

NINE MILE POINT NUCLEAR STATION

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INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL

SYSTEM INSTRUMENTS

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III. TRAINING MATERIALS

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IV. EXAMINATIONS, QUIZZES AND ANSWER KEYS

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V. OBJECTIVES

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1. Pressure Sensors and Instruments

1. Identify the basic components of manometers, diaphragm pressure gauges, bellows pressure gauges, and a Bourdon tube pressure gauges.
2. Explain the operating principle of each of the four types of pressure gauges.
3. Distinguish between an open manometer, a differential manometer, and a barometer.
4. Explain the operating principle of basic differential pressure cells.

2. Temperature Sensors and Instruments

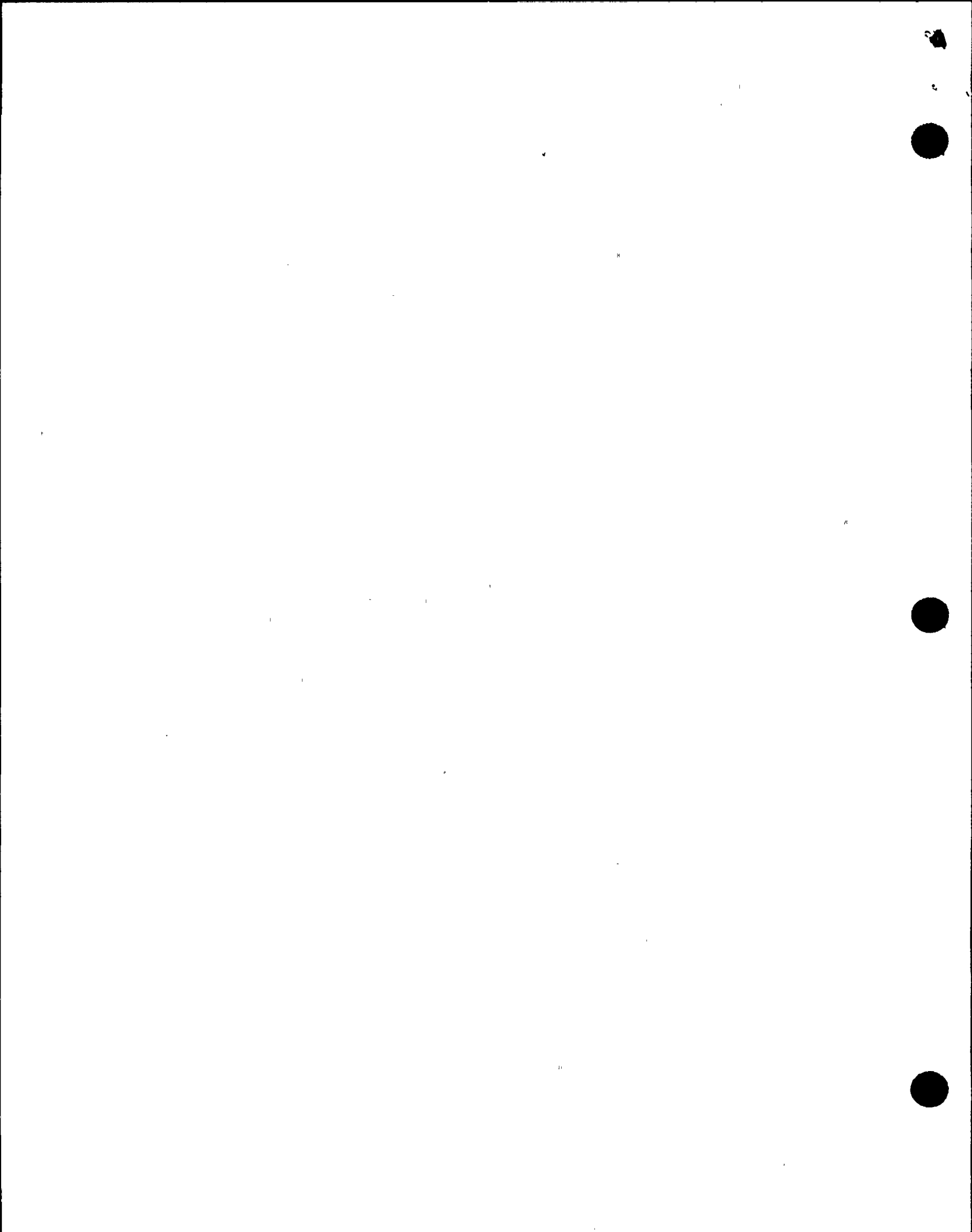
2. Explain the principle of operation of filled thermal systems, thermocouples, and resistance temperature detector.
3. Describe the advantages and disadvantages of thermocouples and RTDs.

3. Flow Sensors and Instruments

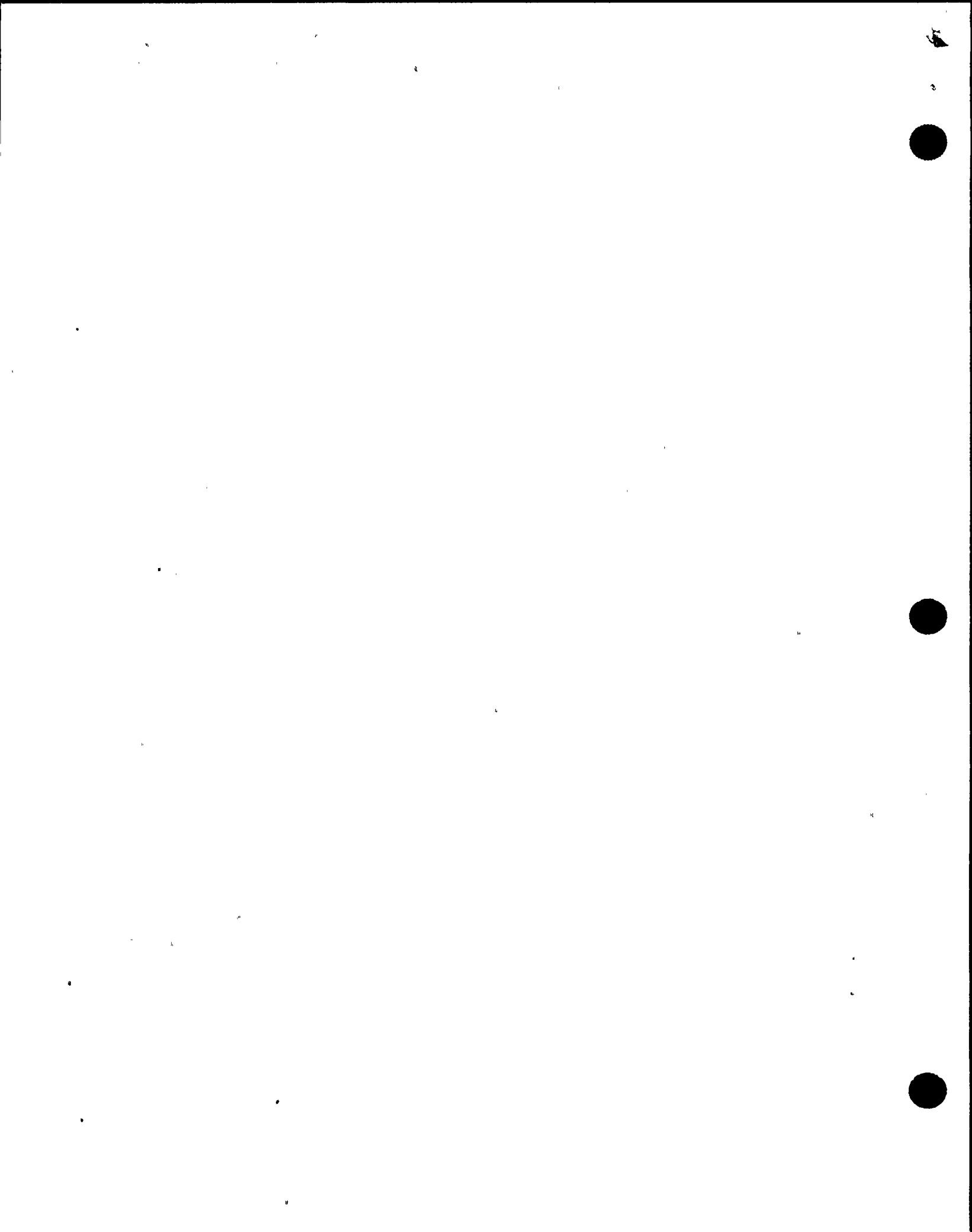
2. Explain the principle of operation of pitot-static tubes, a venturi tubes, flow nozzles, orifice meters, elbow meters, and rotameters.
3. Describe the relationship between volume flow rate and differential pressure of a fluid passing through a restriction.
4. Describe the advantages and disadvantages of flow nozzles, orifices, venturis, and elbows for measuring flow.

4. Liquid Level Measurement

1. Identify the basic components of the following level measuring instruments.
 1. Open-tank
 2. Closed-tank (non-saturated system)
 3. Closed-tank (saturated system)

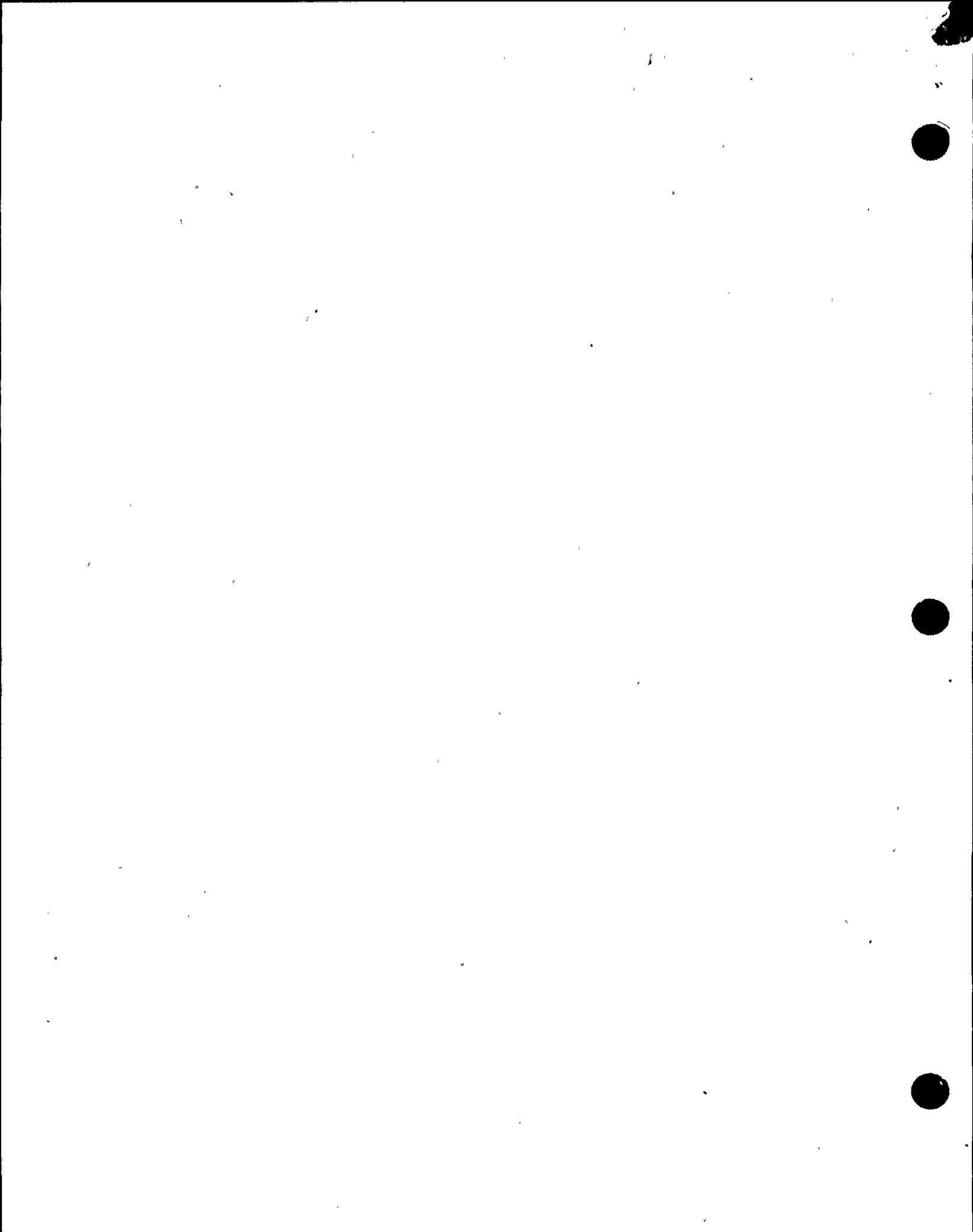


2. Explain the principle of operation of the level measuring instruments listed in objective 4.1.
3. Describe the effect of the following factors on level indication.
 1. System and environmental temperature changes
 2. System pressure changes
 3. Reference leg leaks
5. Signal Transmission and Indication
 1. Describe the three modes of signal transmission.
 2. Describe the functions of the following indication devices:
 1. Meters
 2. Recorders
 3. Indicating Lights
 4. Annunciators
 5. Computer Printouts



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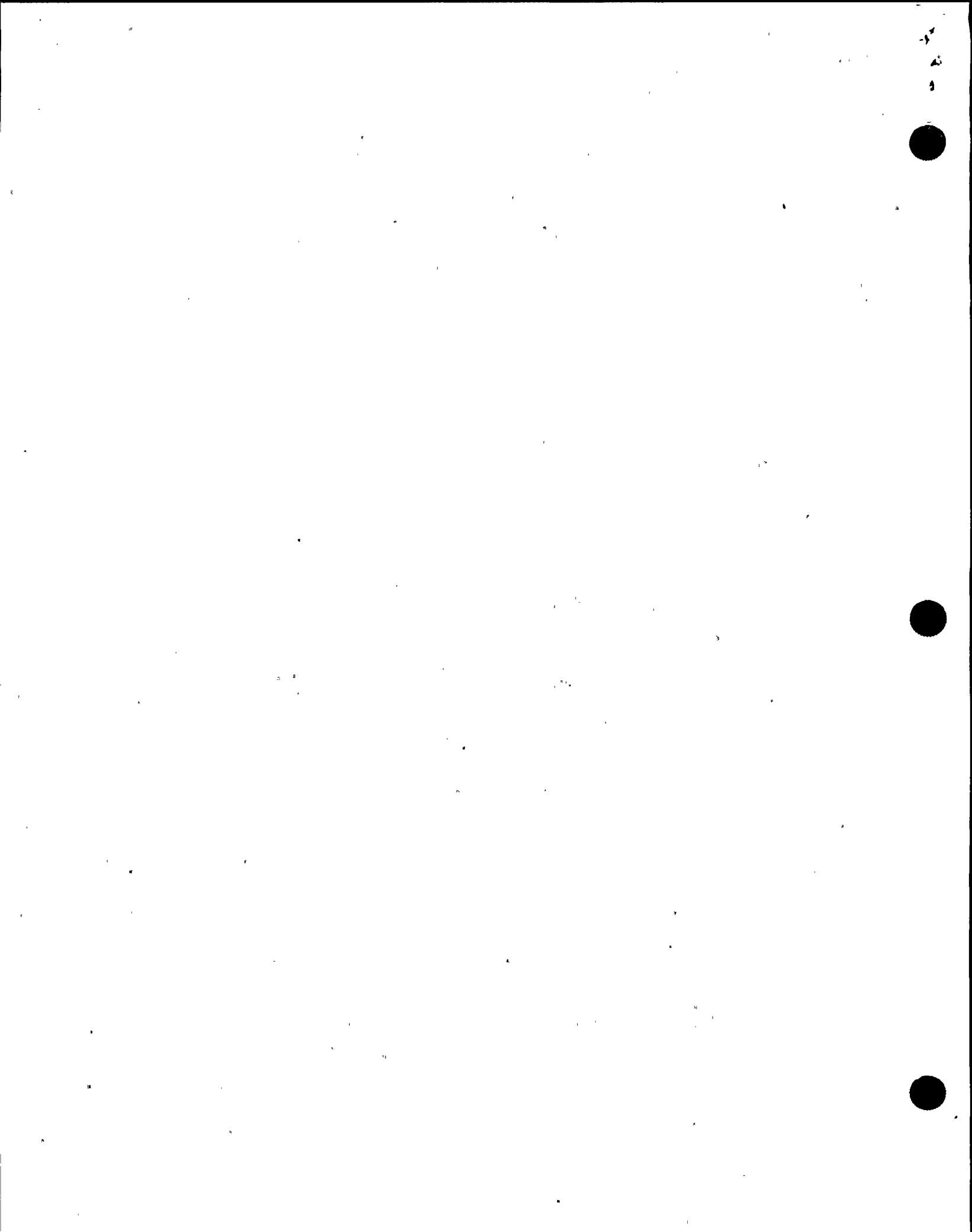
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1. Identify components of a basic radiation measuring instrument at block-diagram level.
2. Label components of a basic gas-filled radiation detector.
3. Describe principles of operation of gas-filled radiation detectors.
4. Define secondary ionization, gas amplification, and saturation.
5. Explain effects on radiation detector operation of varying voltage potential.

2. Neutron Flux Detection

1. Explain the reason neutron detection is used to measure reactor power level.
2. Identify the region of the six-region curve in which neutron detectors are operated.
4. Describe two neutron interactions used to create charged particles in a neutron detector.

3. Fission Chamber Neutron Detectors

1. Identify components of typical fission-chamber neutron detectors.
2. Describe principles of operation for a fission-chamber neutron detector operating as a proportional counter (pulse mode).
3. Describe principles of operation for a fission-chamber neutron detector operating as an ion chamber (current mode).

4. Gamma Discrimination

1. Describe the purpose of gamma discrimination.
2. Explain pulse-height discrimination and the "mean square root" process.
3. Explain reasons gamma discrimination is not needed in the power range.



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