

PRISM

GEH Sodium Fast Reactor



- Sodium-cooled fast reactor ... Generation IV
- 165 and 311 MWe options ... flexible
- Compact pool-type ... atmospheric, eliminates LOCA
- Passive safety ... air cooling
- Proven metal fuel ... inherently safe
- Superheated steam ...
 plant efficiency
- Modular design ... quality and efficiency
- High temp ... industrial process heat applications
- Fuel recycling application ... 99% fuel utilization

PRISM can recycle used nuclear fuel, generating electricity while reducing radiotoxicity from hundreds of thousands of years to hundreds of years, thereby reducing the footprint/cost of the geological repository.

PRISM Has Significant Design and Licensing Completed through Various Programs

Advanced Liquid Metal Reactor (ALMR, 1994-1995)

- PRISM design, initiated in the early 1980s, used as reference for DOE ALMR Program
- Submitted six-volume Preliminary Safety Information Document (PSID)
- NUREG 1368 NCR issued Preapplication Safety Evaluation Report ... "no obvious impediments to licensing"

Global Nuclear Energy Partnership (GNEP, 2007-2009)

• International cooperation program ... closing the fuel cycle

• Submitted PRISM preliminary Design Control Documents (DCD) which NRC docketed for training for advanced reactor licensing ... **"found to be of high technical quality**"

Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA, 2016)/Licensing Modernization Program (LMP, 2018)

- GEH developed PRISM PRA with Argonne National Laboratory (ANL)
- PRISM PRA used for table-top demonstration of Southern-led, DOEsupported, risk-informed licensing approach for Gen IV reactors

The PRISM Reactor Can Produce up to **100x More Power** per Unit of Fuel, Compared to Conventional Reactors

PRISM Power Block

- 1. Steam Generator
- 2. Reactor Vessel Auxiliary Cooling System
- 3. Refueling Enclosure Building
- 4. Steam Tunnel to Turbine
- 5. Reactor Protection System Modules
- 6. Seismic Isolation Bearing
- 7. Reactor Module
- 8. Primary Electromagnetic Pump
- 9. Reactor Core
- 10. Intermediate Heat Exchangers
- 11. Lower Containment Vessel
- 12. Upper Containment Building
- 13. Sodium Dump Tank
- 14. Intermediate Heath Transfer System
- 15. Steam Outlet Piping
- 16. Feedwater Return Piping





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