



United States Steel Corporation  
Clairton Plant  
400 State Street  
Clairton, PA 15025

June 26, 2023

Mr. Gary Ficshman  
Coke Oven Engineer  
Allegheny County Health Department  
Department of Air Quality  
301 Thirty-ninth Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

Subject: USS Clairton Works  
Process Information  
Title V Permit 0052

Dear Sir:

The attached forms list Clairton Plant coking and desulfurization process information for the month of March, 2023. This satisfies the requirements of paragraphs IV.29, V.A.5.a, V.C.5.a, V.E.5.a, and V.N.5.c of the Title V operating permit #0052 as issued on March 27, 2012.

I certify that based on the information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the statements and information in this document are true, accurate, and complete. Any questions concerning this matter should be referred to Michael Dzurinko at 412-233-1467.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark A. Jeffery".

Mark A. Jeffery  
Plant Manager  
Clairton Works

Attachment

**MONTHLY REPORT TO ALLEGHENY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT  
BUREAU OF AIR POLLUTION CONTROL  
COKE PLANT OPERATION DATA  
USX CORPORATION - USS CLAIRTON WORKS (Please print or type)**

Month: 3 Year: 2023 BAPC Use Only Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**DAILY AVERAGE FOR THE MONTH**

Coal Charged (Tons)	13,434
Coke Produced (Tons)	10,095
Total COG Produced (MMCF)	174.4
Quench Water Used (Gallons)	1,666,000 (Estimated)
Elemental Sulfur Produced (Tons)	39.1
Sulfur Content of Coal (%)	0.97
Sulfur Content of Coke (%)	0.79

**PUSHING CONTROL SYSTEM(S) - MONTHLY AVAILABILITY**

	Total Pushes	Total Pushes Controlled	% of Pushes Controlled
System 1,2,3	5710	5710	100.00%
System 13,14,15	3411	3406	99.85%
System 19,20	5671	5671	100.00%
"B" Battery	2472	2472	100.00%
"C" Battery	2938	2938	100.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>20202</b>	<b>20197</b>	<b>99.98%</b>

**PUSHING CONTROL OUTAGE SUMMARY \***

System	Start Date	Time	End Date	Time	Hrs. Out	# Ovens Not PEC	USS BRKDWN #	Reason(s) for Outage
13 14 15 PEC	04-Mar-23	0537	04-Mar-23	0613	0.60	5	223-0005	ACHD #22513; Hood Car Fault

**CONTAMINATED WATER (C. W.) QUENCHING SUMMARY \***

Date	Start Time	End Date	Time	Hrs. Out	BAPC BRKDWN #	Avg. C.W. (GPM) to: Quench	Treatment Plant	Cause of C.W. Usage
Total:								

\* Attach additional pages if necessary

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**H2S OR EQUIVALENT H2S (GR./100 DSCF) IN:**

Date	1 % of Raw COG	2 Clean COG	3 Tail Gas	2 + 3	Date	1 % of Raw COG	2 Clean COG	3 Tail Gas	2 + 3
1	3.4	3.8	0.2	4.1	17	3.3	3.7	0.2	3.9
2	3.2	4.2	0.3	4.5	18	3.6	4.3	0.2	4.5
3	3.4	4.3	0.2	4.5	19	3.5	4.7	0.2	4.8
4	3.4	3.9	0.4	4.3	20	3.6	4.5	0.2	4.7
5	3.4	3.9	0.3	4.1	21	3.6	4.2	0.2	4.4
6	3.1	3.4	0.2	3.5	22	3.7	4.2	0.3	4.5
7	3.0	3.5	0.1	3.6	23	3.8	4.2	0.3	4.5
8	3.3	3.9	0.2	4.1	24	3.7	4.1	0.3	4.4
9	3.2	3.4	0.3	3.7	25	3.9	4.6	0.3	4.9
10	3.3	3.8	0.1	4.0	26	3.8	4.1	0.3	4.4
11	3.5	4.1	0.2	4.3	27	3.6	4.1	0.3	4.4
12	3.7	4.4	0.4	4.8	28	3.4	4.4	0.2	4.6
13	3.5	4.3	0.2	4.5	29	3.3	4.5	0.3	4.8
14	3.4	4.1	0.2	4.3	30	3.2	4.4	0.3	4.7
15	3.3	4.3	0.2	4.5	31	3.4	4.2	0.2	4.5
16	3.3	3.7	0.1	3.9	Avg. Mo.	3.4	4.1	0.2	4.3

Plant Std. Gr. H2S/100 DSCF 35  
# of Days that [2+3] Exceeded Std. 0  
NA - Stack analyzer down

**DESULFURIZATION PLANT OUTAGE SUMMARY \*\*\***

Date	Start Time	End Date	Time	Hrs. Out	USS BRKDOWN #	Cause

\*\* Redundant Equipment or No Environmental Impact

Total: 0.0  
Percent Availability of COG Desulf. Plant (Monthly) 100.00%

\*\*\* Desulfurization Plant reporting includes upstream processes which affect overall recovery

**RAW COKE OVEN GAS INCIDENTS**

Date	Battery	Start Time	End Time	Duration		Flared		Cause of incident
				Minutes	Seconds	Yes	No	
22-Mar-23	3	12:53	12:57	4	0	Yes		Failed Mercoid Switch

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QUENCH TOWER OUTAGE SUMMARY \*

System	Start Date	Time	End Date	Time	Hrs. Out	# Ovens Not Baffled	USS BRKDWN #	Reason(s) for Outage
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**Pushing Control Operation at Reduced Efficiency Summary \***

System	Start Date	Time	End Date	Time	Hrs. Out	# Ovens Reduced Efficiency	USS BRKDOWN #	Reason(s) for Outage
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for Month: 3

Year: 2023

**Pushing Control Outage Summary**  
(1 Hour or Less Duration)

System	Date	Turn	# Ovens Not PEC	Reason(s) for Outage
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STACK CONTROL SYSTEM(S) - MONTHLY AVAILABILITY

Facility	Start Date	Time	End Date	Time	Duration Hrs.	USS Reference #	Reason(s) for Outage
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## **Dettlinger, Carl**

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**From:** Fischman, Gary  
**Sent:** Monday, June 26, 2023 11:50 AM  
**To:** Dzurinko, Mike G  
**Cc:** AQReports; Clark, Bill  
**Subject:** April 14 2023 Process Information Report

Mike,

The April 2023 Process Information Report shows 416,450 tons coal charged and 312,960 tons coke produced as daily averages for March 2023. These look like monthly totals. Could you please resubmit this report with corrected daily averages?

Thanks,



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