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IMPLICATIONS OF FUSION PLASMA STUDIES TO OTHER COLLECTIVE NONEQUILIBRIUM SYSTEMS / Francesco Pegoraro

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## PLASMA ENGINEERING

## MATERIALS ENGINEERING

# PHENOMENOLOGICAL INELASTIC CONSTITUTIVE EQUATIONS FOR SIC AND SIC FIBERS UNDER IRRADIATION / A. El-Azab, N. M. Ghoniem

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## FIRST-WALL TECHNOLOGY

#### **TRANSPORT OF ENERGETIC ION AND ELECTRON ENERGY THROUGH THE VAPOR SHIELD DURING A TOKAMAK PLASMA DISRUPTION** / *Eric C. Tucker, John G. Gilligan*

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## SAFETY/ENVIRONMENTAL ASPECTS

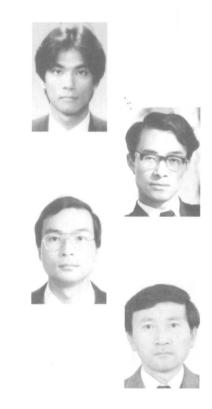


## PROBLEMS AND METHODS OF ACTIVATION CALCULATIONS FOR EX-PERIMENTAL AND NEXT-STEP FUSION DEVICES / Massimo Zucchetti

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#### COMPREHENSIVE SAFETY ANALYSIS CODE SYSTEM FOR NUCLEAR FUSION REACTORS II: THERMAL ANALYSES DURING PLASMA DISRUP-TIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL THERMONUCLEAR EXPERIMENTAL REAC-TOR / Takurou Honda, Koichi Maki, Takashi Okazaki, Tatsuhiko Uda, Yasushi Seki, Isao Aoki, Tomoaki Kunugi

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## ENERGY STORAGE, SWITCHING, AND CONVERSION

## **BEAM DIRECT CONVERTER WITH VARYING MAGNETIC FIELD** / Mamoru Matsuoka, Masanori Araki, Makoto Mizuno

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## ELECTROLYTIC DEVICES

### STUDY OF DEUTERIUM CHARGING IN PALLADIUM BY ELECTROLYSIS OF HEAVY WATER / Antonella De Ninno, Vittorio Violante

Antonella De Ninno (top) (Dr., physics, University of Rome, Italy, 1984) has worked in the ENEA INN-SVIL Department since 1987. Her research interests include low-temperature solid-state physics. Her principal interest is in the field of cold fusion concerning experimental and theoretical activities. Vittorio Violante (PhD, chemical engineering, Naples University, Italy) since the end of 1983 has been a researcher at ENEA (formerly CNEN), involved in the Euratom-ENEA Association for Fusion research program. Since 1992, he has been a professor of transport phenomena at Calabria University, Italy.



#### **NEUTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF A POWER PLANT USING PEACEFUL NUCLEAR EXPLOSIVES** / Sümer Sahin, Ralph W. Moir, Sabahattin Ünalan

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### INHERENT CHARACTERISTICS OF FUSION POWER SYSTEMS: PHYS-ICS, ENGINEERING, AND ECONOMICS / Robert W. Bussard, Nicholas A. Krall

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