

RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT PRACTICES IN INDIA: ACHIEVEMENTS AND CHALLENGES

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Safe and effective management of radioactive waste has been given utmost importance from the very inception of nuclear industry in India. This article gives an account of the basic principles, practices being followed in our country to achieve this objective. A brief description of the existing methods for management of diverse kinds of radioactive wastes including high level radioactive waste and also the research and development activities to address the future challenges is presented in the article.
