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Calga Quarry

Environmental Monitoring

Dust Deposition, Surface Water, Groundwater and Meteorological Data

August 2021

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Executive Summary

CBased Environmental is contracted by Hanson Quarry Products to conduct environmental monitoring at the Calga Sand Quarry.

The monitoring includes:

- Dust deposition;
- Surface water; and
- Meteorological data.

This report was prepared by CBased Environmental and includes the following results for August 2021:

Meteorological parameters.

There were no monthly surface water and dust deposition results for August 2021 due to the current COVID lockdown and restrictions.

The Calga Quarry weather station data recovery in August 2021 was approximately 100%. A summary of rainfall comparison is provided below.

Location	Rainfall (mm)
Calga Quarry	61.8mm
BOM Peats Ridge*	NA
BOM Gosford*	72.2mm
BOM Peats Ridge long-term mean for August*	74.0mm

Notes: NA = Not Available

*Data sourced from Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) website: www.bom.gov.au BOM stations report rainfall at 9am

Calga Quarry station reports rainfall at midnight.

1.0 Sampling Programme

Hanson Calga Quarry conducts environmental monitoring in accordance with Development Consent, OEH (EPA) licence and Environmental Management Plans. CBased Environmental are contracted to undertake dust deposition gauge, surface water, groundwater and meteorological monitoring for the project. CBased Environmental commenced monitoring from the April 2006 monitoring period.

Dust deposition gauges are operated to the Australian Standard AS3580.10.1 "Methods for sampling and analysis of ambient air method. Determination of particulates- deposited matter- gravimetric method". Sampling is undertaken every 30 +/- 2 days and each gauge is analysed for insoluble solids and ash residue. The results are reported as g/m².month.

Six (6) dust deposition gauges are monitored as follows:

- CD1 installed 1 May 2006. Gauges air quality impacts to the east of site operations;
- CD2c located on a rehabilitated section of land between the extraction area and adjacent resident. Gauges air quality impacts to the north of site operations. Replaces former gauges CD2a and CD2b;
- CD3 installed prior to May 2006. Gauges air quality impacts to the south of site operations;
- CD4 installed 3 October 2006. Gauges air quality impacts to the south of site operations;
- CD5 installed 14 December 2006. Gauges air quality impacts to the south of site operations; and
- CD6 installed 14 December 2006. Gauges air quality impacts to the south of the operations.

Dust gauge CD2a was discontinued at the start of August 2006 due to quarry operations "mining out" the site of the gauge. The replacement gauge, CD2b, was located in a position adjacent to the boundary between B. Kashouli and F. & J. Gazzana in conformance with the Air Quality Management Plan. CD2b was discontinued at the end of January 2010 due to contamination of the gauge by non-quarry related vehicle movements on a track adjacent to the gauge. CD2b was replacement by dust gauge CD2c.

Surface water is sampled in accordance with Australian Standards:

- AS5667.1 "Guidance on the design of sample programs, sampling techniques and the preservation and handling of samples";
- AS5667.6 "Water quality sampling—guidance on sampling of rivers and streams"; and
- AS5667.4 "Water quality sampling—guidance on sampling from lakes, natural and man-made".

Surface water monitoring sites include local streams and dams. Laboratory analysis includes pH, electrical conductivity, total suspended solids, total dissolved solids and total oil and grease. Monitoring is conducted monthly at Sites A and F (dams) and

when Sites B, C and D are flowing. Additional samples are collected when daily rainfall exceeds 50mm.

Groundwater is sampled in accordance with Australian Standards:

- AS5667.1 "Guidance on the design of sample programs, sampling techniques and the preservation and handling of samples"; and
- AS5667.11 "Water quality sampling—guidance on sampling of ground waters".

Groundwater monitoring sites are sampled bi-monthly for depth and water quality. Groundwater monitoring loggers continuously record water levels in a selection of bores.

Meteorological monitoring is conducted at the quarry and displayed on the site computer with a real-time display. Metrological parameters are measured according to Australian Standard AS3580.14 "Methods for sampling and analysis of ambient air. Meteorological monitoring for ambient air quality monitoring applications"

The weather station has the following sensor configuration:

- Air temperature;
- Humidity;
- Rainfall:
- Atmospheric pressure;
- · Evaporation;
- Solar radiation;
- Wind speed; and
- Wind direction.

CBased Environmental continued to operate the monitoring equipment and utilise site collections at their existing locations.

The locations of monitoring points are provided in Figure 1.

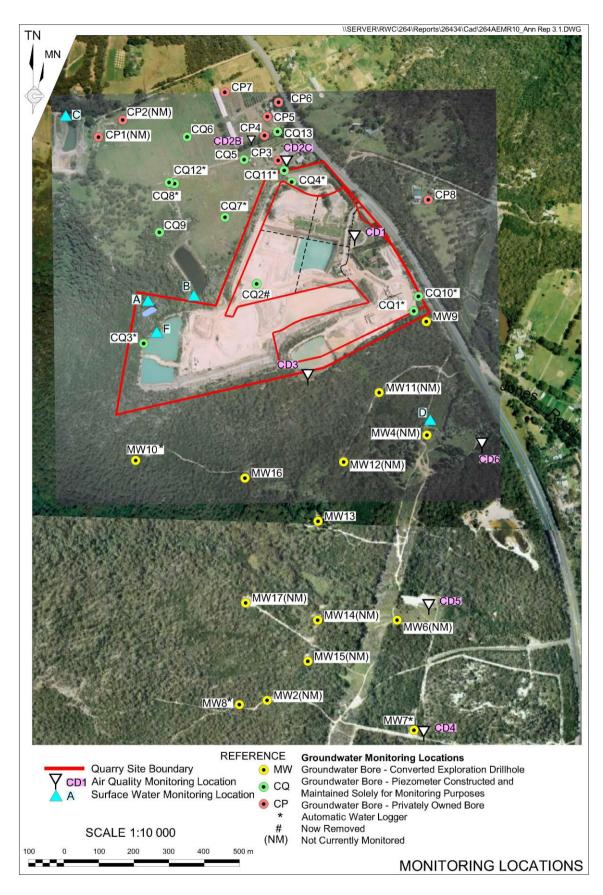


Figure 1: Hanson Calga Quarry Environmental Monitoring Locations

2.0 Results

2.1 Dust Deposition

There were no dust deposition results for August 2021 due to the current COVID lockdown and restrictions.

2.2 Surface Water (Monthly)

There were no monthly surface water results for August 2021 due to the current COVID lockdown and restrictions.

2.2.1 Non-Routine Surface Water Sampling

No non-routine surface water sampling was completed in August 2021.

2.3 Meteorological Data

The Calga Quarry weather station data recovery for August 2021 was approximately 100%.

The weather station data follows and includes:

- Monthly rainfall comparison between quarry data and BOM data. Refer to Table 3;
- Monthly data summary. Refer to **Table 4**;
- Weather charts of air temperature, humidity, heat index and wind chill, atmospheric pressure, solar radiation, evapotranspiration, rain, wind speed and data reception. Refer to Figures 7 – 10; and
- Wind rose (frequency distribution diagram of wind speed and direction). Refer to Figure 10.

A summary of rainfall comparison is provided in **Table 3**.

Table 3: Comparison of Local Rainfall – August 2021

Location	Rainfall (mm)
Calga Quarry	61.8mm
BOM Peats Ridge*	NA
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BOM Peats Ridge long-term mean for August*	74.0mm

Notes: NA = Not Available

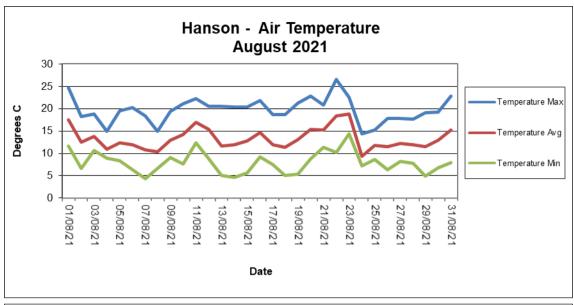
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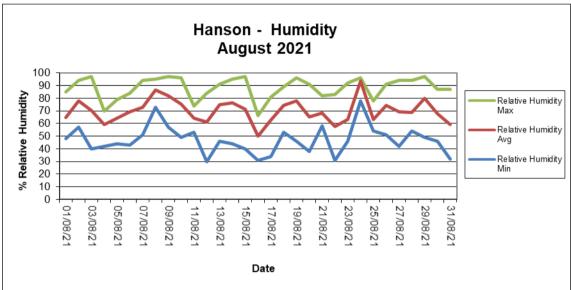
BOM stations report rainfall at 9am

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 Table 5:
 Summary of Monthly Meteorological Data – August 2021

Date	Temperature Min	Temperature Avg	Temperature Max	Relative Humidity Min	Relative Humidity Avg	Relative Humidity Max	Rain	Evapotrans piration	Wind Speed Min	Wind Speed Avg	Wind Speed Max	Wind Chill Min	Heat Index Max	Atmospheric Pressure Min		Atmospheric Pressure Max	Solar Radiation Min	Solar Radiation Avg	Solar Radiation Max	Data Min	Data Avg	Data Max
1/08/2021	11.7	17.5	24.7	48.0	64.7	85.0	0.0	3.3	0.0	2.4	13.4	11.7	24.4	1001.9	1005.9	1013.0	0.0	124.3	758.0	36.3	50.6	66.9
2/08/2021	6.7	12.6	18.3	57.0	77.8	94.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	2.3	11.2	6.7	17.6	1009.5	1014.4	1017.7	0.0	126.7	607.0	28.1	52.6	73.8
3/08/2021	10.7	13.8	18.8	40.0	70.1	97.0	1.4	3.8	0.0	3.7	14.8	8.2	17.8	1003.6	1007.1	1012.0	0.0	162.8	636.0	30.0	49.9	64.7
4/08/2021	8.9	11.0	14.9	42.0	59.3	70.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	4.8	15.2	6.1	13.4	1008.0	1010.0	1013.4	0.0	136.7	640.0	0.0	46.2	74.1
5/08/2021	8.3	12.4	19.6	44.0	64.3	79.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	2.6	8.9	6.7	18.2	1011.9	1014.1	1017.7	0.0	136.3	642.0	0.0	44.4	67.8
6/08/2021	6.3	12.0	20.3	43.0	69.4	84.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.6	6.7	6.3	19.3	1016.8	1018.4	1020.4	0.0	141.2	654.0	0.0	44.1	72.6
7/08/2021	4.3	10.8	18.4	51.0	72.8	94.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	0.7	7.2	4.4	17.3	1018.4	1021.6	1025.5	0.0	169.6	660.0	34.4	53.2	69.4
8/08/2021	6.7	10.4	14.9	73.0	86.6	95.0	2.4	1.1	0.0	0.7	6.3	6.8	14.7	1025.3	1027.7	1029.2	0.0	65.7	503.0	48.3	57.2	68.8
9/08/2021	9.1	13.0	19.4	57.0	82.1	97.0	0.0	2.4	0.0	1.2	8.0	9.2	18.8	1022.9	1025.8	1028.3	0.0	144.4	830.0	0.0	45.4	65.6
10/08/2021	7.6	14.3	21.1	49.0	75.3	96.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	1.2	6.7	7.7	20.1	1020.7	1022.9	1025.3	0.0	166.0	651.0	0.0	39.0	70.0
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13/08/2021	5.0	11.6	20.5	46.0	75.0	91.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	0.5	6.3	5.1	19.4	1020.8	1023.2	1025.0	0.0	178.4	679.0	63.7	85.7	98.4
14/08/2021	4.7	12.0	20.4	44.0	76.2	95.0	0.0	2.5	0.0	0.9	6.3	4.7	19.3	1022.1	1024.1	1026.4	0.0	161.5	787.0	73.2	85.8	92.4
15/08/2021	5.7	12.7	20.4	40.0	71.2	97.0	0.0	2.9	0.0	0.9	7.6	5.7	19.2	1017.6	1020.8	1023.8	0.0	181.7	695.0	75.1	86.9	92.1
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23/08/2021	14.4	18.9	22.5	46.0	63.0	92.0	4.4	3.0	0.0	2.8	13.4	14.4	22.1	1005.1	1008.4	1011.7	0.0	91.8	573.0	37.2	70.1	87.7
24/08/2021	7.2	9.4	14.4	78.0	93.6	96.0	52.8	0.5	0.0	5.0	17.9	2.7	14.6	1000.4	1002.8	1005.2	0.0	14.3	121.0	38.2	53.8	81.7
25/08/2021	8.7	11.8	15.2	54.0	63.2	78.0	0.0	3.7	1.3	5.7	17.0	4.2	14.2	1004.0	1008.2	1011.9	0.0	131.5	689.0	38.2	59.3	76.7
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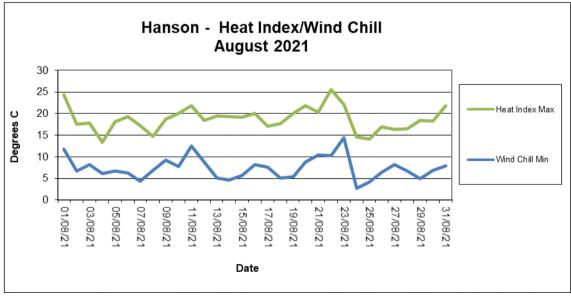
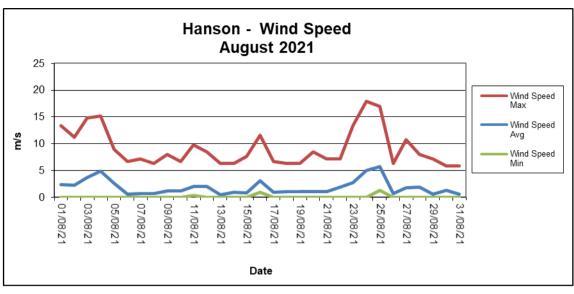


Figure 7 Summary of Monthly Temperature, Humidity and Heat Index Results



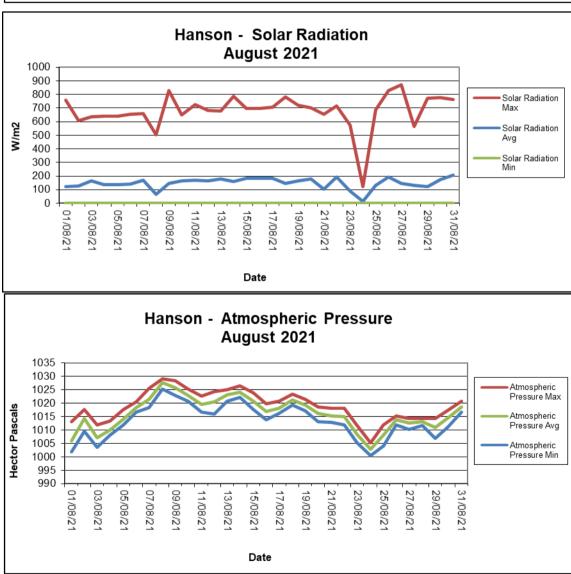
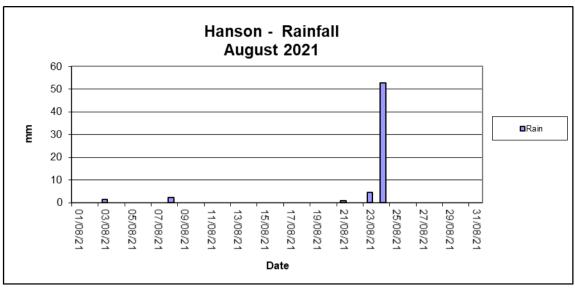
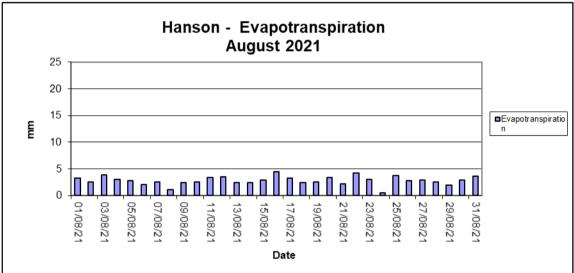


Figure 8 Summary of Monthly Wind Speed, Solar Radiation and Atmospheric Pressure Results





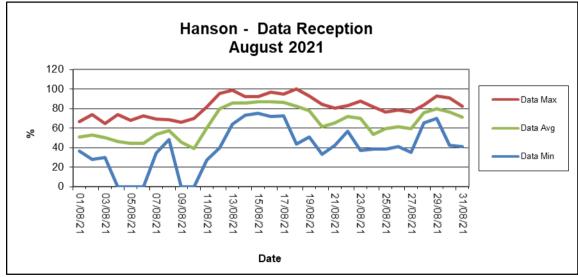


Figure 9 Summary of Monthly Rainfall, Evapotranspiration and Data Reception Results

Frequency plot of the average wind speed and average direction over each 15-minute sampling period. Wind is considered to be calm when at less than a 15-minute average of 1m/s.

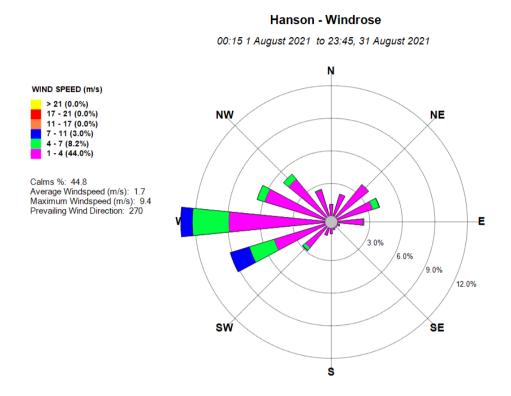


Figure 10: Monthly Windrose Plot – August 2021

The predominant wind for August was from the West with most frequent, strongest winds from the West. The maximum wind speed was 17.9 m/s from the West-South-West.

Appendix 1

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Chain of Custody Documentation
Laboratory Analysis Certificates



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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

Work Order : ES2130884

: HANSON CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS PTY LTD

Contact : PAUL SLOUGH

Address : 151 Peats Ridge Rd

Calga 2250

Telephone : ---

Client

Project : Hanson Calga Surafce Water Monitoring

Order number : 4502922983

C-O-C number : ----

Sampler : Clint Banks

Site : ---

Quote number : EN/222

No. of samples received : 5
No. of samples analysed : 5

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Laboratory : Environmental Division Sydney

Contact : Customer Services ES

Address : 277-289 Woodpark Road Smithfield NSW Australia 2164

Telephone : +61-2-8784 8555

Date Samples Received : 25-Aug-2021 10:39

Date Analysis Commenced : 25-Aug-2021

Issue Date : 31-Aug-2021 16:38



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- Analytical Results

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Signatories

This document has been electronically signed by the authorized signatories below. Electronic signing is carried out in compliance with procedures specified in 21 CFR Part 11.

Signatories Position Accreditation Category

Ankit Joshi Inorganic Chemist Sydney Inorganics, Smithfield, NSW Neil Martin Team Leader - Chemistry Chemistry, Newcastle West, NSW

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Client : HANSON CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS PTY LTD

Project : Hanson Calga Surafce Water Monitoring

General Comments

The analytical procedures used by ALS have been developed from established internationally recognised procedures such as those published by the USEPA, APHA, AS and NEPM. In house developed procedures are fully validated and are often at the client request.

Where moisture determination has been performed, results are reported on a dry weight basis.

Where a reported less than (<) result is higher than the LOR, this may be due to primary sample extract/digestate dilution and/or insufficient sample for analysis.

Where the LOR of a reported result differs from standard LOR, this may be due to high moisture content, insufficient sample (reduced weight employed) or matrix interference.

When sampling time information is not provided by the client, sampling dates are shown without a time component. In these instances, the time component has been assumed by the laboratory for processing purposes.

Where a result is required to meet compliance limits the associated uncertainty must be considered. Refer to the ALS Contact for details.

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LOR = Limit of reporting

- ^ = This result is computed from individual analyte detections at or above the level of reporting
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- TDS by method EA-015 may bias high for various samples due to the presence of fine particulate matter, which may pass through the prescribed GF/C paper.

Analytical Results

Sub-Matrix: WATER (Matrix: WATER)			Sample ID	Dam 1 (A)	Dam 7 B/C	Dam 13 (B)	Point D Creek	Point C Spillway
		Samplii	ng date / time	24-Aug-2021 15:30	24-Aug-2021 15:20	24-Aug-2021 15:45	24-Aug-2021 15:00	24-Aug-2021 15:55
Compound	CAS Number	LOR	Unit	ES2130884-001	ES2130884-002	ES2130884-003	ES2130884-004	ES2130884-005
				Result	Result	Result	Result	Result
EA005: pH								
pH Value		0.01	pH Unit	6.04	5.90	6.30	5.91	6.25
EA010P: Conductivity by PC Titrator								
Electrical Conductivity @ 25°C		1	μS/cm	72	66	72	79	88
EA015: Total Dissolved Solids dried at 1	80 ± 5 °C							
Total Dissolved Solids @180°C		10	mg/L	53	45	54	70	60
EA025: Total Suspended Solids dried at	104 ± 2°C							
Suspended Solids (SS)		5	mg/L	15	<5	38	48	22
EP020: Oil and Grease (O&G)								
Oil & Grease		5	mg/L	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5

Inter-Laboratory Testing

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(WATER) EA005: pH

