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## QUARTERLY GROUND LEVEL PARTICULATE MONITORING REPORT FOR BIRKENHEAD WORKS

# COMPLIANCE DATE: 30/04/24 – Quarter 1, 2024 EPA Licence 1126: Ground Level Particulate Monitoring and Reporting plan (U - 1555)

Licensed site:	Adelaide Brighton Cement, Birkenhead Works
	62 Elder Road, Birkenhead, SA 5015

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# Glossary

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Torm	Definition
Term	Definition
µg/m³	micrograms per cubic metre
μm	micrometre
°C	degrees Celsius
m	metre
m <sup>3</sup>	cubic metre
m³/s	cubic metres per second
Nomenclature	Definition
<b>PM</b> <sub>10</sub>	Particulate matter with a diameter less than 10 micrometres
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Particulate matter with a diameter less than 2.5 micrometres
24 hour average	Calendar day (midnight to midnight)
Abbreviations	Definition
ABC Air EPP GLPMRP EPA	Adelaide Brighton Cement South Australian Environment Protection (Air Quality) Policy 2016 ABC's Ground Level Particulate Monitoring and Reporting Plan Environment Protection Authority

#### Sampling Locations

• Map showing sampling locations, major infrastructure, sensitive environmental receptors, and north arrow



Sampling locations are indicated by colour-coded dots on the above map. **NB**: Four sampling points are located on the Birkenhead Works site; the other sampling points are in the community (Community Park).

The property (not owned by ABC), on which the Gunn Street Monitor was located, was sold for redevelopment and was no longer available for use. As a consequence the monitor was removed on 28 June 2022. A new monitoring location is currently being determined.

Monitoring	To provide monitoring and reporting of ground level particulate concentrations (PM10 and PM2.5), from a network of monitors located
Objective	within and external to the site premises.
	<ul> <li>Monitoring data for each monitor (on site and off site) shall include:</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Monthly wind rose showing the distribution of wind directions</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Monthly dust rose showing the distribution of PM<sub>10</sub> concentration</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Monthly dust rose showing the distribution of PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration</li> </ul>
	• Monitoring data for each ABC monitor (on site and off site) including EPA monitor (Le Fevre 1) for comparison as follows:
	$\circ$ Monthly time series graph of 24-hour average PM <sub>10</sub> concentration reported against the Air EPP for PM <sub>10</sub> of 50
	micrograms per cubic metre (24-hour average).
	• Monthly time series graph of 24-hour average PM <sub>2.5</sub> concentration reported against the Air EPP for PM <sub>2.5</sub> of 25
	micrograms per cubic metre (24-hour average).
Monitoring Plan	This monitoring report has been prepared in compliance with the Ground Level Particulate Monitoring and Reporting Plan (GLPMRP), approved 16 October 2023 by the South Australian EPA.
	The Plan is available on the ABC Birkenhead Community Website: <u>https://adelaidebrightoncommunity.com.au/</u>
Monitoring	Monitoring reports for January, February and March, provide for each monitor the following:
data for each ABC monitor	<ul> <li>PM<sub>2.5</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub>, 24-hour averages</li> <li>PM<sub>2.5</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub> monthly wind &amp; dust rose</li> </ul>
	The property (not owned by ABC), on which the Gunn Street Monitor was located, was sold for redevelopment and was no longer available for use. As a consequence the monitor was removed on 28 June 2022. A new monitoring location is currently being determined.
	There were no 24-hour exceedances of the PM <sub>10</sub> and PM <sub>2.5</sub> Air (EPP) criteria on ambient particulate monitors in the community, during this reporting period.
	Power to Eastern Grounds Monitor was restored on the 9 January 2024 after being found to be disconnected from the 1 January 2024.
	Power outage to the Community Park Monitor resulted in insufficient data for a valid 24 hr average to be calculated for 25 March 2024

	SA Power Networks, upgrade to a high voltage substation, required planned power outages to the site, which cut power supply the
	Eastern, Northern and Southern Grounds monitoring equipment, (Block 9– solar powered monitor and separate power supply Community
	Park Monitor were not affected by these power cuts) which resulted in insufficient data for a valid 24 hr average to be calculated for the
	affected days as follows:
	<ul> <li>9/1/2024 6.55 pm - 10/1/2024 8.02 am</li> <li>4/2/24 18:39 pm - 5/2/2024 06.22 am</li> </ul>
Appendix	January, February and March Monitoring Reports (attached)

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Monitoring Summary (01 Jan, 2024 - 31 Jan, 2024)					
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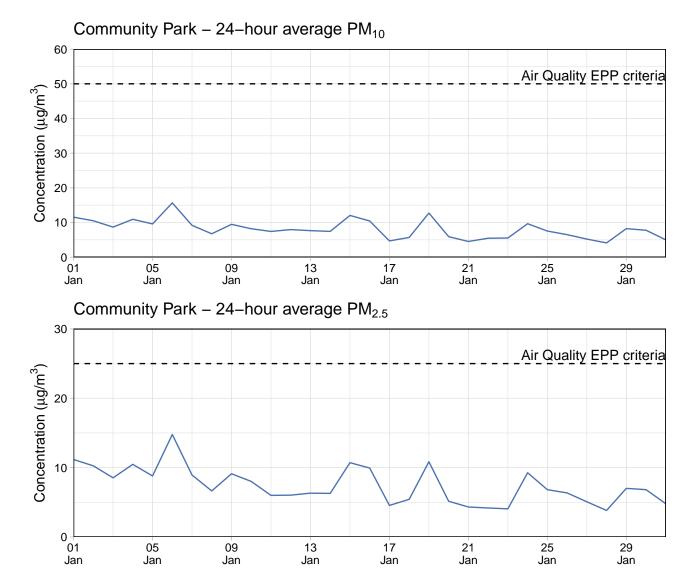
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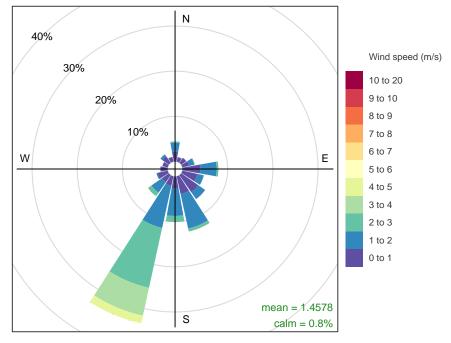
## **Public Monitors**

		PM	10		<b>PM</b> <sub>2.5</sub>			
Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)
Community Park	4.1	8.1	15.7	100	3.8	7.4	14.8	100

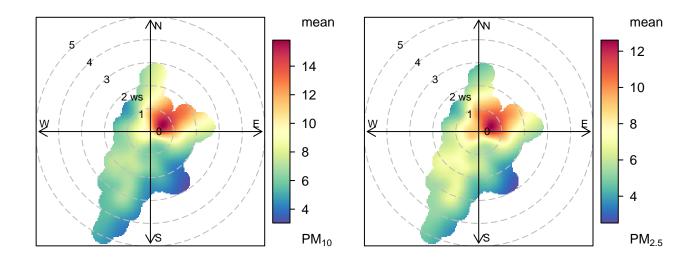
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Frequency of counts by wind direction (%)



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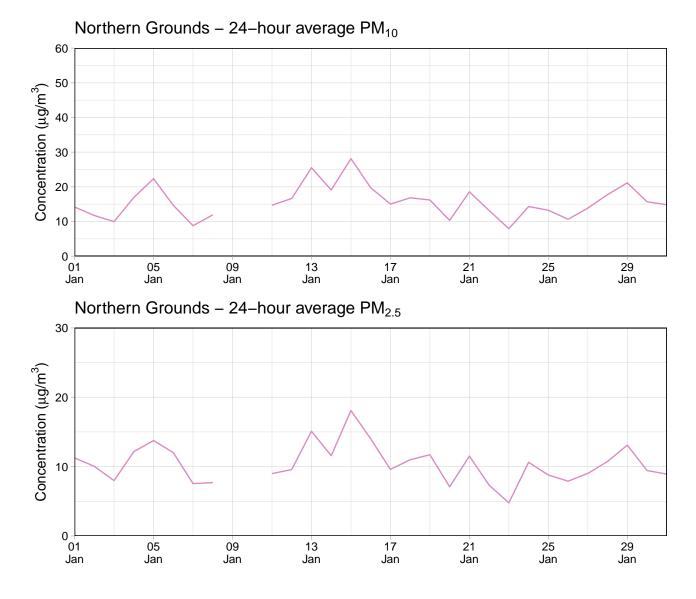
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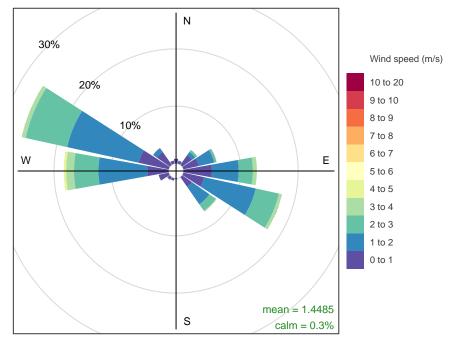
		PM	10		<b>PM</b> <sub>2.5</sub>			
Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)
Southern Grounds	3.3	7.3	12.0	93.5	3.2	6.8	11.7	93.5
Eastern Grounds	6.0	13.1	25.6	93.5	5.0	9.5	17.2	93.5
Block 9	4.6	10.7	22.7	100.0	3.0	8.2	14.4	100.0
Northern Grounds	7.9	15.7	28.1	93.5	4.8	10.4	18.1	93.5

Table 2: Summary of 24-hour average data collected at internal monitors ( $\mu g/m^3$ )

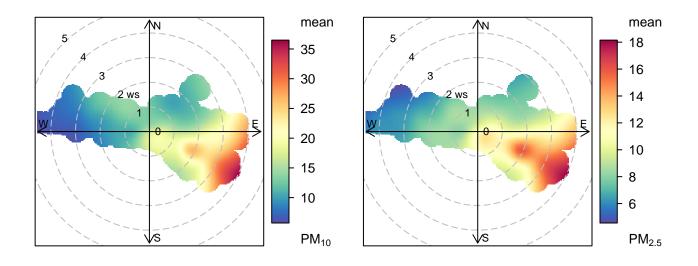
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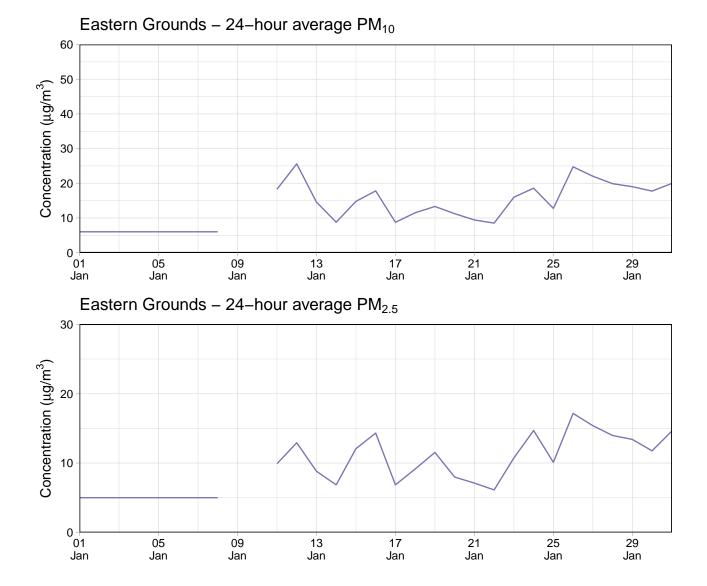


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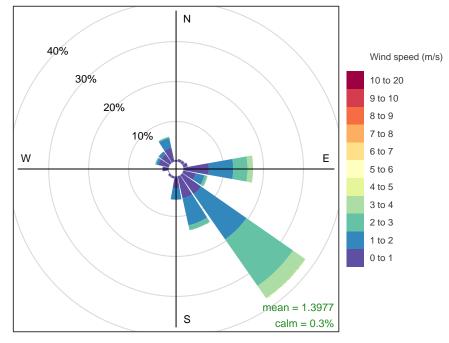


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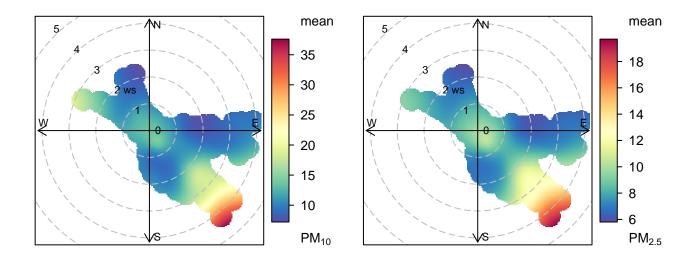


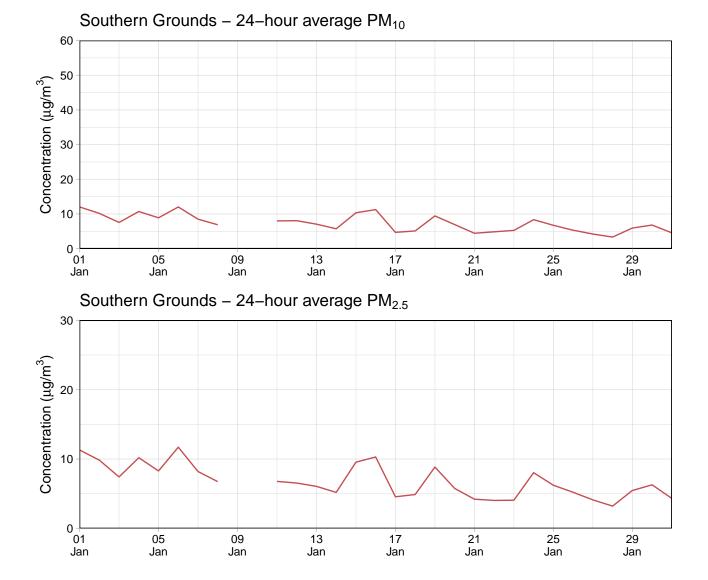


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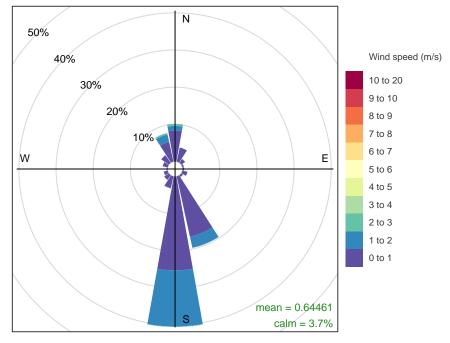


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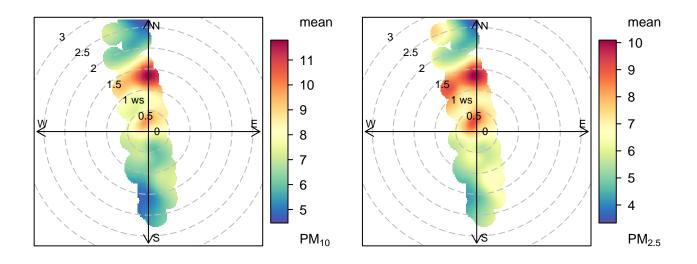




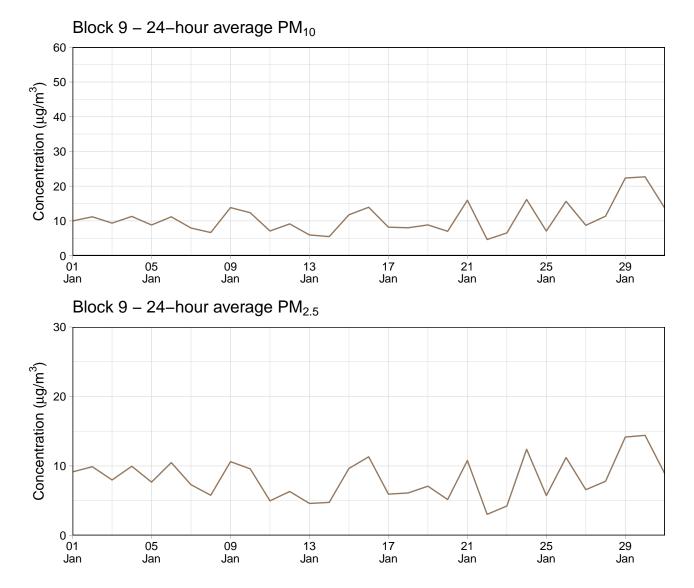
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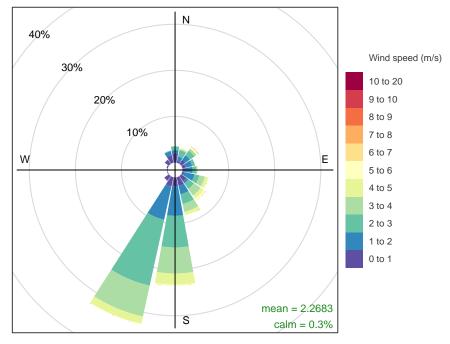


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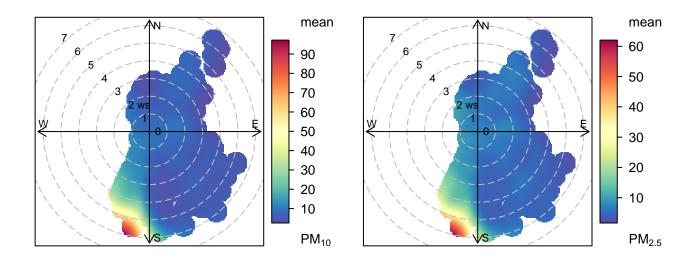








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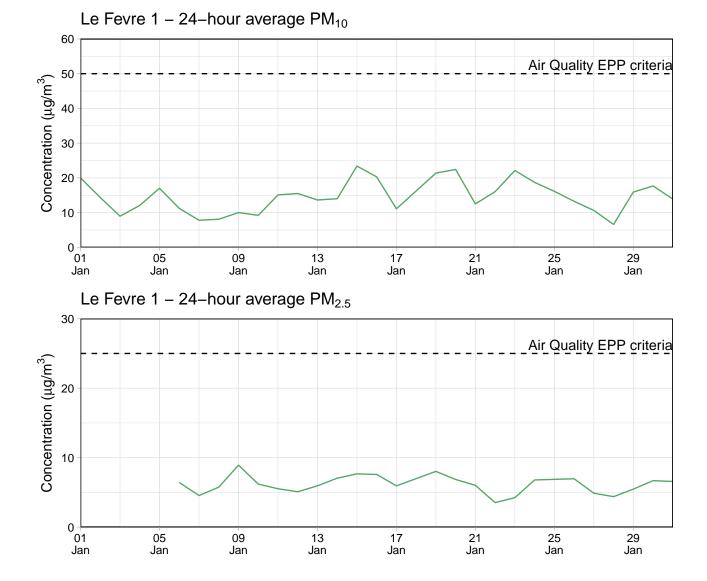


### **EPA** Monitoring

Le Fevre 1

Table 3: Summary of 24-hour average data collected at EPA monitors ( $\mu$ g/m<sup>3</sup>)

		PM	<b>PM</b> <sub>2.5</sub>					
Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)
Le Fevre 1	6.6	14.6	23.4	100	0	5.5	8.9	93.3



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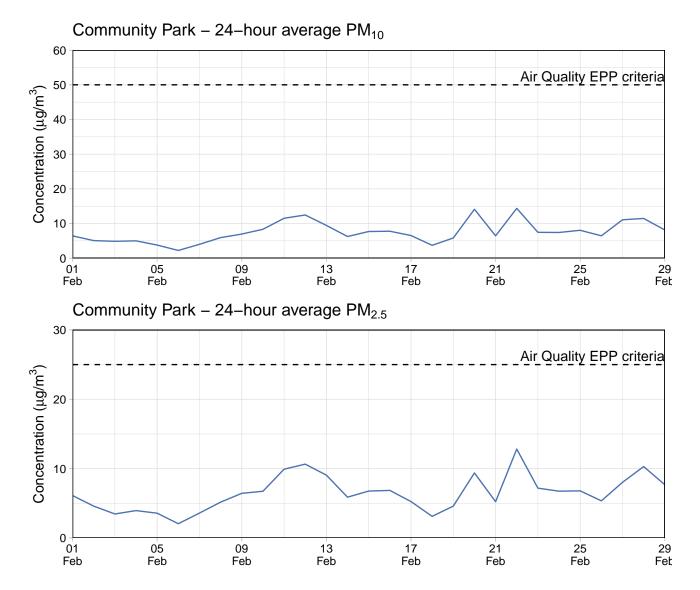
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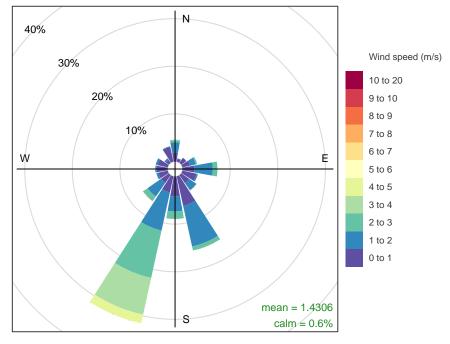
		PM	10		<b>PM</b> <sub>2.5</sub>			
Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)
Community Park	2.2	7.5	14.4	100	2.1	6.5	12.8	100

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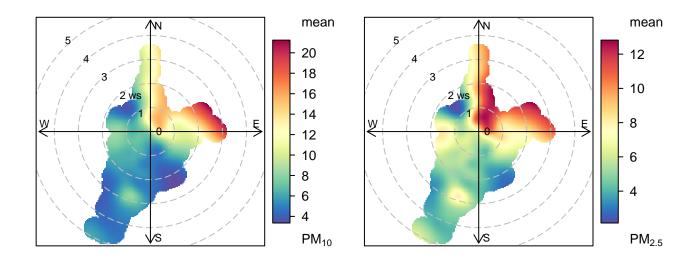




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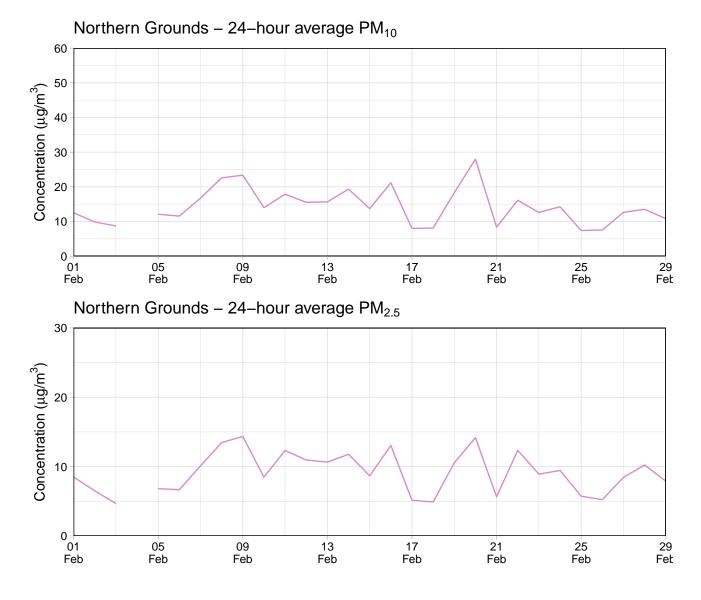
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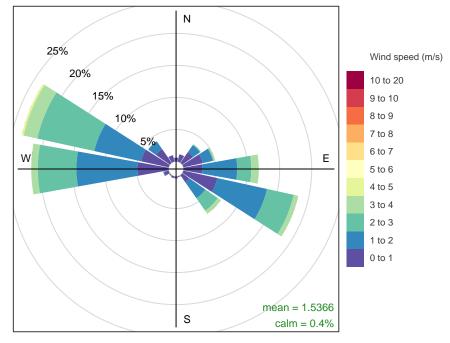
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		PM	10		<b>PM</b> <sub>2.5</sub>				
Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	
Southern Grounds	2.3	7.2	13.9	96.6	2.1	6.4	12.5	96.6	
Eastern Grounds	8.9	15.8	34.6	96.6	6.1	11.2	22.6	96.6	
Block 9	4.9	11.3	23.5	100.0	3.2	8.1	16.1	100.0	
Northern Grounds	7.4	14.3	28.0	96.6	4.7	9.1	14.4	96.6	

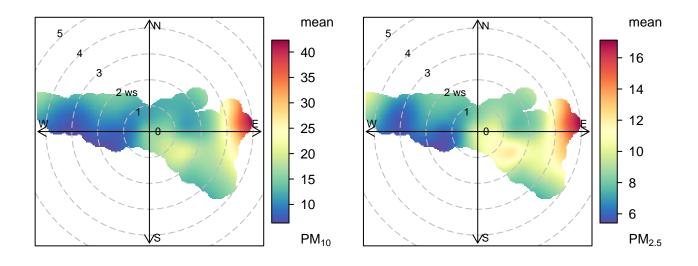
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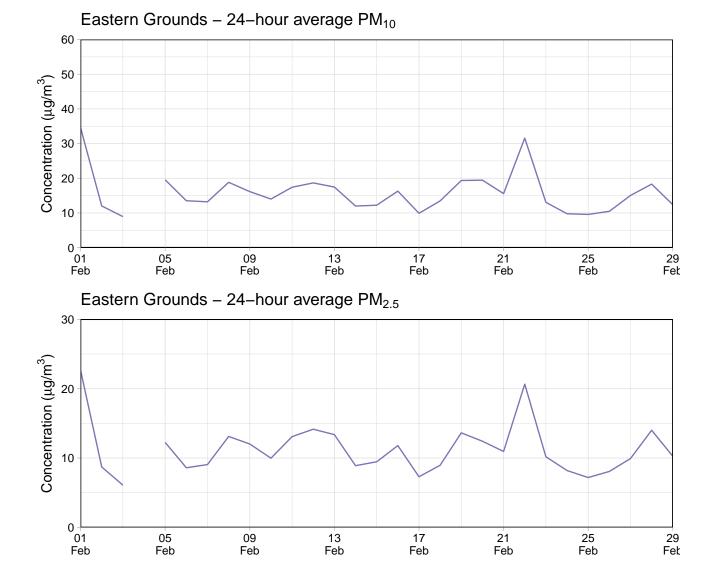
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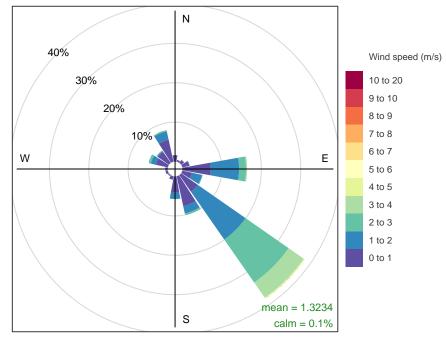


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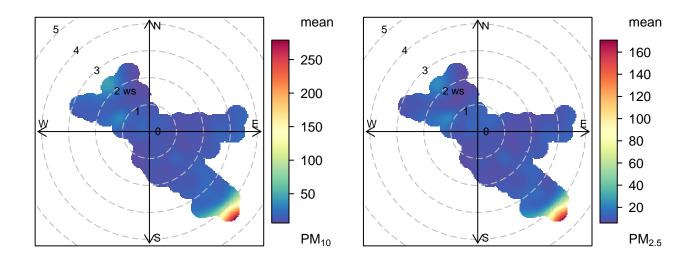


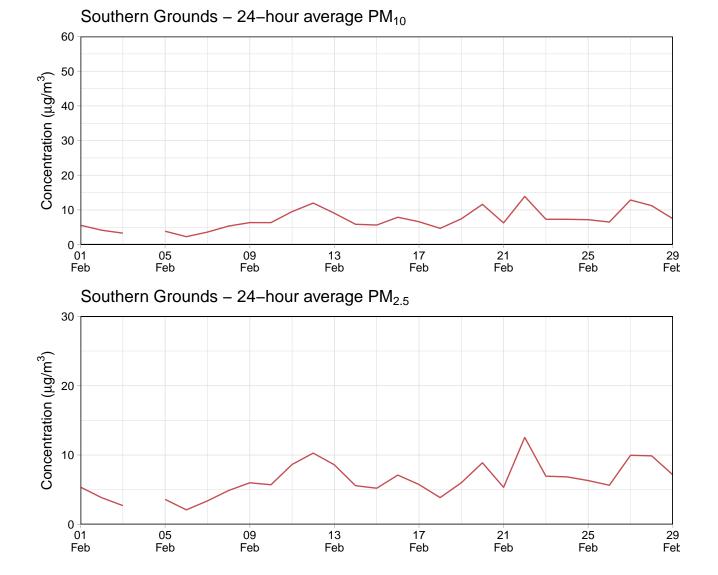


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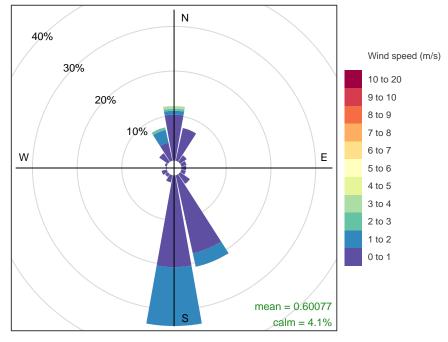


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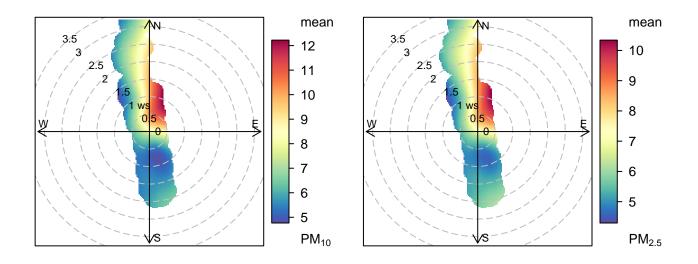




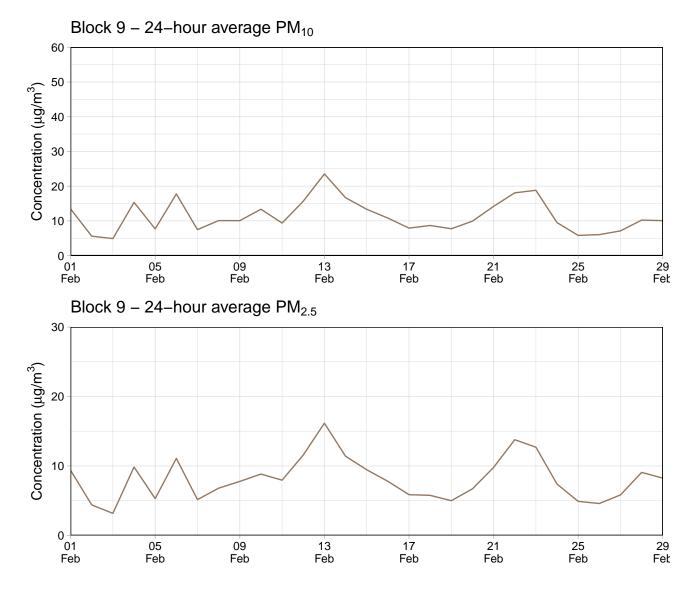
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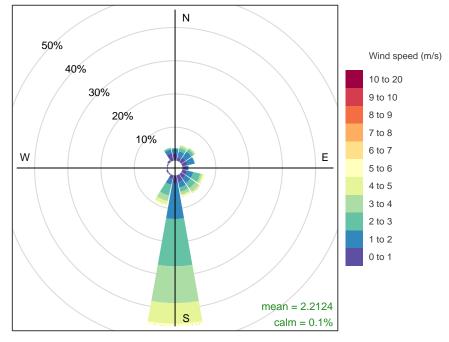


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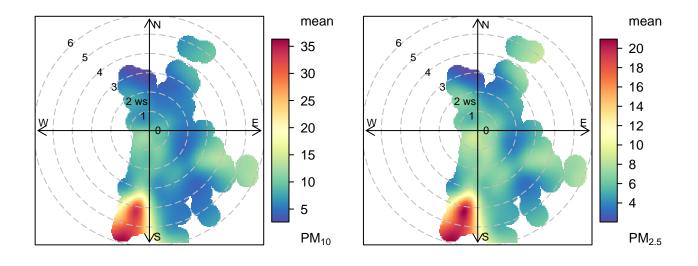








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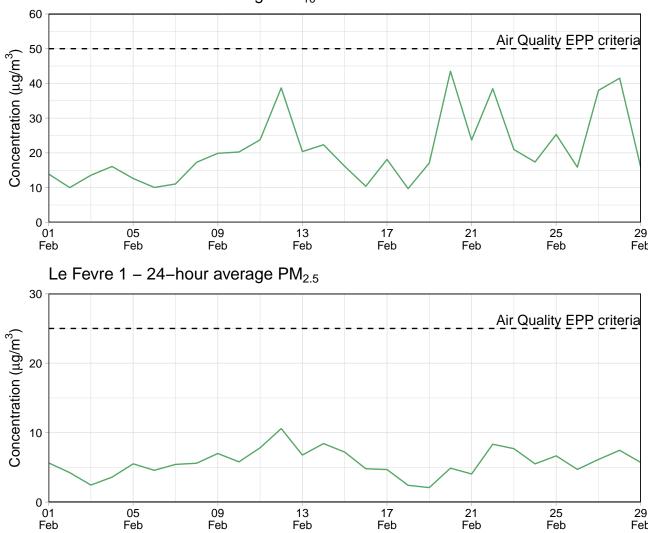
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Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)
Le Fevre 1	9.7	20.7	43.5	100	2.1	5.7	10.6	100



Le Fevre 1 – 24–hour average  $PM_{10}$ 

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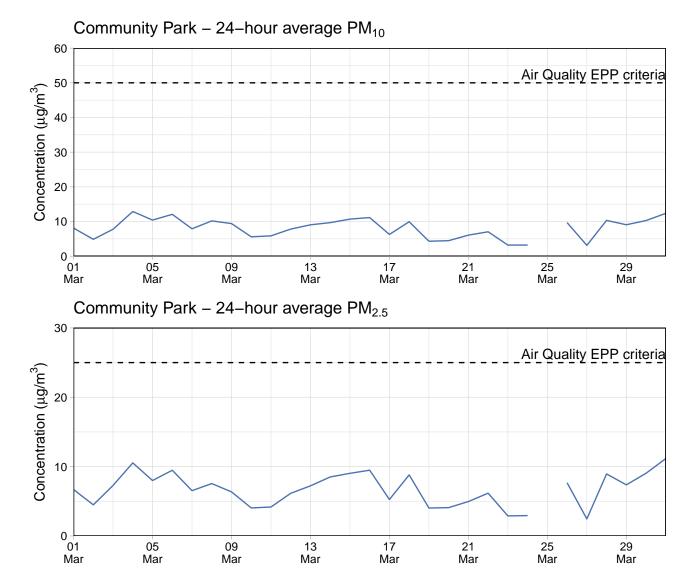
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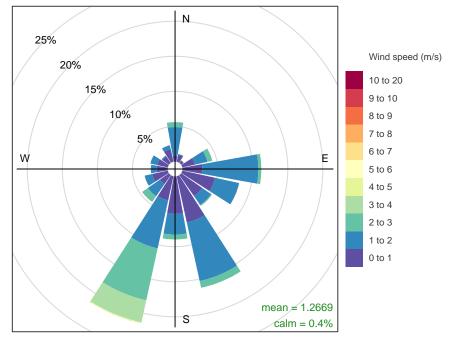
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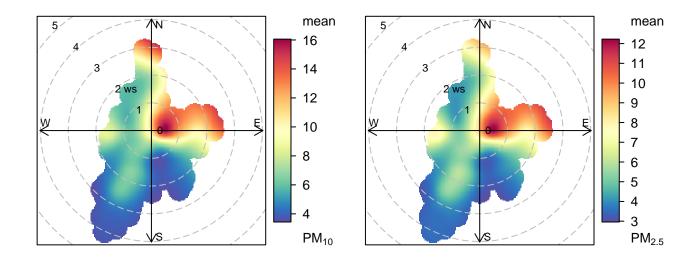
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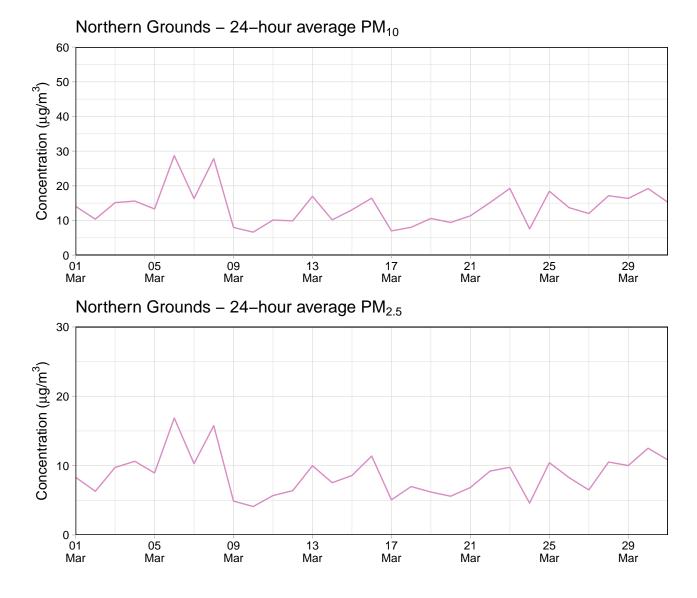
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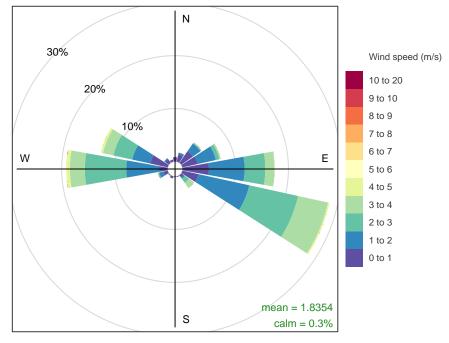
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	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	
Southern Grounds	3.0	8.3	12.7	100	2.7	7.2	10.9	100	
Eastern Grounds	5.4	11.7	19.0	100	4.2	9.0	13.8	100	
Block 9	3.4	8.0	15.1	100	2.7	6.2	11.1	100	
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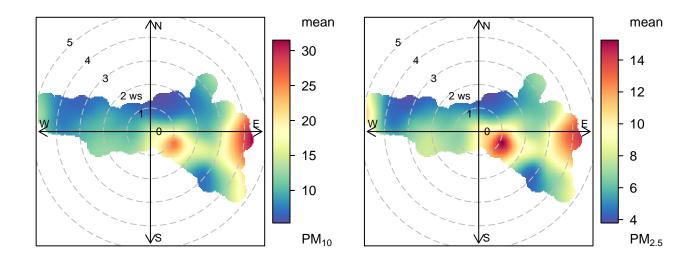
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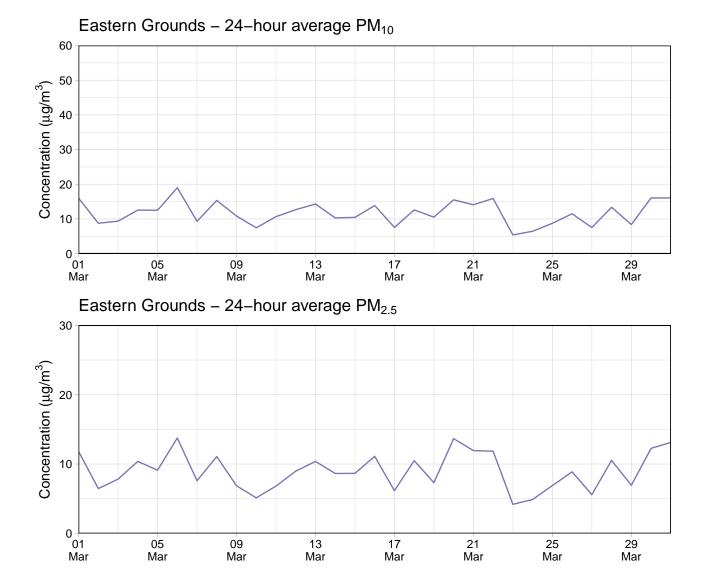


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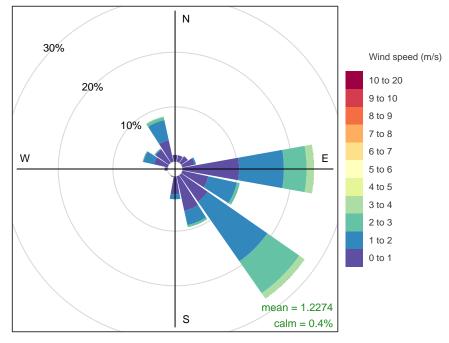


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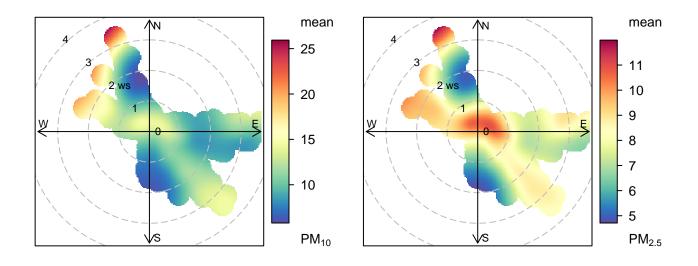


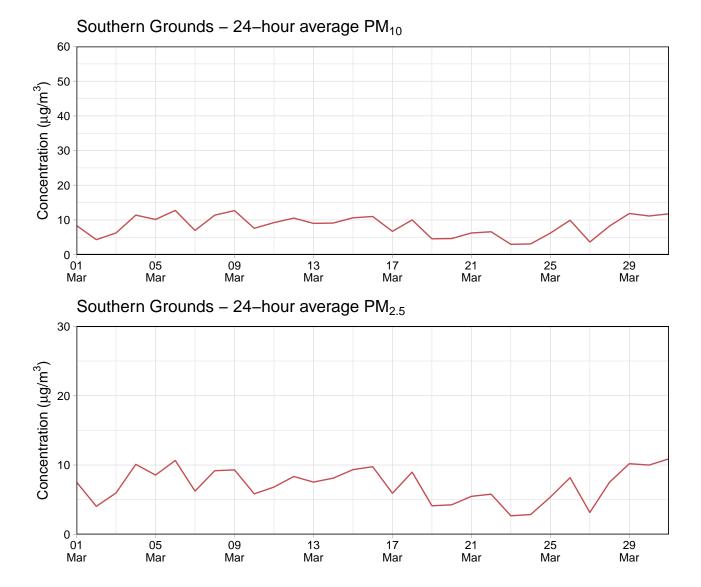


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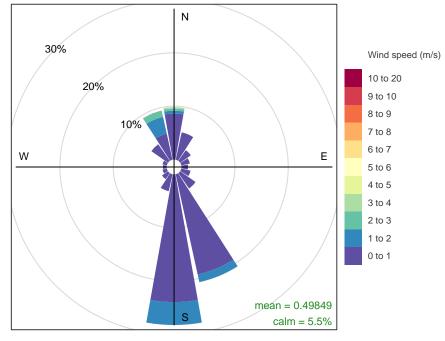


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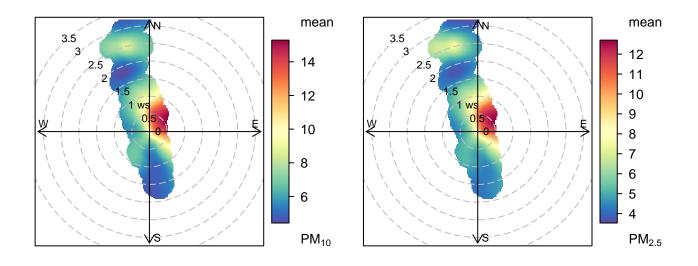




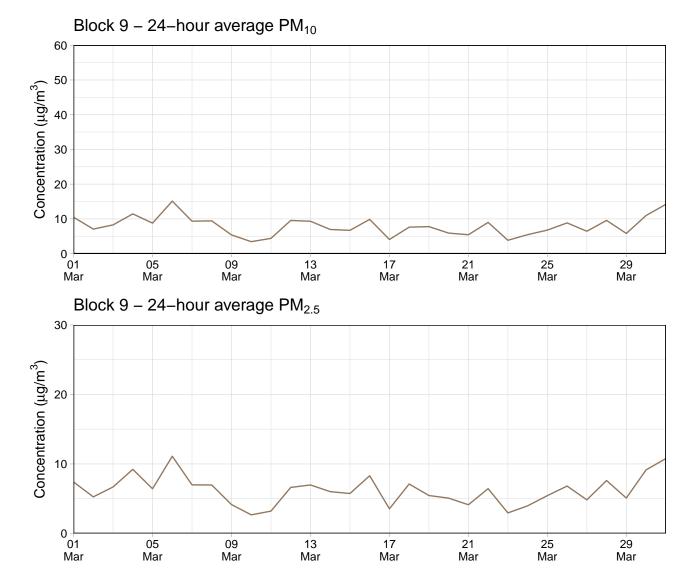
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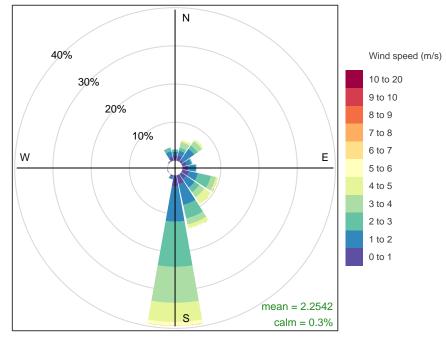


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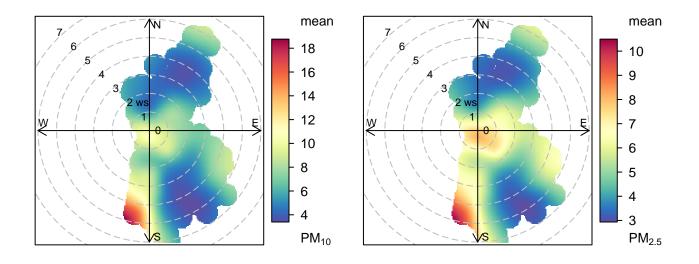








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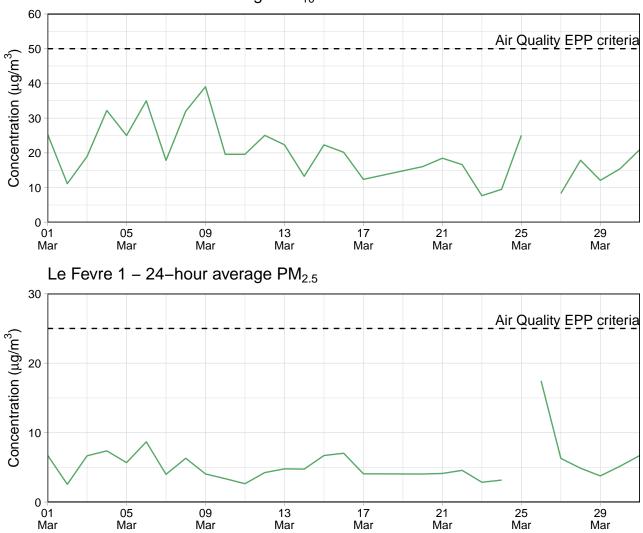


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Site	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	Min	Avg	Max	Capture (%)	
Le Fevre 1	7.7	20	39	96.6	2.6	5.5	17.5	96.6	



Le Fevre 1 – 24–hour average  $PM_{10}$