



*The Nuclear Testing Archive is located on Flamingo Road in Las Vegas.*

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## Long-term Data Preservation

Records and information about the U.S Department of Energy's (DOE) nuclear testing program can be found at the Nuclear Testing Archive (NTA). The NTA collects and consolidates historical documents, records, and data for long-term preservation. The facility houses more than 400,000 documents in a 9,000-square-foot space equipped with special features for preserving the documents and records.

The NTA collection is available to the public via OpenNet and/or by email. OpenNet is the DOE's bibliographic database containing declassified and publicly available documents. It is a searchable database that enables the requestor to identify documents of interest, determine their location within the DOE complex and either download a digital copy or obtain the accession number in order to request it by email.



## A Vast Collection

The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), enacted in 1966, allows individuals or organizations access to government records. The DOE's National Nuclear Security Administration/Nevada Field Office established the Coordination and Information Center – now referred to as the Nuclear Testing Archive – on July 17, 1981, to collect and make available all historical documents, records and data



*The public has access to more than 400,000 historical documents, records, and data in relation to nuclear testing documents at the Nuclear Testing Archive.*



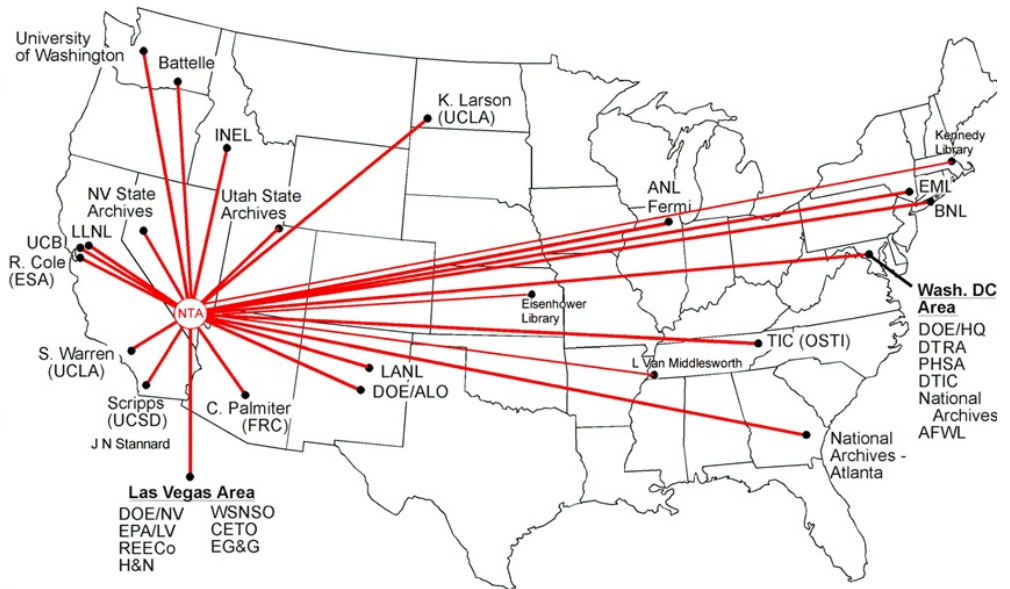
dealing with radioactive fallout from all Cold War-era testing of nuclear devices.

The NTA's vast collections include:

- Documentation on the detection and measurement of radioactive fallout and related factors resulting from nuclear testing activities at the Nevada National Security Site, formerly the Nevada Test Site, TRINITY test, Pacific Proving Grounds and other U.S. continental test locations

- Information on the health effects of radiation
- Various scientific and technical studies and reports
- Bibliographic information through OpenNet

For more information, please contact the NTA at [nta@nv.doe.gov](mailto:nta@nv.doe.gov).



*The major locations of document contributions to the NTA.*



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