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**ROLE OF FUEL PARTICLES IN CONTAMINATION OF CEREAL PRODUCTION  
WITH <sup>90</sup>Sr IN IVANKIV DISTRICT OF KYIV REGION**

In the year 2011 sampling of soil and grain in Ivankiv district of Kyiv region at all fields adjacent to the ChNPP exclusion zone was carried out, where the cereal crops were planted. In all samples <sup>137</sup>Cs and <sup>90</sup>Sr activities were measured. Besides, in the soil samples the exchangeable fractions of <sup>90</sup>Sr and calcium and acidity of the soil solution were determined. Dependence of <sup>90</sup>Sr soil-grain transfer factors was specified.

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