



**International Atomic Energy Agency**

# **IAEA's Nuclear Data Program**

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**Nuclear Data Section**

**Department of Nuclear Sciences and Applications**

**NSDD Meeting, IAEA, April 2010**

## Nuclear Data Section

### Organization Chart (April 2011)

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Nuclear Data Physicist  
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Nuclear Data Physicist  
(21712/21711)

Section Secretary: L. Vrapcenjak  
(21710)

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<p><b><u>J. Roberts</u></b> Nuclear Data Services Assistant (21725)</p>		<p><b><u>K. Sheikh</u></b> Database Assistant (21730)</p>
<p><b><u>A. Oechs</u></b> Clerk (21716)</p>		<p><b><u>M. O'Connell (25%)</u></b> Applications Programmer (21722)</p>



# IAEA Activities Relating to NSDD

- Coordinated Research Projects (CRPs)
- ENSDF evaluations / NSR compilations
- Financial support for ENSDF evaluators and horizontal evaluation/compilation activities
- Coordination of the NSDD network
- Workshops
- Dissemination

## Nuclear Data Projects – Status, Oct 2010

### Coordinated Research Projects

- 6 completed
- 4 active
- 2 planned

### Data Development Projects + additional tasks

- 10 active

# Completed CRPs

No.	Short title	Duration	Participants (contracts)
1	Nuclear data for Th-U fuel cycle	2002–2007	11 (6)
2	RIPL-3	2003–2008	11 (5)
3	Nuclear data for the production of therapeutic radionuclides	2003–2007	8 (4)
4	Reference database for ion beam analysis	2005–2010	10 (4)
5	Reference database for neutron activation analysis	2005–2010	7 (4)
6	Updated decay data library for actinides	2005–2010	7 (4)



# On-going and Planned CRPs

No .	Short title	Duration	Participants (contracts)
7	<b>Heavy charged-particle interaction data for radiotherapy</b>	<b>2007–2010</b>	<b>12 (2)</b>
8	<b>Minor actinide neutron reaction data (MANREAD)</b>	<b>2007–2011</b>	<b>12 (4)</b>
9	<b>Nuclear data libraries for advanced systems: fusion devices (FENDL-3)</b>	<b>2007–2011</b>	<b>15 (3)</b>
10	<b>Prompt fission neutron spectra for actinides</b>	<b>2009–2012</b>	<b>12 (6)</b>
11	<b>Charged-particle nuclear data for medical isotope production and technological applications</b>	<b>2011–2014</b>	<b>7 (5)</b>
12	<b>Nuclear data for Particle Induced Gamma Ray Emission (PIGE) analysis</b>	<b>2011–2014</b>	<b>6 (5)</b>

# Updated Decay Data Library for Actinides (2005 - 2010), M.A. Kellett

## Overall objectives:

- Identification of data discrepancies and unfulfilled requirements
- Encouragement of measurements to address these requirements
- Undertake full decay scheme evaluations
- Assembly of a fully updated decay data library

## Specific Objectives:

Recommended decay data for the actinides and their daughters:

- half-lives
- branching fractions/decay modes
- $\gamma$ -ray and  $\alpha$ -particle energies and emission probabilities
- X-rays and conversion electron data, ...

All data to include uncertainties

# Updated Decay Data Library for Actinides (2005 - 2010), M.A. Kellett

## Participants:

<b>M.-M. Bé</b>	<b>LNHB, CEA Saclay, France</b>
<b>V.P. Chechev</b>	<b>VG Khlopin Radium Institute, St. Petersburg, Russian Federation</b>
<b>Huang Xiaolong</b>	<b>China Institute of Atomic Energy, China</b>
<b>F.G. Kondev</b>	<b>Nuclear Engineering Division, Argonne National Laboratory, USA</b>
<b>A. Luca</b>	<b>Institute of R&amp;D for Physics and Nuclear Engineering, Romania</b>
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<b>A.L. Nichols</b>	<b>IAEA Nuclear Data Section</b>
<b>A.K. Pearce</b>	<b>National Physical Laboratory, UK</b>
<b>M.A. Kellett</b>	<b>IAEA Nuclear Data Section (Scientific officer)</b>



# Updated Decay Data Library for Actinides (2005 - 2010), M.A. Kellett

## Current status:

- Finalising remaining evaluations
- Completed evaluations in ENSDF format, converted to ENDF format
- Preparation of final report

## Achievements so far:

- ✓ ~75% of actinide evaluations completed
- ✓ ~55% of decay daughter evaluations completed
- ✓ Measurements were undertaken – results published and evaluated
- ✓ A number of evaluations have been published in journals
- ✓ Improvements made to the DDEP methodology and software
  
- ✓ **New evaluators have been trained**
  
- ✓ **Identified data discrepancies leading to recommendations for future measurements**



# **The only CRP related to NSDD: “Updated Decay Data Library for Actinides” is finishing in 2010**

- So far no new requests from Member States for NSDD related activities....
- The funds involved are modest, but it is a way to foster NSDD activities in the international community and provide “visibility”

## ENSDF evaluations (D. Abriola )

- Collaboration with A. Sonzogni,  
A=72 published.
- As part of ENSDF-2009 - evaluation of  $^{84}\text{Nb}$   
A=84 published
- New Mass chain A=144 to be submitted Sep.  
2011 in collaboration with A. Sonzogni  
(17 nuclei, 93 new experimental references,  
21 XUNDL-files)

# NSR compilations (M. Kellett)

Compilation began **September 2005** when IAEA designated **Mark Kellett** as NSR keyword compiler

**Three journals** covered by the IAEA (~20-25% of NSR entries):

**Nuclear Physics A**

**European Physical Journal A**

**Physics Letters B**

**IAEA/NNDC collaborative visits:**

- **M.A. Kellett** one week visit to NNDC, July 2005
- **M.A. Kellett** one week visit to NNDC, Dec. 2005
- **D. Winchell** one week visit to IAEA, June 2006
- **M.A. Kellett** one week visit to NNDC, Oct. 2006
- **M. Bhattacharya** one week visit to IAEA, Oct. 2007
- **B. Pritychenko** one week visits to IAEA, Nov. 2009 (& Nov. 2010)

# NSR compilations (2)

IAEA has compiled [and keyworded] the following papers:

2005: 258 [134] (from Sept to Dec)

2006: 479 [348]

2007: 869 [495]

2008: 529 [298]

2009: 670 [217]

2010: 596 [298]

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Total: 3401 [1790] (in ~5 years)

During 2009/2010, Mark has mentored Emil Betak (consultant compiler), initial training on files of selected NP/A papers (chosen from files previously keyworded) and later reviewing newly keyworded files.

Significant time has been spent explaining and commenting in order to help train Emil.



# New Contracts – 2009... (1)

1. Joshi and Jain (India) Evaluation: A=139  
Experiment: Ba-139, mass regions 130  
& 180
2. Wang and Audi (China) Atomic Mass  
Evaluation (Horizontal)
3. Zuber (Poland) Evaluation: A=61  
(Completed). A=57 started  
XUNDL:  $^{97}\text{Zr}$ ,  $^{97\text{m}}\text{Y}$ , ...
4. A. Negret (Romania) Evaluation: A=75



## New Contracts – 2009... (2)

5. J. Timar – Z. Elekes (Hungary) Evaluation:  
A=129. New A=128  
XUNDL:  $^{134}\text{Pr}$  and  $^{132}\text{La}$

6. N. Stone (USA)  
Nuclear Moments (Horizontal):  
Compilation and evaluation

7. D. Symochko (Ukraine) Evaluation: A=65  
(no renewal)

8. Lalkovski (Bulgaria) Evaluation: A=112,  
A=207 (submitted) New: 112 (cont) + 105



# New Contracts - 2009 (1')

## AME New structure

### Coordinator

AME2013 : G.A.

AME20xx : Wang Meng

### Contributors

- all labs welcome : 20% to 100%
- two times one week at CSNSM-Orsay
- evaluate and check some of the published material

### Presently :

- IMP-Lanzhou : Wang Meng
- CSNSM-Orsay : David Lunney (Ame) + Jean Blachot (Nubase)
- GSI-Darmstadt : Berndt Pfeiffer (Ame)
- ANL-Argone : Filip Kondev (Nubase + Ame)
- MPI-Heidelberg : N.N. 2-years post-doc (Ame + programming)





# Coordination of the NSDD network

## International Network of Nuclear Structure and Decay Data at IAEA Headquarters, Vienna 4-8 April 2011.

**The 19th Meeting of the International Network of Nuclear Structure and Decay Data (NSDD) Evaluators to be held in spring 2011 (planned venue ANU Canberra).**

**However, a few months ago, when this project came up for final internal IAEA approval it was found that the costs connected with convening the Meeting at ANU would, in the light of the current IAEA budget restrictions, be too high.**

**Despite our efforts, no other financial contributions from NSDD members' institutions could be secured. Consequently it was agreed that this upcoming NSDD meeting should again be held at IAEA headquarters where funding requirements would be much lower.**



# Workshops



## *Workshops in 2009*

- **NSDD Evaluators' Workshop, IFIN-HH, Bucharest, Romania, 30 March-3 April 2009**
- **School on Physics and Technology of Fast Reactors Systems, ICTP, Trieste, 9-20 April 2009**
- **Atomic and Molecular Data for Fusion Energy Research, ICTP, Trieste, 20-30 April 2009**
- **EXFOR editor and digitizing programs for data compilation, IAEA, Vienna, Austria, 27-29 May 2009**
- **EXFOR compilation of Nuclear Data, Univ. of Rajasthan, Janipur, India, 3-7 November 2009**



# Workshops

**2010**



- Nuclear Reaction Data for Advanced Reactor Technologies, ICTP, Trieste, 3 - 14 May 2010 (TALYS & EMPIRE)
- Experimental Nuclear Reaction Data Compilation of EXFOR Database, IAEA, Vienna, Austria, 30 Aug - 3 Sept 2010
- Nuclear Structure and Decay Data: Theory and Evaluation, ICTP, Trieste, 11 - 15 Oct 2010
- Nuclear Data for Science and Technology: Analytical Applications, ICTP, Trieste, 8 - 12 Nov 2010



# Workshops

- Support to the **DDEP Workshop**,  
CIEMAT, Madrid, Spain, June 2010
- **ENSDF Theory and Evaluation**,  
ICTP, Trieste, Italy, October 2010

# Workshop Activities

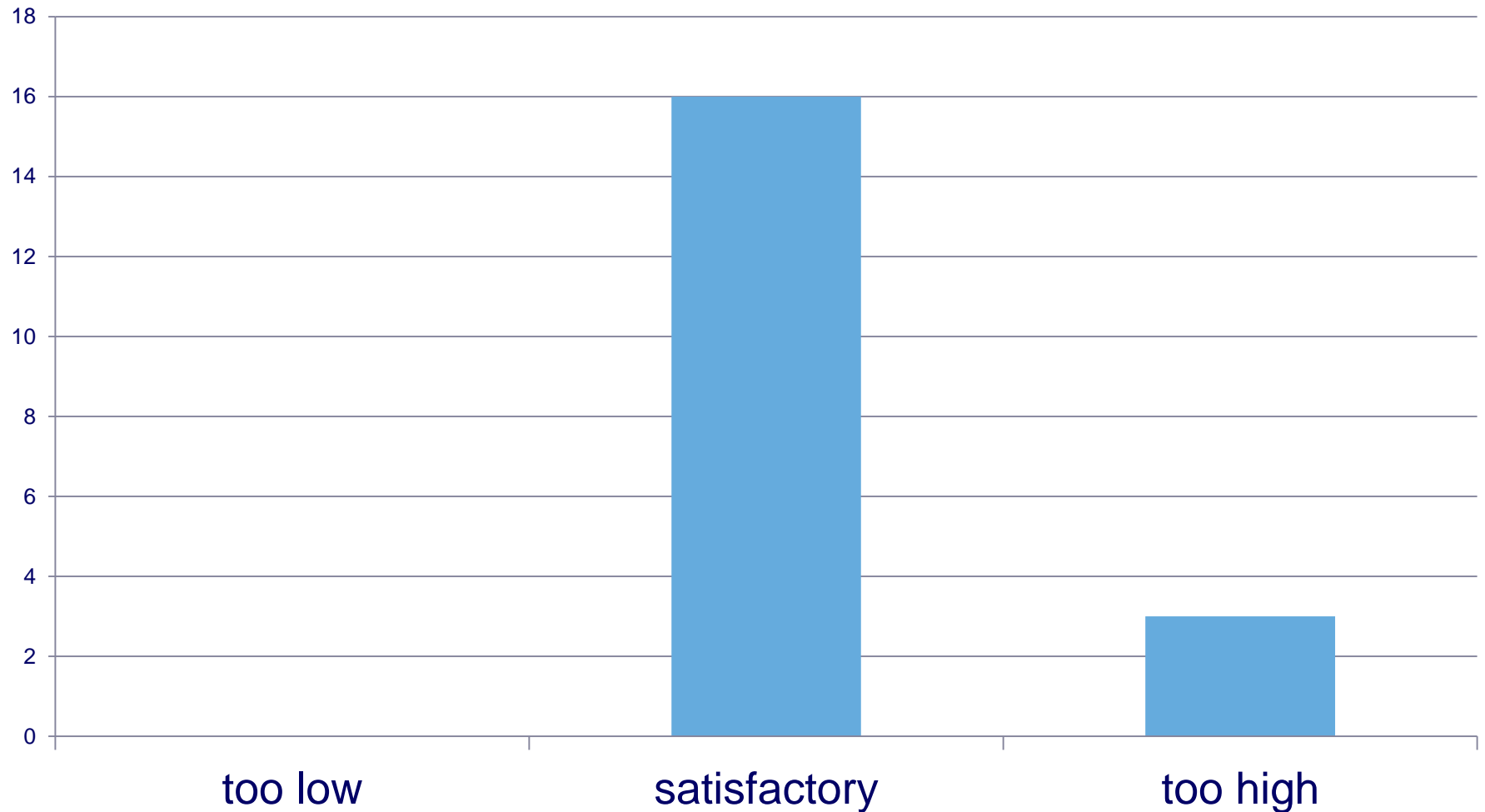
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Laxman Danu  
Walid Elagib  
Manssour Fadil (\*)  
Sergey Lisin
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Khalifeh Abusaleem (\*)  
Thamer Alharbi  
David Bernard  
Sanhita Chaudhury  
Zhendong Wu
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Alexandru Negret (\*)  
Tadasol Santawamaitre  
Waldemar Urban  
Claire Vaglio Gaudard
5. Jagdish Tuli:  $^{82}\text{Ge}$ ,  $^{86}\text{Br}$ :  
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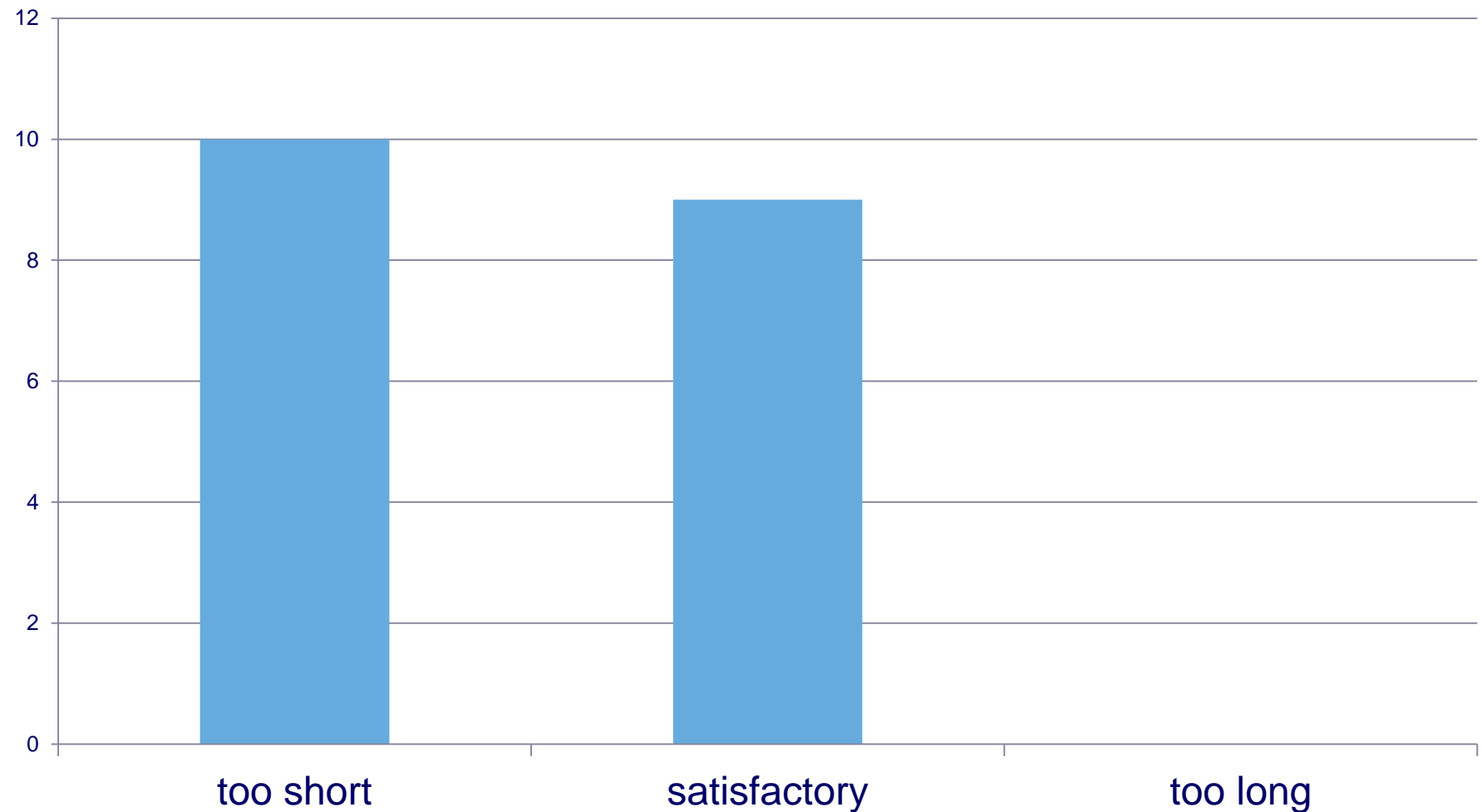
# Workshop Activities

- The students are to finish their part of the evaluation
- The “leader” student is to receive the contributions review and send them to group leader
- Group Leader to review and send to B.Singh by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2011

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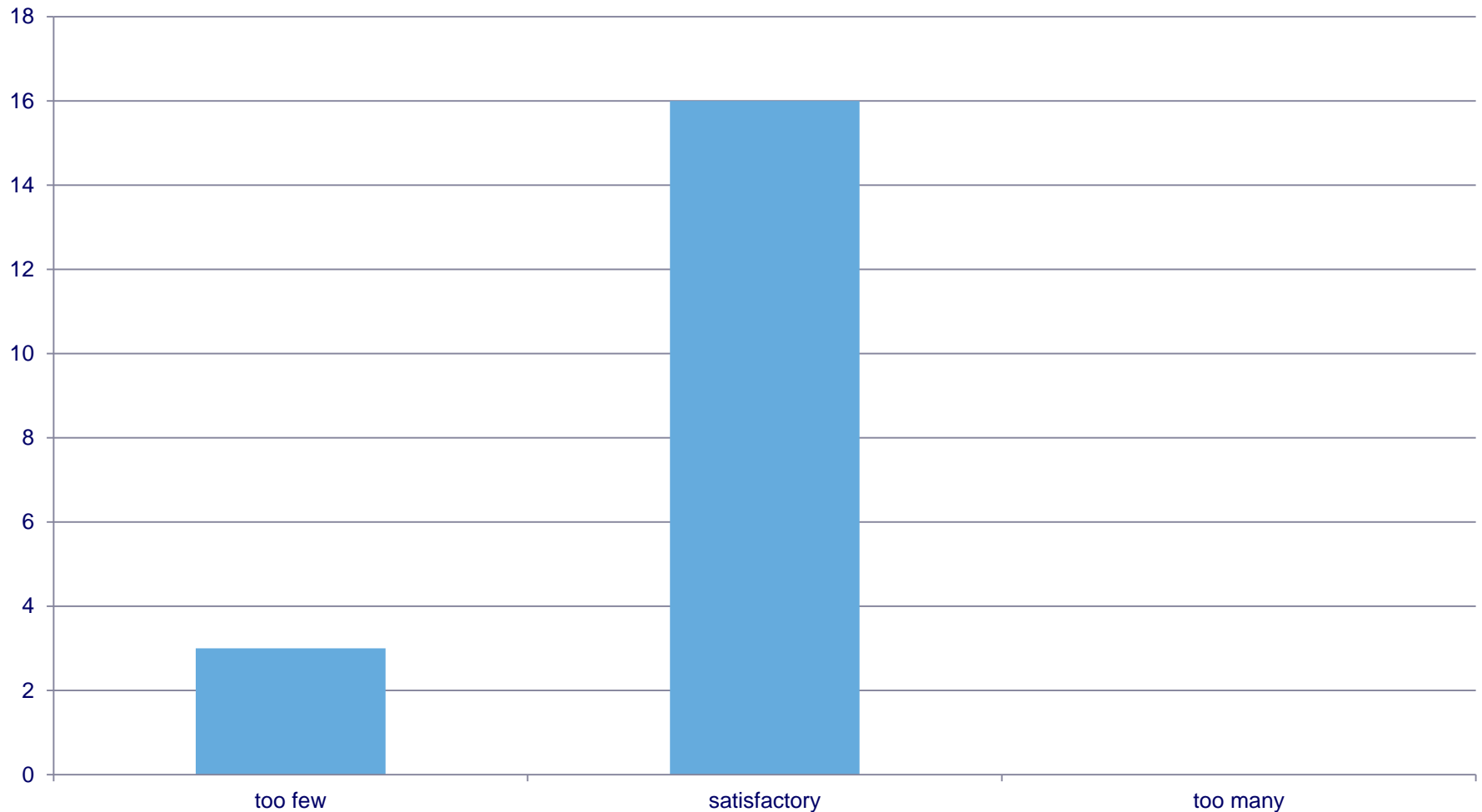


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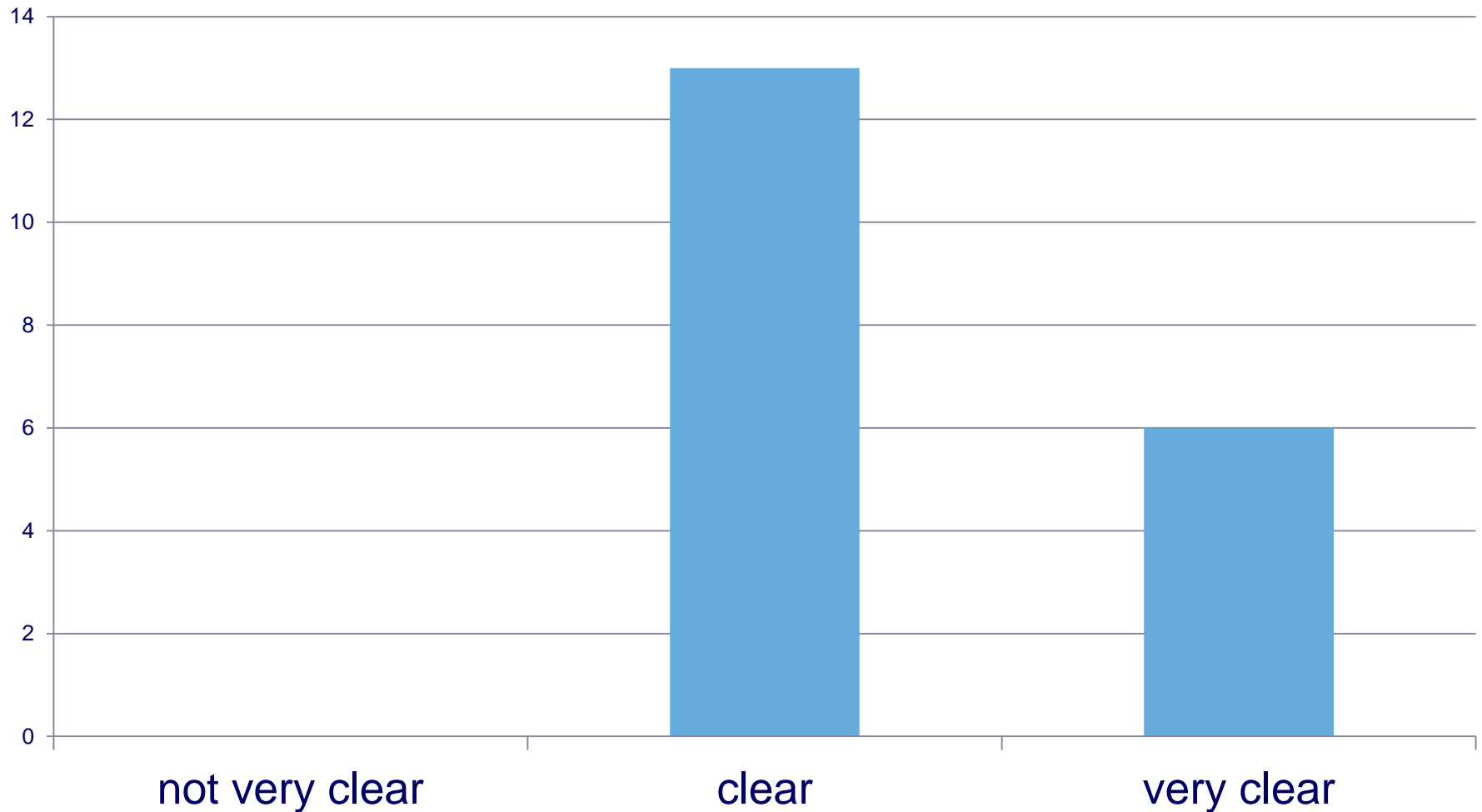




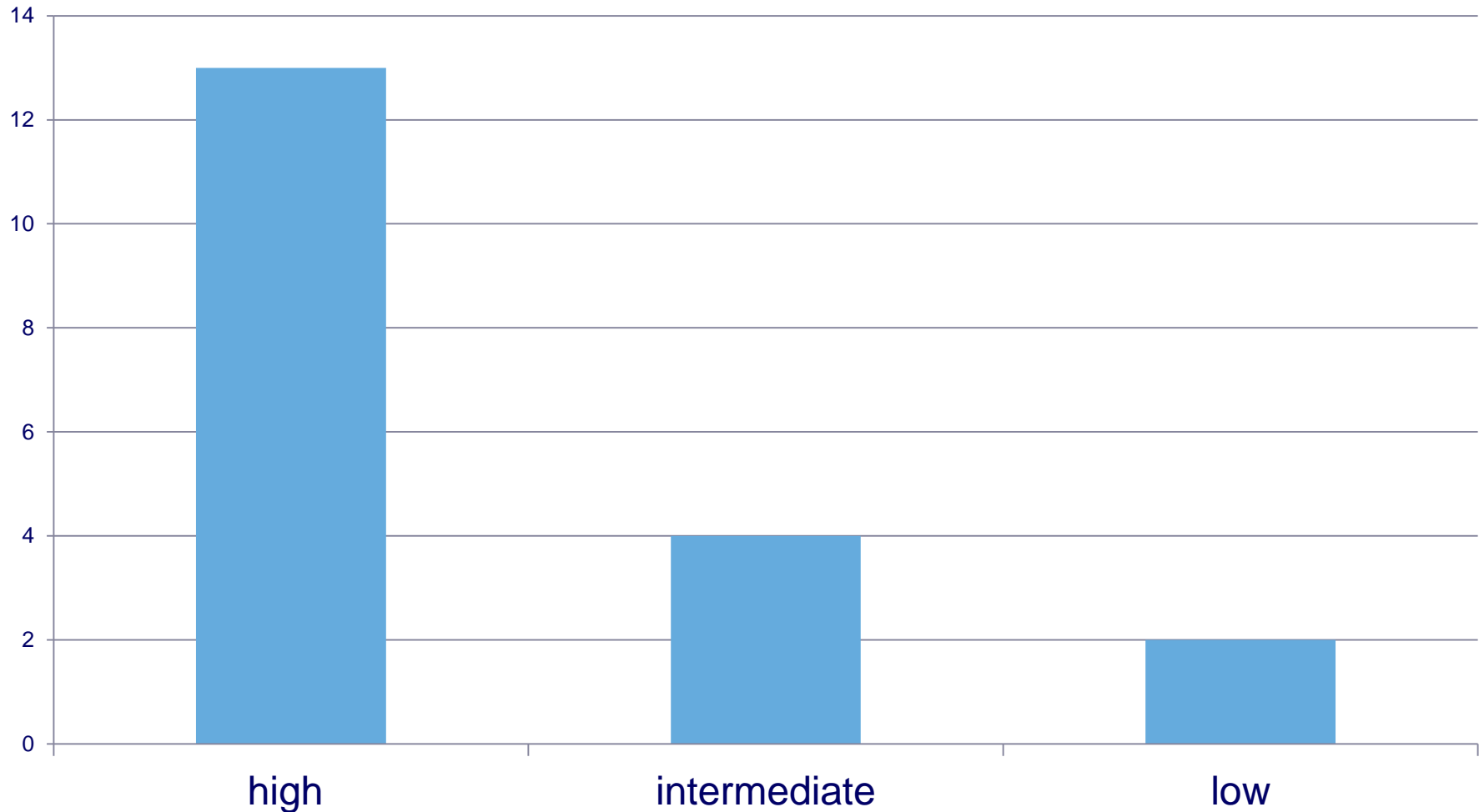
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# Was the clarity of the majority of speakers



# Was the overlap of the topics covered with your research interests



# Workshops

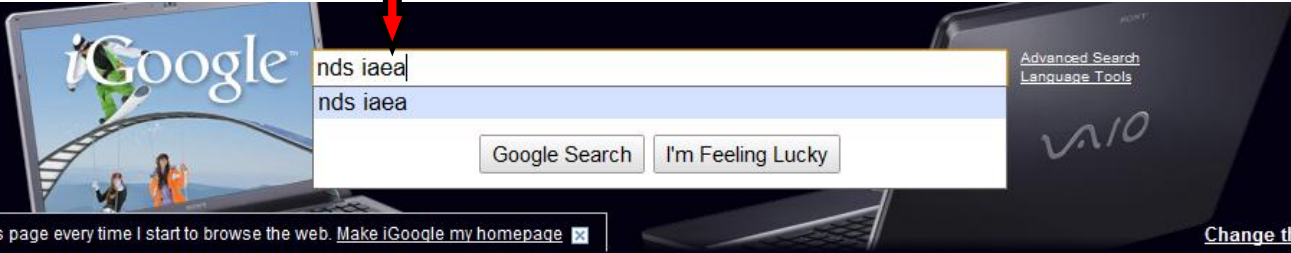
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**Nuclear Structure and Decay Data: Theory and Evaluation,  
ICTP, Trieste, October ?**

# Dissemination

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Handbook for calculations of nuclear reaction data, RIPL-2. IAEA-TECDOC-1506 (IAEA, Vienna, 2006). Available online at <http://www-nds.iaea.org/RIPL-2/> ...

[www-nds.iaea.org/ripl2/](http://www-nds.iaea.org/ripl2/) - [Cached](#)

[Cross-Section database for medical radioisotope production: IAEA-CRP](#)

A description of the formatting procedure is given in the report **IAEA-NDS-210** (pdf, 68 KB). Complete documentation is available, including evaluation ...

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[IBANDL](#)

Sep 27, 2010 ... This is the Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library produced according to the recommendations of the **IAEA** Technical Meeting held at the **IAEA** ...

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**NEW** **RIPL-3** reference parameters for nuclear model calculations, 2010 [page]  
**JENDL-4.0** Japanese evaluated nuclear data library, 2010 [page] [list] [retrieve]  
**ROSFOND-2010** Russian Library of Evaluated Neutron Data [page] [list]

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**EXFOR** Experimental nuclear reaction data  
**LiveChart of Nuclides** Interactive Chart of Nuclides: Advanced and Basic  
**CINDA** neutron reaction bibliography  
**ENDF** Evaluated nuclear reaction libraries  
**ENSDF** evaluated nuclear structure and decay data (+XUNDL) \*\*  
**NSR** Nuclear Science References \*

<b>NuDat 2.5</b> selected evaluated nuclear structure data	<b>RIPL</b> reference parameters for nuclear model calculations	<b>IBANDL</b> Ion Beam Analysis Nuclear Data Library	<b>Charged particles XS</b> Beam monitor & radionuclide production cross sections
<b>PGAA</b> Prompt gamma rays from neutron capture	<b>FENDL-2.1</b> Fusion Evaluated Nuclear Data Library, Version 2.1	<b>Photonuclear</b> cross sections and spectra up to 140MeV	<b>IRDF-2002</b> International Reactor Dosimetry File
<b>NGATLAS</b> atlas of neutron capture cross sections	<b>Safeguards Data</b> recommendations, August 2008	<b>Medical Portal</b> Data for Medical Applications	<b>Standards</b> - Neutron cross-sections, 2006 - Decay data, 2005

\*Database at the IAEA, Vienna    \*\*Database at the US NNDC

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- Meetings Workshops
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- Nuclear Reaction Data Center Network
- Nuclear Structure & Decay Data Network
- Technical Reports, TECDOCs
- INDC(NDS) Reports
- Computer Codes

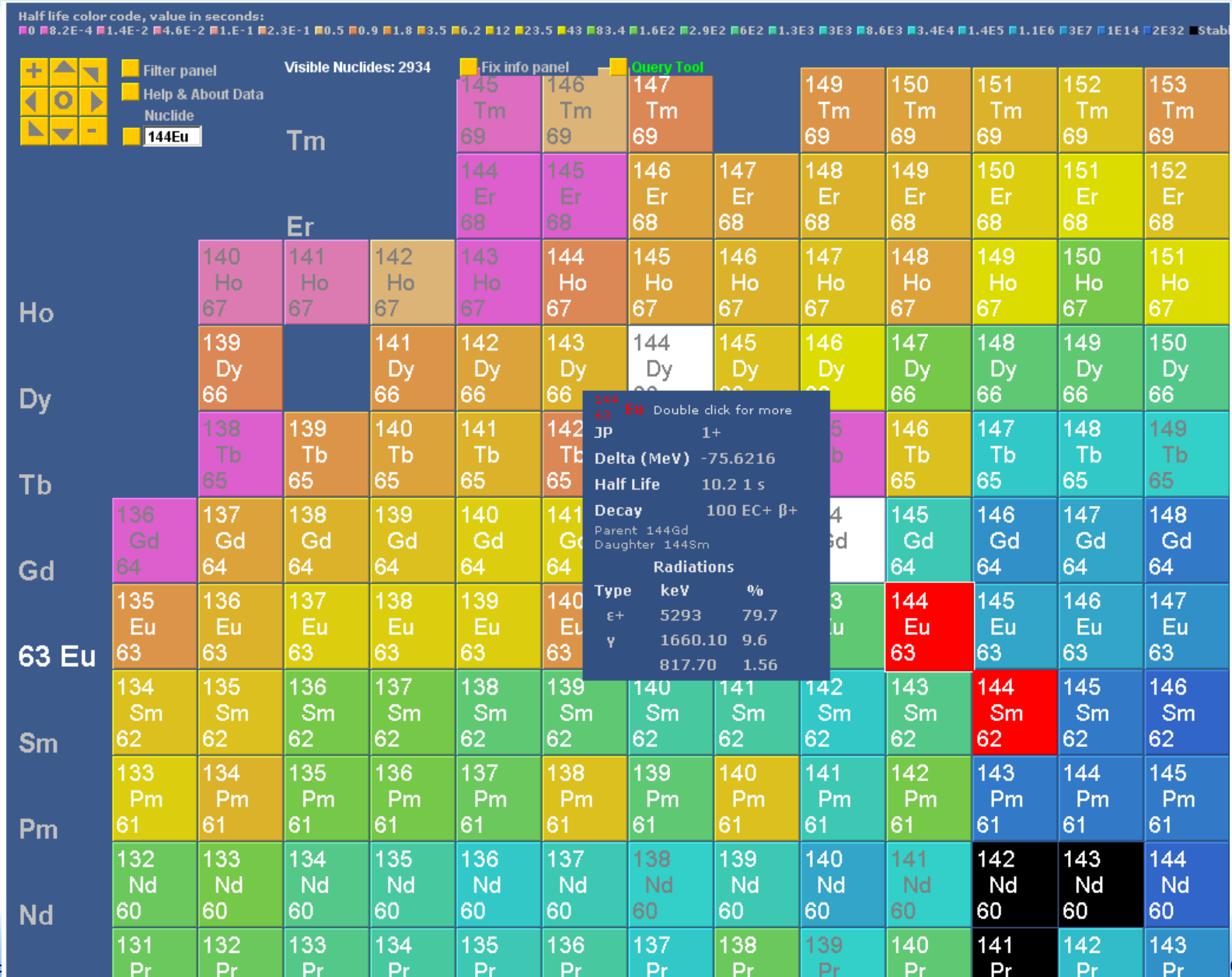
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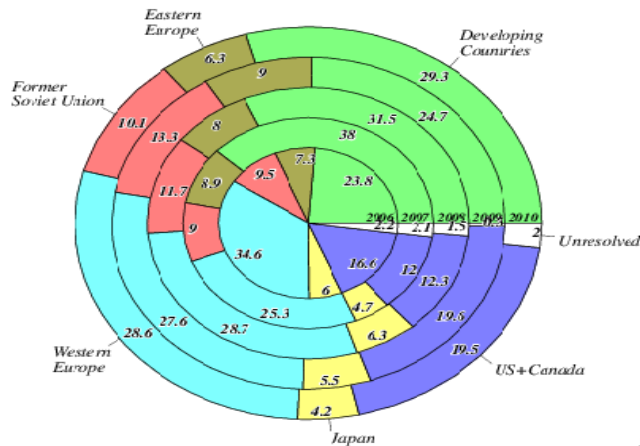
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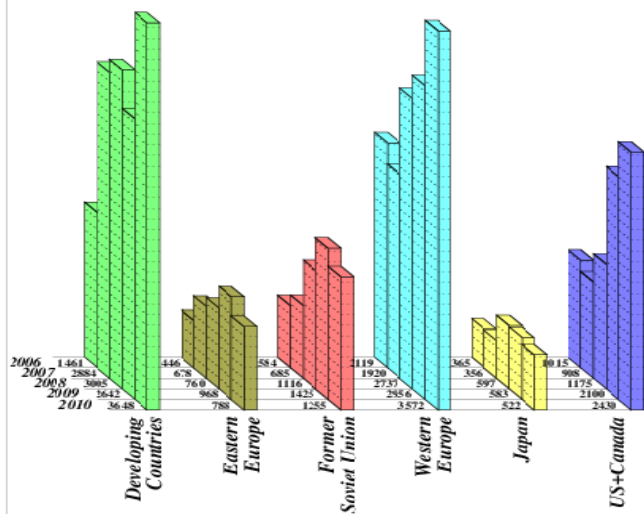


# IAEA+IPEN+BARC Nuclear Data Services: Web Statistics

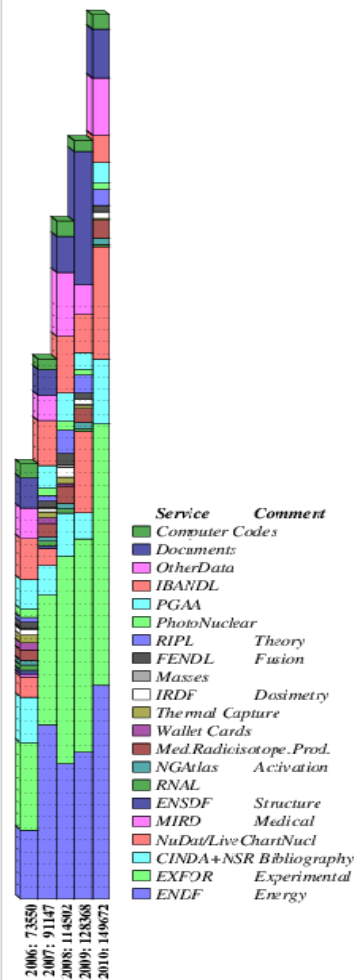
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## Total per Year (Number of accesses+retrievals)



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| FENDL                  | Fusion       |
| Masses                 |              |
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| The mol Capture        |              |
| Wallet Cards           |              |
| Med Radioisotope Prod. |              |
| NGAtlas                | Activation   |
| RNAL                   |              |
| ENSDF                  | Structure    |
| MIRD                   | Medical      |
| NuDat/Live ChartNucl   |              |
| CINDA+NSR Bibliography |              |
| EXFOR                  | Experimental |
| ENDF                   | Energy       |



## IAEA Commitment to NSDD Activities

CRPs, DDPs...

Individual contracts supporting 6 mass chains  
and 2 horizontal evaluations

Continual running of ICTP and related  
workshops

2 staff members dedicating time to ENSDF  
evaluation, NSDD coordination and NSR  
keywording + 1 staff (software development)

# Thank you

