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Providing access to Atomic, Molecular, Nuclear and Surface (AMNS) Data for ITM Codes

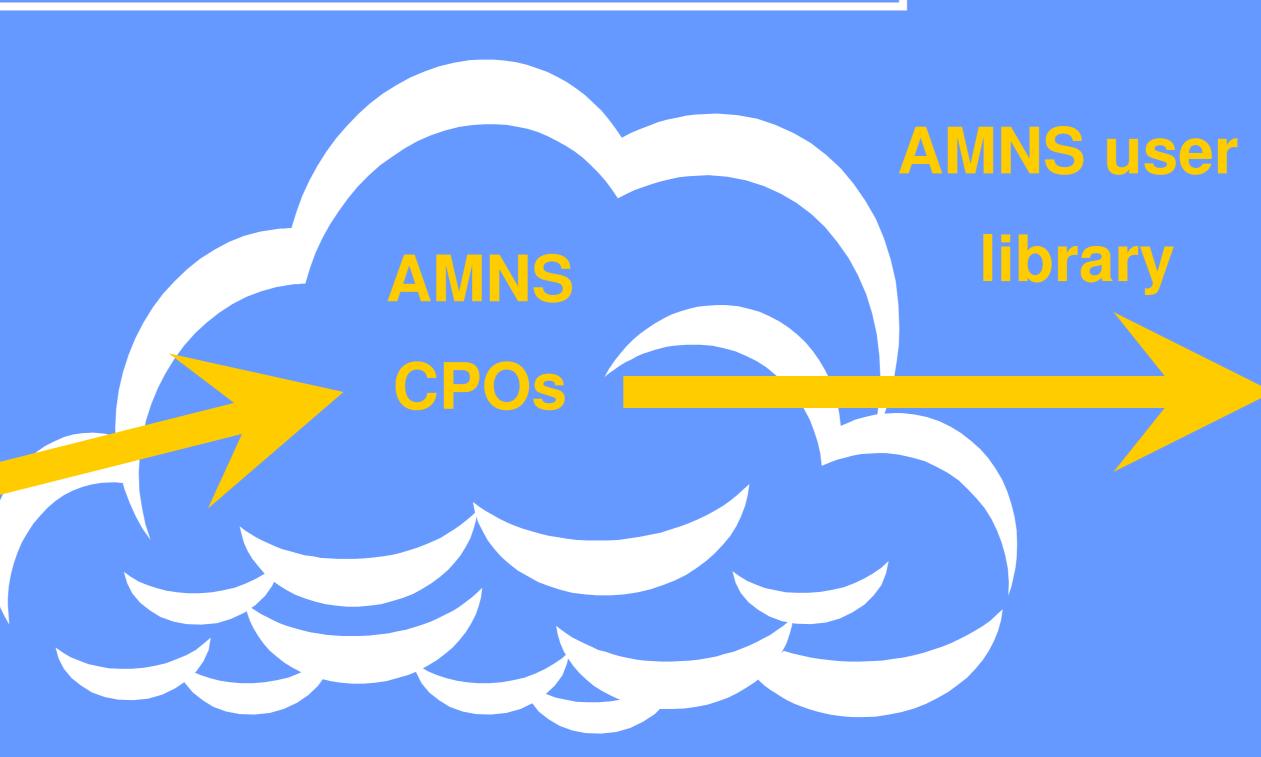
Goal

- Provide the ITM-TF with Atomic, Molecular, Nuclear and Surface data from appropriate sources.
- Develop modules which deliver AMNS data in a standardised way to ITM-TF codes.
- The system must be such that the provenance of the data used for a particular simulation is recorded to ensure that a simulation can be exactly replicated at a later date.

Available data

- ✓ Atomic data
 - ADAS rate coefficients (H, He, Li, Be, B, C, N, O, F, Ne, Al, Si, S, Cl, Ar, Cr, Fe, Ni, Cu, Ge, Kr, Mo and Xe)
 - ADAS cross sections
 - In progress
- > Molecular data
 - None yet
- ✓ Nuclear data
 - Beam-beam cross sections for
 - D(T,n) ⁴He
 - D(D,p)T
 - D(D,n)³He
 - D(³He,p)⁴He
 - Beam-target
 - Thermal
- ✓ Surface
 - Physical sputtering data (Eckstein)
 - In progress

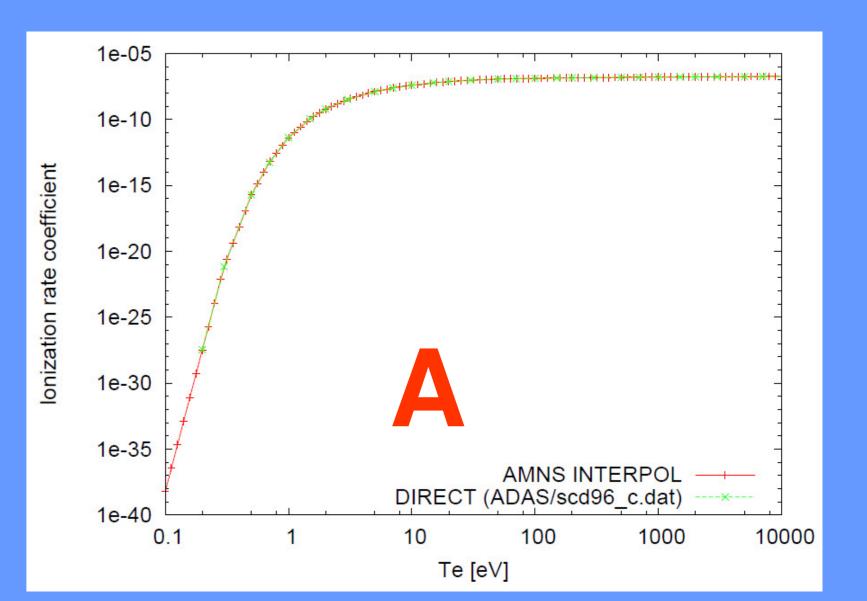
AMNS provider driver program

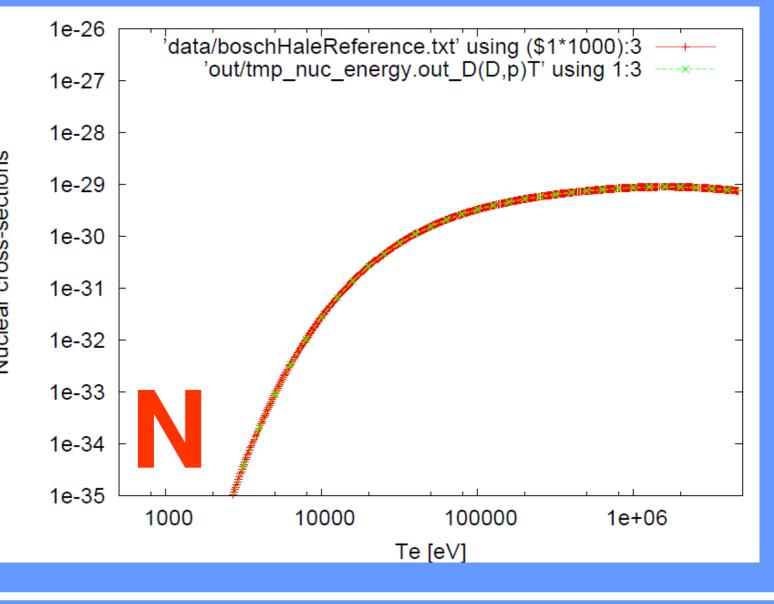


User programs

- Access data via a standard library
- From Fortran (available)
 or C (in progress)

Comparison of data retrieved via AMNS interface with reference data





Separate provision of AMNS services from the implementation

AMNS implementation

- Only accessed by a set of defined calls
- Implementation by AMNS experts
- Different versions can be supported
- Different implementations possible
 - Analytic formulae
 - Table lookup
- "Old" versions should always be recoverable (even if wrong)
- Should become easier to implement "new" data

Physics code

- Access to AMNS data only via interface
 - initialization (2)
 - finalization (2)
 - querying parameters (2)
 - setting parameters (2)
 - getting data (1)
- Separation between use of the data and the implementation of the data
- Code author doesn't need to become an expert in AMNS
- Ensures compatibility between codes

Using this framework ensures

- Version control of data imported to the ITM-TF
- Provenance of data stored in the ITM database
- Data for "production" runs with ITM-TF codes will have AMNS given a stamp of approval by an expert.
- The AMNS data communicated to ITM-TF codes via a standardised interface ensuring coherence between different ITM-TF codes needing the same type of data
- Insulation between data provision and data use

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