
An Integrated Chemical, Biological, Radiological Agent Monitoring Solution

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Outline

- Previous support
- The team
- Biological agent monitoring
- Biological agent analysis
- Radiological agent monitoring
- Chemical agent monitoring
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Previous Support

- Los Alamos National Laboratory
- U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
- DoD Environmental Security Technology Certification Program (ESTCP)
- U. S. Air Force Research Laboratory



The Team

- ARCADIS



- R&P



- STL



- UNISEARCH



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Biological Agent Monitoring

- R&P Instrumentation - Basis for Salt Lake City Winter Olympics Bio-aerosol Monitoring System
- Proven Existing Environmental Monitoring Technology Transferred to Meet New Requirement

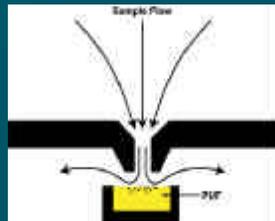
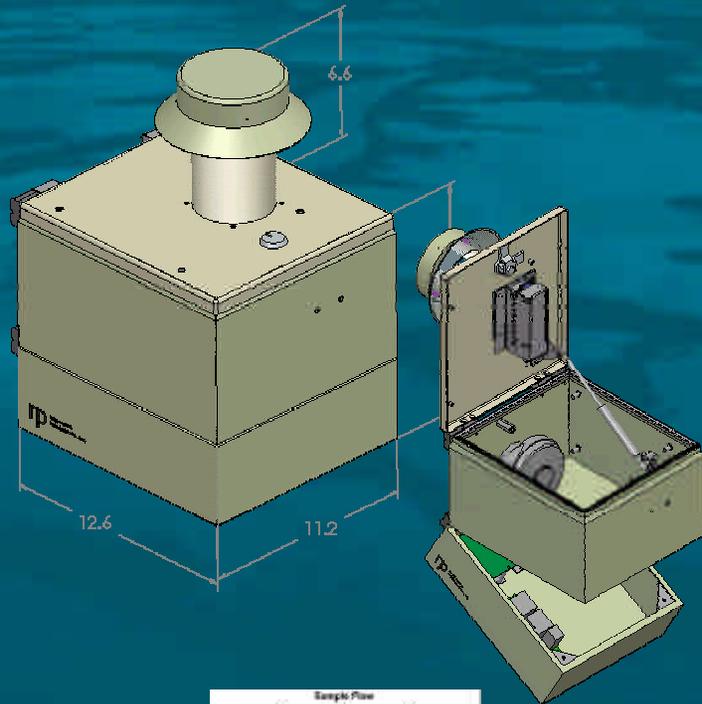


Bioaerosol Sampler Development

- Apply Lessons Learned
 - Indoor/Outdoor Applications
 - Small Size (Foot Cubed) – Low Noise
 - High Collection Efficiency/Flow Rate
 - Concentrated Sample – Inert Collection Substrate
 - Traceability
 - Flexible Communication
 - Simple Operation – Tamper Resistant
 - Flexible Power Sources
 - Real-time Radiological/Particulate Monitor



Concept to Hardware



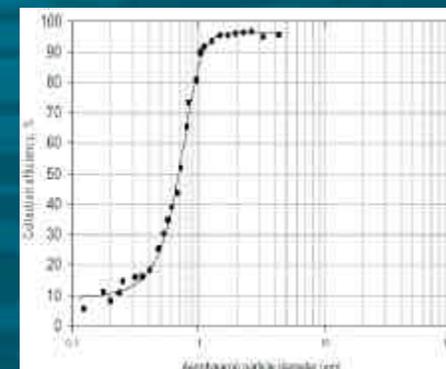
Bioaerosol Sampler Features

- Patented Airborne Sample Analysis Platform
ASAP™ System
- Computerized Date-Time-Loc Stamp
- Low Noise/High Flow Rate (200 l/min)
- Remote Communications
- Operating Data and Sensor Data Automatically
Recorded to One-Time Write Only Electronic Chip



Bioaerosol Sampler (concluded)

- iBASS (Integrated Bio Aerosol Smart Sample)
 - Polyurethane foam (PUF) collection media
 - Memory button (over-write protected)
 - Approximately 95% collection efficiency for particles between 1 and 10 microns
- Integrated Radiological Monitor
- Particle concentration sensor for aerosols more than 1 micron diameter



iBASS

Sample ID: [XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX] Instrument ID: [A2980/205]

PUF-ASAP

Sample Information:

Start Time: [09/20/2002 14:51] Stop Time: [09/20/2002 15:04]

Dial (Min/Max/Min): [0.1/2.0/2.4] p/c/s Radactivity: [0.000] mR/hr

Data | Events | User Data

Time	Radactivity	Efficiency
09/20/2002-14:52	0.000 mR/hr	3.2
09/20/2002-14:53	0.000 mR/hr	3.3
09/20/2002-14:54	0.000 mR/hr	3.3
09/20/2002-14:55	0.000 mR/hr	3.3
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09/20/2002-15:01	0.000 mR/hr	3.3



Bioaerosol Analysis

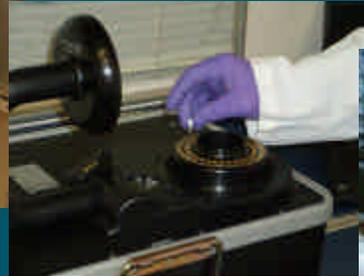
- PCR Using Idaho Technologies R.A.P.I.D. Analyzer
- Anthrax Genetic Material Successfully Retrieved and Detected from PUF Collection Substrate
- No False Positives
- Anthrax, Tularemia, Plague and Brucellosis Mixture Successfully Retrieved, Separated and Detected from PUF Substrate



Laboratory Analysis



- SOPs for Analytical, Reporting and Sample Handling are Completed
- Analysis Time 1 – 2 Hours On-Site (24 to 48 Hours at Off-Site Lab)

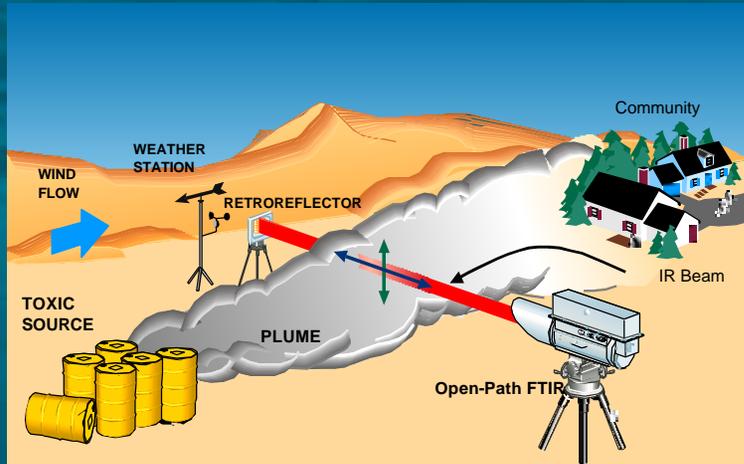


Optical Remote Sensing (ORS) for Chemical Releases

- Spectroscopic Methods
 - Open Path Fourier Transform Infrared (OP-FTIR)
 - Differential Optical Absorption Spectroscopy (DOAS)
- Laser Based Techniques
 - Tunable Diode Laser Absorption Spectroscopy (TDLAS)
 - Differential Absorption Lidar (DIAL)



Chemical Monitoring

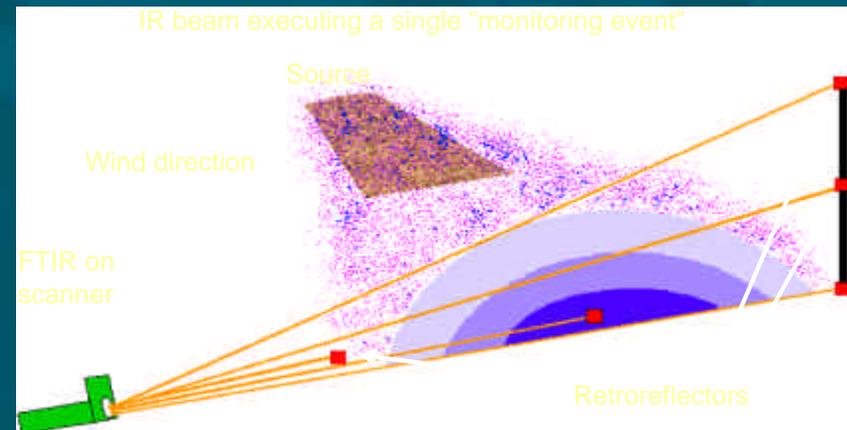


- Automatic, Real-Time
- Indoor/Outdoor Optical Remote Sensing (ORS) to 1 km Path Length
- Open Air and Emergency Response
- Broad Range of Chemicals
- Compact/Versatile Instrument Design
- On-Site or Remote Data Processing

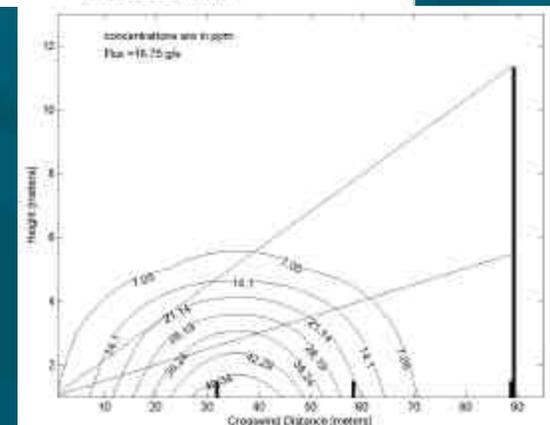
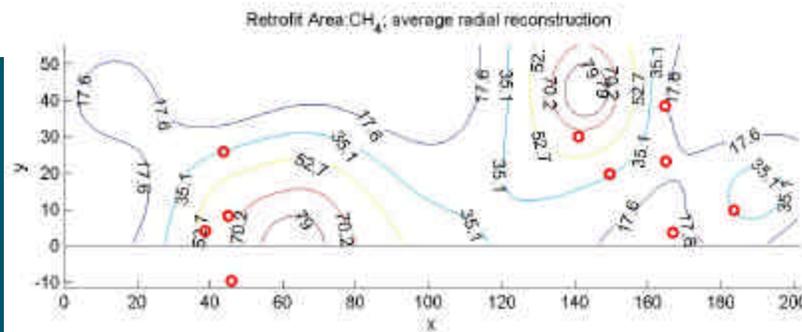
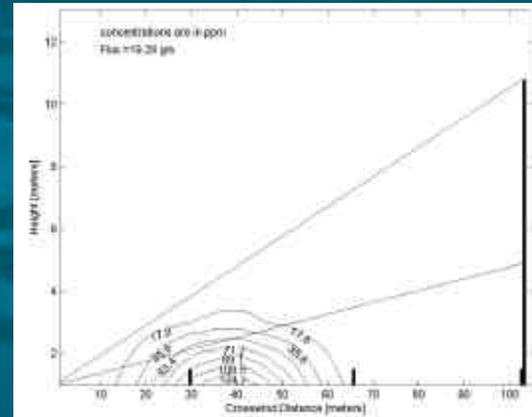
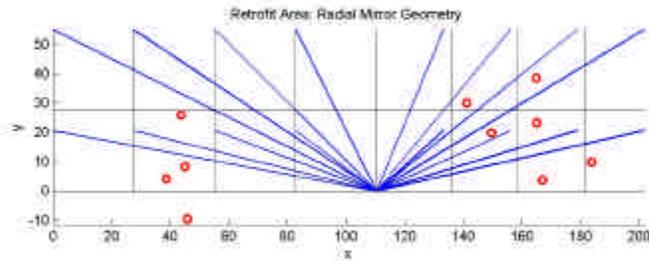


ORS Plume Imaging

- Near Real-Time Spatial Resolution
- Multiple Beams to Determine Vertical and Horizontal Gradients
- Optimization Algorithms to Reconstruct the Mass Equivalent Plume
- No Need for Tracer Release or Inverse Dispersion Modeling
- Plane-integrated Concentration x Wind Speed = Emission Flux



Landfill Methane Emissions



Summary

- Demonstrated/Accepted Environmental Monitoring Techniques Adapted for Homeland Security Applications
- New Generation of Instrumentation Enhanced with Flexible Communication/Data Management Options
- Search for Real-Time Biological Sensor Continues
- Alternative FTIR Interferometers Being Evaluated
- Uniquely Experienced Team of Collaborators

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Questions?

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