

ANCA employees safely store, move agent-filled munitions



Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA) employees, like those here, have safely moved more than 611,870 nerve agent-filled and mustard agent-filled munitions to the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility for safe, permitted disposal. (Abrams)



ANCDF operations emptied 127 igloos Anniston stockpile reduced by 91 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 23,130 tons of chemicals and more than 2,500,300 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.



Mustard-filled 4.2" mortars enter furnace Less than 20 percent of mustard munitions left

A tray of mustard-filled 4.2-inch mortars enters the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility Metal Parts Furnace, a key step in the safe demilitarization of the chemical munitions stored at Anniston Army Depot, Anniston, Ala. The Anniston mustard-filled munitions stockpile has been reduced by more than 82 percent during the campaign that began in July 2009. (Sholin)

Anniston Milestones

- ◆ **July 2, 2009 - December 16, 2010:** The ANCDF team has processed **245,812** mustard-filled mortars and **126,748** mustard gallons.
- ◆ **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.



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