#### **New Pharmaceutical Containment System in Japan**



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## Concept for Highly Potent Materials Handling

- **GMP Requirements...** 
  - To Avoid Cross contamination
- Operators Safety and Environmental Requirement...
  - To Protect Operators
  - To Avoid Environmental Pollution



## JGC's Approach to Containment Design

1999, 2001	ISPE Amsterdam Conference
2001	PDA Japan Chapter
2002	ISPE Philadelphia Conference
2002	ISPE Bertin Conference
2003	ISPE Japan Conference
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2002~	<b>SMEPAC*</b> member	
2008	<b>ISPE Containment</b>	COP** member

\* Standardized Measurement for Equipment Particulate Airborne Concentrations.

\*\*Community of Practice



## **Concept for Achieving Containment** Environmental **Operators** Safety Protection 88 AHU $\Lambda$ / **00** Gowning Equipment **Room Air Handling**



## **Steps of Containment Design**

**Design Procedure of Facilities for Highly Potent Materials** 

- Step1: Limit of Exposure Level of Highly Potent Materials (Potency, Toxicity, Carcinogenicity, Sensitivity)
- Step2: Handling Status of Materials (Level 1~5)
- Step3: Required Barrier Level
- Step4: Find Optimum Combination of "Equipment" "Gowning" "Room Air Handling"
  ☆Integrated with GMP requirements (Clean Classification)

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## Step 1. Classification of Exposure Level (PB-ECL Table)

	PB-ECL Category	1	2	3	4	5
	Exposure Level ( $\mu$ g/m <sup>3</sup> )	1000~5000	100~1000	1~100	<1	NIL
1. Active	Potency (mg/day)	>100	10-100	0.1-10	<0.1	<0.1
2. Hazard	Toxicity LD50 (mg/kgR Toxicity of Oral	Potency non toxic	2000: almost non toxic	50-500: slightly toxic	5-50: toxic	<5: highly toxic
OSHA/HC. WHMIS(Canada) Toxic Control La Ocean Pollution	Toxicit	y s 500-2000: practically	50-500: toxic 50-500: toxic 30-300: slightly toxic 50-500:slightly hazardous	<50: highly toxic <50: highly toxic <30: toxic 5-50: moderately hazardous		
	Control(GESAMP		non hazardo	us		
	Toxicity of intravenous	>100:	non toxic	7-100: toxic		<7: highly toxic
3. Others	Carcinogenicity (IARC)	_	_		2A, 2B: potentially yes	1: yes
		Carcino	ogenicity	_		
	Sensitivity	low	low-midale	middle	middle-high	high
Sensitivity						
Exposure control limit : 4					: 4	
	Exposure level < 1 // a/m <sup>3</sup>					a/m <sup>3</sup>





## **Step 3. Required Barrier Level**

PB-ECL State	1	2	3	4	5
Large volume of powder				2.0	
Small volume of powder		1.0	1.5	1.5	$\geq$
Wet powder	0.5		1.0	1.0	2.0
Very small amount of powder or liquid		0.5	0.5	0.5	
Powder/liquid to be contained	0	0	0	0	0.5



## **Definition of Barrier Level**

Barrier level 0	Man/environment <u>may not</u> be protected against potent compounds
Barrier level 0.5	Man/environment are <u>partially</u> protected against potent compounds
Barrier level 1.0	Man/environment are <u>fully</u> protected against potent compounds
Barrier level 1.5	Man/environment are <u>more fully</u> protected against potent compounds
Barrier level 2.0	Man/environment are <u>doubly</u> protected against potent compounds

## **Definition of Barrier Level**

#### **Design Criteria**

#### For Operator

Required Barrier Level for each process



#### For Environment

Required Barrier Level for each process



# **Step 4. Optimum Combination "Equipment"**

#### **Open Booth**

#### Safety Cabinet

#### **Glove Box**







#### **Functional Barrier Level**

0.0

0.5

1.0

## Step 4. Optimum Combination "Gowning"

#### **Typical Gowning Procedure & Functional Barrier Level**

ISPE Definition	External	Unclassified	Pharmaceutical	Controlled	Clean / Critical
Gowning	General	Uniform	Uniform + Cap	Clean garments	Sterile garments
		<ul><li>* Shirts</li><li>* Pants</li><li>* Shoes</li></ul>	<ul> <li>* Cap</li> <li>* Shirts</li> <li>* Pants</li> <li>* Shoes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>* Cap</li> <li>* Respirator</li> <li>* Gloves</li> <li>* Coat</li> <li>* Shoe cover</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Coverall</li> <li>Boots</li> <li>Gloves</li> <li>Respirator</li> <li>Hood</li> <li>Goggles</li> </ul>
Clean Class (In Operation)	—	_	_	Class 100,000	Class 10,000
Grade (EU-GMP)	_		_	Grade-D	Grade-B, C
Functional Barrier Level	0	0	0	0.5	1.0



#### Step 4. Optimum Combination "Gowning"

#### Gowning for Protection Against Extremely Hazardous Materials



## Optimum Combination "Room Air Handling"

Separation Wall + Negative Pressure (Ducting Space) FBL : 1.0



## **Design Conclusion**



**Operators / Environment will be properly protected against hazardous materials** 



## **Follow-up Activity**

#### Follow-up Activity is Very Important !



## **Procedure for Follow-up**

#### **Method**

- Air sampling for working environment
- : Closed face type head by constant flow pump

#### Surface monitoring

: Swabbing interior and/or exterior surface of equipment, and floors of working places

# •Chemical analysis to determine concentration of chemical hazards

: Established method by client



## **Air Sampling**

Calibrated constant flow air sampling with 3 L/min

• Cassette type closed head with a PTFE 0.45  $\mu$  m pore size filter





## **Surface monitoring**

• Standardised swab procedure previously reported :Cocker N., Extract Technology Ltd., presented in 1999 Continuing Education Amsterdam Conference

• Swab with a cloth wet by purified water



# **Evaluation of Weighing Glove Box**





## **Weighing Glove Box**





## **Evaluation of Reactor Charging**

#### **Reactor Charging**



#### **Carry-over**

#### **After Reactor Charging**



#### Process Flow: Fluid bed Granulator

#### **Design provision for Containment**



#### Application (1)

#### **Dust collector for processing machines**



#### Application (2)

#### Granulation and Drying Fluid-bed Granulator



#### **Mixing Granulator**





## **Summary of Presentation**

Hazardous Material Handling Facility should be designed ...

Based on Quantitative Method

• Considering the Optimum Combination With Primary Enclosure, Building Facility and Gowning Procedure

JGC has the unique evaluation procedure for containment performance of pharmaceutical factory ...

Verification and Follow-up of the containment performance after construction are also very important !

# Thank you for your attention 谢谢!

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# Bag in/out dust collector



- 1. Set the filter to be replaced in the plastic bag at the outlet port.
- 2. Pull out the used filter into the plastic bag.
- 3. Sealed used filter in the bag.
- 4. Installed new filter in a closed manner.

