

# EXFOR compilations for CIELO project

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# CIELO

- CIELO (Collaborative International Evaluated Library Organization).
- Six ENDF materials:  $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^{16}\text{O}$ ,  $^{56}\text{Fe}$ ,  $^{235}\text{U}$ ,  $^{238}\text{U}$ , and  $^{239}\text{Pu}$ .
- M.B. Chadwick et al., Nuclear Data Sheets 118 (2014) 1–25.
- Informal presentation, people are invited to participate.



# CIELO/X4 Cooperation

- X4 was created to support ENDF evaluations.
- Unfortunately, our interaction is rather small.
- We have to find the way to make X4 more useful for CIELO project, and actively collaborate with ENDF.
- NRDC action: A53, According to the list of Entries with NODATA one of the following corrections .....
- UNOBT data is a big problem in the Area #1:
  - Four areas neutrons: 453 reactions, 621 datasets
  - Four areas all: 898 reactions, 1282 datasets
  - Area #1 neutrons: 167 reactions, 187 datasets
  - Area #1 all: 359 reactions, 398 datasets
- Clearly EXFOR is not complete even for neutron-induced reactions.
- Any other suggestions ???

# UNOBT Data

- Data that authors never sent to NNDC.

The screenshot displays the NNDC EXFOR database search interface. It shows four search results for different requests, each with a red circle highlighting the number of datasets found:

- Request #8427: results: Reactions: 192 Datasets: 2
- Request #192: results: Reactions: 391 Datasets: 2
- Request #574: results: Reactions: 167 Datasets: 18
- Request #573: results: Reactions: 359 Datasets: 398

The interface includes search filters, data selection options, and a table of search results. The table columns include: n, Display, Year, Author-1, Energy range, eV, Points, Reference, and Subentry# NSR-Key. The results list various nuclear reactions and their corresponding datasets.

# UNOBT Data for CIELO

- UNOBT (n & p?).
- Naohiko's error list for six materials should be fixed.
- $^{56}\text{Fe}$  is 91.754% => Fe-0 data are good, M.Herman.
- Missing articles??? Contact evaluators???
- CSEWG interactions.
- May be a new subgroup for X4 deficiencies that could be driven by nuclear physics needs.
- NNDC compiled all UNOBT data articles for six materials and neutron-, proton-induced reactions.
- NNDC compilations of elemental evaluations will start next.

# Practical Exercise

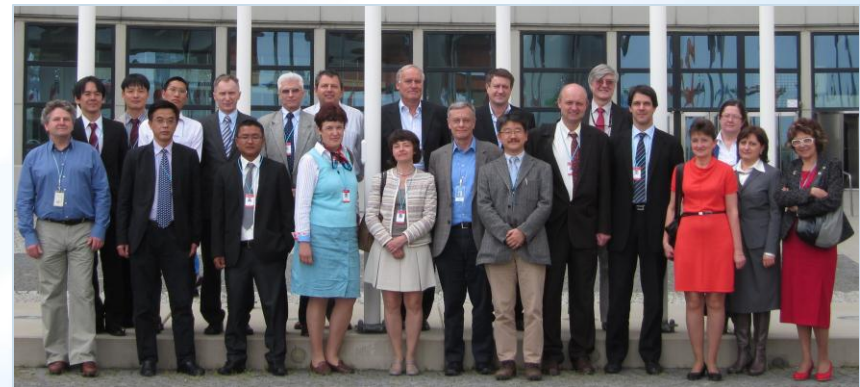
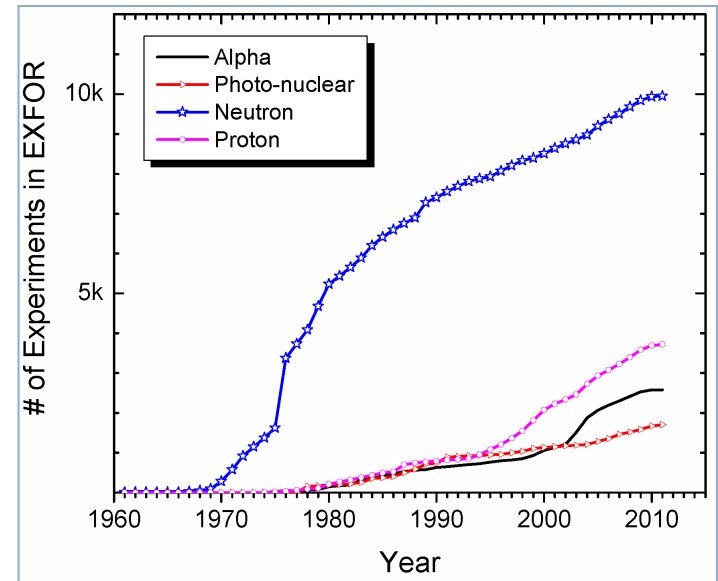
- Access EXFOR data, and find UNOBT data for your area.
- Pick one entry and try to work on it.

# List of Issues to Discuss

- EXFOR Editor, it should be platform independent, and controlled by the IAEA.
- Bug list: “Change to new format, lower case....” This is not a bug fix. We should look for serious bugs.
- X4 Email list: We have to clean it and remove “Dead Souls” from the list.
- Electronic library is supported by everyone at NNDC: NSR +X4 publications; IAEA is on the same page.
- Data transfer from X4 to NSR.

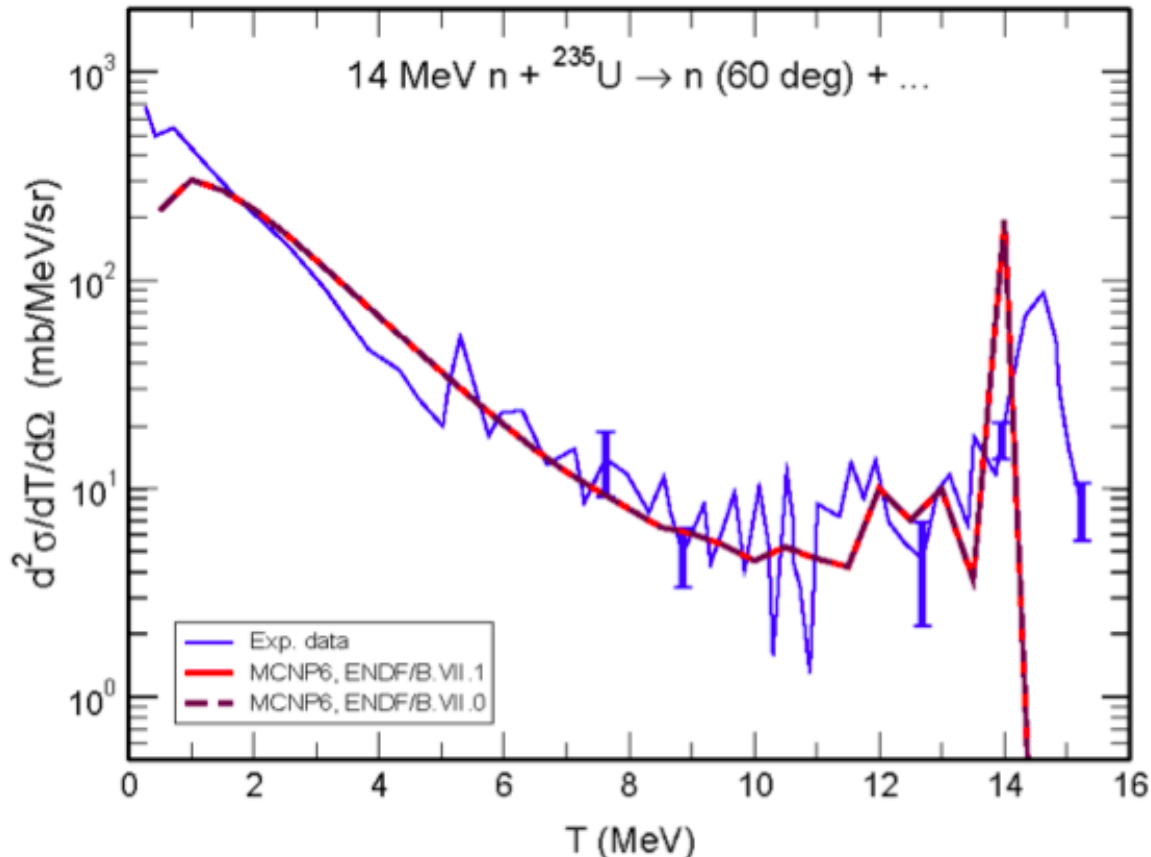
# EXFOR

- Compilation of experimental nuclear reaction data
  - Mainly neutrons
  - Also charged particles and photons
  - 20,417 experiments (as of 6/25/2014)
  - Updated monthly
- Peer-reviewed compilations.
- Supports **ENDF** 8-VII.1 and research activities in nuclear energy, astrophysics and medical applications.
- BNL compiles experiments from US and Canada: B. Pritychenko, S. Hlavac (Bratislava), O. Schwerer (Vienna).
- International project: NNDC, NEA, IAEA, Obninsk, ... coordinated by the Nuclear Reaction Data Centres (NRDC) network under auspices of the IAEA.





# Example of Nuclear Data Recovery (Nuclear Archeology)



- Unpublished thesis by J.L. Kammerdiener (1972): “The data are probably available on a PDP-8 punched paper tape at LLNL...”
- 2013 EXFOR compilation, >160 manually-digitized plots for #14329 entry.
- MCNP6 simulations by S. Mashnik (LANL) to test compilation for  $^{235,238}\text{U}$  and  $^{239}\text{Pu}$ .
- Public access to research results, direct data from authors are necessary.