



# US-APWR

## GSI-191 Closure Plan

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# Introduction



- A Sump Strainer Task Force has been formed to address US-APWR Standard Plant issues, specifically related to NRC Staff questions and RAIs related to GSI-191.
- Task Force Membership
  - MHI
  - MNES
  - Luminant
  - Dominion
- Presentation is a joint effort from the Sump Strainer Task Force

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# Submittals Supporting GSI-191



## MHI submittals supporting DC Application

### ➤ Six Technical Reports (TeRs) have been submitted to NRC

|                |                              |          |
|----------------|------------------------------|----------|
| MUAP-08001(R3) | Sump Strainer Performance    | Nov 2010 |
| MUAP-08006(R1) | Chemical Effects Test Plan   | Dec 2008 |
| MUAP-08011(R0) | Chemical Effects Test Result | Nov 2008 |
| MUAP-08012(R0) | Sump Strainer Stress Report  | Dec 2008 |
| MUAP-08013(R1) | Downstream Effects           | Jan 2011 |
| MUAP-10021(R0) | Core Inlet Blockage Test     | Nov 2010 |

### ➤ TeRs were prepared in accordance with GL 2004-02 Contents Guide with attention to March 2008 Guidance

# Submittals Supporting GSI-191



| GL 2004-02<br>Revised Content Guide  | <u>MUAP-08001</u><br>Sump Strainer<br>Performance | <u>MUAP-08006</u><br><u>MUAP-08011</u><br>Chemical Effect<br>Test Plan & Results | <u>MUAP-08012</u><br>Sump Strainer<br>Stress Report | <u>MUAP-08013</u><br>Downstream Effect<br><u>MUAP-10021</u><br>CIB Test |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| 1. Debris Source Term                | X   | (X)  |   |   |
| 2. Break Selection                   | X   |  |   |   |
| 3. Debris Generation/ZOI             | X   |  |   |   |
| 4. Debris Characteristics            | X   |  |   |   |
| 5. Latent Debris                     | X   |  |   |   |
| 6. Debris Transport                  | X   |  |   |   |
| 7. HL and Vortexing                  | X   |  |   |   |
| 8. NPSH                              | X   |  |   |   |
| 9. Screen Modification Package       | X<br>(strainer description provided)              |  | (X)   |   |
| 10. Sump Structural Analysis         |   |  | X   |   |
| 11. Upstream Effect                  | X   |  |   |   |
| 12. Downstream Effect (In/Ex-vessel) |   |  |   | X   |
| 13. Chemical Effects                 | (X)   | X  |   | (X)   |
| 14. Licensing Basis (Changes)        | N/A   | N/A  | N/A   | N/A   |

Note : (X) Includes supplemental information



# Current Design Features



## Debris Sources and Generation

- Maximize Reflective Metal Insulation (RMI)
- Restrict fibrous insulation in containment
- Use DBA-qualified epoxy coating
- Use ZOIs recommended by SE of NEI 04-07

## Debris Transport

- 100% debris transport was assumed for conservatism
- 70% / 30% debris split between two of four sumps (two assumed inoperable)

## NPSH

- Supported by US-APWR Strainer Head Loss Test Program
- Assumes containment pressure equivalent to vapor pressure of the sump fluid for temperatures > 212F

## Downstream Effects

- In/Ex-Vessel effects evaluated
- Core Inlet Blockage (CIB) tests performed to support the downstream effects evaluation

# NRC Review Status



## RAI Interactions (as of March 25, 2011)

- 98 RAI questions issued by the NRC
- 98 responses submitted by MHI
- 1 draft RAI question issued by the NRC

## NRC Review Status (as of March 25, 2011)

- 25 identified as "resolved/closed"
- 73 identified as "responded"

## MHI reviewed the current status and found that

- MHI needs to take further action to resolve NRC concerns
- The NRC is requested to confirm RAI status



# NRC Review Status



## RAI Map Regarding GS-191 Issue (as of March 25, 2011)

| GL 2004-02<br>Revised Content Guide  | Issued/Responded<br>RAIs | NRC Review Status         |             |                         |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|                                      |                          | "Accepted/Closed"<br>RAIs | "Responded" |                         |
|                                      |                          |                           | MHI Action  | Requested NRC<br>Action |
| 1. Debris Source Term                | 1/1                      | 1                         | 0           | 0                       |
| 2. Break Selection                   | 3/3                      | 2                         | 0           | 1                       |
| 3. Debris Generation/ZOI             | 1/1                      | 1                         | 0           | 0                       |
| 4. Debris Characteristics            | 3/3                      | 1                         | 2           | 0                       |
| 5. Latent Debris                     | 0/0                      | 0                         | 0           | 0                       |
| 6. Debris Transport                  | 2/2                      | 0                         | 2           | 0                       |
| 7. HL and Vortexing                  | 6/6                      | 0                         | 1           | 5                       |
| 8. NPSH                              | 6/6                      | 0                         | 1           | 5                       |
| 9. Strainer Description              | 1/1                      | 0                         | 0           | 1                       |
| 10. Sump Structural Analysis         | 0/0                      | 0                         | 0           | 0                       |
| 11. Upstream Effect                  | 7/7                      | 2                         | 0           | 5                       |
| 12. Downstream Effect (In/Ex-vessel) | 37/37                    | 6                         | 1           | 30                      |
| 13. Chemical Effects                 | 10/10                    | 10                        | 0           | 0                       |
| 14. ITAAC/COL item                   | 11/11                    | 2                         | 0           | 9                       |
| 15. Administrative                   | 10/10                    | 0                         | 2           | 8                       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                         | <b>98/98</b>             | <b>25</b>                 | <b>9</b>    | <b>64</b>               |

# MHI Actions



The following are issues where MHI will take action:

- Floating debris observed at Head Loss Test
  - Concern that floating debris resulted in non-conservative strainer head loss (06.02.02-58)
- Debris Allocation
  - Concern the basis of 70%/30% split for break-generated debris (06.02.02-61).
- Erosion Factor
  - Need further evaluation of industry test applicability to the US-APWR (06.02.02-61).
- Gap issue of Core Inlet Blockage Test
  - Concern that mockup fuel assembly with full-gap was non-conservative with respect to debris bypass of the fuel region (06.02.02-98)
- Air ingestion impact on NPSHreq
  - NPSH calculation should consider the penalty due to calculated air ingestion ratio (06.02.02-28)
- Administrative
  - Describe sump strainer performance basis in the DCD (06.02.02-44,-55,-62)

# Requested NRC Action



The NRC is requested to confirm the acceptability of the responses to the following RAIs which impact the Closure Plan:

- Upstream effects evaluation                      06.02.02-24, -25, 04.04-40
- Containment pressure                                06.02.02-60, -62, 06.03-87
- Bypass debris                                         06.03-99

NRC confirmation is requested by the first conference call after this public meeting in order to support the test schedule.

# Closure Plan



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- MHI will revise debris source term.
- MHI will perform additional strainer test using an improved test procedure to address floating debris issue.
- Additional CIB tests will be performed using half-gap configuration.
- MHI will submit amended TeRs and DCD Tracking Report providing additional information to resolve NRC concerns.
- MHI proposes weekly conference calls with the staff to resolve any questions, and to accelerate closing of all RAIs.

## Schedule

- Amended TeRs and DCD Tracking Report will be submitted to the NRC following testing.
- Additional test schedules will be discussed in the closed session.