

## Task Hazard Analysis (THA) Worksheet

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[Work Planning, Control, and Authorization Procedure](#))

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<b>Complete all information. Use as many sheets as necessary</b>			
<b>Task Title:</b> Operation of PRad Gas Target	<b>Task Location:</b> Hall B		
<b>Division:</b> Physics	<b>Department:</b> Target Group	<b>Frequency of use:</b> Daily	
<b>Lead Worker:</b> Chris Keith			
<b>Mitigation already in place:</b> <a href="#">Standard Protecting Measures</a> <a href="#">Work Control Documents</a>			

Sequence of Task Steps	Task Steps/Potential Hazards	Consequence Level	Probability Level	Risk Code (before mitigation)	Proposed Mitigation (Required for Risk Code >2)	Safety Procedures/ Practices/Controls/Training	Risk Code (after mitigation)
1	Evacuate target chamber with small pump. Turn on large pumps. No hazards.	M	EL	1		Follow chamber evacuation procedure, (see attachment, <i>Operation of the PRad Target</i> ).	1
2	Pump and purge gas lines and gas panel. Flammable gas (hydrogen).	H	L	3	Utilize Hall B flammable gas lines. All new pressure systems are ASME31.3(2012) compliant. All pumps exhaust through Hall B vent header, purged with inert gas. Minimization of ignition sources. Flow limiter on H2 cylinder. Proper posting of "Flammable Gas Area".	Follow pump & purge procedure (see attachment, <i>Operation of the PRad Target</i> ).	1
3	Turn on Pulse Tube Refrigerator, cool to ~25K.	M	EL	1		Follow cooling procedure, (see attachment, <i>Operation of the PRad Target</i> ).	1

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4	Change hydrogen cylinder, as necessary.	H	L	3	Nonsparking tools.	Follow procedure for changing H2 cylinder (see attachment, <i>Operation of the PRad Target</i> ).	1
5	Turn target off.	M	L	2		Follow shut down procedure, (see attachment, <i>Operation of the PRad Target</i> ).	2

Highest Risk Code before Mitigation:

3

Highest Risk Code after Mitigation:

1

When completed, if the analysis indicates that the Risk Code before mitigation for any steps is “medium” or higher (RC≥3), then a formal [Work Control Document](#) (WCD) is developed for the task. Attach this completed Task Hazard Analysis Worksheet. Have the package reviewed and approved prior to beginning work. (See [ES&H Manual Chapter 3310 Operational Safety Procedure Program](#).)

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