

Tomakin Sewage Treatment Plant - Monthly Result Summary -January 2025



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EPL No.: 2851

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Required Month: Jan-25

Licence Point 1 - Discharge to Waters - Concentration Limits			
Parameters	Unit of Measure	90 percentile concentration limit	100 percentile concentration limit
Biological Oxygen Demand	(mg/L)	10	15
Oil and Grease	(mg/L)	5	10
pH	(pH Units)	-	6.5-8.5
Total Suspended Solids	(mg/L)	15	20
Chlorophyll a	(mg/m3)		
Faecal Coliforms	(CFU/100mL)	200	600
Total Nitrogen	(mg/L)	10	15
Total Phosphorus	(mg/L)	8	10
Ammonia	(mg/L)	2	5

See Note 1

Note 1: A 100 Percentile Concentration Limit of "10 mg/L and no visible oil and grease" applies for Point 1.

Note 2: The monitoring at Point 3, required by Condition M2.1, is conducted by the licensee to determine compliance with limits specified for discharges to Point 1 as described in Condition L3.

Licence Point 3 - Effluent Quality Monitoring (Monthly Results)									
Sample Frequency	Monthly Composite Sample	Monthly Grab Sample	Monthly Grab Sample	Monthly Composite Sample	Monthly Grab Sample	Monthly Composite Sample	Monthly Composite Sample	Monthly Grab Sample	
Sampled Date	Biological Oxygen Demand (mg/L)	Oil and Grease (mg/L)	pH (pH Units)	Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	Chlorophyll a (mg/m3)	Total Nitrogen (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)	Ammonia (mg/L)	Obtained Date
21-Jan-25	3.00	<5	8.00	11.00	59.62	11.00	8.98	0.87	31-Jan-25
100 Percentile Exceedance?	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	

Licence Point 3 - Effluent Quality Monitoring (Year To Date Results)								
Year to Date	Biological Oxygen Demand (mg/L)	Oil and Grease (mg/L)	pH (pH Units)	Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	Chlorophyll a (mg/m3)	Total Nitrogen (mg/L)	Total Phosphorus (mg/L)	Ammonia (mg/L)
Samples	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Min	<2	<5	7.10	<2	1.20	1.05	3.960	0.02
Mean	1.18	2.50	8.04	2.64	15.22	5.03	6.231	0.20
Median (50th %ile)	1.00	2.50	8.00	1.00	4.40	4.21	6.400	0.07
90th %ile	1.00	2.50	9.00	3.00	54.90	10.50	7.680	0.46
Max (100th %ile)	3.00	<5	9.00	11.00	59.62	11.00	8.980	0.87

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Licence Point 2 - Influent Volume Monitoring

Sample Frequency	Daily (Continuous)	Maximum Daily flow (kL)	14000
Sampling Method	Ultrasonic Flow Meter		
Sample Date	Rainfall (mm)	Plant Inflow (kL)	Exceedance (YES/NO)
1-Jan-25	4.5	2404.6	NO
2-Jan-25	0	2445.2	NO
3-Jan-25	0	2202.5	NO
4-Jan-25	0	2122.6	NO
5-Jan-25	1	2064.3	NO
6-Jan-25	2	2336.6	NO
7-Jan-25	15.5	1954.7	NO
8-Jan-25	3	2063.5	NO
9-Jan-25	0	1918.9	NO
10-Jan-25	1.5	1818.4	NO
11-Jan-25	57	3190.7	NO
12-Jan-25	6.5	2928.2	NO
13-Jan-25	21.5	3190.1	NO
14-Jan-25	0	2097.2	NO
15-Jan-25	0	1632.8	NO
16-Jan-25	76	2733.7	NO
17-Jan-25	0	4845.7	NO
18-Jan-25	1	1791.5	NO
19-Jan-25	0	2894.6	NO
20-Jan-25	0	2438.1	NO
21-Jan-25	0	1759.7	NO
22-Jan-25	0	1663.8	NO
23-Jan-25	3	1546.7	NO
24-Jan-25	6.5	1926.8	NO
25-Jan-25	0	1777.7	NO
26-Jan-25	0.5	1933.2	NO
27-Jan-25	2.5	2047.1	NO
28-Jan-25	0	2027.8	NO
29-Jan-25	0	1720.7	NO
30-Jan-25	0	1526.5	NO
31-Jan-25	0.5	1382.7	NO
Monthly Total	0.00	68386.36	
Monthly Minimum	0.00	1382.68	
Monthly Mean	6.53	2206.01	
Monthly Maximum	76.00	4845.70	
Year to Date Total	956.50	493602.09	
Year to Date Minimum	0.00	994.14	
Year to Date Mean	3.13	1613.08	
Year to Date Maximum	105.50	9855.29	

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Licence Point 3 - Effluent Quality Monitoring (Monthly Result)		
Frequency	Special Frequency 2*	
Sampling Method	Grab Sample	
Sampled Date	Faecal Coliforms (CFU/100mL)	Obtained Date
7-Jan-25	4600	16-Jan-25
14-Jan-25	1100	21-Jan-25
21-Jan-25	220	31-Jan-25
28-Jan-25	390	4-Feb-25

Licence Point 4 - Ambient Water Monitoring (Monthly Result)		
Frequency	Special Frequency 2*	
Sampling Method	Grab Sample	
Sampled Date	Faecal Coliforms (CFU/100mL)	Obtained Date
7-Jan-25	<1	16-Jan-25
14-Jan-25	5	21-Jan-25
21-Jan-25	<1	31-Jan-25
28-Jan-25	3	4-Feb-25

* Special Frequency 2: at least weekly during the months of November, December, January, February and March

Licence Point 3 - Effluent Quality Monitoring (Year to Date Results)	
Year to Date	Faecal Coliforms (CFU/100mL)
Samples	13
Min	43
Mean	625.85
Median (50th %ile)	220
90th %ile	986
Max (100th %ile)	4600

Licence Point 4 - Ambient Water Monitoring (Year to Date Results)	
Year to Date	Faecal Coliforms (CFU/100mL)
Samples	4
Min	<1
Mean	2.00
Median (50th %ile)	0
90th %ile	5
Max (100th %ile)	15

Monthly Exceedance Report				
Date	Exceedance Type	Parameter	Description / Action	
7-Jan-25	L3.1 Concentration Limits	Faecal Coliforms	Faecal Coliform result (4600 CFU/100ml) exceeded 100 percentile limit (600 CFU/100ml) at monitoring point 3.	
14-Jan-25	L3.1 Concentration Limits	Faecal Coliforms	Faecal Coliforms result (1100 CFU/100ml) exceeded 100 percentile limit (600 CFU/100mL) at monitoring point 3.	
21-Jan-25	L3.1 Concentration Limits	Faecal Coliforms	Faecal Coliforms result (220 CFU/100ml) exceeded 90 percentile limit (200 CFU/100mL) at monitoring point 3.	
28-Jan-25	L3.1 Concentration Limits	Faecal Coliforms	Faecal Coliforms result (390 CFU/100ml) exceeded 90 percentile limit (200 CFU/100mL) at monitoring point 3.	
21-Jan-25	L3.1 Concentration Limits	Total Nitrogen	Total Nitrogen result 11.00mg/L exceeded 90 percentile limit (10.00mg/L) at monitoring point 3.	

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