

US EPA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

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1	Source Description	
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3	Phase II ID No.	785
4	EPA ID No.	LAD003913449
5	Facility Name	Borden Chemicals and Plastics (BCP)
6	Facility Location	
7	City	Geismar
8	State	LA
9	Unit ID Name/No.	VCR Process Unit
10	Other Sister Facilities	None
11	Number of Sister Facilities	0
12	Combustor Class	HCl Production Furnace
13	Combustor Type	
14	Combustor Characteristics	Reactor
15	Capacity (MMBtu/hr)	30
16	Soot Blowing	
17	APCS Detailed Acronym	GC/HE/QC/AT/WS
18	APCS General Class	HE, WQ, LEWS
19	APCS Characteristics	Gas cooler, shell and tube heat exchanger, quench column, 3 absorber towers, HCl stripper, 2-stage caustic scrubber
20	Hazardous Wastes	Liq
21	Haz Waste Description	Vinyl chloride monomer (VCM) and ethylene dichloride process wastes
22	Supplemental Fuel	?
23		
24	Stack Characteristics	
25	Diameter (ft)	2
26	Height (ft)	164
27	Gas Velocity (ft/sec)	45
28	Gas Temperature (°F)	77
29		
30	Permitting Status	Tier I metals
	HWC Burn Status (Date if	
31	Terminated)	

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1	Cond Description	
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3	785C1	
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5	Report Name/Date	Certification of Compliance, July 1998
6	Report Prepare	Borden Chem METCO Environmental (Source Emissions Survey of Borden Chem., April 1998, File No. 98-118)
7	Testing Firm	
8	Testing Dates	April 21, 1998
9	Cond Dates	Apr-98
10	Condition Descr	CoC; Low scrubber pH
11	Content	PM, HCl/Cl2, CO from stack
12		
13	785C2	
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15	Report Name/Date	Certification of Compliance, July 1998
16	Report Prepare	Borden Chem METCO Environmental (Source Emissions Survey of Borden Chem., April 1998, File No. 98-118)
17	Testing Firm	
18	Testing Dates	April 22, 1998
19	Cond Dates	Apr-98
20	Condition Descr	CoC; High scrubber pH
21	Content	PM, HCl/Cl2, CO from stack
22		
23	785C3	
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25	Report Name/Date	Certification of Compliance, July 1998
26	Report Prepare	Borden Chem METCO Environmental (Source Emissions Survey of Borden Chem., April 1998, File No. 98-118)
27	Testing Firm	
28		
29	Testing Dates	April 23, 1998
30	Cond Dates	Apr-98
31	Condition Descr	CoC; Lower scrubber recirculation rate, low scrubber pH
32	Content	PM, HCl/Cl2, CO from stack

	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	Stack Gas Emissions											
2												
3		Comments	Units	7% O2								
4												
5	785C1					R1		R2		R3		Cond Avg
6												
7	PM	E1	gr/dscf	y		0.005		0.0044		0.0043		0.00457
8	HCl		ppmv	n		39.6		13.5		13.9		
9	Cl2		ppmv	n		9.5		11.9		13.6		
10	CO (RA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
11	CO (MHRA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
12												
13	Sampling Train	PM, HCl/Cl2	E1									
14	Stack Gas Flowrate		dscfm			7823		8139		8021		7994.3
15	O2		%			10.7		11		10.2		10.5
16	Moisture		%			3.08		3.17		3		3.1
17	Temperature		°F			79		82		80		80.3
18												
19	HCl	E1	ppmv	y		53.8		18.3		18.0		30.1
20	Cl2	E1	ppmv	y		12.9		16.2		17.6		15.6
21	Total Chlorine	E1	ppmv	y		79.7		50.7		53.3		61.2
22												
23	785C2					R1		R2		R3		Cond Avg
24												
25	PM	E1	gr/dscf	y		0.0041		0.0041		0.0037		0.00397
26	HCl		ppmv	n		100.4		97.1		92.2		
27	Cl2		ppmv	n		4.1		4.9		4.6		
28	CO (RA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
29	CO (MHRA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
30												
31	Sampling Train	PM, HCl/Cl2	E1									
32	Stack Gas Flowrate		dscfm			8025		8447		8032		8168.0
33	O2		%			10.5		10.3		10.7		10.5
34	Moisture		%			3.32		3.44		3.56		3.4
35	Temperature		°F			74		76		78		76.0
36												
37	HCl	E1	ppmv	y		133.9		127.0		125.3		128.7
38	Cl2	E1	ppmv	y		5.5		6.4		6.3		6.0
39	Total Chlorine	E1	ppmv	y		144.8		139.9		137.8		140.8
40												
41	785C3					R1		R2		R3		Cond Avg
42												
43	PM	E1	gr/dscf	y		0.0035		0.0038		0.0045		0.00393
44	HCl		ppmv	n		10.4		34		51.1		
45	Cl2		ppmv	n		9.4		9.8		9.2		
46	CO (RA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
47	CO (MHRA)	E1	ppmv	y	nd	0.1	nd	0.1	nd	0.1		0.1
48												
49	Sampling Train	PM, HCl,Cl2	E1									
50	Stack Gas Flowrate		dscfm			8254		8129		8307		8230.0
51	O2		%			10.7		10.4		10.4		10.5
52	Moisture		%			1.62		2.7		3.28		2.5
53	Temperature		°F			73		73		74		73.3
54												
55	HCl	E1	ppmv	y		14.1		44.9		67.5		42.2
56	Cl2	E1	ppmv	y		12.8		12.9		12.2		12.6
57	Total Chlorine	E1	ppmv	y		39.7		70.8		91.8		67.4

	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
1	Feedstreams																		
2																			
3	785C1																		
4																			
5	Feedstream Number																		
6	Feed Class																		
7	Feed Class 2																		
8	Feedstream Description																		
9	Feed Rate	g/hr																	
10	Thermal Feedrate	Btu/hr																	
11	(Heating Value)	Btu/lb																	
12	Ash	g/hr																	
13	Chlorine	g/hr																	
14	Antimony	g/hr																	
15	Arsenic	g/hr																	
16	Barium	g/hr																	
17	Beryllium	g/hr																	
18	Cadmium	g/hr																	
19	Chromium	g/hr																	
20	Lead	g/hr																	
21	Mercury	g/hr																	
22	Silver	g/hr																	
23	Thallium	g/hr																	
24																			
25	Gas Flowrate	dscfm																	
26	Oxygen	%																	
27																			
28	Thermal Feedrate	MMBtu/hr																	
29	Estimated Firing Rate	MMBtu/hr																	
30																			
31	Feedrate MTEC Calculations																		
32	Ash	mg/dscm																	
33	Chlorine	ug/dscm																	
34	Antimony	ug/dscm																	
35	Arsenic	ug/dscm																	
36	Barium	ug/dscm																	
37	Beryllium	ug/dscm																	
38	Cadmium	ug/dscm																	
39	Chromium	ug/dscm																	
40	Lead	ug/dscm																	
41	Mercury	ug/dscm																	
42	Silver	ug/dscm																	
43	Thallium	ug/dscm																	
44	SVM	ug/dscm																	
45	LVM	ug/dscm																	
46																			
47																			
48	785C2																		
49																			
50	Feedstream Number																		
51	Feed Class																		
52	Feed Class 2																		
53	Feedstream Description																		
54	Feed Rate	g/hr																	
55	Thermal Feedrate	Btu/hr																	
56	(Heating Value)	Btu/lb																	
57	Ash	g/hr																	
58	Chlorine	g/hr																	
59	Antimony	g/hr																	
60	Arsenic	g/hr																	

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61	Barium		g/hr		4.9		5.22		4.553										
62	Beryllium		g/hr		0.003		0.003		0.003										
63	Cadmium		g/hr		0.003		0.003		0.01										
64	Chromium		g/hr		1.221		1.264		1.495										
65	Lead		g/hr		0.075		0.075		0.075										
66	Mercury		g/hr		0.09		0.069		0.09										
67	Silver		g/hr		0.15		0.15		0.15										
68	Thallium		g/hr		0.045		0.045		0.045										
69																			
70	Gas Flowrate		dscfm		8025		8447		8032				8025		8447		8032		
71	Oxygen		%		10.5		10.3		10.7				10.5		10.3		10.7		
72																			
73	Thermal Feedrate		MMBtu/hr		22.3		19.6		19.1				22.3		19.6		19.1		20.3
74	Estimated Firing Rate		MMBtu/hr		26.8		28.7		26.3				26.8		28.7		26.3		27.2
75																			
76	Feedrate MTEC Calculations																		
77	Ash		mg/dscm		44		27		45				44		27		45		39
78	Chlorine		ug/dscm		83122848		64040878		78629101				83122848		64040878		78629101		75264276
79	Antimony		ug/dscm		10.3		9.6		10.5				10.3		9.6		10.5		10.1
80	Arsenic		ug/dscm		5.9		5.5		6.0				5.9		5.5		6.0		5.8
81	Barium		ug/dscm		479.5		476.2		453.8				469.8		476		454		470
82	Beryllium		ug/dscm		0.3		0.3		0.3				0.3		0.27		0.30		0.29
83	Cadmium		ug/dscm		0.3		0.3		1.0				0.5		0.27		1.00		0.52
84	Chromium		ug/dscm		119.5		115.3		149.0				127.9		115		149		128
85	Lead		ug/dscm		7.3		6.8		7.5				7.2		6.8		7.5		7.2
86	Mercury		ug/dscm		8.8		6.3		9.0				8.0		6.3		9.0		8.0
87	Silver		ug/dscm		14.7		13.7		14.9				14.4		13.7		14.9		14.4
88	Thallium		ug/dscm		4.4		4.1		4.5				4.4		4.1		4.5		4.3
89	SVM		ug/dscm		7.6		7.1		8.5				7.7		7.1		8.5		7.7
90	LVM		ug/dscm		125.6		121.1		155.3				134.0		121		155		134
91																			
92																			
93																			
94	785C3																		
95																			
96	Feedstream Number																		
97	Feed Class																		
98	Feed Class 2																		
99	Feedstream Description																		
100	Feed Rate		g/hr		1531807		1533168		1531354										
101	Thermal Feedrate		Btu/hr		22592130		20043400		22079040										
102	(Heating Value)		Btu/lb		6696		5935		6546										
103	Ash		g/hr		153		153		459										
104	Chlorine		g/hr		856280		863174		898905										
105	Antimony		g/hr		0.107		0.107		0.107										
106	Arsenic		g/hr		0.0613		0.0613		0.0612										
107	Barium		g/hr		3.661		4.845		3.966										
108	Beryllium		g/hr		0.003		0.003		0.003										
109	Cadmium		g/hr		0.003		0.003		0.003										
110	Chromium		g/hr		1.222		0.993		1.273										
111	Lead		g/hr		0.076		0.077		0.076										
112	Mercury		g/hr		0.115		0.09		0.087										
113	Silver		g/hr		0.153		0.153		0.153										
114	Thallium		g/hr		0.046		0.046		0.046										
115																			
116	Gas Flowrate		dscfm		7823		8139		8021				7823		8139		8021		
117	Oxygen		%		10.7		11		10.2				10.7		11		10.2		
118																			
119	Thermal Feedrate		MMBtu/hr		22.6		20.0		22.1				22.6		20.0		22.1		21.6
120	Estimated Firing Rate		MMBtu/hr		25.6		26.6		27.5				26.6		26.6		27.5		26.6

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121																			
122	Feedrate MTEC Calculations																		
123	Ash																		
124	Chlorine				87618456	15.7	84894670	15.1	85556276	43.7	24.8	86023134	8.76E+07	87618456	15.1	87618456	43.7	87618456	24.8
125	Antimony				10.9	6.3	6.0	10.5	10.2	10.2	11	10.9	6.3	10.5	6.0	10.2	5.8	6.0	10.6
126	Arsenic				374.6	374.6	476.5	476.5	377.5	377.5	410	374.6	0.3	476.5	377.5	377.5	377.5	409.5	409.5
127	Barium				0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
128	Beryllium				0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
129	Cadmium				125.0	125.0	97.7	97.7	121.2	121.2	115	125.0	97.7	97.7	121.2	121.2	121.2	114.6	114.6
130	Chromium				7.8	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.2	8	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.2	7.5
131	Lead				11.8	11.8	8.9	8.9	8.3	8.3	10	11.8	8.3	8.9	8.9	8.3	8.3	9.6	9.6
132	Mercury				15.7	15.7	15.0	15.0	14.6	14.6	15	15.7	15.7	15.0	15.0	14.6	14.6	15.1	15.1
133	Silver				4.7	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	5	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5
134	Thallium				8.1	8.1	7.9	7.9	7.5	7.5	7.8	8.1	8.1	7.9	7.9	7.5	7.5	7.8	7.8
135	SVM				131.6	131.6	104.0	104.0	127.3	127.3	121.0	131.6	131.6	104.0	104.0	127.3	127.3	121.0	121.0
136	LVM																		
137																			
138																			
139	BIF Feedrate Limits																		
140	Antimony				2000	2000													
141	Arsenic				15	15													
142	Barium				330000	330000													
143	Beryllium				28	28													
144	Cadmium				37	37													
145	Chromium				5.4	5.4													
146	Lead				600	600													
147	Mercury				2000	2000													
148	Silver				20000	20000													
149	Thallium				2000	2000													

	A	B	C
1	Process Information		
2			
3	785C1		Cond Avg
4			
5	Scrubber Liquor pH	pH	8.5
6	Scrubber Liquid-to-Gas Ratio	gal/kacf?	0.067
7	Scrubber Blowdown	gpm	14.4
8			
9	785C2		Cond Avg
10			
11	Scrubber Liquor pH	pH	8.6
12	Scrubber Liquid-to-Gas Ratio	gal/kacf?	0.067
13	Scrubber Blowdown	gpm	13.5
14			
15	785C2		Cond Avg
16			
17	Scrubber Liquor pH	pH	8.3
18	Scrubber Liquid-to-Gas Ratio	gal/kacf?	0.04
19	Scrubber Blowdown	gpm	14