

Comparison of NRC and DOE Calculations

	NRC	DOE
• Comparison		
Peak Annual Dose (10,000 yrs-- Juvenile Failure)	0.004 mrem/yr	0.008 mrem/yr
Annual Dose at 50,000 yrs (I-129 +Tc-99)	0.6	0.2
Waste Package Neutralized (10,000 years)	0.6	770

- Important differences in the models**
 - Waste package juvenile failure and degradation
 - Cladding
 - Retardation in saturated zone
 - Dilution

Legacy / main - 70

Comparison of NRC and DOE Neutralizations

- **NRC neutralization scales according to number of SNF waste packages:**

$$(.004) \frac{(SNF \cdot 6500)}{(SNF \cdot 39)} \approx 0.7$$

- **DOE neutralization scales according to SNF packages and dilution factor**
- **Another key effect however is contribution of HLW:**

$$(.008) \frac{\left(.014 \cdot SNF \cdot \frac{7700}{3300 \cdot D} + HLW \cdot \frac{1700}{160 \cdot D} \right)}{.014 \cdot SNF / (3300 \cdot D / 3.7)} \approx 230 + 540 \approx 770$$