

# GALE 3.0

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# GALE-3.0

- GALE 3.0 currently posted as a Beta version
  - Validation and verification is complete
    - NUREG 0016 (Draft) Revision 2 Appendix A
    - NUREG 0017 (Draft) Revision 2 Appendix A
    - PNNL-XXXX (Draft) Revision 0
  - PNNL and NRC staff are resolving comments on documentation
- Work performed by PNNL for US NRC



# Purpose of Code

- GALE Code is a computerized mathematical model for calculating the releases of radioactive material in gaseous and liquid effluents (i.e., the gaseous and liquid source terms).
- The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission uses the GALE Code to determine conformance with the requirements of Appendix I to 10 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 50.
- With the nuclear power generating facilities that have been proposed for operation in the United States using new reactor core designs, a comprehensive review of the GALE code was completed to verify applicability to both the current and proposed designs.
  - Upon review, it was determined that the code was applicable to both current and future designs
  - Updates to the code to comply with recent standards and operational data were required. Hard-coded parameters were updated to reflect recent plant operations data



# Code Requirements

- Code runs on Microsoft Windows PCs
  - Graphical user interface uses standard Windows dialog boxes



# Code Requirements (cont.)

- Code output is via text file
- Microsoft Excel worksheet has been included to visualize output and to facilitate use of output data in other calculations

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BWRGE.out - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
***** GALE VERSION: GALE8 *****
***** AND-18.1 VERSION: 1986 *****

*** modification to Fixed Parameters Requested.  changes listed below ***
plant capacity factor          recommended value:  0.8000 Requested value:  0.8700

      BWR Sample
THERMAL POWER LEVEL (MEGAWATTS)      3.4000E+03
PLANT CAPACITY FACTOR                 8.7000E-01
TOTAL STEAM FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR)     3.5000E+03
MASS OF WATER IN REACTOR VESSEL (MILLION LBS)  3.8000E-01
CLEAN-UP DEMINERALIZER FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR)  1.3000E-01
CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER REGENERATION TIME (DAYS)  3.6000E+01
FRACTION FEED WATER THROUGH CONDENSATE DEMIN
REACTOR VESSEL HALOGEN CARRYOVER FACTOR  1.0000E+00
1.5000E-02

LIQUID WASTE INPUTS
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STREAM      FLOW RATE (GAL/DAY)  FRACTION OF PCA  FRACTION DISCHARGED  COLLECTION TIME (DAYS)  DECAY TIME (DAYS)  DECONTAMINATION FACTORS
I              CS              OTHERS
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HIGH PURITY WASTE  2.8640E+04  1.5000E-01  1.0000E-02  1.0000E+00  7.0000E-02  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+02  1.0000E+03
LOW PURITY WASTE  5.7000E+03  1.5000E-01  1.0000E+00  3.1000E+00  6.0000E-01  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+04  1.0000E+04
CHEMICAL WASTE   6.0000E+02  2.0000E-02  1.0000E+00  3.1000E+00  6.0000E-01  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+04  1.0000E+04
REGENERANT SOLS  1.7000E+03  1.0000E+00  9.4000E+00  4.4000E-01  1.0000E+04  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+03

GASEOUS WASTE INPUTS
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GLAND SEAL STEAM FLOW (THOUSAND LBS/HR)  0.0000E+00
GLAND SEAL HOLDUP TIME (HOURS)          0.0000E+00
AIR EJECTOR OFFGAS HOLDUP TIME (HOURS)  1.6700E-01
CONTAINMENT BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION  1.0000E-01
TURBINE BLDG PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION  1.0000E-02
TURBINE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION     1.0000E+00
GLAND SEAL VENT IODINE PF                1.0000E+00
AIR EJECTOR OFFGAS IODINE PF            0.0000E+00
AUXILIARY BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION  1.0000E+00
RADWASTE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION   1.0000E+00
RADWASTE BLDG PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION  1.0000E-02
THERE IS A CHARCOAL DELAY SYSTEM
KRYPTON HOLDUP TIME (DAYS)              2.66824E+00
XENON HOLDUP TIME (DAYS)                6.12424E+01
KRYPTON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM3/GH)  1.0500E+02
XENON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM3/GH)  2.4100E+03
MASS OF CHARCOAL (THOUSAND LBS)        4.8000E+01

      BWR Sample
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NUCLIDE      COOLANT CONC. (MICROCURI-ES/G)  CONTAINMENT BLDG.  TURBINE BLDG.  AUXILIARY BLDG.  GASEOUS RELEASE RATE (CURIES PER YEAR)  RADWASTE BLDG.  GLAND SEAL  AIR EJECTOR  MECH VAC PUMP  TOTAL
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I-131        1.06139E-03  4.64851E-04  7.00361E-02  1.31365E-02  6.27549E-03  0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  4.53189E-02  1.35232E-01  1.133
7.49816E-03  3.28301E-03  4.34766E-03  9.28019E-02  4.41529E-02  0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  2.99696E-01  9.34834E-01

H-3 RELEASED FROM TURBINE BLDG. VENTILATION SYSTEM  2.6000E+01
H-3 RELEASED FROM CONTAINMENT BLDG. VENTILATION SYSTEM  2.6000E+01
TOTAL H-3 RELEASED VIA GASEOUS PATHWAY  1.2000E+01
C-14 RELEASED VIA MAIN CONDENSER OFFGAS SYSTEM  1.03313E+01 CI/YR

      BWR Sample
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NUCLIDE      COOLANT CONC. (MICROCURI-ES/G)  CONTAINMENT BLDG.  TURBINE BLDG.  AUXILIARY BLDG.  GASEOUS RELEASE RATE (CURIES PER YEAR)  RADWASTE BLDG.  GLAND SEAL  AIR EJECTOR  MECH VAC PUMP  TOTAL
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The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet titled "BWR GALE Output 3.0.xls". The main content is a table with columns labeled B through S. The first few rows contain the text "GALE 3.0". Below this, there are sections for "BWR Output", "Gaseous Effluent Output", and "Liquid Effluent Output". Each section has a "Read" button and a "Data" button. A photograph of a nuclear power plant is embedded in the spreadsheet. The bottom of the spreadsheet shows a "Read Output" button and a list of parameters: "Nobel Gas", "Iodine (aas)", "Particulates (aas)", "Tritium and Others (aas)", "Liquid".



# GALE-3.0 Features

- Specific Features
  - Ability to save input information and read previously set up input
  - Ability to read legacy input files from GALE
  - Built-in calculators to combine liquid waste from various sources
  - Built-in calculators to calculate liquid waste collection, processing, and discharge times
- Microsoft Excel worksheet has been included to:
  - Visualize output of gaseous isotopes by building and select components
  - Facilitate use of output data in other calculations
    - Liquid effluents read into Liquid tab



# History of Code Development

- Code originally developed by NRC staff
  - GALE-86
  - Documented by NUREG-0016 (BWR) and NUREG-0017 (PWR)
- Code Development moved to PNNL in 2008
- Several internal versions were released with no NUREG-series documentation
  - GALE-08
    - Built in nuclide concentrations from ANS-18.1 were updated to those in latest (1999) standard
    - Recommended parameters from ANS-55.6 and Regulatory Guide 1.140 were updated to values from current versions
  - GALE-09
    - A review of recent reactor operational experience was performed and recommendations for updates to the GALE source codes and their user guidance were made.

# History of Code Development (cont.)

- GALE-2.0 (beta version with draft NUREG series documentation)
  - Code results are identical to GALE-09
  - Graphical user interface was added to facilitate user interaction
  - Excel worksheet was included to help visualize results
  - Code benchmarking was performed to validate GALE-2.0 (beta) results to recent reactor experience
- GALE-3.0 (beta version)
  - NUREG-0016 Revision 2 and NUREG-0017 Revision 2 currently under review
  - PNNL GALE Code Verification document currently under review
  - Technical change to add PWRGE I-132, I-134, and I-135 consistent with I-131 and I-133.
  - General modification requests completed to GUI, code, and excel files.
  - Verification of GALE 3.0 source changes to GALE 86 source of NUREG-0016 Revision 1 and NUREG-0017 Revision 1.



# Code Development Process

- Series of Sequential versions of GALE-BWR and GALE-PWR were prepared in the update efforts to:
  - Provide means for NRC to evaluate the implications of each of the updates
  - Provide high level of traceability back to the previous version of the code.
- GALE 3.0 is being released to update GALE 86
  - GALE-BWR 3.0 as an update to GALE-BWR 86 NUREG-0016 Revision 1
    - Boiling Water Reactor Gaseous Effluent module BWRGE-86
    - Boiling Water Reactor Liquid Effluent module BWRLE-86
  - GALE-PWR 3.0 as an update to GALE-PWR 86 NUREG-0017 Revision 1
    - Pressurized Water Reactor Gaseous Effluent module PWRGE-86
    - Pressurized Water Reactor Liquid Effluent module PWRLE-86



# GALE-BWR Development Sequence

Version Name	Model Names	ANSI/ANS-18.1 Version	Update Type
GALE-BWR 86 (GALE86)	BWRLE86 BWRGE86	1984	Starting Version for conducting updates (NUREG-0016, Revision 1)
GALE-BWR 08 (GALE08)	BWRLE86 BWRGE86	1999	Hard-coded parameters updated to conform to ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 and ANSI/ANS-55.6.1993 (reaffirmed May 2007)
GALE-BWR 09 (GALE86)	BWRLE09 BWRGE09	1999	GALE-BWR 08 with hard-coded parameters updated based on recent plant operation (PNNL-18150 and PNNL-18957)
GALE-BWR 2.0 (GALE 2.0)	BWRLE09 BWRGE09	1999	GALE-BWR 09 updated with a graphical user interface (GUI) to facilitate easier input and operation and incorporation into the NRC's Radiation Protection Computer Code Analysis and Maintenance Program (RAMP).
GALE-BWR 3.0 (GALE 3.0)	BWRLE86 BWRGE86 BWRLE09 BWRGE09	1984 1999 2016	GALE-BWR 3.0 code is updated with additional GUI options for the user to select the source term (ANSI/ANS-18.1 version), GALE version (GALE86 or GALE09) and to allow the user to modify selected GALE fixed modeling parameters.



# GALE-BWR 08 Development Detail

Change #	GALE-BWR 08 Changes in Detail
1	The concentrations of radionuclides in the reactor coolant from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 5 were changed for the following radionuclides: Na-24, P-32, Cr-51, Mn-54, Mn-56, Fe-55, Fe-59, Co-58, Co-60, Ni-63, Cu-64, Zn-65.
2	The concentrations of radionuclides in the reactor steam from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 5 were changed for the following radionuclides: I-131, I-132, I-133, I-134, I-135, Na-24, P-32, Cr-51, Mn-54, Mn-56, Fe-55, Fe-59, Co-58, Co-60, Ni-63, Cu-64 and Zn-65.
3	The values for NS and $R_n$ from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 8 have changed for Class 2 radionuclides.
4	The adjustment factor of 1.0E+01 was added from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 10 for Zn-65.
5	The values used for Class 1 and Class 2 radionuclides in GALE-BWR 86 were not consistent with the values found in ANSI/ANS-18.1-1984 Table 5. The values for the Class 1 and Class 2 radionuclides were updated to be consistent with ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 5.
6	The values used for the variable $R_n$ in GALE-BWR 86 for Class 2 and Class 6 radionuclides were updated to be consistent with ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 8.

# GALE-BWR 09 Development Detail

Change #	GALE-BWR 09 Changes in Detail
1	Plant capacity factor was increased from 8.0E-01 to 9.0E-01 (80 to 90 percent).
2	Radioiodine release rates from various buildings during normal operations were increased by multiplying by 1.125E+00.
3	Radioiodine release rates from various buildings during extended shutdown were decreased by multiplying by 5.0E-01.
4	Carbon-14 release rate was decreased from 9.5E+00 Ci/yr to 1.07E+01 Ci/yr.
5	Unexpected release rate was decreased from 1.0E-01 Ci/yr to 1.4E-02 Ci/yr.

# GALE-BWR 2.0 Development Detail

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1	Primary purpose the addition of a Graphical User Interface. Updates to GALE-BWR 2.0 source code did not involve changes in the model formulations. The source code had exactly the same formulation as the previous versions with differences in the outputs reflecting only the standards and operation-derived changes in hard-coded parameter values.
2	For operation in an interactive modeling environment, input/output routines were added for implantation of GALE-BWR 2.0 into future codes. These updates also enable direct linkage of the GALE-BWR 2.0 code results to models such as NRC Dose.
3	PNNL Developed a GALE software quality assurance plan (PNNL-24249).
4	PNNL developed a GALE code configuration management plan (PNNL-24250).
5	Determination made that GALE conforms to the Level 2 requirements of NUREG/BR-0167, Software Quality Assurance Program and Guidelines.



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1	Increased functionality to allow user to select GALE version 86 or 09 and the ANSI/ANS-18.1 version 1984, 1999, 2016.
2	Increased functionality to allow user to modify GALE-BWR fixed modeling parameters used to calculate the gaseous and liquid effluent.
3	Default GALE-BWR module set to GALE-86 (User selectable 86 or 09)
4	Default GALE-BWR ANSI/ANS-18.1 to 1984 (User selectable 1984, 1999 or 2016).



# GALE-PWR Development Sequence

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# GALE-PWR 08 Development Detail

Change #	GALE-PWR 08 Changes in Detail
1	The concentrations of radionuclides in the reactor coolant from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Tables 6 and 7 were changed for the following radionuclides: Kr-85m, Kr-87, Kr-88, Xe-133, Xe-135, Xe-138, I-131, I-132, I-133, I-134, I-135, Cs-134, and Cs-137.
2	The concentrations of radionuclides in the secondary coolant water from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 6 were changed for the following radionuclides: I-131, I-132, I-133, I-134, I-135, Cs-134, Cs-137, and Y-93.
3	The concentrations of radionuclides in the secondary coolant steam from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 6 were changed for the following radionuclides: Kr-85m, Kr-87, Kr-88, Xe-133, Xe-135, Xe-138, I-131, I-132, I-133, I-134, I-135, Cs-134, Cs-137, and Sr-90.
4	The concentrations of radionuclides in the secondary coolant steam from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 6 were changed for the following radionuclides: Kr-87m, Kr-88, Xe-133, Xe-138, I-131, I-132, I-133, I-134, I-135, Cs-134, and Cs-137
5	Adjustment factors of 1.0E+01 were added from ANSI/ANS-18.1-1999 Table 11 for PWRs with U-tube steam generators for the following radionuclides: Zn-65 and Co-58.

# GALE-PWR 09 Development Detail

Change #	GALE-PWR 09 Changes in Detail
1	Plant capacity factor was increased from 8.0E-01 to 9.0E-01 (80 to 90 percent).
2	Tritium release rate was decreased from 4.0E-01 Ci/yr/MWt to 2.7E-01 Ci/yr/MWt
3	Argon-41 release rate was decreased from 3.4E+01 Ci/yr to 6.0E+00 Ci/yr
4	Carbon-14 release rate was decreased from 7.3E+00 Ci/yr to 5.9E+00 Ci/yr.
5	Unexpected release rate was decreased from 1.6E-01 Ci/yr to 1.6E-04 Ci/yr.
6	Condensate demineralizer DF for "Other Radionuclides" was changed from 5.0E+01 to 1.0E+01



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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Development Detail

Change #	GALE-PWR 3.0 Changes in Detail
1	Technical change to add iodine isotopes I-132, I-134, and I-135 to the PWRGE code assuming the primary and secondary coolant activities given in the appropriate ANSI-18.1 tables. The decay constants for these isotopes were taken from the Isotope Generation and Depletion Code (ORIGEN) database in the PWRLE code. The release relative to the primary coolant activities from various buildings was assumed to be the same for all iodine isotopes consistent with the previous treatment of I-131 and I-133.
2	Increased functionality to allow user to select GALE version 86 or 09 and the ANSI/ANS-18.1 version 1984, 1999, 2016.
3	Increased functionality to allow user to modify GALE-PWR fixed modeling parameters used to calculate the gaseous and liquid effluent.
4	Default GALE-PWR module set to GALE-86 (User selectable 86 or 09)
5	Default GALE-PWR ANSI/ANS-18.1 to 1984 (User selectable 1984, 1999 or 2016).

# GALE-3.0 Validation

- No overall code validation was performed on GALE86 (NUREG-0017 Rev. 1 and NUREG-0016 Rev. 1). The only validation that was performed was on the individual models and parameters that are used within GALE.
- For GALE-3.0, two types of validation have been performed.
  - Individual model parameters.
    - This validation is shown in NUREG-0016, Revision 2, Appendix A for GALE-BWR 3.0 and in NUREG-0017, Revision 2, Appendix A for GALE-PWR 3.0.
    - In these appendices, discussions are provided for the basis of each parameter selection. In many cases, recent data is shown to support the parameter selection.
  - Overall code prediction.
    - This validation is shown in NUREG-0016, Revision 2, Section 4.0 for GALE-BWR 3.0 and in NUREG-0017, Revision 2, Section 4.0 for GALE-PWR 3.0.
    - In these sections, the GALE-3.0 predictions of selected radionuclides in the gaseous and liquid effluents were compared to the measured effluents from selected nuclear power plant in recent years.

# GALE-3.0 Validation (cont.)

- The result of the validation that is shown in these technical basis documents is a measure of the applicability of the parameters in GALE-3.0 (beta) to current reactor operation as well as the applicability of the overall GALE-3.0 (beta) predictions to effluent release from operating reactors.



# GALE-3.0 Verification

- Verification of GALE-3.0 was performed to ensure:
  - All updates since GALE-86 have been properly coded and result in expected changes to the output
  - The Graphical User Interface correctly takes values from the Windows interface to the appropriate GALE subroutines
- Verification was documented and sent to NRC Office of Research



# Basics of Reactor Cleanup Systems

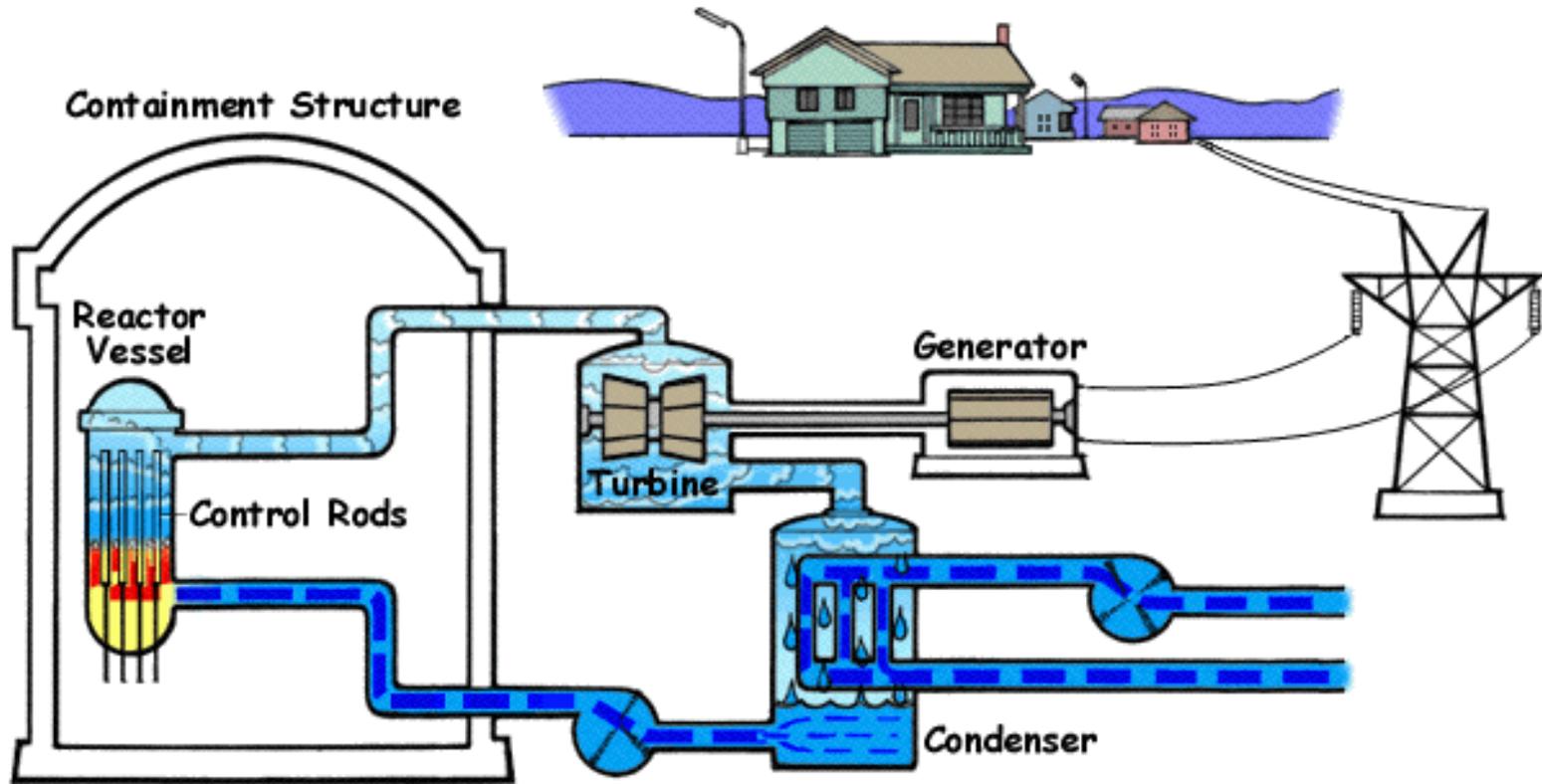


# Introduction

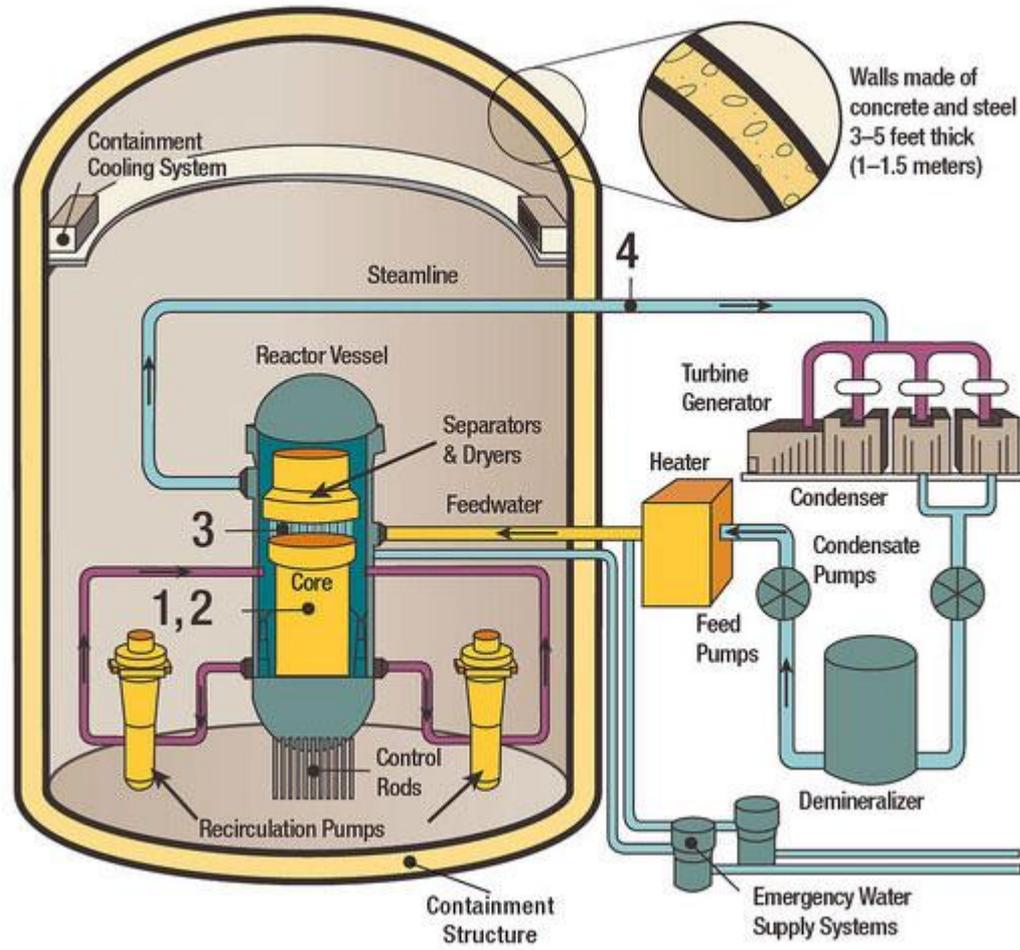
- BWR
- PWR



# Boiling Water Reactor



# Boiling Water Reactor



# Boiling Water Reactor: Liquid Waste Streams

- High Purity Waste
  - Liquid of low electrical conductivity
  - Equipment drains from
    - Drywell
    - Reactor building
    - Turbine building
    - Radwaste building
    - Auxiliary building
    - Fuel pool building
  - Ultrasonic resin cleaner overheads
  - Resin backwash
  - Transfer water
  - Filter backwash
  - Phase separator decant liquid
  - Radwaste evaporator condensate



# Boiling Water Reactor: Liquid Waste Streams (cont.)

- Low Purity Waste
  - Liquid of moderate to high electrical conductivity
  - Floor drains from
    - Drywell
    - Reactor building
    - Turbine building
    - Radwaste building
    - Fuel pool building
  - Uncollected valve and pump seal leakoffs
  - Water resulting from dewatering of slurry wastes



# Boiling Water Reactor: Liquid Waste Streams (cont.)

- Chemical Waste
  - Liquid of high conductivity and high total solids content
  - Laboratory drains
  - Non-detergent chemical decontamination wastes
- Regenerant Solutions Waste
  - Regenerant solution from ion exchange columns (condensate polishers)



# Boiling Water Reactor: Buildings

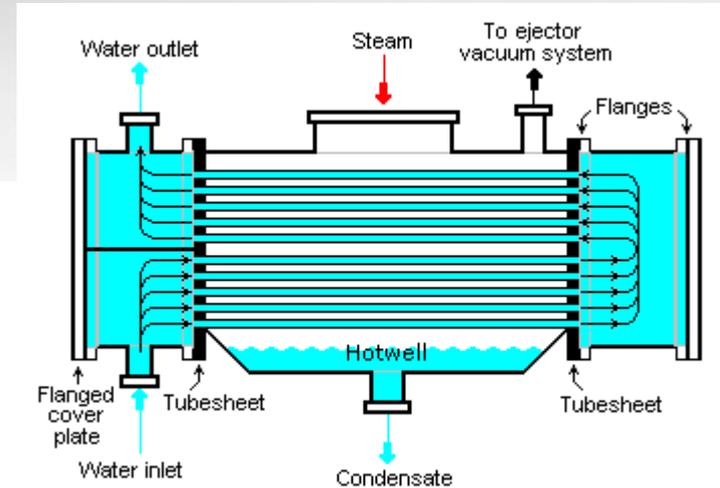
- Containment Building or Reactor Building
  - A building designed to sustain pressures of about 50 psi. Normally houses the reactor and the related cooling system that contains highly radioactive fluids. Building is of steel construction. Sometimes the building is surrounded by a concrete structure that is designed for much lower pressures (3 psi). The area between the steel and concrete building is called the annulus. In BWRs, the drywell is located in this building.
- Auxiliary Building
  - A building separate from the containment that houses much of the support equipment that may contain radioactive liquids and gases. Emergency equipment is also normally located in this building.
- Radwaste Building
  - A building that houses various systems provided to process liquid, solid and gaseous radioactive wastes generated by the plant.
- Turbine Building
  - A building that houses the turbine, generator, condenser, condensate and feedwater systems.



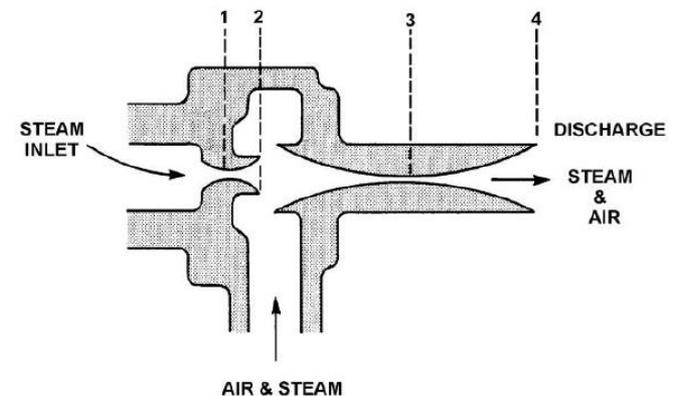
# Boiling Water Reactor: Turbine Systems

Two special auxiliary systems that are potential sources of effluents are:

- Air Ejector
  - Passes steam through a series of nozzles and creates a vacuum that removes air from the condenser
- Turbine Gland Seal System
  - Gland seal steam is used to seal the main turbine by passing high pressure steam over a series of ridges and evacuating the steam when it reaches a low pressure.

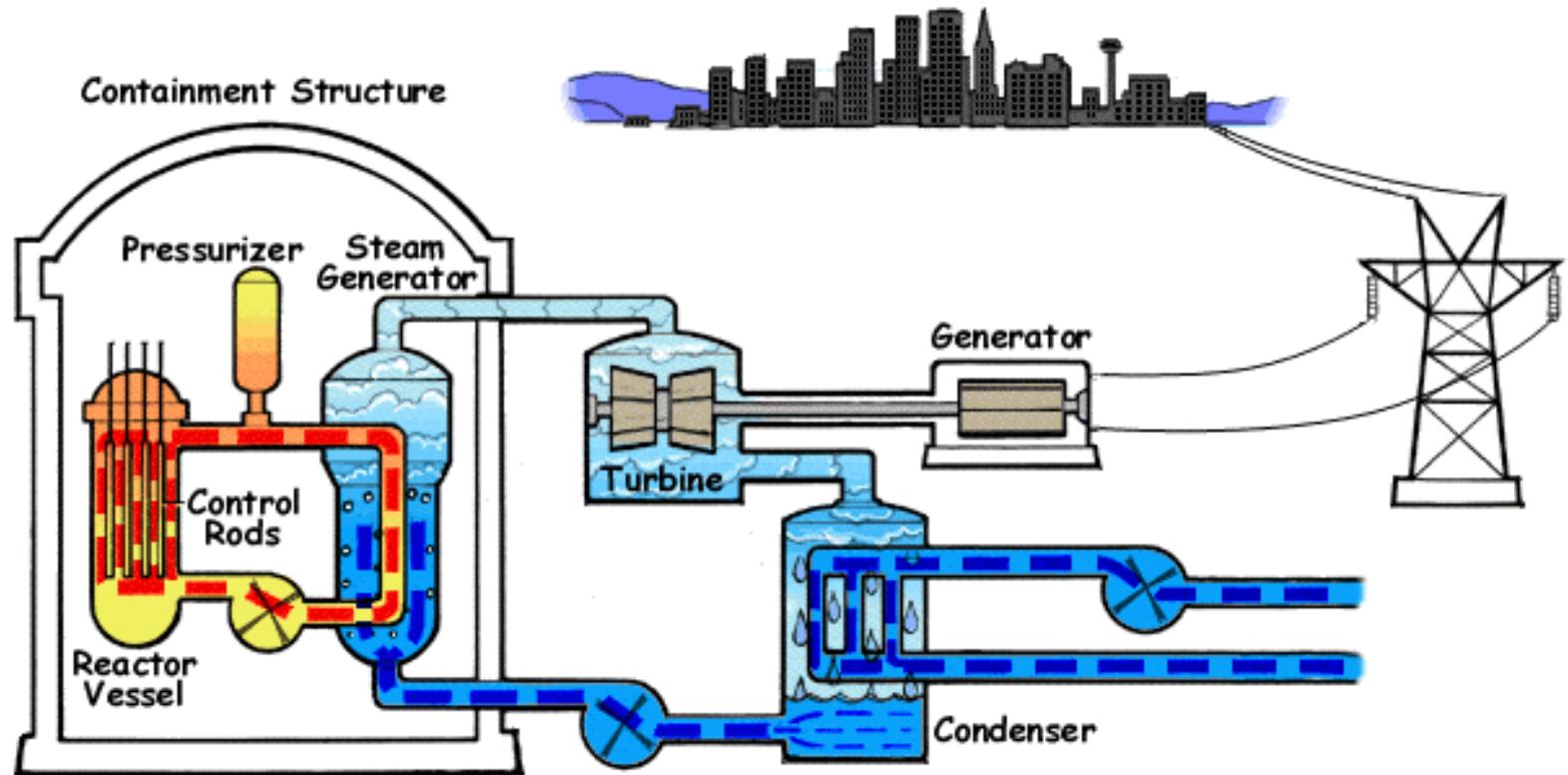


**Condenser**

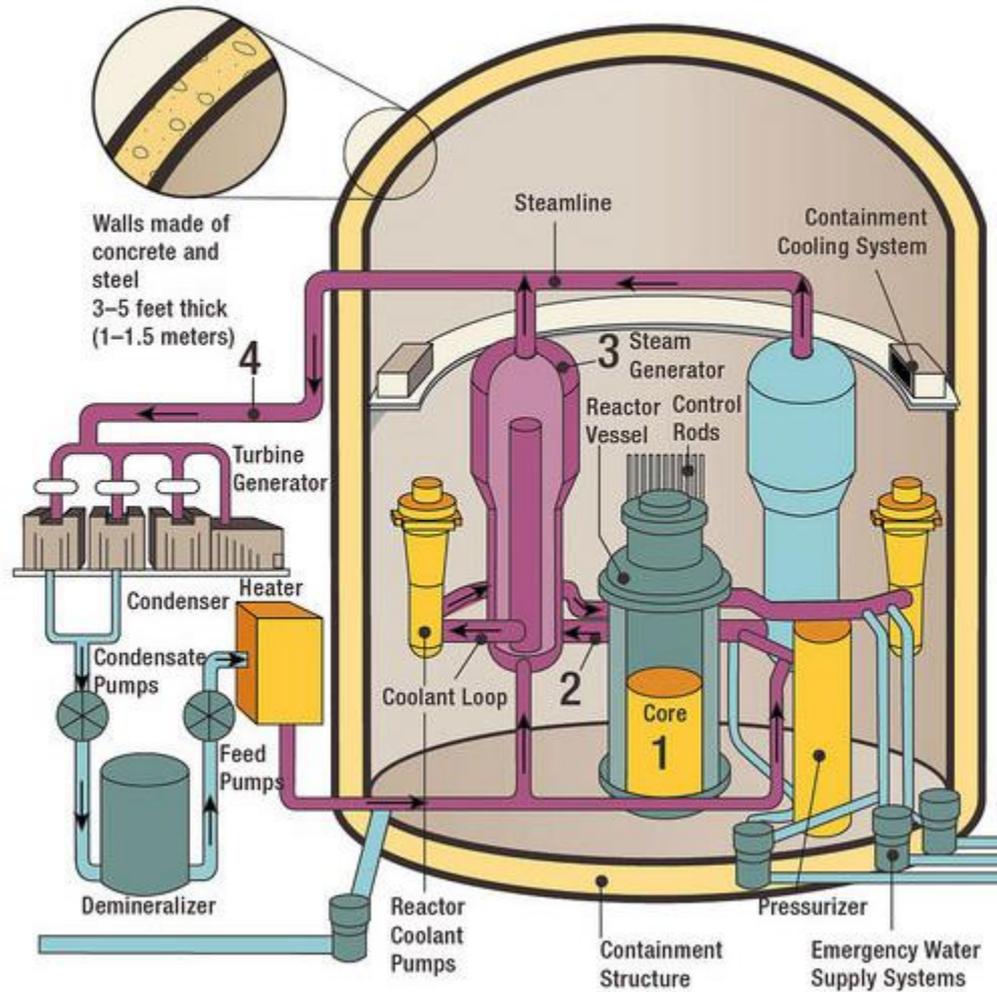


**STEAM-JET AIR EJECTOR**

# Pressurized Water Reactor

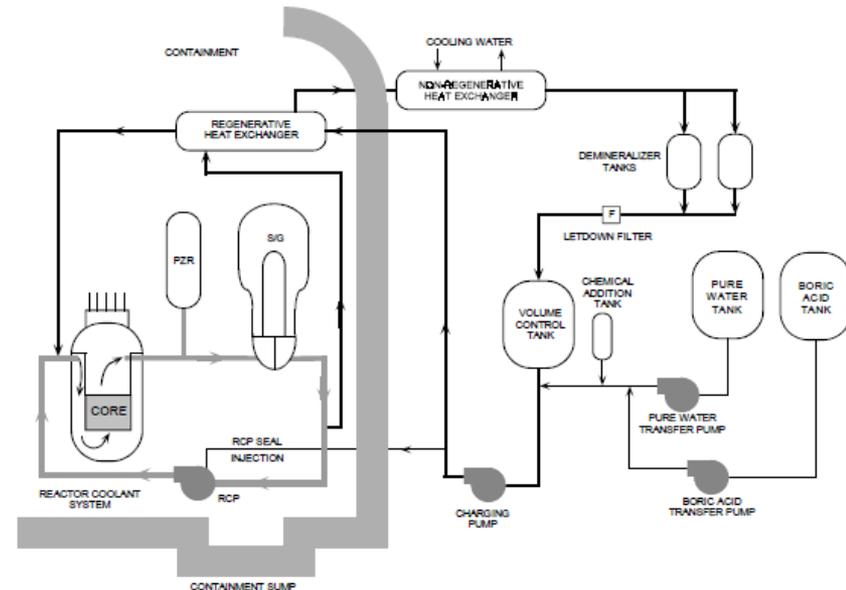


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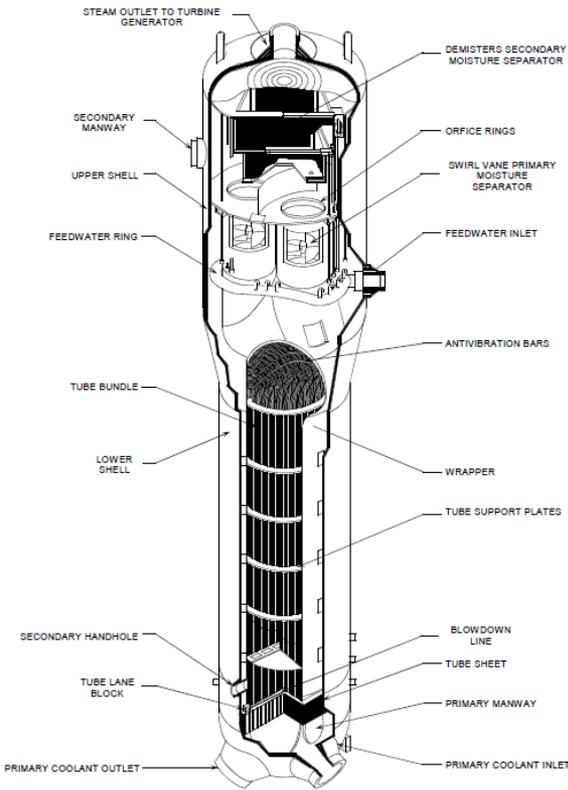


# Pressurized Water Reactor: Letdown

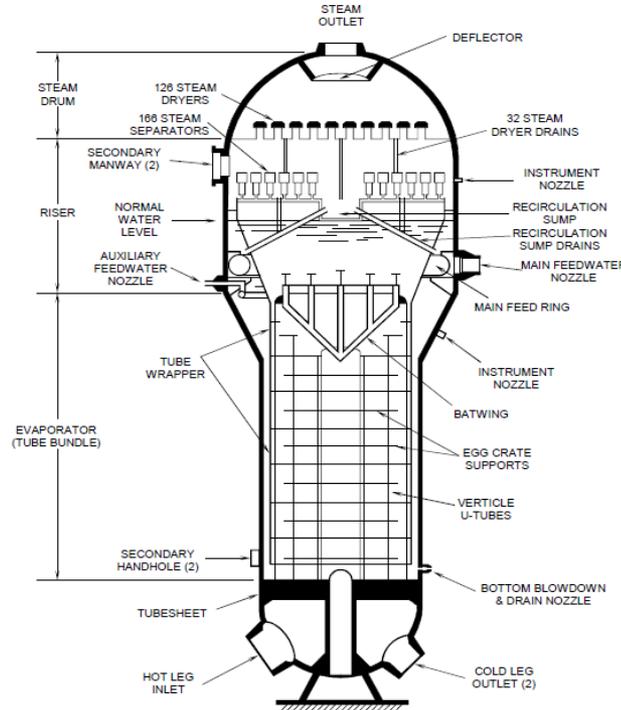
- The chemical and volume control system (CVCS) is a major support system for the reactor coolant system. Some of the functions of the system are to:
  - Purify the reactor coolant system using filters and demineralizers
  - Add and remove boron as necessary
  - Maintain the level of the pressurizer at desired setpoint.
- A small amount of water (about 75 gpm) is continuously routed through the chemical and volume control system (called letdown). This provides a continuous cleanup of the reactor coolant system which maintains the purity of the coolant and helps to minimize the amount of radioactive material in the coolant.



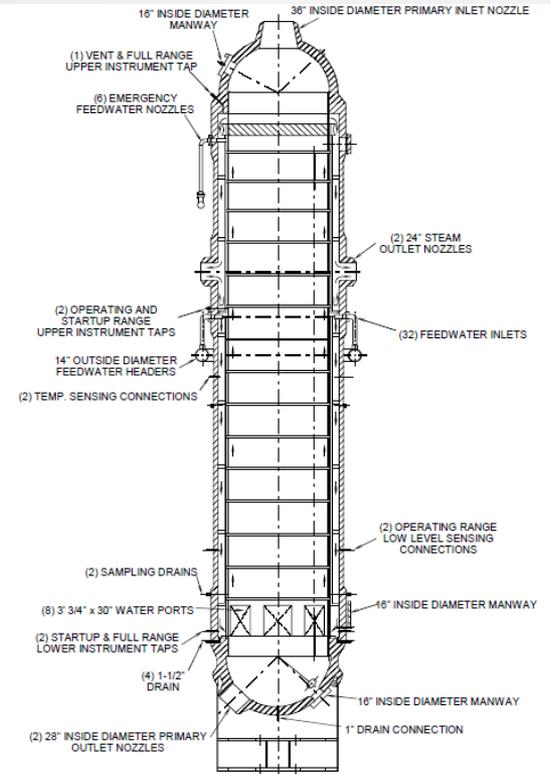
# Pressurized Water Reactor: Steam Generator



Cutaway View of A Westinghouse Steam Generator



Cutaway View of a Combustion Engineering Steam Generator



Cutaway View of a Babcock & Wilcox Once Through Steam Generator

# Pressurized Water Reactor: Steam Generator – U-Tube

- In the Westinghouse and Combustion Engineering designs, the steam/water mixture passes through multiple stages of moisture separation. One stage causes the mixture to spin, which slings the water to the outside. The water is then drained back to be used to make more steam. The drier steam is routed to the second stage of separation. In this stage, the mixture is forced to make rapid changes in direction. Because of the steam's ability to change direction and the water's inability to change, the steam exits the steam generator, and the water is drained back for reuse. The two stage process of moisture removal is so efficient at removing the water that for every 100 pounds of steam that exits the steam generator, the water content is less than 0.25 pounds. It is important to maintain the moisture content of the steam as low as possible to prevent damage to the turbine blading.

# Pressurized Water Reactor: Steam Generator – Blowdown

- **Steam Generator blowdown** is water intentionally discharged from the steam generator to avoid concentration of impurities during continuing evaporation of steam.

# Pressurized Water Reactor: Steam Generator – Once Through

- The Babcock & Wilcox design uses a once through steam generator. In this design, the flow of primary coolant is from the top of the steam generator to the bottom, instead of through U-shaped tubes as in the Westinghouse and Combustion Engineering designs. Because of the heat transfer achieved by this design, the steam that exits the once through steam generator contains no moisture. This is done by heating the steam above the boiling point, or superheating.

# Pressurized Water Reactor: Liquid Waste Streams

- Shim Bleed – Controls reactivity by bleeding out borated water
- Equipment Drain Waste
  - Equipment drains from
    - Drywell
    - Reactor building
    - Turbine building
    - Radwaste building
    - Auxiliary building
    - Fuel pool building
- Clean Waste
  - Normally tritiated, nonaerated, low-conductivity liquids consisting primarily of liquid waste collected from equipment leaks and drains and certain valve and pump seal leakoffs. These liquids originate from systems containing primary coolant and are normally reused as primary coolant makeup



# Pressurized Water Reactor: Liquid Waste Streams (cont.)

- Dirty Waste
  - Normally nontritiated, aerated, high-conductivity, nonprimary-coolant quality liquids collected from building sumps and floor and sample station drains. These liquids are not readily amenable for reuse as primary coolant makeup water.
- Blowdown Waste
- Regenerant Waste
  - Regenerant solution from ion exchange columns (condensate polishers)



# Pressurized Water Reactor: Buildings

- Containment or Drywell Building
  - A building designed to sustain pressures of about 50 pounds per square inch. Normally houses the reactor and the related cooling system that contains highly radioactive fluids. Building is of steel construction. Sometimes the building is surrounded by a concrete structure that is designed for much lower pressures (3 pounds per square inch). The area between the steel and concrete building is called the annulus.
- Auxiliary or Reactor Support Building
  - A building separate from the containment that houses much of the support equipment that may contain radioactive liquids and gases. Emergency equipment is also normally located in this building.

# Pressurized Water Reactor: Buildings (cont.)

- Turbine Building
  - A building that houses the turbine, generator, condenser, condensate and feedwater systems. Some PWRs in the United States have a structure without the traditional roof and wall structure.
- Fuel Handling Building
  - A building separate from the containment that is used to spent fuel assemblies in steel racks in a large 40 foot deep storage pool. Casks for shipping or onsite dry storage of spent fuel assemblies will be loaded (or unloaded in this pool). A new fuel storage area is provided for receipt of new assemblies and storage prior to going into the containment and subsequently into the reactor during a refueling.



# Pressurized Water Reactor

- Gas stripping
  - Goes with letdown
- Blowdown tanks vent
  - Goes with steam generator
- Air ejector
  - Passes steam through a series of nozzles and creates a vacuum that removes air from the condenser



# GALE 3.0 (beta) Getting Started

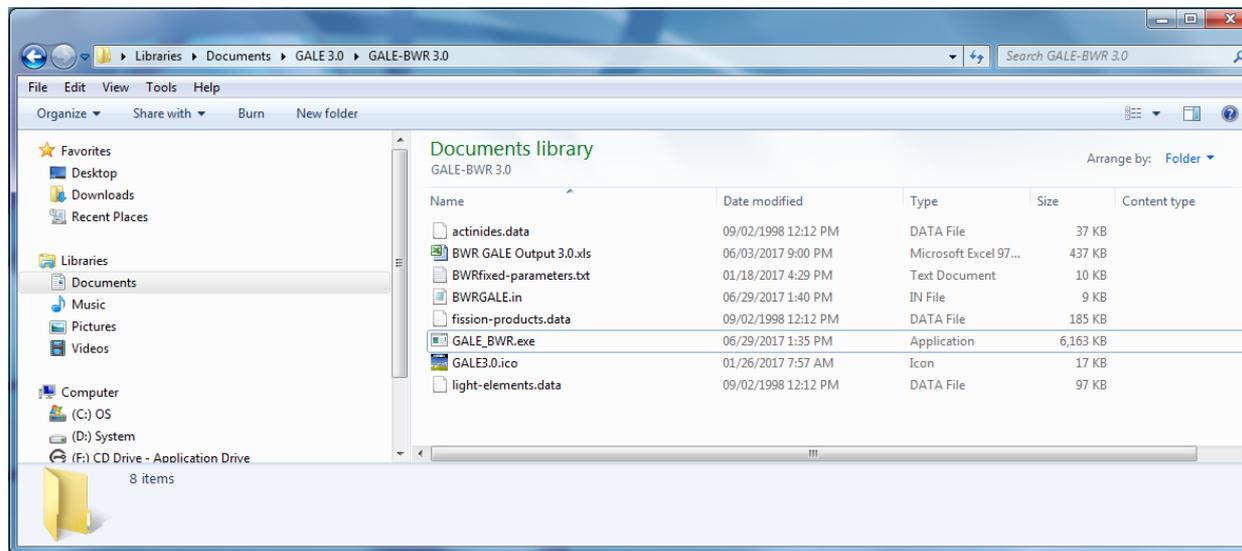


# GALE 3.0 Code Package

- The GALE 3.0 Software Package Consists of:
  - **GALE\_BWR.exe**: GALE 3.0 executable for boiling water reactors (BWRs)
  - **GALE\_PWR.exe**: GALE 3.0 executable for pressurized water reactors (PWRs)
  - **actinides.data**: data file needed for liquid effluent runs
  - **fission-products.data**: data file needed for liquid effluent runs
  - **light-elements.data**: data file needed for liquid effluent runs
  - **BWRGALE.in**: sample input for gaseous and liquid effluents from BWRs
  - **PWRGALE.in**: sample input for gaseous and liquid effluents from PWRs
  - **BWR GALE Output 3.0.xls**: Excel file to read and display GALE output from BWRs
  - **PWR GALE Output 3.0.xls**: Excel file to read and display GALE output from PWRs

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Installation

- Create a working directory and install the code package files
- The working directory should contain the 3 data files, and an existing input file if starting from a previous GALE 3.0 run. Otherwise the program will set up and save the input file. This working directory may also contain the spreadsheet for output visualization. The fixed-parameters file is optional.



# GALE 3.0 Fixed Parameters File

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Fixed Parameters File

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BWRfixed-parameters.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
$user
!3.1 Plant Capacity Factor (GE and LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.2 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
PF_user=0.8 !Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)
!3.2 Radionuclide Concentrations in the Reactor Coolant and Main Steam (GE and LE)
! GE noble gas concentrations in reactor main steam (micro curies/g)
! values from Table 5 of ANSI/ANS-18.1-1984 (GALE86 Code)
xb_user(1)=0.0000E+00 ! AR-41
xb_user(2)=5.9000E-04 ! KR-83M
xb_user(3)=1.0000E-03 ! KR-85M
xb_user(4)=4.0000E-06 ! KR-85
xb_user(5)=3.3000E-03 ! KR-87
xb_user(6)=3.3000E-03 ! KR-88
xb_user(7)=2.1000E-02 ! KR-89
xb_user(8)=3.3000E-06 ! XE-131M
xb_user(9)=4.9000E-05 ! XE-133M
xb_user(10)=1.4000E-03 ! XE-133
xb_user(11)=4.4000E-03 ! XE-135M
xb_user(12)=3.8000E-03 ! XE-135
xb_user(13)=2.6000E-02 ! XE-137
xb_user(14)=1.5000E-02 ! XE-138
! GE noble gas concentrations in reactor water (micro curies/g)
CBWR_user(1) =2.2000E-03 ! I-131
CBWR_user(2) =1.5000E-02 ! I-133
! LE Radionuclide concentrations in reactor water (micro curies/g)

!3.10 Tritium Releases (GE and LE)
! Values from Section 2.2.15 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
H3PCA_user=0.01 !Tritium activity in primary coolant (microcuries/g)
H3rel_user=0.03 !Total tritium release (Ci/yr/Mwth)
H3liq_user=0.5 !Fraction of tritium released through liquid pathway (remainder released through gaseous pathway)
H3tbb_user=0.5 !Fraction of gaseous tritium released from turbine bldg. (remainder released from containment building)

!3.11 Argon-41 Releases (GE)
! Values from Section 2.2.23 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
XXARnorn_user=6.4 !Ar-41 dynamic adsorption coefficient for ambient temperature systems
XXARchl11_user=16.0 !Ar-41 dynamic adsorption coefficient for chilled temperature systems

!3.12 Carbon-14 Releases (GE)
! Value from Section 2.2.22 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
C14_user=9.5 !ci/yr

!3.13 Source Term Adjustments for Anticipated Operational Occurrences (LE)
! Values from Section 2.2.20 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
a0Fixed_user=0.1 !adjustment is made to liquid radwaste source terms to account for A00 (Ci/yr)
$end
  
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# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Introductory Screen



# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Introductory Screen Selecting GALE and ANS 18.1 Version

The screenshot shows the GALE 3.0 introductory screen. The window title is "BWR GALE-3.0". On the left is a large image of a nuclear power plant with the text "GALE 3.0" overlaid. On the right is a configuration panel. The "Input File Name" is "BWRGALE.in". Under "Type of Analysis", "Gas" and "Liquid" are checked. The "GALE Version" dropdown is set to "GALE86" and the "ANS 18.1 Version" dropdown is set to "1984". Under "Output Files", "Gas" is "GALE09" and "Liquid" is "BWRLE.out". There is a "Legacy Input" section with a "Read Legacy Input" checkbox and fields for "Gas Input", "Gas Output", "Liquid Input", and "Liquid Output", all containing "BWRGE09.inp" or "BWRLE09.out". At the bottom are "OK" and "Cancel" buttons.

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# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 General Reactor Parameters Window

General Reactor Parameters

Name of Reactor	<input type="text" value="BWR Sample"/>
Thermal Power Level	<input type="text" value="3400"/> MW(th)
Total Steam Flow	<input type="text" value="15"/> million lb/hr
Mass of Water in Reactor Vessel	<input type="text" value="0.38"/> million lb
Cleanup Demineralizer Flow	<input type="text" value="0.13"/> million lbs/hr
Condensate demineralizer regeneration time	<input type="text" value="56"/> days
Copper Tubing for Condenser?	<input type="text" value="No"/>
Fraction of feedwater through condensate demineralizers	<input type="text" value="1.0"/> fraction

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 High Purity Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | Low Purity Waste | Chemical Waste | Regenerant Solutions Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream

Flow Rate:  gal/day

Activity of Inlet Stream:  fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF:

Cs and Rb DF:

Other DF:

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing:  days

Waste processing and discharge times:  days

Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing:

Calculate

Save Cancel

High Purity Waste: low electrical conductivity

Equipment drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Drywell	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Reactor Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Turbine Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Radwaste Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Auxiliary Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Fuel Pool Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Ultrasonic resin cleaner overheads	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Resin backwash	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Transfer water	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Filter backwash	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Phase separator decant liquid	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Radwaste evaporator condensate	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 High Purity Waste Window and Calculator (cont.)

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | Low Purity Waste | Chemical Waste | Regenerant Solutions Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream  
Flow Rate: 2000 gal/day  
Activity of Inlet Stream: 0.15 fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)  
Iodine DF: 1e3  
Cs and Rb DF: 1e2  
Other DF: 1e3

Waste Collection and Processing  
Waste collection time prior to processing: 1 days  
Waste processing and discharge times: 0.07 days  
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing: 0.01

Calculate

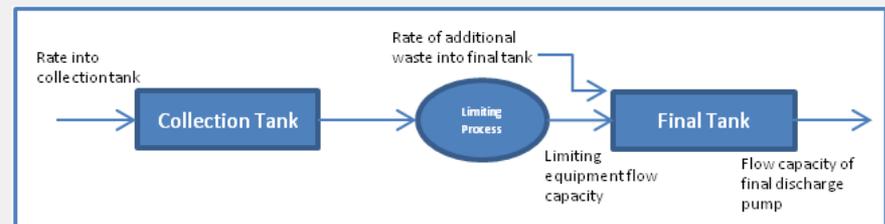
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Waste collection time, and processing and discharge time calculation

Volume of collection tank: [ ] gallons  
Rate into collection tank: [ ] gal/day  
Are there redundant tanks?: [ ]  
Limiting equipment flow capacity of cleanup process: [ ] gal/day  
Volume of final tank following cleanup: [ ] gallons  
Rate of addition waste into final tank: [ ] gal/day  
Flow capacity of final tank discharge pump: [ ] gal/day

Waste collection time prior to processing: [ ] days  
Waste processing and discharge time: [ ] days

Calculate  
Use Values



# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Low Purity Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | **Low Purity Waste** | Chemical Waste | Regenerant Solutions Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream

Flow Rate: 5700 gal/day

Activity of Inlet Stream: 0.13 fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF: 1e3

Cs and Rb DF: 1e4

Other DF: 1e4

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing: 3.1 days

Waste processing and discharge times: 0.6 days

Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing: 1.0

Calculate

Save Cancel

Low Purity Waste: moderate/high electrical conductivity

Floor drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Drywell		
Reactor Building		
Turbine Building		
Radwaste Building		
Fuel Pool Building		
Other		
Uncollected valve and pump seal leakoffs		
Water resulting from dewatering of slurry wastes		
Other		
Total		

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Chemical Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | Low Purity Waste | **Chemical Waste** | Regenerant Solutions Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream

Flow Rate: 600 gal/day

Activity of Inlet Stream: 0.02 fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF: 1e3

Cs and Rb DF: 1e4

Other DF: 1e4

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing: 3.1 days

Waste processing and discharge times: 0.6 days

Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing: 1.0

Calculate

Save Cancel

Chemical Waste: high conductivity & solids content

Equipment drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Laboratory drains	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Non-detergent chemical decontamination wastes	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Regenerant Solutions Waste and Detergent Waste Window

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | Low Purity Waste | Chemical Waste | **Regenerant Solutions Waste** | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream Flow Rate: 1700 gal/day

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF	1e4
Cs and Rb DF	1e5
Other DF	1e5

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing	9.4 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.44 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	1.0

Calculate

Save Cancel

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

High Purity Waste | Low Purity Waste | Chemical Waste | Regenerant Solutions Waste | **Detergent Waste**

Detergent Waste Partition Factor: 1.0 fraction (0.0 for no laundry)

Save Cancel

# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System Window

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

**Containment Building**

Charcoal adsorbers  
Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers?

Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100)  
See Efficiency Information Below  %

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters?  
(No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

**Turbine Building**

Charcoal adsorbers  
Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers?

Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100)  
See Efficiency Information Below  %

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters?  
(No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

**Auxiliary Building**

Charcoal adsorbers  
Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers?

Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100)  
See Efficiency Information Below  %

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters?  
(No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

**Radwaste Building**

Charcoal adsorbers  
Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers?

Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100)  
See Efficiency Information Below  %

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters?  
(No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

**Gland Seal**

Gland seal steam flow  thousand lb/hr

Gland seal holdup time  hours

Iodine released from condensor vent  fraction

**Air Ejector Offgas**

Air Ejector holdup time  hours

Iodine released from air ejector vent  fraction

Charcoal Delay System?

Kr Dynamic Adsorption Coefficient  cm<sup>3</sup>/g

Xe Dynamic Adsorption Coefficient  cm<sup>3</sup>/g

Mass of Charcoal  thousand lb

**Charcoal Adsorbers Removal Efficiency Information**

Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency  NUREG-0016 Efficiency



# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Charcoal Adsorber Efficiency Windows

NUREG-0016, Revision 1 Charcoal Efficiency Information

Table 1-6 taken from NUREG-0016, Revision 1  
Note: Recommended for use with GALEB6

**TABLE 1-6**  
**ASSIGNED REMOVAL EFFICIENCIES FOR CHARCOAL ADSORBERS FOR RADIOIODINE REMOVAL**

Activated Carbon <sup>a</sup> Bed Depth	Removal Efficiencies <sup>b</sup> for Radioiodine %
2 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate inside reactor containment	90.
2 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled at 70%.	70.
4 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled at 70%	90.
6 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled to 70%.	99.

<sup>a</sup>Multiple beds, e.g., two 2-inch beds in series, should be treated as a single bed of aggregate depth of 4 inches.

<sup>b</sup>The removal efficiencies assigned HEPA filters for particulate removal and charcoal adsorbers for radioiodine removal are based on the design, testing and maintenance criteria recommended in Regulatory Guide 1.140, "Design, Testing and Maintenance Criteria for Normal Ventilation Exhaust System Air Filtration and Adsorption Units of Light-Water-Cooled Nuclear Power Plants" (Ref. 2).

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Regulatory Guide 1.140, Revision 2 Charcoal Efficiency Information

Table 1 taken from Regulatory Guide 1.140, Revision 2  
Note: Recommended for use with GALEO9

**Table 1: Laboratory Tests For Activated Carbon**

Activated Carbon <sup>a</sup> Total Bed Depth <sup>b</sup>	Maximum Assigned Activated Carbon Decontamination Efficiencies	Methyl Iodide Penetration Acceptance Criterion for Representative Sample
2 inches	Elemental iodine	95%
	Organic iodide	95%
4 inches or greater	Elemental iodine	99%
	Organic iodide	99%

<sup>a</sup> The activated carbon, when new, should meet the specifications of Regulatory Position 4.9 of this guide.

<sup>b</sup> Multiple beds, e.g., two 2-inch beds in series, should be treated as a single bed of aggregate depth. It is advantageous when series beds are located in separate housings and individually in-place leak tested. This aids in mixing the challenge agent and contributes to the accuracy of the test results.

**NOTES:**

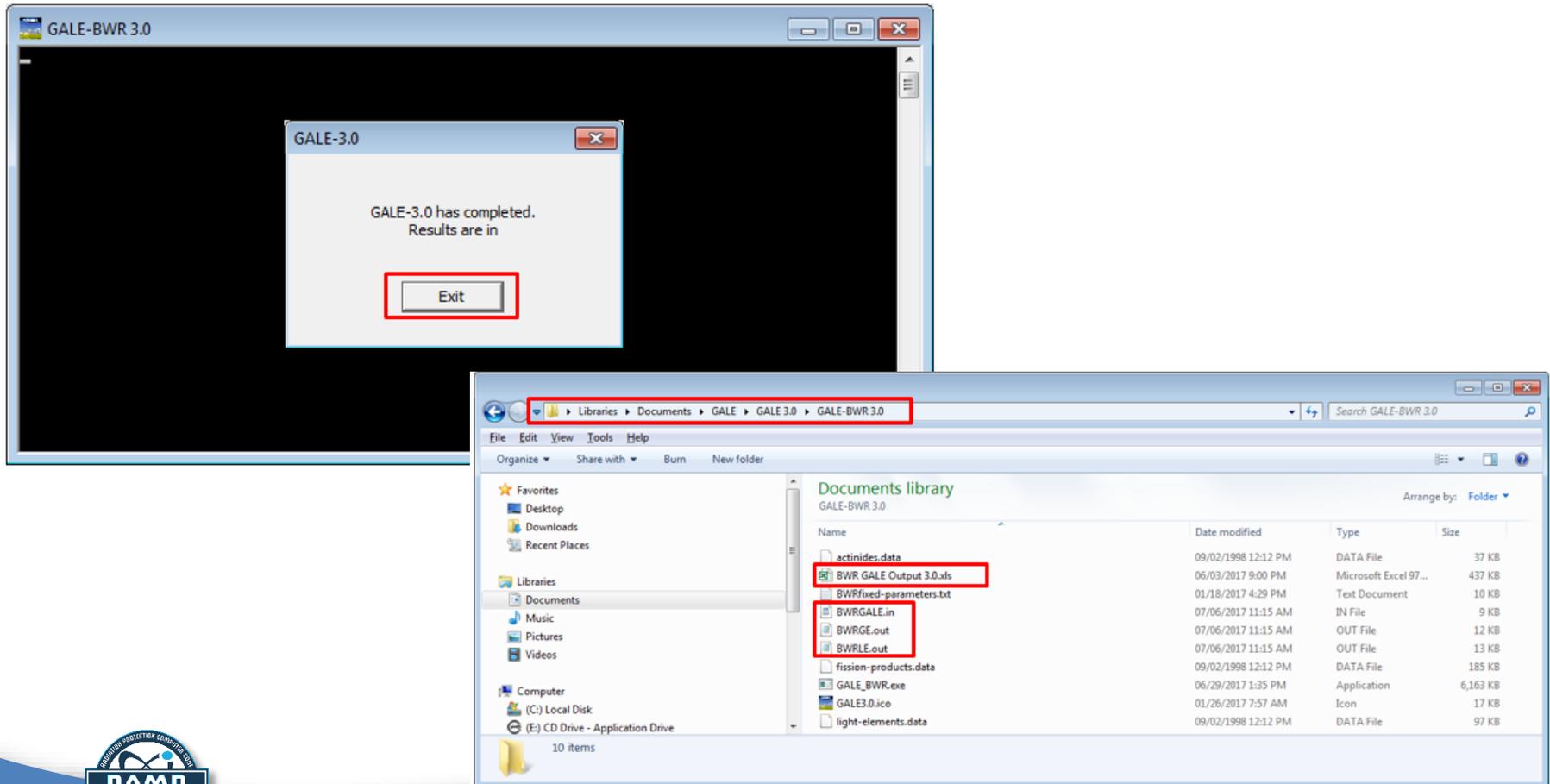
- Credited decontamination efficiencies (a portion of which includes bypass leakage) are based on 0.25 second residence time per 2-inch bed depth.
- Organic iodide and elemental iodine are the forms of iodine that are expected to be absorbed by activated carbon. Organic iodide is more difficult for activated carbon to adsorb than elemental iodine. Therefore, the laboratory test to determine the performance of the activated carbon adsorber is based on organic iodide. Methyl iodide is the organic form of iodine that is used in the laboratory test.
- This Table 1 provides acceptable decontamination efficiencies and methyl iodide test penetrations of used activated carbon samples for laboratory testing. Laboratory tests are conducted in accordance with ASTM D3803-1989 (Ref. 4). Tests are conducted at a temperature of 30°C and relative humidity of 95%, except a relative humidity of 70% is used when the air entering the carbon adsorber is maintained at less than or equal to 70% relative humidity.
- See Appendix A to ASME N509-1989 (Ref. 1) for the definition of a representative sample. Testing should be performed at the frequencies specified in Regulatory Position 7.2 of this guide. Testing should be performed in accordance with ASTM D3803-1989 (Ref. 4) at a temperature of 30°C and a relative humidity of 95% (or 70% with humidity control). Humidity control can be provided by heaters or an analysis that demonstrates that the air entering the carbon will be maintained less than or equal to 70% relative humidity.

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# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWR 3.0 Execution and Outputs



# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWRGE 3.0 Output

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BWRGEout:Nonrad
Date: 04/10/2017 09:45:46
***** GALE version: GALE3 *****
***** ANS-18.1 version: 1984 *****

*** Modification to Fixed Parameters Requested. Changes listed below ***
plant capacity factor Recommended value: 0.8000 Requested Value: 0.8700

BWR Sample
THERMAL POWER LEVEL (MEGAWATTS) 3.4000E+03
PLANT CAPACITY FACTOR 8.7000E-01
TOTAL STEAM FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR) 1.5000E+01
MASS OF WATER IN REACTOR VESSEL (MILLION LBS) 3.8000E+01
CLEAN-UP DEMINERALIZER FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR) 1.5000E-01
CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER REGENERATION TIME (DAYS) 6.8000E+01
REACTION FEED WATER THROUGH CONDENSATE DEMIN 1.0000E+00
REACTOR VESSEL HALOGEN CARBOHYDRATE FACTOR 1.0000E-02

LIQUID WASTE INPUTS
STREAM FLOW RATE FRACTION FRACTION COLLECTION DECAY
(GAL/DAY) OF TCA DISCHARGED TIME TIME
(DAYS) (DAYS) I DECONTAMINATION FACTORS
CS OTHERS
HIGH PURITY WASTE 2.8640E+04 1.5000E-01 1.0000E-02 1.0000E+00 7.0000E-02 1.0000E+03 1.0000E+02 1.0000E+03
LOW PURITY WASTE 5.7000E+02 1.5000E-01 1.0000E-02 1.0000E+00 3.1000E+00 1.0000E+04 1.0000E+04 1.0000E+04
CHEMICAL WASTE 6.0000E+02 2.0000E-02 1.0000E+00 3.1000E+00 6.0000E-01 1.0000E+03 1.0000E+04 1.0000E+04
REGULATORY SOILS 1.7000E+03 1.0000E-01 1.0000E+00 3.4000E+00 4.4000E-01 1.0000E+04 1.0000E+03 1.0000E+03

GASEOUS WASTE INPUTS
TOTAL STEAM FLOW (THOUSAND LBS/HR) 0.0000E+00
GLAND SEAL HOLDUP TIME (HOURS) 0.0000E+00
ATR EJECTOR OFFGAS HOLDUP TIME (HOURS) 1.8700E-01
CONTAINMENT BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-01
TURBINE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E+00
TURBINE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E+00
GLAND SEAL VENT. IODINE FF 1.0000E+00
ATR EJECTOR OFFGAS IODINE FF 1.0000E+00
AUXILIARY BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E+00
RADWASTE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E+00
THERE IS A CHARCOAL DELAY SYSTEM 2.66824E+00
KEYTON HOLDUP TIME (DAYS) 6.12424E+01
KEYTON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM3/GM) 1.0000E+02
XENON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM3/GM) 2.4100E+03
MASS OF CHARCOAL (THOUSAND LBS) 4.8000E-01

BWR Sample
NUCLIDE COOLANT CONC. CONTAINMENT TURBINE AUXILIARY GLAND ATR MECH VAC
(MICROCURI/CS/G) BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. SEAL EJECTOR PUMP TOTAL
I-131 1.06139E-03 4.64831E-04 7.00361E-02 1.31385E-02 6.27349E-03 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.51189E-02 1.32323E-01
I-133 7.4981E-03 3.28191E-03 4.84766E-01 9.2803E-02 4.4132E-02 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.99669E-01 9.34854E-01
H-3 RELEASED FROM TURBINE BLDG. VENTILATION SYSTEM 2.6000E+01
H-3 RELEASED FROM CONTAINMENT BLDG. VENTILATION SYSTEM 2.6000E+01
TOTAL H-3 RELEASED VIA GASEOUS PATHWAY 5.2000E+01
C-14 RELEASED VIA MAIN CONDENSER OFFGAS SYSTEM = 1.03138E+01 CI/YR

BWR Sample
NUCLIDE COOLANT CONC. CONTAINMENT TURBINE AUXILIARY GLAND ATR MECH VAC
(MICROCURI/CS/G) BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. SEAL EJECTOR PUMP TOTAL
AR-41 0.0000E+00 1.5000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.3000E+00 0.0000E+00 3.83108E+01
KR-83M 1.9000E-04 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E-03
KR-83M 1.0000E-03 1.0000E+00 2.5000E+01 1.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.11611E+01
KR-85 4.0000E-06 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.1000E+02 0.0000E+00 2.07502E+02
KR-87 3.3000E-03 0.0000E+00 6.1000E+01 2.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 6.10000E+01
KR-88 3.3000E-03 1.0000E-01 9.1000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 9.10000E+01
KR-89 2.1000E-02 0.0000E+00 3.8000E+02 2.0000E+00 2.9000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 6.11000E+02
XE-133M 3.3000E-06 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.6861E+03
XE-133M 4.9000E-05 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
XE-133 2.7000E-03 2.7000E-03 2.5000E+02 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.3000E+01 1.3000E+01 8.0332E+03
XE-133M 4.4000E-03 1.5000E+01 4.0000E+02 4.3000E+01 5.3000E+02 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 9.9000E+02
XE-133 1.8000E-03 1.3000E-03 3.0000E+02 8.4000E+01 1.8000E+02 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.3700E+03
XE-137 2.6000E-02 4.5000E+01 1.0000E+03 1.3500E+02 8.3000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.26300E+03
XE-138 1.5000E-02 2.0000E+00 1.0000E+02 6.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.0100E+03
TOTAL NOBLE GASES 7.4000E+03
0.0000E+00 APPEARING IN THE TABLE INDICATES RELEASE IS LESS THAN 1.0 CI/YR FOR NOBLE GAS

BWR Sample
NUCLIDE CONTAINMENT TURBINE AUXILIARY GLAND MECH VAC.
BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. BLDG. PUMP TOTAL
CR-51 2.0000E-06 9.0000E-04 9.0000E-04 7.0000E-04 7.0000E-06 1.0000E-06 1.8000E-03
PN-54 4.0000E-06 6.0000E-04 1.0000E-03 4.0000E-05 0.0000E+00 1.6000E-03
CO-58 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-03 2.0000E-04 2.0000E-06 0.0000E+00 1.2000E-03
FE-59 9.0000E-07 1.0000E-04 3.0000E-04 3.0000E-06 0.0000E+00 4.0000E-04
CO-60 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 7.0000E-06 1.0000E-07
Zn-65 1.0000E-03 6.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 3.0000E-06 3.4000E-07 1.0000E-02
SR-89 1.0000E-03 6.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
SR-90 3.0000E-08 2.0000E-05 7.0000E-06 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.7000E-05
MO-99 1.0000E-03 6.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
Zr-95 3.0000E-08 4.0000E-05 7.0000E-04 8.0000E-06 0.0000E+00 7.3000E-04
MO-99 1.0000E-03 6.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
Ru-103 2.0000E-08 5.0000E-05 4.0000E-03 1.0000E-08 0.0000E+00 4.1000E-03
MC-118M 4.0000E-03 1.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 2.0000E-06 1.0000E-08 0.0000E+00
MC-118M 2.0000E-07 1.0000E-04 1.0000E-03 7.0000E-07 0.0000E+00 1.3000E-04
CS-134 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-03 4.0000E-03 2.4000E-05 1.2000E-08 2.2000E-08
CS-136 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-04 4.0000E-04 0.0000E+00 1.9000E-08 3.0000E-04
CS-137 0.0000E-05 0.0000E-03 3.0000E-03 0.0000E+00 8.9000E-08 6.1000E-04
BA-140 2.0000E-03 1.0000E-02 2.0000E-02 4.0000E-08 1.1000E-03 3.0000E-02
CE-141 2.0000E-06 1.0000E-02 7.0000E-04 7.0000E-08 0.0000E+00 1.1000E-02
    
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# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-BWRLE 3.0 Output

BWRLE3.0 Notepad

\*\*\*\*\* GALE version: GALE86 \*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\* version: 19a \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\* Modification of Fixed Parameters Requested. Changes listed below \*\*\*  
Plant capacity factor Recommended value: 0.8000 Requested value: 0.8700

BWR 585P1E		BWR	
PLANT POWER LEVEL (MEGAWATTS)	3.4000E+03	3.4000E+03	
PLANT CAPACITY FACTOR	8.7000E-01	8.7000E-01	
TOTAL STEAM FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR)	1.3000E+01	1.3000E+01	
MASS OF WATER IN REACTOR VESSEL (MILLION LBS)	3.8000E-01	3.8000E-01	
CLEAN-UP DEIONIZER FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR)	1.3000E-01	1.3000E-01	
CONDENSATE DEIONIZER REGENERATION TIME (DAYS)	5.6000E+01	5.6000E+01	
FISSON PRODUCT CARRY-OVER FRACTION	1.3000E-01	1.3000E-01	
HALOGEN CARRY-OVER FRACTION	1.3000E-02	1.3000E-02	
FRACTION FEED WATER THROUGH CONDENSATE DEMIN	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	

LIQUID WASTE INPUTS

STREAM	FLOW RATE (GAL/DAY)	FRACTION OF FCA	FRACTION DISCHARGED	COLLECTION TIME (DAYS)	DECAY TIME (DAYS)	DECONTAMINATION FACTORS	OTHERS
HIGH PURITY WASTE	2.8640E+08	1.3000E-01	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	7.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+03
LOW PURITY WASTE	5.7000E+03	1.3000E-01	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	6.0000E+01	1.0000E+03	1.0000E+04
CHEMICAL WASTE	5.0000E-02	2.0000E-02	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	6.0000E+01	1.0000E+03	1.0000E+04
REGNERANT SOLS	1.7000E+03	2.0000E-02	1.0000E+00	9.4000E+00	4.4000E-01	1.0000E+04	1.0000E+05

GASEOUS WASTE INPUTS

STREAM	FLOW RATE (THOUSAND LBS/HR)	FRACTION DISCHARGED	COLLECTION TIME (DAYS)	DECAY TIME (DAYS)	DECONTAMINATION FACTORS	OTHERS
GLAND SEAL	0.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
AIR EJECTOR OFFGAS HOLDUP TIME (HOURS)	1.6700E-01	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
CONTAINMENT BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION	1.0000E-02	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
TURBINE BLDG PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
GLAND SEAL VENT IODINE FF	0.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
AIR EJECTOR OFFGAS IODINE FF	0.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
AUXILIARY BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
RADWASTE BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION	1.0000E+00	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00
Y BLDG PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION	1.0000E-02	1.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00

THERE IS A CHARCOAL DELAY SYSTEM

PARAMETER	VALUE
KENON HOLDUP TIME (DAYS)	2.46824E+00
KENON HOLDUP TIME (DAYS)	6.12474E+01
KENON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM/G)	1.0200E+03
KENON DYNAMIC ADSORPTION COEFFICIENT (CM/G)	2.4100E+03
MASS OF CHARCOAL (THOUSAND LBS)	4.8000E+01

LIQUID EFFLUENTS ANNUAL RELEASES TO DISCHARGE CANAL

NUCLIDE	HALF-LIFE (DAYS)	CONCENTRATION IN PRIMARY COOLANT (MICRO-CI/ML)		ANNUAL RELEASES TO DISCHARGE CANAL (CURIES)			ADJUSTED TOTAL (CI/YR)	DETERGENT WASTES (CI/YR)	TOTAL (CI/YR)	
		HIGH PURITY	LOW PURITY	CHEMICAL	TOTAL LBS	TOTAL (CI/YR)				
CORROSION AND ACTIVATION PRODUCTS										
Na 24	0.2100E+01	3.9100E-03	1.5000E-04	0.0000E+00	4.8000E-04	2.1100E-03	0.0000E+00	2.1000E-03		
Na 22	2.6998E+01	2.0000E-03	1.0000E-05	2.0000E-05	3.0000E-05	1.1000E-04	1.8000E-04	1.8000E-04		
CR 51	2.7974E+02	5.8400E-03	5.8000E-04	5.8000E-04	0.0000E+00	8.7000E-03	0.0000E+00	8.7000E-03		
Fe 55	9.4613E+01	2.8400E-03	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-03	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-03		
MN 56	1.0750E+01	4.9700E-02	2.9000E-04	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	1.1000E-03	0.0000E+00	1.1000E-03	
Fe 59	4.4999E+01	3.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	2.2000E-05	2.2000E-05		
Co 58	7.1999E+01	8.9000E-04	6.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	5.8000E-04	2.1400E-03	7.2500E-04	9.4000E-04		
Co 60	1.5211E+03	4.0000E-04	2.0000E-05	4.0000E-05	3.7000E-04	2.3000E-04	1.0300E-03	1.4000E-02	1.4000E-02	
Ni 63	2.5021E+01	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.7000E-02	1.7000E-02	
CU 64	5.5333E+01	2.9740E-02	9.0000E-04	3.4000E-04	1.0000E-05	1.2500E-03	3.5000E-03	0.0000E+00	3.5000E-03	
Zn 65	2.4497E+02	1.0000E-03	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	4.5000E-03	0.0000E+00	4.5000E-03		
Zn 69m	5.7500E-01	1.9800E-03	6.0000E-05	3.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	9.0000E-05	3.9000E-04	0.0000E+00	3.9000E-04	
MSK7	9.4951E-01	1.0000E-03	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	2.0000E-05	8.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	8.0000E-05	
NP239	2.3499E+02	7.9200E-03	4.0000E-04	4.5000E-04	2.0000E-05	8.6000E-04	3.8000E-03	0.0000E+00	3.8000E-03	
FISSION PRODUCTS										
BB 81	1.0911E+01	6.1000E-03	3.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	4.0000E-05	1.6000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.6000E-04	
BB 89	5.1999E+01	1.0000E-04	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	3.0000E-05	4.0000E-05	1.9000E-04	9.0000E-05	2.8000E-04	
SB 90	1.2617E+06	1.0000E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	2.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	3.0000E-05	
Y 91	8.9793E+01	4.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	9.0000E-05	1.1000E-04	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.1000E-04	
Y 92	1.7974E+01	9.9400E-05	8.0000E-06	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	1.0000E-04	8.0000E-05	2.1000E-04	
Y 93	1.4708E+01	5.9600E-05	1.4000E-04	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.1000E-04	6.8000E-04	0.0000E+00	6.8000E-04	
ZR 95	6.4999E+01	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	2.0000E-05	1.1000E-03	1.1000E-03	
NR 98	3.4999E+01	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	
NO 99	2.5417E+02	1.9900E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	2.3000E-04	1.0000E-03	6.0000E-03	1.0000E-03	
TC 99m	2.9500E-01	1.9900E-03	1.0000E-04	1.2000E-04	1.0000E-05	2.2000E-04	9.9000E-04	0.0000E+00	9.9000E-04	
RU103	3.9997E+01	1.0000E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-03	6.0000E-03	1.0000E-03	
RU105	1.6950E-01	1.9900E-03	0.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.1000E-04	
RU106	1.6997E+02	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	8.0000E-01	8.0000E-01	
AG110m	2.9997E+02	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.2000E-01	1.2000E-01	
TE112m	1.9999E+01	4.0000E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	6.0000E-03	6.0000E-03	
TE113m	1.5000E+00	3.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	0.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	4.0000E-05	
I131	8.0489E+00	2.1000E-03	1.1000E-04	1.1000E-04	1.2000E-02	1.4800E-02	6.8700E-02	1.6000E-02	6.7000E-02	
I132	9.9833E+02	2.2170E-02	1.1000E-04	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.3000E-04	5.1000E-04	0.0000E+00	5.1000E-04	
I133	8.7500E-01	3.1300E-02	5.9000E-04	5.9000E-04	3.3000E-03	4.1000E-03	1.8300E-02	0.0000E+00	1.8300E-02	
CS134	2.6872E+02	4.0000E-05	2.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	4.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	
CS136	2.7817E+02	1.1000E-05	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	
CS137	1.9999E+01	2.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	6.0000E-05	3.7000E-04	4.3000E-04	
CS138	2.2819E+02	9.8000E-03	2.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	2.0000E-05	1.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	
BA139	5.5712E+02	9.9000E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-04	
BA140	1.2799E+01	4.0000E-04	2.0000E-05	4.0000E-05	1.0000E-05	9.0000E-05	4.0000E-04	9.1000E-04	1.3000E-03	
CS141	3.3999E+01	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	2.3000E-04	2.3000E-04	
LA142	6.1891E-02	4.9800E-03	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	7.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	7.0000E-05	
CS143	1.7000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	
PR143	1.9999E+01	4.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.0000E-05	4.0000E-05	0.0000E+00	4.0000E-05	
CS144	2.4999E+02	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	
ALL OTHERS	2.01130E-01	2.3000E-04	9.0000E-05	7.0000E-05	3.9000E-04	1.7100E-03	0.0000E+00	0.0000E+00	1.7100E-03	
TOTAL (EXCEPT TRITIUM)	4.82030E-01	4.9200E-03	8.6900E-03	1.57400E-02	2.9350E-02	1.29350E-01	8.93300E-02	2.2000E-01		
TRITIUM RELEASE	5.1000E+01	CURIES PER YEAR								
NOTE: 0.0000E+00 INDICATES THAT THE VALUE IS LESS THAN 1.0E-5.										



# GALE-BWR 3.0 Use

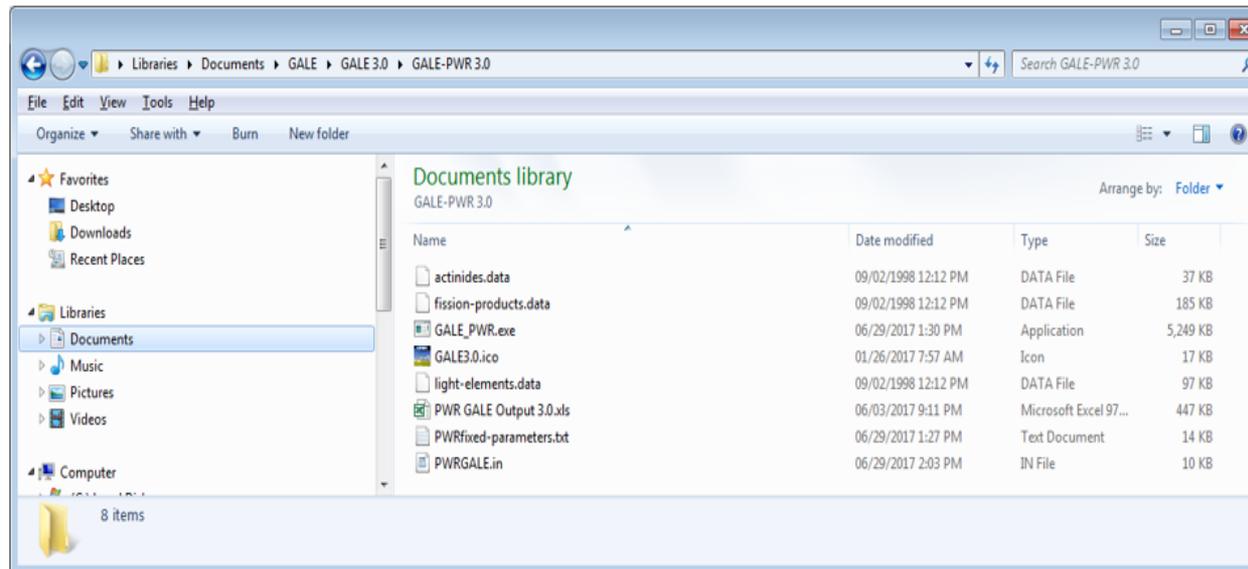
- BWR GALE Output 3.0.xls

The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet titled "BWR GALE Output 3.0.xls [Compatibility Mode] - Excel". The interface includes the standard Excel ribbon (FILE, HOME, INSERT, PAGE LAYOUT, FORMULAS, DATA, REVIEW, VIEW, ADAMS, ACROBAT, SecureZIP) and a toolbar. The spreadsheet content is as follows:

- Row 1: "GALE 3.0" (Large blue font)
- Row 4: "BWR Output" (Section header)
- Row 5: "Gaseous Effluent Output" (Text) | "Browse" (Button) | "[D:\GALE\BWR\_GALE\_Test\11SEP2017]\BWRGE.out" (Text)
- Row 7: "Read GE Data" (Button)
- Row 10: "Liquid Effluent Output" (Text) | "Browse" (Button) | "[D:\GALE\BWR\_GALE\_Test\11SEP2017]\BWRLE.out" (Text)
- Row 12: "Read LE Data" (Button)
- Row 15: Image of a nuclear power plant with five cooling towers.
- Row 28: "GALE v3.0" (Text)
- Row 30: "Copyright (c) 2017 U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC). This software was developed for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission under Contract number NRC-HQ-60-14-D-0011." (Text)
- Row 33: "This computer program was created as work sponsored by an agency of the United States government. Neither the United States government nor any agency thereof, or any of their employees, makes any warranty, expressed or implied, or assumes any legal liability or responsibility for any third party's use, or the results of such use, of any information in or generated by this program, or represents that its use by such third party would not infringe privately owned rights." (Text)
- Row 34: "Read Output" (Button) | "Nobel Gas" (Text) | "Iodine (gas)" (Text) | "Particulates (gas)" (Text) | "Tritium and Others (gas)" (Text) | "Liquid" (Text)

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Installation

- Create a working directory and install the code package files
- The working directory should contain the 3 data files, and an existing input file if starting from a previous GALE 3.0 run. Otherwise the program will set up and save the input file. This working directory may also contain the spreadsheet for output visualization. The fixed-parameters file is optional.



# GALE-PWR 3.0 Fixed Parameters File

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Fixed Parameters File

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PWRfixed-parameters.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
$user
!3.1 Plant Capacity Factor (GE and LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.2 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
PF_user=0.8 !Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)

!3.2 Coolant and Main Steam Radionuclide Concentrations (GE and LE)
! GE noble gas and iodine concentrations in reactor coolant and main steam (micro curies/g)
! values from Table 7 of ANSI/ANS-18.1-1984 (GALE86 Code)
! Once-Through Steam Generator
! Reactor Coolant Main Steam
XP1o_user (1)=1.6E-01, XP2o_user (1)=3.4E-08 ! KR-85M
XP1o_user (2)=4.3E-01, XP2o_user (2)=8.9E-08 ! KR-85
XP1o_user (3)=1.5E-01, XP2o_user (3)=3.0E-08 ! KR-87
XP1o_user (4)=2.8E-01, XP2o_user (4)=5.9E-08 ! KR-88
XP1o_user (5)=7.3E-01, XP2o_user (5)=1.5E-07 ! XE-131M
XP1o_user (6)=7.0E-02, XP2o_user (6)=1.5E-08 ! XE-133M
XP1o_user (7)=2.6E+00, XP2o_user (7)=5.4E-07 ! XE-133
XP1o_user (8)=1.3E-01, XP2o_user (8)=2.7E-08 ! XE-135M
XP1o_user (9)=8.5E-01, XP2o_user (9)=1.8E-07 ! XE-135
XP1o_user (10)=3.4E-02, XP2o_user (10)=7.1E-09 ! XE-137
XP1o_user (11)=1.2E-01, XP2o_user (11)=2.5E-08 ! XE-138
XP1o_user (12)=4.5E-02, XP2o_user (12)=5.2E-08 ! I-131
XP1o_user (13)=2.1E-01, XP2o_user (13)=2.4E-07 ! I-132
XP1o_user (14)=1.4E-01, XP2o_user (14)=1.6E-07 ! I-133
XP1o_user (15)=3.4E-01, XP2o_user (15)=3.8E-07 ! I-134
XP1o_user (16)=2.6E-01, XP2o_user (16)=3.0E-07 ! I-135

!3.13 Argon-41 Release (GE)
! Value from Section 2.2.26 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
Ar41_user=34.0 !ci/yr

!3.14 Carbon-14 Release (GE)
! Value from Section 2.2.25 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
C14_user=7.3 !ci/yr

!3.15 Decontamination Factors for Condensate Demineralizers (LE)
! Values from Section 2.2.18 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
DFCDU_user=10.0 !Anion DF for Condensate Demineralizers
DFCDO_user=10.0 !Other Nuclide DF for Condensate Demineralizers
DFCDCS_user=2.0 !Cesium DF for Condensate Demineralizers

!3.17 Releases of Radioactive Material in Liquid waste from the Turbine Building Floor Drain System (LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.14 (Table 2-26) of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
Tbdrain_user = 7200.0 ! gal/day at main steam activity

!3.19 Source Term Adjustments for Anticipated Operational Occurrences (LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.23 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 code)
antifixed_user = 0.16 !adjustment is made to liquid radwaste source terms to account for AOO (Ci/yr)
Send
  
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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Introductory Screen



# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Introductory Screen Selecting GALE and ANS 18.1 Version

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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 General Reactor Parameters Window

General Reactor Parameters

Name of Reactor

Thermal Power Level  MW(th)

Mass of Coolant in Primary System  thousand lb

Primary System Letdown Rate  gal/min

Letdown Cation Demineralizer Flow Rate  gal/min

Number of Steam Generators

Total Steam Flow  million lb/hr

Mass of Liquid in Each Steam Generator  thousand lb

Steam Generator Blowdown Rate and Blowdown Treatment Method

Type of steam generator

What is the total blowdown rate? (Only Input for U-Tube)  thousand lb/hr

Condensate demineralizer regeneration time  days

Fraction of feedwater through condensate demineralizers  fraction

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Shim Bleed Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed | Equipment Drain Waste | Clean Waste | Dirty Waste | Blowdown Waste | Regenerant Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream  
Flow Rate:  gal/day

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF:   
Cs and Rb DF:   
Other DF:

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing:  days  
Waste processing and discharge times:  days  
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing:

Waste collection time, and processing and discharge time calculation

Volume of collection tank:  gallons  
Rate into collection tank:  gal/day  
Are there redundant tanks?:    
Limiting equipment flow capacity of cleanup process:  gal/day  
Volume of final tank following cleanup:  gallons  
Rate of addition waste into final tank:  gal/day  
Flow capacity of final tank discharge pump:  gal/day

Waste collection time prior to processing:  days   
Waste processing and discharge time:  days

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graph LR
    In((Rate into collection tank)) --> CT[Collection Tank]
    CT --> LP((Limiting Process))
    LP --> FT[Final Tank]
    Out(( )) --> FT
    LP --> LP_Cap[Limiting equipment flow capacity]
    FT --> FT_Cap[Flow capacity of final discharge pump]
    
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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Equipment Drain Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed **Equipment Drain Waste** Clean Waste Dirty Waste Blowdown Waste Regenerant Waste Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream  
 Flow Rate  gal/day  
 Activity of Inlet Stream  fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)  
 Iodine DF   
 Cs and Rb DF   
 Other DF

Waste Collection and Processing  
 Waste collection time prior to processing  days  
 Waste processing and discharge times  days  
 Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing

Calculate

Save Cancel

Equipment Drain Waste

Equipment drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Drywell	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Reactor Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Turbine Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Radwaste Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Auxiliary Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Fuel Pool Building	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Clean Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed | Equipment Drain Waste | **Clean Waste** | Dirty Waste | Blowdown Waste | Regenerant Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream  
 Flow Rate: 980 gal/day  
 Activity of Inlet Stream: 0.093 fraction of primary coolant activity  
 Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)  
 Iodine DF: 5e2  
 Cs and Rb DF: 1e3  
 Other DF: 1e4

Waste Collection and Processing  
 Waste collection time prior to processing: 5.7 days  
 Waste processing and discharge times: 0.13 days  
 Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing: 0.1  
 Calculate

Save Cancel

Clean Waste (deaerated or tritiated)

Equipment drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Waste stream A	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream B	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream C	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream D	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream E	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream F	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream G	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Dirty Waste Window and Calculator

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed | Equipment Drain Waste | Clean Waste | **Dirty Waste** | Blowdown Waste | Regenerant Waste | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream  
 Flow Rate: 2100 gal/day  
 Activity of Inlet Stream: 0.01 fraction of primary coolant activity

Combine from various sources

Decontamination Factors (DF)  
 Iodine DF: 5e2  
 Cs and Rb DF: 1e3  
 Other DF: 1e4

Waste Collection and Processing  
 Waste collection time prior to processing: 3.8 days  
 Waste processing and discharge times: 0.19 days  
 Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing: 1.0

Calculate

Save Cancel

Miscellaneous Dirty Waste (aerated or non tritiated)

Equipment drains from:	Average Flow, gallons/day	Fraction of Primary Coolant Activity (PCA)
Waste stream A	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream B	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream C	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream D	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream E	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream F	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Waste stream G	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Total	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Calculate Use Values Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Blowdown Waste and Regenerant Solutions Waste Window

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed | Equipment Drain Waste | Clean Waste | Dirty Waste | **Blowdown Waste** | Regenerant Waste | Detergent Waste

Fraction of Steam Processed: 1.0

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF	1e3
Cs and Rb DF	1e2
Other DF	1e3

Waste Collection and Processing

Waste collection time prior to processing	0	days
Waste processing and discharge times	0	days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0	

Calculate

Save Cancel

Liquid Radwaste Treatment System

Shim Bleed | Equipment Drain Waste | Clean Waste | Dirty Waste | Blowdown Waste | **Regenerant Waste** | Detergent Waste

Liquid Stream Flow Rate: 3400 gal/day

Decontamination Factors (DF)

Iodine DF	5e2
Cs and Rb DF	1e3
Other DF	1e4

Waste Collection and Processing

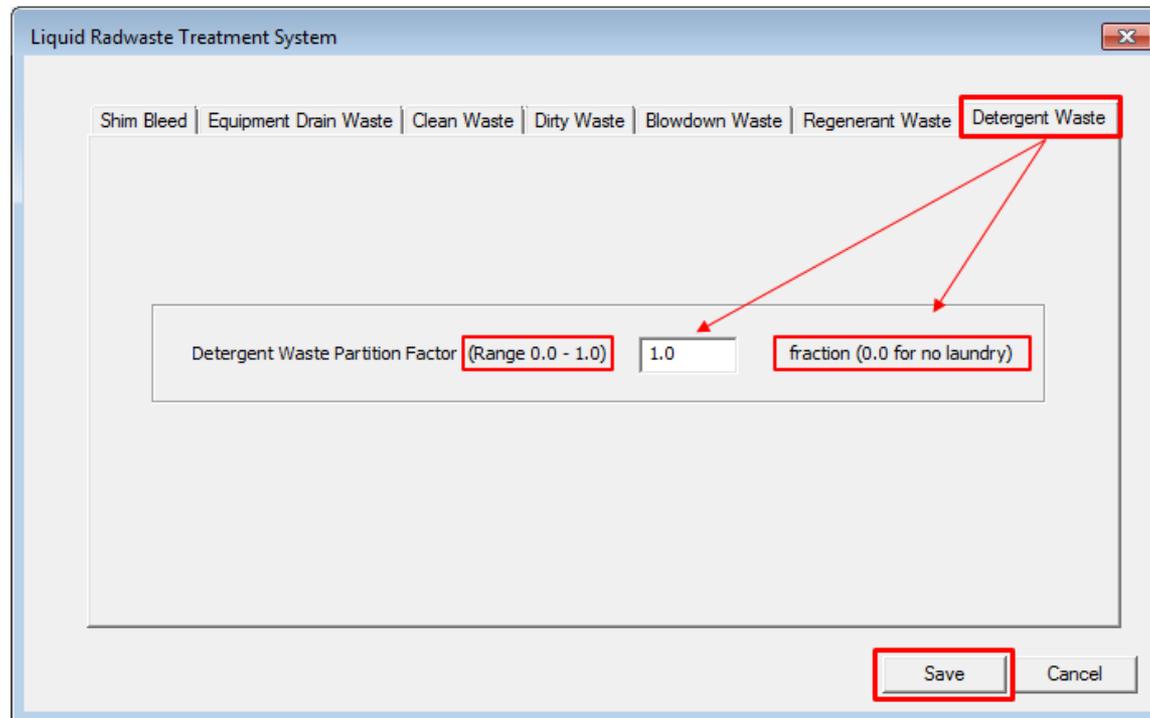
Waste collection time prior to processing	4.7	days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.37	days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.1	

Calculate

Save Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Detergent Waste Window



# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System Window

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flow

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant

Holdup time for Xe: 60 days  
Holdup time for Kr: 3.54 days  
Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper: 0 days

Containment building Waste Gas System Particulate Release  
Containment high volume purge Fuel handling building  
Containment low volume purge Auxiliary building

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? (No = 0%, Yes = 99%) Yes

Iodine  
Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent: 0 Fraction  
Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release: 0%

Save Cancel

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flow  
0 - no continuous gas stripping of full letdown flow  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flow  
2 - continuous purging of the volume control tank

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant

Holdup time for Xe: 60 days  
Holdup time for Kr: 3.54 days  
Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper: 0 days

Containment building Waste Gas System Particulate Release  
Containment high volume purge Fuel handling building  
Containment low volume purge Auxiliary building

HEPA filters  
Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? (No = 0%, Yes = 99%) Yes

Iodine  
Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent: 0 Fraction  
Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release: 0%

Save Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System Window (cont.)

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degasification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge
Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building

HEPA filters  
 Req. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? Yes

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degasification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge
Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building

Charcoal adsorbers  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers? Yes  
 Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100) 90 %  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency NUREG-0017 Efficiency

HEPA filters  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? No

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Charcoal Adsorber Efficiency Windows

NUREG-0017, Revision 1 Charcoal Efficiency Information

Table 1-5 taken from NUREG-0017, Revision 1  
Note: Recommended for use with GALE86

**TABLE 1-5**  
**ASSIGNED REMOVAL EFFICIENCIES FOR CHARCOAL ADSORBERS**  
**FOR RADIOIODINE REMOVAL**

Activated Carbon <sup>a</sup> Bed Depth	Removal Efficiencies <sup>b</sup> for Radioiodine %
2 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate inside reactor containment	90.
2 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled at 70%	70.
4 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled at 70%	90.
6 inches. Air filtration system designed to operate outside the reactor containment and relative humidity is controlled to 70%	99.

<sup>a</sup> Multiple beds, e.g., two 2-inch beds in series, should be treated as a single bed of aggregate depth of 4 inches.

<sup>b</sup> The removal efficiencies assigned to HEPA filters for particulate removal and charcoal adsorbers for radioiodine removal are based on the design, testing, and maintenance criteria recommended in Regulatory Guide 1.140, "Design, Testing and Maintenance Criteria for Normal Ventilation Exhaust System Air Filtration and Adsorption Units of Light-Water-Cooled Nuclear Power Plants" (Ref. 2).

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Regulatory Guide 1.140, Revision 2 Charcoal Efficiency Information

Table 1 taken from Regulatory Guide 1.140, Revision 2  
Note: Recommended for use with GALE09

**Table 1: Laboratory Tests For Activated Carbon**

Activated Carbon <sup>a</sup> Total Bed Depth <sup>b</sup>	Maximum Assigned Activated Carbon Decontamination Efficiencies	Methyl Iodide Penetration Acceptance Criterion for Representative Sample
2 inches	Elemental iodine	95%
	Organic iodide	95%
4 inches or greater	Elemental iodine	99%
	Organic iodide	99%

<sup>a</sup> The activated carbon, when new, should meet the specifications of Regulatory Position 4.9 of this guide.

<sup>b</sup> Multiple beds, e.g., two 2-inch beds in series, should be treated as a single bed of aggregate depth. It is advantageous when series beds are located in separate housings and individually in-place leak tested. This aids in naming the challenge agent and contributes to the accuracy of the test results.

**NOTES:**

(1) Credited decontamination efficiencies (a portion of which includes bypass leakage) are based on 0.25 second residence time per 2-inch bed depth.

(2) Organic iodide and elemental iodine are the forms of iodine that are expected to be absorbed by activated carbon. Organic iodide is more difficult for activated carbon to adsorb than elemental iodine. Therefore, the laboratory test to determine the performance of the activated carbon adsorber is based on organic iodide. Methyl iodide is the organic form of iodine that is used in the laboratory test.

(3) This Table 1 provides acceptable decontamination efficiencies and methyl iodide test penetrations of used activated carbon samples for laboratory testing. Laboratory tests are conducted in accordance with ASTM D3803-1989 (Ref. 4). Tests are conducted at a temperature of 30°C and a relative humidity of 95%, except a relative humidity of 70% is used when the air entering the carbon adsorber is maintained at less than or equal to 70% relative humidity.

(4) See Appendix A to ASME N509-1989 (Ref. 1) for the definition of a representative sample. Testing should be performed at the frequencies specified in Regulatory Position 7.2 of this guide. Testing should be performed in accordance with ASTM D3803-1989 (Ref. 4) at a temperature of 30°C and a relative humidity of 95% (or 70% with humidity control). Humidity control can be provided by heaters or an analysis that demonstrates that the air entering the carbon will be maintained less than or equal to 70% relative humidity.

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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System Window (cont.)

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge
Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building

Charcoal adsorbers  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers? Yes  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)  
 Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100) 90 %  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency NUREG-0017 Efficiency

HEPA filters  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? No  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building
Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge

Containment free volume 2.715 million ft<sup>3</sup>

Containment Internal Cleanup System  
 Charcoal adsorbers  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers? No  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)  
 Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100) 0 %  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency NUREG-0017 Efficiency

HEPA filters  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? No  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)  
 Flow rate through internal cleanup system 0 thousand ft<sup>3</sup>/min

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System Window (cont.)

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building
Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge

Charcoal adsorbers  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers? Yes  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)  
 Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100) 90 %  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency NUREG-0017 Efficiency

HEPA filters  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? Yes  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

Number of purges per year during power operations 0 do not include the 2 purges at shutdown

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

Gaseous Radwaste Treatment System

Letdown System  
1 - continuous degassification of the full letdown flo

Holdup time for fission gases stripped from the primary coolant  
 Holdup time for Xe 60 days  
 Holdup time for Kr 3.54 days  
 Fill time of Decay Tanks for the gas stripper 0 days

Waste Gas System Particulate Release	Fuel handling building	Auxiliary building
Containment building	Containment high volume purge	Containment low volume purge

Charcoal adsorbers  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Charcoal adsorbers? Yes  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)  
 Removal efficiency (Range 0 - 100) 90 %  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 Efficiency NUREG-0017 Efficiency

HEPA filters  
 Reg. Guide 1.140 HEPA filters? Yes  
 (No = 0% ,Yes = 99%)

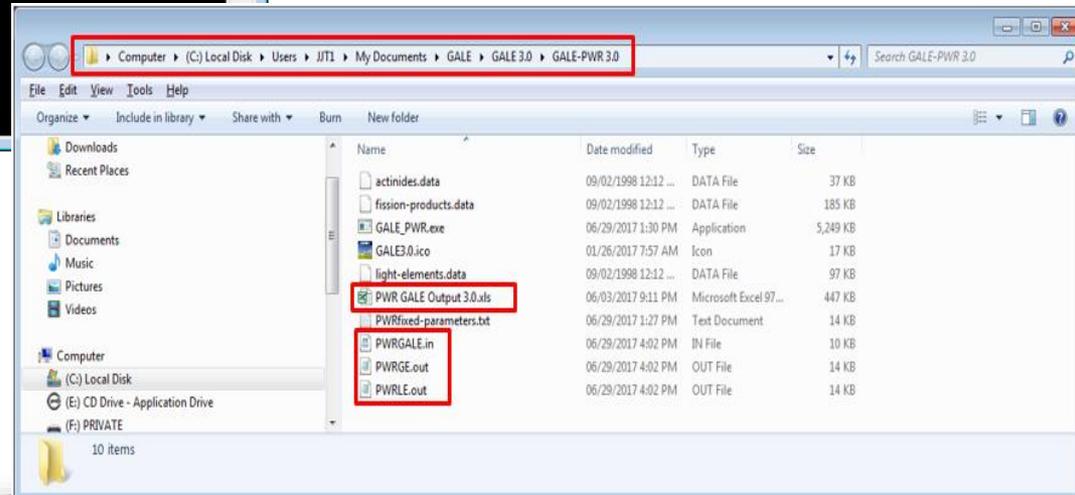
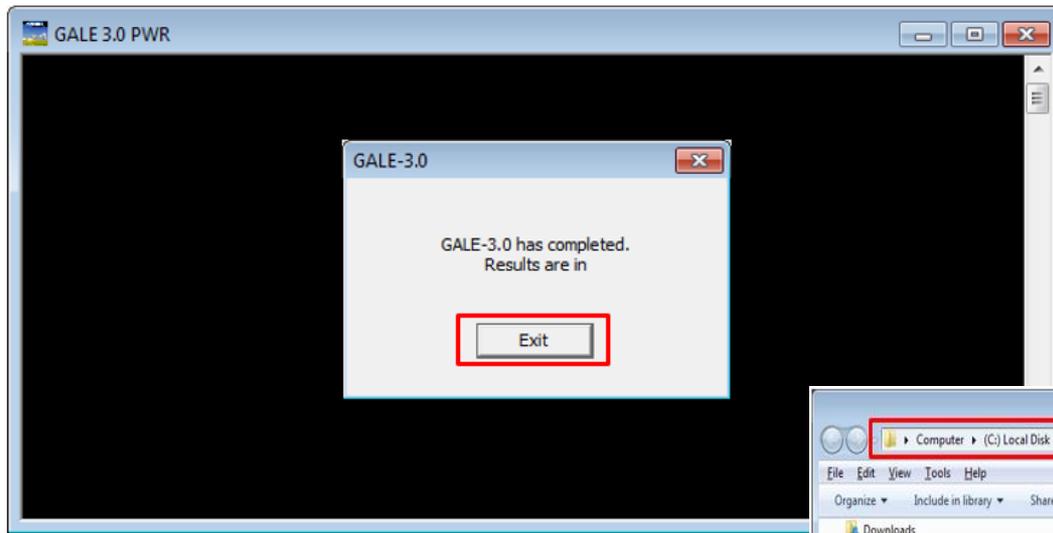
Continuous containment purge rate 1000 ft<sup>3</sup>/min

Iodine  
 Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent 0 Fraction  
 Percent of iodine removed from Air Ejector release 0 %

Save Cancel

# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWR 3.0 Code Execution and Outputs



# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- GALE-PWRGE 3.0 Output

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PWRGEor: Netage
***** GALE Version: GALE3 *****
***** GMS-18.1 Version: 1984 *****

*** Modification of Fixed Parameters Requested: Changes Listed Below ***
plant capacity factor      recommended value: 0.8000 Requested Value: 0.8700

Sample Pwr
THERMAL POWER LEVEL (MEGAWATTS)          3.2000E+03
PLANT CAPACITY FACTOR                     8.7000E-01
MASS OF PRIMARY COOLANT (THOUSAND LBS)   5.5000E+02
PRIMARY SYSTEM LETDOWN RATE (GPM)        7.5000E+01
LETDOWN CATION DEMINERALIZER FLOW (GPM)  1.5000E+01
NUMBER OF STEAM GENERATORS               4.0000E+00
TOTAL STEAM FLOW (MILLION LBS/HR)        1.5000E+02
MASS OF LIQUID IN EACH STEAM GENERATOR (THOUSAND LBS) 1.1500E+02
BLOWDOWN RATE (THOUSAND LBS/HR)         7.5000E+01
CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER REGENERATION TIME (DAYS) 8.4000E+00
CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER FLOW FRACTION  0.5000E+01

LIQUID WASTE INPUTS
STREAM      FLOW RATE      FRACTION      FRACTION      COLLECTION      DECAY
            (GAL/DAY)     OF PCA       DISCHARGED    TIME           TIME
            (GPM)              (DAYS)      (DAYS)        (DAYS)         (DAYS)
DECONTAMINATION FACTORS
CS          OTHERS

SHIP BLEED RATE          1.4400E+01  1.0000E-04  1.0000E-01  2.2600E+01  9.3000E-01  5.0000E+03  2.0000E+03  1.0000E+03
EQUIPMENT DRAINS        3.3000E+02  9.7000E-01  1.0000E-01  2.2600E+01  9.3000E-01  5.0000E+03  2.0000E+03  1.0000E+03
CLEAN WASTE SHUNT        9.8000E+02  9.8000E-02  1.0000E-01  2.2600E+01  9.3000E-01  5.0000E+03  2.0000E+03  1.0000E+03
DIRTY WASTES             2.1000E+03  1.0000E-02  1.0000E+00  3.8000E+00  1.8000E-01  3.0000E+02  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+04
BLOWDOWN                1.5275E+01  1.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  1.0000E+00  1.0000E+00  1.0000E+00
UNTREATED BLOWDOWN      0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  1.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  0.0000E+00  1.0000E+00  1.0000E+00  1.0000E+00
REGENERANT SOLS         2.4000E+00  1.0000E-01  4.7000E+00  3.7000E-01  5.0000E+02  1.0000E+03  1.0000E+04

GASEOUS WASTE INPUTS
FLOW RATE THROUGH GAS STRIPPER          7.5232E+01
CONTINUOUS STRIPPING OF FULL LETDOWN FLOW
HOLDUP TIME FOR XENON (DAYS)            6.0000E+01
HOLDUP TIME FOR KRYPTON (DAYS)          0.0000E+00
FILL TIME OF DECAY TANKS FOR THE GAS STRIPPER (DAYS) 0.0000E+00
PRIMARY COOLANT LEAK TO AUXILIARY BLDG (LBS/DAY) 0.0000E+00
GAS WASTE SYSTEM PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-02
FUEL HANDLS BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-01
AUXILIARY BLDG IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-01
CONTAINMENT VOLUME (MILLION FT3)        1.0000E+00
FREQUENCY OF PRIMARY COOLANT DEGASING (TIMES/YR) 2.5000E+00
PRIMARY TO SECONDARY LEAK RATE (LBS/DAY) 2.5000E+00
THIS IS NOT A KIDNEY FILTER
FRACTION IODINE BYPASSING CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER 3.5000E-02
IODINE PARTITION FACTOR (GAS/LIQUID) IN STEAM GENERATOR 0.0000E+00
FREQUENCY OF CNTNT BLDG VOL PURGE (TIMES/YR) 1.0000E+00
CNTNT-HIGH VOL PURGE IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-02
CNTNT LOW VOL PURGE PARTICULATE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-02
CNTNT LOW VOL PURGE IODINE RELEASE FRACTION 1.0000E-01
STEAM LEAK TO TURBINE BLDG (LBS/HR)     1.7000E+03
FRACTION IODINE RELEASED FROM BLOWDOWN TANK VENT 0.0000E+00
PERCENT OF IODINE REMOVED FROM AIR EJECTOR RELEASE 0.0000E+00

Sample Pwr
PRIMARY COOLANT SECONDARY COOLANT
(MICRO-CI/GP) (MICRO-CI/GM)
I-131 4.46316E-02 1.35572E-06
I-132 1.09661E-01 7.72408E-06
I-134 1.39759E-01 2.26844E-06
I-135 2.59510E-01 2.47555E-01
0.0000E+00 APPEARING IN THE TABLE INDICATES RELEASE IS LESS THAN 0.0001 CI/YR FOR I

TOTAL H-3 RELEASED VIA GASEOUS PATHWAY = 1.1000E+03 CI/YR
C-14 RELEASED VIA GASEOUS PATHWAY = 7.3000E+00 CI/YR
AR-41 RELEASED VIA CONTAINMENT VENT = 3.4000E+01 CI/YR

Sample Pwr
PRIMARY COOLANT SECONDARY COOLANT
(MICRO-CI/GP) (MICRO-CI/GM) SHUTDOWN CONTINUOUS REACTOR AUXILIARY TURBINE
GAS STRIPPING BUILDING VENTILATION
BLOWDOWN AIR EJECTOR
VENT OFFGAS EXHAUST TOTAL
KR-85 1.21788E-03 1.81834E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.2000E-01 2.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.0000E+00 1.0000E+00 3.7000E+01
KR-83 5.71523E-03 1.18292E-09 3.0000E+00 7.3000E+02 1.4000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 7.3000E+02
KR-84 2.15761E-01 2.67111E-07 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.8000E+01
KR-88 2.20920E-01 4.64704E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.3000E+01 5.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.9000E+00 5.0000E+00 3.0000E+01
XE-113M 1.41871E-02 1.01781E-07 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.1000E+00 1.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.5000E+02
XE-113M 1.18169E-02 2.53219E-09 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.8000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.8000E+01
XE-113 4.24700E-01 4.66698E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.3000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 4.5000E+02
XE-113M 1.26798E-01 2.83345E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 3.0000E+00 3.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.5000E+00 7.0000E+00 2.0000E+01
XE-115 4.31000E-01 3.92077E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.0000E+01 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.0000E+02
XE-117 1.37851E-02 7.05120E-09 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 6.0000E+00
XE-118 1.11700E-01 2.44178E-08 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 1.0000E+00 3.0000E+00 1.8000E+01
TOTAL NOBLE GASES
0.0000E+00 APPEARING IN THE TABLE INDICATES RELEASE IS LESS THAN 1.0 CI/YR FOR NOBLE GAS

Sample Pwr
WASTE GAS SYSTEM AIRBORNE PARTICULATE RELEASE RATE-CURIES PER YEAR
NUCLIDE FUEL HANDLING REACTOR AUXILIARY
TOTAL
CR-51 1.4000E-07 1.8000E-04 9.2000E-03 3.2000E-04 5.8000E-04 9.4000E-04
MU-14 1.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
CO-57 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
FE-58 1.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
CO-60 1.4000E-07 8.2000E-03 2.6000E-03 5.1000E-04 5.0000E-04 5.0000E-04
FE-59 1.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
SR-89 4.4000E-07 2.1000E-03 1.3000E-04 7.5000E-04 7.5000E-04 7.5000E-04
SR-90 1.7000E-07 8.0000E-04 5.2000E-05 2.9000E-05 2.9000E-05 2.9000E-05
ZR-95 4.8000E-08 1.6000E-06 0.0000E+00 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-03 1.0000E-03
NB-95 2.7000E-08 2.4000E-03 1.8000E-05 2.0000E-05 2.0000E-05 2.0000E-05
RU-103 3.2000E-08 3.8000E-05 1.6000E-05 2.3000E-05 2.3000E-05 2.3000E-05
RU-106 6.7000E-08 6.8000E-05 0.0000E+00 6.0000E-06 6.0000E-06 6.0000E-06
SB-125 0.0000E+00 0.7000E-05 0.0000E+00 3.9000E-06 3.9000E-06 3.9000E-06
CS-134 1.3000E-07 3.7000E-03 2.7000E-03 2.4000E-04 2.4000E-04 2.4000E-04
CS-137 7.7000E-07 2.7000E+03 5.5000E+03 7.2000E-04 7.2000E-04 7.2000E-04
BA-140 0.2000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00
CE-141 2.2000E-08 4.4000E-07 1.3000E-03 2.6000E-05 2.6000E-05 2.6000E-05

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# GALE-PWR 3.0 Use

- PWR GALE Output 3.0.xls

The screenshot shows an Excel spreadsheet with the following content:

- Title:** GALE 3.0
- Section 1:** Gaseous Effluent Output. Includes a 'Browse' button with the path 'D:\GALE\PWR\_GALE\_Test\11SEP2017\PWRGE.out' and a 'Read GE Data' button.
- Section 2:** Liquid Effluent Output. Includes a 'Browse' button with the path 'D:\GALE\PWR\_GALE\_Test\11SEP2017\PWRLE.out' and a 'Read LE Data' button.
- Image:** A photograph of a nuclear power plant with several cooling towers emitting steam.
- Text:** Copyright information for GALE v3.0, stating it was developed for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission under contract number NRC-HQ-60-14-D-0011.
- Bottom Section:** A 'Read Output' button and a list of output categories: Nobel Gas, Iodine (gas), Particulates (gas), Tritium and Others (gas), and Liquid.

# GALE 3.0 (beta) Modeling Parameters



# Modeling Parameters: Summary

- Summary of Differences GALE 86 to GALE 09
- Use of the fixed parameters files
  - BWRfixed-parameters.txt
  - PWRfixed-parameters.txt



# GALE-BWR 86 to 09 Detail

Change #	GALE-BWR 86 to 09 Changes in Detail
1	Plant capacity factor was increased from 8.0E-01 to 9.0E-01 (80 to 90 percent).
2	Radioiodine release rates from various buildings during normal operations were increased by multiplying by 1.125E+00.
3	Radioiodine release rates from various buildings during extended shutdown were decreased by multiplying by 5.0E-01.
4	Carbon-14 release rate was decreased from 9.5E+00 Ci/yr to 1.07E+01 Ci/yr.
5	Unexpected release rate was decreased from 1.0E-01 Ci/yr to 1.4E-02 Ci/yr.

# GALE-PWR 86 to 09 Detail

Change #	GALE-PWR 86 to 09 Changes in Detail
1	Plant capacity factor was increased from 8.0E-01 to 9.0E-01 (80 to 90 percent).
2	Tritium release rate was decreased from 4.0E-01 Ci/yr/MWt to 2.7E-01 Ci/yr/MWt
3	Argon-41 release rate was decreased from 3.4E+01 Ci/yr to 6.0E+00 Ci/yr
4	Carbon-14 release rate was decreased from 7.3E+00 Ci/yr to 5.9E+00 Ci/yr.
5	Unexpected release rate was decreased from 1.6E-01 Ci/yr to 1.6E-04 Ci/yr.
6	Condensate demineralizer DF for "Other Radionuclides" was changed from 5.0E+01 to 1.0E+01

# Modeling Parameters: BWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Table 4-63 from NUREG-0016, Revision 2 (Draft)

Table 4-63 BWRfixed-parameters.txt file modifiable parameters

Code Line	Parameter	Location in GALE-BWR Code	Default Values <sup>a</sup>		
3.1	Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)	GE & LE	8.0E-01		
3.2	Radionuclide Concentration in Reactor Coolant and Main Steam ( $\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )	GE	Noble gases in reactor main steam	See Table 4-51	
		GE	Noble gases in reactor water	See Table 4-51	
		LE	Halogens, Cs & Rb, and Other Nuclides in reactor water	See Table 4-51	
3.3	Noble Gas, Radioiodine, and Particulate Releases from Building Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment	GE	Noble Gas Releases ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )		See Table 4-2
			Particulate Releases ( $\mu\text{Ci/yr}$ )		See Table 4-2
			Radioiodine Releases ( $\text{Ci/yr}/\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )	Reactor Building	See Table 4-5
				Turbine Building	See Table 4-4
Radwaste Building	See Table 4-6				
3.4	Radioiodine Input Rate to Main Condenser Offgas System ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )	GE	6.0E+00		
3.5	Main Condenser Vacuum Pump Release	GE	Xe-133 ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )		1.3E+03
			Xe-135 ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )		5.0E+02
			I-131 normal operations ( $\text{Ci/yr}/\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )		4.9E+02
			I-131 shutdown ( $\text{Ci/yr}/\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )		1.1E+03

<sup>a</sup> The default values are from Section 4.1.1 (reference [3]) and Section 4.2.1 (reference [7]).



# Modeling Parameters: BWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Table 4-63 from NUREG-0016, Revision 2 (Draft)

Table 4-63 BWRfixed-parameters.txt file modifiable parameters (cont.)

Code Line	Parameter	Location in GALE-BWR Code	Default Values <sup>a</sup>	
3.7	Cryogenic Distillation System	GE	PC for Xe and I	1.0E-04
			PC for Kr	2.5E-04
			Holdup time (d)	9.0E+01
3.9	Annual Releases in Untreated Detergent Waste (Ci/yr)	LE	See Table 4-30	
3.10	Tritium Releases	GE & LE	Tritium activity in primary coolant ( $\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )	1.0E-02
			Total tritium release (Ci/yr/Mwt)	3.0E-02
			Maximum fraction of tritium released through liquid pathway	5.0E-01
			Fraction of gaseous tritium released from turbine building	5.0E-01
3.11	Argon-41 Release (Ci/yr)	GE	Dynamic adsorption coefficient for ambient temperature systems	6.4E+00
			Dynamic adsorption coefficient for chilled temperature systems	1.6E+01
3.12	Carbon-14 Releases (Ci/yr)	GE	9.5E+00	
3.13	Source Term Adjustments for AOOs (Ci/yr)	LE	1.0E-01	

<sup>a</sup> The default values are from Section 4.1.1 (reference [3]) and Section 4.2.1 (reference [7]).

# Modeling Parameters: BWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Example File

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BWRfixed-parameters1.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
$user
!3.1 Plant Capacity Factor (GE and LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.2 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
PF_user=0.9 !Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)

!3.3 Noble Gas, Radioiodine, and Particulate Releases from Building Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment (GE)
!Radioiodine release from Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment (in Ci/yr/microcurie/g)
!(Assuming 90% capacity factor. will be adjusted based on actual capacity factor)
! Values from Section 2.2.4 (Tables 2-8 through 2-9) of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
!Reactor_Building Turbine_Building Radwaste_Building
RN_user(1)=1.3800E+01, RNT_user(1)=4.3000E+03, RNR_user(1)=5.2000E+00 !I-131 during operation
RN_user(2)=1.3800E+01, RNT_user(2)=4.3000E+03, RNR_user(2)=5.2000E+00 !I-133 during operation
RNS_user(1)=2.6000E+00, RNTS_user(1)=2.1000E+02, RNRS_user(1)=7.0000E-01 !I-131 during shutdown
RNS_user(2)=2.6000E+00, RNTS_user(2)=2.1000E+02, RNRS_user(2)=7.0000E-01 !I-133 during shutdown

!3.5 Main Condenser Vacuum Pump Release (GE)
! Values from Section 2.2.7 and Table 2-26 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
VPR_user(10)=1300.0 !Ci/yr Xe-133
VPR_user(12)=500.0 !Ci/yr Xe-133
RNMVP_user(1)=550.0 !Ci/yr/microCurie/g I-131(normal operations assuming 90% capacity. will be adjusted for actual capacity factor)
RNMVP_user(2)=550.0 !Ci/yr/microCurie/g I-133(normal operations assuming 90% capacity. will be adjusted for actual capacity factor)
RNMVPS_user(1)=550.0 !Ci/yr/microCurie/g I-131(shutdown assuming 90% capacity. will be adjusted for actual capacity factor)
RNMVPS_user(2)=550.0 !Ci/yr/microCurie/g I-133(shutdown assuming 90% capacity. will be adjusted for actual capacity factor)

!3.13 Source Term Adjustments for Anticipated Operational Occurrences (LE)
! values from Section 2.2.20 of NUREG-0016, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
AOIfixed_user=0.014 !adjustment is made to liquid radwaste source terms to account for A00 (Ci/yr)

$end
  
```

**Modified Parameters**



# Modeling Parameters: PWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Table 4-62 from NUREG-0017, Revision 2 (Draft)

Table 4-62 PWRfixed-parameters.txt file modifiable parameters

Code Line	Parameter	Location in GALE-PWR Code	Default Values <sup>a</sup>		
3.1	Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)	GE & LE	8.0E-01		
3.2	Coolant and Main Steam Radionuclide Concentration ( $\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )	GE	Once-Through Steam Generator (noble gases & halogens)	See Table 4-43	
		GE	U-tube Steam Generator (noble gases & halogens)	See Table 4-42	
		LE	Primary and Secondary Coolant	See Table 4-42	
3.3	Radioiodine release from Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment ( $\text{Ci/yr}/\mu\text{Ci/g}$ )	GE	Containment	Normal Operation	8.0E-06
				Shutdown	3.2E-01
			Auxiliary Building	Normal Operation	6.8E-01
				Shutdown	2.5E+00
			Fuel Handling Building	Normal Operation	3.8E-02
				Shutdown	9.3E-02
			Turbine Building	Normal Operation	3.8E+03
				Shutdown	4.2E+02

<sup>a</sup> The default values are from Section 4.1.1 (reference [3]) and Section 4.2.1 (reference [7]).

# Modeling Parameters: PWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Table 4-62 from NUREG-0017, Revision 2 (Draft)

Table 4-62 PWRfixed-parameters.txt file modifiable parameters (cont.)

Code Line	Parameter	Location in GALE-PWR Code	Default Values <sup>a</sup>	
3.4	Particulate release from Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment (Ci/yr for each radionuclide)	GE	Containment	See Table 4-8
			Auxiliary Building	See Table 4-8
			Fuel Pool Area	See Table 4-8
			Waste Gas System	See Table 4-8
3.5	Noble Gas Releases from Building Ventilation Systems	GE	Primary coolant leakage to auxiliary building (lb/d)	1.6E+02
			Steam leakage to turbine building (lb/d)	1.7E+03
			Primary Coolant noble gas inventory leakage to containment building (fraction/d)	3.0E-02
3.6	Containment Building Purge Frequency	GE & LE	2.0E+00	
3.7	Primary System Volumes Degassed per Year	GE	2.0E+00	
3.8	Steam Generator Partition Coefficient	LE	Nonvolatile PC for U-tube Steam Generator	5.0E-03
			Radioiodine PC for U-tube Steam Generator	1.0E-02
			Nonvolatile PC for Once-through Steam Generator	1.0E+00
			Radioiodine PC for Once-through Steam Generator	1.0E+00
3.9	Radioiodine Releases from the Air Ejector Exhaust Prior to Treatment (Ci/yr/pCi/g)	GE	1.7E+03	
3.10	Containment Internal Cleanup System	GE	System operation time (h)	1.6E+01
			System mixing efficiency (fraction)	7.0E-01
			System particulate DF	1.0E+02
3.11	Annual Releases in Untreated Detergent Waste (Ci/yr)	LE	See Table 4-21	

<sup>a</sup> The default values are from Section 4.1.1 (reference [3]) and Section 4.2.1 (reference [7]).



# Modeling Parameters: PWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Table 4-62 from NUREG-0017, Revision 2 (Draft)

**Table 4-62 PWRfixed-parameters.txt file modifiable parameters (cont.)**

Code Line	Parameter	Location in GALE-PWR Code	Default Values <sup>a</sup>	
3.12	Tritium Releases	GE & LE	Tritium activity in primary coolant ( $\mu\text{Ci/yr}$ )	1.0E+00
			Total tritium release ( $\text{Ci/yr/Mwt}$ )	4.0E-01
			Maximum fraction of tritium released through liquid pathway	9.0E-01
3.13	Argon-41 Release ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )	GE	3.4E+01	
3.14	Carbon-14 Release ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )	GE	7.3E+00	
3.15	DFs for Condensate Demineralizers	LE	Anion DF for Condensate Demineralizers	1.0E+01
			Other Nuclide DF for Condensate Demineralizers	1.0E+01
			Cs DF for Condensate Demineralizers	2.0E+00
3.17	Releases of Radioactive Material in Liquid Waste from the Turbine Building Floor Drain System ( $\text{gal/d}$ )	LE	7.2E+03	
3.19	Source Term Adjustments for AOOs ( $\text{Ci/yr}$ )	LE	1.6E-01	

<sup>a</sup> The default values are from Section 4.1.1 (reference [3]) and Section 4.2.1 (reference [7]).

# Modeling Parameters: PWRfixed-parameters.txt

- Example File

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PWRfixed-parameters1.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
$user
!3.1 Plant Capacity Factor (GE and LE)
! Value from Section 2.2.2 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
PF_user=0.9 !Plant Capacity Factor (fraction)

!3.2 Coolant and Main Steam Radionuclide Concentrations (GE and LE)
! GE noble gas and iodine concentrations in reactor coolant and main steam (micro curies/g)
! Values from Table 6 of ANSI/ANS-18.1-1984( GALE86 Code)
! U-Tube Steam Generator
! Reactor Coolant Main Steam
XPlu_user(6)=8.0E-02, XP2u_user(6)=1.5E-08 ! XE-133M

! 3.4 Particulate release from Ventilation Systems Prior to Treatment (GE)
!(in micro-Ci/yr)
! Values from Section 2.2.5 (Table 2-17) of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
! Containment Building Auxiliary Building Fuel Pool Area Waste Gas System
PCBP_user(8)=6.2E-03, PAXBP_user(8)=2.9E-04, PFHBP_user(8)=8.0E-04, PGWS_user(8)=1.7E-05 ! SR-90

!3.9 Radioiodine Releases from the Air Ejector Exhaust Prior to Treatment (GE)
! Values from Section 2.2.8 (Table 2-22) of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
EITfixed_user = 2300.0 !Ci/yr/pci/g

!3.13 Argon-41 Release (GE)
! Value from Section 2.2.26 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
Ar41_user=16.0 !ci/yr

!3.14 Carbon-14 Release (GE)
! Value from Section 2.2.25 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
C14_user=5.9 !ci/yr

!3.19 Source Term Adjustments for Anticipated Operational Occurrences (LE)
! Values from Section 2.2.23 of NUREG-0017, Revision 1 (GALE86 Code)
AOIfixed_user = 0.00016 !adjustment is made to liquid radwaste source terms to account for AOO (Ci/yr)

$end
  
```

Modified Parameters

# 15 Minute Break



# GALE 3.0 (beta) Sample Problems



# Sample Problems: Summary

- PWR Sample Problem
- BWR Sample Problem



# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Basic Plant Information

Parameter	Value
Thermal power level	3400 MW(th)
Mass of coolant in primary system	550 thousand lbs
Primary system letdown rate	75 gal/min
Letdown cation demineralizer flow rate	7.5 gal/min
Number of steam generators	4
Total steam flow	15 million lbs/hr
Mass of liquid in each steam generator	112.5 thousand lbs
Steam generator blowdown treatment method	Recycled after treatment
Type of steam generator	U-Tube
Blowdown rate	75 thousand lbs/hr
Condensate demineralizer regeneration time	8.4 days
Fraction of feedwater through condensate demineralizers	0.65



# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Shim Bleed

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	1440 gal/day
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^3$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$2 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^5$
Waste collection time prior to processing	22.6 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.93 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.1

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Equipment Drain Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	330 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.97 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^3$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$2 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^5$
Waste collection time prior to processing	22.6 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.93 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.1

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Clean Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	980 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.093 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^2$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	5.7 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.13 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.1

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Dirty Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	2100 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.001 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^2$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	3.8 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.19 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	1.0

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Blowdown Waste

Parameter	Value
Fraction of Steam Processed	1
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^2$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	0 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Regenerant Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	3400 gal/day
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$5 \times 10^2$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	4.7 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.37 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.1

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Laundry

Parameter	Value
Detergent Waste Partition Factor	1

# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Gaseous Waste – Building Vents

Parameter	Value
Waste Gas particulate release •HEPA?	Yes
Fuel Handling building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	Yes 90% efficient Yes
Auxiliary Building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	Yes 90% efficient No
Containment Building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA? •Free volume •Flow rate through internal cleanup system	No No 2.715 million ft <sup>3</sup> 0 ft <sup>3</sup> /min



# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Gaseous Waste – Containment Purges

Parameter	Value
Containment large volume purge •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA? •Number of purges per year	Yes 90% efficient Yes 2 at shutdown
Containment low volume purge •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA? •Continuous purge rate	Yes 90% efficient Yes 1000 ft <sup>3</sup> /min



# PWR Sample Problem Information:

## Gaseous Waste – Misc.

Parameter	Value
Letdown System	Continuous degasification of full letdown flow
Holdup time for Xe stripped from primary coolant	60 days
Holdup time for Kr stripped from primary coolant	3.54 days
Fill time of decay tanks for gas stripper	0 days
Fraction of iodine released from blowdown tank vent	0.0
Fraction of iodine released from air ejector release	0.0

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Basic Plant Information

Parameter	Value
Thermal power level	3400 MW(th)
Total steam flow	15 million lbs/hr
Mass of water in reactor vessel	0.38 million lbs
Cleanup demineralizer flow	0.13 million lbs/hr
Condensate demineralizer regeneration time	56 days
Copper tubing for condenser	No
Fraction of feedwater through condensate demineralizers	1.0

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – High Purity Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	28640 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.15 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^2$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Waste collection time prior to processing	1 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.07 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	0.01

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Low Purity Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	5700 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.13 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	3.1 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.6 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	1.0

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Chemical Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	600 gal/day
Activity of Inlet Stream	0.02 fraction of PCA
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^3$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Waste collection time prior to processing	3.1 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.6 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	1.0

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Regenerant Waste

Parameter	Value
Flow rate	1700 gal/day
Iodine Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^4$
Cs and Rb Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^5$
Other Decontamination Factor	$1 \times 10^5$
Waste collection time prior to processing	9.4 days
Waste processing and discharge times	0.44 days
Average fraction of wastes to be discharged after processing	1.0

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Liquid Waste – Laundry

Parameter	Value
Detergent Waste Partition Factor	1

# BWR Sample Problem Information:

## Gaseous Waste – Building Vents

Parameter	Value
Containment Building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	Yes 90% efficient Yes
Auxiliary building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	No No
Radwaste Building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	No Yes
Turbine Building •Charcoal adsorbers? •HEPA?	No No



# BWR Sample Problem Information: Gaseous Waste – Turbine Systems

Parameter	Value
Gland Seal	
•Gland seal steam flow	0.0 lbs/hr
•Gland seal holdup time	0 hrs
•Fraction iodine release from condenser vent	0
Air Ejector Offgas	
•Air Ejector holdup time	0.167 hrs
•Fraction iodine released from air ejector vent	1.0
•Charcoal delays system?	Yes
•Kr dynamic adsorption coefficient	105 cm <sup>3</sup> /g
•Xe dynamic adsorption coefficient	2410 cm <sup>3</sup> /g
•Mass of charcoal	48 thousand lbs

# Users Group



# Users Group

- GALE Website Demonstration
- GALE Training
  - GALE training will be available at annual RAMP users group meeting to RAMP members
  - Onsite training is available under contract
- Member Presentations
  - As membership grows, members are encouraged to give presentations of activities with GALE at RAMP users group meeting
- Technical Support
  - Limited technical support is available to RAMP members by e-mailing
    - [kenneth.geelhood@pnnl.gov](mailto:kenneth.geelhood@pnnl.gov)
    - [david.colameco@pnnl.gov](mailto:david.colameco@pnnl.gov)



# New GALE Website



# GALE Website

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# GALE Website Main Welcome Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/GALE>

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GALE Code Download Page

GALE 2.0 can be installed on Windows 7.0 and later operating systems. Download the GALE 2.0.zip file below to your computer.

File description	Link to the file
GALE-PWR 2.0 Code	<a href="#">PWR-GALE-2_0.zip</a>
GALE-BWR 2.0 Code	<a href="#">BWR-GALE-2_0.zip</a>
GALE-2.0 Quick Start Guide	<a href="#">GALE-2.0 Quick Start Guide.pdf</a>

To run the code, the user should unzip the files and copy the files to their computer and set up a working directory. The working directory should contain the 2 executable files (.exe) the 3 data files (.data), and an existing input file (.in) if starting from a previous GALE-2.0 run. Otherwise the program will set up and save the input file. This working directory may also contain the spreadsheet file (.xls) for output visualization. The executable does not have to be in the working directory, however, it may be in this directory.

The RAMP and GALE Development Teams **strongly** encourage the GALE users to completely review and follow the GALE-2.0 Quick Start Guide (PDF) while installing GALE 2.0 to ensure error free installation of the code. Additionally, a list of changes to GALE 2.0 can be found under the [GALE Change Log link](#).



# GALE Website Documentation Page

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The main content area is titled "GALE Documentation Page" and features a list of links:

- [GALE Technical Documents](#)
- [GALE User's Guide](#)
- [GALE Code Change Logs](#)
- [GALE SQAP - V&V Testing](#)

On the left side, there is a sidebar menu with the following sections:

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### MODELS AND METHODS

File description	Link to the file
GALE-2.0 BWR: A Computer Code for the Calculation of Releases of Radioactive Materials in Gaseous and Liquid Effluents from Boiling Water Reactors - Technical Basis Document(Draft)	<a href="#">GALE-2.0-BWR-v1-DRAFT_Tech-Basis-cw_draft.pdf</a>
GALE-2.0 PWR: A Computer Code for the Calculation of Releases of Radioactive Materials in Gaseous and Liquid Effluents from Boiling Water Reactors - Technical Basis Document(Draft)	<a href="#">GALE-2.0-PWR-v1-DRAFT_Tech-Basis-cw_draft.pdf</a>

### TECHNICAL REFERENCES

File description	Link to the file
NUREG-0800 Chp 9.3.4 Revision 3 (ML070160660)	<a href="#">NUREG-0800 Chp 9.3.4 Revision 3 (ML070160660).pdf</a>
NUREG-0800 Chp 9.3.5 Revision 3 (ML070680186)	<a href="#">NUREG-0800 Chp 9.3.5 Revision 3 (ML070680186).pdf</a>
NUREG-0800 Chp 9.4.1 Revision 3 (ML070550045)	<a href="#">NUREG-0800 Chp 9.4.1 Revision 3 (ML070550045).pdf</a>
NUREG-0800 Chp 9.4.2 Revision 3 (ML070550038)	<a href="#">NUREG-0800 Chp 9.4.2 Revision 3 (ML070550038).pdf</a>
NUREG-0800 Chp 12.3 -12.4 Revision 5 (ML13151A475)	<a href="#">NUREG-0800 Chp 12.3 -12.4 Revision 5 (ML13151A475).pdf</a>
NUREG-0016 - CALCULATION OF RELEASES OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS IN GASEOUS AND LIQUID EFFLUENTS FROM BOILING WATER REACTORS (BWR-GALE CODE)	<a href="#">GALE-BWR NUREG-0016 Revision 1.pdf</a>
NUREG-CR-0140.pdf	<a href="#">NUREG-CR-0140.pdf</a>
NUREG-0017 - Calculation of Releases of Radioactive Materials in Gaseous and Liquid	<a href="#">GALE-PWR NUREG-0017 Revision</a>



# GALE Website User Guide Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/Ramp-Code-Free-Download/5/Guide/GALE%20User%20Guide>

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# GALE Website Change Logs Page

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The main content area is titled "GALE Change Logs" and lists three entries:

- GALE 2.0 Change Log**  
Released June 30, 2015  
**GALE 2.0 Graphical User Interface (GUI):**  
[Read more](#)  
[Download a printer friendly version of the change log summary](#)
- GALE-09 - Internal Release for Tesing**  
Released November 1, 2009  
**Boiling Water Reactor Gaseous Effluent (BWRGE) Subprogram:**  
[Read more](#)  
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- GALE-08 - Internal Release for Tesing**  
Released June 4, 2008  
**Boiling Water Reactor Gaseous Effluent (BWRGE) Subprogram:**  
[Read more](#)



# GALE Website SQAP – V&V Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/content/gale-sqap-vv-testing>

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the GALE website page for SQAP -V&V Testing. The page has a dark header with the RAMP logo and navigation links: HOME, CODES, MEMBERSHIP, MEETINGS, and ABOUT US. A welcome message for David Colameco is visible. A sidebar on the left contains 'GALE NAVIGATION' with links for downloading code, documentation, training materials, and support. The main content area features the title 'GALE SQAP -V&V Testing' and a section for 'SOFTWARE QUALITY ASSURANCE PLAN (SQAP) & CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT & MAINTENANCE PLAN (CMMP)'. Below this is a table listing file descriptions and links to PDF documents. A section for 'GALE Validation & Verification (V&V) Testing' follows, with a paragraph and a table of verification reports. The page ends with a section for 'GALE Code Benchmarking and "In-Kind" Reports'.

**GALE SQAP -V&V Testing**

**SOFTWARE QUALITY ASSURANCE PLAN (SQAP) & CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT & MAINTENANCE PLAN (CMMP)**

The table below provided a list of the GALE SQAP and GALE CMMP which describe the software quality assurance (SQA) activities and configuration management and maintenance plan that will be followed during the course of software development and deployment of releases to the GALE code.

File description	Link to file
Software Quality Assurance Plan for the Support of the Gaseous and liquid Effluent (GALE) Computer Code Project (PNNL-242249)	<a href="#">GALE SQAP PNNL-24249 Rev 0.pdf</a>
Configuration Management & Maintenance Plan Support for the Gaseous and Liquid Effluent (GALE) Computer Code Project (PNNL-24250)	<a href="#">GALE CMMP PNNL-24250 Rev 0.pdf</a>
NUREG-BR-0167 (ML012750471).pdf	<a href="#">NUREG-BR-0167 (ML012750471).pdf</a>

**GALE Validation & Verification (V&V) Testing**

The following GALE test reports document the verification testing performed by the GALE Development Team (GDT) to demonstrate the consistency of the GALE output files.

File description	Link to file
GALE-2.0 Verification Report (Draft)	<a href="#">GALE-2.0 Verification Report (Draft).pdf</a>

**GALE Code Benchmarking and "In-Kind" Reports**

The table below provides a list of technical benchmarking studies which compare the output calculations



# GALE Website Training Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/gale-training-presentation-materials-download-page>

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**GALE Training Presentations**

These presentations can be used for self-study or reference.

File description	Link to the file
May 2017 GALE Training	<a href="#">GALE Training (May 2017).pdf</a>
October 2015 GALE Training	<a href="#">GALE Training (October 2015).pdf</a>

# GALE Website Support Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/gale-training-presentation-materials-download-page>

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# GALE Website Forum Page

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	Topic	Replies	Last reply
	<a href="#">General Usage Questions</a> By admin 4 months 1 week ago	0	n/a
	<a href="#">Model Questions</a> By admin 4 months 1 week ago	0	n/a
	<a href="#">Error (Bug) Reports</a> By admin 4 months 1 week ago	0	n/a



# GALE Website FAQ Page

- GALE Website <https://www.usnrc-ramp.com/faq-page/116#t116n2916>

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## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) - GALE

[GALE Installation FAQs](#)

- 1. What type of computer do I need to run GALE?**  
The GALE software can be installed on computer running the Windows 7 or later operating system and requires about 5.5 MB of disk space.
- 2. How much computer disk space does GALE need to install?**  
The GALE software installation requires about 5.5 MB of disk space
- 3. Will GALE run on a Mac or MacBook Pro?**  
Yes, although GALE was not developed for the OS X operating system some users have run GALE on Macs in a Windows emulator or virtual machine. However, there is no technical GALE support for this type installation.
- 4. What do I do if I can't get GALE to install correctly?**  
Verify that the "GALE 2.0 Quick Start Document" (PDF) was followed. If the installation error still persists then:
  - RAMP Members – submit a GALE help request by logging into the [U.S NRC RAMP](#) website and selecting the "GALE Support Request" navigation link.

[GALE Distribution FAQs](#)  
[General GALE Usage](#)  
[GALE Code Error \(Bug\) Report](#)



# ANS-18.1 Updates



# ANS-18.1 Summary

- Scope and History of ANS-18.1
- Use of ANS-18.1 in GALE
- Restart of ANS-18.1 Working Group in 2015
  - Near term plans
  - Long term plans



# Scope and History of ANS-18.1

- Scope
  - Provides primary and secondary coolant concentrations of various radionuclides
  - Provides methodology to scale nuclide concentrations based on reactor parameters
- History
  - ANS-18.1 (1984) – used in GALE86
  - ANS-18.1 (1999) – used in GALE08 and GALE09
  - ANS-18.1 (1984, 1999, 2016) used in GALE 3.0 as chosen by user
  - Standard considered delinquent after 10 years with no update or reaffirmation



# Use of ANS-18.1 in GALE

- Nuclide concentrations for ANS-18.1 reference reactor included in GALE for
  - BWR water and steam
  - PWR primary and secondary coolant for U-tube steam generators
  - PWR primary and secondary coolant for once-through steam generators
- Adjustment methodology included in GALE to adjust concentrations for given reactor parameters

# ANS-18.1 Working Group

- First meeting held June 10, 2015 in San Antonio
  - Ken Geelhood Chair
  - Working group members from NRC, GNF, EPRI, and NuScale
  - Current and future uses for standard were established
  - EPRI presented results from recent project to collect effluent release data
- Path-forward for new standard releases were established
  - Standard back in active status
  - ANS-18.1-2016 is latest version



# Q&A and Wrap Up

