

**2.4.24 Diverse Actuation System**

**Design Description**

**1.0 System Description**

The diverse actuation system (DAS) is a non-safety-related I&C system.

The DAS is provided to mitigate anticipated operational occurrences (AOOs) or postulated accidents (PAs) concurrent with a software common-cause failure of the protection system (PS).

**2.0 Arrangement**

2.1 The location of the DAS equipment is as listed in Table 2.4.24-1—Diverse Actuation System Equipment.

2.2 Physical separation exists between the divisions of the DAS as listed in Table 2.4.24-1.

**3.0 I&C Design Features, Displays, and Controls**

3.1 The DAS design is accomplished through a phased approach which includes the following (or equivalent) phases:

1. System Requirements Phase.
2. System Design Phase.
3. Software/Hardware Requirements Phase.
4. Software/Hardware Design Phase.
5. Software/Hardware Implementation Phase.
6. Software/Hardware Validation Phase.
7. System Integration Phase.
8. System Validation Phase.

3.2 The technology used by the DAS is a technology that is not microprocessor based.

3.3 The DAS generates signals for automatic actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2—Functions Automatically Actuated by the DAS.

3.4 The DAS allows manual, system-level actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-3—Functions Manually Actuated through the DAS.

3.5 The DAS response time from sensor output through equipment actuation for the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2 is less than the value required to satisfy the diverse actuation function response time assumptions.

## **Inspections, Tests, Analyses, and Acceptance Criteria**

Table 2.4.24-4 lists the DAS ITAAC.

**Table 2.4.24-1—Diverse Actuation System Equipment**

| <b>Description</b>      | <b>Location</b>      |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| DAS Cabinets Division 1 | Safeguard Building 1 |
| DAS Cabinets Division 2 | Safeguard Building 2 |
| DAS Cabinets Division 3 | Safeguard Building 3 |
| DAS Cabinets Division 4 | Safeguard Building 4 |

**Table 2.4.24-2—Functions Automatically Actuated by the DAS**

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| Reactor trip on low SG pressure   |
| Reactor trip on low SG level  |
| Reactor trip on high SG level   |
| Reactor trip on low reactor coolant system (RCS) flow (two loops)   |
| Reactor trip on low-low RCS flow (one loop)   |
| Reactor trip on high neutron flux (power range)   |
| Reactor trip on low hot leg pressure  |
| Reactor trip on high pressurizer (PZR) pressure   |
| Turbine trip on reactor trip  |
| EFWS actuation on low SG level  |
| SIS actuation on low PZR pressure   |
| Main steam isolation on low SG pressure   |
| Containment isolation on high containment activity (also includes functions that cascade from containment isolation: Annulus ventilation and Safeguard Building HVAC reconfiguration) |
| MFWS isolation on low SG pressure   |
| MFWS isolation on high SG level   |
| Opening of containment hydrogen mixing dampers on high containment pressure or high containment service compartment/containment equipment compartment differential pressure           |
| Start station blackout diesels  |

**Table 2.4.24-3—Functions Manually Actuated through the DAS**

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| Safety Injection System Actuation        |
| Containment Isolation (Stage 1)          |
| EFW Actuation                            |
| Reactor Trip                             |
| Containment Hydrogen Mixing Dampers Open |

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| <b>Commitment Wording</b> |  | <b>Inspections, Tests, Analyses</b>  | <b>Acceptance Criteria</b>   |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| 2.1                       | The location of the DAS equipment is as listed in Table 2.4.24-1.  | An inspection of the location of the as-built DAS equipment will be performed.   | The DAS equipment listed in Table 2.4.24-1 is located as listed in Table 2.4.24-1.   |
| 2.2                       | Physical separation exists between the divisions of the DAS as listed in Table 2.4.24-1.   | An inspection will be performed to verify that the as-built divisions of the DAS are located in separate Safeguard Buildings.  | The divisions of the DAS are located in separate Safeguard Buildings as listed in Table 2.4.24-1.  |
| 3.1                       | The DAS design is accomplished through a phased approach which includes the following (or equivalent) phases:<br>1. System Requirements Phase.<br>2. System Design Phase.<br>3. Software/Hardware Requirements Phase.<br>4. Software/Hardware Design Phase.<br>5. Software/Hardware Implementation Phase.<br>6. Software/Hardware Validation Phase.<br>7. System Integration Phase.<br>8. System Validation Phase. | a. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS System Requirements Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>b. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS System Design Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>c. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Requirements Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>d. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Design Phase conform to the requirements of that phase. | a. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS System Requirements Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>b. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS System Design Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>c. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Requirements Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.<br>d. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Design Phase conform to the requirements of that phase. |

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| Commitment Wording |  | Inspections, Tests, Analyses   | Acceptance Criteria  |
|--------------------|--|--|--|
|                    |  | <p>e. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Implementation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>f. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Validation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>g. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS System Integration Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>h. Analyses will be performed to verify that the outputs for the DAS System Validation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> | <p>e. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Implementation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>f. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS Software/Hardware Validation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>g. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS System Integration Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> <p>h. A report concludes that the outputs for the DAS System Validation Phase conform to the requirements of that phase.</p> |
| 3.2                | The technology used by the DAS is a technology that is not microprocessor based.             | An analysis will be performed to verify that the technology in the DAS is a technology that is not microprocessor based.   | A report concludes the technology used by the DAS is a technology that is not microprocessor based.  |
| 3.3                | The DAS generates signals for automatic actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2. | Tests will be performed using test input signals.  | The DAS generates signals for automatic actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2.   |
| 3.4                | The DAS allows manual, system-level actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-3.     | Tests will be performed using manual actuation signals.  | The DAS allows manual actuation of the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-3.   |

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|     | <b>Commitment Wording</b>  | <b>Inspections, Tests, Analyses</b>  | <b>Acceptance Criteria</b>  |
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| 3.5 | The DAS response time from sensor output through equipment actuation for the functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2 is less than the value required to satisfy the diverse actuation function response time assumptions. | Tests will be performed to verify DAS response times are less than the value required to satisfy the diverse actuation function response time assumptions. | A report concludes that DAS response times are less than the value required to support the diverse actuation function response time assumptions for the DAS functions listed in Table 2.4.24-2. |

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