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IAEA Nuclear Data activities

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- Upcoming meetings and projects

International Reactor Dosimetry and Fusion File (IRDFF)

IAEA maintains IRDFF via CRP's and Technical Meetings

IRDFF-II has been released in January 2020



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Databases » EXFOR | ENDF | CINDA | IBANDL | Medical | PGAA | NGAtlas | RIPL | FENDL | IRDFF

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International Reactor Dosimetry and Fusion File IRDFF-II, January, 2020

(Nuclear data supersede IRDFF-v1.05 and all previous versions of IRDFF and IRDF-2002)

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IRDFF-II PRIMARY REFERENCE:
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Overview

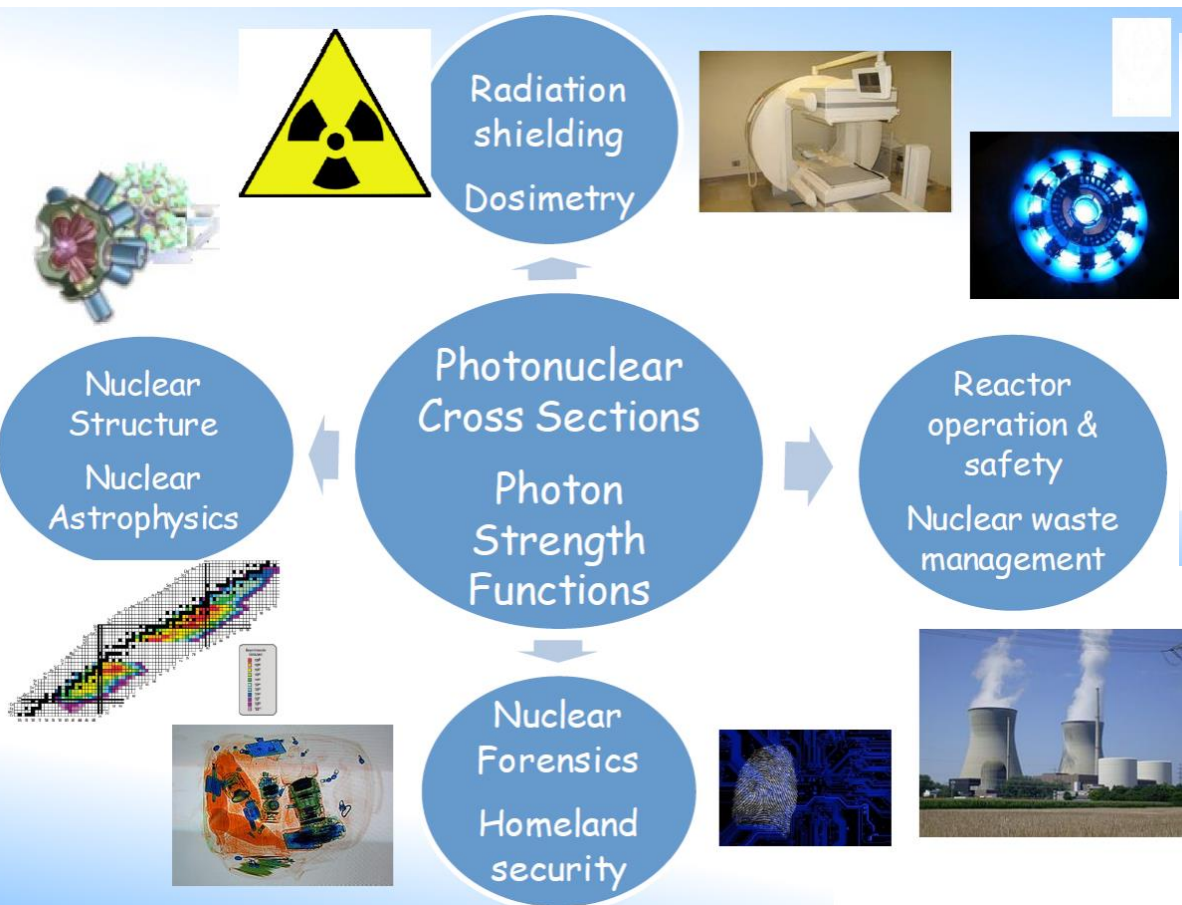
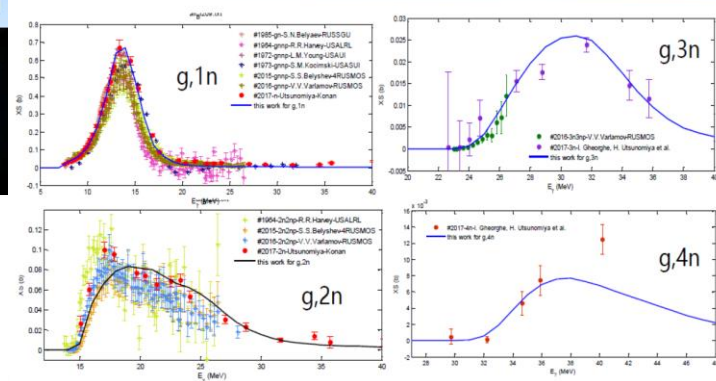
The new International Reactor Dosimetry and Fusion File (IRDFF-II) addresses incident neutron energies from 0 to 60 MeV. The library entries, enumerated in the **Table I**, include **119 metrology reactions with covariance information and corresponding decay data**. The library also includes **4 cover cross sections of B, B-10, Cd and Gd** used to support shielding corrections, **5 metrology metrics** used by the dosimetry community, and **7 cumulative fission products yields**. Several **reference neutron fields** for library validation are also provided. Finally, recommended **radionuclide masses and elemental abundances** to be used for dosimetry applications are also included.

A. Trkov et al, IRDFF-II:

A New Neutron Metrology Library, Nuclear Data Sheets, Vol 163 (2020)

IAEA Photonuclear Data Library 2019

T. Kawano,^{1,*} Y. S. Cho,² P. Dimitriou,³ D. Filipescu,⁴ N. Iwamoto,⁵ V. Plujko,⁶ X. Tao,⁷ H. Utsunomiya,⁸
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New results for $^{209}\text{Bi}(\gamma, xn)$


New data: A.I. Gheorghe+ (2017)

Official release soon



Unrecognized Sources of Uncertainties (*USU*) in Experimental Nuclear Data

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Technical Meeting on Nuclear Data for Anti-neutrino Spectra and Their Applications

23–26 April 2019, IAEA Headquarters, Vienna, Austria

The Nuclear Data Section of the International Atomic Energy Agency is holding a Technical Meeting on Nuclear data for anti-neutrino spectra and their applications, from 23 to 26 April 2019.

The idea is to bring together experts from the broad spectrum of physics, theory and measurements, related to anti-neutrino studies for basic sciences (mixing angle in neutrino oscillations) and for applications (reactor monitoring with anti-neutrino detection), to review the current status of:

- neutrino anomalies and the sterile neutrino hypothesis
- existing measurements of integral beta spectra
- recent Daya Bay, Double Chooz and Reno results on spectra measurements
- results from short baseline experiments Prospect, SoLid, Neutrino-4/DANSS, NEOS
- conversion method and uncertainties, corrections
- summation method and impact of nuclear data (beta decay data; fission yield data; uncertainties and correlations)
- nuclear data libraries (ENDF/B; JEFF; JENDL)

CRP on Updating Fission Yield data for applications

- Improve existing FY evaluations for U-235, Cf-252 and (hopefully) Pu-239
- Compilation of all new FFY and FPY experimental data
- Reliable uncertainty quantification
- Improve systematics and models
- Integral validation of new evaluations

First Meeting: Aug 31-Sep 4 2020, strong and broad participation, 16 partners

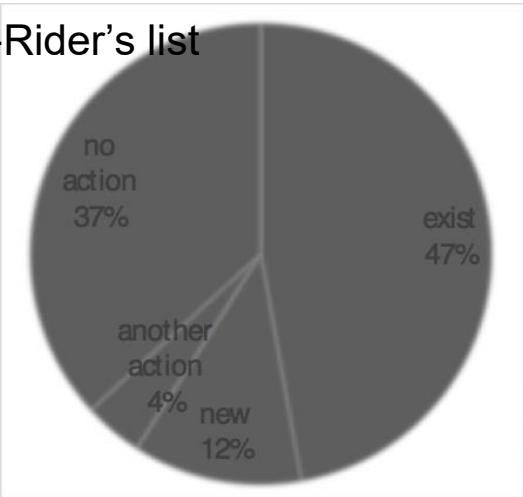
Fission yield experiments: Statistics of the completeness

Area	E-R's list	Already in EXFOR	New entry	Another action	No action
1 United States	610	413	68	41	88
2 OECD countries	303	171	83	14	35
3 Others	155	103	24	8	20
4 Former Soviet Union countries	91	69	15	3	4
Not specified*	443				443
Total	1602**	756	190	66	590

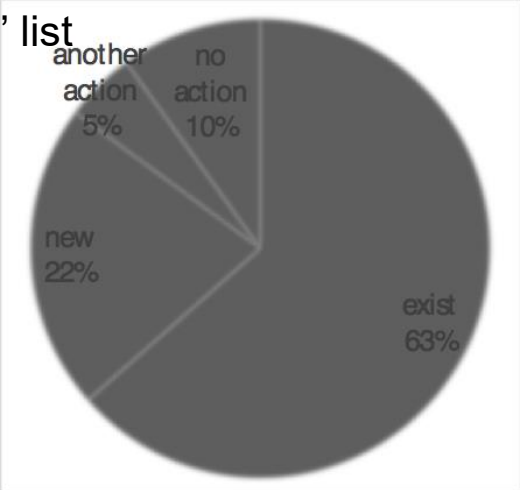
Area	Mills' list	Already in EXFOR	New entry	Another action	No action
1 United States	321	248	26	17	30
2 OECD countries	149	70	63	9	7
3 Others	82	53	22	3	4
4 Former Soviet Union countries	73	37	28	5	3
Not specified*	20				20
Total	645	409	139	34	64

*Not specified due to private communications, Ph.D. theses, or classified reports. Also includes under checking.
 **Only 924 articles are referred in the numerical data table used in the evaluation of ENDF/B-VI.

England-Rider's list



Mills' list



NSR (done by NNDC)

new entry 212
 44%
 Including neutron-, photo- and spontaneous- fission

From: Shin Okumura



Examples 1 Incident - Exit energies
2 Incident energy - Thickness, and user σ
3 Energy scan 4 Composite target

Previous run:

Product

☐ show all products

☐ Thickness ☐ [mm] ☒ [mg/cm²]

0 <

Current [μ A] 0 < < 10 000

Projectile

☒ p ☐ D ☐ α ☐ T ☐ ³He

☒ Exit energy [MeV]

0 < < 200

Irradiation time

d 0 h m s

Target

composition

☒ Incident energy [MeV]

0 < < 200

Post EOB time

d 0 h m s

Density [g/cm³] 0 < < 100

☐ Incident energy scan [MeV]

$\leq E \leq$ $\Delta E:$

Cross section

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User defined



Plots

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Exit
energy

3D

Data

Sum
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Detail

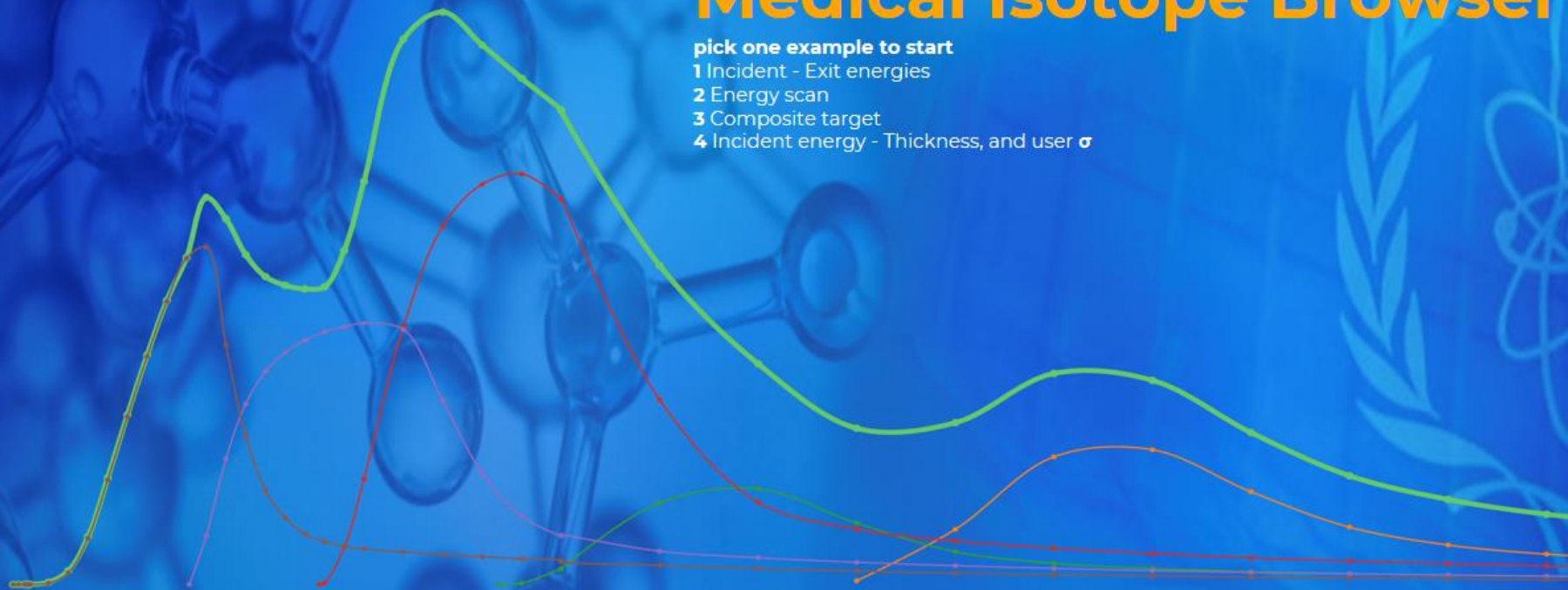
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Medical Isotope Browser

pick one example to start

- 1 Incident - Exit energies
- 2 Energy scan
- 3 Composite target
- 4 Incident energy - Thickness, and user σ

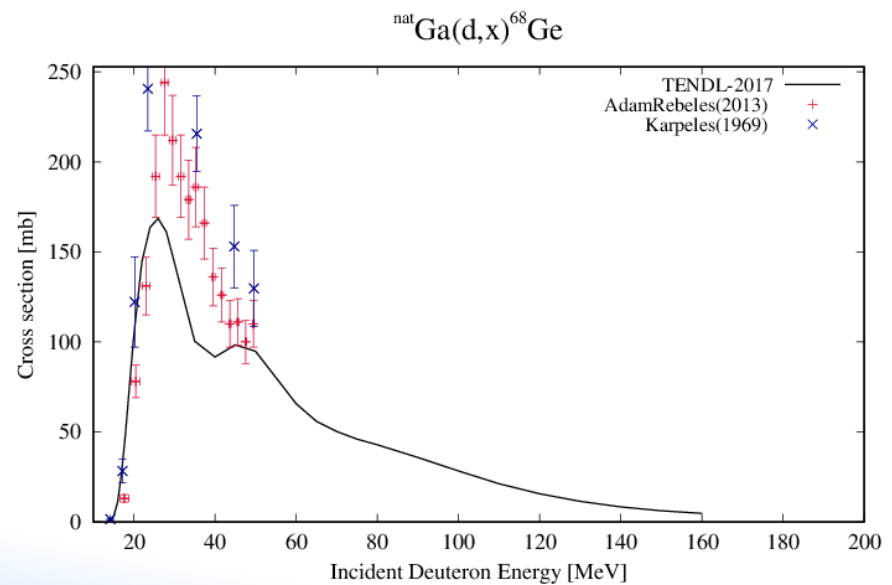
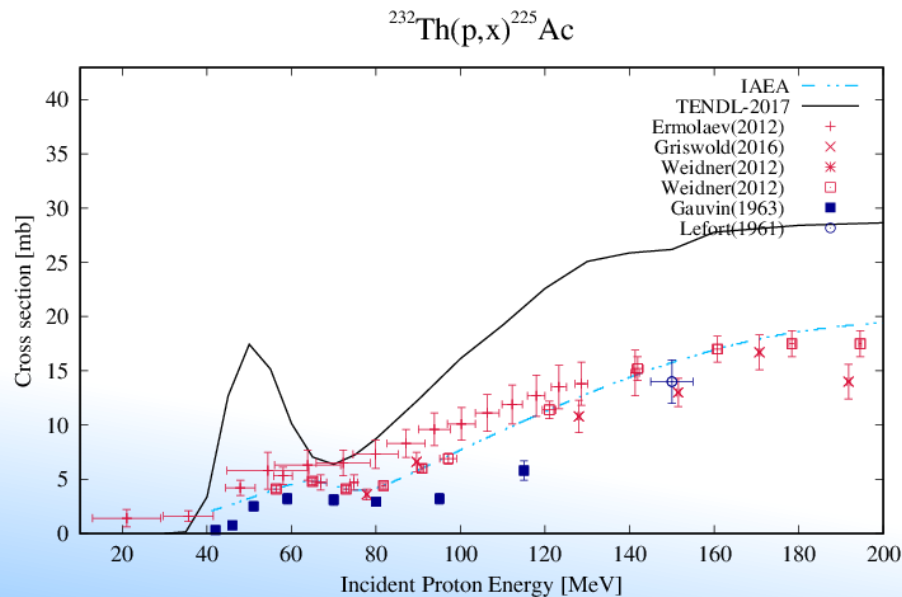
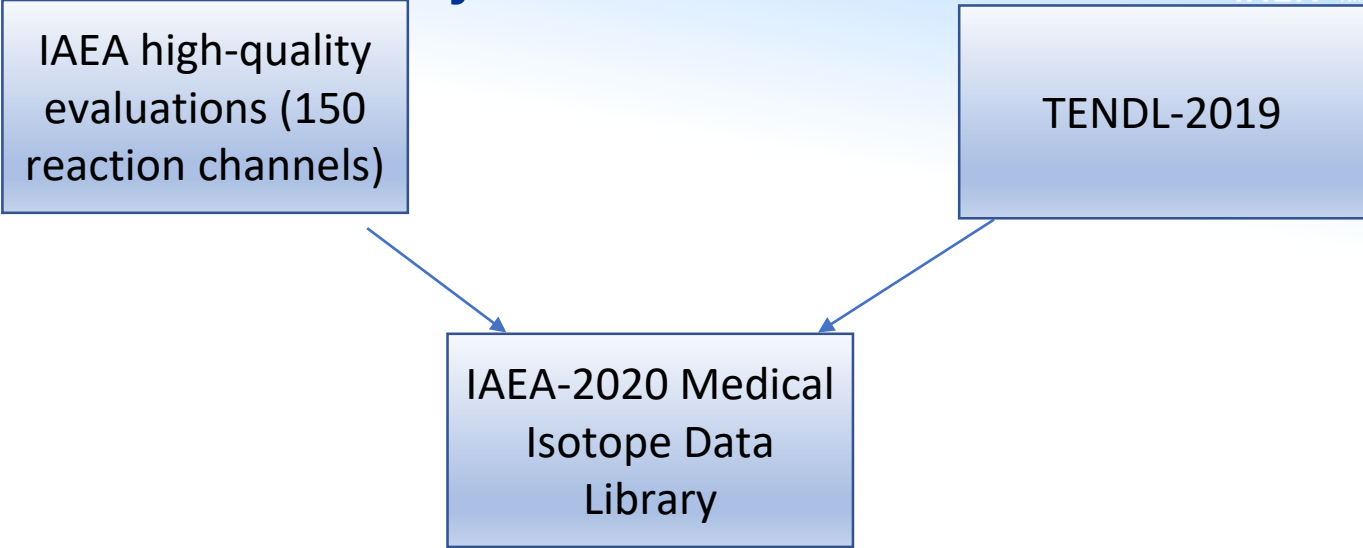


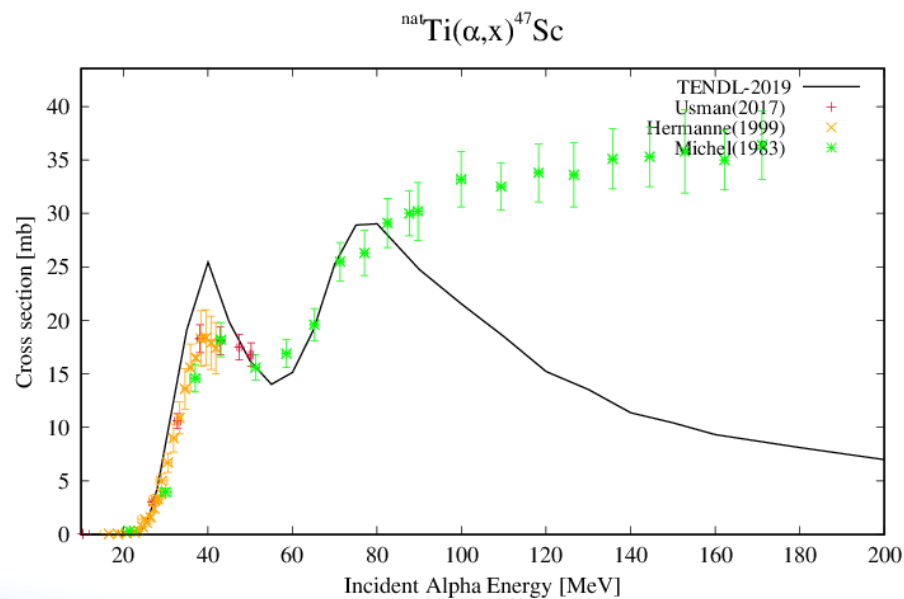
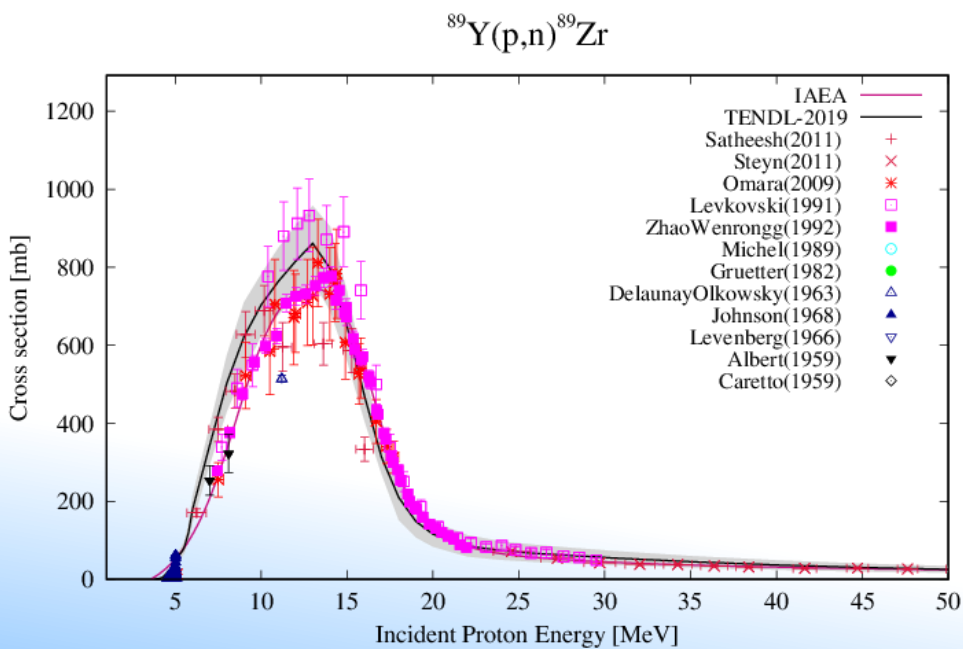
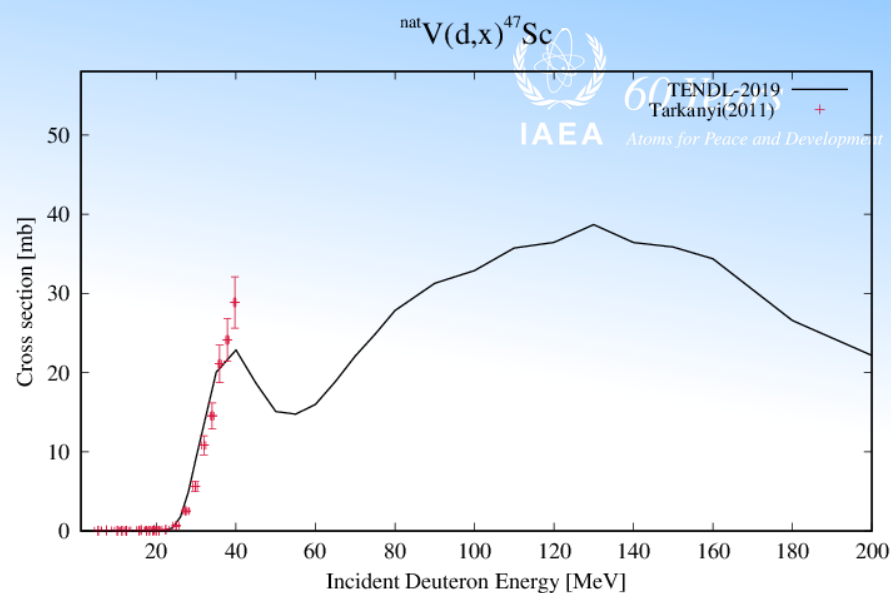
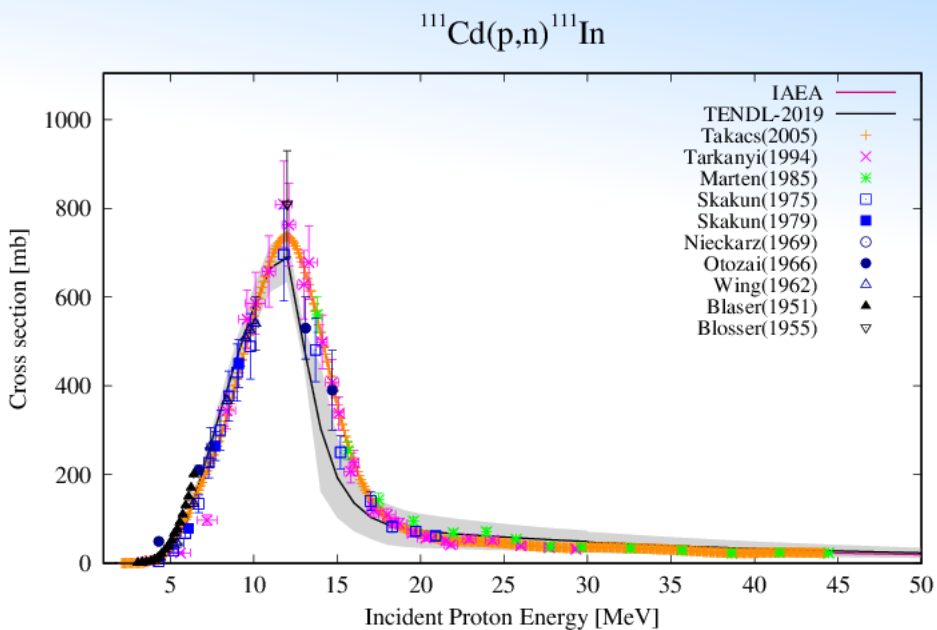
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20 years of IAEA CRP's and other meetings led to ~150 high-quality nuclear reaction channels

Medical isotope data library: combine the best with the most complete





Medical isotope browser: nds.iaea.org/mib

**Medical Isotope Browser**
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Examples 1 Incident - Exit energies
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Previous run: • 1 • **2**

Product
☒ show all products

Projectile
☒ p ☐ D ☐ α ☐ T ☐ ^3He

Target

Density [g/cm³] 0 < < 100

☐ Thickness ☐ [mm] ☒ [mg/cm²]
0 <

☒ Exit energy [MeV]
0 < < 200

☒ Incident energy [MeV]
0 < < 200

☐ Incident energy scan [MeV]
 $\leq E \leq$ ΔE :

Current [μA] 0 < < 10 000

Irradiation time 1d
 d h m s

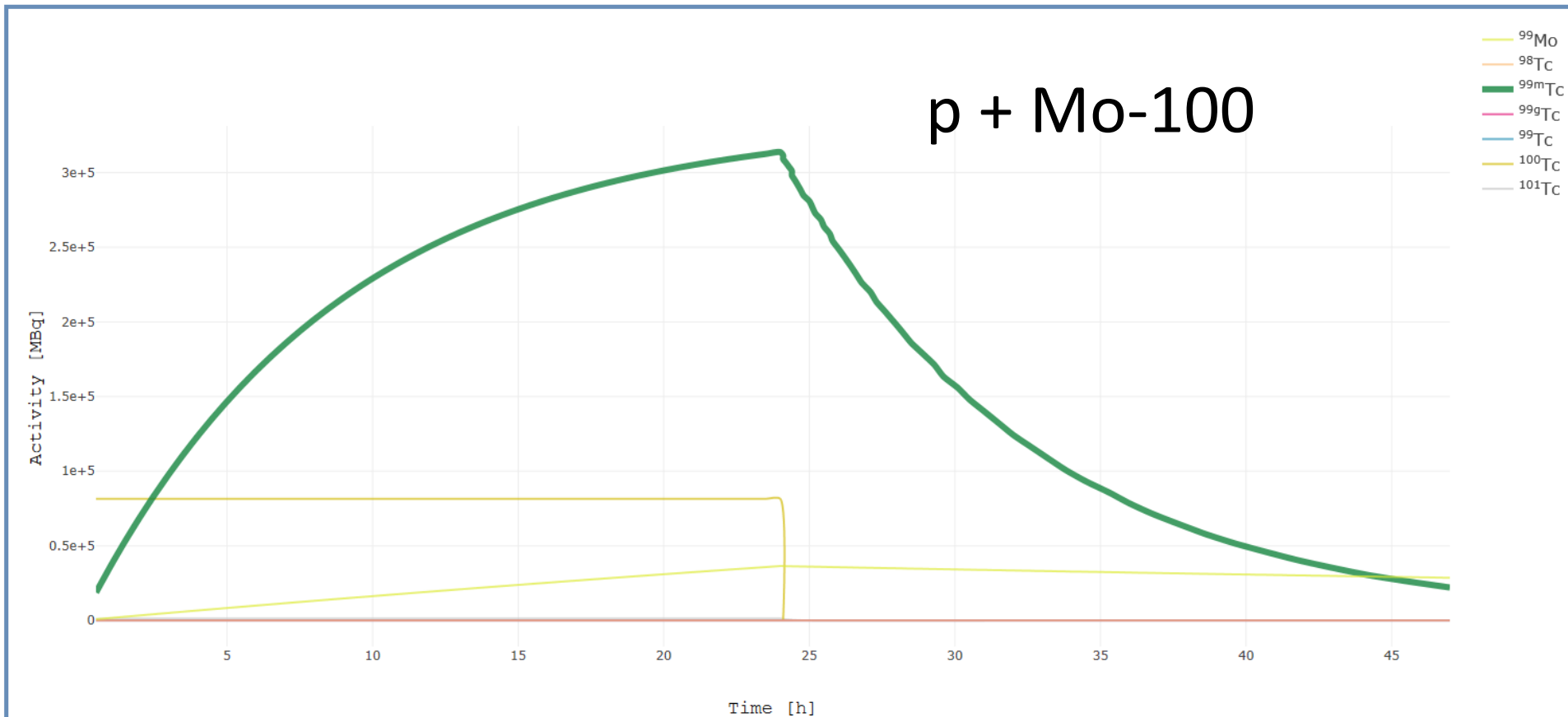
Post EOB time 1d
 d h m s

Cross section
IAEA + TENDL

Plots Exit energy

Data

• Effective target thickness : 0.045 cm • # incident particles: 6.24151E+14 [s⁻¹] • Produced heat in target : 0.700 kW • Activities less than 1.0E-6 MBq are not displayed



Medical isotope data library

- Complete medical isotope data library for all particles, nuclides and energies including uncertainty quantification
- Based on 150 reaction channels from IAEA evaluations + TENDL for everything else
- Entire medical isotope data library in tabular format:
 - ENDF avoided (though consistent with TENDL) and not needed
 - Reactions by descriptive filenames, e.g. p-Th232-rp089225.iaea.2020
 - Origin of data is of course reported.
- 10-15 recent IAEA reaction evaluations to be included. Next: Public release of first version of the library
- 2020-2021: Parameter + model adjustment for TALYS using Bayesian optimization, EXFOR, Simulated Annealing and ML techniques → Global high-quality medical isotope database → TENDL-2021. Priority: protons, photons and deuterons.

Consultants' and Technical Meetings

Research Coordination Meetings

Training workshops

Consultants' and Technical Meetings

#	Meeting dates	Project Officer	Title	Link
1	2-5 December 2019	A. Trkov/R. Capote Noy	CM of INDEN - International Nuclear Data Evaluation Network on Evaluated Nuclear Data for Structural Materials	Webpage
2	21-24 October 2019	R. Capote Noy	Technical Meeting of the International Nuclear Data Evaluation Network (INDEN) on Actinide Evaluations in the Resonance Region	Webpage
3	23-26 September 2019	A. Trkov	Technical Meeting on Nuclear Data Processing	Webpage
4	2-5 September 2019	A. Trkov	Technical Meeting on the FENDL Library for fusion neutronics calculations	Webpage
5	15-18 July 2019	A. Trkov	Technical Meeting on the Nuclear Data for Neutron Activation Analysis and Dosimetry	Webpage
6	27-30 May 2019	N. Otsuka	CM on Fission Product Yield Experimental Database	Webpage
7	15-17 May 2019	P. Dimitriou	CM of INDEN on Light Elements	Webpage
8	13-14 May 2019	P. Dimitriou	CM on R-matrix codes for Charged-particle Reactions in the Resolved-Resonance Region	Webpage
9	23-26 April 2019	P. Dimitriou	TM on Nuclear Data for Antineutrino Spectra and Their Applications	Webpage
10	9-12 April 2019	N. Otsuka	Technical Meeting of the NRDC	Webpage
11	8-12 April 2019	P. Dimitriou	23rd Technical Meeting of the NSDD network	Webpage

- Completion of website/database of CONDERC: Compilation of Nuclear Data Experiments for Radiation Characterisation (reactor spectra, decay heat, reaction rates, integral activation data, etc.)
- Machine Learning techniques: applied to EXFOR compilation and use.
- Maintenance and extension of Livechart and Isotope Browser app



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