



# WEEKLY UPDATE



Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA)

Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility (ANCDF)

ANCDF Chemical Demilitarization Operations: Aug. 9, 2003 – Aug. 7 2006

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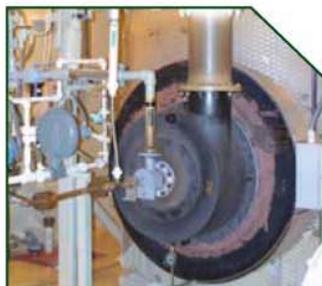
Safe, secure storage

## Anniston Milestones/Facts

### Milestone Dates

- ◆ Chemical weapons storage began 1961.
- ◆ ANCDF construction began 1997.
- ◆ GB disposal operations began August 9, 2003.
- ◆ Concluded GB munition disposal on March 2, 2006.
- ◆ VX disposal operations began July 23, 2006.
- ◆ More than 9,000,000 safe hours worked.

TYPES OF CHEMICALS	ORIGINAL POUNDS
<b>GB Nerve Agent</b>	<b>(873,020) (0%)</b>
VX Nerve Agent	1,657,480 (46%)
Mustard (HD, HT) Agent	1,976,760 (54%)
Remaining ANCA Total	3,634,240



Liquid Incinerator

### ANCDF operations have safely disposed of:

- ▶ 1,001 VX-Filled M55mm Rockets
- ▶ 0 VX-Filled 155mm Projectiles
- ▶ 0 VX-Filled Land Mines
- ▶ 7,167 pounds of liquid VX (852 gallons)
- ▶ 142,428 GB-filled munitions (**0 remain**)
- ▶ 874,436 pounds of GB (96,246 gallons ~ **0 remain**)



Deactivation Furnace

## Leading the Way to a Safer Future

The U.S. Army Chemical Materials Agency (CMA), the Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA), and the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility (ANCDF) are committed to the safe storage of chemical munitions and the safe and deliberate disposal of the entire stockpile while ensuring the safety of the public, the environment, and all involved in the storage and disposal efforts.

- ◆ Disposal is safer than continued storage.
- ◆ Since 1990, more than 10,870 tons of chemicals and more than 1,708,000 munitions have been incinerated.
- ◆ Pollution control systems protect people and the environment.



Pollution Control Filters

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M55 Rocket

CREATING A SAFER TOMORROW