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ANALYTIC PREDICTION OF THERMAL PROFILE DE-VELOPMENT AND INVERSION FOR USE IN IN-PILE EXPERIMENTATION

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DECAY SPECTRA OF FISSION PRODUCTS FROM URANI-UM-235 THERMAL FISSION: COMPARISON OF CALCULA-TIONS WITH EXPERIMENTS

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REACTORS

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COMPATIBILITY CONSIDERATION FOR ZERO MOMENT TOKAMAK TOROIDAL FIELD COILS

Samuel L. Gralnick (left) [BE (CE), City College of New York, 1966; ME, City College of New York, 1968; PhD, Columbia University, 1972] has been an active participant in fusion research for the past ten years and has worked on many problems of significance to the controlled fusion effort. He joined the staff of the Grumman Aerospace Corporation in August 1978 and is responsible for plasma physics and plasma engineering activities. Irving U. Ojalvo (second from left) (BME, City College of New York, 1956; SM, mechanical engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1957; ScD, mechanical engineering, New York University, 1962) was in charge of the tokamak fusion test reactor vacuum vessel stress analysis at Grumman until 1978. He is currently responsible for Grumman's preliminary structural analyses for a variety of fusion devices. Irving J. Zatz (right) (BS, civil engineering, Cornell University, 1975; ME, structural engineering, Cornell University, 1976) is currently an engineer of structural mechanics and analysis with Grumman. His special interests include finite element technology, thermostructural analysis, fracture mechanics, and structural fatigue. He has worked on a number of structural problems for fusion device components. Theodore Balderes (second from right) (BS, mechanical engineering, Cooper Union, 1964; MS, engineering mechanics, Columbia University, 1965; PhD. applied mechanics, Polytechnic Institute of New York, 1972) is currently an engineering specialist with Grumman. His special interests include finite element technology, shell analvsis, and nonlinear effects in structures. He has served as a consultant to the Franklin Institute.

DYNAMIC ANALYSIS OF A FUSION SYSTEM USING THE SYSTEM TRANSFER FUNCTION

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TREAT TEST H6-A 50 cent/s TRANSIENT OVERPOWER ACCIDENT SIMULATION

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TECHNICAL CONSIDERATION OF THE USE OF NUCLE-AR FUEL SPIKANTS FOR PROLIFERATION DETER-RENCE

J. E. Selle (top right) (BS, 1955, MS, 1956, University of Wisconsin; PhD, 1967, University of Cincinnati, all in metallurgical engineering) has worked more than 17 years with plutonium fuels for radioisotopic heat sources and reactor applications. He is currently working on structural ceramics for high-temperature gas-cooled reactor application in the Metals and Ceramics Division of Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL). Peter Angelini (top left) (BS, physics, West Virginia University, 1967; MS, physics, University of Tennessee, 1974) is a physicist in the Metals and Ceramics Division at ORNL, with special interests in fuel refabrication and nuclear waste forms development. Robert H. Rainey (center right) (BS, Memphis State University, 1941) is a chemist at the Institute for Energy Analysis at Oak Ridge Associated Universities. His background and experience include ongoing studies in chemistry and mathematics through the University of Tennessee Extension School; 29 years with ORNL working on nuclear fuel reprocessing development; and 3 years as a reviewer of nuclear reprocessing plants safety analysis reports for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission. His current work involves preparation of background materials on reprocessing of nuclear fuels for the International Fuel Cycle Evaluation Study. J. I. Federer (bottom left) (BS, metallurgical engineering, University of Kentucky, 1954; MS, metallurgical engineering, University of Tennessee, 1967) has professional experience in diffusion in body-centered cubic metals and in oxide compounds; development of chemical vapor deposition techniques for refractory metals, alloys, and compounds; synthesis of mixed carbide fuels; and studies of the effects of residual oil combustion products on refractories and refractory insulations. A. R. Olsen (bottom right) (BS, metallurgical engineering, Colorado School of Mines) is a development engineer in the Metals and Ceramics Division at ORNL, currently involved in alternative fuel cycle evaluations. His interests include all portions of the fuel cycle including design, performance, and economics, in addition to fabrication process development.

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FUELS

THE EXTERNAL GELATION OF THORIUM PROCESS FOR PREPARATION OF ThO₂ AND (Th,U)O₂ FUEL KERNELS

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POWER PRODUCTION AND ACTINIDE ELIMINATION BY FAST REACTOR RECYCLE

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RADIOACTIVE WASTE

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