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THE LOGIC FLOWGRAPH: A NEW APPROACH TO PROCESS FAILURE MODELING AND DIAGNOSIS FOR DISTURBANCE ANALYSIS APPLICATIONS

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REACTIVITY AND REACTION RATE RATIO CHANGES WITH MODERATOR VOIDAGE IN A LIGHT WATER HIGH CON-VERTER REACTOR LATTICE

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FISSION REACTORS



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NUCLEAR SAFETY

CONSEQUENCE ANALYSIS OF A STEAM GENERATOR TUBE RUPTURE ACCIDENT

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THERMODYNAMICAL CALCULATIONS ON THE BEHAVIOR OF GASEOUS IODINE SPECIES FOLLOWING A HYPOTHET-ICAL SEVERE LIGHT WATER REACTOR ACCIDENT

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PONTRYAGIN'S OPTIMAL CONTROL PRINCIPLE APPLIED TO COMPUTER-ASSISTED ACCIDENT DIAGNOSTICS IN NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

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RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT

THE LEACHING BEHAVIOR OF A GLASS WASTE FORM-PART I: THE CHARACTERISTICS OF SURFACE LAYERS

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A PELLETIZING MODEL AND ITS APPLICATION TO RADIO-ACTIVE WASTE TREATMENT

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HEAT TRANSFER AND FLUID FLOW

THE DEVELOPMENT OF A GAMMA-RAY SCATTERING DENSITOMETER FOR THE NONINTRUSIVE MEASUREMENT OF LOCAL VOID FRACTION

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CONVECTION-RADIATION HEAT TRANSFER TO STEAM IN ROD BUNDLE GEOMETRY

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ANALYSES

A COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL CALIBRATION OF A HIGHLY COLLIMATED MOBILE GAM-MA-RAY SPECTROMETER

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TECHNIQUES

SOME CONSIDERATIONS IN THE USE OF AN A PRIORI MATHEMATICAL MODEL TO FIT A NUCLEAR UTILITY'S THERMOLUMINESCENCE DOSIMETRY DATA

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