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Development of Comprehensive Code SFINEL (Spent <u>Fuel IN</u>tegrity <u>EvaL</u>uator) for Long-Term-Dry Stored - II

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Abstract

SFINEL(Spent <u>Fuel INtegrity EvaLuator</u>) code, an integrated computer program for prediction the spent fuel rod integrity based on burn-up history and major degradation mechanisms, has been developed in this research. In this study, CRUPTAIN program which is one of the important module in the SFINEL code is estimated and benchmarked with the in-pile data. According to the evaluation results, it is safe to store the spent fuel in the dry condition, at least, for 40 years. It is also found that strain limit criteria is more conservative than fraction rule method in the low temperature-high stress and the high temperature-low stress storage condition.



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| (MWD/MTU) | 33000 | 55000 | 33000 | 55000 |
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| Т 0 | 947.75 | 1105.15 | 742.25 | 904.15 |
| C1 | 0.398 | 0.366 | 0.344 | 0.372 |
| C2 | 0.1 | 0.14 | 0.06 | 0.11 |
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 $\ln (T-273) = a_0 + a_1 \cdot \ln (time)$

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$$\begin{split} & 25 \\ a_0(B) \;=\; exp \left[1.455 \;+\; 0.204 \, \bullet \, ln \, (B) \;-\; 0.2391 \, \bullet \, 10^{-1} \, \bullet \, ln \, (B)^2 \right] \\ a_1(B) \;=\; -1.0339 \;+\; 0.0094 \, \bullet \, B \,, \end{split}$$

: 5 $a0(B) = exp[1.167 + 0.169 \bullet ln (B)]$ $a1(B) = -0.51391 \bullet 10^{-1} - 0.98780 \bullet 10^{-2} \bullet B + 0.92362 \bullet 10^{-4} \bullet B^{2}$

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creep Figure 3 . creep climb, climb, sliding, Nabarro-Herring Coble . creep

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High Temperature Climb:

$$\ln s_{H\overline{e}} = 5\ln\left(\frac{\sigma}{B}\right) + 55.75 - 14.15\left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \left(\frac{B}{10^4}\right)$$

Low Temperature Climb:

$$\ln \varepsilon_{B} = 7\ln\left(\frac{\sigma}{E}\right) + 55.18 - 10.19\left(\frac{T_{M}}{T}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{T_{M}}{T}\right) + \left(\frac{E}{10^{4}}\right)$$

Grain Boundary Sliding:

$$\ln E_{OBS} = 2\ln\left(\frac{\sigma}{E}\right) + 20.74 - 9.92\left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \ln\left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \left(\frac{E}{10^4}\right)$$

Nabarro Herring:

$$\ln \varepsilon_{NH} = \ln \left(\frac{\sigma}{B}\right) + 18.25 - 14.15 \left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \ln \left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \left(\frac{B}{10^4}\right)$$

Coble:

$$\ln \sigma_{c0} = \ln \left(\frac{\sigma}{E}\right) + 11.03 - 9.92 \left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \ln \left(\frac{T_M}{T}\right) + \left(\frac{B}{10^4}\right)$$

 ϵ = creep rate s⁻¹ σ = stress, MPa E = elastic modulus, MPa T_M = melting temperature, K T = cladding temperature, K

가 creep creep 가 가 (cumulative-damage fraction) 가 athermal creep 가 athermal creep creep . creep rupture 가 (Figure 4). cavitation-rupture rupture mechanism , cavitation 가 . SFINEL cavitation-power-law rupture transgranular 가 가 cracking rupture rupture rupture [2].

Transgranular:

$$\ln t_f^{TG} = -1.797 - \ln \varepsilon$$

Triple Point Cracking:

$$\ln t_f^{TP} = -5.662 - \ln \varepsilon - \ln \left(\frac{\sigma}{E}\right) - \ln \left(\frac{B}{10^4}\right)$$

Cavitation Diffusion:

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$$\ln t_f^{CD} = 4.15 - \ln \varepsilon_{GBS} + \ln \left(\frac{\sigma}{E}\right)$$

Cavitation Power Law:

$$\ln t_f^{CP} = -1.587 - \ln \varepsilon$$

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$$r = 1 - 0.9 \left[\frac{1}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^{n} \delta t \cdot R \cdot \exp(-4 \cdot 10/T_i)} \right]$$

32 X 1017 s⁻¹ δ_t

rate constant R 2.332 X 1017 s⁻¹

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$$1 = \frac{t_1}{\tau_1} + \frac{t_2}{\tau_2} + \frac{t_3}{\tau_3} + \dots$$

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Figure 1 CURTAIN Module Computation Flowchart





Figure 2 Comparision of temperature decay prediction of data for the air and helium

Figure3 Deformation map for Zircaloy with constant stress and strain rate contours (strain rate is in s⁻¹)



Figure 4 Fracture map for Zircaloy showing dominant fracture mechanisms. The shaded area represents the allowable is stress/decaying temperature of spent-fuel temperature in conditions to achive a 40-yr life.





Figure 5 Maximum allowable temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stress for various fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup under the helium-backfill condition.

Figure 6 Maximum allowable temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stress for various fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup under the nitrogen-backfill condition



Figure 7 Maximum allowable temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stress for various fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup under the air-backfill condition

Figure 8 Burnup effect on Maximum allowable initial storage temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stress for the helium-backfill condition(fuel age: 7 years)



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Figure 9 Burnup effect on Maximum allowable initial storage temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stressfor the nitrogen-backfill condition(fuel age: 7 years)

Figure 10 Burnup effect on Maximum allowable initial storage temperature by Damage fraction rule and strain limit calculation as a function of initial cladding stress for the air-backfill condition(fuel age: 7 years)



Figure 11 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 30Mpa, Maximum temperature 361.1°C)



Figure 12 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 100Mpa, Maximum temperature 331.9°C)



Figure 13 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 30Mpa, Maximum temperature 377.4°C)



Figure 14 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 110Mpa, Maximum temperature 344.4°C)



Figure 15 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 30Mpa, Maximum temperature 375.2°C)



Figure 16 Variation of cumulative damage fraction and strain vs. storage time for 7 years fuel age with 33GWd/MtU burnup(Initial stress: 110Mpa, Maximum temperature 342.5°C)



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Figure 17 Modified maximum allowable temperature vs. initial cladding stress for various storage year (5,7 and 10 years) with 33, 55GWd/MtU burnup

Figure 18 Modified maximum allowable temperature vs. initial cladding stress for various storage year (5,7 and 10 years) with 33, 55GWd/MtU burnup



Figure 19 Modified maximum allowable temperature vs. initial cladding stress for various storage year (5,7 and 10 years) with 33, 55GWd/MtU burnup