



WEEKLY UPDATE

PINE BLUFF CHEMICAL AGENT DISPOSAL FACILITY
PINE BLUFF ARSENAL



PBCDF Chemical Disposal Operations: July 4, 2006 - July 10, 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	1,135
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	11,653

PBCDF PROJECT TOTALS	AMOUNT
Nerve Agent GB Rockets	43,483
Percentage of Nerve Agent GB Rockets	48.2%
Nerve Agent GB Pounds*	450,940
Percentage of Total Chemical Agent Tons	5.9%

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

Munitions Handlers (*pictured first & second, left*) are primarily responsible for unpacking chemical weapons after they are transported to PBCDF and placing these unpacked chemical weapons on conveyors for processing through the furnace systems. Munitions Handlers also perform maintenance and inspection duties associated with the safe operation of facility equipment.

Editor's Note: The July 4th date was mistakenly included on last week's update for the reporting period listed at the top of the page. Last week's totals remain unchanged. The correct reporting period for last week's update should have read June 27, 2006 - July 3, 2006.

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