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# Implementation of the WANO programs at WANO Moscow Center NPPs

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#### **WANO-MC Members**

In total 19 organizations are affiliated to WANO

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In 2012, 70 units at 24 plants in 10 countries were in operation. Overall installed capacity of MC –member plants made up 52,1 MWe.

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14 units are under construction:

10 in Russia

Beloyarsk NPP-4 - since 18 July 2006

**Kursk NPP-5** 

**Leningrad NPP 2-1 – since 25 October 2008** 

Leningrad NPP 2-2 - since 15 April 2010

Novovoronezh NPP 2-1 - since 24 June 2008

Novovoronezh NPP 2-2 – since 12 July 2009

Rostov NPP-3 – since 15 September 2009

Rostov NPP-4 – since 16 June 2010

**Academician Lomonosov - 1 and 2** 

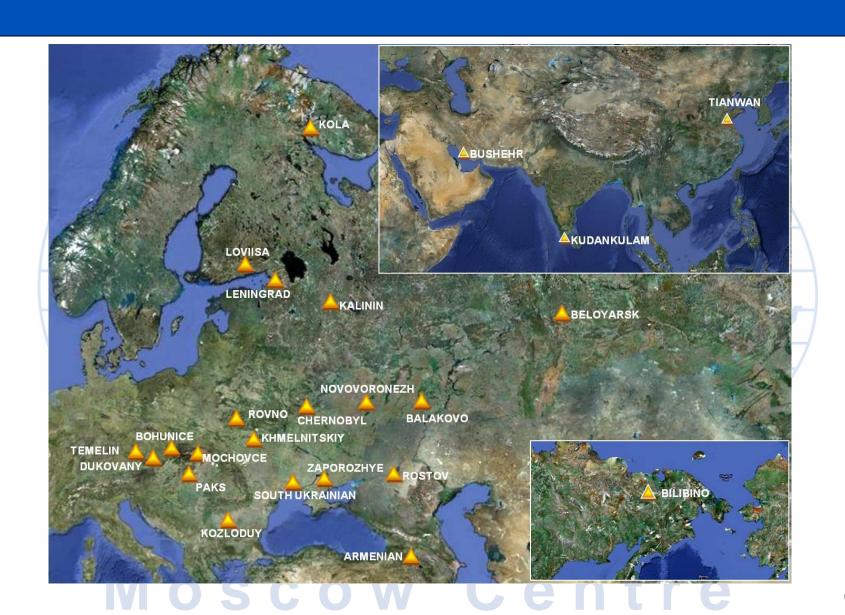
### 14 units are under construction: 2 in India (Kudankulam NPP-1, 2), 2 in Slovakia (Construction of Mochovce-3,4 units was resumed on 11 June 2009).

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17 units are decommissioned:
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- 4 units in Russia (Beloyarsk NPP-1,2, Novovoronezh NPP-
- 1,2),
- 3 in Ukraine (Chernobyl NPP -1,2,3),
- 3 in Slovakia (Bohunice A1 and Bohunice -1, 2),
- 1 in Armenia (Armenia NPP -1),
- 4 in Bulgaria (Kozloduy NPP 1, 2, 3, 4),
- 2 in Lithuania (Ignalina NPP -1,2).

#### **Situation of WANO MC NPPs**



Number of units affiliated to WANO-MC continues to increase despite of the Fukushima event.

This is mainly related to continued development of VVER technologies.

There are plans to commission new VVER units in Russia, Belarus, China, India, Bulgaria, Turkey, Vietnam and other countries.

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After the Fukushima accident, WANO-MC has reviewed its long-term goals and objectives, reinforced them taking into account the recommendations of the Post-Fukushima commission.

A WANO-MC Long Term Business Plan will be updated on a continued basis to reflect the results of working groups' efforts to address the recommendations of the Post Fukushima commission.

#### **WANO-MC Long-term Plan**

The general meeting of WANO unanimously approved the PF Commission recommendations:

- 1 Extension of the WANO scope of activities to include emergency preparedness fundamentals.
- 2. Development of the world-wide emergency response strategy
- 3. Improvement of peer performance in quality and effectiveness
- 4. Promotion of the WANO visibility and transparency.
- 5. Conduction of periodic internal peer reviews of each regional center

#### Resources



#### Resource status of the centres (2010)

Centers	AC	MC	PC	TC
Units	129	71	151	106
Center staff	25	16	42	23
Number of staff per unit	**	0.15	0.28	0.22

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#### Objectives as for resources - technical staff

#### Reasons for the WANO MC staff number increase

- Review of the whole NPP site (Daya Bay NPP 55 persons)
- Professional PR team (up to 50%)
- WANO program coordinators (new)
- NPP coordinators (new)
- Extension of review areas
- Increase of the program frequency (1.5 times)
- Corporate reviews (new)
- Internal reviews between centers (new)
- Public relations (becoming open)
- Work coordination with other organizations in part of emergency preparedness (new)
- Stress-tests (new)
- "Joint crisis center" (new)
- Administrative support
- Translators

#### Objectives as for resources - technical staff

Year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Number of units	69	71	79	81	83
Targeted indicator as for technical staff, man/unit	0.35	0.5	0.65	0.8	0.8
Targeted indicator as for technical staff, man	25	37	51	65	66
Planned number of technical staff, man	9	45	57	65	66
Plan of recruiting new staff, man	3	36	12	8	1

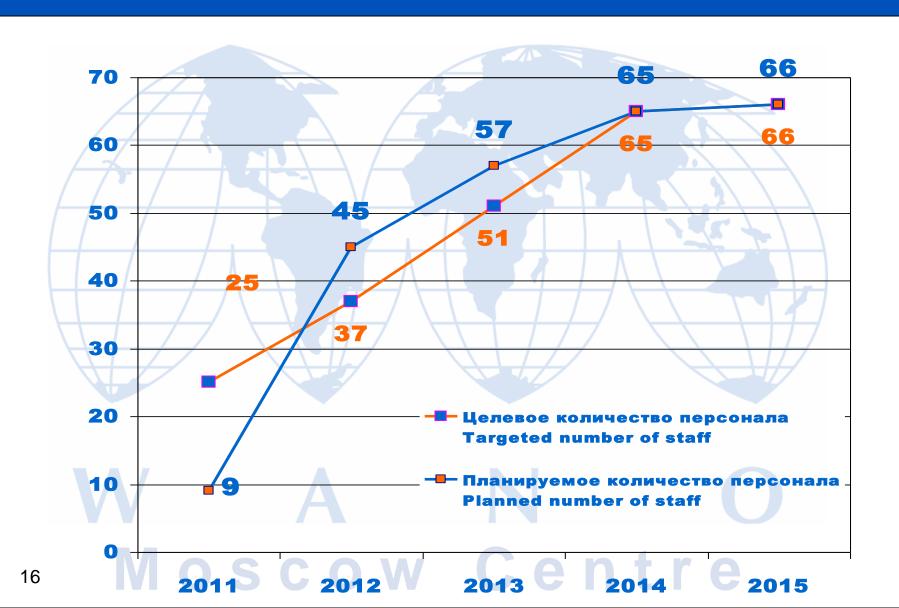
#### **Increase of resources**

- To implement the recommendations of the commission as soon as possible it was necessary to provide WANO-MC with the necessary resources already in 2012.
- WANO-MC Governing Board made a decision to institute WANO-MC on-site representation offices at every plant site and add human resources to the WANO-MC Secretariat.
- The WANO-MC 2012 Budget has been revised respectively.

#### **Increase of resources**

- WANO-MC conducted a competition to fill in seconded personnel positions and hired 15 individuals for on-site representative positions and 12 WANO-MC seconded staff.
- Hence, an additional 27 individuals will start working in WANO-MC already in 2012. This will allow to make a successful breakthrough in WANO programmes with training provided to WANO-MC staff during the year 2013.
- Additionally, WANO-MC will have a five-fold increase in premises in the VNIIAES building in the year 2012.

### Цели по ресурсам - технический персонал Objectives as for resources - technical staff





#### **Focus on safety**

- Plant safety will be the main focus of WANO-MC programmes (peer reviews, technical support missions, workshops).
- In response to the Fukushima event WANO-MC set up a dedicated team to gather and analyze stress test results in the Moscow Center region and issued a respective confidential report.

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#### **Focus on safety**

- WANO-MC came out also with an initiative of creating a
  Regional Emergency Center to address emergency
  response and communication weaknesses revealed after
  the Fukushima event and is currently working
  aggressively in this direction.
- This has identified that it is expedient to consider possible creation of a Unified Emergency Centre with the involvement of other regional centers.

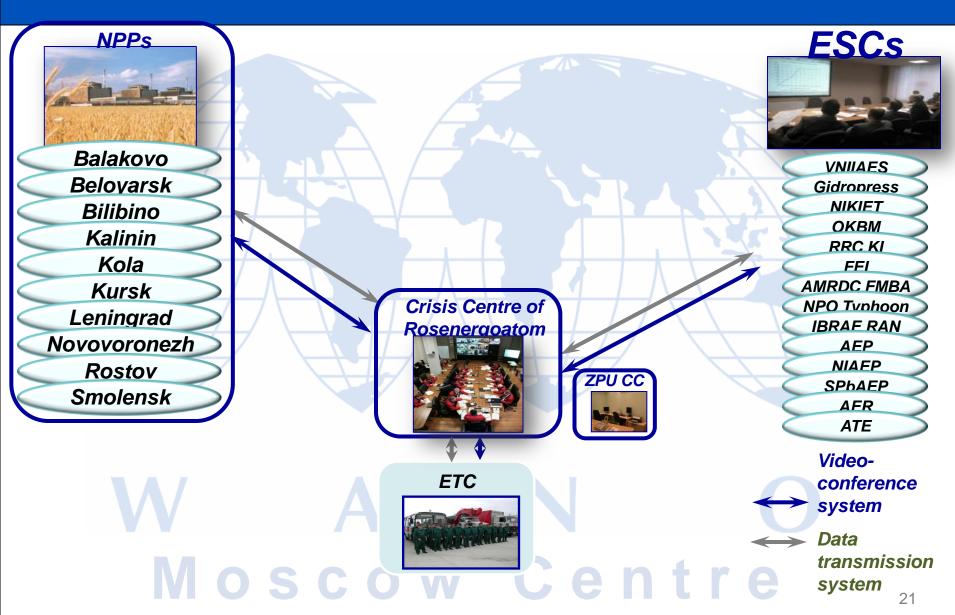
### Objectives of the Regional Crisis Center

- Access to expertise and material resources / equipments –
  enables each MC plant to quickly and easily reach the best
  support in form of experts or other resources to mitigate and
  ease in case of crisis
  - Up-to-date information of available expertise and other resources centralized
  - Provide help to mobilize mitigating actions and deploy best possible resources
- 2. Information flow each MC- plant knows appropriate level of details in case of crisis in any other plant
  - Two-way accurate and timely information sharing
  - Interaction based on agreed protocol
  - Full confidentiality and trust between parties not to disclose any shared information publicly
  - Quick response

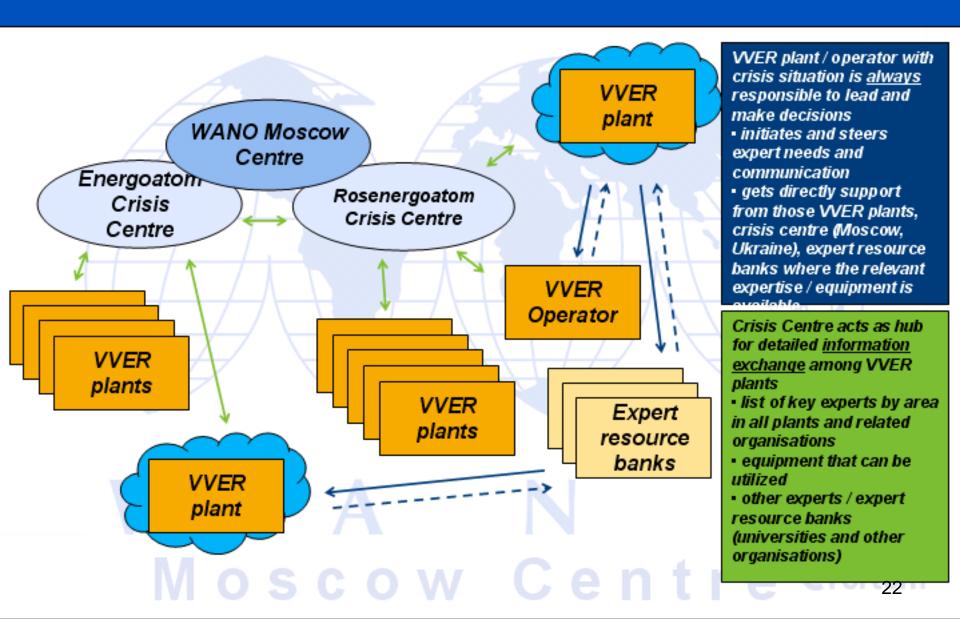
Routine Operation mode

Higher alert & Emergency mode

#### The Rosenergoatom Crisis Centre is "Operational Core" of the WANO MC RCC



#### **Higher alert & Emergency mode**



- In addition to the existing WANO regional center governance system, WANO-MC has two additional structures that we consider to be important from the point of safety significance.
- They the WANO-MC Directors' Board and Chief Engineers'
   Board. Two WANO-MC Directors' and one WANO-MC.
- Chief Engineers' meetings were held already.
- Feedback revealed high effectiveness of such events.
   Thus, the frequency of WANO-MC directors' meetings was increased from once every two years to twice every year.

WANO-MC has demonstrated high commitment to significant reinforcement in response to the Fukushima event and plans on completing the process by the 2015 Biennial General Meeting.

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