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ABSTRACT

Internationally agreed Separate Effects Test (SET) and Integral Test Facility (ITF) matrices for validation of realistic thermal hydraulic system computer codes were established. ITF development is mainly for Pressurized Water Reactors (PWRs) and Boiling Water Reactors (BWRs). These matrices were established by sub-groups of the Task Group on Thermal Hydraulic System Behaviour as requested by the OECD/NEA Committee on Safety of Nuclear Installations (CSNI) Principal Working Group 2 on Coolant System Behaviour.

Firstly, the main physical phenomena that occur during considered accidents are identified, test types are specified, and test facilities suitable for reproducing these aspects are selected. Secondly, a list of selected experiments carried out in these facilities has been set down. The criteria to achieve the objectives are outlined. In this paper some specific examples from the SET and ITF matrices will also be provided. In addition, a short summary on the status of validation matrices for Russian Pressurised Water-cooled and Water-moderated Energy Reactor (WWER) is presented.

The matrices will be a guide for code validation, will be a basis for comparisons of code predictions performed with different system codes, and will contribute to the quantification of the uncertainty range of code model predictions. In addition to this objective, the construction of such a matrix is an attempt to record information which has been generated around the world over the last 25 years, so that it is more accessible to present and future workers in that field than would otherwise be the case.

LECTURE OBJECTIVES

Lecture on this subject will provide an idea about how the validation matrices are established and how they are used with a possible extension to natural circulation phenomena and to passive decay heat removal systems.

1. INTRODUCTION

For the analyses of transients and loss-of-coolant accidents (LOCAs) in Light Water Reactors (LWRs) thermal-hydraulic computer codes have been developed over the last thirty years.

Starting with relative simple computer codes in the early 1970's, a continuous development of the codes has been performed with respect to a more realistic description of thermal hydraulic phenomena and a more detailed system representation.

At the beginning of the 1970's, codes for the analysis of large break LOCAs had been requested. The codes were based on the homogeneous equilibrium model, assuming equal velocities and temperatures of vapour and liquid phases. The next effort in code development was directed by the demand for the simulation of transients and small break accidents. The implementation of new models allowed for the separation of vapour and liquid by gravity. The representation of primary and secondary side with control systems and balance of plant models were extended.

In the middle of the 1970's the development of a new generation of thermal-hydraulic codes were initiated to provide analytical tools for a more realistic simulation of LWR behaviour under transient and accident conditions. Thermal and mechanical non-equilibrium phenomena have been taken into account. The effects of non-condensables and boron tracking have been considered. These codes allow the simulation of transients, the entire range of break sizes as well as beyond design basis accidents including accident management procedures with operator interventions.

Parallel to the development of the analytical tools a large variety of experimental programmes have been executed to improve the understanding of thermal-hydraulic phenomena, to study system behaviour, and to provide the required data base for code development and code validation.

A very high number of separate effects tests have been performed for the development and validation of code models. Separate effects tests investigate individual phenomena under clear boundary conditions. While in the 1970's the experiments were conducted mainly on small scale test facilities, in the 1980's more attention has been directed to scaling. For example, in 1986, the first tests at the test facility UPTF, a representation of a four loop 1300 MWe PWR with upper plenum, downcomer and the main coolant pipes in full scale reactor geometry, were performed.

The overall results of the code calculations are validated mainly by data from integral test facilities representing the primary and secondary coolant systems. While in the early 1970's the experiments were focused on large break issues, in the following, up to now, parallel to the advancement in code development, integral tests have been carried out to investigate LWR system behaviour during transients, small breaks, transients under shutdown conditions, and beyond design basis accidents. In addition to the results of integral tests LWR plant data of transients or accidents are being used to validate the predictive capability of the codes.

Construction of validation matrices is an attempt to collect together the best sets of test data for code validation and improvement from the wide range of experiments that have been carried out world-wide in the field of thermal-hydraulics. The first formulation of a validation matrix was proposed by Wolfert and Frisch from GRS [1]. This activity was taken by a CSNI sub-group to establish matrices for PWR and BWR.

In addition, to set-up validation matrices for Russian Pressurized Water-cooled and Water-moderated Energy Reactor (WWER) analyses, an international Working Group was formed on the initiative of the Federal Ministry for Research and Technology (BMFT) of the Federal Republic of Germany. A further evaluation of the WWER matrices was performed by a CSNI Support Group.

Based on these CSNI matrices the lists of phenomena have been reviewed and adopted to the characteristics of WWER-440 and WWER-1000 systems respectively, and the lists of test facilities suitable for code assessment have been completed.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

Computer codes simulate the system behaviour of nuclear power plant as realistic as possible ("best estimate"). These computer codes are used to investigate:

- Incidents and accidents of different scenarios and their consequences,
- the effectiveness of emergency procedures.

The process carried out by comparing code predictions with experimental measurements or measurements in a reactor plant (if available) are called validation. A code or code model is considered validated when sufficient testing has been performed to ensure an acceptable level of predictive accuracy over the range of conditions over which the code may be applied. Accuracy is a measure of the difference between measured and calculated quantities taking into account uncertainties and biases in both. Bias is a measure, usually expressed statistically, of the systematic difference between a true mean value and a predicted or measured mean. Uncertainty is a measure of the scatter in experimental or predicted data [2]. The acceptable level of accuracy is judgmental and will vary depending on the specific problem or question to be addressed by the code. The procedure for specifying, qualitatively or quantitatively, the accuracy of code predictions is also called code assessment.

The international literature often distinguishes between the terms validation and verification. A mathematical model, or the corresponding computer code, is verified when it is shown that the code behaves as intended, i.e., it is a proper mathematical representation of the conceptual model and that the equations are correctly encoded and solved. In this context, the comparison with measured values is not part of the verification process. The term verification, however, is often used synonymously with validation and qualification [2]. Therefore, the term verification has also been used in the code validation work, including comparisons between calculations and measurements.

3. SEPARATE EFFECTS TEST VALIDATION MATRIX

In March 1987, the OECD/NEA Committee on the Safety of Nuclear Installations (CSNI) published a document that identified a set of tests which were considered to provide the best basis for the assessment of the performance of thermohydraulic codes, "CSNI Code Validation Matrix of Thermohydraulic Codes for LWR LOCA and Transients", [3], [4], and [5]. The set of tests was chosen to include examples of all phenomena expected to occur in plant transients and LOCA analyses. Tests were selected on the basis of the quality of the data, variety of scaling and geometry, and appropriateness of the range of conditions covered. A decision was made to bias the validation matrix towards integral tests in order that code models were exercised, and interacted, in situations as similar as possible to those of interest in LWR plant. This decision was taken on the assumption that sufficient comparison with separate effects tests data would be performed, and documented, by code development, that only very limited further assessment against separate effects test data would be necessary. This last expectation has proved unrealistic; it is now recognized that continued comparison of calculations with separate effects test data is necessary to underwrite particular applications of codes, especially where a quantitative assessment of prediction accuracy is required, as well as for code model improvement.

It has been decided to develop a distinct Separate Effects Test Matrix rather than extend the original CSNI Code Validation Matrix (CCVM), which consisted almost entirely of integral tests.

Only in some specific cases where integral test facility data were not available, were separate effects tests used in the CCVM. The development of the separate effects test matrix was found to require an extension of the methodology employed for the CCVM both in the scope and definition of the thermal hydraulic phenomena and in the categorization and description of facilities.

There are several reasons for the increased importance now placed on the comparison of codes with separate effects test data. Firstly, it has been recognized that the development of individual code models often requires some iteration, and that a model, however well conceived, may need refinement as the range of applications is widened. To establish a firm need for the modification or further development of a model it is usually necessary to compare predictions with separate effects data rather than rely on inferences from integral test comparisons.

Secondly, there is the question of uncertainties in predictions of plant behaviour. A key issue concerning the application of best estimate codes to LOCA and transient calculations is quantitative code assessment. Quantitative code assessment is intended to allow predictions of nuclear power plant behaviour to be made with a well defined uncertainty. Most schemes for achieving this quantification of uncertainty rely on assigning uncertainties to the modelling by the code of individual phenomena, for instance by the determination of reasonable ranges which key model parameters can cover and still produce results consistent with data. This interest has placed a new emphasis on separate effects tests over and above that originally envisaged for model development.

In the thermohydraulic codes, the physical processes are simulated by mechanistic models and by correlations. The prediction of particular phenomena, such as level swell or counter-current flow limitation, by a code, are usually dominated by one, or perhaps a few, code models. Comparison of code predictions of basic phenomena with events observed in the relatively simple situations contrived in separate effects test facilities, often allows a better assessment of the accuracy of code models than it is possible to make with data from integral tests. This may be, for instance, because steady state rather than transient observations are possible in the separate effects tests; or because in a separate effects test facility dedicated to the study of one particular phenomenon, the measurement instrumentation can be chosen more appropriately, with less need to compromise. The more highly controlled environment of the SET is likely to lead to a more systematic evaluation of the accuracy of a model across a wide range of conditions.

A further incentive to conduct separate effects tests, in addition to those carried out in integral facilities, is the difficulty encountered in scaling predictions of phenomena from integral test facilities (which of necessity are in some sense small scale) to plant applications. Where a phenomenon is known to be highly scale dependent and difficult to model mechanistically, there is a strong case for conducting separate effects tests at full scale. In general, it is desirable to have a considerable overlap of data from different facilities; successfully predicting data from different facilities provides some confirmation that a phenomenon is well understood. The main objective in producing the SET cross reference matrix is to identify the best available sets of data for the assessment, validation and, finally, the improvement of code predictions of the individual physical phenomena. While both integral test data and SET data are appropriate for code validation and assessment, for model development and improvement there should be a strong preference for SET data.

3.1 The Methodology Developed

In the process of establishing the SET validation matrix, a methodology has been developed. This methodology helps to collect and present the data and information collected in a comprehensive and systematic manner. It is a general methodology and therefore, in principal, also applicable to the other type of validation matrices (e.g. on severe accidents). The methodology can be summarized as follows:

- 1. Identification of phenomena relevant to two-phase flow in relation to LOCAs and thermal-hydraulic transients in light water reactors (LWRs).
- 2. Characterization of phenomena, in terms of a short description of each phenomenon, its relevance to nuclear reactor safety, information on measurement ability instrumentation and data base. In addition to these points, the present state of knowledge and the predictive capability of the codes is included in the characterization of each phenomenon.
- 3. Setting up a catalogue of information sheets on the experimental facilities, as a basis for the selection of the facilities and specific tests [6b].
- 4. Forming a separate effects test facility cross-reference matrix by the classification of the facilities in terms of the phenomena they address.
- 5. Identification of the relevant experimental parameter ranges in relation to each facility that addresses a phenomenon and selection of relevant facilities related to each phenomenon.
- 6. Establishing a matrix of experiments (the SET matrix) suitable for the developmental assessment of thermal-hydraulics transient system computer codes, by selecting individual tests from the selected facilities, relevant to each phenomenon.

3.2 Forming a SET Cross-Reference Matrix

The main objective in producing the Separate Effects Test Facility Cross Reference Matrix (SET CRM) is to identify the best available sets of data for the assessment, validation and, finally, the improvement of code predictions of the individual physical phenomena. While both integral test data and SET data are appropriate for code validation and assessment, for model development and improvement there should be a strong preference for SET data.

The thermohydraulic phenomena of interest in LWR LOCA and transients are listed in Table 1. A set of basic two-phase flow and heat transfer processes which are important for the thermohydraulic codes in the form of basic constitutive relations have been added explicitly to the list under the heading "Basic Phenomena". The scope of the SET Facility CRM has been restricted to those phenomena directly affecting the thermohydraulic behaviour in a transient or LOCA.

The resulting list of 67 thermohydraulic phenomena forms one axis of the SET Facility CRM. The second axis of the Matrix consists of the 187 facilities identified as potential sources of separate effects data. The test facilities in 12 OECD member countries are compiled (Table 2) according to the country in which they operate: Canada, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, USA, Norway. An example for SET facility CRM is shown in Table 3. The SET facility CRM tables for each country can be seen in [6a]. For each test facility the phenomena addressed by the corresponding experimental research programme have been indicated in these Matrix tables, yielding the SET CRM for test facilities and thermohydraulic phenomena.

The correlation between phenomena and SET Facility is assigned to one of three levels:

- suitable for model validation, which means that a facility is designed in such a way as to simulate the phenomenon assumed to occur in a plant and is sufficiently instrumented (x);
- limited suitability for model validation: the same as above with problems due to imperfect scaling, different test fluids (e.g. Freon instead of water) or insufficient instrumentation (o);
- not suitable for model validation: obvious meaning, taking into account the two previous items (-).

This Matrix shows both the number of different phenomena covered by the experimental investigation with one test facility, and the number of different facilities in which an individual phenomenon has been investigated. The test facilities differ from each other in geometrical dimensions, geometrical configuration and operating capabilities or conditions. Therefore, the number of facilities relevant to an individual phenomenon provides some indication of the range of parameters

within which a phenomenon has been investigated and experimental data generated. For instance, it is obvious from the SET CRM presented in [6a] that heat transfer phenomena, especially post critical heat flux, departure from nucleate boiling/dryout and quench front propagation/rewet, were investigated in many SET facilities.

For the systematic evaluation of the capabilities of a thermohydraulic code, appropriate experiments have to be identified which provide data over the range of conditions of interest (as far as such data is available), for each phenomenon listed.

3.3 Establishing the Separate Effects Tests (SET) Matrix

For each of the 67 phenomena, a table presents the tests, which have been identified as suitable for code validation with respect to that phenomenon, from the test facilities selected. An example for a phenomena and related tests are given in Table 4. The arguments for the selection of the facilities for a given phenomenon are already identified with the previous step of the methodology.

In order to try to be practical, the number of facilities has been limited to 3 on the average, though in some special cases up to 5 are used. For heat transfer, a larger number was used, because of the large number of parameters affecting heat transfer and its high degree of importance. The total maximum number of tests has been fixed at up to 20 per phenomenon. Here a test is considered to be a set of data points involving one key parameter variation (e.g. a flooding curve at a single pressure and tube geometry). These numbers indicate the large amount of work, which is necessary to assess a code.

It must be emphasized that tests have been chosen on the basis of available information: It is not always possible to determine how satisfactory data is for code validation until it is actually used (completeness of boundary condition information; measurement accuracy, internal consistency etc.) The situation of the various experimental programs and chosen tests varies greatly in this respect.

The tests have been selected in order to cover the experimental data range as defined, knowing that the plant range is not always covered. Particular attention has been given to the geometric scaling problem and small, medium and large scale separate effect facilities have been integrated whenever possible.

As some facilities are useful with respect to several separate effects phenomena, a cross check and a tentative harmonization of the selected tests have been made when possible, in order to try to minimize the number of input data needed for code validation.

In this matrix the selected tests are ordered following one arbitrary chosen main parameter (for example system pressure) with, optionally, additional parameters (for example, representative diameter). This will give the user an indication of the available range of data for code validation, and the possible need for additional tests.

At the bottom of the table the main references, if identified, are given for the chosen tests. The reader is supposed to have enough information in these references to be able to compute the test. Some examples of the SET matrix for selected number of phenomena are given in Table 5. Further tables for each of the 67 phenomena are given in detail in [6a].

Additional information related to the type of tests, or parameter ranges for instance are also provided in the listed references. This matrix has been published as a first attempt. It may be updated by new and additional input from the owners and by remarks from the users. Nevertheless, as it is, this separate effect test matrix covers a large number of phenomena within a large range of selected parameters. If a thermal-hydraulic code is to be used to cover a certain number of phenomena then

calculation of the relevant identified tests in the matrix is considered to be a basic step toward the achievement of code qualification.

4. INTEGRAL TEST FACILITY VALIDATION MATRICES

The validation of codes is mainly based on pre-test and post-test calculations of separate effect tests, integral system tests, and transients in commercial plants. An enormous amount of test data, available for code validation, has been accumulated. In the year 1987 the Committee on the Safety of Nuclear Installations (CSNI) of the Nuclear Energy Agency (NEA) in the Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development (OECD) issued a report compiled by the Task Group on the Status and Assessment of Codes for Transients and ECC [3, 4, 5]. It contains proposed validation matrices for LOCA and transients, consisting of the dominating phenomena and the available test facilities, and the selected experiments.

Since the issue of the Validation Matrix Report in 1987, new tests have been performed and an update of the validation matrix was published in the year 1996 [7]. In this report a revision and update of the matrices, including experimental facilities and identified experiments was performed. Two new matrices were included, those for "accident management for a non degraded core in PWRs" and "transients at shutdown in PWRs". Additional phenomena and test types were identified for these new matrices. A special chapter on counter-part tests, similar tests and International Standard Problem tests was introduced in this revision of the report. Counter-part tests and similar tests in differently scaled facilities are considered highly important for code validation. International Standard Problem experiments are carefully controlled, documented and evaluated. Therefore, these experiments are a good basis for code validation, and they were included in the tables of selected experiments. Additional work was performed to describe the content of the validation matrices, i.e. the test types, the phenomena, and most of the selected tests. A brief description of thermal-hydraulic aspects of severe accidents was included. The thermal-hydraulic codes are being extended to the thermalhydraulics prevailing under severe accident conditions. They cannot be considered validated at the present time. Experimental data are limited. The important phenomena for severe accident conditions, with particular emphasis on the thermal-hydraulic phenomena were summarized in the report [7].

It is to be noted that the methodology established for the SET validation matrix (as described in section 3, above) has been applied during the establishment of the Integral Test Facility validation matrices.

4.1 Integral Test Cross Reference Matrices

To systematize the selection of tests for code validation, so called "cross reference matrices" have been established for the first step. Based on these matrices, phenomenologically well founded sets of experiments, for which comparison of measured and calculated parameters form a basis for establishing the accuracy of test calculation results, have been defined in a second step.

In the cross reference matrices the important physical phenomena which are believed to occur during the transient or LOCA, the experimental facilities suitable for reproducing these effects, and the test types of interest are listed. The relationships:

- phenomenon versus test type indicate which phenomena are occurring in which test types,
- test facility versus phenomenon indicate the suitability of the test facilities for code validation of the different phenomena, and
- test type versus test facility indicates which test types are performed in which test facilities.

For PWR facilities six individual matrices were prepared, differentiating between:

- large breaks,
- small and intermediate breaks for PWR with U-tube steam generators,
- small and intermediate breaks for PWR with once-through steam generators (OTSG),
- transients,
- transients at shut-down conditions,
- accident management for a non-degraded core.

The matrix for small and intermediate breaks in PWRs with once-through steam generators have been prepared to address in particular phenomena which are unique to this reactor type.

For BWR facilities two individual matrices have been prepared, differentiating between:

- loss of coolant accidents (LOCA),
- transients.

In Tables 6 to 10 cross reference matrices for PWR facilities with U-tube steam generators are shown. Among the integral system test facilities, the category "PWR" is included under "test facilities". The analysis of accidents in actual nuclear power plants is potentially valuable with reference to scaling and simulation problems. Descriptions of phenomena and test types can be found in reference [7].

The relationship phenomenon versus test type is rated at one of three levels:

- occurring: which means that the particular phenomenon is occurring in that kind of test (plus sign in the matrix);
- partially occurring: only some aspects of the phenomenon are occurring (open circle in the matrix);
- not occurring (dash in the matrix).

The relationship test facility versus phenomenon is rated at one of three levels:

- suitable for code assessment: a facility is designed in such a way as to simulate the phenomenon assumed to occur in the plant and it is sufficiently instrumented to reveal the phenomenon (plus sign in the matrix);
- limited suitability: the same as above with problems due to imperfect scaling or insufficient instrumentation (open circle in the matrix);
- not suitable: obvious meaning, taking into account the two previous items (dash in the matrix).

The relationship test type versus facility is rated at one of three levels:

- performed: the test type is useful for code assessment purposes (plus sign in the matrix);
- performed but of limited use: this kind of test has been performed in the facility, but has limited usefulness for code assessment purposes, due to poor scaling or lack of instrumentation (open circle in the matrix);
- not performed (blank).

Based on these cross reference matrices, phenomenologically well founded sets of experiments have been defined in a second step. Criteria for the selection of these tests are listed in the following Section. These selected tests form a basis for establishing the accuracy of test calculation results comparing measured and calculated values. A total number of 177 PWR and BWR-specific integral tests have been selected as potential source for thermal hydraulic code validation.

4.2 Selection of Individual Tests

A number of specific experiments were selected from those facilities, which are included in the cross reference matrices described before. These selected tests versus phenomena establish the individual code validation matrices. During the selection process a number of factors were considered, including:

- Typicality of facility and experiment to expected reactor conditions,
- quality and completeness of experimental data (measurement and documentation),
- relevance to safety issues,
- test selected must clearly exhibit phenomena,
- each phenomenon should be addressed by tests of different scaling (at least one test if possible)
- high priority to International Standard Problems (ISP), counterpart and similar tests (for more explanations see [7]),
- challenge to system codes.

Where counterpart tests or similar tests were identified between two or more facilities, they were included in order to address questions relating to scaling and facility design compromises. For the accident management matrix, priority was given on how realistically the test represented typical accident management procedures [8].

4. CROSS REFERENCE MATRICES FOR WWER ANALYSIS (INTEGRAL AND SEPARATE EFFECTS TESTS)

A multi-national Working Group consisting of experts from Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Russia, Slovak Republic, Poland and Ukraine has been formed on the initiative of the Federal Minister for Research and Technology (BMFT) of the Federal Republic of Germany, giving the task to GRS in close co-operation with the Nuclear Protection and Safety Institute (IPSN) of France in May 1993 to elaborate the topic "Verification Matrix for Thermal-hydraulic System Codes Applied for WWER Analysis".

The topic was combined with the objective of a co-operation to formulate an internationally agreed WWER-specific validation matrix as a supplement to the existing CSNI matrix for PWRs with U-tube steam generators.

Based on the CSNI cross reference matrices the lists of phenomena have been reviewed and adopted to the characteristics of WWER-440 and WWER-1000 systems respectively, and the lists of test facilities suitable for code assessment have been completed.

The above tasks have been performed successfully by the Working Group under the leadership of GRS in close co-operation with IPSN during 1993-1995, and the results were published by Liesch and Réocreux [9].

The selection of tests from the large number of experiments proposed has to be continued, in order to get the ones which are the most suitable for code assessment with respect to a given phenomenon or test type. In order to support the selection, detailed explanations of the choices for the selected data have to be given.

As a consequence these activities will continue under the auspices of the OECD/NEA. Therefore, in June 1995 a new Support Group has been installed to continue with the further evaluation of the matrices, concentrating on three tasks:

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- description of WWER-specific phenomena and safety relevance,
- optimization of the WWER-specific code validation matrices,
- development of criteria for the data bank storage of experimental data valid for the matrices.

As a result of this work, WWER validation matrix has been completed and published in 2001 [10].

5. CONCLUSIONS

A systematic study has been carried out to select experiments for thermal-hydraulic system code validation. The main experimental facilities for SETs, PWRs, BWRs and WWERs have been identified.

Matrices have been established to identify, firstly, phenomena assumed to occur in LWR plants during accident conditions and secondly, facilities and tests suitable for code validation. The matrices also permit identification of areas where further research may be justified [11], and [12]. While the activities for code validation matrices for SETs, PWRs, BWRs and WWERs are completed and the validation matrices, which are established, are ready for use by the research community [13].

A periodic updating of the matrices will be necessary to include new relevant experimental facilities and tests (e. g. investigating boron dilution or behaviour of advanced reactors) and to include improved understanding of existing data as a result of further validation.

The first volume of the SET matrix report [6a] provides cross references between test facilities and thermal-hydraulic phenomena, and lists tests classified by phenomena. As a preliminary to the classification of facilities and test data, it was necessary to identify a sufficiently complete list of relevant phenomena for LOCA and non-LOCA transient applications of PWRs and BWRs. The majority of these phenomena are also relevant to Advanced Water Cooled Reactors and to WWERs. To this end, 67 phenomena were identified for inclusion in the SET matrix. Phenomena characterization and the selection of facilities and tests for the SET matrix are included in volume I of the report [6a]. In all, about 2094 tests are included in the SET matrix.

To validate a code for a particular LWR plant application, it is recommended that the list of tests in the relevant matrix be viewed as the phenomenologically well founded set of experiments to be used for an adequate validation of a thermal hydraulic computer code. This set of data could serve as a basis for the estimation of code accuracy and quantification of code uncertainty.

The development and application of methods to quantify uncertainties in plant calculations is a major task for the future. This requires a determination of code uncertainties, which is based on a systematic code validation. The validation matrices are a necessary prerequisite to achieve such a systematic validation.

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NOMENCLATURE

BWR Biling Water Reactor

CCVM CSNI Code Validation Matrix CRM Cross Reference Matrix

CSNI Committee on Safety of Nuclear Installations

ECC Emergency Core Cooling
ISP International Standard Problem

ITF Integral Test Facility
LOCA Loss Of Coolant Accident
LWR Light Water Reactor
NEA Nuclear Energy Agency

OECD Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

OTSG Once-through Steam Generator
PWR Pressurized Water Reactor
SET Separate Effects Test
UPTF Upper Plenum Test Facility

WWER (VVER) Water-cooled and Water-moderated Energy Reactor

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0	BASIC PHENOMENA	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Evaporation due to Depressurisation Evaporation due to Heat Input Condensation due to Pressurisation Condensation due to Heat Removal Interfacial Friction in Vertical Flow Interfacial Friction in Horizontal Flow Wall to Fluid Friction Pressure Drops at Geometric Discontinuities
1	CRITICAL FLOW	9 1 2 3	Pressure Wave Propagation Breaks Valves Pipes
2	PHASE SEPARATION/VERTICAL FLOW WITH AND WITHOUT MIXTURE LEVEL	1 2 3	Pipes/Plena Core Downcomer
3	STRATIFICATION IN HORIZONTAL FLOW	1	Pipes
4	PHASE SEPARATION AT BRANCHES	1	Branches
5	ENTRAINMENT/DEENTRAINMENT	1 2 3 4 5 6	Core Upper Plenum Downcomer Steam Generator Tube Steam Generator Mixing Chamber (PWR) Hot Leg with ECCI (PWR)
6	LIQUID-VAPOUR MIXING WITH CONDENS ATION	1 2 3 4 5 6	Core Downcomer Upper Plenum Lower Plenum Steam Generator Mixing Chamber (PWR) ECCI in Hot and Cold Leg (PWR)
7	CONDENSATION IN STRATIFIED CONDITIONS	1 2 3 4	Pressuriser (PWR) Steam Generator Primary Side (PWR) Steam Generator Secondary Side (PWR) Horizontal Pipes
8	SPRAY EFFECTS	1 2 3	Core (BWR) Pressuriser (PWR) Once-Through Steam Generator Secondary Side (PWR)
9	COUNTERCURRENT FLOW / COUNTERCURRENT FLOW LIMITATION	1 2 3 4 5 6	Upper Tie Plate Channel Inlet Orifices (BWR) Hot and Cold Leg Steam Generator Tube (PWR) Downcomer Surgeline (PWR)
10	GLOBAL MULTIDIMENSIONAL FLUID TEMPER ATURE, VOID AND FLOW DISTRIBUTION	1 2 3 4	Upper Plenum Core Downcomer Steam Generator Secondary Side
11	HEAT TRANSFER: NATURAL OR FORCED CONVECTION SUBCOOLED/NUCLEATE BOILING DNB/DRYOUT POST CRITICAL HEAT FLUX RADIATION CONDENSATION		1 Core, Steam Generator, Structures 2 Core, Steam Generator, Structures 3 Core, Steam Generator, Strucutres 4 Core, Steam Generator, Strucutres 5 Core 6 Steam Generator, Structures
12	QUENCH FRONT PROPAGATION/REWET	1 2	Fuel Rods Channel Walls and Water Rods (BWR)
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25	LOWER PLENUM FLASHING GUIDE TUBE FLASHING (BWR) ONE AND TWO PHASE IMPELLER-PUMP BEHAVIOUR ONE AND TWO PHASE JET-PUMP BEHAVIOUR (BWR) SEPARATOR BEHAVIOUR STEAM DRYER BEHAVIOUR ACCUMULATOR BEHAVIOUR LOOP SEAL FILLING AND CLEARANCE (PWR) ECC BYPASS/DOWNCOMER PENETR ATION PARALLEL CHANNEL INSTABILITIES (BWR) BORON MIXING AND TRANSPORT NONCONDENSABLE GAS EFFECT (PWR) LOWER PLENUM ENTRAINMENT		

Table 1: List of Phenomena

Table 2: List of Facilities

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		Info sheet	Selected in the CCVM			Info sheet	Selected in the CCVM
1	CANADA			5.14	FOB Blowdown, ANSALDO		
1.1	Elbow Flooding Rig			5.15 5.16	GEST-SEP, SIET GET-GEN (20 M W SG), SIET	a	X
1.1	CWIT (CANDU reactors)	a		5.17	PIPER (Blowdown), PISA	a	x
1.3	Pumps			5.18	JF Blowdown, ENEA	l "	A .
1.4	Header Test Facility (CANDU reactors)	a					
_				6	JAPAN		
2	FINLAND			6.1	TPTF, JAERI		
2.1	REWET-I	a		6.2	Air/Water Horiz. Flow Loop JAERI	a	X
2.2	REWET-II	a	x	6.3	T-Break TF (Air/Water), JAERI	a	
2.3				6.4	Air/Water Rod Bundle TF, JAERI		
2.4	VEERA	a		6.5	SG U-Tube TF, JAERI		
2.5 2.6	IVO-CCFL (air.water)	a	x	6.6 6.7	Single Pin Heat Transf. TF, Jaeri SRTF (Reflood), Toshiba	a a	
2.7	IVO-Thermal Mixing	a	X	6.8	ESTA (18 Degree Sector), Toshiba	a	
2.8	IVO-Loop Seal Facility (Air/Water)	a	x	6.9	ESTA-KP (KWU-PWR), Toshiba		
_				6.10	RRTF (Refill/Reflood), Toshiba		
3	FRANCE			6.11	SHTF (Spray Heat Transf.) Toshiba		
3.1	MOBY-DICK	a	x	6.12	Guide Tube CFL TF, Toshiba Swell Level Tests, Toshiba		
3.2	SUPER MOBY-DICK	a	x	6.14	SCTF, JAERI	a	x
3.3	CANON and SUPER CANON (Horiz)	a	x	6.15	CCTF, JAERI	a	
3.4	VERTICAL CANON	a		6.16	HICOF (Hitachi Core and Fuel Tests		
3.5 3.6	TADIOCA (Vertical)		v	6.17 6.18	Hot Leg CCFL Rig, JAERI		
3.7	TAPIOCA (Vertical) Dadine (Vertical Tube, Inside)	a a	X X	0.16	HOI LEG CCFL RIG, JAERI	a	
3.8	PERICLES Rectangular	a	x	7	NETHERLANDS		
3.9	PERICLES Cylindrical	a	x	7.1	Bcn Boiloff/Reflood Tests (36 rods)	a	
3.10	PATRICIA GV 1	a	X	7.2	NEDEVANIA		
3.11 3.12	PATRICIA gv 2 ERSEC Tube (Inside)	a a	X	7.3	NEPTUNUS	a	x
3.12	ERSEC Rod Bundle	a	X	8	SWEDEN		
3.14	OMEGA Tube (Inside)	a	x				
3.15	OMEGA Rod Bundle	a	x	8.1	GÖTA BWR ECC Tests	a	x
3.16	ECTHOR Loop Seal (Air/Water)	a	X	8.2	MARVIKEN	a	X
3.17 3.18	COSI SUPER MOBY-DICK TEE	a a	X X	8.3 8.4	FRIGG/FRÖJA 120 bar Loop	a	x
3.19	PIERO (Air/Water)	a	x	8.5	SIV		
3.20	EPOPEE			8.6	SEPA		
3.21	EVA	a	x				
3.22 3.23	SEROPS BETHSY Pressuriser			9	SWITZERLAND		
3.23	SUPER MOBY-DICK Horizontal	a	x	9.1	NEPTUN-I (Boiloff)	a	x
3.25	REBECA	a	x	9.2	NEPTUN-I and II (Reflood)	a	x
3.26	ECOTRA			9.3	PEANUT (Reflood Inside Tube)	a	
4	GERMANY			10	UNITED KINGDOM		
7	GERMANT			10	CIVITED KINODOM		
4.1	UPTF	a	x	10.1	ACHILLES Reflood Loop	a	x
4.2	HDR Vessel	a	x	10.2	THETIS Bundle	a	x
4.3	BATTELLE PWR RS 16	a	X	10.3	REFLEX Tube Reflood		
4.4 4.5	BATTELLE BWR 150396 Blowdown Heat Transfer RS 37	a	X	10.4 10.5	Post Dryout Ins. Tube (HP, Winfrith) TITAN/9 MW Rigs	a a	x
4.6	Het Transfer Refill/Reflod RS 36			10.6	High Pressure Rig	a	
4.7	Steady state DNB Exp. RS 164			10.7	Post Dryout Ins. Tube (LP, Harwell)	a	x
4.8	Trans. Boil. Inst. Tube (Freon) RS 370	a		10.8	Air/Water Pipeline Fac. (Large Sc.)		
4.9 4.10	Rewet RS 62/184 Thermodyn, Nonequilibrium RS 77	a a	x	10.9 10.10	Hot Leg (Air/Water, Offt., Large Sc.)	a	1
4.11	LOCA Pump Behaviour RS 92	a	^	10.10	Horiz. CCFL Rig (Air/Water, Small Sc.)	a	1
4.12	Thermalhyd. UP-BBR 373			10.12	Air/Water Rigs (Small Scale)		
4.13	Pressuriser-Valve RS 240, 347 636			10.13	LOTUS (Air/Water Ann. Flow in Tube)	a	x
4.14 4.15	Steam/Water Disch. Flow RS 93, 397	a		10.14 10.15	Single Tube Level Swell (Harwell) Single Tube Reflood (Harwell)	a	x
4.15	T-Junction Test Facility (KfK)	a	x	10.15	Crossflow Two-Phase Wind Tunnel	a a	
				10.17	Loop Seal Air/Water Rig	-	
5	ITALY			10.18	Hot Leg Co and CCF Rig		
5.1	Processing (Vanora Blant) ENE A			10.19	Single tube Reflood (Leatherhead)	a	1
5.1 5.2	Pressuriser (Vapore Plant) ENEA Pressuriser Spray, TURIN	a	X X	10.20 10.21	Boiler Dynamics Rig Valve Blowdown Test Facility	a a	x
5.3	Pressuriser Flooding, CISE	1	1	10.22	Single Pin Reflood	[-	1
5.4	JETI-4 Fuel Channel SIET	a	x	10.23	Multipin Cluster Rig		1
5.5	Safety VALVE SIET Gen 3v3 (Steem Generator) SIET	a	X	10.24	Blowdown Rig		1
5.6 5.7	Gen 3x3 (Steam Generator), SIET 8x8 Bundle, CISE	a	X	10.25 10.26	ECCS Condensation Rig 1/6 th Sc. Broken Cold Leg Nozzle Rig	a	1
5.8	FREGENE (Steam Generator) ENEA			10.27	1/10 th Scale PWR Refill Strath Clyde	"	1
5.9	ARAMIS (Separator) ENEA			10.28	R113 Vertical Forced Circul. Loop		1
5.10	Jet Condensation, TURIN			10.29	R113 Horiz. Forced Circul. Loop		1
5.11 5.12	Jet Condensation, ENEA CHF, ENEA			10.30 10.31	Vertical Flow Rigs High Press. Steam/Water Forced Circ.		1
5.14	CIII, LITLII	1	1	10.51	mgn 11000. Steam water Porced Circ.	1	1

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5.13 CCF, ENEA | 10.32 Low Pressure Boiling Fac. (Harwell) | a |

Table 2 (Cont.): List of Facilities

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		Info sheet	Selected in the CCVM
11	USA	SHEEL	the CC v IVI
11.1	LTSF 1/6 Scale Jet Pump	a	X
11.2	Univ. California SB. LP BWR	a	X
11.3	THEF Post CHF Ins. Tube	a	X
11.4	Battle Columbus Laboratory		
11.5	Wyle Lab. Marshall Steam Station TF		
11.6	Micellaneous Sources		
11.7 11.8	Univ. California SB. Vert. Tube Univ. California B. Tube Reflood		
11.8	Univ. California Berkeley	a	X
11.10	Columbia rod Bundle	a	x
11.11	State Univ. New York at Buffalo		
11.12	State Univ. New York at Buffalo		
11.13	1/30, 1/5 + 1/5 VESSEL CREARE	a	X
11.14	1/5 DC + CL CREARE	a	
11.15	CDN DART Bubbly Flow Nozzles	a	
11.16	VERT TUBE PL/DART Annular CCF	a	X
11.17	TUBE + CHANNEL DART Air/Water		
11.18	SNTF DART BWR Spray Nozzle		
11.19	CE + MIT		
11.20 11.21	J-Loop Test Fac. Westinghouse HCNTL Univ. of Cincinnati		
11.21	Heat Transf. Loop Baboock and Wilcox		
11.22	FLECHT SEASET Westinghouse	a	x
11.24	Univ. California Los Angeles	u	, and the second
11.25	SCTF Univ. California LA	a	X
11.26	Univ. California Santa Barbara		
11.27	Univ. California Berkeley		
11.28	HST, SSTF, VSF/GE Spray Tests	a	X
11.29	Four Loop Natural Circulation/SRI		
11.30	U-Tube SG Two-Loop Test Fac/SRI	a	
11.31	1/5 EPRI-CREARE Mixing Facility		
11.32	EPRI-SAI Thermal Mixing Test Fac.	a	
11.33 11.34	½ Scale Test Facility/CREARE EPRI-Wyle Pipe Rupture Test Fac.	a	X
11.35	TPFL/INEL Tee Critical Flow	a	x
11.36	EPRI-SAI Carryover Large Dim.	u	, and the second
11.37	PHSE/PURDUE ½ Scale Facility		
11.38	Thermal Hydr. Test Fac/ORNL		
11.39	INEL Pump Charcterisation	a	X
11.40	Semiscale/INEL		
11.41	BWR-FLECHT/GE	a	X
11.42	LEHIGH Post CHF Heat Tr. Bundle	a	X
11.43	MIT Pressuriser	a	X
11.44 11.45	LS/GE Level Swell in Blowdown HOUSTON	a	
11.45	Cocurrent Hor, Flow/Northwest	a	x
11.40	ANL Power-Void Transf. Funct. BWR	a	X
11.48	Natural Circulation Boiling/ANL	a	, and the second
11.49	G2 Loop/Westinghouse		
11.50	Air/Water TF/B. Willamette Pump		
11.51	Univ. California Berkley		
11.52	MB-2 SG Transient/Westinghouse	a	X
11.53	Strat. Condens. Flow/Northwest	a	
11.54	Critical Flow Rig/GE	a	X
11.55	Reflux Rig/Univ. Cal. St. Barbara	a	X
11.56	LTSF Blowdown Quench/INEL	a	X
11.57	LEHIGH Post CHF Vertical Tube	a	х
12	NORWAY		
12			
12.1	Halden Reactor, Reflood Tests	a	x
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a: info sheet available in [6, volume 2] - x: selected in the SETs matrix [6, volume 1, chapter 6]

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1 CRITICAL FLOW	1 Breaks 2 Valves 3 Pipes	·	x - x	•	* -		× •	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	* •	× •		· x	:	:	:	_
2 PHASE SEPARATION/VERTICAL FLOW WITH AND WITHOUT MIXTURE LEVEL	1 Pipes/Piena 2 Core 3 Downcomer	:	:	:	-		* -	•	x	x	•	* :	:	:	:	:			•	:	•	_
3 STRATIFICATION IN HORIZ. FLOW	l Pipes	Ŀ	•	•	-		-	•			•	•	-	-	-	-	•) x	•	•		_
4 PHASE SEPARATION AT BRANCHES	1 Branches	Ŀ	-	<u>.</u>	•		-	•	-	•		•	•	•	-			· x	_	•	_	_
5 ENTRAINMENT/DEENTRAINMENT	1 Core 2 Upper Plenum 3 Downcomer 4 SG-Tube 5 SG-Mix. Chamber (PWR) 6 Hot Lee with ECCI (PWR)			:	:			•	x o	x		• • •	•	* - -			· ·	· •				
6 LIQUID-VAPOUR MIXING WITH CONDENSATION	1 Core 2 Downcomer 3 Upper Plenum 4 Lower Plenum 5 SG-Mix. Chamb. (PWR) 6 ECCI in Hot and Cold Leg (PWR)	:	:	:	:					:		· · ·		· · · ·					:	•	:	_
7 CONDENSATION IN STRATIFIED CONDITIONS	Pressuriser (PWR) SG-Primary Side (PWR) SG-Secondary Side (PWR) Horizontal Pipes	:	:	:	:		: :	-		-	x -				•			:	:	:	:	
\$ SPRAY EFFECTS	1 Core (BWR) 2 Pressuriser (PWR) 3 OTSG Second. Side (PWR)	:	:	:	:		:										:	:	:	:	:	
9 CCF/CCFL	1 Upper Tie Plate 2 Channel Inlet Orifices (BWR) 3 Hot and Cold Leg 4 SG-Tube (PWR) 5 Downcomer 6 Surgeline (PWR)		:	:	:				•	0 .							-		:	:	•	
10 GLOBAL MULTIDIMENSIONAL FLUID TEMPERATURE, VOID AND FLOW DISTRIBUTION	Upper Plenum Core Downcomer SG-Secondary Side	:	:	:	:			. ;	× ·					•			:	:	:	:	:	
11 HEAT TRANSF.: NAT. FORC. CONV. SUBC./NUCL. BOIL DNB/DRYOUT POST CHF RADIATION CONDENSATION	1 Core, SG, Strudures 2 Core, SG, Strudures 3 Core, SG, Strudures 4 Core, SG, Strudures 5 Core 6 SG, Strudures		:	:	:		- ; - ; - ;	K - K -						;		•	:		:	· · ·	:	
12 QUENCH FRONT PROPAG, REWET	1 Fuel Rods 2 Channel Walls and Water Rods (BWR)	:	:	<u>:</u>	:											-	<u>:</u>	<u>:</u>	<u>:</u>	:	•	
13 LOWER PLENUM FLASHING 14 GUIDE TUBE FLASHING (BWR) 15 ONE AND TWO PHASE IMPELLER-PUMF 16 ONE AND TWO PHASE JET-PUMP BEHA 17 SEPARATOR BEHAVIOUR 18 STEAM DRYER BEHAVIOUR 19 ACCUMULATOR BEHAVIOUR 20 LOOP SEAL FILLING AND CLEARANCE 21 ECC BYPASSYLOP PENETRATION 22 PARALLEL CHANNEL INSTABILITIES (B	VIOUR (BWR)									•											. x	
23 BORON MIXING AND TRANSPORT 24 NONCONDENSABLE GAS EFFECT (PWR) 25 LOWER PLENUM ENTRAINMENT		:	:	:	:	:	•	:	:	*	•	:	:	:	•	:	x	:		:	:	

Table 3: Separate Effects Test Facility Cross Reference Matrix

	FACILITY I	DENTIFIC ATION	KEYWORDS	RELEVAN	NT PARAMETER	S RANGES	REASONS FOR SELECTION OR NOTES
No.	Status in the matrix	Name		Pressure (MPa)	Inlet mass flow (kg/m ² /s)	Heat flux (W/cm ²)	NOTES
3.7	a x	DADINE (VERTICAL TUBE INSIDE)	Vertical tube, Steady-state, Boil-off	0.1-0.6	20-150	1-3	
3.12	a x	ERSEC TUBE (INSIDE)	Tube, reflooding	0.1-0.6	10-120	1-7	156
3.14	a x	OMEGA TUBE (INSIDE)	Blowdown	16	_	60-125	5 6 7
3.15	a x	OMEGA ROD BUNDLE	Blowdown	13-15	-	44-60	567
4.5	a x	BLOWDOWN HEAT TRANSFER RS 37	Blowdown Rod bundle	15-1.3	3828-3300	163-74	567
4.9	a x	REWET (RS 62/184)	Reflooding, tube, single rod	0.1-0.45	2-10 cm/s	2-6	5 6
5.6	a x	GEN 3x3 (STEAM GENERATOR) ENEA	SG Secondary, Steady-state, transient	3.5-8	200-600	_	
5.7	a x	8x8 BUNDLE CISE	BWR-6 Bundle, Steady state	7.1	125-1600	_	67
5.12	х	CHF ENEA					
6.1	ах	TPTF JAERI	Core heat transfer, Boil-off, Reflooding, BWR and PWR bundle	0.5-12	20-410	3-25	2 3 5 6
6.16	X	HICOF (HITACHI CORE AND FUEL TESTS)					
8.4	х	120 BAR LOOP					
9.1	a x	NEPTUN-I (BOIL-OFF)	Bundle	0.15	_	25-75 kW	2356
10.3	X	REFLEX TUBE REFLOOD					
10.4	a x	POST DRYOUT INST. TUBE (HP, WINFRITH)	Hot patch	0.2-7	50-2000	1-30	2356
10.7	a x	POST DRYOUT INST. TUBE (LP, HARWELL)		0.2-0.4	25-200		2356
10.20	a x	BOILER DYNAMICS RIG	SG, transient boundary conditions	28	12 kg/s	12 MW	67
10.23	X	MULTIPIN CLUSTER RIG					
11.3	a x	THEF POST CHF INS. TUBE	Steady state, quasi-steady state	0.2-7	12-70	0.8-22.5	23456
11.7	X	UNI V. CALIFORNIA B. TUBE REFLOOD					
11.8	a x	UNIV. CALIFORNIA B. TUBE REFLOOD	Reflooding	0.1-0.3	2.5-18 cm/s		156

Table 4: Phenomenon No. 11.4 - Heat Transfer: POST-CHF in the Core, in the Steam Generator and at Structures (Part A)

FACILITIES	IDENTIFIER	11.56	11.57	12.1		
Main pa	rameters					
P (MPa)	Inlet fluid velocity (m/s)					
6.86 6.92	3.7 0.4 Mass Flux (kg/m²s)	12 7				
0.378 0.255 0.409 0.396 0.39 0.272 0.302 0.395	14.8 14.9 20.7 42.7 29.5 42.9 60 29.9 Reflood rate (cm/s)		100 105 112 124 130 158 174 191			
0.2-0.4	9.6 5.6 7.4 9.6 5.6 7.4 2.1			IFA-511-2 5236 5239 5247 IFA-511-3 5258 5261 5265 5266		
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Table 5: Heat Transfer: Post-CHF in the Core, in the Steam Generator and at Structures (7/7)

•	Matrix I CROSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR LARGE BREAKS IN PWRs	Т	est Typ	oe .					y and Scalin		
Phei	nomena versus test type										
	- occurring										
	partially occurring										
	not occurring t facility versus phenomenon									000	
	- suitable for code assessment									1:1600	
	limited suitability						1:100			1	
_	not suitable				2	: 50	1 :	45	712	н	(a)
	st type versus test facility	٧n			1:25	-:	7	1:145	1:712	ÄAI	: 1
	- performed	Blowdown	_	poo	Œ	L	BETHSY	1		SEMISCALE	UPTF 1 : 1 (a)
C	performed but of limited use	low	Refill	Reflood	CCTF	LOFT	ET	PKL	LOBI	EM	PT
-	not performed or planned Break flow										
		+	+	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Phase separation (condition or transition)	0	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
	Mixing and condensation during injection	0	+	+	О	0	О	О	О	О	+
	Core wide void + flow distribution	0	+	+	0	0	0	О	0	-	0
B	ECC bypass and penetration	0	+	0	+	+	-	О	0	=	+
Phenomena	CCFL (UCSP)	О	+	+	О	0	0	О	0	=	+
OIL	Steam binding (liquid carry over, ect.)	-	0	+	0	0	-	0	0	0	0
len	Pool formation in UP	-	+	+	0	0	0	О	0	О	+
P	Core heat transfer incl. DNB, dryout, RNB	+	+	+	0	+	+	+	0	0	-
	Quench front propagation	0	0	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-
	Entrainment (Core, UP)	0	0	+	0	0	+	0	0	0	+
	Deentrainment (Core, UP)	0	0	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	+
	1 - and 2-phase pump behaviour	+	0	0	-	0	-	0	+	+	-
	Noncondensable gas effects	-	0	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	О
	CCTF	-	o	+		ortan					
ty	LOFT	+	+	+					ak siz	e	
cili	BETHSY	-	-	+		mps o				. ,	
Fa	PKL	o	+	+				tion/	comb	ıned	
Test Facility	LOBI	+	+	-	111	jectio	n				
Ţ	SEMISCALE	+	+	+	(6) 1	DTE	lintas	rro1 +-	ata		
	UPTF	0	+	+	(a) (UPTF	meg	gran te	SIS		

Table 6: Cross Reference Matrix for Large Breaks in PWRs

C	Matrix II ROSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR SMALL AND INTERMEDIATE BREAKS			Tes	st Ty _j	pe					V	Fest I	Facili etric	ty an Scali	d ng		
- Tes	omenon versus test type occurring partially occurring not occurring t facility versus phenomenon suitable for code assessment limited suitability not suitable t type versus test facility performed	Stationary test addressing energy transport on primary side	Stationary test addressing energy transport on secondary side	Small leak overfeed by HPIS, secondary side necessary	Small leak without HPIS overfeeding, secondary side necessary	Intermediate leak, secondary side not necessary	Pressurizer leak	U-tube rupture	PWR 1:1	LOFT 1:50	LSTF 1:50	BETHSY 1:100	PKL-III 1:145	SPES 1:430	JOBI-II 1:712	SEMISCALE 1:1600	UPTF, TRAM 1:1(2)
	Natural circulation in 1-phase flow,	+	+	+	0	I s	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
	primary side Natural circulation in 2-phase flow,	+	-	0	+	+	0	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	0
	primary side																
	Reflux condenser mode and CCFL	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	0	+	+	О	О	О	О	+
	Asymmetric loop behaviour	-	-	+	+	=	0	+	=.	-	0	+	+	+	О	0	+
	Break flow	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	О
	Phase separation without mixture level formation	+	-	О	+	+	+	0	=	0	+	+	+	+	+	О	+
	Mixture level and entraiment in SG second side	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	0	0	-	-
	Mixture level and entraiment in the core	+	-	-	+	+	+	-	=	0	+	+	+	0	0	0	О
3	Stratification in horizontal pipes	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	0	o	+	0	o	+
Phenomena (3)	Phase separation in T-junct. and effect on breakflow	=	=	=	+	+	-	-	=	0	0	0	О	0	0	-	+
Omo	ECC-mixing and condensation	-	-	O	+	+	+	+	-	0	0	0	О	0	О	О	+
hen	Loop seal clearing	-	-	-	+	+	0	-	=	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Ы	Pool formation in UP/CCFL (UCSP)	+	-	-	0	+	+	-	-	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	+
	Core wide void and flow distribution	+	-	-	0	+	+	-	=	0	0	0	0	-	=	-	0
	Heat transfer in covered core	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	О	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
	Heat transfer in partly uncovered core	+	-	=	0	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	0	О	0	-
	Heat transfer in SG primary side	+	0	0	+	+	0	0	-	0	+	+	+	+	+	0	-
	Heat transfer in SG secondary side Pressurizer thermohydraulics	0	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	0	+	+	+	0	+	0	-
	Surgeline hydraulics	0	-	0	0	+	+	+	О	0	0	0	0	0	0		+
	1- and 2-phase pump behaviour	0	-	_	0	+	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 +	0 +	+
	Structural heat and heat losses (1)	+	-	0	+	+	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Noncondensable gas effects	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	О	-	-	О	+
	Boron mixing and transport	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	О
	PWR	-	-	0	-	-	+	+					st facil	ities			
	LOFT	-	-	+	+	+	+	-		PTF in			ks pł	enome	ena		
5	LSTF	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	(2)1	inclu	ded in	large b	reak re	eferenc			
ilit	BETHSY	+	+	+	+	+	+	+		matri	x may	be also	o impo	rtant			
Test Facility	PKL-III	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	1								
st 1	SPES	+	+	+	+	-	-	-									
Te	LOBI-II	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	1								
		-	-	-	-				-								
SEMISCALE 0 0 + + + + +																	

Table 7: Cross Reference Matrix for Small and Intermediate Breaks in PWRs

CR	Matrix IV OSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR TRANSIENTS IN PWRs				Test	Туре							st Fac						
+ 0 - test fa +	nenon versus test type occurring partially occurring cility versus Phenomenon suitable for code assessment limited suitability not suitable pe versus test facility performed performed but of limited use not performed or planned	ATWS	Loss of feedwater, non ATWS	Loss of heat sink, non ATWS (c)	Station blackout	Steam line break	Feed line break	Reactivity disturbance	Over-cooling	PWR 1:1	LOFT 1:50	LSTF 1:50	BETHSY 1: 100	PKL-III 1:134	SPES 1:430	LOBI-II 1:712	SEMISCALE 1:1000		
	Natural circulation in 1-phase flow	+	+	+	+	+	+	0	0	+	О	+	+	+	+	+	+		
	Natural circulation in 2-phase flow	+	+	+	+	-	-	0	-	 									
	Core thermohydraulics	+	+	+	+	o	0	+	o	o	+	+	+	+	+	+	+		
	Thermohydraulics on primary side of SG	+	0	0	+	o	0	0	+	o	o	+	+	+	+	+	o		
_ es	Thermohydraulics on secondary side of SG	+	+	+	+	+	+	0	+	o	o	+	+	+	o	+	0		
Jen	Pressurizer thermohydraulics	+	+	+	+	o	0	0	+	o	o	o	o	o	o	o	0		
Phenomena	Surgeline hydraulics (CCFL, choking)	+	+	+	+	0	0	0	0	o	o	o	0	О	o	o	o		
	Valve leak flow (a)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	О	o	0	o	o	o	o		
"	1- and 2-phase pump behaviour	+	+	+	+	o	0	0	+	o	o	+	o	o	o	+	+		
	Thermohydraulic-nuclear feedback	+	1	1	- 1	1	-	+	- 1	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Structural heat and heat losses (b)	o	0	0	o	0	o	o	0	-	o	o	o	o	o	o	О		
	Boron mixing and transport	-	-	-	1	o	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	=	-		
	Separator behaviour	o	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	o	o	-		
	PWR	-	1	-	-	- 0	-	-	0	(a) v	alve	flow	behav	iour v	will be	e stroi erimei	ngly		
	LOFT	+	+	+	o	-	-	+	+	data	shou	ld be	used	if pos	sible		itai		
lity	LSTF	-	+	-	+	+	+	-	+				for scaled test facilities for scaled test facilities						
Test Facility	BETHSY	-	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	(0) }	110016	AII 10	Scale	o ies	i iacii	mes			
st F	PKL-III	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+										
Te	SPES	-	+	-	+	-	-	-	-										
	LOBI-II	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-										
	SEMISCALE	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+										

Table 8: Cross Reference Matrix for Transients in PWRs

CR	Matrix V OSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR TRANSIENTS AT SHUT-DOWN CONDITIONS IN PWRS		Test	Туре		V	Facilit olumet Scaling	ric
Phenon	nenon versus test type							
	occurring							
	partially occurring							
- Test f	not occurring acility versus phenomenon	gu		\Box	_			
	suitable for code assessment	eni	sgui	H H	OWL			
	limited suitability	юо	ben	am	nt-d			
-	not suitable	th n	th o	th d	t sh			
	t type versus test facility	wi	wi	Wi	on a			
+ o	performed performed but of	KH,	SH.	SH,	Inti		>	
0	limited use	of]	of]	of]	n di	Œ	HS	H
_	not performed or planned	Loss of RHR with no opening	Loss of RHR with openings	Loss of RHR with dam in HL	Boron dilution at shut-down	LSTF	BETHSY	PKL III
	Pressurization due to boiling	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Reflux condenser mode and CCFL	+	+	О	-	+	+	О
	Asymmetric loop behaviour	-	О	+	-	+	+	+
	Flow through openings (manways, vents)	-	+	+	-	+	+	-
	Mixture level formation in upper plenum and hot legs	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Mixture level and entrainment in the core	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	SG syphon draining	=	-	+	-	+	-	-
	Asymmetry due to the presence of a dam	-	-	+	-	+	-	-
	Stratification in horizontal pipes	+	+	+	-	+	О	+
	Phase separation in T-junctions and effect on flow	=	+	+	-	0	0	0
ına	ECC mixing and condensation	+	+	+	-	О	0	0
me	Loop seal clearing and filling	+	+	+	-	+	+	-
Phenomena	Pool formation in UP/CCFL (UCSP)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ph	Core 3D thermalhydraulics	+	+	+	+	О	0	0
	Heat transfer in covered core	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Heat transfer in partially uncovered core	+	+	+	-	0	0	-
	Heat transfer in SG primary side	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Heat transfer in SG secondary side	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Pressurizer thermalhydraulics a)	-	X	X	-	0	0	0
	Surge line thermalhydraulics a)	-	Х	Х	-	О	О	0
	Structural heat and heat losses	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
	Non-condensible gas effects	+	+	+	-	+	+	+
	Boron mixing and transport	=	-	-	+	-	-	-
	Thermalhydraulics-nuclear feedback	-	-	-	+	-	-	-
t ity	LSTF	+	+	+	-			
Test Facility	BETHSY	=	+	-	-			
, F	PKL III	+	-	-	-			

a) x is dependent on opening location

Table 9: Cross Reference Matrix for Transients at shut-down conditions in PWRs

⁺ pressuriser manway open

⁻ pressuriser manway shut

	Matrix VI CROSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR ACCIDENT MANAGEMENT FOR A NON DEGRADED CORE IN PWRs		,	Test Typ	e			Test Facility and Volumetric Scaling								
- Phe	nomenon versus test type															
	occurring															
	partially occurring	paa	paa			sak										
	not occurring facility versus phenomenon	d bl	d bl		hly,	/ bre							(2)			
	suitable for code assessment	l an	l an		hig	dary			_	15						
	limited suitability	jeec	, feec	d je	in a	con			100	: 14		12	11			
	not suitable type versus test facility	High pressure primary side feed and bleed	Low pressure, primary side feed and bleed	Secondary side, feed and bleed	RCP-Restart in a highly, voided PCS	Primary to secondary break with multiple failures	50	50	BETHSY 1:100	PKL-III 1:1:145	SPES 1:430	LOBI-II 1 : 712	UPTF, TRAM 1:1			
+	performed	pres ry s	ores ry s	ndar md I	RCP-Restari	ry t	LOFT 1:50	STF 1:50	ISY	Ш 1	1	-II 1	, TI			
	performd but of limited use	igh j	w I ima	con ed a	CP-J	ima ith r)FT	STF	ETE	(L-)	ES)BI	PTF			
- 1	not performed or planned Natural circulation in 1-phase flow, primary side				% ≥ ≥ ≥			I			+ SI		Ĺ			
	Natural circulation in 1-phase flow, primary side	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	0			
	Reflux condenser mode and CCFL	-	-	+	=	+	0	+	0	0	0	0	+			
	Asymmetric loop behaviour	+	+	+	+	+	-	0	+	+	+	0	+			
	Break flow	+	+	0	+	+	+	+	+	+	0	+	0			
	Phase separation without mixture level formation	+	+	+	+	+	0	+	+	+	+	+	+			
	Mixture level and entraiment in SG secondary side	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	0	0	_			
	Mixture level and entraiment in the core	+	+	+	О	+	0	+	+	+	0	0	0			
	Stratification in horizontal pipes	+	+	+	0	+	+	+	0	0	0	0	+			
	Phase separation in T-junct. and effect on	+	+	0	_	+	0	0	0	0	0	0	+			
	breakflow															
	ECC-mixing and condensation	+	+	+	-	+	О	О	0	0	О	О	+			
Phenomena	Loop seal clearing (3)	0	0	+	О	+	+	+	О	О	+	+	+			
) II	Pool formation in UP/CCFL (UCSP)	+	+	+	-	+	0	0	0	0	0	-	+			
eno	Core wide void and flow distribution	+	+	+	+	+	О	О	0	О	-	-	О			
Ph	Heat transfer in covered core	0	О	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-			
	Heat transfer in partly uncovered core	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	О	0	-			
	Heat transfer in SG primary side	-	-	+	О	+	0	+	+	+	+	+	-			
	Heat transfer in SG secondary side	-	-	+	О	+	0	+	+	+	0	+	-			
	Pressurizer thermohydraulics	+	+	О	О	+	0	О	0	0	О	0	+			
	Surgeline hydraulics	+	+	0	0	+	0	О	0	О	О	0	+			
	1- and 2-phase pump behaviour	0	0	+	+	+	0	0	0	0	0	+	-			
	Structural heat and heat losses (1) Noncondensable gas effects	+	+	+	+	+	0	0	0	0	О	О	0			
		0	+	+	+	+	-	0	0	+	-	-	+			
	Accumulator behaviour Boron mixing and transport	+	+	+	+	0 +	0	+	+	+	+	+	+ 0			
	Thermohydraulic-nuclear feed back	-	-	_	+	_	-	_	-	-	_	-	0			
	Separator behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	_	<u> </u>	-	_	_	-	_			
	LOFT	-	_	+	_	-		roblen	n for sc			ities				
	LSTF	+	+	+	_	0			ntegral		ot racii					
lity	BETHSY	+	+	+	_	+	(3) lo	ong ter	m cool	ing no	t inclu	ded				
Test Facility	PKL-III	0	+	+	+	-										
st F	SPES	+	+	+	-	+										
Te	LOBI-II	+	+	+	_	+										
	UPTF, TRAM	0	+	-	_	-										
	UPIF, IKAM	0	+	-	-	-										

Table 10: Cross Reference Matrix for Accident Management for non-degraded core in PWRs

	Matrix VII OSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR LOCA IN BWRs			Test	Туре							ty and Scalir				
	nomena versus test type - occurring - partially occurring not occurring	-ast	el with Fast	before ADS	Depress.				w., Full	Is	ll Power	Pow., Full	1 Chan., Full Pow., Full	Full Height		
- Test	limited suitability	ne Break with F	ow Water Leve	hout Depress.	eak with Slow	-74			2 Chan., Full Pow., Full	1:424, 4 Channels	, 1 Chan., Full Power	1 Chan., Full Pow., Full		1 : 2200, 1 Chan., Full Height		
	st type versus test facility + performed o performed but of limited use - not performed or planned	Large Steam Line Break with Fast Depressurization	Large Break Below Water Level with Fast Denress.	Small Break without Depress. before ADS Actuation	Intermediate Break with Slow Depress.	Spray Line Break	Refill - Reflood	BWR 1:1 (a)	TBL, 1:382, 2 Height	Ш,	TLTA, 1:624,	FIST, 1: 624, Height	FIX 2, 1:777, Height	1,		
	Break flow	+	+	+	+	+	0	-	О	0	О	О	0	+		
	Channel and Bypass Axial Flow and Void Distribution	+	+	+	+	+	+	0	+	0	+	+	+	+		
	Corewide Radial Void Distribution	О	О	+	+	+	+	0	О	+	О	О	О	-		
	Parallel Channel Effects-Instabilities	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	0	+	-	-	-	0		
	ECC Bypass CCFL at UCSP and Channel Inlet Orifice	- 0	+	0	0 +	0 +	+ +	-	0	0	0	0	0	+		
	Core Heat Transf. incl. DNB, Dryout, RNB. Surf. to Surf Radiation	+	+	0	+	0	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+		
	Quench Front Propagation for both Fuel Rods and Channel Walls	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+		
	Entrainment and Deentainment in Core and Upper Plenum	+	+	0	0	0	+	-	-	0	О	О	-	О		
Phenomena	Separator Behavior incl. Flooding, Steam Penetration and Carryover	+	+	О	0	О	-	О	+	0	О	+	О	О		
T C	Spray Cooling	-	-	0	О	О	+	-	О	О	0	О	-	+		
ou	Spray Distribution	+	-	0	О	О	+	-	-	О	-	-	-	-		
Phe	Steam Dryer - Hydraulic Behavior One and Two Phase Pump Recirc. Behavior	0	- 0	0 +	0 +	+	- 0	0	0	0	0	0	- 0	0		
	incl. Jet Pumps Phase Separation and Mixture Level Behavior	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	0	+	0	+	+	0		
	Guide Tube and Lower Plenum Flashing	+	+	-	0	0	-	_	+	+	+	+	+	+		
	Natural Circulation- Core and Downcomer	-	-	+	0	0	+	+	+	0	0	+	+	+		
	Natural Circulation Core Bypass, Hot and Cold Bundles	-	-	+	0	0	+	-	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Mixture Level in Core	-	-	+	О	О	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	0		
	Mixture Level in Downcomer	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	0	О	+	+	О		
	ECC Mixing and Condensation	-	-	+	О	+	+	-	0	0	О	О	-	0		
	Pool Formation in Upper Plenum	О	О	-	О	О	+	-	О	0	О	О	0	О		
	Structural Heat and Heat Losses	0	О	О	+	+	+	-	+	0	О	О	0	О		
	Phase Separ. in T - Junction and Effect on Break Flow	-	-	+	О	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+		
	BWR	-	-	-	-	-	-	· /	hese ar for ass			data bı	it may	be		
Test Facility	TBL	+	+	+	+	-	+	used	TOT ass	cssmer	11.					
aci	ROSA III	+	+	+	+	-	+									
t F	TLTA FIST	+	+	+	+	-	+	+								
ē	FIX 2	-	+	-	+	-	-									
J	PIPER 1	-	+	+	+	-	+									
	1 11 LAC 1	_	f	-	-			<u> </u>								

Table 11: Cross Reference Matrix for LOCA in BWRs

Matrix VIII CROSS REFERENCE MATRIX FOR TRANSIENTS IN BWRs			Test Type									Test Facility and Volumetric Scaling			
Phenomenon versus test type + occurring o partially occurring - not occurring Test facility versus phenomenon + suitable for code assessment o limited suitability - not suitable Test type versus test facility + performed o performed but of limited use - not performed or planned		Stationary Test Measuring Power Flow Map	Recirculation Pump Trip	Core Stability	Loss of Main Heat Sink	LOFW	Loss of reedwater (LOF W) up to time of Collst. Pressure	Inadvertent Increase in Steam Flow	ATWS	Station Blackout (Loss-of-Offsite Power)	BWR 1:1	ROSA III, 1:424, 4 Channels	FIST, 1:642, 1 Channel, Full Power, Full Height	FIX 2, 1:777, 1 Channel, Full Power, Full Height	
Phenomena	Natural Circulation in One- and Two-Phase Flow	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	0	+	О	
	Collapsed Level Behaviour in Downcomer	-	+	О	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	0	+	+	
	Core Thermal Hydraulics	О	+	+	+	О	О	О	+	+	О	+	+	+	
	Valve Leak Flow	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	+	О	О	О	-	
	Single Phase Pump Behaviour (a)	О	+	О	+	О	О	+	+	+	О	О	О	О	
	Parallel Channel Effects and Instabilities	-	+	+	О	1	-	-	+	+	О	+	-	-	
	Nuclear Thermalhydraulic Feedback Including Spatial Effects	0	0	+	-	О	О	О	+	-	+	-	-	-	
	Nuclear Thermalhydraulic Instabilities	-	О	+	-	-	-	О	+	-	+	-	-	-	
	Downcomer Mixing	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	О	0	-	-	
	Boron Mixing and Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	
	Steam Line Dynamics	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	О	-	О	-	
	Void Collapse and Temp. Distribution During Pressurization	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	+	О	+	+	+	
	Critical Power Ratio	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	О	+	+	+	
	Rewet after DNB at High Press. and High Power Incl. High Core Flow	-	+	-	+	-	-	О	+	О	-	О	+	+	
	Structural Heat and Heat Losses	-	0	-	О	-	О	О	О	О	-	О	О	О	
Test Facility	BWR	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	0					
	ROSA III	-	+	+	+	-	+	-	-	+					
	FIST	-	0	-	+	-	+	+	О	+					
Te	FIX 2	-	+	-	+	-	-	-	-	-					

Tabl e 12: Cros

Refer ence Matri x for Tran sient s in BW Rs

⁽a) Two-phase pump behaviour is of interest for certain special ATWS and inadvertent increase of steam flow transients