

# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION

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May 13, 2020

#### **MEMORANDUM**

To: Karen Hays, Air Branch Chief

Through: Dika Kuoh, Assistant Branch Chief

From: DeAnna Oser, Ambient Monitoring Program Manager

RE: Covington March 4- 16, 2020 Sampling Results for Ethylene Oxide

Samples of Ethylene Oxide (EtO) were taken at our Covington monitoring station in March 2020. Each of the samples were sent to Eastern Research Group (ERG) for analysis.

The Qualifier code of "LK" was given by ERG to indicate that the sample may be biased high. The Qualifier code of "2" was given two samples to indicate that the collection deviated from established procedures, but the integrity of the sample was not compromised. No samples were taken at location C1, C6, C7, C8, or C9 during this period.

Location	Date	Qualifier	EtO Concentration (ug/m3)
C2	3/4/20	LK	0.32
C2	3/10/20		0.55
C2	3/16/20		0.09
C3	3/4/20		0.52
C3	3/10/20		0.09
C3	3/16/20		0.66
C4	3/4/20	2	0.65
C4	3/10/20	2	0.39
C4	3/16/20	2	1.04
C5	3/4/20	LK	0.32
C5	3/10/20		0.63
C5	3/16/20	2	0.14

If you have any questions, please let me know.



Eastern Research Group 601 Keystone Park Drive Suite 700 Morrisville, NC 27560

April 15, 2020

Ms. Jaime Gore U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 4244 International Pkwy, Suite 120 Atlanta, GA 30354 Project Name: Covington

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 03/10/20 11:22 through 03/23/20 10:38.

The test results in this report are in compliance with NELAC accreditation requirements for the certified parameters. 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

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#### **ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES**

SampleName	<u>LabNumber</u>	Matrix	Sampled	Received
C2	0031012-01	Air	03/04/20 23:59	03/10/20 11:22
C3	0031012-02	Air	03/04/20 23:59	03/10/20 11:22
C4	0031012-03	Air	03/04/20 23:59	03/10/20 11:22
C5	0031012-04	Air	03/04/20 23:59	03/10/20 11:22
C2	0031836-01	Air	03/10/20 23:59	03/18/20 12:11
C3	0031836-02	Air	03/10/20 23:59	03/18/20 12:11
C4	0031836-03	Air	03/10/20 23:59	03/18/20 12:11
C5	0031836-04	Air	03/10/20 23:59	03/18/20 12:11
C2	0032321-01	Air	03/16/20 23:59	03/23/20 10:38
C3	0032321-02	Air	03/16/20 23:59	03/23/20 10:38
C4	0032321-03	Air	03/16/20 23:59	03/23/20 10:38
C5	0032321-04	Air	03/16/20 23:59	03/23/20 10:38



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Pressure @ Receipt: 4.00" Hg

**Description:** C2

Lab ID: 0031012-01 Sampled: 03/04/20 23:59

**Canister #:** 5100

**Received:** 03/10/20 11:22 **Analyzed:** 03/17/20 06:02

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** 

**MDL** 

**Analyte** Ethylene oxide

**Comments:** 

ppbv ug/m³

0.178

0.32

<u>Flag</u> LK

ppbv 0.0285



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 Description:
 C3
 Lab ID:
 0031012-02
 Sampled:
 03/04/20 23:59

 Pressure @ Receipt:
 6.50" Hg
 Canister #:
 SAT107
 Received:
 03/10/20 11:22

 Comments:
 Analyzed:
 03/23/20 15:49

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



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**Description:** C4

Lab ID:

0031012-03

**Sampled:** 03/04/20 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 10.00" Hg

00" Ha

**FAX:** (919) 541-0516

**Canister #:** 5006

**Received:** 03/10/20 11:22 **Analyzed:** 03/23/20 17:59

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

Results

MDL

Analyte
Ethylene oxide

**Comments:** 

ppbv ug/m³

0.357

0.65

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<u>ppbv</u> 0.0285



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 Description:
 C5
 Lab ID:
 0031012-04
 Sampled:
 03/04/20 23:59

 Pressure @ Receipt:
 4.50" Hg
 Canister #:
 A21044
 Received:
 03/10/20 11:22

 Comments:
 Analyzed:
 03/23/20 19:03

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**Description:** C2

Lab ID:

0031836-01

Sampled: 03/10/20 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 2.00" Hg

" Hq Canister #: SAT108

**Received:** 03/18/20 12:11 **Analyzed:** 04/03/20 00:07

Comments:

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** 

0.305

MDL

Analyte
Ethylene oxide

ppbv ug/m³

0.55

<u>Flag</u>

<u>ppbv</u> 0.0285



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**Description:** C3

**Comments:** 

**Analyte** 

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Pressure @ Receipt: 5.50" Hg

SITE CODE: 0031836-02

**Canister #:** 19298

Lab ID:

Sampled: 03/10/20 23:59 **Received:** 03/18/20 12:11

**Analyzed:** 04/03/20 01:02

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** ppbv ug/m³ **MDL** 

Ethylene oxide 0.0516 0.09

<u>Flag</u>

ppbv 0.0285

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Pressure @ Receipt: 9.50" Hg

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**PHONE:** (404) 362-4912 **FAX:** (919) 541-0516 Sampled: 03/10/20 23:59 **Description:** C4 Lab ID: 0031836-03

Canister #: SAT035

**Received:** 03/18/20 12:11 **Analyzed:** 04/03/20 01:58

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**MDL Results Analyte** ppbv ug/m³ ppbv <u>Flag</u> Ethylene oxide 0.213 0.39 0.0285



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Sampled: 03/10/20 23:59 **Description:** C5 Lab ID: 0031836-04 Pressure @ Receipt: 5.00" Hg Canister #: AZ40 **Received:** 03/18/20 12:11 **Comments: Analyzed:** 04/03/20 02:53

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**MDL Results Analyte** ppbv ug/m³ ppbv <u>Flag</u> Ethylene oxide 0.350 0.63 0.0285

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**Sampled:** 03/16/20 23:59

**Description:** C2 **Pressure @ Receipt:** 2.00" Hg

**Lab ID:** 0032321-01

Received: 03/23/20 10:38

Comments:

**Canister #:** 18874

Analyzed: 04/03/20 16:25

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** 

**FAX:** (919) 541-0516

<u>MDL</u>

Analyte
Ethylene oxide

ppbv ug/m³

0.09

0.0494

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<u>ppbv</u> 0.0285



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Lab ID: 0032321-02

Sampled: 03/16/20 23:59

Pressure @ Receipt: 5.50" Hg

Received: 03/23/20 10:38

**Comments:** 

**Description:** C3

Canister #: SAT013

**Analyzed:** 04/03/20 17:20

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** 

0.366

**MDL** 

**Analyte** Ethylene oxide ppbv ug/m³

0.66

<u>Flag</u>

ppbv 0.0285



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 Description:
 C4
 Lab ID:
 0032321-03
 Sampled: 03/16/20 23:59

 Pressure @ Receipt:
 9.50" Hg
 Canister #:
 A21103
 Received: 03/23/20 10:38

 Comments:
 Analyzed: 04/03/20 18:16

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0032321-04

Sampled: 03/16/20 23:59

Description:

Lab ID:

Received: 03/23/20 10:38

**Comments:** 

Pressure @ Receipt: 0.00" Hg

Received at ambient

**Canister #:** A21010

**Analyzed:** 04/03/20 19:11

Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Method TO-15

**Results** 

0.14

**MDL** 

**Analyte** Ethylene oxide ppbv ug/m³

0.0768

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ppbv 0.0285



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Analyte	Result	Units	Source Result	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Me Batch B0C1605 - Summa Canister Prep		Quality Control				
Blank (B0C1605-BLK1)			Prepared: 03/09/20	Analyzed: 03/16/20		
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
Duplicate (B0C1605-DUP1)	Source	: 0030536-01	Prepared: 02/27/20	Analyzed: 03/16/20		
Ethylene oxide	0.269	ppbv	0.25	6.02	25	LK
Batch B0C2305 - Summa Canister Prep	ס					
Blank (B0C2305-BLK1)			Prepared: 03/09/20	Analyzed: 03/23/20		
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
Duplicate (B0C2305-DUP1)	Source	: 0031012-02	Prepared: 03/04/20	Analyzed: 03/23/20		
Ethylene oxide	0.251	ppbv	0.29	13.0	25	
Batch B0D0204 - Summa Canister Pre	D					
Blank (B0D0204-BLK1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 04/02/20				
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U
Batch B0D0302 - Summa Canister Pre	D					
Blank (B0D0302-BLK1)			Prepared & Analyzed	d: 04/03/20		
Ethylene oxide	ND	ppbv				U

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Analyte	Result	Units	% Difference	Limit (%)	Notes
Air Toxics by EPA Compendium Me Sequence 2003031	thod TO-15 - (	Quality Contro	I		
Calibration Check (2003031-CCV1)		ı	Prepared & Analyzed	d: 03/16/20	
Ethylene oxide	2.77	ppbv	12.1	30.00	
Sequence 2003049					
Calibration Check (2003049-CCV1)		1	Prepared & Analyzed	d: 03/23/20	
Ethylene oxide	2.72	ppbv	10.0	30.00	
Sequence 2004009					
Calibration Check (2004009-CCV1)		1	Prepared & Analyzed	i: 04/02/20	
Ethylene oxide	2.56	ppbv	3.4	30.00	
Sequence 2004013					
Calibration Check (2004013-CCV1)		1	Prepared & Analyzed	i: 04/03/20	
Ethylene oxide	2.45	ppbv	-0.8	30.00	



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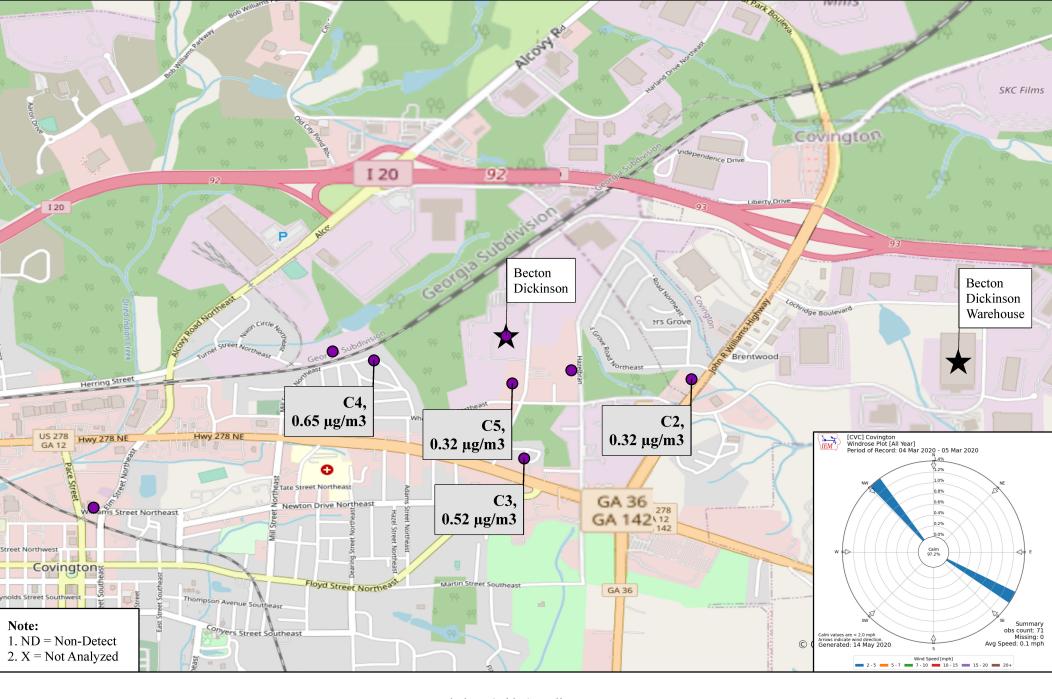
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ND Analyte NOT DETECTED

NR Not Reported

MDL Method Detection Limit
RPD Relative Percent Difference

Note: The test results meet all requirements of NELAC; however the following analytes are not accredited: 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene, 1,2-dibromoethane, 1,2-dichloropropane, 1,3,5-trimethylbenzene, 1,3-butadiene, acetylene, acrolein, bromochloromethane, bromodichloromethane, bromoform, carbon disulfide, dibromochloromethane, dichlorodifluoromethane, dichlorotetrafluoroethane, ethyl tert butyl ether, ethylene oxide, hexachloro-1,3-butadiene, n-octane, propylene, tert amyl methyl ether, tetrachloroethylene, trans-1,2-dichloroethylene, trichlorofluoromethane, and trichlorotrufluoroethane.



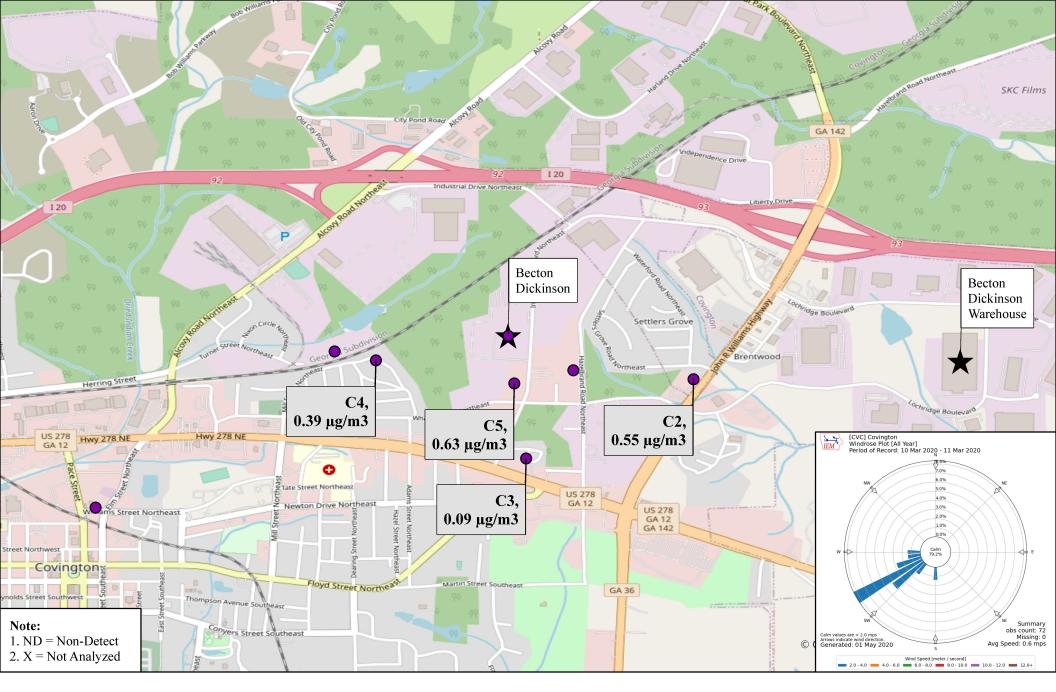


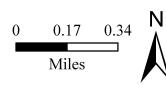
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03/04/2020

Sampled By: Georgia Environmental Protection Division Analyzed By: Eastern Research Group







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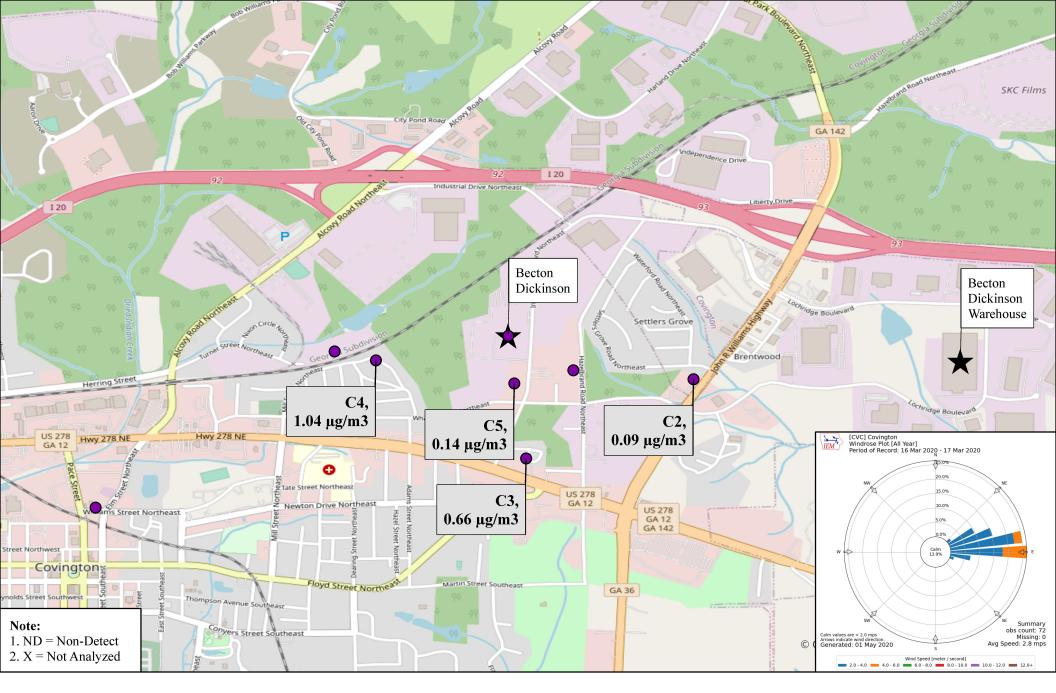
Ethylene Oxide Sampling Covington, GA

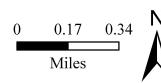
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