



# WEEKLY UPDATE

UMATILLA CHEMICAL AGENT DISPOSAL FACILITY  
UMATILLA CHEMICAL DEPOT



UMCDF Chemical Demilitarization Operations: Sept. 14 - 20, 2006

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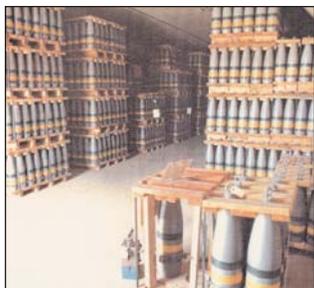
**GB M55 Rocket**



**GB MC-1 Bombs**



**GB MK-94 Bombs**



**GB 8-inch Projectiles**

## Munitions / Agent Processing

**No processing was conducted this week due to ongoing activities to change over equipment for GB projectile processing, scheduled to begin later this month.**

Percentage of GB rockets destroyed to date	<b>COMPLETE</b>
Percentage of GB bombs processed to date	<b>COMPLETE</b>
Percentage of total agent tons destroyed	<b>20.21</b>
Number of igloos emptied	<b>46</b>

## UMCDF Operations

- See above



A simulated (SETH) projectile is pushed from the index table on a Projectile/Mortar Disassembly Machine (PMD) into the nose closure removal station during recent testing. The plant has been undergoing systemization of its two PMDs and three Multipurpose Demilitarization Machines (MDMs). Components of the PMDs remove the nose closure from the projectiles, as well as the fuze, well cup or supplementary charges. The PMDs also remove the burster and sends it to the Burster Size Reduction Station, which is the former Rocket Shear Machine modified to shear the solid bursters and drop them into the Deactivation Furnace System (DFS). The MDMs are used to pull the burster wells from the projectiles, drain the chemical agent and crimp the burster wells.

Once the GB projectile campaign begins, the facility will destroy 47,406 155mm projectiles and 14,246 8-inch projectiles.

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

# CREATING A SAFER TOMORROW