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REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS

FLOW PATHS - OPERATING

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.1.2.2 Each of the following boron injection flow paths shall be OPERABLE:

- a. The flow path from the boric acid tanks via a boric acid transfer pump and a charging pump to the Reactor Coolant System (RCS), and
- b. The flow path from the refueling water storage tank via a charging pump to the RCS.

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1, 2, 3 and 4#.

ACTION:

- a. With the flow path from the boric acid tanks inoperable, restore the inoperable flow path to OPERABLE status within 72 hours or be in at least HOT STANDBY and borated to a SHUTDOWN MARGIN equivalent to at least 1%, $\Delta k/k$ at 200°F within the next 6 hours; restore the flow path to OPERABLE status within the next 7 days or be in COLD SHUTDOWN within the next 30 hours.
- b. With the flow path from the refueling water storage tank inoperable, restore the flow path to OPERABLE status within 1 hour or be in at least HOT STANDBY within the next 6 hours and in COLD SHUTDOWN within the following 30 hours.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.1.2.2 Each of the above required flow paths shall be demonstrated OPERABLE:

- a. At least once per 7 days by verifying that the temperature of the flow path from the boric acid tanks is greater than or equal to 65°F,
- b. At least once per 31 days by verifying that each valve (manual, power-operated or automatic) in the flow path that is not locked, sealed or otherwise secured in position, is in its correct position,
- c. At least once per 18 months by verifying that each automatic valve in the flow path actuates to its correct position on a safety injection test signal, and
- d. At least once per 18 months by verifying that the flow path required by Specification 3.1.2.2a delivers at least 30 gpm to the RCS.

#Only one boron injection flow path is required to be OPERABLE whenever the temperature of one or more of the RCS cold legs is less than or equal to

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CHARGING PUMPS - OPERATING

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.1.2.4 At least two charging pumps shall be OPERABLE.

APPLICABILITY: MODES 1, 2, 3 and 4#.

ACTION:

With only one charging pump OPERABLE, restore at least two charging pumps to OPERABLE status within 72 hours or be in at least HOT STANDBY and borated to a SHUTDOWN MARGIN equivalent to at least 1% $\Delta k/k$ at 200°F within the next 6 hours; restore at least two charging pumps to OPERABLE status within the next 7 days or be in COLD SHUTDOWN within the next 30 hours.

SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.1.2.4.1 At least two charging pumps shall be demonstrated OPERABLE when tested pursuant to Specification 4.0.5. In addition, when the above required charging pumps include a centrifugal charging pump(s), verify that, on recirculation flow, each required centrifugal charging pump(s) develops a differential pressure of greater than or equal to 2400 psid.

4.1.2.4.2 All centrifugal charging pumps, except the above required OPERABLE pump, shall be demonstrated inoperable* at least once per 12 hours whenever the temperature of one or more of the Reactor Coolant System (RCS) cold legs is less than or equal to ~~323°F~~ by verifying that the motor breaker D.C. control power is de-energized.

270°F

#A maximum of one centrifugal charging pump shall be OPERABLE whenever the temperature of one or more of the RCS cold legs is less than or equal to

~~323°F~~ 270°F.

*An inoperable pump may be made OPERABLE for testing per Specification 4.0.5 provided the discharge of the pump has been isolated from the Reactor Coolant System by an isolation valve with power removed from the valve operator, or by a sealed closed manual isolation valve.



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HOT SHUTDOWN

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.4.1.3 At least two of the loops/trains listed below shall be OPERABLE and at least one of these loops/trains shall be in operation:*

- a. Reactor Coolant Loop 1 and its associated steam generator and reactor coolant pump,**
- b. Reactor Coolant Loop 2 and its associated steam generator and reactor coolant pump,**
- c. Reactor Coolant Loop 3 and its associated steam generator and reactor coolant pump,**
- d. Reactor Coolant Loop 4 and its associated steam generator and reactor coolant pump,**
- e. Residual Heat Removal (RHR) Train 1, and
- f. Residual Heat Removal (RHR) Train 2.

APPLICABILITY: MODE 4.

ACTION:

- a. With less than the above required loops/trains OPERABLE, immediately initiate corrective action to return the required loop/train to OPERABLE status as soon as possible; if the remaining OPERABLE loop/train is an RHR train, be in COLD SHUTDOWN within 24 hours.
- b. With no loop/train in operation, suspend all operations involving a reduction in boron concentration of the Reactor Coolant System and immediately initiate corrective action to return the required coolant loop/train to operation.

*All reactor coolant pumps and RHR pumps may be deenergized for up to 1 hour provided: (1) no operations are permitted that would cause dilution of the Reactor Coolant System boron concentration, and (2) core outlet temperature is maintained at least 10°F below saturation temperature.

**A reactor coolant pump shall not be started with one or more of the Reactor Coolant System cold leg temperatures less than or equal to ~~323°F~~ 270°F unless: (1) the pressurizer water level is less than 50%, or (2) secondary water temperature of each steam generator is less than 50°F above each of the Reactor Coolant System cold leg temperatures.



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REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM

COLD SHUTDOWN - LOOPS FILLED

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.4.1.4.1 At least one residual heat removal (RHR) train shall be OPERABLE and in operation*, and either:

- a. One additional RHR train shall be OPERABLE#, or
- b. The secondary side water level of at least two steam generators shall be greater than 15%.

APPLICABILITY: MODE 5 with reactor coolant loops filled##.

ACTION:

- a. With one of the RHR trains inoperable and with less than the required steam generator water level, immediately initiate corrective action to return the inoperable RHR train to OPERABLE status or restore the required steam generator water level as soon as possible.
- b. With no RHR train in operation, suspend all operations involving a reduction in boron concentration of the Reactor Coolant System and immediately initiate corrective action to return the required RHR train to operation.

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4.4.1.4.1.1 The secondary side water level of at least two steam generators when required shall be determined to be within limits at least once per 12 hours.

4.4.1.4.1.2 At least one RHR train shall be determined to be in operation and circulating reactor coolant at least once per 12 hours.

*The RHR pump may be deenergized for up to 1 hour provided: (1) no operations are permitted that would cause dilution of the Reactor Coolant System boron concentration, and (2) core outlet temperature is maintained at least 10°F below saturation temperature.

#One RHR train may be inoperable for up to 2 hours for surveillance testing provided the other RHR train is OPERABLE and in operation.

##A reactor coolant pump shall not be started with one or more of the Reactor Coolant System cold leg temperatures less than or equal to ~~323°F~~ 270°F unless: (1) the pressurizer water level is less than 50%, or (2) the secondary water temperature of each steam generator is less than 50°F above each of the Reactor Coolant System cold leg temperatures.



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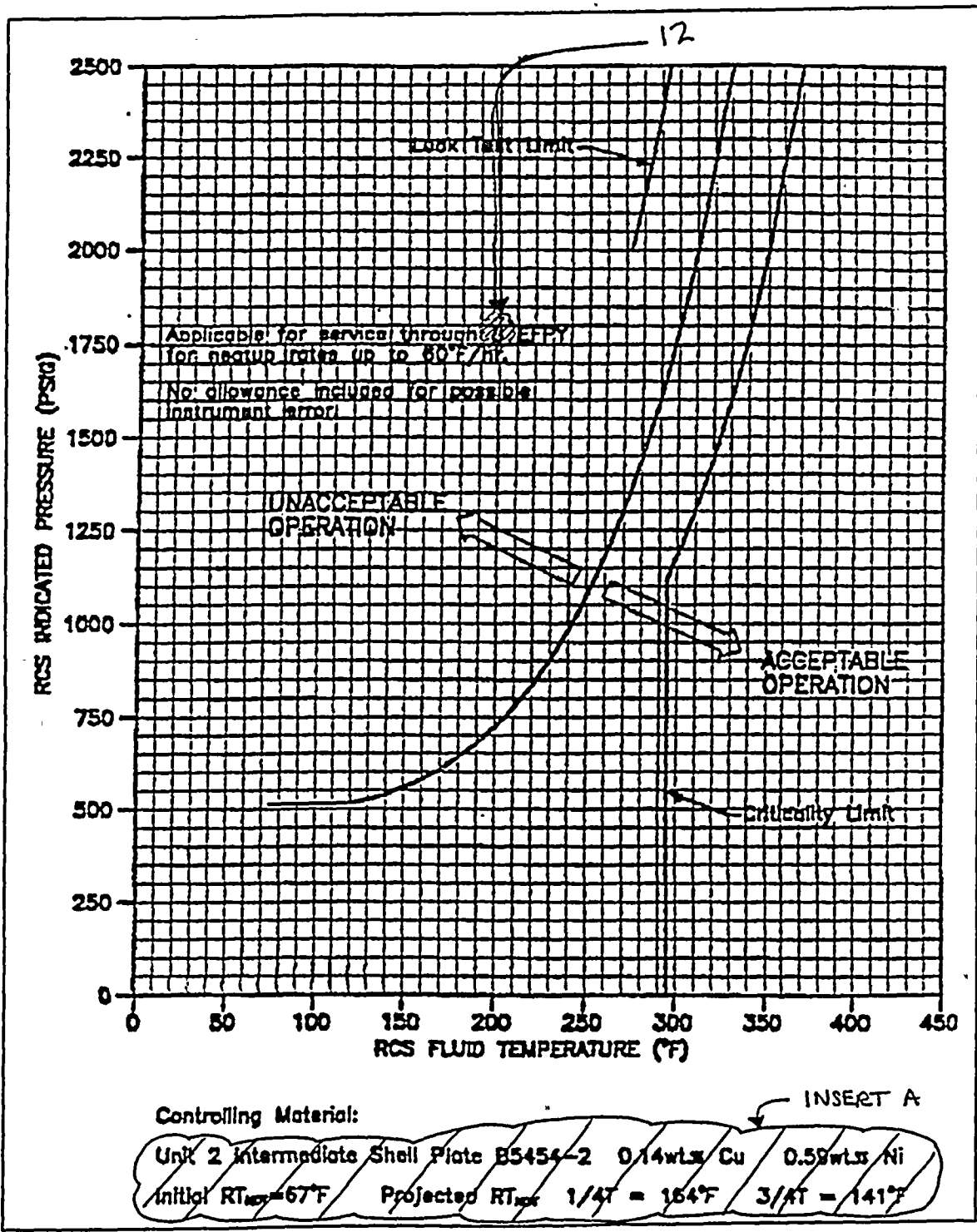
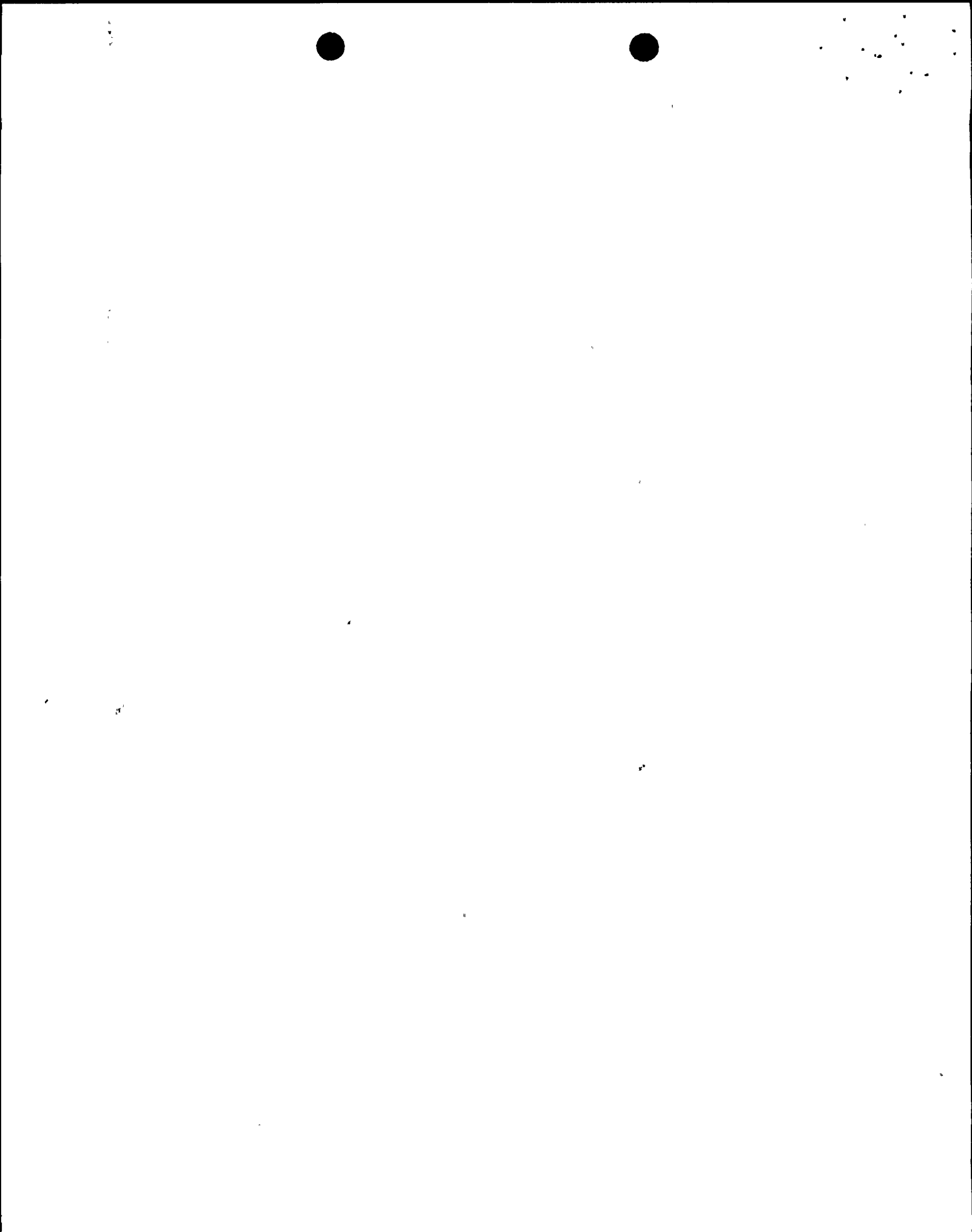


FIGURE 3.4-2

REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM HEATUP LIMITATIONS - APPLICABLE UP TO 83 EFY



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1/4T: Unit 1 Lower Shell Longitudinal Weld 3-442 C. $RT_{ndt} @ 1/4T = 161^{\circ}F.$
3/4T: Unit 2 Intermediate Shell Plate B5454-2. $RT_{ndt} @ 3/4T = 131^{\circ}F.$



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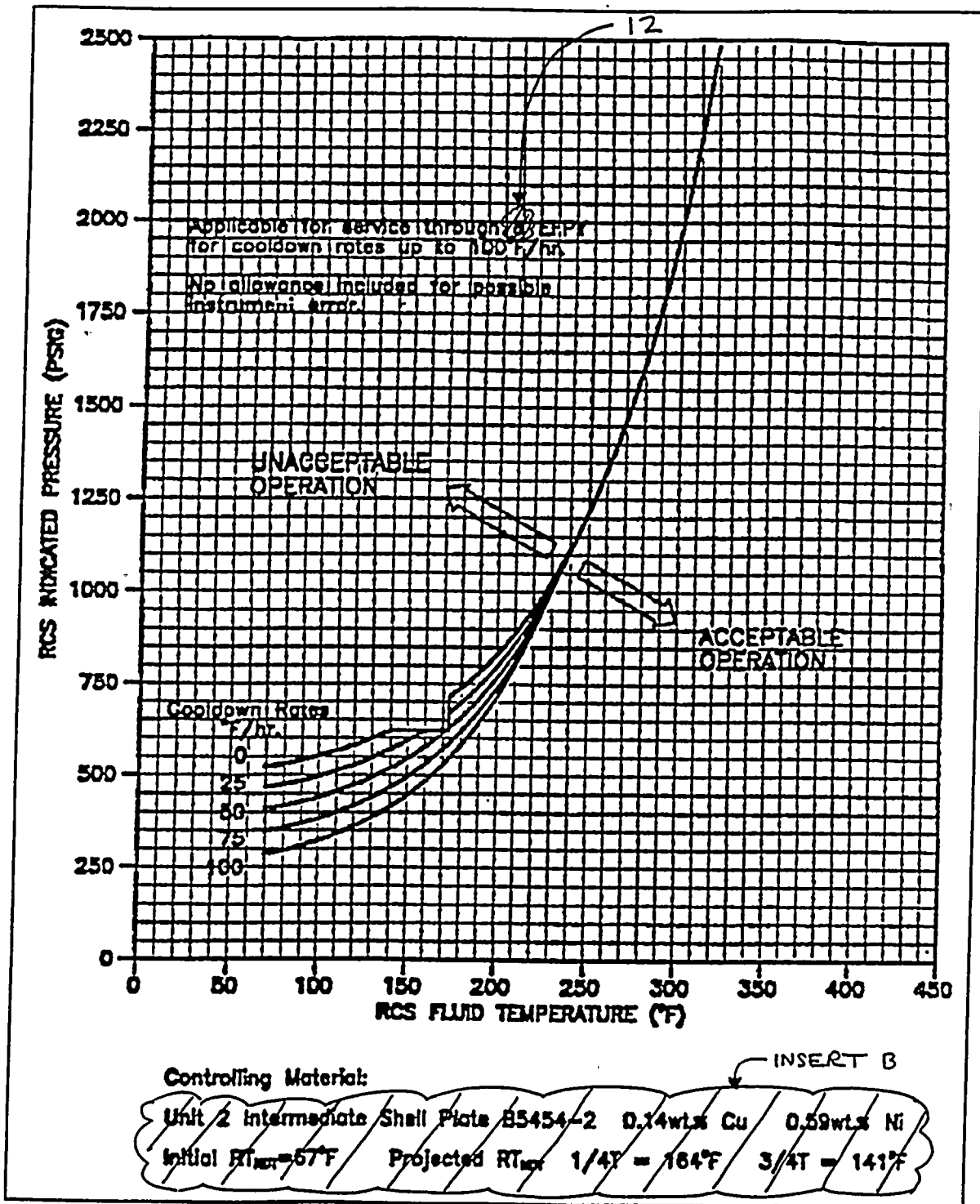
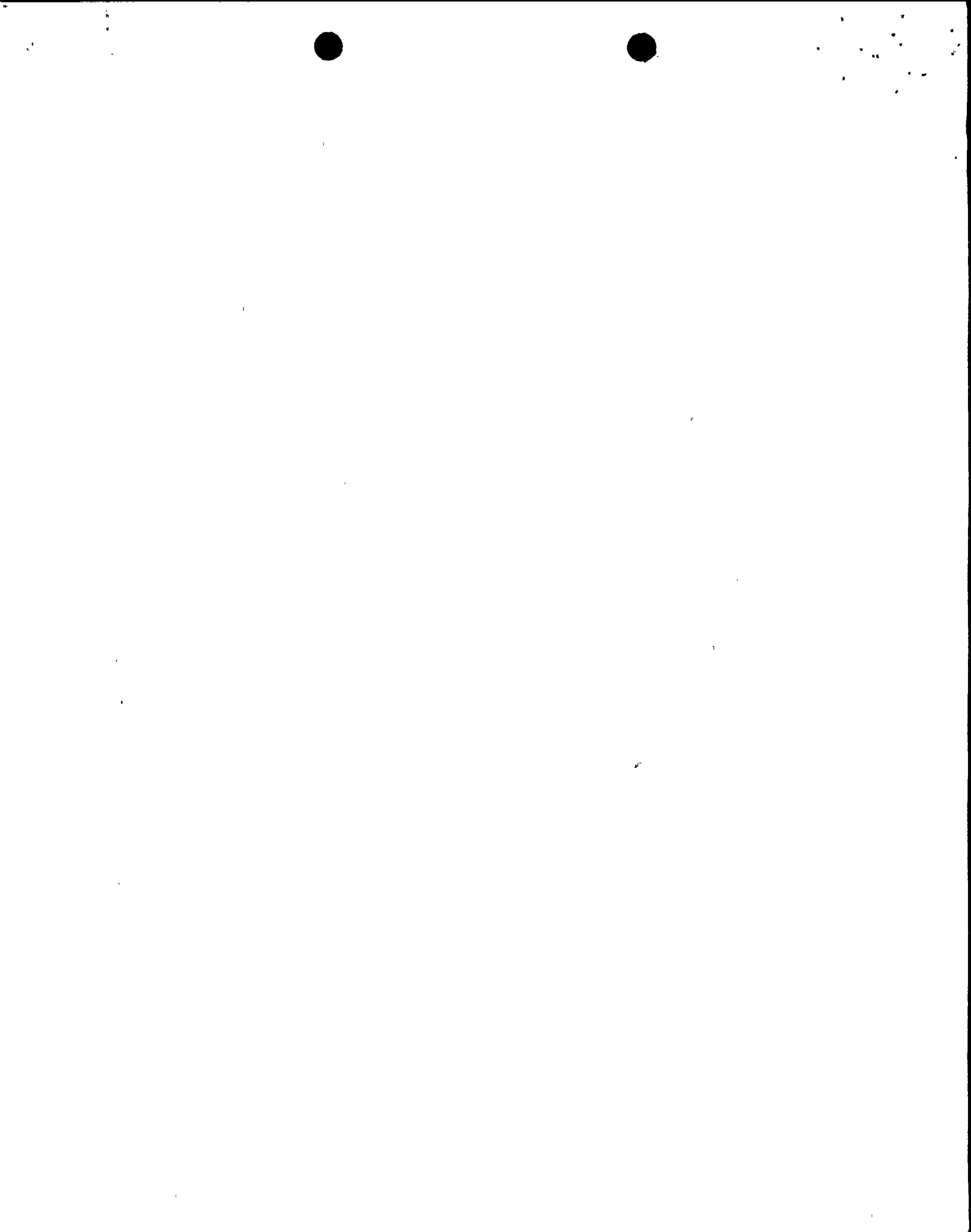


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REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM COOLDOWN LIMITATIONS - APPLICABLE UP TO 87 EPF



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1/4T: Unit 1 Lower Shell Longitudinal Weld 3-442 C. RT_{ndt} @ 1/4T = 161°F.
3/4T: Unit 2 Intermediate Shell Plate B5454-2. RT_{ndt} @ 3/4T = 131°F.



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OVERPRESSURE PROTECTION SYSTEMS

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.4.9.3 The following Overpressure Protection Systems shall be OPERABLE:

- a. Two Class 1 power-operated relief valves (PORVs) with a lift setting of less than or equal to ⁴³⁵450 psig, or
- b. The Reactor Coolant System (RCS) depressurized with an RCS vent of greater than or equal to 2.07 square inches.

APPLICABILITY: MODE 4 when the temperature of any RCS cold leg is less than or equal to ^{270°F}323°F, MODE 5 and MODE 6 with the reactor vessel head on and the vessel head closure bolts not fully de-tensioned.

ACTION:

- a. With one Class 1 PORV inoperable in MODE 4, restore the inoperable PORV to OPERABLE status within 7 days or depressurize and vent the RCS through an RCS vent of greater than or equal to 2.07 square inches vent within the next 8 hours.
- b. With one Class 1 PORV inoperable in MODES 5 or 6 with the reactor vessel head on and the vessel head closure bolts not fully de-tensioned, restore the inoperable PORV to operable status within 24 hours or depressurize and vent the RCS through an RCS vent of greater than or equal to 2.07 square inches within the next 8 hours.
- c. With both PORVs inoperable, depressurize and vent the RCS through an RCS vent of greater than or equal to 2.07 square inches vent within 8 hours.
- d. In the event either the PORVs or the RCS vent are used to mitigate an RCS pressure transient, a Special Report shall be prepared and submitted to the Commission pursuant to Specification 6.9.2 within 30 days. The report shall describe the circumstances initiating the transient, the effect of the PORVs or vent on the transient, and any corrective action necessary to prevent recurrence.

EMERGENCY CORE COOLING SYSTEMS

3/4.5.3 ECCS SUBSYSTEMS - T_{avg} LESS THAN 350°F

LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION

3.5.3 As a minimum, one ECCS subsystem comprised of the following shall be OPERABLE:

- a. One OPERABLE centrifugal charging pump,*
- b. One OPERABLE Residual Heat Removal heat exchanger,
- c. One OPERABLE Residual Heat Removal pump, and
- d. An OPERABLE flow path capable of taking suction from the Refueling Water Storage Tank upon being manually realigned and transferring suction to the containment sump during the recirculation phase of operation.

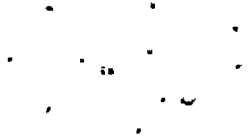
APPLICABILITY: MODE 4.

ACTION:

- a. With no ECCS subsystem OPERABLE because of the inoperability of either the centrifugal charging pump or the flow path from the Refueling Water Storage Tank, restore at least one ECCS subsystem to OPERABLE status within 1 hour or be in COLD SHUTDOWN within the next 20 hours.
- b. With no ECCS subsystem OPERABLE because of the inoperability of either the residual heat removal heat exchanger or residual heat removal pump, restore at least one ECCS subsystem to OPERABLE status or maintain the Reactor Coolant System T_{avg} less than 350°F by use of alternate heat removal methods.
- c. In the event the ECCS is actuated and injects water into the Reactor Coolant System, a Special Report shall be prepared and submitted to the Commission pursuant to Specification 6.9.2 within 90 days describing the circumstances of the actuation and the total accumulated actuation cycles to date. The current value of the usage factor for each affected safety injection nozzle shall be provided in this Special Report whenever its value exceeds 0.70.

*A maximum of one centrifugal charging pump shall be OPERABLE whenever the temperature of one or more of the RCS cold legs is less than or equal to

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SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS

4.5.3.1 The ECCS subsystem shall be demonstrated OPERABLE per the applicable Surveillance Requirements of Specification 4.5.2.

4.5.3.2 All centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps, except the above allowed OPERABLE pumps, shall be demonstrated inoperable* at least once per 12 hours whenever the temperature of one or more of the RCS cold legs is less than or equal to ~~323°F~~ by verifying that the motor circuit breakers D.C. control power is de-energized. 270°F

*An inoperable pump may be made OPERABLE for testing or for filling accumulators provided the discharge of the pump has been isolated from the Reactor Coolant System by an isolation valve with power removed from the valve operator, or by a sealed closed manual isolation valve.



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BORATION SYSTEMS (Continued)

The contained water volume limits include allowance for water not available because of discharge line location and other physical characteristics.

The OPERABILITY of one Boron Injection System during REFUELING ensures that this system is available for reactivity control while in MODE 6.

The limitation for a maximum of one centrifugal charging pump to be OPERABLE and the Surveillance Requirement to verify all centrifugal charging pumps except the required OPERABLE pump to be inoperable below ~~223°F~~ provides assurance that a mass addition pressure transient can be relieved by the operation of a single PORV.

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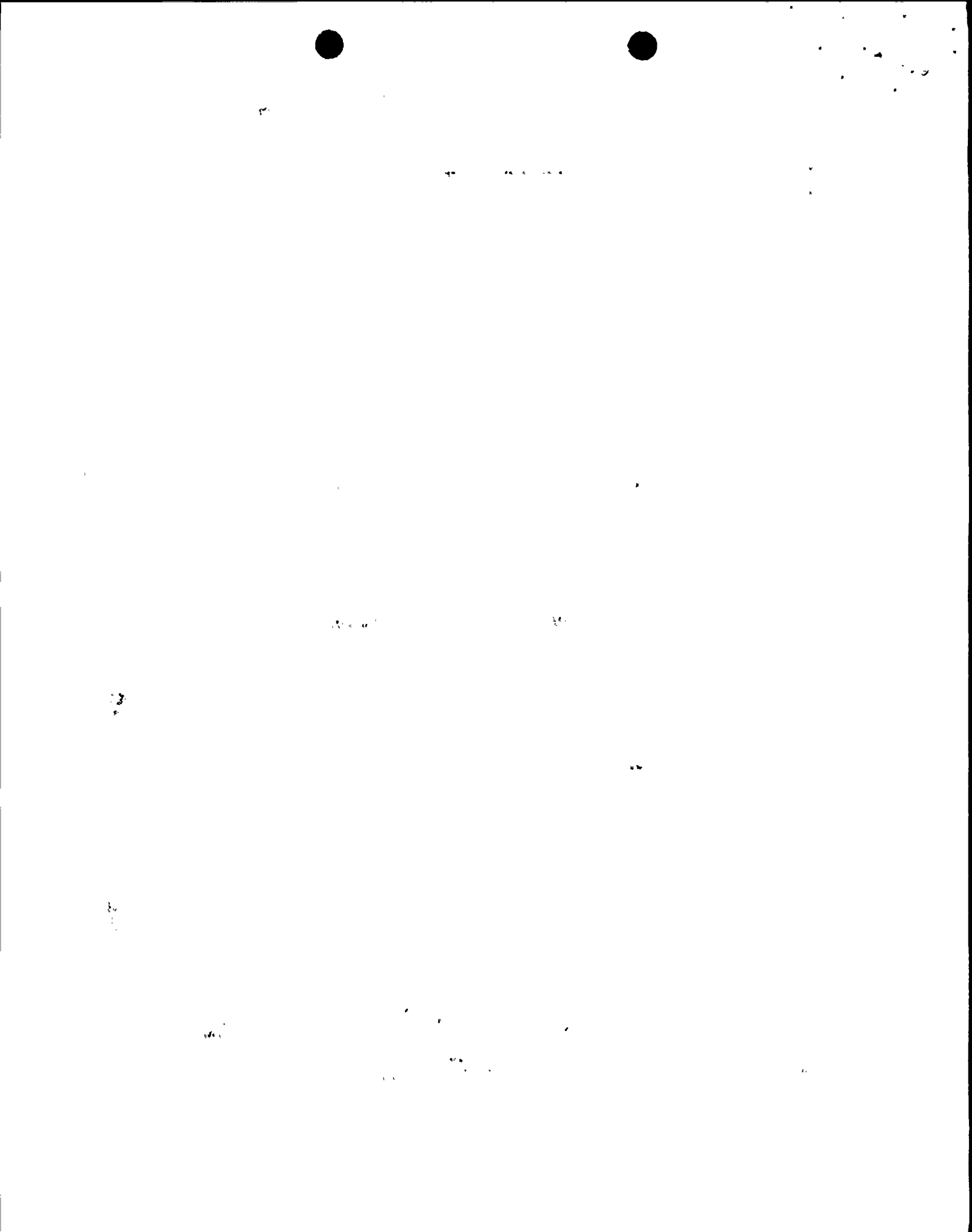
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The specifications of this section ensure that: (1) acceptable power distribution limits are maintained, (2) the minimum SHUTDOWN MARGIN is maintained, and (3) the potential effects of rod misalignment on associated accident analyses are limited. OPERABILITY of the control rod position indicators is required to determine control rod positions and thereby ensure compliance with the control rod alignment and insertion limits. Group demand position can be determined from: (1) the group step counters, or (2) the plant computer, or (3) for control rods, the P to A converter at the rod control cabinet.

The ACTION statements which permit limited variations from the basic requirements are accompanied by additional restrictions which ensure that the original design criteria are met. Continued operation of the Rod Control system is allowed with multiple immovable rods, that are still trippable and within alignment, for periods up to 72 hours to allow maintenance and/or testing of the Rod Control system (additional information is included in Attachment C of the Westinghouse letter to the NRC on Movable Assemblies, December 21, 1984.) Misalignment of a rod requires measurement of peaking factors and a restriction in THERMAL POWER. These restrictions provide assurance of fuel rod integrity during continued operation. In addition, those accident analyses affected by a misaligned rod are reevaluated to confirm that the results remain valid during future operation.

The maximum rod drop time restriction is consistent with the assumed rod drop time used in the safety analyses. Measurement with T_{avg} greater than or equal to 541°F and with all reactor coolant pumps operating ensures that the measured drop times will be representative of insertion times experienced during a Reactor trip at operating conditions.

Control rod positions and OPERABILITY of the rod position indicators are required to be verified on a nominal basis of once per 12 hours with more frequent verifications required if an automatic monitoring channel is inoperable. These verification frequencies are adequate for assuring that the applicable LCO's are satisfied.



3/4.4 REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM

BASES

3/4.4.1 REACTOR COOLANT LOOPS AND COOLANT CIRCULATION

The plant is designed to operate with all reactor coolant loops in operation, and maintain DNBR above 1.30 during all normal operations and anticipated transients.

In MODE 3, two reactor coolant loops provide sufficient heat removal capability for removing core decay heat even in the event of a bank withdrawal accident; however, a single reactor coolant loop provides sufficient heat removal if a bank withdrawal accident can be prevented, i.e., by opening the Reactor Trip System breakers. Single failure considerations require that two loops be OPERABLE at all times.

In MODE 4, and MODE 5 with reactor coolant loops filled, a single reactor coolant loop or RHR train provides sufficient heat removal capability for removing decay heat; but single failure considerations require that at least two loops (either RHR or RCS) be OPERABLE.

In MODE 5, with reactor coolant loops not filled, a single RHR train provides sufficient heat removal capability for removing decay heat; but single failure considerations and the unavailability of the steam generator as a heat removing component require that at least two RHR trains be OPERABLE.

The operation of one reactor coolant pump or one RHR pump provides adequate flow to ensure mixing, prevent stratification and produce gradual reactivity changes during boron concentration reductions in the Reactor Coolant System. The reactivity change rate associated with boron reduction will, therefore, be within the capability of operator recognition and control.

The restrictions on starting a reactor coolant pump with one or more RCS cold legs less than or equal to ^{270°F} (323°F) are provided to prevent RCS pressure transients, caused by energy additions from the Secondary Coolant System, which could exceed the limits of Appendix G to 10 CFR Part 50. The RCS will be protected against overpressure transients and will not exceed the limits of Appendix G by: (1) restricting the water volume in the pressurizer and thereby providing a volume for the reactor coolant to expand into, or (2) restricting starting of the RCPs to when the secondary water temperature of each steam generator is less than 50°F above each of the RCS cold leg temperatures.

3/4.4.2 SAFETY VALVES

The pressurizer Code safety valves operate to prevent the RCS from being pressurized above its Safety Limit of 2735 psig. Each safety valve is designed to relieve 420,000 lbs per hour of saturated steam at 110% of the valve's Setpoint. The relief capacity of a single safety valve is adequate to relieve any overpressure condition which could occur during shutdown.



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3/4.4.9 PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE LIMITS

The temperature and pressure changes during heatup and cooldown are limited to be consistent with the requirements given in the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section III, Appendix G:

1. The reactor coolant temperature and pressure and system heatup and cooldown rates (with the exception of the pressurizer) shall be limited in accordance with Figures 3.4-2 and 3.4-3 for the service period specified thereon:
 - a. Allowable combinations of pressure and temperature for specific temperature change rates are below and to the right of the limit lines shown. Limit lines for cooldown rates between those presented may be obtained by interpolation; and
 - b. Figures 3.4-2 and 3.4-3 define limits to assure prevention of non-ductile failure only. For normal operation, other inherent plant characteristics, e.g., pump heat addition and pressurizer heater capacity, may limit the heatup and cooldown rates that can be achieved over certain pressure-temperature ranges.
2. These limit lines shall be calculated periodically using methods provided below,
3. The secondary side of the steam generator must not be pressurized above 200 psig if the temperature of the steam generator is below 70°F,
4. The pressurizer heatup and cooldown rates shall not exceed 100°F/hr and 200°F/hr, respectively. The spray shall not be used if the temperature difference between the pressurizer and the spray fluid is greater than 560°F, and
5. System preservice hydrotests and in-service leak and hydrotests shall be performed at pressures in accordance with the requirements of ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section XI. Allowable pressures and temperatures for inservice leak and hydrostatic tests are given in Figure 3.4-2.
6. The criticality limit on Figure 3.4-2 is based on the minimum allowable temperature of 295°F for an inservice hydrostatic test of 110% of operating pressure.

The fracture toughness testing of the ferritic materials in the reactor vessel was performed in accordance with the 1966 Edition for Unit 1 and the 1968 Edition for Unit 2 of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section III. These properties are then evaluated in accordance with the NRC Standard Review Plan.

Heatup and cooldown limit curves are calculated using the most limiting value of the nil ductility reference temperature, RTNDT, at the end of ⁽³⁾ effective full power years (EFPY) of service life. The ⁽³⁾ EFPY service life period is chosen such that the limiting RTNDT at the 1/4T location in the core region

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is greater than the RTNDT of the limiting unirradiated material. The selection of such a limiting RTNDT assures that all components in the Reactor Coolant System will be operated conservatively in accordance with applicable Code requirements.

The reactor vessel materials have been tested to determine their initial RTNDT; the results of these tests are shown in the FSAR Update. Reactor operation and resultant fast neutron (E greater than 1 MeV) irradiation can cause an increase in the RTNDT. Therefore, an adjusted reference temperature, based upon the fluence, copper content and nickel content of the material in question, can be predicted using value of Δ RTNDT computed by Regulatory Guide 1.99, Revision 2, "Effects of Residual Elements on Predicted Radiation Damage to Reactor Vessel Materials," for the maximum neutron fluence at the locations of interest. The heatup and cooldown limit curves of Figures 3.4-2 and 3.4-3 include predicted adjustments for this shift in RTNDT at the end of 8 EFPY.

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Values of Δ RTNDT determined in this manner will be used until the results from the material surveillance program, evaluated according to ASTM E185-82, can be used. Capsules will be removed in accordance with the requirements of ASTM E185 and 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix H. The surveillance specimen withdrawal schedule will be maintained in the FSAR Update. The lead factor represents the relationship between the fast neutron flux density at the location of the capsule and the inner wall of the reactor vessel. The heatup and cooldown curves must be recalculated when the Δ RTNDT determined from the surveillance capsule exceeds the calculated Δ RTNDT for the equivalent capsule radiation exposure.

Allowable pressure-temperature relationships for various heatup and cooldown rates are calculated using methods derived from Appendix G in Section III of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code as required by Appendix G to 10 CFR Part 50 and these methods are discussed in detail in the following paragraphs.

The general method for calculating heatup and cooldown limit curves is based upon the principles of the linear elastic fracture mechanics (LEFM) technology. In the calculation procedures a semi-elliptical surface defect with a depth of one-quarter of the wall thickness, T , and a length of $3/2T$ is assumed to exist at the inside of the vessel wall as well as at the outside of the vessel wall. The dimensions of this postulated crack, referred to in Appendix G of ASME Section III as the reference flaw, amply exceed the current capabilities of inservice inspection techniques. Therefore, the reactor operation limit curves developed for this reference crack are conservative and provide sufficient safety margins for protection against non-ductile failure. To assure that the radiation embrittlement effects are accounted for in the

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heatup rates when the 1/4T flaw is considered. Therefore, both cases have to be analyzed in order to assure that at any coolant temperature the lower value of the allowable pressure calculated for steady-state and finite heatup rates is obtained.

The second portion of the heatup analysis concerns the calculation of pressure-temperature limitations for the case in which a 1/4T deep outside surface flaw is assumed. Unlike the situation at the vessel inside surface, the thermal gradients established at the outside surface during heatup produce stresses which are tensile in nature and thus tend to reinforce any pressure stresses present. These thermal stresses, of course, are dependent on both the rate of heatup and the time (or coolant temperature) along the heatup ramp. Furthermore, since the thermal stresses at the outside are tensile and increase with increasing heatup rate, a lower bound curve cannot be defined. Rather, each heatup rate of interest must be analyzed on an individual basis.

Following the generation of pressure-temperature curves for both the steady-state and finite heatup rate situations, the final limit curves are produced as follows. A composite curve is constructed based on a point-by-point comparison of the steady-state and finite heatup rate data. At any given temperature, the allowable pressure is taken to be the lesser of the three values taken from the curves under consideration.

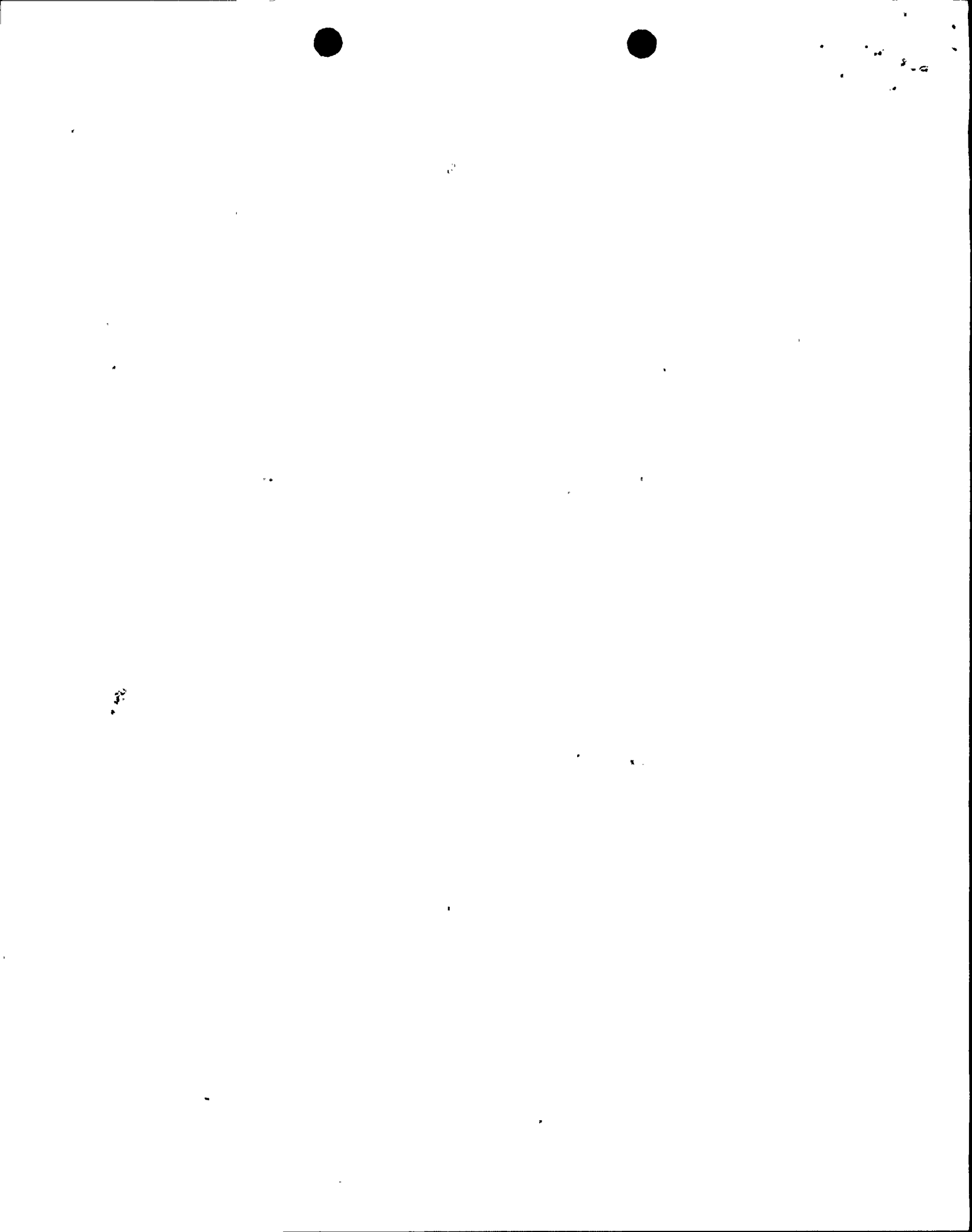
The use of the composite curve is necessary to set conservative heatup limitations because it is possible for conditions to exist such that over the course of the heatup ramp the controlling condition switches from the inside to the outside and the pressure limit must at all times be based on analysis of the most critical criterion.

Although the pressurizer operates in temperature ranges above those for which there is reason for concern of non-ductile failure, operation limits are provided to assure compatibility of operation with the fatigue analysis. . . performed in accordance with the ASME Code requirements:

LOW TEMPERATURE OVERPRESSURE PROTECTION

The OPERABILITY of both Class 1 PORVs or an RCS vent opening of at least 2.07 square inches ensures that the RCS will be protected from pressure transients which could exceed the limits of Appendix G to 10 CFR Part 50 when one or more of the RCS cold legs are less than or equal to 323°F. Either Class 1 PORV has adequate relieving capability to protect the RCS from overpressurization for all anticipated transients.

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The OPERABILITY of both Class 1 PORVs or an RCS vent opening of at least 2.07 square inches ensures that the RCS will be protected from pressure transients that could exceed the limits of Appendix G to 10 CFR Part 50 when operating at low temperatures. Low temperature is defined as less than or equal to the reactor coolant temperature corresponding to a reactor vessel wall temperature of $RT_{ndt} + 90^{\circ}\text{F}$, where RT_{ndt} is evaluated at the beltline location (1/4T), which is controlling in the Appendix G Pressure-Temperature (60°F/hr heatup) limits. This definition is consistent with Branch Technical Position RSB 5-2, and defines the LTOP enable temperature of 270°F , applicable through 12 EFPY.

OPERABILITY of the PORVs for LTOP use requires a lift setting of less than or equal to 435-psig. This setpoint ensures that either Class 1 PORV has adequate relieving capability to protect the RCS from overpressurization for all anticipated transients, concurrent with any single active failure. The limiting transient for LTOP is a mass injection event based on the combined ECCS injection line flow from one centrifugal charging pump and the positive displacement pump, into a water-solid RCS, with letdown isolated. The 435 psig setpoint was determined for this event based on a PORV stroke time less than or equal to 3.5 seconds, reactor service less than or equal to 12 EFPY, and administrative controls on RCP operation, charging pump operability, and the ECCS injection flow path.

The Maximum Allowed PORV Setpoint for the LTOPs will be modified, if required, based on the results of examinations of the reactor vessel material irradiation surveillance specimens performed as required by 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix H.



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LOW TEMPERATURE OVERPRESSURE PROTECTION (Continued)

The Maximum Allowed PORV Setpoint for the LTOPs will be modified, if required, based on the results of examinations of reactor vessel material irradiation surveillance specimens performed as required by 10 CFR Part 50, Appendix H, and in accordance with the schedule in Table 4.4-8. The surveillance specimen withdrawal schedule is maintained in the

3/4.4.10 STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY FSAR Update.

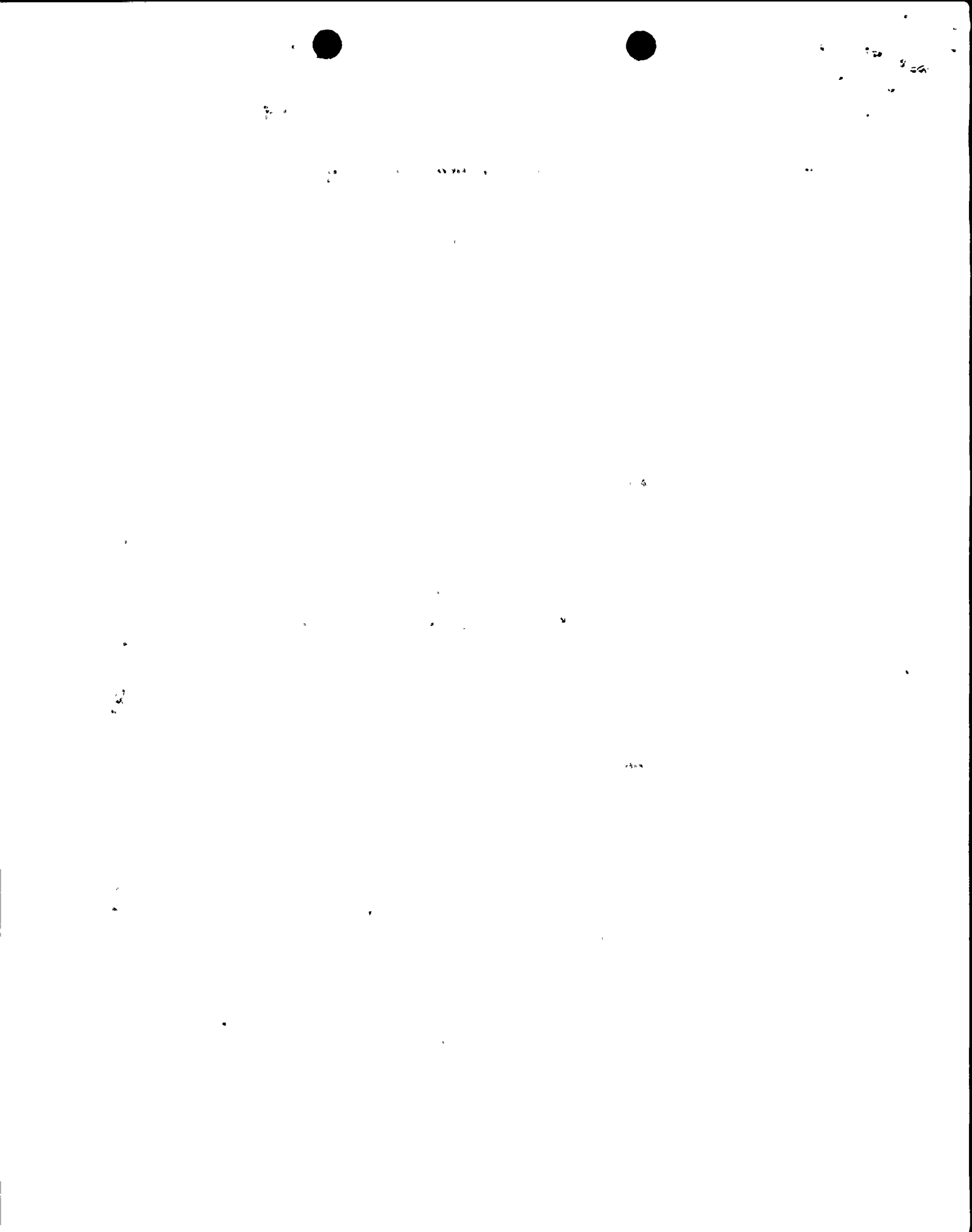
The inservice inspection and testing programs for the ASME Code Class 1, 2, and 3 components ensure that the structural integrity and operational readiness of these components will be maintained at an acceptable level throughout the life of the plant. To the extent applicable, the inspection program for these components is in compliance with Section XI of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.

3/4.4.11 REACTOR VESSEL HEAD VENTS

Reactor Coolant System vents are provided to exhaust noncondensable gases and/or steam from the Reactor Coolant System that could inhibit natural circulation core cooling. The OPERABILITY of a reactor vessel head vent path ensures the capability exists to perform this function.

The valve redundancy of the Reactor Coolant System vent paths serves to minimize the probability of inadvertent or irreversible actuation while ensuring that a single failure vent valve power supply or control system does not prevent isolation of the vent path.

The function, capabilities, and testing requirements of the Reactor Coolant System Vent Systems are consistent with the requirements of Item II.B.1 of NUREG-0737, "Clarification of TMI Action Plan Requirements," November 1980.



EMERGENCY CORE COOLING SYSTEMS

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ECCS SUBSYSTEMS (Continued)

The requirement to maintain the RHR Suction Valves 8701 and 8702 in the locked closed condition in MODES 1, 2 and 3 provides assurance that a fire could not cause inadvertent opening of these valves when the RCS is pressurized to near operating pressure. These valves are not part of an ECCS subsystem.

The limitation for a maximum of one centrifugal charging pump to be OPERABLE and the Surveillance Requirement to verify all centrifugal charging pumps and Safety Injection pumps except the required OPERABLE charging pump to be inoperable below ~~323°F~~ provides assurance that a mass addition pressure transient can be relieved by the operation of a single PORV.

For Unit 1 Cycle 5 and Unit 2 Cycle 4:

The Surveillance Requirements provided to ensure OPERABILITY of each component ensures that, at a minimum, the assumptions used in the safety analyses are met and that subsystem OPERABILITY is maintained. Surveillance requirements for throttle valve position stops and flow balance testing provide assurance that proper ECCS flows will be maintained in the event of a LOCA. Maintenance of proper flow resistance and pressure drop in the piping system to each injection point is necessary to: (1) prevent total pump flow from exceeding runout conditions when the system is in its minimum resistance configuration, (2) provide the proper flow split between injection points in accordance with the assumptions used in the ECCS-LOCA analyses, and (3) provide an acceptable level of total ECCS flow to all injection points equal to or above that assumed in the ECCS-LOCA analyses.

For Unit 1 Cycle 6 and after, and Unit 2 Cycle 5 and after:

The Surveillance Requirements provided to ensure OPERABILITY of each component ensure that, at a minimum, the assumptions used in the safety analyses are met and that subsystem OPERABILITY is maintained. The safety analyses make assumptions with respect to minimum total system resistance, minimum and maximum total injection line resistance, and minimum individual injection line resistance. These resistances in conjunction with the ranges of potential pump performance are used to calculate the minimum and maximum ECCS flows assumed in the safety analyses.

The minimum flow Surveillance Requirement ensures that the maximum injection line resistance assumptions are met. These assumptions are used to calculate minimum flows to the RCS for safety analyses which are limited by minimum ECCS flow to the RCS.

