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Core Characteristics of Burnable Absorbers for KSNP Advanced Fuel Assembly

150

가 Gadolinia, IFBA
(ZrB₂), Erbia가
18 (480
, EFPD) 2 64
(F_{xy}),
480 EFPD IFBA가 4.20 w/o 가
, Gadolinia 4.30 w/o, Erbia 4.43 w/o 가

Abstract

The development of advanced fuel assembly for KSNP (Korean Standard Nuclear Power Plant) is in progress. The equilibrium core characteristics for integral burnable absorbers of Gadolinia, IFBA(ZrB₂), Erbia with the advanced fuel assembly are analyzed. The fuel management ground rules for equilibrium core are the cycle length of 18-month (480 Effective Full Power Days, EFPD), feed assemblies of 64 and full low leakage loading pattern which twice burned fuel assemblies are loaded in core periphery. Each loading pattern for three burnable absorber types meets the design criteria for power peaking, peak rod discharge burnup, MTC limit and shutdown margin requirement. The required uranium feed enrichments to meet the cycle length of 480 EFPD are 4.20 w/o for IFBA, 4.30 for Gadolinia, 4.43 w/o for Erbia. Since the advanced fuel assembly have more enhanced moderation capability due to reduced fuel rod diameter, the total number of burnable absorber rods are increased in comparison with those of current reload core with standard fuel assembly.

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4 w/o

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[1,2,3]

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Pyrex, WABA, Integral B₄C, Gadolinia, IFBA(ZrB₂), Erbia

Integral B₄C, Gadolinia, IFBA

Erbia

Pyrex

WABA

가

가

가

1999

가

2006

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KSNP

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가

가

Gadolinia, IFBA

Erbia

가

가

가

2.

가

177

가

16X16

236

4

Waterhole

5

Waterhole

가

가

Waterhole

Waterhole

0.5 w/o

(Enrichment Zoning)

Water Gap

가

WH

V5H
UO₂

0.374"

0.382"

가

가

10%

가

55 GWD/MTU

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가

가

가 가

가

가

가

가

가

가

가

가

Gadolinia

2-1

, IFBA

Erbia

2-2

Gadolinia

8 w/o

Gadolinia 가

1.6 w/o

2-2

가

가 A+B

A

가

B

가

. IFBA

Erbia 가

2.5 mg/inch 2 w/o

가

Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia 가

7.5"

Axial Cutback

가

1.6 w/o

Axial Blanket

가

7.5" Axial

Blanket

1.6 w/o

WH

Axial Blanket

가 1.6 w/o

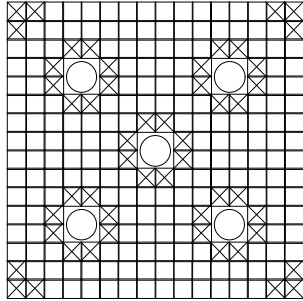
Gadolinia

Axial Blanket

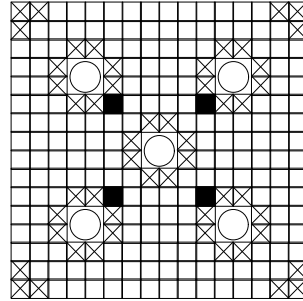
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2-1. KSNP

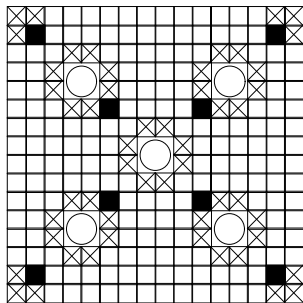
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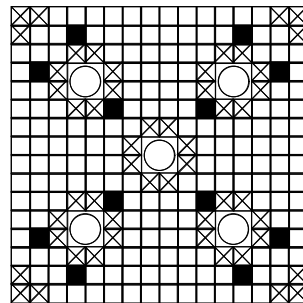
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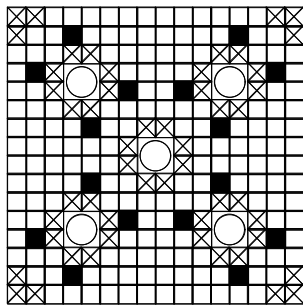
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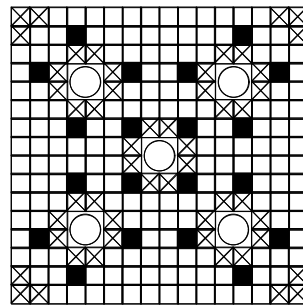
8 Gd 52 Zone



12 Gd 52 Zone



16 Gd 52 Zone



20 Gd 52 Zone

□ Normal Enriched Fuel Rod

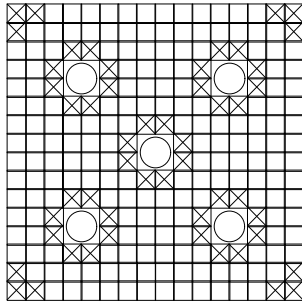
⊗ Enrichment Zoning Fuel Rod

○ Water Hole

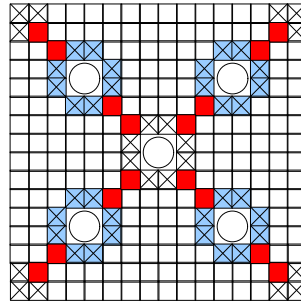
■ Gadolinia Rod

2-2. KSNP

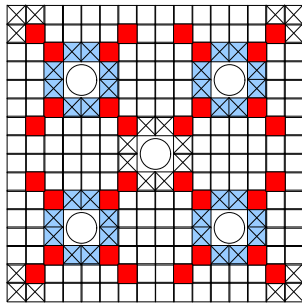
IFBA/ Erbia



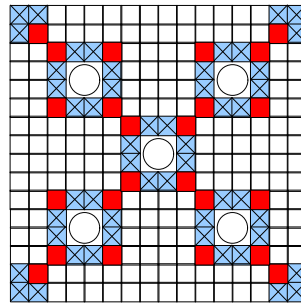
No BA 52 Zone (IFBA/Er)



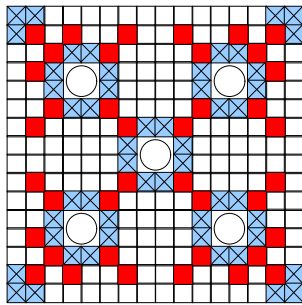
16+32 BA 52 Zone (IFBA/Er)



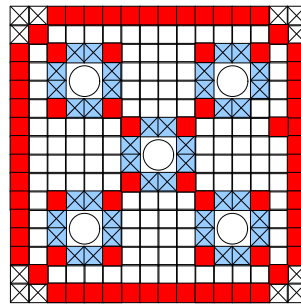
32+32 IFBA 52 Zone



24+52 Erbia 52 Zone



40+52 BA 52 Zone (IFBA/Er)



72+40 BA 52 Zone (IFBA/Er)

- Normal Enriched Fuel Rod
 BA Rod in Normal Fuel Enrichment
- Enrichment Zoning Fuel Rod
 BA Rod in Zoned Fuel Enrichment
- Water Hole

Note : BA Rod means IFBA (ZrB2) or Erbia

3. 가

Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia 가

- 1) 480 EFPD 18 가
 가 440~450 EFPD 가 44~46 GWD/MTU
 55 GWD/MTU
 2 가
 480 EFPD
 - 2) 2 가
 (Full L³P)
 - 3) 64 Full L³P 480 EFPD
 가
 - 4) 가
 가 1.55 1.65
 58 GWD/MTU 70 GWD/MTU
 MTC
 가 10 ppm
- 3-1 3-3 Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia 가
 가
- 3-1 3-3 Full L³P, 480 EFPD
 가
- Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia 가
 1/4 ID
 X 2 , Y 1 Z , X, Y, Z
 가

3-1. KSNP Gd

ID	1		2		Gd				
		U235		U235		Gd	U235		U235
		(w/o)		(w/o)		(w/o)	(w/o)		(w/o)
Z	184	4.85	52	4.35	-	-	-	16	4.4258
Z1	176	4.85	52	4.35	8	8	1.6	8	4.3334
Z2	172	4.85	52	4.35	12	8	1.6	8	4.2870
Z3	168	4.85	52	4.35	16	8	1.6	32	4.2404
Axial Blanket	236	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6
					672			64	4.3042

3-2. KSNP IFBA

ID	1		2		IFBA				
		U235		U235			IFBA		U235
		(w/o)		(w/o)	Hi E	Lo E	(mg/in)		(w/o)
Z1	152	4.60	20	4.10	32	32	2.5	32	4.2008
Z2	144	4.60	0	4.10	40	52	2.5	32	4.2008
Axial Blanket	236	1.6	-	-	-		-	-	1.6
					4992			64	4.2008

3-3. KSNP Er

ID	1		2		Er				
		U235		U235			Er		U235
		(w/o)		(w/o)	Hi E	Lo E	(w/o)		(w/o)
Z	184	4.85	52	4.35	-	-	-	20	4.4258
Z1	168	4.85	20	4.35	16	32	2.0	4	4.4255
Z2	160	4.85	-	-	24	52	2.0	8	4.4254
Z3	144	4.85	-	-	40	52	2.0	32	4.4248
Axial Blanket	236	1.6	-	-	-		-	-	1.6
					3744			64	4.4253

3-1. Gadolinia

Y/X	H	J	K	L	M	P	P	R
8	X3 0.847 54.129	Y3 1.096 36.315	Y 1.191 33.343	Z3 1.385 14.538	Y3 1.186 37.495	Z3 1.412 14.982	Y 0.998 30.886	X 0.428 42.096
9	Y3 1.096 36.315	Z3 1.394 15.214	Y 1.185 32.628	X3 0.934 54.125	Z2 1.425 15.329	Y2 1.118 37.376	Z1 1.149 12.851	X 0.405 44.529
10	Y 1.191 33.343	Y 1.191 32.728	Y3 1.135 36.402	Z3 1.390 14.611	Y3 1.116 36.403	Y1 1.085 33.126	Z 1.046 12.018	X1 0.315 43.739
11	Z3 1.385 14.538	X3 0.935 54.168	Z3 1.390 14.622	Y3 1.130 36.940	Y3 1.137 33.939	Z3 1.202 12.783	X3 0.503 46.832	
12	Y3 1.186 37.495	Z2 1.425 15.340	Y3 1.116 36.420	Y3 1.137 33.956	Z3 1.358 14.407	Z 1.104 12.205	X3 0.316 47.133	
13	Z3 1.412 14.982	Y2 1.120 37.411	Y1 1.085 33.206	Z3 1.204 12.799	Z 1.106 12.238	X 0.445 45.712		
14	Y 0.998 30.886	Z1 1.153 12.911	Z 1.047 12.037	X3 0.504 46.861	X3 0.318 47.091			
15	X 0.428 42.096	X 0.404 44.651	X1 0.315 43.816	Power Burnup				

FA ID	BA
Z	0
Z1	8
Z2	12
Z3	16

MAXIMUM FXY = 1.6056 AT (H,13)

Core Burnup = 11 GWD/MTU

3-2. IFBA

Y/X	H	J	K	L	M	P	P	R
8	X3 0.757 51.939	Y1 1.070 29.233	Z3 1.474 10.148	Y3 1.264 34.824	Z3 1.505 10.431	Y3 1.131 33.550	Z1 1.191 8.450	X1 0.398 43.143
9	Y1 1.070 29.233	Y1 1.104 29.902	Y3 1.182 34.268	Z3 1.520 10.303	Y3 1.214 33.515	Y1 1.185 26.577	Z1 1.162 8.211	X1 0.378 43.535
10	Z3 1.474 10.148	Y3 1.182 34.248	Z3 1.453 9.745	Y3 1.067 44.788	Z3 1.462 9.967	Y1 1.119 28.992	Z1 0.985 6.833	X1 0.275 43.808
11	Y3 1.264 34.824	Z3 1.518 10.289	X3 1.067 44.749	Z3 1.471 9.864	Y1 1.204 29.252	Z1 1.160 8.048	X1 0.459 42.204	
12	Z3 1.505 10.431	Y3 1.207 33.893	Z3 1.460 9.945	Y1 1.203 29.239	Z1 1.233 8.550	Y3 0.664 29.909	X3 0.221 46.918	
13	Y3 1.131 33.550	Y1 1.183 26.548	Y1 1.118 28.964	Z1 1.160 8.041	Y3 0.664 29.874	X1 0.270 43.191		
14	Z1 1.191 8.450	Z1 1.161 8.200	Z1 0.984 6.825	X1 0.459 42.160	X3 0.219 47.530			
15	X1 0.398 43.143	X1 0.378 43.499	X1 0.275 43.793	Power Burnup				

FA ID	BA
Z1	32+32
Z2	40+52

MAXIMUM FXY = 1.6402 AT (L,9)

Core Burnup = 7 GWD/MTU

3-3. Erbia

Y/X	H	J	K	L	M	P	P	R
8	X1 0.861 42.515	Y 1.160 21.541	Z3 1.364 0.069	Y3 1.176 25.675	Z3 1.332 0.067	Y3 1.191 25.761	Z 1.312 0.065	X 0.402 41.315
9	Y 1.160 21.541	Y1 1.174 21.981	Y3 1.184 25.557	Z3 1.354 0.068	X 1.063 34.589	Z2 1.370 0.069	Y 1.050 18.147	X 0.385 35.614
10	Z3 1.364 0.069	Y3 1.184 25.570	Z3 1.378 0.070	Y3 1.191 26.235	Z3 1.360 0.069	Y2 1.148 24.771	Z 1.076 0.054	X2 0.265 44.196
11	Y3 1.176 25.675	Z3 1.354 0.068	Y3 1.191 26.238	Z3 1.376 0.070	Y3 1.169 26.330	Z 1.295 0.065	X3 0.443 46.748	
12	Z3 1.332 0.067	X 1.063 34.608	Z3 1.361 0.069	Y3 1.174 25.957	Z1 1.243 0.062	Y 0.743 21.458	X3 0.224 46.790	
13	Y3 1.191 25.761	Z2 1.370 0.069	Y2 1.149 24.773	Z 1.298 0.065	Y 0.744 21.489	X3 0.269 46.509		
14	Z 1.312 0.065	Y 1.050 18.150	Z 1.077 0.054	X3 0.445 46.451	X3 0.225 46.782			
15	X 0.402 41.315	X 0.385 35.601	X2 0.265 44.197	Power Burnup				

FA ID	BA
Z	0
Z1	16+32
Z2	24+52
Z3	40+52

MAXIMUM FXY = 1.6033 AT (H,14)

Core Burnup = 0.05 GWD/MTU

Erbia 가 가
 IFBA
 가 IFBA 가 가 가
 Gadolinia Erbia가 45 GWD/MTU
 가 4 GWD/MTU 가 49 GWD/MTU
 Gadolinia 64 GWD/MTU 가
 가 Gadolinia 가
 가
 70 GWD/MTU
 2
 (Full L³P) (F_{xy}) IFBA 가
 가 Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia 1.65
 IFBA Gadolinia Erbia 가 가
 Erbia가
 가 8.9 %Δp
 IFBA Erbia가 9.2 %Δp
 Gadolinia 8.0 %Δp
 N-1 가가 가 Gadolinia
 12 Finger CEA 3-1 (L,13)
 IFBA Erbia Gadolinia
 가가 N-1 가가
 5.5%Δp
 4-1 가
 Gadolinia 12 GWD/MTU
 IFBA Dilute 가
 Erbia
 IFBA 가 Gadolinia
 Erbia 가
 4-2 가

(Axial Offset)

10 GWD/MTU A.O가 IFBA A.O가
 8 GWD/MTU 가 Erbia A.O 가

4-3 가
 (F_{xy}) Gadolinia 가 가
 6 GWD/MTU 가 가 Gadolinia가 11 GWD/MTU
 가 IFBA 가
 7 GWD/MTU 가 가 Erbia
 가 2 GWD/MTU 7 GWD/MTU 가

4-4 (F_z) IFBA가 가
 6 GWD/MTU 가 4-5
 3 (F_q) Gadolinia 가
 6 GWD/MTU 가 14 GWD/T
 IFBA 가 2 GWD/MTU
 가 6~10 GWD/MTU 가 가
 Erbia 가 3
 가 4-3 4-4
 가

4-6 4-8 Gadolinia, IFBA, Erbia ,
 가 , Gadolinia 11 GWD/MTU, IFBA
 Erbia 7 GWD/MTU 가
 Saddle

Saddle Gadolinia IFBA Erbia
 Gadolinia가 가 가
 Dilute IFBA Erbia
 Gadolinia IFBA, Erbia
 가 Gadolinia Saddle

5.

(ZrB₂), Erbia가 18 (480 EFPD) 2
 64 가 Gadolinia, IFBA
 (F_{xy}), 가

480 EFPD IFBA가 4.20 w/o 가
 , Gadolinia 4.30 w/o, Erbia가 4.43w/o 가
 IFBA가 5,000 가 Erbia가 3,700 , Gadolinia가 670 가
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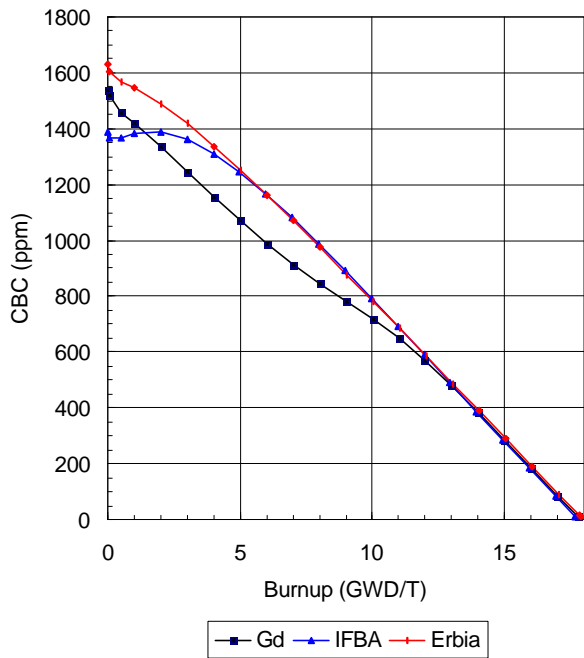
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4-1. 가

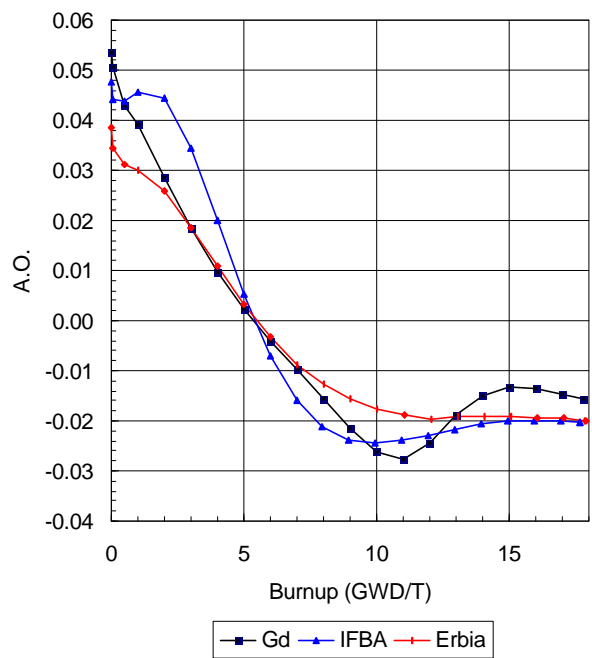
	Gadolinia		IFBA		Erbia		*
•Center	4.85/4.35		4.60/4.10		4.85/4.35		≤ 4.95
•Axial Blanket	1.60		1.60		1.60		
•BA	1.60		4.60/4.10		4.85/4.35		
	4.3042		4.2008		4.4253		≤ 4.95
BA	672		4992		3744		
BA	8 w/o		2.5 mg/inch		2 w/o		≤ 8 w/o for Gd
	76.166		76.411		76.070		
	17764		17680		17880		
	49127		48895		49449		
	64225		61663		61417		≤70000
	0.398		0.398		0.343		
BA 가, pcm	4393		5289		5135		
BA 가, pcm	579		83		1124		
• , ppm	2065		1901		2200		≤2500
• , ppm	1895		1743		2021		
• , ppm	1536		1387		1632		
• , pcm/°F	+3.14		+3.56		+2.66		≤ +5
• , pcm/°F	-2.52		-2.29		-2.99		≤ +0
• , pcm/°F	-6.09		-5.97		-6.82		≤ +0
• , pcm/°F	-34.93		-35.2		-36.34		≥ -38
, F _{xy}	1.6056		1.6402		1.6033		≤ 1.65
Shutdown Margin, %Δp	BOC	EOC	BOC	EOC	BOC	EOC	
•Power Defect	1.25	2.47	1.19	2.51	1.31	2.59	
•RIA	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	
•Void Effect	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	
•Total Requirement	1.62	2.84	1.56	2.88	1.68	2.96	
•N-1 including Uncertainty	10.47	10.88	10.46	12.07	10.65	12.14	
•SDM	8.85	8.04	8.90	9.19	8.97	9.18	≥ 5.5

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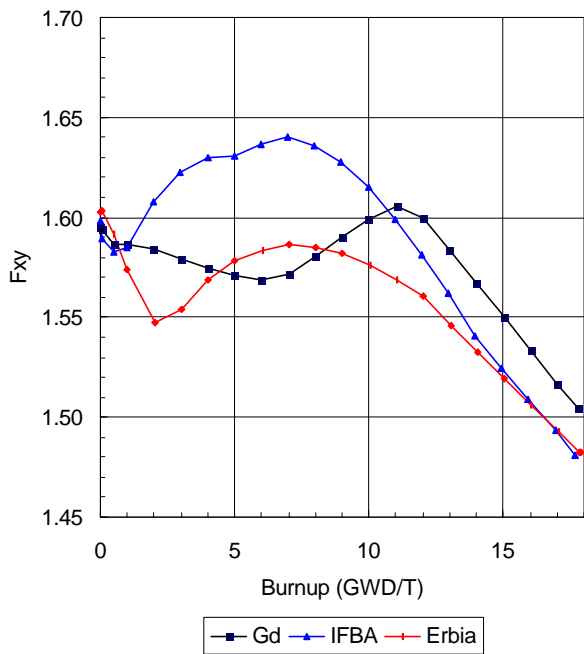
4-1. CBC vs. Burnup
(KSNP Equilibrium Cycle)



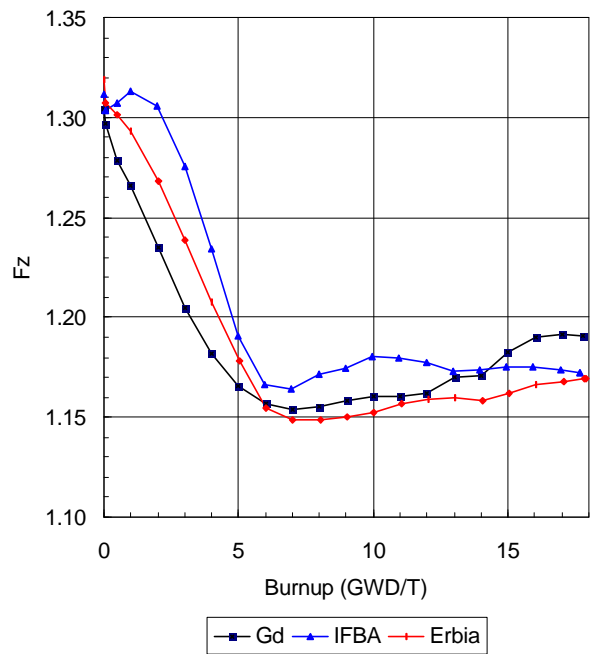
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(KSNP Equilibrium Cycle)



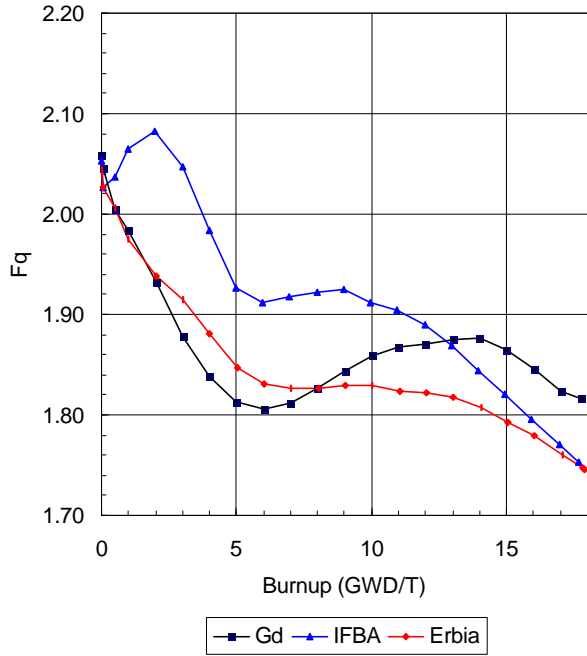
4-3. Fxy vs. Burnup
(KSNP Equilibrium Cycle)



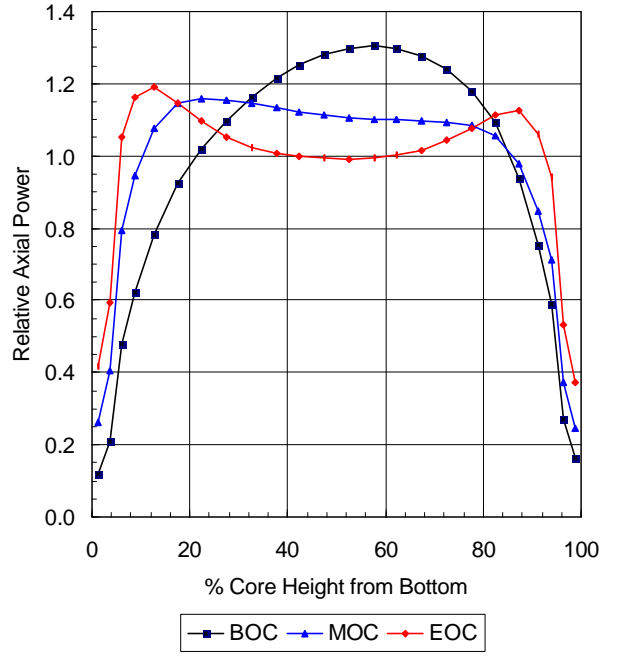
4-4. Fz vs. Burnup
(KSNP Equilibrium Cycle)



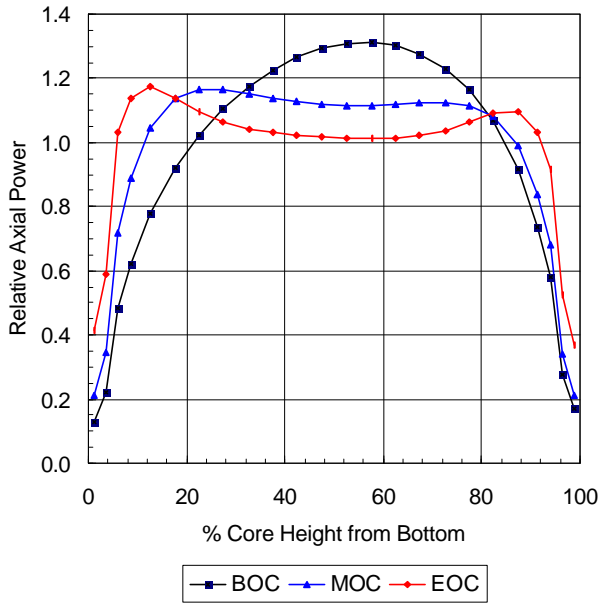
4-5. Fq vs. Burnup
(KSNP Equilibrium Cycle)



4-6. Axial Power Shape vs. Burnup
(KSNP Gd Equilibrium Cycle)



4-7. Axial Power Shape vs. Burnup
(KSNP IFBA Equilibrium Cycle)



4-8. Axial Power Shape vs. Burnup
(KSNP Erbia Equilibrium Cycle)

