

Previous Names Of The Royal Gunpowder Mills, Waltham Abbey

1787-1945 RGPF	Royal Powder Mills Royal Gunpowder Factory
1945-1946 ARD	Experimental Station of Armament Research Department
1946-1947 CRDD	Chemical Research and Development Department
1947-1948 CRDE	Chemical Research and Development Establishment
1948-1977 ERDE	Explosives Research and Development Establishment
1977-1984 PERME	Propellants, Explosives and Rocket Motors Establishment
1984-1991 RARDE	Royal Armament Research and Development Establishment

WASC Abbreviations

Establishments

AERF	Advanced Explosives Research Facility
ARE	Armament Research Establishment
CRDD	Chemical Research & Development Department
ERDE	Explosives Research & Development Establishment
MQDD	Materials Quality Assurance Directorate
PERME	Propellants, Explosives and Rocket Motor Establishment
RARDE	Royal Armament Research & Development Establishment
RFEM	Remote Facility for Explosives Manufacture
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