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**Core Operating Limits Report
Cycle 16
Revision 0**

RIVER BEND STATION, CYCLE 16
CORE OPERATING LIMITS REPORT (COLR)

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INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

This report provides Cycle 16 values for the following Technical Specifications:

1. AVERAGE PLANAR LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (APLHGR) limits,
2. MINIMUM CRITICAL POWER RATIO (MCPR) limits,
3. LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (LHGR) limits,
4. FRACTION OF CORE BOILING BOUNDARY (FCBB),
5. REACTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM (RPS) APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Allowable Values,
6. REACTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM (RPS) APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power time constant.
7. PERIOD BASED DETECTION SYSTEM (PBDS) region boundaries.

Technical Specification section 5.6.5 requires these values be determined using NRC-approved methodology and are established such that all applicable limits of the plant safety analysis are met. The references for the pertinent methodology used by GNF are listed in the section titled Analytical Methods Documents.

This report also provides Cycle 16 values for the following Technical Requirements:

1. REACTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM (RPS) APRM Flow Biased Neutron Flux Power - High Allowable Values and Nominal Trip Setpoints¹,
2. CONTROL ROD BLOCK INSTRUMENTATION APRM Flow Biased Neutron Flux High limits.

The Cycle 16 COLR supports power operation with FHOOS, FFWTR, PROOS, SLO, EOC-RPT, and TBOOS INOPERABLE and Loop Manual Operation.

The reload analyses were performed in accordance with GNF methodology and its applicability to Cycle 16 was confirmed by Reference I.1.

¹ Note that for Figures 4 to 11, the Nominal Setpoints should be used for indicating the entry into a particular stability region as allowed and appropriate actions be taken prior to the entry

CONTROL RODS

The River Bend core utilizes the GE design control rods, non GE design CR-82M and CR-82M-1 bottom entry cruciform control rods. These Control Rod designs are discussed in more detail in Reference 3.

DEFINITIONS

MOC – Middle of Cycle (EOR- 2070 MWd/MT)

EOR - the cycle exposure corresponding to all rods out, 100% power/100% flow, and normal feedwater temperature

EOC – End of Cycle (Core Exposure 31,401 MWd/MTU).

FFWTR – Final Feedwater Temperature Reduction.

FHOOS – Feedwater Heater Out of Service.

PROOS – Pressure Regulator Out of Service.

SLO – Single Loop Operation.

TBOOS –Turbine Bypass Out of Service

AREVA – AREVA NP Inc.

GNF – Global Nuclear Fuel

EOC-RPT – End of Cycle Recirculation Pump Trip

REFERENCE CORE LOADING PATTERN – The Core Loading Pattern Used for Reload Licensing Analysis.

Application Condition – The combination of equipment out of service conditions for which LHGRFAC and MCPR limits are determined. The Application Conditions are as follows:

Application Condition	FWHOOS / FFWTR	EOC-RPT OOS	PROOS	TBOOS
1	X			
2	X	X		
3	X		X	
4	X			X
5	X	X		X
6	X		X	X
7	X	X	X	X

All application conditions address the licensed core flow.

REVISION HISTORY

Revision 0 is to provide the thermal limits for Cycle 16 power operation.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.2.1

POWER DISTRIBUTION LIMITS

AVERAGE PLANAR LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (APLHGR)

The limiting APLHGR (sometimes referred to as Maximum APLHGR, or MAPLHGR) as a function of AVERAGE PLANAR EXPOSURE for all fuel types are provided in the table below. These values were determined with the GNF methodology (Reference I.1). Core location by fuel type is provided in Figure 1 and is the reference core loading pattern in Reference I.1.

Fuel Type	Figure
GE14	12
ATRIUM-10	13

For single loop operation (SLO) a multiplier of 0.83 is applied to the APLHGR limits.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.2.2

POWER DISTRIBUTION LIMITS

MINIMUM CRITICAL POWER RATIO (MCPR)

The MCPR limits for use in Technical Specification 3.2.2 for flow dependent MCPR ($MCPR_F$) and power dependent MCPR ($MCPR_P$) are obtained from Reference I.5 and are shown below for all fuel types, MOC and EOC points, as well as all Application Conditions which have been previously defined.

The most limiting value from the applicable $MCPR_F$ and $MCPR_P$ figures is the operating limit. These values were determined with GNF methodology as described in Reference I.5 and are consistent with a Safety Limit MCPR from Technical Specification 2.0.

MCPR_F Values:

The $MCPR_F$ values bound all fuel types and the exposure range. For cases where the turbine bypass system is in service (Application Conditions 1, 2, and 3) use Figure 16. For cases where the turbine bypass system is out of service (Application Conditions 4, 5, 6, and 7) use Figure 17. Both figures contain curves for operation of the Recirculation Flow Control System in the loop manual and loop auto modes of operation.

MCPR_P Values:

Application Conditions	Figure			
	GE14		ATRIUM-10	
	MOC	EOC	MOC	EOC
1	19	33	20	34
2	21	35	22	36
3	23	37	24	38
4	25	39	26	40
5	27	41	28	42
6	29	43	30	44
7	31	45	32	46

More limiting values of the power dependent limits may be used in lieu of those indicated by a particular operating mode. For example EOC values may be used instead of the MOC values.

For single loop operation (SLO), the $MCPR_F$ and $MCPR_P$ limits are determined from the two loop operation (TLO) limits above as follows:

$$MCPR_{SLO}^{GE14} = \text{MAX}(MCPR_{TLO}^{GE14} + 0.02, 1.44)$$

$$MCPR_{SLO}^{A10} = \text{MAX}(MCPR_{TLO}^{A10} + 0.02, 1.40)$$

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.2.3

POWER DISTRIBUTION LIMITS

LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (LHGR)

The limiting LHGR value for GE14 and ATRIUM-10 as a function of PELLET EXPOSURE are given in Figure 14 and 15, respectively. Core location by fuel type is provided in Figure 1 and is the reference core loading pattern in Reference I.1. LHGR values were derived from Reference I.6. LHGRFAC values were obtained from Reference I.5.

Thermal power and core flow dependent multipliers are shown below for all fuel types, MOC and EOC points, as well as all Application Conditions which have been previously defined. The value of the exposure dependent limit is reduced by the value of the multiplier at a given off-rated power or flow condition.

LHGRFAC_F Values:

The LHGRFAC_F values bound all fuel types, exposure range, and Application Conditions and are found in Figure 18 and contains curves for operation of the Recirculation Flow Control System in the loop manual and loop auto modes of operation.

LHGRFAC_P Values:

Application Conditions	Figure			
	GE14		ATRIUM-10	
	MOC	EOC	MOC	EOC
1, 2, 4, 5	47	51	48	52
3, 6, 7	49	53	50	54

More limiting values of the power dependent multipliers may be used in lieu of those indicated by a particular operating mode. For example EOC values may be used instead of the MOC values.

For two recirculation loop and single recirculation loop operation the LHGR multiplier is as follows:

For two recirculation loop operation:

$$\text{LHGRFAC} = \text{MIN}(\text{LHGRFAC}_P, \text{LHGRFAC}_F)$$

For single loop operation:

$$\text{LHGRFAC} = \text{MIN}(\text{LHGRFAC}_P, \text{LHGRFAC}_F, 0.83)$$

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.2.4

POWER DISTRIBUTION LIMITS

FRACTION OF CORE BOILING BOUNDARY (FCBB)

Restricted Region Boundary

Note: The boundary of the Restricted Region is established by analysis in terms of thermal power and core flow. The Restricted Region boundary is defined by the "non-setup" APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Control Rod Block Setpoints, which are a function of reactor recirculation drive flow.

The Restricted Region boundaries as a function of aligned drive flow are given in Figures 4 through 7 in terms of aligned drive flow. The aligned drive flow is calculated from the input drive flow using the relationship given in Table 1.

Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Limits

The APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Scram setpoints as a function of aligned drive flow are given in Figures 4 through 7. The aligned drive flow is calculated from the input drive flow using the relationship given in Table 1.

- a. Case 1 - Normal Feedwater Heating Operation or Low Reactor Power:

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) \geq T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

OR

$$P \leq 30\%$$

- b. Case 2 - Reduced Feedwater Heating Operation

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) < T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

AND

$$P > 30\%$$

Where: T_{FW} is feedwater temperature in °F, and P is reactor power in percent of rated.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.3.1.1

INSTRUMENTATION

REACTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM (RPS) INSTRUMENTATION

AVERAGE POWER RANGE MONITORS

APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Limits

The APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High scram setpoint Allowable Values are given in Figures 4 through 7 in terms of aligned drive flow. The aligned drive flow is calculated from the input drive flow using the relationship given in Table 1.

- a. Case 1 - Normal Feedwater Heating Operation or Low Reactor Power:

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) \geq T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

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$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) < T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

AND

$$P > 30\%$$

Where: T_{FW} is feedwater temperature in °F, and P is reactor power in percent of rated.

APRM Simulated Thermal Power Time Constant

The simulated thermal power time constant for use in Technical Specification Table 3.3.1.1-1, SR 3.3.1.1.14, is (Reference 2):

$$6 \pm 0.6 \text{ seconds.}$$

The maximum simulated thermal power time constant for use in Technical Specification surveillance Table 3.3.1.1-1, SR 3.3.1.1.14 is:

$$6.6 \text{ seconds}$$

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION 3.3.1.3

INSTRUMENTATION

PERIOD BASED DETECTION SYSTEM (PBDS)

Monitored Region Boundary

The Monitored Region Boundaries as a function of core flow are given in Figures 2 and 3.

Restricted Region Boundary

Note: The boundary of the Restricted Region is established by analysis in terms of thermal power and core flow. The Restricted Region boundary is defined by the "non-setup" APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Control Rod Block Setpoints, which are a function of reactor recirculation drive flow.

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OR

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and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

AND

$$P > 30\%$$

Where: T_{FW} is feedwater temperature in °F, and P is reactor power in percent of rated.

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENT 3.3.1.1

INSTRUMENTATION

REACTOR PROTECTION SYSTEM (RPS) INSTRUMENTATION

AVERAGE POWER RANGE MONITORS

APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High Limits

The APRM Flow Biased Simulated Thermal Power - High scram setpoint Nominal Trip Setpoints are given in Figures 4 through 7 in terms of aligned drive flow. The aligned drive flow is calculated from the input drive flow using the relationship given in Table 1.

- a. Case 1 - Normal Feedwater Heating Operation or Low Reactor Power:

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) \geq T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

OR

$$P \leq 30\%$$

- b. Case 2 - Reduced Feedwater Heating Operation

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) < T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

AND

$$P > 30\%$$

Where: T_{FW} is feedwater temperature in °F, and P is reactor power in percent of rated.

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENT 3.3.2.1

INSTRUMENTATION

CONTROL ROD BLOCK INSTRUMENTATION

AVERAGE POWER RANGE MONITORS

APRM Flow Biased Neutron Flux - High Limits

The APRM Flow Biased Neutron Flux - High rod block Allowable Values and Nominal Trip Setpoints are given in Figures 8 through 11 in terms of aligned drive flow. The aligned drive flow is calculated from the input drive flow using the relationship given in Table 1.

- a. Case 1 - Normal Feedwater Heating Operation or Low Reactor Power:

$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) \geq T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

OR

$$P \leq 30\%$$

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$$T_{FW}(\text{at rated}) < T_{FW}^{\text{DESIGN}}(\text{at rated}) - 50^{\circ} \text{F},$$

and rated equivalent at off-rated reactor conditions.

AND

$$P > 30\%$$

Where: T_{FW} is feedwater temperature in °F, and P is reactor power in percent of rated.

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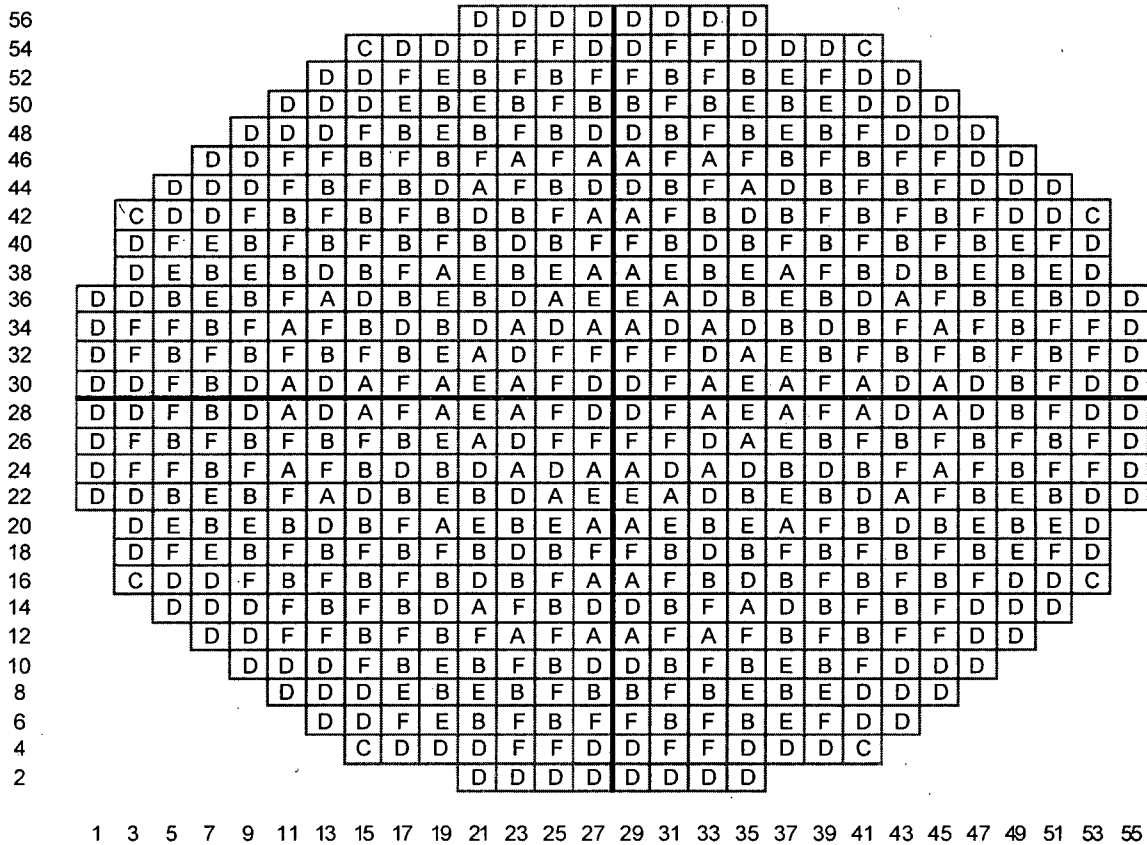
Table 1. Aligned Drive Flow

$$W_D = \frac{101.209 \cdot \Delta^{40} - 31.028 \cdot \Delta^{100} + 70.181 \cdot W_{\bar{D}}}{70.181 - (\Delta^{100} - \Delta^{40})}$$

Where:

- $W_{\bar{D}}$ = FCTR card input drive flow in percent rated,
 - W_D = Aligned drive flow in percent rated,
 - Δ^{40} = Low flow drive flow alignment setting, and
 - Δ^{100} = High flow drive flow alignment setting.
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FIGURE 1. REFERENCE CORE LOADING PATTERN



Fuel Type	Description	Cycle Loaded	# Loaded
A	GE14-P10SNAB410-18GZ-120T-150-T6-3197	16	64
B	GE14-P10SNAB409-17GZ-120T-150-T6-3196	16	152
C	ATRM10-P10SAEB378-9GZ-114T-9WR-149-T6-3065	13	8
D	ATRM10-P10SAEB371-13GZ-114T-9WR-149-T6-3067	14	184
E	ATRM10-P10SAEB385-12GZ-114T-9WR-149-T6-3068	15	56
F	ATRM10-P10SAEB381-14GZ-114T-9WR-149-T6-3069	15	160
	Total		624

FIGURE 2. MONITORED REGION BOUNDARY (CASE 1)

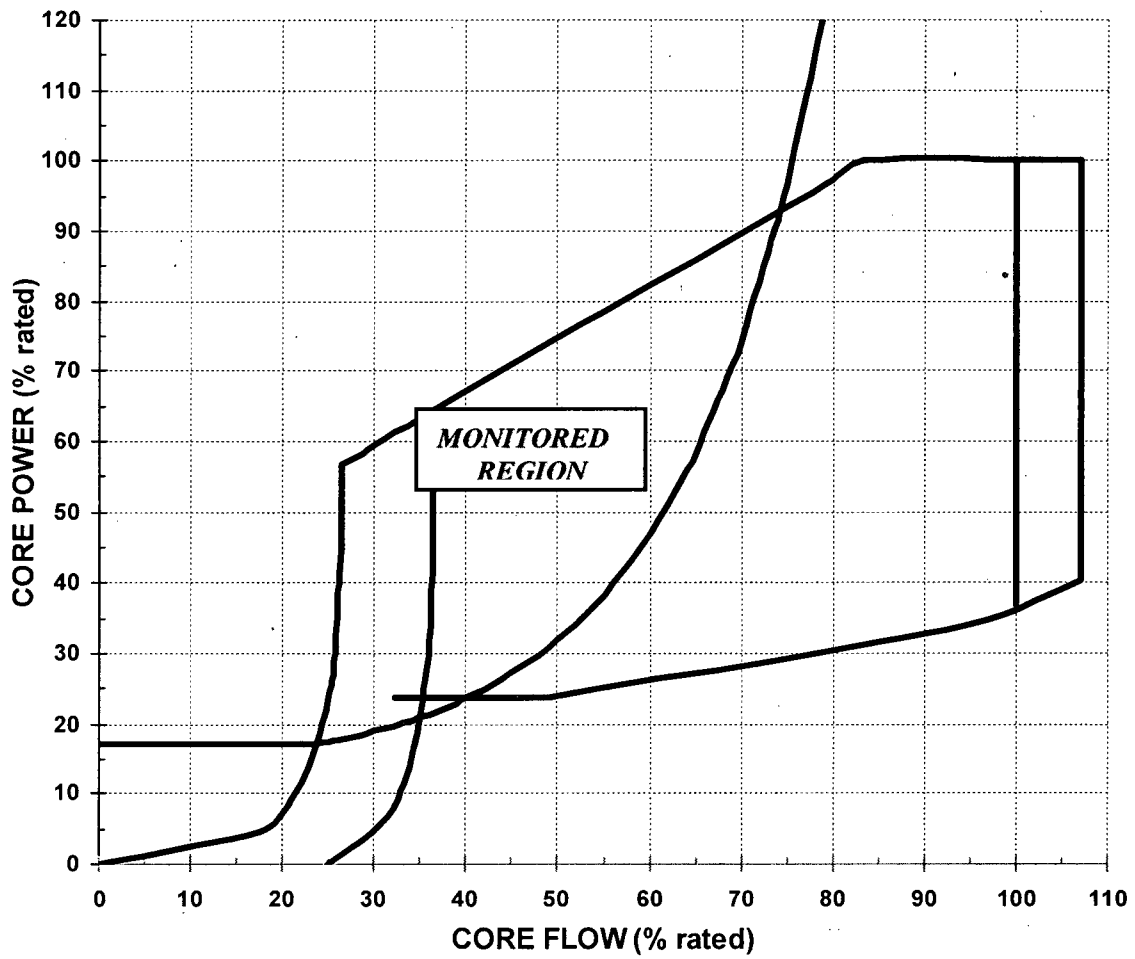


FIGURE 3. MONITORED REGION BOUNDARY (CASE 2)

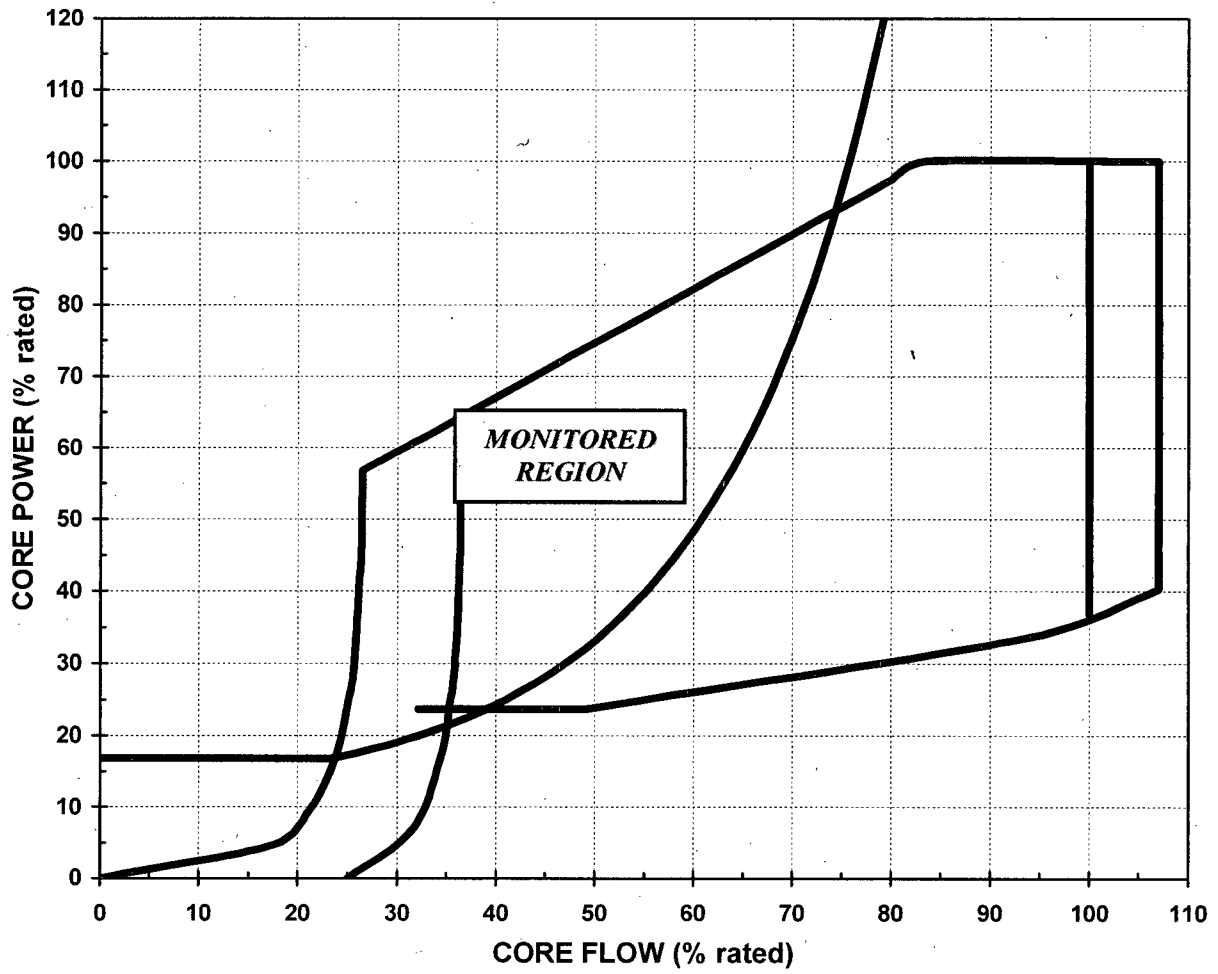
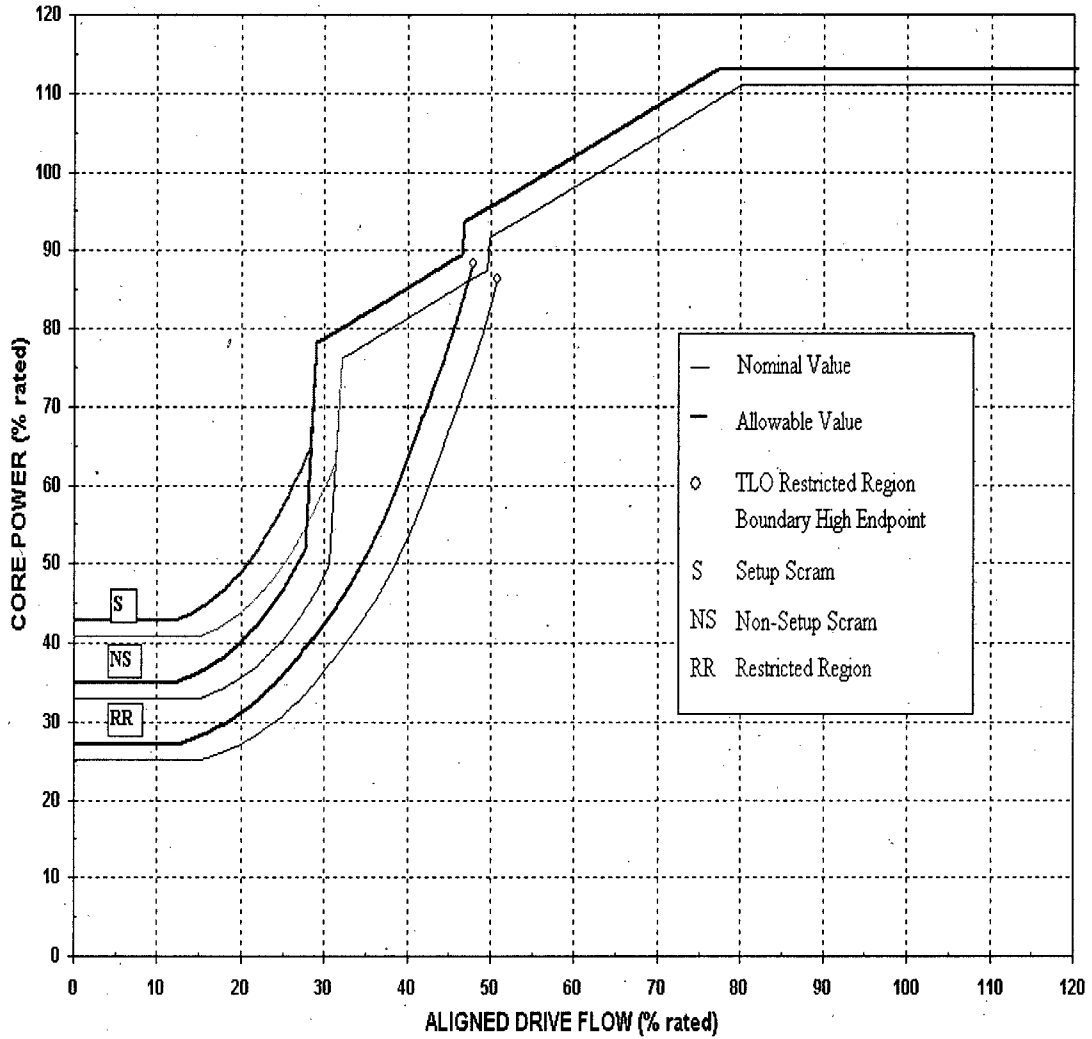


FIGURE 4. APRM FLOW BIASED SIMULATED THERMAL POWER - HIGH SCRAM SETPOINTS AND RESTRICTED REGION BOUNDARY (TWO RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 1)



**FIGURE 5. APRM FLOW BIASED SIMULATED THERMAL POWER - HIGH
SCRAM SETPOINTS AND RESTRICTED REGION BOUNDARY
(SINGLE RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 1)**

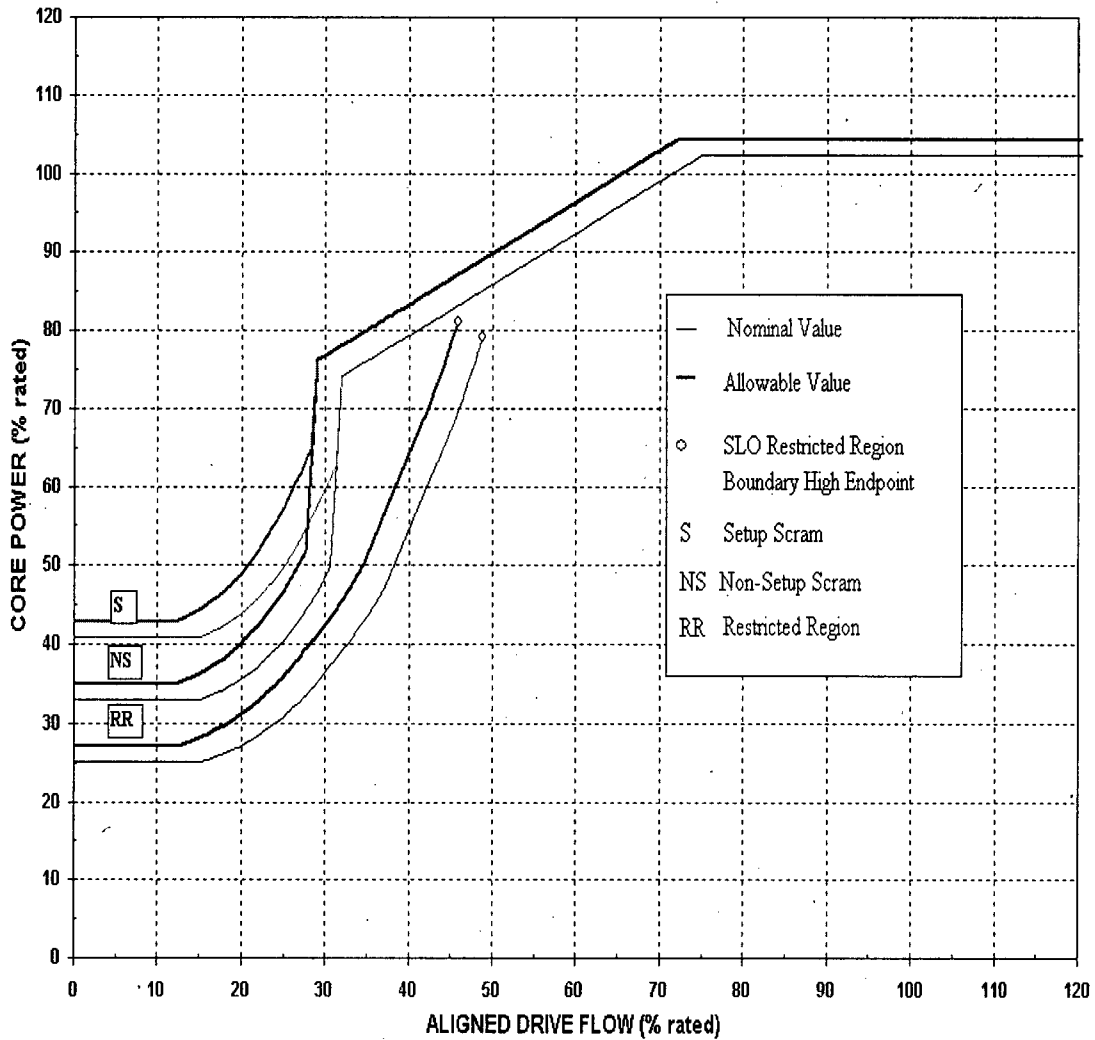


FIGURE 6. APRM FLOW BIASED SIMULATED THERMAL POWER - HIGH SCRAM SETPOINTS AND RESTRICTED REGION BOUNDARY (TWO RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 2)

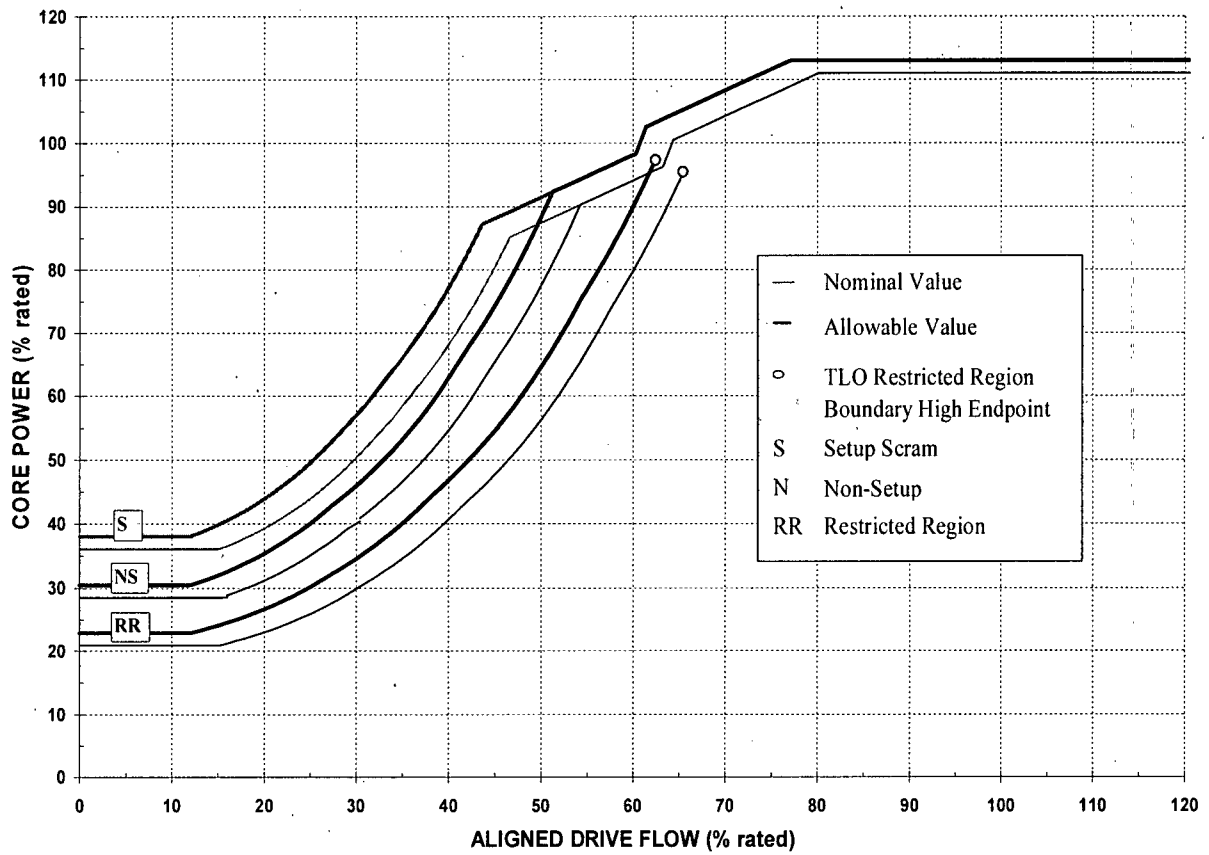
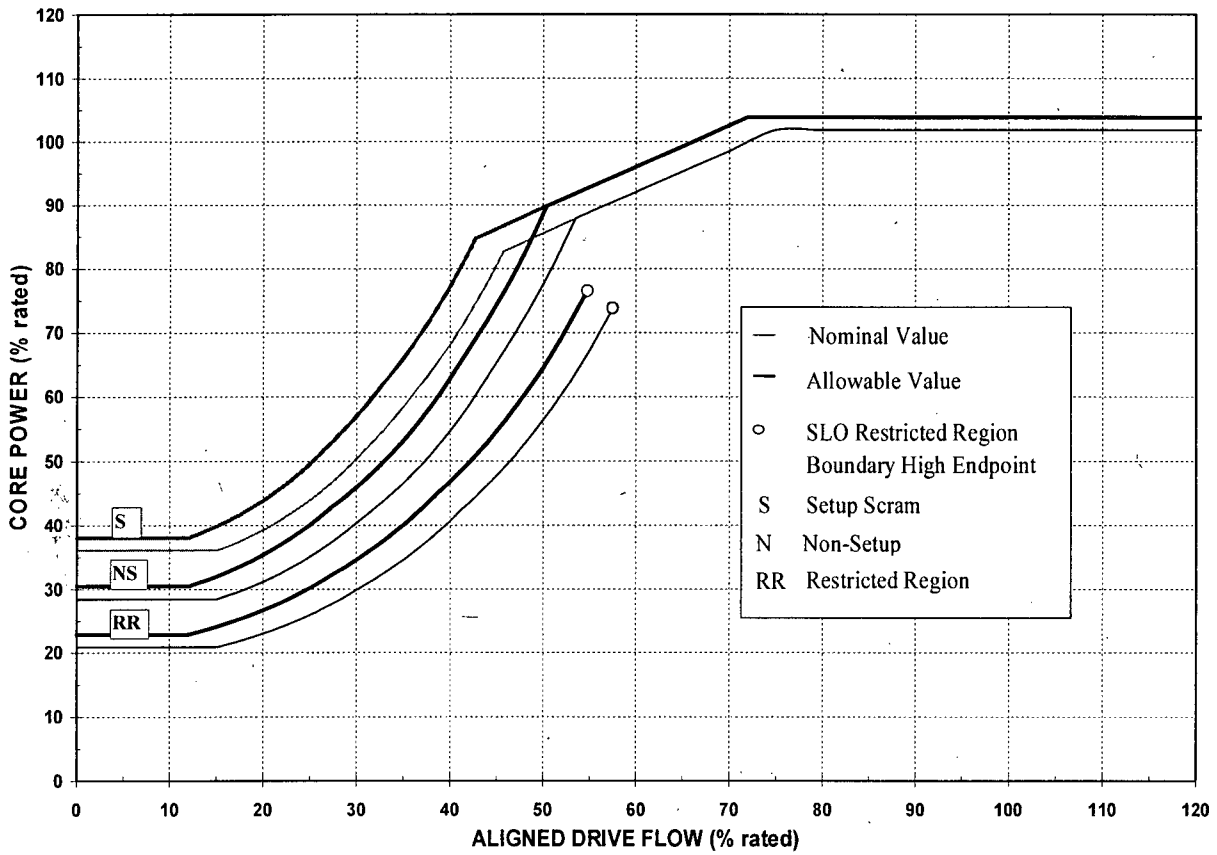


FIGURE 7. APRM FLOW BIASED SIMULATED THERMAL POWER - HIGH SCRAM SETPOINTS AND RESTRICTED REGION BOUNDARY (SINGLE RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 2)



**FIGURE 8. APRM FLOW BIASED NEUTRON FLUX - HIGH ROD-BLOCK
SETPOINTS
(TWO RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 1)**

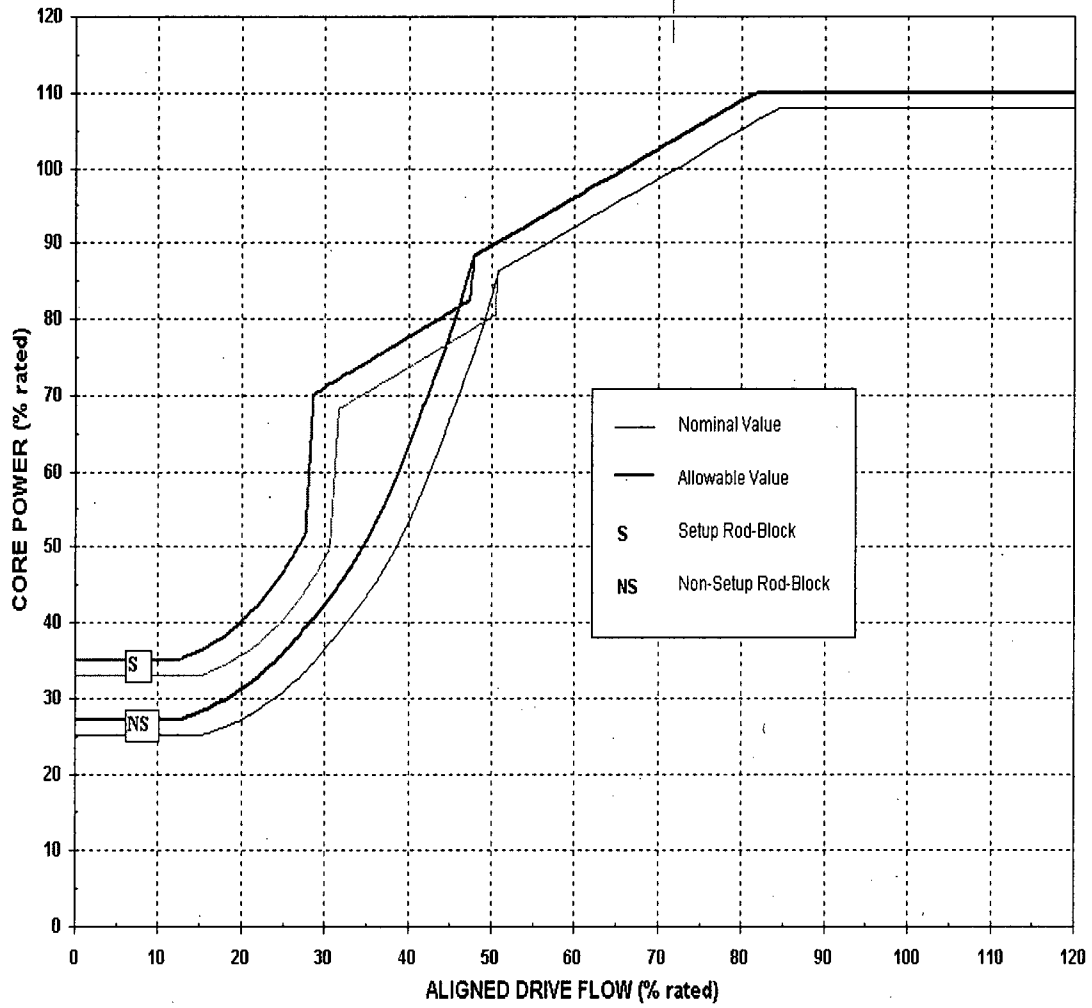
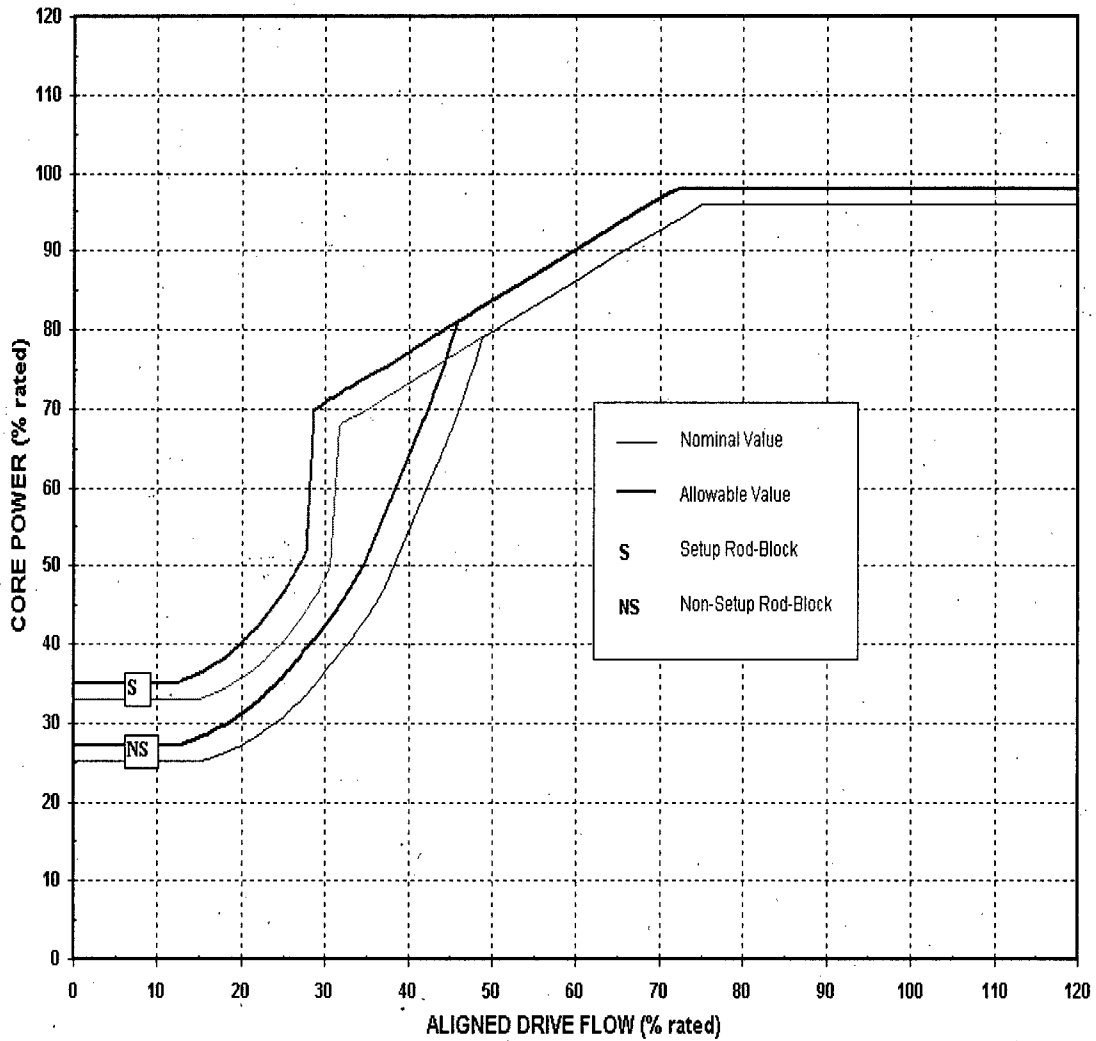


FIGURE 9. APRM FLOW-BIASED NEUTRON FLUX - HIGH ROD-BLOCK SETPOINTS
(SINGLE RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 1)



**FIGURE 10. APRM FLOW BIASED NEUTRON FLUX - HIGH ROD-BLOCK
SETPOINTS**
(TWO RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 2)

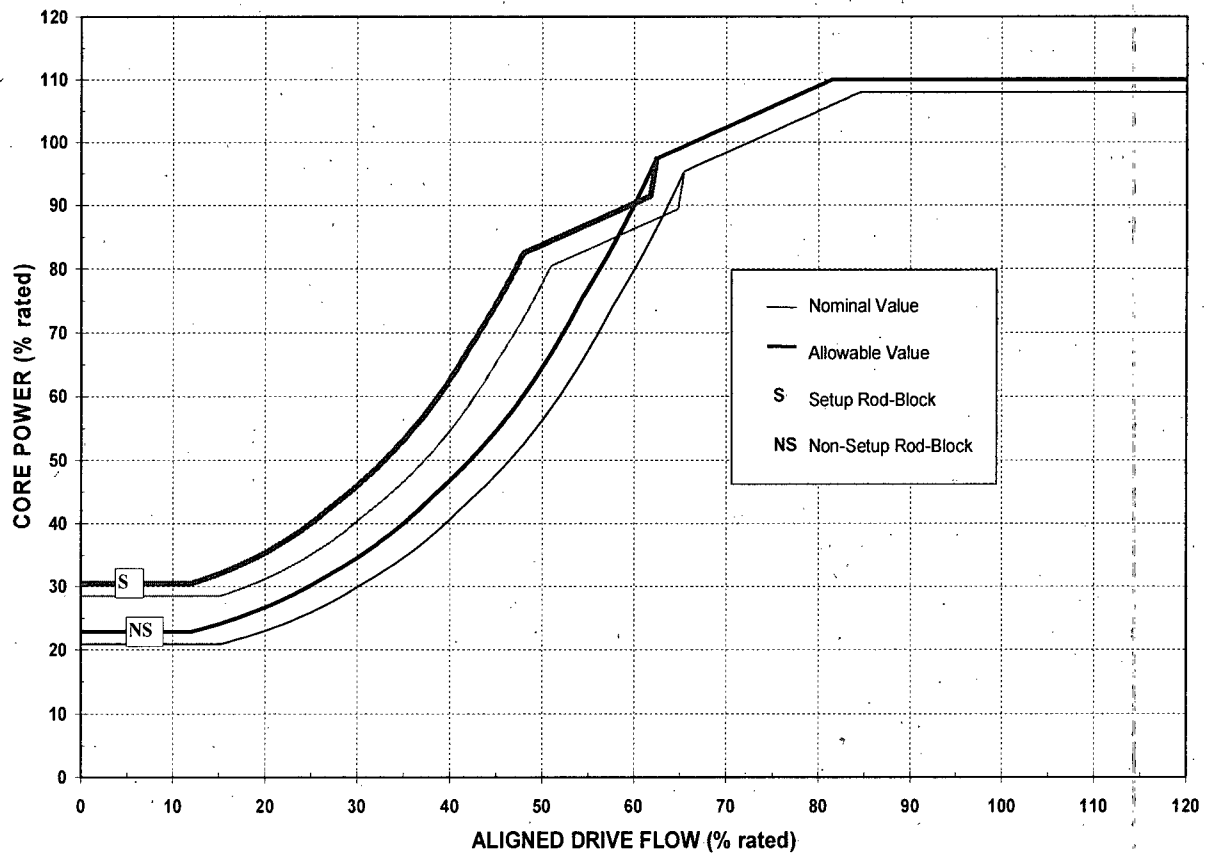


FIGURE 11. APRM FLOW BIASED NEUTRON FLUX - HIGH ROD-BLOCK SETPOINTS
(SINGLE RECIRCULATION LOOP OPERATION - CASE 2)

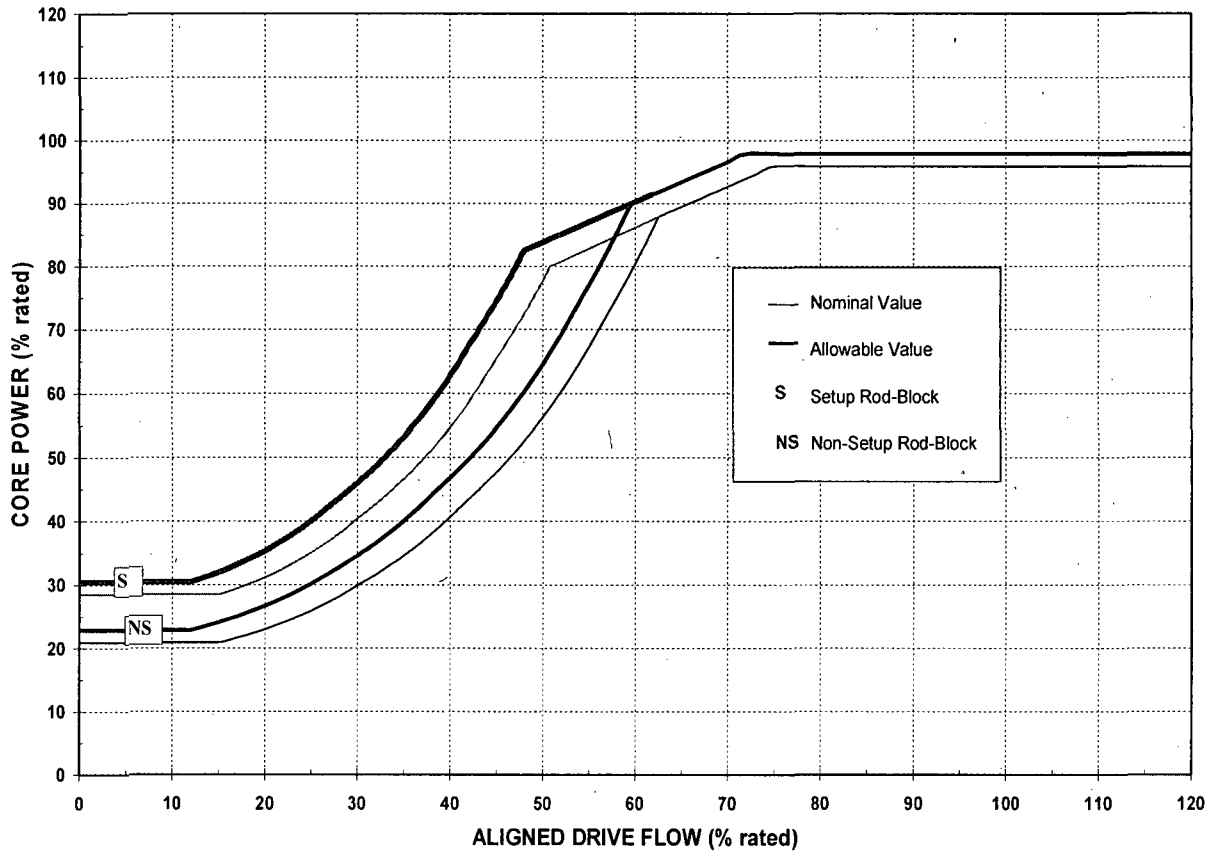
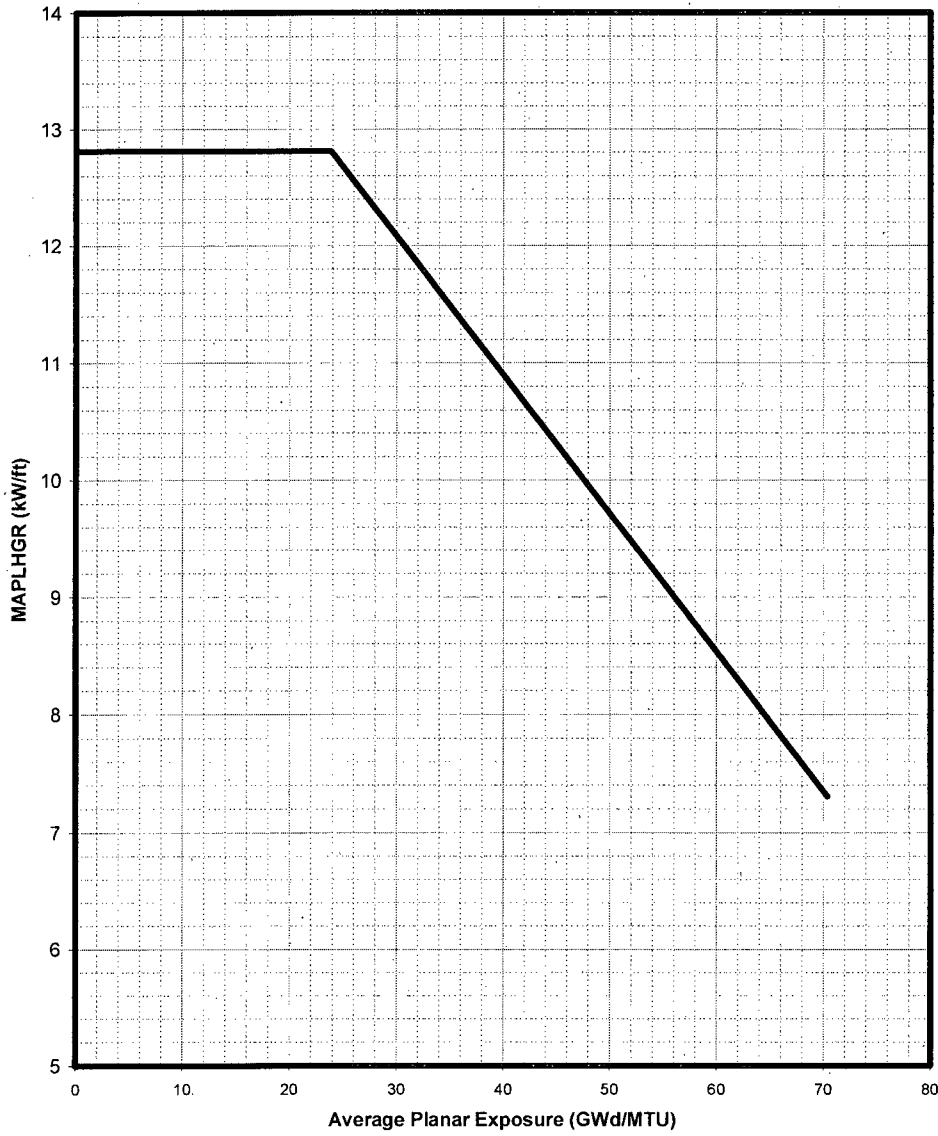


FIGURE 12. MAXIMUM AVERAGE PLANAR LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (MAPLHGR) VERSUS AVERAGE PLANAR EXPOSURE FOR GE14



Average Planar Exposure (GWD/MT)	MAPLHGR Limit (kW/ft)
0.00	12.82
16.00	12.82
21.10	12.82
63.50	8.00
70.00	5.00

FIGURE 13. MAXIMUM AVERAGE PLANAR LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (MAPLHGR) VERSUS AVERAGE PLANAR EXPOSURE FOR ATRIUM-10

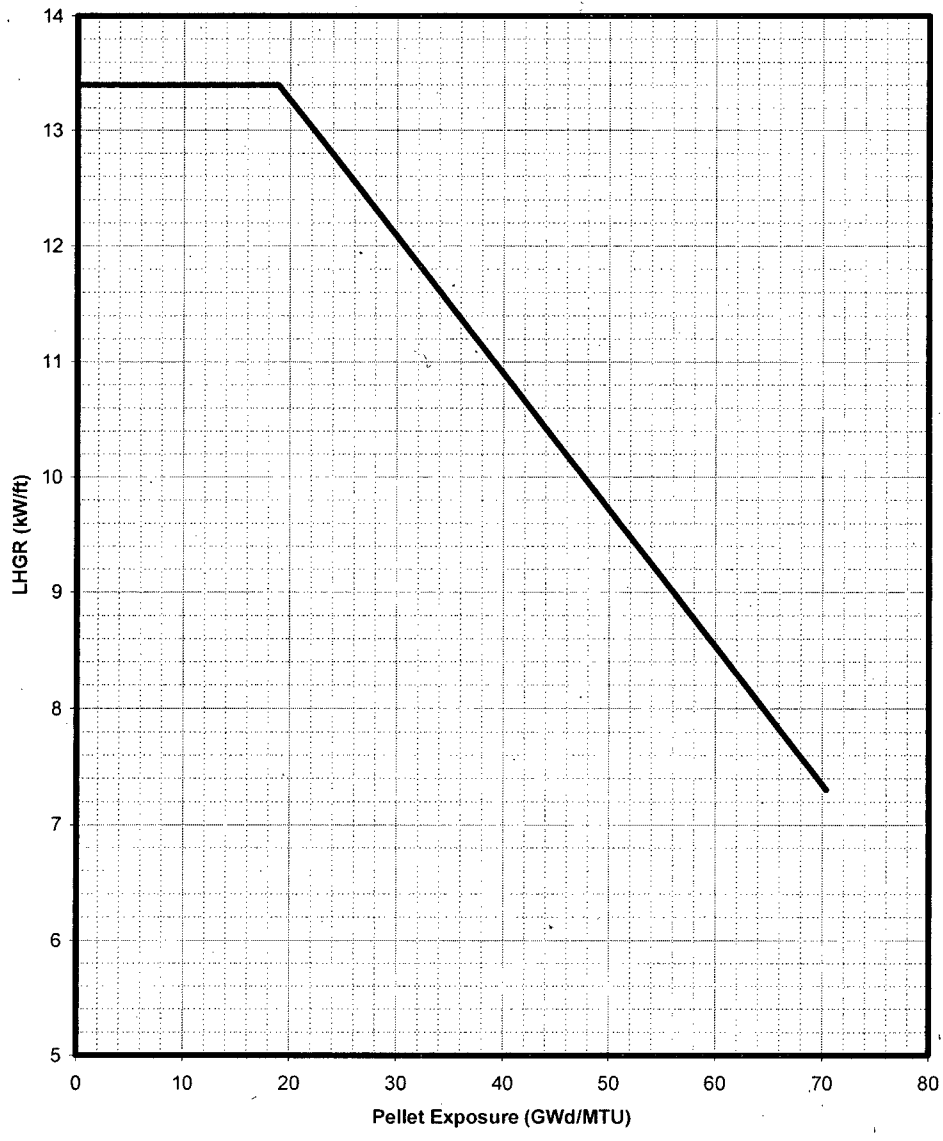


Average Planar Exposure (GWd/MT)	MAPLHGR Limit (kW/ft)
0.00	12.81
18.90	12.81
23.88	12.81
70.40	7.30

**FIGURE 14. LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (LHGR) LIMIT VERSUS
PELLET EXPOSURE FOR GE14**

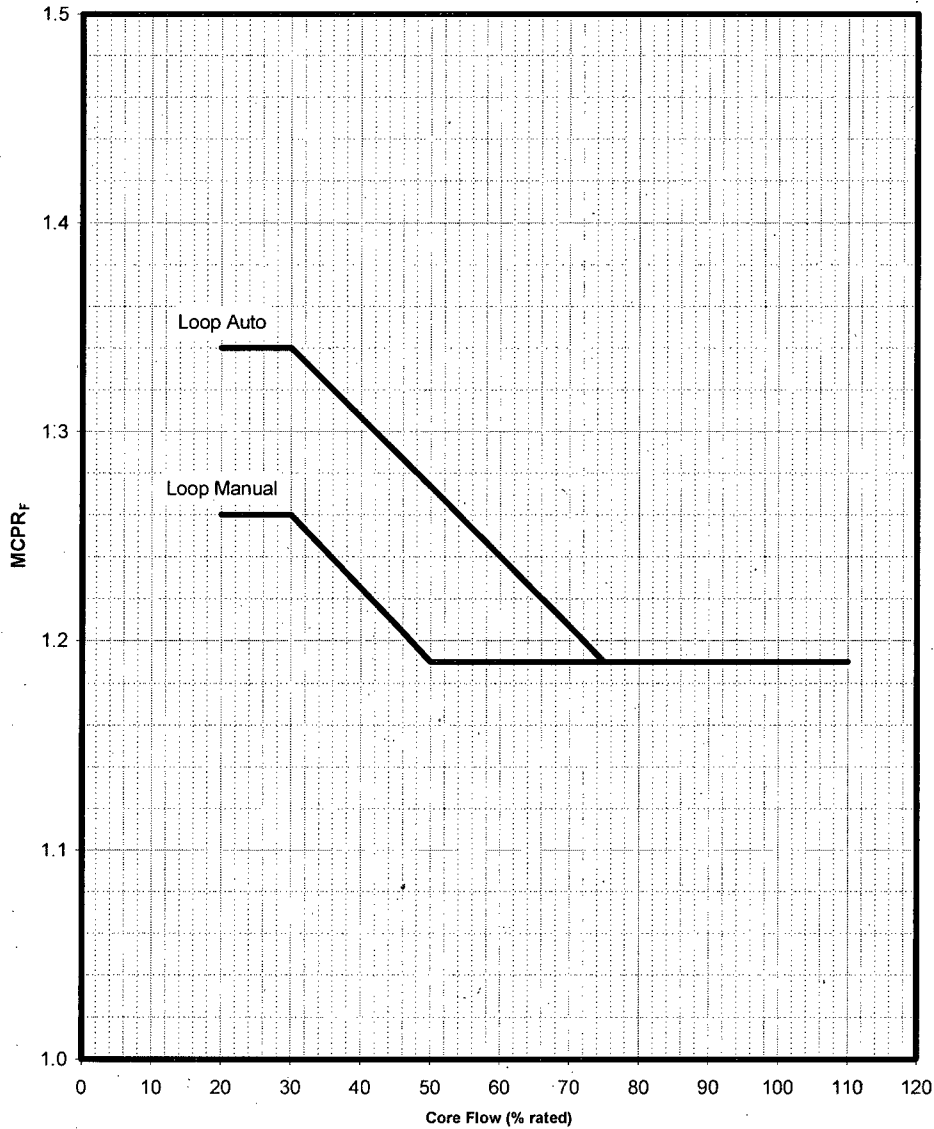
GE14 LHGR data is considered GNF proprietary and will not be contained in the COLR. The GE14 LHGR data may be found in Reference I.6.

FIGURE 15. LINEAR HEAT GENERATION RATE (LHGR) LIMIT VERSUS PELLET EXPOSURE FOR ATRIUM-10



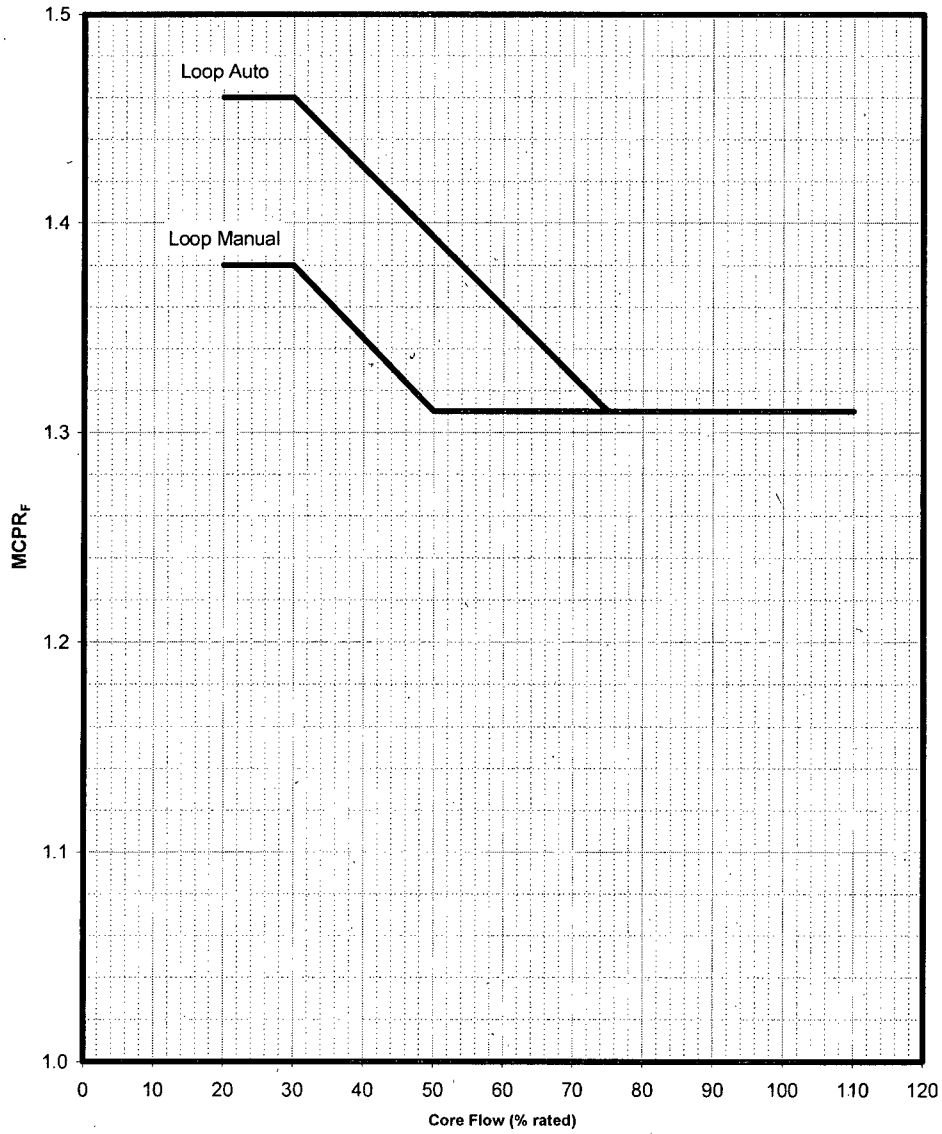
Peak Pellet Exposure (GWd/MT)	LHGR Limit (kW/ft)
0.00	13.4
18.90	13.4
70.40	7.3

FIGURE 16. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR_F (MCPR_F) VERSUS CORE FLOW FOR ATRIUM-10 AND GE14, ALL EXPOSURES, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 1, 2, AND 3



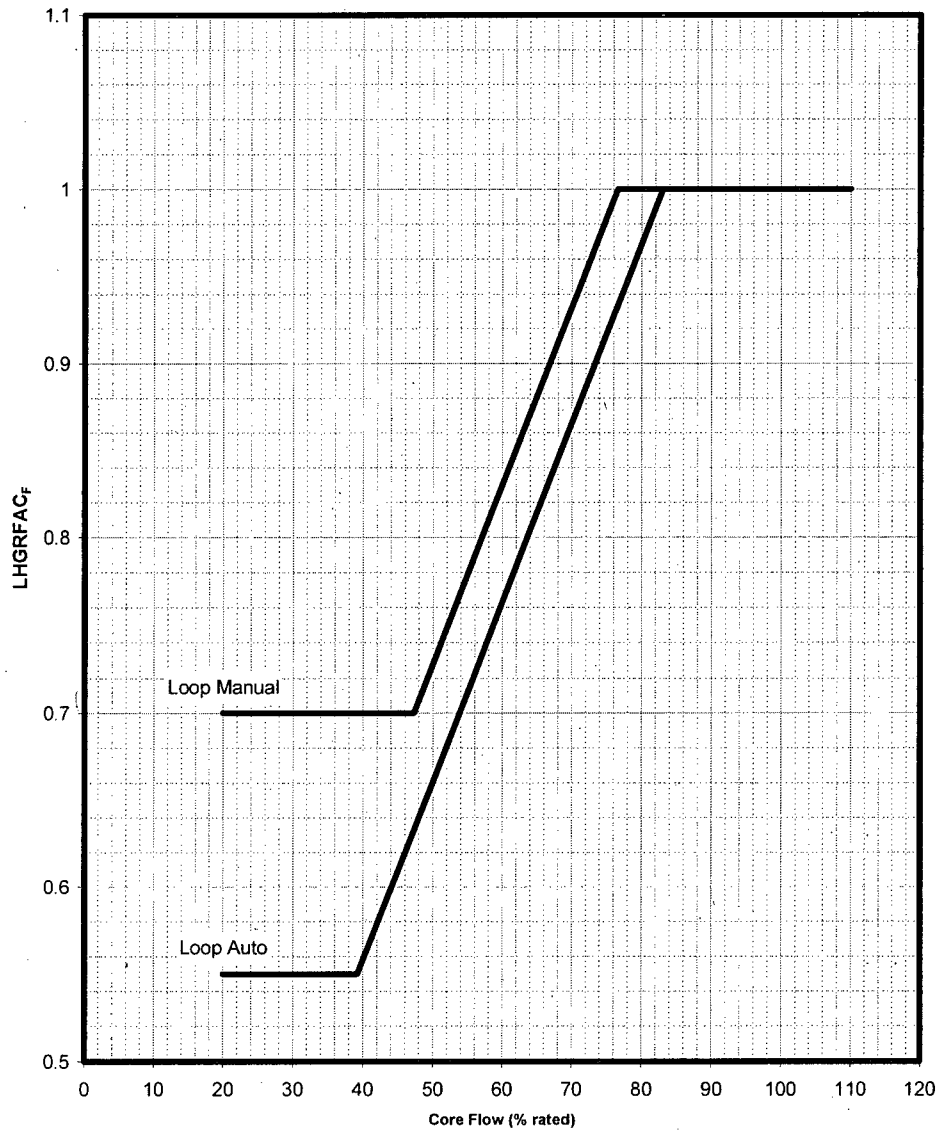
Loop Manual		Loop Auto	
Core Flow (% rated)	MCPR _F	Core Flow (% rated)	MCPR _F
20	1.26	20	1.34
30	1.26	30	1.34
50	1.19	75	1.19
110	1.19	110	1.19

FIGURE 17. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR_F (MCPR_F) VERSUS CORE FLOW FOR ATRIUM-10 AND GE14, ALL EXPOSURES, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 4, 5, 6, AND 7



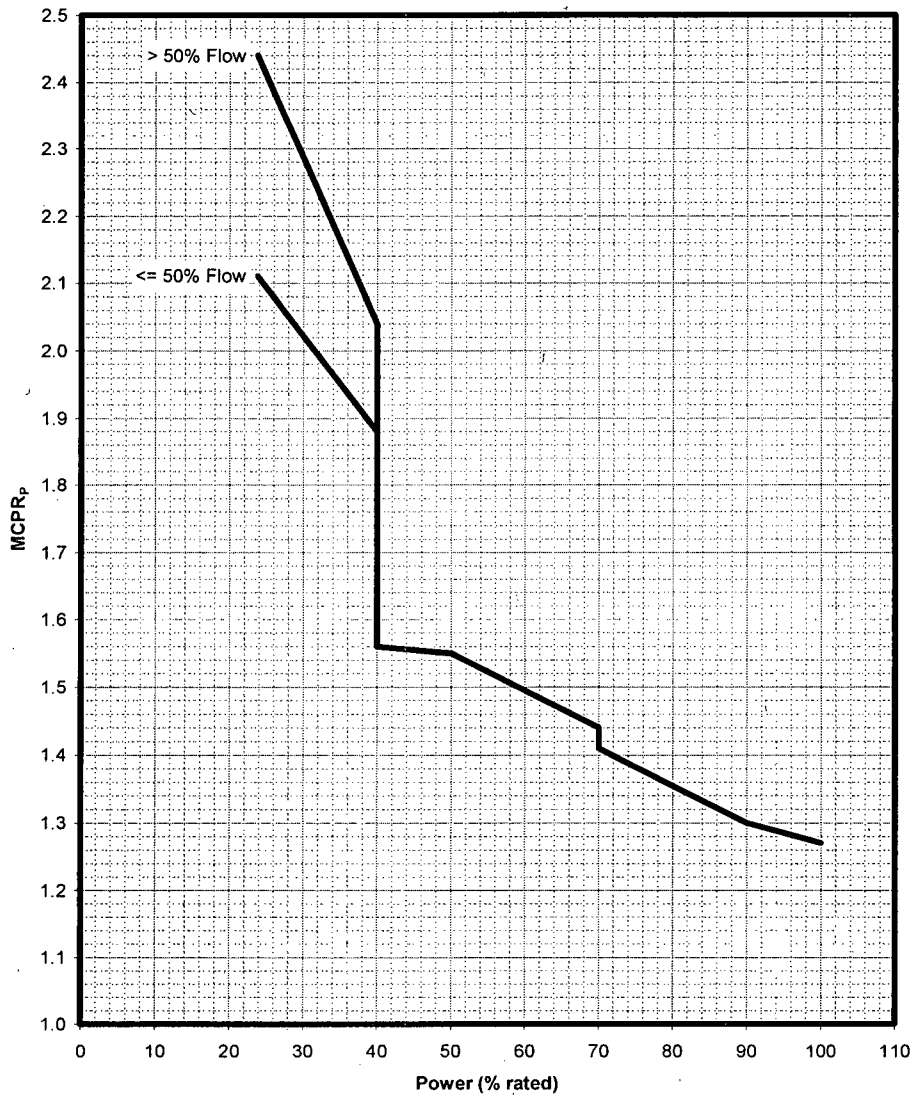
Loop Manual		Loop Auto	
Core Flow (% rated)	MCPR _F	Core Flow (% rated)	MCPR _F
20	1.38	20	1.46
30	1.38	30	1.46
50	1.31	75	1.31
110	1.31	110	1.31

FIGURE 18. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE FLOW (LHGRFAC_F) FOR ATRIUM-10 AND GE14, ALL EXPOSURES, ALL APPLICATION CONDITIONS



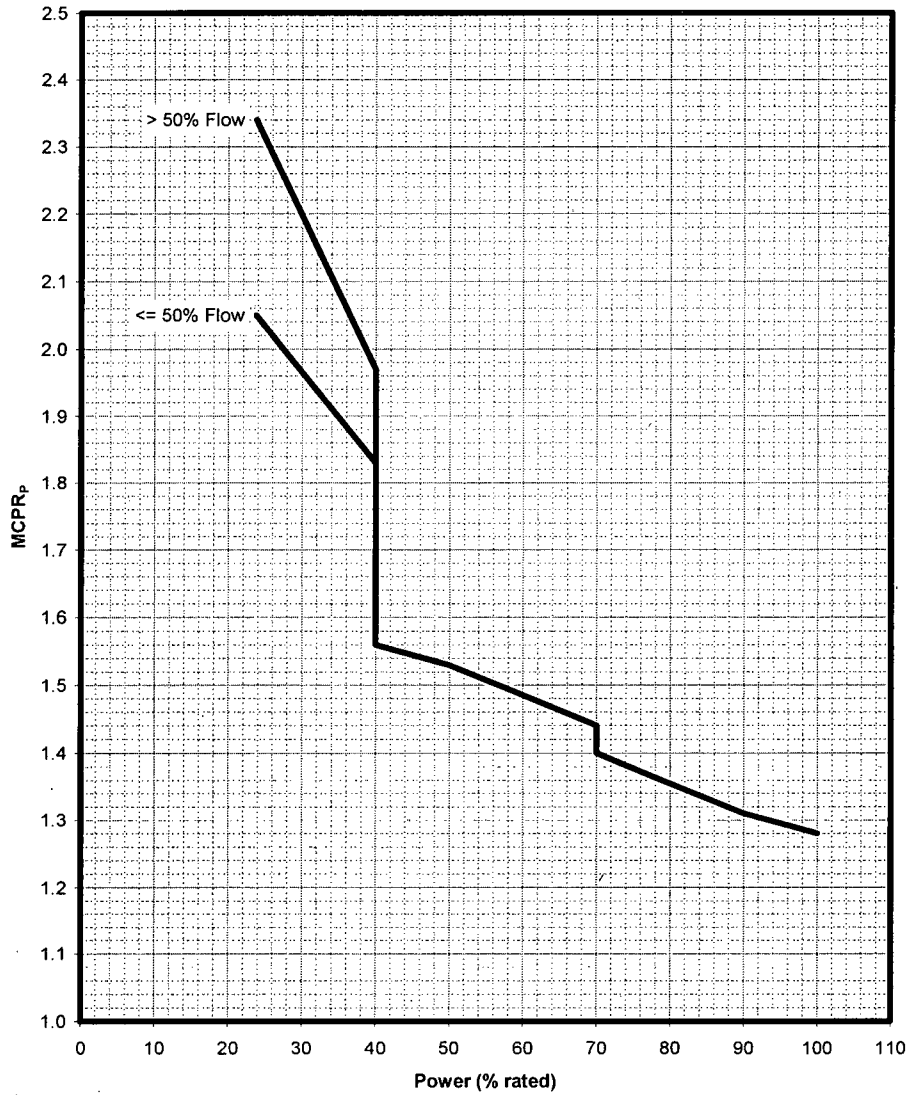
Loop Manual		Loop Auto	
Flow (% rated)	LHGRFAC _F	Flow (% rated)	LHGRFAC _F
20.00	0.70	20.00	0.55
47.30	0.70	39.20	0.55
76.60	1.00	83.10	1.00
110.00	1.00	110.00	1.00

FIGURE 19. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 1



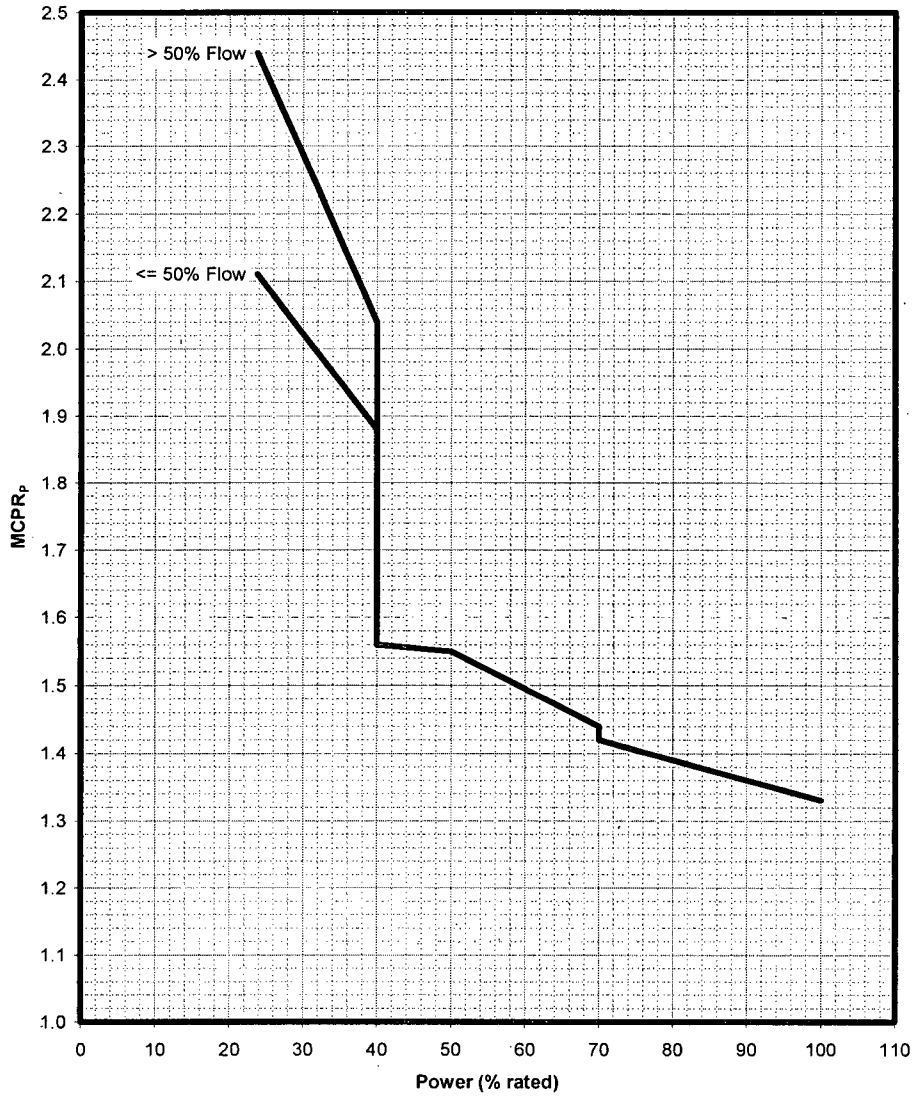
Power (% rated)	≤ 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.55
70.0		1.44
70.0		1.41
90.0		1.30
100.0		1.27

FIGURE 20. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 1



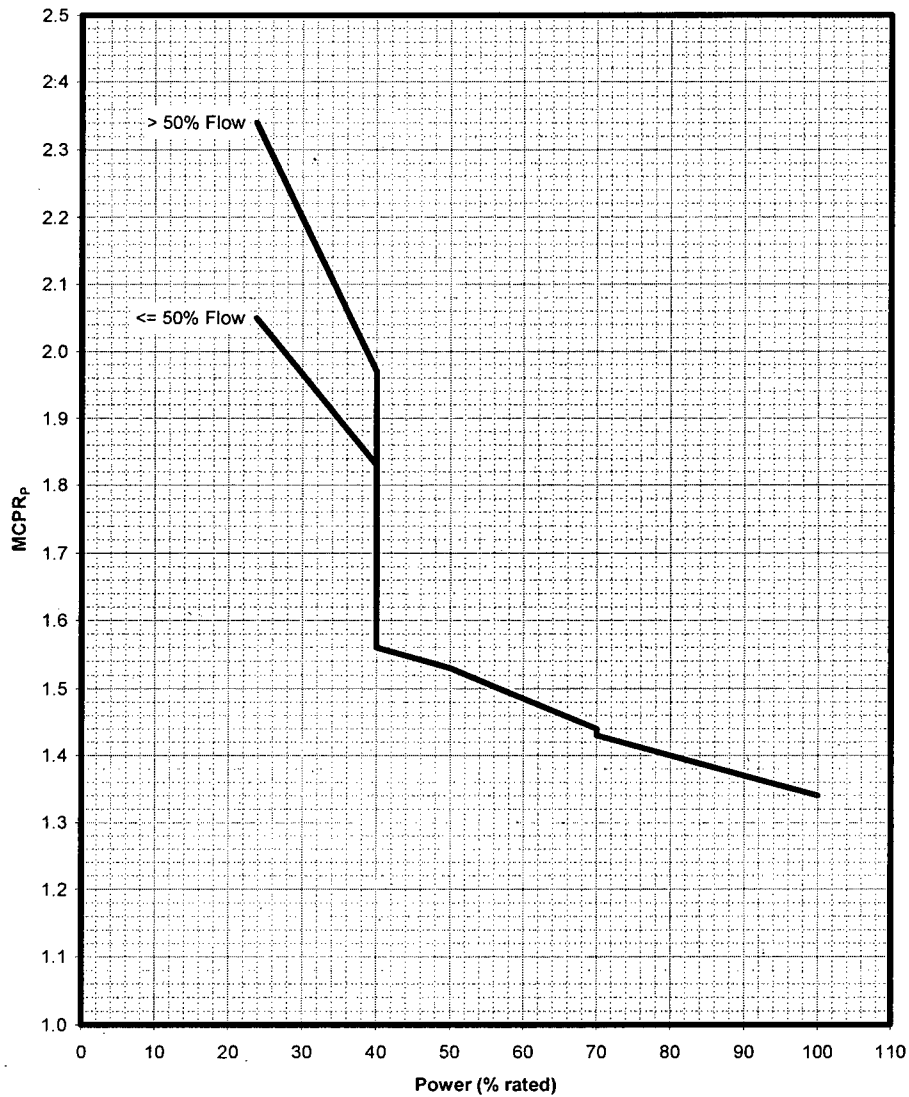
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.53
70.0		1.44
70.0		1.40
90.0		1.31
100.0		1.28

FIGURE 21. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 2



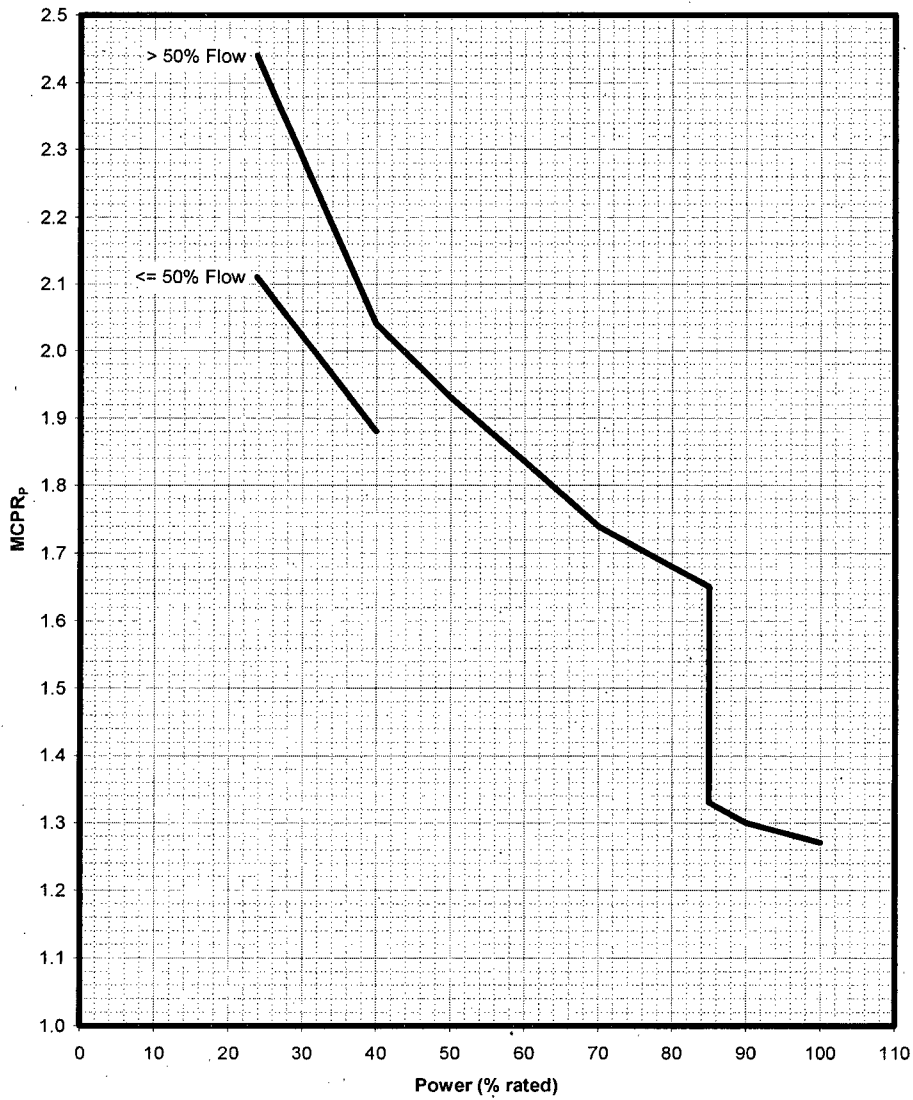
Power (% rated)	≤ 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.55
70.0		1.44
70.0		1.42
90.0		1.36
100.0		1.33

FIGURE 22. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 2



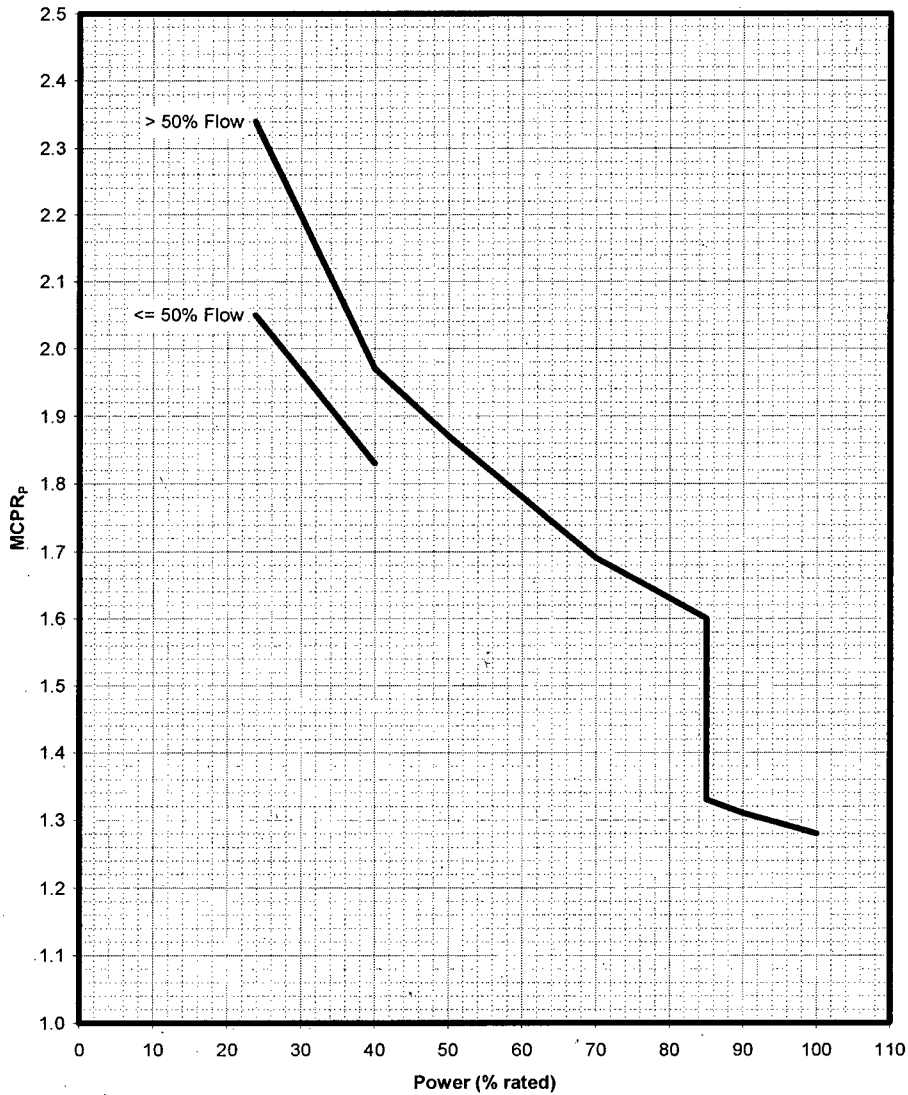
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.53
70.0		1.44
70.0		1.43
90.0		1.37
100.0		1.34

FIGURE 23. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 3



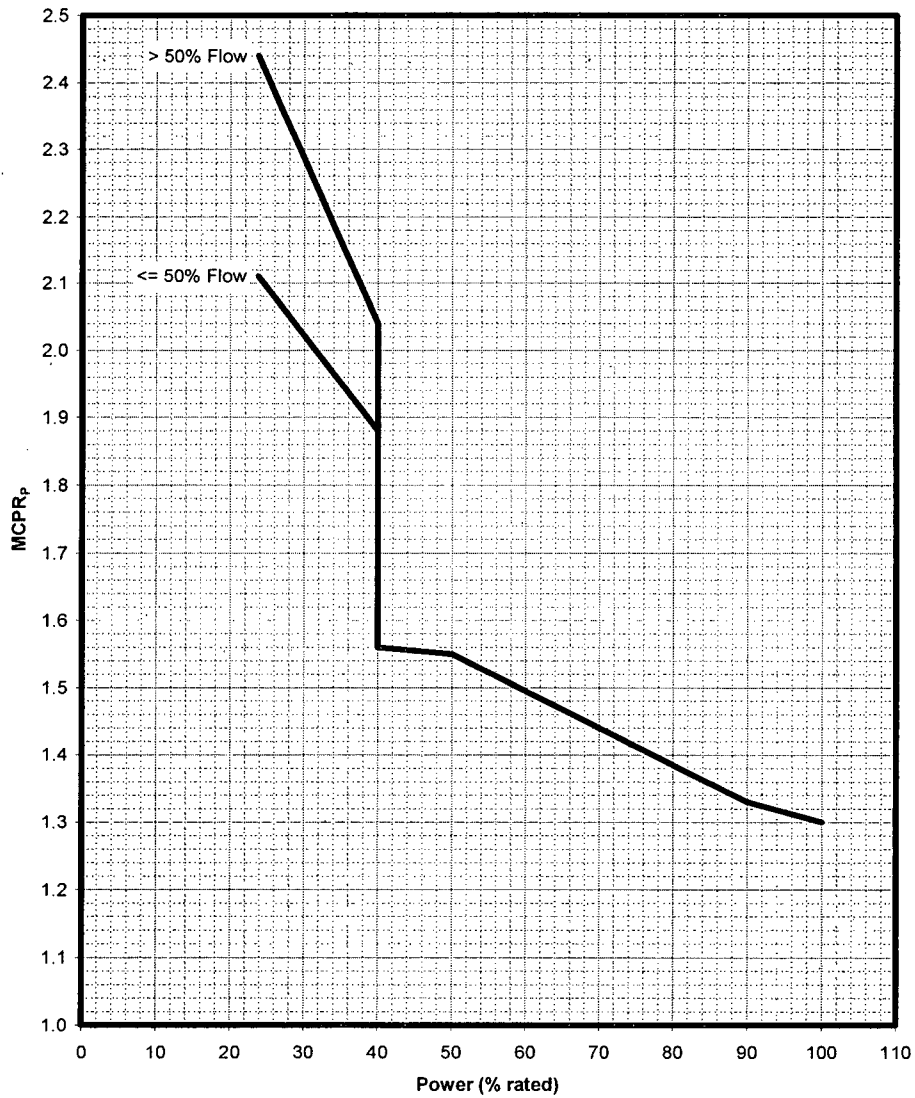
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.93
70.0		1.74
85.0		1.65
85.0		1.33
90.0		1.30
100.0		1.27

FIGURE 24. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 3



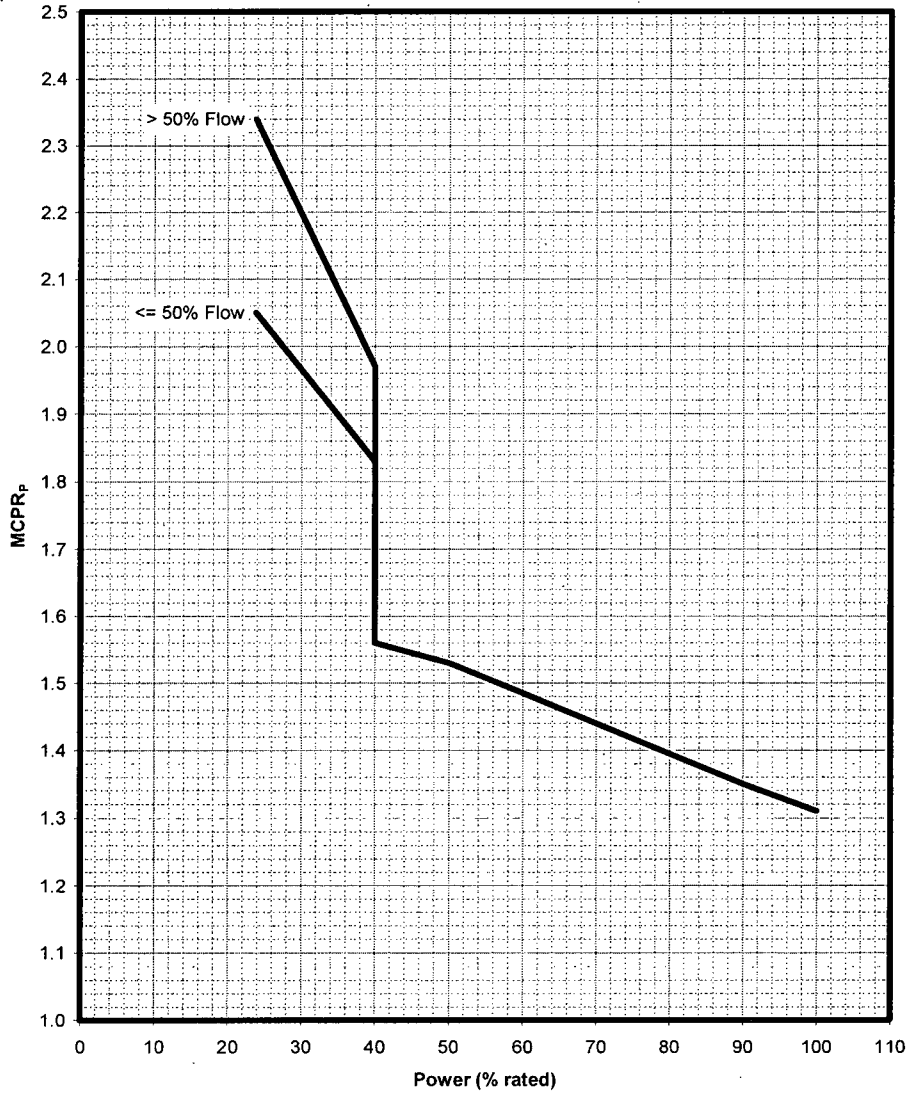
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.87
70.0		1.69
85.0		1.60
85.0		1.33
90.0		1.31
100.0		1.28

FIGURE 25. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 4



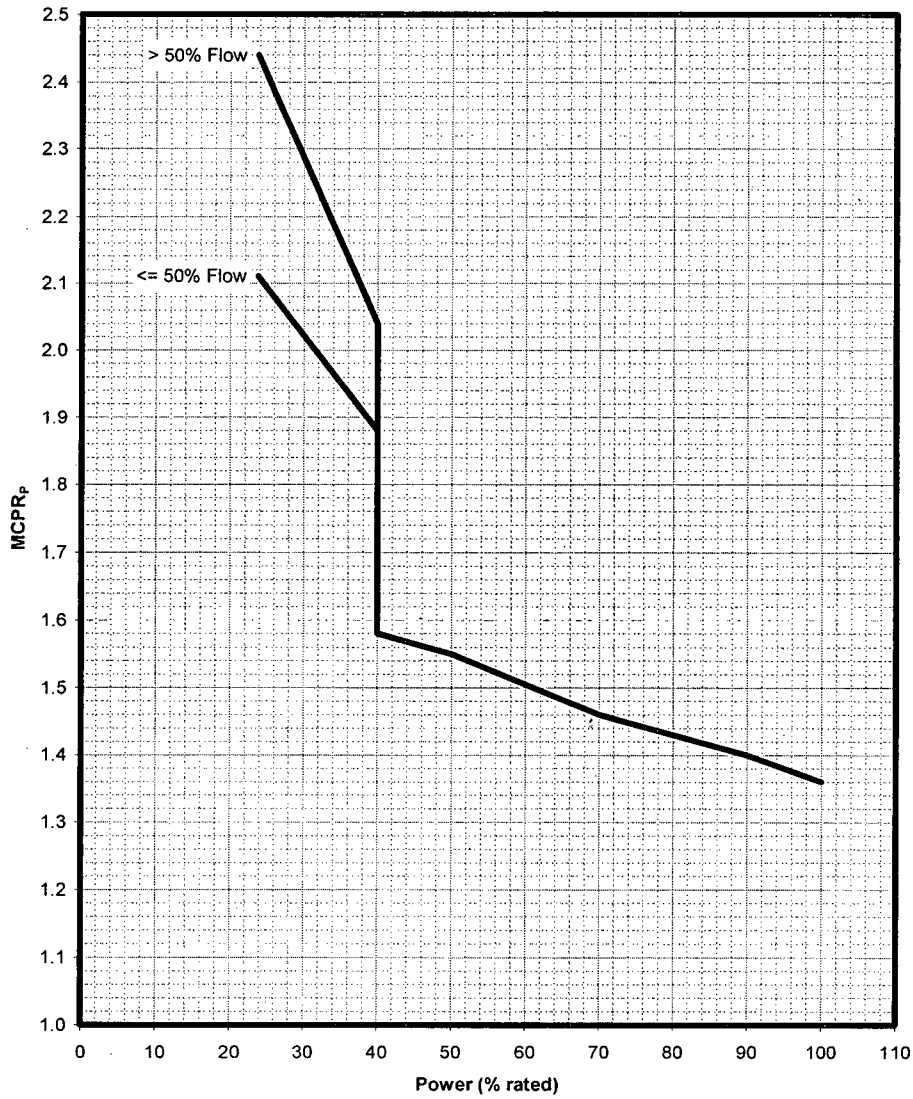
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.55
70.0		1.44
90.0		1.33
100.0		1.30

FIGURE 26. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 4



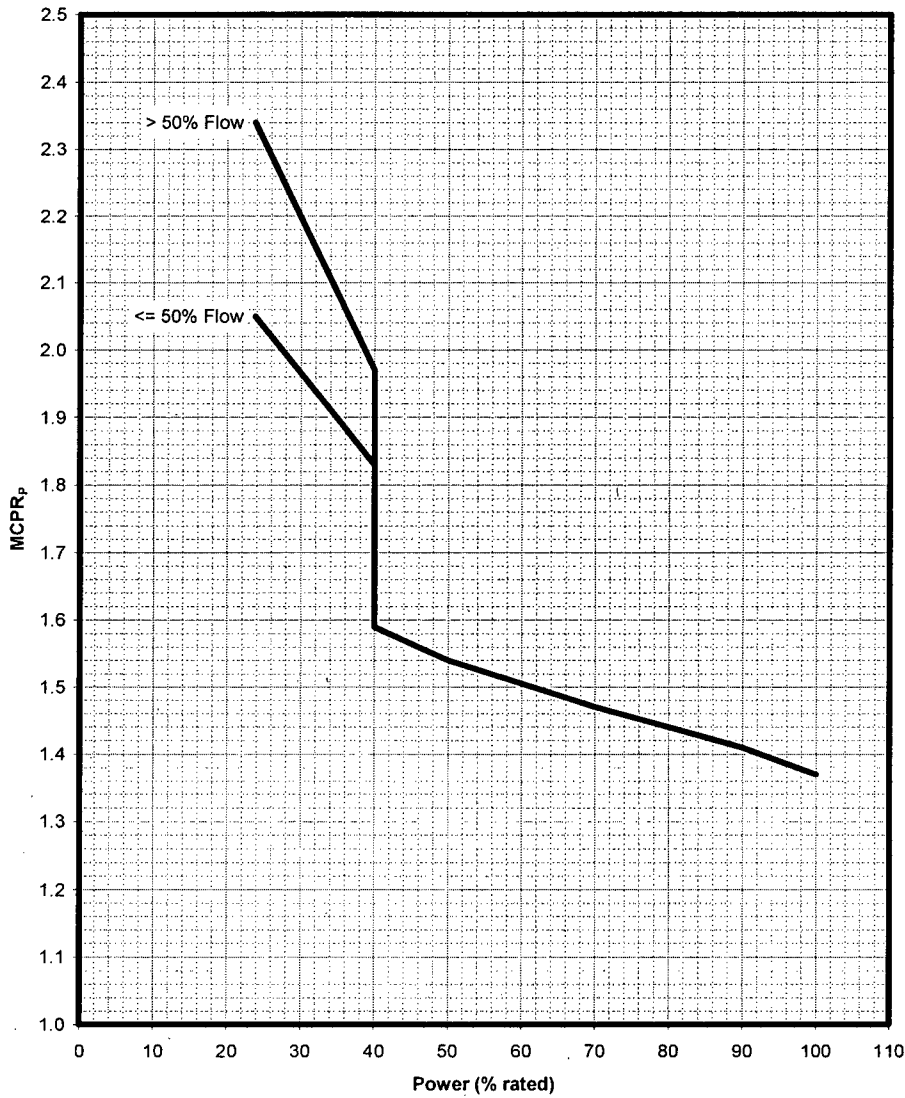
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.56
50.0		1.53
70.0		1.44
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 27. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 5



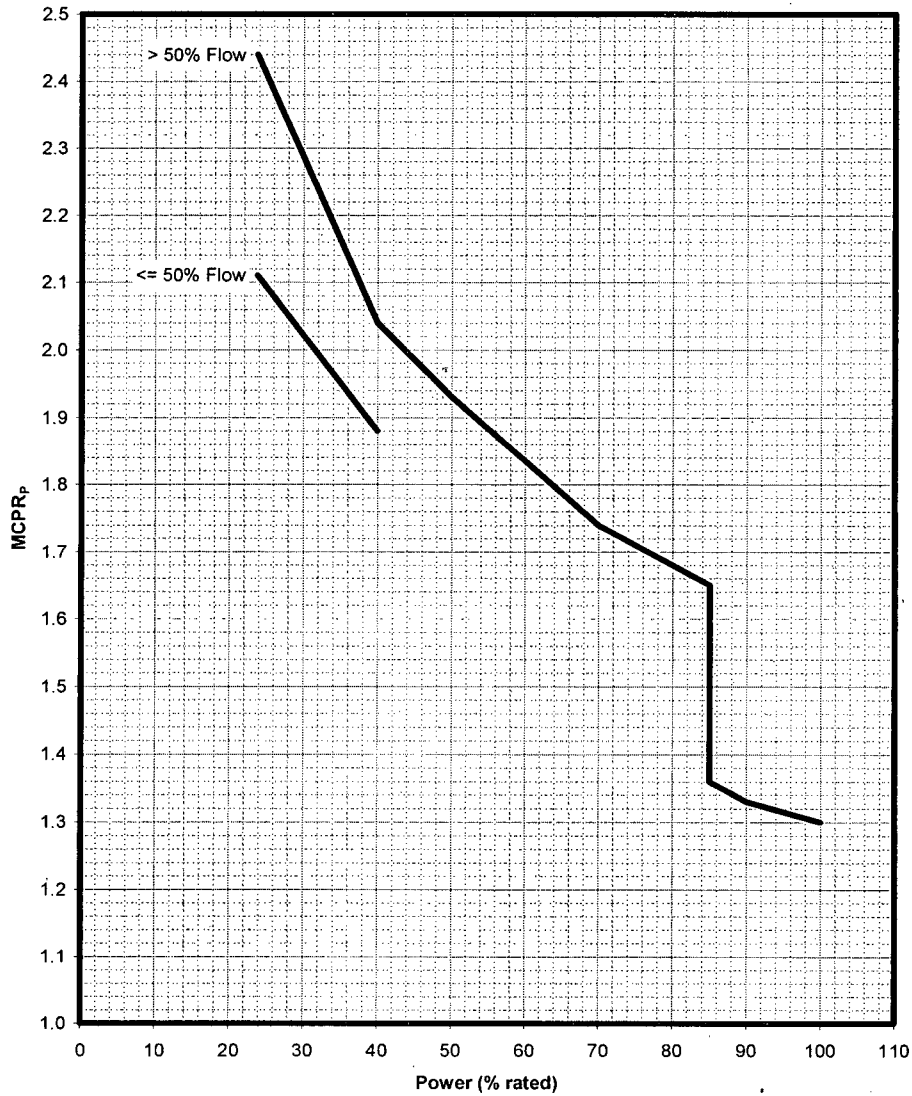
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		1.58
50.0		1.55
70.0		1.46
90.0		1.40
100.0		1.36

FIGURE 28. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_p) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 5



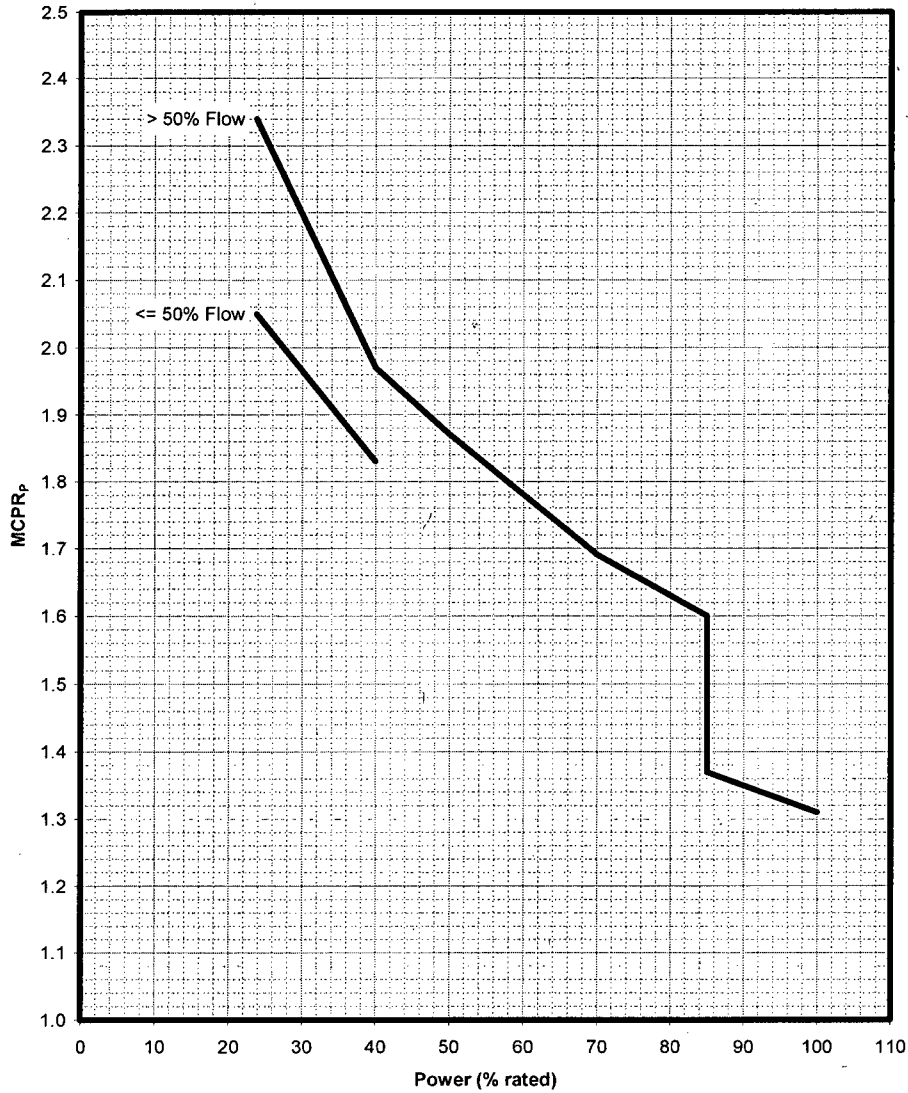
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.59
50.0		1.54
70.0		1.47
90.0		1.41
100.0		1.37

FIGURE 29. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 6



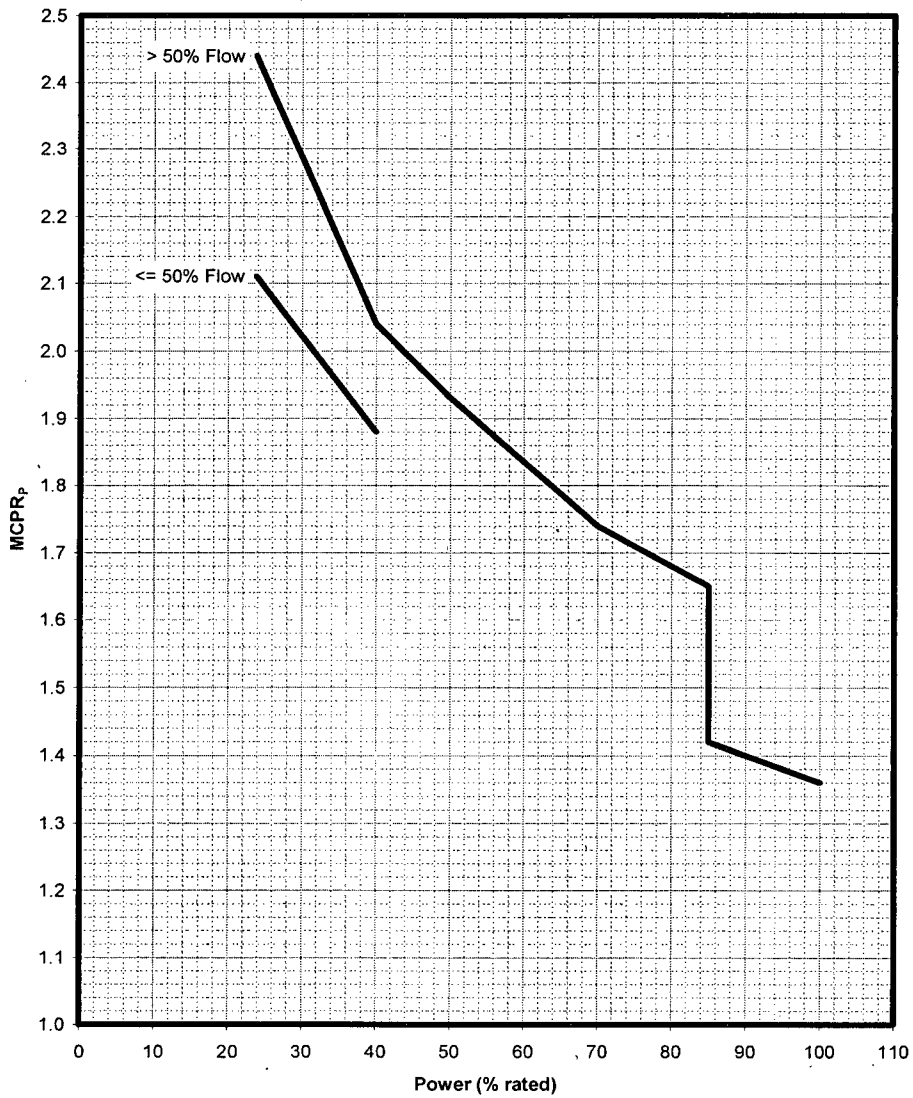
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.93
70.0		1.74
85.0		1.65
85.0		1.36
90.0		1.33
100.0		1.30

FIGURE 30. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 6



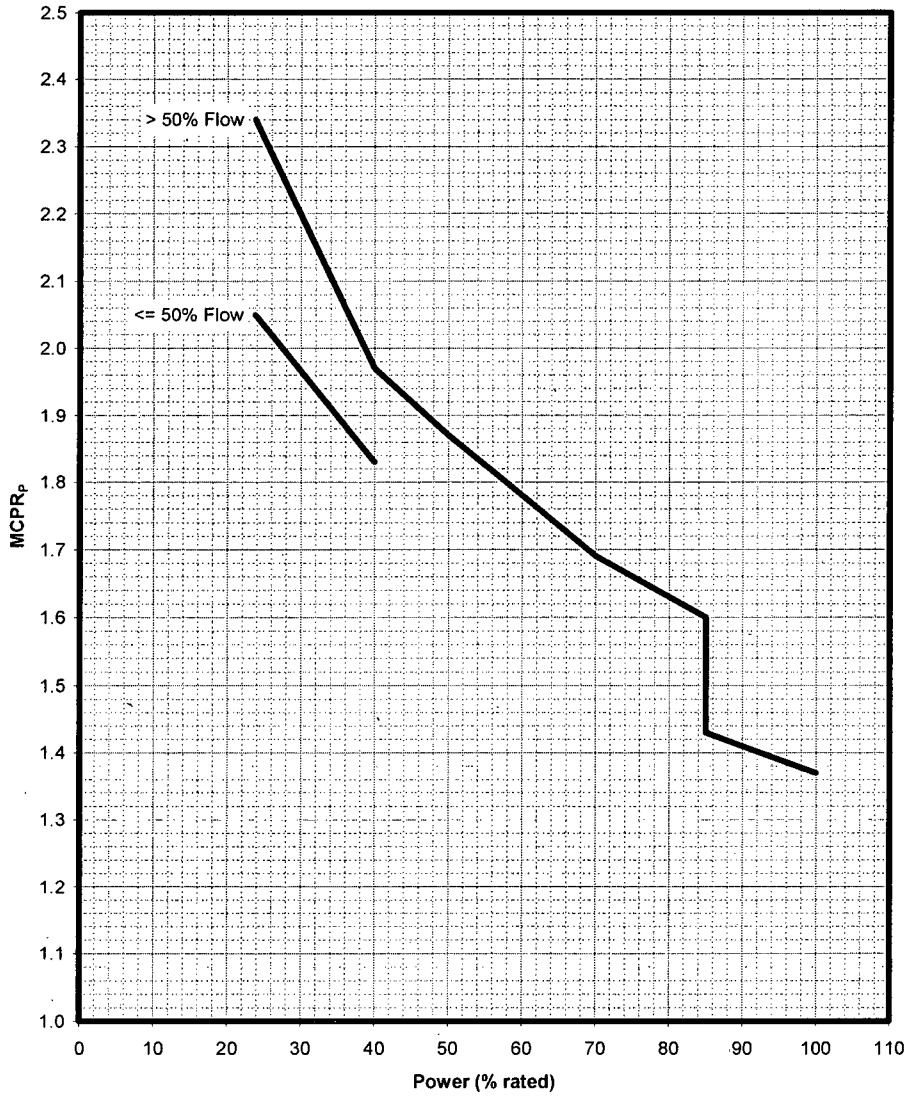
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.87
70.0		1.69
85.0		1.60
85.0		1.37
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 31. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 7



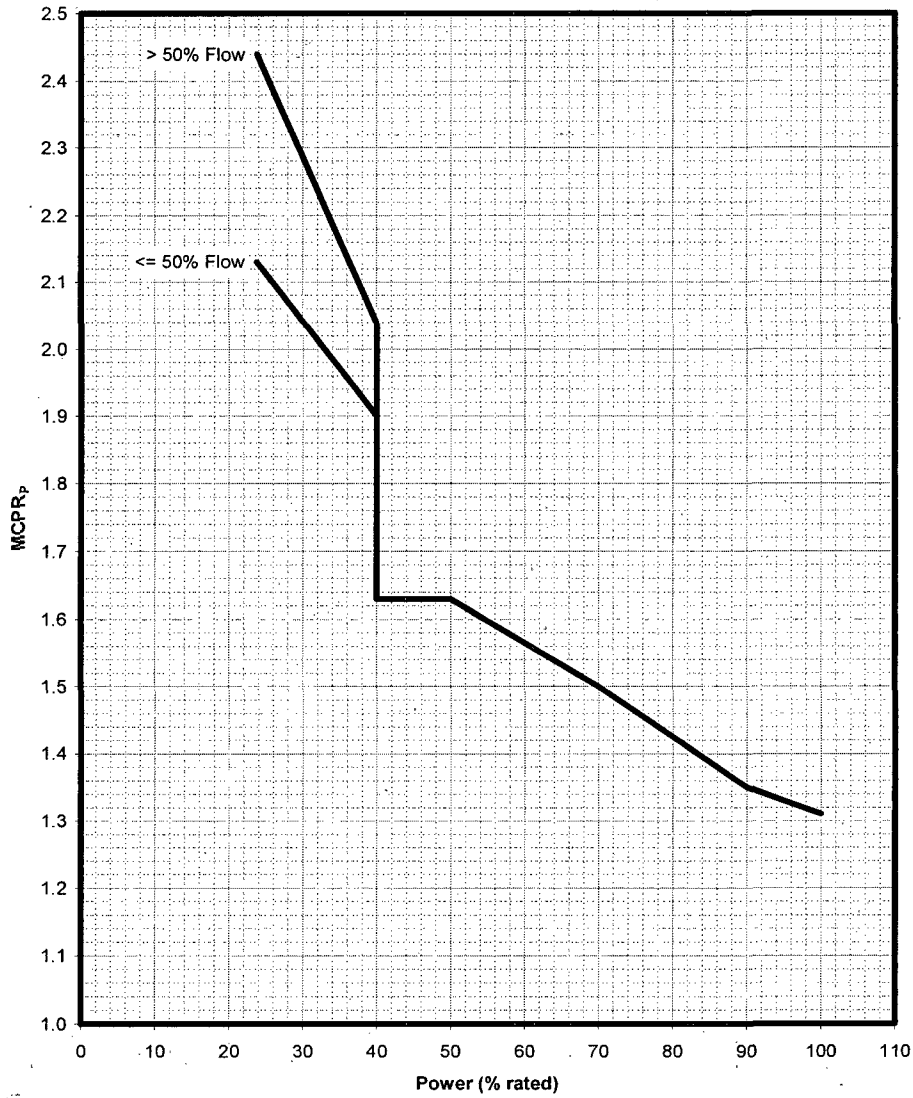
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.11	2.44
40.0	1.88	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.93
70.0		1.74
85.0		1.65
85.0		1.42
90.0		1.40
100.0		1.36

FIGURE 32. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 7



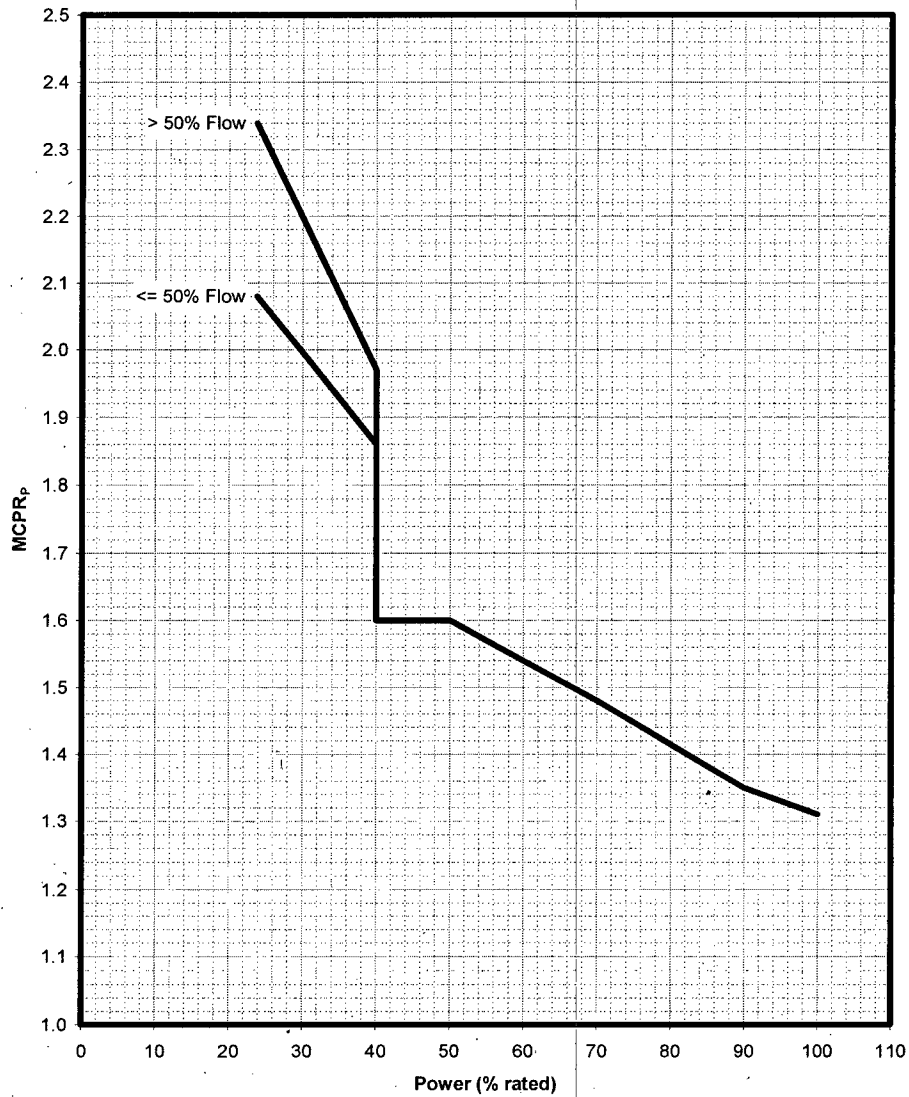
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.05	2.34
40.0	1.83	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.87
70.0		1.69
85.0		1.60
85.0		1.43
90.0		1.41
100.0		1.37

FIGURE 33. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 1



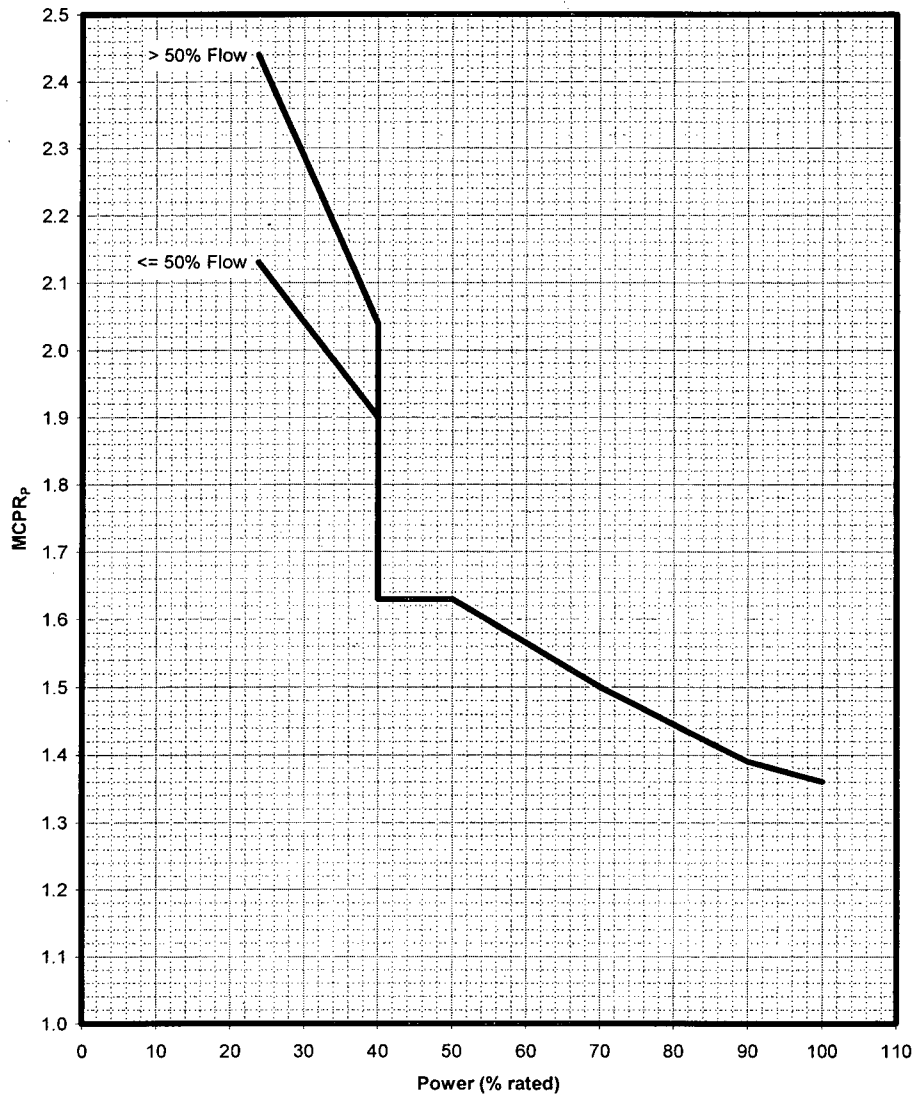
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		1.63
50.0		1.63
70.0		1.50
70.0		1.50
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 34. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR ($MCPR_p$) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 1



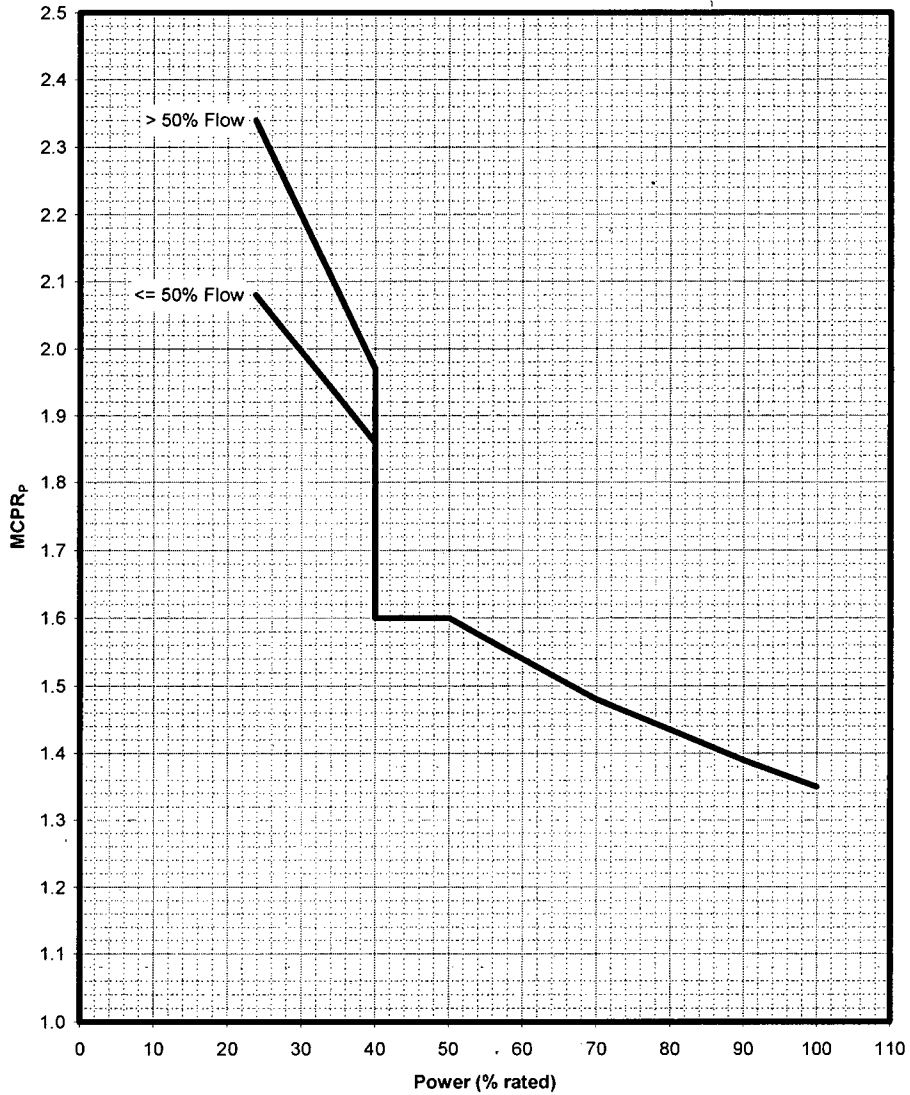
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.60
50.0		1.60
70.0		1.48
70.0		1.48
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 35. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_p) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 2



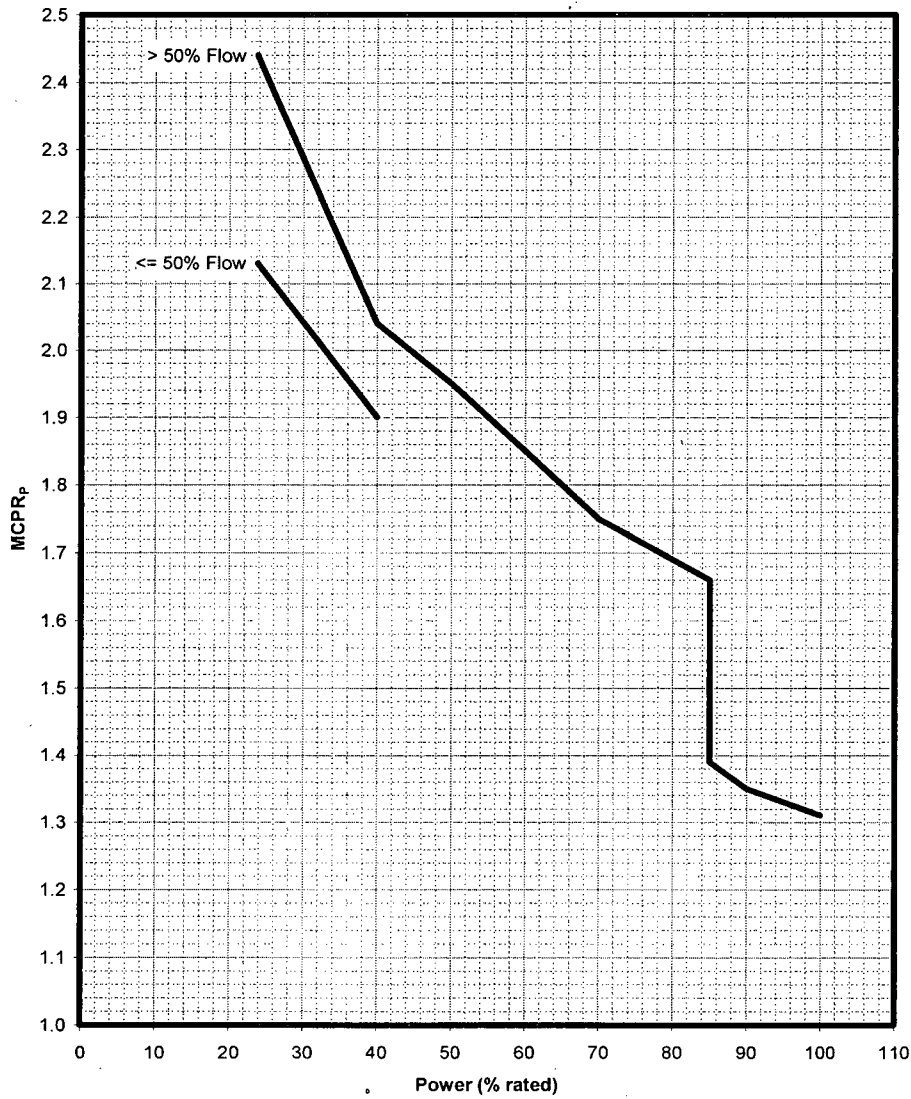
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		1.63
50.0		1.63
70.0		1.50
70.0		1.50
90.0		1.39
100.0		1.36

FIGURE 36. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION, CONDITION 2



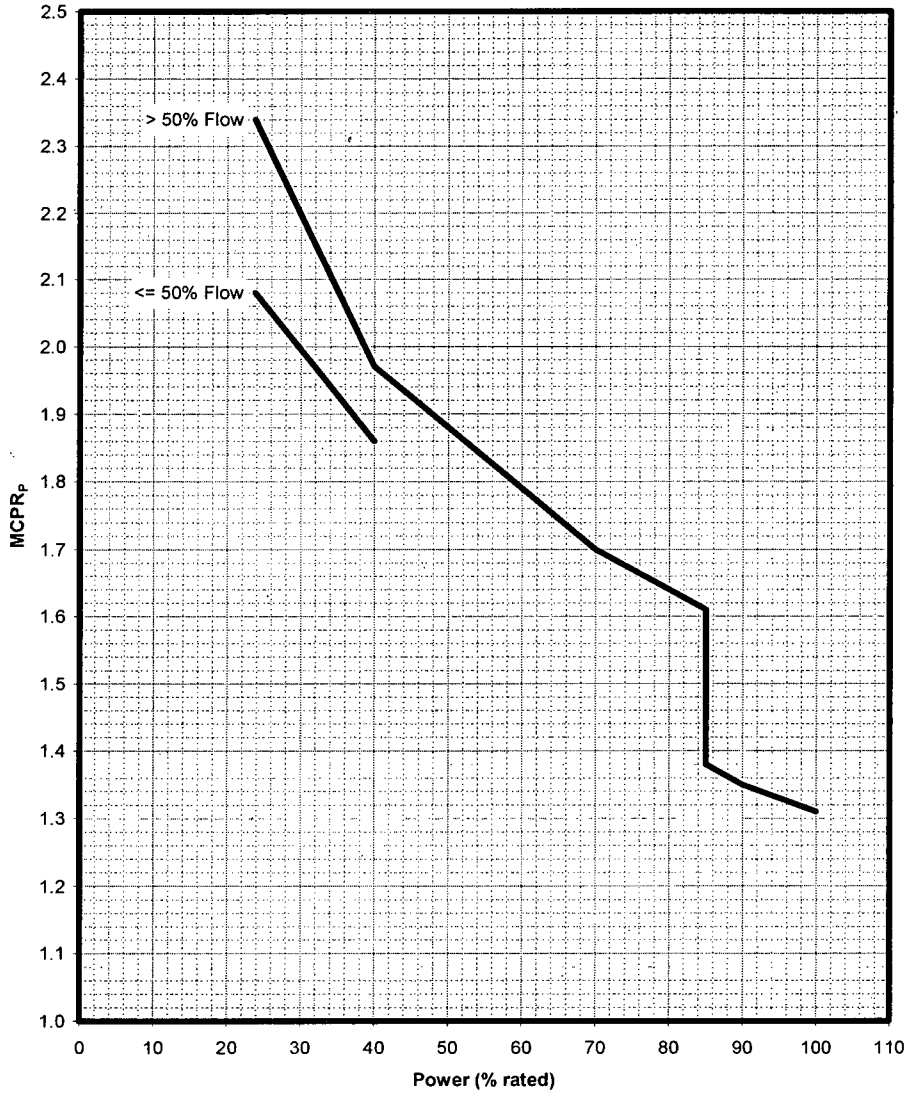
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.60
50.0		1.60
70.0		1.48
70.0		1.48
90.0		1.39
100.0		1.35

FIGURE 37. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_p) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 3



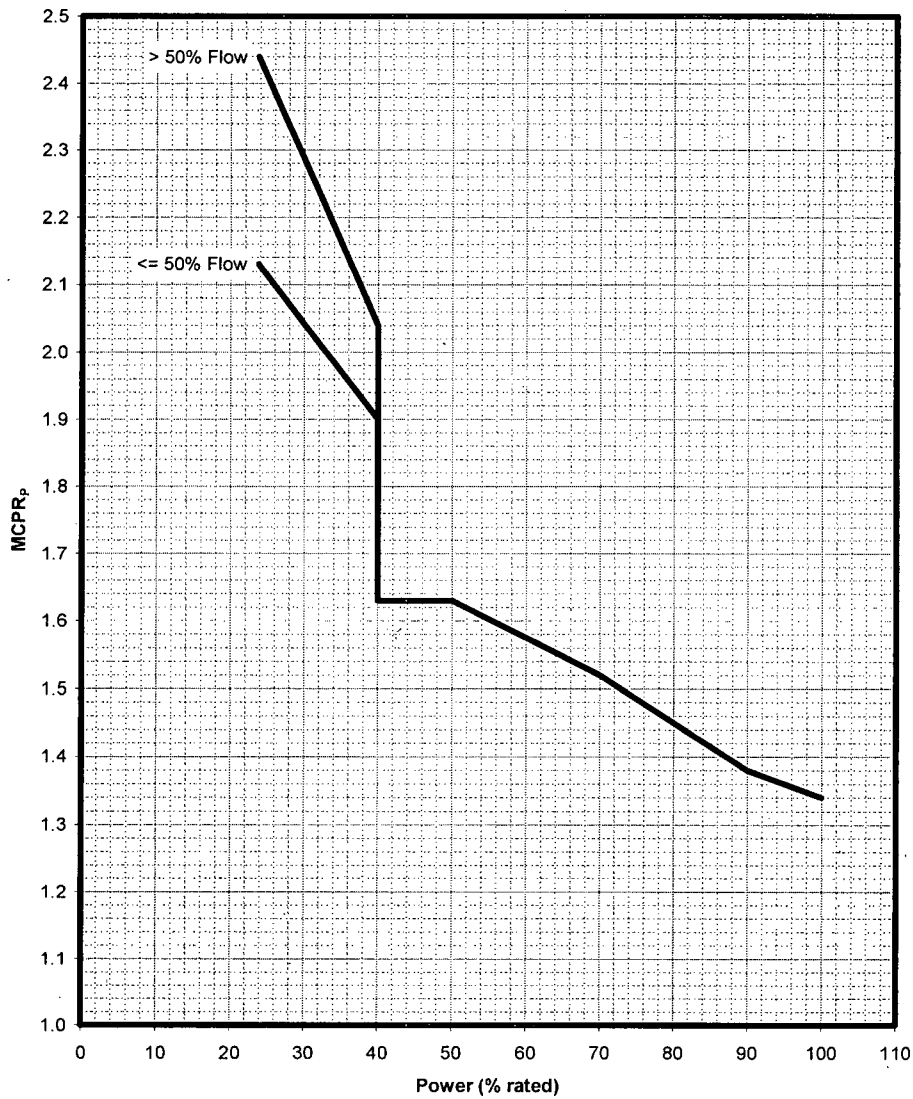
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.95
70.0		1.75
85.0		1.66
85.0		1.39
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 38. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 3



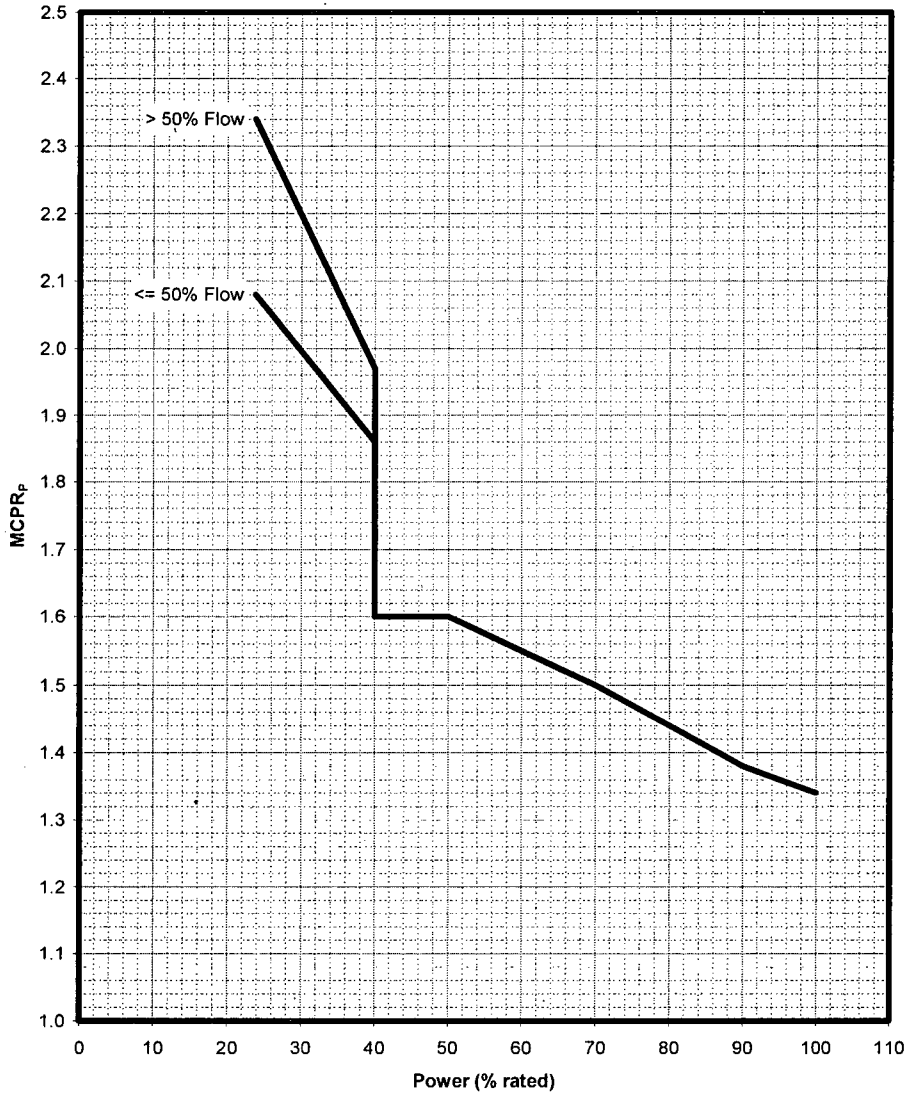
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.88
70.0		1.70
85.0		1.61
85.0		1.38
90.0		1.35
100.0		1.31

FIGURE 39. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 4



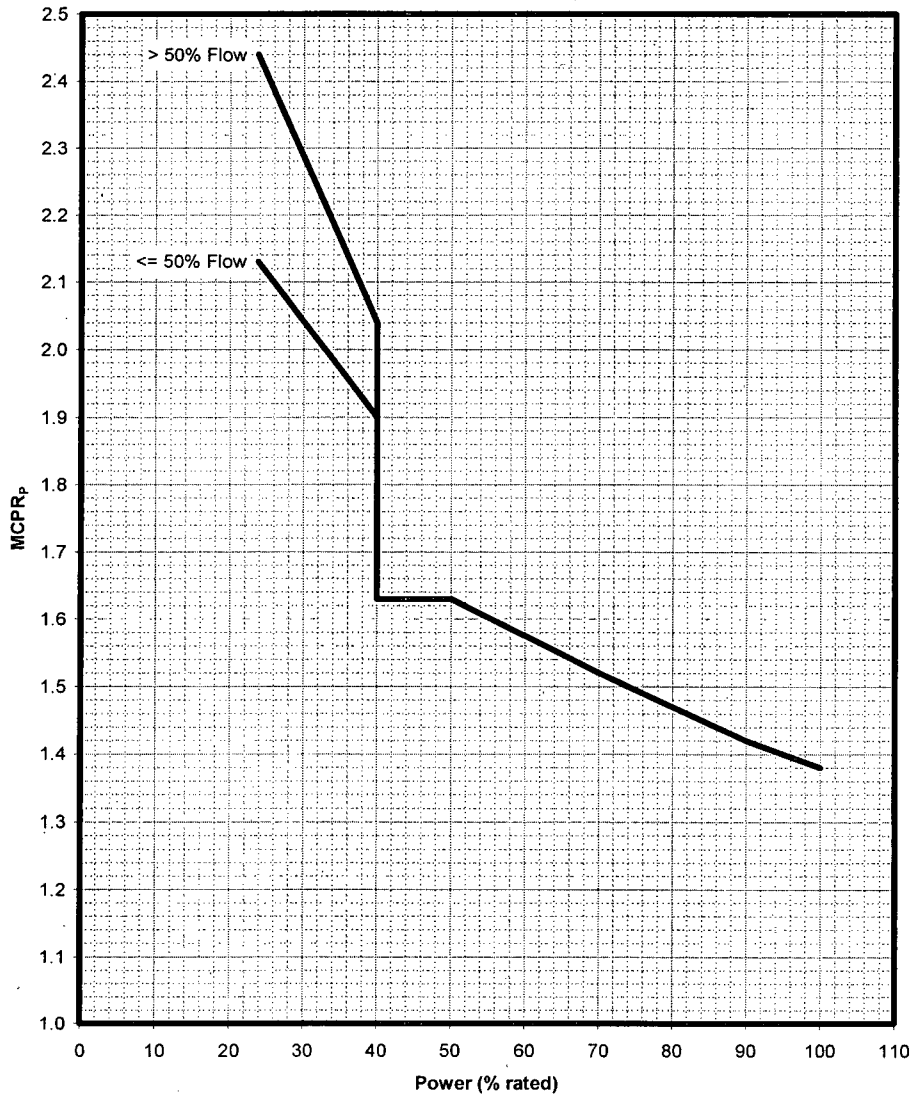
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		1.63
50.0		1.63
70.0		1.52
90.0		1.38
100.0		1.34

FIGURE 40. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 4



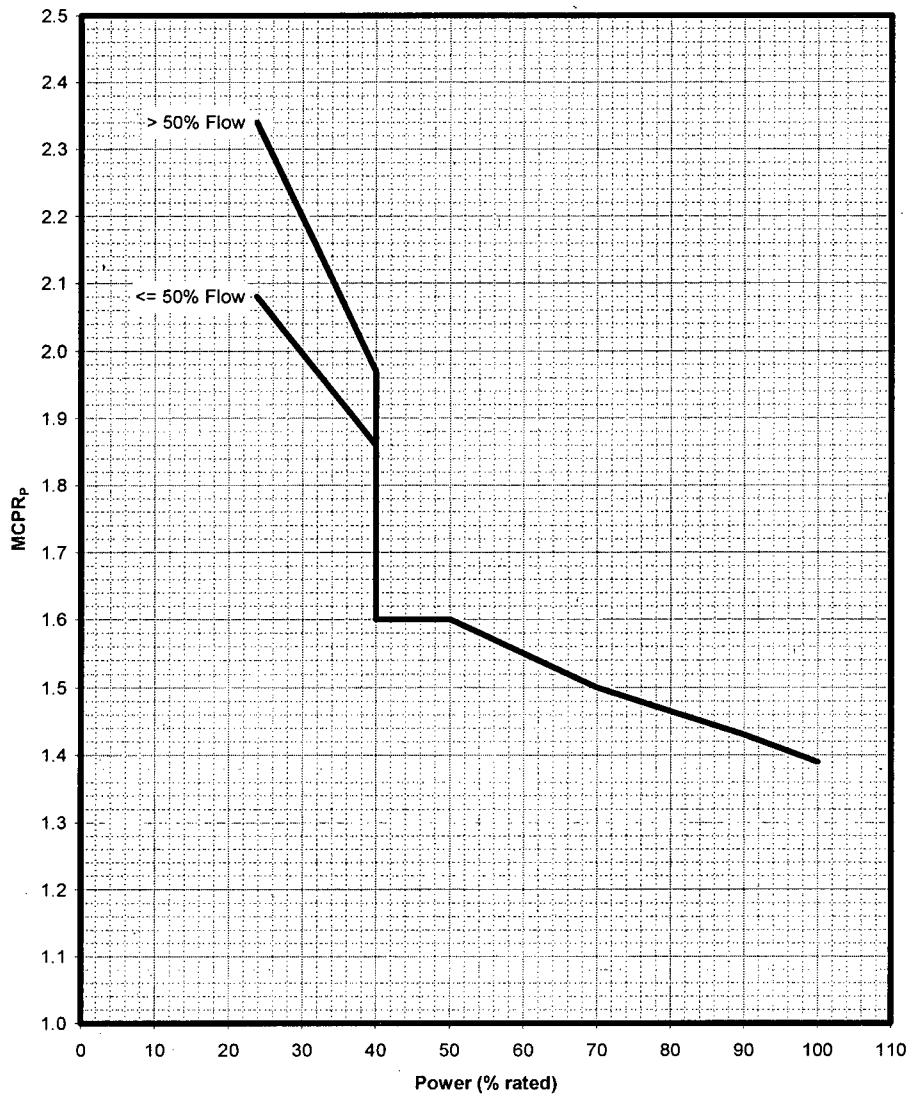
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.60
50.0		1.60
70.0		1.50
90.0		1.38
100.0		1.34

FIGURE 41. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 5



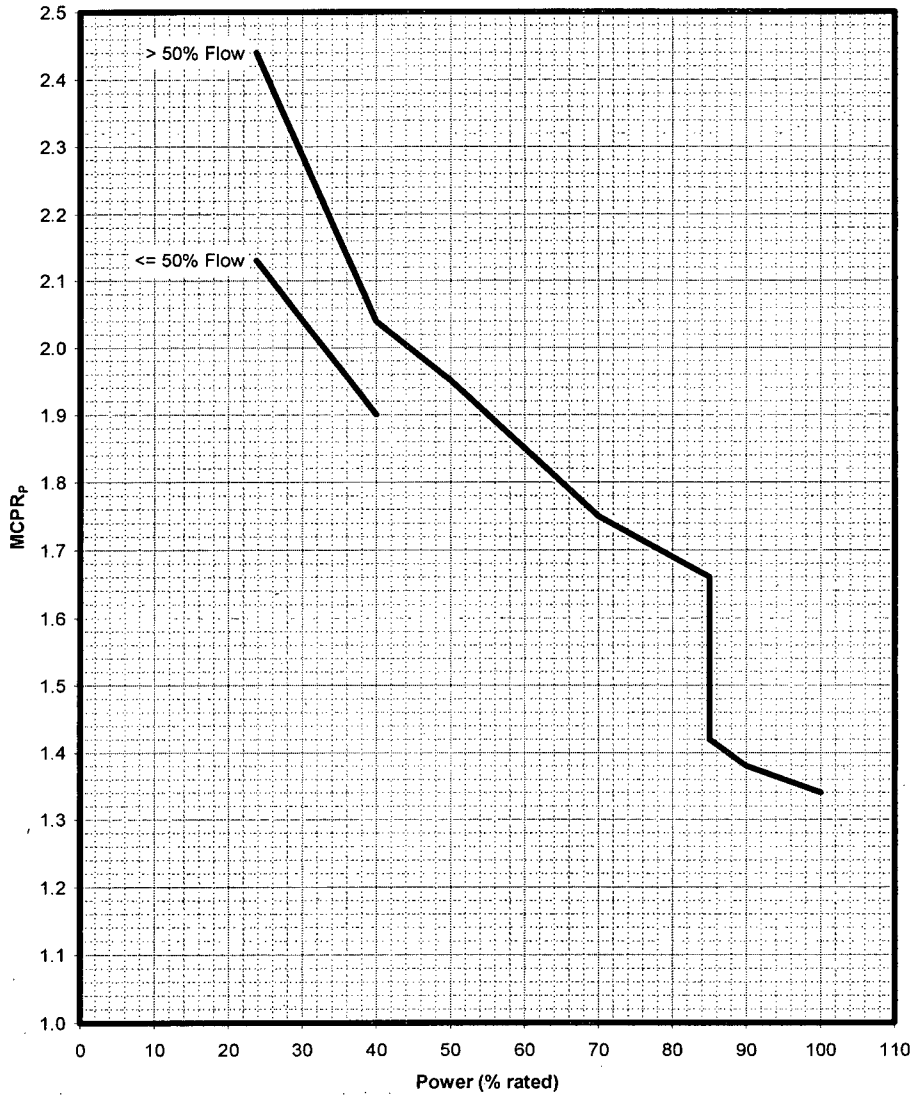
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		1.63
50.0		1.63
70.0		1.52
90.0		1.42
100.0		1.38

FIGURE 42. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_p) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 5



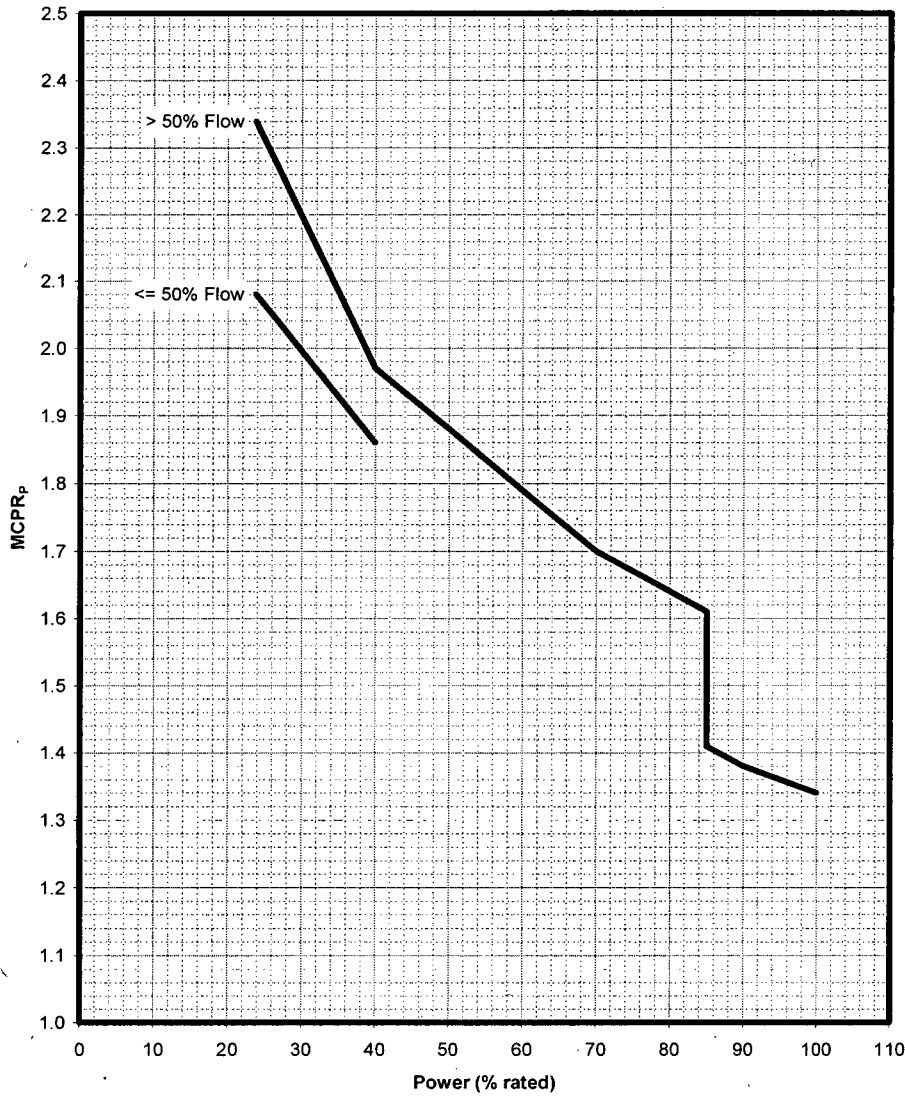
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.60
50.0		1.60
70.0		1.50
90.0		1.43
100.0		1.39

FIGURE 43. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 6



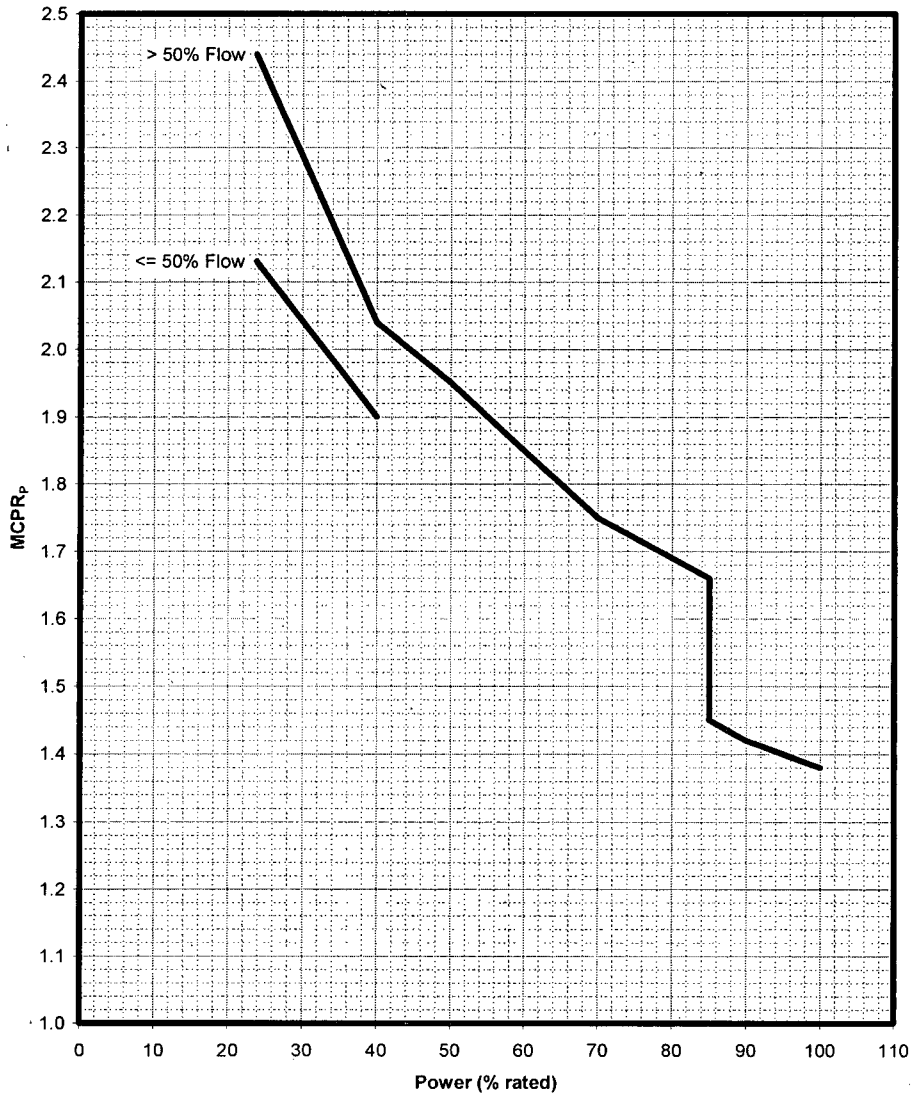
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.95
70.0		1.75
85.0		1.66
85.0		1.42
90.0		1.38
100.0		1.34

FIGURE 44. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_p) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 6



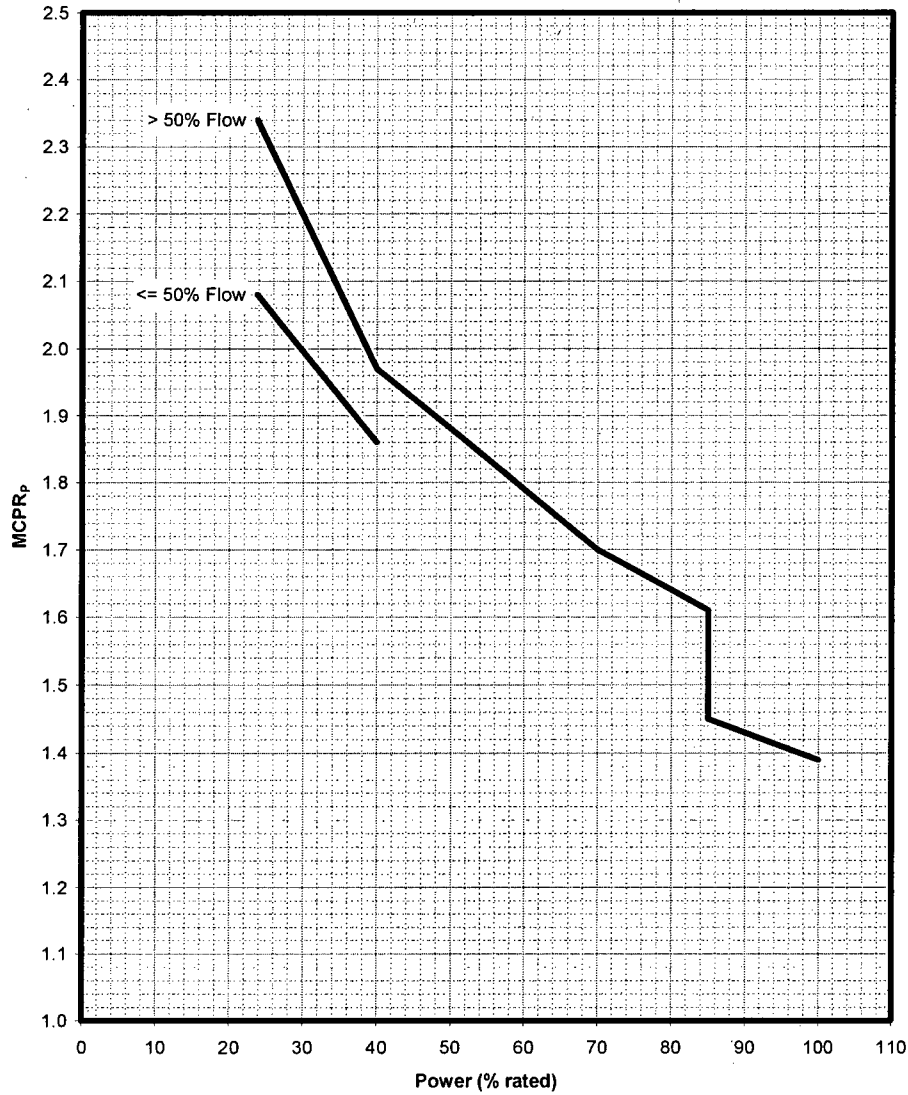
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.88
70.0		1.70
85.0		1.61
85.0		1.41
90.0		1.38
100.0		1.34

FIGURE 45. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 7



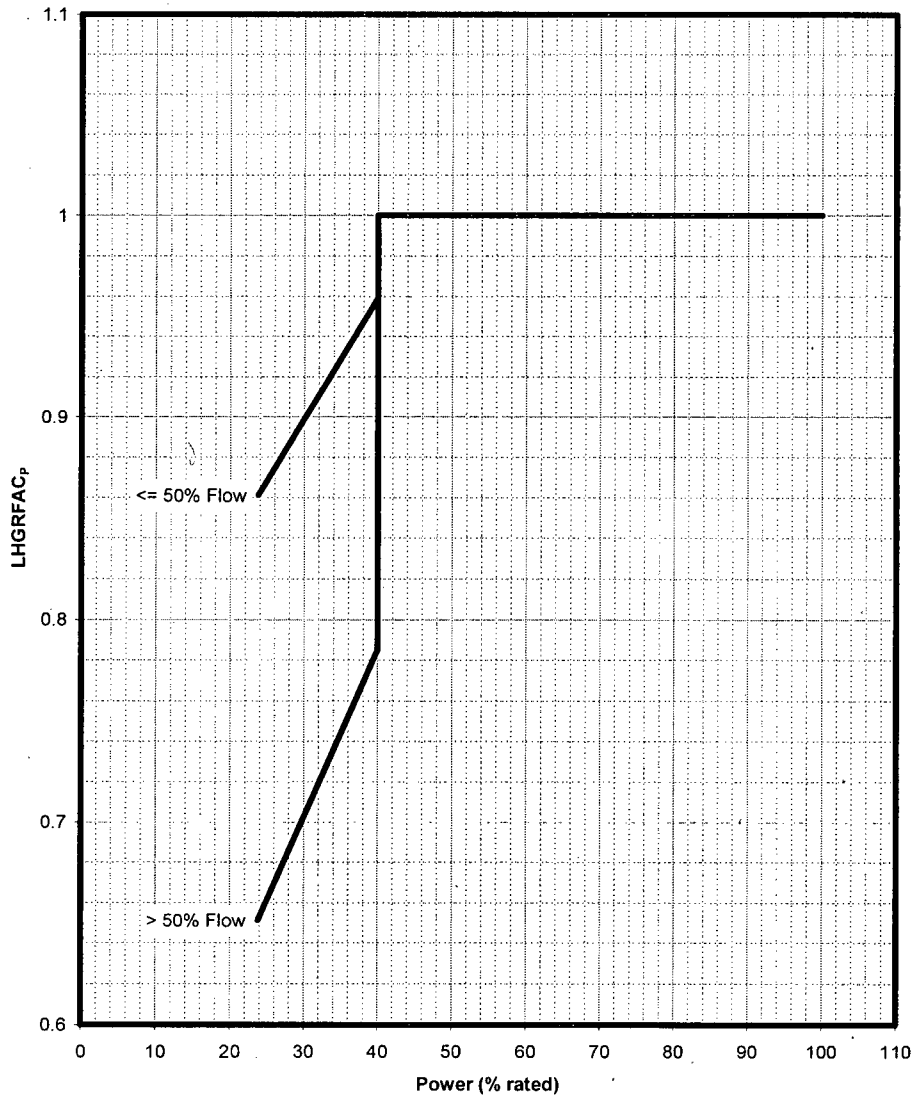
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.13	2.44
40.0	1.90	2.04
40.0		2.04
50.0		1.95
70.0		1.75
85.0		1.66
85.0		1.45
90.0		1.42
100.0		1.38

FIGURE 46. OPERATING LIMIT MCPR (MCPR_P) VERSUS CORE POWER FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITION 7



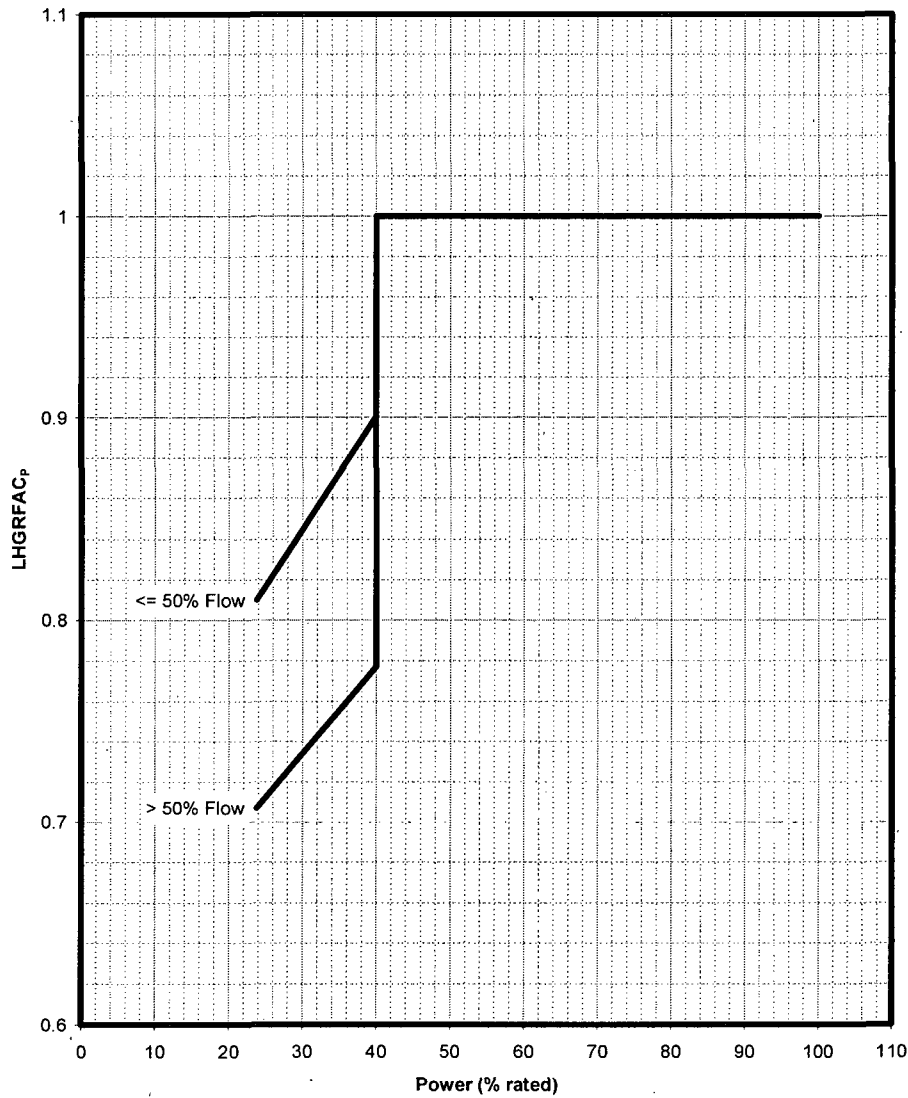
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	2.08	2.34
40.0	1.86	1.97
40.0		1.97
50.0		1.88
70.0		1.70
85.0		1.61
85.0		1.45
90.0		1.43
100.0		1.39

FIGURE 47. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_P) FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 1, 2, 4, AND 5



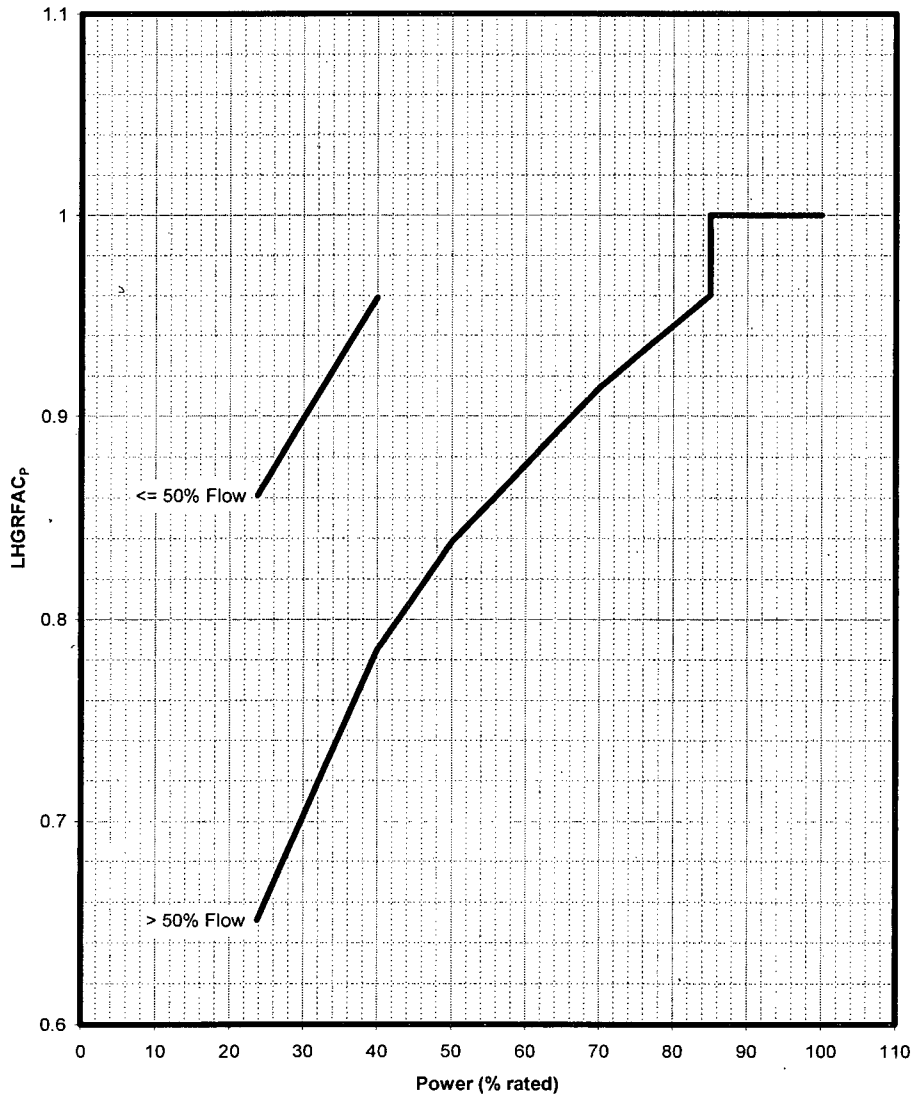
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.861	0.651
40.0	0.959	0.785
40.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 48. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_p) FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 1, 2, 4, AND 5



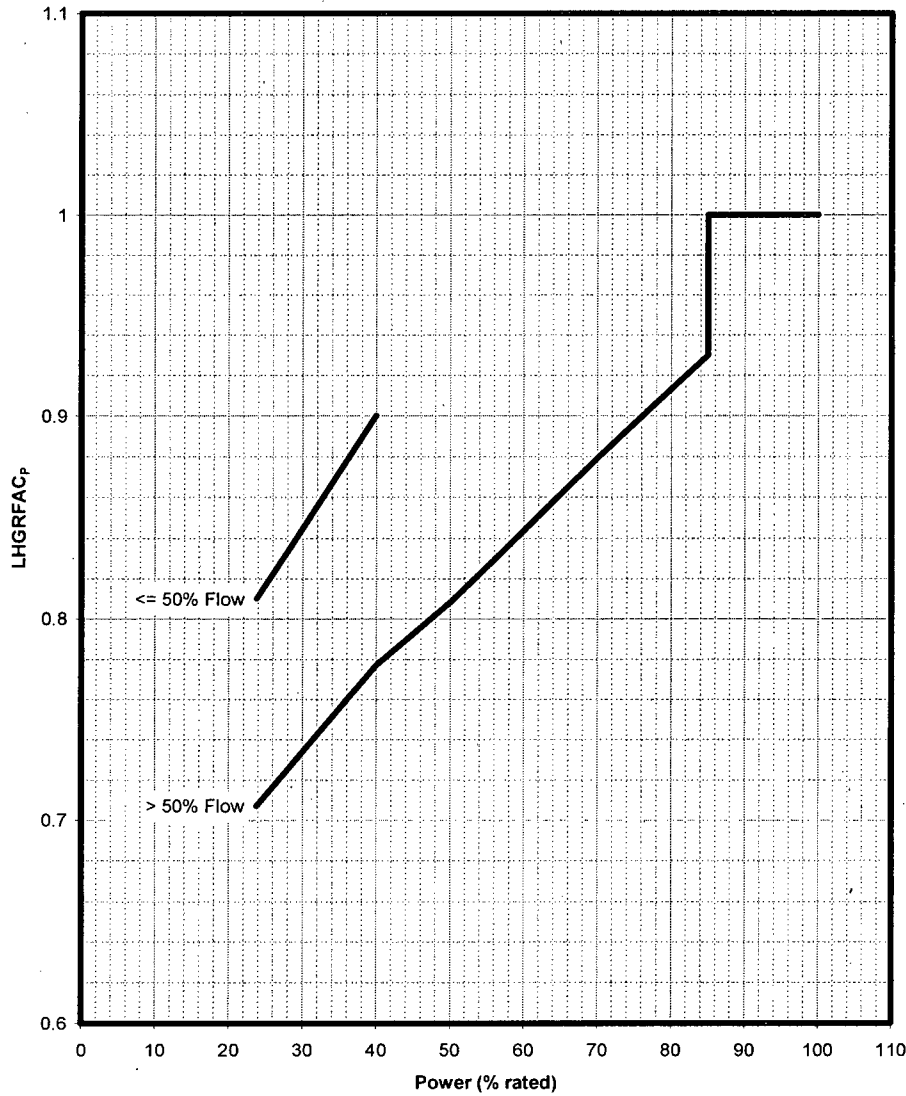
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.810	0.707
40.0	0.900	0.777
40.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 49. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_P) FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 3, 6, AND 7



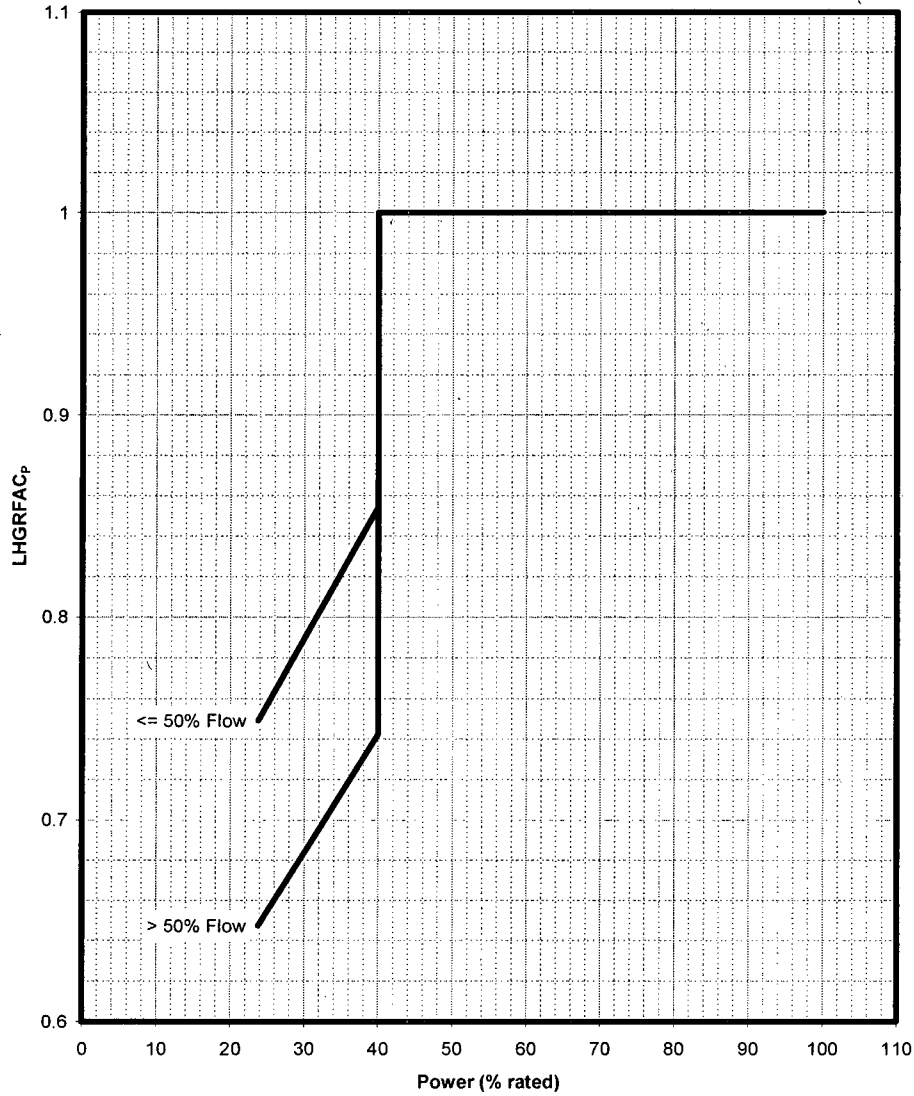
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.861	0.651
40.0	0.959	0.785
40.0		0.785
50.0		0.838
70.0		0.914
85.0		0.960
85.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 50. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_p) FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE BOC TO MOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 3, 6, AND 7



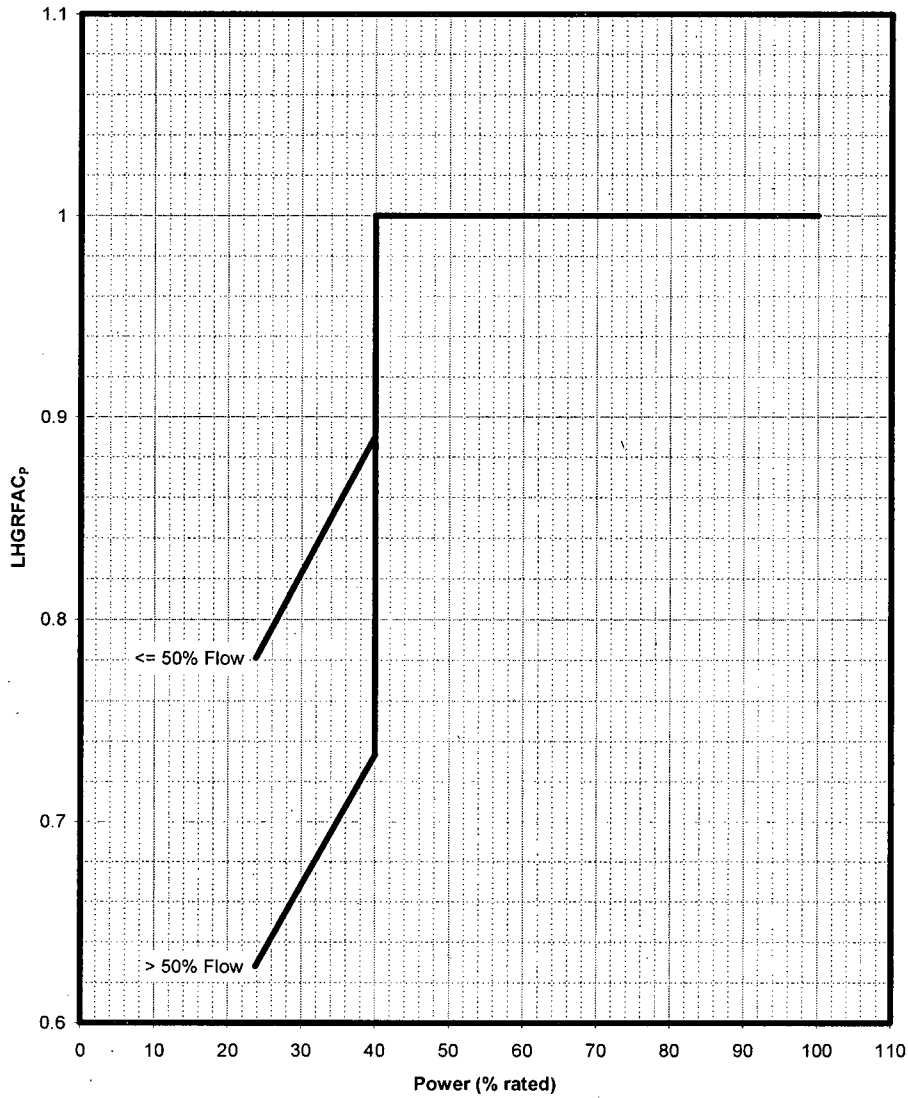
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.810	0.707
40.0	0.900	0.777
40.0		0.777
50.0		0.808
70.0		0.879
85.0		0.930
85.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 51. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_p) FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 1, 2, 4, AND 5



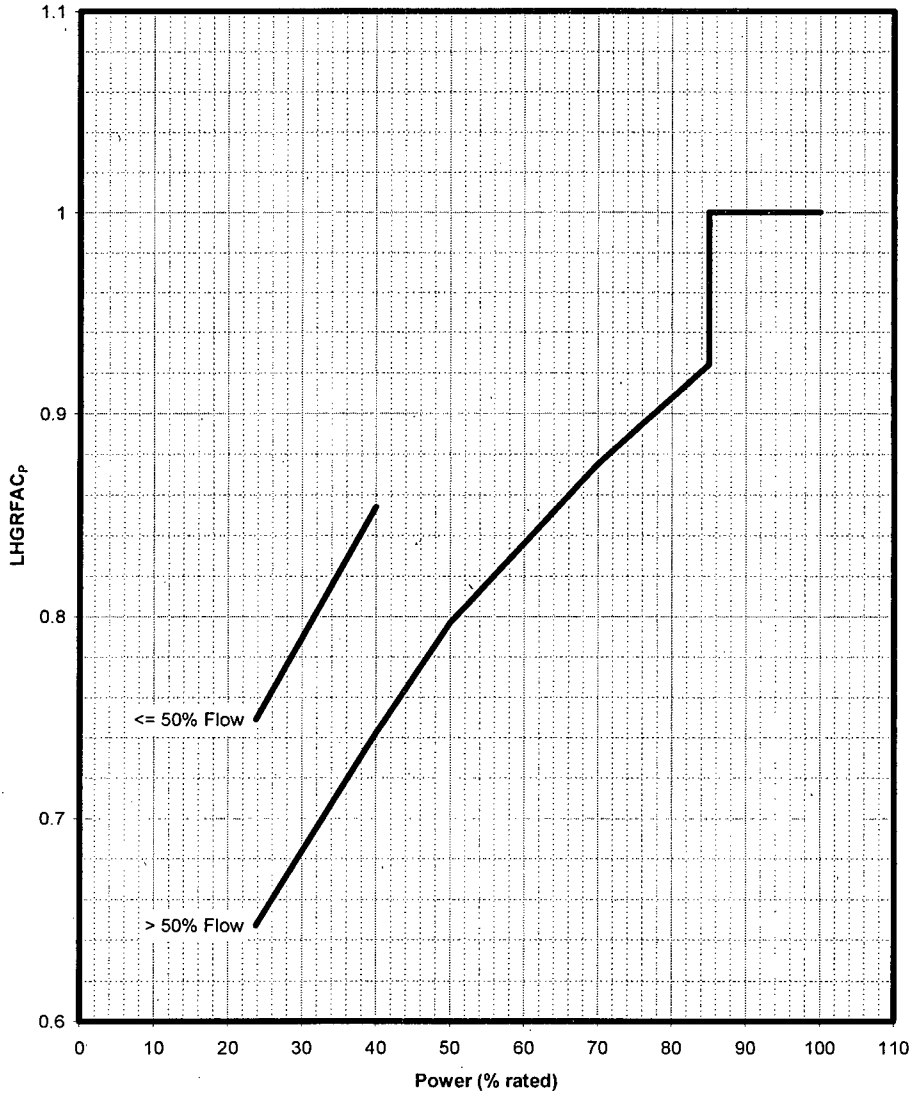
Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.749	0.647
40.0	0.854	0.742
40.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 52. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_P) FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 1, 2, 4, AND 5



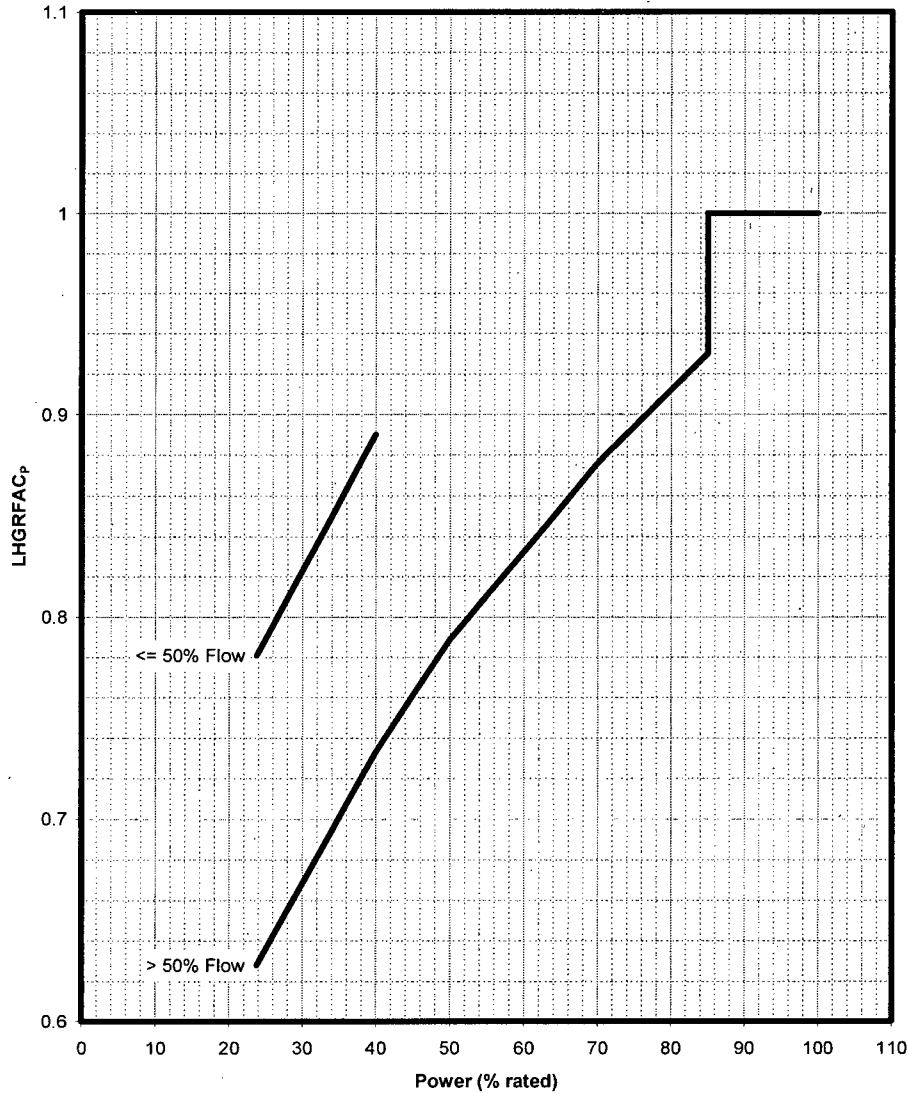
Power (% rated)	≤ 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.781	0.628
40.0	0.890	0.733
40.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 53. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_P) FOR GE14, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 3, 6, AND 7



Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.749	0.647
40.0	0.854	0.742
40.0		0.742
50.0		0.797
70.0		0.875
85.0		0.924
85.0		1.000
100.0		1.000

FIGURE 54. LHGR MULTIPLIER VERSUS CORE POWER (LHGRFAC_P) FOR ATRIUM-10, EXPOSURE RANGE MOC TO EOC, APPLICATION CONDITIONS 3, 6, AND 7



Power (% rated)	<= 50% Flow	> 50% Flow
23.8	0.781	0.628
40.0	0.890	0.733
40.0		0.733
50.0		0.789
70.0		0.876
85.0		0.930
85.0		1.000
100.0		1.000