

ATTACHMENT B

UNIT 2 PROPOSED SPECIFICATIONS

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## DESIGN FEATURES

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#### FUEL ASSEMBLIES

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#### CONTROL ELEMENT ASSEMBLIES

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### 5.4 REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM

#### DESIGN PRESSURE AND TEMPERATURE

5.4.1 The reactor coolant system is designed and shall be maintained:

- a. In accordance with the code requirements specified in Section 5.2 of the FSAR with allowance for normal degradation pursuant of the applicable Surveillance Requirements,
- b. For a pressure of 2500 psia, and
- c. For a temperature of 650°F, except for the pressurizer which is 700°F.

ATTACHMENT D

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ANALYSIS SUMMARY

JUSTIFICATION FOR STORAGE OF 4.1 W/O ENRICHED  
FUEL IN SAN ONOFRE 2/3 FUEL STORAGE RACKS

1. PURPOSE

Criticality calculations were performed to verify that the SONGS 2/3 spent and new fuel storage racks and the fuel transfer carrier can acceptably store 4.1% enriched fuel from a criticality standpoint. The original design was performed for 3.7% enriched fuel and contained sufficient margin to keep the worst k-effective in the spent fuel storage rack below 0.95 and the worst k-effective of the new fuel storage racks below 0.98. The original design calculations are documented in References 1 and 2.

2. METHODOLOGY

The method for calculating the criticality of various fuel storage and fuel handling configurations is comprised of the following computer programs:

1. KENO-IV/S
2. NITAWL-S
3. EPRICELL-2
4. DANCOFF

The KENO-IV/S and NITAWL-S programs were obtained from the Technical Data Management Center at Oak Ridge National Laboratory as part of the SCALE-2 Computer Code System (Reference 3). The EPRICELL-2 and DANCOFF were obtained from the Electric Power Research Institute as part of the ARMP code package (Reference 4).

KENO-IV/S is a multi-group Monte Carlo criticality program. It utilizes a very simple geometry input that is capable of modeling three-dimensional systems exactly. The principal result calculated by KENO-IV/S is the system k-effective, the estimate of criticality.

NITAWL-S performs the resonance shielding calculations for these nuclides which have resonance parameters included in their basic cross section data. NITAWL-S uses the Nordheim Integral treatment for the resonance calculations. The 27-group neutron cross section library furnished with the SCALE package was used for these analyses for input to both NITAWL-S and KENO-IV/S.

EPRICELL-2 is an EPRI computer program for fuel pin cell calculations. In these analyses it was used to generate fuel material concentrations for the 4.1% enriched fuel and the DANCOFF factors for input to NITAWL-S.

The DANCOFF program calculates the DANCOFF factor based on Lauer's method and was used to independently check the values calculated by EPRICELL-2 and to calculate values at water densities below the limit at which EPRICELL ceases to function.

The basic sequence of calculations is as follows:

1. Generation of Dancoff factors at various water densities and calculation of fuel nuclide concentrations using EPRICELL-2 and DANCOFF.
2. Generation of 27 group neutron libraries for use in KENO-IV/S with the NITAWL-S program calculating resonance effects.
3. KENO-IV/S calculation of the reference configuration using nominal conditions.
4. KENO-IV/S calculations with normal and abnormal variations of system conditions (i.e. pitch, water density, fuel handling accident, etc.).
5. The reference case k-effective is combined with the calculation-to-measured bias from Reference 5 and all the normal and abnormal k-effective variations to estimate the worst system k-effective.

The system worst k-effective is then compared to the design limits specified in NRC Regulatory Guide 1.13(6) or the NRC standard review plan (7), whichever is applicable. These limits are 0.95 for spent fuel storage racks and fuel handling systems and 0.98 for new fuel storage racks.

### 3. RESULTS

#### Spent Fuel Rack

Reference Case k-effective	0.90111
KENO-IV Calculation Uncertainty $\Delta k(2 \sigma)$	0.00266
Calculation-to-Measured Bias $\Delta k$ (from DC-1859)	0.01332
Worst Normal Conditions $\Delta k$ Minimum Rack Pitch & Eccentric Fuel Load	0.01503
Worst Abnormal Temperature $\Delta k$ (39°F)	0.00192
Dropped Fuel Assembly Accident $\Delta k$	0.00214
Waterlogged fuel pins (1% failed) $\Delta k$	0.00008
Worst k-effective	<u>0.93626</u>

New Fuel Rack

Reference Case k-effective	0.38218
KENO-IV Calculation Uncertainty $\Delta k(2 \sigma)$	0.00208
Calculation-to-measured Bias $\Delta k$ (from DC-1859)	0.01332
Normal Humidity Range $\Delta k$	0.01301
Accident $\Delta k$ (Worst of flooding or fuel handling accident)	max (0.46567, 0.08527)
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Worst k-effective	0.87626

Fuel Transfer Carrier

Worst Temperature k-effective	0.89226
KENO-IV Calculation Uncertainty $\Delta k(2 \sigma)$	0.00232
Calculation-to-measured Bias $\Delta k$ (from DC-1859)	0.01332
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Worst k-effective	0.90790

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