# IAEA Department of Safeguards Strategic Planning and the Long-Term R&D Plan

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#### **Needed Long-Term Capabilities**

As described in the Department of Safeguards Long-Term R&D Plan (2012-2023)

- Deployed systems capabilities
- Analytical capabilities
- Operational capabilities
- Readiness capabilities

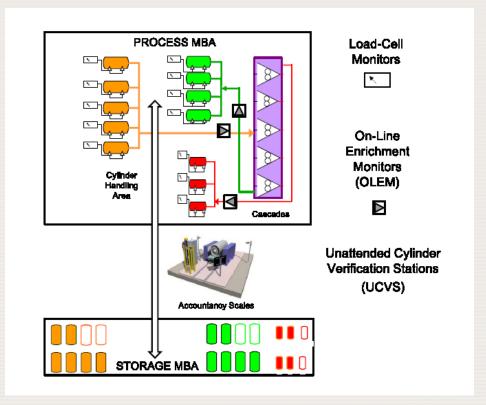


#### **Deployed Systems Capabilities**

- Ability to deploy equipment at facilities to meet safeguards requirements
- Ability to acquire and deploy safeguards equipment that is sustainable, standardized and modular, with increased use of commercial off-the-shelf products
- Ability to increase effectiveness and efficiency by the use of remote monitoring of operators' and unattended IAEA equipment



#### **Developing System Concepts**



Concepts are under development to integrate existing and potential future technologies for application at gas centrifuge enrichment plants



### **Enhancing Tools for Inspectors**





Reader

Reference image

iCobra fibre-optic seal





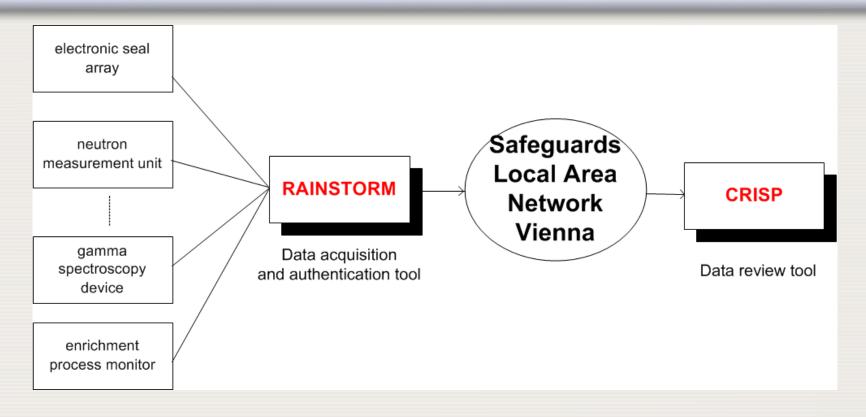
Raman Device

'nanoRAIDER' Spectroscopy Radionuclide Identifier

**Inspector Toolkit** 



## Standardizing IAEA Equipment and Systems



The IAEA is standardizing the acquisition, authentication and review of data from different instruments



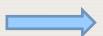
#### **Analytical Capabilities**

- Ability to use safeguards information in a fully integrated secure environment, maintained and available to those who need it
- Ability to communicate and secure, authentic information between the IAEA, States and inspectors or equipment in the field
- Ability to provide analytical services through the Network of Analytical Laboratories (including the IAEA Safeguards Analytical Laboratories) to support verification requirements
- Increased ability to detect undeclared nuclear
   MIAEA material and activities

### Modernizing the IAEA's Information Systems



**Outdated Mainframe** 



Data and software
applications are being
migrated from a
mainframe computer to a
modern platform



Modern Secure Platform



Safeguards-specific software applications, such as the Agency's Geospatial Exploitation System, are being developed



### **Strengthening Information Analysis**

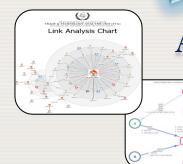




#### Review

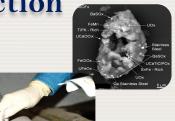
#### Planning

Adequate data, processes, tools, techniques and competencies are needed for information analysis





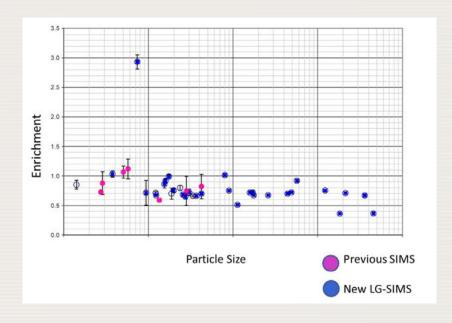






#### **Enhancing Capabilities for Sample Analysis**





Large geometry secondary-ion mass spectrometer (LG-SIMS)

The new LG-SIMS provides increased volume and quality of data over the previous instruments.



#### **Operational Capabilities**

- Ability to deploy the required expertise and skills to continue to fulfil the IAEA's mandate(s)
- Ability to fully implement the State-level concept for the planning, conduct and evaluation of safeguards



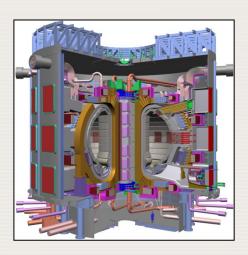
### **Readiness Capabilities**

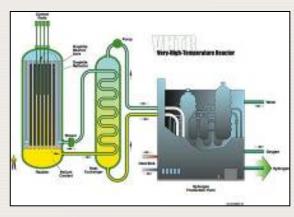
- Ability to safeguard new types of facilities
- Ability to take on technical challenges and opportunities and emerging tasks
- Ability to deal with possible new mandates
- Ability to provide credible assurances with respect to nuclear material used in non-proscribed military activities



#### Safeguarding New Nuclear Facilities







- Generation III and other advanced reactor types,
- Innovative fuel cycles facilities (Generation IV)
- New enrichment processes
- Other new facility types or activities





## **Thank You**



