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UO₂-5wt%CeO₂

A study on the Effect of porosity and pore size distributions on the cyclic thermal shock behavior of UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ Pellets



The cyclic thermal shock behavior of the UO_2 -5wt%CeO₂ pellets were analysed in terms of porosity(density) and pore size distributions for UO_2 -5wt%CeO₂ pellets by adding different amount of AZB poreformer to UO_2 -5wt%CeO₂ and sintering at 1700 in reducing atmosphere for 4h. Cyclic thermal shock experiment and thermal conductivity measurements were simultaneously carried out by heating disc-shaped specimens up to 1073 K 1673 K and then cooling down to 343 K with Ar gas. The thermal conductivity

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values derived from the cooling behavior of sintered pellets are well agreed with those obtained by laser flash method. The sintered pellets show that the thermal conductivity decrease with decrease density, and crack propagation and pore size increases by cyclic thermal shock. The thermal conductivity values of UO_2 -5wt%CeO_2 pellets (97.7 93.3%T.D) with the bi-modal pore size distributions do not change at the temperature range of 1473 1073K for the 30 times of cyclic thermal shock, however, decreased in the range below 1073K. UO_2 -5wt%CeO_2 pellets have a mono-modal pore size distribution and the large pore shows that the thermal conductivity slightly decreases with cyclic thermal shock at the temperature range of 1473 473K.



laser flash method

UO₂ PuO₂ CeO₂ 7,

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(7) (mono-modal pore size distribution) UO₂-5wt% CeO₂

. [1(a),(d)]

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 UO2-5wt%CeO2
 1.0wt%AZB
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 2
 tubular mixing
 , continuous

 attrition milling(20
 /5
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 , 3 ton/cm²
 ,1700
 4
 H2

 95.5%T.D
 mono modal
 mono modal
 Mono modal
 Mono modal
 Mono modal

. [1(b),(d)]

UO2-5wt%CeO22tubular mixing, continuous attrition milling(20/5, 3 ton/cm²,17004H297.6%T.Dmono modal. [

1(c),(d)]

() (bi-modal pore size distribution) UO₂-5wt%CeO₂

 $UO_2-5wt\%CeO_2$ 1.5wt\% AZB7 +2tubular mixing, continuousattrition milling(20/5),38umAZB1.5%7 +2tubular mixing, 3 ton/cm²,17004H_293.3%T.Dbi-modal

. [2(a),(d)]

. [2(b),(d)] UO2-5wt%CeO2 2 tubular mixing , continuous attrition milling(20 AZB 0.2% 가 2 /5), 38um tubular mixing , 3ton/cm² ,1700 4 H_2 97.7%T.D bi-modal . [2(c),(d)] UO2-5wt%CeO2 () (Large pore) UO2-5wt%CeO2 2 tubular mixing , continuous attrition milling(20 /5), 38um AZB 3.0% 가 2 tubular mixing , 3ton/cm² ,1700 8 H_2 92.6%T.D large pore(10um , mono-modal) . [3(a),(c)] UO2-5wt%CeO2 2 tubular mixing , continuous attrition milling(20 /5) , 38um AZB 1.0% 가 2 tubular mixing , $3 ton/cm^2$, 1700 8 H_2 95.8%T.D large pore(10um , mono-modal) . [3(b),(c)]

 AZB
 71
 UO2-5wt%CeO2
 (water

 immersion)
 , (porosity%)
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 UO2-5wt%CeO2
 1mm
 disk
 ,

 paper(#600)
 [5]

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(2) UO2-5wt%CeO2 UO2-5wt%CeO2 IDR UO2 (0/U 2.00) reference sample J.H.Harding D.G Martin [6 8] [5] (K) .

 (3) U02-5wt%Ce02

 93 97%T.D
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 U02-5wt%Ce02
 Cyclic

 thermal shock test furnace
 1400
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 5000 cc/min
 N2 Gas

(50) [5] U02-5wt%Ce02 93%T.D, 95%T.D 97%T.D mono- modal bi-modal pore size distribution , U02-5wt%CeO2 92.6%T.D, 95.8%T.D modal pore size distribution 10um pore 3. (1) U02-5wt%Ce02 4 1400 가 N₂ gas(5000 93.7~97.6%T.D cc/min) 50 (mono -modal pore size distribution) UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ (K) . mono-modal pore size distribution UO2-5wt%CeO2 Laser flash method , mono-modal pore size distribution UO2-5wt%CeO2 가 473 ~ 1473K (2) UO2 -5wt%CeO2 가 N₂ gas(5000 5 1400 50 93.3~97.7%T.D cc/min) (bi-modal pore size distribution) UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ (K) UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ . mono-modal pore size distribution UO2-5wt%CeO2 4 , 473 ~ 1473K 가 가 473 ~ 1473K . UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ (3) (Large pore) 가 N₂ gas(5000 6 1400 92.6~95.8%T.D cc/min) 50 (Large pore, 10*um*) UO₂-5wt%CeO₂

(K)		. UO ₂ -5wt%CeO ₂					4	5
mono -modal	pore	size	distribution	bi -modal	pore	size	distribution	
UO ₂ -5wt%CeO ₂			473 ~ 14	473 ~ 1473K				
	, 95.8%T.D,		UO2 -5wt%	UO ₂ -5wt% CeO ₂		가 92.6%T.D		

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(4) UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂

7 93.7~97.6%T.D (mono-modal pore size distribution) UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ Cyclic thermal shock test furnace 30 가 1400 UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 97.6%T.D UO2 -5wt%CeO₂ 30 , 1473~ 873K 1400

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95.5%T.D UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ 1473~1173K

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, 1073K

가 93.7%T.D UO₂ -5wt% . CeO₂ 1473~1373K 가

,1273K ,1173K .

93.7%T.D~97.6%T.D UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ . UO₂ -5wt% 1400 CeO₂ 30 가 가

93.7%T.D~97.6%T.D 9 UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂

93.7%T.D UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 가

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(5) UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ 10 (bi -modal pore size distribution) 93.3~97.7%T.D UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ 97.7%T.D UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ 1400 30 , 1473~873K .

, 773K 95.4%T.D 93.3%T.D UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ 1473~1173K • ,1073K • (6) UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 11 (mono-modal pore size distribution & large . pore,10*um*) 92.6%T.D, 95.8%T.D UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 92.6%T.D, 95.8%T.D UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 1400 30 , 1473~473K . 4. 0.3, 0.5, 0.7, 1.0wt% 가 3 UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂ porefomer AZB , 1700 4 93%N₂+7%H₂ ton/cm² , • (1) UO₂-5wt% CeO₂ laser flash method 가 (2) UO_2 - 5wt%CeO₂ 가 가 , pore 가 . 97.6%T.D UO₂ - 5wt%CeO₂ (3) 1400 30 ,1473~873K . , 773K 가 . 95.5%T.D UO₂-5wt%CeO₂ 1473~1173K , 1073K 가 . 93.7%T.D UO₂-5wt% CeO₂ 1473~1373K • , 1273K

> 가 , 1173K

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(4)	97.7%T.D	O ₂	1473~8	873K	
•			,	, 773K	
		가	, 95	.4%T.D	93.3%T.D UO2 -5wt%CeO2
	1473~1173K		•		
	, 1073K				
(5)		92	2.6%T.D,	95.8%T.D	UO ₂ -5wt%CeO ₂
1400	30			, 1473~	- 473K

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(a) 92.6%T.D, (b) 95.8%T.D, (c) pore size distributions





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UO₂-5wt%CeO₂



UO2 -5wt%CeO2







UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂

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UO2 -5wt%CeO2



11. () UO₂ -5wt%CeO₂