

Table 1: Locations of US Stockpiles

Location	Agent Tonnage (%)	Agent
Tooele	42.3	L, H, HD, HT, GB, VX, GA
Pine Bluff	12.0	HD HT, GB, VX
Umatillo	11.6	HD, GB, VX
Pueblo	9.9	HD, HT
Anniston	7.1	HD, HT, GB, VX
Aberdeen	5.0	HD
Newport	3.9	VX
Lexington Blue Grass	1.6	H, GB, VX
Oconus	6.6	-

Hence there are eight storage sites in the continental United States (Conus) since the closure of Rocky Mountain Arsenal. The remainder is stored in two sites outside the continental U.S. (OCONUS), in the Federal Republic of Germany and on Johnston Atoll in the Pacific, where the first large scale demilitarization plant is being built. Fifteen types of munitions were displayed to the Soviet delegation visiting Tooele in 1987.

As part of the modernization (binary) programme, the United States Army was committed to the destruction of obsolete unitary munitions. According to the related Environmental Impact Statement, it was decided that disposal at existing sites was the best solution and that incineration was the preferred procedure. Three types of plants are needed: