

International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)

IAEA was founded in 1957, and has been headquartered in Vienna, Austria since that time. The supreme body of IAEA is the General Conference which meets annually. Its Board of Governors meets more often. IAEA sponsors other conferences and seminars on specific topics as necessary.

Founding of IAEA

1st UN International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy, Geneva, Switzerland, 8-20 Aug. 1955

This is listed under UN Conferences as 1955/6. This conference proposed the formation of IAEA and prepared a draft Statute of the Agency.

F.1 Committee to Prepare IAEA Statute, Washington, DC, Approved 18 Apr. 1956

F.2 Conference on the Statute of IAEA, United Nations, NY, 20 Sep.-24 Oct. 1956

F.3 Preparatory Commission of IAEA, United Nations, NY, Began meeting immediately after Conference.

IAEA General Conferences

GC.1 1st, Vienna, Austria, 1-23 Oct. 1957



H1. Type 1



H1. Type 2

Observed 1-25 Oct. 1957, #'s 1-16

Type 1- "1" has long serif, "5" has short top; Type 2- "1" has short serif, "5" has longer top. Also "7" down stroke is sloped more on Type 1.



E1. "Sonderpostamt"



Service cover from Conference, 16 Oct. 1957

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IAEA General Conferences, continued

GC.2 2nd, Vienna, Austria, 22 Sep.-4 Oct. 1958



H1. Type 1 H1. Type 2

Observed 22 Sep.-4 Oct. 1958, #'s 1-8

Number shapes are different in the date. Note rounded edge on "2" in Type 1 and sharp edge on Type 2. Bottom loop on "5" is smaller on Type 1. Top loop on "9" is smaller on Type 1.



E1. Sonderpostamt

Philatelic cover, \$6; Registry label, add \$8

GC.3 3rd, Vienna, Austria, 21 Sep.-3 Oct. 1959



H1. Type 1 H1. Type 2

Observed 21 Sep.-3 Oct. 1959, #'s 1-5

Numbers are smaller in Type 1 than in Type 2

Philatelic cover, \$6

GC.4 4th, Vienna, Austria, 19 Sep.-1 Oct. 1960



H1. Type 1 H1. Type 2

Obs. 19 Sep.-1 Oct. 1960. #'s 1-5

Type 1- "1" has longer serif, bottom of "9" is curved.
Type 2- "1" has short serif, bottom of "9" is straight



Registry Label

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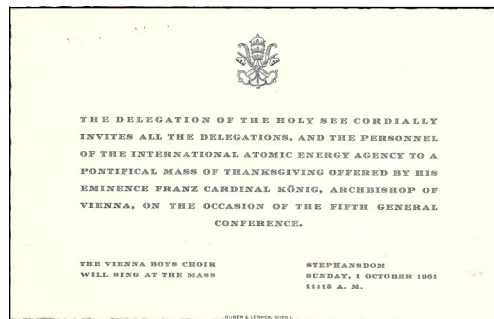
GC.5 5th, Vienna, Austria, 26 Sep.-2 Oct. 1961



H1. Observed 25 Sep.-6 Oct. 1961, #'s 1-5



International Reply Coupon



Invitation from Vatican Delegation



Service cover to UN in New York, 6 Oct. 1961

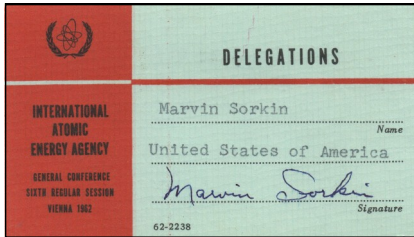
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IAEA General Conferences, continued

GC.6 6th, Vienna, Austria, 17-28 Sep. 1962



H1. Obs. 1-28 Sep. 1962 #’s 1-6, 8
E1. “Sonderpostamt”



Delegate ID Card

Philatelic cover, \$6; Registry label, add \$6

GC.7 7th, Vienna, Austria, 24 Sep.– 1 Oct. 1963



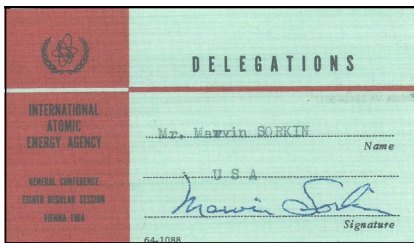
H1. Obs. 23 Sep.-4 Oct. 1964, #’s 1-5,7-10,12-13

Philatelic cover, \$6

GC.8 8th, Vienna, Austria, 14-18 Sep. 1964



H1. Obs. 14-19 Sep. 1964, #’s 1,3-7,10-12,14-20



Delegate ID Card

Philatelic cover, \$6

GC.9 9th, Tokyo, Japan, 21-28 Sep. 1965



Japan issued Sc. 848 on 21 Sep. 1965 H1. Red, Obs. 21 Sep. 1965

Philatelic cover, \$4

GC.10 10th, Vienna, Austria, 21-28 Sep. 1966



H1.
Type 1 H1. Type 2
Obs. 21-27 Sep. 1966, #’s 1-6
Type 1– in date, “1” has long serifs, Type 2-”1” has short serif,
Type 2 date has greater spaces between “.” and number.

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IAEA General Conferences, continued

GC.11 11th, Vienna, Austria, 26 Sep.-2 Oct. 1967



H1. Obs. 26 Sep.-3 Oct. 1967, #'s 1-4

Philatelic cover, \$6

GC.12 12th, Vienna, Austria, 24-30 Sep. 1968

GC.13 13th, Vienna, Austria, 23-29 Sep. 1969



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GC.14 14th, Vienna, Austria, 22-28 Sep. 1970

GC.15 15th, Vienna, Austria, 21-27 Sep. 1971



C1.

Philatelic Cover, \$6

GC.16 16th, Mexico City, Mexico, 26 Sep.-3 Oct. 1972



Mexico issued Sc.#C406 on 3 Oct. 1972

Philatelic cover, \$4



H1. First Day 3 Oct. 1972

GC.17 17th, Vienna, Austria, 18-24 Sep. 1973
GC.18 18th, Vienna, Austria, 16-20 Sep. 1974
GC.19 19th, Vienna, Austria, 22-26 Sep. 1975

GC.20 20th, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 21-27 Sep. 1976



Brazil issued Sc. #1475 on 21 Sep. 1976

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H1. Obs. 21-27 Sep. 1976

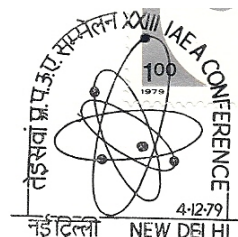
GC.21 21st, Vienna, Austria, 26-30 Sep. 1977

GC.22 22nd, Vienna, Austria, 19-22 Sep. 1978

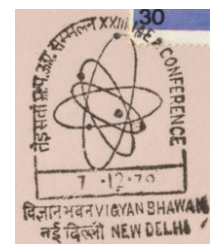
GC.23 23rd, New Delhi, India, 4-10 Dec. 1979



India issued Sc. #833 on 4 Dec. 1979



H1. Obs. 4 Dec. 1979



H2. Obs. 6-7 Dec. 1979

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IAEA General Conferences, continued

- GC.24 24th, Vienna, Austria, 22-26 Sep. 1980
- GC.25 25th, Vienna, Austria, 21-26 Sep. 1981
- GC.26 26th, Vienna, Austria, 20-24 Sep. 1982
- GC.27 27th, Vienna, Austria, 10-14 Oct. 1983
- GC.28 28th, Vienna, Austria, 24-28 Sep. 1984
- GC.29 29th, Vienna, Austria, 23-27 Sep. 1985
- GC.29.1 1st Special, Vienna, Austria, 24-27 Sep. 1986
- GC.30 30th, Vienna, Austria, 29 Sep.-3 Oct. 1986

GC.31 31st, Vienna, Austria, 21-25 Sep. 1987



H1. UN-Vienna, Obs.

21-25 Sep. 1987

Philatelic cover, \$5

GC.32 32nd, Vienna, Austria, 19-23 Sep. 1988



H1. UN-Vienna,
Obs. 19-23 Sep. 1988

Registry label

Philatelic cover, \$5; Registry label, add \$3

CG.33 33rd, Vienna Austria, 25-29 Sep. 1989



H1. UN-Vienna, Obs. 25-29 Sep. 1989

Philatelic cover, \$5

GC.34 34th, Vienna, Austria, 17-21 Sep. 1990



H1. UN-Vienna,
Obs. 17-21 Sep. 1990

Registry label

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GC.35 35th, Vienna, Austria, 16-20 Sep. 1991

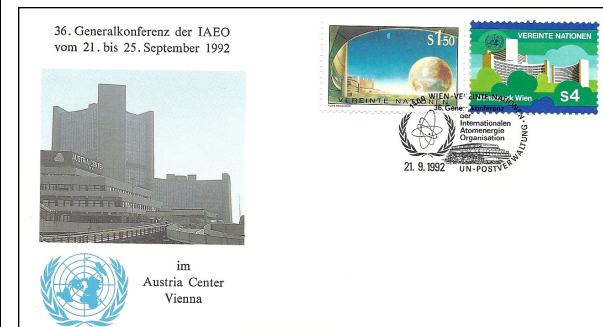
GC.36 36th, Vienna, Austria, 21-25 Sep. 1992



H1. UN-Vienna, Obs. 21-25 Sep. 1992



Registry label



Special UNPA cover for Conference, 21 Sep. 1992

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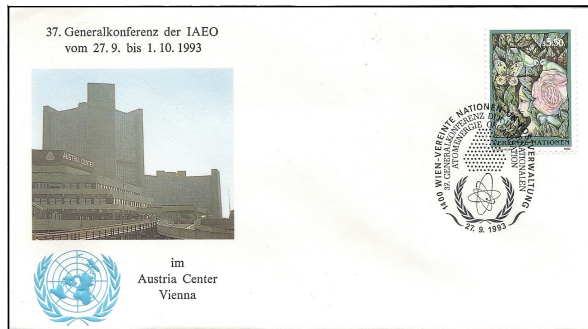
IAEA General Conferences, continued

GC.37 37th, Vienna, Austria, 27 Sep.-1 Oct. 1993



H1. UN-Vienna
Obs. 27 Sep.-1 Oct. 1993

Registry label



Special UNPA cover for Conference, 27 Sep. 1993

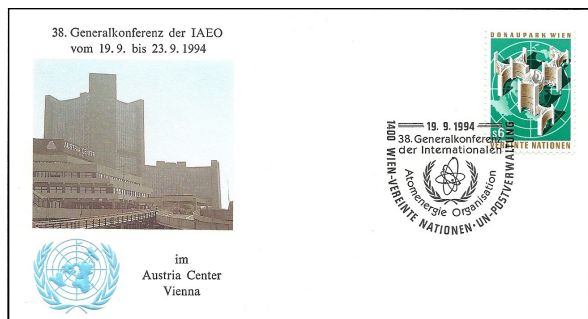
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GC.38 38th, Vienna, Austria, 19-23 Sep. 1994



H1. UN-Vienna
Obs. 19-23 Sep. 1994

Registry label



Special UNPA cover for Conference, 19 Sep. 1994

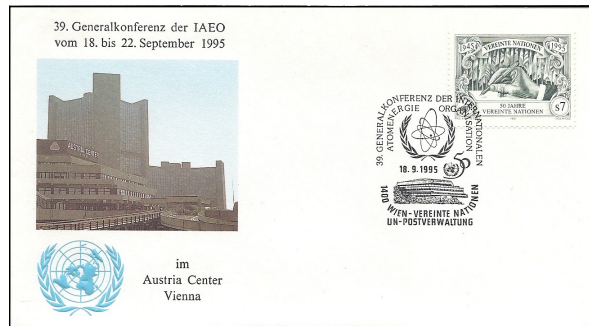
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GC.39 39th, Vienna, Austria, 18-22 Sep. 1995



H1. UN-Vienna,
Obs. 18-22 Sep. 1995

Registry label



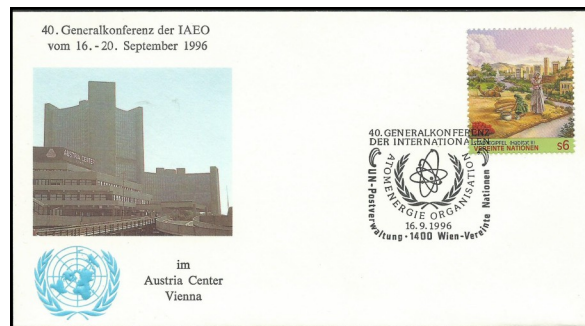
Special UNPA cover for Conference, 18 Sep. 1995

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GC.40 40th, Vienna, Austria, 16-20 Sep. 1996



H1. UN-Vienna, Obs. 16-20 Sep. 1996



Special UNPA cover for Conference, 16 Sep. 1996

Philatelic cover, \$4; Special cover, \$6

IAEA General Conferences, continued

GC.41 41st, Vienna, Austria, 29 Sep.-3 Oct. 1997

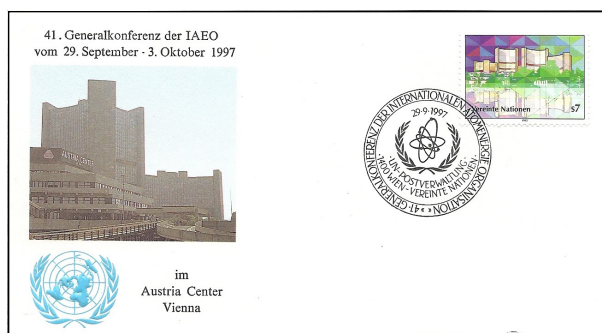


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H1. UN-Vienna,
Obs. 29 Sep.-3 Oct. 1997

Registry label



Special UNPA cover for Conference, 29 Sep. 1997

Philatelic cover, \$4; Special cover, \$6; Registry label, add \$3

- GC.42 42nd, Vienna, Austria, 21-25 Sep. 1998
- GC.43 43rd, Vienna, Austria, 27 Sep.-1 Oct. 1999
- GC.44 44th, Vienna, Austria, 18-22 Sep. 2000
- GC.45 45th, Vienna, Austria, 17-21 Sep. 2001
- GC.46 46th, Vienna, Austria, 16-20 Sep. 2002
- GC.47 47th, Vienna, Austria, 15-19 Sep. 2003
- GC.48 48th, Vienna, Austria, 20-24 Sep. 2004
- GC.49 49th, Vienna, Austria, 26-30 Sep. 2005
- GC.50 50th, Vienna, Austria, 19-21 Sep. 2006
- GC.51 51st, Vienna, Austria, 17-21 Sep. 2007
- GC.52 52nd, Vienna, Austria, 29 Sep.-4 Oct. 2008
- GC.53 53rd, Vienna, Austria, 14-18 Sep. 2009
- GC.54 54th, Vienna, Austria, 20-24 Sep. 2010
- GC.55 55th, Vienna, Austria, 19-23 Sep. 2011

Other IAEA Conferences

1959/1 IAEA/WHO Seminar on Medical Radioisotope Scanning, Vienna, 25-27 Feb. 1959



1959 IAEA metered card with image of publication on seminar

Seminar publication card, \$10

1960/1 Conference on Radioisotopes on the Physical Sciences & Industry (IAEA/UNESCO), Copenhagen, Denmark, 6-17 Sep. 1960



H1. Obs. 5-17 Sep. 1960

Philatelic cover, \$12

1960/2 IAEA/IMCO Symposium on Nuclear Ship Propulsion, Taormina, Italy, 14-18 Nov. 1960



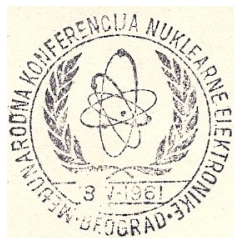
H1. Obs. 14 Nov. 1960

Philatelic cover, \$6

1961/1 International Conference on Nuclear Electronics, Belgrade, Yugoslavia, 15-20 May 1961



Yugoslavia issued Sc.# 596 on 15 May 1960



H1. Obs. 15-18 May 1960

Philatelic cover, \$6

1961/2 1st International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Salzburg, Austria, Sep. 1961

1962/1 Symposium on Radiation Damage in Solids & Reactor Materials, Venice, Italy, 7-11 May 1962



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Service cover from Symposium, 10 May 1962

Service cover, \$50

1964/1 IAEA/FAO Symposium on Radioisotopes in Animal Nutrition and Physiology, Prague, Czechoslovakia, 23-27 Nov. 1964



H1. Obs. 27 Nov. 1964

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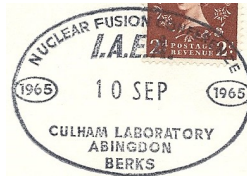
1965/1 Symposium on Isotopes & Radiation in Soil-Plant Nutrition Studies (IAEA/Turkish AEC/FAO), Ankara, Turkey, 28 Jun.-2 Jul. 1965



H1. Obs. 28 Jun. 1965

Philatelic cover, \$12

1965/2 2nd Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Culham Laboratory, Abingdon, England, 5-10 Sep. 1965



H1. Obs. 6-10 Sep. 1965

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Other IAEA Conferences, continued

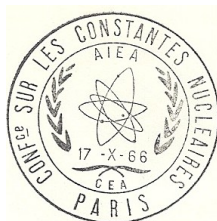
1965/3 Symposium on Criticality Control of Fissile Materials, Stockholm, Sweden, 1-5 Nov. 1965



H1. Obs. 1 Nov. 1965

Philatelic cover, \$6

1966/1 1st International Conference on Nuclear Data: Microscopic Cross-Sections & Other Data Basic to Reactors, Paris, France, 17-21 Oct. 1966



H1. Obs. 17-20 Oct. 1966

Philatelic cover, \$6

1968/1 3rd International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Novosibirsk, USSR, 1-7 Aug. 1968

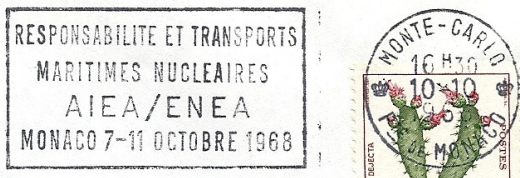
1968/2 Symposium on Medical Radioisotope Scintigraphy, Salzburg, Austria, 6-15 Aug. 1968



H1. Obs. 15 Aug. 1968

Philatelic cover, \$8

1968/3 Symposium on Liability Insurance & Maritime Transport of Nuclear Substances, Monte Carlo, Monaco, 7-11 Oct. 1968



M1. Publicity, Obs. 10-16 Oct. 1968

Philatelic cover, \$10

1969/1 Symposium on the Performance of Nuclear Power Reactor Components, Prague, Czechoslovakia, 10-14 Nov. 1969



H1. Obs. 14 Nov. 1969

Philatelic cover, \$6

1970/1 2nd International Conference on Nuclear Data for Reactors, Helsinki, Finland, 15-19 Jun. 1970



Finland issued Sc.#494 on 15 Jun. 1970



H1. Obs. 15 Jun. 1970

Philatelic cover, \$4

1971/1 4th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Madison, WI, USA, 17-23 Jun. 1971

1974/1 Symposium on Formation of Nuclear Ore Deposits (IAEA/Greek AEC), Athens, Greece, 6-10 May 1974



H1. Obs. 9 May 1974

Philatelic cover, \$6

1974/2 5th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Tokyo, Japan, 11-15 Nov. 1974



H1. Red, Obs. 10 Nov. 1974

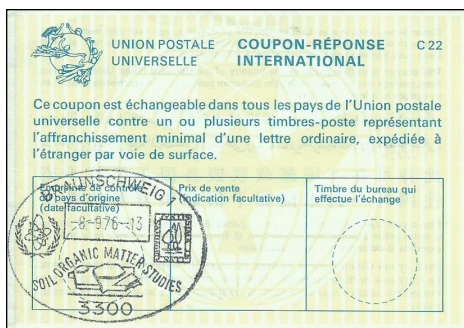
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Other IAEA Conferences

1976/1 International Symposium on Soil Organic Matter Studies (FAO/IAEA, Agrochimica), Braunschweig, West Germany, 6-10 Sep. 1976



H1. Obs. 5-11 Sep. 1976 E1. Red Imprint "Sonderpostamt"



IRC1.

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1976/2 6th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Berchtesgaden, West Germany, 6-13 Oct. 1976

1978/1 7th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Innsbruck, Austria, 23-30 Aug. 1978

1979/1 International Symposium on Uranium Evaluation and Mining Techniques, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 1-4 Oct. 1979



H1. Obs. 1 Oct. 1979

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1980/1 8th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Brussels, Belgium, 1-10 Jul. 1980

1980/2 International Conference on Current Nuclear Plant Safety Issues, Stockholm, Sweden, 20-24 Oct. 1980

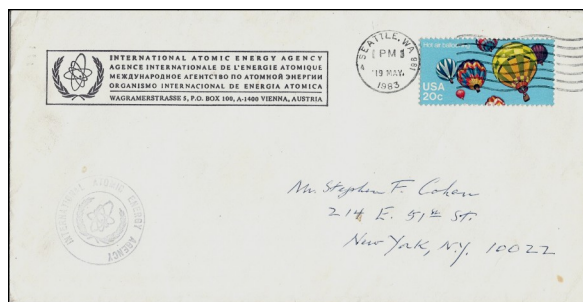


H1. Obs. 20 Oct. 1980

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1982/1 9th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Baltimore, MD, USA. 1-8 Sep. 1982

1983/1 International Conference on Radioactive Waste Management, Seattle, WA, USA, 16-20 May 1983



Service cover, 19 May 1983

Service cover, \$20

1984/1 10th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, London, England, 12-19 Sep. 1984

1986/1 11th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Kyoto, Japan, 13-20 Nov. 1986

1987/1 International Conference on Nuclear Power, Performance & Safety, Vienna, Austria, 28 Sep.-2 Oct. 1987



H1. Obs. 28 Sep.-2 Oct. 1987

Philatelic cover, \$5

1988/1 12th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Nice, France, 12-19 Nov. 1988

1990/1 13th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Washington, DC, USA, 1-6 Oct. 1990

1992/1 14th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Würzburg, Germany, 30 Sep.-1 Oct. 1992

Other IAEA Conferences, continued

1996/1 International Conference “One Decade after Chernobyl: Summing up the Consequences of the Accident”, Vienna, Austria, 8-12 Apr. 1996



HI. UN-Vienna
Obs. 8-12 Apr. 1996

Registry label



Special Cover for Conference, 12 Apr. 1996

Philatelic cover, \$4; Special cover, \$6; Registry label, add \$2

1996/2 16th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Montreal, Canada, 7-11 Oct. 1996

1998/1 17th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Yokohama, Japan, 19-24 Oct. 1998

1998/2 International Symposium on Marine Pollution, Monte Carlo, Monaco, 5-9 Oct. 1998



Monaco issued Sc.#2093 on 4 Sep. 1998

1998/3 Symposium on Evolutionary Water Cooled Reactors, Seoul, Korea, 30 Nov.-4 Dec. 1998

1999/1 International Symposium on Isotope Techniques in Water Resource Development & Management, Vienna, 10-14 May 1999
1999/2 International Symposium on Research Reactor Utilization, Safety & Management, Lisbon, Portugal, 6-10 Sep. 1999
1999/3 International Symposium on Technologically Enhanced Natural Radiation, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 12-17 Sep. 1999

2000/1 International Symposium in the Uranium Production Cycle & the Environment, Vienna, 2-6 Oct. 2000
2000/2 18th International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Sorrento, Italy, 4-10 Oct. 2000
2000/3 International Symposium on Nuclear Techniques in Integrated Plant Nutrient, Water & Soil Management, Vienna, Austria, 16-20 Oct. 2000
2000/4 International Symposium on Radiation Technology in Emerging Industrial Applications, Beijing, China, 6-10 Nov. 2000

2001/1 International Conference on the Study of Environmental Change using Isotope Techniques, Vienna, Austria, 23-27 Apr. 2001
2001/2 International Conference on Security of Nuclear Material, Stockholm, Sweden, 7-11 May 2001
2001/3 International Conference on Nuclear Safety, Vienna, Austria, 3-6 Sep. 2001
2001/4 International Conference on Management of Radioactive Wastes from Non-Power Applications, Malta, 5-9 Nov. 2001
2001/5 International Symposium on Utilization of Accelerators, Sao Paulo, Brazil, 26-30 Nov. 2001

2002/1 3rd International Symposium on Protection of the Environment from Ionizing Radiation, Darwin, Australia, 22-26 Jul. 2002
2002/2 International Conference on Occupational Radiation Protection, Geneva, Switzerland, 26-30 Aug. 2002
2002/3 International Conference on Safe Decommissioning for Nuclear Activities, Berlin, Germany, 14-18 Oct. 2002
2002/4 International Conference on Plasma Physics & Controlled Nuclear Fusion Research, Lyon, France, 14-19 Oct. 2002
2002/5 International Conference on Destructive & Non-destructive Analysis for Environmental Monitoring & Nuclear Forensics, Karlsruhe, Germany, 21-23 Oct. 2002
2002/6 International Symposium on Nuclear Power Plant Life Management, Budapest, Hungary, 4-8 Nov. 2002
2002/7 International Symposium on Standards & Codes of Practice in Medical Radiation Dosimetry, Vienna, Austria, 25-28 Nov. 2002
2002/8 International Conference on Radioactive Waste Management, Vienna, Austria, 9-13 Dec. 2002

2003/1 International Conference on Security of Radioactive Sources, Vienna, Austria, 10-13 Mar. 2003
2003/2 International Conference on Storage of Spent Fuel from Power Reactors, Vienna, Austria, 2-6 Jun. 2003
2003/3 International Conference on Innovative Technologies for Nuclear Fuel Cycles & Nuclear Power, Vienna, 23-26 Jun. 2003
2003/4 International Conference on the Safety of Transport of Radioactive Material, Vienna, 7-11 Jul. 2003
2003/5 International Conference on National Infrastructures for Radiation Safety, Rabat, Morocco, 1-5 Sep. 2003
2003/6 International Conference on Protection of the Environment from the Effects of Ionizing Radiation, Stockholm, Sweden, 6-10 Oct. 2003
2003/7 International Conference on Research Reactor Utilization, Safety, Decommissioning, Fuel & Waste Management, Santiago, Chile, 10-14 Nov. 2003

Other IAEA Conferences

2004/1 International Conference on Naturally Occurring Radioactive Materials, Szczyrk, Poland, 17-31 May 2004

2004/2 International Conference on Managing Nuclear Knowledge, Saclay, France, 7-10 Sep. 2004

2005/3 International Conference on Isotopes in Environmental Studies, Monaco, 25-29 Oct. 2004

2004/4 20th IAEA Fusion Energy Conference, Vilamoura, Portugal, 1-6 Nov. 2004

2004/5 International Symposium on the Disposal of Low Activity Radioactive Waste, Cordoba, Spain, 13-17 Dec. 2004

2005/1 International Conference on Nuclear Security, London, England, 16-18 Mar. 2005

2005/2 International Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Energy in the 21st Century, Paris, France, 21-22 Mar. 2005

2005/3 International Conference on Chernobyl, Vienna, Austria, 6-7 Sep. 2005

2005/4 International Symposium on Trends in Radiopharmaceuticals, Vienna, Austria, 14-18 Nov. 2005

2006/1 21st IAEA Fusion Energy Conference, Chengdu, China, 10-21 Oct. 2006

2007/1 International Symposium on Naturally Occurring Radioactive Material, Seville, Spain, 19-22 Mar. 2007

2007/2 International Symposium in Nuclear Power Life Management, Shanghai, China, 15-18 Oct. 2007

2007/3 International Conference on Illicit Nuclear Trafficking, Edinburgh, Scotland, 19-22 Nov. 2007

2008/1 22nd IAEA Fusion Energy Conference, Geneva, Switzerland, 13-18 Oct. 2008

2008/2 12th Congress of International Radiation Protection Association (IAEA, WHO), Buenos Aires, Argentina, 19-24 Oct. 2008

2009/1 International Conference on Inadvertent Radioactive Material in Scrap Material, Tarragona, Spain, 23-27 Feb. 2009

2009/2 International Conference on Radiation Oncology, Vienna, Austria, 27-29 Apr. 2009

2009/3 International Conference on Water-Cooled Reactors in the 21st Century, Vienna, Austria, 27-30 Oct. 2009

2009/4 International Conference on Effective Nuclear Regulating Systems, Cape Town, South Africa, 14-18 Dec. 2009

2010/1 International Symposium on Naturally Occurring Radioactive Material, Marrakech, Morocco, 22-26 Mar. 2010

2010/2 23rd IAEA Fusion Energy Conference, Daejeon, Korea, 11-16 Oct. 2010

2012/1 24th IAEA Fusion Energy Conference, San Diego, CA, USA, 8-13 Oct. 2012