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Ms. Lori Simmons
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Via email Lori.Simmons@arkansas.gov

Re: Georgia-Pacific, Crossett Mill - Biweekly Air Monitoring Report for Hydrogen Sulfide

Dear Ms. Simmons,

Following is the biweekly data summary for the Georgia-Pacific (GP) hydrogen sulfide (H₂S) and meteorological monitoring program, at the GP Crossett mill, covering the calendar period of June 1st through June 14th. *Please note, this is a revised report, superseding the report originally issued on July 6, 2016. Ambient H₂S concentrations in this report have been revised for zero-drift of the analyzer. Correction for drift ranged from 1.0 to 2.6 ppb. Weekly zero checks drifted upwards beginning in late May. The instrument was operating within EPA guidelines, and this adjustment does not significantly impact results previously reported. TRC feels that this adjustment was necessary to report data as accurately as possible as this is an important monitoring program.*

Summary of Results

Included in this report are three plots presenting H₂S concentrations calculated with varied rolling average periods (30-minute, 8-hour, and 24-hour).

Also included in this report is a summary of results from the daily 1-point QC checks performed during this biweekly period. The QAPP establishes goals for precision and bias as a coefficient of variation (CV) <10% and ± 10%, respectively. Precision and bias are calculated in accordance with 40 CFR Part 58 Appendix A, Section 4.1.

There was a single occurrence of data loss during this two week period, other than those resulting from automated daily 1-point QC and weekly calibration checks. On the evening of the 9th, the PC experienced a failure. The PC failure resulted in an extended period of data loss (approximately 13 hours); the PC was reset on the morning of June 10th. Results for all available automated daily 1-point QC checks fall within the acceptable range, indicating the H₂S monitor was operating in accordance with the QAPP.



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Fourteen-day time series plots for all recorded meteorological (met) parameters are presented in the final table. All met parameters have 100% data capture for this report period.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need any additional data.

Sincerely,

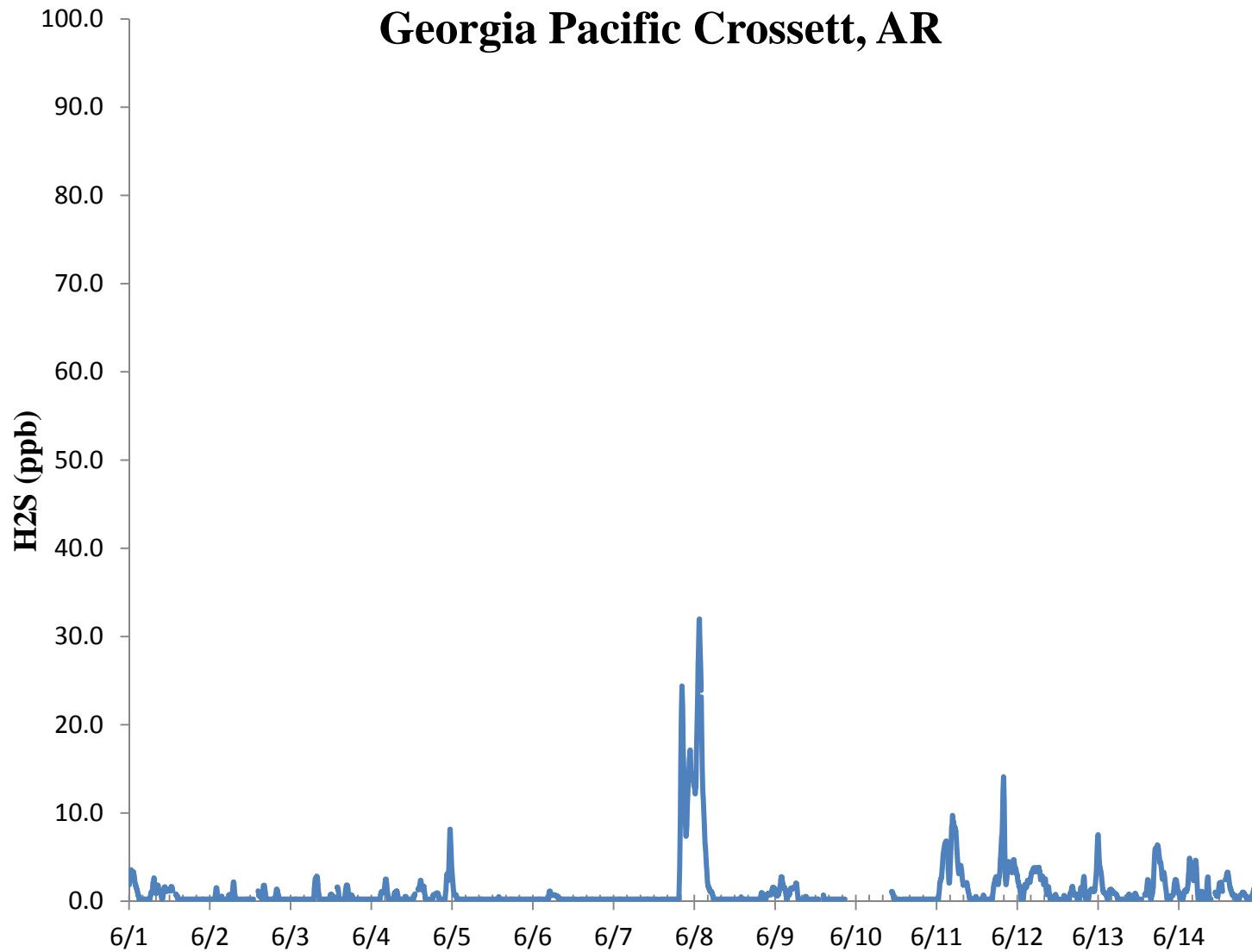


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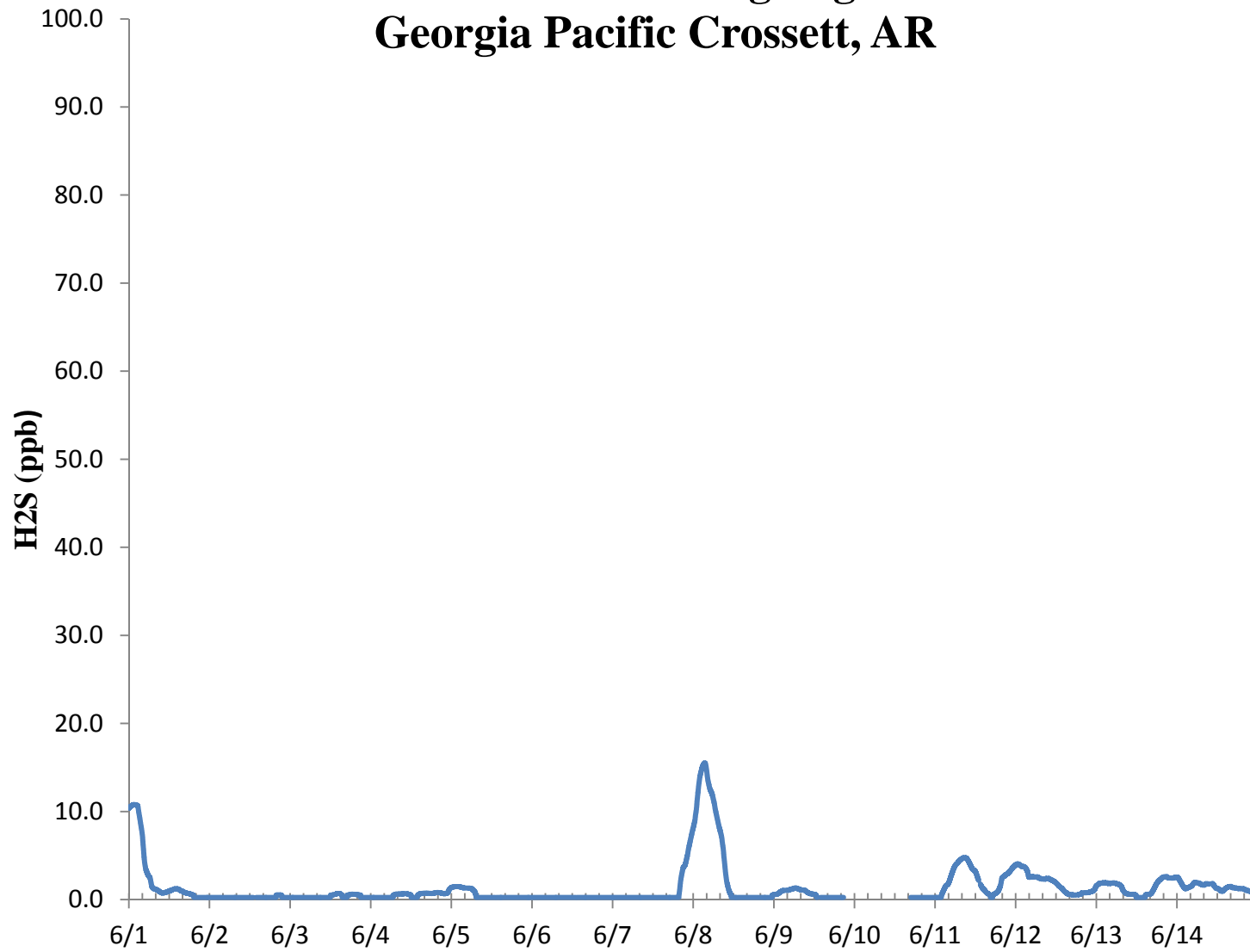
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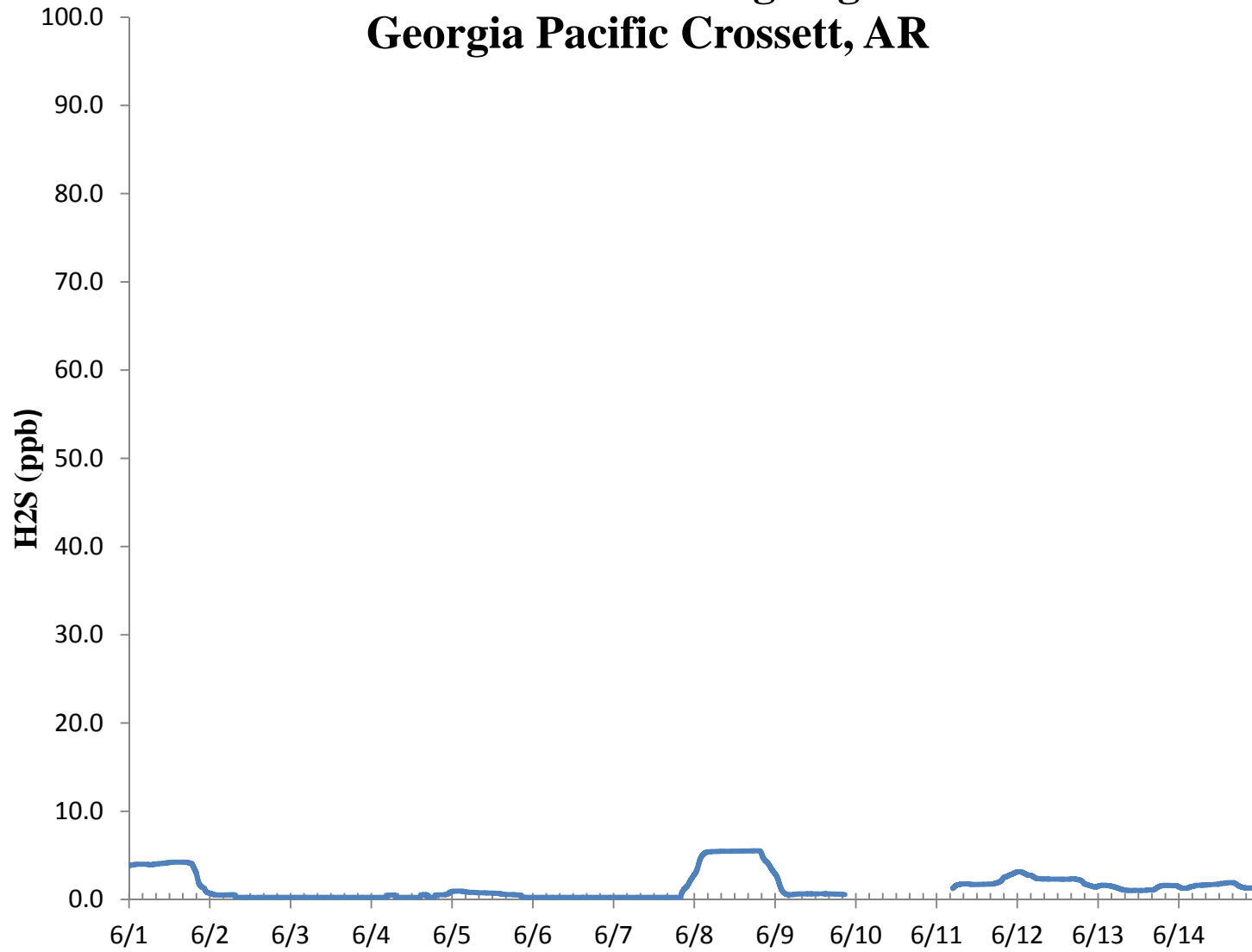
H2S 30 Min Rolling Avg Georgia Pacific Crossett, AR



H2S 8 Hr Rolling Avg Georgia Pacific Crossett, AR



H2S 24 Hr Rolling Avg Georgia Pacific Crossett, AR



H₂S Assessment

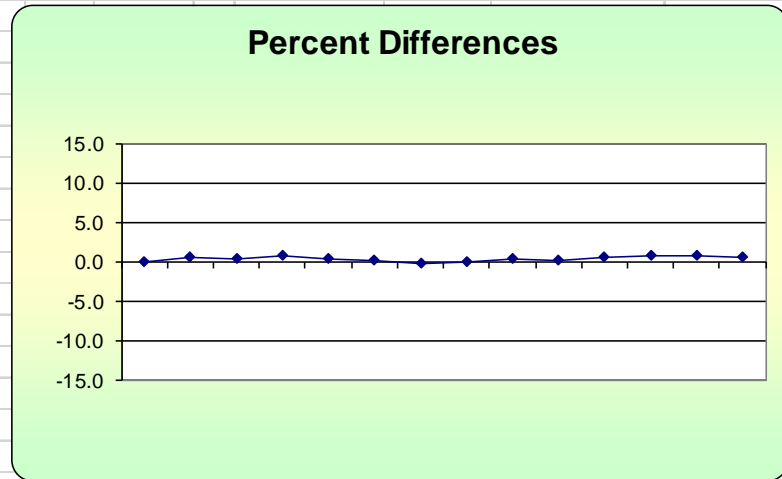
GP - Crossett, AR			Pollutant type: H ₂ S					CV _{ub} (%)	Bias (%)
Date	Meas Val (Y)	Audit Val (X)	d (Eqn. 1)	25th Percentile	d ²	d	d ²		
6/1/2016 13:00	70.0	70.0	0.0	0.143	0.000	0.000	0.000		
6/2/2016 13:00	70.4	70.0	0.6	75th Percentile	0.327	0.571	0.327		
6/3/2016 13:00	70.3	70.0	0.4	0.571	0.184	0.429	0.184		
6/4/2016 13:00	70.5	70.0	0.7		0.510	0.714	0.510		
6/5/2016 13:00	70.3	70.0	0.4		0.184	0.429	0.184		
6/6/2016 13:00	70.1	70.0	0.1		0.020	0.143	0.020		
6/7/2016 13:00	69.9	70.0	-0.1		0.020	0.143	0.020		
6/8/2016 13:00	70.0	70.0	0.0		0.000	0.000	0.000		
6/9/2016 13:00	70.3	70.0	0.4		0.184	0.429	0.184		
6/10/2016 13:00	70.1	70.0	0.1		0.020	0.143	0.020		
6/11/2016 13:00	70.4	70.0	0.6		0.327	0.571	0.327		
6/12/2016 13:00	70.6	70.0	0.9		0.735	0.857	0.735		
6/13/2016 13:00	70.6	70.0	0.9		0.735	0.857	0.735		
6/14/2016 13:00	70.4	70.0	0.6		0.327	0.571	0.327		

n	S_d	S_{d2}	Σ d 	"AB" (Eqn 4)
14	0.323	0.256	5.857	0.418
n-1	Σd	Σd²	Σ d ²	"AS" (Eqn 5)
13	5.571	3.571	3.571	0.294

Bias (%) (Eqn 3)	Both Signs Positive
0.56	TRUE
Signed Bias (%)	Both Signs Negative
+0.56	FALSE

CV (%) (Eqn 2)	
0.44	

Upper Probability Limit	Lower Probability Limit
1.03	-0.23



Meteorological Summary

