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Licensee: Commonwealth Edison Company

Facility: Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station
Units 1 and 2

Location: 22710 206th Avenue North
Cordova, IL 61242

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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

**Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 & 2
NRC Inspection Report 50-254/99021(DRS); 50-265/99021(DRS)**

This report covers the pilot baseline inspection for the biennial safety system design and performance criteria. This inspection reviewed the automatic depressurization system and the 125 volt direct-current system.

Inspection findings were assessed according to potential risk significance, and were assigned colors of GREEN, WHITE, YELLOW, or RED. GREEN findings are indicative of issues that, while not necessarily desirable, represent little risk to safety. WHITE findings would indicate issues with some increased risk to safety, and which may require additional NRC inspections. YELLOW findings would be indicative of more serious issues with higher potential risk to safe performance and would require the NRC to take additional actions. RED findings represent an unacceptable loss of margin to safety and would result in the NRC taking significant actions that could include ordering the plant shut down. No individual finding by itself would be indicative of either acceptable or unacceptable performance. The findings, considered in total with other inspection findings and performance indicators, will be used to determine overall plant performance.

Cornerstone: Mitigating Systems

Green: Four of the five Unit 1 automatic depressurization system relief valves were not initially qualified for the degraded voltage conditions that would be seen under accident conditions. The licensee had not originally accounted for the voltage drop that would occur between the station batteries and the valve solenoids when specifying the minimum voltage for which the valves needed to be qualified. The licensee subsequently identified a test report, done for another nuclear station, which qualified the valves to a lower voltage. The inspectors, in conjunction with the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulations, reviewed the test and accepted it under condition that a ten volt penalty be applied to account for some test deficiencies. The licensee also performed calculations to show that the actual available voltage to the valves, under degraded conditions, was above the accepted minimum voltage. A non-cited violation was identified.

Report Details

1. REACTOR SAFETY (Cornerstone: Mitigating Systems)

1R21 Safety System Design and Performance Capability

a. Inspection Scope

Two systems were selected for this inspection: the automatic depressurization system (ADS) and the 125 volt dc system. These systems were selected based upon:

- performing a mitigating system function;
- having high safety significant maintenance rule functions;
- having high risk achievement worths in the probabilistic risk assessment;
- not having received recent NRC review (for ADS); and
- supporting multiple systems (125 volt dc).

The systems were considered complementary in that 125 volt dc power is necessary for the ADS to function.

For the ADS, the following inspection attributes were reviewed in detail:

Energy Source - electricity

Control System - initiation and control

Environmental Requirements - temperature

Equipment Protection - seismic, vacuum relief

Operator Actions - control

Installed Configuration - walkdowns of accessible areas and review of piping drawings

Operation

Design Corrective Actions - selected licensee problem identification forms

Tested Parameters

For the 125 Vdc system, the following inspection attributes were reviewed in detail:

Energy source - batteries and battery chargers

Control System - control power to breakers and end devices

Environmental Requirements - temperature and humidity

Equipment Protection - seismic, tornado and temperature control of battery rooms

Installed configuration - walkdowns of the battery rooms, battery chargers, dc breakers, fuses, dc buses, ground detection and the inputs to the inverters

Maintenance - predictive and preventative maintenance including how the licensee controlled age degradation and service related wear

Design - dc load requirements (adequate voltage and current available at the end device) through review of dc load and battery calculations

Design Corrective Actions - selected licensee problem identification forms

Tested parameters - to ensure the surveillance procedures adequately test the licensing and design bases and whether the tested parameters are supported by calculations

Component Configuration

Procurement - vendor requirements

Industry Operating Experience

b. Observations and Findings

The inspectors identified that four of the five Unit 1 ADS valves would not operate during accident conditions because the minimum voltage for which the valves were qualified did not account for voltage drop. The valves, which are located within the containment drywell, were qualified for a minimum pickup voltage of 105 volts dc during accident conditions; however, the station batteries, which supplied power to the valves, could have a minimum voltage of 105 volts dc. Accounting for voltage drop through the cabling and contacts, the voltage at the valve solenoids would have been significantly below their minimum qualified voltage.

The design engineering staff reviewed the concern and concurred that the voltage drop had not been properly accounted for when the minimum valve qualification voltage was specified. On November 16, 1999, the licensee issued problem identification form Q1999-3992. To resolve the issue, the licensee obtained a copy of a test report done for the Oyster Creek Nuclear Station, which concluded that an identical valve would operate down to a minimum voltage of 80.1 volts dc. Based on this test report, the licensee revised the valve environmental qualification binder 41Q to include the test results and indicate that the Quad Cities electromatic relief valves were qualified to a minimum voltage of 80.1 volts dc.

The inspectors reviewed the test report which provided the basis for the lower voltages and found three major deficiencies which seriously compromised the acceptability of the 80.1 volt dc minimum terminal voltage. The first deficiency was that the test as described by the report failed to meet the power supply voltage specification of ± 0.1 volts dc at the solenoid, as specified in the test report. Instead, the test report showed an alternating voltage with various degrees of divergence, dependent upon the test conditions. The inspectors noted that the 80 volts dc corresponded to the average voltage of the wave, rather than the peak voltage seen. The inspectors also noted that the peak voltages occurred at the same time the peak currents were experienced, indicating that the voltage regulation of the rectifier was insufficient for the application. Another issue with the acceptability of the test report was that the valve was fully refurbished prior to being tested, with no as-found testing. The third issue was that only one valve was tested, which did not provide a statistically meaningful result. Particularly, the inspectors were concerned with the use of the minimum voltage at which the tested valve would function, without adding any margin for uncertainties or statistical variations among valves. For these reasons, the inspectors, with concurrence from the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, concluded that it was more reasonable to assume a minimum acceptable voltage of 90 volts dc. The licensee performed a preliminary calculation and determined that the minimum voltage that would be available at the valve solenoid terminals would be 92.4 volts dc. Therefore, the inspectors concluded that the valves were operable.

10 CFR Part 50 Appendix B, Criterion III "Design Control" requires, in part, that the design basis be correctly translated into specifications, drawings, procedures or instructions. This criteria was not met in that environmental qualification binder 41Q, "Environmental Qualification of Dresser Electromatic Relief Valve Solenoid Actuator Model 1525VX," Revision 5, specified a minimum acceptable solenoid voltage that was

equal to the battery discharge voltage and did not account for voltage line losses, a design basis consideration. This is a violation of Criterion III. The inspectors reviewed the criteria in the significance determination process and determined that this item was of low risk significance because the issue only arose when the ADS valves were subjected to high containment temperatures which limited the significance determination process to the small and medium break loss of coolant accident worksheets. Since only four of the five ADS valves were affected and one ADS valve would still have been operational, all success criteria were met.

The inspectors noted that under design basis conditions, the loss of four ADS valves would have been of significance because a loss of offsite power would have been assumed concurrent with a medium break loss of coolant accident. The design basis event would also have required operation of three ADS valves. Based on the initial information available, the design basis function would not have been met. Because the licensee was able to provide sufficient information by the end of the inspection to show that the valves would operate under the degraded voltage that would be experienced, this issue will be considered a non-cited violation, in accordance with the "Interim Enforcement Policy for Use During the NRC Power Reactor Oversight Process Pilot Plant Study."

4. OTHER ACTIVITIES

4OA5 Management Meetings

.1 Exit Meeting Summary

The inspector presented the inspection results to members of licensee management in an exit meeting on November 19, 1999. The licensee acknowledged the information and findings presented. The inspectors identified the proprietary information reviewed during the inspection and questioned the licensee as to whether proprietary information had been retained. The inspectors also discussed the potential for proprietary information to be included in the inspection report. The licensee confirmed that no proprietary information was retained at the completion of the inspection. The licensee concurred that the proposed inspection report content would not compromise any proprietary information.

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ITEMS OPENED, CLOSED, AND DISCUSSED

Opened

50-254/99021-01	NCV	Failure to Ensure ADS Valves Qualified for Minimum Possible Voltage
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Closed

50-254/99021-01	NCV	Failure to Ensure ADS Valves Qualified for Minimum Possible Voltage
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LIST OF ACRONYMS USED

ADS	Automatic Depressurization System
NCV	Non-Cited Violation
NRC	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NRR	Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
PDR	Public Document Room

INSPECTION PROCEDURE USED

IP 71111-21 (draft) Safety System Design and Performance Capability

LIST OF DOCUMENTS REVIEWED

The following is a list of licensee documents reviewed during the inspection, including documents prepared by others for the licensee. Inclusion on this list does not imply that NRC inspectors reviewed the documents in their entirety, but, rather that selected sections or portions of the documents were evaluated as part of the overall inspection effort.

Calculations

4834-40-19-29	Voltage Drop in Appendix R Repair Cables Feeding Electromatic Relief Valves, Revision 2
5570-31-19-01	125 Volt dc Fault Current, Revision 2
5570-31-19-02	125 Volt dc System Breaker and Fuse Coordination, Revision 2
6838-00-19-01	Verification of 125 Volt dc Battery Capacity, Revision 0
7175-30-19-02	Determination of the Minimum Voltage at the Battery Equipment Room, Revision 0
7294-00-19-01	Battery Charger Recharge Time of Batteries, Revision 2
7318-32-19-1	125 Volt dc Load Profiles for The Electric Loads Management System, Revisions 33 & 36
7330-30-19-1	125 Volt dc and 250 Volt dc Batteries - Actual Overall Capacity, Revision 0
7330-TB-05	Battery Replacement 125 Volt dc and 250 Volt dc, Revision 2
7331-01-19-02	125 Volt dc Battery Bus Voltage Drop Testing (Temporary and Permanent Batteries) for Modification M4-2-88-43, Revision 0
8256-14-19-01	dc Ground Task Force Report, Revision 0
8.9.1-3	Tornado Missile Probability Analysis for Various Tornado Intensities, Revision 0
8913-13-19-01	dc Distribution and Battery Rooms Electrically Generated Heat Loads, Revision 0
9149-20-19-1	125 Volt dc Bus Voltage Calculations for Quad Cities Station, Revision 5
9399-02-19-00	Calculation for Determining Acceptability of Using Existing circuitry for the Replacement of Relief Valves, Revision 0
COM-42-014	Safety Relief Valve Blowdown Control Logic, Revision 1
COM-42-130	Mark I Program Safety Relief Valve Inhibit Logic Modifications for Quad Cities Units 1 and 2 and Dresden Units 2 and 3, Revision 0
CQD-015004	Environmental Qualification (EQ-430) of Target Rock/AVCO Solenoid Valves, Revision 7
CQD-020657	Seismic Qualification of 125 Volt dc Battery Racks with GNB NCX-1500 Cells, Revision 1
CQD-515011	Design and Seismic Qualification of 125 Volt dc Battery Rack, Revision 0
CQD-515064	Seismic Qualification of 125 Volt dc Battery Racks with GNB NCX-1500 Cells, Revision 1
CQD-515066	Effect of Tornado on Battery Gould NCX-1500, Revision 0
ENC-QE-76.5	Overcurrent Protective Device Coordination, Revision 0
NED-E-EIC-0058	125 Volt Battery Chargers 1, 1A, 2, and 2A Settings, Revision 0
NED-I-EIC-0043	Reactor High Pressure Automatic Blowdown Setpoint Error Analysis, Revision 1

NEdc-24379	Evaluation of Mark I Safety/ Relief Valve Load Cases C3.2 and C3.3 (Proprietary), December 1981
NES-EIC-20.04	Analysis of Instrument Channel Setpoint Error and Instrument Loop Accuracy, Revision 1
QC-IET-E-001	Battery Room (Units 1 & 2) Minimum Airflow Requirements, Revision 0
QC-74Q-E-001	Determination of Minimum dc Control Voltages at Station Black Out Tie-In Breakers at the 4 kV Buses, Revision 0
Qdc-0030-S-0359	Seismic Qualification of the Battery Rooms in the Turbine Building, Revision 0
Qdc-0287-M-0701	Pressure Rating for Target Rock Automatic Depressurization System Valve Accumulators, Revision 0
Qdc-8300-E-0482	Evaluation of 125 Volt dc System Coordination for Appendix R, Revision 2
Qdc-8300-E-0577	125 Volt dc Control Circuit Voltage drop evaluation for new 4kV breakers Close and Trip coils at 13-1 and 14-1 4kV Buses, Revision 1
Qdc-8300-S-0441	Required Seismic Clearance for 125 Volt dc Bus 1A/1A-1, Revision 0
Qdc-8300-S-0673	Review of Aged Battery Seismic Qualification Report, Revision 0
TID-E/I&C-28	Sizing Control Cables, Revision 0
VT-08	Determination of the Ventilation Requirements for Battery Rooms Unit 1 and Unit 2, Revision 3

Correspondence - to NRC

June 30, 1978	Evaluation of the Consequences of a Multiple Subsequent Relief Valve Discharge on the Mark I Containments (ComEd)
January 24, 1980	Temporary Technical Specification Changes Concerning Automatic Depressurization System Operability (ComEd)
January 25, 1980	Additional Response to IE Bulletin 80-01 (ComEd)
July 2, 1980	Revised Schedule for Mark I Containment and Feedwater Sparger Replacement Projects (ComEd)
December 16, 1981	BWR Mark I Containment Order Date Extensions (ComEd)
April 29, 1982	Proposed Amendment to Technical Specifications Concerning Surveillance of Automatic Pressure Relief Valves when the High Pressure Coolant Injection Subsystem Is Inoperable (ComEd)
October 18, 1982	Proposed Technical Specification Change Concerning Safety/Related Valve Setpoints (ComEd)
December 22, 1982	Clarification of BWR Mark I Containment Minor Modifications
May 10, 1983	Response to NUREG-0737 Item II.K.3.28, Verify Qualification of Accumulators on Automatic Depressurization System Valves (ComEd)
June 27, 1983	BWR Mark I Containment Program Plant Unique Analysis Reports (ComEd)
July 15, 1983	Proposed Technical Specification Change Concerning Safety/Relief Valve Setpoints (ComEd)
July 18, 1983	Status of NUREG 0737 Item II.K.3.18, Modification of Automatic Depressurization System Logic (ComEd)
July 28, 1982	Quad Cities Station Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2, Engineered Safety Features Reset Controls (Memorandum from T. M. Novak, NRC, to E. L. Jordan, NRC)

February 28, 1986 NUREG-0737 Item II.K.3.28, Qualification of Automatic Depressurization System Accumulators (ComEd)
 April 9, 1986 NUREG-00737 Item II.K.3.28, Qualification of Automatic Depressurization System Accumulators (ComEd)
 March 21, 1989 Application for Amendment to Facility Operating Licenses DPR-29 and DPR-30, Appendix A, Technical Specifications (ComEd)
 January 10, 1996 Response to NRC Generic Letter 96-01, Testing of Safety-Related Logic Circuits (ComEd)
 May 20, 1999 Revision to Schedule for Completing Setpoint/Uncertainty Calculations for Specific Functions (ComEd)

Correspondence - to Licensee

February 2, 1979 Staff Evaluation of Interim Multiple-Consecutive Safety-Relief Valve Actuations (NRC to all BWR licensees)
 February 1, 1980 Issuance of Amendments 46 and 40 (NRC)
 January 7, 1982 Resolution of TMI Action Item II.E.4.2.5, Containment Pressure Setpoint - Quad Cities Units 1 and 2 (NRC)
 September 22, 1982 Response to Suggested Changes in SRV Inhibit Logic (NuTech),
 December 15, 1982 Issuance of Amendment 83 (NRC)
 December 30, 1982 Safety Evaluation Report for Appendix R to 10 CFR Part 50, Items III.G and III.L (NRC)
 March 16, 1983 NUREG-0737 Item II.K.3.20, Verify Qualification of Accumulators on Automatic Depressurization System Valves (NRC)
 May 11, 1983 Request for Additional Information - NUREG-0737, Item II.K.3.28, Qualification of Automatic Depressurization System Accumulators (NRC),
 May 18, 1983 Resolution of NUREG-0737 Item II.K.3.45, Depressurization With Other Than Automatic Depressurization System (NRC)
 June 3, 1983 NUREG-0737, Item II.K.3.18, Automatic Depressurization System Logic Modifications (NRC)
 January 17, 1985 Request for Additional Information - MPA F-55 (TMI II.K.3.28), Qualification of Automatic Depressurization System Accumulators (NRC),
 January 24, 1985 Response to NUREG-0737, Item II.K.3.18, Automatic Depressurization System Modification (NRC)
 June 16, 1986 Resolution of NUREG-0737 Item II.K.3.28 Verify Qualification of Accumulators on Automatic Depressurization System Valves (NRC)
 May 31, 1996 Disposition of ATWS Event at Quad Cities (Siemens Proprietary)
 July 14, 1997 Completion of Licensing Action for GL-96-01, Testing of Safety-Related Logic Circuits (NRC)

Design Change Packages

8200057 Safety Relief Valves Logic Modification
 9700286 Temporary Installation of Air Ducts on Temporary Air Conditioning Unit to the Unit 1 Battery Room, (Temporary Alteration), July 28, 1997
 9800014 Install Portable Heaters in Unit 2 Battery Room, January 14, 1998
 9800192 Replace 125 Volt dc Main Feed Breaker at RB-2 for the 4 kV Switchgear Bus 23-1, May 30, 1998

Drawings

111502	External Wiring Diagram for Consoli Type Electromatic Relief Valve with 1530VX or 1530VC Controller and 1537 Control Station, Dresser, 5/4/72
4E-1050	Cable Routing Turbine & Reactor Building Ground Floor, Revision BB
4E-1051	Cable Routing Turbine & Reactor Building Mezzanine Floor, Revision AP
4E-1059	Cable Routing Torus Area, Control Room, and Filter Building, Revision S
4E-1067F	Connection Layout 125 Volt dc and 250 Volt dc Battery Cells, Revision G
4E-1318	125 Volt dc Turbine Building Reserve Bus Distribution Panel and 125 Volt dc Reactor Building Distribution Panel 1, Revision F
4E-1318A	Turbine Building 125 Volt dc Main Bus Distribution Panel, Revision R
4E-1318B	Overall Key Diagram- 125 Volt dc Distribution Centers, Revision E
4E-1389B	125 Volt dc Battery Charger #1 Quad-Cities Station Unit 1, Revision L
4E-1389F	Wiring and Schematic Diagram 125 Volt dc Trickle Charger for Alternate Battery 1, Revision A
4E-1428	Schematic Diagram Annunciator & Computer Core Spray System I & II, Revision AE
4E-1429	Relaying Metering & Schematic Diagram Core Spray Pumps 1A & 1B, Revision U
4E-1430-1 & 2	Schematic Diagram Core Spray Systems I & II, Revisions AY & AT
4E-1461-1 & 2	Schematic Diagram Auto Blowdown Part 1, Revisions AP & AT
4E-1461A	Schematic Control Diagram Auto Blowdown Part 1, Revision C
4E-1462-1,2 & 3	Schematic Diagram Auto Blowdown Part II, Revisions AK, AJ & AF
4E-1462A	Schematic Control Diagram Auto Blowdown Part 2, Revision C
4E-1685A	Wiring Diagram Turbine Building 125 Volt dc Reserve Bus 1B-1 Distribution Panel, Revision AP
4E-1685D	Turbine Diagram Turbine Building 125 Volt dc Main Buses 1A-1 and 1A-2 Distribution Panel, Revision M
4E-1798F	Wiring Diagram 125V dc Battery #1A Quad-Cities Station Unit 1, Revision J
4E-2318	Key Diagram 125 Volt dc Distribution Panel, Revision M
4E-2428-1	Schematic Control Diagram Annunciator & Computer Core Spray System I & II, Revision D
4E-2429-1	Schematic Diagram and Relaying & Metering Core Spray Pumps 2A & 2B, Revision N
4E-2430-1, 2 & 3	Schematic Diagram Core Spray System I & II, Revisions AJ, AG & Z
4E-2461-1 & 2	Schematic Diagram Auto Blowdown Part I, Revision AH & AG
4E-2461A	Schematic Control Diagram Auto Blowdown Part 1, Revision D
4E-2462-1 & 2	Schematic Diagram Auto Blowdown Part II, Revisions AA & AB
4E-2462A	Schematic Control Diagram Auto Blowdown Part 2, Revision D
4E-2798E	Wiring Diagram 125 Volt dc Battery Charger 2A, Revision M
93V-001	Power Operated Relief Valve (Class 900), Target Rock Corporation, 3 sheets, 3-9-94
M-13-1	Diagram of Main Steam Piping, Unit 1, Revision AM
M-24-12 & 13	Diagram of Instrument Air Piping Reactor Building, Revisions C and E
M-35- 1	Diagram of Nuclear Boiler & Reactor Recirculating Piping, Revision AR
M-36	Diagram of Core Spray Piping, Unit 1, Revision AV

M-39-1,2, & 3	Diagram of Residual Heat Removal Piping, Unit 1, Revisions BD, AY, & C
M-60-1	Diagram of Main Steam Piping, Unit 2, Revision AK
M-76-1	Diagram of Pressure Suppression Piping, Revision BA
M-78	Diagram of Core Spray Piping, Unit 2, Revision BA
M-81-1, 2 & 3	Diagram of Residual Heat Removal Piping, Unit 2, Revisions BJ, BG, & C
M-305	Target Rock Valve Instrument Air Line Modification, Revision B
Unnumbered	Electromatic Relief Valve, Cross Sectional Views, 9 sheets

Environmental Qualification Binders

Binder EQ-17Q	Target Rock Corporation Power Operated Relief Valves, Model #93V-001, Revision 00
Binder EQ-41Q	Environmental Qualification of Dresser Electromatic Relief Valve Solenoid Actuator Model 1525VX, Revisions 5 & 5A

Information Notices

80-01	Operability of Automatic Depressurization System Valve Pneumatic Supply, May 3, 1983
80-25	Operating Problems with Target Rock Safety/ Relief Valves at Boiling Water Reactors, December 19, 1980
80-40	Excessive Nitrogen Pressure, November 7, 1980
81-38	Potentially Significant Equipment Failures from Contamination of Air-Operated Systems, December 17, 1981
82-41	Failure of Safety/ Relief Valves to Open at a Boiling Water Reactor, October 22, 1982
83-39	Failure of Safety/ Relief Valves to Open at Boiling Water Reactor - Interim Report, June 17, 1983
83-82	Failure of Safety/ Relief Valves to Open at Boiling Water Reactor - Final Report, December 20, 1983
85-35	Failure of Air Check Valves to Seat, Supplement 1, May 17, 1988
86-12	Target Rock Two Stage Safety/ Relief Valve Setpoint Drift, February 25, 1986
86-50	Inadequate Testing to Detect Failures of Safety-Related Pneumatic Components or Systems, June 18, 1986
86-51	Excessive Pneumatic Leakage in the Automatic Depressurization System, June 18, 1986
88-30	Target Rock Two Stage Safety/ Relief Valve Setpoint Drift Update, May 25, 1988
89-26	Instrument Air Supply to Safety-related Equipment, March 7, 1989
89-90	Pressurizer Safety Valve Lift Setpoint Shift, December 28, 1989; Supplement 1, April 3, 1991; Supplement 2, September 5, 1991
90-11	Maintenance Deficiency Associated with Solenoid-Operated Valves, February 28, 1990
91-74	Changes in Pressurizer Safety Valve Setpoints Before Installation, November 25, 1991
93-02	Malfunction of a Pressurizer Code Safety Valve, January 4, 1993
94-56	Inadequacies of Safety Valve Setpoint Determination, August 11, 1994

- 95-47 Unexpected Opening of a Safety/ Relief Valve and Complications Involving Suppression Pool Cooling Strainer Blockage, October 4, 1995; Supplement 1, November 30, 1995
- 96-02 Inoperability of Power-operated Relief Valves Masked by Downstream Indications During Testing, January 5, 1996
- 98-23 Crosby Valve Setpoint Drift Problems Caused by Corrosion of the Guide Ring, June 23, 1998

Generic Letters

- 88-14 Instrument Air Supply System Problems Affecting Safety-Related Equipment, August 8, 1988

Modifications

- M4-1-82-018 Modify Battery Room Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning System to Provide More Adequate Heating and Cooling in the Room
- M4-1/2-84-011 125 Volt dc Cross-Tie between 4 kV Switchgear 13-1 and 23-1
- M4-2-93-012 Replace Dresser Electromatic Relief Valves with Target Rock Power Operated Relief Valves

Problem Identification Forms Generated From the Inspection

- Q199903742 Contacts 5-6 for Switch 287-304 Shown Incorrectly on 4E02461 Sheet 1
- Q199903738 Unknown Location of Design Change Package 9300355
- Q199903943 Automatic Depressurization System Solenoid Fuse Protection
- Q199903962 Relief Valve Blow down Range Design Basis Not Referenced in Set Point Calculation
- Q1999-03992 No Voltage Drop Calculation Exists for the Unit One Electromatic Relief Valves (EPNs 1-0203-3B through E)
- Q199903999 Superseded Calculations Shown as Active
- Q199904000 Surveillance Procedure QCIS 0200-20 Has Incorrect Head Correction Identified

Problem Identification Forms Reviewed During the Inspection

- Q199501844 Unit 2 Auto Blowdown Fuse 23 (287-711a) Was Found to Be a 3 Amp Fuse Instead of a 10 Amp Fuse per Design
- Q199501929 Acceptance Criteria for the Inhibit Logic for Valves 203-3B and 3C Found to be 9 to 10 Seconds
- Q199502145 Unit 2 Power Operated Relief Valve Auto-inhibit Relays Should Be Set to Approximately 14 Seconds in Order to Electrically Prohibit Valve Operation AFTER Closure for at Least 10 Seconds
- Q199701744 Intercell Resistance Between Cell 4 and 5 is 6.2 Micro-ohms Above Criteria
- Q199703203 QARP 1100-01 Closes 125 Volt dc 13-1 to 23-1 Cross-Tie Contrary to Safe Shutdown Document Analysis Requirement
- Q199704735 Level 3 Ground on 125 Volt dc System

Q199800166 Unit Two 125 Volt Battery Inoperable Due to Average Cell Temperatures less than 65 Degrees, January 14, 1998
 Q199800384 Trend Problem Identification Form on Inaccurate Battery Calculations
 Q199800656 Station Procedures and Updated Final Safety Analysis Report not Revised after Automatic Depressurization System Inhibit Time Delay Setpoint Change
 Q199800745 Station Battery Profiles for Safety-related 125 and 250 Volt dc Batteries Not Up to Date
 Q199800816 Batteries Over 10 Years Seismic Life
 Q199801744 dc Distribution Breaker Failed to Open
 Q199802604 Possible Incorrect Breaker Installed in 125 Volt dc Bus 1B-1 Cubicle C02
 Q199802915 125 Volt Battery Charger 2A Failed its 4 Hour Load Test
 Q199803067 Unit One 125 Volt dc Level 3 Ground
 Q199805039 Inadequate Testing of Automatic Depressurization System Logic per QCOS 0203-06, Revision 0
 Q199805050 Breaker Failed Overcurrent Trip Check
 Q199805677 Unit 2 125 Volt dc Charger Failed Post Maintenance Testing
 Q199900543 Unit 1 Level 3 125 Volt dc Ground
 Q199900576 Unit 2 Safety-related Battery Exceeded Intercell Resistance Limits
 Q199900671 Thermal Runaway of Unit One IPEEE Battery
 Q199900737 IPEEE Battery Cell Failure
 Q199900807 Errors in Loss of Offsite Power/ Loss of Coolant Accident Calculation 9149-20-19-1
 Q199900901 Plant Operations Review Committee Approved Temporary Modifications with Inadequate Testing Criteria
 Q199901227 Unit One 125 Volt dc Battery Ground
 Q199901290 Unit One Level 3 125 Volt dc Ground
 Q199901542 Problems Identified with Intercell Connections on the Station Batteries
 Q199901674 Unit 2 125 Volt dc Battery Maintenance Rule Functional Failure due to Low Electrolyte Temperature
 Q199901728 Unable to Perform Failure Analysis on Defective Breaker
 Q199902008 Received Hard 125 Volt dc Ground on Unit 1 Safety-related Battery Bus
 Q199903534 Nuclear Operator Identifies Discrepancies with Dc Grounds Procedure
 Q199903606 Administrative Issues with Calculations 7318-32-19-1, Revision 36 and 9149-20-19-1, Revision 5
 Q199903633 Operability Evaluation Q1998-02604 Corrective Action Adequacy

Procedures

1100 Wyle Laboratories Test Procedure for Target Rock Three Stage Pilot-Operated Relief Valves Model 7467F (OM-1987), March 7, 1997
 NEP-12-02 Preparation, Review and Approval of Calculations, Revision 9
 NEP-0401 Plant Modifications, Revision 6
 QCAN 901(2)-3 B-13 Automatic Blowdown Timer Start, Revision 3
 QCAN 901(2)-3 C-15 Auto Blowdown Interlock Core Spray/Residual Heat Removal (Pump Running Permissive), Revision 2
 QCAN 901(2)-3 D-15 Automatic Blowdown System in Unapproved Test Mode of Operation, Revision 0

QCAN 901(2)-3 E-13 Relief Valve 1(2)-203-3C/3D and/or 3D is Open, Revision 3
QCAN 901(2)-3 E-14 Acoustic Monitor Indicates Safety and/or Relief Valve Open, Revision 4
QCAN 901(2)-3 F-13 Automatic Blowdown System Drywell High Pressure (Depressurization System High Drywell Pressure Initiation), Revision 4
QCAN 901(2)-3 F-15 Automatic Blowdown System in Test Mode of Operation, Revision 0
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960033952 Unit 1 Hard Ground (Level III) Investigate and Isolate

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