# O.Reg. 455/09 Toxic Substance Reduction Plan Summary Parmalat Canada Inc.



Substance & CAS No		PM10	NA-M09		
Substances at the Facility for which		Nitric Acid, Sulphuric Acid, Total Ammonia, Total phosphorus, PM <sub>2.5</sub>			
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Facility Identification and Site Address					
Company Name		Parmalat Canada Inc.			
Facility Name		Winchester Plant			
		Physical Address	Mailing Address (if different)		
Facility Address		490 Gordon Street	P.O. Box 430		
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NPRI ID Number		3840			
Ontario MOE ID Num	ber	-			
		Parent Company Information			
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Percent Ownership			%		
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Pr	imary North Ame	rican Industrial Classification Syster			
		Code	Description		
2-digit NAICS Code		31	Food Manufacturing		
4-digit NAICS Code		3115	Dairy Product Manufacturing		
C dimit NAICC Code		044545	Butter, cheese and dry condensed		
6-digit NAICS Code		311515	dairy product manufacturing		
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Responsible for	License #	TSRP0119	51 Breithaupt Street		
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#### **Plan Summary Statement**

This plan summary accurately reflects the content of the toxic substance reduction plan for PM10, prepared by Parmalat Canada Inc. Winchester Plant, dated November 28, 2013.

#### Statement of Intent

Parmalat Canada Inc. Winchester plant does not intend to reduce the creation of PM10 because it is the dry milk product produced at the facility.

## Objective

As the substance is the product produced at the facility, Parmalat Canada Inc. does not intend to implement any options to reduce the substance. However, the facility will continue to pursue opportunities to reduce the discharge of the substance to the environment.

## **Description of Substance and Use/Creation**

For a description of how, when, where, and why PM10 is created, including quantifications for accounting and process flow diagrams see Attachment 1.

#### Options to be Implemented

As no options was deemed technically and economically feasible, Parmalat Canada Inc. does not intend to implement any options to reduce the substance. The facility will continue to pursue opportunities to reduce the discharge of the substance to the environment.

#### Certifications (s. 19)

## **Highest Ranking Employee**

As of November 28, 2013, I, Stephen Wilson, certify that I have read the toxic substance reduction plan for the toxic substance referred to below and am familiar with its contents, and to my knowledge the plan is factually accurate and complies with the Toxics Reduction Act, 2009 and Ontario Regulation 455/09 (General) made under that Act.

PM10				
HRE:	Stephen Wilson Director, Plant Operations  Digital Signature on File	Date: November 29, 2013		
Toxic Substance Reduction Planner				
Winchester plant that in subparagraphs 7 iii,	013, I, Patsy Duever, certify that I am familiar with the procuse or create the toxic substance referred to below, that I a iv, and v of subsection 4(1) of the Toxics Reduction Act, 2 013 and that the plan complies with that Act and Ontario R	agree with the estimates referred to 2009 that are set out in the plan		
PM10				
TSRP:	Patry Duever	Date: November 28, 2013		

# Attachment 1 Accounting Information

# Stages and Processes

Operations at the Parmalat Winchester facility have been divided into the following stages:

- Receiving;
- Material storage;
- Preparation;
- Production;
- Final storage, and
- Shipping.

Nitric acid was used as a formula component of cleaners used as part of the "clean-in-place" process at the site. Cleaning chemicals containing nitric acid were circulated through the production equipment as required to meet applicable food safety standards.

PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> were created and released to air as part of combustion and production processes.

Sulphuric acid was used at the site for pH neutralization. Wastewater generated from production activities at the site (dairy production) was generally caustic (from the use of cleaning chemicals) and required stabilization prior to discharge to the environment. Sulphuric acid was added to the wastewater prior to entering the discharge lagoon (final treatment lagoon) and being released from the site. The pH of the wastewater was measured on the routine basis to ensure an adequate level of neutralization has occurred prior to discharge.

Total ammonia was contained in products added to dairy products to control the growth of cultures. In addition, total ammonia was created through the wastewater treatment process and was discharged as part of the wastewater effluent and sent off-site for disposal as part of biosolids.

Total phosphorus was a component of raw materials used and products produced at the facility and was discharged as part of the wastewater effluent and sent off-site for disposal as part of biosolids.

## **Detailed Process Flow Diagrams**

Detailed process flow diagrams showing the amounts of nitric acid,  $PM_{10}$ ,  $PM_{2.5}$ , sulphuric acid, total ammonia and total phosphorus at various stages of the production process can be found on Figures 1, 2, 3 and 4.

# Air Releases

Nitric acid was assumed to be fully consumed through the cleaning process. Also, the release of nitric acid from bulk storage containers was deemed to be negligible. As a result, there were no air emissions of nitric acid.

Air releases of  $PM_{10}$  and  $PM_{2.5}$  were estimated from combustion and production sources at the site, including natural gas combustion, water cooling towers and pollution control equipment associated with the dryers, silos and bagger stations. Air releases were calculated based on USEPA emission factors,

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site-specific stack testing data and annual natural gas usage quantities, total powder production and equipment run-time provided by Parmalat.

Sulphuric acid was assumed to be fully neutralized as the pH of the discharge wastewater from the site was maintained above 6. Also, the release of sulphuric acid from bulk storage containers is deemed to be negligible. As a result, there were no air emissions of sulphuric acid.

Total ammonia and total phosphorus were either contained in products used at the site or wastewater discharges/biosolids disposed off-site. As a result, there were no air emissions or total ammonia and total phosphorus.

# Off-Site Disposals

Nitric acid was assumed to be fully consumed through the cleaning process as the pH of the discharge wastewater from the site was maintained above 6. As a result, there were no off-site releases of nitric acid to the drain.

Sulphuric acid was assumed to be fully neutralized as the pH of the discharge wastewater from the site was maintained above 6. As a result, there were no off-site releases of sulphuric acid to the drain.

Total ammonia and total phosphorus are components of biosolids that were land-applied off-site. Disposal quantities were calculated based on the annual disposal quantities and laboratory data provided by Parmalat. In addition, total ammonia and total phosphorus are components of the wastewater treatment plant effluent that is discharged off-site. Wastewater releases were calculated using annual discharge volumes and laboratory data provided by Parmalat.

## Use

The quantities of nitric acid, sulphuric acid and total ammonia used at the site were calculated based on the annual product usage quantities provided by Parmalat and the composition of nitric acid, sulphuric acid and total ammonia outlined in the product material safety data sheet (MSDS). Since raw material/final product composition data is not available, usage quantities were calculated based on the sum of total phosphorus releases from the wastewater treatment process (wastewater discharge and biosolids disposal).

## **Created**

 $PM_{10}$  and  $PM_{2.5}$  were created from combustion and productions sources at the site. For uncontrolled sources, it was assumed that air emission quantities equalled creation quantities. For controlled sources, the creation quantities were calculated based on the inlet loading to the pollution control equipment and estimated equipment removal efficiencies (based on USEPA guidance).

Total ammonia was created as part of the wastewater treatment process. Creation quantities were calculated based on the sum of total ammonia releases from the wastewater treatment process (wastewater discharge and biosolids disposal).

Nitric acid, sulphuric acid and total phosphorus were not created as part of the production process.

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# **Transformed**

Nitric acid, sulphuric acid, total ammonia and total phosphorus were not transformed as part of the production process.

## **Destroyed**

Nitric acid was assumed to be fully (100%) destroyed through the cleaning process as it converts to nitrate ion.

Sulphuric acid was assumed to be fully (100%) destroyed (neutralized) as the pH of the discharge wastewater from the site was maintained above 6.

Total ammonia and total phosphorus were not destroyed as part of the production process.

# **Contained in Product**

Based on information provided by Parmalat, nitric acid, sulphuric acid, total ammonia and total phosphorus were not contained in any products produced at the site.

# TRA Summary

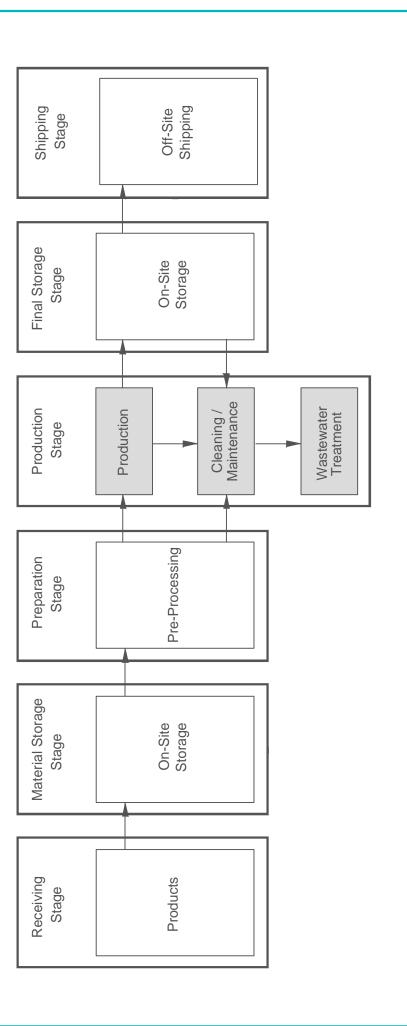
A summary of the TRA accounting quantities and input/output analysis is presented in the attached tables.

## **Data Quality**

Methodologies used to complete the TRA calculations at the site were based on:

- Engineering calculations/judgment derived from fundamental scientific and engineering principles.
- Source testing.
- USEPA emission factors.

As a result, based on Ministry guidance, the data quality can be considered to be "above-average".



Note: The Toxic Substance is not associated with the product that leaves the facility.

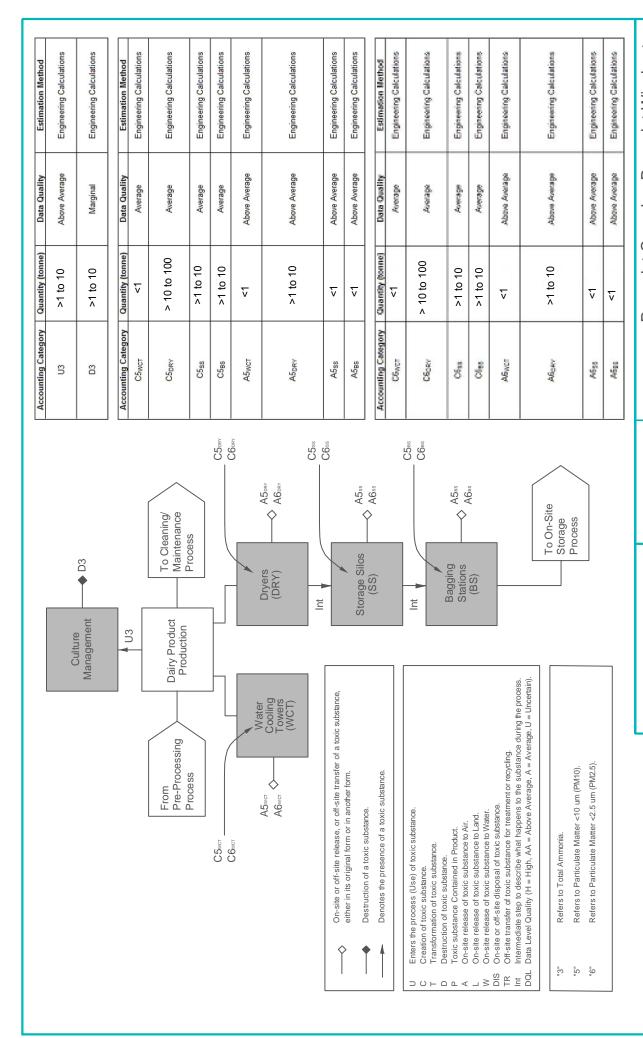


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Toxics Reduction Act Accounting
2012 Reporting Year FIGURE 1 Dairy Production

Toxic Subtance associated with process.



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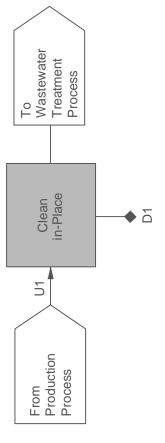
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FIGURE 2 Production

2012 Reporting Year

Toxic Subtance associated with process.



Accounting Category	Quantity (tonne)	Data Quality	Estimation Method
U1	> 100 to 1000	Above Average	Engineering Calculations
D1	> 100 to 1000	Above Average	Engineering Calculations



- Enters the process (Use) of toxic substance. Creation of toxic substance.

- Transformation of toxic substance. Destruction of toxic substance.
- Toxic substance Contained in Product.
- On-site release of toxic substance to Air.
- On-site release of toxic substance to Land.
- On-site release of toxic substance to Water.
- Off-site transfer of toxic substance for treatment or recycling. On-site or off-site disposal of toxic substance.
- Intermediate step to describe what happens to the substance during the process. Data Level Quality (H = High, AA = Above Average, A = Average, U = Uncertain). U C C C C L L A A A D D S A A D D S A

Refers to Nitric Acid. -

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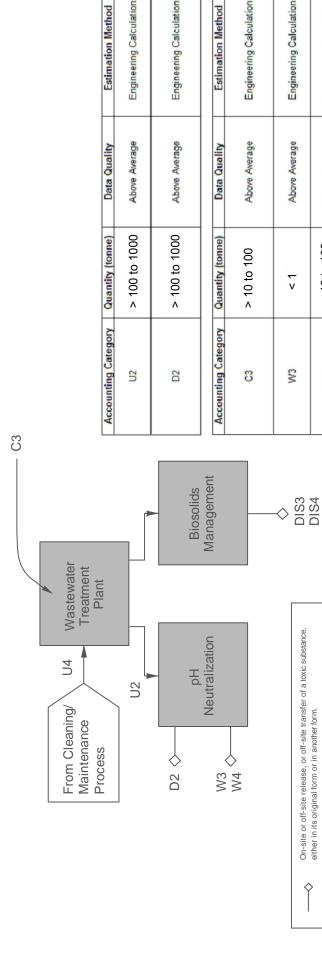
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FIGURE 3 Cleaning/Maintenance

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Toxic Subtance associated with process.



Engineering Calculations	Engineering Calculations	Estimation Method	Engineering Calculations	Engineering Calculations	Engineering Calculations
Above Average	Above Average	Data Quality	Above Average	Above Average	Above Average
> 100 to 1000	> 100 to 1000	Quantity (tonne)	> 10 to 100	۲ ×	> 10 to 100
U2	D2	Accounting Category	ខ	W3	DIS3

Accounting Category   Quantity (tonne)	Quantity (tonne)	Data Quality	Estimation Method
U4	> 10 to 100	Marginal	Engineering Calculations
W4	۸ ۲	Above Average	Engineering Calculations
DIS4	> 10 to 100	Above Average	Engineering Calculations

Refers to Total Phosphorus.

Refers to Total Ammonia. Refers to Sulphuric Acid.

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Off-site transfer of toxic substance for treatment or recycling. Intermediate step to describe what happens to the substance during the process. Data Level Quality (H = High, AA = Above Average, A = Average, U = Uncertain).

On-site or off-site disposal of toxic substance.

On-site release of toxic substance to Air.
On-site release of toxic substance to Land.
On-site release of toxic substance to Water.

Destruction of toxic substance.
Toxic substance Contained in Product.

Transformation of toxic substance.

Denotes the presence of a toxic substance.

Enters the process (Use) of toxic substance

Destruction of a toxic substance.

either in its original form or in another form.

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**FIGURE 4** Wastewater Treatment

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2012 Reporting Year

Toxic Subtance associated with process.

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Scale: n/a

Release Estimates - Parmalat Winchester

Mass Balance	Nitric Acid

# Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

Use =	>100 to 1,000	tonne
Created =	0	tonne
Transformed =	0	tonne
Destroyed =	>100 to 1,000	tonne
Contained in product =	0	tonne
Released to air =	0	tonne
Released to water =	0	tonne
Released to land =	0	tonne
Disposed of =	0	tonne
Transferred =	0	tonne
Mass Balance =	0	tonne

#### **Rationale for Balance**

- All sulphuric acid used was assumed to be fully neutralized.
- Release estimates for acids are dependent on whether the acid is neutralized to a pH of 6.0 or greater.
- The average pH of wastewater discharged from the Parmalat Winchester facility was greater than 6.0.
- Once an acid is neutralized, its concentration is zero percent, and therefore the estimates release is zero.

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Mass Balance Sulphuric Acid

# Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

Use =	> 100 to 1,000	tonne
Created =	0	tonne
Transformed =	0	tonne
Destroyed =	> 100 to 1,000	tonne
Contained in product =	0	tonne
Released to air =	0	tonne
Released to water =	0	tonne
Released to land =	0	tonne
Disposed of =	0	tonne
Transferred =	0	tonne
Mass Balance =	0	tonne

#### **Rationale for Balance**

- All sulphuric acid used was assumed to be fully neutralized.
- Release estimates for acids are dependent on whether the acid is neutralized to a pH of 6.0 or greater.
- The average pH of wastewater discharged from the Parmalat Winchester facility was greater than 6.0.
- Once an acid is neutralized, its concentration is zero percent, and therefore the estimates release is zero.

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Mass Balance	PM2.5

# Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

Use =	0	tonne
Created =	>1 to 10	tonne
Transformed =	0	tonne
Destroyed =	0	tonne
Contained in product =	0	tonne
Released to air =	> 1 to 10	tonne
Released to water =	0	tonne
Released to land =	0	tonne
Disposed of =	0	tonne
Transferred =	0	tonne
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Mass Balance =	0	tonne

#### **Rationale for Balance**

- PM2.5 is created from the combustion of natural gas, operation of cooling towers, and from the production of powder.

Release Estimates - Parmalat Winchester

Mass Balance	PM10

# Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

Use =	0	tonne
Created =	> 10 to 100	tonne
Transformed =	0	tonne
Destroyed =	0	tonne
Contained in product =	0	tonne
Released to air =	> 1 to 10	tonne
Released to water =	0	tonne
Released to land =	0	tonne
Disposed of =	0	tonne
Transferred =	0	tonne
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Mass Balance =	0	tonne

#### **Rationale for Balance**

- PM10 is created from the combustion of natural gas, operation of cooling towers, and from the production of powder.

Release Estimates - Parmalat Winchester

#### **Mass Balance**

Total Ammonia

## Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

> Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

tonne

Use = > 1 to 10 tonne Created = > 10 to 100 tonne Transformed = 0 tonne Destroyed = > 1 to 10 tonne Contained in product = tonne 0 Released to air = 0 tonne > 0.1 to 1 Released to water = tonne Released to land = 0.0 tonne Disposed of = > 10 to 100 tonne Transferred = 0 tonne Mass Balance =

# **Rationale for Balance**

- Total ammonia is created from biosolids that are generated from wastewater treatment operations.

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- Total ammonia is released to water as part of the effluent discharged from the WWTP.
- Total ammonia is disposed off-site as part of the biosolids application program.

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#### Mass Balance

Total Phosphorus

## Enters the Process (Use) + Created = Transformed + Destroyed and Leaves Process

Leaves Process = Contained in product

Released to air Released to water Released to land Disposed of

Transferred off-site for treatment or recycling

Use = 0 tonne Created = > 10 to 100 tonne Transformed = 0 tonne Destroyed = 0 tonne Contained in product = 0 tonne Released to air = 0 tonne > 0.1 to 1 Released to water = tonne Released to land = tonne 0 Disposed of = > 10 to 100 tonne Transferred = 0 tonne Mass Balance = 0 tonne

#### **Rationale for Balance**

- Total phosphorus is created from biosolids that are generated from wastewater treatment operations.
- Total phosphorus is released to water as part of the effluent discharged from the WWTP.
- Total phosphorus is disposed off-site as part of the biosolids application program.