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MEMORANDUM FOR: T. M. Novak, Chief, Reactor Systems Branch, DSS

FROM: B. L. Siegel, Reactor Systems Branch, DSS

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF FEBRUARY 22, 1980 MEETING WITH THE
BABCOCK AND WILCOX (B&W) OWNERS GROUP TO DISCUSS
ABNORMAL TRANSIENT OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES (ATOG)

On February 22, 1980, the B&W Owner's Group and representatives of B&W met with the NRC staff in Bethesda, Maryland, to provide the staff with an update of the Owner's Group program for complying with the requirements of Section 2.1.9 of NUREG-0578 (Analysis of Design and Off-Normal Transients). Enclosure 1 is a copy of the meeting agenda. A list of attendees is provided in Enclosure 2.

The B&W Owner's Group provided a handout of their presentation. Enclosure 2, which is a copy of this handout, contains the following: 1) flow chart of the program, 2) the purpose of some of the major functions, 3) the categories of transients selected for analyses, 4) representative bounding curves that identify safe and unsafe normal operation and post-transient conditions, 5) an outline of the B&W operating guidelines concept, 6) outlines of the types of immediate and followup procedural actions to be performed for the categories of accidents selected, and 7) an outline of the technical basis being developed that provides justification for the operational procedures.

During the course of the meeting, the following issues relative to the Owner's Group presentation were raised and discussed:

- Consequential Failures (failures due to environment): Owner's Group stated instrumentation failures and errors are being considered, however, equipment failures were not. Long-term commitment to consequential failures was noted and in the short-term it was stated that these type failures would be included if justified based on previous experience. Consequential failures inside containment (i.e., control systems, PORV, control valves) will be included.
- ATOG Study Limitations: Owner's Group stated initial effort directed at transients during power operation because it covers most of the conditions of concern. Some of the other operational modes will be covered by the ICC guidelines.

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- Quality Control of ATOG: Based on Owner's Group comment that scenarios were postulated to determine if they were covered by the event trees developed, the staff questioned if records were being kept of all work being performed under ATOG. The Owner's Group stated that everything of importance has been included, however, not all the scenarios developed have been documented.
- Application of Guidelines: Owner's Group stated that the decision as to the degree to which the plant specific procedures are adopted from the guidelines will be up to the individual utilities. This may vary from complete adoption to partial folding into existing plant procedures.
- Schedule: The Owner's Group stated that they could not meet the early 1980 (March 31, 1980) completion date identified in Table B-2 of NUREG-0578. Projected completion date is Mid-1980 with implementation about August 1980.

Following the presentation, a staff caucus was held during which it was agreed that the B&W Owner's Group approach to complying with the requirements of Section 2.1.9 of NUREG-0578 was acceptable. It was also decided that the Owner's Group should provide a sample package for the staff's evaluation which contains:

1. Events trees
2. Draft guidelines (including a written description of methodology and how it was determined)
3. Description of how Items 1 and 2 mesh into overall effort for the development of emergency operational guidelines (i.e., ICC guidelines)

The Owner's Group was requested to provide a schedule for the above package and notify the staff by February 29th. The dates provided were April 1, 1980 for the event trees and July 1, 1980 for the guidelines and description of how this effort meshes with the overall effort.

Byron L. Siegel
Reactor Systems Branch
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Enclosures:

1. Agenda
2. List of Attendees
3. B&W ATOG Presentation

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Enclosure 1

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MEMORANDUM FOR: W. F. Kane, Acting Chief, Standardization Branch
Division of Project Management

FROM: R. A. CAPRA, B&W Project Manager,
Standardization Branch, DPM

SUBJECT: FORTHCOMING MEETING WITH THE ABNORMAL TRANSIENT
OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES (ATOG) SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE
BABCOCK & WILCOX OWNERS' GROUP

TIME & DATE: 12:15 P.M., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1980

LOCATION: Phillips Building - Room 422

PURPOSE: To discuss with the B&W Owners' Group the progress made
on the "ABNORMAL TRANSIENT OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES" program
in support of Section 2.1.9 of NUREG-0578

PARTICIPANTS: NRC: T. Novak, S. Israel, G. Mazetis, B. Wilson,
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ENCLOSURE 2

LIST OF MEETING ATTENDEES

NRC/B&W OWNERS GROUP MEETING ON ATOG

B. Wilson	NRC/OLB
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ABNORMAL TRANSIENT
OPERATING GUIDELINES
(ATOG)

B&W OWNERS GROUP
SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING

FEBRUARY 22, 1980

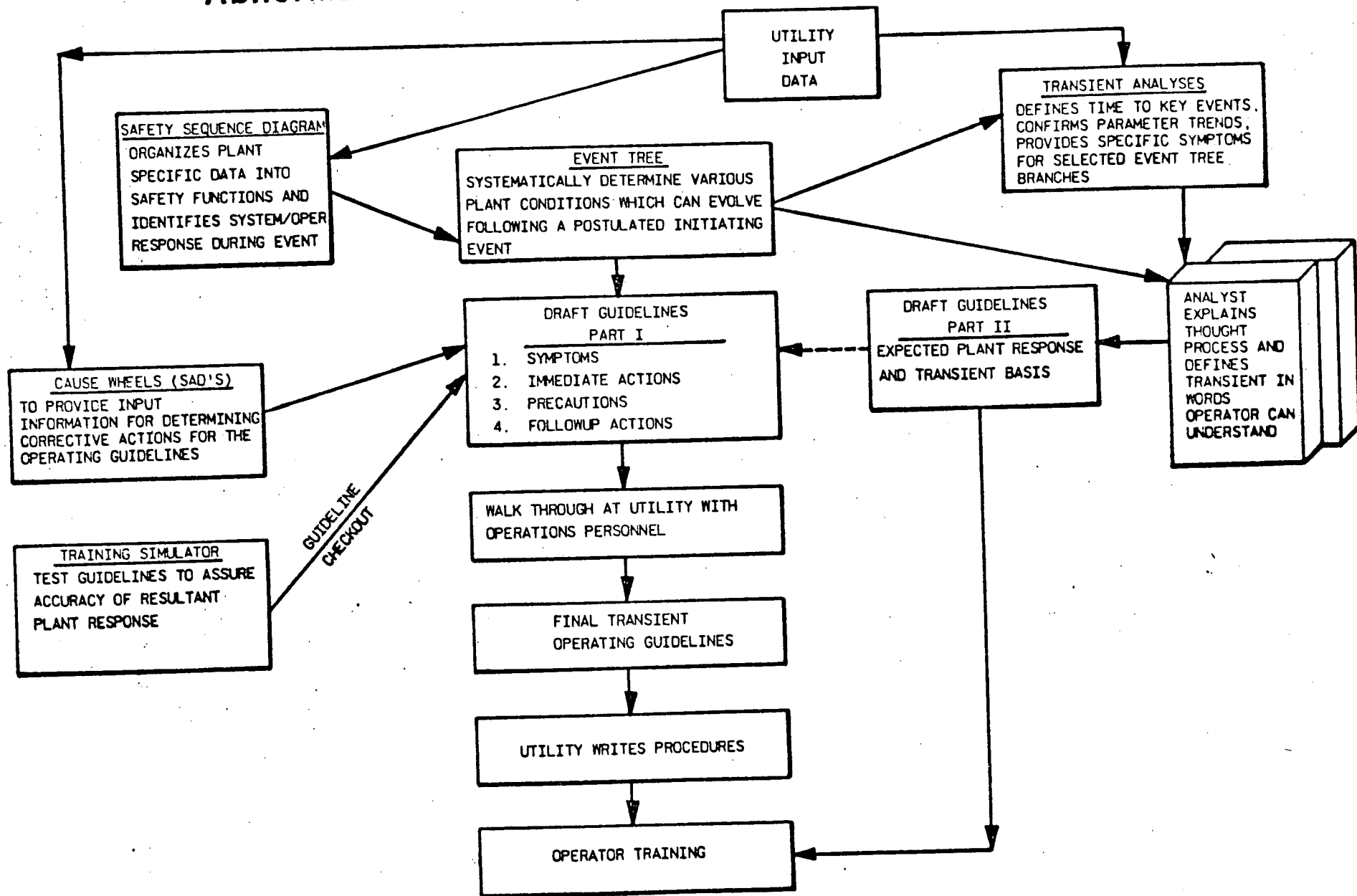
ATOG Objective

Simplify operator problem of identifying
and treating abnormal transients

Transients Selected for Guideline Preparation

- Increase in heat removal by secondary system
 - Small steam leaks
 - Excessive feedwater flow
- Decrease in heat removal by secondary system
 - Loss of feedwater
 - Loss of station power
- Decrease in reactor coolant inventory
 - Steam generator tube rupture
 - Inadequate core cooling
 - Loss of coolant

Abnormal transient operating guidelines program



Event Trees

Purpose Systematically determine various plant conditions which can evolve following a postulated initiating event

Assumptions Initial conditions
Equipment failures
Operator action

Analysis

Purpose: Realistically portray expected plant response

Analyze: Design success path
All single failure paths

Discuss subsequent failures:

Verify LOCA paths covered in small break guidelines

Design Basis/Expected Plant Response

- Communication between designer and operator
- Supports operator action portion of guidelines
- Written for operator understanding

Training Simulator

- Test various methods of approach to guidelines
- Verify final product
- Train operator

Operator Feedback

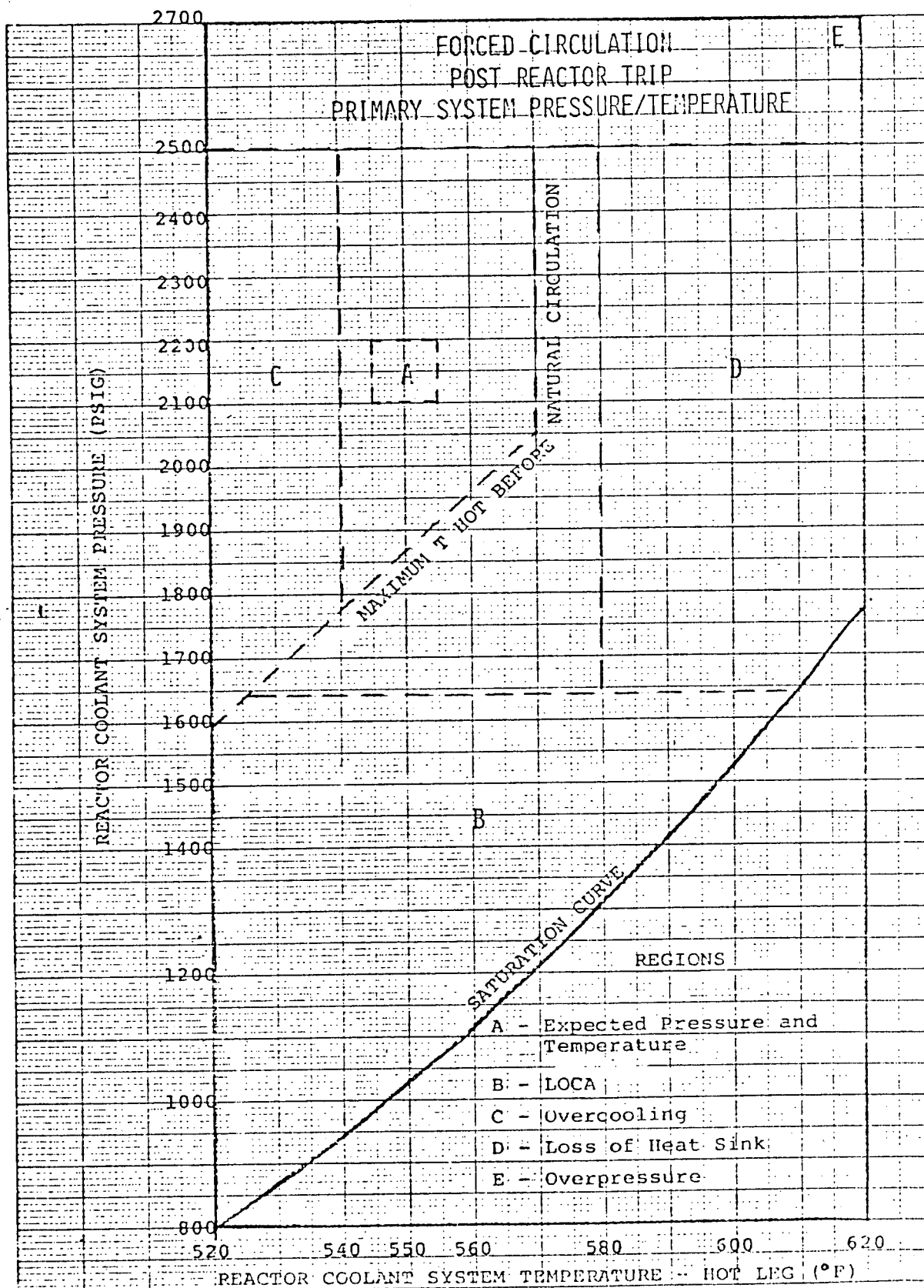
- Detailed review of event trees
- Input to guideline format
- Plant walk through
- Training

ATOG OBJECTIVES

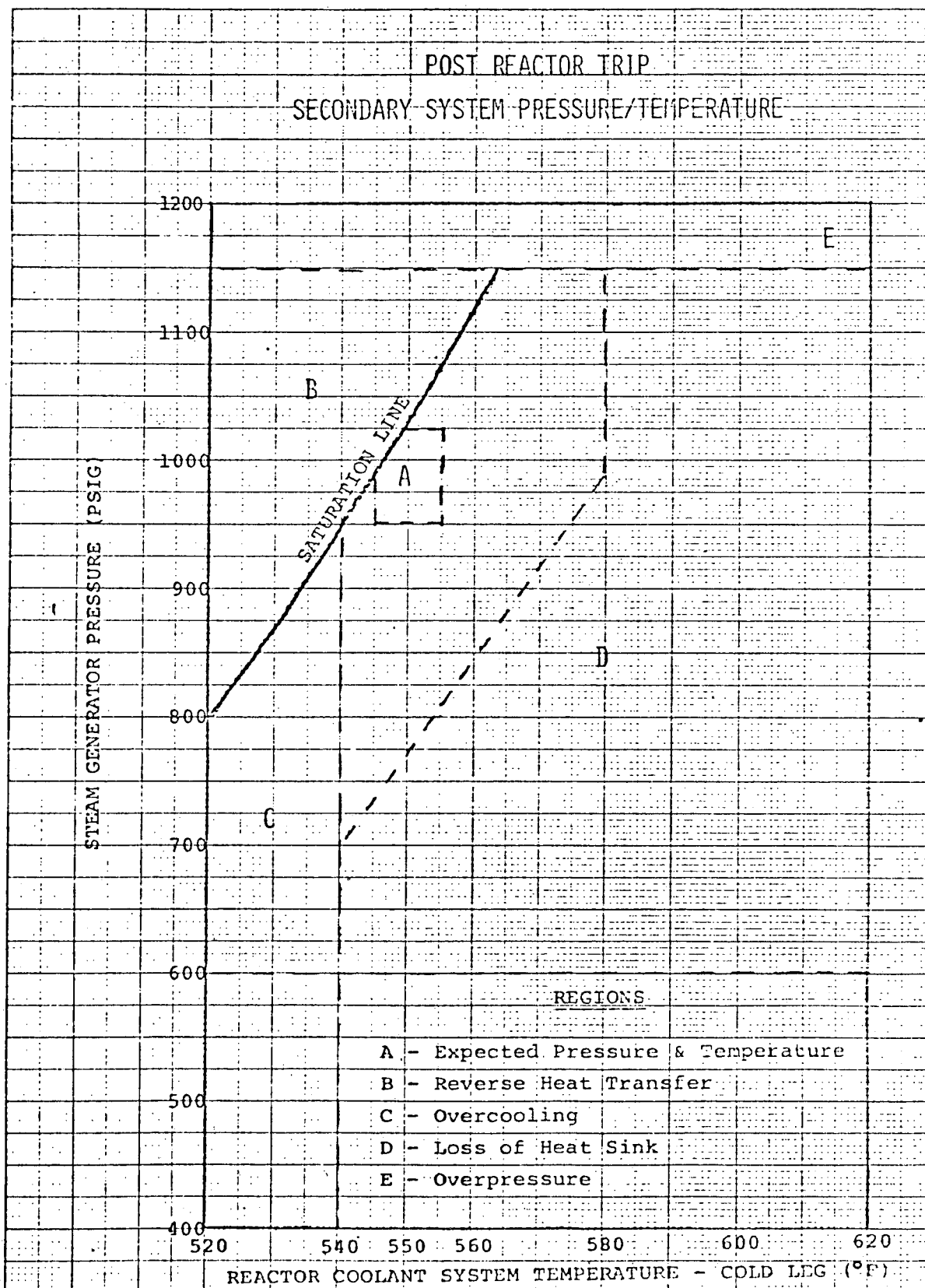
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- II. MINIMIZE RADIATION RELEASE
- III. PREVENT A LOCA - IF POSSIBLE
- IV. PREVENT OR MINIMIZE EQUIPMENT DAMAGE
- V. TERMINATE TRANSIENT - STABILIZE PLANT
- VI. IMPROVE THE COMMUNICATION OF INSTRUCTIONS TO THE OPERATOR TO HELP HIM PROPERLY MANAGE THE TRANSIENT

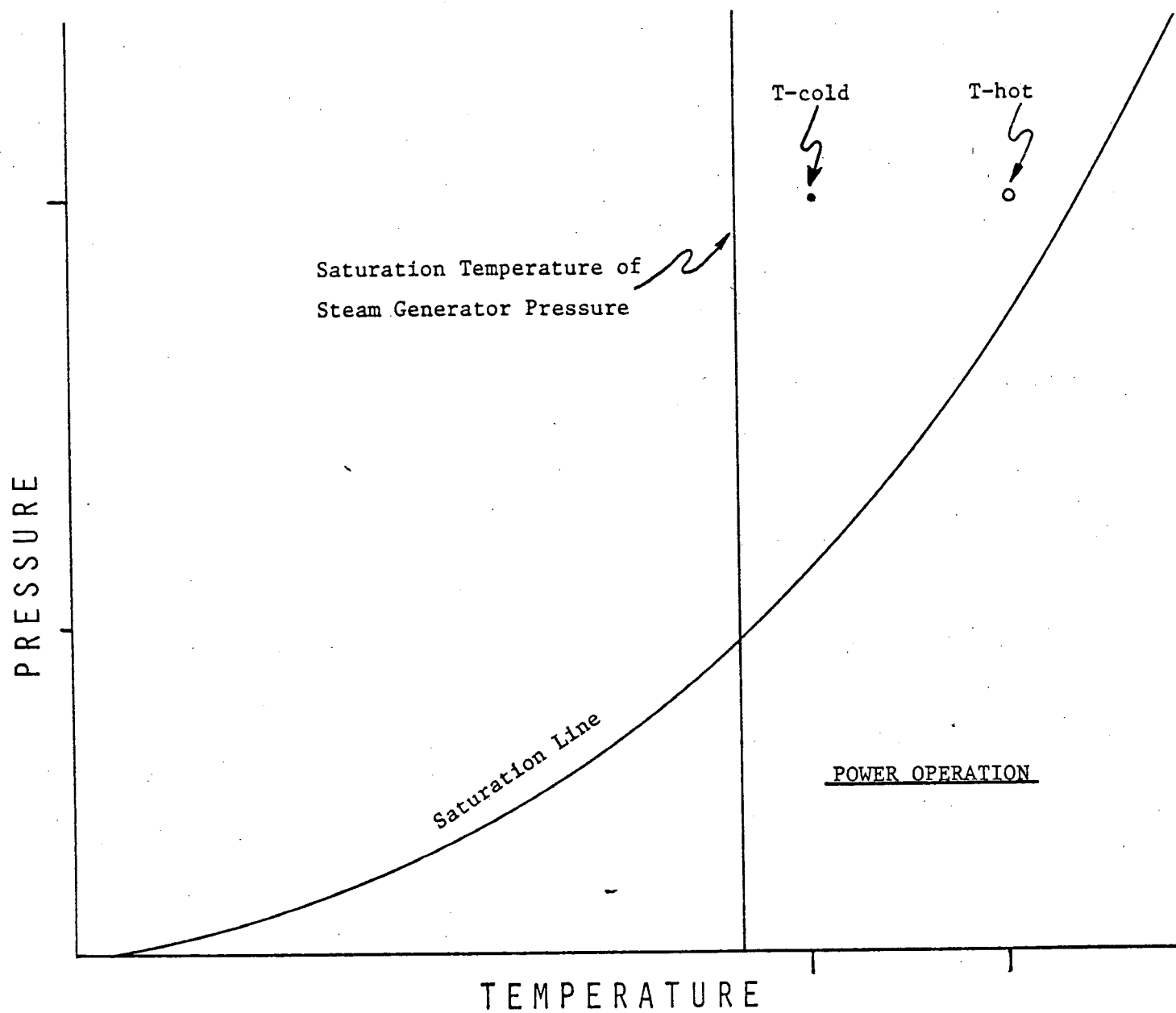
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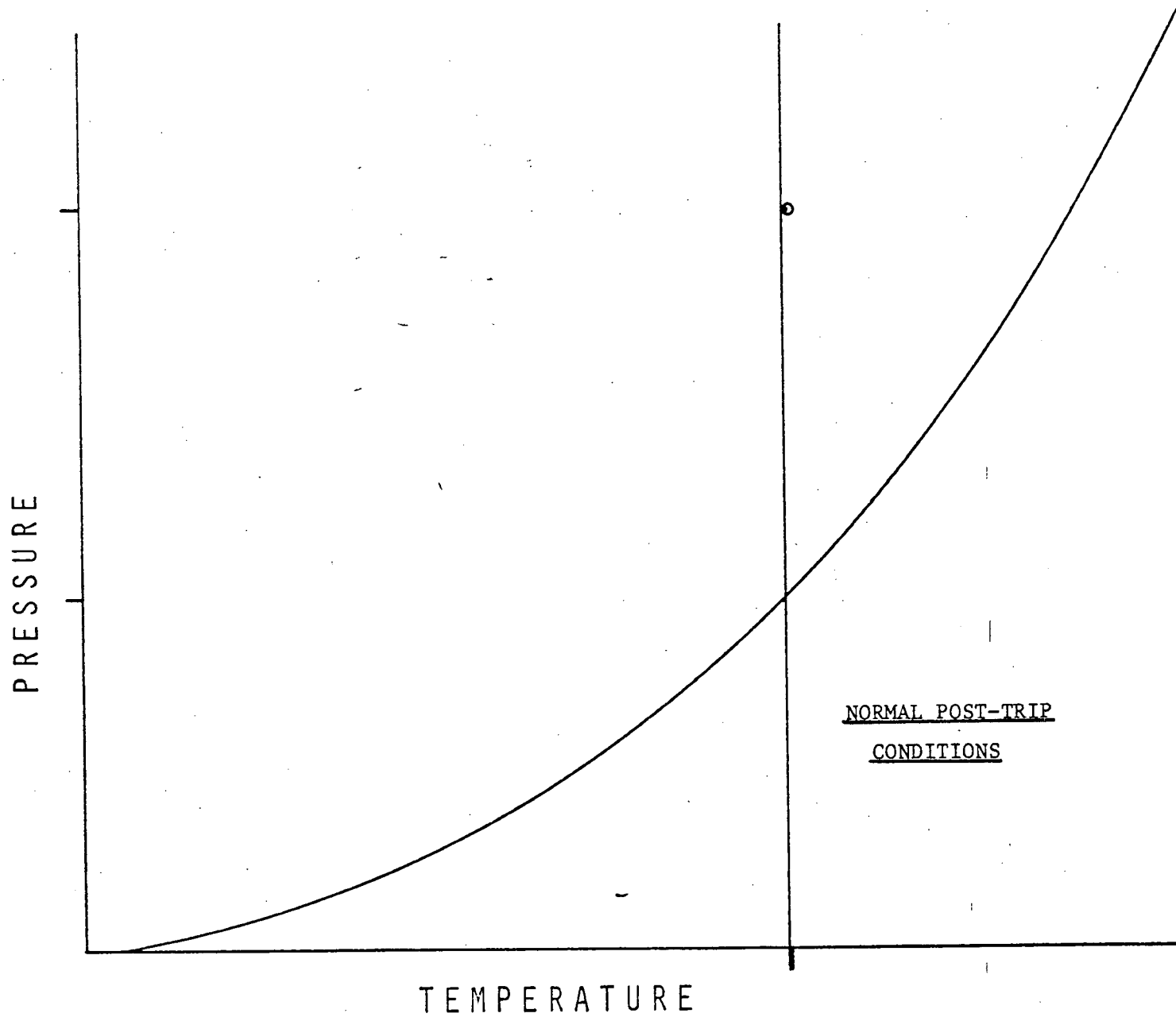
1. LACK OF ADEQUATE SUBCOOLING MARGIN .
2. LACK OF PRIMARY TO SECONDARY HEAT TRANSFER
3. TOO MUCH PRIMARY TO SECONDARY HEAT TRANSFER
4. NORMAL

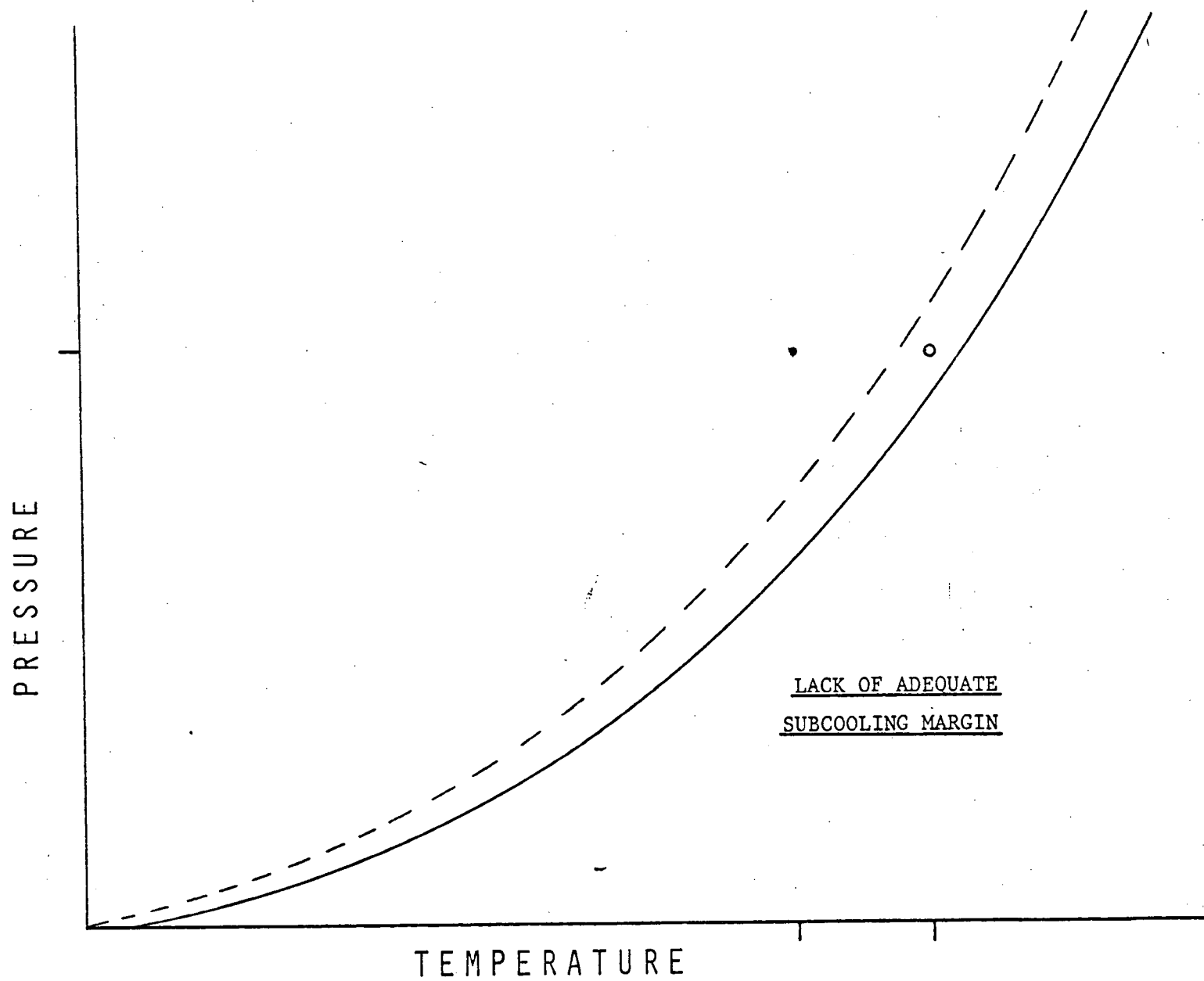


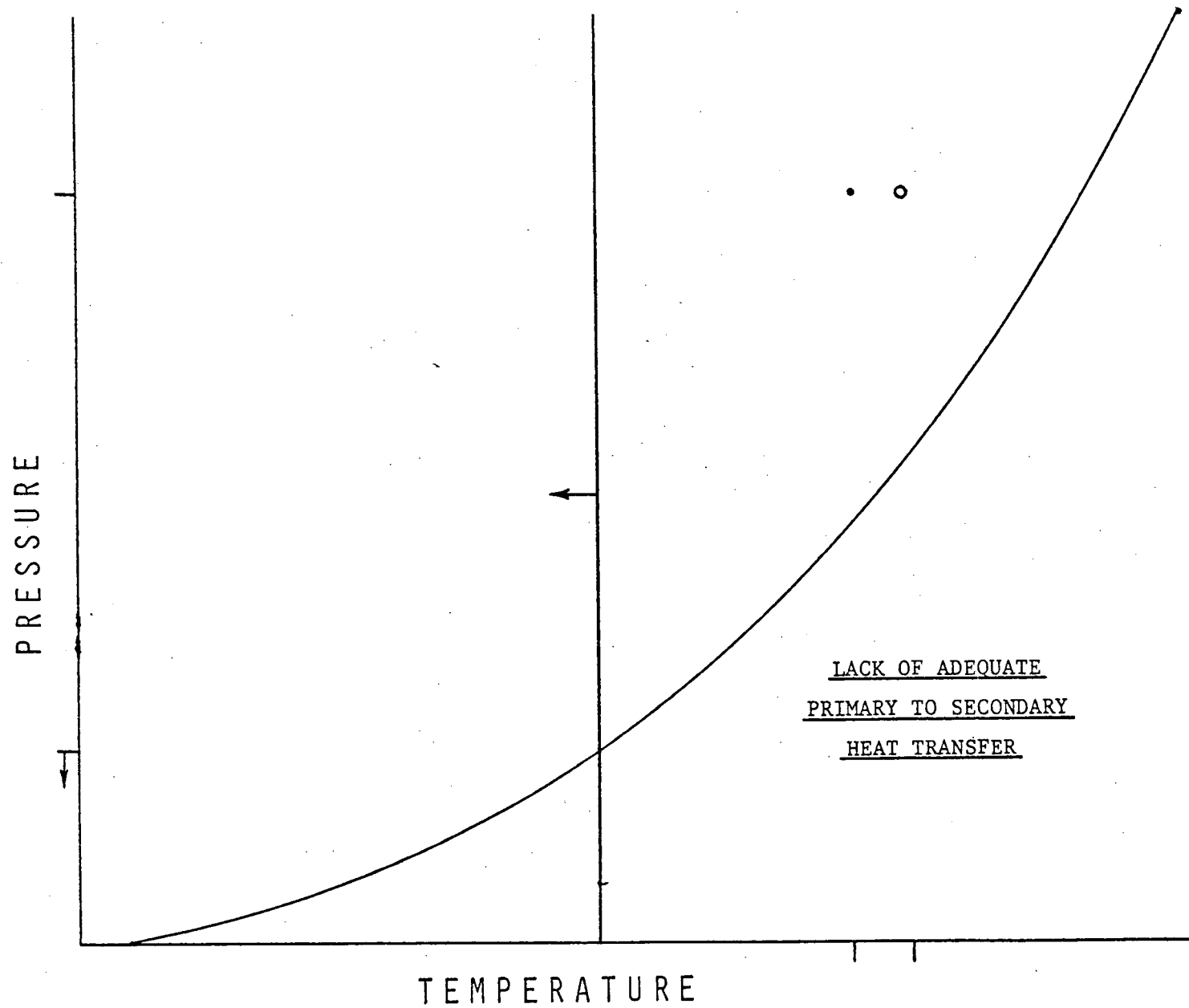
POST REACTOR TRIP SECONDARY SYSTEM PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE



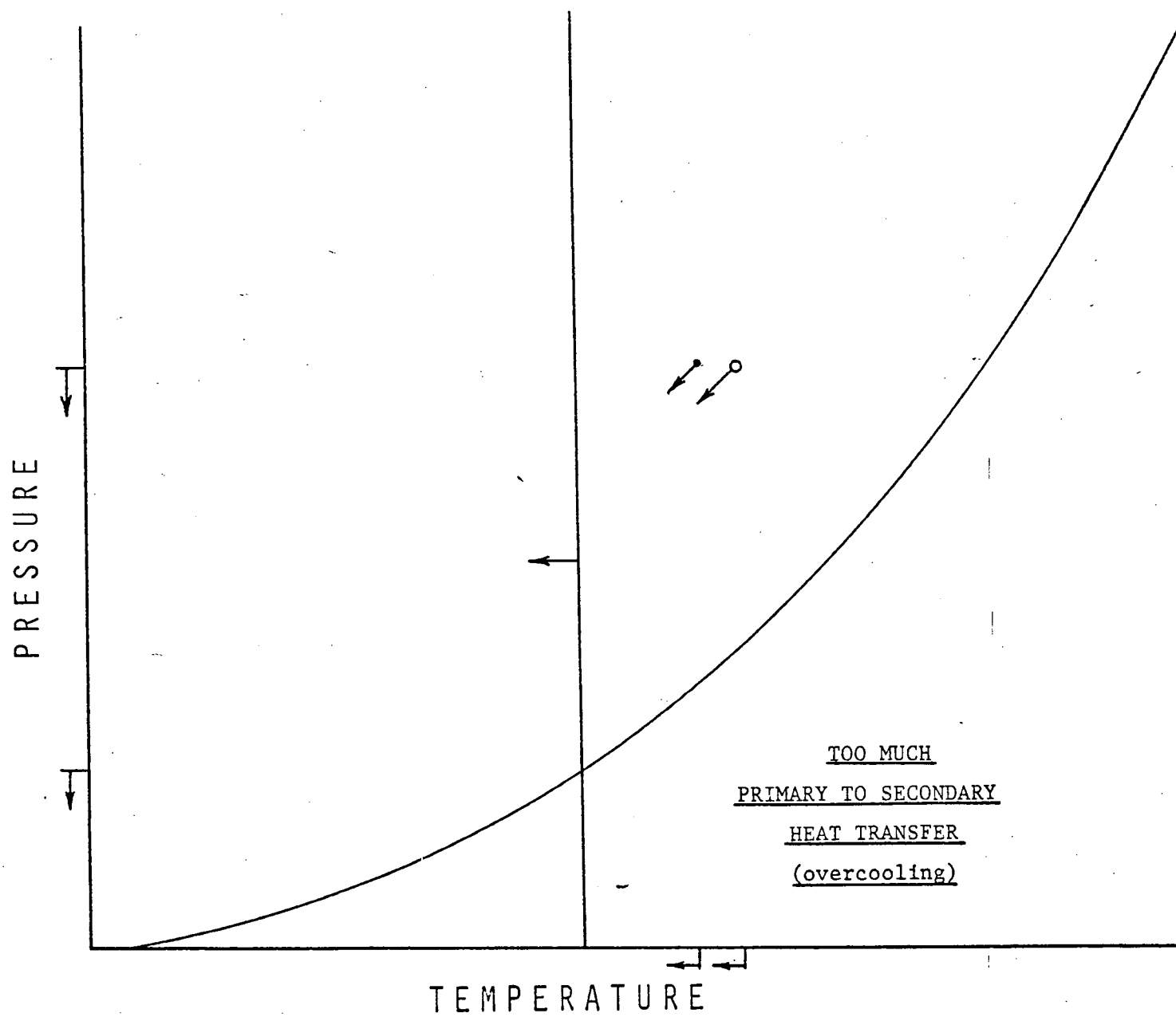








LACK OF ADEQUATE
PRIMARY TO SECONDARY
HEAT TRANSFER



B&W operating guideline concept

Part I: Procedural	Immediate actions	Actions to be taken in immediate response to a reactor trip
	Follow-up actions	Actions for treatment of lack of adequate subcooling margin, lack of primary to secondary heat transfer and too much primary to secondary heat transfer
	Long term plant recovery	Directions for appropriate follow on procedures after plant stability is achieved
Part II: Technical basis	Expected plant response and design basis	A discussion, written for operator comprehension, of the design plant response to each initiating event, potential failures and possible corrective actions. This section discusses the heat transfer from the core to the ultimate heat sink during different aspects of each transient and explains why the operator is taking each action. The format closely parallels Part I.

REACTOR TRIP

ADEQUATE CORE COOLING

- I. IMMEDIATE ACTIONS
- II. VERIFICATION OF KEY PLANT PARAMETERS AND VITAL EQUIPMENT STATUS.
 - A. CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (IF NECESSARY)
 - B. ALTERNATE ACTIONS (IF NECESSARY)
- III. IDENTIFICATION OF FOLLOWUP ACTIONS
 - A. "NORMAL" PLANT RESPONSE - FURTHER ACTIONS (RETURN TO POWER/COOLDOWN) AT PLANT MANAGER'S DISCRETION
 - B. LACK OF ADEQUATE SUBCOOLING MARGIN
 - C. LACK OF PRIMARY TO SECONDARY HEAT TRANSFER
 - D. TOO MUCH PRIMARY TO SECONDARY HEAT TRANSFER (OVERCOOLING)

IV. ACTIONS FOR LACK OF ADEQUATE SUBCOOLING MARGIN

A. INITIAL ACTIONS

B. IF INITIAL ACTIONS REGAINED SUBCOOLING TREAT OTHER SYMPTOMS OR COOLDOWN/HEATUP PLANT

C. IF INITIAL ACTIONS DID NOT REGAIN SUBCOOLING START HPI (IF NOT ALREADY AUTO-INITIATED)

D. IF SUBCOOLING IS REGAINED TREAT OTHER SYMPTOMS OR COOLDOWN PLANT.

E. IF SUBCOOLING IS NOT REGAINED FOLLOW ACTIONS FOR A LOCA (IF DEPRESSURIZED FAR ENOUGH) OR GO TO NEXT SECTION (IF NECESSARY) OR COOLDOWN PLANT.

V. ACTIONS FOR TREATMENT OF LACK OF PRIMARY TO SECONDARY
HEAT TRANSFER

- A. FEED OTSGs TO APPROPRIATE LEVEL IF NECESSARY
- B. IF HEAT TRANSFER IS REGAINED GO TO APPROPRIATE
COOLDOWN/HEATUP PROCEDURE
- C. IF HEAT TRANSFER IS NOT REGAINED
 - 1. INITIATE HPI (IF NOT AUTO-INITIATED)
 - 2. IF OTSGs CANNOT BE FED THEN COOLDOWN
 - 3. IF OTSG LEVELS ARE CORRECT BUMP RC PUMPS
- D. IF HEAT TRANSFER IS REGAINED THEN COOLDOWN WITH
OTSGs
- E. IF HEAT TRANSFER CANNOT BE REGAINED CONTINUE HPI
COOLING

VI. ACTIONS FOR TREATMENT OF TOO MUCH PRIMARY TO SECONDARY
HEAT TRANSFER

A. REACTOR BUILDING TEMPERATURE/PRESSURE INCREASING

1. NO SLBIC ACTUATION

- A. ACTIONS TO STOP COOLDOWN
- B. COOLDOWN PLANT

2. SLBIC ACTUATION

- A. ACTIONS (STOP COOLDOWN IF SLBIC DIDN'T)
- B. COOLDOWN PLANT

B. REACTOR BUILDING TEMPERATURE/PRESSURE NORMAL

1. INITIAL ACTIONS

2. NO SLBIC ACTUATION

- A. ACTIONS TO STOP COOLDOWN
- B. PLANT HEATUP/COOLDOWN AT DISCRETION OF PLANT
MANAGEMENT

3. SLBIC ACTUATION

- A. ACTIONS (STOP COOLDOWN IF SLBIC DIDN'T)
- B. PLANT HEATUP/COOLDOWN AT DISCRETION OF PLANT
MANAGEMENT

ATOG GUIDELINES

PART II

SECTION 1. FUNDAMENTALS OF REACTOR CONTROL FOR ACCIDENTS

INTRODUCTION

- A. BASIC HEAT TRANSFER
- B. ABNORMAL ACCIDENT DIAGNOSIS AND MITIGATION
- C. POST ACCIDENT SYSTEM STABILITY DETERMINATION
- D. FOLLOWUP ACTIONS

APPENDIX A - SUPERHEAT, SATURATION, SUBCOOLING

APPENDIX B - NATURAL CIRCULATION

SECTION 2. GUIDELINES FOR SELECTED ACCIDENTS WITH MULTIPLE EQUIPMENT FAILURES

- A. EXCESSIVE MAIN FEEDWATER
- B. SLB
- C. STR
- D. LOSS OF A/C POWER
- E. LOSS OF MAIN FEEDWATER
- F. SBLOCA

"FOLDOUT" SUMMARIES

- I. - BASIC HEAT TRANSFER RELATIONSHIPS
- DIAGNOSIS AND MITIGATION
- II. - EXCESSIVE FEEDWATER
- LOW FW
- STR
- LOSS OF A/C POWER
- SLB

PART II

Section 1. FUNDAMENTALS OF REACTOR CONTROL FOR ACCIDENTS

INTRODUCTION

A. Basic Heat Transfer

- Steam Generator Pressure Control
- Steam Generator Inventory Control
- Reactor Coolant Inventory Control
- Reactor Coolant Pressure Control

B. Abnormal Accident Diagnosis and Mitigation

- Immediate actions (2 to 3 minutes)
- Quick followup actions (Equipment Status)
- Abnormal? (ATOG or not)
 - a) P-T plot description
 - b) Pre-trip discussion
 - c) Normal post trip transient
 - d) Abnormal post trip transient
- Subcooling rule
 - a) with over-heating
 - b) with over-cooling
- Backup methods of cooling
 - a) HPI
 - b) LPI
 - c) Condensate Pump
 - d) Auxiliary Feedwater Pump
- Cause Wheels
- Preferred method of equipment operation
 - a) RCP's
 - b) HPI Throttling
 - c) Termination of MFW

C. Post Accident System Stability Determination

- Checklist for defining stability
- Measure of successful termination of transient

D. Followup Actions

- Decide long term plant disposition
- Transfer to appropriate procedure

Appendix A - Superheat, Saturation, Subcooling

Appendix B - Natural Circulation

Section 2. GUIDELINES FOR SELECTED ACCIDENTS WITH MULTIPLE EQUIPMENT FAILURES

A. Excessive Main Feedwater

- One page summary-

1. General Transient Description Operator Action Summary

- a. Identify the accident
- b. Corrective action
- c. Schematic summary of operator action

2. Excessive Main Feedwater with Other Plant Failures

- Reactor Pressure
- Reactor Inventory
- Steam Pressure
- Steam Generator Inventory