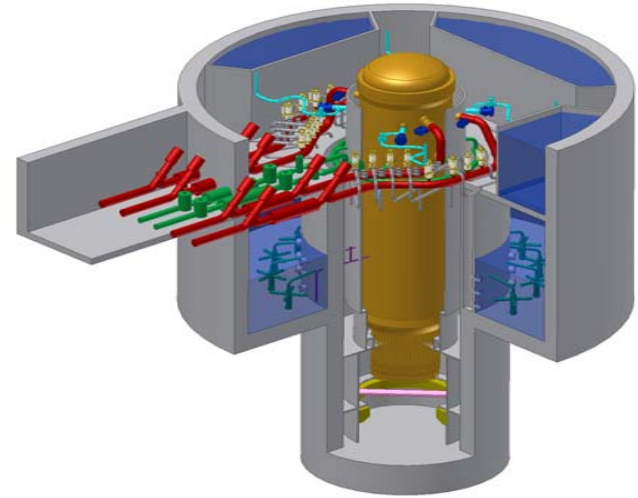
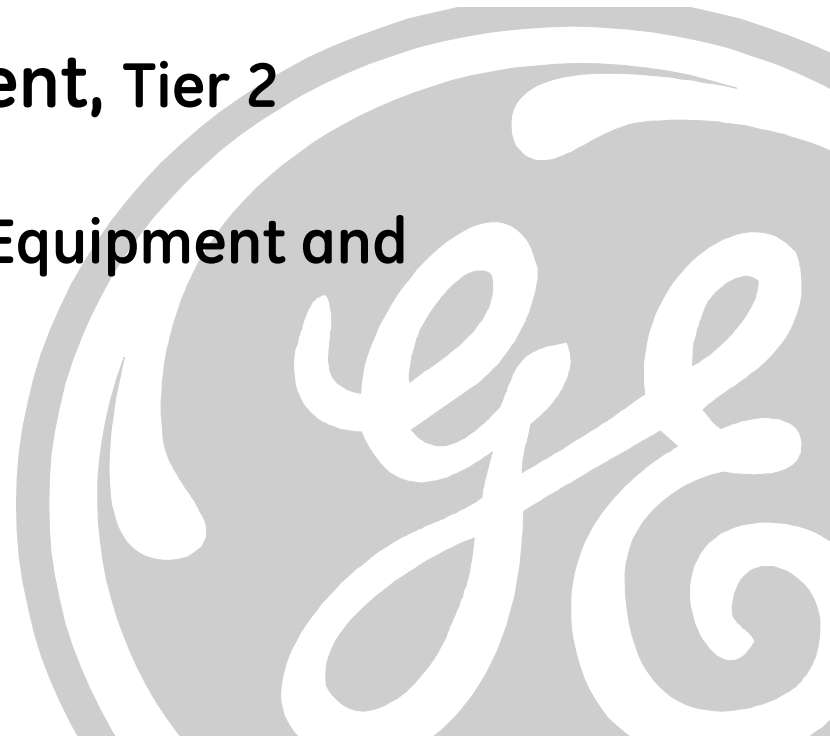


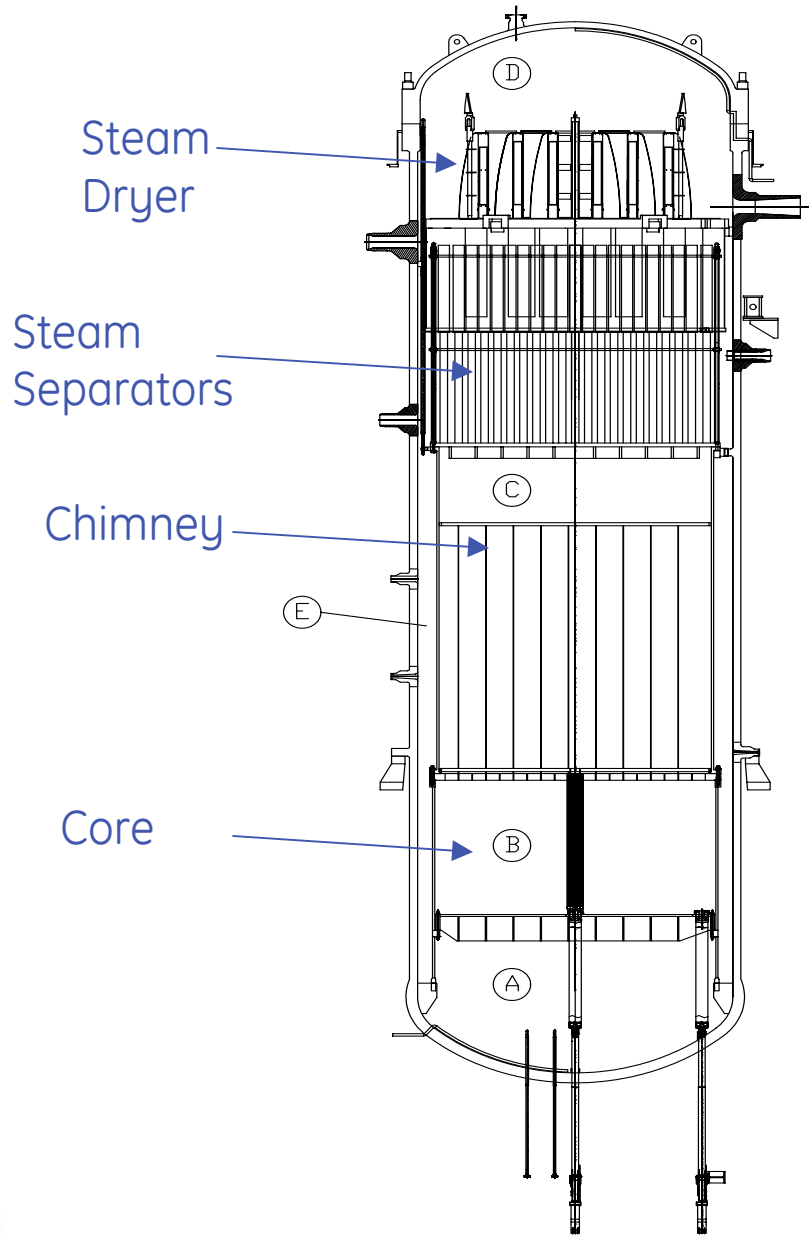
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# ESBWR RPV & Internals - New Features

- Chimney with Partitions
- Shroud Supported by 12 Bracket Supports from RPV
- Upper Support at Top of Chimney
- Reactor Vessel Supported by 8 Sliding Supports
- Four Drain Lines (enter RPV outside of CRD pattern)
- Standby Liquid Control Lines are Routed from Above the Core and Penetrate the Shroud
- Chimney Head is a Flat Plate

**Table 3.9-2**

**Load Combinations and Acceptance Criteria for Safety-Related, ASME Code Class 1, 2 and 3 Components, Component Supports, and Class CS Structures**

<b>Plant Event</b>	<b>Service Loading Combination</b> <sup>(1), (2), (3)</sup>	<b>ASME Service Level</b> <sup>(4)</sup>
1. Normal Operation (NO)	N	A
2. Plant/System Operating Transients (SOT)	(a) N + TSV	B
	(b) N + SRV <sup>(5)</sup>	B
3. NO + SSE	N + SSE	B <sup>(12), (13)</sup>
4. Infrequent Operating Transient (IOT), ATWS, DPV	(a) N <sup>(6)</sup> + SRV <sup>(5)</sup>	C <sup>(14)</sup>
	(b) N + DPV <sup>(7)</sup>	C <sup>(14)</sup>
5. SBL	N + SRV <sup>(8)</sup> + SBL <sup>(9)</sup>	C <sup>(14)</sup>
6. SBL or IBL + SSE	N + SBL (or IBL) <sup>(9)</sup> + SSE + SRV <sup>(8)</sup>	D <sup>(10), (14)</sup>
7. LBL + SSE	N + LBL <sup>(9)</sup> + SSE	D <sup>(10), (14)</sup>
8. NLF	N + SRV <sup>(5)</sup> + TSV <sup>(11)</sup>	D <sup>(14)</sup>

## Load Combinations and Acceptance Criteria for Class 1 Piping Systems

Condition	Load Combination for all terms <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	Acceptance Criteria
Design	PD + WT	Eq 9 $\leq 1.5 S_m$ NB-3652
Service Level A & B	PP, TE, $\Delta T_1$ , $\Delta T_2$ , TA-TB, RV <sub>1</sub> , RV <sub>2</sub> I, RV <sub>2</sub> D, TSV, SSEI, SSED	Fatigue - NB-3653: Eq 12 & 13 $\leq 3.0 S_m$  U < 1.0
Service Level B	PP + WT + (TSV) PP + WT + (RV <sub>1</sub> ) PP + WT + (RV <sub>2</sub> I)	Eq 9 $\leq 1.8 S_{mb}$ , but not greater than 1.5 S <sub>y</sub>  Pressure not to exceed 1.1 P <sub>a</sub> (NB-3654)
Service Level C	PP + WT + [(CHUGI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>1</sub> ) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(CHUGI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>2</sub> I) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup>	Eq 9 $\leq 2.25 S_{mb}$ , but not greater than 1.8 S <sub>y</sub>  Pressure not to exceed 1.5 P <sub>a</sub> (NB-3654)
Service Level D	PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (TSV) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (CHUGI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>1</sub> ) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (CHUGI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>2</sub> I) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (CONDI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>1</sub> ) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (CONDI) <sup>2</sup> + (RV <sub>2</sub> I) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup> PP + WT + [(SSEI) <sup>2</sup> + (API) <sup>2</sup> ] <sup>1/2</sup>	Eq 9 $\leq 3.0 S_m$ but not greater than 2.0 S <sub>y</sub>  Pressure not to exceed 2.0 P <sub>a</sub> (NB-3654)

# Piping Analysis Completed to Support ESBWR Design Certification

- ASME Code Thermal Analysis (heatup and transients including thermal stratification) for the Following Piping inside Containment:
  - Main Steam Lines (28") Including SRV Discharge Lines (10")
  - Feedwater (12" & 22")
  - Reactor Water Cleanup/Shutdown Cooling Line (12")
  - Isolation Condenser Line from RPV to Isolation Condenser (14" & 18")

## Criteria that was Met:

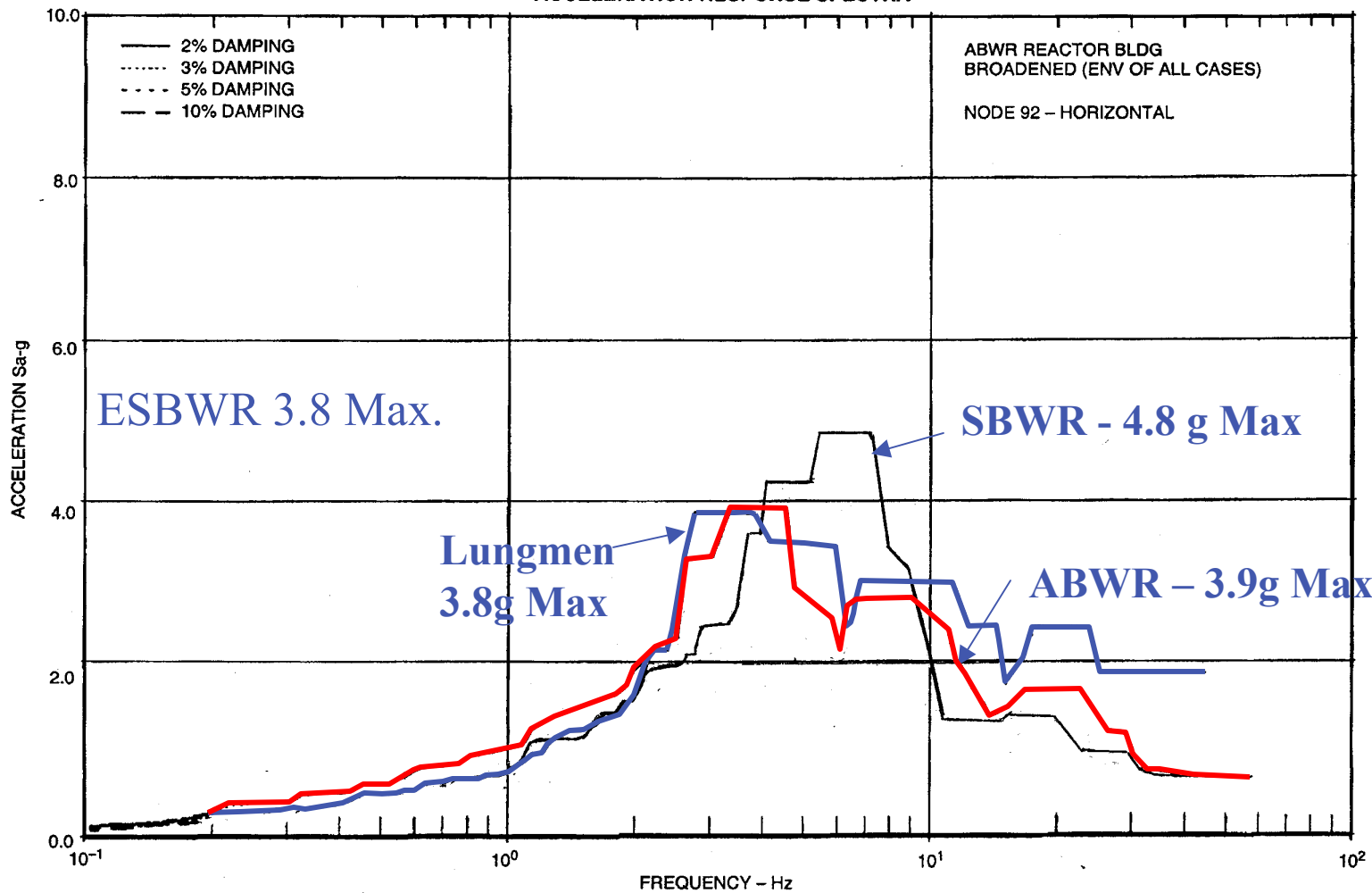
- $< 0.80 \times$  ASME Code limit for Eq. 12
- Fatigue Usage  $< 0.10$
- Erosion/Corrosion Evaluation of Feedwater and Main Steam Piping

# Lungmen Project - Containment Piping Experience

Lungmen Line #	System	Eq 12 Max Stress Ratio (Thermal)	Eq 13 Max Stress Ratio (Dynamic)	Eq 14 Max Fatigue
B21-2501A	Main Steam	0.70	0.46	0.079
B21-2502A	Main Steam	0.60	0.50	0.068
B21-2503A	Main Steam	0.54	0.50	0.076
B21-2504A	Main Steam	0.75	0.49	0.099
N22-2501	Feedwater	0.79	0.61	0.085
N22-2502	Feedwater	0.79	0.63	0.085
E11-2501	RHR	0.54	0.53	0.074
E11-2502	RHR	0.78	0.75	0.077
E22-2501	High Pressure Core Flooder	0.60	0.45	0.079

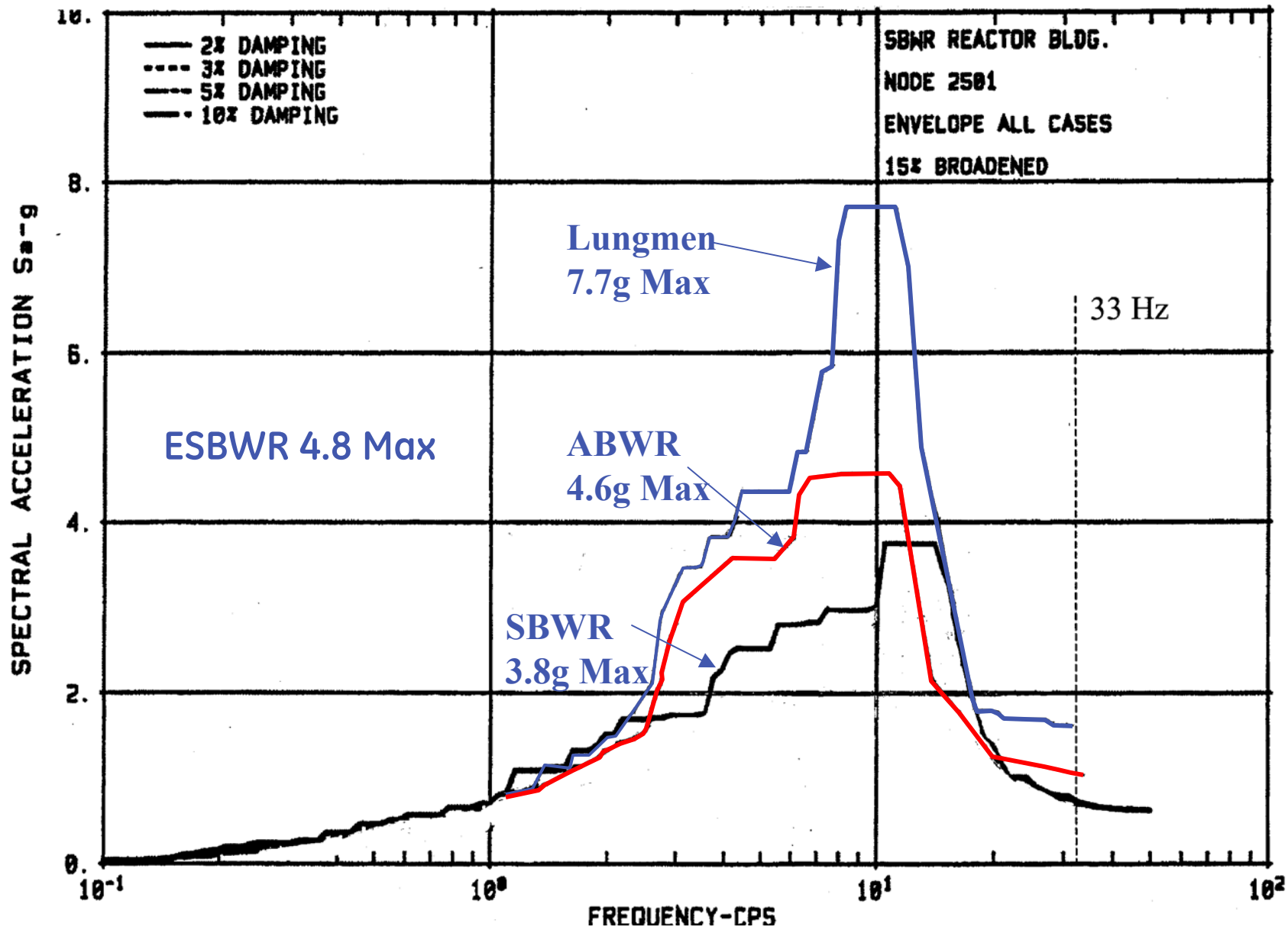
Lungmen Seismic Ground Acceleration = .4 g

### ACCELERATION RESPONSE SPECTRA

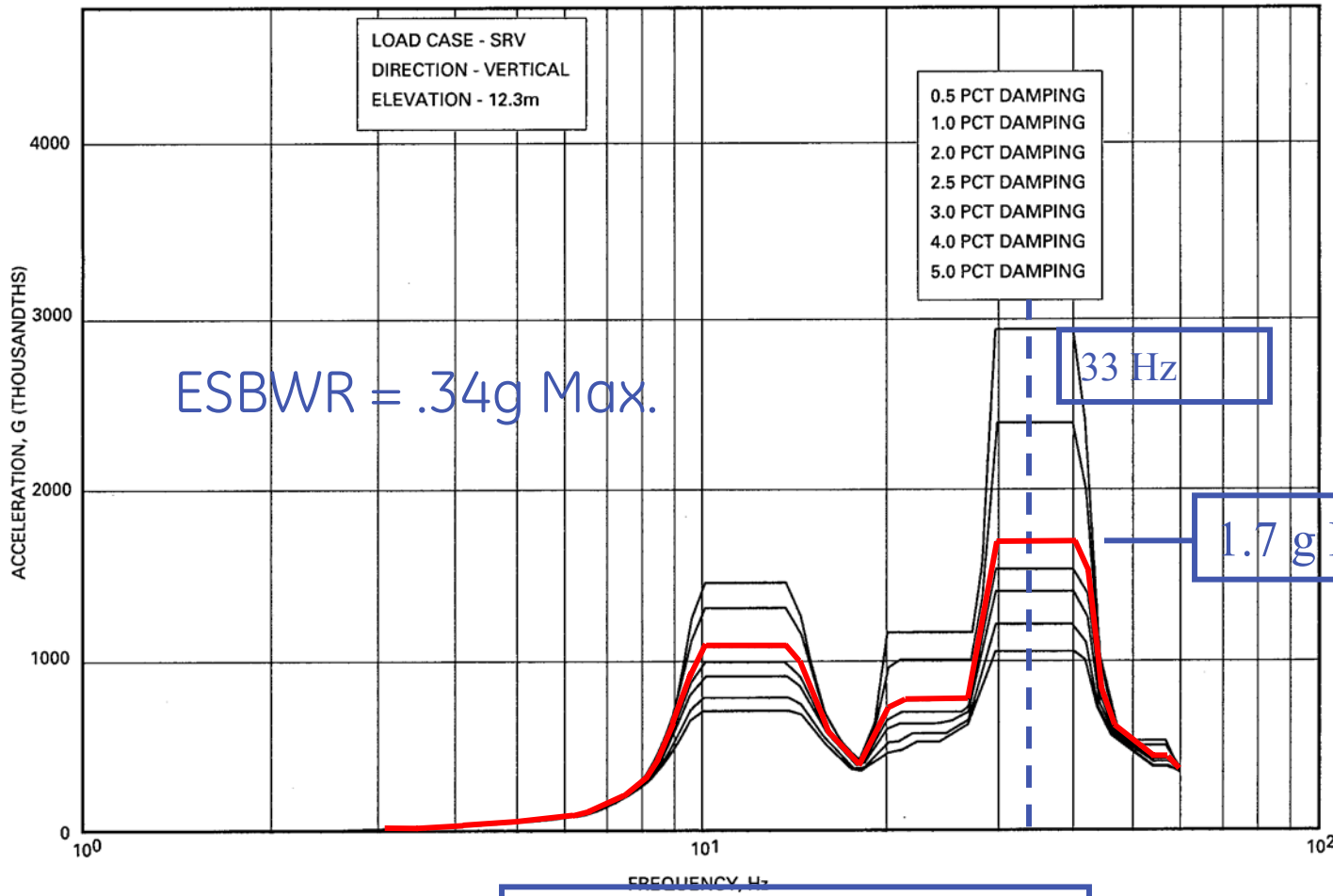


## SSE Horizontal Comparison



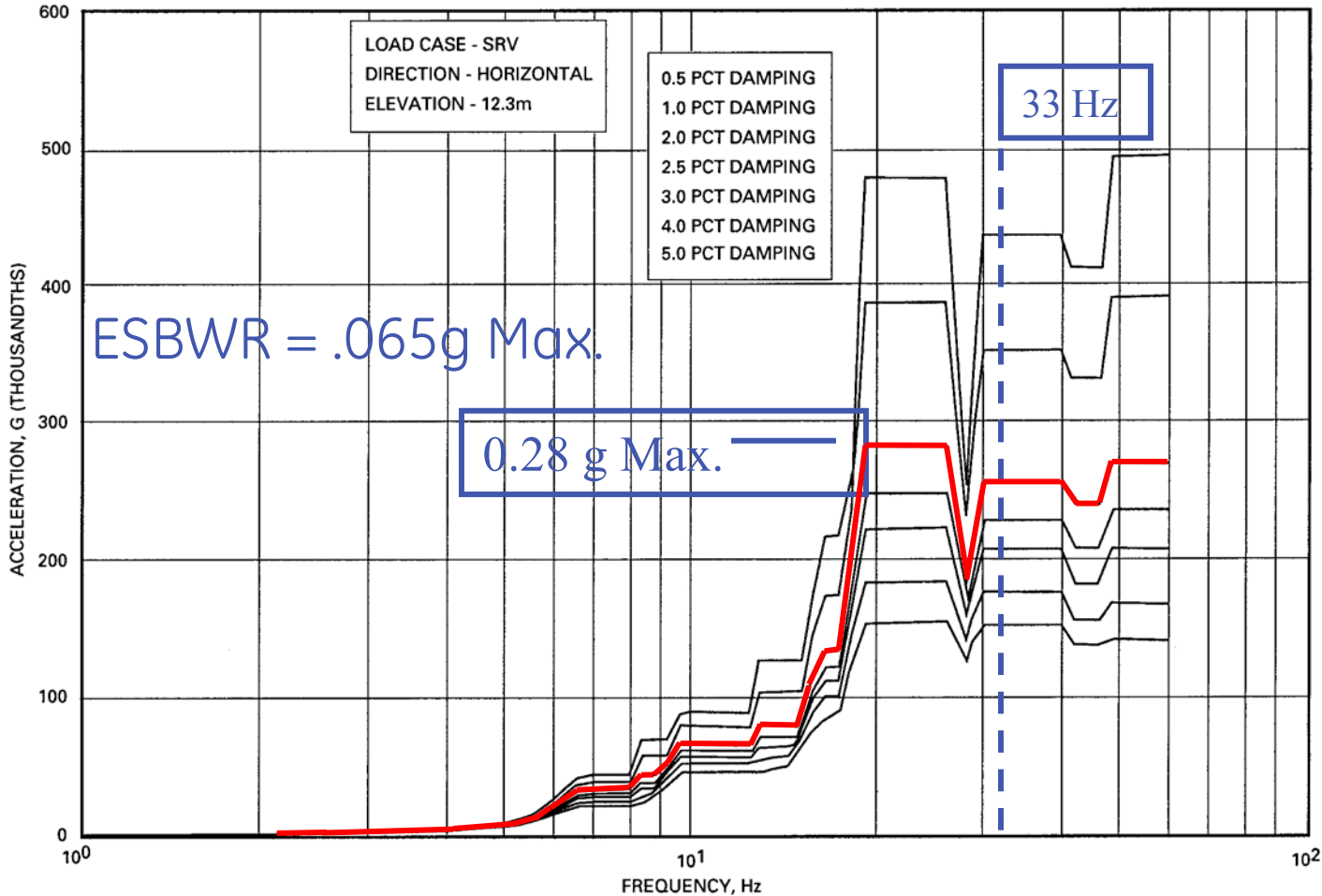


SSE Vertical Comparison



ABWR SRV Vertical

SCALES  
USED Y 1.0x10<sup>-1</sup>UNITS/in.



ABWR SRV Horizontal

SCALES  
USED Y 10-UNITS/in.

# Actions Related to Piping Analysis

- Next Revision of DCD will be Updated to Reflect Current Plan and Tasks Completed
- Proceed to do Complete Analysis of Class 1 Piping Starting with the Main Steam Lines Inside Containment
- This will be Followed by Feedwater Piping Inside Containment
- Main Steam will be Completed by April 06

# Reactor Internals Vibration Program

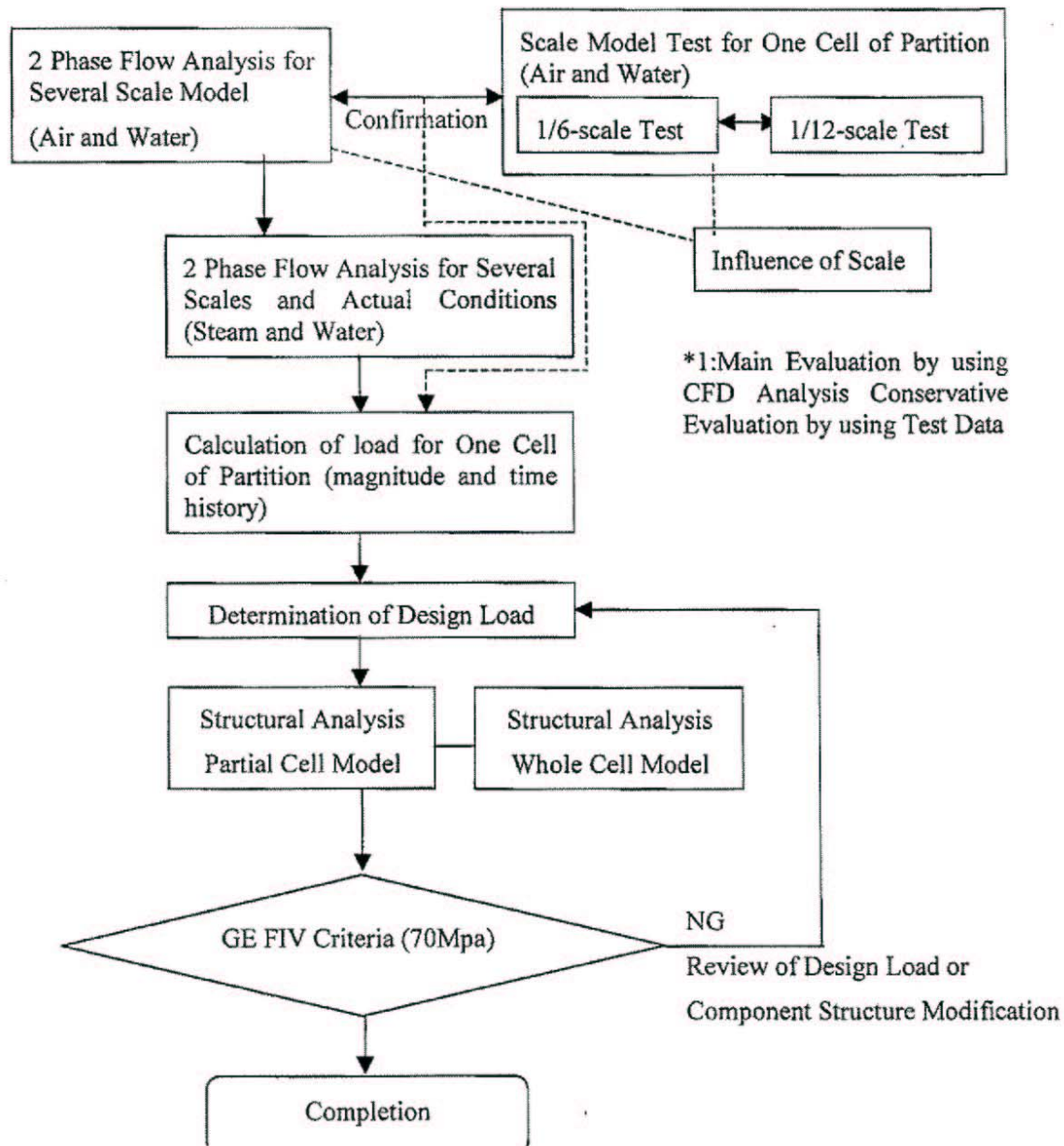
- Perform modal analysis of major components to establish vibration modes and frequencies
- Assemble data from previous plant vibration measurements to identify predominant vibration response modes
- Identify parameters expected to influence vibration response amplitudes
- Establish correlation functions for the variable Parameters
- Establish vibration amplitudes, and obtain the predicted mode and frequency from the the dynamic modal analysis
- The dynamic modal analysis results determine the type and location of sensors, and forms the basis for interpreting startup test results

# RPV Internals FIV Initial Review

- The Design of the Internals are Very Similar to Previous Plants
- The Chimney Partitions Need Early Evaluation Bases on Geometry and Require Additional Evaluation Methods
- Steam Dryer Requires Additional Process Methods Based on Operating Plant Experience

# Status of Chimney FIV Evaluation

- Evaluation has been Completed using Scale Tests and Two-Phase flow Analysis
- The following Influences were Investigated:
  - Scale (size) Effect
  - Inlet Mixing Conditions of Gas and Liquid
  - Elevation
  - Properties
- Testing included 1/6<sup>th</sup> and 1/12<sup>th</sup> Scale Models of a Single Cell



# Flow Chart for Chimney FIV Evaluation



# Results of Scale Tests & CFD Analysis

- Amplitude of Pressure fluctuations was Decreased with Increasing Scale
- Influence of Inlet Mixing conditions was relatively Small
- Pressure Fluctuation was Largest at the Top
- Peak Frequency of Pressure Fluctuation was ~2 Hz
- Maximum Peak to Peak Pressure fluctuation was ~ 15 kPa

# Results of Analytical Model

- Lowest Eigenvalue of the Structure is 56.6 Hz
- Maximum Stress Value near the Edge of the Plate was 41 MPa Vs. 70 MPa Limit for Stainless Steel

# Completed Steam Dryer Evaluation

- Flow and Acoustic Pressure Analysis was performed for the Steam Dome Region
- Both ABWR and ESBWR were Modeled to do a comparative Evaluation
- ESBWR has More Steam Flow but More Space in the RPV Dome than ABWR
- For ESBWR the Dryer Configuration Assumed was the Same as ABWR Except for the Increased Diameter of the Support Ring & Skirt

# Results of Analysis

## Flow Analysis

- CFD analysis Found that:
  - The Turbulent Energy and Vorticity Around the ESBWR Dryer Hood was Equal to or Smaller than ABWR
  - Fluctuating Fluid Force Acting on the ESBWR Dryer was Estimated to be Smaller than ABWR

## Acoustic Analysis

- The Resonant Characteristics were Essentially the same for Both Dryers
- The Fundamental Acoustic Resonance Modes ~40 Hz

# GE Actions Related to FIV

- Provide Evaluation Plan for Steam Dryer
- Provide a Topical Report on the Chimney Partition Evaluation
- Provide a Topical Report on Initial Evaluation of Reactor Internals with Regard to FIV

# Motor Operated Valve Standards

- DCD Rev 0 did not include Generic Letter 96-05
- DCD Rev 1 will make the following Changes:
  - In 3.9.6.1, the topic of Motor Operated Valves will be expanded to include all Power Operated Valves, and will address the frequency of operability testing per GL 96-05
  - Power Operated Valves listed in Table 3.9-8 will be changed to include GL 96-05 testing requirements
- New Standards will be incorporated into DCD when they are approved for use by the NRC