
Using the bi-lateral

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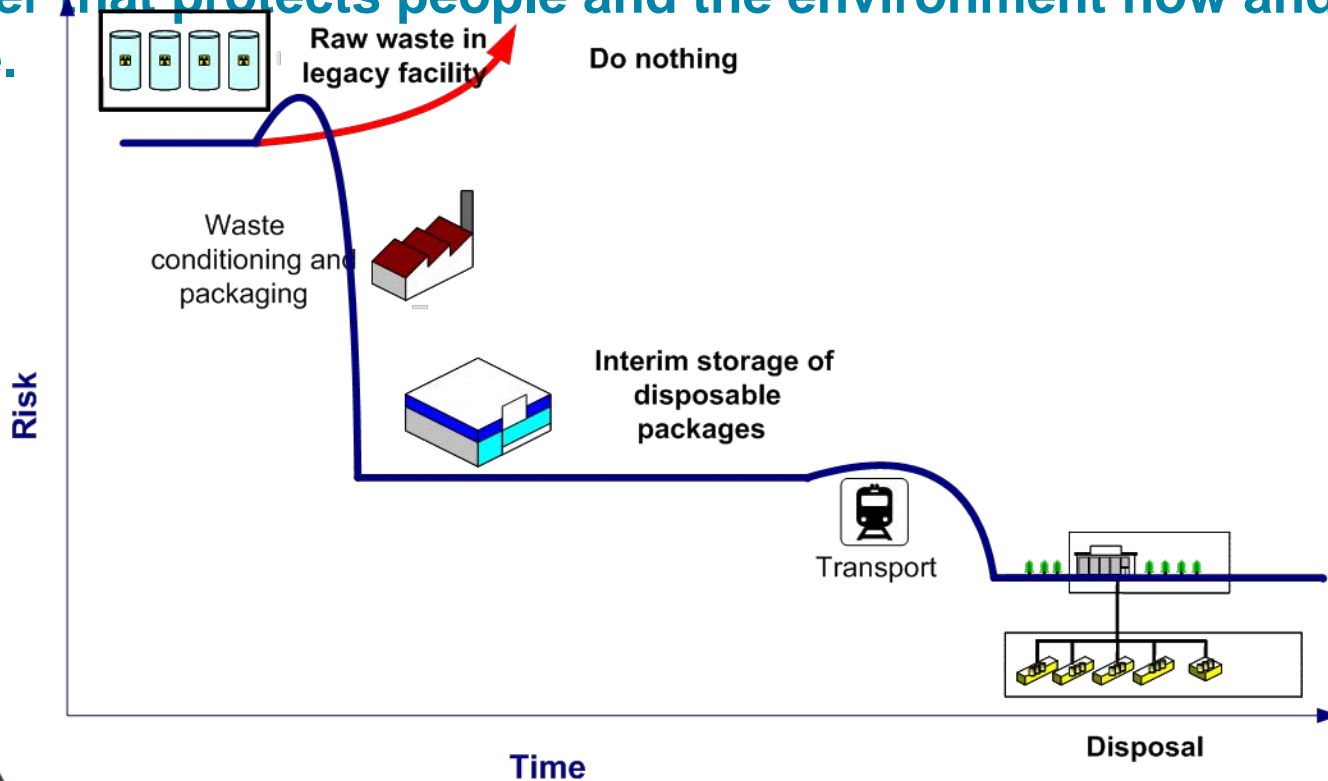
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What is the approach ?

- **Approach is based on priority within the business**
- **Underpinning strategic risks and opportunities (used fuel management)**
- **Supporting operational programmes (glass chemistry)**
- **Strategic and operational (thermal treatment)**
- **Lead depends on experience.....consider this example.**

Waste challenges @ Sellafield

To retrieve, treat and package HAW and place it in safe, secure and suitable storage facilities until it can be disposed of in a manner that protects people and the environment now and in the future.



Current position

- **Sellafield expertise in cementation/grouting**
- **Need to consider alternative treatment technologies**
- **USDOE very experienced in this area**
- **NDA have 1 technology as “baseline” with several others under consideration**
- **Programme in place to support operational and strategic issues**

What and how....3 parts

- **Operating experience @ INL**
- **Technology development across USDOE estate**
- **Technology assessment and decision making experience**

- **Site visit to INL**
- **Information exchange in relevant areas**
- **Workshops to navigate through the information**

- **Operate on a national programme basis.**