Civilian Radioactive Waste Management System

Management & Operating Contractor

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Systems Engineering

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Overview

- Updated Systems Engineering Management Plan
- Working in hot environments

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Document Hierarchy



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Regulatory Controls

SEMP

- Development of the Multi-Purpose Canister (MPC)
- Prerequisites and products of each phase
- Technical reviews scheduled through FY96
- TBV and TBD requirements
- Specialty Engineering Program Plans

Development of the MPC

- Acquisition process for the MPC procurement
- Technical baseline and related documentation
- Technical reviews

Phase Prerequisites and Products Example

Phase	Doc at Start	Products of Phase
Conceptual	CRD	SRD, plans
Preliminary	SRD	DRDs, analyses
Detailed	DRDs	Design packages
Fabrication/ Construction	Design packages	As-built design package Manuals
Operation	Manuals	

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Technical Reviews

- CRWMS element/segment
- Technical review
- Date
- Example
 - CRWMS segment: MPC procurement
 - Review: Safety Analysis Design Review
 - Date: FY96, 3rdQ

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TBV and TBD Requirements

 Requires projects to determine the technical cost, schedule, and programmatic risks associated with proceeding without closure

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Human Factors Engineering Program Plan:

- Activities/phase
- Operational concept
- Functional allocation
- Task analysis

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System Safety Program Plan:

- Activities/phase
- System Safety Analyses
- System Safety Working Group
- Hazard tracking and risk resolution database

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Integrated Logistics System Program Plan:

- Activities/phase
- Logistics Support Analysis (LSA)
- Maintenance concept
- Provisioning concept
- Failure Reporting Analysis and Corrective Action System (FRACAS)

RAM Program Plan:

- Activities/phase
- Program reliability requirements
- Allocation of RAM performance requirements
- Trade-off analyses

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Working in Hot Environments

- Purpose
- Heat gain and loss
- Heat stress
- Design requirement
- Heat stress measurements
- Repository temperatures

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Purpose

- Provide background for the need for establishing a temperature requirement for workers
- Provide input to concept of operations

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Heat Gain and Loss

- $S = M \pm C \pm R E$
- Heat gain sources
 - Human metabolism
 - Convective heat
 - Radiative heat
- Heat loss sources
 - Convective heat
 - Radiative heat
 - Evaporation

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Heat Loss to Environment



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Heat Stress

- Heat cramps
- Heat exhaustion
 - Deep core temperature exceeding 37° ± 1°C (98.6° ± 1.8°F)
 - Headache, nausea, vertigo, weakness, confusion, loss of consciousness, convulsions
- Heat stroke
 - Medical emergency
 - Multi-system lesions
 - Can be fatal

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Proposed Repository Design Temperatures

- Temperatures by phase
 - Operations, emplacement, caretaker, and backfilling
- Temperatures by location
 - Access drifts, emplacement drifts, and perimeter drifts

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