



WPEC/SG46 TAR exercise: Preliminary Results

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WPEC/SG46 Participants

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- ❑ *Legacy Work WPEC/SG26 (2005-2008)*
- ❑ *WPEC/SG46 (2019-2021)*
- ❑ *Target Accuracy Requirements: Necessity of “Expert Judgment”*
- ❑ *Methodology: The inverse problem*
- ❑ *TAR Benchmark Specifications*
<https://oecd-nea.org/download/wpec/sg46/>
- ❑ ***Processing Covariances (previous presentation)***
- ❑ *New reactor systems in WPEC/SG46: ASTRID, ESFR-SMART, JSFR750 and ALFRED*
- ❑ ***Preliminary Results: Uncertainty Quantification***
- ❑ ***Preliminary TAR Results for ENDF/B-VIII.0***

Systems

ABTR: 250 MWth	Na cooled
SFR: (Burner: CR=0.25) 840 MWth	Na cooled
EFR: 3600 MWth	Na cooled
GFR: 2400 MWth	He cooled
LFR: 900 MWth	Pb cooled
ADMAB: 377 MWth	Pb-Bi cooled
VHTR	TRISO fuel
Extended BU PWR	8.5wo%

- A first list of data priorities (i.e. for **uncertainty reduction**) for GEN-IV reactors was established and implemented in the HPRL at NEA

Table 26. SFR: uncertainty reduction requirements needed to meet integral parameter target accuracies

Isotope	Cross-Section	Energy range	Uncertainty (%)			
			Initial	Required		
				$\lambda=1$	$\lambda \neq 1$ ^(a)	$\lambda \neq 1$ ^(b)
U238	σ_{capt}	24.8 - 9.12 keV	9	4	3	3
	σ_{inel}	6.07 - 0.498 MeV	20	5	6	10
Pu238	σ_{capt}	183 - 24.8 keV	20	12	12	10
	σ_{fiss}	6.07 - 0.09 MeV	20	3	3	3
	ν	1.35 - 0.067 MeV	7	3	3	2
Pu239	σ_{capt}	498 - 2.03 keV	12	6	4	4
	σ_{inel}	6.07 - 0.498 MeV	25	12	15	22

Integral parameters

Criticality (keff)	(in pcm)
Local Power Peak	(in %)
Burnup reactivity swing	(in pcm)
Reactivity coefficients	(in %)
Nuclide inventories/transmutation at EOL	(in %)

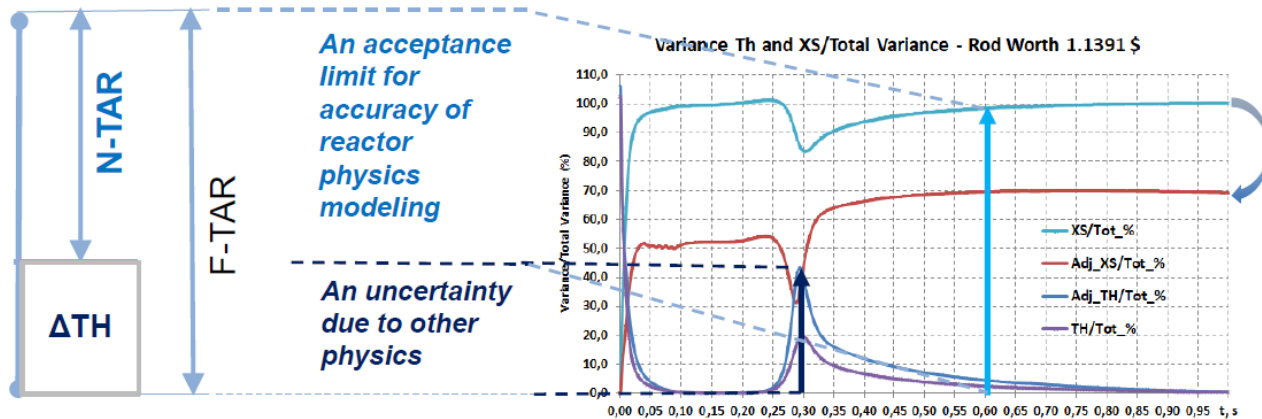
TAR Exercise in WPEC/SG26:

- Covariance data matrices: **BOLNA**
- Energy structure: “**15 energy groups** (based on physical considerations)”
- No-correlations in energy, reactions and isotopes are considered **in TAR exercise**
- 14 HPRL entries** based on SG26 studies!

- **WPEC/SG46** is again a new **bridge** between ND evaluators and end-users in the utilisation of integral experiments
- WPEC/SG46 to provide **updated target accuracies for nuclear data uncertainty reduction**
 - *“It is essential to verify the status of design target accuracies and their potential evolution (reactor operation and fuel cycle parameters)”*
 - *New reactors concepts are presently explored besides Gen-IV, MA burners, and ADS: MSR, SMR, micro reactors, and test reactors*
- **TAR WPEC/SG46 methodology** based on:
 - *New covariance data matrices: ENDF/B-VIII.0, JEFF-3.3 and JENDL-4.0u*
 - *Using correlations in energy, reactions and isotopes*
 - *Energy structure: “7 energy groups (based on physical considerations)”*
- *“The **HPRL** will certainly benefit from an update, to motivate and focus new experiments and to meet potential new requirements”*

Target accuracy establishment for multi-physics processes

- Target Accuracy Requirements (TARs) represent wishes and acceptance limits established by designers and/or assessors
- Sg46 task => to establish TARs for Nuclear Data libraries
- One should separate (approximately) impacts due to reactor physics and due to other physics => combining sampling and linearized response (sensitivity) studies
- Sampling-based back-propagation with reduced (adjusted) ND uncertainties
- Note: practically used simulations (no exemptions) based on a hierarchic structure; we are following a kind of a gradient descent approach to quantify uncertainties of different nature



The “inverse problem”:

- To define the TAR on design parameters: R_n^T
- To find out **the required reduction in the cross-section uncertainties**: Δx_i

$$\text{To minimize: } \left(\sum_i \frac{\lambda_i}{\Delta x_i^2} \right)$$

$i = 1, \dots, K$

λ_i : cost parameter related with each cross-section

Δx_i : uncertainty cross-section (i.e. standard deviation)

K: total number of reactions-energy groups whose uncertainty is to be determined

- ISOTOPES: ^{10}B , ^{16}O , ^{52}Cr , ^{56}Fe , ^{58}Ni , $^{235,238}\text{U}$, $^{239,240,241}\text{Pu}$, $^{206,207,208}\text{Pb}$, ^{23}Na + others (e.g. ^{35}Cl)?
- REACTIONS: σ_{cap} , σ_{fiss} , ν , σ_{el} , σ_{inel} , PFNS and elastic-P1 + others (e.g. (n,p), n(alpha))?
- ENERGY Groups: 7g

The **objective function** is constrained to:

correlation terms

- $\Delta x_{i0} \geq \Delta x_i \geq 0; i = 1 \dots K$
 - $\sum_i S_{ni}^2 \cdot \Delta x_i^2 + \sum_{ii'} S_{ni} \cdot \Delta x_i \cdot \text{corr}_{ii'} \cdot \Delta x_{i'} \cdot S_{ni}^+ \leq (R_n^T)^2; n = 1 \dots N$
- S_{ni} : sensitivity coefficient for the integral parameter R_n
 - $\text{corr}_{ii'}$: correlation between i and i'
 - R_n^T : target accuracies on the N-integral parameters

Who is involved in TAR exercise?

To minimize:
$$\left(\sum_i \frac{\lambda_i}{\Delta x_i^2} \right)$$

 $i = 1, \dots, K$

ND Differential measurement experts

- Cost parameters assigned to isotopes, reactions, and/or energy group

The objective function is constrained to:

1) $\Delta x_{i0} \geq \Delta x_i \geq 0; i = 1 \dots K$

ND Processing

- AMPX/NJOY codes
- Issues to be solved:
 - MF34/O16-P₁ for JENDL
 - MF34/235U and 238U in ENDF/B-VIII.0
- Limitations in NJOY: unique Ein value for MF35/PFNS
- Correlations between MATs-MTs-Energy to be processed and used

Lower uncertainty

- Standards?

Reactor Designers

- Safety margins
- Licensing

2) $\sum_i S_{ni}^2 \cdot \Delta x_i^2 + \sum_{i \neq j} S_{ni} \cdot \Delta x_i \cdot \text{corr}_{ij} \cdot \Delta x_j \cdot S_{nj}^+ \leq (R_n^T)^2; n = 1 \dots N$

Reactor Physicists

- Reactor Model
- Sensitivity Profiles

TAR Solving

- Assumptions
- Inverse method + others ML/AI?
- Note:** TAR calculations performed by UPM using the solver DONLP2 (Spellucci P., 1998)

Ref.: Spellucci, P. "An SQP method for general nonlinear programs using only equality constrained subproblems". Math. Program. 82, 413–448 (1998)

TAR Solver

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Ref.: Spellucci, P. "An SQP method for general nonlinear programs using only equality constrained subproblems". Math. Program. 82, 413–448 (1998)

Ref.: The IMSL function "**constrained_nlp**" provides an interface to a licensed version of subroutine DONLP2,

- The objective function is constrained to the following boundary conditions:

$$\Delta x_{i0} \geq \Delta x_i \geq 0; i = 1 \dots K$$

- $\Delta x_i \geq 0\%$ (positive relative standard deviation)
- Min** (Δx_i) = 0% which may gives very low experimental uncertainties
- If $\Delta x_{i0} \geq 100\% \Rightarrow \Delta x_{i0} = 100\%$
- If $\Delta x_{i0} = 0\% \Rightarrow \Delta x_{i0} = 10\%$
- Full set of parameters:** 14 MATs/9MTs/7g with no-null sensitivities \Rightarrow **370 variables /JSFR-Keff**
- Reduced set of parameters:** ~98% uncertainty only diagonal \Rightarrow **45 variables /JSFR-Keff**

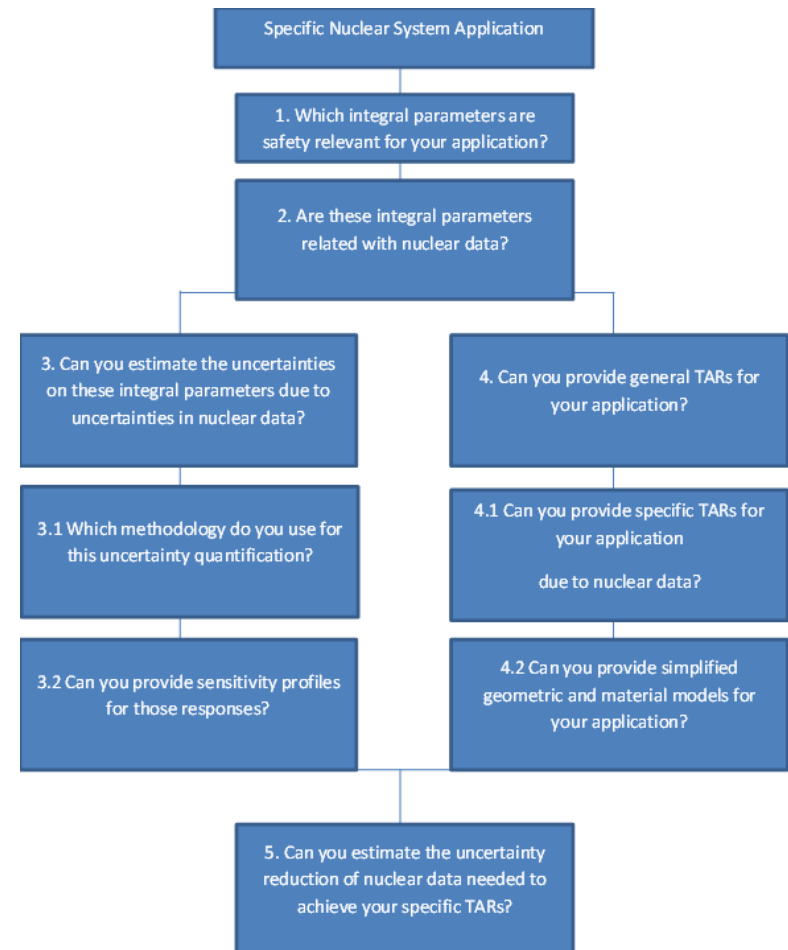
Benchmark Specifications: WPEC/SG46 Exercise on Target Accuracy Requirement (TAR)

WPEC/SG46, May 2021

Table 1. Energy group structure

Group #	Lower Energy (eV)	Upper Energy (eV)	
1	$2.23130 \cdot 10^6$	$1.96403 \cdot 10^7$	Above Threshold fertile
2	$4.97871 \cdot 10^5$	$2.23130 \cdot 10^6$	Above Threshold inelastic
3	$6.73795 \cdot 10^4$	$4.97871 \cdot 10^5$	Continuum to URR
4	$2.03468 \cdot 10^3$	$6.73795 \cdot 10^4$	URR
5	$2.26033 \cdot 10^1$	$2.03468 \cdot 10^3$	RRR
6	$5.40000 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$2.26033 \cdot 10^1$	EPITHERMAL
7	$1.40000 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$5.40000 \cdot 10^{-1}$	THERMAL

Figure 1. Procedure for any specific application to participate in WPEC/SG46 exercise on TAR



Issues in evaluated files

ND Evaluation	Large processed uncertainties (> 100%)	Lack of ND covariances	Processed null
JEFF-3.3	B10(n,n') – g=2 U238(n,elasticP1) – g=6,7	<p>No MF31</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pu240 <p>No MF33</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pb206(n,p), Pb206(n,alpha) • Pb207(n,p), Pb207(n,alpha) • Pb208(n,p), Pb208(n,alpha) <p>No MF34</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B10 • O16 • Na23 • Cr52 • U235 • Pu239, Pu240 <p>No MF35</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pu240 	<p>Processed null values</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B10(n,alpha) –g=1 • B10(n,n') - g=3-7 • Cr52(n,n') - g=3-7 • Ni58(n,alpha) – g=3-7 • Ni58(n,p) –g=3-7 • Fe56(n,alpha) –g=2-7 • U235(n,n') – g=5 • Ni58(n,elasticP1) –g=3-7 • Pu241(n, elasticP1) –g=6-7

Note: See presentation in Processing Session

Table 2. Different set of values for the cost parameters (λ_i)

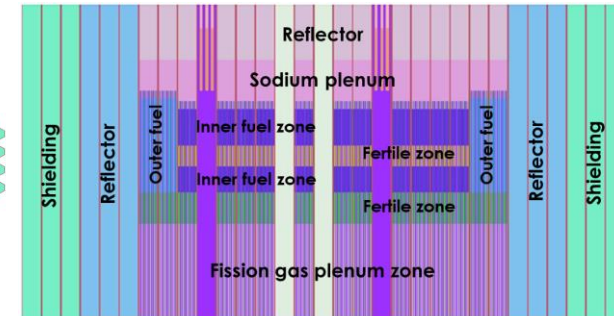
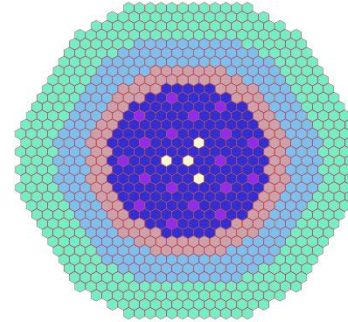
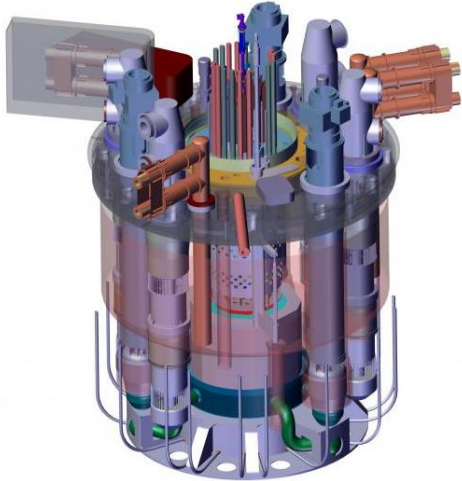
Isotopes and reactions	cost parameters (λ_i)		
	Set A	Set B	Set C
^{235}U , ^{238}U and ^{239}Pu – capture, fission, ν	1	1	1
Other fuel isotopes – capture, fission, ν	1	2	2
Non-fuel isotopes – capture	1	1	1
All isotopes – elastic scattering	1	1	1
All isotopes – inelastic scattering	1	3	10

□ Additional set of values:

- Add energy dependence?

Reference:

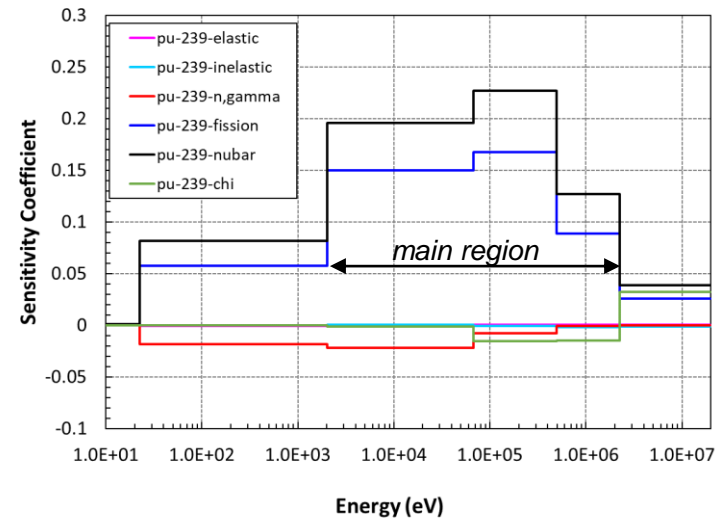
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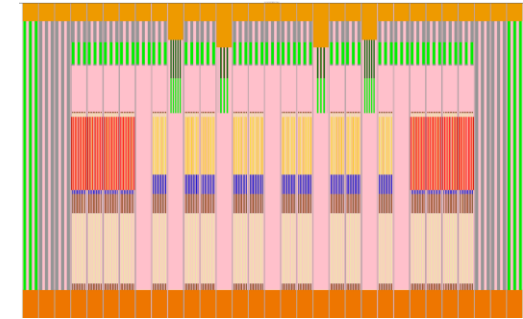
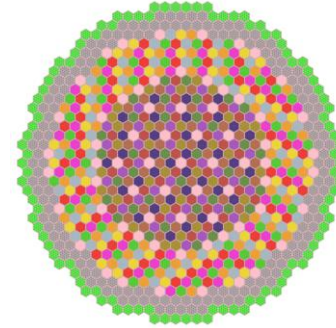
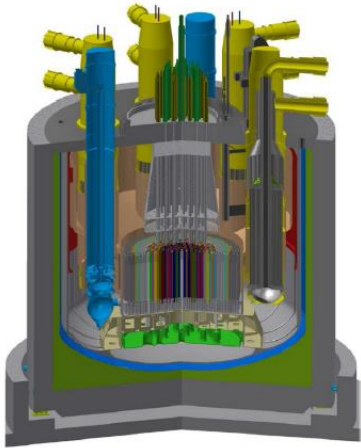
Reference: P. Sciora, ESNII+ deliverable D6.1.1-1

- Core Power – medium size: 1500MWth / **600 MWe**
- Sodium-cooled fast reactor
- Fuel type: MOX
 - 177 Inner FA, Pu content (%) 24.3wt%
 - 114 Outer FA, , Pu content (%) 20.7wt%
- Active fuel: 90 cm (fissile height) + 20 cm (axial blanket)

Sensitivity Plot: ASTRID - Keff Pu239



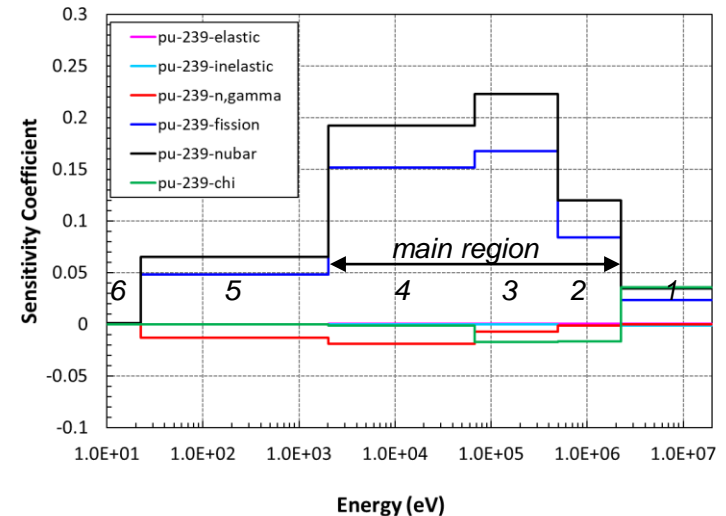
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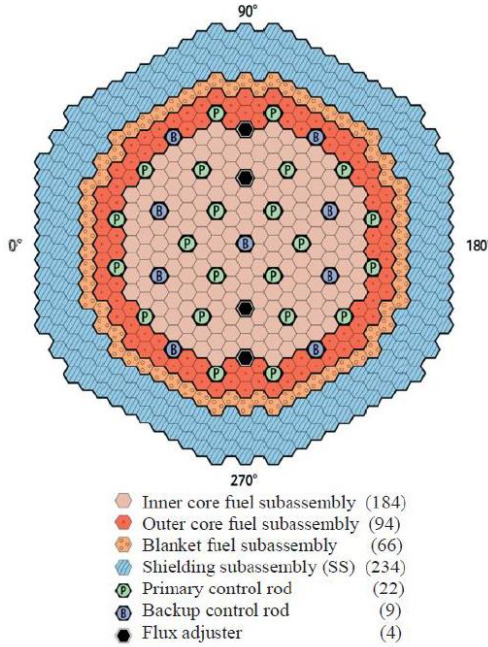
- Core Power – commercial size: 3600MWth / **1500 MWe**
- Sodium-cooled fast reactor
- Fuel type: MOX
 - 216 Inner FA, Pu content (%) 17.99wt%
 - 288 Outer FA, , Pu content (%) 17.99wt%
- 24 control rods
- Active fuel region height (inner core): 75 cm

Sensitivity Plot: ESFR - Keff Pu239



Reference:

A. Jiménez-Carrascosa et al., Joint UPM and CIEMAT contribution: Progress on European Sodium Fast Reactor (ESFR) , WPEC/SG46, November 2020.



- Core Power : **750 MWe**
- Sodium-cooled Fast Reactor
- 184 Inner FA (126 pins+1 dummy): 19.1 wt.% Pu/HM
- 94 Outer FA (126 pins+1 dummy): 25.3 wt.% Pu/HM
- 31 Control Rod
- Active fuel: 100 cm

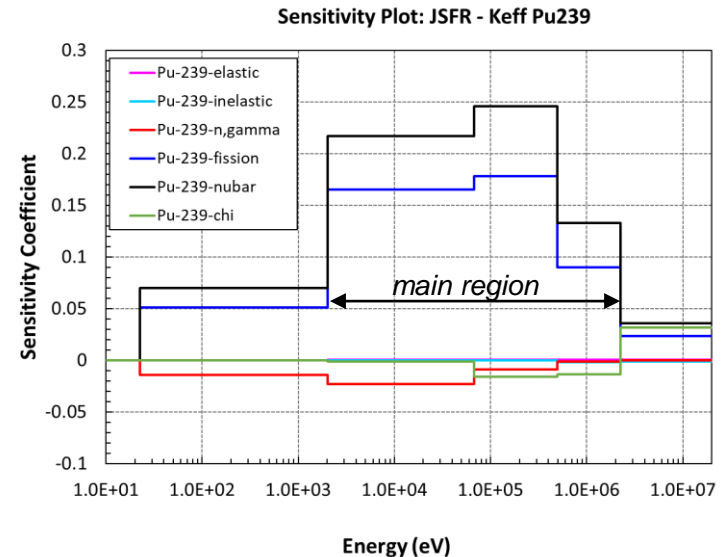
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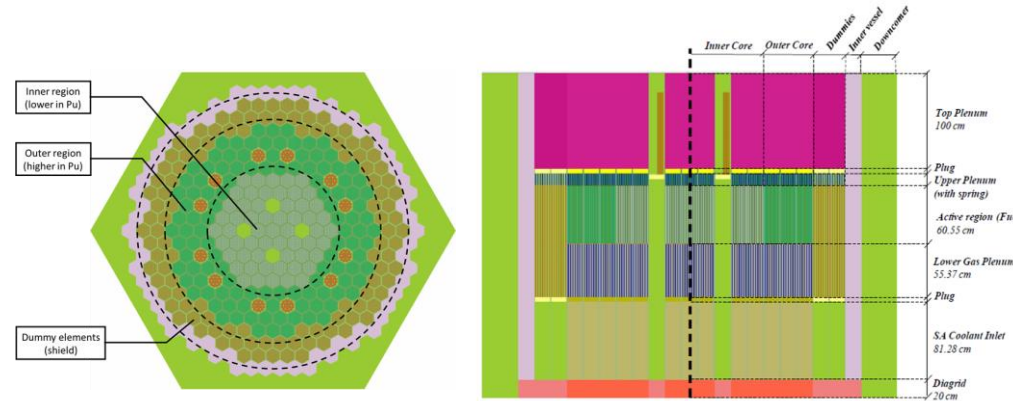
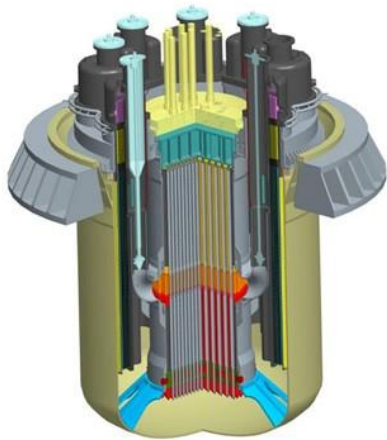
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K. Yokoyama, Reactivity and Sensitivity Calculation Results with Leakage and Non-leakage Components for Sodium Void Reactivity of the 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46, November 2020

K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46, April 2021





Reference: G. Grasso et al., ESNII+ deliverable D6.1.1-3

- Core Power – demonstrator: 300 MWth / **125 MWe**
- Lead-cooled Fast Reactor
- Fuel type: MOX
 - 57 Inner FA, Pu content (%) 21.8wt%
 - 114 Outer FA, , Pu content (%) 27.9wt%
- 12 Control Rod
- Active fuel: 81 cm

Reference:

G. Grasso et al, The current ALFRED code design, WPEC/SG46, June 2019.
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Sensitivity Plot: ALFRED - Keff Pu239

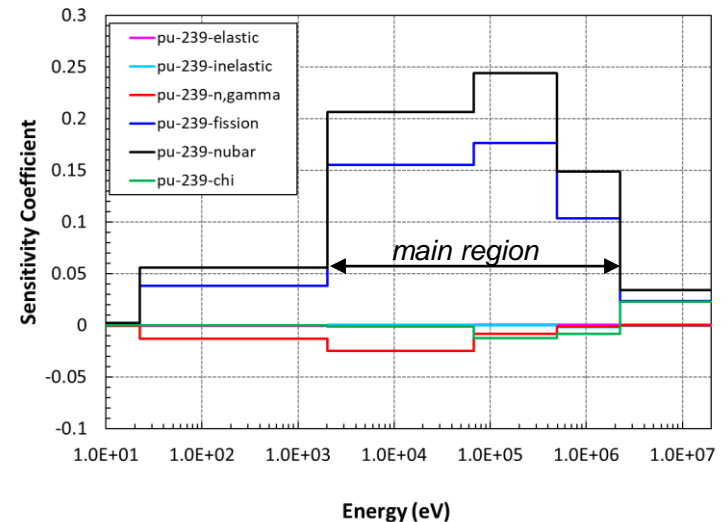


Table 3. Uncertainties quantification due to nuclear data and preliminary SG46 TAR values

	ENDF/B-VII.1	ENDF/B-VIII.0	JEFF-3.3	JENDL-4.0u	Target
ALFRED-00-keff (in pcm)	701	865	827	675	435 pcm
ALFRED-01-coolant-density (in %)	57.0	35.0	62.3	64.7	-
ALFRED-02-doppler (in %)	9.4	5.7	6.1	4.9	-
ASTRID-00-keff (in pcm)	988	919	894	728	300 pcm
ASTRID-01-fullvoid (in %)	20.0	21.6	16.5	18.8	-
ESFR-00-keff (in pcm)	1199	928	961	774	300 pcm
ESFR-01-fullvoid (in %)	10.8	13.2	9.3	10.9	-
ESFR-02-temp-coef (in %)	4.6	3.7	3.4	3.3	5%
ESFR-03-control (in %)	2.1	1.5	1.7	1.4	5%
JSFR_KEFF (in pcm)	951	969	903	750	200/300 pcm
JSFR_BRS (in %)	5.0	5.6	5.8	6.1	18%
JSFR_CRW (in %)	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.3	2%
JSFR_DOP (in %)	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.0	2%
JSFR_Power distribution (F49) (in %)	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.3	1%
JSFR_SVR (in %)	4.6	5.9	3.9	4.8	3%

□ UQ performed with sandwich formula and using the full ND covariance matrix (see **Appendix I**)

JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 10. Uncertainties (in pcm) for the k_{eff} due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	721	Pu239(n,fission)	615	Pu240(n,fission)	515	U238(n,gamma)	396.5
Pu239(n,gamma)	253	Fe56(n,n')	299	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-460	Pu239(n,fission)	267.4
U238(n,gamma)	216	U238(n,gamma)	264	U238(n,gamma)	333	U238(n,n')	247.1
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	211	Pu239(n,gamma)	255	Pu239(nubar)	316	Pu239(CHI)	238.1
Pu239(n,fission)	210	U238(n,n')	213	Pu239(n,fission)	306	Fe56(n,n')	224.2
All correlations =	951		969		903		750.0
Except MAT =	950		913		903		736.8
Except MAT&MT =	926		920		955		733.6
Only STDs =	800		699		688		623.5
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	15.8		27.9		23.7		16.9

TAR value : 200/300 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0, “set A” cost parameters

Table 4. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **No-correlations** in TAR exercise.

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.3	18.4
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.4	17.0
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.2	9.6
4	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.5	8.2
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.6	5.9
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.4	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.9	4.5
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.7	3.4
9	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.0	2.1
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	1.5	2.0

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 5. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations*** in TAR exercise.

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.4
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.2
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.3
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.9	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.0
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.7	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.4	3.7
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.1
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.8	1.9

* Ref: G. Palmiotti et al., “Nuclear Data Target Accuracies for GenIV Systems Based on the Use of New Covariance Data”, ND2010

“The impact of correlation terms is very significant in TAR assessments evaluation and produces very stringent requirements in ND”, Ref. : ND2010

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

❑ **J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0, “set A – set C” cost param.**

Table 6. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set A**.

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.4
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.2
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.3
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.9	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.0
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.7	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.4	3.7
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.1
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.8	1.9

Table7 . Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C**.

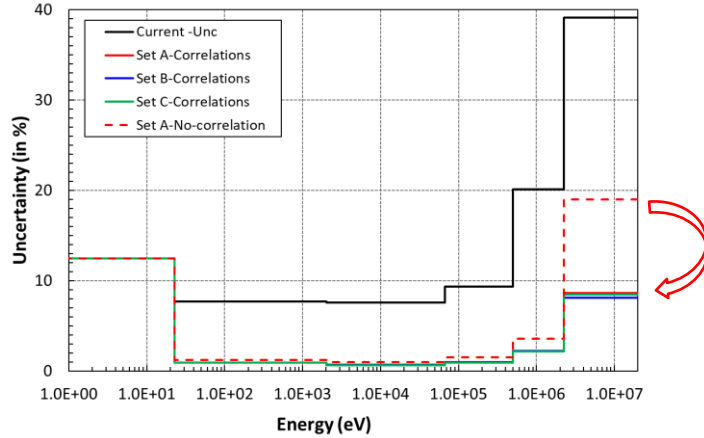
Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

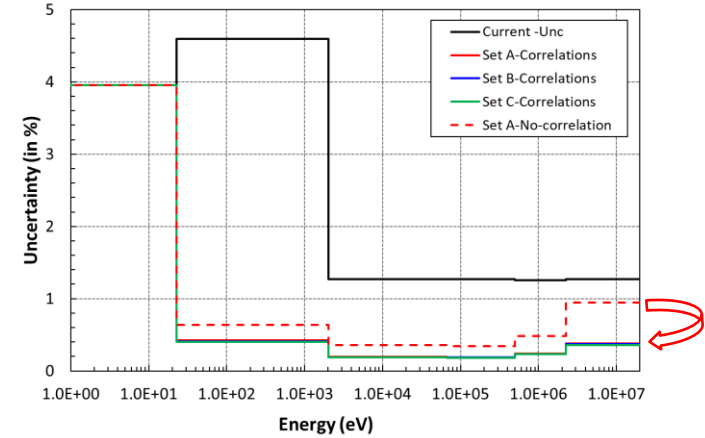
TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

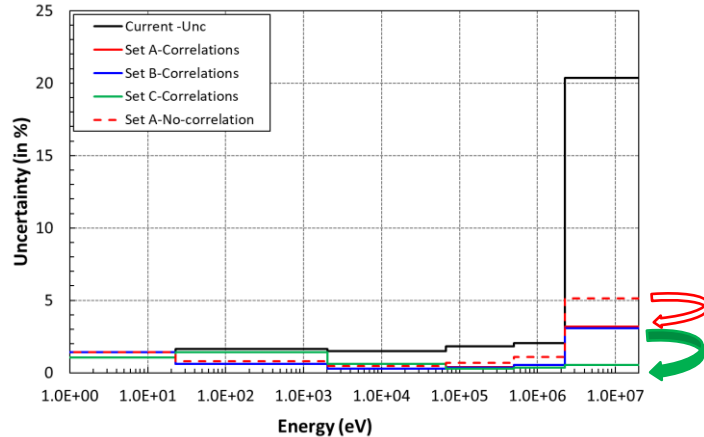
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TAR Exercise: JSFR-750MWe and TAR=200 pcm



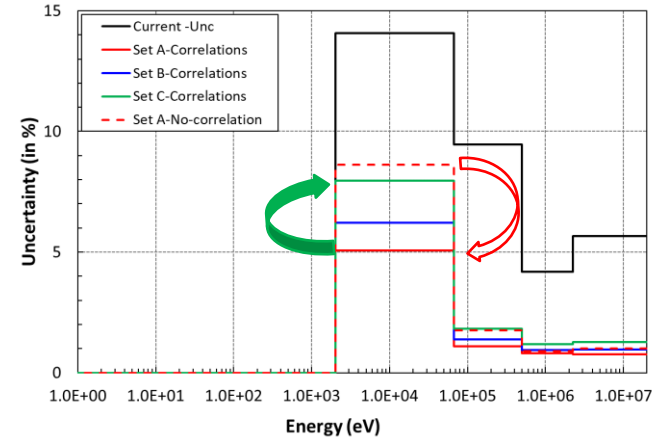
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TAR Exercise: JSFR-750MWe and TAR=200 pcm



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TAR Exercise: JSFR-750MWe and TAR=200 pcm



ENDF/B-VIII.0 Uncertainties: $^{238}\text{U}(n,n')$
TAR Exercise: JSFR-750MWe and TAR=200 pcm



❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 and other evaluations

Table 8. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VII.1**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	24.3	1.4	38.4
2	u-238(n,inelastic)	2	15.5	1.3	27.1
3	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	8.4	0.8	4.6
4	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.4	2.9
5	u-238(n,elastic)	2	7.8	1.1	2.5
6	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	10.4	1.2	2.2
7	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	9.5	1.8	2.0
8	pu-240(n,gamma)	2	59.3	2.5	1.5
9	pu-239(n,chi)	1	2.7	0.6	1.4
10	o-16(n,gamma)	1	50	2.6	1.3
11	u-238(n,elastic)	1	16.7	2.1	1.1

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VII.1: 951 pcm

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

□ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 – Impact of CC btw MATs

Table 8. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0 – noCC in MATs**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.4
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.2
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.3	9.3
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.5	5.3
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.7	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.4	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.1
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	1.0	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.4	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

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❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 – TAR Methodology

Table 8. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.1	18.8
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.1	17.6
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.7	8.3
4	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.4	8.1
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.3	5.1
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.2	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.5	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.9
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.3	2.3
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.6	1.9
11	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.7	1.9

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm
TAR selection of 45 “variables” ~ 98% uncertainty diag.

- Residual unc (Rj) = 95.6 pcm
- Unselected (Uj) = 88.3 pcm
- Selected (Cj) = 151.4 pcm
- (Cj) +(Uj) = 175.3 pcm

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 – TAR Methodology

Table 9bis. Target accuracy assessment for JSFR (pcm) : **45 parameters selected**
TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0**

		G+C	G+C+F	P	Total
No correlation	Initial	602	605	72	609
	Final	174	186	72	200
With Correlation	Initial	873	884	96	889
	Final	151	175	96	200

- ❑ G+C: uncertainty for selected parameters
 - G: Standard deviations
 - C: Correlations
- ❑ G+C+F: uncertainty among selected and unselected variables
- ❑ P: uncertainty residual term

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.1	18.8
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.1	17.6
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.7	8.3
4	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.4	8.1
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.3	5.1
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.2	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.5	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.9
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.3	2.3
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.6	1.9
11	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.7	1.9

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm
TAR selection of 45 “variables” ~ 98% uncertainty diag.

- Residual unc (Rj) = 96 pcm
- Selected: (Gj+Cj) = 151 pcm
- (Gj+Cj) +(Fj) = 175 pcm
- Unselected (Fj) = 88 pcm

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 – Impact of Standards

Table 8. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0 + unc_standards**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.5	15
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.5	13.8
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.2	9.3
4	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.5	7.9
5	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.2	5.8
6	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.6	5.7
7	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.2	4.5
8	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.2	4.5
9	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.2	2.2
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.2	2.2
11	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.5	2

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

○ $\Delta x_i \geq \text{unc. standards\%}$. For the rest: $\Delta x_i \geq 0.2\%$

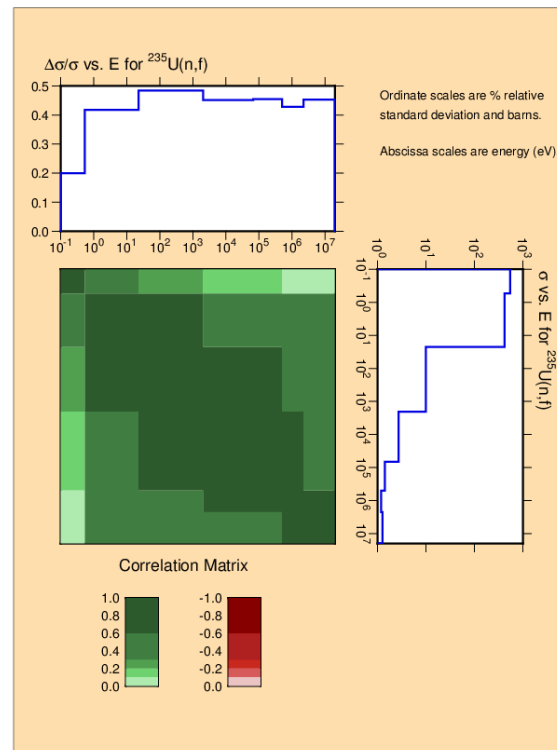
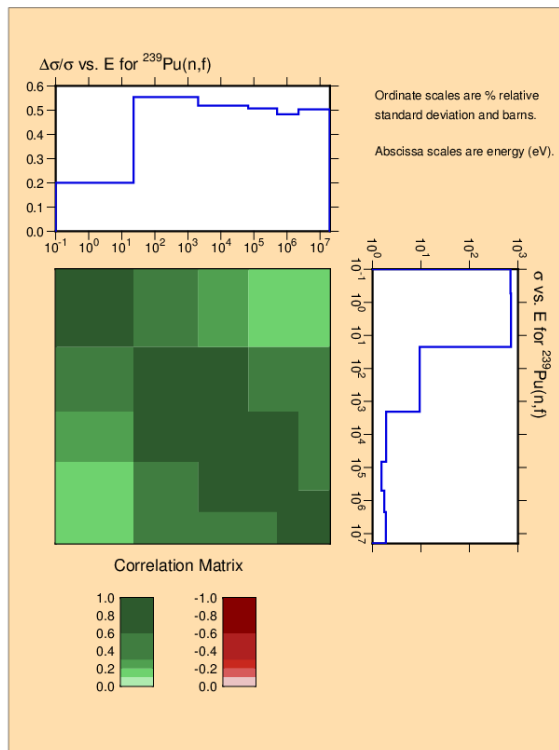
❑ Low uncertainties- Standards:

- **239Pu(n,fission)**
- **235U(n,fission)**
- **238U(n,fission)**

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

□ Uncertainty – Impact of Standards



IAEA NEUTRON DATA STANDARDS (2017)

<https://www-nds.iaea.org/standards/>

□ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0 – more reliable TAR values

Table 9bis. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0 + unc_standards**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.5	18
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.5	16.6
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	2.1	11
4	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.8	6.8
5	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.5	5.5
6	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	1.3	5.1
7	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.6	4.1
8	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.1	2.4
9	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	1.5	2.4
10	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.6	2.1
11	pu-240(n,gamma)	2	59.3	4.8	2.1

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 9. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise – **set C. ENDF/B-VIII.0 + unc_standards**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.5	15
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.5	13.8
3	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	0.2	9.3
4	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.5	7.9
5	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.2	5.8
6	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.6	5.7
7	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.2	4.5
8	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.2	4.5
9	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.2	2.2
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	0.2	2.2
11	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.5	2

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

○ $\Delta x_i \geq$ unc. standards% . For the rest: $\Delta x_i \geq 0.2\%$

TAR JSFR/keff value : 300 pcm

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TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

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❑ J-SFR: TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0: Other integral parameters

Table 10. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0: **keff**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 11. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0: **SVR**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	1.7	50.2
2	na-23(n,elastic)	3	7.3	2.8	18.2
3	na-23(n,inelastic)	2	11.8	6.1	17.8
4	pu-239(n,gamma)	5	7.7	3.8	4.8
5	na-23(n,elastic)	2	6.8	3.9	3.6
6	o-16(n,elastic-P1)	2	58.5	13.7	2.9
7	na-23(n,gamma)	1	56.9	16.5	1.3
8	o-16(n,inelastic)	1	265.2	55.1	0.3
9	pu-240(n,fission)	5	18.9	12.6	0.3
10	na-23(n,gamma)	2	67.5	25.8	0.3
11	u-238(n,elastic-P1)	2	0	10	-0.2

Total SVR unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 5.9%

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019

TAR JSFR/SVR value: 3%

❑ TAR preliminary results for ENDF/B-VIII.0: Other systems

Table 12. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0: **J-SFR**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.2	18.5
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.2	17.3
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.2	9.4
4	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	1.5	8.4
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.4	5.2
6	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.3	5.1
7	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	0.6	4.0
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.3	3.8
9	pu-239(n,fission)	1	1.3	0.4	2.2
10	pu-239(n,gamma)	3	9.3	0.9	1.9
11	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.3	1.8

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 969 pcm

Table 13. Target accuracy requirement on top-10 most important reactions. **Correlations** in TAR exercise - set C, ENDF/B-VIII.0: **ESFR**

Rank #	Reaction	Energy Group	Current (%)	Target (%)	Rel. Unc. Reduction (%)
1	pu-239(n,fission)	3	1.3	0.3	18.1
2	pu-239(n,fission)	4	1.3	0.3	16.4
3	pu-239(n,fission)	2	1.3	0.4	8.8
4	u-238(n,gamma)	4	1.5	0.4	5.9
5	pu-239(n,fission)	5	4.6	0.6	5.5
6	u-238(n,inelastic)	1	5.7	1.5	5.0
7	fe-56(n,inelastic)	2	18.9	2.7	4.8
8	u-238(n,gamma)	3	1.8	0.5	4.5
9	pu-239(n,gamma)	4	7.5	1.4	3.2
10	u-238(n,inelastic)	2	4.2	1.5	3.0
11	o-16(n,inelastic)	1	265.2	7	2.4

Total keff unc. due to ND with ENDF/B-VIII.0: 928 pcm

TAR JSFR/keff value : 200 pcm

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TAR ESFR/keff value: 300 pcm

□ **1st Phase: Definition of TAR**

- So far, ALFRED, ASTRID, ESFR-SMART and JSFR
- **More reactors + sensitivity profiles: SMR, MSR, ...Other systems ?**

□ **2nd Phase: Uncertainty Quantifications**

- Different libraries and associate covariance data (e.g. ENDF/B-VIII.0)
- Assessment of 7-energy groups

□ **3rd Phase: Performing TAR with inverse approach**

- 7-energy groups
- Correlation and no-correlation
- Different set of cost parameters
- Impact of different assumptions
- One system and all parameters: e.g. JSFR

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- *ALFRED*
- *ESFR-SMART*
- *ASTRID*
- *JSFR*



□ **ALFRED: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**

Table 1. Uncertainties (in pcm) for the k_{eff} due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	454	Pu239(n,fission)	599	Pu240(n,fission)	522	U238(n,gamma)	320.9
Pu239(n,gamma)	263	Pu239(n,gamma)	262	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-434	Pu239(n,fission)	265.4
Pu239(n,fission)	207	U238(n,gamma)	208	Pu239(nubar)	312	Pu239(n,gamma)	221.9
U238(n,gamma)	163	Pu239(nubar)	190	Pu239(n,fission)	281	Pb206(n,n')	186.8
Pu240(n,gamma)	136	Fe56(n,n')	174	U238(n,gamma)	265	Pu239(CHI)	176.0
All correlations =	701		865		827		674.6
Except MAT =	700		814		827		658.2
Except MAT&MT =	688		817		888		653.1
Only STDs =	579		579		645		551.3
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	17.4		33.1		22.0		18.3

TAR value : 435 pcm

Ref.: D. M. Castelluccio et al., Nuclear Data Target Accuracy Requirements for Advanced Reactors: The ALFRED Case, Annals of Nuclear Energy 162 (2021) 108533



□ ALFRED: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 2. Uncertainties (in %) for the coolant density coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	45.1	Pb206(n,n')	14.0	Pb206(n,n')	43.0	Pb206(n,n')	43.5
Pb206(n,n')	14.0	Fe56(n,n')	14.0	Pb207(n,n')	30.1	Pb207(n,n')	30.4
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	13.7	Pb207(n,n')	13.1	Pb208(n,n')	20.7	Pb208(n,n')	20.5
Pb207(n,n')	13.1	U238(n,n')	10.3	U238(n,n')	14.1	U238(n,n')	14.3
Fe56(n,elastic)	8.2	O16(n,n')	9.6	Pu239(CHI)	10.9	Fe56(n,n')	10.5
All correlations =	57.0		35.0		62.3		64.7
Except MAT =	57.0		35.6		62.3		64.7
Except MAT&MT =	55.1		36.1		62.6		63.2
Only STDs =	49.8		33.4		61.3		61.7
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	12.6		4.4		1.7		4.6

TAR value : none (> 14.7%)

Ref.: D. M. Castelluccio et al., Nuclear Data Target Accuracy Requirements for Advanced Reactors: The ALFRED Case, Annals of Nuclear Energy 162 (2021) 108533



□ ALFRED: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 3. Uncertainties (in %) for the Doppler coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	8.5	Fe56(n,n')	3.3	U238(n,n')	3.8	U238(n,n')	2.7
Fe56(n,elastic)	2.3	U238(n,n')	2.2	U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	2.2	Fe56(n,n')	2.2
Fe56(n,n')	1.7	Pu239(n,fission)	2.2	U238(n,gamma)-(n,n')	1.8	Pb206(n,n')	1.6
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	-1.6	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.5	Pb206(n,n')	1.6	Fe56(n,elastic)	1.3
Pu239(n,n')	1.4	Pu239(n,n')	1.4	Pu240(n,fission)	1.5	Pu239(CHI)	1.3
All correlations =	9.4		5.7		6.1		4.9
Except MAT =	9.4		5.7		6.1		4.9
Except MAT&MT =	9.5		5.7		5.4		5.0
Only STDs =	8.9		5.4		5.2		4.8
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	5.1		4.9		14.0		2.9

TAR value : none (> 2.94%)

Ref.: D. M. Castelluccio et al., Nuclear Data Target Accuracy Requirements for Advanced Reactors: The ALFRED Case, Annals of Nuclear Energy 162 (2021) 108533


 □ **ASTRID: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**
Table 4. Uncertainties (in pcm) for the k_{eff} due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	807	Pu239(n,fission)	601	Pu240(n,fission)	462	U238(n,gamma)	396.1
Pu239(n,gamma)	231	U238(n,gamma)	261	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-383	U238(n,n')	274.2
U238(n,gamma)	220	Pu239(n,gamma)	254	U238(n,gamma)	327	Pu239(n,fission)	255.4
Pu239(n,fission)	202	U238(n,n')	234	U238(n,gamma)-(n,n')	320	Pu239(CHI)	236.9
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	194	Fe56(n,n')	204	Pu239(n,fission)	306	Pu239(n,gamma)	195.0
All correlations =	988		919		894		728.2
Except MAT =	987		859		894		713.5
Except MAT&MT =	968		867		911		710.3
Only STDs =	841		649		668		600.3
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	14.8		29.4		25.3		17.6

TAR value : 300 pcm

Ref.: L. Buiron, WPEC/SG47 Target Accuracy Requirements for Sodium Fast Reactor, WPEC/SG46, April 2021.



❑ **ASTRID: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**

Table 5. Uncertainties (in %) for the full void coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	13.6	Pu239(n,fission)	16.0	Pu239(n,fission)	11.4	Na23(n,n')	13.2
Na23(n,n')	8.3	Pu239(n,gamma)	8.8	Pu239(n,gamma)	6.2	U238(n,gamma)	6.0
Fe56(n,elastic)	5.9	Na23(n,n')	8.3	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-4.6	Na23(n,n')-(n,elastic)	5.2
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	5.8	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-4.5	U238(n,n')	4.5	U238(n,n')	4.5
U238(n,gamma)	4.3	U238(n,n')	3.7	U238(n,gamma)	4.1	Pu239(n,fission)	4.3
All correlations =	20.0		21.6		16.5		18.8
Except MAT =	20.0		21.5		16.5		18.7
Except MAT&MT =	19.2		22.1		16.9		18.0
Only STDs =	17.2		21.0		16.2		17.5
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	14.0		2.7		1.7		7.1

TAR value : ???

Ref.: ...



□ **ESFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**

Table 6. Uncertainties (in pcm) for the k_{eff} due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	1052	Pu239(n,fission)	576	Pu240(n,fission)	536	U238(n,gamma)	401.8
U238(n,gamma)	212	U238(n,n')	291	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-425	U238(n,n')	346.0
Pu239(n,gamma)	209	U238(n,gamma)	265	U238(n,gamma)-(n,n')	368	Pu239(CHI)	259.8
Pu239(n,fission)	197	Pu239(n,gamma)	216	U238(n,n')	368	Pu239(n,fission)	250.1
Pu239(CHI)	172	Fe56(n,n')	211	U238(n,gamma)	337	Pu239(n,gamma)	178.6
All correlations =	1199		928		961		773.9
Except MAT =	1199		866		961		758.3
Except MAT&MT =	1188		873		985		756.5
Only STDs =	1046		654		714		644.4
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	12.8		29.5		25.8		16.7

TAR value : 300 pcm

Ref.: L. Buiron, WPEC/SG47 Target Accuracy Requirements for Sodium Fast Reactor, WPEC/SG46, April 2021.


 □ **ESFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**
Table 7. Uncertainties (in %) for the full void coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
Na23(n,n')	5.8	Pu239(n,fission)	9.5	Pu239(n,fission)	6.9	Na23(n,n')	8.5
U238(n,n')	5.1	Na23(n,n')	5.8	Pu239(n,gamma)	3.1	U238(n,gamma)	3.7
Na23(n,elastic)	4.6	Na23(n,elastic)	4.5	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-2.6	Na23(n,elastic)	2.9
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	3.0	Pu239(n,gamma)	4.4	U238(n,gamma)	2.3	Pu239(n,fission)	2.4
U238(n,gamma)	2.7	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-2.5	Na23(n,elastic)	2.2	Pu241(n,fission)	2.0
All correlations =	10.8		13.2		9.3		10.9
Except MAT =	10.8		13.2		9.3		10.9
Except MAT&MT =	10.3		13.4		9.5		10.9
Only STDs =	9.5		13.0		9.3		10.8
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	11.2		1.1		-0.5		1.1

TAR value : ???

Ref.: ...


 □ **ESFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**
Table 8. Uncertainties (in %) for the temperature coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,elastic)	2.7	Na23(n,elastic)	1.8	Fe56(n,elastic)	1.8	Fe56(n,elastic)	2.3
Fe56(n,elastic)	1.9	Pu239(n,fission)	1.3	Pu240(n,fission)	1.7	U238(n,elastic)	1.1
Na23(n,elastic)	1.8	CR52(n,elastic)	1.3	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	0.9	Na23(n,elastic)	1.0
U238(n,n')	1.5	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.3	Pu239(n,gamma)	0.9	U238(n,n')	0.7
Cr52(n,elastic)	1.3	Pu239(n,n')	1.2	Pu239(n,fission)	0.8	Pu239(CHI)	0.6
All correlations =	4.6		3.7		3.4		3.3
Except MAT =	4.6		3.6		3.4		3.3
Except MAT&MT =	4.7		3.6		3.1		3.3
Only STDs =	5.1		4.1		3.0		3.7
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	-10.8		-10.2		10.4		-12.0

TAR value : 5%

Ref.: L. Buiron, WPEC/SG47 Target Accuracy Requirements for Sodium Fast Reactor, WPEC/SG46, April 2021.



□ **ESFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)**

Table 9. Uncertainties (in %) for control rod worth the due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	1.3	Pu239(n,fission)	0.8	Pu240(n,fission)	1.0	Fe56(n,elastic)	0.6
Fe56(n,elastic)	1.0	Na23(n,elastic)	0.7	Pu239(CHI)	0.5	U238(n,n')	0.5
Na23(n,elastic)	0.7	Pu240(CHI)	0.3	O16(n,elastic)	0.5	Na23(n,elastic)	0.5
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	0.6	U238(n,n')	0.3	U238(n,fission)	0.5	U238(n,elastic)	0.4
O16(n,elastic)	0.5	U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	-0.3	Fe56(n,elastic)	0.5	U238(n,gamma)	0.4
All correlations =	2.1		1.5		1.7		1.4
Except MAT =	2.1		1.4		1.7		1.4
Except MAT&MT =	2.0		1.4		1.7		1.4
Only STDs =	1.7		1.2		1.3		1.1
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	18.8		20.1		21.4		21.5

TAR value : 5%

Ref.: L. Buiron, WPEC/SG47 Target Accuracy Requirements for Sodium Fast Reactor, WPEC/SG46, April 2021.



□ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 10. Uncertainties (in pcm) for the k_{eff} due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	721	Pu239(n,fission)	615	Pu240(n,fission)	515	U238(n,gamma)	396.5
Pu239(n,gamma)	253	Fe56(n,n')	299	Pu240(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-460	Pu239(n,fission)	267.4
U238(n,gamma)	216	U238(n,gamma)	264	U238(n,gamma)	333	U238(n,n')	247.1
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	211	Pu239(n,gamma)	255	Pu239(nubar)	316	Pu239(CHI)	238.1
Pu239(n,fission)	210	U238(n,n')	213	Pu239(n,fission)	306	Fe56(n,n')	224.2
All correlations =	951		969		903		750.0
Except MAT =	950		913		903		736.8
Except MAT&MT =	926		920		955		733.6
Only STDs =	800		699		688		623.5
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	15.8		27.9		23.7		16.9

TAR value : 200 pcm

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019



❑ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 11. Uncertainties (in %) for the Doppler coefficient due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	2.4	Pu239(n,gamma)	2.0	O16(n,elastic)	1.4	Na23(n,elastic)	1.7
Na23(n,elastic)	1.9	Pu239(n,fission)	2.0	Pu240(n,fission)	1.4	U238(n,n')	1.1
Fe56(n,elastic)	1.7	Na23(n,elastic)	1.9	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.4	Fe56(n,elastic)	1.1
O16(n,elastic)	1.4	Fe56(n,n')	1.1	U238(n,n')	1.2	Pu239(n,fission)	0.8
Pu239(n,gamma)	0.8	U238(n,n')	1.0	Pu239(n,fission)	1.1	Fe56(n,n')	0.8
All correlations =	4.1		3.9		3.5		3.0
Except MAT =	4.1		3.8		3.5		3.0
Except MAT&MT =	4.1		3.9		3.5		3.0
Only STDs =	3.3		3.3		2.8		2.4
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	19.7		13.8		18.4		19.3

TAR value : 3%

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019



❑ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 12. Uncertainties (in %) for the burnup reactivity swing (BRS) due to nuclear data (top-5 major

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
Pu239(n,gamma)	3.1	U238(n,gamma)	3.5	U238(n,gamma)	4.4	U238(n,gamma)	5.2
U238(n,gamma)	2.9	Pu239(n,gamma)	3.0	Pu240(n,gamma)	2.7	Pu239(n,gamma)	2.5
Pu240(n,gamma)	1.5	Pu239(n,fission)	2.4	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.7	Pu240(n,gamma)	1.4
U238(n,n')	1.3	Pu240(n,gamma)	1.5	U238(n,gamma)-(n,n')	1.4	Pu239(n,fission)	1.1
Pu241(n,gamma)	1.2	Pu241(n,gamma)	1.2	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-1.3	U238(n,n')	0.7
All correlations =	5.0		5.6		5.8		6.1
Except MAT =	5.0		5.7		5.8		6.1
Except MAT&MT =	4.9		5.6		5.7		6.1
Only STDs =	4.2		4.3		4.5		5.4
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	16.1		23.9		21.5		11.5

TAR value : 200 pcm = 18% (=1.1%dk/kk')

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019



□ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 13. Uncertainties (in %) for the control rod worth (CRW) due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
Fe56(n,elastic)	2.0	O16(n,elastic-P1)	1.6	U238(n,elastic-P1)	1.5	Fe56(n,elastic)	1.2
U238(n,n')	1.2	Pu239(n,fission)	1.1	Pu240(n,fission)	1.2	U238(n,elastic)	0.9
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	-1.1	Na23(n,elastic)	1.0	O16(n,elastic)	0.9	Na23(n,elastic)	0.9
Na23(n,elastic)	1.0	B10(n,n')	0.8	Fe56(n,elastic)	0.9	U238(n,gamma)	0.8
O16(n,elastic)	0.9	U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	0.6	B10(n,n')	0.8	U238(n,n')	0.7
All correlations =	2.8		2.8		3.0		2.3
Except MAT =	2.8		2.8		3.0		2.3
Except MAT&MT =	3.0		2.7		2.8		2.3
Only STDs =	2.4		2.4		2.3		1.8
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)	13.2		15.0		23.3		23.5

TAR value : 2%

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019



□ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 14. Uncertainties (in %) for the power distribution (F49) due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
U238(n,n')	1.7	O16(n,elastic-P1)	1.1	U238(n,elastic-P1)	0.9	U238(n,gamma)	0.7
U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	-1.1	Pu239(n,fission)	0.8	U238(n,n')	0.7	U238(n,n')	0.6
Fe56(n,elastic)	0.5	U238(n,n')	0.5	U238(n,gamma)-(n,n')	0.6	Fe56(n,elastic)	0.4
U238(n,gamma)	0.4	U238(n,n')-(n,elastic)	0.5	Pu239(n,fission)	0.6	U238(n,elastic)	0.4
U238(n,elastic)	0.4	Fe56(n,n')	0.4	U238(n,gamma)	0.5	Fe56(n,n')	0.4
All correlations =	1.6		1.7		1.7		1.3
Except MAT =	1.6		1.7		1.7		1.3
Except MAT&MT =	2.0		1.6		1.5		1.3
Only STDs =	1.8		1.6		1.3		1.2
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)=	-7.9		9.2		20.1		6.3

TAR value : 1%

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019



□ JSFR: Sensitivity Analysis (SA) / Uncertainty Quantification (UQ)

Table 15. Uncertainties (in %) for the sodium void reactivity (SVR) due to nuclear data (top-5 major contributors)

ENDF/B-VII.1		ENDF/B-VIII.0		JEFF-3.3		JENDL-4.0u	
Na23(n,elastic)	2.8	Pu239(n,fission)	3.9	Pu239(n,fission)	2.9	Na23(n,n')	4.1
Na23(n,n')	2.7	Na23(n,elastic)	2.7	Na23(n,elastic)	1.3	Na23(n,elastic)	1.8
U238(n,n')	1.3	Na23(n,n')	2.7	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.1	Na23(n,n')-(n,elastic)	-1.3
U238(n,gamma)	1.0	Pu239(n,gamma)	1.5	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-1.0	U238(n,gamma)	1.3
Pu239(n,fission)	1.0	Pu239(n,fission)-(n,gamma)	-1.0	Na23(n,n')	0.9	Pu239(n,fission)	1.0
All correlations = 4.6		5.9		3.9		4.8	
Except MAT =	4.6		5.9		3.9		4.8
Except MAT&MT =	4.5		6.0		4.0		5.0
Only STDs =	4.0		5.7		3.8		4.9
Uncertainty drops due to no correlations (%)=	12.2		4.5		3.9		-1.5

TAR value : 3%

Ref.: K. Yokoyama, Input Information for SG46 Target Accuracy Requirements (TAR) Exercise using Models of 750MWe JSFR Core, WPEC/SG46 November 2019