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IRAN Report Hamoun Station at East of Iran

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Introduction:

Hamoun station has been established for monitoring transboundary air pollution in east Islamic Republic of IRAN. Site selection was performed based on Malé Declaration on Control and Prevention of Air Pollution and Its Likely Transboundary Effects for South Asia. Monitoring of transboundary air pollution was begun in Hamoun station in Aug 2010.

Climatic conditions of Hamoun:

Hamoun is located in the north of sistan & baloochestan province enjoying an arid and semi-arid climate. air temperature in the summer exceeds to 50°C. The rate of mean precipitation is 59 mm and some times wind speed exceeds 80 Km/h.

Hamoun monitoring station:

Hamoun monitoring station is located in 52 km far from east of Zabol city and 4.2 km to common boundary Iran – Afghanistan near to Ghorghori village.

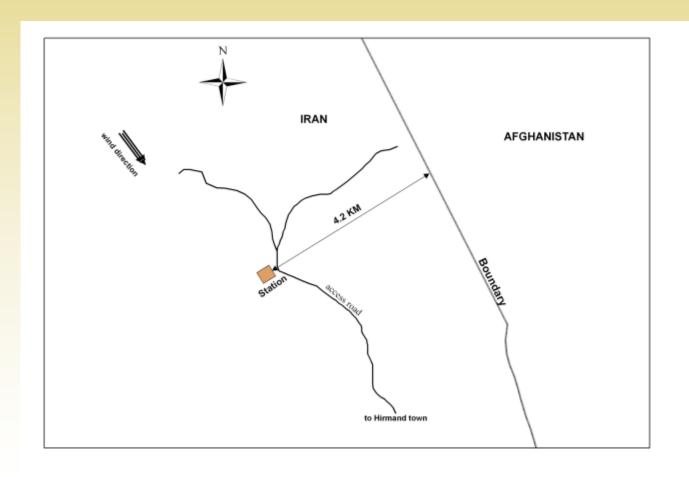
Station name	Hamoun
Geographic position	31° 15' of north latitude 61° 42' of east longitude
Altitude	465 m above sea level

Also we established another completely regional station near the Hamoun station. This station prepared analyzers such as PM10, NOx, SO₂, O₃, CO. citable we have drought more of 12 years.

Site activities and facilities:

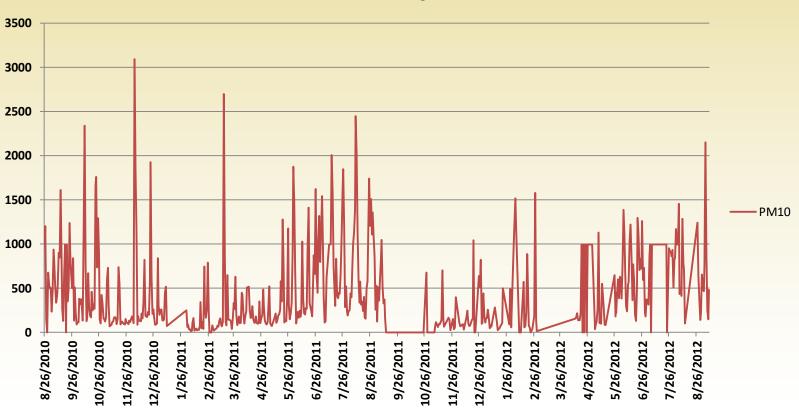
The station contains a laboratory and other equipments such as Bulk Collector and Passive Samplers. sample preparing and simple tests (such as pH, EC, DO, Turbidity, TDS, ...) and other tests (such as NO₃, NO₂, NH₄, SO₄, PO₄, Cl, ...) are done in the site laboratory.

Hamoun Transboundary Station

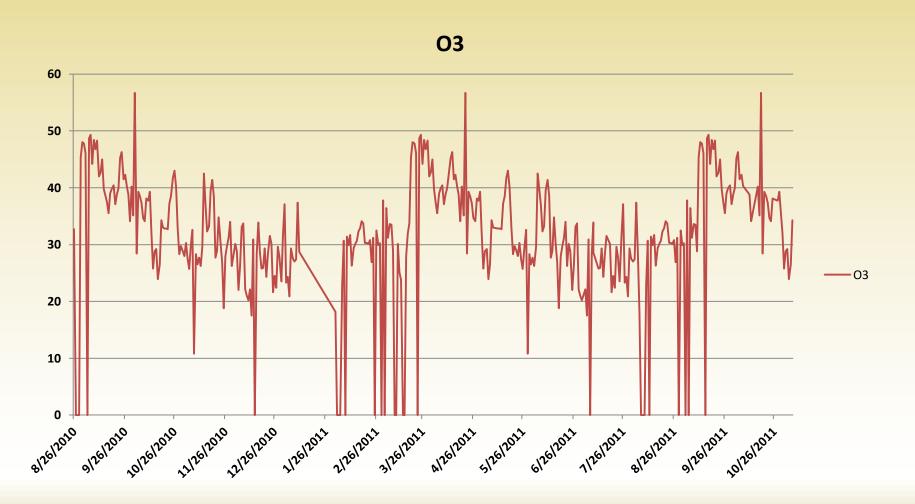


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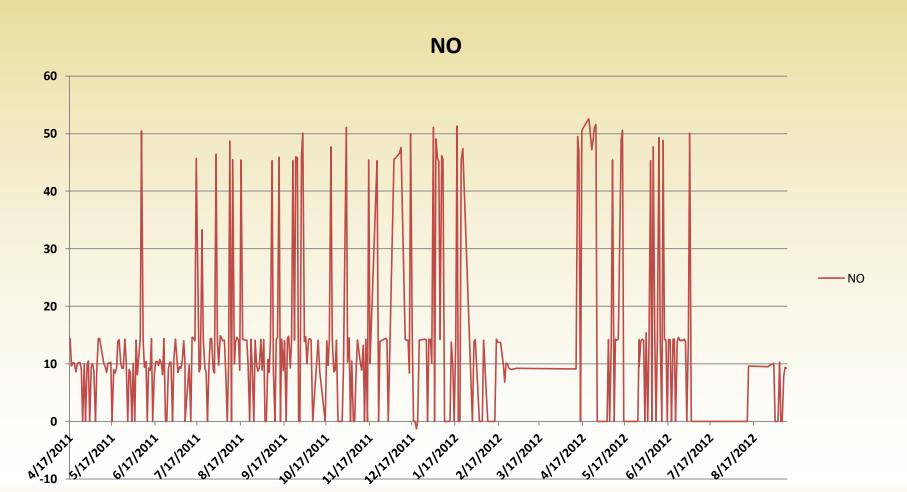
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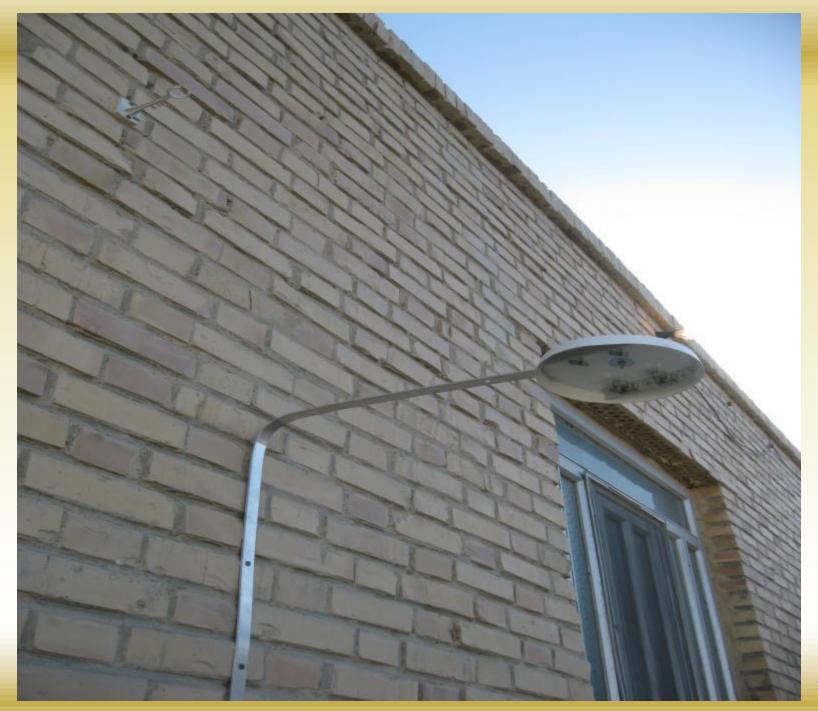
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Technical problems:

- High temperature has undesirable effects in the summer on plastic materials used in Bulk Collectors Funnel.
- Some birds use Bulk Collector Funnel for sitting and this action might contaminate the samples.
- Hamoun has very low precipitation at year.
- Hamoun has very strong wind.

Station Requirements

We need some equipment for Hamoun station such as:

- Wet only,
- Bulk collectors,
- High volume sampler
- some passive samplers.
 Also we need to budget for maintenance of the station and your financial support.

Plans For future

- Establishment of a monitoring network for air pollution control in the country by setting the stations of air quality control.
- Constitution of committee for air quality control with cooperation of governmental and nongovernmental organizations.
- Administration of air quality standards for cars and their companies.
- Invitation of public partnership to air pollution reduction.
- Installation of the station for air quality control in Zabol city.

Recommendations:

- Using of advanced equipments in monitoring stations for acceleration in measuring.
- Using of online system for data report to the environmental laboratory in Hamoun continuously.
- Providing the meteorological equipments in the site place with UNEP cooperation.

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