

15/16  Data

National Pollutant Inventory new data available



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data at
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water
emissions



469 SA
facilities

www.npi.gov.au

93



substances

18 years of
data
used by
government,
industry &
the community



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Data release and submission

2015–16 data publication

The 2015–16 data was released on the website on 31 March 2017.

For the first time, all published NPI data across Australia has been published as open data on the Commonwealth website at <https://data.gov.au/dataset/npi>

Open data enables information from various years and facilities to be more easily compared.

2016–17 data submission

- Calendar year reports (1 January–31 December 2016) were due on 31 March 2017.
- Financial year reports (1 July 2016–30 June 2017) are due on 30 September 2017.

Use of NPI data

Have you ever wondered what happens to your NPI data and how it is used? NPI data can be searched on the website by [map](#) or [form](#). Data is used by the community, for benchmarking, research, air modelling and evidence based policy.

EPA Load-based licensing

The South Australian EPA uses NPI data to calculate the Resource Efficiency Fee (REF) for Load Based Licensing.

For further information follow this link:

www.epa.sa.gov.au/business_and_industry/licence_fee_system/components#resource

New facilities

The EPA would like to welcome our new facilities:

- Beach Energy – various facilities
- Liberty Port Augusta and Wingfield
- Mollydooker Wines Pty Ltd
- Dulux Acratex
- Port Bonython Fuels Pty Ltd
- Elgas Limited Mount Barker
- The Union Dairy Company

Thank you to all reporters for fulfilling your NPI reporting requirements and contributing to the important resource of NPI data for all South Australians and beyond.

Tips for submitting your report on time

Start your report early and ensure that NPI reporting is part of your internal procedures. This may mean including NPI reporting as part of a job description and writing an internal operating procedure on how to write an NPI report.

All NPI correspondence including reminder emails are directed to the technical contact. As such it is important that you inform the NPI team if your technical contact has left your company or changed roles.

The EPA recommends using the Online Reporting System (ORS) to ensure that your report is received on time. If you choose to submit a paper report, ensure that you send it with enough time to reach the EPA office by the due date.

Common reporting problems

Please check your spreadsheets and calculations carefully before submitting your report. Some common errors in reports include:

- emission factors are not updated
- incorrect units (ie tonnes instead of kg)
- emissions not split into point and fugitive sources
- Category 1 and 2b substances are reported although the thresholds have not been exceeded.

Contact us

If you require any assistance in reporting or have any other queries please contact the NPI Team.

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