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### TUTORIAL MATERIALS/DESIGN INTERACTION IN NUCLEAR SYSTEMS

#### RATIONALE FOR INCORPORATING INSERVICE INSPEC-TION REQUIREMENTS DURING NUCLEAR POWER PLANT DESIGN/FABRICATION

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## MATERIALS AND DESIGN INTERACTION IN ADVANCED J. Boulton REACTORS

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#### THE EFFECT OF SWELLING AND CREEP ON LIQUID-METAL FAST BREEDER REACTOR PERFORMANCE

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#### REACTORS

#### ON THE PROBABILITY OF LOSS OF dc POWER FOLLOW-ING ac FAILURE IN A NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

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#### OPERATION OF THE WATER-TO-SODIUM LEAK DETEC-TION SYSTEM AT THE EXPERIMENTAL BREEDER REAC-TOR II

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#### CALCULATION OF RADIOLOGICAL DOSE DUE TO RELEASE OF TRITIUM OXIDES FROM CONTROLLED THERMONUCLEAR REACTORS

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#### THE INTERACTIONS OF HYDRAZINE, FERROUS SUL-FAMATE, SODIUM NITRITE, AND NITRIC ACID IN NUCLEAR FUEL PROCESSING SOLUTIONS

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#### NEUTRON IRRADIATION EFFECTS ON CARBON AND W. J. Gray GRAPHITE CLOTHS AND FIBERS

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# INJECTING IRRADIATION SAMPLES WITH A UNIFORM CONCENTRATION OF HELIUM USING CURIUM-244

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#### CHEMICAL PROCESSING

# HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE INCORPORATION INTO (SPECIAL) CEMENTS

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### RADIATION

