



WEEKLY UPDATE

PINE BLUFF CHEMICAL AGENT DISPOSAL FACILITY
PINE BLUFF ARSENAL



PBCDF Chemical Disposal Operations: April 18, 2006 - April 24, 2006

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Crane operators



Munitions handlers



Control room operators



Toxic area maintenance workers

PBCDF operations have safely eliminated:

PBCDF WEEKLY TOTALS	AMOUNT
Nerve Agent GB Rockets	0
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	0

PBCDF PROJECT TOTALS	AMOUNT
Nerve Agent GB Rockets	34,207
Percentage of Nerve Agent GB Rockets	37.9%
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	352,872
Percentage of Total Chemical Agent Tons	4.6%

* Includes chemical agent destroyed in both the Deactivation Furnace and Liquid Incinerator Systems.

The scheduled maintenance outage, to replace the fiberglass-reinforced plastic piping with metal piping in the pollution abatement systems for the Liquid Incinerator (LIC), the Deactivation Furnace System (DFS), and the Metal Parts Furnace (MPF) continued this week at PBCDF. The new piping installation for the DFS, the LIC and the MPF is complete. The Metal Parts Furnace continues to process non-hazardous and secondary waste. Activities are ongoing to prepare the DFS and the LIC for the resumption of rocket and agent processing.

PBCDF Milestone Dates:

- PBA Chemical Weapons Stockpile Storage began in 1945
- Construction began in 1999
- Construction complete in 2002
- Testing and Training complete in 2005
- Disposal Operations began in March 2005

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Munitions Now Being Destroyed



M55 Rockets

PBCDF chemical weapons disposal operations are: Safe, Environmentally Sound, Timely and Cost-Effective...

CREATING A SAFER TOMORROW