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We need clarification for the date field of conference proceedings. There are two conference proceeding types in EXFOR and CINDA: C (Conference) and S (Report containing conference proceedings). We cannot find detail explanation of the date field of these reference types, in neither EXFOR System Manual nor CINDA2001 Manual. On the other hand, we find the following rule in CINDA Reader's Manual (April 2003): "Use the date of conference for C, and date of publication for S". What is our practice in EXFOR and CINDA2001? I think clarification in the present manuals is meaningful.

Example of the practice according to the CINDA [Reader's Manual \(April 2003\)](#)

- Proc. of the Conference on Nuclear Data for Science and Technology at Santa Fe (ND2004):
(C, 2004SANTA, volume, page, **2004**)
(held in **2004**, published in **2005**)
- Proc. of the Conference on Nuclear Data for Science and Technology at Tsukuba (ND2001)
(C, 2001TSUKUB, volume, page, **2001**)=(J, NSTS, 2, (issue), page, **2002**)
(held in **2001**, published in **2002** as "J. Nucl. Sci. Technol. Sci. Suppl. Vol.2")
- Proc. of the Symposium on Nuclear Data 2004 at JAERI
(S, JAERI-C-2005-003, 2005, page, **2005**)=(S, INDC(JPN)-195/U, page, **2005**)
(held in **2004**, published in **2005** as a issue of JAERI conference report series)

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