

DIRTY BOMB CONTAINMENT SYSTEM

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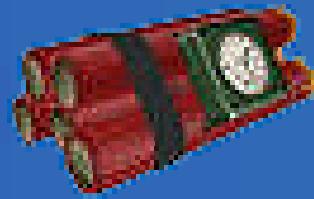
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What Is A "Dirty Bomb"



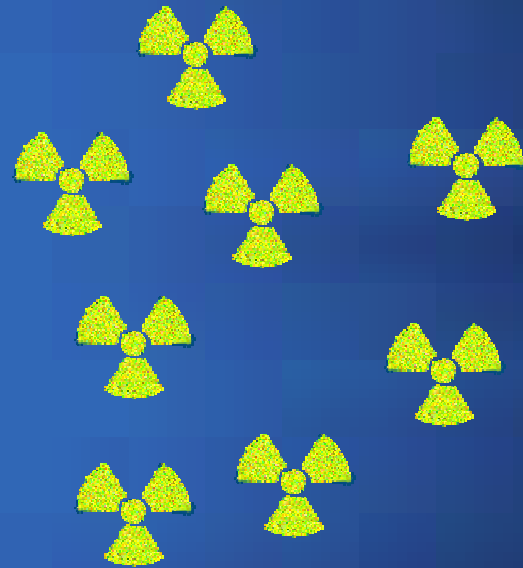
Radioactive Material

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Conventional Explosive

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Radioactive Source Material

- ▶ **Cesium-137 (gamma emitter)**
 - *Half-life = 30 years*
- ▶ **Cobalt-60 (gamma emitter)**
 - *Half-life = 5.2 years*
- ▶ **Americium-243 (alpha emitter)**
 - *Half-life = 7,300 years*

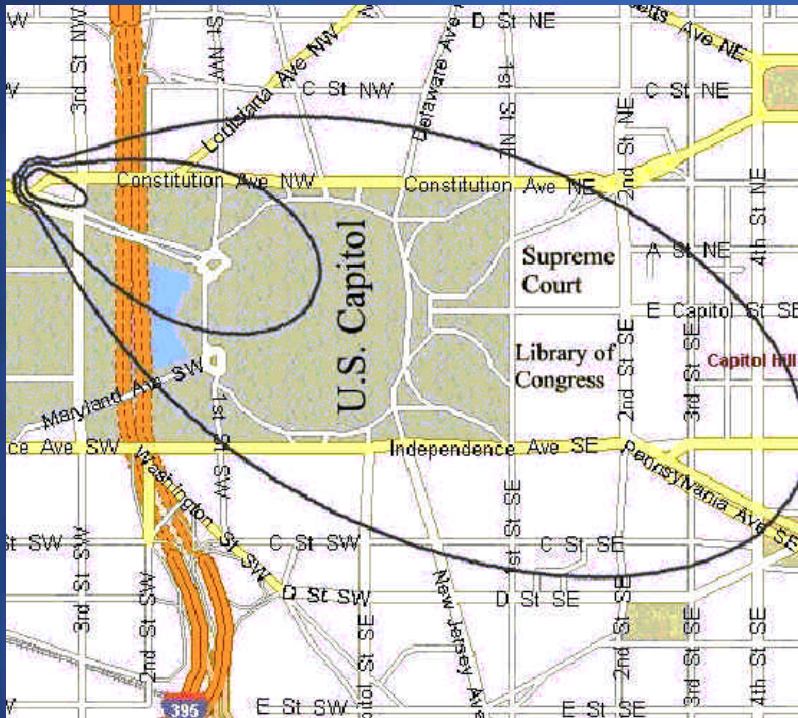


2,100 Curie Gamma Kolos Canisters

Conventional Applications

- Medical gauges and instrumentation
- Oil field/geologic testing and gauge equipment
- Food irradiation
- Biological sterilization

Dispersal Scenario #1 - Cesium



Source: One medical gauge

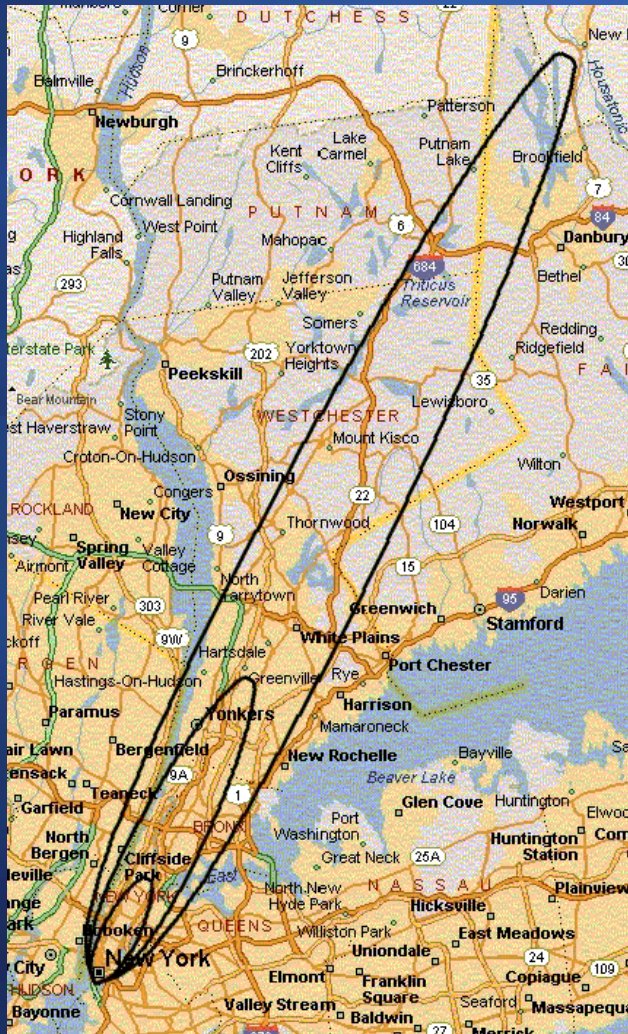
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Middle Ring: One cancer death per 1,000 people due to remaining radiation

Outer Ring: One cancer death per 10,000 people due to remaining radiation

EPA recommends decontamination or destruction

Dispersal Scenario #2 - Cobalt



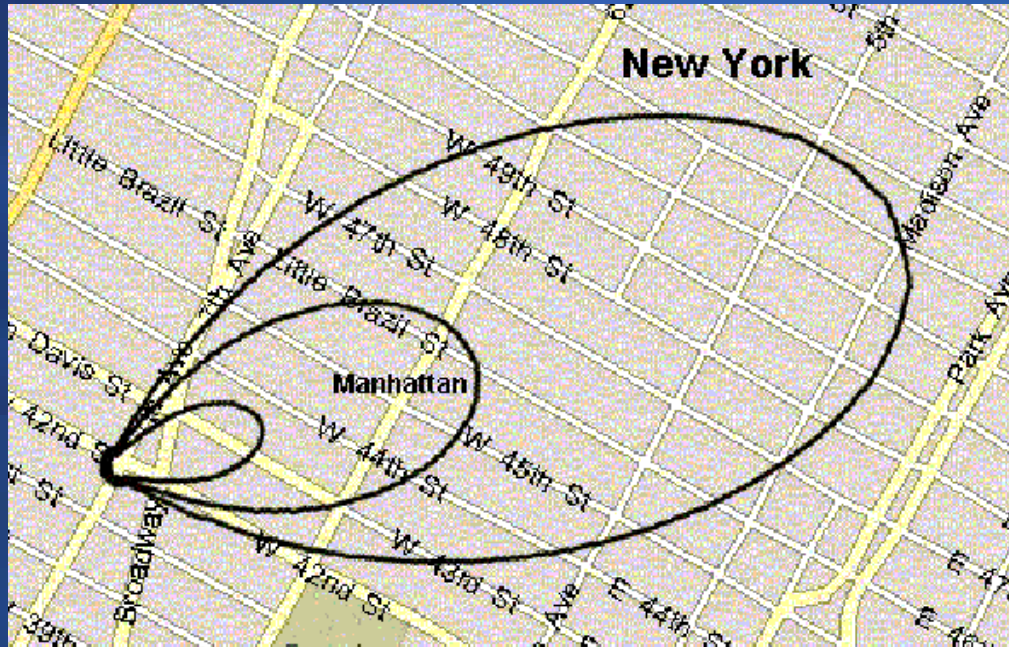
Source: One 1" x 12" rod

Inner Ring: One cancer death per 100 people due to remaining radiation

Middle Ring: One cancer death per 1,000 people due to remaining radiation

Outer Ring: One cancer death per 10,000 people due to remaining radiation
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Dispersal Scenario #3a - Americium



Source: One oil well test device

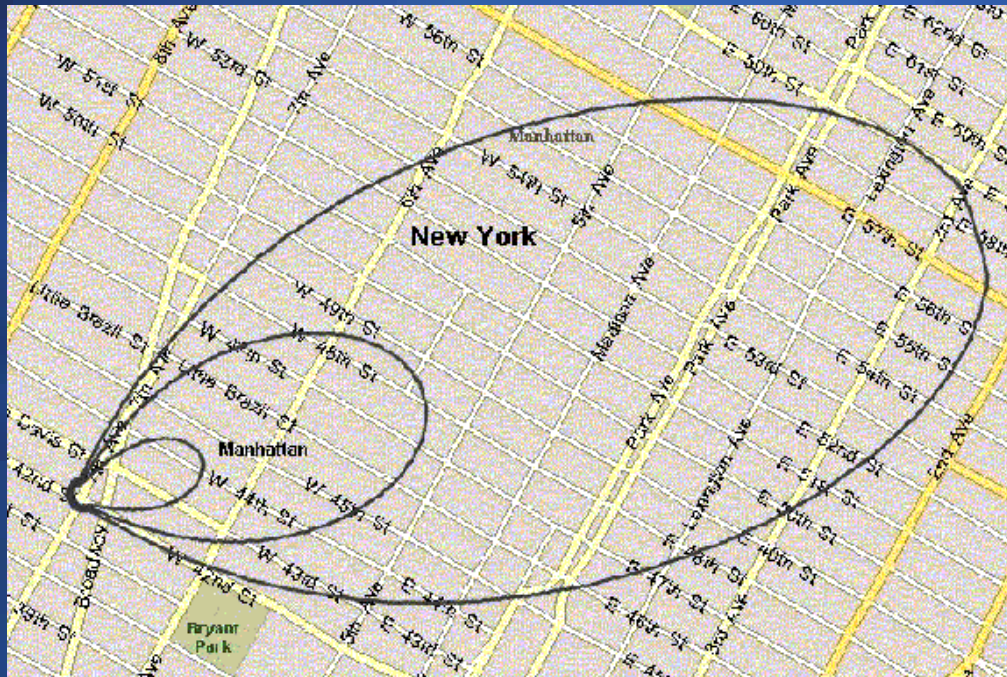
Immediate health effects

Inner Ring: All people must receive medical supervision

Middle Ring: Maximum annual dose for radiation workers exceeded

Outer Ring: Area should be evacuated before radiation cloud passes

Dispersal Scenario #3b - Americium



Source: One oil well test device

Inner Ring: One cancer death per 100 people due to remaining radiation

Middle Ring: One cancer death per 1,000 people due to remaining radiation

Outer Ring: One cancer death per 10,000 people due to remaining radiation

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Current Mitigation Measures

▶ Inventory Control

- *Controlled access to radioactive sources*
- *Consolidation of loosely controlled sources*
- *Strict accountability of existing sources*



▶ Early Detection and Monitoring

- *Detectors at key transportation nodes and borders*



▶ Coordinated Emergency Response

- *First-responder evacuation training*
- *Health care personnel response training*



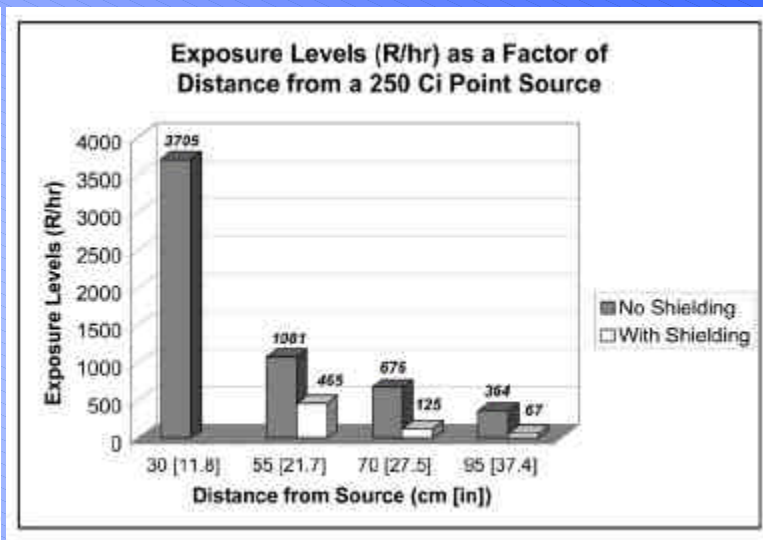
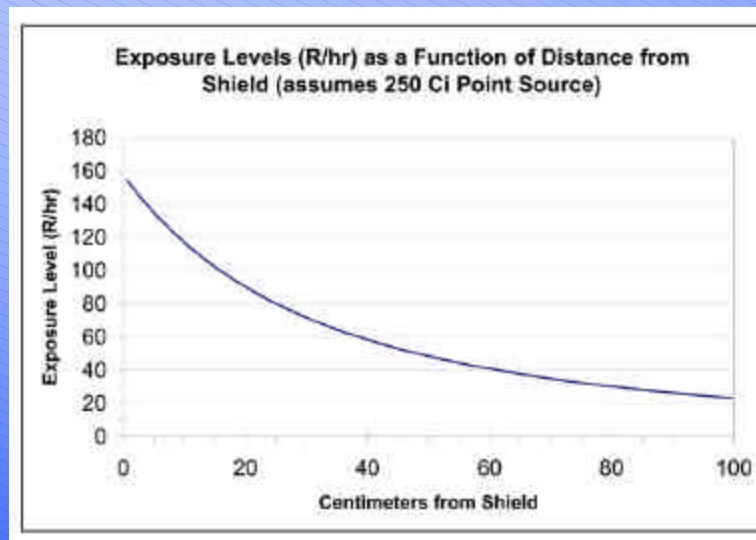
Radiation Containment System (RCS)



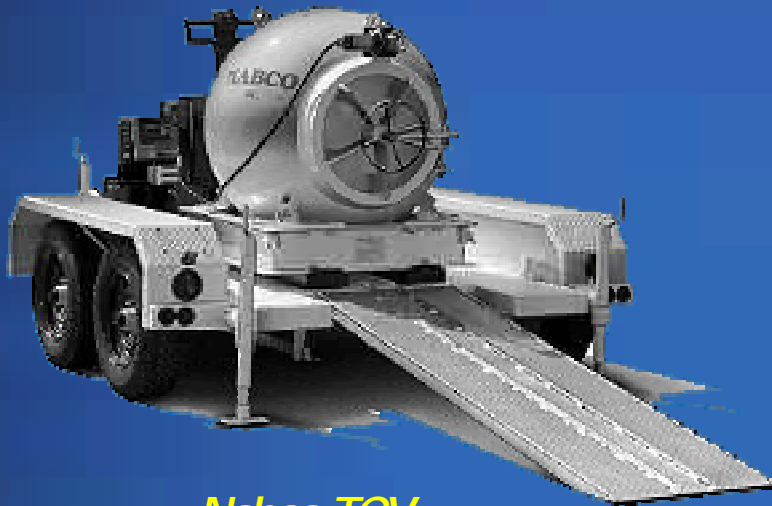
▶ General Design Criteria

- *Contain blast from conventional explosives up to 15 lbs.*
- *Suppress gamma radiation to < 100 roentgens one foot from shield surface*
- *Highly mobile using conventional vehicles*
- *Remote control of handling operations*
- *Easy and rapid retro-fit of shield to existing Nabco containment vessels*

RCS 250 Exposure Calculations



RCS 250



Nabco TCV



RCS 250 Radiation Shield

RCS 250 Mobilization



Suspended Position

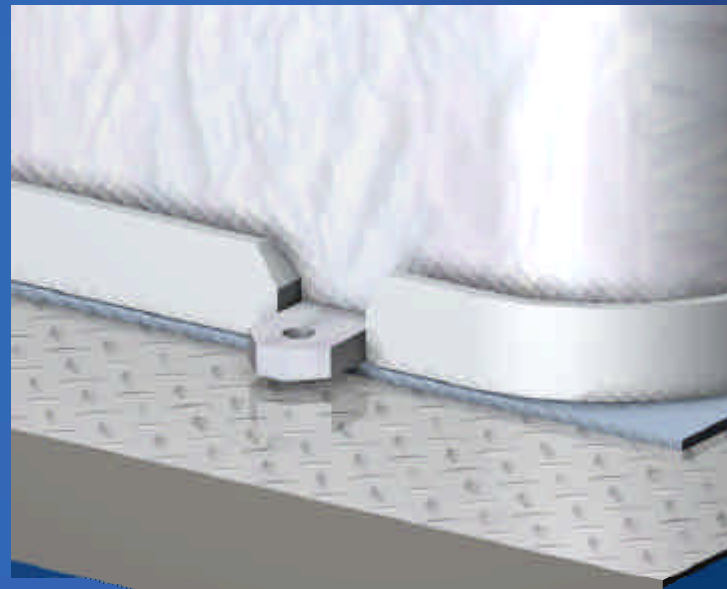


Radiation Shield In Place

Transport Vehicle Interface



Base Channel

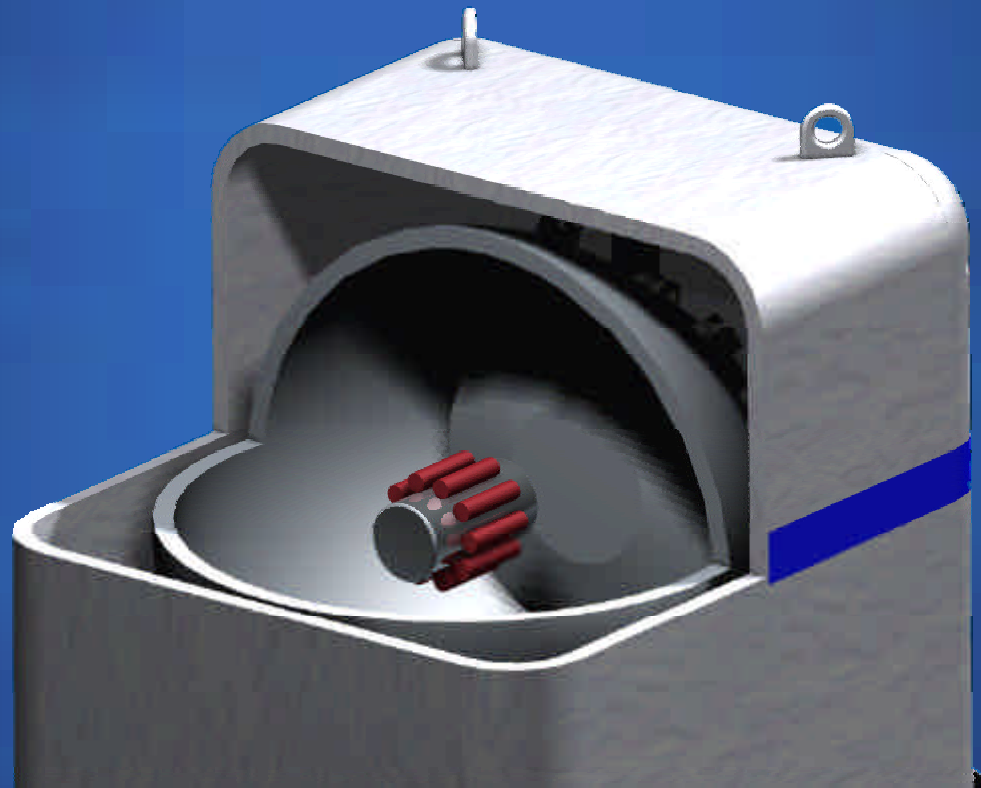


Channel/Shield Interface/Lock

RCS 250 Loading Dirty Bomb



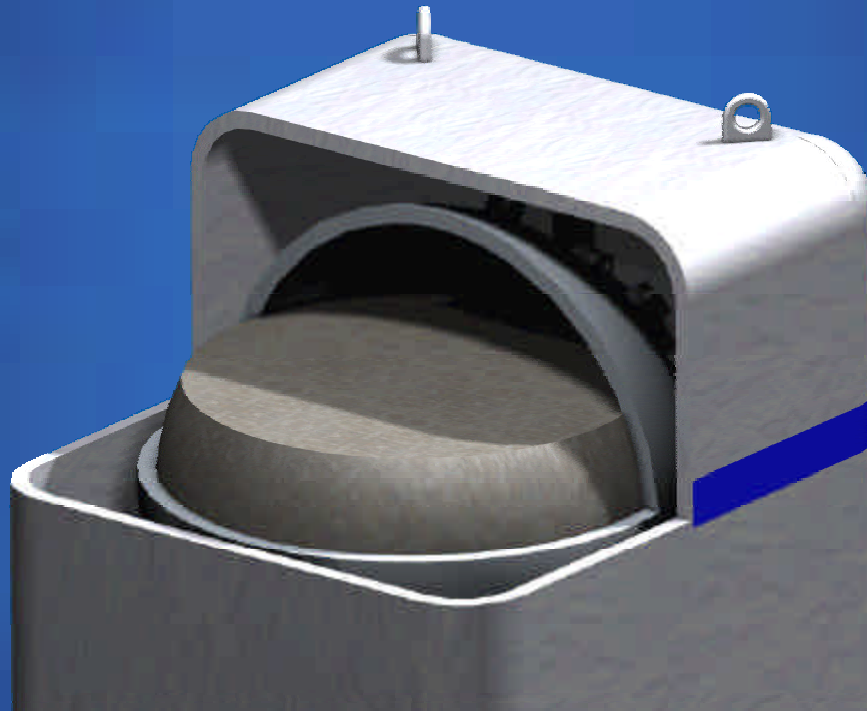
RCS 250 Containment Structure



RCS 250 Filtration System



RCS 250 Contaminant Fixation



RCS Family of Containment Systems

<u>Model</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Specification</u>
RCS-250	6,000	Attenuates up to 250 curies. Provides lightweight containment fitted on existing blast suppression platform.
RCS-500	11,000	Attenuates up to 500 curies. Similar to the RCS - 250 but configured to contain larger radioactive source. Requires specialized transport trailer/platform.
RCS-1000	26,000	Attenuates up to 1000 curies. Holds an entire passenger vehicle. Eliminates need to transfer bomb into secondary containment.
RCS-AB	3,000	Attenuates up to 100 curies. Enables removal of radiological/explosive package from high-rise buildings. Delivered to target location using helicopter.

