



U.S. ARMY CHEMICAL MATERIALS AGENCY

WEEKLY UPDATE

Anniston Chemical Activity

Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility



ANCDF Chemical Demilitarization Operations: Aug. 9, 2003 – Feb. 27, 2006

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Anniston Milestones/Facts

Milestone Dates

- ◆ Chemical weapons storage began 1961.
- ◆ ANCDF construction began 1997.
- ◆ Disposal operations began Aug. 9, 2003.
- ◆ Concluded rocket operations Oct. 29, 2004.
- ◆ All 43 GB igloos emptied as of Feb. 22, 2006.
- ◆ More than 8,000,000 safe hours worked.

TYPES OF CHEMICALS	ORIGINAL POUNDS
GB Nerve Agent	873,020 (19%)
VX Nerve Agent	1,657,480 (37%)
Mustard (HD, HT) Agent	1,976,760 (44%)
ANCDF TOTAL	4,507,260

ANCDF chemical operations have safely disposed of:

- ▶ 42,738 GB-filled Rockets & 24 Warheads (0 remain)
- ▶ 16,026 GB-Filled 8-Inch Projectiles (0 remain)
- ▶ 9,600 GB-Filled 155mm Projectiles (0 remain)
- ▶ 36 GB Sample Vials (0 remain)
- ▶ 2 GB-Filled Ton Containers (0 remain)
- ▶ 73,130 GB-Filled 105mm Projectiles
- ▶ 803,456 pounds of liquid GB (89,315 gallons)

Leading the Way to a Safer Future

The Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility is safely destroying the stockpile of chemical weapons stored at Anniston Army Depot while ensuring maximum protection for the general public, environment, and personnel involved in the storage and disposal effort.

- ◆ Disposal is safer than continued storage.
- ◆ Incineration is truly a safe, efficient disposal process.
- ◆ More than 10,400 tons of chemical agent and more than 1,653,000 weapons have been safely incinerated by the U.S. since 1990.
- ◆ Pollution control systems protect people, and the environment.



Safe, secure storage



Liquid Incinerator



Deactivation Furnace



Pollution Control Filters

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ANCDF is currently processing:



105mm projectiles

CREATING A SAFER TOMORROW