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Proposals that contribute to the innovation of SMR, such as LBB, Seismic Isolation Structures, Ship Hull Structures, and Application of General Industrial Products



14:50-15:20 May 10 (Tuesday) Dr. Tadashi NARABAYASHI Professor, Laboratory for Zero-Carbon Energy,

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Biography: Tadashi Narabayashi







Prof. Tadashi Narabayashi , PhD

He graduated the master course of Nuclear Engineering, Tokyo Institute of Technology, 1978.

He was the Chief Specialist of Reactor Components and Two-Phase Flow in Toshiba Corp.

He was the Professor of **the Hokkaido University** from 2005 to March 2018. He back to the **Tokyo Institute of Technology** April 2018.

He has been involved in investigating the causes of the accidents and developing countermeasures for other NPPs in Japan, as an advisory meeting member of NRA (Nuclear Regulation Authority) for Fukushima Daiichi Accident Investigation Team.

He was also Nuclear Program Advisory Panel (NPAP) members for Khalifa University, UAE from 2012 to 2015. He was also given the Outstanding Professor of the Year Award given at the ISOE (IAEA/ OECD-NEA), 2018.

C Station Blackout caused by Earthquake in Hokkaido Japan



- 3:08am, Sept. 6, 2018, big earthquake caused the wide area black out in Hokkaido, Japan.
- Tomatou-Atsuma thermal power station 1,2 and 4 tripped.
- 1650MW lost (About 50% of total demand at 3:00am)



Renewable energy without inertia increases the risk of blackout







Solar and wind power requires backup of other power sources





- When the probability of sunny weather is multiplied by 50%, it is 16%, and when the electric circuit loss is subtracted, the capacity factor is at most 13% in Japan. Double capacity factor will be obtained at UAE.
- Equivalent full power to 6 hours a day (25%) in Japan
- The rest is supplemented with hydro, thermal, and nuclear power.
- The capacity factor of wind power generation is 30% in Japan.
- It is difficult to use renewable energy as the main power source in Japan



Loss of external power supply (Damaged insulator at switchyard)



Fukushima Daiichi: ABB was broken, Onagawa NPP: GIS was OK)





GIS: Gas Insulated Switchgear Onagawa Unit 1-3 were OK

Damaged ABB(Air Blast Breaker) Fukushima Daiichi Unit 1-4

If the support system loses its function due to the tsunami, the safety system will collapse together



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Safety System	Emergency DG, RHR Pump RHR HX, Spent Fuel Pool Pump etc.	
Normal System	PLR Pump, CRD Pump, Feedwater Pump, Turbine Condenser, Seawater Pump etc.	

C Radiation level increased after CV Leak





Hydrogen Explosion at Fukushima Daiichi





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Direct leak from PCV of 1F-2 and 1F-3



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Defense In Depth Strategy





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New Regulatory Requirements in Japan



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C Tsunami Wall and FCVS at Hamaoka NPS





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Recover of CV Cooling by Mobile System











Filtered Containment Venting system





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PCV Depressurization and Water Injection







That is why I recommended FCVS





Context Measures against Aircraft Crash or Protect Missile











Load-following SMR with Reactor Internal Pumps and Heat storage will cooperate with renewable Energies









Ship Hull Structures





Isolation Condenser or Passive Cooling System



This is fine for the arrangement of the heat transfer tubes of the IC, so make sure that the heat transfer tubes are exposed to the cut surface so that they can be seen more clearly.



The water color of the suppression pool (S/P) should be light blue instead of gray.





Load Follow with Fluctuating Renewable Energy



New Technology of Water Level Measurement: TDR





Ge-Hitachi Nuclear Energy





SMR: Integrated MSFR, Spent Fuel Reprocessing





Objectives of the Faults Committee

AESJ established the committee to develop risk evaluation methods and measures for fault movement by engineering approach with cooperation of specialists in various scientific fields on Oct. 2013.



Correction Displacement at Chuetsuoki Earthquake





Damage Evaluation for Faults Movements





Evaluation of Mat for Faults Displacement



FEM analysis were conducted for Mat (Displacement 20cm, JANSI Reports)

平成25年9月



Evaluation of Mat Damage for Faults Displacement





Damaged Components and Piping for PWR



Almost all the damage in primary piping in PWRs are the event of LOCA Scenario.



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Damaged Components and Piping (ABWR, BWR/5)



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Almost all the damage in primary loop and ECCS piping in BWR's Containments Vessel are the event of LOCA Scenario.



Piping Damage FEM Analysis by Faults Displacement in Reactor Building





原子力発電所敷地内断層の変位に対する評価手法に関する調査・検討報告書 平成25年9月

Position Statement of AESJ on the Necessity of the Safety Review of the NPPs based on the Scientific and Rational Perspectives and Information Sharing

The Atomic Energy Society of Japan would like to promote by establishing a study committee,

(1) An open fruitful discussion by experts in the area of earthquake, geology, geotechnical, civil, and aseismic design as well as other stakeholders such as academia professors, nuclear reactor engineers, regulators, and licensees,.

(2) Investigation to select the most advanced scientific and rational judgment based on the domestic and global knowledge obtained so far, and,

(3) Continuous discussions and efforts in the global field in order to collect and organize this knowledge and to reflect the global standards and nuclear regulations, such as definition and evaluation method for the active faults and prevention of severe accidents, based on the accumulated database in the world.

Japan, as a frequent earthquake country, has a responsibility to resolve these issues to continue utilizing the nuclear power, based on the risks and importance levels in the scientific and rational manner.

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Seismic tests and seismic isolation technology













- Due to the accident at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station caused by the Great East Japan Earthquake on March 11, 2011, only 10 units were able to restart, and examinations for other restarts have been prolonged. After the Chernobyl nuclear accident in 1984, Toshiba started developing a simplified BWR (SBWR) in cooperation with GE and Hitachi, and after 1995, started developing SMRs.
- Nuclear power generation is a stable basic power source that does not emit CO₂ on the premise of ensuring safety, and has recently been re-evaluated as an attractive option from the viewpoint of energy security and environmental protection.
- Factors such as the recent sluggish power demand, power grid capacity limits, and initial investment limits to avoid risks do not favor large-scale plant output. To globalize nuclear power generation to mitigate the greenhouse effect, we need a small modular reactor (SMR) that can be easily adopted in any country and can be modularized and manufactured in factories with short construction periods.





- The concept proposed here is to provide flexibility for different site conditions and power demands, reduce investment risk and promote public acceptance. Finally, the author also introduces a new LLBWR (Load-following and Long operating symbiotic BWR for renewable energy), which uses a reactor internal recirculation pump (RIP) to load follow with fluctuating renewable energy and enhance facilitates for stable grid control.
 - Since a reactor building was usually a reinforced concrete structure, it was impossible to fabricate component modules with the building module. In the shipbuilding industry, ship hull structure is applied for a large size ship such as a 500,000 tons class. Though the ship hull structure is lighter than the reinforced concrete structure, it has enough strength and appropriate characteristics to apply for a nuclear reactor building. By using this ship hull structure, it is possible to fabricate modules containing RPV and PCV components and parts of the building at a shop at the same time.