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## Investigation of Surface Exploration Programs for Hydrological, Hydrogeological and Hydrogeochemical Issues in the Site Selection Procedure

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# Project "übErStand": Investigation of surface exploration programmes for hydrological, hydrogeological and hydrogeochemical issues in the site selection procedure

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Phase 1

Identification of potential site regions

#### Phase 2

**Surface exploration** 

### Phase 3

Subsurface exploration

transmissivity

flow velocity

diffusion

tortuosity

porosity

hydraulic gradient

consolidation (clay)

## Step 1

Derivation of relevant parameters for surface exploration methods from the StandAG

- Systematic presentation and explanation of the specific criteria and requirements related to hydrology, hydrogeology or hydrochemistry from the StandAG.
- Derivation of relevant parameters for determination by surface exploration methods.
- Comprehensive compilation of parameters related to hydrology, hydrogeology and hydrochemistry for surface exploration of the three host rocks.

#### Fluid motion and transport relevant rock properties

sorption  $\mathsf{E}_\mathsf{h}$ 

major and trace elements ionic strength

viscosity density

colloids

isotopic ratio conductivity/salinity

**Hydrochemistry** 

Geohydraulic methods

Surface geophysical exploration methods

Borehole geophysical exploration methods

Laboratory tests, field tests

## Step 2

Description of exploration methods used to determine identified parameters

- Elaboration of the relevant and suitable surface exploration methods according to the current state of the art in science and technology.
- Description of ranges, reproducibilities, detection limits, advantages and disadvantages and possible combinations with other methods.
- Consideration of the three different host rocks.
- Allocation of the "most suitable" exporation methods to all relevant parameters for surface exploration programs at siting regions (generic).

## Step 3

Classification and derivation of an orientation framework

- Requirements for complete documentation and quality assurance.
- Criteria for evaluating the quality and quantity of measured values and the results.
- Factors influencing the criteria for selecting suitable measurement methods for determining the measured quantities in accordance with the StandAG.
- Factors influencing the criteria for selection of suitable measurement densities and measurement intervals.

#### **Parameters** to measure

Measuring methods

Measuring density

Sequence, necessity, ...

Host rock dependence,

Gradual adaptation to site conditions and available data

Measuring intervals

Quality vs. quantity, ...

**Orientation framework:** 

Evaluation of proposals for the surface exploration of site regions

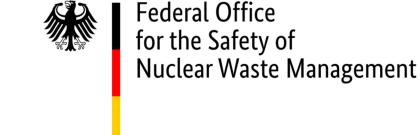
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