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EPIP-TSC-8 was revised to add scale lines to Figure 1 Attachment 6.5 for ease of reading.

  
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**EPIP-TSC-8**

EMERGENCY PLAN IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURE

**Title:** CORE DAMAGE ASSESSMENT

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CORE UNCOVERY PREDICTIONS / CORE DAMAGE ASSESSMENTS

**NON-SAFETY RELATED**

1. PURPOSE

- 1.1 This procedure provides methods for trending Reactor Coolant System (RCS) volume above the active core during Loss of Coolant Accidents (LOCA), methods for estimating the time to core uncovery, and performing core damage assessments.

2. REFERENCES/COMMITMENTS DOCUMENTS

- 2.1 Development of the Comprehensive Procedure Guideline for Core Damage Assessment, Task 467, July 1983
- 2.2 FC-0204-98, Source Terms Used in Emergency Plan Core Damage Assessment Spreadsheet (TSC-8)
- 2.3 EA-FC-90-94, Fuel Handling Accident and Bounding Source Term
- 2.4 NUREG 1465, Accident Source Terms for Light - Water Nuclear Power Plants
- 2.5 Calculation Number FC06727, Estimated Containment 994' Elevation Volume vs. Level for EPIP-TSC-8

3. DEFINITIONS

- 3.1 Time to Core Uncovery - A time calculated based on a snapshot of plant parameters that estimates the time remaining before the start of core uncovery (Reactor Vessel Level at the top of the active core).
- 3.2 Core Damage Assessment - The categorization of a core damage into four major types as follows: no fuel damage, fuel cladding failures, fuel pellet overheating and fuel pellet melting. The three later categories are delineated as initial, intermediate, and major. Each of the ten categories of core damage can be characterized by the type of fuel damage, the corresponding temperature range and the mechanism of fission product release.
- 3.3 Category of no fuel damage - that which is characterized by the release of fission products through the release mechanisms of Halogen Spiking and tramp uranium fission. The release source is the Gas Gap and the characteristic isotopes are I-131, Cs-137, and Rb-88.

- 3.4 Category of Fuel Cladding Failure - that which is characterized by the release of fission products through the release mechanisms of burst and Gas Gap diffusion. The release source is the Gas Gap. The characteristic fission products are noble gases and halogens (Xe-131m, Xe-133, I-131 and I-133) because they are volatile and can migrate quickly through the fuel pellet and gas gap for release following cladding rupture. These isotopes are volatile in the Temperature range of 1300-1800°F.
- 3.5 Category of Fuel Pellet Overheat - that which is characterized by the release of radioactivity through grain boundary diffusion and by diffusion from within the  $\text{UO}_2$  grains. Grain boundary diffusion begins above 2450° F. Moderately volatile isotopes of cesium, rubidium and tellurium (Cs-134, Rb-88, Te-129, and Te-132) are characteristic of this type of damage.
- 3.6 Category of Fuel Pellet Melt - occurs at greater temperatures (2550-3450°F), reactions begin between the solid  $\text{UO}_2$  and the solid metallic zircaloy, melting of the control rod materials, and melting of zirconium. At these temperatures greater amounts of tellurium are released. Alkali metals, such as barium, volatilize as well as rare earths and actinides such as lanthanum and protactinium. These include the isotopes of Sr-89, Ba-140, La-140, La-142, and Pr-144.
- 3.7 Activity Ratios - theoretical calculations employed to determine typical ratios for isotopes of a fission product in the Gas Gap or the Fuel Pellet. Comparison of the ratios obtained from sample data with these calculated values determines the source of the fission product release. These ratios are made by comparing the noble gas/iodine isotopes in the sample to Xe-133/I-131 in the sample.

#### 4. PREREQUISITES

- 4.1 This procedure is intended to be used during Loss of Coolant Accidents and other plant transients that may lead to core damage.

**NOTE:** Steps in this procedure may be done out of order or be completed concurrently.

**NOTE:** HJTCs may be deenergized per OI-RC-2A RCS Fill and Drain Operations causing RVLMS to indicate 100% while in reduced RCS inventory conditions. While the HJTCs are deenergized, use LI-119 and LI-197 and Attachment 6.1 -Figure #1, RCS Inventory Above the Core (ft<sup>3</sup>) vs. Pressurizer/RVLMS Level for determining RCS volumes. Energizing HJTCs is acceptable for short periods to determine if a void exists in the Reactor Vessel per the precautions in OI-RC-2A.

## 5. PROCEDURE

**NOTE:** Trending the RCS Inventory above the active Core should be done if a significant decrease is observed in the RCS Inventory.

**NOTE:** Trending the RCS Inventory above the active Core may be performed using the Excel Spreadsheet "RCS\_INV(R0)". This spreadsheet contains worksheets "RCS Inventory Data" and "RCS Inventory Chart" which are equivalent to Attachment 6.1 - Trending RCS Inventory above the Core.

- 5.1 Trend the RCS inventory volume above the core using Attachment 6.1 - Trending RCS Inventory above the Core.



**NOTE:** The time to core uncover is determined using two methods. The first (normal) method, Attachment 6.2, determines a Net Loss/Gain in  $\text{ft}^3/\text{min}$  and uses this rate as the basis to determine the time remaining for Reactor Vessel Level to drop to the top of the active core. The second method, Attachment 6.3, uses Steaming Rate and RCS density to determine the boil-off rate in  $\text{ft}^3/\text{min}$ .

**NOTE:** The second method (Attachment 6.3) is used when the Reactor Vessel level is below that of any suspected leaks, the inventory is being lost is due to RCS boil-off, and it is determined that no make up flow is reaching the reactor vessel.

**NOTE:** When the plant has been in Cold Shutdown Condition (Mode 4) or Refueling Shutdown Condition (Mode 5), the time to Core Uncovery may be available from the Shutdown Safety Advisor or the Shift Technical Advisor, if not determine the time to Core Uncovery using one of methods below.

- 5.2 During Loss of Coolant Accidents, estimate the time to core uncover by one of the following methods:

**NOTE:** Estimating the time to core uncover, using the normal method, may be performed using the EXCEL spreadsheet "RCS\_INV(R0)." This spreadsheet contains a worksheet labeled "Uncvy\_Vol Chg" which is equivalent to Attachment 6.2 - Using the Change in RCS Volume vs. Time To Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery.

- 5.2.1 First (normal) method, complete Attachment 6.2 - Using the Change in RCS Volume vs. Time to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery.

**NOTE:** Estimating the time to core uncover, using the second method, may be performed using the EXCEL spreadsheet "RCS\_INV(R0)". This spreadsheet contains a worksheet labeled "Uncvy\_Stm Rate" which is equivalent to Attachment 6.3 - Using Steaming Rate to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery.

- 5.2.2 Second (Steaming Rate) method, complete Attachment 6.3 - Using Steaming Rate to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery.

**NOTE:** The prior power history for the last 30 days may be recorded on the EXCEL spreadsheet "Cor\_dam(R0) .xls", worksheet "Prior Power History". The worksheet "Prior Power History" is equivalent to Attachment 6.4 - Prior 30-Day Power History.

- 5.3 Determine the power history for the last 30 days from the time of reactor trip/shutdown by completing Attachment 6.4 - Prior 30-Day Power History.

**NOTE:** Core Damage Assessments should be done when the Fuel Cladding Fission Product Barrier Criteria has been exceeded per EPIP-OSC-1, Attachment 6.3, Three Fission Product Barrier Criteria or at the discretion of the Command and Control position.

5.4 Complete Attachment 6.5 - Assessment of Core Damage Using Containment Radiation Dose Rates.

5.5 For slow transients only, complete Attachment 6.6 - Assessment of Core Damage using CETs.

**NOTE:** The total quantity of fission products available at different locations in the Containment may be changing due to transient plant conditions. Samples of the Reactor Coolant System / Discharge of the Low Pressure Safety Injection Pump and the Containment Atmosphere used for core damage assessments should be obtained within a minimum time and under stabilized plant conditions when possible.

5.6 Prepare to do a Core Damage assessment by Radiological Analysis of samples as follows:

5.6.1 Verify that plant conditions are stabilized as much as possible that plant conditions can support sampling operations for a Reactor Coolant System or Discharge of the Low Pressure Safety Injection Pump sample and/or a Containment Atmosphere sample.

5.6.2 Before the sampling team is dispatched to collect the required samples, hold a briefing with the sampling team and coordinate the collection of data that needs to be obtained when samples are isolated per Attachment 6.7, Worksheet #1 and #2.

**NOTE:** Manual core damage calculations may be performed using the EXCEL spreadsheet "Cor\_dam(R0).xls". This spreadsheet "Cor\_dam.xls" and its worksheets are equivalent to Attachment 6.7 - Manual Core Damage Assessment Calculations.

5.7 Complete Attachment 6.7 - Manual Core Damage Assessment Calculations.

5.8 Using the completed Attachment 6.7, make a conclusion on the extent of core damage using following three parameters:

5.8.1 Identification of the fission product isotopes that characterize the Reactor Coolant System / LPSI Pump and Containment Atmosphere Samples.

5.8.2 Identification of the source of the fission products (the Gas Gap or the Fuel Pellet) from Attachment 6.7 - Worksheets #4 and #5.

- 5.8.3 The quantity of the fission products available for release to the environment expressed as a percent of source inventory on Attachment 6.7 - Worksheet #7.

**NOTE:** Knowledgeable judgement is used to compare the three parameters with the definitions of the 10 NRC categories of fuel damage found on Attachment 6.8 - Clad Damage Characteristics of NRC Categories of Fuel Damage. Core Damage is not anticipated to take place uniformly. Therefore, when evaluating the three parameters listed above, the procedure is anticipated to yield a combination of one or more of the 10 categories defined on Attachment 6.8. The categories will exist simultaneously. The type of core damage is described in the 10 NRC categories listed on Attachment 6.8. The degree of core damage is described as the percent of the fission products in the source inventory that is now available in the Containment for release to the environment.

- 5.9 Based on the conclusions above, circle the categories of fuel damage on Attachment 6.8 - Clad Damage Characteristics of NRC Categories of Fuel Damage.

## 6. ATTACHMENTS

- 6.1 Trending RCS Volume above the Core
- 6.2 Using the Change in RCS Volume vs. Time to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery
- 6.3 Using Steaming Rate to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery
- 6.4 Prior 30 Day Power History
- 6.5 Assessment of Core Damage Using Containment Radiation Dose Rates
- 6.6 Assessment of Core Damage using CETs
- 6.7 Manual Core Damage Assessment Calculations
- 6.8 Clad Damage Characteristics of NRC Categories of Fuel Damage

Attachment 6.1 - Trending RCS Inventory above the Core (Page 1 of 4)

1. On Worksheet 1 - RCS Inventory Data Sheet, record the Time, Pressurizer Level and RVLMS.
2. Record the RCS Volume above the Core on Worksheet 1 using the information from Figure 1, RCS Inventory above the Core vs. Pressurizer/RVLMS Level.
3. Plot the RCS Volume above the Core on Worksheet 2, Plot of RCS Volume above the Core vs. Time.

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Attachment 6.1 - Trending RCS Inventory above the Core (Page 3 of 4)

Figure 1 - RCS Inventory Above the Core (ft<sup>3</sup>) vs. Pressurizer/RVLMS Level

PZR/RVLMS (% Level)	RCS INV. ABOVE TOP OF CORE (ft <sup>3</sup> )	LI-119, LI-197 (Feet)	NOTES
100 PZR	4962		
90 PZR	4821		
80 PZR	4760		
70 PZR	4665		
65 PZR	4608		
60 PZR	4533		
55 PZR	4445		
50 PZR	4356		
45 PZR	4267		
40 PZR	4179		
35 PZR	4090		
30 PZR	4001		
25 PZR	3913		
20 PZR	3824		
15 PZR	3735		
10 PZR	3646		
5 PZR	3558		
0 PZR	3469		
100 RVLMS	3221	1018.31	Top of Upper Head
83 RVLMS	2967	1017.174	
63 RVLMS	2565	1014.018	
43 RVLMS	1779	1010.867	
29 RVLMS	908	1007.708	Top of Hot Leg
21 RVLMS	357	1006.375	Center of Hot Leg
14 RVLMS	259	1005.042	Bottom of Hot Leg
8 RVLMS	166	N/A	
0 RVLMS	0	N/A	Top of Active Core

Worksheet 2 - Plot of RCS Volume above the Core vs. Time



Attachment 6.2 - Using the Change in RCS Volume vs. Time to Estimate the  
Time to Core Uncovery

**NOTE:** When a bubble is in the Reactor Vessel use RVLMS to determine the RCS volume (i.e., Pressurizer Level at 40% and RVLMS at 83%, a volume of 2967 ft<sup>3</sup> based on 83% RVLMS should be used).

1. Record Time, Pressurizer Level, RVLMS Level and the RCS Volume above the Core from Attachment 6.1, Figure 1 - RCS Inventory above the Core vs. Pressurizer/RVLMS Level.

T<sub>1</sub> (Time) \_\_\_\_\_ Pressurizer Level (%) \_\_\_\_\_ RVLMS Level (%) \_\_\_\_\_

V<sub>1</sub> (RCS Volume in ft<sup>3</sup> from Attachment 6.1, Figure 1) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Wait for drop in Pressurizer/RVLMS Level and record the Time, Pressurizer Level, RVLMS Level, and RCS Volume below:

T<sub>2</sub> (Time) Pressurizer Level (%) RVLMS Level (%) \_\_\_\_\_

V<sub>2</sub> (RCS Volume in ft<sup>3</sup> from Attachment 6.1, Figure 1) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Determine the Time in Minutes (T<sub>M</sub>) to Core Uncovery using the equation below.

$$T_M = \frac{V_2 \text{ _____ ft}^3}{(V_1 \text{ _____ ft}^3 - V_2 \text{ _____ ft}^3) / (T_2 \text{ _____ minutes})} = \text{_____ Minutes}$$

Where:

T<sub>2</sub> = elapsed time in minutes (T<sub>2</sub> - T<sub>1</sub>)

4. Add the time T<sub>M</sub> to the time T<sub>2</sub> to determine the Projected Time of Core Uncovery.

Projected Time of Core Uncovery = T<sub>2</sub> \_\_\_\_\_ + T<sub>M</sub> \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ (hh:mm)

5. Remarks:

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Done by: \_\_\_\_\_



Attachment 6.3 - Using Steaming Rate to Estimate the Time to Core Uncovery (Page 1 of 3)

1. Record Time, Pressurizer Level, RVLMS Level, RCS Volume from Attachment 6.1, Figure 1, Time of Reactor Trip/Shutdown, Steaming Rate from Attachment 6.3, Figure 1, Highest CET Temperature below and RCS Density from Attachment 6.3, Figure 2.

T<sub>1</sub> (Time) \_\_\_\_\_ Pressurizer Level \_\_\_\_\_ RVLMS Level \_\_\_\_\_

V<sub>1</sub> (RCS Volume in ft<sup>3</sup> from Attachment 6.1, Figure 1) \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Reactor Trip/Shutdown \_\_\_\_\_ hh:mm

SR (Steaming Rate from Figure 1) \_\_\_\_\_ lb/sec

Highest CET Temperature \_\_\_\_\_ °F

D (RCS Density from Figure 2) \_\_\_\_\_ lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

2. Determine the T<sub>M</sub> (Minutes to Core Uncovery) using the equation below:

$$\text{Minutes to Core Uncovery} = \frac{(V_1 \text{ _____ ft}^3) * (D \text{ _____ lb/ft}^3)}{(SR \text{ _____ lb/sec}) * (60)} = \text{_____ Minutes}$$

3. Determine the Time of Core Uncovery using the equation below:

$$\text{Time of Core Uncovery} = (T_1 \text{ _____}) + (T_M \text{ _____}) = \text{_____ (hh:mm)}$$

4. Remarks:

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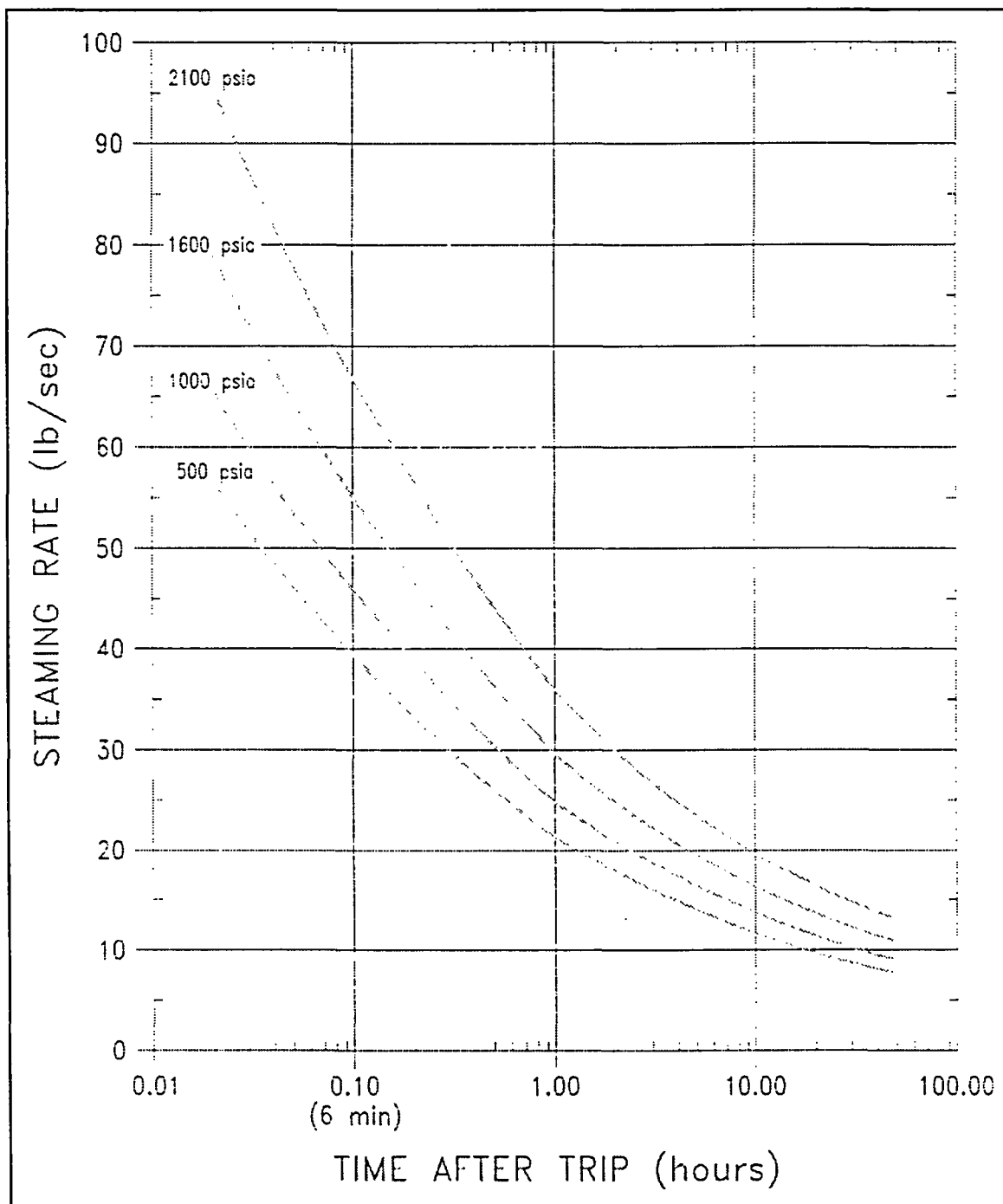
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Figure 1, RCS Steaming Rate vs. Time After Trip



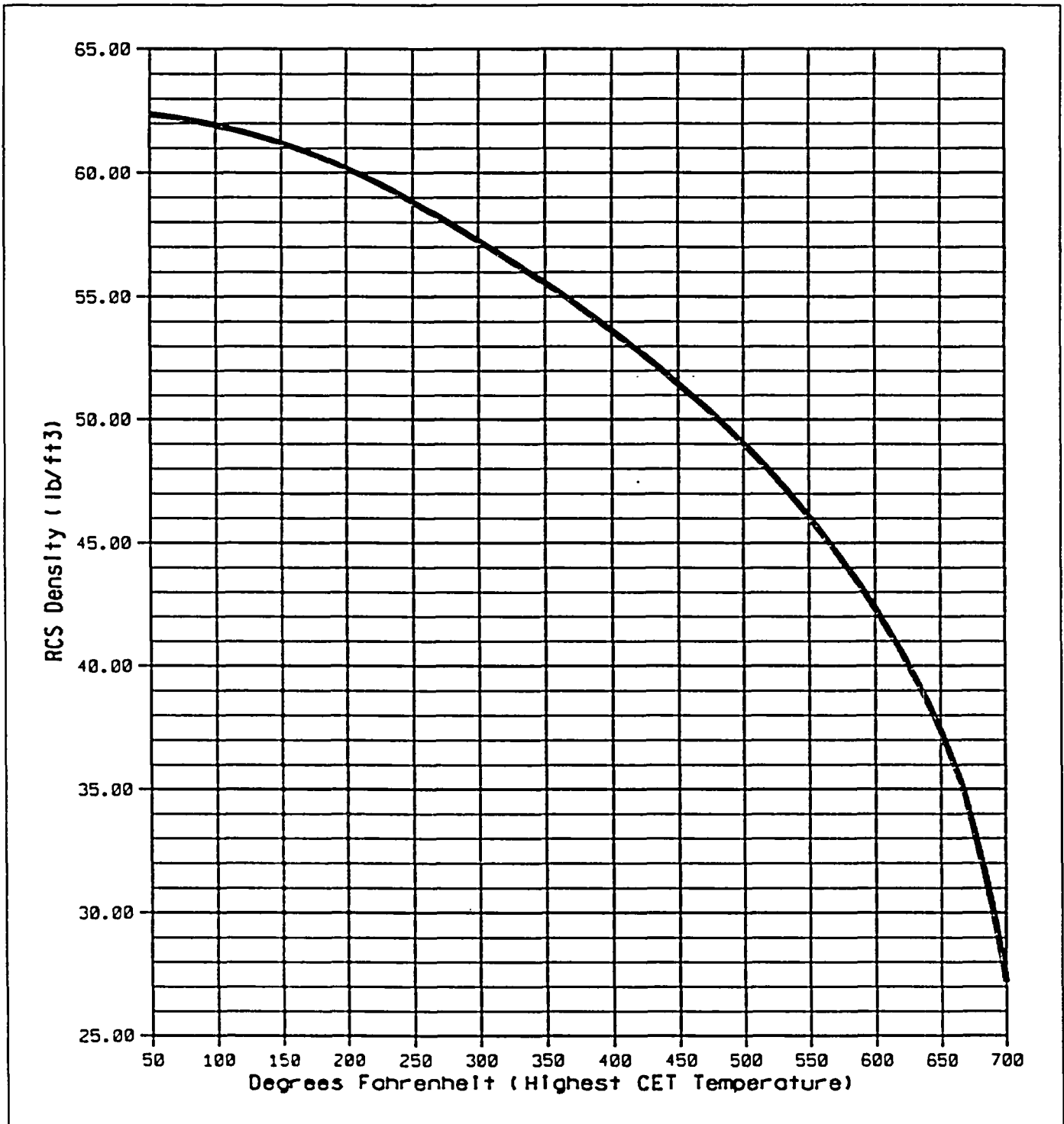
NOTE 1: If pressure is >2100 psia use the 2100 psia curve.

NOTE 2: If pressure = <2100 psia => 500 psia interpolate.

NOTE 3: If pressure < 500 psia use the 500 psia curve.

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Figure 2 - RCS Density vs. CET Temperature



Attachment 6.4 - Prior 30 Day Power History

Date of Reactor Shutdown:		Time of Reactor Shutdown:			
If reactor power has been steady state (+/- 10%) in the four days before the Reactor Shutdown, record the steady state power level:					
If reactor power has been steady state (+/- 10%) in the 30 days before the Reactor Shutdown, record the steady state power level:					
If the plant's power history has not been steady state for the last 30 days, enter data below for each steady state power period during the last 30 days (record up to eight power periods where power has change more than +/- 10% power):					
Power Period (j)	Steady State Power for Period (P <sub>j</sub> )	Duration of Power Period (d)		Time From the End of Operating Period (P <sub>j</sub> ) To Reactor Shutdown (t)	
Number	Percent	Days	Seconds Days X 8.64E4	Days	Seconds Days X 8.64E4
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8					

Attachment 6.5 - Assessment of Core Damage using Containment Radiation Dose Rates  
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1. Record Date and Time of Reactor Shutdown: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ ( $T_1$ )
2. Date and Time of RM-091A and RM-091B Reading: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ ( $T_2$ )
3. Record: RM-091A Reading: \_\_\_\_\_ RM-091B Reading: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Determine the Time Post Accident, Hours by subtracting the Date and Time of RM-091A and RM-091B Reading from the Date and Time of Reactor Shutdown.

Time Post Accident, Hours =  $(T_2 - T_1)$  = \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ Hours

**NOTE:** Use the following information to estimate the 30-Day Average Power Level:

- The average power during the 30-day time period is not necessarily the most representative value for correction to equilibrium conditions.
  - The last power levels at which the reactor operated should weigh more heavily in the judgement than earlier levels.
  - Continued operation for an extended period should weigh more heavily in the judgement than brief transient levels.
  - In the case in which the reactor has produced power for less than 30 days the procedure may be employed. However, the estimate of core damage obtained under this condition may be an under estimate of the actual condition.
5. Estimate the 30-Day Average Power Level, using the plants power history recorded on Attachment 6.4, engineering judgement, and the information in the note above.
  6. Record the 30 Day Average Power Level based on engineering judgement = \_\_\_\_\_ %.
  7. Determine the Equilibrium Dose Rate as follows:

$$\text{Equilibrium Dose Rate} = (\text{Higher reading of RM-091 A or B}) \times \frac{100}{(\text{30 Day Average Power})}$$

$$\text{Equilibrium Dose Rate} = \left( \frac{\text{R/hr}}{\text{30 Day Average Power}} \right) \times 100 = \text{R/hr}$$

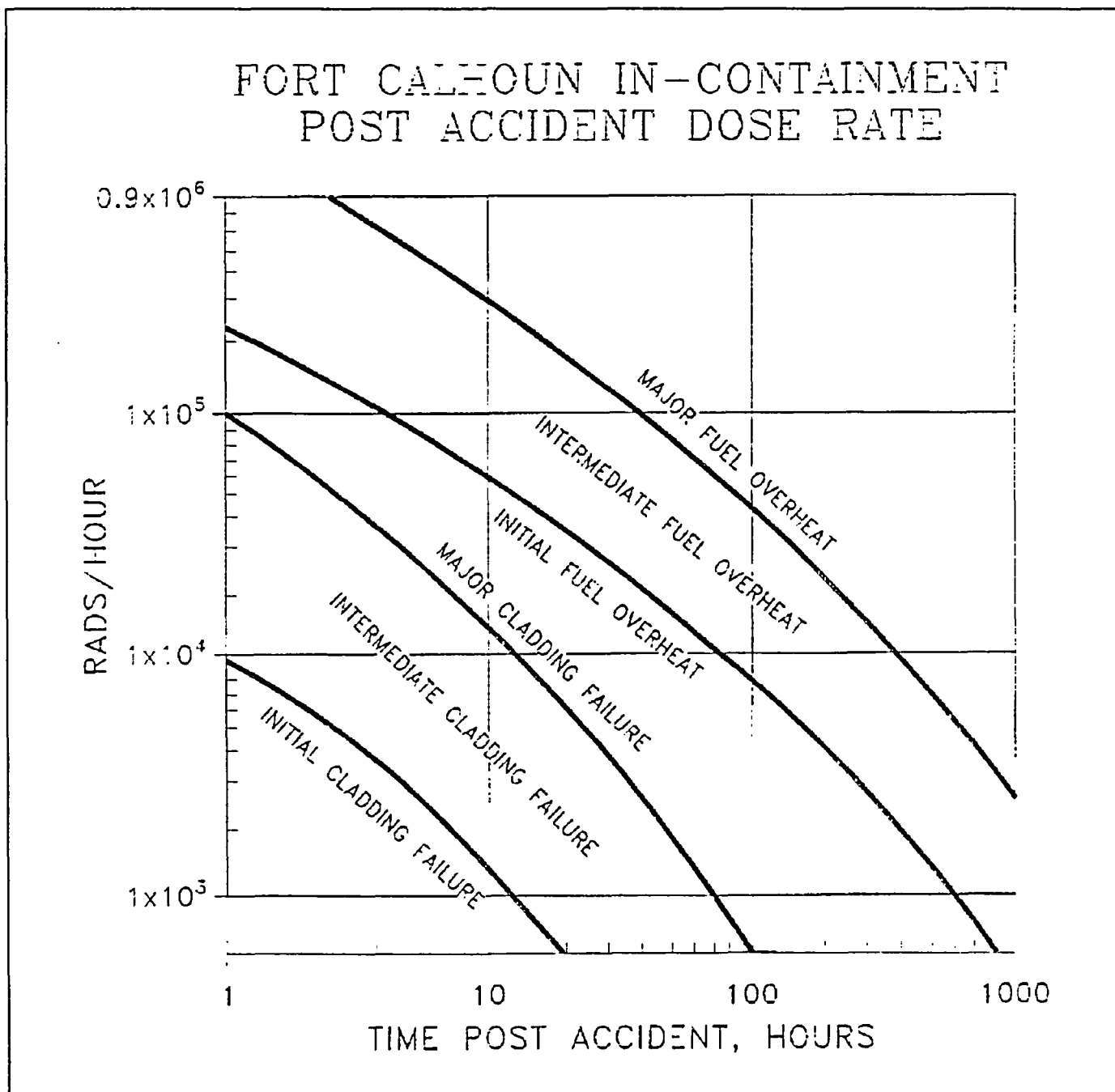
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**NOTE:** Use the following information to consider which category of core damage is most representative of the particular value:

- Dose rate measurements made during stable plant conditions should weigh more heavily in the assessment of core damage.
  - This attachment may not be employed to estimate the degree of Fuel Pellet Melting.
  - Dose rates significantly above the lower bound for the category of Major Fuel Over Heat may indicate concurrent Fuel Pellet Melting.
  - This attachment may not be used to distinguish the relative contributions of the two categories (Cladding Failure and Fuel Pellet Overheat ) to the total dose rate. This procedure does give the estimate of the highest category of damage.
  - Dose rates within any category of fuel overheating may be anticipated to include concurrent Fuel Cladding Failure.
  - Dose rates corresponding to the two categories of major cladding failure and initial fuel overheating are observed to overlap on Figure 1 - Categories of Core Damage Based on Containment Post Accident Dose Rates. The evaluation of other parameters may be required to distinguish between them. However, concurrent conditions may be anticipated.
8. On Figure 1, Category of Core Damage Based on Containment Post Accident Dose Rates, plot the Equilibrium Dose Rate as a function of the Time Post Accident, Hours.

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Figure 1- Category of Core Damage Based on Containment Post Accident Dose Rates



Attachment 6.6 - Assessing Core Damage Using CETs

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1. Record the following:
  - 1.1 Maximum CET Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_ F.
  - 1.2 Pressurizer Pressure at the time of Max CET Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_ psia
  - 1.3 Time of the maximum CET Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Select the curve on Figure 1, Percent of Fuel Rods with Rupture Clad vs. Maximum CET Temperature and Pressure that represents a pressure approximately equal to or greater than the Pressurizer Pressure at the time of the Maximum CET Temperature. Read across the curve and record the Percent of Fuel Rods With Ruptured Clad Below:  
  
Percent of Fuel Rods With Ruptured Clad \_\_\_\_\_ %



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**NOTE:** The Percent of Fuel Rods With Ruptured Clad obtained above is probably a lower limit of the estimate of damage. Some judgement on the bias is available as follows:

- This procedure applies most directly for slow core uncover with a maximum temperature below the rapid oxidation temperature of 1800° F. A smooth rise in CET temperature and an uncover duration of 20 minutes or longer are indicators for good prediction of clad ruptures.
- If pressure dropped to less than 100 psia within two minutes of the accident initiation, a large break is suggested. This causes undetected core heat up followed by flashing during a refill. Depending on the rate of refill, the CET temperature may rise rapidly then quench when the core is recovered. This procedure would then yield a very low estimate for the percent of fuel rods ruptured.
- If pressure was above 1650 psia, it could exceed the fuel rod internal gas pressure depending on rod burn up, causing clad collapse onto the fuel pellet instead of outward clad ballooning. The clad rupture criteria are less well defined for such conditions, but at temperatures above 1800° F where the highest pressure curve applies on Figure 1, clad failure sufficient to release fission gas is likely and this procedure may be used to obtain estimates of damage.

3. Comment on the probable bias in the result of Percent of Fuel Rods With Rupture Clad:

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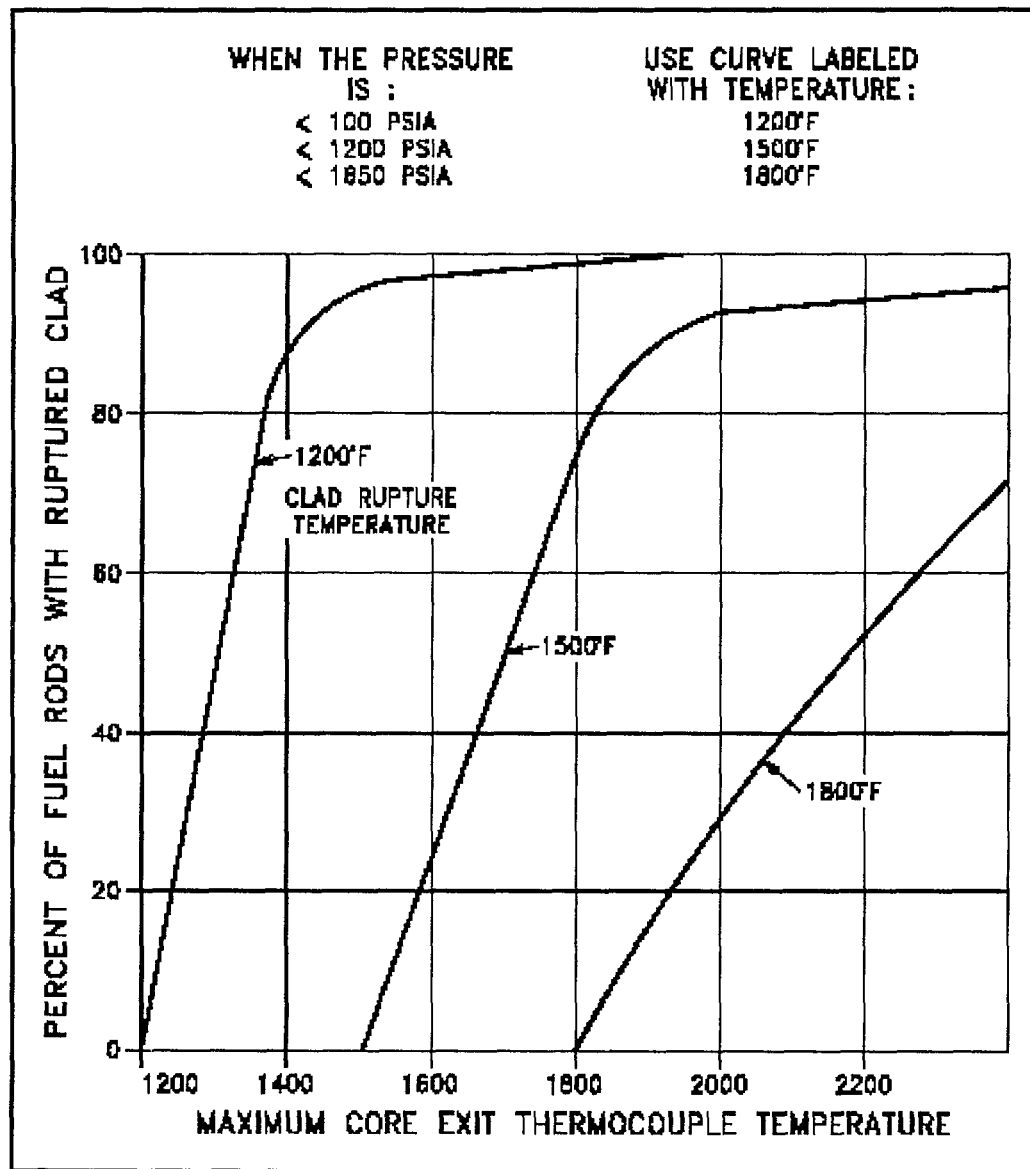
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4. On Attachment 6.8 - Clad Damage Characteristics of NRC Categories of Fuel Damage, determine and underline the NRC Category of Fuel Damage and its Characteristics.

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Figure 1, Percent of Fuel Rods with Rupture Clad vs. Maximum CET  
Temperature and Pressure



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1. On Worksheet #1, Section 1 complete the following:

- 1.1 At the time of the Reactor Coolant Sample / LPSI Pump sample isolation. record the Date/Time, RCS Pressure, RCS Temperature, Pressurizer Level, RVLMS, and Containment Sump Level.
- 1.2 Determine and record the time in seconds from the time of reactor shutdown to the time of the Reactor Coolant Sample / LPSI Pump sample isolation.
- 1.3 Record the Sample Specific Activities from the Reactor Coolant / Discharge of the LPSI Pump sample.
- 1.4 Record the Temperature Correction Factor as follows:
  - 1.4.1 For RCS samples obtain the temperature correction factor from Figure #1- Ratio of H<sub>2</sub>O Density to H<sub>2</sub>O Density at STP vs. Temperature.
  - 1.4.2 For the Discharge of the LPSI Pump samples record a temperature correction factor of 1.0.
- 1.5 Multiply the Sample Specific Activity by the Temperature Correction Factor and record the Temperature Corrected Specific Activity ( $A_T$ ).
- 1.6 Determine and record the Decay Corrected Specific Activity using the following equation:

$$A_0 = \frac{A}{e^{-\lambda t}}$$

Where:

$A_0$  = the Decay Corrected Specific Activity in  $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ .

$A_T$  = the Temperature Corrected Specific Activity in  $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ .

$\lambda$  = the radioactive decay constant, 1/sec.

$t$  = the time from a reactor shutdown to sample isolation in seconds.

2. On Worksheet #2, complete the following:

- 2.1 At the time of the Containment Atmosphere sample isolation, record the Date/Time, Containment Pressure and the Containment Temperature.

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- 2.2 Determine and record the time in seconds from the time of reactor shutdown to the time of the Containment Atmosphere sample.
- 2.3 Determine the Temperature/Pressure Correction Factor for the Containment using the equation below and record on Worksheet #3, Section 1:

$$\text{Correction Factor} = \frac{14.2}{(P_1 + 14.2)} \times \frac{(T_1 + 460)}{492}$$

Where:

$P_1$  = Containment pressure (psig) at time of Containment Atmosphere sample isolation

$T_1$  = Containment Temperature at the time of the Containment Atmosphere sample isolation

- 2.4 Correct the Sample Specific Activities to standard Temperature and Pressure by multiplying the Sample Specific Activity by the Temperature/Pressure Correction Factor and record in the Column labeled Temperature/Pressure Corrected Specific Activity.
- 2.5 Correct and record the Decay Corrected Specific Activities for decay back to the time of reactor shutdown using the following equation:

$$A_0 = \frac{A_{PT}}{e^{-\lambda t}}$$

Where:

$A_0$  = the Decay Corrected Specific Activities in  $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ .

$A_{PT}$  = the Temperature Pressure Corrected Specific Activity in  $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ .

$\lambda$  = the radioactive decay constant, 1/sec.

$t$  = the time from a reactor shutdown to sample isolation in seconds.

3. On Worksheet #3, Identify the Fission Product Release Source (Gas Gap or the Fuel Pellet) as follows:
  - 3.1 Copy the Decay Corrected Specific Activities from Worksheet #1 for KR-87, Xe-131m, Xe-133, I-131, I-132, I-133, and I-135.
  - 3.2 Copy the Decay Corrected Specific Activity from Worksheet #2 for KR-87, Xe-131m, Xe-133, I-131, I-132, I-133, and I-135.

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- 3.3 Calculate the noble gas and iodine ratios using the equations below:

$$\text{Noble Gas Ratio} = \frac{\text{Noble Gas Decay Corrected Specific Activity}}{\text{Xe-133 Decay Corrected Specific activity}}$$

$$\text{Iodine Ratio} = \frac{\text{Iodine Decay Corrected Specific Activity}}{\text{I-131 Decay Corrected Specific Activity}}$$

**NOTE:** Select as the source of the release that ratio that is closest to the Sample Isotope Ratio. An accurate comparison is not anticipated.

- 3.4 Determine the Identified Source (Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap) of the release by comparing the Sample Isotope Ratio results with the predicted isotope ratios for the Fuel Pellet and the Gas Gap Inventories. Record the source in the column labeled Identified Source Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap.
4. On Worksheet #4, determine the Volumes of the Reactor Coolant System, Containment Sumps and Containment Atmosphere as follows:
- 4.1 Determine the volume (ft<sup>3</sup>) of the RCS by using the Pressurizer Level and RVLMS level recorded on Worksheet #1 and Attachment 6.1, Figure #1 - RCS Inventory Above the Core (ft<sup>3</sup>) vs. Pressurizer/RVLMS Level, record the volumes in Section 1.
- 4.2 Determine and record the Density Correction in Section 1 as follows:
- 4.2.1 If an RCS Sample was obtained, obtain density correction from Figure #1 - Ratio of H<sub>2</sub>O Density to H<sub>2</sub>O Density at STP vs. Temperature by using the RCS Temperature recorded on Worksheet #1, at the time of the RCS sample.
- 4.2.2 If a sample was obtained from the discharge of the LPSI Pump, enter a Density Correction of 1.0 in Section 1.
- 4.3 Complete the RCS Volume Calculation in Section 1.
- 4.4 Determine and record the volume in the Containment Sump by using the Containment Sump Level recorded on Worksheet #1 and Figure #2 - Containment Sump/Basement Volume vs. L-387 or L-388 in Section 2. Record the volume in gallons in Section 2 of Worksheet #4.
- 4.5 Complete the calculation for the Containment Sump Volume in Section 2 on Worksheet #4.

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- 4.6 Correct the Containment Atmosphere Volume to STP in Section 3 using the Containment Pressure and Temperature on Worksheet #2 and the following equation:

$$\text{Containment Atmosphere Volume} = (2.97\text{E}+10) \times \frac{(14.2 + P_1)}{14.2} \times \left( \frac{492}{T_1 + 460} \right)$$

Where:

2.97E+10 = the free Volume of the Containment in cc

$P_1$  = Containment Pressure (psig)

$T_1$  = Containment Temperature (° F)

**NOTE:** The Specific activities in the Reactor Coolant System and the Containment Sump are assumed to be equal. The results of the RCS/Discharge of the LPSI pump sample may be used for both the Containment Sump and Reactor Coolant System calculations below.

5. On Worksheet #5, calculate the Total Quantity (curies) in Containment as follows:

- 5.1 Using the equation below calculate the Quantity (Curies) in the Containment Sump for each isotope and record in Column #2.

$$\text{Curies in the Containment Sump} = \frac{\text{SA}}{1.0\text{E}+6} \times \text{CS Vol}$$

Where:

SA = the Decay Corrected Specific Activity on Worksheet #1

CS Vol = the Containment Sump Volume From Worksheet #4

1.0E+6 = Constant to convert  $\mu\text{Curie}$  to Curies

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- 5.2 Using the equation below calculate the Quantity (Curies) in the Reactor Coolant System for each isotope and record in Column #3:

$$\text{Curies in the Reactor Coolant System} = \frac{\text{SA}}{1.0\text{E}+6} \times \text{RCS Vol}$$

Where:

SA = the Decay Corrected Specific Activity on Worksheet #1

RCS Vol = the Reactor Coolant Volume From Worksheet #4

1.0E+6 = Constant to convert  $\mu\text{Curies}$  to Curies

- 5.3 Using the equation below calculate the Quantity (Curies) in the Containment Atmosphere for each isotope and record in Column #3:

$$\text{Curies in the Containment Atmosphere} = \frac{\text{SA}}{1.0\text{E}+6} \times \text{CA Vol}$$

Where:

SA = the Decay Corrected Specific Activity on Worksheet #2

CA Vol = the Containment Atmosphere Volume From Worksheet #4

1.0E+6 = Constant to convert  $\mu\text{Curie}$  to Curies

- 5.4 Add Columns 2, 3, and 4. Record the sum (Total Quantity in Containment (Curies)) in Column 5.

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6. On Worksheet #6, determine the Power Correction Factor and correct the Equilibrium Source Inventory for power history as follows:

- 6.1 Using the power history data recorded on Attachment 6.4, determine the Power Correction Factor as follows:

- 6.1.1 If the reactor power has been steady state (+/- 10%) for the four (4) days before the Reactor Shutdown, calculate using the equation below and enter the Power Correction Factor for the Fuel History Group (2) isotopes in Column 2.

$$PCF = \frac{\text{Steady State Power Level for Prior 4 Days}}{100}$$

- 6.1.2 If the reactor power has been steady state (+/- 10%) for the thirty (30) days before the Reactor Shutdown, calculate using the equation below and enter the Power Correction Factor for the Fuel History Group (1) isotopes in Column 2.

$$PCF = \frac{\text{Steady State Power Level for Prior 30 Days}}{100}$$

**NOTE:** The following step is used to figure out the Power Correction Fraction for those isotopes in the Fuel History Groups not determined in steps 6.1.1 and 6.1.2 above.

- 6.2 If the reactor power has not been steady state (+/- 10%), determine the Power Correction Factor for each of the applicable power periods listed on Attachment 6.4, and record on Pages 2 and 3 of Worksheet #6 using the equation below:

$$PCF = \frac{P_j (1 - e^{-\lambda d}) e^{-\lambda t}}{100}$$

Where:

$P_j$  = steady state power in period j

$d$  = the duration of the period j in seconds

$\lambda$  = the decay constant (1/sec)

$t$  = the time in seconds from the end of period j to a reactor shutdown

- 6.3 For nonsteady state power histories, Sum up the power correction factors for each isotope on Pages 2 and 3 of Worksheet #6 and record on Page 1, Column #2 of Worksheet #6.



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- 6.4 Correct the Equilibrium Source Inventory for power history, by multiplying the Power Correction Factor by the Equilibrium Source Inventory and record in Column 4 of Worksheet #6.
7. Determine and record the Percent of Source Inventory in Column 6 of Worksheet #5 using the equation below:

$$PSI(\%) = \frac{TQC}{CSI} \times 100$$

Where:

PSI(%) = Percent of Source Inventory in %

TQC = Total Quantity in Containment in Column 5 on Worksheet #5

CSI = Corrected Source Inventory in Column 4 of Worksheet #6

100 = Constant used to change a result to a percent

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Worksheet #1, Measured Specific Activity ( $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ ) and Sample Temperature Correction  
for RCS/LPSI Sample

At the time RCS / LPSI Pump sample isolation record the following:				
Date/Time _____ RCS Pressure _____ RCS Temperature _____				
Pressurizer Level _____ RVLMS _____ Containment Sump Level _____				
Time in Seconds between reactor shutdown and RCS / LPSI Pump sample isolation: _____ (seconds)			Temperature Correction Factor from Step 1.4: _____	
	Sample Specific Activity	Temperature Corrected Specific Activity ( $A_T$ )	Decay Constant, $\lambda$ (1/sec)	Decay Corrected Specific Act. $A_0 = \frac{A_T}{e^{-\lambda t}}$
Kr-87			1.5E-4	
Xe-131m			6.7E-7	
Xe-133			1.5E-6	
I-131			9.9E-7	
I-132			8.4E-5	
I-133			9.3E-6	
I-135			2.9E-5	
Cs-134			1.1E-8	
Rb-88			6.5E-4	
Te-129			1.7E-4	
Te-132			2.5E-6	
Sr-89			1.6E-7	
Ba-140			6.3E-7	
La-140			4.8E-6	
La-142			1.2E-4	
Pr-144			6.7E-4	

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Worksheet #2, Measured Specific Activity ( $\mu\text{Ci/cc}$ ) and Sample Temperature Pressure  
Correction for Containment Atmosphere Sample

At the time of Containment Atmosphere sample isolation record the following:

Date/Time \_\_\_\_\_ Containment Pressure \_\_\_\_\_ Containment Temperature \_\_\_\_\_

Time in seconds between reactor shutdown and Containment Sample isolation (t): \_\_\_\_\_

Determine Temperature / Pressure Correction Factor:

$$\text{Correction Factor} = \frac{14.2}{(P_1 + 14.2)} \times \frac{(T_1 + 460)}{492} = \frac{14.2}{(\quad + 14.2)} \times \frac{(\quad + 460)}{492} = \quad$$

Isotope	Containment Atmosphere Sample Specific Act.	Temperature Pressure Corrected Spec. Act. ( $A_{PT}$ )	Decay Constant, $\lambda$ (1/sec)	Decay Corrected Specific Act. $A_0 = \frac{A_{PT}}{e^{-\lambda t}}$
Kr-87			1.5E-4	
Xe-131m			6.7E-7	
Xe-133			1.5E-6	
I-131			9.9E-7	
I-132			8.4E-5	
I-133			9.3E-6	
I-135			2.9E-5	
Cs-134			1.1E-8	
Rb-88			6.5E-4	
Te-129			1.7E-4	
Te-132			2.5E-6	
Sr-89			1.6E-7	
Ba-140			6.3E-7	
La-140			4.8E-6	
La-142			1.2E-4	
Pr-144			6.7E-4	

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Worksheet #3 - Fission Product Release Source Identification

Fission Product Release Source Identification for RCS/LPSI Sample					
Isotope	Decay Corrected Spec. Act. Worksheet #1	Sample Isotope Ratio	Predicted Fuel Pellet Inventory Ratio	Predicted Gas Gap Inventory Ratio	Identified Source Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap
Kr-87			0.2	0.001	
Xe-131m			0.003	0.001-0.003	
Xe-133		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-131		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-132			1.4	0.01-0.05	
I-133			2.0	0.5-1.0	
I-135			1.8	0.1-0.5	

Fission Product Release Source Identification for Containment Atmosphere Sample					
Isotope	Decay Corrected Spec. Act. Worksheet #2	Sample Isotope Ratio	Predicted Fuel Pellet Inventory Ratio	Predicted Gas Gap Inventory Ratio	Identified Source Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap
Kr-87			0.2	0.001	
Xe-131m			0.003	0.001-0.003	
Xe-133		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-131		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-132			1.4	0.01-0.05	
I-133			2.0	0.5-1.0	
I-135			1.8	0.1-0.5	

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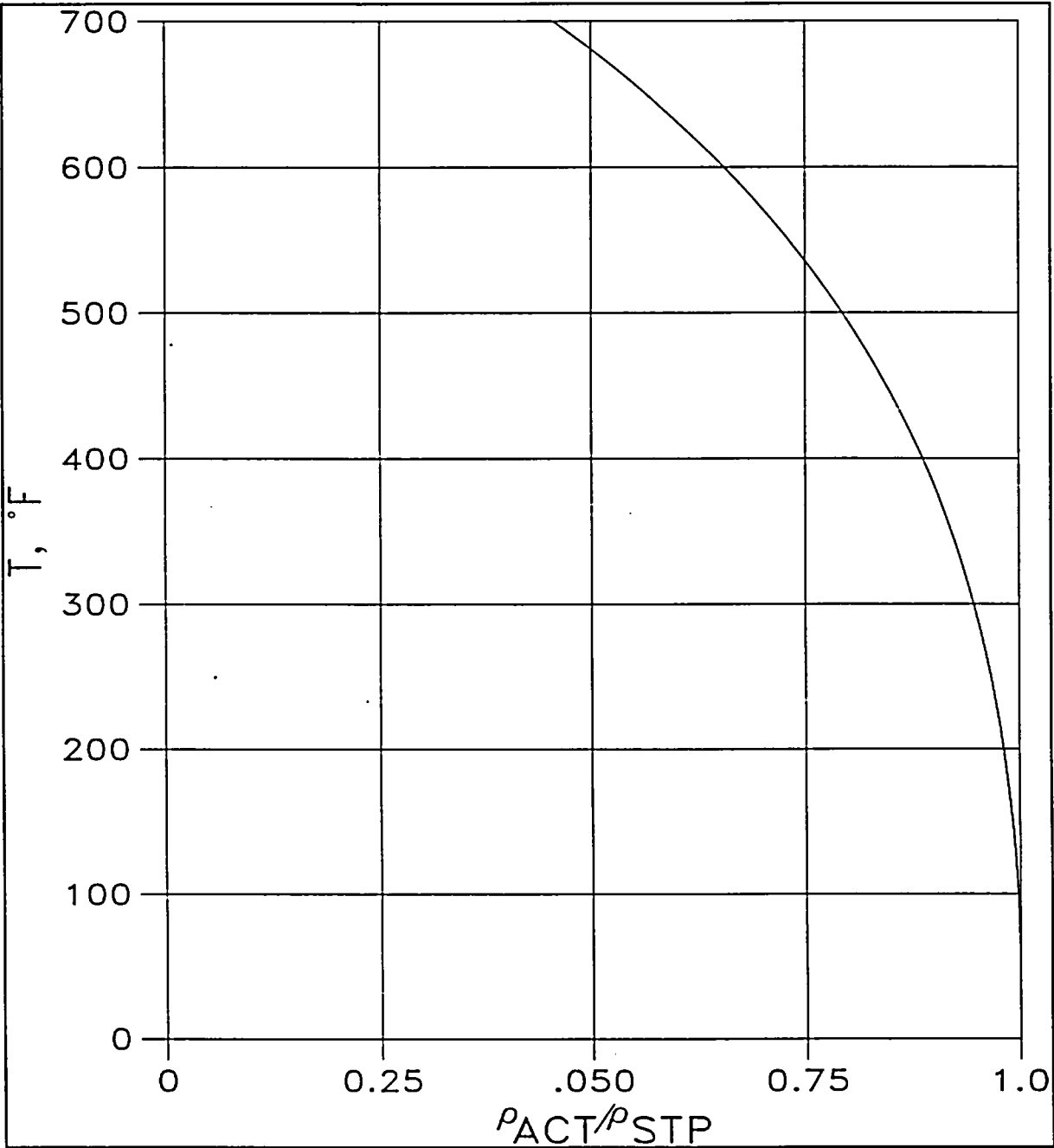
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Worksheet #3 - Fission Product Release Source Identification

Fission Product Release Source Identification for RCS/LPSI Sample					
Isotope	Decay Corrected Spec. Act. Worksheet #1	Sample Isotope Ratio	Predicted Fuel Pellet Inventory Ratio	Predicted Gas Gap Inventory Ratio	Identified Source Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap
Kr-87			0.2	0.001	
Xe-131m			0.003	0.001-0.003	
Xe-133		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-131		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-132			1.4	0.01-0.05	
I-133			2.0	0.5-1.0	
I-135			1.8	0.1-0.5	

Fission Product Release Source Identification for Containment Atmosphere Sample					
Isotope	Decay Corrected Spec. Act. Worksheet #2	Sample Isotope Ratio	Predicted Fuel Pellet Inventory Ratio	Predicted Gas Gap Inventory Ratio	Identified Source Fuel Pellet or Gas Gap
Kr-87			0.2	0.001	
Xe-131m			0.003	0.001-0.003	
Xe-133		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-131		1.0	1.0	1.0	N/A
I-132			1.4	0.01-0.05	
I-133			2.0	0.5-1.0	
I-135			1.8	0.1-0.5	

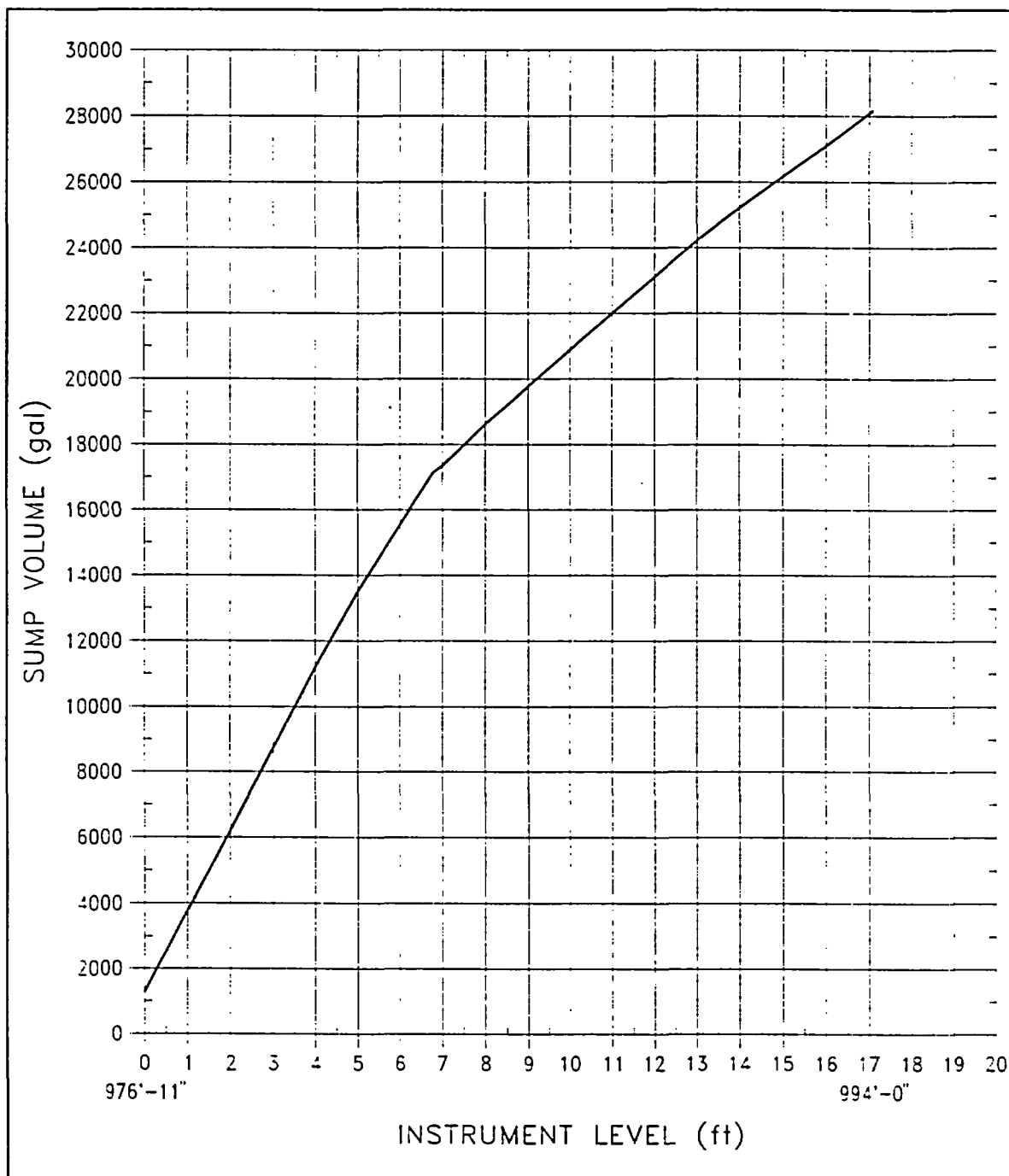
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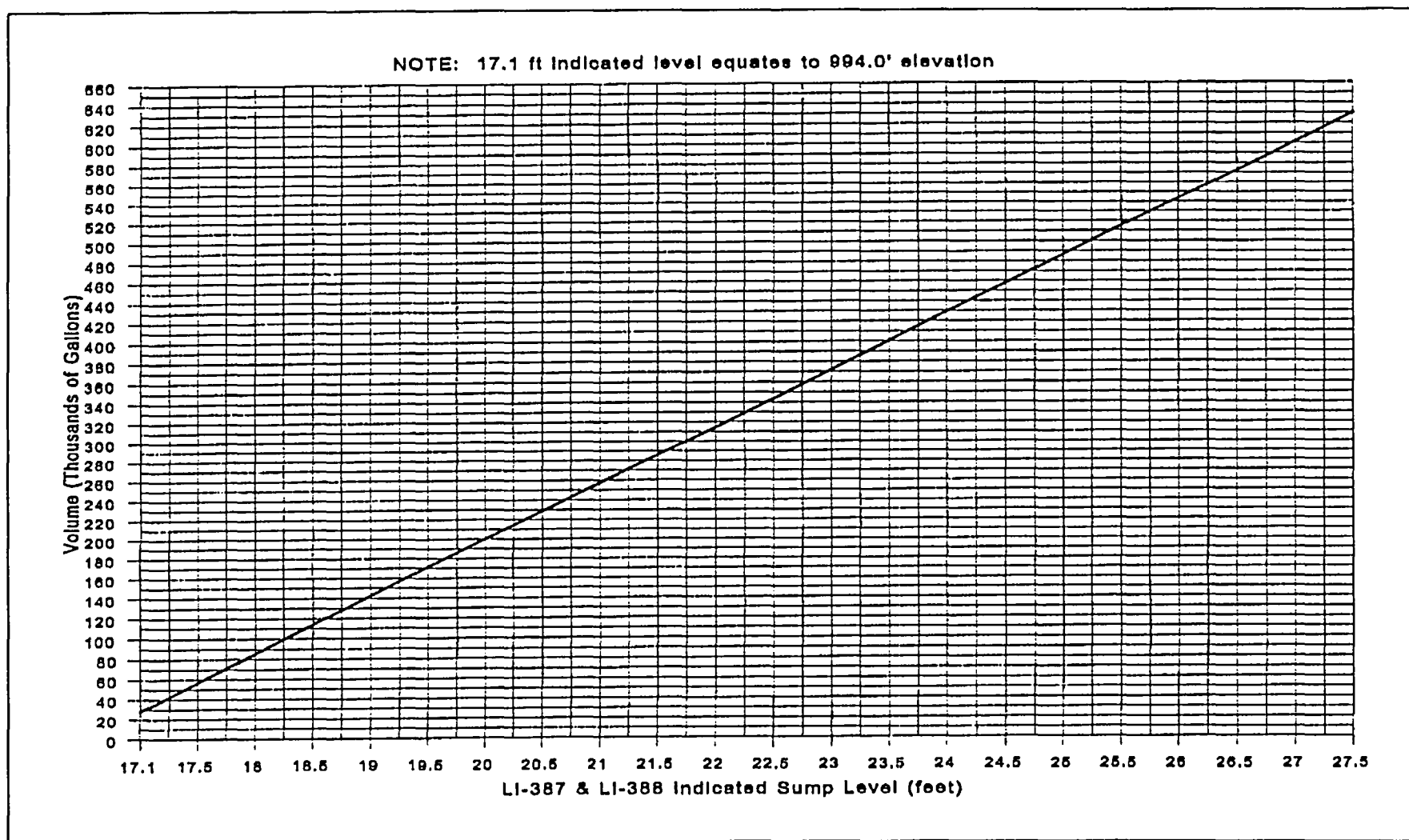
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Figure 2, Containment Sump/Basement Volume vs. L-387 or L-388 (Page 1 of 2)



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Figure 2, Containment Sump/Basement Volume vs. L-387 or L-388 (Page 2 of 2)

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Worksheet #5, Record of Release Quantity in the Containment

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
Isotope	Quantity in the Containment Sump (Curies)	Quantity in the RCS (Curies)	Quantity in the Containment Atmosphere (Curies)	Total Quantity in Containment (Curies)	Percent of Source Inventory
Gas Gap Inventory					
Kr-87					
Xe-131m					
Xe-133					
I-131					
I-132					
I-133					
I-135					
Fuel Pellet Inventory					
Kr-87					
Xe-131m					
Xe-133					
I-131					
I-132					
I-133					
I-135					
Cs-134					
Rb-88					
Te-129					
Te-132					
Sr-89					
Ba-140					
La-140					
La-142					
Pr-144					

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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
Isotopes (Fuel History Grouping)	Power Correction Factor	Equilibrium Source Inventory (Curies) <sup>1</sup>	Corrected Source Inventory
Gas Gap Inventory			
Kr-87 (2)		9.64E+05	
Xe-131m (1)		2.17E+04	
Xe-133 (1)		3.84E+06	
I-131 (1)		1.93E+06	
I-132 (2)		2.79E+06	
I-133 (2)		3.95E+06	
I-135 (2)		3.70E+06	
Fuel Pellet Inventory			
Kr-87 (2)		1.83E+07	
Xe-131m (1)		4.12E+05	
Xe-133 (1)		7.30E+07	
I-131 (1)		3.67E+07	
I-132 (2)		5.30E+07	
I-133 (2)		7.50E+07	
I-135 (2)		7.02E+07	
Cs-134 (1)		8.59E+07	
Rb-88 (2)		2.61E+07	
Te-129 (2)		1.16E+07	
Te-132 (1)		5.22E+07	
Sr-89 (1)		3.47E+07	
Ba-140 (1)		6.45E+07	
La-140 (1)		6.92E+07	
La-142 (2)		5.89E+07	
Pr-144 (2)		4.86E+07	

**NOTE<sup>1</sup>:** Source Inventory based on 80% of values in EA-FC-90-111. Gas Gap Inventory is 5% of the source inventory (NUREG 1465). Fuel Pellet inventory is 0.95% of the Source Inventory.

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Worksheet #6, Power Correction Factor (Page 2 of 3)

Isotope	Decay Constant (1/sec)	PCF for Period 1	PCF for Period 2	PCF for Period 3	PCF for Period 4
Kr-87 (2)	1.5E-4				
Xe-131m (1)	6.7E-7				
Xe-133 (1)	1.5E-6				
I-131 (1)	9.9E-7				
I-132 (2)	8.4E-5				
I-133 (2)	9.3E-6				
I-135 (2)	2.9E-5				
Cs-134 (1)	1.1E-8				
Rb-88 (2)	6.5E-4				
Te-129 (2)	1.7E-4				
Te-132 (1)	2.5E-6				
Sr-89 (1)	1.6E-7				
Ba-140 (1)	6.3E-7				
La-140 (1)	4.8E-6				
La-142 (2)	1.2E-4				
Pr-144 (2)	6.7E-4				

$$PCF = \frac{P_j (1 - e^{-\lambda d}) e^{-\lambda t}}{100}$$

Where:

$P_j$  = steady state power in period j

d = the duration of the period j in seconds

$\lambda$  = the decay constant (1/sec)

t = the time in seconds from the end of Power Period j to reactor shutdown

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Isotope	Decay Constant (1/sec)	PCF for Period 5	PCF for Period 6	PCF for Period 7	PCF for Period 8
Kr-87 (2)	1.5E-4				
Xe-131m (1)	6.7E-7				
Xe-133 (1)	1.5E-6				
I-131 (1)	9.9E-7				
I-132 (2)	8.4E-5				
I-133 (2)	9.3E-6				
I-135 (2)	2.9E-5				
Cs-134 (1)	1.1E-8				
Rb-88 (2)	6.5E-4				
Te-129 (2)	1.7E-4				
Te-132 (1)	2.5E-6				
Sr-89 (1)	1.6E-7				
Ba-140 (1)	6.3E-7				
La-140 (1)	4.8E-6				
La-142 (2)	1.2E-4				
Pr-144 (2)	6.7E-4				

$$PCF = \frac{P_j (1 - e^{-\lambda d}) e^{-\lambda t}}{100}$$

Where:

$P_j$  = steady state power in period j

d = the duration of the period j in seconds

$\lambda$  = the decay constant (1/sec)

t = the time in seconds from the end of period j to reactor shutdown

Attachment 6.8 - Clad Damage Characteristics of NRC Categories of Fuel Damage

NRC Category of Fuel Damage	Damage Mechanism	Release Mechanism	Release Source	Characteristic Isotopes	Characteristic Measurement	Measurement Range	Percentage Released From Source
① None	None	Halogen Spiking Tramp Uranium	Gas Gap	I-131, Cs-137, Rb-88			<1
② Initial Cladding Failure	Rupture due to Gas Gap	Clad Burst and Gas Gap	Gas Gap	Xe-131m Xe-133 I-131 I-133	Maximum Core Exit	<1500°F*	<10
③ Intermediate Cladding Failure	Over Pressurization		Gas Gap		Thermocouple Temperature	<1700°F*	10 to 50
④ Major Cladding Failure			Gas Gap			≈ < 2300°F ≈ < 2% Oxidation	> 50
⑤ Initial Fuel Pellet Overheating	Loss of Structural Integrity Due to Fuel Cladding Oxidation	Grain Boundary Diffusion	Fuel Pellet	Cs-134 Rb-88 Te-129 Te-132	Amount of H <sub>2</sub> Gas Produced (Equivalent to % of Core Oxidation)	Equivalent Core Oxidation < 3%	< 10
⑥ Intermediate Fuel Pellet Overheating			Fuel Pellet			Equivalent Core Oxidation < 18%	10 to 50
⑦ Major Fuel Pellet Overheating		Diffusional Release From UO <sub>2</sub> Grains	Fuel Pellet			Equivalent Core Oxidation	> 50
⑧ Fuel Pellet Melt	Reactions between UO <sub>2</sub> and solid metallic zircaloy melting of control Rod materials, and zirconium	Escape From Molten Fuel	Fuel Pellet	Sr-89 Ba-140 La-140 La-142 Pr-144			<10
⑨ Intermediate Fuel Pellet Melt			Fuel Pellet				10 to 50
⑩ Major Fuel Pellet Melt			Fuel Pellet				> 50

\* Depends on Reactor Pressure and Fuel Burn up. Values given for Pressure ≤ 1200 psia and Burn up 0.