

ANCA employees safely store, move agent-filled munitions



Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA) employees, like those here, have safely moved more than 638,200 nerve agent-filled and mustard agent-filled munitions to the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility for safe, permitted disposal. (Weaver)



*ANCDF operations emptied 131 igloos
Anniston stockpile reduced by 96 percent*

Key Messages

- ◆ The Anniston chemical munitions stockpile is safely stored and maintained by the employees of the Anniston Chemical Activity (ANCA) under the command of Lt.Col. Willie J. Flucker.
- ◆ Disposal is safer than indefinite storage.
- ◆ Since 1990, more than 24,250 tons of chemicals and more than 2,531,500 U.S. munitions have been safely incinerated.
- ◆ The U.S. Army *IS* committed to the safety of the community, the environment, and the work force.



*Liquid Incinerator effectively destroys agent
Furnace runs at approximately 2,700° Fahrenheit*

Liquid chemical warfare materiel is destroyed at the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility in the Liquid Incinerator which stands almost 15 feet tall and is just over seven feet in diameter.

Anniston Milestones

- ◆ **July 2, 2009 ~ April 21, 2011:** The ANCDF team has processed *276,023* mustard-filled munitions and *161,171* mustard gallons.
- ◆ **July 23, 2006 ~ December 24, 2008:** All *219,374* VX agent munitions and *196,925* gallons of VX nerve agent are safely demilitarized by ANCDF employees.
- ◆ **August 9, 2003 ~ March 2, 2006:** All *142,428* GB munitions and *96,078* gallons of GB nerve agent safely demilitarized.
- ◆ **1997 ~ 2003:** Westinghouse Anniston constructs and tests the ANCDF.
- ◆ **1997:** U.S. ratifies Chemical Weapons Convention, an international weapons treaty.



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