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DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
ENVIRONMENTAL, BIOLOGICAL FOODSTUFFS and DECOMMISSIONING	Radiological Analysis	Documented In-House Methods:
Airborne dusts, Sand, Soils/Sediment, Water (Natural, surface, ground) Milk	Preparation of samples	Preparation using SOP's PR3, PR4, PR5, PR8, PR9 and PR10 by dissolution/digestion
	Americium - Am^{241} Plutonium - Pu^{238} and $Pu^{239+240}$	Analysis using: SOP's Am2 and Pu1 by alpha spectrometry (SOP OP 1)
	Strontium - Sr^{90}	Analysis using SOP Sr1 by gas flow proportional counting (SOP OP2)
Environmental, Biological and Foodstuffs	Radionuclides emitting gamma rays 59-1836 keV	Analysis using Section 3-4 of IoR Technical Manual by High resolution gamma ray spectrometry
Milk	Caesium - Cs^{137}	Preparation using SOP PR9 by freeze drying SOP OP7 Analysis using; Section 4 of IoR Technical Manual by high resolution gamma ray spectrometry

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ENVIRONMENTAL, BIOLOGICAL FOODSTUFFS and DECOMMISSIONING	<u>Radiological Analysis</u>	Documented In-House Methods:
Dust, Soil, Vegetation, Crops, Foodstuffs, Animal Tissue Faeces and Urine	Sample preparation	Preparation using SOP's PR1, PR2, PR3, PR4, PR5, PR6, PR7, PR8, PR11 By dissolution/digestion
	Alpha emitting: Americium - Am^{241}	Analysis using: SOP's Am2, Pu1 and UT2 By alpha spectrometry SOP OP1
	Plutonium - Pu^{238} and $Pu^{239+240}$ Uranium - U^{234}, U^{235}, U^{238}	
	Beta emitting: Strontium - Sr^{90}	Analysis using SOP Sr1 by gas flow proportional counting SOP OP2
	Polonium - Po^{210} Lead - Pb^{210}	Preparation using SOP PR7 Analysis using SOP's Po1 and Pb1 By alpha spectrometry SOP OP1
Soil/Sediment, Vegetation, Foodstuffs	Carbon - C^{14} Total Tritium - H^3	Preparation using SOP HC 1 by combustion furnace (pyrolyser)
Decommissioning materials (brick, concrete, plaster, wood, floor covering and roofing)		Analysis using SOP OP6 by liquid scintillation
Waters (Natural, surface, ground)		
Water (Natural, surface, ground) Urine	Total Tritium and Aqueous Tritium - H^3	Preparation using SOP HC1 by distillation Analysis using SOP OP6 by liquid scintillation
Urine	Tritium - H^3	Preparation and Analysis using HD1 and SOP OP13 by direct liquid scintillation counting

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ENVIRONMENTAL, BIOLOGICAL FOODSTUFFS and DECOMMISSIONING (cont'd)	Radiological Analysis (cont'd)	Documented In-House Methods:
Waters (non regulatory drinking water, ground water, surface water and land leachates) and air filters Rapid method.	Total alpha activity relative to: Polonium -209 Total beta activity relative to: Strontium-90	Documented in-house method GAB1 by liquid scintillation counting. Typical limits of detection: waters, total alpha 0.2 Bq/L; total beta 0.5 Bq/L; airfilters, total alpha 0.5 Bq/sample, total beta 1 Bq/sample
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