EPA ODOUR DIARY

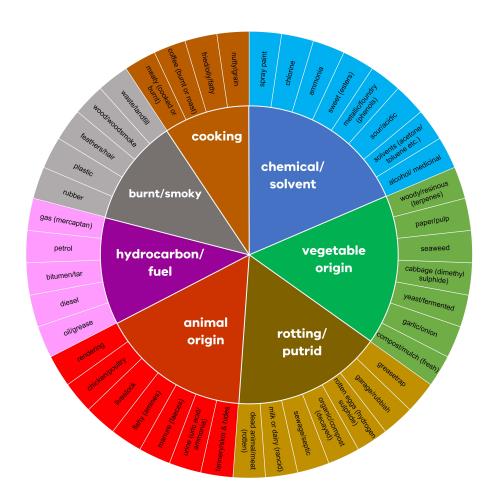


Name:	Email:
Address:	Phone:

START date of odour event	dd/mm/yyyy				
WHEN did you START recognising the odour?	hh:min				
END date of odour event	dd/mm/yyyy				
WHEN did you STOP recognising the odour?	hh:min				
WHERE were you?	location				
Odour intensity ⁽¹⁾	0 / S				
Description of the odour ⁽²⁾	Description wheel				
Odour presence ⁽³⁾	C/F/T				
Odour source	Where do you think the odour was emitted from				
How did it affect you? ⁽⁴⁾	Amenity scale (1 to 5)				
Did it affect your health?	Describe any health impact				
Optional information if you a	nal information if you are comfortable and familiar with wind direction and wind speed – If not, please disregard				
Wind direction	Direction (where the wind comes from)				
Wind speed	No wind / Low / Medium / Strong				

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(1) Odour intensity

Descriptor	Description		
Obvious (O)	Odour is easily recognised, can be described and may be attributed to a source. The assessor can smell it without any effort or focus on it.		
Subtle (S)	Odour can be recognised only when focusing. For example, by standing still, inhaling slowly and concentrating.		

(3) Odour presence

Descriptor	Rating	Description of odour presence			
Constant C		Can smell it constantly or almost constantly (> 80% of the time).			
Frequent/Repetitive	F	On and off extended periods with recognised odour (10– 80% of the time).			
Transient T		On and off with significant periods with no odour or no recognised odour (< 10% of the time).			

(4) Amenity scale

- 1. I noticed a faint smell outside, I wonder what that is
- 2. I can't recognise an odour outside but it doesn't change what I do
- 3. I can't use any outside areas, if I keep the windows closed, it's OK inside
- 4. I can recognise the odour inside my house
- 5. I can't use my house for certain activities becau se of the odour
- 6. I don't want to be at home because of the odour

Odour Descriptors