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## **Executive Summary**

Battelle—Pacific Northwest Division operates numerous research and development laboratories in Richland, Washington, including those associated with the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) on the Department of Energy's Hanford Site that have the potential for radionuclide air emissions. The National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP 40 CFR 61, Subparts H and I) requires an assessment of all effluent release points that have the potential for radionuclide emissions. Potential emissions are assessed annually. Sampling, monitoring, and other regulatory compliance requirements are designated based upon the potential-to-emit dose criteria found in the regulations. The purpose of this document is to describe the facility radionuclide air emission sampling program and provide current and historical facility emission point system performance, operation, and design information.

A description of the buildings, exhaust points, control technologies, and sample extraction details is provided for each registered or deregistered facility emission point. Additionally, applicable stack sampler configuration drawings, figures, and photographs are provided.



## Acronyms, Abbreviations, and Terms

AABC	American Air Balance Council
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
CAM	continuous air monitor
CAP88	Clean Air Act Assessment Package-1988
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
cfm	Cubic Feet per Minute
DEPO	Deposition Computer Code
Deregistered	A report of closure has been transmitted to the Washington State Department of Health indicating that operations of an emission unit with the potential to emit radioactive materials has ceased.
DOE	U.S. Department of Energy
EDE	Effective Dose Equivalent
EM	Effluent Management
EMS	Environmental Management System
EMSD	Environmental Management Services Department
EMSL	Environmental Molecular Science Laboratory
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
FEMP	Facility Effluent Monitoring Plan
F&O	Facilities & Operations
HEPA	High-Efficiency Particulate Air (Filter)
HPS	Health Physics Society
HTO	Condensable Tritium
HT	Non-Condensable Tritium
ID	Inside Diameter
Inactive	Although the emission unit is still registered, there are no operations occurring with the potential to emit radioactive materials through the emission point.
Lfpm	Linear Feet per Minute
Major	An emission point with the potential to contribute greater than or equal to 0.1 mrem/yr dose to the maximally exposed individual offsite
Minor	An emission point with the potential to contribute less than 0.1-mrem/yr dose to the maximally exposed individual offsite
MEI	Maximally Exposed Individual
NA	Not Available
NESHAP	National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
NOC	Notice Of Construction
NRC	Nuclear Regulatory Commission
PNNL	Pacific Northwest National Laboratory

PTE	Potential to Emit
QA	Quality Assurance
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
R&D	Research And Development
RGD	Radiation-Generating Device
RMW	Radioactive Mixed Waste
RPL	Radiochemical Processing Laboratory
RS&EG	Radiochemical Sciences and Engineering
scfm	Standard Cubic Feet per Minute
$\sigma_g$	Geometric standard deviation; a measure of particle size spread around the mean diameter for a log normal distribution
SOW	Statement of Work
TEDE	Total Effective Dose Equivalent
TSD	Treatment, Storage, and Disposal
TSDF	Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facility
WAC	Washington Administrative Code
WDOH	Washington State Department of Health

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## 1.0 Introduction

Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) conducts numerous research and development activities that have the potential for radionuclide air emissions. The National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 61, Subpart H and Subpart I) requires an assessment of all effluent release points that have the potential for radionuclide emissions. NESHAP requires that “major” emission points be sampled continuously, while “minor” emission points require periodic confirmatory measurements. Major and minor designations are determined using potential dose criteria specified in the regulations (see Acronyms, Abbreviations, and Terms). Washington Administrative Code, WAC 246-247, “Radiation protection—air emissions,” (WAC 2005) provides radioactive air emission licensing and regulation guidance for facilities that emit radionuclides. The potential for emissions from PNNL facilities is assessed annually to verify sampling requirements. The methodology used to evaluate the potential for emissions is documented in PNL-10855, *Assessment of Unabated Facility Emission Potentials for Evaluating Airborne Radionuclide Monitoring Requirements at Pacific Northwest National Laboratory* (Ballinger et al. 2008).

There are eight registered PNNL-operated Hanford Site emission points that are sampled by PNNL for airborne radionuclide emissions (Table 1.1). Of the eight registered emission points, two are currently designated as “major” and are sampled continuously to determine compliance with air emission standards as required by Washington State Department of Health (WDOH) and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations. Some of the “minor” emission points may be sampled continuously as a best management practice. The remaining minor emission points are sampled periodically to provide confirmatory evidence that no significant emissions exist.

In support of efforts to upgrade the building air emission sampling program, point-by-point assessments were conducted for each emission point. This effort, which began in 1990, produced information on system design, operation, and performance. The information was used to assess system deficiencies and to identify design and operational upgrades needed to meet WDOH and EPA regulations. After completing the point-by-point assessments, all emission points were identified as needing some upgrades to fully comply with the regulatory criteria.

Table 1.2 provides system heights and exhaust flow rates for emission units.

To provide easy access to building emission point information, Stack Sampler Configuration Drawings were compiled for each emission point.

**Table 1.1.** Schedule for Routine Radionuclide Air Emission Sampling

<b>Emission Sampler</b>	<b>Major Emission Point</b>	<b>Sample Type</b>	<b>Sampling Frequency</b>	<b>Duration of Each Sample</b>	<b>Constituents Analyzed</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>300 Area Active Emission Points</b>						
ESP-318-01-S	No	Particulate	Annual	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded
ESP-320-01-S	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded
ESP-320-02-S	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point Non-upgraded
ESP-320-04-S	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point Non-upgraded
ESP-325-01-S	Yes	Particulate Water Vapor Hydrogen Composite	Continuous Continuous Continuous	2 week 1 month 1 month 6 month	Alpha/Beta Tritium Tritium Specific Nuclides	Major Emission Point—Upgraded Isotopic Analysis on Composites (See Appendix A)
ESP-326-01-S	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded
ESP-329-01-S	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded
ESP-331-01-V	Yes	Particulate Composite	Continuous	2 week 6 month	Alpha/Beta Specific Nuclides	Major Emission Point—Upgraded Isotopic Analysis on Composites (See Appendix A)
<b>Battelle Private Active Emission Points</b>						
ESP-LSLII-01-D1 ESP-LSLII-01-D2	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point Non-upgraded
ESP-LSLII-02-D1 ESP-LSLII-02-D2	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point Non-upgraded
ESP-RTL-10-V	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded
ESP-RTL-11-V	No	Particulate	Quarterly	2 week	Alpha/Beta	Minor Emission Point—Upgraded

**Table 1.1 (Cont'd)**

<b>Emission Sampler</b>	<b>Major Emission Point</b>	<b>Sample Type</b>	<b>Sampling Frequency</b>	<b>Duration of Each Sample</b>	<b>Constituents Analyzed</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Deregistered Emission Points (Historical Data)</b>						
ESP-331-02-S	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Emission Point Deregistered Sealed sources only
ESP-331G-01-S	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Emission Point Deregistered Sealed sources only
ESP-331G-02-S	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Emission Point Deregistered Sealed sources only
ESP-331H-01-S	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Emission Point Deregistered Sealed sources only
ESP-3020-01-S	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Emission Point Deregistered Exemption from Permitting approved by WDOH

**Table 1.2.** Facility Radiological Air Emission Sampling Systems

<b>Emission Point Number</b>	<b>Unit ID</b>	<b>Unit Name</b>	<b>Point Description</b>	<b>Release Height above Grade (ft)</b>	<b>Effective Release Height (ft)<sup>(a)</sup></b>	<b>Nominal Flow Rate (ft<sup>3</sup>/min)</b>	<b>Nominal Temperature (°F)</b>
EP-318-01-S	318	Radiological Calibrations Laboratory	Stack	28.9	41	500	82
EP-320-01-S	320	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	Stack	39.7	100	30,000	75
EP-320-02-S	320	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	Stack	31.8	44	500	83
EP-320-04-S	320	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	Stack	26.0	37	500	82
EP-325-01-S	325	Radiochemical Processing Laboratory	Stack	88.8	268	140,000	77
EP-326-01-S	326	Materials Sciences Laboratory	Stack	47.7	131	49,000	77
EP-329-01-S	329	Chemical Sciences Laboratory	Stack	62.5	156	45,000	75
EP-331-01-V	331	Life Sciences Laboratory	Vent	62.0	163	58,000	77
<b>Battelle Private Active Emission Points</b>							
EP-LSLII-01-1	LSL	Life Sciences Laboratory II	Vent	24.4	59	19,000	76
EP-LSLII-01-2	LSL	Life Sciences Laboratory II	Vent	24.4	63	23,000	78
EP-LSLII-02-1	LSL	Life Sciences Laboratory II	Vent	15.6	79	63,000	74
EP-LSLII-02-1	LSL	Life Sciences Laboratory II	Vent	15.6	78	61,000	74
EP-RTL-10-V	RTL	Research Technology Laboratory	Vent	26.0	68	14,000	80
EP-RTL-11-V	RTL	Research Technology Laboratory	Vent	26.0	73	17,000	78

**Table 1.2 (Cont'd)**

<b>Emission Point Number</b>	<b>Unit ID</b>	<b>Unit Name</b>	<b>Point Description</b>	<b>Release Height above Grade (ft)</b>	<b>Effective Release Height (ft)<sup>(a)</sup></b>	<b>Nominal Flow Rate (ft<sup>3</sup>/min)</b>	<b>Nominal Temperature (°F)</b>
<b>Deregistered Emission Points (Historical Data)</b>							
EP-331-02-S	331	Radon Exposure Facility	Stack	42.3	73	4800 <sup>(b)</sup>	N/A <sup>(b)</sup>
EP-331G-01-S	331G	Interim Tissue Repository	Stack	19.1	28	600 <sup>(b)</sup>	N/A <sup>(b)</sup>
EP-331G-02-S	331G	Interim Tissue Repository	Stack	15.0	27	1400 <sup>(b)</sup>	N/A <sup>(b)</sup>
EP-331H-01-S	331H	Aerosol Wind Tunnel Facility	Stack	22.0	46	5500 <sup>(b)</sup>	N/A <sup>(b)</sup>
EP-3020-01-S	EMSL	Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory	Stack	53.6	99	6900 <sup>(b)</sup>	78 <sup>(b)</sup>
<p>(a) The effective release height is equal to the physical stack height plus the plume rise attributable to momentum and buoyancy.</p> <p>(b) Former nominal operational flow and temperature data.</p>							
<p>Conversions: 1 foot (ft) = 0.3048 meter (m)</p> <p>1 ft<sup>3</sup>/min = 0.0283 m<sup>3</sup>/min.</p>							

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The remainder of this manual is divided into sections by emission point. The following data were compiled for each emission point:

- a photograph of the stack and sample system
- emission sample point ID
- traverse point ID
- location of emission point using Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates
- facility/process description
- exhaust point description
- exhaust point control technology
- exhaust point flow rate
- record particulate sample system description
- sample extraction point
- sample extraction probe
- sample transport line
- vacuum air sample system
- applicable drawings.

## **1.1 Background**

In response to plans by EPA to revise the emission sampling regulations, PNNL initiated a comprehensive effort to upgrade facility radionuclide emission sampling systems in 1990. The EPA regulations were issued as 40 CFR 61, “National Emission Standard for Hazardous Air Pollutants” (December 15, 1989). Subpart H, “National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other Than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities,” applied to many PNNL-operated facilities at Hanford. Subpart I, “National Emission Standards for Radionuclide Emissions from Federal Facilities Other Than Nuclear Regulatory Commission Licensees and Not Covered by Subpart H,” applied to many PNNL-operated private facilities. The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) subsequently published DOE Order 5400.5, “Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment” (January 7, 1993).

Additionally, Washington State promulgated radioactive air emissions requirements (WAC 246-247 Radiation Protection—Air Emissions) in 1994 detailing licensing requirements and regulation guidance applicable to PNNL facilities that emit radionuclides.

Most PNNL sampling systems were originally designed to be operated at a nominal sample rate of 2 cubic feet per minute (cfm); that is, the sample probe nozzles were sized to operate isokinetically at a sample rate of 2 cfm. However, changes in facility ventilation flow rates, degradation of the sampler vacuum supply, or compliance with ANSI N13.1–1999 can result in deviation from the original isokinetic design.

Accurate setting of sample rates to achieve isokinetic sampling conditions requires that the exhaust system velocity be measured at the sample extraction location. Before 1990, facility exhaust flow rates were measured for purposes of ventilation system control using methods prescribed by the American Air Balance Council (AABC). The AABC measurements were generally performed at locations other than the point of sample extraction. Although these measurements were useful for establishing volumetric discharge rates, they were not appropriate for establishing sampling rates.

In support of the overall upgrade effort, airborne radionuclide emission sampling systems were inspected during the summer of 1990. Sample probes were removed from stacks and/or ducts for visual inspection, sampler nozzle and sample transport line dimensions were measured, and sampler location, orientation, and configuration were recorded. Whenever possible, exhaust system velocities and volumetric flow rates were determined using 40 CFR 60 Appendix A-1, Method 2, *Determination of Stack Gas Velocity and Volumetric Flow Rate (Type S Pitot Tube)*. Since then, flow rates have been measured at least annually.

Information obtained during sampler inspections and stack velocity measurements was used with the Deposition (DEPO) computer software to estimate the deposition of particles collected in each sampling system. Since 1990, the sampling systems have been periodically evaluated for sampling error caused by sampling system line losses using DEPO. Table 1.3 summarizes the most recent evaluation.

In addition, cyclonic flow measurements were conducted for each sampling system according to 40 CFR 60 Appendix A, Method 1, Section 11.4, *Verification of Absence of Cyclonic Flow*. Table 1.4 summarizes the results of these measurements.

As a result of the 1990 assessments, a list of upgrades to radionuclide emission sampling systems was developed. The listed upgrades were those necessary for compliance with the NESHAP regulations and DOE guidance in DOE/EH-0173T (DOE 1991). The upgrades were completed using a graded approach based on the release potential. Emission points with minimal release potential were not upgraded. The stack sampler configuration sheets, along with supporting data, document the information resulting from the before-mentioned assessments and subsequent upgrades.

**Table 1.3.** Summary Of Radionuclide Emission Sampler Efficiencies<sup>(a)</sup>  
(for 1- $\mu\text{m}$  particles with 2.25  $\sigma_g$ )

Emission Sample Point Number	Number of Nozzles	FLOW RANGE (cfm)		Penetration Efficiency Range (%)
		Stack	Sampler	
ESP-318-01-S	2	300 to 800	1-5	94 to 101
ESP-320-01-S	6	20,000 to 50,000	1-5	92 to 108
ESP-320-02-S	2	300 to 600	1-5	83 to 97
ESP-320-04-S	1	300 to 1,200	1-5	81 to 101
ESP-325-01-S (CAM)	6	120,000 to 150,000	5-30	96 to 98
ESP-325-01-S	6	120,000 to 150,000	1-5	94 to 112
ESP-326-01-S	6	40,000 to 70,000	1-5	94 to 110
ESP-329-01-S	6	30,000 to 60,000	1-5	93 to 110
ESP-331-01-D	6	50,000 to 100,000	1-5	95 to 117
<b>Battelle Private Active Emission Points</b>				
ESP-LSLII-01-D1	7	10,000 to 25,000	1-5	99 to 107
ESP-LSLII-01-D2	7	10,000 to 25,000	1-5	80 to 133
ESP-LSLII-02-D1	7	40,000 to 100,000	1-5	95 to 108
ESP-LSLII-02-D2	7	50,000 to 100,000	1-5	81 to 104
ESP-RTL-10-D	5	10,000 to 25,000	1-5	93 to 119
ESP-RTL-11-D	5	10,000 to 25,000	1-5	93 to 119
<p>(a) Sampler efficiencies are reported for active emission points only.  <b>Note:</b> Sampler transport efficiencies were calculated for the particulate samplers with varying stack and sampler flow rates. The emission sample point transport efficiencies assumed a particle size of 1 micron with <math>\sigma_g = 2.25</math>. See project records inventory and disposition schedule and file index for detailed line-loss calculations.</p>				

**Table 1.4.** Verification of Absence of Cyclonic Flow Conditions in Stacks and Vents

<b>Emission Point Number</b>	<b>Unit Name</b>	<b>Traverse Point</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Average Yaw Angle (degrees)</b>	<b>Acceptable (Yes/No)<sup>(a)</sup></b>
EP-318-01-S	Radiological Calibrations Laboratory	TP-318-01-1	06/22/2006	12.2	Yes
EP-320-01-S	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	TP-320-01-1	10/12/2000	3.4	Yes
EP-320-02-S	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	TP-320-02-1	07/20/1999	0.75	Yes
EP-320-04-S	Analytical and Nuclear Research Laboratory	TP-320-04-1	07/20/1999	1.35	Yes
EP-325-01-S	Radiochemical Processing Laboratory	TP-325-01-1	11/20/2002	4.0	Yes
EP-326-01-S	Materials Sciences Laboratory	TP-326-01-1	03/30/2000	6.05	Yes
EP-329-01-S	Chemical Sciences Laboratory	TP-329-01-1	01/27/2000	3.85	Yes
EP-331-01-V	Life Sciences Laboratory	TP-331-01-1	08/02/2000	10.7	Yes
<b>Battelle Private Active Emission Points</b>					
EP-LSLII-01-V <sup>(b)</sup>	Life Sciences Laboratory II	TP-LSLII-01-1	9/30/1999	13.8	Yes
		TP-LSLII-01-2	9/30/1999	7.3	Yes
EP-LSLII-02-V <sup>(c)</sup>	Life Sciences Laboratory II	TP-LSLII-02-1	5/26/1999	4.9	Yes
		TP-LSLII-02-2	8/11/1999	2.4	Yes
EP-RTL-10-V	Research Technology Laboratory	TP-RTL-10-1	09/20/1999	5.9	Yes
EP-RTL-11-V	Research Technology Laboratory	TP-RTL-11-1	09/20/1999	5.2	Yes
<b>Deregistered Emission Points (Historical Data)</b>					
EP-331-02-S	Radon Exposure Facility	TP-331-02-1	06/08/1999	2.2	Yes
EP-331G-01-S	Interim Tissue Repository	TP-331G-01-1	06/07/1999	9.0	Yes
EP-331G-02-S	Interim Tissue Repository	TP-331G-02-1	06/07/1999	3.5	Yes
EP-331H-01-S	Aerosol Wind Tunnel Facility	TP-331H-01-1	06/07/1999	9.3	Yes
EP-3020-01-S	Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory	TP-3020-01-1	01/12/2000	2.1	Yes
<p>(a) If the average Yaw angle is &gt; 20 degrees, then the overall flow condition in the stack is unacceptable. If the average Yaw angle is ≤ 20 degrees, then the flow condition in the stack is acceptable.</p> <p>(b) The emission point, EP-LSLII-01-V contains two identical 54 × 165-inch rectangular ducts that vent one at a time.</p> <p>(c) The emission point, EP-LSLII-02-V contains two identical 36 × 84-inch rectangular ducts that vent one at a time.</p>					

## 1.2 Compliance Requirements

The primary drivers for the facility airborne radionuclide emission sampling and monitoring program are:

- 40 CFR 61, Subpart H, “National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides other than Radon from Department of Energy Facilities” applies to DOE owned or operated facilities that emit radionuclides other than radon-222 and radon-220 to the air and require 1) evaluating potential radiological air emission sources for impact to the public and environment, 2) sampling release streams, 3) registering certain sources and emissions, 4) filing notices of construction for new and or modified sources, 5) complying with the 10-mrem release standard, 6) evaluating best available control technology, 7) reporting emissions, and 8) maintaining a quality assurance program.
- 40 CFR 61, Subpart I, “National Emission Standards fro Radionuclide Emissions from Federal Facilities Other Than Nuclear Regulatory Commission Licensees and Not Covered by Subpart H,” applies to facilities owned or operated by any Federal agency other than DOE and 1) require complying with the 10-mrem release standard, 2) reporting emissions, and 3) maintaining a quality assurance program.
- WAC 246-247, “Radiation Protection—Air Emissions,” provides licensing requirements for 1) monitoring facility radioactive air emissions, 2) evaluating potential radiological air emission sources for impact to the public and environment, 3) sampling release streams, 4) filing notices of construction for new and or modified sources, 5) complying with the 10-mrem release standard, 6) evaluating best available control technology, 7) reporting emissions, and 8) maintaining a quality assurance program.
- 40 CFR 70, “State Operating Permit Programs,” provides for maintaining state air operating permit programs, demonstrating emission levels, and complying with permit conditions as applicable.
- WAC 173-401, “Operating Permit Regulation,” program (WAC 1993) requires applying for an air operating permit, demonstrating emission levels, and complying with permit conditions as applicable.
- DOE Order 450.1, “Environmental Protection Program,” (DOE 2003) approved January 15, 2003, to replace DOE 5400.1, requires DOE sites to implement an Environmental Management System (EMS) as part of an Integrated Safety Management System. The EMS is a continuing cycle of planning, implementing, evaluating, and improving processes and actions undertaken to achieve environmental goals.
- DOE Order 5400.5, “Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment,” establishes standards for DOE operations and DOE contractors with respect to protection of members of the public and the environment against undue risk from radiation. Major portions of this order are not in the PNNL contract, and thus the application is minimal.

- DOE 5480.19, “Conduct of Operations Requirements for DOE Facilities,” (DOE 2001) establishes requirements for the conduct of operations at DOE facilities to verify acceptable operations, provide for continuing improvements in the operations, and verify the maintenance of acceptable margins of safety.
- DOE/EH-0173T, “Environmental Regulatory Guide for Radiological Effluent Monitoring and Environmental Surveillance,” establishes elements of a radiological effluent monitoring and surveillance program considered acceptable to DOE, in support of DOE 5400.5, “Radiation Protection of the Public and the Environment” (DOE 1993), and DOE 5400.1, “General Environmental Protection Program” (DOE 1990).

Facility airborne radionuclide emission sampling requirements are derived from 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and WAC 246-247. The regulations require:

- Continuous sampling at airborne emission points for which annual emissions could result in a potential effective dose equivalent to an offsite individual of 0.1 mrem/yr or more.
- When continuous sampling is required, all radionuclides that contribute greater than 10 percent of the potential-to-emit (PTE) total effective dose equivalent (TEDE) to the maximally exposed individual (MEI), greater than 0.1 mrem/yr PTE TEDE to the MEI, and greater than 25 percent of the TEDE to the MEI after controls for a release point shall be measured.

The potential effective dose equivalent to an offsite individual is based on a projection of the emissions that could result during normal operations and anticipated process upsets, assuming all pollution control equipment (e.g., high efficiency particulate air filter [HEPA]) did not exist. For EPA regulations, the MEI is a member of the public at any offsite point where there is a residence, school, business, or office. For the Washington State regulations, the MEI is any member of the public who abides or resides in an unrestricted area. The MEI is therefore assumed to be onsite when DOE leases a facility space on the Hanford Site to non-contractor organizations.

The potential effective dose equivalent to an offsite individual for each PNNL facility was established in 1991 as part of the PNNL Facility Effluent Monitoring Plan (FEMP) determination process. Facility emission rates were projected based on radionuclide quantities within each facility. Offsite doses were calculated using the EPA Clean Air Act Assessment Package-1988 (CAP88) computer model. Since 1993, doses have been modeled using CAP88-PC for DOE sites and COMPLY for private facilities. These determinations are updated annually. Table 1.5 summarizes the airborne emission compliance determinations.

Facilities with potential annual emissions below the 0.1 mrem/yr offsite dose level are excluded from the continuous compliance sampling requirements of 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and I. However, periodic confirmatory measurements are required at these locations to demonstrate that emissions are minimal relative to emission standards. Before 1996, PNNL sampled radionuclide emission sources on a continuous basis, regardless of significance. Beginning in 1996, PNNL implemented a program of sampling radionuclide emissions based on the NESHAP designation of “major” and “minor” sources. Continuous radionuclide sampling is conducted on all emission

points designated as “major.” The criteria found in PNNL Potential Impact Categories are to be considered when setting sampling requirements.

**Table 1.5.** Facility NESHAP Compliance Summary—2007

Emission Point Number	Building	Potential Offsite Dose (mrem/yr)	Nuclides Contributing >10% of Total Potential Dose	Continuous Sampling Required
EP-318-01-S	318	4.29E-06	<sup>3</sup> H	No
EP-320-01-S	320	1.01E-03	<sup>233</sup> U, <sup>239</sup> Pu	No
EP-320-02-S	320			No
EP-320-04-S	320			No
EP-325-01-S	325	3.74E+01	<sup>241</sup> Am, <sup>238</sup> Pu, <sup>239</sup> Pu, <sup>90</sup> Sr	Yes
EP-326-01-S	326	4.85E-03	<sup>60</sup> Co	No
EP-329-01-S	329	1.59E-02	<sup>244</sup> Cm, <sup>239</sup> Pu	No
EP-331-01-V	331	1.13E-01	<sup>241</sup> Am, <sup>238</sup> Pu, <sup>239</sup> Pu	Yes
<b>Battelle Private Active Emission Points</b>				
EP-LSLII-01-V	LSL-II	1.71E-06	<sup>32</sup> P	No
EP-LSLII-02-V	LSL-II			No
EP-RTL-10-V	RTL-520	5.07E-03	<sup>241</sup> Am, <sup>237</sup> Np, <sup>238</sup> Pu	No
EP-RTL-11-V	RTL-520			No
<b>Deregistered Emission Points</b>				
EP-331-02-S	331	0	None	N/A
EP-331G-01-S	331G	0	None	N/A
EP-331G-02-S	331G			N/A
EP-331H-01-S	331H	0	None	N/A
EP-3020-01-S	EMSL	0	None	N/A

Washington State regulations primarily reflect federal regulations, but are also allowed to be more stringent than federal regulations. EPA granted partial approval to WDOH’s request for program approval and delegation of authority to implement and enforce the Radionuclide NESHAPs program. EPA’s partial approval and delegation to WDOH transfers primary implementation and enforcement responsibility for the Radionuclide NESHAPs program to WDOH (71 FR 32276-32282).

## 2.0 Sampling System Design

Both federal and state regulations incorporate American National Standards Institute (ANSI) N13.1-1969 for sampling system design requirements. In September 2002, federal regulations adopted ANSI/HPS N13.1-1999 (ANSI/HPS 1999) for new or modified systems. Data on sampler design characteristics were obtained from facility safety analysis reports, engineering drawings, vendor design documents, and system inspections. In the 1990 and 1991 inspections, whenever possible, the sampling probe was removed from the stack or duct for inspection. For systems installed after 1990 and 1991, Effluent Management (EM) has been involved with the facility modification process to verify that systems are designed and installed as required and that design drawings are maintained. At present, only the 325 Building emission unit is required to comply with ANSI/HPS N13.1-1999.

### 2.1 Stack Velocity And Cyclonic Flow Measurements

The stack velocity and cyclonic flow conditions at the sample extraction point are measured according to 40 CFR 60, Appendix A-1, Method 2. PNNL Facilities & Operations (F&O) staff performs these measurements in support of the effluent monitoring task.

The following PNNL procedures were derived from the regulatory guides and are used by the F&O Air Balance staff:

- [EMS-AIR-016](#), “PNNL Stack/Duct Velocity Traverse Method”
- [EMS-AIR-017](#), “Verification of Absence of Cyclonic Flow Conditions in Stacks and Vents”
- [EMS-AIR-019](#), “Standard and Type-S Pitot Tube Specifications Inspection Procedure.”

### 2.2 Sampling Program

#### 2.2.1 Schedule

The basic sampling schedule is provided in Table 1.1. The sampling program includes:

- Continuous Sampling—the sampler is operated continuously throughout the year. The sample is exchanged approximately every 2 weeks.
- Quarterly Sampling—a sample is collected every quarter for a 2-week period.
- Annual Sampling—a sample is collected once a year for a 2-week period.
- Special Sampling—a sample is collected as needed to follow up on sampler problems or investigate anomalies in sample results.

- Other Sampling—a sample may be collected from system cleaning or other activity or study.

## **2.2.2 Particulate Sample Collection and Analysis**

Particulate record samples are collected using a 47-mm membrane filter (Gelman Sciences Versapor-Membrane, acrylic copolymer membrane filter) supported by a modified (upgraded systems) or standard (non-upgraded systems) filter holder. The membrane filter has an estimated retention efficiency of greater than 91% for 0.3-micron particles.

Two-week particulate samples are collected on an annual, quarterly, or continuous basis to confirm that emissions are below the 0.1 mrem/yr offsite dose. Sample systems are inspected for proper flow-rate settings and system operation on a daily basis, excluding weekends and holidays, during sampling events. Sample systems are enclosed in metal cabinets for protection from inclement weather. The operation of the sampling systems varies because of the differences in sample system components (upgraded and non-upgraded). See Appendix A for sample analysis and data-evaluation requirements and Table 1.1 for a listing of upgraded and non-upgraded sample systems.

### **2.2.2.1 Upgraded Sample Systems**

The sample flow rate is measured by a Brooks Instrument GT-1000 (0.586 to 5.86 standard cubic feet per minute [scfm]) rotameter and adjusted using a throttle valve (both located just downstream of the filter holder). A vacuum gauge (0 to 100 in. of water) is installed on the inlet side of the rotameter and used to correct the sample flow for vacuum conditions. Sampler flows are set at or near isokinetic based on stack flow measurements that are performed on an annual basis. The rotameter and vacuum gauge are calibrated and exchanged on an annual basis. A Battelle-approved calibration laboratory calibrates these instruments. See Appendix C for drawings of standard components for upgraded sampling systems.

### **2.2.2.2 Non-upgraded Sample Systems**

The sample flow rate is measured by a Dwyer (0 to 200 scfm) rotameter and adjusted using a throttle valve (both located just downstream of the filter holder). Sampler flows are set at or near isokinetic based on stack flow measurements that are performed on an annual basis. The rotameter flow rate set point and operating range are established using an airflow calibrator. A Battelle-approved calibration laboratory calibrates these instruments.

## **2.2.3 Tritium Sample Collection and Analysis**

Tritium sample collection is specific to the 325 Building main stack. Sample collection details are provided in the 325 Radiochemical Processing Laboratory (RPL) section of this manual. See Appendix B for sample analysis and data-evaluation requirements.

## 3.0 Procedures

PNNL's Effluent Management group maintains documented technical and operating procedures for all aspects of effluent monitoring. The Standards-Based Management System subject area, "[Procedures, Permits, and Other Work Instructions](#)" (PNNL 2004) contains the requirements for preparation, review, and approval of these procedures. EM procedures incorporate all required elements of the aforementioned subject area.

EM procedures follow the department procedure [EMSD-ADMIN-003](#), "EMSD Work Instruction," requirements and format (PNNL 2006). The sampling procedures include sections defining the purpose/scope, applicability, responsible staff, definitions, hazards assessment/mitigation summary, prerequisites, work instructions, records, database/electronic media entry, references, and attachments/exhibits/forms applicable to the procedure. Key work processes requiring procedures to conduct radioactive air emission monitoring tasks include:

- prepare Notice of Construction (NOC) applications
- measure facility exhaust flow rates and conditions
- determine sample system collection efficiencies
- collect samples
- operate the 325 Building continuous air monitor (CAM)
- respond to unplanned/unexpected emission measurements
- inspect emission unit sample lines and instrumentation.

Table 3.1 identifies the EM procedures used in sampling and monitoring PNNL radiological emission units.

### 3.1 Sample System Performance

Sampler transport efficiencies are calculated for all particulate sample systems with varying stack and sampler flow rates using procedure [EM-AIR-014](#), "Line Loss Calculations for Radiological Air Emissions Monitoring." This procedure uses the DEPO software referenced in Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Regulatory Guide 8.25 (1992) as an acceptable method for calculating the penetration of particles through sampling systems. Results are graphed for each system so that transport efficiencies can be more easily obtained over anticipated potential future stack and sampler flow rates. Copies of the applicable graphs and the line-loss calculations are contained in the EM File Plan. Table 1.3 summarizes the results of the total sample system efficiency calculations.

**Table 3.1.** Effluent Management Radiological Air Monitoring/Sampling Procedures

<b>Procedure #</b>	<b>Procedure Title</b>
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-004</a>	Chain-of-Custody Procedure
<a href="#">EM-AIR-005</a>	Troubleshooting and Repair of Stack Emission Sampling/Monitoring Systems
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-010</a>	Stack Particulate Sampling Procedure
<a href="#">EMP-AIR-011</a>	325 Building Stack Tritium Sampling Procedure
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-013</a>	Preparing Notice of Construction Applications for Radioactive Air Emissions
<a href="#">EM-AIR-014</a>	Line Loss Calculations for Radiological Air Emissions Monitoring
<a href="#">EM-AIR-015</a>	Evaluating Rad Air Effluent Sampling Data
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-016</a>	PNNL Stack/Duct Velocity Traverse Method
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-017</a>	Verification of Absence of Cyclonic Flow Conditions in Stacks and Vents
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-019</a>	Standard and Type-S Pitot Tube Specifications Inspection Procedure
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-020</a>	Videoscope Inspection and Assessment of Stack Sample Lines
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-021</a>	Source Response and Calibration Test on the PNNL OS3300 Stack Particulate Radionuclide Monitoring System at the 325 Building Main Stack
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-022</a>	Source Response and Calibration Test on the PNNL OS3700 Tritium Monitoring System for the 325 Building Main Stack
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-023</a>	325 Building Stack Radionuclide Sampling and Monitoring Systems Daily Inspection
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-024</a>	325 Stack PNNL OS3700 Tritium CAM Alarm Test Procedure
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-025</a>	RPL Stack PNNL OS3300 Alpha/Beta CAM Filter Exchange
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-026</a>	Operation of the PNNL OS3300 Stack Particulate Monitoring System at the 325 Building Main Stack
<a href="#">EMS-AIR-027</a>	Operation of the PNNL OS3700 Tritium Emission Monitoring System at the 325 Building Main Stack
<a href="#">EM-AIR-TWD-005</a>	331 Building Stack Probe Removal and Particulate Deposition Sample Collection
<a href="#">EM-AIR-TWD-006</a>	326 Building Stack Probe Removal, Particulate Deposition Sample Collection and Leak Check
The procedures listed above can be accessed online at: <a href="http://www.pnl.gov/emsd/procedures/xml/procedures.asp#02">http://www.pnl.gov/emsd/procedures/xml/procedures.asp#02</a> .	

Recommendations to use DEPO to evaluate PNNL stacks are described in an internal letter from John Glissmeyer to Monte Sula dated August 27, 1991 (Glissmeyer 1991). A full text copy of this letter can be found in Appendix D.

## 4.0 Potential Offsite Dose and Principle Radionuclides

The potential effective dose equivalent (EDE) to an individual is an inventory-based projection of the emissions that could result during normal operations, assuming the emissions are not reduced by installed emission control equipment.

A radionuclide inventory assessment is performed on an annual basis to determine facility PTE (in mrem/yr). This assessment is used to verify compliance with the EPA and Washington State Department of Health permits and to determine the need for continuous compliance sampling (40 CFR 61, Subpart H). The results of past and current annual NESHAPS assessments are provided through the following links:

Annual DOE Facility NESHAP Results | [2007](#) | [2006](#) | [2005](#) | [2004](#) | [2003](#) | [2002](#) |

Annual BNW Facility NESHAP Results | [2007](#) | [2006](#) | [2005](#) | [2004](#) | [2003](#) | [2002](#) |



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## **Appendix A**

### **Particulate Sample Analysis and Data Evaluation**



## Appendix A: Particulate Sample Analysis and Data Evaluation

The Radiochemical Sciences and Engineering (RS&EG) group of the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory's (PNNL's) Radiochemical Processing Laboratory (RPL) performs particulate sample analyses. All analytical work associated with radionuclide sampling is performed according to required methods per the PNNL statement of work (SOW), "Airborne Radionuclide Emission Sample Analysis." The SOW is prepared to meet the Quality Assurance (QA) Requirements from 40 CFR 61, Appendix B, Method 114.

The analytical laboratory performs analysis on samples for the PNNL Effluent Management group per the aforementioned SOW. Procedures maintained by analytical laboratory staff are used to analyze the samples.

After collection, the sample filter is typically stored for 5 days to permit decay of radon and thoron daughter radionuclides. Each sample is individually counted for gross alpha and gross beta activity. The analytical laboratory staff use direct counting methods for total alpha and total beta activity using a solid-state, gas-flow, proportional, alpha-beta, coincidence counter. The counter is calibrated using  $^{238}\text{Pu}$  for alpha and  $^{90}\text{Sr}$  for beta. Detection levels of  $1 \text{ E-}15 \text{ } \mu\text{Ci/mL}$  alpha and  $3 \text{ E-}15 \text{ } \mu\text{Ci/mL}$  beta are typically achieved.

In addition to the above individual sample analyses, particulate samples from "major" stacks are combined and analyzed semi-annually as a single "composite" sample for specific radionuclides as determined by the annual inventory assessment. A composite sample consists of 6-months worth of individual samples (typically January through June and July through December). Radionuclides that contribute greater than 10 percent of the potential-to-emit (PTE) total effective dose equivalent (TEDE) to the maximally exposed individual (MEI), greater than 0.1 mrem/yr PTE TEDE to the MEI, and greater than 25 percent of the TEDE to the MEI after controls for a release point are analyzed isotopically. Specific nuclide analysis is accomplished by destructive analysis of the filters. The analytical laboratory documents detection levels for specific isotopes.

The sample results obtained are used to evaluate existing facility emission levels and to calculate annual emission quantities for compliance determination and reporting purposes. Data are evaluated using documented and approved procedures. Data-evaluation procedures are based on guidance in DOE/EH - 0173T.

Airborne-emission sampling data are reviewed for anomalies and trends. Release data are updated throughout the sampling year (calendar year) as data are received. At the completion of the calendar year, data are reviewed, and results are finalized. Anomalous data are investigated and documented. Final release quantities include corrections for isokinetic sampling efficiency, sample transport losses, sample self-absorption, decay, counting efficiency, background, and collection media efficiency.



## **Appendix B**

### **Tritium Sample Analysis and Data Evaluation**



## Appendix B: Tritium Sample Analysis and Data Evaluation

The RS&EG group performs tritium sample analyses. All analytical work associated with the tritium sampling is performed according to required methods per PNNL SOW, "Airborne Radionuclide Emission Sample Analysis." The SOW is prepared to meet the QA requirements from 40 CFR 61, Appendix B, Method 114. Procedures for performing analyses are used and maintained by analytical laboratory staff.

Tritium sample analysis consists of quantitatively desorbing water collected in the silica gel column and counting for tritium using liquid scintillation spectrometry. The water is removed from the silica gel by distillation and collected using a Gore-Tex<sup>®</sup> membrane and Lachet tube. A 3-mL aliquot is removed from the collected water for liquid scintillation counting. The detection level for tritium in water, as specified in the SOW, is approximately 380 pCi/L of water, assuming a sample size of at least 3 mL. The PNNL tritium samplers are designed and operated to provide the required sample size. The sensitivity of the measurement is highly dependent on the water loading of the sampler, with analytical sensitivity indirectly proportional to sampler loading. For example, assuming that a sampler is fully loaded with adsorbed water, after a 1-month sample period, a stack tritium concentration (HTO) of 7E-6 pCi/mL is detectable.

Tritium-emission quantities for the collection period are calculated assuming complete retention of the sample in the collection column and multiplying the quantity of tritium collected in the column by the ratio of the stack flow rate to the sampler flow rate.

Results obtained from tritium sampling are used to evaluate existing facility emission levels and to calculate annual emission quantities for compliance determination and reporting purposes. Data are evaluated using documented and approved procedures. Data-evaluation procedures are based on guidance in DOE/EH – 0173T.

Tritium emission sampling data are reviewed for anomalies and trends. The tritium released is updated throughout the sampling year (calendar year) as data are received. At the completion of the calendar year, data are reviewed, and the results are finalized. Anomalous data are investigated and documented. Final release quantities include corrections for counting efficiency, background, and sample-recovery efficiency.



## **Appendix C**

### **Miscellaneous Drawings of Standard Components for Upgraded Stack Sampling Systems**



## **Appendix C: Miscellaneous Drawings of Standard Components for Upgraded Stack Sampling Systems**

Title	Drawing Number
Air Sample Station Instrument Cabinet Assembly	H-3-070282
Stack Sample Filter Holder Inlet	H-3-070447
Stack Sample Filter Holder Outlet	H-3-070570



## **Appendix D**

### **Recommentation of Particle Line-Loss Code**



## Appendix D: Recommendation of Particle Line-Loss Code



Project Number M87846

Internal Distribution

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Date August 27, 1991  
To Monte Sula  
From John Glissmeyer *Glissmeyer*  
Subject Recommendation of Particle Line-Loss Code

Five usable computerized models were identified. These were:

- EEG as described by Rodgers (1987) and modified to allow broader application and repeat runs.
- PARTPEN developed from the report by Schwendiman and Glissmeyer (1977),
- ARGONNE developed by Novick and described by Schlenger<sup>1</sup>
- TEXAS A & M described by Anand et. al. (1990), and
- ASTEC developed at Sandia by Yamano and Brockman (1989).

The capabilities of each code were reviewed in detail. All of the codes were similar in that they are combinations of various theoretical or empirical models developed to describe particle deposition due to various phenomena. It is simplistically assumed that the effects of each deposition mechanism are independent and additive. Each deposition mechanism is applied as deemed appropriate for the particle transport conditions under consideration. The various mechanisms and models are not described or evaluated in this summary. That would be worthwhile documenting later. Table 1a lists the sources of the various models incorporated into each code. (The table references are not included here for brevity.) Table 1b shows some of the features of each code.

It was my original intent to select a code based on my review of the merits of the component models. However, having found two tests of simulated air sampling systems, I decided to compare the code predictions against the test cases and base my recommendation thereon. The two test cases were:

- Strom (1972) - where a vertical loop of 2-in. pipe was tested for the transport of various particle sizes and flow rates when the particles were aspirated from a generating chamber. The loop consisted of two vertical pipes, two horizontal pipes, and connecting bends.

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<sup>1</sup> Schlenger, B. J. Memorandum to B. W. Spencer of June 8, 1988. Argonne National Laboratory.

- McFarland (described in Fan, et. al., 1991) - where a simple air sampler was tested for various particle sizes and flow conditions when the particles were aspirated from a wind tunnel. The piping consisted of a horizontal probe and pipe, a vertical and inclined section and two bends. The nozzle was aligned both parallel and perpendicular to the flow in the wind tunnel.

Table 1a shows that neither the PARTPEN, nor ARGONNE codes include the capability for accounting for particle bias caused by isokinesis. The isokinesis results from the EEG code were incorporated into those codes to complete the analysis for the McFarland test case. Isokinesis was not an issue for the Strom test case. The Sandia code (ASTECC) included the capability for analyzing isokinesis only when the nozzle was axial, or parallel, to the flow. Hence, results for the perpendicular orientation are missing. The EEG results could have been incorporated in this instance too, and should be investigated later; however, it did not seem appropriate at the time to use two isokinesis approaches in the same code and thereby use different versions in certain instances.

Table 2 lists the particle penetration data and predictions for the two test cases combined. Together with Jim Johnston (a statistician in the Analytical Sciences Department, Applied Physics Center) we decided to judge which model best fits the test case data according to four criteria: 1) the minimum standard deviation of the differences between the experimental data and the code predictions; 2) the minimum average difference between experiment and code prediction; 3) the linear regression with the slope nearest one; and 4) the linear regression with the intercept nearest zero.

We were encouraged when there seemed to be one or two clear preferences in the two test cases taken separately. Unfortunately, the preferences were different for the two test cases. Furthermore, a clear preference disappeared when the two test cases were combined.

Table 3 lists the criteria statistics (and others) for the Strom test cases. For the Strom case, the EEG code appears best overall. The standard deviation of the differences and the maximum absolute difference were smallest. The regression analysis shows that the EEG values have the slope closest to one and the constant (intercept) closest to zero. The second place PARTPEN code has a better (larger) R-Square (correlation), a smaller average absolute difference, but a definitely biased slope and intercept. These results can also be observed in the Figure 1 plot of the data.

**Table 1a. Model Capabilities**

Model	Vertical Tubes		Inclined Tubes		Horizontal Tubes		Bends			Aspiration		
	Laminar	Turbulent	Laminar	Turbulent	Laminar	Turbulent	Laminar	Turbulent	Axial	Yaw	Losses	
PARTPEN		Sehmel				Sehmel + Stirred						
Texas A&M		Beal		Beal + Stirred				Beal + Stirred	Vincent	Vincent		
EEG		Agarwal	Natanson		Natanson				Sehmel	Vincent		Okazaki
Argonne	Difusn per Sinclair	Agarwal + difusn	Natanson + difusn	Agarwal + difusn + Stirred	Natanson + difusn	Agarwal + difusn + Stirred	Yeh + Natanson + difusn	Agarwal + difusn + Stirred				
Sandia	Difusn	Agarwal + difusn	Heyder + difusn	Agarwal + difusn + Stirred	Natanson + difusn	Agarwal + difusn + Stirred	Cheng & Wang +difusn	Pui & Liu + difusn	Belyaev & Levin			Okazaki

**Table 1b. Model Features**

Model	Opti-mizer	Restart	Input File	Input by Keyboard	Inter-active	Output File	Output Screen	Printer Output
PARTPEN		Y		Y	Y			Y
Texas A&M	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	
EEG		Y		Y	Y			Y
Argonne		Y		Y				Y
Sandia			Y			Y		

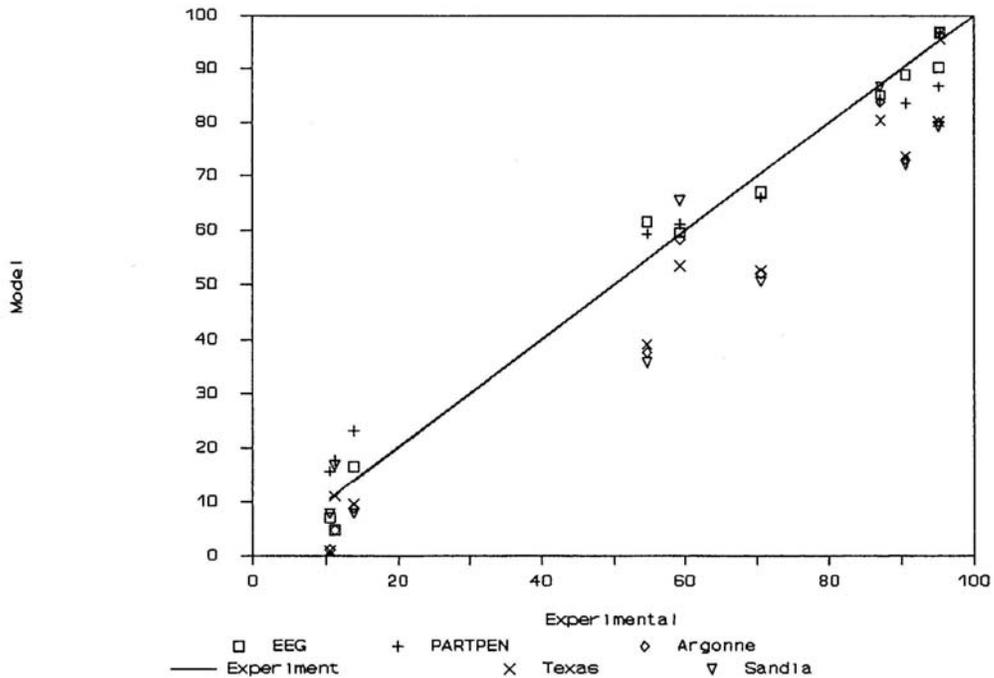
Table 2. Experimental Data and Code Predictions of Particle % Penetration

Flow lpm	Part. diam. micron	Data	EEG	Partpen	Argonne	Texas	Sandia
Strom's test case:							
19.65	2.1	95.4	96.6	96.7	96.3	95.5	97
	4.7	87.1	85.1	84.3	83.7	80.32	86.5
	8	59.3	59.5	61.1	58.3	53.43	65.4
	15	11.3	4.7	17.6	4.8	11.08	16.7
34.35	2.1	100.5	97.8	97.2	95.4	95.48	95.2
	4.7	95.2	90.2	86.7	80.0	80.12	79.2
	8	70.5	67	66	52.1	52.65	50.6
	15	13.8	16.5	23.1	8.8	9.55	7.8
61.31	2.1	101	98.5	96.5	93.7	93.95	93.6
	4.7	90.6	88.9	83.6	73.0	73.53	72.1
	8	54.7	61.5	59.3	37.5	39.14	35.7
	15	10.6	7	15.6	1.1	0.89	7.8
McFarland's test case:							
70 Axial	3	100	98.8	97.7	96.0	98.14	97
	4.38	98	97.7	96.3	93.0	96.15	94
	6.41	93	95.7	92.3	85.7	92.04	88
	9.36	83.5	89.3	86.4	73.6	83.74	76.7
	13.7	68	76.7	74.1	52.8	68.08	57.2
130 Axial	20	31	54.9	53.4	25.4	43.04	30
	3	97	98.9	97.4	94.9	96.79	95.2
	4.38	93	97.9	95.6	90.5	93.6	90.3
	6.41	87	93.7	90.8	81.0	86.37	80.6
	9.36	73.5	84.9	80.8	63.1	73.02	63.2
70 Perp.	13.7	46	67.7	65.0	37.4	50	36.7
	20	8	38.8	41.0	10.9	17.48	10.2
	3	96	95.5	94.8	93.1	94.96	
	4.38	92	91.1	89.5	86.4	89.73	
	6.41	82	82.7	80.1	74.3	79.74	
130 Perp.	9.36	63.5	66.7	64.4	54.8	62.9	
	13.7	31.5	44.1	42.8	30.5	39.51	
	20	5	20.9	20.2	9.6	16.62	
	3	95	96.9	95.4	93.0	94.8	
	4.38	92.5	93.6	90.8	85.9	89.36	
130 Perp.	6.41	86	85.4	82.5	73.6	78.84	
	9.36	72	70.3	67.2	52.5	60.72	
	13.7	38	47.1	45.2	26.0	34.98	
	20	5	20.2	21.5	5.7	9.2	

Table 3. Comparisons of Goodness of Fit Criteria for Strom's Data Versus Predictive Models

	<u>EEG</u>	<u>Partpen</u>	<u>Argonne</u>	<u>Texas</u>	<u>Sandia</u>
No. Data Points	12	12	12	12	12
Differences					
Average	-1.392	-0.192	-8.777	-8.697	-6.867
sd(diff.)	3.643	5.699	6.750	6.322	9.465
t=Ave/sd(Ave)	-1.323	-0.116	-4.504	-4.765	-2.513
Max  diff	6.8	9.3	18.36	17.85	19.9
Regression					
Constant	1.815	-9.290	10.325	8.311	6.408
Slope	0.9934	1.1445	0.9729	1.0067	1.0078
R-Sq %	98.97	99.05	96.54	96.90	93.05
t for slope=1	0.206	-4.086	0.46	0.119	0.089

A t-value of 2.201 is significant at the 95% confidence level for 11 degrees of freedom.



**Figure 1** Comparison of Model vs Experimental Data For Strom's Test Case

Table 4 lists the criteria statistics for the McFarland test case. For the McFarland test, none of the codes has as good an agreement with the data as in the Strom case. By criteria 1, 3 and 4 the Sandia code looks best, but that is only based on half as many data points as the rest of the analysis. The Texas A & M code looks next best with the best minimum average difference. However, the regression slope is significantly different from unity and the intercept is large. If the Sandia code is eliminated, the Argonne code looks best in the regression based criteria and the Texas A & M code in the difference based criteria. These results can also be observed by examining the Figure 3 plot of the experimental vs model data.

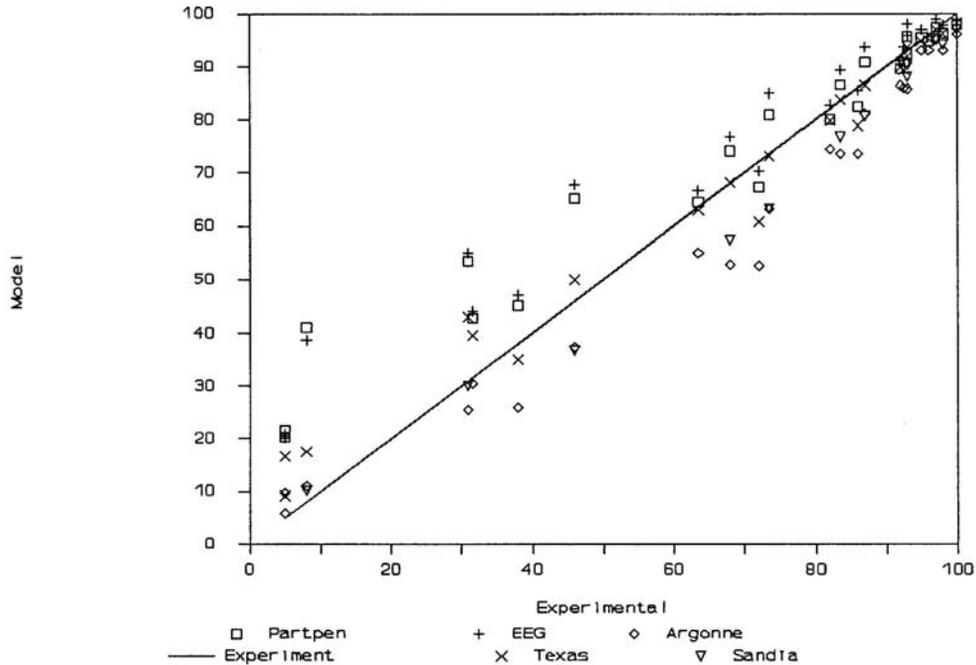
Table 4. Comparisons of Goodness of Fit Criteria for McFarland's Data Versus Predictive Models

	<u>EEG</u>	<u>Partpen</u>	<u>Argonne</u>	<u>Texas</u>	<u>Sandia</u>
No. Data Points	24	24	24	24	12
Differences					
Average	6.57	4.69	-6.14	0.38	-4.91
sd(diff.)	8.8081	9.369	5.5496	5.3758	4.0407
t=Ave/sd(Ave)	3.656	2.453	-5.421	0.346	-4.279
Max  diff	30.78	33.02	19.49	11.62	10.8
Regression					
Constant	-26.093	-26.449	4.126	-8.458	3.757
Slope	1.251	1.286	1.032	1.115	1.017
R-Sq %	96.18	95.71	97.04	98.16	98.25
t for slope=1	4.715	4.934	0.833	3.531	0.393

A t-value of 2.201 is significant at the 95% confidence level for 11 degrees of freedom; for 22 degrees of freedom the critical t-value is 2.074.

The choice would be easier if we could disregard one or the other test case. The McFarland case covers a wider set of conditions, including parallel and perpendicular sampling and a slightly broader set of particle sizes. The data reporting in both cases was less than ideal - the data had to be read from idealized plots. As far as technique goes, neither case can be eliminated.

Table 5 shows the analysis statistics for both test cases combined together. This analysis does not produce a clear "Best" code that explains the data over all the experimental conditions. The Texas A & M code seems to show the least mean difference, but the standard deviations are too large to prove that the means significantly differ from each other. The Texas A & M code seems to have the smallest intercept and a slope that ranks third closest



**Figure 2** Comparison of Model vs Experimental Data for McFarland's Test Case

to one at only 1.04. The errors associated with these statistics would not support a conclusion of significant difference, the result is only suggestive. Figures 3 - 7 show the plots of each model vs all test case data.

This leaves the final conclusion to other factors. The regression analysis in Table 5 suggests that as group, the Texas A & M, Sandia and Argonne codes have better intercepts and slopes. Out of this group, the Argonne code is by far the least convenient to use. (A run is required for each particle size and segment, requiring manual calculations of the final result.) The advantages of the Texas A & M code are: 1) it is the most user friendly, 2) it is interactive, 3) it has an operating manual, 4) it is the most polished product, and 5) it is the best documented. It is the recommended code for the PNL application for now. If laminar flow becomes of interest and non-axial sampling is not a concern, then the Sandia code is more complete. Either of the codes could be modified to complete the range of phenomena included; however, the current copies in my possession are only executable. It may be worthwhile to write a new code combining the strengths

Table 5. Comparisons of Goodness of Fit Criteria for All Data Versus Predictive Models

	<u>EEG</u>	<u>Partpen</u>	<u>Argonne</u>	<u>Texas</u>	<u>Sandia</u>
No. of Data Points	36	36	36	36	24
Differences					
Mean difference	4.341	3.520	-6.999	-2.529	-5.887
Standard Dev.	8.524	8.831	6.038	7.177	7.169
t=ave/sd(ave)	3.055	2.392	-6.956	-2.114	-4.023
Max  diff	30.781	33.022	19.488	17.850	19.900
Regression					
Intercept	-11.064	-18.069	6.6859	-0.1436	5.4731
Slope	1.094	1.205	1.005	1.041	1.007
R Squared %	93.95	95.93	96.62	95.37	95.13
t for slope = 1	1.968	4.589	0.161	1.047	0.134
Std Err of Slope	0.0476	0.0447	0.0322	0.0393	0.0485

of both. It would also be worthwhile to similarly evaluate the PARSLE code under development at WHC.

Notes on this effort were recorded in Lab Book 54090. Model run streams are on file in my office.

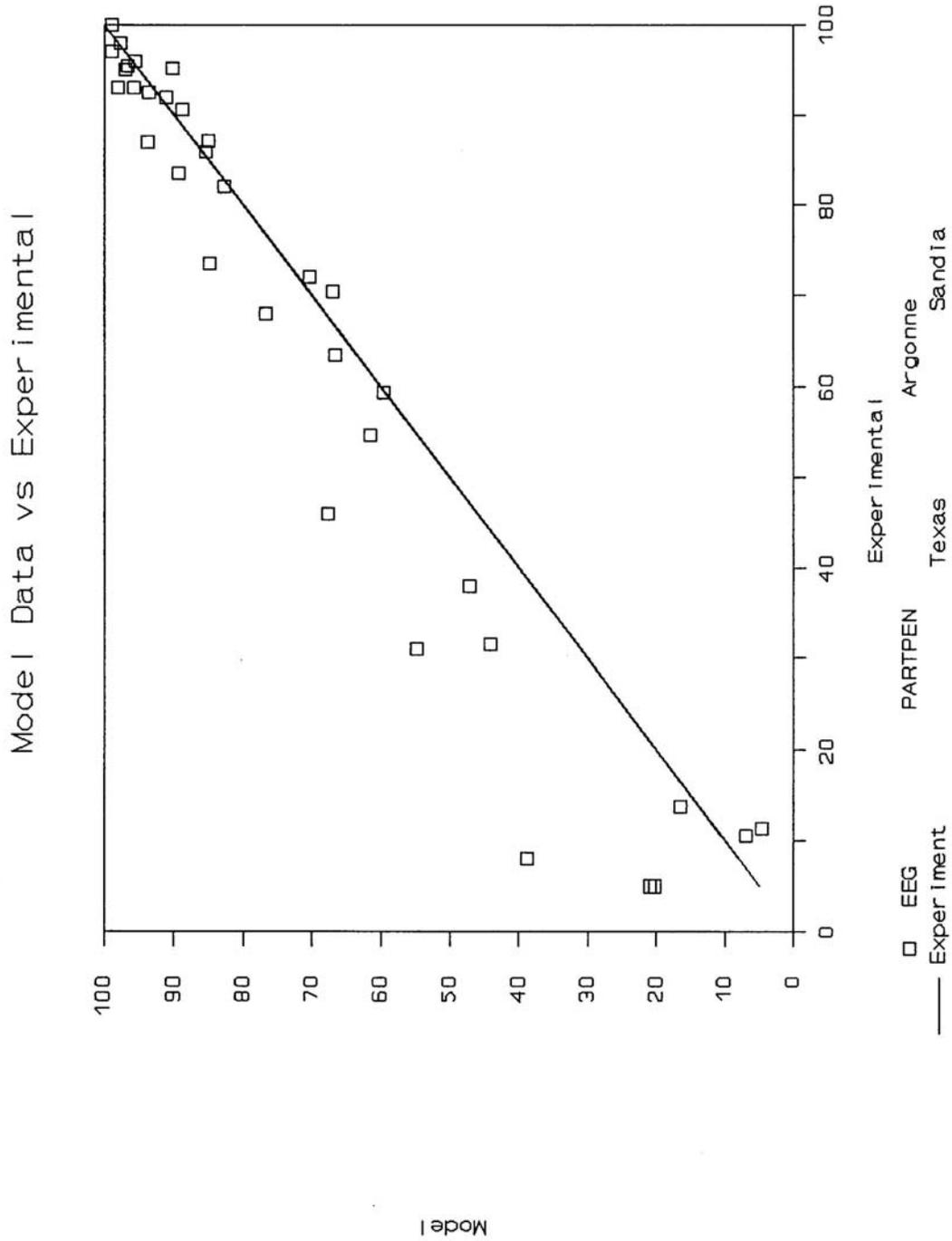


Figure 3 Comparison of EEG Model vs Both Test Cases

# Model Data vs Experimental

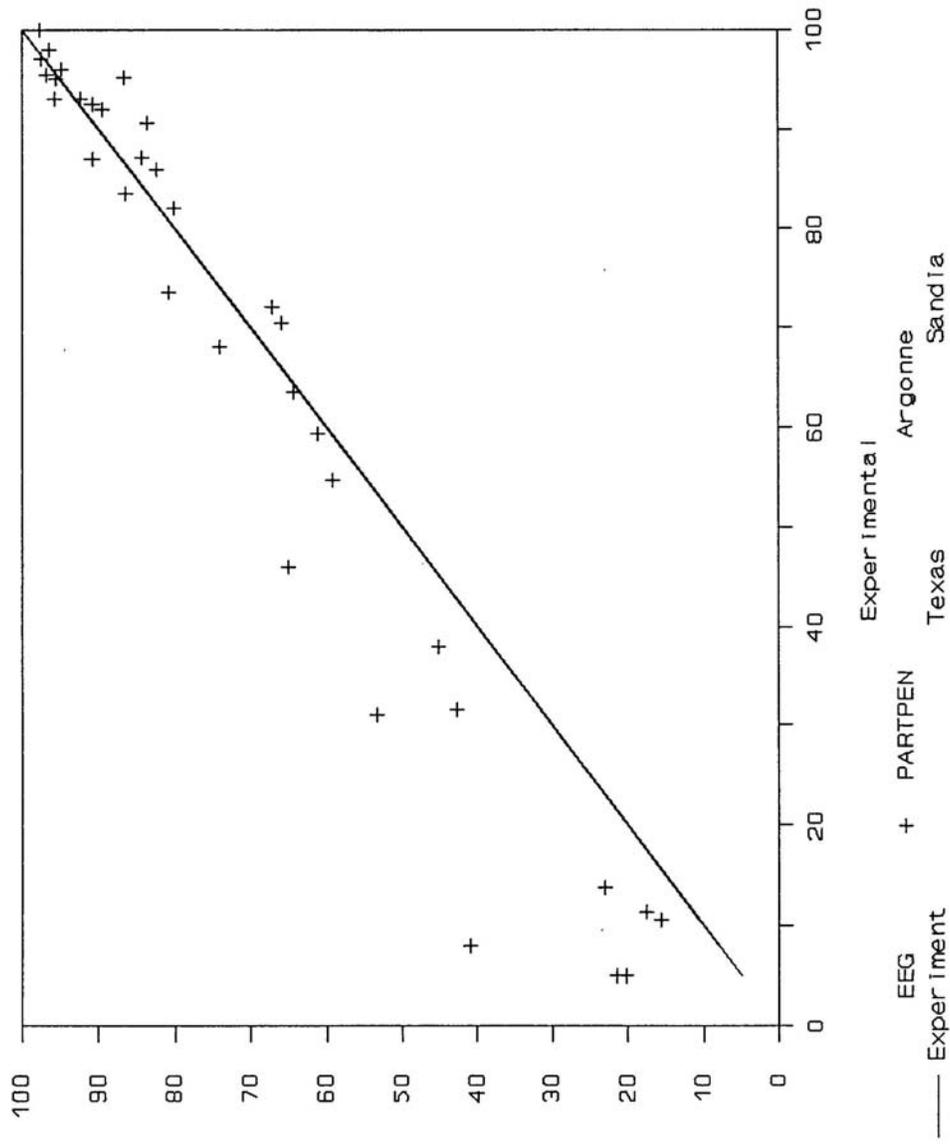


Figure 4 Comparison of PARTPEN Model Vs Both Test Cases

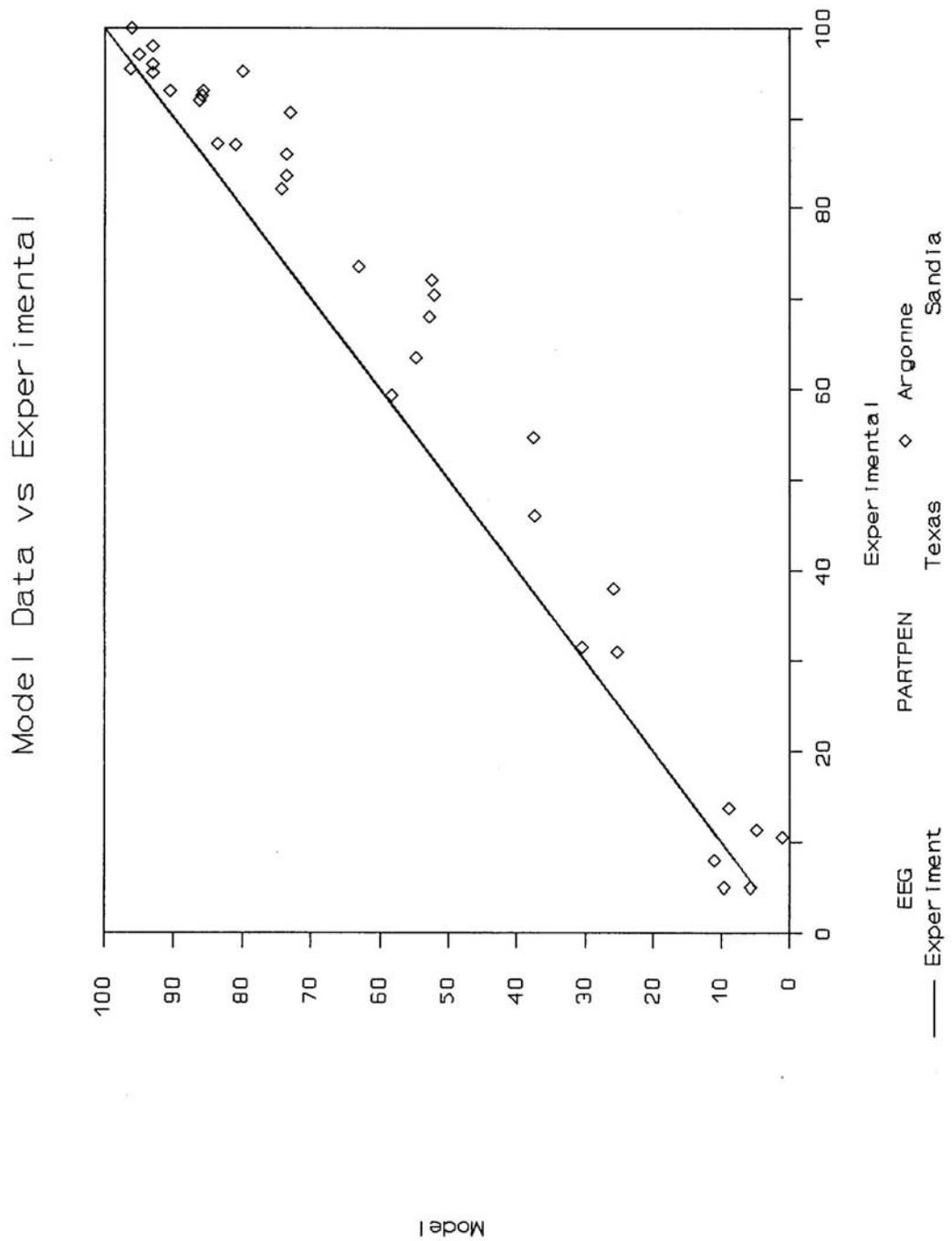


Figure 5 Comparison of Argonne Model vs Both Test Cases

Model Data vs Experimental

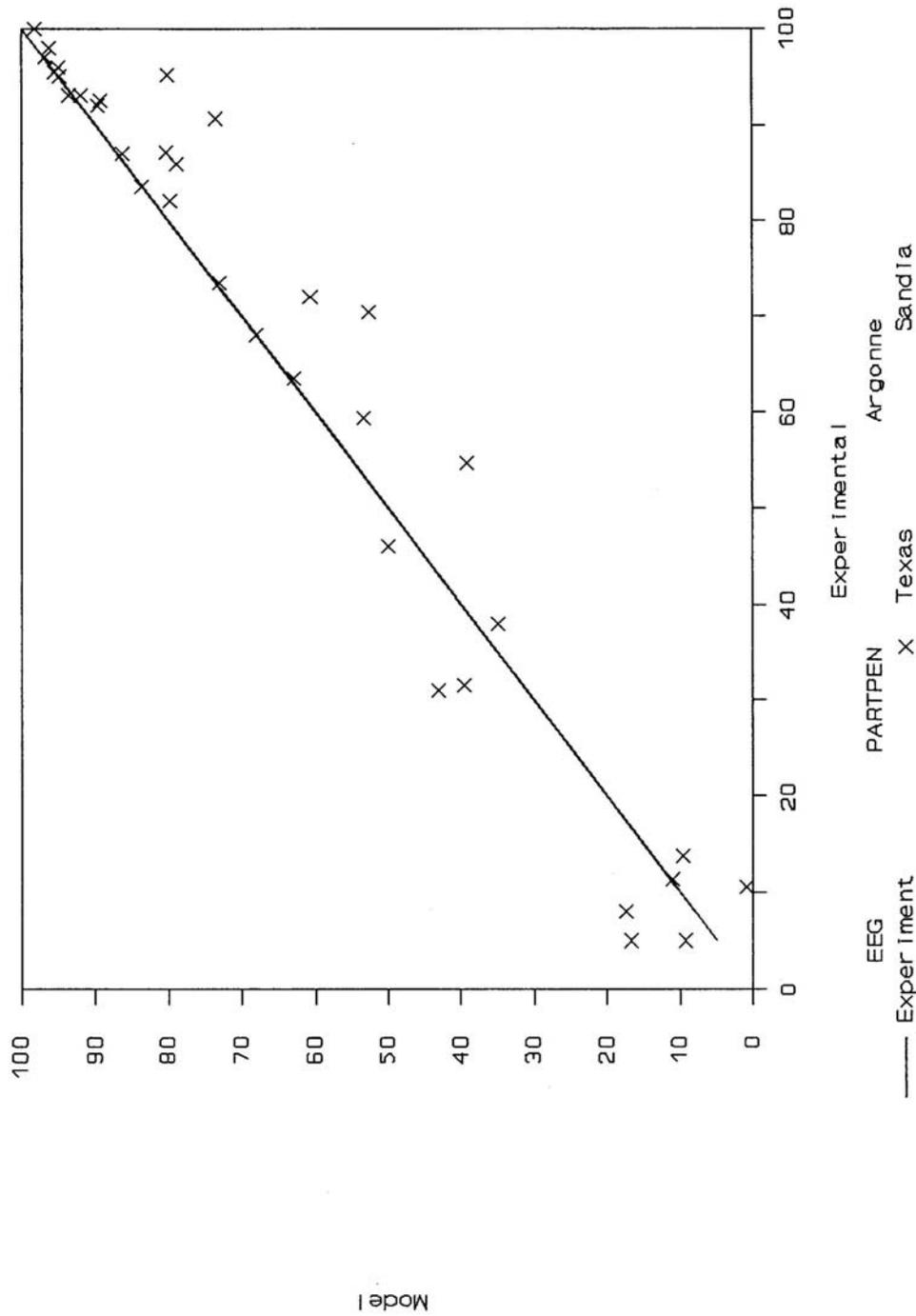


Figure 6 Comparison of Texas A&M Model vs Both Test Cases

Model Data vs Experimental

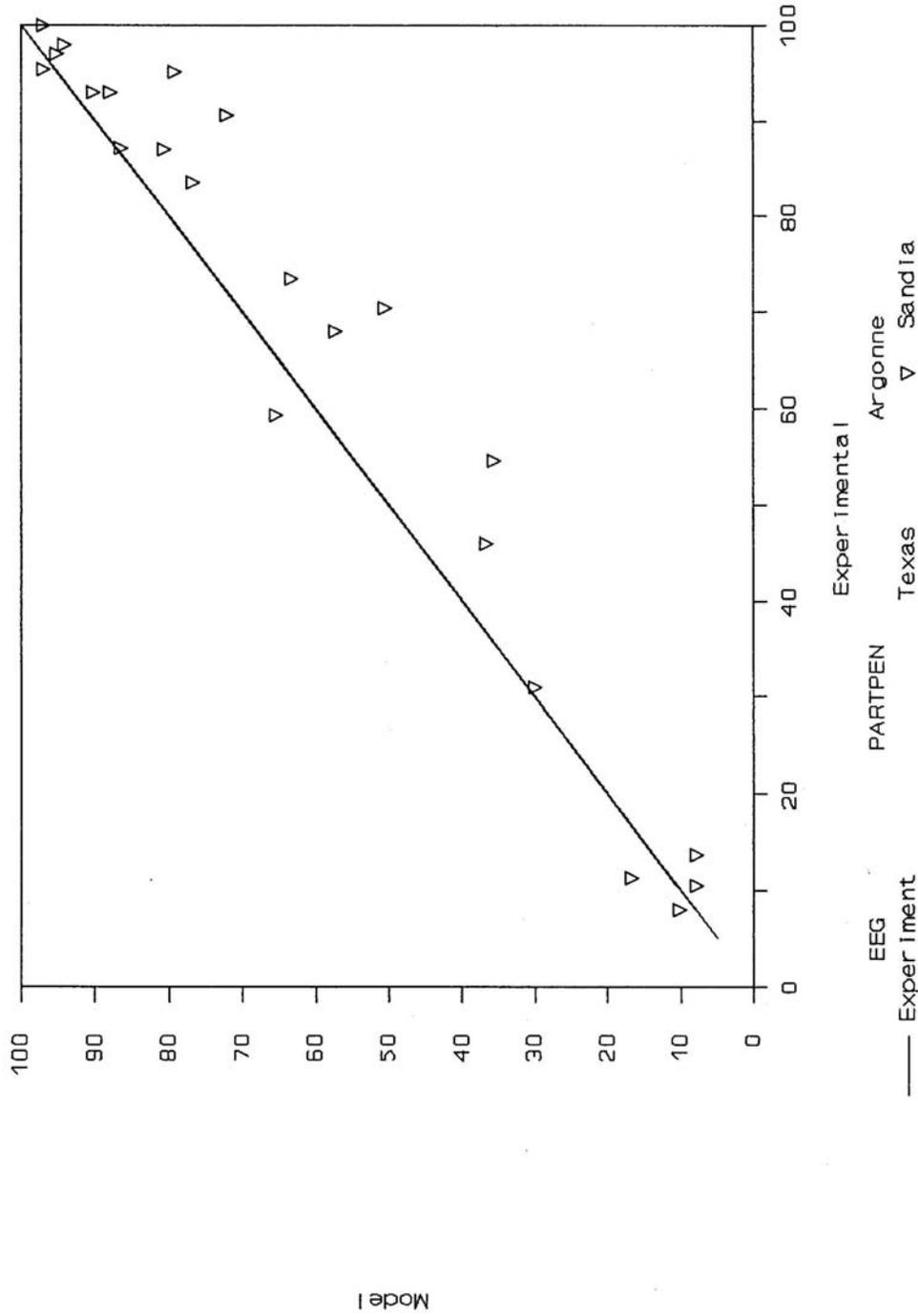


Figure 7 Comparison of Sandia Model vs Both Test Cases

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## **Appendix E**

### **Department of Energy Stack Sampler Systems**



## **Appendix E: Department of Energy Stack Sampler Systems**

Appendix E contains a description of the buildings, exhaust points, control technologies, and sample extraction details for each registered or deregistered facility emission point. Additionally, applicable stack-sampler-configuration drawings, figures, and photographs are provided for the following Department of Energy emission points:

- EP-318-01-S
- EP-320-01-S
- EP-320-02-S
- EP-320-03-S
- EP-320-04-S
- EP-325-01-S
- EP-326-01-S
- EP-329-01-S
- EP-331-01-V
- EP-331-02-S
- EP-331G-01-S
- EP-331G-02-S
- EP-331H-01-S
- EP-3020-01-S



Emission Point ID: EP-318-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-318-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-318-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 56.44597 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 40.94992 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

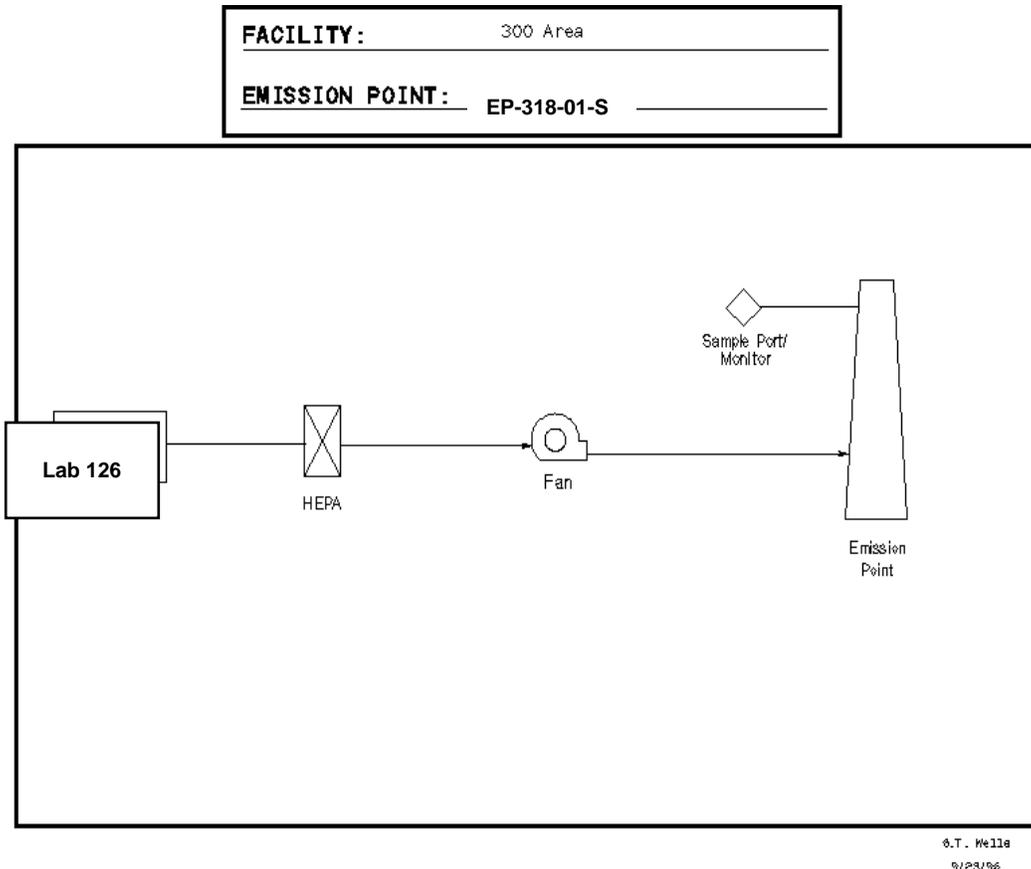
The 318 Building is primarily used to provide 1) technical services in internal and external dosimetry, 2) instrument calibration, repair, and testing for protecting the health of workers and the public, and 3) liability protection for government and industrial customers. Research in the building includes developing radiation detection and measuring instruments.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

This stack was constructed to discharge air from a fume hood in Room 126 along with the exhaust from the vacuum air sample system. The stack is located on the roof of the 318 Building and measures 14 ft, 0.5 in. tall from the top of the roof to the point of discharge. This gives the emission point an effective height above the existing grade of 28 ft, 10.5 in. The stack is 10 inches in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 0.55 ft<sup>2</sup>. The current system adopted the old emission point number EP-318-01-S and began operation on January 30, 1998. The old main stack exhaust flow was terminated on February 4, 1998, and the stack and sampling systems were abandoned in place. Information on the old system is documented on Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307241 and is maintained for historical purposes.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 318 Building emission point:



## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
04/20/00	480
06/14/01	413
06/25/02	484
07/29/03	484
06/24/04	583
06/21/05	616
06/22/06	586
06/19/07	567
Average $\pm$ 10%	500 $\pm$ 50

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-318-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing # H-3-307824-1.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The sample is extracted from the stack about 12 ft, 3.5 in. above the existing roof top at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 7 ft, 3.5 in. (8.75 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 1 ft, 9 in. (2.1 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, two-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.404 in. ID. The two sample nozzles are tapered and feed into a common 1.12 in. ID manifold that is run on a horizontal plane across the stack. The manifold extends outside the stack 0.75 in. before making a 90°, 6-in. radius of curvature bend downward and uniting with the sample transport line. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W32208AA, W32208BA, W32208BB, W32208BC, W32208BD, and W32208BE.

## SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends downward and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Vacuum is supplied to the sample system by a single Rietschle carbon vane pump located in the basement equipment room. This system is powered by normal and emergency power.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-318-01-S; Rev. 0	H-3-307241
Stack Sampler Configuration EP-318-01-S; Rev. 1	H-3-307824-1
HEPA Filter Installation Plan, Section and Notes; Rev. 0	H-3-309863-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

### **AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

Flo-Sampler General Arrangement #1; Rev. 1	W32208AA
Sample Probe Top Assembly; Rev. 0	W32208BA
Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 0	W32208BB
Iso-Sampling Manifold; Rev. 0	W32208BC
Iso-Sampling Manifold; Rev. 0	W32208BD
Mounting Plate, Fitting and End Plug; Rev. 0	W32208BE

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.



Emission Point ID: EP-320-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-320-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-320-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 56.85723 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 49.70485 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

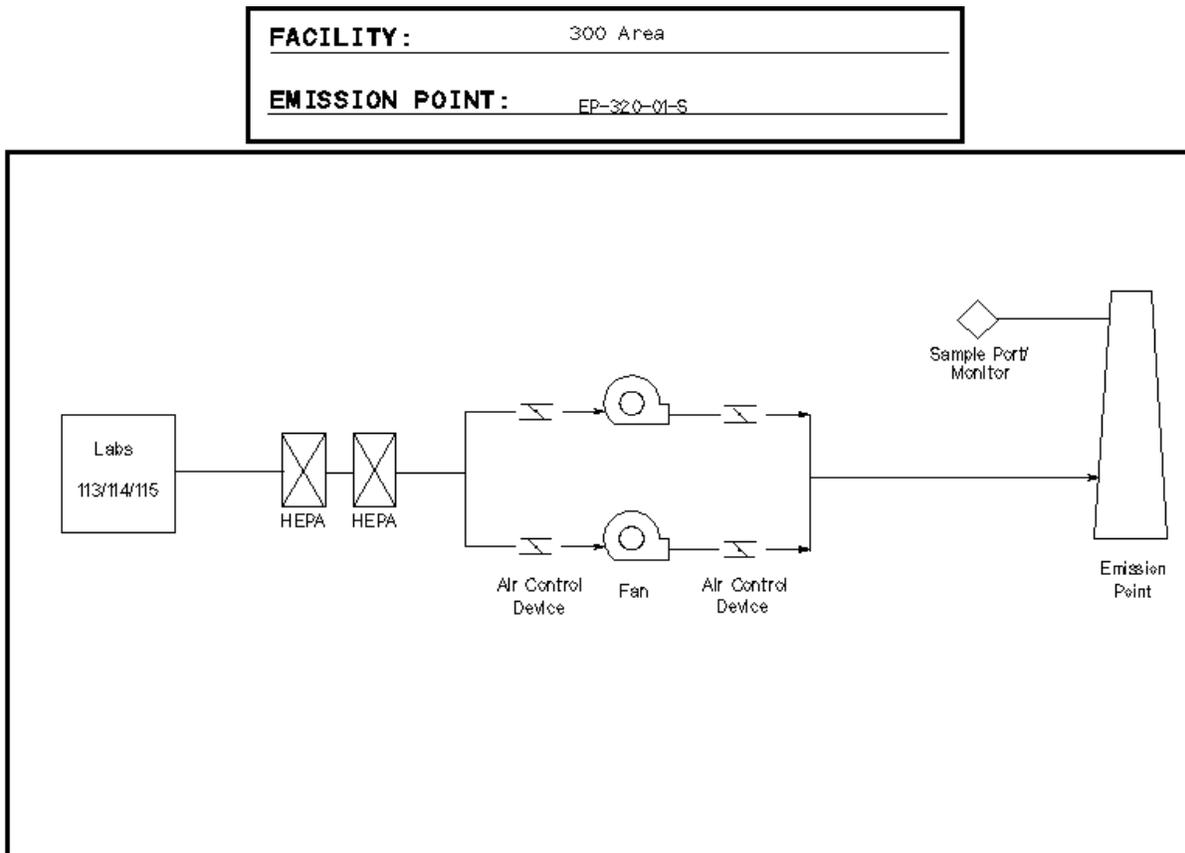
Research activities conducted in the 320 Building involve special-purpose separation and analytical chemistry techniques that allow low-level and ultra-trace levels of material in environmental samples to be measured. Working with samples containing low/trace levels requires special building features, such as a clean zone. A class 10,000 clean zone allows for contamination-free preparation and analysis of samples containing extremely low levels of indicator radionuclides and trace organic compounds. Special instrumentation that is used for sample analysis includes various mass spectrometers, electron-beam microscopes, X-ray diffraction, and radiation counters.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-320-01-S exhausts air from areas where radionuclides are handled. The stack is located on the south side of the facility. The stack measures 39 ft, 8 in. tall from the existing grade at the base of the stack to the point of discharge. The stack is 5 ft in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 19.6 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 320 Building emission point:



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## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/15/00	31,870
05/15/01	31,100
05/22/02	27,200
06/11/03	33,200
05/20/04	28,000
05/24/05	26,300
05/03/06	31,600
06/05/07	28,100
Average $\pm$ 10%	29,700 $\pm$ 2,970

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-320-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307242.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The sample is extracted from the stack about 34 ft, 8 in. above the existing grade at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 18 ft (3.6 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 5 ft (1.0 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. During the modification to upgrade the stack, it was found that the original existing stack design would not support the extension of the stack to meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969). However, this design does comply with the alternative 2:0.5 criteria.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.223 in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W23386DA, W23386DB, W23386DC, and W23386DD.

## SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends 18 in. outside the stack before making a 90° 36-in. radius of curvature bend downward and terminating in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample-flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and

electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system via a single Rietschle carbon vane vacuum pump enclosed in a weatherproof housing for protection against the elements. The system is powered by normal power only.

<b><u>BATTELLE DRAWINGS</u></b>	<b><u>NUMBER</u></b>
Stack Sampler Configuration EP-320-01-S; Rev. 1	H-3-307242
Installation Plan & Enlarged Plan; Rev. 0	H-3-301790-1
Installation Elevations and Detail; Rev. 0	H-3-301790-2

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<b><u>AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS</u></b>	<b><u>NUMBER</u></b>
#320 Isokinetic Sampling Probe; Rev. 2	W23386DA
Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 0	W23386DB
#320 Isokinetic Sampling Manifold; Rev. 0	W23386DC
#320 Iso-Sampling Probe Plate, Plug and Fitting; Rev. 1	W23386DD

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

# EMISSION POINT EP-320-02-S

## 320 ANALYTICAL AND NUCLEAR RESEARCH LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-320-02-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-320-02-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-320-02-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 57.03689 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 49.89332 seconds

### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

Research activities conducted in the 320 Building involve special-purpose separation and analytical chemistry techniques that allow low-level and ultra-trace levels of material in environmental samples to be measured. Working with samples containing low/trace levels requires special building features, such as a clean zone. A class 10,000 clean zone allows for contamination-free preparation and analysis of samples containing extremely low levels of indicator radionuclides and trace organic compounds. Special instrumentation that is used for

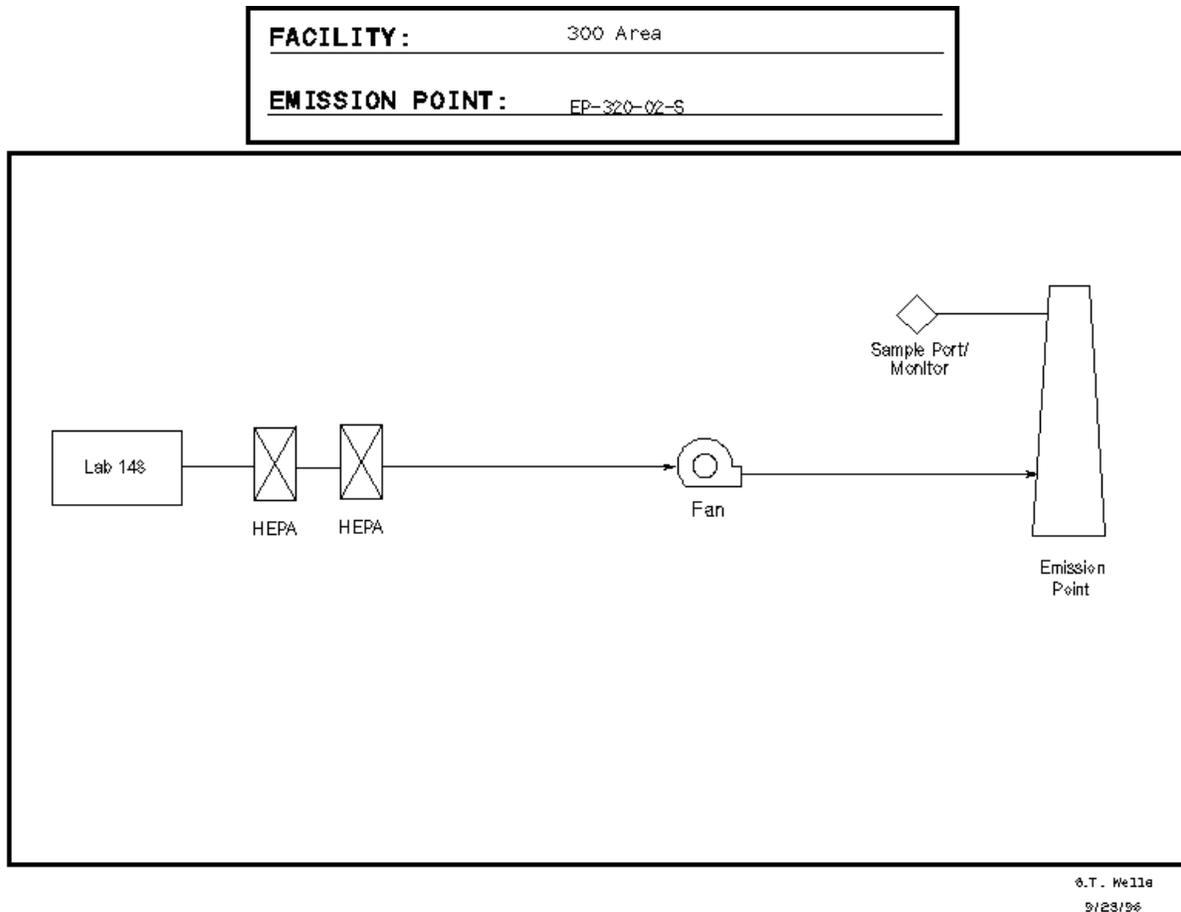
sample analysis includes various mass spectrometers, electron-beam microscopes, X-ray diffraction, and radiation counters.

### EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-320-02-S exhausts air from a hood in Room 148. The hood is high-efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filtered and is used for low-level radiochemistry studies. The stack outlet extends above the top of the roof 12 ft, 9.5 in. and 31 ft, 9.5 in. from the existing ground-level grade. The stack is 10 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 0.55 ft<sup>2</sup>.

### EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 320 Building emission point:



### EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow-rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
04/20/00	470
09/26/01	545
05/17/02	512
06/26/03	506
05/21/04	470
05/24/05	429
05/10/06	418
05/24/07	344
Average $\pm$ 10%	450 $\pm$ 45

## **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-320-02-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307243.

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from the stack about 10 ft, 3.5 in. above the existing rooftop at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 5 ft, 6 in. (6.6 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 2 ft, 6 in. (3.0 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The stack meets the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, two-nozzle probe is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.402 in. ID. The two sample nozzles make a 5-in.-radius bend before feeding into a common 0.62 in ID manifold.

## **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 0.62-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends approximately 20 in. outside the stack before making a 90° 6-in. radius of curvature bend downward. The sample line makes two more 45° 4-in. radius of curvature bends before extending downward, through the roof, and into Laboratory 148 and terminating at the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line is insulated from the point where it exits the stack to the point where it penetrates the roof.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 320 Building. This system has redundant Rietschle carbon vane vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power.

**BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-320-02-S; Rev. 1

H-3-307243

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## EMISSION POINT EP-320-04-S

### 320 ANALYTICAL AND NUCLEAR RESEARCH LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-320-04-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-320-04-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-320-04-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 57.52162 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 50.26446 seconds

#### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

Research activities conducted in the 320 Building involve special-purpose separation and analytical chemistry techniques that allow measurement of low-level and ultra-trace levels of material in environmental samples. Working with samples containing low/trace levels requires special building features, such as a clean zone. A class 10,000 clean zone allows for contamination-free preparation and analysis of samples containing extremely low levels of indicator radionuclides and trace organic compounds. Special instrumentation that is used for

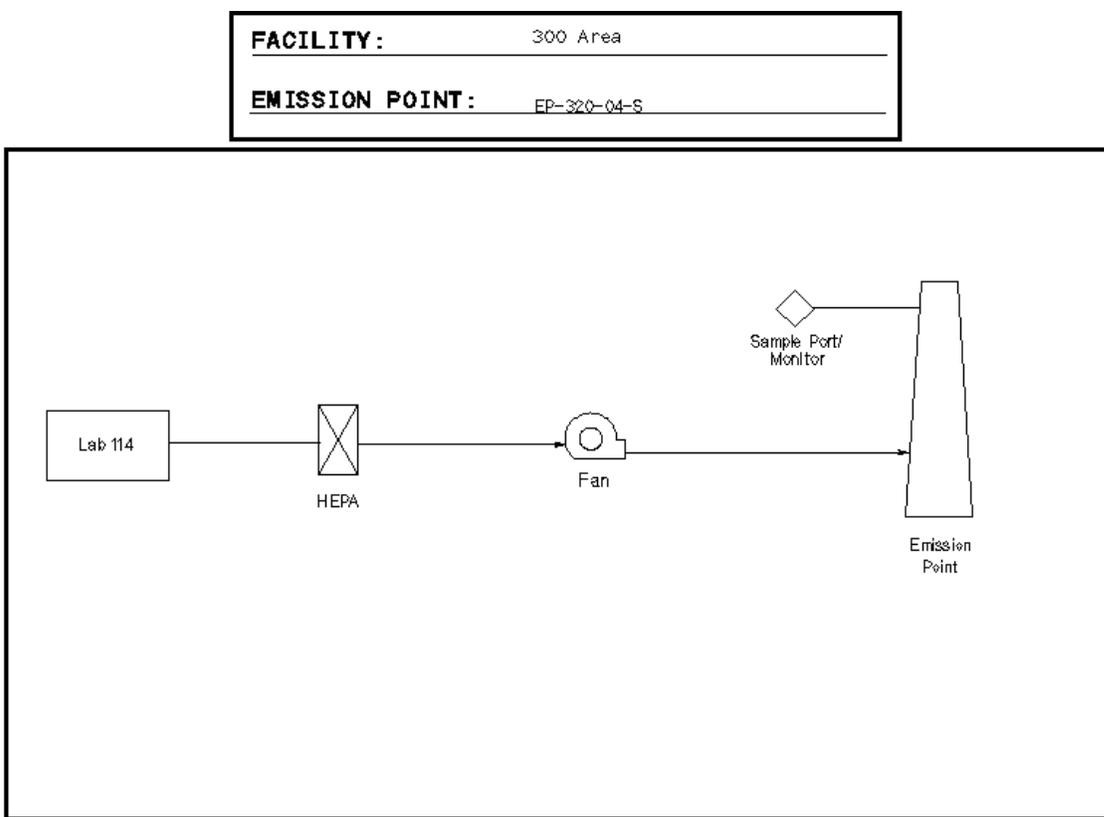
sample analysis includes various mass spectrometers, electron-beam microscopes, X-ray diffraction, and radiation counters.

### EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-320-04-S exhausts air from a hood in Room 114. The hood is HEPA filtered and is used for low-level radiochemistry studies. The stack outlet extends above the top of the roof 7 ft and 26 ft from the existing ground-level grade. The stack is 7 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 0.27 ft<sup>2</sup>.

### EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 320 Building emission point:



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### EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
04/20/00	873
09/26/01	394
05/17/02	429
06/26/03	400
05/21/04	416
05/24/05	373
05/10/06	393
05/24/07	344
Average $\pm$ 10%	450 $\pm$ 45

### **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-320-04-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing # H-3-307245.

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from the stack about 4 ft, 5.6 in. above the existing rooftop at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 2 ft (3.4 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 3 ft, 6.38 in. (6.1 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The stack meets the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, one-nozzle probe is used to extract the sample. The nozzle inlet has a 0.402-in. ID. The sample nozzle makes a 1.5-in. radius bend, and the sample tubing extends outside the stack wall 3 in. before expanding to the sample transport line ID.

### **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 0.62-in. ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends approximately 4 ft, 6 in. from the tubing expansion and then makes a 90° 13-in. radius of curvature bend downward. The sample line extends downward through the roof and into Laboratory 114 and terminates at the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line is insulated from the point where it exits the stack to the point where it penetrates the roof.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 320 Building. This system has redundant Rietschle carbon vane vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power.

**BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-320-04-S; Rev. 2

H-3-307245

Electronic access to this drawing is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

## EMISSION POINT EP-325-01-S

### 325 RADIOCHEMICAL PROCESSING LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-325-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-325-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-325-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 22 minutes 07.62800 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 43.58021 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS

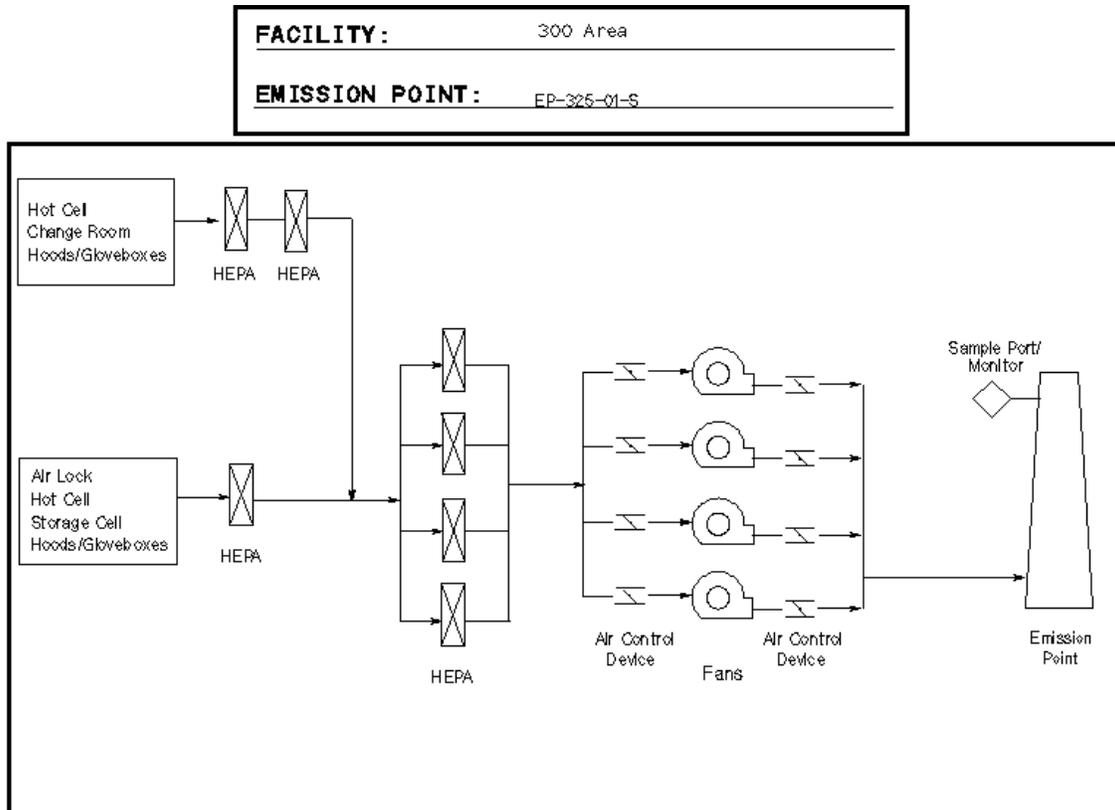
The 325 Building RPL houses radiochemistry research, radioanalytical services, radiochemical process development, and mixed waste treatment activities that are performed in the TSD-permitted portion of the facility. The laboratories and specialized facilities enable work ranging from that with nonradioactive materials to work with picogram-to-kilogram quantities of fissionable materials and up to megacurie quantities of other radionuclides. The special facilities include two shielded hot cell areas that provide for process development or analytical chemistry work with highly radioactive materials, and a waste treatment unit for processing mixed, low-level, and transuranic wastes generated by PNNL activities.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-325-01-S exhausts air from all areas where radionuclides are handled, including hot cell, waste treatment, and radiochemistry activities. The exhaust stream passes through HEPA filters located just upstream of the exhaust fans. The stack is located on the northwest corner of the 325 Building. The stack is 88.83-ft tall from the existing grade. The stack is 96 inches in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 50.3 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 325 Building emission point:



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## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined quarterly using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
03/03/01	133,000
05/03/01	141,600
08/27/01	138,800
12/05/01	137,600
02/25/02	141,800
05/09/02	144,400
08/21/02	142,300
11/20/02	145,100
02/19/03	145,400
06/26/03	142,100
10/22/03	145,100
12/22/03	140,800
02/19/04	142,900
05/20/04	143,100

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
08/12/04	144,100
11/16/04	134,800
02/22/05	142,300
05/12/05	142,900
08/16/05	143,900
11/09/05	143,100
03/01/06	139,100
05/02/06	143,100
08/09/06	139,100
11/21/06	142,100
02/21/07	143,400
05/24/07	141,600
08/15/07	140,100
11/14/07	138,100
Average $\pm$ 10%	141,500 $\pm$ 14,150

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-325-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1999) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307232.

### SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The sample is extracted from the stack about 80.83 ft above ground level. The sample probe is positioned 55 ft 11.25-inches (7.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of a flow disturbance and 8 ft (1.0 equivalent diameter) from the top of the stack.

### SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Kurz Instruments, Inc. is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.187-in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in. ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: 1497D7004, 1497C3301, 1497C2504, and 1497C2505.

## **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 15-in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and terminates in the 325 Building, Room 916, which contains the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of where it penetrates the building roof is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample-line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 325 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. See Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram Drawing H-3-307547 for details.

## **SAMPLE COLLECTION**

Particulate samples are collected using a 47-mm-supported membrane filter (Gelman Sciences Versapor-Membrane, acrylic copolymer membrane filter) mounted in a modified sample holder. See drawings in Appendix C for details. The membrane filter has an estimated retention efficiency for 0.3-micron particles of greater than 91%.

The sample flow rate is measured by a Brooks Instrument GT-1000 (0.586 to 5.86 scfm) rotameter and adjusted using a throttle valve (both located just downstream of the filter holder). A vacuum gauge (0 to 100 in. of water) is installed on the inlet side of the rotameter and used to correct the sample flow for vacuum conditions. Sampler flows are set at or near isokinetic based on stack flow measurements that are performed on a quarterly basis. A 2-week particulate sample is collected on a continuous basis to confirm that emissions are below the 0.1 mrem/yr offsite dose. The sample system is inspected each workday, excluding weekends and holidays, for proper flow-rate settings and system operation.

The rotameter and vacuum gauge are exchanged on an annual basis with calibrated spares. A Battelle-approved calibration laboratory performs calibration on these instruments.

## **TRITIUM SAMPLING SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

Tritium as water vapor (HTO) and tritium gas (HT) are sampled continuously using a two-stage sampling system located in the 325 Building, Room 916. The sample is drawn downstream of the record particulate sampling system. See Stack Sampling/Monitoring System Flow Diagram Drawing H-3-70531.

## **TRITIUM SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from the stack about 80.83 ft above ground level. The sample probe is positioned 55 ft 11.25-inches (7.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of a flow disturbance and 8 ft (1.0 equivalent diameter) from the top of the stack.

## **TRITIUM SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Kurz Instruments, Inc. is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.187-in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in. ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See attached vendor-supplied drawings for details: 1497D7004, 1497C3301, 1497C2504, and 1497C2505.

## **TRITIUM SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in. ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 15-in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and terminates in the 325 Building, Room 916, which contains the record particulate collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The tritium sample train draws from this source just downstream from the record particulate sampling system (see drawing H-3-70531). The sample line upstream of where it penetrates the building roof is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent losses caused by condensation forming in the sample line.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 325 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. See Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram Drawing H-3-307547 for details.

## **TRITIUM SAMPLE COLLECTION**

The record particulate sample collector acts as a prefilter for the tritium sample stream, and the flow is measured using a calibrated rotameter. The sub-sample flow rate to the tritium sampler is a nominal 200 mL/min.

Initially, the sample stream is mixed with a nitrogen-hydrogen carrier gas (3% H<sub>2</sub> in N<sub>2</sub>). It then enters the first tritium collection unit where silica gel is used to strip water vapor from the gas stream. On exit from the first stage, the now dry sample stream is heated to >180°C in the presence of a palladium catalyst to convert free hydrogen (HT and TT) to water vapor. The sample stream is then cooled to under 40°C and passed through the second silica gel collector to strip out the water vapor generated from the catalytic oxidation of free hydrogen.

Samples are collected over a 1-month period or until the silica gel cartridge loading sampling system meets or exceeds 2/3 loading (based on color change), whichever comes first. Following the sampling period, the samples are delivered to the analytical laboratory to determine the tritium content. The sample system is inspected each workday, excluding weekends and holidays, for proper flow-rate settings and system operation.

Thermocouples and associated digital temperature displays are either calibrated in place or replaced with calibrated spares on an annual basis. PNNL Maintenance Services performs these per group-specific procedures.

Rotameters that measure sample and carrier gas flows are exchanged with calibrated spares on an annual basis. A Battelle-approved calibration laboratory performs calibration on these instruments.

See Appendix B for analysis and data evaluation requirements for tritium samples collected from this major emission point.

## **STACK PARTICULATE MONITORING SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The 325 Stack Particulate CAM system for emission point EP-325-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307232.

Stack air is continuously monitored for radioactivity associated with particulate matter by an EG&G-Berthold LB150D alpha-beta-pseudocoincident monitor. The monitor uses an 8-in.-diameter glass-fiber filter to collect airborne particles from the stack. The filter is mounted against a sandwich arrangement of gas-flow proportional radiation detectors to count the alpha, beta, and gamma emissions as particles accumulate on the filter.

The monitoring system accounts for the presence of radioactive material associated with the decay products of naturally occurring radon isotopes by means of a timing gate to identify simultaneous alpha and beta emissions occurring on the filter. This method, referred to as the alpha-beta-pseudocoincidence-difference method, uses the nearly simultaneous (pseudocoincident) alpha-beta decay transitions in the  $^{220}\text{Rn}$  and  $^{222}\text{Rn}$  decay chains as a means of distinguishing naturally occurring radionuclides from artificial radionuclides deposited on the sample filter. Three gas-flow proportional counters in a sandwich configuration independently count the number of alpha, beta, and gamma emissions on the sample collection filter. In addition, alpha and beta emissions that are detected pseudocoincidentally are also counted. The number of pseudocoincident events times a scaling factor is subtracted from the total alpha and beta counts to yield the net event detections attributed to sources other than radon isotopes.

Local and remote annunciators provide indications of high particulate radionuclide emissions as well as monitor component failures.

### **PARTICULATE MONITOR SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from the stack about 80.83 ft above ground level. The sample probe is positioned 55 ft 11.25 in. (7.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of a flow disturbance and 8 ft (1.0 equivalent diameter) from the top of the stack. During the modification to upgrade the stack, it was found that the original existing stack design would not support the extension of the stack to meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969). However, this design does comply with the alternative 2:0.5 criteria.

### **PARTICULATE MONITOR SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Kurz Instruments, Inc. is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.494-in. ID. The nozzles feed into a 1.87-in.-ID sample

manifold that spans the stack cross-section. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: 1497D7004, 1497C3301, 1497C2504, and 1497C2505.

### **PARTICULATE MONITOR SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 2.83-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 15-in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and makes a 15-in. radius bend to horizontal before entering into the EG&G Bertholdt alpha/beta CAM. The CAM is located in the 325 Building, Room 916. The sample line upstream of where it penetrates the building roof is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the systems by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 325 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. See Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram drawing # H-3-307547 for details.

### **PARTICULATE MONITOR SAMPLE COLLECTION**

A particulate sample is collected on an 8-in. glass fiber filter housed in the alpha/beta CAM. Schleicher & Schuell manufacture the media. The sample flow rate is measured by a Brooks Instrument GT-1000 (3.21 to 32.15 scfm) rotameter and adjusted using a throttle valve (both located just downstream of the CAM outlet). A vacuum gauge (0 to 100 in. of water) is installed on the inlet side of the rotameter and used to correct the sample flow for vacuum conditions. A 1-month-long particulate sample is collected on a continuous basis to measure in real time the actual emissions from the facility. Monitor flows are set at or near isokinetic based on stack flow measurements that are performed on a quarterly basis. From January 1998 to present, the isokinetic sample flow rate ranged from 21.9 to 22.3 scfm. The monitoring system is inspected each workday (excluding weekends and holidays) for proper flow-rate settings and system operation.

The rotameter and vacuum gauge are exchanged on an annual basis with calibrated spares. A Battelle-approved calibration laboratory performs calibration on these instruments.

Electronic calibration of the alpha/beta CAM is performed on an annual basis or when failures or modifications of the system occur. PNNL Maintenance Services performs these calibrations per group-specific procedures.

Radiological calibration of the alpha/beta CAM is performed on an annual basis or when failures or modifications of the system occur. PNNL Radcon Instrumentation Services performs these calibrations per group-specific procedures.

## **PARTICULATE MONITOR ALARM SETPOINTS**

Particulate monitor alarm setpoints are addressed in the current version of the “Adjustment To Alpha CAM Alarm Setpoint” document. See EM File Plan or contact EM staff to access documentation.

## **STACK TRITIUM MONITORING SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The 325 Stack Tritium CAM system for emission point EP-325-01-S is operated in conformance with DOE/EH- 0173T, “Environmental Regulatory Guide for Radiological Effluent Monitoring and Environmental Surveillance” requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307232.

Stack air is continuously monitored for tritium by an EG&G-Berthold LB110 tritium detector and a PNNL OS3700 software tritium analyzer. The LB110 is a windowless, flow-through proportional detector with pulse rise time discrimination. The discriminator divides individual ionization events into short rise-time events and long rise-time events. Short rise-time events are counted as tritium, while long rise-time events are currently calibrated to  $^{85}\text{Kr}$ .

The data from the discriminator are fed to the PNNL OS3700 software analyzer unit via coaxial cables. The analyzer is used to allow for subtracting background, accumulating pulse events, and converting those events to concentration. The analyzer also provides the output for the video display along with a web-based tool designed to provide real-time remote access to the data via the PNNL network services.

P-10 gas is mixed with the sample stream in a 4:1 ratio and passed through the detector. The P-10 gas is used to maximize sensitivity and minimize interference from other decays.

Local and remote annunciators provide indications of high tritium emissions, monitor component failures, and sample and P-10 flow transients lasting more than 60 seconds.

## **TRITIUM MONITOR SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from the stack about 80.83 ft above ground level. The sample probe is positioned 55 ft 11.25-inches (7.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of a flow disturbance and 8 ft (1.0 equivalent diameter) from the top of the stack. During the modification to upgrade the stack, it was found that the original existing stack design would not support the extension of the stack to meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969). However, this design does comply with the alternative 2:0.5 criteria.

## **TRITIUM MONITOR SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Kurz Instruments, Inc. is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.494-in. ID. The nozzles feed into a 1.87-in.-ID sample manifold that spans the stack cross-section. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: 1497D7004, 1497C3301, 1497C2504, and 1497C2505.

## **TRITIUM MONITOR SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 2.83-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 15-in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and makes a 15-in. radius bend to horizontal before entering into the EG&G Bertholdt alpha/beta CAM. The CAM is also located in the 325 Building, Room 916. The tritium CAM draws a sample just downstream from the alpha/beta CAM filter media. The sample line upstream of where it penetrates the building roof is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample-line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the systems by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement of the 325 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. See Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram drawing # H-3-307547 for details.

### **TRITIUM MONITOR SAMPLE COLLECTION**

A sample is drawn by means of a membrane pump internal to the CAM from a point downstream of the alpha/beta CAM filter media. The sample and counting gas (P-10) flow are measured separately and kept constant by a control circuit. The measurement is performed by means of floating body flow-through meters using photoelectronic positioning scanning. A needle valve operated by a stepper motor serves as the control element. A sample is collected on a continuous basis to measure in real time the actual emissions from the facility. The sample line upstream of where it penetrates the building roof is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent losses caused by condensation forming in the sample line.

Electronic calibration of the tritium CAM is performed on an annual basis or when failures or modifications of the system occur. PNNL Maintenance Services performs these calibrations per group-specific procedures.

Radiological calibration of the tritium CAM is performed on an annual basis or when failures or modifications of the system occur. PNNL Radcon Instrumentation Services performs these calibrations per group-specific procedures.

### **TRITIUM MONITOR ALARM SETPOINTS**

Tritium monitor alarm setpoints are addressed in the current version of the “Tritium Monitor Alarm Setpoint Revision Radiochemical Processing Facility Exhaust Stack” document. See EM File Plan or contact EM staff to access documentation.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-325-01-S; Rev. 0	H-3-307232
Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram; Rev. 0	H-3-307547
Stack Sampling/Monitoring System Flow Diagram; Rev. 4	H-3-70531

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

**KURZ INSTRUMENTS INC. DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

Sample Rake Assy., #325 Stack (2 sheets); Rev. J	1497D7004
Schematic Diagram Isokinetic Sampling System; Rev. E	1497C3301
Elbow, 3 in., Stack #325; Rev. B	1497C2505
Elbow, 1 ¼ in., Stack #325; Rev. B	1497C2504

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

# EMISSION POINT EP-326-01-S

## 326 MATERIALS SCIENCES LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-326-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-326-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-326-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 22 minutes 09.67053 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 45.47551 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

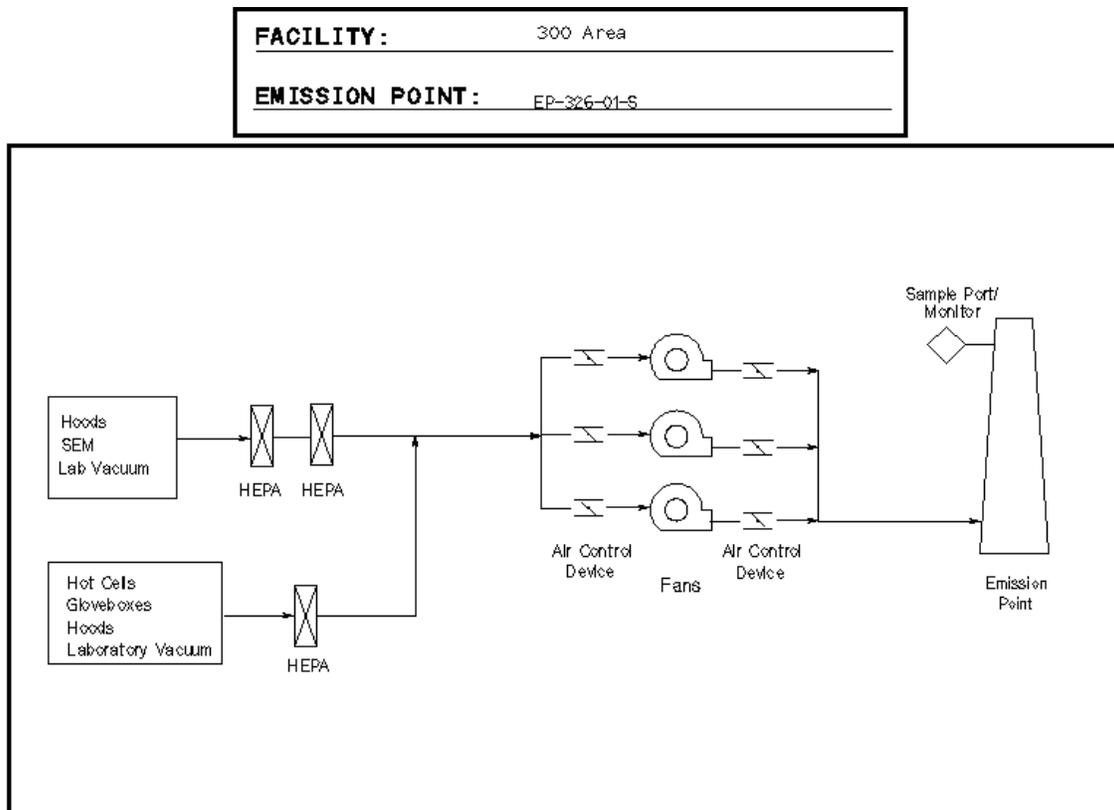
The building is used to conduct 1) mechanical testing of metallic and ceramic composite materials, 2) specimen preparation for optical/electron beam microscopes and the subsequent examination/characterization of these specimens, and 3) the preparation of specimens for X-ray diffraction analysis. Sample preparation activities include sample receiving and sample-size reduction (cutting, grinding, punching, breaking, electropolishing, and ion micromilling). Other activities in the building include analytical characterization of samples from the radioactive waste tanks at Hanford, storage of sealed sources with a high radiation level, and a radiological counting laboratory.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-326-01-S exhausts air from all areas where radionuclides are handled. The stack also exhausts air from some unfiltered (non-rad) areas of the facility. The stack is located on the north side of the facility. The stack measures 47 ft, 8 in. tall from the existing grade at the base of the stack to the point of discharge. The stack is 72 inches in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 28.3 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 326 Building emission point:



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5/13/97

## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure EMS-AIR-016. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
03/30/00	40,695
05/15/01	45,100
05/16/02	52,200
06/11/03	53,100
05/25/04	55,900
06/01/05	49,700
05/03/06	49,700
06/05/07	48,300
Average $\pm$ 10%	49,300 $\pm$ 4,930

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-326-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307238.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The sample is extracted from the stack about 42 ft, 5 in. above the existing grade at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 18 ft (3.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 5 ft, 3 in. (0.875 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. During the modification to upgrade the stack, it was found that the original existing stack design would not support the extension of the stack to meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969). However, this design does comply with the alternative 2:0.5 criteria.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.231-in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W20628BA and W20628EA.

## SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 7 in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample

line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the main equipment room of the 326 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. One line drawing of this system is under development and will be added as an attachment to this section when complete.

#### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

#### **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-326-01-S; Rev. 1

H-3-307238-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the Auto Manager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

#### **AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

#### **NUMBER**

Sampler-Probe Assembly; Rev. 2

W20628BA

Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 1

W20628EA

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

## EMISSION POINT EP-329-01-S

### 329 CHEMICAL SCIENCES LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-329-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-329-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-329-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 22 minutes 07.99577 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 46.39822 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

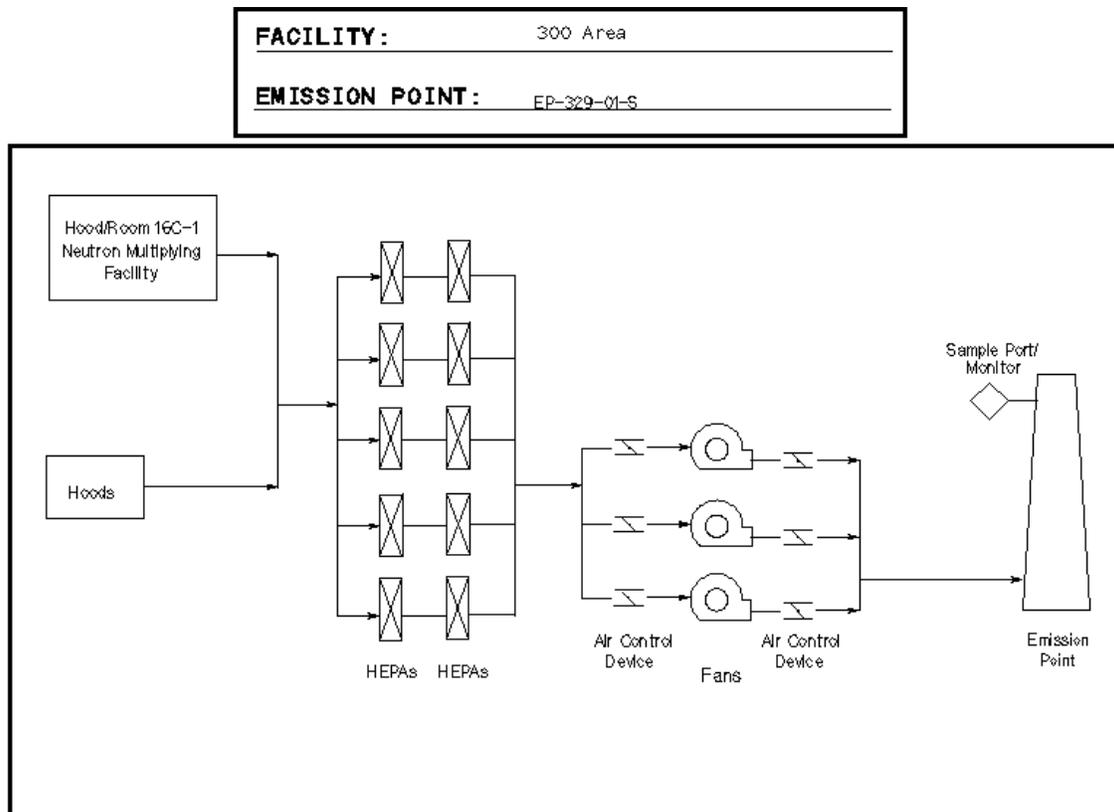
This building is used to conduct measurements and develop procedures in support of the Hanford Site environmental restoration and waste management activities. Environmental samples, including soils, vegetation, water, decommissioning materials, and samples of high-level tank waste are analyzed for all radionuclides and hazardous constituents. Advanced analytical procedures are also developed, tested, and applied. In addition, R&D activities in the nuclear sciences are conducted, particularly in the areas of radiation instrumentation development and applications, low-level radioactive waste characterization and management, radiological decommissioning, environmental radioactivity measurements, radiochemical separations and measurements, and basic nuclear chemistry and physics.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-329-01-S exhausts air from all areas where radionuclides are handled. The stack is located on the north end of the facility. The stack measures 62-ft, 6-in. tall from the existing grade at the base of the stack to the point of discharge. The stack is 5 ft in. diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 19.6 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 329 Building emission point:



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9/23/96

## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
11/13/01	43,900
10/22/02	48,300
07/29/03	46,000
11/16/04	45,200
10/11/05	45,300
10/18/06	44,700
10/24/07	44,600
Average $\pm$ 10%	45,500 $\pm$ 4,550

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-329-01-S is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307237-1.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The sample is extracted from the stack about 52 ft, 6 in. above the existing grade at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 40 ft (8.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 10 ft (2.0 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The position of the sample extraction point meets the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.183-in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the stack. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W20628CA and W20628EA.

## SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 7 in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample-flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the basement equipment room of the 329 Building. This system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power. See drawing H-3-307967-1 for details.

**BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-329-01-S; Rev. 1	H-3-307237-1
Vacuum Air Sample Piping Schematic; Rev. 0	H-3-307967-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

**AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

Flo-Sampler Probe Assembly; Rev. 2	W20628CA
Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 1	W20628EA

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

## EMISSION POINT EP-331-01-V

### 331 LIFE SCIENCES LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-331-01-V  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-331-01-V  
Traverse Point ID: TP-331-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 53.86172 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 17.23532 seconds

#### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

One of the primary functions of the 331 Building (Life Sciences Laboratory) is to provide research capabilities to study the health effects of chemicals and radiation and the uptake and transformation effects in soils, plants, animals, microorganisms, and solutions when they are exposed to radiation. Current projects are being conducted to examine these effects in animals (rodents) and in cells grown in culture. Much of this work focuses on molecular-level changes and uses very small amounts of radioactive materials for tracing biological molecules. Additionally, research work in the 331 Building is conducted to promote an understanding of the

processes that govern the mobility and degradation of contaminants in soils, sediments, and groundwater systems. This work may use radioactive materials in more significant quantities. Other activities in the building include:

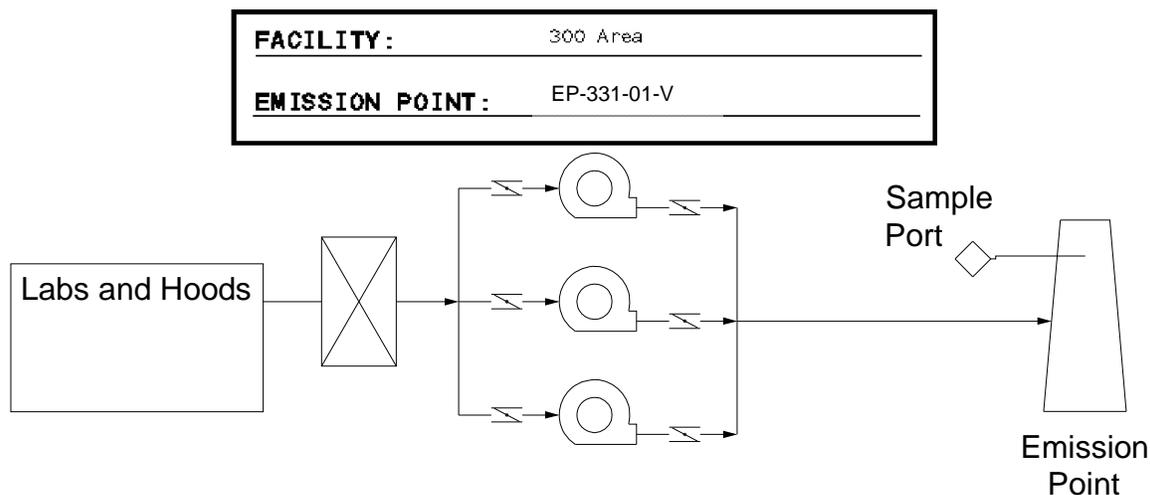
- Aquaculture research that focuses on the impacts of water-use practices on fisheries and the response of the aquatic ecosystems to engineered structures and to natural and man-induced stresses.
- A cobalt irradiator that is used for a wide variety of exposures from cell cultures to food, and research to interpret and validate measurements for providing customers with more accurate and relevant information on worker and public exposures and to provide assistance in radioisotope technology to the medical community for diagnosing and treating diseases.

### EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-331-01-V exhausts air from all areas where radionuclides are handled. The exhaust stream passes through HEPA filters located upstream of the exhaust fans. The vent is located on the roof of the 331 Building. The vent outlet extends 24 ft 9 in. above the top of the roof and is 62 ft tall from the existing grade south of the 331 Building. The stack is 78 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 33.2 ft<sup>2</sup>. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307236-1.

### EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 331 Building emission point:



### EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined quarterly using EM procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow-rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>	<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
02/18/00	71,712	03/31/04	52,100
05/25/00	68,757	06/16/04	51,100
08/16/00	66,134	09/22/04	52,600
11/15/00	64,900	12/02/04	54,300
03/27/01	60,400	03/17/05	56,600
06/14/01	57,800	06/21/05	55,900
10/18/01	61,400	10/03/05	58,400
12/17/01	62,900	12/29/05	51,100
03/27/02	60,800	03/22/06	53,300
06/25/02	62,600	06/22/06	52,100
09/27/02	61,100	09/26/06	54,000
12/13/02	60,300	12/27/06	51,000
03/13/03	63,400	03/22/07	52,300
05/15/03	61,100	06/27/07	51,600
08/21/03	55,900	09/28/07	51,600
12/23/03	54,600	12/04/07	52,100
		Average ± 10%	57,800 ± 5,780

### **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-331-01-V is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307236.

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample is extracted from a section of horizontal duct located on the roof of the 331 Building. The sample probe is positioned about 52 ft (8.0 equivalent diameters) downstream of a flow disturbance and 14 ft, 11 in. (2.3 equivalent diameters) to a downstream disturbance where the duct makes a 10-ft-radius bend upwards. The sample extraction point position meets the 8:2 (downstream:upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, six-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.237-in. ID. The six sample nozzles feed into a 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W20628DA and W20628EA.

## **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.25-in. stainless steel tubing. The line extends outside of the duct approximately 2.375 ft before terminating in a waterproof cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The sample line is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the second floor equipment room of the 331 Building. This system has redundant blowers that are powered by normal and emergency power. See Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram Drawing H-3-307559-1 for details.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-331-01-V; Rev. 2	H-3-307236-1
Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram; Rev. 3	H-3-307559-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

### **AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

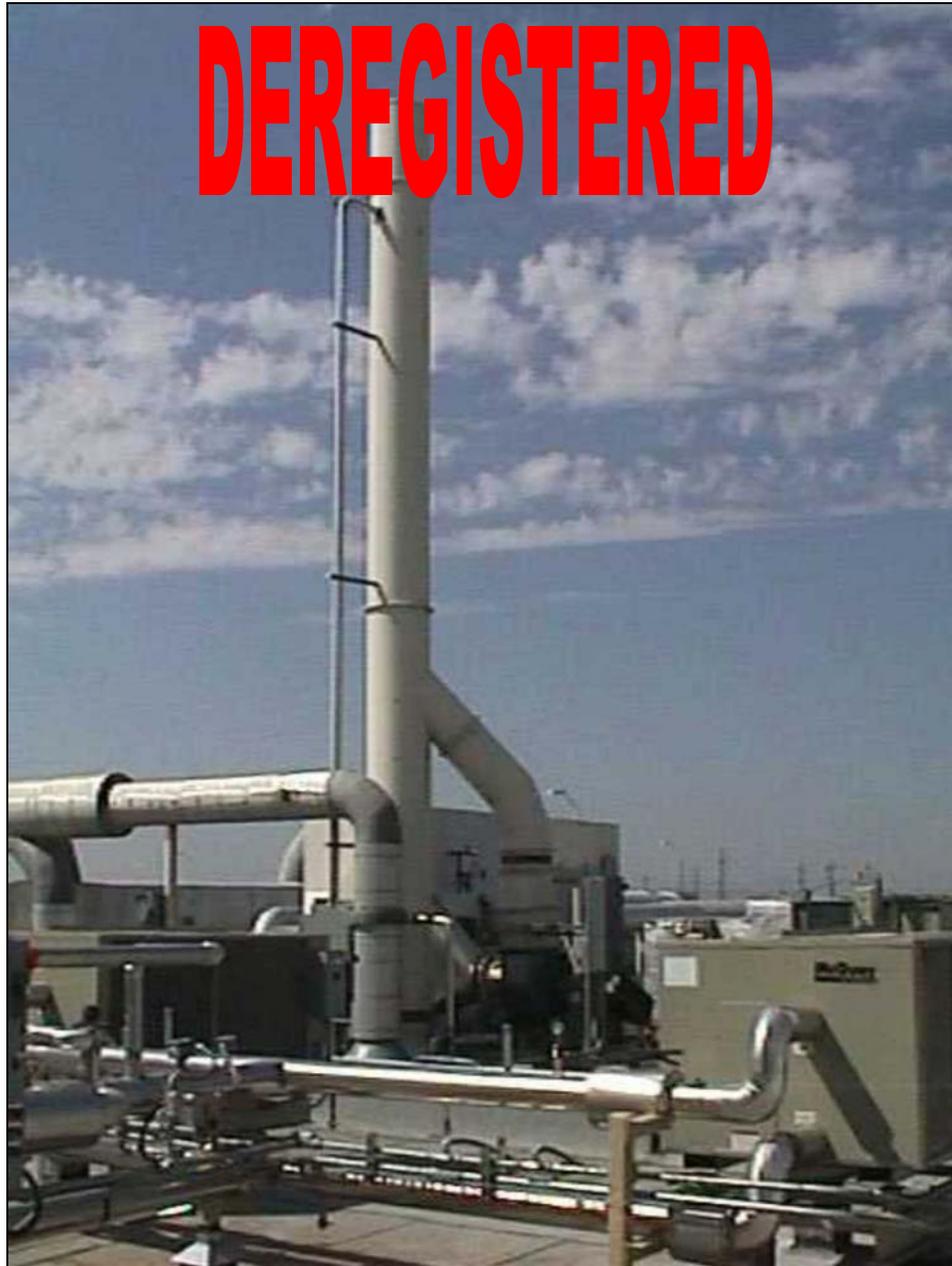
### **NUMBER**

Flo-Sampler Probe Assembly; Rev. 2	W20628DA
Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 1	W20628EA

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

# EMISSION POINT EP-331-02-S

## 331 RADON EXPOSURE FACILITY



Emission Point ID: EP-331-02-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-331-02-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-331-02-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 53.61473 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 19.49743 seconds

## **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

The 331 Radon Exposure Facility was designed to be used as an animal and cell exposure facility. It is composed of four rooms located on the west end of the main 331 Building. This part of the facility has its own supply and exhaust system, and currently the exhaust is not HEPA filtered. The facility contains a radon holdup system control technology designed to allow for the decay of radon gas and the collection of its particulate daughters before discharging the treated gas via the stack located on the roof. The radon holdup system is not currently connected to the exhaust system. The planned radon inhalation research was never initiated because of loss of funding.

## **EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION**

The emission point was deregistered with the WDOH on March 21, 2003. This emission point still remains operational for non-radioactive projects.<sup>(a)</sup>

**NOTE:** The following details are provided for information purposes only:

EP-331-02-S exhausts non-filtered room air from Rooms 195 through 198. The stack is located atop the 11 ft 3 in. high facility. The stack measures 31 ft tall from the top of the roof to the point of discharge. This gives the emission point an effective height above the existing grade of 42 ft, 3 in. The stack is 24 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 3.1 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## **EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY**

No control technology is in place at this time.

## **EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE**

Exhaust flow rates were determined annually using PNNL Operating Procedure SOP AIR BALANCE-4. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
05/05/98	4,752
06/02/99	4,926
Average ± 10%	4,840 ± 484

**Note:** Annual stack flow measurements were canceled in year 2000.

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(a) Letter, AW Conklin, Washington Department of Health, to JB Hebdon, U.S. Department of Energy, dated May 25, 2004, # AIR 04-504.

## **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

No stack sampling is being performed or is required at this time. The following details are provided for information purposes only:

The stack sampling system meets the requirements in 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969). See attached Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307827.

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample would be extracted from the stack about 27 ft, 2.25 in. above the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 15 ft, 0.75 in. (7.43 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 4 ft (2.67 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The stack meets the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI 1969.

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, four-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation was used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.271-in. ID. The nozzles have an 8-degree taper and feed into a common manifold with an ID of 1.12 in. The sample manifold extends outside the stack 12 in., makes a 6-in. radius bend downward, and unites with the sample transport line. See attached vendor-supplied drawings for details: W23386CA, W23386CB, W23386CC, and W23386CD.

### **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in. ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends downward and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

If stack emission samples were to be withdrawn from the stack, they would be drawn by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in the second floor equipment room of the 331 Building. This system has redundant blowers that are powered by normal and emergency power. See attached Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram drawing H-3-307559 for details.

**BATTELLE DRAWINGS****NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-331-02-S; Rev. 2

H-3-307827-1

Vacuum Air Sampling One-Line Diagram; Rev. 3

H-3-307559-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

**AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS****NUMBER**

#331 Isokinetic Sampling Probe; Rev. 1

W23386CA

Iso-Sampling Threaded Nozzle; Rev. 0

W23386CB

#331 Isokinetic Sampling Manifold; Rev. 0

W23386CC

#331 Iso Sampling Probe Plate, Plug and Fitting; Rev. 1

W23386CD

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

## EMISSION POINT EP-331G-01-S

### 331G INTERIM TISSUE REPOSITORY



Emission Point ID: EP-331G-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-331G-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-331G-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 46.65110 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 13.84688 seconds

#### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

The 331G Facility historically served as an archival storage of preserved animal tissues collected during biological and environmental science research activities. The 331G Building periodically contained trace quantities of radioactive materials from animal experiments. The building may also be used for field-testing radioactive material detectors; sealed sources are used in this activity.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

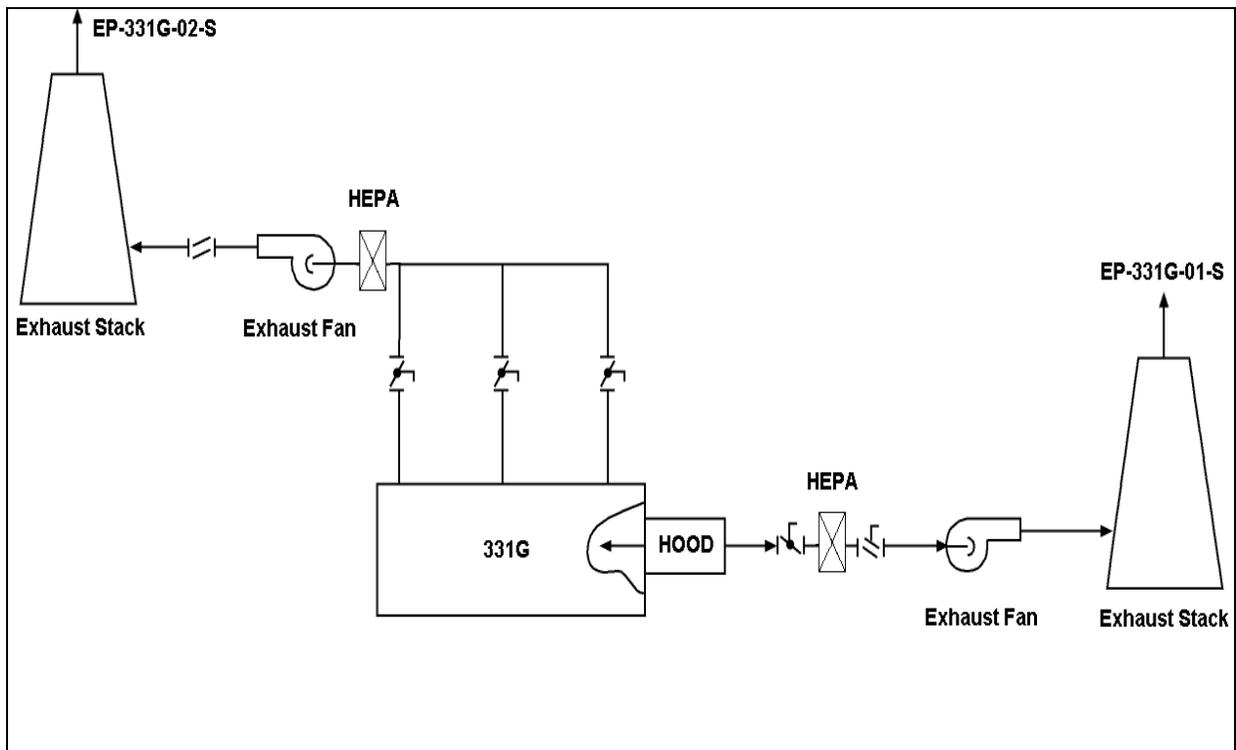
This emission point was shut down on April 27, 2000, at 12:50 pm. The emission point was deregistered with WDOH on March 21, 2003. This building still remains operational for non-radioactive projects.<sup>(a)</sup>

**NOTE:** The following details are provided for information purposes only:

EP-331G-01-S has the capability to exhaust HEPA filtered air from a hood that is housed in the building. The exhaust fan and stack are mounted on the roof of the building. The total effective height of the stack measured from the existing ground level grade is 19 ft, 1 in. The stack is rectangular in shape and measures 9.5 in. by 13 in. (equivalent diameter of 10.98 in.) and has a cross-sectional area of 0.86 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 331-G Building emission points EP-331G-01-S and EP-331G-02-S:



(a) Letter, AW Conklin, Washington Department of Health, to JB Hebdon, U.S. Department of Energy, dated March 21 2003, # AIR 03-306, audit # 312.

## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates were determined annually using PNNL Operating Procedure SOP AIR BALANCE-4. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
05/19/98	604
05/06/99	522
Average $\pm$ 10%	560 $\pm$ 56

**Note:** Annual stack flow measurements were canceled in year 2000.

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

Emission point EP-331G-01-S was a minor emission point and does not have a sample system installed. See attached Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307825-1.

### BATTELLE DRAWINGS

### NUMBER

Stack Configuration EP-331G-01-S & EP-331G-02-S; Rev. 1

H-3-307825-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

## EMISSION POINT EP-331G-02-S

### 331G INTERIM TISSUE REPOSITORY



Emission Point ID: EP-331G-02-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-331G-02-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-331G-02-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 46.80638 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 13.50606 seconds

#### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

Currently, the 331G Interim Tissue Repository is in standby with the supply and exhaust fans shut down to conserve energy. The 331G Facility historically served as an archival storage of preserved animal tissues collected during biological and environmental science research activities. The 331G Building periodically contained trace quantities of radioactive materials from animal experiments. The building may also be used for field-testing radioactive material detectors; sealed sources are used in this activity.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

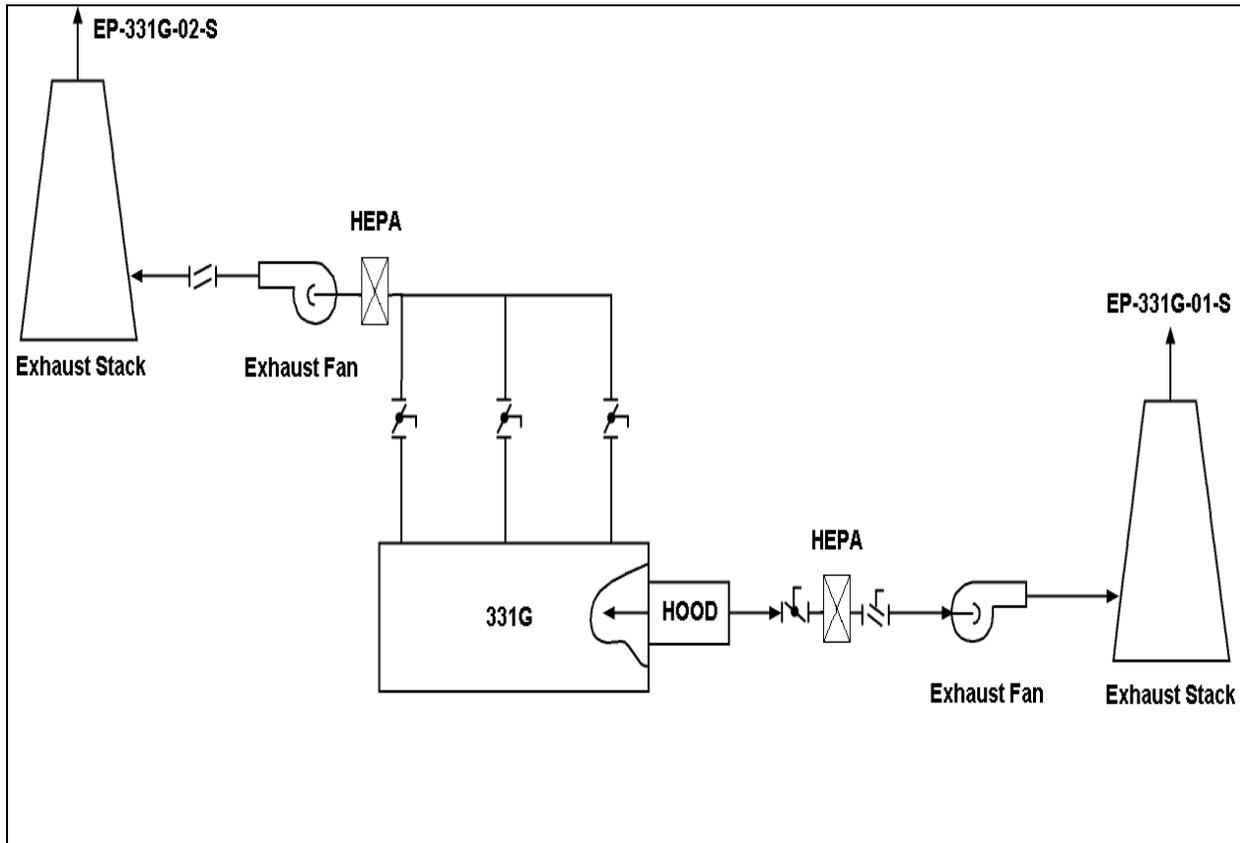
This emission point was shut down on April 27, 2000, at 12:50 pm. The emission point was deregistered with WDOH on March 21, 2003. This building still remains operational for non-radioactive projects.<sup>(a)</sup>

**NOTE:** The following details are provided for information purposes only:

EP-331G-02-S has the capability to exhaust HEPA filtered air from the rooms in the 331G Building. The stack is located on the north side of the facility. The stack measures 15 ft tall from the existing grade at the base of the stack to the point of discharge. The stack is 10 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 0.55 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 331-G Building emission points EP-331G-02-S and EP-331G-01-S:



(a) Letter, AW Conklin, Washington Department of Health, to JB Hebdon, U.S. Department of Energy, dated March 21 2003, # AIR 03-306, audit # 312.

## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates were determined annually using PNNL Operating Procedure SOP AIR BALANCE-4. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/19/98	1,410
05/06/99	1,303
Average $\pm$ 10%	1,360 $\pm$ 136

**Note:** Annual stack flow measurements were canceled in 2000.

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

Emission point EP-331G-02-S was a minor emission point and does not have a sample system installed. See attached Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307825-1.

### BATTELLE DRAWINGS

### NUMBER

Stack Configuration EP-331G-01-S & EP-331G-02-S; Rev. 1

H-3-307825-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

# EMISSION POINT EP-331H-01-S

## 331H AEROSOL WIND TUNNEL LABORATORY



Emission Point ID:	EP-331H-01-S
Emission Sample Point ID:	ESP-331H-01-S
Traverse Point ID:	TP-331H-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 21 minutes 48.14310 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 14.47441 seconds

## FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

In the Aerosol Wind Tunnel Facility (331-H Building), research has been conducted to evaluate the effects and changes in plants, animals, and the surface geologic materials occurring as a result of airborne deposition of windblown materials, chemical constituents, or wind erosion. The facility houses a wind tunnel, associated measurement equipment, and a laboratory area to perform these studies.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

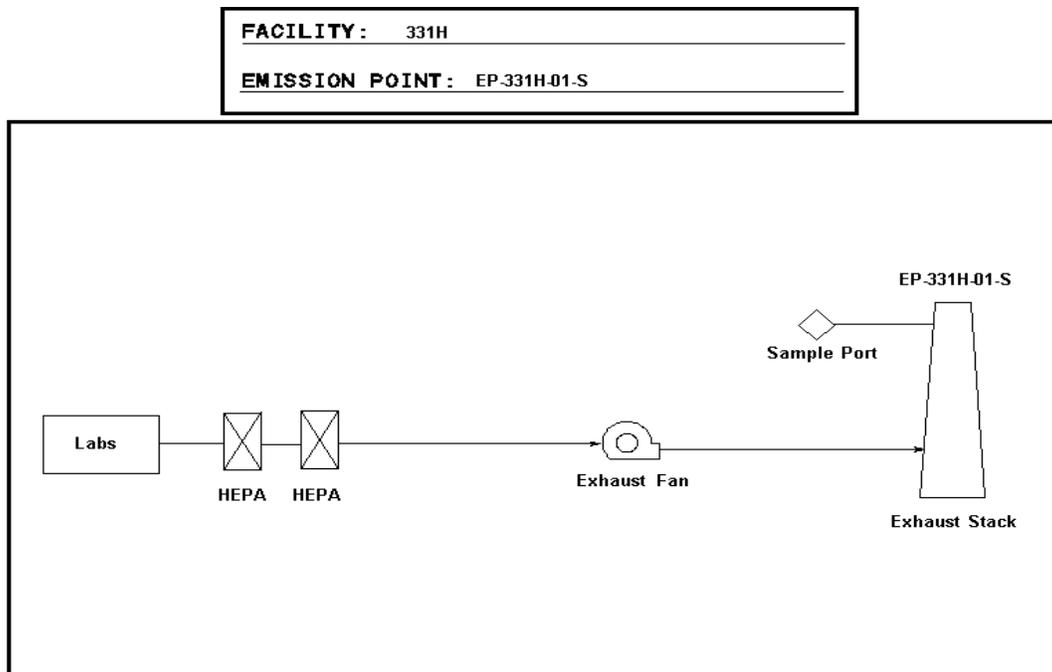
On January 17, 1998, emission point EP-331H-01-S was deregistered from a radiological emission point status with the WDOH.

EP-331H-01-S exhausts a wind tunnel and chemical hood used for aerosol deposition studies. The wind tunnel and chemical hood exhaust are double HEPA filtered. The stack outlet extends 22 ft from the existing ground-level grade. The stack is 24 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 3.1 ft<sup>2</sup>.<sup>(a)</sup>

**Note:** The following details are provided for information purposes only.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the control technology that was previously used before deregistering the 331H Building emission point:



(a) Letter, AW Conklin, Washington Department of Health, to JE Rasmussen, U.S. Department of Energy, dated January 21, 1998, # 98-107

**Note:** On January 17, 1998, emission point EP-331H-01-S was deregistered with WDOH. In this process, it was established that there would be no need for an active or passive ventilation system with emission control and/or monitoring devices. Since then, the primary HEPA filter was removed from the above system. The figure was not modified to show the reduction in control technology.

## **EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE**

Exhaust flow rates were determined annually using PNNL Operating Procedure SOP AIR BALANCE-4. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
10/18/95	7,301
10/04/96	6,358
10/23/97	5,679
10/27/98	5,276
Average $\pm$ 10%	6,150 $\pm$ 615

**Note:** Flow measurements were canceled from the annual frequency in the year 2000.

## **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-331H-01-S was operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See attached Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307247.

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample was extracted from the stack about 17 ft, 3 in. above the existing grade at the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 9 ft, 6.38 in. (4.8 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 4 ft, 3 in. (2.1 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The stack meets the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from the ANSI N13.1 (1969) standard.

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, eight-nozzle probe was used to extract the sample. The sample nozzles are positioned in two concentric rings, with two nozzles located in each quadrant, as shown on the Air Monitor Corporation Drawing Number PND-62-503. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.156-in. ID. The eight sample nozzles eventually feed into a common 0.495-in. ID manifold. The manifold extends to within 4 in. of the stack wall where it is united with the sample transport line.

## **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 0.495 in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The line extends approximately 5 in. outside the stack before making a 7-in.-radius bend and extending downward at a slope of 45 degrees. The sample line extends for 8 ft 3 in. before making a 7-in.-radius bend in the opposite direction. The line extends another 2 ft before terminating at the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve inside the facility equipment room. The sample line is insulated from the point where it exits the stack to the point where it penetrates the equipment room wall.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack by means of the building vacuum air-sampling pump located in the south equipment room. This single pump powered by normal and emergency power.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-331H-01-S; Rev. 02

H-3-307247-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

### **AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

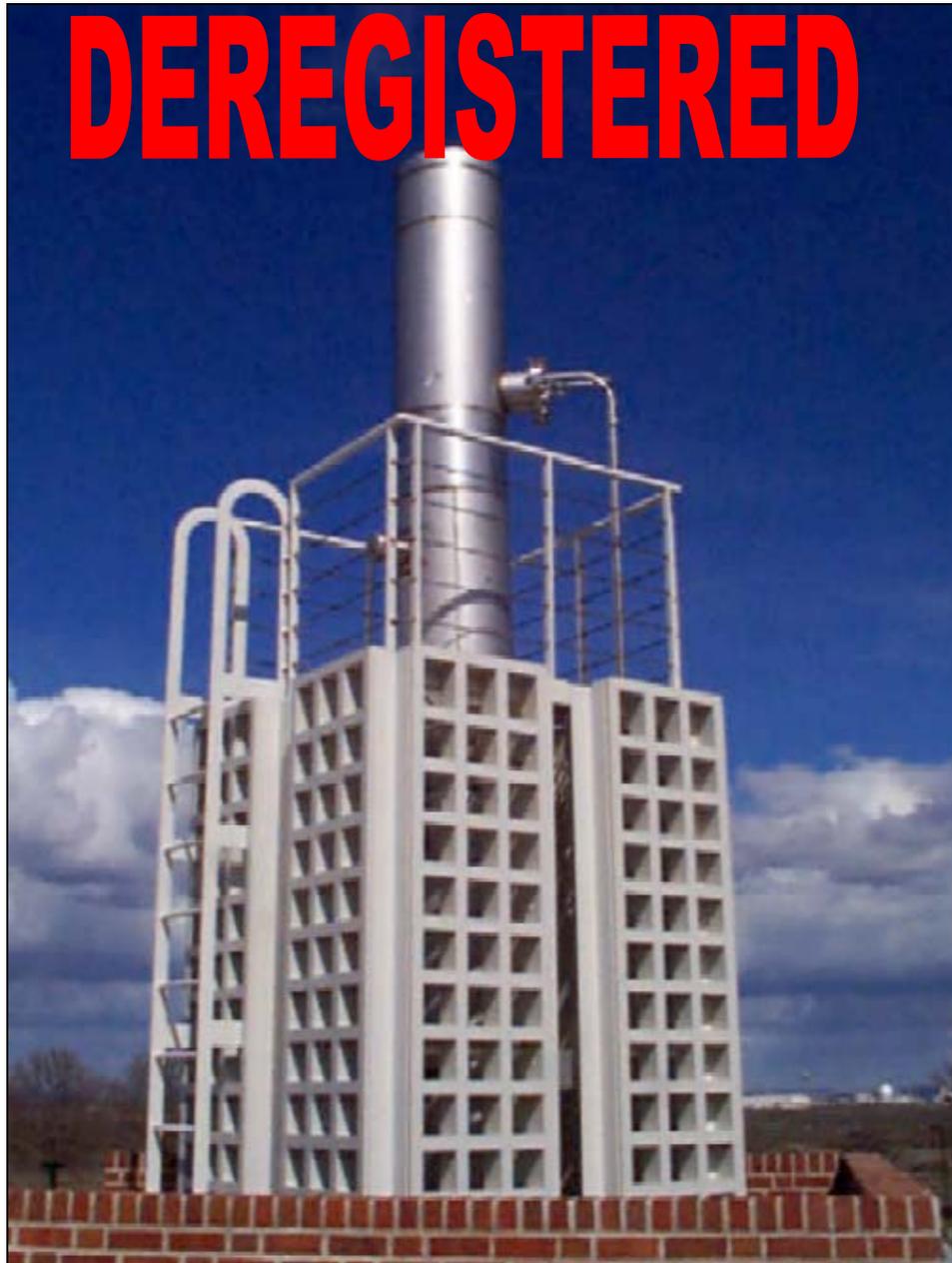
Manifold, Isokinetic; Rev. A

PND-62-503

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.

## EMISSION POINT EP-3020-01-S

### 3020 ENVIRONMENTAL MOLECULAR SCIENCES LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-3020-01-S  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-3020-01-S  
Traverse Point ID: TP-3020-01-1

Washington Geological Survey 84 Coordinates:  
Latitude: 46 degrees 20minutes 57.52531 seconds  
Longitude: 119 degrees 16 minutes 40.22984 seconds

## **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

The Environmental Molecular Science Laboratory (EMSL) (3020 Building) provides integrated laboratory, computer, and seminar functions and contains basic, multi-disciplinary research programs involving chemical, biological, materials, and computational sciences. Research and development activities are undertaken in EMSL to advance the understanding of molecular sciences and to apply the advanced understanding gained to a broad spectrum of environmental restoration and waste management missions.

## **EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION**

On December 28, 2004, emission point EP-3020-01-S was deregistered with WDOH. Only sealed sources including radiation-generating devices (RGDs) are present in the building and operations with radioactive material with the potential for radioactive air emissions have ceased. The exhaust fans for this emission unit will remain active to maintain the building airflow requirements. There is no current plan to introduce radioactive material into the EMSL that would require a Notice of Construction.<sup>(a)</sup>

**Note:** The following details are provided for informational purposes only.

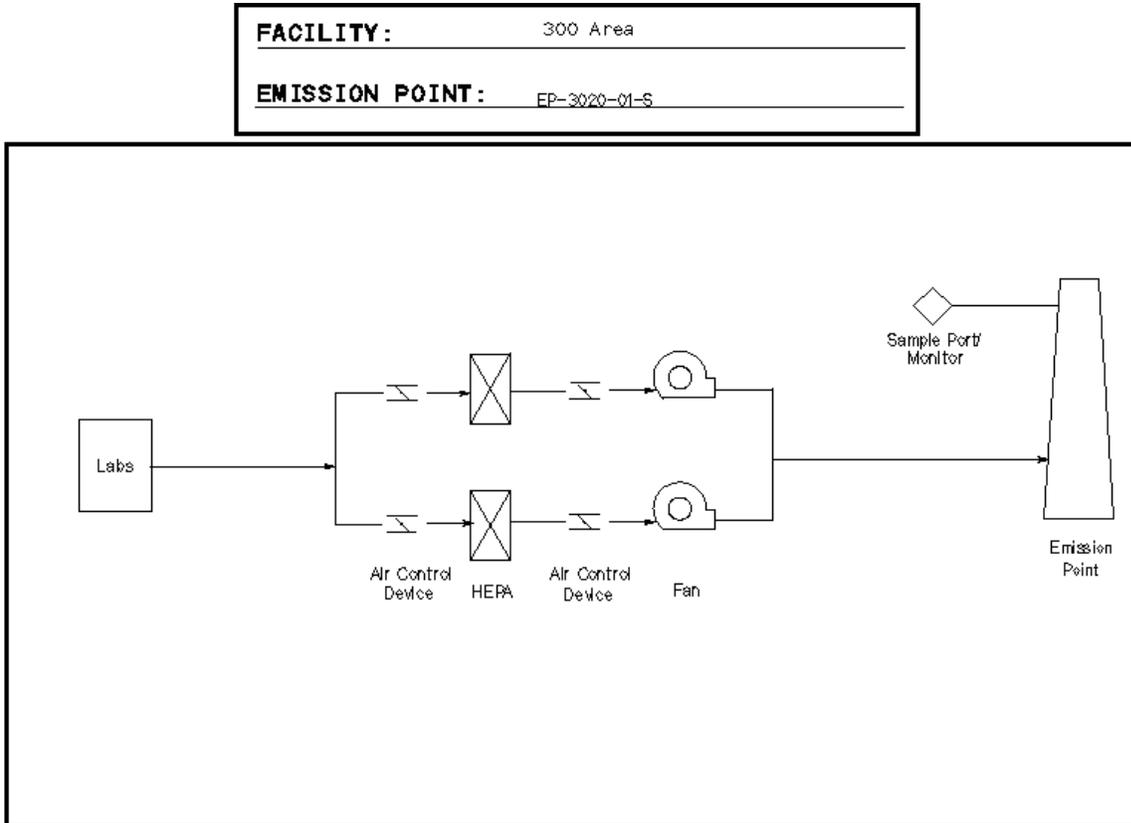
EP-3020-01-S exhausts air from fume hoods, snorkels, and laboratory spaces within the 3020 Building. This emission point was established in the spring of 1996. The stack is located atop the 33 ft, 6 in. high facility. The stack measures 20 ft, 0.75 in. tall from the top of the roof to the point of discharge. The stack is 1 ft, 10 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 2.6 ft<sup>2</sup>.

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(a) Letter, AW Conklin, Washington Department of Health, to PW Kruger and KA Klein, U.S. Department of Energy, dated December 28, 2004, # AIR 04-1212, Audit # 398.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the 3020 Building emission point:



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## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates were determined annually using EM procedure EMS-AIR-016. This procedure was developed based on the requirements in EPA 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
10/13/99	6,778
10/31/00	6,990
8/30/01	6,850
7/23/02	6,900
6/23/03	6,860
7/27/04	7,030
Average ± 10%	6,900 ± 690

**Note:** Flow measurements were canceled from the annual frequency in the year 2005.

## **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-3020-01-S was operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and ANSI N13.1 (1969) requirements. See attached Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing H-3-307826-1.

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The sample was extracted from the stack about 12 ft, 9 in. above the stack base. The sample probe is positioned 21 ft, 7 in. (11.77 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 4 ft (2.18 equivalent diameters) from the top of the stack. The sample extraction point position meets the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI (1969).

## **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, four-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation was used to extract the sample. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.174 in.-ID. See attached vendor-supplied drawings for details: W22192CA, Rev. 1.

## **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in. ID stainless steel tubing. The line makes a 90°, 6-in. radius of curvature bend downward upon exiting the stack and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow-rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

## **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Vacuum air was supplied to the sample system by a single Rietschle carbon vane pump enclosed in a weatherproof housing for protection against the elements.

## **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

## **NUMBER**

Stack Sampler Configuration EP-3020-01-S; Rev. 1

H-3-307826-1

Electronic access to these drawings is available via the AutoManager<sup>®</sup> Software Program.

## **AIR MONITOR CORP. DRAWINGS**

## **NUMBER**

Flow-Sampler Probe with Temp Installation Details; Rev. 1

W22192CA

Other drawings are provided by the vendor and are not available electronically at this time.



## **Appendix F**

### **Battelle Private Stack Sampler Systems**



## **Appendix F: Battelle Private Stack Sampler Systems**

Appendix F contains a description of the buildings, exhaust points, control technologies, and sample extraction information for Battelle Private emission points in Richland North Complex. Additionally, applicable stack sampler configuration drawings, figures, and photographs are provided for the following Battelle Private emission points:

- EP-LSLII-01-V
- EP-LSLII-02-V
- EP-RTL-10-V
- EP-RTL-11-V

# EMISSION POINT EP-LSLII-01-V

## LIFE SCIENCES LABORATORY II



Emission Point ID: EP-LSLII-01-V  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-LSLII-01-D1 (east duct)  
ESP-LSLII-01-D2 (west duct)  
Traverse Point ID: TP-LSLII-01-1 (east duct)  
TP-LSLII-01-2 (west duct)

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### FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION

The LSL-II building is occupied by staff from two PNNL directorates in addition to six technical groups of Battelle Toxicology Northwest.

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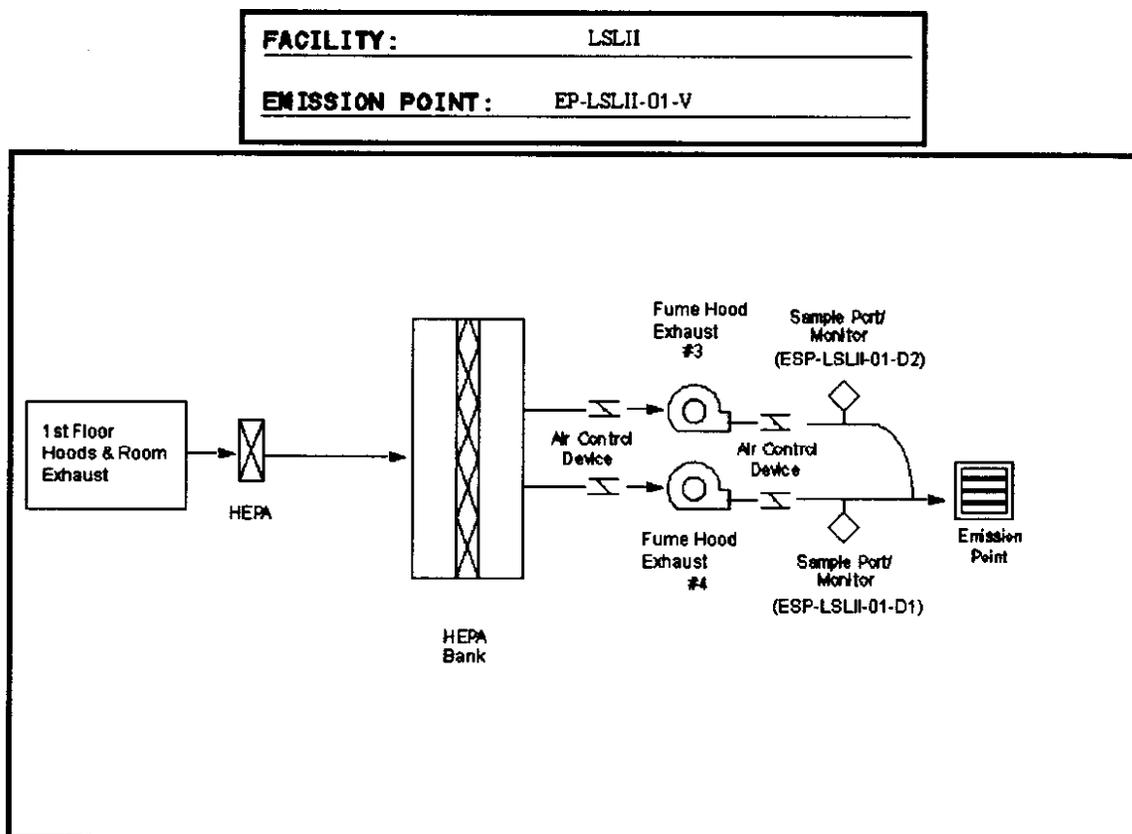
Battelle Toxicology Northwest currently has six technical groups conducting work in the building. The work supports multidisciplinary studies aimed at providing data for risk assessment of chemical exposure or mechanisms of action for toxic chemicals.

## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-LSLII-01-V is centrally located on the north end of the LSL-II Building roof. The discharge point measures 24 feet, 4.5 inches above the existing ground-level grade. Two horizontal ducts measuring 4 ft in diameter lead into two identical rectangular ducts that each measure 54 in. by 165 in. and have cross-sectional areas of 61.88 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

All exhaust gas passes through a primary and secondary HEPA filter before discharge to the environment. The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the EP-LSLII-01-V emission point:



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## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using Effluent Management Procedure

[EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following tables provide historical flow rate measurements for the east and west side ducts:

LSLII-01-1 (east duct)	
Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/08/00	17,470
07/20/01	16,800
07/23/02	16,300
07/23/03	18,200
07/22/04	21,600
07/14/05	21,100
07/19/06	20,400
07/24/07	20,300
Average $\pm$ 10%	19,000 $\pm$ 1,900

LSLII-01-2 (west duct)	
Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/08/00	22,390
07/20/01	23,400
07/23/02	20,900
07/23/03	23,200
07/22/04	24,600
07/14/05	23,800
07/19/06	22,900
07/24/07	24,100
Average $\pm$ 10%	23,100 $\pm$ 2,310

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-LSLII-01-V is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart I and American National Standards Institute (ANSI) N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing R-M-1953-1.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The EP-LSLII-01-V emission unit consists of two identical 4-ft-diameter ducts located just downstream of the two exhaust fans that vent to above the roofline north of the LSL-II penthouse, in the north-central portion of the building. Each of these systems is equipped with sample extraction probes placed in approximately the same location with respect to the fans. The sample extraction point positions do not meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement or the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct diameter placement recommendations from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

**Note:** Only one exhaust fan operates at a time.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, seven-nozzle probe is used to extract the sample from the east duct (ESP-LSLII-01-D1). Each nozzle inlet has a 0.370-in. inside diameter (ID) with a 17-degree knife-edge that expands to a 0.500-in. outside diameter. The sample nozzles make a 0.25-in. radius bend where they feed into a common sample probe manifold. The sample probe transport line extends horizontally outside the duct wall 4.25 in. and terminates at the sample filter holder. See stack sampler configuration drawing R-M-1953-1 for details.

A stainless steel, seven-nozzle probe is used to extract the sample from the west duct (ESP-LSLII-01-D2). Each nozzle inlet has a 0.370-in. inside diameter (ID) with a 10-degree knife-edge that expands to a 0.500-in. outside diameter. The sample nozzles make a 0.25-in. radius bend where they feed into a common sample probe manifold. The sample probe transport line extends horizontally outside the duct wall 10 in. and terminates at the sample filter holder. See stack sampler configuration drawing R-M-1953-1 for details.

### **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport lines are constructed of 0.370-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The sample transport lines extend outside the ducts and attach directly to the sample filter holders. The sample lines upstream of the filter holders are not insulated or heat traced since they are located inside the penthouse building where room air temperature is the same as the gas sample.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Vacuum is supplied to the sample system by the building vacuum air system located in the basement south equipment room of LSL-II. The system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

### **NUMBER**

STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-LSLII-01-V; Rev.1	R-M-1953-1
DUCTWORK SYSTEM LAYOUT NORTH PORTION – ROOF LEVEL	R-M-618-17
PARTIAL ROOF PLAN, PENTHOUSE DETAILS; Rev. 6	R-M-673-1

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# EMISSION POINT EP-LSLII-02-V

## LIFE SCIENCES LABORATORY II



Emission Point ID: EP-LSLII-02-V  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-LSLII-02-D1 (north duct)  
ESP-LSLII-02-D2 (south duct)  
Traverse Point ID: TP-LSLII-02-1 (north duct)  
TP-LSLII-02-2 (south duct)

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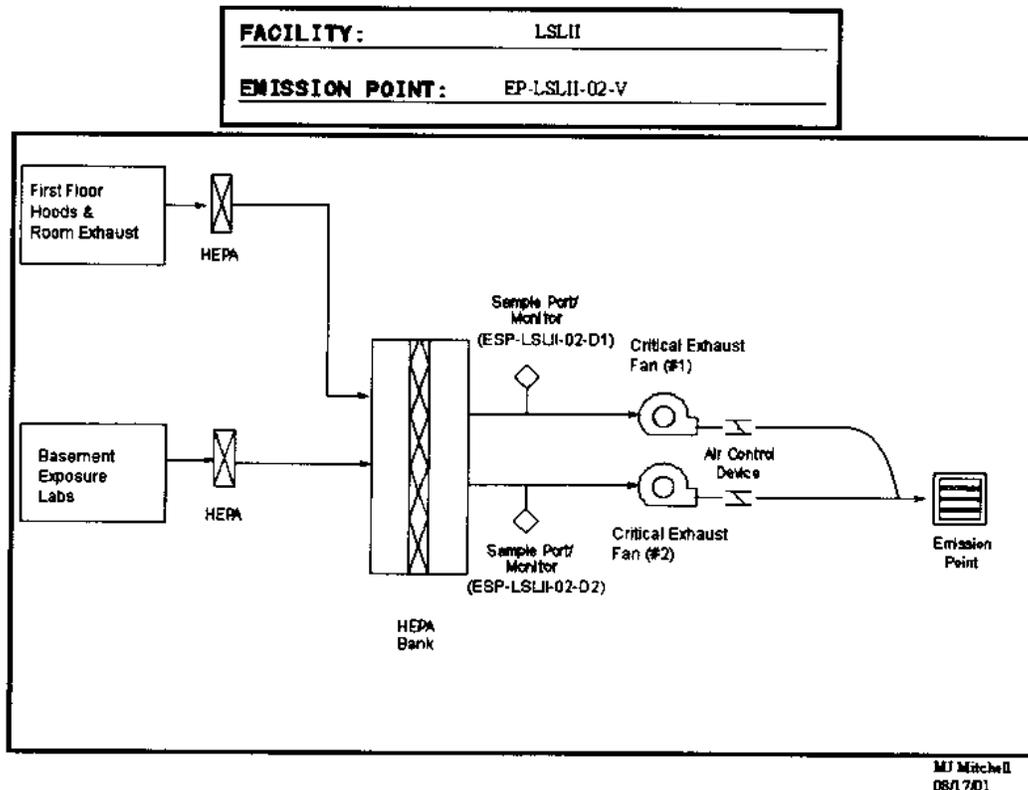
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## EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION

EP-LSLII-02-V is located on the south east corner of the LSL-II Building roof. The discharge point is level with the top of the pylon and measures 15 ft, 6 in. above the existing ground-level grade. Two horizontal ducts measuring 5 ft in diameter lead into two identical rectangular vertical ducts which each measure 36 in. by 84 in. and have cross-sectional areas of 21 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY

All exhaust gas passes through a primary and secondary HEPA filter before discharge to the environment. The following simplified drawing shows the effluent pathway and the installed control technology for the EP-LSLII-02-V emission point:



## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using Effluent Management Procedure

[EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following tables provide historical flow rate measurements for the east and west side ducts:

LSLII-02-1 (north duct)	
Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/18/00	73500
07/26/01	72300
07/31/02	64900
07/30/03	57100
07/21/04	59100
07/26/05	59500
07/19/06	59500
07/27/07	61,000
Average $\pm$ 10%	63,400 $\pm$ 6,340

LSLII-02-2 (south duct)	
Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
05/08/00	72177
07/20/01	68300
07/31/02	61600
07/23/03	51700
07/29/04	58300
07/14/05	62100
07/20/06	59700
07/24/07	57,400
Average $\pm$ 10%	61,400 $\pm$ 6,140

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-LSLII-02-V is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart I and American National Standards Institute (ANSI) N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing R-M-1953-2.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The samples are extracted from two identical 60-in.-diameter ducts just upstream of the two exhaust fans that vent to above the roofline of the LSL-II, in the south-east portion of the building. Each of these systems is equipped with a sample extraction probe placed 2 ft 4 in. upstream of the exhaust fans and 19 in. downstream of a honeycomb shaped flow straightener. The sample extraction point positions do not meet the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement or the alternative 2:0.5 (downstream: upstream) duct diameter placement recommendations from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

**Note:** Only one exhaust fan operates at a time.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, seven-nozzle probe is used to extract the sample from the north and south ducts (ESP-LSLII-02-D1 and ESP-LSLII-02-D2). Each nozzle inlet has a 0.370-in. inside diameter (ID) with a 5-degree knife-edge that expands to a 0.500-in. outside diameter. The sample nozzles make a 0.25-in.-radius bend where they feed into a common sample probe manifold. The sample probe transport line extends horizontally outside the duct wall 4.25 in. and

terminates at the sample filter holder. The sample extraction probes for the north and south duct are identical. See stack sampler configuration drawing R-M-1953-2 for details.

### **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport lines are constructed of 0.370-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The sample transport lines extend outside the ducts and attach directly to the sample filter holders. The sample lines upstream of the filter holders are not insulated or heat traced since they are located inside the basement south equipment room where room air temperature is the same as the gas sample.

### **VACUUM AIR SAMPLE SYSTEM**

Vacuum is supplied to the sample system by the building vacuum air system located in the basement south equipment room of LSL-II. The system has redundant vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power.

### **BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-LSLII-02-V; Rev.0  
PARTIAL ROOF PLAN; Rev.6

### **NUMBER**

R-M-1953-2  
R-M-673-1

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## EMISSION POINT EP-RTL-10-V

### RTL-520 RESEARCH TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY



Emission Point ID: EP-RTL-10-V  
Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-RTL-10-D  
Traverse Point ID: TP-RTL-10-1

The Research Technology Laboratory (RTL-520 Building) is located in the Richland North Complex, on the corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and George Washington Way, in the 3000 Area.

#### **FACILITY/PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

The RTL-520 Building and associated support buildings provide laboratory, office, and storage space in support of research and development activities. The building currently houses staff from three directorates that perform the following research activities:

#### **Environmental Technology Directorate (ETD)**

The Environmental Health Sciences Group performs research in chemical toxicology, health physics, dosimetry, radiological engineering, atmospheric science and modeling, and health risk assessment.

The Applied Geology and Geochemistry Group conducts research related to soil and groundwater contamination.

The Environmental Characterization and Risk Management Group works with federal and private clients to develop comprehensive environmental monitoring programs.

The Chemical and Biological Processes Development Group is conducting studies on various cleaning processes and using supporting analytical equipment to define progress.

### **Energy Science and Technology Directorate (ESTD)**

The Materials Chemistry and Surface Research Technical Group conducts R&D to develop coatings and to identify the application of coating technologies. Coating capabilities include polymer web coatings, sputtering coatings, large-optics coatings, e-beam evaporation coatings, and electrospray coatings. Other capabilities are hydrothermal powder processing and microfabrication. The microfabrication capability includes laser micromachining, electrochemical machining, and electrodeposition.

### **Fundamental Science Directorate (FSD)**

Environmental Dynamics & Simulation performs original research that is directed at understanding reactions that occur at the solid-liquid interface of geologic materials. These include interfacial reactions controlling contaminant concentrations in soils and groundwater, linked geochemical-microbiological processes such as electron transfer reactions, and isotope geochemistry.

The Chemical Structure and Dynamics Group develops advanced selective laser ionization methods for detecting metal and inorganic materials at ultra-trace levels (FUA-RTL520-R3).

### **EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION**

EP-RTL-10-V is centrally located on the east end of the RTL-520 Building roof. The discharge point measures 26 ft, 0.5 in. above the existing ground level grade. The duct is 31.9 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 5.6 ft<sup>2</sup>.

### **EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY**

All exhaust gas passes through at least one HEPA filter before discharge to the environment. Refer to Stack Sampler Configuration drawing R-M-2004-1 for details.

### **EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE**

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using Effluent Management Procedure

[EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

<b>Date Measured</b>	<b>Flow Rate (CFM)</b>
04/12/00	14,941
04/19/01	14,000
04/05/02	15,600
04/11/03	14,800
04/16/04	14,300
04/12/05	13,300
04/28/06	13,600
04/19/07	13,400
Average ± 10%	14,200 ± 1,420

## **RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-RTL-10-V is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart I and American National Standards Institute (ANSI) N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing R-M-2004-1.

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT**

The record sample probe nozzle tips are positioned in the horizontal duct 23 ft, 11.4 in. (9.01 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 5 ft, 5.38 in. (2.05 equivalent diameters) upstream from the nearest flow disturbance. The sample extraction point position meets the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

### **SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE**

A stainless steel, five-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample from the duct. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.185-in. inside diameter (ID). The five sample nozzles are tapered and feed into a common 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W36670AA, W36670BA, W36670BB, W36670BC and W36670BD.

### **SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE**

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The sample transport line extends 10 in. outside the duct and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

Stack emission samples are withdrawn from the stack and through the sample system by means of the building vacuum air sampling system located in East Service Corridor of the RTL-520 Building. This system has redundant carbon vane vacuum pumps that are powered by normal and emergency power.

**BATTELLE DRAWINGS****NUMBER**

MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN DEMOLITION PLAN; Rev.0	R-M-1947-1
MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN PLAN; Rev.2	R-M-1947-2
MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN SECTION AND DETAILS; Rev.0	R-M-1947-3
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-10-V; Rev.1	R-M-2004-1
AIR SAMPLE STATION INSTRUMENT CABINET ASSEMBLY; Rev.8	H-3-70282-1
STACK SAMPLE FILTER HOLDER INLET; Rev.1	H-3-70447-1
STACK SAMPLE FILTER HOLDER OUTLET; Rev.0	H-3-70570-1

**Historical Stack Sampler Configuration before RTL Modification (AIR 00-410)**

STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-02-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-2
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-03-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-3
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-04-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-4
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-05-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-5
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-06-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-6

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**AIR MONITOR CORPORATION DRAWINGS****NUMBER**

SAMPLR–probe THREADED NOZZLE; Rev.0	W36670AA
SAMPLR–probe TOP ASSEMBLY; Rev. 1	W36670BA
SAMPLR–probe SAMPLE MANIFOLD; Rev. 0	W36670BB
SAMPLR–probe MOUNTING PLATE & GASKET; Rev. 1	W36670BC
SAMPLR–probe RADIUSED END PLUG; Rev. 0	W36670BD

# EMISSION POINT EP-RTL-11-V

## RTL-520 Research Technology Laboratory



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Emission Sample Point ID: ESP-RTL-11-D  
Traverse Point ID: TP-RTL-11-1

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The Chemical Structure and Dynamics Group develops advanced selective laser ionization methods for detection of metal and inorganic materials at ultra trace levels (FUA-RTL520-R3).

## **EXHAUST POINT DESCRIPTION**

EP-RTL-11-V is centrally located on the west end of the RTL-520 Building roof. The discharge point measures 26 feet, 0.5 inches above the existing ground level grade. The duct is 31.9 in. in diameter and has a cross-sectional area of 5.6 ft<sup>2</sup>.

## **EXHAUST POINT CONTROL TECHNOLOGY**

All exhaust gas passes through at least one HEPA filter before discharge to the environment. Refer to Stack Sampler Configuration drawing R-M-2004-2 for details.

## EXHAUST POINT FLOW RATE

Exhaust flow rates are determined annually using Effluent Management Procedure [EMS-AIR-016](#). This procedure was developed based on the requirements in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) 40 CFR 60, Appendix A, Method 2. The following table provides historical flow rate measurements:

Date Measured	Flow Rate (CFM)
04/12/00	17,643
04/19/01	16,900
04/05/02	17,400
04/11/03	16,100
04/16/04	17,100
04/12/05	17,800
04/28/06	17,500
04/19/07	17,500
Average $\pm$ 10%	17,200 $\pm$ 1,720

## RECORD PARTICULATE SAMPLE SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The record particulate sampling system for emission point EP-RTL-11-V is operated in conformance with 40 CFR 61, Subpart H and American National Standards Institute (ANSI) N13.1 (1969) requirements. See Stack Sampler Configuration Drawing R-M-2004-2.

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION POINT

The record sample probe nozzle tips are positioned in the horizontal duct 22 ft, 11.6 in. (8.64 equivalent diameters) downstream of the nearest flow disturbance and 5 ft, 5.38 in. (2.05 equivalent diameters) upstream from the nearest flow disturbance. The sample extraction point position meets the 8:2 (downstream: upstream) duct-diameter placement recommendation from ANSI N13.1 (1969).

## SAMPLE EXTRACTION PROBE

A stainless steel, five-nozzle probe manufactured by Air Monitor Corporation is used to extract the sample from the duct. Each nozzle inlet has a 0.185-in. inside diameter (ID). The five sample nozzles are tapered and feed into a common 1.12-in.-ID manifold that extends horizontally across the center of the duct. See vendor-supplied drawings for details: W36670AA, W36670BA, W36670BB, W36670BC and W36670BD.

## SAMPLE TRANSPORT LINE

The sample transport line is constructed of 1.12-in.-ID stainless steel tubing. The sample transport line extends 8.5 in. outside the duct and terminates in a cabinet containing the collection filter, rotameter, and sample flow rate adjustment valve. The sample line upstream of

the collector is insulated, heat traced, and electrically grounded. The sample line temperature is maintained above that of the stack gas to prevent condensation from forming in the sample line.

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**BATTELLE DRAWINGS**

**NUMBER**

MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN DEMOLITION PLAN; Rev.0	R-M-1967-1
MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN PLAN; Rev.2	R-M-1967-2
MECHANICAL EXHAUST FAN SECTION AND DETAILS; Rev.0	R-M-1967-3
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-11-V; Rev.1	R-M-2004-2
AIR SAMPLE STATION INSTRUMENT CABINET ASSEMBLY; Rev.8	H-3-70282-1
STACK SAMPLE FILTER HOLDER INLET; Rev.1	H-3-70447-1
STACK SAMPLE FILTER HOLDER OUTLET; Rev.0	H-3-70570-1
<u>Historical Stack Sampler Configuration before RTL Modification (AIR 00-410)</u>	
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-01-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-1
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-07-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-7
STACK SAMPLER CONFIGURATION EP-RTL-09-S; Rev.0	R-M-1925-9

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