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## CALIFORNIA GAS TRANSMISSION GAS SYSTEM MAINTENANCE & TECHNICAL SUPPORT SYSTEM INTEGRITY SECTION Risk Management



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## 1.0 PURPOSE

The purpose of this procedure is to provide a process for maintaining California Gas Transmission's (CGT) Risk Management Program (RMP) and complying with the requirements for risk calculations as part of CGT's Integrity Management Program (RMP-08).



## 2.0 SCOPE

This procedure is applicable to all of CGT's gas transmission pipeline facilities, including on-pipe and regulating station facilities. At this time, the procedure is not applicable to the following:

- Compressor Station Facilities (other than piping);
- Storage Facilities (other than piping);
- Gas Gathering Facilities.



The Integrity Management Group is responsible for managing risk within the scope of this procedure. The Integrity Management Group shall establish and manage the risk of each pipeline facility by utilizing industry and regulatory accepted methodologies appropriate to PG&E's CGT facilities and shall be in compliance with this procedure. The Integrity Management Program Manager shall be responsible for compliance with this procedure.



Risk information shall be communicated to management and other appropriate CGT personnel for project planning, risk mitigation, inspection planning, and regulatory reporting. For RMP-08, risk for each pipeline segment shall be calculated annually.

This procedure applies to both covered and non-covered pipe segments as defined in RMP-08. In addition to the requirements specified in this procedure, RMP activities associated with covered pipeline segments must also comply with the requirements of RMP-08.

## 3.0 INTRODUCTION

The risk management process is a process of quantifying risk, developing risk mitigation plans to bring and maintain risk within an acceptable risk profile, and monitoring risk to accommodate changes in the factors that affect risk. PG&E applies this process to all pipelines system-wide and annually considers assessments or mitigation needed to ensure the on-going integrity of all pipelines.

The Integrity Management Program (IMP) is a program established by PG&E to address the integrity management rules in 49 CFR Part 192 Subpart O. Procedure RMP-08 provides an overall description and process for CGT's Integrity Management Program. Since RMP-01 supports the calculation of risk associated with pipelines covered by the IMP, it is referenced by RMP-08.



EMP-01 is referenced to calculate the overall risk: the combination of the likelihood of failure due to five of the basic pipeline threats (external corrosion, third-party, ground movement, and design/materials) and the consequence of failure. Other threats, such as Internal Corrosion (IC) and Stress Corrosion Cracking (SCC), may be added to the procedure in the future if they become more relevant to our pipeline system. IC and SCC likelihoods have not been included at this time because they are only applicable to 12.06 and 4.33 miles of HQA pipe, respectively. Rather than dilute the risk calculation for the remaining 98% of the pipeline system, pipelines with these threats were prioritized as "high risk" and the likelihood factors were not included in the overall risk calculation. See § 3.0 for additional details.



An inventory of all the pipeline design attributes, operating conditions, environment (e.g., structures, faults, etc.), threats to the structural integrity, leak experience, and inspection findings must be developed and maintained. Risk must be calculated based on an immense inventory of assembled attributes. The risk values need to be reviewed and criteria for acceptance established. Risk mitigation plans developed, budgeted and completed, and conditions monitored to update criteria, risk values, and mitigation plans, as necessary, to accommodate new information. (New information could include new damage prediction models, changes to population in proximity to a pipeline, changes to system operating characteristics which could affect safety margin, damage accumulation, the number of customers fed at service, or gas load; new seismic or environmental hazard identification, inspection findings as they relate to the physical condition of the pipe or the systems needed to protect the pipeline or component from damage or degradation, or changes in the potential for third-party damage.)

Because updates to the pipeline and consequences of a failure change over time, the process of monitoring and updating risk mitigation plans is an ongoing process. The risk management process is a methodology utilizing pipeline characteristics (physical and environmental), qualitative risk assessment, quantitative risk analysis, and decision-risk analysis methods to determine a cost-effective risk management of OBT's pipeline facilities. The process follows these basic steps:



- Accumulate facility design attributes, existing condition, potential threats, and failure consequences,
- Determine Likelihood of Failure (LOF) for each pipeline segment,
- Determine Consequences of Failure (COF) for each pipeline segment,
- Calculate risk for each pipeline segment based on the Likelihood of Failure and the Consequence of Failure,
- Develop a system-wide risk mitigation strategy,
- Prioritize and prioritize rehabilitation projects or operations based on the damage mechanism, threat, and risk, and finally,
- Monitor and adjust the process, as necessary, to incorporate changes in technology, changes in information, or changes in code or regulatory requirements.

### 4.6 Roles and Responsibility

Specific responsibilities for ensuring compliance with this procedure are as follows:



Title	Reports to:	Responsibilities
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Title	Reports to:	Responsibilities
Manager, System Integrity	Director, Risk Systems Maintenance & Technical Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review and approve procedure</li> <li>• Conduct selection of Steering Committee Chairperson and members</li> </ul>
Integrity Management Program Manager	Manager, System Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supervise completion of work (schedule/quality)</li> <li>• Monitor compliance to procedure — plus corrective actions as needed.</li> <li>• Assign qualified individuals</li> <li>• Ensure Training of assigned individuals</li> <li>• Organize Steering Committee Chairperson and members, and ensure that meetings are held once each calendar year.</li> </ul>
Steering Committee Chairperson (Risk Management Engineer)	Integrity Management Program Manager (except for IP Steering Committee — chairperson reports to Manager System Integrity)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arrange meetings</li> <li>• Review procedure with committee per RMF5-01</li> <li>• Promotes steering committee</li> <li>• Ensure action items are completed</li> </ul>
Steering Committee Members (Subject Matter Experts)	Various	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attend meetings as requested by Steering Committee Chairperson.</li> <li>• Provide input and direction to procedure.</li> </ul>
Risk Management Engineers	Integrity Management Program Manager	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Perform calculations per procedure</li> </ul>

**5.6 Training and Qualifications**

See RMF-06 for qualification requirements. Specific training to ensure compliance with this procedure is as follows:



Position	Type of Trainings	How Often
Integrity Management Program Manager	Procedure review of RMP-01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upon initial assignment</li> <li>Once each calendar year.</li> </ul>
Steering Committee Chairperson	Procedure review of RMP-02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upon initial assignment</li> <li>Once each calendar year.</li> <li>As changes are made to the procedure.</li> </ul>
Steering Committee Members (Subject Matter Experts)	Steering Committee requirements of RMP-02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Once each calendar year at the time of the steering committee meeting.</li> </ul>
Risk Management Engineers	Procedure Review of RMP-01 and RMP-06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upon initial assignment</li> <li>Once each calendar year.</li> <li>As changes are made to the procedure.</li> </ul>



**6.0 RISK DETERMINATION**

6.1 **RISK** shall be defined as the product of the Likelihood of Failure (LOF) and the Consequences of Failure (COF)

$$[RISK = LOF \times COF] \tag{Equation 1}$$

In general, the source of information used to calculate risk shall be obtained from PC&E's Geographical Information System (GIS). Exceptions are noted within RMP procedures. There are also special cases where updated information is more available from other sources (such as from Pipings Engineers, In-Line-Inspection (ILI) reports, Corrosion Engineers, or District Personnel).

6.2 **RISK EVALUATION METHODOLOGY**: A relative risk calculation methodology shall be used to establish risk. Risk will be calculated per this procedure for all pipeline segments within the scope of this procedure. A pipeline segment shall be defined as the length of contiguous pipes with the same piping specification, pipe location, and Integrity Management (IM) designation. (Pipe segments are as shown in GIS.) The method used to calculate risk shall be based on a risk index model and qualitative scoring approach. The scoring shall be based on expert judgment from appropriately staffed Steering Committees. For each major component of the integrity management program, a Steering Committee shall be established to provide technical review and input to the program. There are currently five committees covering External Corrosion, Third-Party damage, Ground Movement, Design/Materials, and Crossings. Requirements for the Steering Committees are as follows:

6.2.1 The Steering Committees shall be comprised of a minimum of five individuals with expertise in the particular subject matter. It is the responsibility of the Integrity Management Program Manager, with the



consensus of the Manager of System Integrity, to select a range of individuals with knowledge and experience on the subject matter for which they are contributing. A list of the current membership shall be documented and included in RAMP file 7.1.

- 6.2.2 For each steering committee, the Integrity Management Program Manager, with the consensus of the Manager of System Integrity, shall assign a Committee Chairperson. The Chairperson is responsible for scheduling meetings, conducting the meeting in accordance with the requirements of this procedure, preparing meeting minutes, preparing necessary supporting material (risk ranked pipeline and applicable BLS themes) prior to the meeting, and making necessary changes to procedures following the meeting.
- 6.2.3 The committees shall meet at least once each calendar year to review and approve the methodology used to calculate risk and determine if changes are advisable.
- 6.2.4 At each meeting or at least once calendar year, the committee shall review the overall process of risk calculations provided by this procedure, the detailed requirements for conducting the meeting as contained in the section of RAMP-01 (because the Consequence Steering Committee is responsible for this procedure, the committee will perform a detailed review), and a detailed review of the requirements of this procedure for which they are providing direction.
- 6.2.5 At each meeting or at least once calendar year, the committee shall review, at a minimum, the ten most highly ranked segments for the threat of consequences for which the committee provides guidance. For the committee that addresses one of the threats, the review shall at a minimum consider the following:

- The ten pipeline segments with the highest LOPs for the threat,
- The ten pipeline segments with the highest LOP X COF of the threat,
- Ten additional pipeline segments with risk values spread through the range of values
- Performance metrics (such as the number of leaks and applicable characteristics) relevant to procedure. (See RAMP-02, Section 10)

For the Consequence Steering Committee, the review shall at a minimum consider:

- The ten pipeline segments with the highest COF,
- The ten pipeline segments with the highest LMA COF,
- The ten pipeline segments with the highest Total Risk,
- Ten additional pipeline segments with risk values spread through the range of values
- Performance metrics (such as incidences and applicable characteristics) relevant to the consequences of a failure.

In reviewing each of these segments, the committee shall determine if, in the opinion of the committee, the ranking is appropriate or change to the risk calculation algorithm is required. Consideration shall be made to the relative ranking of the various components used to calculate risk and the need for inclusion of other pertinent information that may not have



been included. The review should also consist of integrating all of the relevant (based on the procedure being evaluated) layers and barriers in SIS and reviewing the integrity data (not just aggregating the information in a spreadsheet) to determine the validity of the risk algorithms.

Each steering committee will identify the significant attributes that influence the threat's LOP or COP, as appropriate. For each attribute, a percentage weighting will be established or reviewed to identify the factors' relative significance in determining the threat's LOP or COP. Points will be established based on criteria that the committee feels is significant to determining the threat's LOP or COP and the relative severity of failure (peak-failure-break vs. rupture). (Negative points may be assigned where current assessments have been made to confirm pipeline integrity and/or mitigation efforts have eliminated or lowered susceptibility to a threat although the total points for a threat will not be less than zero.) Generally, the summation of the percentage weightings for all of the factors within each threat should be 100%. (There may be exceptions to permit the consideration of very unusual conditions.)

- 6.1 1. PROBABILITY OF FAILURE (POF) is the relative measure of the probability that a pipe will fail. Failure, within the context of this procedure, is the breach of the structural integrity of the pipe. The following threat categories shall be used for calculating risk: External Corrosion (EC), Third Party (TP), Ground Movement (GM) and Design Materials (DM). (As new credible threats are identified as relevant to the determination the LOP, they will be submitted to the Consequence Steering Committee for inclusion into the risk calculations.) Each threat category shall be weighted in proportion to P&ID and industry failure experience. EC is currently weighted 25%, TP shall be weighted 45%, GM shall be weighted 20%, and DM shall be weighted 10%.

$$LOF = 0.25EC + 0.45TP + 0.20GM + 0.10DM \quad (\text{Equation 2})$$

Committees used to review procedures applicable to these threats are as follows:

- 6.3.1 The algorithm for the threat of External Corrosion (EC) shall be calculated per the direction of the EIL Steering Committee as provided in Procedure R&P-02.
- 6.3.2 The algorithm for the threat of Third Party (TP) shall be calculated per the direction of the TP Steering Committee given in Procedure R&P-03.
- 6.3.3 The algorithm for the threat of Ground Movement (GM) shall be calculated per the direction of the GM Steering Committee given in Procedure R&P-04.
- 6.3.4 The algorithm for the threat of Design Materials (DM) shall be calculated per the direction of the DM Steering Committee given in Procedure R&P-05.



- 3.4 Consequence of a Failure (COF) shall be defined as the sum of the following Consequence Categories: Impact on Population (IOP), Impact on the Environment (IOE), and Impact on Reliability (IOR). Each of the consequence categories shall be weighted in proportion to the perceived impact of a failure. IOP shall be weighted 55%, IOE shall be weighted 15%, and IOR shall be weighted 30%.

$$COF = (0.55(IOP) + 0.15(IOE) + 0.30(IOR))FSF \quad \text{Equation 3}$$

Where, IOP = Impact on Population (Section 3.4.1 of this procedure)

IOE = Impact on Environment (Section 3.4.2 of this procedure)

IOR = Impact on Reliability (Section 3.4.3 of this procedure)

FSF = Failure Significance Factor, which represents the relative likelihood of leak rather than rupture and the existence of Well-to-Wall conditions which would make the consequences of a leak more severe. The FSF will be taken as 0.5 for pipelines where the MOP is at <20% SMYS and Well-to-Wall paving conditions are verified NOT to exist and 1.0 for pipelines where the MOP is at  $\geq$  30% SMYS or where Well-to-Wall paving conditions exist or have not been verified to NOT exist. In addition, the FSF shall not be taken as less than 1.0 where the following conditions exist:

- Where the pipeline segment is within 300' of a School, Hospital, or Prison Building unless the outside pipe diameter is less than or equal to 4.5"
- Where the pipeline segment is within 300' of a substation.
- Where the pipeline was installed prior to 1947 and is in an area of ground acceleration greater than 0.2g.
- Where the pipeline segment was installed prior to 1947 and is in an area of ground acceleration greater than or equal to 0.2g AND is in an area of unstable soil. (Unstable soil, for the purpose of this definition, is categorized as that identified as having high/moderate potential for liquefaction or high/low potential for instability.)
- Where the pipeline segment has a depth of cover of less than or equal to one foot.
- Where the pipeline segment has a MOP of greater than 20% SMYS, has a outside diameter of greater than or equal to 4.5", and is Class 3.

The weightings on each of the consequence categories will be reviewed and approved by the Consequence Steering Committee. Points will be scored in the consequences as follows:

- 3.4.1 Impact on Population (IOP) shall be calculated per the direction of the Consequence Steering Committee. The committee has determined that the factors in A through D of this section are significant for determining the

Population Impact of a gas pipeline failure. The IOP contribution to COF shall be the summation of assigned points times the assigned weighting for the following factors:

A) Population Density in Proximity to Pipeline (30% Weighting). Points will be awarded as follows:

Criteria	Points	Weight
Class 1	10	3.0
Class 2	40	12
Class 3	70	21.0
Class 4	100	30

B) Pipeline proximity to a potential area of population concentration (30% Weighting). Points are additive and will be awarded as follows:

Criteria	Points	Weight
Identified Sites that require a Integrity Management Plans. Examples include Hospitals, Schools, Churches, Retail and Entertainment, Parks, Health Care and Offices, and Public Assembly Areas such as stadiums, churches, bars, outdoor festival grounds within the Potential Impact Radius	100	30
Railroads, Light and Light Rail tracks	30	9.0
Highways	30	9
Commercial Airports	30	9.0
All Other Sites	0	0

- 1. **Identified Sites that require a Integrity Management Plans:**
  - a. Includes hospitals, schools, (K-12), colleges and universities, day care facilities, or Pipeline user sites.
  - b. Identified Sites consist of facilities having persons who are confined, are of impaired mobility or need to evacuate or other identified public assembly areas where 20 or more persons congregate at least 10 days in any 12-month period. A detailed definition is provided in 49CFR 192.
- 2. **Highways are Class 1, 2, and 3 roads in 49CFR**
- 3. **Roads that are recorded into that category:** (For example, a pipe segment with two adjacent highways would be awarded 60 points.)
- 4. **Airports include scheduled tower and controlled or military traffic consisting of 1/3 or more of the total airport traffic.**



C) Potential Impact Radius (PIR) (20% Weighting). Points will be awarded as follows:

$$\text{Points} = 1 + \frac{20 \log_{10}(\text{PIR}^2 \times \text{MOP}^2)}{\text{PIR}^2 \times \text{MOP}^2}, \text{ not to exceed } 20$$

6.4.2 Impact on Environment (IOE) shall be calculated per the direction of the Consequence Steering Committee. The committee has determined that the factors in A and B of this section are significant for determining the environmental impact of a gas pipeline failure. The IOE contribution to COF shall be the summation of the assigned points times the assigned weighting for the following factors:



- A) Presence of a Water Crossing (20% Weighting). Points will be awarded as follows:

Criteria	Points	Weight
Presence of Water Crossing	100	20
No Water Crossing	0	0

- B) Passing through or adjacent to an Environmentally Sensitive Area (50% Weighting). Points will be awarded as follows:

Criteria	Points	Weight
State or National Park	70	35
Wildlife Preserve	70	35
Navigable Waterway	90	45
Other Protected Area	70	35
No Environmentally Sensitive Area	0	0

\* Within 100 Yards or PDE, (where PDE = 0.000102x (km) in feet) or higher elevation, whichever is greater and unless otherwise noted.



- 6.6.3 Impact on Reliability (RIR) shall be calculated per the direction of the Consequence Steering Committee. The committee has determined that the factors in A through D of this section are significant for determining the reliability impact of a gas pipeline failure. The RIR contribution to OCF shall be the summation of the assigned points times the assigned weighting for the following factors:

- A) Reliability Impact on Customers served by OCF in the event of a gas failure (30% Weighting). Points will be awarded for gas load<sup>2</sup> as follows:

$$\text{Points} = 10 + (\text{Gas Load}^2 / 500) \text{ not to exceed } 100$$

Unknown Gas Load = 20.

<sup>2</sup> Gas Load (MCF/Day) is the higher of a Average Summer Day (ASD) or a Average Winter Day (AWD) as provided by Transmission System Planning. It does not include an Absolute Peak Day (APD).

- B) Number of Customers<sup>3</sup> to experience a gas service outage (50% Weighting). Points will be awarded as follows:

$$\text{Points} = 10 + (\text{Customer Outages}^3 / 100) \text{ not to exceed } 100.$$

Unknown Gas Load = 20.

<sup>3</sup> The number of customer outages is provided by Transmission System Planning.

(c) Priority of Critical Facilities (10% Weighting): Points will be awarded as follows:

Criteria	Points	Contra.
Liquid Fuel Pipelines	100	10
Other Gas Pipelines	50	5
Electric Transmission Lines	50	5
No Critical Facilities	0	0

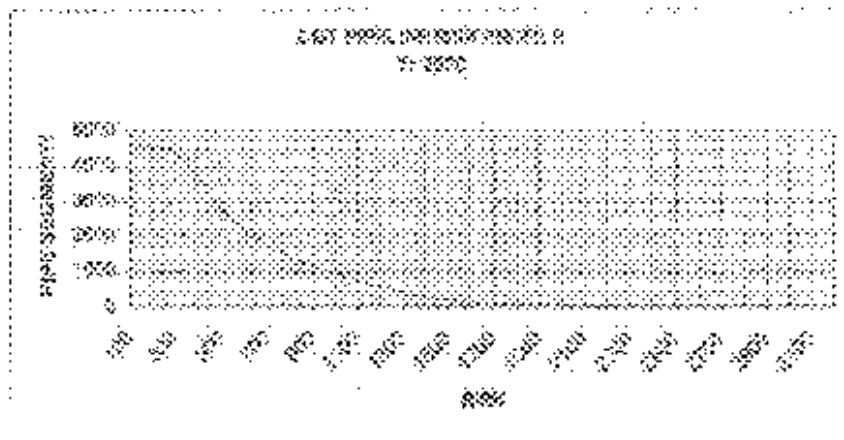
- Within 30 Meters of Gas Pipeline
- Within 10 Meters of Gas Pipeline.
- The distances in formulas 1 and 2 shown above may be adjusted as appropriate to reflect conditions verified in the field such as precise location and cover.
- If there are multiple critical facilities, only the facility with the highest points will be counted.



## 7.0 RISK MITIGATION

### 7.1 RISK REVIEW AND ESTABLISHMENT OF TARGET RISK THRESHOLDS

After calculating risk for all pipeline segments, a review of the risk profile is performed with a focus on high-risk pipeline facilities. A target risk threshold is established based on the risk profile and the comparative level of risk necessary to ensure confidence in the structural integrity of CGT's pipeline system. (Below is a risk profile for 2000).



Once the threshold is established, high-risk segments are reviewed for factors that are significant risk drivers. From these, pipelines are selected for investigation, and mitigation efforts are then proposed to address the significant risk drivers. Because any pipeline failure, regardless of the consequences, is highly undesirable, it may also be prudent to select a certain number of pipelines for investigation based on a high LCF. Consideration as to the number and selection of pipelines to investigate would include the relative LCF, threat level, past risk mitigation efforts, and confidence in LCF values.

Depending on the risk driver, mitigation efforts could include one or more of the following (Note that the risk mitigation efforts discussed in this section apply to pipeline segments not covered by RMP-08. Mitigation activities for covered pipeline segments shall be performed in accordance with RMP Procedure P-6):

- Inspections or tests to verify assumptions made in the risk calculation and integrity of the pipeline.
- Reduced operating pressure.
- Flare-out
- Modification, alteration, or replacement of pipe or protective features.
- Additional Public Education as part of the PSIP Program discussed in Section 7.5 of this procedure or by additional line markers.
- Verification or modification of the consequences of a failure.

The following table provides an example of considerations that may enter into a decision process in developing a risk mitigation strategy:

In-Line Inspection (ILI)	High threat, operating at or over 60% BSW, installed prior to 1971 and not in pipeline
Corrosion Strategy	Pipelines that have a high consequence, high or medium likelihood of LTP, LEC and are not economical to pig.
Leak Survey	Pipelines that are operating below 60% BSW and are not high LEC or LTP
Pressure Test	Pipelines operating near above 60% BSW, with high likelihood of failure due to design/material issues, and have not been hydro tested.
Pipe Replacement	Pipelines with high likelihood of failure that were installed prior to 1970 and cannot be economically inspected using other methods.
Line Marking	High LTP, low-medium likelihood for other threats.
Landowner Notification	High LTP, low-medium likelihood for other threats.

Risk values are reported out in a range of different venues. They are reported to the Manager of System Integrity in an annual report, may be provided in the mitigation process to evaluate the risk benefit of deferring competing projects, and summary reports are provided to regulatory agencies for their review, and, for covered pipeline segments, HSE and IMA Risk (discussed in section 8.2 of this procedure) are reported in the Integrity Management Plan for each pipeline segment.

## 7.2 INSPECTION/TESTING

An effective risk management is inspection and testing. Due to the serious consequences of a pipeline failure, considerable assumptions are necessarily made as to the state of a pipeline when conditions are not known. It is very common to perform an inspection and test and verify that the condition

of a pipeline is much better than assumed. The type of inspection or test specified is dependent on the threat and the damage to be prevented.

**7.3 PROJECT PLANNING**

RMP involvement in the Budget Planning Process also provides opportunities to reduce risk. Therefore, for each proposed project in the lowest budget that is considered, a risk reduction calculation is performed so that an evaluation can be made as to the risk reduction benefits of the project. Often times, a project benefiting the operating capacity, or operating efficiency will also reduce risk and based on a combined benefit will be the most cost effective project.

**7.4 RISK MITIGATION**

The RMP Project will propose such projects, as are necessary to establish and maintain an acceptable risk profile. In addition, the RMP will also support and propose other projects that will reduce risk where there are opportunities to justify projects based on reducing risk and reducing maintenance or operation costs. As projects are submitted for budgeting, they should be prioritized. Following is one prioritization strategy that could be used:

Priority	Risk Class
1	High Consequence Area (HCA) Multiple Significant Risk Drivers High Total Risk (> 1000) ≥ 50% SMYS
2	Remaining 1 driver % SMYS < 30% or Single Risk Driver > 30% SMYS in HCA
3	High Threat Risk or Total Risk > 1000; Single Risk Driver > 40% SMYS or < 30% SMYS w/HCA
4	High Likelihood Threat or Total Risk Multiple Consequences (Not HCA) < 35 % SMYS

Projects proposed to reduce risk shall be monitored to ensure that a reduction in risk has been obtained and that the results have been captured in the risk values.

**7.5 PUBLIC SAFETY INFORMATION PROGRAM (PSIP)**

The RMP will work in partnership with the Corporate PSIP Program to the extent necessary to ensure compliance with 49 CFR, 192.613 (Public Education) and 49CFR 192.615 (Emergency Plans).

49 CFR, 192.613 states "Each operator shall establish a continuing educational program to advise customers, the public, appropriate government organizations, and persons engaged in excavation related activities to recognize a gas pipeline emergency for the purpose of reporting it to the operator or the appropriate public officials."

49 CFR 192.515 requires establishing and maintaining adequate means of communication with appropriate fire, police, and other public officials and training of appropriate responding personnel to ensure that they are knowledgeable of the emergency procedures and verify that the training is effective. Each operator shall establish and maintain liaison with appropriate fire, police, and other public officials to: (1) define the responsibility and resources of each government organization that may respond to a gas pipeline emergency; (2) Acquaint fire officials with the operator's ability in responding to a gas pipeline emergency; (3) identify the types of gas pipeline emergencies of which the operator notifies the officials; and (4) Plan how the operator and officials can engage in mutual assistance to minimize hazards to life or property."

## 8.0 RISK MAINTENANCE

### 8.1 FACILITY UPDATE

In general, the source of information used to calculate risk shall be obtained from PCE's Geographical Information System (GIS). Exceptions are noted within the applicable procedures. There are also special cases where updated information is made available from other sources such as from pipeline engineers, line inspection (ILI) reports, or Commission Engineers.

Changes in facility properties shall be incorporated into the Risk Calculations at least annually. Examples of facility properties include location, material properties, coating, operating status, cover, pipe specification, and structures near the facility.

### 8.2 HAZARD UPDATE

RMP will monitor industry experience, as well as PCE's experience to identify trends in threat prediction, mitigation effectiveness, and advances in inspection and risk management technology and adapt the program to new information as necessary to keep the program current and robust.

Data bases necessary for making accurate risk calculations will be maintained and updated as necessary to ensure hazard information is current. Information necessary to accurately determine and track risk will also be updated as follows:

Threat	Update Interval
Third Party Disputes	As identified, Annually - into Risk Calculations
Legal Reports (SL, OIR)	As identified, Annually - into Risk Calculations
Seismic (Fault Crossings)	5 years (or increase risk 50%)
Seismic (Vertical or Horizontal Ground Acceleration)	5 years (or increase risk 50%)
Rock Stability	5 years (or increase risk 50%)
Landfills	5 years (or increase risk 50%)
Water Infiltration	10 years

3.3 CONSEQUENCE UPDATES

RRMP will monitor industry experience, as well as PCBSE experience to identify trends in consequence prediction and mitigation effectiveness and adjust the program to new information to keep the program current and robust.

Data bases necessary for making concrete risk evaluations and support Integrity Management activities as required by RRM-01 will be maintained and updated as necessary to ensure consequence information is current. The following Geographic Information will also be updated as follows:

Consequence	Update Interval
Nearest Installation	10 Years
Highways	5 Years
Other Potential Pipelines	5 Years
Airports	10 Years
Water Crossing (Navigable Waterways)	10 Years
Land Base <sup>1</sup>	5 Years
Identified Sites (as defined by RRM-01)	Annual
Parcel Data (as required by RRM-01)	Annual
Identified Sites provided by Public Safety Officials (as required by RRM-01)	Bi-Annual

<sup>1</sup> Land Base information includes freeways, Highways, Railroads, Water Crossings (Other than Navigable Waterways), parks, etc.

3.4 ALGORITHM REVIEW

At least once each calendar year, the Integrity Management Group will review the threat and consequence algorithms with the appropriate steering committees and make changes as necessary to reflect regulatory requirements and best industry practices.





8.6 REVISION TO RISK CALCULATIONS

Risk calculations shall be reviewed annually and recalculated as necessary to reflect changes in facility, threat, or consequence data, similar changes in the threat or consequence algorithms.

9.0 RISK FOR INTEGRITY MANAGEMENT

The procedure applies to both covered and non-covered pipe segments as defined in RMP-03. In addition to the requirements specified in this procedure, RMP activities associated with covered pipeline segments must also comply with the requirements of RMP-03.

In addition to the risk values calculated per the preceding sections of this procedure, HCA risk, as defined below, will also be calculated for all covered pipeline segments.

$$HCA\ Risk = LOF * (PIR/1000) \tag{Equation 4}$$

Where, LOF = Likelihood of Failure based on Equation 2 of this procedure.  
PIR = Potential Impact Radius as defined by RMP-03

Relative Risk Ranking is required by RMP-03 for all covered pipeline segments for the purpose of prioritizing assessments. Because the primary focus of RMP-03 and the Integrity Management Rule (covered in 49 CFR Part 192 Subpart C) is to provide personnel protection, it is necessary to remove Impacts On Reliability (IOR) and Impacts on Environment (KIE) used to calculate the Consequence of Failure given in Equation 3 of this procedure. Also, because all covered pipelines are, by definition, in High Consequence Areas, it is not necessary to consider anything more than the relative size of a failure. Therefore factoring in the size of the potential impact radius is sufficient to rank the relative Consequence of Failure for covered pipeline segments.

$$HCA\ LOF = 1 - (PIR/1000) \tag{Equation 5}$$



PS&E's HCA risk calculation does not address two of the threats existing in a few of its covered pipelines: Internal Corrosion (IC) and Stress Corrosion Cracking (SCC). The Methods of failure for these threats were not included because they are currently relevant in less than 2% of the HCA pipelines. Instead pipelines with these threats were categorized as "high risk" and scheduled for assessment prior to 12/31/2017. The only exceptions are:

- 25.8 miles of Stanpac 3 with IC threat that will be API inspected in 2007 and
- 64-42 in two OCFs that were installed between 1986 and 1994. One of the OCFs is operating under 21% S&V'S and will be DA'd in 2008. The second, operating at 41% S&V'S, will be smart-pigged in 2012.

Future assessments and incidents shall be reviewed to provide the input necessary to determine if these threats are more systemic and should be included in the system-wide risk calculation. The following assessments shall be performed on an on-going basis to validate the current threat assumptions:



**For SCC:**

- x All direct examinations performed as part of the integrity management program shall determine, using an appropriate inspection tool, if SCC damage is present; whether the pipe segment was identified as possessing the threat or not.

**For IC:**

- o All LI assessments identify that identify wall loss due to IC shall determine, using appropriate inspection tool, if IC damage is actually present.
- o All direct examinations performed as part of the integrity management program shall determine, using appropriate inspection tool, if IC damage is present.

If future pipeline assessments or incidents show these threats to be relevant, a separate threat/risk factor shall be developed to prioritize the pipeline segments and ensure the highest risk segments are addressed first.