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Subject: U.S. Building new nukes

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Uh, no, that discussion was about launching nuclear warheads into space to test them, not disposing of nuclear waste in space. No one mentioned launching nuclear waste until your post.

Also, nuclear waste is currently transported in containers that can survive direct hits from high speed trains, ramming into a wall by a rocket sled, large explosions, sitting in fire for some time, falling to the ground, etc., without any cracks or openings at all.

They'd probably need to be strengthened and tested for high altitude drops, and higher temperatures/re-entry though.

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