

Title (en)

METHOD FOR CONTROLLING PRESSURE WAVES IN TARGETS OF SPALLATION NEUTRON SOURCES

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR BEHERRSCHUNG VON DRUCKWELLEN IN TARGETS VON SPALLATIONS-NEUTRONENQUELLEN

Title (fr)

PROCEDE DESTINE A CONTROLER DES ONDES DE PRESSION DANS DES CIBLES DE SOURCES DE NEUTRONS DE SPALLATION

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[origin: WO0187022A1] The invention relates to a method for producing neutrons with the aid of a spallation effect. The method includes the diversion of a partial cooling stream out of the main cooling stream and an acceleration of the partial cooling stream in such a manner that vapor bubbles are formed in the vacuum region produced by the acceleration, and after introduction into the main cooling stream, said vapor bubbles act upon generated pressure waves in an attenuating manner during the impingement of a proton beam.

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