analysis

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1 FIT01 for Fuel Cycle Simulation Reactor Depletion

- 1.0.1 This Functionality Isolation Test (FIT) is to test MOX fuel fabrication and depletion functionalities in a reactor module given streams of varying plutonium quality (different isotopics). The four streams are:
- 1.0.2 ref, source_1, source_2, and source_3.
- 1.0.3 ORION is used for this analysis, where a MOX LWR fabrication and reactor module is given four streams with varying plutonium stream.
- 1.0.4 The Fuel Loading Module (FLM) is the Fuel Fabrication facility in ORION, that uses cross sections and nu-bars to calculate how to mix the fissile and fertile stream. The datasets with _ff are ones using fixed fractions, which means that the FLM is not utilized.
- 1.0.5 Depletion is done using cross section data.
- 1.0.6 The fissile stream is plutonium and americium in different qualities.
- 1.0.7 The fertile stream is depleted uranium (0.238% U235).

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masses = lines[-1]
                masses = masses.split(',')[1:-1]
                masses = np.array([float(x) for x in masses])
                total_mass = sum(masses)
            comp_dict = {}
            for indx, val in enumerate(isotopes):
                comp_dict[val] = masses[indx] / total_mass * 100
            return comp_dict
In [4]: def show_fracs(comp_dict, search_list):
            filtered_dict = {}
            for key, val in comp_dict.items():
                for keyword in search_list:
                    if keyword.upper() in key:
                        if val < 1e-5:
                            continue
                        filtered_dict[key] = val
            return filtered_dict
In [5]: def get_am_pu(filtered_dict):
            am_pu = 0
            for key, val in filtered_dict.items():
                if 'AM' in key or 'PU' in key:
                    am_pu += val
            return am_pu
In [6]: def main(file_list):
            data = \{\}
            for file in file_list:
                comp_dict = get_comp_dict(file)
                frac_dict = show_fracs(comp_dict, ['U', 'NP', 'PU', 'AM'])
                am_pu = get_am_pu(frac_dict)
                filename = file.split('/')[-1]
                filename = filename.split('.csv')[0]
                data.update({filename:{'fraction': frac_dict, 'AM+PU': am_pu}})
            return data
In [7]: from os import listdir
        from os.path import isfile, join
        file_list = [f for f in listdir('./results') if isfile(join('./results', f))]
        file_list =['./results/' + x for x in file_list]
In [8]: data = main(file_list)
In [9]: # show all
        def show_data(data, must_word=''):
            for key, val in data.items():
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if must_word not in key:
                 continue
              print('======')
              print(key)
              for key2, val2 in val.items():
                 if key2 == 'fraction':
                     for key3, val3 in val2.items():
                        print('%s = %f' %(key3, val3))
                     print('%s = %f' %(key2, val2))
              print('======"')
              print('\n')
In [10]: # show all -> show_data(data)
       # show discharge only -> show_data(data, '_discharge')
        # show charge only -> show_data(data, '_charge')
        # show fixed fraction only -> show_data(data, '_ff')
       show_data(data)
pu_ref_charge_ff
U235 = 0.221340
U238 = 92.778666
PU238 = 0.280000
PU239 = 2.697098
PU240 = 1.719198
PU241 = 1.112999
PU242 = 0.894599
AM241 = 0.296100
AM+PU = 6.999994
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source_3_charge_ff
U235 = 0.221340
U238 = 92.778666
PU238 = 0.200900
PU239 = 3.289297
PU240 = 2.373698
PU241 = 0.317800
PU242 = 0.764399
AM241 = 0.053900
AM+PU = 6.999994
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source_2_discharge_ff

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AM241 = 0.081057

AM+PU = 6.165387

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U238 = 81.784715

NP237 = 0.000502

PU238 = 0.188455

PU239 = 3.183124

PU240 = 1.500244

PU241 = 0.636673

PU242 = 0.496106

AM241 = 0.160593

AM+PU = 6.165196

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pu_ref_discharge_ff
U234 = 0.004984
U235 = 0.195296

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source_3_discharge

U234 = 0.004984

U235 = 0.195296

U236 = 0.000420

U238 = 81.786515

NP237 = 0.001344

PU238 = 0.241615

PU239 = 2.377369

PU240 = 1.515079

PU241 = 0.861559

PU242 = 0.788606

AM241 = 0.378092

AM+PU = 6.162321
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1.1 major errors spotted:

1. The charge fuel composition does not change

- the Pu composition changes, obviously becasue the input stream is different.
- but the U composition does not, which means that the fuel fabrication is mixing the fuel at the same ratio
 - Maybe it's a cross section thing, so I tried using CASMO mox cross section file, still the same.
- 2. The depleted composition is different from excel
 - U238 drops down to ~80 percent
 - tried power density 10.13 W/g
 - 104.5 W/cc
 - · very minor differences across diff pu streams
 - the AM+PU is higher than excel