

**Third Information Exchange Meeting on  
the Nuclear Production of Hydrogen**  
including Second HTTR Workshop

Japan Atomic Energy Agency (JAEA), Oarai, Japan  
**5 - 7 October 2005**

**Wednesday, 5 October**

< Shuttle bus : Mito (8:00) to Oarai-site, registration (8:30-9:00) >

09:00-09:15    **Opening**  
*T. Dujardin, OECD/NEA*  
*O.OYAMADA, JAEA*

**Session 1:    The Prospects for Hydrogen in Future Energy Structures and Nuclear Power's role.**

**Chaired by M.C.Petri (ANL)**

- 1    09:15    *M. Hori (NSA), M. Numata, T. Amaya, Y. Fujimura*  
Synergy of Fossil Fuels and Nuclear Energy for the Energy Future
- 2    09:40    *G. Rothwell (Stanford Univ.), E. Bertel*  
Can Nuclear Power Compete in the Hydrogen Economy?
- 3    10:05    *S.Shiozawa (JAEA)*  
Future Plan on Environmentally Friendly Hydrogen Production by Nuclear Energy

BREAK 10:30-10:50

**Session 2:    The Status of Nuclear Hydrogen Research and Development Efforts around the Globe.**

**Chaired by M. Methnani (IAEA) /W.A.Summers (SRNL)**

- 4    10:50    *M. Hori (NSA), S. Shiozawa*  
Research and Development for Nuclear Production of Hydrogen in Japan
- 5    11:15    *D. Henderson (DOE), A. Taylor*  
The U.S. Department of Energy Research and Development Program on Hydrogen Production Using Nuclear Energy
- 6    11:40    *F. Le Naour (CEA)*  
An Overview of the CEA Road-map for Hydrogen Production

LUNCH 12:15 - 13:20

**Chaired by M. Methnani (IAEA) /W.A.Summers (SRNL)**

- 7    13:20    *Y. Sun (INET), Y. Zhang, J. Chen, Y. Xu, J. Xu, Z. Zhang*  
R&D Effort on Nuclear Hydrogen Production Technology in China
- 8    13:45    *A.I. Miller (AECL)*  
Hydrogen: An Update on Canadian Activities

- 9 14:10 Y.J. Shin (KAERI), J.H. Kim, J.H. Chang, W.S. Park, J.K. Park  
Nuclear Hydrogen Production Project in Korea
- 10 14:35 K. Verfondern (FZ-Juelich), W. von Lensa  
Michelangelo Network Recommendations on Nuclear Hydrogen Production

BREAK 15:00 – 15:15

**Session 3: Integrated Nuclear Hydrogen Production Systems.**

**Chaired by A. Miller (AECL) / K. Verfondern (FZ-Juelich)**

- 11 15:15 X.L. Yan (JAEA), K. Kunitomi, R. Hino  
GTHTR300 Design Variants for Production of Electricity, Hydrogen, or Both
- 12 15:40 M. Richards (GA), A. Shenoy, K. Schultz, L. Brown, E. Harvego, F. Okamoto, N. Handa  
H<sub>2</sub>-MHR Conceptual Designs Based on the SI Process and H T E
- 13 16:05 P. Anzieu (CEA) P. Aujollet, D. Barbier, A. Bassi, F. Bertrand, A. Le Duigou, J. Leybros, G. Rodriguez  
Coupling a Hydrogen Production Process to a Nuclear Reactor
- 14 16:30 T. Iyoku (JAEA), N. Sakaba, S. Nakagawa, Y. Tachibana, S. Kasahara, K. Kawasaki  
HTTR Test Program towards Coupling with the IS Process
- 15 16:55 H. Ohashi (JAEA), Y. Inaba, T. Nishihara, T. Takeda, K. Hayashi, Y. Inagaki  
Current Status of Research and Development on System Integration Technology for Connection between HTGR and Hydrogen Production System at JAERI

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DINNER at Asahi-bunshitsu, 18:00 - 20 :00

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**Session 4: Nuclear Hydrogen Technologies and Design Concepts.**

**Chaired by K.Kunitomi(JAEA) / J.S.Herring (INL)**

- 16 09:00 K. Onuki (JAEA), S. Kubo, A. Terada, N. Sakaba, R. Hino  
Study on Thermochemical Iodine-Sulfur Process at JAERI
- 17 09:25 S. Kubo (JAEA), S. Shimizu, H. Nakajima, K. Onuki  
Studies on Continuous and Closed-cycle Hydrogen Production by Thermo-chemical Water-splitting Iodine-Sulfur Process at JAERI
- 18 09:50 A. Terada, Y. Imai, H. Noguchi, H. Ota, A. Kanagawa, S. Ishikura, S. Kubo, J. Iwatsuki, K. Onuki, R. Hino (JAEA)  
Experimental and Analytical Results on H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and SO<sub>3</sub> Decomposers

- 19 10:15 *M.A. Lewis, M.C. Petri (ANL), J.G. Masin,*  
A Scoping Flowsheet Methodology for Evaluating Alternative Thermochemical Cycles

BREAK 10:40 – 11:00

**Chaired by K.Kunitomi(JAEA) / J.S.Herring (INL)**

- 20 11:00 *S. Suppiah (AECL), J. Li, R. Sadhankar, M. Lewis*  
Study of the Hybrid Cu-Cl Cycle for Nuclear Hydrogen Production
- 21 11:25 *M.A. Khan, Y.T. Chen (Univ. Nevada)*  
Preliminary Process Analysis and Simulation of Thermo-chemical Hydrogen Generation Using Copper-Chlorine Cycle
- 22 11:50 *W.A. Summers (SRNL), M.B. Gorenssek, M.R. Buckner*  
The Hybrid Sulfur Cycle for Nuclear Hydrogen Production

LUNCH 12:15 - 13:20

**Chaired by Y.J. Shin (KAERI) / T.Takeda (JAEA)**

- 23 13:20 *P. Anzieu (CEA), P. Carles, A. Le Duigou, X. Vitart, F. Lemort*  
The Sulfur-Iodine and Others Thermochemical Processes Studies at CEA
- 24 13:45 *K.K. Bae (KIER), G.J. Hwang, C.S. Park, C.H. Kim, S.H. Lee*  
A Study on Hydrogen Production by Thermochemical Water-splitting IS Process
- 25 14:10 *P. Zhang (INET), B. Yu, J. Xu*  
Present Research Status and Development Plan of Nuclear Hydrogen Production Programme in INET

BREAK 14:35 - 14:55

**Chaired by Y.J. Shin (KAERI) / T.Takeda (JAEA)**

- 26 14:55 *T. Nakagiri (JAEA), T. Kase, S. Kato, K. Aoto*  
Development of the Thermochemical and Electrolytic Hybrid Hydrogen Production Process for Sodium Cooled FBR
- 27 15:20 *J.S. Herring (INL), J.E. O'Brien, C.M. Stoots, G.L. Hawkes, P. Lessing, W. Windes, D. Wendt, M.Mc. Kellar, M.A. Sohal, J.J. Hartvigsen*  
Progress in High-temperature Electrolysis for Hydrogen Production
- 28 15:45 *Y. Kato (TITech)*  
Possibility of a Chemical Hydrogen Carrier System Based on Nuclear Power

BREAK 16:10 - 16:30

**Session 5: Basic and Applied Science in Support of Nuclear Hydrogen Production.**

**Chaired by Y.Kato(TITech)**

- 29 16:30 *C.H. Kim (KIER), G.J. Hwang, C.S. Park, S.H. Lee, B.K. Kim, K.K. Bae*  
A Study on the HI Concentration by Polymer Electrolyte Membrane Electrodialysis

- 30 16:55 H.S. Choi (Kyungil Univ.), G.J. Hwang, C.S. Park, K.K. Bae, H.J. Kim  
The Preparation Characteristics of Hydrogen Permselective Membrane for Higher Performance in IS Process of Nuclear Hydrogen Production

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### Session 5 (continued):

**Chaired by P.Anzieu (CEA) / Y.Sun (INET)**

- 31 09:00 H. Karasawa (Hitachi), A. Sasahira, K. Hoshino  
Thermal Decomposition of SO<sub>3</sub>
- 32 09:25 S. Fukada (Kyushu Univ.), K. Onoda, S. Suemori  
Direct Energy Conversion by Proton-conducting Ceramic Fuel Cell Supplied with CH<sub>4</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O at 600 – 800°C
- 33 09:50 M. Ozawa (JAEA), R. Fujita, T. Suzuki, Y. Fujii  
Separation and Utilization of Rare Metal Fission Products in Nuclear Fuel Cycle as for Hydrogen Production Catalysts

BREAK 10:15 - 10:35

**Chaired by P.Anzieu (CEA) / Y.Sun (INET)**

- 34 10:35 H. Kawamura, M. Mori, S.Z. Chu (CRIEPI), M. Uotani  
Electrical Conductive Perovskite Anodes in Sulfur-based Hybrid Cycle
- 35 11:00 Y. Izumizaki (TITech), K.C. Park, Y. Tachibana, H. Tomiyasu, Y. Fujii  
Generation of H<sub>2</sub> by Decomposition of Pulp in Supercritical Water with Ruthenium(IV) Oxide Catalyst

11:30-12:00 **Discussions and Preparation of Recommendations for the Path Forward**  
Chaired by R.Hino (JAEA) / M.C.Petri (ANL)

**End of the NEA meeting ; 12:10**

12:15-13:20 LUNCH

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### Special session in the framework of second HTTR workshop (pm, 7 October)

- 13:20-14:50 **JAEA's R&D Activities on Gas Turbine, Fuel etc.**  
Presentation by K. Sawa / JAEA / Japan  
S. Nakagawa / JAEA / Japan  
Y. Tachibana / JAEAI / Japan  
S. Takada / JAEA / Japan  
(Chairman T.Iyoku / JAEA / Japan)
- 14:50-15:05 BREAK

15:05-15:20 **Concluding Remarks**  
*Y. Komori / JAEA / Japan*

15:20-16:50 **Technical Tour ; HTTR and Hydrogen Production Apparatus**

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