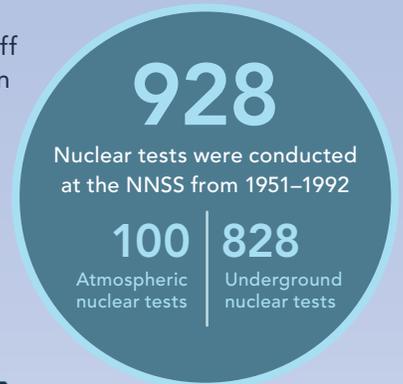




## By The Numbers

# Nevada National Security Site Cleanup

The Nevada National Security Site (NNSS) is a vast, unique and diverse research, evaluation and development complex encompassing 1,360 square miles. NNSS staff are dedicated to supporting national security and defense, nuclear nonproliferation and homeland security initiatives. NNSS mission activities include ensuring the safety and reliability of the nation's nuclear stockpile in the absence of underground nuclear testing; and providing expertise, specialized equipment and training to detect and locate radiological sources. In addition, extensive environmental work has been ongoing for decades to address the effects of historic nuclear activities.



**≈200** dedicated professionals support environmental activities at the NNSS



Total 2015 NNSS Environmental Management Budget **\$65.4M**

Since 1961, **more than 45.4 million cubic feet** of low-level and mixed low-level radioactive waste have been disposed at the Area 3 and Area 5 Radioactive Waste Management Sites

More than **\$12M** distributed to Nevada counties for emergency preparedness

**98%** of investigations and corrective actions at surface contamination sites completed

More than **60 years** of data collection is used by scientists to study groundwater for the protection of public health

Less than **1%** of NNSS surface soils are radiologically contaminated

**≈125**  air and water monitoring stations located on and off of the NNSS



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