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LIST OF ACRONYMS

AEC	Atomic Energy Commission
ASL	Above Sea Level
BTX	Benzene, Toluene, Xylene
CEARP	Comprehensive Environmental Assessment and Response Program
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CMP	Corrugated Metal Pipe
CMR	Chemical Metallurgical Research (Building)
D&D	Decontamination and Decommissioning
DOE	U.S. Department of Energy
dU	Depleted Uranium
EETF	Experimental Engineering Test Facility (Building)
EID	New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division
EM	Electromagnetic
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EP TOXIC	Extraction Procedure Toxicity
ER	Environmental Restoration
FP	Fission Products
HE	High Explosive
HEPA	High Efficiency Purified Air (Filter)
HSE	LANL Health, Safety, and Environment Division
HSWA	Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendment to RCRA
IWMP	Interim Waste Management Program (DOE's Department of Defense Waste and Transportation Management)
LAO	U.S. Department of Energy Los Alamos Area Office
LAMPF	Los Alamos Meson Physics Facility
LAMPRE	Los Alamos Molten Plutonium Reactor Experiment
LANL	Los Alamos National Laboratory
LAPRE	Los Alamos Power Reactor Experiment
LASCP	Los Alamos Site Characterization Program
LASL	Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory
LL	Low Level (Radioactive Waste)
MAP	Mixed Activation Products
MDA	Material Disposal Area
MEGAS	Multiple Energy Gamma Assay Spectrometer
MFP	Mixed Fission Products
N.C.	Non-Compactible (Radioactive Waste)
NMEID	New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division
NPDES	National Pollution Discharge Elimination System
O.D.	Outside Diameter
OWR	Omega West Reactor
PAH	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons
PCB	Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PHERMEX	Pulsed High-Energy Radiographic Machine Emitting X-rays
P.N.	Property Numbers
PPB	Parts Per Billion
PPM	Parts Per Million
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RH	Remote Handled (Radioactive Waste)
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SRF	Size Reduction Facility

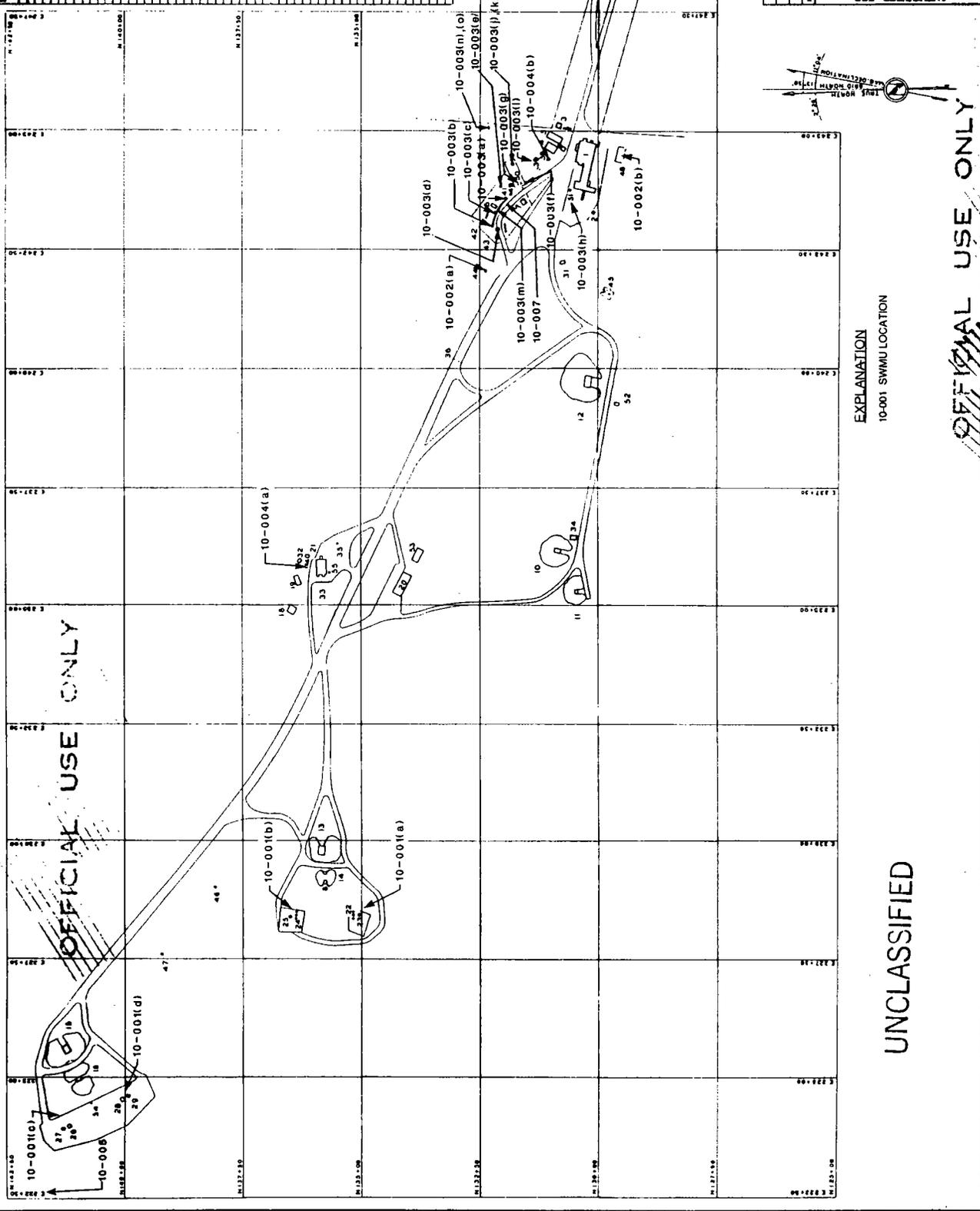
LIST OF ACRONYMS
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SWMU	Solid Waste Management Unit
TA	Technical Area
TCE	Trichloroethylene
TRU	Transuranic
Tsk	Task
TSTA	Tritium Systems Test Assembly (Building)
UST	Underground Storage Tank
WIPP	Waste Isolation Pilot Plant

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FIGURE 10-1
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) IN TA-10

EXPLANATION
10-001 SWMLOCATION

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 STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
 TA-10 BAYO CANYON SITE

**TA-10 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
10-001(a)	10-1
10-001(b)	10-1
10-001(c)	10-1
10-001(d)	10-1
10-001(e)	Not shown, location unknown
10-002(a)	10-1
10-002(b)	10-1
10-003(a)	10-1
10-003(b)	10-1
10-003(c)	10-1
10-003(d)	10-1
10-003(e)	10-1
10-003(f)	10-1
10-003(g)	10-1
10-003(h)	10-1
10-003(i)	10-1
10-003(j)	10-1
10-003(k)	10-1
10-003(l)	10-1
10-003(m)	10-1
10-003(n)	10-1
10-003(o)	10-1
10-004(a)	10-1, 10-2
10-004(b)	10-1
10-005	10-1
10-006	Not shown
10-007	10-1

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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LAN:TA-Units/19

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
TYPE OF UNIT(s) : LANDFILL
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1963
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The landfill, located in the arroyo at TA-10, was used to dispose of building debris from the decommissioning of TA-10. The size of the landfill is not known; however, because it is located in the excavation created by the removal of the liquid disposal complex, it is probably about 20 feet deep. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is nonhazardous, consisting of uncontaminated building debris, most of which is believed to be concrete.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known hazardous releases associated with this unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-007	TA10-3-L-I-HW/RW		Task 15 : 8	NEAR TA-10-41

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OPEN BURNING
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1963
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SOLID WASTE
 UNKNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

Various burning operations were conducted at TA-10. These included two burns using drums. Other operations used temporary burn pits, or burned the items in place. In 1955, there were two burns of uranium solutions. In 1956, radioactively contaminated combustibles were burned (the ashes were taken to MDA-G). In 1960 and 1963, buildings were burned. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

The uranium solutions contained uranium-238. The structures burned may have contained uranium-238, strontium-90, and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It was possible that during the burns releases of radionuclides and other unknown combustion products occurred; however, there is currently no evidence of residual contamination.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-006	TA10-4-CA-1-RW		Task 15 : 7	

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1957
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This surface disposal site is located up-canyon from the TA-10 firing sites on the south side of the road. There is no information on the size of the area; it is believed to have been small. This disposal area was excavated in 1957. During an E.R. site reconnaissance visit in 1988, the remaining depression of this excavation was observed 100 ft west of Firing Point 3. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

The site received residuals swept from the firing pads after each shot. Small quantities of uranium, lead, possibly beryllium, and strontium-90 may have been present.

RELEASE INFORMATION

In 1957, the wastes from the disposal area were burned and the ash taken to MDA-C. No additional wastes are believed to have been disposed of at the site. In 1961, radioactivity at the site ranged from background to 0.6 mR/h.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-005	TA10-3-L-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 27	NEAR TA-10-26

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-10	MATERIALS MANAGED :	SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SEPTIC SYSTEM		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: SEE BELOW		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

Two septic tanks handled sanitary wastes and other liquids. Tank TA-10-40 [10-004(a)] served personnel in Building TA-10-21, had a capacity of 550 gallons, and discharged to a pit measuring 8' x 8' x 12' deep. An engineering drawing, ENG R-637, indicates that the TA-10-40 septic system discharged to a drainline and outfall located in a stream channel, 200 ft north-northeast of TA-10-40. Tank TA-10-38 [10-004(b)], of reinforced concrete, 4' x 10' x 4' deep, handled sanitary waste, but is suspected to have also received liquid wastes from the lab at TA-10-1. Its overflow drained through a 4" vitrified clay open-joint drain pipe to the arroyo. TA-10-38 was used from 1944 to 1963. TA-10-40 was used to serve the personnel building from 1949 to 1963. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

The septic systems handled primarily sanitary waste, but may have potentially received laboratory liquids. The materials used in the laboratory included strontium-90, barium, cadmium, platinum, benzene, carbon tetrachloride, acids, and organics. A long-time LANL employee reports that there is very little possibility that contaminants were discharged to the TA-10-40 septic system as it served the personnel building where workers ate meals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Both tanks were removed and were taken to TA-54, MDA-G, according to engineering records. No information is available concerning the fate of the disposal pit associated with TA-10-40. It is not clear whether the 4-inch tile pipe to this outfall or soil around the outfall was removed during decommissioning. The outfall area from TA-10-38 was located in a stream channel about 100 ft north-northeast of TA-10-38. In 1974, the outfall area was noted to have above background levels for gross beta.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-004(a)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 2 4 23	TA-10-40
10-004(b)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 1 24	TA-10-38

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-003(k)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 28	NEAR TA-10-50
10-003(l)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 28	NEAR TA-10-50
10-003(m)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW	10.001	Tsk 15 : 21	NEAR TA-10-41, -42, -43
10-003(n)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 29	NEAR TA-10-50
10-003(o)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 3	NEAR TA-10-1

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : DISPOSAL SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1950
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A liquid disposal complex served the Radiochemistry Laboratory, TA-10-1. The laboratory was used to separate, precipitate, and encapsulate lanthanum-140 into sources. Radiochemical separation generated liquid and solid radioactive and chemical wastes that discharged to the liquid disposal complex. The complex consisted of six pits, three identified as TA-10-41, -42, -43 [10-003(a), (b), and (c)] and three unidentified [10-003(d), (e), and (f)]; two manholes, TA-10-50 and -51 [10-003(g) and (h)]; one tank, TA-10-39 [10-003(i)]; and three stainless steel tanks [10-003(j), (k), and (l)]. The entire complex, along with associated drain lines, ultimately discharged to leach fields and other areas. The system has been decommissioned. One of the unidentified pits [10-003(d)] was 1 ft in diameter and was located 2 ft south of TA-10-42. Another of the unidentified pits [10-003(e)] was a 2-ft square pit located 40 ft north of TA-10-41. The third unidentified pit [10-003(f)] was located 6 ft south of TA-10-50. During decommissioning, a common clay drain pipe [10-003(m)] connecting pits TA-10-41, -42, and -43 was discovered. The drain was 10 ft deep. A leach field was found beneath TA-10-43. A drain pipe from manhole TA-10-40 discharged to a leach field [10-003(n)] in the stream channel approximately 125 ft north of TA-10-50. TA-10-41, -42, -43 were constructed of reinforced concrete, measured 2' x 2' x 5' deep, and had steel covers. TA-10-50 and -51 were constructed of reinforced concrete 4' x 5' x 5' deep. The three stainless steel tanks had capacities of 200 gallons each. In addition, a chemist who worked at the Radiochemistry Laboratory remembers decontamination holes [10-003(o)] located near the stream bed leach field. It is possible that the decontamination holes were part of the stream bed leach field. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

The liquid wastes included nitric acid, hydrochloric acid, hydrofluoric acid, sulfuric acid, strontium-90, as well as lanthanum-140 (now decayed to below detection levels), small amounts of barium, cadmium, platinum, benzene, carbon tetrachloride, other organics, and inorganics.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The ultimate disposition of the liquids was discharge to the arroyo. In 1963, the pits, tanks, drain lines, and large amounts of contaminated soil were removed. Low levels of radionuclide contamination remain at depth with a maximum of 24,000 pCi/g gross beta detected at 430-440 cm below the surface in 1974. The area is today posted to prohibit excavation prior to 2142 A.D. The area around the liquid waste disposal complex was investigated during the DOE environmental survey as part of Environmental Problem 24. Soil samples collected from borings were analyzed for metals, radionuclides, volatiles, and semivolatiles. Metals and radionuclides (uranium-235, cadmium-109, and strontium-90) were detected. Volatiles and semivolatiles were not detected.

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10-003(b)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 16	TA-10-42
10-003(c)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 17	TA-10-43
10-003(d)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 18	NEAR TA-10-42
10-003(e)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 19	NEAR TA-10-41
10-003(f)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 20	NEAR TA-10-50
10-003(g)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 22	TA-10-50
10-003(h)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 22	TA-10-51
10-003(i)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 22	TA-10-39
10-003(j)	TA10-2-S/ST/CA/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 28	NEAR TA-10-50

(continued)

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : PIT
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1945 - 1950
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Two pits were dug for the disposal of spent chemicals and laboratory equipment. TA-10-44 [10-002(a)] measured 8' x 5' x 12' deep (2' x 2' x 5' deep, according to engineering records). TA-10-48 [10-002(b)] was divided into two sections, each 5' x 5' x 10' deep (6'6" x 5'4" x 10' deep according to engineering records). This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-10-48 received gloves, bottles, laboratory equipment, and at least some of the liquid residuals from the lanthanum extraction process which contained an estimated 117 Ci of strontium-90. TA-10-44 received gloves, rags, acid bottles, and similar items.

RELEASE INFORMATION

In 1963, all solid wastes were removed from TA-10-48 and soil was removed to a depth of 26 feet. Excavated material was taken to MDA-G at TA-54. At a depth of 26 feet, slight strontium contamination remained; because gross beta levels were approaching background, the pit was filled. TA-10-48 is included in the area with posts recommending no excavation before 2142 A.D. TA-10-44 was also decommissioned; waste items were removed and soil excavated to a depth of 15 feet. At that depth, the bottom of the pit indicated 1.5 mR/h beta/gamma. The pit was then refilled.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-002(a)	TA10-3-L-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 26	TA-10-44
10-002(b)	TA10-3-L-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 25	TA-10-48

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-10
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1963
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Four firing sites were located in Bayo Canyon at TA-10. Firing Point 1 [10-001(a)] was near TA-10-22 (X-unit chamber) and TA-10-23 (electronics chamber). Firing Point 2 [10-001(b)] was near TA-10-24 (X-unit chamber) and TA-10-25 (electronics chamber). Firing Point 3 [10-001(c)] was near TA-10-26 (X-unit chamber) and TA-10-27 (electronics chamber). Firing Point 4 [10-001(d)] was near TA-10-28 (X-unit chamber) and TA-10-29 (electronics chamber). The firing sites were used for experiments using HE as an explosive driving force impacting on metals. Shots usually contained a radioactive source, lanthanum-140, for diagnostic purposes. The same firing areas were used many times. They were decommissioned in 1963. Additionally, TA-10 may have been the area in which sand pile detonation experiments were conducted [10-001(e)]. A 6/8/44 photograph shows a sand pile with an estimated height of 24 inches and a base diameter of 68 inches. There has been no verification that the photo was taken in TA-10. The sand pile detonation program objective was to determine the ratio of sand to explosive to determine 1) how to retain active material in the sand, 2) probable recovery, and 3) mechanism of explosion. This site has been transferred to Los Alamos County.

WASTE INFORMATION

According to the CEARP, a total of about 2,000 kg of natural uranium, 3,380 kg of uranium-238, 39.6 Ci of strontium-90, lead, and possibly beryllium were included in the shots. Other materials included aluminum, steel, cable, and electronics components. The lanthanum-140 used in diagnostics has since decayed to below detection levels. Sand pile detonation experiments used non-radioactive cobalt nitrate as a tracer and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Deposition of residuals around the firing point depended on the amount of HE and the configuration of the shot. Much of the residual material was deposited near the firing area. Fine particulates were dispersed further, up to several miles. In 1963, the area surrounding the firing sites to a radius of about 760 meters was swept and 90 truck loads of debris, including asphalt and soil, was transported to MDA-G for disposal. The firing pads were washed with water and swept after each shot. Wash water flowed into natural surface drainages and the natural stream channel to the north of the firing sites. Further surface cleanup has been undertaken at periodic intervals in the years since. Today, small amounts of residuals such as firing cable and shrapnel remain at the site. Radiation levels slightly above background are occasionally measured there, particularly in soils surrounding the firing areas.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
10-001(a)	TA10-1-CA-I-HW/RW	10.002	Tsk 15 : 5 10 14	TA-10-22, -23
10-001(b)	TA10-1-CA-I-HW/RW	10.002	Tsk 15 : 5 11 14	TA-10-24, -25
10-001(c)	TA10-1-CA-I-HW/RW	10.002	Tsk 15 : 5 12 14	TA-10-26, -27
10-001(d)	TA10-1-CA-I-HW/RW	10.002	Tsk 15 : 5 13 14	TA-10-28, -29
10-001(e)	TA10-1-CA-I-HW/RW		Tsk 15 : 9	

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-10

10-001	FIRING SITES
10-002	DISPOSAL PITS
10-003	LIQUID DISPOSAL COMPLEX
10-004	SEPTIC SYSTEMS
10-005	SURFACE DISPOSAL AREA
10-006	BURN SITES
10-007	LANDFILL

TA-10 OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Former Technical Area (TA) 10 was decommissioned and decontaminated in the early 1960's. Its location lies outside the northeastern corner of the Laboratory and is presently owned by Los Alamos County with restricted use provisions suggested by DOE. The area was used as a firing site and, for a period of years, included a chemical laboratory (DOE, 1987a). Radioactive materials, acids, metals, and laboratory wastes were disposed of or released.

TA-10 was decommissioned from 1960 to 1963. It was recognized at the time of decommissioning that some radioactive materials probably remained in the canyon. Consequently, several follow-up surveys were conducted over the years. In 1976, TA-10 was reevaluated as part of the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP). Investigations and subsequent excavation during this program left unacceptable levels of a radioactivity between 10 and 40 feet below the pits (see 10-003), but acceptable radioactivity levels at depths less than 10 feet. In 1983, concrete monuments were installed delineating a "Designated Restricted Area."

The site of former TA-10 lies along the streambed of Bayo Canyon at about 6,600 to 6,800 feet asl. The bedrock in the area is a non-welded member of the Bandelier Tuff. The site lies in the Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. Soils have not been surveyed in this area.

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area is at 5,850 feet asl at the site of TA-10. Over 700 feet of unsaturated tuff, basalt, other volcanic rocks, and conglomerate separate the surface from the ground water table. There is little potential for downward flow of surface water through the unsaturated zone to the aquifer (IT, 1987a). However, because a stream runs in Bayo Canyon occasionally, surface water presents a transport mode for any contamination that may be present at the site.

STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
TA-11-1	CONTROL BUILDING	
TA-11-2	STATION BUILDING	
TA-11-3	CLOUD CHAMBER BUILDING	
TA-11-4	MACHINE SHOP	
TA-11-5	LABORATORY BUILDING, RELOCATED	
TA-11-6	ASSEMBLY BUILDING, RELOCATED	
TA-11-7	MAGAZINE STORAGE	
TA-11-8	MAGAZINE STORAGE	
TA-11-9	STORAGE BUILDING	
TA-11-10	SHELTER	
TA-11-11	TRAINING BUILDING (REMOVED)	
TA-11-12	LABORATORY BUILDING	
TA-11-13	MANHOLE	
TA-11-14	FIRING PIT (ABANDONED)	
TA-11-15	ROAD BLOCK (ABANDONED)	
TA-11-16	STORAGE TANK	
TA-11-17	STORAGE TANK	
TA-11-18	LATRINE	(ABANDONED)
TA-11-19	LABORATORY BLOC	(ABANDONED)
TA-11-20	SEPTIC TANK	
TA-11-21	SUBSTATION	
TA-11-22	MANHOLE	
TA-11-23	LABORATORY BLOC	

EXPLANATION
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FIGURE 11-2

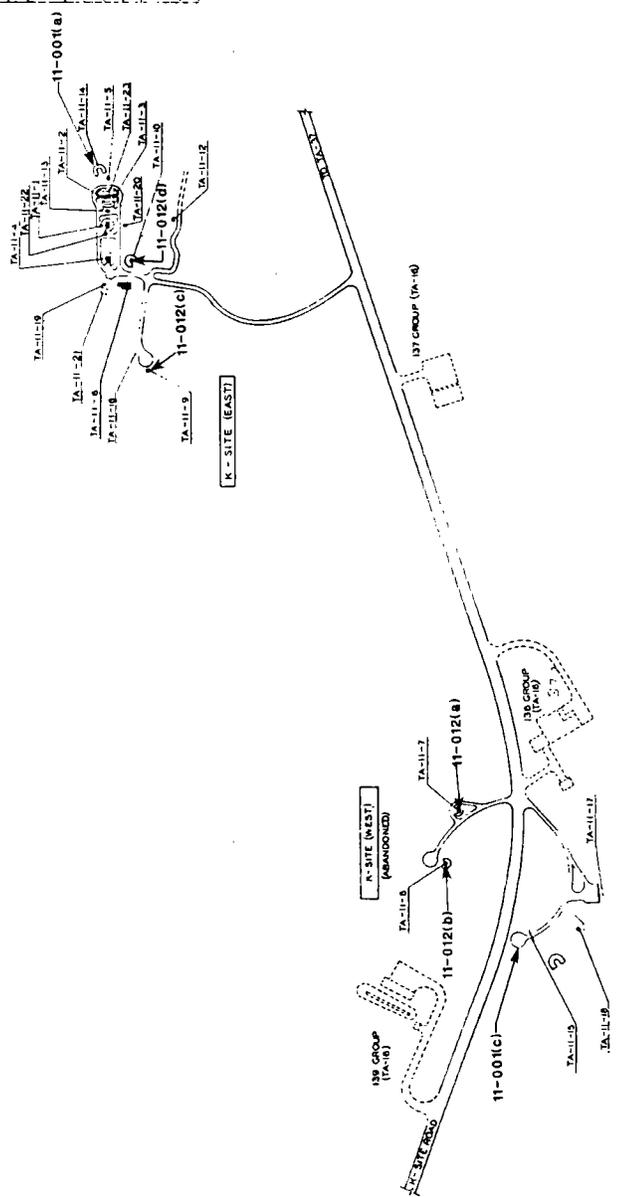
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-11

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
TA-11 K-SITE

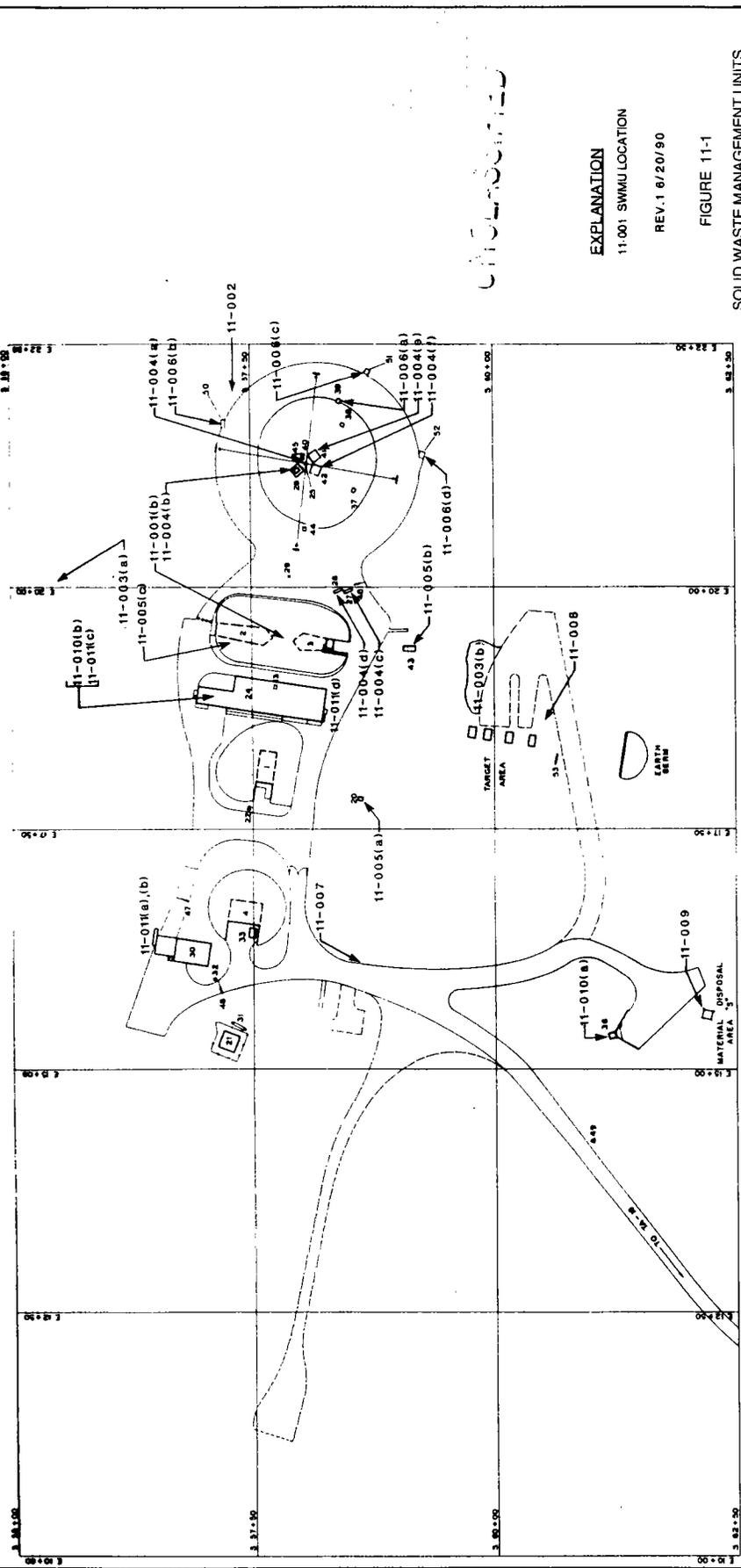
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REVISIONS

NO.	DESCRIPTION	DATE
1	ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION	3/11/90
2	REVISION TO SWMU 11-012(D)	3/11/90
3	REVISION TO SWMU 11-012(B)	3/11/90
4	REVISION TO SWMU 11-012(C)	3/11/90
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FIGURE 11-1
 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
 (SWMUs) IN TA-11



NOTES
 UNIT 11-010(b): UNITS IS NEAR TA-11-24; SPECIFIC LOCATION IS UNAVAILABLE.

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**TA-11 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
11-001(a)	11-2
11-001(b)	11-1
11-001(c)	11-2
11-002	11-1
11-003(a)	11-1
11-003(b)	11-1
11-004(a)	11-1
11-004(b)	11-1
11-004(c)	11-1
11-004(d)	11-1
11-004(e)	11-1
11-004(f)	11-1
11-005(a)	11-1
11-005(b)	11-1
11-005(c)	11-1
11-006(a)	11-1
11-006(b)	11-1
11-006(c)	11-1
11-006(d)	11-1
11-007	11-1
11-008	11-1
11-009	11-1
11-010(a)	11-1
11-010(b)	11-1
11-011(a)	11-1
11-011(b)	11-1
11-011(c)	11-1
11-011(d)	11-1
11-012(a)	11-2
11-012(b)	11-2
11-012(c)	11-2
11-012(d)	11-2

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1960
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Soil contamination may have occurred beneath buildings and structures in TA-11. Several structures were destroyed as a result of a fire in the area in 1960.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	TYPE	LOCATION
11-012(a)	TA-11-7	storage magazine	formerly located near buildings TA-16-360 and -370
11-012(b)	TA-11-8	storage magazine	formerly located near buildings TA-16-360 and -370
11-012(c)	TA-11-9	storage magazine	formerly located southwest of TA-11-4
11-012(d)	TA-11-10	personnel shelter	formerly located south of TA-11-4

WASTE INFORMATION

The structures that burned in the 1960 fire were all surveyed in the 1950s and found to be contaminated with high explosive material.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is not known whether releases to the soil beneath these structures have occurred.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-012(a)	TA11-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 21	TA-11-7
11-012(b)	TA11-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 22	TA-11-8
11-012(c)	TA11-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 15	TA-11-9
11-012(d)	TA11-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 35	TA-11-10

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : DRAINLINES/OUTFALLS
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Several buildings in TA-11 have drainlines that discharge to outfalls. TA-11-30 contained an electrodynamic vibration facility in which electrical equipment was water-cooled. The blowdown from the associated wet cooling tower was discharged northward to a tributary of Water Canyon [11-011(a)]. The outfall is NPDES permitted with serial number 130. It became inactive following the removal of the water-cooled equipment. A non-sanitary sewer line has been observed originating from TA-11-30 and extending north from the building to an outfall [11-011(b)]. The drainline is believed to have discharged waste from floor drains in TA-11-30. A boiler located in TA-11-24 has a discharge pipe that outfalls onto the pavement outside the building [11-011(c)]. Another drainline extends south of TA-11-24 [11-011(d)]. The original purpose of this pipe is unknown, although it is thought to be connected to a sink in the building.

WASTE INFORMATION

Blowdown from the cooling tower was treated prior to release. It is thought that the floor drains in TA-11-30 received only condensate from compressors located within the building. It is unlikely that hazardous constituents were present in the water discharged from the boiler. The types of waste discharged through the sink in TA-11-24 are not known.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is not known whether any hazardous constituents have been released through discharge from the outfalls.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-011(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 6	TA-11-30
11-011(b)	**		Tsk 12 : 7	TA-11-30
11-011(c)	**		Tsk 12 : 4	TA-11-24
11-011(d)	**		Tsk 12 : 5	TA-11-24

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : LATE 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

There are two container storage areas at TA-11. Magazine TA-11-36 [11-010(a)] is a concrete building that has an area of approximately 200 square feet. This building is used to store HE fragments picked up from the pad of the drop tower on the few occasions when there are HE residuals. The HE material is stored for a short period awaiting transport to the burning ground. The second container storage area consisted of a wooden pallet near the air gun building, TA-11-24 [11-010(b)]. The pallet was used for satellite storage of suspected hazardous waste. During a 1989 E.R. Program site reconnaissance survey, the storage area was found to be inactive and the location was serving as office space.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste stored at the magazine is HE. The pallet storage area near the air gun building was used to store waste suspected of being hazardous.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases from these storage areas. These areas are inspected regularly by LANL staff. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-010(a)	**	11.006	Tsk 12 : 23	TA-11-36
11-010(b)	**		Tsk 12 : 26	TA-11-24

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1965 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-S is a landfill that is 10' x 10', located approximately 80 feet southeast of TA-11-36. The area is used for an experiment to determine the decomposition rate of buried HE material. In 1965, different types of high explosives were deliberately buried at designated locations in Area S. Periodically, samples are excavated and analyzed to evaluate the rates of decomposition of HE in soil.

WASTE INFORMATION

Twelve different types of HE were buried in cylinders in a soil matrix for this experiment.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The cylinders have been removed, and presently, no more than 3 ounces of HE remain in the soil matrix. There are no known releases of any HE beyond the boundaries of the experimental area.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-009	MDA-S	11.007	Tsk 12 : 27	NEAR TA-11-36

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1960s - 1970s
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE
SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A boneyard is located south of the old air gun target area. A 1989 E.R. field reconnaissance survey noted, however, that other materials are stored at this site.

WASTE INFORMATION

The material consists of scrap concrete, iron, equipment, and other nonhazardous debris.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known hazardous releases associated with this unit. Monitoring data is unavailable.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-008	TA11-10-CA-I-HW		Task 12 : 25	

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1960s
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This surface disposal area is located at the head of the canyon south of TA-11-4, and is approximately 10' x 25' x 15' deep. The area contains large concrete slabs which may have served as targets for the air gun or for mortars. Building demolition debris also appears to be present.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of building and target debris.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known hazardous releases associated with this unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-007	TA11-9-OL-1-HW		Tsk 12 : 24	SOUTH OF TA-11-4

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1961 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : SUSPECTED

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Sump TA-11-39 [11-006(a)] was put into service in 1961 to separate liquid wastes from entrained HE. According to engineering records, it measures 4'6" x 5'4" x 4'3" deep and is constructed of reinforced concrete. Three reinforced concrete catch basins TA-11-50, -51, and -52 [11-006(b), (c), and (d)] were added in 1970. Each catch basin measures 4' x 6' x 2' and has overflow drains. These units are associated with the drop tower complex (11-004). After a drop occurs, the large pieces of HE are removed and the pads are hosed down. The residues are washed into the sump and catch basins. All decant liquids are discharged from the sumps through NPDES-permitted outfalls (see Appendix A). The outfalls from catch basins TA-11-50, -51 and -52 have NPDES serial numbers 069, 096, and 097, respectively. The catch basins and sump are cleaned regularly, and the HE is taken to TA-16 for burning.

WASTE INFORMATION

The liquids discharged to the sump and catch basins may contain HE. Depleted uranium, beryllium, and barium have also been used at the drop tower facility.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is suspected that HE containing barium has been discharged from the sump and catch basins.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-006(a)	TA11-7-O/S/CA-A-HW	11.003- 11.005	Tsk 12 : 50	TA-11-39
11-006(b)	TA11-7-O/S/CA-A-HW/RW	11.003- 11.005	Tsk 12 : 51 8	TA-11-50
11-006(c)	TA11-7-O/S/CA-A-HW/RW	11.003- 11.005	Tsk 12 : 52 9	TA-11-51
11-006(d)	TA11-7-O/S/CA-A-HW/RW	11.003- 11.005	Tsk 12 : 53 10	TA-11-52

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Two active septic tanks are located in TA-11. Septic tank TA-11-20 [11-005(a)] has been in use since 1944. It has a capacity of 500 gallons, with the overflow going to a drainline that allows seepage into the soil. The septic tank serves both the TA-11-4 Control Building and the TA-11-1 Storage Building. Septic tank TA-11-43 [11-005(b)] has been in use since 1963 and has a capacity of 300 gallons, with overflow also going to a drainline and an outfall that discharges to the canyon to the south. The tank serves Control Building TA-11-3. Engineering drawing R646 indicates that a 2" steel sanitary sewer line [11-005(c)] may have served building TA-11-2. The drawing shows the drainline originating on the west side of TA-11-2 and discharging to the north without an associated septic tank. It is believed that the drainline served a sink in the building. These septic systems are registered with the EID as Unpermitted Individual Liquid Waste Systems; TA-11-20 has EID Registration Number LA-07, and TA-11-43 has EID Registration Number LA-13.

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-11-20 possibly received photographic chemical wastes in the past. It is not known whether HE contamination is present, or whether any other chemicals were discharged to the tanks, but the tanks most likely connect only to sinks and sanitary facilities.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Hazardous wastes may have been discharged through the tank drains. Documentation of releases is unavailable.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-005(a)	TA11-6-ST-A-HW	11.009	Tsk 12 : 11 3	TA-11-20
11-005(b)	TA11-6-ST-A-HW		Tsk 12 : 12 2	TA-11-43
11-005(c)	**		Tsk 12 : 1	TA-11-2

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-11	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: DROP TOWER		MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: TESTING		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1956 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		

UNIT INFORMATION

The drop tower complex consists of a hoist, tower, pads and associated equipment that have been used for drop experiments since the 1950s. After a drop, materials used in the tests may scatter from the pad into the surrounding environment in a radius of up to 350 feet. The drop tower complex consists of: a drop tower which is 165 ft high, TA-11-25 [11-004(a)]; a concrete pad, TA-11-26 [11-004(b)]; two hoists, TA-11-27 and -28 [11-004(c) and (d)]; and two drop pads, TA-11-41 and -42 [11-004(e) and (f)].

WASTE INFORMATION

Drop tests over the years at this site have included experiments containing various types of HE, depleted uranium, and possibly small amounts of beryllium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Large pieces of HE which have not detonated on impact are picked up from the pad area at the drop tower. Data sufficient to describe any potential release from the unit is unavailable; however, HE and uranium contamination are suspected.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-004(a)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 42	TA-11-25
11-004(b)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 43	TA-11-26
11-004(c)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 46	TA-11-27
11-004(d)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 47	TA-11-28
11-004(e)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 45	TA-11-41
11-004(f)	TA11-5-CA-A-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 44	TA-11-42

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11 MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : MORTAR IMPACT AREA
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

UNIT INFORMATION

K Site's activities in the 1950s included acceleration and impact tests of explosive systems contained in impact-resistant vehicles. Large mortars such as 155-mm launchers have been used. A 1973 drawing (ENG-13Y102392) shows an impact area to the north of TA-11-2 and -3 [11-003(a)]. No documentation on possible contamination in the launch impact area has been found. For another experiment, an air-gun building, TA-11-24, was constructed. Using compressed gases, projectiles were shot from the air gun toward concrete blocks (the target area) [11-003(b)] located to the south of the gun. Apparently, no detonations of explosives occurred in the acceleration and impact tests. The projectiles may have been inert. Some of the targets for the air gun remain at the site and were observed to be in a state of disrepair during the 1986 CEARP field survey. The former air gun building is now used as an office and shop.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of projectiles.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Because of dense vegetation in the area, it is unknown whether any projectiles remain.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-003(a)	TA11-4-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 39	NORTH OF TA-11-2 AND -3
11-003(b)	TA11-4-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 40 41	SOUTH OF TA-11-24

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-11	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: PIT		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		SOLID WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1948 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

A burning area is located northeast of TA-11-41 and contains two sand pads in an area approximately 10' x 10' in size. The pads have been used to burn propellant, HE residues, and damaged units. Infrequent burns have occurred in the 1960s.

WASTE INFORMATION

Wastes which have been burned include uranium-238 and HE-contaminated materials. In 1975, a burn test involving thorium was performed at the burning area. Earlier, undocumented burns may have contained other materials.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Solid residues were observed during the VSI in the vicinity of the sand pads. No monitoring data exists to characterize the residues.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-002	TA11-2-CA-1-HW/RW	11.001 11.002	Tsk 12 : 49	NORTHEAST OF TA-11-41

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-11
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1950s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Three firing pits or chambers were used for the test firing of shots at TA-11. TA-11-14 [11-001(a)] and the chamber between TA-11-2 and -3 [11-001(b)] were first used in 1945, and the site near TA-11-15 [11-001(c)] was first used in 1944. It has been reported that shots up to 200 lbs. were fired in TA-11 in 1945. The total number of shots fired at each firing area is not known. TA-11-14 is described as a semicircular concrete wall 12'6" x 37' x 4'6" deep. The site near TA-11-15 appears to have been similar in construction. Early memos indicate that the firing chamber was between the "steel noses" of TA-11-2 and -3. TA-11-14 was either next to or under the present drop tower pad.

WASTE INFORMATION

Shots fired at these sites reportedly contained natural uranium and aluminum and may have included hazardous constituents, including HE and barium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The areas have been covered with soil and a layer of concrete. Data on any residuals is lacking.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
11-001(a)	TA11-1-CA-1-HW/RW	11.008	Tsk 12 : 33	TA-11-14
11-001(b)	TA11-1-CA-1-HW/RW	11.008	Tsk 12 : 31	BETWEEN TA-11-2 AND -3
11-001(c)	TA11-1-CA-1-HW/RW	11.008	Tsk 12 : 32	TA-11-15

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-11

11-001	FIRING PITS
11-002	BURN SITE
11-003	MORTAR IMPACT AREAS
11-004	DROP TOWER COMPLEX
11-005	SEPTIC SYSTEMS
11-006	SUMPS AND CATCH BASIN SYSTEMS
11-007	SURFACE DISPOSAL
11-008	BONEYARD
11-009	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA S
11-010	CONTAINER STORAGE
11-011	DRAINLINES AND OUTFALLS
11-012	SOIL CONTAMINATION AT FORMER BUILDING SITES

TA-11

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 11, known as K site, is the location of a drop tower and other equipment used to perform tests on explosive systems and components. High explosives may fracture or detonate during drop tests. The resulting scattered debris in the immediate vicinity of the drop tower is picked up and removed. In addition to explosives, radioactive materials have been used at the area. A test of explosive decomposition has included burial of a series of high explosives at the site. In addition, the area has housed a betatron, a burning area, laboratory facilities, gun firing area, sumps, a landfill, and storage buildings (DOE, 1987a).

TA-11 lies at an elevation ranging from about 7,280 to 7,420 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa bounded on the north by Canon de Valle and on the south by Water Canyon. TA-11 is bordered by TA-16 to the north, west and south; and by TA-37 on the east. The canyon walls are steep sided or cliffs in this area. The technical area lies on welded Bandelier Tuff in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. The soil consists primarily of Tocal very fine sandy loam and Frijoles very fine sandy loam, with a small area of rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

At TA-11, the potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies at about 6,150 to 6,200 feet asl. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the ground water table. Studies indicate that there is very low potential for downward flow of water or water-borne contaminants from the surface to the aquifer (IT, 1987a).

TA-12

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Former Technical Area (TA) 12, known as L Site, was constructed in 1945. Most of the structures were decontaminated and decommissioned in 1960. TA-12 was an old firing site that was also used in conjunction with several other types of experiments. Structures at the former site included a generator building, a junction shelter, and a steel-lined pit. Materials used included explosives, lead, aluminum, copper, and uranium-238 (DOE, 1987a). As a result of the 1989 Laboratory redefinition of the technical area boundaries, former TA-12 was incorporated into the new boundaries of TA-14 and TA-67.

The former site of TA-12 lies at an elevation of 7,300 feet asl. It is located on Pajarito Mesa, which narrows to less than 1,000 feet width between steep-walled Pajarito Canyon on the north and a steep-sided branch of Pajarito Canyon on the south. TA-12 lies on welded Bandelier Tuff in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. The soil is primarily Nyjack loam and Frijoles very fine sandy loam (Nyhan et al., 1978).

At TA-12, the potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos are lies at about 6,100 to 6,200 feet asl. There are over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock between the surface and the ground water table. Studies indicate that there is very low potential for downward flow of water or water-borne contaminants from the surface to the aquifer (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-12

12-001	FIRING SITES
12-002	BURN SITE
12-003	GAS CYLINDER STORAGE AREA
12-004	SOURCE EXPERIMENT

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-12
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1953
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A large steel-lined and steel-covered pit, TA-12-4 [12-001(a)], was once used in firing experiments at TA-12. It measures (according to the RFA) 30' x 40' x 20' deep. Another smaller open pit is located east of TA-12-4 [12-001(b)]. It measures approximately 5' x 5' and is also inactive. It is suspected to have been used in firing experiments using uranium. The firing pits were used from 1945 until the mid-1950s.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste remaining at the site consists of firing residues potentially containing uranium and lead. A 1959 survey of vacated LASL structures indicated that the firing pit was contaminated with HE; however, the presence of undetonated HE is unlikely.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no residues presently remaining in the covered pit based on visual observations in 1987. It is unknown whether releases of hazardous wastes have occurred from the smaller pit, although radiation has been measured at levels greater than background.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-67.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
12-001(a)	TA12-1-CA-1-HW/RW	12.002		TA-12-4
12-001(b)	TA12-1-CA-1-HW/RW	12.005		NEAR TA-12-4

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-12
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : BURN SITE
UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1962
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit, located about 200' from TA-12-4, measures a few square feet at most and was used on one occasion in 1962 to burn residual HE found around the site.

WASTE INFORMATION

The unit was originally used to burn HE material. The RFA reports that depleted uranium may also have been disposed of here. Residuals are not expected to remain at the site.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known releases of hazardous wastes from this unit.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-67.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
12-002	TA12-4-CA-1-HW	12.004		NEAR TA-12-4

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-12
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1968 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : UNKNOWN
 SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit is a former gas cylinder storage area located on the south side of the road about 1 mile east of TA-12-4. Two gas cylinders were located here; the unit is no longer in active use. This area was used in 1968 for mortar locator experiments using an acetylene-gas gun. The cylinders were removed by MSE-7 in the summer of 1989.

WASTE INFORMATION

One of the cylinders was marked "acetylene". Information on the contents of the other cylinder was unavailable.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known hazardous releases from this unit. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-67.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
12-003	TA12-3-CA-1-NW			NEAR TA-12-4

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-12
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : EXPERIMENT
 UNIT USE : TESTING
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In 1950, TA-12 was the site of a radiation experiment on animals. A radiation shelter, a telephone pole, and a lead pot [12-004(a)] were used for the tests. The radiation shelter and pole are still present at this site. The shelter has dimensions of 50' x 30' x 6' high. During the 1987 CEARP field survey, an aluminum pipe [12-004(b)], approximately 18 inches in diameter and unknown length, was observed at ground level. The pipe was filled with liquid.

WASTE INFORMATION

The source for the experiment was radioactive lanthanum. A 1959 survey reported the shelter and pole to be contaminated with HE and strontium-90. The constituents of the liquid in the pipe are unknown. The liquid will be sampled for HE and radioactivity during Supplemental Phase I.

RELEASE INFORMATION

In 1966, the area was surveyed and all remaining structures and equipment were found to be contaminated. It is unknown if the pipe has released hazardous waste.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-67.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
12-004(a)	TA12-2-CA-1-HW/RW		12.003	
12-004(b)	TA12-5-CA-1-HW/RW		12.003	

**TA-12 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
12-001(a)	12-1
12-001(b)	12-1
12-002	Not shown
12-003	12-1
12-004(a)	12-1
12-004(b)	12-1

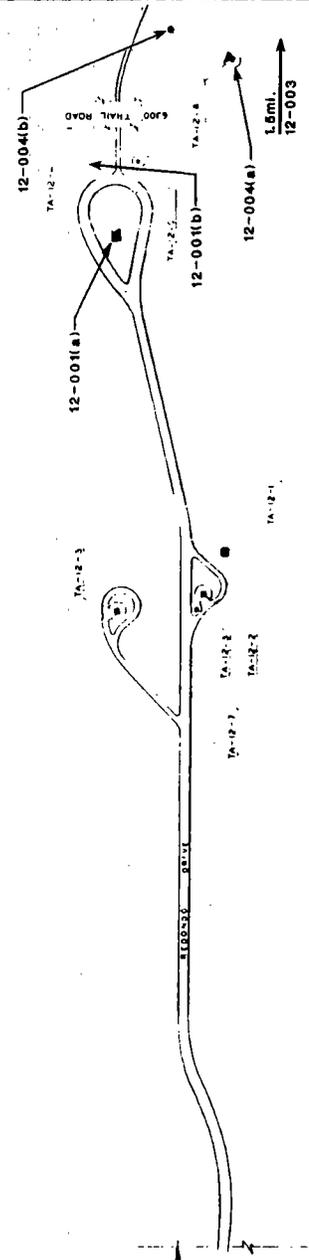
NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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10	12-12-80	1.9	REVISED TO SHOW	10	REVISED TO SHOW

EXPLANATION
12-001 SWMU LOCATION



NOTES
12-003 UNIT LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 1.5 MILES EAST

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FIGURE 12-1

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-12

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TA-13
OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 13, called P Site, is no longer operational. It was constructed in 1944 for x-ray work in connection with explosives experiments. It consisted of an office and shop building, laboratory and test buildings, and experimental chamber, a magazine, and a storage building. By the 1950's, most of the buildings were removed. The remaining buildings were absorbed into the S Site complex, TA-16, and were renumbered TA-16-476, -477, and -478. These buildings are now used during remote machining, in which "overtests" are conducted on new processes to ensure that the machining can be safely performed during routine operations (DOE, 1987a). The entire site is now part of TA-16 and the SWMUs identified in this area are discussed under TA-16.

The elevation of the site of former TA-13 is 7,500 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa that is bounded on the north by Canon de Valle and on the south by Water Canyon. Canyon walls are steep in this area. The site lies on welded Bandelier Tuff in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. Soil consists of Pogona fine sandy loam and fine Typic Eutroboralfs (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies at about 6,275 feet asl at TA-13. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the ground water. Studies indicate that there is very low potential for downward flow of water or water-borne contaminants from the surface to the aquifer (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-13

13-001	FIRING SITE
13-002	LANDFILLS
13-003	SEPTIC SYSTEM
13-004	BURN SITES

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-13
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1944 - 1949
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This firing site was located between TA-13-3 and TA-13-4, two battleship bunker buildings that have been renumbered to TA-16-477 and -478, respectively. It was used for firing explosive experiments. Because the size of the shots fired is not known, the impacted area is not well delineated. (One shot has been reported as 203 lbs.) Some shot areas were reportedly covered with soil by bulldozers. Two ditches, which have since been backfilled, were reportedly located in the firing site area. Their function is not known.

WASTE INFORMATION

The debris from firing experiments probably included steel, iron, polonium (now decayed), and possibly uranium. No records exist as to whether any of the shots went low order.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no documentation on any possible residual contamination.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-16.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
13-001	TA13-1-CA-1-MW/RW TA13-4-ST-1-MW/RW		Tsk 12 : 62 64 54 55	BETWEEN TA-16-477 AND -478, formerly TA-13-3 AND -4

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-13
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : LATE 1940s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Miscellaneous experiments which had taken place resulted in radioactive contamination scattered on the shelf area leading down into the canyon on the southeast side of the firing area. A 1948 memo mentions that contaminated items in the canyon at TA-13 had been removed and disposed of in the disposal area for contaminated material. Whether all the contamination on the shelf area was removed is not clear.

WASTE INFORMATION

Possible wastes included radionuclides and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The area has been at least partially or perhaps completely decommissioned. It is not known whether all contaminated materials were removed at the time of decommissioning.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-16.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
13-002	TA13-2-CA/L/OL-I-HW/RW	13.001	Tsk 12 : 56 61	TA-13

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-13	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: SEPTIC SYSTEM		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: EST. 1940s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

An engineering drawing indicates that TA-13-12 [13-003(a)] was a septic tank removed in 1951. Details on its removal and possible contamination, as well as possible contamination from its overflowing, are unavailable. A U.S. Engineer's Office construction drawing of TA-13 shows the septic tank to have a drain field [13-003(b)] to the northwest of the tank.

WASTE INFORMATION

The type of liquid wastes discharged to the septic tank is not known.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Information on possible releases from the septic tank and drain fields is unavailable.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-16.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
13-003(a)	TA13-4-ST-1-HW/RW			TA-13-12
13-003(b)	TA13-4-ST-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 106	NW OF TA-13-12

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-13	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: PIT		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: EST. 1940s - 1950		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

According to CEARP, a 1951 memo mentions burning pits at TA-13. The number of pits and the locations are unknown.

WASTE INFORMATION

The type of waste burned in the pits is unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown if a hazardous release has occurred from these pits.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-16.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
13-004	TA13-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 65	TA-13

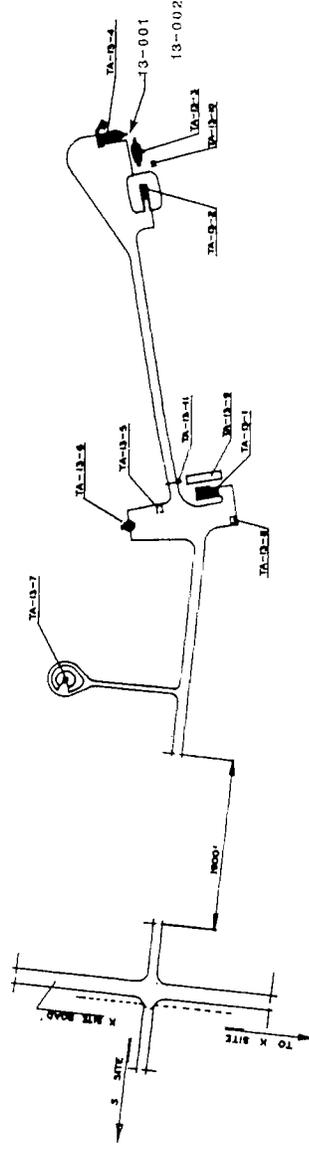
**TA-13 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
13-001	13-1
13-002	13-1
13-003(a)	Not shown
13-003(b)	Not shown
13-004	Not shown

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

NOTES
 UNIT 13-002: LOCATION IS APPROXIMATE

EXPLANATION
 13-001 SWMU LOCATION
 FIGURE 13-1
 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
 (SWMUs) IN TA-13



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STRUCTURE NUMBER	IDENTIFICATION	DESCRIPTION
TA-13-1	P-1	OFFICE & STORAGE
TA-13-2	P-2	LABORATORY BUILDING
TA-13-3	P-3	LABORATORY BUILDING
TA-13-4	P-4	LABORATORY BUILDING
TA-13-5	P-5	LABORATORY & STORAGE UNIT (S&U)
TA-13-6	P-6	STORAGE BUILDING / REPAIR
TA-13-7	P-7	EXPERIMENTAL CHAMBER
TA-13-8	P-8	STORAGE BUILDING / REPAIR
TA-13-9	P-9	STORAGE BUILDING / REPAIR
TA-13-10	P-10	MANHOLE
TA-13-11	P-11	ROAD BLOCK

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
 TA-13
 P-SITE

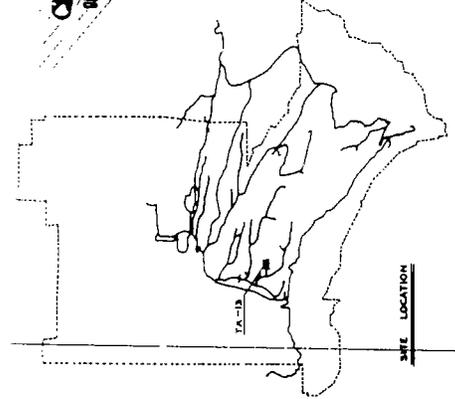
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TA-14

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 14, called Q Site, is occupied by the Explosives Technology and the Explosives Application Groups. The technical area has been used for the same purpose since construction in 1944: the development and testing of explosives, many involving radioactive materials. When the site was renovated in 1952, a number of structures were removed and a new firing complex and gun firing site were built. These structures are still being used (DOE, 1987a). Future plans for TA-14 are continued use in high explosives research, development, and testing.

The elevation of TA-14 ranges from 7,200 to 7,400 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa that is bounded on the north by a branch of Pajarito Canyon and on the south by Canon de Valle. The canyon walls range from steep to moderate slopes in the area. TA-14 is underlain by welded Bandelier Tuff. Plant life consists of vegetation from the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper and Ponderosa Pine-fir overstory vegetation zones. Soil types include Frijoles very fine sandy loam, Seaby loam, Carjo loam, Pogna fine sandy loam, fine Typic Eutroboralfs, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 6,100 to 6,275 feet asl at TA-14. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-14

14-001	FIRING SITES
14-002	DECOMMISSIONED FIRING SITES
14-003	TRASH BURNING AREA
14-004	WASTE STORAGE AREAS
14-005	INCINERATOR
14-006	SUMP AND OUTFALL
14-007	SEPTIC SYSTEM
14-008	LANDFILL / SURFACE DISPOSAL
14-009	SURFACE DISPOSAL
14-010	DECOMMISSIONED SUMPS AND DRAINS

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Several active and inactive firing sites are present in TA-14:

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DESCRIPTION
14-001(a)	TA-14-25	pull box structure
14-001(b)	TA-14-26	pull box structure
14-001(c)	TA-14-27	pull box structure
14-001(d)	TA-14-28	pull box structure
14-001(e)	TA-14-29	pull box structure
14-001(f)	TA-14-34	bullet test facility, reinforced concrete, 13'4" x 13'8" x 8' high
14-001(g)	TA-14-35	firing pad, reinforced concrete, 5' x 5' x 2' thick

The CEARP describes some of these sites as open and closed chambers and firing pads. Of the original firing sites, several were removed during the renovation in 1952 (see 14-002) and new firing sites were added. These latter structures remain active today. Active areas are shown on engineering drawing ENG-R5109. The following pull box structures are associated with firing areas: TA-14-25 [14-001(a)]; TA-14-26 [14-001(b)]; TA-14-27 [14-001(c)]; TA-14-28 [14-001(d)]; TA-14-29 [14-001(e)]. No information on shots fired from the 1950s to the present has been collected, but the records are available from Group M-1, according to the CEARP. TA-14-35 [14-001(g)] is a firing pad that was completed in 1964. To safely dispose of the scrap HE, the pieces are detonated at TA-14-35. A gun firing site was constructed in 1957. This facility, TA-14-34 [14-001(f)], is referred to as a bullet test facility. Apparently, some uranium-238 from some of these shots flew into the nearby woods.

WASTE INFORMATION

Explosives used in shots at this site included pentolite, torpex, tamped tetryl, Composition B, baratol, and TNT. Lead was involved in at least the early shots. Several shots involving radioactive lanthanum, which has now decayed, were also made. The extent of strontium contamination in these shots is not known. Records indicate that uranium and beryllium were used in shots.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The testing sometimes results in high explosives being scattered. Although larger pieces are collected, smaller pieces are left in the surrounding area. It is not known how much residual high explosive may be in the surrounding area. No comprehensive field studies of this area are currently available; however, uranium has been detected.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
14-001(a)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-25
14-001(b)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-26
14-001(c)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-27
14-001(d)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-28
14-001(e)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-29
14-001(f)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-34
14-001(g)	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-35

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-14	MATERIALS MANAGED	: HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: FIRING SITE		SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: TESTING/DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1940s - 1950s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		

UNIT INFORMATION

Since its construction in 1944, TA-14 has had many firing sites. The following sites have been decommissioned: a closed chamber in TA-14-2 [14-002(a)]; a firing pedestal, TA-14-17 [14-002(b)]; the area around TA-14-5, TA-14-14, TA-14-15 and TA-14-12 [14-002(c), (d), (e), and (f), respectively]. In 1952, TA-14 was completely renovated and TA-14-12 and -17 were removed. TA-14-2 was removed in 1973, and TA-14-14 and -15 were removed in 1957.

WASTE INFORMATION

The wastes consisted of residues from firing experiments. Explosives probably included pentolite, torpex, tamped tetryl, composition B (65% TNT / 35% HMX), baratol and TNT. Lead, uranium and beryllium were used in some shots and others contained radioactive lanthanum and strontium-90. Records indicate that TA-14-2 was heavily contaminated with radionuclides and HE, and TA-14-5 was contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Although very little sampling has been undertaken to determine if releases occurred, LANL staff with knowledge of the area believe hazardous releases may have occurred.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-002(a)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW	14.006		TA-14-2
14-002(b)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW			TA-14-17
14-002(c)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW			TA-14-5
14-002(d)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW			TA-14-14
14-002(e)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW			TA-14-15
14-002(f)	TA14-1-CA-A/1-HW/RW			TA-14-12

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
TYPE OF UNIT(s) : BURN SITE
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - 1960s
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In the 1950s, a trash burning area was located to the east of TA-14-23, near the eastern site boundary, as shown on drawing ENG-R129 (Figure 14-2). The site appears to have been a semi-circular enclosure.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is believed to have consisted of HE contaminated items. Residuals from trash burning may have included barium, lead, uranium, and other contaminants.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The TA-14 burning areas were sampled as part of the DOE Environmental Survey (Problem #2). Soil samples were collected and analyzed for metals, HE compounds, and radionuclides. Results showed elevated levels of several metals, including barium and beryllium. A gamma screen on the samples showed elevated Cs-137 activity. It is not known whether any contamination from the burn areas is present beyond the locations sampled during the DOE Environmental Survey.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-003	TA14-2-CA-1-HW/RW			NEAR TA-14-23

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

According to the RFA, there are approximately 20 to 30 55-gallon drums on a 40' square concrete pad in Building TA-14-23. The drums contained experimental material and have been removed. TA-14-22 and -23 [14-004(a) and (b)] are used for satellite storage of scrap HE. Another satellite storage area is located adjacent to TA-14-35 [14-004(c)].

WASTE INFORMATION

The drums at TA-14-23 that were removed contained waste experimental material and product fuel oil. According to the CEARP, the scrap HE is stored at TA-14-22 and -23 in less than 5 gallon amounts and is removed from the area at frequent intervals. The material stored near TA-14-35 was contaminated with HE. TA-14-23 also contains paper and small noncombustible laboratory items potentially contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no evidence of releases from these areas. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-004(a)	TA14-7-CA-A-HW			IN TA-14-22
14-004(b)	TA14-7-CA-A-HW			IN TA-14-23
14-004(c)	TA14-7-CA-A-HW			NEAR TA-14-35

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : INCINERATOR
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL/TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit is an incinerator made of a 55-gallon drum with approximately 3 cubic feet burn capacity set on a steel tray. It is used to burn paper contaminated with explosives as well as small pieces of laboratory equipment potentially contaminated with HE. The incinerator is located near TA-14-35. The RFA incorrectly describes this area as two thermal treatment units containing metal canisters used to burn HE waste.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of paper and small equipment contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Ash samples were collected from the incinerator during the DOE Environmental Survey (Environmental Problem #2). The samples were analyzed for metals, semivolatile organics, and radionuclides. Results indicated the presence of numerous metals, PAHs, and radionuclides (Cs-137). It is unknown whether a hazardous release has occurred beyond the area sampled.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-005	TA14-3-IN-A-HW/RW	14.001 14.002 14.004		NEAR TA-14-35

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1952 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit consists of a sump and associated plumbing. The sump is structure number TA-14-31 and is a steel and concrete unit used to separate small HE pieces from liquid. The decant discharges to an outfall. Sludge in the sump is picked up for burning. A drain in Control Building 23 is connected to the sump, TA-14-31, as shown on ENG-R109. The sump is 4'6" x 8'4" x 4'9.5" deep.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of sludge from HE-contaminated wash water. The sump, filter, and drain are therefore probably contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The extent of HE contamination of the soil around the sump, associated plumbing, and in the outfall receiving area is unknown.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-006	TA14-5-CA/ST-A-HW/RW	14.005		TA-14-31

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-14	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SEPTIC SYSTEM		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1955 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

The CEARP states that according to engineering drawings R635 and R636, Building TA-14-6 is served by septic tank TA-14-19, which has an overflow to a drain line. This building was used as a shop and darkroom. The tank is constructed of reinforced concrete, is 4' x 6'8" x 6' deep and has a capacity of 640 gallons. The system discharges to a leach field; a new leach field was installed in 1988. The EID Registration Number assigned to the septic system is LA-14.

WASTE INFORMATION

The system currently manages sanitary waste. There is some possibility that in past years wastes other than sanitary may have been discharged to this tank.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether a hazardous release has occurred from previous discharges.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-007	TA14-5-CA/ST-A-HW/RW			TA-14-19, -6

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950 - ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

One possible landfill at TA-14 was described by a long-time employee. The employee recalls placing some classified waste in a drainage system and covering it. The employee does not remember the exact location of the burial and does not believe that the material contained hazardous substances.

WASTE INFORMATION

There is no known hazardous waste in the landfill.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases of hazardous materials from this landfill.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-008	TA14-8-L-1-HW TA14-4-OL-A-HW/RW			

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This surface area is a waste pile that consists of ruptured sandbags. During explosives testing activities, a common practice is to place sandbags around a firing site to contain the detonation. When the sandbags rupture, the sand is then used for erosion control around the firing site. The sand has been placed over a slope with an area of approximately 45' x 50'; the sand is generally about 1 ft deep.

WASTE INFORMATION

Sandbags used at firing sites could be contaminated with uranium, lead, possibly beryllium, and HE compounds.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Some uranium has been noted in soils in some areas at TA-14. Whether the source of the uranium was the surface disposal of sandbags, storage, or firing activities is not known. The waste pile was surveyed for radioactivity as part of the DOE Environmental Survey in 1987. The survey indicated detectable radioactivity at the site.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-009	TA14-4-OL-A-HW/RW			

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-14
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1970s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In the early 1970s, a floor drain was discovered in TA-14-2, the closed firing chamber. In 1973, the contaminated sections of TA-14-2 were removed and disposed of at TA-54. The rest of the building was then burned. The sump and associated drainlines were also removed at this time. The sump was located outside of TA-14-2, and the drainlines ran across the road from TA-14-2 to an unknown release point.

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-14-2 was heavily contaminated with HE and radionuclides. A 1973 memo stated that the floor drain "must be assumed contaminated for removal purposes".

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no information on the extent of contamination resulting from the TA-14-2 sump and drainlines.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
14-010	TA14-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-14-2

**TA-14 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
14-001(a)	14-1
14-001(b)	14-1
14-001(c)	14-1
14-001(d)	14-1
14-001(e)	14-1
14-001(f)	14-1
14-001(g)	14-1
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14-002(c)	14-2
14-002(d)	14-2
14-002(e)	14-2
14-002(f)	Not shown
14-003	14-2
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14-004(c)	14-1
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14-008	14-1
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NOTE: Some structure locations contain more than one SWMU.

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STRUCTURE DESIGNATION NUMBER

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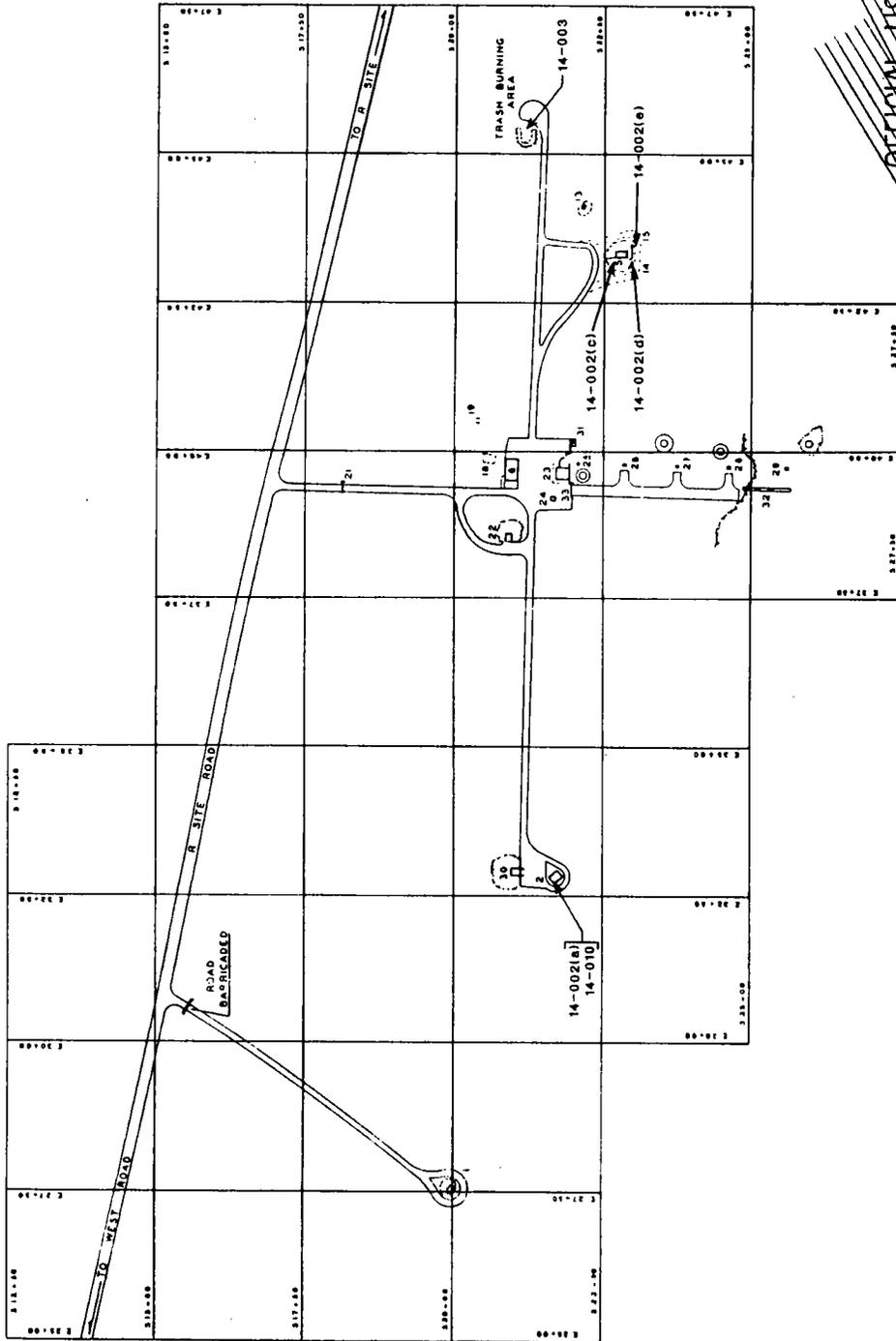
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Q-3	EXP. PREP BLDG	(REMOVED)
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Q-5	SHOP & DARR ROOM	(REMOVED)
Q-6	ELECTRIC SHOP	(REMOVED)
Q-7	STORAGE BLDG	(REMOVED)
Q-8	MAGAZINE STORAGE	(REMOVED)
Q-9	MAGAZINE STORAGE	(REMOVED)
Q-10	MAGAZINE STORAGE	(REMOVED)
Q-11	JUNCTION BOX SHELTER	(REMOVED)
Q-12	MAGAZINE EQUIPMENT BOX NO. 1	(REMOVED)
Q-13	MAGAZINE EQUIPMENT BOX NO. 2	(REMOVED)
Q-14	ROAD BLOCK	(REMOVED)
Q-15	PIPING PEDESTAL	(REMOVED)
Q-16	SUBSTATION	(REMOVED)
Q-17	SEPTIC TANK	(REMOVED)
Q-18	RESERVE BARRICADE GATE	(REMOVED)
Q-19	MAGAZINE CONTROL BLDG.	(REMOVED)
Q-20	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-21	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-22	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-23	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-24	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-25	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-26	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-27	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-28	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-29	MAGAZINE PULL BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-30	MAGAZINE FILTER BOX	(REMOVED)
Q-31	STAIRWAY BARRICADE GATE	(REMOVED)
Q-32		
Q-33		

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EXPLANATION
14-002 SWMU LOCATION

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FIGURE 14-2
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) IN TA-14



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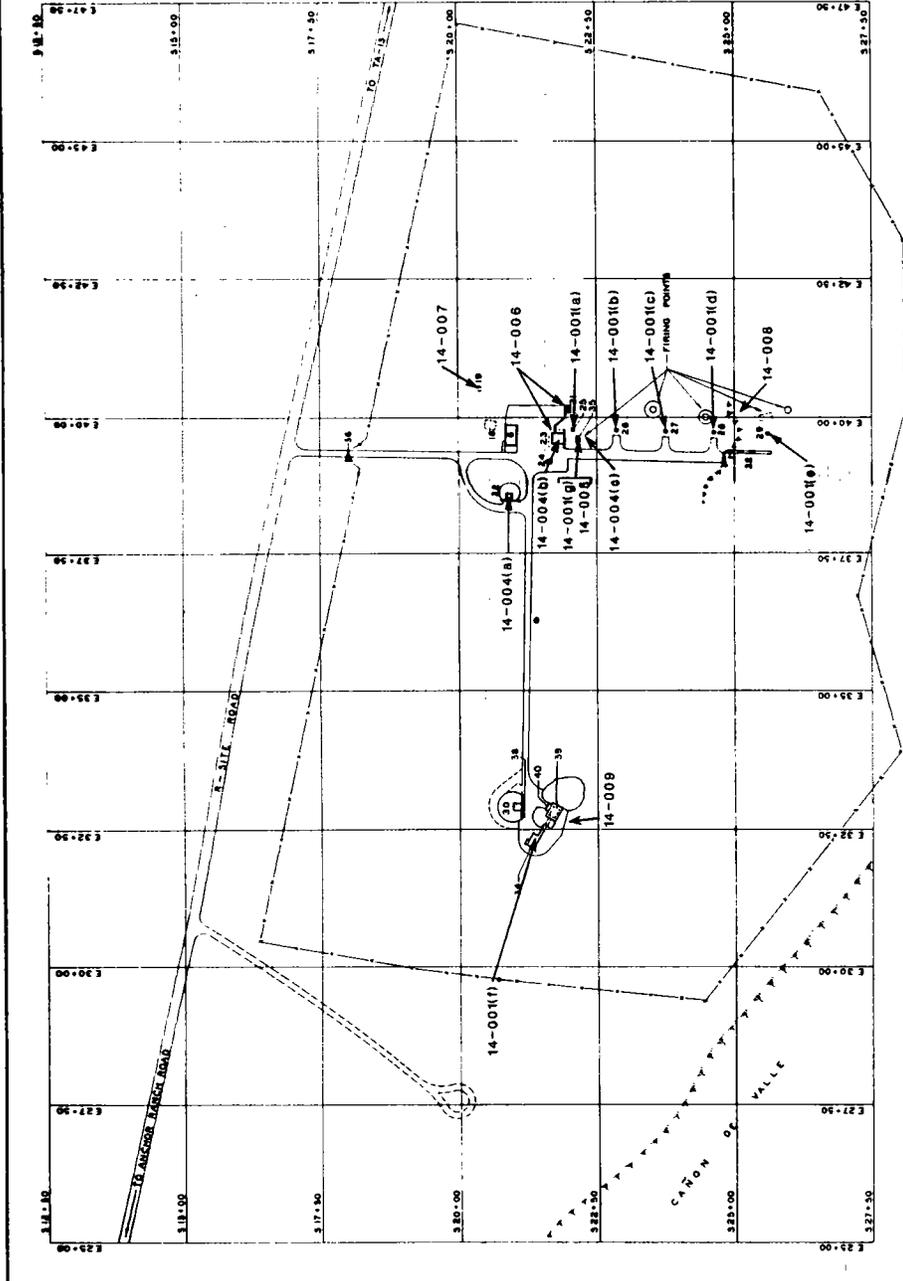
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EXPLANATION

14-001 SWMU LOCATION

NOTES

UNIT 14-004(c): EXACT LOCATION IS UNKNOWN.
UNIT 14-008: EXACT LOCATION IS UNKNOWN.

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FIGURE 14-1
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-14

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SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OPEN DETONATION
UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1960s - PRESENT
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The unit is an open detonation area at TA-15-184. It is permitted for disposal of waste HE scraps by detonation, but, to date, has not been used for this purpose. The unit is a steel pad approximately 12' x 24' and 6" thick. Two bunkers are used to store scrap HE for short periods of time until it is detonated. A closure and sampling plan for this unit has been submitted as part of the Part B Permit Application.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste managed by this unit is scrap HE. LANL staff believe the only toxic compound at the site from detonations is barium, present only when barium-containing HE is detonated. The detonation products will be oxides of carbon and nitrogen.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is known that barium has been released. The extent of barium contamination in the environment is unknown.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-003	TA15-12-CA-A-HW/RW	15.003	Tsk 23 : 1645	TA-15-184

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15 MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : FIRING SITE HAZARDOUS WASTE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

Several firing areas were used in the 1940s: 1) Two unnamed firing points [15-004(a)] were built in 1944 and removed in 1947. 2) Firing Point A [15-004(b)] was probably in use by late 1944 and was used only a short time. Three personnel shelters were also associated with this firing point. 3) Firing Point B [15-004(c)] was used in the mid-1940's and is believed to have not been used after 1947. 4) Firing Point C [15-004(d)] was built in 1947 and is believed to have been abandoned in 1949. It was removed in 1969. 5) Firing Point D [15-004(e)] was built in about 1946, abandoned in 1949, and removed in 1967. 6) Firing Point E was built between 1944 and 1947. Firing Point E and Firing Point F were later combined to make the E-F Firing Area [15-004(f)]. The E-F Area was used extensively and was probably in use until the 1970s. The E-F site was probably used for larger shots, requiring a 4000-ft free-and-clear zone. It was used for a full-scale test of "Mike", which used 5,500 lbs. of TNT. One memo indicates that over its operating history, tests at the E-F site included 39 times more uranium than all other TA-15 firing sites combined. 7) Firing Point G [15-004(g)] was built in 1948 and was probably used until 1953. Several of the structures were removed in 1967. 8) Firing Point H [15-004(h)] was built in 1948 and was also probably used until 1953. 9) Firing Point I-J was in TA-15 until TA-36 was expanded to include this area. The I-J site is discussed under TA-36 as 36-004(e). Possible soil contamination associated with the former I-J site is described in 15-006(e). Decommissioned components of firing areas at TA-15 include:

SMU NO.	STRUCTURE	FIRING PT./TYPE	BUILT-REMOVED	DIMENSIONS
15-004(a)	TA-15-176	unnamed/platform	1944-1947	12' x 12' x 2'/concrete
15-004(a)	TA-15-177	unnamed/platform	1944-1947	12' x 12' x 2'/concrete
15-004(b)	TA-15-6	A/control chamber	1944-1959	10' x 10' x 9'/wood frame
15-004(b)	TA-15-14	A/x-unit chamber	1947-1967	4' x 4' x 8'/concrete
15-004(c)	TA-15-73	B/plate barricade	1944-1967	5' x 4' x 2'/concrete
15-004(c)	TA-15-74	B/x-unit chamber	1944-?	4' x 8' x 2'/concrete
15-004(d)	TA-15-35	C/control chamber	1947-1969	4'9" x 4' x 8'/wood
15-004(e)	TA-15-34	D/control chamber	1946-1967	9' x 9' x 8'/concrete
15-004(f)	TA-15-26	E/x-unit chamber	1944-1952	
15-004(f)	TA-15-27	E/control chamber	1947-?	14' x 40' x 9'/wood
15-004(g)	TA-15-16	G/barricade	1948-1967	40' x 6' x 12'
15-004(g)	TA-15-28	G/x-unit chamber	1948-1967	concrete and steel
15-004(g)	TA-15-9	G/control chamber	1948-present	11' x 27' x 11'2"/concrete
15-004(h)	TA-15-17	H/instrument chamber	1948-1967	
15-004(h)	TA-15-92	H/camera chamber	?-present	unknown

According to engineering records, the non-radioactively contaminated buildings associated with some of the firing areas were burned and the noncombustible residuals were placed in the canyon adjacent to TA-40-5 and TA-40-15. The CEARP indicates that a 1944 blast test was conducted in "the Gulch" [15-004(i)], 1 mile below TA-15. Charges of up to 300 lbs of composition B and 500 lbs of ammonium picrate were used. Apparently this site was not used in further testing. According to engineering drawing ENG-R5110 (1983), the Firing Point H camera chamber was removed in 1967; however, this information is incorrect as the presence of this structure has been verified.

WASTE INFORMATION

Extensive documentation on the quantities of materials used in experiments in these firing areas is not publicly available, but uranium, lead, beryllium, thorium, barium, mercury, boron, cadmium, and other hazardous materials are potential waste residues. More information can be potentially obtained from classified records.

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RELEASE INFORMATION

Firing Points A, B, C, and D were thought to have left few residues. However, a firebreak was constructed between Firing Points A and B after the firing points were inactivated. Soil within the firebreak was sampled at 9 grid points. Analysis of the soil samples indicated the presence of barium, beryllium, lead, and uranium at concentrations above detection limits; concentrations of cadmium, mercury, and explosives were detected at detection limits. The firebreak forms a surface water channel that drains into Water Canyon [see 15-014(c)]. Further sampling during ER-TSO site reconnaissance was conducted within the hazard radius of firing sites A and B, at the proposed site of the DARHT support lab. Barium, beryllium, lead, mercury, and total uranium were present in concentrations above their detection limits. Cadmium, mercury, and explosives were present in concentrations at their detection limits. These data were reported in Record 1534, Task 22 of the Site Release Database. Firing Points E and F continued operating and have extensive contamination of uranium, lead and other toxic materials. Water seepage was observed in the control chamber, TA-15-27, during the E.R. site reconnaissance visit. Visual yellow uranium oxide residuals are present in small amounts at Firing Points G and H. Firing Point G was investigated during the DOE Environmental Survey as Environmental Problem 26. Twelve samples were collected from around the firing point, principally from the pad and the from southwest corner of building TA-15-233. The samples were analyzed for HE, metals, radionuclides, and volatile organic compounds. HE was not detected. Several metals were detected and one volatile organic was detected in one sample. Uranium-234, -235, -238, thorium-230, potassium-40, cobalt-60, and cesium-137 were the radionuclides detected. Soil sampling in and near the E-F site indicated the following: 1) beryllium is present at slightly elevated levels in surface soils, but not in soluble form, 2) lead is present in levels bordering on phototoxic levels, and 3) uranium is present at the several thousand ppm level in the surface soil and is of concern as a toxic metal. Analysis of soil samples from the hazard radius of firing points G and H indicated the presence of barium, beryllium, lead, and total uranium at concentrations above detection limits. Concentrations of cadmium, mercury, and explosives were at detection limits.

NOTES

Units were reorganized so that firing areas are addressed as single units inclusive of the structures within the area and the hazard radius of the area.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-004(a)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1632 1633	TA-15-176, -177
15-004(b)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 22 : 1534 1536 1537 1544 1549	NEAR TA-15-285, TA-15-6, TA-15-14
15-004(c)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 22 : 1534 1550	NEAR TA-15-285, TA-15-73, -74
15-004(d)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1635	TA-15-73
15-004(e)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1636	TA-15-34
15-004(f)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.017	Tsk 23 : 1637	TA-15-26, -27
15-004(g)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 22 : 1538 1551 1552	TA-15-16, -9
15-004(h)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1641	TA-15-17, -92
15-004(i)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1634	SOUTH TA-15

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A satellite storage area [15-005(a)] in Room SH27, TA-15-20, is used to store lead for the Bench Shop and Laboratory Building. A second container storage area [15-005(b)] is located in Bunker TA-15-242, the Make-Up Building. The material stored in this area is scrap HE. A third satellite storage area [15-005(c)] is located in Bunker TA-15-41. Lead bricks [15-005(d)] stacked by the guard station, TA-15-30, were noted during the 1988 E.R. site reconnaissance visit.

WASTE INFORMATION

The storage areas at TA-15-20 and -30 manage lead. The material stored in storage areas at TA-15-242 and TA-15-41 is scrap HE. The satellite storage area at TA-15-41 also stores chem-wipes contaminated with acetone, ethanol, and mineral oil.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Information on releases from these units is lacking, however, releases are unlikely because the storage areas, except for the lead bricks, are inside buildings.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-005(a)	**		Tsk 24 : 1592	TA-15-20
15-005(b)	TA15-13-CA-A-HW	15.014		TA-15-242
15-005(c)	TA15-13-CA-A-HW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1629	TA-15-41
15-005(d)	**		Tsk 24 : 1591	NEAR TA-15-30

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15 MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1960s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

Active firing sites at TA-15 include the following. 1) PHERMEX consists of chamber TA-15-184 [15-006(a)], related equipment in a building complex, and a firing pad. PHERMEX is an acronym for Pulsed High Energy Radiographic Machine Emitting X-rays. This facility was built in the early 1960s. The firing pad at PHERMEX is permitted for treatment and disposal of scrap HE by detonation; to date, however, it has not been used for this purpose (see 15-003). 2) Ector facility [15-006(b)] was built in the early 1980s and consists of a firing pad and related structures TA-15-276 and -280. Ector is a machine that makes radiographs of shots. 3) The R-44 firing site control building, TA-15-44 [15-006(c)], was completed in 1951. In 1964, the R-44 site was recommended for a 4000-ft free-and-clear zone. It was used for larger shots, in the 200-300 lb range. 4) The R-45 firing site control building, TA-15-45 [15-006(d)], was also built in 1951. It was used for smaller shots, in the 50-lb range. The two sites, R-44 and R-45, have had heavy use. The R-45 site has undergone extensive changes including large soil disturbances in the firing area. 5) A 120-mm gun site [15-006(e)] is located below the former I-J site [see 36-004(e) for I-J site description]. Bullets containing depleted uranium are fired into a cliff face. Some of the bullet material is recovered, but much of it remains in the cliff and in the rubble pile at the base of the cliff.

WASTE INFORMATION

Materials fired at the PHERMEX and Ector facilities include uranium, lead, mercury, thorium, beryllium, gallium, and other hazardous materials. Uranium and lead have been used in large quantities. Some barium-containing explosives have also been fired. Firing Areas R-44 and R-45 both have uranium, beryllium, lead, other hazardous materials, and tritium. Waste materials at the 120-mm gun site include depleted uranium, tungsten, and steel.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Residues of the shots are present in the soil surrounding the PHERMEX and Ector sites. LANL staff indicated that uranium appears to be rapidly oxidizing into mobile uranium oxide. The firing pad at R-44 has been extended to the canyon. R-44 was used for shots containing tritium. A layer of oiled sand was placed over the site to prevent tritium from mobilizing. In 1965, the oiled sand layer was removed because it was concentrating tritium. Uranium concentration in the soil was up to 0.28 gm/sq ft, measured in 1965. Yellow uranium oxide has been observed on the R-44 pad and in erosion channels to the canyon. It is expected that the pad at R-45 would have similar releases. During the 1988 E.R. site reconnaissance visit, uranium, lead shot, and aluminum and plastic scintillation material were observed littering both the R-44 and R-45 sites. The extent of releases at the 120-mm gun firing site is unknown. Gamma radiation above background was measured at the site during the E.R. site reconnaissance visit. The R-44 firing site was investigated in the DOE Environmental Survey as part of Environmental Problem 1. Samples that were composites of several subsamples collected at different distances from the center of the firing site were analyzed for gamma emitters, alpha emitters, total uranium, and HE. Analytical results indicate the presence of cesium-137, uranium-234, -235, and -238, cobalt-56, and thorium-230. No HE was detected.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-006(a)	TA15-2-CA-A-HW/RW	15.013	Tsk 23 : 1643	TA-15-184
15-006(b)	TA15-2-CA-A-HW/RW	15.007	Tsk 23 : 1642	TA-15-276, -280
15-006(c)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.006	Tsk 23 : 1639	TA-15-44
15-006(d)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW	15.014	Tsk 23 : 1640	TA-15-45
15-006(e)	**		Tsk 23 : 1628	SOUTH OF TA-15-58

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL/TESTING
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Three inactive landfills are present at TA-15. 1) Material Disposal Area N (MDA-N) [15-007(a)] is located southeast of TA-15-23. The area consisted of a trench that occupied an area of about 0.10 acre. The trench was used prior to 1965. 2) Material Disposal Area Z (MDA-Z) [15-007(b)] is located near the road turn-off for TA-15-233. It consists of an open surface disposal area on a bench constructed on the side of the canyon and has been estimated to cover an area of one acre or less. It was used to dispose of PHERMEX and perhaps other waste between 1965 and the 1980's. 3) Two shafts located near the south rim of a branch of Pajarito Canyon at structure locations TA-15-264 [15-007(c)] and TA-15-265 [15-007(d)]. The shafts are 6' in diameter and 125' - 130' deep (engineering records note shaft depth as 120'). The shafts were used for experiments in 1970 and the residues remain in place. Shaft TA-15-264 was involved in an experiment involving detonation of 4,000 lbs. of TNT. There are two other shafts in the same area, however, these shafts are empty and no waste was ever placed in them.

WASTE INFORMATION

The wastes in MDA-N are reported to be remnants of several structures from TA-15 which had been exposed to explosive or chemical contamination. The wastes in MDA-Z contain sand bags and firing debris contaminated with uranium, lead, beryllium, and potentially mercury and barium. The waste in TA-15-264 may contain lead and reaction products from TNT detonation. Shaft TA-15-265 contains a small amount of beryllium, tritium, lead and HE reaction products.

RELEASE INFORMATION

No releases from the MDA-N landfill are known to have occurred. The surface of MDA-N has been reclaimed and is covered with vegetation. Natural mobilization may be occurring at MDA-Z. Uranium shrapnel was observed at MDA-Z during the 1988 E.R. site reconnaissance visit. MDA-Z was investigated during the DOE Environmental Survey as part of Environmental Problem 23. Samples were collected from 8 locations within the landfill and from 8 points adjacent to the landfill. The samples were analyzed for radionuclides, HE, metals, and volatile organics. Aluminum-26, uranium-234, -235, and -236, cobalt-56, thorium-230, and cesium-137 were detected in the samples. Several metals and some volatile organic compounds were also detected. HE was not detected in the samples. Tritium in shaft TA-15-265 may have undergone some migration in the gaseous phase; however, much of the tritium has decayed.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-007(a)	MDA-N	15.001	Task 24 : 1595 1597	NEAR TA-15-23
15-007(b)	MDA-Z	15.012	Task 24 : 1596 1598	NEAR TA-15-233
		? 15.004		
15-007(c)	TA15-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Task 23 : 1644	TA-15-264
15-007(d)	TA15-3-CA-1-HW/RW		Task 23 : 1644	TA-15-265

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Non-designated inactive surface disposal areas present at TA-15 include the following. 1) Some material from Firing Point E-F was reportedly dumped at the canyon edge south of the firing area [15-008(a)] between 1950s - 1970s (estimated). In 1965, a large concrete chamber was reported to have exploded on the edge of the canyon, approximately 500 ft south of E Point. The debris from this chamber may be part of this surface disposal area. 2) A bench of waste material from firing area TA-15-44 [15-008(b)] was constructed adjacent to the north side of the firing site. It was used most heavily from 1950s - 1970s (estimated). During an E.R. site reconnaissance visit, a soil pile approximately 100' x 25' x 12' was observed at this site. 3) Residues from several experiments were disposed of in one area which consisted of several small areas near TA-15-233 [15-008(c)], west of TA-15-233 and south of the road. The E.R. site reconnaissance noted stained soil in this area in 1988. 4) Building debris is disposed of in a small area to the south of TA-15-22 [15-008(d)]. Another dirt mound [15-008(e)] is present within the leach field of septic system TA-15-195 [see 15-009(f)]. The E.R. site reconnaissance describes the mound as 10' x 10' x 4' with concrete and pipe debris. Two soil mounds [15-008(f)] that include old sand bags were observed west of TA-15-29 during an E.R. site reconnaissance visit. Another sand bag pile [15-008(g)] was present near manhole TA-15-116 and on top of barrier TA-15-142 at the R-45 site.

WASTE INFORMATION

The wastes contained in the Firing Point E-F, TA-15-44, and TA-15-233 may include uranium, lead, beryllium, barium, and with the exception of TA-15-233, tritium. Metal scraps and plastic chunks have been observed at the TA-15-44 disposal area. The area south of TA-15-22 appears to contain only rubble; however, extensive monitoring or sampling has not taken place. The areas near TA-15-195 and -29 had soil mounds with sand bags. No further information on the contents of these mounds is available.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The dispersion and migration of yellow uranium oxide has been observed at several of the surface disposal sites. It is expected that other non-visible contaminants are similarly moving in the soil surrounding the contaminated sites. The likelihood of both the presence of contaminants and of possible releases from the soil mounds is unknown.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-008(a)	TA15-5-CA/OL-1-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1621	SOUTH OF TA-15-27
15-008(b)	TA15-1-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1623	NORTH OF TA-15-44
15-008(c)	TA15-7-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1531	NEAR TA-15-233
15-008(d)	TA15-5-CA/OL-1-HW/RW		Tsk 24 : 1594	NEAR TA-15-22
15-008(e)	**		Tsk 22 : 1533	NEAR TA-15-195
15-008(f)	**		Tsk 23 : 1625	WEST OF TA-15-29
15-008(g)	**		Tsk 23 : 1626 1627	TA-15-116, -142

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Active septic systems at TA-15 include:

SUMJ NO.	STRUCTURE	BUILT	CAPACITY (gal.)	EID REGISTRATION NO.	OVERFLOW	BUILDING SERVED	OUTFALL AREA
15-009(a)	TA-15-51	1949	505	LA-15	seepage pit	TA-15-20	none
15-009(b)	TA-15-61	1951	540	LA-16	seepage pit	TA-15-45	none
15-009(c)	TA-15-62	1951	540	LA-17	drainline	TA-15-44	Potrillo Canyon trib.
15-009(d)	TA-15-63	1951	2,060	LA-18	seepage pit	TA-15-40	none
15-009(e)	TA-15-72	1947	1,200		drainline	TA-15-27	Potrillo Canyon
15-009(f)	TA-15-195	1961	4,000	LA-20	seepage pit	TA-15-183	none
15-009(g)	TA-15-205	1961	605	LA-21	leach field	PHERMEX facility	none
15-009(h)	TA-15-282	late '70s	975	LA-22	leach field	ECTOR facility	none
15-009(i)	TA-15-284	1979	750	LA-23	drainline	TA-15-233	Water Canyon
15-009(j)	TA-15-286	1981	1,500	LA-37	seepage pit	TA-15-285	none
15-009(k)	TA-15-00	unknown	1,000		leach field	Hydrotest Site Radiographic Lab	

Septic tanks TA-15-51 and TA-15-72 are constructed of reinforced concrete. TA-15-72 is 3' x 4' x 5' deep; TA-15-282 is 6' x 4' x 5' deep; TA-15-284 is 7' x 4' x 5' deep. Septic tank TA-15-72 is presently semi-active. Another tank, TA-15-293, was planned, but was canceled before construction. Interviews with LANL personnel during the E.R. site reconnaissance confirmed that the TA-15-293 tank was never built. However, a field survey noted a tank marked as TA-15-293. It is probable that tanks TA-15-286 and TA-15-293 are the same tank. There are discrepancies in the size and shape of the TA-15-284 septic tank; one engineering drawing (ENG-RF110) shows a round tank, 3.6 ft in diameter and 28 ft deep. The tanks are registered with the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Division (EID) as "unpermitted individual liquid waste systems"; their registration numbers are shown in the table above. Septic system TA-15-72 may have previously drained to a canyon outfall. Septic system TA-15-195 was upgraded in 1976 from a 1,280-gallon tank, distribution box, and leach field to a 4,000-gallon tank and a seepage pit.

WASTE INFORMATION

Tanks TA-15-61, -62, -72, -282 receive primarily sanitary waste. It is unknown whether hazardous constituents have been discharged to these tanks. Tank TA-15-51 serves an assembly shop. It was sampled for HE in 1981 and none was detected; no analyses were performed for other chemicals. Tank TA-15-63 serves an office and may have received photo processing waste. Tank TA-15-195 serves a laboratory and office building; this tank had required pumping due to scum development which might have indicated the presence of chemicals. Tank TA-15-205 serves the PHERMEX complex and could possibly receive mixed waste; however, LANL staff consider this unlikely. Septic system TA-15-284 served the Betatron building; however, it was installed after the Betatron equipment had been removed. It is possible that this septic system received solvents such as kerosene and acetone. More information is needed for tanks TA-15-286 and -293, which serve the confinement and test facility. Recently TA-15-62 and -195 were sampled and no volatiles were detected.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The tanks generally overflow to seepage pits and outfalls; the extent of contamination surrounding the pits and outfalls, if any, is unknown. Aluminum shards were found in the area of tank TA-15-62 during an E.R. site reconnaissance visit.

NOTES

Septic system TA-15-293 [15-009(k)] has been deleted as an individual unit because the system was never constructed.

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-009(a)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW	? 15.005	Tsk 24 : 1554 1571 1572	TA-15-51
15-009(b)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1613	TA-15-61
15-009(c)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1609 1614	TA-15-62
15-009(d)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 24 : 1555 1567 1573	TA-15-63
15-009(e)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1608 1612	TA-15-72
15-009(f)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1526	TA-15-195
15-009(g)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1615	TA-15-205
15-009(h)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1616	TA-15-282
15-009(i)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1527	TA-15-284
15-009(j)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1528	TA-15-286
15-009(k)	**			TA-15-00

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
 ** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Septic tank TA-15-80 [15-010(a)] was built in 1944 of reinforced concrete. The dimensions of the tank were 3' x 5' x 4' deep. Overflow from the tank probably went to a seepage pit or similar unit. It was abandoned in 1961. Septic tank TA-15-147 [15-010(b)] served Building TA-15-8, a shop building. The tank was built in 1947. In a 1972 survey, this tank was noted to have possible HE contamination. The tank was used between the 1940's and 1950's. There is conflicting data on this tank. Some engineering records indicate it was a 5' x 5' x 5'6" reinforced concrete industrial waste settling tank. Other records indicate it was a septic tank. However, since HE machining took place in the shop, it would be expected that TA-15-147 may have been used as an HE sump. The CEARP, based on engineering drawing ENG-R716, described a sanitary sewer which served the camera firing point, Building TA-15-92 [15-010(c)]. The sewer drained to a seepage field or an outfall at the edge of the canyon. It is not known whether the sewer line has been removed. However, this information appears to be incorrect, based on interviews with operating group members. The drain may have been a storm drain.

WASTE INFORMATION

Tank TA-15-80 served some of the early facilities; information on the type of waste that was handled by this tank is unavailable. Tank TA-15-147 may have HE contamination. The composition of the materials in the TA-15-92 sewer line is not available.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Information on location of overflow, possible contaminants, and releases from these units is unavailable.

NOTES

New information on SWMU No. 15-010(c), a drain from building TA-15-92, suggests that this unit is actually a storm drain and therefore should not be considered a SWMU. This unit includes an outfall formerly addressed as SWMU No. 15-012(b).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-010(a)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Task 24 : 1569	TA-15-80
15-010(b)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Task 24 : 1570	TA-15-147
15-010(c)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Task 23 : 1607 1611	TA-15-92

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

1) A sump [15-011(a)] was located on the west side of TA-15-20. Manhole TA-15-150 is associated with this sump. Manhole TA-15-151 is located in this same area and may also be associated with the sump. The sump was constructed in 1949 and is believed to have been used into the 1950s. The sump was 6' x 3' x 2'4" deep. Its current status is unknown. 2) A dry well [15-011(b)] is located west of TA-15-194, near the edge of the canyon. The dry well was connected to an existing drain at TA-15-194 that received liquids from a vapor degreaser. The well is 4' in diameter, 50' deep and it was used to dispose of liquids from TA-15-194. The well is covered with soil and is difficult to locate. The well was constructed in 1978; when it was put out of service is unknown. 3) A sump may have been located at the edge of the canyon [15-011(c)] and received acid waste from drains in Building TA-15-50. This sump may have been used in the 1960s. There is conflicting data as to whether there was a sump that received these wastes or whether they discharged directly to the canyon.

WASTE INFORMATION

The sump near TA-15-20 handled waste liquid that possibly contained HE. The dry well received liquids from industrial lines that probably contained degreaser solutions, sulfuric and hydrochloric acid, and chromate solutions. The sump for TA-15-50, if it received any waste, would have handled acid waste and perhaps other industrial waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The decant from sump near TA-15-20 is believed to have gone to manhole TA-15-150 and then to an outfall. Release information from the dry well is lacking. Available information suggests that the sump for TA-15-50 may have discharged into the canyon.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-011(a)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-1-HW/RW		Tsk 24 : 1579 1580 1582	WEST OF TA-15-20
15-011(b)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-1-HW/RW	15.011	Tsk 24 : 1577 1581	WEST OF TA-15-194
15-011(c)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-1-HW/RW	? 15.002	Tsk 24 : 1556 1578	NEAR TA-15-50

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : OPERATIONAL RELEASE
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The RFA notes a vacuum pump oil disposal area [15-012(a)]. A location is not given. During containment experiments, vessels were washed out in a bermed area near TA-15-285 [15-012(b)]. One employee remembered uranium contamination of the soil in this area and the soil being removed from the area. The exact location is unknown.

WASTE INFORMATION

The pump oil disposal area is suspected to contain mercury and tritium. Containment experiment shots contained uranium, beryllium, lead, boron, cadmium, gold, aluminum, and tungsten.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Lateral and vertical extent of any contamination is unknown. During a 1988 E.R. site reconnaissance, the containment vessel washing area was 22 microRem/hour and 300 to 700 cpm beta-gamma above background.

NOTES

Unit 15-012(b) was an outfall from a septic system described in 15-010(c). Units 15-012(c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) were outfalls from drainlines that are described as 15-014(m), (k), (l), (i), and (j), respectively.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-012(a)	**	15.008	Tsk 24 : 1589	UNKNOWN
15-012(b)	TA15-5-CA/OL-1-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1529	NEAR TA-15-285

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : UNDERGROUND TANK
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : PRODUCT

UNIT INFORMATION

The following underground storage tanks have been removed. No documentation is available on whether the tanks or lines had leaked.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	SUBSTANCE STORED	CAPACITY	STATUS
15-013(a)	TA-15-192	unknown	unknown	removed, renumbered TA-49-56
15-013(b)	TA-15-266	dielectric oil	unknown	removed

According to engineering drawing ENG-R5110, tank TA-15-192 was removed and taken to TA-49.

WASTE INFORMATION

The substances stored in tank TA-15-192 before its removal to TA-49 are unknown. Tank TA-15-266 stored dielectric oil.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The integrity of these tanks was not tested and examination of the soil around them at the time of removal was not documented. It is unknown whether releases have occurred. However, until site characterization information is acquired which indicates that there were no releases, it must be assumed, based on past tank removals at the Laboratory, that the tanks may have leaked.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
15-013(a)	**		Task 24 : 1605	TA-15-192
15-013(b)	TA15-10-UST-A-PP	15.019		TA-15-266

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OUTFALL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following are drainlines and their associated outfalls in TA-15:

SUMU NO.	BUILDING SERVED	USE	PERIOD OF USE	DRAINLINE TYPE	EPA PERMIT NO.	OUTFALL LOCATION
15-014(a)	TA-15-183	photographic wastes	1961-prs.	vitriified clay	EPA06A123	Water Canyon
15-014(b)	TA-15-183	1) storm drain 2) building drain	1) 1961-prs. 2) 1961-prs.	1) 16"-dia corr. metal 2) 2" PVC	1) none 2) none	1) Water Canyon 2) Water Canyon
15-014(c)	TA-15-242	sink drain	1961-prs.	unknown	none	area behind building
15-014(d)	TA-15-185	unknown	1961-prs.	unknown	none	Water Canyon
15-014(e)	TA-15-184	floor drains & cooling water	?-prs.	ditch	EPA04A139	Water Canyon
15-014(f)	TA-15-263	cooling water	?-prs.	ditch	EPA04A121	Three Mile Canyon
15-014(g)	TA-15-203	cooling water	?-?	ditch	none	Water Canyon
15-014(h)	TA-15-40	1) noncontact cooling water 2) noncontact cooling water	1) ?-prs. 2) ?-prs.	1) 8"-dia vitr. clay 2) 8"-dia vitr. clay	1) EPA04A013 2) EPA04A102	1) Three Mile Canyon 2) Three Mile Canyon
15-014(i)	TA-15-194	3) storm drains 1) industrial wastes 2) noncontact cooling water	3) ?-prs. 1) ?-prs. 2) ?-prs.	3) 12"-dia corr. metal 1) unknown 2) unknown	3) none 1) none 2) EPA04A093	3) Three Mile Canyon 1) Water Canyon 2) Water Canyon
15-014(j)	TA-15-50	1) sink drain 2) floor drains 3) diffusion pumps	1) ?-? 2) ?-prs. 3) ?-prs.	1) ditch 2) unknown 3) unknown	1) none 2) none 3) none	1) Water Canyon 2) Water Canyon 3) Water Canyon
15-014(k)	TA-15-20	floor drains	?-?	3"-dia cast iron & 4"-dia vitr. clay	none	Water Canyon
15-014(l)	TA-15-202	treated cooling water		unknown	EPA03A028	Water Canyon
15-014(m)	TA-15-306	noncontact cooling water		unknown	EPA04A143	Potrillo Canyon tributary

Approximately six channels were observed draining the parking lot of TA-15-40 during the E.R. site reconnaissance visit. These storm drainage ditches are in addition to storm drains noted around TA-15-40 [15-014(h)].

prs. - present

WASTE INFORMATION

Potential wastes from the photographic waste outfall at TA-15-183 are silver, lead, and organics. Waste from the other two TA-15-183 outfalls and the storm drains could include barium, beryllium, cadmium, lead, mercury, uranium, and HE. The outfall from buildings TA-15-242 and -20 could contain HE and barium. Organics could be anticipated in the TA-15-184 outfall and beryllium may be present in the TA-15-50 outfall. Potential wastes in the remaining outfalls are unknown, but may contain metals and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The extent of releases to outfall receiving area is unknown.

NOTES

Drainlines 15-014(i), (j), (k), (l), and (m) include outfalls formerly addressed as SUMU Nos. 15-012(f), (g), (d), (e), and (c), respectively.

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-014(a)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 22 : 1524	TA-15-183
15-014(b)	**		Tsk 22 : 1525	TA-15-183
15-014(c)	**		Tsk 22 : 1553	TA-15-242
15-014(d)	**		Tsk 23 : 1610	TA-15-185
15-014(e)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1619	TA-15-184
15-014(f)	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1620	TA-15-263
15-014(g)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 23 : 1557 1586	TA-15-203
	TA15-9-S/ST/O-A-HW/RW			
15-014(h)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 24 : 1558 1559 1564 1565 1566 1568	TA-15-40
15-014(i)	**		Tsk 24 : 1560 1563	TA-15-194
15-014(j)	**		Tsk 24 : 1561 1562 1574	TA-15-50
15-014(k)	TA15-8-S/ST/O-I-HW/RW		Tsk 24 : 1575 1576	TA-15-20
15-014(l)	**			TA-15-202
15-014(m)	**			TA-15-306

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

**TA-15 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
15-001	15-1
15-002	15-1
15-003	15-1
15-004(a)	Not shown, location unknown
15-004(b)	15-2
15-004(c)	15-2
15-004(d)	15-2
15-004(e)	15-2
15-004(f)	15-2
15-004(g)	15-2
15-004(h)	15-2
15-004(i)	Not shown, location unknown
15-005(a)	15-1
15-005(b)	15-1
15-005(c)	15-1
15-005(d)	15-2
15-006(a)	15-1
15-006(b)	15-1
15-006(c)	15-1, 15-2
15-006(d)	15-1, 15-2
15-006(e)	15-2
15-007(a)	15-1, 15-6
15-007(b)	15-1, 15-7
15-007(c)	15-1
15-007(d)	15-1
15-008(a)	15-1
15-008(b)	15-1
15-008(c)	15-1
15-008(d)	15-1
15-008(e)	15-1
15-008(f)	15-2
15-008(g)	15-2
15-009(a)	15-1
15-009(b)	15-1
15-009(c)	15-1
15-009(d)	15-1
15-009(e)	15-1
15-009(f)	15-1
15-009(g)	15-1
15-009(h)	15-1
15-009(i)	15-1
15-009(j)	15-1
15-009(k)	Not shown

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**TA-15 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
(CONTINUED)**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
15-010(a)	15-2
15-010(b)	15-2
15-010(c)	15-2
15-011(a)	15-2
15-011(b)	15-1
15-011(c)	15-2
15-012(a)	Not shown, location unknown
15-012(b)	15-1
15-013(a)	Not shown, moved to TA-49
15-013(b)	15-1
15-014(a)	15-3
15-014(b)	15-3
15-014(c)	15-3
15-014(d)	15-5
15-014(e)	15-5
15-014(f)	15-4
15-014(g)	15-3
15-014(h)	15-3
15-014(i)	15-3
15-014(j)	15-3
15-014(k)	15-3
15-014(l)	15-5
15-014(m)	15-4

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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TA-15
OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 15 is principally a firing site that has been active almost from the beginning of Laboratory operations. Activities center around two facilities: the Pulse High Energy Radiographic Machine Emitting X-Rays (PHERMEX) and Ector, which make radiographs of exploding or imploding systems. The primary work proceeding in TA-15 is detonator development for high explosives (DOE, 1987a). TA-15 is a large area that incorporates several separate units connected by roads.

TA-15 lies at elevations between 6,800 and 7,280 feet asl. It is located on a mesa that is bifurcated by Potrillo Canyon. The mesa is bounded on the north by unnamed branches of Pajarito Canyon and on the south by Canon de Valle and Water Canyon. Canyon walls are steep slopes or cliffs in this area. TA-15 lies on welded Bandelier Tuff. This technical area includes vegetation from the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper, Pinon-Juniper, Ponderosa Pine-fir, and Shrub-Grass-Forb overstory vegetation zones. Soil types include Carjo loam, Seaby loam, Pogna fine sandy loam, Nyjack loam, Hackroy sandy loam, Hackroy-Rock outcrop complex, Tocal very fine sandy loam, fine Typic Eutroboralfs, Frijoles very fine sandy loam, Totavi gravelly loamy sand, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 5,950 to 6,140 feet asl at TA-15. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-15

15-001	BONEYARD
15-002	BURN SITE
15-003	OPEN DETONATION AREA
15-004	DECOMMISSIONED FIRING SITES
15-005	CONTAINER STORAGE AREAS
15-006	ACTIVE FIRING SITES
15-007	LANDFILLS
15-008	SURFACE DISPOSAL
15-009	ACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS
15-010	INACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS
15-011	SUMPS, DRY WELL
15-012	OPERATIONAL RELEASES
15-013	UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS
15-014	DRAINLINES AND OUTFALLS

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : BONEYARD
UNIT USE : STORAGE
OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1960s - PRESENT
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The unit is a boneyard, an area used to store equipment, to the east of TA-15-233. The unit stores steel, equipment, and experimental vessels.

WASTE INFORMATION

Some of the experimental vessels are labeled with radioactive signs. The vessels are suspected of containing mixed waste when they were used in experiments.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether releases from this unit have occurred. LANL staff consider releases unlikely, because there is no visible residual contamination on the vessels; however, no soil sampling has been done.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-001	**			NEAR TA-15-233

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-15
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : PIT
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - 1970s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

On a few occasions, depleted uranium and/or natural uranium turnings were burned with gasoline and HE or mixed with oil and burned near or at the E-F site. The CEARP states that an employee reported one site to be located 100-150 yds. west of E-F site.

WASTE INFORMATION

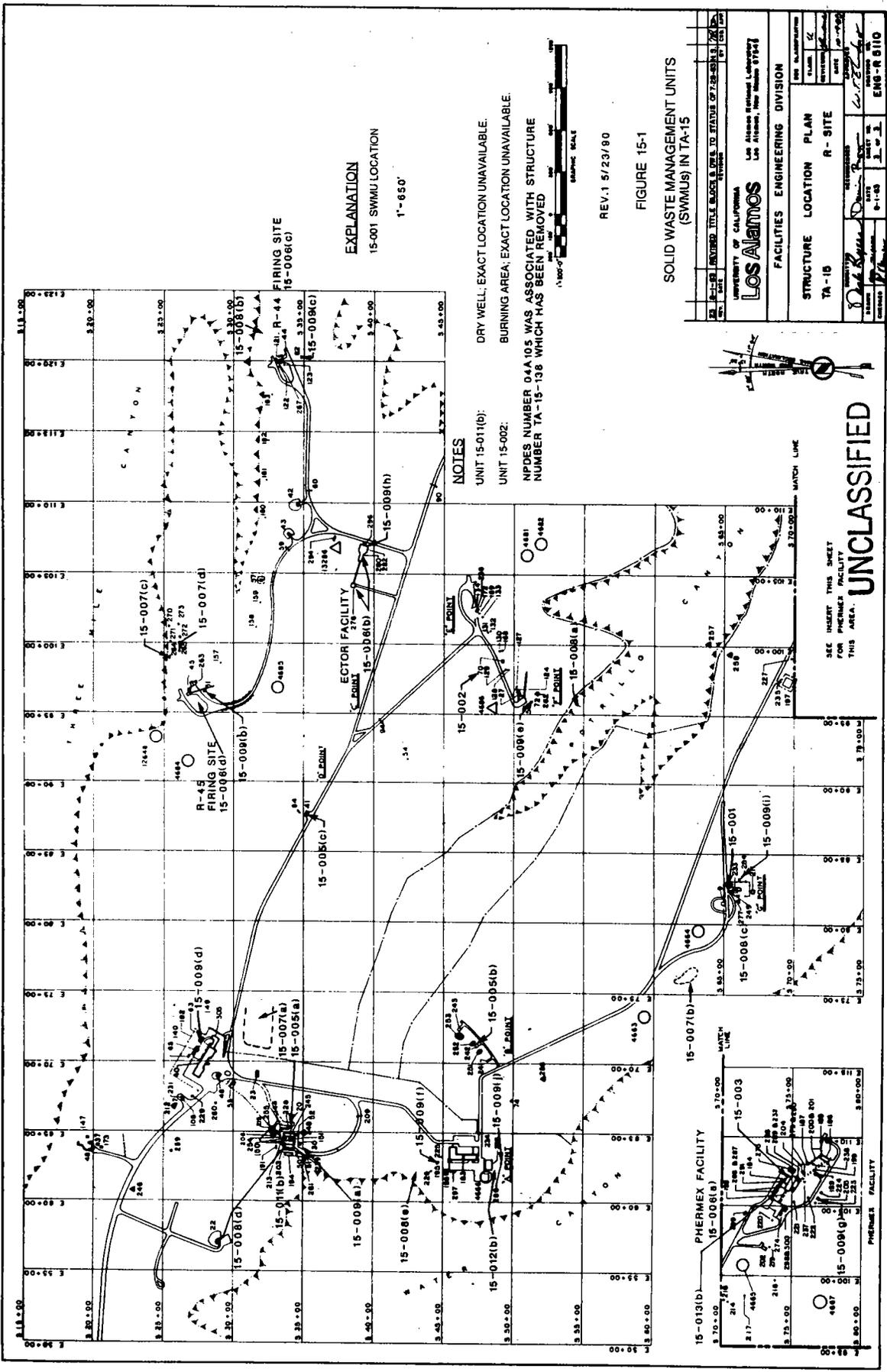
Waste still present might include uranium. The RFA reports suspected hazardous waste that may include barium and nitrates from the HE. However, LANL staff believe the amount of HE mixed with the uranium to have been very small.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Releases of combustion products to the air are known to have occurred. Uranium from detonations at the E-F site and from burning is anticipated to remain in the soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
15-002	TA15-4-CA-1-HW/RW	15.009		NEAR TA-15-26



EXPLANATION
 15-001 SWMU LOCATION
 1" = 650'

NOTES
 UNIT 15-011(b):
 UNIT 15-002:
 DRY WELL; EXACT LOCATION UNAVAILABLE.
 BURNING AREA; EXACT LOCATION UNAVAILABLE.
 NIPDES NUMBER 044105 WAS ASSOCIATED WITH STRUCTURE NUMBER TA-15-136 WHICH HAS BEEN REMOVED

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FIGURE 15-1

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-15



SEE INSERT THIS SHEET FOR PHERMEX FACILITY THIS AREA.

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
 TA-15
 R-SITE

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EXPLANATION
15-001 SWMU LOCATION

NOTES
UNIT 15-011 (a)(c)
EXACT LOCATIONS UNAVAILABLE.

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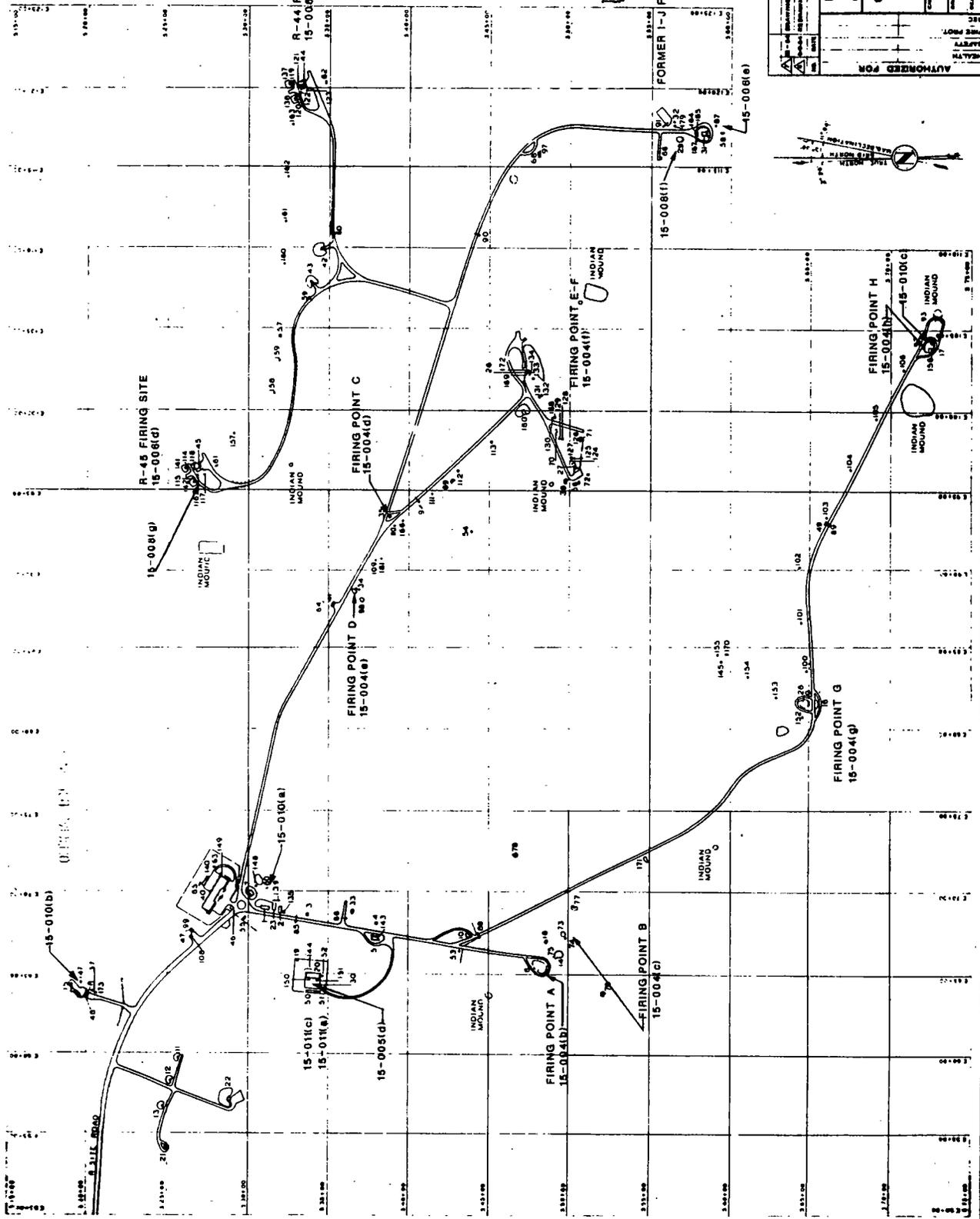
FIGURE 15-2

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-15

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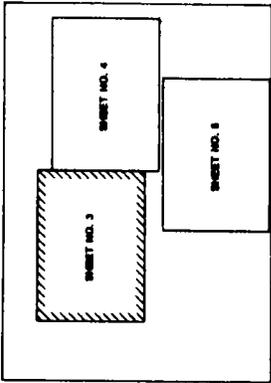
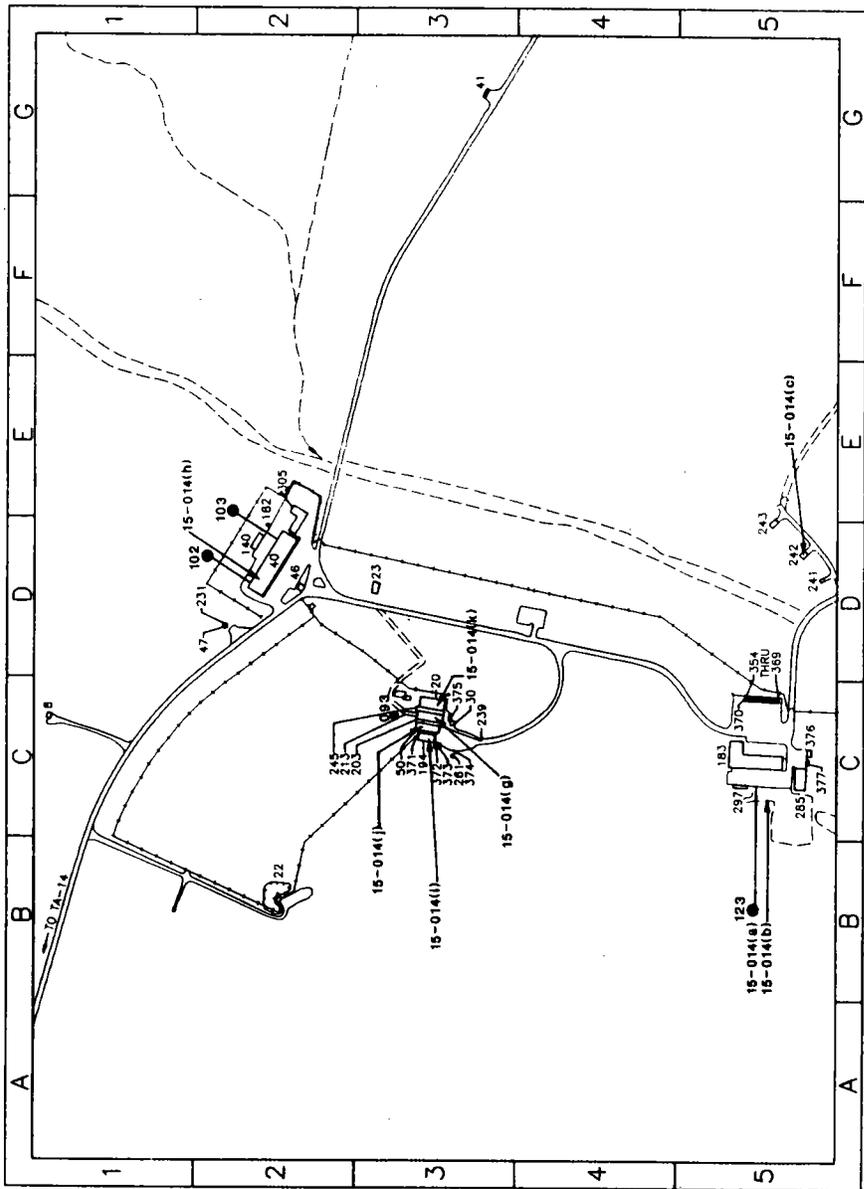
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- ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBER (SEE APPENDIX A)

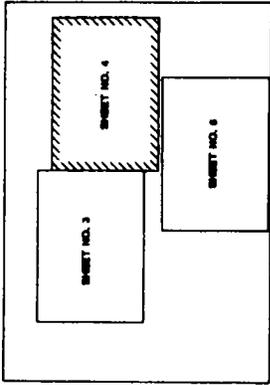
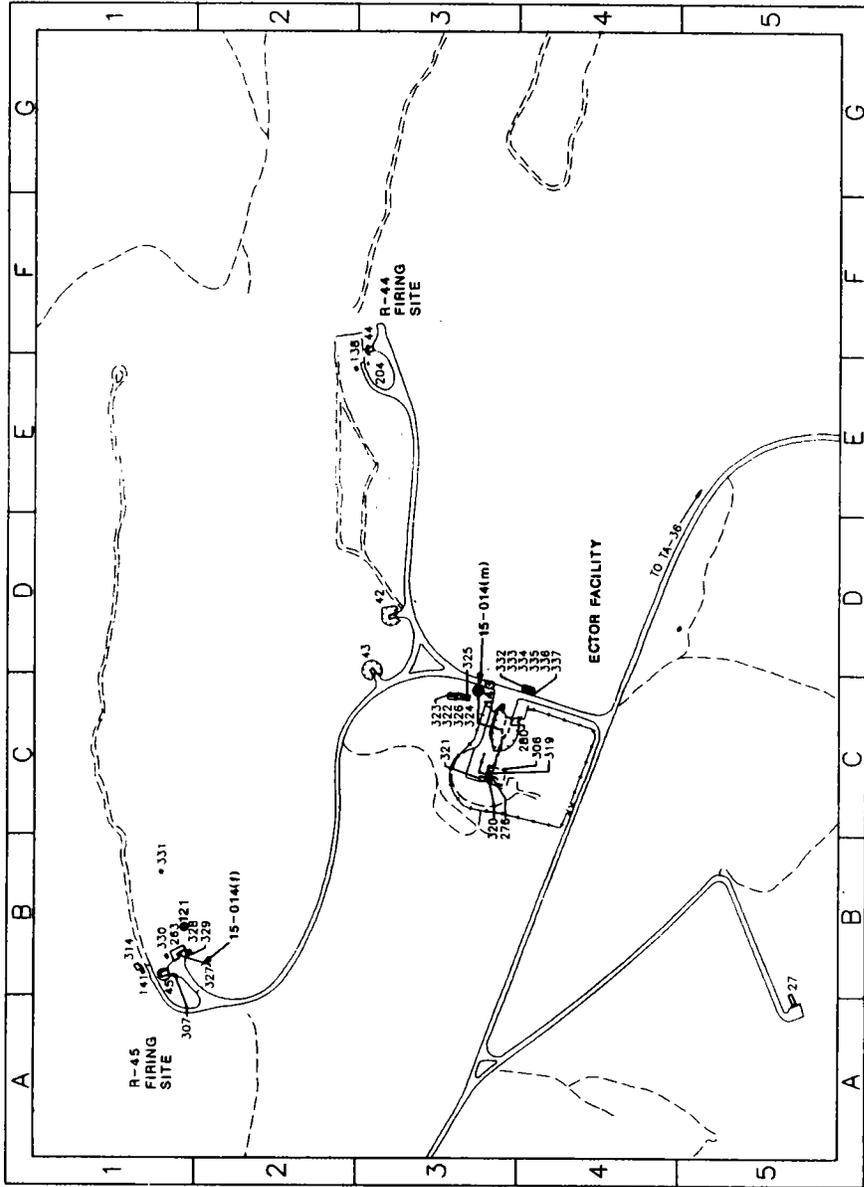
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FIGURE 15-3
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
UNITS (SWMUS) IN TA-15

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- 15-001 SWMU LOCATION
- 010 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBER (SEE APPENDIX A)

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FIGURE 15-4

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-15

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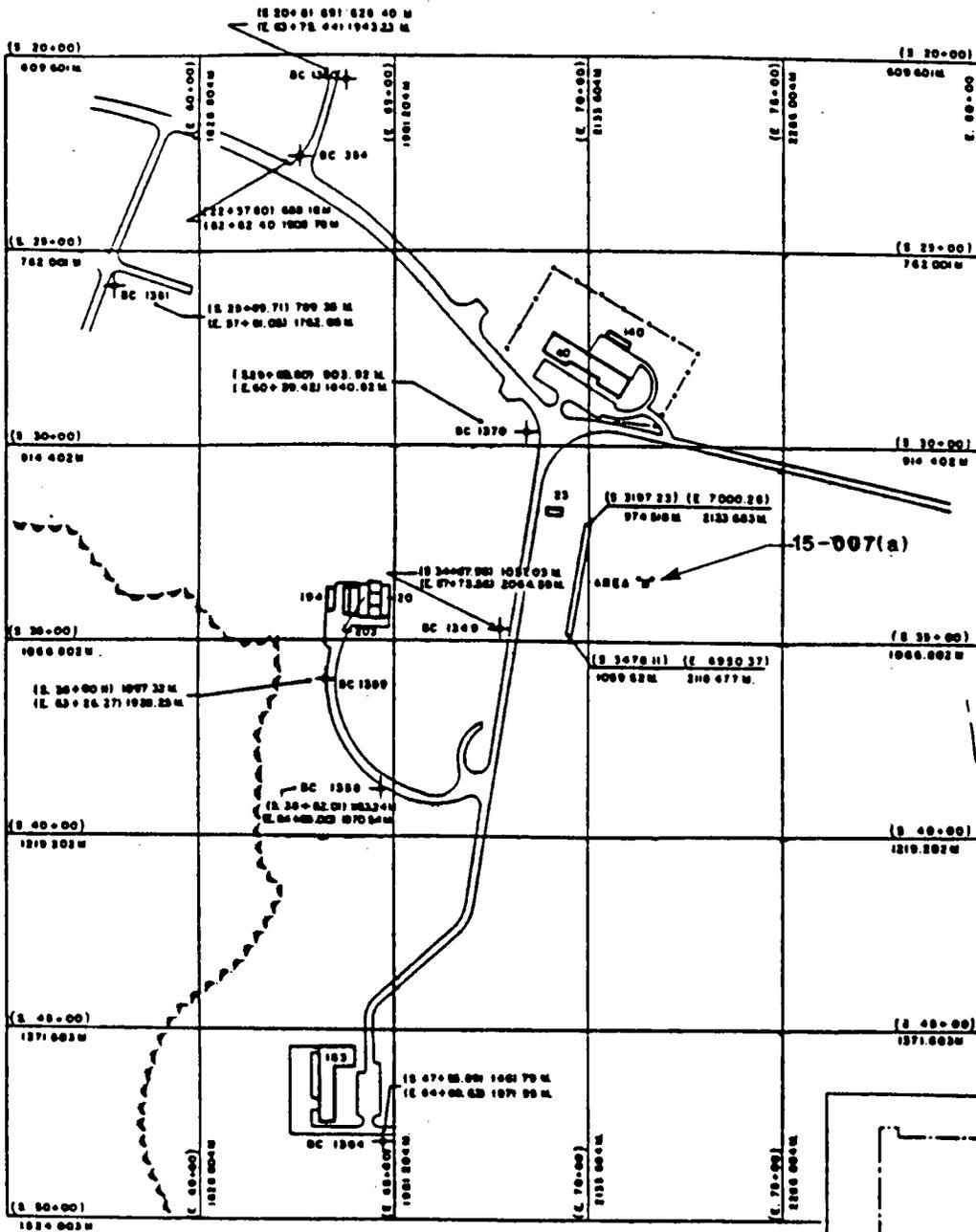
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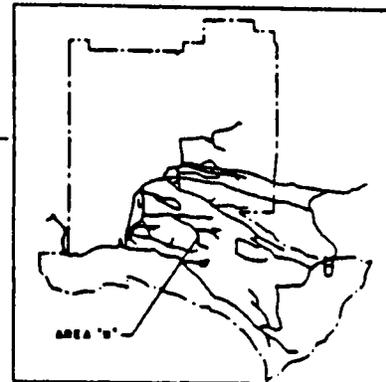
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FIGURE 15-6

MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA N, TA-15

TA-16

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 16 operations center around the production of high explosives for weapons and non-weapons research and development. TA-16 is a large complex, with a total of over 200 buildings and structures, divided into separate operational units connected by roads. Operations include explosive pressing, assembly, casting, coating, machining, development of new materials, and non-destructive testing (DOE, 1987a). Storage is available in the area, and administration and shop facilities are included at TA-16. TA-16 includes the locations of former Technical Areas 13, 24, 25 and 29.

TA-16 lies at elevations between about 7,100 and 7,700 feet asl. It is located mostly on a broad mesa that is bounded on the north by Canon de Valle and on the south by Water Canyon. The southern boundary of TA-16 is south of Water Canyon at the Laboratory's edge at State Highway 4. The mesa also slopes eastward toward branches of Water Canyon and Canon de Valle. Canyon walls are steep in this area. The technical area lies on welded Bandelier Tuff. Vegetation in this technical area is from the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper, Pinon-Juniper, Ponderosa Pine-fir, and Shrub-Grass-Forb overstory vegetation zones. Soil in the area consists of clayey-skeletal and fine Typic Eutroboralfs, Tocal very fine sandy loam, Pogna fine sandy loam, Frijoles very fine sandy loam, Carjo loam, Totavi gravelly loamy sand, Sanjue-Arribe complex, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies at about 6,085 to 6,400 feet asl at TA-16. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-16

16-001	DRY WELLS / TANK
16-002	TRITIUM TANK (deleted)
16-003	ACTIVE HE SUMPS
16-004	SANITARY WASTE TREATMENT PLANT
16-005	DECOMMISSIONED SEPTIC SYSTEMS
16-006	ACTIVE / INACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS
16-007	DECOMMISSIONED WASTE PONDS
16-008	INACTIVE SURFACE IMPOUNDMENTS
16-009	DECOMMISSIONED BURN AREA
16-010	ACTIVE / INACTIVE BURN AND TREATMENT AREAS
16-011	INCINERATORS
16-012	WASTE STORAGE AREAS
16-013	DECOMMISSIONED WASTE STORAGE AREAS
16-014	OFF-GAS PROCESS (deleted)
16-015	LAUNDRY AND STEAM WASHING
16-016	LANDFILL / SURFACE DISPOSAL
16-017	WORLD WAR II HE COMPLEX
16-018	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA P
16-019	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA R
16-020	SILVER RECOVERY / OUTFALL REGION
16-021	OPERATIONAL RELEASES
16-022	SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM LEAKING USTs
16-023	DECOMMISSIONED INCINERATORS
16-024	SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM DECOMMISSIONED MAGAZINES
16-025	SOIL CONTAMINATION AT DECOMMISSIONED HE FACILITIES
16-026	INACTIVE OUTFALLS FROM BUILDING DRAINS
16-027	LEAKAGE FROM PCB TRANSFORMERS
16-028	ACTIVE OUTFALLS FROM COOLING TOWERS AND TANKS
16-029	INACTIVE HE SUMPS
16-030	ACTIVE OUTFALLS FROM BUILDING DRAINS
16-031	INACTIVE OUTFALLS: COOLING TOWERS/INDUSTRIAL LINES
16-032	DECOMMISSIONED HE SUMPS
16-033	DECOMMISSIONED FUEL TANKS
16-034	SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS
16-035	SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM FORMER CONTROL BUNKER
16-036	SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM BATTLESHIP BUNKERS
16-037	INDUSTRIAL WASTE TANK

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : WELL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL/TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE/ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Several dry wells and tanks were constructed for the disposal of blowdown from the steam plant and wastewater from HE operations at the 300 complex: 1) A field survey found that the blowdown from the steam plant, TA-16-540, is routed to a blowdown tank, TA-16-456 [16-001(a)]. The tank is constructed of steel and has an inside diameter of 6'. It is 7' long and has 2000 gallon capacity. After exiting the blowdown tank, the liquid goes through two dry wells [16-001(b)] that discharge to outfall no. EPA 02A007 (see Appendix A). Tank TA-16-456 was installed in 1968 and replaced tank TA-16-541 [16-001(c)] which was installed in 1962. Tank TA-16-541 was filled with dirt and abandoned. The two dry wells are located just east of the steam plant. 2) A 1959 engineering drawing (ENG-R867) shows a 3' x 5' dry well located to the east of TA-16-208 [16-001(d)]. The wells have not been located in field surveys. 3) A dry well [16-001(e)] was constructed at the outfall area of the Building 300 series process line. The dry well was installed in nonpermeable rock and did not function properly. A "T" pipe was added which allowed liquids to discharge from this dry well to a NPDES outfall (EPA 05A058, see Appendix A).

WASTE INFORMATION

The blowdown tank and the two dry wells received only steam plant blowdown. Corrosion inhibitors and algicides were present in the blowdown liquid. It is unknown whether blowdown contained chromates in the early days of operation. The waste discharged to the dry wells east of TA-16-540 and east of TA-16-208 is unknown. The liquids received by the 300 series process line may have contained solvents.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether any of the wells or the blowdown tank have caused a hazardous release.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-001(a)	TA16-7-CA-1-HW TA16-2-S-A/1-HW		Tsk 14 : 401 470 467	TA-16-456, -540, -541; EAST OF TA-16-208
16-001(b)	TA16-2-S-A/1-HW TA16-7-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 568	TA-16-568
16-001(c)	**	16.047	Tsk 14 : 566 567	TA-16-541
16-001(d)	TA16-7-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 565	TA-16-208
16-001(e)	TA16-7-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 564	TA-16-300

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

NOTES

This SWMU has been deleted because the facility has not become operational and does not generate waste.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

For many years it has been the practice at TA-16 to route any industrial process water containing HE through catchment baffle-filter sumps before discharge. Open floor drains in each room also connect with these collecting sumps. The baffle-filters or settling areas have been regularly cleaned since they were put into use. The following table describes these sumps.

SUMP NO.	STRUCTURE	DIMENSIONS	OUTFALL LOCATION	SUMP NO.	STRUCTURE	DIMENSIONS	OUTFALL LOCATION
16-003(a)	TA-16-410	111"x41"x31"	EPA05A053	16-003(j)	TA-16-267	76"x41"x31"	EPA05A057
16-003(b)	TA-16-400	172"x41"x31"	EPA05A063	16-003(k)	TA-16-260	90"x36"x31"	EPA05A056
16-003(c)	TA-16-460	90"x41"x31"	EPA05A072	16-003(k)	TA-16-260(12)	176"x36"x31"	EPA05A056
16-003(d)	TA-16-300	123"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(l)	TA-16-430(2)	88"x41"x31"	SOUTH OF BUILDING
16-003(d)	TA-16-300	203"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(l)	TA-16-430	114"x41"x31"	SOUTH OF BUILDING
16-003(e)	TA-16-302	123"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(m)	TA-16-380	192"x41"x31"	EPA05A052
16-003(e)	TA-16-302	203"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(m)	TA-16-380		EPA05A057
16-003(f)	TA-16-304	123"x41"x31"	EPA05A058*	16-003(n)	TA-16-342	88"x41"x31"	EPA05A062
16-003(f)	TA-16-304	203"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(o)	TA-16-340(3)	81"x41"x31"	EPA05A062
16-003(g)	TA-16-306	123"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(o)	TA-16-340(3)	124"x41"x31"	EPA05A062
16-003(g)	TA-16-306	203"x41"x31"	EPA05A058	16-003(p)	TA-16-478		
16-003(h)	TA-16-280	117"x41"x31"	NORTH OF BUILDING	16-003(q)	TA-16-450		
16-003(i)	TA-16-265	76"x41"x31"	EPA05A057				

(12): number of sumps at that location; if not specified, the number is one (1).

Sumps in TA-16-304 and -306 do not currently handle HE waste. In addition, the sump in the truck washing facility, TA-16-400, receives truck washwater. It was constructed in 1952. The following HE sumps receive barium precipitation treatment:

STRUCTURE	BAY #s	# OF SUMPS	STRUCTURE	BAY #s	# OF SUMPS
TA-16-260	22,23	1	TA-16-300		2
TA-16-260	24,25	1	TA-16-302		2

Residual HE in these sumps is removed by a vacuum system and destroyed by burning. Barium sulfate residues are filtered to collect barium. The filters are dried and buried. It is possible that other inactive or decommissioned sumps exist for which information is not available.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE. Solvents are discharged to the following: TA-16-400, and -260. Sumps TA-16-460, -342, -340 and -300 used to discharge solvents; currently the solvents from these buildings are drummed before reaching the sumps. The entrapped HE is picked up for burning. The sumps that receive barium precipitation treatment initially receive liquids from wash down of baritol machining operations. After pH adjustment, all barium is precipitated as insoluble barium sulfate by adding sodium sulfite to the sump solution. Radioactive wastes are also present in some of the sumps.

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RELEASE INFORMATION

The sumps have discharged hazardous waste from outfalls. There was an attempt made to eliminate volatile organic compounds from the TA-16-340 outfall by installing a fish ladder weir that functioned as an air stripper. This structure caused outfall liquid to be disseminated over a larger area due to splash. All material from sumps that receive barium precipitation treatment is taken to the TA-16 burn site (16-010) for treatment. There is no decant or outfall from the sumps when barium precipitation operations take place. Known releases of acetone and methyl ethyl ketone solubles have occurred from sumps TA-16-300, -302, -304, -306, and -430. The outfall in which residual HE is of particular concern TA-16-478. TA-16-306 also contains numerous plastics. Barium, TNT, RDX, and HMX have been identified in soil samples in the vicinity of the TA-16-260 outfalls. Outfalls from TA-16-340 and -300 were investigated as part of Environmental Problem 10 in the DOE Environmental Survey. Thirteen water and three soil samples were collected from the TA-16-340 outfall (NPDES 54). Of six water samples analyzed for gamma radioactivity, one sample had a detection of U-235, and one sample contained natural U-238 chain. Of the seven water samples analyzed for gross alpha and beta, the nonzero values ranged from 2.4 to 19 pCi/l. One water sample was analyzed for Sr-90, Th-230, U-235, U-238, Pu-238, Pu-239+240, Am-241 and total uranium. Of these analyses, only U-235 (32 pCi/l) and total uranium (1.5 micrograms/l) were detected. At the TA-16-300 outfall (NPDES 58), three water samples were screened for gamma, gross alpha, and beta radioactivity. No radioactivity was detected. Three soil samples were collected and screened for gamma radioactivity. Cs-137 was present in one sample (166 pCi/Kg) and natural activities were detected in all three samples. The pipe outlet from TA-16-478 was plugged in July, 1987.

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 16-003(p) through (v) have been renumbered to 16-029(a) through (g).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-003(a)	**	16.050	Tsk 14 : 456 650	TA-16-410
		? 16.012		
16-003(b)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.054	Tsk 14 : 417 628	TA-16-400
		? 16.022		
16-003(c)	**	16.060	Tsk 14 : 629	TA-16-460
		? 16.013		
16-003(d)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.056	Tsk 13 : 190 339 340	TA-16-300
		? 16.026		
16-003(e)	**	16.038	Tsk 13 : 190 337 338	TA-16-302
		? 16.027		
16-003(f)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.038	Tsk 13 : 190 335 336	TA-16-304
16-003(g)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.038	Tsk 13 : 190 333 334	TA-16-306
16-003(h)	**	16.057	Tsk 13 : 349	TA-16-280
16-003(i)	**	16.055	Tsk 13 : 209 372	TA-16-265
16-003(j)	**	16.038	Tsk 13 : 208 348	TA-16-267
16-003(k)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.053	Tsk 12 : 77 174 175	TA-16-260
		? 16.023		
16-003(l)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.059	Tsk 14 : 442-450	TA-16-430
		? 16.013		
16-003(m)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.049	Tsk 12 : 100 168 101	TA-16-380
16-003(n)	**	16.058	Tsk 12 : 71 171	TA-16-342
		? 16.024		
16-003(o)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.052	Tsk 12 : 69 172 173	TA-16-340
		? 16.025		
16-003(p)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.038	Tsk 12 : 68	TA-16-478
16-003(q)	**		Tsk 14 : 436 437 439	TA-16-450

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
 ** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: WASTE TREATMENT PLANT		HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1952 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

A sanitary wastewater treatment plant is operating at TA-16. Components of the plant include:

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	STRUCTURE TYPE
16-004(a)	TA-16-530	Imhoff Tank
16-004(b)	TA-16-531	trickling filter
16-004(c)	TA-16-532	final tank
16-004(d)	TA-16-533	sludge drying bed
16-004(e)	TA-16-534	screen
16-004(f)	TA-16-535	sludge drying bed

The wastewater treatment plant has an outfall (EPASSS03S; see Appendix A). The sanitary sewer system consists of thousands of feet of line, including numerous manholes and lift stations. Manholes and lift stations are numbered TA-16-700 through -792 and TA-16-813 through -817. Possibly manholes TA-16-27 and -1339 are associated with the system.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is sanitary, radioactive, and industrial waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous releases have occurred from the plant structures. A leaky sewer line was observed between manholes TA-16-710 and -711 during the E.R. site reconnaissance. Three soil samples from the NPDES 03s outfall region were screened for gamma as part of Environmental Problem #10 of the DOE Environmental Survey. Cs-137 and natural activities were present in all three samples. The Cs-137 activity increased with distance from the discharge point. Soil samples collected from the drying beds indicate the presence of Cs-137 and natural activities. Alpha spectral analyses showed the presence of Pu-239, Pu-238, and Pu-240 in all three samples.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-004(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 116 76	TA-16-530
16-004(b)	**	16.048	Tsk 12 : 112	TA-16-531
16-004(c)	**		Tsk 12 : 117	TA-16-532
16-004(d)	**	16.048	Tsk 12 : 113	TA-16-533
16-004(e)	**	16.048	Tsk 12 : 114	TA-16-534
16-004(f)	**	16.048	Tsk 12 : 115 75	TA-16-535
16-004(misc)			Tsk 12 : 74 118 119	

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	STRUCTURE TYPE	BUILT	REMOVED	CAPACITY/DIMENSIONS	BUILDINGS SERVED	OUTFALL LOCATION
16-005(a)	TA-16-161	septic tank	1945		11'6" x 13'6" x 9'7"	TA-16-42 thru -45	Water Canyon
16-005(b)	TA-16-174	septic tank	1945		4' x 8' x 4'6"	TA-16-502	Valle Canyon
16-005(c)	TA-16-176	septic tank	1945		8' x 6' x 4'		Water Canyon
16-005(d)	TA-16-177	septic tank	1945	1968	10' x 6' x 4'6"	TA-16-141	Valle Canyon
16-005(e)	TA-16-179	septic tank	1948			TA-16-37	Water Canyon
16-005(f)	TA-16-272	septic tank	1951		1500 gallons	TA-16-260	Valle Canyon
16-005(g)	TA-16-393	filter bed		1965			Valle Canyon
16-005(h)	TA-16-431	septic tank	1952	1968		TA-16-430	Water Canyon
16-005(i)	TA-16-486	septic tank	1951	1951	7' x 4' x 4'		unknown
16-005(j)	TA-16-504	septic tank	1948	1963	4' x 5' x 3'		Valle Canyon
16-005(k)	TA-16-1132	septic tank		1956			unknown
16-005(l)	TA-16-1137	grease trap					Water Canyon
16-005(m)	TA-16-507	chemical pit	1944	1960	8'6" x 4'6" x 5		
16-005(n)	TA-16-173	septic tank	1949	1971	600 gallons		
16-005(o)	TA-16-420		1952	1962	unknown		

Septic tank TA-16-260 was associated with dosing chamber TA-16-273 and distribution box TA-16-274. Septic tank TA-16-431 was associated with manholes TA-16-764 and -763. Tanks TA-16-161, -174, -176, -177 were constructed of reinforced concrete. Construction details on the other tanks is lacking. In addition to these systems, engineering drawings indicate several unmarked tanks that were also decommissioned including an unmarked tank south of TA-16-515. It is unknown whether septic tanks TA-16-174 and TA-16-504 have been removed. Outfalls were associated with tanks TA-16-272, -177, -431, -1132, -174, -179, and -1137.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consisted of domestic and, for some systems, industrial sewage. It is possible that TA-16-272 received TNT, HMX, RDX, boron, and berium. Tank TA-16-504 received solvents and possibly photographic solutions. Tank TA-16-431 may have received solvents and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Information on possible residuals in the associated drain fields and outfall areas is lacking.

NOTES

SWMU No. 16-005(m) has been renumbered to 16-029(h2) because it is part of an inactive HE sump system. SWMU Nos. 16-005(g) and (h) are the dosing chamber and distribution box for the TA-16-272 septic system; all three are considered one system and are addressed as 16-005(f).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-005(a)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 460	TA-16-161
16-005(b)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 458 399	TA-16-174
16-005(c)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 461	TA-16-176
16-005(d)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 238 246	TA-16-177
16-005(e)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 462	TA-16-179

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
(continued)

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-005(f)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 12 : 80 104	TA-16-272
16-005(g)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 12 : 178-180	TA-16-393
16-005(h)	**		Tsk 14 : 463 451	TA-16-431
16-005(i)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 12 : 105 106	TA-16-486
16-005(j)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 376 377	TA-16-504
	TA24-2-S/UST-I-HW/RW			
16-005(k)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 411 464	TA-16-1132
16-005(l)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 407 468	TA-16-1137
16-005(m)	TA24-2-S/UST-I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 389	TA-16-507
	TA16-2-S-A/I-HW			
16-005(n)	**	16.030	Tsk 13 : 245	TA-16-173
16-005(o)	**		Tsk 14 : 452 465	TA-16-420

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following are active and inactive septic systems in TA-16:

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	CONSTRUCTED	STATUS	CAPACITY	DIMENSIONS/CONSTRUCTION	EID NO.
16-006(a)	TA-16-175	1946	active	500 gal	10' x 6' x 4'6"/reinforced concrete	LA-38
16-006(b)	TA-16-178	1952	active	380 gal		LA-39
16-006(c)	TA-16-371	1953	active	1,216 gal		LA-24
16-006(d)	TA-16-381	1952	active	540 gal		LA-25
16-006(e)	TA-16-385	1963	active	385 gal	steel	LA-26
16-006(f)	TA-16-1153	1987	active	1,000 gal		
16-006(g)	TA-16-527	1944	inactive	1,500 gal	10' x 6' x 4'6"	
16-006(h)	TA-16-526	1945	unknown	unknown	6' x 6' x 6'6"	
16-006(i)	TA-16-00	?	active	1,000 gal		

Of the active septic systems, TA-16-178, -371, and -381 overflow to leach fields and TA-16-175 and -385 overflow to drain lines. The active systems appear to be operating properly. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that a septic system and drainage system may have served TA-16-24 and -490. It also indicates that the capacity of TA-16-381 is 450 gallons. TA-16-00 serves Building 370 and overflows to a seepage bed.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of domestic sewage and industrial waste. In November 1988, TA-16-175 and -385 were sampled. The results of the analyses indicated that volatiles were present and EP Toxic metals were below detection limits. Tank TA-16-527 may have handled liquids containing HE residues. There is no information on TA-16-526.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether any of these septic systems have caused a hazardous waste release. Outfalls are associated with tanks TA-16-175, -178, -385, and -371.

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 16-006(a) and (g) are decommissioned and are now addressed as SWMU Nos. 16-005(n) and (o), respectively.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-006(a)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.030	Tsk 14 : 400 459	TA-16-175
16-006(b)	**	? 16.030	Tsk 14 : 398 457	TA-16-178
16-006(c)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.030	Tsk 12 : 98 108	TA-16-371
16-006(d)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.030	Tsk 12 : 111 110	TA-16-381
16-006(e)	**		Tsk 12 : 89 107	TA-16-385
16-006(f)	**		Tsk 12 : 99 109	TA-16-1153
16-006(g)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.030	Tsk 13 : 392	TA-16-527
16-006(h)	TA25-2-CA/ST-1-HW	? 16.030	Tsk 13 : 396	TA-16-526
16-006(i)	**			TA-16-00
16-006(misc)	**	16.062	Tsk 13 : 374 375	

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
 ** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT
 UNIT USE : STORAGE/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : LATE 1940s - 1970s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

There were four ponds [16-007(a)] to the northeast of explosives machining buildings TA-16-30, -31, -32, -33, and -34. Aerial photos from the 1940's show the ponds full of liquid. The drains from the explosives machining buildings connected to the ponds. The ME was removed before the ponds were filled and the area was graded. The buildings have also been decommissioned. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that in 1970, floor drains in TA-16-89 through -93 emptied into a small earth pond [16-007(b)] west of the buildings. The pond is no longer in place.

WASTE INFORMATION

The ponds are believed to have received ME contaminated liquid and radioactive materials.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The pond contents were removed before the ponds were filled and graded. There is no evidence that a hazardous waste release occurred while the ponds were active. Eight sediment and three water samples were collected from the four ponds northeast of TA-16-30 through -34 as part of Environmental Problem #24 of the DOE Environmental Survey. Of the eight sediment samples that were screened for gamma radiation, four indicated the presence of Cs-137 and all samples had natural activities. No gamma, gross alpha or gross beta activities were detected.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-007(a)	TA16-3-SI-A/I-HW	16.006 16.001- 16.004	Tsk 13 : 248-251	TA-16-30, -31, -32, -33, -34
16-007(b)	**		Tsk 13 : 252	NEAR TA-16-89 THROUGH -93

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED	: HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT		: RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: STORAGE/DISPOSAL/TREATMENT		: MIXED WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: EST. 1940s - 1980s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

An inactive, unlined pond [16-008(a)] received liquid waste from process buildings TA-16-89, -90, -91. The pond was approximately 100' x 250'. Remains of the pond were documented in the RFA. There was a hypalon-lined pond [16-008(b)] at the TA-16 burning ground. According to the RFA, the pond was 60' x 35' x 4'. The pond received liquid from two filtration beds to the south of the pond. To reduce the barium nitrate level in the pond, liquid sodium sulfate was added on one occasion to precipitate barium as barium sulfate. When barium nitrate levels had been reduced to less than 100 ppm, the liquid was discharged to an outfall. A closure plan has been approved by the state and closure will be completed in June, 1990 in accordance with the approved plan.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste in the unlined pond may have consisted of HE, including barium and chemicals used in electroplating operations. Samples of the unlined pond sludge did not contain high levels of HE. The sludge in the lined pond contained barium sulfate, barium nitrate, and HE residue.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no evidence of hazardous releases from the inactive process building pond. Sampling indicates that there has been no release below the liner. The lined pond discharged to an outfall. The receiving canyon below the outfall was sampled for barium on February 11, 1987. Analytical results indicate barium concentrations in the soil of 26 mg/l at 3 feet below the outfall, 6.6 mg/l at 10 feet below the outfall, and 2.7 mg/l at 40 feet below the outfall. The background for barium in soil near the outfall is 0.8 mg/l. As part of Environmental Problem #24 of the DOE Environmental Survey, three soil samples were collected from the unlined drainage pond below the TA-16-93 plating shop. Gamma screens indicated the presence of Cs-137 and natural activities in all three samples.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-008(a)	TA16-3-SI-A/I-HW	16.005	Task 13 : 247 252	TA-16-89, -90, -91
16-008(b)	TA16-3-SI-A/I-HW	16.019	Task 12 : 120	TA-16-392

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OPEN BURNING
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1940s - 1960s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A 1948 engineering drawing (ENG-R134) indicates a burn area at S25+50, W62+50. The decommissioned burn area was located approximately 200' northwest of TA-16-54. No information regarding the decommissioning of the area is available.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consisted of HE, some of which contained barium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is suspected that barium was released.

NOTES

SWMU No. 16-009(b) was a burn area that was part of NDA-R; this unit is addressed as SWMU No. 16-019.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-009(a)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.031	Task 12 : 159	NEAR TA-16-54
16-009(b)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.033	Task 12 : 160 161 167	NEAR TA-16-260

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OPEN BURNING
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

TA-16 appears to have had a HE burning ground at the present location since the beginning of operations in the technical area. A 1948 topographic map shows what appears to be a burning ground with two burn pads located at the present burn site. Equipment contaminated with HE and waste HE are burned at this area. The following table includes many of the structures associated with this burning ground:

SUMU NO.	STRUCTURE	TYPE	BUILT	DIMENSIONS	CURRENT USE
16-010(a)	TA-16-386	burning area	1951	100' x 100'	storage area
16-010(b)	TA-16-387	burning area	1951	100' x 100'	flash pad
16-010(c)	TA-16-388	burning slab	1951	12' x 20'	burn table (4' x 16')
16-010(d)	TA-16-399	burning slab	1951	20' x 20'	burn table (4' x 16')
16-010(e)	TA-16-401	pressure filter tank	1961	8' dia x 10' high, steel	same
16-010(f)	TA-16-406	pressure filter tank	1965	8' dia x 10' high, steel	same
16-010(g)	TA-16-228	filter/treatment unit	1988		wastewater treatment
16-010(h)	TA-16-390	basket wash facility	1951		equipment storage
16-010(i)	TA-16-392	filter bed	1951		burning pad (inactive)
16-010(j)	TA-16-394	filter bed	1951	12' x 12' x 1'	open burning tray
16-010(k)	TA-16-1129	trough	1951		inactive
16-010(l)	TA-16-1134	trough	1951		inactive
16-010(m)	TA-16-1135	trough	1951		inactive
16-010(n)	TA-16-1136	trough			inactive

Several processes for HE treatment and disposal are conducted at the burning grounds: 1) Equipment contaminated with HE is flashed at the flash pad, TA-16-387. The pad consists of a layer of sand several inches thick over a soil surface. In the past, the items that required disposal by flashing were disposed of at MDA-P. 2) Waste HE is disposed of at burn tables, TA-16-388 and -399. These tables, which were constructed near former burning slabs, are about 2' above the ground and hold burn trays that are about 4' x 16' in size. 3) HE sludge is processed through pressure filter tanks TA-16-401 and -406. These tanks are cone shaped steel containers with a surface layer of sand overlying layers of fine and coarse gravel. The sludge is dried and then burned in the tanks. Approximately 750 pounds of sludge can be burned at one time. Recently (1988) a carbon filter treatment unit, TA-16-228, was installed to treat wastewater draining from the tanks. 4) Oil contaminated with solvents is burned at TA-16-394. This structure was modified from a filter bed and now consists of a 12' x 12' x 1' metal tray filled with 6 to 8 inches of sand. This tray contains four shallow steel pans that are lined with fire bricks onto which the contaminated oil is poured and ignited. The following disposal units were used in the past in the burning grounds, but are not currently active: 1) The basket washing facility, TA-16-390, was operated from 1951-1961. The HE residues in the washwater went into floor drains in this building to filter beds TA-16-392, -393, and -394 via troughs TA-16-1129, -1134, -1135, and -1136. After drying in the filter beds, the sludge was burned. About 400 pounds of HE could be burned in one day. The filter bed sand was raked after the initial burning and the raked material was taken to the scrap HE burning pit and reburned. Filter bed TA-16-393 was taken to TA-54 for disposal in 1965. 2) Uranium contaminated objects were also burned at this area at one time. Filter bed TA-16-392 was modified to a pad for this purpose.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of HE residues containing barium and a small amount of uranium that was used in some of the burns conducted in the past.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown the extent to which these areas may have caused a release of hazardous waste.

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-010(a)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.015 16.009	Tsk 12 : 163	TA-16-386
16-010(b)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.032 16.008	Tsk 12 : 164	TA-16-387
16-010(c)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.016	Tsk 12 : 165 84	TA-16-388
16-010(d)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.033	Tsk 12 : 166	TA-16-399
16-010(e)	**	16.017 16.051	Tsk 12 : 187 87	TA-16-401
16-010(f)	**	16.018	Tsk 12 : 188	TA-16-406
16-010(g)	**		Tsk 12 : 182	TA-16-228
16-010(h)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	? 16.037	Tsk 12 : 176	TA-16-390
16-010(i)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.031	Tsk 12 : 177 85	TA-16-392
16-010(j)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.020 16.021 ? 16.032	Tsk 12 : 181 86 177	TA-16-394
16-010(k)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 183	TA-16-1129
16-010(l)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 184	TA-16-1134
16-010(m)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 185	TA-16-1135
16-010(n)	TA16-4-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 186	TA-16-1136

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
 ** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : INCINERATOR
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE/ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

An incinerator, TA-16-412, was used to burn HE-contaminated paper and rags at TA-16. It was built in 1962. It is a cage-type unit with a basement pit and measures approximately 20' x 20'. This incinerator replaced TA-16-403, a decommissioned incinerator (see 16-023). Incinerator TA-16-412 has been replaced by incinerator TA-16-1409 at the burning ground, which is currently active. The active incinerator consists of primary and secondary combustion chambers and a settling chamber. Trash is loaded into the primary chamber by a front-end loader, and the burn cycle is initiated. After two to three weeks of burning, the ash is removed, placed on the scrap metal pile and transferred by HSE-7. Each 810-pound burn produces approximately two cubic feet of ash. Up to four burns may occur each day.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste presently incinerated is paper and rags contaminated with HE. Barium is not suspected to be present. HE contaminated oil/solvents may be burned in TA-16-1409 with approval; however, they are currently open-burned at TA-16-293 and -294.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Emissions from the present incinerator conform to federal and state standards when operated at manufacturer-specified conditions, and consist of combustion products.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-011	TA16-6-IN-A-MW	16.011	Tsk 14 : 624 627	TA-16-412, -1409

EXPLANATION
16-001 SWMU LOCATION

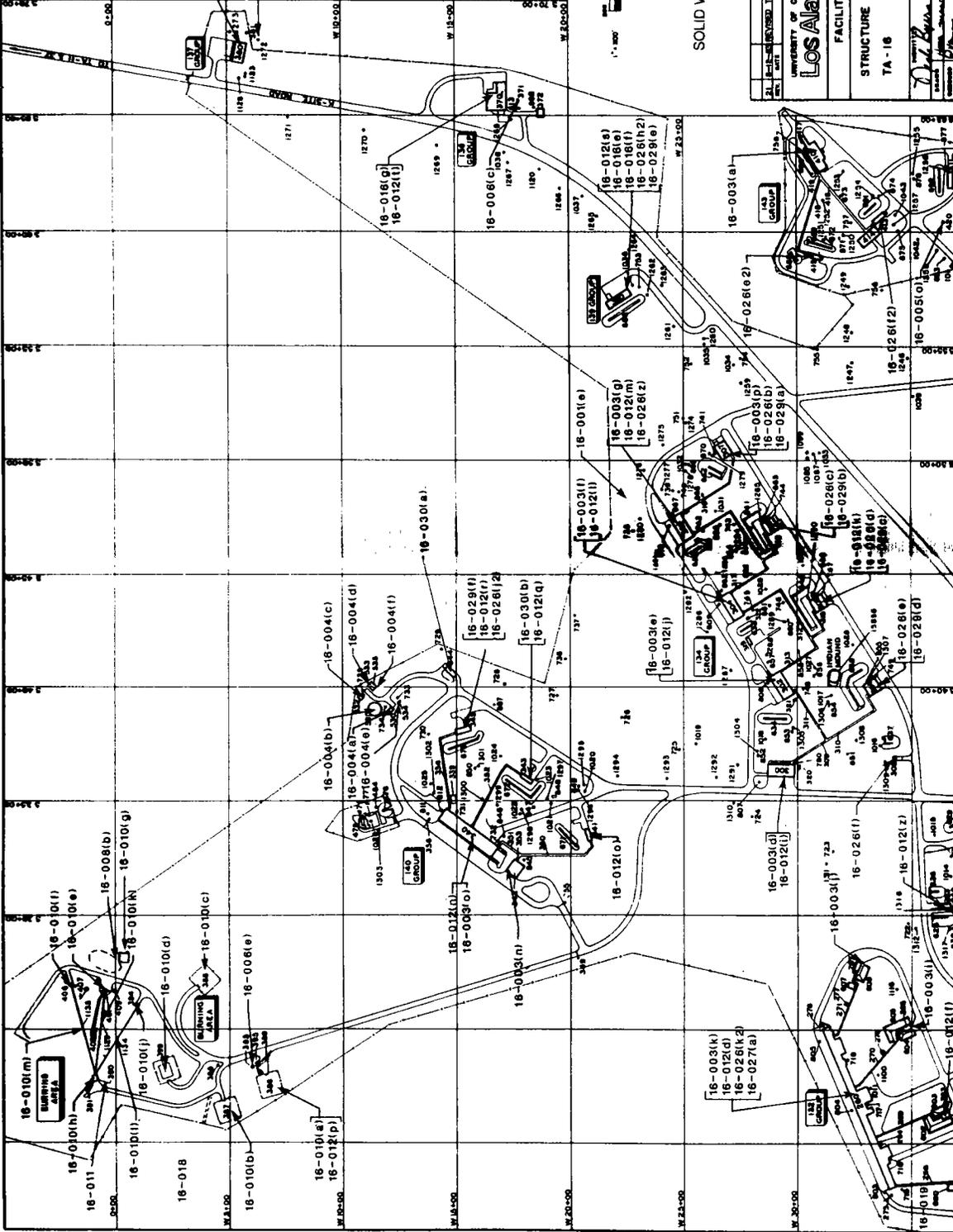
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NOTES
16-018 LOCATION OF MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA (MDA) P
16-008(b) APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF IMPOUNDMENT
APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF FILTER/TREATMENT UNIT



FIGURE 16-2
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-16
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FACILITIES ENGINEERING DIVISION	
STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN	
TA-16	
S-SITE	
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SCALE: AS SHOWN	PROJECT: 16-001
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16-001 SWMU LOCATION

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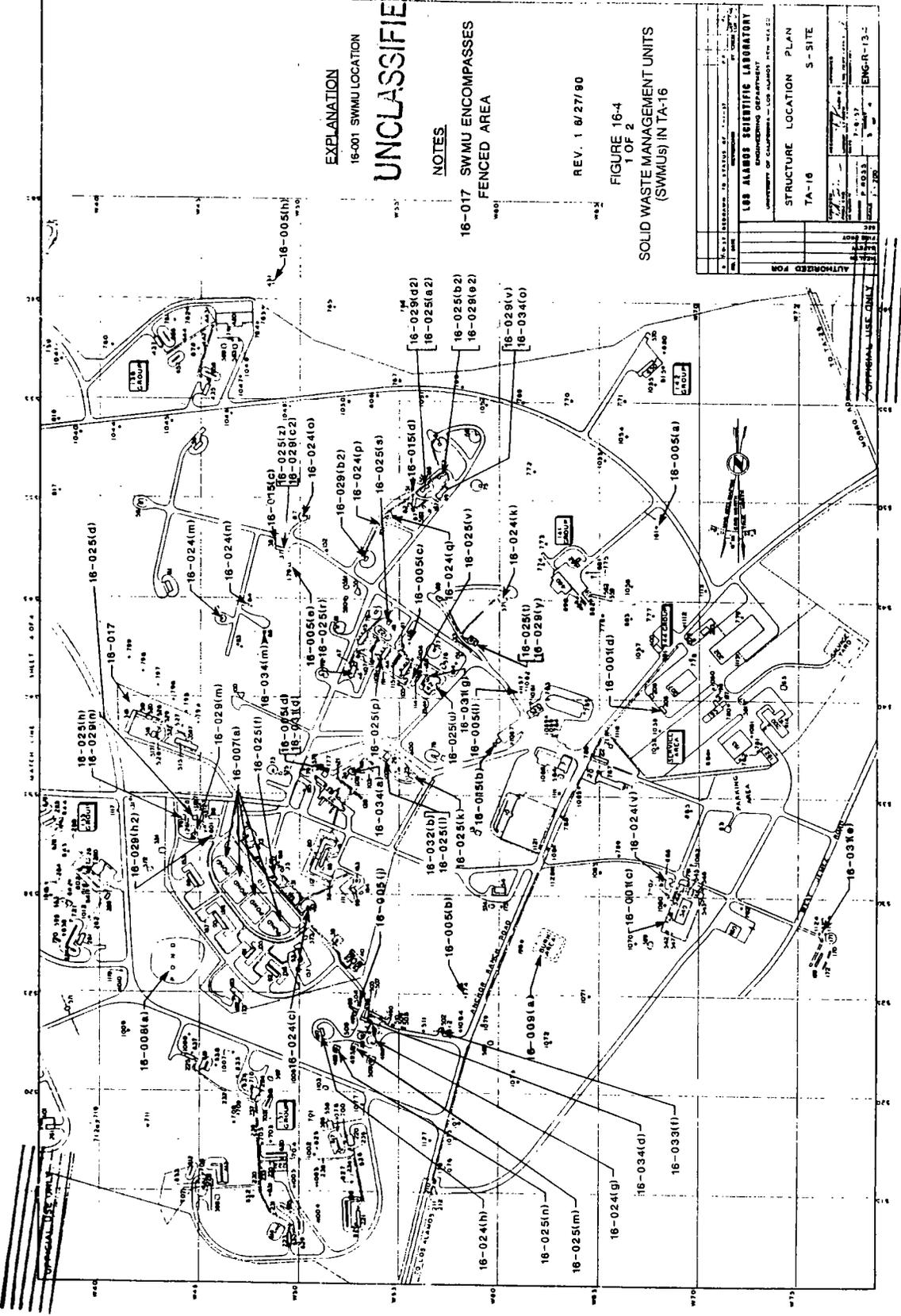
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FENCED AREA

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FIGURE 16-4
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SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUS) IN TA-16

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ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT	
STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN	
TA-16	
S-SITE	
DATE	1990
BY	ENG-R-13
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EXPLANATION

- 010 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBER (SEE APPENDIX A)
- 16-001 SWMU LOCATION

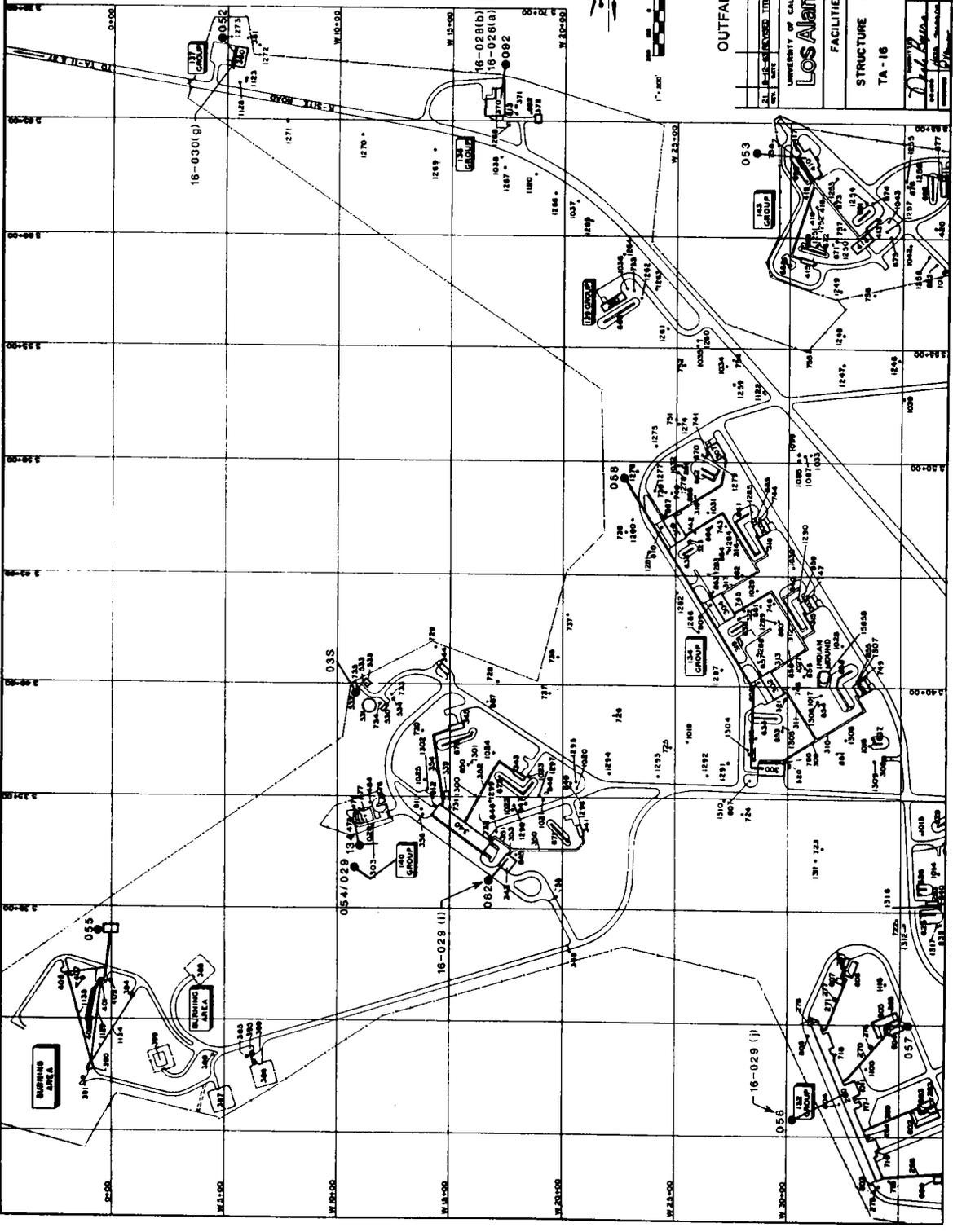


FIGURE 16-8
OUTFALL LOCATIONS IN TA-16
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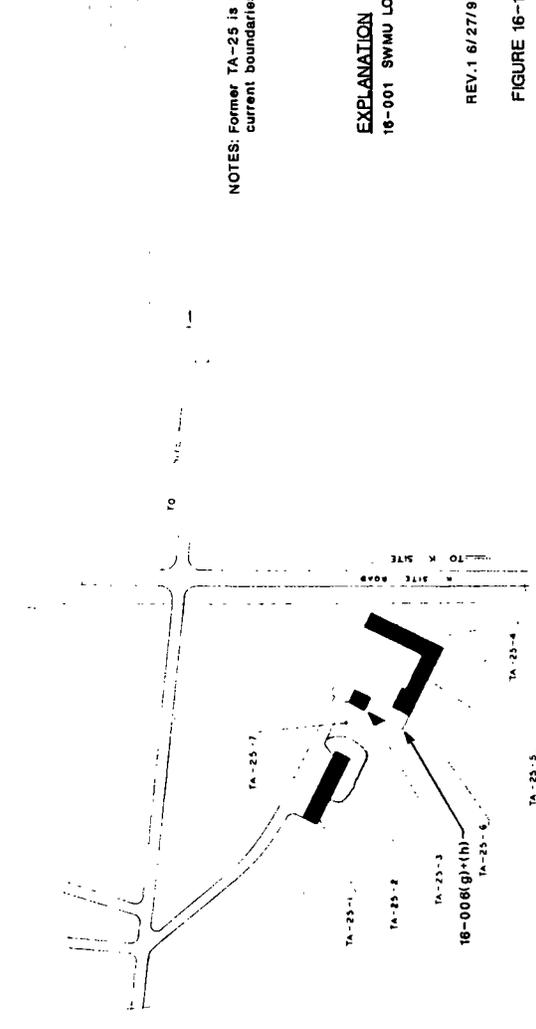
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 TA-16

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 CHECKED BY: J. W. I.
 APPROVED BY: J. W. I.
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STOCK ITEM NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT
TA-25-1	ADVISORY SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-2	ADVISORY SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-3	EQUIPMENT SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-4	WARNING SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-5	WARNING SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-6	WARNING SIGN	1	EA
TA-25-7	TANK STAND	1	EA



NOTES: Former TA-25 is within the current boundaries of TA-16

EXPLANATION
18-001 SWMU LOCATION

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FIGURE 16-10
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-16

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
TA-25

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SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table includes active container storage areas at TA-16.

STRUCTURE	SWMU NO.	TYPE OF STORAGE	STRUCTURE	SWMU NO.	TYPE OF STORAGE
TA-16-221	16-012(a)	rest house	TA-16-341	16-012(o)	rest house
TA-16-223	16-012(b)	rest house	TA-16-386	16-012(p)	<90 day
TA-16-225	16-012(c)	rest house	TA-16-343	16-012(q)	rest house
TA-16-260	16-012(d)	satellite	TA-16-345	16-012(r)	rest house
TA-16-261	16-012(e)	rest house	TA-16-360	16-012(s)	rest house
TA-16-263	16-012(f)	rest house	TA-16-370	16-012(t)	satellite
TA-16-281	16-012(g)	rest house	TA-16-430	16-012(u)	satellite
TA-16-285	16-012(h)	rest house	TA-16-435	16-012(v)	rest house
TA-16-300	16-012(i)	satellite	TA-16-437	16-012(w)	rest house
TA-16-302	16-012(j)	satellite	TA-16-460	16-012(x)	satellite
TA-16-303	16-012(k)	rest house	TA-16-463	16-012(y)	rest house
TA-16-304	16-012(l)	satellite	TA-16-283	16-012(z)	rest house
TA-16-306	16-012(m)	satellite	TA-16-88	16-012(a2)	<90 day
TA-16-340	16-012(n)	satellite			

A rest house is a transfer and temporary storage area for HE materials in between operations; most material in the rest houses is product.

WASTE INFORMATION

The containers, depending on the location, store spent solvents, HE-contaminated materials, scrap HE, barium nitrate, floor sweepings, and unknown wastes.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases from the active storage areas. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

NOTES

SWMU No. 16-012(z) was formerly SWMU No. 16-013(b).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-012(a)	**		Tsk 13 : 279	TA-16-221
16-012(a2)	**			TA-16-88
16-012(b)	**		Tsk 13 : 280	TA-16-223
16-012(c)	**		Tsk 13 : 281	TA-16-225
16-012(d)	**		Tsk 12 : 132	TA-16-260
16-012(e)	**		Tsk 13 : 268	TA-16-261
16-012(f)	**		Tsk 13 : 269	TA-16-263
16-012(g)	**		Tsk 13 : 272	TA-16-281
16-012(h)	**		Tsk 13 : 274	TA-16-285
16-012(i)	**	? 16.007	Tsk 13 : 278	TA-16-300

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-012(j)	**		Tsk 13 : 270	TA-16-302
16-012(k)	**		Tsk 13 : 271	TA-16-303
16-012(l)	**		Tsk 13 : 286	TA-16-304
16-012(m)	**		Tsk 13 : 285	TA-16-306
16-012(n)	**		Tsk 12 : 126	TA-16-340
16-012(o)	**		Tsk 12 : 127	TA-16-341
16-012(p)	**	16.014		TA-16-386
16-012(q)	**		Tsk 12 : 129	TA-16-343
16-012(r)	**		Tsk 12 : 130	TA-16-345
16-012(s)	**		Tsk 12 : 125	TA-16-360
16-012(t)	**		Tsk 12 : 124	TA-16-370
16-012(u)	**		Tsk 14 : 562	TA-16-430
16-012(v)	**		Tsk 14 : 561	TA-16-435
16-012(w)	**		Tsk 14 : 563	TA-16-437
16-012(x)	**		Tsk 14 : 560	TA-16-460
16-012(y)	**		Tsk 14 : 559	TA-16-463
16-012(z)	**		Tsk 13 : 273	TA-16-283

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The courtyard by TA-16-518, -519, -520 was a container storage area [16-013(a)] that was noted in the CEARP. The drums have been removed and the area is reported to have been cleaned up according to a recent field survey. TA-16-342 was listed in a 1988 printout of the Active Container Storage Area database. It was a satellite storage area for hazardous waste. The storage area is not listed in the 1990 update of the database.

WASTE INFORMATION

The areas near TA-16-518, -519, and -520 stored used solvent, hydraulic fluids, and unknown waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The 1987 CEARP field survey noted that a few of the drums at TA-16-518, -519, and -520 were leaking. The areas have been cleaned up and it is unknown whether hazardous materials remain. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

NOTES

Active waste storage area 16-013(b) has been renumbered to 16-012(z).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-013	TA16-11-CA-A-HW/RW	16.034	Tsk 13 : 282 283 284	TA-16-518, -519, -520

NOTES

This SWMU has been deleted because, according to LANL staff, the Tritium Facility is not currently operational and does not generate waste.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : LAUNDRY
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Structure TA-16-15 [16-015(a)] is listed as a laundry and locker room built in 1945 and removed in 1956. A steam washing house, TA-16-18 [16-015(b)], was also built in 1945, and it was destroyed by burning in 1960. An outfall originated from a drain on the north corner of TA-16-18. It is unknown whether the drainlines were removed with the building. Steam cleaning building TA-16-36 [16-015(c)] was built in 1944 and burned in 1960. Steam cleaning building TA-16-51 [16-015(d)] was built in 1944 and destroyed by burning in 1960. Other cleaning operations may have been present in the early days.

WASTE INFORMATION

Specific waste information is lacking. The waste may have contained HE residues and/or oils and grease.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous constituents were released. The buildings have been decommissioned.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-015(a)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 496	TA-16-15
16-015(b)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 406 649	TA-16-18
16-015(c)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 647	TA-16-36
16-015(d)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 648	TA-16-51

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: LANDFILL		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED/INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1960s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

There are several landfills or surface disposal areas in TA-16. 1) In 1965, a magnetometer survey indicated an area where metal material had been buried [16-016(a)]. The material was located in the old exclusion area of TA-16. The area was excavated and the material was taken to MDA-P. It is possible that other buried material still exists in the area. 2) The 1987 CEARP field survey noted a surface disposal area consisting of broken concrete and debris with an illegible sign posted in front of the disposal area [16-016(b)]. The area is located in an area east of West Jemez Road and northwest of TA-16-540. 3) In the late 1940s, a possible landfill or storage area for barium nitrate may have been located at the site of the present TA-3-386 [16-016(c)]. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that the barium nitrate stockpile is located near TA-16-386 on the edge of Del Valle Canyon, and rain has washed barium into the canyon. 4) A debris area is located near TA-16-222 [16-016(d)]. 5) A white, fibrous mass, ash, and firebrick are located southeast of TA-16-360 [16-016(e)]. 6) An area south of TA-16-360 contains construction debris [16-016(f)]. 7) Scattered debris is located in the canyon south of TA-16-370 [16-016(g)].

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste in the old exclusion area is metal. The CEARP field survey noted concrete and other debris possibly contaminated with HE in a surface disposal area. The possible landfill beneath the present TA-3-386 contains barium nitrate. The waste near TA-16-222 contains general trash, OMPs, and paint cans. The waste near TA-16-360 may contain asbestos. The debris south of TA-16-370 contains cans, pipes, and buckets. According to the Environmental Restoration Release Site Database, all of the surface disposals have the potential to be contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether any of these areas have caused a release of hazardous waste.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-016(a)	TA16-10-L-1-HW		Tsk 12 : 139	
16-016(b)	TA16-10-L-1-HW		Tsk 12 : 133	NEAR TA-16-540
16-016(c)	**		Tsk 12 : 138	TA-16-386, NEAR TA-16-389
16-016(d)	**		Tsk 12 : 134	NEAR TA-16-222
16-016(e)	**		Tsk 12 : 135	NEAR TA-16-360
16-016(f)	**		Tsk 12 : 136	NEAR TA-16-360
16-016(g)	**		Tsk 12 : 137	NEAR TA-16-370

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : BUILDING/STRUCTURE
 UNIT USE : STORAGE/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Approximately 30 buildings in the central portion of TA-16 were part of the World War II HE operations. Most of the buildings are in poor repair and many have been abandoned. None are work areas, although several of the more structurally sound buildings are used as storage facilities. Some of the buildings are contaminated to the extent that recrystallized HE has formed stalactites under the floors. There is a continual threat that detonation will occur as the buildings continue to deteriorate and collapse. Stabilization of the structures is not practical as the operation could endanger workers. A few of these buildings are on the historical preservation list. Any liquid waste handling facilities associated with the structures are believed to be contaminated with HE.

WASTE INFORMATION

The buildings are contaminated with HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the structures have caused a release to the environment.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-017	TA16-12-CA-1-HW	16.036	Tsk 14 : 623	

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: LANDFILL		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: LATE 1940s - 1985		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-P is a 6.71 acre landfill at the edge of Canon de Valle. Materials disposed in MDA-P are the noncombustible debris remaining from burned structures that were HE contaminated. A former detonator burning area is indicated as having been located within MDA-P. The debris consists of residuals of old magazines and explosives buildings from TA-6-9, -11, and -16. Other waste includes ashes from the incinerator, items suspected of being HE contaminated, chemical bottles and buckets, and general trash. Although a major portion of MDA-P has been covered with soil and leveled, some debris has fallen into the canyon bottom and the material on the edge of the filled area is still uncovered. A closure plan has been submitted to NMEID for MDA-P.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of HE-contaminated building debris containing barium, lead, and chemicals. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database suggests that radioactive waste may also have been disposed.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Debris from MDA-P has fallen into the canyon. A culvert draining runoff water from a waste explosive burning pad was directed across the top of the site and caused erosion and subsidence in 1985. It is currently directed around the edge. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database and DOE Environmental Survey indicate that soil samples collected from MDA-P contained EP toxic barium. The samples analysis was a result of DOE Environmental Survey Environmental Problem #22.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-018	MDA-P	16.028	Tsk 12 : 140 162	MDA-P

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: LANDFILL		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1940s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

In the 1940s, an area in the northern part of TA-16 was used as a burning ground for waste explosives prior to the construction of the present burn site. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that two pits are visible on a 1948 topographical map, and that the burning ground was bulldozed into the canyon in the 1950s. The site was abandoned and during the construction of the 132-group buildings, grading of the surface caused soil to be pushed into the canyon. This area is known as MDA-R. It is about 2.27 acres in extent. Information regarding this area is lacking, but there is no evidence that the site was ever used for the disposal of objects or debris. The surface has not been disturbed for many years.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of HE burn residues, possibly containing barium. During early years of operation, uranium and lead were suspected to have been used.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether there has been a release from this site.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-019	MDA-R		Tsk 12 : 141	MDA-R

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SILVER RECOVERY		HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: RECYCLING/DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1960s - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

For many years, an X-ray film processing laboratory has been operating in TA-16-222. Currently, liquids are treated for silver recovery before being released to an outfall (EPA06A073; see Appendix A). Prior to 1979, the liquids were discharged directly to the environment.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste discharged prior to 1979 was spent photo processing solutions and associated silver. Currently, the solutions are treated by the silver recovery unit prior to discharge.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Hazardous releases occurred to the outfall region before the silver recovery unit was put into service. A LANL report indicates the presence of silver concentrations up to 45,000 ppm in the soil at the outfall and above-background concentrations up to 450 meters from the outfall.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-020	TA16-5-0/CA-A/1-HW/RW	16.039	Tsk 12 : 81	TA-16-222

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: OPERATIONAL RELEASE		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE/ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1950s - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

A plating operation was located at TA-16-450 [16-021(a)]. The building was constructed between 1951 and 1953. Spent liquids are believed to have been discharged to a drainage east of the facility. A hydraulic press located in an equipment pit 5' below the floor in TA-16-430 leaks oil through the pit drain [16-021(b)]. For over 30 years, TA-16-260 [16-021(c)] was used for machining explosives, some of which contained barium nitrate. An outfall discharged wastewater from floor drains.

WASTE INFORMATION

The wastewater from the plating operation probably contained cyanide and sodium hydroxide. The TA-16-430 pit drain receives hydraulic oil. Wastewater from TA-16-260 contained barium nitrate.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is suspected that the TA-16-450 discharge contained hazardous constituents. The pit drain at TA-16-430 discharges directly to an outfall south of the building. The soil around the TA-16-260 outfall is bleached and the vegetation in the area appears stressed.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-021(a)	**			TA-16-450
16-021(b)	**			TA-16-430

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16 MATERIALS MANAGED : FUEL
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1984 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

UNIT INFORMATION

Two underground storage tanks were found to have leaks during a volumetric testing program. TA-16-205 [16-022(a)] is a steel tank with a capacity of 560 gallons, a diameter of 4', and a length of 6'. It was installed in 1984. When tested, the tank had a loss rate of >10 gallons/hour. The second tank, TA-16-197 [16-022(b)], is listed as having a capacity of 4,000 gallons. It also failed a volumetric test. Tank TA-16-197 is schedule to be removed in 1990. Both tanks were excavated, repaired, and passed a second volumetric test.

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-16-205 stores diesel, and TA-16-197 stores unleaded gasoline. Previously, TA-16-197 stored leaded gasoline.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The tanks have released diesel and gasoline to the surrounding soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-022(a)	**		Tsk 14 : 665	TA-16-205
16-022(b)	**		Tsk 14 : 658	TA-16-197

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : INCINERATOR
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

An incinerator, TA-16-199 [16-023(a)], was apparently used in the late 1950s. It had been removed by 1961. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that the incinerator operated from 1961 to 1967 and was removed in 1968. It gives dimensions of 9' x 10' x 17'2" and describes the incinerator as a cage attached to the east wall of TA-16-43. The incinerator was replaced by TA-16-412 (see 16-011). Another incinerator, TA-16-403 [16-023(b)] was constructed of steel wire cloth on a steel frame. It was used from 1961 to 1962. This incinerator was removed in 1967.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consisted of HE-contaminated paper and rags.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no evidence that hazardous releases occurred from these incinerators.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-023(a)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 625	TA-16-199
16-023(b)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 626	TA-16-403

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1960s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

It is possible that during the operation and decommissioning of the following magazines, the soil beneath them became contaminated. The magazines were flash-burned prior to demolition, due to health and safety concerns.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DATE OF REMOVAL	SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DATE OF REMOVAL
16-024(a)	TA-16-488	1951	16-024(l)	TA-16-72	1960
16-024(b)	TA-16-74	1960	16-024(m)	TA-16-66	1960
16-024(c)	TA-16-30	1960	16-024(n)	TA-16-84	1960
16-024(d)	TA-16-34	1960	16-024(o)	TA-16-67	1960
16-024(e)	TA-16-33	1960	16-024(p)	TA-16-70	1960
16-024(f)	TA-16-493	1960	16-024(q)	TA-16-71	1960
16-024(g)	TA-16-494	1960	16-024(r)	TA-16-68	1960
16-024(h)	TA-16-497	1960	16-024(s)	TA-16-60	1960
16-024(i)	TA-16-64	1951	16-024(t)	TA-16-424	1966
16-024(j)	TA-16-65	1951	16-024(u)	TA-16-481	1951
16-024(k)	TA-16-57	1960	16-024(v)	TA-16-62	1968

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE. TA-16-497 may have had depleted uranium, Strontium-90, and barium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the contaminated magazines released hazardous waste to the soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-024(a)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 12 : 131	TA-16-488
16-024(b)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 275	TA-16-74
16-024(c)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 276	TA-16-30
16-024(d)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 277	TA-16-34
16-024(e)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 326	TA-16-33
16-024(f)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 384	TA-16-493
16-024(g)	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 385	TA-16-494
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-024(h)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 387	TA-16-497
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-024(i)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 547	TA-16-64
16-024(j)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 548	TA-16-65
16-024(k)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 549	TA-16-57
16-024(l)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 550	TA-16-72
16-024(m)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 551	TA-16-66
16-024(n)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 552	TA-16-84
16-024(o)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 553	TA-16-67
16-024(p)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 554	TA-16-70
16-024(q)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 555	TA-16-71

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-024(r)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 556	TA-16-68
16-024(s)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 557	TA-16-60
16-024(t)	**		Tsk 14 : 558	TA-16-424
16-024(u)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 12 : 60	TA-16-481
16-024(v)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 542	TA-16-62

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1960s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

It is possible that, during the operation and decommissioning of the following HE facilities, the soil beneath the buildings became contaminated. The facilities were flash-burned prior to demolition due to health and safety concerns.

SMMU NO.	STRUCTURE NO.	REMOVED	BUILDING OPERATION
16-025(a)	TA-16-39	1966	radiograph
16-025(b)	TA-16-40	1966	radiograph
16-025(c)	TA-16-35	1960	equipment room
16-025(d)	TA-16-94	1960	equipment and control
16-025(e)	TA-16-31	1961	HE machining
16-025(f)	TA-16-32	1960	HE machining
16-025(g)	TA-16-95	1960	HE machining
16-025(h)	TA-16-96	1960	HE machining
16-025(i)	TA-16-97	1960	HE machining
16-025(j)	TA-16-98	1960	HE machining
16-025(k)	TA-16-25	1961	HE casting and electroplating
16-025(l)	TA-16-26	1968	HE casting
16-025(m)	TA-16-495	1960	X-ray hutment
16-025(n)	TA-16-499	1960	X-ray hutment
16-025(o)	TA-16-500	1960	X-ray hutment
16-025(p)	TA-16-44	1960	physical inspection
16-025(q)	TA-16-45	1960	X-ray building
16-025(r)	TA-16-46	1960	in-process storage
16-025(s)	TA-16-48	1960	smoking room
16-025(t)	TA-16-38	1960	equipment casting
16-025(u)	TA-16-42	1960	melting and casting
16-025(v)	TA-16-43	1960	casting
16-025(w)	TA-16-81	1960	nitrocellulose drying
16-025(x)	TA-16-100	1960	HE process
16-025(y)	TA-16-55	1960	HE grinding
16-025(z)	TA-16-37	1960	explosives testing
16-025(a2)	TA-16-50	1960	experimental casting
16-025(b2)	TA-16-52	1960	HE casting
16-025(c2)	TA-16-56	1960	HE testing lab
16-025(d2)	TA-16-480	1951	firing chamber
16-025(e2)	TA-16-106	1949	HE storage
16-025(f2)	TA-16-107	1950	HE storage
16-025(g2)	TA-16-108	1950	HE storage
16-025(h2)	TA-16-109	1950	HE storage

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE. TA-16-495 and -39 may have used radioactive materials in addition to HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the buildings have caused a release to the soil. LANL personnel indicated that soils were excavated and removed until a concentration of 0.5% HE was reached.

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-025(a)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 255	TA-16-39
16-025(a2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 619	TA-16-50
16-025(b)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 256	TA-16-40
16-025(b2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 620	TA-16-52
16-025(c)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 257	TA-16-35
16-025(c2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 621	TA-16-56
16-025(d)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 258	TA-16-94
16-025(d2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 12 : 63	TA-16-480
16-025(e)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 324	TA-16-31
16-025(e2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 543	TA-16-106
16-025(f)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 325	TA-16-32
16-025(f2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 544	TA-16-107
16-025(g)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 327	TA-16-95
16-025(g2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 545	TA-16-108
16-025(h)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 328	TA-16-96
16-025(h2)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 546	TA-16-109
16-025(i)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 329	TA-16-97
16-025(j)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 330	TA-16-98
16-025(k)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 331	TA-16-25
16-025(l)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 332	TA-16-26
16-025(m)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 379	TA-16-495
	TA24-1-CA-1-HW/RW			
16-025(n)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 380	TA-16-499
	TA24-1-CA-1-HW/RW			
16-025(o)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 13 : 381	TA-16-500
	TA24-1-CA-1-HW/RW			
16-025(p)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 507	TA-16-44
16-025(q)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 508	TA-16-45
16-025(r)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 537	TA-16-46
16-025(s)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 538	TA-16-48
16-025(t)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 612	TA-16-38
16-025(u)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 613	TA-16-42
16-025(v)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 614	TA-16-43
16-025(w)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 615	TA-16-81
16-025(x)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 616	TA-16-100
16-025(y)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 617	TA-16-55
16-025(z)	TA16-1-CA-1-HW		Tsk 14 : 618	TA-16-37

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: OUTFALL		MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SOLID WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1940s - 1980s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table lists inactive outfalls resulting from building drains in TA-16.

SWMJ NO.	STRUCTURE NO.	BUILDING DRAIN LOCATION	OUTFALL LOCATION
16-026(a)	TA-16-370	east/south sides	Water Canyon
16-026(b)	TA-16-307	north side	Water Canyon
16-026(c)	TA-16-305	northeast side	Water Canyon
16-026(d)	TA-16-303	south side	Water Canyon
16-026(e)	TA-16-301	south side	Water Canyon
16-026(f)	TA-16-308	northeast/east sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(g)	TA-16-280	northeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(h)	TA-16-281	northeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(i)	TA-16-224	northeast/northwest sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(j)	TA-16-226	south/southwest sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(k)	TA-16-221	northeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(l)	TA-16-220	northeast/southeast/south sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(m)	TA-16-92	east side	Valle Canyon
16-026(n)	TA-16-91	east/southeast sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(o)	TA-16-90	northeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(p)	TA-16-89	southeast/northeast sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(q)	TA-16-27	north/south sides	Valle Canyon
16-026(r)	TA-16-180	south side	Valle Canyon
16-026(s)	TA-16-5	northeast side	unknown
16-026(t)	TA-16-207	east side	Water Canyon
16-026(u)	TA-16-195	southeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(v)	TA-16-460	EPA05A072	Water Canyon
16-026(w)	TA-16-45	unknown	Water Canyon
16-026(x)	TA-16-437	south side	Water Canyon
16-026(y)	TA-16-411	east side	Water Canyon
16-026(z)	TA-16-306	south side	Water Canyon
16-026(a2)	TA-16-200	southeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(b2)	TA-16-202	northeast side	Water Canyon
16-026(c2)	TA-16-462	southeast side	Water Canyon
16-026(d2)	TA-16-435	northeast side	Water Canyon
16-026(e2)	TA-16-415	north side	Water Canyon
16-026(f2)	TA-16-413	north side	Water Canyon
16-026(g2)	TA-16-285	southeast side	Valle Canyon
16-026(h2)	TA-16-360	west/east/north/south sides	Water Canyon
16-026(i2)	TA-16-54	unknown	Valle Canyon
16-026(j2)	TA-16-345	north side	Water Canyon
16-026(k2)	TA-16-260	north/south sides	Water Canyon

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WASTE INFORMATION

The building drains from TA-16-437, -411, -415, -285, -435, -221, and -281 received compressor condensate. Building drains from TA-16-303, -308, -345, -260, and -27 received HE and barium. Outfalls from TA-16-224, -226, and -220 may have contained HE and radionuclides. Outfalls from TA-16-92, -90, -91, and -89 may have contained barium in addition to HE and radionuclides. The following table summarizes waste constituents in the remaining outfalls:

BUILDING	WASTE TYPE
TA-16-370	barium, metals, solvents
TA-16-307	solvents, HE
TA-16-5	oils, solvents
TA-16-305	HE, barium, solvents
TA-16-301	solvents, HE, barium
TA-16-180	oil, grease, unknown
TA-16-207	uranium
TA-16-460	HE, barium, mercury, solvents
TA-16-360	possible HE, unknown
TA-16-45	HE, silver, barium, lead, Radium-226, -228
TA-16-462	solvents
TA-16-200	unknown
TA-16-54	barium nitrate

RELEASE INFORMATION

The extent to which the outfalls may have caused a release of hazardous waste is unknown.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-026(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 95 96 97	TA-16-370
16-026(a2)	**		Tsk 14 : 414	TA-16-200
16-026(b)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 193 194 192	TA-16-307
16-026(b2)	**		Tsk 14 : 416	TA-16-202
16-026(c)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 195 197	TA-16-305
16-026(c2)	**		Tsk 14 : 423	TA-16-462
16-026(d)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 198 200	TA-16-303
16-026(d2)	**		Tsk 14 : 440	TA-16-435
16-026(e)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 201 203	TA-16-301
16-026(e2)	**		Tsk 14 : 453	TA-16-415
16-026(f)	**		Tsk 13 : 204 205	TA-16-308
16-026(f2)	**		Tsk 14 : 454	TA-16-413
16-026(g)	**	16.057	Tsk 13 : 210 211	TA-16-280
16-026(g2)	**		Tsk 13 : 206	TA-16-285
16-026(h)	**		Tsk 13 : 207 212	TA-16-281
16-026(h2)	**		Tsk 12 : 91 92 93	TA-16-360
16-026(i)	**		Tsk 13 : 214 215	TA-16-224
16-026(i2)	**		Tsk 13 : 207	TA-16-283
16-026(j)	**		Tsk 13 : 216 217	TA-16-226
16-026(j2)	**		Tsk 12 : 73	TA-16-345
16-026(k)	**		Tsk 13 : 219	TA-16-221
16-026(k2)	**		Tsk 12 : 78	TA-16-260
16-026(l)	**		Tsk 13 : 220 221 222	TA-16-220
16-026(m)	**		Tsk 13 : 227	TA-16-92
16-026(n)	**		Tsk 13 : 228	TA-16-91
16-026(o)	**		Tsk 13 : 229 230	TA-16-90
16-026(p)	**		Tsk 13 : 231 232	TA-16-89
16-026(q)	**		Tsk 13 : 235 236 237	TA-16-27
16-026(r)	**		Tsk 14 : 402 403	TA-16-180
16-026(s)	**		Tsk 14 : 405	TA-16-5
16-026(t)	**		Tsk 14 : 410	TA-16-207
16-026(u)	**		Tsk 14 : 412 413	TA-16-195
16-026(v)	**	16.060	Tsk 14 : 418-422	TA-16-460

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-026(w)	**		Tsk 14 : 425	TA-16-45
16-026(x)	**		Tsk 14 : 441	TA-16-437
16-026(y)	**		Tsk 14 : 455	TA-16-411
16-026(z)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 191 192	TA-16-306

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: OPERATIONAL RELEASE		PCBs
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1950s - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

The following is a list of transformers with a documented history of leaks.

SWMU NO.	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
16-027(a)	TA-16-260, Rm 110	This transformer is listed as having a moderate leak. It contains 100-500 gallons of PCB dielectric oil. PCB ID #5608. It is 31-35 years old.
16-027(b)	TA-16-540	The transformer is located on the second floor of the building. It contains 100-500 gallons of PCB dielectric oil and vents to the inside of the building. It is listed as having a moderate leak. PCB ID #5020. It is 31-35 years old.
16-027(c)	TA-16-563	The transformer contains 100-500 gallons of 25,000 ppm PCB oil. It is listed as having a moderate leak. It is located 100' from the building. The pad has a drain, cracks, and open spaces around conduit and ground wire. PCB ID #4997. The spill containment is listed as <10% of total volume. It is a pad-mounted transformer.
16-027(d)	TA-16-430	A slowly leaking transformer was discovered in July, 1987. The oil contained approximately 25,000 ppm PCBs.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of PCB-containing oil. Other oil constituents are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been documented releases of PCBs to concrete and soil. The TA-16-430 transformer has been repaired and contaminated soil and concrete removed.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-027(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 152	TA-16-260
16-027(b)	**		Tsk 14 : 573	TA-16-540
16-027(c)	**		Tsk 14 : 590	TA-16-563
16-027(d)	**		Tsk 14 : 591	TA-16-430

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : OUTFALL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table lists outfalls resulting from cooling towers, blowdown tanks, and noncontact cooling water.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DESCRIPTION
16-028(a)	TA-16-228	A drainage system discharges to the canyon between TA-16-228 and the closed liquid impoundment
16-028(a)	TA-16-228	Outfall discharges water from the treatment of HE sludge through an activated charcoal treatment facility (EPA05A055; see Appendix A)
16-028(b)	TA-16-370	Outfall from west side of building discharges treated cooling water (EPA03A092; see Appendix A)
16-028(c)	TA-16-220	Outfall discharges noncontact cooling water (EPA04A070; see Appendix A)
16-028(d)	TA-16-202	An outfall originating at the southeast side of the machine discharges noncontact cooling water
16-028(e)	TA-16-450	Outfall originates from the southeast side of TA-16-450 (EPA04A091; see Appendix A)

WASTE INFORMATION

The outfall between TA-16-228 and the impoundment may discharge HE and, in the past, may have discharged barium. The TA-16-228 outfall discharges hazardous waste. The outfalls from TA-16-220, -202, and -450 discharge noncontact cooling water. The outfall from TA-16-370 possibly discharges solvents and, in the past, possibly discharged barium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous releases have occurred from outfalls TA-16-228, -220, and -202. The Environmental Restoration Release Site Database indicates that barium has been identified in soil samples collected 50 yards south of TA-16-370.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-028(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 102 88	TA-16-228
16-028(b)	**		Tsk 12 : 94	TA-16-370
16-028(c)	**		Tsk 12 : 223 224 225	TA-16-220
16-028(d)	**		Tsk 14 : 415	TA-16-202
16-028(e)	**		Tsk 14 : 438	TA-16-450

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16 MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - 1980s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

UNIT INFORMATION

For many years, it has been the practice at TA-16 to route any industrial process water containing HE through catchment baffle-filter sumps before discharge. Open floor drains in each room also connect with the sumps. The baffle-filters and settling areas were cleaned regularly when in use. The following table describes the inactive HE sumps in TA-16.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DIMENSIONS	OUTFALL LOCATION	SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DIMENSIONS	OUTFALL LOCATION
16-029(a)	TA-16-307	84x41x31	east of building	16-029(p)	TA-16-98	unknown	unknown
16-029(a)	TA-16-307	160x41x31	east of building	16-029(q)	TA-16-99	unknown	unknown
16-029(b)	TA-16-305	84x41x31	north of building	16-029(q)	TA-16-99	unknown	unknown
16-029(b)	TA-16-305	16x41x31	north of building	16-029(q)	TA-16-99	unknown	unknown
16-029(c)	TA-16-303	84x41x31	north of building	16-029(r)	TA-16-25	unknown	unknown
16-029(c)	TA-16-303	160x41x31	north of building	16-029(r)	TA-16-25	unknown	unknown
16-029(d)	TA-16-301	84x41x31	north of building	16-029(s)	TA-16-91	unknown	unknown
16-029(d)	TA-16-301	160x41x31	north of building	16-029(t)	TA-16-90	unknown	unknown
16-029(e)	TA-16-360	160x41x31	west of building	16-029(t)	TA-16-90	unknown	unknown
16-029(f)	TA-16-345	88x41x31	west of building	16-029(u)	TA-16-89	unknown	unknown
16-029(g)	TA-16-450	159x41x31	east of building	16-029(u)	TA-16-89	unknown	unknown
16-029(h)	TA-16-487	unknown	SE of building	16-029(v)	TA-16-49	unknown	unknown
16-029(i)	TA-16-342	unknown	NW of building	16-029(w)	TA-16-100	unknown	unknown
16-029(j)	TA-16-260	unknown	south of building	16-029(x)	TA-16-515	unknown	unknown
16-029(k)	TA-16-93	unknown	SE of building	16-029(y)	TA-16-38	unknown	unknown
16-029(k)	TA-16-93	unknown	NW of building	16-029(z)	TA-16-42 thru	unknown	unknown
16-029(l)	TA-16-92	unknown	west of building		TA-16-45		
16-029(m)	TA-16-95	unknown	unknown	16-029(a2)	TA-16-55	unknown	unknown
16-029(m)	TA-16-95	unknown	north of building	16-029(b2)	TA-16-53	unknown	unknown
16-029(n)	TA-16-96	unknown	unknown	16-029(c2)	TA-16-37	unknown	unknown
16-029(n)	TA-16-96	unknown	east of building	16-029(d2)	TA-16-50	unknown	unknown
16-029(o)	TA-16-97	unknown	unknown	16-029(e2)	TA-16-52	unknown	unknown
16-029(o)	TA-16-97	unknown	unknown	16-029(f2)	TA-16-24	unknown	unknown
16-029(p)	TA-16-98	unknown	unknown	16-029(g2)	TA-16-523	1920x132x51	unknown

All dimensions are given in inches.

A manhole, TA-16-801 [16-029(h2)] is associated with sumps from TA-16-95, -96, -97, and -98. It is not known whether 16-029(h2) is the same pit that is designated TA-25-9 in SWMU No. 25-001.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE. The outfall from TA-16-92 may have received untreated plating shop wastes.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The sumps have discharged hazardous waste from outfalls. HE and barium have been identified in the drainage ways around the buildings.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-029(a)	TA16-5-0/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 196 347	TA-16-307

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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-029(a2)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 427 635	TA-16-55
16-029(b)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 345 346 196	TA-16-305
16-029(b2)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 428 637	TA-15-53
16-029(c)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 199 343 344	TA-16-303
16-029(c2)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 429 636	TA-16-37
16-029(d)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 202 341 342	TA-16-301
16-029(d2)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 430 431 638 639	TA-16-50
16-029(e)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 90 169	TA-16-360
16-029(e2)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 433-435 641-643	TA-16-52
16-029(f)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 170	TA-16-345
16-029(f2)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 242	TA-16-24
16-029(g)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 630	TA-16-450
16-029(g2)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 395	TA-16-801
16-029(h)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW	16.012	Tsk 12 : 189	TA-16-478
16-029(h2)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 373	TA-16-523
16-029(i)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 70	TA-16-342
16-029(j)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 79	TA-16-260
16-029(k)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 350 351 226	TA-16-93
16-029(l)	** TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 227 352 353	TA-16-92
16-029(m)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 373 233 362	TA-16-95
16-029(n)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 233 363 373	TA-16-96
16-029(o)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 233 364 373	TA-16-97
16-029(p)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 233 365 373	TA-16-98
16-029(q)	**		Tsk 13 : 234 360 361	TA-16-99
16-029(r)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 241 366	TA-16-25
16-029(s)	**		Tsk 13 : 354 355	TA-16-91
16-029(t)	**		Tsk 13 : 356 357	TA-16-90
16-029(u)	**		Tsk 13 : 358 359	TA-16-89
16-029(v)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 432 640	TA-16-49
16-029(w)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 371	TA-16-100
16-029(x)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 397	TA-16-515
16-029(y)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 408 631	TA-16-38
16-029(z)	TA16-8-ST/UST-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 426 632-634 651	TA-16-42 through -45

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : OUTFALL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 7 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table is a list of active outfalls originating from building drains.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	BUILDING DRAIN LOCATION
16-030(a)	TA-16-344	back wall of building
16-030(b)	TA-16-343	north side
16-030(c)	TA-16-222	northwest side
16-030(c)	TA-16-222	northeast side
16-030(d)	TA-16-280	EPA05A061
16-030(e)	TA-16-225	south side
16-030(f)	TA-16-223	north side
16-030(g)	TA-16-380	south side
16-030(h)	TA-16-430(10)	south side

(10) : number of outfalls

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-16-225, -343, -380, and -223 building drains receive compressor condensate. The outfalls from TA-16-22 originate from roof drains. The building drain in TA-16-344 may receive solvents. The outfall from TA-16-280 contains ME. One outfall from TA-16-430 receives steam condensate. The other outfalls received washwater and treated water.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous waste has been released through the outfalls.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-030(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 66	TA-16-344
16-030(b)	**		Tsk 12 : 72	TA-16-343
16-030(c)	TA16-5-0/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 82 83	TA-16-222
16-030(d)	**		Tsk 13 : 210	TA-16-280
16-030(e)	**		Tsk 13 : 213	TA-16-225
16-030(f)	**		Tsk 13 : 218	TA-16-223
16-030(g)	TA16-5-0/CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-16-380
16-030(h)	TA16-5-0/CA-A/I-HW/RW			TA-16-430

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: OUTFALL		SOLID WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SANITARY WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1940s - 1970s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: NONE		

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table lists inactive outfalls that originated from cooling towers and industrial lines.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	DESCRIPTION
16-031(a)	TA-16-372	cooling tower discharged to an outfall approximately 10 years ago
16-031(b)	TA-16-262	cooling tower removed in 1957 discharged to an outfall
16-031(c)	TA-16-515	drainline received both sanitary and industrial waste and discharged to an outfall
16-031(d)	TA-16-28	outfall discharged through a sump from a cooling tower; tower, sump, and drainline removed in 1968
16-031(e)	TA-16-560	industrial drain from a chlorination station discharged to an outfall
16-031(f)	TA-16-21	outfall discharged from the southeast side of the pumping station
16-031(g)	TA-16-189	outfall discharged blowdown from a cooling tower
16-031(h)	TA-16-478	outfall discharged noncontact cooling water

WASTE INFORMATION

The outfalls from TA-16-372, -262, -28, and -189 may have contained chromium. The outfall from TA-16-515 contained HE and sanitary waste, and the outfall from TA-16-560 contained chlorine. The outfall from TA-16-478 discharged noncontact cooling water, and it is unknown what was discharged through the TA-16-21 outfall.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous waste was released from the outfalls.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

SWMU NUMBER	CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)	RFA UNIT	E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.	ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES
16-031(a)	**		Tsk 12 : 103	TA-16-372
16-031(b)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 244	TA-16-262
16-031(c)	TA25-1-CA-I-HW	16.062	Tsk 13 : 390 391	TA-16-515
16-031(d)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 240 370 260	TA-16-28
16-031(e)	**		Tsk 14 : 404	TA-16-560
16-031(f)	**		Tsk 14 : 409	TA-16-21
16-031(g)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 14 : 509 424	TA-16-189
16-031(h)	TA16-5-O/CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 67	TA-16-478

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-16	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: SUMP		HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		MIXED WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1940s - 1960s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

Four decommissioned HE sumps are identified in the Environmental Restoration Release Site Database. An industrial drain system that included a sump and drainline served former X-ray inspection building TA-16-45 [16-032(a)], former HE machining building TA-16-26 [16-032(b)], former analytical laboratory TA-16-24 [16-032(c)], and former HE storage building TA-16-148 [16-032(d)]. A water pump pit was located at TA-16-20 [16-032(e)]. A manhole for the pit remains in place.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consisted of HE. The drainline at TA-16-45 may have received lead and radium, in addition to HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether there has been a release of hazardous waste from the drainlines or sumps.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-032(a)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 651	TA-16-45
16-032(b)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 369 243	TA-16-148
16-032(c)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 367 239	TA-16-26
16-032(d)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 13 : 368	TA-16-24
16-032(e)	TA16-1-CA-I-HW		Tsk 14 : 610	TA-16-20

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : UNDERGROUND TANK
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - 1987
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : PETROLEUM PRODUCT

UNIT INFORMATION

The following table lists underground storage tanks that have been removed.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	CAPACITY	REMOVAL DATE
16-033(a)	TA-16-16	1,000 gal.	1987
16-033(b)	TA-16-196	4,000 gal.	1987
16-033(c)	TA-16-29	52,000 gal.	1956
16-033(d)	TA-16-1140	unknown	1956
16-033(e)	NW of TA-16-10 (2)	unknown	unknown
16-033(f)	TA-16-512	1,000 gal.	1968
16-033(g)	TA-16-1138	unknown	unknown
16-033(h)	TA-16-1139	unknown	early 1960s
16-033(i)	TA-16-1341	5,000 gal.	1980
16-033(j)	TA-16-1342	5,000 gal.	1980

Soil removed from the TA-16-16 and -196 land excavations was taken to Area G and landfarmed.

WASTE INFORMATION

The following table lists products stored in underground storage tanks that have been removed.

TANK	PRODUCT
TA-16-16	diesel
TA-16-196	leaded gasoline
TA-16-29	fuel oil
TA-16-1140	propane
TA-16-10	gasoline
TA-16-512	oil
TA-16-1138	fuel
TA-16-1139	fuel
TA-16-1341	leaded gasoline
TA-16-1342	leaded gasoline

RELEASE INFORMATION

There were documented releases from tanks TA-16-16, -1341, -1342, and -196. Contaminated soil was removed from TA-16-16 and replaced with clean backfill. Attempts were made to remove contaminated soil from around TA-16-196 but further excavation would have threatened overlying building integrity. The excavation was backfilled with clean fill. It is unknown if the other tanks leaked. However, until site characterization information is acquired which indicates that there were no releases, it must be assumed, based on past tank removals at the Laboratory, that the tanks may have leaked.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-033(a)			Tsk 14 : 476	TA-16-16
16-033(b)				TA-16-196
16-033(c)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 471	TA-16-29

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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-033(d)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 472	TA-16-1140
16-033(e)			Tsk 14 : 473 474	
16-033(f)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 653	TA-16-512
16-033(g)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 654	TA-16-1138
16-033(h)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 655	TA-16-1139
16-033(i)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 656	TA-16-1341
16-033(j)	TA16-9-UST/SST-A/I-PP		Tsk 14 : 657	TA-16-1342

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1981
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

It is possible that during the operation and decommissioning of the following buildings the soil beneath the buildings became contaminated. These structures were flash-burned prior to demolition due to health and safety concerns.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	REMOVED	BUILDING TYPE
16-034(a)	TA-16-24	1961	laboratory
16-034(b)	TA-16-490	1960	laboratory
16-034(c)	TA-16-491	1960	hutment
16-034(d)	TA-16-492	1960	hutment
16-034(e)	TA-16-496	1960	hutment
16-034(f)	TA-16-498	1960	hutment
16-034(g)	TA-16-517	1981	equipment
16-034(h)	TA-16-137	1955	plumbing & electrical shop
16-034(i)	TA-16-141	1955	storage
16-034(j)	TA-16-139	1955	storage
16-034(k)	TA-16-140	1955	storage
16-034(l)	TA-16-47	1960	equipment storage
16-034(m)	TA-16-86	1960	laboratory
16-034(n)	TA-16-83	1960	laboratory
16-034(o)	TA-16-49	1960	laboratory
16-034(p)	TA-16-41	1960	process laboratory

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE. Other constituents that may have been present are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the buildings released hazardous waste to the soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-034(a)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 261	TA-16-24
16-034(b)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 378	TA-16-490
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-034(c)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 382	TA-16-491
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-034(d)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 383	TA-16-492
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-034(e)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 386	TA-16-496
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-034(f)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 13 : 388	TA-16-498
	TA24-1-CA-I-HW/RW			
16-034(g)	TA25-1-CA-I-HW/RW		Tsk 13 : 394	TA-16-517
16-034(h)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 481	TA-16-137
16-034(i)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 483	TA-16-141
16-034(j)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 484	TA-16-139

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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-034(k)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 486	TA-16-140
16-034(l)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 506	TA-16-47
16-034(m)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 510	TA-16-86
16-034(n)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 511	TA-16-83
16-034(o)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 536	TA-16-49
16-034(p)	TA16-1-CA-HW		Tsk 14 : 622	TA-16-41

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1948
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNKNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

Storage bunker TA-16-476 (formerly TA-13-2) was used as a control bunker and laboratory from 1944 to 1948. It is possible that radioactive contamination was released to the soil beneath the building during this time.

WASTE INFORMATION

Polonium is the primary waste constituent. Other waste constituents are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous waste was released from the building to the soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-035	TA13-1-CA-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 59	TA-16-476

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE/ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

It is possible that residual soil contamination could be present beneath TA-16-477 and -478 (formerly TA-13-3 and -4, respectively), "battleship bunkers" from explosives experiments conducted in the 1940s. TA-16-478 currently houses hazardous machining operations performed on new HE products.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists primarily of HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the operations and the buildings caused a hazardous release to the soil.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-036	TA13-1-CA-HW/RW		Tsk 12 : 62	TA-16-477, -478

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-16 MATERIALS MANAGED : UNKNOWN
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : TANK
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : UNKNOWN
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

An industrial waste tank, TA-16-215, is listed on the 1983 Engineering Drawing R511 Structure Index. No other information is available. It is not included on the 1989 update of the ENG-R511 Structure Index.

WASTE INFORMATION

The tank stores industrial waste. Specific constituents are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether the tank has released hazardous waste.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
16-037	APPENDIX V		Tsk 14 : 466	TA-16-215

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16-007(b)	Not shown, location unknown
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16-010(n)	Not shown, location unknown
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16-016(b)	Not shown
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16-023(a)	Not shown
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16-025(d2)	Not shown
16-025(e2)	Not shown
16-026(a)	16-8
16-026(b)	16-2
16-026(c)	16-2
16-026(d)	16-2
16-026(e)	16-2
16-026(f)	16-2
16-026(g)	16-7
16-026(h)	16-1
16-026(i)	16-1
16-026(j)	16-1
16-026(k)	16-1
16-026(l)	16-1
16-026(m)	16-11
16-026(n)	16-11
16-026(o)	16-11
16-026(p)	16-1
16-026(q)	16-1
16-026(r)	16-1
16-026(s)	Not shown
16-026(t)	16-1
16-026(u)	16-1
16-026(v)	16-7
16-026(w)	16-4
16-026(x)	16-1
16-026(y)	16-3
16-026(z)	16-2
16-026(a2)	16-1
16-026(b2)	16-1
16-026(c2)	16-1
16-026(d2)	16-1
16-026(e2)	16-2
16-026(f2)	16-2
16-026(g2)	16-1
16-026(h2)	16-2
16-026(i2)	16-1
16-026(j2)	16-2
16-026(k2)	16-2

**TA-16 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
(CONTINUED)**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
16-027(a)	16-2
16-027(b)	16-11
16-027(c)	Not shown
16-027(d)	16-1
16-028(a)	Not shown
16-028(b)	16-8
16-028(c)	16-7
16-028(d)	16-7
16-028(e)	16-7
16-029(a)	16-2
16-029(b)	16-2
16-029(c)	16-2
16-029(d)	16-2
16-029(e)	16-2
16-029(f)	16-2
16-029(g)	16-7
16-029(h)	Not shown
16-029(i)	16-8
16-029(j)	16-8
16-029(k)	16-1
16-029(l)	16-12
16-029(m)	16-4
16-029(n)	16-4
16-029(o)	16-4
16-029(p)	16-4
16-029(q)	16-1
16-029(r)	16-4
16-029(s)	16-11
16-029(t)	16-11
16-029(u)	16-1
16-029(v)	16-4
16-029(w)	16-4
16-029(x)	16-1
16-029(y)	16-4
16-029(z)	16-4
16-029(a2)	16-4
16-029(b2)	16-4
16-029(c2)	16-4
16-029(d2)	16-4
16-029(e2)	16-4
16-029(f2)	16-4
16-029(g2)	Not shown

**TA-16 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
(CONTINUED)**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
16-029(h2)	16-4
16-030(a)	16-2
16-030(b)	16-2
16-030(c)	16-7
16-030(d)	16-7
16-030(e)	16-1
16-030(f)	16-1
16-030(g)	16-8
16-031(a)	16-3
16-031(b)	16-3
16-031(c)	16-1
16-031(d)	16-4
16-031(e)	16-4
16-031(f)	16-4
16-031(g)	16-4
16-031(h)	16-3
16-032(a)	16-4
16-032(b)	16-4
16-032(c)	16-4
16-032(d)	16-4
16-032(e)	16-4
16-033(a)	16-1
16-033(b)	16-1
16-033(c)	Not shown
16-033(d)	Not shown
16-033(e)	16-1
16-033(f)	16-4
16-033(g)	Not shown
16-033(h)	Not shown
16-033(i)	Not shown
16-033(j)	Not shown
16-034(a)	16-4
16-034(b)	16-4
16-034(c)	16-4
16-034(d)	16-4
16-034(e)	16-4
16-034(f)	16-4
16-034(g)	16-4
16-034(h)	Not shown
16-034(i)	Not shown
16-034(j)	Not shown
16-034(k)	Not shown

**TA-16 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
(CONTINUED)**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
16-034(l)	16-4
16-034(m)	16-4
16-034(n)	16-4
16-034(o)	16-4
16-034(p)	16-4
16-035	16-3
16-036	16-3
16-037	Not shown

NOTE: Some structure locations contain more than one SWMU.

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TA-18

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 18 is occupied by the Advanced Nuclear Technology Group, responsible for critical assembly research and for nuclear emergency operations. Hazardous materials utilized at TA-18 include special nuclear materials and supporting materials for nuclear criticality studies. The site was originally used as a firing site, and hazardous and radioactive materials may possibly be present as contaminants from these activities (DOE, 1987a). Plans for TA-18 include further development as the focus of criticality research.

TA-18 lies at elevations ranging between 6,780 and 6,900 feet asl. It is located in Pajarito Canyon at the intersection of the main canyon with a large branch of the canyon, Three Mile Canyon. The adjacent canyon walls are steep in this area. The canyon floor consists of alluvial silt, sand, and gravel, and the underlying bedrock is welded and non-welded Bandelier Tuff. Drill-holes 1,000 to 2,000 feet downstream of TA-18 encountered 8 to 11 feet of alluvium in the center of the channel, thinning toward the canyon walls (Apt and Lee, 1975).

The area is in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper and Ponderosa Pine-fir overstory vegetation zones. Soil types include Typic Ustorthents-Rock outcrop complex, Hackroy sandy loam, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978). At TA-18, the potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies at about 5,870 to 5,900 feet asl. There are over 800 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock between the surface and the ground water table. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

Stream flow in Pajarito Canyon in the area of TA-18 is ephemeral, flowing only in response to storm runoff and snow melt (IT, 1987a). Perched ground water occurs in the alluvium of Pajarito Canyon at TA-18, but it is not connected hydraulically with the main aquifer. The saturated thickness of the alluvium in Pajarito Canyon varies, but average 10.01 feet in a monitoring well closest to TA-18. Seasonal fluctuations are noted in the saturated thickness of the alluvium, with the highest water levels occurring in the summer. The range in flow rate of this perched ground water is 8 to 23 feet per day (IT, 1987a).

The quality of the perched ground water in Pajarito Canyon is generally good and meets most drinking water standards. Some parameters rarely exceed numeric limits for drinking water, such as manganese, total uranium, and total dissolved solids (Apt and Lee, 1975). No routinely analyzed volatile organic compounds have been detected in the water.

TA-18 is located within the Pajarito Canyon channel and, therefore, may be subject to flooding. The Final Environmental Impact Statement shows that, with the restriction due to a bridge at TA-18 (maximum discharge allowed = 42 cubic meters, or 1,500 cubic feet/s), the channel should carry the 100-year flood event (31 cubic meters or 1,080 cubic feet/s) (DOE, 1979).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-18

18-001	LAGOONS AND DRAINLINES
18-002	FIRING SITES / DROP TOWER
18-003	SEPTIC SYSTEMS
18-004	TANKS / LINES
18-005	SOIL CONTAMINATION AT FORMER MAGAZINE SITES
18-006	URANIUM SOLUTION PIPE
18-007	SUSPECTED BURIAL SITE
18-008	UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK
18-009	LEAKAGE FROM PCB TRANSFORMERS
18-010	STORM SEWER OUTFALLS
18-011	POTENTIAL CONTAMINATION BENEATH FORMER STRUCTURE
18-012	SUMPS, ACID DRAINLINES, OUTFALLS

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-18	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: LAGOON		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1975 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		

UNIT INFORMATION

Two 60' x 120' lagoons [18-001(a)] are constructed of Gunite, are enclosed by an 8' chain link fence, and have 6' high earth berms. The lagoons are identified by structure number TA-18-162 and serve the sanitary system of TA-18, except kivas 1-3 (TA-18-23, -32, and -116), all of which are served by septic systems (see SUMU No. 18-003). There are an estimated 12,000 ft of sanitary sewer lines in TA-18 [18-001(b)] connecting most of the buildings to the lagoons. TA-18-30 is identified as having a sump with a gravity drain [18-001(c)] that empties into the sanitary sewer lines and lagoons.

WASTE INFORMATION

The sump and gravity drain [18-001(c)] potentially contained uranium-235, beryllium, and photographic chemicals. The lagoons [18-001(a)] and sanitary sewer lines [18-001(b)] contain sanitary sewage, and possibly uranium-235, beryllium, and photographic chemicals from TA-18-30. The lagoons contain sanitary sewage and possibly photographic waste solutions, according to the RFA. At one time the lagoon received liquids pumped and transported by truck from septic tanks at other technical areas. The lagoons have been sampled and analyzed for volatile organics, semi-volatile organics (samples from the south lagoon) and EP toxic metals (samples from the north lagoon). The results of the analyses indicate all constituents are below detection limits.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The lagoons [18-001(a)] discharge to Pajarito Canyon via an NPDES outfall (serial no. 04S) (see Appendix A). Presently, there are no releases of hazardous wastes, although residues from past discharges may potentially be found at the discharge point.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-001(a)	TA18-4-CA/ST/0-A/I-HW/RW	18.001 18.002	Tsk 16 : 2 4	TA-18-162
18-001(b)	TA18-4-CA/ST/0-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 16 : 3	
18-001(c)	TA18-4-CA/ST/0-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 18 : 54	TA-18-30

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-18	MATERIALS MANAGED	: HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: FIRING SITE/DROP TOWER		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED/INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1944 - EARLY 1950s		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

According to the CEARP, two firing sites were present in this technical area. The first site [18-002(a)], located at the west end of Pajarito Canyon, was used for small charges of several hundred lbs and included a firing chamber, TA-18-3, constructed of 1-inch thick steel and measuring 2' x 2' x 2'2" deep. The chamber has been removed. The first firing site also includes a battleship building, TA-18-2. Instruments recording experimental data were located in this building during the experimental firings. The battleship building has not been removed. The second site [18-002(b)], located at the south end of the canyon, was used for charges of a few lbs each. This firing chamber, TA-18-4, was similar to TA-18-3, was constructed of 1-inch thick steel, and measured 2' x 2' x 2' deep. This chamber has also been removed. The second firing site also includes a battleship building, TA-18-5, which is still present. A drop tower [18-002(c)] was used in tests involving inert, HE, and ballistic objects. The location of the drop tower is not known.

WASTE INFORMATION

Suspected contaminants include uranium, possibly barium from HE, cadmium, beryllium, and lead.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Information on decommissioning of these sites is not available, however, LANL staff indicate the possibility that residuals remain is small.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-002(a)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW TA18-2-CA-1-HW/RW	? 18.003 ? 18.004 18.078- 18.080	Tsk 18 : 64 74	TA-18-2, -3
18-002(b)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW TA18-2-CA-1-HW/RW	? 18.003 ? 18.004 18.078- 18.080	Tsk 18 : 65 75	TA-18-4, -5
18-002(c)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW			

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-18	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: SEPTIC SYSTEM		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL/TREATMENT		SOLID WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE/INACTIVE		SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
PERIOD OF USE	: 1944 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

Four active septic systems and four inactive septic systems are present in TA-18.

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	PERIOD OF USE	CAPACITY	DIMENSIONS	CONSTRUCTION	DISCHARGE	BUILDING
18-003(a)	TA-18-105	1946-present	2500 gal.	5'4"x 5'4"x 12' deep	rein. concrete	leach field	TA-18-23
18-003(b)	TA-18-39	1947-present	524 gal.	4' x 7' x 5'6" deep	rein. concrete	leach field/outfall	TA-18-105
18-003(c)	TA-18-42	1952-present	587 gal.	6' dia. x 7' deep	rein. concrete	leach field/outfall	TA-18-32
18-003(d)	TA-18-120	1960-present	500 gal.	unknown	unknown	leach field/outfall	TA-18-116
18-003(e)	TA-18-40	1952-?	unknown	6' dia. x 6' deep	rein. concrete	leach field/outfall	TA-18-31, -37
18-003(f)	TA-18-41	1952-?	unknown	9' x 5' x 5' deep	rein. concrete	drain field/outfall	TA-18-30
18-003(g)	TA-18-43	1944-?	unknown	3' x 5' x 5' deep	concrete	outfall	TA-18-1, -47
18-003(h)	TA-18-152	? - ?	500 gal.	4'4" dia x 5' long	steel	unknown	TA-18-28

Inactive outfalls into Pajarito Canyon associated with TA-18-40 and -43 do not have NPDES serial numbers. TA-18-41 is associated with an inactive outfall into Pajarito Canyon with NPDES number 104. TA-18-39, -42, and -120 are Unpermitted Individual Liquid Waste Systems (numbers LA-27, -28, and -29, respectively). TA-18-40, -41, and -43 were reportedly removed before March, 1980. SWMU Nos. 18-003(a), (b), (c), and (d) are active. SWMU Nos. 18-003(e), (f), (g), and (h) are inactive. Building TA-18-23 is Kiva 1; Building TA-18-32 is Kiva 2; Building TA-18-116 is Kiva 3. TA-18-152 may have been removed. TA-18-105 is a settling pit that is a component of the septic system that includes TA-18-39 and serves Kiva 1, TA-18-23.

WASTE INFORMATION

Septic tanks TA-18-39, TA-18-42, and TA-18-120 received wash water from their respective Kiva drains; this water potentially contains radionuclides. Additionally, high oil content has been reported in TA-18-120. The inactive systems (TA-18-40, -41, -43, and -152) received primarily sanitary waste. It is possible that small quantities of solvents and other chemicals may have been included in the waste. Waste in TA-18-40, -41, and -43 may have included beryllium, uranium-235, and photo processing chemicals. Waste in TA-18-152 may have included uranium-235 and beryllium. TA-18-40, -41, and -43 are potentially contaminated with beryllium, U-235, and hazardous chemicals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The septic systems associated with the kivas discharge to leach/drain fields, and to the outfalls associated with TA-18-39, -42, and -120. These fields are probably contaminated with uranium, plutonium, and perhaps hazardous materials. The extent of contamination and possible mobilization from the leach fields and outfalls is not known. TA-18-40, -41, and -43 discharged waste to outfalls or drain fields, and TA-18-152 may have as well.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-003(a)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 17 : 13	TA-18-105, SERVES TA-18-23
18-003(b)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 18 : 46	TA-18-39, -105
18-003(c)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 17 : 10 11	TA-18-42, SERVES TA-18-32
18-003(d)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 18 : 47	TA-18-120, SERVES TA-18-116
18-003(e)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW	? 18.077	Tsk 18 : 44 50	TA-18-40, SERVES TA-18-31
		? 18.081		
18-003(f)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW	? 18.077	Tsk 18 : 42 48	TA-18-41, SERVES TA-18-30
	TA18-11-CA-I-HW/RW	? 18.081		

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-003(g)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW TA18-11-CA-I-HW/RW	? 18.077 ? 18.081	Tsk 18 : 41 49	TA-18-43, SERVES TA-18-1
18-003(h)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW	? 18.077 ? 18.081	Tsk 18 : 45	TA-18-153, SERVES TA-18-28

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : TANK
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - 1977
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit consisted of tanks in a containment pit used for storing liquid waste. Acid waste lines [18-004(a)] from the sinks on the west side of Building 30 connected to a pit, TA-18-38 [18-004(b)], which was a subsurface concrete pit (4' x 9' x 8') that contained two small stainless steel tanks that stored the waste until a tank was full. These tanks received radioactively contaminated liquid waste from Building 30. The full tank was then removed for waste collection and for cleaning and was then returned. In 1977, these tanks were removed and the inlet lines capped. The walls of the pit were knocked down and left in place, and the area was then backfilled to grade. A segment of the feed line is still buried under TA-18-30.

WASTE INFORMATION

The tanks and pit at TA-18-38 managed liquids suspected to contain radionuclides, solvents and other chemicals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

No releases of hazardous materials from this unit are known. Until site characterization yields information that indicates there were no releases, it must be assumed, based on historic information, that old underground storage tanks have leaked.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-004(a)	TA18-5-CA/UST-1-HW/RW		Tsk 17 : 14	SERVES TA-18-30
18-004(b)	TA18-5-CA/UST-1-HW/RW		Tsk 18 : 56	TA-18-38

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - 1978
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Building TA-18-15 [18-005(a)] was used first as a magazine for the firing group and later as a storage area for contaminated materials. The building was demolished in 1978. TA-18-11 [18-005(b)] and TA-18-12 [18-005(c)] were high explosives storage magazines. They were located at the far north end of TA-18. Both were removed in 1960.

WASTE INFORMATION

The materials stored at 18-005(a) contained uranium and beryllium oxide and, according to LANL staff, there is a slight possibility that residues may be present in the area surrounding this former building. Storage magazines 18-005(b) and (c) stored high explosives.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The CEARP does not state evidence of any releases from 18-005(a) either during its operational lifetime or during decommissioning. It is not known if any sampling was undertaken to verify the absence of contamination. HE contamination was reported in 18-005(b) and (c) in 1959. A 1988 E.R. program site visit showed slightly elevated beta/gamma and gamma readings.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-005(a)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW TA18-6-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 17 : 19	TA-18-15
18-005(b)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 16 : 5	TA-18-11
18-005(c)	TA18-1-CA-1-HW/RW		Tsk 16 : 6	TA-18-12

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : UNDERGROUND PIPE
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1969 - 1970s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit is described by CEARP as an underground pipe used for storage of uranium solution associated with the Kinglet reactor. The solution is believed to have been removed. However, the piping and pump remain in place. The pipe apparently runs from Building 168 southwesterly toward the fence.

WASTE INFORMATION

Uranium solution was stored in this pipe. Residuals may be present in the pipe and pump.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases to the environment from the pipe and associated equipment. Decommissioning information on the pipe and pump is currently not available.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-006	TA18-7-UST-1-RW		Tsk 17 : 15	TA-18-168

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1949
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A memo in engineering file 1757 indicates the possibility of material buried beyond the old Kiva at TA-18. An employee remembers burying a tank in this suspected site about 1.25 miles up the canyon from Kiva 2 (TA-18-32) in 1949.

WASTE INFORMATION

The tank may have been contaminated with radionuclides or HE residues.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The site has not been investigated. No releases are known.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-007	TA18-8-L-1-HW/RW		Task 17 : 30 31	WEST OF TA-18-32

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : UNDERGROUND TANK
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - 1966
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Underground storage tank TA-18-104 was located approximately where TA-18-250 is presently located, according to a 1957 engineering drawing (ENG-R 136). It was abandoned in 1966 and subsequently removed.

WASTE INFORMATION

The tank contained fuel oil.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Until site characterization yields information that indicates there were no releases, it must be assumed, based on historic information, that old underground storage tanks have leaked.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-008	TA18-9-UST-I-PP	? 18.082	Tsk 18 : 76	TA-18-104

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-18	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SOLID WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SOIL CONTAMINATION		PCBs
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: ? - 1988		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

A transformer located at TA-18-136 [18-009(a)] leaked in 1982. Transformers at stations TA-18-46 [18-009(b)] and TA-18-48 [18-009(c)] were both removed in 1988. A transformer at TA-18-142 [18-009(d)] leaked in 1988. Transformers removed since 1985 are visually inspected before removal. If stains are observed on the soil or concrete, the soil is analyzed for PCBs and appropriate cleanup procedures are implemented. A 1983 capacitor fire in the Pajarito Mesa Well No. 2, TA-18-252, resulted in the PCB contamination of walls, ceiling, floor and installed equipment [18-009(e)]. Firefighters used extinguishers and water to douse the blaze, resulting in contamination of the floor drain pipe and soil surrounding the door. The soil was reportedly removed to MDA-G after removal operations reached soil depths at which PCBs were no longer detected. The building was cleaned with Fantastic brand cleaner and repainted. The equipment was not cleaned and may be releasing PCBs each time it is started up.

WASTE INFORMATION

All the transformers [18-009(a) through (d)] contained <50 ppm PCBs. The equipment in the pumphouse contained PCBs.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Approximately 50 cubic meters of soil contaminated by the leak at 18-009(a) were removed in 1982. No information is available on the extent of the PCB-contaminated oil leaks at 18-009(b), (c), and (d), nor if residual contamination remains. It is not known whether residual PCB contamination remains at 18-009(e).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-009(a)	TA18-9-UST-1-PP			TA-18-136 (NE OF TA-18-116)
18-009(b)	**		Tsk 18 : 57	TA-18-46
18-009(c)	**		Tsk 18 : 62	TA-18-148
18-009(d)	**		Tsk 18 : 68	TA-18-142
18-009(e)	**			TA-18-252

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OUTFALL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Storm sewer outfalls are associated with the main building complex at TA-18, buildings TA-18-28, -30, -31, -37, and -147. One storm sewer outfall [18-010(a)] is located along the west side of the main complex. A second storm sewer outfall [18-010(b)] is located on the west side of TA-18-30. A third storm sewer outfall [18-010(c)] is located south of TA-18-30, and it receives drainage from the area east of TA-18-30 and around TA-18-31. A fourth storm sewer outfall [18-010(d)] receives drainage from the paved area near TA-18-37. A final outfall [18-010(e)] receives drainage from the area between TA-18-28 and TA-18-147. There is a storm sewer [18-010(f)] leading from Kiva 2, TA-18-32.

WASTE INFORMATION

These units manage storm water. Radioactive source and waste material, lead bricks, and flammable liquids are stored on paved areas around 18-010(a) through (e) and contamination from this storage could have reached the storm sewers and outfalls. There is no waste information available for 18-010(f).

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether releases have occurred from these areas.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-010(a)	**		Tsk 18 : 39	WEST OF TA-18-30
18-010(b)	**		Tsk 18 : 39	WEST OF TA-18-30
18-010(c)	**		Tsk 18 : 39	SOUTH OF TA-18-30
18-010(d)	**		Tsk 18 : 39	NEAR TA-18-37
18-010(e)	**		Tsk 18 : 39	BETWEEN TA-18-28 AND -147
18-010(f)	**		Tsk 18 : 51	SERVES TA-18-32

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED(?)
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1950
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Generator building TA-18-22 was reportedly contaminated with mercury in the mid-1950s. Engineering drawings ENG-R5112 (9/21/83) and ENG-R136 (7/30/57) indicate the building was removed in 1950.

WASTE INFORMATION

Mercury was handled in TA-18-22.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Generator building TA-18-22 has been removed. No information is available concerning the decommissioning efforts and contamination at time of removal, nor is any available on any residual contamination.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-011	**		Tsk 17 : 16	TA-18-22

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-18
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : DRAINS
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : SUSPECTED

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

A combined acid/storm sewer [18-012(a)] serves Kiva 3, TA-18-116. Two sumps in the basement of TA-18-30 have pumped water through an outfall into Pajarito Canyon [18-012(b)]. A sump and two drains of unknown origin [18-012(c)] are located northeast of TA-18-141. Drains of unknown origin and purpose [18-012(d)] are located behind building TA-18-129 and are marked with a cement post.

WASTE INFORMATION

Acid/storm sewer 18-012(a) may have handled radioactive waste and acids. Building TA-18-30 [18-012(b)] is known to have handled polonium, and also possibly handled photographic chemicals, uranium-235, and beryllium. Possible wastes handled by 18-012(c) include uranium-235, plutonium-238, and photo processing chemicals. No information is available concerning the waste material handled by 18-012(d).

RELEASE INFORMATION

In early 1965, acid/storm sewer 18-012(a) overflowed, possibly releasing uranium-235 and plutonium-238. At least one major contamination event involving polonium occurred at TA-18-30; the possibility of contamination of sump water and the outfall area [18-012(b)] by polonium or by photographic chemicals, uranium-235, or beryllium is unknown. There are no known releases from 18-012(c) or (d). Beta and gamma readings taken in the vicinity of 18-012(d) during an E.R. program site visit in 1988 indicated slightly elevated gamma exposures.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
18-012(a)	**		Tsk 17 : 12	SERVES TA-18-116
18-012(b)	TA18-4-CA/ST/O-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 18 : 40 43 55	IN TA-18-30
18-012(c)	**		Tsk 18 : 53	NEAR TA-18-141
18-012(d)	**		Tsk 18 : 52	BEHIND TA-18-129

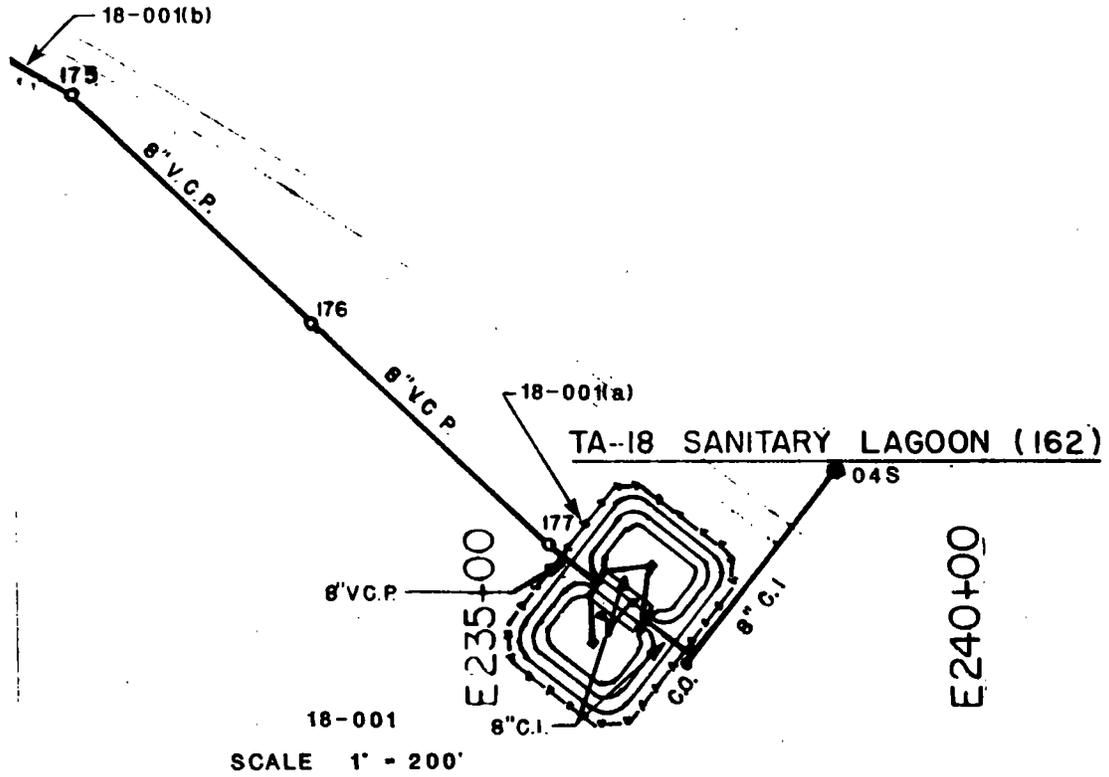
** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

**TA-18 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
18-001(a)	18-1, 18-2, 18-5, 18-7
18-001(b)	18-2, 18-7
18-001(c)	18-1
18-002(a)	18-3
18-002(b)	18-3
18-002(c)	Not shown
18-003(a)	18-1
18-003(b)	18-1, 18-7
18-003(c)	18-1, 18-7
18-003(d)	18-1
18-003(e)	18-1
18-003(f)	18-1
18-003(g)	18-1
18-003(h)	18-1
18-004(a)	18-1, 18-4
18-004(b)	18-4
18-005(a)	18-3, 18-4
18-005(b)	18-3, 18-4
18-005(c)	18-3, 18-4
18-006	18-1
18-007	18-1, 18-6
18-008	18-1, 18-4
18-009(a)	18-1
18-009(b)	18-1
18-009(c)	18-1
18-009(d)	18-1
18-009(e)	18-5
18-010(a)	18-1
18-010(b)	18-1
18-010(c)	18-1
18-010(d)	18-1
18-010(e)	18-1
18-010(f)	18-1
18-011	18-1
18-012(a)	18-1
18-012(b)	18-1
18-012(c)	18-1
18-012(d)	18-1

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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EXPLANATION

18-001 SWMU LOCATION

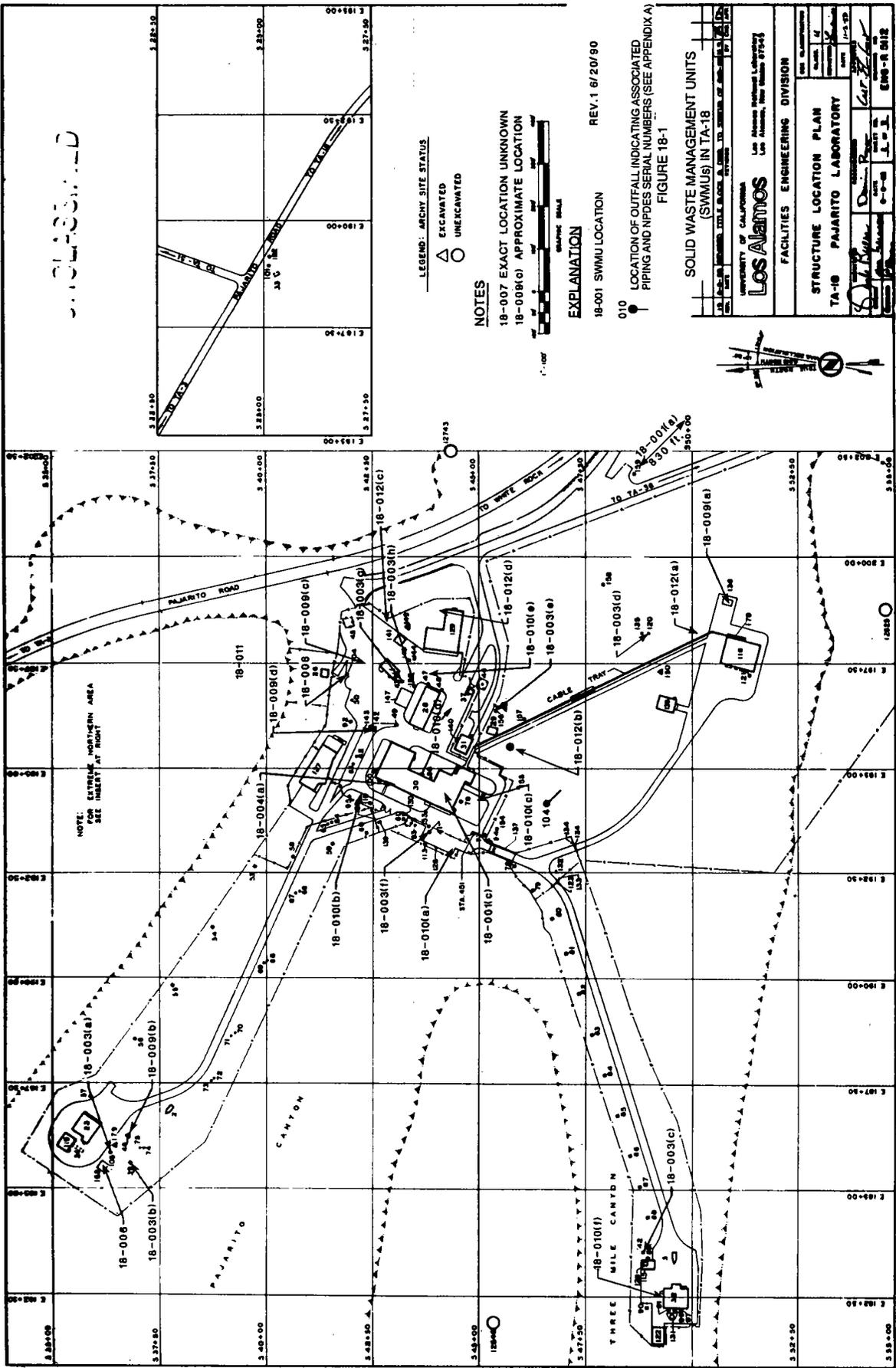
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 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBERS (SEE APPENDIX A)

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FIGURE 18-2

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-18



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NOTES

- 18-007 EXACT LOCATION UNKNOWN
- 18-008(G) APPROXIMATE LOCATION



EXPLANATION

- 18-001 SWMU LOCATION
- 010 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBERS (SEE APPENDIX A)

FIGURE 18-1

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUS) IN TA-18

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
 TA-18 PAJARITO LABORATORY

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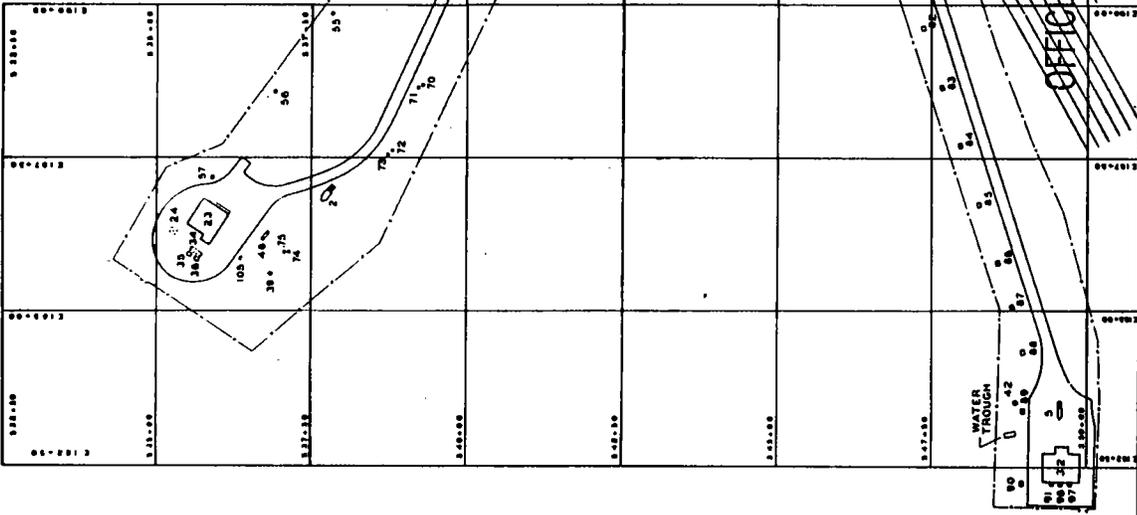
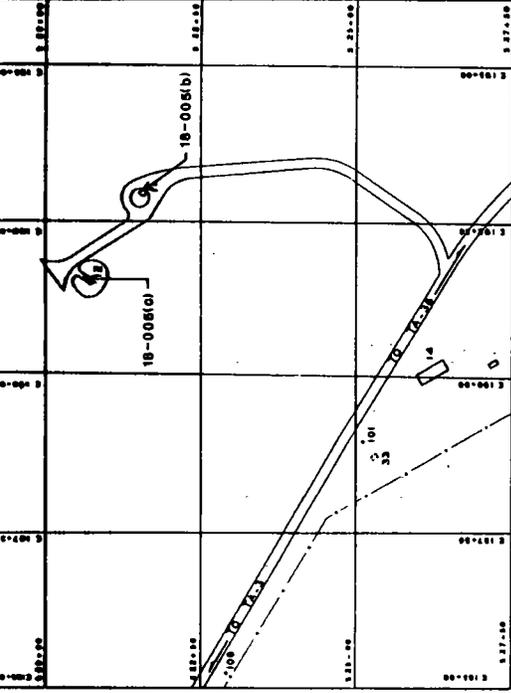


FIGURE 18-4
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-18

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN
TA-18 PAJARITO LABORATORY

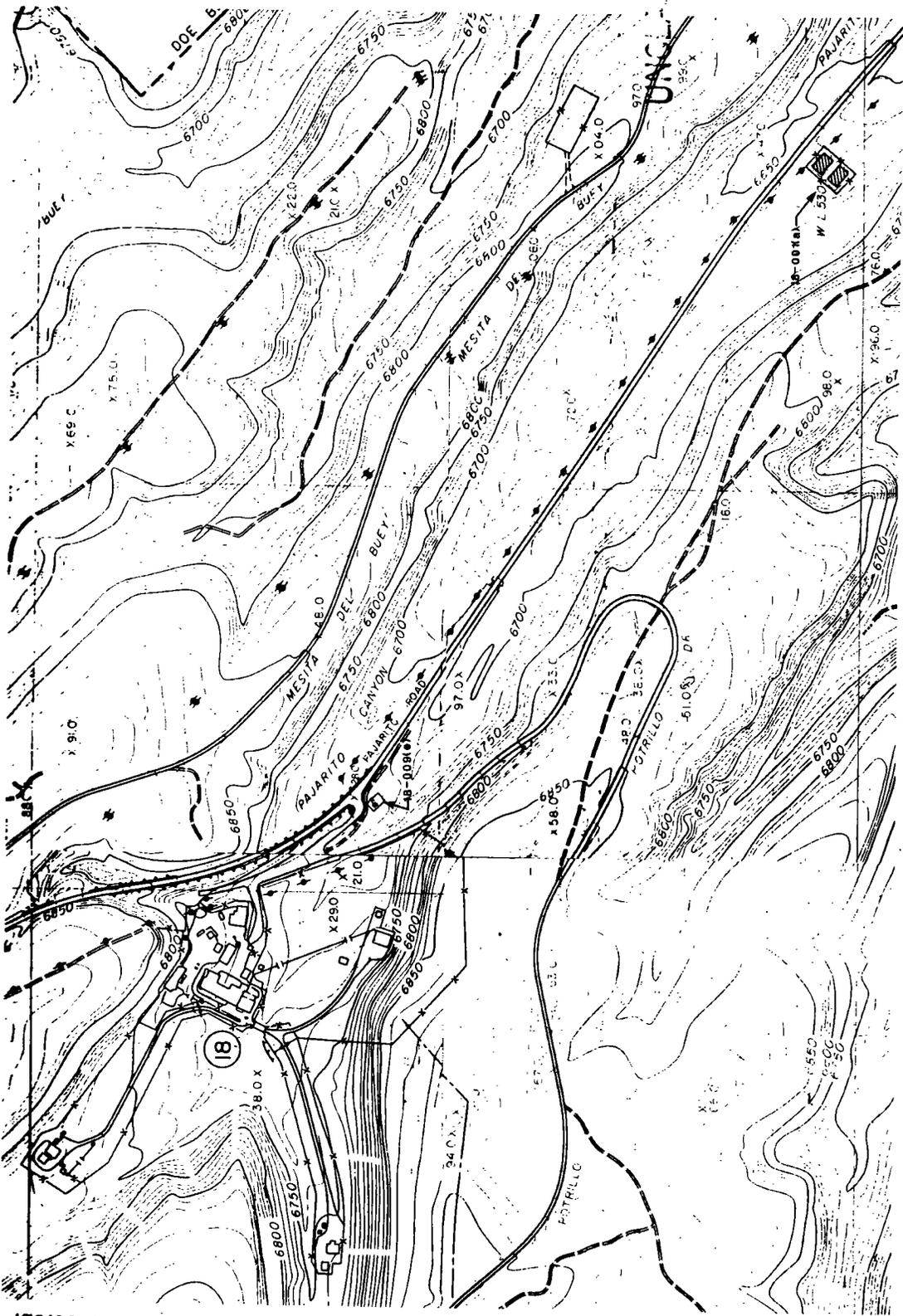
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EXPLANATION
18-001 SWMU LOCATION

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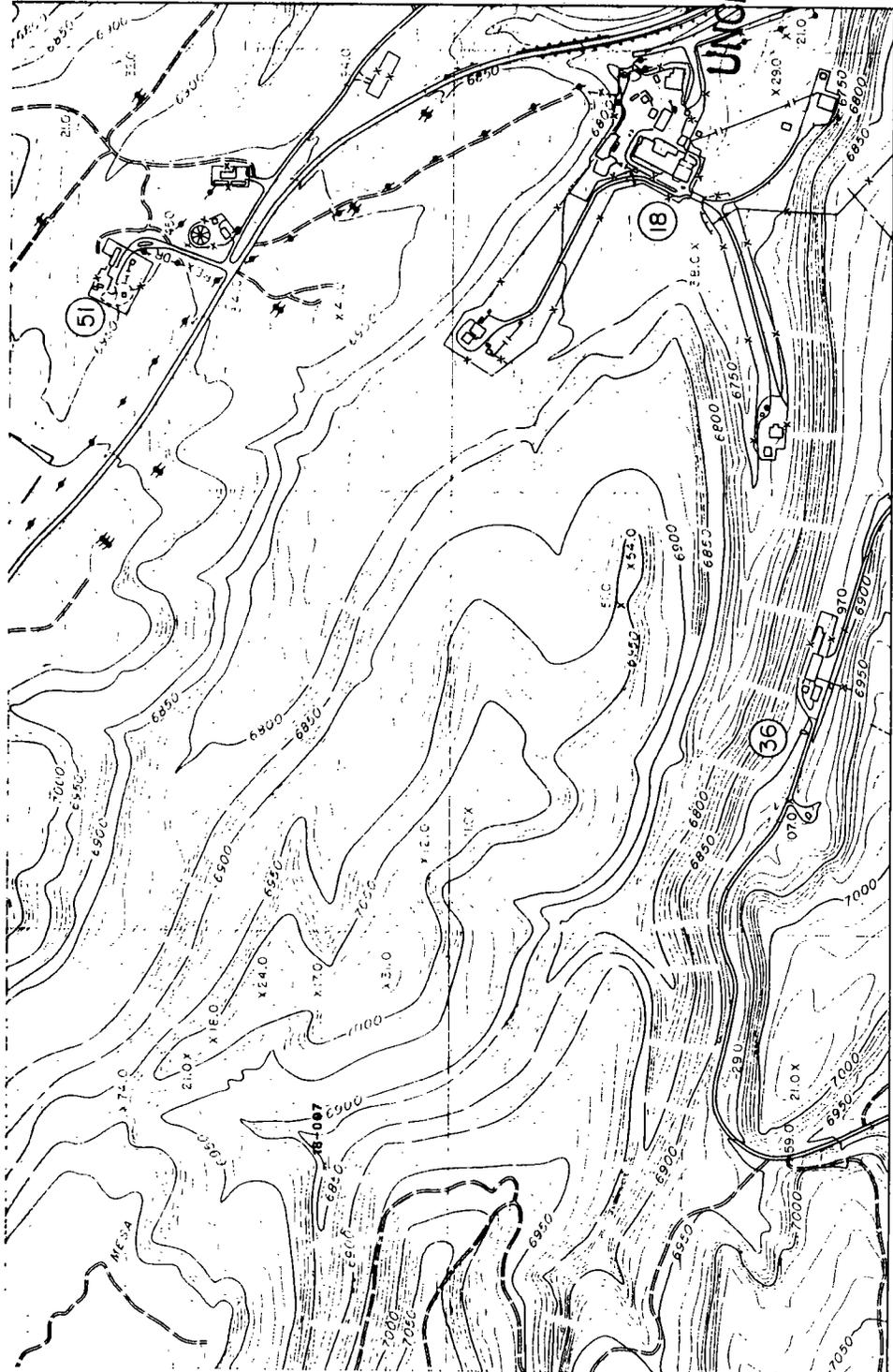


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FIGURE 18-5
 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
 (SWMU) IN TA-1B

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 18-007 SWMU LOCATION

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 18-007 EXACT LOCATION
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FIGURE 18-6

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
 (SWMUs) IN TA-18

TA-19

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Former Technical Area (TA) 19 was known as the East Gate Laboratory. The site was used for a variety of experiments, some of which utilized radioactive sources and chemicals. Several buildings were removed in 1956. The remaining structures were transferred to the DOE Los Alamos Area Office (LAAO) in 1962 for Civil Defense purposes. LAAO later authorized the Los Alamos Radio Club to use the site. All buildings at the site have been removed (DOE, 1987a). The former site of TA-19 lies within the current boundaries of TA-72. The eastern end of this former technical area is within Santa Fe County.

The property on which TA-19 was located is about 6,910 feet asl. It is located on the eastern end of East Mesa, east of the Los Alamos Airport. The mesa is bounded on the north by Pueblo Canyon and on the south by a small tributary of Pueblo Canyon. Canyon walls are steep in this area. TA-19 lies on welded Bandelier Tuff. The area is in the Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. Soils have not been surveyed in this area.

At TA-19, the potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies between about 5,860 feet asl. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-19

19-001	SEPTIC SYSTEM
19-002	SURFACE DISPOSAL
19-003	DRAINLINE AND OUTFALL

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-19
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1944 - 1962
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This septic tank, TA-19-6, which remains on site, is believed to have served only the guard house. The tank drained to an outfall in Pueblo Canyon.

WASTE INFORMATION

The septic tank is believed to have received only sanitary waste; detailed information, however, is lacking.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known releases of hazardous waste associated with this unit. Analysis of a soil sample from this outfall area indicated no radioactive contamination.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
19-001	TA19-1-ST-I-HW/RW	19.001	Tsk 45 : 18 19	TA-19-6

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-19
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SURFACE DISPOSAL
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : UNKNOWN
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE KNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This site is located on the canyon floor at the north end of TA-19. It appears to have received building debris that was pushed over the edge of the mesa. A 1990 field survey noted approximately eight piles of debris scattered in this area.

WASTE INFORMATION

The debris appears to consist of concrete and other rubble generated during decommissioning of TA-19.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known releases associated with this unit.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
19-002	TA19-2-CA-1-HW		Tsk 45 : 20	NORTH OF TA-19-1

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-19	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: OUTFALL		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1944 - 1962		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

A 1947 technical management group report indicated that a sewer line from the laboratory building, TA-19-1, discharged to an outfall in Pueblo Canyon.

WASTE INFORMATION

The sewer line and outfall probably managed sanitary waste. However, since radioactive and hazardous materials were in use at this laboratory, they could have been discharged to the outfall.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Soil samples collected from the outfall had no radioactive contamination. It is unknown whether releases of hazardous materials occurred.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
19-003	**		Tsk 45 : 17	TA-19-1
			**	No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

**TA-19 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
19-001	19-1
19-002	19-1
19-003	19-1

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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TA-20

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Former Technical Area (TA) 20, situated in Sandia Canyon, was abandoned in the late 1940's so that East Jemez Road could be built. The remaining buildings in the area are used a firing range for Laboratory security forces. The area had been used to test initiators, devices used to add neutrons to nuclear explosions. High explosives, metals, possibly short-lived radioactive materials, and uranium were used at the site. Some disposal pits associated with TA-20 may be present in the canyon (DOE, 1987a). The former site of TA-20 lies within the current boundaries of TA-72 and TA-53.

The former site of TA-20 lies at an elevation ranging from 6,600 to 6,850 feet asl. The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 5,840 to 5,900 feet asl. The stream at the bottom of the canyon is underlain by a layer of alluvium, ranging in thickness from thin to about 36 feet. This layer is underlain by Bandelier Tuff. The technical area is located in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetative zone. The soil consists of Totavi gravelly loamy sand and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

Sandia Canyon receives cooling tower discharges from the TA-3 power plant and some treated sanitary effluents from TA-3 facilities. Treated effluents from a sanitary treatment plant form a perennial stream in a short reach of the upper canyon. Only during heavy summer thundershowers in the Sandia Canyon drainage area does stream flow reach the Laboratory's eastern boundary (Environmental Surveillance Group, 1986).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 5,850 to 5,875 feet asl. Over 700 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-20

20-001	LANDFILLS
20-002	DETONATION PIT AND FIRING AREAS
20-003	GUN FIRING SITES
20-004	SEPTIC SYSTEM
20-005	DECOMMISSIONED SEPTIC SYSTEM

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-20
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

As many as three landfills may have been created for the disposal of contaminated metal scrap, gun barrels, and other gun pieces. Their exact locations are not known, although the general areas have been identified. Area 1 [20-001(a)] is thought to contain a pit not more than 5 feet deep, whereas Areas 2 and 3 [20-001(b) and (c) respectively] were excavated by a bulldozer in a trench configuration. Preliminary data obtained from a geophysical survey provide no indication of Area 1 but did find anomalies in the suspected areas of 2 and 3. Results from the geophysical survey have not been obtained.

WASTE INFORMATION

Possible waste constituents in these disposal areas include depleted uranium, HE, and beryllium. Polonium (now decayed) and strontium are additional possible contaminants. Any polonium initially present has since decayed.

RELEASE INFORMATION

A 1948 memo stated that three burial grounds at the Sandia Canyon site were excavated and that the ground was checked for radioactivity and was found to be free of radioactivity. As part of the DOE Environmental Survey (Problem 20), samples were collected at one of the suspected landfill locations near the Sandia Canyon truck route. Results indicated above-background radionuclide activity, as well as the presence of beryllium, chromium, and zinc in the soil.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
20-001(a)	TA20-1-L-I-HW/RW	20.001-		
		20.003		
20-001(b)	TA20-1-L-I-HW/RW	20.001-		
		20.003		
20-001(c)	TA20-1-L-I-HW/RW	20.001-		
		20.003		

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-20
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1944 - 1947
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Structure TA-20-6 was a steel-lined pit 20' x 20' x 20' used for contained shots using 25 lbs or 200 lbs of HE. The pit was removed by 1955, and was possibly buried in Area 3 (see 20-001). Apparently at least a few other shots were done in the open. One of these shots, involving 500 lbs of HE, went low order, scattering the explosives.

WASTE INFORMATION

HE, polonium (now decayed), strontium-90, beryllium, and nickel were used in the initiator development tests. Uranium may also have been used in some of the experiments.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Slightly elevated levels of radioactivity have been measured in the area of TA-20-6. The pieces of HE from a low order shot were removed during several survey sweeps.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
20-002	TA20-2-CA-I-HW/RW	20.005		TA-20-6

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-20
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : FIRING SITE
 UNIT USE : TESTING/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1944 - 1945
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE
 MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Testing initiators involved the firing of Navy guns against steel plates along the cliffs. Structures associated with the site (TA-20-2 [20-003(a)], TA-20-13 [20-003(b)], TA-20-16 [20-003(c)], and TA-20-29 [20-003(d)]) were removed by 1955.

WASTE INFORMATION

Components may have included beryllium, nickel, strontium, uranium, tungsten, and HE.

RELEASE INFORMATION

One former LANL employee indicated possible contamination on the sloughed material from the cliffs. A recent survey found levels of radioactivity to be slightly above background at TA-20-29.

NOTES

The location of this SUMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
20-003(a)	TA20-2-CA-1-HW/RW	20.004		TA-20-2
20-003(b)	TA20-2-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-20-13
20-003(c)	TA20-2-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-20-16
20-003(d)	TA20-2-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-20-29

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-20
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Tank TA-20-49 is now numbered TA-0-276. It serves up to 30 people for a few hours per day and has a capacity of 540 gallons. Its overflow goes to a 100'-long drainline. Its EID Registration Number is LA-10.

WASTE INFORMATION

The septic tank receives sanitary waste. It may have received chemicals and solvents in the past.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Data on possible hazardous releases are not available.

NOTES

Septic tank TA-20-27 [20-004(a)] has been removed and is now discussed as SWMU No. 20-005. The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
20-004	**			TA-0-276, formerly TA-20-49

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-20
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1947
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Septic tank TA-20-27 has been removed. There are no structural data available on this tank.

WASTE INFORMATION

The septic tank received sanitary waste. It may have received chemicals and solvents in the past.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Data on possible hazardous releases are not available.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-72.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
20-005	**			TA-20-27

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

**TA-20 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
20-001(a)	
20-001(b)	20-1
20-001(c)	20-1
20-002	20-1
20-003(a)	20-1
20-003(b)	20-1
20-003(c)	20-1
20-003(d)	20-1
20-004	20-2
20-005	20-1

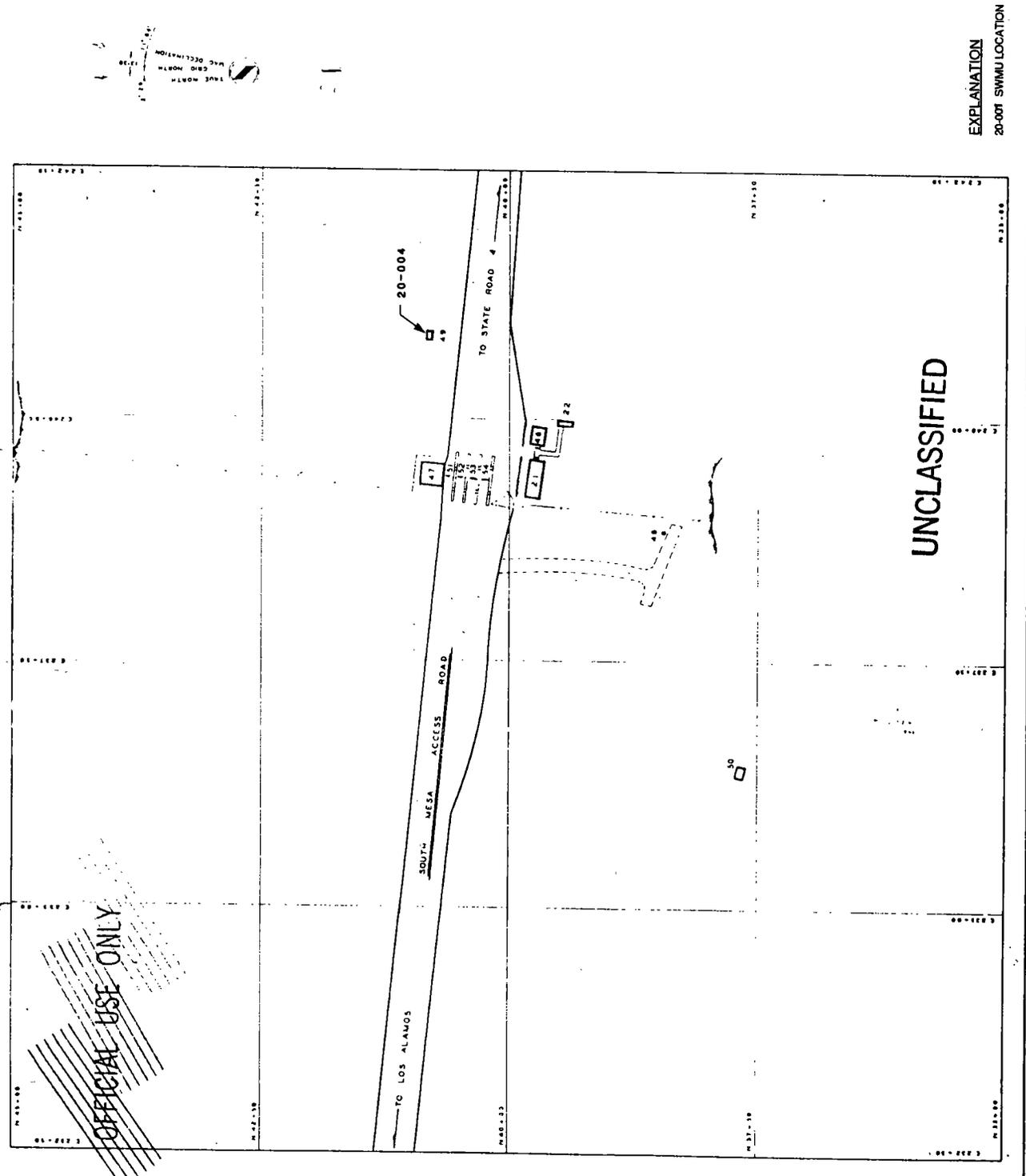
NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
TA-20-1	LABORATORY	(REMOVED)
TA-20-2	CONTROL BUILDING	(REMOVED)
TA-20-3	MANHOLE	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-4	MANHOLE	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-5	MANHOLE	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-6	RECOVERY PIT	(REMOVED)
TA-20-7	DUMBO & MOUNT	(REMOVED)
TA-20-8	PLATFORM & HOIST	(REMOVED)
TA-20-9	FOUNDATION RAMP	(REMOVED)
TA-20-10	BARRICADE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-11	HOT STORAGE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-12	STORAGE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-13	20 MM GUN BUILDING	(REMOVED)
TA-20-14	MAGAZINE	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-15	WATER TANK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-16	OLD GUN SIGHT INSTALLATION	(REMOVED)
TA-20-17	CUT OFF SHACK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-18	STORAGE BUILDING	(REMOVED)
TA-20-19	STORAGE BUILDING	(REMOVED)
TA-20-20	GUARD HOUSE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-21	PASS	(REMOVED)
TA-20-22	LATRINE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-23	ROAD BLOCK	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-24	LATRINE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-25	BARRICADE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-26	BARRICADE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-27	SEPTIC TANK	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-28	CONDUIT MANHOLE	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-29	PLATFORM & FORE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-30	SUBSTATION	(REMOVED)
TA-20-31	GUARD HOUSE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-32	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-33	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-34	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-35	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-36	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-37	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-38	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-39	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-40	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-41	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-42	PULL BOX DC	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-43	CABLE SUSPENSION	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-44	20 MM HUTMENT	(REMOVED)
TA-20-45	MAGAZINE	(REMOVED)
TA-20-46	LECTURE BUILDING	(REMOVED)
TA-20-47	GUARD HOUSE (NEW STATION)	(REMOVED)
TA-20-48	WATER TANK (UNDERGROUND)	(REMOVED)
TA-20-49	SEPTIC TANK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-50	WATER TANK	(ABANDONED)
TA-20-51	ROAD BLOCK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-52	ROAD BLOCK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-53	ROAD BLOCK	(REMOVED)
TA-20-54	ROAD BLOCK	(REMOVED)

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 FIGURE 20-2
 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-20

AUTHORIZED FOR: [Signature]
 DATE: 6/14/93
 BY: N. BYERS
 PROJECT: SANDIA CANYON SITE
 SHEET: ENG. R 130
 SCALE: 1" = 30'
 LOS ALAMOS SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY
 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
 ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
 LOS ALAMOS, N.M.



EXPLANATION
 20-001 SWMU LOCATION

TA-21
OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 21 is a complex facility incorporating many varied activities in separate buildings. These activities include (DOE, 1987a):

- Plumbing and electrical repair
- Preparation of cold salts for plutonium metal production
- Electronic equipment repair
- Geophysical research
- Labeled compounds preparation for biological/health research and biological studies
- Radioactive waste treatment
- Waste capacitors, transformers, and oils storage
- Tritium handling, storage, and usage research
- Basic research
- TRU chemistry
- Storage

Several laboratory material disposal areas exist at TA-21. The area is not slated for development because of the problems associated with its location. Several structures are currently being decontaminated and destroyed.

TA-21 lies at elevations between 6,680 and 7,220 feet asl. It is located on the eastern end of South Mesa, which is bifurcated by DP Canyon, a branch canyon of Los Alamos Canyon, separating TA-21 from the Los Alamos Airport to the north. The mesa is bounded on the south by Los Alamos Canyon. Canyon walls are steep or cliffs in this area. TA-21 lies on welded Bandelier Tuff in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper and Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetative zones. Soil is comprised of Hackroy sandy loam, Totavi gravelly loam sand, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

At TA-21, the potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos are lies at about 5,870 to 5,990 feet asl. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a; Purtymun, 1974).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-21

21-001	RADIOACTIVE WASTE CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
21-002	INACTIVE CONTAINER STORAGE AREAS
21-003	PCB STORAGE AREA
21-004	ABOVEGROUND TANKS AND DRAINLINES
21-005	ACID PIT
21-006	UNDERGROUND SEEPAGE PITS
21-007	SALAMANDERS
21-008	INCINERATOR
21-009	WASTE TREATMENT LABORATORY
21-010	INDUSTRIAL LIQUID WASTE TREATMENT FACILITY
21-011	NEW INDUSTRIAL WASTE TREATMENT PLANT
21-012	DRY WELLS
21-013	SURFACE DISPOSAL
21-014	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA A
21-015	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA B
21-016	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA T
21-017	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA U
21-018	MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA V
21-019	FILTER HOUSES/EXHAUST STACKS SOIL CONTAMINATION
21-020	DECOMMISSIONED FILTER HOUSES
21-021	STACK EMISSIONS
21-022	ACID WASTE LINES AND SUMPS
21-023	DECOMMISSIONED SEPTIC SYSTEMS
21-024	INACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS / OUTFALLS
21-025	OFF-GAS SYSTEM
21-026	WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT AND OUTFALL
21-027	SURFACE DISCHARGE
21-028	ACTIVE CONTAINER STORAGE AREAS
21-029	DP TANK FARM

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED	: RADIOACTIVE WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: CONTAINER STORAGE AREA		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: STORAGE		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1950s - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: NONE		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit is described in the RFA as a drum storage area used to hold sludge from the TA-21 industrial wastewater treatment plant. There was a tarp covering the drums during the VSI. These drums are stored here prior to transfer to TA-54. A November 1988 field survey found 57 drums southwest of TA-21-257. The drums southwest of Building 257 are empty.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of radioactive sludges. LANL staff with knowledge of the area believe that hazardous constituents may be present.

RELEASE INFORMATION

No known releases of hazardous wastes from this unit have occurred. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-001	**	21.018		SOUTHWEST OF TA-21-257

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21 MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : CONTAINER STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - 1988
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

UNIT INFORMATION

These container storage areas were observed during the VSI and by CEARP. Abandoned drums [21-002(a)] were identified during the VSI. There were several old 55-gallon drums of undefined purpose lying on their sides on the ground inside a fenced area. The drums are believed to be empty. The CEARP notes that additional drums and gas cylinders are stored in several locations throughout TA-21, some of which are leaking. One of these was noted in the CEARP: it was a barrel storage area located southeast of TA-21-38; it was removed in 1966 [21-002(b)]. A recent field survey found that most of the drums have been removed. Based on the LANL container storage area database, these areas are no longer active.

WASTE INFORMATION

The removed containers were sampled and then disposed of or stored at another area.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Some of the drums were observed to be leaking in the past.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-002(a)	TA21-13-CA-A-HW	21.020 21.021 21.029		TA-21
21-002(b)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 10 : 174	SOUTHEAST OF TA-21-31

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED :	SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: CONTAINER STORAGE AREA		SOLID WASTE
UNIT USE	: STORAGE		PCBs
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1981 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit consists of drum storage at Building 61 and at a nearby bermed asphalt pad. Up to 20 boxes of capacitors, 5 drain-type transformers and 30 drums of PCB-contaminated oil may be held here. Bulk storage consists of (1) 4000 gallon tank and (1) 2000 gallon tank that contain >50 ppb PCBs. The oil from the bulk storage and capacitors is shipped to Enseco in Eldorado, AK for incineration and the transformer oil is shipped to GNL Recovery (Unison) in Ashtabula, Ohio. The PCB storage was moved to TA-54, Area L in August, 1989.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of oil containing PCBs.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Soil around the storage pad is stained and has a sheen.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-003	TA21-14-CA-A-HW	21.016		TA-21-61

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : ABOVEGROUND TANK
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Aboveground tank TA-21-335 [21-004(a)] is a 6,000-gallon tank designed to receive any liquids discharged from TA-21-21 in the event of an emergency release, i.e. if the fire sprinklers in the building are used. To date, no liquid has been discharged to this tank. The tank is 8' in diameter and 16' long. It was installed in 1974. In addition to this tank, there are two tanks [21-004(b) and (c)] located in a bermed area north of structures TA-21-223 and TA-21-213. These tanks receive liquid from TA-21-223 if the pump is inoperative or there is a similar problem. These tanks were installed in the 1970s. Prior to the installation of these tanks, sump/pump TA-21-223 discharged, if necessary, into DP Canyon via a 61' long, 6"-diameter drain line [21-004(d)]. They are surrounded by an asphalt berm.

WASTE INFORMATION

Currently, no waste has been discharged to Tank TA-21-335. When the tank is used, the waste may contain radionuclides. The waste discharged to the tanks from TA-21-223 is industrial waste from DP East. It may contain tritium. Chemical contaminants to these tanks have not been documented.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There has been no release of any kind from any of these tanks.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-004(a)	TA21-5-S-1-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 27	TA-21-335
21-004(b)	TA21-5-S-1-HW/RW	? 21.022	Tsk 9 : 114	NORTH OF TA-21-223, -213
21-004(c)	TA21-5-S-1-HW/RW	? 21.022	Tsk 9 : 114	NORTH OF TA-21-223, -213
21-004(d)	TA21-5-S-1-HW/RW		Tsk 10 : 134 Tsk 9 : 81	TA-21-223

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
TYPE OF UNIT(s) : PIT
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
PERIOD OF USE : 1946 - 1967
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Structure TA-21-70, an acid pit, was used to dispose of classified correspondence by digesting the paper in concentrated acid. The pit was southeast of existing Building TA-21-30 shown on a 1957 engineering drawing. It was built of reinforced concrete and was 3' x 3' x 4' deep with a sheet-iron cover. The pit and contents were removed in 1967 and taken to the contaminated waste disposal site at TA-54. This area is currently occupied by the west end of trailer TA-21-363.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste disposed of in this unit consisted of paper dissolved in acid.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There are no known releases.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-005	TA21-5-S-1-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 21	TA-21-70

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : PIT
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - 1950s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following seepage pits were used in TA-21. 1) An underground seepage pit for liquid disposal between TA-21-2 and -3 [21-006(a)] received liquids from the Hanford container washing operations. The LANL "Radioactive Waste Management Site Plan" of 1978 indicates that estimated radioactivity was high and plutonium is the principal radionuclide. 2) A seepage pit [21-006(b)] on the south side of the complex, possibly TA-21-118, discharged to Los Alamos Canyon. TA-21-118 was built in 1945 and was constructed of brick. It was 13' x 4' x 6' deep with a wood cover. A 200-ft long, 3"-diameter jennite-coated cast iron ether waste line connected building TA-21-2 to pit TA-21-118 and discharged to an outfall on the north rim of Los Alamos Canyon. 3) A third pit [21-006(c)], was believed to have been located 15 feet outside the door of room 322 of Building 3. It was reported that the pit received plutonium, ethylene glycol, and "phosphorous acid". 4) A stone pit [21-006(d)], possibly near TA-21-272, was reported to be contaminated. It is possible that pits 21-006(a), (c), and (d) are all the same pit based on reported locations in the same area. 5) A seepage pit [21-006(e)] was located south of Building 4. 6) A seepage pit [21-006(f)] adjacent to room 413 of Building TA-21-4 received fluorine waste contaminated with plutonium. This pit has been paved over.

WASTE INFORMATION

Wastewater discharged to the pits contained plutonium and is suspected to have contained solvents, hydrofluoric acid and nitric acid with specific chemicals and concentrations probably varying in the different pits. Waste discharged to the stone pit probably contained radionuclides. The waste discharged to the seepage pit south of Building 4 is unknown. The waste discharged to the gravel pit adjacent room 413 was reported to have received up to 4000 l/day of fluorine waste which had 0.18 microgram/l plutonium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether release of hazardous wastes have occurred from the pit between TA-21-2 and -3. Although there is no documentation that hazardous constituents have been released from this pit, LANL staff with knowledge of these facilities believe that hazardous constituents could have been released. There are reports of discharges from at least some of the pits to the north side of Los Alamos Canyon and the south side of DP Canyon.

NOTES

The gravel seepage pit north of DP West Complex, formerly SWMU No. 21-006(b), is interpreted to be MDA-T (21-016); the description of the pit was therefore deleted and the remaining SWMU Numbers were renumbered accordingly.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-006(a)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 15	TA-21-3, -2
21-006(b)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 59 38 Tsk 10 : 141	TA-21-118, -2
	(see Notes)			
21-006(c)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 15	TA-21-3
21-006(d)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 37	TA-21-272
21-006(e)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 16	TA-21-4
21-006(f)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	? 21.019	Tsk 9 : 19	TA-21-4

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : INCINERATOR
UNIT USE : TREATMENT
OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
PERIOD OF USE : 1960s - 1970s
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In the 1960s and 1970s, several incinerators called salamanders located at DP West were used to burn various types of oils contaminated with radionuclides. The salamanders were associated with the radioactive waste treatment facility. According to LANL staff, the units were long trays used for open burning of waste. These incinerators have been removed.

WASTE INFORMATION

The incinerated waste consisted of oils contaminated with radionuclides.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Oil spills from the salamanders are known to have occurred.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-007	TA21-4-IN-I-HW/RW		Tsk 10 : 175	NEAR TA-21-35

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21 MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : INCINERATOR
UNIT USE : TREATMENT
OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
PERIOD OF USE : ? - 1977
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

The plutonium facility at DP West, TA-21-2, operated a small incinerator to recover certain elements. During operation the ash was leached for recovery. Spent solutions went to the liquid waste treatment facility. Off-gases were treated for radionuclide removal before they were released to the environment. The incinerator was removed during the building decommissioning.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste was mixed radioactive and hazardous materials.

RELEASE INFORMATION

A small amount of radioactivity and oxides of nitrogen were released as off-gases and particulates from the stack.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-008	TA21-4-IN-1-HW/RW	21.044	Task 10 : 175	

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : WASTE TREATMENT PLANT
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/TESTING
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1948 - 1965
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The old waste treatment lab, TA-21-33, was a wood frame building, 16' x 48' x 12' high ceiling. It was found to be free of contamination except for two pipes under the building. An engineering document shows that the building was removed by controlled burning, and the remains were taken for burial in 1965 to MDA-G but does not indicate whether the pipes were removed.

WASTE INFORMATION

The only known residual waste is associated with the pipes which may remain. The waste has not been characterized in detail.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether hazardous wastes have been discharged through the pipes.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-009	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 10 : 156	TA-21-33

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED	: RADIOACTIVE WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: WASTE TREATMENT PLANT		MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT/DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: DECOMMISSIONED		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1952 - 1967		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: KNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

The liquid waste treatment facility, TA-21-35, and its associated tanks, piping, etc. [21-010(a)] began operation in 1952. A new facility was put in operation in 1967. A 1,445-ft long, 3"-diameter drainline connected the treatment plant to a sump/pump at TA-21-223. The TA-21-223 sump/pump pumped waste from buildings TA-21-152, -155, and -209 in DP-East to the treatment plant in DP-West. Buildings TA-21-152, -155, and -209 were connected to the sump/pump (TA-21-223) via a 6"-diameter drainline. The old plant was found to have loose alpha contamination and its waste storage tanks and waste processing tank were highly contaminated. The old building, tanks and piping were removed. This included TA-21-93, -145, -147, -185, -192, -255, and -271 [21-010(b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h), respectively]. TA-21-93 and -271 were manholes on the southwest corner of building TA-21-35. No evidence of these sites was seen during an ER Program site visit on 3/13/89. TA-21-145 and -147 were 500 gallon steel tanks installed in 1959; TA-21-185 was a 390 gallon septic tank that was installed in 1956. A sewage disposal field was associated with this septic tank, according to engineering drawing ENG-C18171; the tank and field were connected by a 2"-diameter drainline. No evidence of this sewage disposal field was observed during the ER Program site visit on 3/13/89. TA-21-192 was a grit chamber, 8' x 3' x 7', constructed of reinforced concrete with an insulated built-up cover. All material and tanks removed from the decommissioning of the old facility were hauled to the radioactive disposal site at MDA-G. The raw waste storage tanks and cement silo were moved to the new plant, DP-257, and incorporated into its operation. The old facility had a raw holding tank which was connected to a series of acid waste lines and a septic tank. The treatment plant, TA-21-35, had an outfall to the east rim of DP canyon.

WASTE INFORMATION

The facility treated liquid radioactive wastes generated at DP-West. The waste contained fluorine, iodine, cadmium, beryllium, lead, mercury, sodium, nitrates, chlorine, in addition to radionuclides. The liquid probably contained solvents and other organics from the various laboratory operations including solvent extraction.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Most equipment and the building have been removed, although the tanks and silos are in use at the new facility. The area had spills and leaks associated with it and radioactivity in the downhill area below the facility is reported to be above background. LANL staff believe that chemical and radioactive contamination below the tanks is likely. There is no report of soil removal below these tanks. The outfall was into the canyon to the north of the site. This canyon outfall and the downstream areas contain residual radionuclides and chemicals discharged during operation.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-010(a)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 10 : 168	TA-21-35
			Tsk 9 : 80 95 100	
21-010(b)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 33	TA-21-93
21-010(c)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 109	TA-21-145
21-010(d)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 110	TA-21-147
21-010(e)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 48 35 111	TA-21-185
21-010(f)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 30	TA-21-192
21-010(g)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 112	TA-21-255
21-010(h)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 34	TA-21-271

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : WASTE TREATMENT PLANT
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1967 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

After the waste treatment plant at TA-21-35 was closed in 1967, a new waste treatment facility began operation at TA-21-257 [21-011(a)]. Waste lines link DP East with DP West, which ties to the new waste treatment facility. Sump TA-21-223 [21-011(b)], built in 1965, serves as the pump house for transporting DP East waste to the treatment plant. A 3"-diameter drainline connects sump/pump TA-21-223 with the TA-21-257 treatment facility. Before TA-21-257 was built, this same line connected the TA-21-223 sump/pump with the old treatment facility (TA-21-35, 21-010). The sump/pump is connected to buildings TA-21-152, -155, and -209 via a 6"-diameter drainline. The plant includes a clarifier, a flocculator tank, four vertical storage tanks, a pumping station, several sumps that are part of MDA-T, tank TA-21-120 [21-011(c)], several aboveground acid tanks TA-21-110, -111, -112, -113, -256, -288, -289 [21-011(d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), and (j), respectively], and several chemical holding tanks. Raw waste storage tanks and a cement silo were moved from the old waste treatment plant (see 21-009). Tanks TA-21-110, -111, -112, and -113 were acid holding tanks that were installed in 1952 at old waste treatment plant and moved to TA-21-257 in 1967. Tank TA-21-120 had a 4000 gallon capacity. Tanks TA-21-288 (1000 gallon) and -289 (1600 gallon) were installed in 1968. Drainlines that connect buildings TA-21-2 and -3 to the TA-21-257 treatment plant are 1.5"-diameter stainless steel pipe. The drainline from building TA-21-3 was previously split and also discharged to acid tank TA-21-256, until the tank was relocated in 1967-1968. Presently the liquids are piped to TA-50 for release; however, an outfall from the plant can discharge to the canyon. The outfall is under a NPDES permit and is designated 050.

WASTE INFORMATION

The treatment plant handles radioactive-mixed waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Before TA-50 began operating, an outfall into the canyon north of the site discharged the liquids from the plant. The receiving canyon contains a radionuclide and chemical inventory from this practice. Sump TA-21-223 may have discharged to the canyon on occasion through a drain pipe before the holding tanks were installed.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-011(a)	TA21-10-UST-A/I-RW/HW		Tsk 9 : 95 96 97	TA-21-257
21-011(b)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 31	TA-21-223
21-011(c)	**	21.006 21.009 21.012		TA-21-120
21-011(d)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-110
21-011(e)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-111
21-011(f)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-112
21-011(g)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-113
21-011(h)	**		Tsk 9 : 97	TA-21-256
21-011(i)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-288
21-011(j)	**		Tsk 9 : 116	TA-21-289

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : WELL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : UNKNOWN
 PERIOD OF USE : ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : UNKNOWN

UNIT INFORMATION

There is a dry well inside the steam plant (TA-21-357) that receives liquids from the steam plant [21-012(a)]. There was another dry well associated with the old steam plant, TA-21-9 [21-012(b)]. Prior to the construction of this dry well, the blow down was discharged to the surface via a 6"-diameter steel drainline.

WASTE INFORMATION

The liquid from the plants could have contained chromium; further data characterizing the waste is not available.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no information currently available regarding releases from this unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-012(a)	**			TA-21-357
21-012(b)	**		Tsk 9 : 32 78	TA-21-9

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED :	SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: SURFACE DISPOSAL		UNKNOWN
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SOLID WASTE
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: ?		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

There is a small surface disposal area [21-013(a)] possibly consisting of sand from the drying beds, TA-21-230, of the sanitary waste treatment plant. This area is located near the north rim of the mesa near the plant, along the southern edge of DP Canyon. Normally the sludge from the plant is taken to the contaminated disposal facility at TA-54. A second disposal area [21-013(b)] was noted in Los Alamos Canyon near MDA-V during the CEARP field reconnaissance. The area contained building debris. A third possible disposal area [21-013(c)] is northeast of TA-21-209, just south of the road to the sanitary treatment plant. During an ER Program site visit on 12/14/88, this surface disposal was located approximately 122 ft from LASL Marker K1 1968 and 85 ft from the DP East fence where it makes right angles east of MDA-U. Another possible disposal area [21-013(d)] is the disturbed area north of TA-21-20 and DP road, referred to as the "cold dump." Geophysical surveys and the ER Program site visit noted that the area has been scraped and that the cold dump may have been removed. A fifth possible disposal area [21-013(e)] northwest of the "cold dump" may have been used for construction refuse. Construction debris, soil piles, and drain pipes were observed during the ER Program site visit on 12/14/88. This site is 308 ft east of fence adjacent to the Lobo Lift building and 175 ft north of the fence along DP Road. A sixth possible disposal area [21-013(f)] was identified on a 1949 aerial photo (photo 12244) as a series of mounds. Another aerial photo (15927), taken in 1950, shows the mounds had been removed and replaced by TA-21-61. No information is available on the contents of the mounds, or whether they were waste material. No physical evidence of this disposal area was found during an E.R. Program site visit on 12/14/88. Two drainlines were observed during an E.R. Program site visit, located immediately south of MDA-V [21-013(g)]. These drainlines appeared to have been disposed of and are not associated with drainage from MDA-V. These drainlines may have been left in this location when the old acid waste line was replaced.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste in the area at the north canyon edge probably consists of sand from the drying beds at the sanitary waste treatment plant. Further information characterizing the waste is not available. The surface disposal area in Los Alamos Canyon contained asphalt, concrete pipe, reinforcing rods, booties, and a tank. The area by TA-21-209 is disturbed and appears to contain building debris. It is unknown if there is subsurface burial here. Waste contents of the "cold dump" are unknown; however, analytical results suggest that 1,1,1-Trichloroethane may have been present in the waste. The disposal area northwest of the "cold dump" appears to contain construction debris. Contents of the mounds in the 1949 aerial photo are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no information available indicating the release of hazardous waste from most of these surface disposal areas. The "cold dump" was identified by the DOE Environmental Survey as Problem 22. Soil gas sampling in this location detected an estimated 0.5 to 1.0 mg/cubic meter of 1,1,1-Trichloroethane in the 1.7- to 4-ft depth interval.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-013(a)	TA21-12-OL-1-RW/HW	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 14	TA-21-230
21-013(b)	TA21-12-OL-1-RW/HW	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 13	NEAR MDA-V
21-013(c)	TA21-11-L-1-RW/HW/SW	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 7	NORTHEAST OF TA-21-209
21-013(d)	**	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 8	NORTH OF TA-21-20 AND DP ROAD
21-013(e)	**	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 11	NORTHWEST OF TA-21-20 AND DP ROAD
21-013(f)	**	? 21.024	Tsk 8 : 12	SITE OF TA-21-61
21-013(g)	**	? 21.024	Tsk 9 : 107 108	SOUTH OF MDA-V

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
 ** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: LANDFILL		RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: STORAGE/DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1944-1947, 1969-1978		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-A is about 1.25 acres in size and consists of 5 pits and 2 underground storage tanks (50,000 gallons each) known as the "General's Tanks" (TA-21-107 and -108). The tanks were each 12' in diameter and 62'10" long. The tanks were connected to the treatment plant, TA-21-257 (see SWMU 21-011), via a mild steel drainline. Waste solutions containing plutonium and americium were stored in these tanks with the hope that some day chemical recovery processes would improve so that the plutonium in them could be recovered. Liquids (48,877 gallons) in the tanks were removed for processing in 1983. The tanks contained a few inches of semisolid precipitate in 1986. There is some evidence that rainwater has been leaking into the tanks since recovery operations. Site stabilization was done in FY1985 and included sealing and covering openings in the tanks to prevent further water entry, removing surface contamination, adding cover material and recontouring and reseeding the area. The reseeding operation was largely unsuccessful. The four small disposal pits (125' x 18' x 12') are believed to contain solid waste contaminated with polonium (now decayed away), trace amounts of beta-gamma activity, and probably some trace amounts of long-lived alpha-emitters (probably plutonium). These pits were used between 1944 and 1947. However, geophysical surveys indicate only 2 of these pits were actually present. A larger pit (172' x 134' x 22'), constructed in 1969, contains building debris from the decommissioning of several facilities at TA-21. The pit was covered in May 1978. Additionally, hundreds of drums of radioactive iodide waste were stored on the surface at MDA-A; some of the drums leaked. The drums were taken to TA-45 in 1960. Residual radioactive iodide would have decayed by now. The site shares a common watershed and is on the same mesa as MDA-T and MDA-U.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is described as radioactive waste solutions containing plutonium, americium, and polonium. LANL staff indicate that the waste may also have included solvents and other chemicals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

No releases of hazardous wastes are known to have occurred from this landfill. The drainlines from TA-21-257 to the General's Tanks were never used and are assumed to have been abandoned in-place. Radiation sampling in 1974 in the area around the General's Tanks resulted in gross-alpha and gross-beta measurements that were indistinguishable from background samples. The site undergoes routine radiological monitoring under IAMP.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-014	TA21-11-L-1-RW/HW/SW	21.017	Task 8 : 3 Task 9 : 103	MDA-A, TA-21-107, -108

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : LANDFILL
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1948
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-B is approximately 6 acres and is an inactive landfill located south of DP Road near TA-21. It is not clearly documented whether the unit consists of several pits or one large pit covered and expanded as necessary. Chemical wastes were buried in slit trenches 3' to 4' deep, 2' wide and <40' long along the eastern edge of the unit. A section of the western portion has been paved and the surface has been leased to Los Alamos County, which in turn rents parking places to store trailers, old cars, etc. Erosion on the south perimeter is a continuing problem. The surface of the eastern part was extensively renovated in 1982 and replanted in 1984. All vegetation was removed and it was divided into two areas for treatment. The control was adding (from the top) a 6" layer of top soil followed by 30" of crushed tuff with 6" of top soil below the tuff. Grass plugs (sand dropseed) and rabbit brush were then planted. The other treatment, starting from the top, was to spread 6" of topsoil, 18" of crushed tuff and 2' of cobble (for a biobarrier) and 6" top soil on the bottom. Grass plugs and rabbit brush were also planted in the area. The effectiveness of this new trench cap is being studied by the LANL Environmental Science Group (HSE-12).

WASTE INFORMATION

The wastes consist primarily of solids with various radioactive contaminants such as plutonium, polonium (now decayed away), uranium, americium, curium and actinium. At least one truck contaminated with fission products from the Trinity test is buried in the pit. The slit trenches contain old bottles of organics, perchlorates, ethers, solvents, etc. Lecture bottles of mixtures, spent chemicals, old chemicals and corrosive gases may be in the slit trenches.

RELEASE INFORMATION

A study of the area in 1966 by the U.S.G.S. indicated possible lateral movement of water--probably from the pit(s). The amount of water moving through the tuff was well below the effective porosity of the tuff. Radiochemical analysis of the soil and tuff from 13 test holes around the perimeter showed no indication of radioactive contamination. Investigations of the eastern end of the site in the late 1970's showed plant root penetration of the waste and animal intrusion. The area is being monitored for radioactive transport under the IWMP.

NOTES

The possible trenches south of MDA-B are being addressed under townsite tasks.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-015	TA21-11-L-1-RW/HW/SW	21.001	Tsk 8 : 4	MDA-B

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1980s
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-T covers an area of about 2 acres. This disposal area included adsorption beds, sumps, and shafts. There are four adsorption beds [21-016(a)] each 120' long, 20' wide and 4' deep. The beds received a total of 14,010,500 gallons of plutonium processing waste which included 10,500 gallons of effluent containing highly concentrated ammonium citrate. The adsorption beds received untreated waste from 1945 to 1952; after construction of the industrial liquid waste treatment facility (TA-21-35; SWMU 21-010) in 1952, these beds received treated waste until 1967, when the new industrial waste treatment plant (TA-21-257; SWMU 21-011) went into operation. Located near and within the adsorption beds were four sumps: TA-21-121, -122, -131, and -132. The sumps were built in 1946 of reinforced concrete and are 2'6" x 4' x 8'. MDA-T received waste liquids from most of the buildings in TA-21. Building TA-21-12 was connected to MDA-T by a 125-ft long, 6"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainline. Building TA-21-34 was connected to the drainline from TA-21-12 by another drainline. A 250-ft long, 6"-diameter cast iron drainline connected TA-21-35 with tanks TA-21-112 and -113 and the tanks with adsorption bed 4 in MDA-T. In 1952, the volume of waste exceeded the capacity of the adsorption beds and the waste was routed to TA-21-35 for treatment. The beds sporadically received a few hundred gallons of waste at a time up until 1967. A pit, TA-21-186 [21-016(b)], was built in 1959 of redwood and it was about 6' x 10' x 30' deep. The pit was located between two rows of adsorption beds. This pit, referred to as the "Snake Pit," was used for monitoring purposes and did not contain waste. From 1974 to 1982, transuranic wastes were mixed with cement and pumped into corrugated metal pipes into the pit. There were 175 corrugated metal pipes (2.5 ft in diameter, 20 ft long) in the pit, which was located between adsorption beds 1 and 3. In 1984 to 1986, the pipes were transported to TA-54 with the intention of shipping them to the WIPP site near Carlsbad, NM. There were 62 shafts [21-016(c)], 15' to 68' deep and 4' to 8' diameter, augered between adsorption beds 2 and 4 and cemented batch americium wastes were pumped down the shafts. The shafts were sprayed with heated roofing asphalt prior to emplacing the cemented mixture. The shafts were used for transuranic cement paste disposal from 1968 to 1983.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste in the adsorption beds consists of liquids generated during plutonium processing. Americium-241 and plutonium-239 have been measured at sampling points in the adsorption beds. As stated, the shafts contain batch americium wastes and the pit at one time contained transuranic wastes. Information on hazardous chemical co-contaminants is unavailable. Chemicals discharged to the adsorption beds are reported to include fluorine, ammonium citrate, citric acid and nitrogen and chlorine compounds. According to LANL staff, lead, mercury and cadmium are suspected to have been waste constituents.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Subsurface migration of radionuclides and surface overflow have been documented. According to LANL staff, hazardous releases are suspected. Several studies have been done over the years to characterize the movement of radionuclides through the tuff. Five test holes were dug around the pits in 1953; two were through the pits and one was a 45 degree hole that angled below pit 1. A 30' deep caisson (the "Snake Pit") was dug to obtain horizontal cores in 1961 and several test holes were drilled in 1967. In a study completed in 1978, four sampling holes were drilled to a depth of 100' through two adsorption beds. The holes were drilled in the vicinity of the place where the wastewater entered the beds. Two other holes were drilled further away from the entrance point for the waste. Data starting in 1952 provide the mineral composition of the waste; before that date, it is unknown. MDA-T is being monitored for radioactive transport under the IWMP. The drainlines are assumed to have been abandoned in-place, except the drainline from TA-21-12 to MDA-T which was removed in 1972-1973.

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 21-016(b), (c), (d), and (e) were sumps located near and in the adsorption beds. The sumps are now addressed as part of the adsorption bed in SWMU No. 21-016(a).

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-016(a)	MDA-T	21.002 18.067- 18.070	Tsk 8 : 1 2 Tsk 9 : 56 58 67	TA-21-121, -122, -131, -132, MDA-T
21-016(b)	MDA-T	21.002	Tsk 8 : 1 2	TA-21-186, MDA-T
21-016(c)	MDA-T	21.002 18.005- 18.066	Tsk 8 : 1 2	MDA-T

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED :	RADIOACTIVE WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA		SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		SUSPECTED PCBs
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1945 - 1968		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: SUSPECTED		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: KNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-U covers about 0.25 acres and contains two adsorption beds, formerly TA-21-162 and -163 [21-017(a) and (b)] (since 1951 these adsorption beds have had no structure numbers) that were used for the subsurface disposal of contaminated liquid wastes from DP East from 1948 to 1968. MDA-U received liquid wastes from buildings TA-21-152, -153, and -155. Building TA-21-152 was connected with both adsorption beds in MDA-U by an 86-ft long, 6"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainline which went through acid manhole TA-21-173. Building TA-21-153 was connected to MDA-U adsorption bed 2 (formerly TA-21-163) by a 45-ft long, 6"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainline. Building TA-21-155 was connected to MDA-U adsorption bed 1 (formerly TA-21-162), via acid pit TA-21-222, by a 200-ft long, 4"-diameter cast iron drainline. Engineering drawing ENG-R4821 indicates that this drainline formerly discharged to the surface. The primary radionuclide in these wastes was polonium-210 which, with its 138-day half-life, has since decayed away. In 1953, an estimated 2.5 curie of actinium-227 were also discharged to these beds, principally from the effluents from a filter building (TA-21-153) that scrubbed actinium-227 out of the air in several process buildings at TA-21. Early problems with the pits included oil washing down from the precipitators which in 1946 was observed to be lying on top of the ground. This was noted to be contaminated to a high degree. The area around the filter building was decontaminated when the building was removed in 1978. MDA-U was improved in 1985 with the removal of the piping from the adsorption beds and the associated sump, TA-21-164 [21-017(c)]. The sump was built in 1946 of reinforced concrete, about 2'6" x 4' x 8'. In addition, a sampling trench was dug in the length of the beds, and soil contaminated with actinium was removed to MDA-G. Not all contamination was removed. The CEARP reports the trench dimension as 20' wide, 100' long and 4' to 13' deep. A plastic lining was placed in the trench to indicate the excavation boundary, and then the trench was filled with uncontaminated tuff. The area was covered with 6" of topsoil. There is a graded drainage ditch outside of the fence to divert storm water around MDA-U.

WASTE INFORMATION

The liquid waste managed by MDA-U included radionuclides (polonium, actinium) and possibly some organics. Oils from the precipitators that were discharged to the beds may have contained beryllium and PCBs.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There was no release observed during the VSI, however, some erosion of surface soil was observed. Several storm water outfalls (non-NPDES) were observed to discharge into the canyon. Memos suggest that releases have occurred from surface overflow in the early days. The location of the former surface discharge from the drainline serving building TA-21-155 is unknown. The drainline from building TA-21-153 to MDA-U was removed in 1978.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-017(a)	MDA-U	21.002 21.003 21.004 18.071 18.072	Tsk 8 : 5 Tsk 9 : 65 66 79	TA-21-162 (pre-1951) MDA-U
21-017(b)	MDA-U	21.002 21.003 21.004 18.071 18.072		TA-21-163 (pre-1951), MDA-U
21-017(c)	MDA-U		Tsk 8 : 5	TA-21-164, MDA-U

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1961
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

MDA-V [21-018(a)], an area of approximately 1 acre, was used for the disposal of radionuclide-contaminated wastewater from laundry operations from 1945 to 1961. The laundry, TA-21-20 [21-018(b)], was in use between 1945 and the 1950's; its purpose was cleaning contaminated clothing. Wastewater was discharged to three "adsorption beds" or seepage pits that were used in series. There is documentation that these pits discharged to the canyon. An estimated 2 Ci of strontium-89, barium-140 and lanthanum-140, now decayed to undetectable levels, was discharged to these pits. Small quantities of strontium-90 and plutonium-239 were also discharged to the pits. MDA-V was connected to the laundry (TA-21-20) by a 90-ft long, 6"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainline. Within MDA-V, connecting the adsorption beds, was 775 feet of 4"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainline.

WASTE INFORMATION

The laundry wastewater contained radionuclides (barium-140, strontium-90, plutonium-239, plutonium-240, tritium, and probably uranium) and may have contained chemicals including solvents.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The seepage pits did not always function properly, and on occasion there were discharges to the canyon. It is assumed that the drainline from the laundry (TA-21-20) to MDA-V was abandoned in-place, since no records exist regarding its removal. Surface stabilization efforts were completed in 1985. Sanitary sludges were used to aid re-vegetation of the unit in the summer of 1987. Soil samples of MDA-V taken in 1985 found that surface samples (from 0-30 cm deep) had traces of tritium, uranium, plutonium-239, and plutonium-240. Samples of adsorption bed materials (from 30 to 120 cm) and of the underlying tuff (from below 120 cm) indicated traces of uranium from 0.9 to 4.0 m deep and plutonium-239 and plutonium-240 from the surface to 17.7 m deep. The vertical distribution of plutonium suggests that other contaminants may have moved downward into the tuff under the influence of wastewater to at least 17.7 m. MDA-V is being monitored under the IWMP.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-018(a)	MDA-V	21.005	Tsk 8 : 6 Tsk 9 : 55	MDA-V
21-018(b)	MDA-V	21.005 18.073- 18.075	Tsk 9 : 55 Tsk 10 : 171	TA-21-20

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1958 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

There are several filter houses and exhaust stacks that are used to treat the radioactive off-gases in TA-21. The effluents from the active units are sampled monthly for radionuclides. In some labs, filters are in use before the gases discharge to the main filter houses.

STRUCTURE	SWMU NO.	STATUS	FAN NO.	SAMPLED FOR
TA-21-3	21-019(a)	active	FE-6	U235
TA-21-4	21-019(b)	active	FE-1	Pu, mixed fission products
TA-21-4	21-019(b)	active	FE-3	U235
TA-21-146	21-019(c)	inactive(?)		
TA-21-150	21-019(d)	active	FE-1	Pu
TA-21-155	21-019(e)	active	FE-5	tritium gas, tritium oxide
TA-21-209	21-019(f)	active	FE-1, -10, -12	tritium gas
TA-21-257	21-019(g)	active	FE-4	Pu
TA-21-313	21-019(h)	active	FE-2	Pu
TA-21-314	21-019(i)	active	FE-1, -7	Pu
TA-21-315	21-019(j)	active	FE-1	Pu
TA-21-322	21-019(k)	inactive (?)		
TA-21-323	21-019(l)	inactive (?)		
TA-21-324	21-019(m)	active	FE-1	Pu

TA-21-146 is a filter house built between 1958 and 1960 of pumice block with a steel deck roof; it is about 40'8" x 18' x 13'11.5". TA-21-324 is also a filter house that is about 18' x 58' x 10'.

WASTE INFORMATION

The off-gases contain radionuclides and possibly hazardous chemicals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Detailed data on any releases other than radionuclides is lacking.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-019(a)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-3
21-019(b)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-4
21-019(c)	TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-146
21-019(d)	TA21-8-CA-1/A-RW/HW TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-150
21-019(e)	TA21-8-CA-1/A-RW/HW TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-155
21-019(f)	TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-209
21-019(g)	TA21-8-CA-1-RW/HW TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW		Task 10 : 180	TA-21-257
21-019(h)	TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-21-313

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SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
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<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-019(i)	TA21-9-CA-I-HW/RW			TA-21-314
21-019(j)	TA21-9-CA-I-HW/RW			TA-21-315
21-019(k)	TA21-9-CA-I-HW/RW			TA-21-322
21-019(l)	TA21-9-CA-I-HW/RW			TA-21-323
21-019(m)	TA21-9-CA-I-HW/RW			TA-21-324

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1973
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Filter house TA-21-12 [21-020(a)] began operating in May 1945. It treated air from DP West rooms and processes with electrostatic precipitators and filters. Decontamination and decommissioning occurred, and in 1973 the ductwork was removed and the filter house was demolished. The interior was cleaned and painted and the stacks, filters, frames and other items were removed for burial. The building was carefully demolished inside to outside and contaminated items were removed for disposal. The drain pipe to the tile field and contaminated soil were also reported to have been removed. The tile field itself was removed at an earlier date. The decommissioning residues were taken to MDA-A and to TA-54 for disposal and, if wastes contained >10 nCi/g of plutonium, to retrievable storage. Filter Building TA-21-153 [21-020(b)] was constructed in 1945 to clean air from some of the process operations at DP East. The building contained filters and electrostatic precipitators. In 1970 the building was shut down and in the 1970's the radioactive and contaminated accessible parts of the building were removed. The building, its contents, and contaminated soil were disposed of or were placed in retrievable storage at TA-54.

WASTE INFORMATION

The off-gases contained radionuclides. Further information characterizing the chemicals or other constituents that may have been present is not available, however, various acid vapors including hydrofluoric acid were probably discharged.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Radioactive waste is known to have been released through the stacks due to above background samples in the area around DP. Soil samples from a depth of 30 cm below building TA-21-12 had 1.3 to 70 pCi/g of plutonium-239. The area was backfilled with soil, a composite of which contained 1.3 +/- 0.1 pCi/g plutonium. Clean-up of building TA-21-153 in 1978 was to less than or equal to 30 pCi gross alpha/g of soil, which is the detection limit of the ZnS gross alpha measurement system. No information on releases of hazardous constituents is available.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-020(a)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 10 : 155	TA-21-12
21-020(b)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW		Tsk 10 : 170	TA-21-153

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE/ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1940s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : KNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE
 SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In 1970, above background levels of plutonium and strontium-90 were measured in the vicinity of TA-21. The study concluded that the plutonium was probably deposited from DP Site air stacks. The estimated area of soil contaminated by TA-21 is approximately 300,000 square meters, with plutonium-239 concentrations ranging from 0.005 to 0.6 pCi/g. The sampling locations are located throughout TA-21 extending to the airport. The soil samples were not analyzed for constituents other than radionuclides.

WASTE INFORMATION

The emissions consisted of particulate matter containing plutonium-239 and strontium. LANL staff suspect chemical waste constituents.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Documentation on releases of hazardous non-radionuclide constituents from this unit is lacking; however, airborne releases of radionuclides are indicated by the concentrations of plutonium and strontium in the soil surrounding the unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-021	TA21-9-CA-1-HW/RW	? 21.030 ? 21.033 ? 21.036	Tsk 10 : 189	

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : WASTE LINE/SUMP
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

There were acid lines running from Building 2 to Building 3 and also from Building 2 to an ether pit. These acid lines were in a concrete trench and the trench may still connect TA-21-2 to TA-2-3, although, if present, it has been filled in and paved over. These lines are reported to be removed and replaced with a nitric acid supply line and a 5,200-gallon tank. A four-inch waste line connected Buildings 2, 3, 4, and 5 to the old treatment plant, TA-21-35. A six-inch waste line was abandoned when the four-inch line was installed in 1952. Information on other possible abandoned waste lines is lacking. Industrial waste wells were located at the northeast corners of Buildings TA-21-2, -3, -4, and -5 and on the northwest corner of TA-21-150 with structure numbers of TA-21-81, -84, -87, -89, and -189, respectively. The wells were removed during the 1978-1981 cleanup. They were liquid-waste collection and sampling wells that received liquid from the buildings and discharged to MDA-T (21-016) via 6"-diameter jennite-coated black iron drainlines. In 1952, a new 4"-diameter waste line connecting the wells to the treatment plant (TA-21-35, 21-010) was installed. The following are acid manholes (industrial waste wells) and manhole sumps in TA-21:

STRUCTURE	SUMU NO.	DATE BUILT	MANHOLE DIMENSIONS	LOCATION
TA-21-74	21-022(a)	1946	5' dia, brick, wood cover	northwest corner TA-21-21
TA-21-81	21-022(b)	1945	5'3" dia, 10' deep, brick, steel cover	northeast of TA-21-2
TA-21-84	21-022(c)	1945	5'3" dia, 10' deep, brick, steel cover	northeast of TA-21-3
TA-21-87	21-022(d)	1945	5'3" dia, 10' deep, brick, steel cover	northeast of TA-21-4
TA-21-89	21-022(e)	1945	5'3" dia, 10' deep, brick, steel cover	northeast of TA-21-5
TA-21-173	21-022(f)	1945	5'6" dia, 6' deep, brick	northwest of TA-21-152
TA-21-189	21-022(g)	1962	unknown	northwest of TA-21-150
TA-21-202	21-022(h)	1962	unknown	southeast of TA-21-150

STRUCTURE	DRAINLINE
TA-21-74	4"-diameter from old section of TA-21-21 to sump TA-21-74 and a 4"-diameter from new section of TA-21-21 to sump TA-21-74
TA-21-81	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 670 ft long, to MDA-T
TA-21-84	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 670 ft long, to MDA-T
TA-21-87	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 670 ft long, to MDA-T
TA-21-89	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 670 ft long, to MDA-T
TA-21-173	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 86 ft long, to MDA-U
TA-21-189	6"-diameter, jennite-coated black iron, 670 ft long, to MDA-T
TA-21-202	150-ft long, 6" line from TA-21-150 through TA-21-202 to outfall in Los Alamos Canyon

The DP West acid manholes, TA-21-81, -84, -87, -89, and TA-21-189 were removed in the 1978-81 cleanup. Contaminated soil around these manholes was removed to the point that further excavation would have jeopardized the integrity of the adjacent buildings. The status of manholes and sump TA-21-74, -173, -189, and -202 is unknown. Sump pumps, that may have been contaminated, were reported to have been present in equipment rooms in the south end of Buildings TA-21-2 and -3 [21-022(i), (j)]. An ER Program site visit on 3/13/89 found no physical evidence of these sites.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is described as radioactive mixed. Data characterizing the waste discharged to the manholes is not available. However, some of the waste received by the wells was wash water from floor drains. A memo indicates that floor wash water containing approximately 28 micrograms of plutonium a day was poured down floor drains, but the memo does not indicate in which building this occurred. The wastes managed by the sump pumps are unknown.

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RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no documentation indicating whether the waste lines leaked; however LANL staff suspect the early lines may have leaked. The DP West manholes and associated radionuclide contaminated soil have been excavated to the point that the integrity of the adjacent buildings could be preserved. It is unknown whether hazardous releases have occurred from the other manholes or sumps.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-022(a)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-74
21-022(b)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 36 92 93 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-81
21-022(c)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 22 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-84
21-022(d)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 23 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-87
21-022(e)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 24 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-89
21-022(f)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 25 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-173
21-022(g)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 26 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-189
21-022(h)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 26 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-202
21-022(i)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 54 Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173	TA-21-2
21-022(j)	TA21-5-S-I-HW/RW TA21-7-CA-A/I-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 28 82 83 84 85 Tsk 10 : 173 Tsk 9 : 29	TA-21-3

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : SUSPECTED

MATERIALS MANAGED : SANITARY WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following septic systems in TA-21 have been decommissioned:

LOCATION	SWMU NO.	DATES BUILT/REMOVED	CONSTRUCTION/CAPACITY	DISCHARGE	DRAINLINES
TA-21-225	21-023(a)	1966/1966	5' x 9' x 6' deep, reinforced concrete	unknown	unknown
TA-21-142	21-023(b)	1945/1965-66	500 gallons, steel	TA-21-84	unknown
TA-21-62	21-023(c)	1948/1965	5' x 10' x 7', reinforced concrete	outfall	4"-dia. vitrified clay pipe
TA-21-187	21-023(d)	1960/1966	5' x 3' x 5'6" deep, reinforced concrete	unknown	unknown

The septic systems included septic tanks, piping from the building to the tank, and piping from the tank to the discharge. TA-21-62 was buried in MDA-G in 1966; TA-21-142 served shower room in TA-21-3. The previous locations of TA-21-142 and -225 are currently covered with asphalt or the addition to the north side of building TA-21-3, as noted on ER Program site visit, 4/4/89.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste was sanitary, but some of the tanks probably contained radioactive-mixed constituents. Tank TA-21-187 received industrial waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether a hazardous waste release has occurred. At one time the canyon south of TA-21 was fenced to prevent entry due to high radioactivity levels. The radionuclides were believed to have come from the septic systems and/or other units with canyon outfalls.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-023(a)	**		Tsk 9 : 53 106	TA-21-225
21-023(b)	TA21-6-ST-1-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 49	TA-21-142
21-023(c)	TA21-6-ST-1-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 39 75	TA-21-62
			Tsk 10 : 145	
21-023(d)	**		Tsk 9 : 20	TA-21-187

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : SUSPECTED

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following are abandoned septic systems in TA-21. Septic systems include the septic tank, piping from the building to the tank, and piping from the tank to the outfall. The systems had outfalls to the north rim of Los Alamos Canyon or the south rim of DP Canyon.

STRUCTURE	SWMU NO.	BUILT	CONSTRUCTION	BUILDING(S) SERVED	DRAINLINES *	OUTFALL **
TA-21-53	21-024(a)	1945	8' x 16' x 7'9" deep	TA-21-9	6"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-55	21-024(b)	1945	4' x 8' x 6'6" deep	TA-21-17	6"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-56	21-024(c)	1945	4' x 8' x 6' deep	TA-21-54	4"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-106	21-024(d)	1945	9'6" x 18' x 5' deep	TA-21-1	6"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-123	21-024(e)	1945	1000 gal., steel, 6'4" dia, 11'4" long	TA-21-21	6"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-124	21-024(f)	1952	1000 gal., metal	TA-21-45	4"-diameter v.c.p.	DP
TA-21-125	21-024(g)	1945	9'6" x 18' x 5'	TA-21-7, -31	4"-diameter v.c.p.	DP
TA-21-163	21-024(h)	1945	6' x 14' x 5' deep	TA-21-151	6"-diameter v.c.p.	DP
TA-21-181	21-024(i)	1945	5' x 10' x 7'9" deep	TA-21-152	6"-diameter v.c.p.	LA
TA-21-194	21-024(j)	1961	5' x 3' x 6' deep	TA-21-155	unknown	LA (?)
TA-21-219	21-024(k)	1966		TA-21-155(?)	unknown	lf

Prior to 1965, septic tank TA-21-181 also received waste from buildings TA-21-166 and -167; the drainlines from buildings TA-21-166 and -167 intersected the drainline from building TA-21-152 at manhole TA-21-175. After 1965, liquids from TA-21-166 and -167 discharged to an outfall in Los Alamos Canyon via a 4"-diameter vitrified clay pipe. All of the septic tanks were abandoned in place by backfilling with earth, except for tank TA-21-56 for which information is lacking and tank TA-21-194 which had only the inlet and outlet filled. The tanks were abandoned in 1964-1966. All of the septic tanks were built of reinforced concrete, except where noted differently above. Septic tank TA-21-106 was noted to have contained two beds by the ER Program site visit on 4/4/89. Tank TA-21-124 was located north of DP Road, across from TA-21-69, according to engineering drawing ENG-R5113. However, according to the ER Program site visit on 4/4/89, the engineering drawing location and the outfall location do not conform. Septic tank TA-21-219 was noted to have two manholes, one open pipe and one pipe with a cap, during the ER Program site visit on 4/4/89. A 3"-diameter drainline from the mechanical room of TA-21-21 discharges to an outfall in DP Canyon [21-024(l)]. Another drainline, from building TA-21-209, discharges to an outfall in Los Alamos Canyon via a 112-ft long, 8"-diameter vitrified clay pipe [21-024(m)]. This is listed as an industrial waste line on engineering drawing ENG-R4816. A third drainline connects floor drains in TA-21-155 to an outfall in DP Canyon [21-024(n)]. This line is 116 ft long, 4"-diameter cast iron, and is also listed as an industrial waste line on engineering drawing ENG-R4816. Engineering drawing ENG-R1193 (1956) shows a 4"-diameter vitrified clay pipe and indicates that this pipe is connected to the former diesel plant, TA-21-46 [21-024(o)]. However, this drainline is not shown as connected to the building on the drawing. This drainline discharged to an outfall in Los Alamos Canyon. No septic tanks are currently in use at TA-21 because all sewage is treated at the sewage treatment plant (21-026).

* v.c.p. = vitrified clay pipe
 ** LA = Los Alamos Canyon
 DP = DP Canyon
 lf = leach field

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste was sanitary, but is suspected to have contained radioactive-mixed constituents in at least some of the tanks. The wastes managed by the drainline from the mechanical room of TA-21-21 are unknown. The wastes managed by the drainline from building TA-21-209 are expected to be industrial wastes; building TA-21-209 is a high-temperature chemistry building. The wastes managed by the drainline from building TA-21-155 are expected to be liquid wastes poured down floor drains. The wastes from the former diesel plant, TA-21-46, are unknown.

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RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown in which tanks a hazardous or radioactive release has occurred. At one time the canyon south of TA-21 was fenced to prevent entry due to high radioactivity level. The radionuclides are believed to have come from the septic systems and/or other units with canyon outfalls.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-024(a)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 40 77 Tsk 10 : 133	TA-21-53
21-024(b)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 41 70 Tsk 10 : 127	TA-21-55
21-024(c)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW TA21-6-ST-1-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 42 57 Tsk 10 : 128	TA-21-56
21-024(d)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 43 69 Tsk 10 : 126	TA-21-106
21-024(e)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 44 68 Tsk 10 : 125	TA-21-123
21-024(f)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 50 73 Tsk 10 : 131	TA-21-124
21-024(g)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 47 76 Tsk 10 : 132	TA-21-125
21-024(h)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 45 71 Tsk 10 : 129	TA-21-163
21-024(i)	TA21-3-CA/O-1/A-HW/RW	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 46 72 98 Tsk 10 : 130	TA-21-181
21-024(j)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 51 104	TA-21-194
21-024(k)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 52 105	TA-21-219
21-024(l)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 94 Tsk 10 : 144	FROM TA-21-21
21-024(m)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 99 Tsk 10 : 146	FROM TA-21-209
21-024(n)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 101 Tsk 10 : 147	FROM TA-21-155
21-024(o)	**	? 21.023	Tsk 9 : 102 Tsk 10 : 148	FROM TA-21-46

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.
** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : OFF-GAS SYSTEM
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : ? - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In both the TA-21-155 [21-025(a)] (TSTA facility) and the adjacent tritium facility (TA-21-209) [21-025(b)], a tritium treatment train is in operation. On each train, gases which may contain tritium are stored in a tank until a given pressure is exceeded. The gases are then released and passed through a catalyst bed operated at high temperatures in order to oxidize the tritium to tritiated water. The water is then collected in a series of molecular sieves. When a sieve is near breakthrough, it is removed, and hot nitrogen gas is used to strip the water from the sieve unit. The now concentrated tritiated water vapor is collected on a second series of molecular sieves. Before breakthrough, the sieves are placed in asphalt-lined 55 gallon drums for collection by HSE-7. The TSTA tritium storage tank is approximately seven cubic meters. The entire off-gas treatment trains, including the tanks, are located entirely within the buildings.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of tritium.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There is no known release of hazardous waste from these systems.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-025(a)	TA21-1-CA-1/A-RW/HW	21.014 21.015		TA-21-155
21-025(b)	**			TA-21-209

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED	: SANITARY WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: WASTE TREATMENT PLANT		SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: TREATMENT		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1966 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

The TA-21 sewage treatment plant, TA-21-227 [21-026(a)], treats sanitary wastes and noncontact cooling water from TA-21 facilities. All of the TA-21 buildings that have sanitary facilities are connected to this sewage treatment plant by sewer lines. Sludge is discharged to drying beds TA-21-230 [21-026(b)]. Normally, the sludge is taken to the contaminated disposal facility at TA-54. TA-21-348 [21-026(c)] is a chlorine contact chamber, 3' x 3' x 5' deep located next to the sewage plant.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste consists of sanitary waste and non-contact cooling water. The treatment plant received water from a decontamination area. Hence, the sludge contained small amounts of plutonium, uranium, americium, and tritium. Janitors also poured scrub water into sanitary waste drains on a daily basis.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases of hazardous constituents from these units. The sewage treatment plant discharges through an NPDES-permitted outfall, EPASSS055 (see Appendix A).

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-026(a)	**	21.025-	Tsk 9 : 86-91	TA-21-227
		21.028	Tsk 10 : 143	
21-026(b)	**	21.025-	Tsk 9 : 86-91	TA-21-230
		21.028		
21-026(c)	TA21-2-SI-1-HW/RW	21.025-	Tsk 9 : 86-91	TA-21-348
		21.028	18	

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : OPERATIONAL RELEASE
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : UNKNOWN
 PERIOD OF USE : 1950s - ?
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : SUSPECTED
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : SUSPECTED

MATERIALS MANAGED : SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE
 SUSPECTED MIXED WASTE
 RADIOACTIVE WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Floor drains from TA-21-3 and drainage from surface areas around buildings TA-21-2, -3, -4, and -5 are believed to have gone to storm drains. Small quantities of radionuclides may have run into Los Alamos Canyon through the culverts. The drainpipe from building TA-21-3 consists of two separate drainpipes: a 3"-diameter line from the floor drain in room 3A inside of a 12"-diameter storm drainline. The effluent from both lines outfalls south of building TA-21-143; a drainline from building TA-21-143 also outfalls at this same location. The liquid from all three drainlines discharges to a small ponded area. This ponded area is drained by a corrugated metal pipe into Los Alamos Canyon. Building TA-21-152 had a cooling tower that discharged to an outfall in Los Alamos Canyon. In 1971, the amount of cooling tower discharge was 16,700 gallons/year. Another surface discharge came from a 4"-diameter vitrified clay drainline that was connected to the southeast corner of building TA-21-6. Building TA-21-6 contained a machine shop, a cafeteria, two electronics shops, a lucite machine shop, and stock room. The bermed containment area surrounding fuel tank TA-21-47 was drained by a 4"-diameter steel drainline into Los Alamos Canyon from 1945 to 1960.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste is described as radioactive and is suspected to contain chemicals. The waste managed by the drainline from building TA-21-6 is unknown; however, the lucite machine shop did have acid sinks. Wastes from the floor drain in building TA-21-3 are unknown; however, the floor drain is in an equipment room. The drainline from the TA-21-47 containment area is assumed to have discharged surface water, although leaks or spills from the tank would also have been discharged. Building TA-21-152 cooling tower discharge was reported to have been treated with biodegradable and nontoxic chemicals.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There has been no monitoring in the receiving area. The drainline from building TA-21-6 is assumed to have been abandoned in-place. It is unknown whether there were hazardous releases from the drainline. The surface discharge point could not be identified during an ER Program site visit. The drainline from the floor drain of building TA-21-3 was observed at an outfall area during an ER Program site visit. It is unknown whether there were hazardous releases from the TA-21-47 drainline. The outfall from the TA-21-152 cooling tower could not be located during the ER Program site visit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-027	TA21-3-CA/0-1/A-HW/RW		Tsk 9 : 60-64 76 Tsk 10 : 123 124 136 137 151 152	TA-21-2, -3, -4, -5, -6, -47 -143, -152

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-21	MATERIALS MANAGED	: HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: CONTAINER STORAGE AREA		MIXED WASTE
UNIT USE	: STORAGE		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: ? - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

The following are active storage areas. All of these units are based on 10/88 and 1/90 versions of the LANL container storage area database, except 21-028(d).

LOCATION	SWMU NO.	FACILITY TYPE	MATERIALS STORED
TA-21-121	21-028(a)	satellite	alcohol, acetone, freon, inactive as of 1/90
TA-21-150	21-028(b)	satellite	solvents, miscellaneous chemicals; 3 satellite storage areas
TA-21-3	21-028(c)	satellite	solvents, miscellaneous chemicals; halogenated organics, non-halogenated organics, possible radioactive contamination; 4 different satellite storage areas
TA-21-209	21-028(d)	<90 day storage	radioactive-contaminated waste
TA-21-210	21-028(e)	satellite	solvents, freon, waste oil; 3 satellite storage areas

The less than 90 day storage area at TA-21-209 loading dock was noted during a November 1988 field survey. These drums were awaiting transport to TA-54.

WASTE INFORMATION

TA-21-121 stores alcohol, acetone and freon; TA-21-150, TA-21-3 and TA-21-210 store solvents and miscellaneous chemicals. TA-21-209 stores wastes containing radionuclides. One of the storage areas at TA-21-3 may store mixed waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

TA-21-121 and the TA-21-209 storage areas are located outside on loading docks. The TA-21-150 storage areas are located in the building and the storage areas at TA-21-3 are located in the building and in an outside cabinet. No releases from these units are known. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-028(a)	**			TA-21-121
21-028(b)	**			TA-21-150
21-028(c)	**			TA-21-3
21-028(d)	**			TA-21-209
21-028(e)	**			TA-21-210

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-21
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SOIL CONTAMINATION
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
 PERIOD OF USE : 1946 - 1988
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The DP Tank Farm consisted of 15 product storage tanks, most of which were underground. The tank farm was a rectangular area, with the long axis parallel to DP Road. It was on a slope from the DP Road toward the canyon, and the edge of the tank farm nearest the Canyon was enclosed by a 4' high, 397' long earth berm. Fill ports for the tanks were located along DP Road. Two loading docks were present downslope, toward the earth berm. A storm drain was located within the DP Tank Farm to collect and discharge surface water. The storm drainline went through the earth berm and discharged to an outfall in DP Canyon. The DP Tank Farm was decommissioned in 1988; all tanks, lines, and surface equipment were removed. Spills from overfilling the tanks were noted around the fill ports and the loading docks. The tanks and lines were reported to have been in good condition when removed, with no evidence of leakage.

WASTE INFORMATION

The products spilled on the soil include Number 2 fuel oil, kerosene, and diesel. Memos indicate that two of the tanks may have stored gasoline and ethanol alcohol.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Soil samples collected around loading docks during decommissioning were analyzed for benzene, toluene, and xylene (BTX) and by the Extraction Procedure (EP) toxicity method for lead. Visibly contaminated soil was removed; however, verification sampling showed that soil with ppb concentrations of BTX were left in place. EP toxicity lead concentrations were not present. Analysis of samples from the outfall receiving area indicated ppb concentrations of BTX and below EP toxic concentrations of lead.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
21-029	TA0-14-UST-1-PP	? 21.037 ? 21.040 ? 21.043	Tak 27 : 1083-1097	

? Indicates uncertainty with RFA Unit correlation.

**TA-21 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
21-001	21-1
21-002(a)	Not shown, located throughout TA-21
21-002(b)	21-1
21-003	21-2
21-004(a)	21-1
21-004(b)	21-2
21-004(c)	21-2
21-004(d)	21-2
21-005	21-7
21-006(a)	21-1
21-006(b)	21-6
21-006(c)	21-1
21-006(d)	21-6
21-006(e)	Not shown
21-006(f)	21-1
21-007	Not shown
21-008	Not shown
21-009	21-7, 21-8
21-010(a)	21-7
21-010(b)	21-7
21-010(c)	21-5
21-010(d)	21-5
21-010(e)	21-5
21-010(f)	21-5
21-010(g)	21-5
21-010(h)	21-5
21-011(a)	21-1
21-011(b)	21-4
21-011(c)	21-3, 21-7
21-011(d)	21-1
21-011(e)	21-1
21-011(f)	21-1
21-011(g)	21-1
21-011(h)	21-3
21-011(i)	21-3
21-011(j)	21-3
21-012(a)	21-1
21-012(b)	21-1
21-013(a)	21-2
21-013(b)	21-1
21-013(c)	21-2, 21-4
21-013(d)	21-1

**TA-21 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
(CONTINUED)**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
21-013(e)	Not shown
21-013(f)	21-2
21-013(g)	2-1
21-014	21-2, 21-9
21-015	21-1, 21-5, 21-10
21-016(a)	21-8, 21-11
21-016(b)	21-3
21-016(c)	21-11
21-017(a)	21-8, 21-12
21-017(b)	21-8, 21-12
21-017(c)	21-8, 21-12
21-018(a)	21-1, 21-7, 21-13
21-018(b)	21-7
21-019(a)	21-1
21-019(b)	21-1
21-019(c)	21-1
21-019(d)	21-1
21-019(e)	21-2
21-019(f)	21-1
21-019(g)	21-1
21-019(h)	21-1
21-019(i)	21-1
21-019(j)	21-1
21-019(k)	21-4
21-019(l)	21-4
21-019(m)	21-1
21-020(a)	21-7
21-020(b)	21-7
21-021	Not shown
21-022(a)	21-7
21-022(b)	21-6, 21-7
21-022(c)	21-7
21-022(d)	21-7
21-022(e)	21-7
21-022(f)	21-7
21-022(g)	21-3
21-022(h)	21-3
21-022(i)	21-1
21-022(j)	21-1
21-023(a)	21-5
21-023(b)	21-6

**TA-21 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX
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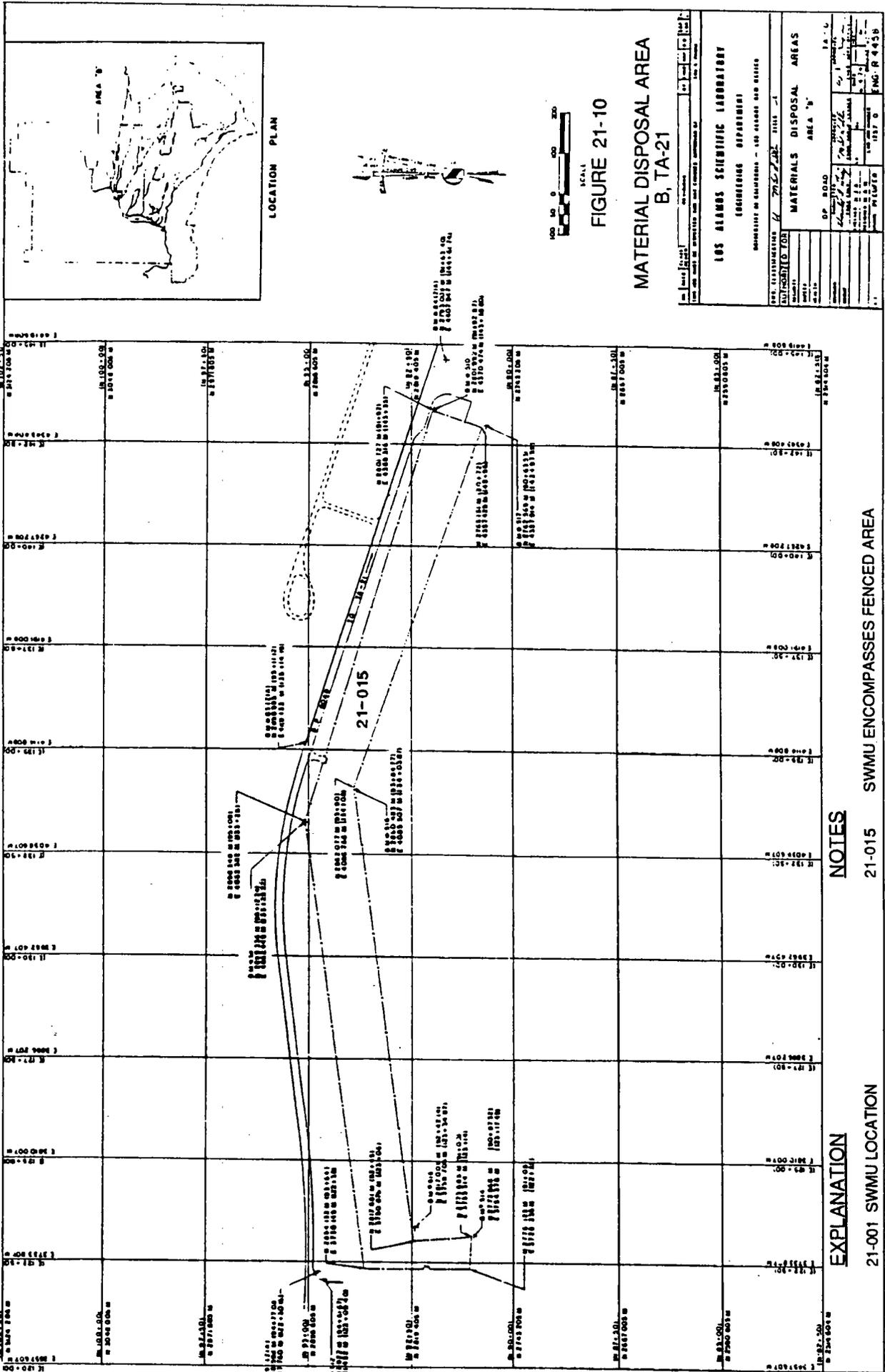
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21-024(d)	21-3
21-024(e)	21-3
21-024(f)	21-3
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21-024(i)	21-4
21-024(j)	21-4
21-024(k)	21-4
21-024(l)	21-1
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21-024(n)	21-2
21-024(o)	21-1
21-025(a)	21-2
21-025(b)	21-2
21-026(a)	21-2
21-026(b)	21-2
21-026(c)	21-2
21-027	Not shown
21-028(a)	21-3
21-028(b)	21-1
21-028(c)	21-1
21-028(d)	21-2
21-028(e)	21-1
21-029	Not shown

NOTE: Some structure locations contain more than one SWMU.

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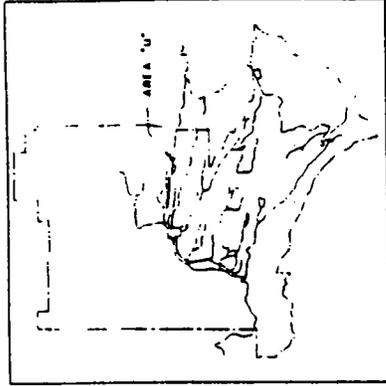
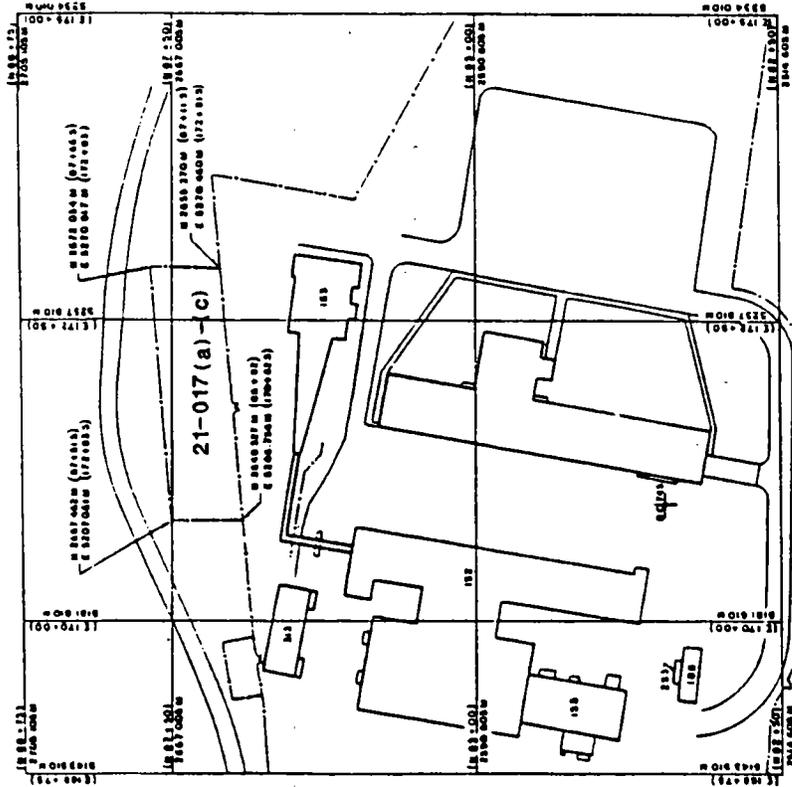
EXPLANATION

21-001 SWMU LOCATION

NOTES

21-015 SWMU ENCOMPASSES FENCED AREA

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SCALE
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FIGURE 21-12
MATERIAL DISPOSAL AREA U, TA-21

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EXPLANATION

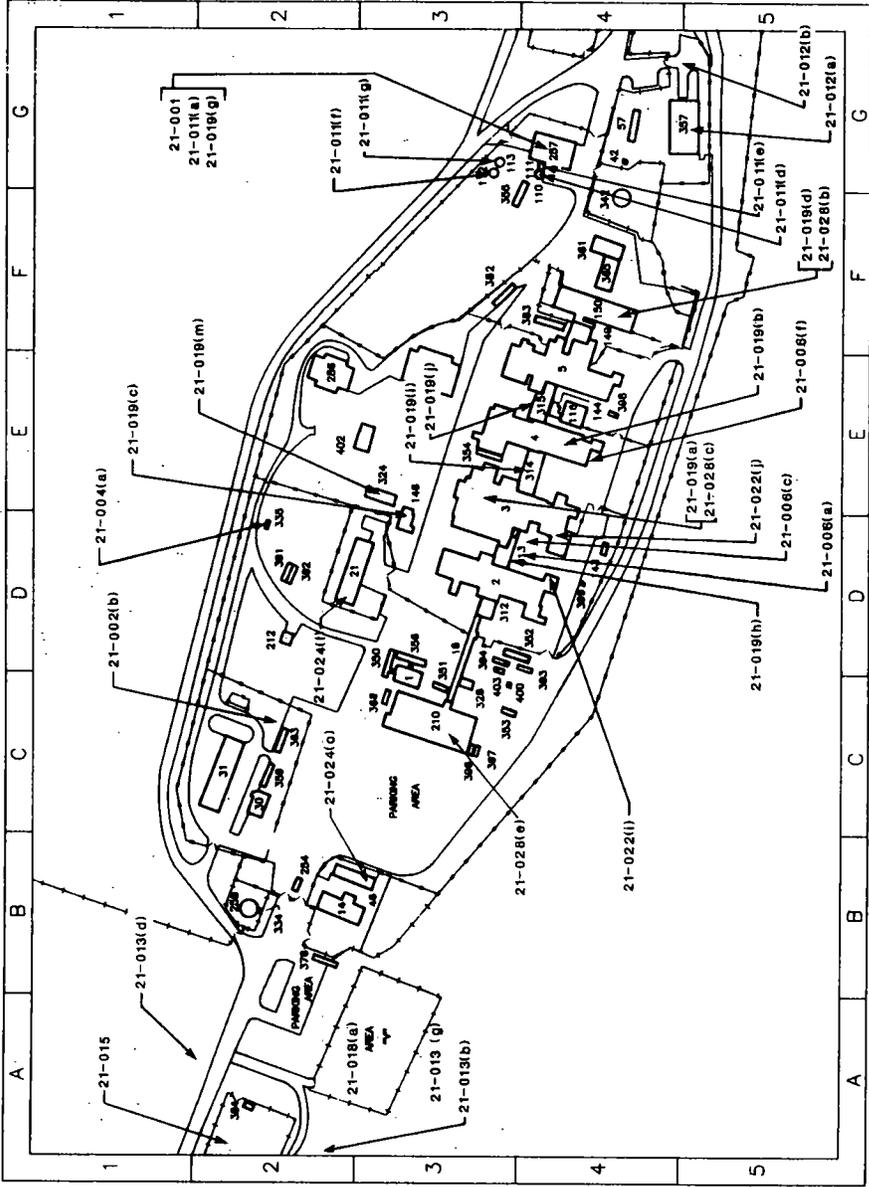
21-001 SWMU LOCATION

NOTES

21-017 SWMU ENCOMPASSES FENCED AREA

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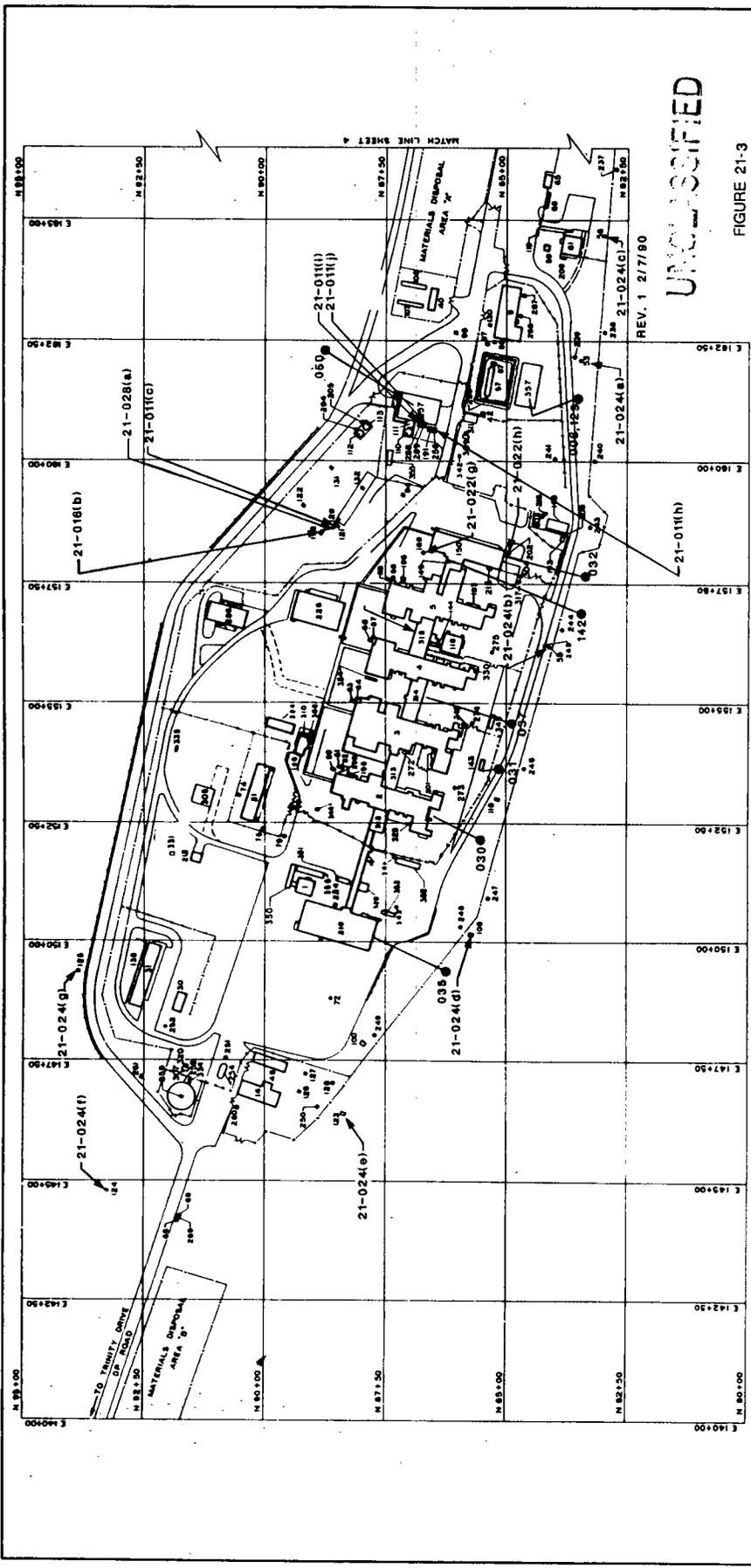


STRUCTURE TA-NUMBER DESIGNATION	STRUCTURE NOMENCLATURE	STRUCTURE LOCATION	SHEET MAP NO. KEY
DP-1	OFFICE BUILDING	2	C-3
DP-2	LABORATORY	2	D-3
DP-3	LABORATORY	2	E-3
DP-4	LABORATORY	2	E-4
DP-5	LABORATORY	2	E-4
DP-6	LABORATORY	2	E-4
DP-7	LABORATORY	2	E-4
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FIGURE 21-1

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-21

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FIGURE 21-3

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) IN TA-21

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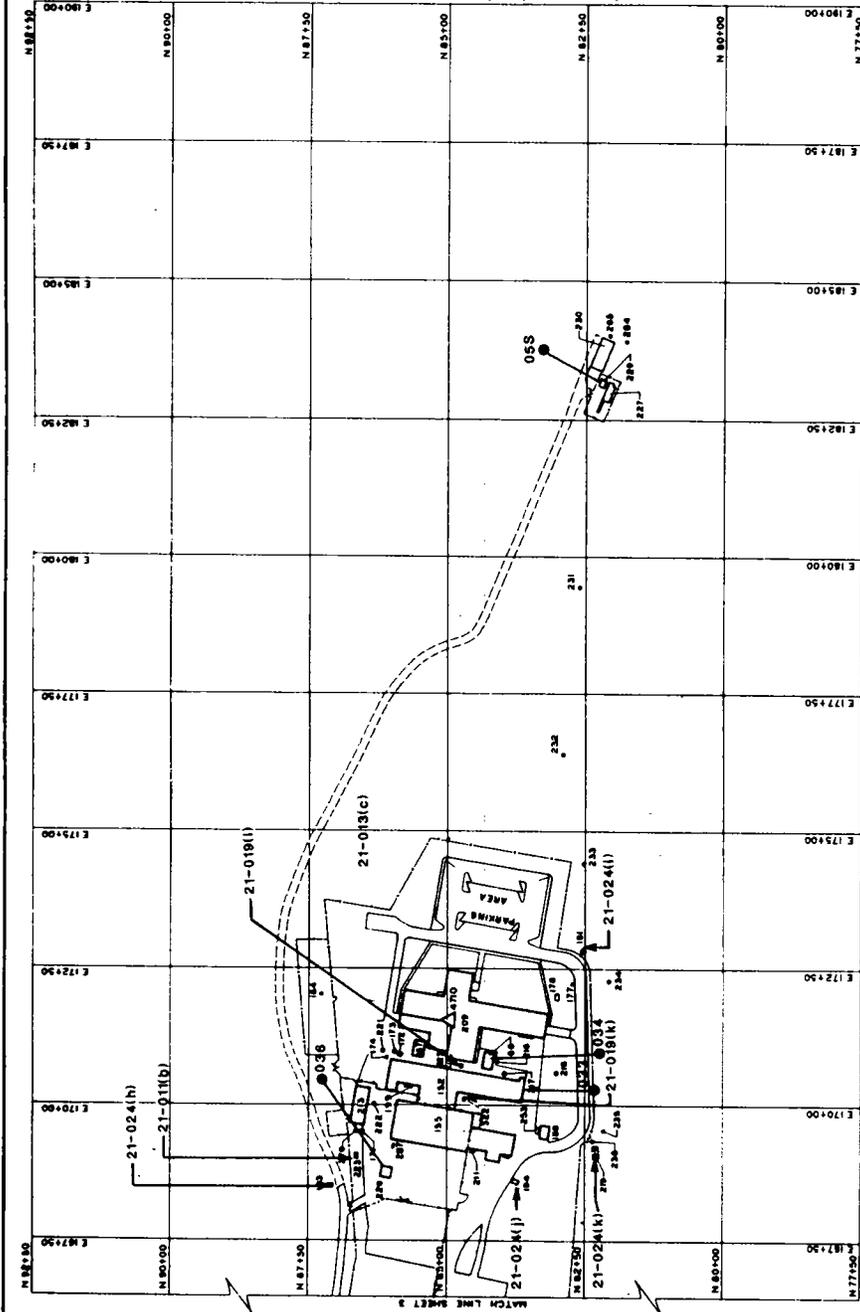
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NOTES

UNIT 21-002(a): DRUMS AND CYLINDERS WERE AT DIFFERENT LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT TA-21. THE PLACEMENT OF DRUMS CONSTANTLY CHANGES.

UNIT 21-021: SOIL CONTAMINATION FROM STACK EMISSIONS IS THROUGHOUT TA-21 TO THE AIRPORT.



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FIGURE 21-4
 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
 (SWMUs) IN TA-21

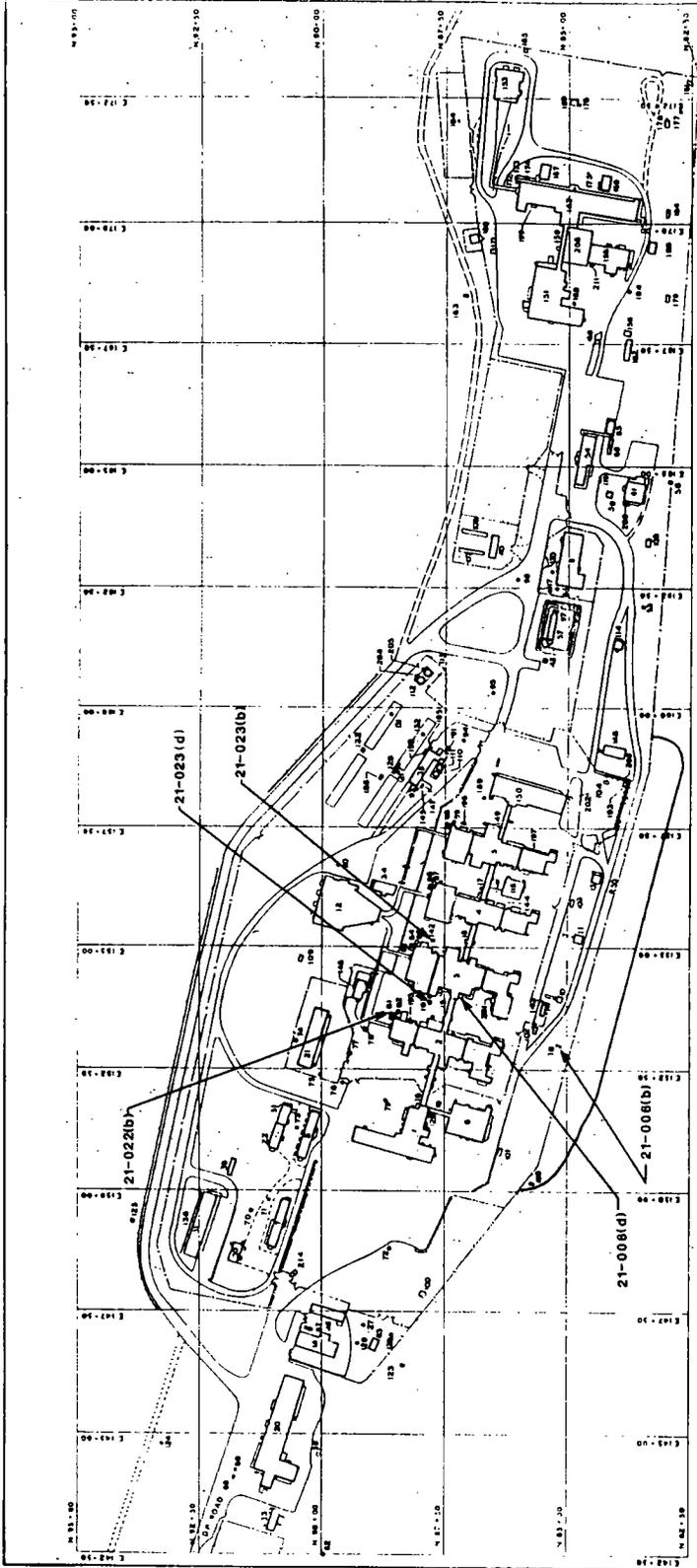
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EXPLANATION
 21-001 SWMU LOCATION
 010 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED PIPING AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBERS (SEE APPENDIX A)

NOTES
 UNIT 21-013(e) UNIT LOCATION IS APPROXIMATE

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FIGURE 21-6
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMU) IN TA-21

EXPLANATION
21-001 SWMU LOCATION



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TA-21 STRUCTURE LOCATION INDEX

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STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESIGNATION	REMARKS	STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESIGNATION	REMARKS	STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESIGNATION	REMARKS	STRUCTURE NUMBER	DESIGNATION	REMARKS
TA-21-1	DP - 1	ADMINISTRATION BUILDING	TA-21-76	DP - 76	CYLNDR (GRAVITAGE)	TA-21-131	DP - 131	ADM BLDG & SHOP	TA-21-184	DP - 184	GUARD TOWER (REMOVED)
TA-21-2	DP - 2	LABORATORY	TA-21-77	DP - 77	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-132	DP - 132	LABORATORY	TA-21-185	DP - 185	GUARD TOWER (REMOVED)
TA-21-3	DP - 3	LABORATORY	TA-21-78	DP - 78	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-133	DP - 133	FILTER HOUSE	TA-21-186	DP - 186	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-4	DP - 4	LABORATORY	TA-21-79	DP - 79	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-134	DP - 134	DOUBLE HOIST (REMOVED)	TA-21-187	DP - 187	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-5	DP - 5	LABORATORY	TA-21-80	DP - 80	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-135	DP - 135	PUMP HOUSE	TA-21-188	DP - 188	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
TA-21-6	DP - 6	MACHINE SHOP & CATERIA	TA-21-81	DP - 81	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-136	DP - 136	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-189	DP - 189	TRANSFORMER STATION
TA-21-7	DP - 7	WAREHOUSE	TA-21-82	DP - 82	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-137	DP - 137	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-190	DP - 190	TRANSFORMER STATION
TA-21-8	DP - 8	STEAM PLANT	TA-21-83	DP - 83	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-138	DP - 138	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-191	DP - 191	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)
TA-21-9	DP - 9	STORAGE	TA-21-84	DP - 84	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-139	DP - 139	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 131 TO 132)	TA-21-192	DP - 192	GUARD TOWER
TA-21-10	DP - 10	STORAGE	TA-21-85	DP - 85	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-140	DP - 140	TANK (WATER)	TA-21-193	DP - 193	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)
TA-21-11	DP - 11	STORAGE	TA-21-86	DP - 86	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-141	DP - 141	TANK (WATER)	TA-21-194	DP - 194	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)
TA-21-12	DP - 12	STORAGE	TA-21-87	DP - 87	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-142	DP - 142	TANK (WATER)	TA-21-195	DP - 195	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)
TA-21-13	DP - 13	STORAGE	TA-21-88	DP - 88	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-143	DP - 143	TANK (WATER)	TA-21-196	DP - 196	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)
TA-21-14	DP - 14	POWER PLANT	TA-21-89	DP - 89	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-144	DP - 144	TANK (WATER)	TA-21-197	DP - 197	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-15	DP - 15	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 2 TO 3)	TA-21-90	DP - 90	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-145	DP - 145	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-198	DP - 198	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
TA-21-16	DP - 16	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 3 TO 4)	TA-21-91	DP - 91	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-146	DP - 146	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-199	DP - 199	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
TA-21-17	DP - 17	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 4 TO 5)	TA-21-92	DP - 92	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-147	DP - 147	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-200	DP - 200	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
TA-21-18	DP - 18	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 5 TO 6)	TA-21-93	DP - 93	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-148	DP - 148	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-201	DP - 201	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
TA-21-19	DP - 19	PASSAGEWAY (BLDG 6 TO 7)	TA-21-94	DP - 94	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-149	DP - 149	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-202	DP - 202	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
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TA-21-22	DP - 22	LABORATORY	TA-21-97	DP - 97	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-152	DP - 152	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-205	DP - 205	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 127)
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TA-21-24	DP - 24	STORAGE BLDG (REMOVED) NS3	TA-21-99	DP - 99	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-154	DP - 154	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-207	DP - 207	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-25	DP - 25	STORAGE BLDG (REMOVED) NS3	TA-21-100	DP - 100	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-155	DP - 155	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-208	DP - 208	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-26	DP - 26	STORAGE BLDG (REMOVED) NS3	TA-21-101	DP - 101	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-156	DP - 156	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-209	DP - 209	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-27	DP - 27	STORAGE BLDG (REMOVED) NS4	TA-21-102	DP - 102	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-157	DP - 157	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-210	DP - 210	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-28	DP - 28	STORAGE BLDG (REMOVED) NS4	TA-21-103	DP - 103	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-158	DP - 158	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-211	DP - 211	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-29	DP - 29	EMERGENCY SPACK (NO. TA-17-7)	TA-21-104	DP - 104	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-159	DP - 159	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-212	DP - 212	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-30	DP - 30	LABORATORY	TA-21-105	DP - 105	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-160	DP - 160	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-213	DP - 213	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-31	DP - 31	LABORATORY	TA-21-106	DP - 106	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-161	DP - 161	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-214	DP - 214	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-32	DP - 32	WASTE TREATMENT LAB	TA-21-107	DP - 107	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-162	DP - 162	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-215	DP - 215	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-33	DP - 33	LABORATORY	TA-21-108	DP - 108	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-163	DP - 163	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-216	DP - 216	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-34	DP - 34	LABORATORY	TA-21-109	DP - 109	TRANSFORMER STATION	TA-21-164	DP - 164	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-217	DP - 217	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-35	DP - 35	WASTE DISPOSAL LAB	TA-21-110	DP - 110	HOLDING TANK (ACID)	TA-21-165	DP - 165	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-218	DP - 218	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-36	DP - 36	GUARD TOWER 'A'	TA-21-111	DP - 111	HOLDING TANK (ACID)	TA-21-166	DP - 166	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-219	DP - 219	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-37	DP - 37	GUARD TOWER 'B'	TA-21-112	DP - 112	HOLDING TANK (ACID)	TA-21-167	DP - 167	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-220	DP - 220	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-38	DP - 38	BARREL STORAGE	TA-21-113	DP - 113	HOLDING TANK (ACID)	TA-21-168	DP - 168	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-221	DP - 221	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-39	DP - 39	GUARD QUARTERS (REMOVED)	TA-21-114	DP - 114	EXPERIMENTAL TOWER (WAS TA-37-10)	TA-21-169	DP - 169	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-222	DP - 222	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-40	DP - 40	GUARD QUARTERS (REMOVED)	TA-21-115	DP - 115	EXPERIMENTAL TOWER (WAS TA-37-10)	TA-21-170	DP - 170	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-223	DP - 223	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-41	DP - 41	GUARD QUARTERS (REMOVED)	TA-21-116	DP - 116	EXPERIMENTAL TOWER (WAS TA-37-10)	TA-21-171	DP - 171	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-224	DP - 224	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-42	DP - 42	PUMP HOUSE	TA-21-117	DP - 117	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-172	DP - 172	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-225	DP - 225	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-43	DP - 43	PUMP HOUSE	TA-21-118	DP - 118	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-173	DP - 173	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-226	DP - 226	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-44	DP - 44	PUMP HOUSE	TA-21-119	DP - 119	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-174	DP - 174	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-227	DP - 227	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-45	DP - 45	GUARD HOUSE (STATION 115)	TA-21-120	DP - 120	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-175	DP - 175	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-228	DP - 228	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-46	DP - 46	SAFETY TRAINING BLDG (REMOVED) NS4	TA-21-121	DP - 121	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-176	DP - 176	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-229	DP - 229	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-47	DP - 47	DIESEL FUEL PLANT	TA-21-122	DP - 122	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-177	DP - 177	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-230	DP - 230	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-48	DP - 48	TANK (FUEL OIL)	TA-21-123	DP - 123	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-178	DP - 178	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-231	DP - 231	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-49	DP - 49	TANK (FUEL OIL)	TA-21-124	DP - 124	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-179	DP - 179	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-232	DP - 232	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-50	DP - 50	DRUM STORAGE (REMOVED)	TA-21-125	DP - 125	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-180	DP - 180	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-233	DP - 233	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-51	DP - 51	CYLINDER STORAGE (REMOVED) NS3	TA-21-126	DP - 126	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-181	DP - 181	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-234	DP - 234	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-52	DP - 52	CYLINDER STORAGE (REMOVED) NS3	TA-21-127	DP - 127	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-182	DP - 182	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-235	DP - 235	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-53	DP - 53	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-128	DP - 128	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-183	DP - 183	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-236	DP - 236	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-54	DP - 54	LABORATORY	TA-21-129	DP - 129	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-184	DP - 184	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-237	DP - 237	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-55	DP - 55	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-130	DP - 130	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-185	DP - 185	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-238	DP - 238	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-56	DP - 56	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-131	DP - 131	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-186	DP - 186	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-239	DP - 239	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-57	DP - 57	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-132	DP - 132	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-187	DP - 187	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-240	DP - 240	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-58	DP - 58	TANK (FUEL OIL)	TA-21-133	DP - 133	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-188	DP - 188	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-241	DP - 241	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-59	DP - 59	TANK (FUEL OIL)	TA-21-134	DP - 134	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-189	DP - 189	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-242	DP - 242	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-60	DP - 60	LABORATORY	TA-21-135	DP - 135	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-190	DP - 190	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-243	DP - 243	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-61	DP - 61	LABORATORY	TA-21-136	DP - 136	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-191	DP - 191	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-244	DP - 244	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-62	DP - 62	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-137	DP - 137	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-192	DP - 192	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-245	DP - 245	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-63	DP - 63	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-138	DP - 138	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-193	DP - 193	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-246	DP - 246	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-64	DP - 64	TANK (FUEL OIL)	TA-21-139	DP - 139	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-194	DP - 194	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-247	DP - 247	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-65	DP - 65	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-140	DP - 140	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-195	DP - 195	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-248	DP - 248	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-66	DP - 66	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-141	DP - 141	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-196	DP - 196	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-249	DP - 249	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-67	DP - 67	SEPTIC TANK (SANITARY)	TA-21-142	DP - 142	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-197	DP - 197	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-250	DP - 250	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-68	DP - 68	MANHOLE (WATER)	TA-21-143	DP - 143	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-198	DP - 198	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-251	DP - 251	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-69	DP - 69	MANHOLE (WATER)	TA-21-144	DP - 144	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-199	DP - 199	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-252	DP - 252	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-70	DP - 70	MANHOLE (WATER)	TA-21-145	DP - 145	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-200	DP - 200	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-253	DP - 253	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-71	DP - 71	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-146	DP - 146	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-201	DP - 201	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-254	DP - 254	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-72	DP - 72	MANHOLE (ELECTRIC)	TA-21-147	DP - 147	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-202	DP - 202	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-255	DP - 255	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-73	DP - 73	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-148	DP - 148	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-203	DP - 203	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-256	DP - 256	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-74	DP - 74	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-149	DP - 149	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-204	DP - 204	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-257	DP - 257	EQUIPMENT ANNEX
TA-21-75	DP - 75	MANHOLE (STEAM)	TA-21-150	DP - 150	EQUIPMENT W/SE (PROPOSED)	TA-21-205	DP - 205	MANHOLE (WATER PHV)	TA-21-258	DP - 258	EQUIPMENT ANNEX

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OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 22 is used principally for developing and fabricating detonation systems. The main explosive used is pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN) (DOE, 1987a).

TA-22 lies at elevations between 7,300 and 7,500 feet asl. It is located on Two Mile Mesa, a broad and moderately sloping mesa. The mesa is bounded on the north by unnamed branches of Two Mile Canyon and on the south by Pajarito Canyon. Canyon walls are steep slopes or cliffs in the area. TA-22 lies on welded Bandelier Tuff in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper and Ponderosa Pine-fir overstory vegetative zones. Soil types include Carjo loam, Tocal very fine sandy loam, and rock outcrop (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 6,280 to 6,330 feet asl at TA-22. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-22

22-001	HE WASTE STORAGE AREA
22-002	CONTAINER STORAGE AREAS (renumbered)
22-003	SATELLITE WASTE STORAGE AREAS
22-004	SUMP AND DRY WELL (renumbered)
22-005	BUILDING 34 SUMPS (renumbered)
22-006	BUILDING 91 DRY WELLS (renumbered)
22-007	BUILDING 25 SUMP SYSTEM (renumbered)
22-008	BUILDING 52 DISCHARGE REGION / HILLSIDE DISPOSAL (renumbered)
22-009	BUILDING, HE SUMP SYSTEM (renumbered)
22-010	ACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS
22-011	DISPOSAL PIT
22-012	WASH PAD
22-013	LIQUID WASTE TREATMENT / STORAGE
22-014	ACTIVE SUMPS, DRY WELLS, AND OUTFALLS
22-015	INACTIVE SUMPS, DRY WELLS, AND OUTFALLS
22-016	INACTIVE SEPTIC SYSTEM

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : BUILDING/STRUCTURE
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : EST. 1950s - 1982
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Concrete and soil magazine bunker TA-22-24 was used for the storage of HE-contaminated waste. The unit was closed under an approved RCRA closure plan in 1988.

WASTE INFORMATION

The building was used for the storage of scrap HE and other HE-contaminated waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The RFA states that no past releases are known to have occurred from this unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-001	TA22-1-CA-A/I-HW/RW	22.001		TA-22-24

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 22-002(a) and (b) have been renumbered to 22-003(a) and (q), respectively.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SATELLITE STORAGE AREA
 UNIT USE : STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE/INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1983 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : NONE
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The following buildings have satellite storage areas:

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	NUMBER OF AREAS	DESCRIPTION
22-003(a)	TA-22-5	2 active, 2 inactive	electronics lab & warehouse; 55-gal. drum for waste solvents
22-003(b)	TA-22-96	1	Cubicle 3 in concrete and aluminum Bunker 96
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	11	detonator explosives building; has locked compartments
22-003(d)	TA-22-91	4	inert fabrication building; has locked compartments
22-003(e)	TA-22-95	1	
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	7	detonator explosives building
22-003(g)	TA-22-52	1	

WASTE INFORMATION

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	ROOM	WASTES STORED	PROCESS GENERATING WASTE
22-003(a)	TA-22-5	101	acetone, alcohol	parts cleaning and potting
22-003(a)	TA-22-5	103	acetone, alcohol, HCl	parts cleaning
22-003(a)	TA-22-5	116	acetone, alcohol	machine cleaning
22-003(a)	TA-22-5	SE end, outside	acetone, alcohol, chloroform	inactive; cleaning detonator parts
22-003(b)	TA-22-96	3	HE waste, detonators, acetone, alcohol, subassemblies	inactive; HE pressing
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	101	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators	explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	102	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators	explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	103	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	105, 106	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts; explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	107, 108	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	110	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts; explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	111	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts; explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	112	HE waste, subassemblies, detonators, acetone, alcohol	cleaning assembly parts; explosives experiments
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	113	developer, fixer, sodium sulfite	cleaning assembly parts
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	NA	HE waste	--
22-003(c)	TA-22-34	hallway	acetone and alcohol contaminated with HE	cleaning assembly parts
22-003(d)	TA-22-91	B107	acetone and alcohol	cleaning
22-003(d)	TA-22-91	B111	alcohols, NaF ₂ , NaOH, ammonium persulfate, sulfuric acid, HCl	printed circuit process
22-003(d)	TA-22-91	B121	acetic acid, ammonium chloride, ceric ammonium nitrate, nitric acid, sodium bifluoride, sodium hydroxide, ammonium persulfate, cadmium sulfide, ceric sulfate, chromium oxide, hydrofluoric acid, sulfuric acid, hydrogen peroxide, cupic nitrate, organics	chemistry development lab
22-003(d)	TA-22-91	B145	acetone, alcohol, chloroform, hydrochloric acid, hydrofluoric acid	cleaning parts for soldering
22-003(e)	TA-22-95		circuit etch, sodium hydroxide, acetone, alcohols	printed circuit process
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C111	detonators, HE waste, subassemblies	HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C114	acetone/HE, alcohol/HE	cleaning parts for HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C116	detonators, subassemblies, HE waste	HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C122	detonators, subassemblies, HE waste	HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C123	detonators, subassemblies, HE waste	HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C125	detonators, subassemblies, HE waste	HE pressing
22-003(f)	TA-22-93	C126	detonators, subassemblies, HE waste	HE pressing
22-003(g)	TA-22-52	--	acetone, Stoddart solvent, TCA, WD-40, magnesium chips	cleaning and machining

Wastes that do not contain HE are taken to TA-54. Wastes containing HE are taken to TA-16 to be flashed before disposal in TA-54. Materials from 22-003(b) are removed regularly and burned at TA-16 or detonated at TA-36 or TA-39.

RELEASE INFORMATION

There have been no known releases from these storage areas. However, past operations at most container storage areas have resulted in systematic releases of solid wastes, including RCRA-regulated constituents.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-003(a)	**			TA-22-5
22-003(b)	TA-22-B-CA-A-HW	22.003-		TA-22-96
		22.005		
22-003(c)	**			TA-22-34
22-003(d)	**	22.002		TA-22-91
22-003(e)	**			TA-22-95
22-003(f)	**			TA-22-93
22-003(g)	**			TA-22-52

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 22-004(a) and (b) have been renumbered to 22-014(a).

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SWMU No. 22-005 has been renumbered to 22-014(b).

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SWMU No. 22-006 has been renumbered to 22-015(a).

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SWMU No. 22-007 has been renumbered to 22-015(b).

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SWMU No. 22-008 has been renumbered to 22-015(c).

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SWMU No. 22-009 has been renumbered to 22-015(d).

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-22	MATERIALS MANAGED	: HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(S)	: SEPTIC SYSTEM		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL/TREATMENT		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: ACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1952 - PRESENT		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

Two active septic tanks are present at TA-22:

SWMU NO.	STRUCTURE	EID REG. NO.	COMPLETED	CAPACITY	BUILDING(S) SERVED	OVERFLOW
22-010(a)	TA-22-50	LA-30	1952	1,365 gal.	TA-22-34	leach field
22-010(b)	TA-22-51	LA-31	1952	8,775 gal.	TA-22-5, -32, -52, -90, -91, -93	subsurface sand filter

After 1973 industrial flows were separated from sewage flows, and the surfacing of sewage was discontinued. The leach field associated with TA-22-50 covers 800 sq ft. Septic tank TA-22-51 formerly served building TA-22-1.

WASTE INFORMATION

Contaminants, if present, are most likely HE such as PETN, RDX, tetryl, and PBX. Septic tank TA-22-50 received sanitary waste from TA-22-34. Septic tank TA-22-51 receives waste from TA-22-5, -32, -52, -90, -91, and -93, and may be contaminated with HE. Engineering drawings ENG-R1227 and ENG-R1228 indicate that septic tank TA-22-51 also served TA-22-4 and -5.

RELEASE INFORMATION

In 1972, tank TA-22-50 was indicated to be free of contamination from HE. It is unknown whether hazardous waste has been discharged.

NOTES

SWMU No. 22-010(a), TA-22-42, is an inactive septic system and is addressed as 22-016.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-010(a)	TA22-4-ST/CA-1/A-HW/RW	22.012		TA-22-50, -34
22-010(b)	TA22-4-ST/CA-1/A-HW/RW	22.012		TA-22-51, -32, -52, -90, -91, -93, -4, -5

SUMMARY

LOCATION	: TA-22	MATERIALS MANAGED :	HAZARDOUS WASTE
TYPE OF UNIT(s)	: PIT		SUSPECTED RADIOACTIVE WASTE
UNIT USE	: DISPOSAL		
OPERATIONAL STATUS	: INACTIVE		
PERIOD OF USE	: 1946		
HAZARDOUS RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE	: UNKNOWN		

UNIT INFORMATION

In 1946, a pit had been prepared for the disposal of discarded objects and shapes at TA-22. The pit was to remain open until June 1. No further information on this pit is available. However, there are warning signs at this area.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste was most likely discarded devices. The pit may also contain radioactive waste.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether there have been releases from the burial pit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-011	TA22-6-L-1-HW/RW	22.007 22.009		

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
TYPE OF UNIT(s) : WASH PAD
UNIT USE : DECONTAMINATION
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1961 - ?
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : UNKNOWN
SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

This unit is a reinforced concrete pad 8' x 8' x 10" thick used for decontaminating equipment. The pad is designated TA-22-77.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste probably consisted of HE residues. An undated survey of TA-22 structures reports TA-22-77 as contaminated; contaminants are unknown.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether there have been releases of hazardous constituents from this unit.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-012	**			TA-22-77

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : ABOVEGROUND TANKS
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/STORAGE
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : 1987 - PRESENT
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

In TA-22-91, there are two 1000-gallon tanks that are used to neutralize and precipitate contaminants from liquid waste solutions generated from the etching processes. The sludge that contains most of the copper originally in the waste solutions is stored for pick-up by HSE-7. The treated liquid is discharged through NPDES outfall No. 128.

WASTE INFORMATION

The etching wastes undergoing treatment contain organics, hydrochloric acid, copper, ferric chloride, sodium carbonate and sodium hydroxide.

RELEASE INFORMATION

The extent of any hazardous release through the outfall is unknown.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-013	**			TA-22-91

** No corresponding E. R. Program unit.

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
 TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SUMP
 UNIT USE : TREATMENT/DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : ACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The unit at TA-22-93, where HE is compacted for use in detonators, has been operating since 1985. The wash water goes to a baffle/catchment basin (4' deep, 9'2" long, 3'2" wide) and then to a seepage well (4' diameter and approximately 25' deep). According to the CEARP, the wastewater volume is approximately 100 gallons per week. The basin and seepage well are designated SWMU No. 22-014(a). TA-22-34 housed a chemistry laboratory for many years. It was later converted to a laser laboratory. This part of the building also houses an active photographic laboratory that does not have a silver recovery unit. There is a sump for the liquid wastes. Drains from the side of the building used in explosive experimental work are connected to an explosives settling basin. Currently no HE waste is routinely discharged to the settling basin. The sump and settling basin are constructed of concrete and are approximately 4' x 2' x 3' deep. The sump and settling basin are designated SWMU No. 22-014(b).

WASTE INFORMATION

The wash water from TA-22-93 operations may contain HE. The settling basin at TA-22-34 at one time received HE waste. The sump receives photoprocessing waste and may have received silver and other chemicals and solvents.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Small quantities of decanted wash water have been absorbed by the dry well soil. The sumps at TA-22-34 have a decant outlet to NPDES outfall no. 064/078. Silver and other chemicals have probably been discharged through the outfall.

NOTES

SWMU Nos. 22-014(a) and (b) were formerly SWMU Nos. 22-004(a) and (b), respectively. SWMU No. 22-014(c) was formerly SWMU No. 22-005.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-014(a)	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-WW	22.008		TA-22-93
22-014(b)	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-WW			TA-22-34

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
 TYPE OF UNIT(s) : SUMPS, DRY WELLS, OUTFALLS
 UNIT USE : DISPOSAL
 OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
 PERIOD OF USE : SEE BELOW
 HAZARDOUS RELEASE : KNOWN
 RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

The industrial drains from TA-22-91 [22-015(a)] discharged in series to two dry wells before the liquid flowed to the outfall located southeast of the building. Each dry well is stone-lined and is 25' deep, with an outside diameter of 6'. These wells are no longer used, but they remain in place and have not been filled in. The unit was active from 1985-87. Building TA-22-25 [22-015(b)] was used primarily for PETN recrystallization. The CEARP states that this building had a sump and an associated outfall that were used to dispose of mixtures of PETN and solvents. The concrete sump, containing an aluminum tank, is 4'6" x 3' x 3'6" deep (outside dimensions). The sump and outfall operated from 1949 until the 1960s. TA-22-52 [22-015(c)] housed etching and plating operations. Wastewater was sent to drains that were connected to the outfall behind the building. The former outfall area has left a residue of sorbed contaminants. The area which can be visually noted as having contamination extends an estimated drop of 100' to the streambed. The liquids previously discharged to this outfall are now piped to building TA-22-93, and are discharged to a seepage well [see 22-014(a)]. TA-22-1 was used for detonator development from 1945 until the group moved to TA-22-91 in 1984. Room 108 of TA-22-1 had a drain [22-015(d)] which apparently emptied onto the ground about 100' from the building. The location of the drain and associated outfall is undetermined. A sump [22-015(e)] measuring approximately 4'6" x 3' x 3'6" deep is associated with TA-22-1. This sump was noted by the CEARP to have been filled with concrete.

WASTE INFORMATION

The waste received by 22-015(a) is described as etching solutions containing organics, hydrochloric acid, copper, ferric chloride, sodium carbonate, and sodium hydroxide. The liquids discharged to 22-015(b) included mixtures of PETN and solvents (acetone and ethanol) generated at TA-22-25. Chemicals from plating and etching operations were the primary components of the wastewater from 22-015(c). Chemicals reported to be used include sodium hydroxide, perchloroethylene, sodium thiosulfate, gold, hydrogen peroxide, sodium cyanide, nickel, copper, zinc, cadmium, and sulfuric, hydrochloric, fluoroboric, nitric, chromic, hydrofluoric, and phosphoric acids. The CEARP also states that ferric chloride, sodium carbonate, thallium, and lead had also been used in the plating work during the 20 - 25 years of operation. The plating facility operators were instructed not to flush cyanide solutions down the site drains, however, rinse water containing up to 3.2 ppm cyanide was sent to the drains and thus to the outfall. TA-22-1 handled explosives such as PETN, RDX, tetryl, PBX, and small amounts of acetone and ethanol.

RELEASE INFORMATION

After a past overflow to an outfall, the 22-015(a) wells were removed from service. Decant from the TA-22-25 sump apparently went to a drainage area north of the building. Signs reading "High Explosive" were seen in the general outfall area during the 1987 CEARP field survey. The CEARP reports that discolored material was observed from the TA-22-52 outfall all the way to the stream at the bottom of the canyon. This apparently resulted from the ferric chloride in the waste stream. Discolored soil was sampled in 1988; however, analytical results are not available. The sump [22-015(d)] had an outfall to the south, and what is believed to be the discharge area is currently marked with signs warning of HE.

NOTES

Sub-SUMUs 22-015(a), (b), and (c) were formerly SUMU Nos. 22-006, 22-007, and 22-008, respectively. SUMU Nos. 22-015(d) and (e) were formerly addressed in SUMU No. 22-009.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-015(a)	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-HW	22.006 22.010- 22.011		TA-22-91

(continued)

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST
(continued)

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-015(b)	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-HW			TA-22-25
22-015(c)	TA22-2-CA/O-1/A-HW	22.013-		TA-22-52
		22.014		
22-015(d)	TA22-2-CA/O-1/A-HW			TA-22-1
	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-HW			
22-015(e)	TA22-2-CA/O-1/A-HW			NEAR TA-22-1
	TA22-3-S/O-1/A-HW			

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-22
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : SEPTIC SYSTEM
UNIT USE : DISPOSAL/TREATMENT
OPERATIONAL STATUS : INACTIVE
PERIOD OF USE : 1945 - 1952
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : UNKNOWN

MATERIALS MANAGED : SOLID WASTE
SUSPECTED HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Septic tank TA-22-42 was constructed of reinforced concrete and measured 6' x 9' x 5'. Its overflow discharged to a leach field. The tank was abandoned in-place in 1952.

WASTE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether TA-22-42 contains radionuclides or HE contaminants.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is unknown whether a hazardous or radioactive release occurred from TA-22-42.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
22-016	TA22-4-ST/CA-1/A-HW/RW	22.012		TA-22-42

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(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
22-001	22-1
22-003(a)	22-1
22-003(b)	22-1
22-003(c)	22-1
22-003(d)	22-1
22-003(e)	22-1
22-003(f)	22-1
22-003(g)	22-1
22-010(a)	22-1
22-010(b)	22-1
22-011	22-1
22-012	22-1
22-013	22-1
22-014(a)	22-1
22-014(b)	22-1
22-015(a)	22-1
22-015(b)	22-1
22-015(c)	22-1
22-015(d)	22-1
22-016	22-1

NOTE: Some structure locations contain more than one SWMU.

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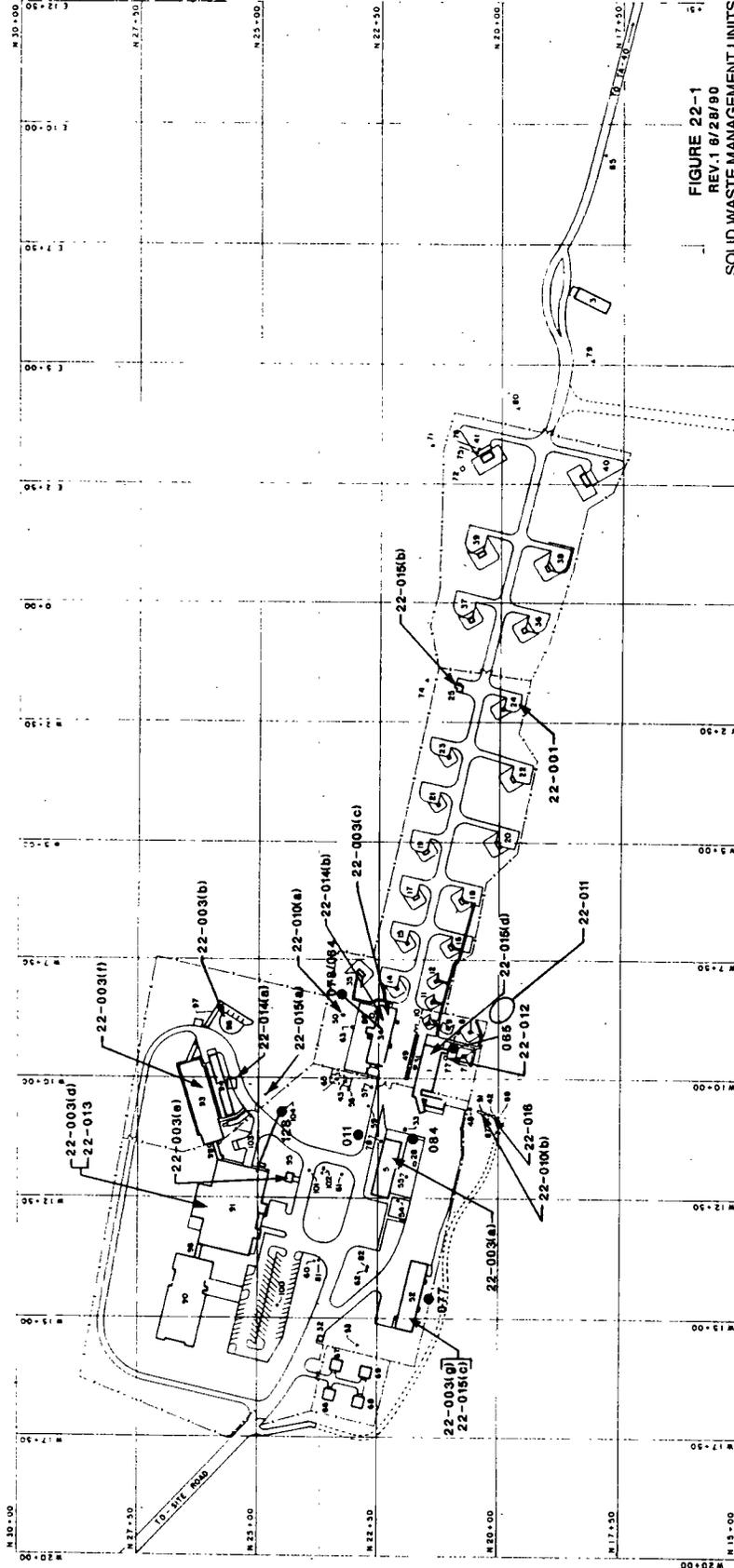


FIGURE 22-1
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SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) IN TA-22

REV	DATE	REVISION	BY
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8	11-1-88
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2	11-1-88
1	11-1-88

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STRUCTURE LOCATION PLAN	REC. CATEGORIZATION
TA-22	DATE
TO - SITE	DATE
11-1-88	11-1-88
2.00	2.00
ENG - R 514	



NOTES
 NPDES outfall numbers 04A085 and 02A008 associated with NPDES outfall structure TA-22-6 which was removed in 1988.

EXPLANATION
 22-001 SWMU LOCATION
 010 LOCATION OF OUTFALL INDICATING ASSOCIATED NPDES AND NPDES SERIAL NUMBERS (SEE APPENDIX A)

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TA-23 OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 23 is a small decommissioned area that contained a firing point, magazine, office, and laboratories. It was used principally as a firing site. It lies within the current boundaries of TA-9. Two SWMUs have been identified in former TA-23. They have been renumbered to 9-014 and 9-015.

The elevation of the former site of TA-23 is about 7,540 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa bounded by a branch of Pajarito Canyon on the north and by Canon de Valle on the south. The canyon walls range from steep to moderate slopes in this area. It is in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetative zone and the soil consists of Carjo loam (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos area lies at a little over 6,300 feet asl at the site of the former TA-23 (IT, 1987a). Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-23

23-001
23-002

FIRING SITE (renumbered)
INDUSTRIAL WASTE MANHOLE (renumbered)

NOTES

This SWMU has been renumbered to 9-014.

NOTES

This SWMU has been renumbered to 9-015.

TA-24

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 24 is no longer operational. It was used for x-ray examination of high-explosive charges. A large storage magazine and laboratories were part of the facility (DOE, 1987a). It now lies within TA-16. One SWMU has been identified in TA-24. It has been renumbered to 16-024.

The former site of TA-24 lies at 7,590 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa that is bounded on the north by Canon de Valle and on the south by Water Canyon. Soil consists of clayey-skeletal Typic Eutroboralfs. Plant life is from the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos lies at about 6,340 feet asl at the former location of TA-24. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-24

24-001

SEPTIC SYSTEM (renumbered)

NOTES

This SWMU has been renumbered to SWMU Nos. 16-005(j) and (m).

TA-25

OPERATIONS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

Technical Area (TA) 25, called V Site, was constructed in 1944 for experimental work in connection with special assemblies. In 1945, the site underwent extensive alterations to become a part of TA-16, allowing process work on explosive charges to be done. Structures at the site included an laboratory buildings, an equipment building, a warehouse, and museum buildings (DOE, 1987a). Two SWMUs were originally identified in TA-25. One of these, a septic system, is renumbered to 16-006(g) and 16-006(h) in this revision of the report. The second SWMU, a pit that was decommissioned in 1945, is listed as part of former TA-25 because it was never actively used as part of TA-16.

The site of former TA-25 has elevation of about 7,600 feet asl. It is located on a broad mesa that is bounded on the north by Canon de Valle and on the south by Water Canyon. It lies in the Ponderosa Pine/Pinon-Juniper overstory vegetation zone. Soil consists of Total very fine sandy loam and Totavi gravelly loamy sand (Nyhan et al., 1978).

The potentiometric surface of the main aquifer in the Los Alamos region lies at about 6,300 feet asl at the site of TA-25. Over 1,000 feet of unsaturated tuff and volcanic rock separate the surface from the aquifer. There is little potential for downward flow from the surface because of the low moisture conditions of the tuff (IT, 1987a).

LIST OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS (SWMUs) IN TA-25

25-001
25-002

PIT
SEPTIC SYSTEM (renumbered)

SUMMARY

LOCATION : TA-25
TYPE OF UNIT(S) : PIT
UNIT USE : UNKNOWN
OPERATIONAL STATUS : DECOMMISSIONED
PERIOD OF USE : 1944 - 1945
HAZARDOUS RELEASE : UNKNOWN
RADIOACTIVE RELEASE : NONE

MATERIALS MANAGED : HAZARDOUS WASTE

UNIT INFORMATION

Pit TA-25-9 was associated with HE work at TA-25; it was removed in 1945. No details on the size or capacity of the unit are available. It is not known whether this is the same pit designated as TA-16-523 in SWMU No. 16-029(g2).

WASTE INFORMATION

The pit contained HE and beryllium. Details on the removal of these materials is lacking, as is any documentation about the possibility that any residual contamination remains.

RELEASE INFORMATION

It is not known whether hazardous releases from this unit have occurred.

NOTES

The location of this SWMU is within the current boundaries of TA-16.

SWMU CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

<u>SWMU NUMBER</u>	<u>CEARP IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S)</u>	<u>RFA UNIT</u>	<u>E.R. RELEASE SITE INFO.</u>	<u>ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES</u>
25-001	TA25-1-CA-1-HW/RW			TA-25-9

NOTES

This SWMU has been renumbered to SWMU Nos. 16-006(g) and (h).

**TA-25 SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT UNITS
(SWMUs) FIGURE INDEX**

SWMU	FIGURE NUMBER
25-001	Not shown

NOTE: Some structure locations may contain more than one SWMU.

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