

Standard comparison between Serpent 1.1.19 and MCNP5

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This report presents a set of standard test cases for the validation of the Serpent code in group constant generation. All geometries are infinite in the x-, y- and z- directions. Reference results are calculated using MCNP5.

Libraries and options

- JEFF-3.1 based cross section libraries
- With unresolved resonance probability table treatment
- 10 million neutron histories run (20 inactive and 500 active cycles of 20000 source neutrons)

Test cases

1. PWR pin-cell model, 1 MWd/kgU burnup
2. PWR pin-cell model, 20 MWd/kgU burnup
3. PWR pin-cell model, 40 MWd/kgU burnup
4. VVER-440 assembly, 650 ppm boron
5. Mixed UOX / MOX PWR lattice
6. BWR assembly with burnable absorber, 25% void fraction
7. BWR assembly with burnable absorber, 50% void fraction
8. BWR assembly with burnable absorber, 75% void fraction
9. Conceptual SCWR assembly
10. CANDU cluster
11. Sodium-cooled fast reactor assembly
12. Prismatic HTGR fuel block
13. Prismatic HTGR fuel block with burnable absorber
14. PBMR fuel pebble

Results

- Effective multiplication factors
- Prompt neutron lifetimes

- Running times
- Homogenized multi-group reaction cross sections
- Flux spectra

Energy group structure

All homogenized parameters are calculated using the same four energy group structure:

1. $E > 0.821 \text{ MeV}$
2. $5.5 \text{ keV} < E < 0.821 \text{ MeV}$
3. $0.625 \text{ eV} < E < 5.5 \text{ keV}$
4. $E < 0.625 \text{ eV}$

Notes

- The MCNP running times are significantly affected by the number of tallies in the calculation.
- All homogenized reaction cross sections for MCNP are calculated using a tallyx-subroutine that essentially makes a summation over all the constituent nuclides in the material where the track length is scored.
- The mixed UOX/MOX lattice consists of a PWR MOX assembly surrounded by UOX assemblies. All group constants are calculated for the central assembly only, but the MCNP result for prompt neutron lifetime is for the whole geometry. The result is an unrealistically large difference in the values.

Table 1. Comparison of k_∞ . Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| Case | MCNP | | Serpent | Δ (%) | |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------------|--------|
| PWR pin-cell, 1 MWd/kgU burnup | 1.28198 | (0.014) | 1.28161 | (0.013) | -0.029 |
| PWR pin-cell, 20 MWd/kgU burnup | 1.06950 | (0.017) | 1.06961 | (0.017) | 0.010 |
| PWR pin-cell, 40 MWd/kgU burnup | 0.91332 | (0.019) | 0.91334 | (0.018) | 0.002 |
| VVER-440 assembly | 1.26874 | (0.015) | 1.26894 | (0.015) | 0.016 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 25% void fraction | 1.07713 | (0.019) | 1.07733 | (0.021) | 0.019 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 50% void fraction | 1.06183 | (0.018) | 1.06230 | (0.022) | 0.044 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 75% void fraction | 1.04161 | (0.019) | 1.04191 | (0.021) | 0.029 |
| Mixed PWR MOX/UOX lattice | 1.06894 | (0.020) | 1.06903 | (0.017) | 0.008 |
| SCWR assembly | 1.14145 | (0.015) | 1.14170 | (0.016) | 0.022 |
| CANDU fuel cluster | 0.92080 | (0.016) | 0.92093 | (0.017) | 0.014 |
| SFR assembly | 1.76740 | (0.009) | 1.76719 | (0.008) | -0.012 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block | 1.44964 | (0.017) | 1.45001 | (0.016) | 0.026 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block + BP | 1.13776 | (0.022) | 1.13785 | (0.023) | 0.008 |
| PBMR fuel pebble | 1.43457 | (0.016) | 1.43453 | (0.015) | -0.003 |

Table 2. Comparison of prompt neutron lifetimes (in μs). Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| Case | MCNP | | Serpent | Δ (%) | |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|--------------|---------|
| PWR pin-cell, 1 MWd/kgU burnup | 21.61 | (0.042) | 21.61 | (0.024) | -0.021 |
| PWR pin-cell, 20 MWd/kgU burnup | 19.34 | (0.048) | 19.33 | (0.031) | -0.066 |
| PWR pin-cell, 40 MWd/kgU burnup | 19.93 | (0.048) | 19.93 | (0.029) | -0.021 |
| VVER-440 assembly | 18.13 | (0.044) | 18.13 | (0.028) | 0.012 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 25% void fraction | 29.02 | (0.043) | 29.04 | (0.035) | 0.069 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 50% void fraction | 27.93 | (0.044) | 27.92 | (0.033) | -0.015 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 75% void fraction | 26.40 | (0.049) | 26.41 | (0.034) | 0.034 |
| Mixed PWR MOX/UOX lattice | 14.22 | (0.053) | 7.25 | (0.064) | -48.995 |
| SCWR assembly | 15.22 | (0.040) | 15.22 | (0.032) | 0.014 |
| CANDU fuel cluster | 188.68 | (0.054) | 188.60 | (0.033) | -0.043 |
| SFR assembly | 0.34 | (0.020) | 0.34 | (0.018) | -0.143 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block | 322.74 | (0.037) | 322.71 | (0.036) | -0.010 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block + BP | 256.84 | (0.037) | 257.01 | (0.034) | 0.068 |
| PBMR fuel pebble | 574.53 | (0.039) | 574.56 | (0.033) | 0.005 |

Table 3. Comparison of running times (in minutes). The last column shows the ratio between Serpent and MCNP.

| Case | MCNP | Serpent | M/S |
|------------------------------------|--------|---------|------|
| PWR pin-cell, 1 MWd/kgU burnup | 945.4 | 40.4 | 23.4 |
| PWR pin-cell, 20 MWd/kgU burnup | 923.6 | 44.0 | 21.0 |
| PWR pin-cell, 40 MWd/kgU burnup | 933.6 | 45.0 | 20.7 |
| VVER-440 assembly | 261.6 | 18.9 | 13.8 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 25% void fraction | 257.8 | 25.7 | 10.0 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 50% void fraction | 270.5 | 24.5 | 11.0 |
| BWR+Gd Assembly, 75% void fraction | 308.4 | 24.3 | 12.7 |
| Mixed PWR MOX/UOX lattice | 150.1 | 23.1 | 6.5 |
| SCWR assembly | 399.8 | 20.8 | 19.2 |
| CANDU fuel cluster | 322.4 | 36.6 | 8.8 |
| SFR assembly | 1413.6 | 36.2 | 39.1 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block | 6111.9 | 108.1 | 56.5 |
| Prismatic HTGR fuel block + BP | 5647.1 | 94.3 | 59.9 |
| PBMR fuel pebble | 3920.5 | 119.1 | 32.9 |

Table 4. Comparison of 4-group constants PWR pin-cell, 1 MWd/kgU burnup. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.28911E-01 | (0.057) | 2.28912E-01 | (0.009) | 0.001 |
| | 2 | 5.63420E-01 | (0.028) | 5.63461E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 8.80109E-01 | (0.028) | 8.80160E-01 | (0.007) | 0.006 |
| | 4 | 1.42113E+00 | (0.042) | 1.42125E+00 | (0.010) | 0.008 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.86484E-03 | (0.064) | 2.86478E-03 | (0.042) | -0.002 |
| | 2 | 3.41449E-04 | (0.028) | 3.41431E-04 | (0.022) | -0.005 |
| | 3 | 4.92533E-03 | (0.036) | 4.92436E-03 | (0.044) | -0.020 |
| | 4 | 5.38525E-02 | (0.042) | 5.38586E-02 | (0.022) | 0.011 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.67179E-03 | (0.064) | 3.67192E-03 | (0.038) | 0.004 |
| | 2 | 2.18913E-03 | (0.036) | 2.18915E-03 | (0.031) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 2.37040E-02 | (0.045) | 2.37187E-02 | (0.039) | 0.062 |
| | 4 | 8.35943E-02 | (0.042) | 8.36039E-02 | (0.020) | 0.011 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 8.06948E-04 | (0.081) | 8.07144E-04 | (0.058) | 0.024 |
| | 2 | 1.84769E-03 | (0.036) | 1.84772E-03 | (0.033) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 1.87786E-02 | (0.054) | 1.87943E-02 | (0.047) | 0.083 |
| | 4 | 2.97418E-02 | (0.042) | 2.97453E-02 | (0.016) | 0.012 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.25239E-01 | (0.057) | 2.25240E-01 | (0.009) | 0.000 |
| | 2 | 5.61230E-01 | (0.028) | 5.61272E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 8.56405E-01 | (0.028) | 8.56441E-01 | (0.007) | 0.004 |
| | 4 | 1.33754E+00 | (0.042) | 1.33765E+00 | (0.011) | 0.008 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 8.04103E-03 | (0.064) | 8.04045E-03 | (0.045) | -0.007 |
| | 2 | 8.38395E-04 | (0.028) | 8.38538E-04 | (0.025) | 0.017 |
| | 3 | 1.20219E-02 | (0.036) | 1.20203E-02 | (0.044) | -0.013 |
| | 4 | 1.32129E-01 | (0.042) | 1.32141E-01 | (0.022) | 0.009 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.80680E+00 | (0.071) | 2.80666E+00 | (0.017) | -0.005 |
| | 2 | 2.45541E+00 | (0.028) | 2.45595E+00 | (0.012) | 0.022 |
| | 3 | 2.44083E+00 | (0.042) | 2.44099E+00 | (0.003) | 0.006 |
| | 4 | 2.45353E+00 | (0.042) | 2.45348E+00 | (0.002) | -0.002 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.26236E-10 | (0.057) | 5.26272E-10 | (0.009) | 0.007 |
| | 2 | 2.63028E-09 | (0.028) | 2.63086E-09 | (0.014) | 0.022 |
| | 3 | 1.82736E-07 | (0.036) | 1.82696E-07 | (0.022) | -0.022 |
| | 4 | 2.45369E-06 | (0.042) | 2.45405E-06 | (0.010) | 0.015 |

Table 5. Comparison of 4-group constants PWR pin-cell, 20 MWd/kgU burnup. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.28821E-01 | (0.057) | 2.28804E-01 | (0.010) | -0.008 |
| | 2 | 5.64162E-01 | (0.028) | 5.64152E-01 | (0.006) | -0.002 |
| | 3 | 8.88868E-01 | (0.028) | 8.88828E-01 | (0.006) | -0.005 |
| | 4 | 1.43750E+00 | (0.057) | 1.43736E+00 | (0.011) | -0.009 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.80435E-03 | (0.064) | 2.80596E-03 | (0.041) | 0.057 |
| | 2 | 2.21423E-04 | (0.028) | 2.21467E-04 | (0.021) | 0.020 |
| | 3 | 3.21655E-03 | (0.036) | 3.21814E-03 | (0.041) | 0.050 |
| | 4 | 4.79651E-02 | (0.057) | 4.79901E-02 | (0.026) | 0.052 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.62195E-03 | (0.064) | 3.62397E-03 | (0.038) | 0.056 |
| | 2 | 2.06246E-03 | (0.036) | 2.06256E-03 | (0.031) | 0.005 |
| | 3 | 2.77518E-02 | (0.045) | 2.77443E-02 | (0.041) | -0.027 |
| | 4 | 8.96459E-02 | (0.057) | 8.96857E-02 | (0.023) | 0.044 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 8.17603E-04 | (0.081) | 8.18011E-04 | (0.060) | 0.050 |
| | 2 | 1.84104E-03 | (0.036) | 1.84109E-03 | (0.033) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 2.45353E-02 | (0.045) | 2.45261E-02 | (0.045) | -0.038 |
| | 4 | 4.16808E-02 | (0.057) | 4.16957E-02 | (0.020) | 0.036 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.25199E-01 | (0.057) | 2.25180E-01 | (0.010) | -0.009 |
| | 2 | 5.62100E-01 | (0.028) | 5.62089E-01 | (0.006) | -0.002 |
| | 3 | 8.61117E-01 | (0.028) | 8.61084E-01 | (0.006) | -0.004 |
| | 4 | 1.34785E+00 | (0.057) | 1.34768E+00 | (0.013) | -0.013 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 7.93308E-03 | (0.064) | 7.93640E-03 | (0.045) | 0.042 |
| | 2 | 5.72516E-04 | (0.028) | 5.72691E-04 | (0.052) | 0.031 |
| | 3 | 8.27316E-03 | (0.036) | 8.27894E-03 | (0.043) | 0.070 |
| | 4 | 1.27214E-01 | (0.057) | 1.27279E-01 | (0.026) | 0.051 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.82885E+00 | (0.071) | 2.82840E+00 | (0.016) | -0.016 |
| | 2 | 2.58562E+00 | (0.028) | 2.58589E+00 | (0.047) | 0.010 |
| | 3 | 2.57206E+00 | (0.042) | 2.57258E+00 | (0.013) | 0.020 |
| | 4 | 2.65222E+00 | (0.057) | 2.65219E+00 | (0.005) | -0.001 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.24415E-10 | (0.057) | 5.24359E-10 | (0.010) | -0.011 |
| | 2 | 2.63182E-09 | (0.028) | 2.63168E-09 | (0.015) | -0.005 |
| | 3 | 1.75781E-07 | (0.036) | 1.75882E-07 | (0.022) | 0.057 |
| | 4 | 2.49088E-06 | (0.057) | 2.49059E-06 | (0.011) | -0.012 |

Table 6. Comparison of 4-group constants PWR pin-cell, 40 MWd/kgU burnup. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.29106E-01 | (0.057) | 2.29110E-01 | (0.009) | 0.002 |
| | 2 | 5.64854E-01 | (0.028) | 5.64891E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 8.94882E-01 | (0.028) | 8.94917E-01 | (0.007) | 0.004 |
| | 4 | 1.43826E+00 | (0.057) | 1.43839E+00 | (0.011) | 0.009 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.74230E-03 | (0.064) | 2.74534E-03 | (0.043) | 0.111 |
| | 2 | 1.46201E-04 | (0.028) | 1.46201E-04 | (0.023) | -0.000 |
| | 3 | 2.14110E-03 | (0.036) | 2.14137E-03 | (0.043) | 0.012 |
| | 4 | 3.85003E-02 | (0.057) | 3.85161E-02 | (0.027) | 0.041 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.56601E-03 | (0.064) | 3.56886E-03 | (0.039) | 0.080 |
| | 2 | 1.99000E-03 | (0.036) | 1.99036E-03 | (0.033) | 0.018 |
| | 3 | 2.99935E-02 | (0.045) | 2.99737E-02 | (0.037) | -0.066 |
| | 4 | 8.45645E-02 | (0.057) | 8.46002E-02 | (0.023) | 0.042 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 8.23712E-04 | (0.081) | 8.23513E-04 | (0.060) | -0.024 |
| | 2 | 1.84381E-03 | (0.036) | 1.84416E-03 | (0.034) | 0.019 |
| | 3 | 2.78524E-02 | (0.045) | 2.78323E-02 | (0.039) | -0.072 |
| | 4 | 4.60640E-02 | (0.057) | 4.60841E-02 | (0.020) | 0.044 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.25540E-01 | (0.057) | 2.25541E-01 | (0.009) | 0.000 |
| | 2 | 5.62864E-01 | (0.028) | 5.62901E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 8.64889E-01 | (0.028) | 8.64944E-01 | (0.007) | 0.006 |
| | 4 | 1.35369E+00 | (0.057) | 1.35379E+00 | (0.012) | 0.007 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 7.79145E-03 | (0.064) | 7.80182E-03 | (0.047) | 0.133 |
| | 2 | 3.98897E-04 | (0.028) | 3.99126E-04 | (0.065) | 0.057 |
| | 3 | 5.80626E-03 | (0.036) | 5.80572E-03 | (0.046) | -0.009 |
| | 4 | 1.06798E-01 | (0.057) | 1.06839E-01 | (0.027) | 0.038 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.84121E+00 | (0.071) | 2.84184E+00 | (0.018) | 0.022 |
| | 2 | 2.72841E+00 | (0.028) | 2.72997E+00 | (0.059) | 0.057 |
| | 3 | 2.71181E+00 | (0.042) | 2.71123E+00 | (0.018) | -0.021 |
| | 4 | 2.77397E+00 | (0.057) | 2.77388E+00 | (0.004) | -0.003 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.23585E-10 | (0.057) | 5.23627E-10 | (0.009) | 0.008 |
| | 2 | 2.63295E-09 | (0.028) | 2.63312E-09 | (0.014) | 0.006 |
| | 3 | 1.72149E-07 | (0.036) | 1.72103E-07 | (0.021) | -0.027 |
| | 4 | 2.52509E-06 | (0.057) | 2.52531E-06 | (0.011) | 0.009 |

Table 7. Comparison of 4-group constants VVER-440 assembly. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.21915E-01 | (0.057) | 2.21878E-01 | (0.010) | -0.017 |
| | 2 | 5.17157E-01 | (0.028) | 5.17196E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 7.75164E-01 | (0.028) | 7.75040E-01 | (0.008) | -0.016 |
| | 4 | 1.20644E+00 | (0.050) | 1.20624E+00 | (0.012) | -0.017 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.82272E-03 | (0.064) | 2.82535E-03 | (0.042) | 0.093 |
| | 2 | 4.10651E-04 | (0.028) | 4.10640E-04 | (0.023) | -0.003 |
| | 3 | 5.79100E-03 | (0.036) | 5.79344E-03 | (0.039) | 0.042 |
| | 4 | 5.98770E-02 | (0.050) | 5.98775E-02 | (0.026) | 0.001 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.60374E-03 | (0.064) | 3.60645E-03 | (0.037) | 0.075 |
| | 2 | 2.33114E-03 | (0.036) | 2.33136E-03 | (0.028) | 0.010 |
| | 3 | 2.47068E-02 | (0.036) | 2.47056E-02 | (0.039) | -0.005 |
| | 4 | 8.94702E-02 | (0.050) | 8.94696E-02 | (0.022) | -0.001 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 7.81027E-04 | (0.081) | 7.81095E-04 | (0.049) | 0.009 |
| | 2 | 1.92048E-03 | (0.036) | 1.92072E-03 | (0.030) | 0.012 |
| | 3 | 1.89157E-02 | (0.045) | 1.89122E-02 | (0.047) | -0.019 |
| | 4 | 2.95932E-02 | (0.050) | 2.95921E-02 | (0.016) | -0.004 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.18311E-01 | (0.057) | 2.18272E-01 | (0.010) | -0.018 |
| | 2 | 5.14826E-01 | (0.028) | 5.14864E-01 | (0.006) | 0.007 |
| | 3 | 7.50458E-01 | (0.028) | 7.50334E-01 | (0.008) | -0.016 |
| | 4 | 1.11697E+00 | (0.050) | 1.11677E+00 | (0.013) | -0.018 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 7.89800E-03 | (0.064) | 7.90673E-03 | (0.045) | 0.111 |
| | 2 | 1.00528E-03 | (0.028) | 1.00526E-03 | (0.023) | -0.002 |
| | 3 | 1.40944E-02 | (0.036) | 1.41004E-02 | (0.039) | 0.042 |
| | 4 | 1.45872E-01 | (0.050) | 1.45874E-01 | (0.026) | 0.001 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.79801E+00 | (0.071) | 2.79849E+00 | (0.015) | 0.017 |
| | 2 | 2.44802E+00 | (0.028) | 2.44804E+00 | (0.004) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 2.43385E+00 | (0.042) | 2.43385E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.31215E-10 | (0.057) | 5.31167E-10 | (0.009) | -0.009 |
| | 2 | 2.63271E-09 | (0.028) | 2.63260E-09 | (0.014) | -0.004 |
| | 3 | 1.76437E-07 | (0.036) | 1.76402E-07 | (0.025) | -0.020 |
| | 4 | 2.35587E-06 | (0.050) | 2.35595E-06 | (0.012) | 0.003 |

Table 8. Comparison of 4-group constants BWR+Gd Assembly, 25% void fraction. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | $\Delta (\%)$ |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|---------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.02525E-01 | (0.057) | 2.02522E-01 | (0.010) | -0.001 |
| | 2 | 4.92991E-01 | (0.028) | 4.92984E-01 | (0.006) | -0.001 |
| | 3 | 7.68944E-01 | (0.028) | 7.68921E-01 | (0.007) | -0.003 |
| | 4 | 1.35435E+00 | (0.050) | 1.35442E+00 | (0.012) | 0.005 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.36070E-03 | (0.064) | 2.36043E-03 | (0.045) | -0.012 |
| | 2 | 3.17849E-04 | (0.036) | 3.17855E-04 | (0.026) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 4.24980E-03 | (0.045) | 4.24527E-03 | (0.048) | -0.107 |
| | 4 | 3.30648E-02 | (0.050) | 3.30718E-02 | (0.037) | 0.021 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.04872E-03 | (0.064) | 3.04848E-03 | (0.040) | -0.008 |
| | 2 | 1.84725E-03 | (0.036) | 1.84712E-03 | (0.033) | -0.007 |
| | 3 | 1.87449E-02 | (0.045) | 1.87382E-02 | (0.043) | -0.036 |
| | 4 | 6.53945E-02 | (0.042) | 6.53896E-02 | (0.031) | -0.008 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 6.88021E-04 | (0.081) | 6.88051E-04 | (0.055) | 0.004 |
| | 2 | 1.52940E-03 | (0.036) | 1.52926E-03 | (0.035) | -0.009 |
| | 3 | 1.44952E-02 | (0.054) | 1.44930E-02 | (0.051) | -0.015 |
| | 4 | 3.23298E-02 | (0.050) | 3.23179E-02 | (0.038) | -0.037 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.99476E-01 | (0.057) | 1.99473E-01 | (0.011) | -0.002 |
| | 2 | 4.91143E-01 | (0.028) | 4.91136E-01 | (0.006) | -0.001 |
| | 3 | 7.50199E-01 | (0.028) | 7.50183E-01 | (0.007) | -0.002 |
| | 4 | 1.28896E+00 | (0.050) | 1.28903E+00 | (0.013) | 0.006 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 6.61237E-03 | (0.064) | 6.61232E-03 | (0.049) | -0.001 |
| | 2 | 7.78361E-04 | (0.036) | 7.78385E-04 | (0.027) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 1.03435E-02 | (0.045) | 1.03325E-02 | (0.048) | -0.107 |
| | 4 | 8.05524E-02 | (0.050) | 8.05694E-02 | (0.037) | 0.021 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.80102E+00 | (0.071) | 2.80132E+00 | (0.016) | 0.011 |
| | 2 | 2.44884E+00 | (0.042) | 2.44887E+00 | (0.005) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 2.43388E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43388E+00 | (0.000) | -0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.28243E-10 | (0.057) | 5.28229E-10 | (0.009) | -0.003 |
| | 2 | 2.61487E-09 | (0.028) | 2.61499E-09 | (0.014) | 0.005 |
| | 3 | 1.84166E-07 | (0.036) | 1.84170E-07 | (0.022) | 0.002 |
| | 4 | 2.52145E-06 | (0.050) | 2.52129E-06 | (0.010) | -0.007 |

Table 9. Comparison of 4-group constants BWR+Gd Assembly, 50% void fraction. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.81834E-01 | (0.057) | 1.81781E-01 | (0.012) | -0.029 |
| | 2 | 4.26365E-01 | (0.028) | 4.26391E-01 | (0.007) | 0.006 |
| | 3 | 6.57789E-01 | (0.028) | 6.57847E-01 | (0.007) | 0.009 |
| | 4 | 1.18010E+00 | (0.050) | 1.18008E+00 | (0.014) | -0.001 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.31052E-03 | (0.064) | 2.30929E-03 | (0.041) | -0.053 |
| | 2 | 3.15818E-04 | (0.036) | 3.15814E-04 | (0.028) | -0.001 |
| | 3 | 4.16432E-03 | (0.045) | 4.16659E-03 | (0.047) | 0.054 |
| | 4 | 3.23329E-02 | (0.050) | 3.23455E-02 | (0.038) | 0.039 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 2.95743E-03 | (0.064) | 2.95505E-03 | (0.038) | -0.081 |
| | 2 | 1.82960E-03 | (0.036) | 1.82919E-03 | (0.033) | -0.022 |
| | 3 | 1.79276E-02 | (0.045) | 1.79260E-02 | (0.040) | -0.009 |
| | 4 | 6.38364E-02 | (0.050) | 6.38347E-02 | (0.030) | -0.003 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 6.46913E-04 | (0.081) | 6.45761E-04 | (0.054) | -0.178 |
| | 2 | 1.51378E-03 | (0.036) | 1.51338E-03 | (0.035) | -0.027 |
| | 3 | 1.37632E-02 | (0.054) | 1.37594E-02 | (0.047) | -0.028 |
| | 4 | 3.15035E-02 | (0.058) | 3.14893E-02 | (0.040) | -0.045 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.78877E-01 | (0.057) | 1.78826E-01 | (0.012) | -0.028 |
| | 2 | 4.24535E-01 | (0.028) | 4.24562E-01 | (0.007) | 0.006 |
| | 3 | 6.39862E-01 | (0.028) | 6.39921E-01 | (0.007) | 0.009 |
| | 4 | 1.11626E+00 | (0.050) | 1.11625E+00 | (0.015) | -0.001 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 6.46647E-03 | (0.064) | 6.46072E-03 | (0.045) | -0.089 |
| | 2 | 7.73386E-04 | (0.036) | 7.73395E-04 | (0.028) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 1.01354E-02 | (0.045) | 1.01409E-02 | (0.047) | 0.054 |
| | 4 | 7.87693E-02 | (0.050) | 7.88000E-02 | (0.038) | 0.039 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.79871E+00 | (0.071) | 2.79770E+00 | (0.015) | -0.036 |
| | 2 | 2.44884E+00 | (0.042) | 2.44890E+00 | (0.004) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 2.43386E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43387E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.30796E-10 | (0.057) | 5.30790E-10 | (0.010) | -0.001 |
| | 2 | 2.60574E-09 | (0.028) | 2.60565E-09 | (0.015) | -0.004 |
| | 3 | 1.80227E-07 | (0.036) | 1.80310E-07 | (0.023) | 0.046 |
| | 4 | 2.46877E-06 | (0.050) | 2.46892E-06 | (0.011) | 0.006 |

Table 10. Comparison of 4-group constants BWR+Gd Assembly, 75% void fraction. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.60899E-01 | (0.057) | 1.60933E-01 | (0.014) | 0.021 |
| | 2 | 3.59368E-01 | (0.028) | 3.59375E-01 | (0.008) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 5.47772E-01 | (0.028) | 5.47801E-01 | (0.010) | 0.005 |
| | 4 | 1.01235E+00 | (0.050) | 1.01241E+00 | (0.019) | 0.006 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.25202E-03 | (0.064) | 2.25038E-03 | (0.040) | -0.073 |
| | 2 | 3.13161E-04 | (0.036) | 3.13258E-04 | (0.025) | 0.031 |
| | 3 | 4.05207E-03 | (0.045) | 4.05345E-03 | (0.041) | 0.034 |
| | 4 | 3.13256E-02 | (0.050) | 3.13323E-02 | (0.034) | 0.021 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 2.85661E-03 | (0.064) | 2.85580E-03 | (0.036) | -0.028 |
| | 2 | 1.80325E-03 | (0.036) | 1.80414E-03 | (0.030) | 0.049 |
| | 3 | 1.68034E-02 | (0.045) | 1.67897E-02 | (0.035) | -0.082 |
| | 4 | 6.19838E-02 | (0.050) | 6.19955E-02 | (0.029) | 0.019 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 6.04583E-04 | (0.072) | 6.05411E-04 | (0.049) | 0.137 |
| | 2 | 1.49009E-03 | (0.036) | 1.49088E-03 | (0.031) | 0.053 |
| | 3 | 1.27514E-02 | (0.045) | 1.27362E-02 | (0.041) | -0.119 |
| | 4 | 3.06581E-02 | (0.058) | 3.06632E-02 | (0.043) | 0.017 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.58042E-01 | (0.057) | 1.58077E-01 | (0.014) | 0.022 |
| | 2 | 3.57565E-01 | (0.028) | 3.57571E-01 | (0.008) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 5.30968E-01 | (0.028) | 5.31011E-01 | (0.010) | 0.008 |
| | 4 | 9.50366E-01 | (0.050) | 9.50410E-01 | (0.020) | 0.005 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 6.29322E-03 | (0.064) | 6.28964E-03 | (0.042) | -0.057 |
| | 2 | 7.66901E-04 | (0.036) | 7.67063E-04 | (0.026) | 0.021 |
| | 3 | 9.86215E-03 | (0.045) | 9.86554E-03 | (0.041) | 0.034 |
| | 4 | 7.63154E-02 | (0.050) | 7.63317E-02 | (0.034) | 0.021 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.79447E+00 | (0.071) | 2.79492E+00 | (0.014) | 0.016 |
| | 2 | 2.44890E+00 | (0.042) | 2.44866E+00 | (0.003) | -0.010 |
| | 3 | 2.43386E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43386E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.34334E-10 | (0.057) | 5.34454E-10 | (0.010) | 0.022 |
| | 2 | 2.58548E-09 | (0.028) | 2.58646E-09 | (0.014) | 0.038 |
| | 3 | 1.75271E-07 | (0.036) | 1.75316E-07 | (0.025) | 0.025 |
| | 4 | 2.39548E-06 | (0.050) | 2.39577E-06 | (0.012) | 0.012 |

Table 11. Comparison of 4-group constants Mixed PWR MOX/UOX lattice. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.18089E-01 | (0.085) | 2.18077E-01 | (0.016) | -0.006 |
| | 2 | 5.31223E-01 | (0.071) | 5.31279E-01 | (0.011) | 0.011 |
| | 3 | 8.41365E-01 | (0.071) | 8.41523E-01 | (0.013) | 0.019 |
| | 4 | 1.45945E+00 | (0.127) | 1.45933E+00 | (0.027) | -0.008 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 3.17860E-03 | (0.100) | 3.18139E-03 | (0.073) | 0.088 |
| | 2 | 4.38136E-04 | (0.078) | 4.38451E-04 | (0.042) | 0.072 |
| | 3 | 5.93409E-03 | (0.103) | 5.92871E-03 | (0.097) | -0.091 |
| | 4 | 1.13837E-01 | (0.127) | 1.13987E-01 | (0.065) | 0.132 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.98284E-03 | (0.100) | 3.98506E-03 | (0.067) | 0.056 |
| | 2 | 2.28120E-03 | (0.078) | 2.28125E-03 | (0.054) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 3.47017E-02 | (0.094) | 3.46952E-02 | (0.073) | -0.019 |
| | 4 | 2.02607E-01 | (0.127) | 2.02869E-01 | (0.060) | 0.129 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 8.04240E-04 | (0.125) | 8.03667E-04 | (0.094) | -0.071 |
| | 2 | 1.84306E-03 | (0.086) | 1.84280E-03 | (0.060) | -0.014 |
| | 3 | 2.87675E-02 | (0.103) | 2.87665E-02 | (0.081) | -0.003 |
| | 4 | 8.87696E-02 | (0.127) | 8.88825E-02 | (0.055) | 0.127 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.14106E-01 | (0.092) | 2.14092E-01 | (0.017) | -0.007 |
| | 2 | 5.28941E-01 | (0.071) | 5.28998E-01 | (0.011) | 0.011 |
| | 3 | 8.06663E-01 | (0.071) | 8.06828E-01 | (0.013) | 0.020 |
| | 4 | 1.25684E+00 | (0.127) | 1.25646E+00 | (0.032) | -0.030 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 9.21284E-03 | (0.100) | 9.22272E-03 | (0.080) | 0.107 |
| | 2 | 1.26946E-03 | (0.078) | 1.27016E-03 | (0.054) | 0.055 |
| | 3 | 1.69303E-02 | (0.103) | 1.69171E-02 | (0.097) | -0.078 |
| | 4 | 3.25730E-01 | (0.127) | 3.26161E-01 | (0.065) | 0.132 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.89840E+00 | (0.113) | 2.89896E+00 | (0.032) | 0.019 |
| | 2 | 2.89741E+00 | (0.085) | 2.89694E+00 | (0.036) | -0.016 |
| | 3 | 2.85305E+00 | (0.127) | 2.85342E+00 | (0.009) | 0.013 |
| | 4 | 2.86137E+00 | (0.127) | 2.86140E+00 | (0.003) | 0.001 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.23380E-10 | (0.085) | 5.23374E-10 | (0.016) | -0.001 |
| | 2 | 2.61638E-09 | (0.078) | 2.61681E-09 | (0.027) | 0.016 |
| | 3 | 1.62877E-07 | (0.086) | 1.62787E-07 | (0.046) | -0.055 |
| | 4 | 2.31075E-06 | (0.135) | 2.30823E-06 | (0.032) | -0.109 |

Table 12. Comparison of 4-group constants SCWR assembly. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.77051E-01 | (0.057) | 1.77065E-01 | (0.012) | 0.008 |
| | 2 | 3.84315E-01 | (0.028) | 3.84281E-01 | (0.007) | -0.009 |
| | 3 | 6.33763E-01 | (0.028) | 6.33740E-01 | (0.005) | -0.004 |
| | 4 | 9.48620E-01 | (0.057) | 9.48562E-01 | (0.012) | -0.006 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.42031E-03 | (0.064) | 2.42238E-03 | (0.038) | 0.086 |
| | 2 | 4.72577E-04 | (0.028) | 4.72658E-04 | (0.022) | 0.017 |
| | 3 | 6.12689E-03 | (0.036) | 6.12937E-03 | (0.035) | 0.040 |
| | 4 | 5.51608E-02 | (0.057) | 5.51806E-02 | (0.035) | 0.036 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 3.21728E-03 | (0.064) | 3.21951E-03 | (0.034) | 0.069 |
| | 2 | 2.10183E-03 | (0.036) | 2.10277E-03 | (0.028) | 0.045 |
| | 3 | 2.25719E-02 | (0.036) | 2.25585E-02 | (0.031) | -0.059 |
| | 4 | 8.99974E-02 | (0.057) | 9.00222E-02 | (0.028) | 0.028 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 7.96975E-04 | (0.072) | 7.97132E-04 | (0.048) | 0.020 |
| | 2 | 1.62925E-03 | (0.036) | 1.63011E-03 | (0.030) | 0.053 |
| | 3 | 1.64450E-02 | (0.045) | 1.64291E-02 | (0.037) | -0.097 |
| | 4 | 3.48364E-02 | (0.057) | 3.48417E-02 | (0.024) | 0.015 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.73834E-01 | (0.057) | 1.73846E-01 | (0.012) | 0.007 |
| | 2 | 3.82214E-01 | (0.028) | 3.82178E-01 | (0.007) | -0.009 |
| | 3 | 6.11191E-01 | (0.028) | 6.11181E-01 | (0.005) | -0.002 |
| | 4 | 8.58623E-01 | (0.057) | 8.58539E-01 | (0.014) | -0.010 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 6.73799E-03 | (0.064) | 6.74279E-03 | (0.041) | 0.071 |
| | 2 | 1.15696E-03 | (0.028) | 1.15712E-03 | (0.022) | 0.014 |
| | 3 | 1.49117E-02 | (0.036) | 1.49178E-02 | (0.035) | 0.041 |
| | 4 | 1.34383E-01 | (0.057) | 1.34431E-01 | (0.035) | 0.036 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.78394E+00 | (0.071) | 2.78354E+00 | (0.014) | -0.014 |
| | 2 | 2.44820E+00 | (0.028) | 2.44810E+00 | (0.003) | -0.004 |
| | 3 | 2.43380E+00 | (0.042) | 2.43382E+00 | (0.000) | 0.001 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | -0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.38947E-10 | (0.057) | 5.39025E-10 | (0.010) | 0.014 |
| | 2 | 2.61212E-09 | (0.028) | 2.61226E-09 | (0.013) | 0.005 |
| | 3 | 1.64523E-07 | (0.036) | 1.64575E-07 | (0.024) | 0.031 |
| | 4 | 2.20622E-06 | (0.057) | 2.20613E-06 | (0.015) | -0.004 |

Table 13. Comparison of 4-group constants CANDU fuel cluster. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 2.10457E-01 | (0.057) | 2.10512E-01 | (0.011) | 0.026 |
| | 2 | 3.16113E-01 | (0.028) | 3.16091E-01 | (0.006) | -0.007 |
| | 3 | 3.20502E-01 | (0.014) | 3.20471E-01 | (0.005) | -0.010 |
| | 4 | 3.76177E-01 | (0.042) | 3.76177E-01 | (0.005) | 0.000 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 2.10516E-03 | (0.064) | 2.10402E-03 | (0.049) | -0.054 |
| | 2 | 5.09073E-05 | (0.036) | 5.09066E-05 | (0.036) | -0.001 |
| | 3 | 4.77352E-04 | (0.041) | 4.77594E-04 | (0.046) | 0.051 |
| | 4 | 4.61078E-03 | (0.042) | 4.61238E-03 | (0.029) | 0.035 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 2.81480E-03 | (0.064) | 2.81358E-03 | (0.043) | -0.043 |
| | 2 | 1.25673E-03 | (0.045) | 1.25661E-03 | (0.042) | -0.010 |
| | 3 | 5.12863E-03 | (0.041) | 5.12636E-03 | (0.045) | -0.044 |
| | 4 | 9.08751E-03 | (0.042) | 9.09028E-03 | (0.028) | 0.031 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 7.09637E-04 | (0.089) | 7.09554E-04 | (0.064) | -0.012 |
| | 2 | 1.20582E-03 | (0.045) | 1.20570E-03 | (0.042) | -0.010 |
| | 3 | 4.65129E-03 | (0.051) | 4.64877E-03 | (0.048) | -0.054 |
| | 4 | 4.47673E-03 | (0.042) | 4.47790E-03 | (0.027) | 0.026 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 2.07642E-01 | (0.057) | 2.07698E-01 | (0.011) | 0.027 |
| | 2 | 3.14856E-01 | (0.028) | 3.14834E-01 | (0.006) | -0.007 |
| | 3 | 3.15373E-01 | (0.014) | 3.15344E-01 | (0.004) | -0.009 |
| | 4 | 3.67089E-01 | (0.042) | 3.67087E-01 | (0.005) | -0.001 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 5.90687E-03 | (0.064) | 5.90351E-03 | (0.053) | -0.057 |
| | 2 | 1.24346E-04 | (0.036) | 1.24347E-04 | (0.036) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 1.16183E-03 | (0.041) | 1.16242E-03 | (0.046) | 0.051 |
| | 4 | 1.12328E-02 | (0.042) | 1.12367E-02 | (0.029) | 0.035 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.80590E+00 | (0.071) | 2.80581E+00 | (0.017) | -0.003 |
| | 2 | 2.44259E+00 | (0.042) | 2.44265E+00 | (0.007) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 2.43390E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43391E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.042) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | -0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.28761E-10 | (0.057) | 5.28806E-10 | (0.010) | 0.008 |
| | 2 | 3.53531E-09 | (0.028) | 3.53477E-09 | (0.010) | -0.015 |
| | 3 | 1.84941E-07 | (0.022) | 1.84962E-07 | (0.018) | 0.011 |
| | 4 | 2.55927E-06 | (0.042) | 2.55956E-06 | (0.008) | 0.011 |

Table 14. Comparison of 4-group constants SFR assembly. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.87346E-01 | (0.042) | 1.87349E-01 | (0.009) | 0.002 |
| | 2 | 2.84700E-01 | (0.014) | 2.84692E-01 | (0.006) | -0.003 |
| | 3 | 5.57597E-01 | (0.099) | 5.57488E-01 | (0.021) | -0.019 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 6.28996E-03 | (0.050) | 6.29091E-03 | (0.021) | 0.015 |
| | 2 | 4.45539E-03 | (0.014) | 4.45549E-03 | (0.009) | 0.002 |
| | 3 | 1.38879E-02 | (0.106) | 1.38945E-02 | (0.045) | 0.048 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 7.22812E-03 | (0.042) | 7.22899E-03 | (0.020) | 0.012 |
| | 2 | 7.03634E-03 | (0.014) | 7.03652E-03 | (0.011) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 2.87541E-02 | (0.106) | 2.87562E-02 | (0.041) | 0.007 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 9.38148E-04 | (0.050) | 9.38080E-04 | (0.033) | -0.007 |
| | 2 | 2.58094E-03 | (0.022) | 2.58103E-03 | (0.016) | 0.004 |
| | 3 | 1.48662E-02 | (0.106) | 1.48617E-02 | (0.044) | -0.030 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.80118E-01 | (0.042) | 1.80120E-01 | (0.009) | 0.001 |
| | 2 | 2.77663E-01 | (0.014) | 2.77656E-01 | (0.006) | -0.003 |
| | 3 | 5.28843E-01 | (0.099) | 5.28732E-01 | (0.023) | -0.021 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 1.83164E-02 | (0.050) | 1.83190E-02 | (0.023) | 0.014 |
| | 2 | 1.17872E-02 | (0.014) | 1.17883E-02 | (0.010) | 0.009 |
| | 3 | 3.57774E-02 | (0.106) | 3.57948E-02 | (0.047) | 0.049 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.91200E+00 | (0.057) | 2.91198E+00 | (0.010) | -0.001 |
| | 2 | 2.64561E+00 | (0.014) | 2.64578E+00 | (0.004) | 0.006 |
| | 3 | 2.57616E+00 | (0.113) | 2.57618E+00 | (0.012) | 0.001 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.61715E-10 | (0.042) | 5.61766E-10 | (0.009) | 0.009 |
| | 2 | 2.51629E-09 | (0.022) | 2.51622E-09 | (0.016) | -0.003 |
| | 3 | 1.61789E-08 | (0.106) | 1.61741E-08 | (0.033) | -0.030 |
| | 4 | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | 0.00000E+00 | (0.000) | — |

Table 15. Comparison of 4-group constants Prismatic HTGR fuel block. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.37503E-01 | (0.042) | 1.37526E-01 | (0.009) | 0.016 |
| | 2 | 2.76009E-01 | (0.014) | 2.76019E-01 | (0.004) | 0.004 |
| | 3 | 3.11244E-01 | (0.014) | 3.11259E-01 | (0.003) | 0.005 |
| | 4 | 3.20245E-01 | (0.057) | 3.20200E-01 | (0.004) | -0.014 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 6.61520E-05 | (0.050) | 6.61854E-05 | (0.143) | 0.051 |
| | 2 | 2.94845E-05 | (0.014) | 2.94683E-05 | (0.056) | -0.055 |
| | 3 | 4.06352E-04 | (0.022) | 4.06392E-04 | (0.058) | 0.010 |
| | 4 | 3.82154E-03 | (0.057) | 3.82111E-03 | (0.031) | -0.011 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 1.18720E-04 | (0.163) | 1.18378E-04 | (0.170) | -0.288 |
| | 2 | 8.27031E-05 | (0.014) | 8.26903E-05 | (0.060) | -0.015 |
| | 3 | 1.98533E-03 | (0.041) | 1.98600E-03 | (0.044) | 0.034 |
| | 4 | 4.83372E-03 | (0.057) | 4.83327E-03 | (0.030) | -0.009 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 5.25681E-05 | (0.341) | 5.21926E-05 | (0.335) | -0.714 |
| | 2 | 5.32186E-05 | (0.022) | 5.32219E-05 | (0.067) | 0.006 |
| | 3 | 1.57898E-03 | (0.051) | 1.57961E-03 | (0.050) | 0.040 |
| | 4 | 1.01218E-03 | (0.057) | 1.01216E-03 | (0.026) | -0.002 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.37385E-01 | (0.042) | 1.37408E-01 | (0.009) | 0.017 |
| | 2 | 2.75926E-01 | (0.014) | 2.75936E-01 | (0.004) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 3.09258E-01 | (0.014) | 3.09273E-01 | (0.003) | 0.005 |
| | 4 | 3.15411E-01 | (0.057) | 3.15366E-01 | (0.004) | -0.014 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 1.80735E-04 | (0.050) | 1.80900E-04 | (0.154) | 0.091 |
| | 2 | 7.19389E-05 | (0.014) | 7.19017E-05 | (0.056) | -0.052 |
| | 3 | 9.89001E-04 | (0.022) | 9.89101E-04 | (0.058) | 0.010 |
| | 4 | 9.31005E-03 | (0.057) | 9.30899E-03 | (0.031) | -0.011 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.73212E+00 | (0.057) | 2.73317E+00 | (0.048) | 0.038 |
| | 2 | 2.43989E+00 | (0.014) | 2.43997E+00 | (0.005) | 0.003 |
| | 3 | 2.43386E+00 | (0.028) | 2.43386E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | -0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.69067E-10 | (0.042) | 5.69158E-10 | (0.007) | 0.016 |
| | 2 | 3.39243E-09 | (0.014) | 3.39248E-09 | (0.004) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 1.83245E-07 | (0.022) | 1.83203E-07 | (0.013) | -0.023 |
| | 4 | 2.13751E-06 | (0.057) | 2.13725E-06 | (0.009) | -0.012 |

Table 16. Comparison of 4-group constants Prismatic HTGR fuel block + BP. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 1.37359E-01 | (0.042) | 1.37356E-01 | (0.008) | -0.002 |
| | 2 | 2.75867E-01 | (0.014) | 2.75871E-01 | (0.004) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 3.11203E-01 | (0.014) | 3.11215E-01 | (0.003) | 0.004 |
| | 4 | 3.20416E-01 | (0.057) | 3.20379E-01 | (0.004) | -0.011 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 6.46854E-05 | (0.050) | 6.45408E-05 | (0.143) | -0.224 |
| | 2 | 2.86882E-05 | (0.014) | 2.87085E-05 | (0.059) | 0.071 |
| | 3 | 3.94417E-04 | (0.022) | 3.94232E-04 | (0.058) | -0.047 |
| | 4 | 3.65160E-03 | (0.057) | 3.65012E-03 | (0.035) | -0.040 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 1.16906E-04 | (0.163) | 1.17198E-04 | (0.164) | 0.250 |
| | 2 | 8.32907E-05 | (0.014) | 8.33536E-05 | (0.062) | 0.075 |
| | 3 | 2.08690E-03 | (0.041) | 2.08569E-03 | (0.039) | -0.058 |
| | 4 | 5.93903E-03 | (0.057) | 5.93897E-03 | (0.029) | -0.001 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 5.22206E-05 | (0.341) | 5.26573E-05 | (0.308) | 0.836 |
| | 2 | 5.46027E-05 | (0.014) | 5.46451E-05 | (0.067) | 0.078 |
| | 3 | 1.69248E-03 | (0.041) | 1.69146E-03 | (0.045) | -0.060 |
| | 4 | 2.28743E-03 | (0.064) | 2.28885E-03 | (0.044) | 0.062 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 1.37242E-01 | (0.042) | 1.37239E-01 | (0.008) | -0.002 |
| | 2 | 2.75784E-01 | (0.014) | 2.75788E-01 | (0.004) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 3.09116E-01 | (0.014) | 3.09129E-01 | (0.003) | 0.004 |
| | 4 | 3.14477E-01 | (0.057) | 3.14440E-01 | (0.004) | -0.012 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 1.76726E-04 | (0.050) | 1.76258E-04 | (0.155) | -0.265 |
| | 2 | 6.99964E-05 | (0.014) | 7.00464E-05 | (0.060) | 0.071 |
| | 3 | 9.59952E-04 | (0.022) | 9.59502E-04 | (0.058) | -0.047 |
| | 4 | 8.89602E-03 | (0.057) | 8.89243E-03 | (0.035) | -0.040 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.73209E+00 | (0.057) | 2.73088E+00 | (0.050) | -0.044 |
| | 2 | 2.43990E+00 | (0.014) | 2.43992E+00 | (0.005) | 0.001 |
| | 3 | 2.43385E+00 | (0.028) | 2.43385E+00 | (0.000) | -0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.69169E-10 | (0.042) | 5.69136E-10 | (0.006) | -0.006 |
| | 2 | 3.39219E-09 | (0.014) | 3.39178E-09 | (0.004) | -0.012 |
| | 3 | 1.81830E-07 | (0.022) | 1.81809E-07 | (0.012) | -0.011 |
| | 4 | 2.08795E-06 | (0.057) | 2.08754E-06 | (0.009) | -0.020 |

Table 17. Comparison of 4-group constants PBMR fuel pebble. Relative statistical errors are in per cent.

| param. | g | MCNP | | Serpent | | Δ (%) |
|---------------------------|-----|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|--------------|
| Σ_{tot} | 1 | 9.69115E-02 | (0.042) | 9.68906E-02 | (0.012) | -0.022 |
| | 2 | 1.94229E-01 | (0.014) | 1.94218E-01 | (0.007) | -0.005 |
| | 3 | 2.18661E-01 | (0.014) | 2.18669E-01 | (0.005) | 0.003 |
| | 4 | 2.24352E-01 | (0.057) | 2.24293E-01 | (0.005) | -0.026 |
| Σ_{fiss} | 1 | 4.42873E-05 | (0.050) | 4.43034E-05 | (0.143) | 0.036 |
| | 2 | 1.63910E-05 | (0.014) | 1.64061E-05 | (0.063) | 0.092 |
| | 3 | 2.27257E-04 | (0.022) | 2.27258E-04 | (0.056) | 0.000 |
| | 4 | 2.18428E-03 | (0.057) | 2.18279E-03 | (0.030) | -0.068 |
| Σ_{abs} | 1 | 8.06639E-05 | (0.163) | 8.05998E-05 | (0.178) | -0.079 |
| | 2 | 5.30435E-05 | (0.014) | 5.30930E-05 | (0.069) | 0.093 |
| | 3 | 1.31244E-03 | (0.041) | 1.31265E-03 | (0.041) | 0.016 |
| | 4 | 2.79533E-03 | (0.057) | 2.79346E-03 | (0.029) | -0.067 |
| Σ_{capt} | 1 | 3.63766E-05 | (0.351) | 3.62965E-05 | (0.329) | -0.220 |
| | 2 | 3.66526E-05 | (0.022) | 3.66869E-05 | (0.075) | 0.094 |
| | 3 | 1.08518E-03 | (0.051) | 1.08539E-03 | (0.047) | 0.019 |
| | 4 | 6.11048E-04 | (0.057) | 6.10670E-04 | (0.026) | -0.062 |
| Σ_{scatt} | 1 | 9.68308E-02 | (0.042) | 9.68100E-02 | (0.012) | -0.021 |
| | 2 | 1.94176E-01 | (0.014) | 1.94165E-01 | (0.007) | -0.005 |
| | 3 | 2.17349E-01 | (0.014) | 2.17357E-01 | (0.005) | 0.004 |
| | 4 | 2.21556E-01 | (0.057) | 2.21499E-01 | (0.005) | -0.026 |
| $\nu\Sigma_{\text{fiss}}$ | 1 | 1.21226E-04 | (0.050) | 1.21391E-04 | (0.153) | 0.137 |
| | 2 | 3.99926E-05 | (0.014) | 4.00283E-05 | (0.064) | 0.089 |
| | 3 | 5.53115E-04 | (0.022) | 5.53115E-04 | (0.056) | -0.000 |
| | 4 | 5.32135E-03 | (0.057) | 5.31770E-03 | (0.030) | -0.069 |
| $\bar{\nu}$ | 1 | 2.73725E+00 | (0.057) | 2.73998E+00 | (0.052) | 0.100 |
| | 2 | 2.43991E+00 | (0.014) | 2.43985E+00 | (0.005) | -0.003 |
| | 3 | 2.43387E+00 | (0.028) | 2.43386E+00 | (0.000) | -0.001 |
| | 4 | 2.43620E+00 | (0.057) | 2.43620E+00 | (0.000) | 0.000 |
| $1/v$ | 1 | 5.69741E-10 | (0.042) | 5.69745E-10 | (0.006) | 0.001 |
| | 2 | 3.39217E-09 | (0.014) | 3.39191E-09 | (0.006) | -0.008 |
| | 3 | 1.85162E-07 | (0.022) | 1.85174E-07 | (0.013) | 0.007 |
| | 4 | 2.18418E-06 | (0.057) | 2.18388E-06 | (0.008) | -0.014 |

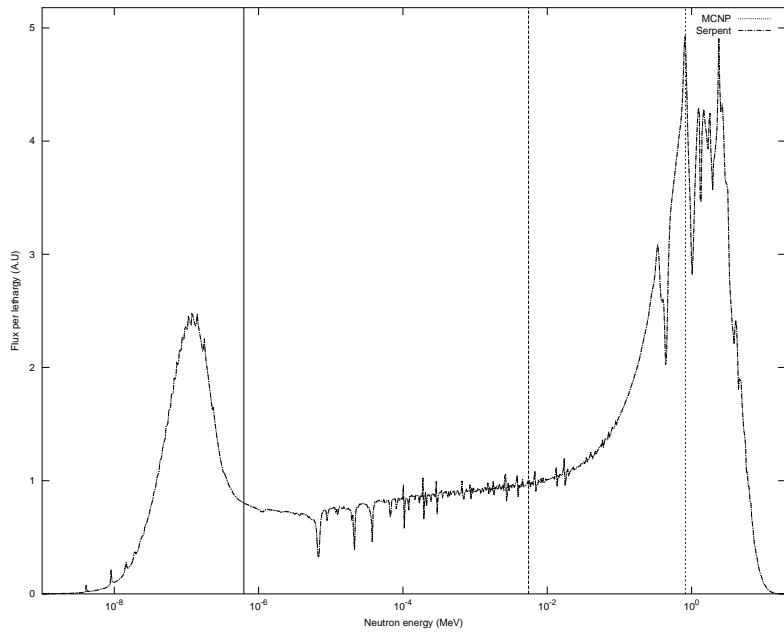


Figure 1. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry PWR pin-cell, 1 MWd/kgU burnup.

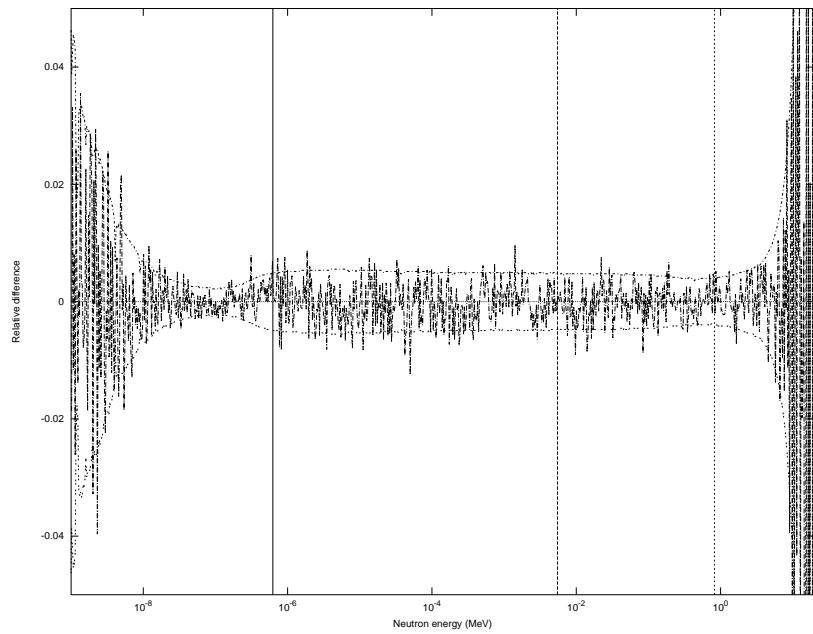


Figure 2. Relative differences between the two spectra Figure 1.

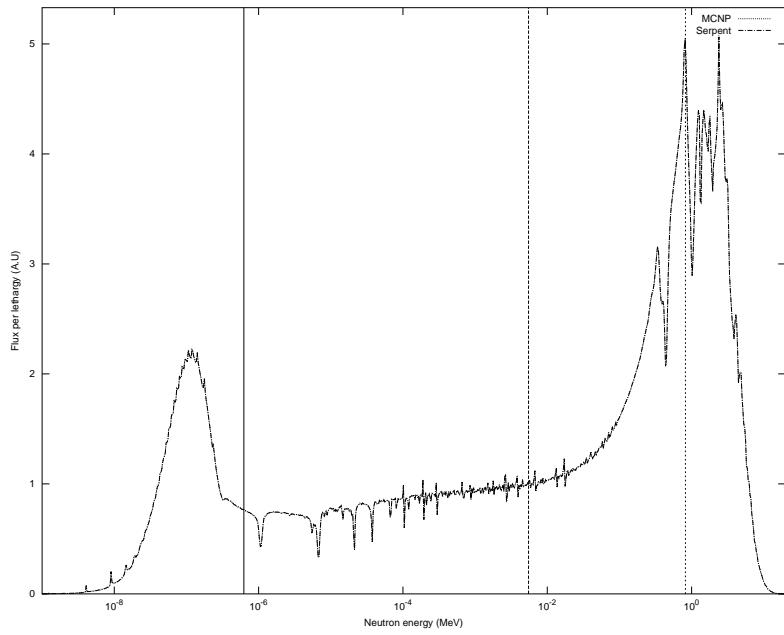


Figure 3. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry PWR pin-cell, 20 MWd/kgU burnup.

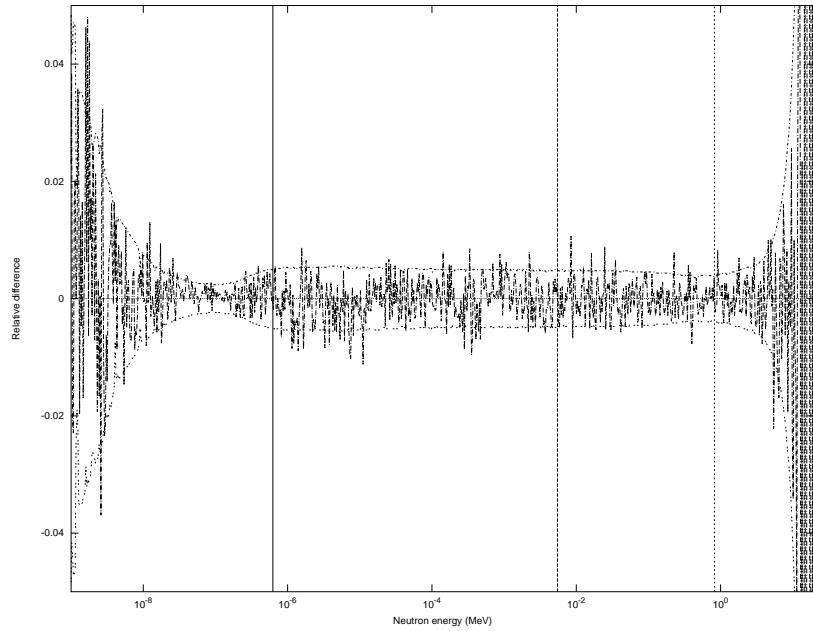


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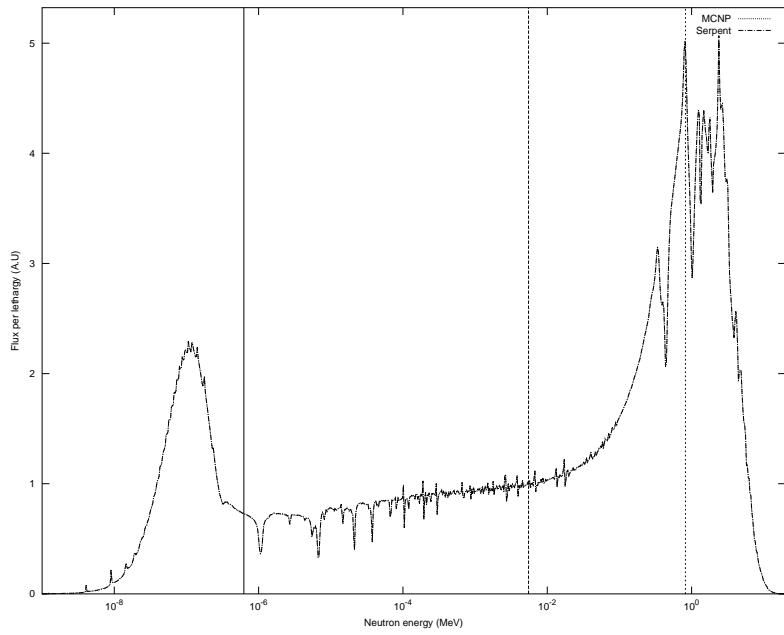


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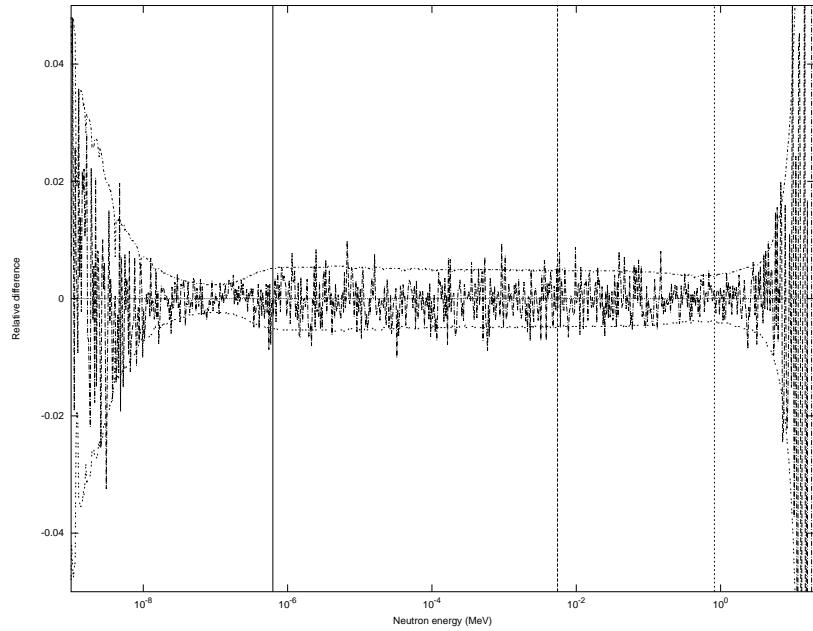


Figure 6. Relative differences between the two spectra Figure 5.

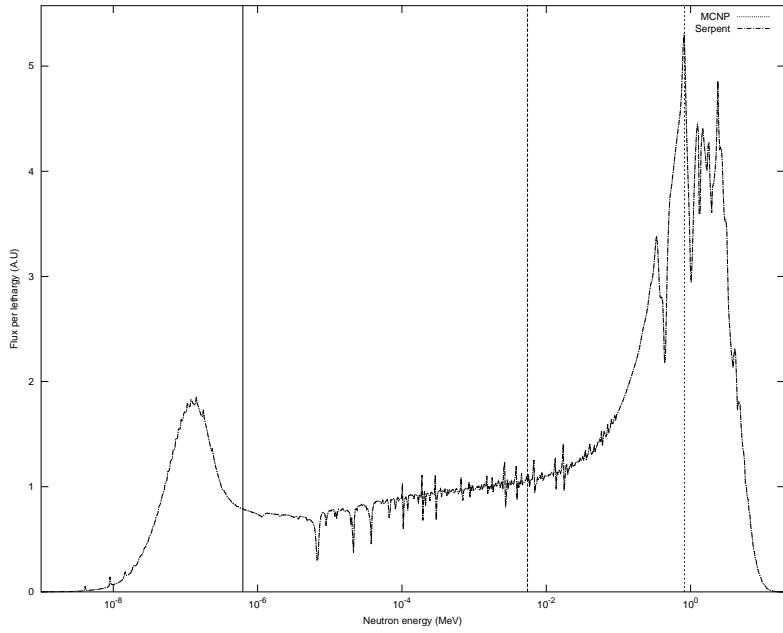


Figure 7. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry VVER-440 assembly.

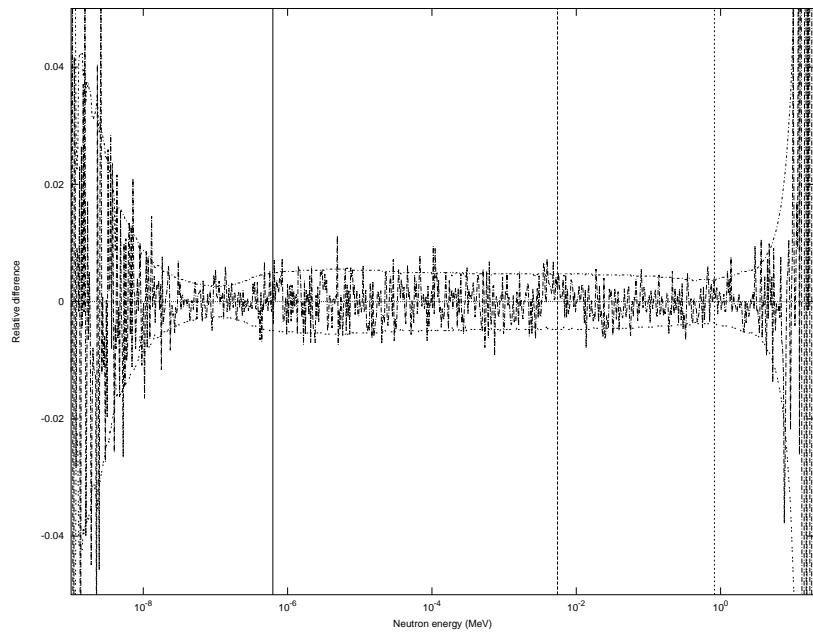


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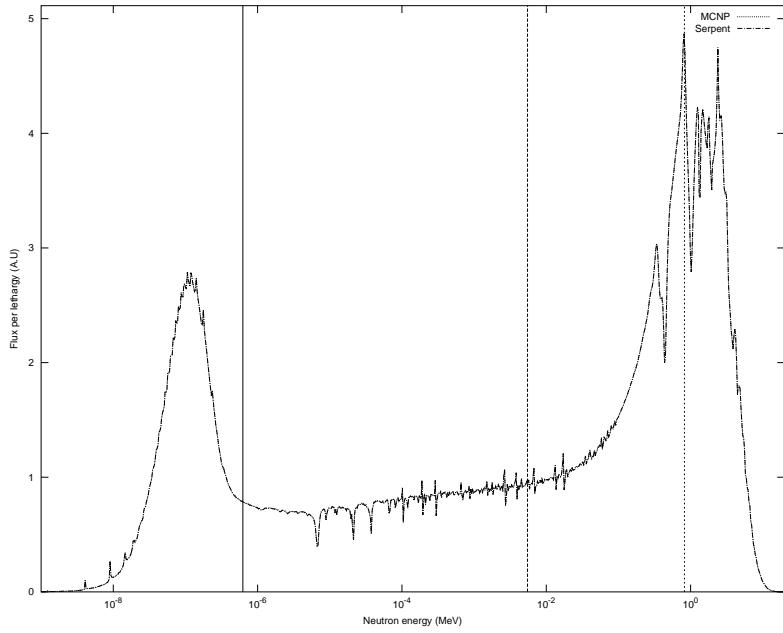


Figure 9. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry BWR+Gd Assembly, 25% void fraction.

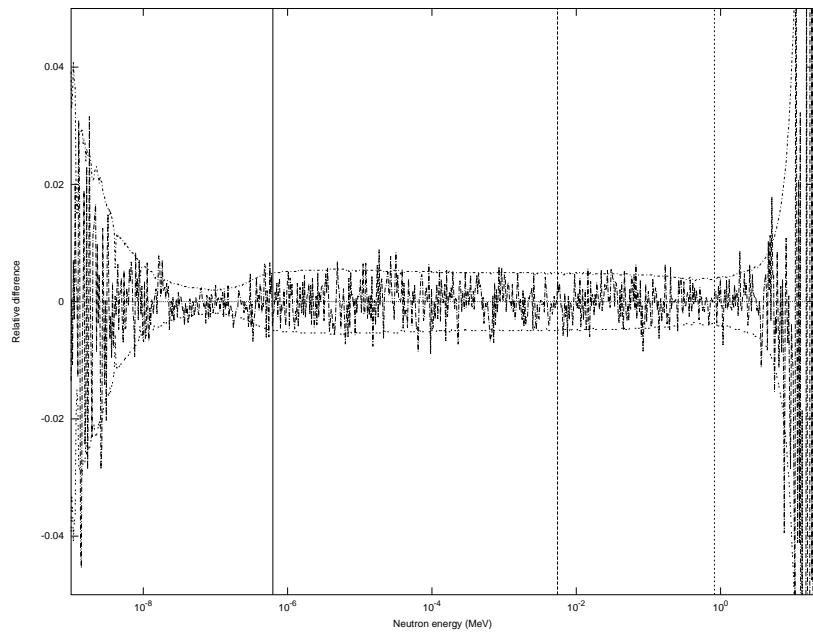


Figure 10. Relative differences between the two spectra Figure 9.

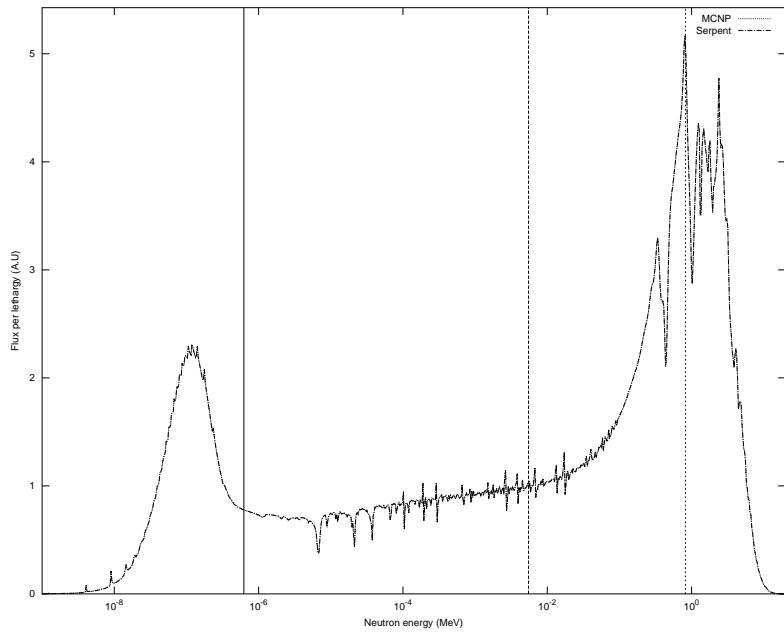


Figure 11. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry BWR+Gd Assembly, 50% void fraction.

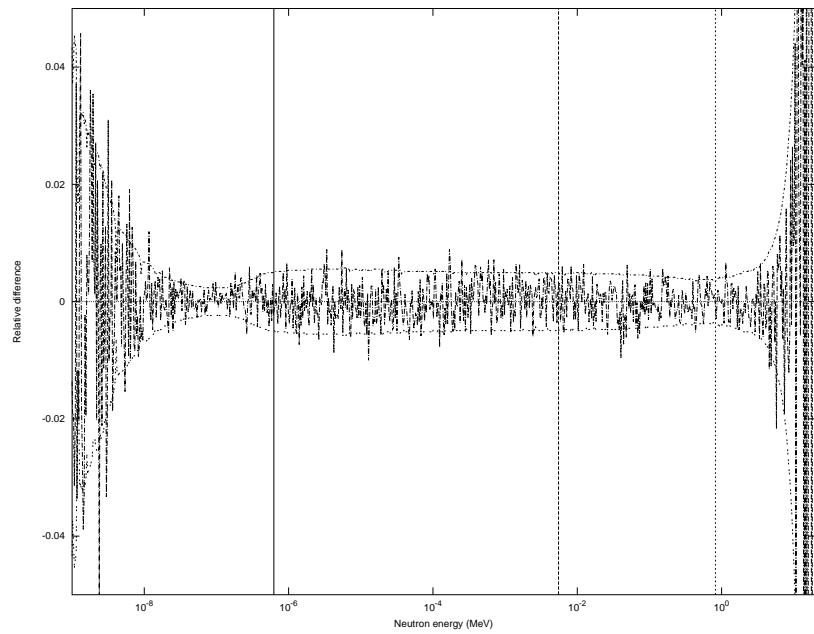


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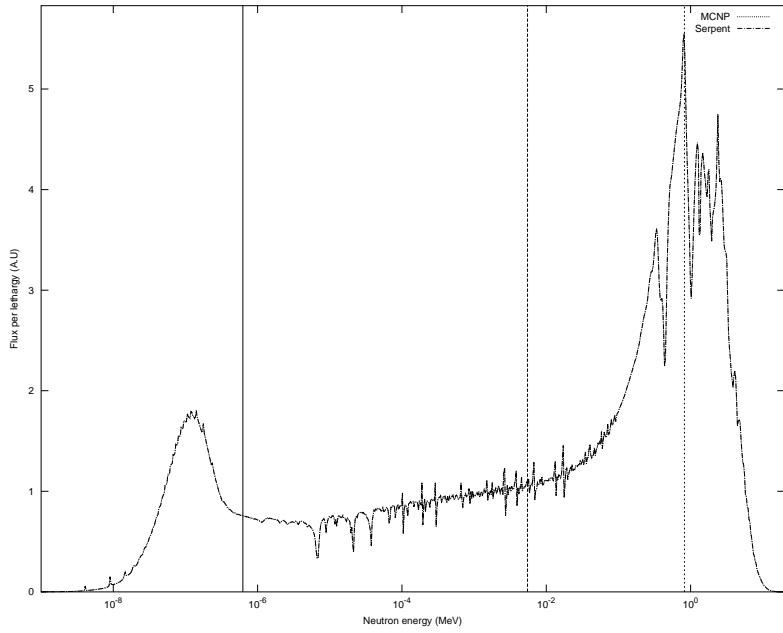


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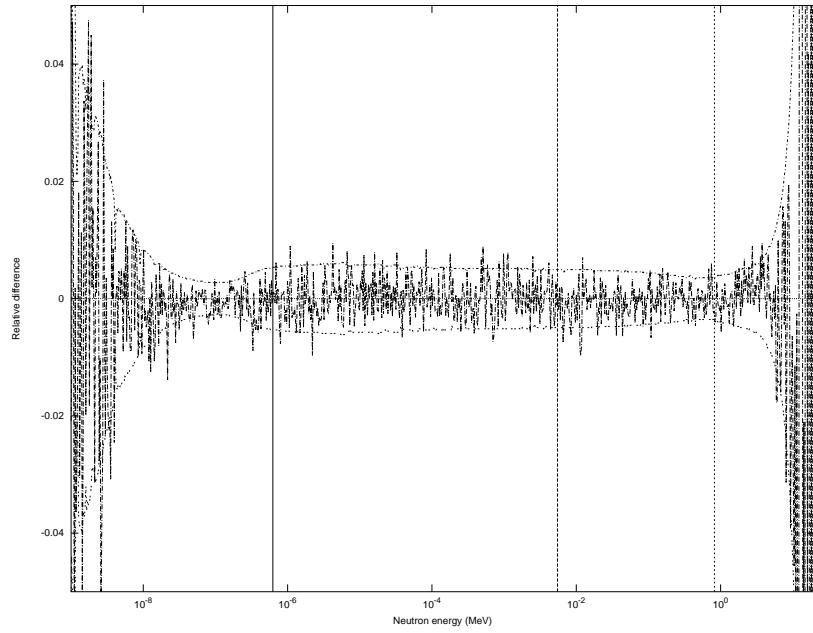


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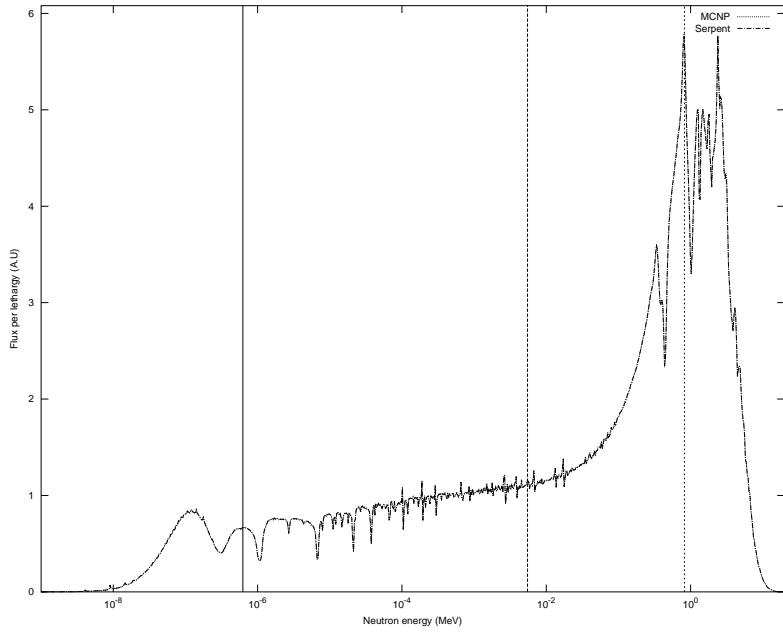


Figure 15. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry Mixed PWR MOX/UOX lattice.

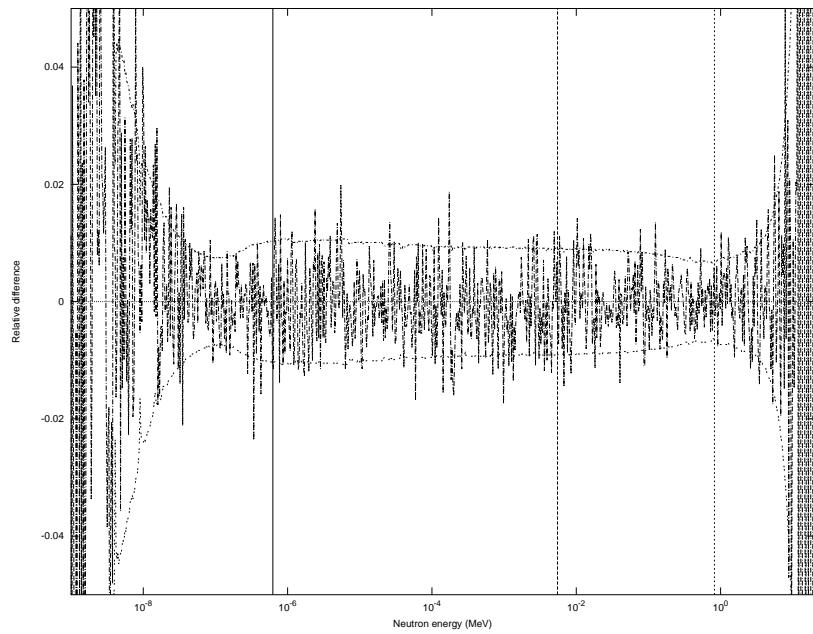


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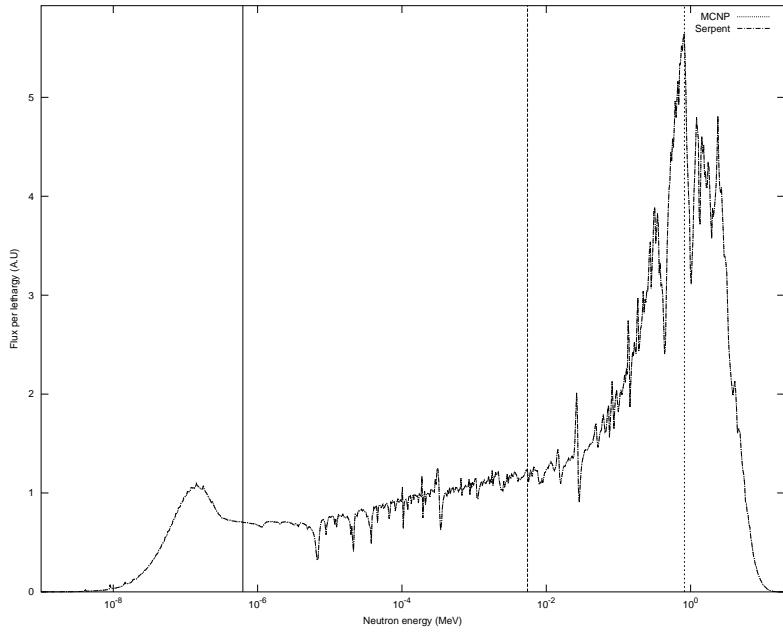


Figure 17. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry SCWR assembly.

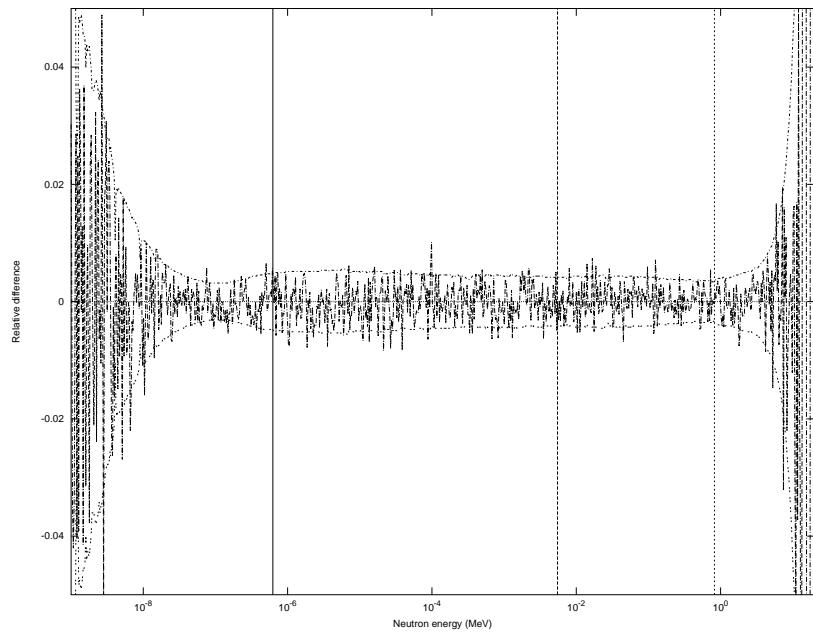


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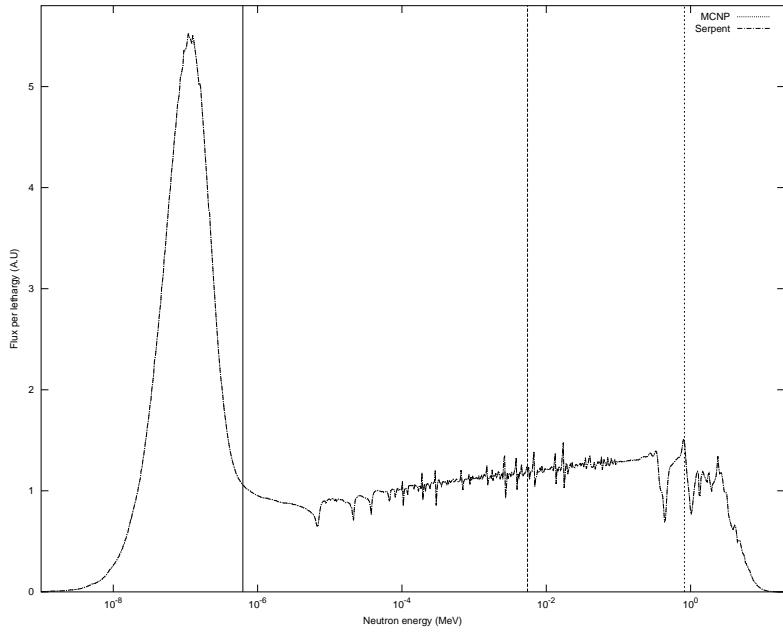


Figure 19. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry CANDU fuel cluster.

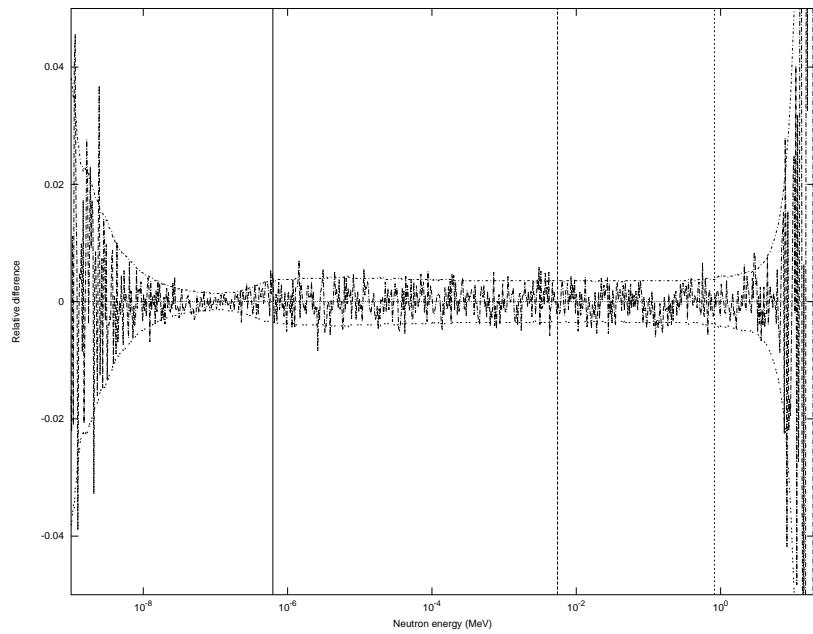


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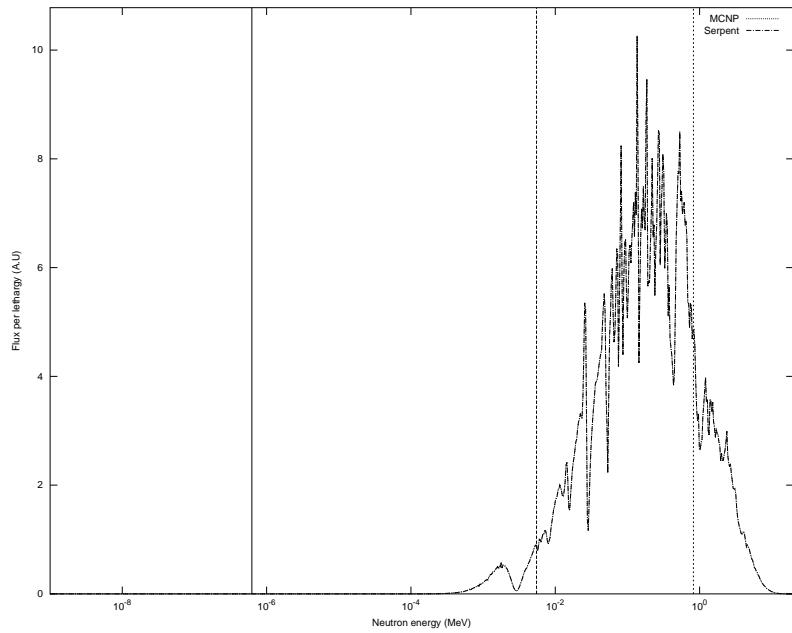


Figure 21. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry SFR assembly.

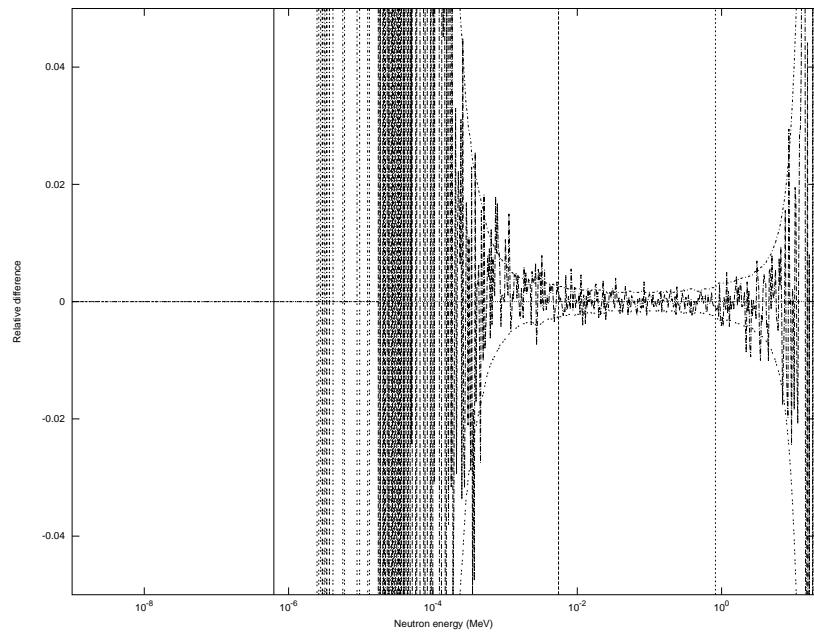


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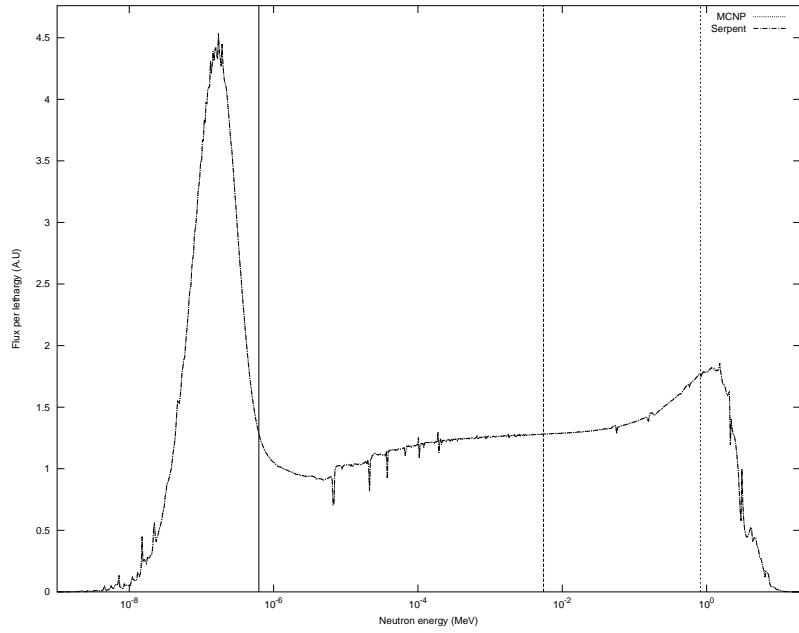


Figure 23. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry Prismatic HTGR fuel block.

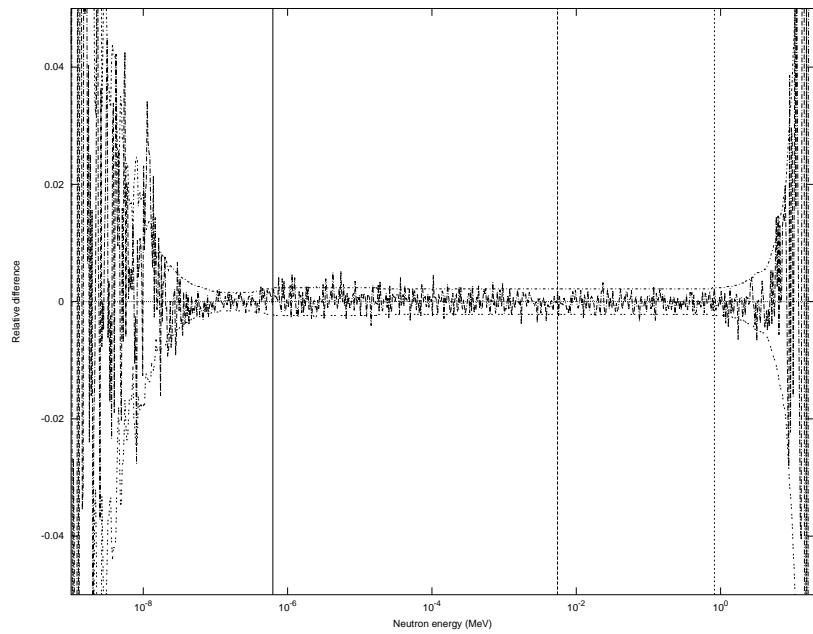


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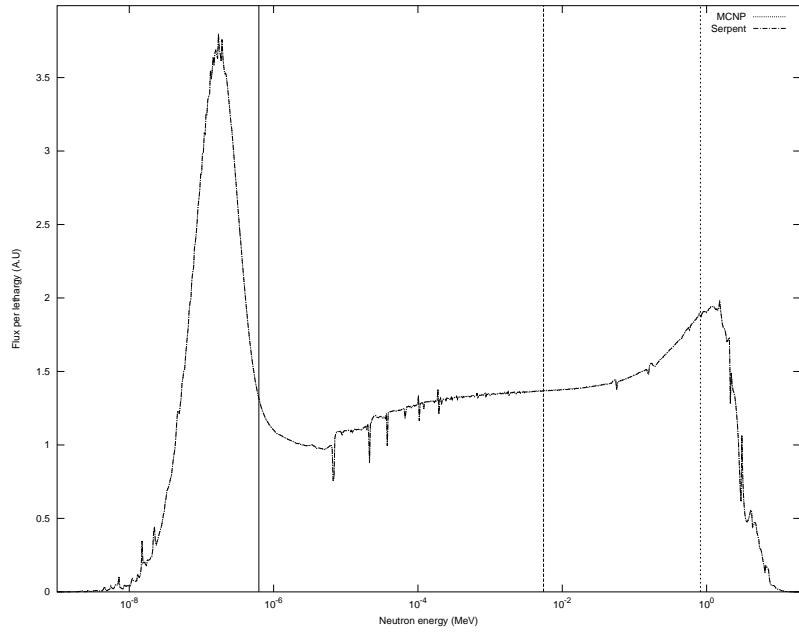


Figure 25. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry Prismatic HTGR fuel block + BP.

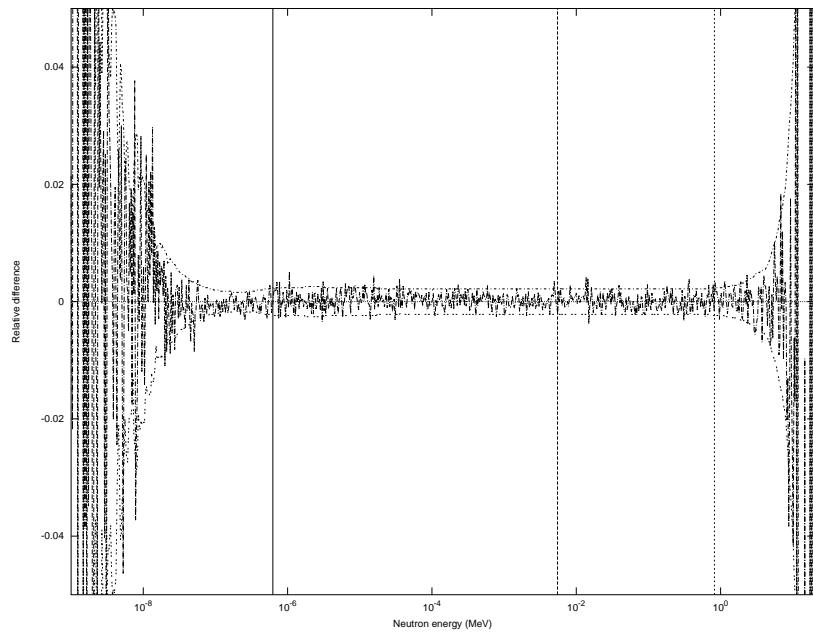


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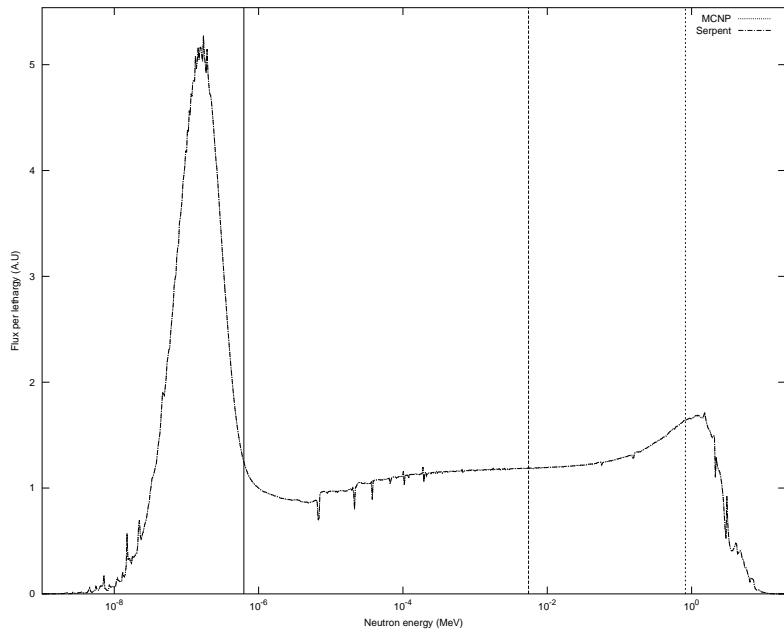


Figure 27. Flux spectra integrated over the entire geometry PBMR fuel pebble.

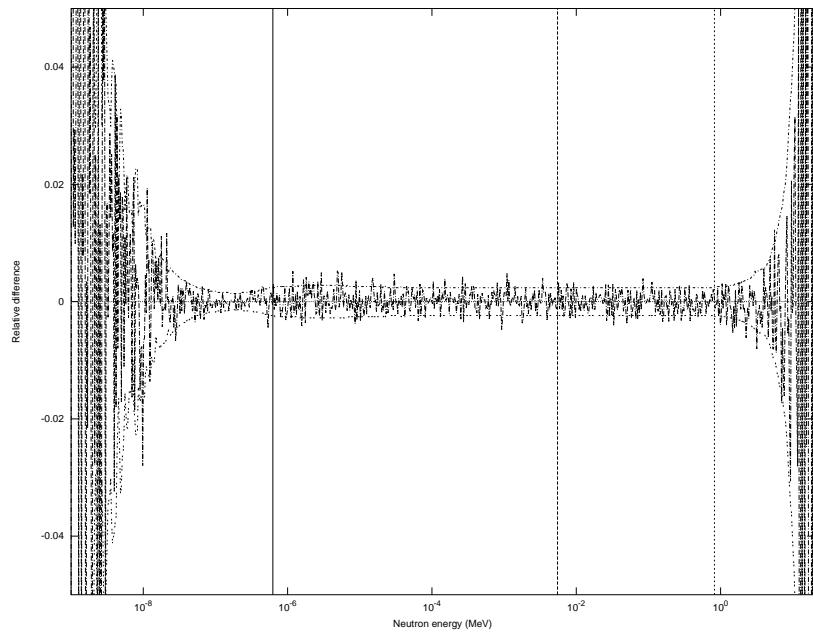


Figure 28. Relative differences between the two spectra Figure 27.