Soda Ash Manufacturing Monitoring Checklist



Final Rule: Mandatory Reporting of Greenhouse Gases

What Must Be Monitored for Each Soda Ash Manufacturing Line?

If NOT using a CEMS, measure these parameters...

Site-specific emission factor method:			
	Process vent flow rate from mine water stripper/evaporator during annual performance test (pounds/hour)		Hourly carbon dioxide (CO ₂) concentration (percent CO ₂)
	Stack gas volumetric flow rate per minute (dscfm)		CO ₂ mass emission rate (metric tons/hour)
Alter	native calculation method:		
	Monthly inorganic carbon content in trona input by daily measurement (percent by weight)		Monthly mass of trona input (tons)
	Monthly inorganic carbon content in soda ash output by daily measurement (percent by weight)		Monthly mass of soda ash output (tons)
Othe	r parameters:		
	Monthly consumption of trona or liquid alkaline feedstock (metric tons)		Monthly production of soda ash (tons)

If using a CEMS:

In addition to the monitoring requirements under 40 CFR subpart C for the Tier 4 Calculation Methodology, measure these parameters...

□ Monthly consumption of trona or liquid □ Monthly production of soda ash (tons) alkaline feedstock (metric tons)

See also the information sheet for Soda Ash Manufacturing (EPA-430-F-09-036R) at: www.epa.gov/ghgreporting/documents/pdf/infosheets/sodaashmanufacturing.pdf.

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