

## Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous & Explosive Chemicals



Process Hazard Analysis  
29CFR1910.119(e)

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## Process Hazard Analysis (PHA)

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The employer shall perform an initial process hazard analysis (hazard evaluation) on processes covered by this standard. The process hazard analysis shall be appropriate to the complexity of the process and shall identify, evaluate, and control the hazards involved in the process. Employers shall determine and document the priority order for conducting process hazard analyses based on a rationale which includes such considerations as extent of the process hazards, number of potentially affected employees, age of the process, and operating history of the process.

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## Process Hazard Analysis (PHA)

- Process Hazard Analysis is a specific tool that:
- Assists in identifying possible deviations within a system
- Determines if those deviations could present undesired consequences
- If so, assesses degree and likelihood of consequence
- Provides mechanism for modifying the system if likelihood of consequence is not "tolerable"

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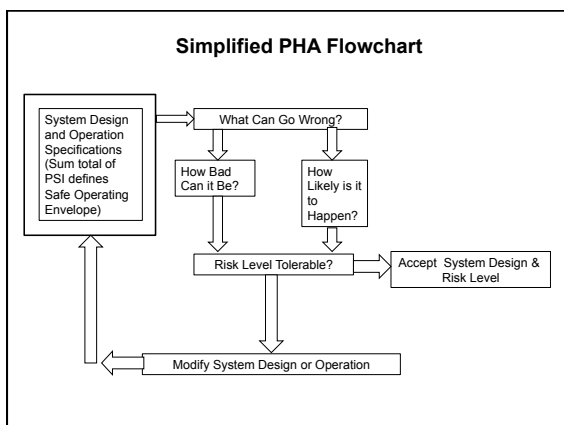
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## Process Hazard Analysis (PHA)

- Arguably the most difficult (and tedious) part of performing the Standard
- Performed by Your PSM Team
- Takes significant time & effort

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## Process Safety Information (PSI) – Defines Safe Operation Envelope – Must be Known for a PHA

- Safe operation envelope is determined/developed/defined entirely by an assembly of:
  - Properties of materials
  - Process technology
  - Equipment design
  - System Operation



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## You Developed a List of Equipment Locations & Assets

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## The PHA Must Address:

- Equipment in the process
- Hazards of the process
- Identification of previous incidents
- Engineering and administrative controls
- Consequences of failure
- Facility siting
- Human factors
- Qualitative evaluation of Safety and Health effects
- Consequences of deviation
- Steps required to correct or avoid deviation

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Facility Siting:

☐ Facility Siting -

- Texas City, TX 1947. *LEARNING: Confinement added to strength of explosion strength*
- Flixborough, UK 1974 Community fatalities and damage.  
*LEARNING: Plants are getting large enough to impact the neighbors*
- Norco, LA 1988 Control room in center of unit destroyed.  
*LEARNING: Control Buildings should be designed for VCEs*
- Pasadena, TX 1989 Muster location building destroyed. *LEARNING: Emergency Response should consider Facility Siting*
- BP, Texas City, TX 2005 *LEARNING: Portable buildings are weaker than previously thought, unnecessary people too close to unit, an Industry Standard for Portable Buildings was developed*
- Total, Buncfield, UK 2006 *LEARNING: Trees can act as congestion*

Reference: [http://www.owl.net.rice.edu/~krcox/sache2010/pdf/m01\\_buchwald.pdf](http://www.owl.net.rice.edu/~krcox/sache2010/pdf/m01_buchwald.pdf)

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## Facility Siting

- Facility Siting – with respect to existing plants, “siting” does not refer to the site of the plant in relation to the surrounding community. It refers, rather, to the location of various components within the establishment. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Permanent and temporary employee-occupied buildings, including trailers, that expose employees by virtue of their location, to potential hazards such as fires, explosions, overpressures, exposure to toxic or corrosive materials, or that risk being damaged by other process equipment, etc.
- Cooling towers
- Flares and other vents
- Emergency access
- Piperacks
- Emergency response facilities
- Fire pumps
- Emergency isolation valves, etc.

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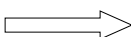
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## PHA Methodologies

Must select a process hazard analysis (PHA) method

- What-If;
- Checklist;
- What-If/Checklist;
- Hazard and Operability Study (HAZOP);
- Failure Mode and Effects Analysis (FMEA);
- Fault Tree Analysis
- An appropriate equivalent methodology




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## Let's Choose HAZOP to Study

The Most Common Method used for PHAs




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## PHA - HAZOP Process

- The PHA process is based on the principle that a team approach to hazard analysis will identify more problems than when individuals working separately combine results.
- The HAZOP team is made up of individuals with varying backgrounds and expertise.
- The expertise is brought together during HAZOP sessions and through a collective brainstorming effort that stimulates creativity and new ideas, a thorough review of the process under consideration is made.

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## PHA - HAZOP Process

- The HAZOP team focuses on specific portions of the process called "nodes".
- Generally these are identified from the P&ID of the process before the study begins.
- A process parameter is identified, say flow, and an intention is created for the node under consideration.
- Then a series of guidewords is combined with the parameter "flow" to create a deviations.
- For example, the guideword "no" is combined with the parameter flow to give the deviation "no flow".

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## HAZOP Team Leader

- The PHA team leader works with the PHA coordinator in defining the scope of the analysis and selection of team members.
- Directs the team members in gathering of process safety information prior to the start of the study.




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## HAZOP Team Leader

- Plans the study with the PHA coordinator and schedules team meetings
- Leads the team in the analysis of the selected process
- Keeps team members focused on discovering hazards associated with the process
- Directs the team scribe in recording the results of the teams findings




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## HAZOP Resources

- The engineering experts assigned to the PHA may include some or all of the following:
  - project engineer
  - controls engineer
  - instrument engineer
  - electrical engineer
  - mechanical engineer
  - safety engineer
  - quality assurance engineer,
  - maintenance engineer or technician
  - corrosion/materials engineer




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## HAZOP

### Guidewords & Parameters

- The HAZOP process creates deviations from the process design intent by combining guide words (No, more, less, etc.) with process parameters resulting in a possible deviation from design intent
- Application of parameters will depend on the type of process being considered, the equipment in the process and the process intent

- **Guidewords:**
  - No
  - More
  - Less
  - As Well As
  - Reverse
  - Other Than

- **Parameters:**
  - Flow
  - Temperature
  - Pressure
  - Composition
  - Phase
  - Level
  - Relief
  - Instrumentation

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## HAZOP

### Deviations

- A deviation is considered realistic if there are sufficient causes to believe the deviation can occur
- Team judgment is used to decide whether to include events with a very low probability of occurring
- What could go wrong?



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## HAZOP

### Three General Causes of Deviations

- Human Error - acts of omission or commission by an operator, designer, constructor or other person creating a hazard that could possibly result in a release of hazardous or flammable material



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## HAZOP

### Deviation Causes

- Equipment failure in which a mechanical, structural or operating failure results in the release of hazardous or flammable material.



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## HAZOP

### Deviation Causes

- External Events in which items outside the unit being reviewed affect the operation of the unit to the extent that the release of hazardous or flammable material is possible.




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## HAZOP

### Consequences

- Identify scenarios which could result in undesired impacts

- Loss of primary containment (LOPC)
- Fires, explosions, toxic releases
- Employee exposures
- Injuries
- Environmental issues
- Operability issues
- Quality concerns



- How bad could it be?

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## HAZOP

### Consequences

- Help to determine a risk ranking in HAZOPs where multiple deviations are uncovered



- Help make the determination as to whether a particular deviation results in an operability problem or hazard.

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## HAZOP

### Frequency

- Team must assess the likelihood of an undesired deviation/consequence
- Most commonly qualitative
  - Frequent
  - Often
  - Rare
  - Unlikely
  - Never
- How likely is it to occur?




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## HAZOP

### Safeguards

- Safeguards should be assessed whenever the team determines that a consequence is "of interest". (i.e. of sufficient impact and/or credibility)




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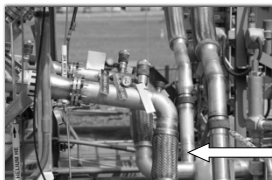
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## HAZOP

### Safeguards - Three Classifications

- Those systems, **engineered designs and written procedures** that are designed to prevent a catastrophic release of hazardous or flammable material.




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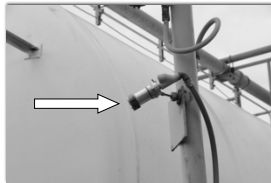
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## HAZOP

### Safeguards - Three Classifications

- Those systems that are designed to **detect and give early warning** following the initiating cause of a release of hazardous or flammable material.




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## HAZOP

### Safeguards - Three Classifications

- Those systems or written procedures that **mitigate the consequences** of a release of hazardous or flammable material.




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## PHA Risk Analysis

Risk Ranking Matrix						
Likelihood	Frequent					
	Likely			Significant Risk		
	Unlikely					
	Rare	Insignificant Risk				
	Extraordinary					
		Negligible	Minor	Major	Severe	Disastrous
		Severity				

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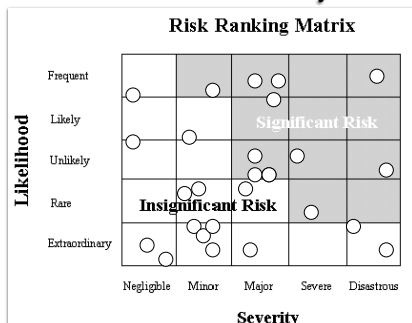
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## PHA Risk Analysis




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## HAZOP Recommendations

- Recommendations are made when the safeguards for an identified scenario are judged insufficient to reduce risk to a tolerable level.




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## HAZOP Recommendations

From OSHA Compliance Directive:

- Employer shall proceed with all due speed, considering the complexity of the recommendation and difficulty of implementation
- OSHA believes that employers will be able to complete these actions within a one to two year timeframe, but notes that in unusual circumstances longer completion periods may be necessary

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## HAZOP Recommendations

- Prioritize recommendations
- Establish a plan to track to completion
- Management review of progress




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## Using HAZOP

Let's Explore a PHA Process

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## Process Hazard Analysis

- A PHA must be performed on each asset of the covered process:
- A PHA from Block Diagram to P&ID to every equipment asset to determine what might happen if an element of the covered process fails




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Example Node 2, Flow

Scenario: (1) 370-22000  
Node: (2) C2 liquid to vaporizer  
In average: CLODI-07-66  
Pre-averter: Flow

Reference: Flow approximately 1 - 5 tonnes of liquid chlorine, at 100-150 psig, from the railcar to the vaporizer.

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Continue the PHA Process UNTIL...

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Example Node 2, Flow

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## Example Node 2, Flow

Scenario: (1) 07/02/2010

Node: (2) C2 liquid to vaporizer

Inlet: CLODI-07-66

Flow: Flow

Reference: Flow approximately 1 - 5 tonnes of liquid chlorine, at 100 - 150 psig, from the railcar to the vaporizer.

OW	DEVIATION	CAUSES	CONSEQUENCES	SAFEGUARDS	S	L	R	REF#	RECOMMENDATIONS
No	No Flow	1. Control valve CV-32 fails closed	1.1. Interruption to production operation due to deviation of C <sub>2</sub> flow from setpoint causing control system to shut down process	1.1.1. Filling closed, or accidentally closing, a single valve will not result in overpressure since line is open to either end	4	4	9		No recommendation
		1.2. Potential overpressure of C <sub>2</sub> piping if liquid filled, closed piping heats up	1.2.1. All valves (ball valves) in liquid C <sub>2</sub> service are provided with a port to vent the ball cavity	1.2.2. Rupture disk discharging to expansion tanks are provided for the section of the piping between - VUGA and VUGB - PCVQASD and PCVQASB (downstream of vaporizer)	3	4	8		No recommendation
		2. Control system incorrectly activates shutdown for "rupture" condition	2.1. Potential overpressure of C <sub>2</sub> piping if liquid filled, closed piping heats up	2.1.1. Rupture disk discharging to expansion tanks are provided for the section of the piping between - VUGA and VUGB - PCVQASD and PCVQASB (downstream of vaporizer)	3	4	8		2.1.1. "Investigate the of the rupture disks expansion tanks and pressure setting (37) the rupture disk
		3. Control valve closes due to incorrect signal or setting	3.1. Interruption to production operation due to deviation of C <sub>2</sub> flow from setpoint causing	3.1.1. Filling closed, or accidentally closing, a single valve will not result in overpressure since line is open to either end	4	4	9		2.1.2. Verify Chloris requirements for over valves with design or valves
			3.1.1. Filling closed, or accidentally closing, a single valve will not result in overpressure since line is open to either end		4	4	9		No further recommendation

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Example Node 2, Flow

Scenario: (1) 370-22000  
Node: (2) C12 liquid to vaporizer  
Inlet: CLODI-07-66  
Outlet: Flow

Reference: Flow approximately 1 - 5 bbl/min of liquid chlorine, at 100-150 psig, from the railcar to the vaporizer.

NO	DEVIATION	CAUSES	CONSEQUENCES	SAFEGUARDS	S	L	R	REF#	RECOMMENDATIONS
1	No Flow	1. Control valve CV-32 fails closed	1.1. Interruption to production operation due to deviation of C <sub>12</sub> flow from support causing control system to shut down process	1.1.1. Failing closed, or accidentally closing, a single valve will not result in overpressure since line is open to either end 1.1.2. Operator response to a shutdown of the system would be immediate	4	4	9		No recommendation
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↑ Are Completed for

1. Every asset of...
2. Every P&ID of...
3. Every Block Diagram Section...
4. Of the Entire Covered Process Is Complete

Don't Forget to Perform PHA on Operating Procedures

Example Node 2 Flow

Scenario: (1) 370-22000  
Model: (2) C2 liquid to vaporizer  
Inlet: (3) C2 liquid to vaporizer  
Outlet: (4) C2 liquid to vaporizer

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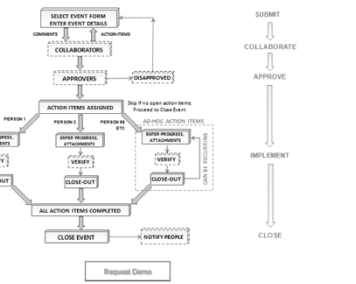
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2	Potential overpressure of Cv piping if liquid filled, closed to heads up	1.2.1. Interruption to production operation due to deviation of Cv	1.2.1.1. All valves (ball valves) in liquid Cv service are provided with a port to vent the ball core	3	1.2.1.1. Rupture disk discharging to expansion tanks are provided for the section of the piping between - VLGA and VLGB - PCVQASB and PCVQASB (downstream of vaporizer)
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**This Process Might Entail Thousands of Covered Process Assets & Phases ...and Take Months / Years to Complete**

## Recommendations

### Workflow to Closeout

Event and Action Tracking (ACT) Process Workflow



## Layer of Protection Analysis



### Basics of Safety Instrumented Systems and LOPA



What if Recommendations aren't easily identified?

How do you know when you have enough recommendations?

Consider Layers of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

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### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

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### Layers of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

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1. Company determines the consequence severity or risk level for screening scenarios
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$$\text{IEF} \times \text{PFD}_1 \times \text{PFD}_2 \times \dots$$

5. Compare the estimated risk to company risk tolerance criteria. Make recommendations to lower risk if needed.

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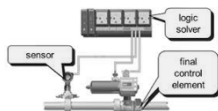
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### What is a Safety Instrumented System (SIS)?

#### ■ An SIS is designed to:

- Respond to conditions in the plant which may be hazardous in themselves or,
- If no action was taken, could eventually give rise to a hazard, and
- To respond to these conditions by taking defined actions that either prevent the hazard or mitigate the hazard consequences.




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### Standards Bodies that Define Good Engineering Practice for Safety Instrumented Systems

- ISA, Instrumentation Systems and Automation Society
- IEC, International Electrotechnical Commission
  - IEC 61508
  - IEC 61511
- NFPA
- ISA 84.01-2003
- API
- ASME

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### Safety Instrumented System Standards

**IEC 61508 - "Functional Safety: Safety Related Systems"**

Current version released 1999  
Under revision for next release 2005

**IEC 61511 - "Functional Safety: Safety Instrumented Systems for the Process Industry Sector"**

Published 2003

**ISA 84.01-2003 - "**

**Instrumented Systems for the Process Industry Sector"**

Identical to IEC 61511 with inclusion of grandfather clause  
To be published October 2003

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### Safety Integrity Level (SIL)

SIL	PFDavg	Risk Reduction	Availability (%)
4	$10^{-4}$ to $10^{-5}$	10,000 to 100,000	99.99 to 99.999
3	$10^{-3}$ to $10^{-4}$	1,000 to 10,000	99.9 to 99.99
2	$10^{-2}$ to $10^{-3}$	100 to 1,000	99 to 99.9
1	$10^{-1}$ to $10^{-2}$	10 to 100	90 to 99

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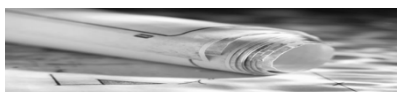
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### Design SIF

- Justify selection of devices
- Document the safety requirements specification
- Design SIFs to achieve Safety Integrity Level.




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## Prove it

- **Verify**
  - Safety Integrity Level
  - Fault tolerance
- **Commissioning**
  - Install SIFs per design documents
- **Functional safety assessment**
  - Make sure all documents are in place and all hazards analysis items are addressed.
- **Validation**
  - Test SIFs to ensure that they have desired functionality



**Basically, You Have to Honor & Marry Your SIS**

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## Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

- LOPA is NOT a "stand alone" risk analysis tool
  - LOPA is a *compliment or "sharper pencil"* to hazard identification tools
  - LOPA depends on PHAs or other methods to identify the scenario (cause/consequence pair) and to identify safeguards

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### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### ■ Must establish/identify and consistently apply:

- Initiating event frequencies
- Conditional modifiers
- Ignition likelihood
- Component failure data
- Rules for human failure frequency
- Tolerable risk criteria

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### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### ■ Example of Initiating Event Frequencies (per year)

Initiating Event	Company 1	Company 2	Company 3	CCPS	Comments
BPCS instrument loop failure - clean service	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>	
Other - relief valve or rupture disc opens early	1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>		1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>	
Other - mechanical failures hoses: no moving parts - no vibration	1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>			Requires hose inspection, compatible construction, proper connections
Other - pressure regulator failures - clean service, periodic maintenance	1 X 10 <sup>-2</sup>				
Other - pump failure, single pump	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 X 10 <sup>-1</sup>			
Other - pressure vessel residual failure	1 X 10 <sup>-6</sup>			1 X 10 <sup>-6</sup>	This assumes a properly designed and inspected vessel without other process deviations in play. Other failure modes such as overpressurization, corrosion, glass lining damage, etc., must be considered separately.

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### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### Typical Frequency Values, $f_i$ , Assigned to Initiating Events

Initiating Event	Frequency Range from Literature (per year)	Example of a Value Chosen by a Company for Use in LOPA (per year)
Pressure vessel residual failure	10 <sup>-3</sup> to 10 <sup>-7</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>
Unloading/loading hose failure	1 to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
BPCS instrument loop failure Note: IEC 61511 limit is more than 1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup> /hr or 8.76 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> /yr (IEC, 2001)	1 to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Regulator failure	1 to 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Small external fire (aggregate causes)	10 <sup>-1</sup> to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Large external fire (aggregate causes)	10 <sup>-2</sup> to 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>
LOTO (lock-out tag-out) procedure* failure *overall failure of a multiple-element process	10 <sup>-3</sup> to 10 <sup>-4</sup> per opportunity	1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup> per opportunity
Operator failure (to execute routine procedure, assuming well trained, unstressed, not fatigued)	10 <sup>-1</sup> to 10 <sup>-3</sup> per opportunity	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> per opportunity

Layer of Protection Analysis..., Wiley, CCP&amp;7 2001

### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### Examples of Active IPLs

IPL	Comments	FFD from Literature and Industry	FFD Used in This Book (For screening)
Relief valve	Assuming an adequate design basis and inspection/maintenance procedures	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup> - 1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Rupture disc	Prevents system exceeding specified overpressure. Effectiveness can be very sensitive to service and experience.	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup> - 1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Basic Process Control System	Can be credited as an IPL if not associated with the initiating event being considered (see also Chapter 11). (See IEC 61508 (IEC, 1998) and IEC 61511 (IEC, 2001) for additional discussion.)	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup> - 1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> (>1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup> allowed by IEC)	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Safety Instrumented Functions (Interlocks)	See IEC 61508 (IEC, 1998) and IEC 61511 (IEC, 2001) for life cycle requirements and additional discussion		

Layer of Protection Analysis..., Wiley, CCPS, 2001

### Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA) References

- *Layer of Protection Analysis, Simplified Process Risk Assessment*, 2001, Wiley, American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Center for Chemical Process Safety, ISBN 0-8169-0811-7



- *Guidelines for Initiating Events and Independent Protection Layers in Layer of Protection Analysis* (soon to be released)

- *Guidelines for Enabling Conditions and Conditional Modifiers in Layer of Protection Analysis*, 2013, Wiley, American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Center for Chemical Process Safety



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### Layers of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### □ IPL Characteristics

- Is a device, system or action that is capable of preventing a scenario from proceeding to its undesired consequence independent of the initiating event or the action of any other layer of protection associated with the scenario.
- In order to be considered an IPL and “credited”, it must be
  - Effective
  - Independent
  - Auditable

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### Layers of Protection Analysis (LOPA)

#### □ Limitations

- Reliability data is limited
- Variability in consequence severity ratings
- Be careful with enabling conditions and conditional modifiers
- Be consistent

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Initiating Event	Frequency Range from Literature (per year)	Example of a Value Chosen by a Company for Use in LOPA (per year)
Pressure vessel residual failure	10 <sup>-3</sup> to 10 <sup>-7</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-6</sup>
Unloading/loading hose failure	1 to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
BPCS instrument loop failure Note: IEC 61511 limit is more than 1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> /hr or 8.76 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> /yr (IEC, 2001)	1 to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Regulator failure	1 to 10 <sup>-1</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Small external fire (aggregate causes)	10 <sup>-1</sup> to 10 <sup>-2</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Large external fire (aggregate causes)	10 <sup>-2</sup> to 10 <sup>-3</sup>	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup>
LOTO (lock-out tag-out) procedure* failure	10 <sup>-3</sup> to 10 <sup>-4</sup> per opportunity	1 × 10 <sup>-3</sup> per opportunity
*overall failure of a multiple-element process		
Operator failure (to execute routine procedure, assuming well trained, unstressed, not fatigued)	10 <sup>-1</sup> to 10 <sup>-3</sup> per opportunity	1 × 10 <sup>-2</sup> per opportunity

Layer of Protection Analysis ... Wiley, CCPS, 2001

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LOPA	
Example values	
INDEPENDENT PROTECTION LAYER	PFD
Control loop	1.0 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Relief valve	1.0 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Human performance (trained, no stress)	1.0 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Human performance (under stress)	0.5 to 1.0
Operator Response to Alarms	1.0 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Vessel pressure rating above maximum challenge from internal and external pressure sources	10 <sup>-4</sup> or better, if vessel integrity is maintained (i.e., corrosion understood, inspections and repairs in place)

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Layer of Protection Analysis (LOPA)		
Scenario	Equipment number	Scenario title: Cooling water failure with runaway reaction and potential for reactor overpressure, boilovers, ruptures, releases and fatalities. Agitation assumed.
Date	12/15/2011	Description
Consequence	Runaway reaction and potential for reactor overpressure, boilovers, ruptures, releases and fatalities. Category 5	
Risk tolerance criteria	Unacceptable (Greater than)	1 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Frequency	Unacceptable (Less than or equal to)	1 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Initiating cause	Loss of cooling water	1 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>
Initiating event or condition	Probability that reactor in condition where runaway reaction can occur on loss of cooling (annual basis)	0.5 (per year)
Conditional modifiers (if applicable)	Probability of ignition	N/A
	Probability of personnel in affected area	N/A
	Probability of fatal injury	N/A
	Others	N/A
Frequency of unmitigated consequence		5 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
Independent protection layers		
BPCS alarm and human action	Shortstop addition on BPCS loop high reactor temperature alarm	1 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Pressure relief valves	With required modifications to system (see Actions)	1 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
	(BPCS may be conservative if modifications added)	
SIF (Required PFD = 1 x 10 <sup>-7</sup> , PFD of SIF for all 3 reactors)	SIF to open vent valves (see Actions for design details)	1 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
	Required PFD set by Scenario 2 TO BE ADDED — see Actions/Notes	
Followups (see P&ID)	Operator action: Other operator actions not independent of the same operator already credited.	
	Emergency cooling system (steam turbines). Not credited as an IPL as too many common elements (piping, valves, jacket, etc.) that could have initiated initial cooling water failure.	
Total PFD for all IPLs		1 x 10 <sup>-1</sup>
Frequency of mitigated consequence		5 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
Risk tolerance criteria met? (Yes/No)	Yes with added SIF	
Actions required to meet risk tolerance criteria	Add SIF for all 3 reactors. Install SIF with minimum PFD = 1 x 10 <sup>-7</sup> for opening vent valves on high temperature. Duplicate nozzles and piping for each vent valve. Install bypass valves and actuators for each PIP to minimize blockage and consider bypass pumps under all vent valves / PIDs.	
Notes	Responsible group / person / date: Plant Technical / J. Doe / January 2008	
	Ensure operator response to high temperature events requirements for P&ID.	
	Ensure RV design, installation, maintenance meet requirements for PFD = 1 x 10 <sup>-7</sup> as a minimum. If determined to be better, consider PFD for Vent Valve SIF PFD.	

CCPS Guidelines for Hazard Evaluation Procedures, Wiley, 2008

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LOPA Example

■ Simplified Example

- Batch system
- 300 gallon reactor (100 psi MAWP) with rupture disk relief
- Heated with steam jacket
- Steam supply pressure 80 psi
- Steam flow controlled by steam control valve and internal vessel temperature
- Powder charge into water, then agitation
- Powder not combustible
- Runaway reaction initiation at 212 deg F, Pmax for runaway is 400 psi
- This is scenario used for basis of design for rupture disk

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LOPA Example

■ PHA Excerpt:

Item	Deviation	Causes	Consequences	Consequence Rank	Safeguards	Likelihood	Risk Number
4.6	High Temperature	TT-1 fails low	High Pressure - runaway reaction resulting in vessel failure (Pmax > 3x MAWP). Vessel in normally occupied area, multiple fatalities possible.	5	RD-1 sized for this scenario and routed to a safe location based on modeling.	E	TD

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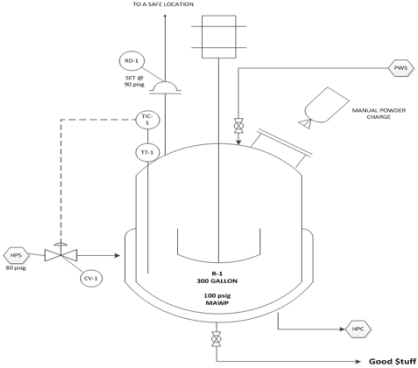
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LOPA Example



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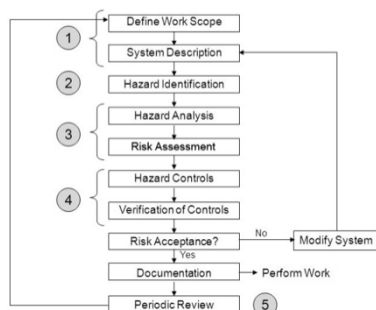
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## The Process




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## What is Intended to Accomplish

- A Hazard is Inherent Physical or Chemical Characteristic that has the potential to harm
- The Revalidation is a study effort to identify and analyze the significance of hazardous situations to associated with a process or activity
- It's used to pinpoint weaknesses in the design and operation of facilities that could lead to accidental chemical releases, fires or explosions.
- It provides organizations with the information to help them improve the safety and manage the risk of their operations

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# Why?

Valero McKee Refinery Propane Fire

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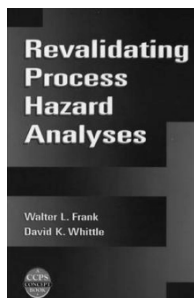
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## ***Why Use the CCPS Method?***




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## **Summary of The CCPS Steps**

- Name The Team
- Notify Management
- Train the Team on the Basics and Why Revalidation Including Facility Tour
- Prepare for the Revalidation and Assemble PSI
- Evaluate the Prior PHA Study

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## **Summary of The CCPS Steps**

- Identify Changes that Have Occurred Since the Last PHA
- Identify the Appropriate Revalidation Methodology
- Conduct the Revalidation Study Sessions
- Document the Revalidation Study – Author the Report

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Recommendation

**Start Early  
Plan! Plan!**

It Takes Months

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Let's Review Each Step



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Name & Train the Team



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### Key Elements to Success

- Train on What the PHA Revalidation Process is Meant to Accomplish
- Train and Review the PHA Process That Will be Used – What If, HAZOP, FMEA
- Review the PHA Team Makeup

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### PHA Preparation Name the Team

#### Name Your PHA Team

- Consider 5 to 7 team members optimum
- Team leader (facilitator) – hazard analysis expertise
- Engage Your Consultant Early (if using one)
- Scribe – responsible for PHA documentation
- Key members – should have process/engineering expertise, operating and maintenance experience
- Supporting members – instruments, electrical, mechanical, explosion hazards, etc.

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### PHA Preparation Process Overview & Tour

#### Process overview & Tour of Covered Process

- Prearrange for someone to give brief process overview, covering such details as:
  - Process, controls
  - Equipment, buildings
  - Personnel, shift schedules
  - Hazardous materials, process chemistry
  - Safety systems, emergency equipment
  - Procedures
  - What is in general vicinity of process
- Have plant layout drawings available
- Tour the Covered Process with the Team

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## Notify Management – Revalidation, What Is It?




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## Key Elements to Success

- The Reason for Revalidation
- Revalidation Objective & Concept
- Revalidation Schedule & Budget
- The Role of Management and the Team in the Revalidation Procedure

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## Prepare for the Revalidation & Assemble PSI




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### Key Elements to Success

- Preplan the Revalidation
  - Establish Scope
  - Select Team, Schedule
- Identify and Collect PSI
  - Determine PSI Requirements
  - Review and Confirm Boundary
  - Assemble & Distribute PSI to Team for Pre-Review

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### Key Elements to Success

- Review and Analyze PSI
  - Prior PHA Report and Related Information
  - Resolution Completion Report for Prior PHA Recommendations
  - MOC & PSSR Documentation – Critical
  - PSM Audit Results
  - Incident and Near Miss Reports
  - Piping & Instrumentation Diagrams (P&ID's)
  - Operating Procedures & Safe Work Practices

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### Process Safety Information Required for a PHA

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|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| ■ Materials of Construction                   | ■ Codes & Specifications               |
| ■ Process Chemistry                           | ■ Vendor Drawings                      |
| ■ Reactive Chemistry                          | ■ MOC Packages                         |
| Information – Kinetic Data                    | ■ Incident/Accident Reports            |
| ■ Design Energy & Mass Balances               | ■ Special/Unique Design Specifications |
| ■ Correct P&ID's                              | ■ Maintenance Procedures               |
| ■ Mechanical Integrity                        | ■ Testing & Inspection Reports         |
| ■ Relief Calculations                         | ■ Ventilation Systems                  |
| ■ Electrical Classifications                  | ■ Safety Systems (SIL's)               |
| ■ Operating Procedures: Walked Down & Correct | ■ Emergency Procedures                 |

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Process Safety Information  
Required for a PHA Revalidation

**THE REALITY:**  
**YOU MUST HAVE YOUR PSI**  
**ASSEMBLED, OR...**  
**YOU CAN'T DO AN**  
**EFFECTIVE PHA**

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Evaluate The Prior PHA Study




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### Keys to Success

Evaluate the Prior PHA with Respect to  
Essential Criteria

- PHA Rigor
- Methodology Used
- Team Make Up
- Documentation Used

Evaluate PHA Quality & Completeness

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## Realities We've Learned

- Many Initial and Prior PHA's Did Not:
  - Include Human Factors and Facility Siting
  - Include Evaluating Operation Procedures & Safe Work Practices
  - Identify the Appropriate Process Boundary
  - Use Complete or Correct PSI
  - Study the Hazards in Enough Detail

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## Many Times – Not Done

**Risk Ranking Matrix**

	Frequent						
<b>Likelihood</b>	Likely				Significant Risk		
	Unlikely						
	Rare			Insignificant Risk			
	Extraordinary						
		Negligible	Minor	Major	Severe	Disastrous	
		<b>Severity</b>					

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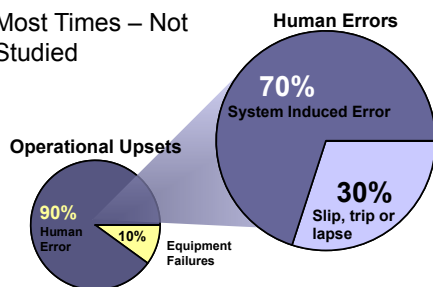
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Most Times – Not Studied



Origin of Human Error

Todd Conklin Human Performance Training

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### Facility Siting-Not Properly Evaluated



Not Just This...



But This

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### Identify Changes that Have Occurred Since the Last PHA




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### What's Changed?

- Complete the Appropriate Section of the CCPS Revalidation Checklists on Changes: A Critical Step
  - PHA Quality & Completeness Checklist
  - Change Summary Worksheet
  - Facility & Process Modification Checklist
  - Facility Stationary Source Siting Checklist
  - Human Factors Checklist

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## Appendix F Facility and Stationary Source Siting Checklist

Item No.	Questions	Response	Recommendations
<b>I. Spacing between Process Components</b>			
1	Are operating units and the equipment within units spaced to minimize potential damage from fires or explosions in adjacent areas?		
2	Are there safe exit routes from each unit?		
3	Has equipment been adequately spaced and located to safely permit anticipated maintenance (e.g., pulling heat exchanger bundles, dumping catalyst, lifting with cranes) and hot work?		
4	Are vessels containing highly hazardous chemicals located sufficiently far apart if/when what hazards are introduced?		
5	Is there adequate access for emergency vehicles (e.g., fire trucks)?		
6	Can adjacent equipment or facilities withstand the exposures generated by potential explosions?		
7	Can adjacent equipment and facilities (e.g., impure recovery) withstand flame impingement or radiant heat exposures?		
8	When provisions have been made for relieving explosions in process components, are the vents directed away from personnel and equipment locations?		

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## Appendix G Human Factors Checklist\*

Item No.	Questions	Response	Recommendations
<b>I. Housekeeping and General Work Environment</b>			
1	Are adequate signs posted near maintenance (cleanup, or staging areas to warn workers of special or unique hazards associated with the unit)?		
2	Are adequate barriers erected to limit access to maintenance, cleanup, or staging areas?		
3	Are working areas generally clean?		
4	Are provisions in place to limit the time that a worker spends in an extremely hot or cold area?		
5	Is noise maintained at a tolerable level?		
6	Are alarms audible above background noise both inside the control room and in the process area?		
7	Is normal and emergency lighting sufficient for all area operations?		
8	Is there adequate backup power for emergency lighting?		
9	Is the general environment conducive to safe job performance?		
<b>II. Accessibility/Availability of Controls and Equipment</b>			
1	Are adequate supplies of protective gear readily available for routine and emergency use?		

\* This checklist is provided for illustrative purposes only. Readers may wish to develop such a checklist specific to their own situation and needs.

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## What's Changed?

- Process changes have introduced new hazards or accentuated existing hazards
- Changes in on site or off site occupancy patterns that changed the at-risk populations
- New knowledge is now available to better understand the hazard potential, revealing potentially more severe consequences
- Actual incidents have revealed scenarios not previously identified in a PHA
- Safeguards previously credited in the PHA have been removed, compromised, or discredited.

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## Identify Revalidation Methodology




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## Keys to Success

- Revalidation Options
  - Update & Revalidate
  - Retrofit, Update & Revalidate
  - Redo
- Selecting the Revalidation Option

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## Conduct the Revalidation Study Sessions




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### Keys to Success

- Training – Covered Earlier
- Performing the Revalidation According to the Methodology Selected
- Special Considerations
  - Staying Productive
  - Facility Siting
  - Human Factors
  - Operating Procedures & Safe Work Practices
  - Wrap Up Discussions

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### Document the Revalidation Study



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### Keys to Success

- Documentation of Approach
- Documentation of Worksheets
- Author the Report
- Recommendation Documentation, Assignment and Follow up
- Records Retention and Distribution

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## HAZOP

### Recommendations

- I. High priority action items should be resolved within 4 months
- II. Medium priority action items should be resolved within 4-6 months
- III. Lower priority action items should be resolved following medium priority items.




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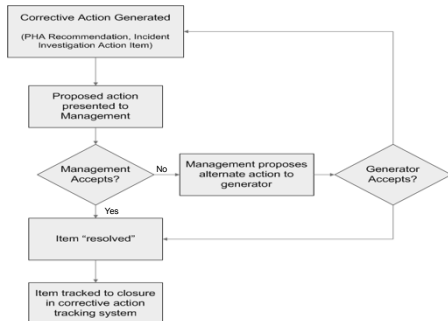
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## Process Hazard Analysis (PHA)

### Recommendations/Corrective Actions Resolution Process




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What's the Process?

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## PHA Revalidation Process An Example Customized Process

- Why An Effective PHA is Necessary
- The PHA Re-Validation Process
- HAZOP Method Overview
- Overview of E Complex Process
- Overview of Last PHA Re-Evaluation
- Review Status of Audit Recommendations
- Review Status of Past PHA Recommendations
- Review Past E-Complex MOC's
- Review PHA Team Member's Change Checklist Results
- PHA Quality & Completeness Checklist Review
- Perform the PHA Revalidation Sessions
- Document the PHA Revalidation Study
  - Publish in Draft Form
  - Team and Management Review
  - Publish in Final Form
  - Assign Recommendation Responsibility and Track to Closure




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## PHA Revalidation Process

- PHA Re-Validation
- Final Review of Completed PHA's
- Review of PHA Recommendations Generated & Plan to Complete
- Next Steps – Preparing for the Report
- PHA Re-Validation Wrap Up

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## The Goal

**An Effective PHA Revalidation  
Maintaining System Integrity  
Protecting the People**

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## Let's Review An Example



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### Global Risk Management

#### Process Hazard Analysis Revalidation

GRM Chemical  
Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous and Explosive  
Chemicals

Version 1.0

March 2014  
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GRM, Inc.

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<b>PIHA Revitalization Team</b>	
The GRM PIHA revitalization team consisted of the following team members:	
PIHA Revitalization Facilitator:	Steve Davis, GRM
GRM PIHA Team Leader & Engineer:	John Smith
Engineering:	David Johnson
PIA Process:	William Johnson
PIA Process:	Mark Dingle
PIA Process:	Helen Schumacher
Maintenance:	Ray Eckerly
Chemical Storage:	Alan Matheson
Chemical Storage:	Dana Latham
Turbines:	Janet Smith
Safety:	Ray Rogers
The PIHA revitalization team consisted of the necessary disciplines to perform an effective PIHA revitalization.	

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	<div><div>PIHA Validation Results</div><p><b>Previous PIHA Results</b></p><p>The previous PIHA results were reviewed and evaluated and found to be complete, but not include the necessary surveillance elements required by existing recognized and generally accepted good engineering practice (RAGOP) in addition to the initial February 2010 GRM PIHA find.</p><p>Additionally, additional areas were also studied in the new PIHA worksheets including the following:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New PSM boundary adjustments that eliminated past PIHA notes and deviations</li><li>• New GRM operating instructions</li><li>• Additional review of PIA Storage Tank</li></ul><p>These required revisions resulted in the decision to perform a <b>Partial, Update and Revitalize</b> revitalization.</p><p><b>Status of previous PIHA action items list</b></p><p>All previous PIHA action items have been addressed. Additionally, complete MOC packages have detailed changes in the PIA Chemical Process &amp; Storage Tank processes.</p><p><b>Past Incident Reports</b></p><p>Past Incident Reports were evaluated. Incidents required a review of the PIA storage tank hazards and design at that time.</p><p><b>Management of Change Packages</b></p><p>Review of MOC packages indicated that changes in the process have been well documented with MOC packages completed on past and ongoing MOC's for the GRM processes.</p><p><b>Pre-Start Up Safety Review Documents</b></p><p>Review of the PSM documentation indicated no changes since last PIHA other than those documented in the MOC packages above.</p><p><b>Operating Instructions</b></p><p>New operating instructions have been recently developed for both GRM Chemical Process and PIA Storage operations. These operating instructions were studied as part of the new PIHA revitalization. A recommendation was also developed to revise the current Chemical Process operating instruction.</p><p><b>Current Process Safety Information (PSI) and P&amp;ID's</b></p><p>P&amp;ID's were walked down, field verified, not marked and re-issued in July 2014 and found to be current and reflect the actual processes.</p></div>	
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	<div><div>PIHA Validation Results</div><p><b>Facility Siting</b></p><p>Four facility siting documentation was reviewed with no changes found since the last PIHA. This study was also confirmed by the completion of the facility siting checklist.</p><p><b>Human Factors Checklist</b></p><p>The prior human factors checklist completed indicated no action items.</p><p><b>List of New Safety Systems</b></p><p>Only one new safety system was noted installed since the last PIHA. This new safety system not classified as a instrumented system, but a pressure gauge on the PIA storage tank due to a possible over pressurization condition expected on the vessel. This RS set pressure gauge was installed to determine the pressure present on the PIA storage tank due to an air pump pumping system for boiler feeding. This new safety system and the deviation created were studied as part of the PIHA revitalization with recommendations developed.</p><p><b>New Action Items List</b></p><p>New action items were developed as part of this PIHA revitalization and are listed in the following sections of this report document. The action item list was developed as a result of the completion of the PIHA revitalization checklist in addition to the PIHA worksheets.</p></div>	
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**Addendum IV: GRM PHA Revitalization Digital Documentation Addendum Directory**

**Addendum Sections Follow  
in Electronic Directories**

2014 PHA HAZOP Worksheets – IPA Chemical & IPA Storage Tank  
GRM IPA Chemical Process PSI  
GRM IPA Chemical & IPA Storage Tank PSI  
GRM PSM February 2014 Audit  
GRM PSM Program Information  
GRM PSM Program  
GRM MOC Program GRM Mechanical Integrity Information  
GRM PSM Training Documentation Block Flow Diagrams  
P&ID's Chemical & IPA Storage  
Historical PHA's  
SDP's Chemical & IPA  
2013 PHA Revitalization Worksheets & CCPS Documents

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**There are 78 More Pages of  
Worksheets**

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### **PHA Revalidation Process**

- Pre-PHA Revalidation Documentation Assembly
- Pre-PHA Revalidation Documentation Review
- Assembly of PHA Team
- Schedule PHA Revalidation
- Name a Scribe
- Complete CCPS PHA Revalidation Checklists
- Determine PHA Revalidation Method
- Perform PHA Revalidation / PHA Worksheet Completion
- PHA Review of PHA Recommendations Generated & Plan to Complete
- Prepare PHA Revalidation Report & Submit to Team for Review
- PHA Re-Validation Report Finalizing & Publishing
- Establish Action Plan for Recommendations

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### **Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous & Explosive Chemicals**



**Management of Change  
29CFR1910.119(l)**

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What if Our PHAs (or a project, or just a random idea) Reveal the Need to Change Something?

We Must Use Management of Change (MOC)

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## Management of Change

1910.119(I)

The employer shall establish and implement written procedures to manage changes (except for "replacements in kind") to process chemicals, technology, equipment, and procedures; and, changes to facilities that affect a covered process.

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## Management of Change - Why?

- Many of the catastrophic accidents over the past few decades can be traced, in large part, to a management of change system that was not in place or was not functional (e.g., Flixborough, Bhopal).




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## Case Study: Flixborough

- Vapor cloud explosion - fueled by release of 30 tons of cyclohexane
- Largest single loss by fire or explosion in the United Kingdom
  - killed 28 people
  - injured 89 others
  - \$63 million in property damage




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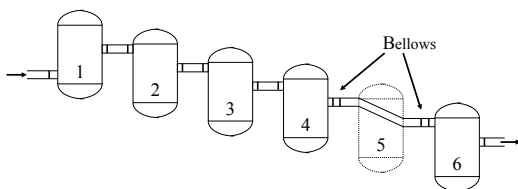
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## MOC Cause: Temporary Modification




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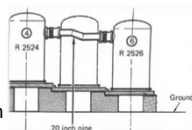
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## Why did the Bypass Piping Fail

- No safety review and inadequate supervision
- Job was beyond professional capabilities of the workers
- Only drawing was a full-size sketch in chalk on the workshop floor.
- No one understood the forces that would be imposed on the pressurized piping



20" bypass piping fabricated on-site in place of a 24" line. This was removed and replaced with a 24" line.

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### What Was Learned?

- A proper MOC procedure could have prevented this accident.
- One of main recommendations from inquiry
  - Any modification should be designed, constructed, tested, and maintained to the same standards as the original plant.

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### Failures in MOC

- Vapor cloud explosion and major fire within a refinery
  - 7 deaths
  - 13 injuries
  - \$35 million in losses (half in property damage, half in business interruption)
- Cause: Hidden Change to a valve



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### Failures in MOC

- Storage tank containing flashing, flammable fluid.
- Tank was connected to process unit via 10" line
- Corrosion attacked valve bonnet bolts and weakened them.
- Bonnet was blown off and an uncontrolled, catastrophic release occurred.



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## Can Changes Affect Everything in Our Program?

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Might Affect:</li> <li>■ Process Information</li> <li>■ Process Toxicity</li> <li>■ Technology of the Process</li> <li>■ Equipment in the Process</li> <li>■ Mechanical Integrity</li> <li>■ Inspection &amp; Testing</li> <li>■ Quality Assurance</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Might Affect:</li> <li>■ PHAs</li> <li>■ Operating Procedures</li> <li>■ Safe Work Practices</li> <li>■ Training for Both Employees &amp; Contractors</li> <li>■ Compliance Audits</li> </ul> |
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Basically....Everything!

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### Management of Change (MOC)

Management of Change (MOC) is a process for **evaluating** and **controlling modifications** to facility design, operation, organization, or activities – *prior to implementation* – to make certain that **no new hazards are introduced** and that the **risk of existing hazards** to employees, the public, or the environment are **not unknowingly increased**.



CCPS Guidelines for Management of Change for Process Safety, Wiley, 2008

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### Management of Change (MOC)

- **MOC is one of the most important elements of process safety**

- MOC has been called a minute-by-minute risk assessment control system in plants and companies.

- It affords the opportunity to review changes which occur after the PHA has been completed. In fact, some changes are large or complex enough to require a PHA in and of themselves.

- A change is any modification to process chemicals, technology, equipment, or procedures and changes to facilities that affect a covered process except for replacement in kind (satisfies the design specification).

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### Management of Change (MOC)

#### □ Summary of Requirements

- Written Program – “Written procedures to manage changes to process chemicals, technology, equipment, and procedures; and changes to facilities that affect a covered process”
- Considerations must address:
  - Technical basis for change *(why the change is desired)*
  - Safety and health impacts
  - Modifications to procedures
  - Necessary time period for the change *(duration for temporary changes)*
  - Authorization requirements for the proposed change
- All potentially affected employees and contractors must be informed of and trained in the change prior to the change
- PSI, procedures, or practices must be updated accordingly
- Exempts “replacements in kind”

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### MOC Application

- Management of Change should be Completed on BOTH:
- Temporary
- Permanent Changes




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### MOC

#### Replacement in Kind

- A replacement that satisfies the design specifications.
- Examples
  - raising reactor temp. within safe operating envelope
  - replacing equipment or piping meeting the same specifications as the original




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## Emergency MOC Procedures

- Program must manage Emergency Changes
- Should set limits for when allowable and how authorizations will be obtained
- "Paperwork" must follow very closely behind




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## Management of Change

- Important March 31, 2009 Letter From OSHA:
- "Some organizational changes such as changes resulting from mergers, acquisitions, reorganizations, staffing changes or budget revisions, may affect PSM at the plant level and would therefore trigger a PSM MOC procedure"

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## Management of Change (MOC) Pre-Modification Issues

- Check codes, standards, internal engineering specifications
- Complete design review
- Perform reactivity testing for new substances
- Add materials to TSCA/SARA inventories
- Complete safety and health impact review
- Comply with safety and loss prevention requirements

Remember all the Codes We Have Already Discussed

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## Management of Change (MOC) Pre-Modification Issues

- Complete maintenance review/revise spare parts list
- Evaluate change against vent, relief, and flare capability
- Complete industrial hygiene review
- Review change against existing environmental permits
- Obtain required approvals
- Complete training on change for affected employees\*
- SOPs marked-up
- P&IDs, PFDs, plot plans and other affected Process Safety Information (PSI) marked-up

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## Management of Change (MOC) Post-Modification Action Items

- Complete Pre-Start Up Safety Review (PSSR)
- Complete training on change for affected employees\*
- SOPs issued effective
- P&IDs, PFDs, plot plans and other affected Process Safety Information (PSI) updated
- Training program modifications identified
- Preventive maintenance program modifications identified
- Mechanical Integrity information/files/records CMMS updated

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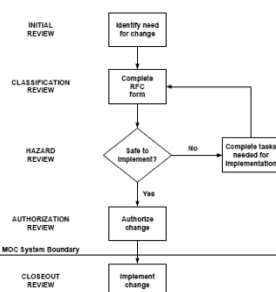
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## Management of Change (MOC)

### ■ Generic MOC Process



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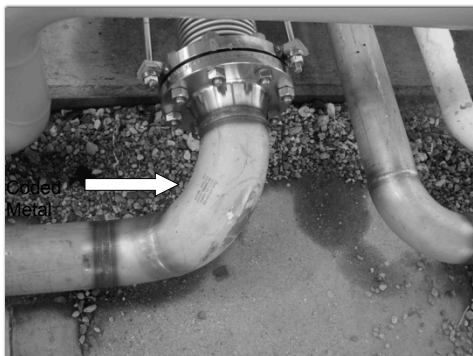
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What Type of Stainless? What type of Nozzle?

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**Management of Change (MOC)**  
**To MOC or not to MOC? Class Exercise**

1. You need to change the set point of a relief valve. MOC or no MOC?

Yes – this is a process control change outside of established limits

2. You are changing a solvent used to clean and flush piping in the covered process. MOC or no MOC?

Yes – there could be material of construction issues (corrosivity, material/process compatibility, etc.)

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**Management of Change (MOC)**  
**To MOC or not to MOC? Class Exercise**

□ **To MOC or not to MOC? Class Exercise**

3. You are replacing an ASME code vessel with an API code vessel.

Yes – this is a code and application change although the design may be similar.

4. You are substituting an identical process chemical from another supplier.

It Depends

5. You are upgrading a section of pipe from carbon steel to stainless steel.

Yes – process material could be more corrosive to stainless than carbon steel. This is a change in equipment

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- We must establish and implement written procedures to manage changes except "replacements in kind" for a covered process.
- If a change in design or components is required, management of change must be employed, tracked, and analyzed.
- All P&IDs, procedures, equipment information, ETC. must be updated to reflect the change.
- Work-site employees and contract employers must be informed and trained on the changes prior to start-up.

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- Consider the Use of Technology to:
  - Perform
  - Document
  - Track
  - Adjust
  - Maintain

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## Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous & Explosive Chemicals



Pre-Start Up Safety Review (PSSR)  
29CFR1910.119(i)

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PSSR- Why?

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## Pre-Start Up Review

- The employer shall perform a pre-startup safety review for new facilities and for modified facilities when the modification is significant enough to require a change in the process safety information.



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### Pre-Start Up Review

- The pre-startup safety review shall confirm that prior to the introduction of highly hazardous chemicals to a process
- Construction and equipment is in accordance with design specifications
- Safety, operating, maintenance, and emergency procedures are in place and are adequate

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### Pre-Start Up Review

- For new facilities, a process hazard analysis has been performed and recommendations have been resolved or implemented before startup; and modified facilities meet the requirements contained in management of change
- Training of each employee involved in operating a process has been completed.

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### Pre-Start Up Safety Review

- Must be specific for the covered process
- May require additional programs other than Lockout Tagout, Line Opening & Hot Work...such as Confined Space, Electrical Safe Work Practices, Combustible Dust

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**Process Safety Management  
of Highly Hazardous &  
Explosive Chemicals**



**Process Hazard Analysis  
29CFR1910.119(e)**

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**The Goal**

**An Effective PHA Revalidation  
Maintaining System Integrity  
Protecting the People**

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