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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report describes the preoperational environmental radiological monitoring program conducted by TVA in the vicinity of the Watts Bar Nuclear Plant (WBN) in 1988. The program includes the collection of samples from the environment and the determination of the concentrations of radioactive materials in the samples. Samples are taken from stations in the general area of the plant and from areas that will not be influenced by plant operations. Station locations are selected after careful consideration of the weather patterns and projected radiation doses to the various areas around the plant. Material sampled includes air, water, milk, foods, vegetation, soil, fish, sediment, and direct radiation levels. During plant operations, results from stations near the plant will be compared with concentrations from control stations and with preoperational measurements to determine potential impacts to the public.

The exposures calculated from environmental samples were contributed by naturally occurring radioactive materials, from materials commonly found in the environment as a result of atmospheric fallout, or from the operation of other nuclear facilities in the area. Since WBN has not operated, there has been no contribution of radioactivity from the plant to the environment.

INTRODUCTION

This report describes and summarizes a huge volume of data, the results of many thousands of measurements and laboratory analyses. The measurements are made to determine the existing background radioactivity levels in the area of WBN. Some of the data presented are prescribed by specific requirements, while other data are included which may be useful or interesting to individuals who do not work with this material routinely.

Naturally Occurring and Background Radioactivity

Most materials in our world contain trace amounts of naturally occurring radioactivity, and naturally occurring radioactive materials have always been in our environment. Approximately 0.01 percent of all potassium is radioactive potassium-40. Potassium-40 (K-40), with a half-life of 1.3 billion years, is one of the major types of radioactive materials found naturally in our environment. An individual weighing 150 pounds contains about 140 grams of potassium (reference 1). This is equivalent to approximately 100,000 pCi of K-40 which delivers a dose of 15 to 20 mrem per year to the bone and soft tissue of the body. Other examples of naturally occurring radioactive materials are uranium-238, uranium-235, thorium-234, radium-226, radon-222, carbon-14, and hydrogen-3 (generally called tritium). These naturally occurring radioactive materials are in the soil, our food, our drinking water, and our bodies.

The radiation from these materials makes up a part of the low-level natural background radiation. The remainder of the natural background radiation comes

from outer space. We are all exposed to this natural radiation 24 hours per day.

The average dose equivalent at sea level resulting from radiation from outer space (part of natural background radiation) is about 27 mrem/year. This essentially doubles with each 6600-foot increase in altitude in the lower atmosphere. Another part of natural background radiation comes from naturally occurring radioactive materials in the soil and rocks. Because the quantity of naturally occurring radioactive material varies according to geographical location, the part of the natural background radiation coming from this radioactive material also depends upon the geographical location. Most of the remainder of the natural background radiation comes from the radioactive materials within each individual's body. We absorb these materials from the food we eat which contains naturally occurring radioactive materials from the soil. An example of this is K-40 as described above. Even building materials affect the natural background radiation levels in the environment. Living or working in a building which is largely made of earthen material, such as concrete or brick, will generally result in a higher natural background radiation level than would exist if the same structure were made of wood. This is due to the naturally occurring radioisotopes in the concrete or brick, such as trace amounts of uranium, radium, thorium, etc.

Because the city of Denver, Colorado, is over 5000 feet in altitude and the soil and rocks there contain more radioactive material than the U.S. average, the people of Denver receive around 350 mrem/year total natural background radiation dose equivalent compared to about 295 mrem/year for the national

average. People in some locations of the world receive over 1000 mrem/year natural background radiation dose equivalent, primarily because of the greater quantity of radioactive materials in the soil and rocks in those locations. Scientists have never been able to show that these levels of radiation have caused harmful effects to anyone.

It is possible to get an idea of the relative hazard of different types of radiation sources by evaluating the amount of radiation the U.S. population receives from each general type of radiation source. The information below is primarily adapted from references 2 and 3.

U.S. GENERAL POPULATION AVERAGE DOSE EQUIVALENT ESTIMATES

Source	Millirem/Year Per Person	
Natural background dose equivalent		
Cosmic	27	
Cosmogenic	1	
Terrestrial	28	
In the body	39	
Radon	200	
Total		295
Release of radioactive material in natural gas, mining, milling, etc.		5
Medical (effective dose equivalent)		53
Nuclear weapons fallout	less than 1	
Nuclear energy		0.28
Consumer products		0.03
Total		355 (approximately)

As can be seen from the table, natural background radiation dose equivalent to the U.S. population normally exceeds that from nuclear plants by several hundred times. This indicates that nuclear plant operations normally result in a population radiation dose equivalent which is insignificant compared to that which results from natural background radiation.

Significant discussion recently has centered around exposures from radon. Radon is an inert gas given off as a result of the decay of naturally occurring radium-226 in soil. When dispersed in the atmosphere, radon concentrations are relatively low. However, when the gas is trapped in closed spaces, it can build up until concentrations become significant. The National Council of Radiation Protection and Measurements (reference 2) has estimated that the average annual effective dose equivalent from radon in the United States is approximately 200 mrem/year. This estimated dose is approximately twice the average dose equivalent from all other natural background sources.

SITE/PLANT DESCRIPTION

The WBN site is located in Rhea county, Tennessee, on the west bank of the Tennessee River at Tennessee River Mile (TRM) 528. Figure 1 shows the site in relation to other TVA projects. The WBN site, containing approximately 1770 acres on Chickamauga Lake, is about 1.25 miles south of the Watts Bar Dam and approximately 31 miles north-northeast of TVA's Sequoyah Nuclear Plant (SQN) site. Also located within the reservation are the Watts Bar Dam and Hydro-Electric Plant, the Watts Bar Steam Plant, and the Watts Bar Resort Area.

Approximately 12,000 to 15,000 people live within 10 miles of the WBN site. More than 80 percent of these live between 5 and 10 miles from the site. Two small towns, Spring City and Decatur, are located in this area. Spring City, with a population of approximately 2,000, is northwest and north-northwest from the site, while Decatur, with about 1,000 people, is south and south-southwest from the plant. The remainder of the area within 10 miles of the site is sparsely populated, consisting primarily of small farms.

The area between 10 and 50 miles from the site includes portions of the cities of Chattanooga and Knoxville. The largest urban concentration in this area is the city of Chattanooga, located to the southwest and south-southwest. The Chattanooga urbanized area has a population of over 250,000, with approximately 80 percent located between 40 and 50 miles from the site and the remainder located beyond 50 miles. The city of Knoxville is located to the east-northeast, with not more than 10 percent of its 200,000 plus people living within 50 miles of the site. Three smaller urban areas of greater than

20,000 people are located between 30 and 40 miles from the site. Oak Ridge is approximately 40 miles to the northeast, the twin cities of Alcoa and Maryville are located 45 to 50 miles to the east-northeast, and Cleveland is located about 30 miles to the south.

Chickamauga Reservoir is one of a series of highly controlled multiple-use reservoirs whose primary uses are flood control, navigation, and the generation of electric power. Secondary uses include industrial and public water supply and waste disposal, commercial fishing, and recreation. Public access areas, boat docks, and residential subdivisions have been developed along the reservoir shoreline in scattered locations.

The WBN consists of two pressurized water reactors: each unit is rated at 1160 megawatts (electrical). Fuel load is currently scheduled for December 1990 for unit 1.

ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM

The unique environmental concern associated with a nuclear power plant is its production of radioactive materials and radiation. The vast majority of this radiation and radioactivity is contained within the reactor itself or one of the other plant systems designed to keep the material in the plant. The retention of the materials in each level of control is achieved by system engineering, design, construction, and operation. Environmental monitoring is a final verification that the systems are performing as planned. The monitoring program is designed to most efficiently monitor the pathways between the plant and the people in the immediate vicinity of the plant. Sample types are chosen so that the potential for detection of radioactivity in the environment will be maximized. The environmental radiological monitoring program is outlined in appendix A.

There are two primary pathways by which radioactivity can move through the environment to humans: air and water (see figure 2). The air pathway can be separated into two components: the direct (airborne) pathway and the indirect (ground or terrestrial) pathway. The direct airborne pathway consists of direct radiation and inhalation by humans. In the terrestrial pathway, radioactive materials may be deposited on the ground or on plants and subsequently be ingested by animals and/or humans. Human exposure through the liquid pathway may result from drinking water, eating fish, or by direct exposure at the shoreline. The types of samples collected in this program are designed to monitor these pathways.

To determine the amount of radioactivity in the environment prior to the operation of WBN, a preoperational environmental radiological monitoring program was initiated in December 1976 and continues to operate today. Measurements of the same types of radioactive materials that are expected from an operating plant are assessed during the preoperational phase to establish normal background levels for various radionuclides in the environment. This is very important in that during the 1950s, 60s, and 70s, atmospheric nuclear weapons testing occurred which released radioactive material to the environment causing fluctuations in the natural background radiation levels. This radioactive material is the same type as that which will be produced in the WBN reactors. Preoperational knowledge of natural radionuclide patterns in the environment will permit a determination, through comparison and trending analyses, of whether the operation of WBN is impacting the environment and thus the surrounding population. The determination of impact during the operating phase also considers the presence of control stations that have been established in the environment. Results of environmental samples taken at control stations (far from the plant) will be compared with those from indicator stations (near the plant) to aid in the determination of the impacts from WBN after the plant becomes operational.

A number of factors were considered in determining the locations for collecting environmental samples. The locations for the atmospheric monitoring stations were determined from a critical pathway analysis based on weather patterns, dose projections, population distribution, and land use. Terrestrial sampling stations were selected after reviewing such things as the locations of dairy animals and gardens in conjunction with the air pathway

analysis. Liquid pathway stations were selected based on dose projections, water use information, and availability of media such as fish and sediment. Table A-2 lists the sampling stations and the types of samples collected from each. Modifications made to the program in 1988 are described in appendix B and exceptions to the sampling and analysis schedule are presented in appendix C.

All samples are analyzed by the radioanalytical laboratory of TVA's Environmental Radiological Monitoring and Instrumentation Department located at the Western Area Radiological Laboratory (WARL) in Muscle Shoals, Alabama. All analyses are conducted in accordance with written and approved procedures and are based on accepted methods. A summary of the analysis techniques and methodology is presented in appendix D. Data tables summarizing the sample analysis results are presented in appendix H.

The sophisticated radiation detection devices used to determine the radionuclide content of samples collected in the environment are generally quite sensitive to small amounts of radioactivity. In the field of radiation measurement, the sensitivity of the measurement process is discussed in terms of the lower limit of detection (LLD). A description of the nominal LLDs for the radioanalytical laboratory is presented in appendix E.

The radioanalytical laboratory employs a comprehensive quality assurance/quality control program to monitor laboratory performance throughout the year. The program is intended to detect any problems in the measurement process as soon as possible so they can be corrected. This program includes

equipment checks to ensure that the complex radiation detection devices are working properly and the analysis of special samples which are included alongside routine environmental samples. A complete description of the program is presented in appendix F.

A land use survey is conducted periodically to identify the location of the nearest milk animal, the nearest residence, and the nearest garden of greater than 500 square feet producing fresh leafy vegetables in each of 16 meteorological sectors within a distance of 5 miles from the plant. From these data, radiation doses are projected for individuals living near the plant. Doses from breathing air (air submersion) are calculated for the nearest resident in each sector, while doses from drinking milk or eating foods produced near the plant are calculated for the areas with milk-producing animals and gardens, respectively. The doses projected as a result of the most recent (1986) land use survey are presented in appendix G.

DIRECT RADIATION MONITORING

Direct radiation levels are measured at a number of stations around the plant site. These measurements include contributions from cosmic radiation, radioactivity in the ground, fallout from atmospheric nuclear weapons tests conducted in the past, and any radioactivity that may be present as a result of plant operations. Because of the relatively large variations in background radiation as compared to the small levels from the plant, contributions from the plant may be difficult to distinguish.

Radiation levels measured in the area around the WBN site in 1988 were consistent with levels from previous years and with levels measured at other locations in the region.

Measurement Techniques

Direct radiation measurements are made with thermoluminescent dosimeters (TLDs). When certain materials are exposed to ionizing radiation, many of the electrons which become displaced are trapped in the crystalline structure of the material. They remain trapped for long periods of time as long as the material is not heated. When heated, the electrons are released, along with a pulse of light. A measurement of the intensity of the light is directly proportional to the radiation to which the material was exposed. Materials which display these characteristics are used in the manufacture of TLDs.

TVA uses a manganese activated calcium fluoride ($\text{Ca}_2\text{F:Mn}$) TLD material encased in a glass bulb. The bulb is placed in an energy compensating shield

to correct for energy dependence of the material. TLDs are placed approximately 1 meter above the ground, with two TLDs at each station. Sixteen stations are located around the plant near the site boundary, at least one station in each of the 16 sectors. Dosimeters are also placed at the perimeter and remote air monitoring sites and at 22 additional stations out to approximately 15 miles from the site. The TLDs are exchanged every 3 months and read with a Victoreen Model 2810 TLD reader. The values are corrected for gamma response, self-irradiation, and fading, with individual gamma response calibrations and self-irradiation factors determined for each TLD. The system meets or exceeds the performance specifications outlined in Regulatory Guide 4.13 for environmental applications of TLDs.

Results

All results are normalized to a standard quarter (91.25 days or 2190 hours). The stations are grouped according to the distance from the plant. The first group consists of all stations within 1 mile of the plant. The second group lies between 1 and 2 miles, the third group between 2 and 4 miles, the fourth between 4 and 6 miles, and the fifth group is made up of all stations greater than 6 miles from the plant. Past data have shown that the results from all stations greater than 2 miles from the plant are essentially the same. Therefore, for purposes of this report, all stations 2 miles or less from the plant are identified as "onsite" stations and all others are considered "offsite."

The quarterly gamma radiation levels determined from the TLDs deployed around WBN in 1988 are given in table H-1. The rounded average annual exposures are

shown below. For comparison purposes, the average direct radiation measurements made in the preoperational monitoring program are also shown.

	Annual Average Direct Radiation Levels	
	WBN	
	mR/year	
	<u>1988</u>	<u>Preoperational Average</u>
Onsite Stations	78	81
Offsite Stations	69	69

The data in table H-1 indicate that the average quarterly radiation levels at the WBN onsite stations are approximately 2-4 mR/quarter higher than levels at the offsite stations. This difference is also noted in the preoperational monitoring at the Browns Ferry and Sequoyah Nuclear Plants and at other nonoperating TVA nuclear power plant construction sites where the average levels onsite are generally 2-6 mR/quarter higher than levels offsite. The causes of these differences have not been isolated; however, it is postulated that the differences are probably attributable to combinations of influences such as natural variations in environmental radiation levels, earth-moving activities onsite, and the mass of concrete employed in the construction of the plant. Other undetermined influences may also play a part.

Figure H-1 compares plots of the data from the onsite or site boundary stations with those from the offsite stations over the period from 1977 through 1988. To reduce the variations present in the data sets, a 4-quarter moving average was constructed for each data set. Figure H-2 presents a trend plot of the direct radiation levels as defined by the moving averages. The data follow the same general trend as the raw data, but the curves are smoothed considerably.

The results reported in 1988 are consistent with direct radiation levels reported in previous years.

ATMOSPHERIC MONITORING

The atmospheric monitoring network is divided into three groups identified as local, perimeter, and remote. Four local air monitoring stations are located on or adjacent to the plant site in the general areas of greatest wind frequency. Four perimeter air monitoring stations are located in communities out to about 12 miles from the plant, and two remote air monitors are located out to 20 miles. The monitoring program and the locations of monitoring stations are identified in the tables and figures of appendix A. The remote stations are used as control or baseline stations.

Results from the analysis of samples in the atmospheric pathway are presented in tables H-2 through H-5. Radioactivity levels identified in this reporting period are consistent with background and radionuclides produced as a result of fallout from previous nuclear weapons tests.

Sample Collection and Analysis

Air particulates are collected by continuously sampling air at a flow rate of approximately 2 cubic feet per minute (cfm) through a 2-inch Hollingsworth and Vose LB5211 glass fiber filter. The sampling system consists of a pump, a magnehelic gauge for measuring the drop in pressure across the system, and a dry gas meter. This allows an accurate determination of the volume of air passing through the filter. This system is housed in a building approximately 2 feet by 3 feet by 4 feet. The filter is contained in a sampling head mounted on the outside of the monitor building. The filter is replaced every 7 days. Each filter is analyzed for gross beta activity about 3 days after

collection to allow time for the radon daughters to decay. Every 4 weeks composites of the filters from each location are analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. On a quarterly basis, all of the filters from one location are composited and analyzed for Sr-89,90.

Gaseous radioiodine is collected using a commercially available cartridge containing TEDA-impregnated charcoal. This system is designed to collect iodine in both the elemental form and as organic compounds. The cartridge is located in the same sampling head as the air particulate filter and is downstream of the particulate filter. The cartridge is changed at the same time as the particulate filter and samples the same volume of air. Each cartridge is analyzed for I-131. If activity above a specified limit is detected, a complete gamma spectroscopy analysis is performed.

Heavy particle fallout is collected on an 11-inch by 11-inch sheet of gummed acetate paper. The paper is clamped to a mount on the side of the monitoring building and is collected every 4 weeks. Gross beta activity is determined on each sample.

Rainwater is collected by use of a collection tray attached to the monitor building. The collection tray is protected from debris by a screen cover. As water drains from the tray, it is collected in one of two 5-gallon containers inside the monitor building. A 1-gallon sample is removed from the container every 4 weeks. Any excess water is discarded. Rainwater samples are analyzed for gamma emitting radioisotopes and for Sr-89,90.

Results

The results from the analysis of air particulate samples are summarized in table H-2. Gross beta activity in 1988 was consistent with levels reported in previous years. The average level at indicator stations was 0.021 pCi/m^3 while the average concentration at control stations was 0.020 pCi/m^3 . The annual averages of the gross beta activity in air particulate filters at these stations for the years 1977-1988 are presented in figure H-3. Increased levels due to fallout from atmospheric nuclear weapons testing are evident, especially in 1977, 1978, and 1981. Evidence of a small increase resulting from the Chernobyl accident can also be seen in 1986.

Only natural radioactive materials were identified by the monthly gamma spectral analysis of the air particulate samples. No fission or activation products were found at levels greater than the LLDs. Strontium was not identified in the quarterly composites.

As shown in table H-3, iodine-131 concentrations in all charcoal canister samples were less than the nominal LLD.

Gross beta activity in fallout samples was consistent with levels reported in previous years. As presented in table H-4, the average level for indicator stations was 0.12 mCi/km^2 while the average for control stations was 0.18 mCi/km^2 .

Only natural radioactive materials were identified by gamma spectral analysis of rainwater samples. Sr-89 was identified at levels slightly higher than the

LLD in 6 of the 119 samples collected. With a half-life of approximately 60 days, this isotope cannot be present in the environment as a result of the last atmospheric nuclear weapons tests conducted about 8 years ago. The positive identification of Sr-89 is an artifact of the calculational process and the low concentrations the laboratory is attempting to detect.

TERRESTRIAL MONITORING

Terrestrial monitoring is accomplished by collecting samples of environmental media that may transport radioactive material from the atmosphere to humans. For example, radioactive material may be deposited on a vegetable garden and be ingested along with the vegetables or it may be deposited on pasture grass where dairy cattle are grazing. When the cow ingests the radioactive material, some of it may be in the milk and consumed by humans who drink the milk. Therefore, samples of milk, vegetation, soil, and food crops are collected and analyzed to determine potential impacts from exposure to this pathway. The results from the analysis of these samples are shown in tables H-6 through H-15.

Sample Collection and Analysis

Milk samples are purchased every 2 weeks from four indicator dairies and from at least one of three control dairies. These samples are placed on ice for transport to the radioanalytical laboratory. A specific analysis for I-131 and a gamma spectroscopy analysis are performed on each sample and a Sr-89,90 analysis is performed every 4 weeks.

Samples of vegetation are collected every 4 weeks for I-131 analysis. The samples are collected from the same locations as milk samples and from selected air monitoring stations. The samples are collected by cutting or breaking enough vegetation to provide between 100 and 200 grams of sample. Care is taken not to include any soil with the vegetation. The sample is placed in a container with 1650 ml of 0.5 N NaOH for transport back to the

radioanalytical laboratory. A second sample of between 750 and 1000 grams is also collected from each location. After drying and grinding, this sample is analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. Once each quarter, the sample is ashed after the gamma analysis is completed and analyzed for Sr-89,90.

Soil samples are collected annually from the air monitoring locations. The samples are collected with either a "cookie cutter" or an auger type sampler. After drying and grinding, the sample is analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. When the gamma analysis is complete, the sample is ashed and analyzed for Sr-89,90.

Samples representative of food crops raised in the area near the plant are obtained from individual gardens, corner markets, or cooperatives. Types of foods may vary from year to year as a result of changes in the local vegetable gardens. In 1988 samples of cabbage, corn, green beans, potatoes, and tomatoes were collected from local vegetable gardens. In addition, samples of apples and pears were also obtained from the area. Because of severe drought conditions, samples of green beans, potatoes, and apples were obtainable only at control locations. The edible portion of each sample is prepared as if it were to be eaten and is analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. After drying, grinding, and ashing, the sample is analyzed for gross beta activity.

Results

The results from the analysis of milk samples are presented in table H-6. All I-131 results were less than the established nominal LLD of 0.2 pCi/liter. Cesium-137 was identified in three samples at levels slightly higher than the LLD. Strontium-90 was found in more than half of the samples. These levels

are consistent with concentrations measured in samples collected in TVA's preoperational environmental radiological monitoring programs and with concentrations reported in milk as a result of fallout from atmospheric nuclear weapons tests (reference 1). The average Sr-90 concentration reported from indicator stations was 4.0 pCi/liter. An average of 2.2 pCi/liter was identified in samples from control stations. By far the predominate isotope reported in milk samples was the naturally occurring K-40. An average of approximately 1300 pCi/liter of K-40 was identified in all milk samples.

As has been noted in the environmental radiological monitoring reports for SQN, the levels of Sr-90 in milk samples from farms producing milk for private consumption only are up to six times the levels found in milk from commercial dairy farms. Samples of feed and water supplied to the animals were analyzed in 1979 in an effort to determine the source of the strontium. Analysis of dried hay samples indicated levels of Sr-90 slightly higher than those encountered in routine vegetation samples. Analysis of pond water indicated no significant strontium activity.

This phenomenon was observed during the preoperational radiological monitoring near SQN and near the Bellefonte Nuclear Plant at farms where only one or two cows were being milked for private consumption of the milk. It is postulated that the feeding practices of these small farms differ from those of the larger dairy farmers to the extent that fallout from atmospheric nuclear weapons testing may be more concentrated in these instances. Similarly, Hansen, et al. (reference 4), reported an inverse relationship between the levels of Sr-90 in milk and the quality of fertilization and land management.

Results from the analysis of vegetation samples are presented in table H-7. Nine samples had I-131 values slightly higher than the nominal LLD. Average Cs-137 concentrations were 32.5 and 27.7 pCi/kg for indicator and control stations, respectively. Strontium-90 levels averaged 120 pCi/kg from indicator stations and 160 pCi/kg from control stations. Again, the largest concentrations identified were for the naturally occurring isotopes K-40 and Be-7.

The only fission products identified in soil samples were Cs-137 and Sr-90. The maximum concentration of Cs-137 was 1.0 pCi/g. This value is consistent with levels previously reported from fallout. Sr-90 was identified in one sample at a concentration slightly higher than the LLD. All other radionuclides reported were naturally occurring isotopes (table H-8).

All radionuclides reported in food samples were naturally occurring. The maximum K-40 value was 2,880 pCi/kg in potatoes. Gross beta concentrations for all indicator samples were consistent with the control values. The results are reported in tables H-9 through H-15.

AQUATIC MONITORING

Potential exposures from the liquid pathway can occur from drinking water, ingestion of edible fish and clams, or from direct radiation exposure from radioactive materials deposited in the river sediment. The aquatic monitoring program includes the collection of samples of river (reservoir) water, groundwater, drinking water supplies, fish, Asiatic clams, and bottom and shoreline sediment. Samples from the reservoir are collected both upstream and downstream from the plant.

Results from the analysis of aquatic samples are presented in tables H-16 through H-25. Radioactivity levels in water, fish, sediment, and clams were consistent with background and/or fallout levels previously reported.

Sample Collection and Analysis

Samples of surface water are collected from the Tennessee River using automatic sampling pumps from two downstream stations and one upstream station. A timer turns on the pump at least once every 2 hours. The line is flushed and a sample collected into a composite container. A 1-gallon sample is removed from the container at 4-week intervals and the remaining water is discarded. The composite sample is analyzed by gamma spectroscopy and for gross beta activity. A quarterly composite sample is analyzed for tritium.

Samples are also collected by an automatic sampling pump at the first downstream drinking water intake. These samples are collected in the same

manner as the surface water samples. These monthly samples are analyzed by gamma spectroscopy and for gross beta activity. At other selected locations, grab samples are collected from drinking water systems which use the Tennessee River as their source. These samples are analyzed every 4 weeks by gamma spectroscopy and for gross beta activity. A quarterly composite sample from each station is analyzed for Sr-89,90 and tritium. The sample collected by the automatic pumping device is taken directly from the river at the intake structure. Since the sample at this point is raw water, not water processed through the water treatment plant, the control sample should also be unprocessed water. Therefore, the upstream surface water sample is also considered as a control sample for drinking water.

Groundwater is sampled from an onsite well and from a private well in an area unaffected by WBN. The samples are analyzed monthly by gamma spectroscopy and composited by location quarterly and analyzed for tritium content.

Samples of commercial and game fish species are collected semiannually from each of three reservoirs: the reservoir on which the plant is located (Chickamauga Reservoir), the upstream reservoir (Watts Bar Reservoir), and the downstream reservoir (Nickajack Reservoir). The samples are collected using a combination of netting techniques and electrofishing. Most of the fish are filleted, but one group is processed whole for analysis. After drying and grinding, the samples are analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. When the gamma analysis is completed, the sample is ashed and analyzed for gross beta activity.

Bottom and shoreline sediment is collected semiannually from selected TRM locations using a dredging apparatus. The samples are dried and ground and analyzed by gamma spectroscopy. After this analysis is complete, the samples are ashed and analyzed for Sr-89,90.

Samples of Asiatic clams are collected semiannually from three of the same locations as the bottom sediment. The clams are usually collected in the dredging process with the sediment. However, at times the clams are difficult to find and divers must be used. Enough clams are collected to produce approximately 50 grams of wet flesh. The flesh is separated from the shells, and the dried flesh samples are analyzed by gamma spectroscopy.

Results

Tritium was identified in one surface water sample. Gross beta activity was present in most samples. A trend plot of the gross beta activity in surface water samples from 1977 through 1988 is presented in figure H-4. A summary table of the results is shown in table H-16.

For public water, average gross beta activity was 3.0 pCi/liter at the downstream stations and 2.9 pCi/liter at the control stations. Tritium was identified in two samples at concentrations slightly above the LLD. Sr-89 was also identified in one sample. As noted earlier, the positive identification of Sr-89 is an artifact of the calculational process and the low concentrations the laboratory is attempting to detect. The results are shown in table H-17 and a trend plot of the gross beta activity in drinking water from 1977 to the present is presented in figure H-5.

Concentrations of fission and activation products in ground water were all below the LLDs. Only naturally occurring radionuclides were identified in these samples. The results are presented in table H-18.

Cesium-137 was identified in 11 fish samples. The downstream samples contained a maximum of 0.14 pCi/g, while the upstream sample had a maximum of 0.22 pCi/g. Other radioisotopes found in fish were naturally occurring, with the most notable being K-40. The concentrations of K-40 ranged from 6.1 pCi/g to 21.1 pCi/g. These results, which are summarized in tables H-19, H-20, H-21, and H-22, indicate that the Cs-137 activity is probably a result of fallout or other upstream effluents.

Radionuclides of the types produced by nuclear power plant operations were identified in sediment samples. The materials identified were Cs-137 and Co-60. In bottom sediment samples the average levels of Cs-137 were 0.67 pCi/g in downstream samples and 1.90 pCi/g upstream. In shoreline sediment, Cs-137 levels were 0.04 and 0.09 pCi/g, respectively, in downstream and upstream samples. These values are consistent with previously identified levels. Trend plots of the average Cs-137 and Co-60 concentrations in bottom sediment samples are presented in figures H-6 and H-7, respectively.

In bottom sediment, Co-60 concentrations in downstream and upstream samples averaged 0.08 pCi/g. Co-60 was not identified in shoreline sediment samples. Results from the analysis of bottom sediment and shoreline sediment samples are shown in tables H-23 and H-24 respectively.

Only naturally occurring radioisotopes were identified in clam flesh samples.
The concentrations are shown in table H-25.

ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION

For operating nuclear power plants, potential doses to the public are estimated from measured effluents using computer models. These models were developed by TVA and are based on guidance provided by the NRC in Regulatory Guide 1.109 for determining the potential dose to individuals and populations living in the vicinity of the plant.

The area around the plant is analyzed to determine the pathways through which the public may receive an exposure. As indicated in figure 2, the two major ways by which radioactivity is introduced into the environment are through liquid and gaseous effluents.

For liquid effluents, the public can be exposed to radiation from three sources: drinking water from the Tennessee River, eating fish caught in the Tennessee River, and direct exposure to radioactive material due to activities on the banks of the river (recreational activities). For gaseous effluents, the public can be exposed to radiation from several sources: direct radiation from the radioactivity in the air, direct radiation from radioactivity deposited on the ground, inhalation of radioactivity in the air, ingestion of vegetation which contains radioactivity deposited from the atmosphere, and ingestion of milk or meat from animals which consumed vegetation containing deposited radioactivity.

The results from each sample are compared with the concentrations from the corresponding control stations to establish the relationship between these

stations during the preoperational phase of the monitoring program. During this report period, Cs-137 and Sr-90 were found in milk and vegetation samples from both indicator and control stations. Cesium-137 was also identified in all soil samples. Co-60 and Cs-137 were seen in aquatic media. Cs-137 in fish and sediment is consistent with fallout levels identified in samples both upstream and downstream from the plant. Co-60 was identified in sediment samples upstream and downstream from the plant. No increases of radioactivity have been seen in water samples.

Dose estimates were made from concentrations of radioactivity found in samples of environmental media. Media evaluated include, but are not limited to, air, milk, food products, drinking water, and fish. Inhalation and ingestion doses estimated for persons at the indicator locations were essentially identical to those determined for persons at control stations. Concentrations of Sr-90 and Cs-137 are consistent with levels measured in TVA's preoperational environmental radiological monitoring programs.

Conclusions

Since WBN has not achieved criticality, there has been no contribution of radioactivity from the plant to the environment. The levels of radioactivity reported in this document are due to natural background radiation, fallout from nuclear weapons testing, fallout from the Chernobyl nuclear power station accident, or other nuclear operations in the area.

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Table 1
MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE CONCENTRATIONS
FOR NONOCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE

	MPC	
	<u>In Water</u> <u>pCi/l*</u>	<u>In Air</u> <u>pCi/m³*</u>
Gross beta	3,000	100
H-3	3,000,000	200,000
Cs-137	20,000	500
Ru-103,106	10,000	200
Ce-144	10,000	200
Zr-95 - Nb-95	60,000	1,000
Ba-140 - La-140	20,000	1,000
I-131	300	100
Zn-65	100,000	2,000
Mn-54	100,000	1,000
Co-60	30,000	300
Sr-89	3,000	300
Sr-90	300	30
Cr-51	2,000,000	80,000
Cs-134	9,000	400
Co-58	90,000	2,000

*1 pCi = 3.7×10^{-2} Bq.

Source: 10 CFR, Part 20, Appendix B, Table II.

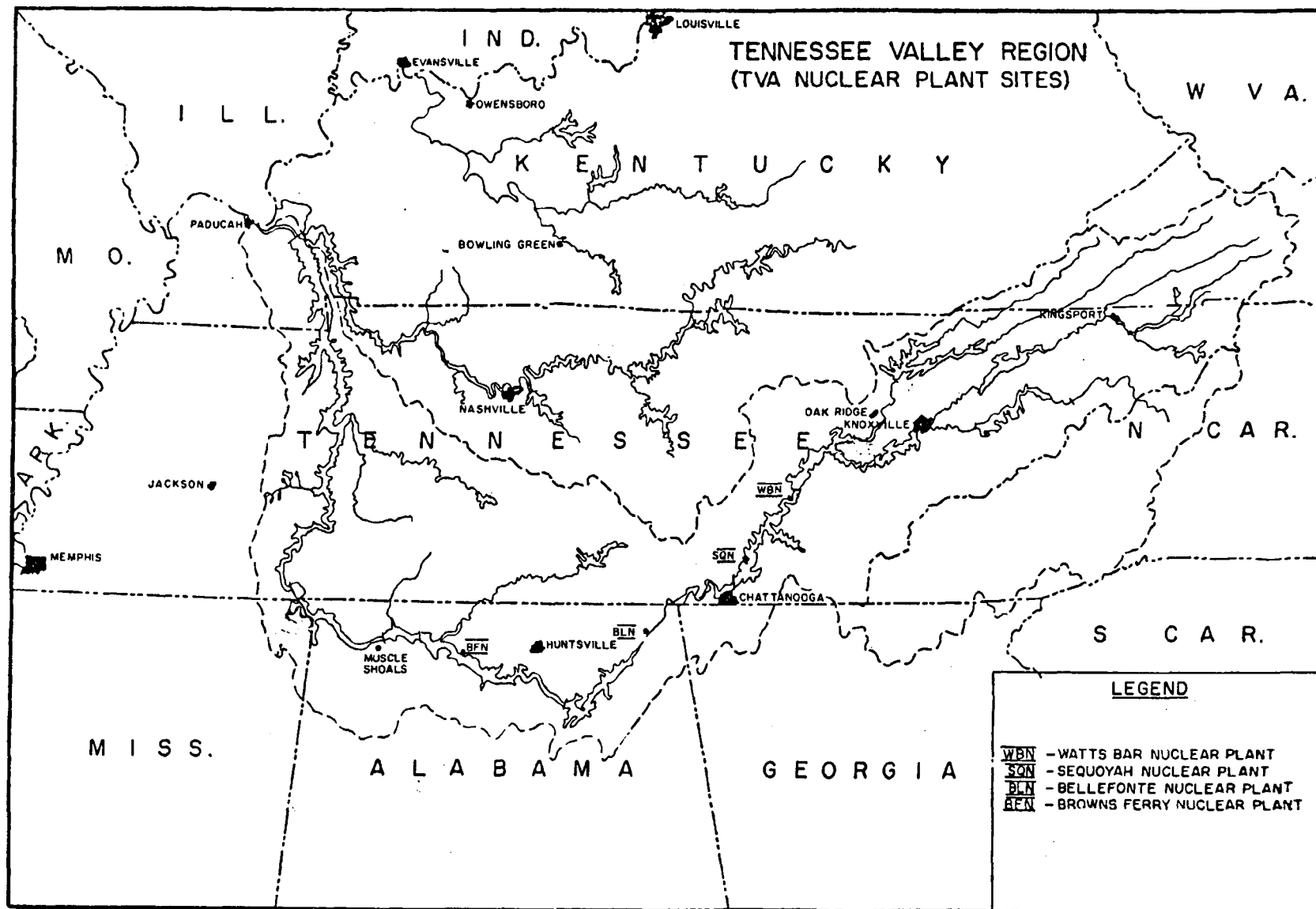
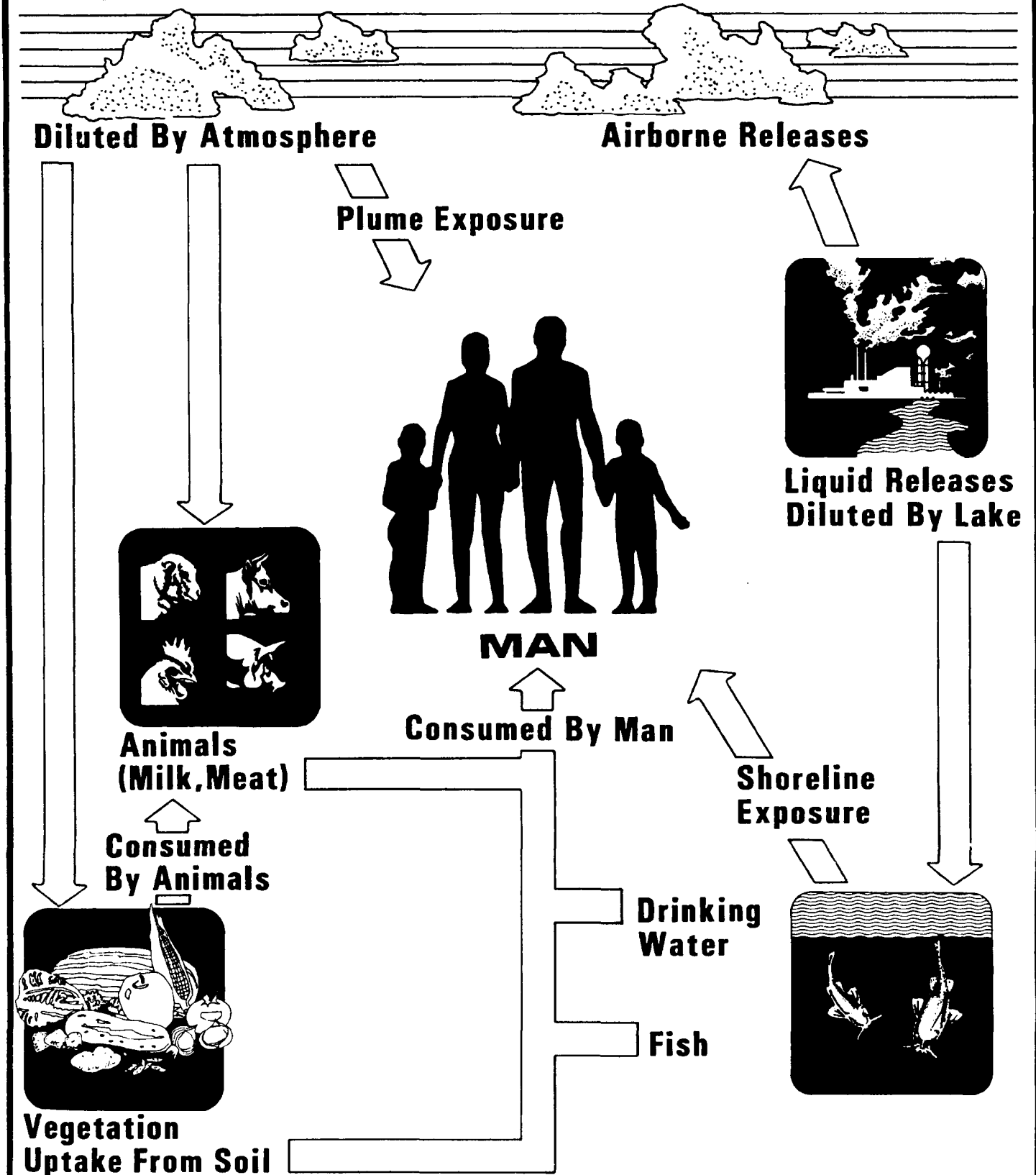


Figure 1

Figure 2

**ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURE PATHWAYS OF MAN
DUE TO RELEASES OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL
TO THE ATMOSPHERE AND LAKE.**



APPENDIX A

ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM AND

SAMPLING LOCATIONS

Table A-1
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
1. AIRBORNE			
a. Particulates	<p>Four samples from locations (in different sectors) at or near the site boundary (Stations LM-1, LM-2, LM-3, and LM-4)</p> <p>Four samples from communities approximately 3 to 10 miles distant from the plant (Stations PM-2, PM-3, PM-4, and PM-5)</p> <p>Two samples from control locations greater than 10 miles from the plant (Stations RM-2 and RM-3)</p>	Continuous sampler operation with sample collection at least once per 7 days	Gross beta, following filter change. Compo-site by location for gamma scan at least once per 31 days and for Sr-89 and Sr-90 at least once per 92 days
b. Radioiodine	Samples from same locations as air particulates	Continuous sampler operation with filter collection at least once per 7 days	I-131 at least once per 7 days
c. Fallout	Samples from same locations as air particulates	Heavy particulate fallout collected continuously on gummed acetate paper with paper collection at least once per 31 days	Gross beta following collection

Table A-1 (Continued)

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
d. Rainwater	Samples from same locations as air particulates	Rainwater collected con- tinuously with composite samples analyzed at least once per 31 days	Gamma scan, Sr-89, Sr-90 at least once per 31 days
e. Soil	Samples from same locations as air particulates	Once per year	Gamma scan, Sr-89, Sr-90 once per year
2. DIRECT	Two or more dosimeter at a location on or near site boundary in each of the 16 metrological sectors and at two local atmospheric monitoring stations (LM-3 and LM-4)	At least once per 92 days	Gamma dose at least once per 92 days
	Two or more dosimeters at each of the perimeter and remote atmospheric monitoring stations (PM-2, PM-3, PM-4, PM-5, RM-2 and RM-3)		
	Two or more dosimeters in at least 20 additional locations of special interest.		

Table A-1 (Continued)
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
3. WATERBORNE			
a. Surface	Two samples downstream from plant discharge (TRM 517.9 and TRM 523.1) One sample at a control location upstream from plant discharge (TRM 529.3)	Collected by automatic sequential-type sampler ^c with composite sample collected over a period equal to or less than 31 days	Gross beta and gamma scan of each composite. Composite for tritium at least once per 92 days
b. Ground	One sample adjacent to plant (well >1) One sample from ground water source upgradient (Farm L)	Collected by automatic sequential-type sampler ^c with composite sample collected over a period equal to or less than 31 days Grab sample once per 31 days	Gamma scan of each composite. Composite for tritium at least once per 92 days Gamma scan on each sample. Composite for tritium at least once per 92 days
c. Drinking	One sample at the first potable surface water supply downstream from the plant (TRM 503.8) One sample at a control location (TRM 529.3 ^d)	Collected by automatic sequential-type sampler ^c with with composite sample collected over a period equal to or less than 31 days	Gross beta, I-131, and gamma scan of each composite. Composite for tritiums, Sr-89, and Sr-90 at least once per 92 days

Table A-1 (Continued)
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
4. AQUATIC			
a. Sediment	One sample in the immediate downstream area of plant discharge (TRM 527.4) One additional sample downstream of plant discharge (TRM 496.5) One sample at a control location upstream from plant discharge (TRM 532.1)	At least once per 184 days	Gamma scan, Sr-89, and Sr-90 analyses of each sample
b. Sediment from shoreline	One sample downstream from plant discharge (TRM 513.0) One sample from a control location upstream from plant discharge (TRM 530.2)	At least once per 184 days	Gamma scan, Sr-89 and Sr-90 analyses on each sample
5. INGESTION			
a. Milk	Four samples from farms and/or dairies in the immediate vicinity of the plant (Farms L, H., Mo, and Mu) One or more samples from control locations (Farms B, C, and/or S)	At least once per 15 days	Gamma scan and I-131 analysis of each sample Sr-89 and Sr-90 at least once per 31 days

Table A-1 (Continued)

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
b. Fish	One sample each of a commercially and a recreationally important species from Nickajack, Chickamauga, and Watts Bar Reservoirs	At least once per 184 days. At least two of the following species shall be sampled: Channel Catfish, Crappie Small Mouth Buffalo	Gamma scan on edible portions.
c. Clams	One sample in the immediate downstream area of the plant discharge (TRM 527.4) One additional sample downstream of the plant discharge (TRM 496.5) One sample at a control location upstream from the plant discharge (TRM 532.1)	At least once per 184 days	Gamma scan on flesh only
d. Vegetation (Pasturage and grass)	Samples from selected atmospheric monitoring stations and the dairy farms from which milk is obtained	At least once per 31 days	Gamma scan and I-131 on each sample Sr-89, Sr-90 analyses at least once per 92 days

Table A-1 (Continued)
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM^a

<u>Exposure Pathway and/or Sample</u>	<u>Number of Samples and Locations^b</u>	<u>Sampling and Collection Frequency</u>	<u>Type and Frequency of Analysis</u>
e. Food Products	<p>One sample each of principal food products grown at private gardens and/or farms in the immediate vicinity of the plant</p> <p>One sample of each of the same foods grown at distances of greater than 10 miles from the plant</p>	<p>Annually at time of harvest. The types of foods available for sampling will vary. Following is a list of typical foods which may be available:</p> <p>Cabbage and/or Lettuce Corn Green Beans Potatoes Tomatoes</p>	Gamma scan on edible portion

- a. The sampling program outlined in this table is that which was in effect at the end of 1987.
b. Sample locations are shown on Figures A-1, A-2, and A-3.
c. Samples shall be collected by collecting an aliquot at intervals not exceeding 2 hours.
d. The sample collected at TRM 503.8 is taken from the raw water supply, therefore, the upstream surface water sample will be considered the control sample for drinking water.

Table A-2
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM
SAMPLING LOCATIONS

Map ^a Location			Approximate Distance	Indicator (I) or	
<u>Number</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Sector</u>	<u>(miles)</u>	<u>Control (C)</u>	<u>Samples Collected</u>
2	PM-2	NW	7.0	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V ^c
3	PM-3	NNE	11.5	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V ^c
4	PM-4	NE/ENE ^d	7.8	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V ^c
5	PM-5	S	6.3	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V ^c
6	RM-2	SW	15.0	C	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V ^c
7	RM-3	NNW	15.0	C	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V
8	LM-1	SSW	0.5	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V
9	LM-2	N	0.5	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V
10	LM-3	NNE	2.1	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V
11	LM-4	SE	0.9	I	AP,CF,FO,R,S,V
12	Farm L	SSW	1.3	I ^e	M,V,W
13	Farm Mo	NW	4.6	I	M,V
14	Farm H	W	4.4	I	M,V
15	Farm B	E	15.0	C	M,V ^c
16	Farm C	SSW	16.0	C	M,V ^c
17	Farm S	SW	19.5	C	M,V
18	Well α1	S	0.6	I	W
19	Farm Mu	ESE	3.7	I	M,V
25	TRM 517.9	--	9.9 ^f	I	SW
26	TRM 523.1	--	4.7 ^f	I	SW
27	TRM 529.3	--	1.5 ^f	C	SW
28	TRM 532.1	--	4.3 ^f	C	CL,SD
29	TRM 527.4	--	0.4 ^f	I	CL,SD
31	TRM 473.0	--	54.8 ^f	I	PW
	(C.F. Industries)				
32	TRM 513.0	--	14.8 ^f	I	SS
33	TRM 530.2	--	2.4 ^f	C	SS
35	TRM 503.8	--	24.0 ^f	I	PW
	(Dayton)				
36	TRM 496.5	--	31.3 ^f	I	CL,SD
37	TRM 425-471	--	--	I	F
	(Nickajack Lake)				

Table A-2 (Continued)

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
ENVIRONMENTAL RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING PROGRAM
SAMPLING LOCATIONS

Map ^a Location			Approximate Distance	Indicator (I) or	
<u>Number</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Sector</u>	<u>(miles)</u>	<u>Control (C)</u>	<u>Samples Collected</u>
38	TRM 471-530 (Chickamauga Lake)	--	--	I	F
39	TRM 530-602 (Watts Bar Lake)	--	--	C	F

a. See figures A-1, A-2, and A-3.

b. Sample codes:

AP = Air particulate filter

CF = Charcoal filter

CL = Clams

F = Fish

FO = Fallout

M = Milk

PW = Public water

R = Rainwater

S = Soil

SD = Sediment

SS = Shoreline sediment

SW = Surface water

V = Vegetation

W = Well water

c. Vegetation sampling discontinued in August 1988.

d. Station located on boundary between these sectors.

e. A control for well water.

f. Distance from plant discharge (TRM 527.8).

Table A-3
WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
THERMOLUMINESCENT DOSIMETER (TLD) LOCATIONS

<u>Map^a Location Number</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Sector</u>	<u>Approximate Distance (miles)</u>	<u>Onsite (On)^b or Offsite (Off)</u>
2	NW-3	NW	7.0	Off
3	NNE-3	NNE	11.5	Off
4	ENE-3	ENE	7.8	Off
5	S-3	S	6.3	Off
6	SW-3	SW	15.0	Off
7	NNW-4	NNW	15.0	Off
10	NNE-1A	NNE	2.1	Off
11	SE-1A	SE	0.9	On
12	SSW-2	SSW	1.3	On
14	W-2	W	4.4	Off
15	E-3	E	15.0	Off
40	N-1	N	1.2	On
41	N-2	N	4.7	Off
42	NNE-1	NNE	1.2	On
43	NNE-2	NNE	4.1	Off
44	NE-1	NE	0.9	On
45	NE-2	NE	2.9	Off
46	NE-3	NE	6.1	Off
47	ENE-1	ENE	0.7	On
48	ENE-2	ENE	5.8	Off
49	E-1	E	1.3	On
50	E-2	E	5.0	Off
51	ESE-1	ESE	1.2	On
52	ESE-2	ESE	4.4	Off
53	SE-1	SE	0.6	On
54	SE-2	SE	5.3	Off
55	SSE-1	SSE	0.6	On
56	SSE-2	SSE	5.8	Off
57	S-1	S	0.7	On
58	S-2	S	4.8	Off
59	SSW-1	SSW	0.8	On
60	SSW-3	SSW	5.0	Off
62	SW-1	SW	0.8	On
63	SW-2	SW	5.3	Off
64	WSW-1	WSW	0.9	On
65	WSW-2	WSW	3.9	Off
66	W-1	W	0.9	On
67	WNW-1	WNW	0.9	On

Table A-3 (Continued)

WATTS BAR NUCLEAR PLANT
THERMOLUMINESCENT DOSIMETER (TLD) LOCATIONS

<u>Map^a Location Number</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Sector</u>	<u>Approximate Distance (miles)</u>	<u>Onsite (On)^b or Offsite (Off)</u>
68	WNW-2	WNW	4.9	Off
69	NW-1	NW	1.1	On
70	NW-2	NW	4.7	Off
71	NNW-1	NNW	1.0	On
72	NNW-2	NNW	4.5	Off
73	NNW-3	NNW	7.0	Off

a. See figures A-1, A-2, and A-3.

b. TLDs designated onsite are those located 2 miles or less from the plant.
TLDs designated offsite are those located more than 2 miles from the plant.

Figure A-1
Environmental Radiological Sampling Locations
Within 1 Mile of Plant

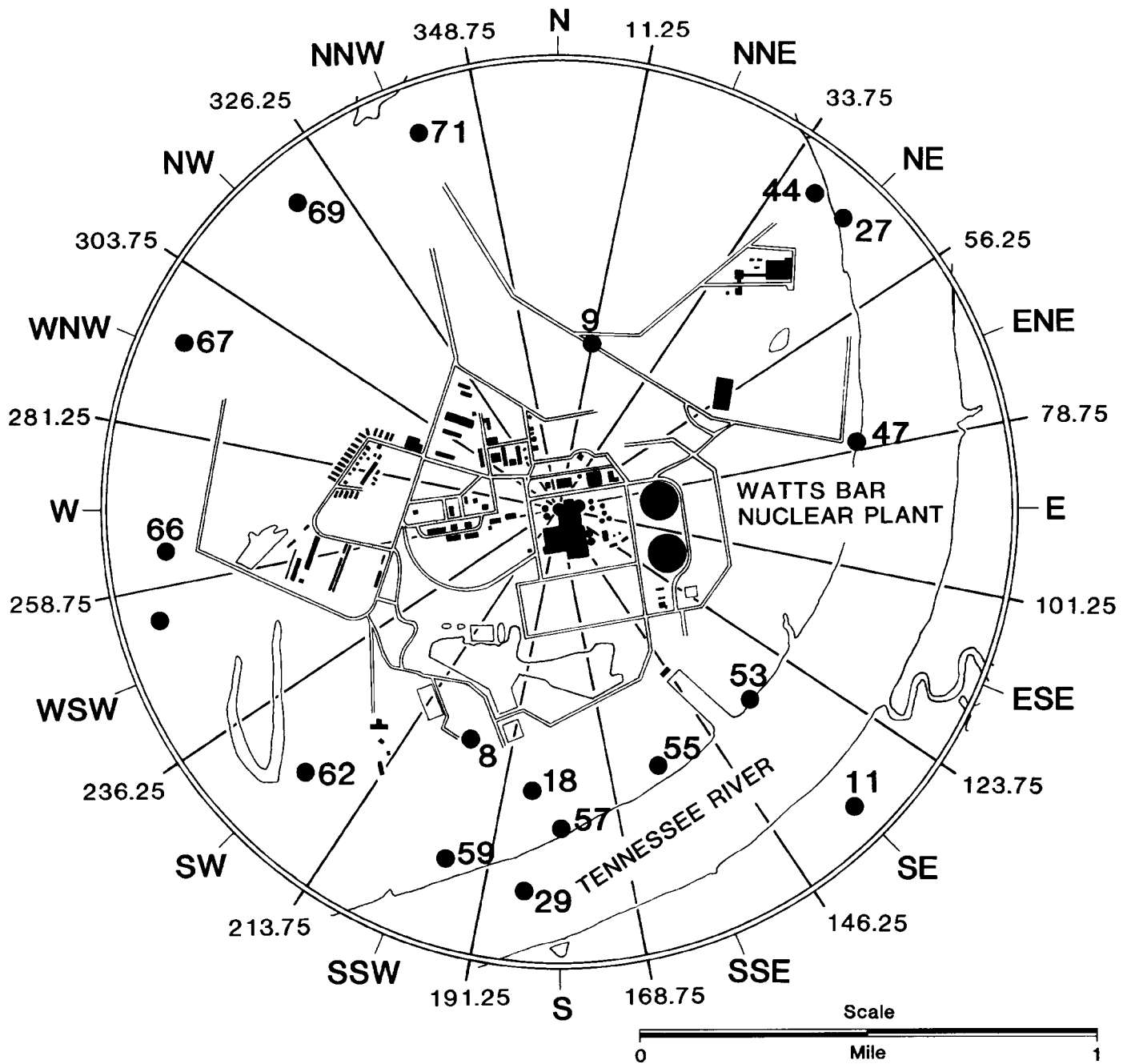


Figure A-2
Environmental Radiological Sampling Locations
From 1 to 5 Miles From The Plant

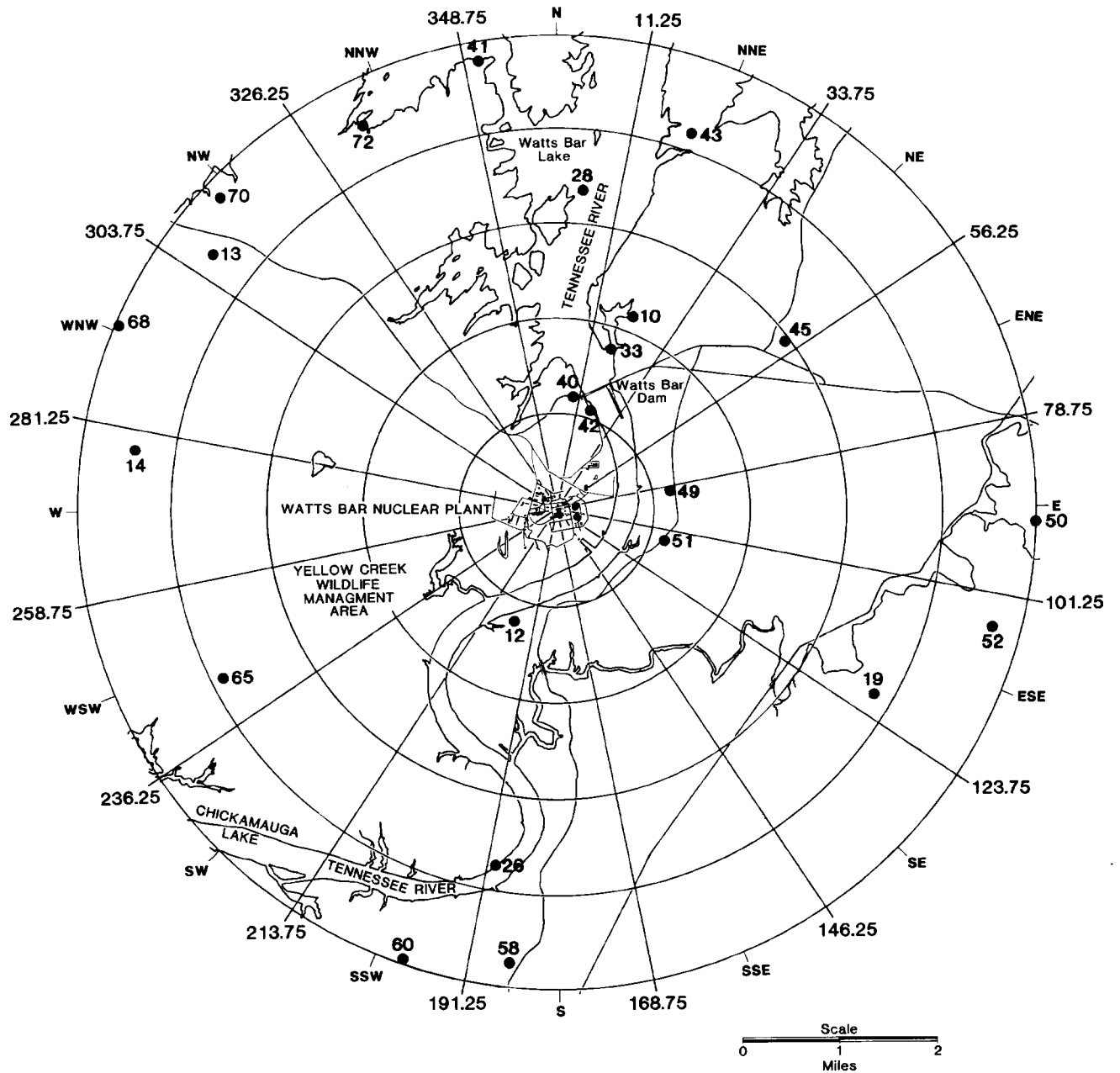
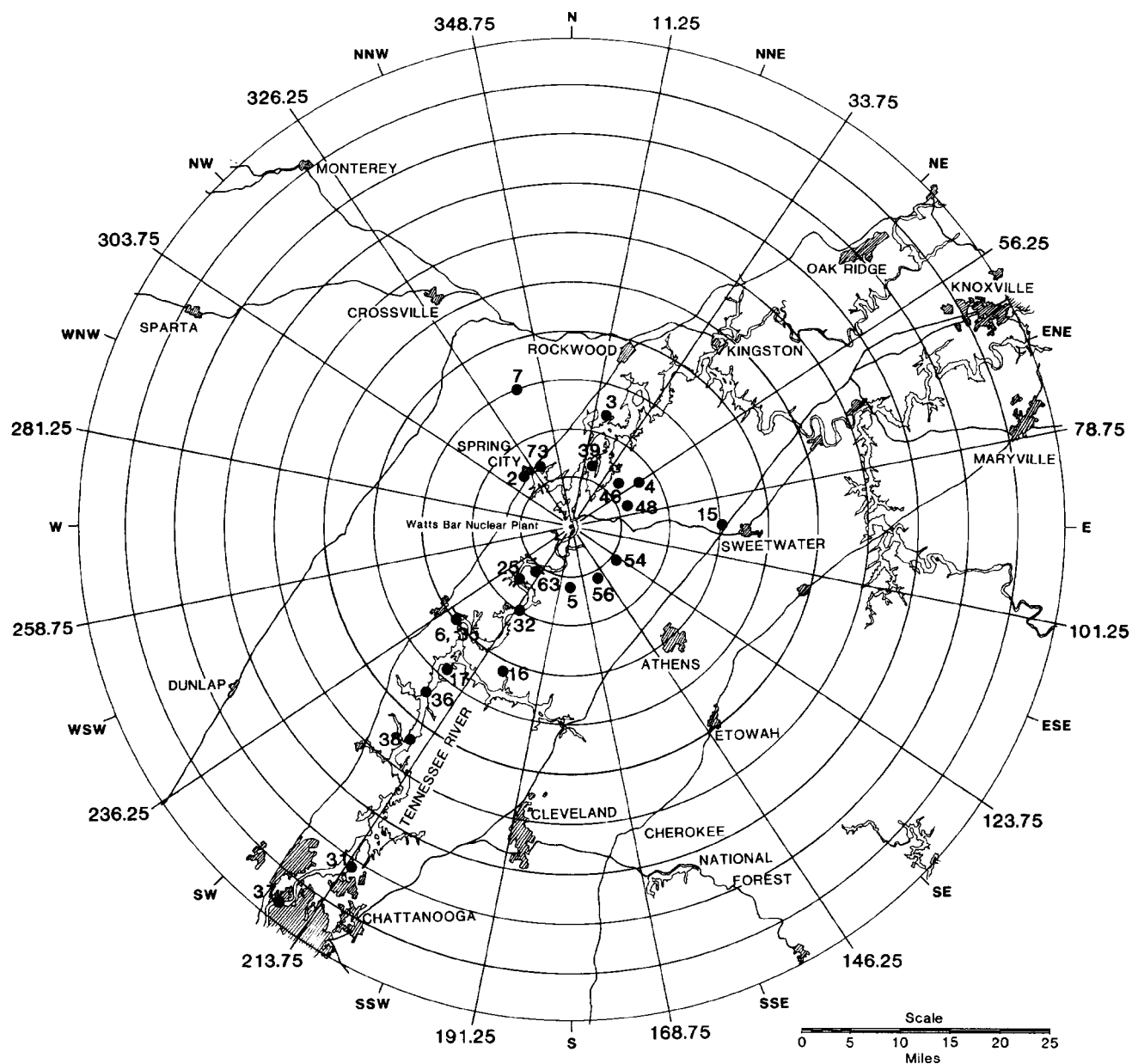


Figure A-3
Environmental Radiological Sampling Locations
Greater Than 5 Miles From The Plant



APPENDIX B

1988 PROGRAM MODIFICATIONS

Appendix B

1988 Program Modifications

During 1988, there were two modifications to the WBN environmental monitoring program. One was the reduction in the number of locations from which vegetation samples were taken. Through experience and data collected with an extensive vegetation sampling program at the Browns Ferry, Sequoyah, and Watts Bar Nuclear Plants, it was determined that fewer samples at selected locations would provide adequate information and still exceed technical specification requirements (see table A-2 for locations no longer sampled).

The other modification was to change the collection dates for well water and rainwater samples to coincide with the collection schedule for those same type samples collected at Sequoyah.

APPENDIX C

MISSED SAMPLES AND ANALYSES

Appendix C

Missed Samples and Analyses

During the 1988 sampling period, a small number of samples were not collected and several analyses were not completed on some collected samples. These occurrences resulted in deviations from the scheduled program.

The missed samples and analyses were the result of equipment malfunction, construction in area of samplers (loss of power), sample unavailability and suitability, and other causes. A list of missed samples, analyses, causes, and remedies to prevent recurrence where applicable are found in table C-1.

Table C-1
Missed Samples and Analyses

<u>Date</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
1/12/88	All scheduled locations ^a		Vegetation samples not collected - severe ice conditions existed; samples skipped for this collection period. In the future, such samples will be collected the following week.
2/2/88	LM-4	0.9 miles SE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling pump malfunction. Pump repaired.
2/16/88	Farm Mo	4.6 miles NW	Milk sample collected - unsuitable for iodine analysis. Appeared to have foreign substance in it (blood or medicine, etc.).
3/1/88	Farm Mu	3.7 miles ESE	Milk sample collected - unsuitable for iodine and strontium analysis. Appeared to have foreign substance in it (blood or medicine, etc.).
3/15/88	LM-4	0.9 miles SE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling pump malfunction. Pump repaired.
3/15/88	LM-3	2.1 miles NNE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling pump malfunction. Pump repaired.
3/22/88	LM-4	0.9 miles SE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling pump malfunction. Pump repaired.
3/22/88 3/29/88	RM-2	15 miles SW	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - power off for construction in area. Power returned.
3/29/88	Farm Mo	4.6 miles NW	Milk sample collected - unsuitable for iodine analysis. Appeared to have foreign substance in it (blood or medicine, etc.).

Table C-1
Missed Samples and Analyses
(Continued)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
5/24/88	LM-3	2.1 miles NNE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling equipment malfunction. Equipment repaired.
6/7/88	RM-3	15 miles NNW	Air filter (quarterly composite) unsuitable for strontium analysis - incomplete fusion caused by bad burner. Burner replaced.
6/27/88	TRM 496.5	31.3 miles downstream	Clams collected late - difficult to locate.
6/27/88	TRM 527.4	0.4 miles downstream	Clams collected late - difficult to locate.
6/27/88	TRM 532.1	4.3 miles upstream	Clams not collected - unable to locate. In the future, search area to be expanded.
7/19/88	Farm C	16 miles SSW	Milk sample soured - sample collectors will check condition of sample before leaving location and keep on ice until delivery to laboratory.
8/9/88	RM-2	15 miles SW	Rainwater sample collected but inadvertently fell off truck and burst. Sample collector received additional instruction in proper handling of samples.
8/23/88	LM-3	2.1 miles NNE	Vegetation sample destroyed during analysis for strontium - incomplete fusion caused by low gas pressure to burner. Reason unknown until investigation of same problem on 8/30/88 revealed that too many burners were in use at same time. Number of burners in use at same time is now restricted.

Table C-1
Missed Samples and Analyses
(Continued)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
8/29/88	LM-1	0.5 miles	Air particulate filter unsuitable for analysis - retainer ring loose and allowed filter to slip. Sample collectors to properly fit retaining ring.
8/30/88	Farm C	16 miles SSW	Milk sample destroyed during processing for iodine - sample lost because of cracked beaker. Beakers examined more closely to prevent recurrence.
8/30/88	LM-4	0.9 miles SE	Air filter (quarterly composite) unsuitable for strontium analysis - incomplete fusion caused by low gas pressure to burner (see entry for 8/23/88 for details).
8/30/88	PM-5	6.3 miles S	Air filter (quarterly composite) unsuitable for strontium analysis - incomplete fusion caused by low gas pressure to burner (see entry for 8/23/88 for details).
10/18/88	TRM 496.5	31.3 miles downstream	Clams not collected - unable to locate. In the future, search area to be expanded.
10/18/88	TRM 532.1	4.3 miles upstream	Clams not collected - unable to locate. In the future, search area to be expanded.
10/31/88	PM-3	11.5 miles NNE	Air particulate and charcoal filters not collected - sampling equipment malfunction. Equipment repaired.
12/21/88	Farm B	15 miles E	Milk sample lost during processing for iodine analysis - sample lost because of breakage of centrifuge tube. Thicker walled tubes now in use.

Table C-1
Missed Samples and Analyses
(Continued)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Station</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Harvest time	--	WBN area	Indicator samples of green beans, potatoes, and apples not available for collection - severe drought conditions.

a. See table A-2 for locations.

APPENDIX D

ANALYTICAL PROCEDURES

APPENDIX D
Analytical Procedures

All analyses are performed by the radioanalytical laboratory located at the Western Area Radiological Laboratory facility in Muscle Shoals. All analysis procedures are based on accepted methods. A summary of the analysis techniques and methodology follows.

The gross beta measurements are made with an automatic low background counting system. Normal counting times are 50 minutes. Water samples are prepared by evaporating 500 ml of samples to near dryness, transferring to a stainless steel planchet and completing the evaporation process. For solid samples, a specified amount of the sample is packed into a deep stainless steel planchet. Air particulate filters are counted directly in a shallow planchet.

The specific analysis of I-131 in milk, water, or vegetation samples is performed by first isolating and purifying the iodine by radiochemical separation and then counting the final precipitate on a beta-gamma coincidence counting system. The normal count time is 100 minutes. With the beta-gamma coincidence counting system, background counts are virtually eliminated and extremely low levels of detection can be obtained.

After a radiochemical separation, samples analyzed for Sr-89,90 are counted on a low background beta counting system. The sample is counted

a second time after a 7-day ingrowth period. From the two counts the Sr-89 and Sr-90 concentrations can be determined.

Water samples are analyzed for tritium content by first distilling a portion of the sample and then counting by liquid scintillation. A commercially available scintillation cocktail is used.

Gamma analyses are performed in various counting geometries depending on the sample type and volume. All gamma counts are obtained with germanium type detectors interfaced with a computer based multichannel analyzer system. Spectral data reduction is performed by the computer program HYPERMET.

The gaseous radioiodine analyses are performed with well-type NaI detectors interfaced with a single channel analyzer. The system is calibrated to measure I-131. If activity above a specified limit is detected, the sample is analyzed by gamma spectroscopy.

All of the necessary efficiency values, weight-efficiency curves, and geometry tables are established and maintained on each detector and counting system. A series of daily and periodic quality control checks are performed to monitor counting instrumentation. System logbooks and control charts are used to document the results of the quality control checks.

APPENDIX E

NOMINAL LOWER LIMITS OF DETECTION (LLD)

Appendix E

Nominal Lower Limits of Detection

Sensitive radiation detection devices can give a signal or reading even when no radioactivity is present in a sample being analyzed. This signal may come from trace amounts of radioactivity in the components of the device, from cosmic rays, from naturally occurring radon gas, or from machine noise. Thus, there is always some sort of signal on these sensitive devices. The signal registered when no activity is present in the sample is called the background.

The point at which the signal is determined to represent radioactivity in the sample is called the critical level. This point is based on statistical analysis of the background readings from any particular device. However, any sample measured over and over in the same device will give different readings; some higher than others. The sample should have some well-defined average reading, but any individual reading will vary from that average. In order to determine the activity present in a sample that will produce a reading above the critical level, additional statistical analysis of the background readings is required. The hypothetical activity calculated from this analysis is called the lower limit of detection (LLD). A listing of typical LLD values that a laboratory publishes is a guide to the sensitivity of the analytical measurements performed by the laboratory.

Every time an activity is calculated for a sample, the machine background must be subtracted from the sample signal. For the very low levels encountered in environmental monitoring, the sample signals are often very close to the background. The measuring equipment is being used at the limit of its capability. For a sample with no measureable activity, which often happens, about half the time its signal should fall below the average machine background and half the time it should be above the background. If a signal above the background is present, the calculated activity is compared to the calculated LLD to determine if there is really activity present or if the number is an artifact of the way radioactivity is measured.

A number of factors influence the LLD, including sample size, count time, counting efficiency, chemical processes, radioactive decay factors, and interfering isotopes encountered in the sample. The most likely values for these factors have been evaluated for the various analyses performed in the environmental monitoring program. The nominal LLDs calculated from these values are presented in the following table.

Table E-1

Nominal LLD Values
A. Radiochemical Procedures

	<u>Air Filters</u> <u>(pCi/m³)</u>	<u>Charcoal</u> <u>Filters</u> <u>(pCi/m³)</u>	<u>Water</u> <u>(pCi/L)</u>	<u>Milk</u> <u>(pCi/L)</u>	<u>Fish Flesh</u> <u>(pCi/g dry)</u>	<u>Whole Fish</u> <u>(pCi/g dry)</u>	<u>Food Crops</u> <u>(pCi/kg wet)</u>	<u>Sediment</u> <u>and Soil</u> <u>(pCi/g dry)</u>
Gross Beta	0.007		1.5				9	
Tritium			250					
Iodine-131		.020	1.0	0.2				
Strontium-89	0.0006		3.0	2.5	0.3	0.7		1.0
Strontium-90	0.00025		1.4	2.0	0.04	0.09		0.3

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	<u>Wet Vegetation</u> <u>(pCi/kg Wet)</u>	<u>Clam Flesh</u> <u>(pCi/g Dry)</u>	<u>Meat</u> <u>(pCi/kg Wet)</u>
Gross Beta		0.2	15
Iodine-131	4		
Strontium-89	140		
Strontium-90	60		

Table E-1
Nominal LLD Values
B. Gamma Analyses (GeLi)

	<u>Air Particulates pCi/m3</u>	<u>Water and Milk pCi/L</u>	<u>Vegetation and Grain pCi/g. dry</u>	<u>Wet Vegetation pCi/kg. wet</u>	<u>Soil and Sediment pCi/g. dry</u>	<u>Fish pCi/g. dry</u>	<u>Clam Flesh pCi/g. dry</u>	<u>Foods, Tomatoes Potatoes, etc. pCi/kg. wet</u>	<u>Meat and Poultry pCi/kg. wet</u>
Ce-141	.005	10	.07	28	.02	.07	.15	10	25
Ce-144	.01	33	.25	100	.06	.25	.50	33	50
Cr-51	.02	45	.45	180	.10	.45	.94	45	90
I-131	.005	10	.09	36	.02	.09	.18	10	20
Ru-103	.005	5	.05	20	.01	.05	.11	5	15
Ru-106	.02	40	.48	190	.09	.48	.95	40	95
Cs-134	.005	5	.07	28	.01	.07	.11	5	15
Cs-137	.005	5	.06	24	.01	.06	.10	5	15
Zr-95	.005	10	.11	44	.02	.11	.19	10	25
Nb-95	.005	5	.06	24	.01	.06	.11	5	15
Co-58	.005	5	.05	20	.01	.05	.10	5	15
Mn-54	.005	5	.05	20	.01	.05	.10	5	15
Zn-65	.005	10	.11	44	.01	.11	.21	10	25
Co-60	.005	5	.07	28	.01	.07	.11	5	15
K-40	.04	150	1.00	400	.20	1.00	2.00	150	300
Ba-140	.01	25	.23	92	.05	.23	.47	25	50
La-140	.005	8	.11	44	.02	.11	.17	8	20
Fe-59	.005	5	.10	40	.01	.10	.13	5	15
Be-7	.02	45	.50	200	.10	.50	.90	45	100
Pb-212	.005	20	.10	40	.02	.10	.25	20	40
Pb-214	.005	20	.20	80	.02	.20	.25	20	40
Bi-214	.005	20	.12	48	.04	.12	.25	20	40

APPENDIX F

QUALITY ASSURANCE/QUALITY CONTROL PROGRAM

Appendix F

Quality Assurance/Quality Control Program

A thorough quality assurance program is employed by the laboratory to ensure that the environmental monitoring data are reliable. This program includes the use of written, approved procedures in performing the work, a nonconformance and corrective action tracking system, systematic internal audits, a complete training and retraining system, audits by various external organizations, and a laboratory quality control program.

The quality control program employed by the radioanalytical laboratory is designed to ensure that the sampling and analysis process is working as intended. The program includes equipment checks and the analysis of special samples along with routine samples.

Radiation detection devices are complex and can be tested in a number of ways. There are two primary tests which are performed on all devices. In the first type, the device is operated without a sample on the detector to determine the background count rate. The background counts are usually low values and are due to machine noise, cosmic rays, or trace amounts of radioactivity in the materials used to construct the detector. Charts of background counts are kept and monitored to ensure that no unusually high or low values are encountered.

In the second test, the device is operated with a known amount of radioactivity present. The number of counts registered from such a

radioactive standard should be very reproducible. These reproducibility checks are also monitored to ensure that they are neither higher nor lower than expected. When counts from either test fall outside the expected range, the device is inspected for malfunction or contamination. It is not placed into service until it is operating properly.

In addition to these two general checks, other quality control checks are performed on the variety of detectors used in the laboratory. The exact nature of these checks depends on the type of device and the method it uses to detect radiation or store the information obtained.

Quality control samples of a variety of types are used by the laboratory to answer questions about the performance of the different portions of the analytical process. These quality control samples may be blanks, replicate samples, blind samples, or cross-checks.

Blanks are samples which contain no measureable radioactivity or no activity of the type being measured. Such samples are analyzed to determine whether there is any contamination of equipment or commercial laboratory chemicals, cross-contamination in the chemical process, or interference from isotopes other than the one being measured.

Duplicate samples are generated at random by the same computer program which schedules the collection of the routine samples. For example, if the routine program calls for four milk samples every week, on a random basis each farm might provide an additional sample several times a year. These duplicate

samples are analyzed along with the other routine samples. They provide information about the variability of radioactive content in the various sample media.

There is another kind of replicate sample. From time to time, if enough sample is available for a particular analysis, the laboratory analyst can split it into two portions. Such a sample can provide information about the variability of the analytical process since two identical portions of material are analyzed side by side.

Analytical knowns are another category of quality control sample. A known amount of radioactivity is added to a sample medium by the quality control staff or by the analysts themselves. The analysts are told the radioactive content of the sample. Whenever possible, the analytical knowns contain the same amount of radioactivity each time they are run. In this way, the analysts have immediate knowledge of the quality of the measurement process. A portion of these samples are also blanks.

Blind spikes are samples containing radioactivity which are introduced into the analysis process disguised as ordinary environmental samples. The analyst does not know they contain radioactivity. Since the bulk of the ordinary workload of the environmental laboratory contains no measureable activity or only naturally occurring radioisotopes, blind spikes can be used to test the detection capability of the laboratory or they can be used to test the data review process. If an analysis routinely generates numerous zeroes for a particular isotope, the presence of the isotope is brought to the attention

of the laboratory supervisor in the daily review process. Blind spikes test this process since they contain radioactivity at levels high enough to be detected. Furthermore, the activity can be put into such samples at the extreme limit of detection to determine whether or not the laboratory can find any unusual radioactivity whatsoever.

At present, 5 percent of the laboratory workload is in the category of internal cross-checks. These samples have a known amount of radioactivity added and are presented to the analysts labeled as cross-check samples. This means that the quality control staff knows the radioactive content or "right answer" but the analysts do not. They are aware they are being tested. Such samples test the best performance of the laboratory by determining if the analysts can find the "right answer." These samples provide information about the accuracy of the measurement process. Further information is available about the variability of the process if multiple analyses are requested on the same sample. Internal cross-checks can also tell if there is a difference in performance between two analysts. Like blind spikes or analytical knowns, these samples can also be spiked with low levels of activity to test detection limits.

A series of cross-checks is produced by the EPA in Las Vegas. These interlaboratory comparison samples or "EPA cross-checks" are considered to be the primary indicator of laboratory performance. They provide an independent check of the entire measurement process that cannot be easily provided by the laboratory itself. That is, unlike internally produced cross-checks, EPA cross-checks test the calibration of the laboratory detection devices since

different radioactive standards produced by individuals outside TVA are used in the cross-checks. The results of the analysis of these samples are reported back to EPA which then issues a report of all the results of all participants. These reports are examined very closely by laboratory supervisory and quality control personnel. They indicate how well the laboratory is doing compared to others across the nation. Like internal cross-checks, the EPA cross-checks provide information to the laboratory about the precision and accuracy of the radioanalytical work it does. The results of TVA's participation in the EPA Interlaboratory Comparison Program are presented in table F-1.

TVA splits certain environmental samples with laboratories operated by the States of Alabama and Tennessee and the EPA Eastern Environmental Radiation Facility in Montgomery, Alabama. When radioactivity has been present in the environment in measureable quantities, such as following atmospheric nuclear weapons testing, following the Chernobyl incident, or as naturally occurring radionuclides, the split samples have provided TVA with yet another level of information about laboratory performance. These samples demonstrate performance on actual environmental sample matrices rather than on the constructed matrices used in cross-check programs.

All the quality control data are routinely collected, examined, and reported to laboratory supervisory personnel. They are checked for trends, problem areas, or other indications that a portion of the analytical process needs help or improvement. The end result is a measurement process that provides accurate data and is sensitive enough to measure the presence of radioactivity far below the levels which could be harmful to humans.

Table F-1

RESULTS OBTAINED IN INTERLABORATORY COMPARISON PROGRAM

A. Air Filter (pCi/Filter)

Date	Gross Alpha		Gross Beta		Strontium-90		Cesium-137	
	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.
3/88	20 \pm 9	24	50 \pm 9	52	17 \pm 2.6	16	16 \pm 9	14
8/88	8 \pm 9	<1 ^a	29 \pm 9	16 ^a	8 \pm 2.6	6	12 \pm 9	11

B. Radiochemical Analysis of Water (pCi/L)

Date	Gross Beta		Strontium-89		Strontium-90		Tritium		Iodine-131	
	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.
1/88	8 \pm 9	11	30 \pm 9	21 ^b	15 \pm 2.6	13				
2/88							3327 \pm 627	3221		
3/88	13 \pm 9	14								
4/88 ^c			5 \pm 9	<7	5 \pm 2.6	4				
4/88									7.5 \pm 1.3	6.3
5/88	11 \pm 9	11	20 \pm 9	15	20 \pm 2.6	18			76 \pm 14	76
6/88							5565 \pm 965	4408 ^e		
7/88	4 \pm 9 ^d	7								
8/88										
9/88	10 \pm 9	11								
10/88							2316 \pm 606	2293		
10/88 ^c			11 \pm 9	11	10 \pm 2.6	8.3				
11/88	9 \pm 9	11								
12/88									115 \pm 21	13 ^f

Table F-1

RESULTS OBTAINED IN INTERLABORATORY COMPARISON PROGRAM (Continued)

C. Gamma-Spectral Analysis of Water (pCi/L)

Date	Chromium-51		Cobalt-60		Zinc-65		Ruthenium-106		Cesium-134		Cesium-137	
	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.
2/88			69 \pm 9	70	94 \pm 16	93	105 \pm 18	94	64 \pm 9	59	94 \pm 9	93
4/88 ^c			50 \pm 9	52					7 \pm 9	7	7 \pm 9	7
6/88	302 \pm 52	306	15 \pm 9	15	101 \pm 17	100	195 \pm 35	186	20 \pm 9	20	25 \pm 9	25
10/88	251 \pm 43	252	25 \pm 9	27	151 \pm 26	154	152 \pm 26	141	25 \pm 9	24	15 \pm 9	16
10/88 ^c									15 \pm 9	14	15 \pm 9	15

D. Food (pCi/Kg, Wet Weight)

Date	Iodine-131		Cesium-137		Potassium-40 ⁸	
	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.
1/88	102 \pm 18	100	91 \pm 9	89	1230 \pm 107	1720 ^h
7/88	107 \pm 19	104	49 \pm 9	47	1240 \pm 107	1170

E. Milk (pCi/L)

Date	Strontium-89		Strontium-90		Iodine-131		Cesium-137		Potassium-40 ⁸	
	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.	EPA Value ($\pm 3\sigma$)	TVA Avg.
2/88					4 \pm 0.7	4				
6/88	40 \pm 9	25 ^b	60 \pm 5	61	94 \pm 16	97	51 \pm 9	51	1600 \pm 139	1633
10/88	40 \pm 9	45	60 \pm 5	45 ^b	91 \pm 16	91	50 \pm 9	50	1600 \pm 139	1700 ^h

Footnotes for Table F-1

Results Obtained in Interlaboratory Comparison Program

- a. Apparently, self-absorption caused by sample mounting or preparation caused all gross alpha and gross beta values to be consistently low.
- b. The low strontium result was investigated. A definitive cause for the low result could not be identified. Further evaluation of the strontium radioanalytical procedure continues.
- c. Performance Evaluation Intercomparison Study.
- d. Results not reported properly to EPA.
- e. Reanalysis of sample gave 4666 pCi/l. No errors could be found in our analysis. Subsequent analyses were good.
- f. Transcription error - 113 should have been the reported average.
- g. Units are milligram of total potassium per kilogram or liter rather than microcuries of K-40 per kilogram or liter.
- h. Errors in K-40 measurement may be due to changes in temperature. These samples are initially refrigerated and then warm gradually while they are counted, possibly causing a gain shift in the detector.

APPENDIX G

LAND USE SURVEY

APPENDIX G
Land Use Survey

A land use survey is conducted periodically to identify the location of the nearest milk animal, the nearest residence, and the nearest garden of greater than 500 square feet producing fresh leafy vegetables in each of 16 meteorological sectors within a distance of 5 miles from the plant.

The land use survey is usually conducted between April 1 and October 1 using appropriate techniques such as door-to-door survey, mail survey, telephone survey, aerial survey, or information from local agricultural authorities or other reliable sources.

The most recent land use survey was performed in 1986. From the data of that survey, radiation doses were projected for individuals near the plant. Doses from breathing air (air submersion) were calculated for the nearest resident in each sector, while doses from drinking milk or eating foods produced near the plant were calculated for the areas with milk producing animals and gardens, respectively. These doses were calculated using design basis source terms and historical meteorological data.

Doses calculated for 1986 for air submersion were unchanged from those projected for 1985.

Doses calculated for 1986 for ingestion of home-grown foods changed in one sector. A garden was identified in the ENE sector 0.7 mile nearer the plant.

Doses calculated for the ingestion of milk at those locations with milk producing animals were unchanged with one exception. At one location (Farm Bn) children were identified where previously there were none. Consequently, the projected dose was somewhat higher.

Tables G-1, G-2, and G-3 show the comparative calculated doses for 1985 and 1986.

Table G-1

Watts Bar Nuclear Plant
Projected Annual Air Submersion Dose to the Nearest Resident
Within 5 Miles of Plant

mrem/year/reactor

<u>Sector</u>	<u>Distance (Miles)</u>	<u>1986 Annual Dose</u>	<u>1985 Annual Dose</u>
N	1.3	0.14	.14
NNE	1.7	0.10	.10
NE	2.1	0.04	.04
ENE	1.4	0.12	.12
E	2.0	0.08	.08
ESE	2.9	0.03	.03
SE	0.9	0.53	.53
SSE	1.0	0.36	.36
S	1.0	0.23	.23
SSW	1.2	0.15	.15
SW	2.7	0.02	.02
WSW	1.3	0.16	.16
W	1.9	0.05	.05
WNW	1.0	0.07	.07
NW	1.9	0.03	.03
NNW	2.8	0.02	.02

Table G-2

Watts Bar Nuclear Plant
 Projected Annual Intestion Dose to Child's Critical
 Organ from Intestion of Home-Grown Foods
 Nearest Garden Within 5 Miles of Plant

mrem/year/reactor

<u>Sector</u>	1986		1985	
	<u>Distance (Miles)</u>	<u>Annual Dose (Bone)</u>	<u>Distance (Miles)</u>	<u>Annual Dose (Bone)</u>
N	2.8	0.81	2.8	0.81
NNE	2.3	1.47	2.3	1.47
NE	2.1	1.38	2.1	1.38
ENE	1.4	3.56	2.1	1.66
E	2.0	2.45	2.0	2.45
ESE	2.9	1.00	2.9	1.00
SE	1.9	3.17	1.9	3.17
SSE	1.0	10.70	1.0	10.70
S	1.4	2.86	1.4	2.86
SSW	1.3	3.27	1.3	3.27
SW	*	*	*	*
SWS	1.5	3.61	1.5	3.61
W	1.9	1.62	1.9	1.62
WNW	1.6	0.65	1.6	0.65
NW	2.6	0.46	2.6	0.46
NNW	2.8	0.59	2.8	0.59

*Garden not identified in this sector.

Table G-3

Watts Bar Nuclear Plant
 Projected Annual Dose to Reactor Thyroid from Ingestion of Milk
 (Nearest Milk-Producing Animal Within 5 Miles of Plant)

mrem/year/reactor

Sector	Location	Approximate Distance (Miles)	Annual Dose	
			1986	1985
N	a	-	-	-
NNE	a	-	-	-
NE	Farm Bn ^{b, c}	2.1	1.14	0.36
ENE	a	-	-	-
E	Farm W	4.5	0.03	0.03
ESE	Farm Mu ^d	3.7	0.19	0.19
SE	a	-	-	-
SSE	a	-	-	-
S	Farm Ho ^e	1.5	0.53	0.53
SSW	Farm L ^d	1.3	0.89	0.89
SW	Farm L ^d	1.5	0.56	0.56
WSW	Farm He	5.0	0.07	0.07
W	Farm H ^d	4.4	0.02	0.02
WNW	Farm P	3.4	0.06	0.06
WN	Farm Mo ^d	4.6	0.01	0.01
NNW	a	-	-	-

- a. Milk-producing animals not identified in this sector.
- b. Children identified at this location in 1986.
- c. Milk was not available in sufficient quantities for sampling until January 1987. Samples were collected until animals went "dry" in June 1987 when the animals were disposed of. Vegetation samples were collected from January 1985 until September 1987.
- d. Milk and vegetation samples collected at this location.
- e. Owner uncooperative; samples not collected.

APPENDIX H

DATA TABLES

Table H-1

DIRECT RADIATION LEVELS

Average External Gamma Radiation Levels at Various Distances from
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant for Each Quarter - 1988
mR/Quarter^a

<u>Distance Miles</u>	<u>Average External Gamma Radiation Levels^b</u>			
	<u>1st Quarter</u> (Dec 87-Feb 88)	<u>2nd Quarter</u> (Mar-May 88)	<u>3rd Quarter</u> (Jun-Aug 88)	<u>4th Quarter</u> (Sep-Nov 88)
0-1	19.9 ± 2.5	20.2 ± 2.5	18.7 ± 3.3	18.2 ± 2.5
1-2	21.0 ± 1.6	21.2 ± 1.7	19.7 ± 1.6	19.3 ± 1.3
2-4	18.1 ± 1.4	17.6 ± 3.2	14.9 ± 3.8	17.8 ± 0.6
4-6	18.8 ± 2.8	18.7 ± 3.0	16.1 ± 4.1	18.4 ± 2.0
>6	17.6 ± 3.0	16.5 ± 3.6	13.8 ± 4.9	17.2 ± 3.5
Average, 0-2 miles (Onsite)	20.3 ± 2.2	20.6 ± 2.3	19.0 ± 2.8	18.6 ± 2.2
Average >2 miles (Offsite)	18.3 ± 2.7	17.8 ± 3.3	15.2 ± 4.3	18.0 ± 2.5

a. Data normalized to one quarter (2190 hours).

b. Averages of the individual measurements in the set ±1 standard deviation of the set.

TABLE H-2

RADIOACTIVITY IN AIR FILTER

PCI/M(3) - 0.037 BQ/M(3)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-320,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	2.00E-03	2.12E-02(417/ 417)	PM5 DECATLR	2.20E-02(53/ 53)	2.00E-02(104/ 104)	
521		8.60E-03 - 3.74E-02	6.25 MILES S	1.39E-02 - 3.43E-02	1.12E-02 - 3.35E-02	
GAMMA (GELI)						
140						
BI-214	5.00E-03	9.67E-03(6/ 112)	PM2 SPRING CITY	1.37E-02(1/ 14)	8.42E-03(4/ 28)	
		5.10E-03 - 1.37E-02	7.0 MILES NW	1.37E-02 - 1.37E-02	5.40E-03 - 9.90E-03	
PB-214	5.00E-03	8.94E-03(5/ 112)	LM1 ENV DATA STA	1.16E-02(1/ 14)	8.00E-03(2/ 28)	
		5.50E-03 - 1.22E-02	0.5 MILES SSW	1.16E-02 - 1.16E-02	6.90E-03 - 9.10E-03	
BE-7	2.00E-02	1.01E-01(112/ 112)	LM2 N. WBSP GATE	1.04E-01(14/ 14)	1.04E-01(28/ 28)	
		6.09E-02 - 1.44E-01	0.5 MILES N	7.30E-02 - 1.44E-01	7.53E-02 - 1.33E-01	
TL-208	NOT ESTAB	2.63E-04(5/ 112)	LM-4 WB	4.00E-04(2/ 14)	28 VALUES <LLD	
		1.00E-04 - 6.00E-04	0.9 MILES SE	2.00E-04 - 6.00E-04		
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	3.10E-03(5/ 112)	PM5 DECATLR	4.95E-03(2/ 14)	3.47E-03(3/ 23)	
		1.00E-03 - 7.10E-03	6.25 MILES S	2.80E-03 - 7.10E-03	3.20E-03 - 3.80E-03	
SR 89	6.00E-04	30 VALUES <LLD			7 VALUES <LLD	
38- -SR 90	37	ANALYSIS PERFORMED				
	37	30 VALUES <LLD				
		ANALYSIS PERFORMED				

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-3
 RADIOACTIVITY IN CHARCOAL FILTERS
 PCI/M(3) - 0.037 BQ/M(3)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>				DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>				REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL	NUMBER OF
	OF	INDICATOR LOCATIONS	NAME		LOCATIONS	NONROUTINE
	DETECTION	MEAN (F)	MEAN (F)		MEAN (F)	REPORTED
	(LLD)	RANGE	DISTANCE AND DIRECTION		RANGE	MEASUREMENTS
	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
IODINE-131	2.00E-02	418 VALUES <LLD			104 VALUES <LLD	
522		ANALYSIS PERFORMED				

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-4

RADIOACTIVITY IN HEAVY PARTICLE FALLOUT

MCI/KM(2) - 3700000.00 BQ/KM(2)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>		DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,321</u>			
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>		REPORTING PERIOD <u>1998</u>			
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION RANGE		
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	1.00E-02	1.21E-01 (104/ 104)	FM3 CEDINE BIELE	1.39E-01 (13/ 13)	1.85E-01 (26/ 26)
130		2.99E-02 - 2.88E-01	CAMP 11.5 M. NNE	6.44E-02 - 2.24E-01	5.61E-02 - 7.72E-01

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-5
RADIOACTIVITY IN RAINWATER

PCI/L - 0.037 BQ/L

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>		DOCKET NO. <u>20-390,391</u>			
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>		REPORTING PERIOD <u>1983</u>			
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION RANGE		
	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
<u>GAMMA (GELI)</u>					
	<u>119</u>				
BI-214	2.00E+01	3.33E+01(1/ 96)	LM-3 WB	3.33E+01(1/ 12)	23 VALUES <LLD
		3.33E+01 - 3.33E+01	2.1 MILES NNE	3.33E+01 - 3.33E+01	
BE-7	4.50E+01	7.74E+01(30/ 96)	PM2 SPRING CITY	9.85E+01(4/ 12)	8.65E+01(6/ 23)
		4.61E+01 - 1.72E+02	7.0 MILES NW	7.14E+01 - 1.45E+02	5.87E+01 - 1.50E+02
SR 89	3.00E+00	3.28E+00(3/ 96)	LM2 N. WBSP GATE	3.39E+00(1/ 12)	5.12E+00(2/ 23)
	<u>119</u>	3.15E+00 - 3.39E+00	0.5 MILES N	3.39E+00 - 3.39E+00	3.23E+00 - 7.00E+00
SR 90	1.40E+00	96 VALUES <LLD			23 VALUES <LLD
	<u>119</u>	ANALYSIS PERFORMED			

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-6
RADIOACTIVITY IN MILK
PCI/L - 0.037 BQ/L

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1983

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
IODINE-131	2.00E-01	105 VALUES <LLD		79 VALUES <LLD	
GAMMA (GELI)		ANALYSIS PERFORMED			
184					
189					
CS-137	5.00E+00	8.43E+00 (3/ 108)	MCFFETT FARM	8.43E+00 (3/ 27)	81 VALUES <LLD
		6.95E+00 - 1.01E+01	4.6 MILES NW	6.95E+00 - 1.01E+01	
K-40	1.50E+02	1.23E+03 (108/ 108)	MULLINS FARM	1.39E+03 (27/ 27)	1.35E+03 (31/ 81)
		8.22E+02 - 1.64E+03	3.7 M. ESE	1.23E+03 - 1.64E+03	4.06E+02 - 1.75E+03
BI-214	2.00E+01	4.47E+C1 (14/ 108)	LAYMAN FARM	6.00E+C1 (3/ 27)	6.08E+01 (6/ 81)
		2.03E+C1 - 9.34E+01	1.3 MILES SW	4.47E+01 - 7.13E+01	2.31E+01 - 1.56E+02
PB-214	2.00E+01	4.69E+C1 (11/ 108)	LAYMAN FARM	5.82E+C1 (3/ 27)	6.09E+01 (5/ 31)
		2.07E+01 - 8.56E+01	1.3 MILES SW	4.94E+01 - 6.94E+01	2.29E+01 - 1.40E+02
TL-208	NOT ESTAB	5.29E-01 (6/ 108)	MULLINS FARM	1.28E+00 (1/ 27)	1.60E+00 (10/ 81)
		7.17E-02 - 1.41E+00	3.7 M. ESE	1.28E+00 - 1.28E+00	4.68E-01 - 4.22E+00
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	8.03E+00 (2/ 108)	MCFFETT FARM	1.41E+C1 (1/ 27)	7.97E+00 (10/ 81)
		1.93E+00 - 1.41E+01	4.6 MILES NW	1.41E+01 - 1.41E+01	2.07E+00 - 1.27E+01
SR 89	2.50E+00	51 VALUES <LLD			2.51E+00 (1/ 38)
					2.51E+00 - 2.51E+00
SR 90	2.00E+00	4.02E+00 (33/ 51)	MCFFETT FARM	5.08E+00 (12/ 13)	2.23E+00 (7/ 38)
		2.02E+00 - 7.65E+00	4.6 MILES NW	3.55E+00 - 6.44E+00	2.12E+00 - 2.48E+00

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-7

RADIOACTIVITY IN VEGETATION

PCI/KG - 0.037 BQ/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTI BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1983

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
IODINE-131	4.00E+00	5.79E+00 (8/ 128)	MULLINS FARM	6.74E+00 (1/ 12)	6.26E+00 (1/ 84)	
212		4.24E+00 - 7.62E+00	3.7 M. ESE	6.74E+00 - 6.74E+00	6.26E+00 - 6.26E+00	
GAMMA (GELI)						
212						
CS-137	2.40E+01	3.25E+01 (4/ 123)	PM-4 TEN MILE	5.71E+01 (2/ 8)	2.77E+01 (2/ 84)	
		2.62E+01 - 3.82E+01	7.8 M. NE/ENE	3.59E+01 - 3.82E+01	2.52E+01 - 3.03E+01	
K-40	4.00E+02	5.61E+03 (128/ 128)	MOFFETT FARM	8.37E+03 (12/ 12)	6.06E+03 (84/ 84)	
		1.16E+03 - 1.80E+04	4.6 MILES NW	4.71E+03 - 1.56E+04	9.27E+02 - 1.74E+04	
BI-214	4.80E+01	9.07E+01 (30/ 128)	LM-4 WS	1.56E+02 (1/ 12)	7.46E+01 (17/ 84)	
		5.56E+01 - 2.52E+02	0.9 MILES SE	1.56E+02 - 1.56E+02	5.05E+01 - 1.49E+02	
PB-214	3.00E+01	1.20E+02 (10/ 128)	LM2 N. WBSP GATE	1.79E+02 (2/ 12)	9.08E+01 (3/ 84)	
		8.13E+01 - 2.21E+02	0.5 MILES N	1.36E+02 - 2.21E+02	8.67E+01 - 9.46E+01	
PB-212	4.00E+01	6.02E+01 (5/ 128)	PM-4 TEN MILE	8.62E+01 (1/ 8)	5.47E+01 (6/ 84)	
		4.80E+01 - 8.62E+01	7.8 M. NE/ENE	8.62E+01 - 8.62E+01	4.23E+01 - 7.92E+01	
BE-7	2.00E+02	3.05E+03 (125/ 128)	PM-4 TEN MILE	4.29E+03 (7/ 8)	2.24E+03 (81/ 84)	
		2.25E+02 - 1.38E+04	7.8 M. NE/ENE	3.81E+02 - 1.25E+04	2.07E+02 - 1.35E+04	
TL-203	NOT ESTAB	1.10E+01 (39/ 123)	PM-4 TEN MILE	2.02E+01 (3/ 8)	8.06E+00 (31/ 84)	
		1.69E+01 - 4.23E+01	7.8 M. NE/ENE	1.77E+00 - 3.61E+01	1.74E+01 - 4.66E+01	
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	7.01E+01 (25/ 128)	PMS DECATLR	1.12E+02 (2/ 8)	6.98E+01 (15/ 84)	
		7.06E+00 - 1.72E+02	6.25 MILES S	7.15E+01 - 1.52E+02	1.83E+01 - 1.55E+02	
SR 89	1.40E+02	43 VALUES <LLD			2.33E+02 (1/ 29)	
					2.33E+02 - 2.33E+02	
SR 90	6.00E+01	1.20E+02 (12/ 43)	PMS DECATLR	2.72E+02 (2/ 3)	1.60E+02 (8/ 29)	
		6.20E+01 - 4.78E+02	6.25 MILES S	6.51E+01 - 4.73E+02	5.30E+01 - 4.28E+02	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-8

RADIOACTIVITY IN SOIL

PCI/G - 0.037 BG/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-3922391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS		NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F)	RANGE	NAME	MEAN (F)	MEAN (F)	RANGE	
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GAMMA (GELI)								
CS-137	11	1.00E-02	5.80E-01 (8/ 3)	PM5 DECATLR	9.56E-01 (1/ 1)	5.19E-01 (3/ 3)		
			1.47E-01 - 9.56E-01	6.25 MILES S	9.56E-01 - 9.56E-01	3.18E-01 - 8.74E-01		
K-40		2.00E-01	1.11E+01 (8/ 3)	LM-4 WB	3.28E+01 (1/ 1)	3.69E+00 (3/ 3)		
			3.01E+00 - 3.28E+01	0.9 MILES SE	3.28E+01 - 3.28E+01	2.82E+00 - 5.02E+00		
BI-214		4.00E-02	8.22E-01 (8/ 8)	LM-3 WB	9.55E-01 (1/ 1)	6.21E-01 (3/ 3)		
			6.91E-01 - 9.55E-01	2.1 MILES NNE	9.55E-01 - 9.55E-01	5.91E-01 - 6.79E-01		
BI-212		1.00E-01	1.12E+00 (8/ 8)	LM-4 WB	1.29E+00 (1/ 1)	6.77E-01 (3/ 3)		
			9.17E-01 - 1.29E+00	0.9 MILES SE	1.29E+00 - 1.29E+00	6.51E-01 - 7.21E-01		
PB-214		2.00E-02	8.67E-01 (8/ 8)	LM1 ENV DATA STA	1.01E+00 (1/ 1)	6.80E-01 (3/ 3)		
			7.20E-01 - 1.01E+00	0.5 MILES SSW	1.01E+00 - 1.01E+00	6.66E-01 - 6.89E-01		
PB-212		2.00E-02	1.01E+00 (8/ 8)	LM-4 WB	1.23E+00 (1/ 1)	5.64E-01 (3/ 3)		
			8.96E-01 - 1.23E+00	0.9 MILES SE	1.23E+00 - 1.23E+00	5.54E-01 - 5.71E-01		
RA-226		5.00E-02	8.22E-01 (8/ 8)	LM-3 WB	9.55E-01 (1/ 1)	6.21E-01 (3/ 3)		
			6.91E-01 - 9.55E-01	2.1 MILES NNE	9.55E-01 - 9.55E-01	5.91E-01 - 6.79E-01		
RA-224	NOT ESTAB		1.14E+00 (5/ 9)	LM-4 WB	1.30E+00 (1/ 1)	4.66E-01 (1/ 3)		
			1.04E+00 - 1.30E+00	0.9 MILES SE	1.30E+00 - 1.30E+00	4.66E-01 - 4.66E-01		
TL-208		2.00E-02	3.51E-01 (8/ 8)	LM-4 WB	4.09E-01 (1/ 1)	1.98E-01 (3/ 3)		
			3.13E-01 - 4.09E-01	0.9 MILES SE	4.09E-01 - 4.09E-01	1.90E-01 - 2.05E-01		
AC-228		6.00E-02	1.03E+00 (8/ 9)	LM-4 WB	1.38E+00 (1/ 1)	6.00E-01 (3/ 3)		
			9.37E-01 - 1.38E+00	0.9 MILES SE	1.38E+00 - 1.38E+00	5.69E-01 - 6.55E-01		
PA-234M	NOT ESTAB		2.75E+00 (3/ 8)	PM3 CEDINE DIELE	3.22E+00 (1/ 1)	3 VALUES <LLD		
			1.93E+00 - 3.22E+00	CAMP 11.5 M. NNE	3.22E+00 - 3.22E+00			
SR 89		1.00E+00	3 VALUES <LLD			3 VALUES <LLD		
SR 90	11	3.00E-01	ANALYSIS PERFORMED					
			3.11E-01 (1/ 8)	PM5 DECATLR	3.11E-01 (1/ 1)	3 VALUES <LLD		
	11		3.11E-01 - 3.11E-01	6.25 MILES S	3.11E-01 - 3.11E-01			

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-9

RADIOACTIVITY IN CABBAGE

PCI/KG - 0.037 BQ/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>		DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>			
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>		REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>			
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION RANGE		
	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00	4.21E+03 (1/ 1)	LAYMAN FARM	4.21E+03 (1/ 1)	2.63E+03 (1/ 1)
		4.21E+03 - 4.21E+03	1.3 MILES SW	4.21E+03 - 4.21E+03	2.63E+03 - 2.63E+03
GAMMA (GELI)					
K-40	1.50E+02	2.25E+03 (1/ 1)	LAYMAN FARM	2.25E+03 (1/ 1)	1.39E+03 (1/ 1)
		2.25E+03 - 2.25E+03	1.3 MILES SW	2.25E+03 - 2.25E+03	1.39E+03 - 1.39E+03

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-10

RADIOACTIVITY IN CORN

PCI/KG - 0.037 SG/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE	NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE			
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2		
GROSS BETA 2	9.00E+00	5.24E+03 (1/ 1) 5.24E+03 - 5.24E+03	5.5 MILES E	5.24E+03 (1/ 1) 5.24E+03 - 5.24E+03	4.28E+03 (1/ 1) 4.28E+03 - 4.23E+03		
GAMMA (GELI) 2							
K-40	1.50E+02	2.22E+03 (1/ 1) 2.22E+03 - 2.22E+03	5.5 MILES E	2.22E+03 (1/ 1) 2.22E+03 - 2.22E+03	2.22E+03 (1/ 1) 2.22E+03 - 2.22E+03		

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-11

RADIOACTIVITY IN GREEN BEANS

PCI/KG - 0.037 Bq/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>		DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>		REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL	CONTROL	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		INDICATOR LOCATIONS	LOCATIONS	
		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		
		MEAN (F)	MEAN (F)	
		RANGE	RANGE	
		DISTANCE AND DIRECTION		
	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00		2.65E+03(1/ 1)	
1			2.65E+03 - 2.65E+03	
GAMMA (GELI)				
1				
K-40	1.50E+02		1.44E+03(1/ 1)	
			1.44E+03 - 1.44E+03	
BI-214	2.00E+01		2.35E+01(1/ 1)	
			2.35E+01 - 2.35E+01	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-12

RADIOACTIVITY IN POTATOES

FCI/KG - 0.037 Bq/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-3902321
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1983

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE		NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE		
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00					5.22E+03 (1 / 1) 5.22E+03 - 5.22E+03	
GAMMA (GELI)							
K-40	1.50E+02					2.88E+03 (1 / 1) 2.88E+03 - 2.88E+03	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-13

RADIOACTIVITY IN TOMATOES

PCI/KG - 0.037 BQ/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>				DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,321</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>				REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE		
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00	3.75E+03 (1/ 1)	LM-4 WB	3.75E+03 (1/ 1)	5.59E+03 (1/ 1)	
		3.75E+03 - 3.75E+03	0.9 MILES SE	3.75E+03 - 3.75E+03	5.59E+03 - 5.59E+03	
GAMMA (GELI)						
K-40	1.50E+02	1.71E+03 (1/ 1)	LM-4 WB	1.71E+03 (1/ 1)	2.87E+03 (1/ 1)	
		1.71E+03 - 1.71E+03	0.9 MILES SE	1.71E+03 - 1.71E+03	2.87E+03 - 2.87E+03	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-14

RADIOACTIVITY IN APPLES

PCI/KG - 0.037 BG/KG (WET WT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>				DOCKET NO. <u>50-3902391</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>				REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT	ALL	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL	NUMBER OF
	OF	INDICATOR LOCATIONS			LOCATIONS	NONROUTINE
	DETECTION	MEAN (F)	NAME	MEAN (F)	MEAN (F)	REPORTED
	(LLD)	RANGE	DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	RANGE	RANGE	MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00			8.66E+02 (1/ 1)		
1				8.66E+02 - 3.66E+02		
GAMMA (GELI)						
1						
K-40	1.50E+02			5.86E+02 (1/ 1)		
				5.86E+02 - 5.86E+02		

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-15

RADIOACTIVITY IN PEARLS

PCI/KG - 0.037 B6/KG (WET WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>					DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>					REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE		NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE		
	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
GROSS BETA	9.00E+00	1.95E+03 (1/ 1)		2.5 MILES NE	1.95E+03 (1/ 1)	1.72E+03 (1/ 1)	
		1.95E+03 - 1.95E+03			1.95E+03 - 1.95E+03	1.72E+03 - 1.72E+03	
GAMMA (GELI)							
K-40	1.50E+02	1.06E+03 (1/ 1)		2.5 MILES NE	1.06E+03 (1/ 1)	9.03E+02 (1/ 1)	
		1.06E+03 - 1.06E+03			1.06E+03 - 1.06E+03	9.03E+02 - 9.03E+02	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-16

RADIOACTIVITY IN SURFACE WATER TOTAL

PCI/L - 0.037 Bq/L

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-392,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1983

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
GROSS BETA	SEE NOTE 1 1.70E+00	SEE NOTE 2 2.85E+00 (26 / 26) 2.04E+00 - 4.30E+00 0 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED	TRM 523.1 4.7 MILES DOWNST	SEE NOTE 2 2.90E+00 (13 / 13) 1.71E+00 - 4.62E+00 13 VALUES <LLD	
IODINE-131	1.00E+00	26 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED		13 VALUES <LLD	
GAMMA (GELI)		3 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED		4 VALUES <LLD	
SR 89	3.00E+00	8 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED		4 VALUES <LLD	
SR 90	1.40E+00	3.15E+02 (1 / 8) 3.15E+02 - 3.15E+02	TRM 523.1 4.7 MILES DOWNST	3.15E+02 (1 / 4) 3.15E+02 - 3.15E+02	4 VALUES <LLD

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-17

RADIOACTIVITY IN PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

PCI/L - 0.037 BQ/L

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-3902391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GROSS BETA	1.70E+00	3.00E+00 (24/ 26) 1.90E+00 - 4.05E+00	CF INDUSTRIES TRM 473.C	3.08E+00 (11/ 13) 2.09E+00 - 4.05E+00	2.87E+00 (12/ 13) 1.71E+00 - 4.62E+00
IODINE-131	1.00E+00	26 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED			13 VALUES <LLD
GAMMA (GELI)					
TL-208	NOT ESTAB	1.34E+00 (3/ 26) 1.06E+00 - 1.79E+00	DAYTON, TN 17.75 MILES NNE	1.48E+00 (2/ 13) 1.17E+00 - 1.79E+00	1.24E+00 (1/ 13) 1.24E+00 - 1.24E+00
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	4.67E+00 (2/ 26) 3.07E+00 - 6.27E+00	DAYTON, TN 17.75 MILES NNE	6.27E+00 (1/ 13) 6.27E+00 - 6.27E+00	13 VALUES <LLD
PA-234M	NOT ESTAB	1.02E+03 (1/ 26) 1.02E+03 - 1.02E+03	DAYTON, TN 17.75 MILES NNE	1.02E+03 (1/ 13) 1.02E+03 - 1.02E+03	13 VALUES <LLD
SR 89	3.00E+00	5.20E+00 (1/ 5) 5.20E+00 - 5.20E+00	CF INDUSTRIES TRM 473.C	5.20E+00 (1/ 4) 5.20E+00 - 5.20E+00	4 VALUES <LLD
SR 90	1.40E+00	8 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED			4 VALUES <LLD
TRITIUM	2.50E+02	2.61E+02 (2/ 9) 2.57E+02 - 2.64E+02	DAYTON, TN 17.75 MILES NNE	2.64E+02 (1/ 4) 2.64E+02 - 2.64E+02	4 VALUES <LLD

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-18
RADIOACTIVITY IN WELL WATER
PCI/L - 0.037 BQ/L

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-3902321
LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE		NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE		
GAMMA (GELI)	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2			SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
28							
BI-214	2.00E+01	14 VALUES <LLD				3.46E+02 (14/ 14) 1.12E+02 - 5.21E+02	
PB-214	2.00E+01	2.10E+01 (1/ 14) 2.10E+01 - 2.10E+01	WBN WELL #1 ONSITE S	2.10E+01 (1/ 14) 2.10E+01 - 2.10E+01		3.52E+02 (14/ 14) 1.05E+02 - 5.44E+02	
TL-208	NOT ESTAB	3.28E+00 (1/ 14) 3.28E+00 - 3.28E+00	WBN WELL #1 ONSITE S	3.28E+00 (1/ 14) 3.28E+00 - 3.28E+00		3.56E-01 (1/ 14) 3.86E-01 - 3.86E-01	
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	14 VALUES <LLD				8.63E+00 (2/ 14) 5.75E+00 - 1.15E+01	
TRITIUM	2.50E+02	4 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED				4 VALUES <LLD	
8							

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NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.
NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-19

RADIOACTIVITY IN CHANNEL CATFISH (FLESH)

PCI/G - 0.037 BG/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F)		NAME			
		RANGE		DISTANCE AND DIRECTION			
SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	
GAMMA (GELI)							
6							
CS-137	6.00E-02	1.39E-01(1/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	1.39E-01(1/ 2)	1.29E-01(2/ 2)		
		1.39E-01 - 1.39E-01	TRM 425-471	1.39E-01 - 1.39E-01	1.21E-01 - 1.37E-01		
K-40	1.00E+00	1.27E+01(4/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	1.30E+01(2/ 2)	1.30E+01(2/ 2)		
		1.01E+01 - 1.48E+01	TRM 425-471	1.28E+01 - 1.32E+01	9.96E+00 - 1.60E+01		
TL-208	NOT ESTAB	4 VALUES <LLD			7.60E-03(1/ 2)		
					7.60E-03 - 7.60E-03		
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	3.74E-02(1/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	3.74E-02(1/ 2)	2 VALUES <LLD		
		3.74E-02 - 3.74E-02	TRM 425-471	3.74E-02 - 3.74E-02			

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-20

RADIOACTIVITY IN CRAPPIE (FLESH)

PCI/G - 0.037 BC/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RFA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1983

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE	DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	NAME RANGE	MEAN (F) RANGE		
<u>GAMMA (GELI)</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>			<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
CS-137 ⁶	6.00E-02	1.02E-01(4/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	1.13E-01(2/ 2)	1.44E-01(2/ 2)		
		7.60E-02 - 1.41E-01	TRM 425-471	9.43E-02 - 1.41E-01	1.24E-01 - 1.64E-01		
K-40	1.00E+00	1.89E+01(4/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	1.91E+01(2/ 2)	1.65E+01(2/ 2)		
		1.67E+01 - 2.11E+01	TRM 425-471	1.70E+01 - 2.11E+01	1.40E+01 - 1.90E+01		

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-21

RADIOACTIVITY IN SMALLMOUTH BUFFALO (FLESH)

PCI/C - 0.037 B6/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>				DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>		
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>				REPORTING PERIOD <u>1988</u>		
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
			NAME	MEAN (F)		
			DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	RANGE		
<u>GAMMA (GELI)</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>	
6						
CS-137	6.00E-02	6.63E-02 (1/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	6.63E-02 (1/ 2)	2 VALUES - LLD	
		6.63E-02 - 6.63E-02	TRN 425-471	6.63E-02 - 6.63E-02		
K-40	1.00E+00	8.74E+00 (4/ 4)	NICKAJACK RES	2.79E+00 (2/ 2)	6.25E+00 (2/ 2)	
		6.31E+00 - 1.13E+01	TRN 425-471	6.32E+00 - 1.13E+01	6.25E+00 - 6.25E+00	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-22

RADIOACTIVITY IN SMALLMOUTH BUFFALO (WHOLE)

PCI/G - 0.037 Bq/g (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F) RANGE	DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	NAME MEAN (F) RANGE	DISTANCE AND DIRECTION		
GAMMA (GELI)	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2			SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
CS-137 ⁶	6.00E-02	4 VALUES <LLD				2.23E-01 (1/ 2) 2.23E-01 - 2.23E-01	
K-40	1.00E+00	7.92E+00 (4/ 4) 6.09E+00 - 1.05E+01	CHICKAMAUGA RES TRM 471-530	2.40E+00 (2/ 2) 6.35E+00 - 1.05E+01		1.12E+01 (2/ 2) 1.03E+01 - 1.21E+01	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-23

RADIOACTIVITY IN SEDIMENT

PCI/G - 0.037 EC/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1965

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN NAME DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	MEAN (F) RANGE	CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GAMMA (GELI)						
	6					
CO-60	1.00E-02	8.40E-02 (2/ 4) 7.15E-02 - 9.66E-02	TRM 496.5C	8.40E-02 (2/ 2) 7.15E-02 - 9.66E-02	8.50E-02 (2/ 2) 6.67E-02 - 1.03E-01	
CS-137	1.00E-02	6.09E-01 (3/ 4) 2.75E-02 - 1.28E+00	TRM 496.5C	9.90E-01 (2/ 2) 7.04E-01 - 1.28E+00	1.90E+00 (2/ 2) 1.65E+00 - 2.15E+00	
K-40	2.00E-01	1.45E+01 (4/ 4) 1.30E+01 - 1.66E+01	TRM 496.5C	1.43E+01 (2/ 2) 1.30E+01 - 1.66E+01	1.33E+01 (2/ 2) 1.31E+01 - 1.36E+01	
BI-214	4.00E-02	8.12E-01 (4/ 4) 5.17E-01 - 9.73E-01	TRM 496.5C	9.28E-01 (2/ 2) 8.83E-01 - 9.73E-01	9.83E-01 (2/ 2) 9.32E-01 - 1.04E+00	
BI-212	1.00E-01	1.21E+00 (4/ 4) 8.37E-01 - 1.57E+00	TRM 496.5C	1.34E+00 (2/ 2) 1.10E+00 - 1.57E+00	1.30E+00 (2/ 2) 1.17E+00 - 1.42E+00	
PB-214	2.00E-02	8.86E-01 (4/ 4) 5.23E-01 - 1.06E+00	TRM 496.5C	1.03E+00 (2/ 2) 9.99E-01 - 1.06E+00	1.07E+00 (2/ 2) 1.01E+00 - 1.14E+00	
PB-212	2.00E-02	1.06E+00 (4/ 4) 6.85E-01 - 1.34E+00	TRM 496.5C	1.17E+00 (2/ 2) 9.96E-01 - 1.34E+00	1.15E+00 (2/ 2) 1.15E+00 - 1.16E+00	
RA-226	NOT ESTAB	8.12E-01 (4/ 4) 5.17E-01 - 9.73E-01	TRM 496.5C	9.28E-01 (2/ 2) 8.83E-01 - 9.73E-01	9.83E-01 (2/ 2) 9.32E-01 - 1.04E+00	
RA-224	NOT ESTAB	1.15E+00 (2/ 4) 7.10E-01 - 1.59E+00	TRM 496.5C	1.59E+00 (1/ 2) 1.59E+00 - 1.59E+00	1.22E+00 (2/ 2) 1.17E+00 - 1.27E+00	
TL-208	2.00E-02	3.63E-01 (4/ 4) 2.41E-01 - 4.75E-01	TRM 496.5C	4.06E-01 (2/ 2) 3.37E-01 - 4.75E-01	4.10E-01 (2/ 2) 4.08E-01 - 4.13E-01	
AC-228	6.00E-02	1.15E+00 (4/ 4) 7.48E-01 - 1.43E+00	TRM 496.5C	1.27E+00 (2/ 2) 1.11E+00 - 1.43E+00	1.20E+00 (2/ 2) 1.19E+00 - 1.22E+00	
SR 89	1.00E+00	4 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED			2 VALUES <LLD	
SR 90	3.00E-01	4 VALUES <LLD ANALYSIS PERFORMED			2 VALUES <LLD	

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-24

RADIOACTIVITY IN SHORE LINE SEDIMENT

PCI/G - 0.037 BG/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY WATTS BAR DOCKET NO. 50-390,391
 LOCATION OF FACILITY RHEA TENNESSEE REPORTING PERIOD 1988

TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
			NAME	MEAN (F)		
			DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	RANGE		
	SEE NOTE 1	SEE NOTE 2		SEE NOTE 2	SEE NOTE 2	
GAMMA (GELI)						
CS-137	4	1.00E-02	3.63E-02(2/ 2)	COTTON PORT MARI	3.63E-02(2/ 2)	8.57E-02(2/ 2)
			2.58E-02 - 4.63E-02	TRM 513	2.58E-02 - 4.63E-02	4.22E-02 - 1.29E-01
			2.57E+01(2/ 2)	COTTON PORT MARI	2.57E+01(2/ 2)	1.72E+01(2/ 2)
			2.14E+01 - 3.00E+01	TRM 513	2.14E+01 - 3.00E+01	1.22E+01 - 2.22E+01
BI-214	4.00E-02	7.82E-01(2/ 2)	COTTON PORT MARI	7.82E-01(2/ 2)	9.08E-01(2/ 2)	
BI-212	1.00E-01	6.31E-01 - 9.33E-01	TRM 513	6.31E-01 - 9.33E-01	8.71E-01 - 9.44E-01	
			COTTON PORT MARI	1.61E+00(2/ 2)	1.41E+00(2/ 2)	
PB-214	2.00E-02	1.52E+00 - 1.69E+00	TRM 513	1.52E+00 - 1.69E+00	1.39E+00 - 1.43E+00	
			COTTON PORT MARI	8.72E-01(2/ 2)	9.98E-01(2/ 2)	
PB-212	2.00E-02	7.25E-01 - 1.02E+00	TRM 513	7.25E-01 - 1.02E+00	9.95E-01 - 1.00E+00	
			COTTON PORT MARI	1.45E+00(2/ 2)	1.18E+00(2/ 2)	
RA-226	NOT ESTAB	1.38E+00 - 1.53E+00	TRM 513	1.38E+00 - 1.53E+00	1.12E+00 - 1.23E+00	
			COTTON PORT MARI	7.82E-01(2/ 2)	9.08E-01(2/ 2)	
RA-224	NOT ESTAB	6.31E-01 - 9.33E-01	TRM 513	6.31E-01 - 9.33E-01	8.71E-01 - 9.44E-01	
			COTTON PORT MARI	1.59E+00(2/ 2)	1.18E+00(1/ 2)	
BE-7	1.00E-01	1.58E+00 - 1.60E+00	TRM 513	1.58E+00 - 1.60E+00	1.18E+00 - 1.18E+00	
			COTTON PORT MARI	2.66E-01(1/ 2)	2 VALUES <LLD	
TL-208	2.00E-02	2.66E-01 - 2.66E-01	TRM 513	2.66E-01 - 2.66E-01		
			COTTON PORT MARI	5.09E-01(2/ 2)	4.10E-01(2/ 2)	
AC-228	6.00E-02	5.01E-01 - 5.17E-01	TRM 513	5.01E-01 - 5.17E-01	4.09E-01 - 4.12E-01	
			COTTON PORT MARI	1.52E+00(2/ 2)	1.24E+00(2/ 2)	
PA-234M	NOT ESTAB	1.45E+00 - 1.60E+00	TRM 513	1.45E+00 - 1.60E+00	1.16E+00 - 1.33E+00	
					3.49E+00(1/ 2)	
SR 89	1.00E+00	2 VALUES <LLD			3.49E+00 - 3.49E+00	
SR 90	3.00E-01	2 VALUES <LLD			2 VALUES <LLD	
	4	ANALYSIS PERFORMED				
	4	ANALYSIS PERFORMED				

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

TABLE H-25

RADIOACTIVITY IN CLAM FLESH

PCI/G - 0.037 BQ/G (DRY WEIGHT)

NAME OF FACILITY <u>WATTS BAR</u>				DOCKET NO. <u>50-390,391</u>			
LOCATION OF FACILITY <u>RHEA</u>				REPORTING PERIOD <u>1958</u>			
TYPE AND TOTAL NUMBER OF ANALYSIS PERFORMED	LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD)	ALL INDICATOR LOCATIONS		<u>LOCATION WITH HIGHEST ANNUAL MEAN</u>		CONTROL LOCATIONS MEAN (F) RANGE	NUMBER OF NONROUTINE REPORTED MEASUREMENTS
		MEAN (F)		NAME	MEAN (F)		
		RANGE		DISTANCE AND DIRECTION	RANGE		
		<u>SEE NOTE 1</u>	<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		<u>SEE NOTE 2</u>		
<u>GAMMA (GELI)</u>							
BI-214	2.50E-01	2.57E-01(1/ 3)	TRM 527.4	2.57E-01(1/ 2)			
		2.57E-01 - 2.57E-01	0.4 MILES DOWNST	2.57E-01 - 2.57E-01			
PB-214	2.50E-01	3.25E-01(1/ 3)	TRM 527.4	3.25E-01(1/ 2)			
		3.25E-01 - 3.25E-01	0.4 MILES DOWNST	3.25E-01 - 3.25E-01			
AC-228	NOT ESTAB	5.90E-01(1/ 3)	TRM 527.4	5.90E-01(1/ 2)			
		5.90E-01 - 5.90E-01	0.4 MILES DOWNST	5.90E-01 - 5.90E-01			

NOTE: 1. NOMINAL LOWER LIMIT OF DETECTION (LLD) AS DESCRIBED IN TABLE E-1.

NOTE: 2. MEAN AND RANGE BASED UPON DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS ONLY. FRACTION OF DETECTABLE MEASUREMENTS AT SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IS INDICATED IN PARENTHESES (F).

Figure H-1

Direct Radiation Levels
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

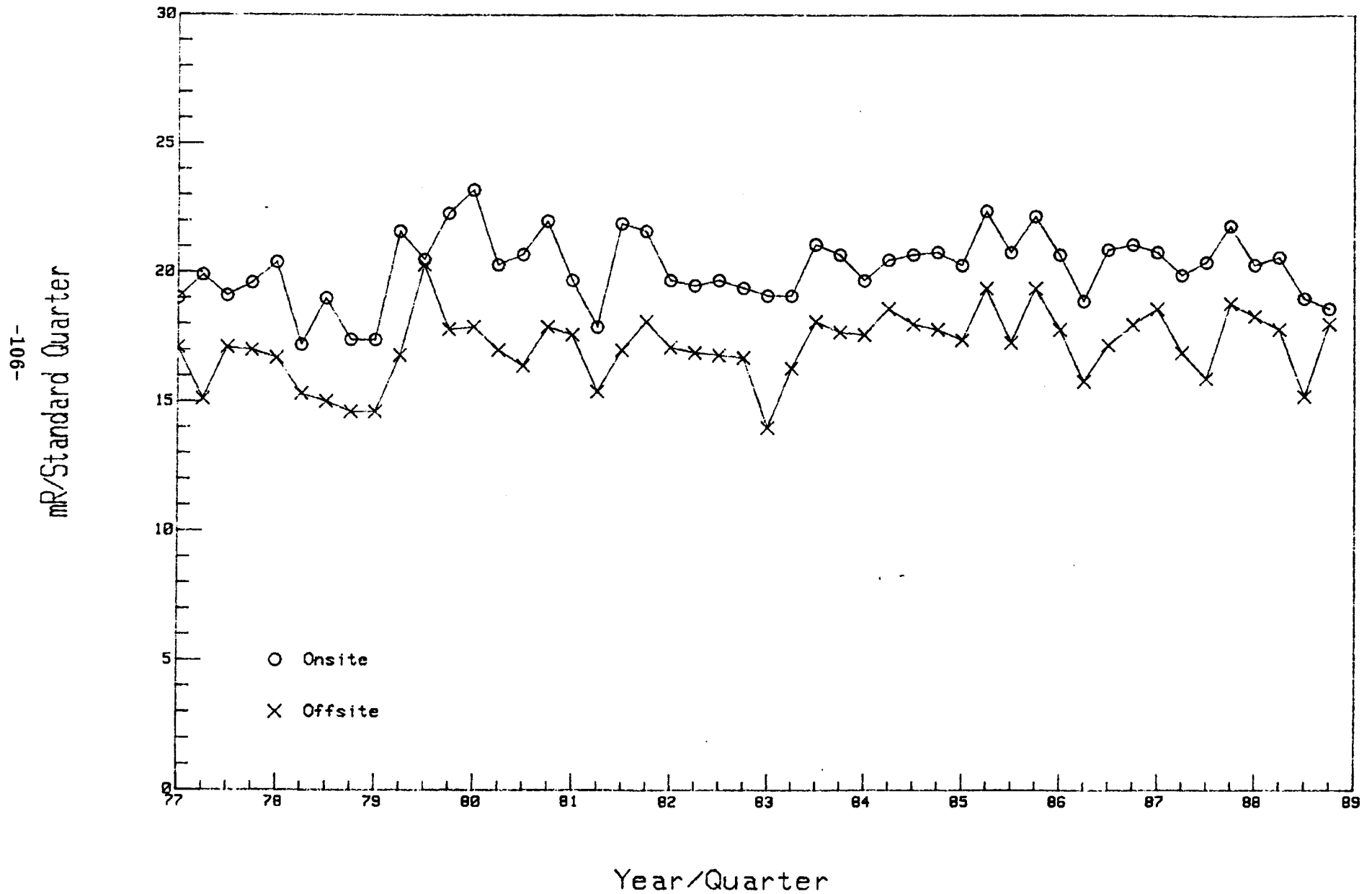


Figure H-2

Direct Radiation Levels
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant
4-Quarter Moving Average

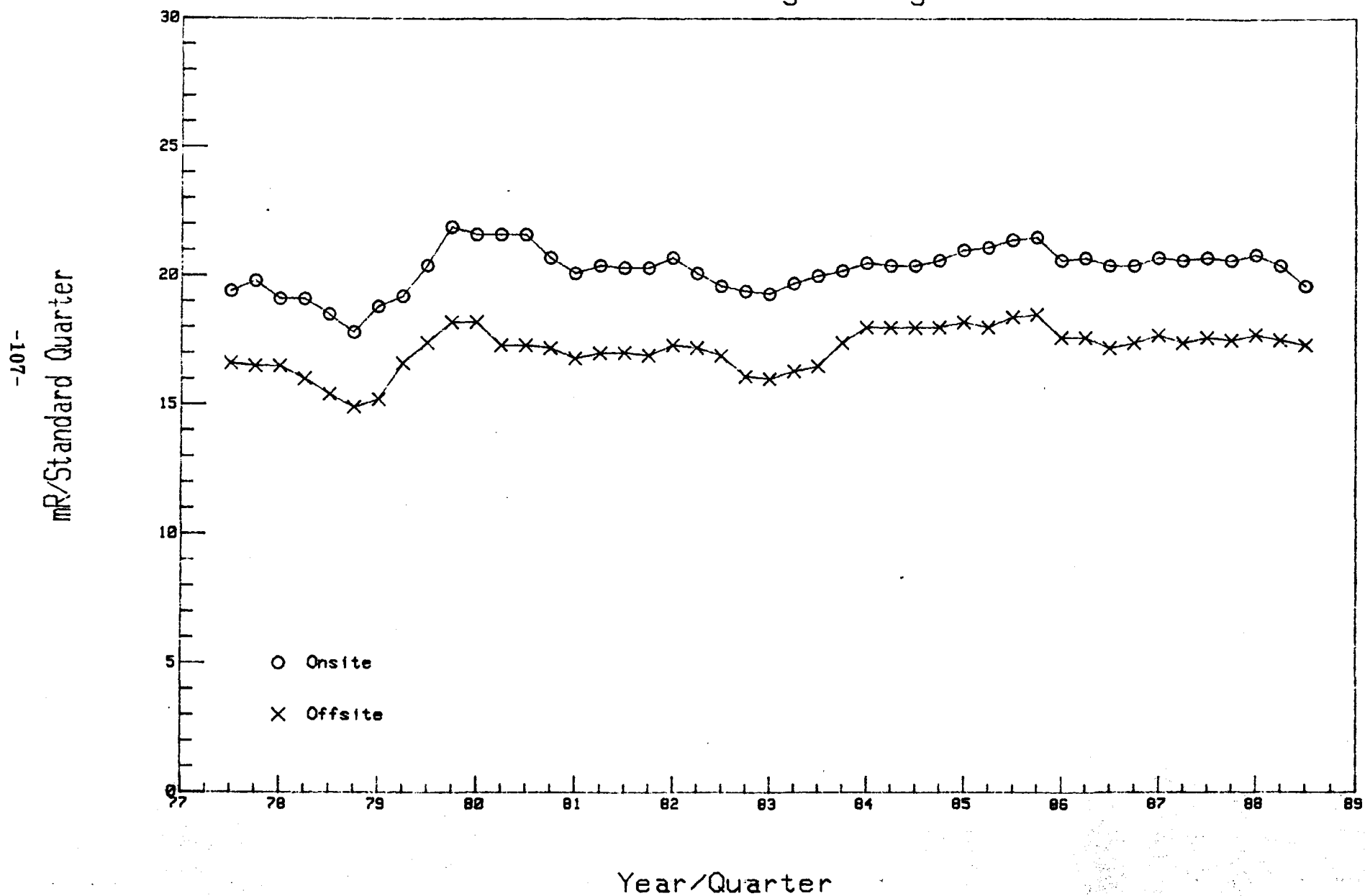


Figure H-3

Annual Average Gross Beta Activity
Air Filters (pCi/cubic meter)
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

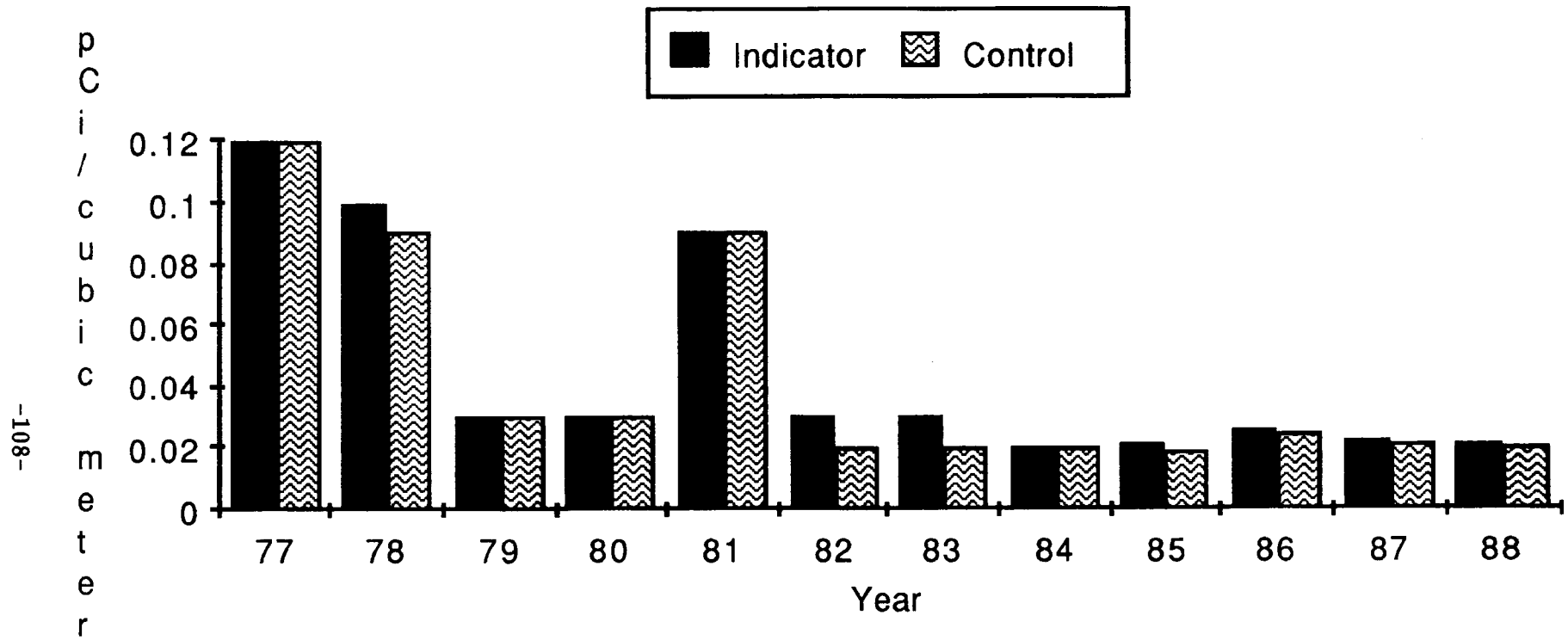
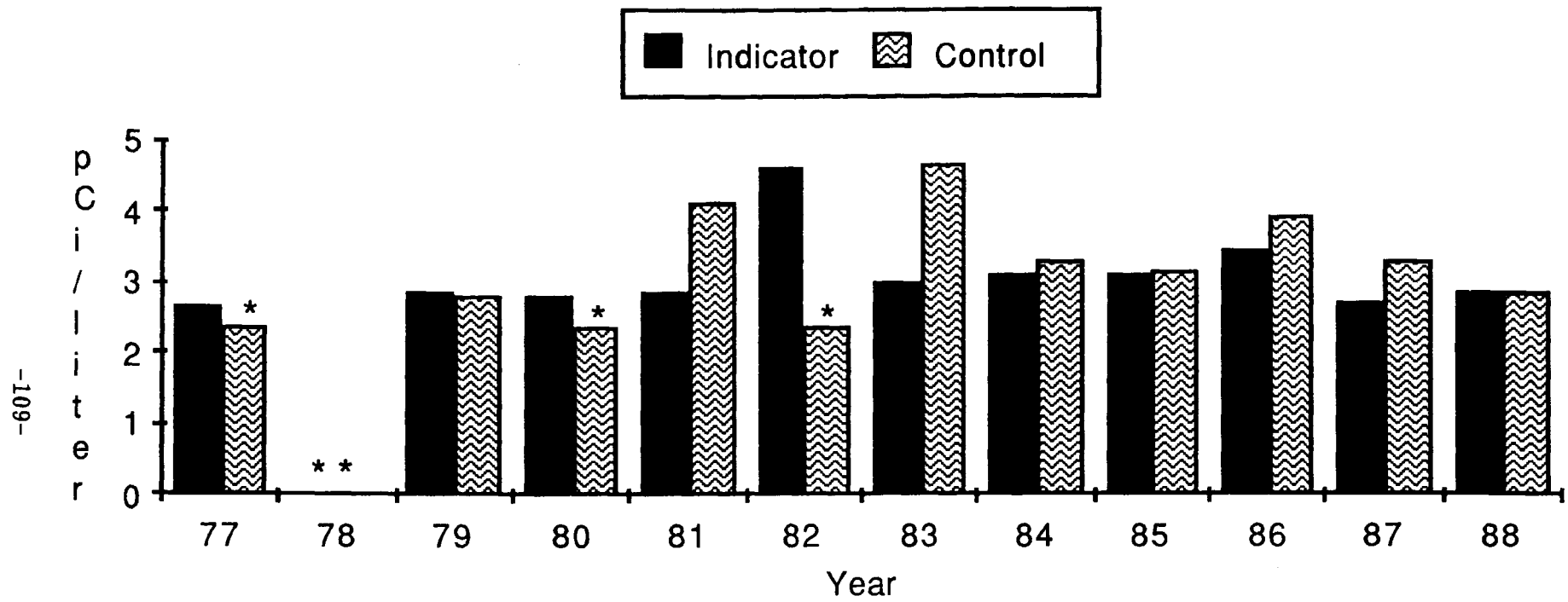


Figure H-4

Annual Average Gross Beta Activity
Surface Water (pCi/liter)
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant



* Less than LLD (2.4 pCi/liter)

** No gross beta measurements were made in 1978.

Figure H-5

Annual Average Gross Beta Activity
Drinking Water (pCi/liter)
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

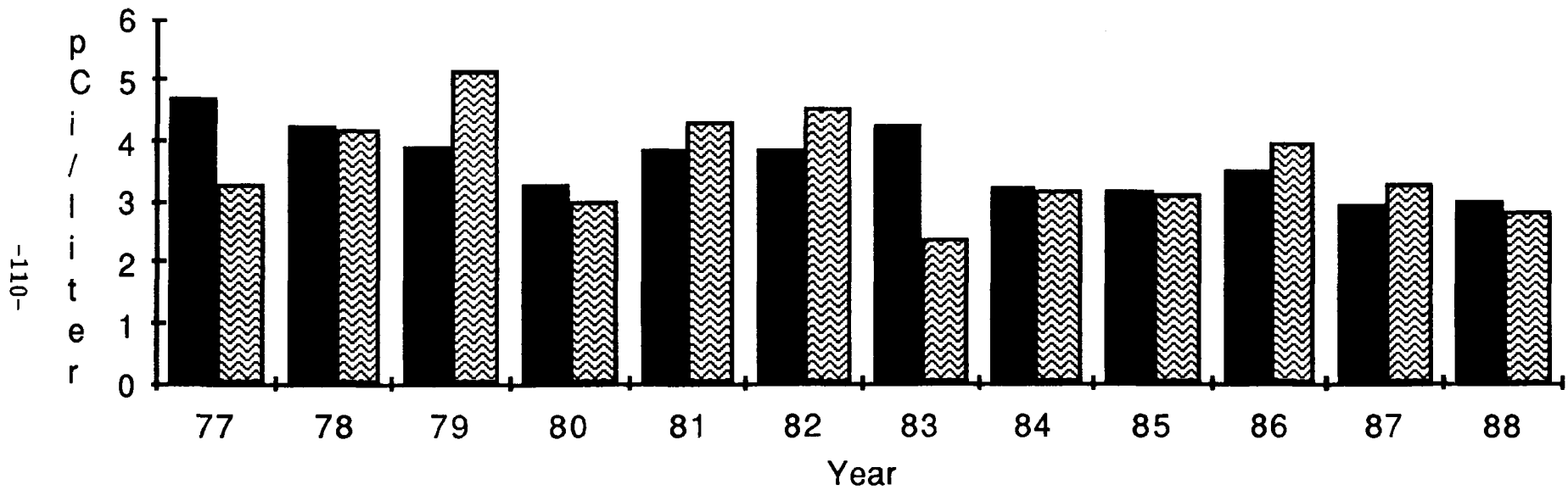


Figure H-6

Annual Average Cs-137 Activity
Sediment (pCi/g dry weight)
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

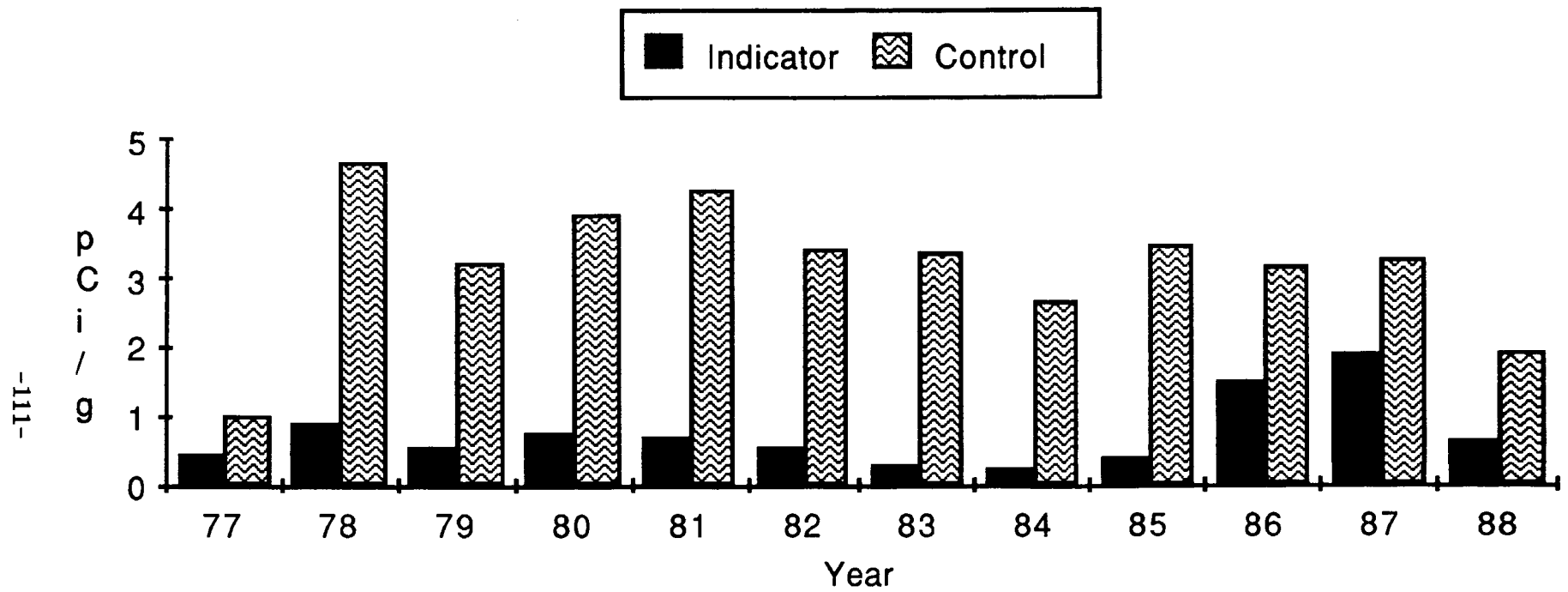


Figure H-7

Annual Average Co-60 Activity
Sediment (pCi/g dry weight)
Watts Bar Nuclear Plant

