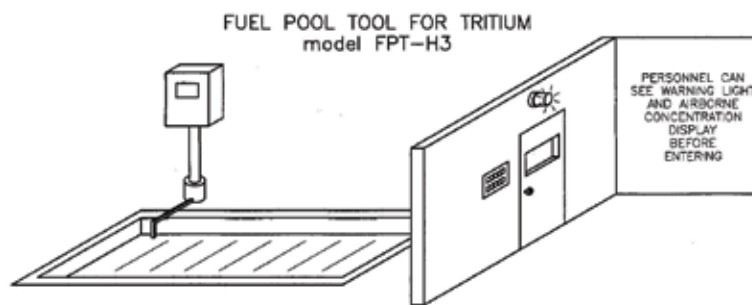


Fuel Pool Tool

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FPT-H3-ABG (Tritium and Alpha-Beta-Gamma - Water)



Features

- Detects Tritium Concentration in Pool Water and Air
- Real Time Continuous In-Line Instrumentation
- No Waste Stream
- Easy Calibration
- Full Scada Compatability and Control Room Integration
- User Friendly Cleaning and Decontamination
- **TA Smartpeak Software**
- Data Storage / Historical Retrieval System
- Optional – Alpha-Beta-Gamma Detectors for Water
- **Detectors: IP67**
- **Electronics: IP64**

Application


- Monitor nuclear power plant fuel pool: water, and air condensation for Tritium and other radioactive agents.
- Control room monitoring of spent fuel pool conditions: water level, temperature, radiation.
- Real time data enables command and control to limit exposure or release on and off site.

Problem

New NRC rules will require close real-time monitoring of spent fuel pool status and parameters including control and active inventory of on site material including Tritium oxide.



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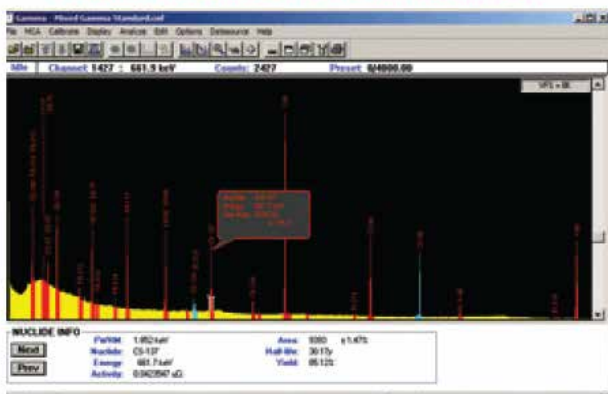
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Solution

For the first time in a Continuous Real Time monitor the Model FPT-H3 solves this problem by continuous monitoring of the spent fuel pool water and air space using Tritium and optional Alpha, Beta and Gamma detectors. The information from these detectors is analyzed and displayed in units of picoCuries per liter. The calculations are updated every 2 minutes, every hour and every day. The longer update times correspond with greater precision and increased sensitivity. Please see attached chart of measurements.

Using TA/OTC Tried and True sample collection and measurement technology these detectors measure Alpha, Beta and Gamma from any radioactive liquids. Measurements of radiation concentration and total discharge are logged 24 hours/day, 7 days/week.

GAMMA-MCA ISOTOPE IDENTIFIER



Description: The FPT-H3 is a multi-detector for real-time continuous monitoring of Tritium in fuel pool water and in the fuel pool building breathing zone air. A built-in microprocessor controller with color LCD display, user friendly housing for maintenance and decontamination, pre-amp plug-in modules allow for function modification, and a wide range of pump capacities create a system designed for new requirements and site specific needs.

Standard Radiation Detectors:

Tritium in Water – NEX-Tritium Monitor

(2) Choices for Tritium in Air

- Model 357 – range of 1-20,000 uCi/ m³
- Model 411 – an accident range monitor, 0.01-2,000 mCi/ m³
Dual Range (auto ranging) monitor with a remote, single 2L chamber. A wire grid chamber minimizes plate-out of HTO.

See Measurement Chart for water level and other optional sensors.


Optional Detectors – Model FPT-H3-ABG

FPT-H3-ABG incorporates Alpha, Beta, and Gamma detectors for water.

IC-25-HT is a pressurized ion chamber designed for hostile radiation, high temperature environments, and LOCA conditions. It is closely suspended above the water surface of fuel or reactor pools.



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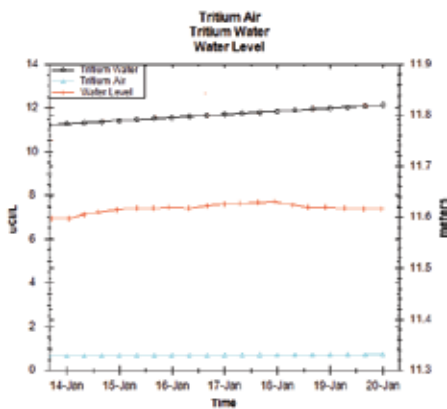
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Beta Scintillation detector with 1,100cm² sensitive area. The Alpha, Beta pulse analysis portion of this system conditions and analyzes the output from the photo-multiplier tubes by pulse height, duration and coincidence; eliminating most background and noise counts. Sensitivity is enhanced by the use of stochastic resonance plus high gain, low noise PM tubes and pre-amps.

Gamma Detector: Gamma emitter content is measured using an MCA analyzer with greater than 1,000 channels with a user settable energy range. For example the MCA can be set for Gamma energy of 10 KeV to 3 MeV.

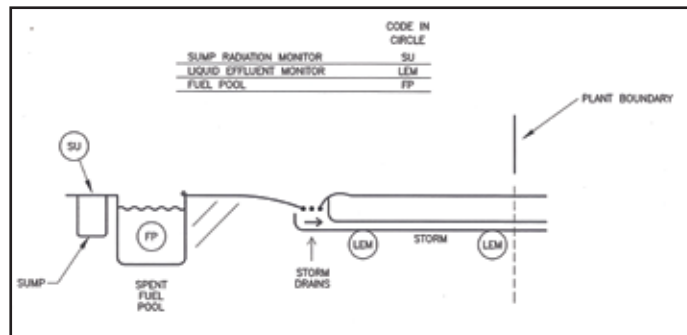
Optional: Isotope Identification System – TA SMART-PEAK™ Software detects even low gamma concentrations. The isotope identifier specifies and displays radioactive nuclides in water. Radon rejection is standard for airborne measurement and optional for water.

Measurement Charts




| Measurements/Displays | Water | Air |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Tritium Concentration | uCi/L | uCi/ |
| Gamma Ion Chamber Surface Detector | Suspended above Reactor or Fuel Pools | |
| Temperature | °F / °C | °F / °C |
| Humidity | | RH% |
| Dew Point | | Optional |
| Water Level | Optional | NA |
| Alpha-Beta-Gamma Content | Optional | Optional |
| Turbidity | Optional | NA |
| PH | Optional | NA |
| Conductivity | Optional | NA |
| Warning/Alarm Settings | Yes | Yes |
| Remote Readouts | Optional | Optional |

FPT Detector Placement »



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Data: Analysis, Display, Hard Copy, DVD, ROM Archive

In each peak or area of interest, the net counts are automatically converted to concentration units, of picoCuries/liter (using the detector efficiencies automatically measured and stored previously by FPT-H3 semi-automatic self-calibration procedure).

The concentration and total activity released and MDA levels are continuously calculated and recorded. This real time information will alert the notification system. All data is saved to the hard drive in spreadsheet format. Historical data is easily displayed on-screen (and/or printed out on the included graphics printer) in tabular or graphical format, showing quantitative information as well as trends. Data is recorded frequently so time-resolution is excellent.

DVD drive, Ethernet and USB ports (with security) make it easy to archive and further analyze data.

Continuous, Reliable Data – YES, False Alarms – NO

Our newest systems have multiple layers of protections and redundancy in both the software and the physical act of reporting an alarm, prevent false alarms. This includes an alarm voting system so that alarms will come on only if all the data is consistent and conclusive. Data is continuously recorded to allow human interpretation.

Each alarm activates fail-safe relays. Relay contacts are available to user.

Triggered Aliquot: This feature automatically collects and stores a small water sample for independent analysis whenever an alarm or event of interest occurs.


UV Lamp: Used on inlet as algae-cide.

3 GHz Computer Includes:

- 3 GHz Processor, 600 G Hard Drive, 4G Ram
- 15" LCD Monitor, Keyboard, Mouse
- DVD Drive creates DVD's for Data Archive
- 10 Channel Data Acquisition Board, All Cables
- Full Graphics Printer, Color plus B/W
- Ethernet for hook up to your LAN
- Windows Specific Software for Alpha, Beta, Gamma Counting
- Software is easily customized by user for special needs
- Data from the 1024 channel MCA-multi-channel analyzer is accessed via a USB or Ethernet Port
- Full SCADA compatibility
- Optional MODBUS or DNP3 or other protocols



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| Detect | PAG Level | Lower Limit of Sensitivity | Top of Range | Sensor/Method Used | | Maintenance |
|--------------------------|----------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| Standard FPT-H3 | | | | | Time | Action |
| Tritium in Water | | 20,000 pCi/l | 1 x 10 ⁶ pCi/l | Bed of Crushed Scintillation Crystals | 3 mos | Replace Filter Cartridge |
| Tritium in Air | | 0.1mCi/m ³ 2,000 mCi/m ³ | 1 x 10 ⁶ pCi/l | Single 2L Wire Grid Ion Chamber | 3 mos | Replace HEPA Filter |
| FPT-H3-ABG | | | | | | |
| ALPHA | U-238 3,000 pCi/l | | | 5" dia. Bed of Crushed Scintillation Crystals | 3 mos | Replace Particulate Filter Cartridge |
| 30 min. 24 hr | | 25,000 pCi/l 3,000 pCi/l | 2 x 10 ⁷ pCi/l | | | |
| BETA | K-40 30,000 pCi/l | | | 5" dia. Dual PM Tube 1,000 ml Chamber | 3-6 mos | Replace Particulate Filter Cartridge |
| 30 min. 24 hr | | 30,000 pCi/l 10,000 pCi/l | 2 x 10 ⁷ pCi/l | 1100 cm ² Beta Scintillator | | |
| GAMMA | Co-58 | | | MultiChannel Analyzer, Smart-Peak Detection Software | 3-6 mos | Simple MCA Check |
| 30 min. 24 hr | | 20,000 pCi/l 5,000 pCi/l | 2 x 10 ⁷ pCi/l | 75 75 mm NaI(Tl) Crystal | | |
| GAMMA IC-25--HT | | | | | | |
| 0.5 – 3 Sec at 5 Decades | All Gammas | 1 µG/h | 0.1 G/h Optional 1 G/h | Ion Chamber mineral Insulated | 6-12 mos | Clean Exterior if Necessary |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| RADON | | 100 pCi/l | 2,000 pCi/l | | 1-3 mos | Clean or Replace Vapor Trap |
| Pre-Condition | | | | | | |
| Expel Radon | | | | | 1-3 mos | Clean or Replace Vapor Trap |
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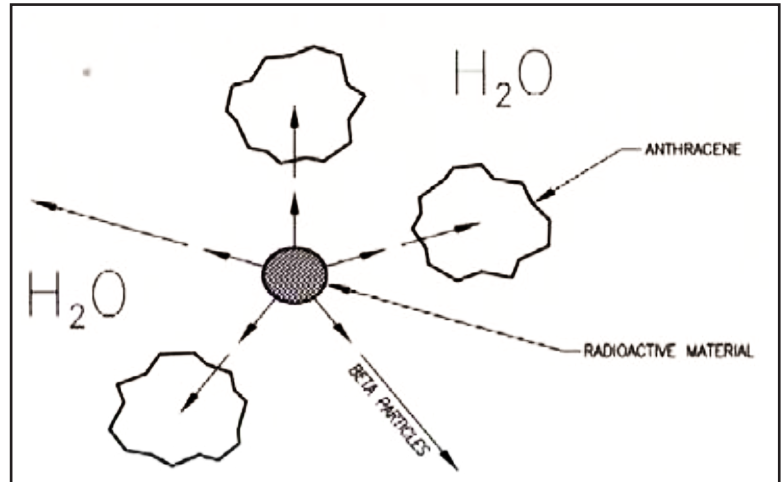
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Flow Path:

- Water Inlet Port
- Pressure Relief Valve
- ISCO Sampler
- Particulate Filter (with Gamma Detector)
- Ultra Violet Sterilizer
- Gamma Spec Shield
- Main Gamma Detector with MCA
- Gross Beta Detector
- Mass Flow Meter
- Metering Pump for Alpha Detector Loop
- Alpha Detector Flow Cell (with Anthracene Crystals)
- Alpha Loop Flow Meter
- Tritium Beta Detector
- Ion Exchange with Gamma Detector
- Discharge Water is Clean and can be returned to Fuel Pool
- No Liquid Scintillant or Reagents are Used
- No Toxic or Radioactive Waste of any kind



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Warning Level Screen >>




Specifications

- System Flow Rate:** Standard: 100 to 1,000 ml/minute.
Optional: Wide range of flow rates available.
- Temperature:** Sample Standard: Up to 80° F
Ambient Temperature: 65° - 100° F
- Optional:** Higher Temperature Sample Range
Wider Ambient Temperature Range
Cooler model COOL-33 for detector and sample used in situations of higher sample or ambient temperatures.
- Size and Weight**
One Cabinet: 34" wide x 31" deep x 72" high including wheels.
Wheels: 5" dia, high capacity, rugged wheels with lock and rubber tires.
Shipping Weight: Standard unit – 380 kg, excluding shielding.
(Lead Shot for shielding may be shipped separately. Overseas customers may want to purchase Lead Shot locally)



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