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Subject:

Responsibility for ex-DDR Labs

With the reunion of the former DDR with The Federal Republic of Germany on 3 October 1990, the responsibility for work on neutron data done in ex-DDR labs obviously changed from NDS to NEADB. This Memo summarizes bilateral arrangements between myself and Simon Webster, and now Marek Konieczny. For non-neutron data EXFOR only the cutoff date and the lab codes are relevant.

Cutoff date: 31 December 1990

Lab codes:

The old DDR lab codes remain valid, but got an "extinct" flag as of the cutoff date.

New 2GER lab codes are being introduced as required, i.e. if relevant work published after the cutoff date is found.

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Input to CINDA

When we first started the discussion of this problem, Simon Webster agreed to immediately take over the scanning of literature published in the former DDR, i.e. as of May 1991. Since NEADB has external CINDA readers, Simon started to scan this literature himself until his German CINDA reader was informed and took over. Marek should check with H. Behrens, whether this has been implemented (recent experience indicated that this is not the case). However, I continue to scan this literature and inform Marek of everything I find until I am informed by Marek that their coverage functions.

Assignment of lab codes and EXFOR responsibility:

For work completed and published before the cutoff date

- a 3DDR labcode is assigned for CINDA and EXFOR, and
- NDS compiles experimental neutron data into EXFOR.

For work completed and (final results) published after the cutoff date

- a 2GER labcode is assigned for CINDA and EXFOR, and
- NEADB compiles experimental neutron data into EXFOR.

In this case, NEADB has to check the area 3 CINDA file, as earlier publications to the same work may have been entered under a 3DDR labcode and reblocking may be required.