

Site (Structure) : AG RWMF

Country: AUSTRALIA

Reporting Year: 2005

Full Name: Other Australian government radioactive waste management facilities

Description:

Official Website:

License Holder(s): Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency / Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation
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The Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency has a small waste store located at its Yallambie, Victoria premises. The Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation has a number of small stores for waste at its laboratories around Australia (Black Mountain, TFT Belmont, Clayton, North Ryde, University of Queensland - Gatton, Armidale - NSW, Rockhampton, Parkville, Aspendale, Pullenvale, Lucas Heights, Gungahlin Site, Woodville). The radioactive waste stores in the Woomera Prohibited Area, Evatts Field, Woomera, South Australia, are used to store large quantities of low-level and some intermediate-level waste on a temporary basis. Some of the waste is stored in a concrete bunker. This waste is predominantly disused watches, compasses, old medical sources and irradiation sources. The concrete bunker has concrete blast walls on 3 sides with raised earthen mounds on 2 of these sides. Other wastes (contaminated soil and treated ore wastes) are stored in drums in a large hangar.

Waste management facilities that are located at this site:

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<p>Storage part of facility StorageFac</p> <p>The following shows storage status for waste classes and SRS.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Waste Class</th> <th>Actual</th> <th>Planned</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>LILW-SL</td> <td>Yes</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>LILW-LL</td> <td>Yes</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HLW</td> <td>No</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Waste Class	Actual	Planned	LILW-SL	Yes	Yes	LILW-LL	Yes	Yes	HLW	No	No
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List SRS?	No												
List UMMT?	No												
Capacity:													
Types of Storage Units													
Storage Unit Name	Type Name	Year Opened	Closed?	Full?	Modular?	Contains SRS?							
Stores	various	0	No	No	No	No							