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November 29, 2021

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Karen Hays, Air Branch Chief *KH*

Through: James Boylan, Assistant Branch Chief

From: DeAnna Oser, Ambient Monitoring Program Manager

RE: Cobb – May 04 – May 10, 2021, Sampling Results for Ethylene Oxide

Samples of Ethylene Oxide (EtO) were collected during the period of May 04 – May 10, 2021, by the Ambient Monitoring Program in the Cobb area to characterize the EtO concentration. Each of the samples were sent to Eastern Research Group (ERG) for analysis. The Qualifier code of “3” was given to samples to indicate that integrity of the field data may have been compromised. The Qualifier code of “2” was given to samples to indicate that the collection deviated from established procedures, but the integrity of the sample was not compromised.

Location		Date		Qualifier		EtO Concentration (ug/m <sup>3</sup> )
S1		05/04/2021				0.20
S1		05/10/2021		2		0.09
S2		05/04/2021		3		0.30
S2		05/10/2021		3		0.09
S3		05/04/2021				0.14
S3		05/10/2021				0.33
S4		05/04/2021				0.49
S4		05/10/2021		2		0.17

If you have any questions, please let me know.

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Eastern Research Group  
601 Keystone Park Drive  
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July 09, 2021

Ms. Jaime Gore  
GA Ambient Monitoring Program  
4244 International Pkwy, Suite 120  
Atlanta, GA 30354  
Project Name: Cobb

Dear Ms. Jaime Gore,

This report contains the analytical results for the sample(s) received under chain(s) of custody by Eastern Research Group on 05/19/21 13:41.

Values below the MDL for QC results in this report are recorded as ND, however the actual values are reported in the accompanying Excel report with a "U" flag (Under the detection limit). The actual values are reported in AQS.

This test is accredited under the 2016 TNI Standard for Environmental Laboratories (FL DOH Certification # E87673). All analyses were performed as described in the US EPA-approved QAPP, under the contract for UATMP, NATTS, CSATAM, PAMS and NMOC support (US EPA Contract No. EP-D-14-030). This cover page is an integral part of this report, and any exceptions or comments are noted on the last page.

Release of the data contained in this data package and in the data submitted in the electronic data deliverable, has been authorized by the Program Manager, or the Program Manager's designee as verified by the following signature.

The issuance of the final Certificate of Analysis takes precedence over any previous Report. If you have any questions, please contact me at 919-468-7924.

Sincerely,

Julie Swift  
Program Manager  
[julie.swift@erg.com](mailto:julie.swift@erg.com)

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**FILE #:** 4222.00  
**REPORTED:** 07/09/21 13:25  
**SUBMITTED:** 05/19/21  
**AQS SITE CODE:**  
**SITE CODE:** Cobb

### ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

<u>SampleName</u>	<u>LabNumber</u>	<u>Matrix</u>	<u>Sampled</u>	<u>Received</u>
S1	1051939-01	Air	05/04/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S2	1051939-02	Air	05/04/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S4	1051939-03	Air	05/04/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S3	1051939-04	Air	05/04/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S1	1051939-05	Air	05/10/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S2	1051939-06	Air	05/10/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S3	1051939-07	Air	05/10/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41
S4	1051939-08	Air	05/10/21 23:59	05/19/21 13:41



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AQS SITE CODE:

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Description: S1

Lab ID: 1051939-01

Sampled: 05/04/21 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 6.00" Hg

Canister #: 33503

Received: 05/19/21 13:41

Comments:

Analyzed: 06/03/21 14:34

### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.110	0.20		0.0261



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AQS SITE CODE:

SITE CODE: Cobb

Description: S2

Lab ID: 1051939-02

Sampled: 05/04/21 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 5.00" Hg

Canister #: A21106

Received: 05/19/21 13:41

Comments:

Analyzed: 05/21/21 10:22

### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.166	0.30		0.0261



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AQS SITE CODE:

SITE CODE: Cobb

Description: S4

Lab ID: 1051939-03

Sampled: 05/04/21 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 6.00" Hg

Canister #: A22304

Received: 05/19/21 13:41

Comments:

Analyzed: 06/03/21 16:36

### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.271	0.49		0.0261



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AQS SITE CODE:

SITE CODE: Cobb

Description: S3

Lab ID: 1051939-04

Sampled: 05/04/21 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 5.00" Hg

Canister #: 114340

Received: 05/19/21 13:41

Comments: Changed per email from site

Analyzed: 06/03/21 17:37

### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.0764	0.14		0.0261



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AQS SITE CODE:

SITE CODE: Cobb

Description: S1

Lab ID: 1051939-05

Sampled: 05/10/21 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 7.50" Hg

Canister #: 114386

Received: 05/19/21 13:41

Comments:

Analyzed: 06/04/21 01:44

### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.0513	0.09		0.0261





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<b>Description:</b> S2	<b>Lab ID:</b> 1051939-06	<b>Sampled:</b> 05/10/21 23:59
<b>Pressure @ Receipt:</b> 5.50" Hg	<b>Canister #:</b> 18833	<b>Received:</b> 05/19/21 13:41
<b>Comments:</b>		<b>Analyzed:</b> 06/07/21 17:50

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### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.0506	0.09		0.0261



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<b>Description:</b> S3	<b>Lab ID:</b> 1051939-07	<b>Sampled:</b> 05/10/21 23:59
<b>Pressure @ Receipt:</b> 4.50" Hg	<b>Canister #:</b> 110305	<b>Received:</b> 05/19/21 13:41
<b>Comments:</b>		<b>Analyzed:</b> 06/07/21 19:53

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### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.185	0.33		0.0261



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Description: S4	Lab ID: 1051939-08	Sampled: 05/10/21 23:59
Pressure @ Receipt: 7.50" Hg	Canister #: 110258	Received: 05/19/21 13:41
Comments:		Analyzed: 06/07/21 20:54

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### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>Results</u>		<u>Flag</u>	<u>MDL</u>
	<u>ppbv</u>	<u>ug/m<sup>3</sup></u>		<u>ppbv</u>
Ethylene oxide	0.0964	0.17		0.0261



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Analyte	Result	Units	Source Result	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
<b>Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15 - Quality Control</b>						
<i>Batch B1E2006 - Summa Canister Prep</i>						
<b>Blank (B1E2006-BLK1)</b>			Prepared & Analyzed: 05/20/21			
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
<i>Batch B1F0212 - Summa Canister Prep</i>						
<b>Blank (B1F0212-BLK1)</b>			Prepared: 06/02/21 Analyzed: 06/03/21			
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
<b>Duplicate (B1F0212-DUP1)</b>			<b>Source: 1051939-01</b> Prepared: 05/04/21 Analyzed: 06/03/21			
Ethylene oxide	0.125	ppbv	0.11	12.5	25	
<i>Batch B1F0708 - Summa Canister Prep</i>						
<b>Blank (B1F0708-BLK1)</b>			Prepared & Analyzed: 06/07/21			
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
<b>Duplicate (B1F0708-DUP1)</b>			<b>Source: 1051939-06</b> Prepared: 05/10/21 Analyzed: 06/07/21			
Ethylene oxide	0.0467	ppbv	0.05	8.02	25	



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Analyte	Result	Units	% Difference	Limit (%)	Notes
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### Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15 - Quality Control

#### *Sequence 2105053*

##### **Calibration Check (2105053-CCV1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 05/20/21

Ethylene oxide	2.17	ppbv	-10.2	30.00
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#### *Sequence 2106009*

##### **Calibration Check (2106009-CCV1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/03/21

Ethylene oxide	2.13	ppbv	-14.9	30.00
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#### *Sequence 2106019*

##### **Calibration Check (2106019-CCV1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 06/07/21

Ethylene oxide	2.30	ppbv	-8.1	30.00
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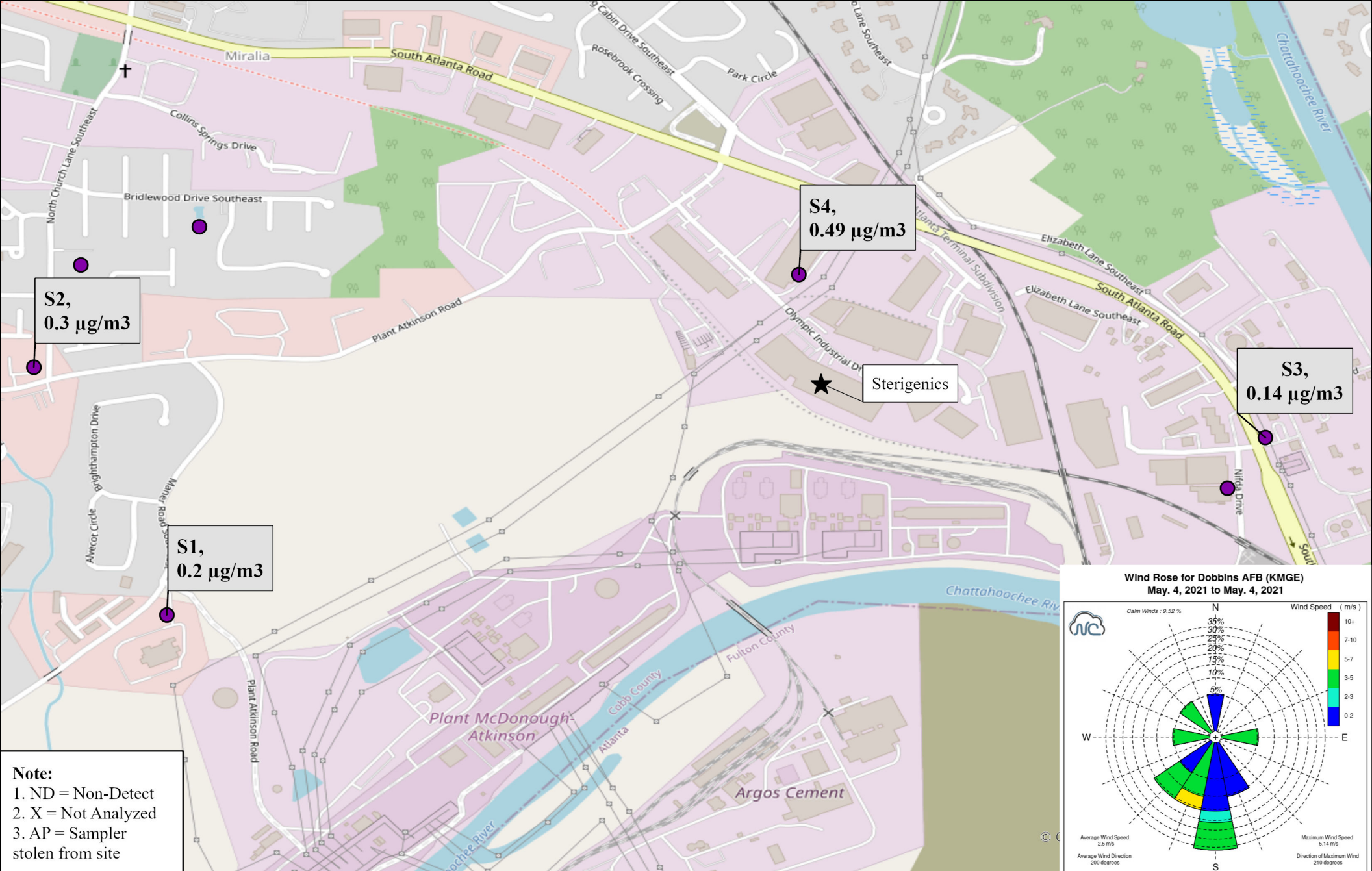
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### Notes and Definitions

U	Under Detection Limit
ND	Analyte NOT DETECTED
NR	Not Reported
MDL	Method Detection Limit
RPD	Relative Percent Difference

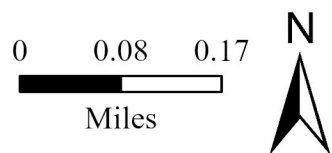
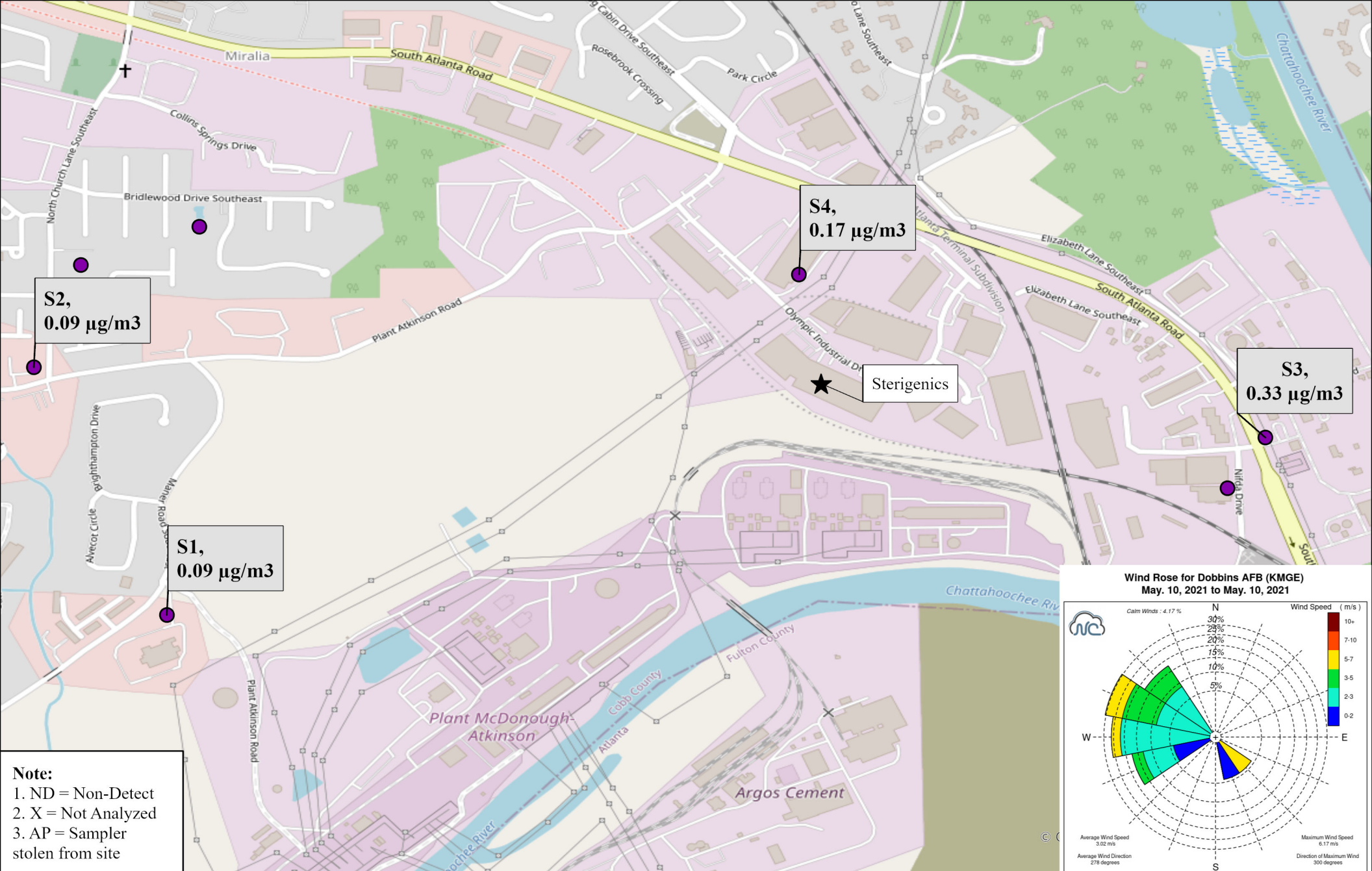
Note: This test is accredited under the 2016 TNI Standard; however the following analytes are not accredited: acetylene, bromodichloroethane, dichlorotetrafluoromethane, ethyl tert butyl ether, n-octane, tert amyl methyl ether, trichlorofluoroethane, and bromochloromethane.



Ethylene Oxide Sampling  
 Cobb County, GA

05/04/2021  
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 Analyzed By: Eastern Research Group





Site ID, Concentration ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )

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