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# Implementation of the Key Outcome From FASTNET Within the Swedish Radiation Safety Authority

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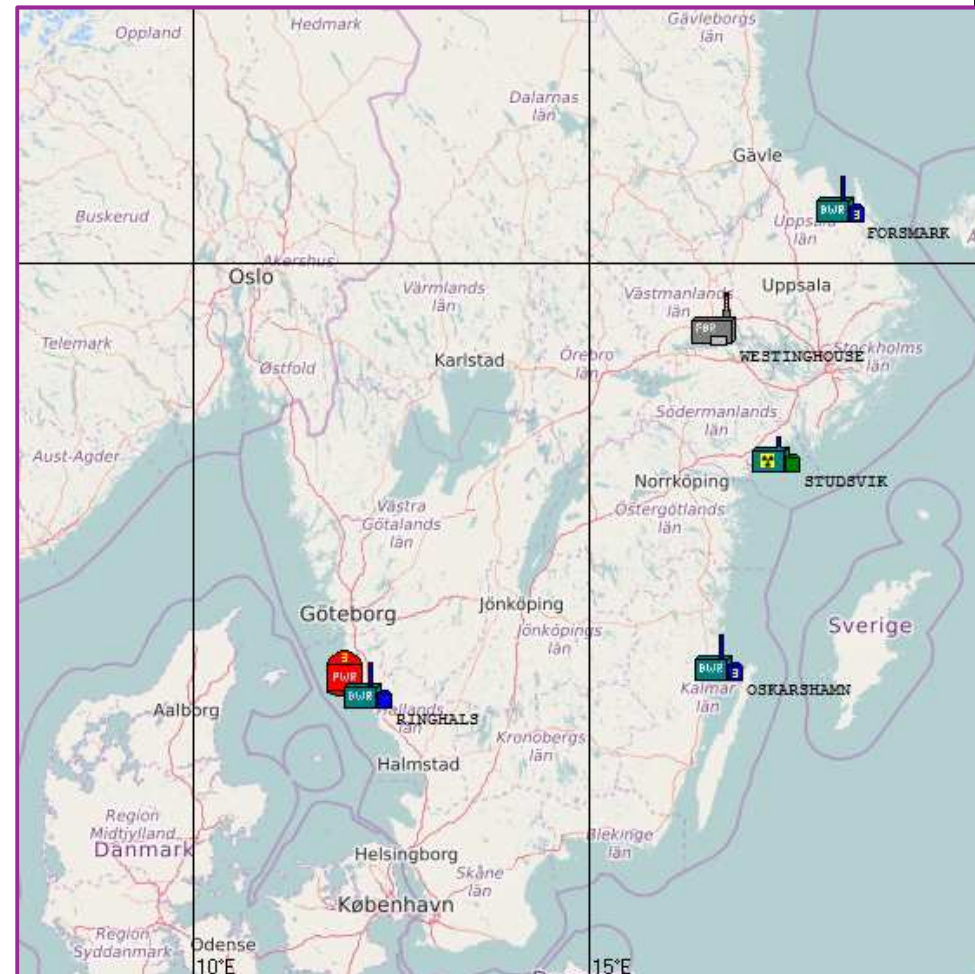
## Outline

- Nuclear Power in Sweden
- SSM emergency response organisation
- Key outcome from FASTNET project
  - Methodology
  - Tools
  - Database
  - Exercises
- Conclusions



# Nuclear Power in Sweden

- ➔ Forsmark (3 BWR)
- ➔ Ringhals (3 PWR, 1 BWR)
- ➔ Oskarshamn (1 BWR)



IAEA, EU,  
Nordic co-  
operation...

# SSM Emergency Response Organisation

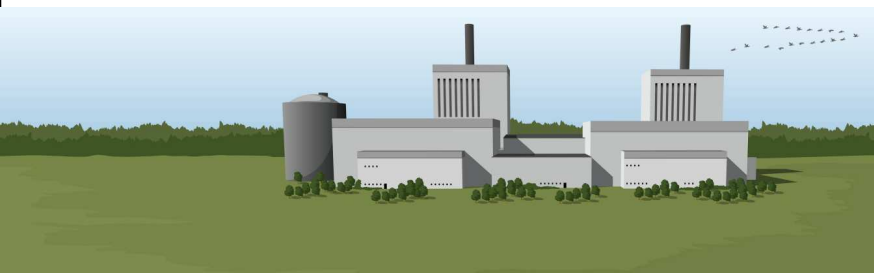
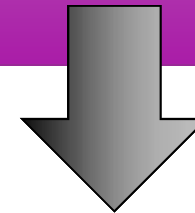
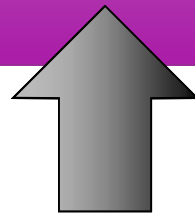
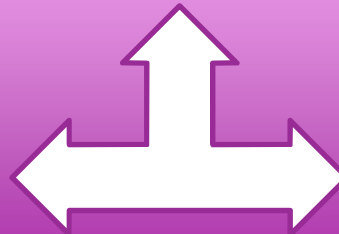
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Officers on duty, Communications, Logistics

Nuclear analysis team

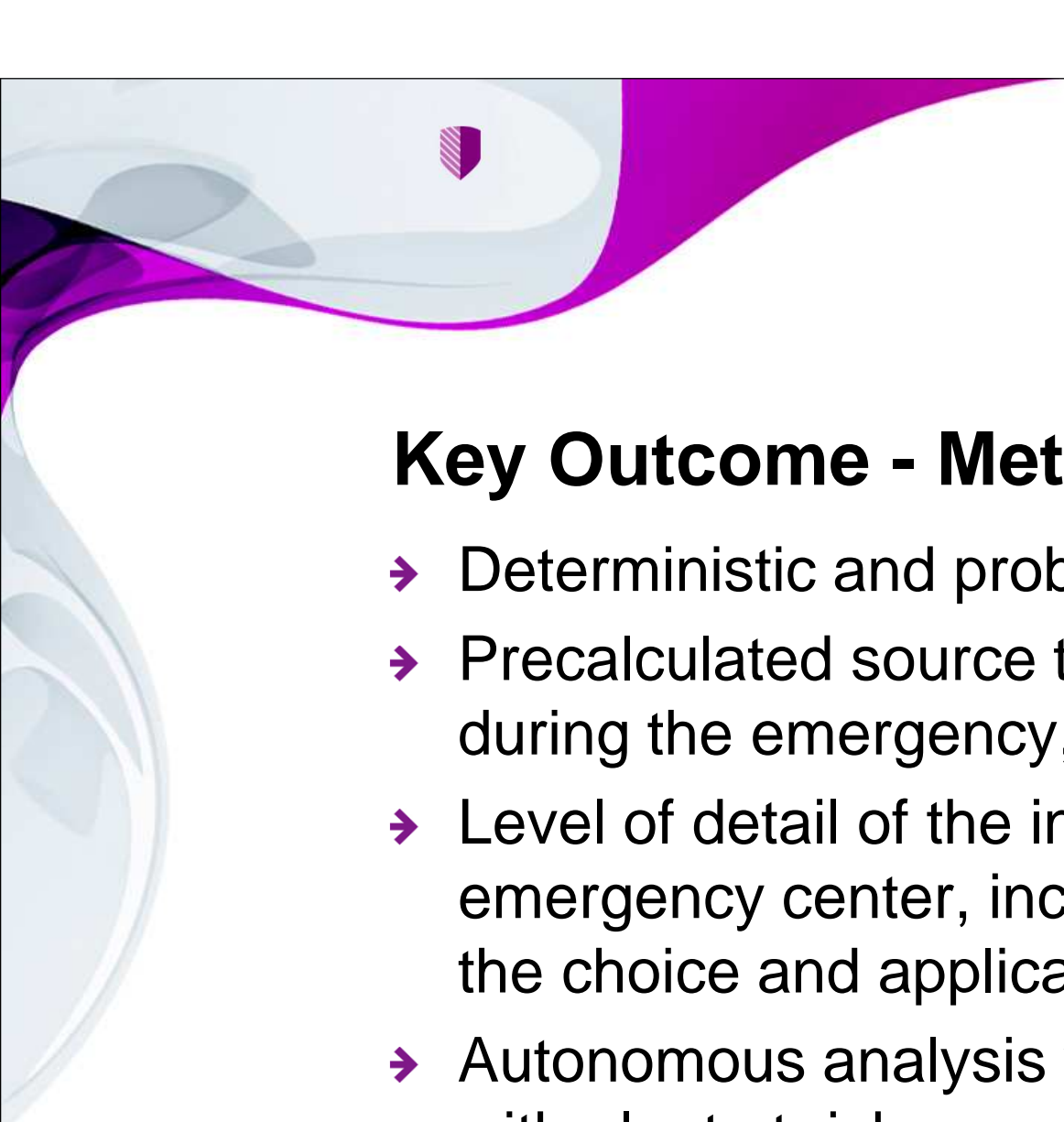
- Contact NPP
- Plant Assessment
- Source term Est.

Radiological analysis team

- Dispersion calc.
- Radiological assessment
- Radiation measurements



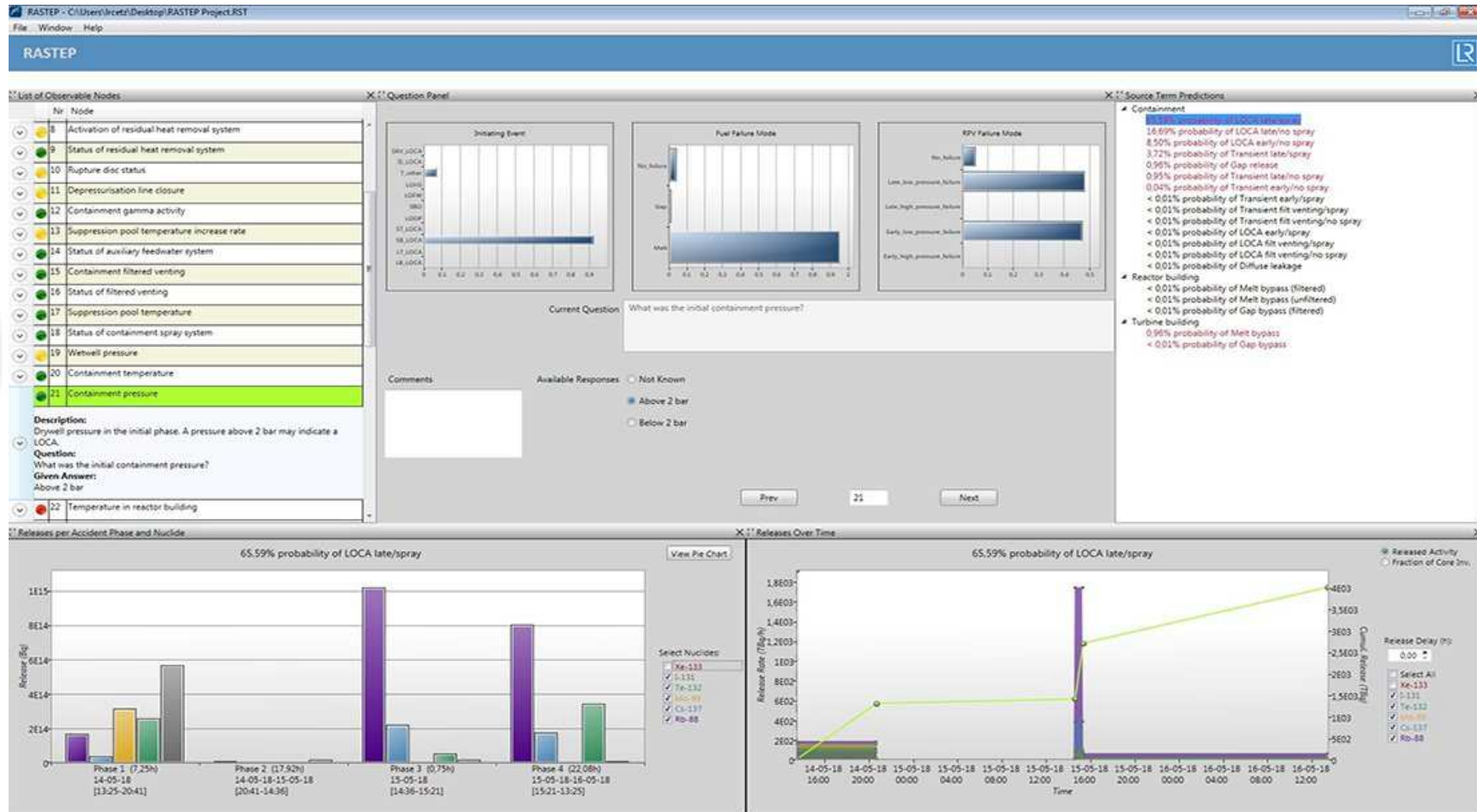
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## **Key Outcome - Methodology**

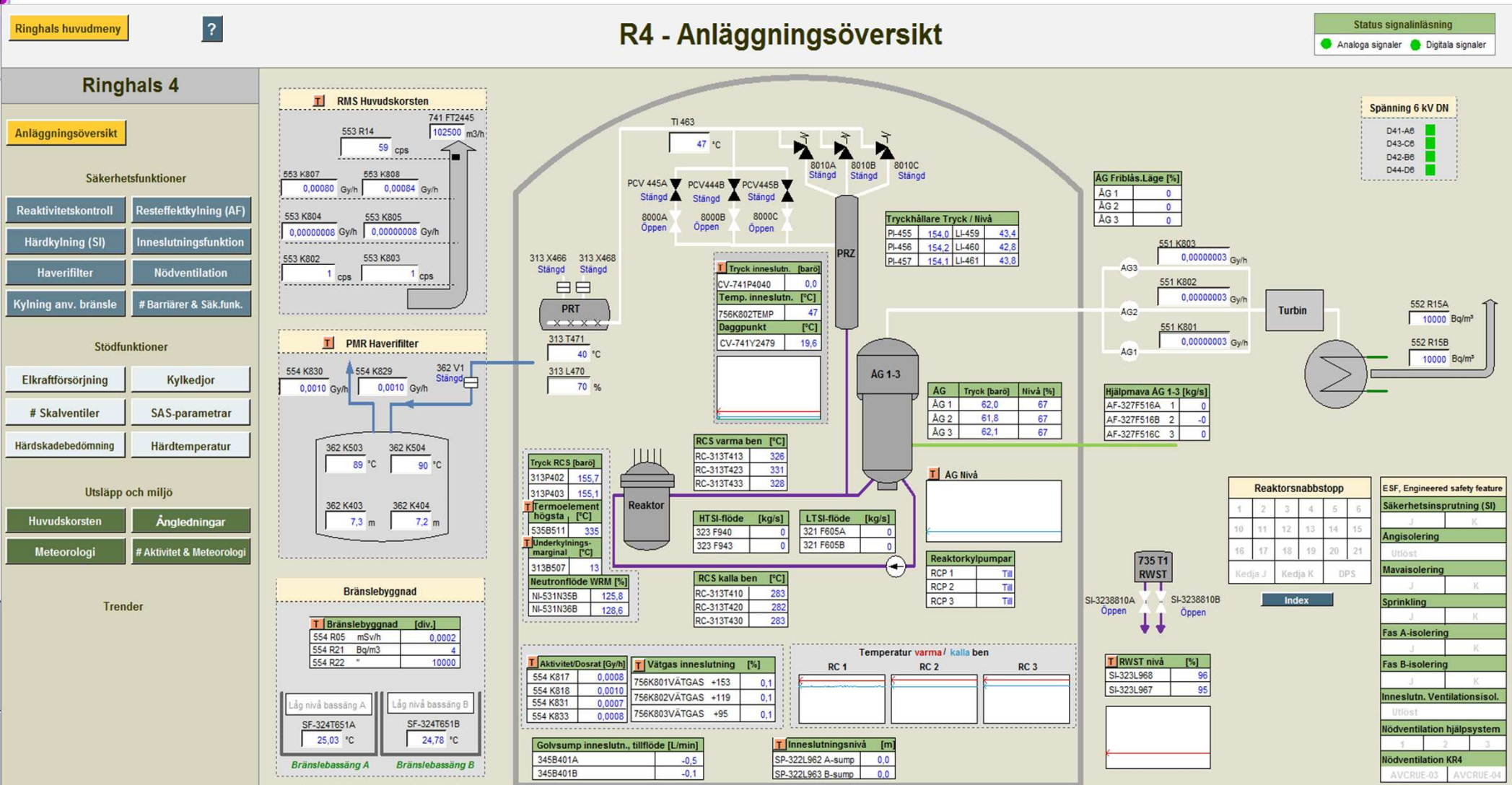
- Deterministic and probabilistic approach,
- Precalculated source terms and/or calculation during the emergency,
- Level of detail of the information at the emergency center, including timing (influencing the choice and applicability of tools),
- Autonomous analysis vs extensive interaction with plant at risk.

# Key Outcome – Tools - RASTEP





# Electronic Transmission of Process Parameters – ETAPP





## **Key Outcome - Database**

- SSM together with LR contributed with a handfull of source terms representing Swedish design BWR reactors,
- The database provides SSM with a first approximation of a source term in case of an emergency in another country,
- Possibility to exercise other scenarios than typically used so far at SSM.





## **Key Outcome - Exercise**

- Gained experience both using methods and tools,
- Learned from others,
- Possibility to benchmark exercise approaches with other countries and organisations,
- Gained an international overview on the chain of analysis in an emergency, from assessment of the accident to dose assessment to the public,
- IRIX – experience in producing a ST in IRIX format.



## **Conclusion on Key Outcome**

- Possibility to discuss with other organisations and get insight in other countries working methods, challenges and thought about future development,
- Networking, facilitates dialogue between experts in both the preparedness and (if need be) the response phase,
- Deeper understanding of underlying priorities, assumptions and other prerequisites in methods and tools.



**Thank you for your attention**



## Decision support

Objective: Identify the optimized protective action(s) for the public

- Reference levels
- Possible protection actions are primarily those prepared in advance.
  - Predefined EPZ
  - Prepared Actions: Evacuation, Sheltering, Iodine prophylaxis



## **Postulated Accident scenarios**

- An event with functioning mitigation systems (FMS) – reference level 20 mSv
- An event without functioning mitigation systems – reference level 100 mSv

The initiating event for both cases is SBO.



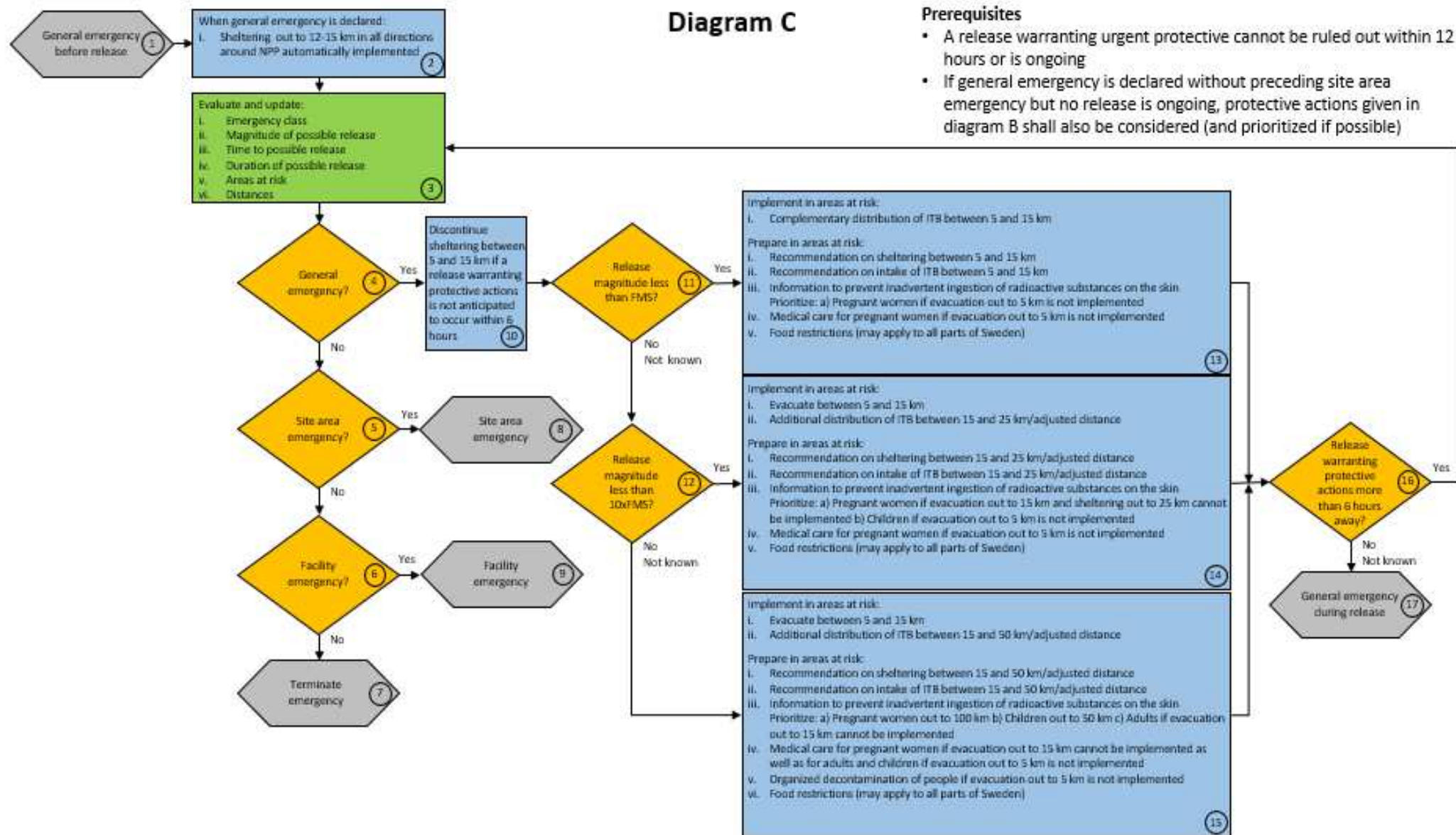


## Decision support tool

- Depend on emergency class:
  - Facility emergency
  - Site area emergency
  - General emergency
- Magnitude of possible release
- Time to a possible release
- Duration of a possible release
- Area at risk
- Distances



Diagram C



### Prerequisites

- A release warranting urgent protective cannot be ruled out within 12 hours or is ongoing
- If general emergency is declared without preceding site area emergency but no release is ongoing, protective actions given in diagram B shall also be considered (and prioritized if possible)

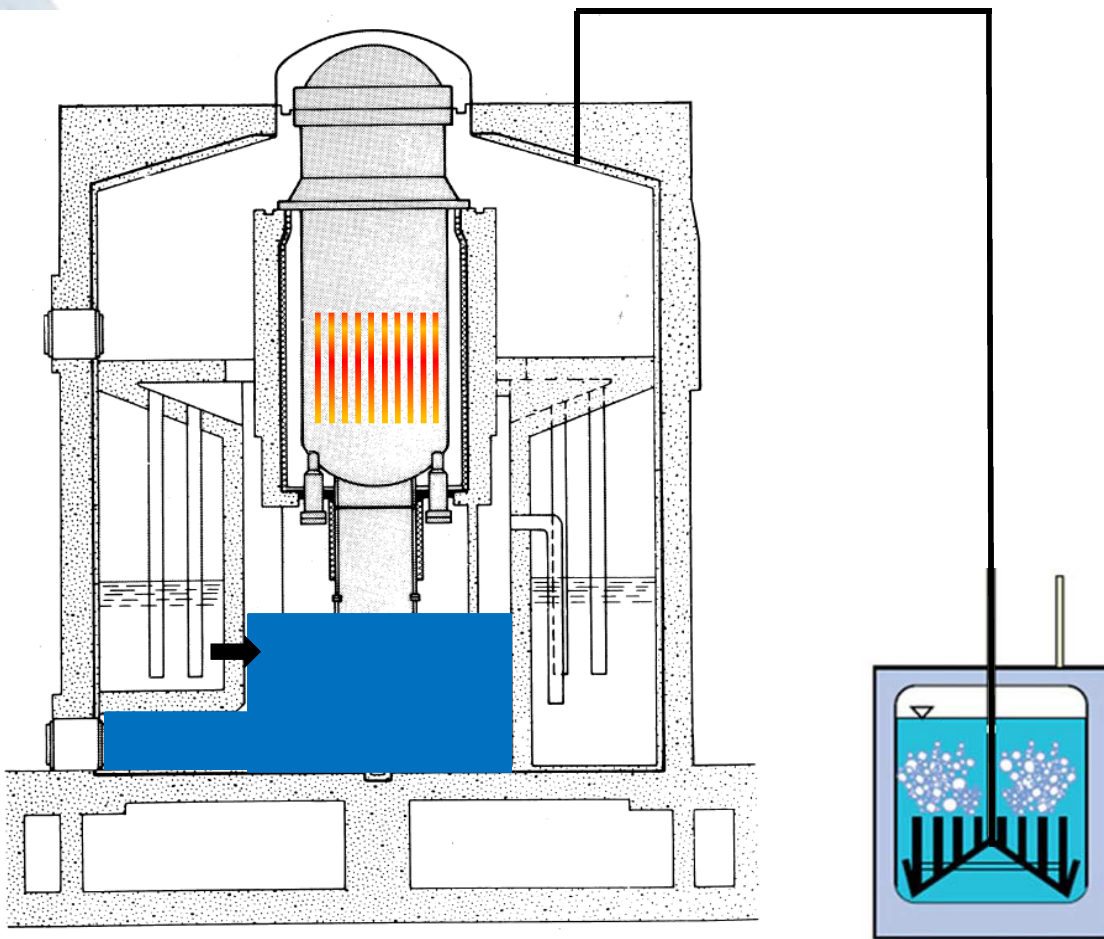


## Decision support

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Release magnitude	Xe-133	I-131	Cs-137
FMS	~5E+18 Bq	~1E+15 Bq	~1E+14 Bq
10xFMS	~5E+18 Bq	~1E+16 Bq	~1E+15 Bq
100xFMS	~5E+18 Bq	~1E+17 Bq	~1E+16 Bq

# Mitigation Systems - FCVS



- Even if general emergency no other protective measures needed for the public than those already performed.



## Nuclear Analysis team

### Plant Assessment

- ETAPP – process parameters from NPP
- Information from NPP
- IAEA – RAT

"Predefined list of questions"

### Source term Assessment

- RASTEP
- Database of scenarios and source terms
- Excel sheet for simple calculations
- Handbooks, reference material





## Information from NPP

- Emergency classification
- Integrity of barriers
- Reactivity Control
- Pressure relief of primary system
- ECCS emergency Core cooling system
- Residual Heat removal
- Containment Filtered Vent System
- Electrical power: external grid, diesel generators
- Information about; threats to barriers and safety functions, assessment of further development, measures taken or planned.
- Source term information, incl. prognosis

## IAEA Reactor Assessment tool

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PRELIMINARY PROGNOSIS



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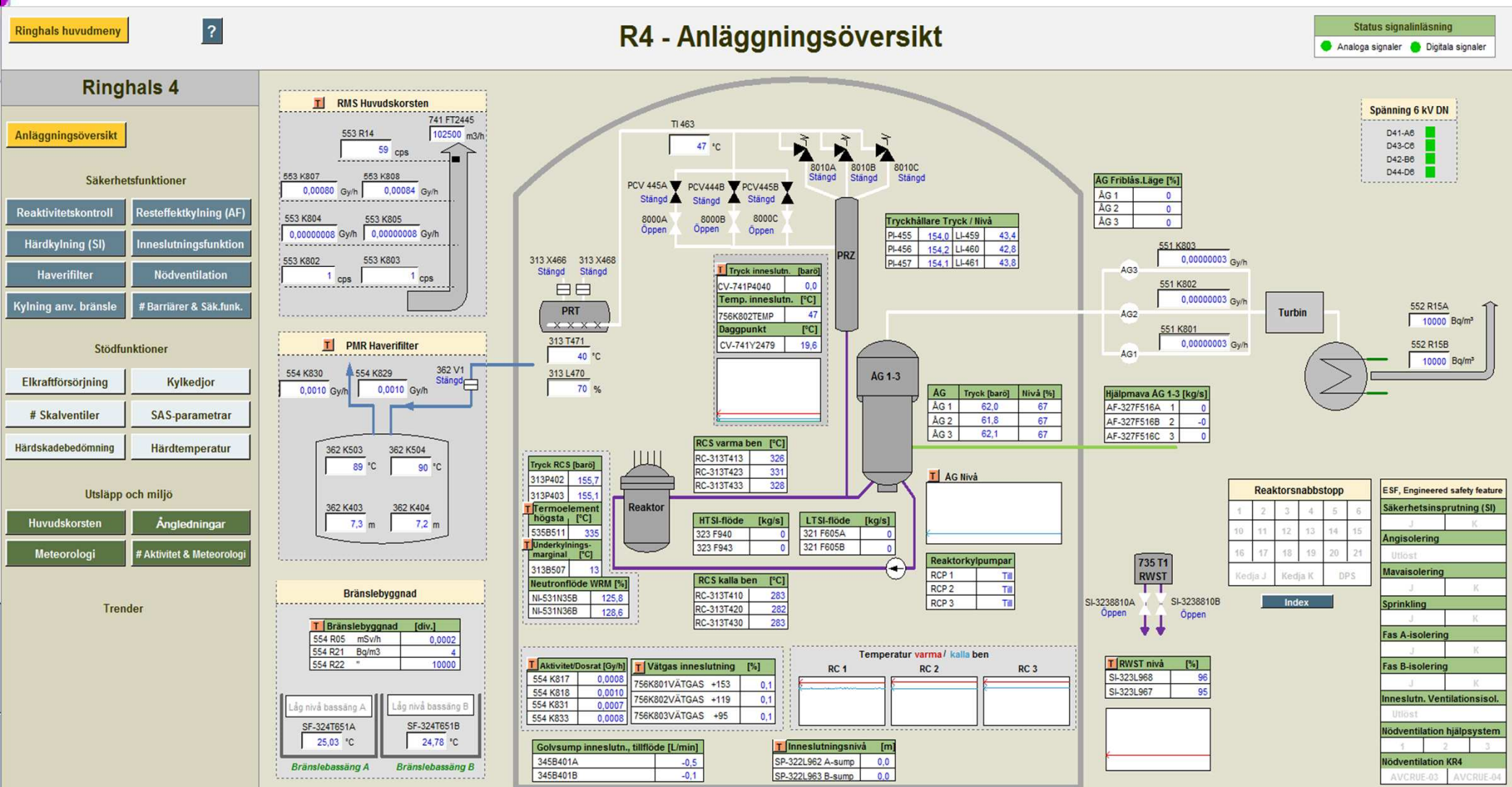
PRELIMINARY PROGNOSIS

- Magnitude of release – refer to need for public protective actions
- Release conditioning – filtered venting
- Prel. Prognosis – situation changes within next 12 – 48 h.

## SSM Decision support

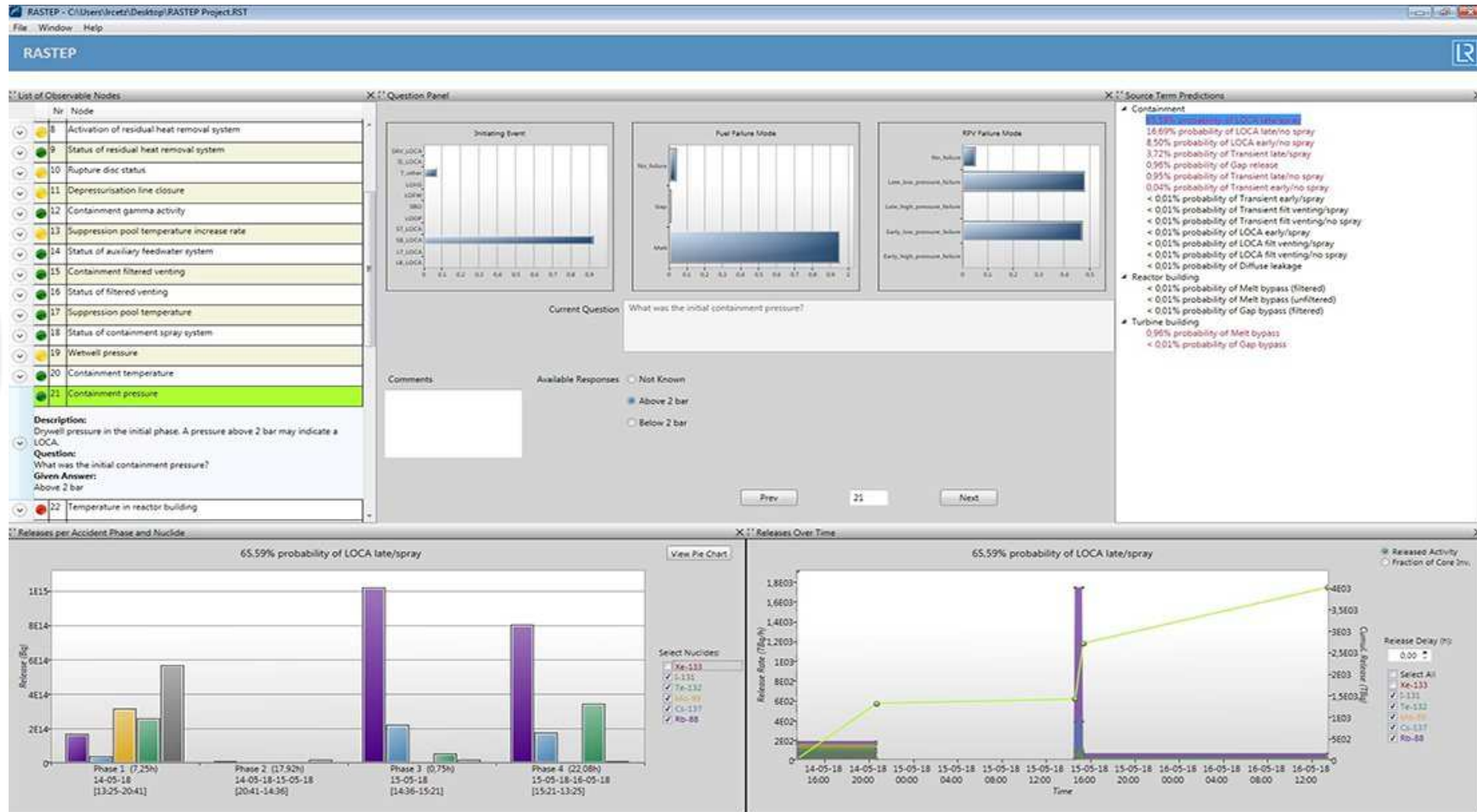
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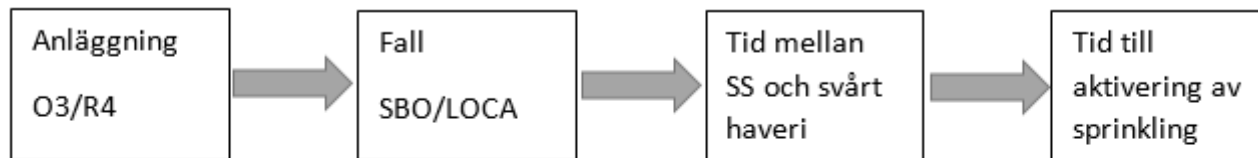


# RASTEP

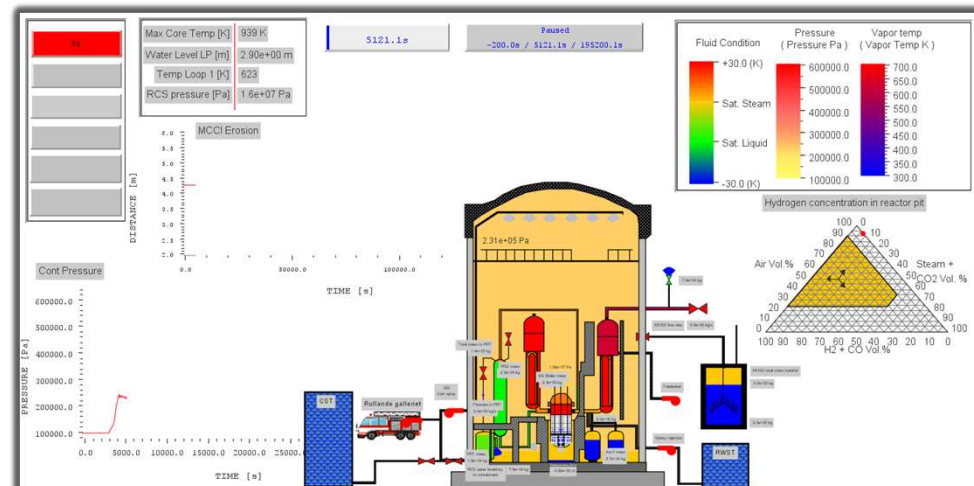
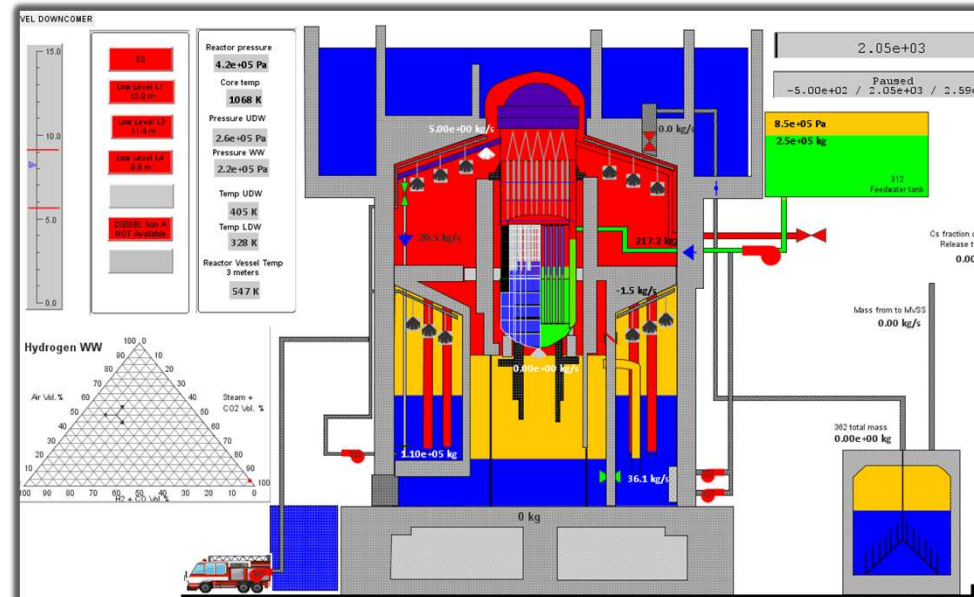
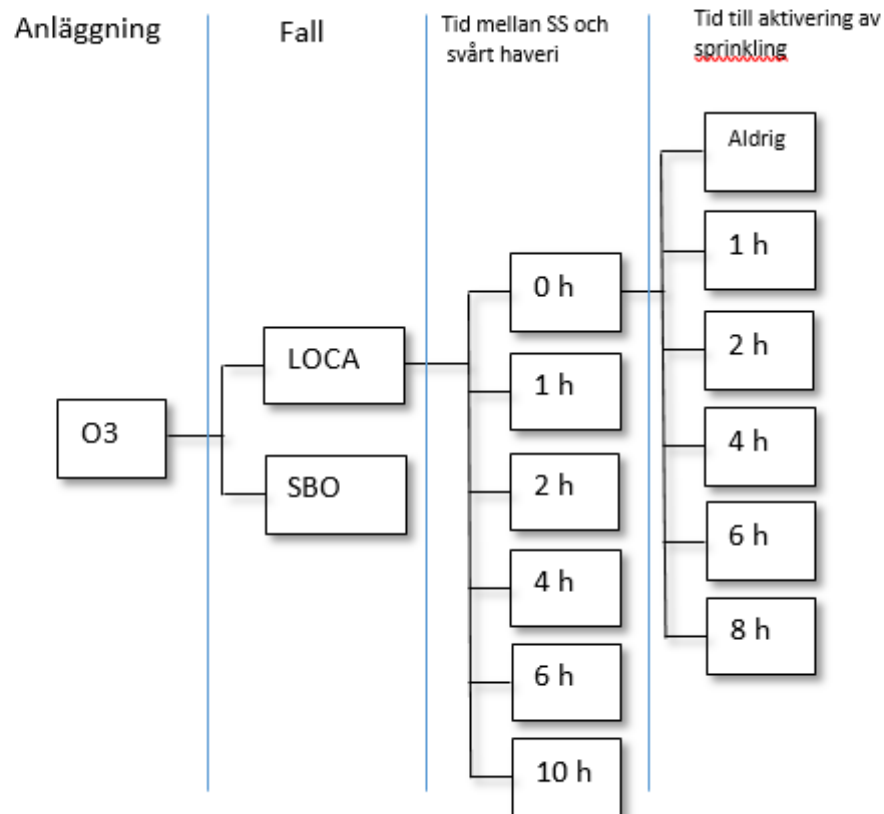
## Rapid Source Term Prediction







# Source Term Database







## Exercise

- 2-3 april 2019
- Initiating event: security event, sabotage
- Plant Assessment:
  - ETAPP
  - Information from NPP (telephone, fax)
  - Used RAT to visualize the plant status
- Source term Assessment:
  - Precalculated scenarios, handbooks, reference litt., discussions with NPP
- Challenges: documentation, information, timing



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