

<b>WASTE STREAM</b>	<b>9E61</b>	<b>ILW Fuel Skips</b>
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**SITE** Oldbury

**SITE OWNER** Nuclear Decommissioning Authority

**WASTE CUSTODIAN** Magnox Limited

**WASTE TYPE** ILW

**WASTE VOLUMES**

		Reported
Stocks:	At 1.4.2019.....	34.8 m <sup>3</sup>
Total future arisings:		0 m <sup>3</sup>
Total waste volume:		34.8 m <sup>3</sup>

Comment on volumes: Volumes are based on 25 skips (24 long at 1.4m<sup>3</sup> & 1 standard at 1.2m<sup>3</sup>).

Uncertainty factors on volumes:

Stock (upper):	x 1.2	Arisings (upper)	x
Stock (lower):	x 0.8	Arisings (lower)	x

**WASTE SOURCE** Skips are / were used for the movement and storage of materials within the pond. Contamination from pond operations and plant operation.

**PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

General description: 25 contaminated skips. (24 long at 1.4m<sup>3</sup> & 1 standard at 1.2m<sup>3</sup>).

Physical components (%vol): Pond skips are made of mild steel and are coated in UPC paint.

Sealed sources: -

Bulk density (t/m<sup>3</sup>): ~0.3

Comment on density: Density is based on the approximate weight of the skip of 0.42te and a volume of 1.4m<sup>3</sup>.

**CHEMICAL COMPOSITION**

General description and components (%wt): Steel and small amount of UPC paint. Fission products, actinides and other activation products will be present as contaminants.

Chemical state: Neutral

Chemical form of radionuclides:

H-3: The tritium content is insignificant.  
 C-14: The carbon-14 content is in significant.  
 Se-79: The selenium content is insignificant.  
 Tc-99: The technetium content is insignificant.  
 Ra: The radium content is insignificant.  
 Th: The thorium content is insignificant.  
 U: The uranium content is insignificant.  
 Np: The neptunium content is insignificant.  
 Pu: The chemical form of plutonium isotopes may be plutonium oxides.

Metals and alloys (%wt): 25 pond skips are present, these are 1.357 m x 1 m x 1.029 m. and constructed from 3.2 mm 10 gauge steel plate.

Stainless steel.....	0
Other ferrous metals.....	~100.0
Iron.....	
Aluminium.....	0
Beryllium.....	
Cobalt.....	
Copper.....	0
Lead.....	0
Magnox/Magnesium.....	0
Nickel.....	
Titanium.....	
Uranium.....	

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	Zinc.....	0
	Zircaloy/Zirconium.....	0
	Other metals.....	0
Organics (%wt):	There may be organics in the UPC paint.	
	Total cellulose.....	0
	Paper, cotton.....	0
	Wood.....	0
	Halogenated plastics .....	0
	Total non-halogenated plastics.....	0
	Condensation polymers.....	0
	Others.....	0
	Organic ion exchange materials....	0
	Total rubber.....	0
	Halogenated rubber .....	0
	Non-halogenated rubber.....	0
	Hydrocarbons.....	
	Oil or grease .....	
	Fuel.....	
	Asphalt/Tarmac (cont.coal tar)...	
	Asphalt/Tarmac (no coal tar)....	
	Bitumen.....	
	Others.....	
	Other organics.....	NE
Other materials (%wt):	-	
	Inorganic ion exchange materials.	0
	Inorganic sludges and flocs.....	0
	Soil.....	0
	Brick/Stone/Rubble.....	0
	Cementitious material.....	0
	Sand.....	
	Glass/Ceramics.....	0
	Graphite.....	0
	Desiccants/Catalysts.....	
	Asbestos.....	0
	Non/low friable.....	
	Moderately friable.....	
	Highly friable.....	
	Free aqueous liquids.....	0
	Free non-aqueous liquids.....	0
	Powder/Ash.....	0
Inorganic anions (%wt):	Not expected to be present.	

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Fluoride.....	0
Chloride.....	0
Iodide.....	0
Cyanide.....	0
Carbonate.....	0
Nitrate.....	0
Nitrite.....	0
Phosphate.....	0
Sulphate.....	0
Sulphide.....	0

Materials of interest for waste acceptance criteria:

No materials likely to pose a fire or other non-radiological hazard have been identified.

Combustible metals.....	0
Low flash point liquids.....	0
Explosive materials.....	0
Phosphorus.....	0
Hydrides.....	0
Biological etc. materials.....	0
Biodegradable materials.....	
Putrescible wastes.....	0
Non-putrescible wastes.....	
Corrosive materials.....	0
Pyrophoric materials.....	0
Generating toxic gases.....	0
Reacting with water.....	0
Active particles.....	
Soluble solids as bulk chemical compounds.....	

Hazardous substances / non hazardous pollutants:

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Acrylamide.....	
Benzene.....	
Chlorinated solvents.....	
Formaldehyde.....	
Organometallics.....	
Phenol.....	
Styrene.....	
Tri-butyl phosphate.....	
Other organophosphates.....	
Vinyl chloride.....	
Arsenic.....	
Barium.....	
Boron.....	

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Cadmium.....  
 Caesium.....  
 Selenium.....  
 Chromium.....  
 Molybdenum.....  
 Thallium.....  
 Tin.....  
 Vanadium.....  
 Mercury compounds.....  
 Others.....  
 Electronic Electrical Equipment (EEE)  
     EEE Type 1.....  
     EEE Type 2.....  
     EEE Type 3.....  
     EEE Type 4.....  
     EEE Type 5.....

Complexing agents (%wt): No  
     EDTA.....  
     DPTA.....  
     NTA.....  
     Polycarboxylic acids.....  
     Other organic complexants.....  
     Total complexing agents..... NE

**PACKAGING AND CONDITIONING**

Conditioning method: This waste will be size reduced at the site of origin and transferred to Hinkley Point A for packaging and storage.

Plant Name: Hinkley Point A

Location: -

Plant startup date: -

Total capacity (m<sup>3</sup>/y incoming waste): -

Target start date for packaging this stream: -

Throughput for this stream (m<sup>3</sup>/y incoming waste): -

Other information: The ILW volume that we quote at the moment is the envelope volume of the skips. The skips are to be either size reduced at the site of origin before transfer to Hinkley Point A. Majority of waste to be co-disposed with SZA 9F39 and DNA 9C44 and therefore not included in waste loading/box numbers here, waste loading skewed to result in only 1 container for the skips that can not be co-disposed.

Likely container type:	Container	Waste packaged (%vol)	Waste loading (m <sup>3</sup> )	Payload (m <sup>3</sup> )	Number of packages
	6m <sup>3</sup> concrete box (SD)	100.0	34.8	5.8	1

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Likely container type comment:

-

Range in container waste volume:

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Other information on containers:

Not Specified. Mild steel.

Likely conditioning matrix:

Other information:

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Conditioned density (t/m<sup>3</sup>):

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Conditioned density comment:

-

Other information on conditioning:

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Opportunities for alternative disposal routing:

Treatment	Stream volume (%)	Comment
-	-	-

**RADIOACTIVITY**

Source:

Contamination from pond operations and plant operation.

Uncertainty:

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Definition of total alpha and total beta/gamma:

Where totals are shown on the table of radionuclide activities they are the sums of the listed alpha or beta/gamma emitting radionuclides plus 'other alpha' or 'other beta/gamma'.

Measurement of radioactivities:

Activities are based upon Hinkley Point A fuel skip calculations.

Other information:

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Nuclide	Mean radioactivity, TBq/m <sup>3</sup>				Nuclide	Mean radioactivity, TBq/m <sup>3</sup>			
	Waste at 1.4.2019	Bands and Code	Future arisings	Bands and Code		Waste at 1.4.2019	Bands and Code	Future arisings	Bands and Code
H 3		8			Gd 153		8		
Be 10		8			Ho 163		8		
C 14		8			Ho 166m		8		
Na 22		8			Tm 170		8		
Al 26		8			Tm 171		8		
Cl 36		8			Lu 174		8		
Ar 39		8			Lu 176		8		
Ar 42		8			Hf 178n		8		
K 40		8			Hf 182		8		
Ca 41		8			Pt 193		8		
Mn 53		8			Tl 204		8		
Mn 54		8			Pb 205		8		
Fe 55		8			Pb 210		8		
Co 60	2.70E-07	CC 2			Bi 208		8		
Ni 59		8			Bi 210m		8		
Ni 63		8			Po 210		8		
Zn 65		8			Ra 223		8		
Se 79		8			Ra 225		8		
Kr 81		8			Ra 226		8		
Kr 85		8			Ra 228		8		
Rb 87		8			Ac 227		8		
Sr 90	4.66E-03	CC 2			Th 227		8		
Zr 93		8			Th 228		8		
Nb 91		8			Th 229		8		
Nb 92		8			Th 230		8		
Nb 93m		8			Th 232		8		
Nb 94		8			Th 234		8		
Mo 93		8			Pa 231		8		
Tc 97		8			Pa 233		8		
Tc 99		8			U 232		8		
Ru 106		8			U 233		8		
Pd 107		8			U 234		8		
Ag 108m		8			U 235		8		
Ag 110m		8			U 236		8		
Cd 109		8			U 238		8		
Cd 113m		8			Np 237		8		
Sn 119m		8			Pu 236		8		
Sn 121m		8			Pu 238	9.77E-07	CC 2		
Sn 123		8			Pu 239	2E-06	CC 2		
Sn 126		8			Pu 240	3E-06	CC 2		
Sb 125		8			Pu 241	1.73E-04	CC 2		
Sb 126		8			Pu 242		8		
Te 125m		8			Am 241	1.09E-05	CC 2		
Te 127m		8			Am 242m		8		
I 129		8			Am 243		8		
Cs 134		8			Cm 242		8		
Cs 135		8			Cm 243	9.33E-09	CC 2		
Cs 137	1.87E-03	CC 2			Cm 244	2.68E-07	CC 2		
Ba 133		8			Cm 245		8		
La 137		8			Cm 246		8		
La 138		8			Cm 248		8		
Ce 144		8			Cf 249		8		
Pm 145		8			Cf 250		8		
Pm 147		8			Cf 251		8		
Sm 147		8			Cf 252		8		
Sm 151		8			Other a				
Eu 152		8			Other b/g				
Eu 154	4.71E-06	CC 2			<b>Total a</b>	<b>1.71E-05</b>	<b>CC 2</b>	<b>0</b>	
Eu 155	6.51E-07	CC 2			<b>Total b/g</b>	<b>6.70E-03</b>	<b>CC 2</b>	<b>0</b>	

**Bands (Upper and Lower)**

- A a factor of 1.5
- B a factor of 3
- C a factor of 10
- D a factor of 100
- E a factor of 1000

Note: Bands quantify uncertainty in mean radioactivity.

**Code**

- 1 Measured activity
- 2 Derived activity (best estimate)
- 3 Derived activity (upper limit)
- 4 Not present
- 5 Present but not significant
- 6 Likely to be present but not assessed
- 7 Present in significant quantities but not determined
- 8 Not expected to be present in significant quantity