



Development Program of Cask Technologies for Management of Spent Fuel Assemblies from Russian NPPs as Means of Harmonization of Decisions for SNF Long-Term Storage

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Main SNF management options



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Russia strategy of SNF management





Depot of Casks



Modernization of Depot Casks



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RBMK-1000		144 ПТ SFA 5,6 kW 2,6 % 30 GWd/t _{HM} Transportation and storage Mode	Capacity Decay heat Enrichment max Burn-up max	155 ПТ SFA 8,4 kW 3,2 % 37 GWd/t _{HM} Transportation	TUK-109T
VVER-440	TUK-6	30 SFA 20 kW 3,6 + 4,4 % 57 GWd/t _{HM}	Capacity Decay heat Enrichment max Burn-up max	36 SFA 30 kW 4,87% 67,9 GWd/t _{HM}	TUK-140
VVER-1000	TUK-13	12 SFA 20 kW 4,4 % 58 GWd/t _{HM}	Capacity Decay heat Enrichment max Burn-up max	18 SFA 36 kW 4,87% 67,9 GWd/t _{HM}	TUK-141



TUK-109 – dual-purpose metal-concrete cask for transportation and long-term storage of RBMK-1000 SNF



UKKh-109 Storage cask



TUK-109 Transport cask UKKh-109 + ZDK (damper container)



Family of dual-purpose casks based on metal-concrete cask technologies





UKKh-109 (TUK-109) RBMK-1000 SNF



UKKh-121 HLRW



UKKh-123 (TUK-123) BN-350 SNF



Tyk-120 Icebreaker SNF



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Infrastructure for RBMK-1000 SNF cask handling

















TUK-140 and TUK-141 casks





TUK-140 and TUK-141 are packages of B(U) type for transportation of VVER SFA having higher enrichment by U-235 and burn-up







Dry SNF cask storage concept





Advantages of dry storage using dual-purpose casks

- Reduction of operation costs
- Modular design possibility to expand the storage facility
- Independence of infrastructure facilities commissioning for reprocessing
- Enhanced storage safety
- Less number of SNF reloading operations (reactor cooling pool cask)
- Mobility in decision-making on further SNF management strategy
- Technology unification



Cask unification





Using of unitized dual-purpose cask will decrease SNF management cost



Global experience



Open site storage



The dry RBMK-1500 spent fuel cask storage site at the Ignalina NPP (Lithuania)

Closed-in storage



Interim VVER-440 Spent Fuel Storage Facility Dukovany (Czech Republic)



The Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI) Maine Yankee NPP (USA)



The Dry VVER-440 Spent Fuel Storage in Kozloduy NPP (Bulgaria)



VVER-1000 Spent fuel storage facility (SFSF) Temelín NPP (Czech Republic)





FCNRS programme of cask technologies development









Commercial operation of dry cask storage facilities for VVER-1000+ SNF







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