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DOCKET NUMBER 50-483 CALLAWAY PLANT UNIT 1 UNION ELECTRIC CO. FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE NPF-30 <u>CORE OPERATING LIMITS REPORT</u>

Please find enclosed the Callaway Plant Cycle 20 Core Operating Limits Report, dated July 5, 2013. This revision addresses calculations associated with the new Pressurizer Pressure Transmitter, BBPT0457. The change is reflected in section 2.11 on page 21 of the COLR. This report is provided to the NRC Staff for information. It has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Technical Specification 5.6.5.

This letter does not contain new commitments.

If you have any questions concerning this report, please contact us.

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Callaway Cycle 20 REDESIGN

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1.0 CORE OPERATING LIMITS REPORT

This Core Operating Limits Report (COLR) for Callaway Plant Cycle 20 has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Technical Specification 5.6.5.

The Core Operating Limits affecting the following Technical Specifications are included in this report.

3.1.1, 3.1.4, 3.1.5, 3.1.6, 3.1.8 SHUTDOWN MARGIN (SDM)

- 3.1.3 Moderator Temperature Coefficient (MTC)
- 3.1.5 Shutdown Bank Insertion Limits
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- 3.2.1 Heat Flux Hot Channel Factor $(F_0(z))$
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- 3.4.1 RCS Pressure and Temperature Departure from Nucleate Boiling (DNB) Limits

2.0 OPERATING LIMITS

The cycle-specific parameter limits for the specifications listed in Section 1.0 are presented in the subsections which follow. These limits have been developed using the NRC-approved methodologies specified in Technical Specification 5.6.5.

2.1 <u>SHUTDOWN MARGIN (SDM)</u>

(Specifications 3.1.1, 3.1.4, 3.1.5, 3.1.6, and 3.1.8)

- 2.1.1 The Shutdown Margin in MODES 1-4 shall be greater than or equal to $1.3\% \Delta k/k$.
- 2.1.2 The Shutdown Margin prior to blocking Safety Injection below P-11 in MODES 3 and 4 shall be greater than $0\% \Delta k/k$ as calculated at 200°F.
- 2.1.3 The Shutdown Margin in MODE 5 shall be greater than or equal to $1.0\% \Delta k/k$.

2.2 <u>Moderator Temperature Coefficient (MTC)</u> (Specification 3.1.3)

2.2.1 The Moderator Temperature Coefficient shall be less positive than the limits shown in Figure 1. These limits shall be referred to as upper limit.

The Moderator Temperature Coefficient shall be less negative than -47.9 pcm/°F. This limit shall be referred to as the lower limit.

- 2.2.2 The MTC 300 ppm surveillance limit is -40.4 pcm/°F (all rods withdrawn, Rated Thermal Power condition).
- 2.2.3 The MTC 60 ppm surveillance limit is -45.5 pcm/°F (all rods withdrawn, Rated Thermal Power condition).



Figure 1

Callaway Cycle 20 Moderator Temperature Coefficient Versus Power Level

2.3 <u>Shutdown Bank Insertion Limits</u> (Specification 3.1.5)

The shutdown banks shall be withdrawn to at least 225 steps.

- 2.4 <u>Control Bank Insertion Limits</u> (Specification 3.1.6)
 - 2.4.1 Control Bank insertion limits are specified by Figure 2.
 - 2.4.2 Control Bank withdrawal sequence is A-B-C-D. The insertion sequence is the reverse of the withdrawal sequence.
 - 2.4.3 The difference between each sequential Control Bank position is 115 steps when not fully inserted and not fully withdrawn.



Figure 2

Callaway Cycle 20 Rod Bank Insertion Limits Versus Rated Thermal Power - Four Loop Operation

2.5 <u>Heat Flux Hot Channel Factor (FO(z))</u> (Specification 3.2.1)

$$F_Q(Z) \le \frac{F_Q^{RTP}}{P} * K(Z) \quad \text{for } P > 0.5$$

$$F_Q(Z) \le \frac{F_Q^{RTP}}{0.5} * K(Z) \text{ for } P \le 0.5$$
where: P = THERMAL POWER

RATED THERMAL POWER

- 2.5.1 $F_Q^{RTP} = 2.50.$
- 2.5.2 K(Z) is provided in Figure 3.
- 2.5.3 The W(z) functions that are to be used in Technical Specification 3.2.1 and Surveillance Requirement 3.2.1.2 for determining F_Q^W(z) are shown in Table A.1a and A.1b.** The W(z) functions shown in Table A.1a are only applicable to Figure 4a. The W(z) functions shown in Table A.1b are only applicable to Figure 4b. The data in these tables should be used independently; cross interpolation or extrapolation between W(z) sets is prohibited.

The Axial Flux Difference (AFD) Band in Figure 4b is more restrictive than the AFD Band in Figure 4a. Prior to switching from Figure 4b to Figure 4a, $F_Q^w(z)$ must be confirmed to meet Technical Specification requirements by one of the following methods:

- 1. Confirm $F_Q^W(z)$ meets the Technical Specification Limit with the Table A.1a W(z) values for the most recent surveillance performed.
- 2. Perform a new surveillance and confirm $F_Q^W(z)$ meets the Technical Specification Limit with the Table A.1a W(z) values.

The W(z) values have been determined for several burnups up to 20000 MWD/MTU in Cycle 20. This permits determination of W(z) at any cycle burnup up to 20000 MWD/MTU through the use of three point interpolation. For cycle burnups greater than 20000 MWD/MTU, use of 20000 MWD/MTU W(z) values without extrapolation is conservative. The W(z) values were determined assuming Cycle 20 operates with RAOC strategy.

The W(z) values are provided for 73 axial points within the core height boundaries of 0 and 12.08 feet (hot core height) at equally spaced intervals.

The W(z) values are generated assuming that they will be used for a full power surveillance. When a part power surveillance is performed from beginning of cycle to 150 MWD/MTU and at 45% +/- 5% RTP, the W(z) values listed in Table A.2 should be used. When a part power surveillance is performed after 150 MWD/MTU, or at a power level other than the level specified above, the HFP W(z) values in Table A.1a or A.1b should be used.

W(z) values should be adjusted by the factor 1/P, when P is > 0.5. When P is \leq 0.5, the W(z) values should be adjusted by the factor 1/(0.5), or 2.0. This is consistent with the adjustment in the F₀(z) limit at part power conditions.

Table A.3 shows the burnup dependent F_Q penalty factors for Cycle 20 which are applicable to both Figures 4a and 4b. These values shall be used to increase $F_Q^W(z)$ when required by Technical Specification Surveillance Requirement 3.2.1.2. A 2% penalty factor should be used at all cycle burnups that are outside the range of Table A.3.

- ** Refer to Table A.2 for W(z) values for evaluating the startup testing flux map at 150 MWD/MTU burnup and 45% +/- 5% RTP.
- 2.5.4 The uncertainty, U_{FQ} , to be applied to measured $F_Q(Z)$ shall be calculated by the following

 $U_{FQ} = U_{qu} * U_e$

where:

 U_{qu} = Base F_Q measurement uncertainty = 1.05 when PDMS is inoperable (U_{qu} is defined by PDMS when OPERABLE) U_e = Engineering uncertainty factor = 1.03

Table A.1a

W(z) versus Core Height for +10%/-15% RAOC Band (Top 5% and Bottom 8% Excluded at 150 MWD/MTU; Top and Bottom 8% Excluded Remainder of Cycle)

Height	150	5000	10000	20000
(feet)	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU
0.00 (bottom)	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.17	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.34	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.50	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.67	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.84	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
1.01	1.3581	1.4110	1.3418	1.3137
1.17	1.3490	1.3976	1.3332	1.3063
1.34	1.3379	1.3811	1.3220	1.2967
1.51	1.3251	1.3625	1.3091	1.2859
1.68	1.3111	1.3425	1.2952	1.2745
1.84	1.2963	1.3214	1.2806	1.2626
2.01	1.2808	1.2996	1.2652	1.2503
2.18	1.2650	1.2771	1.2494	1.2377
2.35	1.2490	1.2546	1.2334	1.2249
2.52	1.2322	1.2333	1.2174	1.2118
2.68	1.2166	1.2121	1.2011	1.1988
2.85	1.2041	1.1919	1.1851	1.1858
3.02	1.1948	1.1803	1.1716	1.1703
3.19	1.1897	1.1750	1.1636	1.1622
3.35	1.1892	1.1709	1.1618	1.1637
3.52	1.1892	1.1677	1.1608	1.1667
3.69	1.1892	1.1647	1.1591	1.1727
3.86	1.1887	1.1610	1.1572	1.1834
4.03	1.1876	1.1563	1.1564	1.1937
4.19	1.1858	1.1522	1.1560	1.2023
4.36	1.1834	1.1498	1.1549	1.2102
4.53	1.1802	1.1468	1.1531	1.2169
4.70	1.1764	1.1430	1.1508	1.2223
4.86	1.1718	1.1389	1.1479	1.2264
5.03	1.1666	1.1341	1.1443	1.2292
5.20	1.1608	1.1291	1.1404	1.2300
5.37	1.1544	1.1235	1.1362	1.2297
5.54	1.1467	1.1158	1.1306	1.2316
5.70	1.1456	1.1122	1.1303	1.2355
5.87	1.1556	1.1170	1.1394	1.2399
6.04	1.1665	1.1232	1.1494	1.2464
6.21	1.1757	1.1299	1.1578	1.2530

Table A.1a

W(z) versus Core Height for +10%/-15% RAOC Band (Top 5% and Bottom 8% Excluded at 150 MWD/MTU; Top and Bottom 8% Excluded Remainder of Cycle)

Height	150	5000	10000	20000
(feet)	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU
6.37	1.1841	1.1386	1.1654	1.2577
6.54	1.1921	1.1478	1.1727	1.2609
6.71	1.1996	1.1572	1.1800	1.2644
6.88	1.2064	1.1666	1.1875	1.2686
7.05	1.2119	1.1752	1.1956	1.2711
7.21	1.2160	1.1825	1.2032	1.2715
7.38	1.2187	1.1886	1.2093	1.2701
7.55	1.2199	1.1934	1.2141	1.2668
7.72	1.2194	1.1968	1.2176	1.2615
7.88	1.2172	1.1987	1.2196	1.2545
8.05	1.2133	1.1990	1.2201	1.2459
8.22	1.2074	1.1975	1.2190	1.2346
8.39	1.1997	1.1941	1.2165	1.2219
8.55	1.1916	1.1911	1.2128	1.2146
8.72	1.1838	1.1911	1.2062	1.2121
8.89	1.1786	1.1955	1.2044	1.2098
9.06	1.1807	1.2108	1.2186	1.2045
9.23	1.1862	1.2390	1.2459	1.2045
9.39	1.1907	1.2719	1.2682	1.2155
9.56	1.1978	1.3046	1.2897	1.2261
9.73	1.2074	1.3361	1.3110	1.2340
9.90	1.2179	1.3667	1.3310	1.2418
10.06	1.2299	1.3959	1.3499	1.2523
10.23	1.2473	1.4248	1.3675	1.2651
10.40	1.2715	1.4541	1.3833	1.2786
10.57	1.2966	1.4822	1.3974	1.2905
10.74	1.3211	1.5051	1.4099	1.3029
10.90	1.3458	1.5211	1.4206	1.3165
11.07	1.3704	1.5362	1.4286	1.3260
11.24	1.3898	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.41	1.3944	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.57	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.74	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.91	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
12.08 (top)	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000

Table A.1b W(z) versus Core Height for +8%/-12% RAOC Band (Top and Bottom 8% Excluded)

Height	150	5000	10000	20000
(feet)	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU
0.00 (bottom)	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.17	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.34	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.50	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.67	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.84	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
1.01	1.3024	1.3295	1.2834	1.2568
1.17	1.2945	1.3182	1.2758	1.2502
1.34	1.2846	1.3041	1.2657	1.2415
1.51	1.2733	1.2882	1.2542	1.2317
1.68	1.2610	1.2711	1.2418	1.2214
1.84	1.2480	1.2532	1.2287	1.2106
2.01	1.2346	1.2346	1.2151	1.1995
2.18	1.2208	1.2156	1.2011	1.1883
2.35	1.2070	1.1966	1.1871	1.1769
2.52	1.1932	1.1784	1.1732	1.1652
2.68	1.1787	1.1624	1.1589	1.1541
2.85	1.1645	1.1502	1.1450	1.1434
3.02	1.1564	1.1431	1.1353	1.1311
3.19	1.1542	1.1395	1.1319	1.1263
3.35	1.1543	1.1369	1.1324	1.1351
3.52	1.1559	1.1346	1.1327	1.1467
3.69	1.1582	1.1326	1.1326	1.1577
3.86	1.1597	1.1312	1.1328	1.1683
4.03	1.1608	1.1302	1.1337	1.1783
4.19	1.1613	1.1292	1.1349	1.1874
4.36	1.1611	1.1276	1.1355	1.1956
4.53	1.1604	1.1255	1.1356	1.2028
4.70	1.1590	1.1230	1.1353	1.2087
4.86	1.1570	1.1200	1.1344	1.2134
5.03	1.1544	1.1163	1.1330	1.2169
5.20	1.1510	1.1129	1.1310	1.2188
5.37	1.1471	1.1111	1.1287	1.2193
5.54	1.1453	1.1113	1.1286	1.2204
5.70	1.1460	1.1142	1.1299	1.2225
5.87	1.1557	1.1197	1.1360	1.2261
6.04	1.1662	1.1259	1.1444	1.2336
6.21	1.1756	1.1322	1.1527	1.2421

Table A.1b

W(z) versus Core Height for +8%/-12% RAOC Band (Top and Bottom 8% Excluded)

Height	150	5000	10000	20000
(feet)	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU	MWD/MTU
6.37	1.1841	1.1389	1.1597	1.2484
6.54	1.1916	1,1475	1.1666	1.2541
6.71	1.1979	1.1573	1.1733	1.2587
6.88	1.2030	1.1667	1.1790	1.2612
7.05	1.2068	1.1753	1.1836	1.2619
7.21	1.2092	1.1826	1.1869	1.2606
7.38	1.2100	1.1888	1.1887	1.2574
7.55	1.2091	1.1936	1.1891	1.2521
7.72	1.2066	1.1971	1.1880	1.2447
7.88	1.2022	1.1990	1.1853	1.2353
8.05	1.1957	1.1994	1.1804	1.2238
8.22	1.1877	1.1977	1.1751	1.2101
8.39	1.1783	1.1944	1.1700	1.1955
8.55	1.1663	1.1920	1.1609	1.1844
8.72	1.1525	1.1894	1.1605	1.1810
8.89	1.1413	1.1885	1.1772	1.1826
9.06	1.1421	1.1953	1.1949	1.1841
9.23	1.1488	1.2142	1.2100	1.1887
9.39	1.1530	1.2398	1.2248	1.2097
9.56	1.1566	1.2650	1.2388	1.2307
9.73	1.1613	1.2886	1.2517	1.2491
9.90	1.1696	1.3113	1.2638	1.2674
10.06	1.1869	1.3328	1.2751	1.2847
10.23	1.2080	1.3541	1.2850	1.3006
10.40	1.2268	1.3759	1.2956	1.3150
10.57	1.2463	1.3965	1.3146	1.3278
10.74	1.2663	1.4121	1.3365	1.3392
10.90	1.2860	1.4217	1.3530	1.3491
11.07	1.3056	1.4315	1.3652	1.3560
11.24	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.41	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.57	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.74	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
11.91	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
12.08 (top)	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000

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Table A.2

W(z) versus Core Height for Partial Power Operation (45% Power, 150 MWD/MTU, D-bank at 185 steps) (Top 5% and Bottom 8% Excluded)

** The W(z)'s are not increased by the nominal power ratio. In order to be applicable, the W(z)'s must be adjusted for relative power per Section 2.5.3 at the time of the surveillance

Height	
(feet)	W(z)**
0.00 (bottom)	1.0000
0.17	1.0000
0.34	1.0000
0.50	1.0000
0.67	1.0000
0.84	1.0000
1.01	1.5365
1.17	1.5179
1.34	1.4971
<u>1.51</u>	1.4741
1.68	1.4485
1.84	1.4223
2.01	1.3959
2.18	1.3702
2.35	1.3447
2.52	1.3187
2.68	1.2941
2.85	1.2730
3.02	1.2555
3.19	1.2425
3.35	1.2344
3.52	1.2269
3.69	1.2195
3.86	1.2113
4.03	1.2027
4.19	1.1937
4.36	1.1840
4.53	1.1739
4.70	1.1636
4.86	1.1525
5.03	1.1414
5.20	1.1302
5.37	1.1194
5.54	1.1077
5.70	1.1023
5.87	1.1075
6.04	1.1132

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Table A.2

W(z) versus Core Height for Partial Power Operation (45% Power, 150 MWD/MTU, D-bank at 185 steps) (Top 5% and Bottom 8% Excluded)

** The W(z)'s are not increased by the nominal power ratio. In order to be applicable, the W(z)'s must be adjusted for relative power per Section 2.5.3 at the time of the surveillance

Height	
(feet)	W(z)**
6.21	1.1172
6.37	1.1198
6.54	1.1217
6.71	1.1235
6.88	1.1249
7.05	1.1254
7.21	1.1250
7.38	1.1234
7.55	1.1206
7.72	1.1168
7.88	1.1118
8.05	1.1055
8.22	1.0980
8.39	1.0895
8.55	1.0810
8.72	1.0736
8.89	1.0693
9.06	1.0725
9.23	1.0794
9.39	1.0861
9.56	1.0978
9.73	1.1117
9.90	1.1251
10.06	1.1383
10.23	1.1551
10.40	1.1769
10.57	1.1964
10.74	1.2133
10.90	1.2317
11.07	1.2502
11.24	1.2649
11.41	1.2740
11.57	1.0000
11.74	1.0000
11.91	1.0000
12.08 (top)	1.0000

Table A.3

$F_{\rm Q}$ Penalty Factors as a Function of Cycle Burnup

Cycle 20 Burgup	Fo ^w (z) Penalty Factor (%)	
5639	2.00	
5811	2.11	
5982	2.05	
6154	2.00	
7183	2.00	
7355	2.05	
7526	2.13	
7698	2.20	
7869	2.25	
8041	2.11	
8212	2.00	

Note: All cycle burnups not in the range of the above table shall use a 2.0% penalty factor for compliance with Surveillance Requirement 3.2.1.2.

For values of burnup between two of those listed in the first column, the greater of the two corresponding penalty factors shall be used for compliance with Surveillance Requirement 3.2.1.2.



Figure 3

Callaway Cycle 20 K(z) - Normalized $F_Q(z)$ as a Function of Core Height

when PDMS is

2.6	Nuclear Enthalpy Rise Hot Channel Factor $F_{\Delta H}^{N}$ (Specification 3.2.2)			
	F _{AH} ^N * U	$\Delta H \leq F_{\Delta H}^{R}$	^{TP} $[1 + PF_{\Delta H}(1-P)]$	
	THERMAL		THERMAL POWER	
	wnere:	P -	RATED THERMAL POWER	
	2.6.1	F _{ah} rtt	² = 1.65	
	2.6.2	PF _{∆H} =	= 0.3	
	2.6.3	The un inoper	ncertainty, $U_{\Delta H}$, to be applied to measured $F_{\Delta H}$ shall be 1.04 rable ($U_{\Delta H}$ is defined by PDMS when OPERABLE).	

2.7 <u>Axial Flux Difference</u> (Specification 3.2.3)

The Axial Flux Difference (AFD) Limits are provided in Figures 4a and 4b.

Prior to switching to the more restrictive AFD band (Figure 4b), it should be confirmed that the plant is within the specified AFD band.



Figure 4a

Callaway Cycle 20 Axial Flux Difference Limits as a Function of Rated Thermal Power for RAOC Band +10/-15%



Figure 4b

Callaway Cycle 20 Alternate Axial Flux Difference Limits as a Function of Rated Thermal Power for RAOC Band +8/-12%

2.8 <u>Reactor Core SLs</u>

(Safety Limit 2.1.1)

In MODES 1 and 2, the combination of THERMAL POWER, Reactor Coolant System (RCS) highest loop average temperature, and pressurizer pressure shall not exceed the limits in Figure 5.



Figure 5

Callaway Cycle 20 Reactor Core Safety Limits

2.9

Reactor Trip System Overtemperature ΔT Setpoint Parameter Values

Parameter	Value
Overtemperature ΔT reactor trip setpoint	$K_1 = 1.2260$
Overtemperature ΔT reactor trip setpoint T_{avg} coefficient	$K_2 = 0.019/^{\circ}F$
Overtemperature ΔT reactor trip setpoint pressure coeffic	ient $K_3 = 0.0011/\text{psig}$
Nominal T _{avg} at RTP	T ≤ 585.3 °F
Nominal RCS operating pressure	P' = 2235 psig
Measured RCS ΔT lead/lag time constants	$\tau_1 \ge 0 \sec \tau_2 \le 0 \enter to the tot to to$
Measured RCS ΔT lag time constant	$\tau_3 \leq 4 \text{ sec}$
Measured RCS average temperature lead/lag time constant	$\begin{array}{ll} t_4 \geq 27 \; \text{sec} \\ t_5 \leq 4 \; \text{sec} \end{array}$
Measured RCS average temperature lag time constant	$\tau_6 \leq 2 \text{ sec}$
$f_1(\Delta I) = -0.0280 \{18\% + (q_t - q_b)\}$ wi	hen (q _t - q _b) < -18% RTP
0 w	hen -18% RTP \leq (q _t - q _b) \leq 10%
$0.0224 \{(q_t - q_b) - 10\%\}$ w	hen $(q_t - q_b) > 10\%$ RTP

Where, q_t and q_b are percent RTP in the upper and lower halves of the core, respectively, and $q_t + q_b$ is the total THERMAL POWER in percent RTP.

2.10	Reactor Trip System Overpower ΔT Setpoint Parameter Values
	(Specification 3.3.1)

Parameter	Value
Overpower ∆T reactor trip setpoint	K ₄ = 1.1073
Overpower ΔT reactor trip setpoint T_{avg} rate/lag coefficient	$K_5 = 0.02$ /°F for increasing T_{avg} = 0/°F for decreasing T_{avg}
Overpower ΔT reactor trip setpoint T_{avg} heatup coefficient	$K_6 = 0.0015^{\circ}F \text{ for } T > T''$ = 0/°F for T \leq T''
Nominal T _{svg} at RTP	T" ≤ 585.3°F
Measured RCS ΔT lead/lag time constants	$\begin{array}{l} \tau_1 \geq 0 \sec \\ \tau_2 \leq 0 \sec \end{array}$
Measured RCS ΔT lag time constant	$\tau_3 \leq 4 \text{ sec}$
Measured RCS average temperature lag time constant	$\tau_6 \leq 2 \sec t$
Measured RCS average temperature rate/lag time constant	$\tau_7 \ge 10 \text{ sec}$
$f_2(\Delta I) = 0$ for all ΔI .	

2.11 <u>RCS Pressure and Temperature Departure from Nucleate Boiling (DNB) Limits</u> (Specification 3.4.1)

Parameter	Indicated Value
Pressurizer pressure	≥ 2224 psig
RCS average temperature	≤590.1 °F

APPENDIX A

Approved Analytical Methods for Determining Core Operating Limits

The analytical methods used to determine the core operating limits shall be those previously reviewed and approved by the NRC, specifically those described in the following documents:

1. WCAP-9272-P-A, "Westinghouse Reload Safety Evaluation Methodology," July 1985.

NRC letter dated May 28, 1985, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-9272(P)/9273(NP), 'Westinghouse Reload Safety Evaluation Methodology."

2. WCAP-10216-P-A, Revision 1A, "Relaxation of Constant Axial Offset Control - F_Q Surveillance Technical Specification," February 1994.

NRC Safety Evaluation Report dated November 26, 1993, "Acceptance for Referencing of Revised Version of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-10216-P, Rev. 1, Relaxation of Constant Axial Offset Control - F_Q Surveillance Technical Specification" (TAC No. M88206).

3. WCAP-10266-P-A, Revision 2, "The 1981 Version of the Westinghouse ECCS Evaluation Model Using the BASH Code," March 1987.

NRC letter dated November 13, 1986, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-10266 'The 1981 Version of the Westinghouse ECCS Evaluation Model Using the BASH Code."

WCAP-10266-P-A, Addendum 1, Revision 2, "The 1981 Version of the Westinghouse ECCS Evaluation Model Using the BASH Code Addendum 1: Power Shape Sensitivity Studies," December 1987.

NRC letter dated September 15, 1987, "Acceptance for Referencing of Addendum 1 to WCAP-10266, BASH Power Shape Sensitivity Studies."

WCAP-10266-P-A, Addendum 2, Revision 2, "The 1981 Version of the Westinghouse ECCS Evaluation Model Using the BASH Code Addendum 2: BASH Methodology Improvements and Reliability Enhancements," May 1988.

NRC letter dated January 20, 1988, "Acceptance for Referencing Topical Report Addendum 2 to WCAP-10266, Revision 2, 'BASH Methodology Improvements and Reliability Enhancements." 4. WCAP-12610-P-A, "VANTAGE+ Fuel Assembly Reference Core Report," April 1995.

NRC Safety Evaluation Reports dated July 1, 1991, "Acceptance for Referencing of Topical Report WCAP-12610, 'VANTAGE+ Fuel Assembly Reference Core Report' (TAC NO. 77258)."

NRC Safety Evaluation Report dated September 15, 1994, "Acceptance for Referencing of Topical Report WCAP-12610, Appendix B, Addendum 1, 'Extended Burnup Fuel Design Methodology and ZIRLO Fuel Performance Models' (TAC NO. M86416)."

5. WCAP-11397-P-A, "Revised Thermal Design Procedure," April 1989.

NRC Safety Evaluation Report dated January 17, 1989, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-11397, 'Revised Thermal Design Procedure.'"

6. WCAP-14565-P-A, "VIPRE-01 Modeling and Qualification for Pressurized Water Reactor Non-LOCA Thermal-Hydraulic Safety Analysis," October 1999.

NRC letter dated January 19, 1999, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-14565, 'VIPRE-01 Modeling and Qualification for Pressurized Water Reactor Non-LOCA Thermal/Hydraulic Safety Analysis' (TAC No. M98666)."

7. WCAP-10851-P-A, "Improved Fuel Performance Models for Westinghouse Fuel Rod Design and Safety Evaluations," August 1988.

NRC letter dated May 9, 1988, "Westinghouse Topical Report WCAP-10851, 'Improved Fuel Performance Models for Westinghouse Fuel Rod Design and Safety Evaluations."

8. WCAP-15063-P-A, Revision 1, with Errata, "Westinghouse Improved Performance Analysis and Design Model (PAD 4.0)," July 2000.

NRC letter dated April 24, 2000, "Safety Evaluation Related to Topical Report WCAP-15063, Revision 1, 'Westinghouse Improved Performance Analysis and Design Model (PAD 4.0)' (TAC NO. MA2086)."

9. WCAP-8745-P-A, "Design Bases for the Thermal Overpower △T and Thermal Overtemperature △T Trip Functions," September 1986.

NRC Safety Evaluation Report dated April 17, 1986, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Report WCAP-8745(P)/8746(NP), 'Design Bases for the Thermal Overpower ΔT and Thermal Overtemperature ΔT Trip Functions.""

10. WCAP-10965-P-A, "ANC: A Westinghouse Advanced Nodal Computer Code," September 1986.

NRC letter dated June 23, 1986, "Acceptance for Referencing of Topical Report WCAP 10965-P and WCAP 10966-NP."

11. WCAP-11596-P-A, "Qualification of the Phoenix-P/ANC Nuclear Design System for Pressurized Water Reactor Cores," June 1988.

NRC Safety Evaluation Report dated May 17, 1988, "Acceptance for Referencing of Westinghouse Topical Report WCAP-11596 - Qualification of the Phoenix-P/ANC Nuclear Design System for Pressurized Water Reactor Cores."

12. WCAP-13524-P-A, Revision 1-A, "APOLLO: A One Dimensional Neutron Diffusion Theory Program," September 1997.

NRC letter dated June 9, 1997, "Acceptance for Referencing of Licensing Topical Reports WCAP-13524 and WCAP-13524, Revision 1, 'APOLLO – A One-Dimensional Neutron Diffusion Theory Program."