

# The Pangea proposal for international or regional disposal facilities

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## **Abstract**

In this paper, the arguments for international or regional radioactive waste disposal projects are first presented in a generic manner. Properly planned, constructed and operated repositories can bring benefits in safety, security, environmental protection and economics to both the host country and the customers. Thereafter, the particular attributes of the Pangea concept are pointed out. The solid technical basis underlying the choice of candidate host countries is summarised and then the project scope and current status are reviewed.