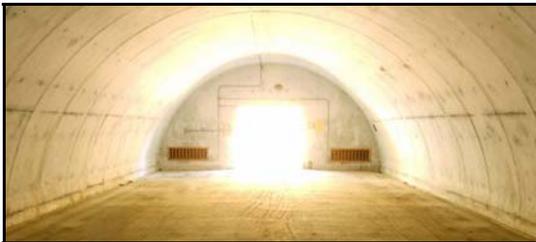


### ANCA stores, moves munitions



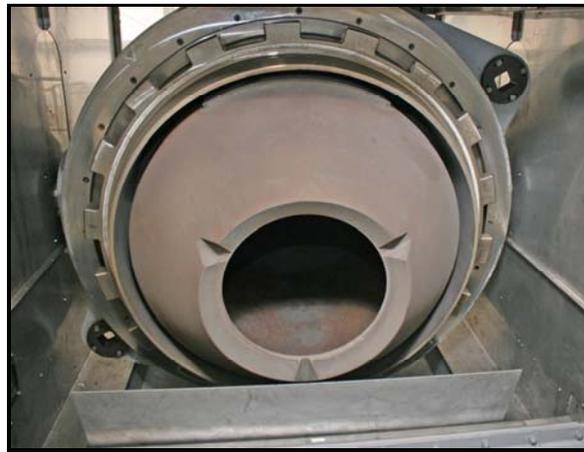
*Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA) employees, like those here, have safely moved more than 573,200 nerve agent-filled and mustard agent-filled munitions to the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility for safe, permitted disposal. (Abrams)*



*ANCDF operations emptied 122 igloos  
Anniston stockpile reduced by 86 percent*

### Key Messages

- ♦ The Anniston chemical munition stockpile is safely stored and maintained by the employees of the Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA) under the command of Lt.Col. Willie J. Flucker.
- ♦ Disposal is safer than indefinite storage.
- ♦ Since 1990, more than 22,490 tons of chemicals and more than 2,461,780 U.S. munitions have been safely incinerated.
- ♦ The U.S. Army *IS* committed to the safety of the community, the environment, and the work force.



*Team installs Static Detonation Chamber  
Construction complete, system testing begins*

Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility (ANCDF) employees are now testing the Anniston Static Detonation Chamber (SDC) before using it to safely demilitarize chemical munitions that could not be processed in the ANCDF. A conveyor system will be used to load the munitions into the explosion proof SDC 'kettle.' (Creed)

### Anniston Milestones

- ♦ **July 2, 2009:** The final chemical agent-filled munition disposal campaign at the ANCDF is under way. To date, **207,602** mortars and **104,533** mustard gallons have been safely demilitarized.
- ♦ **July 23, 2006 ~ December 24, 2008:** All **219,374** VX agent munitions and **196,925** gallons of VX nerve agent are safely demilitarized by ANCDF employees.
- ♦ **August 9, 2003 ~ March 2, 2006:** All **142,428** GB munitions and **96,078** gallons of GB nerve agent safely demilitarized.
- ♦ **1997 ~ 2003:** Westinghouse Anniston constructs and tests the ANCDF.
- ♦ **1997:** U.S. ratifies weapons treaty.
- ♦ **1963:** Anniston Army Depot begins chemical munitions storage mission.



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