



*Results of the Compliance  
Test for Particulates  
as PM-10 and Opacity*

**Test Location:  
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Old Baghouse (EU001, CE001)  
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## REPORT CERTIFICATIONS

1.) **Certification of sampling procedures by the team leader of the personnel conducting the sampling procedures:**

"I certify under penalty of law that the sampling procedures were performed in accordance with the approved test plan and that the data presented in this test report are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the test report."

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2.) **Certification of analytical procedures by the person responsible for the laboratory analysis of field samples:**

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3.) **Certification of test report by senior staff person at the testing company who is responsible for compiling and checking the test report:**

"I certify under penalty of law that this test report and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gathered and evaluated the test information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who performed the sampling and analysis related to the performance test, the information submitted in this test report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the test report."

Signature: Brian Durkop Print Name: Brian Durkop  
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4.) **Certification of test report by owner or operator of the emission facility:**

"I certify under penalty of law that the information submitted in this test report accurately reflects the operating conditions at the emission facility during this performance test and describes the date and nature of all operational and maintenance activities that were performed on the process and control equipment during the month prior to the performance test. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who performed the operational and maintenance activities, the information submitted in this test report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the cover letter or attachments submitted with this report."

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## SECTION 1.0

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents the results of a source test performed by Eagle Mountain Scientific, Inc. (EMSI) at the Gerdau Ameristeel facility located in St. Paul, Minnesota. The test was performed on November 8, 2006 to quantify particulate matter (to be reported as PM-10) and visible emissions from the Old Baghouse (AAF) (EU001, CE001). The purpose of the test was to meet the requirements set forth in the Gerdau Ameristeel Permit to Operate (151-93-OT-2). EMSI conducted U. S. EPA (EPA) and Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) approved testing methods. This report describes the procedures used to complete the testing and the results of these tests.

The testing was performed by Mr. Brian Durkop, Mr. James Wilson, and Mr. Nathan traut. There were no MPCA observers present during this test project. The process operating conditions were recorded by Gerdau Ameristeel plant personnel and EMSI.

#### 1.1 Summary of Test Methods

**Table 1.1**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - Old Baghouse**  
**(EU001, CE001)**  
**November 8, 2006**

METHOD	PURPOSE	RUN TIME	# OF RUNS
EPA 1	Determination of Traverse Points	NA	1
EPA 2	Determination of Velocity and Volumetric Flow	108 minutes	3
EPA 3	Determination of Molecular Weight	108 minutes	3
EPA 4	Determination of Moisture	108 minutes	3
EPA 5D	Determination of Particulate Matter	108 minutes	3
EPA 9	Determination of Opacity	60 minutes	1
EPA 202	Determination of Condensable Particulate Matter	NA	3

#### 1.2 Summary of Test Results

**Table 1.2**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - Old Baghouse**  
**(EU001, CE001)**  
**November 8, 2006**

POLLUTANT	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	AVERAGE	LIMIT	REGULATION
PM-10 (gr/dscf)	0.0034	0.0030	0.0033	0.0033	0.0052	See Footnote 1
Opacity (%)	0	NA	NA	0	3	40 CFR 60.272a

*Footnote 1 – Limit emissions to those used for netting calculations.*

### 1.3 Summary of Production

**Table 1.3**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - Old Baghouse**  
**(EU001, CE001)**  
**Particulates As PM10**  
**November 8, 2006**

PARAMETER	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	AVERAGE
Production (tons/hr)	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4

### 1.4 Summary of Report Organization

This report is organized in the following manner. Section 2.0 provides detailed test results for the individual test runs. Section 3.0 provides a summary of the testing procedures.

The following information is located in appendices A through F, respectfully: copies of the field data sheets, calculated field data results, process operations data, laboratory test analyses, equipment calibrations and opacity certification, and the test plan.

## SECTION 2.0

### TEST RESULTS

The testing was conducted in conformance to applicable US EPA and MPCA methodologies and rules. The testing project was conducted according to the approved test plan submitted to the MPCA. A copy of the test plan and approval letter are located in Appendix F.

#### 2.1 Particulates

The results of the three tests performed for the determination of particulate matter with condensables are reported in Table 2.1. The ladle refining station operates on a batch process, so to achieve a worst case-operating scenario, between heats when the process is down sampling was stopped.

**Table 2.1**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - Old Baghouse**  
**(EU001, CE001)**  
**Particulate Test Results**  
**November 8, 2006**

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<b>Client:</b> <i>Gerdau Ameristeel</i>				<b>Plant:</b> <i>St. Paul</i>
<b>Date(s):</b> <i>November 8, 2006</i>				<b>EPA Method(s):</b> <i>1-5D, 202</i>
Run #: .....	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	
Date:.....	11/8/2006	11/8/2006	11/8/2006	
Time:.....	9:54-12:32	13:28-16:14	16:36-18:33	Average
<b>Production</b>				
Steel (tons/hr).....	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
<b>Control Equipment (monovent baghouse)</b>				
DP #1 (inH2O) .....	5.32	5.39	5.47	5.39
DP #2 (inH2O) .....	4.75	4.37	4.90	4.67
DP #3 (inH2O) .....	5.69	5.30	6.05	5.68
DP #4 (inH2O) .....	5.34	4.49	4.82	4.88
DP #5 (inH2O) .....	5.71	5.72	5.90	5.78
DP #6 (inH2O) .....	4.73	4.64	5.21	4.86
DP #7 (inH2O) .....	5.17	5.11	5.66	5.31
DP #8 (inH2O) .....	5.79	5.53	5.81	5.71
DP #9 (inH2O) .....	4.53	4.81	4.76	4.70
DP #10 (inH2O) .....	5.40	5.07	6.11	5.53
DP #11 (inH2O) .....	5.08	4.50	5.49	5.02
DP #12 (inH2O) .....	4.77	4.94	5.01	4.91
Fans #1 (Amps).....	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0
Fans #2 (Amps).....	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.0
<b>Duct Conditions</b>				
Stack Temp (°F).....	117	135	123	125
Oxygen (%).....	20.9	20.9	20.8	20.9
Carbon Dioxide (%).....	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Moisture (%).....	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Mol Weight, Dry.....	28.8	28.8	28.8	28.8
Stack Press (inH2O) .....	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00

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Stack Area (ft2).....	70.85	70.85	70.85	70.85
Stack Vel (ft/sec) .....	50.1	49.9	48.6	49.5
Stack Flow (wacfm).....	212,981	212,276	206,453	210,570
Stack Flow (wscfm).....	186,298	179,834	178,595	181,576
Stack Flow (dscfm).....	182,758	176,417	175,201	178,125

***Baghouse Conditions***

Nozzle (inches) .....	1.470	1.470	1.470	1.470
Stack Temp (°F).....	119	131	135	128
Oxygen (%).....	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.9
Carbon Dioxide (%).....	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Moisture (%).....	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4
Mol Weight, Dry.....	28.9	28.9	28.9	28.9
Stack Press (inH2O) .....	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
Stack Area (ft2).....	3374.92	3374.92	3374.92	3374.92
Stack Vel (ft/sec) .....	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1
Stack Flow (wacfm).....	218,675	207,082	214,514	213,424
Stack Flow (wscfm) .....	195,959	181,777	187,632	188,456
Stack Flow (dscfm).....	193,197	179,399	185,044	185,880

***Test Results - Total Particulate Matter***

Sample Gas Vol (dscf).....	73.888	67.959	70.774	70.873
Isokinetics (%).....	101.4	100.4	101.4	101.1

Filter (mg).....	1.2	0.0	0.1	0.4
Probe Rinse (mg) .....	7.6	7.8	9.0	8.1
Aqueous (mg) .....	6.5	4.5	4.6	5.2
Organic (mg).....	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.3
Total (mg) .....	16.5	13.4	15.2	15.0

Filterable (lbs/hr) .....	3.043	2.723	3.147	2.971
Aqueous (lbs/hr) .....	2.248	1.571	1.591	1.803
Organic (lbs/hr).....	0.415	0.384	0.519	0.439
Total (lbs/hr) .....	5.706	4.678	5.256	5.214

Filterable (gr/dscf) .....	0.0018	0.0018	0.0020	0.0019
Aqueous (gr/dscf) .....	0.0014	0.0010	0.0010	0.0011
Organic (gr/dscf).....	0.0003	0.0002	0.0003	0.0003
Total (gr/dscf) .....	0.0034	0.0030	0.0033	0.0033

## 2.2 Opacity

Mr. James Wilson conducted the visible emission observations. Eastern Technical Associates certified Mr. Wilson. A copy of his current certification certificate is located in Appendix E.

**Table 2.2**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - Old Baghouse**  
**Opacity Test Results**  
**November 8, 2006**

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**Client:** *Gerdau Ameristeel*

**Date(s):** *November 8, 2006*

**Plant:** *St. Paul*

**EPA Method(s):** *9*

Run #: ..... Run 1  
Date:..... 11-08-06  
Time:..... 16:29-17:29      Average

***Production***

Steel (tons/hr)..... 84.4      84.4

***Test Results – Opacity***

Max 6-min Avg (%)..... 0.00      0.00  
Avg. Opacity (%)..... 0.00      0.00  
Max. Reading (%)..... 0.00      0.00  
Min. Reading (%) ..... 0.00      0.00  
# of Reading > 20% ..... 0      0  
# of Readings ..... 240      240



## SECTION 3.0

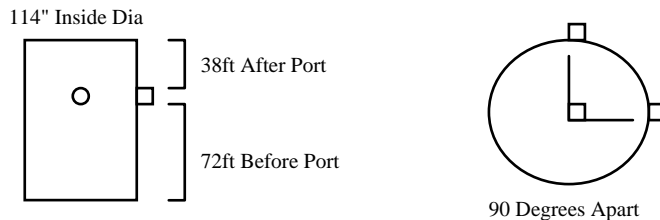
### TEST PROCEDURES

#### 3.1 Determination of Sample Point Locations

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Method 1

##### Inlet Duct

Number of Ports:	2
Inside Diameter:	114 inches
Area:	70.85 cubic feet
Distance Upstream of Ports:	72 feet
Distance Downstream of Ports:	38 feet
Total Number of Points:	16
Number of Points per Diameter:	8
Average Cyclonic Flow:	0 %



Point 1	3.6	inches
Point 2	12.0	inches
Point 3	22.1	inches
Point 4	36.8	inches
Point 5	77.2	inches
Point 6	91.9	inches
Point 7	102.0	inches
Point 8	110.4	inches

##### Baghouse (Outlet)

Each compartment was divided into a 3 x 3 matrix for a total number of points for each compartment being 9. Run 1 sampled at points 1-3 in each of the twelve compartments for a total of 36 points. Run 2 followed by sampling at 4-6 in each compartment, and finally Run 3 sampled at points 7-9.

### Sample Matrix

3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3
3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3

Number of Compartments: 12  
 Total Area of Baghouse: 3374.92 cubic feet  
 Total Number of Points: 108  
 Number of Points Per Run: 36  
 Run 1 points: 1 to 3 in twelve compartments  
 Run 2 points: 4 to 6 in twelve compartments  
 Run 3 points: 7 to 9 in twelve compartments

### Baghouse Dimensions

Compartment Number	Compartment Depth	Compartment Width	Number of Doors	Compartment Area (ft2)
1	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
2	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
3	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
4	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
5	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
6	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
7	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
8	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
9	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
10	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
11	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
12	25'7"	11'0"	1	281.417
Total Baghouse Exhaust Area				3,377.004 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>The true area is 3374.92 square feet due to obstructions in the compartments.

### 3.2 Determination of Particulate Matter

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Methods 2-5D  
Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 51, Appendix M, Methods 202

#### Sampling System

A curved sample nozzle was connected via a "Swage-Lok" fitting to a heated probe liner. The probe liner was attached to a heated glass filter holder containing a glass fiber filter. The exit to the filter holder was connected to the impinger train which consisted of a set of pre-weighed impingers connected in series and immersed in an ice bath. The impinger train was followed in series by a carbon vane pump, a dry test meter, and a calibrated orifice connected to an inclined manometer. A Tedlar bag was used to collect an integrated Method 3 sample.

Type K thermocouples were used to measure the following temperatures: probe heater, filter heater, impinger outlet, and dry test meter inlet and outlet.

A combination Stausscheibe (Type S) pitot tube and type K thermocouple were used to measure duct velocity head and temperature. The pitot tube was connected via flexible tubing to an inclined manometer. The thermocouple was connected to a digital potentiometer.

### **Sampling Procedure**

Prior to sampling, traverse points were selected based on Method 1 requirements. The locations of the traverse points are presented in the reduced field data sheets. A preliminary traverse of the stack was performed to determine stack velocity head, temperature distributions, cyclonic flow, and stack static pressure. If necessary, preliminary runs by Methods 3 and 4 were performed to determine duct moisture and fixed gas content. Based on this information, a sample nozzle of appropriate inside diameter was selected, and the impinger train charged. Sample time per traverse point was estimated in order that a minimum of 30 dscf of sample would be collected.

The apparatus was assembled as completely as possible in the staging area and transported to the sample site. Potential contamination of the sample train was prevented by sealing all openings with aluminum foil. Once in the sampling area, the probe and filter heaters were brought to temperatures of  $250 \pm 25^\circ\text{F}$ , and the apparatus was leak checked. Upon successful completion of the leak check, the initial dry test meter reading was recorded, and the probe inserted at the first traverse point.

The stack temperature, dry test meter temperature, and the velocity head across the pitot was measured and recorded on the data sheet. The isokinetic sampling rate in terms of pressure drop across the calibrated orifice was calculated and recorded on the data sheet. The pump and timer were turned on, and the sample rate adjusted to correspond to the calculated isokinetic rate. Once the sample rate was set, the following data was recorded:

- Dry Gas Meter Volume
- Dry test meter outlet temperature
- Sample vacuum
- Probe heater temperature
- Filter heater temperature
- Impinger outlet temperature

At the end of the sample time for the first point, the probe was moved to the next point, and the measurements, calculations and recording of data was repeated. Upon completion of sampling from a port, the pump was turned off and the dry test meter reading recorded. The probe was removed from the stack, and placed in the next sample port. The previously described procedure was repeated for each sample port.

When the sample run was completed, the final dry test meter reading was recorded and the probe removed from the port. A post-test leak check was performed at a vacuum higher than the highest sample vacuum measured during the sample run. The final leak rate was recorded on the data sheet. The sample train was sealed from contamination and transported to the staging area for recovery.

### **Sample Recovery**

Sample was recovered in two fractions: front half and back half. The front half fraction consisted of the filter itself, as well as, acetone rinses and brushings of: the nozzle, the probe liner; and the front half of the filter holder. The filter was recovered to a labeled petri dish made of glass or plastic. Acetone rinses were recovered to a labeled, clean polyethylene bottle. The liquid level in the polyethylene bottle was marked upon completion of recovery.

Prior to recovery of the back half fraction, the exterior of each impingers were cleaned and dried, and the net weight gain of each was determined to the nearest 0.5 gram. The back half fraction consisted of the liquid impinger catch and rinses of the impingers and all connecting glassware. Glassware rinses were recovered to a clean, labeled polyethylene or glass bottle. The liquid level of the bottle was marked upon completion of recovery.

At the conclusion of each day of sampling, reagent and recovery solvent blanks were collected into the same types of containers as were used for sample recovery. The blank containers were clearly labeled, and the liquid levels marked.

### **Analytical Procedure**

The Method 3 sample was analyzed in the field with a fyrite analyzer. The results of this analysis are presented both in the calculated field data and on the field data sheets.

Prior to analysis, the samples were checked for liquid loss, and the liquid volume of each sample bottle determined. The liquid samples from each run and blanks were transferred to individual tared beakers, and the liquid allowed to evaporate at ambient temperature and pressure. The front half fraction and solvent blanks were analyzed gravimetrically until two consecutive weighings agreed to within 0.5 mg.

Prior to analysis, back half fraction and blanks were checked for liquid loss, and the liquid volume of each sample bottle determined. The back half fraction was extracted with methylene chloride or chloroform/ether and analyzed gravimetrically. Each sample was extracted three times with 200 ml methylene chloride in a separatory funnel. After each extraction, the organic (solvent) fraction was decanted. The organic (solvent) and aqueous (water) fractions were placed in individual tared beakers. The organic fraction was evaporated at ambient temperature and pressure, while the aqueous fraction was evaporated at just below the boiling point. After evaporation, the beakers were desiccated for 24 hours, and weighed until consecutive weighings agreed to within 0.5 mg.

### 3.3 Determination of Opacity

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Method 9

#### Positioning of the observer

The opacity of the plume as viewed by the observer can be influenced due to several variables with respect to the position of the observer. The position of the observer with respect to the sun. Position of the observer with respect to the observation point. Attached or detached steam plumes. Position of the observer with respect to a rectangular stack with high length to width ratios.

The acceptable criteria for the position the observer is outlined in Method 9 as follows:

- 1) The observer must maintain a position with the sun located at a 140° arc to the observers back.
- 2) The observer must maintain an angle of <18° with respect to the observation point.
- 3) The observer must read the opacity where a steam plume does not interfere. Between the stack and the steam plume if the steam plume is detached from the stack. After the steam plume if the steam plume is attached from the stack.
- 4) The observer must read a rectangular stack at a point where the stack has the shortest cross sectional diameter.

#### Visible Emission Readings

A test for visible emission requires 480 consecutive reading. Each reading is recorded in 15-second intervals for 60-minutes. The percent opacity is recorded in 5 percent increments for 0 to 100. The observer must record the results on a data sheet as outlined in Method 9. (ie. position of the observer, date, time, process information, location of the stack, and the 15-second opacity readings). The determination of opacity is calculated using a 6-minute rolling average.

**Appendix A**  
**Field Data Sheets**



# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client: Gerdau Ameristeel Date: 11-9-06 Facility: St. Paul  
 Job Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: Old Operator(s): SW-BD  
 Location: Inlet Fuel Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test Number: one 1 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 20.8  
 Barometric Pressure (in. Hg): 29.42 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 0.3  
 Stack Pressure(Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O): -4.3 Test Description: Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp): .84 ΔH = 1.733

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in.H <sub>2</sub> O)	T <sub>s</sub> (EF)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
H	1	830	.56	92		
	2		.62	95		
	3		.55	95		
	4		.50	95		
	5		.85	115		
	6		.90	112		
	7		.87	112		
	8		1.0	118		
V	1		.74	99		
	2		.82	105		
	3		.95	115		
	4		1.05	116	0.00033 DP	
	5		.94	116	1.470 Nozzle	
	6		.85	115	1.46	ΔH
	7		.55	113		
	8	841	.55	114		

$V_s = 85.48 C_p \sqrt{\frac{\Delta P}{(T_s + 460) M_g}}$   
 $M_g = 0.440 (\%CO_2) + 0.320 (\%O_2) + 0.280 (100 - \%O_2 - \%CO_2)$   
 $(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_g$

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# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client: Gerdau Ameristeel Date: 11-2-06 Facility: St. Paul  
 Job Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: Old Operator(s): SW/BD  
 Location: Inlet Fuel Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test Number: 2 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 20.8  
 Barometric Pressure: (in. Hg) 29.42 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 0.3  
 Stack Pressure(Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O): -5.4 Test Description: Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp): .84

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in.H <sub>2</sub> O)	T <sub>s</sub> (EF)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
V	1	1300	.60	86		
	2		.72	87		
	3		.90	108		
	4		.98	125		
	5		.88	125	0.00029	ΔP
	6		.84	125	1.470	122/10
	7		.55	120	1.23	ΔH
	8		.50	119		
H	1	1314	.55	75		
	2		.58	79		
	3		.57	84		
	4		.50	122		
	5		.77	125		
	6		.80	125		
	7		.83	125		
	8		.85	124		

$$V_s = 85.48 C_p \sqrt{\frac{(T_s + 460) \Delta P}{(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_{fg}}}$$

$$M_{fg} = 0.440 (\%CO_2) + 0.320 (\%O_2) + 0.280 (100 - \%O_2 - \%CO_2)$$



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DH - 1.32

# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client: Gerda Ameristeel Date: 11-8-06 Facility: St. Paul  
 Job Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: Old Operator(s): SW-BD  
 Location: Inlet Fuel Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test Number: 3 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 20.8  
 Barometric Pressure: (in. Hg) 29.46 Stack O<sub>2</sub> (%): 0.3  
 Stack Pressure(Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O): -6.1 Test Description: Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp): .84

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in.H <sub>2</sub> O)	T <sub>s</sub> (EF)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
V	1	1245	.72	89		
	2		.85	89		
	3		.94	95		
	4		1.0	115		
	5		.95	120		
	6		.86	120		
	7		.56	121		
	8		.54	120		
H	1		.55	100		
	2		.61	113		
	3		.65	118		
	4		.53	118		
	5		.79	118		
	6		.85	118		
	7		.87	118		
	8	1256	.85	118		

$$V_s = 85.48 C_p$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{(T_s + 460) \Delta P}{(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_{fg}}}$$

$$M_{fg} = 0.440 (\%CO_2) + 0.320 (\%O_2) + 0.280 (100 - \%O_2 - \%CO_2)$$

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# STACK TEST DATA SHEET

Client: Gerdau Ameristeel      Test Method: EPA 5      Date: 11-8-08  
 Facility: St. Paul      Test Number: 1      Job #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Unit: Old Baghouse      Description: TSP      Page: 3 of \_\_\_\_\_  
 Location: Stack      Start/Stop Time: 9:54 - 12:32      Operator: BD

**PRE-TEST DATA**  
 Tamb: \_\_\_\_\_      Meter Box #: 3010-5  
 Pbar: 29.42      Nozzle Dia. (in): 1.470  
 K-Factor: \_\_\_\_\_      Filter #: TSP-85  
 Mol. WT: \_\_\_\_\_      del H @: 1.733  
 Pstack: \_\_\_\_\_      Meter Factor: 0.941  
 Sample Time: 108 min      Pitot Coeff.: 0.89

**MATERIAL WEIGHT (g)**

Start	End	Dif.
751.3	750.6	
187.8	682.3	
615.1	615.0	
767.7	753.6	

**Leak Check CFM**

Pre-Test	Post-Test	Run	O2	CO2
0	0	20.9		
7	8	0.3		

Sample Point	Time (min)	del P (In H2O)	del H (In H2O)	Vacuum (In Hg)	Meter Reading (acf)	Stack	Probe	Temperature °F		Comments/Observations
								Filter	Imp Out	
1-1	0				96.955	99	242	258	62	
2	3	0.00033	1.46	4	99.2	99	246	253	63	
3	6			3	101.2	99	248	245	62	
2	9			4	103.1	106	278	247	60	
3	12			4	105.45	109	249	251	60	
2	15			4	107.65	111	249	250	58	
3	18			4	109.935	115	248	252	57	
1	21			4	112.05	110	247	251	56	
2	24			4	114.35	115	248	250	58	
3	27			4	116.65	122	248	248	59	
1	30			4	118.75	123	247	248	59	
2	33			4	120.85	127	248	250	59	
3	36			4	122.11	127	247	250	59	
Total/Avg.	36									

Leak Check CFM: 1, 2, 3 Avg.  
 Pre-Test: 7, 8, 806  
 Post-Test: 0, 0, 1235  
 Run: 20.9, 0.3  
 O2: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CO2: \_\_\_\_\_



# STACK TEST DATA SHEET

Client	Gerdau Ameristeel	Test Method	EPA 5	Date	11-8-06
Facility	St. Paul	Test Number	1	Job #	
Unit	Old Baghouse	Description	TSP	Page	2 of 3
Location	Stack	Start/Stop Time		Operator	BD

PRE-TEST DATA		MATERIAL WEIGHT (g)	
Tamb	°F	Impinger	Dif.
Pbar	Meter Box #	End	Start
K-Factor	Nozzle Dia. (in)	#1	
Mol. WT	Filter #	#2	
Pstack	del H @	#3	
Sample Time	In H2O	#4	
	g/mole	Total	
	In H2O		
	min		
	Pitot Coeff.		

Sample Point	Time (min)	del P (In H2O)	del H (In H2O)	Meter Reading (acf)	Vacuum (In Hg)	Stack	Temperature °F		Comments/Observations
							Probe	Filter	
5	36			123.24	4	122			
1	39	0.00033	1.46	125.3	4	250	248	59	71
2	42			127.7	4	248	250	58	70
3	45			129.862	4	249	250	59	71
6	48			132.1	4	249	249	57	71
2	51			134.2	4	249	249	56	71
3	54			135.540	4	249	251	57	71
7	57			138.750	4	249	250	56	71
2	60			141.0	4	253	250	55	71
3	63			143.75	4	252	247	56	71
8	66			145.3	4	254	248	56	71
2	69			147.8	4	254	249	57	71
3	72			150.001	4	251	250	57	71
Total/Avg.	72								

Leak Check CFM	VAC.	INIT	TIME
Pre-Test			
Post-Test			
Run	1	2	3 Avg.
O2			
CO2			

















VISIBLE EMISSION OBSERVATION FORM 1

Method Used (Circle One)  
 Method 9 203A 2038 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name  
 Gerdau Ameristeel  
 Facility Name  
 " " "  
 Street Address  
 1678 Red Rock Rd  
 City State Zip  
 St. Paul Minn 55119

Process  
 Step 1 Process Unit # 1 Operating Mode Normal  
 Control Equipment  
 Old New Daphouses Operating Mode " "

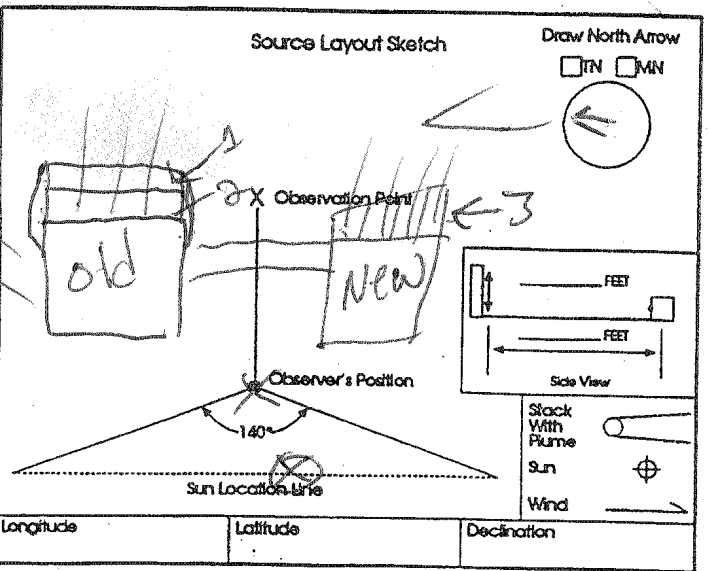
Describe Emission Point  
 Above Baghouse Vents

Height of Emiss. Pt.  
 Start 200' End 200' Start 200' End 200'  
 Distance to Emiss. Pt.  
 Start End Start End

Vertical Angle to Obs. Pt.  
 Start 18 End Direction to Obs. Pt. (Degrees)  
 Start End Start End  
 Distance and Direction to Observation Point from Emission Point  
 Start E-600 FT End " "

Describe Emissions  
 Start End  
 Emission Color Water Droplet Plume  
 Start End Attached  Detached  None

Describe Plume Background  
 Start End Sky  
 Background Color Sky Conditions  
 Start Blue End Blue Start Clear End Clear  
 Wind Speed Wind Direction  
 Start 3-5 End 3-5 Start S End S  
 Ambient Temp Wet Bulb Temp RH Percent  
 Start 65 End 65



Longitude Latitude Declination  
 Additional Information

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Observation Date	Time Zone	Start Time	End Time						
11-8-06	cent	1629	1659	Sec	0	15	30	45	Comments
1	%/0	%/0	%/0	%/0					
2	%/0	%/0	%/0	%/0					
3	%/0	%/0	%/0	%/0					
4	%/0	%/0	%/0	%/0					
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30	%/0	%/0	%/0	%/0					

Observer's Name (Print)  
 James Wilson  
 Observer's Signature  
 [Signature] Date 11-8-06  
 Organization  
 EMSE  
 Certified By  
 ETA Date

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VISIBLE EMISSION OBSERVATION FORM 1

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Method Used (Circle One)  
 Method 9 203A 2038 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name Gerdau Ameristeel  
 Facility Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City St. Paul State MN Zip \_\_\_\_\_

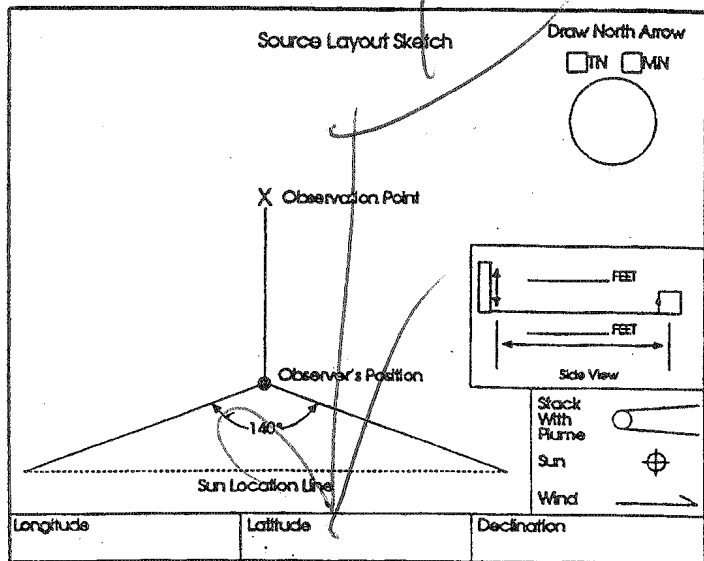
Process \_\_\_\_\_ Unit # \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Mode \_\_\_\_\_  
 Control Equipment \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Mode \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Emission Point  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Height of Emiss. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_ Height of Emiss. Pt. Rel. to Observer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distance to Emiss. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_ Direction to Emiss. Pt. (Degrees) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_

Vertical Angle to Obs. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_ Direction to Obs. Pt. (Degrees) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distance and Direction to Observation Point from Emission Point  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Emissions  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emission Color \_\_\_\_\_ Water Droplet Plume  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Attached  Detached  None

Describe Plume Background  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Background Color \_\_\_\_\_ Sky Conditions \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wind Speed \_\_\_\_\_ Wind Direction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_ Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ambient Temp. \_\_\_\_\_ Wet Bulb Temp. \_\_\_\_\_ RH Percent \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_



Sec Min	Time Zone				Start Time	End Time	Comments
	0	15	30	45			
1	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0	1659	1729	
2	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0			
3	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0			
4	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0			
5	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0			
6	9/0	9/0	9/0	9/0			
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Observer's Name (Print) James Wilson  
 Observer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 11-8-06  
 Organization EMSI  
 Certified by ETA Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **Appendix B**

### **Calculated Field Data Results**

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	Gerdau Ameristeel	<b>Date</b>	8-Nov-06
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	
<b>Unit</b>	Old Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	JW / BD
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	1
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.42	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	-4.3	<b>Stack % O2</b>	20.9
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	0.3
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.3	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	70.85
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

<b>Reverse Point Port</b>	<b>Depth</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Delta P (in.H2O)</b>	<b>Ts (_F)</b>	<b>Velocity (ft/sec)</b>	<b>Cyclonic (Deg.)</b>
H	1	8:30 AM	0.56	92	43.82	0
H	2		0.62	95	46.24	0
H	3		0.55	95	43.55	0
H	4		0.50	95	41.52	0
H	5		0.85	115	55.10	0
H	6		0.90	112	56.55	0
H	7		0.87	112	55.60	0
H	8		1.00	118	59.93	0
V	1		0.74	99	50.70	0
V	2		0.82	105	53.65	0
V	3		0.95	115	58.26	0
V	4		1.05	116	61.30	0
V	5		0.94	116	58.00	0
V	6		0.85	116	55.15	0
V	7		0.55	113	44.25	0
V	8	8:41 AM	0.55	114	44.29	0
Averages			0.77	108	51.74	0

<b>Abs. Stack Pres.</b>	29.10 in.Hg Absolute
<b>Stack Velocity</b>	51.71 feet/second 3103 feet/minute
<b>Stack Volumetric Flow</b>	219821 WACFM 198767 WSCFM 196183 DSCFM 3664 WACFS
<b>Area (ft2)</b>	3374.92
<b>ft/sec</b>	1.070
<b>Delta P</b>	0.00033
<b>Baghouse</b>	
<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	0.0400
<b>Stk Temp _F</b>	100
	29.422941
	560

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	Gerdau Ameristeel	<b>Date</b>	8-Nov-06
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	
<b>Unit</b>	Old Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	JW / BD
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	2
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.42	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	-4.3	<b>Stack % O2</b>	20.9
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	0.3
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.3	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	70.85
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

Reverse Point Port	Depth	Time	Delta P (in.H2O)	Ts (_F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic (Deg.)
V	1	12:45 PM	0.60	56	43.86	0
V	2		0.72	57	48.09	0
V	3		0.90	708	80.81	0
V	4		0.98	115	59.17	0
V	5		0.88	115	56.07	0
V	6		0.84	125	55.25	0
V	7		0.55	120	44.52	0
V	8		0.50	119	42.41	0
H	1		0.55	75	42.76	0
H	2		0.58	79	44.07	0
H	3		0.57	84	43.89	0
H	4		0.50	122	42.52	0
H	5		0.77	125	52.90	0
H	6		0.80	125	53.92	0
H	7		0.83	125	54.92	0
H	8	13:14	0.85	124	55.53	0
Averages			0.71	142	51.29	0

<b>Abs. Stack Pres.</b>	29.10 in.Hg Absolute
<b>Stack Velocity</b>	51.36 feet/second 3082 feet/minute
<b>Stack Volumetric Flow</b>	218326 WACFM 186227 WSCFM 183806 DSCFM 3639 WACFS
<b>Area (ft2)</b>	3374.92
<b>ft/sec</b>	1.003
<b>Delta P</b>	0.00029
<b>Baghouse</b>	
<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	0.0400
<b>Stk Temp _F</b>	100
	29.422941
	560

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	Gerdau Ameristeel	<b>Date</b>	8-Nov-06
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	
<b>Unit</b>	Old Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	JW / BD
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	3
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.42	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	6.1	<b>Stack % O2</b>	20.9
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	0.3
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.3	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	70.85
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

<b>Reverse Point</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Delta P</b>	<b>Ts (_F)</b>	<b>Velocity</b>	<b>Cyclonic</b>	
<b>Port Depth</b>		<b>(in.H2O)</b>		<b>(ft/sec)</b>	<b>(Deg.)</b>	
H	1	12:45 PM	0.72	89	48.92	0
H	2		0.85	89	53.15	0
H	3		0.94	95	56.20	0
H	4		1.00	115	59.00	0
H	5		0.95	120	57.75	0
H	6		0.76	120	51.66	0
H	7		0.56	121	44.38	0
H	8		0.54	120	43.54	0
V	1		0.55	100	43.18	0
V	2		0.61	113	46.00	0
V	3		0.55	118	43.87	0
V	4		0.53	118	43.06	0
V	5		0.79	118	52.58	0
V	6		0.85	118	54.54	0
V	7		0.87	118	55.17	0
V	8	12:56 PM	0.85	118	54.54	0
Averages			0.75	112	50.47	0

<b>Abs. Stack Pres.</b>	29.87 in.Hg Absolute	
<b>Stack Velocity</b>	50.48 feet/second 3029 feet/minute	
<b>Stack Volumetric Flow</b>	214597 WACFM 197792 WSCFM 195220 DSCFM 3577 WACFS	
<b>Area (ft2)</b>	ft/sec	<b>Delta P</b>
3374.92	1.038	0.00031
<b>Baghouse</b>	<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	<b>Stk Temp _F</b>
	0.0400	100
	29.422941	560



Client :	Gerdau Ameristeel	Unit:	Old Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	1	Date :	8-Nov-06	Job # :	902,334
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.470 in.	Pbar =	29.42 in. Hg
Dry MW =	28.9	Ps =	0.04 in. H2O	Yd =	0.941
Stack Area=	3374.92 sq. ft.	Condensate =	22.4 g	Ref Tmp =	68 _F
Avg. O2 =	20.9 %	Avg. CO2 =	0.3 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)						
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In	Meter Out	
Old-0	0				96.955							
Old-1	3	0.00033	1.46		99.200	4	99	242	258	62	67	65
Old-2	6	0.00033	1.46		101.200	3	99	246	253	63	67	65
Old-3	9	0.00033	1.46		103.100	4	99	248	245	62	68	65
Old-4	12	0.00033	1.46		105.145	4	106	248	247	60	68	66
Old-5	15	0.00033	1.46		107.650	4	109	249	251	60	69	66
Old-6	18	0.00033	1.46		109.935	4	111	249	250	58	70	66
Old-7	21	0.00033	1.46		112.050	4	115	248	252	57	70	67
Old-8	24	0.00033	1.46		114.350	4	110	247	251	56	72	70
Old-9	27	0.00033	1.46		116.650	4	115	248	250	58	72	70
Old-10	30	0.00033	1.46		118.750	4	122	247	248	59	72	70
Old-11	33	0.00033	1.46		120.850	4	123	248	250	59	73	70
Old-12	36	0.00033	1.46		123.211	4	122	247	250	59	72	70
Old-13	39	0.00033	1.46		125.300	4	122	250	248	59	73	71
Old-14	42	0.00033	1.46		127.700	4	122	248	250	58	73	70
Old-15	45	0.00033	1.46		129.862	4	125	249	250	59	73	71
Old-16	48	0.00033	1.46		132.100	4	128	249	249	57	73	71
Old-17	51	0.00033	1.46		134.200	4	130	249	249	56	73	71
Old-18	54	0.00033	1.46		135.540	4	125	249	251	57	72	71
Old-19	57	0.00033	1.46		138.750	4	128	249	250	56	73	71
Old-20	60	0.00033	1.46		141.000	4	127	253	250	55	73	71
Old-21	63	0.00033	1.46		143.250	4	124	252	247	56	73	71
Old-22	66	0.00033	1.46		145.300	4	123	254	248	56	73	71
Old-23	69	0.00033	1.46		147.800	4	125	254	249	57	73	71
Old-24	72	0.00033	1.46		150.001	4	126	251	250	57	73	71
Old-25	75	0.00033	1.46		152.200	4	125	250	250	62	73	71
Old-26	78	0.00033	1.46		154.500	4	125	243	250	60	73	71
Old-27	81	0.00033	1.46		156.750	4	124	243	250	60	73	71
Old-28	84	0.00033	1.46		158.900	4	120	242	249	58	73	71
Old-29	87	0.00033	1.46		161.200	4	117	244	249	57	73	71
Old-30	90	0.00033	1.46		163.428	4	117	245	249	58	73	71
Old-31	93	0.00033	1.46		165.700	4	120	246	249	59	73	71
Old-32	96	0.00033	1.46		168.000	4	122	247	249	60	73	71
Old-33	99	0.00033	1.46		170.235	4	122	247	248	58	73	71
Old-34	102	0.00033	1.46		172.400	4	123	248	249	57	73	71
Old-35	105	0.00033	1.46		174.700	4	125	248	250	55	73	71
Old-36	108	0.00033	1.46		176.955	4	123	247	251	56	73	71
Ave./Total	108	0.000330	1.46		80.000	4	119	248	250	58	72	70

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 73.888 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 1.056 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 1.41 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 1.1 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 218675 WACFM  
 195959 WSCFM  
 193197 DSCFM

Concentration of Species  
in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate  
of Species :

% Isokinetic = 101.4 %

Wet MW (actual) = 28.7306083 %  
 Wet MW (assumed) = 28.66632 %

Client :	Gerdau Ameristeel	Unit:	Old Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	2	Date :	8-Nov-06	Job # :	902,334
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.470 in.	Pbar =	29.42 in. Hg
Dry MW =	28.9	Ps =	0.04 in. H2O	Yd =	0.941
Stack Area=	3374.92 sq. ft.	Condensate =	19.1 g	Ref Tmp =	68 _F
Avg. O2 =	20.9 %	Avg. CO2 =	0.3 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)						
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In	Meter Out	
Old-0	0				77.333							
Old-1	3	0.00029	1.23		79.600	3	110	247	251	59	73	73
Old-2	6	0.00029	1.23		82.000	3	124	248	252	56	75	76
Old-3	9	0.00029	1.23		84.470	3	112	251	251	55	80	77
Old-4	12	0.00029	1.23		86.200	3	130	250	250	56	80	78
Old-5	15	0.00029	1.23		88.300	3	132	249	249	55	80	78
Old-6	18	0.00029	1.23		90.400	3	132	244	251	55	81	78
Old-7	21	0.00029	1.23		92.500	3	135	250	250	56	81	79
Old-8	24	0.00029	1.23		94.600	3	136	251	248	55	81	79
Old-9	27	0.00029	1.23		96.748	3	134	246	249	56	81	79
Old-10	30	0.00029	1.23		98.100	3	134	249	252	54	81	79
Old-11	33	0.00029	1.23		100.800	3	133	249	250	55	81	79
Old-12	36	0.00029	1.23		102.612	3	132	249	249	54	82	79
Old-13	39	0.00029	1.23		105.200	4	130	249	250	68	82	80
Old-14	42	0.00029	1.23		107.600	4	130	251	251	60	82	80
Old-15	45	0.00029	1.23		109.000	4	132	251	250	55	82	80
Old-16	48	0.00029	1.23		111.200	4	133	250	249	55	82	80
Old-17	51	0.00029	1.23		113.200	4	133	251	250	54	82	80
Old-18	54	0.00029	1.23		115.200	4	133	250	249	54	83	80
Old-19	57	0.00029	1.23		117.300	4	132	251	250	54	83	81
Old-20	60	0.00029	1.23		119.400	4	132	251	250	54	83	81
Old-21	63	0.00029	1.23		121.700	4	132	250	251	54	85	81
Old-22	66	0.00029	1.23		123.500	4	131	250	248	56	85	82
Old-23	69	0.00029	1.23		125.700	4	130	251	246	57	85	82
Old-24	72	0.00029	1.23		127.660	4	133	244	251	57	86	82
Old-25	75	0.00029	1.23		130.000	4	132	251	246	59	86	84
Old-26	78	0.00029	1.23		131.800	4	133	250	247	58	86	84
Old-27	81	0.00029	1.23		133.910	4	134	251	248	55	87	84
Old-28	84	0.00029	1.23		136.000	4	133	250	249	54	87	85
Old-29	87	0.00029	1.23		138.300	4	136	244	249	53	87	85
Old-30	90	0.00029	1.23		140.100	4	135	246	250	53	87	85
Old-31	93	0.00029	1.23		142.200	4	134	247	249	54	86	85
Old-32	96	0.00029	1.23		144.400	4	134	248	248	54	86	86
Old-33	99	0.00029	1.23		146.310	4	134	247	248	54	86	85
Old-34	102	0.00029	1.23		148.800	4	135	246	248	56	86	85
Old-35	105	0.00029	1.23		150.500	4	134	246	247	56	85	85
Old-36	108	0.00029	1.23		152.511	4	134	247	248	58	85	85
Ave./Total	108	0.000290	1.23		75.178	4	131	249	249	56	83	81

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 67.959 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 0.901 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 1.31 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 1.0 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 207082 WACFM  
 181777 WSCFM  
 179399 DSCFM

Concentration of Species in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate of Species :

% Isokinetic = 100.4 %

Wet MW (actual) = 28.7416488 %  
 Wet MW (assumed) = 28.55748 %

Client :	Gerdau Ameristeel	Unit:	Old Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	3	Date :	8-Nov-06	Job # :	902,334
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.470 in.	Pbar =	29.47 in. Hg
Dry MW =	28.9	Ps =	0.04 in. H2O	Yd =	0.941
Stack Area=	3374.92 sq. ft.	Condensate =	21.0 g	Ref Tmp =	68 _F
Avg. O2 =	20.9 %	Avg. CO2 =	0.3 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)						
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In	Meter Out	
Old-0		0			52.884							
Old-1	3	0.00031	1.32		54.900	4	128	251	249	59	85	84
Old-2	6	0.00031	1.32		57.150	4	127	250	250	58	85	84
Old-3	9	0.00031	1.32		59.330	4	126	251	249	56	85	84
Old-4	12	0.00031	1.32		51.600	4	126	250	248	56	84	83
Old-5	15	0.00031	1.32		63.700	4	128	251	249	55	83	83
Old-6	18	0.00031	1.32		65.770	4	128	251	248	54	84	83
Old-7	21	0.00031	1.32		67.900	4	129	250	249	56	84	83
Old-8	24	0.00031	1.32		70.200	4	131	250	248	55	84	83
Old-9	27	0.00031	1.32		72.200	4	130	250	249	56	85	83
Old-10	30	0.00031	1.32		74.400	4	132	250	245	55	85	83
Old-11	33	0.00031	1.32		76.600	4	129	251	247	56	85	84
Old-12	36	0.00031	1.32		78.770	4	124	252	248	56	86	84
Old-13	39	0.00031	1.32		80.900	4	140	250	251	57	86	84
Old-14	42	0.00031	1.32		82.600	4	140	251	250	57	86	84
Old-15	45	0.00031	1.32		85.200	4	140	251	250	57	87	85
Old-16	48	0.00031	1.32		87.200	4	139	254	247	58	87	85
Old-17	51	0.00031	1.32		89.400	4	140	250	255	58	87	85
Old-18	54	0.00031	1.32		91.700	4	142	252	248	59	87	85
Old-19	57	0.00031	1.32		93.700	4	140	252	247	58	87	85
Old-20	60	0.00031	1.32		96.100	4	141	251	248	59	87	86
Old-21	63	0.00031	1.32		98.011	4	140	251	248	58	87	86
Old-22	66	0.00031	1.32		100.110	4	141	250	246	57	87	86
Old-23	69	0.00031	1.32		102.400	4	143	250	247	56	86	85
Old-24	72	0.00031	1.32		104.401	4	140	250	246	55	86	85
Old-25	75	0.00031	1.32		106.600	4	140	250	246	59	86	85
Old-26	78	0.00031	1.32		109.000	4	140	251	247	60	85	84
Old-27	81	0.00031	1.32		110.800	4	138	254	249	60	85	85
Old-28	84	0.00031	1.32		112.950	4	134	249	249	57	85	84
Old-29	87	0.00031	1.32		115.100	4	132	248	245	56	84	84
Old-30	90	0.00031	1.32		117.250	4	132	247	250	56	84	84
Old-31	93	0.00031	1.32		119.400	4	139	248	251	55	85	84
Old-32	96	0.00031	1.32		121.600	4	139	247	250	55	85	84
Old-33	99	0.00031	1.32		123.681	4	136	250	251	54	85	84
Old-34	102	0.00031	1.32		125.800	4	132	249	250	55	85	84
Old-35	105	0.00031	1.32		128.000	4	130	248	251	55	85	84
Old-36	108	0.00031	1.32		130.135	4	129	250	250	55	86	84
Ave./Total	108	0.000310	1.32		78.535	4	135	250	249	57	85	84

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 70.774 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 0.990 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 1.38 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 1.1 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 214514 WACFM  
 187632 WSCFM  
 185044 DSCFM

Concentration of Species  
in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate  
of Species :

% Isokinetic = 101.4 %

Wet MW (actual) = 28.7338234 %  
 Wet MW (assumed) = 28.55748 %

**METHOD 9 REDUCED FIELD DATA**

Client: Gergau Ameristeel  
 Facility: St. Paul  
 Unit: Old Baghouse  
 Location: Vents

Date: 11-08-06  
 Time: 16:29-17:29  
 Project #: 902334  
 Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Test Results:**

Maximum 6 Minute Average: 0.0 %  
 Average Opacity: 0.0 %  
 Maximum Opacity: 0.0 %  
 Minimum Opacity: 0.0 %  
 # of Readings >20%: 0  
 Number of Readings: 240

Interval	0	15	30	45
1	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	0
8	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	0
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28	0	0	0	0
29	0	0	0	0
30	0	0	0	0

Interval	0	15	30	45
31	0	0	0	0
32	0	0	0	0
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**METHOD 9 REDUCED FIELD DATA**

Client: Gergau Ameristeel  
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 Project #: 902334  
 Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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 Number of Readings: 240

Interval	0	15	30	45
1	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0
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Interval	0	15	30	45
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## **Appendix C**

### **Process Operations Data**



~~Old~~ Old BAG House

DP	T-1	T-2	T-3
1	5.32	5.39	5.47
2	4.75	4.77	4.90
3	5.69	5.30	6.05
4	5.34	4.49	4.82
5	5.71	5.72	5.90
6	4.73	4.64	5.21
7	5.17	5.11	5.66
8	5.79	5.53	5.81
9	4.53	4.80	4.75
10	5.4	5.07	6.11
11	5.08	4.5	5.49
12	4.77	4.94	5.01

East
west  
 T-1-108 T-2-108 T-3-108    T-1-118 AND T-2-118 - T-3-118



Nov-06

DATE	# OF HEAT	MTD # OF HEATS	TONS PLANNED	MTD TONS PLANNED	Tons	Adjusted Tons	MTD Adjusted Tons	Daily Operating Hours	Daily Matrix Hours	Adjusted TPH	Matrix TPH	Total Tap to Tap Time	Avg Tap to Tap	Power on Time	Avg Power on Time	Schedule production time	Total Power off time	Avg Power off Time
1	17	17	1620	1620	1519.9	1519.9	1519.9	24	24	63.6	63.3	1434.51	84.4	760.15	44.71	1440.00	674.36	39.7
2	9	26	945	2565	796.41	796.4	2316.31	14	24	71.9	33.2	664.62	73.8	413.35	45.93	840.00	251.27	27.9
3	16	42	1620	4185	1437.5	1437.5	3753.81	24	24	58.9	59.9	1465.43	91.6	733.59	45.85	1440.00	731.84	45.7
4	19	61	1620	5605	1631.9	1631.9	5385.71	24	24	67.8	68.0	1445.03	76.1	892.54	46.98	1440.00	552.49	29.1
5	19	80	1620	7425	1721.5	1721.5	7107.21	24	24	63.4	71.7	1510.31	79.5	841.34	44.28	1440.00	668.97	35.2
6	21	101	1620	9045	1834.5	1834.5	8941.71	24	24	78.4	76.4	1403.21	66.8	872.35	41.54	1440.00	530.86	25.3
7	19	120	1620	10665	1726.3	1726.3	10668.01	24	24	74.6	71.9	1389.29	73.1	840	44.21	1440.00	549.29	28.9
8	22	142	1620	12285	2026.1	2026.1	12694.11	24	24	80.1	84.4	1518.12	69.0	900.22	40.92	1440.00	617.90	28.1
9	16	158	1620	13905	1457.8	1457.8	14151.91	24	24	67.8	60.7	1289.25	80.6	667	41.69	1440.00	622.25	38.9
10	14	172	1140.75	15045.75	1291.4	1291.4	15443.31	16.9	24	66.3	53.8	1169.52	83.5	628.21	44.87	1014.00	541.31	38.7
11	2	174	189	15234.75	157.1	157.1	15600.41	2.8	24	53.5	6.5	176.3	88.2	80.4	40.20	168.00	95.90	48.0
12	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
13	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
14	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
15	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
16	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
17	0	174	0	15234.75	0	0	15600.41	0	24	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0
18	3	177	540	15774.75	248.8	248.8	15849.21	8	24	36.4	10.4	410.6	136.9	215.33	71.78	480.00	195.27	65.1
19	15	192	1620	17394.75	1282.1	1282.1	17131.31	24	24	53.0	53.4	1450.44	96.7	860.21	57.35	1440.00	590.23	39.3
20	12	204	1620	19014.75	1063.8	1063.8	18195.11	24	24	44.4	44.3	1438.49	119.9	588.38	49.03	1440.00	850.11	70.8
21	14	218	1620	20634.75	1192.3	1192.3	19387.41	24	24	50.6	49.7	1414	101.0	651.21	46.52	1440.00	762.79	54.5
22	13	231	1620	22254.75	1177.8	1177.8	20565.21	24	24	56.0	49.1	1262.58	97.1	624.04	48.00	1440.00	638.54	49.1
23	0	231	0	22254.75	0	0	20565.21	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0
24	0	231	0	22254.75	0	0	20565.21	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0
25	0	231	0	22254.75	0	0	20565.21	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0
26	0	231	0	22254.75	0	0	20565.21	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0
27	12	243	1620	23874.75	1049.3	1049.3	21614.51	24	24	51.7	43.7	1216.83	101.4	560.14	46.68	1440.00	656.69	54.7
28	14	257	1620	25494.75	1273.77	1273.8	22888.28	24	24	48.2	53.1	1585.77	113.3	646.33	46.17	1440.00	939.44	67.1
29	19	276	1620	27114.75	1716.2	1716.2	24604.48	24	24	72.8	71.5	1413.92	74.4	872.4	45.92	1440.00	541.52	28.5
30	16	292	1620	28734.75	1445.8	1445.8	26050.28	24	24	58.2	60.2	1491.19	93.2	785.05	49.07	1440.00	706.14	44.1
TOTAL	292.0	292.0	1620	28734.75	26050.3	26050.3	26050.3	24	624.0	62.1	135.7	25149.4	86.1	13432.2	46.00	25542.00	11717.17	40.1

## **Appendix D**

### **Laboratory test Analyses**

# Particulate Weight Analysis

**Client:** Gerda Ameristeel  
**Facility:** St. Paul  
**Project #:** 902334  
**Unit:** Old Baghouse  
**Date:** 11-8-06

**Type:** TSP PM10 PM2.5  
**Test #:** 1 2 3 Blank  
**Analyst:** MC

Filter ID#: TSP 85

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>8-28-06</u>	<u>8-28-06</u>		0.3014
	Time	<u>920</u>	<u>1417</u>		
	Weight	<u>0.3015</u>	<u>0.3013</u>		
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-14-06</u>		0.3026
	Time	<u>819</u>	<u>110</u>		
	Weight	<u>0.3026</u>	<u>0.3026</u>		

**Total:** 1.2 Mg

Sample Volume: 125 ml

Acetone ID#: A-6

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		116.2702
	Time	<u>906</u>	<u>1328</u>		
	Weight	<u>116.2709</u>	<u>116.2700</u>		
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		116.2778
	Time	<u>1119</u>	<u>1720</u>		
	Weight	<u>116.2775</u>	<u>116.2780</u>		

**Total:** 7.6 Mg

Sample Volume: 200 ml

Organic ID#: 6

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		86.4824
	Time	<u>908</u>	<u>1330</u>		
	Weight	<u>86.4823</u>	<u>86.4824</u>		
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		86.4836
	Time	<u>1121</u>	<u>1722</u>		
	Weight	<u>86.4835</u>	<u>86.4838</u>		

**Total:** 1.2 Mg

Sample Volume: 250+250+175+50 ml

Aqueous ID#: A-12

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		117.6649
	Time	<u>910</u>	<u>1333</u>		
	Weight	<u>117.6650</u>	<u>117.6648</u>		
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		117.6714
	Time	<u>1123</u>	<u>1724</u>		
	Weight	<u>117.6713</u>	<u>117.6715</u>		

**Total:** 6.5 Mg

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

# Particulate Weight Analysis

**Client:** Gerda Ameristeel  
**Facility:** St. Paul  
**Project #:** 902334  
**Unit:** Old Baghouse  
**Date:** 11-8-06

**Type:** TSP PM10 PM2.5  
**Test #:** 1 2 3 Blank  
**Analyst:** MC

Filter ID#: B P 82

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>8-28-06</u>	<u>9-28-06</u>		<u>0.3015</u>	Total: <u>0.0</u> Mg
	Time	<u>921</u>	<u>1419</u>			
	Weight	<u>0.3015</u>	<u>0.3015</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-14-06</u>		<u>0.2992</u>	
	Time	<u>821</u>	<u>1013</u>			
	Weight	<u>0.2994</u>	<u>0.2991</u>			

Acetone ID#: 5

Sample Volume: 150ml

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		<u>88.4032</u>	Total: <u>7.8</u> Mg
	Time	<u>912</u>	<u>1335</u>			
	Weight	<u>88.4034</u>	<u>88.4031</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		<u>88.4110</u>	
	Time	<u>1125</u>	<u>1726</u>			
	Weight	<u>88.4111</u>	<u>88.4109</u>			

Organic ID#: A-9

Sample Volume: 200ml

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		<u>113.3830</u>	Total: <u>6.1</u> Mg
	Time	<u>914</u>	<u>1337</u>			
	Weight	<u>113.3830</u>	<u>113.3831</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		<u>113.3841</u>	
	Time	<u>1127</u>	<u>1728</u>			
	Weight	<u>113.3836</u>	<u>113.3843</u>			

Aqueous ID#: 11

Sample Volume: 250+250+100+125ml

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		<u>85.8512</u>	Total: <u>4.5</u> Mg
	Time	<u>916</u>	<u>1338</u>			
	Weight	<u>85.8512</u>	<u>85.8511</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		<u>85.8557</u>	
	Time	<u>1129</u>	<u>1730</u>			
	Weight	<u>85.8556</u>	<u>85.8558</u>			

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

# Particulate Weight Analysis

**Client:** Gerdau Ameristeel  
**Facility:** St. Paul  
**Project #:** 902334  
**Unit:** Old Baghouse  
**Date:** 11-8-06

**Type:** TSP PM10 PM2.5  
**Test #:** 1 2 3 Blank  
**Analyst:** MC

Filter ID#: TSP 84

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>8-28-06</u>	<u>8-28-06</u>		0.3023	Total: 0.1 Mg
	Time	<u>922</u>	<u>1421</u>			
	Weight	<u>0.3022</u>	<u>0.3024</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-14-06</u>		0.3024	
	Time	<u>823</u>	<u>1018</u>			
	Weight	<u>0.3021</u>	<u>0.3026</u>			

Sample Volume: 225ml

Acetone ID#: 10

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		86.1694	Total: 9.0 Mg
	Time	<u>919</u>	<u>1340</u>			
	Weight	<u>86.1694</u>	<u>86.1695</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		86.1784	
	Time	<u>1130</u>	<u>1732</u>			
	Weight	<u>86.1783</u>	<u>86.1786</u>			

Sample Volume: 700ml

Organic ID#: ES

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		112.2317	Total: 1.5 Mg
	Time	<u>920</u>	<u>1342</u>			
	Weight	<u>112.2315</u>	<u>112.2319</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		112.2332	
	Time	<u>1132</u>	<u>1734</u>			
	Weight	<u>112.2334</u>	<u>112.2330</u>			

Sample Volume: 250 + 250 + 75 + 160

Aqueous ID#: 84

Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-27-06</u>	<u>10-27-06</u>		105.8174	Total: 4.6 Mg
	Time	<u>922</u>	<u>1343</u>			
	Weight	<u>105.8176</u>	<u>105.8172</u>			
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>12-13-06</u>	<u>12-13-06</u>		105.8220	
	Time	<u>1135</u>	<u>1736</u>			
	Weight	<u>105.8218</u>	<u>105.8222</u>			

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5**  
**Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources**  
**Organic Condensable Emissions**

Client	<u>Gerdau Ameristeel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902334</u>
Unit	<u>Old Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<b>TEST 1</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>9:54-12:32</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>11/8/2006</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>1.2</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>73.888</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>193197</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0162</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.4150</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00025</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<b>TEST 2</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>13:28-16:14</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>11/8/2006</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>1.1</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>67.959</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>179399</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0162</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.3841</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00025</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<b>TEST 3</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>16:36-18:33</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>11/8/2006</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>1.5</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>70.774</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>185044</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0212</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.5187</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00033</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3**

Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0179</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.4392</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00028</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5**  
**Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources**  
**Aqueous Condensable Emissions**

Client	North Star Steel	Analyst	MAC
Facility	St. Paul	Job Number	902334
Unit	Old Baghouse	Description	Particulates
Location	Stack		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>9:54-12:32</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>11/8/2006</i>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>6.5</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>6.5</u> mg	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>73.888</u> dscf	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>193197</u> dscfm	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.088</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>2.248</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>13:28-16:14</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>11/8/2006</i>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>4.5</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>4.5</u> mg	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>67.959</u> dscf	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>179399</u> dscfm	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.066</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.571</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>16:36-18:33</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>11/8/2006</i>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>4.6</u> mg	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>4.6</u> mg	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>70.774</u> dscf	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>185044</u> dscfm	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.065</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.591</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3**

Particulate Concentration	NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration		<u>0.073</u> mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate		<u>1.803</u> lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration		<u>0.001</u> gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration		<u>#DIV/0!</u> gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

## EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5

### Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources

#### Filterable Emissions

Client	<u>Gerdau Ameristeel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902334</u>
Unit	<u>Old Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>9:54-12:32</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>1.2 mg</u>	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>7.6 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>73.888 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>193197 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.119</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>3.043</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.002</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>13:28-16:14</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>7.8 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>67.959 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>179399 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.115</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>2.723</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.002</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>16:36-18:33</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>0.1 mg</u>	<u>20.90</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>9.0 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>70.774 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>185044 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.129</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>3.147</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.002</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

#### RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3

Particulate Concentration		NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration		<u>0.121</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate		<u>2.971</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration		<u>0.002</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration		<u>#DIV/0!</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen



## EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5

### Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources

#### Total Emissions

Client	<u>Gerdau Ameristeel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902334</u>
Unit	<u>Old Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>9:54-12:32</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>8.8 mg</u>		<u>20.90 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>7.7 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>73.888 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>193197 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.223 mg/dscf</u>	
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>5.706 lbs/hr</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.003 gr/dscf</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>16.50 mg</u>	

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>13:28-16:14</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>7.8 mg</u>		<u>20.90 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>5.6 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>67.959 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>179399 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.197 mg/dscf</u>	
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>4.678 lbs/hr</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.003 gr/dscf</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>13.40 mg</u>	

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>16:36-18:33</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>11/8/2006</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>9.1 mg</u>		<u>20.90 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>6.1 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>70.774 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>185044 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.215 mg/dscf</u>	
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>5.256 lbs/hr</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.003 gr/dscf</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>15.20 mg</u>	

#### RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3

Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.212 mg/dscf</u>	
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>5.214 lbs/hr</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.003 gr/dscf</u>	
Particulate Concentration			<u>#DIV/0!</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>

## **Appendix E**

### **Equipment Calibrations and Opacity Certification**

**APEX INSTRUMENTS METHOD 5 PRE-TEST CONSOLE CALIBRATION  
USING CALIBRATED CRITICAL ORIFICES  
5-POINT ENGLISH UNITS**

Meter Console Information	
Console Model Number	2010-5
Console Serial Number	
DGM Model Number	2010-4
DGM Serial Number	

Calibration Conditions	
Date	24-Aug-06 10:45
Barometric Pressure	28.8 in Hg
Theoretical Critical Vacuum	13.6 in Hg
Calibration Technician	nt

Factors/Conversions	
Std Temp	528 °R
Std Press	29.92 in Hg
K <sub>1</sub>	17.647 oR/in Hg

\*For valid test results, the Actual Vacuum should be 1 to 2 in. Hg greater than the Theoretical Critical Vacuum shown above.  
 †The Critical Orifice Coefficient, K<sub>1</sub>, must be entered in English units, (ft<sup>3</sup>/min)<sup>0.5</sup>/(in.Hg<sup>0.5</sup>min).

Run Time	Metering Console				Calibration Data				Critical Orifice	
	DGM Orifice ΔH (F <sub>m</sub> ) in H <sub>2</sub> O	Volume Initial (V <sub>m</sub> ) cubic feet	Volume Final (V <sub>mf</sub> ) cubic feet	Outlet Temp Initial (t <sub>mo</sub> ) °F	Outlet Temp Final (t <sub>mf</sub> ) °F	Serial Number	Coefficient K <sub>1</sub>	Amb Temp Initial (t <sub>amb</sub> ) °F	Amb Temp Final (t <sub>amb</sub> ) °F	Actual Vacuum in Hg
10.0	0.2	823.120	826.328	73	74	TA 40	0.2305	72	72	15
10.0	0.6	826.328	831.000	74	75	TA 48	0.3354	72	72	15
10.0	1.0	831.000	837.076	75	76	TA 55	0.4352	72	72	15
10.0	1.9	837.076	845.454	76	76	TA 63	0.6001	72	72	15
10.0	3.3	845.454	856.452	76	78	TA 73	0.7928	72	72	12

Standardized Data				Results			
Dry Gas Meter (V <sub>m(Std)</sub> ) cubic feet	(Q <sub>m(Std)</sub> ) cfm	Critical Orifice (V <sub>C(Std)</sub> ) cubic feet	(Q <sub>C(Std)</sub> ) cfm	Calibration Factor		Dry Gas Meter	
				Value (Y)	Variation (ΔY)	Flowrate Std & Corr (Q <sub>m(Std)(Corr)</sub> ) cfm	ΔH @ 0.75 SCFM (ΔH@) in H <sub>2</sub> O
3.054	0.305	2.874	0.287	0.941	0.000	0.287	1.558
4.442	0.444	4.182	0.418	0.941	0.001	0.418	1.686
5.773	0.577	5.427	0.543	0.940	-0.001	0.543	1.766
7.972	0.797	7.483	0.748	0.939	-0.002	0.748	1.826
10.482	1.048	9.885	0.989	0.943	0.002	0.989	1.827
				0.941	Y Average		1.733
							ΔH@ Average

Note: For Calibration Factor Y, the ratio of the reading of the calibration meter to the dry gas meter, acceptable tolerance of individual values from the average is +0.02.

I certify that the above Dry Gas Meter was calibrated in accordance with USEPA Methods, CFR Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A-3, Method 5, 16.2.3

Signature: *[Handwritten Signature]*

Date: 8-24-06

**APEX INSTRUMENTS METHOD 5 PRE-TEST CONSOLE CALIBRATION**  
**USING CALIBRATED CRITICAL ORIFICES**  
**5-POINT ENGLISH UNITS**

Meter Console Information	
Console Model Number	2010-07
Console Serial Number	
DGM Model Number	2010-7
DGM Serial Number	

Calibration Conditions	
Date	5-Sep-06
Time	1:30
Barometric Pressure	29.1 in Hg
Theoretical Critical Vacuum <sup>1</sup>	13.7 in Hg
Calibration Technician	NT

Factors/Conversions	
Std Temp	528 °R
Std Press	29.92 in Hg
K <sub>1</sub>	17.647 or/in Hg

<sup>1</sup>For valid test results, the Actual Vacuum should be 1 to 2 in. Hg greater than the Theoretical Critical Vacuum shown above.

<sup>2</sup>The Critical Orifice Coefficient, K<sub>1</sub>, must be entered in English units, (ft<sup>3</sup>·R<sup>1/2</sup>)/(in·Hg·min).

Run Time	Metering Console				Calibration Data				Critical Orifice			
	DGM Orifice	Volume	Volume	Outlet Temp	Outlet Temp	Serial Number	Coefficient	Amb Temp	Amb Temp	Actual		
Elapsed (g)	(P <sub>m</sub> ) in H <sub>2</sub> O	(V <sub>m1</sub> ) cubic feet	(V <sub>m2</sub> ) cubic feet	(t <sub>m1</sub> ) °F	(t <sub>m2</sub> ) °F		K	(t <sub>amb</sub> ) °F	(t <sub>amb</sub> ) °F	Vacuum		
10.0	0.3	1.276	4.337	79	79	TA40	see above <sup>2</sup>	76	78	15		
10.0	0.6	4.337	8.769	79	80	TA48	0.3354	78	79	15		
10.0	1.0	8.769	14.543	80	81	TA55	0.4352	79	80	15		
10.0	2.0	14.543	22.505	81	81	TA63	0.6001	80	80	15		
10.0	3.5	22.505	32.957	81	82	TA73	0.7928	80	81	15		

Standardized Data				Results			
Dry Gas Meter		Critical Orifice		Calibration Factor		Dry Gas Meter	
(V <sub>actual</sub> ) cubic feet	(Q <sub>actual</sub> ) cfm	(V <sub>crad</sub> ) cubic feet	(Q <sub>crad</sub> ) cfm	Value (Y)	Variation (ΔY)	Flowrate Std & Corr (Q <sub>std/corr</sub> ) cfm	AH @ 0.75 SCFM (ΔH @) in H <sub>2</sub> O
2.918	0.292	2.895	0.289	0.992	0.000	0.289	1.731
4.225	0.423	4.206	0.421	0.995	0.003	0.421	1.823
5.500	0.550	5.452	0.545	0.991	-0.001	0.545	1.808
7.596	0.760	7.515	0.751	0.989	-0.003	0.751	1.912
10.000	1.000	9.923	0.992	0.992	0.000	0.992	1.931
				0.992	Y Average		1.841

Note: For Calibration Factor Y, the ratio of the reading of the calibration meter to the dry gas meter, acceptable tolerance of individual values from the average is ±0.02.

I certify that the above Dry Gas Meter was calibrated in accordance with USEPA Methods, CFR, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A-3, Method 5, 16.2.3

Signature

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Date

9-5-06

# VISIBLE EMISSIONS EVALUATOR

This is to certify that

*James Wilson*

met the specifications of Federal Reference Method 9 and qualified as a visible emissions evaluator. Maximum deviation on white and black smoke did not exceed 7.5% opacity and no single error exceeding 15% opacity was incurred during the certification test conducted by Eastern Technical Associates of Raleigh, North Carolina. This certificate is valid for six months from date of issue.

344906

Certificate Number

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Location

October 4, 2006

Date of Issue

*Thomas Hore*

President

*Michael W. Sunford*

Director of Training

Date \_\_\_\_\_

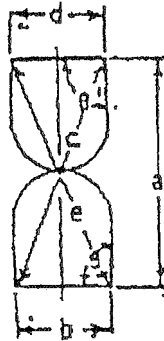
S-TYPE PITOT GEOMETRIC CALIBRATION

PART 2 - PITOT ALIGNMENT

Probe Identification 11:22 Pitot Identification 11:22  
 Technical Specialist NATE TRANT  
 Date 8-22-06

A.

Transverse  
Tube Axis



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 b 0.382  
 c 0.991  
 d 0.362  
 e 0.986  
 theta 91.8  
 theta' 92.4

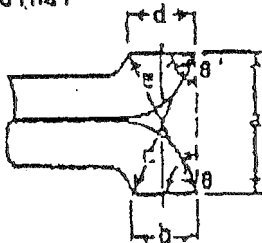
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$$\frac{a^2 + d^2 - e^2}{2ad} = \cos \theta'$$

(80° < theta < 100°)  
 (80° < theta' < 100°)

B.

Longitudinal  
Tube Axis



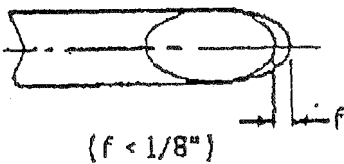
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 e 1.000  
 theta 93.1  
 theta' 92.1

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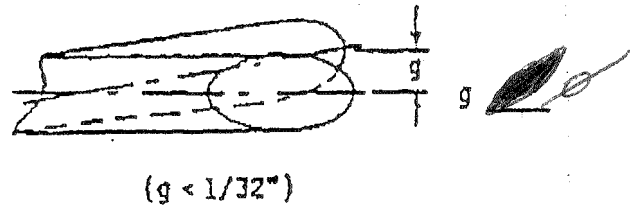
(85° < theta < 95°)  
 (85° < theta' < 95°)

C.



f 0.047

D.



(g < 1/32")

NOTE: values in parentheses are EPA Method 2 specifications.

PROBE THERMOCOUPLE CALIBRATION

Expected Stack Temperature (T<sub>s</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_ °R  
 Mercury Thermometer (T<sub>ref</sub>) 72.7 °R  
 Thermocouple Readout 72.0 °R  
 Probe Identification 11:22  
 Technician NATE TRANT

Tolerances

(T<sub>s</sub> ± 10%)  
 (T<sub>ref</sub> ± 1.5%) 0.96%

Date 8-22-06

Date \_\_\_\_\_

S-TYPE PITOT GEOMETRIC CALIBRATION

PART 2 - PITOT ALIGNMENT

Probe Identification 12:00

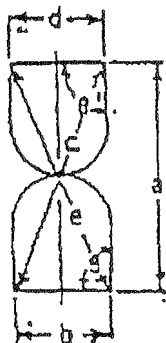
Pitot Identification 12:00

Technical Specialist NATE TRALT

Date 8-23-06

A.

Transverse  
Tube Axis



- a 1.026
- b 0.362
- c 1.083
- d 0.378
- e 1.069
- theta 89.1
- theta' 86.1

$$\frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2ab} = \cos \theta$$

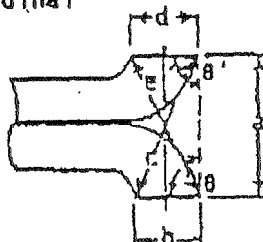
$$\frac{a^2 + d^2 - e^2}{2ad} = \cos \theta'$$

$$(80^\circ < \theta < 100^\circ)$$

$$(80^\circ < \theta' < 100^\circ)$$

B.

Longitudinal  
Tube Axis



- a 1.020
- b 0.561
- c 1.144
- d 0.551
- e 1.162
- theta 87.7
- theta' 90.3

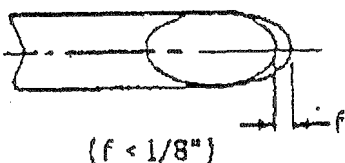
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$$\frac{a^2 + d^2 - e^2}{2ad} = \cos \theta'$$

$$(85^\circ < \theta < 95^\circ)$$

$$(85^\circ < \theta' < 95^\circ)$$

C.



f 0.049

D.



(g < 1/32")

NOTE: values in parentheses are EPA Method 2 specifications.

PROBE THERMOCOUPLE CALIBRATION

Expected Stack Temperature (T<sub>s</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_ °R

Mercury Thermometer (T<sub>ref</sub>) 72.7 °R

Thermocouple Readout 71.3 °R

Probe Identification 12:00

Technician NTW NTW

Tolerances

(T<sub>s</sub> ± 10%)

(T<sub>ref</sub> ± 1.5%)

1.92%

Date 8-23-06

## **Appendix F**

### **Test Plan and Approval Letter**





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The owner or operator of an emissions facility is responsible for submitting a complete test report as defined by Minn. R. 7017.2035. A test report may be rejected if it is deemed incomplete. As a result, this form is designed to ensure that your submittal is complete.

1) Facility Name: Gerdau Ameristeel

2) AQ Facility ID Number (first 8 digits of permit number): 12300055

3) AQ File Number: 1230055-11

4) Facility Location Address:  
1678 Red Rock Road

City: St.Paul State: MN ZIP Code: 55119

5) Date of Performance Test: November 8, 2006

6) Facility Contact Person (Individual who is designated to receive agency correspondence related to this test):

Mr./Ms: Douglas Stolowski Phone: 651-731-5697

Title: Regional Environmental Affairs manager Fax: 651-731-5699

Mailing Address: 1678 Red Rock Road

City: St. Paul State: Mn ZIP Code: 55119

e-mail address: dstolowski@gerdauameristeel.com

## 7) Test Report Check List:

Cover:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Name and location (address) of the emission facility	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Date(s) of the performance test
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Identification of emission unit(s) tested (i.e. GP002, EU031, SV028, or CE001 – Identification of the tested unit which has the emission limit as designated by your permit (source designators))	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Name and address of the testing company or agency
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AQ Facility ID Number (first 8 digits of permit number) and AQ File Number	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Facility contact person (individual designated to receive agency correspondence), and contact information including title, address, phone number, fax number, and email address



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## Certification:

- |                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Signed and dated certification statements as defined by Minn R. 7017.2040 (An exact duplicate must be included in the CD-ROM copy of the test report) |
|-------------------------------------|---|

## Introduction:

- |                                     |   |                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Reason for testing (i.e. Permit condition, notice of violation, etc., including permit number or name of other applicable compliance document, include correct Rule citation as outlined in permit) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Pollutants tested (for each emission unit tested)  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Test location and type of process including source designators as outlined in permit  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Observers names including industry and agency observers  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Test date(s)  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Changes from test plan, problems experienced during test and any other relevant background information |

## Summary of Results:

(see attached Table 1: Summary of Performance Test Results)

- |                                     |  |                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Emission results expressed in the same units as the emission limits  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Description of collected samples  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Process data as related to determination of compliance (must include process rates, process parameters and pollution control equipment parameters that will be used to determine worst case operating conditions and pollution control equipment limitations during the test (see the relevant operator data forms at <a href="http://www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performancetest.html">http://www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performancetest.html</a> )) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Visible emissions summary if applicable   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Emission limits (as stated in your permit or applicable regulations) and applicable regulations citations as stated in your permit   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Discussion of errors, both real and apparent (If no errors occurred, verify by including statement) |

## Operating Parameters:

(see the relevant operator data forms at <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performancetest.html>)

**\*Note:** Readings of discrete data from monitoring instruments must be recorded at least every 15 minutes, or other reasonable time interval as approved, during the test and strip charts or retrieved electronic data from continuous monitors must be included in the



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test report.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Description of process and air pollution control devices including emission unit(s) tested (i.e. GP002, EU031, SV028, or CE001 – Identification of the tested unit which has the emission limit as designated by your permit (source designators))	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Process data and results, with example calculations (Process data must be collected and averaged for each test run and averaged for each series of tests for each unit tested. Process data must be displayed in the same units that were used to determine worst case operating conditions during the test. Process data must be easily understood by personnel not familiar with the process.)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Process and control equipment flow diagrams	<input type="checkbox"/>	Any specially required operation demonstrations

## Maintenance:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Description including dates of all maintenance and operational inspections, including major cleaning operations and replacement, repair, or modification of functional components of process or control equipment done in the month prior to the test (Include a statement if no maintenance was performed)
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## Sampling and Analysis Procedures:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sampling port location and dimensioned cross section showing all flow disturbances including fans, elbows, dampers, constrictions and pollution control equipment. Measurements should be included on diagram(s).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brief description of sampling procedures and analytical methods, with discussion of deviations from standard methods (include a statement if no deviations were made), including a statement of source methods used, but not including complete copies of reference methods
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Description of sampling point (including duct orientation, number of test ports, number of sampling points, distances to upstream and downstream flow disturbances)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	If a method other than a US EPA reference method was used: a statement of the detection limit and the level of accuracy of the method under the conditions of the test and at the concentration of air pollutant that is reported.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Description of sampling train		

## Appendix:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Complete results, including any fuel analysis, with example calculations, showing equations used and actual results in equation form on same or adjacent pages, using applicable equations shown in the reference method	<input type="checkbox"/>	Test log (include test times, test interruptions and causes, and any other significant events related to the testing)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Copies of raw field data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Calibration procedures and results including pitot tube, nozzle, meter box, thermometer, barometer calibrations and any other equipment used to collect emissions samples. Instrument calibrations must be performed in accordance to the reference



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			method used and calibration values must be displayed on the same data recorder from which emissions results are calculated.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Laboratory report with chain of custody record	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Project participants and titles
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Raw production data, signed by plant official who can interpret, and be held accountable for the data	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A copy of the most recent version of the test plan and a copy of the commissioner's written approval of the test plan
<b>Additional Information:</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other special requirement of the test method, test plan, applicable requirement or compliance document	<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other information necessary to evaluate compliance with Minn R. parts 7017.2020 and 7017.2025 as requested by the commissioner.

## REFERENCED TABLE

**Table 1: Summary of Performance Test Results**

1(a) Emission Unit Tested	1(b) Limitation Basis	1(c) Pollutant and Emission Limit	1(d) Test Result
<b><u>EXAMPLE</u></b>  Boiler No. 3 (EU 042/ SV 440)	Minn. Stat. 116.07, subd. 4a	Particulate (B): 12 lbs/hour	Particulate (B): 4.1 lbs/hour
		VOC: 13 lbs/hour as carbon	VOC: 2.3 lbs/hour as carbon
	Title I Condition: 40 CFR § 52.21(j) (BACT limit); Minn. R. 7007.3000	Carbon Monoxide: 0.090 lbs/MMBtu	Carbon Monoxide: 0.00078 lbs/MMBtu
		Volatile Organic Compounds: 0.0090 lbs/MMBtu	Volatile Organic Compounds: 0.00050 lbs/MMBtu
	Title I Condition: 40 CFR § 52.21(k) (modeling); Minn. R. 7007.3000	Carbon Monoxide: 33.6 lbs/hour	Carbon Monoxide: 0.26 lbs/hour

Table References:

- (A) Filterable particulate matter as determined by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Method 5.
- (B) Filterable plus organic condensable particulate matter as determined by EPA Method 5 and Method 202/ Minn. R. 7011.0725.
- (C) Particles with an aerodynamic diameter less than or equal to a nominal ten micrometers (PM<sub>10</sub>) as determined by EPA Methods 5 and 202.



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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

**1) Facility Name** -- Enter your facility name.

**2) AQ Facility ID No.** -- Fill in your Air Quality Facility ID Number. This is the first eight digits of the permit number for all new permits issued under the new operating permit program. In the future, this number will replace the AQ File Number in item 3) below.

**3) AQ File No.** -- Fill in your AQ File Number. This is the first group of characters in your current Air Emission Facility Permit. For example, for permit number 1899AB-93-OT-1, the AQ Facility ID number would be 1899AB. Can be found in the upper right hand corner of the Test Plan Approval.

**4) Facility Location** -- Fill in the facility's street address and the city and county where the facility is located.

**5) Date of Performance Test** -- Enter the date of your performance test.

**6) Facility Contact Person** -- Fill in the contact information for the person that the MPCA may contact regarding this performance test.

**7) Test Report Check List:** This checklist is to ensure that your test submittal includes all of the required information.

### **REFERENCED TABLE:**

#### **1) Summary of Performance Test Results:**

**1a) Emission Unit Tested:** As designated by permit (i.e. EU, SV, etc.)

**1b) Limitation Basis:** All applicable rule citations from permit that apply to tested unit(s).

**1c) Pollutant and Emission Limit:** Pollutant to be tested and emission limit as outlined in permit

**1d) Test Result:** State test result.

## Brian Durkop

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**From:** Stock, Curtis [Curtis.Stock@state.mn.us]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 01, 2006 3:05 PM  
**To:** dstolowski@gerdauameristeel.com; bdurkop@eagle-msi.com  
**Cc:** Parr, Scott  
**Subject:** TPAL for Gerdau Ameristeel Nov06

**Attachments:** TPAL for Gerdau Ameristeel Nov06.doc; PTRCC Mar06ver.doc



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Ameristeel Nov...



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Douglas,

Attached is the Test Plan Approval Letter (TPAL) for the particulate matter testing to be conducted on the Ladle Refining Station and Electric Arc Furnace baghouses on November 8, 2006.

Please include a copy of the test plan, TPAL and this email in the final report.

Also attached is the Performance Test Report Completeness Criteria form. Please use this to review the report prior to submitting it to the agency. The form is designed to help assure completeness of test reports and aid in efficient MPCA report review and compliance determination.

Contact me if you have any questions.

Curt Stock  
Performance Test Coordinator  
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
520 Lafayette Road  
St. Paul, MN 55155-4194

(651) 297-8480  
(651) 296-8717 (fax)

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www.pca.state.mn.us

Gerdau Ameristeel – St. Paul

**AQ# 151**

**Facility Name:** Gerdau Ameristeel – St. Paul

**Facility Contact:** Douglas Stolowski

**Address:** 1678 Red Rock Road  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55119

**Phone:** (651) 731-5697

**Emission Unit(s):** Ladle Refining Station (EU001, CE001) and Electric Arc Furnace (EU002, CE002)

**Scheduled For:** November 8, 2006, at your facility located in St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Your test plan submitted on September 25, 2006, has been approved  
by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) as follows:**

- Shortened test notification approved
- Test plan approved without modification
- Test plan approved with the following provisions:

Particulate matter and PM<sub>10</sub> emissions measured by Method 5D and 202 and opacity determined using Method 9.

Include in the final test report(s) all process and pollution control equipment operating data collected at 15 minute intervals and averaged for each test period. This information should be easily understood by individuals not familiar with the process.

Include in the final test report and CD-ROM copy; a signed certifications form, the test plan, this test plan approval letter (TPAL) and the email to which the TPAL was attached. The CD-ROM test report copy must be labeled with the AQ File Number, Company Name, Emission Unit Tested and Test Dates as stated on the submittal form. Only one paper copy and one CD-ROM/Microfiche copy of the test report are to be submitted.

Include in the final test report a simplified drawing of the test locations including pollution control equipment, stack orientation and test port locations.

Use of the PTRCC form will help assure that a complete test report is submitted to the agency

Obtain the required submittal and operating data forms from the website noted below.

## Required Forms:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Combustion Sources         | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Performance Test Report Completeness Criteria (PTRCC) (attached to email) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Process Sources | <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Asphalt Plants   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certifications Form                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microfiche/CD-ROM Submittal Form  |

**Note:** Forms are also available at: [www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performance-test.html](http://www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performance-test.html)

Approved by:



Date: 11/1/06

Curtis Stock  
Performance Test Coordinator  
Compliance and Enforcement Section  
Industrial Division

**Please contact me at (651) 297-8480 if you have any questions regarding this approval.**

*Please be aware that enforcement action will be taken for performance test failures indicating emissions above applicable limits (excess actual emissions to the environment). Failures commonly result in assessment of a monetary penalty. Upon the first test failure, the Company should take immediate measures to minimize emissions. The measures taken should be documented, as they will become part of the record of corrective actions.*

*Hard Copy Performance Test Reports and Microfiche or CD Copy submittals will be addressed to: Compliance Tracking Coordinator, Compliance and Enforcement Unit, Industrial Division, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, 520 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-4194*

**cc:** Douglas Stolowski, Gerdau Ameristeel (email)  
Drian Durkop, Eagle Mountain Scientific, Inc. (email)  
Scott Parr, MPCA St. Paul (email)  
AQ Correspondence File No. 151



## TEST PLAN FOR MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES

Proposed test date(s): *November 8, 2006*  
Date Test Plan Written: *September 20, 2006*

### **PART I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. Name and street address of emission facility:

*Gerdau Ameristeel  
1678 Red Rock Road  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55119*

Name, Title, Telephone and Facsimile number of contact person at emission facility:

*Mr. Douglas Stolowski  
Regional Environmental Affairs Manager  
Phone: (612) 731-5697  
Fax: (612) 731-5699*

2. Permit File Number: *#12300055-11*
3. Reason the emission unit(s) is (are) to be tested: *To demonstrate compliance with emission limitations set forth in the MPCA Permit #12300055-11.*
4. Physical description and location layout of emission unit(s) to be tested: *See Below*

#### **Emission Point #1**

***Old Baghouse (Inlet duct) - 16 Points  
Volumetric Flow Rate***

See Attachment 1

***Old Baghouse (Baghouse) - 108 Points  
36 points per test  
Particulate Sampling***

3x3 Matrix in each of 12 compartments

3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3
3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3

**Emission Point #2**

***New Baghouse (Inlet Duct) - 16 Points  
Volumetric Flow Rate***

See Attachment 2

***New Baghouse (Baghouse) - 84 Points  
28 points per test  
Particulate Sampling***

4x3 Matrix in each of seven compartments

4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3

5. Name of Independent Testing Company, contact person, and telephone number:

*Eagle Mountain Scientific, Inc.  
Brian Durkop  
Phone: (763) 477-4462  
Fax: (763) 477-5991  
Email: bdurkop@eagle-msi.com*

**PART II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS**

1. The following is a description of the Pollutant(s) to be tested, and the applicable emission limit(s), and the applicable rule(s) or regulation(s) for each emission limit:

Pt. #	Limitation Basis	Pollutant Tested/Limit	Specific Methods
1	* See Footnote 1	PM, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
1	* See Footnote 1	PM10, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
1	40 CFR 60.272a	Opacity, 3%	EPA Method 9
2	40 CFR 60.272a	PM, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
2	* See Footnote 2	PM10, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
2	40 CFR 60.272a	Opacity, 3%	EPA Method 9

*Footnote 1 – Limit emissions to those used for netting calculations.*

*Footnote 2 – Minnesota SIP modeled PM10 ambient air quality standard compliance.*

Operating Data to be recorded during the Test:

1. Operating conditions of each source tested and its associated pollution control equipment will be documented in the test report. Documentation of operating conditions includes all parameters listed in Part III.

*Process conditions including baghouse pressure drops and fan amps will be recorded every 15 minutes during each test.*

2. The following is a detailed description of the procedure for fuel sampling and analysis to be followed for the applicable emission unit. *NA*

### **PART III. OPERATING CONDITIONS**

1. The following contains a detailed description of the emission unit(s) to be tested:

Detailed descriptions of record keeping that include the specific time interval, and other parameters listed that will determine production, operating capacity, and/or operating conditions during testing are also included:

#### ***Emission Point No. 01: Old Baghouse (Ladle Refining Station)***

#### **Process Equipment Description for units to be tested:**

*Ladle Refining Station*

*Type: Ladle Refining Furnace*

*Mfr: Voest-Alpine Industries, Inc.*

*Capacity: 90 to 100 tons per heat*

*Continuous Casting Machine*

*Mfr: Mini-Castco*

*Capacity: 700,000 tons/year*

#### **Process Equipment Parameter Monitoring During Performance Test:**

*Tons per heat*

*Heat duration*

**Process Rates/Operating Conditions During Testing:**

*Batch process*  
*Normal*

**Control Equipment Description:**

*Type: Fabric filter baghouse - positive pressure*  
*Mfr: American Air Filter*  
*Air Flow: 250,000 to 360,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Gas Temperature: 100 to 140 degrees F*

**Control Equipment Operating Parameter During Test: (15 minute Intervals)**

*Air Flow: 250,000 to 300,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Continuous Cleaning Cycle*

**Emission Point No. 02: New Baghouse (Electric Arc Furnace)**

**Process Equipment Description for units to be tested:**

*Type: Electric Arc Furnace*  
*Mfr: Voest*  
*Capacity: 90 to 100 ton heat size*

**Process Equipment Parameter Monitoring During Performance Test:**

*Tons per heat*  
*Heat duration*

**Process Rates/Operating Conditions During Testing:**

*Batch process*  
*Normal*

**Control Equipment Description:**

*Type: Fabric filter baghouse - positive pressure*  
*Mfr: Amerex*  
*Air Flow: 450,000 to 850,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Gas Temperature: 125 to 250 degrees F*

**Control Equipment Operating Parameter During Test: (15 minute Intervals)**

*Air Flow: 500,000 to 700,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Continuous Cleaning Cycle*

2. For each process unit listed in Part III, Item 1, the normal range of process or operating rates for each emission unit are listed below. The proposed test conditions listed in Part III, Item

1, are considered worst case in accordance with Minn. R. 7017.2025, subpart 2 as indicated below:

***Emission Point No. 01: Old Baghouse (Ladle Refining Station)***

Normal Range of Process or Operating Rates      Rationale For Worst Case  
*Batch Process – Heat duration is highly specific to the type of product in production. To achieve worst case scenario testing is conducted when process is in operation only by suspending testing during downtime.*

*90 to 100 tons per heat  
Maximum production rate*

***Emission Point No. 02: New Baghouse (Electric Arc Furnace)***

Normal Range of Process or Operating Rates      Rationale For Worst Case  
*Batch Process – Heat duration is highly specific to the type of product in production. To achieve worst case scenario testing is conducted when process is in operation only by suspending testing during downtime.*

*90 to 100 tons per heat  
Maximum production rate*

**PART IV. TEST METHODS**

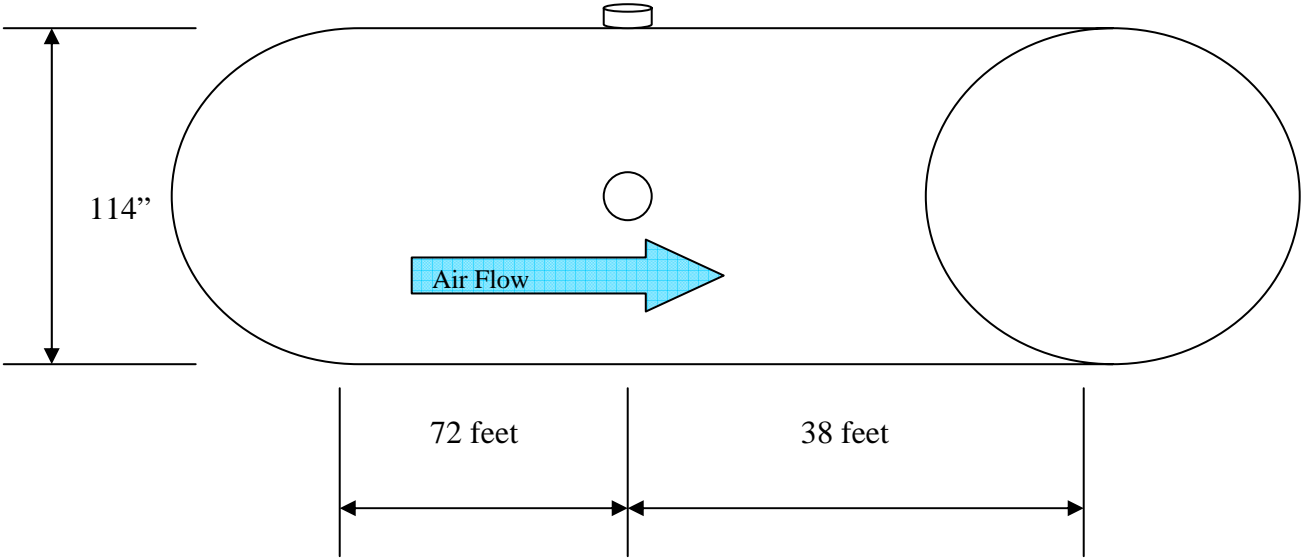
1. The following is a description of the methods, number of test runs, length of test runs, and sampling rate of each pollutant:
  - A. *EPA Method 1 for the location of sampling ports and points.*
  - B. *EPA Method 2 for velocity and volumetric flow rate. One measurement just prior to each test run for TSP as PM10.*
  - C. *EPA Method 3 for gas analysis. One test run on an integrated sample taken concurrently with each run for velocity and volumetric flow rate.*
  - D. *EPA Method 4 for the determination of moisture in the flue gases. One test run concurrently with each test run for TSP as PM10.*
  - E. *EPA Method 5D and 202 (TSP) for the concentration of particulate matter including organic condensable. Results are to be reported both as filterable particulate matter containing organic condensable (where the limit includes organic condensable), and as filterable particulate matter excluding organic condensable (where the limit does not include organic condensable). Run time: 120 minutes, Sample volume: 60 dscf (1.70 dscm) No. Runs: 3. TSP values will be reported as PM10 to meet the permits applicable emission standard.*
  - F. *EPA Method 9 as amended by Minn. R. 7017.2060 for visual determination of opacity. One-hour observation, concurrent with one test run for TSP as PM10.*

**Justification for EPA 5D testing verses PM10 testing using EPA 201A**

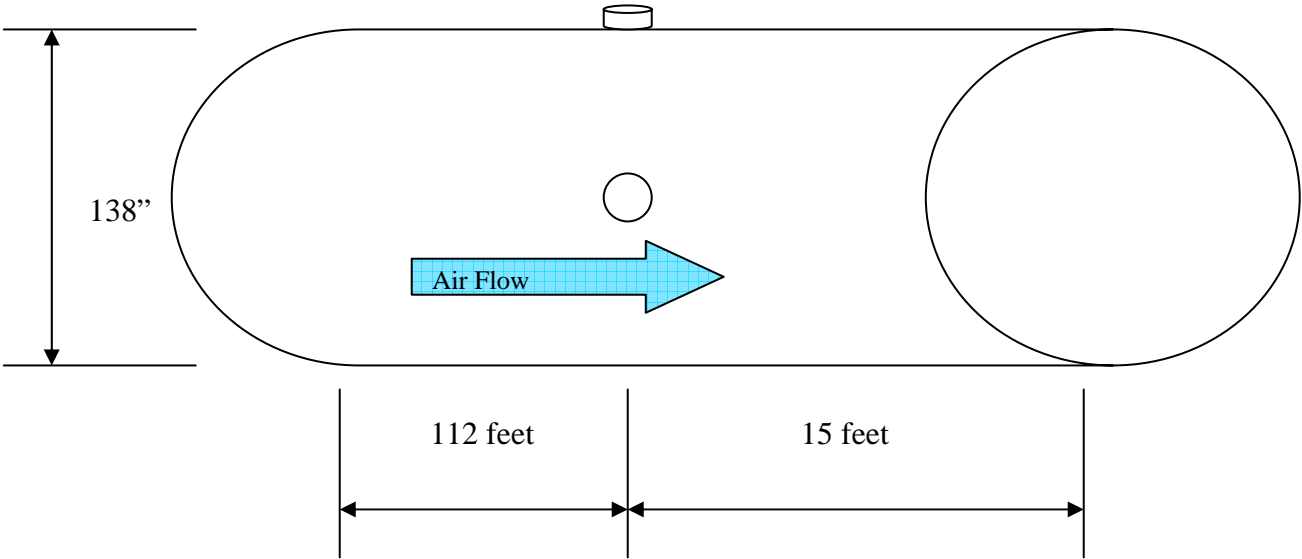
The emission points proposed to be tested are the old and new baghouses. These baghouses are of the single monovent positive pressure design. Flow determination at the sample location in



**Attachment 1  
Emission Point #1  
Old Baghouse Inlet Duct**



**Attachment 2  
Emission Point #2  
New Baghouse Inlet Duct**





*Results of the Compliance  
Test for Particulates  
as PM-10 and Opacity  
Gerdau Ameristeel, St. Paul  
Amerex (New) Baghouse*

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## REPORT CERTIFICATIONS

1.) **Certification of sampling procedures by the team leader of the personnel conducting the sampling procedures:**

"I certify under penalty of law that the sampling procedures were performed in accordance with the approved test plan and that the data presented in this test report are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the test report."

Signature: Brian Durkin Print Name: Brian Durkin  
Title: Vice President Date: 11-14-05

2.) **Certification of analytical procedures by the person responsible for the laboratory analysis of field samples:**

"I certify under penalty of law that the analytical procedures were performed in accordance with the requirements of the test methods and that the data presented for use in this test report were, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the test report."

Signature: Mark Carlson Print Name: Mark Carlson  
Title: Lab Analyst Date: 11-14-05

3.) **Certification of test report by senior staff person at the testing company who is responsible for compiling and checking the test report:**

"I certify under penalty of law that this test report and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gathered and evaluated the test information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who performed the sampling and analysis related to the performance test, the information submitted in this test report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the test report."

Signature: Brian Durkin Print Name: Brian Durkin  
Title: Vice President Date: 11-14-05

4.) **Certification of test report by owner or operator of the emission facility:**

"I certify under penalty of law that the information submitted in this test report accurately reflects the operating conditions at the emission facility during this performance test and describes the date and nature of all operational and maintenance activities that were performed on the process and control equipment during the month prior to the performance test. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who performed the operational and maintenance activities, the information submitted in this test report is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. All exceptions are listed and explained in the cover letter or attachments submitted with this report."

Signature: Douglas Stolarick Print Name: Douglas Stolarick  
Title: Environmental Date: 11-17-05

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## SECTION 1.0

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report presents the results of a source test performed by Eagle Mountain Scientific, Inc. (EMSI) at the Gerdau Ameristeel facility located in St. Paul, Minnesota. The test was performed on October 4, 2005 to quantify particulate matter (to be reported as PM-10) and visible emissions from the New Baghouse (Amerex). The purpose of the test was to meet the requirements set forth in the Gerdau Ameristeel Permit to Operate (12300055-11). EMSI conducted U. S. EPA (EPA) and Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) approved testing methods. This report describes the procedures used to complete the testing and the results of these tests.

The testing was performed by Mr. Brian Durkop, Mr. James Wilson, Mr. Mark Carlson, and Mr. Jerry Bovee. The process operating conditions were recorded by Gerdau Ameristeel plant personnel and EMSI.

#### 1.1 Summary of Test Methods

**Table 1.1**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - New Baghouse**  
**October 4, 2005**

METHOD	PURPOSE	RUN TIME	# OF RUNS
EPA 1	Determination of Traverse Points	NA	1
EPA 2	Determination of Velocity and Volumetric Flow	112 minutes	3
EPA 3	Determination of Molecular Weight	112 minutes	3
EPA 4	Determination of Moisture	112 minutes	3
EPA 5D	Determination of Particulate Matter	112 minutes	3
EPA 9	Determination of Opacity	60 minutes	1
EPA 202	Determination of Condensable Particulate Matter	NA	3

#### 1.2 Summary of Test Results

**Table 1.2**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - New Baghouse**  
**October 4, 2005**

POLLUTANT	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	AVERAGE	LIMIT
PM-10 (gr/dscf)	0.0014	0.0028	0.0005	0.0016	0.0052
Opacity (%)	0	NA	NA	0	3

### 1.3 Summary of Production

**Table 1.3**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel - New Baghouse**  
**Particulates As PM10**  
**October 4, 2005**

PARAMETER	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	AVERAGE
Production (tons/hr)	98.0	100.6	92.3	97.0

### 1.4 Summary of Report Organization

This report is organized in the following manner. Section 2.0 provides detailed test results for the individual test runs. Section 3.0 provides a summary of the testing procedures.

The following information is located in appendices A through F, respectfully: copies of the field data sheets, calculated field data results, process operations data, laboratory test analyses, equipment calibrations and opacity certification, and the test plan.

## SECTION 2.0

### TEST RESULTS

The testing was conducted in conformance to applicable US EPA and MPCA methodologies and rules. The testing project was conducted according to the approved test plan submitted to the MPCA. A copy of the test plan and approval letter are located in Appendix F.

#### 2.1 Particulates

The results of the three tests performed for the determination of particulate matter with condensables are reported in Table 2.1. The electric arc furnace operates on a batch process, so to achieve a worst case-operating scenario, between heats when the process is down sampling was stopped.

**Table 2.1**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel- New Baghouse**  
**Particulate Test Results**  
**October 4, 2005**

<b>Client:</b> <i>Gerdau Ameristeel</i>		<b>Plant:</b> <i>St. Paul</i>		
<b>Date(s):</b> <i>October 4, 2005</i>		<b>EPA Method(s):</b> <i>1-5D, 202</i>		
Run #:	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	
Date:	10/4/2005	10/4/2005	10/4/2005	
Time:	10:13-12:48	15:09-17:22	17:44-20:04	Average
<b>Production</b>				
Steel (tons/hr)	98.0	100.6	92.3	97.0
<b>Control Equipment (monovent baghouse)</b>				
DP 1 (inH2O)	8.11	6.25	5.61	6.66
DP 2 (inH2O)	3.62	3.60	3.61	3.61
DP 3 (inH2O)	5.24	4.74	4.62	4.87
DP 4 (inH2O)	Cleaning	3.70	4.06	3.88
DP 5 (inH2O)	5.65	4.96	4.30	4.97
DP 6 (inH2O)	5.99	5.10	4.44	5.18
DP 7 (inH2O)	4.14	3.37	3.05	3.52
Fan #1 (Amps)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fan #2 (Amps)	170.00	163.00	183.00	172.00
Fan #3 (Amps)	171.00	163.00	181.00	171.67
<b>Duct Conditions</b>				
Stack Temp (°F)	172	232	166	190
Oxygen (%)	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8
Carbon Dioxide (%)	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
Moisture (%)	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Mol Weight, Dry	28.9	28.9	28.9	28.9
Stack Press (inH2O)	-11.00	-11.00	-11.00	-11.00
Stack Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	103.87	103.87	103.87	103.87
Stack Vel (ft/sec)	94.3	93.5	87.4	91.7
Stack Flow (wacfm)	587,369	582,886	544,559	571,605
Stack Flow (wscfm)	465,470	421,879	435,075	440,808
Stack Flow (dscfm)	456,626	413,864	426,808	432,433

**Baghouse Conditions**

Nozzle (inches).....	1.215	1.215	1.215	1.215
Stack Temp (°F).....	184	188	200	191
Oxygen (%).....	19.8	19.8	19.7	19.8
Carbon Dioxide (%).....	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
Moisture (%).....	2.6	2.9	3.1	2.9
Mol Weight, Dry.....	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0
Stack Press (inH2O).....	-0.18	0.19	0.30	0.10
Stack Area (ft2).....	4914.76	4914.76	4914.76	4914.76
Stack Vel (ft/sec).....	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.9
Stack Flow (wacfm).....	596,303	540,105	564,616	567,008
Stack Flow (wscfm).....	476,528	429,186	439,505	448,406
Stack Flow (dscfm).....	463,947	416,918	425,779	435,548

**Test Results - Total Particulate Matter**

Sample Gas Vol (dscf).....	83.116	75.316	78.536	78.989
Isokinetics (%).....	97.6	98.5	100.5	98.9
Filter (mg).....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Probe Rinse (mg).....	2.7	5.4	0.0	2.7
Aqueous (mg).....	5.0	8.4	2.3	5.2
Organic (mg).....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total (mg).....	7.7	13.8	2.3	7.9
Filterable (lbs/hr).....	1.993	3.953	0.000	1.982
Aqueous (lbs/hr).....	3.691	6.150	1.649	3.830
Organic (lbs/hr).....	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total (lbs/hr).....	5.685	10.103	1.649	5.812
Filterable (gr/dscf).....	0.0005	0.0011	0.0000	0.0005
Aqueous (gr/dscf).....	0.0009	0.0017	0.0005	0.0010
Organic (gr/dscf).....	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Total (gr/dscf).....	0.0014	0.0028	0.0005	0.0016

## 2.2 Opacity

Mr. Mark Carlson conducted the visible emission observations. Whitlow Enterprises certified Mr. Carlson. A copy of his current certification certificate is located in Appendix E.

**Table 2.2**  
**Gerdau Ameristeel- New Baghouse**  
**Opacity Test Results**  
**October 4, 2005**

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**Client:** *Gerdau Ameristeel*

**Date(s):** *October 4, 2005*

**Plant:** *St. Paul*

**EPA Method(s):** *9*

Run #: Run 1  
Date:..... 10-4-05  
Time:..... 11:40-12:40

***Production***

Steel (tons/hr)..... 98.0

***Control Equipment (monovent baghouse)***

DP 1 (inH2O) ..... 8.11  
DP 2 (inH2O) ..... 3.62  
DP 3 (inH2O) ..... 5.24  
DP 4 (inH2O) ..... Cleaning  
DP 5 (inH2O) ..... 5.65  
DP 6 (inH2O) ..... 5.99  
DP 7 (inH2O) ..... 4.14  
Fan #1 (Amps) ..... 0.00  
Fan #2 (Amps) ..... 170.00  
Fan #3 (Amps) ..... 171.00

## SECTION 3.0

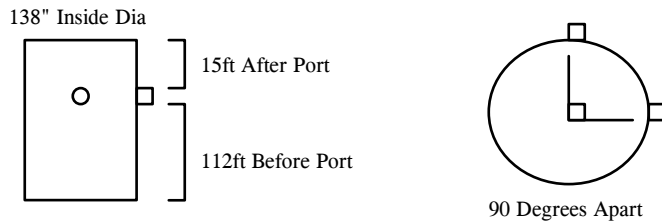
### TEST PROCEDURES

#### 3.1 Determination of Sample Point Locations

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Method 1

##### Inlet Duct

Number of Ports:	2
Inside Diameter:	138 inches
Area:	103.866 cubic feet
Distance Upstream of Ports:	112 feet
Distance Downstream of Ports:	15 feet
Total Number of Points:	16
Number of Points per Diameter:	8



Point 1	4.6	inches
Point 2	14.4	inches
Point 3	26.8	inches
Point 4	44.6	inches
Point 5	93.4	inches
Point 6	111.2	inches
Point 7	123.6	inches
Point 8	133.4	inches

##### Baghouse (Outlet)

Each compartment was divided into a 4 x 3 matrix for a total number of points for each compartment being 12. Run 1 sampled at points 1-4 in each of the seven compartments for a total of 28 points. Run 2 followed by sampling at 5-8 in each compartment, and finally Run 3 sampled at points 9-12.

Sample Matrix

4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3



Number of Compartments: 7  
 Total Area of Baghouse: 4914.76 cubic feet  
 Total Number of Points: 84  
 Number of Points Per Run: 28  
 Run 1 points: 1 to 4 in seven compartments  
 Run 2 points: 5 to 8 in seven compartments  
 Run 3 points: 9 to 12 in seven compartments

#### Baghouse Dimensions

Compartment Number	Compartment Depth	Compartment Width	Number of Beams	Number of Doors	Compartment Area (ft2)
1	28'11"	24'10.5"	5	1	717.213
2	28'11"	23'11.5"	4	1	690.805
3	28'11"	24'0"	4	1	692.011
4	28'11"	23'11.5"	4	1	690.805
5	28'11"	24'0.5"	4	1	693.217
6	28'11"	23'11.5"	4	1	690.805
7	28'11"	25'8"	7	1	739.906
Total Baghouse Exhaust Area					4,914.762

### 3.2 Determination of Particulate Matter

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Methods 2-5D  
Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 51, Appendix M, Methods 202

#### Sampling System

A curved sample nozzle was connected via a "Swage-Lok" fitting to a heated probe liner. The probe liner was attached to a heated glass filter holder containing a glass fiber filter. The exit to the filter holder was connected to the impinger train which consisted of a set of pre-weighed impingers connected in series and immersed in an ice bath. The impinger train was followed in series by a carbon vane pump, a dry test meter, and a calibrated orifice connected to an inclined manometer. A Tedlar bag was used to collect an integrated Method 3 sample. Type K thermocouples were used to measure the following temperatures: probe heater, filter heater, impinger outlet, and dry test meter inlet and outlet.

A combination Stausscheibe (Type S) pitot tube and type K thermocouple were used to measure duct velocity head and temperature. The pitot tube was connected via flexible tubing to an inclined manometer. The thermocouple was connected to a digital potentiometer.

#### Sampling Procedure

Prior to sampling, traverse points were selected based on Method 1 requirements. The locations of the traverse points are presented in the reduced field data sheets. A preliminary traverse of the stack was performed to determine stack velocity head, temperature distributions, cyclonic flow, and stack static pressure. If necessary, preliminary runs by Methods 3 and 4 were performed to determine duct moisture and fixed gas content. Based on this information, a sample nozzle of appropriate inside diameter was selected, and the impinger train charged. Sample time per traverse point was estimated in order that a minimum of 30 dscf of sample would be collected.

The apparatus was assembled as completely as possible in the staging area and transported to the sample site. Potential contamination of the sample train was prevented by sealing all openings with aluminum foil. Once in the sampling area, the probe and filter heaters were brought to temperatures of  $250 \pm 25^\circ\text{F}$ , and the apparatus was leak checked. Upon successful completion of the leak check, the initial dry test meter reading was recorded, and the probe inserted at the first traverse point.

The stack temperature, dry test meter temperature, and the velocity head across the pitot was measured and recorded on the data sheet. The isokinetic sampling rate in terms of pressure drop across the calibrated orifice was calculated and recorded on the data sheet. The pump and timer were turned on, and the sample rate adjusted to correspond to the calculated isokinetic rate. Once the sample rate was set, the following data was recorded:

- Dry Gas Meter Volume
- Dry test meter outlet temperature
- Sample vacuum
- Probe heater temperature
- Filter heater temperature
- Impinger outlet temperature

At the end of the sample time for the first point, the probe was moved to the next point, and the measurements, calculations and recording of data was repeated. Upon completion of sampling from a port, the pump was turned off and the dry test meter reading recorded. The probe was removed from the stack, and placed in the next sample port. The previously described procedure was repeated for each sample port.

When the sample run was completed, the final dry test meter reading was recorded and the probe removed from the port. A post-test leak check was performed at a vacuum higher than the highest sample vacuum measured during the sample run. The final leak rate was recorded on the data sheet. The sample train was sealed from contamination and transported to the staging area for recovery.

### **Sample Recovery**

Sample was recovered in two fractions: front half and back half. The front half fraction consisted of the filter itself, as well as, acetone rinses and brushings of: the nozzle, the probe liner; and the front half of the filter holder. The filter was recovered to a labeled petri dish made of glass or plastic. Acetone rinses were recovered to a labeled, clean polyethylene bottle. The liquid level in the polyethylene bottle was marked upon completion of recovery.

Prior to recovery of the back half fraction, the exterior of each impingers were cleaned and dried, and the net weight gain of each was determined to the nearest 0.5 gram. The back half fraction consisted of the liquid impinger catch and rinses of the impingers and all connecting glassware. Glassware rinses were recovered to a clean, labeled polyethylene or glass bottle. The liquid level of the bottle was marked upon completion of recovery.

At the conclusion of each day of sampling, reagent and recovery solvent blanks were collected into the same types of containers as were used for sample recovery. The blank containers were clearly labeled, and the liquid levels marked.

### **Analytical Procedure**

The Method 3 sample was analyzed in the field with a fyrite analyzer. The results of this analysis are presented both in the calculated field data and on the field data sheets.

Prior to analysis, the samples were checked for liquid loss, and the liquid volume of each sample bottle determined. The liquid samples from each run and blanks were transferred to individual tared beakers, and the liquid allowed to evaporate at ambient temperature and pressure. The front half fraction and solvent blanks were analyzed gravimetrically until two consecutive weighings agreed to within 0.5 mg.

Prior to analysis, back half fraction and blanks were checked for liquid loss, and the liquid volume of each sample bottle determined. The back half fraction was extracted with methylene chloride or chloroform/ether and analyzed gravimetrically. Each sample was extracted three times with 25 ml of methylene chloride or 75ml chloroform/ 75ml ether in a separatory funnel. After each extraction, the organic (solvent) fraction was decanted. The organic (solvent) and aqueous (water) fractions were placed in individual tared beakers. The organic fraction was evaporated at ambient temperature and pressure, while the aqueous fraction was evaporated at just below the boiling point. After evaporation, the beakers were desiccated for 24 hours, and weighed until consecutive weighings agreed to within 0.5 mg.

### **3.3 Determination of Opacity**

REF: Code of Federal Regulations, Title 40, Part 60, Appendix A, Method 9

#### **Positioning of the observer**

The opacity of the plume as viewed by the observer can be influenced due to several variables with respect the position of the observer. The position of the observer with respect to the sun. Position of the observer with respect to the observation point. Attached or detached steam plumes. Position of the observer with respect to a rectangular stack with high length to width ratios.

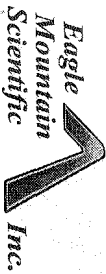
The acceptable criteria for the position the observer is outlined in Method 9 as follows:

- 1) The observer must maintain a position with the sun located at a 140° arc to the observers back.
- 2) The observer must maintain an angle of <18° with respect to the observation point.
- 3) The observer must read the opacity where a steam plume does not interfere. Between the stack and the steam plume if the steam plume is detached from the stack. After the steam plume if the steam plume is attached from the stack.
- 4) The observer must read a rectangular stack at a point where the stack has the shortest cross sectional diameter.

**Visible Emission Readings**

A test for visible emission requires 480 consecutive reading. Each reading is recorded in 15-second intervals for 60-minutes. The percent opacity is recorded in 5 percent increments for 0 to 100. The observer must record the results on a data sheet as outlined in Method 9. (ie. position of the observer, date, time, process information, location of the stack, and the 15-second opacity readings). The determination of opacity is calculated using a 6-minute rolling average.

**Appendix A**  
**Field Data Sheets**



# STACK TEST DATA SHEET

Client: Gerdau Ameristeel Test Method: EPA 5D Date: 10-4-05  
 Facility: St. Paul Test Number: 1 Job #: 902264  
 Unit: New Baghouse Description: TSP Page: 1 of 3  
 Location: Compartments Start/Stop Time: 1013 - 1248 Operator: BD

PRE-TEST DATA  
 Tamb: 29.17 °F Meter Box #: 2010-5 Inspinger End: 1215 MATERIAL WEIGHT (g)  
 Pbar: 29.17 In Hg Nozzle Dia. (in): 1.915 #1  
 K-Factor: 1.542 Filter #: 3 #2  
 Mol. WT: 0.968 Meter Factor: 4 #3  
 Pstack: -0.18 In H2O Meter Factor: 4 #4  
 Sample Time: 112 min Pitot Coeff: 0.84 Total

Sample Point	Time (min)	del P (In H2O)	del H (In H2O)	Meter Reading (acf)	Vacuum (In Hg)	Stack	Probe	Filter	Temperature °F		Leak Check CFM		VAC.	INIT	TIME	Comments/Observations	
									Inp Out	Dif.	In	Out					
1	0	0.00103	1.75	32.353	5	149	246	250	58	71	69						
1	4			35.5	5	173	239	251	57	71	69						
1	8			38.65	5	189	245	251	56	72	69						
1	12			41.8	5	191	247	251	56	72	70						
1	16			45.000	5	187	248	253	58	72	73						
2	1			48.0	5	196	249	252	54	74	74						
2	2			51.2	5	196	249	252	54	74	74						
2	2			54.4	5	196	248	251	55	79	74						
2	3			57.632	5	190	248	251	54	81	75						
2	4			60.9	5	153	249	252	55	82	77						
3	1			64.6	5	178	248	249	54	83	78						
3	2			67.2	5	202	247	248	55	83	79						
3	3			70.451	5	205	251	250	56	83	78						
3	4																
Total/Avg:		48															

1.59  
2.61  
3.71  
4.81

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# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client Gerdau Ameristeel Date 10-4-05 Facility St. Paul  
 Job Number 902264 Unit New Baghouse Operator(s) MC/JB  
 Location Inlet Fuel Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test No. 1 Stack %O<sub>2</sub> ~~20.8~~ 19.8  
 Barometric Pressure (in. Hg) 29.17 Stack %CO<sub>2</sub> ~~0.7~~ 1.1  
 Stack Pressure (Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O) -11.0 Test Description Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp) .84

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in.H <sub>2</sub> O)	T <sub>s</sub> (°F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
H	1	839	1.8	144		
	2		1.8	148		
	3		2.1	172		
	4		2.5	175		
	5		2.3	173		
	6		2.2	182		
	7		2.3	182		
	8		2.1	189		
V	1		2.3	144		
	2		2.2	166		
	3		2.5	173		
	4		2.5	174		
	5		2.4	178		
	6		2.3	180		
	7		2.3	174		
	8	848	1.8	191		

V<sub>s</sub> = 85.48 Cp

$$V_s = 85.48 \sqrt{\frac{(T_s + 460) \Delta P}{(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_{fg}}}$$

M<sub>fg</sub> = 0.440 (%CO<sub>2</sub>) + 0.320 (%O<sub>2</sub>) + 0.280 (100 - %O<sub>2</sub> - %CO<sub>2</sub>)



# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client Gerdau Ameristeel Date 10-4-05 Facility St. Paul  
 Job Number 902264 Unit New Baghouse Operator(s) MC / JB  
 Location Inlet Fuel Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test No. 2 Stack %O<sub>2</sub> 19.8  
 Barometric Pressure (in. Hg) 29.17 Stack %CO<sub>2</sub> 1.1  
 Stack Pressure (Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O) -11.0 Test Description Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp) .84

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in. H <sub>2</sub> O)	Ts (°F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
V	1	1028	1.9	223		
	2		2.1	243		
	3		2.0	249		
	4		2.2	260		
	5		2.0	263		
	6		1.9	264		
	7		1.9	262		
H	8	1037	1.7	261		
	1		2.0	187		
	2		2.1	197		
	3		2.2	210		
	4		2.2	222		
	5		2.0	214		
	6		2.1	216		
	7	1.8	217			
	8	1.7	216			

$V_s = 85.48 C_p$

$$\sqrt{(T_s + 460) \Delta P}$$

$$(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_{fg}$$

$M_{fg} = 0.440 (\%CO_2) + 0.320 (\%O_2) + 0.280 (100 - \%O_2 - \%CO_2)$



# VELOCITY TRAVERSE DATA SHEET

Client Gerdau Ameristeel Date 10-4-05 Facility St. Paul  
 Job Number 902264 Unit New Baghouse Operator(s) ML/JB  
 Location Inlet Fuel Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Test No. 3 Stack %O<sub>2</sub> ~~19.8~~ 19.8  
 Barometric Pressure (in. Hg) 29.17 Stack %CO<sub>2</sub> ~~1.1~~ 1.1  
 Stack Pressure (Ps) (in. H<sub>2</sub>O) -11.0 Test Description Flow  
 Pitot Tube Coefficient (Cp) 84

Traverse Point		Time	ΔP (in. H <sub>2</sub> O)	Ts (°F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic Angle
Port	Depth					
H	1	1534	2.1	173		
	2		1.9	181		
	3		2.2	187		
	4		2.1	183		
	5		2.0	176		
	6		1.8	171		
	7		1.8	169		
↓	8		1.6	177		
↓	1		1.9	145		
	2		2.0	155		
	3		2.2	157		
	4		2.1	156		
	5		1.6	154		
	6		1.9	157		
	7		2.1	162		
↓	8	1542	1.4	160		

$V_s = 85.48 C_p$

$$\sqrt{\frac{(T_s + 460) \Delta P}{(P_s / 13.6 + P_{BAR}) M_{fig}}}$$

$M_{fig} = 0.440 (\%CO_2) + 0.320 (\%O_2) + 0.280 (100 - \%O_2 - \%CO_2)$

VISIBLE EMISSION OBSERVATION FORM 1

Method Used (Circle One)  
 Method 9 203A 203B Other \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name  
 Gerdau Ameristeel  
 Facility Name  
 St. Paul  
 Street Address  
 1678 Red Rock Road  
 City State Zip  
 St. Paul MN 55119

Process Unit # Operating Mode  
 EAF New Normal  
 Control Equipment Operating Mode  
 Baghouse Normal

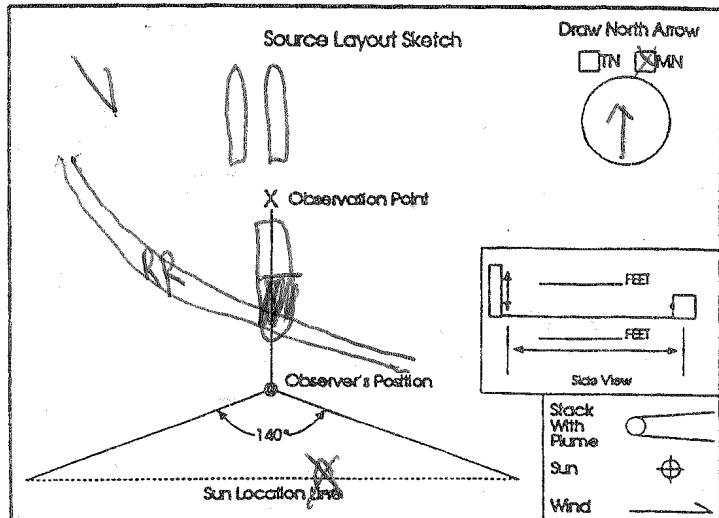
Describe Emission Point  
 Southernmost baghouse w/only one exit

Height of Emiss. Pt. Height of Emiss. Pt. Rel. to Observer  
 Start 2150' End ~150' Start ~~350'~~ 450' End ~~350'~~ ~150'  
 Distance to Emiss. Pt. Direction to Emiss. Pt. (Degrees)  
 Start 2200' End ~2000' Start 350° End 350°

Vertical Angle to Obs. Pt. Direction to Obs. Pt. (Degrees)  
 Start 30° End 30° Start 350° End 350°  
 Distance and Direction to Observation Point from Emission Point  
 Start above baghouse exit End same

Describe Emissions  
 Start None End None  
 Emission Color Water Droplet Plume  
 Start None End None Attached  Detached  None

Describe Plume Background  
 Start End  
 Background Color Sky Conditions  
 Start Gray End Gray Start Overcast End Overcast  
 Wind Speed Wind Direction  
 Start 5-10 End 5-10 Start NW End NW  
 Ambient Temp. Wet Bulb Temp. RH Percent  
 Start 65 End 65 82



Additional Information

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Observation Date	Time Zone	Start Time	End Time						
10-4-05	Central	1140	1210	Sec	0	15	30	45	Comments
Min	0	15	30	45					
1	0	0	0	0					
2	0	0	0	0					
3	0	0	0	0					
4	0	0	0	0					
5	0	0	0	0					
6	0	0	0	0					
7	0	0	0	0					
8	0	0	0	0					
9	0	0	0	0					
10	0	0	0	0					
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29	0	0	0	0					
30	0	0	0	0					

Observer's Name (Print)  
 Mark Carlson  
 Observer's Signature  
 Mark Carlson  
 Organization  
 EMSI  
 Certified By  
 Whitlow Enterprise  
 Date  
 10-4-05  
 Date  
 3-25-05

VISIBLE EMISSION OBSERVATION FORM 1

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Method Used (Circle One)  
Method 9 203A 203B Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Facility Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

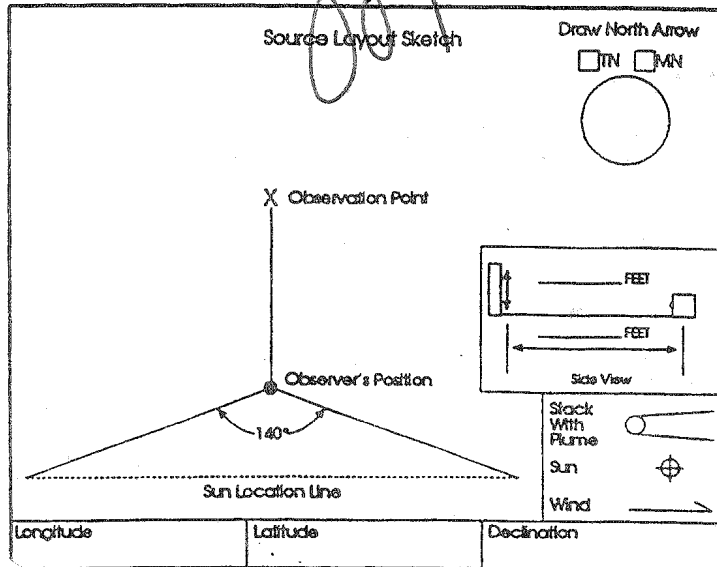
Process \_\_\_\_\_ Unit # \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Mode \_\_\_\_\_  
 Control Equipment \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Mode \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Emission Point \_\_\_\_\_  
 Height of Emiss. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distance to Emiss. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_

Vertical Angle to Obs. Pt. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distance and Direction to Observation Point from Emission Point \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Emissions \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emission Color \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attached  Detached  None

Describe Plume Background \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Background Color \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wind Speed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ambient Temp. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start \_\_\_\_\_ End \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wet Bulb Temp. \_\_\_\_\_  
 RH Percent \_\_\_\_\_



Additional Information \_\_\_\_\_

Observation Date	Time Zone	Start Time	End Time				
10-4-05	Central	1210	1240				
Sec Min	0	15	30	45	Comments		
1	0	0	0	0			
2	0	0	0	0			
3	0	0	0	0			
4	0	0	0	0			
5	0	0	0	0			
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30	0	0	0	0			

Observer's Name (Print) Mark Carlson  
 Observer's Signature Mark Carlson Date 10-4-05  
 Organization EMSI  
 Certified by Whitlow Date 3-25-05

## **Appendix B**

### **Calculated Field Data Results**

Client :	NSS	Unit:	New Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	1	Date :	4-Oct-05	Job # :	902,264
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.215 in.	Pbar =	29.17
Dry MW =	29.0	Ps =	-0.18 in. H2O	Yd =	0.97
Stack Area=	4914.76 sq. ft.	Condensate =	47.8 g	Ref Tmp =	68
Avg. O2 =	19.8 %	Avg. CO2 =	1.1 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)				
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In
New-0	0			32.353						
New-1	4	0.00103	1.75	35.500	5	149	246	250	58	71
New-2	8	0.00103	1.75	38.650	5	173	239	251	57	71
New-3	12	0.00103	1.75	41.800	5	189	245	251	56	72
New-4	16	0.00103	1.75	45.000	5	191	247	251	56	72
New-5	20	0.00103	1.75	48.000	5	187	248	253	58	77
New-6	24	0.00103	1.75	51.200	5	196	249	252	54	79
New-7	28	0.00103	1.75	54.400	5	196	248	251	55	79
New-8	32	0.00103	1.75	57.632	5	190	248	251	54	81
New-9	36	0.00103	1.75	60.900	5	153	249	252	55	82
New-10	40	0.00103	1.75	64.000	5	178	248	248	54	83
New-11	44	0.00103	1.75	67.200	5	202	247	248	55	83
New-12	48	0.00103	1.75	70.451	5	205	251	250	56	83
New-13	52	0.00103	1.75	73.200	5	205	247	250	63	82
New-14	56	0.00103	1.75	76.750	5	200	246	251	60	82
New-15	60	0.00103	1.75	80.000	5	193	251	254	57	80
New-16	64	0.00103	1.75	83.200	5	191	251	253	55	80
New-17	68	0.00103	1.75	86.500	5	159	250	246	58	80
New-18	72	0.00103	1.75	89.800	5	175	252	251	56	80
New-19	76	0.00103	1.75	93.000	5	182	250	251	55	80
New-20	80	0.00103	1.75	96.014	5	191	250	249	56	80
New-21	84	0.00103	1.75	99.000	5	196	251	248	59	80
New-22	88	0.00103	1.75	102.400	5	201	251	250	58	80
New-23	92	0.00103	1.75	105.600	5	204	252	251	56	80
New-24	96	0.00103	1.75	107.211	5	188	252	251	57	80
New-25	100	0.00103	1.75	111.950	5	169	248	251	62	79
New-26	104	0.00103	1.75	115.200	5	160	247	249	60	79
New-27	108	0.00103	1.75	118.400	5	166	249	250	57	79
New-28	112	0.00103	1.75	121.628	5	157	249	245	56	79
Ave./Total	112	0.00103	1.75	89.275	5	184	249	250	57	79

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 83.116 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 2.254 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 2.64 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 2.0 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 596303 WACFM  
 476528 WSCFM  
 463947 DSCFM

Concentration of Species  
 in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate  
 of Species :

% Isokinetic = 97.6 %

Client :	NSS	Unit:	New Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	2	Date :	4-Oct-05	Job # :	902,264
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.215 in.	Pbar =	29.17
Dry MW =	29.0	Ps =	0.19 in. H2O	Yd =	0.97
Stack Area=	4914.76 sq. ft.	Condensate =	47.0 g	Ref Tmp =	68
Avg. O2 =	19.8 %	Avg. CO2 =	1.2 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)				
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In
New-0	0				22.007					
New-1	4	0.00084	1.42	25.000	4	149	250	250	66	80
New-2	8	0.00084	1.42	27.850	4	207	254	250	56	81
New-3	12	0.00084	1.42	30.600	4	213	251	255	57	82
New-4	16	0.00084	1.42	33.500	4	224	252	253	56	82
New-5	20	0.00084	1.42	36.500	4	193	251	252	55	83
New-6	24	0.00084	1.42	39.400	4	202	251	249	56	84
New-7	28	0.00084	1.42	42.300	4	195	252	249	56	84
New-8	32	0.00084	1.42	45.200	4	185	249	253	55	84
New-9	36	0.00084	1.42	48.300	4	159	244	250	59	85
New-10	40	0.00084	1.42	51.050	4	163	245	249	53	85
New-11	44	0.00084	1.42	54.000	4	161	245	249	53	85
New-12	48	0.00084	1.42	57.171	4	153	245	248	55	85
New-13	52	0.00084	1.42	60.100	4	147	250	248	62	85
New-14	56	0.00084	1.42	62.900	4	158	244	250	57	85
New-15	60	0.00084	1.42	66.500	4	177	248	249	55	86
New-16	64	0.00084	1.42	68.918	4	156	247	248	59	86
New-17	68	0.00084	1.42	71.200	4	158	256	251	54	86
New-18	72	0.00084	1.42	74.800	4	190	254	250	55	86
New-19	76	0.00084	1.42	77.550	4	199	251	250	54	86
New-20	80	0.00084	1.42	80.211	4	205	251	250	54	86
New-21	84	0.00084	1.42	83.500	4	215	252	251	58	87
New-22	88	0.00084	1.42	86.300	4	218	251	250	54	87
New-23	92	0.00084	1.42	89.400	4	224	251	250	55	87
New-24	96	0.00084	1.42	92.200	4	221	250	253	58	88
New-25	100	0.00084	1.42	95.200	4	194	249	251	58	88
New-26	104	0.00084	1.42	98.100	4	201	248	251	54	88
New-27	108	0.00084	1.42	101.000	4	199	248	251	54	88
New-28	112	0.00084	1.42	103.945	4	199	247	252	58	88
Ave./Total	112	0.00084	1.42	81.938	4	188	250	250	56	85

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 75.316 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 2.216 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 2.86 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 1.8 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 540105 WACFM  
 429186 WSCFM  
 416918 DSCFM

Concentration of Species  
 in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate  
 of Species :

% Isokinetic = 98.5 %

Client :	NSS	Unit:	New Baghouse	Location:	Outlet
Test # :	3	Date :	4-Oct-05	Job # :	902,264
Cp =	0.84	Noz Diam =	1.215 in.	Pbar =	29.17
Dry MW =	29.0	Ps =	0.30 in. H2O	Yd =	0.97
Stack Area=	4914.76 sq. ft.	Condensate =	53.8 g	Ref Tmp =	68
Avg. O2 =	19.7 %	Avg. CO2 =	1.2 %		

Data Point	Time (min)	Del P (in. H2O)	Del H (in. H2O)	Meter (ACF)	Vacuum (in. Hg)	Temperatures (_F)				
						Stack	Probe	Filter	Dryer	Meter In
New-0	0			4.131						
New-1	4	0.0009	1.53	7.300	4	179	251	252	56	85
New-2	8	0.0009	1.53	10.150	4	205	252	253	52	85
New-3	12	0.0009	1.53	13.200	4	210	256	251	53	85
New-4	16	0.0009	1.53	16.243	4	209	253	247	53	85
New-5	20	0.0009	1.53	19.400	4	173	250	249	58	85
New-6	24	0.0009	1.53	22.400	4	206	251	248	57	85
New-7	28	0.0009	1.53	25.300	4	206	252	247	56	85
New-8	32	0.0009	1.53	28.410	4	207	251	248	52	85
New-9	36	0.0009	1.53	31.450	4	206	248	243	59	84
New-10	40	0.0009	1.53	34.500	4	200	247	249	56	84
New-11	44	0.0009	1.53	37.600	4	191	246	249	54	84
New-12	48	0.0009	1.53	41.001	4	203	247	250	56	84
New-13	52	0.0009	1.53	43.700	4	211	251	252	60	84
New-14	56	0.0009	1.53	47.100	4	212	250	251	52	84
New-15	60	0.0009	1.53	49.800	4	220	248	251	53	84
New-16	64	0.0009	1.53	52.883	4	225	247	250	54	84
New-17	68	0.0009	1.53	55.610	4	187	247	251	52	81
New-18	72	0.0009	1.53	59.100	4	196	248	251	56	81
New-19	76	0.0009	1.53	62.100	4	199	249	251	55	81
New-20	80	0.0009	1.53	65.100	4	208	248	246	52	81
New-21	84	0.0009	1.53	68.200	5	186	249	249	59	81
New-22	88	0.0009	1.53	71.200	5	183	248	250	51	81
New-23	92	0.0009	1.53	74.400	5	183	245	249	53	81
New-24	96	0.0009	1.53	77.300	5	195	248	249	54	81
New-25	100	0.0009	1.53	80.350	4	196	249	248	53	81
New-26	104	0.0009	1.53	83.400	4	204	250	249	54	81
New-27	108	0.0009	1.53	86.400	5	210	251	250	56	81
New-28	112	0.0009	1.53	89.495	5	201	250	251	55	81
Ave./Total	112	0.00090	1.53	85.364	4	200	249	249	55	83

Calculated Data and Test Results :

Sample Gas Volume = 78.536 DSCF  
 Water Vapor = 2.532 SCF  
 Moisture Content = 3.12 %  
 Average Stack Velocity = 1.9 ft/sec  
 Stack Flow = 564616 WACFM  
 439505 WSCFM  
 425779 DSCFM

Concentration of Species  
 in Sampled Gas :

Mass Flow Rate  
 of Species :

% Isokinetic = 100.5 %

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	NSS	<b>Date</b>	10-4-05
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	902264
<b>Unit</b>	New Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	MC, JB
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	1
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.17	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	-11	<b>Stack % O2</b>	19.8
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	1.1
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.9	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	103.866
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

Reverse Point Port	Depth	Time	Delta P (in.H2O)	Ts (_F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic (Deg.)	Flow (DSCFM)	SqRoot Delta P
H	1		1.80	144	83.26	0	421760	1.342
H	2		1.80	148	83.53	0	420371	1.342
H	3		2.10	172	91.99	0	445348	1.449
H	4		2.50	175	100.60	0	484765	1.581
H	5		2.30	173	96.34	0	465704	1.517
H	6		2.20	182	94.89	0	452264	1.483
H	7		2.30	182	97.03	0	462428	1.517
H	8		2.10	189	93.22	0	439476	1.449
V	1		2.30	144	94.11	0	476753	1.517
V	2		2.20	166	93.70	0	458007	1.483
V	3		2.50	173	100.45	0	485530	1.581
V	4		2.50	174	100.52	0	485147	1.581
V	5		2.40	178	98.80	0	473853	1.549
V	6		2.30	180	96.87	0	463150	1.517
V	7		2.30	174	96.42	0	465337	1.517
V	8		1.80	191	86.43	0	406250	1.342
Averages			2.21	172	94.26	0	456634	1.485

**Abs. Stack Pres.** 28.36 **in.Hg Absolute**  
**Stack Velocity** 94.25 **feet/second**  
5655 **feet/minute**  
**Stack Volumetric Flow** 587369 **WACFM**  
465470 **WSCFM**  
456626 **DSCFM**  
9789 **WACFS**

<b>Area (ft2)</b>	<b>ft/sec</b>	<b>Delta P</b>	<b>Proof</b>
4914.762	2.018	0.00103	2.018
<b>Baghouse</b>	<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	<b>Stk Temp _F</b>	
	0.3	180	
	29.189118	640	



**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	NSS	<b>Date</b>	10-4-05
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	902264
<b>Unit</b>	New Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	MC, JB
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	2
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.17	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	-11	<b>Stack % O2</b>	19.8
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	1.1
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.9	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	103.866
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

Reverse Point Port	Depth	Time	Delta P (in.H2O)	Ts (_F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic (Deg.)	Flow (DSCFM)	SqRoot Delta P
v	1	10:28 AM	1.90	223	90.96	0	407488	1.378
v	2		2.10	243	97.02	0	422260	1.449
v	3		2.00	249	95.08	0	410336	1.414
v	4		2.20	260	100.49	0	427064	1.483
v	5		2.00	263	96.02	0	406344	1.414
v	6		1.90	264	93.65	0	395781	1.378
v	7		1.90	262	93.52	0	396329	1.378
v	8		1.70	261	88.40	0	375150	1.304
h	1		2.00	187	90.83	0	429547	1.414
h	2		2.10	197	93.79	0	436792	1.449
h	3		2.20	210	96.94	0	442713	1.483
h	4		2.20	222	97.81	0	438801	1.483
h	5		2.00	214	92.70	0	420856	1.414
h	6		2.10	216	95.14	0	430610	1.449
h	7		1.80	217	88.14	0	398373	1.342
h	8	10:37 AM	1.70	216	85.60	0	387435	1.304
Averages			1.99	232	93.50	0	414117	1.409

**Abs. Stack Pres.** 28.36 in.Hg Absolute  
**Stack Velocity** 93.53 feet/second  
5612 feet/minute  
**Stack Volumetric Flow** 582886 WACFM  
421879 WSCFM  
413864 DSCFM  
9715 WACFS

<b>Area (ft2)</b>	<b>ft/sec</b>	<b>Delta P</b>	<b>Proof</b>
4914.762	1.829	0.00084	1.829
<b>Baghouse</b>	<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	<b>Stk Temp _F</b>	
	0.3	180	
	29.189118	640	

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 2**  
**Determination of Stack Gas Velocity & Volumetric Flow Rate**

<b>Client</b>	NSS	<b>Date</b>	10-4-05
<b>Facility</b>	St. Paul	<b>Job Number</b>	902264
<b>Unit</b>	New Baghouse	<b>Operator</b>	MC, JB
<b>Location</b>	Inlet Duct	<b>Test No.</b>	3
<b>Bar. Pressure (inHg)</b>	29.17	<b>Fuel Type</b>	None
<b>Stack Pressure (inH2O)</b>	-11	<b>Stack % O2</b>	19.8
<b>Pitot Tube Coef. (Cp)</b>	0.84	<b>Stack % CO2</b>	1.1
<b>Flue Gas Moisture (%)</b>	1.9	<b>Area (ft2)</b>	103.866
<b>Stack MW Dry</b>	28.85	<b>Stack MW Wet</b>	28.52
<b>Ref Pres (in.Hg)</b>	29.92	<b>Ref Temp _F</b>	68

Reverse Point Port	Depth	Time	Delta P (in.H2O)	Ts (_F)	Velocity (ft/sec)	Cyclonic (Deg.)	Flow (DSCFM)	SqRoot Delta P
v	1	3:34 PM	2.10	173	92.06	0	444996	1.449
v	2		1.90	181	88.12	0	420626	1.378
v	3		2.20	187	95.26	0	450513	1.483
v	4		2.10	183	92.78	0	441522	1.449
v	5		2.00	176	90.05	0	433246	1.414
v	6		1.80	171	85.10	0	412638	1.342
v	7		1.80	169	84.96	0	413294	1.342
v	8		1.60	177	80.61	0	387203	1.265
h	1		1.90	145	85.61	0	432959	1.378
h	2		2.00	155	88.55	0	440581	1.414
h	3		2.20	157	93.03	0	461335	1.483
h	4		2.10	156	90.82	0	451094	1.449
h	5		1.60	154	79.14	0	394388	1.265
h	6		1.90	157	86.45	0	428728	1.378
h	7		2.10	162	91.26	0	448913	1.449
h	8	3:42 PM	1.40	160	74.39	0	367127	1.183
Averages			1.92	166	87.39	0	426823	1.383

**Abs. Stack Pres.** 28.36 **in.Hg Absolute**  
**Stack Velocity** 87.38 **feet/second**  
5243 **feet/minute**  
**Stack Volumetric Flow** 544559 **WACFM**  
435075 **WSCFM**  
426808 **DSCFM**  
9076 **WACFS**

<b>Area (ft2)</b>	<b>ft/sec</b>	<b>Delta P</b>	<b>Proof</b>
4914.762	1.887	0.00090	1.887
<b>Baghouse</b>	<b>H2O Pres Stack</b>	<b>Stk Temp _F</b>	
	0.3	180	
	29.189118	640	

### METHOD 9 REDUCED FIELD DATA

Client: Gerdau Ameristeel  
 Facility: St. Paul  
 Unit: New Baghouse  
 Location: Baghouse vents

Date: 10-4-05  
 Time: 11:40-12:40  
 Project #: 902264  
 Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Test Results:**

Maximum 6 Minute Average: 0.0 %  
 Average Opacity: 0.0 %  
 Maximum Opacity: 0.0 %  
 Minimum Opacity: 0.0 %  
 # of Readings > 20%: 0  
 Number of Readings: 240

Interval	0	15	30	45
1	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	0	0
5	0	0	0	0
6	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	0
8	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	0
10	0	0	0	0
11	0	0	0	0
12	0	0	0	0
13	0	0	0	0
14	0	0	0	0
15	0	0	0	0
16	0	0	0	0
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25	0	0	0	0
26	0	0	0	0
27	0	0	0	0
28	0	0	0	0
29	0	0	0	0
30	0	0	0	0

Interval	0	15	30	45
31	0	0	0	0
32	0	0	0	0
33	0	0	0	0
34	0	0	0	0
35	0	0	0	0
36	0	0	0	0
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59	0	0	0	0
60	0	0	0	0

## **Appendix C**

### **Process Operations Data**



Minnesota  
Pollution  
Control  
Agency

# Operating Data Summary For Process Sources

Form ST-05

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
520 Lafayette Rd. N. Saint Paul, MN 55155-4194 (651)-296-6300

12/01/04

Test Date(s): 10-4-05 Process Equipment Number/Identification: EP-002  
Company Name: Gerdau Ameristeel

### Equipment & Operating Data

- Process Equipment Description: Electric Arc Furnace
- Were the process and control equipment operated consistent with normal procedures? YES  NO  If no, explain: \_\_\_\_\_
- Include copy of production records or instrumentation which indicates rate of production or operation of the equipment, i.e. units per hour, pounds per hour, pressure, air flow, etc. \_\_\_\_\_
- Date(s) and procedure(s) of last maintenance/cleaning within 6 months:  Remains unchanged from info. provided in test plan Routine Maintenance
- Process rate (amount of raw material or finished product per hour, wet or dry basis) while combusting (list fuel type(s) and ratios as appropriate) \_\_\_\_\_

Process Parameter: list type and units	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3
<u>Steel (Tons/hr)</u>	<u>98.0</u>	<u>100.6</u>	<u>92.3</u>
Fuel Input (list units)	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>
Heat Input (10 <sup>6</sup> British thermal units/hour)	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>NA</u>

- Summarize control equipment operating data documented during testing. Values reported should reflect maximum, minimum, averages, or as approved in the test plan. (See test plan and approval letter)

Examples of APC equipment and parameters generally monitored. Monitor as in test plan and/or approval letter.			
• Scrubber (list type of scrubber): $\Delta P$ (in. w.c.) and feed rate (gpm and psig)			
• Catalytic Incinerator: ( $^{\circ}F_{in}$ , $^{\circ}F_{out}$ ) and Thermal Incinerator: ( $^{\circ}F_{temperature}$ )			
• Baghouse, Cyclone, and Multi-clone: $\Delta P$ (in. w.c.)			
• ESP: Number and identity of operating field(s)			
APC and parameter monitored	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3
<u><math>\Delta P</math> Average Throughout Baghouse</u>	<u>5.46</u>	<u>4.53</u>	<u>4.24</u>
List pollutant & averaging basis.--should reflect permit	Run 1	Run 1	Run 1
Continuous Opacity Monitor(list hourly average)			
____ Monitor (list averaging basis):			
____ Monitor (list averaging basis):			

Abbreviations: APC-air pollution control      gpm.-gallons per minute      in. w.c.-inches of water column  
lbs.-pounds      psig-pressure per square inch gauge       $\Delta P$ - pressure drop

**Note:** This form provides only a summary of the operating conditions during the performance test. Additional and more detailed records are required to meet the requirements of Minn. R. 7017.2035, subp. 3. This form is to be submitted as part of the performance test report.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Brian Durkop [mailto:bwdurkop@tds.net]  
 Sent: Sunday, November 13, 2005 10:02 PM  
 To: Stolowski, Douglas  
 Subject: RE: meltshop heat #'s

Doug,

I am trying to get this report finalized but cannot understand the process data you sent.

Maybe you could calculate what I need for each run.

Thanks

10-4-05 New Baghouse		Run 1 1013-1248	Run 2 1509-1722	Run 3 1744-2004
Steel tons/hr	6:03 a.m.			
# of Heats		98	100.6	92.3
Amps Fan 1	0	0	0	0
Amps Fan 2	170	163	183	160
Amps Fan 3	171	163	181	158
			12:56 (Time)	
Delta P #1	8.11	6.25	5.61	
Delta P #2	3.62	3.6	3.61	
Delta P #3	5.24	4.74	4.62	
Delta P #4	cleaning	3.7	4.06	
Delta P #5	5.65	4.96	4.3	
Delta P #6	5.99	5.1	4.44	
Delta P #7	4.14	3.37	3.05	
Avg.	5.46	4.53	4.24	

Please provide information about any maintenance done to the Amerex Baghouse in the last 6 months for the report

10-4-05 Old Baghouse		Run 1 957-1206	Run 2 1245-1553	Run 3 1615-1910
Steel tons/hr				
# of Heats		98	95.7	100.6
	Time	6:03 a.m.	Time 6:59 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
Amps Fan 1		110	110	109
Amps Fan 2		110	110	104
Delta P #1		4.50	3.93	3.71
Delta P #2		4.00	3.42	3.21
Delta P #3		4.00	3.94	3.78
Delta P #4		4.00	3.18	2.92
Delta P #5		4.00	4.08	4.02
Delta P #6		4.00	3.78	3.56
Delta P #7		4.00	3.82	3.71
Delta P #8		4.00	3.40	3.2

Delta P #9	3.50	3.80	3.67
Delta P #10	4.00	3.30	3.05
Delta P #11	4.00	3.93	3.59
Delta P #12	4.00	3.65	3.21
Avg.	4.00	3.69	3.47

Please provide information about any maintenance done to the Amerex Baghouse in the last 6 months for the report

-----Original Message-----

From: Stolowski, Douglas [mailto:DStolowski@GerdauAmeriSteel.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, November 01, 2005 4:39 PM  
To: Brian Durkop  
Subject: meltshop heat #'s

Brian-  
Attached are the meltshop heat #'s.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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## **Appendix D**

### **Laboratory Test Analyses**



## EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5

### Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources

#### Total Emissions

Client	<u>North Star Steel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902264</u>
Unit	<u>New Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>10:13-12:48</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>2.7 mg</u>		<u>19.80 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>5.0 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>83.116 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>463947 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.093</u>	<u>mg/dscf</u>
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>5.685</u>	<u>lbs/hr</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	<u>gr/dscf</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.018</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>7.70</u>	<u>mg</u>

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>15:09-17:22</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>5.4 mg</u>		<u>19.80 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>8.4 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>75.316 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>416918 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.183</u>	<u>mg/dscf</u>
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>10.103</u>	<u>lbs/hr</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.003</u>	<u>gr/dscf</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.036</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>13.80</u>	<u>mg</u>

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>17:44-20:04</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filterable Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>		<u>19.70 % Oxygen</u>
Condensable Net Gain		<u>2.3 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	<u>F-factor</u>
Sample Gas Volume		<u>78.536 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>425779 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.029</u>	<u>mg/dscf</u>
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.649</u>	<u>lbs/hr</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.000</u>	<u>gr/dscf</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.005</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>
Total Particulate Gain (mg)			<u>2.30</u>	<u>mg</u>

#### RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3

Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	<u>lbs/mmBtu</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.102</u>	<u>mg/dscf</u>
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>5.812</u>	<u>lbs/hr</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.002</u>	<u>gr/dscf</u>
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.020</u>	<u>gr/dscf @7% Oxygen</u>

## EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5

### Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources

#### Filterable Emissions

Client	<u>North Star Steel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902264</u>
Unit	<u>New Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>10:13-12:48</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>2.7 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>83.116 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>463947 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.032</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.993</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.006</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>15:09-17:22</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>5.4 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>75.316 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>416918 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.072</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>3.953</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.014</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>17:44-20:04</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Filter Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>	<u>19.70</u>	% Oxygen
Probe Rinse Net Gain		<u>0.0 mg</u>	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Sample Gas Volume		<u>78.536 dscf</u>		
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>425779 dscfm</u>		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.000</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.000</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.000</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

#### RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3

Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.035</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.982</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.007</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5**  
**Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources**  
**Aqueous Condensable Emissions**

Client	<u>North Star Steel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902264</u>
Unit	<u>New Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<i>TEST 1</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>10:13-12:48</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>5.0 mg</u>	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>5.0 mg</u>	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>83.116 dscf</u>	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>463947 dscfm</u>	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.060</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>3.691</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.012</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 2</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>15:09-17:22</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>8.4 mg</u>	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>8.4 mg</u>	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>75.316 dscf</u>	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>416918 dscfm</u>	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.112</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>6.150</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.002</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.022</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<i>TEST 3</i>	<i>Time</i>	<u>17:44-20:04</u>	<i>Date</i>	<u>10/4/2005</u>
Dried Sample Net Gain		<u>2.3 mg</u>	<u>19.70</u>	% Oxygen
Aqueous Net Gain (H2O)		<u>2.3 mg</u>	NA	Sulfates (mg/ml)
Sample Gas Volume		<u>78.536 dscf</u>	NA	Impinger Volume (ml)
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>425779 dscfm</u>	NA	Sulfate Aliquot Vol (ml)
			NA	F-factor
Particulate Concentration			NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.029</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>1.649</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.005</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3**

Particulate Concentration	NA	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration	<u>0.067</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate	<u>3.830</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration	<u>0.001</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration	<u>0.013</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**EPA REFERENCE METHOD 5**  
**Determination of Particulate Emissions from Stationary Sources**  
**Organic Condensable Emissions**

Client	<u>North Star Steel</u>	Analyst	<u>MAC</u>
Facility	<u>St. Paul</u>	Job Number	<u>902264</u>
Unit	<u>New Baghouse</u>	Description	<u>Particulates</u>
Location	<u>Stack</u>		

<b>TEST 1</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>10:13-12:48</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>10/4/2005</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>0.0</u> mg	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>83.116</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>463947</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0000</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.0000</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<b>TEST 2</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>15:09-17:22</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>10/4/2005</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>0.0</u> mg	<u>19.80</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>75.316</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>416918</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0000</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.0000</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

<b>TEST 3</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>17:44-20:04</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>10/4/2005</b>
Organic Net Gain (Solvent)		<u>0.0</u> mg	<u>19.70</u>	% Oxygen
Sample Gas Volume		<u>78.536</u> dscf	<u>NA</u>	F-factor
Stack Volumetric Flow		<u>425779</u> dscfm		
Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0000</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.0000</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen

**RESULT AVERAGE TEST 1-3**

Particulate Concentration			<u>NA</u>	lbs/mmBtu
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.0000</u>	mg/dscf
Particulate Emission Rate			<u>0.0000</u>	lbs/hr
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf
Particulate Concentration			<u>0.00000</u>	gr/dscf @7% Oxygen



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gordian Ameristel Sample Volume NA  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type       
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. Dum 18  
 Sample Description Test 1 Filter

								Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	8-29-05	8-29-05					0.3121
	Time	1130	1403					
	Weight	0.3121	0.3121					
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05					0.3112
	Time	1015	1432					
	Weight	0.3112	0.3112					

Weight Gain (mg) -0.9  
 Blank Correction       
 Aliquot Correction       
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_





**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gerdau Ameristeel Sample Volume NA  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. I13  
 Sample Description Test 3 Filter

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	6-3-05	6-3-05				0.3132
	Time	1015	1456				
	Weight	0.3132	0.3131				
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05				0.3120
	Time	1616	1433				
	Weight	0.3122	0.3118				

Weight Gain (mg) -1.2  
 Blank Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Aliquot Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Berdan Ameristeel Sample Volume 170  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. 88  
 Sample Description Test 1 Acetone

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-3-05</u>	<u>10-5-05</u>				<u>118,1205</u>
	Time	<u>906</u>	<u>1308</u>				
	Weight	<u>118.1206</u>	<u>118.1204</u>				
Final Weight (g)	Date	<u>10-7-05</u>	<u>10-7-05</u>				<u>118.1232</u>
	Time	<u>1213</u>	<u>1621</u>				
	Weight	<u>118.1234</u>	<u>118.1231</u>				

Weight Gain (mg) 2.7  
 Blank Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Aliquot Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Particulate Weight (mg) 2.7

Analyst : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_





**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gerdau Ameristeel Sample Volume 80  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 150  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. 920045  
 Sample Description Test 2 Acetone

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05				68.8942
	Time	916	1316				
	Weight	68.8944	68.8940				
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05				68.8996
	Time	1159	1621				
	Weight	68.8998	68.8993				

Weight Gain (mg) 5.4  
 Blank Correction                       
 Aliquot Correction                       
 Particulate Weight (mg) 5.4

Analyst :                                       
 Approved by :                                       
 Method :                                       
 Date :



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gerdau Ameristeel Sample Volume 140  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Pagnase Filter/Container No. 84  
 Sample Description Test 3 Acetone

								Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05					105.8162
	Time	917	1318					
	Weight	105.8164	105.8159					
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05					105.8160
	Time	1215	1622					
	Weight	105.8159	105.8161					

Weight Gain (mg) - 0.2  
 Blank Correction                       
 Aliquot Correction                       
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst :                                       
 Approved by :                                       
 Method :                                       
 Date :



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gordian Ameristeel Sample Volume 200  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Bighouse Filter/Container No. 8  
 Sample Description Test 1 MeCl<sub>2</sub>

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05				87.2977
	Time	1009	1340				
	Weight	87.2979	87.2975				
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05				87.2965
	Time	1209	1623				
	Weight	87.2967	87.2963				

Weight Gain (mg) -1.2  
 Blank Correction                       
 Aliquot Correction                       
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst :                                       
 Approved by :                                       
 Method :                                       
 Date :



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gordon Ameristeel Sample Volume 200  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. 11  
 Sample Description Test 2 MeCl<sub>2</sub>

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05				85.8502
	Time	1056	1353				
	Weight	85.8503	88.8500				
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05				85.8495
	Time	1208	1624				
	Weight	85.8495	85.8495				

Weight Gain (mg) - 0.7  
 Blank Correction                       
 Aliquot Correction                       
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst :                                       
 Approved by :                                       
 Method :                                       
 Date :



**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gerdaun Ameristeel Sample Volume 200  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. E10  
 Sample Description Test 3 Mecl<sub>2</sub>

							Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05				114.1374
	Time	1013	1347				
	Weight	114.1377	114.1372				
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05				114.1366
	Time	1707	1626				
	Weight	114.1363	114.1368				

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Weight Gain (mg) -0.8  
 Blank Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Aliquot Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Particulate Weight (mg) 0.0

Analyst : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_





**PARTICULATE WEIGHT ANALYSIS**

Company Gerdau Ameristeel Sample Volume 250 + 100  
 Project # 902264 Filter/Container Type 250  
 Sample # New Baghouse Filter/Container No. 20  
 Sample Description Test 2 H<sub>2</sub>O

								Average
Initial Weight (g)	Date	10-3-05	10-5-05					86.7394
	Time	1034	1348					
	Weight	86.7358	86.7394					
Final Weight (g)	Date	10-7-05	10-7-05					86.7480
	Time	1205	1637					
	Weight	86.7478	86.7481					

Weight Gain (mg) 8.4  
 Blank Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Aliquot Correction \_\_\_\_\_  
 Particulate Weight (mg) 8.4

Analyst : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_





**Appendix E**  
**Equipment Calibrations**

**EMSI**  
**Dry Gas Meter Calibrations**

Dry Gas Meter #: 2010-5      Reference Std.: Gold Standard  
 Pump #: 2010-5      Ref. Correction: 1.000  
 Bp: 29.03      Standard Temp.: 68  
 Date: 8/25/2005      Standard Pres.: 29.92

Reference Std. Data								Field Dry Gas Meter							
				Meter Temperatures								Meter Temperatures			
Final Volume	Initial Volume	Total Volume	Initial Inlet	Initial Outlet	Final Inlet	Final Outlet	Delta H	Final Volume	Initial Volume	Total Volume	Initial Inlet	Initial Outlet	Final Inlet	Final Outlet	Run Times
495.010	486.251	8.759	68	68	69	68	1.00	14.184	5.075	9.109	70	70	71	70	15
503.777	495.010	8.767	69	69	70	69	1.00	23.322	14.184	9.138	72	70	73	71	15
510.952	503.777	7.175	70	69	70	70	1.50	30.765	23.322	7.443	73	71	75	72	10
518.118	510.952	7.166	71	70	71	70	1.50	38.207	30.765	7.442	76	72	76	73	10
526.478	518.118	8.360	71	70	71	70	2.00	46.865	38.207	8.658	75	73	76	73	10
535.089	526.478	8.611	71	70	71	70	2.00	55.774	46.865	8.909	75	74	76	74	10.3
544.414	535.089	9.325	71	70	72	70	2.50	65.394	55.774	9.620	76	74	77	74	10
553.718	544.414	9.304	72	70	72	70	2.50	74.902	65.394	9.508	76	75	77	75	10

**EMSI**  
**Dry Gas Meter Calibrations**

Dry Gas Meter #: 2010-5      Reference Std.: Gold Standard  
 Pump #: 2010-5      Ref. Correction: 1.0047  
 Bp: 29.03      Standard Temp.: 68  
 Date: 8/25/2005      Standard Pres.: 29.92

Delta H	Run Times	Yd	Error +/-0.02	Delta H@	Error +/-0.20
1.00	15.00	0.963	0.01	1.61	-0.01
1.00	15.00	0.961	0.01	1.61	-0.01
1.50	10.00	0.966	0.00	1.60	0.00
1.50	10.00	0.966	0.00	1.61	-0.01
2.00	10.00	0.968	0.00	1.57	0.01
2.00	10.30	0.970	0.00	1.57	0.01
2.50	10.00	0.972	0.00	1.58	0.01
2.50	10.00	0.981	-0.01	1.59	0.00
Average		0.968	0.00	1.592	0.00



**Whitlow Enterprises, LLC**

[www.smokeschool.net](http://www.smokeschool.net)

**Certifies that**

**Mark Carlson of Eagle Mountain Scientific Inc.**

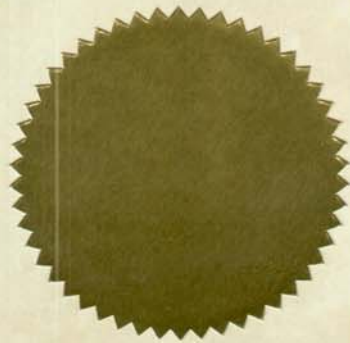
**Has met all of the requirements of EPA Reference Method 9 and 22**

**And is qualified as a Visible Emissions Observer**

**Date: March 25, 2005**

**This certificate is valid for 6 months after the above date**

**George Artie "Butch" Whitlow**



Certificate Number 923

## **Appendix F**

### **Test Plan and Approval Letter**



Minnesota  
Pollution  
Control  
Agency

# Performance Test Plan Approval

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
520 Lafayette Rd. N. Saint Paul, MN 55155-4194 (651) 296-6300  
www.pca.state.mn.us

AQ#151

**Facility Name:** Gerdau Ameristeel St. Paul Mill

**Facility Contact:** Douglas Stolowski

**Address:** 1678 Red Rock Road

St. Paul, Minnesota 55119

**Phone:** (651) 731-5697

**Emission Unit(s):** Ladle Refining Station (EU001) and Electric Arc Furnace (EU002)

**Scheduled For:** October 4, 2005, at your Facility located in St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Your test plan submitted on August 29, 2005, and discussed on September 27, 2005, has been approved by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) as follows:**

- Shortened test notification approved
- Test plan approved without modification
- Test plan approved with the following provisions:

Particulate matter and PM<sub>10</sub> emissions measured by Method 5D and opacity determined using Method 9.

Include in the final test report(s) all process and pollution control equipment operating data collected at 15 minute intervals and averaged for each test period. This information should be easily understood by individuals not familiar with the process.

Include in the final test report and CD-ROM copy; a signed certifications form, the test plan, this test plan approval letter (TPAL) and the email to which the TPAL was attached.

Include in the final test report a simplified drawing of the test locations including pollution control equipment, stack orientation and test port locations.

Obtain the required submittal and operating data forms from the website noted below.

**Attached Forms:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Combustion Sources | <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Waste Combustors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Process Sources    | <input type="checkbox"/> Operating Data Summary- Asphalt Plants   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certifications Form                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Microfiche/CD-ROM Submittal Form         |

**Note:** Forms are also available at: [www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performancectest.html](http://www.pca.state.mn.us/air/performancectest.html)

Approved by: 

Date: 9/27/05

Curtis Stock  
Performance Test Coordinator  
Compliance and Enforcement Section  
Industrial Division

## Mark Carlson

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**From:** Brian Durkop [bdurkop@eagle-msi.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, October 14, 2005 8:11 AM  
**To:** Mark Carlson  
**Subject:** FW: TPAL for Gerdau Ameristeel



TPAL for Gerdau  
Ameristeel Oct...

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Stock, Curtis [mailto:Curtis.Stock@state.mn.us]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 27, 2005 4:13 PM  
**To:** bdurkop@eagle-msi.com  
**Cc:** Berg, Robert C.  
**Subject:** TPAL for Gerdau Ameristeel

Brian,

Attached is the test plan approval letter (TPAL) for the PM/PM10 testing to be performed at the Gerdau Ameristeel facility located in St. Paul, Minnesota.

Please include a copy of the test plan, TPAL and this email in the final test report.

Please forward a copy to Douglas Stolowski at Gerdau Ameristeel.

Contact me if you have any questions.

Curt Stock  
Performance Test Coordinator  
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
520 Lafayette Road  
St. Paul, MN 55155-4194

(651) 297-8480  
(651) 296-8717 (fax)

**Please contact me at (651) 297-8480 if you have any questions regarding this approval.**

*Please be aware that enforcement action will be taken for performance test failures indicating emissions above applicable limits (excess actual emissions to the environment). Failures commonly result in assessment of a monetary penalty. Upon the first test failure, the Company should take immediate measures to minimize emissions. The measures taken should be documented, as they will become part of the record of corrective actions.*

*Hard Copy Performance Test Reports and Microfiche or CD Copy submittals will be addressed to: Compliance Tracking Coordinator, Compliance and Enforcement Unit, Industrial Division, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, 520 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-4194*

**cc:** Douglas Stolowski, Gerdau Ameristeel (email)  
Brian Durkop, Eagle Mountain(email)  
Robert Berg, MPCA St. Paul (email)  
AQ Correspondence File No. 151

## TEST PLAN FOR MISCELLANEOUS SOURCES

Proposed test date(s): *October 3-4, 2005*

Date Test Plan Written: *August 22, 2005*

### **PART I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. Name and street address of emission facility:

*Gerdau Ameristeel  
1678 Red Rock Road  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55119*

Name, Title, Telephone and Facsimile number of contact person at emission facility:

*Mr. Douglas Stolowski  
Regional Environmental Affairs Manager  
Phone: (612) 731-5697  
Fax: (612) 731-5699*

2. Permit File Number: *#12300055-11*

3. Reason the emission unit(s) is (are) to be tested: *To demonstrate compliance with emission limitations set forth in the MPCA Permit #12300055-11.*

4. Physical description and location layout of emission unit(s) to be tested: *See Below*

#### **Emission Point #1**

***Old Baghouse (Inlet duct) - 16 Points  
Volumetric Flow Rate***

See Attachment 1

***Old Baghouse (Baghouse) - 108 Points  
36 points per test  
Particulate Sampling***



3x3 Matrix in each of 12 compartments

3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3
3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3	3x3

**Emission Point #2**

***New Baghouse (Inlet Duct) - 16 Points***

***Volumetric Flow Rate***

See Attachment 2

***New Baghouse (Baghouse) - 84 Points***

***28 points per test***

***Particulate Sampling***

4x3 Matrix in each of seven compartments

4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3	4x3

5. Name of Independent Testing Company, contact person, and telephone number:

*Eagle Mountain Scientific, Inc.*

*Brian Durkop*

*Phone: (763) 477-4462*

*Fax: (763) 477-5991*

*Email: bdurkop@eagle-msi.com*

**PART II. TESTING REQUIREMENTS**

1. The following is a description of the Pollutant(s) to be tested, and the applicable emission limit(s), and the applicable rule(s) or regulation(s) for each emission limit:

Pt. #	Limitation Basis	Pollutant Tested/Limit	Specific Methods
1	* See Footnote 1	PM, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
1	* See Footnote 1	PM10, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
1	40 CFR 60.272a	Opacity, 3%	EPA Method 9
2	40 CFR 60.272a	PM, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
2	* See Footnote 2	PM10, 0.0052 gr/dscf	EPA Method 5D and 202
2	40 CFR 60.272a	Opacity, 3%	EPA Method 9

*Footnote 1 – Limit emissions to those used for netting calculations.*

*Footnote 2 – Minnesota SIP modeled PM10 ambient air quality standard compliance.*

Operating Data to be recorded during the Test:

1. Operating conditions of each source tested and its associated pollution control equipment will be documented in the test report. Documentation of operating conditions includes all parameters listed in Part III.

*Process conditions including baghouse pressure drops and fan amps will be recorded every 15 minutes during each test.*

2. The following is a detailed description of the procedure for fuel sampling and analysis to be followed for the applicable emission unit. *NA*

### **PART III. OPERATING CONDITIONS**

1. The following contains a detailed description of the emission unit(s) to be tested:

Detailed descriptions of record keeping that include the specific time interval, and other parameters listed that will determine production, operating capacity, and/or operating conditions during testing are also included:

#### ***Emission Point No. 01: Old Baghouse (Ladle Refining Station)***

#### **Process Equipment Description for units to be tested:**

*Ladle Refining Station*

*Type: Ladle Refining Furnace*

*Mfr: Voest-Alpine Industries, Inc.*

*Capacity: 90 to 100 tons per heat*

*Continuous Casting Machine*

*Mfr: Mini-Castco*

*Capacity: 700,000 tons/year*

#### **Process Equipment Parameter Monitoring During Performance Test:**

*Tons per heat*

*Heat duration*

**Process Rates/Operating Conditions During Testing:**

*Batch process*  
*Normal*

**Control Equipment Description:**

*Type: Fabric filter baghouse - positive pressure*  
*Mfr: American Air Filter*  
*Air Flow: 250,000 to 360,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Gas Temperature: 100 to 140 degrees F*

**Control Equipment Operating Parameter During Test: (15 minute Intervals)**

*Air Flow: 250,000 to 300,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Continuous Cleaning Cycle*

**Emission Point No. 02: New Baghouse (Electric Arc Furnace)**

**Process Equipment Description for units to be tested:**

*Type: Electric Arc Furnace*  
*Mfr: Voest*  
*Capacity: 90 to 100 ton heat size*

**Process Equipment Parameter Monitoring During Performance Test:**

*Tons per heat*  
*Heat duration*

**Process Rates/Operating Conditions During Testing:**

*Batch process*  
*Normal*

**Control Equipment Description:**

*Type: Fabric filter baghouse - positive pressure*  
*Mfr: Amerex*  
*Air Flow: 450,000 to 850,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Gas Temperature: 125 to 250 degrees F*

**Control Equipment Operating Parameter During Test: (15 minute Intervals)**

*Air Flow: 500,000 to 700,000 acfm*  
*Pressure Drop: 2.5-8.0 inches of water per compartment*  
*Continuous Cleaning Cycle*

2. For each process unit listed in Part III, Item 1, the normal range of process or operating rates for each emission unit are listed below. The proposed test conditions listed in Part III, Item

1, are considered worst case in accordance with Minn. R. 7017.2025, subpart 2 as indicated below:

***Emission Point No. 01: Old Baghouse (Ladle Refining Station)***

Normal Range of Process or Operating Rates      Rationale For Worst Case  
*Batch Process – Heat duration is highly specific to the type of product in production. To achieve worst case scenario testing is conducted when process is in operation only by suspending testing during downtime.*

*90 to 100 tons per heat  
Maximum production rate*

***Emission Point No. 02: New Baghouse (Electric Arc Furnace)***

Normal Range of Process or Operating Rates      Rationale For Worst Case  
*Batch Process – Heat duration is highly specific to the type of product in production. To achieve worst case scenario testing is conducted when process is in operation only by suspending testing during downtime.*

*90 to 100 tons per heat  
Maximum production rate*

**PART IV. TEST METHODS**

1. The following is a description of the methods, number of test runs, length of test runs, and sampling rate of each pollutant:
  - A. *EPA Method 1 for the location of sampling ports and points.*
  - B. *EPA Method 2 for velocity and volumetric flow rate. One measurement just prior to each test run for TSP as PM10.*
  - C. *EPA Method 3 for gas analysis. One test run on an integrated sample taken concurrently with each run for velocity and volumetric flow rate.*
  - D. *EPA Method 4 for the determination of moisture in the flue gases. One test run concurrently with each test run for TSP as PM10.*
  - E. *EPA Method 5D and 202 (TSP) for the concentration of particulate matter including organic condensable. Results are to be reported both as filterable particulate matter containing organic condensable (where the limit includes organic condensable), and as filterable particulate matter excluding organic condensable (where the limit does not include organic condensable). Run time: 120 minutes, Sample volume: 60 dscf (1.70 dscm) No. Runs: 3. TSP values will be reported as PM10 to meet the permits applicable emission standard.*
  - F. *EPA Method 9 as amended by Minn. R. 7017.2060 for visual determination of opacity. One-hour observation, concurrent with one test run for TSP as PM10.*

**Justification for EPA 5D testing verses PM10 testing using EPA 201A**

The emission points proposed to be tested are the old and new baghouses. These baghouses are of the single monovent positive pressure design. Flow determination at the sample location in

the baghouse compartments is not measurable using conventional testing equipment. In order to determine the flow in the baghouses, the inlet ducts must be measured prior to particulate sampling. These numbers are used to back calculate the flow in the baghouses at each sample point assuming that the flow is uniformly distributed throughout the baghouse.

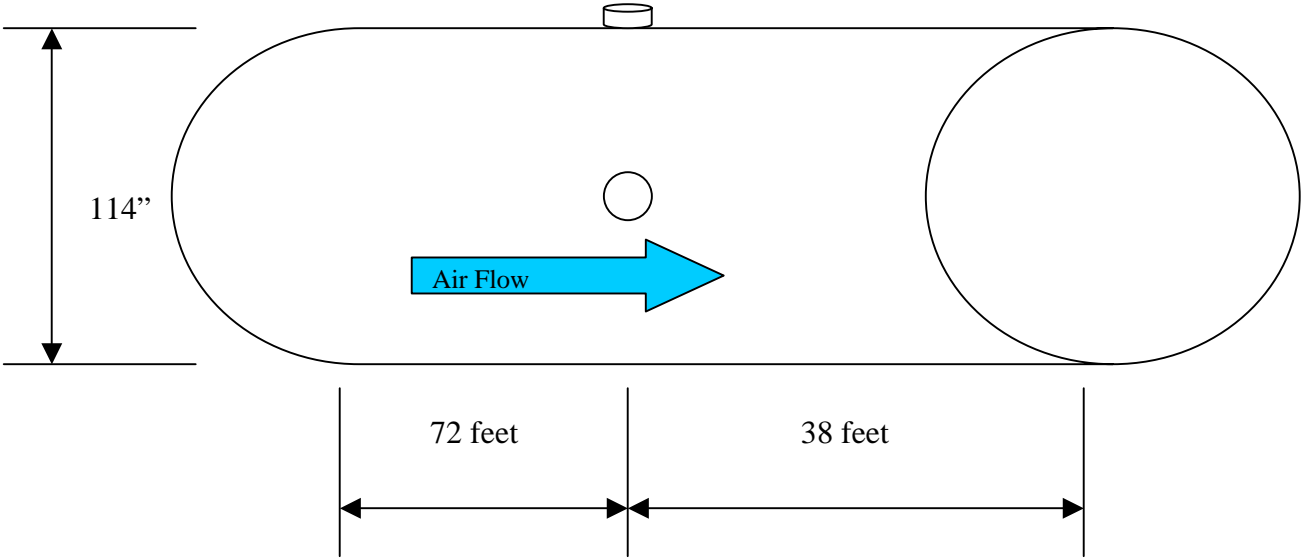
Conducting method 201A using the cyclone is not technically possible due to limitations in its design. Prior to testing, the proper nozzle must be determined based on duct flow and other preliminary measurements. The cyclone design is based on 10 nozzles of various sizes. The proper nozzle necessary to conduct these tests is far larger than any nozzle provided with the cyclone.

**PART V. CEM - *Not Applicable***

**PART VI. OTHER**

1. Pollutant(s) to be tested will be reported in terms of the applicable emission limit units.
2. Testing schedules and testing firm.  
*10/3/05 - Tuesday      10/4/05 - Wednesday*  
*Setup                      Test EP1, EP2*
3. Description and date of last maintenance work done before the test: *A description of any maintenance work done before the test and the normal schedule followed will be included as part of the report.*
4. One complete test report (one hard copy) shall be submitted within 45 days after the date of the test. A copy of the report on CD-ROM (Upon Approval \*.tif format) shall be submitted within 105 days after the date of the test.
5. Test Plans, Hard Copy Reports, and Microfiche Copy submittals will be addressed to:  
Supervisor, Compliance Determination Unit  
Compliance & Enforcement Section/AQD  
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
520 Lafayette Road  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155-4194

**Attachment 1  
Emission Point #1  
Old Baghouse Inlet Duct**



**Attachment 2  
Emission Point #2  
New Baghouse Inlet Duct**

