

**Draft Submittal**  
**BROWNS FERRY**  
**EXAM 2002-301**  
**50-259, 50-260, & 50-296**

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1. Senior Reactor Operator Written Exam

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

1. 201001A2.01 001

While operating at 25% power the Unit Operator reports the following:

- CRD Pump A Breaker Disagreement White Light.
- Motor Trip Out Annunciator and Horn Received.
- 1B CRD Pump in Standby.

Which ONE of the following describes the IMMEDIATE actions to be taken for the above conditions?

- A. Start CRD pump 1B and open the CRD PUMP DISH TO UNIT 2. Adjust the CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER tapeset to adjust CRD cooling water header differential pressure to 20 psid and CRD system flow to approximately 60 gpm.
- B. Place CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER in MAN at MAXIMUM setting. Start CRD pump 1B. Open CRD PUMP DISCH TO UNIT 2. When CRD cooling water header differential pressure reaches 20 psid, and CRD system flow reaches between 45 and 75 gpm, balance CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER and place in AUTO.
- C. Start CRD pump 1B. Place CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER in MAN at MINIMUM setting. Open CRD PUMP DISCH TO UNIT 2. Adjust CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER to establish 20 psid cooling water header differential pressure. Balance CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER and place in AUTO.
- D. Place CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER in MAN at MINIMUM setting. Start CRD pump 1B. Open CRD PUMP DISCH TO UNIT 2. Adjust CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER to establish 20 psid CRD cooling water header differential pressure and CRD system flow between 40 and 65 gpm. Balance CRD SYS FLOW CONTROLLER and place in AUTO.

References: 2-AOI-85-3 Rev. 20 pg 1 and 2

NOTE: Revised some of the distractors to make them more plausible.

Also, revised stem to ensure that it is clear that these are IMMEDIATE operator actions.

- A. Incorrect since flow controller must be adjusted to minimum setting prior to starting the pump.
- B. Incorrect since flow controller must be adjusted to MINIMUM instead of MAXIMUM.
- C. Incorrect since flow controller must be adjusted to minimum setting prior to starting the pump.

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RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: CRD SYSTEM  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2  
Cog Level: MEM 3.2/3.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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2. 201006K3.01 001

The following conditions exist on Unit 3:

RWM Bypass Switch in Normal.  
Core Power level is above the Low Power Setpoint.  
The RWM program has NOT been initialized  
Control Rod 22-35 at position 18 (group limit 00-12)

Which ONE of the following is the reason that control rod 22-35 cannot be moved?

- A. Withdraw Block is in effect.
- B. Insert Block is in effect.
- C.  Select Block is in effect.
- D. Withdraw Error has occurred.

References: OPL171.024 Rev. 10 pg 13-16

A, B and D are incorrect since a Select Block is in effect due to RWM Bypass Switch in NORMAL and the RWM program has not been initiated.

C. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T2G2  
Keyword: RWM  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2  
Cog Level: C/A 3.2/3.5  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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3. 202002G2.2.3 002

Which ONE of the following choices correctly describes the response of the Unit 2 and Unit 3 reactor recirculation pump (RRP) speed control to an increase in core differential pressure?

- A. On Unit 2 the RRP speed must be manually adjusted by the operator but Unit 3 will automatically reposition the scoop tube to bring speed back to the setpoint.
- B. Both Unit 2 and Unit 3 must be manually adjusted by the operator to bring speed back to the setpoint.
- C. Unit 2 will automatically reposition the scoop tube to bring speed back to the setpoint but on Unit 3 the RRP speed must be manually adjusted by the operator.
- D. Both Unit 2 RRP and Unit 3 will automatically reposition the scoop tube to bring speed back to the setpoint.

**JUSTIFICATION**

Unit 2 and 3 speed feedback are enabled.

REF: OPL171.007, Rev. 15, Page 36

OPL171R007, Rev. 0, Page 11

RO Tier: T2G1

SRO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: RECIRC SYSTEM

Cog Level: MEM 3.1/3.3

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc:

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4. 203000A4.01 001

During a level transient on Unit 2 the following events occurred:

- RPV water level decreased to -125 inches during the transient
- ADS actuated
- RHR Pump 2A and 2B started and injected to the reactor vessel
- RPV water level is now +25 inches and increasing
- No operator actions have been taken

Which ONE of the following statements describes the RHR system response if RHR Pump 2A control switch is placed to the STOP position?

- A. ✓ RHR Pump 2A will stop and the amber auto-start lockout light will light.
- B. RHR Pump 2A will stop and the amber auto-start lockout light will extinguish.
- C. No change; RHR Pump 2A will continue to run until the LOCA initiation signal is reset.
- D. RHR Pump 2A will stop and then restart when the switch is released. The amber auto-start lockout light will not change indication.

References: OPL171.044 Rev. 10 pg 61  
Enabling Objective #13  
2-OI-74 Rev. 0107 pg 8

A. Correct answer.

B. Incorrect since the RHR system is designed to allow a pump to be secured and auto-initiation lock-out.

C. Incorrect since the amber light is the auto-init. lockout indication and will not extinguish until the LOCA signal is reset.

D. Incorrect since both sentences are incorrect.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: RHR  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 4.3/4.1  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

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5. 203000K3.02 001

Gross fuel failure is suspected on Unit 3. The crew is in *3-EOI Appendix 18 - Suppression Pool water Inventory Removal and Makeup* and have just closed *3-FCV-74-63, RHR RADWASTE SYS FLUSH VALVE*. Suppression Pool level is -2.5 inches and steady.

Which ONE of the following are the appropriate actions?

- A. Exit *3-EOI Appendix 18 - Suppression Pool water Inventory Removal and Makeup* since Suppression Pool water level is within acceptable limits.
- B. Open *3-FCV-74-63, RHR RADWASTE SYS FLUSH VALVE* and direct Suppression Pool water to Radwaste ONLY.
- C. Open *3-FCV-74-62, RHR MAIN CNDR FLUSH VALVE* and direct Suppression Pool water to the Main Condenser ONLY.
- D. Open *3-FCV-74-62, RHR MAIN CNDR FLUSH VALVE* and direct Suppression Pool water to the Main Condenser or open *3-FCV-74-63, RHR RADWASTE SYS FLUSH VALVE* and direct Suppression Pool water to Radwaste.

References: 3-EOI Appendix 18

WHEN Suppression Pool level can be maintained between -1 in. and -5.5 in. THEN EXIT this procedure.

RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: SUPPRESSION CHAMBER

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 3.5/3.5

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

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6. 204000K5.05 001

Which ONE of the following describes the signals that will close the RWCU Blowdown Valve (FCV 69-15)?

- A. Low Reactor Water Level +2", Standby Liquid Control initiation.
- B. High downstream pressure 140 psig, low upstream pressure 5 psig.
- C. High RWCU Pump Rm temp 140°F, high temp on outlet of NRHX 140°F.
- D. High flow 250 gpm, high differential pressure across valve 25 psid.

References: OPL171.013 Rev.12 pg 22-24

A,C and D Incorrect since these signals do not close the blowdown valve.

**B. Correct answer.**

RO Tier: T2G2

SRO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: RWCU SYSTEM

Cog Level: MEM 2.6/2.6

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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7. 205000A4.05 001

Unit 2 is in a refueling outage with Loop II of RHR in shutdown cooling. The RHR SYSTEM II MIN FLOW INHIBIT switch is in the INHIBIT position. The Unit Operator then places the RHR Loop II Minimum Flow Valve (2-FCV-74-30) Control Switch to the OPEN position.

Which ONE of the following describes the effect on the Minimum Flow Valve?

- A. Valve would not open.
- B. Valve would open then immediately go back closed.
- C. Valve would open regardless of RHR flow and remain open.
- D. Valve would open only if RHR flow was less than min flow closing setpoint.

References: OPL171.044 Rev. 10 pg 33 and 34  
2-OI-74 Rev. 107 pg 73  
Enabling Objective OPL171.044 #10

- A. Incorrect since valve would open and immediately close.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since valve would not remain open.
- D. Incorrect since valve would open regardless of min flow signal.

RO Tier: T2G2

SRO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: RHR SYSTEM

Cog Level: MEM 3.2/3.2

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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8. 206000A3.05 001

HPCI is operating in the pressure control mode (suction from the CST and return to the CST through FCV 73-35 and 36) when reactor water level lowers to -50".

Which ONE of the following describes HPCI response?

- A. HPCI will be unaffected and continue to operate in the pressure control mode.
- B. FCV 73-44 (inboard injection valve) opens; FCVs 73-35 and 36 remain open; HPCI does not inject to the reactor.
- C. FCV 73-44 (inboard injection valve) opens; FCVs 73-35 and 36 close; HPCI injects to the reactor.
- D. FCV 73-44 (inboard injection valve) opens; FCV 73-35 closes; FCV 73-36 remains open; HPCI injects to the reactor.

Reference: OPL171.042 Rev. 16 pg 42

- A. Incorrect since HPCI has received an initiation signal from low water level. Setpoint is -45".
- B. Incorrect since FCV's 73-35 and 36 receive a closed signal if they were open.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since both FCV's 73-35 and 36 receive a closed signal.

RO Tier: T2G1

SRO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: HPCI

Cog Level: C/A 4.3/4.3

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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9. 209001K5.05 001

Unit 3 has been at 100% RTP for the last 6 months. The Flow Rate test for HPCI is in progress to verify OPERABILITY after maintenance was performed on the system. 2-SR-3.5.1.1 (CS 1), Core Spray System Venting Loop 1 was last performed on November 15th, 2002. The UO was sent out to perform the surveillance on December 16th, 2002 and reported back that he was unable to open the High Point Vent valve (2-SHV-075-0071).

Which ONE of the following describes the consequences to Unit 3 of not being able to perform this surveillance?

- A. Loop 1 Core Spray must be declared INOPERABLE immediately and Unit 3 enters a 7 day LCO.
- B. Loop 1 Core Spray venting must be performed within 24 hours or the system declared INOPERABLE which would place Unit 3 in a 72 hour LCO.
- C. Loop 1 Core Spray venting must be performed within 7.75 days or the system declared INOPERABLE which would place Unit 3 in a 72 hour LCO.
- D. Loop 1 Core Spray venting must be performed within 7.75 days or the system declared INOPERABLE which would place Unit 3 in a 7 day LCO.

References: Tech Spec 3.5.1, ECCS-Operating  
2-SR-3.5.1.1 (CS 1) Rev. 1 pg 4 and 6

- A. Incorrect since the grace period for the surveillance hasn't expired.
- B. Incorrect since the grace period for the surveillance is 7.75 days and not 24 hours.
- C. Incorrect since by the time that the 7.75 days expire then HPCI must be OPERABLE or the unit is already shutdown.
- D. Incorrect since HPCI will be OPERABLE by the time the 7.75 days has expired.

RO Tier: T2G1

SRO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: CORE SPRAY

Cog Level: C/A 2.5/2.5

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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10. 211000K1.01 001

Which ONE of the following describes the relationship between the SLC System and the Core Spray System?

- A. The SLC sparger provides a sensing point for the Core Spray Break Detection logic.
- B. The SLC sparger provides a sensing point for the Core Spray flow indication.
- C. The Core Spray System is totally independent of the SLC System.
- D. The same Shutdown Board powers the 2B SLC Pump and the 2B Core Spray Pump.

References: OPL171.045 Rev.11 pg 13  
OPL171.039 Rev.13 pg 14,26 and 27  
Enabling Objective OPL171.039 #4

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since the sparger has no input to Core Spray flow.
- C. Incorrect since Core Spray does interact with SLC through the sparger.
- D. Incorrect since 2B Core Spray is powered from SD BD "C" and 2B SLC pump is powered from SD BD "B".

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: SLC  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.0/3.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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11. 211000K6.03 001

Which ONE of the following describes the power supply and interlocks of the SLC pumps?

- A. One pump is powered from 250V RMOV Board A and one from 480V Shutdown Board B. The pumps are electrically interlocked so that both pumps run, if available.
- B. One pump is powered from 480V Shutdown Board A and one from 480V Shutdown Board B. The pumps are electrically interlocked so that only one pump will run at a time.
- C. One pump is powered from 250V RMOV Board A and one from 480V Shutdown Board B. The pumps are electrically interlocked so that only one pump will run at a time.
- D. One pump is powered from 480V Shutdown Board A and one from 480V Shutdown Board B. The pumps are electrically interlocked so that both pumps run, if available.

250 VDC is control power for the valves.

Two 100% capacity, triplex, positive displacement piston pumps powered from 480V Shutdown Bds A and B respectively are installed in parallel. The pumps are electrically interlocked so that only one pump can be run at a time to prevent overpressurization of the system.. This is accomplished by B-finger contacts in the start circuit of the running pump, opening contacts in the start circuit of the idle pump.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: SBLC  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.2/3.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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12. 212000A1.08 001

Unit 3 scrambled due to a spurious Group 1 isolation. The Mode Switch is in Shutdown and all rods are inserted. Reactor water level has been restored to the normal operating band. The Unit Supervisor has ordered the Reactor Operator to reset the scram.

Which ONE of the following describes the status of the Backup Scram Valves when the Reactor Operator moves the "Reset" switch to the right?

Both Backup Scram Valves should be...

- A. energized and OPEN.
- B. de-energized and CLOSED.
- C. energized and CLOSED.
- D. de-energized and OPEN.

References: OPL171.028 Rev.13 pg 22

A,C and D are incorrect since the Backup Scram Valves should be de-energized and CLOSED.

B. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: RPS  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.4/3.4  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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13. 214000K4.01 001

Which ONE of the following statements describes the operation of the Rod Position Information System (RPIS)?

- A. If both of the S52 and S00 normal full-in reed switches are closed the full core display will be backlit green and display 00.
- B. The S48 full-out digital display reed switches also supply rod position input signals to the "CONTROL ROD OVERTRAVEL" alarm.
- C. On an uncoupled control rod, the full core display will show position 49 and no red backlight if the rod is withdrawn to the overtravel position.
- D. When a CRD is driven beyond the full-in position the S51 over-travel reed switch will be actuated. The full-core digital display for that rod will display 00 and be backlit green.

References: OPL171.029 Rev. 9 pg 19 and 20.

A. *Correct answer.*

B. Incorrect since the S50 switch provided indication for Rod Overtravel.

C. Incorrect since there is no position indication for an uncoupled control rod.

D. Incorrect since overtravel beyond full-in is --.

RO Tier: T2G2

SRO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: RPIS SYSTEM

Cog Level: MEM 3.0/3.1

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc:

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14. 215004K4.01 001

A reactor startup is in progress on Unit 2 with the following conditions:

Mode Switch is in START/HOT STBY  
IRM A is on range 2 with all other IRM's on range 3  
The SRM's are partially withdrawn  
SRM count rate ranges between 80 and 90 cps

The Reactor Operator attempts to withdraw control rod 24-33 but it will not move.

Which ONE of the following is the reason why the rod cannot be withdrawn?

- A. SRM Downscale rod block.
- B. ✓ Detector Wrong Position rod block.
- C. SRM Hi rod block.
- D. SRM Inop rod block.

References: OPL171.019 Rev.6 pg 21 and 22  
Enabling Objective OPL171.019 #8

- A. Incorrect since the SRM downscale rod block is <5 cps.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since the SRM Hi rod block is  $6.8 \times 10^4$
- D. Incorrect since SRM's are not INOP.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: SRM  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 3.7/3.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

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15. 215005K3.01 001

Which ONE of the following Mode Switch position and Nuclear Instrumentation signal combinations will cause ONLY a REACTOR CHANNEL "A" AUTO SCRAM?

- A. RUN; 2/4 Voter A1 in TEST.
- B. STARTUP; 2/4 Voter B2 in TEST.
- C. RUN; IRM "G" Upscale.
- D. STARTUP; Channel 2 OPRM PBA Trip and Channel 4 OPRM GBA Trip.

References: Tech Specs 3.3.1.1-1 pg 3.3-7 and 3.3-8  
OPL171.148 Rev.7 pg 24-56

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Only required in Mode 1.
- C. Incorrect since IRM Hi does not generate trip with Mode Switch in Run.
- D. Only required in Mode 1.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: APRM  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: MEM 4.0/4.0  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

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16. 216000A2.14 001

During a startup the operators begin to raise recirculation pump flow.

How does raising recirc flow from 50% to 65% affect the Panel 9-5 RPV level indicators?

- A. Emergency range indicated level will trend downward.
- B. Narrow range indicated level will trend upward.
- C. Emergency range indicated level will trend upward.
- D. Narrow range indicated level will trend downward.

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RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: LEVEL INSTRUMENTS

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 2.9/2.9

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

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17. 217000K2.02 001

Unit 2 is operating at 100% RTP when the 250VDC Reactor MOV Board B Logic Bus A de-energizes. An operator has been sent to investigate and reports that the feed breaker has failed.

Which ONE of the following describes the operation of HPCI and RCIC if reactor water level decreases to -45" under these conditions?

- A. HPCI and RCIC will both automatically initiate but will not auto isolate if needed.
- B. HPCI will automatically initiate but will not auto isolate if needed and RCIC will not automatically initiate.
- C. Both HPCI and RCIC will not initiate automatically but may be operated manually.
- D. HPCI will not automatically initiate and RCIC will automatically initiate but will not auto isolate if needed.

References: 2-ARP-9-3F pg 4  
2-ARP-9-3C pg 2

- A. Incorrect since RCIC initiation logic will not work.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since HPCI will still initiate automatically.
- D. Incorrect since HPCI will automatically initiate and RCIC will NOT automatically initiate.

**NOTE: RCIC and HPCI receive an initiation signal when RWL reaches -45".**

|          |             |            |             |
|----------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| RO Tier: | T2G1        | SRO Tier:  | T2G1        |
| Keyword: | RCIC SYSTEM | Cog Level: | C/A 2.8/2.9 |
| Source:  | N           | Exam:      | BF02301     |
| Test:    | C           | Misc:      | TCK         |

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18. 218000K6.06 001

Various electrical malfunctions have occurred on Unit 2. Existing conditions are as noted:

- 480V S/D Bd 2A deenergized
- 480V RMOV Bd 2C deenergized
- 250V RMOV Bd 2B deenergized

Which ONE of the following identifies the systems that are still available?

- A. ADS, HPCI, RCIC
- B. CS Loop I, RHR I, RCIC
- C. RHR Loop I, ADS, HPCI
- D. CS Loop II, RHR Loop II, HPCI

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: 480V DISTRIBUTION  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 3.4/3.6  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

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19. 223001A2.11 001

Unit 3 is being shutdown due to Suppression Chamber water level outside the Tech Spec operating band. The following conditions exist for Unit 3:

|                           |                                       |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Reactor Power             | 23% RTP                               |
| Suppression Chamber level | 15 feet increasing at 1 ft/15 minutes |
| Current Time              | 0800                                  |
| Drywell Pressure          | 1.5 psig (venting)                    |

Predict which ONE of the following actions will be required per EOI-2 Primary Containment Control.

(Refer to EOI-2 Primary Containment Control)

- A. Be in Mode 3 within 12 hours and in Mode 4 within 36 hours.
- B. ✓ Scram the reactor and lower RPV pressure <900 psig by 0830.
- C. Commence Emergency Depressurization when Suppression Chamber level exceeds 18 feet.
- D. Scram the reactor and secure venting the containment.

References: EOI-2 Primary Containment Control Rev.6

A. Incorrect since EOI-2 doesn't direct when to be in Mode 3 or Mode 4.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since when the 18 ft level is reached then EOI-2 directs you to determine if the Curve 4 parameters can be maintained in the safe region.

D. Incorrect since EOI-2 doesn't direct securing containment venting.

RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: SUPPRESSION CHAMBER

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 3.6/3.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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20. 223002K3.16 001

Unit 3 is in a refueling outage with Shutdown Cooling in operation on RHR Sys II. A spurious Group II isolation is initiated by the Instrument Techs while performing a surveillance. All isolation actions operate as designed.

Which ONE of the following describes the actions to take to allow re-opening 3-FCV-74-67, RHR SYS II LPCI INBD INJECT VLV?

- A. Isolation signal has been reset AND either Shutdown Cooling Suction Valve is fully closed.
- B. RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton is depressed followed by the group II isolation signal being reset.
- C. Either Shutdown Cooling Suction Valve fully closed followed by the RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton being depressed.
- D. RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton is depressed followed by either Shutdown Cooling Suction Valve being fully closed.

References: 3-OI-74 Rev.52 pf 12  
Enabling Objective OPL171.044 Rev.10 #B10

A. Incorrect since RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton must be depressed after either of the listed conditions clears.

B. Incorrect since RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton must be depressed AFTER the condition clears.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since RHR SYS II SD CLG INBD INJECT ISOL RESET pushbutton must be depressed AFTER the condition clears.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: RHR SYSTEM  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 3.2/3.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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21. 226001K1.09 001

Unit 3 is at 90% RTP when a LOCA occurs. The following conditions are present in the Containment:

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Drywell Pressure             | 12.5 psig |
| Drywell Temperature          | 260°F     |
| Suppression Pool Level       | 16 ft     |
| Suppression Pool Temperature | 150°F     |

The Unit Supervisor has ordered Drywell Sprays to be initiated per *EOI-2, Primary Containment Control*.

Which ONE of the following describes the affect on Containment when Drywell Sprays are initiated? (Assume Suppression Chamber sprays have been initiated)

- A. A large rapid reduction in Drywell pressure followed by the opening of the Reactor Building to Suppression Chamber vacuum breakers followed by the opening of the Suppression Chamber to Drywell vacuum breakers.
- B. A slow reduction in Drywell pressure followed by the opening of the Reactor Building to Suppression Chamber vacuum breakers followed by the opening of the Suppression Chamber to Drywell vacuum breakers.
- C. A slow reduction in Drywell pressure followed by the opening of the Suppression Chamber to Drywell vacuum breakers followed by the opening of the Reactor Building to Suppression Chamber vacuum breakers.
- D. A large rapid reduction in Drywell pressure followed by the opening of the Suppression Chamber to Drywell vacuum breakers followed by the opening of the Reactor Building to Suppression Chamber vacuum breakers.

References: OPL171.044 Rev.10 pg 59

- A. Incorrect since the Suppression Chamber to Drywell vacuum breakers open first.
- B. Incorrect since the pressure reduction is rapid due to mainly steam in the Drywell.
- C. Incorrect since the pressure reduction is rapid due to mainly steam in the Drywell.
- D. Correct answer.

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RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: SUPPRESSION CHAMBER

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 3.0/3.1

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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22. 233000K1.02 001

Which ONE of the following is CORRECT regarding RHR Supplemental Fuel Pool Cooling?

- A. The RHR pumps are preferred for use in this mode over the RHR drain pumps.
- B. RHR Drain Pump B cannot be used to provide flow.
- C. Should only be used when required to maintain Fuel Pool temperature below 125°F.
- D. RHR pump suction is taken from the fuel pool cooling pump discharge line.

References: OPL171.052 page 25  
2-OI-74 Rev. 107 pg 94  
Enabling Objective #6

- A. Incorrect since the drain pumps are preferred for use over the RHR pumps.
- B. Incorrect since RHR Drain Pump B can be used for this function.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since the suction is taken from the Skimmer Surge Tank outlet.

Changed the correct answer to a totally different answer.

RO Tier: T2G3

SRO Tier: T2G3

Keyword: FUEL POOL COOLING

Cog Level: MEM 2.9/3.0

Source: M

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

23. 239001K5.08 001

DC power has been lost to a MSIV solenoid valve.

Which ONE of the following describes the effect on the MSIV?

- A. The valve will close if open.
- B. The valve will remain open if open.
- C. The valve cannot be opened if closed.
- D. The slow closure capability of the valve is lost.

References: OPL171.009 Rev.8 pg 26

NOTE: Modified the stem slightly and reordered answers.

- A. Incorrect since the AC and DC solenoids must de-energize to close the valve.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since only ONE of the solenoid valves must be energized to operate the valve.
- D. Incorrect since the solenoid valves do not affect the testing circuit.

RO Tier: T2G2  
Keyword: MAIN STEAM  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G3  
Cog Level: MEM 2.6/2.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

24. 239002K5.04 001

The following plant conditions exist:

Reactor Power            100% RTP  
Reactor Pressure        1000 psig  
Safety Relief Valve (SRV) 1-4 has lifted and failed to reseal.

Which ONE of the following SRV tailpipe temperatures would you expect to see on the SRV that failed to close? (References attached)

- A. 212°F
- B. 290°F
- C. 345°F
- D. 545°F

**JUSTIFICATION**

A. Incorrect since this is saturation temperature for steam at tailpipe pressure (atmospheric).

B. Correct answer. This is a throttling process and is therefore isenthalpic.

C. 340°F would be incorrectly determined if the candidate considered the process to be isenthalpic to the saturation line, then followed the constant superheat line to atmospheric pressure.

D. Incorrect since this is saturation temperature for reactor pressure.

RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: RELIEF VALVE

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 3.3/3.5

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

25. 241000A4.11 001

Which ONE of the following is the controlling parameter that is illuminated on the Turbine Control Panel during a turbine roll to 1800 rpm?

- A. Valve position.
- B. Pressure.
- C. Speed.
- D. Load.

References: OPL171.228 Rev. 0 pg  
Enabling Objective OPL171.228 #9

A, B and D are incorrect since SPEED is the controlling parameter until the turbine reaches "AT SET SPEED".

C. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T2G1  
Keyword: EHC SYSTEM  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 3.1/3.1  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

26. 245000K5.03 001

The main turbine shell is being warmed in accordance with GOI-100-1A, Unit Startup and Power Operation and OI-47, Turbine Generator System.

Which one of the following is the correct turbine valve configuration?

| CONTROL VALVES | STOP VALVES                     | INTRCPT STOPS | INTRCPT CONTROL |
|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| A. Full open   | 1,3 & 4 closed<br>(# 2 BP open) | Full closed   | Full open       |
| B. Full open   | 1,3 & 4 closed<br>(#2 BP open)  | Full closed   | Full closed     |
| C. Full closed | Full closed                     | Full open     | Full open       |
| D. Full open   | Full open                       | Full open     | Full closed     |

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RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: TURBINE CONTROLS

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: C/A 2.6/2.6

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

27. 259001A1.01 001

Unit 2 is at 100% RTP. A heater tube leak activates alarm 2-LA-6-4, *HEATER A2 LEVEL HIGH*. The Operator checks the ICS screen and verifies a valid HIGH HIGH (Red) level. Heater level continues to rise.

Which ONE of the following describes the required Operator action and the response of the plant?

- A. The Operator should be directed reduce Core Thermal Power and verify 2A2 heater high level dump valve to the main condenser OPENS.
- B. The Operator should be directed to hold power constant and verify the 2A2 high level dump valve to the heater drain cooler OPENS.
- C. The Operator should be directed to reduce Core Thermal Power and verify HP Heater 2A1 extraction isolation valve is OPEN.
- D. The Operator should be directed to hold power constant and verify the drain inle flow from the 2A2 heater to the 2A1 heater is isolated.

References: 2-ARP-9-6A Rev.16 pg 10

Note: Modified from a question on the last exam.

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since core thermal power should be lowered.
- C. Incorrect since the drain for the 2A2 heater to the 2A1 heater should be open.
- D. Incorrect since core thermal power should be lowered.

RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: FEEDWATER HEATERS

Source: M

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: C/A 3.3/3.3

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

28. 262001K4.06 001

Unit 2 is operating at 100% RTP.

- A combination of errors cause an inadvertent Group 1 and Group 4 isolation.
- A loss of I&C 2A also occurs. Panel 9-9 cabinet 2 does not transfer.
- Reactor Water Level is currently at 22".
- The causing event for the group isolations is quickly corrected, however I&C cannot be restored.

Which ONE of the following lists the systems that can be utilized immediately to restore reactor water level?

- A. RCIC and CRD only.
- B. HPCI , RCIC and CRD.
- C. Core Spray, HPCI, and RCIC.
- D. Reactor Feed Pumps, RCIC and CRD.

References: 2-AOI-57-5A, Rev. 37 pg 2 and 3

Bank question - Revised answers slightly and reworded last portion of stem.

A. Incorrect since HPCI is also available for injection since the Group 4 isolation is able to be reset even with a loss of I&C A.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since Core Spray cannot be used with reactor at normal operating pressure.

D. Incorrect since Reactor Feedwater Pumps are not available due to Group 1 isolation not being able to be reset until I&C A is restored.

RO Tier: T2G2

SRO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: AC DISTRIBUTION

Cog Level: C/A 3.6/3.9

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

29. 262002K6.02 001

Unit 2 UPS Distribution Bus Battery Board 2 Panel 11 has just de-energized.

Which ONE of the following describes the effect this has on the equipment that is supplied by Panel 9-9 Cabinet 6?

- A. The equipment is de-energized until power to Panel 9-9 Cabinet 6 is manually transferred to Batt Bd 3 Panel 11.
- B. The equipment is de-energized until power is restored to Batt Bd 2 Panel 11.
- C. The equipment remains energized due to power supply to Panel 9-9 Cabinet 6 auto transfers to Batt Bd 3 Panel 11.
- D. The equipment remains energized due to MMG power supply automatically transferring to its 250VDC supply.

References: OPL171.102 Rev.4 pg 14 and 15  
Enabling Objective OPL171.102 #2a and 2b

- A. Incorrect since the equipment remains energized due to auto transfer.
- B. Incorrect since the equipment remains energized due to auto transfer.
- C. Correct answer.
- d. Incorrect since the MMG set power supply does not affect the power to Panel 9-9.

RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: 480V DISTRIBUTION

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: MEM 2.8/3.1

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

30. 263000K1.04 001

The Unit 2 Unit Operator receives alarm *BAT BD 2 BKR TRIP/OUT/FUSE BLOWN OR GROUND*.

Which ONE of the following describes where the Field Operator would be sent to check for a ground?

- A. Battery Board Room No. 2, 250V Charger 2A panel.
- B. 250V DC Distribution Panel SBA.
- C. Battery Board Room No. 2, Panel 1.
- D. 4KV Shutdown Bd 250V DC Distribution Panel SD-3EB.

References: 2-ARP-9-8C Page 8 Tile #7  
0-OI-57D Rev.62 Pg 42, 46 and 47.

C. Correct answer.

A, B and D. Plausible distractors.

RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: GROUND DETECTION

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: MEM 2.6/2.9

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

31. 264000A1.03 001

Diesel Generator 3A is synchronized to 4KV Shut Down Board 3A. The instrumentation readings for the diesel generator are as follows:

voltage: 4160 VAC

frequency = 59.8

current = 340 amps

vars = 1600 Kvars

watts = 2585 KW

oil temp = 145°F

Which ONE of the following actions are required if the diesel is expected to be operated for an extended period?

- A. The operator must take the voltage regulator control switch to raise to avoid excessive stator currents.
- B. The operator must take the voltage regulator control switch to lower to avoid excessive stator currents.
- C. The operator must take the governor control switch to lower to avoid excessive field current.
- D. The operator must take the governor control switch to raise to avoid excessive field current.

References: OI-82

OPL171.038 Rev. 9, page 31

RO Tier: T2G1

Keyword: DIESEL GENERATOR

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: C/A 2.8/2.9

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

32. 268000A4.01 001

Given the following information along with 2-SR-2, *Instrument Checks and Observation Rev.29 pg 20*:

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Unit 2 has been at 100% RTP for 3 weeks. |         |
| Current 2-FQ-77-6 Reading at 0800        | 63624.3 |
| Previous Days 2-FQ-77-6 Reading at 0800  | 63125.4 |
| Previous Days Leakrate                   | .34 gpm |

Which ONE of the following describes the status of the LEAKAGE limits?

- A. No limits are being exceeded.
- B. ✓ Increase in unidentified LEAKAGE limit is being exceeded.
- C. Unidentified LEAKAGE limit is being exceeded.
- D. Increase in unidentified LEAKAGE and unidentified LEAKAGE limit are both being exceeded.

References: 2-SR-2 Rev.29 pg 20

A. Incorrect since increase in LEAKAGE limit is being exceeded at 3.12 gpm. Limit is  $\leq 2$  gpm. If use decimal point when subtracting readings then this would be the answer that the student would get. Procedure says to ignore decimal point.

B. Correct answer. Increase in LEAKAGE is at 3.12 gpm and limit is  $\leq 2$  gpm.

C. Incorrect since the increase in LEAKAGE is the only limit not met.

D. Incorrect since the increase in LEAKAGE is the only limit not met.

RO Tier: T2G3

SRO Tier: T2G3

Keyword: LEAKAGE LIMITS

Cog Level: C/A 3.4/3.6

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

33. 271000K3.02 001

Which ONE of the following describes the effect on Offsite Release Rates and the reason why if the Off-Gas System Glycol pumps fail?

- A. Offsite Release Rates will INCREASE due to the Charcoal Adsorbers becoming less efficient.
- B. Offsite Release Rates will DECREASE due to better H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Recombination.
- C. Offsite Release Rates will INCREASE due to the Off-Gas Condenser becoming less efficient.
- D. Offsite Release Rates will DECREASE due to the Charcoal Adsorbers becoming more efficient.

References: OPL171.030 Rev. 13 Pg 29 and 31

A. Correct answer. The glycol cools the Cooler Condenser which is used to remove moisture from the gases entering the Charcoal Adsorbers. Water is a poison to the adsorbers so if the gases contain more moisture then the adsorbers are less efficient.

B. Incorrect since the glycol system has no affect on the Recombiners.

C. Incorrect since the Condensate System supplies cooling to the Off-Gas condenser.

D. Incorrect since the Charcoal Adsorbers become less efficient.

RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: OFF-GAS SYSTEM

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: C/A 3.3/3.9

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

34. 286000A3.01 001

The following conditions currently exist on Unit 2:

- A fire at one station service transformer has actuated the water spray system.
- Fire header pressure has been 115 psig for 35 seconds after the spray system actuated.
- All system controls are in a normal lineup.

Based on these conditions, the diesel fire pump....

- A. and all three electric fire pumps are operating.
- B. and two of the three electric fire pumps are operating.
- C. is in standby and all three electric fire pumps are operating.
- D. and two electric fire pumps are in standby; the selected electric fire pump is operating.

References: OPL171.049 Rev. 12 pg 43  
Enabling Objective (HLT) 5  
0-OI-26 Rev. 55 pg 10

A. Incorrect since the diesel fire pump doesn't start until 45 seconds after pressure is below 120#.

B. Incorrect since the diesel fire pump doesn't start until 45 seconds after pressure is below 120#.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since all of the electric fire pumps should be running.

RO Tier: T2G2

SRO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: FIRE PROTECTION

Cog Level: C/A 3.4/3.4

Source: M

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

35. 290001A3.01 001

Which ONE of the following conditions will cause the Reactor Bldg ventilation fans to trip and isolate?

- A. Reactor water level reaches +14 inches on a scram.
- B. Drywell pressure reaches 2.3 psig before the Drywell can be vented.
- C. Reactor Bldg static pressure reaches +.6 inches of water due to high winds.
- D. Reactor Zone exhaust duct radiation level reaches 62 mR/hr due to a steam leak.

References: OPL171.016 Rev.12 pg 62 and 63

- A. Incorrect since the isolation setpoint for RWL is +11.2".
- B. Incorrect since the isolation setpoint for Drywell High pressure is +2.45 psig.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since the isolation setpoint for exhaust duct hi rads is 72 mR/hr.

RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: SECONDARY CONTAINMEN

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G1

Cog Level: MEM 3.9/4.0

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

36. 290002K4.03 001

Which ONE of the following describes the design and purpose of the orificing in the lower section of the reactor core?

- A. All orifices are the same size to ensure all bundles have the same flow.
- B. The interior bundles have more orifices to ensure equalized core flow at high power levels.
- C. Center portions of the core have smaller orifices to ensure the neutron thermalization is equalized across the core.
- D. The outer portions of the core have smaller orifices to ensure adequate cooling in the interior fuel bundles at high power levels.

References: OPL171.002 Rev.5 pg 24-26  
Enabling Objective OPL171.002 #2

- A. Incorrect since all orifices are not the same size.
- B. Incorrect since more orifices are not provided but larger orifices are provided.
- C. Incorrect since center orifices are larger than outer orifices.
- D. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T2G3

SRO Tier: T2G3

Keyword: VESSEL INTERNALS

Cog Level: MEM 3.2/3.3

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

37. 295002AA1.05 001

The following plant conditions exist on Unit 2:

- Reactor mode switch:    **STARTUP/HOT STANDBY**
- Main turbine:            **Shell warming**
- Feedwater lineup:       **RFP A maintaining level in single element**

Which ONE of the following statements describes the expected sequence of actions as a condensate system leak causes condenser vacuum to decrease from 24 inches Hg Vacuum to atmospheric pressure?

- A. The RFP turbine trips, then later, the turbine bypass valves close, followed by a reactor scram on low condenser vacuum.
- B. The RFP turbine trips and the main turbine bypass valves close at the same time, then later, the Main Turbine trips.
- C. The Main Turbine trips, then later, the RFP turbine trips and the main turbine bypass valves close at the same time.
- D. The Main Turbine trips and the reactor scrams in response to the turbine trip, then later, the RFP turbine trips and Main Turbine bypass valves close at the same time.

**JUSTIFICATION**

- a. There is no reactor scram on low main condenser vacuum.
- b. A true statement at 7" Hg Vac; however, this is preceded by a main turbine trip at 21" Hg Vac.
- c. Correct answer.
- d. The reactor won't trip on a turbine trip below 30% RTP.

RO Tier:    T1G2

SRO Tier:  T1G2

Keyword:   MAIN TURBINE

Cog Level:  C/A 3.2/3.2

Source:     B

Exam:       BF02301

Test:       C

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

38. 295003AK1.02 001

Unit 2 is at 100% power and has a special test in progress with the C D/G tied to 4KV SD Bd C as the sole source. The following occurs:

MSIVs go closed due to high steam tunnel temperature.

All rods do not insert.

Reactor pressure is 800 psig.

Reactor power is 2.5%.

Reactor level is -45".

If reactor water level decreased to -122 inches, which ONE of the following describes the effect this would have on the RBCCW system?

- A. Both pumps trip, 2A will auto restart in 40 seconds.
- B. RBCCW pump 2B will trip, pump 2A not effected.
- C. Both pumps trip and auto restart in 40 seconds.
- D. No effect on the system.

References: OPL171.072 Rev. 8 pg 7 & 15

Enabling Objective OPL171.072 #4

Bank Question - Comment: 480V load shed will occur due to C diesel, only 2A pump auto restarts.

A. Correct answer since the D/G is the sole power supply to the Shutdown Board and water level reaches 122".

B. Incorrect since both pumps trip and the 2A restarts after 40 seconds.

C. Incorrect since the 2B pump restarts automatically only if the 2A pump fails to start.

D. Incorrect since the RBCCW pumps trip due to D/G tied to the Shutdown Board and water level reaches -122".

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: LOAD SHED

Cog Level: C/A 3.1/3.2

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

39. 295004AA1.03 001

Unit 2 was operating at 100% power when a reactor scram occurs. The following plant conditions exist:

Main turbine is tripped.  
Main generator PCBs are closed.  
Position indication for DC powered RCIC valves is out.  
CORE SPRAY SYS I LOGIC POWER FAILURE annunciator is lit.

Which ONE of the following is the likely cause of this event?

- A. Loss of 250 VDC RMOV Bd "A".
- B. Loss of 250 VDC RMOV Bd "B".
- C. Loss of 250 VDC RMOV Bd "C".
- D. Loss of 250 VDC Turb Bldg Dist. Bd 2.

References: 2-ARP-9-8C #11  
0-OI-57D Rev.

This is a bank question. B is the correct answer. Not verified yet.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: 250 VDC  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: MEM 3.21/3.5  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:



**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

41. 295008AK1.02 001

The Unit 3 reactor has received a spurious scram signal. During recovery actions the crew identifies that reactor water level is +117 inches. Reactor pressure is stable at 780 psig.

Based on this condition, which ONE of the following actions should the operators immediately perform?

- A. Reduce reactor water level using RWCU.
- B. Trip any operating CRD pump.
- C. Isolate HPCI and RCIC.
- D. Close the MSIVs.

References: 3-OI-1 Rev. 0017 pg 6

Added reactor pressure in the stem for clarification.

- A. Incorrect since this does not need to be performed immediately. Throttle condensate or trip RFP's as necessary to control RWL.
- B. Incorrect since CRD mechanisms still need to be cooled. Procedures direct to secure feedwater along with other injection systems.
- C. Incorrect since these systems should have isolated on Hi water level.
- D. Correct answer since the water level is above the main steam lines and reactor pressure is greater than 50 psig.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: MSIV  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: C/A 2.8/2.8  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

42. 295009AK2.01 001

Unit 2 is making preparations to perform a startup after a maintenance outage. Reactor vessel level is being maintained at +33" with Shutdown Cooling still in service. Both Recirc Pumps are on at minimum speed.

Which ONE of the following is the most accurate level indicator under these conditions?

- A. LI 3-53 (0 to +60) on the 9-5 panel.
- B. LI 3-58A (-155 to +60) on the 9-5 panel.
- C. LI 3-55 (0 to +400) on the 9-3 panel.
- D. LI 3-52 (-268 to +32) on the 9-3 panel.

References: OPL171.003 Rev. 15 pg 19-21

A. Incorrect since instrument is calibrated at normal operating temperatures and pressures.

B. Incorrect since instrument is calibrated at normal operating temperatures and pressures.

C. Correct answer since the instrument is calibrated under cold conditions.

D. Incorrect since level band does not reach +33 inches.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: LEVEL INSTRUMENTS

Cog Level: C/A 3.9/4.0

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

43. 295010AA1.01 001

Which ONE of the following conditions would prevent the Drywell Air Cooler fans from operating?

- A. Drywell pressure at 2.25 psig with reactor pressure at 435 psig.
- B. Reactor water level at -110" with reactor pressure at 425 psig.
- C. Reactor water level at +1" with reactor pressure at 475 psig.
- D. Drywell pressure at 2.55 psig with reactor pressure at 440 psig.

References: OPL171.016 Rev.12 pg 70  
OPL171.045 Rev.11 pg 12

- A. Incorrect since Drywell pressure is below 2.45 psig.
- B. Incorrect since Reactor water level is greater than -122".
- C. Incorrect since Reactor water level is greater than -122" and pressure is greater than 450 psig.
- D. Correct answer since Drywell pressure is greater than 2.45 psig and Reactor pressure is less than 450 psig.

RO Tier: T1G1  
Keyword: DRYWELL COOLING  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.8/4.0  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

44. 295012AK2.01 001

The Unit 2 Reactor Operator notices that the Drywell Temperature is increasing slowly as reactor power is increased. He verifies the normal Drywell Cooling Units are in operation on Panel 2-9-25.

Which ONE of the following indicates the normal lineup of the Drywell Cooler Fans and the Drywell temperature that should be maintained?

- A. 3 of 5 cooling units in each train should be operating and attempting to maintain Drywell temperature less than or equal to 150°F.
- B. 4 of 5 cooling units in each train should be operating and attempting to maintain Drywell temperature less than or equal to 135°F.
- C. All the Drywell cooling units should be in operation and attempting to maintain Drywell temperature less than or equal to 135°F.
- D. 4 of 5 cooling units in each train should be operating and attempting to maintain Drywell temperature less than or equal to 150°F.

References: 2-OI-64 Rev.74 pg 13

A. Incorrect since 4 of 5 coolers should be operating in each train trying to maintain temp less than 135°F.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since 4 of 5 coolers should be operating in each train trying to maintain temp less than 135°F.

D. Incorrect since the coolers should be trying to maintain temp less than 135°F.

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: DRYWELL COOLING

Cog Level: MEM 3.4/3.5

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

45. 295013AK3.02 001

Which ONE of the following describes why the reactor must be shutdown immediately if the Suppression Pool temperature reaches  $>110^{\circ}\text{F}$ ?

- A. To ensure that the design pressure of 56 psig is not reached during a Design Basis Accident.
- B. ✓ To ensure that the pool is not heated beyond design limits by the steam generated if the reactor is not shutdown.
- C. To maintain HPCI and RCIC OPERABLE since they exhaust into the suppression pool.
- D. This ensures that the non-condensibles will remain in the suppression pool air space following a Design Basis Accident.

References: Tech Spec Bases 3.6.2.1, Suppression Pool Average Temperature  
pg B 3.6-57.

- A. Incorrect since the design pressure that is being protected is 62 psig.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since pool temperature does not affect the operation of HPCI and RCIC.
- D. Incorrect since the temperature limit also ensures that complete steam condensation occurs.

RO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: SUPPRESSION CHAMBER

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1

Cog Level: MEM 3.6/3.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

46. 295014AA1.03 001

A startup is in progress with the RWM bypassed. A shift turnover has just been completed when the on coming peer check notices that two rods in RWM Group 6 (16-48) are at position 16 and the operator is pulling rods in Group 16.

Which ONE of the following describes the proper action to take?

- A. Insert a manual scram.
- B. Verify no indications of fuel damage and continue withdrawal of rods.
- C. Stop rod withdrawal and notify the Shift Manager, Shift Technical Advisor, Operations Superintendent, and Reactor Engineer.
- D. With the concurrence of the Reactor Engineer and Shift Manager withdraw the control rods to their required position and continue the startup.

References: 2-AOI-85-7, Section 4.2.1-4.2.3, rev. 14

- A. Incorrect since this is not a required action.
- B. Incorrect since must recover mispositioned control rods prior to normal rod withdrawal.
- C. Correct answer. Operator must determine that control rod is mispositioned otherwise he doesn't notify the Operations Superintendent.
- D. Incorrect since must notify other individuals prior to withdrawing mispositioned control rods to their correct position.

Note: Reworded stem slightly and reordered answers.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: REACTIVITY ADDITION

Cog Level: MEM 3.5/3.5

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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47. 295015AK2.09 001

Unit 3 has received a Scram signal and all of the control rods fully inserted except one rod is still at position 48.

Per 3-AOI-100-1, *Reactor Scram* which ONE of the following actions would detect this condition?

- A. Verifying the "ONE ROD PERMISSIVE" light is lit with the Mode Switch in Shutdown.
- B. Verifying the "ONE ROD PERMISSIVE" light is out with the Mode Switch in Refuel.
- C. Pausing in START/HOT STBY for 5 seconds when moving the Mode Switch to Refuel.
- D. Move the Mode Switch to Shutdown and back to Refuel to look for the "ONE ROD PERMISSIVE" light to be lit.

References: 3-AOI-100-1 Rev.29 pg 2

A. Incorrect since the ONE ROD PERMISSIVE light should only light with all rods in and the Mode Switch in Refuel.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since this action is taken if the scram is due to a loss of RPS.

D. Incorrect since there is no direction to move the Mode Switch back to Refuel once it is in Shutdown.

RO Tier: T1G1  
Keyword: REACTOR SCRAM  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.5/3.6  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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48. 295016AA1.08 002

The control room has been abandoned.  
All MSR/V transfer switches at panel 25-32 have been placed in EMERGENCY.  
All MSR/V control switches at panel 25-32 have been checked in CLOSE.

Which ONE of the following statements below describes the operation of these MSR/Vs?

- A. The associated ADS valves will open upon receipt of an ADS initiation signal.
- B. Any associated ADS valve will open only when its control switch is placed in OPEN.
- C. The associated ADS valves will open if their respective pressure relief setpoints are exceeded.
- D. The associated ADS valves will open if their respective control switches on panel 9-3 are placed in OPEN.

References: OPL171.009 Rev.8 pg 22  
Enabling Objective OPL171.009 #3

A. Incorrect since automatic operation of ADS is prevented with transfer switches in EMERGENCY.

B. Incorrect since valves will open when the pressure setpoint is reached.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since function from the 9-3 Panel is prevented with transfer switches in EMERGENCY.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: ADS  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 4.0/4.0  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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49. 295018AK3.03 001

Unit 2 is operating at 100% RTP. Alarm "RECIRC PUMP A COOLING WATER FLOW LOW" is received at 8:07 am on 10/22/02. It is confirmed that RBCCW Seal Cooling is lost to the 2A Recirc Pump but CRD seal purge is still in operation.

Which ONE of the following describes the actions that should be taken and the reason for that action?

- A. ✓ Monitor seal temperatures and no further action is required; the Recirc Pump can be operated indefinitely under these conditions.
- B. Restore RBCCW seal cooling by 8:14 am or Trip the 2A Recirc Pump; Recirc seal temperatures will exceed 200°F after 7 minutes.
- C. Trip the 2A Recirc Pump immediately; Recirc seal temperatures will exceed 200°F in a short period of time.
- D. Reduce 2A Recirc Pump speed to minimum by 8:14 am; the Recirc Pump can be operated indefinitely at minimum speed under these conditions.

References: 2-OI-68 Rev 91 pg 11  
2-ARP-9-4A Rev. 18 pg 37

A. Correct answer.

B. Incorrect since the 7 minute time frame is when both CRD and RBCCW are lost to the Recirc Pump seals.

C. Incorrect since the Recirc Pump only needs to be tripped if seal cavity temperatures exceed 200°F.

D. Incorrect since the speed of the Recirc Pump doesn't need to be reduced.

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: RECIRC SYSTEM

Cog Level: C/A 3.1/3.3

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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50. 295020AA1.03 001

Unit 2 is holding load at 24% RTP after starting up from a refueling outage. Drywell inerting is in progress per 2-OI-76, *Containment Inerting System*. A Scram occurs from Scram Air Header Low Pressure with the following conditions present:

- Oxygen concentration at 7% by volume and decreasing.
- Leak has been isolated.
- Mode Switch is in Shutdown.
- All rods are inserted.
- No entry conditions have been met for the EOI's.

Concerning the Drywell, which ONE of the following describes the status of inerting the containment?

- A. Drywell inerting has been isolated due to a containment isolation when reactor water level decreased to +0" on the scram.
- B. Drywell inerting has been isolated due to the Mode Switch being taken out of Run on the scram.
- C. Drywell inerting is still in progress since there has not been an isolation signal processed for this event.
- D. Drywell inerting is still in progress but will isolate when the PC PURGE DIV I AND II RUN MODE BYPASS switches are taken to NORMAL.

References: OPL171.032 Rev.10 pg 14-17  
Enabling Objective OPL171.032 #4  
2-OI-76 Rev.46 pg 10

A. Incorrect since reactor water level did not reach 0". Stem says no EOI's have been entered.

B. Incorrect since valves do not close when Mode Switch is taken out of Run.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since Mode Switch is no longer in Run.

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: CONTAINMENT

Cog Level: C/A 2.9/3.1

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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51. 295023AK3.02 001

Interlocks or limit switches on the refueling equipment are provided for specific protective functions.

Which ONE of the following describes these protection devices?

- A. The Refueling Interlocks are not required during fuel handling as long as there is a second qualified individual performing the functions of the interlocks.
- B. Jumpering a refueling interlock should not cause the refuel bridge operator any concern as long as a TACF tag is clearly visible at the controls.
- C. Switches and interlocks act as a backup protection rather than principle means for stopping travel of the refueling equipment.
- D. Fuel handlers may rely on limits and interlocks to terminate refuel equipment travel, as long as they are within their surveillance frequency.

References: 0-GOI-100-3A Rev. 29 pg 14

- A. Incorrect because Tech Specs do not allow for a second qualified individual to take the place of the refueling interlocks.
- B. Incorrect since jumpering interlocks is a concern.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since the operators should not rely on the interlocks.

RO Tier: T1G3

Keyword: REFUELING

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1

Cog Level: MEM 3.4/3.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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52. 295024EK1.01 001

Given the following conditions:

- Suppression Chamber pressure      53.0 psig
- Drywell temperature                    350°F
- RPV pressure                              425 psig

Which ONE of the following is the reason why the Drywell or the Suppression Chamber is vented under these conditions irrespective of offsite release rates?

- A. Pressure capability of the containment will be reached if Suppression Chamber pressure reaches 55 psig.
- B. The maximum containment pressure that the vent valves can be opened and closed to reject decay heat will be reached at 55 psig.
- C. The maximum containment pressure that the MSRVS can be opened and remain open will be reached at 55 psig.
- D. Chugging is prevented if the containment is vented prior to reaching 55 psig.

References: OPL171.203 Rev. 5 pg 29 and 36  
Enabling Objective OPL171.203 #8

- A. Incorrect since the pressure capability of the containment is approx. 100 psig.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since the pressure limit for the MSRVS is 65 psig.
- D. Incorrect since chugging depends on the amount of non condensibles in the containment.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: CONTAINMENT

Cog Level: MEM 4.1/4.2

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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53. 295025EK1.06 001

The Unit 2 Mode Switch is in the S/U position with the Unit at normal operating pressure and temperature following a short maintenance outage. The RVLIS system is out-of-service at this time. The Wide Range level instruments (+60 to -155") are reading approximately +34" at this time.

Which ONE of the following describes the accuracy of the instruments under these conditions?

- A. The instruments are showing accurate level indication due to being calibrated for normal operating pressure and temperature.
- B. The instruments are NOT showing accurate level indication due to being calibrated for cold shutdown conditions.
- C. The instruments are showing accurate level indication because they are within the level range of the instruments.
- D. The instruments are NOT showing accurate level indication because the RVLIS system is not providing flow to the reference leg fill lines.

Reference: OPL171.003 Rev. 15 pg 20

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since the instruments are calibrated for hot conditions.
- C. Incorrect since being within the indicated range doesn't mean that the instrument is accurate.
- D. Incorrect since RVLIS has no affect on how the instrument reads. It does have an affect on the indication when a rapid depressurization occurs.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: LEVEL INSTRUMENTS

Cog Level: C/A 3.9/4.0

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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54. 295028EK3.01 001

Which ONE of the following describes the reason why Emergency Depressurization is required if Drywell Temperature cannot be maintained below 280°F?

- A. At this temperature all of the RPV level instruments are affected such that there is no reliable level indication and RPV flooding is required.
- B. ✓ Primary Containment has reached the structural design limit and actions are required to minimize further release of energy from the RPV.
- C. Ensures the equipment in the Drywell that is required to reach cold shutdown conditions remains operable by terminating heat input into the containment.
- D. Above 280°F containment failure is eminent which would cause the release rates at the site boundary to reach 10 CFR 100 limits.

References: OPL171.203 Rev.5 pg 26

- A. Incorrect since these conditions do not make all of the level instruments unreliable.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since the containment is threatened and not the EQ equipment.
- D. Incorrect since containment failure is not eminent and it would not cause the 10 CFR limits to be exceeded.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: EOI INSTRUCTIONS  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: MEM 3.6/3.9  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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55. 295029EK1.01 001

Unit 2 is operating at 100% RTP. The Suppression Pool water level is required to be maintained at  $\geq -6.25$  inches and  $\leq 1.0$  inches per Tech Specs.

Which ONE of the following is available to protect the containment against overpressurization if Suppression Pool water level is allowed to go above the maximum level?

- A. Suppression Chamber-to-Drywell Vacuum Breakers.
- B. Reactor Building-to-Suppression Chamber Vacuum Breakers.
- C. Drywell Spray system.
- D. Residual Heat Removal (RHR) Suppression Pool Cooling System.

References: Tech Spec Bases Section B 3.6.2.2 pg B 3.6-66

- A. Incorrect since these valves protect the Drywell from negative pressure upon inadvertent operation of the Drywell Spray system.
- B. Incorrect since these valves protect the Suppression Chamber from negative pressure upon inadvertent operation of the Suppression Pool Spray system.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since this system is needed to maintain the containment within design temperature limitations.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: PRIMARY CONTAINMENT  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: C/A 3.4/3.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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56. 295030EA1.02 002

Unit 2 has had an event with the following conditions present:

|                              |                 |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Reactor Water Level          | -60" and steady |
| Reactor Pressure             | 920 psig        |
| Suppression Chamber Level    | 9 ft            |
| Drywell Pressure             | 1.3 psig        |
| Suppression Pool Temperature | 98°F            |
| RCIC Pump Room Temperature   | 150°F           |

Operator reports leak on suction header of Torus.

The Unit 2 Reactor Operator reports that the RCIC turbine has tripped.

Which ONE of the following is the most likely cause of the turbine trip?

- A. High RCIC Pump room temperature.
- B. High RCIC exhaust pressure.
- C. Low suction pressure.
- D. High Reactor Water Level.

References: OPL171.040 Rev.18 pg 29 and 30  
Enabling Objective OPL171.040 #5

- A. Incorrect since the High RCIC Room Temperature isolation is at 160°F.
- B. Incorrect since high exhaust pressure can't happen if Drywell pressure is low.
- C. Correct answer based on low Drywell pressure and low torus level.
- D. Incorrect since the High Reactor Water Level trip is +51".

|                      |                        |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| RO Tier: T1G2        | SRO Tier: T1G1         |
| Keyword: RCIC SYSTEM | Cog Level: C/A 3.4/3.5 |
| Source: N            | Exam: BF02301          |
| Test: C              | Misc:                  |

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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57. 295030EK2.01 001

Unit 3 EOI-2, "Primary Containment Control", has the operators perform the following action if suppression pool water level CANNOT be maintained above 12.75 feet.

Secure HPCI irrespective of adequate core cooling.

Which ONE of the following HPCI system responses will this action prevent?

- A. Overpressurization of the primary containment.
- B. Loss of back pressure on the exhaust line.
- C. HPCI exhaust check valve chatter.
- D. Unstable HPCI operation.

References: OPL171.203 Rev 5 pg 50 & 51  
Enabling Objective OPL171.203 #7

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since the exhaust line will still have the backpressure from the torus airspace.
- C. Incorrect since water level in the torus doesn't affect the HPCI exhaust check valve.
- D. Incorrect since torus water level doesn't affect HPCI operation.

Note: Reordered answers.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: HPCI  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.8/3.9  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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58. 295031EK3.05 001

A loss of all high pressure injection systems has resulted in RPV level lowering to TAF. An emergency RPV depressurization has been directed.

Which ONE of the following states the reason that a minimum of 4 MSRVs must be opened?

- A. Ensures that sufficient steam flow will exist to remove decay heat at low enough pressure for the lowest head ECCS pump to make up for steam flow.
- B. Ensures that at the worst case in core life, the APLHGR thermal limit will not be exceeded and inhibit adequate radiant heat transfer.
- C. Ensures that the reactor will be depressurized to below ECCS shut off head before the RPV level reaches two thirds core height.
- D. Prevents exceeding 1% plastic strain on the hottest fuel pin in the core allowing fuel cladding failure to release radioactive fission products.

References: OPL171.205 Rev. 4 pg 29

A. Correct answer.

B,C and D are incorrect since 4 relief valves open do not affect these conditions.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: EMERG DEPRESS

Cog Level: MEM 4.2/4.3

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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59. 295032EK3.03 001

Which ONE of the following is the basis for the Main Steam Line (MSL) Tunnel high temperature isolation?

- A. Protect the integrity of the secondary containment and ensure the continued operability of safe shutdown equipment.
- B. Prevent exceeding the Environmental Qualification temperature limits on the MSIV control air solenoids.
- C. Minimize radioactive releases to the environment and limit the inventory loss from the reactor under all accident conditions.
- D. Limit the escape of radioactivity from the MSL Tunnel to the Reactor Building HVAC system.

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RO Tier: T1G3

Keyword: MAIN STEAM

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G2

Cog Level: MEM EK3.03

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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60. 295033EK2.01 002

Unit 2 is in a Refueling outage with work in progress on the Turbine Floor. When the High Pressure Turbine casing is removed the radiation levels increase significantly.

Which ONE of the following describes the indications available to the Control Room Operator and the actions required to be taken?

- A. Turbine Bldg ventilation trips and isolates. The Control Room Operator announces evacuation of turbine floor and contacts RADCON.
- B. Reactor Bldg ventilation trips and isolates. SGT starts automatically. The Control Room Operator announces evacuation of the turbine floor and contacts RADCON.
- C. Turbine Operating Floor High Radiation Alarm sounds. The Control Room Operator announces evacuation of the turbine floor, contacts RADCON and monitors other alarms with inputs to this annunciator.
- D. Turbine Operating Floor High Radiation Alarm sounds. The Control Room Operator notifies Unit Supervisor this is an expected alarm since the turbine casing is being removed.

References: OPL171.034 Rev.8 pg 16  
2-ARP-9-3A Rev.18 pg 31  
Enabling Objective OPL171.034 B5

A. Incorrect since Turbine Building vents do not trip.

B. Incorrect since Reactor Building vents do not trip.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since this is not an expected alarm. The ARP actions should be followed.

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: RAD MONITORS

Cog Level: C/A 3.8/4.0

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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61. 295034EK1.01 001

Which ONE of the following describes why the Reactor Zone and Refueling Floor Exhaust Radiation - High allowable values are set at their current levels?

- A. They provide timely detection of system process barrier leaks inside containment but they are far enough background levels to avoid spurious isolations.
- B. They provide positive indication of system leaks but they are low enough to ensure proper instrument indications.
- C. The values are set to ensure the isolation function is fast enough to prevent exceeding the 10 CFR 100 exposure limits at the site boundary.
- D. The values are set such that trends are able to be determined before the isolations occur.

References: Tech Spec Section 3.3 Bases pg B 3.3-251

A. Correct answer.

B,C and D. Incorrect per Bases statement.

RO Tier: T1G2

SRO Tier: T1G2

Keyword: SECONDARY CONTAINMEN

Cog Level: MEM 3.8/4.1

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

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62. 295036EK2.03 001

A relief valve is leaking on the Unit 2 RBCCW system which is causing the Reactor Building Equipment Drain Tank to fill up. The Reactor Building Equipment Drain Sump Pump has started and is pumping to Radwaste.

Which ONE of the following identifies the first indication that Radwaste will see due to the increased leakage?

- A. Chemical Waste Tank level will increase.
- B. Floor Drain Collector Tank level will increase.
- C. Waste Collector Tank level will increase.
- D. Waste Surge Tank level will increase.

References: OPL171.084 Rev.3 pg 17

A. Incorrect since the water from the Reactor Bldg Equipment Drain Sump goes to the Waste Collector Tank first.

B. Incorrect since the water from the Reactor Bldg Equipment Drain Sump goes to the Waste Collector Tank first.

C. Correct answer.

D. Incorrect since the water from the Reactor Bldg Equipment Drain Sump goes to the Waste Collector Tank first.

RO Tier: TIG3

SRO Tier: TIG2

Keyword: RADWASTE

Cog Level: C/A 2.8/3.1

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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63. 295037EA1.04 001

The reactor has experienced an ATWS and you have been directed to initiate SLC injection. SLC Pump A was started at 0700 with the boron concentration at 8.5% and the tank level at 85%. The following conditions exist at 0730 for SLC Pump A:

- \* Red Light On
- \* Squib Continuity Lights Off
- \* Flow Light On
- \* Alarm "SLC Injection Flow to Reactor"
- \* Alarm "SLC Squib Valve Continuity Lost"
- \* SLC Pressure 1200 psig
- \* Reactor Pressure 1000 psig
- \* Tank Level 70%, lowering

Which ONE of the following is the appropriate action to take?

- A. Start SLC Pump B and continue running SLC Pump A.
- B.  Stop SLC Pump A and start SLC Pump B.
- C. Initiate Alternate SLC Injection.
- D. Continue running SLC Pump A.

References: OPL171.039 Rev. 13 pg 17, 26 and 27  
2-OI-63 Rev. 26 pg 4  
Enabling Objective OPL171.039 # 4

A. Incorrect since an interlock is installed to prevent running both pumps at the same time.

B. Correct answer since tank level should be down to 55% if SLC Pump A was operating properly.

C. Incorrect since B SLC Pump should be started first.

D. Incorrect since A SLC Pump is pumping at a degraded rate.

RO Tier: T1G1

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: SLC

Cog Level: C/A 4.5/4.5

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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64. 295038EK3.01 001

An accident has happened on Unit 2 which causes radiation levels at the site boundary to reach 11 mRem/Hr gamma. An ALERT has been declared by the Shift Manager.

Which ONE of the following describes why the Emergency Plan was implemented for this condition?

- A. Ensures that all individuals are accounted for at the time of the accident.
- B. Provides protective measures for TVA employees and contractors located on the site at the time of the accident.
- C. Ensures lines of communication are established between the site and the NRC.
- D. Provides protective measures for TVA employees and the public.

References: OPL171.075 Rev.17 pg 9  
Enabling Objective OPL171.075 #B1

A. Incorrect since implementing the Emergency Plan does not ensure all people are accounted for.

B. Incorrect since it also provides protective measures for the public.

C. Incorrect since implementing the Emergency Plan does not mean that communication lines are open with the NRC.

D. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T1G2  
Keyword: EMERGENCY PLAN  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 3.6/4.5  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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65. 300000K4.03 001

The Raw Cooling Water regulating valve to the "A" Control Air Compressor has failed closed.

Which ONE of the following conditions would trip the "A" Control Air Compressor?

- A. ✓ Air discharge temperature reading 312°F.
- B. Air discharge temperature reading 128°F.
- C. Lube oil temperature reading 175°F.
- D. Seal Air Pressure reading 8 psig.

References: OPL171.054 Rev.4 pg 13, 41 and 45  
Learning Objective OPL171.054 #2

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect but it is correct for the G Compressor.
- C. Incorrect since Lube Oil Hi Temp trip is 180°F.
- D. Incorrect but it is correct for the G Compressor.

RO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: CONTROL AIR

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T2G2

Cog Level: MEM 2.8/2.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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66. 500000EK2.07 001

An event has occurred on Unit 3 with the following conditions present:

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Drywell Pressure    | 30 psig                                       |
| Drywell Temperature | 275°F   |
| SGT Systems         | "A" out of service, "B" and "C" fail to start |
| SGT Inlet pressure  | +0.5 psig                                     |
| CAD System          | Shutdown                                      |

The Unit Supervisor has ordered the Drywell to be vented due to high H<sub>2</sub> concentrations.

Which ONE of the following describes the reason why the Drywell CANNOT be vented at this time?

- A. SGT System "B" and "C" failed to start.
- B. SGT Ssystem inlet pressure is too high.
- C. Drywell pressure is too high.
- D. Drywell temperature is too high.

References: 3-OI-83 Rev. 17 pg 5  
OPL171.032 Rev.10 pg 21  
Enabling Objective OPL171.032 #B.4

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since the pressure for the SGT inlet is .79 psig.
- C. Incorrect since High Drywell pressure prevents nitrogen purge.
- D. Incorrect since Drywell Temp does not affect venting the containment.

RO Tier: T1G1  
Keyword: DRYWELL VENTING  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: C/A 3.2/3.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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67. G2.1.28 001

According to SPP-7.2, Outage Management, which ONE of the following defines a FUNCTIONAL system?

- A. A system, structure or component that is in service or can be placed in service in an OPERABLE state by immediate manual or automatic actuation.
- B. A system that has the ability to perform its intended function with considerations that applicable technical specifications or licensing/design basis assumptions may not be maintained.
- C. A system that had PERs generated during the previous operating cycle that have been evaluated as operable but degraded / non-conforming conditions, have not been justified for resolution in the future and have a specified required completion date that is the current outage which has been agreed to by outage management.
- D. A System that is capable of performing its specified safety function(s). Implicit in this definition shall be the assumption that all necessary attendant instrumentation, controls, normal or emergency electrical power sources, cooling or seal water, lubrication or other auxiliary equipment that are required for the system, subsystem, train, component, or device to perform its specified safety function(s) are also capable of performing their related support function(s).

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A. **AVAILABLE (Availability)**- The status of a system, structure or component that is in service or can be placed in service in a **FUNCTIONAL** or **OPERABLE** state by immediate manual or automatic actuation.

B. **FUNCTIONAL** - The ability of a system or component to perform its intended function with considerations that applicable technical specifications or licensing/design basis assumptions may not be maintained.

C. (SPP 3.1) **Operable - Operability** - A system, subsystem, train, component, or device shall be operable or have operability when it is capable of performing its specified safety function(s). Implicit in this definition shall be the assumption that all necessary attendant instrumentation, controls, normal or emergency electrical power sources, cooling or seal water, lubrication or other auxiliary equipment that are required for the system, subsystem, train, component, or device to perform its specified safety function(s) are also capable of performing their related support function(s).

D. **OPERABLE BUT DEGRADED** - PERs generated during the previous operating cycle that have been evaluated as operable but degraded / non-conforming conditions, have not been justified for resolution in the future, (i.e., more than one refueling cycle) in accordance with SPP-3.1, "Corrective Action Program", and have a specified required completion date that is the current outage which has been agreed to by outage management.

RO Tier: T3

SRO Tier: T3

Keyword: SYSTEM STATUS

Cog Level: MEM 3.2/3.3

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: C

Misc:

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68. G2.1.3 001

The on-coming Unit 3 Board Unit Operator (BUO) has been on vacation for 7 days. The BUO is preparing to assume shift at 0700 on 12/30/2002.

Which ONE of the following is the date, at a minimum, that the BUO must review back to concerning the Unit 3 Narrative Log?

- A. 0700 on 12/29/2002.
- B. 1500 on 12/27/2002.
- C. 0700 on 12/25/2002.
- D. 1500 on 12/23/2002.

References: SSP-12.1, Section 3.12.2, page 64

C. Correct answer.

A, B and D are incorrect since the operator must only review the previous 5 days in the narrative log.

Note: Did not have a copy of the procedure to verify answer.

RO Tier: T3  
Keyword: ADMIN  
Source: M  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: C/A 3.0/3.4  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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69. G2.2.12 001

The Unit Operator has just completed the required readings for his shift and documented them in 2-SR-2, *Instrument Checks and Observations*.

Which ONE of the following lists the individuals that are qualified to perform an independent review?

- A. RO or SRO.
- B. RO or STA.
- C. Ops Manager or SRO.
- D. STA or SRO.

References: 2-SR-2, Rev.29 pg 8

- A. Incorrect since RO cannot perform independent review.
- B. Incorrect since RO cannot perform independent review.
- C. Incorrect since Ops Manager cannot perform independent review unless he is an SRO or qualified STA.
- D. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T3

Keyword: SURVEILLANCE REQUIRE

Source: N

Test: C

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: MEM 3.0/3.4

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

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70. G2.2.3 001

Assume that one of the 48V DC inverters that supplies 120V AC to the Control Room annunciators has failed.

Which ONE of the following describes the effects this will have?

- A. If the failure is on Unit 1 a buzzer will sound and a white light will illuminate.
- B. If the failure is on Unit 1,2 or 3 a buzzer will sound and a red light will illuminate.
- C. If the failure is on Unit 2 the power supply will auto swap to Battery Board 2.
- D. If the failure is on Unit 3 the power supply will auto swap to Battery Board 3.

References: OPL171.037 Rev.8 pg 16  
Enabling Objective OPL171.037 #B8  
Note: Taken from 2001 Exam.

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since a red light will not illuminate on Unit 1 but it will illuminate on Units 2 and 3.
- C. Incorrect since the power supply does not swap.
- D. Incorrect since the power supply does not swap.

RO Tier: T3  
Keyword: DC SYSTEMS  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: MEM 3.1/3.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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71. G2.3.1 001

You are called at home and directed to go to the Hatch Facility to assist in the recovery efforts following a refueling accident. You are informed that you will require a TLD during the assist visit.

Which ONE of the following describes the dosimetry requirement for this emergency visit per *SPP-5.1, RADIOLOGICAL CONTROLS*?

- A. You must obtain your BFN dosimetry and wear it along with the dosimetry provided by Hatch. Following your return you must report to RADCON to obtain any required bioassay and update your exposure records.
- B. You must inform RADCON of your intended visit and obtain your BFN dosimetry to wear with the dosimetry provided by Hatch. Upon your return you must present copies of your dose records from Hatch.
- C. You must turn in your dosimetry and check out prior to leaving BFN, unless exempted by the Shift Manager or Operations Manager.
- D. You must turn in your dosimetry and check out prior to leaving BFN, unless exempted by RADCON.

References: SPP-5.1, Radiological Controls Rev.3 pg 9

A. Incorrect since a bioassay is not required and you must also turn in your BFN dosimetry.

B. Incorrect since you must turn in your BFN dosimetry.

C. Incorrect since you can only get exemption from RADCON.

D. Correct answer.

RO Tier: T3

Keyword: RADIATION CONTROL

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: MEM 2.6/3.0

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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72. G2.4.1 001

Which ONE of the following is NOT an immediate action of 2-AOI-1-1, Relief Valve Stuck Open?

- A. ✓ Inhibit MSRV Auto Actuation Logic on Panel 2-9-3.
- B. PLACE affected relief valve control switch from CLOSE to OPEN to CLOSE several times, and OBSERVE indications to see whether valve closes.
- C. IDENTIFY stuck open relief valve by OBSERVING SRV TAILPIPE FLOW MONITOR, 2-FMT-1-4, on Panel 2-9-3.
- D. IDENTIFY stuck open relief valve by OBSERVING MSRV DISCHARGE TAILPIPE TEMPERATURE recorder, 2-TR-1-1 on Panel 2-9-47.

4.1 Immediate actions:

4.1.1 IDENTIFY stuck open relief valve by OBSERVING following:

4.1.1.1 SRV TAILPIPE FLOW MONITOR, 2-FMT-1-4, on Panel 293, or

4.1.1.2 MSRV DISCHARGE TAILPIPE TEMPERATURE recorder, 2TR11 on Panel 2947.

4.1.2 PLACE affected relief valve control switch from CLOSE to OPEN to CLOSE several times, and OBSERVE indications to see whether valve closes.

4.2 Subsequent Action

4.2.1 IF ANY EOI entry condition is met, THEN  
ENTER the appropriate EOI(s).

RO Tier: T3

Keyword: RELIEF VALVE

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: C/A 4.3/4.6

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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73. G2.4.10 001

Alarm tile "MSIV ISOL SCRAM BYPASS" on the Unit 2 9-5 Panel is illuminated. No other alarms are illuminated.

Which ONE of the following identifies which Scram signals are not active?

- A. MSIV closure scram and Turbine Stop Valve closure scram.
- B. Generator Load Reject Scram and Condenser low vacuum scram.
- C. MSIV closure scram and Condenser low vacuum scram.
- D. MSIV closure scram and Generator Load Reject Scram.

References: 2-ARP-9-5B Rev.12

- A. Incorrect since the Turbine Stop Valve closure scram is still active.
- B. Incorrect since the Generator Load Reject scram is still active.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since the Generator Load Reject scram is still active.

RO Tier: T3  
Keyword: RPS  
Source: N  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: MEM 3.0/3.1  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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74. G2.4.11 001

A diesel fuel oil spill has occurred in the Diesel Generator Building. The On Scene Coordinator requests that absorbent material be delivered to the scene.

Which ONE of the following contains a list of the locations of stored absorbent material?

- A. MSDS for diesel fuel oil.
- B. Emergency Plan Implementing Procedure.
- C. Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures Plan.
- D. Browns Ferry Master Materials Index Data Base (MMIDB).

Reference: OPL171.068 Rev. 4 pg 10  
Enabling Objective #5

C is the only answer that provides a table for location of spill cleanup material therefore answers A,B and D are incorrect.

Note: Reordered answers.

RO Tier: T3  
Keyword: ADMIN  
Source: B  
Test: C

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: MEM 3.4/3.6  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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75. G2.4.3 001

Per Regulatory Guide 1.97 post accident instrumentation must be appropriately identified in control rooms to provide information required by the control room operators during accident conditions.

Which ONE of the following describes how RPV level instruments are designated as post accident monitoring and which instruments are used?

- A. Black labels are placed on the Emergency Systems Range instruments only.
- B. Blue labels are placed on the Post Accident Flood Range instruments only.
- C. Black labels are placed on both the Emergency Systems Range and Post Accident Flood range instruments.
- D. Blue labels are placed on both the Post Accident Flood Range and the Shutdown Vessel Flood Range instruments.

References: OPL171.003 Rev.15 pg 24 and 26

Tech Spec Bases B 3.3.3.1 pg B 3.3-84

Note: Modified stem and answers slightly. On last exam.

- A. Incorrect since on more than the instruments listed.
- B. Incorrect since wrong color and on more than the instruments listed.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since wrong color and wrong instruments listed.

RO Tier: T3

Keyword: POST ACCIDENT

Source: B

Test: C

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: MEM 3.5/3.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

76. 259002G2.2.22 001

Unit 2 experienced a Group 1 isolation with a failure to scram. Rx steam dome pressure increased to 1320 psig which caused a break in the Recirc Suction piping. The following conditions exist at this time:

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Rx Power            | 8% RTP      |
| Reactor Water Level | -155 inches |
| Reactor Pressure    | 185 psig    |
| Core Flow           | 5% of rated |
| Drywell Pressure    | 13 psig     |

Which ONE of the following describes the Safety Limit violated and the corrective action?

- A. Reactor steam dome pressure; insert all insertable control rods within 2 hours.
- B. Core Flow vs. Thermal Power; insert all insertable control rods and restore Thermal Power to within limits within 4 hours.
- C. Reactor Vessel Water Level; restore level above -151" and insert all insertable control rods within 2 hours.
- D. Drywell Pressure; restore to within limits and be in Mode 4 within 12 hours.

References: Tech Spec Section 2.0, Safety Limits  
Tech Spec Bases pg B 2.0-6

- A. Incorrect since Reactor steam dome safety limit was not exceeded (limit is 1325 psig)
- B. Incorrect since the safety limit is  $\geq 25\%$  RTP and core flow  $< 10\%$  rated.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since Drywell Pressure is not a safety limit.

|                       |                        |
|-----------------------|------------------------|
| RO Tier:              | SRO Tier: T2G1         |
| Keyword: SAFETY LIMIT | Cog Level: C/A 3.4/4.1 |
| Source: N             | Exam: BF02301          |
| Test: S               | Misc: TCK              |

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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77. 261000K2.03 001

The SGT "A" master control switch (HS-65-18A on Unit 1) is in the pull-to-lock position.

Which one of the following conditions would still cause the SGT "A" to start even though the control switch is in the pull-to-lock position?

- A. Unit 3 SGT "A" start pushbutton is depressed.
- B. Unit 2 drywell pressure rises to 2.5 psig and continues to rise.
- C. The local (SGT Building) SGT "A" start pushbutton is depressed.
- D. SGT TRAIN "A" INBD ISOL TEST SIG keylock switch (HS-65-48A) is placed in the TEST position.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: SGBT  
Source: B  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T2G1  
Cog Level: C/A 2.3/2.5  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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78. 290003G2.1.12 001

Unit 2 is at 100% power. Two Unit 1 & 2 Control Room Air Conditioning Subsystems are inoperable. Actions to restore one subsystem to OPERABLE status is in progress.

Which ONE of the following states the actions/limitations imposed by Tech Specs?

- A. Unit 2 must be in MODE 3 in 12 hours and MODE 4 in 36 hours.
- B. Place an alternate method of cooling in service within 24 hours and restore one subsystem to OPERABLE status within 7 days.
- C. Restore one subsystem to OPERABLE status within 30 days.
- D. Place an alternate method of cooling in service within 24 hours and restore one subsystem to OPERABLE status within 30 days.

References: Tech Spec 3.7.4 Condition B

Revised answers from Bank question to prevent having more than one correct answer since you are in Condition A until you return BOTH systems to OPERABLE status.

A. Incorrect since this is the action to take if Condition B completion time cannot be met.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since at least ONE subsystem must be restored to OPERABLE status within 7 days along with other actions.

D. Incorrect since one subsystem must be returned to operable status within 7 days.

RO Tier:

SRO Tier: T2G2

Keyword: TECH SPECS

Cog Level: C/A 2.9/4.0

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: S

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

79. 295001AA2.01 001

Unit 3 is in the process of starting up  
A 100% rod line has been established

Currently raising recirc flow

A fault in the 3B Recirc MG set occurs causing a trip of the MG set.

The operator notes the following conditions after the pump trip:

- MWE = 560
- MWT = 1745
- Core Flow = 32%

Using the attached Illustration 1 from 3-OI-68 determine which ONE of the following describes the appropriate action to take.

- A. Region 2 has been entered, scram the reactor immediately.
- B. ✓ Region 1 has been entered, scram the reactor immediately.
- C. Region 2 has been entered, and must be exited within 2 hours.
- D. Region 1 has been entered, insert control rods to less than a 95.2% rod line.

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RO Tier:

Keyword: PWR/FLOW MAP

Source: B

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G2

Cog Level: C/A 3.5/3.8

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

80. 295003G2.1.12 001

Core Spray Pump 2B has just been tagged for maintenance when 250V DC Reactor MOV Board 2B trips.

Which ONE of the following describes the Tech Spec required actions for Unit 2?

- A. ✓ Enter LCO 3.0.3 immediately.
- B. Restore the 250V DC Reactor MOV Board 2B OR Core Spray Pump 2B to OPERABLE status within 72 hours.
- C. Restore Core Spray Pump 2B AND 250V DC Reactor MOV Board 2B to OPERABLE status within 7 days.
- D. Be in MODE 3 within 12 hours AND be in MODE 4 within 36 hours.

References: Tech Spec 3.5.1

Refer to OPDP-8. The 250V Board is a support system for Core Spray, and there is a LOSF since the 250V Board is Division I logic. Therefore both Core Spray systems are inoperable, requiring entering LCO 3.0.3 per 3.5.1.H. If 250V Rx MOV Board 2B is placed on its alternate supply the board is still considered inoperable per BASES B 3.8.7.

A. Correct answer since two low pressure ECCS spray subsystems are INOPERABLE. LCO 3.0.3 is entered per 3.5.1.G.

B. Incorrect since this assumes that HPCI is also INOPERABLE.

C. Incorrect since the 7 day clock is for 1 low pressure spray subsystem being INOPERABLE.

D. Incorrect since this action is required only if the required actions or completion time for Condition A is not met.

RO Tier:

Keyword: CORE SPRAY

Source: B

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G1

Cog Level: C/A 2.9/4.0

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

81. 295005AA2.02 001

Unit 3 is at 27% RTP during a startup from a refueling outage. The Control Room Operator reports that the vibrations for the turbine are at 12 mils and continuing to increase slowly.

Which ONE of the following describes the actions you should take as Control Room Supervisor?

- A. Order the Control Room Operator to Trip the Turbine immediately and verify a reactor scram.
- B. Order the Control Room Operator to monitor the Turbine vibrations and to Trip the Turbine if the vibrations continue for greater than 15 minutes.
- C. Enter EOI-1 since a scram should have occurred due to Turbine Trip from High vibrations.
- D. Order the Control Room Operator to Trip the Turbine immediately. Verify Generator trips and loads transfer properly.

References: OPL171.147 Rev. 3 pg 10, 19, 22

- A. Incorrect since a reactor scram should not occur from the turbine trip due to Rx power <30%.
- B. Incorrect since the turbine must be tripped immediately if vibrations reach 12 mils.
- C. Incorrect since an entry condition does not exist at this time.
- D. Correct answer.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: TURBINE CONTROLS  
Source: N  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: C/A 2.4/2.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

82. 295006AA2.03 001

Unit 3 is operating at 100% RTP when the unit scrams. The following conditions exist after the scram:

All rods are in  
Reactor Pressure ..... 510 psig lowering slowly  
Reactor Water Level ..... -155" steady  
Drywell Pressure ..... 11 psig  
All systems operating as designed.

Which ONE of the following the systems that are allowed, and are able, to be in operation to maintain vessel level greater than -162"?

- A. Feedwater, HPCI, RCIC, CRD and SLC.
- B. Feedwater, HPCI, CRD and Core Spray.
- C. Feedwater, HPCI, RCIC, and CRD.
- D. Feedwater, HPCI, RCIC, CRD, SLC, Core Spray and RHR.

References: EOI-1 Rev 5

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since Core Spray is not able to inject at this pressure.
- C. Incorrect since SLC is also able to be used to maintain level >-162".
- D. Incorrect since Core Spray and RHR cannot inject at this time.

|          |               |            |             |
|----------|---------------|------------|-------------|
| RO Tier: |               | SRO Tier:  | T1G1        |
| Keyword: | LEVEL CONTROL | Cog Level: | C/A 4.0/4.2 |
| Source:  | N             | Exam:      | BF02301     |
| Test:    | S             | Misc:      | TCK         |

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

83. 295014AA2.03 001

Unit 3 is at 100% power. Which ONE of the following plant conditions is a symptom of an inadvertent HPCI injection?

- A. APRM flow comparator alarm.
- B. Decrease in reactor pressure.
- C. Recirc pump runback.
- D. Positive reactor period.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: HPCI  
Source: B  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: C/A 4.0/4.3  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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84. 295016G2.2.3 001

There has been a Toxic Gas spill on site which has caused Unit 2 and Unit 3 Control Rooms to be abandoned. *AOI-100-2, Control Room Abandonment* has been implemented for both units and RCIC is injecting to maintain Reactor Water Level within a certain band.

Which ONE of the following describes the appropriate level band for each unit?

- A. Unit 2            +2" to +50"  
   Unit 3            +12" to +51"
  
- B. Unit 2            +12" to +50"  
   Unit 3            +2" to +51"
  
- C. Unit 2            +12" to +51"  
   Unit 3            +2" to +50"
  
- D. Unit 2            +2" to +51"  
   Unit 3            +12" to +50"

References: OPL171-208 Rev.4 pg 22

A,B and D are incorrect since they show the wrong level bands.

C. Correct answer.

RO Tier:

Keyword: CONTROL ROOM

Source: N

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G1

Cog Level: MEM 3.1/3.3

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

85. 295017AA2.04 001

A release of radioactivity is in progress. The following radiological conditions are present:

|  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|
| Stack Gas Rad Monitors RM-90-147 & 148     | rising radiation levels |
| Reactor Bldg/Refuel Zone Rad Monitors      | reading normal levels   |
| Turbine Bldg Exhaust Rad Monitor RM 90-250 | rising radiation levels |
| Drywell Rad Monitors                       | rising radiation levels |
| Torus Rad Monitors                         | reading normal levels   |

Which ONE of the following describes the probable source of the release?

- A. Main Steam leakage outside the Primary Containment.
- B. Reactor Water Cleanup leakage outside the Primary Containment.
- C. Fuel clad failure release thru the Offgas System.
- D. Major airborne activity in the Radwaste Bldg.

References: OPL171.067 Rev.10 pg 19 - 22

A. Incorrect since the steam release is only through Primary Containment. Secondary Containment is still in tact.

B. Incorrect since the RWCU leak is through Primary Containment.

C. Correct answer. Turbine Bldg Vents take a suction from the Offgas Areas and the offgas also goes to the main stack. These are the only areas with increased rad levels other than the Drywell.

D. Incorrect since the Radwaste Bldg Ventilation has its own exhaust stack.

RO Tier:

Keyword: OFF SITE RELEASE

Source: M

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G1

Cog Level: C/A 3.6/4.3

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

86. 295021AA2.04 001

The following conditions exist on Unit 3:

|                                   |        |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Reactor Water Level               | +46"   |
| Reactor Coolant Temp.             | 185°F  |
| Reactor Pressure                  | 0 psig |
| Rx Vessel Head bolted and torqued |        |
| RHR loop 1 in shutdown cooling    |        |
| Both Recirculation Pumps off      |        |

Which ONE of the following describes the operational consequence of the Inboard Shutdown Cooling Valve (FCV 74-48) failing closed?

- A. Transition boiling will occur at the reduced reactor pressure causing fuel cladding damage.
- B. Damage could occur to the running RHR pump since it no longer has a suction path.
- C. Coolant temperature may rise unmonitored and change the reactor condition from MODE 4 to MODE 3.
- D. Since the valve is a failed PCIV then the Outboard Shutdown Cooling Valve (FCV 74-47) must be closed and deactivated.

References: 3-AOI-74-1 Rev. 25 pg 1 and 4  
Tech Specs 3.6.1.3, Primary Containment Isolation Valves (PCIVs)

- A. Incorrect since transition boiling may not occur for a long period of time.
- B. Incorrect since the RHR pump will trip if it loses its suction path.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since the outboard isolation valve does not need to be closed. The failed valve can be used as the isolation valve.

RO Tier:

Keyword: SHUTDOWN COOLING

Source: B

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G2

Cog Level: C/A 3.2/3.3

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

87. 295022G2.1.20 001

Unit 2 is in the process of heating up with the Mode Switch in START/HOT STBY. The following conditions exist when the 2A CRD Pump trips on overcurrent:

|                     |                |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Reactor Pressure    | 800 psig       |
| Reactor Temperature | 485°F          |
| 1B CRD Pp           | Out-of-Service |

Which ONE of the following should the Unit Supervisor direct the Reactor Operator to perform ?

- A. If receive 2 or more scram accumulator alarms AND charging water pressure cannot be restored to 940 psig within 20 minutes THEN Scram the reactor.
- B. Monitor CRD temps and attempt to return 1B CRD Pp to service. Scram the reactor if CRD temps exceed 350°F.
- C. Manually Scram the reactor and place the Mode Switch in Shutdown immediately.
- D. Attempt to restart the 2A CRD Pump. If fails to start then commence a shutdown.

References: 2-AOI-85-3 Rev.20 pg 3 and 4

- A. Incorrect since these actions are taken if Rx pressure is >900 psig.
- B. Incorrect since you do not wait to return a CRD Pp to service.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since you do not perform a normal shutdown and you do not try to restart a pump on overcurrent.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: CRD SYSTEM  
Source: N  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G2  
Cog Level: C/A 4.3/4.2  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

88. 295025EA2.03 001

The following conditions exist on Unit 3:

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Reactor Scrammed due to stuck open relief valve. |          |
| Reactor pressure                                 | 700 psig |
| Suppression Pool level                           | 15 FT    |
| Suppression Pool temperature                     | 200°F    |

Which ONE of the following actions should the Unit Supervisor direct to be performed?  
(Refer to 3-EOI-1)

- A. Emergency Depressurize the reactor.
- B. Lower reactor pressure to 500 psig without exceeding 100°F cooldown rate.
- C. Exit pressure control and enter steam cooling.
- D. Lower reactor pressure to 500 psig irrespective of cooldown rate.

References: 3-EOI-1 Rev.5

A. Incorrect since procedure directs lowering reactor pressure to within curve 3 limits irrespective of cooldown rates.

B. Incorrect since procedure directs lowering reactor pressure to within curve 3 limits irrespective of cooldown rates.

C. Incorrect since steam cooling is not required.

D. Correct answer per Curve 3 and override RC/P-7.

RO Tier:

SRO Tier: TIG1

Keyword: HEAT CAPACITY

Cog Level: C/A 3.9/4.1

Source: N

Exam: BF02301

Test: S

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

89. 295026G2.1.12 001

Unit 2 is conducting a plant startup per 2-GOI-100-1A, "Unit Startup and Power Operation", and surveillance 2-SR-3.5.1.8, "HPCI Main and Booster Pump Set Developed Head and Flow Rate Test at 150 psig" is in progress. The following conditions exist:

Suppression Pool water temperature is 98°F and rising.  
Both loops of Suppression Pool cooling are in service.

The Unit Supervisor is implementing the actions of EOI-2, "Primary Containment Control".

In accordance with Unit 2 Technical Specifications, which ONE of the following actions is required once Suppression Pool temperature exceeds 105°F?

- A. Place the Reactor Mode Switch in SHUTDOWN.
- B. Suspend all testing that adds heat to the Suppression Pool.
- C. Reduce THERMAL POWER to range 7 on IRM's within 12 hours.
- D. Depressurize the reactor vessel to less than 200 psig within 12 hours.

References: Tech Specs 3.6.2.1, Suppression Pool Average Temperature

A. Incorrect since the Mode Switch doesn't need to be placed in Shutdown until average Suppression Pool temperature exceeds 110°F.

B. Correct answer.

C. Incorrect since this is done if cannot meet Required Action and associated Completion time of Condition A.

D. Incorrect since this is performed if average Suppression Pool temperature exceeds 120°F.

RO Tier:

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: SUPPRESSION CHAMBER

Cog Level: MEM 2.8/3.1

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: S

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

90. 295031EA2.04 001

The following conditions exist on Unit 2 after a scram from 100% power:

|                           |                                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Reactor Power             | 6%                                |
| SLC                       | INJECTING                         |
| Reactor Water level       | UNKNOWN                           |
| Suppression pool temp     | 105 degrees F                     |
| Suppression Pool Pressure | 3.0 psig                          |
| Drywell Pressure          | 3.0 psig                          |
| Six ADS valves            | OPEN                              |
| RPV injection             | Stopped and Prevented per Appx. 4 |

Which ONE of the following indicates the reactor pressure at which injection to the vessel should be reestablished?  
(Supply copy of EOI-1 and C-4)

- A. When reactor pressure is below 65 psig.
- B. When reactor pressure is below 68 psig.
- C. When reactor pressure is below 180 psig.
- D. When reactor pressure is below 220 psig.

References: 2-EOI-1 Rev. 8  
C-4 Rev. 6

A. Incorrect since this is the pressure that needs to be above Suppression Chamber if the reactor will stay shutdown under all conditions.

B. Incorrect since this pressure added to Suppression Chamber pressure is the pressure required to be maintained if the reactor will stay shutdown under all conditions.

C. Correct answer with 6 or more MSRVS open.

D. Incorrect since this is the pressure with only 5 MSRVS open.

RO Tier:

SRO Tier: T1G1

Keyword: RPV FLOODING

Cog Level: C/A 4.6/4.8

Source: B

Exam: BF02301

Test: S

Misc: TCK

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91. 295038G2.3.4 001

Unit 2 has experienced a severe accident.

Which ONE of the following conditions would require EMERGENCY DEPRESSURIZATION per *EOI-4, Radioactivity Release Control*?

- A. Release rates above an ALERT due to fuel failure and a leak from the suppression pool.
- B. Release rates exceeding an Unusual Event classification and an unisolable leak on the HPCI steam line.
- C. Release rates approaching a General Emergency and leakage past the MSIVs to a steam leak in the turbine building.
- D. Release rates exceeding a General Emergency but no indications of a primary system discharging outside of containment.

References: EOI-4, Radioactive Release Control, Rev.5

- A. Incorrect since lowering reactor pressure would not slow down the leak.
- B. Incorrect since release rate is below the alert level and not approaching the General Emergency level.
- C. Correct answer.
- D. Incorrect since nothing is being discharged outside of primary or secondary containment.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: RADIATION CONTROL  
Source: B  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G1  
Cog Level: MEM 2.5/3.1  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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92. 600000G2.4.27 001

A fire rated door listed in Table 9.3.11.E of the BFNP FIRE PROTECTION PLAN is about to be propped open while work is in progress on one side of the door. There is no fire detection equipment available to protect either side of the fire door. The door is located in a contamination zone.

Which ONE of the following is the MINIMUM action that must be taken to compensate for having the fire door propped open?

- A. Establish a roving hourly fire watch to monitor the both areas until the door is restored to an operable status.
- B. If hot work is to be performed in either of the adjacent rooms, establish a continuous fire watch on either side of the open door.
- C. No compensatory actions are required as long as the fire door is verified to be closed at least one time daily.
- D. Establish a continuous/dedicated fire watch to monitor the impaired fire door area until the door is restored to an operable status.

References: Fire Protection Plan Vol.1 Rev.17 pg 25.

Modified so that the examinee must determine that the door is inoperable.

A. Incorrect since a continuous/dedicated fire watch is required until the door is restored to operable status.

B. Incorrect since a continuous/dedicated fire watch is required until the door is restored to operable status.

C. Incorrect since the fire door is inoperable and compensatory actions are required.

D. Correct answer.

RO Tier:

Keyword: FIRE PROTECTION

Source: M

Test: S

SRO Tier: T1G2

Cog Level: C/A 3.0/3.5

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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93. G2.1.10 001

You are in the position of SM. There are several NRC personnel in the control area conducting initial reactor operator examinations. You feel these activities are interfering with daily plant activities, you are concerned with the number of people in the control room. According to SSP10.0, Plant Operations, which ONE of the following actions should be taken?

- A. Ask the NRC personnel to leave the control room.
- B. Contact the NRC Senior Resident Inspector for resolution.
- C. Contact the Plant Manager for resolution.
- D. Nothing. NRC personnel shall be allowed to enter or be present in the control room for any activity.

SSP10.0, Plant Operations:  
3.6 Control Room Activities

The SM, US and the UO have the authority to restrict access to or remove personnel from the control room. NRC personnel shall be allowed to enter or be present in the control room. If the SM has concern over the number or activities of NRC personnel, he shall contact the Plant Manager for resolution.

|          |                     |            |             |
|----------|---------------------|------------|-------------|
| RO Tier: |                     | SRO Tier:  | T3          |
| Keyword: | COMMAND AND CONTROL | Cog Level: | MEM 2.7/3.9 |
| Source:  | B                   | Exam:      | BF02301     |
| Test:    | S                   | Misc:      |             |

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

94. G2.1.12 001

The following plant conditions exist on U-2.

- Mode 5
- Reactor Mode Switch REFUEL
- Spent Fuel Pool Shuffle in progress

The following plant conditions exist on U-3.

- Mode 4
- Reactor Mode Switch SHUTDOWN
- Preparations for startup underway

In accordance with Tech Specs the Standby Gas Treatment is...

- A. NOT required to be operable
- B. ✓ required to be operable for U-2.
- C. required to be operable for U-3.
- D. required to be operable for both units.

References: Technical Specification 3.7.B

RO Tier:

Keyword: SGBT

Source: B

Test: S

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: C/A 2.9/4.0

Exam: BF02301

Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

95. G2.2.14 001

Unit 3 is in a Refueling Outage with a 24 month Group 2 surveillance in progress. The Test Director assigned to coordinate the surveillance is in the control room monitoring the test when the SGT system receives an actual Auto Start signal. The Test Director stops the surveillance until the conditions that caused SGT to auto start are corrected.

Which ONE of the following describes the actions the Test Director must perform to restart the surveillance?

- A.  Re-verify the Initial conditions and ensure equipment performance will not be jeopardized by completing the remainder of the procedure.
- B. Discard the surveillance test that was interrupted and repeat the surveillance from the beginning.
- C. Verify with Operations that they are able to support the remainder of the surveillance test and continue where the procedure was interrupted.
- D. The Test Director and Operations can review the procedure to see if all of the Acceptance Criteria is met. If it is then the surveillance can be signed off as complete.

Reference: SPP-8.1 Rev.2 Pg 9  
OPL171.078 Rev.11 Pg 14  
Enabling Objective OPL171.078 #B11

- A. Correct answer.
- B. Incorrect since the previous procedure is not discarded.
- C. Incorrect since the Test Director and Operations must re-verify the initial conditions prior to restarting the test.
- D. Incorrect since the surveillance cannot be signed off as complete until all steps are completed or N/A'd.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: TESTING  
Source: N  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: MEM 2.1/3.0  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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96. G2.2.5 001

The System Engineer for the RHR System has performed an Evaluation for a Temporary Alteration to the system. The temp alt is not Quality Related. The Systems Engineering Manager has approved the temp alt.

Which ONE of the following lists the individuals that are required to give approval prior to installing the temp alt?

- A. Shift Manager, PORC, and Plant Manager.
- B. Regulatory Assurance Manager and Plant Manager.
- C. Shift Manager and Plant Manager.
- D. Shift Manager, Regulatory Assurance Manager, and PORC.

References: OPL171.079 Rev.11 pg 9

- A. Incorrect since PORC is not required since the temp alt is not quality related.
- B. Incorrect since the Regulatory Assurance Manager is not a required signature.
- C. Correct answer since temp alt is not Quality related.
- D. Incorrect since Regulatory Assurance Manager and PORC are not required signatures.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: TEMP ALT  
Source: N  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: C/A 1.6/2.7  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

97. G2.3.4 001

Given the following exposure history data for an individual:

Lifetime Exposure: 19500 mrem TEDE (NRC form 4 on file)  
Annual Exposure: 4600 mrem TEDE  
Quarterly Exposure: 600 mrem TEDE  
Age: 22  
Sex: Male

Which ONE of the following is the maximum additional whole body exposure the individual is allowed to receive in the current calendar quarter under Federal (10 CFR 20) exposure limits? (Not a planned special exposure)

- A. 400 mrem TEDE.
- B. 600 mrem TEDE.
- C. 800 mrem TEDE.
- D. 1400 mrem TEDE.

References: 10 CFR 20 Subpart C 20.1201

A. Correct answer.

B, C and D. Incorrect since worker is limited to 5000 mRem annually.

Note: Changed annual dose in stem to 4600 instead of 4300. This changed the correct answer.

RO Tier:

Keyword: RADIATION CONTROL

Source: B

Test: S

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: C/A 2.5/3.1

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

98. G2.3.9 001

Unit 2 startup is in progress with the following conditions existing:

Reactor Power            10% RTP  
Reactor Pressure        920 psig  
Mode Switch Position    START/HOT STBY  
Containment is being inerted with purge filter fan in service.

Which ONE of the following describes the results of taking the action specified under these plant conditions?

- A. Placing the Reactor Mode Switch in RUN will initiate a Group 6 PCIS isolation unless Bypass switches are placed in BYPASS on panel 9-3.
- B. ✓ Placing the Reactor Mode Switch in RUN will automatically close all valves required for inerting with the purge filter fan unless Bypass switches are placed in BYPASS on panel 9-3.
- C. Turning the purge filter fan off will automatically close the drywell and suppression chamber exhaust valves.
- D. Placing the Reactor Mode Switch in RUN will automatically close the drywell and suppression chamber exhaust isolation valves unless the Drywell/Suppression Chamber Train A/B Vent keylock switches are positioned to DRYWELL.

References: OPL171.032 Rev.10 pg 14 and 15

- A. Incorrect since placing the Mode Switch in RUN will not initiate a Group 6 isolation.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since turning off the purge fan will not close the valves.
- D. Incorrect since placing the Drywell/Suppression Chamber Train A/B Vent keylock switches to the DRYWELL position does not prevent valve movement.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: CONTAINMENT  
Source: B  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: CA/ 2.5/3.4  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc: TCK

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
for Browns Ferry Questions

99. G2.4.29 001

It is noted by the Unit 2 Supervisor that a Site Area Emergency classification level was exceeded but the present situation indicates that only an Alert classification level is being exceeded,.....

Which ONE (1) of the following is correct concerning the Radiological Emergency Plan?

- A. the higher classification should be reported to CECC, if staffed, or ODS, if the CECC is not staffed, and the lower classification reported to NRC.
- B. ✓ the higher classification shall be reported to NRC and the CECC if staffed, or the ODS, if the CECC is not staffed, but the higher classification should not be declared.
- C. only the lower classification should be reported to NRC and the CECC if staffed, or the ODS, if the CECC is not staffed.
- D. the higher classification shall be declared.

References: EPIP-1 Rev.29 Pg 3

- A. Incorrect since the higher classification should be reported to the NRC.
- B. Correct answer.
- C. Incorrect since the higher classification should be reported to the NRC.
- D. Incorrect since the higher classification should not be declared but should be reported to everyone.

RO Tier:  
Keyword: EMERGENCY PLAN  
Source: B  
Test: S

SRO Tier: T3  
Cog Level: MEM 2.6/4.0  
Exam: BF02301  
Misc:

**QUESTIONS REPORT**  
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100. G2.4.41 001

Units 1 and 2 Control Room has become engulfed with smoke and at 1415 the SM orders the control room abandoned. The status of the Units is as follows:

Unit 1 is defueled.

Unit 2 is in Mode 1.

Unit 3 control room is unaffected.

At 1438 control of Unit 2 is established from Panel 2-25-32.

Which ONE of the following describes the Emergency Classification and who is responsible for EPIP implementation?

- A. SM declares an ALERT and he implements EPIP.
- B. SM declares an ALERT and Unit 1 US implements EPIP.
- C. SM declares a SITE AREA EMERGENCY and SSS implements EPIP.
- D. SM declares a SITE AREA EMERGENCY and Unit 3 US implements EPIP.

References: 2-AOI-100-2 Rev. 47 pg 3  
Enabling Objective OPL171.208 #4

A. Incorrect since this is classified as a Site Emergency due to backup control from Panel 2-25-32 is NOT established within 20 minutes.

B. Incorrect since this is classified as a Site Emergency due to backup control from Panel 2-25-32 is NOT established within 20 minutes.

C. Incorrect since Unit 3 US assumes responsibility for EPIP implementation.

D. Correct answer since control from Panel 2-25-32 is NOT established within 20 minutes.

Note: Changed stem as far as time it takes to establish control from Panel 2-25-32 which changes the answer.

RO Tier:

Keyword: CONTROL ROOM

Source: M

Test: S

SRO Tier: T3

Cog Level: C/A 2.3/4.1

Exam: BF02301

Misc: TCK