



NUWASTE Results Scenario 2.1

Characteristics of U.S. Spent Fuel Inventory as of December 2009

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BWR

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• Total mass of spent fuel at the beginning of 2010, Output Measure 2.1.2.1).

Nun	nber of Assembli	Mass of Assemblies (MT)			
PWR	PWR BWR Total			BWR	Total
94,289	117,694	211,983	40,544.27	21,184.92	61,729.19

 Mass of ²³⁴U, ²³⁵U, ²³⁶U, and ²³⁸U in spent fuel at the beginning of 2010, Output Measure 2.1.2.2).

PWR Masses (MT)				BWR Masses (MT)					
U-234 U-235 U-236 U-238 Total				U-234	U-235	U-236	U-238	Total	
6.7	327.3	187.3	37,934.8	38,456.1	2.6	73.6	70.0	20,147.7	20,293.8

Total Masses (MT)						
U-234 U-235 U-236 U-238 Total						
9.3	400.8	257.3	58,082.5	58,749.9		



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Total mass of ²³⁸Pu, ²³⁹Pu, ²⁴⁰Pu, ²⁴¹Pu, and ²⁴²Pu in spent fuel at the beginning of 2010, Output Measure 2.1.2.3).

PWR Masses (MT)					BWR Masses (MT)						
Pu-238	Pu-239	Pu-240	Pu-241	Pu-242	Total	Pu-238	Pu-239	Pu-240	Pu-241	Pu-242	Total
7.4	230.2	104.7	29.7	27.2	399.3	1.9	79.2	51.0	9.9	13.7	155.6

Total Masses (MT)						
Pu-238 Pu-239 Pu-240 Pu-241 Pu-242 Total						
9.3	309.4	155.7	39.6	40.9	554.9	

 Mass of fission products and minor actinides, either total or by isotope, in spent fuel at the beginning of 2010, Output Measure 2.1.2.4).

PWR Masses (MT)	BWR Masses (MT)	Total Masses (MT)		
FP & Minor Actinides	FP & Minor Actinides	FP & Minor Actinides		
1,688.9	735.5	2,424.4		

