**SITE** Capenhurst

SITE OWNER Urenco

WASTE CUSTODIAN URENCO

WASTE TYPE LLW; SPD1

Is the waste subject to

Scottish Policy:

No

**WASTE VOLUMES** 

Reported Stocks: At 1.4.2022..... ~20.0 m3 Future arisings -1.4.2022 - 31.3.2023...... ~9.6 m3 1.4.2023 - 31.3.2024......  $\sim 9.6 \, \text{m}^3$ 1.4.2024 - 31.3.2025...... ~~9.6 m<sup>3</sup> 1.4.2025 - 31.3.2040...... ~~153.6 m3 Total future arisings: 182.4 m<sup>3</sup> Total waste volume: 202.4 m<sup>3</sup>

Comment on volumes: Volumes are based on average of past three years arising. Volume is of decontaminated

metallic parts loaded into 210L drums, as per site instructions. Volumes based on current

rate of arising.

Uncertainty factors on

volumes:

Stock (upper): x 1.05 Stock (lower): x 0.95 Arisings (upper) x 2.0

Arisings (lower) x 0.5

**WASTE SOURCE** 

The waste arises from centrifuge plant operations and maintenance, auxiliary activities such as chemistry laboratories and a small fraction from clean-up and decommissioning

activities.

#### PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

General description: Stripped pump and valve components arising from the refurbishment of plant equipment.

Also small quantities of pipework and structural framing that will not be processed via the decontamination facility. Material has been washed in citric acid bath and water bath to decontaminate prior to loading into 210L drums for interim storage on site prior to

processing and disposal.

Physical components (%wt): The material will be mainly mild steel (70%), aluminium (20%), copper (10%).

Sealed sources: The waste does not contain sealed sources.

Bulk density (t/m³): ~~1.143

Comment on density: Based on weights of loaded 210 litre drums filled with this waste stream.

#### CHEMICAL COMPOSITION

General description and components (%wt):

All non hazardous

Chemical state: Neutral

Chemical form of Tc-99: Trace quantities present as Tc(IV) as TcO2 and Tc(VII) as pertechnate.

radionuclides: U: Uranyl fluoride (70%), uranium tetrafluoride (30%).

Np: Trace quantities present as the NpO2 ++ ion.

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Metals and alloys (%wt): -

(%wt) Type(s) / Grade(s) with proportions % of total C14 activity

Stainless steel.....

Other ferrous metals...... ~70.0 Mild steel

Iron.....

Aluminium..... ~20.0

Beryllium.....

	Copper	~10.0		
	Lead			
	Magnox/Magnesium			
	Nickel			
	Titanium			
	Uranium			
	Zinc			
	Zircaloy/Zirconium			
	Other metals			
Organics	s (%wt):			
		(%wt)	Type(s) and comment	% of total C14
	Total cellulosics	,	71 ( )	activity
	Paper, cotton			
	Wood			
	Halogenated plastics			
	Total non-halogenated plastics  Condensation polymers			
	Others			
	Organic ion exchange materials  Total rubber			
	Halogenated rubber			
	Non-halogenated rubber			
	Hydrocarbons			
	Oil or grease			
	Fuel			
	Asphalt/Tarmac (cont.coal tar)			
	Asphalt/Tarmac (no coal tar)			
	Bitumen			
	Others			
	Other organics			
Other ma	aterials (%wt): -			
		(%wt)	Type(s) and comment	% of total C14
	Inorganic ion exchange materials			activity
	Inorganic sludges and flocs			
	Soil			
	Brick/Stone/Rubble			
	Cementitious material			
	Sand			
	Glass/Ceramics			
	Graphite			
	Desiccants/Catalysts			

	Asbestos			
	Non/low friab	le		
	Moderately fr	iable		
	Highly friable			
	Free aqueous liq	uids		
	Free non-aqueou	ıs liquids		
	Powder/Ash			
Inorganic ani	ons (%wt):	Present as fluorid	es of uranium	
			(%wt)	Type(s) and comment
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	Fluoride		~0.30	
	Chloride			
	lodide			
	Cyanide			
	Carbonate			
	Nitrate			
	Nitrite			
	Phosphate			
	Sulphate			
	Sulphide			
Materials of inwaste accept	nterest for ance criteria:	N/A	(%wt)   Type(s) and comment   (%wt)   Type(s)   (%wt)   Type(s)   (%wt)   (%wt)   Type(s)   (%wt)   (%wt	
			(%wt)	Type(s) and comment
	Combustible met	als		
	Low flash point li	quids		
	Explosive materia	als		
	Phosphorus			
	Hydrides			
	Biological etc. ma	aterials		
	Biodegradable m	aterials		
	Putrescible wa	stes		
	Non-putrescibl	e wastes		
	Corrosive materia	als		
	Pyrophoric mater	rials		
	Generating toxic	gases		
	Reacting with wa	ter		
	Higher activity pa	articles		
	Soluble solids as compounds	bulk chemical		
Hazardous sı non hazardoı		N/A		
			(%wt)	Type(s) and comment

Benzene		
Chlorinated solvents		
Formaldehyde		
Organometallics		
Phenol		
Styrene		
Tri-butyl phosphate		
Other organophosphates		
Vinyl chloride		
Arsenic		
Barium		
Boron		
Boron (in Boral)		
Boron (non-Boral)		
Cadmium		
Caesium		
Selenium		
Chromium		
Molybdenum		
Thallium		
Tin		
Vanadium		
Mercury compounds		
Others	NE	
Electronic Electrical Equipment (EEE)		
EEE Type 1		
EEE Type 2		
EEE Type 3		
EEE Type 4		
EEE Type 5		
Complexing agents (%wt): No		
	(%wt)	Type(s) and comment
EDTA		
DPTA		
NTA		
Polycarboxylic acids		
Other organic complexants		
Total complexing agents		
Potential for the waste to No. contain discrete items:		

### TREATMENT, PACKAGING AND DISPOSAL

Planned on-site / off-site treatment(s):

Treatment	On-site / Off site	Stream volume %
Low force compaction Supercompaction (HFC) Incineration Solidification Decontamination Metal treatment Size reduction Decay storage Recyling / reuse	Off site On-site	100.0
Other / various None		

Comment on planned treatments:

**Disposal Routes:** 

Disposal Route	Stream volume %	Disposal density t/m3
Expected to be consigned to the LLW Repository Expected to be consigned to a Landfill Facility Expected to be consigned to an On-Site Disposal Facility	<80.0	~~1.1
Expected to be consigned to an Incineration Facility Expected to be consigned to a Metal Treatment Facility Expected to be consigned as Out of Scope	>20.0	~~1.1
Expected to be recycled / reused Disposal route not known		

Classification codes for waste expected to be consigned to a landfill facility:

Non-hazardous. EWC Code - 17 04 07

# Upcoming (2022/23-2024/25) Waste Routing (if expected to change from above):

Disposal Route	Stream volume %					
Disposal Route	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25			
Expected to be consigned to the LLW Repository						
Expected to be consigned to a Landfill Facility						
Expected to be consigned to an On-Site Disposal Facility						
Expected to be consigned to an Incineration Facility						
Expected to be consigned to a Metal Treatment Facility						
Expected to be consigned as Out of Scope						
Expected to be recycled / reused						
Disposal route not known						

# Opportunities for alternative disposal routing:

Baseline Management Route	Opportunity Management Route	Stream volume (%)	Estimated Date that Opportunity will be realised	Opportunity Confidence	Comment
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Waste Packaging for Disposal: (Not applicable to this waste stream)

Container	Stream volume %	Waste loading m <sup>3</sup>	Number of packages
1/3 Height IP-1 ISO			
2/3 Height IP-2 ISO 1/2 Height WAMAC IP-2 ISO			
1/2 Height IP-2 Disposal/Re-usable ISO			
2m box (no shielding)			
4m box (no shielding) Other			
Other			

Other information:

Waste Planned for Disposal at the LLW Repository: (Not applicable to this waste stream)

Container voidage: -

Waste Characterisation

Form (WCH):

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Waste consigned for disposal to LLWR in year of generation:

Non-Containerised Waste for In-Vault Grouting: (Not applicable to this waste stream)

Stream volume (%):

Waste stream variation:

Bounding cuboidal volume:

Inaccessible voidage: -

Other information:

**RADIOACTIVITY** 

Source: Uranium enrichment and recovery operations.

Uncertainty: Variations in activity will occur due to changes in uranium concentration and enrichment.

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:

Intrusive sampling and non-destructive HRGS Assay

Other information: Uranium daughter products are considered to be in equilibrium with the parent.

	Mean radioactivity, TBq/m³			Mean radioactivity, TBq/m³					
Nuclide	Waste at 1.4.2022	Bands and Code	Future arisings	Bands and Code	Nuclide	Waste at 1.4.2022	Bands and Code	Future arisings	Bands and Code
H 3	1.4.2022	Oodc	anonigo	Code	Gd 153	1.4.2022	Oodo	dilonigo	Ouc
Be 10					Ho 163				
C 14					Ho 166m				
Na 22					Tm 170				
Al 26					Tm 171				
CI 36					Lu 174				
Ar 39					Lu 176				
Ar 42					Hf 178n				
K 40					Hf 182				
Ca 41 Mn 53					Pt 193 TI 204				
Mn 54					Pb 205				
Fe 55 Co 60					Pb 210 Bi 208				
Ni 59					Bi 200 Bi 210m				
Ni 63					Po 210				
Zn 65					Ra 223				
Se 79 Kr 81					Ra 225 Ra 226				
Kr 85					Ra 226 Ra 228				
Rb 87					Ac 227				
Sr 90					Th 227				
Zr 93					Th 228				
Nb 91					Th 229				
Nb 91					Th 230				
Nb 93m					Th 232				
Nb 94					Th 234				
Mo 93					Pa 231				
Tc 97					Pa 233				
Tc 99	~8.73E-07	AA 2	~~8.65E-07	AA 2	U 232				
Ru 106	~0.73L-07	AA 2	~~0.03L=07	AA 2	U 233				
Pd 107					U 234	~2.63E-05	AA 2	~~2.61E-05	AA 2
Ag 108m					U 235	~1.13E-06	AA 2	~~1.12E-06	AA 2
Ag 100m					U 236	~1.13L=00	AA 2	~~1.12L-00	AA 2
Cd 109					U 238	~1.28E-05	AA 2	~~1.27E-05	AA 2
Cd 113m					Np 237	~2.24E-07	AA 2	~~2.21E-07	AA 2
Sn 119m					Pu 236	~2.24L-07	AA 2	~~Z.Z1L=01	AA 2
Sn 121m					Pu 238				
Sn 123					Pu 239				
Sn 126					Pu 240				
Sb 125					Pu 241				
Sb 126					Pu 242				
Te 125m					Am 241				
Te 127m					Am 242m				
I 129					Am 243				
Cs 134					Cm 242				
Cs 135					Cm 243				
Cs 137					Cm 244				
Ba 133					Cm 245				
La 137					Cm 246				
La 138					Cm 248				
Ce 144					Cf 249				
Pm 145					Cf 250				
Pm 147					Cf 251				
Sm 147					Cf 252				
Sm 151					Other a				
Eu 152					Other b/g				
Eu 154					Total a	~4.05E-05	AA 2	~4.01E-05	AA 2
Eu 155					Total b/g	~4.03E-03 ~8.73E-07	AA 2	~8.65E-07	AA 2
00					rotal bry	-0.752-07	7.7. Z	-0.03L-07	AA 4

#### 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 account.

- 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