

ANSTO Mo-99 Manufacturing Facility repairs now completed – 7 November

The repairs to the ANSTO Mo-99 Manufacturing facility are now complete ahead of schedule and the facility has successfully completed its first run.

The mechanical fault that occurred within the gate valve opening and closing mechanism located at the top of dissolution cell 1 is now repaired.

All stages of work in relation to the repair are now completed.

Stage	Action	Design	Approval	Completion
1	Removal radiation sources from cell			
2	Remove radiation shielding			
3	Investigate fault and replace valve			
4	Replace radiation shielding, commission and return to service	/	/	/

With the facility now up and running again ANSTO will turn its attention to investigate any potential future fails across ANM and this work is underway.

The back-up dissolution cell 2 is on target to be operational by mid-February.

If you have any questions, please contact ANSTO directly on 1800 251 572.

