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<u>CQA</u>	<u>Construction Quality Assurance</u>
<u>DWMU</u>	<u>Dangerous waste management units</u>
<u>Ecology</u>	<u>Washington State Department of Ecology</u>
<u>IDF</u>	<u>Integrated Disposal Facility</u>
<u>ILAW</u>	<u>Immobilized low-activity waste</u>
<u>IQRPE</u>	<u>Independent, Qualified, Registered Professional Engineer</u>
<u>LLW</u>	<u>Low-level waste</u>
<u>MLLW</u>	<u>Mixed low-level waste</u>
<u>MTCA</u>	<u>Model Toxics Control Act - Cleanup</u>
<u>RCRA</u>	<u>Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976</u>
<u>SAP</u>	<u>Sampling and analysis plan</u>
<u>WTP</u>	<u>Waste Treatment and Immobilization Plant</u>

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11.0 H.1 INTRODUCTION CLOSURE

This ~~addendum chapter~~ discusses ~~pre-closure, closure, and post-closure~~ activities for the ~~four~~ Integrated Disposal Facility (IDF) ~~dangerous waste management units (DWMUs) that comprise Operating Unit Group 11 of WA7890008967, Hanford Facility Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit~~ (hereinafter referred to as the Hanford Facility RCRA Permit). ~~The four IDF DWMUs addressed in this closure plan will be closed in accordance with this closure plan after final waste receipt at IDF.~~

This closure plan ~~addresses the requirements of~~ ~~complies with~~ Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 173-303-610, Closure and post-closure, as they apply to the physical components of the IDF. Amendments to this closure plan will be submitted as a permit modification in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(3)(b) and WAC 173-303-830, Permit changes, as applicable. Minor deviations from this closure plan which do not impact the overall closure strategy, but provide equivalent results are allowed and must be documented as addressed in the Hanford Facility RCRA Permit Condition II.K.6.

This closure plan and the approved closure plan sampling and analysis plan (SAP) are designed to fulfill the elements of the Data Quality Objectives Process, as defined in U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Publication EPA/240/B-06/001, Guidance on Systematic Planning Using the Data Quality Objectives Process (EPA QA/G-4) and represents the baseline for closure.

H.1.1 Physical Description

The IDF ~~has been constructed~~ is located on 82 hectares (202 acres) on 25 hectares of vacant land southwest of the Plutonium-Uranium Extraction Facility (PUREX) Plant of land within the southcentral portion of the 200 East Area of the Hanford Site (see the topographic map located in Addendum A, "Part A Form," Appendix C, Figure C-1), on file at the Department of Ecology library (3100 Port of Benton Boulevard, Richland, WA 99354). The landfill is segregated into a Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) permitted side and a non-RCRA permitted side. ~~The scope of this permit is limited to the western side of the landfill where the RCRA waste will be placed. Construction began at the IDF in September of 2004. The IDF is a near-surface disposal facility for Hanford Site mixed waste as defined by WAC 173-303-040, Definitions, and non-dangerous radioactive low-level waste (LLW). The IDF operating unit group consists of four DWMUs (Figure H-1), as listed in Addendum A for Operating Group 11:~~

- Storage Pad (Process code: S01, container storage).
- Treatment Pad (Process codes: S01, container storage, and T04, other: immobilization).
- Disposal Cell 1 (Process code: D80, landfill disposal).
- Disposal Cell 2 (Process code: D80, landfill disposal).

~~The waste containers and bulk waste that meet the IDF waste acceptance criteria will be inventoried, and disposed in this lined landfill. Leachate collected from the lined landfill disposal cell DWMUs drains to sumps located at the north-center of each cell. Collected leachate is pumped from the sumps to will be transferred to leachate collection tanks (219A201 and 219E201) located north of the disposal cells, tanks located in proximity to the landfill for subsequent treatment. The leachate is stored in these tanks for 90 days or less until being transferred to the 200 Area Effluent Treatment Facility for treatment.~~

~~A more detailed discussion of IDF waste types and the identification of the IDF processes and equipment are provided in Chapters 3.0 and 4.0, and attendant appendices. The IDF only will accept and dispose waste containers and bulk waste that meet the IDF waste acceptance criteria, RCRA and Land Disposal Restriction (LDR). Additional drawings and pictures of the IDF are provided in Addendum A. Further IDF design, construction, and operation information is provided in Addendum C, "Process Information." Soil, geologic, and hydrogeologic information is provided in Addendum C, "Process Information" and Addendum D, "Groundwater Monitoring Plan."~~

1 The closure process will be the same for partial closure or closure of the entire IDF. The remainder of
2 this chapter describes the performance standards that will be met, and the closure/post closure activities
3 that will be conducted. This closure plan discusses closure activities for the Storage Pad, Treatment Pad,
4 and Disposal Cells 1 and 2.

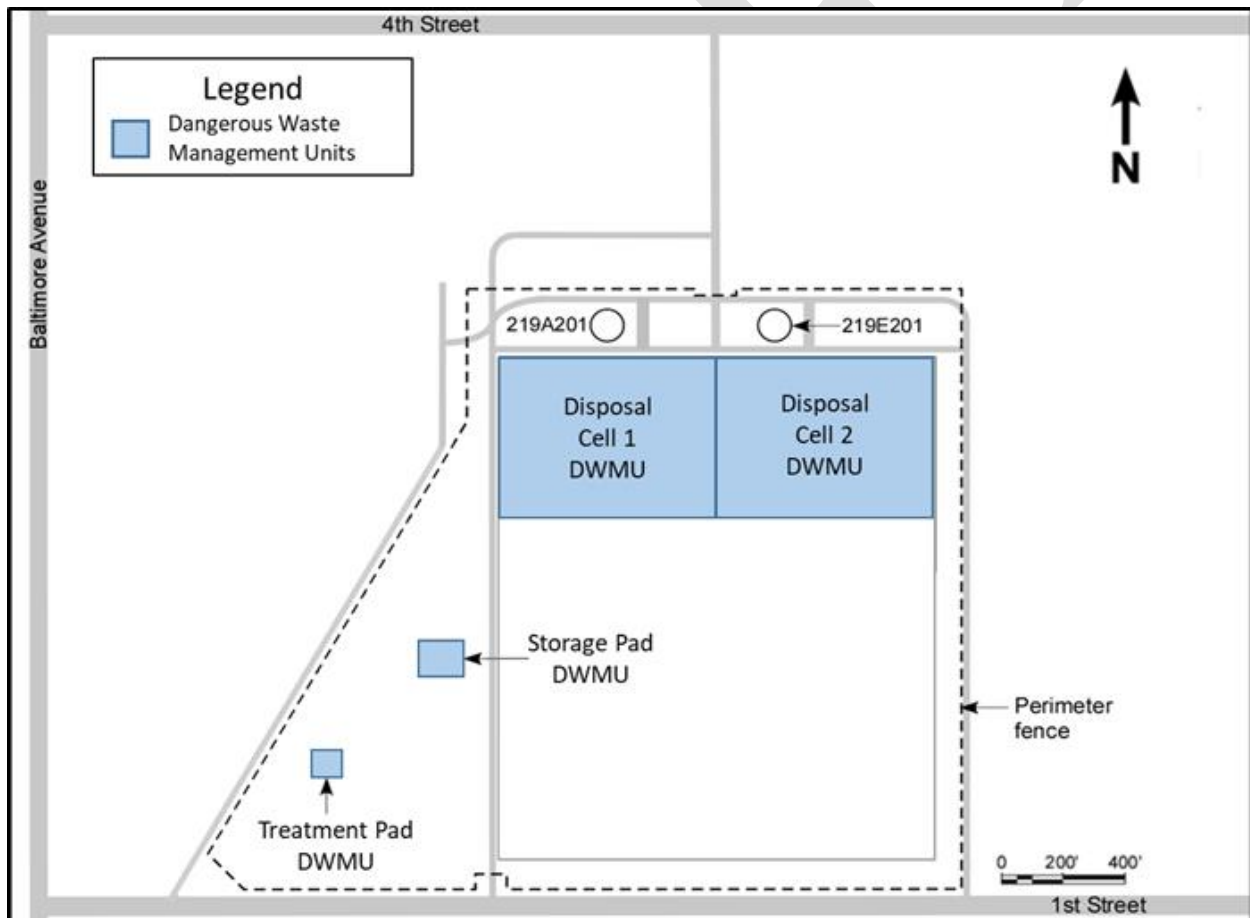
5 **H.1.1.1 Storage and Treatment Pads**

6 The Storage Pad is an outwardly sloped reinforced concrete pad with thickened edges that allows for
7 storm water to runoff. The concrete pad is 36.6 m (120 ft) by 42.7 m (140 ft).

8 The Treatment Pad is an outwardly sloped, reinforced concrete pad with thickened edges and a perimeter
9 curb open at the northwest corner to allow stormwater to runoff. The Treatment Pad is 24.4 m (80 ft) long
10 by 24.4 (80 ft) wide.

11 **H.1.1.2 Disposal Cells**

12 The IDF disposal area consists of two cells that are double-lined and are constructed to RCRA Subtitle C
13 standards. The disposal area is 4219 m (717 ft) long by 410 m (1,345 ft) wide at ground surface, 12.8 m
14 (42 ft) deep, and divided lengthwise into two cells (Disposal Cells 1 and 2). The maximum design
15 capacity of the two combined disposal cells is approximately 504,966 m³ (660,471 yd³).



17 **Figure H-1 Integrated Disposal Facility Dangerous Waste Management Units**

H.1.2 Process Information

Waste to be disposed in the disposal cells will be transported from various Hanford Site locations to the IDF using a tractor-trailer system. Some Hanford Site waste will be sent off-site for treatment and returned to IDF for disposal. Waste received at the IDF may need to be thermally cooled on either the Storage Pad or Treatment Pad before final disposition. Waste is treated only on the Treatment Pad. The Storage Pad will be used to unload, stage, and temporarily store incoming containers of immobilized low-activity waste (ILAW) generated at the Hanford Site Waste Treatment and Immobilization Plant (WTP), allowing the ILAW containers to thermally cool before final deposition and burial in the IDF disposal cells. In addition, the Storage Pad may be used to temporarily store mixed low-level waste (MLLW) containers before placement in the IDF disposal cells.

IDF also manages nondangerous radioactive LLW from Hanford Site operations in accordance with the Atomic Energy Act of 1954. Management of radioactive waste is not within the scope of RCRA or WAC 173-303, *Dangerous Waste Regulations*. Any information provided in this document for radioactive waste is for informational purposes only.

Waste intended for disposal at IDF that does not meet land disposal restrictions (LDR) requirements will be treated via sealing, macroencapsulation, or microencapsulation on the Treatment Pad to meet land disposal restrictions. Waste management and disposal operations are detailed in Addendum B, "Waste Analysis Plan," and Addendum C, "Process Information."

H.1.3 Waste Inventory and Characteristics

MLLW will be disposed to both of the IDF cells. Waste disposed at the IDF will consist primarily of ILAW from the WTP. Additional waste streams to be disposed at the IDF include:

- Mixed waste generated by the IDF operations.
- Used WTP low-activity waste melter systems.
- Secondary solid waste from WTP.
- Solidified secondary solid waste from the Effluent Treatment Facility.
- Fast Flux Test Facility non-liquid waste and demolition waste resulting from decommissioning.
- Secondary waste (LLW and MLLW) from operations at the Tank Farms and the Solid Waste Operations Complex.
- Non-Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, non-tank LLW and MLLW from various on-site generators.

A comprehensive list of wastes managed in accordance with RCRA regulations, including classification and estimated annual quantities and design capacities, is provided in Addendum A.

For permitting purposes, it is assumed that all dangerous and mixed waste stored, treated, and disposed at the IDF will carry one or more of the waste codes listed in Addendum A. The IDF closure plan target analytes and associated waste codes are listed in Table H-1.

Table H-1 Integrated Disposal Facility Target Analytes

<u>Target Analyte (Waste Code)</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Target Analyte (Waste Code)</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
<u>Inorganics</u>			
<u>Acetyl Chloride^d (U006)</u>	<u>75-36-5</u>	<u>Mercury (D009, U151)</u>	<u>7439-97-6</u>
<u>Arsenic (D004)</u>	<u>7440-38-2</u>	<u>Phosphorus Sulfide^d (U189)</u>	<u>1314-80-3</u>
<u>Arsenic Trioxide^d (P012)</u>	<u>1327-53-3</u>	<u>Potassium Cyanide^b (P098)</u>	<u>151-50-8</u>
<u>Barium (D005)</u>	<u>7440-39-3</u>	<u>Sodium Cyanide^b (P106)</u>	<u>143-33-9</u>
<u>Beryllium (P015)</u>	<u>7440-41-7</u>	<u>Selenium (D010)</u>	<u>7782-49-2</u>
<u>Cadmium (D006)</u>	<u>7440-43-9</u>	<u>Selenium Dioxide^d (U204)</u>	<u>7446-08-4</u>
<u>Chromium (D007)</u>	<u>7440-47-3</u>	<u>Silver (D011)</u>	<u>7440-22-4</u>
<u>Copper Cyanide^b (P029)</u>	<u>544-92-3</u>	<u>Thallium Nitrate^h (U217)</u>	<u>10102-45-1</u>
<u>Cyanide (P030)</u>	<u>57-12-5</u>	<u>Thallium Oxide^d (P113)</u>	<u>1314-32-5</u>
<u>Hexavalent Chromium (D007)</u>	<u>18540-29-9</u>	<u>Vanadic Acid, Ammonium Salt^d (P119)</u>	<u>7803-55-6</u>
<u>Lead (D008)</u>	<u>7439-92-1</u>	<u>Vanadium Pentoxide^f (P120)</u>	<u>1314-62-1</u>
<u>Lead (II) Acetate^d (U144)</u>	<u>301-04-2</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>---</u>
<u>Organics</u>			
<u>1,1-Dichloroethylene (D029)</u>	<u>75-35-4</u>	<u>Formic Acid (U123)</u>	<u>64-18-6</u>
<u>1,1,1-Trichloroethane (F001, F002, U226)</u>	<u>71-55-6</u>	<u>Heptachlor (D031)</u>	<u>76-44-8</u>
<u>1,1,2-Trichloro-1,2,2-Trifluoroethane (CFC-113)^g (F002)</u>	<u>76-13-1</u>	<u>Heptachlor Epoxide (D031)</u>	<u>1024-57-3</u>
<u>1,1,2-Trichloroethane (F002)</u>	<u>79-00-5</u>	<u>Hexachlorobenzene (D032)</u>	<u>118-74-1</u>
<u>1,2-Dichloroethane (D028)</u>	<u>107-06-2</u>	<u>Hexachlorobutadiene (D033)</u>	<u>87-68-3</u>
<u>1,4-Dichlorobenzene (D027)</u>	<u>106-46-7</u>	<u>Hexachloroethane (D034)</u>	<u>67-72-1</u>
<u>1,4-Dioxane (U108)</u>	<u>123-91-1</u>	<u>Hydrofluoric Acid^d (U134)</u>	<u>7664-39-3</u>
<u>2,4,5-Trichlorophenol (D041)</u>	<u>95-95-4</u>	<u>Isobutanol (F005)</u>	<u>78-83-1</u>
<u>2,4,6-Trichlorophenol (D042)</u>	<u>88-06-2</u>	<u>Lindane (D013)</u>	<u>58-89-9</u>
<u>2,4-Dinitrotoluene (D030)</u>	<u>121-14-2</u>	<u>Methanol (F003, U154)</u>	<u>67-56-1</u>
<u>2,6-Dinitrotoluene (U106)</u>	<u>606-20-2</u>	<u>Methoxychlor (D014)</u>	<u>72-43-5</u>
<u>2-Ethoxyethanol^e (F005, U359)</u>	<u>110-80-5</u>	<u>Methyl Ethyl Ketone (D035, F005, U159)</u>	<u>78-93-3</u>
<u>2-Nitropropane^{c,d} (F005)</u>	<u>79-46-9</u>	<u>Methyl Ethyl Ketone Peroxide^d (U160)</u>	<u>1338-23-4</u>
<u>3-Methylcholanthrene^d (U157)</u>	<u>56-49-5</u>	<u>Methyl Isobutyl Ketone (F003, U161)</u>	<u>108-10-1</u>
<u>Acetaldehyde^d (U001)</u>	<u>75-07-0</u>	<u>Methyl Methacrylate (U162)</u>	<u>80-62-6</u>

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<u>Target Analyte (Waste Code)</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>	<u>Target Analyte (Waste Code)</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
<u>Acetone (F003, U002)</u>	<u>67-64-1</u>	<u>Methylene Chloride (F001, F002, U080)</u>	<u>75-09-2</u>
<u>Acetophenone (U004)</u>	<u>98-86-2</u>	<u>Naphthalene (U165)</u>	<u>91-20-3</u>
<u>Benzene (D018, F005, U019)</u>	<u>71-43-2</u>	<u>Nitrobenzene (D036, F004, U169)</u>	<u>98-95-3</u>
<u>Carbon Disulfide (F005, P022)</u>	<u>75-15-0</u>	<u>Pentachlorophenol (D037)</u>	<u>87-86-5</u>
<u>Carbon Tetrachloride (D019, F001, U211)</u>	<u>56-23-5</u>	<u>Phenol (U188)</u>	<u>108-95-2</u>
<u>Chlordane (D020)</u>	<u>57-74-9</u>	<u>Pyridine (D038, F005, U196)</u>	<u>110-86-1</u>
<u>Chlorinated Fluorocarbons^g (F001, F002)</u>	<u>Not Applicable</u>	<u>Tetrachloroethylene (D039, F001, F002, U210)</u>	<u>127-18-4</u>
<u>Chloroacetaldehyde^d (P023)</u>	<u>107-20-0</u>	<u>Tetrahydrofuran^d (U213)</u>	<u>109-99-9</u>
<u>Chlorobenzene (D021, F002)</u>	<u>108-90-7</u>	<u>Toluene (F005, U220)</u>	<u>108-88-3</u>
<u>Chloroform (D022, U044)</u>	<u>67-66-3</u>	<u>Toxaphene (D015)</u>	<u>8001-35-2</u>
<u>Total Cresol (Cresylic Acid)^a (D026, F004)</u>	<u>1319-77-3</u>	<u>Trichloroethylene (D040, F001, F002, U228)</u>	<u>79-01-6</u>
<u>Cyclohexanone (F003, U057)</u>	<u>108-94-1</u>	<u>Trichlorofluoromethane (CFC-11)^g (F002, U121)</u>	<u>75-69-4</u>
<u>Dibutyl Phthalate (U069)</u>	<u>84-74-2</u>	<u>Vinyl Chloride (D043, U043)</u>	<u>75-01-4</u>
<u>Dichloroethyl Ether (U025)</u>	<u>111-44-4</u>	<u>Xylenes (F003, U239)</u>	<u>1330-20-7</u>
<u>Diethylarsine^d (P038)</u>	<u>692-42-2</u>	<u><i>m</i>-Cresol (D024, F004)^a</u>	<u>108-39-4</u>
<u>Endrin (D012)</u>	<u>72-20-8</u>	<u><i>o</i>-Cresol (D023, F004)</u>	<u>95-48-7</u>
<u>Ethyl Acetate (F003, U112)</u>	<u>141-78-6</u>	<u><i>p</i>-Cresol (D025, F004)^a</u>	<u>106-44-5</u>
<u>Ethyl Benzene (F003)</u>	<u>100-41-4</u>	<u><i>n</i>-Butyl Alcohol (F003, U031)</u>	<u>71-36-3</u>
<u>Ethyl Ether (F003, U117)</u>	<u>60-29-7</u>	<u><i>Ortho</i>-Dichlorobenzene (F002)</u>	<u>95-50-1</u>

^aThe closure performance standard for cresol will be achieved through analysis of its three isomeric forms: *o*-cresol, *m*-cresol and *p*-cresol.

^bAnalyzed as total cyanide.

^cThe closure performance standard for 2-nitropropane was removed in the May 2014 CLARC table updates; therefore, this analyte will not be analyzed for, due to the unavailability of a closure performance standard.

^dThis analyte is removed from further consideration because it is not listed in the CLARC tables.

^eDue to the extremely short half-life of 2-ethoxyethanol (between 168 hours and 672 hours), its presence in soil samples is highly unlikely; therefore, samples will not be analyzed for 2-ethoxyethanol.

^fVanadium pentoxide will be analyzed as vanadium.

^gA CFC is an organic compound that contains only carbon, chlorine, and fluorine, produced as a volatile derivative of methane, ethane, and propane. Examples of CFCs include 1,1,2-trichloro-1,2,2-trifluoroethane (CFC-133) and trifluoromethane (CFC-11).

^hThallium nitrate will be analyzed as thallium.

CAS = Chemical abstracts service

CLARC = Cleanup Levels and Risk Calculation

CFC = Chlorinated fluorocarbon

IDF = Integrated Disposal Facility

1 **H.2 Groundwater Monitoring**

2 Groundwater monitoring will be performed in accordance with WAC 173-303-645, Releases from
3 regulated units, and the provisions of Addendum D. Addendum D describes the groundwater monitoring
4 activities, frequencies at which they will be performed, and groundwater monitoring data reporting
5 standards.

6 **11.1 Closure Plan**

7 ~~Waste containers and bulk waste that meet the IDF waste acceptance criteria will be disposed in the lined~~
8 ~~landfill that complies with WAC 173-303-665 standards (Chapter 4.0). The IDF will be closed according~~
9 ~~to current applicable WAC 173-303 regulations, United States Department of Energy (DOE)~~
10 ~~requirements, best management practices, and will be integrated with the overall cleanup activities~~
11 ~~performed under the Tri Party Agreement (HFFACO).~~

12 ~~The disposal landfill cover will be designed and located to comply with WAC 173-303-665(6) and~~
13 ~~WAC 173-303-610. The specification and/or variation for other cover designs will be provided at the~~
14 ~~time of closure once a hazard(s) has been defined.~~

15 **11.2 H.3 Closure Performance Standards**

16 ~~Closure requirements found in WAC 173-303-665(6), incorporated by reference, and detailed here in~~
17 ~~Chapter 11.0 of the IDF portion of the permit, will make up the closure.~~ The IDF DWMUs will be closed
18 in a manner that meets the performance standards for the IDF of WAC 173-303-610(2).

19 **11.3 Preclosure Activities**

20 ~~Preclosure activities could include, at a minimum, placing interim or final covers over the filled portions~~
21 ~~of the landfill as the landfill is expanded to accept more waste. Placement of covers over the filled~~
22 ~~portions might be deferred until closure of all the IDF. Once a decision is made to construct the final~~
23 ~~cover over the landfill, a closure cover design will be used that satisfies the dangerous waste disposal~~
24 ~~requirements defined in WAC 173-303.~~

25 ~~The selection of a final cover design has not been identified. Figure 11-1 shows an example of a typical~~
26 ~~Hanford Site landfill cover design. Design(s) will include features to satisfy the minimum requirements~~
27 ~~found in WAC 173-303-665(6).~~

28 **11.4 Maximum Extent of Operation**

29 ~~The maximum process design capacity of the IDF conservatively is calculated to be 100 hectare-meters,~~
30 ~~which is 1,000,000 cubic meters (Chapter 1.0, Part A, Form, Section III). The IDF landfill will be~~
31 ~~segregated into a RCRA-permitted side of 50 hectare-meters and a non-RCRA-permitted side of~~
32 ~~50 hectare-meters.~~

33 **H.3.1 Storage and Treatment Pad Closure Performance Standards**

34 The storage and treatment pad DWMUs will be clean closed. Clean closure will be achieved by removal
35 and disposal of the storage and treatment pads, and by removal of soil up to 1 m (3 ft) surrounding and
36 below the pads. Verification sampling of the removal area will be performed to demonstrate there were no
37 releases from the pads, or if releases occurred, that the contaminated soil has been sufficiently removed to
38 meet closure performance standards. If the soil does not meet closure performance standards, steps will be
39 taken in accordance with Section H.4.2.6.

40 Clean closure of the storage and treatment pads will eliminate the need for future post-closure inspections,
41 monitoring, and maintenance resulting from potential contamination by the IDF dangerous waste
42 constituents at these DWMUs.

1 In accordance with WAC 173-303-610(2)(b)(i), the closure performance standards for soil are the
2 numeric cleanup levels calculated using WAC 173-340, *Model Toxics Control Act—Cleanup, (MTCA)*
3 Method B. Table HA-3 of Appendix HA provides the closure performance standards for the Table H-1
4 target analytes. The closure performance standards consider all risk exposure pathways and reflect the most
5 conservative values of the stated exposure pathways, or Hanford Site Background, or the laboratory
6 practical quantitation limit for the specified analytical method, whichever is greater.

7 **H.3.2 Disposal Cell Closure Performance Standards**

8 The IDF disposal cells will be landfill-closed with a cover. Closure of the disposal cells will be consistent
9 with the closure requirements specified in WAC 173-303-665(6), *Landfills*, and WAC 173-303-610. The
10 cover design will satisfy the requirements of WAC 173-303-665(6). A description of the cover is
11 provided in Section H.4.3.

12 **H.4 CLOSURE ACTIVITIES**

13 This section describes the activities that will be performed to implement closure of the IDF in accordance
14 with WAC 173-303-610(3)(a)(iv) and WAC 173-303-665(6). These activities will be performed in
15 accordance with the established closure schedule provided in Section H.6.

16 If an unexpected event occurs prior to closure that affects the closure plan, a permit modification request
17 to amend the closure plan will be submitted to the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology)
18 within 60 days of the unexpected event per WAC 173-303-610(3)(b)(iii). An unexpected event would be
19 an event outside the scope of the closure plan or a condition that inhibits implementation of the plan as
20 written. Deviations from the closure plan required by unforeseen circumstances encountered during
21 closure activities, which do not impact the overall closure strategy, but provide equivalent results, shall be
22 documented in the IDF Operating Record and made available to Ecology upon request, or during the
23 course of an inspection. If an unexpected event occurs during the closure that affects the closure plan, a
24 permit modification request to amend the closure plan will be submitted to Ecology within 30 days of the
25 unexpected event per WAC 173-303-610(3)(b)(iii).

26 Hazardous waste associated with the closure of IDF will be accumulated, as necessary, in satellite
27 accumulation areas or in central accumulation areas at appropriate locations near IDF, in accordance with
28 WAC 173-303-170, *Requirements for generators of dangerous waste*, and WAC 173-303-200 *Conditions*
29 for exemption for a large quantity generator that accumulates dangerous waste. Only newly generated
30 hazardous wastes will be placed in these waste accumulation areas. Waste removed during closure
31 activities will be designated to meet the requirements of WAC 173-303-070, *Designation of dangerous*
32 waste, through WAC 173-303-100, *Dangerous waste criteria*. Waste may include equipment used during
33 closure activities. Designation of waste generated during closure activities will be based on Addendum A,
34 available process knowledge, and sampling results, as necessary to complete a disposal unit waste profile.

35 Hazardous wastes generated during closure will be treated (if necessary) to meet LDRs in 40 Code of
36 Federal Regulations (CFR) 268, incorporated into WAC 173-303-140(2)(a), *Land disposal restrictions*,
37 by reference. Ultimately, waste will be disposed of in an approved waste disposal facility, such as the
38 IDF, the Environmental Restoration Disposal Facility, or another approved disposal facility, in
39 accordance with WAC 173-303-610(5).

40 **H.4.1 Security, Inspection, and Training Information**

41 Security information, as it applies to the IDF DWMUs, is described in Addendum E, “Security.”
42 Inspection information is described in Addendum I, “Inspection Plan,” and training information is in
43 Addendum G, “Personnel Training.” For groundwater monitoring well inspection and training of Soil and
44 Groundwater Samplers, refer to Hanford Facility RCRA Permit Attachment 8, *Inspection and Training*
45 Plan for Groundwater Monitoring Wells.

1 Closure activities will be performed in a manner to ensure the safety of personnel and the surrounding
2 environment. Qualified personnel will be trained to perform all necessary closure activities in compliance
3 with the applicable safety and environmental requirements identified in Addendum G. Field operations
4 will be performed in accordance with applicable health and safety requirements. Personnel will be
5 equipped with appropriate personal protective equipment for the closure activity being performed.

6 Attachment 5, Hanford Facility Personnel Training Program, of the Hanford Facility RCRA Permit
7 describes specific training requirements for Hanford Facility personnel. The training matrix detailed in
8 Addendum G provides training requirements for Hanford Facility personnel whose job tasks are directly
9 associated with the IDF. Training records are maintained for each employee in an electronic database.

10 Provisions of Addendum F, "Preparedness and Prevention" shall be implemented throughout the IDF
11 active life period.

12 **H.4.2 Storage and Treatment Pads**

13 The IDF storage and treatment pads will be clean closed in accordance with the closure performance
14 standards in this plan. The activities to clean close the storage and treatment pads include removal of
15 waste, the pads, and surrounding soil, as well as visual inspections and soil verification sampling.

16 Waste generated due to closure activities may include:

- 17 • Concrete pad debris.
- 18 • Contaminated media (soil).
- 19 • Miscellaneous disposables (personal protective equipment, disposable sampling equipment, etc.).

20 **H.4.2.1 Removal of Wastes and Waste Residues**

21 Waste stored or treated on the pads will have been disposed in the Disposal Cells at the time of storage
22 and treatment pad closure. No further removal of waste or waste residues from the pads is planned as part
23 of these closure activities.

24 **H.4.2.2 Removal of Unit, Parts, Equipment, Piping, and other Ancillary Equipment**

25 No parts, equipment, piping, or ancillary equipment are anticipated to be associated with the IDF storage
26 and treatment pads.

27 **H.4.2.3 Unit Inspection**

28 Following removal of wastes and waste residues from the storage and treatment pads, the concrete pads
29 will be visually inspected for contamination (e.g., stains or residuals) and cracks or other openings. The
30 inspection results will be evaluated for indications of potential past spills or releases at the DWMUs. The
31 information will be used to determine the need for focused sampling of the underlying soil during closure.

32 Previous spills at the storage and treatment pads, and subsequent cleanup, will be identified and
33 documented in the IDF portion of the facility operating record and reviewed at the time of closure. A
34 permit modification prepared in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(3)(b) is required when a release
35 occurs that requires modification of the closure plan.

36 **11.5 Decontaminating Equipment and Structures**

37 All ancillary equipment and its secondary containment, and instrumentation (e.g., level indicating
38 devices, leak detection devices, pumps, piping) meet the definition of "debris" as defined in
39 WAC 173-303-040. Items in direct contact with mixed waste are assumed to meet the definition of
40 "hazardous debris" as defined in WAC 173-303-040.

1 Currently, three options are available for treating hazardous debris. The first option is to treat the debris
2 using one of the three debris treatment technologies—extraction, destruction, or immobilization—as
3 described in 40 CFR 268.45. If the hazardous debris is treated using approved extraction or destruction
4 technologies, the debris is no longer required to be managed as a dangerous waste as long as the debris
5 does not exhibit a characteristic of a dangerous waste. If hazardous debris contaminated with a listed
6 waste is treated using an immobilization technology, it remains a listed waste, even after the LDR
7 treatment standards are met unless Ecology makes a case-by-case determination that the debris "no longer
8 contains" a mixed waste. In effect, by making this "contained in" determination on a case-by-case basis,
9 Ecology will be setting clean closure standards in accordance with the closure performance standards of
10 WAC 173-303-610(2)(a)(ii).

11 The second option is to treat the hazardous debris to meet the constituent specific LDR treatment standard
12 for the waste or waste specific constituents contaminating the debris; however, such debris, even after
13 treatment, may be considered a dangerous waste under the dangerous waste regulations and may require
14 management at a facility permitted to manage dangerous waste.

15 The third option involves obtaining a "contained in determination" for the hazardous debris, thereby
16 rendering the waste "non-hazardous" for those waste specific listed constituents that fall below Model
17 Toxic Control Act (MTCA) method B risk-based health limits. Moreover, it must be proven that the
18 debris does not designate as a characteristic waste under WAC 173-303.

19 **11.5.1 H.4.2.4 Storage and Treatment Pad Removal and Contaminated Soil** 20 **Sampling**

21 Contaminated soil could be generated as a result of spill cleanup. Since the majority of IDF operations
22 will be performed within secondary containment (see Chapters 4.0 and 6.0) the potential for spilling
23 dangerous waste into the surrounding soil is low. Contaminated soil generated as a result of a dangerous
24 waste spill will be managed pursuant to WAC 173-303-200.

25 Once the soil is designated, appropriate treatment and disposal or storage options will be determined and
26 implemented.

27 A contained in determination could also be sought for contaminated soil generated as a result of a spill.
28 For contaminated media the contained in policy requires that a statistically based sampling plan be used
29 for obtaining the data to support a contained in demonstration. The contained in policy does not require
30 that the waste be analytically nondetectable for it to be considered nondangerous. However, the
31 analytical results must prove that the listed constituents in the soil are below health-based limits as
32 provided in WAC 173-303-610(2)(b)(i) and that the soil does not exhibit any dangerous waste
33 characteristics (i.e., soil does not designate for D codes). If approved by Ecology, this could allow waste
34 that falls below specific health-based levels to be disposed of without requiring treatment

35 The storage and treatment pad DWMUs will be removed and disposed to support clean closure. Upon
36 removal of the concrete pads, the underlying soil will be exposed for inspection and sampling. Up to 1 m
37 (3 ft) surrounding and below the pads will be excavated to support clean closure.

38 Verification sampling of the removal area will be performed to demonstrate there were no releases from
39 the pads, or if releases occurred, that the contaminated soil has been sufficiently removed to meet closure
40 performance standards (Section H.4.2.6).

41 **H.4.2.5 Identifying and Managing Contaminated Environmental Media**

42 Soil surrounding and beneath the concrete pads will be inspected for staining or other indications of
43 contamination. Focused soil samples may be required when visual inspection of the pads (prior to their
44 removal) or the underlying soil indicates a potential release of waste to the soil. Soil with contamination
45 at levels that exceed values in Table HA-3 in Appendix HA will be removed from the excavation location
46 and disposed in an approved disposal facility.

1 Soil removal will be monitored closely, and removed soil will be placed in a satellite accumulation area or
2 a central accumulation area. Precautions will be taken to prevent the spread of contamination. If
3 contamination is indicated by field screening, a suitable cover or fixative would be applied to the soil.
4 Soil accumulations will be placed in U.S. Department of Transportation-compliant containers and sent to
5 an approved disposal facility or staged at central accumulation areas in accordance with WAC 173-303-
6 200 standards.

7 Contaminated soil will be managed as newly-generated waste in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(5)
8 and must be handled in accordance with applicable generator requirements of WAC 173-303-170 through
9 WAC 173-303-230, *Special conditions*. The contaminated soil will be containerized, labeled, sampled if
10 necessary, and waste designated. Contaminated soil requiring treatment will be transported to a facility
11 where it will be treated to meet WAC 173-303-140(2)(a) prior to disposal.

12 **H.4.2.6 Closure Confirmation**

13 The concrete pads will be removed, in addition to soil contaminated to levels that exceed the values in
14 Table HA-3 in Appendix HA. Verification sampling will be performed of the soil surrounding and
15 beneath the storage and treatment pads to support clean closure of the DWMUs. Verification sampling
16 will be performed in accordance with the closure SAP (Appendix HA).

17 If contaminated soil is identified as a result of closure verification sampling activities, the contaminated
18 soil will be removed and disposed at an approved disposal facility in accordance with Section H.4.2.5.
19 Following removal of the contaminated soil, additional sampling will be conducted to demonstrate
20 meeting the closure performance standards.

21 Soil sampling will be conducted to confirm that unrestricted use cleanup standards (MTCA
22 [WAC 173-340] Method B) have been achieved. Once analytical results confirm closure performance
23 standards have been met, the area will be backfilled to grade with clean soil consistent with the future
24 land-use determination (Section H.3.1).

25 **H.4.3 Landfill Cell Closure**

26 Upon completion of waste placement in both cells, Disposal Cells 1 and 2 will be landfill closed with a
27 single cover. The landfill cover will be designed to comply with WAC 173-303-665(6) and
28 WAC 173-303-610. The following activities are required to achieve landfill closure:

- 29 • Continuation of the established monitoring requirements for groundwater and leachate collection.
- 30 • Periodic inspections and maintenance of the facility.
- 31 • Preparations for final cover installation.
- 32 • Installation of the final cover.
- 33 • Certification of closure.

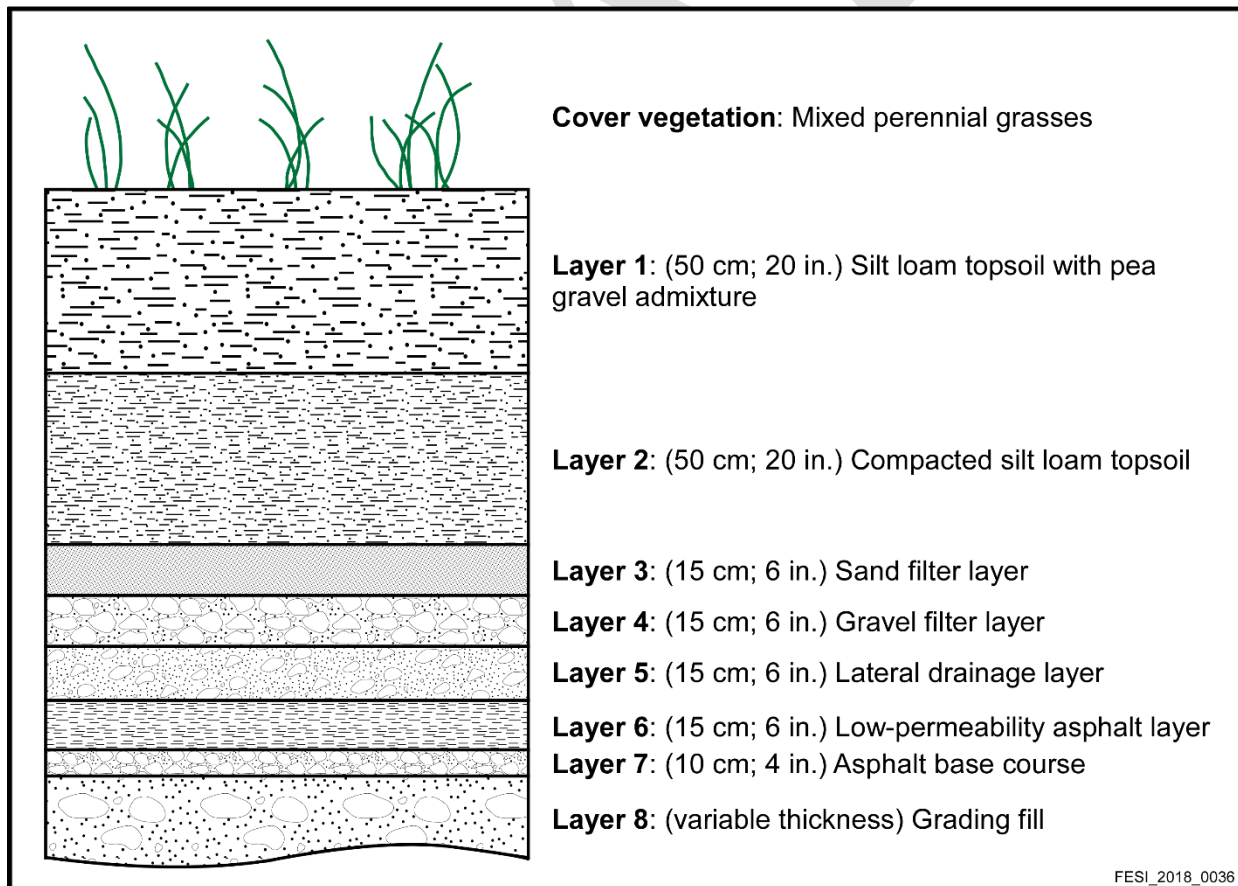
34 In accordance with WAC 173-303-665(6)(a), a final landfill cover will be designed and constructed to
35 meet following objectives:

- 36 • Provide long-term minimization of migration of liquids through closed landfill.
- 37 • Require minimal maintenance.
- 38 • Promote drainage and minimize cover erosion or abrasion of the cover.
- 39 • Maintain cover integrity despite settling and subsidence.
- 40 • Provide permeability less than or equal to that of any bottom liner system or natural subsoil
41 present.

1 In 1996, a focused feasibility study (DOE/RL-93-33) of engineered barriers (covers) was prepared for the
2 200 Area of the Hanford Facility. The focused feasibility study provided four generic conceptual cover
3 designs that evaluated federal and state regulatory requirements and drew upon experience with cover
4 designs for Hanford Facility applications.

5 The Modified RCRA Subtitle C Barrier is designed to provide long-term containment, hydrologic
6 protection, and provision to control biointrusion and human intrusion for a performance period of
7 500 years. This design incorporates RCRA “minimum technology guidance” as established in
8 EPA/530-SW-89-047, Technical Guidance Document, Final Covers on Hazardous Waste Landfills and
9 Surface Impoundments, with modifications for extended performance. This barrier is designed to
10 minimize moisture infiltration through the cover, facilitate drainage, minimize surface erosion by wind
11 and water, provide resistance to natural degradation processes, and requires minimal maintenance during
12 its design life. The slope of the final cover encourages runoff and minimizes/eliminates any tendency for
13 ponding of rainwater on the barrier surface. The overall conceptual design of the Modified RCRA Subtitle
14 C Barrier eliminates the need for surface water run-on and runoff control, and collection and discharge
15 devices, thereby satisfying the requirements of WAC 173-303-665(6)(b)(v).

16 The IDF Modified RCRA Subtitle C Barrier will be composed of eight layers of durable material with a
17 combined minimum thickness of 1.7 m (5.5 ft). Upon completion of installation of the final cover, the
18 land will be returned to the appearance and use of surrounding land areas to the furthest degree possible.
19 The top layer (Layer 1) of the final cover will be populated with perennial grass similar to the natural
20 environment surrounding the Disposal Cells. The Modified RCRA Subtitle C Barrier layers are
21 summarized in Figure H-2 and further described in the following subsections.



23 **Figure H-1 Modified Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Subtitle C Barrier**

1 **11.6 Closure of Landfill Units**

2 Closure of the IDF will be consistent with the closure requirements specified in WAC 173-303-665(6)
3 and WAC 173-303-610. The cover design(s) will satisfy the requirements of WAC 173-303-665(6).

4 **11.6.1 Cover Design**

5 The cover could consist of several layers constructed on top of a native soil base. A generalized
6 cross-section of an example cover is shown on Figure 11-1. It is assumed that before construction of the
7 final cover, the waste form would be stabilized appropriately.

8 **11.6.1.1 Grade Layer**

9 The surface of the landfill would be graded and/or shaped, if necessary, to match the slope of the desired
10 low permeability layer. Additional soil would be placed over the landfill to achieve the required cover
11 grade. This grade layer could taper from zero thickness near the edge of the cover boundary to perhaps
12 several meters at the center of the cover; the thickness would depend on the lateral dimensions of the
13 particular cover and the grade of the cover.

14 **11.6.1.2 Low-Permeability Layer**

15 The selection of an appropriate material for this layer would be based on the hazard that is to be isolated.
16 The low permeability layer will be the primary barrier in preventing soil and/or water from migrating into
17 the waste zone and meet WAC 173-303-655(6)(v) "Have a permeability less than or equal to the
18 permeability of any bottom liner system or natural sub-soils present".

19 **11.6.1.3 Drainage Layer**

20 The drainage layer would conduct any water that percolates through the overlying layers laterally to the
21 drainage ditch. Thus, the drainage layer would prevent hydraulic pressure from building up directly on
22 the low permeability liner, and thereby eliminate one set of forces that would drive moisture through the
23 primary moisture control barrier.

24 **11.6.1.4 Plant, Animal, and Human Intrusion Layer (optional)**

25 The performance objectives for the permanent isolation surface barrier are summarized as follows:

- 26 ● Function in a semiarid to sub-humid environment.
- 27 ● Limit the recharge of water through the waste to near zero amounts [0.05-centimeter per year
28 (1.6x10⁻⁹-centimeters per second)].
- 29 ● Be maintenance free.
- 30 ● Minimize the likelihood of plant, animal, and human intrusion.
- 31 ● Limit the exhalation of noxious gases.
- 32 ● Minimize erosion-related problems.
- 33 ● Meet or exceed WAC 173-303-665(6) cover performance requirements.
- 34 ● Isolate waste for 1,000 years.

35 To satisfy the intrusion performance objective, an optional layer would be included in the design of
36 barriers that require the additional human and/or biointrusion protection to reduce either the
37 environmental or human health risk.

1 **11.6.1.5 Graded Filter Layer**

2 ~~A graded filter consisting of crushed rock overlaid by sand would be placed on the plant, animal, and~~
3 ~~human intrusion layer if incorporated into the design, or directly over the drainage layer. The graded~~
4 ~~filter would serve to separate the surface soil layer from the drainage layer. A geotextile would be placed~~
5 ~~on the top of the graded filter to decrease the potential for fine material to enter the filter and drainage~~
6 ~~zone. The geotextile would be permeable, allowing drainage, and would not support a standing head of~~
7 ~~water.~~

8 **11.6.1.6 Surface Soil Layer**

9 ~~The two most important factors in engineering the surface soil thickness would be the assignment of the~~
10 ~~water retention characteristics for soil and climate information. Surface soil would be placed over the~~
11 ~~geotextile to intercept, store, recycle water, and prevent damage to the underlying structure from natural~~
12 ~~and synthetic processes.~~

13 **11.6.1.7 H.4.3.1 Cover Vegetation**~~ve Cover~~

14 ~~The vegetative cover would perform three functions. First, the plants would return water stored in the~~
15 ~~surface soil back to the atmosphere, significantly decreasing net infiltration and reducing the amount of~~
16 ~~moisture available to penetrate the cover. Second, the vegetation would stabilize the surface soil~~
17 ~~component of the cover against wind and water erosion. Finally, the vegetative cover would restore the~~
18 ~~appearance of the land to a more natural condition and appearance.~~

19 ~~A mixture of seeds would be used to establish vegetation. The seed types would be selected based on~~
20 ~~resistance to drought, rooting density, and ability to extract water.~~Cover vegetation will consist of a
21 mixture of perennial grass species. Specifications for the seed mix, and methods of seed application,
22 fertilization, and mulching will be developed during definitive design. Planting of cover vegetation will
23 meet or exceed recommendations in EPA technical guidance for final covers.

24 **H.4.3.2 Layer 1: Topsoil with Pea Gravel Admixture**

25 Layer 1 will consist of approximately 50 cm (20 in) of sandy silt to silt loam soil containing 15 percent
26 (by weight) pea gravel. Layer 1 will be placed in a relatively loose condition and will retain soil moisture
27 to support the cover vegetation. The pea gravel in Layer 1 will improve the soil's resistance to wind
28 erosion. The slope of Layer 1 will be 5 percent, which will allow for drainage of runoff from the covered
29 area yet limit exposure of the surface to wind erosion.

30 **H.4.3.3 Layer 2: Compacted Topsoil**

31 Layer 2 will consist of approximately 50 cm (20 in) of the same silt loam soil as Layer 1 but without the
32 pea gravel. Layer 2 will be placed in a relatively densified state. Compaction of Layer 2 will help to resist
33 moisture migration through Layer 2.

34 **H.4.3.4 Layer 3: Sand Filter and Layer 4: Gravel Filter**

35 Layers 3 and 4 will prevent topsoil from migrating downward and accumulating in the lateral drainage
36 layer (Layer 5). Both layers will be approximately 15 cm (6.0 in) thick.

37 **H.4.3.5 Layer 5: Lateral Drainage Layer**

38 Layer 5 will facilitate removal of moisture that may filter through Layers 1 and 2. Layer 5 will consist of
39 approximately 50 cm (6.0 in) of clean, screened aggregate material, and will be sloped at 5 percent to
40 move water to the edge of the cover for collection and diversion away from the Leachate Collection
41 System.

1 **H.4.3.6 Layer 6: Asphalt Layer**

2 Layer 6 will be a low-permeability layer constructed of a durable asphaltic concrete mixture consisting of
3 double-tar asphalt with added sand as a binder. This layer will act as a biointrusion barrier for plant roots
4 and burrowing animals. It will also function as a deterrent for human intrusion. Layer 6 will be
5 constructed with a 5 percent slope.

6 **H.4.3.7 Layer 7: Asphalt Base Course**

7 Layer 7 will provide a stable base for placement of the overlying asphalt layer. Layer 7 will consist of
8 screened, crushed-surfacing material.

9 **H.4.3.8 Layer 8: Grading Fill**

10 Layer 8 will be placed, as necessary, to establish a smooth surface for construction of the overlying
11 barrier layers. Grading fill, which will consist of well-graded granular soil mixture, will create a uniform
12 surface sloped at 5 percent.

13 **11.6.2 Wind Erosion**

14 ~~The principal hazard associated with wind erosion is the thinning of the cover surface soil layer. This in~~
15 ~~turn potentially could lead to breaching of the moisture barriers, gradually allowing larger quantities of~~
16 ~~water to reach the waste. The engineering approaches to mitigating wind erosion of the cover would be~~
17 ~~(1) designing the surface soil layer with an appropriate total thickness to compensate for future soil loss~~
18 ~~that might result from wind erosion, (2) establishing a vegetative cover on the surface to reduce wind~~
19 ~~erosion, and (3) including an appropriate coarse material (admix) in the upper layer of the surface soil to~~
20 ~~form an armor layer.~~

21 **11.6.3 Water Erosion**

22 ~~The potential hazard associated with water erosion is the same as that for wind erosion, namely the loss of~~
23 ~~soil from the top or surface layer.~~

24 ~~Several of the following engineering approaches could be adopted to minimize the potential for water~~
25 ~~erosion:~~

- 26 ~~• Limiting the surface slopes.~~
- 27 ~~• Providing run-on control with the sideslope drainage ditches.~~
- 28 ~~• Compacting the surface soil in a way that promotes significant infiltration rather than excessive~~
29 ~~run-off.~~
- 30 ~~• Properly designing the sideslopes to prevent gullyng.~~
- 31 ~~• Establishing a vegetative cover to slow surface run-off.~~
- 32 ~~• Incorporating coarse material (pea gravel admix) in the upper portion of the surface soil layer to~~
33 ~~help form an erosion resistant armor.~~
- 34 ~~• Limiting flow path lengths through the use of vegetation and admix.~~

35 ~~The cover design would be evaluated for potential erosion damage from overall soil erodibility, sheet~~
36 ~~flow, and gullyng.~~

37 **11.6.4 Deep-Rooted Plants**

38 ~~The following design features could minimize the potential for problems with deep-rooted plants.~~

- 39 ~~• The surface soil (top two layers) would retain most of the precipitation, because the underlying~~
40 ~~drainage layer would have significantly higher permeability and much less water retention~~
41 ~~capacity. Therefore, it is expected that vegetation preferentially would occupy the surface soil~~
42 ~~layer and not have an affinity for growing into the drier underlying layers.~~

- ~~The thickness of the surface soils would be sized to promote the development of semiarid deep-rooted perennial grasses and to discourage the development of deep-rooting intrusive species.~~

H.4.4 Equipment Decontamination

Equipment decontamination activities will be conducted in association with waste removal activities in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(5). Equipment used in closure activities will be decontaminated to minimize the potential spread of loose contamination. Decontamination of equipment will include, but is not limited to, a water rinse or high-pressure, low-volume steam cleaning coupled with a detergent wash. Rinsate from the decontamination activities will be collected and managed as dangerous waste. Decontaminated equipment to be disposed will be containerized only to the extent necessary to facilitate waste handling and to meet waste acceptance criteria.

H.4.5 Sampling and Analysis Plan

A closure SAP (Appendix HA) has been prepared to support clean closure of the storage and treatment pad DWMUs. The SAP lists the target analytes (consistent with Table H-1), documents the number and location of samples, type and quality of data, sampling and analytical methods, and the appropriate field and laboratory quality control. The SAP also contains the quality assurance project plan and the field sampling plan. The sample results will be used to verify that concentrations of dangerous waste constituents in soil are below the closure performance standards in Table HA-3 in Appendix HA.

H.5 CONTINGENT CLOSURE PLAN - RESERVED

44.7 H.6 SCHEDULE FOR CLOSURE

~~As stated previously, closure of the IDF will be a complex process. At the time of closure, this closure plan will be updated to reflect the current closure plan schedule per WAC 173-303-830, Appendix I. In addition, when a closure date is established, a revised closure plan and closure schedule will be submitted to Ecology that contains detailed information regarding specific activities and implementation timeframes.~~ Closure activities for the IDF DWMUs, as well as the expected duration for each activity, are identified in Table H-2, Table H-3, and Figure H-3. Due to the extensive requirements that must be incorporated into the design and construction of the IDF landfill final cover, closure activities for the IDF are expected to take longer than the allotted 180 days [WAC 173-303-610(4)(b)]. During the extended closure period, steps to prevent threats to human health and the environment, including compliance with all applicable permit requirements, will continue to be taken.

Table H-2 Integrated Disposal Facility Pre-Closure Activities Schedule

<u>Pre-Closure Activity Description</u>		<u>Timeframe Relative to Initiating Closure</u>
<u>Primary Activity</u>	<u>Description of Activity</u>	
<u>Conduct Monitoring, Inspections, and Maintenance</u>	<u>Perform required monitoring, inspections, and maintenance for groundwater and the Leachate Collection System.</u>	<u>Continuous Through Pre-Closure</u>
<u>Prepare Documentation</u>	<u>Prepare compliance documentation for clean closure of storage and treatment pads.</u>	<u>Continuous For 48 Weeks Before Beginning Closure</u>
<u>Submit the Final Cover Design, Specifications, and CQA Plan to Ecology</u>	<u>Submit the final cover design, specifications, and CQA Plan to Ecology for review and approval six months prior to construction of the IDF landfill final cover (but no later than six months prior to acceptance of the last shipment of waste at the IDF). Construction of the final cover may not proceed until Ecology approves the final cover design via a permit modification.</u>	<u>At Least Six Months Before Beginning Closure</u>

Table H-2 Integrated Disposal Facility Pre-Closure Activities Schedule

<u>Pre-Closure Activity Description</u>		<u>Timeframe Relative to Initiating Closure</u>
<u>Primary Activity</u>	<u>Description of Activity</u>	
<u>Submit Notification to Ecology of Intent to Close the IDF</u>	<u>Submit to Ecology the notification of intent to close the IDF at least 60 days prior to the date on which closure is expected to begin in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(3)(c)(i).</u>	<u>At Least 60 Days Before Beginning Closure</u>

CQA = Construction quality assurance

Ecology = Washington Department of Ecology

IDF = Integrated Disposal Facility

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Table H-3 Integrated Disposal Facility Closure Activities Schedule

<u>Closure Activity Description</u>		<u>Expected Duration</u>
<u>Primary Activity</u>	<u>Description of Activity</u>	
<u>Begin Closure of the IDF</u>	<u>Begin closure of the IDF no later than 30 days after receipt of last known volume of waste in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(3)(c)(ii).</u>	<u>0 Weeks (Milestone)</u>
<u>Conduct Monitoring, Inspections, and Maintenance</u>	<u>Perform required monitoring, inspections, and maintenance for groundwater and the Leachate Collection System.</u>	<u>190 Weeks (Continuous)</u>
<u>Remove Storage and Treatment Pads</u>	<u>Excavate concrete pads and up to 1 m (3 ft) of soil around and beneath the pad footprints. Perform visual inspection and verification sampling and analysis.</u>	<u>25 Weeks (Week 0 to Week 25)</u>
<u>Conduct Closure Verification</u>	<u>Obtain verification of clean closure for storage and treatment pads.</u>	<u>25 Weeks (Week 25 to Week 50)</u>
<u>Owner/Operators and IORPE Prepare & Submit Clean Closure Certification</u>	<u>Submit to Ecology a certification that the pad DWMUs have been closed in accordance with the approved closure plan within 60 days of completion of closure in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(6).</u>	<u>8 Weeks (Week 50 to Week 58)</u>
<u>Conduct Cover Installation Preparation</u>	<u>General mobilization of water sources, construction trailers, heavy equipment.</u>	<u>25 Weeks (Week 0 to Week 25)</u>
	<u>Fill voids.</u>	
	<u>Prepare subgrade (filling of low areas, compacting, and re-grading).</u>	
<u>Install Final Cover</u>	<u>Stabilize barrier base.</u>	<u>155 Weeks (Week 25 to Week 180)</u>
	<u>Construct barrier layers.</u>	
	<u>Install vegetation.</u>	
<u>Owner/Operators and IORPE Prepare & Submit Closure Certification</u>	<u>Submit to Ecology a certification that the DMWU has been closed in accordance with the approved closure plan within 60 days of completion of closure in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(6).</u>	<u>8 Weeks (Week 180 to Week 188)</u>

DWMU = Dangerous waste management unit

IDF = Integrated Disposal Facility

IORPE = Independent Qualified Registered Professional Engineer

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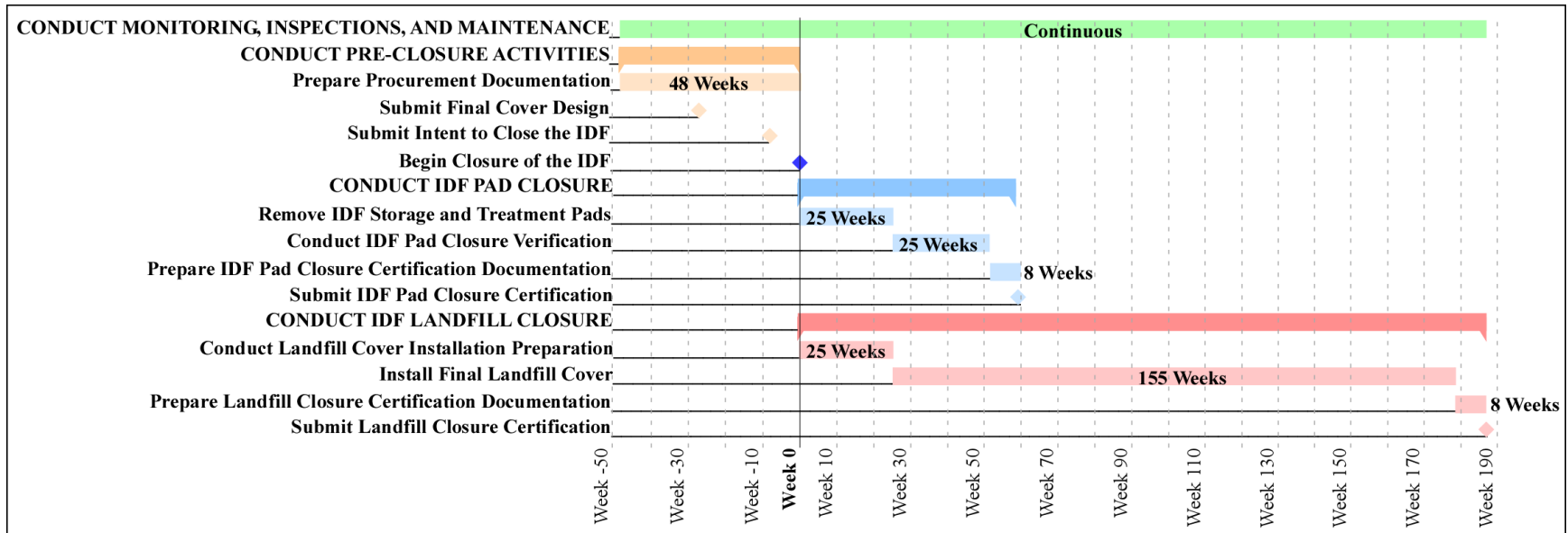


Figure H-2 Integrated Disposal Facility Dangerous Waste Management Unit Closure Schedule Timeline

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1 **11.8 Extension for Closure**

2 ~~An extension for closure request is anticipated to complete the closure/post closure process of the IDF.~~

3 **11.9 Postclosure Plan**

4 ~~Because of the long active life of the IDF, a comprehensive post closure plan will be developed when~~
5 ~~closure becomes imminent or when 200 Areas cleanup activities prescribed by the Tri Party Agreement~~
6 ~~require integration.~~

7 **H.7 CLOSURE COSTS**

8 Closure cost estimates for Hanford Facility DWMUs are not required per Hanford Facility RCRA Permit
9 Condition II.H.

10 **H.8 CERTIFICATION OF CLOSURE**

11 The U.S. Department of Energy will submit to Ecology a certification of closure and subsequent permit
12 modification documentation, in accordance with WAC 173-303-610(6). The certification will be
13 submitted by registered mail or an equivalent delivery service.

14 An IORPE will be retained to provide and sign certification of the closures, as required by
15 WAC 173-303-610(6). The IORPE will be responsible for observing field activities and reviewing
16 documents associated with closure of IDF. At a minimum, the following activities will be performed:

- 17 • Review of the IDF final cover definitive designs.
- 18 • Review of leachate and groundwater sampling procedures and results during the closure periods.
- 19 • Observe and review final cover installation activities.
- 20 • Verify that closure activities were performed in accordance with this closure plan.

21 The IORPE will record observations and reviews in the closure certification, which will then be provided
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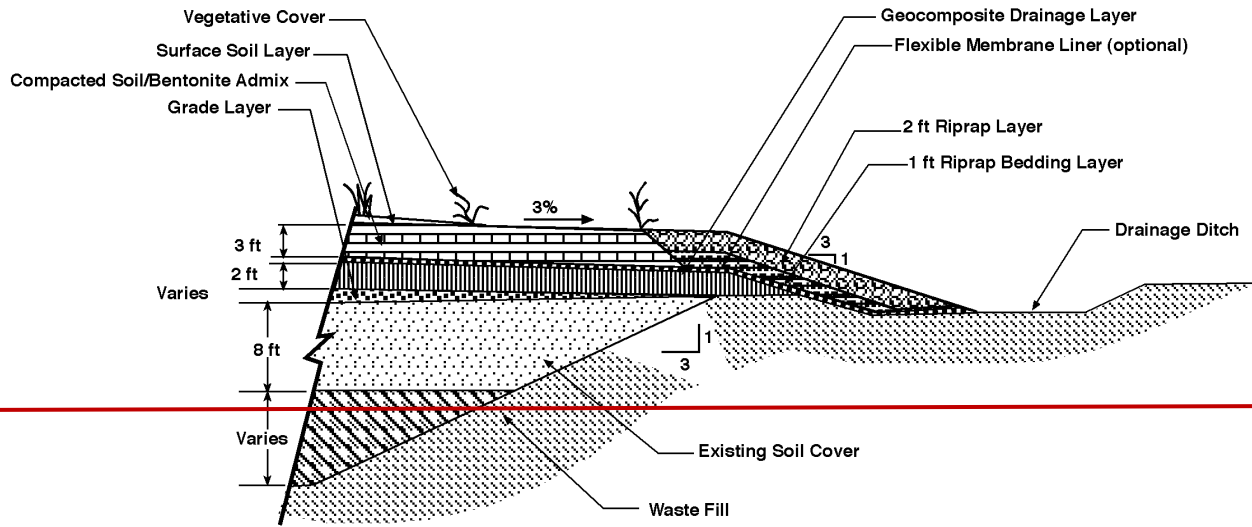
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Notes:

1. Drawing not to scale.
 2. Cover shown for unlined trench.
Similar configuration for lined trench.
- To convert feet (ft) to meters, multiply by 0.3048.

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Figure 11.1. Typical Hanford Site Landfill Cover Design

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