

**15A NCAC 02D .0405 OZONE**

The ambient air quality standard for ozone measured by a reference method based on Appendix D of 40 CFR Part 50 and designated according to 40 CFR Part 53 shall be 0.070 parts per million (ppm), daily maximum eight-hour average. The standard shall be deemed attained at an ambient air quality monitoring site when the average of the annual fourth-highest daily maximum eight-hour average ozone concentration is less than or equal to 0.070 parts per million (ppm) as determined by Appendix U of 40 CFR Part 50, or equivalent methods established under 40 CFR Part 53.

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