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Comparative Experimental Measurement Study of Void Fraction Using γ – Ray and Fast Neutrons

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ABSTRACT

In this work we did a comparison for measurement of void fraction for steady state between two methods using γ – Ray with different energies and fast neutrons. The relative percentage of measurement by using neutron is less than of using γ – Ray.

Keywords: γ – Ray, neutron.

.(Aslan, 1989)

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 (Reactivity)

.(Chen , 2001)

Compton - scattering

. Photoelectric Effect

Pair Production

I_0

Collimated beam

$$I = I_0 e^{-\mu x}$$

..... (1)

. X

μ

I

(I_L, I_G)

(2,1)

: (α)

$$\alpha = \frac{\ln I - \ln I_L}{\ln I_G - \ln I_L} \dots (2)$$

I_L
 I_G

(α) (2)

.(Chung, 2003)

$$\alpha = \frac{I - I_L}{I_G - I_L} \dots (3)$$

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(Hooker, 1958)

$$I = I_0 e^{-\sigma t x} \dots (4)$$

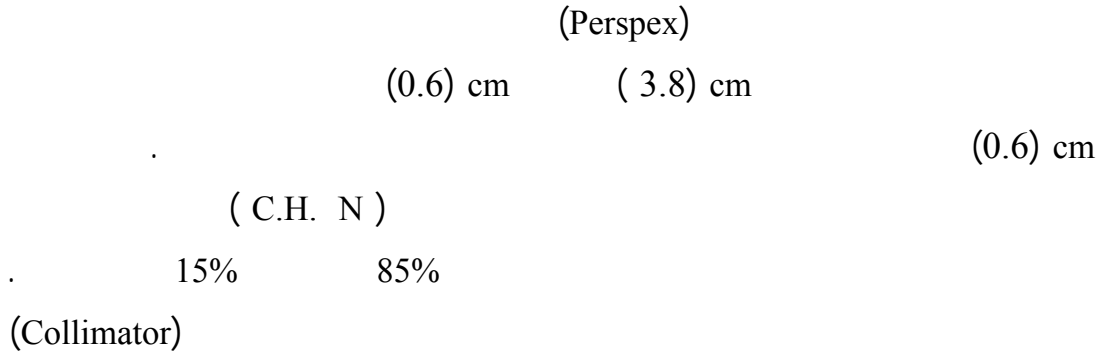
I_0

. (x) (σ_t)

.(0.025) MeV

.(Kendoush *et al.*, 1984) , (Salah, 1990)

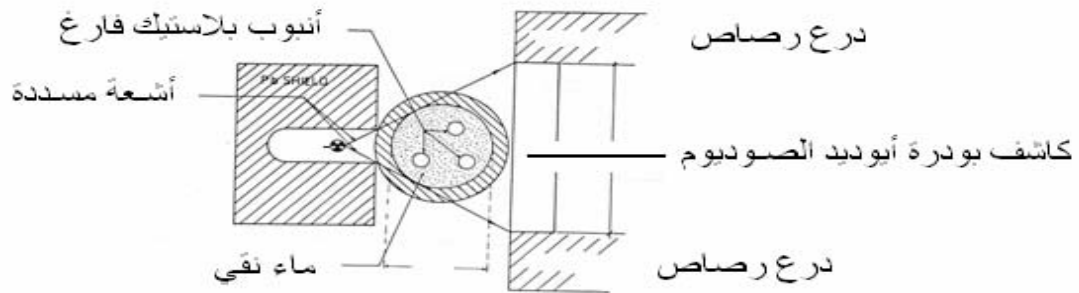
α_{actual}



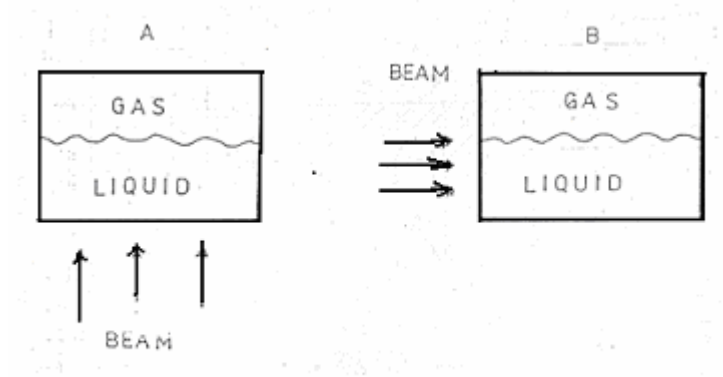
(3*3) cm :

BF₃

(1)



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137 -

(0.662MeV)

330 mCi

(Am - Be)

α_{actual}

(1)

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$$\frac{\Delta\alpha}{\alpha} \%$$

$$\frac{\Delta\alpha}{\alpha} \% = \frac{\alpha_{\text{exp}} - \alpha_{\text{act}}}{\alpha_{\text{act}}} * 100$$

(1)

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α_{act}	α_{exp}	$\% \frac{\Delta \alpha}{\alpha}$
0.124	0.174	39.6
0.373	0.439	17.5
0.498	0.545	9.3
0.626	0.657	5
0.750	0.766	2.04
0.850	0.862	1.4

(3)

α_{act}

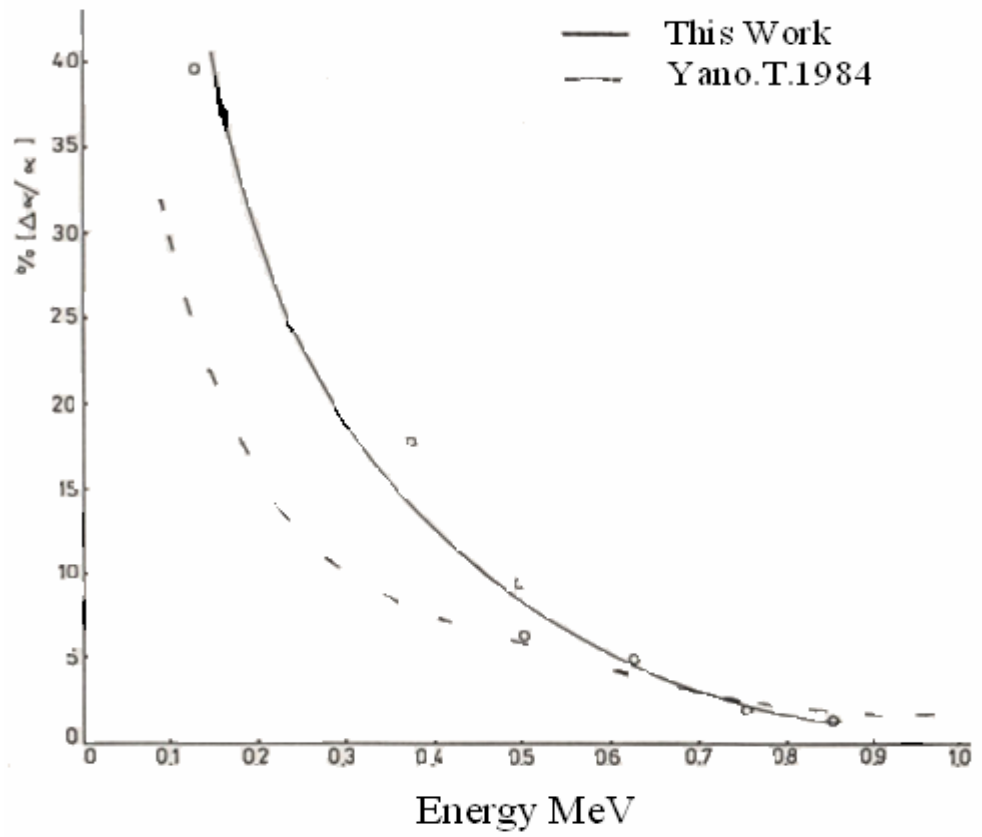
α_{act} -1

I_G -2

I_G I

$I \approx I_G$ $I_G > I_L$ $I > I_L$

α (2) -3



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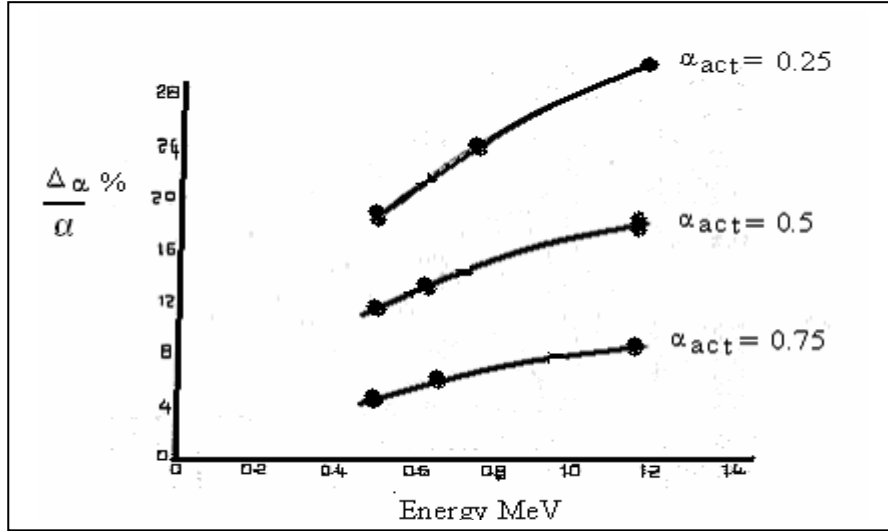
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α_{act}	α_{exp}	$\% \frac{\Delta \alpha}{\alpha}$	Energy MeV	Radioactive Source
0.25	0.297	19	0.511	Na ²²
	0.305	22.5	0.662	Cs ¹³⁷
	0.324	30	1.17	Co ⁶⁰
0.5	0.558	11.8	0.511	Na ²²
	0.569	14.1	0.662	Cs ¹³⁷
	0.599	18.2	1.17	Co ⁶⁰
0.75	0.787	4.8	0.511	Na ²²
	0.797	6.2	0.662	Cs ¹³⁷
	0.816	8.7	1.17	Co ⁶⁰

(4)

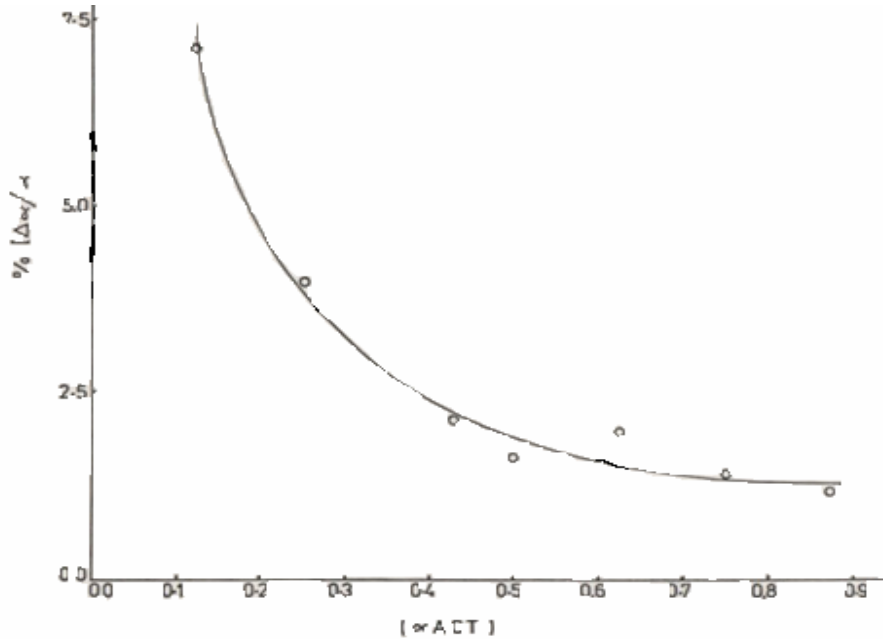
.(Kendoush, 1984) , (Salah, 1990)



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.(Yano, 1984)



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