



California Sierra Army Depot

Facility and Location

Sierra Army Depot is located in Herlong, California. For more than 30 years, the mission of Sierra Army Depot was the receipt, storage, repair, and issue of military equipment and components and the storage, issuance, maintenance, and demilitarization of conventional ammunition. In 1995, the facility was re-aligned and its long term ammunition storage mission was reduced, The depot's main mission became the disassembly and destruction of conventional ammunition. In 2001, the ammunition demilitarization activities using open burn/open detonation (OB/OD) ceased. The current mission is to provide worldwide expeditionary logistics support through long term storage, maintenance, care of supplies in storage, reset, and container management.

Media Sampled and Findings

Drinking Water — In 2009, one sample reported no detection. In 2008, two samples reported no detection. Prior to 2007, three samples reported no detection.

Groundwater — Prior to 2007, 3 of 174 samples detected perchlorate from 7 to 8 ppb.

Appropriate Actions

Not Applicable. All samples were below the EPA and DoD Preliminary Remediation Goal of 15 ppb and California Maximum Contaminant Level for drinking water of 6 ppb.