

### AUTHORS - JUNE 1972

**REACTORS** 

## THE USE OF SIGNAL COHERENCE FOR ANOMALY DETECTION IN NUCLEAR REACTORS

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## STEAM GENERATOR VESSEL PRESSURES RESULTING FROM A SODIUM-WATER REACTION—A COMPUTER ANALYSIS WITH THE SWEAR CODE

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the energy question.

## NEW PERSPECTIVES ON LOW LEVEL ENVIRONMENTAL RADIATION MONITORING AROUND NUCLEAR FACILITIES

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#### FUELS

# THE EFFECTS OF TRANSVERSE FLOW THROUGH GRAPHITE ON FISSION PRODUCT MOVEMENT IN HTGR-TYPE SYSTEMS

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#### AN ANALYTICAL METHOD FOR CALCULATING STEADY-STATE FISSION GAS RELEASE

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#### MICROSTRUCTURE OF SOL-GEL-DERIVED (U, Pu)O2 MICROSPHERES AND PELLETS

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#### RADIOISOTOPES

#### ELECTRONIC ASSAY OF CALIFORNIUM-252 NEUTRON T. R. Herold SOURCES

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#### INSTRUMENTS

#### THERMAL-NEUTRON RADIOGRAPHY WITH A SEALED-TUBE NEUTRON GENERATOR AND WATER MODERATOR

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### MEASUREMENT OF FAST- AND THERMAL-NEUTRON FLUXES USING A SMALL LII(Eu) CRYSTAL DETECTOR

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MATERIALS

#### AN EMPIRICAL REPRESENTATION OF IRRADIATION-INDUCED SWELLING OF SOLUTION TREATED TYPE 304 STAINLESS STEEL

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## Corrigendum

William Bradley Lewis, "A Practical Approach to Nuclear Criticality Safety II—Critique of a Model," Nucl. Technol., 12, 276 (1971).

In the above referenced paper, p. 277, the verticle scale of Fig. 2 is in error (high) by a factor of 2. Conclusions were based on the tables which are correct.