

# **EXFOR Data Correction System: Progress in 2011-2012**

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# **EXFOR DATA Correction System (EXFOR re-normalization system)**

## Goal.

To create tools for re-calculation absolute values from EXFOR according to today's knowledge (new standards, decay data, abundance), and based on additional information about experiments and evaluators' experience, etc.

## Background (history)

1. Re-normalization has foreseen in EXFOR more than 30 years ago (keywords MONITOR and MONIT-REF last updated in 1982)
2. K.Zolotarev has implemented his "corrections" >10 years (used for RRDF-1998, IRDF-2002, etc.)
3. A.Trkov (IAEA) has proposed to extend EXFOR by ratios to Monitor when possible 2002-2007
4. NRDC-2005: D.Rochman (NNDC) has proposed "flagging" system
5. R.Forrest: "EASY" system has modification factors
6. WPEC SG-30 initially had task to create "evaluated" EXFOR with flags
7. R.Capote re-normalized "manually" EXFOR data used for evaluations (2008..2010)

# EXFOR Correction System (EXFOR re-normalization system)

## Tasks (stages of development)

1. Define concept of the system, basic algorithms
2. Invent syntax describing corrections
3. Define structure and implement programs
4. Collect archive of old monitors used in EXFOR works and modern data
5. Collect corrections applied by experienced evaluators,  
create database of corrections
6. Create software for automatic re-normalization
7. Create database with corrections
8. Create Web interface for using correction-database
9. Create software to generate re-normalized XC4 for full EXFOR in C4
10. Start distributing renormalized RXC4 to former SG30 members
11. Etc.

2012



Project started: November 2009

# Correction System: Paradigm

- We DO NOT change EXFOR data.

We re-normalize output from EXFOR system.

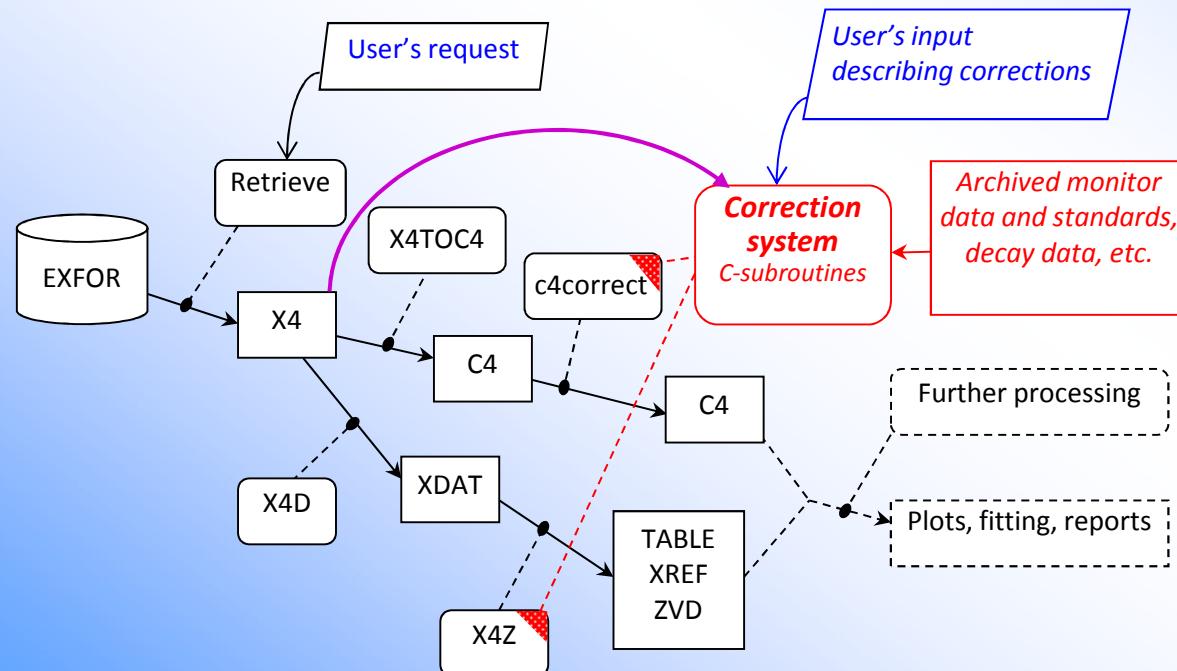
i.e. we modify data extracted from EXFOR:

- computational format C4
- TABLE, XREF (NNDC computational formats)
- XDAT (intermediate format used for plotting)

Results can be plotted as:

- Quick plots
- Advanced plots ... + comparison to evaluated data (ENDF)

## Software structure and data flow



# Principles, functions, extensions

- a) the system allows to re-calculate any values present in computational format (data, energies, angles, uncertainties)
- b) any manipulations can be limited by an energy range

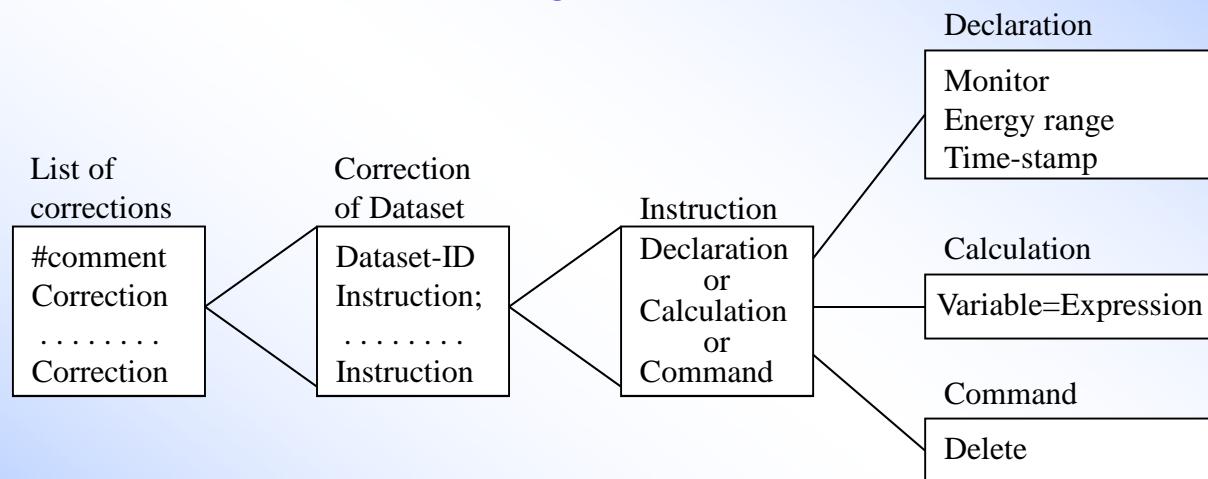
- 1) simple re-calculation using given factor (e.g. modify data, correct wrong units)
- 2) re-normalize data using monitors from archive and recent standards;
- 3) re-normalize data using monitor data coded in EXFOR and recent standards;
- 4) re-normalize data using isotopes abundances;
- 5) set up uncertainties if they are not given;
- 6) delete part of a data set;
- 7) convert ratios to absolute numbers (and reverse);
- 8) calculate ratios to archival monitors and to monitors coded in EXFOR;

**Automatic corrections based on EXFOR information: started in December 2011**

Plan: collecting database of corrections done by evaluators (plan)

# Syntax. Structure.

Corrections (data modifications) are described in a text file with following structure



Datasets from EXFOR are identified by the  
DatasetID := SubentryPointer

All operations described in the list of corrections will  
be applied to the current dataset.

# First examples

40274002A  $y=y*0.85$

This means: take data from Subentry 40274.002 having Pointer=<A>,  
and for every data point perform action: multiply data value (y) by factor 0.85

10221039 dSys= $y*0.02;$

This means: set systematic uncertainties equal to 2% of data for Subentry 10221039

```
10221039 m0:endlb4 $ u235nf; #old monitor
    m1:iaeastd2006 $ u235nf; #new monitor
    dy=dy/y;                 #abs. to relative uncertainty
    y=y/m0*m1;               #re-normalize data value
    dy=dy**2 -(dm0/m0)**2 +(dm1/m1)**2; #re-calc.errors
    dy=dy**0.5*y;             #back to abs. uncertainty
```

Monitor data used for measurements: CS from ENDF-B/IV, reaction U-235(n,f). We define for renormalization old and new monitors: data from ENDF-B/IV, U-235(n,f) and modern data from IAEA Standards-2006 library; re-calculate data values and uncertainty using old and new monitors for every data point.

# Syntax. Declarations.

## Energy dependent monitor from the Archive.

Energy dependent monitor must be “declared” before first time used.

syntax:    m0:Library\$Reaction;  
              the same for m1,m2,m3,...,m7  
example:    m0:allen58\$u235nf;  
              m1:std05\$u235nf;

Use value interpolated for the current energy in the variable m1 and dm1

example:    y=y\*m1/m0;

## Energy dependent monitor from EXFOR file.

Energy dependent monitor must be “declared” before first time used.

syntax1:    m0:[EN, MONIT];  
              where EN and MONIT are headers of EXFOR data columns  
syntax2:    m0:[EN-MIN ! EN-MAX, MONIT];  
              energy value will be average between two columns: EN-MIN and EN-MAX  
syntax3:    m0:[EN, MONIT, MONIT-ERR];  
              to describe column with monitor uncertainties (after that, dm0 will have a value)  
syntax4:    m0:[EN, MONIT:2];  
              to describe column having pointer

Use value interpolated for the current energy in the variable m0 and dm0

example:    y=y\*m1/m0;

After you declare monitor (as m0, m1, etc.), you can use variable m0 (or m1, etc.) in your expressions

Example:    y=y\*m1/m0;  
              dy=((dy/y)\*\*2 -(dm0/m0)\*\*2 +(dm1/m1)\*\*2)\*\*0.5\*y;

# Syntax. Variables. Data.

**C4 file**

Proj.TargetM	MF	MT	Energy	dEnergy	Data	dData	Cos/LO	dCos/LO	LVL/HL	dLVL/HL	I78	Refer	(YY)	EntrySubP
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	1.3600-8	1.2000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.5900+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	4.1600-8	2.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.5700+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	9.3400-8	3.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.5500+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	2.1200-7	5.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.5300+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	3.8400-7	6.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.5100+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	5.8700-7	8.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.4900+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		
1 9019	69000	1.4830+7	150000.0	7.5100-7	9.0000-9	0.939692	1.9	1.4700+7	100000.0	E2A.Takahashi,ET.AL. (83)	21875	42		

COLUMNS	NAME	VARIABLE	MEANING
1- 5	Prj		Projectile ZA (e.g. neutron =1, proton =1001)
6- 11	Targ		Target ZA (e.g. 26-Fe-56 = 26056)
12	M		Target metastable state (e.g. 26-FE-56m = M)
13-15	MF	MF	MF (ENDF conventions, plus additions)
16- 19	MT	MT	MT (ENDF conventions, plus additions)
20	P		Product metastable state (e.g. 26-FE-56M = M)
21	X		EXFOR status
22	C		Center-of-mass flag (C=center-of-mass, blank=lab)
23- 94	.....		8 data fields (each in E9.3 format)
23- 31	Energy	E	Projectile incident energy
32- 40	dEnergy	dE	Projectile incident energy uncertainty
41- 49	Data	Y	Data, e.g., cross section, angular distribution, etc.
50- 58	dData	dy	Data uncertainty
59- 67	Cos/LO	A	Cosine or legendre order
68- 76	dCos/LO	da	Cosine uncertainty
77- 85	LVL/HL	E2	Identified by columns 95-97 (e.g.,level E, half-life)
86- 94	dLVL/HL	de2	Identified by columns 95-97 (e.g.,level E, uncertainty)
95- 97	I78		Identification of data fields 7 and 8 (e.g., LVL=level, HL=half-life, etc.).
98-122	Refer		Reference (first author and year)
123-127	ENTRY		EXFOR accession number
128-130	Sub		sub-accession number
131	P		Multi-dimension table flag (Pointer)
132-140	dSys	dSys	Multi-dimension table flag (Pointer)
141-149	dStat	dStat	Multi-dimension table flag (Pointer)

# Other variables and constants.

## Numerical values

These values can be used in expressions in the format of REAL numbers in Fortran. It is assumed that values without units are presented in “basic” units (e.g. 20 means 20eV). Expressions allow also usage of units (which must be presented in special working dictionary), then units will be replaced by factor, e.g. 2hr will be replaced by (2\*3600), 2% will be replaced by (2\*0.01), 20kev will be replaced by (20\*1e3).

## Intermediate variables.

syntax: a0, a1, a2, a3, a4, a5, a6, a7, c0, c1, c2, c3, c4, c5, c6, Fc  
default value=0

## Monitor point.

Monitor value for given point (e.g. thermal cross section) can be used in any expression:

syntax: Library\$Reaction[Energy]  
example: a1=iaea05\$au197ng[0.0253];

It is also possible to use energy value from COMMON block:

a1=iaea05\$au197ng[EN-NRM];

## Monitor point from EXFOR.

Single monitor value is usually given in EXFOR file in COMMON block. This value can be used in an expression referring to Header of the column in the COMMON block by using [Header], e.g.

a0=[MONIT1];

So, renormalization by single point can also be described without using intermediate variables, e.g.:

y = y \* iaea05\$au197ng[0.0253] / [MONIT1];

# Other constants and operations.

## Abundance

When necessary, cross sections can be corrected by using natural abundance of isotopes and cross section of competing reaction. Abundance is coded as `abu[isotope]`, can be used in expressions and will be replaced by value taken from internal library. For example:

```
20388002 m2:rrdf07$ni61nnp;  
y = y - abu[ni61]/abu[ni60]*m2;
```

## Half-life

If necessary (for long-lived residuals), cross sections can be corrected by using new half-life value, which is coded as `t12[isotope]`. It can be used in expressions and will be replaced by value taken from internal library. For example:

```
30449003 y=y*t12[bi207]/38yr; # converted to y=y*32.9yr/38yr;
```

## Operations.

Traditional operations:

+ - \* / \*\*

parentheses () change order of operations

## Calculations

syntax:    variable=expression;

Traditional for programming languages

# Using Correction System

The screenshot shows the X4/Servlet interface in Mozilla Firefox. The main window title is "X4/Ser... Select - Mozilla Firefox". The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, History, Bookmarks, Tools, and Help. The toolbar has several tabs: X4/Ser..., Nuclear D..., CINDA/Se..., Phys. Rev..., X4Covar, http...=914, X4Covar, http...=914, X4Up: to..., and http:...adx. A status bar at the bottom shows "Request #932".

**Data Selection:** Includes "Retrieve" buttons for Selected, Unselected, All, and Reset. "Output" checkboxes for EXFOR, EXFOR+, Bibliography, TAB, C4, and PlotC4. "Plot" checkboxes for Quick-plot (cross-sections only) and Advanced plot [how-to] using C5 and converting ratios to cross sections using [IAEA-standards, 2006]. "Narrow Energy (optional), eV: Min: [ ] Max: [ ]". "Apply Data re-normalization (for advanced users, results in: C4, TAB and Plots)" button. "Corrections" section contains a code block:

```
11675026          #dataset=SUBENT
a1=std05$u235nf[EN-NRM]/[MONIT1]; #correction factor for thermal cross section 235U(n,f)
a2=std05$au197ng[EN-NRM]/[MONIT2];#correction factor for thermal cross section 197Au(n,g)
m0: allen58 $ U235nf;           #used monitor: 235U(n,f), Allen & Henkel, 1958
m1: std05 $ u235nf;             #new monitor: 235U(n,f): IAEA-Standard 2005
y =y/a1*a2*m1/m0;              #re-normalization of data
dy=y*0.08;                      #set up data errors to 8% of data values
```

**Open-box** callout points to the "Data Selection" section.

**User's corrections** callout points to the "Corrections" code block.

**Examples** callout points to the "Examples" section on the right.

**Help & Doc** callout points to the "Help & Doc" section on the right.

**Examples:** [1][2][3][4][5][6][7][8][9] [ZK] [help] [doc]

**Input your own Monitor data** section is present.

**Table:**

n	Display	Year	Author-1	Energy range,eV	Points	Reference	Accession#P	NSR-Key
C1)	i 79-AU-197(N,G) 79-AU-198,,SIG	1959	A.E.Johnsrud+	C4: MF3 MT102		+ J,PR,116,927,1959	11675026	1959J033
*	Quantity: [CS] Cross section			1.45e5	5.40e6	21		

Two monitoring points (given in EXFOR COMMON blocks) were used together with energy dependent monitor. Re-normalize absolute cross section data.

11675026

```
a1=std05$u235nf[EN-NRM]/[MONIT1];
a2=std05$au197ng[EN-NRM]/[MONIT2];
m0: allen58 $ U235nf;
m1: std05 $ u235nf;
y =y/a1*a2*m1/m0;
dy=y*0.08;
```

```
#dataset=SUBENT
#correction factor for thermal cross section 235U(n,f)
#correction factor for thermal cross section 197Au(n,g)
#used monitor: 235U(n,f), Allen & Henkel, 1958
#new monitor: 235U(n,f): IAEA-Standard 2005
#re-normalization of data
#set up data errors to 8% of data values
```

# Apply corrections

X4/Servlet: Select - Mozilla Firefox

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

X4/Servlet: Select

EXFOR Request #932/19

**Output Data**

Format	Data (Size)
EXFOR	<a href="#">Text (6Kb)</a> <a href="#">ZIP (2Kb)</a> <a href="#">Generate: X4± Test: C5 X4.xml X4.html X4Out X4Out.xml</a>
Bibliography	<a href="#">html (3Kb)</a> <a href="#">BibTeX (1Kb)</a>
Computational	
C4	<a href="#">C4 (3Kb)</a> <a href="#">C4.ZIP (1Kb)</a> <a href="#">LST (117Kb)</a>

Advanced Plotting: [LST \(1Kb\)](#)

Select experimental data for plotting...

Go to [Quantity type](#) #Plots  
σ(E) SIG Cross section data 1

Go to plot evaluated data...

[ENDF](#) Retrieve evaluated data and plot...

Requested corrections

```
#dataset=SUBENT
a1=std05$u235nf[EN-NRM] / [MONIT1]; #correction factor for thermal cross section 235U(n,f)
a2=std05$au197ng[EN-NRM] / [MONIT2];#correction factor for thermal cross section 197Au(n,g)
m0: allen58 $ U235nf;
m1: std05 $ u235nf;
y=y/a1*a2*m1/m0;
dy=y*0.08;
```

Correction protocol

Applied corrections. Datasets: 1

1) EXFOR:#11675026 Ref:A.E.Johnsrud,ET.AL. (59) Corrected\_Points:21 Deleted\_Points:0  
11675026 a1=584.326/584; a2=98.6593/99; M0:allen58\$u235nf; M1:std05\$u235nf; Y=Y/a1\*a2\*M1/M0; dY=Y\*0.08;  
See used monitors: [\[plot\]](#)

See: [\[selected\]](#) datasets [\[corrections\]](#) [\[data-check\]](#)

79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198  
EXFOR Request: 932/1, 2011-Nov-29 15:21:47

User's corrections

Plot monitors

Check values

Corrections protocol

Corrected data

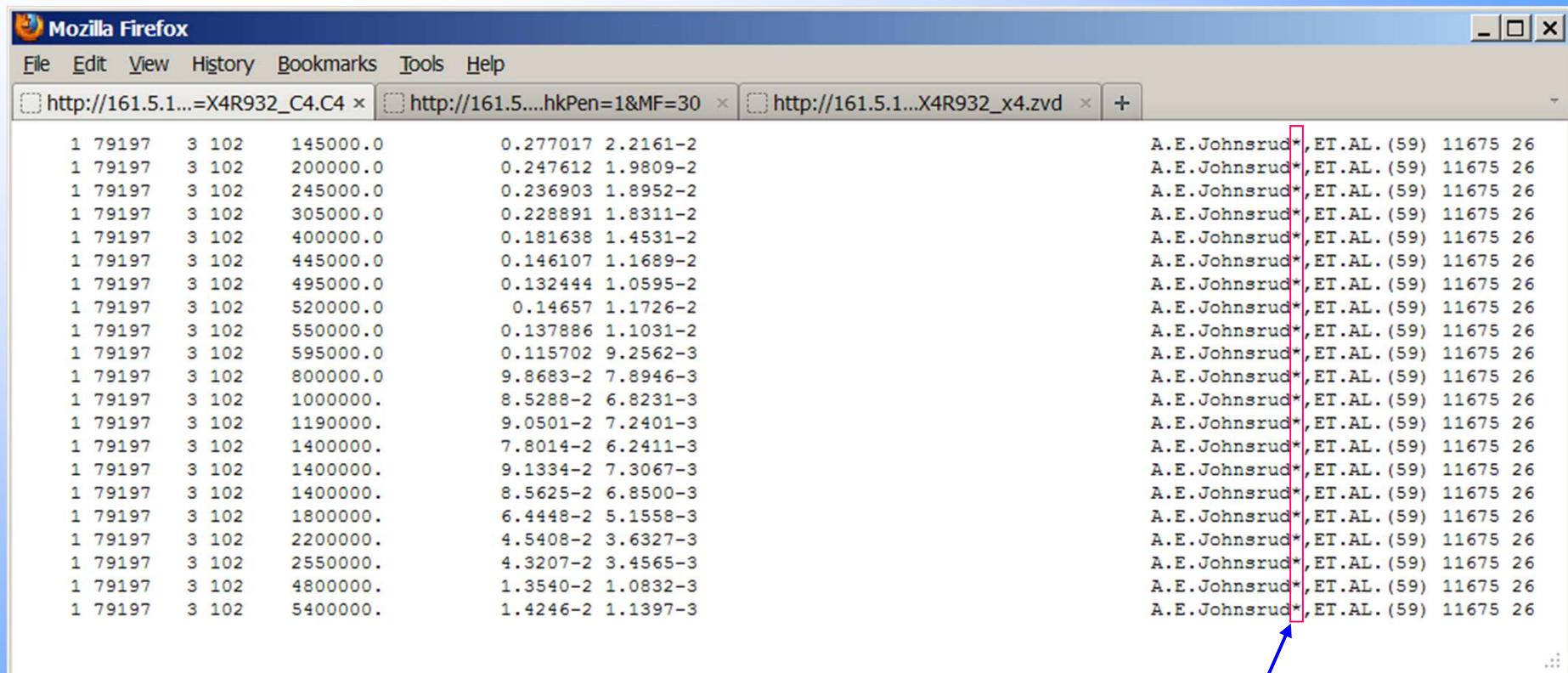
ENDF Find and add to the plot evaluated data

+  1) 79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG

+  2) Use my data [example]

See: plotted data (3Kb)

# Corrected C4 file

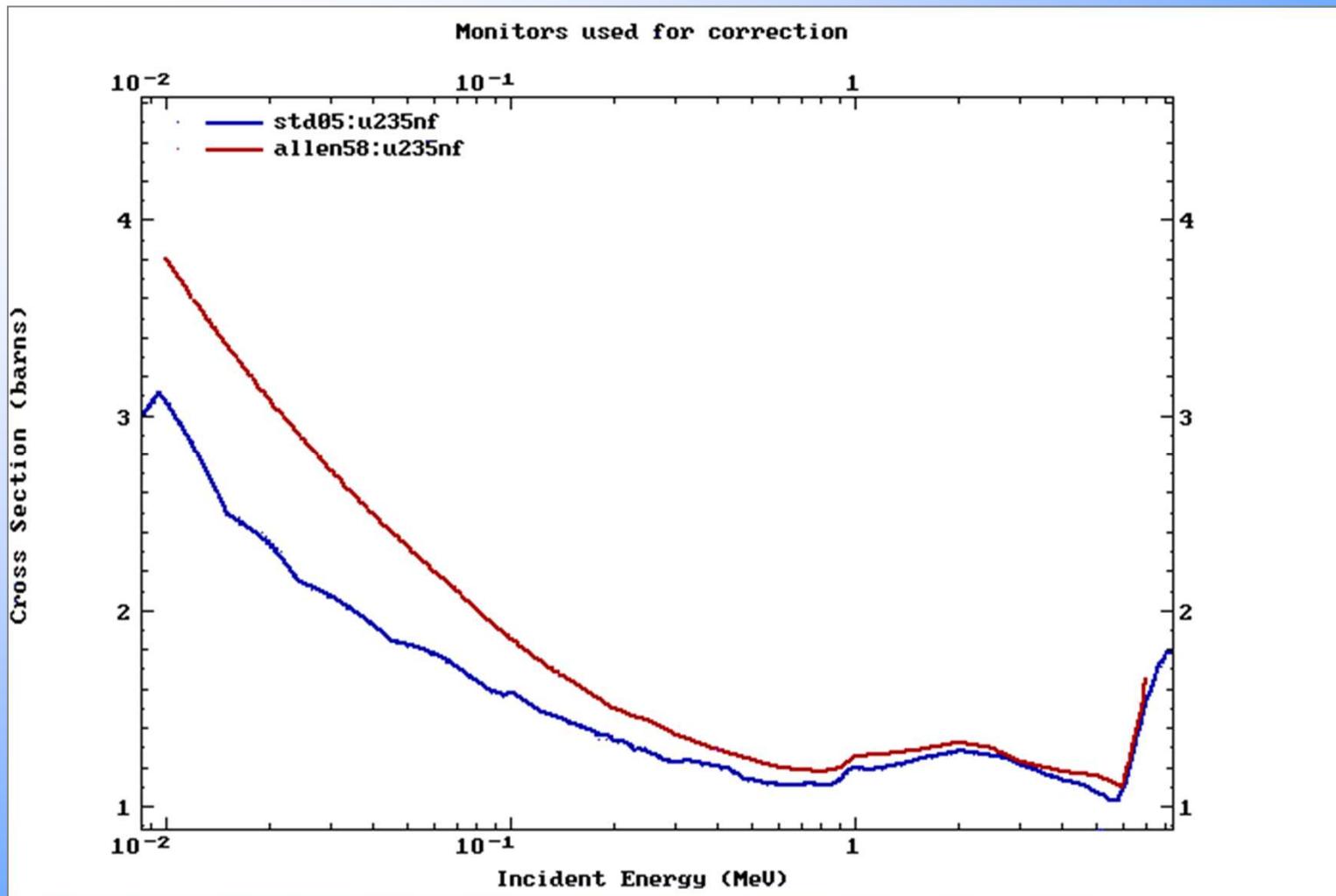


## \* Flag: corrected data

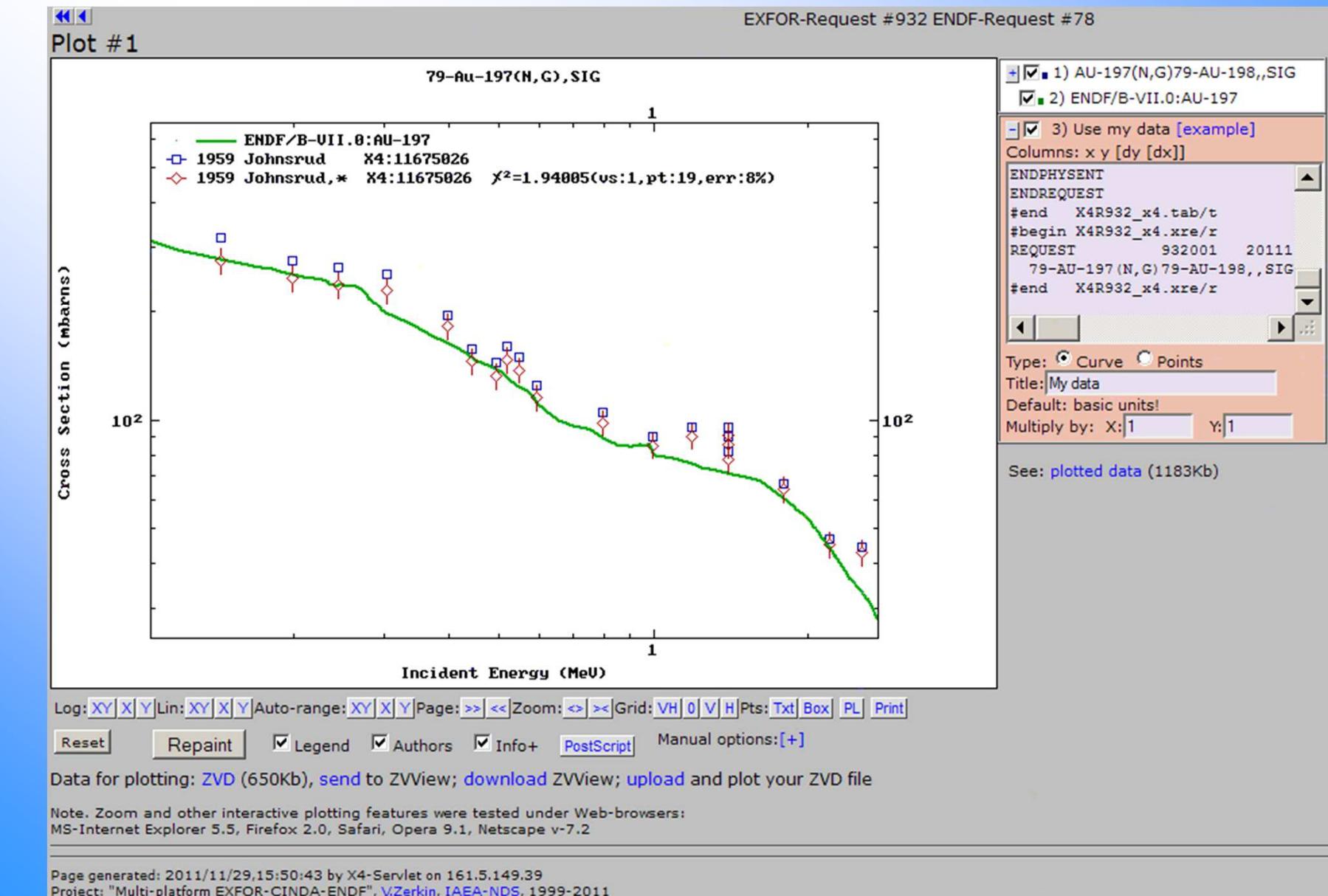
# Checking data values and uncertainties

	Data before	Data after	Uncert. before	Uncert. after	Final correction factor
-1	En (MeV) = 0.145	Y (mb) = 320	dY (mb) = 0	(0.00%)	11675026 A.E.Johnsrud, ET.AL. (59)
+1		Y (mb) = 277.017	dY (mb) = 22.1614	(8.00%)	11675026 *Fc=0.865679
-2	En (MeV) = 0.2	Y (mb) = 278	dY (mb) = 0	(0.00%)	11675026 A.E.Johnsrud, ET.AL. (59)
+2		Y (mb) = 247.612	dY (mb) = 19.8089	(8.00%)	11675026 *Fc=0.890689
-3	En (MeV) = 0.245	Y (mb) = 266	dY (mb) = 0	(0.00%)	11675026 A.E.Johnsrud, ET.AL. (59)
+3		Y (mb) = 236.903	dY (mb) = 18.9523	(8.00%)	11675026 *Fc=0.890615
-4	En (MeV) = 0.305	Y (mb) = 255	dY (mb) = 0	(0.00%)	11675026 A.E.Johnsrud, ET.AL. (59)
+4		Y (mb) = 228.891	dY (mb) = 18.3113	(8.00%)	11675026 *Fc=0.897611
-5	En (MeV) = 0.4	Y (mb) = 195	dY (mb) = 0	(0.00%)	11675026 A.E.Johnsrud, ET.AL. (59)
+5		Y (mb) = 181.638	dY (mb) = 14.5311	(8.00%)	11675026 *Fc=0.931479
-6	En (MeV) =	-1 En(MeV)=1.83 Y(mb)=4.4	dY(mb)=1	(22.73%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+6		+1 Y(mb)=4.02961	dY(mb)=0.932792	(23.15%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-7	En (MeV) =	-2 En(MeV)=2.01 Y(mb)=8.2	dY(mb)=1.7	(20.73%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+7		+2 Y(mb)=7.50972	dY(mb)=1.59151	(21.19%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-8	En (MeV) =	-3 En(MeV)=2.2 Y(mb)=17.4	dY(mb)=1.4	(8.05%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+8		+3 Y(mb)=15.9353	dY(mb)=1.46102	(9.17%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-9	En (MeV) =	-4 En(MeV)=2.36 Y(mb)=26.2	dY(mb)=2.5	(9.54%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+9		+4 Y(mb)=23.9945	dY(mb)=2.52081	(10.51%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-10	En (MeV) =	-5 En(MeV)=2.5 Y(mb)=38.9	dY(mb)=3.1	(7.97%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+10		+5 Y(mb)=35.6254	dY(mb)=3.2423	(9.10%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-11	En (MeV) =	-6 En(MeV)=2.81 Y(mb)=67.6	dY(mb)=2.8	(4.14%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+11		+6 Y(mb)=61.9094	dY(mb)=3.73918	(6.04%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-12	En (MeV) =	-7 En(MeV)=3.01 Y(mb)=92	dY(mb)=4.1	(4.46%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+12		+7 Y(mb)=84.2554	dY(mb)=5.27409	(6.26%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-13	En (MeV) =	-8 En(MeV)=3.1 Y(mb)=100	dY(mb)=4	(4.00%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+13		+8 Y(mb)=91.582	dY(mb)=5.44297	(5.94%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-14	En (MeV) =	-9 En(MeV)=3.18 Y(mb)=113	dY(mb)=4	(3.54%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+14		+9 Y(mb)=103.488	dY(mb)=5.84067	(5.64%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-15	En (MeV) =	-10 En(MeV)=3.21 Y(mb)=119	dY(mb)=7	(5.88%)	10224002 D.C.SANTRY, ET.AL. (72)
+15		+10 Y(mb)=108.983	dY(mb)=8.00296	(7.34%)	10224002 *Fc=0.91582
-16	En (MeV) =				
+16					

# Checking used monitors



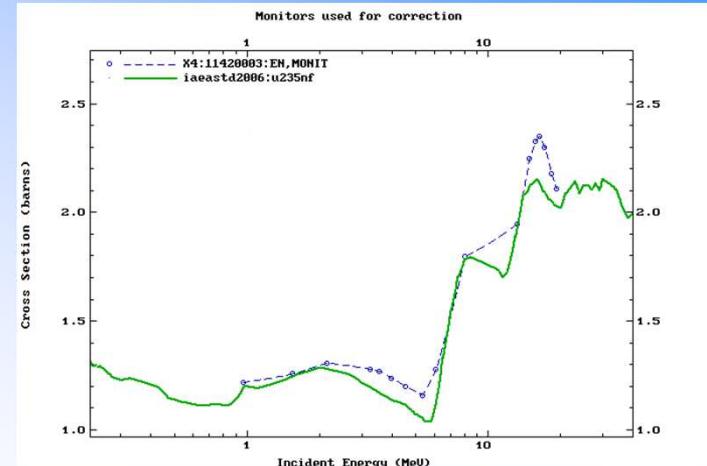
# Original EXFOR data vs. corrected data and evaluated data



# EXFOR 1142003 25-MN-55(N,G)25-MN-56,,SIG Menlove, 1967

SUBENT	11420001	860612		
BIB	11	19		
INSTITUTE	(1USALOK)			
REFERENCE	(J, PR, 163, 1299, 67) (C, 66WASH, 2, 746, 6603)			
AUTHOR	(H.O.MENLOVE, K.L.COOP, H.A.GRENCH, R.SHER)			
TITLE	NEUTRON RADIATIVE CAPTURE CROSS SECTIONS FOR NA23, MN55, IN115, AND HO165 IN THE ENERGY REGION 1.0 TO 19.4 MEV.			
FACILITY	(VDG)			
INC-SOURCE	(P-T) 1.0-2.2 MEV. (D-D) 3.3-6.1 MEV. (A-BE) 13.3-19.4 MEV. (D-T) 13.3-19.4 MEV.			
MONITOR	(92-U-235(N,F),,SIG)			
DETECTOR	(NAICR)			
METHOD	(ACTIV)			
STATUS	(SCSRS)			
HISTORY	(760715T) TRANSLATED FROM SCISRS (820813A) CONVERTED TO REACTION FORMALISM (860612A) BIB UPDATE.			
ENDBIB	19			
NOCOMMON	0 0			
ENDSUBENT	22			
SUBENT	11420003	860612		
BIB	2	2		
REACTION	(25-MN-55(N,G)25-MN-56,,SIG)			
DECAY-DATA	(25-MN-56, 2.58HR, DG)			
ENDBIB	2			
NOCOMMON	0 0			
DATA	5 17			
<b>EN</b>	<b>EN-RSL</b>	<b>DATA</b>	<b>DATA-ERR</b>	<b>MONIT</b>
MEV	MEV	B	B	B
9.70	-01 1.00	-01 2.80	-03 2.2	-04 1.22
1.56	+00 1.2	-01 1.94	-03 1.5	-04 1.26
2.15	+00 1.3	-01 1.89	-03 1.4	-04 1.31
1.735	+01 3.2	-01 7.05	-04 7.1	-05 2.30
1.844	+01 3.3	-01 5.80	-04 5.5	-05 2.18
1.939	+01 3.5	-01 4.72	-04 4.8	-05 2.11
ENDDATA	19			
ENDSUBENT	26			

Monitors used for re-normalization



IAEA Standards (2006)

#Corrections:

11420003

```
m0: [EN,MONIT];
m1: iaeastd2006 $ u235nf;
y =y*m1/m0;
dy=dy*m1/m0;
```

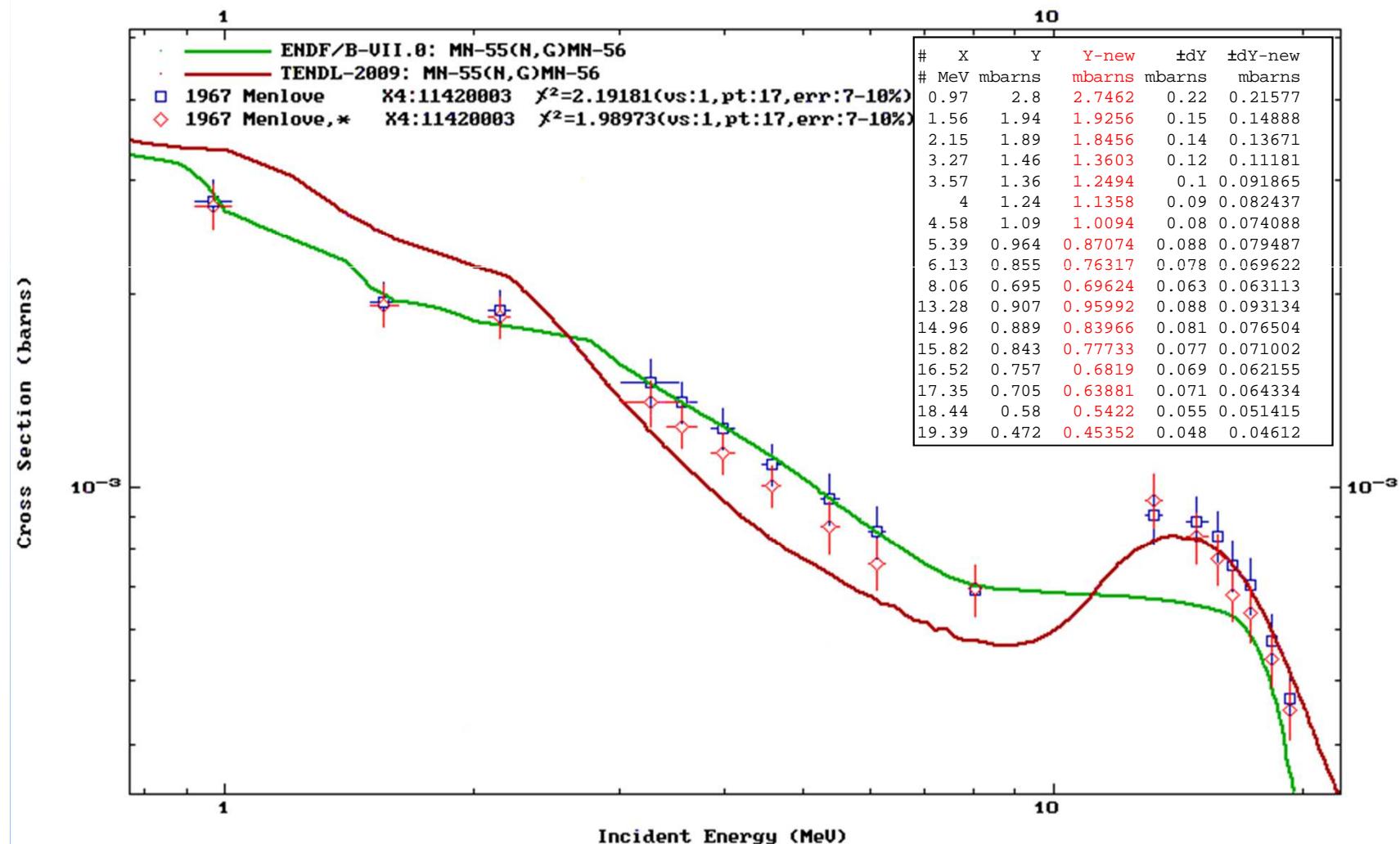
# EXFOR 1142003 25-MN-55(N,G)25-MN-56,,SIG Menlove, 1967

Applied corrections. Datasets: 1

1) EXFOR:#1142003 Corrected\_Points:17

1142003 M0:[EN,MONIT]; M1:iaeastd2006\$u235nf; Y=Y\*M1/M0; dY=dY\*M1/M0;

ENDF Request 501, 2010-May-04, 11:23:29  
 EXFOR Request: 802/1, 2010-May-04 11:28:16



Available monitor reactions (standards):

1. Library: IAEA-standards, 2006
  1. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ h01nn
  2. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ li6nt
  3. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ b10na
  4. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ au197ng
  5. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ u235nf
  6. m1: iaeastd2006 \$ u238nf
2. Library: RRDF-2010
  1. m1: rdf10 \$ al27na
  2. m1: rdf10 \$ al27np
  3. m1: rdf10 \$ au197n2n
  4. m1: rdf10 \$ cu63n2n
  5. m1: rdf10 \$ cu65n2n
  6. m1: rdf10 \$ fe56np
  7. m1: rdf10 \$ in115nnm
  8. m1: rdf10 \$ nb93nnm
  9. m1: rdf10 \$ nb93n2nm
  10. m1: rdf10 \$ ni58np
  11. m1: rdf10 \$ s32np
  12. m1: rdf10 \$ as75n2n
  13. m1: rdf10 \$ ti49nx
3. Library: JENDL/D99
  1. m0: jendl99 \$ in115nnm
4. Library: ENDF-B/VI
  1. m0: endfb6 \$ u235nf
  2. m0: endfb6 \$ u238nf
5. Library: ENDF-B/V
  1. m0: endfb5 \$ fe56np
  2. m0: endfb5 \$ in115nnm
  3. m0: endfb5 \$ li6nt
  4. m0: endfb5 \$ u235nf
6. Library: ENDF-B/IV
  1. m0: endfb4 \$ fe56np
  2. m0: endfb4 \$ ni58np
  3. m0: endfb4 \$ u235nf
7. Library: IRK-90 (Vienna, H.Vonach, 1990)
  1. m0: irk90 \$ al27na
  2. m0: irk90 \$ nb93n2nm
  3. m0: irk90 \$ au197n2n
8. Monitors used in the past
  1. m0: gammel60 \$ h01nn
 

J.L.Gammel, Fast Neutron Physics, Vol II, p.2185, Interscience Pub., Inc., New York, 1960
  2. m0: sowerbay73 \$ u238nf
 

M.G.Sowerby et al. Report AERE-R-7373, 1973
  3. m0: allen58 \$ u235nf
 

W.D.Allen, R.Henkel  
Fast Neutron on the Isotopes of Thorium, Uranium and Plutonium.  
Progress in Nuclear Energy. Pergamon Press, New York, 1958, series 1, vol.2, pp. 1-50
  4. m0: smith57 \$ u238nf
 

R.K.Smith, R.L.Henkel, R.A.Nobles  
Neutron-Induced Fission Cross Sections for U233, U235, U238 and Pu241 from 2 To 10 MeV.  
Bulletin of the American Physical Society; Vol.2, p.196(K4), 1957
  5. m0: vonach83 \$ al27na
 

H.Vonach  
The Al-27(n,a)Na-24 Cross Section. Nuclear Data Standards for Nuclear Measurements. Technical Reports Series No.227, IAEA, Vienna, 1983, pp.59-63

# Status. Monitors.

- Organized in two level structure:  
library / monitor ==  
directory / file
- Data are stored in 3-col. text files
- Monitor-covariance: not yet
- Total: 47 data files
- Source: IRDF-2002 project  
(K.Zolotarev, IPPE, Russia)

# Results in 2011: “manual system”

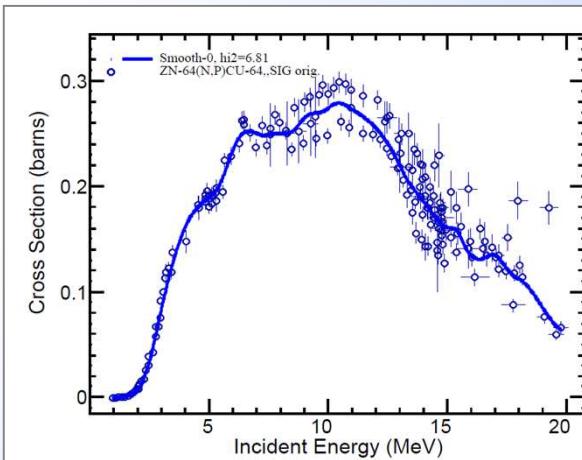
- expert K.Zolotarev (physicist from IPPE, Russia) uses the system to prepare corrections and test the system (2 weeks visit in May 2011): 33 dataset for the reaction Zn-64(n,p) were analysed, correction file was prepared
- Zolotarev's collection of monitors was adopted to archive and tested
- functions of the Web system were extended (precise data checking, uploading user's monitor, etc.)
- syntax was extended to include parentheses and monitor data errors

## Example of Zolotarev's corrections:

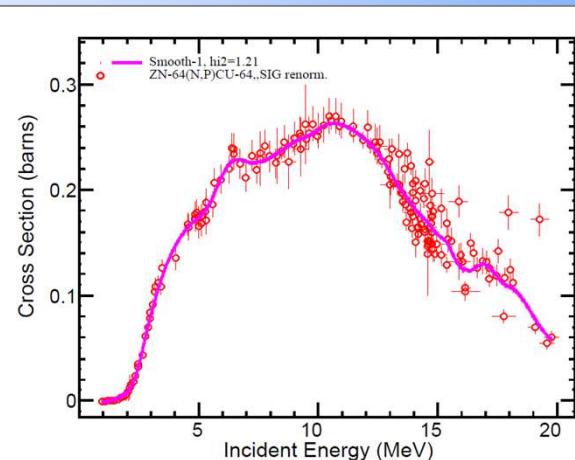
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10224003          # 1972 D.C.Santry+
                   #measurements with T(p,n)He3 neutron source
                   #monitor S32(n,p)P32 reaction
a0=0.91582;       #experimental data were renormalized to the integral of
                   #cross-section calculated from experimental data of Mannhart
                   #and Schmidt 2007 in the overlapping energy
                   #range 1.500 - 3.958 MeV, a0=0.91582
                   #error in b+ mode in Cu64 decay      - 1.15%
                   #error in normalization value      - 3%
                   #error in angular neutron intensity - 3%
m0: [en,monit];   #old cs for S32(n,p)P32 monitor reaction
m1: rrdfl0 $ s32np; #new cs for S32(n,p)P32 monitor reaction
c1=dml/m1;         #relative error in new cs for S32(n,p)P32 monitor reaction
dy=dy/y;           #relative uncertainty in original cs for Zn64(n,p)Cu64 reaction
fc=m1/m0*a0;       #total correction factor
y=y*fc;            #correction exp. cs
dy=dy^2+c1^2+a1^2+a2^2+a3^2; #determination the quadrature of new total error
dy=dy^0.5*y;        #determination the absolute error in new Zn64(n,p) cs

12956003          #1975 R.Spangler+
m0: [en,monit];   #old cs for Al27(n,a)Na24 monitor reaction
m1: rrdfl0 $ al27na; #new cs for Al27(n,a)Na24 monitor reaction
a=0.380/0.348;     #correction to new 511 keV gamma-yield per decay Cu-64
fc=m1/m0*a;        #total correction factor
y=y*fc;            #correction exp. cs
dy=dy*fc;          #correction abs. uncertainty in renorm. cs
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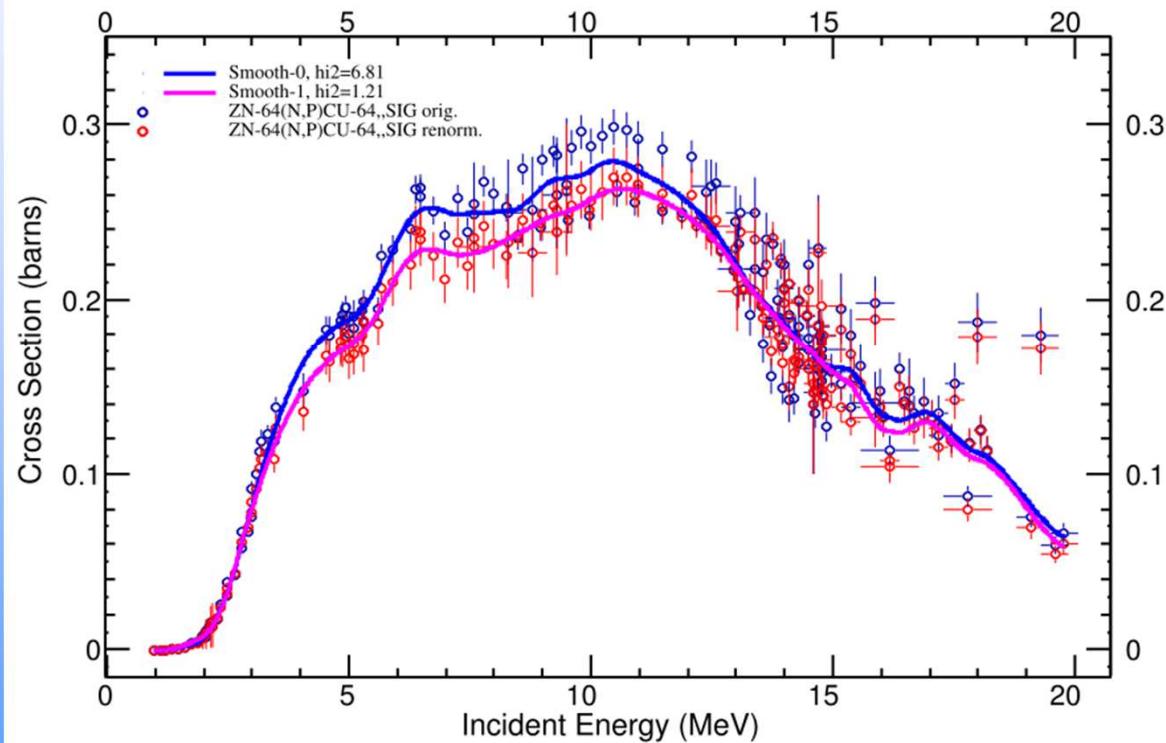
## Before corrections



## After corrections



$^{30}\text{Zn}-^{64}(\text{N,P})^{29}\text{Cu}-^{64}\text{Cu},\text{SIG}$



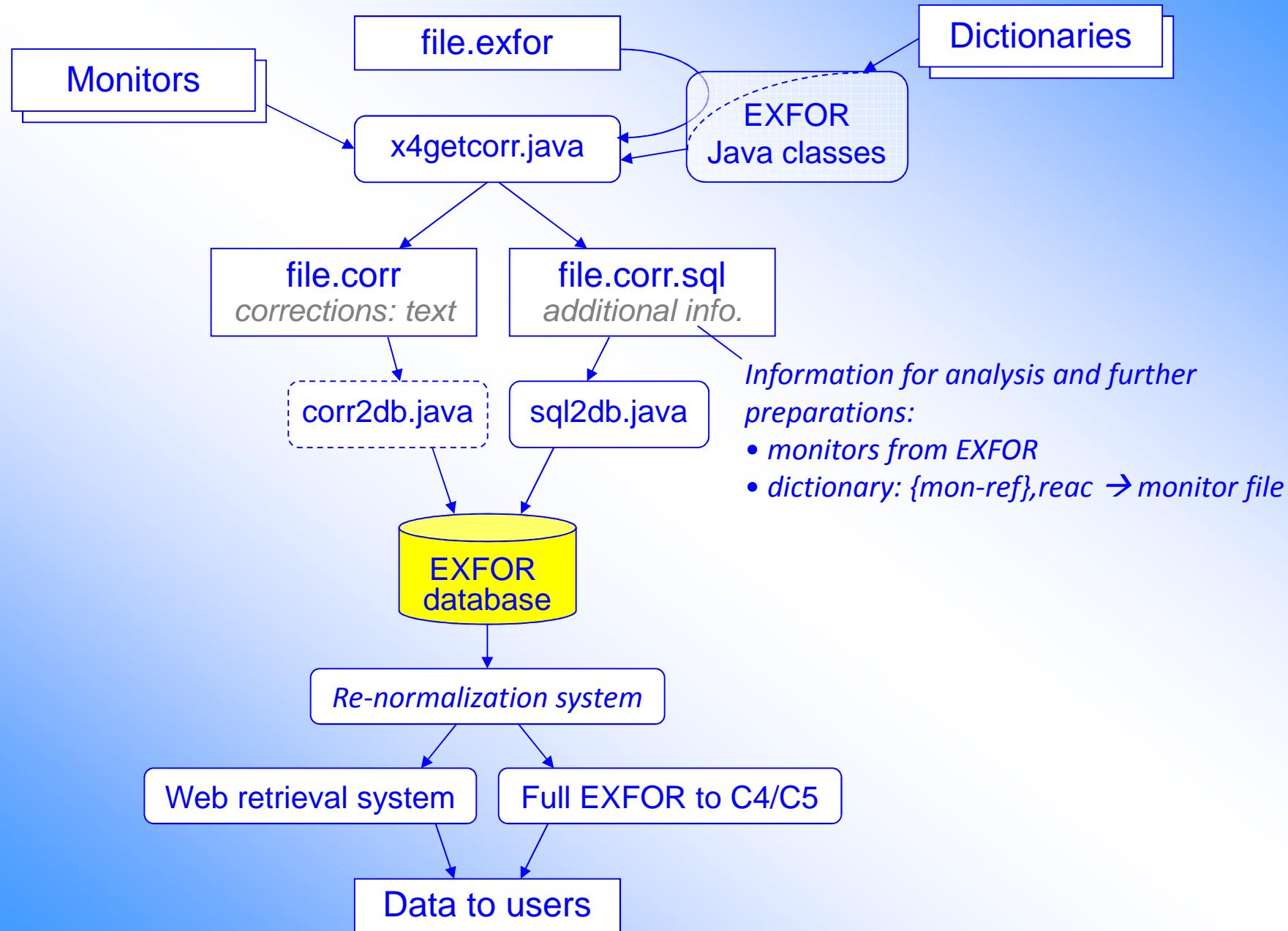
# General plan

1. Automatic corrections based on EXFOR information
  1. Possible for some types EXFOR data, difficult for others
  2. Need unifications in EXFOR coding (MON-REF)
  3. May need to extend EXFOR format (e.g. energy intervals for MON-REF)
2. All corrections → database → Web retrieval system
3. EXFOR + automatic corrections → corrected C4/C5
4. Improve service support (e.g. common plot: original vs. corrected)
5. Extend syntax (to solve problems using original EXFOR columns)
6. Collecting database of corrections done by evaluators
  1. Personal opinion
  2. Arguing (?)
  3. Web support
  4. People and time

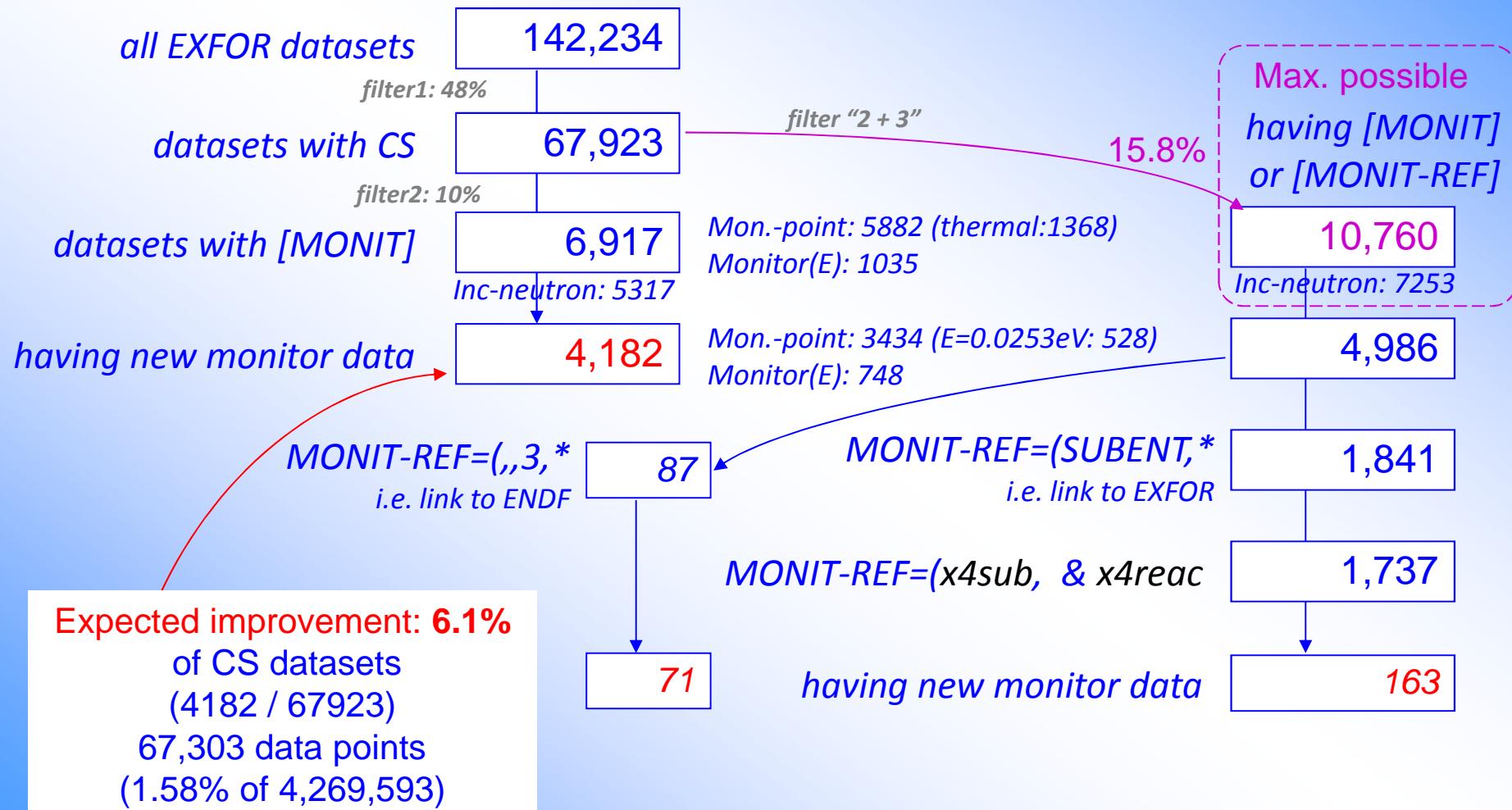
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# Automatic corrections based on EXFOR information



# Automatic correction: types of EXFOR data and expected results



# Example-1: Energy dependent monitor given in DATA section

SUBENT	10421001	20030221			
REFERENCE	(J,NSE,57,300,197508)				
AUTHOR	(W.P.Poenitz)				
TITLE	Measurements of the Neutron Capture Cross Sections of Gold-197 and Uranium-238 Between 20 and 3500 keV				
SUBENT	10421003	20030221			
REACTION	(92-U-238(N,G)92-U-239,,SIG)				
MONITOR	(79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG) Relative standard				
DATA	6	44			
EN	EN-RSL	DATA	DATA-ERR	MONIT	MONIT-ERR
KEV	KEV	MB	MB	MB	PER-CENT
20.	4.	631.	54.	720.	2.
24.		550.	47.	655.	2.
28.		490.	42.	600.	2.
32.		459.	39.	552.	2.
36.		434.	37.	518.	2.
40.		425.	37.	488.	2.
44.		389.	33.	464.	2.
48.		353.	30.	446.	2.
52.		315.	27.	430.	2.
56.		305.	26.	412.	2.

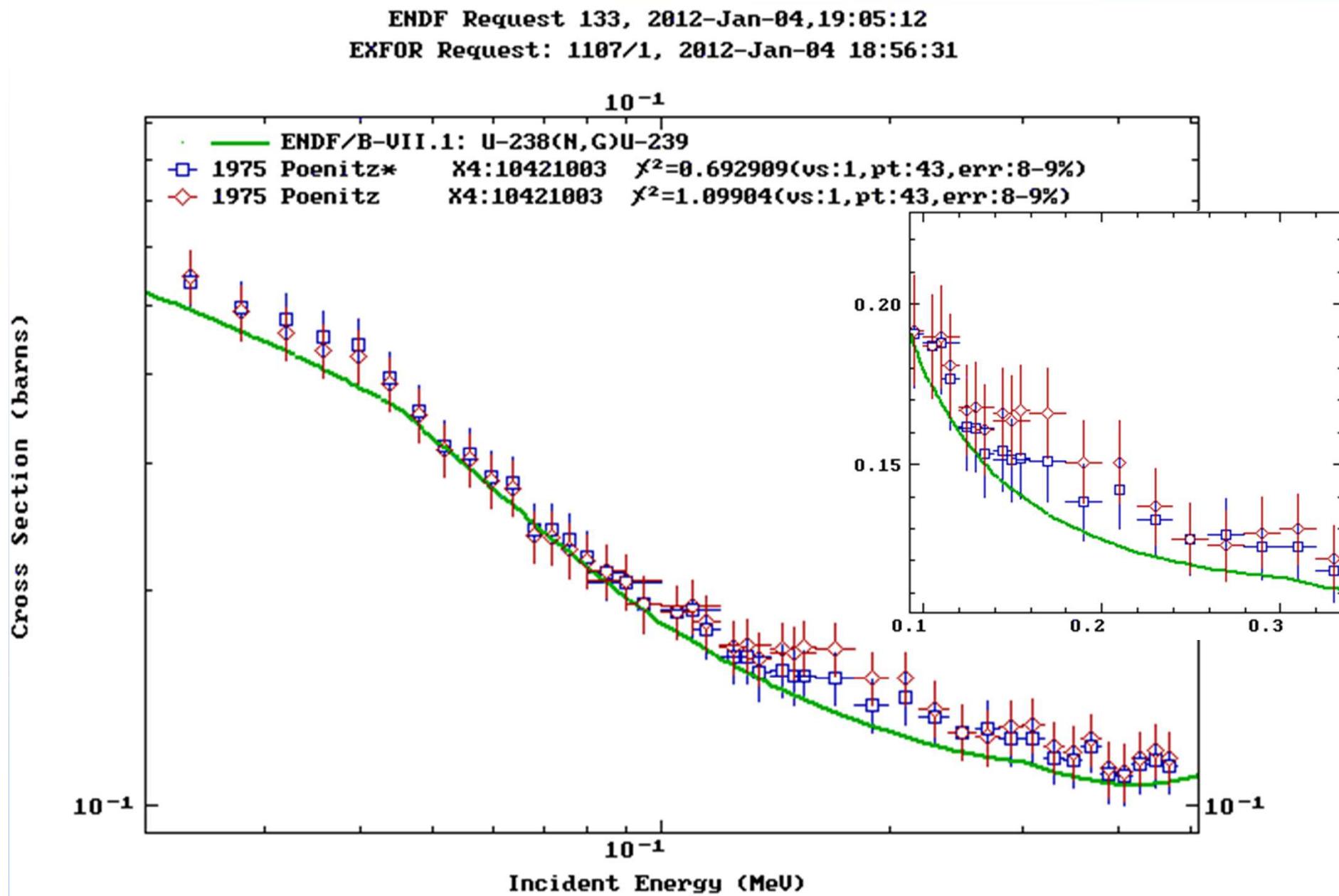
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10421003 x4u:20030221
#Reaction: 92-U-238(N,G)92-U-239,,SIG
#Monitor: 79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG
m0: [EN,MONIT,MONIT-ERR];      #old monitor(energy)
m1: best$au197ng;            #new monitor(energy)
dy=dy/y;                      #to rel. uncertainties
y=y/m0*m1;                   #renormalized CS
dy=(dy**2-dm0**2+dm1**2)**0.5;#replace monitor uncertainty
dy=dy*y;                      #to abs. uncertainties
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-1	En(MeV)=0.02	Y(mb)=631	dY(mb)=54	(8.56%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+1		Y(mb)=614.184	dY(mb)=52.107	(8.48%)	10421003	*Fc=0.973351
-2	En(MeV)=0.024	Y(mb)=550	dY(mb)=47	(8.55%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+2		Y(mb)=540.62	dY(mb)=45.7459	(8.46%)	10421003	*Fc=0.982946
-3	En(MeV)=0.028	Y(mb)=490	dY(mb)=42	(8.57%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+3		Y(mb)=497.788	dY(mb)=42.3081	(8.50%)	10421003	*Fc=1.01589
-4	En(MeV)=0.032	Y(mb)=459	dY(mb)=39	(8.50%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+4		Y(mb)=478.342	dY(mb)=40.3473	(8.43%)	10421003	*Fc=1.04214
-5	En(MeV)=0.036	Y(mb)=434	dY(mb)=37	(8.53%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+5		Y(mb)=453.274	dY(mb)=38.4025	(8.47%)	10421003	*Fc=1.04441
-6	En(MeV)=0.04	Y(mb)=425	dY(mb)=37	(8.71%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+6		Y(mb)=441.328	dY(mb)=38.2229	(8.66%)	10421003	*Fc=1.03842
-7	En(MeV)=0.044	Y(mb)=389	dY(mb)=33	(8.48%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+7		Y(mb)=396.12	dY(mb)=33.4425	(8.44%)	10421003	*Fc=1.0183
-8	En(MeV)=0.048	Y(mb)=353	dY(mb)=30	(8.50%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+8		Y(mb)=357.414	dY(mb)=30.2427	(8.46%)	10421003	*Fc=1.0125
-9	En(MeV)=0.052	Y(mb)=315	dY(mb)=27	(8.57%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+9		Y(mb)=318.742	dY(mb)=27.2133	(8.54%)	10421003	*Fc=1.01188
-10	En(MeV)=0.056	Y(mb)=305	dY(mb)=26	(8.52%)	10421003	W.P.Poenitz (75)
+10		Y(mb)=310.399	dY(mb)=26.3649	(8.49%)	10421003	*Fc=1.0177

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## Example-1: Energy dependent monitor given in DATA section (cont.)



## Example-2: using monitor point given in COMMON block

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ENTRY          20835      840208
SUBENT        20835001    840208
REFERENCE     (J, NP/A, 130, 195, 6906) GRAPHS.
              (P, EANDC(E)-115U,,6903) TABLES.
AUTHOR        (M.BORMANN,B.LAMMERS)
TITLE         -EXCITATION FUNCTIONS OF (N,P) AND (N,2N) REACTIONS
              FOR SOME ISOTOPES OF K,MN,ZN AND CU-.
MONITOR       (1-H-1(N,EL)1-H-1,,SIG) STILBENE PROTON RECOIL
COMMON        3            3
EN-NRM        MONIT      MONIT-ERR
MEV           MB          MB
1.4100E+01 6.8900E+02 5.0000E+00
ENDCOMMON     3
SUBENT        20835003    840208
REACTION      (25-MN-55(N,2N)25-MN-54,,SIG)
DATA          4            8
EN            EN-ERR      DATA      ERR-S
MEV           MEV         MB        MB
1.2990E+01 1.0000E-01 6.0000E+02 7.8000E+01
1.4100E+01 1.5000E-01 7.9800E+02 7.8000E+01
1.5030E+01 1.4000E-01 8.3400E+02 8.2000E+01
1.5570E+01 1.5000E-01 8.4400E+02 6.6000E+01
1.6160E+01 1.5000E-01 8.0300E+02 7.9000E+01
1.6660E+01 1.5000E-01 8.2000E+02 8.0000E+01
1.7120E+01 1.4000E-01 8.8100E+02 8.6000E+01
1.8060E+01 1.3000E-01 8.6100E+02 8.4000E+01
ENDDATA       10

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-1 En(MeV)=12.99 Y(mb)=600	dY(mb)=78	(13.00%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+1 Y(mb)=594.415	dY(mb)=77.274	(13.00%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-2 En(MeV)=14.1 Y(mb)=798	dY(mb)=78	(9.77%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+2 Y(mb)=790.572	dY(mb)=77.274	(9.77%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-3 En(MeV)=15.03 Y(mb)=834	dY(mb)=82	(9.83%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+3 Y(mb)=826.237	dY(mb)=81.2368	(9.83%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-4 En(MeV)=15.57 Y(mb)=844	dY(mb)=66	(7.82%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+4 Y(mb)=836.144	dY(mb)=65.3857	(7.82%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-5 En(MeV)=16.16 Y(mb)=803	dY(mb)=79	(9.84%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+5 Y(mb)=795.526	dY(mb)=78.2647	(9.84%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-6 En(MeV)=16.66 Y(mb)=820	dY(mb)=80	(9.76%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+6 Y(mb)=812.368	dY(mb)=79.2554	(9.76%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-7 En(MeV)=17.12 Y(mb)=881	dY(mb)=86	(9.76%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+7 Y(mb)=872.8	dY(mb)=85.1995	(9.76%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692
-8 En(MeV)=18.06 Y(mb)=861	dY(mb)=84	(9.76%)	20835003	M.BORMANN, ET.AL. (69)
+8 Y(mb)=852.986	dY(mb)=83.2182	(9.76%)	20835003	*Fc=0.990692

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20835003 x4u:19840208
#Reaction: 25-MN-55(N,2N)25-MN-54,,SIG
#Monitor: 1-H-1(N,EL)1-H-1,,SIG
#En=1.41E7
a0=[MONIT];           #old monitor point
a1=best$h1nel[EN-NRM];#new monitor point
dy=dy/y;               #to rel. uncertainties
y=y*a1/a0;             #corrected CS
dy=dy*y;               #to abs. uncertainties

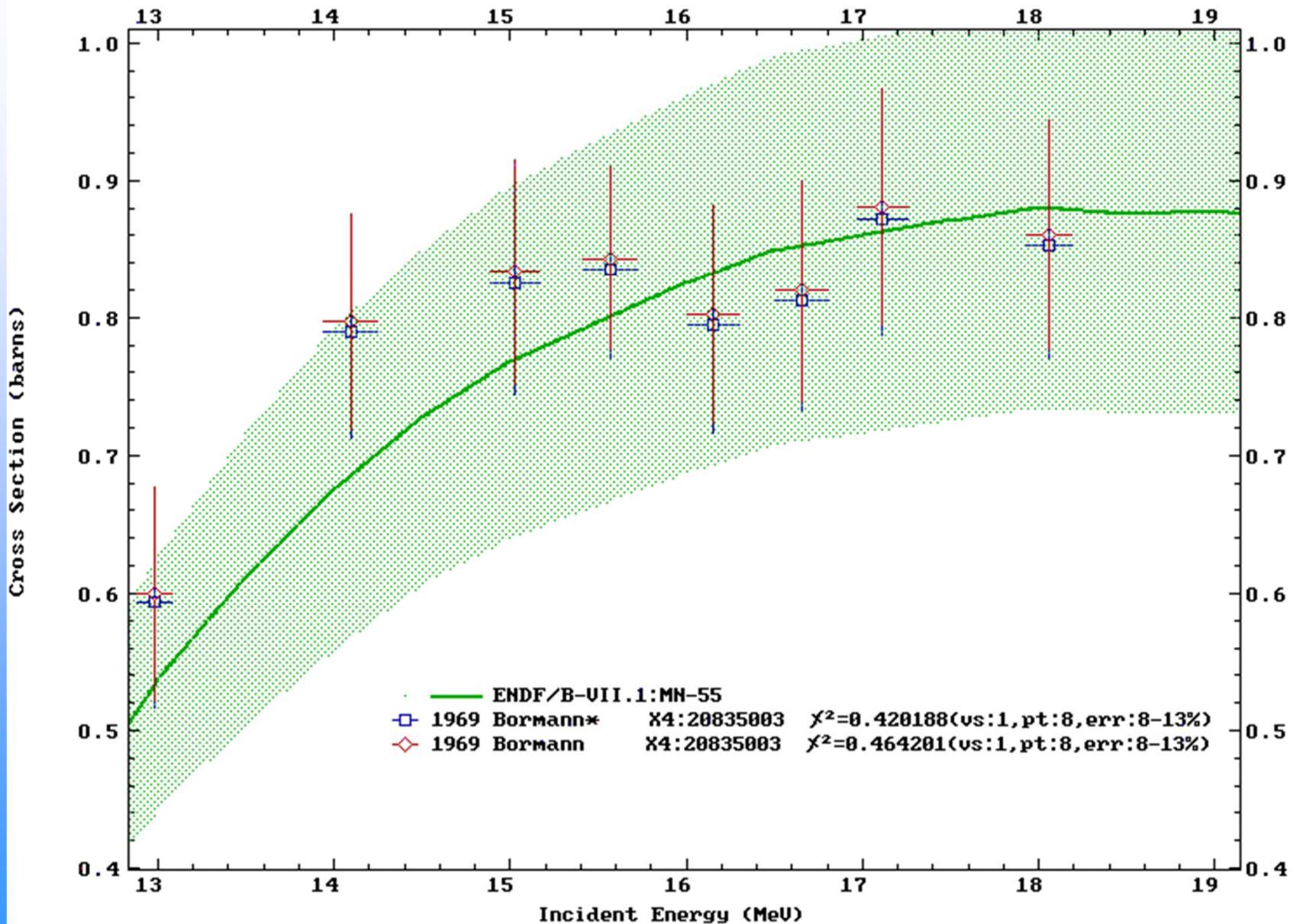
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## Example-2: using monitor point given in COMMON block (cont.)

\*Fc=0.990692 (constant)

25-Mn-55(N,2H), SIG



## Example-3: monitor given in MONIT-REF pointing to EXFOR

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ENTRY          30581  20090506
REFERENCE     (J,APP/B,11,853,198011) Final
AUTHOR        (E.Zupranksa,K.Rusek,J.Turkiewicz,P.Zupranski)
TITLE         Excitation functions for (n,a) reactions in the neutron
              energy range from 13 to 18 MeV.
MONITOR       (26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG)
MONIT-REF     (20377002,H.LISKIEN+,J,JNE/AB,19,73,196502)
STATUS        (APRVD) Approved with corrections, by M.Herman,81/06/15
SUBENT       30581004 20090506
REACTION     (25-MN-55(N,A)23-V-52,,SIG)
DATA          4          10
EN            EN-RSL    DATA      ERR-T
MEV           MEV       MB        MB
 1.3000E+01 1.0000E-01 2.1900E+01 2.1000E+00
 1.3300E+01 1.0000E-01 2.1800E+01 1.4000E+00
 1.3900E+01 2.0000E-01 2.4100E+01 1.5000E+00
 1.4500E+01 2.0000E-01 2.7700E+01 1.6000E+00
 1.5100E+01 2.0000E-01 2.9200E+01 1.9000E+00
 1.5500E+01 2.0000E-01 2.4900E+01 1.8000E+00
 1.5900E+01 2.0000E-01 2.3700E+01 2.2000E+00
 1.6600E+01 1.0000E-01 2.3900E+01 2.6000E+00
 1.7400E+01 2.0000E-01 2.1300E+01 2.6000E+00
 1.7800E+01 1.0000E-01 1.8100E+01 2.4000E+00
ENDDATA      12

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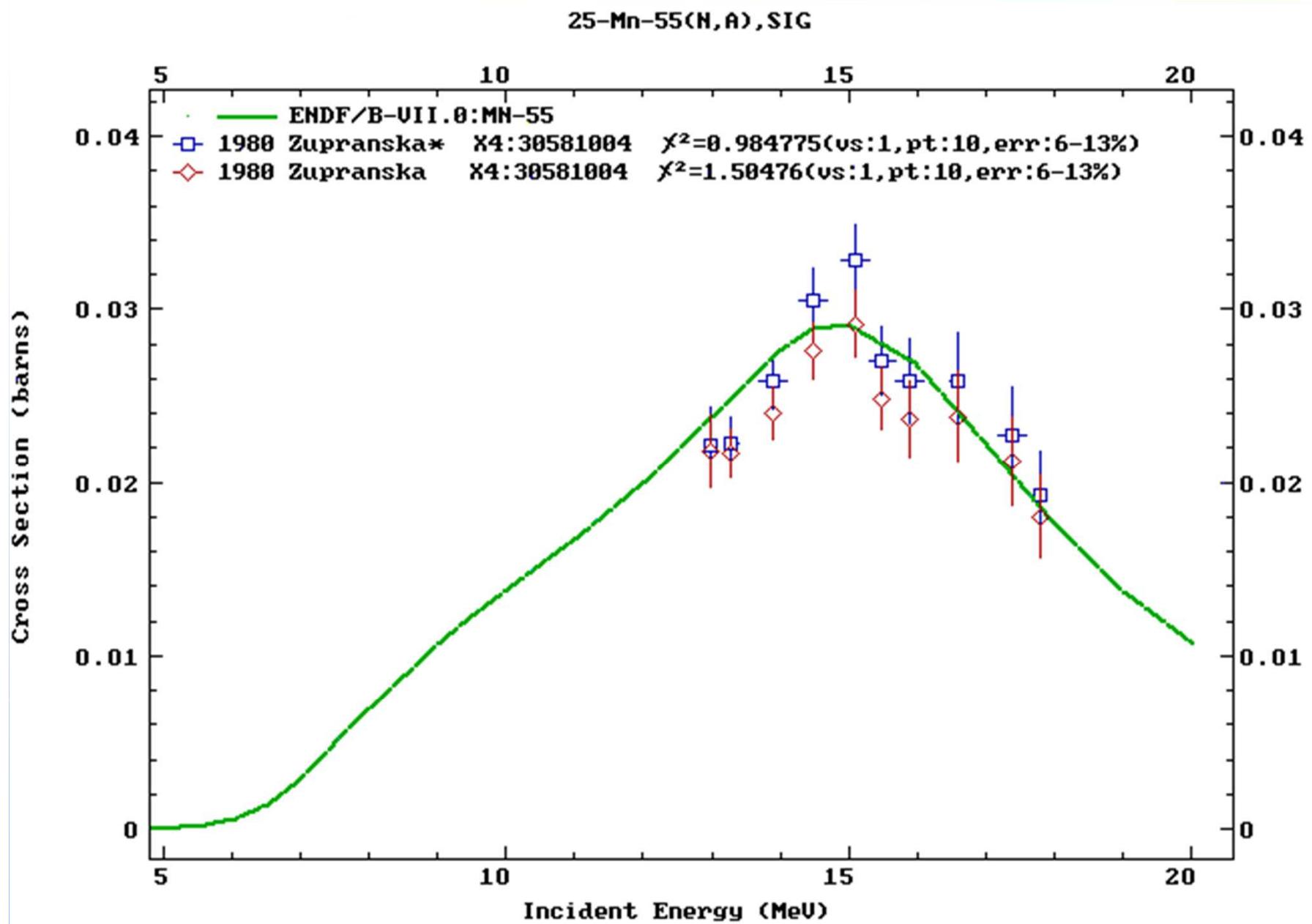
30581004 x4u:20090506
#Reaction: 25-MN-55(N,A)23-V-52,,SIG
#Monitor: 26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG
#m0:{20377002,H.LISKIEN+,J,JNE/AB,19,73,196502}$fe56np;#old mon-ref
m0: exfor$20377002_fe56np; #old monitor(energy)
m1: best$fe56np; #new monitor(energy)
dy=dy/y; #to rel. uncertainties
y=y/m0*m1; #renormalized CS
dy=(dy**2-dm0**2+dm1**2)**0.5;#replace monitor uncertainties
dy=dy*y; #to abs. uncertainties

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-1	En(MeV)=13	Y(mb)=21.9	dY(mb)=2.1	(9.59%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+1		Y(mb)=22.258	dY(mb)=2.12897	(9.56%)	30581004	*Fc=1.01635
-2	En(MeV)=13.3	Y(mb)=21.8	dY(mb)=1.4	(6.42%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+2		Y(mb)=22.3688	dY(mb)=1.42838	(6.39%)	30581004	*Fc=1.02609
-3	En(MeV)=13.9	Y(mb)=24.1	dY(mb)=1.5	(6.22%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+3		Y(mb)=25.8839	dY(mb)=1.60114	(6.19%)	30581004	*Fc=1.07402
-4	En(MeV)=14.5	Y(mb)=27.7	dY(mb)=1.6	(5.78%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+4		Y(mb)=30.6262	dY(mb)=1.75976	(5.75%)	30581004	*Fc=1.10564
-5	En(MeV)=15.1	Y(mb)=29.2	dY(mb)=1.9	(6.51%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+5		Y(mb)=32.8526	dY(mb)=2.12995	(6.48%)	30581004	*Fc=1.12509
-6	En(MeV)=15.5	Y(mb)=24.9	dY(mb)=1.8	(7.23%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+6		Y(mb)=27.1053	dY(mb)=1.95423	(7.21%)	30581004	*Fc=1.08857
-7	En(MeV)=15.9	Y(mb)=23.7	dY(mb)=2.2	(9.28%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+7		Y(mb)=25.9568	dY(mb)=2.40631	(9.27%)	30581004	*Fc=1.09522
-8	En(MeV)=16.6	Y(mb)=23.9	dY(mb)=2.6	(10.88%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+8		Y(mb)=25.9387	dY(mb)=2.82001	(10.87%)	30581004	*Fc=1.0853
-9	En(MeV)=17.4	Y(mb)=21.3	dY(mb)=2.6	(12.21%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+9		Y(mb)=22.7836	dY(mb)=2.77977	(12.20%)	30581004	*Fc=1.06965
-10	En(MeV)=17.8	Y(mb)=18.1	dY(mb)=2.4	(13.26%)	30581004	E.Zupranksa,ET.AL.(80)
+10		Y(mb)=19.3299	dY(mb)=2.56225	(13.26%)	30581004	*Fc=1.06795

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## Example-3: monitor in MONIT-REF pointing to EXFOR (cont.)



# Using monitors given in MONIT-REF pointing to EXFOR

## To do:

- collect monitors (+CP)
- check links (Subent.001?)
- sort out reactions

## Seems OK for:

- 16 monitors (to finalize)
- 80 datasets can be corrected

link2exfor	monreac	monfile
41240005	13-AL-27(N,P)12-MG-27,,SIG	al27np
20772003	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
11274031	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
11701004	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
20377002	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
30483002	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
31479002	26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG	fe56np
22618002	28-NI-58(N,P)27-CO-58,,SIG	ni58np
30612002	29-CU-63(N,2N)29-CU-62,,SIG	cu63n2n
11645007	29-CU-65(N,2N)29-CU-64,,SIG	cu65n2n
30607002	79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG	au197ng
20358035	79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG	au197ng
11679023	79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG	au197ng
22099002	79-AU-197(N,G)79-AU-198,,SIG,,MXW	au197ng
20786006	92-U-235(N,F),,SIG	u235nf
10809002	92-U-235(N,F),,SIG,,FIS	u235nf

# Using monitors given in MONIT-REF pointing to ENDF-Libraries

To do:

- collect old monitors
- add new monitors

Can be implemented for:

- 41 datasets (new monitor data exist)
- 56 datasets (if all monitor data will be)

link2endf	monfile	monitorFileExists
ENDF/B-4	fe56ninl	0
ENDF/B-III	b10na	1
ENDF/B-IV	au197ng	1
ENDF/B-V	am242mnf	0
ENDF/B-V	au197ng	1
ENDF/B-V	cm245nf	0
ENDF/B-V	li7ninl	0
ENDF/B-V	pu239nf	0
ENDF/B-V	pu241nf	0
ENDF/B-VI	u235nf	1
ENDF/B-VI	au197ng	1
ENDF/B-VI.8	np237nf	0
ENDF/B-VI.8	u235nf	1
ENDF/B-VI.8	b10na	1
ENDF/B-VII.0	au197ng	1
ENDF/B-VII.0	dy160ng	0
ENDF/B-VII.0	dy163ng	0
ENDF/B-VII.0	li6nt	1
ENDF/B-VII.0	pu239nf	0
ENDF/B-VII.0	u235nf	1
ENDF/B-VII.0	u238nf	1
ENDF-B/VII.0	u234nf	0
ENDF-B/VII.0	u235nf	1
IRDF-90	nb93n2n	1

# Using monitors given in MONIT-REF pointing to “a publication”

List of monitors: 97 (neutrons only)

MONIT-REF	monreac
{,,J,PR,104,1639,56}	u238nf
{,,R,BNL-325,(SUPPL.1),1966}	a127np
{,,R,BNL-325,1965}	u235nf
{,,R,HSJ-77141,197805}	au197ng
{,,R,IAEA-227,1983}	a127na
{,,R,IAEA-227,59,1983}	a127na
{,,R,IAEA-227,83}	b10na
{,,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1285,2002}	ni58np
{,,R,INDC(NDS)-368,1997}	u238nf
{,,R,INDC-36,198105}	u238nf
{,,W,MACKLIN,82}	au197ng
{,A.Carlson,C,2007NICE,1233,2008}	u235nf
{,A.CARLSON+,R,INDC(NDS)-368,23,1997}	u235nf
{,A.D.Carlson+,J,ND/B,110,3215,2009}	u235nf
{,A.D.Carlson+,R,INDC(NDS)-368,199705}	u235nf
{,A.D.Carlson+,R,INDC(NDS)-368,199705}	u238nf
{,A.HORSELY,J,ND/A,2,234,1966}	h1nel
{,A.HORSLEY,J,ND/A,2,243,66}	h1nel
{,A.PAULSEN+,J,ZP,238,23,70}	nb93n2n
{,B.T.Shchebolev,J,AE,54,417,1983}	a127np
{,BHAT,R,BNL-NCS-51184,8003}	u235nf
{,C.A.Uttley+,C,71KNOX,,551,1971}	li6nt
{,CARLSON+,R,NISTIR-5177,1993}	li6nt
{,D.E.CULLEN+,R,IAEA-NDS-41,1,1982}	fe56np
{,D.E.CULLEN+,R,IAEA-NDS-41,198201}	fe56np
{,Filatenkov+,R,RI-252,1999}	a127na
{,FUKAHORI+,J,NST,23,(1),91,1986}	a127na
{,G.TRAXLER,T,TRAXLER,1983}	a127na
{,G.Winkkler+,J,ANE,10,601,1983}	cu65n2n
{,G.Winkler+,J,ANE,10,601,1983}	a127na
{,H.LISKIEV,C,76LOWELL,1,1110,1976}	b10na
{,H.Vonach,R,IAEA-227,58,1983}	a127na
{,H.Vonach,R,NEANDC-311-U,1992}	nb93n2n
{,HOPKINS+,J,ND/A,9,137,1971}	h1nel
{,IRDf,R,IAEA-NDS-141,1990}	a127na
{,J.C.Hopkins+,J,ND/A,9,137,1971}	h1nel
{,J.F.Mughabghab,B,NEUT-CS 1B,,1984}	au197ng
{,J.H.GIBBONS+,J,PR,114,571,59}	li6nt
{,J.I.GAMMEL,B,FAST N.PH.,2,2185,1963}	h1nel
{,Jiang+,R,HSJ-81183,1981}	au197ng
{,Kobayashi+,J,JNE,22,741,1973}	in15ninl
{,L.E.Kazakov+,J,YK,1985,(2),44,1985}	au197ng
{,LU+,J,CST,,(2),113,1975}	a127na
{,M.Chadwick+,J,ND/B,107,2931,2006}	u235nf
{,M.SOWERBY,R,INDC(SEC)-01,1992}	u235nf
{,M.Sowerby,R,NEANDC-311,1992}	u235nf
{,M.Sowerby,R,NEANDC-311U,1991}	u235nf
{,M.Wagner+,B,PH-DAT,13,(5),1990}	a127na
{,M.Wagner+,B,PH-DAT,13,(5),1990}	u238nf
{,M.Wagner+,B,PH-DAT,13,5,1990}	a127na
{,M.Wagner+,B,PH-DAT,13-5,1990}	a127na
{,M.Wagner+,B,PH-DAT,13-5,1990}	nb93n2n

To do:

- build dictionary {<mon-ref>,<mon-file>}
- try to collect old monitors from external experts and other data centers and labs

Finally can be implemented for:

- 554 datasets

{,MACKLIN,W,MACKLIN,82}	au197ng
{,N.D.DUDEY+,R,BNL-NCS-50446,80,1975}	fe56np
{,N.OLSSON+,C,94GATLIN,1,60,199405}	hlnel
{,N.P.Kochelov+,R,IAEA-NDS-141,1990}	a127na
{,N.P.KOCHEROV,R,IAEA-NDS-141,199310}	a127na
{,NAKAGAWA+,J,NST,32,(12),1259,1995}	in115ninl
{,P.F.ROSE+,R,BNL-NCS-17541,1991}	b10na
{,P.F.ROSE+,R,ENDF-201,1990}	u238nf
{,P.LISOWSKI+,C,88MITO,,97,198810}	u235nf
{,PAULSEN+,J,JNE,19,907,65}	a127na
{,R.F.ROSE,R,BNL-NCS-17541,1991}	u235nf
{,R.KINSEY,R,BNL-NCS-17541,1979}	au197ng
{,R.KINSEY,R,BNL-NCS-17541,1979}	h1nel
{,R.KINSEY,R,ENDF-201,1979}	a127na
{,R.L.MACKLIN,W,MACKLIN,1982}	au197ng
{,R.L.Macklin,W,MACKLIN,1998}	au197ng
{,R.L.Macklin+,J,PR,159,1007,1967}	au197ng
{,RATYNSKI+,J,PR/C,37,595,1988}	au197ng
{,S.Benck+,J,NP/A,615,220,1997}	h1nel
{,S.F.Mughabghab,R,BNL-325,1973}	au197ng
{,S.F.Mughabghab,R,BNL-NCS-21774,1976}	au197ng
{,S.Tagesent+,B,PH-DAT,,13-1,1981}	a127na
{,S.Tagesent+,B,PH-DAT,,13-1,1989}	a127na
{,SCHRACK+,J,NSE,114,352,93}	b10na
{,SCHRAK,J,NSE,114,352,1993}	b10na
{,SCHWARZ+,J,NP,63,(4),593,196503}	li6nt
{,SOWERBY+,J,JNE,24,323,1970}	b10na
{,T.B.Ryves,J,ANE,16,307,1989}	nb93n2n
{,T.NAKAGAWA+,J,NST,32,(2),1259,1995}	u235nf
{,T.NAKAGAWA+,J,NST,32,1259,1995}	u235nf
{,Tagesent+,B,PH-DAT,,13-1,1989}	a127na
{,V.E.Lewis+,J,NIM,174,141,1980}	nb93n2n
{,V.K.MAJDANYUK+,J,PJS,13,180,1984}	au197n2n
{,V.MCLANE+,B,NEUT-CS 2,,1988}	a127na
{,W.G.Davey,J,NSE,32,35,1968}	u235nf
{,W.G.Davey+,J,NSE,32,35,1968}	u235nf
{,W.RATYNSKI+,J,PR/C,37,595,1988}	au197ng
{,WESTON+,R,ENDF-201,356,1991}	u235nf
{,Y.IKEDA+,J,NST,30,(9),870,1993}	nb93n2n
{,Z.BODY+,B,OKAMOTO,,261,1987}	a127na
{,Z.Boedy,B,OKAMOTO,,29,198704}	fe56np
{,Z.Wenrong+,R,INDC(CPR)-16,55,1989}	nb93n2n
{,Zhao Wenrong,R,INDC(CPR)-16,198908}	nb93n2n
{,Zhao Wenrong,R,INDC(CPR)-16,199005}	nb93n2n

# One of the problems: revision old EXFOR Entries with monitor given by MONIT-REF

Example: 8 from 16 (50%) MONIT-REF text  
have to be corrected or linked to the same files

n	MONIT-REF	MONITOR	Style of coding
1	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(D,X)23-V-48,,SIG	1
2	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-1211,2001)	29-CU-0(HE3,X)31-GA-66,,SIG	1
3	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-NDS-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(A,X)24-CR-51,,SIG	2
1/4	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-NDS-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(D,X)23-V-48,,SIG	2
4	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-NDS-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(HE3,X)23-V-48,,SIG	2
5	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-NDS-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(P,X)23-V-48,,SIG	2
6	( ,F.Tarkanyi+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1065,113,1999)	22-TI-0(D,X)23-V-48,,SIG	3
7	( ,F.Tarkanyi+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,2001)	13-AL-27(D,X)11-NA-24,,SIG	3
1/9	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(D,X)23-V-48,,SIG	3
4/10	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(HE3,X)23-V-48,,SIG	3
5/11	( ,F.Tarkanyi+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,2001)	22-TI-0(P,X)23-V-48,,SIG	3
8	( ,F.Tarkanyi+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,2001)	29-CU-0(P,X)30-ZN-62,,SIG	4
3/13	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,49,2001)	22-TI-0(A,X)24-CR-51,,SIG	4
1/14	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,49,2001)	22-TI-0(D,X)23-V-48,,SIG	4
4/15	( ,F.TARKANYI+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,49,2001)	22-TI-0(HE3,X)23-V-48,,SIG	4
5/16	( ,F.Tarkanyi+,R,IAEA-TECDOC-1211,49,2001)	22-TI-0(P,X)23-V-48,,SIG	4

# Web interface to the EXFOR database with automatic data re-normalization

## Step-1. Data search

The screenshot shows a Mozilla Firefox browser window displaying the EXFOR Experimental Nuclear Reaction Data website. The URL in the address bar is [www-nds.iaea.org/exfor/exfor.htm](http://www-nds.iaea.org/exfor/exfor.htm). The page title is "EXFOR: Experimental Nuclear Reaction Data (EXFOR)". A news box at the top right lists "2012/02 Improvements and extensions:" including "Automatic data re-normalization" and "Web-ZVView plotting". Below the news box, a text block states: "The EXFOR library contains an extensive compilation of experimental nuclear reaction data. Neutron reactions have been compiled systematically since the discovery of the neutron, while charged particle and photon reactions have been covered less extensively. The library contains data from 19394 experiments (see [statistics](#) and recent [updates](#))."

**Request** Examples: [1](#) [2](#) [3](#) [4](#) [5](#) [6](#) [7](#) ...

Target  Mn-55

Reaction  n,a

Quantity  CS

Product

Energy from  to  eV

Author(s)

Publication year

Accession #

**Options**

Exclude superseded data

No reaction combinations (ratios,...)

Enhanced search of Products

Retrieve listing only

Disable Prompt-Help

Sort by:  reaction  publication

View:  basic  extended

**Ranges (Z,A)**

**Reaction Sub-Fields**

**Feedback and User's Input**

Clone Request:

CINDA ENDF

# Automatic data re-normalization. Step-2: data selection

Apply corrections

Auto corrections is possible

A : Automatic data re-normalization is available

**X4/Servlet: Select - Mozilla Firefox**

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

www-nds.iaea.org/exfor/servlet/X4sSearch5

X4/Servlet: Select

Request #862  
Access-Level=2

Results: Reactions: 2 Datasets: 26

**Data Selection**

Retrieve  Selected  Unselected  All Reset

**Output:**  EXFOR  EXFOR+  Bibliography  TAB  C4  PlotC4

**Plot:**  Quick-plot (cross-sections only)  Advanced plot [how-to] using  C5 and  converting ratios to cross sections using [IAEA-standards,2006]

Narrow Energy (optional), eV: Min:  Max:

Apply(7A) Data re-normalization (for advanced users, results in: C4, TAB and Plots)

**Display**

n	Year	Author-1	Energy range,eV	Points	Reference	Accession#P NSR-Key
1)	2000	A.Fessler+	1.61e7 - 2.03e7	5	[pdf]+ J,NSE,134,(2),171,2000	22414016 2000FE01
2)	1999	A.A.Filatenkov+	1.35e7 - 1.48e7	8	+ R,RI-252,199905	41240011
3)	1999	A.A.Filatenkov+	1.41e7	1	+ R,RI-252,199905	41298010
4)	1994	M.Bostan+	6.33e6 - 1.20e7	7	[pdf]+ J,PR/C,49,266,1994	22292007 1994B001
5)	1993	A.Grallert+	1.47e7	1	[pdf]+ R,INDC(NDS)-286,131,1993	31496007
6)	1991	A.Ercan+	1.46e7	1	+ C,91JUELIC,,376,199105	22338043
7)	1985	B.M.Bahal+	1.47e7	1	+ R,GKSS-85-E-11,1985	21936008
8)	1984	G.Helfer+	2.96e6	1	[pdf]+ J,CZJ/B,34,30,1984	30652003 1984FL01
9)	1980	R.Vaenskae+	1.47e7	2	[pdf]+ J,NIM,171,281,80	21893003
10)	1980	P.N.Ngoc+	1.46e7	1	+ T,NGOC,1980	30562012
11)	1980	E.Zupranska+	1.30e7 - 1.78e7	10	[pdf]+ J,APP/B,11,853,198011	30581004 1980ZU02
12)	1978	U.Garuska+	1.46e7	1	+ P,INR-1773/I/PL/A,16,1978	30479006
13)	1977	G.P.Dolya+	1.47e7	1	+ J,VAT/E,1,(18),15,1977	41306003
14)	1967	B.Minetti+	1.47e7	1	[pdf]+ J,ZP,199,275,6701	21345003
15)	1965	E.Frevert	1.48e7	1	[pdf]+ J,APA,20,304,6508	20030003 1965FR18
*	16)	M.Bormann+	1.26e7 - 1.88e7	10	[pdf]+ J,NP,63,438,6503	20887007 1965BO42
17)	1965	C.S.Khurana+	1.48e7	1	[pdf]+ J,NP,69,153,196507	31316015
18)	1965	A.Peil	1.45e7	1	[pdf]+ J,NP,66,419,196505	31469006
19)	1962	F.Gabbard+	1.24e7 - 1.77e7	13	[pdf]+ J,PR,128,1276,62	11494008 1962GA18
20)	1961	J.Nix+	1.48e7	1	+ P,A-ARK-60,6,196101	11684002
21)	1960	C.S.Khurana+	1.40e7	1	+ C,60WALTAIR,,297,196002	30403019
22)	1960	E.Weigold	1.45e7	1	[pdf]+ J,AUJ,13,186,1960	31039007
23)	1958	I.Kumabe	1.48e7	1	[pdf]+ J,JPJ,13,325,5804	20283009 1958KU76
24)	1953	E.B.Paul+	1.45e7	1	[pdf]+ J,CJP,31,267,1953	11274030 1956PA26
25)	1979	C.H.Wu+	2.25e7	1	[pdf]+ J,NP/A,329,63,197910	21009015 1979WU11
26)	1965	J.E.Strain+	1.40e7	1	[pdf]+ R,ORNL-3672,196501	11263043

A : Automatic data re-normalization is available

# Automatic data re-normalization. Step-3: simple plot

Applied corrections

Check Monitors

Plot result of corrections

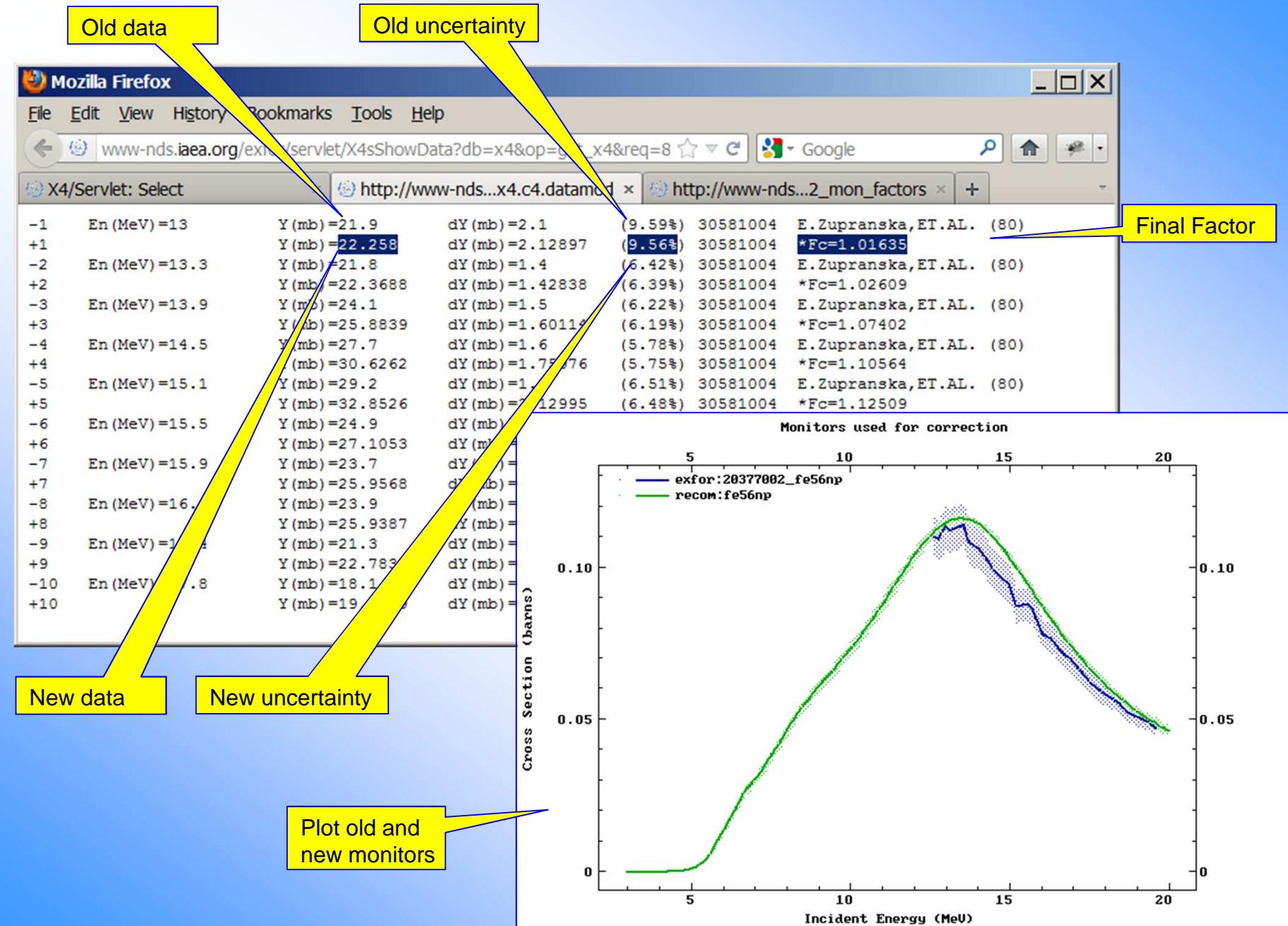
Check data

The screenshot shows the X4/Servlet interface in Mozilla Firefox. The main window displays the following sections:

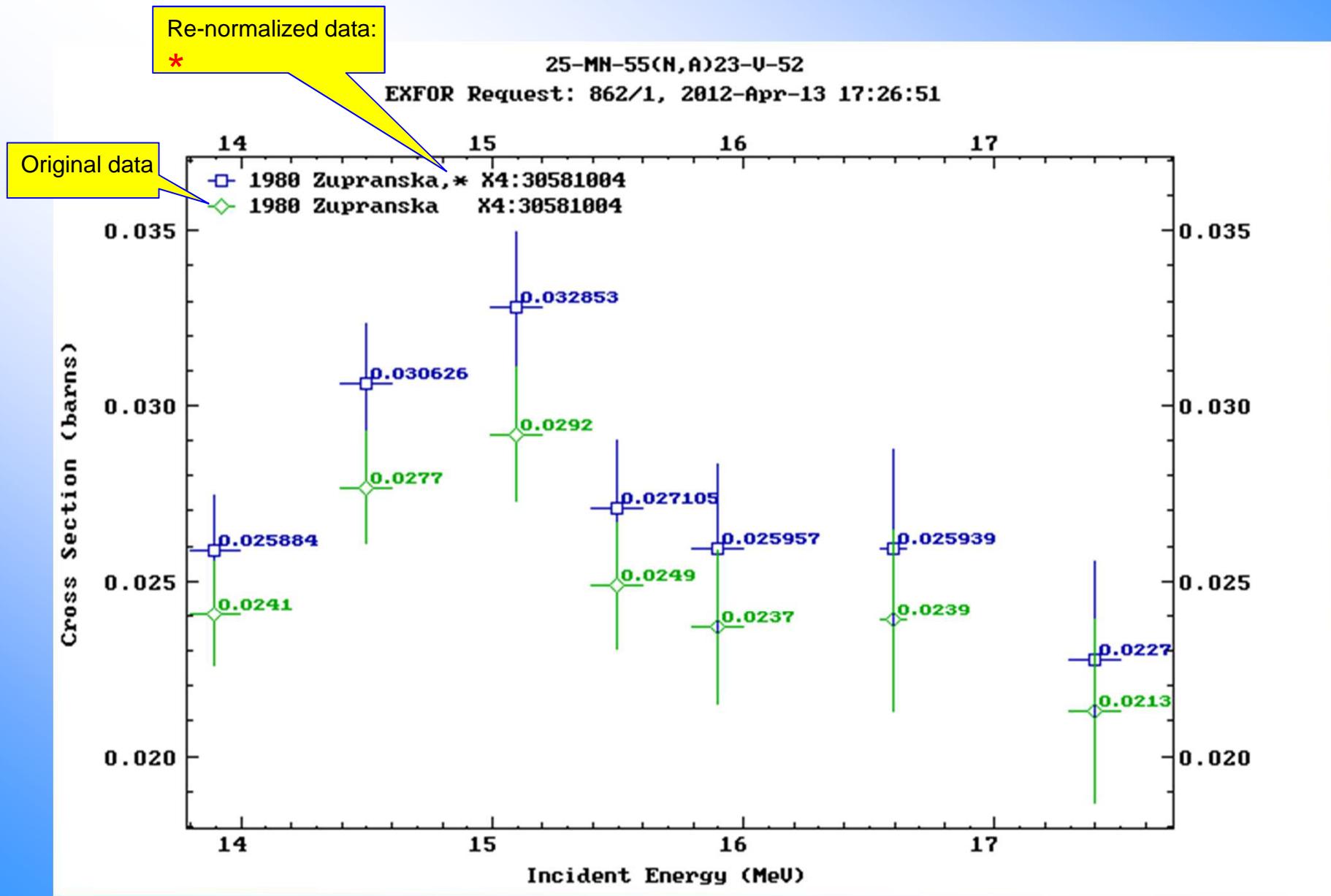
- Output Data:** Options for EXFOR (Text, ZIP, Generate), Bibliography (html, BibTeX), and Computational (C4).
- Advanced Plotting:** Buttons for "Go to" (Quantity type: SIG, Cross section data 1) and "Go to plot evaluated data..." (ENDF, Retrieve evaluated data and plot...).
- Requested corrections:** A code snippet for re-normalizing cross-section data. It includes:

```
30581004 x4u:20090506 #1980 Zupranska
#Reaction: 25-MN-55(N,A)23-V-52,,SIG
#Monitor: 26-FE-56(N,P)25-MN-56,,SIG
#m0: {20377002,H.LISKIEN+,J,JNE/AB,19,73,196502} $ fe56np;#old monit-ref
m0: exfor$20377002_fe56np; #old monitor(energy) in EXFOR
m1: recom$fe56np; #new monitor(energy)
dy=dy/y; #to rel. uncertainties-----
y=y/m0*m1; #renormalized CS
dy=(dy**2-dm0**2+dm1**2)**0.5;#replace monitor uncertainties
dy=dy*y; #to abs. uncertainties
```
- Correction protocol:** A summary of applied corrections, datasets used, and monitors checked.
- Plot:** A scatter plot of normalized cross-section data (Y-axis: 0.030, X-axis: 13 to 18). The plot shows data points with error bars, representing the re-normalized cross-section.
- Plotting options:** Buttons for "ENDF Find and add to the plot evaluated data" and "2) Use my data [example]".

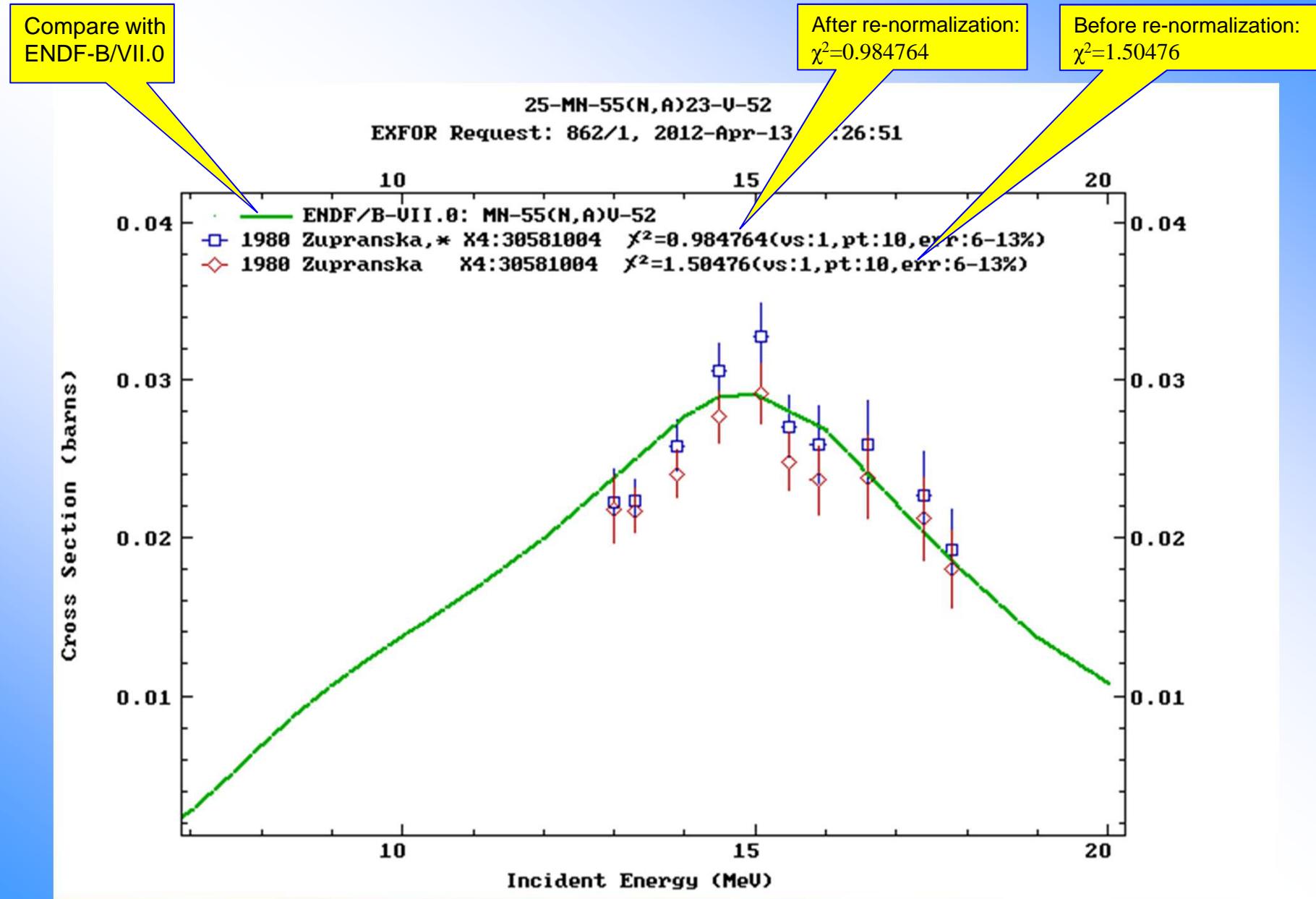
# Automatic data re-normalization. Step-4: checking



# Automatic data re-normalization. Step-5: common plot



# Automatic data re-normalization. Comparing to ENDF



# Concluding remarks, short term plans

1. Significant progress in automatic correction system
2. EXFOR Web retrieval system offers automatic correction service (interactive, i.e. semi-automatic)
3. Need debugging stage (time, by external Web-users)
4. Further improvement would need more time and efforts:
  - to check and correct EXFOR MONIT-REF
  - to collect old Monitors
  - etc.

1. To extend EXFOR Web retrieval system by interactive selection of experts' corrections
2. Full EXFOR in C4/C5/corrected (this year, fully-automatic)
3. To extend "Experts' corrections database"

**Thank you.**