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Neon adsorption on oxidized single-walled carbon nanohorns¹ VAIVA KRUNGLEVICIUTE, ALDO MIGONE, Southern Illinois University Carbondale, MASAKO YUDASAKA, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology, Nanotube Research Center, Japan, SUMIO IJIMA, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology, Nanotube Research Center; Fundamental Research Laboratory, NEC Corporation, Japan — We will present the results of a study of neon adsorption on oxidized single-walled carbon nanohorns. Our adsorption isotherm measurements were conducted at temperatures below 24.5 K, the triple point for Ne. Results for the effective specific surface area and for the effective pore volume of the nanohorn aggregates will be presented. We will also report on the sorbent-loading dependence of the isosteric heat of neon on the nanohorns, and on the binding energy. Our results for this system will be compared with those obtained for Ne on a sample of dahlia-like nanohorns annealed at 520 K.

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