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# Laboratory and calculation exercise database available from NucWik

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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The NucWik wiki database (<u>http://nucwik.wikispaces.com/</u>) was established as Deliverable 3.1 of WP3 of the CINCH-II project. To demonstrate NucWik's potential and intended use, examples of calculation and laboratory exercises have been uploaded to NucWik – this constitutes Deliverable 1.6.



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# **1 INTRODUCTION**

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The welcome page of NucWik is shown below:

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Pages and Files	Welcome to NucWik!					
La Members						
Search	Welcome to the NucWik site for teaching material for Nuclear and					
NucWik Main Pages: <ul> <li>Textbook</li> <li>Laboratory Exercises</li> <li>Calculation Exercises</li> <li>RoboLab Exercises</li> </ul>	Radiochemistry. Everybody is welcome to use this wiki, but it's primarily aimed at teaching at Universities. At NucWik you will find <i>ready made</i> texts, explanations, illustrations, calculation exercises, laboratory exercises, etc. to help you in teaching Nuclear and Radiochemistry (NRC). As it is a <i>wiki</i> , we also hope that you will help us to develop even more and better material!					
<ul> <li>Topics List</li> <li>Special Links:</li> <li>The CINCH Project </li> <li>Old NukWik server at UiO </li> </ul>	This Wiki is open access, but if you want to contribute you must register as a user (it's free and we will not distribute your e-mail address to others). We strongly urge you to contribute, the usefulness and quality of NucWik depend on as many people as possible contribute - help yourself and us to enhance the quality of our teaching!					
	NucWik was created as part of the CINCH EU-proje	ct for evaluating and planing				

This deliverable (1.6) has uploaded examples of teaching material under submenu "Laboratory Exercises" and "Calculation Exercises". Details of the uploaded material are provided in the chapters below.

NucWik is an "open source" and freely available database (wiki), there is no restrictions on reading rights. However, to upload material users have to register. In this way the author of all NucWik material will be known. Readers who discovers errors or want to give feedback can however do this through the discussion page that are associated to each NucWik document/page. It is not necessary to be a registered user in order to write on the discussion pages.

In order to have some method of quality control and thus be able to guarantee that given documents (e.g. exercises) meet a basic standard and contains scientifically accurate material, a review system needs to be implemented. For NucWik this is done by having two different types of documents:

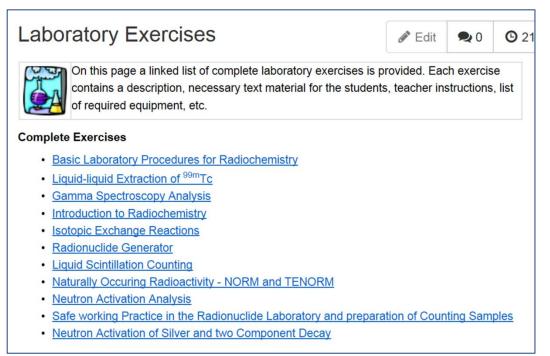
- basic documents written by anyone who has been granted write-access rights and
- "CINCH approved" documents which has been peer reviewed.

A group of peer reviewers (both from within and outside the CINCH collaboration) will be put together to review selected or submitted pages for "CINCH approval". So far, no documents have reached a stage where CINCH approval has been granted. This will be done during the upcoming months where we promote NucWik, train and enlist users, etc.



# 1.1 Uploaded Laboratory Exercises

Laboratory exercises, based on teaching material available from UiO courses, were uploaded, as listed in the screen shot below – in total 11 different exercises.



The completeness of material is varying, e.g. teacher instructions still need to be written for many of the exercises. However, as an example on how to use the Wiki the material is very suitable and the missing parts will be used to illustrate how NucWik can be used for shared development and collaborative work. In the planed training courses (based on Deliverable 4.3) we will seek to enlist users that can contribute to completing the listed exercises and contribute with new ones.

## **1.2 Uploaded Calculation Exercises**

Calculation exercises, again based on teaching material from UiO courses, were uploaded in a similar way as the Laboratory Exercises mentioned in the previous chapter. The exercises are currently grouped according to the following subjects:

Exercises with the Chart of Nuclides Exercises Mother Daughter Relations and Equilibrium Exercises with Amount of Radioactive Material (number of nuclei, number of moles, weight) and the Law of Radioactive Decay Exercises with Mass, Binding Energy and the Liquid Drop Model Exercises with Particles and Nuclear Reactions Exercises with Fission and Nuclear Reactors Exercises with Radiation Dosage and Radiation Protection

All exercises have complete solution sets (provided in a separate document).



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## 2 CONCLUSIONS

As intended for Deliverable 1.6 (WP1 task 2), sufficient laboratory and calculation exercises were uploaded to NucWik to demonstrate the usefulness and purpose of NucWik.

