# SSHCZO Metadata Worksheet

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| Data File Name | **NPMS\_automated\_gas\_sample\_Level\_0.csv** |
| Date Prepared | 2018-01-09 |
| Descriptive Title | Automated Soil Gas Samples |
| Update Frequency | Hourly |
| Abstract | Hourly automated sampling of O2 and CO2 in soils of the north planar midslope of Shale Hills. This automated gas collection is ongoing as part of the larger GroundHOG dataset that includes soil gas, soil moisture, and pore water chemistry. These automated soil gas measurements are taken from a surface and subsurface horizon at each of the sites. These data provide key information on predominate weathering processes, microbial respiration, and tree root activity. |
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| Data Value Descriptions | Gas Sample datasets:   * COL1: label = TmStamp, TimeZone = UTC * COL2: label = RecNum; datalogger reference number * COL3: label = DiffVolt\_1, Units = mV, differential voltage for O2 sensor at 20cm * COL4: label = DiffVolt\_2, Units = mV, differential voltage for O2 sensor at D-20 * COL5: label = O2\_20, Units = %, O2 concentration * COL6: label = O2\_D\_20, Units = %, O2 concentration * COL7: label = T109\_1\_C, Units = degC, O2 sensor temperature at 20 cm * COL8: label = T109\_2\_C, Units = degC, O2 sensor temperature at D-20 cm * COL9: label = CO2\_20\_lo, Units = ppm, parts per million from CO2 sensor at 20cm * COL10: label = CO2\_20\_hi, Units = ppm, parts per million from CO2 sensor at 20cm * COL11: label = CO2\_20\_temp, Units degC, CO2 sensor temperature at 20cm * COL12: label = CO2\_D\_20\_lo, Units = ppm, parts per million CO2 sensor at D-20cm * COL13: label = CO2\_D\_20\_hi, Units = ppm, parts per million CO2 sensor at D-20cm * COL14: label = CO2\_D\_20\_temp, Units degC, CO2 sensor temperature at D-20cm |
| Keywords | Soil Oxygen, Soil Carbon Dioxide, Soil Gas |
| Methods | The gas sensors were placed into the main center pit face at 20 cm and 20 cm from bottom of pit (D-20). Automated O2 readings are measured via Apogee Instruments SO-110 sensors. Automated CO2 readings are measured via Eosense (formerly ForeRunner Research) eosGP sensors. The O2 and CO2 sensors are wired to a Campbell Scientific CR1000. |
| Sites | Shale Hills:  NPMS – North Planar Mid-Slope   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Latitude | 40.6652985 | | Longitude | -77.9044037 | |
| Publications | none |
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