Session 2 Dose assessment of occupational radiation exposures Summary of Contributed Papers

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Introduction

- High interest in this session a total of 35 papers accepted
- Main areas covered
 - Dosimetry of external exposure (26 papers)
 - International guidance and standards (2 papers)
 - Secondary standards dosimetry laboratory (1 paper)
 - Development of dosemeters (4 papers)
 - (Type) Testing of dosemeters pulsed fields (4 papers)
 - Computational techniques (2 papers)
 - Intercomparison exercises (4 papers)
 - Extremity and eye-lens dosimetry (9 papers)
 - Dosimetry of internal exposure (6 papers)
 - Programmes to monitor occupationally exposed workers (3 papers)

External exposure (1)

- International guidance and standards
 - J. H. Garcia Alves et al., EURADOS WG02 Actions: Harmonization of Individual Monitoring in Europe
 - F. Wissmann et al., New ISO Standards for the Radiation Protection of Aircraft Crew
- Secondary standards dosimetry laboratory
 - *E. Caseria et al.*, Upgrading the National Radiation Standards for Protection Level Calibration at the Secondary Standard Dosimetry Laboratory(SSDL) in the Philippines

External exposure (2)

- Development of dosemeters
 - S. Baradaran et al., Comparison Of The Response and Behavior of TL Neutron - Gamma Dosimeters Used in Individual Dosimetry System for ²⁴¹Am-Be and ²⁵²Cf Sources
 - *M. Baptista de Freitas et al.*, A New Personal Dosimetry Badge Based on Combined Luminescence Techniques (TL and OSL)
 - *P. Antonio et al.*, Commercial TL and OSL Al2O3:C Detectors for Use in Beta Occupational Monitoring
 - J. T. Osko et al., Invention of Unique and Development of Routine Radiation Monitoring Techniques for Polish Nuclear Programme, Industry and Medicine

External exposure (3)

- (Type) Testing of dosemeters pulsed fields
 - H. Zutz et al., Can a Medical LINAC Be Used for Testing Radiation Protection Dosemeters?
 - S. Friedrich et al., Pulsed Radiation Facility with about 115 ns Pulse Durations
 - O. Hupe et al., Type Test Requirements and Reference Fields for Radiation Protection Dosimetry in Pulsed Radiation Fields
 - P. Papírník et al., Inaccuracy of Personal OSL Dosimeters in Interventional Radiology

External exposure (4)

- Computational techniques
 - P. Gyekye et al., Monte Carlo Investigation Into Scatter Radiation
 From CT Fluoroscopy Gantry: Effect on Staff Dose
 - E. Oyekunle et al., Total Reference Air Kerma as Dosimetric Parameter for Assessing Occupational Radiation Protection in Brachytherapy
- Intercomparison exercises
 - *M. Arib et al.*, Measurement of Personal Dose Equivalent Hp(10) in Photon Fields in the Africa Region
 - *M. Bero et al.*, Personal Dosemeters Performance Testing for Six
 Service Providers in Five Different Countries in Western Asia Region
 - *E. Fantuzzi et al.*, Gaps and Challenges in Neutron Personal Dosimetry: Intercomparisons and Applicable Criteria for Dosimetric Performance
 - V. Chumak et al., The First National Intercomparison of Whole Body Dosemeters in Photon Fields in Ukraine: Preliminary Results

Extremities and eye lens dosimetry (1)

- *R. Sapoi et al.*, Extremities and Eye Lens Dosimetry in Romania: Challenges and Developments
- V. Nilsson, Assessment of the Comformity of Dosimeters Used to Measure Dose to the Lens of the Eye - A Regulatory Approach
- A. Lima et al., Equivalent Dose Estimation of Eye Lens on Planned Exposure Situation of Industrial Gamma Radiography using the Visual Monte Carlo Brazilian Software
- L. Alejo Luque et al., Estimated Radiation Dose to the Eye Lens with Photoluminiscence Dosimeters
- Z. Cemusová et al., Angular Dependence of Two Different (LiF based)
 Eye Lens TL Dosimeters

Extremities and eye lens dosimetry (2)

- Z. Knezevic et al., Overview of the Activities on Occupational Dosimetry within EURADOS WG 12, Dosimetry in Medical Imaging
- J. Vinklář et al., The Possibility of Determining the Dose in the Lens of the Eye for Radiation Workers
- W. J. Chase et al., Implications of the New Lens Dose Limit for
 Dosimetry and Radiation Protection Programs at Nuclear Power Plants
- J. Sabol et al., Skin Exposure: A Specific Problem in Occupational Monitoring

Internal exposure

- International guidance and standards
 - *C. Challeton de Vathaire et al.,* Development of a Standard for the Monitoring and Internal Dosimetry of Exposed Workers of Nuclear Medicine
- In-vivo measurements whole-body counting
 - D. Franck et al., Development of a New Tool of Expertise for Internal Contamination Assessment of Nuclear Medicine Workers
 - M. A. Saizu, Internal Contamination Monitoring for Workers from Nuclear Facilities in IFIN-HH Romania - Current and Future Practices

Internal exposure (2)

- Computational techniques
 - *N. Helal et al.*, A Comparative Study between Mondal Software and a Constructed Model for Calculating Internal Exposure of some Radionuclides
 - *E. Davesne et al.*, OPSCI: Software to Optimize Individual Routine Monitoring Programme of Internal Contamination
- Accidents and events
 - *M. Zagyva*i *et al.*, Preliminary Investigations of an Occupational Am-241 Incorporation

Programmes to monitor occupationally exposed workers

- *F. Mihai et al.*, Doses Recorded through Occupational Exposures using two Enshrined Passive Dosimetry Methods and Personal Monitoring Option
- E. Okuno et al., Thirty Five Years of Occupational Individual Monitoring at University of S. Paulo
- S. Mikheenko et al., ARMIR: The System for Estimation of Radiological Risk from Occupational Exposure

Summary

- High interest in this session a total of 35 papers accepted
- Some challenges
 - Dosimetry in new medical procedures and techniques
 - Eye lens dosimetry
 - Dosimetry in pulsed fields

 Please go and see the posters and discuss with the authors!

Thank you!