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Daily filter samples of outdoor air dusts collected during the period January 13 to 23rd and stored 48 hours or more exhibit beta-gamma activity 6 to 13 times background, further estimated at 12 to 26 micro micro curies per cubic meter, peaking at January 15th. Similar data obtained at our Livermore site.

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13		
14		280
15		475
16		193
19	3 day	361
20		100
21		102
22		15
23		101

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$2.18 \times 10^{-2} \mu\text{C} = \mu\text{C} / 6.8 \times 168 \text{ m}^3$

1140 m<sup>3</sup>

$2.18 \times 10^{-2} \mu\text{C} \times 1140 = \mu\text{C} / \text{m}^3$

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$2.18 \times 10^{-2} \mu\text{C} = \mu\text{C} / 24.85 \text{ m}^3$

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2. Data from UCRL-Livermore, 1958

(a) Samples on-site; location Building 125 intake

0830, 10/14	163.1	503(0,6); 23(48,0); 10(>630,0)	1262(0,4); 24(48,0);
0830, 10/15		1.24 0.97	0(>630,0)
0830, 10/15	163.1	544(0,6); 29(48,0); 34(>630,0)	1249(0,4); 34(48,0);
0830, 10/16		1.83 <del>5.4</del> 3.31	0(>630,0)
0830, 10/16	163.1	1349(0,6); 46(72,0); 30(>630,0)	3765(0,4); 12(72,0);
0830, 10/17		1.44 2.92	0(>630,0)
0830, 10/17	163.1	342(0,6); 37(48,0); 36(630,7)	873(0,4); 17(48,0);
0830, 10/18		3.61 3.51	0(630,14)
0830, 10/18	326.2	566(0,6); 276(48,0); 126(582,9)	757(0,4); 24(48,0);
0830, 10/20		13.45 6.14	0(582,11)
0830, 10/20	163.1	583(0,6); 288(48,0); 149(558,4)	1137(0,4); 30(48,0);
0830, 10/21		22.23 14.52	0(558,6)
0830, 10/21	169.8	1174(0,6); 275(48,0); 168(534,0)	3465(0,4); 63(48,0);
0930, 10/22		27 15.73	0(534,2)
0930, 10/22	156.3	377(0,26); 55(98,0)	665(0,24); 6(98,0)
0830, 10/23		9.11 6.3	
0830, 10/23	163.1	956(0,6); 59(72,0)	3255(0,4); 2(72,0)
0830, 10/24		5.75	0(509,56)
0830, 10/24	163.1	886(0,6); 154(48,0); 80(461,52)	2665(0,4); 35(48,0);
0830, 10/25		15.01 7.50	6(461,53)
0830, 10/25	326.2	1312(0,6); 273(48,0); 170(413,46)	3548(0,4); 65(48,0);
0830, 10/27		13.31 8.29	0(413,47)
0830, 10/27	163.1	935(0,6); 96(48,0); 40(389,41)	2658(0,4); 42(48,0);
0830, 10/28		9.36 3.90	0(389,42)
0830, 10/28	163.1	1553(0,6); 286(48,0); 80(365,37)	5096(0,4); 75(48,0);
0830, 10/29		27.88 7.50	0(365,35)
0830, 10/29	163.1	1494(0,6); 235(104,0); 154(341,28)	4147(0,4); 0(104,0)
0830, 10/30		22.91 15.01	