Particulate emission rates were determined using EPA Method 5.

SO<sub>2</sub> was measured continuously over an 8-hour period on each of four consecutive test days. A manifold system was used to draw a composite sample from five points approximately 12 feet apart centered over each sampling location. The particulate sampling train was located at the center point of the 5-point manifold for the duration of the 8-hour test.

The following lists the four roof monitor sample locations and the dates they were tested for SO<sub>2</sub>, particulate, gas volumetric flow rate and temperature.

|       |             |              |
|-------|-------------|--------------|
| Day 1 | November 28 | Converter #2 |
| Day 2 | November 29 | Converter #3 |
| Day 3 | November 30 | Anodes       |
| Day 4 | December 1  | Converter #1 |

Note that Converter #1 was not in operation during the test program as it was undergoing routine re-bricking maintenance. Also, converter secondary hoods were not operational during the field survey.

The smelter building ventilation rates were quantified through a series of ventilation surveys conducted on the following dates:

|             |                     |
|-------------|---------------------|
| November 28 | 10:30 am - 12:05 pm |
|             | 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm   |
|             | 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm   |
| November 29 | 8:30 am - 9:00 am   |
|             | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm   |
| November 30 | 8:40 am - 10:30 am  |
|             | 10:30 am - 11:00 am |
|             | 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm   |
| December 1  | 6:45 am - 11:00 am  |

Ventilation rates were determined by measuring air velocity and temperature through each building opening and along the smelter roof monitor. The above time represents the measurement duration for the openings in the building walls. The lengths of the individual surveys vary depending on the accessibility of the various building openings. At different times, GCTI personnel could not reach certain openings due to the movement of trucks and other vehicles or to the pouring of slag.

## 2.2 Field Survey Results

Table 1 presents the average SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate emission rates through the converter aisle roof monitor from various sources for an 8-hour test period. The SO<sub>2</sub> emission rates based on both methods of measurements are presented for comparison purposes.

The emission rates presented below are based on the average volumetric flow measurements through the roof monitor. Flow measurements were taken during the ventilation survey on November 28 - December 1, 1995. The average flow rates were as follows:

Converter Section: 636,000 scfm  
Anode Section: 301,000 scfm  
Total: 937,000 scfm

It is assumed that the flow through the roof monitor can be divided evenly to obtain the flow rates above each converter at 122,300 scfm (converter section divided into five sections) and above the anode furnace at 188,100 scfm (anode section divided into one and a half sections).

Table 1  
Summary of Emission Rates

| Location          | Dust Loading | Dust Emission | SO <sub>2</sub> Analyzer |         | SO <sub>2</sub> Method 6 |         |
|-------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|
|                   | (gr/scf)     | (lb/hr)       | (ppm)                    | (lb/hr) | (ppm)                    | (lb/hr) |
| Converter #2      | 0.0099       | 10.4          | 118                      | 143     | 102                      | 124     |
| Converter #3      | 0.00822      | 8.6           | 102                      | 124     | 81                       | 99      |
| Anodes            | 0.01507      | 17.5          | 34                       | 73      | 18                       | 34      |
| Converter #1      | 0.00631      | 6.6           | 62                       | 75      | 45                       | 55      |
| Conv. side (est.) |              | 8.8           | 40                       | 106.9   | 40                       | 106.9   |
| Anode side (est.) |              | 13.6          | 34                       | 41.6    | 34                       | 41.6    |
| Total             |              | 65.5          |                          | 564     |                          | 461     |

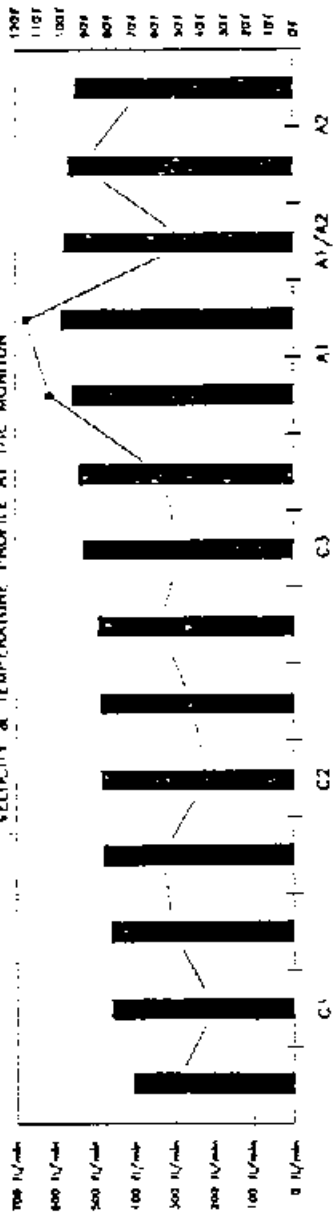
The results of the ventilation surveys are presented in Figures 2 - 5. These figures include the ventilation flow rates through various building openings, temperature and velocity profiles at the roof monitor and the calculated building heat release rates. The results clearly indicate that the flow through the roof monitor above the converters is higher than the flow through the roof monitor above the anode furnaces, due to the difference in lengths. The following comments can be made:

- Total ventilation rate ranges from 1,922,000 scfm to 2,063,000 scfm.
- Calculated heat release rate ranges from 478,000 Btu/min to 742,000 Btu/min.
- Average temperature at the roof monitor at the anode section is about 98 °F as compared to 84 °F on the converter section.
- Average air velocity through the roof monitor on the anode side is about 473 ft/min as compared to 291 ft/min for the converter section.

The SO<sub>2</sub> profile at the converter aisle roof monitor above each source is presented in Figures 6 - 9. Figures 6A-9A are included to provide better resolution for the determination of background

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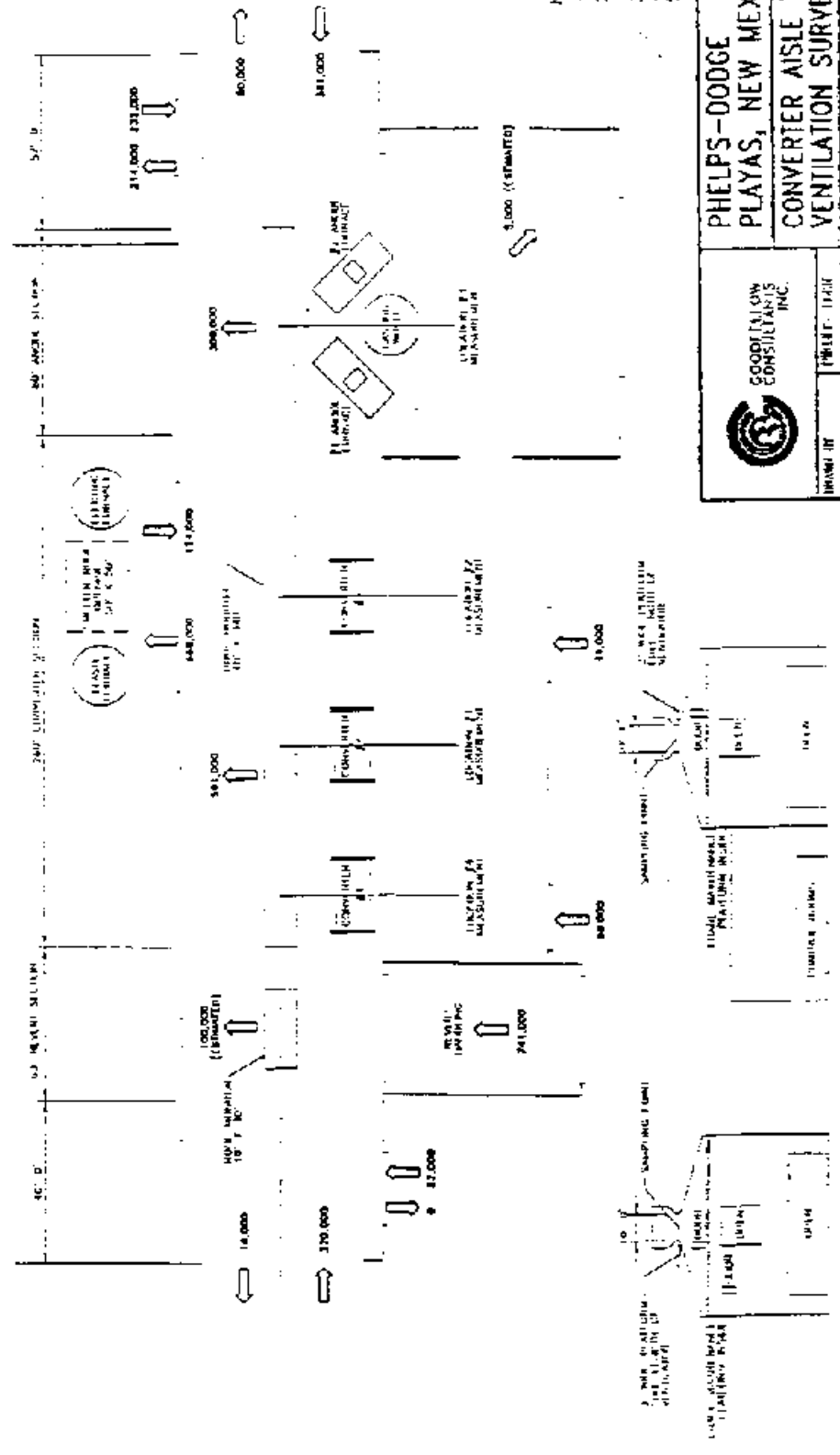
VELOCITY & TEMPERATURE PROFILE AT THE MONITOR



**VELOCITY**  
 VELOCITY  
**TEMPERATURE**  
 TEMPERATURE  
**LEGEND**

FLOW IN: 1,000,000 SCFM  
 FLOW OUT: 1,000,000 SCFM  
 TEST DATE: NOVEMBER 29, 1995

NOTE: CONSULTANT WAS NOT IN PLANT DURING THE TESTING PROCEDURE.



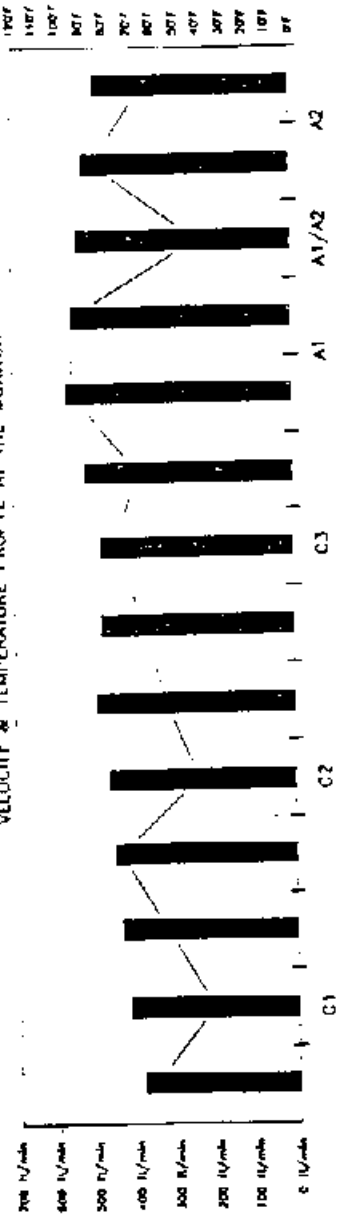
- NOTES:
1. TOTAL FLOW: 1,000,000 SCFM
  2. MEASUREMENTS TAKEN AT MONITOR 29, 1995
  3. AMBIENT TEMPERATURE = 81°F
  4. WINDS FROM THE SOUTHEAST
  5. HEAT RELEASE RATE: 742,000 Btu/hr

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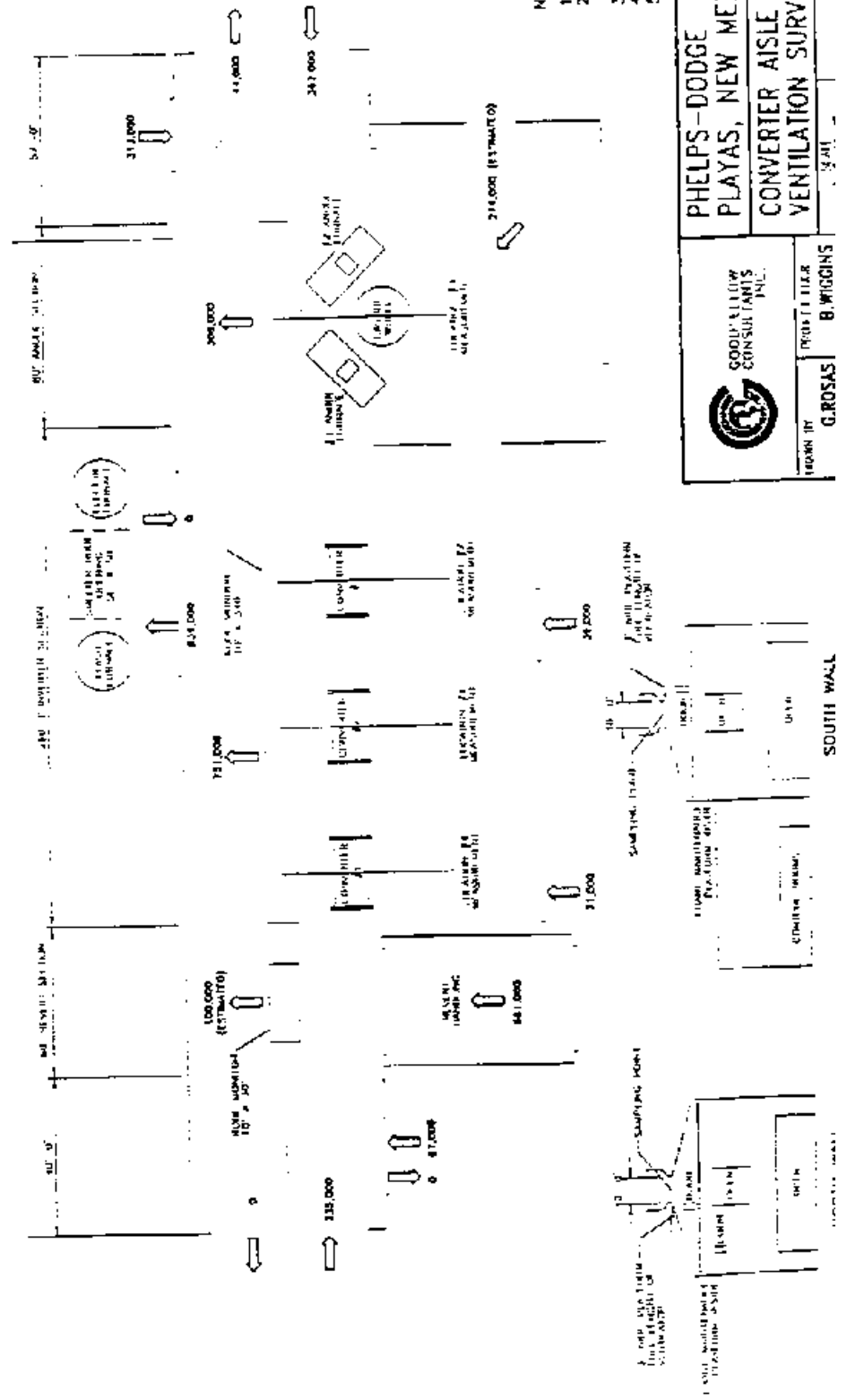
VELOCITY & TEMPERATURE PROFILE AT THE MONITOR



NOTE: CONCENTRATIONS WERE NOT IN OPERATION DURING THE TESTING PROGRAM



1. 200,000 CFM  
 2. 200,000 CFM  
 3. 200,000 CFM



NOTES:

- TOTAL FLOW: 200,000 CFM
- MEASUREMENTS TAKEN AT: DECEMBER 1, 1995
- AMBIENT TEMPERATURE: 55°F
- WINDS FROM THE SOUTHEAST
- HEAT RELEASE RATE: 478,000 Btu/hr

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| Location     | Background Conc. (ppm) | Average Conc. (ppm) |
|--------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Converter #2 | 35                     | 118                 |
| Converter #3 | 50                     | 102                 |
| Anodes       | 34                     | 34                  |
| Converter #1 | 35                     | 62                  |

- Table 3 presents the metals analysis based on the particulate samples collected from the roof line at various locations. These results are average values based on collected data for two sampling repetitions.

TABLE 3  
Dust Sample Collected at Roof Level  
METALS ANALYSIS

| LOCATION                | Cu       | Pb       | Si       | Cd       | As       | Co       | Mn       | Ni       | Se       | Sb       | Be | Hg | Metals Total | Total Measur. Particulate |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----|----|--------------|---------------------------|
| converter #1<br>[lb/hr] | 6.80E-01 | 9.00E-02 | 1.70E-02 | 2.50E-02 | 2.60E-02 | 1.40E-04 | 1.70E-03 | 5.50E-03 | 1.04E-02 | 7.40E-04 | -  | -  | 9.00E-01     | 1.05E+1                   |
| converter #2<br>[lb/hr] | 6.30E-01 | 1.50E-01 | 5.40E-02 | 3.40E-02 | 2.00E-02 | 9.10E-05 | 9.50E-04 | 2.10E-03 | 1.20E-02 | 7.80E-04 | -  | -  | 9.00E-01     | 1.04E+1                   |
| converter #3<br>[lb/hr] | 1.00E+00 | 2.00E-01 | 1.70E-02 | 3.20E-02 | 7.60E-02 | 1.00E-04 | 7.00E-04 | 9.80E-04 | 7.80E-03 | 1.50E-03 | -  | -  | 1.30E+00     | 8.50E+1                   |
| nodes<br>[lb/hr]        | 5.87E+00 | 1.40E-01 | 2.40E-02 | 6.50E-03 | 1.20E-01 | -        | 7.50E-04 | 3.20E-03 | 3.60E-02 | -        | -  | -  | 6.20E+00     | 1.75E+1                   |

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 2.54E-02  
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 - 9.2E-01  
 1.1E-01  
 4.94E-01

Note: Revisions made to original Goodfellow report to account for operation of 3 converters. When testing was done, only 2 converters were operational.



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The above data is generally illustrative of the magnitude of emissions from the smelter during the test period. They do not include SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate emissions to the atmosphere which escape through openings in the smelter walls. It should be noted that Converter # 3 was down during the field survey for routine maintenance and no measurements were conducted above that converter. The estimated values are based on the measured average background concentration levels.

The above figures indicate that the emissions from the anode/receiver section of the roof monitor represent about 70% of the dust emissions and about 60% of the SO<sub>2</sub> emissions. The length of the roof monitor above the converters extends about 250' and above the anode/receiver section is about 170'.

The fugitive emissions that escape the pollution control systems and report to the smelter roof line are primarily a result of the following activities:

- converter process gas escaping from the Obenchain enclosure during the blowing cycle
- flash furnace secondary emissions (matte tapping, slag pour backs and process gas fugitives)
- matte ladle transfer
- revert handling
- charging converters with matte and reverts
- slag skimming and tapping blister
- anode furnace and receiver operations since they are vented directly to the building

The above activities contribute to the background SO<sub>2</sub> and dust loading in the smelter building. Based on the field survey results, the background SO<sub>2</sub> concentration and emission rates at the roof level and flow conditions through the roof monitor are as follows:

|                         | SO <sub>2</sub> Conc.<br>(PPM) | Avg. Temp.<br>(F) | Avg. Vel.<br>(ft/min) | Air Flow<br>(SCFM) | SO <sub>2</sub> Emission Rate<br>(lb/hr) |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--|
| Converter Section       | : 25                           | 100               | 300                   | 588,000            | 160                                      |
| Anode/Receiver Section: | 40                             | 160               | 550                   | 731,000            | 315                                      |
| <b>Total</b>            |                                |                   |                       | <b>1,319,000</b>   | <b>475</b>                               |

The above figure represents the SO<sub>2</sub> emission rate through the roof monitor based on the background SO<sub>2</sub> concentration. However, individual converter aisle activities which result in significantly higher instantaneous emissions cause the average emission rates to be higher than the background levels. The background emission rate represents about 70% of the total emissions from the roof line. The remainder is due to the emissions associated with various converter aisle activities.



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### 2.1 Field Survey Description

A field survey was conducted to quantify particulate and SO<sub>2</sub> emission rates through the converter aisle roof monitor and to relate the emissions to the smelter activities.

Figure 1 presents the outline of the PD Chino smelter converter aisle section including the measurement points for SO<sub>2</sub> and particulates. SO<sub>2</sub> was measured using a continuous analyzer and EPA Method 6. EPA method 6 is used for determination of SO<sub>2</sub> emissions from stationary sources. A gas sample is extracted from the sampling point and the SO<sub>2</sub> is absorbed in an H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> solution. The SO<sub>2</sub> fraction is determined by the titration method. Particulate emission rates were determined using EPA Method 5.

SO<sub>2</sub> was measured continuously over an 8-hour period on each of six consecutive test days. A manifold system was used to draw a composite sample from five points approximately 12 feet apart centered over each sampling location. The particulate sampling train was located at the center point of the 5-point manifold for the duration of the 8-hour test.

The following lists the six roof monitor sample locations and the dates they were tested for SO<sub>2</sub>, particulate, gas volumetric flow rate and temperature.

|       |            |                |
|-------|------------|----------------|
| Day 1 | October 16 | Converter # 4  |
| Day 2 | October 17 | Converter # 1  |
| Day 3 | October 18 | Converter # 2  |
| Day 4 | October 19 | Receiver # 3   |
| Day 5 | October 20 | Anode Furnaces |
| Day 6 | October 21 | Receiver # 1   |

Note that Converter # 3 was not in operation during the test program as it was undergoing routine re-bricking maintenance.

The smelter building ventilation rates were quantified through a series of ventilation surveys conducted on the following dates :

|            |               |
|------------|---------------|
| October 19 | 14:55 - 15:25 |
| October 19 | 16:00 - 16:25 |
| October 20 | 09:00 - 09:20 |
| October 21 | 10:30 - 11:10 |

Ventilation rates were determined by measuring air velocity and temperature through each building opening and along the smelter roof monitor. The above time represents the measurement duration for the openings in the building walls.

## 2.2 Field Survey Results

Table 1 presents the average SO<sub>2</sub> and particulate emission rates through the converter aisle roof monitor from various sources for an 8-hour test period. The SO<sub>2</sub> emission rates based on both methods of measurements are presented for comparison purposes.

The emission rates presented below are based on the average volumetric flow measurements through the roof monitor. Flow measurements were taken during the ventilation survey on October 18 - 20, 1995. The average flow rates were as follows:

Converter Section : 588,000 SCFM  
Anode Section : 731,000 SCFM  
Total 1,319,00 SCFM

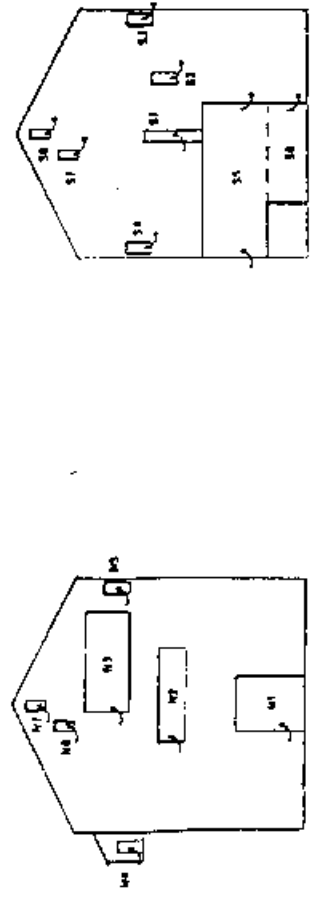
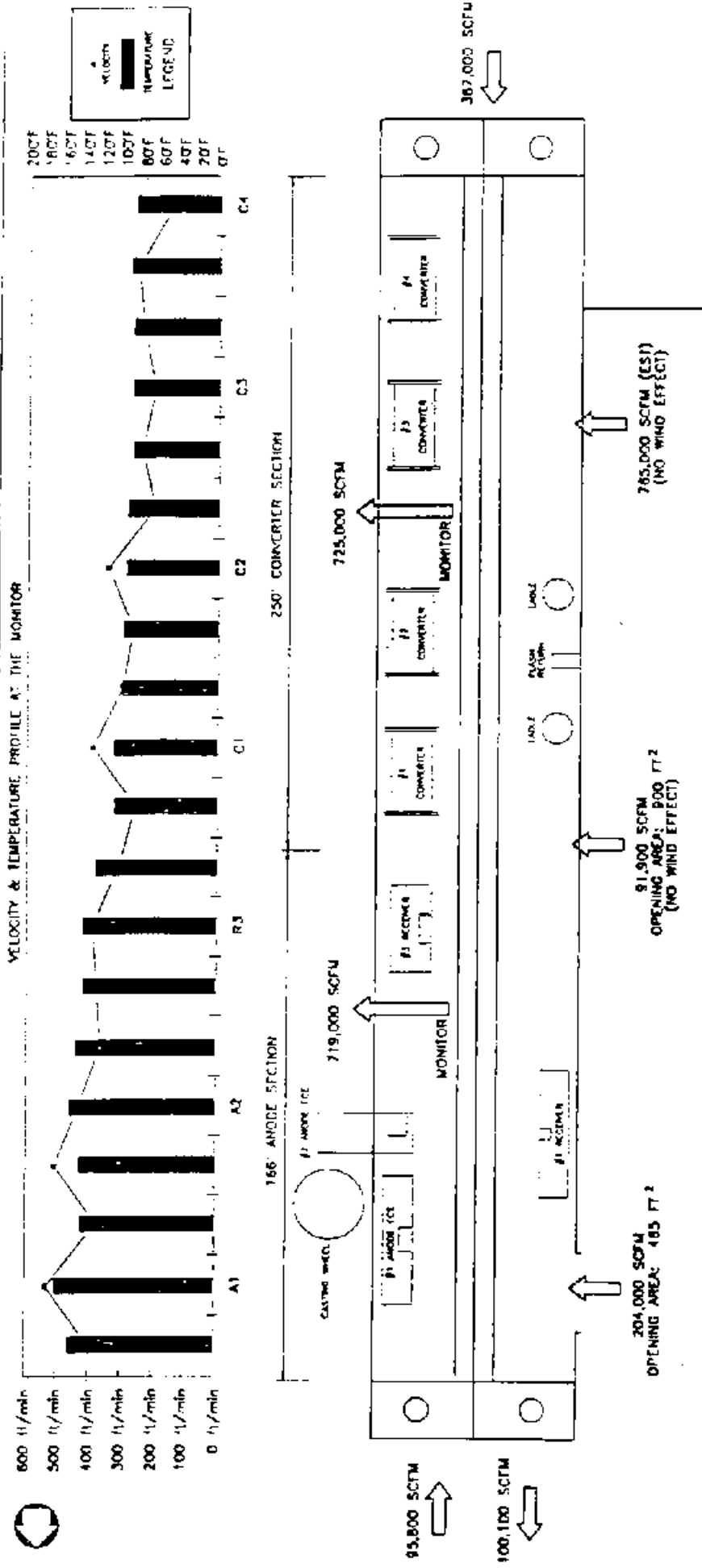
It is assumed that the flow through the roof monitor can be divided evenly to obtain the flow rates above each converter at 147,000 SCFM (converter section divided into four sections) and above the anode furnaces/receivers at 243,700 SCFM (anode/receiver section divided into three sections).

Table 1  
Summary of Emission Rates

| Location          | Dust Loading<br>(gr/scf) | Dust Emiss.<br>(lb./hr) | SO <sub>2</sub> , Analyzer<br>(PPM) | SO <sub>2</sub> , Analyzer<br>(lb./h) | SO <sub>2</sub> , Method 6<br>(PPM) | SO <sub>2</sub> , Method 6<br>(lb./h) |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Converter #4      | 0.0075                   | 9.5                     | 55                                  | 81                                    | 62                                  | 91                                    |
| Converter #1      | 0.0072                   | 9.0                     | 72                                  | 105                                   | 65                                  | 95                                    |
| Converter #2      | 0.0051                   | 6.4                     | 31                                  | 45                                    | 38                                  | 55                                    |
| Estimate Conv. #3 |                          | 5                       | 25                                  | 40                                    | 25                                  | 40                                    |
| Receiver #3       | 0.0091                   | 18.9                    | 65                                  | 156                                   | 92                                  | 225                                   |
| Anode Fces        | 0.0099                   | 20.7                    | 39                                  | 94                                    | 26                                  | 63                                    |
| Receiver #1       | 0.0102                   | 21.2                    | 46                                  | 111                                   | 36                                  | 88                                    |
| Total             |                          | 90.7                    |                                     | 632                                   |                                     | 657                                   |

The results indicate that the particulate emission rates at the roof monitor for the anode furnaces/receiver sections are considerably higher compared to the converter side. Also, the SO<sub>2</sub> emission associated with Receiver #3 (matte holding receiver) is significantly higher than the other sources.

The results of the ventilation surveys are presented in Figures 2 - 5. These figures include the ventilation flow rates through various building openings, temperature and velocity profile at the roof monitor and the calculated building heat release rates. The results clearly indicate that the flow through the roof monitor above the anode furnaces/receivers is higher compared to the



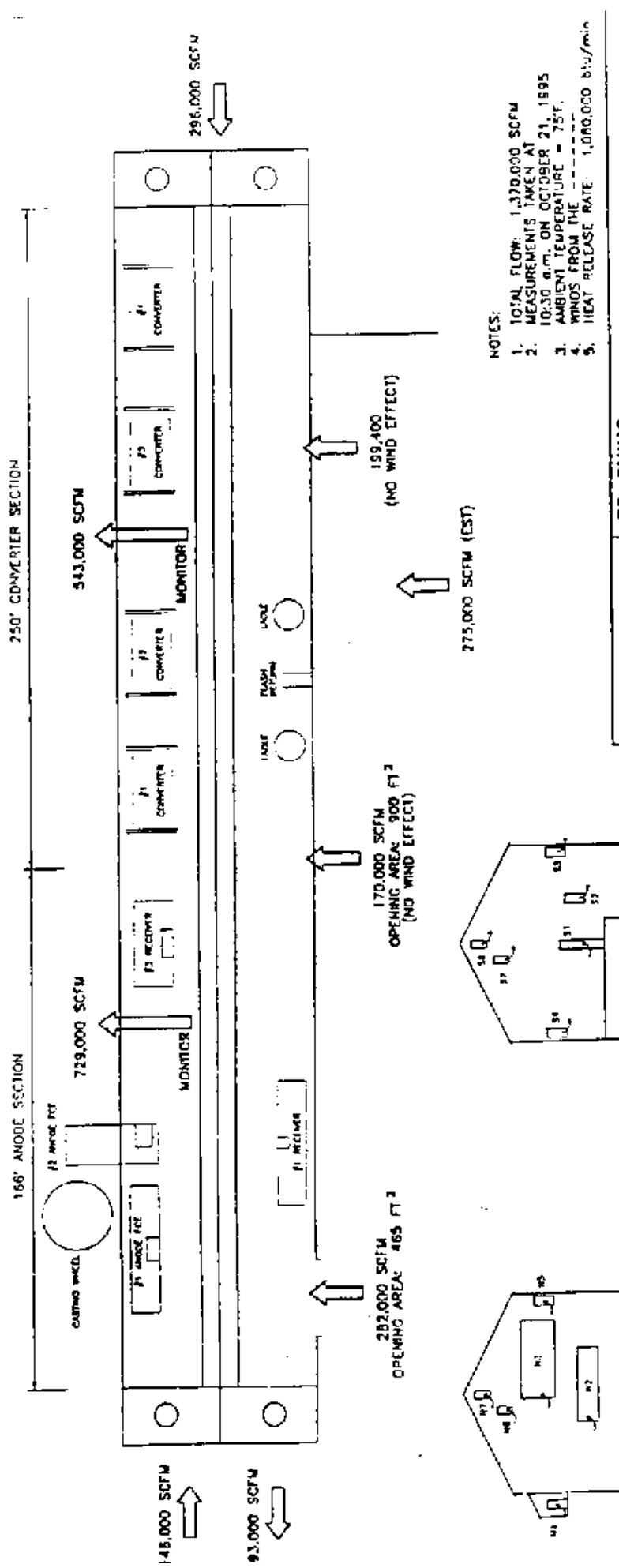
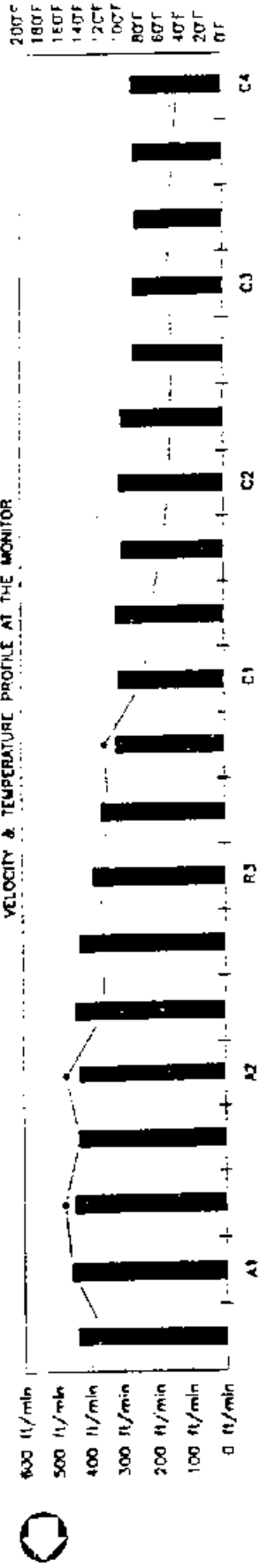
- NOTES:**
1. TOTAL FLOW: 1,500,000 SCFM
  2. MEASUREMENTS TAKEN AT 4:00-4:23 P.M. ON OCTOBER 19, 1995
  3. AMBIENT TEMPERATURE = 85°F
  4. WINDS FROM THE
  5. HEAT RELEASE RATE: 937,000 btu/min

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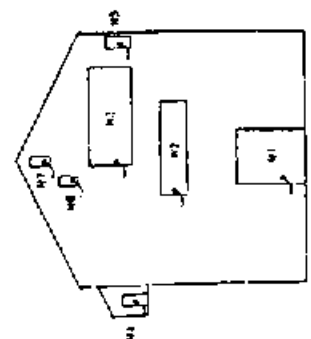
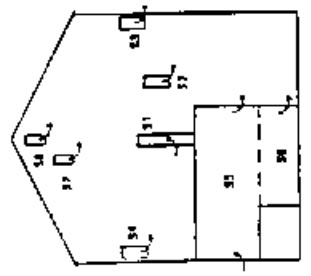
**CONVERTER AISLE VENTILATION STUDY**

VELOCITY & TEMPERATURE PROFILE AT THE MONITOR



- NOTES:
1. TOTAL FLOW: 1,370,000 SCFM
  2. MEASUREMENTS TAKEN AT 10:30 a.m. ON OCTOBER 21, 1995
  3. AMBIENT TEMPERATURE = 75°F.
  4. WINDS FROM THE
  5. HEAT RELEASE RATE: 1,000,000 btu/min

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VENTILATION SURVEY RESULTS



Instantaneous emission rates for various activities were calculated by determining the areas under the SO<sub>2</sub> profile curve generated by the continuous analyzer while those activities were occurring. Converter logsheets and field observations were used to determine the typical duration and number of events per day, in order to determine the average daily emission rates for various activities.

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- The background and average SO<sub>2</sub> concentrations at the roof level at various locations are listed below :

| <u>Location</u> | <u>Background Conc.<br/>(PPM)</u> | <u>Average Conc.<br/>(PPM)</u> |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Converter # 4   | 20 PPM                            | 55                             |
| Converter # 1   | 30 PPM                            | 72                             |
| Converter # 2   | 20 PPM                            | 31                             |
| Receiver # 3    | 50 PPM                            | 65                             |
| Receiver #1     | 40 PPM                            | 46                             |
| Anodes          | 30 PPM                            | 39                             |

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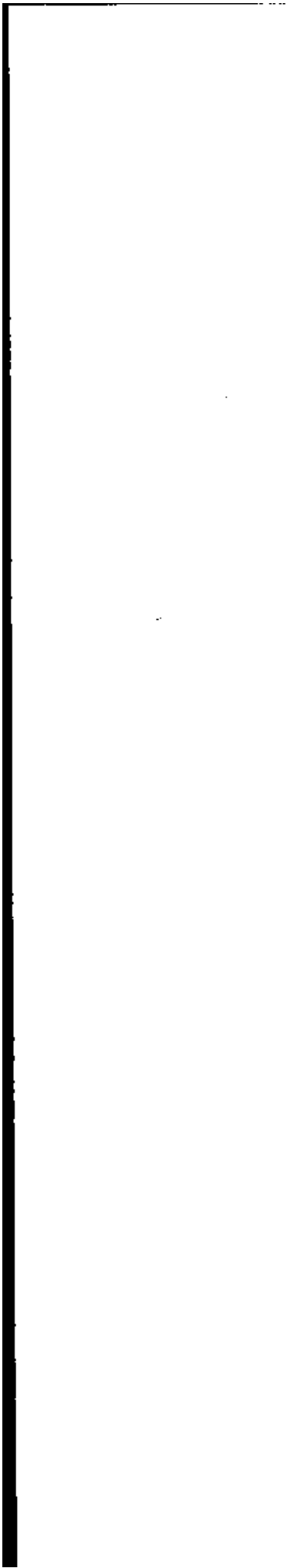
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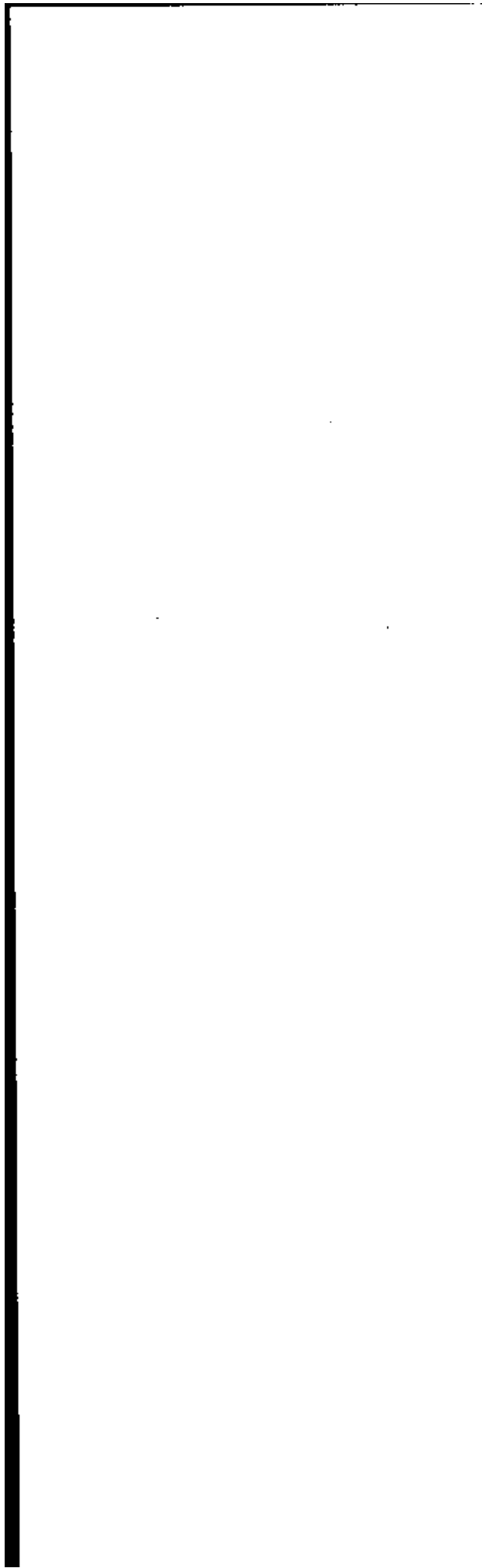


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**Appendix I**

**Relationship Between 1-Hour Ambient SO<sub>2</sub>  
Concentrations and 5-Minute Peak Concentrations**

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**Texas Sulfur Dioxide 5-Minute Values > 0.6 ppm  
(May - October, 1994)**

| AIRS #                      | Date   | Time | Hour PPM | Hi Voltage | Slope | Intercept | 5-min PPM |
|-----------------------------|--------|------|----------|------------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| 481410037                   | 940605 | 7    | 0.339    | 1159       | 956   | 5         | 1.207     |
| 482450009                   | 940904 | 3    | 0.046    | 1403       | 1881  | 9         | 0.741     |
| 482450009                   | 941024 | 15   | 0.027    | 1413       | 1909  | 3         | 0.739     |
| 482450009                   | 941017 | 21   | 0.067    | 1225       | 1894  | 9         | 0.642     |
| 481410037                   | 940609 | 11   | 0.193    | 625        | 975   | 3         | 0.638     |
| 481410037                   | 940605 | 4    | 0.102    | 585        | 956   | 5         | 0.607     |
| 482450009                   | 941024 | 14   | 0.063    | 1054       | 1909  | 3         | 0.551     |
| 481410037                   | 940606 | 9    | 0.235    | 474        | 956   | 5         | 0.491     |
| 481410037                   | 940509 | 23   | 0.099    | 460        | 992   | 4         | 0.460     |
| 482450009                   | 941024 | 13   | 0.079    | 876        | 1909  | 3         | 0.457     |
| 482450009                   | 940316 | 8    | 0.134    | 979        | 2056  | 39        | 0.457     |
| 481410037 - El Paso CAMS 12 |        |      |          |            |       |           |           |
| 482450009 - Beaumont CAMS 2 |        |      |          |            |       |           |           |

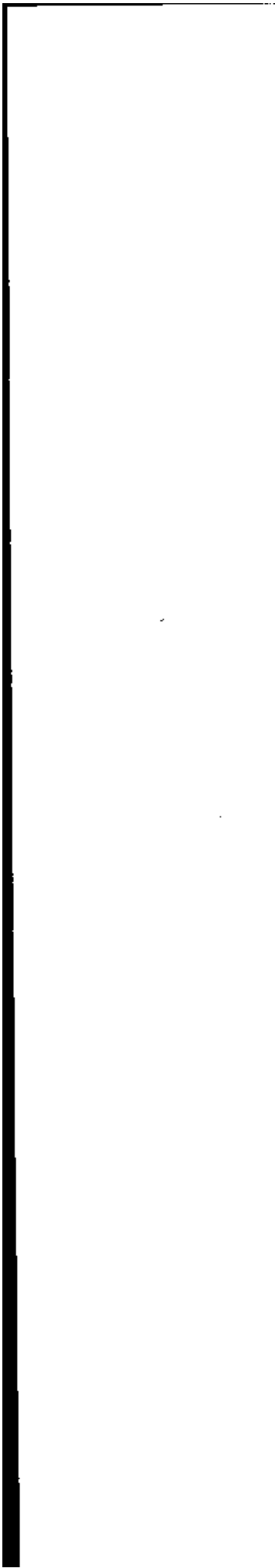


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## **Appendix J**

### **Supporting Calculations for Comparison of SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>, Particulate Emissions from Power Plants Meeting Mexican and U.S. National Emission Standards**

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**Contaminación Atmosférica - Fuentes fijas - para fuentes fijas que utilizan combustibles fósiles sólidos, líquidos o gaseosos o cualquiera de sus combinaciones, que establece los niveles máximos permisibles de emisión a la atmósfera de humos, partículas suspendidas totales, bióxido de azufre y óxidos de nitrógeno y los requisitos y condiciones para la operación de los equipos de calentamiento indirecto por combustión, así como los niveles máximos permisibles de emisión de bióxido de azufre en los equipos de calentamiento directo por combustión.**

## **1. OBJETO.**

Norma Oficial Mexicana para fuentes fijas que utilizan combustibles fósiles sólidos, líquidos o gaseosos o cualquiera de sus combinaciones, que establece los niveles máximos permisibles de emisión a la atmósfera de humos, partículas suspendidas totales, bióxido de azufre y óxidos de nitrógeno y los requisitos y condiciones para la operación de los equipos de calentamiento indirecto por combustión; así como los niveles máximos permisibles de emisión de bióxido de azufre en los equipos de calentamiento directo por combustión.

## **2. CAMPO DE APLICACION.**

Norma Oficial Mexicana para fuentes fijas que utilizan combustibles fósiles sólidos, líquidos y gaseosos o cualquiera de sus combinaciones, será de observancia obligatoria para el uso de los equipos de calentamiento indirecto por combustión, así como para los equipos de generación eléctrica que utilizan la tecnología de ciclo combinado. Será obligatoria igualmente sólo en emisiones de bióxido de azufre, para el uso de los equipos de calentamiento directo por combustión.

Se exceptúan los equipos domésticos de calentamiento de agua, de calefacción y las estufas utilizados en casas habitación, escuelas, hospitales y centros recreativos, en las industrias cuando estos equipos sean utilizados en las áreas de servicios al personal, sin embargo, aplicará para el caso de industrias, comercios y servicios, cuando los equipos y sistemas de combustión en lo individual o la suma de varios rebasen los 10 cc de capacidad nominal en cada instalación.

También se exceptúan los quemadores industriales de campo; el sistema de regeneración de las plantas de desintegración catalítica; las plantas recuperadoras de azufre y los procesos de calentamiento directo que producen bióxido de azufre adicional al proveniente del combustible.

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1994 AL 31 DE DICIEMBRE DE 1997**

| CAPACIDAD DEL EQUIPO DE COMBUSTIÓN MJ/h | TIPO DE COMBUSTIBLE EMPLEADO | DENSIDAD DEL HUMO | PARTÍCULAS (PST) mg/m <sup>3</sup> (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) (1) (2) |             |             | BIÓXIDO DE AZUFRE ppm V (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) (1) (2) |             |             | ÓXIDOS DE NITRÓGENO ppm V (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) (1) (2) |             |             | EXCESO DE AIRE DE COMBUSTIÓN % volumen (4) |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------|--|-------------|-------------|---|-------------|-------------|---|-------------|-------------|--|
|   |                              |                   | ZMCM   | ZC          | RP          | ZMCM  | ZC (5)      | RP          | ZMCM  | ZC (3)      | RP          |  |
| Hasta 5,250                             | Combustóleo o gasóleo        | 4                 | NA   | NA          | NA          | 1100 (4.08)   | 2100 (7.80) | 2600 (9.81) | NA  | NA          | NA          | 80   |
|   |                              |                   | NA   | NA          | NA          | 1100 (4.08)   | 2100 (7.81) | 2600 (9.81) | NA  | NA          | NA          |  |
|   |                              |                   | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA   |
| De 5,250 a 43,000                       | Líquidos                     | NA                | 100 (0.142)  | 425 (0.604) | 600 (0.852) | 1100 (4.08)   | 2100 (7.80) | 2600 (9.81) | 220 (0.588)   | 300 (0.801) | 400 (1.064) | 50   |
|   |                              | NA                | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | 220 (0.563)   | 300 (0.767) | 400 (1.023) |  |
|   |                              | NA                | 100 (0.142)  | 425 (0.604) | 550 (0.781) | 1100 (4.08)   | 2100 (7.81) | 2600 (9.81) | 180 (0.481)   | 300 (0.801) | 400 (1.069) | 40   |
| De 43,000 a 110,000                     | Gaseosos                     | NA                | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | 180 (0.460)   | 300 (0.767) | 400 (1.023) |  |
|   |                              | NA                | 70 (0.105)   | 325 (0.496) | 435 (0.664) | 1100 (4.32)   | 2100 (8.24) | 2600 (9.81) | 150 (0.449)   | 280 (0.785) | 400 (1.122) |  |
|   |                              | NA                | 70 (0.099)   | 325 (0.462) | 500 (0.710) | 1100 (4.12)   | 2100 (7.81) | 2600 (9.81) | 180 (0.427)   | 280 (0.748) | 400 (1.069) | 30   |
| Mayor de 110,000                        | Líquidos                     | NA                | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | 150 (0.400)   | 280 (0.748) | 400 (1.069) |  |
|   |                              | NA                | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | 150 (0.400)   | 280 (0.748) | 400 (1.069) |  |
|   |                              | NA                | NA   | NA          | NA          | NA  | NA          | NA          | 150 (0.400)   | 280 (0.748) | 400 (1.069) | 30   |

[ 5% O<sub>2</sub> ]

**LIMITES. NOM-085-ECOL-1994  
1º ENERO DE 1998 EN ADELANTE**

| CAPACIDAD DEL EQUIPO DE COMBUSTION MJ/h | TIPO DE COMBUSTIBLE EMPLEADO | DENSIDAD DE HUMO | PARTÍCULAS (PST)                            |             |             | DÍÓXIDO DE AZUFRE |                                 |              | ÓXIDOS DE NITRÓGENO |             |                                 | EXCESO DE AIRE DE COMBUSTIÓN % volumen (5) |             |        |
|---|------------------------------|------------------|---|-------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------|--------|
|   |                              |                  | mg/m <sup>3</sup> (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) | ZMCM        | ZC (3)      | RP                | ppm V (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) | ZMCM         | ZC (3)              | RP          | ppm V (kg/10 <sup>6</sup> kcal) |  | ZMCM        | ZC (4) |
| Hasta 5,250                             | Combustible o gasóleo        | 3                | NA  | NA          | NA          | 560 (2.04)        | 1,100 (4.08)                    | 2,200 (8.16) | NA                  | NA          | NA                              | NA   | NA          | 50     |
|   | Otros líquidos               | 2                | NA  | NA          | NA          | 550 (2.04)        | 1,100 (4.08)                    | 2,200 (8.16) | NA                  | NA          | NA                              | NA   | NA          |        |
|   | Gaseosos                     | 0                | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA                | NA                              | NA           | NA                  | NA          | NA                              | NA   | NA          |        |
| De 5,250 a 43,000                       | Líquidos                     | NA               | 75 (0.106)                                  | 350 (0.497) | 450 (0.639) | 550 (2.04)        | 1,100 (4.08)                    | 2,200 (8.16) | 190 (0.507)         | 190 (0.507) | 190 (0.507)                     | 375 (1.0)                                  | 375 (1.0)   | 40     |
|   | Gaseosos                     | NA               | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA                | NA                              | NA           | NA                  | 190 (0.486) | 190 (0.486)                     | 375 (0.959)                                | 375 (0.959) |        |
| De 43,000 a 110,000                     | Líquidos                     | NA               | 60 (0.085)                                  | 300 (0.426) | 400 (0.568) | 550 (2.04)        | 1,100 (4.08)                    | 2,200 (8.16) | 110 (0.294)         | 110 (0.294) | 110 (0.294)                     | 375 (1.0)                                  | 375 (1.0)   | 30     |
|   | Gaseosos                     | NA               | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA                | NA                              | NA           | NA                  | 110 (0.281) | 110 (0.281)                     | 375 (0.959)                                | 375 (0.959) |        |
| Mayor de 110,000                        | Sólidos                      | NA               | 60 (0.090)                                  | 250 (0.375) | 350 (0.525) | 550 (2.16)        | 1100 (4.31)                     | 2200 (8.16)  | 110 (0.309)         | 110 (0.309) | 110 (0.309)                     | 375 (1.052)                                | 375 (1.052) | 25     |
|   | Líquidos                     | NA               | 60 (0.085)                                  | 250 (0.355) | 350 (0.497) | 550 (2.04)        | 1100 (4.08)                     | 2200 (8.16)  | 110 (0.294)         | 110 (0.294) | 110 (0.294)                     | 375 (1.0)                                  | 375 (1.0)   |        |
|   | Gaseosos                     | NA               | NA  | NA          | NA          | NA                | NA                              | NA           | NA                  | 110 (0.281) | 110 (0.281)                     | 375 (0.959)                                | 375 (0.959) |        |

[A % O<sub>2</sub>]

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MEDICION Y ANALISIS DE GASES DE COMBUSTION**

| CAPACIDAD DEL EQUIPO DE COMBUSTION MJ/h | PARÁMETRO   | FRECUENCIA MÍNIMA DE MEDICIÓN | TIPO DE EVALUACIÓN  | TIPO DE COMBUSTIBLE    |
|---|---|-------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Hasta 5,250                             | densidad de humo                                      | 1 vez cada 3 meses            | puntual (3 muestras) mancha de hollín   | líquido y gas          |
|   | CO <sub>2</sub> , CO, O <sub>2</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> | 1 vez cada 3 meses            | puntual (3 muestras); ver anexo 3   | líquido y gas          |
|   | SO <sub>2</sub>                                       | 1 vez cada 3 meses            | medición indirecta a través de certificados de calidad de combustibles que emita el proveedor | líquido                |
| De 5,250 a 43,000                       | Partículas suspendidas totales                        | una vez por año               | isocinético (mínimo durante 60 minutos); 2 muestras definitivas (2)                           | líquido                |
|   | NO <sub>x</sub>                                       | una vez por año               | continuo (4); quimiluminiscencia o equivalente  | líquido y gas          |
|   | SO <sub>2</sub>                                       | una vez por año               | medición indirecta a través de certificados de calidad de combustibles que emita el proveedor | líquido                |
|   | CO <sub>2</sub> , CO, O <sub>2</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> | diario                        | puntual (3 muestras); ver anexo 3 o equivalente   | líquido y gas          |
| De 43,000 a 110,000                     | Partículas suspendidas totales                        | una vez por año               | isocinético (mínimo durante 60 minutos); 2 muestras definitivas                               | líquido                |
|   | NO <sub>x</sub>                                       | 1 vez cada 6 meses            | continuo (4); quimiluminiscencia o equivalente  | líquido y gas          |
|   | SO <sub>2</sub>                                       | una vez por año               | medición indirecta a través de certificados de calidad de combustibles que emita el proveedor | líquido                |
| Mayor de 110,000                        | CO <sub>2</sub> , CO, O <sub>2</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> | una vez por turno             | puntual (3 muestras); ver anexo 3 o equivalente   | líquido y gas          |
|   | Partículas suspendidas totales                        | 1 vez cada 6 meses            | isocinético (mínimo durante 60 minutos); 2 muestras definitivas                               | sólido, líquido        |
|   | NO <sub>x</sub>                                       | permanente (3)                | continuo (4); quimiluminiscencia o equivalente  | sólido, líquido y gas. |
|   | O <sub>2</sub>  | permanente                    | continua; campo magnético o equivalente, con registrador como mínimo 6 equivalente            | líquido y gas          |
|   | SO <sub>2</sub>                                       | una vez por año               | medición indirecta a través de certificados de calidad de combustibles que emita el proveedor | sólido, líquido        |

**NOTAS:**

- (1) Ver 6.1.1.4
- (2) Ver 6.1.1.5
- (3) El monitoreo continuo de NO<sub>x</sub> será permanente en las zonas metropolitanas de las ciudades de México, Guadalajara y Monterrey, con una duración de cuando menos 7 días una vez cada 3 meses en las zonas críticas; y con una duración de cuando menos 7 días una vez cada seis meses en el resto del país.
- (4) Ver 4.13
- (5) Deberán realizarse las mediciones correspondientes a equipos de calentamiento industriales del ambiente de cualquier capacidad en

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Table 1.1-15 (Metric And English Units). NEW SOURCE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR FOSSIL FUEL-FIRED BOILERS

| Standard/<br>Boiler Types/<br>Applicability<br>Criteria   | Boiler Size<br>MW<br>(Million<br>Btu/hr) | Fuel<br>Or<br>Boiler<br>Type       | PM<br>ng/J<br>(lb/MMBtu)<br>[% reduction] | SO <sub>2</sub><br>ng/J<br>(lb/MMBtu)<br>[% reduction] | NO <sub>x</sub><br>ng/J<br>(lb/MMBtu)<br>[% reduction]    |
|---|--|------------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Subpart D<br><br>Industrial-Utility<br><br>Commence construction<br>after 8/17/71                                 | >73<br>(>250)                            | Gas                                | 43<br>(0.10)                              | NA <sup>d</sup>  | 86<br>(0.20)  |
|   |  | Oil                                | 43<br>(0.10)                              | 340<br>(0.80)  | 129<br>(0.30)   |
|   |  | Bit./Subbit.<br>Coal               | 43<br>(0.10)                              | 520<br>(1.20)  | 300<br>(0.70)   |
| Subpart Da<br><br>Utility<br><br>Commence construction<br>after 9/18/78   | >73<br>(>250)                            | Gas                                | 13<br>(0.03)<br>[NA]                      | 340<br>(0.80)<br>[90] <sup>a</sup>                     | 86<br>(0.20)<br>[25]<br>160 PPM                           |
|   |  | Oil                                | 13<br>(0.03)<br>[70]                      | 340<br>(0.80)<br>[90] <sup>a</sup>                     | 130<br>(0.30)<br>[30]<br>230 PPM                          |
|   |  | Bit./Subbit.<br>Coal               | 13<br>(0.03)<br>[99]                      | 520<br>(1.20)<br>[90] <sup>a</sup>                     | 260/210 <sup>c</sup><br>(0.60/0.50)<br>[65/65]<br>430 PPM |
| Subpart Db<br><br>Industrial-Commercial<br>Institution<br><br>Commence construction<br>after 6/19/84 <sup>m</sup> | >29<br>(>100)                            | Gas                                | NA <sup>d</sup>                           | NA <sup>d</sup>  | 43 <sup>f</sup><br>(0.10)                                 |
|   |  | Distillate Oil                     | 43<br>(0.10)                              | 340 <sup>n</sup><br>(0.80)<br>[90]                     | 43 <sup>f</sup><br>(0.10)                                 |
|   |  | Residual Oil                       | (Same as for<br>distillate oil)           | (Same as for<br>distillate oil)                        | 130 <sup>g</sup><br>(0.30)                                |
|   |  | Pulverized<br>Bit./Subbit.<br>Coal | 22 <sup>e</sup><br>(0.05)                 | 520 <sup>e</sup><br>(1.20)<br>[90]                     | 300<br>(0.70)   |
|   |  | Spreader<br>Stoker &<br>FBC        | 22 <sup>e</sup><br>(0.05)                 | 520 <sup>e</sup><br>(1.20)<br>[90]                     | 260<br>(0.60)   |
|   |  | Mass-Feed<br>Stoker                | 22 <sup>e</sup><br>(0.05)                 | 520 <sup>e</sup><br>(1.20)<br>[90]                     | 210<br>(0.50)   |
|   |  |                                    |   | 40 mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                   | 620 PPM   |

NOTE (a): ALL CONVERSIONS ASSUME 25% EXCESS AIR, TO PERMIT A DIRECT COMPARISON WITH MEXICAN NOM-085-ECOL-1994 LIMITS. TEMP = 25 °C

SO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION LIMITS - NOM-085  
"ZONAS CRÍTICAS", JAN. 1, 1998

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GIVEN:

- a.) 500 MW PLANT  
 b.) 34% THERMAL EFF. ( $\eta$ )  
 c.)  $MW = \frac{3,415,000 \text{ BTU}}{\eta} \approx 10,000,000 \text{ BTU}$   
 d.) EXHAUST GAS GENERATION RATES: 0% O<sub>2</sub>  
 i.) BIT. COAL: 9,820 FT<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU @ 0% O<sub>2</sub>  
 ii.) OIL: 9,220 "/ " " "  
 iii.) GAS: 8,740 "/ " " "  
 e.) EXHAUST GAS GEN. RATES: 4% O<sub>2</sub> [25% EXCESS AIR]  
 i.) BIT COAL: 12,144 FT<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU OR 344 m<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU  
 ii.) OIL: 11,402 FT<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU OR 323 m<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU  
 iii.) GAS: 10,809 FT<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU OR 306 m<sup>3</sup>/MMBTU  
 f.)  $Q_{IN}/hr = \frac{500 \text{ MW}}{hr} \left( \frac{10 \text{ MMBTU}}{\text{MW}} \right) = 5,000 \frac{\text{MMBTU}}{hr}$   
 g.)  $SO_2 \text{ DENSITY} = \frac{64 \text{ lb/lb-M}}{385 \text{ FT}^3/\text{lb-M}} = 0.166 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{FT}^3}$   
 h.) NOM-085 SO<sub>2</sub> LIMIT (COAL & OIL) = 1,100 PPMV @ 4% O<sub>2</sub>  
 "ZONAS CRÍTICAS"

ALLOWABLE SO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION RATES:

1.a. COAL:  $(1,100 \cdot 10^{-6}) \left( 0.166 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{FT}^3} \right) \left( \frac{5,000 \text{ MMBTU}}{hr} \right) \left( \frac{12,144 \text{ FT}^3}{\text{MMBTU}} \right) = 11,087 \text{ lb/hr}$   
 1.b. COAL:  $\left( \frac{11,087 \text{ lb}}{hr} \right) \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}} \right) \left( \frac{8,760 \text{ hr}}{\text{YR}} \right) = 48,563 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$   
 2.a. OIL:  $(1,100 \cdot 10^{-6}) \left( 0.166 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{FT}^3} \right) \left( \frac{5,000 \text{ MMBTU}}{hr} \right) \left( \frac{11,402 \text{ FT}^3}{\text{MMBTU}} \right) = 10,410 \text{ lb/hr}$   
 2.b. OIL:  $(10,410 \text{ lb}) \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}} \right) \left( \frac{8,760 \text{ hr}}{\text{YR}} \right) = 45,591 \text{ TON/YR}$

NO<sub>x</sub> EMISSION LIMITS: NOM-085  
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GIVEN: ALL FACTORS ON PREVIOUS PAGE, AND

$$\text{NO}_2 \text{ DENSITY} = \frac{46 \text{ lb/lb-M}}{385 \text{ FT}^3/\text{lb-M}} = 0.119 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{FT}^3}$$

$$\text{NOM-085 NO}_2 \text{ LIMIT (COAL, OIL \& GAS)} = 110 \text{ PPMV @ 4\% O}_2$$

ZONAS CRÍTICAS

ALLOWABLE NO<sub>x</sub> EMISSION RATES:

$$1. a. \text{ COAL (lb/hr)}: (110 \cdot 10^{-6}) (0.119 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{FT}^3}) (5,000 \frac{\text{MMBTU}}{\text{hr}}) (12,144 \frac{\text{FT}^3}{\text{MMBTU}}) = 795 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$1. b. \text{ COAL (TON/YR)}: (795 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}) (\frac{1 \text{ TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}}) (8,760 \frac{\text{hr}}{\text{YR}}) = 3,482 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \text{ (SNOC)}$$

$$2. a. \text{ OIL (lb/hr)}: (110 \cdot 10^{-6}) (0.119) (5,000) (11,402) = 746 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$2. b. \text{ OIL (TON/YR)}: (746 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}) (\frac{1}{2,000}) (8,760) = 3,267 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

$$3. a. \text{ GAS (lb/hr)}: (110 \cdot 10^{-6}) (0.119) (5,000) (10,809) = 707 \text{ lb/hr}$$

$$3. b. \text{ GAS (TON/YR)}: (707) (\frac{1}{2,000}) (8,760) = 3,097 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

GAS NO<sub>x</sub> ER ADJUSTED FOR CC GAS TURBINE EFFICIENCY (50%):

$$\text{NO}_x \text{ ER} = \left( \text{ER SIMPLE CYCLE} \right) \left( \frac{\text{EFF. SIMPLE CYCLE}}{\text{EFF. COMBINED CYCLE}} \right)$$

$$= 3,097 \left( \frac{0.34}{1.0} \right) = 2,106 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

PARTICULATE EMISSION LIMITS: NOM-085  
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$$\text{NOM-085 PARTICULATE LIMIT (COAL/OIL)} = 250 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{m}^3}$$

ALLOWABLE PARTICULATE LIMITS:

$$1.a. \text{ COAL } \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) : \left( \frac{250 \text{ mg}}{\text{m}^3} \right) \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{454,000 \text{ mg}} \right) \left( \frac{344 \text{ m}^3}{\text{MMBTU}} \right) \left( 5,000 \frac{\text{MMBTU}}{\text{hr}} \right) = 947 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$1.b. \text{ COAL } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 947 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}} \right) \left( 8,760 \frac{\text{hr}}{\text{YR}} \right) = 4,148 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

$$2.a. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) : (250) \left( \frac{1}{454,000} \right) (323) (5,000) = 889 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$2.b. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 889 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2,000} \right) (8,760) = 3,894 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

NSPS SUBPART D<sub>2</sub> UTILITY BOILER  
SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub> AND PM LIMITS (1978)

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GIVEN:

- a. 500 MW PLANT (5,000 MMBtu/hr)
- b. 34% THERMAL EFF., THEREFORE 1 MW = 10 MMBtu

SUBPART D<sub>2</sub> LIMITS (lb/MMBtu)

|                 | SO <sub>2</sub> | NO <sub>x</sub> | PM   |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|
| 1. GAS          | 0.80            | 0.20            | 0.03 |
| 500 MW (lb/hr)  | 4,000           | 1,000           | 150  |
| 500 MW (TON/YR) | 17,520          | 4,380           | 657  |
| 2. OIL          | 0.80            | 0.30            | 0.03 |
| 500 MW (lb/hr)  | 4,000           | 1,500           | 150  |
| 500 MW (TON/YR) | 17,520          | 6,570           | 657  |
| 3. COAL (BIT.)  | 1.20            | 0.60            | 0.03 |
| 500 MW (lb/hr)  | 6,000           | 3,000           | 150  |
| 500 MW (TON/YR) | 26,280          | 13,140          | 657  |



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$\text{NO}_x$  EMISSION RATE FOR 135 MW  
SIMPLE CYCLE GAS TURBINE POWER PLANT w/ CONVENTIONAL  
COMBUSTOR(S)

[ PLANNED INSTALLATION, SAN LUIS COLORADO, SONORA ]

GIVEN:

- a. THREE 45 MW LM6000 GE SIMPLE CYCLE GTs
- b.  $\text{NO}_x$  EFs FROM EPA ACT DOCUMENT FOR GTs (1993):
  - i) GAS: 0.88 lb/MMBtu (LM6000) UNCONTROLLED
  - ii) OIL: 1.53 lb/MMBtu (LM6000) UNCONTROLLED
- c. THERMAL EFF. = 34%. THEREFORE, 1 MW = 10 MMBtu

$\text{NO}_x$  EMISSION RATES:

$$1.a. \text{ GAS } \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) : \left( \frac{0.88 \text{ lb}}{\text{MMBtu}} \right) (135 \text{ MW}) \left( \frac{10 \text{ MMBtu}}{\text{MW}} \right) = 1,188 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$1.b. \text{ GAS } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 1,188 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}} \right) \left( 8,760 \frac{\text{hr}}{\text{YR}} \right) = 5,203 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

$$2.a. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) : \left( \frac{1.53 \text{ lb}}{\text{MMBtu}} \right) (135 \text{ MW}) \left( \frac{10 \text{ MMBtu}}{\text{MW}} \right) = 2,066 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$2.b. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 2,066 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2000} \right) (8760) = 9,049 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

ANNUAL EMISSION RATES ADJUSTED TO 500 MW OUTPUT:

$$\text{GAS } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 5,203 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) \left( \frac{500 \text{ MW}}{135 \text{ MW}} \right) = 19,270 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

$$\text{OIL } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) : \left( 9,049 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) \left( \frac{500 \text{ MW}}{135 \text{ MW}} \right) = 33,515 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

NSPS SUBPART GG GAS TURBINE  
 $\text{SO}_2$  &  $\text{NO}_x$  LIMITS (1977)

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GIVEN:

- a. 135 MW (1,350 MMBtu/hr)
- b.  $\eta = 34\%$ , THEREFORE 1 MW = 10 MMBtu
- c. 20,000 BTU/lb<sub>oil</sub> (.020 MMBtu/lb<sub>oil</sub>)
- d. FUEL CONSUMPT. =  $\frac{1,350 \text{ MMBtu/hr}}{.020 \text{ MMBtu/lb}} = 67,500 \text{ lb/hr}$

$\text{SO}_2$  EMISSION LIMIT: FUEL S LIMIT OF 0.8%

$$\therefore S_{\text{LIMIT}} = \left( 67,500 \frac{\text{lb}_{\text{oil}}}{\text{hr}} \right) (.008) = 540 \frac{\text{lb S}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$\text{SO}_2 \text{ LIMIT} = \left( \frac{64 \text{ MW SO}_2}{32 \text{ MW S}} \right) \left( 540 \frac{\text{lb S}}{\text{hr}} \right) = 1,080 \frac{\text{lb SO}_2}{\text{hr}}$$

$$\left[ 4,730 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \text{ SO}_2 \right]$$

$\text{NO}_x$  LIMIT: 75 PPM @ 15%  $\text{O}_2$  & 25% THERMAL EFF.

102 PPM @ 15%  $\text{O}_2$  & 34% THERMAL EFF.

$$1.a. \text{ GAS NO}_x \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) = (102 \cdot 10^{-6}) \left( 0.119 \frac{\text{lb}_{\text{NO}_x}}{\text{ft}^3} \right) \left( 1,350 \frac{\text{MMBTU}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{30,960 \text{ ft}^3}{\text{MMBTU}} \right) = 507 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$1.b. \text{ GAS } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) = \left( 507 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2000} \right) (8760) = 2,220 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

$$2.a. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \right) = (102 \cdot 10^{-6}) (0.119) (1,350) (32,661) = 535 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}$$

$$2.b. \text{ OIL } \left( \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}} \right) = (535) \left( \frac{1}{2000} \right) (8760) = 2,343 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

GAS TURBINE SO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION RATE USING NSPS GG 9/2/9.  
 SO<sub>2</sub> LIMIT OF 150 PPM @ 15% O<sub>2</sub> -BF

### I. SIMPLE CYCLE :

GIVEN :

- 500 MW UNIT (5,000 MMBtu/hr)
- 34% THERMAL EFF. (1 MW = 10 MMBtu)
- 8,740 FT<sup>3</sup> / MMBtu @ 0% O<sub>2</sub>  
EXH. GAS
- 30,960 FT<sup>3</sup> / MMBtu @ 15% O<sub>2</sub>  
EXH. GAS

$$\text{EXHAUST GAS FLOW (FT}^3\text{/HR)} = \left(5,000 \frac{\text{MMBTU}}{\text{HR}}\right) \left(\frac{30,960 \text{ FT}^3}{\text{MMBTU}}\right) = 154.8 \cdot 10^6 \frac{\text{FT}^3}{\text{HR}}$$

$$\text{SO}_2 \text{ EXH. GAS FLOW (FT}^3\text{/HR)} = \left(150 \cdot 10^{-6}\right) \left(154.8 \cdot 10^6 \frac{\text{FT}^3}{\text{HR}}\right) = 23,220 \frac{\text{FT}^3}{\text{HR}}$$

$$\text{SO}_2 \text{ EMISSION RATE (lb/hr)} = \left(\frac{64 \text{ lb/lb-M}}{385 \text{ FT}^3\text{/lb-M}}\right) \left(23,220 \frac{\text{FT}^3}{\text{HR}}\right) = 3,860 \frac{\text{lb SO}_2}{\text{HR}}$$

(16,907 TON/YR)

### II. COMBINED CYCLE:

- GIVEN: A. 50% THERMAL EFF. (1 MW = 6,800,000 BTU/hr)  
 B. 500 MW UNIT (3,400 MMBtu/hr)

USE EFF. RATIO TIMES SIMPLE CYCLE EMISSION RATE TO CALC CC EMISSION RATE:

$$\text{SO}_2 \left(\frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}\right) = \frac{0.34}{0.50} \left(3,860 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}\right) = 2,625 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}} \text{ SO}_2$$

$$\text{SO}_2 \left(\frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}\right) = \left(2,625 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{hr}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ SHORT TON}}{2,000 \text{ lb}}\right) \left(\frac{8,760 \text{ hr}}{\text{YR}}\right) = 11,498 \frac{\text{TON}}{\text{YR}}$$

TABLE 2-1. UNCONTROLLED NO<sub>x</sub> EMISSION FACTORS FOR GAS TURBINES

| Manufacturer      | Model No.   | Output, MW | NO <sub>x</sub> emissions, ppmv, dry and corrected to 15% O <sub>2</sub> |                      | NO <sub>x</sub> emissions factor, lb NO <sub>x</sub> /MMBtu <sup>a</sup> |                      |
|-------------------|-------------|------------|--|----------------------|--|----------------------|
|                   |             |            | Natural gas  | Distillate oil No. 2 | Natural gas  | Distillate oil No. 2 |
| Solar             | Saturn      | 1.1        | 99   | 150                  | 0.397  | 0.551                |
|                   | Centaur     | 3.3        | 130  | 179                  | 0.521  | 0.658                |
|                   | Centaur "H" | 4.0        | 105  | 160                  | 0.421  | 0.588                |
|                   | Taurus      | 4.5        | 114  | 168                  | 0.457  | 0.618                |
|                   | Mars T12000 | 8.8        | 178  | 267                  | 0.714  | 0.981                |
|                   | Mars T14000 | 10.0       | 199  | NA <sup>b</sup>      | 0.798  | NA <sup>b</sup>      |
| GM/Allison        | 501-KB5     | 4.0        | 155  | 231                  | 0.622  | 0.849                |
|                   | 570-KA      | 4.9        | 101  | 182                  | 0.405  | 0.669                |
|                   | 571-KA      | 5.9        | 101  | 182                  | 0.405  | 0.669                |
| General Electric  | LM1600      | 12.8       | 144  | 237                  | 0.577  | 0.871                |
|                   | LM2500      | 21.8       | 174  | 345                  | 0.698  | 1.27                 |
|                   | LM5000      | 33.1       | 185  | 364                  | 0.742  | 1.34                 |
|                   | → LM6000    | 41.5       | 220  | 417                  | 0.882  | 1.53                 |
|                   | MS5001P     | 26.3       | 142  | 211                  | 0.569  | 0.776                |
|                   | MS6001B     | 38.3       | 148  | 267                  | 0.593  | 0.981                |
|                   | MS7001EA    | 81.5       | 154  | 228                  | 0.618  | 0.838                |
|                   | MS7001F     | 123        | 179  | 277                  | 0.718  | 1.02                 |
|                   | MS9001EA    | 150        | 176  | 235                  | 0.706  | 0.864                |
|                   | MS9001F     | 212        | 176  | 272                  | 0.706  | 1.00                 |
| Asea Brown Boveri | GT8         | 47.4       | 430  | 680                  | 1.72   | 2.50                 |
|                   | GT10        | 22.6       | 150  | 200                  | 0.601  | 0.735                |
|                   | GT11N       | 81.6       | 390  | 560                  | 1.56   | 2.06                 |
|                   | GT35        | 16.9       | 300  | 360                  | 1.20   | 1.32                 |
| Westinghouse      | W261B11/12  | 52.3       | 220  | 355                  | 0.882  | 1.31                 |
|                   | W501D5      | 119        | 190  | 250                  | 0.762  | 0.919                |
| Siemens           | V84.2       | 105        | 212  | 360                  | 0.850  | 1.32                 |
|                   | V94.2       | 153        | 212  | 360                  | 0.850  | 1.32                 |
|                   | V64.3       | 61.5       | 380  | 530                  | 1.52   | 1.95                 |
|                   | V84.3       | 141        | 380  | 530                  | 1.52   | 1.95                 |
|                   | V94.3       | 203        | 380  | 530                  | 1.52   | 1.95                 |

<sup>a</sup>Based on emission levels provided by gas turbine manufacturers, corresponding to rated load at ISO conditions.

NO<sub>x</sub> emissions calculations are shown in Appendix A.

<sup>b</sup>Not available.

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NO<sub>x</sub> EMISSIONS FROM STATIONARY  
GAS TURBINES," EPA, JANUARY 199  
EPA-453/R-93-007