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REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION TRIP SETPOINTSNOTATION (Continued)NOTE 2: OVERPOWER  $\Delta T$ 

$$\Delta T \left( \frac{1 + \tau_1 S}{1 + \tau_2 S} \right) \left( \frac{1}{1 + \tau_3 S} \right) \leq \Delta T_o \left\{ K_4 - K_5 \left( \frac{\tau_7 S}{1 + \tau_7 S} \right) \left( \frac{1}{1 + \tau_6 S} \right) T - K_6 \left[ T \left( \frac{1}{1 + \tau_6 S} \right) - T'' \right] - f_2(\Delta I) \right\}$$

Where:  $\Delta T$  = As defined in Note 1,

$$\frac{1 + \tau_1 S}{1 + \tau_2 S} = \text{As defined in Note 1}$$

 $\tau_1, \tau_2$  = As defined in Note 1

$$\frac{1}{1 + \tau_3 S} = \text{As defined in Note 1,}$$

 $\Delta T_o$  = As defined in Note 1,

$$K_4 \leq 1.0809,$$

 $K_5 = 0.02/^{\circ}\text{F}$  for increasing average temperature and 0 for decreasing average temperature,

$$\frac{\tau_7 S}{1 + \tau_7 S} = \text{The function generated by the rate-lag controller for } T_{\text{avg}} \text{ dynamic compensation,}$$

 $\tau_7$  = Time constant utilized in the rate-lag controller for  $T_{\text{avg}}$ ,  $\tau_7 \geq 5$  sec,

$$\frac{1}{1 + \tau_6 S} = \text{As defined in Note 1,}$$

 $\tau_6$  = As defined in Note 1,

$$K_6 = 0.001239/^{\circ}\text{F} \text{ for } T > T'' \text{ and } K_6 = 0 \text{ for } T \leq T'',$$

TABLE 2.2-1a (Continued)

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION TRIP SETPOINTSNOTATION (Continued)

- T = As defined in Note 1,  
 T" =  $\leq 588.2^{\circ}\text{F}$  Reference  $T_{\text{avg}}$  at RATED THERMAL POWER,  
 S = As defined in Note 1, and

$f_2(\Delta I)$  is a function of the indicated difference between top and bottom detectors of the power-range nuclear ion chambers; with gains to be selected based on measured instrument response during plant startup tests such that:

- (i) for  $q_t - q_b$  between  $-35\%$  and  $+35\% \Delta I$ ;  $f_2(\Delta I) = 0$ , where  $q_t$  and  $q_b$  are percent RATED THERMAL POWER in the top and bottom halves of the core respectively, and  $q_t + q_b$  is total THERMAL POWER in percent of RATED THERMAL POWER;  
 (ii) for each percent imbalance that the magnitude of  $q_t - q_b$  is more negative than  $-35\% \Delta I$ , the  $\Delta T$  Trip Setpoint shall be automatically reduced by 7.0% of  $\Delta T_o$ ; and  
 (iii) for each percent imbalance that the magnitude of  $q_t - q_b$  is more positive than  $+35\% \Delta I$ , the  $\Delta T$  Trip Setpoint shall be automatically reduced by 7.0% of  $\Delta T_o$ .

Note 3: The channel's maximum Trip Setpoint shall not exceed its computed Trip Setpoint by more than 3.6% of Rated Thermal Power.

Note 4: The channel's maximum Trip Setpoint shall not exceed its computed Trip Setpoint by more than 4.2% of Rated Thermal Power.



3/4.2.3 NUCLEAR ENTHALPY RISE HOT CHANNEL FACTOR -  $F_{\Delta H}(X,Y)$ LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.2.3  $F_{\Delta H}(X,Y)$  shall be limited by imposing the following relationship:

$$F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y) \leq [F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{LCO}$$

where:  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  - the measured radial peak.

$[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{LCO}$  - the maximum allowable radial peak as defined in Core Operating Limits Report (COLR).

APPLICABILITY: MODE 1. (UNIT 1)

ACTION:

With  $F_{\Delta H}(X,Y)$  exceeding its limit:

- a. Within 2 hours, reduce the allowable THERMAL POWER from RATED THERMAL POWER at least RRH%<sup>(1)</sup> for each 1% that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  exceeds the limit, and
- b. Within 6 hours either:
  1. Restore  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  to within the limit of Specification 3.2.3 for RATED THERMAL POWER, or
  2. Reduce the Power Range Neutron Flux-High Trip Setpoint in Table 2.2-1a at least RRH% for each 1% that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  exceeds that limit, and
- c. Within 72 hours of initially being outside the limit of Specification 3.2.3, either:
  1. Restore  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  to within the limit of Specification 3.2.3 for RATED THERMAL POWER, or
  2. Perform the following actions:

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<sup>(1)</sup> RRH is the amount of THERMAL POWER reduction required to compensate for each 1% that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  exceeds the limit of Specification 3.2.3, provided in the COLR per Specification 6.9.1.9.

3/4.2.3 NUCLEAR ENTHALPY RISE HOT CHANNEL FACTOR -  $F_{\Delta H}(X,Y)$ LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

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ACTION:

- (a) Reduce the OTΔT  $K_1$  term in Table 2.2-1a by at least TRH<sup>(2)</sup> for each 1% that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  exceeds the limit, and
- (b) Verify through incore mapping that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  is restored to within the limit for the reduced THERMAL POWER allowed by ACTION a, or reduce THERMAL POWER to less than 5% of RATED THERMAL POWER within the next 2 hours.

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<sup>(2)</sup> TRH is the amount of OTΔT  $K_1$  setpoint reduction required to compensate for each 1% that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  exceeds the limit of Specification 3.2.3, provided in the COLR per Specification 6.9.1.9.

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATIONACTION: (Continued)

- d. Identify and correct the cause of the out-of-limit condition prior to increasing THERMAL POWER above the reduced THERMAL POWER limit required by ACTION a. and/or c.2 above; subsequent POWER OPERATION may proceed provided that  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  is demonstrated, through incore flux mapping, to be within the Limit specified in the COLR prior to exceeding the following THERMAL POWER levels:
1. 50% of RATED THERMAL POWER,
  2. 75% of RATED THERMAL POWER, and
  3. Within 24 hours of attaining greater than or equal to 95% of RATED THERMAL POWER.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.2.3.1 The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable.

4.2.3.2  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  shall be evaluated to determine whether  $F_{\Delta H}(X,Y)$  is within its limit by:

- a. Using the movable incore detectors to obtain a power distribution map at any THERMAL POWER greater than 5% of RATED THERMAL POWER.
- b. Measuring  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  according to the following schedule:
  1. Upon reaching equilibrium conditions after exceeding 10% or more of RATED THERMAL POWER, the THERMAL POWER at which  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  was last determined<sup>(3)</sup>, or
  2. At least once per 31 Effective Full Power Days, or
  3. At each time the QUADRANT POWER TILT RATIO indicated by the excore detectors is normalized using incore detector measurements.
- c. Performing the following calculations:
  1. For each location, calculate the % margin to the maximum allowable design as follows:

<sup>(3)</sup> During power escalation at the beginning of each cycle, THERMAL POWER may be increased until a power level for extended operation has been achieved and a power distribution map obtained.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

$$\% F_{\Delta H} \text{ Margin} = \left(1 - \frac{F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)}{[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}}}\right) \times 100\%$$

No additional uncertainties are required for  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$ , because  $[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}}$  includes uncertainties.

2. Find the minimum margin of all locations examined in 4.2.3.2.c.1 above. If any margin is less than zero, comply with the ACTION requirements of Specification 3.2.3 as if  $[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}}$  is the same as  $[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{LCO}}$ .
- d. Extrapolating<sup>(4)</sup> at least two measurements to 31 Effective Full Power Days beyond the most recent measurement and if:

$$F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y) \text{ (extrapolated)} \geq [F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}} \text{ (extrapolated) and}$$

$$\frac{F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y) \text{ (extrapolated)}}{[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}} \text{ (extrapolated)}} > \frac{F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)}{[F_{\Delta H}^L(X,Y)]^{\text{surv}}}$$

either of the following actions shall be taken:

1.  $F_{\Delta H}^M(X,Y)$  shall be increased by 2 percent over that specified in 4.2.3.2.a, and the calculations of 4.2.3.2.c repeated, or
2. A movable incore detector power distribution map shall be obtained, and the calculations of 4.2.3.2.c shall be performed no later than the time at which the margin in 4.2.3.2.c is extrapolated to be equal to zero.

<sup>(4)</sup> Extrapolation of  $F_{\Delta H}^M$  for the initial flux map taken after reaching equilibrium conditions is not required since the initial flux map establishes the baseline measurement for future trending.

### 3/4.3 INSTRUMENTATION

UNIT 1

#### 3/4.3.1 REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

##### LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

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3.3.1 As a minimum, the Reactor Trip System Instrumentation channels and interlocks of Table 3.3-1a (Unit 1) shall be OPERABLE with RESPONSE TIMES as shown in Table 3.3-2a.

APPLICABILITY: As shown in Table 3.3-1a (Unit 1).

ACTION:

As shown in Table 3.3-1a.

##### SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

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4.3.1.1 Each Reactor Trip System Instrumentation channel and interlock shall be demonstrated OPERABLE by the performance of the Reactor Trip System Instrumentation Surveillance Requirements specified in Table 4.3-1a.

4.3.1.2 The REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM RESPONSE TIME of each Reactor trip function shall be demonstrated to be within its limit at least once per 18 months. Each test shall include at least one train such that both trains are tested at least once per 36 months and one channel per function such that all channels are tested at least once every N times 18 months where N is the total number of redundant channels in a specific Reactor trip function as shown in the "Total No. of Channels" column of Table 3.3-1a.

4.3.1.3 The response time of RTDs associated with the Reactor Trip System shall be demonstrated to be within their limits (see note 2 to Table 3.3-2a) at least once per 18 months.

TABLE 3.3-1a (Continued)

UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS</u>	<u>CHANNELS TO TRIP</u>	<u>MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE</u>	<u>APPLICABLE MODES</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
7. Overpower WT					
Four Loop Operation	4	2	3	1, 2	6
Three Loop Operation	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
8. Pressurizer Pressure-Low	4	2	3	1	6 (***)
9. Pressurizer Pressure--High	4	2	3	1, 2	6 (***)
10. Pressurizer Water Level--High	3	2	2	1	6
11. Low Reactor Coolant Flow					
a. Single Loop (Above P-8)	3/loop	2/loop in any oper- ating loop	2/loop in each oper- ating loop	1	6
b. Two Loops (Above P-7 and below P-8)	3/loop	2/loop in two oper- ating loops	2/loop each oper- ating loop	1	6
12. Steam Generator Water Level--Low-Low	4/stm. gen.	2/stm. gen. in any oper- ating stm. gen.	3/stm. gen. each oper- ating stm. gen.	1, 2	6 (***)

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TABLE 3.3-1a (Continued)

UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS</u>	<u>CHANNELS TO TRIP</u>	<u>MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE</u>	<u>APPLICABLE MODES</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
13. Undervoltage-Reactor Coolant Pumps (above P-7)	4-1/bus	2	3	1	6
14. Underfrequency-Reactor Coolant Pumps (above P-7)	4-1/bus	2	3	1	6
15. Turbine Trip					
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	3	2	2	1	6
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	4	4	1	1	11
16. Safety Injection Input from ESF	2	1	2	1, 2	9
17. Reactor Trip System Interlocks					
a. Intermediate Range Neutron Flux, P-6	2	1	2	2 <sup>##</sup>	8
b. Low Power Reactor Trips Block, P-7					
P-10 Input	4	2	3	1	8
or					
P-13 Input	2	1	2	1	8
c. Power Range Neutron Flux, P-8	4	2	3	1	8
d. Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux, P-10	4	2	3	1, 2	8
e. Turbine Impulse Chamber Pressure, P-13	2	1	2	1	8

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TABLE 3.3-1a (Continued)

UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

FUNCTIONAL UNIT	TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS	CHANNELS TO TRIP	MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE	APPLICABLE MODES	ACTION
18. Reactor Trip Breakers	2 2	1 1	2 2	1, 2 3*, 4*, 5*	9, 12 10
19. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	2 2	1 1	2 2	1, 2 3*, 4*, 5*	9 10

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TABLE NOTATION

- \* With the Reactor Trip System breakers in the closed position, the Control Rod Drive System capable of rod withdrawal.
- \*\* Values left blank pending NRC approval of three loop operation.
- \*\*\* Comply with the provisions of Specification 3.3.2 for any portion of the channel required to be OPERABLE by Specification 3.3.2.
- ## Below the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.
- ### Below the P-10 (Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.

ACTION STATEMENTS

- ACTION 1 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or be in HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours.
- ACTION 2 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Total Number of Channels, STARTUP and/or POWER OPERATION may proceed provided the following conditions are satisfied:
- The inoperable channel is placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours,
  - The Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement is met; however, the inoperable channel may be bypassed for up to 4 hours for surveillance testing of other channels per Specification 4.3.1.1, and
  - Either, THERMAL POWER is restricted to less than or equal to 75% of RATED THERMAL POWER and the Power Range Neutron Flux Trip Setpoint is reduced to less than or equal to 85% of RATED THERMAL POWER within 4 hours; or, the QUADRANT POWER TILT RATIO is monitored at least once per 12 hours per Specification 4.2.4.2.

ACTION STATEMENTS (Continued)

- ACTION 3 - With the number of channels OPERABLE one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement and with the THERMAL POWER level:
- Below the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status prior to increasing THERMAL POWER above the P-6 Setpoint, and
  - Above the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint but below 10% of RATED THERMAL POWER, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status prior to increasing THERMAL POWER above 10% of RATED THERMAL POWER.
- ACTION 4 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement suspend all operations involving positive reactivity changes.
- ACTION 5 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, verify compliance with the SHUTDOWN MARGIN requirements of Specification 3.1.1.1 or 3.1.1.2, as applicable, within 1 hour and at least once per 12 hours thereafter.
- ACTION 6 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Total Number of Channels, STARTUP and/or POWER OPERATION may proceed provided the following conditions are satisfied:
- The inoperable channel is placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours, and
  - The Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement is met; however, the inoperable channel may be bypassed for up to 4 hours for surveillance testing of other channels per Specification 4.3.1.1 and Specification 4.3.2.1.
- ACTION 7- Delete
- ACTION 8 - With less than the Minimum Number of Channels OPERABLE, within 1 hour determine by observation of the associated permissive annunciator window(s) that the interlock is in its required state for the existing plant condition, or apply Specification 3.0.3.

ACTION STATEMENTS (Continued)

- ACTION 9 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, be in at least HOT STANDBY within 6 hours; however, one channel may be bypassed for up to 2 hours for surveillance testing per Specification 4.3.1.1, provided the other channel is OPERABLE.
- ACTION 10 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or open the Reactor trip breakers within the next hour.
- ACTION 11 - With the number of OPERABLE channels less than the Total Number of Channels, operation may continue provided the inoperable channels are placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours.
- ACTION 12 - With one of the diverse trip features (Undervoltage or shunt trip attachment) inoperable, restore it to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or declare the breaker inoperable and apply ACTION 9. The breaker shall not be bypassed while one of the diverse trip features is inoperable except for the time required for performing maintenance to restore the breaker to OPERABLE status.

TABLE 3.3-2a (Continued)

UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION RESPONSE TIMES

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>RESPONSE TIME</u>
11. Low Reactor Coolant Flow	
a. Single Loop (Above P-8)	<1.0 second
b. Two Loops (Above P-7 and below P-8)	<1.0 second
12. Steam Generator Water Level--Low-Low	<2.0 (Unit 1), 3.5 (Unit 2) seconds
13. Undervoltage-Reactor Coolant Pumps	<1.5 seconds
14. Underfrequency-Reactor Coolant Pumps	<0.6 second
15. Turbine Trip	
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	N.A.
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	N.A.
16. Safety Injection Input from ESF	N.A.
17. Reactor Trip System Interlocks	N.A.
18. Reactor Trip Breakers	N.A.
19. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	N.A.

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TABLE 4.3-1a (Continued)

UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>CHANNEL CHECK</u>	<u>CHANNEL CALIBRATION</u>	<u>ANALOG CHANNEL OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>MODES FOR WHICH ACTUATION LOGIC TEST</u>	<u>SURVEILLANCE IS REQUIRED</u>
12. Steam Generator Water Level-- Low-Low	S	R	M	N.A.	N.A.	1, 2
13. Undervoltage - Reactor Coolant Pumps	N.A.	R	N.A.	M	N.A.	1
14. Underfrequency - Reactor Coolant Pumps	N.A.	R	N.A.	M	N.A.	1
15. Turbine Trip						
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	N.A.	R	N.A.	S/U(1, 10)	N.A.	1
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	N.A.	R	N.A.	S/U(1, 10)	N.A.	1
16. Safety Injection Input from ESF	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	R	N.A.	1, 2
17. Reactor Trip System Interlocks						
a. Intermediate Range Neutron Flux, P-6	N.A.	R(4)	M	N.A.	N.A.	2 <sup>##</sup>
b. Low Power Reactor Trips Block, P-7	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1
c. Power Range Neutron Flux, P-8	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1

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UNIT 1

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>CHANNEL CHECK</u>	<u>CHANNEL CALIBRATION</u>	<u>ANALOG CHANNEL OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>ACTUATION LOGIC TEST</u>	<u>MODES FOR WHICH SURVEILLANCE IS REQUIRED</u>
d. Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux, P-10	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1, 2
e. Turbine Impulse Chamber Pressure, P-13	N.A.	R	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1
18. Reactor Trip Breaker	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (7, 12)	N.A.	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*
19. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (7)	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*
20. Reactor Trip Bypass Breakers	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (13), R (14)	N.A.	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*

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TABLE NOTATION

- \* - With the Reactor Trip System breakers closed and the Control Rod Drive System capable of rod withdrawal.
- ## - Below P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.
- ### - Below P-10 (Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.
- (1) - If not performed in previous 7 days.
- (2) - Comparison of calorimetric to excore power indication above 15% of RATED THERMAL POWER. Adjust excore channel gains consistent with calorimetric power if absolute difference is greater than 2%. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (3) - Single point comparison of incore to excore axial flux difference above 15% of RATED THERMAL POWER. Recalibrate if the absolute difference is greater than or equal to 3%. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (4) - Neutron detectors may be excluded from CHANNEL CALIBRATION.
- (5) - Detector plateau curves shall be obtained, evaluated, and compared to manufacturer's data. For the Intermediate Range and Power Range Neutron Flux channels the provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (6) - Incore - Excore Calibration, above 75% of RATED THERMAL POWER. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (7) - Each train shall be tested at least every 62 days on a STAGGERED TEST BASIS.
- (8) - With power greater than or equal to the interlock Setpoint the required operational test shall consist of verifying that the interlock is in the required state by observing the permissive annunciator window.
- (9) - Monthly surveillance in MODES 3\*, 4\* and 5\* shall also include verification that permissives P-6 and P-10 are in their required state for existing plant conditions by observation of the permissive annunciator window. Monthly surveillance shall include verification of the High Flux at Shutdown Alarm Setpoint of less than or equal to five times background.
- (10) - Setpoint verification is not required.

TABLE NOTATION

- (11) - The TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST shall independently verify the OPERABILITY of the undervoltage and shunt trip circuits for the Manual Reactor Trip Function.
- (12) - The TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST shall independently verify the OPERABILITY of the undervoltage and shunt trip attachments of the Reactor Trip Breakers.
- (13) - Prior to placing breaker in service, a local manual shunt trip shall be performed.
- (14) - The automative undervoltage trip capability shall be verified operable.



TABLE 3.3-5a (Continued)

TABLE NOTATION

- (1) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays included. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps, Safety Injection and RHR pumps.
- (2) Valves 1KC305B and 1KC315B for Unit 1 and Valves 2KC305B and 2KC315B for Unit 2 are exceptions to the response times listed in the table. The following response times in seconds are the required values for these valves for the initiating signal and function indicated:
- |     |                          |
|-----|--------------------------|
| 2.d | $\leq 30^{(3)}/40^{(4)}$ |
| 3.d | $\leq 30^{(3)}$          |
| 4.d | $\leq 30^{(3)}/40^{(4)}$ |
- (3) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays not included. Offsite power available. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps.
- (4) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays included. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps.
- (5) Response time for motor-driven auxiliary feedwater pumps on all Safety Injection signal shall be less than or equal to 60 seconds. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for auxiliary feedwater pumps.
- (6) The turbine driven pump does not start on a blackout signal coincident with a safety injection signal.

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LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

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3.3.1 As a minimum, the Reactor Trip System Instrumentation channels and interlocks of Table 3.3-1b (Unit 2) shall be OPERABLE with RESPONSE TIMES as shown in Table 3.3-2b.

APPLICABILITY: As shown in Table 3.3-1b (Unit 2).

ACTION:

As shown in Table 3.3-1b.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

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4.3.1.1 Each Reactor Trip System Instrumentation channel and interlock shall be demonstrated OPERABLE by the performance of the Reactor Trip System Instrumentation Surveillance Requirements specified in Table 4.3-1b.

4.3.1.2 The REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM RESPONSE TIME of each Reactor trip function shall be demonstrated to be within its limit at least once per 18 months. Each test shall include at least one train such that both trains are tested at least once per 36 months and one channel per function such that all channels are tested at least once every N times 18 months where N is the total number of redundant channels in a specific Reactor trip function as shown in the "Total No. of Channels" column of Table 3.3-1b.

4.3.1.3 The response time of RTDs associated with the Reactor Trip System shall be demonstrated to be within their limits (see note 2 to Table 3.3-2b) at least once per 18 months.

TABLE 3.3-1b (Continued)

UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS</u>	<u>CHANNELS TO TRIP</u>	<u>MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE</u>	<u>APPLICABLE MODES</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
8. Overpower WT					
Four Loop Operation	4	2	3	1, 2	6
Three Loop Operation	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
9. Pressurizer Pressure-Low	4	2	3	1	6 (***)
10. Pressurizer Pressure--High	4	2	3	1, 2	6 (***)
11. Pressurizer Water Level--High	3	2	2	1	6
12. Low Reactor Coolant Flow					
a. Single Loop (Above P-8)	3/loop	2/loop in any oper- ating loop	2/loop in each oper- ating loop	1	6
b. Two Loops (Above P-7 and below P-8)	3/loop	2/loop in two oper- ating loops	2/loop each oper- ating loop	1	6
13. Steam Generator Water Level--Low-Low	4/stm. gen.	2/stm. gen. in any oper- ating stm. gen.	3/stm. gen. each oper- ating stm. gen.	1, 2	6 (***)

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UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS</u>	<u>CHANNELS TO TRIP</u>	<u>MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE</u>	<u>APPLICABLE MODES</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
14. Undervoltage-Reactor Coolant Pumps (above P-7)	4-1/bus	2	3	1	6
15. Underfrequency-Reactor Coolant Pumps (above P-7)	4-1/bus	2	3	1	6
16. Turbine Trip					
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	3	2	2	1	6
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	4	4	1	1	11
17. Safety Injection Input from ESF	2	1	2	1, 2	9
18. Reactor Trip System Interlocks					
a. Intermediate Range Neutron Flux, P-6	2	1	2	2 <sup>##</sup>	8
b. Low Power Reactor Trips Block, P-7					
P-10 Input	4	2	3	1	8
or					
P-13 Input	2	1	2	1	8
c. Power Range Neutron Flux, P-8	4	2	3	1	8
d. Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux, P-10	4	2	3	1, 2	8
e. Turbine Impulse Chamber Pressure, P-13	2	1	2	1	8

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UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>TOTAL NO. OF CHANNELS</u>	<u>CHANNELS TO TRIP</u>	<u>MINIMUM CHANNELS OPERABLE</u>	<u>APPLICABLE MODES</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
19. Reactor Trip Breakers	2 2	1 1	2 2	1, 2 3*, 4*, 5*	9, 12 10
20. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	2 2	1 1	2 2	1, 2 3*, 4*, 5*	9 10

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TABLE NOTATION

\* With the Reactor Trip System breakers in the closed position, the Control Rod Drive System capable of rod withdrawal.

\*\* Values left blank pending NRC approval of three loop operation.

\*\*\* Comply with the provisions of Specification 3.3.2 for any portion of the channel required to be OPERABLE by Specification 3.3.2.

## Below the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.

### Below the P-10 (Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.

ACTION STATEMENTS

ACTION 1 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or be in HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours.

ACTION 2 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Total Number of Channels, STARTUP and/or POWER OPERATION may proceed provided the following conditions are satisfied:

- a. The inoperable channel is placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours,
- b. The Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement is met; however, the inoperable channel may be bypassed for up to 4 hours for surveillance testing of other channels per Specification 4.3.1.1, and
- c. Either, THERMAL POWER is restricted to less than or equal to 75% of RATED THERMAL POWER and the Power Range Neutron Flux Trip Setpoint is reduced to less than or equal to 85% of RATED THERMAL POWER within 4 hours; or, the QUADRANT POWER TILT RATIO is monitored at least once per 12 hours per Specification 4.2.4.2.

ACTION STATEMENTS (Continued)

- ACTION 3 - With the number of channels OPERABLE one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement and with the THERMAL POWER level:
- Below the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status prior to increasing THERMAL POWER above the P-6 Setpoint, and
  - Above the P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint but below 10% of RATED THERMAL POWER, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status prior to increasing THERMAL POWER above 10% of RATED THERMAL POWER.
- ACTION 4 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement suspend all operations involving positive reactivity changes.
- ACTION 5 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, verify compliance with the SHUTDOWN MARGIN requirements of Specification 3.1.1.1 or 3.1.1.2, as applicable, within 1 hour and at least once per 12 hours thereafter.
- ACTION 6 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Total Number of Channels, STARTUP and/or POWER OPERATION may proceed provided the following conditions are satisfied:
- The inoperable channel is placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours, and
  - The Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement is met; however, the inoperable channel may be bypassed for up to 4 hours for surveillance testing of other channels per Specification 4.3.1.1 and Specification 4.3.2.1.
- ACTION 7- Delete
- ACTION 8 - With less than the Minimum Number of Channels OPERABLE, within 1 hour determine by observation of the associated permissive annunciator window(s) that the interlock is in its required state for the existing plant condition, or apply Specification 3.0.3.

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- ACTION 9 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, be in at least HOT STANDBY within 6 hours; however, one channel may be bypassed for up to 2 hours for surveillance testing per Specification 4.3.1.1, provided the other channel is OPERABLE.
- ACTION 10 - With the number of OPERABLE channels one less than the Minimum Channels OPERABLE requirement, restore the inoperable channel to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or open the Reactor trip breakers within the next hour.
- ACTION 11 - With the number of OPERABLE channels less than the Total Number of Channels, operation may continue provided the inoperable channels are placed in the tripped condition within 6 hours.
- ACTION 12 - With one of the diverse trip features (Undervoltage or shunt trip attachment) inoperable, restore it to OPERABLE status within 48 hours or declare the breaker inoperable and apply ACTION 9. The breaker shall not be bypassed while one of the diverse trip features is inoperable except for the time required for performing maintenance to restore the breaker to OPERABLE status.



TABLE 3.3-2b (Continued)

UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION RESPONSE TIMES

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>RESPONSE TIME</u>
12. Low Reactor Coolant Flow	
a. Single Loop (Above P-8)	<1.0 second
b. Two Loops (Above P-7 and below P-8)	<1.0 second
13. Steam Generator Water Level--Low-Low	<2.0 (Unit 1), 3.5 (Unit 2) seconds
14. Undervoltage-Reactor Coolant Pumps	<1.5 seconds
15. Underfrequency-Reactor Coolant Pumps	<0.6 second
16. Turbine Trip	
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	N.A.
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	N.A.
17. Safety Injection Input from ESF	N.A.
18. Reactor Trip System Interlocks	N.A.
19. Reactor Trip Breakers	N.A.
20. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	N.A.

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UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

FUNCTIONAL UNIT	CHANNEL CHECK	CHANNEL CALIBRATION	ANALOG CHANNEL OPERATIONAL TEST	TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST	MODES FOR WHICH ACTUATION LOGIC TEST	SURVEILLANCE IS REQUIRED
13. Steam Generator Water Level-- Low-Low	S	R	M	N.A.	N.A.	1, 2
14. Undervoltage - Reactor Coolant Pumps	N.A.	R	N.A.	M	N.A.	1
15. Underfrequency - Reactor Coolant Pumps	N.A.	R	N.A.	M	N.A.	1
16. Turbine Trip						
a. Low Fluid Oil Pressure	N.A.	R	N.A.	S/U(1, 10)	N.A.	1
b. Turbine Stop Valve Closure	N.A.	R	N.A.	S/U(1, 10)	N.A.	1
17. Safety Injection Input from ESF	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	R	N.A.	1, 2
18. Reactor Trip System Interlocks						
a. Intermediate Range Neutron Flux, P-6	N.A.	R(4)	M	N.A.	N.A.	2 <sup>##</sup>
b. Low Power Reactor Trips Block, P-7	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1
c. Power Range Neutron Flux, P-8	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1

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UNIT 2

REACTOR TRIP SYSTEM INSTRUMENTATION SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

<u>FUNCTIONAL UNIT</u>	<u>CHANNEL CHECK</u>	<u>CHANNEL CALIBRATION</u>	<u>ANALOG CHANNEL OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST</u>	<u>ACTUATION LOGIC TEST</u>	<u>MODES FOR WHICH SURVEILLANCE IS REQUIRED</u>
d. Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux, P-10	N.A.	R(4)	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1, 2
e. Turbine Impulse Chamber Pressure, P-13	N.A.	R	M (8)	N.A.	N.A.	1
19. Reactor Trip Breaker	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (7, 12)	N.A.	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*
20. Automatic Trip and Interlock Logic	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (7)	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*
21. Reactor Trip Bypass Breakers	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	M (13), R (14)	N.A.	1, 2, 3*, 4*, 5*

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TABLE NOTATION

- \* - With the Reactor Trip System breakers closed and the Control Rod Drive System capable of rod withdrawal.
- ## - Below P-6 (Intermediate Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.
- ### - Below P-10 (Low Setpoint Power Range Neutron Flux Interlock) Setpoint.
- (1) - If not performed in previous 7 days.
- (2) - Comparison of calorimetric to excore power indication above 15% of RATED THERMAL POWER. Adjust excore channel gains consistent with calorimetric power if absolute difference is greater than 2%. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (3) - Single point comparison of incore to excore axial flux difference above 15% of RATED THERMAL POWER. Recalibrate if the absolute difference is greater than or equal to 3%. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (4) - Neutron detectors may be excluded from CHANNEL CALIBRATION.
- (5) - Detector plateau curves shall be obtained, evaluated, and compared to manufacturer's data. For the Intermediate Range and Power Range Neutron Flux channels the provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (6) - Incore - Excore Calibration, above 75% of RATED THERMAL POWER. The provisions of Specification 4.0.4 are not applicable for entry into MODE 2 or 1.
- (7) - Each train shall be tested at least every 62 days on a STAGGERED TEST BASIS.
- (8) - With power greater than or equal to the interlock Setpoint the required operational test shall consist of verifying that the interlock is in the required state by observing the permissive annunciator window.
- (9) - Monthly surveillance in MODES 3\*, 4\* and 5\* shall also include verification that permissives P-6 and P-10 are in their required state for existing plant conditions by observation of the permissive annunciator window. Monthly surveillance shall include verification of the High Flux at Shutdown Alarm Setpoint of less than or equal to five times background.
- (10) - Setpoint verification is not required.

TABLE NOTATION

- (11) - The TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST shall independently verify the OPERABILITY of the undervoltage and shunt trip circuits for the Manual Reactor Trip Function.
- (12) - The TRIP ACTUATING DEVICE OPERATIONAL TEST shall independently verify the OPERABILITY of the undervoltage and shunt trip attachments of the Reactor Trip Breakers.
- (13) - Prior to placing breaker in service, a local manual shunt trip shall be performed.
- (14) - The automative undervoltage trip capability shall be verified operable.

TABLE NOTATION

- (1) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays included. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps, Safety Injection and RHR pumps.
- (2) Valves 1KC305B and 1KC315B for Unit 1 and Valves 2KC305B and 2KC315B for Unit 2 are exceptions to the response times listed in the table. The following response times in seconds are the required values for these valves for the initiating signal and function indicated:
 

2.d	$\leq$	$30^{(3)}/40^{(4)}$
3.d	$\leq$	$30^{(3)}$
4.d	$\leq$	$30^{(3)}/40^{(4)}$
- (3) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays not included. Offsite power available. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps.
- (4) Diesel generator starting and sequence loading delays included. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps.
- (5) Response time for motor-driven auxiliary feedwater pumps on all Safety Injection signal shall be less than or equal to 60 seconds. Response time limit includes opening of valves to establish Safety Injection path and attainment of discharge pressure for auxiliary feedwater pumps.
- (6) The turbine driven pump does not start on a blackout signal coincident with a safety injection signal.