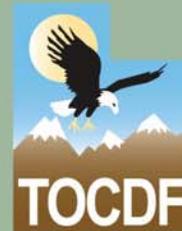




MONTHLY UPDATE

DESERET CHEMICAL DEPOT
TOOELE CHEMICAL AGENT DISPOSAL FACILITY



*TOCDF Chemical Demilitarization Operations: March 17, 2006 - April 20, 2006

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Safe, secure storage

Milestone Dates

- Chemical weapons storage began in 1942
- Construction of TOCDF began in 1989
- Disposal operations began in 1996
- Complete destruction of GB nerve agent-filled munitions on March 15, 2002
- Complete destruction of VX nerve agent-filled munitions on June 3, 2005



On-Site Container

TOCDF Update

- Decontamination and other plant changeover activities in preparation for the TOCDF Mustard Agent Destruction Campaign continue. In preparation for the disposal of the mustard agent-filled ton containers (TCs), TOCDF workers continue to prepare two storage igloos that will be used to sample the mustard TCs. The work is finished and phase 1 (of 3) systemization of facilities and equipment is nearly complete. A joint TOCDF/DCD Operational Readiness Review is planned to begin later this month. Based on approval, sampling operations are scheduled to start in May.
- TOCDF's "Ironman" Dan Aldrich on March 22 achieved a career milestone that nobody else in the U.S. chemical weapons destruction program is likely to achieve: 1,000 entries into the plant's toxic areas to perform work.



Protective Equipment

Leading the Way to a Safer Future

The Tooele Chemical Agent Disposal Facility is safely destroying the stockpile of chemical weapons stored at Deseret Chemical Depot, while ensuring maximum protection for our workers, our community and our environment.



Monitoring



TOCDF workers practice lifting a SETH (simulated) ton container (TC) into a glove box inside one of the modified storage igloos that will be used to sample mustard TCs.

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