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Date: 25 February 2025

Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers

PDP Kruger
Secunda
2302

Attention: Mr. Hannes Buys

Dear Sir

ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE IN TERMS OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: AIR QUALITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO. 39 OF 2004) AS AMENDED.

With reference to your application dated **16 February 2024**, enclosed, herewith, the Atmospheric Emission Licence No **Govan Mbeki/Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers/0021/2025/F04** dated **25 February 2025** in respect of the **Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers**.

Your attention is drawn to the following conditions for licence issue –

- a. Chapter 5, Section 42 of the Act, Issuing of Atmospheric Emission Licence
And
- b. Chapter 5, Section 43 of the Act, Content of Provisional Atmospheric Emission Licence, and Atmospheric Emission Licence.

1. SITUATION AND EXTENT OF PLANT

Situation

PDP Kruger, Secunda, Govan Mbeki Local Municipality, Gert Sibande District, Mpumalanga.

Extent

24.05km²

2. NATURE OF PROCESS AND LISTED ACTIVITIES IN TERMS OF SECTION 21

Listed Activity Number	Category of Listed Activity	Sub-category of the listed activity	Description of the Listed Activity	Application	Secunda Operations Polymers Processes
2.1	Petroleum Industry	Combustion Installations	Combustion installations not used primarily for steam raising or electricity generation (furnaces and heaters).	All refinery furnaces and heaters.	Unit 24 ethane furnace
6	Organic Chemicals Industry	N/A	<p>The production or use in production of organic chemicals not specified elsewhere including acetylene, acetic, maleic or phthalic anhydride or their acids, carbon disulphide, pyridine, formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, acrolein and its derivatives, acrylonitrile, amines and synthetic rubber.</p> <p>The production of organometallic compounds, organic dyes and pigments, surface active agents.</p> <p>The polymerisation or copolymerisation of any unsaturated hydrocarbons substituted hydrocarbon (including vinyl chloride).</p> <p>The manufacture, recovery or purification of acrylic acid or any ester of acrylic acid.</p> <p>The use of toluene diisocyanate or other diisocyanate of comparable volatility; or recovery of pyridine.</p>	All installations producing or using more than 100 tons per annum of any of the listed compounds.	Polypropylene 1 and 2; Propylene geed storage tanks; Propylene purification plants 1, 2 and 3; Ethylene purification plant 2 and 3.

Yours in good governance,



MR. CA HABILE
MUNICIPAL MANAGER



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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: AIR QUALITY ACT, 2004 (ACT NO. 39 OF 2004) AS AMENDED

Atmospheric Emission License

Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers

Is authorized to continue the processes listed below, with equipment and plant as detailed in the licence conditions of licence no. Govan Mbeki/Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers/0021/2025/F04 on the premise known as PDP Kruger Site, Secunda, Govan Mbeki Local Municipality, Gert Sibande District Municipality, Mpumalanga.

Category 2 Sub-category 2.1: Combustion Installations; Category 6: Organic Chemistry.

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**Govan Mbeki/Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations
Polymers/0021/2025/F04**

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ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE AS CONTEMPLATED IN SECTION 43 OF THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: AIR QUALITY ACT, 2004, (ACT NO. 39 OF 2004) (NEMAQA) AS AMENDED

I, **Mary Lorette Tebogo Mogakabe**, in my capacity as **License Officer** (hereinafter referred to as "the Licensing Authority"), in terms of section 36(1) of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act 39 of 2004, hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), and as provided for in section 40(1)(a) of the Act, hereby grant an Atmospheric Emission Licence to **Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers** ("the Applicant)."

The Atmospheric Emission Licence is issued to **Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers** in terms of section 42 of the National Environmental Management: Air Quality Act, 2004 (Act No. 39 of 2004), in respect of Listed Activity **Category 2 Sub-category 2.1: Combustion Installations; Category 6: Organic Chemistry**.

The Atmospheric Emission Licence has been issued based on information provided in the company's application dated **16 February 2024** and information that became available during processing of the application.

The Atmospheric Emission Licence is valid upon signature for a period not exceeding five (05) years from the date of issue of this licence. The reason for issuing the licence is renewal. The Atmospheric Emission Licence is issued subject to the conditions and requirements set out below which form part of The Atmospheric Emission Licence, and which are binding on the holder of the Atmospheric Emission Licence ("the holder").

1 ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE ADMINISTRATION

Name of the Licensing Authority	Gert Sibande District Municipality
Atmospheric Emission Licence Number	Govan Mbeki/Sasol South Africa Limited- Secunda Operations Polymers/0021/2025/F04
Atmospheric Emission Licence Issue Date	25 February 2025
Atmospheric Emission Licence Type	Renewal
Renewal Date	30 November 2029
Expiry date	25 February 2030

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2 ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE HOLDER DETAILS

Enterprise Name	Sasol South Africa Ltd
Trading as	Secunda Operations Polymers
Enterprise Registration Number (Registration Numbers if Joint Venture)	1968/013914/06
Registered Address	Sasol Place 50 Katherine Street Sandton Gauteng
Postal Address	Private Bag 1013 Secunda 2302
Telephone Number (General)	017 610 5105
Industry Sector	Industrial Organic Chemicals
Name of Responsible Person or Emission Control Officer	Mr. Hannes Buys
Telephone Number	017 619 3515
Cell Phone Number	082 339 3906
Email Address	Hannes.buys@sasol.com
After Hours Contact Details	082 902 1989
Land Use Zoning as per Town Planning Scheme	Industrial Special

3. LOCATION AND EXTENT OF PLANT

3.1. Facility Address

Physical Address of the Premises	PDP Kruger Secunda 2302
Description of Site (Erf)	Highveld Ridge, Mpumalanga
Coordinates of Approximate Centre of Operations	
Extent (km ²)	24.05
Elevation Above Mean Sea Level (m)	1597
Province	Mpumalanga
Metropolitan/District Municipality	Gert Sibande District Municipality
Local Municipality	Govan Mbeki Local Municipality
Designated Priority Area	Highveld Priority Area

3.2. Description of surrounding land use (within 5 km radius)

- Secunda – residential and commercial
- Embalenhle – residential and commercial
- Mining activities
- Farming activities

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Figure 1: Sasol South Africa Ltd- Secunda satellite image

4. GENERAL CONDITIONS

4.1. Process and ownership changes.

- (a) The holder of the Atmospheric Emission Licence must ensure that all unit processes and apparatus used for the purpose of undertaking the listed activity in question, and all appliances and mitigation measures for preventing or reducing atmospheric emissions, are always properly maintained, and operated.
- (b) No building, plant or site of works related to the listed activity or activities used by the licence holder shall be extended, altered, or added to the listed activity without an environmental authorisation from the competent authority. The investigation, assessment, and communication of potential impact of such an activity must follow the assessment procedure as prescribed in the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations published in terms of Section 24(5) of the National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998) as amended.
- (c) Any changes in processes or production increases, by the licence holder, will require prior written approval from the licensing authority.
- (d) Any changes or increase to the type and quantities of input materials and products, or to production equipment and treatment facilities will require prior written approval from the licensing authority.
- (e) The licence holder must, in writing, inform the licensing authority of any change of ownership of the enterprise. The licensing authority must be informed within thirty (30) working days after the change of ownership.
- (f) The licence holder must immediately on cessation or decommissioning of the listed activity inform, in writing the licensing authority.
- (g) The licence holder must notify the Licensing Authority in writing and submit the closure and rehabilitation plan three (3) months prior to the decommissioning of the facility.

4.2. General duty of care

- (a) The holder of the Licence must, when undertaking the listed activity, adhere to the duty of care obligations as set out in section 28 of the NEMA as amended including Part II Section 3 of Gert Sibande District Municipal Air Quality by-laws.
- (b) The Licence holder must undertake the necessary measures to minimize or contain the atmospheric emissions. The measures are set out in Section 28(3) of the NEMA as amended.
- (c) Failure to comply with the above condition is a breach of the duty of care, and the Licence holder will be subject to the sanctions set out in Section 28 of the NEMA as amended including Part III Section 3 of Gert Sibande District Municipal Air Quality by-laws.

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4.3. Sampling and/or analysis requirements

(a) Measurement, calculation and /or sampling and analysis shall be carried out in accordance with any nationally or internationally acceptable standard in line with Annexure A of NEMAQA as amended.

(b) Methods other than those contained in Annexure A of NEMAQA as amended may be used with the written consent of the National Air Quality Officer.

(c) In seeking the written consent referred to in paragraph (b), an applicant must provide the National Air Quality Officer with any information that supports the equivalence of the method other than those listed in Annexure A of NEMAQA as amended.

(d) The licence holder is responsible for quality assurance of methods and performance. Where the holder of the licence uses internal or external laboratories for sampling or analysis, only accredited laboratories by the national accreditation body shall be used. The certified copy of accreditation of the internal or external laboratory must be submitted to the Licensing Authority annually.

(e) The licence holder must provide the Licensing Authority on request with raw data obtained during sampling and or analysis including proof of agreed methodology used to reach the results submitted for compliance.

4.4. General requirements for licence holder

(a) The licence holder must conduct an induction on air quality management issues including compliance with the conditions of this licence to any person acting on his, her or its behalf including but not limited to an employee, agent, sub-contractor, or person rendering a service to the holder.

(b) The licence does not relieve the licence holder to comply with any other statutory requirements that may be applicable to the carrying on of the listed activity.

(c) A valid licence must be kept at the premises where the listed activity is undertaken. The licence must be made available to the Environmental Management Inspector / Air Quality Officer or an authorised officer representing the licensing authority who requests to see it.

(d) The Atmospheric Emission Licence Certificate must be displayed at the premises where the listed activity is undertaken.

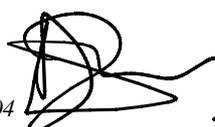
(e) The licence holder must inform, in writing, the licensing authority of any change to its details but not limited to the name of the Emission Control Officer, postal address and/or telephonic details within five (05) working days after such change has been effected.

(f) The Emission Control Officer or facility representative must attend the Highveld Priority Area Implementation Task Team or Air Quality Stakeholder Forum Meetings bi-annually.

(g) The licence holder must report and submit annual emission report for the preceding year in terms of GNR 283 in Government Gazette 38633 of 02 April 2015 and GNR 4493 in Government Gazette 50284 of 08 March 2024 (National Atmospheric Emission Inventory System Reporting Regulations).

(h) The licence holder must hold an environmental/air quality consultation meeting with interested and affected parties as well the community surrounding Sasol Secunda bi-annually to give feedback on the processes, projects conducted by the facility as well as compliance status in relation to air quality management. The licence holder must submit written proof of such consultation to the licensing authority bi-annually.

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4.5. Statutory obligations

The licence holder must comply with the obligations as set out in Chapter 5 of NEMAQA (Act No. 39 of 2004) as amended, National Environmental Management Act, 1998 (Act No. 108 of 1998) as amended, including Gert Sibande District Municipal Air Quality Management by-laws.

5 NATURE OF PROCESS

5.1. Process Description

5.1.1. Polymerization

The purpose of the polypropylene plants (polypropylene one and two - PP1 & PP2) is to produce polypropylene pellets from the monomer feed streams, namely liquid propylene and gaseous ethylene. Liquid propylene is taken from [REDACTED] and stored in five bullets. Gaseous ethylene is taken from [REDACTED]. Polymerization reactors convert monomer feed streams to polymer powder which is then extruded to produce polypropylene pellets.

Polymerization is carried out in [REDACTED] reactors using suitable catalysts [REDACTED]. Polymer powder together with carrier gas is discharged from the reactor. The gas or solid mixture is then separated in the degassing vessel. The carrier gas is recovered and sent back to the monomers plant for further processing.

To produce co-polymers, a second reactor system is used [REDACTED]. Ethylene is fed to the second reactor to enable the incorporation of a rubber phase into the polymer. An alcohol is added in the process to reduce the activity of the catalyst in the reactor. Polymer powder is transferred to the extrusion plant where it is pelletized before being bagged at the bagging plant.

The polypropylene 2 plant (PP2) is equipped with a [REDACTED] unit, [REDACTED] to remove and clean plastic material [REDACTED]. The unit is normally offline and only operates on demand, i.e. once in three months [REDACTED]. Stack emissions [REDACTED] are minimal and not analyzed for carbon footprint.

Unreacted organic and other gases are burned in the PP1 and PP2 flare during plant disturbances, safe making, or emergency shutdowns.

5.1.2. Monomers

5.1.2.1. Propylene purification plants 1, 2 and 3

Propylene purification plant 1 is referred to as unit 70, propylene purification plant 2 is referred to as unit 285 and propylene purification plant 3 is referred to as unit 288.

The propylene purification units (PPU) are designed to upgrade a propylene rich feedstock from Secunda Operations (SO) as well as recycled feed streams from the propylene polymerization (PP) plants to a high purity propylene product.

The purification of the propylene in the feedstock is achieved by means of a two-stage fractionation process. From this process the propylene is routed to tank farm where it is stored and distributed throughout the value chain.

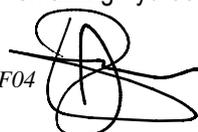
All organic gases are routed to the SO main factory flare system for destruction.

5.1.2.2. Ethylene purification plant

The ethylene purification units (EPU), commonly referred to as unit 24 (EPU 2) and unit 280 (EPU 3), produce high purity ethylene products via two main feedstocks.

C₂ rich feedstock is received from Cold Separation. This feed stream contains ethylene and ethane. The ethylene is separated out and purified from this feed stream. This C₂ rich feed processing is performed on both EPU 2 & 3. The ethane removed from the C₂ rich feed from SO as well as other additional ethane feed streams are thermally cracked at EPU 2 into a variety of different molecules including hydrogen sulphide (H₂S) and carbon dioxide (CO₂). These contaminants are removed via an amine and caustic scrubbing section. The remaining hydrocarbon rich stream is then

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purified via various fractionation steps into their respective product streams, namely ethylene, ethane (routed to the start of the process) as well as other less valuable products each routed to another unit for further processing as part of the liquid value chain.

There are two locations, with a total of six-point sources at the ethylene purification plant whereby emissions occur to atmosphere, namely five ethane furnaces hence five stacks to atmosphere. The amine system removes acid gases from the process by circulating amine solution. This amine solution is passed through a regeneration section whereby the regenerated amine solution is routed back to the process and the acid gases are routed to atmosphere. All organic gases are routed to the SO main factory flare system for destruction.

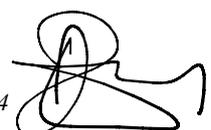
5.1.2.3. Unit 558 Oil water sewer reservoir

Unit 558 is an oil water sewer reservoir. This reservoir is designed to separate out any residual oils and contaminants from the storm water sewer for unit 293 - SCC, unit 590 and 288. The cleaner water is then routed to Water & Ash for further processing.

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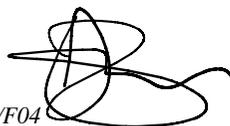


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5.2. Listed Activities

Listed Activity Number	Category of Listed Activity	Sub-category of the listed activity	Description of the Listed Activity	Application	Secunda Operations Polymers Processes
2.1	Petroleum Industry	Combustion Installations	Combustion installations not used primarily for steam raising or electricity generation (furnaces and heaters).	All refinery furnaces and heaters.	Unit 24 ethane furnace
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5.3. Unit process or processes

Unit process	Function of unit process	Batch or continuous	Operating hours per day	Operating days per year
Polypropylene				
Co-catalyst preparation	Batch preparation and storage of [redacted] through dilution with [redacted] and [redacted] in hold up tanks.	Batch	24	365
Polymerization	To produce polypropylene powder.	Continuous	24	365
Propylene feed storage	Storage of propylene feeds in five pressure vessels (bullet tanks)	Continuous	24	365
Extrusion	Conversion of polypropylene powder into pellets.	Continuous	24	365
Flare	Destruction of hydrocarbon gases released during abnormal operations.	Batch	24	365
Bagging	Storage and bagging of pallets.	Continuous	24	365
Ethylene purification plant 2 - Unit 24				
Ethane crackers	Cracks the gas into an ethylene rich stream.	Continuous	24	365
Quench water system	Utilized for inter stage cooling.	Continuous	24	365
Cracked gas system	Compress gases and create the required pressure for transfer through all the subsequent processes.	Continuous	24	365
Amine system scrubber	Remove hydrogen sulphide (H ₂ S) and carbon dioxide (CO ₂) from the cracked gas.	Continuous	24	365
Amine regeneration system	Stripping off the contaminated amine.	Continuous	24	365
Caustic scrubber	Further removes any remaining CO ₂ .	Continuous	24	365
Pre-cooling and drying	Cool down the gas to knock out all possible free moisture and heavy hydrocarbons.	Continuous	24	365
Turbo expanders	Utilized to expand the hydrogen (H ₂) rich to facilitate the separation of the C ₂ fractions remaining in the H ₂ stream.	Continuous	24	365
De-methanizer	Utilized to separate the C ₃ + from the C ₂ fractions.	Continuous	24	365
C ₂ hydrogenation	Acetylene (C ₂ H ₂) present in the C ₂ gas is converted into ethylene (C ₂ H ₄) by means of hydrogenation.	Continuous	24	365
2nd demethanizer	Serves as a second demethanizer column stripping off methane (CH ₄) and hydrogen (H ₂) from the C ₂ 's.	Continuous	24	365
C ₂ splitter	The final separation stage where the only two gases-ethylene and ethane enters the column and is separated by means of distillation.	Continuous	24	365
C ₃ ,JC ₄ debutanizer	Separates C ₃ ,JC ₄ .	Continuous	24	365
C ₃ ,JC ₄ hydrogenation	Selectively converts acetylene and dienes.	Continuous	24	365
KC-5001/2	Is utilized to compress the C ₂ rich gas into the C ₂ rich header to Sasol 1.	Continuous	24	365

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KC 6001/2	Is utilized to compress the ethylene into the ethylene header to Sasol 1.	Continuous	24	365
Propylene purification plant 1- unit 70				
70VL0101 de-ethanizer distillation column	Removes C ₂ components C ₃ condensate by means of low pressure (LP) stream. The C ₂ components are recovered to unit 24.	Continuous	24	365
70VL0102 de-propanizer distillation column	Separates propane from propylene (which is the final product) by means of LP steam.	Continuous	24	365
70VL0101 de-ethanizer distillation column	Removes C ₂ components C ₃ condensate by means of LP stream. The C ₂ components are recovered to unit 24.	Continuous	24	365
70KX010 ammonia compressor	Utilized for cooling purposes.	Continuous	24	365
Ethylene purification plant 3 - unit 280				
Amine wash column	Amine wash to remove sour gas.	Continuous	24	365
Caustic wash	Caustic wash to remove the remaining sour gas.	Continuous	24	365
Precool and drying section	Precools feed to splitter and remove traces of moisture in the feed.	Continuous	24	365
C2 splitter	Separation of ethylene from ethane and heavier.	Continuous	24	365
Ethane compressor	Compresses ethane from splitter to put into ethane header to unit 24.	Continuous	24	365
Flare vaporizer	Vaporizes hydrocarbons to flare (if required).	Continuous	24	365
Regent system	Regenerates driers.	Batch	24	365
Propylene refrigeration loop	Closed loop propylene loop providing heating and cooling utility to splitter section.	Continuous	24	365
Propylene purification plant 2 - unit 285				
Feed system	Buffer system feeding splitter.	Continuous	24	365
C3 splitter	Separates propylene from heavier hydrocarbons.	Continuous	24	365
Condensate system	Collects and pumps steam condensate to battery limit (BL).	Continuous	24	365
Flare drum	Flare knockout drum.	Continuous	24	365
Propylene purification plant 3 - unit 288				
Feed preheat	Preheat feed to splitter.	Continuous	24	365
C3 splitter	Separates propylene from heavier hydrocarbons.	Continuous	24	365
C2 stripper	Strips of light ends from propylene side draw of C ₃ splitter.	Continuous	24	365
Condensate system	Collects and pumps steam condensate to users and BL.	Continuous	24	365
Flare system	Flare knockout drum with vaporizer and pump out to cat poly for heavy hydrocarbons.	Continuous	24	365
Oil water sewer reservoir-unit 558				
Sump	Collection sump for storm water runoff from unit 288, 590 and 293, and separation of traces of oil.	Continuous	24	365
Pumping system	Pumps for sending collected rainwater to water treatment plant (OBL).	Continuous	24	365

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5.4. Graphical Process Information



Figure 2: Polypropylene



Figure 3: Monomers

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6. RAW MATERIAL AND PRODUCTS

6.1. Raw material

Material type	Maximum Operational Consumption Rate	Units (quantity/period)
Polypropylene		
Polypropylene one (PP)		
Propylene		Tons per annum
Ethylene		Tons per annum
Hydrogen		Tons per annum
Nitrogen		Tons per annum
Heptane		Tons per annum
Catalyst		Tons per annum
Co-catalyst		Tons per annum
Silane		Tons per annum
Iso-propanol		Tons per annum
Polypropylene two (PP2)		
Propylene		Tons per annum
Ethylene		Tons per annum
Hydrogen		Tons per annum
Catalyst		Tons per annum
Co-catalyst		Tons per annum
Silane		Tons per annum
20 Caustic solution		Tons per annum
Monomers		
Monomers west		
C ₂ rich gas		Tons per annum
Propane		Tons per annum
Liquid petroleum gas (LPG)		Tons per annum
Condensate 3 to unit 70		Tons per annum
Carrier gas		Tons per annum
Ethane to unit 24		Tons per annum
Monomers east		
Condensate 2 to unit 288		Tons per annum
Condensate 3 to unit 288		Tons per annum
Condensate 3 to unit 285		Tons per annum
C ₂ rich gas		Tons per annum

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6.2 Production rates

Production name	Maximum Production Rate	Units (quantity/period)
Polypropylene		
Polypropylene one (PP)		
Propylene (Homo grade)		Tons per annum
Propylene (Copo grade)		Tons per annum
Polypropylene two (PP2)		
Propylene (Homo grade)		Tons per annum
Propylene (ICP grade)		Tons per annum
Propylene (RCP grade)		Tons per annum
Monomers		
Monomers west		
Ethylene (unit 24)		Tons per annum
Propylene (unit 70)		Tons per annum
Monomers east		
Ethylene (unit 280)		Tons per annum
Propylene (unit 285)		Tons per annum
Propylene (unit 288)		Tons per annum

6.3 Material used in energy sources

Material	Maximum Consumption Rate	Units (quantity/period)
Polypropylene		
Polypropylene one (PP)		
Fuel gas		Kilo cubic meters (normal) per annum
Electricity		Megawatts hour per annum
Steam		Tons per annum
Polypropylene two (PP2)		
Fuel gas		Kilo cubic meters (normal) per annum
Electricity		Megawatts hour per annum
Steam		Tons per annum
Monomers		
Monomers west		
Fuel gas		Kilo cubic meters (normal) per annum
Electricity		Megawatts hour per annum
40 bar Steam		Tons per annum
MP steam		Tons per annum
LP steam		Tons per annum
Monomers east		
Electricity		Kilo cubic meters (normal) per annum
MP steam		Tons per annum
LP steam		Tons per annum

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6.4. Sources of atmospheric emission

6.4.1. Point source parameters

Point source code	Source name	Latitude (decimal degrees)	Longitude (decimal degrees)	Height of release above ground (m)	Height above nearby building (m)	Diameter at stack tip / vent exit (m)	Gas exit temperature (°C)	Gas volumetric flow (m³/h)	Gas exit velocity (m/s)	Emission hours	Type of emission
SV01	Furnace A stack	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	34	30	1.25	300	79 200	18	24	Continuous
SV02	Furnace B stack			34	30	1.25	300	79 200	18	24	Continuous
SV03	Furnace C stack			34	30	1.26	300	75 600	17	24	Continuous
SV04	Furnace D stack			34	30	1.25	300	79 200	18	24	Continuous
SV05	Furnace E stack			34	30	1.25	300	79 200	18	24	Continuous

6.4.2. Area source parameters

Unique ID	Source name	Latitude	Longitude	Length (m)	Width (m)	Emission hours	Type of emission
EU01	PP2-D-961A (Liquid Propylene Storage Bullet)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	N/A	N/A	24	Continuous
EU02	PP2-D-961B (Liquid Propylene Storage Bullet)			N/A	N/A	24	Continuous
EU03	PP2-D-961C (Liquid Propylene Storage Bullet)			N/A	N/A	24	Continuous
EU04	PP2-D-961D (Liquid Propylene Storage Bullet)			N/A	N/A	24	Continuous
EU05	PP2-D-961E (Liquid Propylene Storage Bullet)			N/A	N/A	24	Continuous

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7. APPLIANCES AND MEASURES TO PREVENT AIR POLLUTION

7.1. Appliances and control measures

Point Source or unit associated with equipment	Equipment Type	Equipment Serial Number	Equipment Name and Model	Equipment Manufacture Date	Commission Date	Date of Modification /Upgrade	Design Capacity	Minimum Control Efficiency (%)	Minimum Utilisation (%)	Type of pollutant to abate
None										

7.2. Point Source – maximum emission rates (under normal working conditions)

7.2.1. Unit 24 Ethane furnace (Sub-category 2.1)

Point Source Name/Code	Listed Activity	Pollutant Name	Maximum Release Rate		Average Period	Duration of Emissions
			(mg/Nm ³) under normal conditions of 10% O ₂ , 273 Kelvin and 101.3kPa	Compliance Timeframe		
SV01- Furnace A stack	Subcategory 2.1	Particulate matter (PM)	70	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		SO ₂	1 000	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		NOx (as NO ₂)	400	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
SV02- Furnace B stack	Subcategory 2.1	Particulate matter (PM)	70	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		SO ₂	1 000	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		NOx (as NO ₂)	400	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
SV03- Furnace C stack	Subcategory 2.1	Particulate matter (PM)	70	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		SO ₂	1 000	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		NOx (as NO ₂)	400	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
SV04- Furnace D stack	Subcategory 2.1	Particulate matter (PM)	70	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		SO ₂	1 000	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		NOx (as NO ₂)	400	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
SV05- Furnace E stack	Subcategory 2.1	Particulate matter (PM)	70	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		SO ₂	1 000	Immediately	Daily	Continuous
		NOx (as NO ₂)	400	Immediately	Daily	Continuous

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The following special arrangements shall apply:

- i. No continuous flaring of hydrogen sulphide-rich gases shall be allowed.
- ii. A bubble cap of all combustion installations and catalytic cracking units shall be at 1.2 kg SO₂/ton.

7.2.2. Polypropylene 1 and 2; Propylene geed storage tanks; Propylene purification plants 1, 2 and 3; Ethylene purification plant 2 and 3 (Category 6).

The following special arrangements shall apply:

- (a) The following special arrangement shall apply for the storage and handling of raw materials, intermediate and final products with a vapour pressure greater than 14kPa at operating temperature: - Leak detection and repair (LDAR) program must be reviewed, updated, and submitted to the Licensing Authority for approval three (03) months after the licence is issued.
- (b) The following special and special arrangements shall apply for control of TVOC's from storage of raw materials, intermediate and final products with a vapour pressure of up to 14kPa at operating temperature, except during loading and offloading. (Alternative control measures that can achieve the same or better results may be used)-

(i) Storage vessels for liquids shall be of the following type:

Application	All permanent immobile liquid storage facilities at a single site with a combined storage capacity of greater than 1000 cubic meters
True vapour of contents at product storage temperature	Type of tank or vessel
Type 1: Up to 14 kPa	Fixed roof tank vented to atmosphere, or as per Type 2 and 3
Type 2: Above 14kPa and up to 91 kPa with a throughput of less than 50 000 m ³ per annum	Fixed roof tank with pressure vacuum vents fitted as a minimum to prevent 'breathing' losses or as per Type 3
Type 3: Above 14 kPa up to 91 kPa with a throughput of greater than 50 000 m ³ per annum	(a) External floating roof tank with primary rim seal and secondary rim seal for tank with diameter greater than 20m, or fixed roof tank with internal floating deck / roof fitted with primary seal, or fixed roof tank with vapour recovery system. (b) Fixed-roof tank with internal floating deck/roof fitted with primary seal or (c) Fixed-roof tank with vapour recovery system.
Type 4: Above 91 kPa	Pressure vessel.

- (ii) The roof legs, slotted pipes and/or dipping well on floating roof tanks (except for domed floating roof tanks or internal floating roof tanks) shall have sleeves fitted to minimize emissions.
- (iii) Relief valves on pressurized storage should undergo periodic checks for internal leaks. This can be carried out using portable acoustic monitors or if venting to atmosphere with an accessible open end tested with a hydrocarbon analyser as part of the LDAR programme.

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7.3. Point source – maximum emission rates (under start-up, maintenance, and shut-down conditions)

Point Source Code	Pollutant Name	Maximum Release Rate		Averaging Period	Maximum Volumetric Gas Flow (m ³ /hr)	Maximum Gas Exit Velocity (m/s)	Emission Hours	Maximum Permitted Emissions	Duration of
		(mg/Nm ³)	Date to be Achieved By						
All point sources	All point source pollutant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Within 48 hours after commissioning of plant or equipment	

Should normal start-up, maintenance, upset and shut-down conditions exceed a period of 48 hours, Section 30 of the National Environmental Management, 1998 (Act No. 107 of 1998), shall apply unless otherwise specified by the Licensing Authority.

7.4. Point source – emission monitoring and reporting requirements

Point code	Source	Emission Sampling Method	Sampling Frequency	Sampling Duration	Parameters to be Measured	Parameters to be Reported	Reporting Frequency	Conditions under which Monitoring could be Stopped
Furnace A stack, Furnace B stack, Furnace C stack, Furnace D stack and Furnace E stack		In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	In line with GNR 893 in Government Gazette 37054 of 22 November 2013	Only on written authorisation by the Licensing Authority

7.5. Area source – management and mitigation measures

Area and/or Line Source Code	Area and/or Line Source Description	Description of Specific Measures	Timeframe for Achieving Required Control Efficiency	Method of Monitoring Measures Effectiveness	Contingency Measures
All area sources	All area sources	Implementation of fugitive management plan.	Immediately	Submit annual reports to Licensing Authority on the implementation of the Fugitive Management Plan.	In line with Sasol Polymers approved site fugitive management plan.

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7.6. Routine reporting and record-keeping

7.6.1. Complaints register

The licence holder must maintain complaints register at its premises, and such register must be made available for inspections. The complaints register must include the following information: the name of the complainant, physical address, telephone number, date, and the time when the complaint was registered. The register should also provide space for noise, dust, and offensive odours complaints.

Furthermore, the licence holder is to investigate and monthly report to the licensing authority in a summarised format on the total number of complaints logged. The complaints must be reported in the following format:

- a) Root cause analysis.
- b) Calculation of impacts / emissions associated with incidents and dispersion modelling of pollutants, where applicable.
- c) Measures implemented or to be implemented to prevent recurrence; and
- d) Date by which measure will be implemented.

The licensing authority must also be provided with a copy of the complaints register. The record of a complaint must be kept for at least 5 (five) years after the complaint was made.

7.6.2. Emergency incidents

The licence holder must keep records of all plant failure or emergency incidents including Section 30 and submit to the licensing authority quarterly a report detailing the following:

- a) Type of plant and summary description of the equipment.
- b) Reasons for failure or cause.
- c) Previous occurrence on the same plant and number of times similar incident occurred.
- d) Mitigation instituted to prevent similar occurrence.
- e) Any breach of internal standard operating procedures.

7.6.3. Annual reporting

The licence holder must complete and submit to the licensing authority an annual report after the facility annual financial year, the report must include information for the year under review (i.e. annual year end of the company). The report must be submitted to the licensing authority not later than sixty (60) days after the end of each reporting period. The annual report must include, amongst others the following:

- a) The name, description, and licence reference number of the plant as reflected in the Atmospheric Emission Licence.
- b) The name and address of the accredited measurement service provider that carried out or verified the emission test, including the test report produced by the accredited measurement.
- c) The date and time on which emission test was carried out.
- d) A declaration by the licence holder to the effect that normal operating conditions were maintained during the emission tests.
- e) Pollutant emissions trend for listed activity.
- f) External Atmospheric Emission Licence compliance audit report.
- g) Major upgrades projects (i.e. abatement equipment or process equipment).
- h) Complaints received and action taken to address complains received.
- i) Proof of annual reporting of greenhouse gas emissions to the National Department in accordance with the National Greenhouse Gas Emission Reporting Regulations Government Gazette No. 40762 of 03 April 2017.
- j) Compliance status to statutory obligation (4.5) including any other issued authorisations.

The holder of the licence must keep a copy of the annual report for a period of at least 5 (five) years.

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8. DISPOSAL OF WASTE AND EFFLUENT ARISING FROM ABATEMENT EQUIPMENT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

Source Code / Name	Waste / Effluent Type	Hazardous Present	Components	Method of Disposal
None				

9. PENALTIES FOR NON-COMPLIANCE WITH LICENCE AND STATUTORY CONDITIONS AND OR REQUIREMENTS

Failure to comply with the any of the licence and relevant statutory conditions and/or requirements is an offence, and licence holder, if convicted, will be subjected to those penalties as set out in Chapter 7 Section 52 of NEMAQA (Act No. 39 of 2004), including any penalties contained in the Gert Sibande District Municipality By-laws.

10. APPEAL OF LICENCE

10.1 The Licence Holder must notify every registered interested and affected party, in writing and within ten (10) working days of receiving the District's decision.

10.2 The notification referred to in 10.1. must –

10.2.1 Inform the registered interested and affected parties of the appeal procedure provided for in Chapter 7 Part 3 Section 62 of Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000), as amended.

10.2.2 Advise the interested and affected parties that a copy of the Atmospheric Emission Licence and reasons for the decision will be furnished on request.

10.2.3 An appeal against the decision must be lodged in terms of Chapter 7 Part 3 Section 62 of Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000), from the date of issue of this Atmospheric Emission Licence, with:

Municipal Manager,
PO Box 1748,
Ermelo
2350
Fax No. 017-811 1207.

And

10.3. Specify the date on which the Atmospheric Emission Licence was issued.

11. REVIEW OF ATMOSPHERIC EMISSION LICENCE

In terms of NEMAQA (Act No. 39 of 2004) as amended, this Atmospheric Emission Licence is valid for five (05) years from date of issue of the licence.

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