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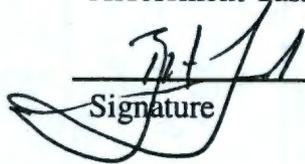
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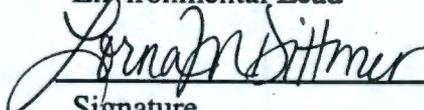
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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This data quality objective (DQO) summary report supports site characterization decisions for remedial investigation (RI) at representative waste sites in the 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste Group Operable Unit (OU). The 200-MW-1 OU consists of *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980* past-practice waste sites (consisting mostly of french drains, cribs, and trenches). The OU designation and waste site assignments are defined in the *200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program* (hereinafter referred to as the Implementation Plan [DOE-RL 1999]). The waste streams discharged to sites within 200-MW-1 OU are the most varied in terms of waste stream sources but are generally characterized by low volumes and low levels of contamination. An indicator of the low volume is that many of the waste streams were disposed at french drain sites. Data collected during the RI will be used to determine if the waste sites are contaminated above levels that will require remedial action, to support evaluation of remedial alternatives, and to verify or refine the conceptual contaminant distribution models.

This DQO effort follows the concepts developed in the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999) for using analogous site contaminant data to reduce the amount of characterization required to support RI/feasibility study (FS) decisions. These concepts involve grouping sites with similar process histories, structures, and contaminants and then choosing one or more representative waste site(s) for comprehensive field investigation, including sampling of environmental media during RI activities. Findings from the RI at representative waste sites are then used to make remedial action decisions for all of the waste sites in the OU. Analogous sites for which field data have not been (or will not be) collected are assumed to have soil contamination characteristics similar to the representative waste sites that are characterized. A Record of Decision for the OU will be obtained through the RI/FS process using the data collected during the RI. The analogous sites (i.e., those not sampled during the RI) will be addressed during the confirmatory sampling phase to ensure that the remedial action specified in the Record of Decision is appropriate and to provide design data as needed. Following remedial actions, verification samples will be collected to support site closeout.

## **Executive Summary**

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For the 200-MW-1 OU, five representative waste sites have been identified. The goals of the RI are to provide the data needed to support remedial decisions and to refine the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution and exposure models for these OUs. The data will be generated mainly through soil sampling and analysis.

*Washington State Department of Ecology Toxics Cleanup Program Guidance on Sampling and Data Analysis Methods* (Ecology 1995) was used to develop the sampling design for the RI. Because the data will not be used to demonstrate compliance with a cleanup level, focused (biased) soil sampling of areas selected with the highest contamination potential was selected over an area-wide (unbiased) sample design. The concentrations of all contaminants in each soil sample will be compared directly with the cleanup levels. A statistical analysis of the sampling data is not appropriate for focused sampling schemes and, therefore, is not used in this report. The locations of samples exceeding the cleanup level will be used to delineate the areas of soil contamination requiring a decision regarding the need for remediation.

The proposed sampling strategy was to intersect the areas of highest contamination and determining the vertical extent of contamination. The nature (e.g., contaminant type and concentration) and the vertical extent of the contamination are the major RI data needs. Either boreholes or test pits will be used at each representative site, and soil samples will be collected at discrete intervals, as appropriate. Geophysical logging of planned boreholes will also be performed.

The contaminants of potential concern were identified based upon process history information for the representative waste sites and from review of previous data collection efforts. Analytical performance criteria were based on *Model Toxics Control Act* chemical compliance criteria (*Washington Administrative Code* 173-340) and other applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements. In the absence of applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements, other preliminary action levels were identified to determine analytical performance criteria. These levels provide the basis for identifying the laboratory or field screening detection limits required to support remedial action decisions. A modified version of the U.S. Environmental Protection

Agency's DQO guidance (EPA 1994) was used to identify project data quality needs, evaluate sampling and analysis options, and document project data quality decisions.



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## ACRONYMS

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| AA      | alternative action   |
| AEA     | alpha energy analysis  |
| ANN     | aluminum nitrate nonahydrate   |
| ARAR    | applicable or relevant and appropriate requirement                                       |
| bgs     | below ground surface   |
| BHI     | Bechtel Hanford, Inc.  |
| CAS     | Chemical Abstract Services   |
| CERCLA  | <i>Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation,<br/>and Liability Act of 1980</i> |
| CFR     | <i>Code of Federal Regulations</i>   |
| CHI     | CH2M HILL Hanford, Inc.  |
| CMS     | corrective measures study  |
| COC     | contaminant of concern   |
| COPC    | contaminant of potential concern   |
| CVAA    | cold vapor atomic absorption   |
| D&D     | decontamination and decommissioning  |
| DOE     | U.S. Department of Energy  |
| DQO     | data quality objective   |
| DR      | decision rule  |
| DS      | decision statement   |
| Ecology | Washington State Department of Ecology   |
| EMI     | electromagnetic imaging  |
| EPA     | U.S. Environmental Protection Agency   |
| FS      | feasibility study  |
| GC      | gas chromatograph  |
| GCMS    | gas chromatography/mass spectrometry   |
| GEA     | gamma energy analysis  |
| GPC     | gas proportional counter   |
| GPR     | ground-penetrating radar   |
| HEIS    | Hanford Environmental Information System   |
| HEPA    | high-efficiency particulate air  |
| HPGe    | high-purity germanium  |
| HVAC    | heating, ventilation, and air conditioning   |
| IC      | ion chromatography   |
| ICP     | inductively coupled plasma   |
| ICPMS   | inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometer   |
| IDW     | investigation-derived waste  |
| MCL     | maximum contamination level  |
| MTCA    | <i>Model Toxics Control Act</i>  |
| NaI     | sodium iodide  |
| NPL     | National Priorities List   |
| O&M     | operating and maintenance  |
| OU      | operable unit  |

## Acronyms

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|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| PCB                 | polychlorinated biphenyl  |
| PNL                 | Pacific Northwest Laboratory  |
| PNNL                | Pacific Northwest National Laboratory   |
| PQL                 | practical quantitation limit  |
| PRG                 | preliminary remediation goal  |
| PSQ                 | principal study question  |
| PUREX               | plutonium-uranium extraction  |
| QC                  | quality control   |
| RAO                 | remedial action objective   |
| RDR/RAWP            | remedial design report/remedial action work plan  |
| REDOX               | reduction-oxidation   |
| RESRAD              | RESidual RADioactivity dose model   |
| RFI                 | <i>Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976</i> facility investigation                                |
| RI                  | remedial investigation  |
| RL                  | U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office   |
| ROD                 | Record of Decision  |
| SAP                 | sampling and analysis plan  |
| SGL                 | spectral gamma logging  |
| SST                 | single-shell tank   |
| STOMP               | subsurface transport over multiple phases   |
| SVOC                | semi-volatile organic compound  |
| TBP                 | tributyl phosphate  |
| Tri-Party Agreement | <i>Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order</i>   |
| TRU (waste)         | waste materials contaminated with 100 nCi/g of transuranic materials having half-lives longer than 20 years |
| UCL                 | upper confidence limit  |
| UNH                 | uranyl nitrate hexahydrate  |
| UO <sub>3</sub>     | uranium trioxide  |
| UPR                 | unplanned release   |
| URP                 | uranium recovery process  |
| VOA                 | volatile organic analysis   |
| WAC                 | <i>Washington Administrative Code</i>   |
| WESF                | Waste Encapsulation and Storage Facility  |
| WHC                 | Westinghouse Hanford Company  |
| WIDS                | Waste Information Data System   |

## METRIC CONVERSION CHART

| Into Metric Units    |   |                 | Out of Metric Units  |                                    |               |
|----------------------|---|-----------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| <i>If You Know</i>   | <i>Multiply By</i>                      | <i>To Get</i>   | <i>If You Know</i>   | <i>Multiply By</i>                 | <i>To Get</i> |
| <b>Length</b>        |   |                 | <b>Length</b>        |                                    |               |
| inches               | 25.4                                    | millimeters     | millimeters          | 0.039                              | inches        |
| inches               | 2.54                                    | centimeters     | centimeters          | 0.394                              | inches        |
| feet                 | 0.305                                   | meters          | meters               | 3.281                              | feet          |
| yards                | 0.914                                   | meters          | meters               | 1.094                              | yards         |
| miles                | 1.609                                   | kilometers      | kilometers           | 0.621                              | miles         |
| <b>Area</b>          |   |                 | <b>Area</b>          |                                    |               |
| sq. inches           | 6.452                                   | sq. centimeters | sq. centimeters      | 0.155                              | sq. inches    |
| sq. feet             | 0.093                                   | sq. meters      | sq. meters           | 10.76                              | sq. feet      |
| sq. yards            | 0.0836                                  | sq. meters      | sq. meters           | 1.196                              | sq. yards     |
| sq. miles            | 2.6                                     | sq. kilometers  | sq. kilometers       | 0.4                                | sq. miles     |
| acres                | 0.405                                   | hectares        | hectares             | 2.47                               | acres         |
| <b>Mass (weight)</b> |   |                 | <b>Mass (weight)</b> |                                    |               |
| ounces               | 28.35                                   | grams           | grams                | 0.035                              | ounces        |
| pounds               | 0.454                                   | kilograms       | kilograms            | 2.205                              | pounds        |
| ton                  | 0.907                                   | metric ton      | metric ton           | 1.102                              | ton           |
| <b>Volume</b>        |   |                 | <b>Volume</b>        |                                    |               |
| teaspoons            | 5                                       | milliliters     | milliliters          | 0.033                              | fluid ounces  |
| tablespoons          | 15                                      | milliliters     | liters               | 2.1                                | pints         |
| fluid ounces         | 30                                      | milliliters     | liters               | 1.057                              | quarts        |
| cups                 | 0.24                                    | liters          | liters               | 0.264                              | gallons       |
| pints                | 0.47                                    | liters          | cubic meters         | 35.315                             | cubic feet    |
| quarts               | 0.95                                    | liters          | cubic meters         | 1.308                              | cubic yards   |
| gallons              | 3.8                                     | liters          |                      |                                    |               |
| cubic feet           | 0.028                                   | cubic meters    |                      |                                    |               |
| cubic yards          | 0.765                                   | cubic meters    |                      |                                    |               |
| <b>Temperature</b>   |   |                 | <b>Temperature</b>   |                                    |               |
| Fahrenheit           | subtract 32,<br>then multiply<br>by 5/9 | Celsius         | Celsius              | multiply by<br>9/5, then add<br>32 | Fahrenheit    |
| <b>Radioactivity</b> |   |                 | <b>Radioactivity</b> |                                    |               |
| picocuries           | 37                                      | millibecquerel  | millibecquerel       | 0.027                              | picocuries    |



## 1.0 STEP 1 – STATE THE PROBLEM

The purpose of data quality objective (DQO) Step 1 is to clearly and concisely state the problem to ensure that the focus of the study will be unambiguous.

### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

This summary report has been developed to support the remedial investigation/feasibility study (RI/FS) and remedial action decision-making processes for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit (OU). The 200-MW-1 OU is being addressed under the *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA)*. Most of the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites consist of french drains, cribs and trenches, which generally received relatively low volumes of liquid waste. The waste disposed at the 200-MW-1 waste sites contained low concentrations of radionuclides and nonradiological constituents relative to process condensate and process waste sites. Three representative waste sites were originally identified for the 200-MW-1 OU in the *Waste Site Grouping for 200 Area Soil Investigations* report (DOE-RL 1997) and in the *200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program* (hereinafter referred to as the Implementation Plan [DOE-RL 1999]). Two additional representative waste sites have been added based upon the results of this DQO process. As defined in the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997), the 200-MW-1 OU is the only OU in the miscellaneous waste category.

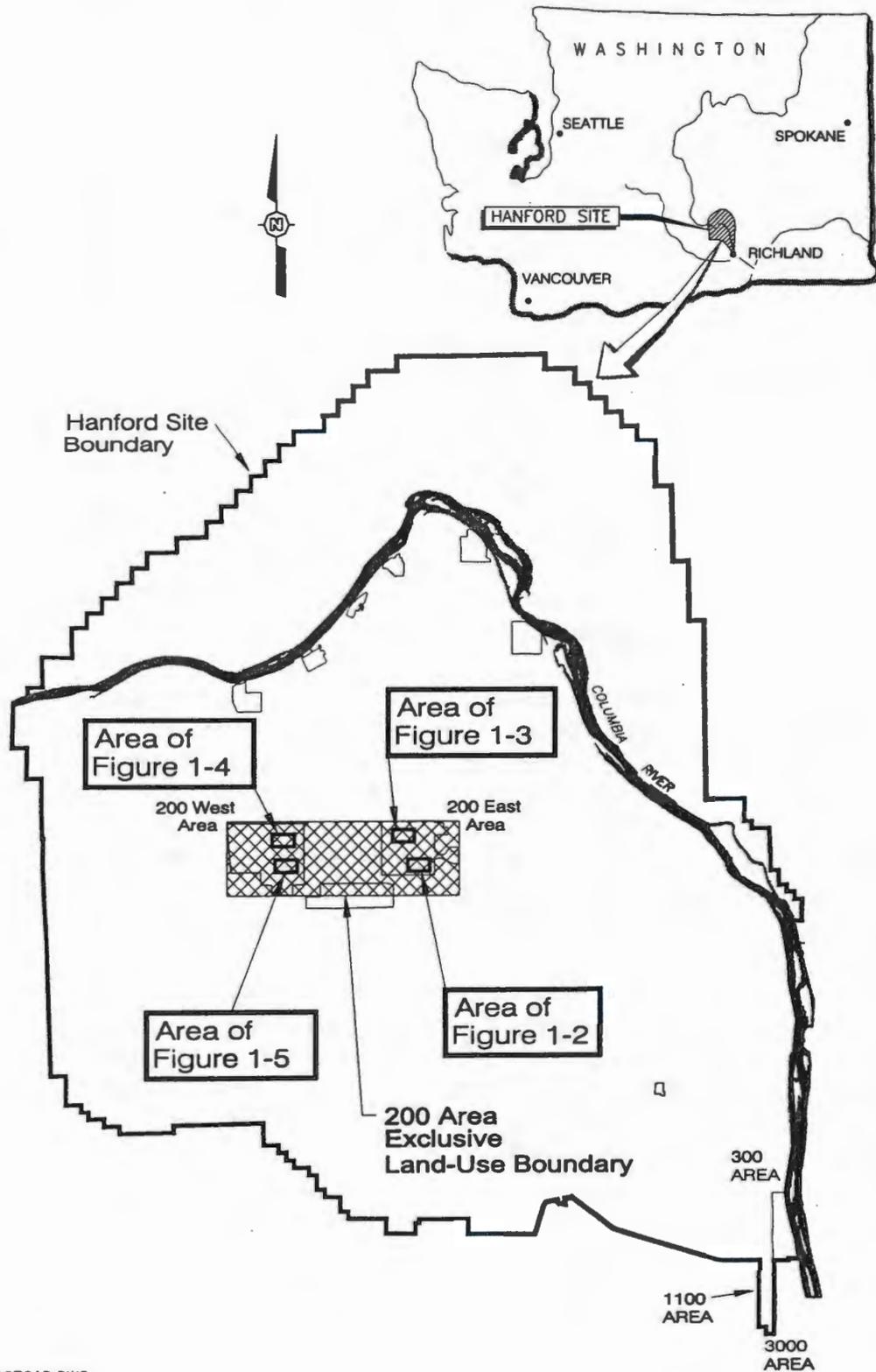
This DQO summary report focuses on the development of sampling designs for the representative (typical and worst-case) sites identified in the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997), in the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999), and as part of this DQO effort. The five representative waste sites chosen for the 200-MW-1 OU are discussed in Section 1.4.

A map of the Hanford Site is provided in Figure 1-1 and depicts the 200 Areas and the location of the 200-MW-1 OU. Figures 1-2 through 1-5 identify the locations of the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites addressed by this DQO effort, as well as associated source facilities in the vicinity.

The Washington State Department of Ecology's (Ecology's) guidance document on sampling and data analysis methods (Ecology 1995) was used during this DQO process to support selection of an appropriate sampling approach. Table 1 of the Ecology guidance summarizes approaches for sampling and data analysis that are considered acceptable to Ecology. This guidance shows that a focused sampling approach may be used to investigate a known contamination site and that contaminated regions may be identified for sampling and analysis.

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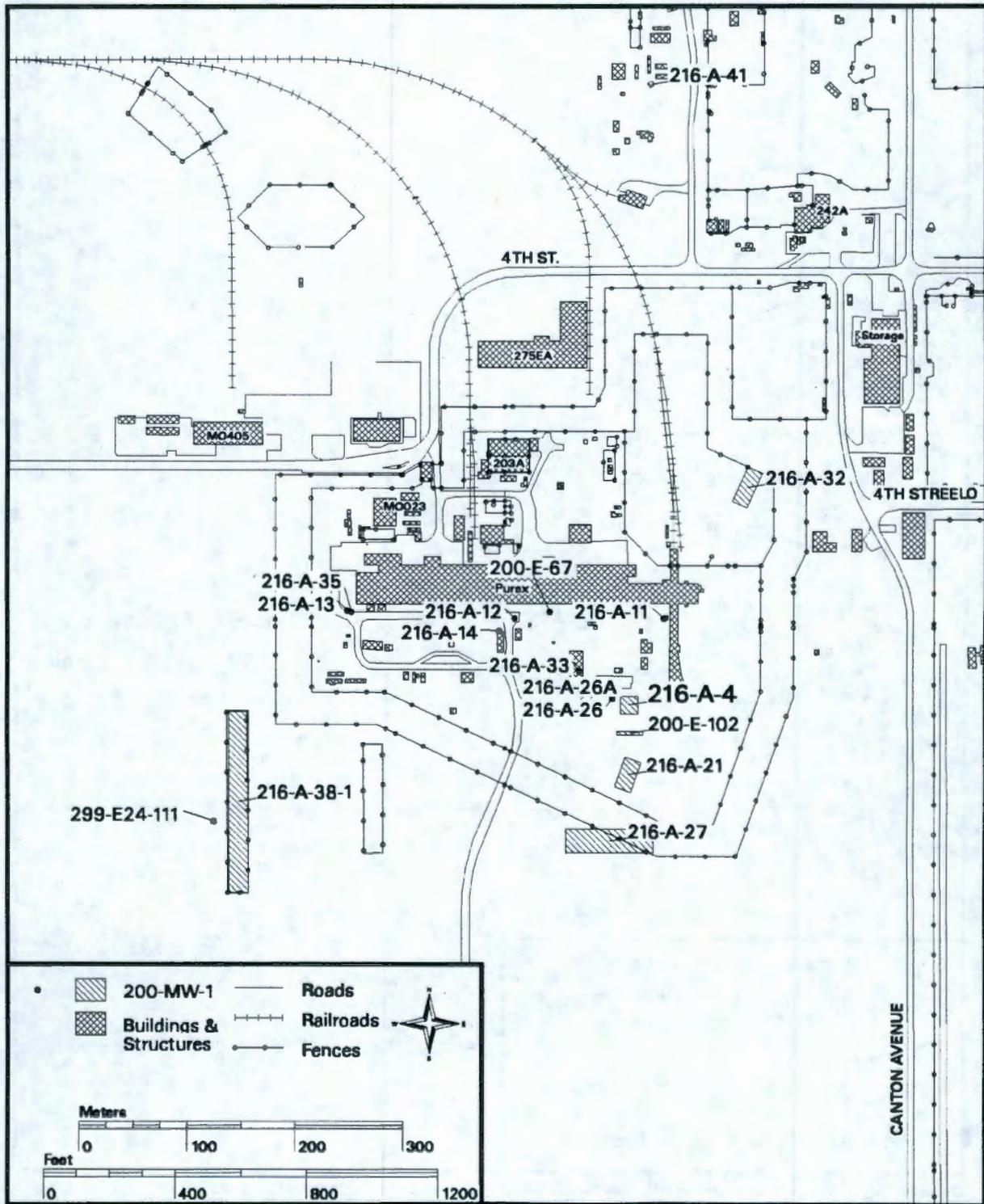
**Figure 1-1. Location of the Hanford Site and 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Waste Sites.**



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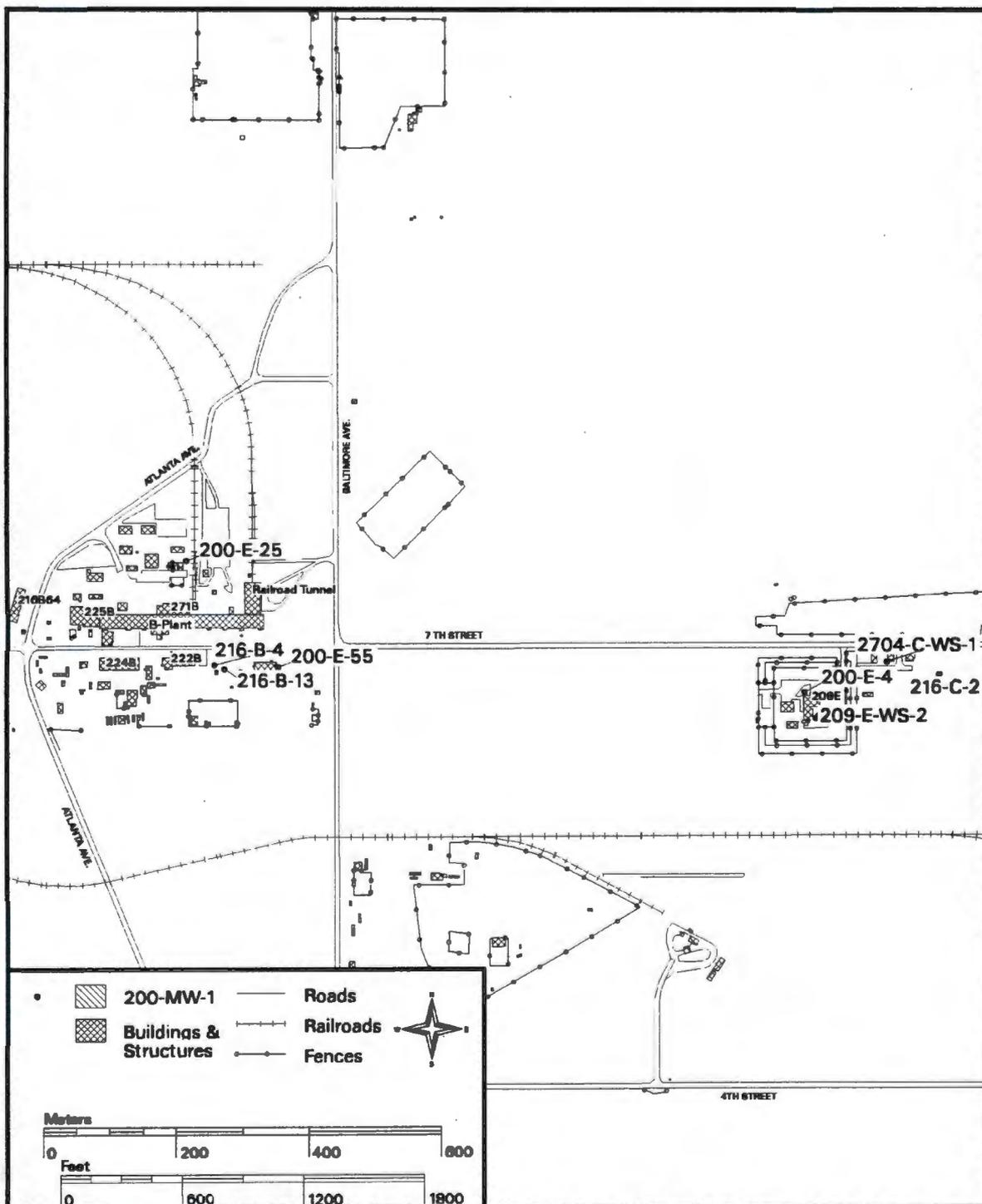
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**Figure 1-2. Location of the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Waste Sites in the 200 East Area.**



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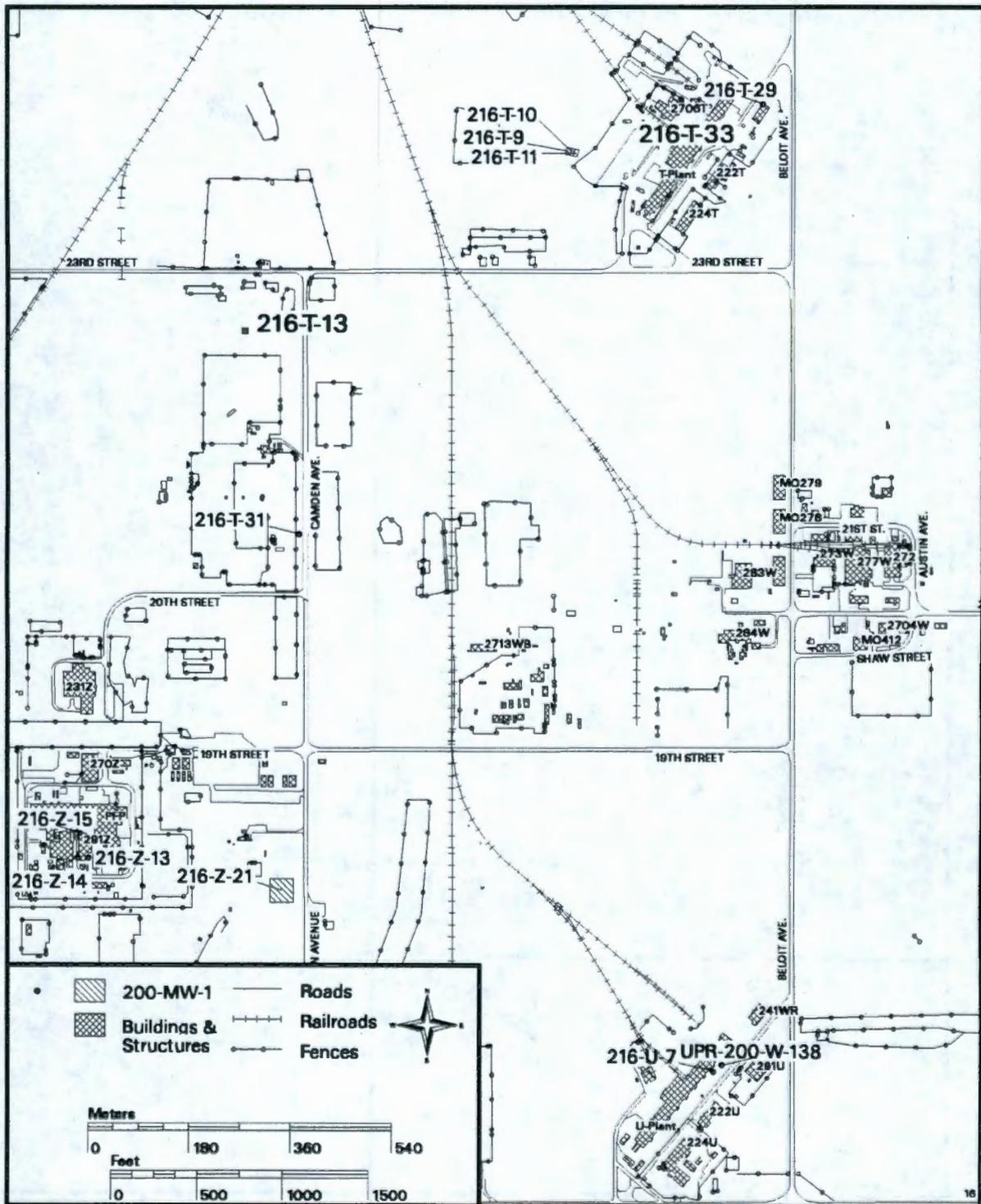
Figure 1-3. Location of the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Waste Sites in the 200 East Area.



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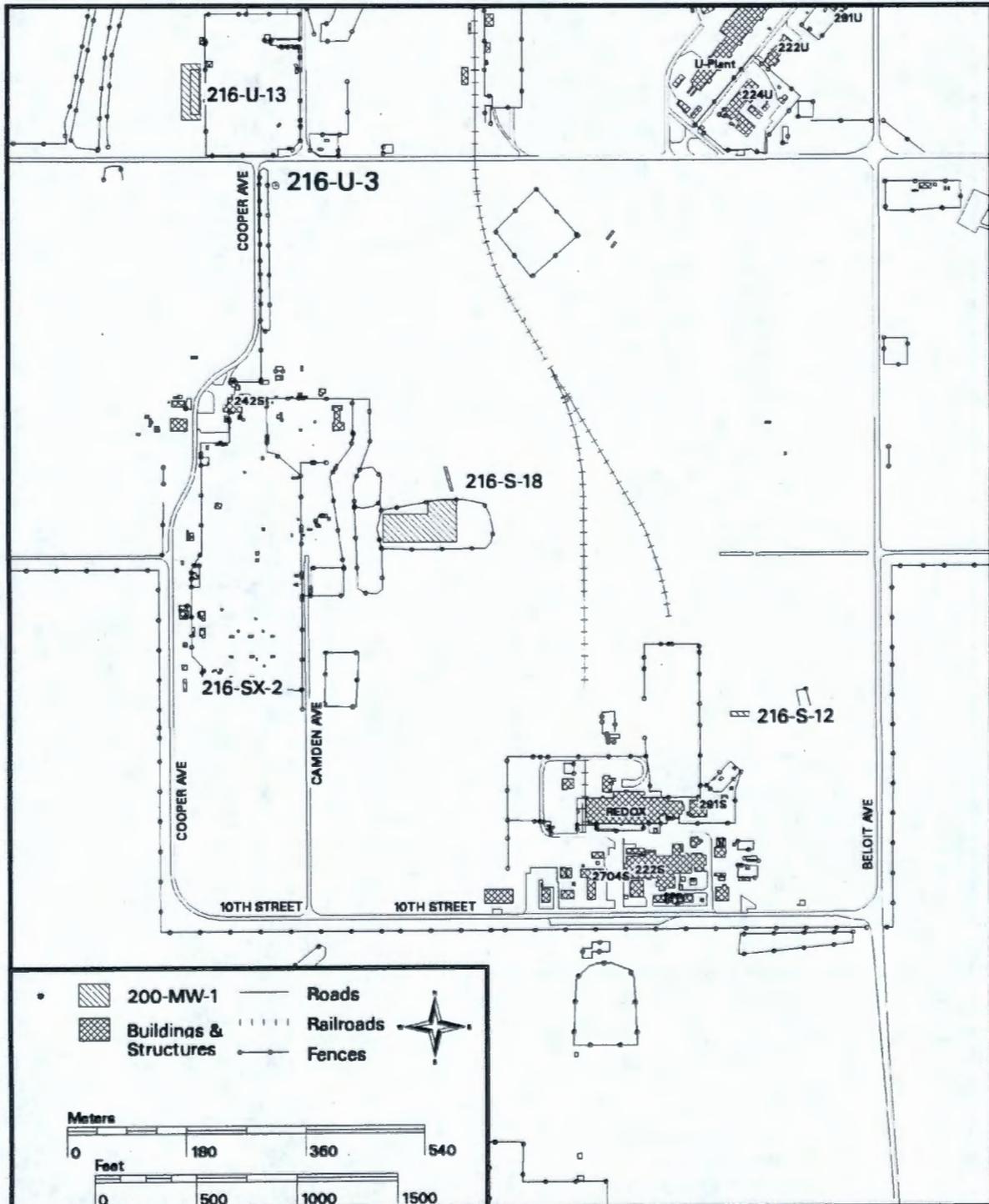
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Figure 1-4. Location of the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Waste Sites in the 200 West Area.



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Figure 1-5. Location of the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Waste Sites in the 200 West Area.



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## Step 1 – State the Problem

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### 1.2 PROJECT SCOPE

This DQO summary report focuses on the representative waste sites associated with the 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste Group OU. The scope of this project includes the DQO process and development of a sampling and analysis plan (SAP) for the representative waste sites. The DQO summary report and SAP will provide the basis for the RI/FS work plan, as well as the basis for RI of the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites (using the analogous site concept).

The Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999) presents a consistent approach to data collection activities associated with 200 Area assessment and remediation activities. The activities include all phases of sampling required to support completion of the CERCLA process, which is outlined in Section 2.3 and depicted in Figure 2-2 of the Implementation Plan. Specific activities include the following:

- Data collection at representative waste sites defined for the waste group-specific OU work plan emphasizing verification of the conceptual contaminant distribution model(s). This will support preparation of a risk evaluation, focused FS, and remedial action decision making.
- Data collection after issuance of the Record of Decision (ROD) to confirm that the analogous sites in the specific waste group OU are represented by the conceptual contaminant distribution model(s). In addition, data collection activities will be included as part of the remedy selected for the waste group. The site-specific information obtained from the data collection will be used to prepare the remedial design report/remedial action work plan (RDR/RAWP).
- Verification sampling will be performed to determine that remedial objectives have been met. For the Remove, Treat, and Dispose alternative, the RDR/RAWP will identify data collection requirements to verify that remedial action objectives (RAOs) have been met. For sites where wastes have been contained in place, an operating and maintenance (O&M) plan will be prepared to demonstrate adequacy of the remedial action. For example, an O&M plan would specify barrier performance monitoring activities.

This DQO process supports the collection of data that will be used to evaluate remedial alternatives and select a preferred alternative through the RI/FS process. Additional DQO processes will be conducted to define the sampling requirements for additional phases of data collection.

### 1.3 PROJECT OBJECTIVES

The objective of the DQO process for the 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste Group OU is to determine the environmental measurements necessary to support the RI/FS process and remedial decision making, including refinement of the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model. Additionally, the DQO process supports development of a SAP for the RI, which will be included as an appendix to the RI/FS work plan for the OU.

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Possible alternatives identified in the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999) for the OUs in the miscellaneous waste category include the following:

- No-Action alternative (no institutional controls)
- Engineered multimedia barrier
- Excavation and disposal of waste
- In situ vitrification of soil
- In situ grouting or stabilization
- Monitored natural attenuation (with institutional controls).

### 1.4 PROJECT ASSUMPTIONS

Project assumptions for the RI include the following:

- The DQO process will be conducted in accordance with BHI-EE-01, *Environmental Investigations Procedures*, Procedure 1.2, "Data Quality Objectives," and Section 6.1 of the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999).
- The 200-MW-1 OU waste group is a source waste group, and the investigations will focus on vadose zone soil contamination.
- The Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999) outlines the assessment and remediation approach to be followed for the OU:
  - Defines the regulatory framework
  - Generally identifies the characterization approach
  - Provides background information on 200 Area site conditions, operational history, and secondary plans (e.g., quality assurance, health and safety, information management, and waste management)
  - Provides governing assumptions, including preliminary applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements (ARARs), land-use considerations, RAOs, and remedial action alternatives.
- The analogous site approach will be used. Characterization will be limited to representative waste sites and the characterization data will be used to reach remedial decisions for all of the waste sites within the OU. The DQO effort will focus on representative waste sites within the OU. Preliminary representative waste sites were selected in the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997), the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999), and this DQO effort that were considered to be representative of typical and worst-case conditions for the OU. The

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rationale for review and selection of the representative waste sites is presented in Appendix A. The representative waste sites for the 200-MW-1 OU are as follows:

- 200-E-4 french drain
- 216-A-4 Crib
- 216-T-13 Crib
- 216-T-33 Trench
- 216-U-3 french drain.

Specific waste sites within the OU are listed in Appendix A of this summary report.

- Sampling to characterize the analogous waste sites is not included in the 200-MW-1 work plan scope.
- A review of the representative waste sites is a key component of the DQO process. The representative waste sites identified in the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997) and the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999) are revisited with the DQO scoping team members and key decision makers to ensure that appropriate sites are selected. The final selection of representative waste sites is considered flexible (i.e., different waste sites may be selected as representative waste sites, or additional representative waste sites may be added) and will consider critical data needs of other Groundwater/Vadose Zone core projects (e.g., the River Protection Project or the Science and Technology Project). Integration of characterization efforts will promote more efficient and cost-effective use of resources while still obtaining the necessary data to support the objectives for the 200-MW-1 OU as a whole. Active participation by other Groundwater/Vadose Zone core projects will be solicited to provide input to the DQO process.
- The potential for transuranic radionuclides at waste definition concentrations greater than 100 nCi/g may exist for sites in this OU.
- Existing characterization data from waste sites within the OU and analogous data (i.e., borehole logging results from boreholes near the waste sites) will be used to support the DQO process and to prepare the work plan. Based on historical uses of the waste sites and current contaminant of potential concern (COPC) information, it is expected that waste site contaminants of concern (COCs) will exceed action levels and that remediation will be required at most sites. However, it is possible that COC action levels will not be exceeded. In this instance, follow-up verification sampling during the confirmatory, design, and verification phases would be conducted to ensure that site closeouts without remediation are adequately supported. These activities would be conducted under separate DQO processes.

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- The DQOs will be used to prepare a SAP to be included in the 200-MW-1 RI/FS work plan. The *Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order* (Tri-Party Agreement) (Ecology et al. 1998) Milestone M-13-00L requires the submittal of three National Priorities List (NPL) RI/FS *Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976* facility investigation (RFI)/corrective measures study (CMS) work plans (Draft A versions) by December 31, 2001. The 200-MW-1 work plan will satisfy the requirement for one of these work plans, and the 200-LW-1 and 200-PW-1 OU work plans are assumed to satisfy the requirement for the two additional work plans.
- A preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model for the 200-MW-1 waste group has been developed in waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997). This preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model provides an initial prediction of the nature and extent of the primary COCs. Models for individual representative waste sites will be developed during preparation of the DQO summary report and the work plan.
- Remedial actions will likely be required at 200-MW-1 waste sites to achieve ARARs, *Model Toxics Control Act* (MTCA) (*Washington Administrative Code* [WAC] 173-340), including soil cleanup standards for nonradiological contaminants. The radiological dose limits will be determined in the future. For purposes of this DQO process, a dose limit range of 15 to 500 mrem/yr above natural background for radionuclides in soil under an industrial exposure scenario is assumed as a reasonable representation of an acceptable range of dose limits. In accordance with 10 *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) 20 and 10 CFR 835, the total effective dose equivalent for members of the public entering a controlled area is 100 mrem/yr. Because the waste sites in this OU are contained within the exclusive land-use boundary for the 200 Areas, an industrial land-use scenario is assumed.
- Potential data uses that need to be considered when developing DQOs include refining the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model; evaluating remedial action alternatives, remedial action decisions, and risk assessment; and maintaining worker health and safety.
- The collected data will be used to support the disposal of investigation-derived waste (IDW). The data collected to solve the problem statement will support the designation of the IDW. However, prior to the RI, a DQO effort will be conducted to support waste designation. Any additional sampling requirements needed for waste designation will be identified at that time and included in an approved waste control plan.
- Characteristic wastes will be evaluated based on total analytical results. Toxicity characteristic leaching procedures may be conducted if total results exceed the regulatory standards identified in WAC 173-303-090.
- Following a review of the process history associated with the 200-LW-1 (200-MW-1) waste sites and *Listed Waste History at Hanford Facility TSD Units* (Miskho 1996), listed waste contaminants associated with the process that discharged to these waste sites will be identified. An assessment of these contaminants as COPCs will then be made. If listed

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waste contaminants are determined to potentially be present in waste sites in quantities that may require an assessment of human health or ecological risk, then these contaminants will be added as COPCs; if, however, the listed waste contaminants are not considered to be of concern (e.g., volatile or disposed in small quantities), then the contaminants will not be identified as such. Listed waste contaminants will be retained as analytes of interest because of issues associated with waste designation and compliance with land disposal restrictions.

- Groundwater may have been impacted in the past by some waste sites in this OU, and mobile contaminants were disposed at the sites within these waste groups. However, evaluations of groundwater contamination and remediation are not included in the scope of the work plan.
- The RI (i.e., initial OU characterization) will validate, or will provide the basis to refine, the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution models for the waste sites in the OU from the characterization of representative waste sites. The preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution models and the preliminary exposure model will be used to develop and evaluate remedial action alternatives applicable to the OU in a FS. The RI/FS will form the basis for selecting a preferred remedial action in a proposed plan for the CERCLA past-practice sites.
- Ecological DQOs (if established/needed) will be addressed under a 200 Area-wide strategy. The strategy is phased and supports both 200 Area-wide and OU-specific evaluations. Phase I of the strategy consists of compiling existing 200 Area ecological data into an ecological summary report, which is scheduled to be completed in fiscal year 2002. Specific requirements for Phase II will be developed based on the results of the Phase I evaluation. For the 200-MW-1 OU, an ecological SAP will be prepared if waste site-specific soil samples are required to support an OU-specific ecological evaluation. The Phase II DQO is planned to be completed in fiscal year 2003, at which time the 200-MW-1 ecological SAP will be prepared and implemented, if necessary.

### 1.5 PROJECT ISSUES

Project issues include both the global issues that transcend the specific DQO project and the technical issues that are unique to the project. Both global and project technical issues have the potential to impact the sampling design or the DQOs for the project.

#### 1.5.1 Global Issues

The global issues that were identified include the following:

1. The preliminary action level for exposure to radionuclides was identified as a global issue. Current activities to evaluate cleanup levels are underway for the 100 and 300 Areas, and similar activities will also be conducted for the 200 Areas. For the purpose of this DQO summary report, a preliminary action level of 500 mrem for annual dose exposure to radionuclides under an industrial exposure scenario will be used to evaluate appropriate analytical requirements. This level is within the representative range of potential cleanup

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standards based on current land-use assumptions, regulatory requirements, and other requirements. The actual cleanup standards will be proposed in the FS and proposed plan and will be approved in the ROD for the OU.

2. The miscellaneous nature of waste sites within this OU and the appropriateness of the representative waste sites to reflect this was identified as a global issue. The detailed rationale for selection of the representative waste sites is presented in Appendix A. As a result of the regulator interview, an additional representative site was included in the scope of this DQO effort.

No other global issues were identified at the regulator interview meeting held on October 29, 2001.

### **1.5.2 Project Technical Issues**

The project technical issues include the following:

- Characterization of the 216-A-4 Crib should consider radiological control requirements for possible transuranic-contaminated soils at levels above the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) definition for TRU waste of 100 nCi/g.
- If contaminated soils are present above the TRU waste definition level in the representative waste sites, stringent health and safety restrictions will be imposed on workers and work practices. The presence of transuranic-contaminated soils may unfavorably impact analytical costs, detection limits, analyte lists, and sample media disposal.

## **1.6 WASTE SITES AND OPERATING HISTORY**

The 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste Group OU consists of waste sites located in the Hanford Site's 200 East and 200 West Areas. Figures 1-1 through 1-5 depict the locations of the waste sites addressed by this DQO effort. Waste streams from the following sources were received at 200-MW-1 waste sites:

- U and Uranium-Trioxide (UO<sub>3</sub>) Plants
- Reduction-Oxidation (REDOX) Plant (also known as S Plant)
- Plutonium-Uranium Extraction (PUREX) Plant (also known as A Plant)
- 221-B/bismuth-phosphate process operations, or the Waste Encapsulation and Storage Facility (WESF) (also known as B Plant)
- Semi-Works Plant (also known as C Plant)

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- 209-E Critical Mass Laboratory
- Vehicle and heavy equipment decontamination efforts in the 200 West Area and at T Plant
- Z Plant complex
- SX and U tank farms.

### 1.6.1 Plant History

The U Plant was constructed in 1944 and included the 221-U Canyon Building and 224-U Building. U Plant was based on the design of T and B Plants and was initially used to train personnel for the bismuth-phosphate plutonium separation and purification operations conducted in T and B Plants. During the training phase, only water was used in the plant's systems and no waste streams were generated. U Plant was modified in 1951 for the uranium for use in the uranium recovery process (URP). From 1952 to 1958, U Plant was used to recover uranium from bismuth-phosphate wastes stored in the single-shell tanks (SSTs) for reuse in the reactor plants and for waste volume reduction at T and B Plants. A later operation conducted at U Plant involved the "scavenging" or precipitation of long-lived fission products from the settling process before residual wastes were discharged to the soil column. The 221-U Building was used for equipment decontamination and refurbishment work from 1958 to 1961. In 1961, these activities were relocated to T Plant, and 221-U was used for the storage of miscellaneous equipment (clean and contaminated) on the canyon deck and unprocessed irradiated uranium in cells 5 and 6.

The final operation of U Plant was the conversion of uranyl nitrate hexahydrate (UNH) to uranium trioxide, which was accomplished by calcining the UNH in a batch process within the 224-U Building. In 1957, the batch conversion of UNH to uranium trioxide was renovated. The two calcinators previously used were removed and replaced with six newer calcinators. The operation was updated to a continuous flow, and the 224-U Building became known as the  $UO_3$  Plant (DOE-RL 1992b).

The  $UO_3$  Plant operated from 1958 until 1972 when PUREX was placed in standby mode. During that time, the  $UO_3$  Plant converted UNH received from PUREX and REDOX into  $UO_3$  powder. It was packaged at the  $UO_3$  Plant, stored, and sent offsite to Oak Ridge National Laboratory in Tennessee, and later to Fernald, Ohio. There the uranium trioxide powder was converted to uranium metal and then returned to the Hanford Site's 300 Area for fuel extrusion rework. The  $UO_3$  Plant resumed operations in 1984 to process UNH from PUREX. Because the feed lines from REDOX and 221-U were no longer in use, they were disconnected and capped in the  $UO_3$  Plant. Operations of the  $UO_3$  Plant ceased in 1988 (DOE-RL 1992b).

The REDOX Plant (also known as S Plant) was the first continuous plutonium separation operation at the Hanford Site. Not only did REDOX separate weapons-grade plutonium from the irradiated fuel rods, but it was also used to recover uranium. REDOX involved a solvent extraction process that used hexone (methyl isobutyl ketone, or MIBK) and aluminum nitrate

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nonahydrate (ANN) in nitric acid to complete these separations within anionic resin columns. Plant operations began in 1952 and continued until 1967 (DOE-RL 1992b).

The plutonium-uranium extraction process at PUREX (also known as A Plant) replaced the REDOX separation process. The PUREX process used a recoverable salting agent (nitric acid) that proved to be more economically feasible, generated less waste, and operated more safely than the REDOX process. The PUREX Plant was constructed in late 1955, and the plant operated continuously from November 1955 until 1972, separating weapons-grade plutonium and depleted uranium products from irradiated fuel. The PUREX Plant was placed in standby mode from 1972 until 1983. PUREX operations were restarted in 1983, continuing until deactivation in 1990. Since initial operation of the PUREX Plant, it was modified to reprocess several types of fuel. These fuels included a zirconium alloy (zircaloy) clad fuel with various enrichments ranging from 0.72% to 2.1% of uranium-235 exposed at various durations (300 to approximately 3,000 megawatt-days per ton of uranium). The different types of fuels yielded various types of products, including fuel-grade plutonium, slightly enriched uranium and neptunium, uranium metals, uranium and plutonium oxides, and several thoria targets (DOE-RL 1993c).

B Plant was constructed in 1944. From 1945 to 1952, B Plant operations consisted of a batch-wise, inorganic chemical separation of weapons-grade plutonium from irradiated uranium. This was known as the bismuth-phosphate/lanthanum-fluoride process. From 1952 to 1965, B Plant was used for various waste treatment operations. In 1963, the 221-B Building began recovering strontium, cerium, and rare earths using an acid-side, oxalate-precipitation process as part of the first phase of processing for the 221-B Building Waste Fractionalization Project. This processing at the 221-B Building ended in June 1966 to accommodate additional construction. Waste fractionalization processing began again at the 221-B Building in 1968. This process separated the long-lived radionuclides strontium-90, and cesium-137 from high-level PUREX and REDOX wastes, and stored a concentrated solution of strontium-90 and cesium-137 at the 221-B Building. In 1968, B Plant underwent renovations and WESF was added. Waste fractionalization and encapsulation efforts continued until 1986 (DOE-RL 1993a).

The Semi-Works aggregate area was composed of two primary facilities: the 201-C Process Building and the Critical Mass Laboratory (209-E Building). The 201-C Process Building was the main processing facility for the Semi-Works aggregate area. During its history, the 201-C Process Building went through three distinct operational modes. The 201-C Process Building was constructed in 1949 as a pilot plant for reprocessing reactor fuel using the REDOX (S Plant) chemical process and later the PUREX chemical process in 1954. In 1961, it was again converted to recover strontium from fission product waste. Cerium, technetium, and promethium, as well as minor amounts of americium and curium in the final production run, were also extracted. This facility operated until 1967 and then remained in safe-storage mode until decommissioning began in 1983. The Critical Mass Laboratory was operated from 1960 to 1987 by Pacific Northwest Laboratory (PNL). Criticality experiments and research were conducted at this location. The laboratory is now closed, and the facility was transferred to Westinghouse Hanford Company (WHC) for use by Waste Tank Management. Currently only

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the CX-70, CX-71, and CX-72 tanks remain. Each of these tanks is inactive but may contain miscellaneous process equipment (DOE-RL 1993d).

T Plant was constructed in 1944. From 1945 to 1956, T Plant operations consisted of a batch-wise, inorganic chemical separation of weapons-grade plutonium from irradiated uranium, known as the bismuth-phosphate/lanthanum-fluoride process. In 1957, the 221-T Building was converted to a decontamination and equipment refurbishment facility. The facility provided services in radioactive decontamination, reclamation, and decommissioning of process equipment and currently still serves the Hanford Site in this capacity. A series of testing programs by PNL and WHC also occurred intermittently from 1964 to 1990 (DOE-RL 1993b, 1993e).

From 1945 until 1990, the Z Plant complex was used to isolate and purify plutonium solutions, produce metallic plutonium and plutonium oxides, and recover plutonium and americium from plutonium scrap materials. Throughout its operation, the Z Plant complex (Plutonium Finishing Plant) received various types of processed (i.e., uranium and fission products removed) plutonium solutions from each of the 200 Area separations facilities.

The 241-U tank farm consists of 16 SSTs and was constructed from 1943 to 1944 using two different designs. For both designs, the tanks are vertical cylinders with a domed top and are constructed of reinforced concrete, with a carbon-steel liner on the base and sides of the vessel. The tanks are all located underground, with at least 1.8 m (6 ft) of earth cover above the dome. Twelve tanks, each with the same design (numbered 241-U-101 through 241-U-112), have diameters of 23 m (75 ft) and a capacities of 2,017,000 L (533,000 gal). Four smaller tanks, each with the same design (numbered 241-U-201 through 241-U-204) have diameters of 6.1 m (20 ft) and capacities of 208,000 L (55,000 gal). The tanks have been removed from liquid processing services, have been pumped so minimum supernatant heel remains, and are awaiting stabilization. The tanks contain high-level wastes from U Plant operations.

While all SSTs have been inactive (i.e., have not received waste) since at least 1980, several activities continue to be conducted on, in, and/or around the SSTs on a case-by-case basis; therefore, the status of any individual SST may change. These continuing activities include pumping liquid waste (stabilization); sealing tank pits; blanking penetrations and piping (isolation); monitoring surface levels, liquid levels, and temperatures; sampling of waste; sampling of cores; obtaining photographs of the interiors of the tanks; changing of filters; surveying; and conducting day-to-day operations activities.

The SX tank farm contains 15 SSTs that were constructed from 1953 to 1954 to contain hot, self-boiling waste in support of the REDOX process. The base of each tank was placed 17 to 18 m (56 to 59 ft) below ground surface (bgs) and consists of vertical cylinders constructed with carbon-steel liners, surrounded by reinforced concrete. The tank top is an ellipsoidal, concrete dome, covered with 1.8 to 2.7 m (6 to 9 ft) of soil/gravel fill. The tanks have been removed from liquid processing services, pumped so minimum supernatant heel remains, and are awaiting stabilization. Each tank is 22.9 m (75 ft) in diameter and has a 3.8-million-L (1-million-gal)

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capacity. The tanks contain high level wastes from the REDOX Plant. Standard operations at the SX tank farm include cooling operations and also core and air sampling activities.

Miscellaneous liquid effluent waste streams received water drainage from various support facilities that conducted smaller operations and activities (as compared to the processing facilities). Some of these facilities included laboratories, laundries, lunchrooms, and offices.

Liquid waste generated at U Plant, S Plant (REDOX), A Plant (PUREX), WESF (221-B), C Plant (Semi-Works), and T Plant; the Z Plant complex; and SX and U tank farms, as well as miscellaneous liquid streams were often routed to underground collection sumps/pits through an underground transfer system. The liquid waste was may have been sampled, evaporated (concentrated), and neutralized before routing to the facilities. Heavier constituents/particulates settled out of the liquid effluents, forming sludge that clogged the sumps/pits and transfer lines, resulting in unplanned releases (UPRs). The liquid supernatants were ultimately discharged to the soil column through cribs, trenches, french drains, and injection/reverse wells. Process distillate and drainage were also sent to cribs and trenches through this underground network.

Cribs and drains were designed to inject or percolate wastewater into the soil column. Cribs are shallow excavations that are either backfilled with permeable material or are voids created by wooden or concrete structures. Drains are small- to large-diameter metal or concrete pipes that are inserted at shallow depths into the ground. The drains may have been filled with gravel. Cribs and drains typically received low-level radioactive waste for disposal, and most were designed to receive liquid until a specific retention volume or radionuclide capacity was met.

Trenches are shallow, long, narrow, unlined excavations and were often located adjacent to other trenches. Some of the trenches have been backfilled and marked as a single group of trenches.

### 1.6.2 Process Information

The operations at the U, REDOX, PUREX, WESF, Semi-Works, and T Plants; the Z Plant complex; and miscellaneous liquid effluents that generated the primary waste streams into the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites included the following:

- URP at U Plant and/or waste generated in the 291-U or additional U Plant ancillary buildings/facilities: Waste streams included process drainage condensate, process distillate drainage condensate, and miscellaneous off-gas condensate. The condensate originated from the 291-U-1 stack, waste treatment condensers, equipment condensers, and building heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous and organic solvent extraction activities of uranium recovery/uranium trioxide production operations.
- REDOX or waste generated in the 291-S and/or additional S Plant ancillary buildings/facilities: Waste streams included process drainage condensate, process distillate drainage condensate, and miscellaneous off-gas condensate. The condensate originated from the

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291-S-1 stack, waste treatment condensers, equipment condensers, and building HVAC systems. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous and organic solvent extraction activities of REDOX production operations (DOE-RL 1992b).

- PUREX or waste generated in the 291-A and/or additional A Plant ancillary buildings/facilities: Waste streams included process drainage condensate, process distillate drainage condensate, dissolver scrubber off-gas condensate, 241-A-151 catch sump drainage, laboratory waste drainage from the U-3 and U-4 tanks, and miscellaneous off-gas condensate. The condensate originated from the 291-A-1 stack, waste treatment condensers, equipment condensers, and building HVAC systems. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous and organic solvent extraction activities of PUREX production operations (DOE-RL 1993c).
- Bismuth-phosphate, lanthanum-fluoride and strontium/cesium separation, recovery, and storage efforts at WESF, and/or waste generated in the 291-B or additional B Plant ancillary buildings/facilities: Waste streams included process drainage condensate, process distillate drainage condensate, and miscellaneous off-gas condensate. The condensate originated from the 291-B-1 stack and sand filter, 272-B insulation shop sink and drain, equipment condensers, and building HVAC systems. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous chemical operations of the bismuth-phosphate and lanthanum-fluoride processes and/or inorganic and organic solvent extraction activities of the strontium/cesium separation, recovery, and storage efforts at WESF (DOE-RL 1993a).
- Critical Mass Laboratory (209-E Building): Waste streams included condensate and drainage from the 209-E equipment room steam traps, heat exchangers, high-efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filters were sent to the 200-E-4 and 209-E-WS-2 french drains. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during experimental process operations (DOE-RL 1993d).
- Bismuth-phosphate, lanthanum-fluoride process operations and equipment/vehicle decontamination and refurbishment waste generated in the 221-T, 2706-T, 291-T or additional T Plant ancillary buildings/facilities: Waste streams included process drainage condensate, process distillate drainage condensate, and miscellaneous off-gas condensate. The condensate originated from the 291-T-1 stack and sand filter, steam condensate “blowouts” of piping, equipment condensers, building HVAC systems, and various equipment/vehicle decontamination and refurbishment activities. Contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous chemical operations of

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the bismuth-phosphate and lanthanum-fluoride processes and/or inorganic and drainage produced by the decontamination of equipment/vehicles.

- Isolation and purification of plutonium solutions, production of metallic plutonium and plutonium oxides (RB, RMA, and RMC lines), and recovery plutonium (RECUPLEX and Plutonium Reclamation Facility), and americium from plutonium scrap materials: Waste streams included condensate that originated from the 291-Z Building, which contains the ventilation exhaust fans, instrument air compressors, and vacuum pumps for all ventilation exhaust from the 234-5Z, 236-Z, 242-Z, and formerly the 232-Z Building. Routine effluents from the 291-Z Building include noncontact cooling and condensate wastewater from HVAC equipment, cooling water for the compressors, and vacuum-pump seal water. However, contact with radionuclides and nonradiological constituents may have resulted from process upsets and equipment malfunctions, stress fractures, etc., that occurred during the aqueous chemical operations. These wastes were discharged to the 216-Z-13, 216-Z-14, and 216-Z-15 french drains, and the 216-Z-1(D) Ditch.
- SX tank farm and ancillary facilities: Waste streams included equipment compressor condensate originated from the 241-SX-701 compressor house building, which contains instrument air compressors to cool and dry all ventilation exhaust equipment associated with the self-boiling REDOX waste tanks in the SX tank farm. Contaminated soil from the S, SX, and SY tank farms from windblown particles or dust particulates that were radioactively contaminated is also present (RHO 1985, DOE-RL 2000).
- Miscellaneous liquid effluents: Drainage was received from various support facilities that conducted smaller operations and activities, various smaller operations, and activities such as tracer studies, logging calibration, laboratory and laundry effluents, lunchroom ice machines, building ventilation heating condensate, and experiments.
- PUREX laboratory wastes: Wastes were generated by experimental operations, including quality assurance/quality control (QC) sampling of process products in various operational stages, and waste sampling to ensure proper routing to cribs or trenches.

The 200 Area decontamination wastes included wastes from the decontamination of vehicles and heavy equipment. Because of the wide separation of processing and reactor operation areas, the extensive use of automotive, railroad, and heavy construction equipment was required. The equipment occasionally became contaminated if it contacted exposure areas. Contamination usually consisted of particles of fission products (e.g., cesium and strontium). The particles were drawn into the radiator and other engine components and became attached to the oily surfaces of the engine compartment. In order to continue using this equipment, a decontamination facility was established at the 269-W garage. The contamination was removed using commercial cleaners (e.g., Actresol, Kerful Cleaner, and AesoWash) and a steam-jet spray on the radiators, engines, and undercarriages. Painted automobile surfaces and all interior surfaces and materials were hand-cleaned using mild detergents. Sometimes external surfaces required more stringent methods (e.g., aggressive chemicals) and occasional sandblasting (GE 1960).

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These decontamination operations initially were performed outdoors in open pit areas such as the 216-U-13 Trench (from 1952 to 1956) and the 216-T-13 Trench (from 1956 to 1962). These sites had limited facilities for handling steam and water. Provisions for waste collection, drainage, and disposal were considered unsatisfactory, and cold and inclement weather further complicated the work. In 1964, a new decontamination facility, the 2706-T Building (originally known as 2706-W), was completed. This facility provided improved steam, high-pressure water, and chemical cleaning capabilities for all of the Hanford Site's railroad equipment and heavy- and light-duty automotive equipment. Various chemicals could be added to the steam spray or high-pressure water, and adequate waste collection, drainage, and disposal facilities were provided. Various commercial chemicals were tested for their application to decontamination work. Among the waste sites used for disposal of decontamination wastes from the 2706-T Building were the 216-T-33 Crib in the 200-MW-1 OU and the 216-T-27 and 216-T-28 Crib in the 200-LW-1 OU. After the line to the 216-T-33 Crib became plugged in February 1963, waste was routed to the 216-T-28 Crib. The 216-T-27 and 216-T-28 Crib were active from February 1960 through December 1966.

Techniques other than water and chemical flushes were also used. Sandblasting and ultrasonic cleaning were used when considered suitable. Stainless-steel components were treated with a water flush, 5% versene, 1% sodium nitrate, and 5% sodium hydroxide. This cycle was repeated at least four times (GE 1960).

### 1.6.3 Representative Waste Sites

The following subsections describe the representative waste sites in detail. Information was obtained from the Waste Information Data System (WIDS) database and WIDS historical files, unless otherwise noted.

**200-E-4 French Drain.** The 200-E-4 french drain is a 1.2-m (4-ft)-diameter dry well, covered with a yellow metal cover. The site is located approximately 7.6 m (25 ft) north of the northeast corner of the 209-E Critical Mass Laboratory Service Building and is connected to 209-E Critical Mass Laboratory via underground piping. The waste was steam condensate from the steam trap in the valve pit, as well as steam condensate from the equipment room.

The Critical Mass Laboratory, located west of the 201-C Process Building, is an L-shaped concrete block structure. One wing houses offices, control room shops, and common facilities. The other wing houses an equipment room, change room, mixing laboratory, and a two-story, heavily shielded reactor hall (DeFord 1992).

Criticality experiments were conducted in the critical mass room from 1960 to 1983, using plutonium nitrate and enriched uranium solutions. Criticality research was also conducted with solid special nuclear materials and fuels (DeFord 1992) such as plutonium blocks, uranium blocks and slabs, and fuel assemblies from the Fast Flux Test Facility and other reactors.

The Critical Mass Laboratory is currently closed (no research has been conducted at the laboratory since 1983), but it has not been decommissioned. The administrative offices were

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transferred to WHC in January 1992 and were occupied in April 1992 by WHC tank farm waste management personnel.

The 2718 Storage Building is located adjacent to the southwest corner of the Critical Mass Laboratory. It is a small building that was previously used to store uranyl nitrate containers. This location was the site of a UPR in 1984 (UN-200-E-141). This facility is posted as a radiologically controlled area.

The Critical Mass Laboratory valve pit is a concrete structure located near the south wall of the 209-E Building. It is approximately 1.8 m (6 ft) by 2.4 m (8 ft) and stands about 1 m (3 ft) above grade. The pit has a steel lid and is posted with radioactive contamination warning signs. DeFord (1992) suggests that the line running to the 216-C-7 Crib originates in this pit. The ventilation stack and fan assembly for the Critical Mass Laboratory are also located at this point. Radioactive contamination is reportedly associated with the valve pit sump, although no specific waste inventories for this unit were found in the documents that were reviewed. The valve pit and ventilation hardware were integral to the Critical Mass Laboratory and were considered to be active until recently.

**1.6.3.1 216-A-4 Crib.** The 216-A-4 Crib is an inactive liquid waste disposal site located 79 m (260 ft) south of the 202-A Building and east of the 216-A-2 Crib, and is inside the PUREX exclusion fence (see Figure 1-8). The crib consists of two 6.1-m (20-ft) lengths of 15-cm (6-in) perforated vitrified clay pipe, forming a cross-pattern horizontally, 5.5 m (18 ft) below grade. The excavation has 2.4 m (8 ft) of coarse rock fill with a volume of 280 m<sup>3</sup> (10,000 ft<sup>3</sup>), and it has been backfilled.

From 1955 to 1958, the crib received approximately 6,210,000 L (1,640,000 gal) of liquid waste (Stenner et al. 1988). The waste originated from the ventilation fans (i.e., fan bearing, fan turbine condensate, and control house drain), PUREX laboratory low-activity waste tanks U-3 and U-4, the 241-A-151 diversion box drain, and several sources associated with the 291-A stack. The 291-A stack sources included the stack drain, stack liner drain (after neutralization in tank 216A-TK1), sampler house sink and floor drain, stack gas filter drain, stack gutter drains, and the stack pit plenum (GE 1955a).

In December 1958, the crib became plugged and flooded an area between the crib and the 291-A-1 stack, causing an area of surface contamination. The contaminated soils were removed to the 200-E-102 Trench (along the southern boundary of the crib) and were covered with 0.3 m (1 ft) of soil (Baldrige 1959). The crib was deactivated in 1958 by blanking off the effluent piping after the crib had reached its retention capacity. The site is now located within a large gravel area known as the PUREX stabilized area (200-E-103). Only a large green vent riser is visible above the surface.

The volume of waste received (6,210,000 L [1,639,440 gal]) was low in salt and from neutral to basic in chemistry. The radioisotopes believed to be present are cesium-137, strontium-90, and ruthenium-106 (Brown et al. 1990). According to *Waste Site Grouping for 200 Area Soil Investigations* (DOE-RL 1997), the radionuclide inventory included 395 kg (880 lb) of uranium,

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140 g (0.4 lb) of plutonium, and minor amounts of cesium-137 (6.93 Ci) and strontium-90 (4.39 Ci). The nonradionuclides included nitrate (300 kg [661.5 lb]) and sodium dichromate (110 kg [242.55 lb]).

**1.6.3.2 216-T-13 Trench.** The 216-T-13 Trench is an inactive liquid waste disposal site located in the 200 West Area, approximately 853 m (2,800 ft) southwest of the 221-T Canyon Building and 69.5 m (228 ft) south of 23<sup>rd</sup> Street (Figure 1-9). The trench was located near the 269-W regulated garage (which no longer exists). The trench is no longer marked or posted. The single trench is estimated to have dimensions either 6.1 m by 6.1 m by 3 m (20 ft by 20 ft by 10 ft) (Carpenter and DeFord 1995a), or 7.6 m by 3 m by 2.4 m (25 ft by 10 ft by 8 ft) (Clukey 1954), depending on the reference source used.

The site operated from June 1954 to June 1964 and was used to decontaminate vehicles prior to being worked on at the 269-W regulated garage. Based on the descriptions given for other waste sites (e.g., 216-U-13) that served a similar function, it is assumed that the trench sides were sloped so vehicles could be driven down to the decontamination area at the bottom. The site would have received wastes from vehicle decontamination activities or equipment steam cleaning.

According to ARH (1970), the site received approximately 98,400 L (26,000 gal) of vehicle decontamination liquid waste. The waste included <0.05 kg (<0.1 lb) of uranium, <0.1 g of plutonium, 1 Ci each of strontium-90 and cesium-137, 40 Ci of ruthenium-106, and <0.1 Ci of cobalt-60. ARH (1973) indicates that the concentration of strontium-90 and cesium-137 were only 0.1 Ci each.

When the site was deactivated in 1964, and all vehicle decontamination operations were transferred to the 2706-T Building (also known as 2706-W), and the pit was backfilled with soil later in 1964. In April 1972, the site was excavated and approximately 3.06 m<sup>3</sup> (4 yd<sup>3</sup>) of contaminated soil were removed and taken to the 200 West Area dry waste burial ground. The maximum contamination level found was 1,500 counts per minute, and the site was removed from radiological controls.

**1.6.3.3 216-T-33 Crib.** The 216-T-33 Crib is an inactive liquid waste disposal site located in the 200 West Area, approximately 76.2 m (250 ft) west of the 2706-T Building and 274 m (900 ft) north of 23<sup>rd</sup> Street (Figure 1-10). The site is currently surrounded with light metal posts and chained and is posted as an underground radioactive material area. The site consists of a rectangular crib with a perforated vitreous clay inlet pipe set into a gravel layer. A layer of plastic sheeting, clean sand, and backfill were placed above the pipe. The bottom dimensions are 9.1 m (30 ft) by 1.5 m (5 ft), with a total height of 3.3 m (10.8 ft), inclusive of an estimated overburden of 2 m (6.8 ft). Surface dimensions are approximately 12.2 m (40 ft) by 6.1 m (20 ft).

The site was only active from January through February 1963 as a subsurface liquid disposal site for the 2706-T Building (also known as 2706-W). After the perforations in the tile line became plugged, the waste was routed to the 216-T-28 Crib via the 241-T-112 tank (Lundgren 1970).

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The amount of liquid that actually reached the crib has been questioned by plant management, who believed that the line to the crib retained all of the waste. Sections of the tile line were removed in 1963 after the line was rerouted to the 216-T-28 Crib. No surface contamination has been found at this site (Maxfield 1979). The site was stabilized in July 1991.

The crib received 1,900,000 L (500,000 gal) of low-salt decontamination waste from the 2706-T Building. The waste is mainly sodium hydroxide and is thought to be neutral/basic. According to the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997), the radionuclide inventory included 5.94 kg (10 lb) of uranium, 5 g (0.01 lb) of plutonium, and minor amounts of cesium-137 (0.3 Ci) and strontium-90 (0.3 Ci).

**1.6.3.4 216-U-3 French Drain.** The 216-U-3 french drain is an inactive liquid waste disposal site located in the 200 West Area, south of the 241-U tank farm on the south side of 16<sup>th</sup> Street (Figure 1-11). The site is surrounded by light steel posts and chains and is marked as an underground radioactive material area. The drain is a 3.6-m (12-ft)-deep, rock-filled excavation with sloping sides, covering an area approximately 1.8 m (6 ft) in diameter, and contains a 10-cm (4-in.)-diameter vent riser. A 5-cm (2-in.) steel line enters the drain from the northeast at a depth of 2 m (7 ft).

The drain operated from May 1954 to August 1955 and received condensate from the 241-U steam condenser on the 241-U-104 and 241-U-110 waste tanks (Carpenter and DeFord 1995b). According to the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997), the site received 791,000 L (209,000 gal) of low-salt, neutral-to-basic condensate. The radionuclide inventory included 18 kg (40 lb) of uranium, 0.1 g of plutonium, and minor amounts of cesium-137 (0.4 Ci) and strontium-90 (0.04 Ci).

An area of contaminated soil related to waste site 200-W-67 (adjacent to the 216-U-13 french drain) was surface stabilized in 1998.

## **1.7 DATA QUALITY OBJECTIVE TEAM MEMBERS AND KEY DECISION MAKERS**

Tables 1-1, 1-2, and 1-3 identify the DQO scoping team members, DQO workshop team members, and key decision makers, respectively. The scoping team developed the checklist and binder prior to the internal seven-step process. The DQO workshop team members participated in the seven-step DQO process. The key decision makers provided external review of the results of the seven-step process.

**Step 1 – State the Problem****Table 1-1. DQO Scoping Team Members.**

| Name                            | Organization                                     | Area of Expertise (Role)                             |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Roy Bauer                       | CHI Environmental Engineering                    | DQO Facilitator                                      |
| Janet Badden                    | CHI Regulatory Support/<br>Environmental Science | Regulatory Support                                   |
| Bruce Ford                      | BHI Site Assessments                             | BHI Project Manager                                  |
| Michael Galgoul                 | CHI D&D Characterization                         | 200-MW-1 OU Lead/DQO<br>Summary Report Author        |
| Jenifer Linville                | CHI Regulatory Support/<br>Environmental Science | Biological/Ecological Issues                         |
| Michelle Yates Mandis           | CHI Environmental Engineering                    | Technical Staff, Author, Process<br>Engineering Lead |
| Dave St. John                   | CHI AFS & Sample Management                      | Sampling Data Management/Site<br>Sampling History    |
| Jim Sharpe                      | CHI Regulatory Support/<br>Environmental Science | Cultural Issues                                      |
| Kevin Singleton/David<br>Weekes | CH2M Hill, Inc./CHI Geosciences                  | Technical Staff, Author,<br>Geosciences Lead         |
| Noe'l Smith-Jackson             | CHI Regulatory Support/<br>Environmental Science | Technical Staff, Author                              |
| Wendy Thompson                  | BHI Environmental Technologies                   | Sampling/Field Analysis                              |
| Rich Weiss                      | CHI AFS & Sample Management                      | Radiochemical and Analytical,<br>Data Management     |
| Curt Wittreich                  | CHI Environmental Engineering                    | CHI Project Management                               |

BHI = Bechtel Hanford, Inc.

CHI = CH2M HILL Hanford, Inc.

D&amp;D = decontamination and decommissioning

**Table 1-2. DQO Workshop Team Members. (2 Pages)**

| Name                             | Organization                    | Area of Expertise (Role)                            |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Roy Bauer                        | CHI Environmental Engineering   | DQO Facilitator                                     |
| Bruce Ford                       | BHI Site Assessments            | BHI Project Manager                                 |
| Michael Galgoul                  | CHI D&D Characterization        | 200-MW-1 OU Lead                                    |
| Michelle Yates Mandis            | CHI Environmental Engineering   | Technical Staff/Author, Process<br>Engineering Lead |
| Roger Ovink                      | CHI Regulatory Support          | DQO Task Lead                                       |
| Kevin Singleton/<br>David Weekes | CH2M Hill, Inc./CHI Geosciences | Technical Staff/Author, Geosciences<br>Lead         |

**Step 1 – State the Problem****Table 1-2. DQO Workshop Team Members. (2 Pages)**

| Name           | Organization                   | Area of Expertise (Role) |
|----------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Barry Vedder   | BHI Regulatory Support         | Regulatory Support       |
| Wendy Thompson | BHI Environmental Technologies | Sampling/Field Analysis  |
| Curt Wittreich | CHI Environmental Engineering  | CHI Project Management   |

**Table 1-3. DQO Key Decision Makers.**

| Name          | Organization | Area of Expertise (Role) |
|---------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| Craig Cameron | EPA          | EPA Project Manager      |
| Bryan Foley   | RL           | RL Project Manager       |

EPA = U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

RL = U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office

**1.8 EXISTING REFERENCES**

Table 1-4 lists the key sources of existing documents and data collected from previous investigations that were reviewed by the DQO team.

**Table 1-4. Existing Documents and Data Sources for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit. (6 Pages)**

| Reference  | Summary   |
|--|---|
| <i>200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program</i> , DOE/RL-98-28, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1999) | Provides background geography, process, waste site, and COC knowledge and strategy for the 200 Areas.   |
| <i>200 Areas Waste Sites Handbook</i> , 3 vols., RHO-CD-673 (Maxfield 1979)  | Provides waste site descriptions, releases, waste discharge information, and management reports.  |
| <i>Hanford Engineer Works Technical Manual (T/B Plants)</i> , Parts A, B, and C, HW-10475 (GE 1944)  | Provides process information on B, T, and U Plant facilities, chemicals used or stored, and operation and maintenance information, including process effluent sampling/analysis methods and theory behind the materials, chemicals, and equipment used during the bismuth-phosphate campaign. Includes general designation of waste streams generated and conclusive evidence that the bismuth-phosphate separation and the lanthanum-fluoride purification processes were strictly inorganic in chemical nature. |
| <i>Inventory of Chemicals Used at Hanford Site Production Plants and Support Operations (1944-1980)</i> , WHC-EP-0172, Rev. 1 (WHC 1990)               | Identifies list of chemicals used in processing plants and supporting facilities.   |

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| Reference   | Summary  |
|---|--|
| <i>Uranium Recovery Technical Manual</i> , HW-19140 (GE 1951b)  | Provides process information on U Plant facilities, chemicals used or stored, and operations and maintenance information, including process effluent sampling/analysis methods and theory behind the materials, chemicals, and equipment used during the URP campaign. Includes general designation of waste streams generated and conclusive evidence that the URP separation and the supplementary purification processes were strictly inorganic in chemical nature with the exception of TBP diluted in normal hydrocarbon paraffin. |
| <i>Record of Scavenged TBP Waste (Logbook)</i> (GE 1958)  | Provides process information for 200-MW-1 OU waste sites including, operations, trouble shooting, chemicals used, and process effluent sampling data from 1950s. Results of a waste stream designation for the cribs and trenches containing the scavenged and URP waste streams.  |
| <i>An Assessment of the Inventories of the Ferrocyanide Watchlist Tanks</i> , WHC-SD-WM-ER-133 (Borsheim and Simpson 1991)                                | Provides process information for 200-MW-1 OU waste sites including chemicals used, and modeling of liquid effluents discharged to soil and kept in tanks. Results of a waste stream designation and modeled inventories for the cribs and trenches containing the scavenged and URP waste streams.   |
| <i>Hanford Site Atlas</i> , BHI-01119, Rev. 1 (BHI 1998)  | Provides Hanford Site maps.  |
| <i>Pre-Operational Baseline and Site Characterization Report for the Environmental Restoration Disposal</i> , Vols. 1 and 2, BHI-00270, Rev. 1 (BHI 1996) | Includes geological and groundwater information.   |
| <i>Geohydrology of the 218-W-5 Burial Ground, 200-West Area, Hanford Site</i> , PNL-7336 (Bjornstad 1990)   | Provides geological information.   |
| <i>Underground Waste Disposal at Hanford Works</i> , HW-671 (Brown and Ruppert 1948)  | Provides historical waste site and COC disposal information.   |
| <i>The Underground Disposal of Liquid Wastes at Hanford Works, Washington</i> , HW-17088 (Brown and Ruppert 1950)   | Provides historical waste site and COC disposal information.   |
| <i>Vadose Zone Geology of the 241-B, 241-BX, and 241-BY Tank Farms, Hanford Site, South-Central Washington</i> (Stephens et al. 1998)                     | Provides geological information for B, BX, and BY tank farms. Used for comparison purposes.  |
| <i>Evaluation of Scintillation Probe Profiles from 200 Area Crib Monitoring Wells</i> , ARH-ST-156 (Fecht et al. 1977)                                    | Provides geophysical logs and contaminant distribution data.   |
| <i>Hanford Site Groundwater Monitoring for Fiscal Year 1998</i> , PNNL-12086 (PNNL 1999)  | Provides groundwater annual report information.  |
| PNLATLAS/LG-ARCHV/200 East and West   | Database for geophysical logging.  |

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| Reference   | Summary  |
|---|--|
| <i>Hydrogeologic Model for the 200-East Groundwater Aggregate Area</i> , WHC-SD-EN-TI-019, Rev. 0 (WHC 1992a)                                   | Provides groundwater and geological information for 200 East Area waste sites.   |
| <i>Hydrogeologic Model for the 200-West Groundwater Aggregate Area</i> , WHC-SD-EN-TI-014, Rev. 0 (WHC 1992b)                                   | Provides groundwater and geological information for 200 West Area waste sites.   |
| <i>Geologic Setting of the Low-Level Burial Grounds</i> , WHC-SD-EN-TI-290, Rev. 0 (WHC 1994)   | Provides geological information.   |
| <i>Hanford Site Water Changes – 1950 Through 1980, Data Observation and Evaluation</i> , PNL-5506 (Zimmerman et al. 1986)                       | Includes groundwater maps of the Hanford Site.   |
| <i>History of Operations (1 January 1944 to 20 March 1945)</i> , OUT-1462 (HEW 1945)  | Provides historical account of process operations information in the 100, 200, and 300 Areas. Trouble encountered, solutions implemented, chemical inventories, an overview of the daily activities for each process, building construction, functions, maintenance, and sampling, laboratory, and disposal activities.  |
| <i>Removal of Organic Compounds from the "Contaminants of Concern" List for Tank Farm Vadose Zone Characterizations</i> , HNF-5118 (Jones 1999) | Includes COC information.  |
| <i>Hanford Tank Chemical and Radionuclide Inventories: HDW Model</i> , LA-UR-96-3860, Rev. 4 (Agnew et al. 1997)                                | Provides scavenged and URP process waste and COC comparisons.  |
| <i>U Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-52, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1992b)  | Includes process information on U Plant facilities, radionuclides and nonradiological constituents used and discharged, known and suspected contaminants, and a list of COPCs.   |
| <i>T Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-61, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993e)  | Contains waste unit descriptions; maps with locations of waste units; preliminary conceptual site exposure model; summary of waste-producing processes in T Plant; known and suspected contaminants; affected media; results of soil, vadose zone, water, and biota sampling; plant buildings and waste discharge units (e.g., tanks, wells, vaults, ponds, ditches, trenches, septic systems, transfer lines and associated equipment, retention basins, and liquid effluent retention facilities); and site hazard rankings. Includes process history of T Plant aggregate area, waste management operations history, chemical waste inventories estimates, and history of UPRs. |

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| Reference  | Summary  |
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| <i>B Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-92-05, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993a)                     | Contains waste unit descriptions; maps with locations of waste units; preliminary conceptual site exposure model; summary of waste-producing processes in B Plant; known and suspected contaminants; affected media; results of soil, vadose zone, water, and biota sampling; plant buildings and waste discharge units (e.g., tanks, wells, vaults, ponds, ditches, trenches, septic systems, transfer lines and associated equipment, retention basins, and liquid effluent retention facilities); and site hazard rankings. Provides process history of B Plant aggregate area, waste management operations history, chemical waste inventories estimates, and history of UPRs. |
| <i>S Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-60, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1992a)                     | Provides process information on S Plant facilities, radionuclides and nonradiological constituents used and discharged, known and suspected contaminants, and a list of COPCs.   |
| <i>Z Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-58, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1992c)                     | Provides process information on Z Plant facilities, radionuclides and nonradiological constituents used and discharged, known and suspected contaminants, and a list of COPCs.   |
| <i>PUREX Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-92-04, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993c)                       | Provides process information on PUREX Plant facilities, radionuclides and nonradiological constituents used and discharged, known and suspected contaminants, and a list of COPCs.   |
| <i>Semiworks Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-92-18, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993d)                   | Provides process information on Semi-Works Plant facilities, radionuclides and nonradiological constituents used and discharged, known and suspected contaminants, and a list of COPCs.  |
| <i>Technical Baseline Report - Semi-Works Aggregate Area Management Study</i> , WHC-SD-EN-ES-019, Rev. 0 (DeFord 1992) | Provides process history of Semi-Works Plant aggregate area and waste management operations.   |
| <i>Tabulation of Radioactive Liquid Waste Disposal Facilities</i> , HW-33305 (Clukey 1954)                             | Includes radioactive liquid waste disposal facilities discharge data.  |
| <i>PUREX Technical Manual</i> , HW-31000-DEL (GE 1955a)  | Includes PUREX Plant operational descriptions.   |
| <i>Tank Waste Discharge Directly to Soil at the Hanford Site</i> , WHC-MR-0227 (WHC 1991)                              | Provides descriptions of waste units, site locations, and waste type summaries. Conclusions from previous studies, general model of contaminant distributions for cribs and trenches, and process information overview.  |
| <i>Liquid Radioactive Waste Discharged from B-Plant to Cribs</i> , WHC-SD-WM-ER-575, Rev. 0 (WHC 1996)                 | Provides history of operations, process information on B Plant source facilities, and chemicals used or stored. Lists COCs and waste site information.   |

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for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit. (6 Pages)**

| Reference   | Summary  |
|---|--|
| <i>Phase 1 Remedial Investigation Report for 200-BP-1 Operable Unit</i> , DOE-RL-92-70, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993b)                                       | Describes 200-BP-1 OU data collection, analysis, and results. Includes discussion of the nature and extent of contamination, a baseline risk assessment, and column leach and sorption testing.  |
| <i>Process Waste Disposal Summary – 200 Areas (September 1949 through December 1950)</i> , HW-20583 (GE 1951a)                                      | Provides history of operations, process information of source facilities, and chemicals used or stored. Lists COCs and waste site information.   |
| <i>Summary of Liquid Radioactive Wastes Discharged to the Ground – 200 Areas (July 1952 through June 1954)</i> , HW-33591 (GE 1954b)                | Provides history of operations, process information of source facilities, and chemicals used or stored. Lists COCs and waste site information.   |
| <i>Radioactive Contamination in Liquid Wastes Discharged to Ground at Separation Facilities Through June 1955</i> , HW-38562 (GE 1955b)             | Provides history of operations, process information of source facilities, and chemicals used or stored. Lists COCs and waste site information.   |
| <i>200 Areas Disposal Sites for Radioactive Liquid Wastes</i> , ARH-947 (Curren 1972)   | Contains waste site and COC information.   |
| <i>Radionuclide Inventories of Liquid Waste Disposal Sites on the Hanford Site</i> , HNF-1744 (FDH 1999)  | Contains waste site and COC information.   |
| <i>Recovery of Cesium-137 from Uranium Recovery Process Wastes</i> , HW-31442 (GE 1954a)  | Provides history of operations, process information of source facilities, and chemicals used or stored. Lists COC information.   |
| <i>Waste Site Grouping for 200 Areas Soil Investigations</i> , DOE/RL-96-81, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1997)   | Summarizes site name, location, type status, site and process descriptions, known and suspected contamination, preliminary contaminant distribution conceptual model, site conditions that may affect COC fate and transport, COC mobility in Hanford Site soils, COC distribution and transport to groundwater, and hazards associated with COCs. Includes soil porosity information for each waste site. |
| WIDS database reports for 200-MW-1  | Summarizes site name, location, type, status, site and process descriptions, associated structures, clean-up activities, environmental monitoring description, access requirements, references, regulatory information, and waste information (e.g., type, category, physical state, description, and stabilizing activities).   |
| <i>Tank Characterization Database</i> ( <a href="http://twins.pnl.gov:8001/TCD/main.html">http://twins.pnl.gov:8001/TCD/main.html</a> ) (LMHC 1999) | Provides inactive miscellaneous underground storage tank search capability for tanks pertaining to 200-TW-1 and 200-TW-2 OU waste sites.   |
| <i>TRAC: A Preliminary Estimation of the Waste Inventories in Hanford Tanks Through 1980</i> , WHC-SD-WM-TI-057 (Jungfleisch 1984)                  | Lists COCs and general inventory comparisons.  |
| HEIS database   | Provides well information and sampling data.   |

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| Reference  | Summary  |
|--|--|
| Interview with R. Hultgren and R. Knight (B Plant, 241-B tank farm operator and health physicist and laboratory, and 241-T tank farm personnel and health physicist)   | Provided historical information on operations and practices at B and T Plants. |
| <p>Drawings:</p> <p>H-2-44511, <i>Area Map 200 West T Plant Facilities</i>, Rev. 5, Sheet 126</p> <p>H-2-44511, <i>Area Map 200 West T Plant Facilities</i>, Rev. 9, Sheet 132</p> <p>H-2-353, <i>Waste Disposal Cribs 216-T-6, 216-T-B Cribs and Reverse Wells 216-T-3 and T-1</i>, Rev. 5</p> <p>H-2-95401, <i>Ventilation Upgrade Compressor Bldg.</i>, Rev. 0, Sheets 1 and 2</p> <p>H-2-32097, <i>Decontamination Waste Crib Sections and Details</i>, Rev. 1</p> <p>H-2-56050, <i>Underground Rock Cribs 216-1-2, 216-A-3, 216-A-4, 216-A-5</i>, Sheet 1</p> <p>H-2-44004, <i>216-U-3 Crib Details 241-U Steam Condenser Water and Drain Piping</i>, Sheet 1</p> <p>H-2-39955, <i>Structural Compressor House</i></p> <p>H-2-44301, <i>Plot Plan and Piping</i>, Rev. 4, Sheet 1</p> <p>H-2-44335, <i>Outside Lines Key Plan and Details</i>, Rev. 4</p> <p>H-2-44356, <i>Equipment Waste and Process Drains Service and Control Building</i>, Rev. 3</p> <p>H-2-1495, <i>200 West Area Steam Line Plot Plan</i></p> <p>H-2-32096, <i>Decontamination Waste Crib Plans &amp; Profiles</i>, Rev. 2</p> <p>H-2-44511, <i>Area Map 200 West "T"-Plant Facilities</i>, Rev. 10, Sheet 140</p> <p>H-2-44511, <i>Area Map 200 West "T"-Plant Facilities</i>, Rev. 5, Sheet 186</p> | Contain construction "as-built" drawings of individual waste sites.            |

HEIS = Hanford Environmental Information System  
TBP = tributyl phosphate

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### 1.9 CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN

Table 1-5 represents the complete unconstrained set of COPCs that were (or could have been) discharged to the 200-MW-1 waste sites. The master COPC list was evaluated against a set of exclusion rationale to determine a final list of representative site specific COCs. The evaluation rationale is presented in Appendix B. Based on a review of process, operational, and waste discharge information from various references (Table 1-4), the chemical behavior of the constituents was evaluated. The rationale for process knowledge indicates that the 200-MW-1 OU waste streams were predominantly liquid effluents. Waste streams discharged to sites within this group are generally characterized by low volumes and low levels of contamination. Organic contaminants are not listed, and only small quantities of inorganics (including sodium dichromate) are noted in the inventories.

**Table 1-5. Sources of Contamination, COPCs, and Affected Media  
for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit.**

See Appendix B, Table B-4.

The first step in the evaluation process involved extracting known toxic materials from the master COPC list for placement in the final COC list. Inorganic salts and acids represent a large group of constituents in the waste sites being evaluated. Because laboratory analyses are generally not acid- or compound-specific, the acids and inorganic salts were excluded from further consideration. Instead, the readily detected cations and anions (e.g., metals, fluorides, and nitrates) associated with the acids and inorganic salts serve as the target constituents for those compounds. This logic recognizes the small volumes of radiological and nonradiological constituents released into large-volume aqueous discharges.

The analytical approach employed for this project generally targets the significant risk drivers that are representative of the waste constituents present. The general suite-type analytical techniques yield results on many metals and organic compounds, providing a cost-effective approach for the known toxic materials that could be present.

The COPCs in the following categories were excluded from further consideration:

- Short-lived radionuclides with half-lives less than 3 years
- Radionuclides that constitute less than 1% of the fission product inventory and for which historical sampling indicates nondetection
- Naturally occurring isotopes that were not increased above background levels as a result of Hanford Site operations

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- Constituents with atomic mass numbers greater than or equal to 242 that represent less than 1% of the actinide activities
- Progeny radionuclides that build insignificant activities within 50 years and/or for which parent/progeny relationships exist that permit progeny estimation
- Constituents that would be neutralized and/or decomposed by facility processes
- Chemicals in a gaseous state that cannot accumulate in soil media
- Chemicals used in minor quantities relative to the bulk production chemicals consumed in the normal processes; these chemicals are not likely to be present in toxic or high concentrations
- Chemicals that are not persistent in the environment due to biological degradation or other natural mitigating features.

Table 1-6 includes the list of COPCs that were excluded and the specific rationale of exclusions for each radionuclide/nonradionuclides.

**Table 1-6. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications.**

|                            |
|----------------------------|
| See Appendix B, Table B-5. |
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Table 1-7 includes the final list of COCs for the 200-MW-1 OU, with the rationale for inclusion for each of the COCs.

**Table 1-7. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List.**

|                 |
|-----------------|
| See Appendix B. |
|-----------------|

### 1.10 APPLICABLE OR RELEVANT AND APPROPRIATE REQUIREMENTS AND PRELIMINARY REMEDIATION GOALS

Table 1-8 defines the ARARs and preliminary remediation goals (PRGs) for each of the COCs.

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Table 1-8. List of Preliminary ARARs and PRGs.

| COCs  | Preliminary ARARs  | PRGs   |
|---|--|--|
| <b>Radionuclides Inside the 200 Area Land-Use Boundary<sup>a</sup></b>    |  |  |
| Shallow zone (0 to 4.6 m [0 to 15 ft] bgs)                                | 500 mrem/yr above background via industrial land-use scenario while under DOE control; 15 mrem/yr above background at the end of the exclusive-use period if DOE control is relinquished; 4 mrem/yr above background to groundwater; or no additional groundwater degradation. <sup>b</sup>  | Contaminant-specific; RESRAD modeling <sup>c</sup>   |
| Vadose zone   | 4 mrem/yr above background to groundwater, or no additional groundwater degradation. <sup>b</sup>  | MCLs, state and Federal ambient water QC criteria; alternatively, site-specific modeling using STOMP model |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents Inside the 200 Area Land-Use Boundary</b> |  |  |
| Shallow zone (0 to 4.6 m [0 to 15 ft] bgs)                                | MTCA Method C  | Chemical-specific  |
| Vadose zone   | MTCA criteria  | Alternatively, site-specific modeling using STOMP model  |
| <b>TRU Waste Definition</b>   |  |  |
| Vadose zone   | Radioactive waste containing more than 100 nCi of alpha-emitting transuranic isotopes per gram of waste, with half-lives greater than 20 years except for (1) high-level radioactive waste; (2) waste that the Secretary of Energy has determined, with the concurrence of the Administrator of the EPA, does not need the degree of isolation required by the 40 CFR 191 disposal regulations; or (3) waste that the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission has approved on a case-by-case basis in accordance with 10 CFR 61. <sup>d</sup> | Contaminant-specific   |
| <b>Greater Than Class C</b>   |  |  |
| Vadose zone   | Radioactive waste containing concentrations in excess of 10 CFR 61.55 levels.  | Contaminant-specific   |

<sup>a</sup> Based on *Final Hanford Comprehensive Land Use Plan Environmental Impact Statement* (DOE 1999) (see Figure 1-1).

<sup>b</sup> Radionuclide standards are not final and will be agreed upon in the ROD.

<sup>c</sup> The RESidual RADioactivity dose model (RESRAD) has been used for similar waste sites and will be used as a minimum for direct exposure. If more appropriate models are developed, they will be evaluated for use.

<sup>d</sup> Working definition of TRU waste, as stated in DOE O 435.1.

MCL = maximum contamination level

STOMP = subsurface transport over multiple phases (Nichols et al. 1997)

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### 1.11 RISK AND EXPOSURE CONSIDERATIONS

Table 1-9 lists the general exposure scenarios.

**Table 1-9. General Exposure Scenarios.**

| Scenario No. | General Exposure Scenario Description   |
|--------------|---|
| 1            | <p><u>Industrial land-use scenario (inside the 200 Area exclusive-use boundary)<sup>a</sup>:</u></p> <p>The source of contamination in the 200-MW-1 OU is the liquid effluent disposed at the waste sites. The release mechanism is direct radiation exposure to occupational workers near the waste sites (although shielded by stabilizing cover). Ingestion and inhalation of surface or subsurface soils in an occupational scenario do not represent a substantial exposure due to waste site surface stabilization and the limited soil ingestion and inhalation anticipated during excavation activities in an industrial setting (use of dust control measures limits exposures). Downward migration of mobile constituents into the groundwater would not affect occupational workers, as their drinking water source would not be the underlying aquifers. However, the protection of groundwater is a requirement that must be addressed by evaluating potential future impacts. An intruder scenario will be evaluated at 150 years from present for exposure to radionuclides.</p> |
|              | <p>The exposure time is divided into time spent inside and outside an industrial facility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Building occupancy: 8 hours/day x 0.6 (building occupancy factor), 5 days/week, 50 weeks/yr, for 20 years (of a 75-year lifetime).</li> <li>• Outdoor exposure: 8 hours/day x 0.4 (outdoor exposure factor), 5 days/week, 50 weeks/yr, for 20 years (of a 75-year lifetime).</li> </ul> <p>In addition, the building occupancy exposure includes a factor of 0.4 to reduce the ingested dust component due to building ventilation system filtration.</p> <p>The inputs for an intruder scenario are being developed through the Central Plateau risk framework project.</p> <p>Biota that may be exposed to contaminants in this OU will be addressed through the 200 Area ecological evaluation. Remedial actions to address human health concerns can also serve to protect biota.</p>   |

<sup>a</sup> The *Final Hanford Comprehensive Land Use Plan Environmental Impact Statement* (DOE 1999) (see Figure 1-1) identifies the actual land use within the 200 Area land-use boundary as industrial (exclusive) and would center mainly around waste management activities.

### 1.12 REGULATORY AND PROJECT DRIVERS

Table 1-10 provides the regulatory milestones and regulatory drivers associated with this project.

**Table 1-10. Regulatory Milestones.**

| Milestone | Due Date          | Regulatory Driver   |
|-----------|-------------------|---|
| M-13-00L  | December 31, 2001 | Tri-Party Agreement milestone to submit three 200 Area NPL RI/FS (RFI/CMS) work plans, Draft A versions. Draft A of the 200-MW-1 work plan would serve as one of the three required work plans. |

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The project milestones and their drivers are listed in Table 1-11.

**Table 1-11. Project Milestones.**

| Milestone  | Due Date          | Driver  |
|--|-------------------|---|
| Conduct decision maker interviews, global issues meeting | October 29, 2001  | DQO schedule  |
| Internal DQO workshop                                    | November 12, 2001 | DQO schedule  |
| External DQO workshop                                    | November 16, 2001 | DQO schedule  |
| Issue DQO summary report Draft A                         | December 31, 2001 | DQO process documentation to support submittal of the work plan |

### 1.13 PRELIMINARY CONCEPTUAL CONTAMINANT MODEL AND PROBLEM STATEMENT

Table 1-12 combines the relevant background information into a concise statement of the problem to be resolved.

**Table 1-12. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model Discussion and Concise Statement of the Problem.**

#### **Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model<sup>a</sup>:**

Waste streams associated with 200 Area miscellaneous streams with low volumes and low levels of contamination were discharged to the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites. The streams contained radionuclides and chemicals associated with major 200 Area processes. Immobile contaminants accumulated in the soils over time, and the mobile contaminants may have reached the groundwater. Gamma logs from boreholes near the waste sites were reviewed when available. Data from these logs indicate a zone of higher contamination at or below the bottom of the cribs, french drains, and trenches. Contamination continued below this zone but decreased with depth. More mobile contaminants were distributed throughout the soil column at residual concentrations for those waste sites that received sufficient volume to impact groundwater.

Figure 1-6 graphically presents the conceptual exposure pathway model. Figures 1-7 through 1-11 graphically present the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution models for each of the representative waste sites. Each of these waste sites is analogous to other sites in the OUs.

#### **DQO Approach:**

The DQO process for the 200-MW-1 OU is being performed to characterize representative waste sites in this OU in support of remedial decision making.

The outcome of the characterization being developed in this DQO process for the representative waste sites will be applied to the other analogous sites. A SAP will be developed after completion of the DQO process, which specifies the sampling and analyses to be performed for characterization of the representative waste sites.

All of the waste sites associated with this OU are located within the 200 Area land-use boundary line and will be evaluated on the basis of future industrial uses.

#### **Problem Statement:**

The problem is that contaminants have been discharged to waste sites associated with the 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste OU. To support evaluation of remedial alternatives and remedial decision making in the FS and to verify or refine the conceptual contaminant distribution models, data regarding contaminant concentrations and physical parameters in the representative waste sites are needed.

<sup>a</sup> The preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model will become the conceptual contaminant distribution model after acceptance of this DQO summary report and will then be applied to the project work plan.

Figure 1-6. 200-MW-1 Conceptual Exposure Pathway Model.

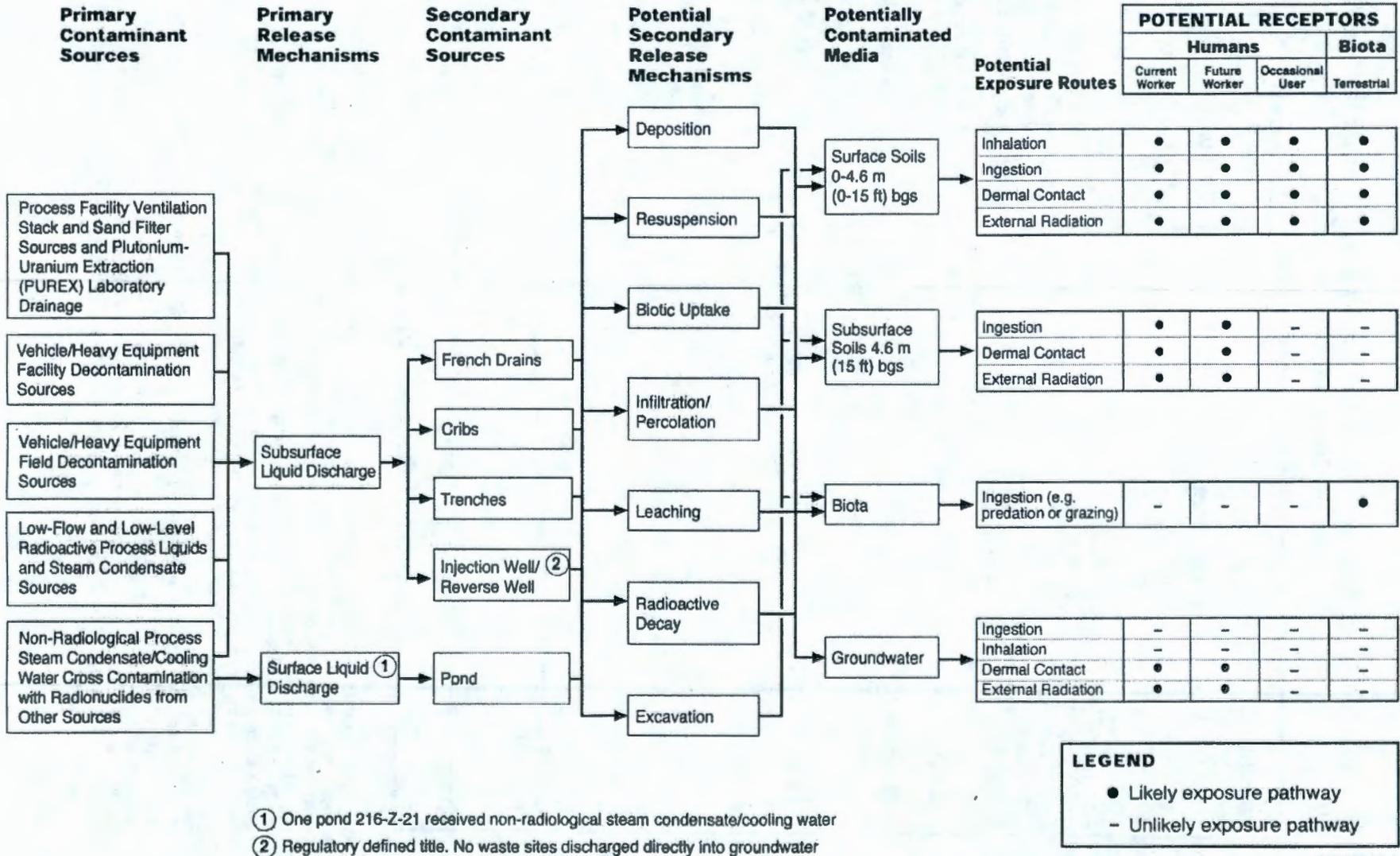
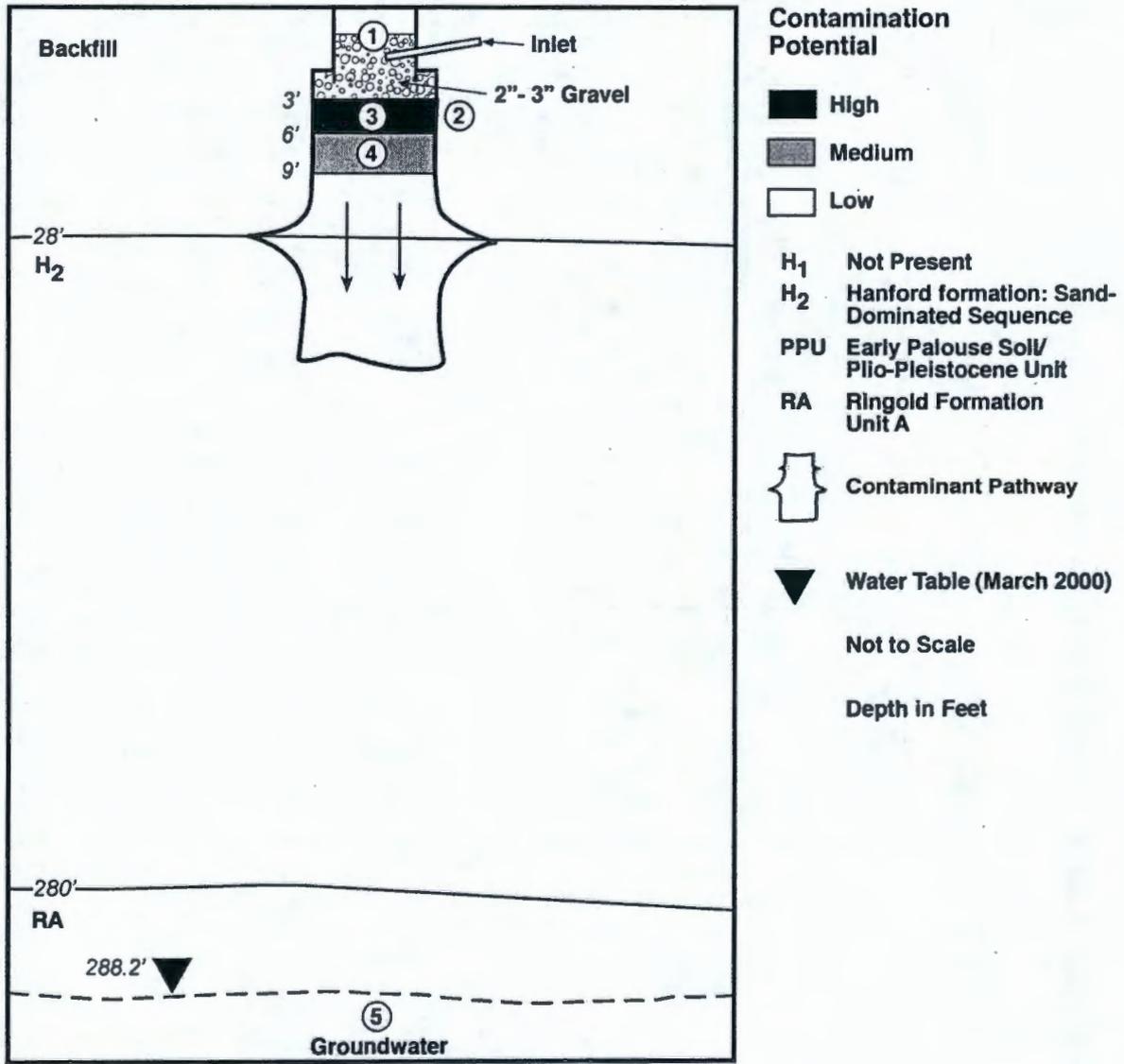


Figure 1-7. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model for the 200-E-4 French Drain.

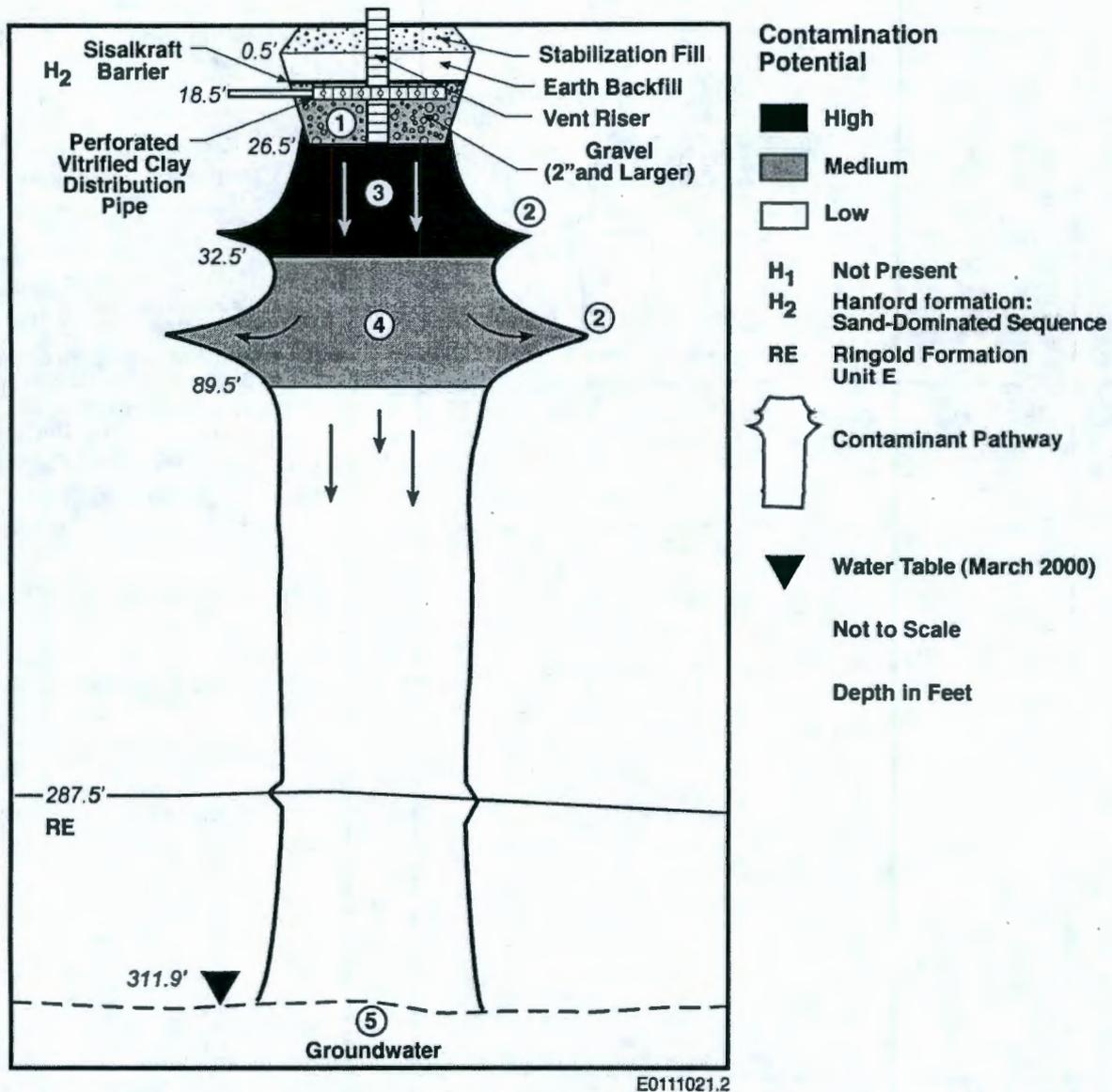


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1. Low organic/low inorganic liquid wastes were discharged to the french drain between 1958 and 1983. Any radioactive constituents present are due to cross-contamination from other systems. The volume of wastewater received by the french drain is undetermined but was probably very low because the waste consisted of steam condensate from a valve pit and an equipment room. Limited data are available to evaluate contaminant distribution at this site.
2. After being discharged, wastewater and contaminants migrate vertically downward beneath the french drain within backfill. Little or no lateral spreading occurs; however, the lack of spreading is only partially supported by borehole data. The nearest borehole was 299-E27-126, located about 38 ft to the southwest. Borehole 299-E27-126 was drilled and decommissioned in 1980, and no geophysical logging was performed and no contamination was detected above background levels. The nearest groundwater well is 299-E24-8, located about 409 ft to the southeast.
3. Immobile contaminants (e.g., cesium-137) normally sorb near the point of release (approximately 3 ft bgs). Contaminant concentrations decrease with depth.
4. Mobile contaminants (e.g., nitrate) migrate with the moisture front beneath the french drain.
5. Wastewater and mobile contaminants likely do not impact groundwater because the effluent volume discharged to the soil column is assumed to be less than the soil column pore volume. While iodine-129 exceeds groundwater protection standards beneath the french drain, it is not attributed to this site.

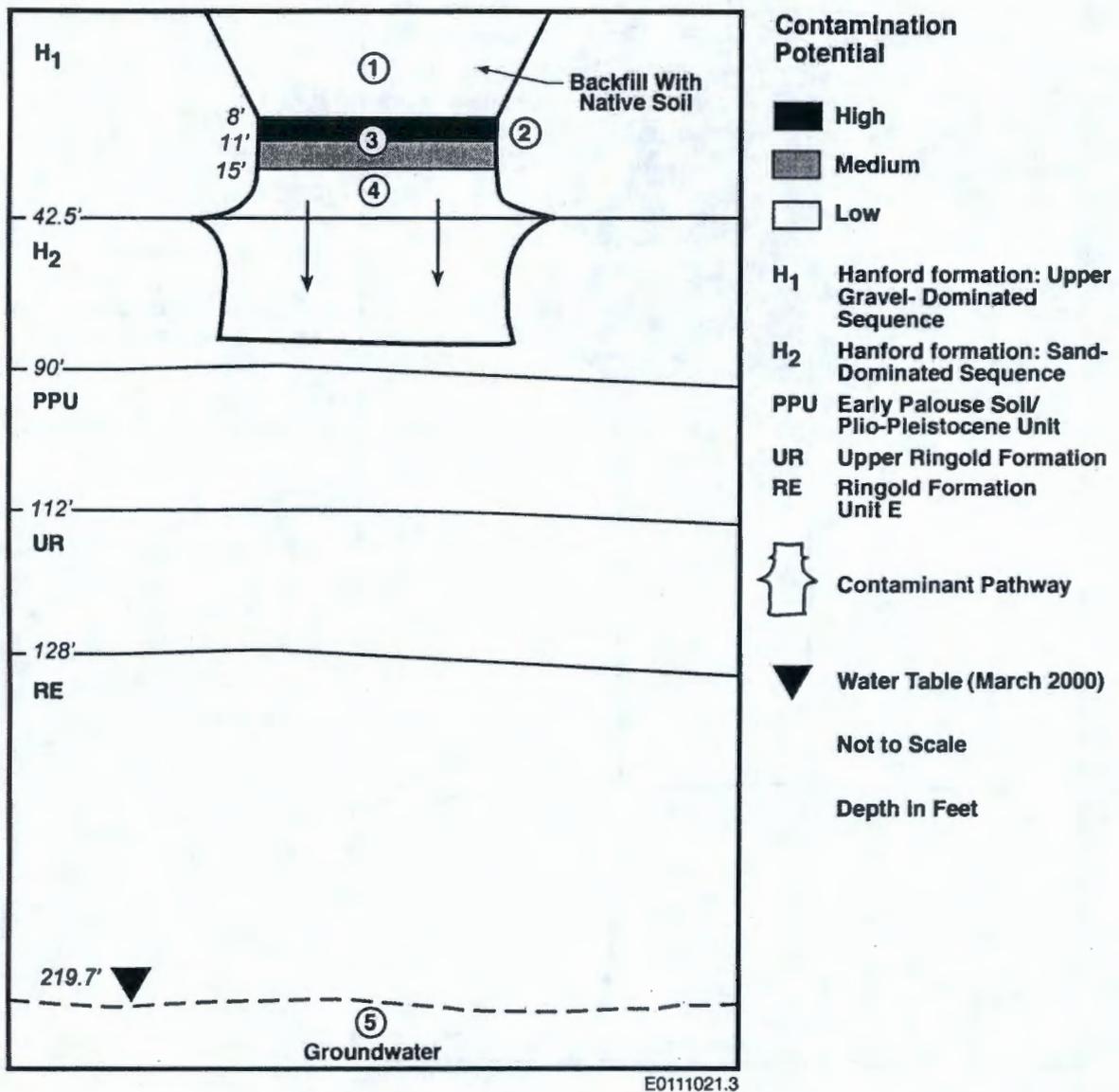
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Figure 1-8. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model for the 216-A-4 Crib.



1. Low concentration radioactive and inorganic liquid waste containing uranium, cesium-137, cobalt-60, plutonium-239/240, strontium-90, nitrates, sodium dichromate, and other contaminants was discharged to the crib between 1955 and 1958. The crib received a total volume of 6,210,000 L (1.6 million gal) of liquid waste. In 1958, the crib became plugged, causing liquid to flood the ground surface and contaminate the surface soil. The site is now located within a large area known as the PUREX stabilized area (200-E-103). Only a large green vent riser is visible above the surface.
2. After being discharged, wastewater and contaminants migrate vertically down beneath the crib within H<sub>1</sub>, and some lateral spreading occurs. The presence of spreading is supported by geophysical spectral gamma data from well 299-E24-54, located about 6.6 ft to the northeast. No distinct lithologic horizons have been identified associated with the spreading.
3. Immobile contaminants (e.g., cesium-137) normally sorb near the point of release.
4. Mobile contaminants (e.g., nitrate) migrate with the moisture front and may be detected. The activity of cesium-137 decreases with depth, and it is not detected greater than 89.5 ft bgs based on spectral gamma data from well 299-E24-54. Cobalt-60 was detected at low concentrations to a maximum depth of 68.5 ft.
5. Wastewater and mobile contaminants likely impact groundwater since the effluent volume discharged to the soil column (6,210 m<sup>3</sup>) is greater than the soil column pore volume (948 m<sup>3</sup>). Groundwater concentrations of tritium, iodine-129, and nitrate exceed groundwater protection standards beneath the crib. All of these contaminants may be associated with waste disposal practices at this crib.

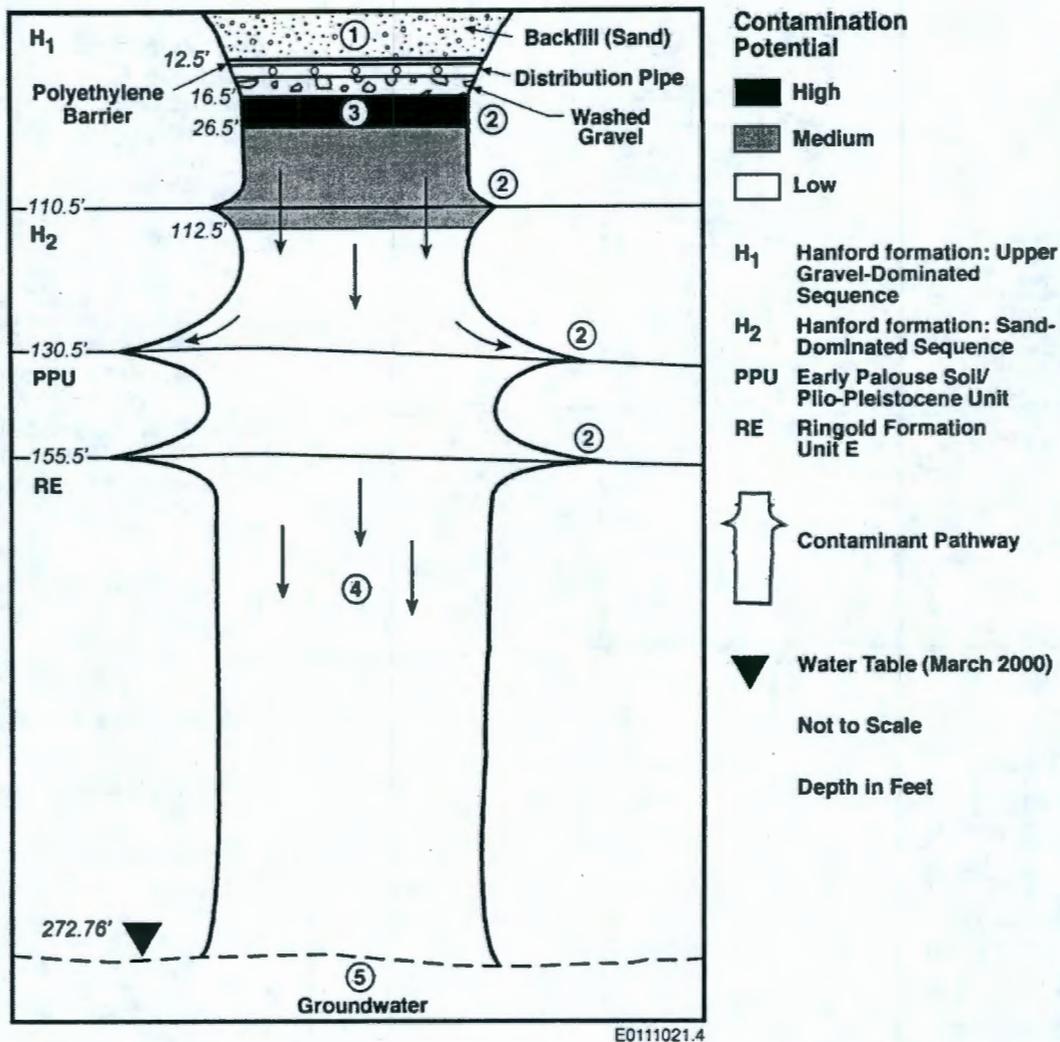
Figure 1-9. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model for the 216-T-13 Trench.



1. Low concentrated radioactive liquid waste containing uranium, cesium-137, strontium-90, plutonium-239/240, and other organic and inorganic contaminants were discharged to the trench between 1954 and 1964 from the decontamination of vehicles. The trench received a total volume of 98,000 L (26,000 gal) of liquid waste. The site was backfilled with soil in 1964. In 1972, approximately 4 yd<sup>3</sup> were excavated from the trench, and the trench was backfilled with soil. Direct data are not available to evaluate contaminant distribution at the site.
2. After being discharged, wastewater and contaminants migrate vertically downward beneath the trench within H<sub>1</sub>. Little or no lateral spreading occurs; however, the lack of spreading is only partially supported by geophysical data from well 299-W10-1, located about 85 ft to the south. The geophysical data consist of borehole gross gamma logs obtained during drilling in 1990.
3. Immobile contaminants (e.g., cesium-137) normally sorb near the point of release. Chemicals used to decontaminate equipment may have increased the mobility of contaminants such as cesium-137. Contaminant concentrations decrease with depth.
4. Mobile contaminants (e.g., nitrate) migrate with the moisture front and may be detected to about 80 ft.
5. Wastewater and contaminants from the trench suggest no impact to groundwater because the effluent volume discharged to the soil column (9.8 m<sup>3</sup>) is less than the soil column pore volume (716 m<sup>3</sup>). While nitrate, trichloroethylene, and carbon tetrachloride exceed groundwater protection standards beneath the trench, only trichloroethylene may have been associated with waste disposal practices at this trench.

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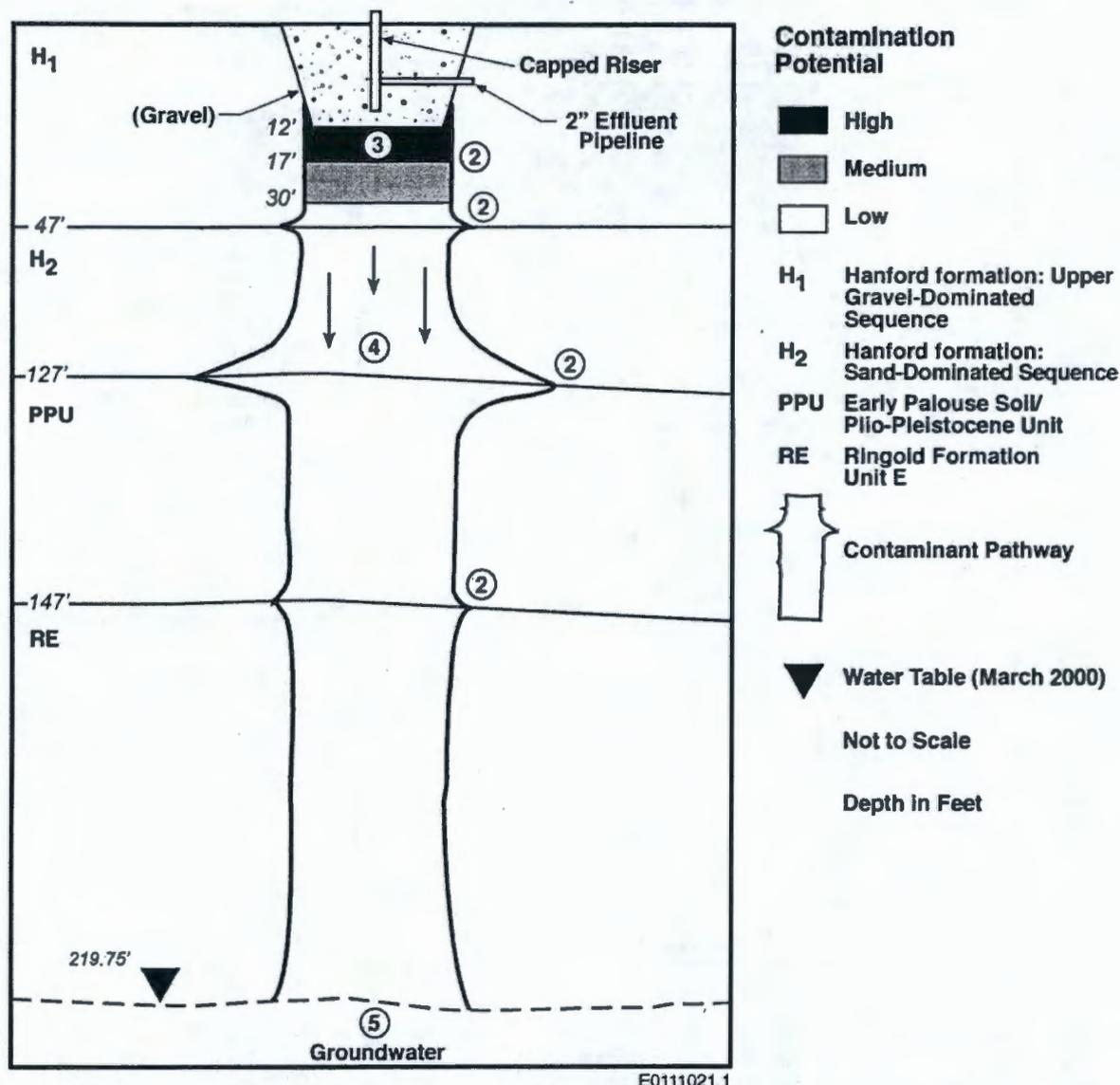
Figure 1-10. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model for the 216-T-33 Crib.



1. Low concentration radioactive liquid waste containing uranium, cesium-137, strontium-90, plutonium-239/240 and other organic and inorganic contaminants were discharged to the crib between January 1963 and February 1963. The crib is reported to have received a total volume of 1,900,000 L (500,000 gal) of equipment decontamination liquid waste. Direct data are not available to evaluate contaminant distribution at this site.
2. After being discharged, liquid wastewater and contaminants migrate vertically downward beneath the crib within H<sub>1</sub>. Little or no lateral spreading occurs; however, the lack of spreading is only partially supported by geophysical data from well 299-W11-14, located about 30 ft to the north. The geophysical data consist of borehole gross gamma logs obtained from the well in 1968, 1976, and 1987. Spectral gamma logging has not been performed. Wastewater intersects the H<sub>2</sub> at approximately 105 ft bgs, and minor spreading of wastewater contaminants may occur associated with this unit. Waste liquid and more mobile contaminants intersect the Plio-Pleistocene Unit, approximately 125 ft bgs; lateral spreading of wastewater and contaminants may occur associated with this unit. If spreading occurs, it is to the southeast based on the topography of the Plio-Pleistocene Unit. Sorption is expected in the Plio-Pleistocene Unit. Effluent waste liquid and more mobile contaminants intersect the Ringold Unit E at approximately 150 ft bgs. Lateral spreading of wastewater and contaminants may occur associated with this unit.
3. Immobile contaminants (e.g., cesium-137) normally sorb near the point of release. Chemicals used to decontaminate equipment may have increased the mobility of contaminants (e.g., cesium-137). Contaminant concentrations decreased with depth.
4. Mobile contaminants (e.g., nitrate) migrate with the moisture front beneath the crib and may be detected in low concentrations in the water table.

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Figure 1-11. Preliminary Conceptual Contaminant Distribution Model for the 216-U-3 French Drain.



1. Low salt, neutral/basic, low organic radioactive liquid waste containing uranium, cesium-137, strontium-90, plutonium-239/240, and other contaminants were discharged to the french drain between 1954 and 1955. The primary gamma-emitters are uranium and cesium. The french drain received a total volume of 791,000 L (209,000 gal) of wastewater. Limited data are available to evaluate contaminant distribution at this site.
2. After being discharged, wastewater and contaminants migrate vertically downward beneath the french drain within H<sub>1</sub>. Little or no lateral spreading occurs; however, the lack of spreading is only partially supported by borehole data. The nearest well is 299-W19-1, located about 120 ft to the east. The geophysical data consist of gross gamma logs obtained in 1987. No spectral gamma logs have been run. Wastewater intersects the H<sub>2</sub> at approximately 47 ft bgs. Minor spreading of wastewater contaminants may occur associated with this unit. Effluent and more mobile contaminants intersect the Plio-Pleistocene Unit at approximately 127 ft bgs, and lateral spreading of wastewater and contaminants may occur associated with this unit. Sorption is expected in the Plio-Pleistocene Unit. Effluent and more mobile contaminants intersect the Ringold Unit E at approximately 147 ft bgs. Lateral spreading of wastewater and contaminants may occur associated with this unit.
3. Immobile contaminants (e.g., cesium-137) normally sorb near the point of release. Contaminant concentrations decrease with depth.
4. Mobile contaminants (e.g., nitrate) migrate with the moisture front beneath the french drain and may be detected in low concentrations in the water table.
5. Wastewater and contaminants likely impact groundwater because the effluent volume discharge to the soil column (791 m<sup>3</sup>) is greater than the soil column pore volume (39 m<sup>3</sup>). While carbon tetrachloride exceeds groundwater protection standards beneath the french drain, it is not attributed to this waste site.

## 2.0 STEP 2 – IDENTIFY THE DECISION

The purpose of DQO Step 2 is to define the principal study questions (PSQs) that need to be resolved to address the problems identified in DQO Step 1 and the alternative actions (AAs) that would result from resolution of the PSQs. The PSQs and AAs are then combined into decision statements (DSs) that express a choice among AAs. Table 2-1 presents the task-specific PSQs, AAs, and resulting DSs. This table also provides a qualitative assessment of the severity of the consequences of taking an AA if it is incorrect. This assessment takes into consideration human health and the environment (flora/fauna) and political, economic, and legal ramifications. The severity of the consequences is expressed as low, moderate, or severe.

**Table 2-1. Summary of DQO Step 2 Information. (2 Pages)**

| PSQ-AA #   | Alternative Action  | Consequences of Erroneous Actions  | Severity of Consequences   |
|--|---|--|--|
| <b>PSQ #1 – Are the contaminant concentrations TRU waste or greater than Class C<sup>a</sup>?</b>  |   |  |  |
| 1-1  | Evaluate special remedial alternatives in a FS.             | Special remedial alternatives for the waste sites will be unnecessarily developed during the FS. The remedial alternative will unnecessarily incorporate costly and difficult processes for handling TRU waste definition or greater than Class C contaminated soil.   | Low  |
| 1-2  | Evaluate conventional remedial action alternatives in a FS. | The FS and associated remedial action will not plan for special remedial alternatives necessary for handling TRU waste definition or greater than Class C contaminated soils. These soils might be incorrectly managed and disposed. Workers could be exposed to unacceptable levels of radioactively contaminated soils during remediation. | Moderate<br>(Additional samples will be collected during the confirmatory sampling phase to confirm waste profiles.) |
| <b>DS #1 – Determine whether the contaminant concentrations are TRU waste definition or greater than Class C and evaluate special remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate conventional remedial alternatives in a FS.</b> |   |  |  |
| <b>PSQ #2 – Is the soil radiologically contaminated?<sup>a</sup></b>   |   |  |  |
| 2-1  | Evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS.                     | The site may be inappropriately remediated resulting in unnecessary expenditure of funds.  | Low  |
| 2-2  | Evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.      | The site may inappropriately be closed without remedial action, increasing risks of potential exposure to workers and the environment.   | Moderate<br>(Additional samples will be collected during the confirmatory sampling phase to confirm waste profiles.) |
| <b>DS #2 – Determine whether the soil is radiologically contaminated and evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.</b>   |   |  |  |

**Step 2 – Identify the Decision****Table 2-1. Summary of DQO Step 2 Information. (2 Pages)**

| <b>PSQ-AA #</b>  | <b>Alternative Action</b>                              | <b>Consequences of Erroneous Actions</b>   | <b>Severity of Consequences</b> |
|--|--|--|---------------------------------|
| <b>PSQ #3 – Is the soil chemically contaminated<sup>a</sup>?</b>   |  |  |                                 |
| 3-1  | Evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS.                | The site may be inappropriately remediated resulting in unnecessary expenditure of funds.  | Low                             |
| 3-2  | Evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action. | The site may inappropriately be closed without remedial action, increasing risks of potential exposure to workers and the environment. | Moderate                        |
| <b>DS #3 – Determine whether the soil is chemically contaminated and evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.</b> |  |  |                                 |

<sup>a</sup> Refer to Table 1-9 for scenario-specific ARARs and PRGs.

### **3.0 STEP 3 – IDENTIFY THE INPUTS TO THE DECISION**

The purpose of DQO Step 3 is to identify the types of data needed to resolve each of the DSs identified in DQO Step 2. The data may already exist or may be derived from computational or surveying/sampling and analysis methods. Analytical performance requirements (e.g., practical quantitation limit [PQL], precision, and accuracy) are also provided in this step for any new data that need to be collected.

#### **3.1 INFORMATION REQUIRED TO RESOLVE DECISION STATEMENTS**

Table 3-1 specifies the information (data) required to resolve each of the DSs identified in Table 2-1 and identifies whether the data already exist. For the data that are identified as existing, the source references for the data have been provided with a qualitative assessment regarding whether or not the data are of sufficient quality to resolve the corresponding DS.

**Table 3-1. Required Information and Reference Sources. (3 Pages)**

| PSQ #  | Required Information Category | Do Data Exist? (Y/N) | Source Reference  | Are Available Data of Sufficient Quality and Quantity to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N) |         |     |     | Are Additional Data Required to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N) |                |                |                |
|--|-------------------------------|----------------------|---|---|---------|-----|-----|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|  |                               |                      |   | U-3   | T-13/33 | E-4 | A-4 | U-3  | T-13/33        | E-4            | A-4            |
| 1 and 2  | Soil radiological data        | Y                    | <i>T Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-61, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993e).   | a   | N       | a   | a   | Y <sup>b</sup>   | Y              | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> |
|  |                               |                      | <i>U Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-91-52, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1992b).   | N   | a       | a   | a   | Y  | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> |
|  |                               |                      | <i>PUREX Plant Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-92-04, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993c).   | a   | a       | a   | N   | Y <sup>b</sup>   | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y              |
|  |                               |                      | <i>Inventory of Chemicals Used at Hanford Site Production Plants and Support Operations (1944-1980)</i> , WHC-EP-0172, Rev. 1 (WHC 1990).   | N   | N       | N   | N   | Y  | Y              | Y              | Y              |
|  |                               |                      | <i>Evaluation of Scintillation Probe Profiles from 200 Area Crib Monitoring Wells</i> , ARH-ST-156 (Fecht et al. 1977). Provides scintillation logs with gross gamma readings for boreholes located near the waste sites. | N   | N       | a   | N   | Y  | Y              | Y              | Y              |
|  |                               |                      | Duratek geophysical logging project files, which provide borehole geophysical logging data for gamma-emitting radionuclides.  | N   | N       | N   | N   | Y  | Y              | Y              | Y              |
|  |                               |                      | <i>Semiworks Source Aggregate Area Management Study Report</i> , DOE/RL-92-18, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993d)  | a   | a       | N   | a   | Y <sup>b</sup>   | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y              | Y <sup>b</sup> |
| <i>Waste Site Grouping for 200 Areas Soil Investigations</i> , DOE/RL-96-81, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1997). Provides existing information for the wastes sent to these OUs. | N                             | N                    | N   | N   | Y       | Y   | Y   | Y  |                |                |                |

**Table 3-1. Required Information and Reference Sources. (3 Pages)**

| PSQ #       | Required Information Category   | Do Data Exist? (Y/N) | Source Reference  | Are Available Data of Sufficient Quality and Quantity to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N)                            |         |     |     | Are Additional Data Required to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N) |                |                |                |
|-------------|---|----------------------|---|--|---------|-----|-----|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|             |   |                      |   | U-3  | T-13/33 | E-4 | A-4 | U-3  | T-13/33        | E-4            | A-4            |
| 3           | Soil nonradiological sample data  | Y                    | <i>Waste Site Grouping for 200 Areas Soil Investigations, DOE/RL-96-81, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1997). Provides existing information for the wastes sent to these OUs.</i>   | N  | N       | N   | N   | Y  | Y              | Y              | Y              |
|             |   |                      | HEIS database (from PUREX V-11 tank characterization for transfer to the Effluent Treatment Facility).  | a  | a       | a   | N   | Y <sup>b</sup>   | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y              |
| N/A         | Groundwater data  | Y                    | See Section 1-4.  | Groundwater data cannot be used to validate a vadose zone preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model. |         |     |     |  |                |                |                |
| 1, 2, and 3 | Physical properties moisture content, particle size distribution, and lithology | Y                    | <i>Hydrogeologic Model for the 200-East Groundwater Aggregate Area, WHC-SD-EN-TI-014, Rev. 0 (WHC 1992a). Presents site-specific data for 200 East Area that can be used to calculate soil density, hydraulic conductivity, and porosity.</i> | a  | a       | N   | N   | Y <sup>b</sup>   | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y              | Y              |
|             |   |                      | <i>Hydrogeologic Model for the 200-West Groundwater Aggregate Area, WHC-SD-EN-TI-290, Rev. 0 (WHC 1992b). Presents site-specific data for 200 West Area that can be used to calculate soil density, hydraulic conductivity, and porosity.</i> | N  | N       | a   | a   | Y  | Y              | Y <sup>b</sup> | Y <sup>b</sup> |

**Table 3-1. Required Information and Reference Sources. (3 Pages)**

| PSQ #       | Required Information Category | Do Data Exist? (Y/N) | Source Reference   | Are Available Data of Sufficient Quality and Quantity to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N) |         |     |     | Are Additional Data Required to Support RI/FS Process? (Y/N) |         |     |     |
|-------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|--|---|---------|-----|-----|--|---------|-----|-----|
|             |                               |                      |  | U-3   | T-13/33 | E-4 | A-4 | U-3  | T-13/33 | E-4 | A-4 |
| 1, 2, and 3 | Distribution coefficients     | Y                    | <i>Composite Analysis for Low-Level Waste Disposal in the 200 Area Plateau of the Hanford Site</i> , PNNL-11800 (PNNL 1998). Provides 200 Area distribution coefficients for various waste stream types and Hanford soils.                                       | Y   | Y       | Y   | Y   | N  | N       | N   | N   |
|             |                               |                      | <i>Geochemical Data Package for the Hanford Immobilized Low-Activity Tank Waste Performance Assessment (ILAW PA)</i> , PNNL-13037, Rev. 1 (Kaplan and Serne 2000). Provides 200 Area distribution coefficients for various waste stream types and Hanford soils. | Y   | Y       | Y   | Y   | N  | N       | N   | N   |
|             |                               |                      | <i>Phase I Remedial Investigation Report for 200-BP-1 Operable Unit</i> , DOE/RL-92-70, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1993b). Provides 200 Area distribution coefficients for Hanford soils and groundwater.  | Y   | Y       | Y   | Y   | N  | N       | N   | N   |
| 1 and 2     | RESRAD input data             | Y                    | <i>Manual for Implementing Residual Radioactive Material Guidelines Using RESRAD, Version 5.0</i> , ANL-EAD-LD-2 (ANL 1993). Input parameters are defined in this manual that can be determined based on existing information or RESRAD defaults.                | N/A   | N/A     | N/A | N/A | Y  | Y       | Y   | Y   |

<sup>a</sup> Document does not pertain to this waste site; no site-specific information included for the site.

<sup>b</sup> Decision on additional data is not relevant for the document, as no site-specific information for this waste site is included in this document.

N/A = not applicable

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### 3.2 BASIS FOR SETTING THE PRELIMINARY ACTION LEVEL

The preliminary action level is the threshold value that provides the criterion for choosing between AAs. Table 3-2 identifies the basis (i.e., regulatory threshold or risk-based) for establishing the preliminary action level for each of the COCs. The numerical value for the action level is defined in DQO Step 5.

**Table 3-2. Basis for Setting Preliminary Action Level.**

| DS # | COCs                   | Basis for Setting Preliminary Action Level   |
|------|------------------------|--|
| 1    | TRU-contaminated soils | DOE's definition for TRU waste (DOE O 435.1).  |
|      | Greater than Class C   | 10 CFR 61.55   |
| 2    | Radiological COCs      | Radiological lookup values for shallow zone (i.e., less than 4.6 m [15 ft]) soils based on RESRAD analyses for the applicable scenarios. Deep zone (i.e., greater than 4.6 m [15 ft] deep) lookup values will be determined using RESRAD, STOMP, or another model. |
| 3    | Nonradiological COCs   | MTCA Method C cleanup levels with contaminant-specific variations.   |

### 3.3 COMPUTATIONAL AND SURVEY/ANALYTICAL METHODS

Table 3-3 identifies the DSs where existing data either do not exist or are of insufficient quality to resolve the DSs. For these DSs, Table 3-3 presents computational and/or surveying/sampling methods that could be used to obtain the required data.

**Table 3-3. Information Required to Resolve the Decision Statements.<sup>a</sup> (2 Pages)**

| DS #    | Remedial Investigation Variable                          | Required Data  | Computational Methods   | Survey/Analytical Methods   |
|---------|--|--|---|---|
| 1 and 2 | Concentrations of radiological COCs in vadose zone soils | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alpha, beta, and gamma COC concentrations in soils for evaluation against ARARs and PRGs</li> <li>Location data (vertical extent of COCs within waste site boundaries)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>RESRAD – analytical modeling method for human health dose assessment</li> <li>STOMP or other analytical code – analytical modeling through vadose zone to groundwater</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Field screening with radiological detection equipment</li> <li>Geophysical borehole logging with downhole radiological detectors</li> <li>Soil sampling and laboratory analysis</li> </ul> |

**Step 3 – Identify the Inputs to the Decision****Table 3-3. Information Required to Resolve the Decision Statements.<sup>a</sup> (2 Pages)**

| DS #    | Remedial Investigation Variable                             | Required Data  | Computational Methods   | Survey/Analytical Methods   |
|---------|---|--|---|---|
| 3 and 4 | Concentrations of nonradiological COCs in vadose zone soils | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nonradiological (e.g., inorganic metals and anions, and SVOCs) COC concentrations in soils for evaluation against ARARs and PRGs</li> <li>Location data (vertical extent of COCs within waste site boundaries)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MTCA risk assessment</li> <li>STOMP or other analytical code – analytical modeling through vadose zone to groundwater</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Soil sampling and laboratory analysis</li> </ul> |
| All     | Physical properties in vadose zone soils                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moisture content, bulk density, particle size distribution</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Direct comparison to existing models to determine conductivity</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Soil sampling and laboratory analysis</li> </ul> |

<sup>a</sup> See Table 3-5 for additional information.  
SVOC = semi-volatile organic compound

Table 3-4 presents details on the computational methods identified in Table 3-3. These details include the source and/or author of the computational method and information on how the method could be applied to this study.

**Table 3-4. Details on Identified Computational Methods.**

| DS #        | Computational Method                 | Source/ Author              | Application to Study  | Satisfy Input Req't? |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|----------------------|
| 1 and 2     | RESRAD                               | Argonne National Laboratory | RESRAD will be used to estimate direct human radiation exposure to account for radioactive decay.   | Yes                  |
| 1, 2, and 3 | STOMP code or other analytical codes | PNNL                        | Estimates the migration of all contaminants (radiological and nonradiological) through the vadose zone to groundwater. The model requires site-specific geohydrologic soil properties such as hydraulic conductivity, moisture, etc. Other codes may be identified and used based on specific site conditions and requirements. | Yes                  |

PNNL = Pacific Northwest National Laboratory

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Table 3-5 identifies each of the survey and/or analytical methods that may be used to provide the required information needed to resolve each of the DSs. The possible limitations associated with each of these methods are also provided.

**Table 3-5. Potentially Appropriate Survey and/or Analytical Methods. (3 Pages)**

| Media                              | Remediation Variable                                   | Potentially Appropriate Survey/Analytical Method | Possible Limitations   |
|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| <i>Field Screening</i>             |  |  |  |
| Fine-grained materials, structures | Site location; underground structures or interferences | GPR  | GPR is a radar-reflection surface geophysical survey technique that detects contrasts in di-electric constants in the below-grade environments from the surface. Requires subjective interpretation of the reflected signals. Lack of reflective below-grade surfaces or the presence of interfering matrices can complicate or invalidate the findings. The presence of nearby buildings and utilities can interfere with reflected signals. Fines (e.g., clay and heavy fly ash) can act as a reflector to the radar signal. |
|                                    |  | EMI  | EMI is a surface geophysical survey technique that measures electrical conductivity in below-grade soils based on detected changes in electrical fields. The results of EMI are generally used to support the interpretation of GPR surveys. Nearby buildings and utilities can cause interferences.   |
| Vadose zone soils                  | Gross and isotopic gamma emissions                     | Cone penetrometer; NaI detector logging          | A closed-end rod is pushed into the soil to the desired depth. A small-diameter NaI detector (or other suitable detector) is used to log the gross gamma response with depth. The cone penetrometer is not effective in cobbly or rocky soils.   |
|                                    | Gross and isotopic gamma emissions                     | Direct push; NaI detector logging                | A small-diameter casing is pushed into the soil to the desired depth. A small-diameter NaI detector (or other suitable detector) is used to log the gamma response with depth. Direct-push methods (e.g., GeoProbe <sup>®</sup> ) may be ineffective in cobbly or rocky soils.   |

**Step 3 – Identify the Inputs to the Decision****Table 3-5. Potentially Appropriate Survey and/or Analytical Methods. (3 Pages)**

| Media | Remediation Variable                                     | Potentially Appropriate Survey/Analytical Method | Possible Limitations  |
|-------|--|--|---|
|       | Gamma emissions from fission products, Am-241 and Pu-239 | Borehole SGL with HPGe detector                  | Gamma-ray logging provides the concentration profiles of gamma-emitting radionuclides such as Am-241, Pu-239, and many fission products in a borehole environment. It is considered by some to be more accurate than sampling and laboratory assay because the assay is performed in situ with less disturbance of the sample, there is higher vertical spatial resolution, and the sample size is much larger. This method may also be more economical than traditional sampling and analysis. This method does not assess radionuclides or daughter products that do not emit gamma rays. The gamma energies from these isotopes are at the low end of the spectrum, which results in high numerical minimum detectable activities and possible matrix effects from other isotopes. This technique requires the use of a single casing (installed by drilling or driving) in contact with the soil formation. |
|       | Neutron emissions from plutonium                         | Borehole passive neutron logging                 | Passive neutron logging provides indication of the presence of neutron-emitting isotopes. Because of the very low incidence of spontaneous Pu fission and alpha-N reactions, the passive neutron profile is orders of magnitude lower than the gamma emissions.   |
|       | Active neutron emissions from transuranics               | Borehole passive/active neutron-logging methods  | This technique uses source materials or generators to release neutrons into the soil formation. Passive detectors measure the response to the neutron flux as a means of detecting specific transuranic constituents. Although neutron activation methods have been developed, they are not expected to be useful for this initial characterization effort. At present, these techniques are too expensive and time consuming, and logistical problems are associated with the handling of intense sources or generators.   |
|       | Vertical moisture profile                                | Borehole neutron-neutron moisture logging        | Neutron-neutron moisture logs can be used to determine current moisture content profiles of the subsurface through new or existing boreholes. The moisture profiles are often directly correlated to contaminant concentrations, sediment grain size, composition, or subsurface structural features. For this project, the moisture profile may be useful for helping determine the location of contamination and/or the location of the ditch and establish geologic conditions to support contaminant fate and transport modeling. It may also be correlated to reflections identified in ground-probing radar surveys.  |

**Step 3 – Identify the Inputs to the Decision****Table 3-5. Potentially Appropriate Survey and/or Analytical Methods. (3 Pages)**

| Media                     | Remediation Variable             | Potentially Appropriate Survey/Analytical Method | Possible Limitations  |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|
| <i>Laboratory Samples</i> |                                  |  |   |
| Vadose zone soils         | All COCs and physical properties | Laboratory analysis                              | Highly contaminated samples require use of onsite laboratories, with associated impacts (e.g., high cost, reduced analyte lists, matrix effects, degraded detection limits, and long turnaround times). Lower contamination levels allow use of offsite laboratories, avoiding these limitations. Physical property analysis will include bulk density, moisture content, and particle size distribution. |

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EMI = electromagnetic imaging

GPR = ground-penetrating radar

HPGe = high-purity germanium

NaI = sodium iodide

SGL = spectral gamma logging

**3.4 ANALYTICAL PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Table 3-6 defines the analytical performance requirements for the data that need to be collected to resolve each of the DSs. These performance requirements include the PQL and the precision and accuracy requirements for each of the COCs.

**Table 3-6. Analytical Performance Requirements – Shallow and Deep Zone Soils. (5 Pages)**

| COCs              | CAS #      | Preliminary Action Level <sup>a</sup> |                                  |                                    | Name/Analytical Technology <sup>c</sup>            | Required Target Quantitation Limits <sup>d</sup> |                             |                                 |                                  | Precision Water | Accuracy Water | Precision Soil | Accuracy Soil |
|-------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|                   |            | 15 mrem/yr <sup>b</sup> (pCi/g)       | 500 mrem/yr <sup>b</sup> (pCi/g) | GW Protection <sup>b</sup> (pCi/g) |  | Water Low Activity (pCi/L)                       | Water High Activity (pCi/L) | Soil-Other Low Activity (pCi/g) | Soil-Other High Activity (pCi/g) |                 |                |                |               |
| Americium-241     | 14596-10-2 | 335                                   | 112,000                          | N/A                                | Americium isotopic – AEA                           | 1  | 400                         | 1                               | 4,000                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Cesium-137        | 10045-97-3 | 23.4                                  | 780                              | N/A                                | GEA  | 15   | 200                         | 0.1                             | 2,000                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Cobalt-60         | 10198-40-0 | 4.90                                  | 164                              | N/A                                | GEA  | 25   | 200                         | 0.05                            | 2,000                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Europium-152      | 14683-23-9 | 11.4                                  | 388                              | N/A                                | GEA  | 50   | 200                         | 0.1                             | 2,000                            | ±20%            | 70-130%        | ±35%           | 70-130%       |
| Europium-154      | 15585-10-1 | 10.3                                  | 345                              | N/A                                | GEA  | 50   | 200                         | 0.1                             | 2,000                            | ±20%            | 70-130%        | ±35%           | 70-130%       |
| Europium-155      | 14391-16-3 | 426                                   | 14,200                           | N/A                                | GEA  | 50   | 200                         | 0.1                             | 2,000                            | ±20%            | 70-130%        | ±35%           | 70-130%       |
| Iodine-129        | 15046-84-1 | --                                    | --                               | --                                 | Chemical separation low-energy photon spectroscopy | 5  | N/A                         | 2                               | N/A                              | ±20%            | 70-130%        | ±35%           | 70-130%       |
| Plutonium-238     | 13981-16-3 | 470                                   | 15,700                           | N/A                                | Plutonium isotopic – AEA                           | 1  | 130                         | 1                               | 1,300                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Plutonium-239/240 | Pu-239/240 | 425                                   | 14,200                           | N/A                                | Plutonium isotopic – AEA                           | 1  | 130                         | 1                               | 1,300                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Strontium-90      | Rad-Sr     | 2,410                                 | 80,300                           | N/A                                | Total radioactive strontium – GPC                  | 2  | 80                          | 1                               | 800                              | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Technetium-99     | 14133-76-7 | 412,000                               | 13,700,000                       | 171                                | Technetium-99 – liquid scintillation               | 15   | 400                         | 15                              | 4,000                            | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Tritium (H-3)     | 10028-17-8 | 66,900                                | 2,230,000                        | 4,100                              | Tritium – liquid scintillation                     | 400  | 400                         | 400                             | 400                              | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Uranium-233/234   | 13966-29-5 | 2,660                                 | 88,800                           | 39.5                               | Uranium isotopic – AEA (pCi) ICPMS (mg)            | 1  | 0.002 mg/L                  | 1                               | 0.02 mg/kg                       | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Uranium-235/236   | 15117-96-1 | 101                                   | 3,370                            | 3.92                               | Uranium isotopic – AEA (pCi) ICPMS (mg)            | 1  | 0.002 mg/L                  | 1                               | 0.02 mg/kg                       | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| Uranium-238       | U-238      | 504                                   | 16,800                           | 38.1                               | Uranium isotopic – AEA (pCi) ICPMS (mg)            | 1  | 0.002 mg/L                  | 1                               | 0.02 mg/kg                       | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |

Table A-7. Analytical Performance Requirements – Shallow and Deep Zone Soils. (5 Pages)

| COCs                  | CAS #      | Preliminary Action Level * |                                    |   | Name/Analytical Technology                       | Required Target Quantitation Limits <sup>d</sup> |                         |                              |                               | Precision Water | Accuracy Water | Precision Soil | Accuracy Soil |
|-----------------------|------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|--|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|                       |            | MTCA Method C * (mg/kg)    | GW Protection <sup>f</sup> (mg/kg) | Terrestrial Biota Protection <sup>g</sup> (mg/kg) |  | Water Low Conc. (mg/L)                           | Water High Conc. (mg/L) | Soil-Other Low Conc. (mg/kg) | Soil-Other High Conc. (mg/kg) |                 |                |                |               |
| <b>Metals</b>         |            |                            |                                    |   |  |  |                         |                              |                               |                 |                |                |               |
| Cadmium               | 7440-43-9  | 139 <sup>h</sup>           | 0.81 <sup>i</sup>                  | 4   | Metals – 6010 – ICP                              | 0.005  | 0.01                    | 0.5                          | 1                             | j               | j              | j              | j             |
|                       |            |                            |                                    |   | Metals – 6010 <sup>c</sup> – ICP (trace)         | 0.005  | N/A                     | 0.5                          | N/A                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Chromium (total)      | 7440-47-3  | Unlimited                  | 2,000 <sup>f</sup>                 | 42  | Metals – 6010 – ICP                              | 0.01   | 0.01                    | 1                            | 2                             | j               | j              | j              | j             |
|                       |            |                            |                                    |   | Metals – 6010 – ICP (trace)                      | 0.01   | N/A                     | 1                            | N/A                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Chromium VI           | 18540-29-9 | 21 <sup>h</sup>            | 7.7 <sup>k</sup>                   | 42  | Chromium (hexavalent) – 7196 – colorimetric      | 0.01   | 4                       | 0.5                          | 200                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Copper                | 7440-50-8  | 130,000                    | 22 <sup>i</sup>                    | 50  | Metals – 6010 – ICP                              | 0.025  | 0.025                   | 2.5                          | 2.5                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Lead                  | 7439-92-1  | 1,000 <sup>l</sup>         | 840 <sup>k</sup>                   | 50  | Metals – 6010 – ICP                              | 0.1  | 0.2                     | 10                           | 20                            | j               | j              | j              | j             |
|                       |            |                            |                                    |   | Metals – 6010 – ICP (trace)                      | 0.01   | N/A                     | 1                            | N/A                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Mercury               | 7439-97-6  | 1,050                      | 0.33 <sup>i</sup>                  | 0.33 <sup>l</sup>                                 | Mercury – 7470 – CVAA                            | 0.0005   | 0.005                   | N/A                          | N/A                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
|                       |            |                            |                                    |   | Mercury – 7471 – CVAA                            | N/A  | N/A                     | 0.2                          | 0.2                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Silver                | 7440-22-4  | 17,500                     | 0.88 <sup>f</sup>                  | 2   | Metals – 6010 – ICP                              | 0.02   | 0.02                    | 2                            | 2                             | j               | j              | j              | j             |
|                       |            |                            |                                    |   | Metals – 6010 – ICP (trace)                      | 0.005  | N/A                     | 0.5                          | N/A                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Uranium (total)       | 7440-61-1  | 10,500 <sup>m</sup>        | 115                                | 5   | Uranium total – kinetic phosphorescence analysis | 0.0001   | 0.02                    | 1                            | 0.2                           | ±20%            | 80-120%        | ±35%           | 65-135%       |
| <b>Inorganics</b>     |            |                            |                                    |   |  |  |                         |                              |                               |                 |                |                |               |
| Cyanide               | 57-12-5    | 70,000                     | 0.80 <sup>f</sup>                  | N/A   | Total cyanide – 9010 – colorimetric              | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.5                          | 0.5                           | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Fluoride              | 16984-48-8 | 210,000                    | 16 <sup>f</sup>                    | N/A   | Anions – 300.0 – IC                              | 0.5  | 5                       | 5                            | 5                             | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Nitrate               | 14797-55-8 | Unlimited                  | 40 <sup>f</sup>                    | N/A   | Anions – 300.0 – IC                              | 0.25   | 10                      | 2.5                          | 40                            | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Nitrite               | 14797-65-0 | 350,000                    | 4 <sup>f</sup>                     | N/A   | Anions – 300.0 – IC                              | 0.25   | 15                      | 2.5                          | 20                            | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Phosphate             | 14265-44-2 | N/A                        | N/A                                | N/A   | Anions – 300.0 – IC                              | 0.5  | 15                      | 5                            | 40                            | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Sulfate               | 14808-79-8 | N/A                        | 1,000 <sup>f</sup>                 | N/A   | Anions – 300.0 – IC                              | 0.5  | 15                      | 5                            | 40                            | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| <b>Organics</b>       |            |                            |                                    |   |  |  |                         |                              |                               |                 |                |                |               |
| Acetone (2-propanone) | 67-64-1    | 350,000                    | 3.21                               | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS                  | 0.02   | 0.02                    | 0.02                         | 0.02                          | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Benzene               | 71-43-2    | 2,390                      | 2.42                               | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS                  | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| n-butyl alcohol       | 71-36-3    | 350,000                    | 6.62                               | N/A   | GC organic – 8015                                | 5  | 5                       | 5                            | 5                             | j               | j              | j              | j             |

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| COCs                                  | CAS #     | Preliminary Action Level <sup>a</sup> |                                    |   | Name/Analytical Technology      | Required Target Quantitation Limits <sup>d</sup> |                         |                              |                               | Precision Water | Accuracy Water | Precision Soil | Accuracy Soil |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|                                       |           | MTCA Method C <sup>a</sup> (mg/kg)    | GW Protection <sup>f</sup> (mg/kg) | Terrestrial Biota Protection <sup>g</sup> (mg/kg) |                                 | Water Low Conc. (mg/L)                           | Water High Conc. (mg/L) | Soil-Other Low Conc. (mg/kg) | Soil-Other High Conc. (mg/kg) |                 |                |                |               |
| Butyl benzene; n                      | 104-51-8  | N/A                                   | N/A                                | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | N/A                     | 0.005                        | N/A                           | N/A             | N/A            | N/A            | N/A           |
| Dichloroethane; 1,1                   | 75-34-3   | 350,000                               | 4.37                               | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.01   | 0.01                    | 0.01                         | 0.01                          | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Dichloroethane; 1,2                   | 107-06-2  | 1,440                                 | 0.005 <sup>*</sup>                 | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Dichloroethylene; 1,2- (trans)        | 156-60-5  | 31,500                                | 0.36 <sup>f</sup>                  | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.001  | 0.001                   | 0.001                        | 0.001                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Dichloroethylene; 1,2-cis-            | 156-59-2  | 31,500                                | 0.36 <sup>f</sup>                  | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.001  | 0.001                   | 0.001                        | 0.001                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Ethylbenzene                          | 100-41-4  | 350,000                               | 6.91                               | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Methyl ethyl ketone (MEK; 2-butanone) | 78-93-3   | Unlimited                             | N/A                                | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.01   | 0.01                    | 0.01                         | 0.01                          | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Methyl isobutyl ketone (MIBK hexone)  | 108-10-1  | 280,000                               | N/A                                | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.01   | 0.01                    | 0.01                         | 0.01                          | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Methylene chloride (dichloromethane)  | 75-09-2   | 17,500                                | 0.022 <sup>f</sup>                 | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| PCBs                                  | 1336-36-3 | 10 <sup>l</sup>                       | 0.0165 <sup>*</sup>                | 0.65  | PCBs – 8082 – GC                | 0.0005   | 0.005                   | 0.0165                       | 0.1                           | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Tetrachloroethylene                   | 127-18-4  | 2,570                                 | 0.0091                             | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Toluene                               | 108-88-3  | 70,000                                | 7.3 <sup>f</sup>                   | 200   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Tributyl phosphate                    | 126-73-8  | N/A                                   | N/A                                | N/A   | Semi-volatiles – 8270 – GCMS    | 0.1  | 0.5                     | 3.3                          | 5                             | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Trichloroethane; 1,1,1                | 71-55-6   | Unlimited                             | 57                                 | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Trichloroethylene                     | 79-01-6   | 11,900                                | 0.0263                             | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |
| Xylene (total)                        | 1330-20-7 | Unlimited                             | 135                                | N/A   | Volatile organics – 8260 – GCMS | 0.005  | 0.005                   | 0.005                        | 0.005                         | J               | J              | J              | J             |

Table A-7. Analytical Performance Requirements – Shallow and Deep Zone Soils. (5 Pages)

| COCs  | CAS #      | Preliminary Action Level <sup>a</sup> |                                       |  | Name/Analytical Technology                                | Required Target Quantitation Limits <sup>a</sup> |                            |                                 |                                  | Precision Water | Accuracy Water | Precision Soil | Accuracy Soil |
|---|------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|   |            | MTC Method C <sup>a</sup><br>(mg/kg)  | GW Protection <sup>f</sup><br>(mg/kg) | Terrestrial Biota Protection <sup>e</sup><br>(mg/kg) |   | Water Low Conc.<br>(mg/L)                        | Water High Conc.<br>(mg/L) | Soil-Other Low Conc.<br>(mg/kg) | Soil-Other High Conc.<br>(mg/kg) |                 |                |                |               |
| Total petroleum hydrocarbons – diesel to oil range (kerosene) | 68334-30-5 | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | 200  | WTPH-D <sup>a</sup>                                       | 0.5  | 0.5                        | 5                               | 5                                | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Total petroleum hydrocarbons – gasoline range                 | 8006-61-9  | 30 <sup>1</sup>                       | 30 <sup>1</sup>                       | 100  | WTPH-G <sup>a</sup>                                       | 0.5  | 0.5                        | 5                               | 5                                | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Normal paraffin hydrocarbons                                  | 8008-20-6  | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | 200  | Nonhalogenated VOA – 8015M – GC modified for hydrocarbons | 0.5  | 0.5                        | 5                               | 5                                | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| Normal paraffins (grease; heavy oils)                         | 8008-20-6  | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | 2,000 <sup>1</sup>                    | N/A  | Oil and grease (total recoverable) – 413.N <sup>a</sup>   | 2  | N/A                        | 200                             | N/A                              | j               | j              | j              | j             |
| <b>Field Screening Measurements</b>                           |            |                                       |                                       |  |   |  |                            |                                 |                                  |                 |                |                |               |
| pH  | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A                                   | N/A  | TBD   | TBD  | TBD                        | TBD                             | TBD                              | TBD             | TBD            | TBD            | TBD           |
| <b>Soil Physical Properties</b>                               |            |                                       |                                       |  |   |  |                            |                                 |                                  |                 |                |                |               |
| Bulk density  | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A                                   | N/A  | D2937, or BHI-EE-05, Procedure 3.9                        | N/A  | wt%                        | N/A                             | N/A                              | N/A             | N/A            | N/A            | N/A           |
| Lithology   | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A                                   | N/A  | BHI-EE-01, Procedure 7.0                                  | N/A  | Descriptive                | N/A                             | N/A                              | N/A             | N/A            | N/A            | N/A           |
| Moisture content  | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A                                   | N/A  | D2216   | N/A  | wt%                        | N/A                             | N/A                              | N/A             | N/A            | N/A            | N/A           |
| Particle size distribution                                    | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A                                   | N/A  | D422  | N/A  | wt%                        | N/A                             | N/A                              | N/A             | N/A            | N/A            | N/A           |

**Table A-7. Analytical Performance Requirements – Shallow and Deep Zone Soils. (5 Pages)**

| COCs | CAS # | Preliminary Action Level <sup>a</sup> |                                       |  | Name/Analytical Technology | Required Target Quantitation Limits <sup>d</sup> |                            |                                 |                                  | Precision Water | Accuracy Water | Precision Soil | Accuracy Soil |
|------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
|      |       | MTCA Method C <sup>e</sup><br>(mg/kg) | GW Protection <sup>f</sup><br>(mg/kg) | Terrestrial Biota Protection <sup>g</sup><br>(mg/kg) |                            | Water Low Conc.<br>(mg/L)                        | Water High Conc.<br>(mg/L) | Soil-Other Low Conc.<br>(mg/kg) | Soil-Other High Conc.<br>(mg/kg) |                 |                |                |               |

<sup>a</sup>The preliminary action level is the regulatory or risk-based value used to determine appropriate analytical requirements (e.g., detection limits). Remedial action levels will be proposed in the FS, will be finalized in the record of decision, and will drive remediation of the sites.

<sup>b</sup>15 mrem/yr = nonrad worker industrial exposure scenario; 2,000 hrs/yr onsite, 60% indoors, 40% outdoors. 500 mrem/yr = rad-worker industrial scenario; 2,000 hrs/yr onsite, 60% indoors, 40% outdoors. GW = groundwater protection radionuclide values based on RESRAD modeling of drinking water exposure with the entire vadose zone presumed to be contaminated. Groundwater protection may be evaluated using the STOMP code or another model to predict movement of contaminants through the vadose zone.

<sup>c</sup>All four-digit numbers refer to *Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste: Physical/Chemical Methods* (EPA 1986).

<sup>d</sup>Water values for sampling quality control (e.g., equipment blanks/rinses) or drainable liquid (if recovered). For both water and soil mediums, matrix effects may impact on a specific sample basis.

<sup>e</sup>*Model Toxics Control Act* (MTCA) Method C industrial soil values for direct exposure from the CLARC Version 3.1 tables, updated August 2001 (Ecology 2001).

<sup>f</sup>Calculated using MTCA Method B drinking water standards as inputs to the MTCA three-phase model for protection of drinking water (*Washington Administrative Code* [WAC] 173-340-747[4], amended February 12, 2001), except as noted.

<sup>g</sup>Value is the lowest concentration for each analyte (adjusted for background) from Tables 749-2 and 749-3 of WAC 173-340-900, amended February 12, 2001.

<sup>h</sup>Calculated using MTCA air cleanup standards from WAC 173-340-750(3)(a)(ii)(B), page 210, equation 750-2, with Washington State Department of Health mass loading of particulates in air of 10<sup>-4</sup> g/m<sup>3</sup>.

<sup>i</sup>Cleanup value is less than Hanford Site soil background. Therefore, the soil background concentration is used as the preliminary action level.

<sup>j</sup>Precision and accuracy requirements as identified and defined in the referenced procedures implemented by laboratory analysis and QA procedures.

<sup>k</sup>Calculated using standards for surface water protection (40 CFR 131 and WAC 173-201A-040) as inputs to the MTCA three-phase model for protection of drinking water (WAC 173-340-747[4], February 12, 2001).

<sup>l</sup>Based on MTCA Method A values from Tables 740-1 and 745-1 of WAC 173-340-900, amended February 12, 2001.

<sup>m</sup>Value based upon nickel or uranium soluble salts value.

<sup>n</sup>Because the calculated groundwater protection action level is less than the soil detection limit, the calculated value is replaced with the required target quantitation limit required of the laboratory.

<sup>o</sup>From "Analytical Methods for Petroleum Hydrocarbons," Publication No. ECY 97-602, June 1997, Washington State Department of Ecology.

<sup>p</sup>From *Methods for Chemical Analysis of Water and Wastes*, EPA-600/4-79-020, March 1983, United States Environmental Protection Agency.

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| AEA = alpha energy analysis                | GW = groundwater                                     |
| CAS = Chemical Abstract Services           | IC = ion chromatography                              |
| CVAA = cold vapor atomic absorption        | ICPMS = inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometer |
| GC = gas chromatograph                     | N/A = not applicable                                 |
| GCMS = gas chromatograph/mass spectrometry | TBD = to be determined                               |
| GPC = gas proportional counter             | VOA = volatile organic analysis                      |

## 4.0 STEP 4 – DEFINE THE BOUNDARIES OF THE STUDY

### 4.1 OBJECTIVE

The primary objective of DQO Step 4 is for the DQO team to identify the spatial, temporal, and practical constraints on the sampling design and to consider the consequences. This objective (in terms of the spatial, temporal, and practical constraints) ensures that the sampling design results in the collection of data that accurately reflect the true condition of the site and/or populations being studied.

### 4.2 WORKSHEETS FOR STEP 4 – DEFINE THE BOUNDARIES OF THE STUDY

Table 4-1 defines the population of interest to clarify what the samples are intended to represent. The characteristics that define the population of interest are also identified.

**Table 4-1. Characteristics that Define the Population of Interest.**

| DS #                                      | Population of Interest | Characteristics  |
|---|------------------------|--|
| <i>Cribs, French Drains, and Trenches</i> |                        |  |
| 1, 2, and 3                               | Vadose zone soils      | Concentrations of transuranic radionuclides, other radionuclides, metals, and limited organic constituents; physical properties including moisture content, bulk density, and grain size distribution. |

Table 4-2 defines the spatial boundaries of the decision and the domain or geographic area (or volume) within which all decisions must apply (in some cases, this may be defined by the OU). The domain is a region distinctly marked by some physical features (i.e., volume, length, width, and boundary).

**Table 4-2. Geographic Boundaries of the Investigation.**

| DS #        | Geographic Boundaries of the Investigation   |
|-------------|--|
| 1, 2, and 3 | The geographic boundaries for the investigation are the boundaries of the individual representative waste sites. |

When appropriate, the population is divided into strata that have relatively homogeneous characteristics. The DQO team must systematically evaluate process knowledge, historical data, and plant configurations to present evidence of a logic that supports alignment of the population

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into strata with homogeneous characteristics. Table 4-3 identifies the strata with homogeneous characteristics. The zones are indistinct and are rough approximations based on the lack of boreholes near the waste sites (in most cases) and the relatively low quantities of contaminants received by each site.

**Table 4-3. Zones with Homogeneous Characteristics.**

| DS #   | Population of Interest | Zone   | Homogeneous Characteristic Logic  |
|--|------------------------|--|---|
| <i>Cribs, French Drains, and Specific Retention Trenches</i> |                        |  |   |
| 1, 2, and 3  | Vadose zone soils      | Clean or very low concentration stabilizing fill over waste site | Not expected to be contaminated. Fill will be field screened for contamination at all sites during characterization activities.   |
|  |                        | High potential for detectable contamination layer <sup>a</sup>   | The particulates and high distribution coefficient contaminants were sorbed and/or filtered out of the liquid flow via the soils at the bottom of the excavated crib/trench. This zone is expected to contain the highest concentrations of contaminants and to have decreasing concentrations with depth. The odds of encountering contamination are high. May also contain residual concentrations of mobile constituents.  |
|  |                        | Medium potential for detectable contamination layer <sup>a</sup> | A medium concentration layer was formed immediately beneath the expected high concentration layer. In this zone, finer particulates and moderate distribution coefficient contaminants from the liquid waste streams were filtered and sorbed. High volumes of disposed liquids may have carried some immobile constituents into this zone, and residual concentrations of mobile constituents may also be present. It is likely contamination will be encountered. This zone is expected to have decreasing concentrations with depth as more immobile constituents filter and to sorb out with the passing of the wetting front. <sup>b</sup> |
|  |                        | Low potential for detectable contamination layer <sup>a</sup>    | This zone is expected to contain low to no concentrations of mobile contaminants from the source to the groundwater table. Concentrations are expected to remain fairly constant through the impacted zone because the majority of the contaminants have been flushed through the system, leaving residual concentrations.  |

<sup>a</sup> The thickness is not specified.

<sup>b</sup> The wetted front may have reached groundwater for crib sites. It is not known if groundwater was impacted by the discharges to the french drain or trench sites.

The temporal boundaries of the decision are defined in Table 4-4.

**Step 4 – Define the Boundaries of the Study****Table 4-4. Temporal Boundaries of the Investigation.**

| DS #                      | Timeframe | When to Collect Data  |
|---------------------------|-----------|---|
| <b>Field Screening</b>    |           |   |
| 1, 2, and 3               | N/A       | Avoid extreme hot/cold months due to impacts on worker efficiency and equipment effectiveness. Inclement weather may impact sample quality. |
| <b>Laboratory Samples</b> |           |   |
| 1, 2, and 3               | N/A       | Avoid extreme hot/cold months and inclement weather that have potential to impact sample integrity and soil sampling operations.            |

N/A = not applicable

**4.3 SCALE OF DECISION MAKING**

Table 4-5 defines the scale of decision making for each DS. The scale of decision making is defined as the smallest, most appropriate subsets of the population (subpopulation) for which decisions will be made based on the spatial or temporal boundaries of the area under investigation.

**Table 4-5. Scale of Decision Making.**

| DS #        | Population of Interest | Geographic Boundary                                     | Temporal Boundary |  | Spatial Scale of Decision Making |
|-------------|------------------------|---|-------------------|--|----------------------------------|
|             |                        |   | Timeframe         | When to Collect Data   |                                  |
| 1, 2, and 3 | Vadose zone soils      | Boundaries of the individual representative waste sites | N/A               | Avoid extreme hot/cold months and inclement weather that have potential to impact sample integrity and soil sampling operations. | Vadose zone soils                |

N/A = not applicable

The zones of homogeneous characteristics in Table 4-3 identify strata within the representative waste site. However, the spatial scale of decision making is the vadose zone soils from the ground surface to the water table. The data support remedial decision making that will consider the vertical distribution of contaminants throughout the entire vadose zone.

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### 4.4 PRACTICAL CONSTRAINTS

Table 4-6 identifies all of the practical constraints that may impact the data collection effort. These constraints include physical barriers, difficult sample matrices, high radiation areas, or any other condition that will need to be taken into consideration to design and schedule the sampling program.

**Table 4-6. Practical Constraints on Data Collection.**

Boreholes may not obtain sufficient volumes of sample media if the sampled zone is 0.6 m (2 ft) thick or less. Advancement of borehole casing may smear contamination downhole.

**Other Constraints:**

Health and safety constraints may be imposed during characterization sampling to ensure that as low as reasonably achievable issues are properly addressed when sampling radiologically contaminated soils.

## 5.0 STEP 5 – DEVELOP A DECISION RULE

The purpose of DQO Step 5 is initially to define the statistical parameter of interest (i.e., maximum, mean, or 95% upper confidence level [UCL]) that will be compared to the action level. The statistical parameter of interest specifies the characteristic or attribute that a decision maker would like to know about the population. The preliminary action level for each of the COCs is also identified in DQO Step 5. When this is established, a decision rule (DR) is developed for each DS in the form of an "IF...THEN..." statement that incorporates the parameter of interest, the scale of decision making, the preliminary action level, and the AAs that would result from resolution of the decision. Note that the scale of decision making and AAs were identified earlier in DQO Steps 4 and 2, respectively.

### 5.1 INPUTS NEEDED TO DEVELOP DECISION RULES

Tables 5-1, 5-2, and 5-3 present the information needed to formulate the DRs in Section 5.2. This information includes the DSs and AAs identified in DQO Step 2, the scale of decision making identified in DQO Step 4, and the statistical parameters of interest and preliminary action levels for each of the COCs.

**Table 5-1. Decision Statements.**

| DS # | Decision Statement  |
|------|---|
| 1    | Determine whether the contaminant concentrations are TRU waste definition or greater than Class C and evaluate special remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate conventional remedial alternatives in a FS. |
| 2    | Determine whether the soil is radiologically contaminated and evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.   |
| 3    | Determine whether the soil is chemically contaminated and evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS, or evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.   |

**Step 5 – Develop a Decision Rule****Table 5-2. Inputs Needed to Develop Decision Rules.**

| DS #    | COCs                               | Parameter of Interest                  | Scale of Decision Making | Preliminary Action Levels   |
|---------|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
| 1       | Transuranic radionuclides          | Soil sampling; maximum detected values | Vadose zone soils        | ≥100 nCi/g  |
|         | Greater than Class C radionuclides |  |                          | 10 CFR 61.55 values   |
| 2       | Radionuclides                      |  |                          | RESRAD lookup values and TBD through other modeling; radionuclide concentrations equating to a dose limit of 15 mrem/yr and 500 mrem/yr |
| 3       | Nonradiological constituents       |  |                          | MTCA and other regulatory levels (identified in Table 3-6)  |
| 2 and 3 | Soil and physical properties       |  |                          | N/A   |

N/A = not applicable

TBD = to be determined

The AAs identified in DQO Step 2 are summarized in Table 5-3.

**Table 5-3. Alternative Actions.**

| PSQ # | AA # | Alternative Actions                                    |
|-------|------|--|
| 1     | 1    | Evaluate special remedial alternatives in a FS.        |
|       | 2    | Evaluate conventional remedial alternatives in a FS.   |
| 2     | 1    | Evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS.                |
|       | 2    | Evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action. |
| 3     | 1    | Evaluate remedial alternatives in FS.                  |
|       | 2    | Evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action. |

**5.2 DECISION RULES**

The output of DQO Step 5 and the previous DQO steps are combined into "IF...THEN" DRs that incorporate the parameter of interest, the scale of decision making, the action level, and the actions that would result from resolution of the decision. The DRs are listed in Table 5-4.

**Step 5 – Develop a Decision Rule****Table 5-4. Decision Rules.**

| DR # | Decision Rule   |
|------|---|
| 1    | If the true maximum (as estimated by the maximum detected sample values) activity of radionuclides within the soil samples in each of the applicable strata <sup>a</sup> is greater than or equal to 100 nCi/g (TRU waste definition) or the greater than Class C definition, evaluate special remedial alternatives in a FS; otherwise, evaluate conventional remedial alternatives in a FS. |
| 2    | If the true maximum (as estimated by the maximum detected sample values) activity of radionuclides within the soil samples in each of the applicable strata <sup>a</sup> results in a radiological dose greater than or equal to 15 to 500 mrem/yr above background, evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS; otherwise, evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.                |
| 3    | If the true maximum (as estimated by the maximum detected sample values) concentration of chemical constituents within the soil samples in each of the applicable strata <sup>a</sup> is greater than or equal to the preliminary action levels in Table 3-6, evaluate remedial alternatives in a FS; otherwise, evaluate the site for closure with no remedial action.                       |

<sup>a</sup> The applicable strata include the highest contaminant concentration layers, the moderate-to-low contaminant concentration layers, and the low contaminant concentration layers.



## 6.0 STEP 6 – SPECIFY TOLERABLE LIMITS ON DECISION ERRORS

Because analytical data can only estimate the true condition of the site under investigation, decisions that are made based on measurement data could potentially be in error (i.e., decision error). For this reason, the primary objective of DQO Step 6 is to determine which DSs (if any) requires a statistically based sample design. For those DSs requiring a statistically based sample design, DQO Step 6 defines tolerable limits on the probability of making a decision error.

### 6.1 STATISTICAL VERSUS NON-STATISTICAL SAMPLING DESIGN

Table 6-1 provides a summary of the information used to support the selection between a statistical versus a non-statistical sampling design for each DS. The factors that were taken into consideration in making this selection included the timeframe over which each of the DSs applies, the qualitative consequences of an inadequate sampling design, and the accessibility of the site if resampling is required.

**Table 6-1. Statistical Versus Nonstatistical Sampling Design.**

| DS #        | Timeframe (Years) | Qualitative Consequences of Inadequate Sampling Design (Low/Moderate/Severe) | Resampling Access After Remedial Investigation (Accessible/Inaccessible) | Proposed Sampling Design (Statistical/Nonstatistical) |
|-------------|-------------------|--|--|---|
| 1, 2, and 3 | N/A               | Low to moderate  | Accessible   | Nonstatistical  |

N/A = not applicable

### 6.2 NONSTATISTICAL DESIGNS

A biased (or focused) sampling approach, which targets the maximum potential contamination within a waste site, is considered appropriate for the waste sites in the 200-MW-1 OU. Contaminant distributions are expected to follow relatively predictable patterns based on process knowledge and existing environmental data.

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For the DSs to be resolved using a nonstatistical design, there is no need to define the “gray region” or the tolerable limits on decision error because these only apply to statistical designs. The nature of the waste sites to be investigated in the RI supports the use of focused sampling, as identified in *Washington State Department of Ecology Toxics Cleanup Program Guidance on Sampling and Data Analysis Methods* (Ecology 1995). This guidance document defines “focused sampling” as selective sampling of areas where potential or suspected soil contamination can reliably be expected to be found if a release of a hazardous substance has occurred. The relatively small crib structures to be investigated released contaminants in a point-source manner. Contaminants released through a small crib would likely impact the soil immediately beneath the crib with minimal lateral spread; therefore, focusing the RI sampling through the crib will ensure sample collection within the area of greatest impact associated with the discharge.

## 7.0 STEP 7 – OPTIMIZE THE DESIGN

### 7.1 PURPOSE

The purpose of DQO Step 7 is to identify the most resource-effective design for generating data to support decisions while maintaining the desired degree of precision and accuracy. When determining an optimal design, the following activities should be performed:

- Review the DQO outputs from the previous DQO steps and the existing environmental data.
- Develop general data collection design alternatives.
- Select the sampling design (e.g., techniques, locations, or numbers/volumes) that most cost effectively satisfies the project's goals.
- Document the operational details and theoretical assumptions of the selected design.

### 7.2 WORKSHEETS FOR STEP 7 – OPTIMIZE THE DESIGN

Table 7-1 identifies information in relation to determining the data collection design.

**Table 7-1. Determine Data Collection Design.**

| Decision | Statistical | Nonstatistical                 | Rationale  |
|----------|-------------|--------------------------------|--|
| All      | N/A         | Nonstatistical sampling design | Judgmental data collection design is applicable to the investigation because preliminary data suggest that the highest levels of contamination are located relative to release points or the bottom of waste sites. The relative size of the waste sites presents a point-source-type disposal, focusing the area of investigation on the distribution of contaminants with depth. Consequences of erroneous decisions are not severe. Characterization sampling results will be verified by confirmatory sampling of analogous sites during the confirmatory and remedial design phase. |

N/A = not applicable

Table 7-2 is used to develop general data collection design alternatives. If the data collection design for a given decision will be nonstatistical, determine what type of nonstatistical design is appropriate (i.e., haphazard or judgmental).

**Step 7 – Optimize the Design****Table 7-2. Determine Nonstatistical Sampling Design.**

| DR # | Haphazard | Judgmental  |
|------|-----------|---|
| All  | None      | Professional judgmental sampling design is indicated. |

The data collection design alternatives for this project are described in Table 7-3.

**Table 7-3. Methods for Collection of Data at Depth. (2 Pages)**

| Method                                    | Description  |
|---|--|
| Trenching or test pit sampling            | Excavation with backhoe or excavator. This technique provides grab samples taken directly from the soil column (approximate 0.3-m [1-ft] intervals) or from the excavator bucket. Because this technique creates a trench, direct inspection of the exposed soil column is possible. This method is not well suited for soils contaminated with alpha-emitting radionuclides because of direct exposure to personnel, equipment, wind, and weather.  |
| Cone penetrometer or direct-push sampling | A closed-end rod is pushed into the soil to the desired depth, where a removable tip is displaced and a small volume of soil is retrieved. Because of the small volume of soil retrieved, multiple samples would be required to meet sample volume requirements for a large analyte list. The cone penetrometer and other direct-push methods are easily stopped by cobbles, rocks, or other features in the soil column. The resulting hole can be geophysically logged, providing information on gamma-emitting radionuclides and moisture content.  |
| Auger drilling and sampling               | Grab samples may be collected from the auger fitting during drilling, or split tube samples may be collected with the aid of hollow-stem auger "flights." To achieve laboratory analysis sample volume needs for large analytical lists, a 0.6-m (2-ft) core sample from a 13-cm (5-in.)-diameter sampler is typically needed. Running a sample tube down the hollow center of the flight retrieves split-tube samples. This method is not well suited to drilling in soils contaminated with alpha-emitting radionuclides because of contamination control limitations. The auger split-spoon samples are typically 6 cm (2.5 in.) in diameter. |
| Cable tool drilling and sampling          | This slow drilling method is particularly useful in highly contaminated areas because potential contamination releases can be more easily controlled. This drilling method allows collection of grab samples from the drive barrel or split spoon. To achieve adequate laboratory analysis sample volumes for large analytical lists, a 0.6-m (2-ft)-long core sample from a 13-cm (5-in.)-diameter sampler is typically needed. DOE-owned, controlled cable tool rigs are available onsite for use in highly contaminated areas. In alpha-contaminated soils, significant contamination controls are required.                                  |
| Diesel hammer drilling                    | The diesel hammer is a dual-string, reverse-air circulation drilling method. The potential impacts of this drilling method include degraded sample quality and increased contaminant release potential. Because of the introduction of air to the sample media, affects on analytical results for volatile organics and increased potential for dust result from this technique may occur.   |

**Step 7 – Optimize the Design****Table 7-3. Methods for Collection of Data at Depth. (2 Pages)**

| Method                           | Description   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Sonic drilling and sampling      | Sonic drilling can quickly advance either borehole casings or sample tubes. Samples are retrieved similar to split-spoon sample collection during a cable tool operation. To achieve adequate laboratory analysis sample volumes, a 0.6-m (2-ft)-long core sample is typically needed from a 13-cm (5-in.)-diameter sampler. Sonic drilling is much faster than cable tool drilling, but the technique generates a significant amount of heat, which can alter samples (e.g., liberate volatile organics from the sampled soils) and the surrounding formation. In alpha-contaminated soils, significant contamination controls are required and may be difficult to implement because of the nature of the equipment and operations. |
| Air rotary drilling and sampling | Air rotary drilling is much faster than other drilling techniques. Grab samples and split-spoon samples may be taken using this method. In addition, most rotary drill rigs can be configured to collect core samples. To achieve adequate laboratory analysis sample volumes, a 0.6-m (2-ft)-long core sample is typically needed from a 13-cm (5-in.)-diameter sampler. This technique may introduce air into the soil, potentially altering the sample quality and formation moisture levels.  |

The design options are evaluated based on cost and ability to meet the DQO constraints. The results of the trade-off analyses should lead to one of two outcomes: (1) the selection of a design that most efficiently meets all of the DQO constraints, or (2) the modification of one or more outputs from DQO Steps 1 through 6 and the selection of a design that meets the new constraints.

The key features of the selected design are then documented, including (for example) the following:

- Maps outlining sample locations, strata, and inaccessible areas
- Directions for selecting sample locations (if the selection is not necessary or appropriate at this time)
- Order in which samples should be collected (if important)
- Stopping rules
- Special sample collection methods
- Special analytical methods.

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### 7.3 SAMPLING OBJECTIVES

The characterization objectives identified in Section 1.3 result in the following characterization goals:

- Determine the presence and location of the TRU waste definition ( $\geq 100$  nCi/g) and Class C definition materials associated with the worst-case locations at the 200-E-4 french drain, 216-T-13 Trench, 216-T-33 Crib, and 216-U-3 french drain.
- Determine the types and concentrations of radiological and nonradionuclide constituents with depth at worst-case locations in the 200-E-4 french drain, 216-A-4 Crib, 216-T-13 Trench, 216-T-33 Crib, and 216-U-3 french drain.
- Geophysically log planned boreholes.
- Analyze soils for physical properties to support modeling efforts.

### 7.4 SAMPLING DESIGN

#### 7.4.1 Summary of Sampling Activities

A summary of the sampling activities is presented in Table 7-4.

**Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)**

| Sample Collection Methodology             | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design   |
|---|--|---|
| <b>200-E-4 French Drain</b>               |  |   |
| Surface geophysical surveys (GPR and EMI) | Perform GPR and/or EMI over the general area of french drain.  | Surface geophysical surveys used to locate french drain and subsurface features.<br><br>Geophysics techniques are expected to distinctly identify the french drain locations. |
| Test pit characterization                 | Hand excavate to bottom of structure. Locate test pit directly adjacent to the french drain at the location with the highest contamination potential. Location will be based upon interpretation of the surface geophysical results and structure drawing. |   |

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Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)

| Sample Collection Methodology             | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design   |
|---|--|---|
|   | Collect soil samples at the bottom of the french drain at the soil interface and within vadose zone to 4.6 m (15 ft).  | Soil samples will be used to determine COC concentrations beneath the french drain and in the vadose zone. Sampling provides data for remedial action decision making and will be used to verify the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model.                             |
|   | Collect soil samples as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 to 4 ft</li> <li>• 9 to 10 ft</li> <li>• 14 to 15 ft</li> </ul>  | Sampled because: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential high contamination in drain excavation bottom soil</li> <li>• Potential medium/low contamination</li> <li>• MTCA compliance sample.</li> </ul>  |
|   | Collect bulk density and grain-size distribution samples at major changes in lithology. Moisture samples will be collected with the other physical samples.  | Soil physical properties (e.g., moisture content, grain-size distribution, and bulk density) will be used to support numerical modeling.  |
|   | Collect field QC samples.  | Field QC samples are collected to evaluate the potential for cross-contamination and laboratory performance.  |
| <b>216-A-4 Crib</b>                       |  |   |
| Surface geophysical surveys (GPR and EMI) | Perform GPR and/or EMI over the general area of crib location.   | Surface geophysical surveys used to locate crib and subsurface features.<br><br>Geophysics techniques are expected to distinctly identify the crib location.  |
| Borehole characterization                 | Install one vadose zone borehole within the crib boundaries at the head end (the location with the highest contamination potential) avoiding subsurface structures. Field location will be based upon interpretation of the surface geophysical results and structure drawings. Borehole will be drilled to the water table. | Drill borehole to allow soil sampling with depth and to support geophysical logging with spectral gamma and neutron moisture tools.   |
|   | Collect soil samples at the top of the crib (if soil is available), within the crib at the kraft paper/sand/gravel interface, at the bottom of the crib at the gravel/soil interface, and within vadose zone to water table.   | Soil samples will be used to determine type and concentration of COCs beneath the crib in the vadose zone. Sampling provides data for remedial action decision making, to confirm the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model, and to support numerical modeling efforts. |

**Step 7 – Optimize the Design****Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)**

| Sample Collection Methodology | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
|                               | <p>Samples are collected as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 to 7.5 ft</li> <li>• 12.5 to 15 ft</li> <li>• 22 to 24.5 ft</li> <li>• 30 to 32.5 ft</li> <li>• 32.5 to 35 ft</li> <li>• 37.5 to 40 ft</li> <li>• 62.5 to 65 ft</li> <li>• 97.5 to 100 ft</li> <li>• 147.5 to 150 ft</li> <li>• 197.5 to 200 ft</li> <li>• 287 to 289.5 ft</li> <li>• 312.5 to 315 ft</li> </ul> | <p>Sampled because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Due to 1958 overflow on ground (UPR 200-E-13)</li> <li>• MTCA compliance sample</li> <li>• Sand immediately below crib liner</li> <li>• Potential high contamination in soil immediately below crib</li> <li>• Potential high contamination</li> <li>• Potential high contamination</li> <li>• Possible contamination increase based on geophysical log</li> <li>• Possible contamination increase based on geophysical log</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; stratigraphic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; capillary fringe.</li> </ul> |
|                               | <p>Collect bulk density and grain-size distribution samples at major changes in lithology. Moisture samples will be collected along with the other physical samples.</p>   | <p>Soil physical properties (e.g., moisture content, grain-size distribution, and bulk density) will be used to support numerical modeling.</p>  |
|                               | <p>Collect field QC samples</p>  | <p>Field QC samples are collected to evaluate the potential for cross-contamination and a laboratory performance.</p>  |
|                               | <p>Perform borehole spectral logging from the surface to groundwater.</p>  | <p>SGL logging will be performed to verify gamma-emitting contamination and to refine the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model.</p> <p>Cesium-137 will be the main target isotope for the SGL because of its prevalence and ease in identification; other gamma-emitting radionuclides may be detected if present.</p>  |
|                               | <p>Perform neutron moisture logging from surface to groundwater.</p>   | <p>Collect soil moisture data to support numerical modeling.</p>   |

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**Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)**

| Sample Collection Methodology             | Key Features of Design  | Basis for Sampling Design   |
|---|---|---|
| <b>216-T-13 Trench</b>                    |   |   |
| Surface geophysical surveys (GPR and EMI) | Perform GPR and/or EMI over the general area of trench.   | Surface geophysical surveys used to locate trench and subsurface features.<br><br>Geophysics techniques are expected to distinctly identify the trench locations.   |
| Test pit characterization                 | Locate test pit across the trench at the location with the highest contamination potential. Location will be based upon interpretation of the surface geophysical results to determine center section of the trench.  |   |
|   | Collect soil samples within the trench, at the bottom of the trench at the soil interface to 25 ft below grade surface.   | Soil samples will be used to determine COC concentrations beneath the trench and in the vadose zone. Sampling provides data for remedial action decision making and will be used to verify the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model.   |
|   | Samples are collected at: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 8 to 9 ft</li> <li>• 10 to 11 ft</li> <li>• 12 to 13 ft</li> <li>• 14 to 15 ft</li> <li>• 19 to 20 ft</li> <li>• 24 to 25 ft</li> </ul>  | Sampled because: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential high contamination at bottom of trench</li> <li>• Potential high contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• MTCA compliance sample</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential no detection.</li> </ul> |
|   | Collect field QC samples.   | Field QC samples are collected to evaluate the potential for cross-contamination and laboratory performers.   |
|   | Collect bulk density and grain-size distribution samples at major changes in lithology. Collect moisture samples with the other physical property samples.  | Soil physical properties (e.g., moisture content, grain-size distribution, and bulk density) will be used to support modeling.  |
|   | If field screening shows contamination at 25 ft, a probe rod or drive casing will be placed in the area directly adjacent to the test pit and logged with a detector with the sensitivity required to determine how far contamination is present below 25 ft. | If contamination is present below 25 ft based on logging, an evaluation will be performed to determine if a borehole should be installed.   |

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Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)

| Sample Collection Methodology             | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design   |
|---|--|---|
| <b>216-T-33 Crib</b>                      |  |   |
| Surface geophysical surveys (GPR and EMI) | Perform GPR and/or EMI over the general area of crib location.   | <p>Surface geophysical surveys used to locate crib and subsurface features.</p> <p>Geophysics techniques are expected to distinctly identify the crib location.</p>   |
| Borehole characterization                 | <p>Install one vadose zone borehole within the crib boundaries at the head end (the location with the highest contamination potential), avoiding subsurface structures. Field location will be based upon interpretation of the surface geophysical results and structure drawings. Borehole will be drilled to the water table.</p> | <p>Drill borehole to allow soil sampling with depth and to support geophysical logging with spectral gamma and neutron moisture tools.</p> <p>The depth of drilling and associated soil sampling will be based on site-specific conditions. Because deep contamination has not been observed or information does not exist, sampling to groundwater may not be necessary. In this case, the drilling and sampling depth will be determined based on the observational approach. At a minimum, samples will be collected to the Plio-Pleistocene Unit, if present, and at a maximum, to the water table. The Plio-Pleistocene Unit is expected to be a zone of higher moisture content and where contaminants would tend to concentrate. Decisions to collect samples past the Plio-Pleistocene Unit will be based on field screening of retrieved soil samples or drill cuttings for radioactive concentration.</p> |
|   | <p>Collect soil samples at the bottom of the crib at the gravel/soil interface, and within vadose zone to water table.</p>   | <p>Soil samples will be used to determine type and concentration of COCs beneath the crib in the vadose zone. Sampling provides data for remedial action decision making, to confirm the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model, and to support numerical modeling efforts.</p>  |

Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)

| Sample Collection Methodology | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design   |
|-------------------------------|--|---|
|                               | <p>Samples are collected at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 to 12.5 ft</li> <li>• 12.5 to 15 ft</li> <li>• 17.5 to 20 ft</li> <li>• 22.5 to 25 ft</li> <li>• 27.5 to 30 ft</li> <li>• 47.5 to 50 ft</li> <li>• 105 to 107.5 ft</li> <br/> <li>125 to 127.5 ft</li> <li>• 150 to 152.5 ft</li> <li>• 197.5 to 200 ft</li> <li>• 269.5 to 272 ft</li> </ul> | <p>Sampled because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential high contamination at crib bottom</li> <li>• MTCA compliance sample</li> <li>• Potential high contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination; lithologic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; stratigraphic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; stratigraphic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; capillary fringe.</li> </ul> <p>Soil samples will be collected down to and within the Plio-Pleistocene Unit. The soil samples/drill cutting from the Plio-Pleistocene Unit will be screened using a hand-held rate meter with a gamma detector. If contamination is above three times background, drilling and sampling will resume (as specified in the sampling and analysis plan) to the next sample interval until contamination is less than three times background. The three-times-background criterion is considered appropriate to minimize the potential for a false positive. If contamination is less than three times background, the borehole will be logged with the SGL system to confirm that significant contamination is not present prior to abandoning the borehole. These decisions will be made in the field by the site geologist.</p> |
|                               | <p>Collect field QC samples.</p>   | <p>Field QC samples are collected to evaluate the potential for cross-contamination and laboratory performance.</p>   |

**Step 7 – Optimize the Design****Table 7-4. Key Features of the 200-MW-1 Sampling Design. (9 Pages)**

| Sample Collection Methodology               | Key Features of Design  | Basis for Sampling Design  |
|---|---|--|
|   | Perform borehole spectral logging from the surface to groundwater.  | SGL logging will be performed to verify gamma-emitting contamination and to refine the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model.<br><br>Cesium-137 will be the main target isotope for the SGL because of its prevalence and ease in identification; other gamma-emitting radionuclides may be detected if present.   |
|   | Perform neutron moisture logging from surface to groundwater.   | Collect soil moisture data to support numerical modeling.  |
| Borehole spectral logging in existing wells | Perform borehole spectral logging and neutron moisture logging in accessible boreholes and groundwater wells near the cribs. BHI well status records indicate that the 299-W-11-14 is accessible and will provide useful information on contaminant distribution. | This well represents data collection points near the waste site. Logging of this well will provide additional updated site-specific information on contaminant distribution, both laterally and vertically.  |
| <b>216-U-3 French Drain</b>                 |   |  |
| Surface geophysical surveys (GPR and EMI)   | Perform GPR and/or EMI over the general area of french drain.   | Surface geophysical surveys used to locate french drain and subsurface features.<br><br>Geophysics techniques should identify the location of the french drain.  |
| Borehole characterization                   | Drill one deep borehole to groundwater near the discharge point. Selection of the borehole location will be based upon interpretation of the surface geophysical data and the structure drawing.  | Drill borehole for borehole soil sampling and to support geophysical logging with a spectral gamma detector.<br><br>The depth of drilling and associated soil sampling will be based on site-specific conditions. Since deep contamination has not been observed or no information exists, sampling to groundwater may not be necessary. In this case, the drilling and sampling depth will be determined based on the observational approach. At a minimum, samples will be collected to the Plio-Pleistocene Unit, if present, and at a maximum, to the water table. The Plio-Pleistocene Unit is expected to be a zone of higher moisture content and where contaminants would tend to concentrate. Decisions to collect samples past the Plio-Pleistocene Unit will be based on field screening of retrieved soil samples or drill cuttings for radioactive concentration. |

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| Sample Collection Methodology | Key Features of Design   | Basis for Sampling Design  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|
|                               | Collect soil samples at the bottom of the french drain at the gravel/soil interface, and within vadose zone to water table.  | Soil samples will be used to determine COC concentrations beneath the french drain and in the vadose zone. Sampling provides data for remedial action decision making and will be used to verify the preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model.  |
|                               | Collect bulk density and grain-size distribution samples at major changes in lithology. Collect moisture samples with other physical property samples.   | Soil physical properties (e.g., moisture content, grain-size distribution and lithology) will be used to support modeling.   |
|                               | <p>Samples are collected at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12.5 to 15 ft</li> <li>• 15 to 17.5 ft</li> <li>• 17.5 to 20 ft</li> <li>• 22.5 to 25 ft</li> <li>• 35 to 37.5 ft</li> <li>• 47 to 49.5 ft</li> <li>• 97.5 to 100 ft</li> <li>• 127 to 129.5 ft</li> <li>• 147 to 149.5 ft</li> <li>• 214.5 to 217 ft</li> </ul> | <p>Sampled because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential high contamination in drain excavation bottom soil</li> <li>• MTCA compliance sample</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• Potential medium contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; lithologic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; stratigraphic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; stratigraphic change</li> <li>• Potential low contamination; capillary fringe.</li> </ul> <p>Soil samples will be collected down to and within the Plio-Pleistocene Unit. The soil samples/drill cutting from the Plio-Pleistocene Unit will be screened using a hand-held rate meter with a gamma detector. If contamination is above three-times-background, drilling and sampling will resume (as specified in the sampling and analysis plan) to the next sample interval until contamination is less than three times background. The three-times-background criterion is considered appropriate to minimize the potential for a false positive. If contamination is less than three times background, the borehole will be logged with the SGL system to confirm that significant contamination is not present prior to abandoning the borehole. These decisions will be made in the field by the site geologist.</p> |

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| Sample Collection Methodology | Key Features of Design  | Basis for Sampling Design  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
|                               | Collect field QC samples.   | Field QC samples are collected to evaluate the potential for cross-contamination and laboratory performance.                               |
|                               | Perform SGL for the entire length of the borehole.                      | SGL will be performed to verify zones of gamma-emitting contamination and to refine preliminary conceptual contaminant distribution model. |
|                               | Perform neutron moisture logging for the entire length of the borehole. | Collect soil moisture data to expand the database and to support modeling.   |

**7.5 POTENTIAL SAMPLE DESIGN LIMITATIONS**

Drilling impediments (e.g., boulders) may be encountered and/or insufficient sample volumes may be retrieved from the split-spoon samplers. The prioritization of analyses when an insufficient sample volume is collected to complete all required analyses shall be as follows:

- Volatile organics
- Inductively coupled plasma metals
- Anions
- Gamma energy analysis (GEA)
- Alpha energy analysis
- Strontium-90.

Any remaining analyses will be performed based on the remaining sample volume:

- Because the potential exists for significant concentrations of radiological COCs, samples may need to be analyzed in an onsite laboratory. In this case, expected impacts include high analytical costs, degradation of detection limits, reduced analyte lists, and long turnaround times. The presence of transuranics at TRU waste definition concentrations would also significantly impact the handling and management of waste. Sample volumes may be reduced if the radiation levels are high for the samples.
- Geophysical logging of existing boreholes is dependent on accessibility and configuration of the boreholes. If the specified boreholes are not properly configured or available for logging, other boreholes may be considered or the logging program may be reduced.

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### 200-MW-1 OPERABLE UNIT SITES REVIEW PROCESS

#### A.1 STRATEGY

Because the remaining 200-MW-1 Operable Unit (OU) radioactive liquid waste disposal sites did not fit within other well defined waste site groupings (DOE-RL 1997, 1999a) and additional waste sites have also been added to the OU (as part of the process defined in the *Tri-Party Agreement Handbook Management Procedures*, Guideline Number TPA-MP-14, "Maintenance of the Waste Information Data System [WIDS]" [DOE-RL 1998]), it was necessary to review all of the WIDS sites currently identified with the 200-MW-1 OU prior to selecting representative sites for the OU. The selection approach was designed to ensure that waste sites added to the 200-MW-1 OU in the future fit into the subgroups for which representative sites have been selected. Figure A-1 shows the site review flow diagram.

Five WIDS categories were identified that represent the 200-MW-1 OU waste sites. The results of this sorting (based on the WIDS status as of November 8, 2001) are shown in Tables A-1 through A-5 as follows:

- WIDS Classification Status Rejected Sites (Table A-1)
- WIDS Classification Status Proposed Rejected Sites (Table A-2)
- WIDS Reclassification Status Rejected Sites (Table A-3)
- WIDS Classification Status 216/218 Regulatory Authority Sites (Table A-4)

**NOTE:** The 216/218 regulatory authority sites included in Table A-4 are steam condensate surface discharge sites. The steam condensate consisted of sanitary water that had been sent through a water softener system to remove minerals (calcium and magnesium), which was then introduced into boilers to produce steam. This steam was superheated before distribution to facilities for heating and process use. Steam condensate from the steam distribution lines was released to these sites. When used for heating purposes, this was a seasonal discharge. In addition to sanitary water, the condensate contained nonregulated chemicals that were added to dechlorinate the water, prevent scale, and control corrosion of the boilers.

- WIDS Classification Status 200-MW-1 OU *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA)* past-practice Waste Sites (Table A-5).

Table A-5 was reviewed to remove the waste sites not technically appropriate for inclusion with the 200-MW-1 OU based on the intent of the *Waste Site Grouping for 200 Areas Soil Investigations* report (DOE-RL 1997) and the *200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program* (hereinafter referred to as the

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Implementation Plan) (DOE-RL 1999). The waste sites removed are assigned to an appropriate waste group OU in Table A-6.

The CERCLA past-practice sites identified (Table 2-1) were then reviewed based on their configuration for receiving waste, source of the waste stream, and expected contaminants to identify appropriate subgroups of sites from which representative sites would be selected for characterization.

Waste sites within the 200-MW-1 OU mainly include cribs, french drains, and trenches. While a few waste sites are identified as injection/reverse wells, their construction is similar to that of a french drain. Only one pond is included in the 200-MW-1 OU, and it received condensate from Z Plant ventilation equipment. The footprint of the pond was similar to that of the cribs within the OU; it, therefore, is not considered as a significantly different waste receiving structure.

After reviewing the process history for each waste site, the following subgroups were developed, based on the types and amount of waste received:

- Process facility ventilation stack and sand filter sources. This group also contains the 216-A-4 Crib, which received ventilation, as well as Plutonium-Uranium Extraction (PUREX) Facility laboratory drainage that was routed through the PUREX canyon U cell tanks to the crib.
- Vehicle/heavy equipment facility decontamination sources.
- Vehicle/heavy equipment field decontamination source.
- Low-level radioactive process or steam condensate sources, which were primarily discharged to french drains.
- Nonradiological process steam condensate with radiological contaminants from cross-contamination from other sources.

Table A-7 presents these waste site subgroups. The representative sites were then selected from each subgroup based on the approach outlined in the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999). The following representative sites were selected:

- 200-E-4 french drain for the nonradiological process steam condensate with cross-contamination sources
- 216-A-4 Crib for process facility ventilation stack and sand filter source
- 216-T-13 Trench for vehicle/heavy equipment field decontamination source
- 216-T-33 Crib for vehicle/heavy equipment facility decontamination sources
- 216-U-3 french drain for low-level radioactive process or steam condensate sources.

The representative sites originally identified for the 200-MW-1 OU in the waste site grouping report (DOE-RL 1997) (216-A-4 Crib, 216-T-33 Crib, and 216-U-3 french drain) were all selected to remain as representative sites for the work plan.

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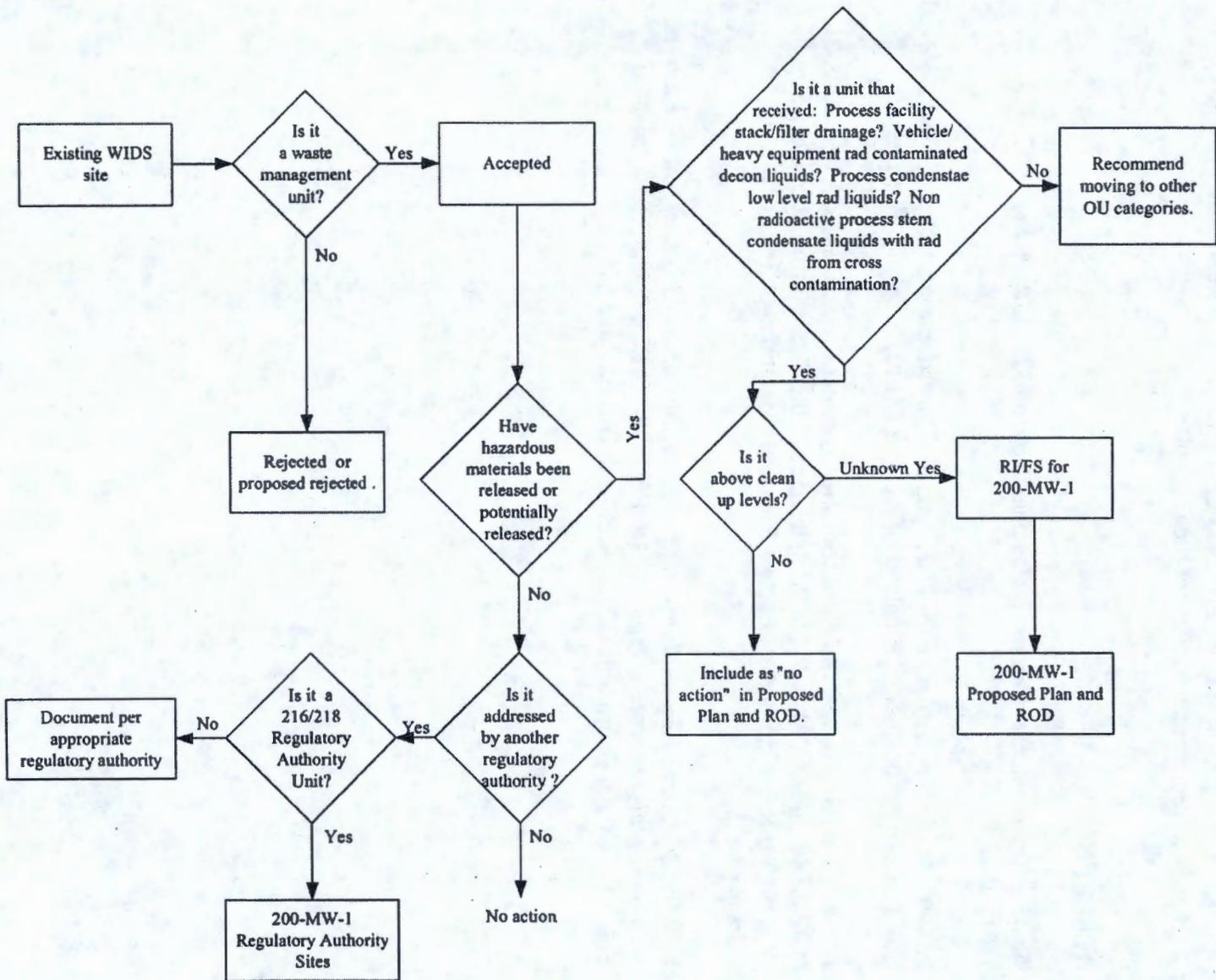
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Figure A-1. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Site Review Flow Diagram.<sup>a</sup>



<sup>a</sup> Based on RL-TPA-90-001(DOE-RL 1998)  
 ROD = Record of Decision  
 RI/FS = remedial investigation/feasibility study

Table A-1. WIDS Classification Rejected Sites.

| Site Code | Site Names                                       | Site Type                    | Previous OU | Comments                   |
|-----------|--|------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|
| 600-267   | 600-267, weather station 90-day storage pad      | Storage pad (<90 day)        | N/A         | Drums/barrels/buckets/cans |
| 200-E-108 | 200-E-108, well drilling laydown yard pit        | Depression/pit (nonspecific) | N/A         |                            |
| 200-E-119 | 200-E-119, 225-B west side 90-day pad            | Storage pad (<90 day)        | N/A         | Drums/barrels/buckets/cans |
| 200-W-74  | 200-W-74, 90-day storage area east side of 622-F | Storage pad (<90 day)        | N/A         | Drums/barrels/buckets/cans |

NA = not applicable

Table A-2. WIDS Classification Proposed Rejected Sites.

| Site Code | Site Names   | Site Type              | Previous OU | Comments                       |
|-----------|--|------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| 600-254   | 600-254, abandoned 251-W substation mineral oil underground pipelines                                      | Product piping         | 200-NO-1    | Oil                            |
| 616-WS-1  | 616-WS-1, 616 NDWSF french drain   | French drain           | 200-IU-5    | Storm run-off                  |
| 200-W-19  | 200-W-19, steam line asbestos release  | Unplanned release      | 200-RO-2    | Asbestos (friable)             |
| 200-W-65  | 200-W-65, concrete vault northwest of WRAP, water pumping station vault, abandoned water system pump vault | Control structure      | 200-ZP-3    | Miscellaneous trash and debris |
| 200-E-61  | 200-E-61, 202A Building stormwater run-off, miscellaneous stream #467                                      | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Storm run-off                  |

NDWSF = Nonradioactive Dangerous Waste Storage Facility

WRAP = Waste Receiving and Processing (Facility)

Table A-3. WIDS Reclass Status Rejected Sites. (2 Pages)

| Site Code    | Site Names   | Site Type                    | Previous OU | Comments                   |
|--------------|--|------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|
| 209-E-WS-1   | 209-E-WS-1, 209-E french drain   | French drain                 | 200-SO-1    | Steam condensate           |
| 216-B-56     | 216-B-56, 216-B-56 Crib  | Crib                         | 200-BP-6    | Process effluent           |
| 216-B-61     | 216-B-61, 216-B-61 Crib  | Crib                         | 200-BP-1    | Steam condensate           |
| 2704-E-HWSA  | 2704-E HWSA, 2704-E hazardous waste storage area   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-SS-1    | Barrels/drums/buckets/cans |
| 2718-E-WS-1  | 2718-E-WS-1, 2718 french drains  | French drain                 | 200-SO-1    | Water                      |
| UPR-200-E-13 | UPR-200-E-13, overflow from 216-A-4, UN-200-E-13, UPR-200-E-15   | Unplanned release            | 200-PO-2    | Process effluent           |
| UPR-200-E-15 | UPR-200-E-15, overflow at 216-A-4, UN-200-E-15, UPR-200-E-13   | Unplanned release            | 200-PO-2    | Process effluent           |
| UPR-200-W-30 | 216-S-12, UPR-200-W-30, 291-S stack wash sump, REDOX stack flush trench  | Trench                       | 200-RO-3    | Water                      |
| 200-E-32     | 200-E-32, 226-B pad east side 90-day waste accumulation area   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-BP-6    |                            |
| 200-E-40     | 200-E-40, PUREX sample gallery 90-day waste accumulation area  | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-PO-2    |                            |
| 200-E-33     | 200-E-33, PUREX 214-A 90-day waste accumulation areas  | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-PO-2    |                            |
| 200-E-34     | 200-E-34, PUREX high-level waste room 90-day waste accumulation area   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-PO-2    |                            |
| 200-E-35     | 200-E-35, 209-E 90-day waste accumulation area, 209-EA   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-SO-1    |                            |
| 200-E-36     | 200-E-36, 241-AZ 90-day waste accumulation area  | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-PO-2    |                            |
| 200-W-47     | 200-W-47, 211-T storage pad 90-day waste accumulation area   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-TP-4    |                            |
| 600-215      | 600-215, 6265A 90-day waste accumulation area  | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-IU-5    | Barrels/drums/buckets/cans |
| 200-E-50     | 200-E-50, 284-E brine pit, 284-E salt dissolving pit and brine pump pit  | Sump                         | 200-SS-1    | Demolition and inert waste |
| 200-W-60     | 200-W-60, 284-W brine pit, 284-W salt dissolving pit and brine pump pit  | Sump                         | 200-SS-2    | Demolition and inert waste |
| 200-W-61     | 200-W-61, 284 powerhouse coal ramp washdown pit, 200 West powerhouse coal ramp washdown pit, miscellaneous stream #471 | Depression/pit (nonspecific) | 200-SS-2    | Water                      |

Table A-3. WIDS Reclass Status Rejected Sites. (2 Pages)

| Site Code | Site Names   | Site Type                    | Previous OU | Comments |
|-----------|--|------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| 200-E-51  | 200-E-51, 284-E powerhouse coal ramp washdown pit, 200 East powerhouse coal ramp washdown pit, miscellaneous stream #177 | Depression/pit (nonspecific) | 200-SS-1    | Water    |
| 200-W-50  | 200-W-50, 2706-T 90-day waste accumulation area  | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-TP-4    |          |
| 200-E-39  | 200-E-39, PUREX Room 52, hood 32, 90-day waste accumulation area   | Storage pad (<90 day)        | 200-PO-2    |          |

REDOX = Reduction-Oxidation (Plant)

Table A-4. 216/218 Regulatory Authority Sites.<sup>a</sup> (3 Pages)

| Site Code | Site Names  | Site Type              | Previous OU | Comments         |
|-----------|---|------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| 200-E-62  | 200-E-62, 202A Building steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #71, injection well (Z)      | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-63  | 200-E-63, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #72, injection well (AA)        | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-64  | 200-E-64, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #69, injection well (W)         | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-65  | 200-E-65, 202A Building steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #464, injection well (R)     | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-68  | 200-E-68, 291A control house steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #59, injection well (L) | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-69  | 200-E-69, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #56, injection well (A)         | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-70  | 200-E-70, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #64, injection well (Q)         | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-71  | 200-E-71, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #63, injection well (O)         | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |

Table A-4. 216/218 Regulatory Authority Sites.<sup>a</sup> (3 Pages)

| Site Code | Site Names   | Site Type              | Previous OU | Comments         |
|-----------|--|------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| 200-E-72  | 200-E-72, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #60, injection well (G)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-73  | 200-E-73, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #61, injection well (M)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-74  | 200-E-74, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #62, injection well (N)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-75  | 200-E-75, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #67, injection well (B)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-76  | 200-E-76, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #65, injection well (U)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-77  | 200-E-77, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #70, injection well (S)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-78  | 200-E-78, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #70, injection well (Y)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-79  | 200-E-79, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #66, injection well (T)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-80  | 200-E-80, line #8801 steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #68, injection well (V)    | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-81  | 200-E-81, MO035 facility water valve, miscellaneous stream #533                        | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Water valve      |
| 200-E-82  | 200-E-82, steam trap 2P-YARD- MSS-TRP-040, miscellaneous stream #115                   | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-84  | 200-E-84, 202A Building steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #58, injection well (C) | Injection/reverse well | 200-PO-2    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-88  | 200-E-88, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #3                       | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-89  | 200-E-89, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #4                       | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |

Table A-4. 216/218 Regulatory Authority Sites.<sup>a</sup> (3 Pages)

| Site Code | Site Names   | Site Type              | Previous OU | Comments         |
|-----------|--|------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| 200-E-90  | 200-E-90, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #5         | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-91  | 200-E-91, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #6         | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-92  | 200-E-92, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #7         | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-93  | 200-E-93, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #8         | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-94  | 200-E-94, B Plant yard steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #9         | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-95  | 200-E-95, 222-B Building steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #308     | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-97  | 200-E-97, 212-B Building, steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #470    | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-98  | 200-E-98, 271-B Building ice machine overflow, miscellaneous stream #490 | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-99  | 200-E-99 steam trap 2P-YARD-MSS-TRP-017, miscellaneous stream #570       | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |
| 200-E-100 | 200-E-100 steam trap 2P-YARD-MSS-TRP-019, miscellaneous stream #571      | Injection/reverse well | 200-BP-6    | Steam condensate |

<sup>a</sup> The sites identified in this table have been provided to the regulatory agency for rejection.

Table A-5. Summary of Information for 200-MW-1 Waste Sites Reviewed in Work Plan. (32 Pages)

| Site Code Type  | Site Names  | Location  | Dates of Operation | Source Facility   | Contaminant Inventory/Volume Released   | Depth  | Waste Site Dimensions           | General Description   |
|---|---|---|--------------------|---|---|--|---------------------------------|---|
| <i>Process Facility Ventilation Stack and Sand Filter Sources</i> |   |   |                    |   |   |  |                                 |   |
| 216-A-4 Crib (Rep. Site)  | 216-A-4, 216-A-4 cavern                                 | South of the 202-A Building and east of 216-A-2, inside the PUREX exclusion fence.            | 1955 to 1958       | Laboratory cell drainage from the 202-A Building and 291-A-1 stack drainage. For a detailed description of this site see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites. | 6,210,000 L with U (395 kg), Pu (140 g), Cs-137 (6.93 Ci), Sr-90 (4.39 Ci), NO <sub>3</sub> (300 kg), Na <sub>2</sub> Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> (110 kg) | 5.5 m (18 ft) depth to top of crib, 2.1 m (7 ft) depth of rock bed, 0.3 m (1 ft) gravel, sand and sisal-kraft paper. | 6.1 m by 6.1 m (20 ft by 20 ft) | For a detailed description of this site, see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites.   |
| 216-A-41 Crib   | 216-A-41 Crib, 291-AR stack drain, 296-A-13 stack drain | Northwest of the 296-A-13 stack, west of Buffalo Ave. and north of the 244-AR vault facility. | 1968 to 1974       | Drainage from the 296-A-13 stack. The stack connected to the 291-AR Filter Building.  | 10,000 L <sup>a</sup>   | 2 m (7 ft)   | 3 m by 3 m (10 ft by 10 ft)     | The crib contains six 20-cm by 20-cm by 41-cm (8-in. by 8-in. by 16-in.) bond beam concrete blocks, placed end-to-end to form the dispersion structure 1.2 m (4 ft) below grade. The crib has an inlet pipe from the 296-A-13 stack and a 20-mil polyethylene barrier separating the gravel from the backfill. The site is not marked in the field and the exact location of this unit has not been confirmed. Several temporary buildings are located near the crib at the present time. |

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|----------------|----------------------------|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|--|
| 216-A-21 Crib  | 216-A-21,<br>216-A-21 Crib | South of the 202-A Building, inside the PUREX exclusion fence. | 1957 to 1965       | Until June 1958, the site received sump waste from 293-A Building. From June 1958 to December 1958, the site was inactive. From December 1958 to June 1965, the site received the above effluent, laboratory cell drainage from the 202-A Building, and 291-A-1 stack drainage. | 77,900,000 L <sup>a</sup>             | N/A   | 18 m by 5 m<br>(62 ft by 16 ft) | A 10-cm (4 in.) stainless-steel distribution line runs horizontally through the length of the site, 2.1 m (7 ft) below grade. Branching horizontally from this distribution line are four 1.2-m (4-ft) sections of 10-cm (4-in.) tubing. Branching vertically at the same locations are four 2.4-m (8-ft) sections of 10-cm (4-in.) Schedule 40 perforated pipe running to the bottom of the site. The excavation is V-shaped in cross-section with a side slope of 1H:1.5V. The excavation has approximately 1.8 m (6 ft) of gravel fill and was backfilled. The site was surface stabilized in 1999 and posted with URM signs. |

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|-----------------|---|--|--------------------|---|--|-------------|-------------------------------|---|
| 216-A-27 Crib   | 216-A-27,<br>216-A-27 Crib  | South of the PUREX Facility, partially inside the double security fence. | 1965 to 1970       | Sump waste from the 293-A Building, laboratory cell drainage from the 202-A Building, and 291-A-1 stack drainage. | 23,200,000 L with U (67.5 kg), Pu (96.5 g), Cs-137 (32.4 Ci), Sr-90 (24.5 Ci) <sup>a</sup> | N/A         | 61 m by 3 m (200 ft by 10 ft) | A 15-cm (6-in.) perforated pipe is placed horizontally the length of the unit at approximately 3 m (10 ft) below grade. The crib also has a 20-cm (8-in.)-diameter well extending from a concrete pad, a 20-cm (8-in.) vent riser with filter, a 41-cm (16-in.) pipe for a recorder, a 3.8-cm (1.5-in.) sensing bulb well, and a polyethylene barrier. The side slope is 1H:1.5V. The crib is covered with gravel and is marked and posted with URM signs. The crib was monitored by the 299-E17-2 and 299-E17-3 wells. |
| 216-S-12 Trench | 216-S-12,<br>UPR-200-W-30,<br>291-S stack wash sump, REDOX stack flush trench | Northeast of the 202-S (REDOX) Facility, north of 291-S stack.           | 1954               | Liquid waste from 291-S stack flush water.  | 68,100 L with U (5.94 kg), Pu (1.0 g), Cs-137 (0.43 Ci), Sr-90 (0.41 Ci)                   | 3 m (10 ft) | 27 m by 6 m (89 ft by 20 ft)  | The unit was constructed in July 1954 to receive flush water containing ammonium nitrate from the 291-S stack complex. The trench was retired when the flush of the 291-S-1 stack was complete, also in July 1954. The trench was deactivated by removing the above-ground piping and then backfilling. The site is surrounded with cement marker posts and chains, and is posted with URM signs.   |

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|-----------------------|---|--|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|---|
| 216-B-13 french drain | 216-B-13,<br>216-B-13 french drain,<br>291-B Crib,<br>216-B-B,<br>216-B-13 Crib | South of 221-B and northeast of the 291-B-1 stack. | 1945 to 1976       | 291-B stack drainage. | 21,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 6 m (20 ft) | 6 m by 1 m<br>(20 ft by 3 ft) | The drain is constructed of two 1.22-m (4-ft)-diameter by 1.53-m (5-ft)-long tile pipes, stacked vertically and filled with crushed limestone. The unit has a plywood cover, located 2.44 m (8 ft) below grade. Two and a half tons (2,270 kg) of limestone were used as a base and to fill the tile pipes. The bottom of the drain is 5.5 m (18 ft) below ground surface. In June 1976, the stack drainage was rerouted to a cell drainage sample tank. A single, concrete AC-540 marker is the only site identifier. A URM sign is attached to the concrete post. |

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|-----------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 200-E-55 french drain | 200-E-55, effluent drain east of 291-B sand filter, miscellaneous stream #322 | East of the east end of the 291-B sand filter (WIDS site 200-E-30).                     | 1948 to 1997       | Condensate from the B Plant canyon sand filter and rain water that leaked through the sand filter roof. | N/A                                   | 1 m (3 ft) | 2 m by 1 m (7 ft by 3 ft)     | There are no visual surface features for this drain; it has been marked with a single steel post. The drain is below grade and east of the B Plant sand filter.  |
| 216-T-29 french drain | 216-T-29, 291-T sand filter sewer, 216-T-29 french drain                      | Adjacent to the north end of the 291-T sand filter and northeast of the 221-T Building. | 1949 to 1964       | Canyon air condensate from the 291-T sand filter.   | 74,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 1 m (3 ft) | 1 m by 0.2 m (3 ft by 0.7 ft) | The site is part of the sand filter construction. In 1964 the sand filter bypass water seal was removed, deactivating the french drain. The sand filter was deactivated because new air filters were installed in each cell of the 221-T Building. The sand filter bypass water seal was removed, allowing the 221-T Building exhaust air to flow directly to the 291-T-1 stack. The site has a vent riser protruding through the roof of the northwest corner of the sand filter. This is assumed to be the location of the drain. The site is marked and posted as a CA. |

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|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------|------------------------|---|
| 216-T-31<br>french drain | 216-T-31,<br>216-T-31 french<br>drain | West of Camden Ave., near the southeast corner of the 241-TX tank farm, on the east side of 241-TX tank farm fence. | 1954 to 1962       | Steam condensate from a steam line blowout during efforts to unplug a waste line. | N/A                                   | N/A   | 1 m (3 ft) in diameter | This drain is a registered underground injection well. The unit was in operation in 1954 and abandoned in 1959 after it was contaminated by steam condensate from a steam line blowout during efforts to unplug a waste line. A new steam line was installed in 1959 and a new steam condensate drain was made to replace the contaminated drain. The french drain was exhumed in 1962. The contaminated culvert, gravel and soil were removed and buried in the 200 West Area dry burial ground. The site was released from radiation zone status in February 1962. The site is surrounded by a chain-link fence and is posted with SCA signs. |

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|-----------------------|--|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| 216-A-33 french drain | 216-A-33, 216-A-33 dry well, 216-A-26B | Inside the PUREX security fence, south of 202-A, and southwest of the 291-A stack. | 1955 to 1964       | Bearing coolant waste from the 291-A-1 stack electrical exhaust fans. | N/A                                   | 4 m (13 ft) | 4 m by 2 m (13 ft by 7 ft) | The site has a 5-cm (2-in.) inlet pipe entering at 1.5 m (5 ft) below grade. Project B-295A constructed the 291-AE Building over the area where this drain was located. The inlet piping was capped and the drain was removed from service in 1964 because water was no longer used as a coolant for electrical fans. The site was deactivated by capping the effluent pipeline to the unit on the south side of the 291-A fan plenum. |

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|--------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 216-C-2 injection/reverse well | 216-C-2, 291-C dry well, 216-C-2 dry well                             | Inside the 200-E-41 stabilized area, south of 7th Street in the 200 East Area. It is southeast of the former 291-C-1 stack location, in the Hot Semiworks area. | 1953 to 1988       | 291-C stack drainage and the seal water drainage from the stack ventilation filters. Volume discharged to the unit is unknown.                    | N/A                                   | 12 m (40 ft) | 12 m by 0.3 m (39 ft by 0.9 ft)  | The dry well was a 30.5-cm (12-in.)-diameter pipe that extended 0.3 m (1 ft) above grade to 12 m (40 ft) below ground surface. The bottom 7.6 m (25 ft) of the pipe was perforated. The drain is surrounded by a concrete collar at grade. A 10-cm (4-in.) stainless-steel, saran-lined inlet pipe connected the unit to the 291-C-1 stack. A second inlet line constructed of 5.1-cm (2-in.) stainless-steel pipe connected to the 291-C-1 stack ventilation filter. The unit was decommissioned in 1988 and buried with the 291-C-1 stack during the demolition activities. The reverse well is no longer visible. It is not separately marked or posted from the surrounding stabilized area (200-E-41) that is posted as URM. |
| 216-B-4 injection/reverse well | 216-B-4, 216-B-4 french drain, 216-B-4 dry well, 216-B-4 reverse well | South of the 221-B Building, east of the 222-B Building and northeast of the 292-B Building   | 1945 to 1949       | Before August 1947, the site received drainage from the 291-B stack. After August 1947, the site received floor drainage from the 292-B Building. | 10,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | N/A          | 34 m by 0.2 m (112 ft by 0.7 ft) | The top of the well extends 0.6 m (2 ft) above ground. The site is marked with a single, concrete AC-540 marker post, with a URM sign attached to the post.   |

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|---|----------------------------|--|--------------------|---|--|--|--------------------------------|--|
| <i>Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Facility Decontamination Sources</i> |                            |  |                    |   |  |  |                                |  |
| 216-T-33 Crib<br>(Rep. Site)                                    | 216-T-33,<br>216-T-33 Crib | West of 221-T Canyon Building and southwest of 2706-T. | 1963               | Liquid waste from 2706-T Building.  | 1,900,000 L with U (5.94 kg), Pu (5.0 g), Cs-137 (0.27 Ci), Sr-90 (0.26 Ci) <sup>a</sup> | 3.3 m (10.8 ft) depth to bottom of crib<br><br>2 m (6.8 ft) overburden | 9 m by 2 m<br>(30 ft by 7 ft)  | For a detailed description of this site, see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites.  |
| 216-A-32 Crib   | 216-A-32,<br>216-A-32 Crib | Northeast of 202-A, inside the PUREX exclusion fence.  | 1959 to 1972       | 202-A canyon crane maintenance facility floor, sink, and shower drainage. | 4,000 L  | 4 m (13 ft) depth of crib<br><br>2 m (7 ft) overburden                 | 21 m by 2 m<br>(69 ft by 7 ft) | The site is constructed of 24 m (77.5 ft) of 15-cm (6-in.) perforated vitrified clay pipe, placed horizontally 15 m (5 ft) below grade. Two layers of sisal-kraft paper separate the crib gravel from the overlying earthen backfill. The excavation has a side slope of 1H:1.5V, which is filled to the depth of 1.5 m (5 ft), with 200 m <sup>3</sup> (6,000 ft <sup>3</sup> ) of gravel fill. The site is currently surrounded with cement posts with URM signs. There is an inner area marked with steel posts, chains, and SCA signs. |

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|--|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---|
| <i>Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Field Decontamination Sources</i> |   |   |                    |   |                                       |             |                                 |   |
| 216-T-11 Trench  | 216-T-11, decontamination trenches, equipment decontamination area  | West of 221-T and southwest of the 216-T-33 Crib.                     | 1951 to 1954       | Liquid waste disposal of heavy equipment and vehicle decontamination waste. | N/A                                   | 2 m (7 ft)  | 15 m by 3 m (49 ft by 10 ft)    | The site consists of a backfilled trench. In 1954, the unit was backfilled, and decontamination operations were transferred to the 269-W garage facility, which discharged to the 216-T-13 Trench. In May 1972, the site was exhumed. All contamination was taken to the 200 West Area dry waste burial ground. The 216-T-9, 216-T-10, and 216-T-11 Trenches were then released from radiation zone status. This is no longer marked or posted. |
| 216-T-13 Trench (Rep. Site)                                  | 216-T-13, 269-W regulated garage, 269-W decontamination pit or trench, 216-T-12, 269-W regulated garage decontamination pit | North side of the 241-TY tank farm, just outside the perimeter fence. | 1954 to 1964       | Vehicle decontamination wastes from the 269-W garage.                       | N/A                                   | 3 m (10 ft) | 6.1 m by 6.1 m (20 ft by 20 ft) | For a detailed description of this site, see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites.   |

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|----------------|---|--|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---|
| 216-T-9 Trench | 216-T-9, decontamination trenches, equipment decontamination area | West of the 221-T Building and southwest of the 216-T-33 Crib. | 1951 to 1954       | Subsurface liquid disposal of vehicle decontamination waste from heavy equipment and other vehicles. | N/A                                   | 2 m (7 ft) | 15 m by 3 m (49 ft by 10 ft) | In May 1972, the site was exhumed. All contamination was taken to the 200 West Area dry waste burial ground. The 216-T-9, 216-T-10, and 216-T-11 Trenches were then released from radiation zone status. This site consists of a backfilled trench. The site is no longer marked or posted. |

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|--------------------|--|---------------------------------|--------------------|--|---|-------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| 216-U-13<br>Trench | 216-U-13,<br>216-U-13 Cribs,<br>216-U-13,<br>vehicle steam<br>cleaning pit | West of the<br>241-U tank farm. | 1952 to<br>1956    | Drainage from equipment<br>steam cleaning and<br>decontamination activities<br>done inside the trenches. | 11,400 L with U<br>(0.35 kg), Pu<br>(0.1 g), Cs-137<br>( $4.4 \times 10^{-2}$ Ci), Sr-90<br>( $4.2 \times 10^{-2}$ Ci) <sup>a</sup> | 6 m (20 ft) | 61 m by<br>6.1 m (200 ft<br>by 20 ft) | The site consisted of two trenches of equal dimensions and operated as a decontamination pit where vehicles were driven down to the decontamination station at the bottom. The pits were used mainly to decontaminate trucks and cranes bearing low levels of radioactive contamination. Several large pumps used in the uranium recovery process were also cleaned here, but the residue was scraped and taken to the 200 West Area burial grounds. The site was deactivated because the decontamination operations were transferred to the 269-W garage equipment decontamination waste pit (216-T-13). The 216-U-13 was found to be free of surface and subsurface radiological contamination, and the area was released from radiological control in 1982. The two trenches are no longer marked or posted. |

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|-----------------|--|--|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---|
| 216-T-10 Trench | 216-T-10, decontamination trenches, equipment decontamination area | West of the 221-T Building and southwest of the 216-T-33 Crib. | 1951 to 1954       | Subsurface liquid disposal of heavy equipment and vehicle decontamination waste. | N/A                                   | 2 m (7 ft) | 15 m by 3 m (49 ft by 10 ft) | In May 1972, the site was exhumed. All contamination was taken to the 200 West Area dry waste burial ground. The 216-T-9, 216-T-10, and 216-T-11 Trenches were then released from radiation zone status. This site consists of a backfilled trench. The site is no longer marked or posted. |

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|-----------------|--|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|--|
| 216-S-18 Trench | 216-S-18, 241-SX steam cleaning pit, 216-S-14 steam cleaning pit | North of 13th Street, east of 241-S tank farms, and southwest of 216-S-9 Crib. | 1954               | Contaminated equipment and contaminated soil from the surrounding area. | 98,400 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 2 m (7 ft) | 38 m by 4.6 m (125 ft by 16 ft) | The trench was built and retired in October 1954. It was active during the month of October 1954 as a vehicle decontamination pit. The unit is L-shaped, the surface is composed of sand and gravel, and it is 1.2 to 1.8 m (4 to 6 ft) below grade. In 1972, the site was backfilled and released from radiation zone status. During the stabilization of UPR-200-W-165 and UPR-200-W-114 in 1995, contamination specks were found in the shallow trench excavation. The area was posted as a radiation area. The source of the contamination is assumed to be contamination specks from the operation of the 241-S tank farms. In 1997, a small area of contaminated soil remaining from UPR-200-W-114 was pushed into the 216-S-18 Trench depression. The 216-S-18 Trench area was then covered with clean dirt and posted as a URM area. |

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|--|---|--|--------------------|--|---|-----------------|------------------------------------|---|
| 200-E-102 Trench   | 200-E-102, contaminated soil trench     | 20.7 m (68 ft) south of the south boundary of 216-A-4 Crib.                | 1958               | UPR-200-E-15   | N/A   | 1 m (3 ft)      | 24 m by 3 m (79 ft by 10 ft)       | The trench was used to bury contaminated soil from an unplanned release (WIDS site UPR-200-E-15). When the 216-A-4 Crib became plugged in 1958, the ground between the 216-A-4 Crib and 291-A turbine house flooded. The contaminated soil was scraped up and placed into a slit trench near the south end of the crib. The trench was covered with 0.3 m (1 ft) clean dirt. The trench is inside the surface stabilized URM area south of PUREX that is known as WIDS site 200-E-103. The trench is not separately marked or posted. |
| <b>Low-Level Radioactive Process or Steam Condensate Sources</b> |   |  |                    |  |   |                 |                                    |   |
| 216-U-3 french drain (Rep. Site)                                 | 216-U-3, 216-U-11, 216-U-3 french drain | South of the 241-U tank farm on the south side of 16 <sup>th</sup> Street. | 1954 to 1955       | Condensate from the steam condenser on the 241-U-110 tank. | 791,000 L with U (18 kg), Pu (0.1 g), Cs-137 (0.43 Ci), Sr-90 (0.41 Ci) | 3.6 m (11.8 ft) | 3.6 m by 1.8 m (11.8 ft by 5.9 ft) | For a detailed description of this site, see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites.   |

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|-------------------------|---|---|--------------------|--|--|-------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 216-U-7<br>french drain | 216-U-7,<br>221-U vessel<br>vent blower pit<br>french drain | Southeast side of<br>the 221-U Building<br>and of the<br>241-UX-154<br>diversion box. | 1952 to<br>1957    | Liquid wastes from a<br>counting box floor drain<br>during the metal recovery<br>program at the<br>221-U Building. | 7,000 L with<br>U ( $1.4 \times 10^{-2}$ kg) | 5 m (16 ft) | 5 m by 1 m<br>(16 ft by 3 ft) | The drain is constructed of a gravel-filled 76-cm (30-in.)-diameter concrete pipe, set vertically into the ground, extending to a depth of 5 m (16 ft). Gravel fills 1.1 m (3.5 ft) of the pipe. The site was retired when the uranium recovery operations in the 221-U Building were shut down in 1957. In 1998, the contaminated areas on the east side of the 221-U building were surface stabilized with material from the 200 Area ash pit. The area was reposted to URM (see UPR-200-W-138 and UPR-200-W-162). |

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|---|--|--|--------------------|---|---|-------|------------------------------|--|
| UPR-200-W-138 unplanned release   | UPR-200-W-138, 221-U vessel vent blower pit french drain, UN-216-W-11, UN-200-W-138, UN-200-W-22, UPR-200-W-22 | Southeast corner of the 221-U Building, near the R-3 entrance; located inside the larger, surface stabilized area (UPR-200-W-162). | 1953 to 1953       | Ground surface may have been contaminated through the 216-U-7 french drain. | An estimated 140 kg (300 lb) of uranium nitrate hexahydrate solution, containing 14 kg (30 lb) of uranium. <sup>b</sup> | N/A   | N/A                          | Uranyl nitrate hexahydrate solution overflowed into the 221-U Building vessel vent blower pit, then onto the ground through the french drain. The site was described as the ground near the R-3 entrance to the 221-U Building. The area has been surface stabilized and posted with URM signs. In 1998, the contaminated areas on the east side of 221-U were covered with clean backfill material (see UPR-200-W-162). The area was reposted as a URM. |
| <i>Nonradiological Process Steam Condensate Sources with Radionuclide Cross-Contamination</i> |  |  |                    |   |   |       |                              |  |
| 216-SX-2 Crib   | 216-SX-2 Crib  | East side of Cooper Ave., adjacent to the 241-SX tank farm.  | 1952 to 1965       | Waste from the 241-SX-701 compressor house.                                 | N/A   | N/A   | 19 m by 8 m (62 ft by 26 ft) | The site is a gravel filled crib topped with a subsurface layer of sisal-kraft paper. In July 2000, the vent risers were sealed as a preventative measure for potential passive radioactive emissions. It is labeled "216-SX-2" on three sides with old-style black and white signs. The crib is currently surrounded by light posts and posted with URM signs.  |

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|--------------------------|---|---|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|
| 2704-C-WS-1 french drain | 2704-C-WS-1, 2704-C french drain, gatehouse french drain                  | 200 East Area at the southwest corner of the 2704-C Building. | 1949 to 1998       | 2704-C Building steam condensate.  | N/A                                   | N/A  | N/A                        | The 2704-C Building was originally built in 1949 to support the Hot Semiworks operations. It was a one-story wooden structure, on a cement slab foundation, and was designated as a contaminated facility. The 2704-C Building was demolished in 1998. The area where the building stood is covered with gravel and posted with URM signs. The drain is no longer visible at the location described.  |
| 216-Z-13 french drain    | 216-Z-13, 234-5 dry well #1, 216-Z-13 dry well, miscellaneous stream #261 | Northeast of the 291-Z stack.                                 | 1949 to 1999       | Steam condensate from the 219-Z stack ET-8 exhaust fans and building steam condensate. | N/A                                   | 3 m (10 ft) overburden<br>5 m (16 ft) depth of drain | 5 m by 1 m (16 ft by 3 ft) | The drain is constructed of two 90-cm (36-in.)-diameter tile culverts, placed end-to-end in a 4.6-m (15-ft)-deep gravel-backfilled excavation. The site is under 2.7 m (9 ft) of gravel. Two pipes discharged to the french drain, but the miscellaneous stream (#261) to the drain has been eliminated. The site is addressed in the miscellaneous streams best management practices report as a "b" stream (i.e., a stream discharging in a SCA). However, in 2001, the area was not posted as a SCA. |

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| Site Code Type        | Site Names  | Location                      | Dates of Operation | Source Facility   | Contaminant Inventory/Volume Released | Depth  | Waste Site Dimensions      | General Description  |
|-----------------------|---|-------------------------------|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|
| 216-Z-14 french drain | 216-Z-14, 234-5 dry well #2, 216-Z-14 dry well, miscellaneous stream #262 | Northwest of the 291-Z stack. | 1949 to present    | Emergency condensate from the ET-9 exhaust fan and building steam condensate. | N/A                                   | 3 m (10 ft) overburden<br>5 m (16 ft) depth of drain | 5 m by 1 m (15 ft by 3 ft) | The drain is constructed of two 90-cm (36-in.)-diameter tile culverts, placed end-to-end in a 4.6-m (15-ft)-deep gravel-backfilled excavation. The site is under 2.7 m (9 ft) of gravel. Two pipes discharge to the french drain. The site is also addressed in the miscellaneous streams best management practices report as a "b" stream (i.e., a stream discharging in a SCA). However, in 2001, the area was not posted a SCA. The drain is marked with a single cement marker post. |

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| Site Code Type           | Site Names  | Location  | Dates of Operation | Source Facility   | Contaminant Inventory/Volume Released | Depth       | Waste Site Dimensions         | General Description   |
|--------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|---|
| 216-A-11<br>french drain | 216-A-11 french drain,<br>miscellaneous stream #465 | Near the southeast corner of the 202-A Building, south of trap pit #1.                        | 1956 to 1972       | Steam and equipment leakage that drained from the 202-A Building.   | 100,000 L <sup>a</sup>                | 9 m (30 ft) | 9 m by 1 m<br>(30 ft by 3 ft) | The drain extends 9 m (30 ft) deep into the ground and is 0.8 m (2.6 ft) in diameter. It is constructed of two concrete pipes, placed vertically end-to-end, placed in a 3-m (10-ft)-diameter excavation, which extends 1.5 m (5 ft) below the bottom of the pipe. The unit is composed of two reinforced-concrete pipes, placed vertically end-to-end. The site is inside a small area delineated by steel posts and chain. A 0.76-m (2.5-ft)-diameter, circular metal cover is visible. One concrete AC-540 marker identifies the site. It is posted as a URM area. |
| 216-A-12<br>french drain | 216-A-12,<br>miscellaneous stream #463              | Center of the south side of the 202-A Building, approximately 23 m (75 ft) from the building. | 1955 to 1972       | Steam condensate, rain water and equipment leakage from the 202-A Building went to a sump in the bottom of pit #3 | 100,000 L <sup>a</sup>                | 6 m (20 ft) | 6 m by 1 m<br>(20 ft by 1 ft) | The unit is composed of two reinforced-concrete tile pipes, placed vertically end-to-end in a 3-m (10-ft)-diameter excavation, extending 1.5 m (5 ft) below the bottom. Both the drain and the excavation are filled with gravel to the top of the unit and backfilled. The drain has a side slope of 1H:1V. The site is not marked or posted and cannot be visually located.   |

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|-----------------------|--|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| 216-A-13 french drain | 216-A-13, 216-A-13 french drain, miscellaneous stream #460 | Approximately 6 m (20 ft) west and 6 m (20 ft) south of the southwest corner of the 202-A Building. | 1956 to 1962       | Seal water from the air sampler vacuum pumps in the 202-A Building. | 10,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 6 m (20 ft) | 6 m by 1 m (20 ft by 3 ft) | The drain is constructed of two lengths of 1-m (3-ft)-diameter concrete pipe, placed vertically end-to-end, to a depth of 5.5 m (18 ft). The waste management unit is filled to a depth of 1 m (3 ft) with 5- to 8-cm (2- to 3-in.)-diameter gravel. The base of the drain was over-excavated by at least 0.3 m (1 ft) in all directions and was filled with a bed of gravel. The line to this french drain was cut and capped in 1962. The effluent was diverted to the 216-A-35 drain. The site is not marked or posted and a 1.2-m (45-in.)-diameter metal cover is visible over the drain. |

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|-----------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|--|
| 216-A-35 french drain | 216-A-35 french drain,<br>216-A-35 dry well | Approximately 9 m (30 ft) south of the west end of the 202-A PUREX Building, south of the 216-A-13 french drain. | 1963 to 1966       | Seal cooling water from the air sampler vacuum pumps in the 202-A Building. The water was is low in salt, neutral-to-basic, and contained less than 1 Ci total beta activity. | 10,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 5 m (16 ft) | 5 m by 2 m (16 ft by 7 ft) | The site has an inlet pipe located 3.2 m (10.5 ft) below grade. This french drain was a replacement for the 216-A-13 french drain. Disposal to the site was terminated when the effluent flow rate exceeded the infiltration capacity of the soil. The site was deactivated by capping the effluent pipeline to the unit and rerouting the effluent to the 216-A-29 ditch via the 202-A chemical sewer. The drain is a raised cement structure, painted yellow and surrounded with URM signs. The top cover is marked as a confined space. |

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|--------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 216-A-14<br>french drain | 216-A-14, french drain – vacuum cleaner filter pit, miscellaneous stream #462 | South of the center of the 202-A Building, 5.5 m (18 ft) east of the filter pit.   | 1956 to 1972       | Steam condensate, stormwater and equipment leakage from the 202-A Building. | 1,000 L <sup>a</sup>                  | 9 m (30 ft) | 9 m by 1 m (230 ft by 3 ft) | The unit is composed of two 0.8-m (2.6-ft)-diameter, reinforced-concrete pipes, placed vertically end-to-end, in a 3-m (10-ft)-diameter excavation. The pipes are placed to a depth of 8.8 m (28.8 ft) and the excavation extends below the bottom of the pipe 1.5 m (5 ft). Both the drain and the excavation are filled with 8 cm (3 in.) of gravel to the top. A sump is inside the pit and drains through an underground pipe to the buried french drain. The line to this site was cut and capped in 1962. The effluent was diverted to the 216-A-35 drain. The drain is not marked or posted and has no visible surface features. |
| 216-A-26<br>french drain | 216-A-26, 216-A-26 french drain, 216-A-26B, miscellaneous stream #464         | Inside the PUREX security fence, south of the 291-A control house and approximately 4.6 m (15 ft) south of 216-A-26A french drain. | 1965 to 1991       | Effluent from floor drains inside the 291-A fan house.                      | N/A                                   | 5 m (16 ft) | 5 m by 1 m (16 ft by 3 ft)  | This drain is constructed of three 1.5-m by 1.2-m (5-ft by 4-ft) clay pipes, placed end-to-end and filled with gravel. It was installed to replace the 216-A-26A french drain. The drain is accessed by a subsurface feeder pipe. The 216-A-26 was removed from service in 1991. There are no visible surface features for this drain.  |

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|------------------------|--|--|--------------------|---|--|-------------|------------------------------|--|
| 216-A-26A french drain | 216-A-26A, 216-A-25 Crib, 216-A-26 french drain, 291-A french drain                    | Inside the PUREX security fence, south of the 291-A Building.                          | 1959 to 1965       | Floor drainage from the 291-A fan control room.       | 1,000 L <sup>a</sup>   | 5 m (16 ft) | 5 m by 1 m (16 ft by 3 ft)   | The construction design of this waste management unit is identical to the 216-A-26 french drain except that the diameter is smaller. In 1965, the site was deactivated by removing the encasement and rerouting the effluent piping to the new 216-A-26 french drain encasement, located 4.6 m (15 ft) south. There are no surface features for this drain.  |
| 200-E-25 french drain  | 200-E-25, 272-BB french drain, insulation shop french drain, miscellaneous stream #659 | Approximately 6 m (20 ft) north of the northeast corner of the 272-BB insulation shop. | 1971 to 1991       | Possibly material used in the 272-BB insulation shop. | Calcium silicate, fiberglass, and silicate. Prior to 1988, it is possible that organic chemicals, oils and grease may have been introduced into the french drain. <sup>b</sup> | N/A         | 3 m by 0.6 m (10 ft by 2 ft) | The building sink and floor drain were connected to the site by a 5.1-cm (2-in.), Schedule 40 carbon-steel pipe. A 0.4-m (1.5-ft)-diameter grease trap with a removable cover is located on the east side of the 272-BB Building. The floor drain inside the building has been permanently plugged and the sink has been removed. The drain's structure is not visible from the surface. However, the location is marked with an old sign, mounted on two support posts: "ASBESTOS WASTE DISPOSAL SITE – DO NOT EXCAVATE." |

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|----------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--|
| 200-E-4 french drain (Rep. Site) | 200-E-4, Critical Mass Laboratory dry well north, 209-E north dry well, miscellaneous stream #730 | Approximately 7.6 m (25 ft) north of northeast corner of the 209-E Critical Mass Laboratory service building. | 1958 to 1959       | 209-E Critical Mass Laboratory by underground piping. | N/A                                   | N/A  | 1.2 m (4 ft)               | For a detailed description of this site, see Section 2.2.3, Representative Sites.  |
| 216-Z-15 french drain            | 216-Z-15, 234-5 dry well #3, 216-Z-15 dry well, miscellaneous stream #263                         | Adjacent to the southeast corner of the 2731-Z Building and north of the 291-Z Ventilation Building.          | 1949 to 1997       | Condensate from the S-12 evaporator cooler.           | N/A                                   | 5 m (16 ft) overburden<br>7 m (23 ft) depth of drain | 7 m by 1 m (23 ft by 3 ft) | Drain consists of two 90-cm (36-in.)-diameter tile culverts, stacked on end, in a 4.9-m (16-ft)-deep gravel, backfilled excavation. The unit is composed of two sections of vitrified clay pipe in a vertical configuration. There is one inlet pipe that is filled with cobbles and the upper end is covered with a wood plank. The site is also addressed in the miscellaneous streams best management practices report as a "b" stream (i.e., a stream discharging in a surface contaminated area). The 216-Z french drain has been inactive and its discharge source has been eliminated, since May 1997. The site is marked with a single concrete marker post that reads "BURIED RADIOACTIVITY - DO NOT EXCAVATE." |

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|---|---|--|--------------------|--|--|-------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 209-E-WS-2<br>french drain                | 209-E-WS-2,<br>Critical Mass<br>Laboratory<br>french drain                      | Southeast corner of<br>the Critical Mass<br>Laboratory<br>(laboratory wing). | N/A                | Condensate from the<br>Critical Mass Laboratory<br>HEPA filters and heat<br>exchange system.   | N/A  | N/A   | 1 m (3 ft)                            | The drain is a 1.2-m (4-ft)-<br>diameter drain in a gravel<br>area southeast of the building.<br>The site is associated with the<br>209-E Critical Mass<br>Laboratory. It is painted with<br>yellow paint and has a metal<br>cover.  |
| 299-E24-111<br>injection/<br>reverse well | 299-E24-111,<br>experimental test<br>well site,<br>miscellaneous<br>stream #803 | Southwest of the<br>PUREX Facility<br>and west of the<br>216-A-38-1 Crib.    | 1980 to<br>2000    | Radiological tracers of<br>strontium-85 and<br>cesium-134 were<br>delivered for weekly<br>injections and PNNL<br>injected a potassium<br>bromide tracer. | 41,580 L with<br>calcium chloride;<br>calcium nitrate;<br>Cs-134 ( $T_{1/2}$<br>=2.05 years); and<br>Sr-85<br>( $T_{1/2}$ =64.85 days). <sup>b</sup> | N/A   | 20 m by<br>0.2 m (66 ft<br>by 0.7 ft) | The site is an injection well<br>surrounded by 32 observation<br>wells. It was installed as an<br>experimental test site,<br>constructed to obtain<br>information about<br>radionuclide movement in<br>soil for data modeling and<br>migration forecasting.<br>Strontium-85 and cesium-134<br>were used as radioactive<br>tracers. The original test start<br>date was September 22, 1980,<br>ending on February 2, 1981.<br>PNNL scheduled an<br>additional injection<br>experiment at this site in 2000<br>that added another injection<br>well near the center of the<br>cluster, injected a potassium<br>bromide tracer and collected<br>soil cores. The 299-E24-111<br>injection well head is located<br>inside a small, posted URM<br>area. A small SCA is located<br>southwest of the well. |

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|----------------|---|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|---|
| 216-Z-21 pond  | 216-Z-21, 216-Z-21 seepage basin, PFP cold waste pond | East of the 234-5 complex (outside the Z Plant security fence) and southeast of the 216-Z-9 Trench | 1980 to 1995       | Effluent from various sources within Z Plant, including high-tank overflow, storm drain run-off, ventilation steam condensate, dry air compressor cooling water, and ventilation air wash spray pans. | N/A                                   | N/A   | 42 m by 42 m (138 ft by 138 ft) | The site is a large soil bermed depression constructed to receive Z Plant noncontact condensate and stormwater run-off. The site is an unlined seepage basin known as the 207-Z basin. The name created confusion with the 207-Z retention basin (located inside the Z Plant security fence). For this reason, the name was officially changed to 216-Z-21 in June 1987. The basin is currently dry and is not radiologically posted. |

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|-----------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| 216-A-38-1 Crib | 216-A-38-1, 216-A-38 Crib | Southwest of 202-A Building north of 1 <sup>st</sup> Street. It is located south of the PUREX security fence. | Never activated.   | Intended to receive the 202-A process condensate waste discharged to the 216-A-10 Crib (never used). | N/A                                   | 11 m (36 ft) depth<br>10 m (33 ft) overburden | 159 m by 5 m (522 ft by 16 ft) | The site contains a 15-cm (6-in.) perforated steel pipe, narrowing to 10 cm (4 in.), placed horizontally 10 cm (33 ft) below grade. The unit also has a 20-cm (8-in.)-diameter inlet pipe, two 8-cm (3-in.) vent risers and filters, two 20-cm (8-in.) gauge wells, a membrane barrier, and a 20-cm (8-in.) bypass line paralleling the distribution line in the southern half of the unit. Ancillary equipment include a proportional sampling pit and the 216-A-5 neutralization tank. The crib was built to replace the 216-A-10 Crib but had not been activated when plans for modifying the PUREX head end process were begun. The planned building addition would have been constructed immediately adjacent to the crib. For this reason, the crib was never activated. The crib was posted as a URM area in 1980 because underground piping had been installed that connected the crib to the PUREX process. No surface contamination has ever been identified during routine surveillance and no stabilization activities occurred at this crib. The site is surrounded by light posts and a chain. |

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|---|--|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|
| 200-E-67 injection/reverse well             | 200-E-67, 202-A Building steam condensate, miscellaneous stream #494       | Adjacent to the south wall of 202-A.   | 1996               | N/A   | N/A                                   | N/A  | N/A                            | The drain is located inside of a dome-shaped caisson. The dome-shaped caisson is surrounded by post and chain and is posted with CA signs. The dome is labeled 202-A-417. |
| <i>Recommended to be Moved to Other OUs</i> |  |  |                    |   |                                       |  |                                |   |
| UPR-200-E-17 unplanned release              | UPR-200-E-17, overflow at 216-A-22, UN-200-E-17                            | North of PUREX, north of the 203-A Building, near the 216-A-28 french drain. | 1958               | Failed 216-A-22 Crib inlet.   | N/A                                   | N/A  | N/A                            | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-PW-2 OU.  |
| 216-A-22 Crib                               | 216-A-22, 216-A-22 french drain, 216-A-22 Crib                             | Along the north wall of the 203-A Building, north of PUREX.                  | 1955 to 1958       | The site received the drainage from the 203-A Building truck loadout apron, the sump waste from the 203-A Building. | 10,000 L <sup>a</sup>                 | 3 m (10 ft) depth<br>2 m (7 ft) overburden | 3 m by 5 m<br>(10 ft by 16 ft) | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-PW-2 OU.  |
| 200-E-122 storage                           | 200-E-122, construction forces bullpen, CF bullpen, equipment storage yard | South of B Plant and south of 222-B.   | N/A                | Radioactively contaminated material is stored inside the fenced area.   | N/A                                   | N/A  | 44 m by 20 m (144 ft by 66 ft) | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-SW-1 OU.  |

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|-------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|--|
| 600-268 storage pad (<90 day) | 600-268, 200 East pipe yard drum accumulation area, pipe laydown yard accumulation area | Inside the 200 East pipe laydown area, north of the 200 East Area 810 gate.                               | 1995 to 1998       | Seventeen drums of mixed and radioactive waste from 200 West Area well drilling activities.                              | N/A                                   | N/A   | 15 m by 15 m (49 ft by 49 ft)   | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-SW-2 OU. |
| 200-W-89 foundation           | 200-W-89, 252-U, U Plant electrical substation, C8S17 substation, U-Cat substation      | Near the intersection of Beloit and 16 <sup>th</sup> Street in 200 West Area, east of the 224-U Building. | N/A                | The site provided electric utility support to the 221-U and 224-U Facilities.  | N/A                                   | N/A   | 30 m by 30 m (100 ft by 100 ft) | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |
| 600-260 unplanned release     | 600-260, roped-off area near meteorological tower                                       | The area between 200 East and 200 West Areas, north of Route 3.   | N/A                | N/A  | N/A                                   | N/A   | 7 m by 6 m (23 ft by 20 ft)     | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |
| 600-275 foundation            | 600-275, 218-W-14, igloo site, Army ammo site, regulated storage area                   | Approximately 1 mi west of the 200 West Area, south of Route 11A.   | N/A                | The seven Army igloos were originally used for ammunition storage. Later plutonium scrap waste was stored in the igloos. | N/A                                   | N/A   | N/A                             | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |
| 200-W-64 foundation           | 200-W-64, 2724-W contaminated laundry facility building foundation                      | 200 West Area, at the corner of Beloit Ave. and 20 <sup>th</sup> Street.                                  | 1950 to 1994       | The 2724-W Building housed the contaminated laundry facility.  | N/A                                   | N/A   | 42 m by 32 m (138 ft by 105 ft) | This site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |

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|--|---|--|--------------------|--|---|----------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 200-W-17<br>unplanned<br>release       | 200-W-17,<br>S Plant Project<br>W-087 aluminum<br>silicate discovery            | 200 West Area,<br>southwest of<br>REDOX.   | N/A                | The source of the<br>aluminum silicate at the<br>site is likely the 200-W-1<br>mud pit.  | The waste<br>associated with this<br>site was aluminum<br>silicate.   | 1 m (3 ft)     | 1 m by 1 m<br>(3 ft by 3 ft)        | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 200-SW-1<br>OU.   |
| 200-W-18<br>unplanned<br>release       | 200-W-18,<br>S Plant Project<br>W-087 aluminum<br>oxide discovery               | 200 West Area,<br>southwest of<br>REDOX.   | N/A                | The source of the<br>aluminum oxide at this<br>site is likely the 200-W-1<br>mud pit.  | The analysis<br>showed the material<br>to be aluminum<br>oxide and calcium.   | 0.1 m (0.3 ft) | 3 m by 0.1 m<br>(10 ft by 0.3)      | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 200-SW-1<br>OU.   |
| 200-W-86<br>unplanned<br>release       | 200-W-86,<br>contamination<br>area around<br>power pole                         | The site is located<br>northwest of<br>221-U Building, on<br>a gravel road<br>known as<br>Bridgeport Avenue. | N/A                | The Dyncorp Integrated<br>Soil, Vegetation and<br>Animal Control group<br>submitted this site to<br>WIDS as a discovery site.    | N/A   | N/A            | 4 m by 4 m<br>(13 ft by<br>13 ft)   | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 200-UR-1<br>OU.   |
| 200-W-75 silo                          | 200-W-75,<br>radiological<br>logging system<br>(RLS) calibration<br>silos       | West of the<br>202-S Building,<br>south of the<br>276-S Building, and<br>north of the<br>211-S tanks.        | N/A                | In the late 1970s, test well<br>mockups were used to<br>calibrate "in-well"<br>radionuclide detectors.                           | Radioactive sources<br>consisting of known<br>quantities of Co-60,<br>Sr-90, Ru-106, and<br>Ce-144 in sealed<br>capsules. | N/A            | 2 m by 1 m<br>(7 ft by 3 ft)        | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 200-SW-2<br>OU.   |
| 200-W-80<br>spoils<br>pile/berm        | 200-W-80;<br>mound of<br>contaminated soil<br>southwest of<br>T Plant           | West of 221-T and<br>northeast of the<br>241-T-361 settling<br>tank.   | N/A                | It is possible that the<br>mound was created during<br>a parking lot expansion at<br>T Plant that occurred<br>several years ago. | N/A   | N/A            | 16 m by<br>14 m (42 ft<br>by 45 ft) | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 200-UR-1<br>OU.   |
| 200-E-85<br>injection/<br>reverse well | 200-E-85,<br>202-A Building<br>pump seal water,<br>miscellaneous<br>stream #459 | Adjacent to the<br>north wall of<br>2712-A Building,<br>south of 202-A.                                      | N/A                | Pump seal water.   | N/A   | N/A            | N/A                                 | This site is recommended to<br>be moved to the 216/218<br>injection/reverse well<br>regulatory authority category. |

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|---|---|--|--------------------|--|---|--------------|-------------------------------|---|
| 200-E-101 depression/ pit (nonspecific) | 200-E-101, 200 East deep lysimeter site | Southeast of 200 East Area, within the 100-B/C radiologically controlled area. | N/A                | N/A  | Short-lived radioisotopes may have been injected as tracers in early experiments. | N/A          | 18 m by 3 m (59 ft by 10 ft)  | The site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |
| 600-262 Crib                            | 600-262, West Lake test crib            | East of Route 4 North, southwest of West Lake.                                 | 1959 to 1962       | N/A  | 95,760.00 L, calcium nitrate, strontium-85 <sup>b</sup>                           | 0.6 m (2 ft) | 0.6 m by 0.6 m (2 ft by 2 ft) | The site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |
| 600-37 french drain                     | 600-37, Brown's wells, Johnson's wells  | Southeast of 200 West Area, at the southern boundary.                          | N/A                | Assumed to be raw water. However sampling testing should be conducted in the unit. | N/A   | N/A          | 3 m by 2 m (10 ft by 7 ft)    | The site is recommended to be moved to the 200-UR-1 OU. |

<sup>a</sup> Waste Site Grouping for 200 Areas Soil Investigations, DOE/RL-96-81, Rev. 0 (DOE-RL 1997).

<sup>b</sup> From WIDS database.

CA = contamination area

HEPA = high-efficiency particulate air

N/A = not available

PFP = Plutonium Finishing Plant

PNNL = Pacific Northwest National Laboratory

SCA = surface contamination area

URM = underground radiation area

Table A-6. 200-MW-1 Site Removal Rationale. (2 Pages)

| Site Code                      | New OU   | Rationale   |
|--------------------------------|----------|---|
| 216-A-22 Crib                  | 200-PW-2 | This site operated during the time that PUREX was in production mode. The drainage from the 203-A Building to the site was redirected to the 216-A-28 french drain in December 1958. The 216-A-28 Crib is justifiably placed in the 200-PW-2 Uranium-Rich Process Condensate/Process Waste Group. Based on the description of the units, their identical sources, and the fact that they both operated during the time PUREX was in production mode, they clearly should be approached the same from an expected remedy and, therefore, should be in the same OU. |
| UPR-200-E-17 unplanned release | 200-PW-2 | Sufficient splashing occurred when the 216-A-22 Crib inlet failed, causing the ground on top of the crib to become yellow with uranium. Because the 216-A-22 Crib is being moved to 200-PW-2, it is also appropriate to move the associated UPR.  |
| 200-E-122 storage              | 200-SW-1 | This site is a construction laydown yard; therefore, the nonradiological landfills and dumps OU is the most logical for this site. The postings refer to potential due to contaminated material wrapped and stored there and not a release to the soil.   |
| 600-268 storage pad (<90 day)  | 200-SW-2 | This site belongs in the radiological landfills and dumps waste OU.   |
| 200-W-89 foundation            | 200-UR-1 | This site should be in an unplanned release OU, not the 200-MW-1 OU.  |
| 600-260 unplanned release      | 200-UR-1 | This site is a roped-off area near meteorological tower. It should be in an unplanned release OU, not the 200-MW-1 OU.  |
| 600-275 foundation             | 200-UR-1 | This regulated storage area should be in an unplanned release OU, not in the 200-MW-1 OU.   |
| 200-W-64 foundation            | 200-UR-1 | This site should be in an unplanned release OU, not in the 200-MW-1 OU.   |
| 200-W-17 unplanned release     | 200-SW-1 | This site should be included in the 200-SW-1 OU (not the 200-MW-1 OU) because the waste associated with this site was aluminum silicate, likely resulting from drilling mud at the 200-W-1 OU.  |
| 200-W-18 unplanned release     | 200-SW-1 | This site should be included in the 200-SW-1 OU (not the 200-MW-1 OU) because the waste associated with this site was aluminum silicate, likely resulting from drilling mud at the 200-W-1 OU.  |
| 200-W-86 unplanned release     | 200-UR-1 | This site is a small, graveled SCA around an active (currently in use) power pole, near the intersection of the U Plant railroad and Bridgeport Avenue. This site should be in an unplanned release OU rather than the 200-MW-1 OU.   |

Table A-6. 200-MW-1 Site Removal Rationale. (2 Pages)

| Site Code                              | New OU                             | Rationale   |
|--|------------------------------------|---|
| 200-W-75 silo                          | 200-SW-2                           | This site should be included in 200-SW-1 since it consists of four calibration silos that contain radioactive sources. The four underground Radiological Logging System equipment calibration silos are located west of the 202-S building, south of the 276-S building and north of the 211-S tanks. One calibration silo is located west of the 211-S tanks, across an asphalt access road. The calibration mockups were constructed of a steel container approximately 2.4 m (8 ft) deep filled with soil. Tubes containing radioactive sources were inserted into the soil at distances of 2.5, 7.6, 15, 30, 46, and 61 cm from the well casing that was located in the center of the mockup. The mockup silo was buried so that a Radiological Logging System vehicle could drive up to the calibration silo and drop its logging probe into the center well casing. |
| 200-W-80 spoils pile/berm              | 200-UR-1                           | This site is a mound of contaminated soil southwest of T Plant. It should be included in an unplanned release OU (not in the 200-MW-1 OU) because the debris associated with this site appears to be from parking lot work rather than liquid waste site disposal.  |
| 200-E-85 injection/reverse well        | 216/218<br>Regulatory<br>Authority | This site received only condensate and should be included with 216/218 regulatory authority sites.  |
| 200-E-101 depression/pit (nonspecific) | 200-UR-1                           | This site was a field lysimeter used to measure natural precipitation infiltration. While short-lived radionuclides may have been used as part of a test, it was not a liquid waste disposal site. The site should be moved into the 200-UR-1 OU.   |
| 600-262 Crib                           | 200-UR-1                           | This site was a test crib injected with short-lived radionuclides to determine soil capacity. Because it is not a liquid waste discharge site, it should be included in the 200-UR-1 OU.  |
| 600-37 french drain                    | 200-UR-1                           | This site was not a liquid waste discharge site and should be included in the 200-UR-1 OU.  |

Table A-7. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Subgroup Sites. (2 Pages)

| Process Facility Ventilation Stack and Sand Filter Sources   | Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Facility Decontamination Sources | Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Field Decontamination Sources   | Low-Level Radioactive Process or Steam Condensate Sources                  | Nonradiological Process Steam Condensate Sources with Radionuclide Cross-Contamination Sources  |
|--|--|---|--|---|
| 216-A-4 <sup>a</sup> Crib<br>216-A-41 Crib<br>216-A-21 Crib<br>216-A-27 Crib<br>216-S-12 Trench<br><br>216-B-13 french drain (stack drainage)<br>200-E-55 french drain (291-B sand filter)<br>216-T-29 french drain (sand filter)<br>216-T-31 french drain (241-TX farm steam condensate contaminated by line cleanout)<br>216-A-33 french drain<br>216-C-2 injection/reverse well<br>216-B-4 injection/reverse well | 216-T-33 <sup>b</sup> Crib<br>216-A-32 Crib              | 216-T-11 Trench<br>216-T-13 <sup>c</sup> Trench<br>216-T-9 Trench<br>216-U-13 Trench<br>216-T-10 Trench<br>216-S-18 Trench<br>2200-E-102 Trench | 216-U-3 <sup>d</sup> french drain<br>216-U-7 french drain<br>UPR-200-W-138 | 200-E-4 <sup>e</sup> french drain (Critical Mass Laboratory)<br>200-E-25 french drain (272 insulation shop)<br>216-SX-2 french drain<br>2704-C-WS-1 french drain (Semi-Works gate house)<br>216-Z-13 french drain (ET-8 exhaust fan)<br>216-Z-14 french drain (ET-9 exhaust fan)<br>216-A-11 french drain (202-A steam trap pit #1)<br>216-A-12 french drain (202-A steam trap pit #3)<br>216-A-13 and 216-A-35 (seal water air sampler vacuum pumps) french drains<br>216-A-14 french drain (vacuum cleaner filter/blower pit)<br>216-A-26 and 216-A-26A (floor drainage 291-A fan control house) french drains<br>216-Z-15 french drain (S12 evaporative cooler)<br>209-E-WS-2 french drain (Critical Mass Laboratory)<br>299-E24-111 injection/reverse well<br>216-Z-21 pond<br>216-A-38 Crib<br>200-E-67 injection/reverse well |

Table A-7. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Subgroup Sites. (2 Pages)

| Process Facility Ventilation Stack and Sand Filter Sources | Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Facility Decontamination Sources | Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Field Decontamination Sources | Low-Level Radioactive Process or Steam Condensate Sources | Nonradiological Process Steam Condensate Sources with Radionuclide Cross-Contamination Sources |
|--|--|---|---|--|
|--|--|---|---|--|

<sup>a</sup> 216-A-4 is the representative site of the process facility ventilation stack and sand filter sources subgroup for this OU. (Also recommended by the Implementation Plan [DOE-RL 1999].)

<sup>b</sup> 216-T-33 is the representative site of the vehicle/heavy equipment facility decontamination subgroup for this OU. (Also recommended by the Implementation Plan [DOE-RL 1999].)

<sup>c</sup> 216-T-13 is the representative site of the vehicle/heavy equipment field decontamination subgroup for this OU.

<sup>d</sup> 216-U-3 is the representative site of the low-level radioactive process or steam condensate sources subgroup for this OU. (Also recommended by the Implementation Plan [DOE-RL 1999].)

<sup>e</sup> 200-E-4 is the representative site of the nonradiological process steam condensate with radiation from cross-contamination from other sources subgroup for this OU.



**APPENDIX B**

**200-MW-1 OPERABLE UNIT**  
**CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN PROCESS**



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## APPENDIX B

### 200-MW-1 OPERABLE UNIT CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN PROCESS

#### B.1 BACKGROUND

Tables 3-4, 3-5, and 3-6 from the *200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program* (hereinafter referred to as the Implementation Plan) (DOE-RL 1999) were used as the starting point to develop the contaminant of concern (COC) list for the 200-MW-1 Miscellaneous Waste Group Operable Unit (OU). The rationale for the development of the tables is presented in this appendix, as well as a discussion of other potential chemicals that may be present.

##### B.1.1 Radionuclides

Potential radionuclide contaminants are listed in Table B-1. Note that although samarium-151 has received little attention in the past, it becomes a significant fraction of total fission product activity after approximately 25 years of decay and will remain significant for up to 1,000 years (i.e., 100-year half-life). The necessity for analysis of samarium-151 is being evaluated at this time.

All other radionuclides potentially present in the 200 Areas that are not included in Table B-1 are excluded from the table for one of the following reasons:

- Directly tied to the isotopes identified above as descendent daughters (e.g., strontium-90 daughter yttrium-90) and may be calculated from the parent activity
- Fission/neutron activation products with less than 0.01% of the cesium-137 or strontium-90 activity (e.g., iodine-129 or selenium-79) that cannot be readily separated from the major fission product activity contributors for analysis
- Alpha-emitting isotopes of the same element in concentrations less than 1% of the primary isotope (e.g., plutonium-242 in plutonium-239) that cannot be resolved during analysis.

It is assumed that very small amounts of additional activity potentially present from radionuclides that are not analyzed for will have no significant effects on remediation decisions.

##### B.1.2 Inorganic Chemicals

Most of the chemicals used in 200 Area processing activities were inorganic. The potential inorganic COCs are listed in Table B-2. Analyses for inorganic chemicals do not routinely determine chemical compounds (e.g., sodium nitrate) but are used to determine the ionic building blocks that comprise the compounds (e.g., sodium and nitrate separately). Analyses for metals

routinely detect a suite of metals that include many relatively innocuous metals (e.g., sodium, iron, or aluminum) that were introduced in large quantities in the 200 Areas. These inorganic chemicals have not been included in Table B-2 because even massive concentration levels are not expected to impact remediation decisions.

### **B.1.3 Organic Chemicals**

Unlike inorganic chemical analyses, most organic chemical analyses determine specific chemical compounds (or compound groups such as polychlorinated biphenyls [PCBs]). Table B-3 lists the potential organic COCs in the 200 Areas.

### **B.1.4 Other Chemicals**

Chemicals loosely identified as “complexants” were used in the 200 Areas. These materials range from components of laundry detergents, to boiler water treatment compounds, to specific complexants such as ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA), N-hydroxyethylene-diaminetriacetic acid (HEDTA), and citric acid. The largest process use of specific complexants was in the waste fractionation processes that occurred from 1963 through 1983 at B Plant. However, these materials were also used in other facilities for cleanout operations and potentially for cleaning up after plant process upsets. In general, complexants were used to help solubilize materials or assist in keeping components in solution. Most of these compounds are, in themselves, low in toxicity (i.e., most of the complexants used at B Plant are available in food-grade specification). The concern in the 200 Areas is that these materials may increase the solubility of toxic, radioactive, or hazardous materials normally strongly retained on Hanford Site soils. Unfortunately, there are no simple or readily available analytical techniques for detecting complexant compounds in environmental-type samples. Strategies for dealing with complexants will be developed during group-specific data quality objective (DQO) efforts and in the sampling and analysis plans. Consumer products (e.g., Tide and Saniflush), while potentially used, are not included because the quantities are expected to be small.

## **B.2 STRATEGY**

After reviewing the tables provided in the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999), a list of all contaminants of potential concern (COPCs) was developed. The next step in the evaluation process involved extracting known toxic materials from the master COPC list to be included in the final COC list. This will include a review of *Listed Waste History at Hanford Facility TSD Units* (Miskho 1996) to identify listed waste contaminants associated with 200-MW-1 waste sites. An assessment of these contaminants as potential COCs will then be made. Should listed waste contaminants be determined to potentially be present in waste sites in quantities that may require an assessment of human health or ecological risk, then these contaminants will be added as COCs. If, however, the contaminants are not considered to be of concern (e.g., volatile or disposed in small quantities), then they will not be identified as such. Listed waste constituents, however, will be retained as analytes of interest because of issues associated with waste designation and compliance with land disposal restrictions. Inorganic salts and acids represent a large group of constituents in the waste sites being evaluated. Because laboratory analyses are

generally not acid- or compound-specific, the acids and inorganic salts were excluded from further consideration. Instead, the readily detected cations and anions (e.g., metals, fluorides, and nitrates) associated with the acids and inorganic salts serve as the target constituents for those compounds. This logic recognizes the small volumes of hazardous and radiological constituents released into large-volume aqueous discharges.

The analytical approach employed for this project generally targets the significant risk drivers that are representative of the waste constituents present. The general suite-type analytical techniques yield results for many metals and organic compounds, providing a cost-effective approach for the known toxic materials that could be present.

The COPCs in the following categories were excluded from further consideration:

- Short-lived radionuclides with half-lives less than 3 years
- Radionuclides that constitute less than 1% of the fission product inventory and for which historical sampling indicates nondetection
- Naturally occurring isotopes that were not increased above background levels as a result of Hanford Site operations
- Constituents with atomic mass numbers greater than or equal to 242 that represent less than 1% of the actinide activities
- Progeny radionuclides that build insignificant activities within 50 years and/or for which parent/progeny relationships exist that permit progeny estimation
- Constituents that would be neutralized and/or decomposed by facility processes
- Chemicals in a gaseous state that cannot accumulate in soil media
- Chemicals used in minute quantities relative to the bulk production chemicals consumed in the normal processes; these chemicals have no suspected introduction to waste streams except in incidental quantities
- Chemicals that are not persistent in the environment due to biological degradation or other natural mitigating features.

The final COCs for the five 200-MW-1 subgroups are presented in Tables B-6 through B-10.

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Table B-1. Potential Radionuclides of Concern in the 200 Areas.

| Radionuclide | Source                         | Comments  |
|--------------|--------------------------------|---|
| H-3          | Neutron activation/<br>fission | N/A   |
| C-14         | Neutron activation             | N/A   |
| Co-60        | Neutron activation             | Approaching practical detection limits for routine analytical technologies.   |
| Ni-63        | Neutron activation             | N/A   |
| Sr-90        | Fission                        | N/A   |
| Tc-99        | Fission                        | N/A   |
| Cs-137       | Fission                        | N/A   |
| Sm-151       | Fission                        | Currently no analytical methods available for analysis.                       |
| Eu-154       | Fission                        | N/A   |
| Eu-155       | Fission                        | N/A   |
| Th-228       | Natural                        | Special case from thorium processing.   |
| Th-232       | Natural                        | Special case from thorium processing.   |
| U-233        | Neutron activation             | Special case from thorium processing.   |
| U-234        | Natural                        | N/A   |
| U-235        | Natural                        | N/A   |
| U-238        | Natural                        | N/A   |
| Pu-238       | Neutron activation             | N/A   |
| Pu-239       | Neutron activation             | N/A   |
| Pu-240       | Neutron activation             | N/A   |
| Pu-241       | Neutron activation             | Primarily a beta emitter, routinely addressed via Am-241 (daughter) analysis. |
| Am-241       | Decay of Pu-241                | N/A   |

Source: Table 3-4 of the *200 Areas Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Implementation Plan – Environmental Restoration Program* (DOE-RL 1999).

N/A = not applicable

Table B-2. Potential Inorganic Chemicals of Concern in the 200 Areas.

| Inorganic Analyte | Primary Source                               | Comments   |
|-------------------|--|--|
| Nitrate           | All processes                                | N/A  |
| Sulfate           | All processes                                | N/A  |
| Chloride          | All processes                                | N/A  |
| Fluoride          | BiPO <sub>4</sub> , PUREX, PFP, WESF         | N/A  |
| Phosphate         | BiPO <sub>4</sub> , decontamination, laundry | N/A  |
| Mercury           | All fuel decladding                          | N/A  |
| Lead              | Shielding – all processes                    | N/A  |
| Manganese         | All processes                                | Typically from permanganate materials.                         |
| Chromium          | All processes                                | From chromates and stainless steel corrosion.                  |
| Cadmium           | PUREX and 234-5 Z                            | Neutron poisons.   |
| Cyanide           | Tank scavenging                              | Added as ferrocyanides.  |
| Ammonia           | PUREX and waste fractionization              | N/A  |
| pH                | All processes                                | Measurement of potential high corrosion due to acids or bases. |
| Asbestos          | All processes                                | Primarily from insulation and building materials.              |

Source: Table 3-5 of the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999).

BiPO<sub>4</sub> = bismuth-phosphate

N/A = not applicable

PUREX = Plutonium-Uranium Extraction (Facility)

PFP = Plutonium Finishing Plant

WESF = Waste Encapsulation and Storage Facility

Table B-3. Potential Organic Chemicals of Concern in the 200 Areas.

| Organic Analyte             | Primary Source                  | Comments   |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Kerosene range hydrocarbons | PUREX, URP, waste fractionation | Covers all pure hydrocarbon (based dilutents including NPH, Shell solvent, kerosene, etc.).                  |
| Tributyl phosphate          | PUREX, URP, PFP                 | N/A  |
| Carbon tetrachloride        | PFP                             | Routine volatile organic analysis will identify and quantitate this compound.                                |
| Chlorinated solvents        | Decontamination activities      | Routine volatile organic analysis will identify and quantitate all potential solvents used in the 200 Areas. |
| Hexone                      | REDOX                           | Routine volatile organic analysis will identify and quantitate this compound.                                |
| PCBs                        | All processes                   | From hydraulic fluids, electrical equipment, and insulation.   |

Source: Table 3-6 of the Implementation Plan (DOE-RL 1999).

N/A = not applicable

NPH = normal paraffin hydrocarbon

REDOX = Reduction-Oxidation (Facility)

URP = uranium recovery process

**Table B-4. Sources of Contamination, COPCs, and Affected Media for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit. (3 Pages)**

| Known or Suspected Source of Contamination (Process)   | Type of Contamination from Each Source (General Contamination)  | Affected Media  |  |
|--|---|---|--|
| Miscellaneous streams discharged from various 200 Area facilities.   | Wastes were similar and contained mixed fission products, activation products, transuranics, inorganics and were neutral to basic with low amounts of salts, semi-volatile and volatile organic chemicals.  | Shallow soils (0 to 4.6 m [0 to 15 ft] bgs) and deep soils (>4.6 m [>15 ft] bgs) associated with the waste sites and potentially the groundwater beneath the crib waste sites.  |  |
| <b>Radioactive COPCs</b>   |   |   |  |
| Americium-241<br>Americium-242<br>Americium-243<br>Antimony-125<br>Barium-137m<br>Barium-140<br>Cadmium-113m<br>Carbon-14<br>Cerium-141<br>Cerium-144<br>Cesium-134<br>Cesium-135<br>Cesium-137<br>Cobalt-60<br>Curium-242<br>Curium-243<br>Curium-244<br>Curium-245<br>Europium-152 | Europium-154<br>Europium-155<br>Iodine-129<br>Iodine-131<br>Lanthanum-140<br>Lead-212<br>Lead-214<br>Neodymium-147<br>Neptunium-237<br>Neptunium-239<br>Nickel-59<br>Nickel-63<br>Niobium-93m<br>Niobium-95<br>Niobium-96<br>Niobium-98<br>Palladium-107<br>Plutonium-238<br>Plutonium-239<br>Plutonium-240 | Plutonium-241<br>Plutonium-242<br>Praseodymium-143<br>Praseodymium-144<br>Promethium-147<br>Protactinium-233<br>Radium-224<br>Radium-226<br>Radium-228<br>Rhodium-106<br>Ruthenium-103<br>Ruthenium-106<br>Samarium-149<br>Samarium-151<br>Selenium-79<br>Strontium-89<br>Strontium-90<br>Technetium-99<br>Tellurium-129m | Tellurium-129<br>Thorium-228<br>Thorium-232<br>Tin-113<br>Tin-123m<br>Tin-123<br>Tin-125<br>Tin-126<br>Tritium<br>Uranium-232<br>Uranium-233<br>Uranium-234<br>Uranium-235<br>Uranium-236<br>Uranium-238<br>Yttrium-90<br>Yttrium-91<br>Zirconium-93<br>Zirconium-95 |

## Appendix B – 200-MW-1 OU Contaminants of Concern Process

**Table B-4. Sources of Contamination, COPCs, and Affected Media for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit. (3 Pages)**

| Known or Suspected Source of Contamination (Process) | Type of Contamination from Each Source (General Contamination) | Affected Media                                   |
|--|--|--|
| <i>Inorganic Chemical COPCs</i>                      |  |  |
| Aluminum fluoride                                    | Calcium carbonate (lime)                                       | Lead oxide                                       |
| Aluminum nitrate                                     | Calcium fluoride   | Lithium chloride                                 |
| Aluminum nitrate nonahydrate (ANN)                   | Calcium iodide   | Magnesium nitrate                                |
| Aluminum nitrate (mono basic)                        | Calcium nitrate  | Magnesium oxide                                  |
| Aluminum silicate                                    | Chromic acid   | Magnesium silicate (Mistron)                     |
| Aluminum sulfate                                     | Chromous sulfate   | Manganese nitrate                                |
| Ammonium cerium nitrate                              | Chromium nitrate   | Manganese oxide                                  |
| Ammonium fluoride/ammonium nitrate (AFAN)            | Citric fluoride  | Mercuric nitrate                                 |
| Ammonium fluoride                                    | Cuppric nitrate  | Mercuric thiocyanate                             |
| Ammonium fluosilicate                                | Cuppric sulfate  | Mercury  |
| Ammonium hydroxide                                   | Disodium phosphate   | Molybdenum                                       |
| Ammonium iron fluoride                               | Ferric ammonium sulfate  | Nickel nitrate                                   |
| Ammonium iron sulfate                                | Ferric hydroxide   | Nickel sulfate                                   |
| Ammonium lanthanum nitrate                           | Ferric nitrate   | Nitrous acid                                     |
| Ammonium oxalate                                     | Ferrous ammonium sulfate                                       | Nitric acid                                      |
| Ammonium sulfate                                     | Ferro/ferric cyanide   | Periodic acid                                    |
| Anionic resins (sulfates)                            | Ferrous sulfamate  | Phosphate  |
| Antimony   | Ferrous sulfate  | Phosphoric acid                                  |
| Arsenic salts  | Gold   | Phosphorous pentoxide                            |
| Barium nitrate                                       | Gallium oxide  | Phosphotungstic acid (PTA)                       |
| Beryllium  | Hydrobromic acid   | Potassium carbonate                              |
| Bismuth orthophosphate                               | Hydrochloric acid  | Potassium chloride                               |
| Bismuth subnitrate/oxyhydrate                        | Hydrogen sulfide   | Potassium dichromate                             |
| Borate(s)  | Hydrofluoric acid  | Potassium fluoride                               |
| Boric acid   | Hydroiodic acid  | Potassium hydroxide                              |
| Cadmium nitrate                                      | Hydrogen peroxide  | Potassium nitrate                                |
|  | Lanthanum fluoride   | Potassium oxalate                                |
|  | Lanthanum hydroxide  | Potassium permanganate                           |
|  | Lanthanum nitrate  | Selenium   |
|  | Lead   | Silicon dioxide                                  |
|  | Lead nitrate   | Silver iodide                                    |
|  |  | Silver nitrate                                   |
|  |  | Sodium aluminate                                 |
|  |  | Sodium bicarbonate                               |
|  |  | Sodium bromate                                   |
|  |  | Sodium carbonate                                 |
|  |  | Sodium chloride                                  |
|  |  | Sodium dichromate                                |
|  |  | Sodium fluoride odium hexametaphosphate (calgon) |
|  |  | Sodium hydrogen sulfate                          |
|  |  | Sodium hydroxide                                 |
|  |  | Sodium metabisulfate                             |
|  |  | Sodium nitrate                                   |
|  |  | Sodium nitrite                                   |
|  |  | Sodium oxalate                                   |
|  |  | Sodium persulfate                                |
|  |  | Sodium silicate                                  |
|  |  | Sodium sulfate                                   |
|  |  | Sodium sulfite                                   |
|  |  | Sodium thiosulfate                               |
|  |  | Sodium phosphate                                 |
|  |  | Sodium pyrophosphate                             |
|  |  | Sulfamic acid                                    |
|  |  | Sulfuric acid                                    |
|  |  | Tantalum   |
|  |  | Tin  |
|  |  | Titanium chloride                                |
|  |  | Zinc nitrate                                     |
|  |  | Zinc phosphate                                   |
|  |  | Zirconium carbonate gel                          |
|  |  | Zirconyl nitrate                                 |
|  |  | Zirconyl phosphate                               |

**Table B-4. Sources of Contamination, COPCs, and Affected Media for the 200-MW-1 Operable Unit. (3 Pages)**

| Known or Suspected Source of Contamination (Process) | Type of Contamination from Each Source (General Contamination) | Affected Media   |
|--|--|--|
| <i>Organic Chemical COPCs</i>                        |  |  |
| 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA)                             | Di(2-ethylhexyl) phosphoric acid                               | Mandelic acid  |
| 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA)                             | Dodecane   | Methanol   |
| 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA)                          | Ethanol  | Methyl latic acid  |
| Acetic acid  | Ethyl ether  | Methylene chloride   |
| Acetone  | Ethylene diamine tetraacetate (EDTA)                           | Molybdate-citrate reagent                                    |
| Alizarin yellow                                      | Ethylene glycol  | Mono-2-ethylhexyl phosphoric acid                            |
| Benzene  | Ethylbenzene   | Monobutyl phosphate  |
| Bromocresol purple                                   | Formaldehyde   | Naphtha  |
| Bromonaphthalene                                     | Glycerol   | Naphthylamine  |
| Butanol  | Glycolic acid  | n-butyl benzene  |
| 2-butanone (methyl ethyl ketone [MEK])               | Hexone (methyl isobutyl ketone [MIBK])                         | Normal paraffin hydrocarbons (kerosene, Shell solvent, etc.) |
| Benzyl alcohol                                       | Hydraulic fluids (greases)                                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)                             |
| Carbon tetrachloride                                 | Hydrazine  | Pentasodium diethylene triamine penta acetate (DTPA)         |
| Cis-1,2-dichloroethylene                             | Hydroxylamine (HN)   | S-diphenylcarbazine  |
| Chlorobenzene  | Hydroxylamine hydrochloride                                    | Sodium gluconate   |
| Chloroform   | Hydroxyacetic acid   | Sulfonic acid (chloro)                                       |
| Dibutyl butyl phosphonate (DBBP)                     | Hydroxyquinoline   | Tartaric acid  |
| Dibutyl phosphate (DBP)                              | Isopropyl alcohol  |  |
|  |  | Tetrabromoethane   |
|  |  | Tetrahydrofuran  |
|  |  | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)                                    |
|  |  | Tetraphenyl boron  |
|  |  | Thenoyltrifluoroacetone                                      |
|  |  | Thymolphthalein  |
|  |  | Trans-1,2-dichloroethylene                                   |
|  |  | Tri-iso-octylamine   |
|  |  | Tri-n-dodecylamine   |
|  |  | Tri-n-octylamine   |
|  |  | Tributyl phosphate (TBP)                                     |
|  |  | Trichloroethylene (TCE)                                      |
|  |  | Tris (hydroxymethyl) amino methane                           |
|  |  | Trisodium nitrilo triacetate (NTA)                           |
|  |  | Trisodium hydroxyethyl ethylene – diamine triacetate (HEDTA) |
|  |  | Toluene  |
|  |  | Urea   |
|  |  | Xylene   |

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| CAS#                     | COPCs   | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|--------------------------|---------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| <i>Radioactive COPCs</i> |         |                                  |  |     |      |      |     |     |
| 14596-10-2               | Am-241  | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 13981-54-9               | Am-242  | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production). | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14993-75-0               | Am-243  | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production). | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14234-35-6               | Sb-125  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                      | Ba-137m | N/A                              | Short lived descendent daughter of Cs-137 (COC).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14798-08-4               | Ba-140  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14336-66-4               | Cd-113m | N/A                              | Less than 1% of Cs-137 activity. Insignificant contribution to dose.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14762-75-5               | C-14    | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13967-74-3               | Ce-141  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14762-78-8               | Ce-144  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13967-70-9               | Ce-134  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15726-30-4               | Ce-135  | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10045-97-3               | Cs-137  | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 10198-40-0               | Co-60   | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 15510-73-3               | Cm-242  | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production). | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15757-87-6               | Cm-243  | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production). | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs  | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|--------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 13981-15-2 | Cm-244 | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents less than 1% of the actinide activity. May be reported via americium isotopic analysis.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15621-76-8 | Cm-245 | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production). | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14683-23-9 | Eu-152 | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 15585-10-1 | Eu-154 | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 14391-16-3 | Eu-155 | N/A                              | See final COC table.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 15046-84-1 | I-129  | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity; historical tank sampling indicates nondetection.  | I   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10043-66-0 | I-131  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13981-28-7 | La-140 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15092-94-1 | Pb-212 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15067-28-4 | Pb-214 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14269-74-0 | Nd-147 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13994-20-2 | Np-237 | N/A                              | Constituent associated with process fuel reprocessing process condensate streams.  | I   | E    | E    | I   | E   |
| 13968-59-7 | Np-239 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14336-70-0 | Ni-59  | N/A                              | Activity will be <5% of Ni-63 activity.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13981-37-8 | Ni-63  | N/A                              | Activity will be <5% of Cs-137 activity and may be estimated from that isotope.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Nb-93m | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13967-76-5 | Nb-95  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15832-32-3 | Nb-96  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15700-41-1 | Nb-98  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs  | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|--------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 17637-99-9 | Pd-107 | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13981-16-3 | Pu-238 | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 15117-48-3 | Pu-239 | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 14119-33-6 | Pu-240 | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 14119-32-5 | Pu-241 | N/A                              | Not detected by normal plutonium analysis, can infer from americium/plutonium results.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13982-10-0 | Pu-242 | N/A                              | Constituent with atomic mass number greater than or equal to 242 that represents << 1% of the actinide activity (based on ORIGEN2 modeling of Hanford reactor production).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14981-79-4 | Pr-143 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14119-05-2 | Pr-144 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14380-75-7 | Pm-147 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13981-14-1 | Pa-233 | N/A                              | Even though Pa233 was detected during spectral gamma logging performed at boreholes in the Z Plant complex area, as referenced by Price et al. (1979), it is a daughter product and can be calculated from Np-237. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13233-32-4 | Ra-224 | N/A                              | Not expected to be a significant contributor to dose.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13982-63-3 | Ra-226 | N/A                              | GEA will report if detectable quantities are present.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15262-20-1 | Ra-228 | N/A                              | Not expected to be a significant contributor to dose.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14234-34-5 | Rh-106 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13968-53-1 | Ru-103 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13967-48-1 | Ru-106 | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15715-94-3 | Sm-151 | N/A                              | Less than 1% of Cs-137 activity. Insignificant contribution to dose.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15758-45-9 | Se-79  | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14158-27-1 | Sr-89  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs   | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|---------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 10098-97-2 | Sr-90   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 14133-76-7 | Tc-99   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 14269-71-7 | Te-129m | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14269-71-7 | Te-129  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14274-82-9 | Th-228  | N/A                              | Not expected to be a significant contributor to dose.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-29-1  | Th-232  | N/A                              | Not expected to be a significant contributor to dose.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13966-06-8 | Sn-113  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14683-07-9 | Sn-123m | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14683-07-9 | Sn-123  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14683-08-0 | Sn-125  | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15832-50-5 | Sn-126  | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity. (GEA will be reported if detected.) | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10028-17-8 | Tritium | N/A                              | Constituent associated with fuel reprocessing process condensate streams.                              | I   | E    | E    | I   | E   |
| 14158-29-3 | U-232   | N/A                              | <2 x 10 <sup>-3</sup> times the U-238 activity.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13968-55-3 | U-233   | N/A                              | Measurement cannot resolve U-233 + U-234 isotopes, reported as U-234 or U-233/234.                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13966-29-5 | U-234   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 15117-96-1 | U-235   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 13982-70-2 | U-236   | N/A                              | Measurement cannot resolve U-235 + U-236 isotopes, reported as U-235.                                  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| U-238      | U-238   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 10098-91-6 | Y-90    | N/A                              | Short-lived descendent daughter of Sr-90 (COC).  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14234-24-3 | Y-91    | N/A                              | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 15751-77-6 | Zr-93   | N/A                              | Constituent generated at less than 5E-5 times the Cs-137 activity.                                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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|---------------------------------|---|--|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 13967-71-0                      | Zr-95   | N/A  | Short-lived radionuclide (half-life <3 years).                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| <i>Inorganic Chemical COPCs</i> |   |  |  |     |      |      |     |     |
| 7784-18-1                       | Aluminum fluoride                             | Al (via ICP), F (via anions)                                 | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13473-90-0                      | Aluminum nitrate                              | Al (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13473-90-0                      | Aluminum nitrate nonahydrate (ANN)            | Al (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13473-90-0                      | Aluminum nitrate (mono basic)                 | Al (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1327-36-2                       | Aluminum silicate                             | Al and Si (via ICP)  | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10043-01-3                      | Aluminum sulfate                              | Al (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 16774-21-3                      | Ammonium cerium nitrate                       | NH <sub>4</sub> , NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)               | Cerium only excluded as it is not likely present in detectable quantities. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 12125-01-8<br>6484-52-2         | Ammonium fluoride/<br>ammonium nitrate (AFAN) | NH <sub>4</sub> , F and NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)         | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 12125-01-8                      | Ammonium fluoride                             | NH <sub>4</sub> , F (via anions)                             | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 16919-19-0                      | Ammonium fluosilicate                         | NH <sub>4</sub> , F (via anions), Si (via ICP)               | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1336-21-6                       | Ammonium hydroxide                            | NH <sub>4</sub> , OH (via pH)                                | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                             | Ammonium iron fluoride                        | NH <sub>4</sub> , F (via anions), Fe (via ICP)               | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10045-89-3                      | Ammonium ferrous sulfate                      | NH <sub>4</sub> , SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), Fe (via ICP) | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs                         | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)               | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|-------------------------------|--|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 10169-00-3 | Ammonium lanthanum nitrate    | NH <sub>4</sub> , NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions) | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 6009-70-7  | Ammonium oxalate              | NH <sub>4</sub>                                | Oxalate exclusion in organic section as oxalic acid.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Ammonium sulfate anion resins | NH <sub>4</sub> , SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | Bulk material is a nonsoluble solid analysis for any leached ammonium or sulfate ions.       | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-36-0  | Antimony                      | Sb (via ICP)                                   | This element is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                              | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-38-2  | Arsenic salts                 | As (via ICP)                                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10022-31-8 | Barium nitrate                | Ba (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)     | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-41-7  | Beryllium                     | Be (via ICP)                                   | This element is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                              | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Bismuth orthophosphate        | Bi (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)     | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1304-85-4  | Bismuth subnitrate/oxynitrate | Bi (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)     | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7410-42-8  | Borate(s)                     | B (via ICP)                                    | CAS# is for element.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1113-50-1  | Boric acid                    | B (via ICP), acid (via pH)                     | Acids screened for potential effects on pH.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10325-94-7 | Cadmium nitrate               | Cd (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)     | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 471-34-1   | Calcium carbonate (lime)      | Ca (via ICP)                                   | Carbonate anion not likely present in toxic quantities. Screened for potential effect on pH. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7789-75-5  | Calcium fluoride              | Ca (via ICP), F (via anions)                   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10031-31-9 | Calcium iodide (hexahydrate)  | Ca (via ICP)                                   | Iodides not likely present in toxic quantities.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13780-06-8 | Calcium nitrate               | Ca (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)     | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs                    | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)                             | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|--------------------------|--|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 11115-74-5 | Chromic acid             | Cr (via ICP), CrVI   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 13825-86-0 | Chromous sulfate         | Cr (via ICP), CrVI, SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)             | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 2/8/7789   | Chromium nitrate         | Cr (via ICP), CrVI, NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)             | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
|            | Citric fluoride          | F (via anions)   | Excluded as citric acid in organic section.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 3251-23-8  | Cupric nitrate           | Cu (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                   | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations in vehicle/heavy equipment decontamination waste streams.                  | I   | E    | E    | I   | I   |
| 7758-98-7  | Cupric sulfate           | Cu (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                   | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations in vehicle/heavy equipment decontamination waste streams.                  | I   | E    | E    | I   | I   |
| 7558-79-4  | Disodium phosphate       | Na (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 10138-04-2 | Ferric ammonium sulfate  | NH <sub>4</sub> , SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), Fe (via ICP) | Compound is not likely present in toxic concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 18624-44-7 | Ferric hydroxide         | Fe (via ICP) OH via pH                                       | Compound is not likely present in toxic concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10421-48-4 | Ferric nitrate           | Fe (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                   | Compound is not likely present in toxic concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10045-89-3 | Ferrous ammonium sulfate | NH <sub>4</sub> , SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), Fe (via ICP) | Compound is not likely present in toxic or high concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Ferro/ferric cyanide     | Fe (via ICP), cyanide  | Compound is not likely present in toxic or high concentrations in vehicle/heavy equipment decontamination or secondary condensate streams. | I   | E    | E    | I   | E   |
| N/A        | Ferrous sulfamate        | Fe (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                   | Sulfamate degraded to sulfate.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10028-22-5 | Ferrous sulfate          | SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                                 | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Ferrous sulfide          | Fe (via ICP),  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs               | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)           | Rationale for Exclusion   | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|---------------------|--|---|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 7440-57-5  | Gold                | N/A  | Used in minor quantities relative to bulk production chemicals; not likely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 12024-21-4 | Gallium oxide       | N/A  | Minimal use in Hanford 200 Areas, not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration. "Oxide" moiety does not contribute to any toxicity issues. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10035-10-6 | Hydrobromic acid    | Br (via anions), acid (via pH)             | Acids screened for potential effects on pH.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7647-01-0  | Hydrochloric acid   | Cl (via anions), acid (via pH)             | Acids screened for potential effects on pH.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7664-39-3  | Hydrofluoric acid   | F (via anions), acid (via pH)              | Acids screened for potential effects on pH.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Hydrogen sulfide    | N/A  | Compound is a gas and not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10034-85-2 | Hydroiodic acid     | Acid (via pH)                              | Iodides not likely present in toxic quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7722-84-1  | Hydrogen peroxide   | N/A  | Degraded to water and oxygen.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7439-91-0  | Lanthanum           | N/A  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13709-38-1 | Lanthanum fluoride  | F (via anions)                             | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Lanthanum hydroxide | OH (via pH)                                | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10099-56-9 | Lanthanum nitrate   | NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)               | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead                | Pb (via ICP)                               | See final COC tables.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 10099-74-8 | Lead nitrate        | Pb (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions) | See final COC tables.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 1314-41-6  | Lead oxide          | Pb (via ICP)                               | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7447-41-8  | Lithium chloride    | Cl (via anions)                            | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10377060-3 | Magnesium nitrate   | Mg (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions) | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs                        | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)            | Rationale for Exclusion   | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|------------------------------|---|---|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 1309-42-8  | Magnesium oxide              | Mg (via ICP)                                | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14987-04-3 | Magnesium silicate (Mistron) | Mg and Si (via ICP)                         | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7697-37-2  | Manganese nitrate            | Mn (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1313-13-9  | Manganese oxide              | Mn (via ICP)                                | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10045-94-0 | Mercuric nitrate             | Hg, NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)            | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration in vehicle heavy equipment decontamination. | I   | E    | E    | I   | I   |
| 592-85-8   | Mercuric thiocyanate         | Hg, cyanide                                 | Thiocyanate analyzed as total cyanide. This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.         | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7439-97-6  | Mercury                      | Hg  | See final COC tables.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 7439-98-7  | Molybdenum                   | N/A   | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 14216-75-2 | Nickel nitrate               | Ni (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7786-81-4  | Nickel sulfate               | Ni (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7782077-6  | Nitrous acid                 | NO <sub>2</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | Nitrites have likely degraded to nitrates.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7697-37-2  | Nitric acid                  | NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration in vehicle heavy equipment decontamination. | I   | E    | E    | I   | I   |
| 10450-60-9 | Periodic acid                | Acid (via pH)                               | Iodides not likely present in toxic quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7664-38-2  | Phosphoric acid              | PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | See final COC tables.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 1314-56-3  | Phosphorous pentoxide        | PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | Phosphorous pentoxide degrades to phosphoric acid.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs                      | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)            | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|----------------------------|---|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 12067-99-1 | Phosphotungstic acid (PTA) | PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | Will not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                                | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 584-08-7   | Potassium carbonate        | K (via ICP), CO <sub>3</sub> (via pH)       | Carbonate anion not likely present in toxic quantities.                                      | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7447-40-7  | Potassium chloride         | K (via ICP), Cl (via anions)                | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7778-50-9  | Potassium dichromate       | K and Cr (via ICP), CrVI                    | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7789-29-9  | Potassium fluoride         | K (via ICP), F (via anions)                 | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1310-58-3  | Potassium hydroxide        | K (via ICP), OH (via pH)                    | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7557-79-1  | Potassium nitrate          | K (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)   | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                             | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 582-52-8   | Potassium oxalate          | K (via ICP)                                 | Oxalate exclusion in organic section as oxalic acid.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7722-64-7  | Potassium permanganate     | K and MN (via ICP)                          | This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7782-49-2  | Selenium                   | Se (via ICP)                                | This element is unlikely to be present in toxic concentrations.                              | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7631-86-9  | Silicon dioxide            | Si (via ICP)                                | Oxide moiety does not contribute to any toxicity issues.                                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7738-96-2  | Silver iodide              | Ag (via ICP)                                | This compound is likely to be present in ventilation related streams only.                   | I   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7761-88-8  | Silver nitrate             | Ag (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)  | This compound is likely to be present in ventilation related streams only.                   | I   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1303-42-7  | Sodium aluminate           | Na and Al (via ICP)                         | This compound is likely to be present in toxic concentrations.                               | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 144-55-8   | Sodium bicarbonate         | Na (via ICP), CO <sub>3</sub> (via pH)      | Carbonate anion not likely present in toxic quantities. Screened for potential effect on pH. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7789-38-0  | Sodium bromate             | Na (via ICP), Br (via anions)               | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 497-19-8   | Sodium carbonate           | Na (via ICP), CO <sub>3</sub> (via pH)      | Carbonate anion not likely present in toxic quantities. Screened for potential effect on pH. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#       | COPCs                              | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)           | Rationale for Exclusion   | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|------------------------------------|--|---|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 7647-14-5  | Sodium chloride                    | Na (via ICP), Cl (via anions)              | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration                           | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10588-01-9 | Sodium dichromate                  | Na and Cr (via ICP), CrVI                  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7681-49-4  | Sodium fluoride                    | Na (via ICP), F (via anions)               | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10124-56-8 | Sodium hexameta-phosphate (calgon) | Na (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7681-31-8  | Sodium hydrogen sulfate            | Na (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1310-73-2  | Sodium hydroxide                   | Na (via ICP), OH (via pH)                  | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 12232-99-4 | Sodium meta-bismuthate             | Na and Bi (via ICP)                        | CAS# is for sodium bismuthate. This compound is likely to be present in toxic concentrations. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7631-99-4  | Sodium nitrate                     | Na (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions) | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.                            | I   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7632-00-0  | Sodium nitrite                     | Na (via ICP), NO <sub>2</sub> (via anions) | Nitrites degraded to nitrates.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 62-76-0    | Sodium oxalate                     | Na (via ICP)                               | Oxalate exclusion in organic section as oxalic acid.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7775-27-1  | Sodium persulfate                  | Na (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | Compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.                          | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 6834-92-0  | Sodium silicate                    | Na and Si (via ICP), pH                    | Sodium silicate may raise pH.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7757-82-6  | Sodium sulfate                     | Na (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.                            | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A        | Sodium sulfite                     | N/A  | See final COC tables. Sulfite degrades to SO <sub>4</sub> .                                   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 7772-98-7  | Sodium thiosulfate                 | Na (via ICP), SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.                            | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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| CAS#                          | COPCs                    | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)            | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 7601-54-9                     | Sodium phosphate         | Na (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)  | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 7722-88-5                     | Sodium pyrophosphate     | Na (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)  | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 5329-14-6                     | Sulfamic acid            | SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                | Has degraded to sulfates.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7664-93-9                     | Sulfuric acid            | SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions), acid (via pH) | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 7440-25-7                     | Tantalum                 | N/A   | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-31-5                     | Tin                      | N/A   | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7550-4500                     | Titanium chloride        | Cl (via anions), acid (via pH)              | TiCl <sub>3</sub> degrades on contact with water to HCl and TiO <sub>2</sub> . Ti not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.               | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7779-88-6                     | Zinc nitrate             | Zn (via ICP), NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)  | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7779-90-0                     | Zinc phosphate           | Zn (via ICP), PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)  | This compound is not likely to be present in toxic concentrations.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7440-67-7                     | Zirconium                | N/A   | Zr not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                           | Zirconium carbonate gel  | CO <sub>3</sub> (via pH)                    | Zr not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration. Carbonate anion not likely present in toxic quantities. Screened for potential effect on pH. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 13746-89-9                    | Zirconyl nitrate         | NO <sub>3</sub> (via anions)                | Zr not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                           | Zirconyl phosphate       | PO <sub>4</sub> (via anions)                | Zr not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| <b>Organic Chemical COPCs</b> |                          |   |  |     |      |      |     |     |
| 75-34-3                       | 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA) | N/A   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 107-06-2                      | 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA) | N/A   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |

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| CAS#                | COPCs                       | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 71-55-6             | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA) | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 64-19-7             | Acetic acid                 | N/A                              | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 67-64-1             | Acetone                     | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 528-21-2            | Alizarin yellow             |                                  | Laboratory indicator. Typically used in drop quantities as <1% solutions. No analytical technology or toxicity issues identified.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 71-43-2             | Benzene                     | N/A                              | Compound is not likely to be presented in toxic or high concentrations in secondary condensate waste streams.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | E   |
| 115-40-2            | Bromocresol purple          | N/A                              | Laboratory indicator. Typically used in drop quantities as <1% solutions. No analytical technology or toxicity issues identified.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 580-13-2<br>90-11-9 | Bromo-naphthalene           | N/A                              | Use in microscopic examinations. Used in minimal quantities and most probable disposal/release as part of solid wastes.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 71-36-3             | n-butyl alcohol             | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 78-93-3             | Methyl ethyl ketone         | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 100-51-6            | Benzyl alcohol              | N/A                              | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 56-23-5             | Carbon tetrachloride        | N/A                              | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentration but will be reported if detected by EPA Method 8260.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 77-92-9             | Citric acid                 | Present as citric anion          | Very soluble. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities. No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexants. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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|----------|---|--|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 156-59-2 | Cis-1,2-ditranchloroethylene              | N/A  | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 108-90-7 | Chlorobenzene                             | N/A  | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentration but will be reported if detected by EPA Method 8260.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 67-66-3  | Chloroform                                | N/A  | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentration but will be reported if detected by EPA Method 8260.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 298-07-7 | Di(2-ethylhexyl) phosphoric acid          | N/A  | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes.                                     | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 78-46-6  | Dibutyl butyl phosphonate (DBBP)          | N/A  | DBBP was widely used as a solvent during the PRF americium recovery operations. No direct standard analytical procedure available. Will degrade to phosphate and detected in those analytical measurements.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 107-66-4 | Dibutyl phosphate                         | N/A  | No direct standard analytical technique available. This compound is a degradation product of TBP and is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 112-40-3 | Dodecane                                  | Hydrocarbon measured as part of TPH analysis | Hydrocarbon measured as part of TPH analysis.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 60-00-4  | Ethylene-diamine tetra acetic acid (EDTA) | N/A  | No direct standard analytical technique available. Available as a food-grade material. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 64-17-5  | Ethanol                                   | N/A  | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 60-29-7  | Ethyl ether                               | N/A  | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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**Table B-5. Table 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications. (19 Pages)**

| CAS#      | COPCs                                  | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)                        | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|-----------|--|---|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 107-21-1  | Ethylene glycol                        | N/A   | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 100-41-4  | Ethyl-benzene                          | N/A   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 50-00-0   | Formaldehyde                           | N/A   | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A       | Glycerol                               | N/A   | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 527-07-1  | (Sodium) gluconate                     | N/A   | Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities. No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 108-10-1  | Hexone (methyl isobutyl ketone [MIBK]) | N/A   | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| N/A       | Hydraulic fluids (greases)             | Hydrocarbon measured as part of oil and grease analysis | Hydrocarbon measured as part of oil and grease analysis.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 302-01-2  | Hydrazine                              | N/A   | Extremely reactive, very likely to have degraded and not be present within waste stream.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7803-49-8 | Hydroxylamine (HN)                     | N/A   | Hydroxylamine rapidly degrades to nitrogen, ammonia and water. Used in the PRF process.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 11/1/5470 | Hydroxylamine hydrochloride            | Cl (via anions), acid (via pH)                          | Hydroxylamine rapidly degrades to nitrogen, ammonia and water. Used in the PRF process.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 79-14-1   | Hydroxyacetic acid (glycolic acid)     | N/A   | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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### Table B-5. Table 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications. (19 Pages)

| CAS#                | COPCs                             | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 148-24-3<br>59-31-4 | Hydroxy-quinoline                 | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 67-63-0             | Isopropyl alcohol                 | N/A                              | Very soluble, likely to have migrated or vaporized if exposed; reasonably biodegradable. Available as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                 | Mandelic acid                     | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 67-56-1             | Methanol                          | N/A                              | Extremely soluble, and very likely to have degraded and not be present in waste stream.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| N/A                 | Methyl lactic acid                | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 75-09-2             | Methylene chloride                | N/A                              | Associated with B plant complex decontamination operations and as a listed waste with code F002.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| N/A                 | Molybdate-citrate reagent         | Present as citric anion          | Mo not likely to be present in toxic or high concentration. No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 670-03-7            | Mono-2-ethylhexyl phosphoric acid | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexes.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1623-15-0           | Monobutyl phosphate               | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. This compound is a degradation product of TBP and is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 8030-30-6           | Naphtha                           | N/A                              | Hydrocarbon measured as part of TPH analysis and associated with equipment decontamination.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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**Table B-5. Table 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications. (19 Pages)**

| CAS#      | COPCs  | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable)    | Rationale for Exclusion   | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|-----------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 91-59-8   | Naphthylamine  | Analyzed as two isomers             | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations but would be reported if detected by EPA Method 8270.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 104-51-8  | n-butyl benzene  | N/A                                 | Compound is unlikely to be present in decontamination or secondary cooling water waste streams.   | I   | E    | E    | I   | E   |
| 8008-20-6 | Normal paraffin hydro-carbons (kerosene, Shell solvent, etc) | N/A                                 | Hydrocarbon measured as part of TPH analysis. CAS# for kerosene.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 144-62-7  | Oxalic acid  | Acid (via pH)                       | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 108-95-2  | Phenol   | N/A                                 | Compound unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations but would be reported if detected by EPA Method 8270.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 140-01-2  | Pentasodium diethylene triamine penta acetate (DTPA)         | N/A                                 | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1336-36-3 | PCBs   | N/A                                 | See final COC tables.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 140-22-7  | S-diphenyl-arbazide  | N/A                                 | Laboratory indicator. Typically used in drop quantities as <1% solutions. No analytical technology or toxicity issues identified.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 527-07-1  | Sodium gluconate   | Na (via ICP)                        | Gluconate exclusion in organic section.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 7790-74-5 | Sulfonic acid (chloro)                                       | Cl and SO <sub>4</sub> (via anions) | Will have degraded to chloride and sulfate anions   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 87-69-4   | Tartaric acid  | N/A                                 | Very soluble. Available and used as food-grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities. No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |

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Table B-5. Table 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications. (19 Pages)

| CAS#       | COPCs                     | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 558-13-4   | Tetrabromothane           | N/A                              | Use in microscopic examinations. Used in minimal quantities and most probable disposal/release as part of solid wastes.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 109-99-9   | Tetrahydrouran            | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentration.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 127-18-4   | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE) | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | E   |
| 146-66-8   | Tetraphenyl boron         | B (via ICP)                      | Will have degraded into inorganic boron compound and aromatic organics analyzed by EPA Method 8260.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 326-91-0   | Thenoyl-rifluoroacetone   | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. This compound is unlikely to be present in toxic or high concentrations. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 125020-2   | Thymol-hthalein           | N/A                              | Laboratory indicator. Typically used in drop quantities as <1% solutions. No analytical technology or toxicity issues identified.  | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 25549-16-0 | Tri-iso-octylamine        | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 102-87-4   | Tri-n-dodecylamine        | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 1116-76-3  | Tri-n-octylamine          | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 126-73-8   | Tributyl phosphate (TBP)  | N/A                              | Not likely to be present in toxic or high concentrations in vehicle/heavy equipment waste streams.   | I   | E    | E    | I   | I   |
| 79-01-6    | Trichloroethylene (TCE)   | N/A                              | Not likely to be present in toxic of high concentrations in secondary condensate streams but if detected would be reported by EPA Method 8260.   | I   | I    | I    | I   | E   |

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**Table B-5. Table 200-MW-1 Operable Unit COPC Exclusions and Justifications. (19 Pages)**

| CAS#       | COPCs  | Analyzed as Ions (as applicable) | Rationale for Exclusion  | A-4 | T-33 | T-13 | U-3 | E-4 |
|------------|--|----------------------------------|--|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| 77-86-1    | Tris (hydroxy-methyl) amino methane                          | N/A                              | Very soluble. Available and used as pharmaceutical grade material. Minimal potential for presence in toxic level quantities. No direct standard analytical technique available.                                      | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 10041-84-9 | Trisodium nitrilo triacetate (NTA)                           | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 57-13-6    | Urea   | N/A                              | This compound will degrade to nitrogen, nitrate, and ammonia. No standard analytical method in place for its analysis.   | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 150-39-0   | Trisodium hydroxyethyl ethylene – diamine triacetate (HEDTA) | N/A                              | No direct standard analytical technique available. Has dissolved to a complexing agent that could have affected the mobility of certain COCs. Unexpected mobility of COCs will indicate the presence of complexents. | E   | E    | E    | E   | E   |
| 108-88-3   | Toluene  | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |
| 1330-20-7  | Xylene   | N/A                              | See final COC tables.  | I   | I    | I    | I   | I   |

CAS = Chemical Abstract Services

EPA = U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

GEA = gamma energy analysis

ICP = inductively coupled plasma

N/A = not applicable

PRF = Plutonium Reclamation Facility

**Table B-6. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Process Facility  
Ventilation Stack and Sand Filter Sources. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #  | Final COCs      | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|--|-----------------|---|
| <b>Radiological Constituents</b>                         |                 |   |
| 14596-10-2   | Americium-241   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10045-97-3   | Cesium-137      | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10198-40-0   | Cobalt-60       | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14683-23-9   | Europium-152    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15585-10-1   | Europium-154    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14391-16-3   | Europium-155    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15046-84-1   | Iodine-129      | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13981-16-3   | Plutonium-238   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-48-3   | Plutonium-239   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14119-33-6   | Plutonium-240   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10098-97-2   | Strontium-90    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14133-76-7   | Technetium-99   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10028-17-8   | Tritium         | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13966-29-5   | Uranium-233/234 | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-96-1   | Uranium-235/236 | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13982-70-2   | Uranium-238     | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – Metals</b>             |                 |   |
| 7440-43-9  | Cadmium         | Analytical results from sediment samples collected in 200 Areas (Rohay 1994).   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium        | Due to sodium/potassium dichromate added during first- and second-cycle decontamination and concentration operations of bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], WHC 1990a).   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium (VI)   | Due to sodium/potassium dichromate added during first- and second-cycle decontamination and concentration operations of bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], WHC 1990a).   |
| 7440-50-8  | Copper          | Associated with ventilation and cooling systems.  |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead            | Metal used in lead-dipped cladding and cladding waste stream (1952 to 1956) (GE 1944 [Section A]).  |
| 7429-90-5  | Silver          | Associated with ventilation system silver reactors (Agnew et al. 1997).   |
| 7439-97-6  | Mercury         | Several uses in bismuth-phosphate campaign including addition to cladding and metal waste streams to prevent gaseous generations and miscellaneous laboratory uses (Agnew et al. 1997).   |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – General Inorganics</b> |                 |   |
| 57-12-5  | Cyanide         | Extensive use (1954 to 1958) as nickel ferro/ferric cyanide during scavenging and recovery processes. Listed as a result of tank farm integration (Agnew et al. 1997, Borsheim and Simpson 1991, GE 1951b).   |
| 16984-48-8   | Fluoride        | Several compounds contained fluoride. The most widely used included lanthanum-fluoride (which was used during the concentration operations of the bismuth-phosphate process) and ammonium silica fluoride (which was used as a cleaning and decontamination compound based on ability to dissolve metals and fission products) (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945).  |
| N02-N03-N  | Nitrate/nitrite | Several compounds contained nitrates/nitrites. The most widely used included sodium nitrite, a salting agent during the cladding removal; nitric acid, used throughout the bismuth-phosphate process and Uranium Reclamation Process (URP); and bismuth subnitrate, which was used to create the bismuth-phosphate/plutonium solid during the first and second decontamination cycles (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). |
| 14265-44-2   | Phosphate       | Several compounds contained phosphate. The most widely used included phosphoric acid, which was used throughout bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], HEW 1945).  |

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| CAS #                         | Final COCs                                    | Rationale for Inclusion  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| 14808-79-8                    | Sulfate                                       | Several compounds contained sulfate. The most widely used included sulfuric acid, which was used in dissolving the fuel rods during the bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). Other sulfate complexes were used as carriers for various metals.  |
| <b>Volatile Organics</b>      |   |  |
| 75-34-3                       | 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA)                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 107-06-2                      | 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA)                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 71-55-6                       | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA)                   | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F001 (WHC 1996).   |
| 67-19-7                       | Acetone                                       | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).   |
| 71-43-2                       | Benzene                                       | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 156-59-2                      | cis-1,2-dichloroethylene                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 100-41-4                      | Ethylbenzene                                  | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 108-10-1                      | Methyl isobutyl ketone                        | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002 (WHC 1996).   |
| 156-60-5                      | trans-1,2-dichloroethylene                    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 78-93-3                       | Methyl ethyl ketone                           | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).   |
| 75-09-2                       | Methylene chloride                            | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002 (WHC 1996).   |
| 71-63-3                       | n-butyl alcohol                               | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).   |
| 104-51-8                      | n-butyl benzene                               | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 127-18-4                      | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)                     | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 79-01-6                       | Trichloroethylene (TCE)                       | TCE is a degradation product of carbon tetrachloride. Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is prevalent throughout the vadose zone and has impacted groundwater (Rohay 1994).  |
| 108-88-3                      | Toluene                                       | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).   |
| 1330-20-7                     | Xylene  | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| <b>Semi-Volatile Organics</b> |   |  |
| 8008-20-6                     | Normal paraffins <sup>a</sup>                 | Extensive use (1953 to 1957) in solvent extraction operation as the dilutant for TBP in URPs (GE 1951a).   |
| 1336-36-3                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)              | Various types of normal paraffins were used as milling, cutting, and washing solutions during the production of plutonium buttons/rods. These solutions usually contained PCBs (discussions/publications with David A. Dodd, Plutonium Finishing Plant chemist [Mandis 2001]). Analytical results from sediment samples collected within tank 241-Z-361 (FH 2000). |
| 126-73-8                      | Tributyl phosphate and derivatives (mono, bi) | Extensive use in the extraction of plutonium and uranium in the PUREX process and of uranium in the uranium recovery process (GE 1951b, 1955).   |

<sup>a</sup>Analyzed as kerosene by nonhalogenated volatile organic analytes via 8015 Method; total petroleum hydrocarbons, diesel to oil ranges; or total petroleum hydrocarbons, gasoline range.  
CAS = Chemical Abstract Services

Table B-7. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Facility Decontamination Sources. (2 Pages)

| CAS #  | Final COCs                  | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|--|-----------------------------|---|
| <i>Radiological Constituents</i>                         |                             |   |
| 14596-10-2   | Americium-241               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10045-97-3   | Cesium-137                  | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10198-40-0   | Cobalt-60                   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14683-23-9   | Europium-152                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15585-10-1   | Europium-154                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14391-16-3   | Europium-155                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13981-16-3   | Plutonium-238               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-48-3   | Plutonium-239               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14119-33-6   | Plutonium-240               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10098-97-2   | Strontium-90                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14133-76-7   | Technetium-99               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13966-29-5   | Uranium-233/234             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-96-1   | Uranium-235/236             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13982-70-2   | Uranium-238                 | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| <i>Nonradiological Constituents – Metals</i>             |                             |   |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead                        | Metal used in lead-dipped cladding and cladding waste stream (1952 to 1956) (GE 1944 [Section A]).  |
| 7440-43-9  | Cadmium                     | Expected to be present from contaminants/engine wear in oil/grease and pigments in paint.   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium                    | Expected to be present from contaminants/engine wear in oil/grease and pigments in paint.   |
| <i>Nonradiological Constituents – General Inorganics</i> |                             |   |
| 14265-44-2   | Phosphate                   | Several compounds contained phosphate. The most widely used included phosphoric acid, which was used throughout bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], HEW 1945).  |
| 14808-79-8   | Sulfate                     | Several compounds contained sulfate. The most widely used included sulfuric acid, which was used in dissolving the fuel rods during the bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). Other sulfate complexes were used as carriers for various metals. |
| <i>Volatile Organics</i>                                 |                             |   |
| 75-34-3  | 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA)    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 107-06-2   | 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA)    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 71-55-6  | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA) | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 67-19-7  | Acetone                     | Listed waste associated with T Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).  |
| 71-43-2  | Benzene                     | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 156-59-2   | cis-1,2-dichloroethylene    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 100-41-4   | Ethylbenzene                | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 75-09-2  | Methylene chloride          | Listed waste associated with T Plant operations-F002  |

**Table B-7. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Vehicle/Heavy Equipment Facility Decontamination Sources. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #                         | Final COCs                       | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 71-63-3                       | n-butyl alcohol                  | Associated with T Plant heavy equipment decontamination operations-F003 (WHC 1990a).  |
| 104-51-8                      | n-butyl benzene                  | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 127-18-4                      | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)        | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 156-60-5                      | trans-1,2-dichloroethylene       | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 79-01-6                       | Trichloroethylene (TCE)          | TCE is a degradation product of carbon tetrachloride. Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is prevalent throughout the vadose zone and has impacted groundwater (Rohay 1994). |
| 108-88-3                      | Toluene                          | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).  |
| 1330-20-7                     | Xylene                           | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| <b>Semi-Volatile Organics</b> |                                  |   |
| 8008-20-6                     | Normal paraffins <sup>a</sup>    | Expected from vehicle oil and grease removed during decontamination.  |
| 1336-36-3                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) | Expected from vehicle oil and grease removed during decontamination.  |

<sup>a</sup>Analyzed as kerosene by nonhalogenated volatile organic analytes via 8015 Method; total petroleum hydrocarbons, diesel to oil ranges; or total petroleum hydrocarbons, gasoline range.

**Table B-8. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Vehicle/Heavy Equipment  
Field Decontamination Source. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #  | Final COCs                  | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|--|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>Radiological Constituents</b>                         |                             |   |
| 14596-10-2   | Americium-241               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10045-97-3   | Cesium-137                  | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10198-40-0   | Cobalt-60                   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14683-23-9   | Europium-152                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15585-10-1   | Europium-154                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14391-16-3   | Europium-155                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13981-16-3   | Plutonium-238               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-48-3   | Plutonium-239               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14119-33-6   | Plutonium-240               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10098-97-2   | Strontium-90                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14133-76-7   | Technetium-99               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13966-29-5   | Uranium-233/234             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-96-1   | Uranium-235/236             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13982-70-2   | Uranium-238                 | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – Metals</b>             |                             |   |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead                        | Expected to be present from contaminants/engine wear in oil/grease and pigments in paint.   |
| 7440-43-9  | Cadmium                     | Expected to be present from contaminants/engine wear in oil/grease and pigments in paint.   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium                    | Expected to be present from contaminants/engine wear in oil/grease and pigments in paint.   |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – General Inorganics</b> |                             |   |
| 14265-44-2   | Phosphate                   | Several compounds contained phosphate. The most widely used included phosphoric acid, which was used throughout bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], HEW 1945).  |
| 14808-79-8   | Sulfate                     | Several compounds contained sulfate. The most widely used included sulfuric acid, which was used in dissolving the fuel rods during the bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). Other sulfate complexes were used as carriers for various metals. |
| <b>Volatile Organics</b>                                 |                             |   |
| 75-34-3  | 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA)    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 107-06-2   | 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA)    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 71-55-6  | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA) | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F001 (WHC 1996).  |
| 67-19-7  | Acetone                     | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).  |
| 71-43-2  | Benzene                     | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 156-59-2   | cis-1,2-dichloroethylene    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 108-10-1   | Methyl isobutyl ketone      | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002 (WHC 1996).  |
| 78-93-3  | Methyl ethyl ketone         | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).  |
| 75-09-2  | Methylene chloride          | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002.   |

**Table B-8. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Vehicle/Heavy Equipment  
Field Decontamination Source. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #                         | Final COCs                          | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 71-63-3                       | n-butyl alcohol                     | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).  |
| 127-18-4                      | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)           | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 156-60-5                      | trans-1,2-dichloroethylene          | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 79-01-6                       | Trichloroethylene (TCE)             | TCE is a degradation product of carbon tetrachloride. Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is prevalent throughout the vadose zone and has impacted groundwater (Rohay 1994). |
| 108-88-3                      | Toluene                             | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).  |
| 1330-20-7                     | Xylene                              | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| <i>Semi-Volatile Organics</i> |                                     |   |
| 8008-20-6                     | Normal paraffins (greases and oils) | Expected from vehicle oil and grease removed during decontamination.  |
| 1336-36-3                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)    | Expected from vehicle oil and grease removed during decontamination.  |

**Table B-9. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Low-Level Radioactive Process or Steam Condensate Source. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #  | Final COCs      | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|--|-----------------|---|
| <i>Radiological Constituents</i>                         |                 |   |
| 14596-10-2   | Americium-241   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997)..  |
| 10045-97-3   | Cesium-137      | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10198-40-0   | Cobalt-60       | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14683-23-9   | Europium-152    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15585-10-1   | Europium-154    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14391-16-3   | Europium-155    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13981-16-3   | Plutonium-238   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-48-3   | Plutonium-239   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14119-33-6   | Plutonium-240   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10098-97-2   | Strontium-90    | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14133-76-7   | Technetium-99   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10028-17-8   | Tritium         | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13966-29-5   | Uranium-234     | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-96-1   | Uranium-235     | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13982-70-2   | Uranium-238     | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| <i>Nonradiological Constituents – Metals</i>             |                 |   |
| 7440-43-9  | Cadmium         | Analytical results from sediment samples collected in 200 Areas (Rohay 1994).   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium        | Due to sodium/potassium dichromate added during first- and second-cycle decontamination and concentration operations of bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], WHC 1990a).   |
| 7440-47-3  | Chromium (VI)   | Due to sodium/potassium dichromate added during first- and second-cycle decontamination and concentration operations of bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], WHC 1990a).   |
| 7440-50-8  | Copper          | Associated with ventilation and cooling systems.  |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead            | Metal used in lead-dipped cladding and cladding waste stream (1952 to 1956) (GE 1944 [Section A]).  |
| 7439-97-6  | Mercury         | Several uses in bismuth-phosphate campaign including addition to cladding and metal waste streams to prevent gaseous generations and miscellaneous laboratory uses (Agnew et al. 1997).   |
| <i>Nonradiological Constituents – General Inorganics</i> |                 |   |
| 57-12-5  | Cyanide         | Extensive use (1954 to 1958) as nickel ferro/ferric cyanide during scavenging and recovery processes. Listed as a result of tank farm integration (Agnew et al. 1997, Borsheim and Simpson 1991, GE 1951a).   |
| 16984-48-8   | Fluoride        | Several compounds contained fluoride. The most widely used included lanthanum-fluoride (which was used during the concentration operations of the bismuth-phosphate process) and ammonium silica fluoride (which was used as a cleaning and decontamination compound based on ability to dissolve metals and fission products) (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945).                          |
| N02+N03-N  | Nitrate/nitrite | Several compounds contained nitrates/nitrites. The most widely used included sodium nitrite, a salting agent during the cladding removal; nitric acid, used throughout the bismuth-phosphate process and URP; and bismuth subnitrate, which was used to create the bismuth-phosphate/plutonium solid during the first and second decontamination cycles (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). |

Table B-9. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Low-Level Radioactive Process or Steam Condensate Source. (2 Pages)

| CAS #                         | Final COCs                                    | Rationale for Inclusion  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| 14265-44-2                    | Phosphate                                     | Several compounds contained phosphate. The most widely used included phosphoric acid, which was used throughout bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], HEW 1945).   |
| 14808-79-8                    | Sulfate                                       | Several compounds contained sulfate. The most widely used included sulfuric acid, which was used in dissolving the fuel rods during the bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). Other sulfate complexes were used as carriers for various metals.  |
| <b>Volatile Organics</b>      |   |  |
| 75-34-3                       | 1,1-dichloroethane (DCA)                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 107-06-2                      | 1,2-dichloroethane (DCA)                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 71-55-6                       | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA)                   | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F001 (WHC 1996).   |
| 67-19-7                       | Acetone                                       | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).   |
| 71-43-2                       | Benzene                                       | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 156-59-2                      | cis-1,2-dichloroethylene                      | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 100-41-4                      | Ethylbenzene                                  | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 108-10-1                      | Methyl isobutyl ketone                        | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002 (WHC 1996).   |
| 78-93-3                       | Methyl ethyl ketone                           | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).   |
| 75-09-2                       | Methylene chloride                            | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002.  |
| 71-63-3                       | n-butyl alcohol                               | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).   |
| 104-51-8                      | n-butyl benzene                               | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 127-18-4                      | Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)                     | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 156-60-5                      | trans-1,2-dichloroethylene                    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| 79-01-6                       | Trichloroethylene (TCE)                       | TCE is a degradation product of carbon tetrachloride. Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is prevalent throughout the vadose zone and has impacted groundwater (Rohay 1994).  |
| 108-88-3                      | Toluene                                       | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).   |
| 1330-20-7                     | Xylene  | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).   |
| <b>Semi-Volatile Organics</b> |   |  |
| 8008-20-6                     | Normal paraffins <sup>a</sup>                 | Extensive use (1953 to 1957) in solvent extraction operation as the dilutant for TBP in URPs (GE 1951a).   |
| 1336-36-3                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)              | Various types of normal paraffins were used as milling, cutting, and washing solutions during the production of plutonium buttons/rods. These solutions usually contained PCBs (discussions/publications with David A. Dodd, PFP chemist [Mandis 2001]). Analytical results from sediment samples collected within the 241-Z-361 tank (FH 2000). |
| 126-73-8                      | Tributyl phosphate and derivatives (mono, bi) | Extensive use in the extraction of plutonium and uranium in the PUREX process and of uranium in the uranium recovery process (GE 1951b, 1955).   |

<sup>a</sup>Analyzed as kerosene by nonhalogenated volatile organic analytes via 8015 Method; total petroleum hydrocarbons, diesel to oil ranges; or total petroleum hydrocarbons, gasoline range.

**Table B-10. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Nonradiological Process Steam Condensate with Radiological Cross Contamination. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #  | Final COCs                  | Rationale for Inclusion   |
|--|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>Radiological Constituents</b>                         |                             |   |
| 14596-10-2   | Americium-241               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10045-97-3   | Cesium-137                  | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10198-40-0   | Cobalt-60                   | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14683-23-9   | Europium-152                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15585-10-1   | Europium-154                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14391-16-3   | Europium-155                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13981-16-3   | Plutonium-238               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-48-3   | Plutonium-239               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14119-33-6   | Plutonium-240               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 10098-97-2   | Strontium-90                | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 14133-76-7   | Technetium-99               | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13966-29-5   | Uranium-233/234             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 15117-96-1   | Uranium-235/236             | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| 13982-70-2   | Uranium-238                 | Known constituent produced by various Hanford Site operations (Kupfer et al. 1997).   |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – Metals</b>             |                             |   |
| 7440-50-8  | Copper                      | Associated with ventilation and cooling systems.  |
| 7439-92-1  | Lead                        | Metal used in lead-dipped cladding and cladding waste stream (1952 to 1956) (GE 1944 [Section A]).  |
| <b>Nonradiological Constituents – General Inorganics</b> |                             |   |
| N02+N03-N  | Nitrate/nitrite             | Several compounds contained nitrates/nitrites. The most widely used included sodium nitrite, a salting agent during the cladding removal; nitric acid, used throughout the bismuth-phosphate process and URP; and bismuth subnitrate, which was used to create the bismuth-phosphate/plutonium solid during the first and second decontamination cycles (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). |
| 14265-44-2   | Phosphate                   | Several compounds contained phosphate. The most widely used included phosphoric acid, which was used throughout bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], HEW 1945).  |
| 14808-79-8   | Sulfate                     | Several compounds contained sulfate. The most widely used included sulfuric acid, which was used in dissolving the fuel rods during the bismuth-phosphate process (GE 1944 [Section C], 1951a; HEW 1945). Other sulfate complexes were used as carriers for various metals.   |
| <b>Volatile Organics</b>                                 |                             |   |
| 71-55-6  | 1,1,1-trichloroethane (TCA) | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F001 (WHC 1996).  |
| 67-19-7  | Acetone                     | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).  |
| 156-59-2   | cis-1,2-dichloroethylene    | Analytical results and measurements have illustrated that this contaminant is found throughout the vadose zone (Rohay 1994).  |
| 108-10-1   | Methyl isobutyl ketone      | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002 (WHC 1996).  |
| 78-93-3  | Methyl ethyl ketone         | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).  |
| 75-09-2  | Methylene chloride          | Listed waste associated with B Plant operations-F002.   |

**Table B-10. 200-MW-1 Operable Unit Final COC List Nonradiological Process Steam Condensate with Radiological Cross Contamination. (2 Pages)**

| CAS #                         | Final COCs                                    | Rationale for Inclusion  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| 71-63-3                       | n-butyl alcohol                               | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F003 (WHC 1996).   |
| 108-88-3                      | Toluene                                       | Listed waste associated with PUREX Plant operations-F005 (WHC 1996).   |
| <b>Semi-Volatile Organics</b> |   |  |
| 8008-20-6                     | Normal paraffins <sup>a</sup>                 | Extensive use (1953 to 1957) in solvent extraction operation as the dilutant for TBP in URPS (GE 1951a).   |
| 1336-36-3                     | Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)              | Various types of normal paraffins were used as milling, cutting, and washing solutions during the production of plutonium buttons/rods. These solutions usually contained PCBs (discussions/publications with David A. Dodd, PFP chemist [Mandis 2001]). Analytical results from sediment samples collected within the 241-Z-361 tank (FH 2000). |
| 126-73-8                      | Tributyl phosphate and derivatives (mono, bi) | Extensive use in the extraction of plutonium and uranium in the PUREX process and of uranium in the uranium recovery process (GE 1951b, 1955).   |

<sup>a</sup>Analyzed as kerosene by nonhalogenated volatile organic analytes via 8015 Method; total petroleum hydrocarbons, diesel to oil ranges; or total petroleum hydrocarbons, gasoline range.

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