

ILT42 ONS SRO NRC Examination QUESTION 76

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APE008 AA2.10 - Pressurizer (PZR) Vapor Space Accident (Relief Valve Stuck Open)

Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Pressurizer Vapor Space Accident: (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)

High-pressure injection valves and controllers .....

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor power = 100%
- 1HP-410 closed with breaker tagged open for maintenance

Time = 0405

- Transient occurs
- 1RC-67 opens
- 1SA-18/A-1 (Pressurizer Relief Valve Flow) actuated

Time = 0425

- SCM = 0°F
- 1HP-26 failed closed
- LOSCM tab in progress
- 300 gpm EFDW flow established to each SG

- 1) BOTH SGs will be (1).
- 2) The next action directed by the LOSCM tab will be to (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. fully depressurized
    2. increase EFDW flow to 1000 gpm per SG
  - B.
    1. fully depressurized
    2. throttle EFDW flow to maintain RCS cooldown rates within limits
  - C.
    1. depressurized to not less than 250 psig
    2. increase EFDW flow to 1000 gpm per SG
  - D.
    1. depressurized to not less than 250 psig
    2. throttle EFDW flow to maintain RCS cooldown rates within limits
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**A**

**General Discussion**

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**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Due to HPI flow in one header only, BOTH SGs will be fully depressurized and EFDW floww will be increase to 1000 gpm per header.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because it would be correct without degraded HPI flow.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because with only the TDEFDW pump operating it would be correct. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because with only the TDEFDW pump operating it would be correct. Second part is plausible because it would be correct without degraded HPI flow.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of the effect of a loww of HPI injection valves have during a vapor space accident and action taken as a result.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

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**Basis for SRO only**

Per Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1

Question requires: "Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed"

Have to asses plant conditions and determine how the SG will be used to mitigate the event.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing "systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

<b>Development References</b>
LOSCM tab Rule 7

<b>Student References Provided</b>

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 Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Pressurizer Vapor Space Accident: (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)  
 High-pressure injection valves and controllers .....

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>

APE015/017 AA2.10 - Reactor Coolant Pump (RCP) Malfunctions

Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Reactor Coolant Pump Malfunctions (Loss of RC Flow): (CFR 43.5 / 45.13)

When to secure RCPs on loss of cooling or seal injection . . . . .

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Reactor power = 75%
- AP/20 (Loss of Component Cooling) in progress

Current conditions:

- 1A1 RCP Radial Bearing Temperature = 248°F stable

In accordance with AP/20:

- 1) The 1A1 RCP (1) required to be secured.
- 2) If the RCP is required to be secured the reactor (2) be tripped first.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A. 1. is  
2. will
  - B. 1. is  
2. will NOT
  - C. 1. is NOT  
2. will
  - D. 1. is NOT  
2. will NOT
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A

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Per AP/20 IAAT RCP radial bearing temp exceeds 225 then the RCP must be secured. Because Reactor power is above 70%, AP/20 directs tripping the reactor and then the RCP.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because if reactor power were below 70% then it would be correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because AP/16 list other immediate RCP trips above 248 degrees. Ie MTR STATOR if 295 degrees. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because AP/16 list other immediate RCP trips above 248 degrees. Ie MTR STATOR if 295 degrees. Second part is plausible because if reactor power were below 70% then it would be correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of when a RCP must be secured with a loss Component Cooling.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

This question requires the following:  
Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed

Requires asses the plant conditions and determining if the reactor will be tripped or not prior to securing the RCP.

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge”, i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

AP/20  
 AP/16

**Student References Provided**

APE015/017 AA2.10 - Reactor Coolant Pump (RCP) Malfunctions  
 Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Reactor Coolant Pump Malfunctions (Loss of RC Flow): (CFR 43.5 / 45.13)  
 When to secure RCPs on loss of cooling or seal injection . . . . .

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**



N/A - N/A

Never Assigned to a K/A

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Given the following Unit 2 conditions:

- Refueling in progress
- FTC level = 22 feet stable
- No water additions are being made to the system
- 2A LPI train is operable and in service

Current conditions:

- Refueling SRO desires stopping the 2A LPI Pump to aid in inserting a fuel assembly
- 2A LPI pump has been in continuous operation for the previous 24 hours

Which ONE of the following describes whether the 2A LPI pump may be stopped in accordance with OP/2/A/1502/007 (Operations Defueling /Refueling Responsibilities) and the bases for this action?

- A. 2A LPI Pump may be stopped  
FTC provides adequate backup decay heat removal
  - B. 2A LPI Pump may be stopped  
Spent Fuel Cooling system provides adequate backup decay heat removal
  - C. 2A LPI Pump may NOT be stopped  
FTC does NOT provide adequate backup decay heat removal.
  - D. 2A LPI Pump may NOT be stopped  
Spent Fuel Cooling does NOT provide adequate backup decay heat removal
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. TS 3.9.4 (Refueling Ops- DHR and Coolant Circulation (High Water Level) is in effect as water level is  $\geq 21.34$  ft. This condition requires only 1 DHR loop to be operable and in service since the water can provide adequate backup decay heat removal. TS and Refueling procedures limits & precautions allow SRO to grant permission for the operating loop to be secured for up to 1 hour every 8 hours with adequate level.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is correct. 2nd part is incorrect but plausible since Spent Fuel Cooling (SFC) helps to provide decay heat removal but is not the basis for allowing the pump to be secured for up to an hour.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is incorrect but plausible if TS 3.9.5 criteria are misapplied to this situation. TS3.9.5 (DHR and Coolant Circulation – Low Water Level) requires 2 operable DHR loops with one loop in service (no time is allowed for a pump to be secured). 2nd part is wrong but plausible in that it would be true if level was below the refueling level of 21.34 ft.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is incorrect but plausible if TS 3.9.5 criteria are misapplied to this situation. TS3.9.5 (DHR and Coolant Circulation – Low Water Level) requires 2 operable DHR loops with one loop in service (no time is allowed for a pump to be secured). 2nd part is incorrect but plausible since Spent Fuel Cooling (SFC) helps to provide decay heat removal but is not the basis for allowing the pump to be secured for up to an hour.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Requires knowledge of SRO duties during fuel handling. Including the provision to cause a temporary loss of DHR under certain conditions.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Requires knowledge of procedures and limitations involved in core alterations (43.6), TS and Bases (43.2). Requires knowledge of the bases of TS 3.9.4.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	BANK	ONS 2009A Q95

**Development References**

OP/0/A/1506/001  
 OP/2/A/1502/007  
 TS 3.9.4  
 TS B3.9.4  
 TS 3.9.5  
 ONS 2009A Q95

**Student References Provided**

N/A - N/A

Never Assigned to a K/A

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

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APE054 AA2.06 - Loss of Main Feedwater (MFW)

Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Loss of Main Feedwater (MFW): (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)

AFW adjustments needed to maintain proper T-ave. and S/G level .....

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor power = 100%
- 2SA-18/A-11 (Turbine BSMT Water Emergency High Level) actuates

Time = 0402

- BOTH Main FDW Pumps trip

Time = 0407

- Both SGs level = 30 inches XSUR stable

In accordance with the TBF tab:

- 1) EFDW flow will be (1).
- 2) Subsequently if, ALL EFDW is lost (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. adjusted to increase BOTH SGs to 95% O.R.
    2. HPI Forced Cooling will be initiated
  - B.
    1. adjusted to increase BOTH SGs to 95% O.R.
    2. SSF-ASW flow will be established to BOTH SGs
  - C.
    1. controlled in accordance with the guidance in Rule 7 (SG Feed Control), Table 4 (SG Level Control Points)
    2. HPI Forced Cooling will be initiated
  - D.
    1. controlled in accordance with the guidance in Rule 7 (SG Feed Control), Table 4 (SG Level Control Points)
    2. SSF-ASW flow will be established to BOTH SGs
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B

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because HPI F/C would normally be the next choice for decay heat removal.

**Answer B Discussion**

Correct. Per notes in the TBF tab:  
  
 "Feeding to 95% O.R. in Step 1 supersedes guidance in Rule 7 (SG Feed Control), Table 4 (SG Level Control Points)"  
  
 For long term cooling, maintenance of stable shutdown conditions from the SSF is preferred over the initiation of HPI forced cooling.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because Rule 7 normally provides guidance on how to feed the SGs. Second part is plausible because HPI F/C would normally be the next choice for decay heat removal.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because Rule 7 normally provides guidance on how to feed the SGs. Second part is correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge how EFDW will be controlled during a loss of Main FDW during a turbine building flood.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires detailed knowledge of EOP during a loss of MFDW along with a turbine building flood.

This question requires the following:  
 Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge?, i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

TBF tab

**Student References Provided**

APE054 AA2.06 - Loss of Main Feedwater (MFW)  
 Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Loss of Main Feedwater (MFW): (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)  
 AFW adjustments needed to maintain proper T-ave. and S/G level .....

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**



EPE055 2.2.37 - Loss of Offsite and Onsite Power (Station Blackout)

EPE055 GENERIC

Ability to determine operability and/or availability of safety related equipment. (CFR: 41.7 / 43.5 / 45.12)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor power = 100%
- TDEFDW pump OOS

Time = 0445

- Station blackout
- Reactor trip
- Control Rod Group 2 Rod 3 position = 90% withdrawn
- AP/25 (SSF EOP) initiated

Time = 0550

- 1TC, 1TD, and 1TE de-energized
- Standby Buses energized from CT-5

- 1) At 0550, the Blackout tab will direct using (1) to feed the SGs.
- 2) When feed to the SGs is established the Blackout tab will direct (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. SSF ASW
    2. stabilizing CETCs  $\leq 550^{\circ}\text{F}$
  - B.
    1. SSF ASW
    2. initiating a cool down to  $450^{\circ}\text{F}$
  - C.
    1. Station ASW
    2. stabilizing CETCs  $\leq 550^{\circ}\text{F}$
  - D.
    1. Station ASW
    2. initiating a cool down to  $450^{\circ}\text{F}$
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Although power is available to the station ASW pump, the SSF ASW pump will be used to feed the SG. The RCS will be stabilized at 550 degrees. A cooldown will not be performed.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because it a cooldown plateau used in the SGTR tab.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it does have power and would be used if the SSF-ASW pump were not available. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it does have power and would be used if the SSF-ASW pump were not available. Second part is plausible because it a cooldown plateau used in the SGTR tab.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of available equipment during a blackout and what will be used to stabilize the unit.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Detailed knowledge of the Blackout tab is required to answer this question. Must asses plant conditions and determine which source of feed will be used and decide whether to stabilize or cooldown the RCS.

This question requires the following:

Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
EAP-BO R3 BO tab SGTR tab

Student References Provided

EPE055 2.2.37 - Loss of Offsite and Onsite Power (Station Blackout)  
 EPE055 GENERIC  
 Ability to determine operability and/or availability of safety related equipment. (CFR: 41.7 / 43.5 / 45.12)

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>



BWE04 2.4.30 - Inadequate Heat Transfer  
BWE04 GENERIC

Knowledge of events related to system operation/status that must be reported to internal organizations or external agencies, such as the State, the NRC, or the transmission system operator. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.11)

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In accordance with the Site Emergency Plan, which ONE of the following would require notifying the State and Counties of plant status?

- A. An RCS leak of 4 gpm
  - B. SG tube leakage of 19 gpm
  - C. An instrument failure results in ES Channels 1 – 2 actuation
  - D. A loss of heat transfer requires feeding the SG with the SSF ASW pump
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D

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this would require a 4 hour notification of the NRC per OMP 1-14 (Notifications) due to a TS required SD.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this would require a 4 hour notification of the NRC per OMP 1-14 (Notifications) due to a TS required SD.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this would require a 4 hour notification of the NRC per OMP 1-14 (Notifications) due to ECCS discharge into the RCS.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. Feeding the SGs with SSF ASW pump results in a Site Area Emergency Eplan classification. This will require notification of the State and Counties.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of when the Sate and Counties must be notified in accordance with plant procedures.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Question requires knowledge of implementing the Site Emergency Plan and Notification procedures (OMP 1-14). RP/0/B/1000/002 (Control Room emergency Coordinator Procedure) requires notifying the State and Counties within 15 minutes of an Eplan declaration. Both are SRO tasks.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	NEW	

**Development References**

OMP 1-14  
 RP 1000/001  
 RP 1000/002

**Student References Provided**

BWE04 2.4.30 - Inadequate Heat Transfer  
 BWE04 GENERIC

Knowledge of events related to system operation/status that must be reported to internal organizations or external agencies, such as the State, the NRC, or the transmission system operator. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.11)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

**ILT42 ONS SRO NRC Examination QUESTION 82**

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APE003 AA2.03 - Dropped Control Rod

Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Dropped Control Rod: (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)

Dropped rod, using in-core/ex-core instrumentation, in-core or loop temperature measurements .....

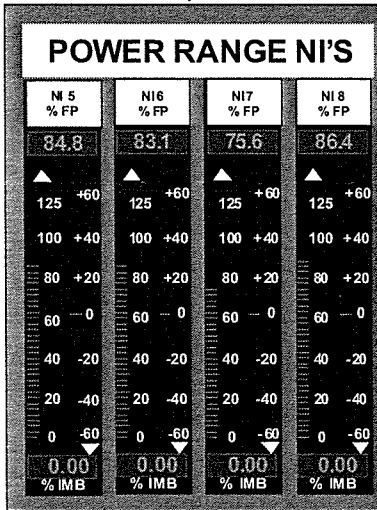
Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial Conditions:

- Reactor power = 85% slowly increasing
- Delta Tc in HAND

Current conditions:

- ICS runback in progress
- Reactor power as indicated below



Which ONE of the following describes:

- 1) the reason for the ICS runback?
- 2) a concern that would result from extended operation with skewed Power Range NI indications as described above?
  - A.
    1. Dropped Control Rod
    2. Brittle fracture of the reactor vessel wall could occur
  - B.
    1. Dropped Control Rod
    2. Peak fuel cladding temperatures could be exceeded
  - C.
    1. RCP trip
    2. Brittle fracture of the reactor vessel wall could occur
  - D.
    1. RCP trip
    2. Peak fuel cladding temperatures could be exceeded



**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible since the reactor vessel wall is affected by exposure to neutron flux. Since neutron embrittlement of the vessel wall is a concern and increased QPT results in increased exposure of the RV wall to neutron flux it is plausible to associate elevated QPT levels with concerns over neutron embrittlement of the RV wall and therefore concerns over Brittle Fracture of the RV.

**Answer B Discussion**

Correct. A dropped control rod will result in depressed power production in the quadrant in which the rod has dropped and depending on the proximity of the rod to other quadrant, it can cause slightly misaligned power production in other quadrants as well. QPT is a common issue that will arise in a dropped rod situation. The COLR provides 3 levels of QPT limits. Although the lowest limit is named "steady state" limit, it applies at all times the spec is applicable (even if the unit is not at "steady state").

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible for two reasons: 1. There is an RC Flow Runback in ICS that would attempt to perform an ICS runback on loss of a RCP at power. Reactor power is low enough in this question so that there would not be a Rx trip on flux/flow when the RCP was lost. With Delta TC in hand there would be no automatic re-ratation of feedwater which adds to plausibility of unbalanced Excore NI indications 2. Since there are 4 pumps (one in each cold leg) it is plausible to associate a RCP with a quadrant of the core and therefore believe that a RCP trip could result in skewed power production in each core due to the flow and temperatures being believed to be different in each quadrant. With Delta TC in hand there would be no automatic re-ratation of feedwater which adds to plausibility of unbalanced Excore NI indications. Second part is plausible since the reactor vessel wall is affected by exposure to neutron flux. Since neutron embrittlement of the vessel wall is a concern and increased QPT results in increased exposure of the RV wall to neutron flux it is plausible to associate elevated QPT levels with concerns over neutron embrittlement of the RV wall and therefore concerns over Brittle Fracture of the RV.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible for two reasons: 1. There is an RC Flow Runback in ICS that would attempt to perform an ICS runback on loss of a RCP at power. Reactor power is low enough in this question so that there would not be a Rx trip on flux/flow when the RCP was lost. With Delta TC in hand there would be no automatic re-ratation of feedwater which adds to plausibility of unbalanced Excore NI indications 2. Since there are 4 pumps (one in each cold leg) it is plausible to associate a RCP with a quadrant of the core and therefore believe that a RCP trip could result in skewed power production in each core due to the flow and temperatures being believed to be different in each quadrant. With Delta TC in hand there would be no automatic re-ratation of feedwater which adds to plausibility of unbalanced Excore NI indications. Second part is correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Requires the ability to determine that a Control Rod has been dropped into the core based on excore power range NI's and requires an understanding of the implications of operating with a dropped rod that skews neutron flux and results in Quadrant Power Tilt issues.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions:  
 This question requires knowledge from the basis of TS 3.2.3 that is not systems knowledge.  
 It cannot be answered by knowing 1 hr or less TS/TRM Action  
 It cannot be answered solely with "above the line" information.  
 It cannot be answered solely by knowing Safety Limits

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	BANK	ONS NRC ILT40 #83

**Development References**

ADM-TSS R5  
 ONS NRC ILT40 #83

**Student References Provided**

APE003 AA2.03 - Dropped Control Rod  
 Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the Dropped Control Rod: (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)  
 Dropped rod, using in-core/ex-core instrumentation, in-core or loop temperature measurements .....

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**



**ILT42 ONS SRO NRC Examination QUESTION 83**

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APE069 2.4.41 - Loss of Containment Integrity

APE069 GENERIC

Knowledge of the emergency action level thresholds and classifications. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.11)

Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor power = 70% decreasing
- Unit shut down in progress due to a 140 gpm RCS leak

Time = 0420

- Core SCM = 0°F
- RCS temperature = 550°F decreasing
- Reactor building pressure = 6 psig increasing
- 1RIA-58 = 15R/hr increasing

Time = 0445

- Reactor building pressure = 18 psig increasing
- Tremor felt in the control room
- Seismic trigger actuates

Time = 0450

- Reactor building pressure = 4 psig decreasing
- 1RIA-58 = 55R/hr decreasing
- Little River Dam has failed

1) The Emergency Classification at 0420 is (1).

2) The Emergency Classification at 0450 is (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

**REFERENCE PROVIDED**

- A. 1. Alert  
2. Site Area Emergency
- B. 1. Alert  
2. General Emergency
- C. 1. Site Area Emergency  
2. Site Area Emergency
- D. 1. Site Area Emergency  
2. General Emergency

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because it would be correct if the unexplained decrease in RB pressure were not accounted for in the Fission Product Barrier Matrix.

**Answer B Discussion**

Correct. Loss of SCM gives 5 points on the matrix. This is an Alert. At 0450 LOSCM 5 points, RIA-58 reading at 50 minutes is 5 points, and unexplained RB pressure decrease 3 points. 13 total points which is a General Emergency.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because if the candidate had the misconception that they should add the 4 points for the RCS leak rate . 160 gpm (4 points) and LOSCM (5 points) this would be 9 points and a SAE. Second part is plausible because the failure of the Little River Dam is a SAE.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because if the candidate had the misconception that they should add the 4 points for the RCS leak rate . 160 gpm (4 points) and LOSCM (5 points) this would be 9 points and a SAE. Second part is correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of how a loss on containment will affect an emergency classification.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Emergency Classification is an SRO only task.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
RP/1000/001

Student References Provided
RP/1000/001 Encl. 4.1 - 4.9

APE069 2.4.41 - Loss of Containment Integrity  
 APE069 GENERIC  
 Knowledge of the emergency action level thresholds and classifications. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.11)

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>

BWE03 2.1.32 - Inadequate Subcooling Margin

BWE03 GENERIC

Ability to explain and apply system limits and precautions. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.12)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Time = 0400
- Reactor power = 100%
- 1B HPI OOS

Current conditions:

- Time = 0410
- ES Channels 1 – 8 actuated
- Core SCM = 0°F
- EOP Enclosure 5.1 (ES Actuation) in progress
- Seal Inlet HDR Flow = 25 gpm
- HPI Flow Train A flow = 456 gpm
- HPI Flow Train B flow = 482 gpm
- LPI Flow Train A flow = 1820 gpm
- LPI Flow Train B flow = 1730 gpm

- 1) (1) exceeding the HPI pumps flow limits in accordance with Rule 6 (HPI Pump Throttling Limits).
- 2) If the HPI pump(s) exceeding the flow limit is/are secured, the ECCS equipment required to mitigate this event in accordance with the Safety Analysis (2) be operating.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. BOTH HPI headers are
    2. will
  - B.
    1. BOTH HPI headers are
    2. will NOT
  - C.
    1. ONLY the 1B HPI header is
    2. will
  - D.
    1. ONLY the 1B HPI header is
    2. will NOT
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Both headers have only one HPI pump operating and both are exceeding 475 gpm. The "A" header must include Seal Inlet Flow. Both HPI pumps will be secured. However no HPI pumps are credited for a Large Break LOCA.. Since both LPI header flow together exceeds 3400 gpm, this would be a LBLOCA.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because if not a LBLOCA this would be correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because if Seal Inlet Flow not added in to the "A" header this would be correct. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because if Seal Inlet Flow not added in to the "A" header this would be correct. Second part is plausible because if not a LBLOCA this would be correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

This question requires knowledge about HPI system limits and how to apply them during a LOSCM.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

This question requires knowledge of TS 3.5.2 bases.

Can question be answered solely by knowing . 1 hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed "above-the-line? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

ADM-TSS  
EOP Rule 2 and 6  
TS B3.5.2

**Student References Provided**

BWE03 2.1.32 - Inadequate Subcooling Margin  
BWE03 GENERIC  
Ability to explain and apply system limits and precautions. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.12)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

BWE14 EA2.1 - EOP Enclosures

Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the (EOP Enclosures)

(CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)

Facility conditions and selection of appropriate procedures during abnormal and emergency operations.

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor has been tripped due to SGTR in the 1A SG

Time = 0500

- 1A SG level = 293 inches XSUR increasing

Time = 0530

- 1A SG reaches the Water in Steam Line Level

In accordance with the SGTR tab:

- 1) At 0500, EOP Enclosure 5.22 (SG Blowdown) (1) be used to reduce 1A SG level.
- 2) At 0530, stop steaming (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. will NOT
    2. BOTH SGs and initiate HPI Forced Cooling
  - B.
    1. will NOT
    2. the affected SG and continue to steam the unaffected SG
  - C.
    1. will
    2. BOTH SGs and initiate HPI Forced Cooling
  - D.
    1. will
    2. the affected SG and continue to steam the unaffected SG
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that blow down does not occur until "Water in the Steam Line level" is reached. Second part is plausible because it would be correct if both SG were at the "Water in Steam Line Level".

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that blow down does not occur until "Water in the Steam Line level" is reached. Second part is correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because it would be correct if both SG were at the "Water in Steam Line Level".

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. Per the SGTR tab when level exceeds 285 inches then level will be reduced by using SG Blowdown. The SG with "Water In Steam Line Level" will not be steamed and the other SG will be.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of the EOP and when a specific enclosure would be performed.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In Accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1

Question requires "Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed." In this must determine when an EOP enclosure (Encl. 5.22) must be performed and what action to take when water reaches a certain level. This is detailed procedure knowledge.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing "systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flowpath, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
EAP=SGTR SGTR tab

Student References Provided

**BWE14 EA2.1 - EOP Enclosures**  
 Ability to determine and interpret the following as they apply to the (EOP Enclosures)  
 (CFR: 43.5 / 45.13)  
 Facility conditions and selection of appropriate procedures during abnormal and emergency operations.

401-9 Comments:

Remarks/Status





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SYS004 A2.10 - Chemical and Volume Control System

Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the CVCS; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control, or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5/ 43/5 / 45/3 / 45/5)

Inadvertent boration/dilution .....

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Reactor power = 85%
- Control rod group 7 = 93% withdrawn
- Makeup to LDST in progress

Current conditions:

- Reactor power = 85%
- Control rod group 7 = 30% withdrawn

- 1) In accordance with the bases of TS 3.2.1 (Regulating Rod Position Limits) continued operation in the current plant configuration is NOT allowed because (1).
- 2) Restoring rods to within the acceptable region by (2) will satisfy the requirements of TS 3.2.1.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

**REFERENCE PROVIDED**

- A.
    1. SDM is not adequate and ejected rod worth is too high
    2. boration ONLY
  - B.
    1. SDM is not adequate and ejected rod worth is too high
    2. boration OR reducing reactor power
  - C.
    1. this configuration is in violation of the assumptions made in the safety analysis
    2. boration ONLY
  - D.
    1. this configuration is in violation of the assumptions made in the safety analysis
    2. boration OR reducing reactor power
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**D**

**General Discussion**

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**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if it were in the unacceptable region of the curve. Second part is plausible and if in the unacceptable region boration would be required within 15 minutes to restore SDM.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if it were in the unacceptable region of the curve. Second part is correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible and if in the unacceptable region boration would be required within 15 minutes to restore SDM.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. In accordance with the basis of TS 3.2.1 operation in the restricted region is a violation of the assumptions made in the safety analysis. Borating or reducing power will satisfy TS3.2.1.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of the results of a deboration and the TS required actions to correct.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

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**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires "Knowledge of TS bases that are required to analyze TS required actions and terminology." TS Basis 3.2.1.

Can question be answered solely by knowing ≤ 1 hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed above-the-line? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
ADM-TSS TS 3.2.1 TS B3.2.1 Unit 1 COLR

Student References Provided
TS 3.2.1 Unit 1 COLR

**SYS004 A2.10 - Chemical and Volume Control System**

Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the CVCS; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control, or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5/ 43/5 / 45/3 / 45/5)  
 Inadvertent boration/dilution .....

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>

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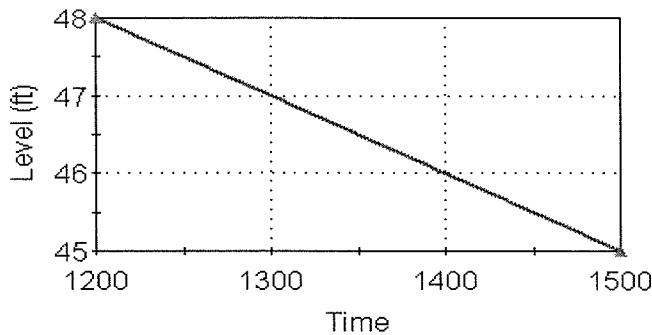
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SYS006 2.4.47 - Emergency Core Cooling System (ECCS)

SYS006 GENERIC

Ability to diagnose and recognize trends in an accurate and timely manner utilizing the appropriate control room reference material. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

**BWST Level**

- 1) In accordance with PT/1/A/0600/001 (Periodic Instrument Surveillance) and referring to the chart of control room indicated BWST level above, the latest time that the BWST surveillance is satisfied is (1).
- 2) A bases for the minimum BWST level in accordance with the basis of TS 3.5.4 is to (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
  1. 1300
  2. ensure adequate NPSH for the LPI and RBS pumps after suction is swapped to the RBES
- B.
  1. 1300
  2. reduce post fuel handling accident dose released by providing proper refueling canal level
- C.
  1. 1400
  2. ensure adequate NPSH for the LPI and RBS pumps after suction is swapped to the RBES
- D.
  1. 1400
  2. reduce post fuel handling accident dose released by providing proper refueling canal level

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**A**

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Per PT/600/001 the BWST level limit is 47 feet. This is the error corrected value. The TS value is 46 feet.

Per the basis of TS 3.5.4: "A second factor that affects the minimum required BWST volume is the ability to support continued LPI pump operation after the manual transfer to recirculation occurs. When LPI pump suction is transferred to the sump, there must be sufficient water in the sump to ensure adequate net positive suction head (NPSH) for the LPI and reactor building spray pumps."

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because the TS bases discuss the maximum BWST level ensures adequate volume for refueling and the bases for the refueling canal level is to reduce post fuel handling accident dose.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it is the TS non instrument corrected value. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it is the TS non instrument corrected value. Second part is plausible because the TS bases discuss the maximum BWST level ensures adequate volume for refueling and the bases for the refueling canal level is to reduce post fuel handling accident dose.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires ability to monitor a control room trend and determine that TS requirements are not met.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires "Knowledge of TS bases that are required to analyze TS required actions and terminology." TS Basis 3.5.2.

Can question be answered solely by knowing  $\leq$  1 hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed above-the-line? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

PT/600/001  
 TS B3.5.4

**Student References Provided**

SYS006 2.4.47 - Emergency Core Cooling System (ECCS)  
 SYS006 GENERIC  
 Ability to diagnose and recognize trends in an accurate and timely manner utilizing the appropriate control room reference material. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

SYS061 A2.07 - Auxiliary / Emergency Feedwater (AFW) System

Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the AFW; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control, or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.13)

Air or MOV failure .....

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

- Reactor power = 100%
- 1FDW-368 is discovered closed and will NOT open

- 1) In accordance with TS 3.7.5 (Emergency Feedwater) basis the (1) is inoperable.
- 2) If NOT repaired, the MAXIMUM time allowed to be in MODE 3 is (2) hours

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

**REFERENCE PROVIDED**

- A.
    1. TDEFDW pump
    2. 84
  - B.
    1. TDEFDW pump
    2. 252
  - C.
    1. associated EFW flow path
    2. 84
  - D.
    1. associated EFW flow path
    2. 252
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**A**

**General Discussion**

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**Answer A Discussion**

Correct.: Per the DBD if FDW-368 or 369 is closed the TDEFDW pump is inoperable. Condition B completeion time is 72 hours. Conditions D give an additional 12 hours to be in MODE 3. Total time is 84 hours.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect.: First part correct. Second part plausible if you misapply the "10 days from failure to met the LCO" in Condition B. 10 days plus 12 hours would be a total of 252 hours.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the candidate could have the misconception that a valve in the flow path would make the flow path inoperable. Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the candidate could have the misconception that a valve in the flow path would make the flow path inoperable. Second part plausible if you misapply the "10 days from failure to met the LCO" in Condition B. 10 days plus 12 hours would be a total of 252 hours.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

This question requires knowledge of how a valve failure would affect the EFW system and the TS consequences.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

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**Basis for SRO only**

Question requires knowledge of the DBD to determine EFDW pump operability and application of TS. Both of which is SRO knowledge.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

ADM-TSS R5  
TS 3.7.5  
TS 3.7.5 Bases

**Student References Provided**

TS 3.7.5

**SYS061 A2.07 - Auxiliary / Emergency Feedwater (AFW) System**

Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the AFW; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control, or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.13)

Air or MOV failure .....

**401-9 Comments:**

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**Remarks/Status**

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SYS063 2.2.25 - DC Electrical Distribution System

SYS063 GENERIC

Knowledge of the bases in Technical Specifications for limiting conditions for operations and safety limits. (CFR: 41.5 / 41.7 / 43.2)

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Which ONE of the following sets of 125 VDC Vital I&C power panelboards are required for Unit 2 in accordance with TS 3.8.8 (Distribution Systems – Operating) and why?

- A. 1DIA and 1DIB  
They provide power to SK and SL breakers
  - B. 1DIA and 1DIB  
They provide power to the Switchyard Isolation circuitry
  - C. 1DIC and 1DID  
They provide power to SK and SL breakers
  - D. 1DIC and 1DID  
They provide power to the Switchyard Isolation circuitry
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is plausible since Condition F is entered if either KVIC or KVID is inoperable and has a 24 hour completion time for either panelboard therefore it would be plausible to determine that 24 hours to restore one of the panelboards would be allowed. Additional plausibility is from having to determine that the loss of the 3DIC panelboard would cause 3KVIC to de-energize. If this is not recognized then this is the correct choice. Second part is correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect: : First part is plausible as described in A. Second part is plausible since SK and SL breakers protective relaying is signaled out in the electrical specs as unique. It is unique because unit 1's DIC and DID panelboards provide power to these breakers that all 3 units rely on. The fact that the power for SK and SL breakers comes from a units power panelboards and is signaled out as unique in the electrical specs combine to make this a plausible distractor since Condition F is itself unique for other reasons. Additionally, the breakers are getting power from the "c" and "d" strings of panelboards however it is from the DC panelboards instead of the AC panelboards.

**Answer C Discussion**

CORRECT: When 3DIC is de-energized then 3KVIC would also de-energize. With both 3KVIC and 3KVID de-energized there is no TS Condition in TS 3.8.8 that allows for multiple Vital Instrumentation power panelboards to be inoperable therefore immediate entry into LCO 3.0.3 would be required. TS 3.8.8 Condition F allows 4 hours to restore KVIA and KVIB and then allows 24 hours to restore KVIC and KVID. The difference is due to the fact that KVIA and KVIB provide power to the odd and even ES digital channels respectively therefore a loss of either panelboard would render all of the Odd or Even digital channels unable to trip since they fail in the untripped state when de-energized.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is correct. Second part is plausible as described in B.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

K/A MATCH ANALYSIS  
Requires tracking previously entered TS LCO's and then correctly applying that to a subsequent inoperability to determine the correct actions required by Tech Specs.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires "Knowledge of TS bases that are required to analyze TS required actions and terminology." TS Basis 3.8.8

Can question be answered solely by knowing  $\leq$  1 hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed above-the-line? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	NEW	

Development References
EL-DCD TS 3.8.8 and bases

Student References Provided

SYS063 2.2.25 - DC Electrical Distribution System  
SYS063 GENERIC  
Knowledge of the bases in Technical Specifications for limiting conditions for operations and safety limits. (CFR: 41.5 / 41.7 / 43.2)

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>



SYS078 2.4.18 - Instrument Air System (IAS)

SYS078 GENERIC

Knowledge of the specific bases for EOPs. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.1 / 45.13)

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Given the following Unit 2 conditions:

- Reactor power = 100%

- 1) The IA pressure setpoint which will cause the Diesel Air Compressors to automatically start is (1) psig.
- 2) The bases for 2AP/22 (Loss of IA) ensuring that the Diesel Air Compressors are operating if IA header pressure decreases below the setpoint is to (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. 88
    2. ensure operability of 2FDW-315/316 during a subsequent blackout
  - B.
    1. 88
    2. prevent exceeding RB design pressure during a subsequent MSLB/LOOP
  - C.
    1. 90
    2. ensure operability of 2FDW-315/316 during a subsequent blackout
  - D.
    1. 90
    2. prevent exceeding RB design pressure during a subsequent MSLB/LOOP
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**D**

**General Discussion**

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**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part plausible because 88 psig is the setpoint for the AIA compressor. Second part is plausible because the Diesel Air Compressors could provide air to FDW-315/316. However this is not the reason that they are started on low IA header pressure.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part plausible because 88 psig is the setpoint for the AIA compressor. Second part is correct..

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because the Diesel Air Compressors could provide air to FDW-315/316. However this is not the reason that they are started on low IA header pressure.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. The Diesel Air Compressors will start at 90 psig IA header pressure. The reason they are started is to prevent exceeding RB design pressure during a subsequent MSLB/LOOP. This is done by ensuring the the FDW valves have enough air pressure to close because they fail as-is on loss of IA.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

We have no guidance to IA in our EOP. It is in the AP. This question requires knowledge of bases for actions contained in the Loss of IA AP.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

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**Basis for SRO only**

This question requires knowledge of the bases for steps in an AP. This is SRO knowledge. The question cannot be answered using system knowledge alone.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	NEW	

Development References
SSS-IA R27 2AP/22

Student References Provided

SYS078 2.4.18 - Instrument Air System (IAS)  
 SYS078 GENERIC  
 Knowledge of the specific bases for EOPs. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.1 / 45.13)

401-9 Comments:

Remarks/Status

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SYS016 2.2.36 - Non-Nuclear Instrumentation System (NNIS)  
SYS016 GENERIC

Ability to analyze the effect of maintenance activities, such as degraded power sources, on the status of limiting conditions for operations. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.13)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Unit is returning to power after a short maintenance outage
- Main Turbine has just been placed on-line
- Reactor power = 25% increasing
- 1A LPI Train piping insulation removal for weld inspection in progress

Current conditions:

- Power to the 1A LPI Train Flow gage disconnected

Which ONE of the following states:

- 1) the equipment that must be declared inoperable in accordance with the basis of Tech Specs 3.5.3 (LPI) and 3.6.5 (RB Spray and Cooling Systems)?
  - 2) if Unit 1 can continue with the power escalation to 100% in accordance with Tech Specs?
    - A.
      1. 1A LPI Train ONLY
      2. can continue
    - B.
      1. 1A LPI Train AND 1A RBS Train
      2. can continue
    - C.
      1. 1A LPI Train ONLY
      2. can NOT continue
    - D.
      1. 1A LPI Train AND 1A RBS Train
      2. can NOT continue
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B

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the instrument is on the LPI train. Second part is correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Correct. In accordance with the basis of TS 3.5.3 the LPI header flow instrument is required for both the LPI and the RBS trains. Power increase can continue because there is not a MODE change.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the instrument is on the LPI train. Second part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that LCO 3.0.4 applies. Because a MODE change would not be allowed.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that LCO 3.0.4 applies. Because a MODE change would not be allowed.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of how loss of power to an NNI (LPI Train Flow Gauge) would affect limiting conditions for operations.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires "Knowledge of TS bases that are required to analyze TS required actions and terminology." TS Basis 3.5.3 and 3.6.5.

Can question be answered solely by knowing  $\leq 1$  hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed above-the-line? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
ADM-TSS TS 3.5.3 TS B3.5.3 TS 3.6.5 TS B3.6.5

Student References Provided

SYS016 2.2.36 - Non-Nuclear Instrumentation System (NNIS)  
 SYS016 GENERIC  
 Ability to analyze the effect of maintenance activities, such as degraded power sources, on the status of limiting conditions for operations. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.13)

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>

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SYS017 A2.02 - In-Core Temperature Monitor (ITM) System

Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the ITM system; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.5)

Core damage .....

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Time = 0400
- ICC tab in progress
- CETCs = 650°F increasing

Current conditions:

- Time = 1100
- CETCs = 1250°F stable

- 1) At 0400, with TSC approval, the ICC tab (1) direct starting RCPs.
- 2) At 1100, the (2) will provide mitigation guidance.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A. 1. will  
2. OSAG ONLY
  - B. 1. will  
2. OSAG and the ICC tab
  - C. 1. will NOT  
2. OSAG ONLY
  - D. 1. will NOT  
2. OSAG and the ICC tab
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**C**

**General Discussion**

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**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if CETCs were between 700 and 1200 degrees. Second part is correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if CETCs were between 700 and 1200 degrees. Second part is plausible because the candidate could have the misconception that the EOP and the OSAG were performed at the same time.

**Answer C Discussion**

Correct. The ICC tab will not direct starting a RCP until CETCs read > 700 degrees. The ICC tab directs going to the OSAG when CETCs reach 1200 degrees.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because the candidate could have the misconception that the EOP and the OSAG were performed at the same time.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires how CETC indication affect the mitigation strategy.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

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**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires evaluating plant data and determining which procedure will be used to mitigate this event. OSAG and/or ICC tab. Also detailed information of the ICC tab on when a RCP will be started.

This question requires the following:  
 Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed.

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

<b>Development References</b>
EAP-ICC R7 ICC tab

<b>Student References Provided</b>

SYS017 A2.02 - In-Core Temperature Monitor (ITM) System  
 Ability to (a) predict the impacts of the following malfunctions or operations on the ITM system; and (b) based on those predictions, use procedures to correct, control or mitigate the consequences of those malfunctions or operations: (CFR: 41.5 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.5)  
 Core damage .....

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>





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SYS033 2.4.46 - Spent Fuel Pool Cooling System (SFPCS)

SYS033 GENERIC

Ability to verify that the alarms are consistent with the plant conditions. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.12)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

- SFP level = (-) 0.7 feet stable
- 1SA-9/A-5 (Spent Fuel Pool Level High/Low) actuated
- ALL SF Cooling Pumps have tripped OFF
- ALL SF Cooling Pump switches green lights are illuminated

1) The LOW SFP Level interlock (1) functioned as designed.

2) AP/35 (Loss of SFP Cooling and/or Level) will require (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.     1. has  
       2. making up to the SFP using DW
  
  - B.     1. has  
       2. making up to the SFP using 1A BHUT
  
  - C.     1. has NOT  
       2. aligning SFP ventilation
  
  - D.     1. has NOT  
       2. bypassing the SFP Low Level Interlock
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D

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part plausible because the SFP high level setpoint is +0.7 feet. Also level is low but they will not trip until -2.5 feet. Second part is plausible because DW can be used to makeup to the SFP.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part plausible because the SFP high level setpoint is +0.7 feet. Also level is low but they will not trip until -2.5 feet. Second part is plausible because 1A BHUT can be used to makeup to the SFP.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because per AP/35 if SFP temp is expected to reach 180 degrees then SFP ventilation is aligned by the TSC.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. ISA-9/A-5 should not be in alarm on low level and the SF pumps should not have tripped off. The SF pumps will trip at -2.5 feet in the SFP. AP/35 will direct bypassing the interlock and restarting a SF Cooling Pump.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of the SFP level alarm and the low level interlock with the SFP cooling pumps.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

Question requires detailed knowledge of AP/35 that is not entry conditions or major mitigation strategy.

This question requires the following:

Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge, i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
ISA-9/A-5 AP/35

Student References Provided

SYS033 2.4.46 - Spent Fuel Pool Cooling System (SFPCS)

SYS033 GENERIC

Ability to verify that the alarms are consistent with the plant conditions. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.3 / 45.12)

<b>401-9 Comments:</b>

<b>Remarks/Status</b>



GEN2.1 2.1.20 - GENERIC - Conduct of Operations

Conduct of Operations

Ability to interpret and execute procedure steps. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Time = 0400
- LOCA CD tab in progress
- ALL SCM = 5°F stable
- RCS pressure = 870 slowly decreasing
- RB pressure peaked at 2.4 psig and is now decreasing
- HPI aligned for piggyback operation
- LPI suction source is the RBES
- 1LP-15 failed CLOSED

Current conditions:

- Time = 0405
- RCS pressure = 855 psig stable
- 1SA-07/E-6 (ES LPI BYP PERMIT) actuates

- 1) At 0405, the LPI ES channels (1) allowed to be manually bypassed in accordance with the LOCA CD tab.
- 2) The MAXIMUM allowed HPI flow is (2) gpm.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. are
    2. 750
  - B.
    1. are NOT
    2. 750
  - C.
    1. are
    2. 500
  - D.
    1. are NOT
    2. 500
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**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct: LPI will be bypassed under these conditions. Ie SCM > zero. RCS pressure controllable. Permissive statalarm received. While aligning LPI in the piggyback mode per Encl 5.12 (also addressed in LOCA CD tab), if either LP-15 or LP-16 do not open then total LPI flow is limited to 750 gpm.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that with SCM so low ES would not be bypassed. Second part is correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is correct. Second part is plausible since total HPI flow is required to be maintained > 500 gpm if 2 LPIP's operating to ensure min flow requirements for the LPIP's are met. Additionally, the LOCA CD tab limits LPI flow to 500 gpm during certain conditions.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is plausible because the candidate may have the misconception that with SCM so low ES would not be bypassed. Second part is plausible since total HPI flow is required to be maintained > 500 gpm if 2 LPIP's operating to ensure min flow requirements for the LPIP's are met. Additionally, the LOCA CD tab limits LPI flow to 500 gpm during certain conditions.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

This question requires knowledge of procedure steps in the LOCA CD tab and how to execute them. This includes the ability to interpret information provided in steps related to bypassing LPI ES channels.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

This question requires the following:

Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	MODIFIED	ONS 2009A Q83

**Development References**

EOP LOCA CD tab,  
Encl 5.12  
ONS NRC 2009A Q83

**Student References Provided**

GEN2.1 2.1.20 - GENERIC - Conduct of Operations  
Conduct of Operations  
Ability to interpret and execute procedure steps. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**



GEN2.2 2.2.11 - GENERIC - Equipment Control

Equipment Control

Knowledge of the process for controlling temporary design changes. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.3 / 45.13)

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In accordance with NSD 301 (Engineering Change Program):

- 1) A temporary design change is required to have a plan for removal no longer than   (1)   from installation.
- 2) The Operational Control Group (Operations) is responsible for   (2)  .

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. thirty days
    2. maintaining a log of installed changes
  - B.
    1. thirty days
    2. insuring "blue" tags are hung on the affected equipment
  - C.
    1. one year
    2. maintaining a log of installed changes
  - D.
    1. one year
    2. insuring "blue" tags are hung on the affected equipment
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C

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because 30 days is an often used surveillance time. Second part is correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because 30 days is an often used surveillance time. Second part is plausible because "blue tags" are hung on OPS Test Group electrical items that are out of their normal positions. Such as leads, links, etc.

**Answer C Discussion**

Correct. Per NSD-301 a plan for removal within one year must be in place before temporary design change will be installed. The operational control group (OPS in this case) is required to maintain a log of installed changes.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because "blue tags" are hung on OPS Test Group electrical items that are out of their normal positions. Such as leads, links, etc.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

The question requires knowledge of the process for controlling Temporary Design Changes.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Per the "Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions" Rev. 1:  
 Facility licensee procedures required to obtain authority for design and operating changes in the facility. [10 CFR 55.43(b)(3)]

Some examples of SRO exam items for this topic include:

Administrative processes for temporary modifications.

Also Oconee has SRO only objectives for this knowledge.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	NEW	

Development References
ADM-SD R20, R21 NSD-301

Student References Provided

GEN2.2 2.2.11 - GENERIC - Equipment Control  
 Equipment Control  
 Knowledge of the process for controlling temporary design changes. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.3 / 45.13)

401-9 Comments:

Remarks/Status

GEN2.2 2.2.23 - GENERIC - Equipment Control  
Equipment Control

Ability to track Technical Specification limiting conditions for operations. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.13)

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Given the following conditions on Unit 1:

- Reactor Power = 100%
- 1A MDEFWP was declared inoperable at 13:00 on 05/01
- 1B MDEFWP was declared inoperable at 14:00 on 05/06
- 1A MDEFWP was returned to service at 01:00 on 05/07

Which ONE of the following describes when the 1B MDEFWP is required to be returned to service?

**REFERENCE PROVIDED**

- A. 13:00 on 05/08
  - B. 13:00 on 05/11
  - C. 14:00 on 05/13
  - D. 13:00 on 05/09
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D

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this is 7 days from entering Condition A which has a completion time of 7 days.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this is the "10 days from failure to meet LCO" rule.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. Plausible because this is 7 days for one pump in Condition A.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. 24 hour extension rule (TS 1.3) applies to original 7 days.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires the ability to track TS LCOs to ensure equipment returned to service as required by the TS rules.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with "Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions" Rev 1:

The question requires application of Required Actions (Section 3) in accordance with rules of application requirements (Section 1). (TS 1.3 in this case)

Can question be answered solely by knowing  $\leq 1$  hour TS/TRM Action? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the LCO/TRM information listed "above-the-line"? NO

Can question be answered solely by knowing the TS Safety Limits? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	BANK	ONS Bank CF022901

**Development References**

ADM-ITS  
 TS 3.7.5  
 TS 1.3  
 ONS Bank CF022901

**Student References Provided**

TS 3.7.5

GEN2.2 2.2.23 - GENERIC - Equipment Control  
 Equipment Control  
 Ability to track Technical Specification limiting conditions for operations. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.2 / 45.13)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

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GEN2.3 2.3.11 - GENERIC - Radiation Control  
Radiation Control  
Ability to control radiation releases. (CFR: 41.11 / 43.4 / 45.10)

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Given the following plant conditions:

Time = 0400

- Reactor power = 100%
- 1A GWD tank release in progress at 1/3 Station Limit

Time = 0415

- 3B GWD tank release initiated at 1/3 Station Limit

Time = 0430

- Loss of power to RM-80 skid of 1RIA-45 (Norm Vent Gas)
- 1SA8/B-9 RM PROCESS MONITOR RADIATION HIGH in alarm
- 1SA8/B-10 RM PROCESS MONITOR FAULT in alarm

1) In accordance with OP/1-2/A/1104/018 (GWD System) the release at 0415 is required to be approved by   (1)  .

2) At 0430 and in accordance with the ARGs, an RO will   (2)  .

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A. 1. any SRO  
2. manually close GWD-4
  - B. 1. any SRO  
2. verify GWD-4 has automatically closed
  - C. 1. only the OSM  
2. manually close GWD-4
  - D. 1. only the OSM  
2. verify GWD-4 has automatically closed
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C

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if the release was at 1/3 limit and only one release was in progress. Second part is correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if the release was at 1/3 limit and only one release was in progress. Second part is plausible because 1GWD-4 would close on a loss of power to 1RIA-37/38.

**Answer C Discussion**

Correct. A release greater than 1/3 the station limit requires OSM approval. 1RIA-45 does not automatically terminate GWD releases. It does monitor the release via the station vent stack the required action in the ARG and AP/18 is to stop releases in progress. This done by closing GWD-4.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is correct. Second part is plausible because 1GWD-4 would close on a loss of power to 1RIA-37/38.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of the process for releasing a GWD gas tank and who has to approve the release.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Per Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions:  
  
 Radiation hazards that may arise during normal and abnormal situations, including maintenance activities and various contamination conditions. Process for gaseous/liquid release approvals, i.e., release permits.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	MODIFIED	ONS 2009 Q93

**Development References**

OP/1104/018  
 ISA8/B-9, ISA8/B-10  
 AP/18  
 ONS 2009 Q93

**Student References Provided**

GEN2.3 2.3.11 - GENERIC - Radiation Control  
 Radiation Control  
 Ability to control radiation releases. (CFR: 41.11 / 43.4 / 45.10)

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

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GEN2.3 2.3.5 - GENERIC - Radiation Control  
Radiation Control

Ability to use radiation monitoring systems, such as fixed radiation monitors and alarms, portable survey instruments, personnel monitoring equipment, etc. (CFR: 41.11 / 41.12 / 43.4 / 45.9)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Time = 0400
- Reactor power = 100%
- 1RIA-59 = 0.1 gpm
- 1RIA-60 = 35 gpm

Current conditions:

- Time = 0430
- Reactor power = 38%
- 1A MSLB

- 1) At 0400, in accordance with the bases of TS 3.4.13, RCS Pressure Boundary LEAKAGE (1) occurring.
- 2) Without Station Management approval the (2) SG will be used to cooldown to LPI.

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A. 1. is  
2. 1A
  - B. 1. is  
2. 1B
  - C. 1. is NOT  
2. 1A
  - D. 1. is NOT  
2. 1B
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D

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because a SG tube is part of the RCS pressure boundary but is not considered as such in this TS. Second part is plausible because with Station management approval using the SG with the MSLB would be correct.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because a SG tube is part of the RCS pressure boundary but is not considered as such in this TS. Second part is correct.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because with Station management approval using the SG with the MSLB would be correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Correct. In accordance with the bases of TS 3.4.13, SG tube leakage is not considered pressure boundary leakage. In accordance with the SGTR the SG with the tube rupture will be used for the cooldown unless management Approval is given.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires the use of radiation monitors to be used to determine how the plant will be cooled down during a SGTR and a MSLB.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:  
 Must assess plant conditions including RIA readings to determine with SG will be used for the CD.

TS Basis knowledge is also required to answer the question.

This question requires the following:

Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed.

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge, i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

Development References
EAO-SGTR R27 SGTR tab TS B3.4.13

Student References Provided

GEN2.3 2.3.5 - GENERIC - Radiation Control  
 Radiation Control

Ability to use radiation monitoring systems, such as fixed radiation monitors and alarms, portable survey instruments, personnel monitoring equipment, etc. (CFR: 41.11 / 41.12 / 43.4 / 45.9)

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**D**

401-9 Comments:

Remarks/Status



GEN2.4 2.4.26 - GENERIC - Emergency Procedures / Plan

Emergency Procedures / Plan

Knowledge of facility protection requirements, including fire brigade and portable fire fighting equipment usage. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- All 3 Units reactor power = 100%
- 1SA-3/B6 (FIRE ALARM) actuated
- NEO's dispatched to the Turbine Building 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor (1TA and 1TB area)

Current conditions:

- NEO reports the fire on 1TB with heavy smoke and rolling flames
- Fire Brigade is dispatched

- 1) In accordance with the "Fire Plan" a water fog (1) be used on the switchgear to fight the fire.
- 2) An (2) is allowed to serve as a leader in accordance with the bases of SLC 16.13.1 (Minimum Station Staffing Requirements).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. can
    2. SRO ONLY
  - B.
    1. can
    2. SRO OR an NEO with appropriate qualifications
  - C.
    1. can NOT
    2. SRO ONLY
  - D.
    1. can NOT
    2. SRO OR an NEO with appropriate qualifications
-

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Incorrect: First part is correct. Second part is plausible since under normal conditions the SRO is the Fire Brigade leader.

**Answer B Discussion**

Correct. In accordance with the "Fire Plan" a water fog can be used to fight this fire. In accordance with SLC 16.13.1 an SRO or a qualified NEO can be the Fire Brigade Leader.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because a water stream cannot be used on this fire. Second part is plausible since under normal conditions the SRO is the Fire Brigade leader.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because a water stream cannot be used on this fire. Second part is correct.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Requires knowledge of fire brigade staffing and using water to fight an electrical fire.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

Requires knowledge of the fire plan and the bases of SLC 16.13.1 regarding who can serve as fire brigade leader.

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Memory	MODIFIED	ONS NRC 2009A Q99

Development References
Fire plan SLC 16.13.1 bases ONS NRC 2009A Q99

Student References Provided

GEN2.4 2.4.26 - GENERIC - Emergency Procedures / Plan  
 Emergency Procedures / Plan

Knowledge of facility protection requirements, including fire brigade and portable fire fighting equipment usage. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.12)

401-9 Comments:

Remarks/Status

GEN2.4 2.4.6 - GENERIC - Emergency Procedures / Plan  
Emergency Procedures / Plan  
Knowledge of EOP mitigation strategies. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.13)

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Given the following Unit 1 conditions:

Initial conditions:

- Reactor power = 68% decreasing
- RCS leak rate = 50 gpm
- AP/2 (Excessive Leakage) in progress

Current conditions:

- 1TA and 1TB lockout
- Subsequent Actions tab in progress
- RCS leak rate = 125 gpm
- Station has determined that a natural circulation cooldown is desired

- 1) The (1) tab will be used to cool down the RCS.
- 2) In accordance with the above EOP tab, the MAXIMUM allowable cooldown rate is (2).

Which ONE of the following completes the statements above?

- A.
    1. Forced Cooldown
    2.  $\leq 25^{\circ}\text{F} / \frac{1}{2}$  hr
  - B.
    1. Forced Cooldown
    2.  $\leq 50^{\circ}\text{F} / \frac{1}{2}$  hr
  - C.
    1. LOCA Cooldown
    2.  $\leq 25^{\circ}\text{F} / \frac{1}{2}$  hr
  - D.
    1. LOCA Cooldown
    2.  $\leq 50^{\circ}\text{F} / \frac{1}{2}$  hr
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A

**General Discussion**

**Answer A Discussion**

Correct. Leak rate is less than "normal makeup capacity" so no transfer is made to the LOCA CD tab. FCD will be used because no RCP are operating.. FCD tab will limit the cooldown rate to less than or equal to 25 degrees per half hour.

**Answer B Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is correct. Second part is plausible because it would be correct if it were not a NC cooldown.

**Answer C Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if the RCS leak was greater than "Normal Makeup Capacity" (160 gpm with letdown isolated). Second part is correct.

**Answer D Discussion**

Incorrect. First part is plausible because it would be correct if the RCS leak was greater than "Normal Makeup Capacity" (160 gpm with letdown isolated). Second part is plausible because it would be correct if it were not a NC cooldown.

**Basis for meeting the KA**

Question requires knowledge of EOP mitigation strategies for an RCS leak and a NC cooldown.

**Basis for Hi Cog**

**Basis for SRO only**

In accordance with Clarification Guidance for SRO-only Questions Rev 1:

This question requires the following:

Assessing plant conditions (normal, abnormal, or emergency) and then selecting a procedure or section of a procedure to mitigate, recover, or with which to proceed

Must evaluate plant data and determine which EOP tab will be used to perform the CD.

Knowledge of diagnostic steps and decision points in the EOPs that involve transitions to event specific sub procedures or emergency contingency procedures.

Can the question be answered solely by knowing systems knowledge", i.e., how the system works, flow path, logic, component location? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing immediate operator actions? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing entry conditions for AOPs or plant parameters that require direct entry to major EOPs? NO

Can the question be answered solely by knowing the purpose, overall sequence of events, or overall mitigative strategy of a procedure? NO

Job Level	Cognitive Level	QuestionType	Question Source
SRO	Comprehension	NEW	

**Development References**

SA Tab  
LOCA CD tab

GEN2.4 2.4.6 - GENERIC - Emergency Procedures / Plan  
 Emergency Procedures / Plan  
 Knowledge of EOP mitigation strategies. (CFR: 41.10 / 43.5 / 45.13)

**Student References Provided**

**401-9 Comments:**

**Remarks/Status**

**A**