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PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE:

The purpose of this calculation is to generate the maximum allowable primary to secondary steam generator tube leak rate during a postulated main steam line break using 24% plugging criteria design data. The evaluation was performed for both a pre-accident and accident initiated iodine spike. The release of iodine and the resulting thyroid dose at the Exclusion Area Boundary and Low Population Zone were considered in the leak rate determination. Whole body dose due to noble gas immersion is less limiting than thyroid dose as documented in UFSAR Table 15.0-11. Given the large margin to the 25 rem whole body dose limit, whole body dose was not re-evaluated.

METHODOLOGY AND ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA:

The Main Steam Line Break (MSLB) accident is considered the most limiting off-site dose accident because the event causes a sustained large pressure difference across the steam generator tubes providing a motive force for steam release. The Technical Specification limit for steam generator (SG) tube leakage is 150 gpd (0.1 gpm) for each SG. The dose attributed to a 1 gpm leak rate from the reactor coolant system was calculated. This value was then used to determine the allowable leak rate without exceeding the Standard Review Plan dose criteria.

The activity released to the environment due to a MSLB is analyzed in two distinct releases:

1. The release of the iodine activity that has been established in the secondary coolant prior to the accident, and
2. The release of the primary coolant iodine activity due to tube leakage.

The methodology used for calculating the Radiological Consequences of a MSLB with primary to secondary leakage is consistent with the Standard Review Plan (NUREG 0800), 15.1.5 Appendix A.

TID-14844 dose conversion factors were used to determine dose equivalent iodine concentrations, which is consistent with the Technical Specification definition of dose equivalent iodine. The TID values are based on ICRP 2, "Permissible Dose for Internal Radiation, 1959."

The off-site dose assessment uses ICRP 30, "Limits for Intakes of Radionuclides by Workers, 1979" dose conversion factors. ICRP 30 is also the basis for Federal Guidance Report No. 11, "Limiting Values of Radionuclide Intake and Air Concentration and Dose Conversion Factors for Inhalation, Submersion, and Ingestion," dated 1988. This report provides the dose conversion factors for the Station's Off-site Dose Calculation Manual for inhalation dose at the site boundary due to airborne effluents.

The dose Acceptance Criteria are based on the guidance of Standard Review Plan (NUREG-0800) Section 15.1.5, Appendix A. For a MSLB with a postulated pre-accident iodine spike, the calculated doses should not exceed the guideline values of 10CFR Part 100 Section 11. The numerical values used for these doses are 25 rem to the whole body and 300 rem to the thyroid from iodine exposure for 2 hours following the accident. For a MSLB with an accident initiated iodine spike, the calculated doses should not exceed a small fraction of the 10 CFR 100 guideline values, i.e. 2.5 rem and 30 rem respectively for the whole body and thyroid doses.

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ASSUMPTIONS

- 1) The effect of boron on the RCS density is assumed to be negligible since the boron mass is less than 1% of the total RCS mass at the beginning of core life.

DESIGN INPUTS:

1. The total volume of the RCS is 12,062 ft³. (Reference 1)
2. The full power RCS temperature and pressure are 586.2 °F and 2250 psia. (Ref 1 and 2)
3. The RCS specific volume at full power is 0.02258 ft³/lbm. (Ref. 3)
4. The iodine decay constant for I131 is 9.96E-7 sec⁻¹ (Ref. 4)
5. The Purification System temperature and pressure are 110 ft³ and 370 psia (Ref 5)
6. The Purification System specific volume is 0.01615 ft³/lbm. (Ref. 3)
7. Breathing rate is 3.47E-4 m³/sec. (Ref. 6)
8. Atmospheric Dilution Factors, X/Q, are taken from UFSAR Table 15.0-13. (Ref.7)
9. RCS iodine concentrations are based on UFSAR Table 11.1-2 without the 1% failed fuel contribution. (Ref. 8)
10. The initial steam release from the defective and intact steam generators are taken from UFSAR Table 15.1-3. (Ref. 9)
11. The secondary side faulted steam generator has a partition fraction of 1.0 and the intact steam generators have partition fraction of 0.1. (Reference 15)
12. The half life for I 131 is 8.04 days, I132 is 2.30 hrs, I 133 is 20.8 hrs, I 134 is 52.6 min, and I 135 is 6.61 hrs. (Ref.21)
13. The initial primary coolant activity dose equivalent iodine concentration is 60 µCi/g. (Ref. 12)
14. The initial secondary coolant activity is 0.1 µCi/g. (Ref. 12)
15. The duration of the spike is 2 hours. (Ref. 12)
16. No fuel failure attributable to the accident is assumed. (Ref. 12)
17. Iodine partition coefficients for all SGs are 1.0 for primary-to-secondary leakage. (Ref. 15)
18. Normal letdown purification flow is 75 gpm. (Ref 11)

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19. Letdown temperature is 115°F and 2250 psia. (Ref 11)
20. Specific volume of letdown is 0.01608 ft³/lbm. (Ref 3)
21. Decon Factor, DF, for mixed bed demineralizer is 10. (Ref 13)
22. The iodine release rate spike factor is 500. (Ref 12)

REFERENCES:

- 1) B/B UFSAR Table 11.1-1, Revision 0
- 2) B/B UFSAR Table 5.1-1, Revision 0
- 3) ASME Steam Table, Fifth Edition
- 4) The Health Physics and Radiological Health Handbook, Revised Edition, Revised
- 5) Byron Operating Procedures BOP CV-17, Rev. 7 and BOP CV-9, Rev.2.
- 6) B/B UFSAR Table 15A-1, Revision 0
- 7) B/B UFSAR Table 15.0-13, Revision 0
- 8) B/B UFSAR Table 11.1-2, Revision 0
- 9) B/B UFSAR Table 15.1-3, Revision 6
- 10) Introductory Nuclear Physics by Kenneth S. Krane, 1988
- 11) B/B UFSAR Table 9.3-2, Revision 0
- 12) Standard Review Plan (NUREG 0800), 15.1.5 Appendix A
- 13) B/B UFSAR page 9.3-43, Revision 0
- 14) Technical Specifications 3.4.8 (Amendment 77), 3.7.1.4 (Original), 3.4.6.2 (Amendment 67)
- 15) WCAP 14046, "Braidwood 1 Technical Support for Cycle 5 Steam Generator Interim Plugging Criteria," dated May, 1994.
- 16) ICRP Publication 2, Report of Committee II on Permissible Dose for Internal Radiation, 1959
- 17) ICRP Publication 30, Limits for Intakes of Radionuclides by Workers, 1979
- 18) Adams and Atwood Report, "The Iodine Spike Release Rate During a Steam Generator Tube Rupture," October 16, 1990

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- 19) Westinghouse Letter CAE 97-171, dated July 21, 1997, pertaining to the Reactor Coolant Water Density Used in Determining Byron and Braidwood Alternate Tube Plugging Limit.
- 20) Federal Guidance Report No. 11, "Limiting Values of Radionuclide Intake and Air Concentration and Dose Conversion Factors For Inhalation, Submersion, and Ingestion, 1988
- 21) Radioactive Decay Data Tables: A Handbook of Decay Data For Application to Radiation Dosimetry and Radiological Assessments, 1981

VARIABLE AND CONSTANT DEFINITIONS:

M	RCS mass [lbm]
M_{stm}	Steam Generator steam release mass [lb]
V	RCS volume [ft ³]
v	RCS specific volume [ft ³ /lbm]
λ_{lr}	RCS leak rate constant [sec ⁻¹]
λ_{fuel}	Fuel Release constant [Ci/sec]
λ_d	Isotope Decay Constant [sec ⁻¹]
λ_{LD}	Letdown Purification Removal Constant [sec ⁻¹]
λ_t	Total Iodine Removal Rate [sec ⁻¹]
t	Time [sec]
A_i	RCS iodine activity [Ci]
C_i	Iodine Concentration [Ci/g or μ Ci/g]
C_0	Initial Iodine Concentration [Ci/g or μ Ci/g]
F_p	Letdown Purification Flow [g/sec]
Q_i	Activity Released of nuclide, I [Ci]
R_i	Activity Released of nuclide, I [Ci]
D	Thyroid Inhalation Dose [rem]
B	Breathing Rate [m ³ /sec]
X/Q	Atmospheric Dilution Factor [sec/m ³]

DEFINE UNITS:

Ci = 1 Curie
 μ Ci = 1E-6 Ci
1 lbm = 454 g
1 ft³ = 7.48 gal
1 min = 60 sec

I. CALCULATION OF DOSE DUE TO STEADY STATE ACTIVITY IN SECONDARY SIDE

The first dose component to be calculated will be the dose from the secondary side. The secondary side activity is conservatively taken as the Technical Specification limit of 0.1 μ Ci/g (Reference 14). This value is the same for both the pre-accident and accident initiated events. The steam release for the faulted steam generator (SG) is 96,000 lbs (Reference 9) which is the entire initial SG water mass. The faulted SG is assumed to

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steam dry in 10-15 minutes so all of the iodine is available for release. The combined 0-2 hr steam release for the three intact steam generators is 406,716 lbs (Reference 9). The combined 2-8 hr steam release for the three intact SGs is 939,604 lbs (Reference 9). The three intact SGs a partition factor of 0.1 is used (Design Input 11).

- a. The iodine concentrations are obtained from UFSAR Table 15.0-9 and are converted to Ci/lb, since the steam release is defined in lbs.

$$C_i \left[\frac{\text{Ci}}{\text{lb}} \right] = C_o \left[\frac{\mu\text{Ci}}{\text{g}} \right] \times 454 \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{lb}} \right] \times 1\text{E} - 6 \left[\frac{\text{Ci}}{\mu\text{Ci}} \right] \quad \text{Equation 1.a}$$

TABLE 1.a

Nuclide	Iodine Concentration, C_o , (UFSAR Table 15.0-9) [$\mu\text{Ci/g}$]	Iodine Concentration, C_i , (Equation 1.a) [Ci/lb]
I-131	0.066	3.00E-5
I-132	0.024	1.09E-5
I-133	0.106	4.81E-5
I-134	0.016	7.26E-6
I-135	0.058	2.63E-5

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- b. The iodine concentration for each nuclide, C_i from Table 1.a, is multiplied by the mass of steam released (96,000 lbs for the faulted SG and 406,716 lbs for the three intact SGs) to obtain the total amount of curies available to be released, A_i , for 0-2 hours. The activity available for release in the intact SGs is then multiplied by the partition factor, 0.1, to determine the amount of activity actually released.

$$A_i^{\text{faulted}} [Ci] = C_i \left[\frac{Ci}{lb} \right] \times M_{\text{stm}}^{\text{faulted}} [lb] \times 1.0 \quad \text{Equation 1.b.1}$$

$$A_i^{\text{intact}} [Ci] = C_i \left[\frac{Ci}{lb} \right] \times M_{\text{stm}}^{\text{intact}} [lb] \times 0.1 \quad \text{Equation 1.b.2}$$

TABLE 1.b

Nuclide	Activity Released from Faulted SG, A_i^{Faulted} , (Equation 1.b.1) [Ci]	Activity Released from Intact SGs (0-2 hrs), A_i^{Intact} , (Equation 1.b.2) [Ci]
I-131	2.88E0	1.22E0
I-132	1.05E0	4.43E-1
I-133	4.62E0	1.96E0
I-134	6.97E-1	2.95E-1
I-135	2.52E0	1.07E0

- c. The activity released, A_i determined above, is multiplied by the ICRP-30 Dose Conversion Factor, DCF_i , (Reference 16) for each iodine isotope and then summed separately for the faulted SG and intact SGs.

$$D_i^{\text{Faulted}} [\text{rem}] = A_i^{\text{Faulted}} [Ci] \times DCF_i \left[\frac{\text{rem}}{Ci} \right] \quad \text{Equation 1.c.1}$$

$$D_i^{\text{Intact}} [\text{rem}] = A_i^{\text{Intact}} [Ci] \times DCF_i \left[\frac{\text{rem}}{Ci} \right] \quad \text{Equation 1.c.2}$$

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TABLE 1.c

Nuclide	ICRP-30 Dose Conversion Factor, DCF _i , (Reference 17) [rem/Ci]	Dose from Faulted SG, D ^{Faulted} , (Equation 1.c.1) [rem]	Dose from Intact SGs, D ^{Intact} , (0-2 hrs) (Equation 1.c.2) [rem]
I-131	1.08E6	3.11E6	1.32E6
I-132	6.44E3	6.76E3	2.85E3
I-133	1.80E5	8.32E5	3.53E5
I-134	1.07E3	7.46E2	3.16E2
I-135	3.13E4	7.89E4	3.35E4
Total (ΣD_i×DCF_i)		4.03E6	1.71E6

The 0-2 hour exclusion area boundary total dose released from the faulted and the three intact SGs is 5.74E6 rem (4.03E6 + 1.71E6 rem). This total dose can also be defined as Σ_iD_i×DCF_i.

The total DE I-131 activity released is the total dose from Table 1.c divided by the I-131 dose conversion factor. Numerically this is 1.58 Ci (1.71E6 rem/1.08E6 rem/ci)

- d. The off-site thyroid inhalation dose at the exclusion area boundary, D_{EAB}, and at the low population zone, D_{LPZ}, are calculated in accordance with UFSAR equation 15.A.4.

Exclusion Area Boundary Dose (0-2 hours)

$$D_{EAB} [\text{rem}] = \left(\frac{X}{Q} \right)_{EAB} \times B \times \sum_i D_i \times DCF_i \quad \text{Equation 1.d.1}$$

$$= 5.7E-4 \left[\frac{\text{sec}}{\text{m}^3} \right] \times 3.47E-4 \left[\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{sec}} \right] \times 5.74E6 [\text{rem}]$$

$$= 1.14 [\text{rem}]$$

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2. CALCULATION OF DOSE DUE TO PRIMARY-TO-SECONDARY LEAKAGE DURING PRE-ACCIDENT INITIATED SPIKE

In accordance with Reference 12, the pre-accident case occurs when the reactor is operating at the maximum value permitted by the Technical Specifications prior to the postulated MSLB. The radioactive isotopes are assumed to be evenly distributed throughout the RCS. The iodine activity changes over time due to radioactive decay and the rate at which activity leaves the RCS due to primary-to-secondary tube leakage.

- a. The RCS mass inventory, M, will be calculated given the hot full power volume and specific volume.

RCS Volume: $V=12062 \text{ ft}^3$ (design input 1)
 RCS specific volume $v=0.02258 \text{ ft}^3/\text{lbm}$ (design input 3)

$$\begin{aligned}
 M[\text{g}] &= \frac{V[\text{ft}^3]}{v \left[\frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{lbm}} \right]} \times 454 \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{lbm}} \right] \quad \text{Equation 2.a} \\
 &= \frac{12062 \left[\text{ft}^3 \right]}{0.02258 \left[\frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{lbm}} \right]} \times 454 \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{lbm}} \right] \\
 &= 2.42\text{E}8 \text{ [g]}
 \end{aligned}$$

- b. The RCS activity needs to be calculated for $60 \mu\text{Ci/g}$. UFSAR Table 11.1-2 is used to obtain RCS activity, which is based on 1% fuel clad defects per UFSAR Table 11.1-1. The total initial RCS activity is calculated by multiplying the initial concentration by the RCS mass. The initial DE I-131 activity is then determined by multiplying each isotopes activity by its dose conversion factor, summing the values for each nuclide and dividing the sum by the I-131 dose conversion factor to normalize the activity to I-131. This DE I-131 activity is the contribution due to 1% fuel clad defects. To determine the activity at $1 \mu\text{Ci/g}$, the fraction of each isotopes contribution to the DE I-131 is calculated and then multiplied by the RCS mass to obtain the corrected total activity in the RCS at $1 \mu\text{Ci/g}$. To obtain the total activity at $60 \mu\text{Ci/g}$, each isotope activity is multiplied by 60.

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$$A_i [Ci] = C_o \left[\frac{Ci}{g} \right] \times M [g] \quad \text{Equation 2.b.1}$$

$$D_i [rem] = A_i [Ci] \times DCF_i \left[\frac{rem}{Ci} \right] \quad \text{Equation 2.b.2}$$

$$DE_{I131} [Ci] = \frac{\sum_i D_i [rem]}{DCF_{I131} \left[\frac{rem}{Ci} \right]} = \frac{1.39E9 [rem]}{1.48E6 \left[\frac{rem}{Ci} \right]} = 937.8 [Ci]$$

$$\text{Isotope Fraction at } 1 \frac{\mu Ci}{g} = \frac{A_i [Ci]}{DE_{I131} [Ci]} \quad \text{Equation 2.b.3}$$

$$\text{RCS Activity at } 1 \frac{\mu Ci}{g} [Ci] = \text{Equation 2.b.3} \times M [g] \times 1 \left[\frac{\mu Ci}{g} \right] \times \left[\frac{1 Ci}{1E6 \mu Ci} \right] \quad \text{Equation 2.b.4}$$

$$\text{RCS Activity at } 60 \frac{\mu Ci}{g} = \text{Equation 2.b.4} [Ci] \times 60 \quad \text{Equation 2.b.5}$$

TABLE 2.b

Nuclide	RCS Concent., C _o (UFSAR Table 11.1-2) [Ci/g]	RCS Activity, A _i (Eq. 2.b.1) [Ci]	ICRP-2 Dose Conversion Factor DCF _i [rem/Ci] (Ref. 16)	Total Dose, D _i (Eq. 2.b.2) [rem]	Isotope Fraction at 1 μCi/g (Eq. 2.b.3)	RCS Activity at 1 μCi/g (Eq. 2.b.4)	RCS Activity at 60 μCi/g (Eq. 2.b.5)
I 131	2.5E-6	605	1.48E6	8.95E8	0.645	156.1	9.37E3
I 132	2.8E-6	678	5.35E4	3.60E7	0.723	175.0	1.05E4
I 133	4.0E-6	968	4.00E5	3.87E8	1.032	249.8	1.50E4
I 134	6.0E-7	145	2.50E4	3.63E6	0.155	37.5	2.25E3
I 135	2.2E-6	532	1.24E5	6.60E7	0.567	137.2	8.23E3
			ΣD _i	1.39E9			

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- c. The two removal mechanisms for this accident are due to decay and leakrate to the secondary side of 1 gpm. The time dependent activity after two hours with the removal constants can be calculated using the basic decay equation methodology (Reference 10).

$$\frac{dC(t)}{dt} = -\lambda_d C(t) - \lambda_{lr} C(t)$$

$$\int_{C_o}^C \frac{dC(t)}{C(t)} = \int_0^t (-\lambda_d - \lambda_{lr}) dt$$

$$C(t) = C_o e^{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})t}$$

Where : t = 2 hours = 7200 sec

$$\lambda_{lr} = \frac{1 \text{ gpm}}{\text{Volume of RCS}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{lr} &= \frac{1 \left[\frac{\text{gal}}{\text{min}} \right]}{12062 \left[\text{ft}^3 \right]} \times \left[\frac{1 \left[\text{ft}^3 \right]}{7.48 \left[\text{gal} \right]} \right] \times \left[\frac{1 \left[\text{min} \right]}{60 \left[\text{sec} \right]} \right] \\ &= 1.85E - 7 \left[\text{sec}^{-1} \right] \end{aligned}$$

- d. Since the isotope concentration is assumed to remain evenly distributed throughout the RCS volume, then the rate at which the isotope concentration leaks from the RCS, R(t), is simply the RCS leakrate times the concentration. The total activity released during a given time interval is the integration of the release rate over that interval, in this case, 2 hours.

$$R(t) = \lambda_{lr} \times C(t)$$

$$R(t) = \lambda_{lr} \times C_o e^{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^t R(t) dt &= \int_0^t \lambda_{lr} C_o e^{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})t} dt \\ &= \frac{\lambda_{lr} C_o}{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})} \int_0^t -(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr}) e^{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})t} dt \end{aligned}$$

$$R = \frac{\lambda_{lr} C_o}{(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})} (1 - e^{-(\lambda_d + \lambda_{lr})t}) \quad \text{Equation 2.d}$$

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TABLE 2.d

Nuclide	RCS Activity at 60 μCi/g, C ₀ (Table 2.b) [Ci]	Isotope Decay Constant, λ _d (Reference 4) [sec ⁻¹]	Activity Released, R (Equation 2.d) [Ci]
I-131	9.37E3	9.97E-7	1.24E1
I-132	1.05E4	8.37E-5	1.05E1
I-133	1.50E4	9.25E-6	1.93E1
I-134	2.25E3	2.20E-4	1.50E0
I-135	8.23E3	2.91E-5	9.88E0

- 6 Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Exclusion Area Boundary (EAB) using the equation from UFSAR 15.A.4.

Table 2.e

Nuclide	Activity Released, R _i (Table 2.d) [Ci]	ICRP-30 Dose Conversion Factor, DCF _i , (Reference 17) [rem/Ci]	Exclusion Area Boundary, R _i x DCF _i [rem]
I-131	1.24E1	1.08E6	1.34E7
I-132	1.05E1	6.44E3	6.76E4
I-133	1.93E1	1.80E5	3.47E6
I-134	1.50E0	1.07E3	1.60E3
I-135	9.88E0	3.13E4	3.09E5
Total (ΣR_ixDCF_i)_{EAB}			1.72E7

The total DE I-131 activity released is the total dose from Table 2.e divided by the I-131 dose conversion factor. Numerically this is 15.9 Ci (1.72E7 rem/1.08E6 rem/ci).

Exclusion Area Boundary Dose for a 1 gpm Leakrate

$$D_{EAB} [\text{rem}] = \left(\frac{X}{Q} \right)_{EAB} \times B \times \sum_i (R_i \times DCF_i)_{EAB} \quad \text{Equation 2.e.1}$$

$$= 5.7E-4 \left[\frac{\text{sec}}{\text{m}^3} \right] \times 3.47E-4 \left[\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{sec}} \right] \times 1.72E7 [\text{rem}]$$

$$= 3.40 [\text{rem}]$$

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- f. Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Low Population Zone (LPZ) using the equation from UFSAR 15.A.4. The activity released during the accident from 2-40 hours was obtained from UFSAR Table 15.1-4a. This activity includes the dose contribution from a 12.6 gpm leak in the faulted SG.

TABLE 2.f.1

Nuclide	RCS Iodine Activity, A_i , (UFSAR Table 15.1-4a) [Ci]	ICRP-30, Dose Conversion Factor, DCF_i , (Reference 17) [rem/Ci]	2-40 Hour Dose, $A_i \times DCF_i$, [rem]
I-131	2.4E3	1.08E6	2.59E9
I-132	5.1E1	6.44E3	3.28E5
I-133	2.3E3	1.80E5	4.14E8
I-134	5.1E0	1.07E3	5.46E3
I-135	5.0E2	3.13E4	1.57E7
Total ($\sum A_i \times DCF_i$)			3.02E9

The total 2-40 hour dose calculated above in Table 2.f.1 is separated into specific time periods of 2-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs, 24-40 hrs. This is based on scaling the total 2-40 hour dose by the fraction of steam released during the same time period. The 2-40 hour steam release was obtained from UFSAR Table 15.1-3.

TABLE 2.f.2

Time Period	Steam Release, (UFSAR Table 15.1-3) [lb]	Fraction of Total Steam Release for Time Period	Total 2-40 Hr Dose (Table 2.f.1) [rem]	Fraction of Total 2-40 Hr Dose [rem]
2-8 hr	939,604	0.30	3.02E9	9.06E8
8-24 hr	1,234,515	0.39	3.02E9	1.18E9
24-40 hr	980,806	0.31	3.02E9	9.36E8
Total Steam Release	3,154,925			

The atmospheric dilution factors (X/Q) for 0-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs, and 24-40 hrs values were obtained from UFSAR Table 15.0-13. The breathing rates for 0-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs and 24-40 hrs were obtained from UFSAR Table 15A-1. Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Low Population Zone (LPZ) using the equation from UFSAR 15.A.4.

$$D_{LPZ} [\text{rem}] = \left(\frac{X}{Q} \right)_{LPZ} \times B \times \sum A \times DCF \quad \text{Equation 2.f.1}$$

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TABLE 2.f.3

Time Period	Atmos. Dispersion Factor, X/Q, (UFSAR Table 15.0-13) [sec/m ³]	Breathing Rate, B, (UFSAR Table 15A-1) [m ³ /sec]	Fractional Dose, ΣAxDCF, (Table 2.f.2) [rem]	Fractional LPZ Dose, D _{LPZ} , w/ 12.8 gpm Leakrate (Equation 2.f.1) [rem]
0-2 hr	1.70E-5	3.47E-4	1.72E7*	0.10
2-8 hr	1.70E-5	3.47E-4	9.06E8	5.34
8-24	2.4E-6	1.75E-4	1.18E9	0.50
24-40	1.1E-6	2.3E-4	9.36E8	0.24
			Total LPZ Dose w/ 12.8 gpm Leakrate [rem]	6.18

* From Table 2.e

3. CALCULATION OF DOSE DUE TO PRIMARY TO SECONDARY LEAKAGE DURING ACCIDENT INITIATED SPIKE

The accident initiated spike model is the same as the pre-accident model except an additional iodine appearance rate term is added for fuel release rate into the RCS. In accordance with the Standard Review Plan, the reactor trip and/or primary system depressurization associated with the MSLB creates an iodine spike in the primary system. The spiking model assumes that the iodine release rate from the fuel rods to the primary coolant increases to a value 500 times greater than the Technical Specification limit. This factor adds an additional release rate factor for iodine activity, λ_{fuel}.

- a. Calculate the total removal rate of iodine, λ_i, through letdown purification and radioactive decay. Equation 2 of Reference 18 defines this total as:

$$\lambda_i [\text{sec}^{-1}] = \lambda_{LD} [\text{sec}^{-1}] + \lambda_d [\text{sec}^{-1}] \quad \text{Equation 3.a.1}$$

$$\text{Where: } \lambda_{LD} [\text{sec}^{-1}] = \frac{F_p \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{sec}} \right]}{M[\text{g}]} \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{DF} \right) \quad \text{Equation 3.a.2}$$

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The 75 gpm letdown purification flow, F_p , is converted from gpm to grams/sec at letdown operating parameters (Design Input 2 and 3 above).

$$F_p \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{sec}} \right] = 75 \left[\frac{\text{gal}}{\text{min}} \right] \times \left[\frac{1 \text{ ft}^3}{7.48 \text{ gal}} \right] \times \left[\frac{1 \text{ lb}}{0.01608 \text{ ft}^3} \right] \times \left[\frac{454 \text{ g}}{\text{lb}} \right] \times \left[\frac{1 \text{ min}}{60 \text{ sec}} \right]$$

$$= 4718 \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{sec}} \right]$$

Substituting the values of F_p , M and DF into Equation 3.a.2 gives :

$$\lambda_{LD} \left[\text{sec}^{-1} \right] = \frac{4718 \left[\frac{\text{g}}{\text{sec}} \right]}{2.42\text{E}8 \left[\text{g} \right]} \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{10} \right)$$

$$= 1.75\text{E} - 5 \left[\text{sec}^{-1} \right]$$

Values of λ_d for each isotope are obtained from Reference 4.

TABLE 3.a

Nuclide	Letdown Purif. Removal Constant, λ_{LD} , (Equation 3.a.2) $[\text{sec}^{-1}]$	Isotope Decay Constant, λ_d (Ref. 4) $[\text{sec}^{-1}]$	Total Iodine Removal Rate, λ_t Equation 3.a.1 $[\text{sec}^{-1}]$
I 131	1.75E-5	9.97E-7	1.85E-5
I 132	1.75E-5	8.37E-5	1.01E-4
I 133	1.75E-5	9.25E-6	2.67E-5
I 134	1.75E-5	2.20E-4	2.38E-4
I 135	1.75E-5	2.91E-5	4.66E-5

- b. The fuel release rate, λ_{fuel} , is defined as the product of the RCS activity and the total iodine removal rate for each isotope:

$$\lambda_{fuel} \left[\text{Ci/sec} \right] = A \left[\text{Ci} \right] \times \lambda_t \left[\text{sec}^{-1} \right] \text{ Equation 3.b}$$

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Each fuel release rate is multiplied by 500 (Design Input 5) to obtain the spiked release rate.

Table 3.b

Nuclide	Total Iodine Removal Rate, λ_t (Table 3.a) [sec ⁻¹]	Fuel Release Rate, λ_{fuel} (Equation 3.b) [Ci/sec]	Spiked Release Rate $500 \times \lambda_{fuel}$ [Ci/sec]
I 131	1.85E-5	2.89E-3	1.45
I 132	1.01E-4	1.77E-2	8.85
I 133	2.67E-5	6.67E-3	3.34
I 134	2.38E-4	8.92E-3	4.46
I 135	4.66E-5	6.39E-3	3.20

- c. Based on the data from Table 3.a and Table 3.b, it can be concluded that the fuel release rate is much larger than the effects of radioactive decay or leak rate removal, so λ_d and λ_r are not considered in calculating the initial concentration of iodine in the RCS.

$$\frac{dC(t)}{dt} = -\lambda_d C(t) - \lambda_r C(t) + \lambda_{fuel}$$

$$\int_{C_0}^C dC(t) = \int_0^t \lambda_{fuel} dt$$

$$C(t) = C_0 + \lambda_{fuel} t \quad \text{Equation 3.c}$$

- d. Since the isotope concentration, C(t) is assumed to remain evenly distributed throughout the RCS volume, then the rate at which the isotope concentration leaks from the RCS, R(t), is the RCS leak rate multiplied by the concentration determined by Equation 3.c. The total activity released during the event is calculated by integrating the release rate over the time interval.

$$R(t) = \lambda_r C(t)$$

$$= \lambda_r (C_0 + \lambda_{fuel} t)$$

$$\int_0^t R(t) dt = \int_0^t \lambda_r (C_0 + \lambda_{fuel} t) dt$$

$$R = \lambda_r \left(C_0 t + \frac{\lambda_{fuel} t^2}{2} \right) \quad \text{Equation 3.d}$$

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TABLE 3.d

Nuclide	RCS Activity at 1 μCi/g, C _o (Table 2.b) [Ci]	Spiked Release Rate (Table 3.b) [Ci/sec]	Activity Released, R _i (Equation 3.d) [Ci]
I 131	156.1	1.45	7.16
I 132	175.0	8.85	4.27E1
I 133	249.8	3.34	1.63E1
I 134	37.5	4.46	2.14E1
I 135	137.2	3.20	1.55E1

- e. Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Exclusion Area Boundary and Low Population Zone using the equation from B/B UFSAR 15.A.4.

TABLE 3.e

Nuclide	Activity Released, R _i (Table 3.d) [Ci]	DCF _i [rem/Ci]	R _i × DCF _i [rem]
I 131	7.16	1.08E6	7.73E6
I 132	4.27E1	6.44E3	2.75E5
I 133	1.63E1	1.80E5	2.93E6
I 134	2.14E1	1.07E3	2.29E4
I 135	1.55E1	3.13E4	4.85E5
		ΣR _i × DCF	1.14E7

The total DE I-131 activity released is the total dose from Table 3.e divided by the I-131 dose conversion factor. Numerically this is 10.6 Ci (1.14E7 rem/1.08E6 rem/ci).

Exclusion Area Boundary Dose for a 1 gpm Leakrate:

$$\begin{aligned}
 D_{EAB} [\text{rem}] &= \left(\frac{X}{Q} \right)_{EAB} \times B \times \sum_i R_i \times DCF_i \quad \text{Equation 3.e.1} \\
 &= 5.7E-4 \left[\frac{\text{sec}}{\text{m}^3} \right] \times 3.47E-4 \left[\frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{sec}} \right] \times 1.14E7 [\text{rem}] \\
 &= 2.25 [\text{rem}]
 \end{aligned}$$

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- f. Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Low Population Zone (LPZ) using the equation from UFSAR 15.A.4. The activity released during the accident from 2-40 hours was obtained from UFSAR Table 15.1-4a. This activity includes the dose contribution from a 12.8 gpm leak in the faulted SG.

TABLE 3.f.1

Nuclide	RCS Iodine Activity, A_i , (UFSAR Table 15.1-4a) [Ci]	ICRP-30, Dose Conversion Factor, DCF_{i1} , (Reference 17) [rem/Ci]	2-40 Hour Dose, $A_i \times DCF_{i1}$, [rem]
I-131	2.7E3	1.08E6	2.92E9
I-132	1.4E3	6.44E3	9.02E6
I-133	3.8E3	1.80E5	6.84E8
I-134	1.8E2	1.07E3	1.93E5
I-135	1.6E3	3.13E4	5.01E7
Total ($\Sigma A_i \times DCF_{i1}$)			3.66E9

The total 2-40 hour dose calculated above in Table 3.f.1 is separated into specific time periods of 2-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs, and 24-40 hrs. This is based on scaling the total 2-40 hour dose by the fraction of steam released during the same time period. The 2-40 hour steam release was obtained from UFSAR Table 15.1-3.

TABLE 3.f.2

Time Period	Steam Release, (UFSAR Table 15.1-3) [lb]	Fraction of Total Steam Release for Time Period	Total 2-40 Hr Dose (Table 3.f.1) [rem]	Fraction of Total 2-40 Hr Dose [rem]
2-8 hr	939,604	0.30	3.66E9	1.10E9
8-24 hr	1,234,515	0.39	3.66E9	1.43E9
24-40 hr	980,806	0.31	3.66E9	1.13E9
Total Steam Release	3,154,925			

The atmospheric dilution factors (X/Q) for 0-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs, and 24-40 hrs values were obtained from UFSAR Table 15.0-13. The breathing rates for 0-8 hrs, 8-24 hrs and 24-40 hrs were obtained from UFSAR Table 15A-1. Calculate the thyroid inhalation dose at the Low Population Zone (LPZ) using the equation from UFSAR 15.A.4.

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$$D_{LPZ} [\text{rem}] = \left(\frac{X}{Q} \right)_{LPZ} \times B \times \sum A \times \text{DCF} \quad \text{Equation 3.f.1}$$

TABLE 3.f.3

Time Period	Atmos. Dispersion Factor, X/Q, (UFSAR Table 15.0-13) [sec/hr ³]	Breathing Rate, B, (UFSAR Table 15A-1) [m ³ /sec]	Fractional Dose, ΣAxDCF, (Table 3.f.2) [rem]	Fractional LPZ Dose, D _{LPZ} , w/ a 12.8 gpm Leakrate (Equation 3.f.1) [rem]
0-2 hr	1.7E-5	3.47E-4	1.14E7*	0.07
2-8 hr	1.7E-5	3.47E-4	1.10E9	5.49
8-24	2.4E-6	1.75E-4	1.43E9	0.60
24-40	1.1E-6	2.3E-4	1.13E9	0.29
* From Table 3.e				
			Total LPZ Dose w/ a 12.8 Leakrate [rem]	7.45

4. CALCULATION OF SITE ALLOWABLE LEAKRATE

a. Results of the Pre-Accident Initiated Iodine Spike Model

The thyroid dose due to the release of activity in the secondary side of all four steam generators is 1.14 rem. The dose due to 1 gpm primary to secondary leakage in 4 steam generators with a concentration of 60 μCi/g is 3.40 rem. Given that the dose limit in the Standard Review Plan is 300 rem for the pre-accident model, the maximum allowable leak rate without exceeding 300 rem is:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Allowable Leak Rate} &= \left(\frac{300 \text{ rem} - 1.14 \text{ rem}}{3.40 \frac{\text{rem}}{\text{gpm}}} \right) \\ &= 87.90 \text{ gpm} \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, the total EAB dose due to a 87.90 gpm leak during a MSLB is 300 rem. The total LPZ dose calculated in Table 2.f.3 is 6.18 rem. Therefore, the EAB dose is more limiting.

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Allowing 0.1 gpm per each of the three intact steam generators leaves 87.60 gpm (87.9-0.3) for the faulted loop.

Note that the 87.90 gpm allowable leakrate is calculated at RCS operating conditions. Should the allowable leakrate be desired to be expressed at room temperature conditions, the 87.90 gpm must be divided by 1.406 (Reference 19) to account for RCS density differences. Therefore, the room temperature allowable leak rate is 62.52 gpm.

b. Results of the Accident initiated Iodine Spike Model

The thyroid dose due to the release of activity in the secondary side of all four steam generators is 1.14 rem. The dose due to 1 gpm primary to secondary leakage in 4 steam generators with a concentration of 1 $\mu\text{Ci/g}$ is 2.25 rem. Given that the dose limit in the Standard Review Plan is 30 rem for the accident initiated spike model, the maximum allowable leak rate without exceeding 30 rem is:

$$\text{Allowable Leak Rate} = \left(\frac{30 \text{ rem} - 1.14 \text{ rem}}{2.25 \frac{\text{rem}}{\text{gpm}}} \right)$$
$$= 12.83 \text{ gpm}$$

Consequently, the total EAB dose due to a 12.83 gpm leak during a MSLB is 30 rem. The total LPZ dose calculated in Table 3.f.3 is 7.45 rem. Therefore, the EAB dose is more limiting.

Allowing 0.1 gpm per each of the three intact steam generators leaves 12.53 gpm (12.83-0.3) for the faulted loop.

Note that the 12.83 gpm allowable leakrate is calculated at RCS operating conditions. Should the allowable leakrate is desired to be expressed at room temperature conditions, the 12.83 gpm must be divided by 1.406 (Reference 19) to account for RCS density differences. Therefore, the room temperature allowable leak rate is 9.13 gpm.

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SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

It is concluded from Section 4 that the accident initiated spike is more limiting, therefore the maximum site allowable SG leakrate during a postulated MSLB is 12.8 gpm at RCS operating conditions (9.1 gpm at room temperature) with a RCS DE I-131 concentration of 1 $\mu\text{Ci/g}$. This value includes the 0.1 gpm contribution from each of the three intact SGs.

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