## Niagara CAER Group

**Community Awareness – Emergency Response** 

Chemical Companies
Emissions Report
(NERM)

2018 Report for 2017 Emissions

## **Niagara CAER Group Chemical Companies**

## **2018 Emissions Report**

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#### Introduction

- Issued annually by the Niagara CAER Group Chemical Companies.
- A commitment to being open with the public.
- This is the twenty fifth year of publication.
- Production levels have increased slightly in 2017 from 2016 about 6%
- Member companies strive to reduce chemical emissions and chemical waste.
- Results are presented as charts and tables.

## Summary of Report

- 2017 Chemical emissions have increased slightly from previous year.
- Chemical emissions Per Kg. of production have leveled out the past 3 years.
- Combustion emission levels per kilogram of production were unchanged from previous year as production levels increased slightly.
- Waste generation has decreased from previous year.

## NIAGARA CAER Member Companies

Chemtrade Logistics Inc.

Solvay/Cytec Canada Inc.

**Durez Canada Company Ltd.** 

Kemira Chemicals Canada Inc.

**Mancuso Chemicals Limited** 

Oxy Vinyls Canada Co.

**Photech Environmental Solutions** 

## **Member Companies Contact Names**

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#### **Chemicals Manufactured and Uses**

- Solvay/Cytec: Phosphine, Fumigants, Mineral Extractants, Speciality Phosphine Chemicals Electronics Industry, Metal Recovery, Mining industry, Fumigation, Biocides
- Durez: Phenolic Resins and Compounds,
   Automotive, Brake pistons, Clutch Facings, Electrical Applications.
- Chemtrade Logistics: Distributes Sulphur Products, Sulphur Dioxide and Molten Sulphur. Pulp and paper, Electronics, mines and cyanide destruction.
- Oxy Vinyls: PVC Resins
   Construction: Pipe & fittings, House Siding, Window Frames, Floors, Wallpaper, Fencing, roof and pool membranes. Packaging, Medical Tubing, Wire and Cable, Automotive dashes, bumpers and trim.
- Kemira: Defoamers, Dyes and specialty Chemicals.
   Water treatment and allied processes in pulp and paper production; oil & mining processes, and paint formulation.
- Mancuso: Phenolic, Furan and Alkyd Resins, Aryl Sulfonic Acids,
   Binder systems for foundries and Alkyds for Industrial Coatings.
- Photech: Recycle paint, Recover Hydrocarbons.

## NIAGARA CAER GROUP 2017 COMPOSITE PROFILE

## For 2018 NERM Report

		2017	2016	
Number of Employees		392	338	
Payroll (Including Benefits)	\$	41,498,186	40,330,097	
Taxes	\$	1,272,686	1,361,522	
Utilities	\$	10,549,153	13,992,981	
Value of Supplies and Services	\$	62,352,295	19,791,175	
Value of Sales	\$	554,660,628	517,311,227	
Percent of Products Exported	%	79.5	78	
Production Levels,	kg	315,694,173	296,647,683	
2018 Production Estimate,	kg	336,594,612		
Charity Support (United Way etc	e.) \$	56,200	40,900	

#### **Explanations**

#### **Chemical Emissions**

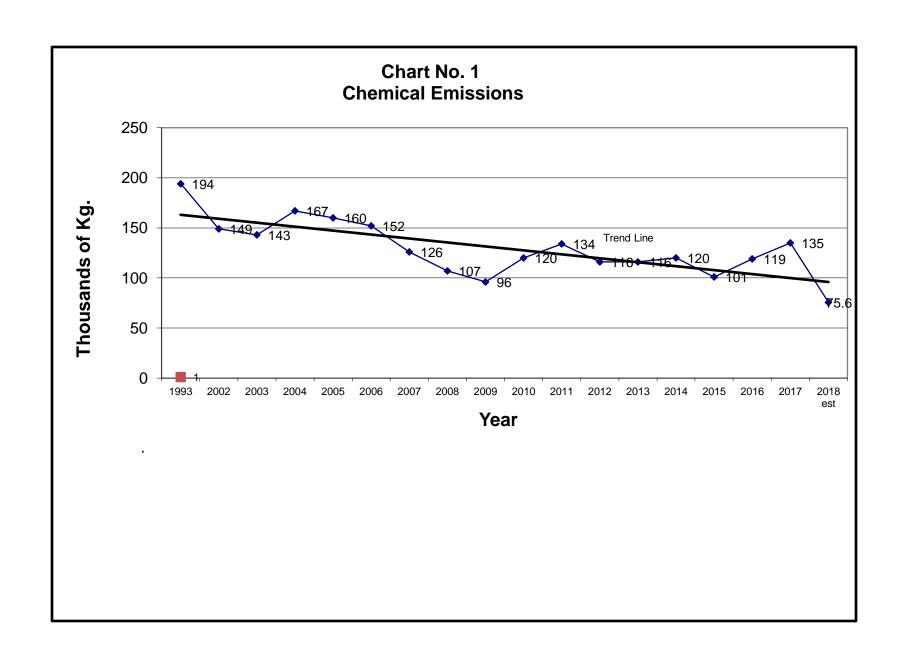
- Chemical emissions for 2017 increased by14% from 2016 levels
- Production levels were up by 6% from 2016.
- 2017 emission levels increased by 14% despite only 6% higher production levels. This was a result of one of the
  emission chemicals being higher due to a change in the emissions modeling specifications from the MOE.
- Some chemical emissions were reduced while others increased due to product mix and calculations and formulas for the NPRI report.

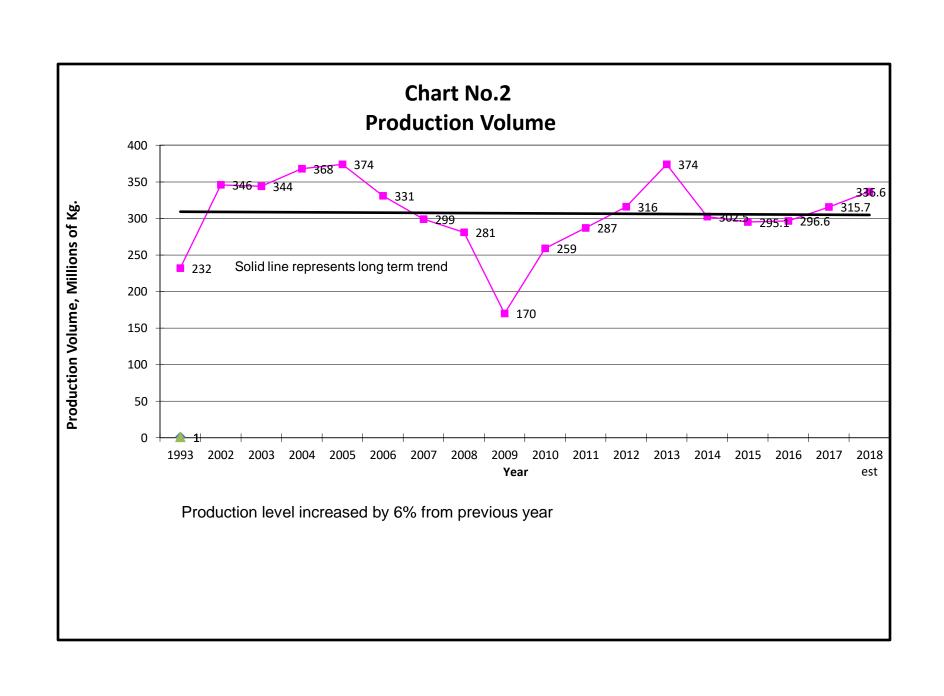
#### **Chemical Wastes**

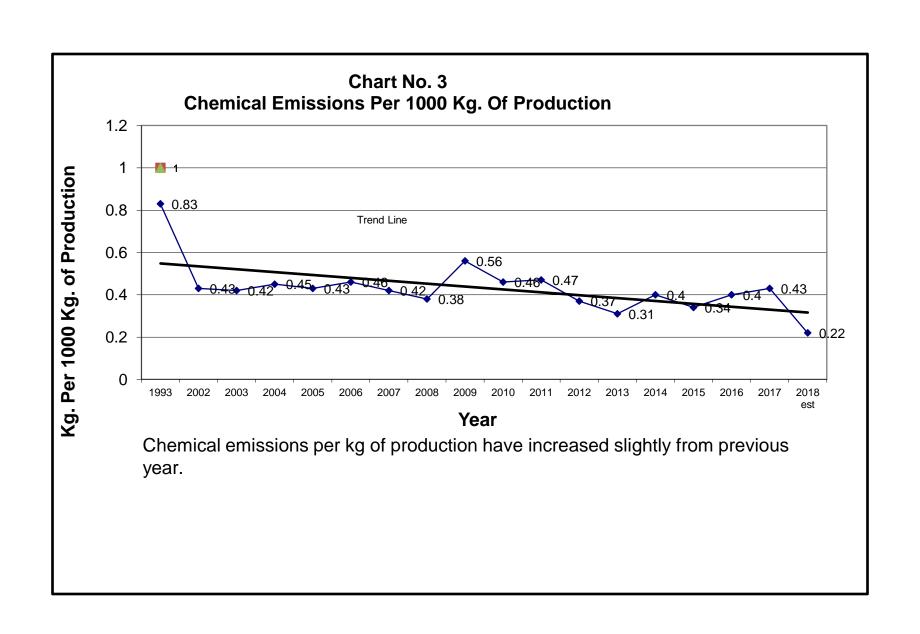
- Chemical wastes to landfill and incineration decreased by 56% from 2016 levels.
- There is more emphasis put on recycle and treatment of waste.
- Chemical wastes per kg of production decreased from the previous year despite higher production levels
- Chemical wastes are sometimes accumulated over time and sent for treatment.
- Plants are doing a great job in controlling waste to landfill, incineration and water.
- The majority of wastes are recycled/treated waste.

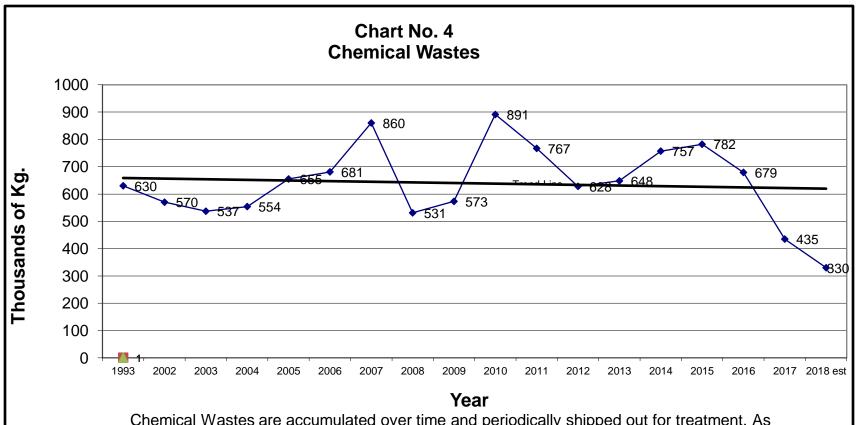
#### **Combustion Emissions**

- Greenhouse gases were slightly higher than 2016 levels
- Combustion emissions are tied directly to production levels and heating requirements.
- Combustion levels are variable due to weather conditions.

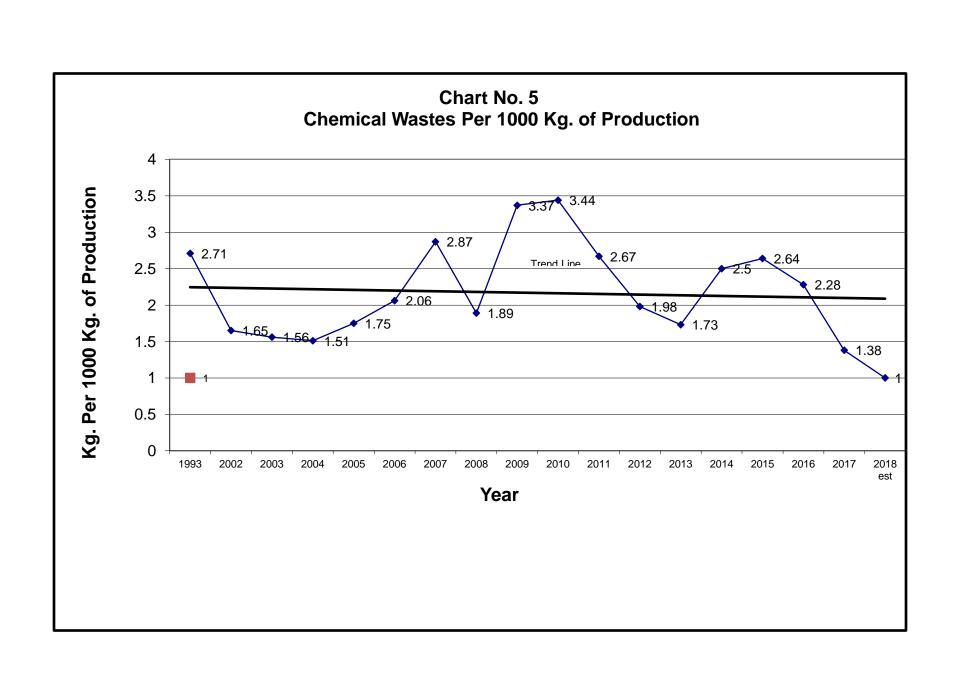


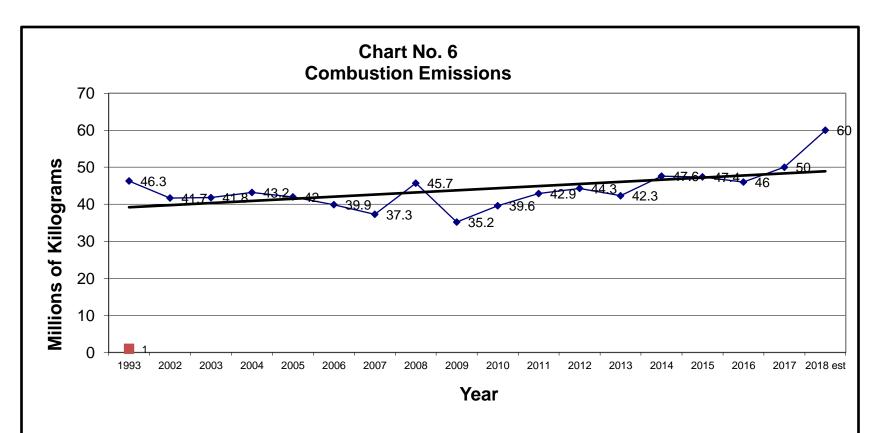






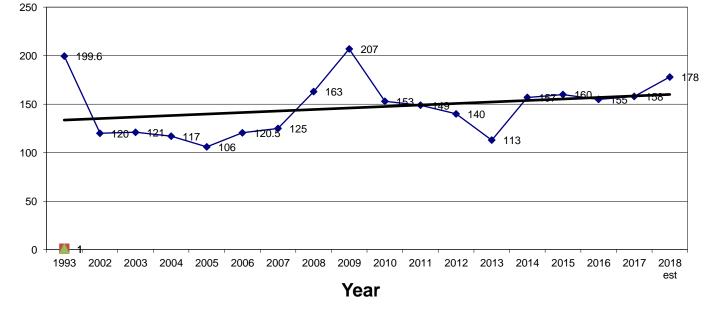
Chemical Wastes are accumulated over time and periodically shipped out for treatment. As a result, depending on the shipping dates, there can be big swings in "apparent" generation of wastes. Chemical waste has decreased from previous years.





Combustion emissions increase as production increases as fuel for process steam and heating requirements increase.

Chart No. 7
Combustion Emissions per 10000 Kg. of Production



Combustion emissions per kg of production has been constant for the past 5 years

Kg. Per 10000 Kg. of Production

#### **Chemical Emissions to Air and Water**

#### **Year 2017 Emissions and Comparisons with 2016 Results**

#### Table 1

Plant	Chemical Name	Amount Released in		Total 2017	Total	% Change	Estimate
No.			2017		2016	From	2018
		Kilog	Kilograms		kg.	2016	kg.
		Waterway	Air				
2	Nitrogenous Material	655		655	855	-23	700
1,2,3	Ammonia	415	10,482	10,897	28,088	-61	8,600
2,3,5,6	Methanol		140	140	196	-29	343
2	Iso Octane		7,515	7,515	2,400	+213	7,500
2	Vinyl Chloride	1	353	354	353	0	355
3	White Mineral Oil**		531	531	104	+410	500
3,5	Ethyl Alcohol		59,536	59,536	59,627	-1.5	16,500
1,2	Nitrate Ion	25,254		25,254	21,110	+16	17,500
1,5	Isopropanol		45	45	48	-6	60
2,3,6	Phenol ***		28,534	28,534	3,794	+625	21,000
1,3,6	Formaldehyde		20	20	55	-63	10
5	Sodium Metasilicate**		102	102	122	-16	100
2	Oil and Grease	965		965	909	+6	925
2	Phosphorus Salts	124		124	234	-47	180
2	Aluminum Ion	130		130	316	-58	200
5	Sodium Gluconate**		132	132	133	0	130
4	Sulphur Dioxide				0		
5	Acetic Acid				0		
5	Glycol Ether				0		
	Emissions less than 100 kg./yr.*	10	363	373	308	+21	350
	Total Emissions, kg.	27,553	107,753	135,306	118,652	+14	75,953

Identification of Companies: (1) Solvay/Cytec (2) Oxy Vinyls (3) Durez (4) Chemtrade Logistics (5) Kemira Chemicals (6) Mancuso Chemicals \*Includes: zinc; HCFC; cyanide; calcium hydroxide; ferric oxide; carbon black; naphthalene; 1,2,4-trimethyl benzene; furfuryl alcohol; ethyl benzene; gasoline, Toluene, Xylene

<sup>\*\*</sup> New Chemicals added to the list

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Phenol emissions increased due to a change in reporting and emission modeling specifications from the Ministry of Environment.

# Chemical Wastes Year 2017 Data and Comparisons with 2016 and 2018 Estimates Table 2

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Plant	Chemical Name	Amount Transferred in			Total	Total	% Change	Estimate
No.		2017			2017	2016	From	2018
		Kilograms			Kg	Kg	2016	kg.
				Recycled/	Does not			Does not
		Landfill	Incinerated	Treated	include			include
					recycled.			recycle mat's
1	Tributyl-Phosphine Sulfide	0	0	0	0	6,240	-100	0
3,6	Phenol	1,250	58,287	95,540	59,537	63,252	-6	91,200
1,2,5,6	Liquid Industrial Waste (Oils,etc)	28,291	0	157,506	28,291	207,613	-733	35,000
2	Vinyl Resins	47,236	0	402,690	47,236	62,785	-25	102,000
1	Phosphorus Salts	0	0	0	0	2,612	-100	
1,2,4,5	Waste Misc. Haz. Prod. & Rinses	65,117	230,739	1,624,429	295,856	292,771	+1	70,000
3	Formaldehyde	75	4,105	6,744	4,180	4,446	-6	4,000
4	Sodium Hydroxide	0	0	0	0	16,798	-100	10,000
6	Polymer Resin Solutions ***	0	0	0	0	22,560	-100	18,000
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Chemicals with wastes of 100 Kg. or less per year **								
Total Ch	Total Chemical Wastes		293,131	2,286,909	435,100	679,077	-56	330,200

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes: Mercury and Batteries.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Not reported in previous years.

## **Combustion Emissions**

# **Burning Fuel For Steam Generation And Drying Emissions for 2017 and 2016 and Estimates for 2018**

#### Table 3

Combustion Product Component	Amount Released			
	2017	2016	2018 Estimate	
Carbon Dioxide 1000 Metric tonnes	49.87	45.95	59.81	
Nitrogen Dioxide Metric tonnes	44.75	40.4	53.04	
Carbon Monoxide Metric tonnes	29.40	28.3	31.91	
Sulfur Oxides Metric tonnes	0.746	0.367	0.500	
Methane Metric tonnes	1.140	1.062	1.190	
Volatile Organic Carbon Metric tonnes	2.96	2.28	3.38	
Totals 1000 Metric tonnes	49.95	46.0	59.90	

#### Non Plant CAER Members

#### Fire Departments From

Fort Erie, Niagara Falls, Thorold, St Catharines

Niagara Region Police

**CN Police** 

Niagara Region EMS

Niagara Health System

Niagara College

#### **Associate CAER Members**

First Response Environmental

**Terrapure Emergency Response Services** 

**Quantum Murray Emergency Response and Training** 

**GHD Incident Response Services** 

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