



Ozone Season Summary

2010

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Ozone Season Summary (2010)

Daily Peak 8-hour Ozone Concentration (PPB) Washington Area-2010

Peak 8-Hour Ozone Concentrations (ppb)

MAY

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1 74
2 37	3 31	4 63	5 75	6 75	7 60	8 55
9 50	10 55	11 52	12 46	13 42	14 50	15 61
16 57	17 44	18 43	19 35	20 67	21 76	22 50
23 34	24 39	25 41	26 70	27 87	28 49	29 55
30 67	31 57					

JUNE

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1 55	2 80	3 70	4 77	5 53
6 43	7 47	8 56	9 50	10 63	11 75	12 82
13 56	14 59	15 50	16 44	17 62	18 83	19 74
20 65	21 82	22 87	23 76	24 64	25 80	26 76
27 65	28 54	29 69	30 58			

JULY

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1 53
						2 57
						3 82
4 86	5 82	6 90	7 100	8 93	9 70	10 47
11 65	12 59	13 58	14 56	15 78	16 70	17 71
18 58	19 54	20 60	21 54	22 67	23 75	24 62
25 54	26 65	27 72	28 77	29 55	30 60	31 73

AUGUST

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 55	2 56	3 50	4 68	5 65	6 66	7 77
8 68	9 79	10 92	11 97	12 67	13 35	14 43
15 30	16 66	17 89	18 52	19 88	20 81	21 75
22 53	23 61	24 30	25 46	26 62	27 65	28 76
29 81	30 98	31 88				

SEPTEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1 86	2 83	3 83	4 42
5 53	6 61	7 69	8 60	9 47	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

Data based on the 8-hour standard set at 75 ppb.

3 Code Red Days

30 Code Orange Days

43 Code Yellow Days

56 Code Green Days

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2010 Ozone Exceedances

Date	# of Monitors Exceeding	Highest Monitor	Highest Concentration (ppb)
5/21/2010	1	Rockville	76
5/27/2010	4	HU-Beltsville	87
6/2/2010	1	HU-Beltsville	80
6/4/2010	1	HU-Beltsville	77
6/12/2010	1	Rockville	82
6/18/2010	2	Franconia	83
6/21/2010	3	Calvert Co.	82
6/22/2010	5	HU-Beltsville	87
6/23/2010	1	Calvert Co.	76
6/25/2010	1	Prince Georges Co.	80
6/26/2010	1	HU-Beltsville	76
7/3/2010	3	HU-Beltsville	82
7/4/2010	5	River Terrace	86
7/5/2010	3	Calvert Co.	82
7/6/2010	10	Prince Georges Co.	90
7/7/2010	13	McMillan Reservoir	100
7/8/2010	3	Frederick Co.	93
7/16/2010	3	Aurora Hills	78

Date	# of Monitors Exceeding	Highest Monitor	Highest Concentration (ppb)
7/28/2010	1	HU-Beltsville	77
8/7/2010	1	River Terrace	77
8/9/2010	1	HU-Beltsville	79
8/10/2010	11	River Terrace	92
8/11/2010	10	Calvert Co.	97
8/17/2010	6	Aurora Hills	89
8/19/2010	4	River Terrace	88
8/20/2010	6	McMillan Reservoir	81
8/28/2010	1	Aurora Hills	76
8/29/2010	2	River Terrace	81
8/30/2010	10	Calvert Co.	98
8/31/2010	8	McMillan Reservoir	88
9/1/2010	5	McMillan Reservoir	86
9/2/2010	4	Frederick Co.	83
9/3/2010	1	Frederick Co.	83

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August 28th to September 3rd Poor Air Quality Event

- ❖ Week long high pressure & temperature event.
- ❖ Limited clouds allowed for intense sunlight (and record temperatures).
- ❖ Usually re-circulating light winds kept bringing polluted air back into the region.
- ❖ All three factors above led to conditions favorable to high ozone levels.

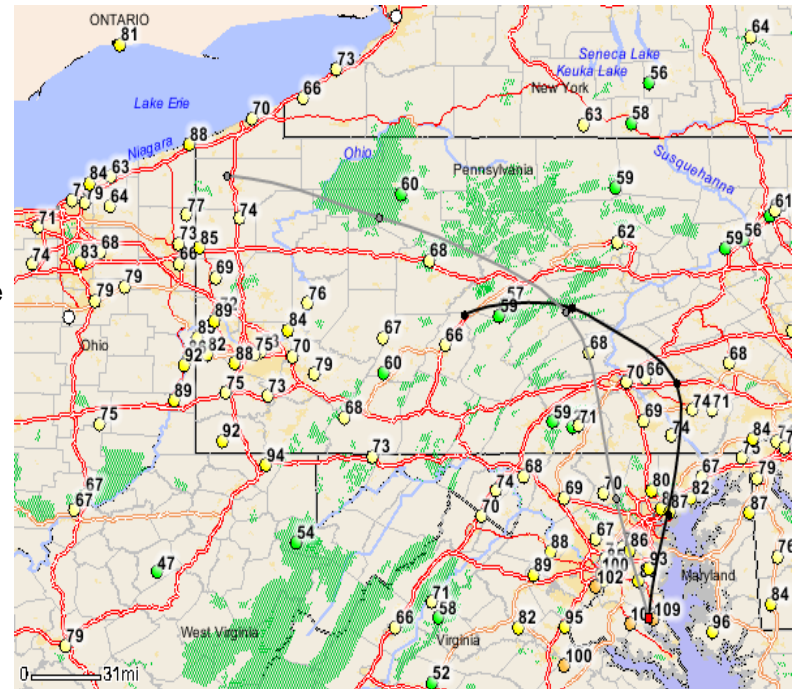
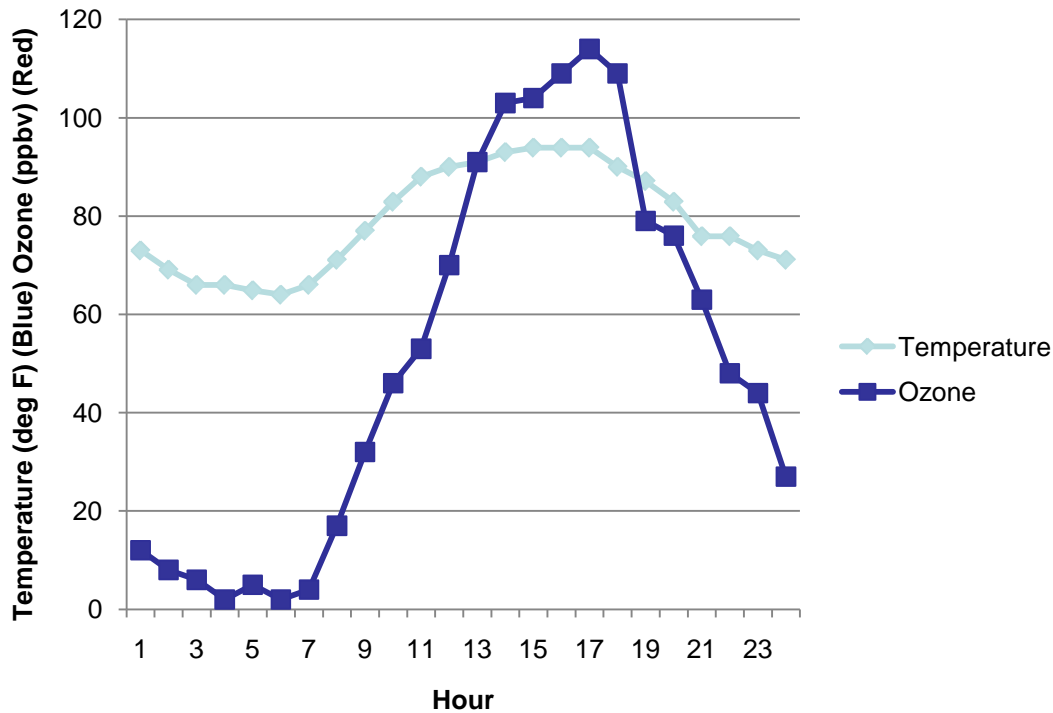


August 30th Code Red

of Monitors in Exceedance: 10
1 Monitor in Code Red (Calvert Co., MD)
Maximum 8-Hour Ozone: 98 ppbv (Calvert Co., MD)

Wind Trajectory at 3 PM
(August 30th)
(500 & 1000 m)

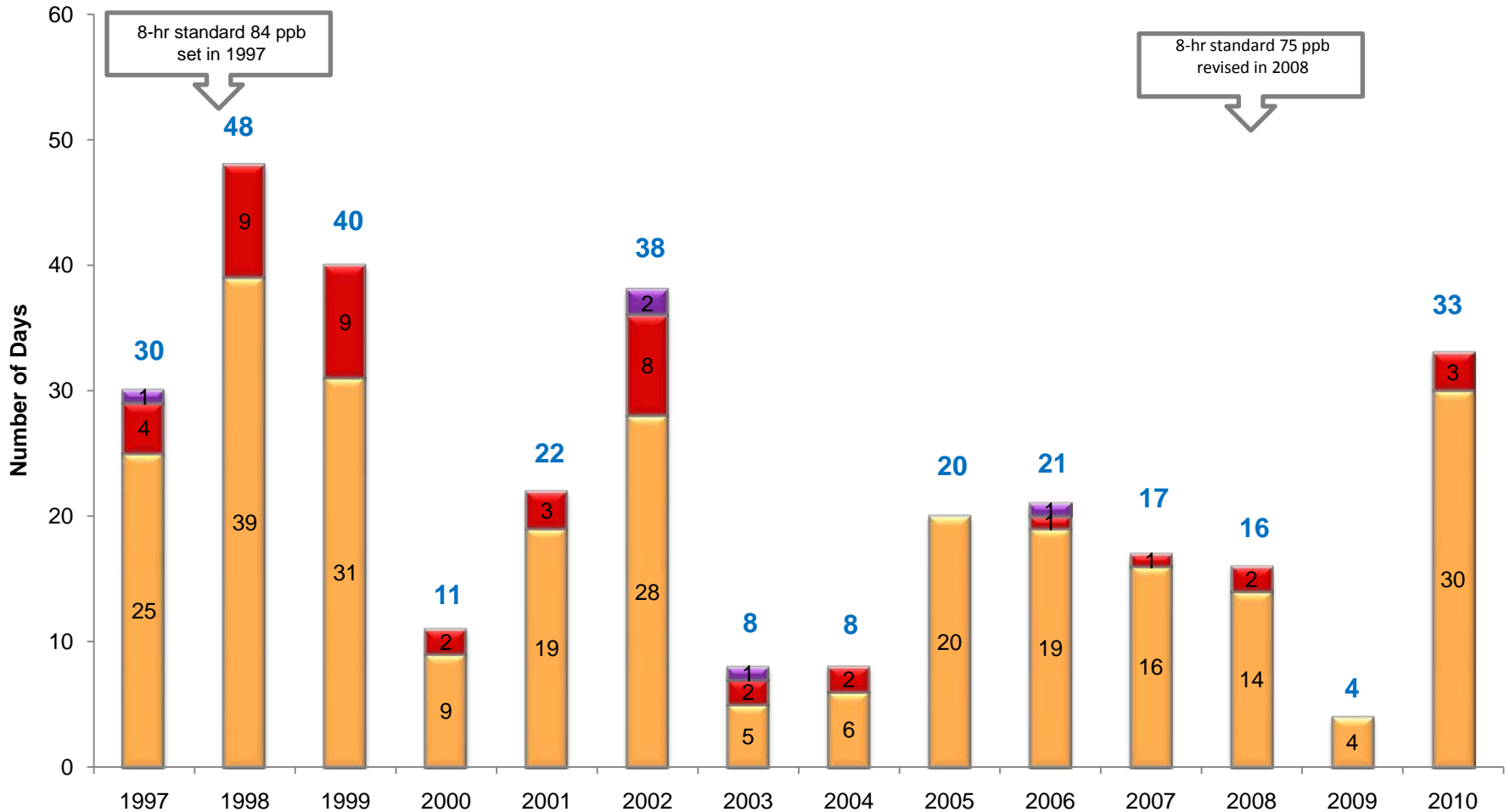
August 30th Temperature (Dulles) and Ozone (Calvert)





Ozone Exceedance Trend

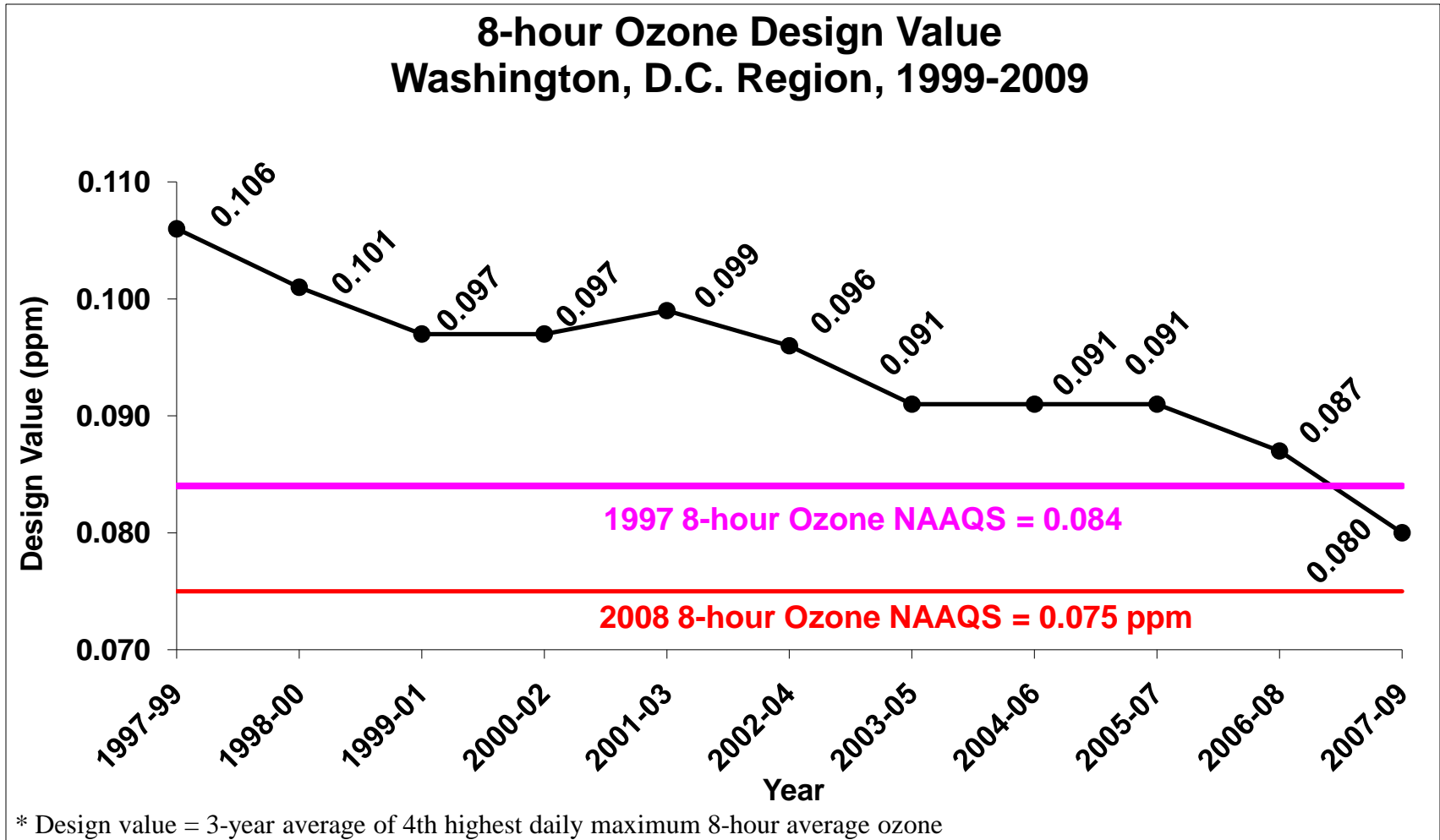
Number of Exceedance Days - Ozone Standard Breakdown of Code Orange, Red, and Purple Days 1997 - 2010



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Ozone Design Value Trend





Fine Particle Summary (2010)

Daily 24-Hour Particle Concentration (ug/m3) Washington Area-2010

24-Hour PM2.5 Concentrations (ug/m3)

Data based on the 24-hour standard set at 35.5 ug/m3.

4 Code Orange Days

51 Code Yellow Days

77 Code Green Days

MAY

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1 16
2 20	3 13	4 10	5 10	6 11	7 6	8 10
9 4	10 5	11 5	12 15	13 12	14 15	15 8
16 9	17 7	18 3	19 8	20 10	21 15	22 9
23 5	24 6	25 8	26 11	27 18	28 10	29 14
30 11	31 16					

JUNE

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1 8	2 15	3 13	4 17	5 15
6 11	7 7	8 7	9 13	10 13	11 12	12 18
13 14	14 19	15 15	16 20	17 13	18 11	19 18
20 17	21 16	22 23	23 19	24 21	25 17	26 29
27 28	28 15	29 13	30 7			

JULY

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1 7	2 7	3 11
4 17	5 39	6 38	7 39	8 27	9 9	10 9
11 10	12 15	13 12	14 11	15 21	16 28	17 23
18 17	19 15	20 21	21 11	22 16	23 34	24 29
25 24	26 8	27 18	28 29	29 20	30 14	31 22

AUGUST

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 13	2 9	3 12	4 25	5 14	6 25	7 24
8 27	9 39	10 29	11 33	12 20	13 8	14 6
15 9	16 14	17 17	18 16	19 21	20 22	21 27
22 22	23 16	24 9	25 7	26 8	27 11	28 10
29 20	30 19	31 19				

SEPTEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1 24	2 23	3 24	4 7
5 5	6 8	7 12	8 12	9 7		
12 12	13 13	14 14	15 15	16 16	17 17	18 18
19 19	20 20	21 21	22 22	23 23	24 24	25 25
26 26	27 27	28 28	29 29	30 30		

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