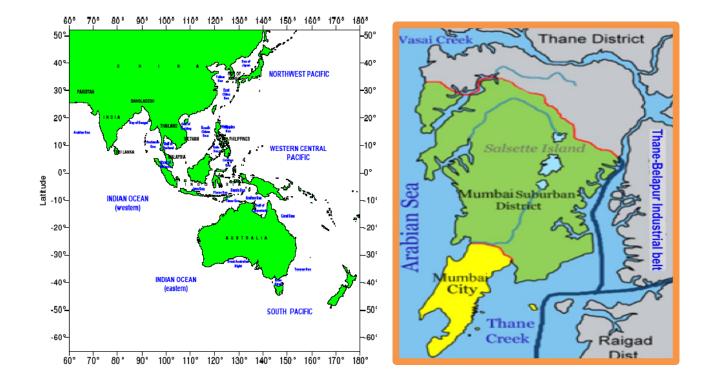
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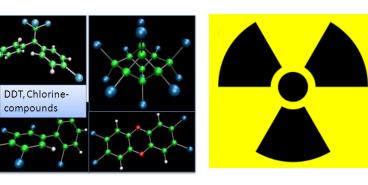




Marine Pollution



Samples of water, sediment analysed



Heavy metal pollution declining



No release from an NPP of

- NOx. CO_2 etc.
- Flurocarbons
- biowaste or toxic chemicals

Release of radioactivity well below prescribed regulatory limits

Ecological Studies around NPPs

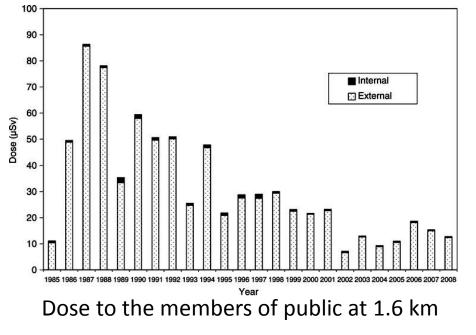




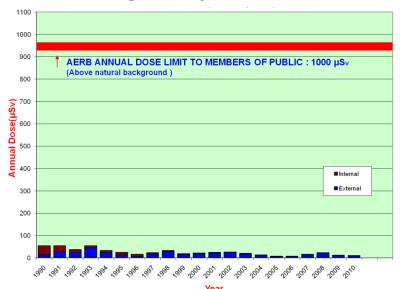






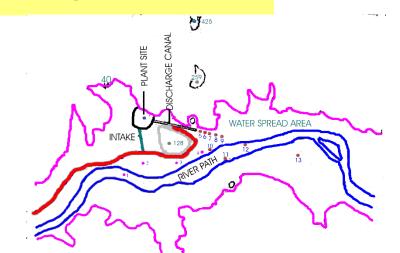


Annual dose to public from NPP far below the regulatory limit of 1000

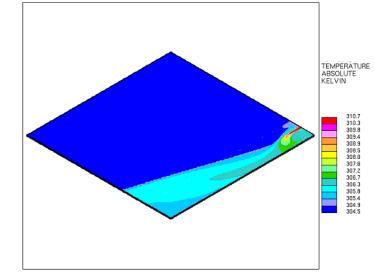


Year Maximum dose is less by a factor of 20 of the limit and dose at larger distances is much lower

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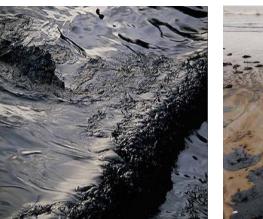
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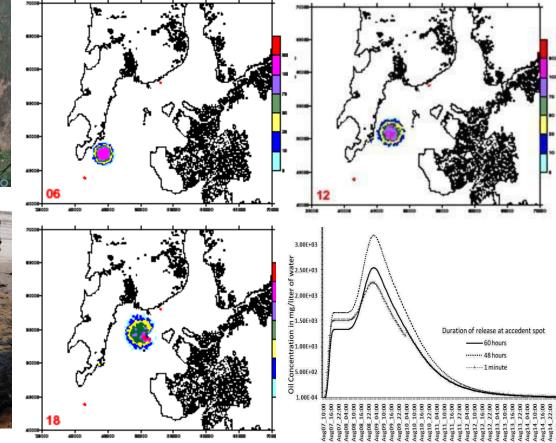
Thermal and Ecological Effects confined within a small mixing zone. Model results validated by field study

Analysis of Oil Spill









Progression of oil spill in time and space analytically predicted

Sludge Hygienisation by Gamma Radiation

BARC plant in Vadodara - for safe disposal of sludge and agricultural use

operation of SHRI: sludge hygienization research irradiator: 3 kGy dose in 500 kCi ⁶⁰Co plant

radiation hygienisation-reduction of total bacteria, fecal coliform; suitable to grow useful microorganisms → enriched manure → use of hygienised sludge for agricultural applications – high demand from farmers









Thank you for your attention





