MICHIGAN AIR EMISSIONS REPORTING SYSTEM (MAERS)

What’s new for Emissions Inventory (EI) Year 2014

- The Get Lat/Long and Map It service on the Source and Stack forms in MAERS is currently not available; we are working to find a different service. Latitude and longitude coordinates are available on various mapping websites, like Google Maps. For assistance with latitude and longitude coordinates, please send an e-mail to InfoMAERS@michgan.gov.

- Reference tables can be found on the System Utilities tab in MAERS or go to www.michigan.gov/deqmaers; Online-Services; MAERS Reference Tables for the most current information, like new Source Classification Codes (SCC) and emission factors.

- The control device list has been updated. Obsolete control device codes have been mapped to acceptable codes. Facilities should verify the correct control devices are selected on the Emission Unit Form. The updated list of acceptable control device codes is available in the MAERS or via the Internet at www.michigan.gov/deqmaers, “Online Services”, “MAERS Reference Tables.”

- Emission Unit form, Emission Unit type – A yellow warning will display on the Emission Unit form if the Emission Unit Type is not selected.

- Emission Unit form, Combustion Source – A yellow warning will display on the Emission Unit form if the combustion source is not selected. Combustion Source is a Yes/No field.

- Completeness Check – Beginning EI2014 Stack Form Exit Gas Temperature and Stack Form Actual Exit Gas Flow Rates are required fields. These fields must be completed to submit reports.

- Activity & Emissions Form, Emissions Tab - if a control efficiency is entered it must be between 1 and 99.9999. If the control efficiency is not entered correctly, the user will not be able to save the form.

- Rule 208a – AQD anticipates Rule 208a will be rescinded in 2015. Facilities utilizing Rule 208a must have an alternative in place prior to the rescission of the rule to be in compliance with the Michigan Air Pollution Control Rules. If you have questions regarding Rule 208a please contact your district inspector.

- Primary Preparers/Manage Users – In addition to associating users all secondary users and reviewer, user roles MUST be defined. See www.michigan.gov/deqmaers - Associating User Instructions for additional details.

- Users who change companies must create a new MAERS account.

Additional Information

- The MAERS web based application can be accessed at http://maers.state.mi.us/facility. In order for you to view and edit your MAERS Report, you first must register and be associated with your Facility. To register, click on the Self-Registration link at the internet address above. If you are registering as a Primary Preparer, please remember to send in your Electronic Signature...
Agreement to the Lansing Office for activation of your account. The mailing address
is: Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Attn:
MAERS Administrator, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, MI  48909-7760.

• Latitudes and longitudes that have been verified by AQD staff will be grayed out in
the MAERS and cannot be modified by the facility. If a verified latitude or longitude
is incorrect, please send an e-mail to INFOMAERS@michigan.gov with the correct
information.

• MAERS workshops are offered throughout February and March. To find more
information and register on-line go to www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops.

• Be sure to check out the MAERS website for additional updates at

Submit Emissions Information by March 16, 2015

SUBMITTAL OF EMISSIONS INFORMATION IS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW
(Article II: Pollution Control, Chapter 1, Point Source Pollution Control, Part
55 of PA 451 of 1994, the Natural Resource and Environmental Protection
Act. The penalty for non-completion or falsification of MAERS forms is a
misdemeanor.)

The Environmental Assistance Center is available to help with your MAERS related
questions and can be contacted by calling 1-800-662-9278.