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#### Purpose

To determine the effectiveness of purification in controlling plant radioactivation rates.

#### Conclusions

The effectiveness of purification in controlling plant radioactivation rates was determined through comparison of the actual effects produced from plant operation with and without purification. With the Purification System in service, there was no appreciable difficulty in maintaining the reactor coolant within reference water specifications. In addition, there was no discernable increase of crud deposition in the Reactor Coolant System as determined by direct radiation measurements of the purification hairpin loop. However, without demineralization as a controlling agent, the gross non-volatile gamma activity levels of the reactor coolant increased and the specific activities of long-lived fission products were at higher levels.

Some conclusions can be made as to the effect of no purification flow on general plant contamination levels. Although the general levels of water borne activities increased during the test period, the associated plant systems did not exceed their limits.

#### Description of Test Equipment and Test Procedure

Following the completion of DLCS 3620101, Reactivity Lifetime, general plant radiation levels were determined, the resin was discharged from the LBD demineralizer, and a new test section of piping was installed in the LBD purification hairpin loop. The no purification test was performed in accordance with the approved test procedure of DLCS 21301, Modified Purification System Performance Test, issued June 15, 1960. The plant was operated for 1475 EFPH with the IAC purification loop isolated and the LBD purification loop in service without resin in the demineralizer. Coolant flow rate through the LBD purification loop was regulated at approximately 20,000 lb/hr, providing flow conditions similar to those of normal purification. The Coolant Sampling System was utilized to obtain reactor coolant water samples from the LBD demineralizer influent, for chemical and radiochemical analyses. The LBD hairpin loop was used for direct measurement of the radiation increase due to crud build-up in the Reactor Coolant System. At the beginning of the run, and every 300 EFPH thereafter, the hairpin loop was temporarily isolated; during each isolation, radiation level measurements were taken at the vertical and horizontal leg shield penetrations provided on the

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hairpin loop. After 1475 EFPH of plant operation without by-pass purification, the test was terminated, general plant radiation levels were determined and the test section of piping was removed from the hairpin loop for performance of an analysis in accordance with DLCS 36501, Analysis and Radiation Measurements of Hairpin Loop Sections of the Purification System.

The 1BD hairpin loop was not drained and surveyed the first time it was isolated, (June 24, 1960) since the plant heat-up was already in progress.

A portable Jordan radiation survey meter with the ionization chamber on an extension cord was used to determine the radiation levels of the hairpin loop. Table V contains the meter calibration data.

Results

DLCS 2130201, Modified Purification System Performance Test, was started June 23, 1960 and concluded September 12, 1960. The plant was operated for about 1475 EFPH while the 1BD purification loop was in service with no resin in its demineralizer and the 1AC purification loop was isolated. Plant operation with no purification extended between 773.1 and 2247.7 EFPH of Core I Seed 2. The data recorded for this period was included in Tables I, II, III and IV.

Table I summarizes the analytical data related to reactor coolant chemical control. Reference water specifications for reactor coolant were maintained within the prescribed limits, although conductivity increased slightly during the test and averaged higher than values obtained previously. Four additions of  $\text{LiOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$  were required for pH control of the Reactor Coolant System.

The observed values of gross non-volatile gamma activity after 15 minute decay increased at start-up of the plant and remained about a factor of 2 higher than the gross gamma levels experienced with the Purification System in service. The initial increase of activity was due to a burst of fission products and crud during start-up. Without the aid of purification these activities and crud are removed only by plant leakage. The long-lived gross non-volatile gamma activity after 120 hour decay increased from an average value of 2,000 cpm/ml, before the test began, to 9,000 cpm/ml after the test began. The long-lived activities ranged up to an average of 17,000 cpm/ml near the midpoint of the test, then decreased to values similar to those observed at the beginning of the test. The long-lived activity was due almost entirely to Iodine-133 and Xenon-133. Iodine-133 accounted for 62% of the long-lived activity and Xenon-133 for about 30%.

All data for fission product activities are reported in Table II. The data shows some scattering, but in general, the specific activities of fission products in the reactor coolant were at higher levels, without the use of purification, than during any previous phase of plant operation. The activity levels of short-lived fission products fluctuated slightly after the initial build-up, and did not differ significantly from levels observed during half-purification operation of Seed 1. The activity of Cesium-138 (32 minutes half-life) is a typical example

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which averages about 16,500 dpm/ml during both periods. The intermediate and long-lived fission products showed increased activity levels over previous Seed 2 observations. The trend of Cesium fission products demonstrates the circumstances. The specific activities of Cesium-136 (13 days half-life) and Cesium-137 (30 years half-life) increased by factors of 2 and 5 respectively, immediately after start-up June 23, 1960, and they continued to increase until midway through the run. Cesium-136 activity increased by a factor of 100, to 850 dpm/ml; Cesium 137 activity increased by a factor of 20, to 2990 dpm/ml. There also was a significant increase in Iodine-131 (8.05 days half-life) fission product activity. It increased to a maximum of 64,000 dpm/ml, which is the highest value observed during Seed 2. While this increase is large, it was probably due to load swings and student training, since the iodine activity levels declined with steady state operation near the end of the run. Evidence which might indicate the effectiveness of purification is the observation of Bromine-82 (35 hours half-life). It was never detected during Seed 1 operation or during Seed 2 operation when the Purification System was in service. However, during no purification its specific activity attained a maximum value of 2,000 dpm/ml.

At this time, the data indicate that purification is effective at controlling the concentration of long-lived fission products, but it is difficult to evaluate the effectiveness of purification in controlling fission products, since crucial to the analysis is a comparison of activity levels while establishing the effects of any relevant variables. For example, when comparing no purification data with Seed 1 data, there is no way of establishing that the fission product activity was equivalent during both periods (additions of iodine products from fuel may be different, etc.). Also, there are considerations necessary when making comparisons with previous Seed 2 data. The limited data, acquired prior to operation without purification, suggests the possibility that fission product activity had not reached equilibrium, due to the purification half-life.

Data for reactor coolant corrosion products are shown in Table III. The concentration of water borne corrosion products was approximately 45 ppm when the plant returned to power after being cooled down for several days. The concentration after two days operation decreased to a range of 2 to 6 ppb and increased during power and temperature transients to approximately 10 to 15 ppb.

A summary of data concerning the radiation intensities (on contact) of the 1BD hairpin loop is given in Table IV. There was no trend apparent throughout the test and there were no significant changes in radiation levels. The radiation levels measured 3 hours after isolation of the hairpin loop varied between 20 and 55 mr/hr. The levels indicated that there was no discernable increase of crud deposition in the Reactor Coolant System during no purification operation. This conclusion was corroborated by test results DLCS 3410102 and 05, External Radiation Levels of Reactor Coolant Loop Piping and Components, performed June 10-18, 1960, and September 12-16, 1960, respectively. These results indicated that there was no significant increase in radiation levels from operation

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without purification. The majority of the points surveyed in the coolant loops had radiation levels varying from 2 to 5 mr/hr. These results also report the existence of "hot spots" with levels ranging from 90 to 400 mr/hr. This verifies that there is corrosion product "Plate Out", but none of the hot spots showed significant changes in radiation level over the no purification period.

One problem of operation with no purification is the build-up of activity on the secondary side of the Heat Exchangers. The small leaks which are normally not a problem remained constant, however the amount of activity introduced per ml of leakage increased. This means that the constant risk of contaminating the boiler was present during the no purification test.

Radiation surveys can give an indication of crud build-up, however, a more complete evaluation will be available with the issuance of DLCS 36501, Analysis and Radiation Measurement of Hairpin Loop Sections of the Purification System, which is being performed on the test section of piping installed for the no purification test.

TABLE I  
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Date	Sample Source	Elect. Cond. Mmhos	pH at 25 C	Li ppm	O <sub>2</sub> ppm	Cl ppm	Gross Non-volatile Gamma Activity cpm/ml x 10 <sup>3</sup>		Gas Analysis cc/kg			Chemical Additions		
							15 min.	120 hr.	Total	H <sub>2</sub>	Inert	H <sub>2</sub> Ft <sup>3</sup>	LiOH g <sub>45</sub>	
6/23/60	BD-BIX	11.5	9.71		0.005									
24		11.6	9.73	0.37			79.76	18.13			40			
25	BD-BIX	10.2	9.60	0.32	0.010		56.84	17.60			38			115
26	BD-BIX	30.2	10.12			<0.05	85.10	9.55			33			
27	BD-BIX						56.56	8.22			30			
28	BD-BIX	30.0	10.10				85.48	15.73			24			
29	BD-BIX			0.89	0.005	<0.05	89.11	6.49			20		90	
30	BD-BIX						62.28	2.71			51			
7/ 1/60	BD-BIX	29.9	10.09				101.67	8.87			38			
2	BD-BIX				0.000		104.37	7.13			30			
3	BD-BIX	27.1	9.98	0.82		<0.05	109.37	11.35			28			
4	BD-BIX						90.19	6.84			24			
5	BD-BIX	24.0	10.00	0.74			111.67	10.02			20			
6	BD-BIX				0.010	<0.05	101.98	5.09			38			
7	BD-BIX						98.09				30			
8	BD-BIX	22.6	9.95	0.71			94.75	6.30			25			
9	BD-BIX				0.000		99.70	6.75			25			
10	BD-BIX	17.6	9.90			<0.05					20			
11	BD-BIX						91.58	15.79			18		80	
12	BD-BIX	16.4	9.81	0.48			41.08	17.66			36			
13	BD-BIX				0.000	<0.05	41.02	22.19			32			
14	BD-BIX						41.05							
15	BD-BIX						38.94							
16	BD-BIX	14.9	9.60	0.36	<0.005						32			227
17	BD-BIX	24.0	10.00	0.78	<0.005	<0.05								
18	BD-BIX						68.26	24.18						
19	BD-BIX										44		95	
20	BD-BIX										35			
21	BD-BIX										30			
22	BD-BIX						83.98	21.65	28		24	4		
23	BD-BIX										21		80	
24	BD-BIX	20.2	9.89			<0.05					39			
25	BD-BIX						84.64	15.56	36		30	6		
26	BD-BIX	19.6	9.89				47.41	16.40			27			
27	BD-BIX				0.005	<0.05	79.07	9.43			25			
28	BD-BIX						84.15				21		85	
29	BD-BIX	16.5	9.80				77.88				41			
30	BD-BIX										36			151
31						<0.05								



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							15 min.	120 hr.	Total	H <sub>2</sub>	Inert	H <sub>2</sub> Ft <sup>3</sup>	LiOH g/s	
8/ 1/60	BD-BIX													
2	BD-BIX													
3	BD-BIX					<0.05								
4	BD-BIX	23.7	10.00		0.000		111.78	28.52						
5	BD-BIX													
6	BD-BIX													
7	BD-BIX						93.18	18.65						
8	BD-BIX													
9	BD-BIX						113.40	29.31						
10	BD-BIX				0.000		186.36	17.87						
11	BD-BIX	23.9	10.00				120.37							
12	BD-BIX	22.0	9.60	0.74										
13	BD-BIX				0.000		117.27							
14	BD-BIX	22.8	9.81					15.00						
15														
16	BD-BIX	22.5					89.42	12.84						
17	BD-BIX	42.1	9.89	0.89	<0.005			12.97	41	38	3	85		
18	BD-BIX							20.73		41				
19	BD-BIX							13.17	28	26	2			
20	BD-BIX				<0.005		106.70	15.60		25				
21	BD-BIX	27.5	9.99	0.91			111.00			25				
22	BD-BIX	27.0	9.98	0.90			105.10			43		80		
23														
24	BD-BIX				<0.005		110.60			33				
25	BD-BIX						100.04	12.61		33				
26	BD-BIX	27.1	9.97	0.84			96.90	10.99		30				
27	BD-BIX				<0.005			8.92		27				
28	BD-BIX	26.7	10.04	0.82						22				
29	BD-BIX						94.74	10.74		46		90		
30	BD-BIX						99.59	8.34		43				
31	BD-BIX						100.51	8.04		35				
9/ 1/60	BD-BIX						104.33	8.08		31				
2	BD-BIX						83.79	8.52						
3	BD-BIX	24.2	9.90	0.78			98.74	6.37		24		80		
4	BD-BIX	22.4	9.98				121.45	5.90		43				
5	BD-BIX						89.62			36				
6	BD-BIX	23.4	9.95	0.66			89.81			31				
7	BD-BIX				<0.005		97.91			28				
8	BD-BIX						96.85			23				
9	BD-BIX	23.0		0.69						20				

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TABLE II

REACTOR COOLANT FISSION PRODUCT SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES

Date	Reactor Power Level		Specific Activity - 1000 dpm/ml																		H-3 Kc/l				
	Hrs.	%	Cs-136	Cs-137	Cs-138	Cs-139	Kr-85m	Kr-87	Kr-88	Br-82	Br-83	Br-84	Xe-133	Xe-135	I-131	I-133	Sr-89	Sr-90	Sr-91	Sr-92		Ba-139	Ba-140	A-41	
6/23/60			0.0075	0.142											17.3										118.4
24	12	74			12.5										13.2	5.25									
25	2	52													16.2	16.2									
26	22	100																							
27	46	100	0.284	0.853	13.7	4.2																			
28	71	100													14.9	14.6	0.0018					0.300			
29	95	100			17.5																0.132	0.049			
30	119	100					4.97	4.32	14.0				49.3	16.4										5.45	
7/ 1/60	212	100							13.5																
2	237	100																							
3	264	100																							194.4
4	285	100																							
5	308	100								12.7	0.578	1.74													
6	332	100			15.0																				
7	356	75													14.1	13.0									
8	380	80			16.7					16.3					17.7	14.7									
9	406	100																							
10																									
11		*																							
12		*	0.478	1.215											45.	15.8									
13		*													63.	12.6									
14		*													64.	11.1									
15		*																							
16																									
17																									
18	---	72													44.3	4.80									
19															45.3	8.82									
20															47.0	20.5									
21															40.5	14.6									
22	0	---			8.55		2.38	1.28					26.4	9.90	45.	27.1								5.40	

\* Training School Operation - Criticality once per shift and approximately 1/2 hour at 35% reactor power

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Date	Reactor Power Level		Specific Activity - 1000 dpm/ml																			H-3		
	Hrs.	%	Cs-136	Cs-137	Cs-138	Cs-139	Kr-85m	Kr-87	Kr-88	Br-82	Br-83	Br-84	Xe-133	Xe-135	I-131	I-133	Sr-89	Sr-90	Sr-91	Sr-92	Ba-139	Ba-140	A-41	%c/1
7/23/60	0	---																						
24	90	1																						
25	50	4	0.514	2.27	17.5										45	37.5								
26	64	1							10.9	0.678	1.15	1.47									0.751			
27	56	7	0.521	2.24											42.6	24.7	0.0112		0.085	0.088		0.0085		
28	38	2																						
29	40	5													60.5	39.5								
30	---	0																						
31	---	0																						
8/1/60	3	60	0.651	2.71											49.5	12.0								
2	2	75					4.50	3.90	16.9	0.470	2.36	1.62	68.0	21.8			0.0116					0.0098	2.58	
3	12	100	0.650	2.99	17.8														0.077	0.086				
4	36	100					3.75	3.36					40.7	16.9									5.20	
5	48	100			14.5				13.7						45.2	15.8								
6	66	100																						
7	1	46																						
8	13	100	0.645	2.36	13.2										38.8	21.3								
9	37	100					4.78	3.92	19.1	1.35	3.35		70.5	16.9			0.0469				0.954	0.0421	2.38	
10	67	100	0.722	2.53	18.9				15.0															
11	80	100																						
12	99	103			17.2				19.0						30.3	19.0					0.090	0.182		
13	---	0																						
14																								
15	5	100													40.0	16.0								
16	21	104							16.9			0.835										0.885	0.0040	
17	46	100	0.854	2.64	17.2	3.85					2.94													
18	73	100					3.26	2.62					85.5	9.20										
19	3	100	0.345	2.72					20.4						43.6	41.8							1.74	
20	30	100																						
21	54	106																						
22	79	106	0.402	2.71	16.1																		265.1	

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Date	Reactor Power Level		Specific Activity - 1000 dpm/ml																			H-3		
	Hrs.	%	Cs-36	Cs-137	Cs-138	Cs-139	Kr-85m	Kr-87	Kr-88	Br-82	Br-83	Br-84	Xe-133	Xe-135	I-131	I-133	Sr-89	Sr-90	Sr-91	Sr-92	Ba-139	Ba-140	A-41	%c/l
8/23/60	103	104					2.95	5.1	13.8	1.98	3.98		73.2	10.1	35.6	20.7	0.045				0.745	0.034	3.52	
24	122	104	0.422	2.45	15.0														0.061	0.065				
25	150	105																						
26	171	102	0.147	2.48	17.8				17.3						29.5	16.6								
27	196	106																						
28	---	---																						
29	243	100	0.152	2.79	17.0	2.23																		
30	267	100	0.274	1.40						1.35	3.89				18.8	12.9					0.640			
31	297	100			18.9																			
9/1/60	319	100							15.3						21.7	17.4								
2	345	100																						
3	367	100																						
4	391	100																						
5	416	100													16.2	13.7								
6	439	100							19.3	2.04	4.21						0.045							
7	458	100			16.0														0.074	0.072	0.837		0.008	
8	488	100																						
9	506	100							14.4						17.5	16.5								
10	530	100																						
12	0	0	0.760	2.48																				

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TABLE III  
REACTOR COOLANT CORROSION PRODUCTS

In Service Date	In Service Time	Out Service Date	Out Service Time	Source	Crud Weight mg	Crud Conc. ppb	% Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> In Crud	Fe mg/mg of Crud	Co mg/mg of Crud	Sp Activity (cpm/mg)10 <sup>6</sup> T° + 120hrs	Induced Activity dpm/mg at T°						% of Total Activity	
											Fe-59	Co-58	Co-60	Mn-54	Zr-95	Hf-181		Cr-51
6/23/60	0905	6/24/60	1245	BD-BIX	24.71	45.20												
24	1250	25	1410	BD-BIX	20.18	44.20	90.8	0.63	0.0031	11.70	2.60 x 10 <sup>6</sup>		1.58 x 10 <sup>7</sup>	1.81 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	1.10 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	6.80 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	2.85 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	79.8
25	1415	26	1915	BD-BIX	5.54	8.61												
26	1920	27	1445	BD-BIX	4.30	10.66												
27	1450	28	1415	BD-BIX	4.32	9.00												
28	1420	29	1500	BD-BIX	2.13	5.24	98.2			19.0								
29	1505	7/ 1/60	1315	BD-BIX	5.12	5.05												
7/ 1/60	1320	5	1115	BD-BIX	6.45	4.28												
5	1120	8	1040	BD-BIX	6.00	3.85	95.4			15.9								
8	1045	11	1500	BD-BIX	5.64	7.08												
11	1505	12	1115	BD-BIX	2.30	11.61												
12	1120	13	1245	BD-BIX	5.59	7.09												
13	1250	14	0845	BD-BIX	2.42	9.68				19.0								
14	0850	16	1345	BD-BIX	6.88	8.05												
16	1410	18	0915	BD-BIX	15.11	18.61												
18	0920	19	0845	BD-BIX	6.59	14.87												
19	0850	20	0900	BD-BIX	16.82	16.78												
20	0905	21	0850	BD-BIX	0.45	1.07												
21	0850	22	0945	BD-BIX	5.00	8.71			0.00084	16.30	2.87 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	1.96 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	2.49 x 10 <sup>7</sup>	2.07 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	2.33 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	9.54 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	1.75 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	88.4
22	0950	23	1430	BD-BIX	0.92	1.82	98.6											
23	1630	25	1000	BD-BIX	1.61	3.04	88.9			15.00								
25	1040	28	1255	BD-BIX	4.03	2.99												
28	1300	8/ 1/60	0900	BD-BIX	19.60	10.30												
8/ 1/60	0905	4	0930	BD-BIX	6.52	5.65												
4	0930	8	0950	BD-BIX	12.66	10.08	98.8			17.30								
8	1015	15	1130	BD-BIX	19.11	8.25	92.0			19.30								
15	1145	22	1100	BD-BIX	23.41	6.42	94.0											
22	1105	29	0845	BD-BIX	13.06	3.90	93.5	0.657	0.00018	16.10	2.64 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	2.54 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	1.85 x 10 <sup>7</sup>	2.01 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	0.9 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	12.2 x 10 <sup>5</sup>	0.81 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	73.2
29	1015	9/ 6/60	0945	BD-BIX	14.23	2.82	90.0			16.00								
9/ 6/60	0950	12	0900	BD-BIX	6.20	1.95	97.0											

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TABLE IV

1BD HAIRPIN LOOP RADIATION LEVELS

Date	Time	Total Core I EFPH	Gross Gen. Output mw	Radiation Levels		Remarks
				Vertical Section mr/hr	Horizontal Section mr/hr	
6/24/60	1120	6592.4	60	32	25	Loop filled and isolated.
6/24/60	1210					Loop returned to service.
7/ 7/60	1045	6879.6	67			Loop isolated.
7/ 7/60	1400			30	40	
7/ 7/60	1608			33	40	
7/ 8/60	0220			30	35	
7/ 8/60	0710	6900.2	67			Loop returned to service.
8/ 5/60	0600	7180.8	48			Loop isolated.
8/ 5/60	0900			43	50	
8/ 5/60	1100			35	40	
8/ 5/60	2100			30	40	
8/ 5/60	2120	7193.8	67			Loop returned to service.
8/22/60	0610	7533.9	66			Loop isolated.
8/22/60	0910			21	24	
8/22/60	1116			18	22	
8/22/60	2110			10	12	
8/22/60	2130	7549.8	66			Loop returned to service.
9/ 1/60	0600	7784.7	67			Loop isolated.
9/ 1/60	0907			30	28	
9/ 1/60	1105			24	35	
9/ 1/60	2105			35	28	
9/ 1/60	2110	7800.6	67			Loop returned to service.
9/ 9/60	0600	7985.0	66			Loop isolated.
9/ 9/60	0905			51	55	
9/ 9/60	1100			42	44	
9/ 9/60	2100			32	25	
9/ 9/60	2100			23	28	
9/ 9/60	2130	8001.1	67			Loop returned to service.

TABLE V  
 METER CALIBRATION DATA

Jordan Survey Meter No. 733 (with extension cord on probe)

Calibration Date (Source Co 60)					
6/10/60		7/7/60		8/5/60	
mr/hr		mr/hr		mr/hr	
Calc.	Meas.	Calc.	Meas.	Calc.	Meas.
5	5	5	5.7	5	5
10	11.5	10	12	10	11
15	16	25	28	25	28
54	54	50	60	50	58
100	105	100	115	100	110
150	145	150	155	250	255
250	250	250	250	500	500
500	500	500	500	1000	1000
1000	1000	1000	1000	1500	1500
1500	1500	1500	1500		

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June 1960

June 24

Reactor critical, system temperature 500 F and pressure 1800 psig. The main unit generator was placed on the line and gross output increased to 58 mw. The 1A, 1B and 1C reactor coolant pumps on fast speed. The 1D coolant loop isolated with the 1D reactor coolant pump off. The 1AC purification demineralizer was isolated. The 1BD purification demineralizer is in service without resin. (The resin was flushed from the 1BD demineralizer on June 17, 1960).

1120

1BD hairpin loop isolated

1210

1BD hairpin loop returned to service

1218

Load increased to 67.5 mw gross

1355

Load decreased to 57 mw gross

1800

Load increased to 60 mw gross

1824

Safety shutdown and main generator off the line

June 25

0440

Reactor critical with primary system temperature 497 F and pressure 1800 psig.

0658

Generator synchronizing

1710

Load increased to 32 mw gross

1011

Load increased to 67.5 mw gross

June 27

0658

Load decreased to 62 mw gross

1710

Load decreased to 52 mw gross

1015

1D coolant loop depressurized to primary storage tank pressure

1610

Load decreased to 47 mw gross

1835

Load increased to 67 mw gross

June 28

0300

1D coolant loop steam flushed and drained

0620

Load decreased to 53 mw gross

0645

Load decreased to 47 mw gross

1108

Load increased to 61.5 mw gross

1323

Load increased to 67.5 mw gross

June 30

0708

Load decreased to 54 mw gross

0935

Load increased to 67 mw gross



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July 1\_\_

1838 Throttle tripped and main generator off the line  
1914 Generator synchronized  
1950 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
2320 Load increased to 67 mw gross

July 7\_\_

0703 Load decreased to 50 mw gross  
0950 Load increased to 67 mw gross  
1045 1BD hairpin loop isolated  
1300 1D coolant loop filled to top of 1D reactor coolant pump vent

July 8\_\_

0710 1BD hairpin loop returned to service  
0720 Load decreased to 56 mw gross  
1110 Load increased to 67 mw gross  
2210 1D reactor coolant loop drained

July 9\_\_

1645 Main generator taken off the line  
1721 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1750 1A, 1B and 1C reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed

July 10\_\_

0630 1A and 1C reactor coolant pumps removed from service

July 11\_\_

1122 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 494 F and pressure of 1750 psig. 1A, 1B and 1C reactor coolant pumps on fast speed  
1229 Main generator on the line at load of 45 mw gross  
1420 Load increased to 60 mw gross  
1820 Main generator taken off the line

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July 11 to  
July 17\_\_

From July 12 through July 15, students from the Nuclear Training School performed station start-ups and shutdowns, and the reactor was critical for a total of approximately 26 hours. On July 14 the 1AC purification demineralizer was flushed and on July 15 the 1D reactor coolant loop was filled, hydro-tested, and made available for service.

On July 17 the primary system was cooled to 170 F and 450 psig to permit placing the 1D loop in service. The plant was heated up with flow in four loops and all the reactor coolant pumps operating on slow speed.

July 18\_\_

0545 1B reactor coolant pump removed from service. 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed.  
0620 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 494 F and pressure of 1790 psig.  
0920 Main generator put on the line and load increased to 35 mw gross.  
1318 Load increased to 57 mw gross  
1710 Load decreased to 17 mw gross  
1855 Load decreased to 5 mw gross  
2025 Load increased to 25 mw gross

July 19\_\_

0306 Load increased to 34 mw gross  
1028 Load increased to 41 mw gross  
1312 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
1801 Main generator taken off the line  
1828 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor

July 20\_\_

0249 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 490 F and pressure of 1800 psig.  
0418 Main generator put on the line and load increased to 47 mw gross  
0550 Load increased to 61 mw gross  
0627 Load decreased to 48 mw gross  
1120 Load decreased to 34 mw gross  
1707 Load increased to 61 mw gross  
1930 Load increased to 64 mw gross

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July 21\_\_

0627 Load decreased to 25 mw gross  
1125 Main generator taken off the line  
1205 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1804 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 480 F and  
pressure of 1800 psig.  
1928 Main generator put on the line and load increased to 25 mw gross

July 22\_\_

0040 Load increased to 54 mw gross  
0250 Load increased to 60 mw gross  
0703 Load decreased to 34 mw gross  
1155 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
1733 Load increased to 60 mw gross

July 23\_\_

0729 Main generator taken off the line  
0804 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1243 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 510 F and  
pressure of 1800 psig.  
1412 Main generator put on the line  
1420 Load increased to 15 mw gross  
1457 Load increased to 25 mw gross  
1957 Load increased to 34 mw gross

July 24\_\_

0050 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
0550 Load increased to 57 mw gross  
2000 Main generator taken off the line  
2037 All rods placed on the bottom of the reactor

July 25\_\_

0039 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 520 F and  
pressure of 1960 psig.  
0147 Main generator put on the line  
0154 Load increased to 25 mw gross  
0710 Load increased to 34 mw gross  
1212 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
1730 Load increased to 54 mw gross  
1953 Load increased to 58 mw gross

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July 26\_\_

0652 Main generator taken off the line  
0730 All rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1120 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 490 F and pressure of 1785 psig.  
1153 Main generator put on the line and at 10 mw gross  
1210 Load increased to 43 mw gross  
1510 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
1955 Load increased to 54 mw gross  
2055 Load increased to 57 mw gross

July 27\_\_

0650 Load decreased to 33 mw gross  
1406 Main generator taken off the line  
1440 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1906 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 507 F and pressure of 1950 psig.  
2022 Main generator put on the line  
2100 Load increased to 34 mw gross  
2130 Load increased to 45 mw gross  
2325 Load increased to 60 mw gross

July 28\_\_

0120 Load increased to 65 mw gross, primary system at temperature of 520 F and pressure of 1985 psig.  
0618 Main generator taken off the line  
0652 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
0912 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed  
1108 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 517 F  
1150 Main generator placed on the line  
1220 Load at 25 mw gross  
1223 Load decreased to 21 mw gross  
1720 Main generator taken off the line  
1802 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
2002 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 478 F and pressure of 1800 psig  
2100 Main generator put on the line  
2110 Load increased to 21 mw gross  
2317 Safety shutdown and main generator off the line  
2323 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed

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July 29\_\_

0521 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed  
0602 Reactor critical, primary system temperature at 483.5 F and  
pressure of 1800 psig  
0725 Main generator put on the line and increasing to 21 mw gross  
0800 Load increased to 22.5 mw gross  
1506 Main generator taken off the line  
1530 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
1555 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed  
1755 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed  
1838 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 473 F and  
pressure of 1800 psig.  
1924 Main generator put on the line  
1940 Load increased to 20 mw gross

July 30\_\_

0020 Main generator taken off the line  
0044 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
0315 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 473.5 F and  
pressure of 1800 psig.  
0359 Main generator put on the line and at 5 mw gross  
0405 Load increased to 22 mw gross  
0851 Main generator taken off the line  
0904 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed. 1B  
reactor coolant pump put in service on fast speed.  
1114 All reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed  
2011 All reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed

July 31\_\_

0940 All reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed  
1849 All reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed  
2219 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to slow speed.  
1B reactor coolant pump removed from service.  
2308 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 510 F and  
pressure of 1900 psig.

August 1\_\_

0117 Main generator put on the line and at 5 mw gross  
0122 Load increased to 15 mw gross  
0648 Main generator taken off the line.  
0710 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor

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August 1\_\_

0907 1A, 1C and 1D reactor coolant pumps transferred to fast speed.  
1B reactor coolant pump put in service on fast speed.  
0957 1B reactor coolant pump removed from service  
1017 Reactor critical  
1140 Main generator put on the line  
1152 Load increased to 40 mw gross  
1355 Load decreased to 5 mw gross  
1445 Load increased to 23 mw gross  
1514 Load increased to 43 mw gross  
1535 Load decreased to 35 mw gross, primary system at temperature of  
500 F and pressure of 1800 psig.  
1750 Load increased to 55 mw gross  
2050 Load decreased to 43 mw gross  
2117 Load increased to 63 mw gross  
2140 Load decreased to 43 mw gross  
2200 Load decreased to 23 mw gross  
2232 Load decreased to 5 mw gross  
2245 Load increased to 63 mw gross

August 2\_\_

0650 Load decreased to 20 mw gross  
0825 Load increased to 59 mw gross  
0915 Load decreased to 50 mw gross  
0942 Load decreased to 40 mw gross  
1230 Load increased to 50 mw gross  
1807 Load increased to 64.5 mw gross

August 4\_\_

0845 Load decreased to 50 mw gross  
1108 Load decreased to 38 mw gross  
1313 Load increased to 45 mw gross  
1530 Load increased to 60 mw gross  
1615 Load increased to 64 mw gross

August 5\_\_

0033 Main generator taken off the line  
0105 All control rods placed on the bottom of the reactor  
0240 1B reactor coolant pump put in service on fast speed  
0346 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature of 500 F

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August 5\_\_

0436 Main generator put on the line and at 8 mw gross  
0530 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
0600 1BD hairpin loop isolated  
1510 Load increased to 60 mw gross  
1747 Load increased to 66 mw gross  
2120 1BD hairpin loop returned to service

August 7\_\_

1205 Load decreased to 28 mw gross  
1510 Load increased to 48 mw gross  
2050 Load increased to 65 mw gross, primary system at temperature of 500 F and pressure of 1785 psig

August 8\_\_

0120 Load increased to 66 mw gross

August 9\_\_

0707 Load decreased to 47 mw gross  
0830 Load increased to 66 mw gross

August 10\_\_

0840 Load decreased to 60.5 mw gross  
0930 Load increased to 65.5 mw gross

August 11\_\_

0652 Load decreased to 50 mw gross  
0703 Load decreased to 37 mw gross  
0727 Load increased to 49 mw gross  
0920 Load increased to 66 mw gross

August 13\_\_

0825 Performed rapid station shutdown in accordance with DLCS 34401  
1013 1B reactor coolant pump removed from service  
1015 1B reactor coolant loop main hydraulic valves closed  
1751 1B reactor coolant pump put in service at slow speed with loop by-pass valve open.  
1225 Performed xenon transient test DLCS 1560109

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August 14\_\_

1833 1B reactor coolant pump removed from service  
1838 1B reactor coolant pump put in service at slow speed

August 15\_\_

0046 1B reactor coolant pump removed from service  
0047 1B reactor coolant loop main hydraulic valves opened and 1B  
reactor coolant pump put in service at fast speed.  
0100 1B reactor coolant loop by-pass valve closed  
0620 Reactor critical, primary system at temperature 500 F and  
pressure of 1790 psig.  
0702 Main generator put on the line  
0710 Load increased to 37 mw gross  
0729 Load increased to 58 mw gross  
1115 Load increased to 63 mw gross  
1710 Load increased to 66 mw gross

August 18\_\_

1602 Main generator taken off the line

August 19\_\_

0029 Main generator put on the line and at 10 mw gross  
0035 Load increased to 47 mw gross  
0650 Load increased to 66 mw gross

August 22\_\_

0610 1BD hairpin loop isolated  
2130 1BD hairpin loop returned to service

August 26\_\_

0315 Safety insertion

September 1\_\_

0600 1BD hairpin loop isolated  
2110 1BD hairpin loop returned to service



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September 6\_\_

1640	Load decreased to 50 mw gross
1743	Load increased to 61 mw gross

September 7\_\_

1305	Load decreased to 50 mw gross
1400	Load increased to 66 mw gross

September 9\_\_

0600	1BD hairpin loop isolated
2130	1BD hairpin loop returned to service

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