

ASSUMPTIONS FOR THERMAL ANALYSIS
OF PREAMPLIFIER UNIT

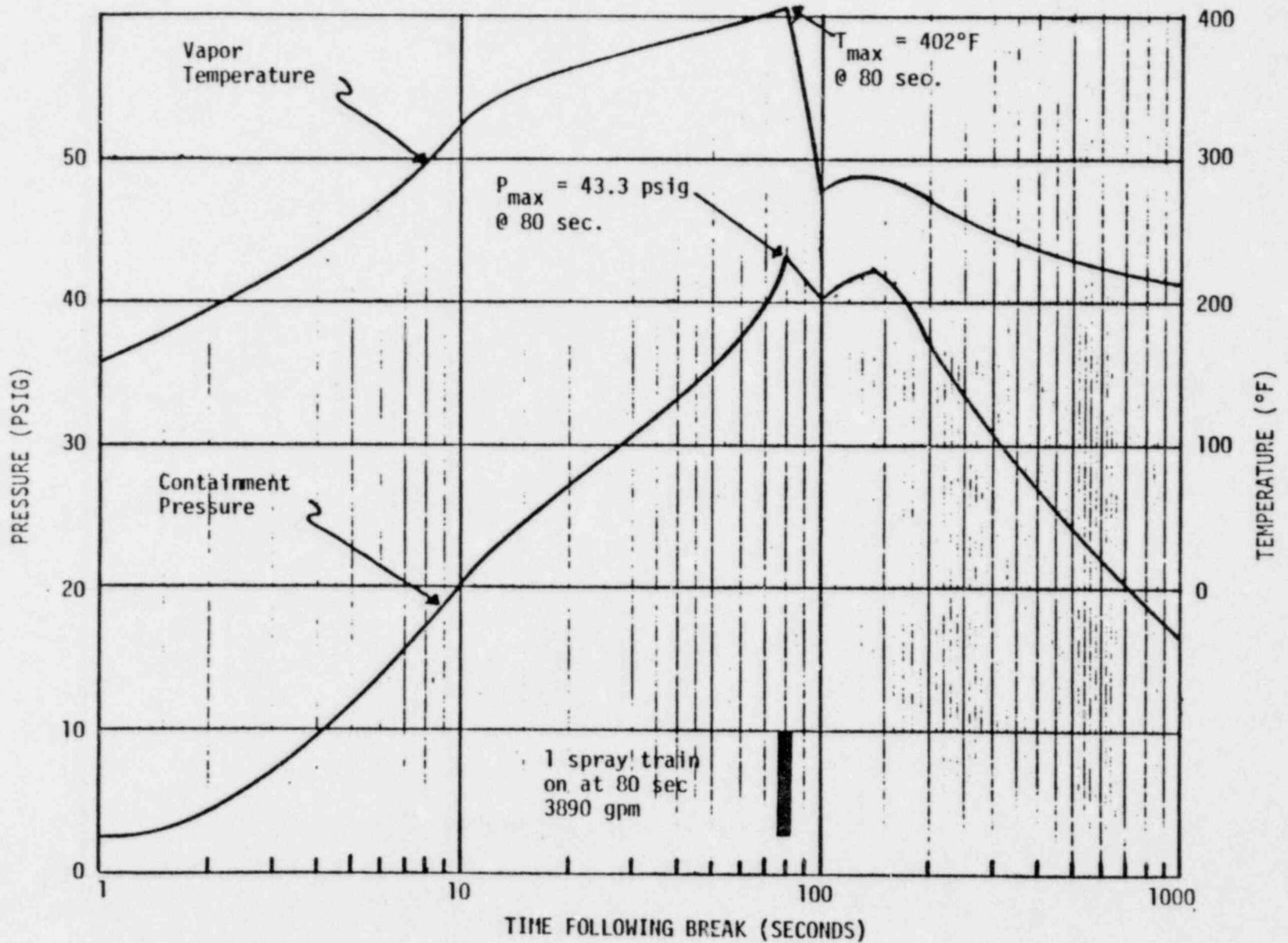
- CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE VS. TIME USED
AS A FORCING FUNCTION
- NUREG 0588 (EARLY VERSION) ITEMS
USE LARGEST POSSIBLE q
 - $q_{\text{CONVECTION}} = (\text{AS PER NUREG 0588})$
 - $q_{\text{CONDUCTION}} = 4 * \text{UCHIDA}$
 - $q_{\text{CONDUCTION}} = 4 * \text{TAGAMI}$
- HEAT CONDUCTION IN WALL VIA A SUBROUTINE
IN CONTRANS CODE

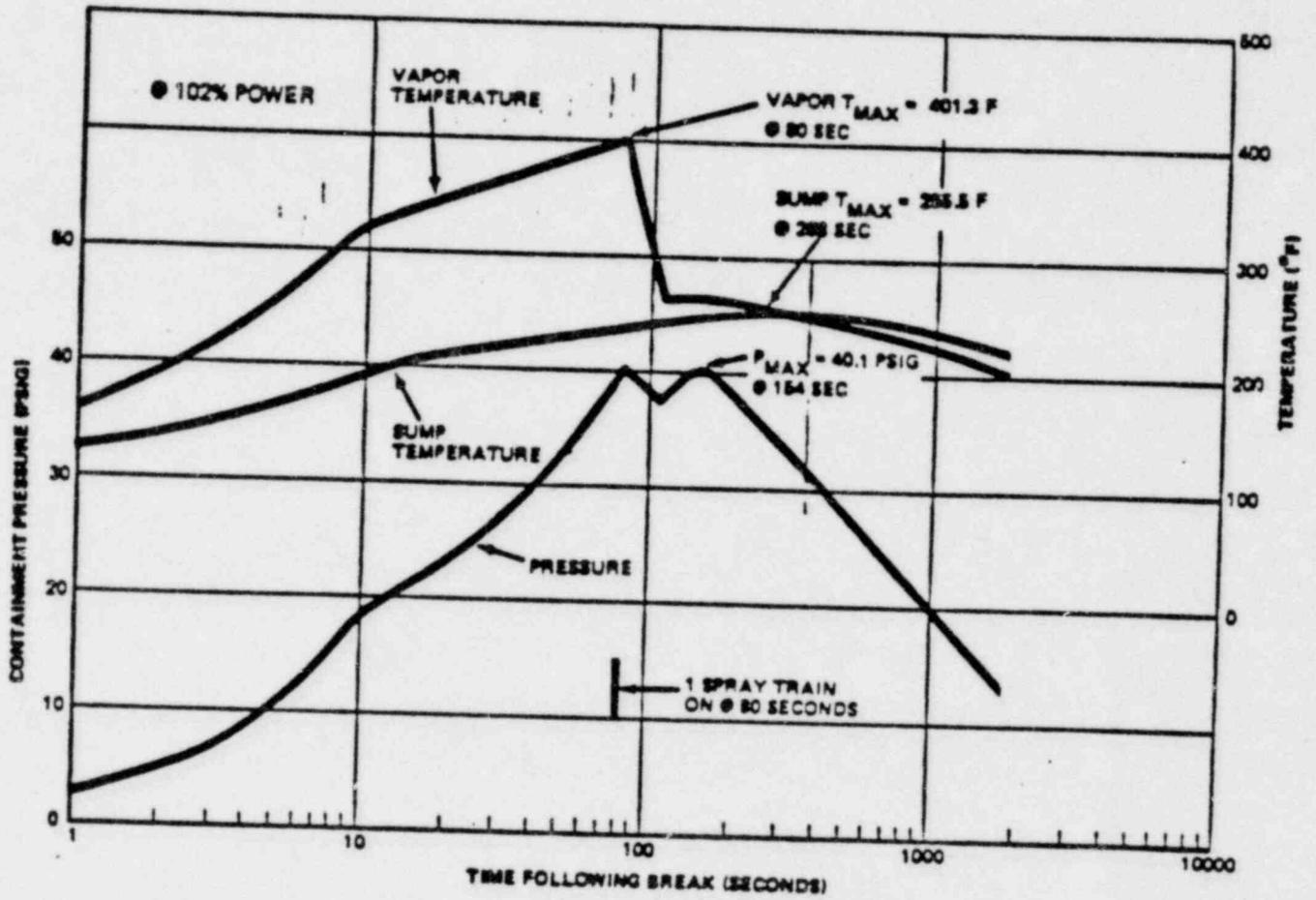
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CE calculated containment response
pressure and temperature vs. time
CESSARF generic mass/energy release
Arizona containment data

Generated by CE SGN/CONTRANS Codes





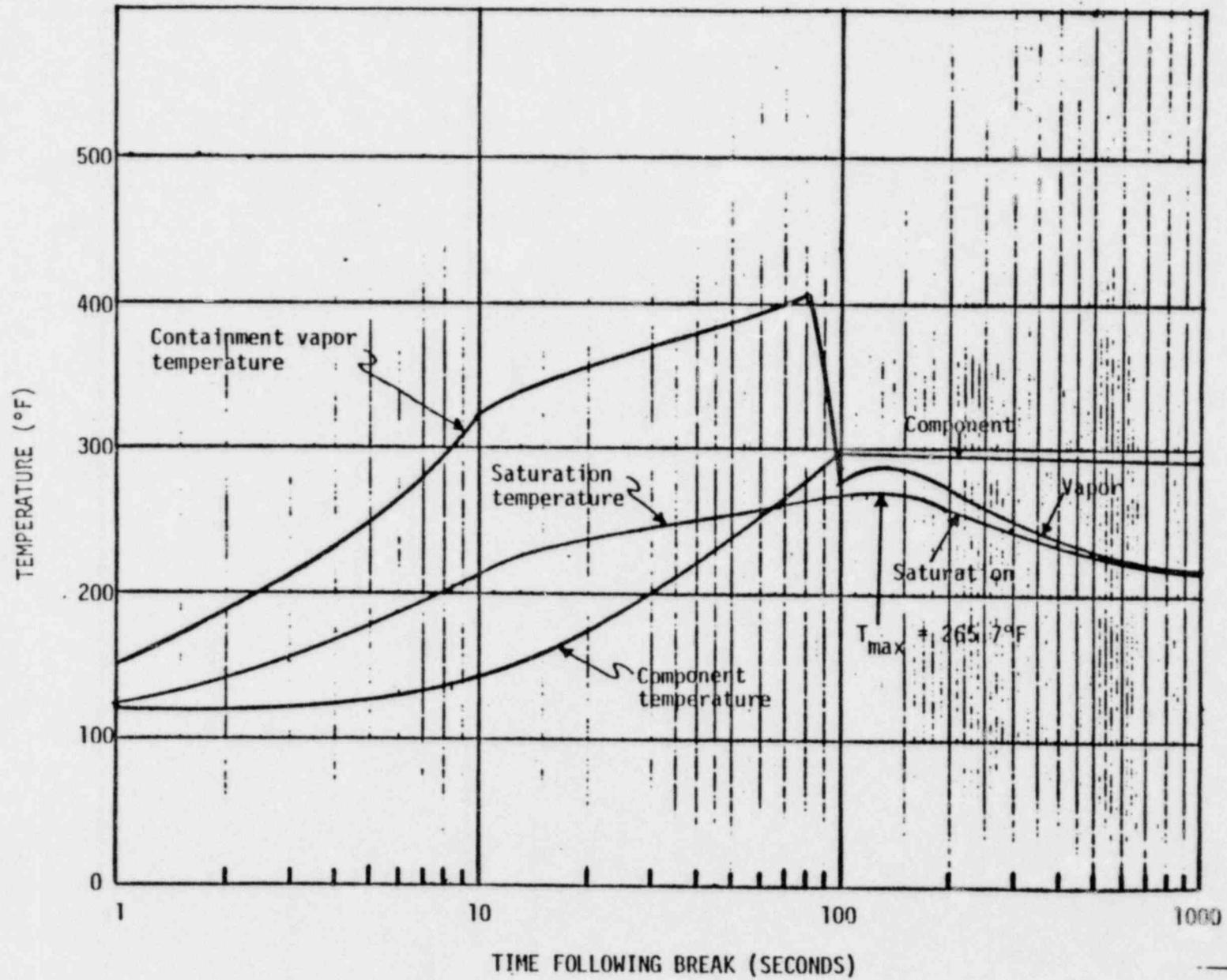
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CONTAINMENT PRESSURE AND TEMPERATURE
RESPONSE MSLB (SLOT) WITH LOSS OF ONE
CONTAINMENT COOLING TRAIN

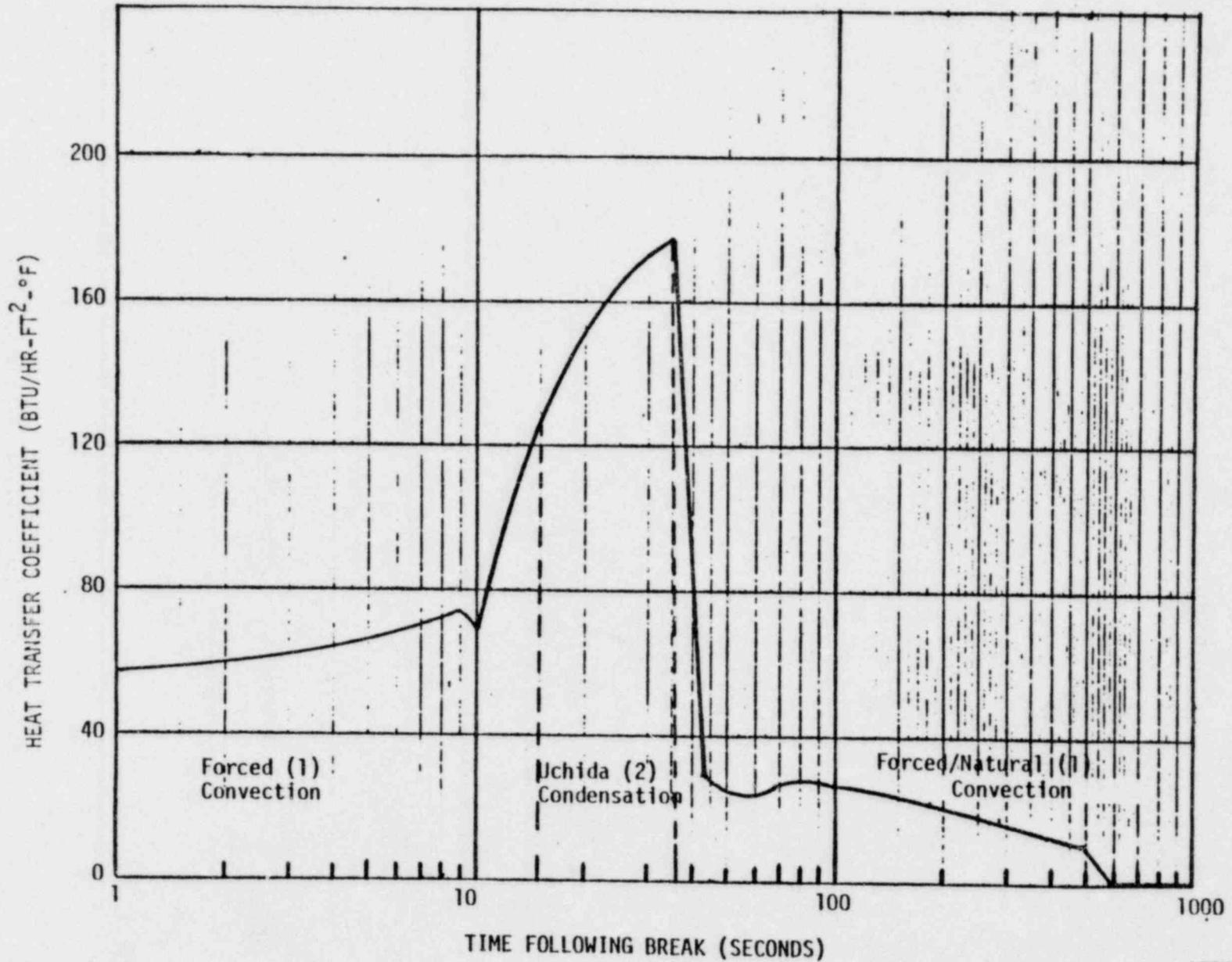
102% power
MSLB 8.78 ft² (worst case)
temperature vs time



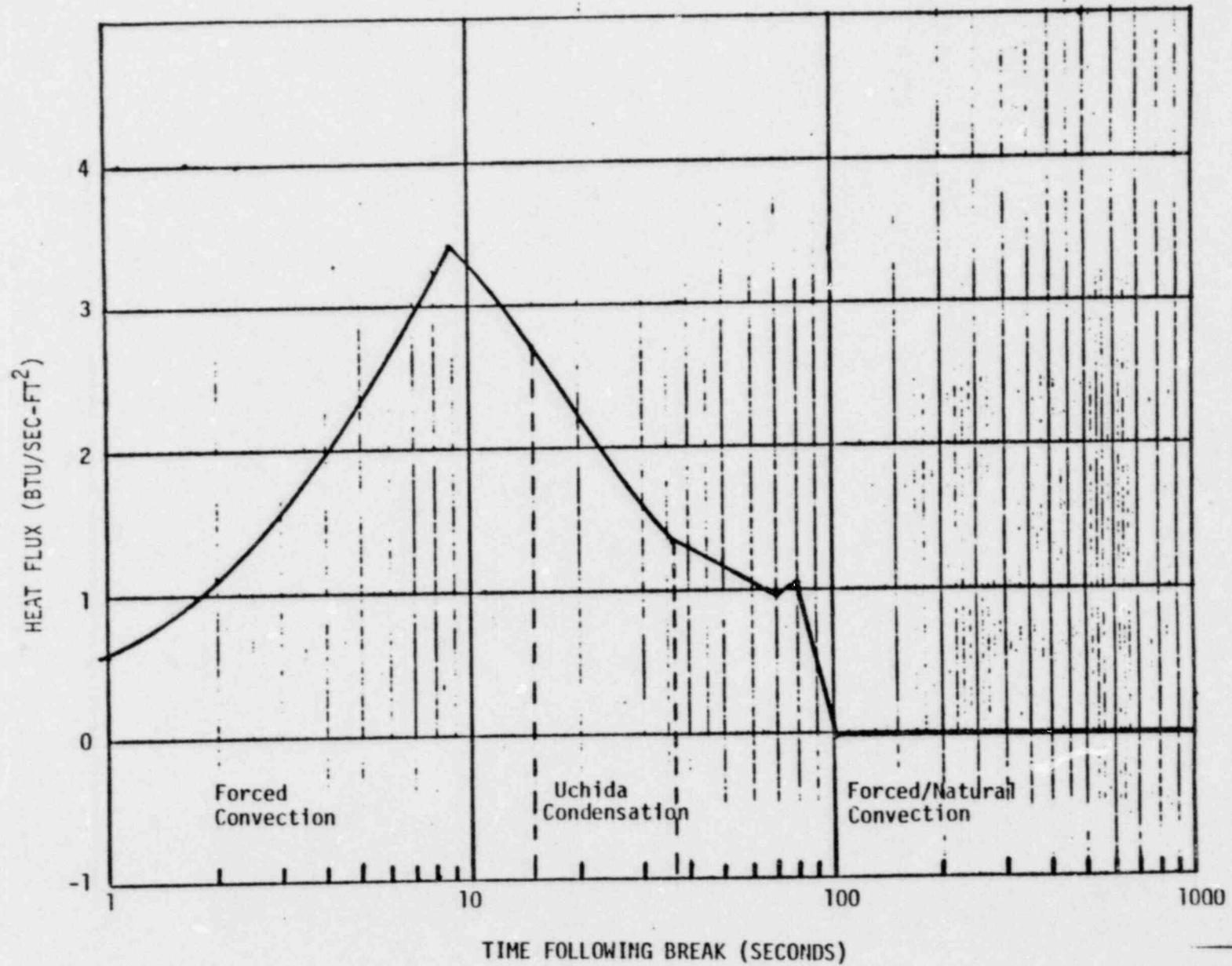
Heat transfer coefficient vs time
component thermal analysis

(1) per NUREG 0588

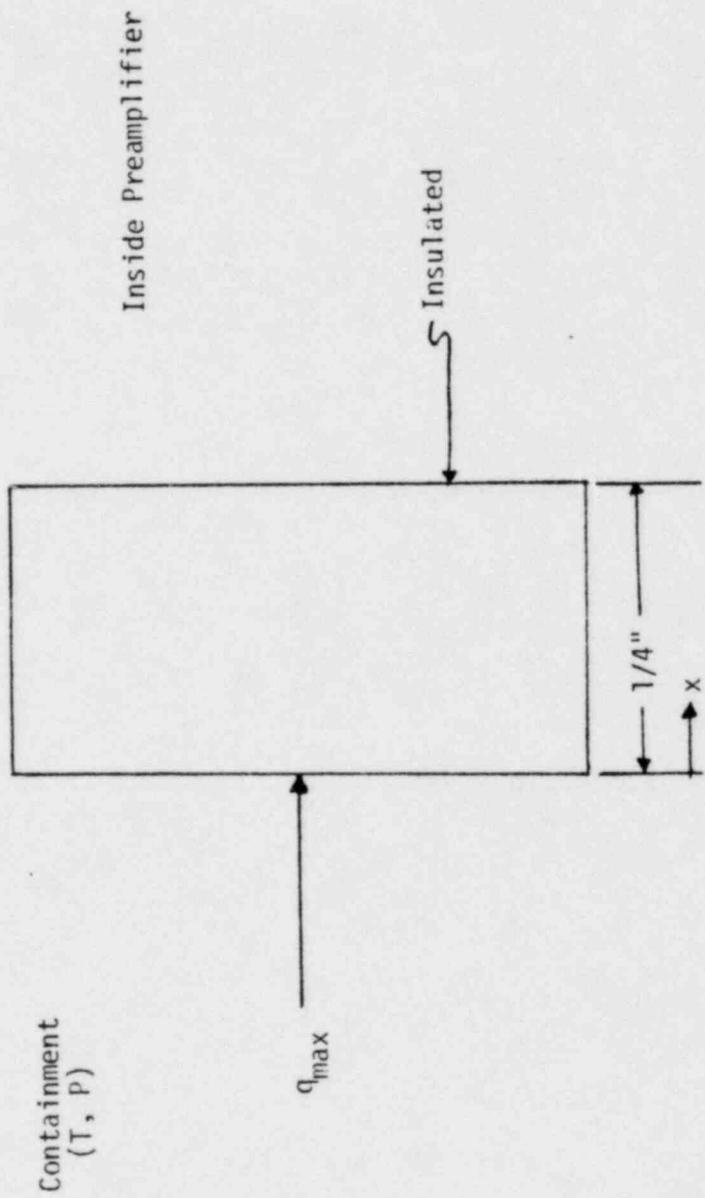
(2) with factor of 4



Component heat flux vs. time
NUREG 0588
(convection, Uchida condensation, Tagami condensation)



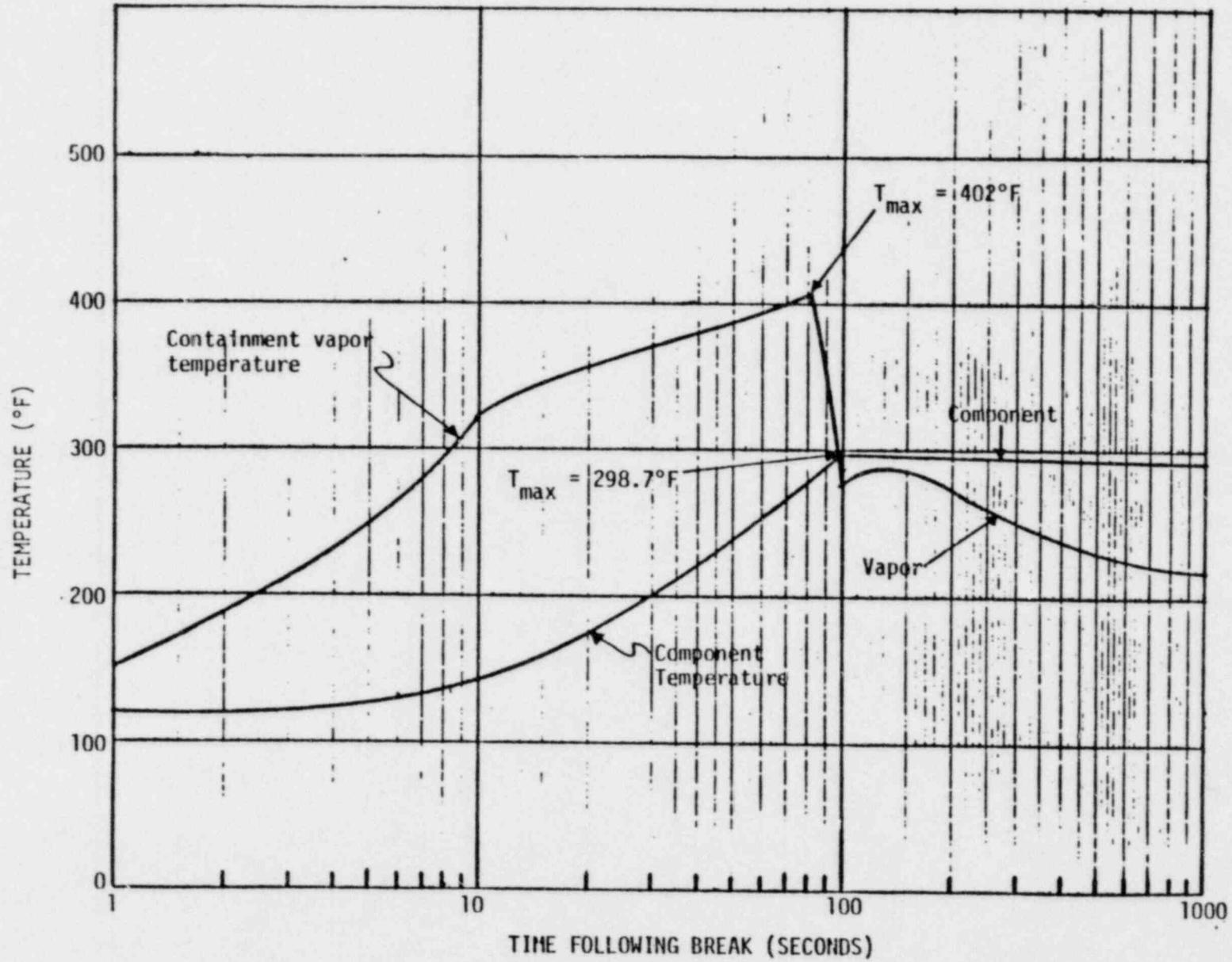
PREAMPLIFIER MODEL INFORMATION

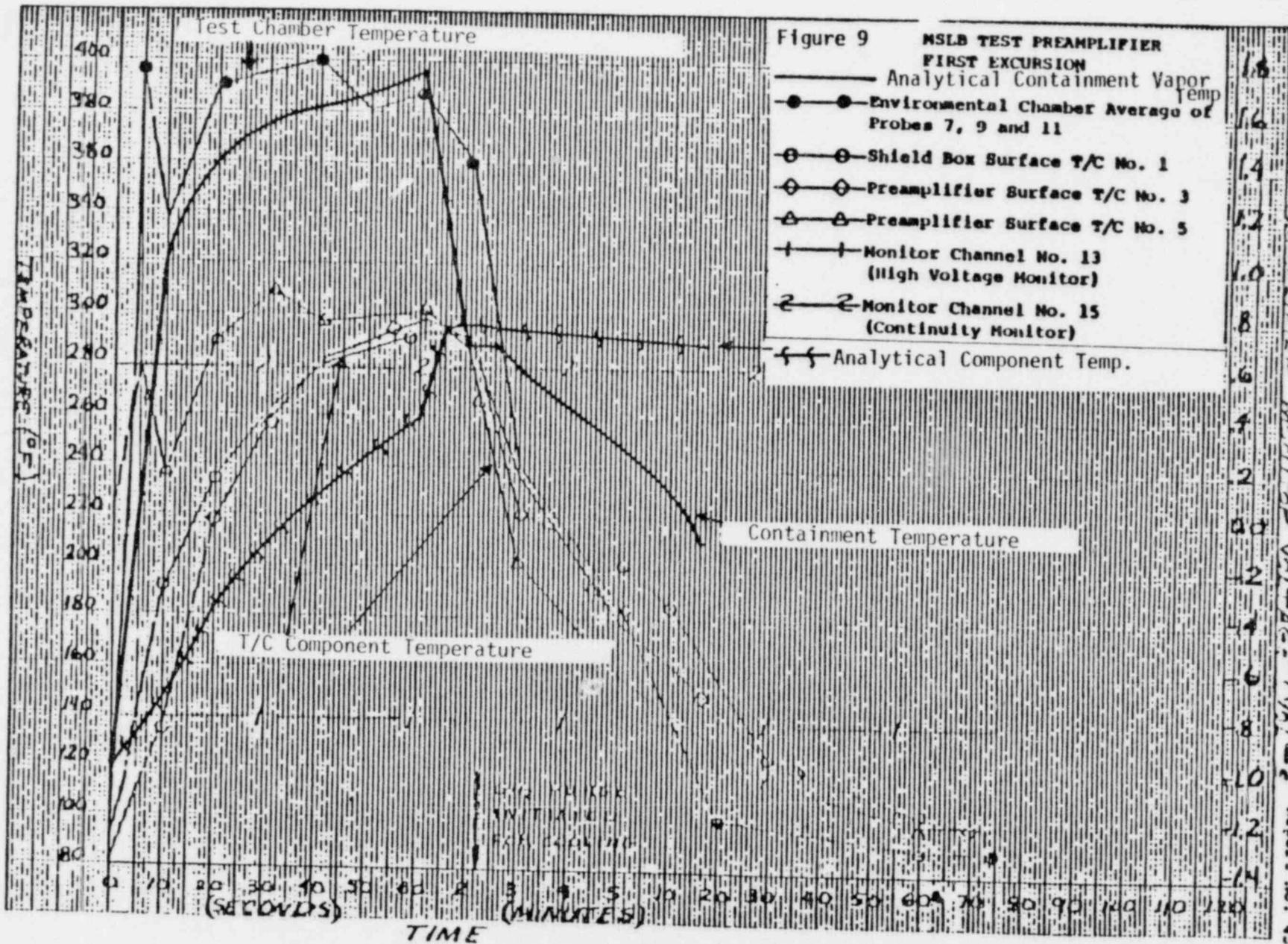


- Aluminum Properties
 $k = 121 \text{ Btu/hr-ft-}^\circ\text{F}$
 $\rho = 169 \text{ lbm/ft}^3$
 $c_p = 0.208 \text{ Btu/lbm-}^\circ\text{F}$

$T(x, t)$ is via the Heat Conduction Equation

Containment vapor temperature,
component surface temperature
vs time





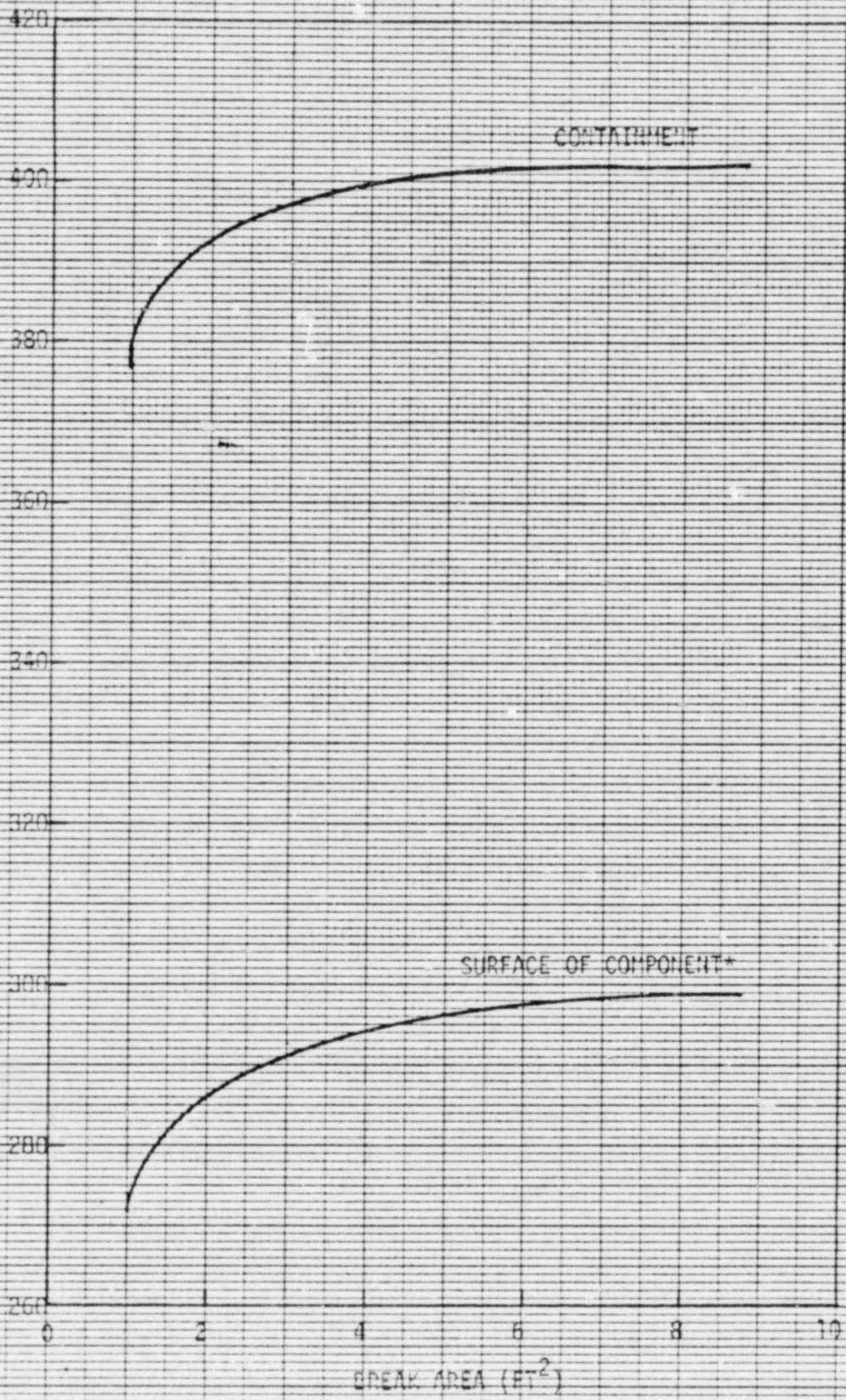
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SUMMARY OF THERMAL EQUIVALENCE

- 1) CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE VS. TIME IS CONSERVATIVE:
PEAK OF $\approx 400^{\circ}\text{F}$.
- 2) COMPONENT RESPONSE IN CONTAINMENT IS CONSERVATIVE:
PEAK OF $\approx 298^{\circ}\text{F}$.
- 3) MEASURED TEST RESULTS: PEAK OF $\approx 300^{\circ}\text{F}$ VIA
THERMOCOUPLE MEASUREMENTS
- 4) CONCLUSION: THERMAL EQUIVALENCE HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED
IN THAT THE COMPONENT HAS PHYSICALLY
BEEN HEATED AND TESTED TO THE CONSERVATIVELY
CALCULATED CONTAINMENT RELATED TEMPERATURE

ADDITIONAL NOTES

- 1) THE WORST CASE HAS BEEN ANALYZED REGARDING THE COMPONENTS THERMAL RESPONSE (LARGEST BREAK AREA)
- 2) FOR THIS CASE A REACTOR TRIP OCCURRED AT ~3 SECONDS AT 6 PSIG
- 3) NOTE AT THE TIME OF 6 PSIG:
 - . CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE IS APPROXIMATELY 220°F
 - . THERMAL LAG OF COMPONENT AT APPROXIMATELY 120°F
- 4) PREAMPLIFIER IS ENVIRONMENTALLY QUALIFIED AT APPROXIMATELY 300°F; 400°F IS ADDITIONAL CONSERVATISM



*1/4 in. thick aluminum

PEAK TEMPERATURE VS BREAK AREA

APPENDIX B

ANALYSIS OF UNCERTAINTIES
IN HARSH ENVIRONMENT
TEST RESULTS WITH RESPECT TO
TIME MARGINS

OBJECTIVE

SHOW THAT A HARSH ENVIRONMENT TEST PERIOD IS SUFFICIENT TO DEMONSTRATE THE CAPABILITY OF A COMPONENT TO REMAIN OPERATIONAL CONSIDERING SAMPLE SELECTION, PRODUCTION, AND PHYSICAL PROPERTY UNCERTAINTIES.

TEST CASE

A SAMPLE ANALYSIS TO JUSTIFY THE ADEQUACY OF THIS TEST PERIOD (AS SPECIFIED IN CENPD 255, REV. 3) WAS PERFORMED UTILIZING THE FOLLOWING UNCERTAINTY METHODOLOGY FOR AN ELECTRIC FILTER COMPONENT.

UNCERTAINTY METHODOLOGY

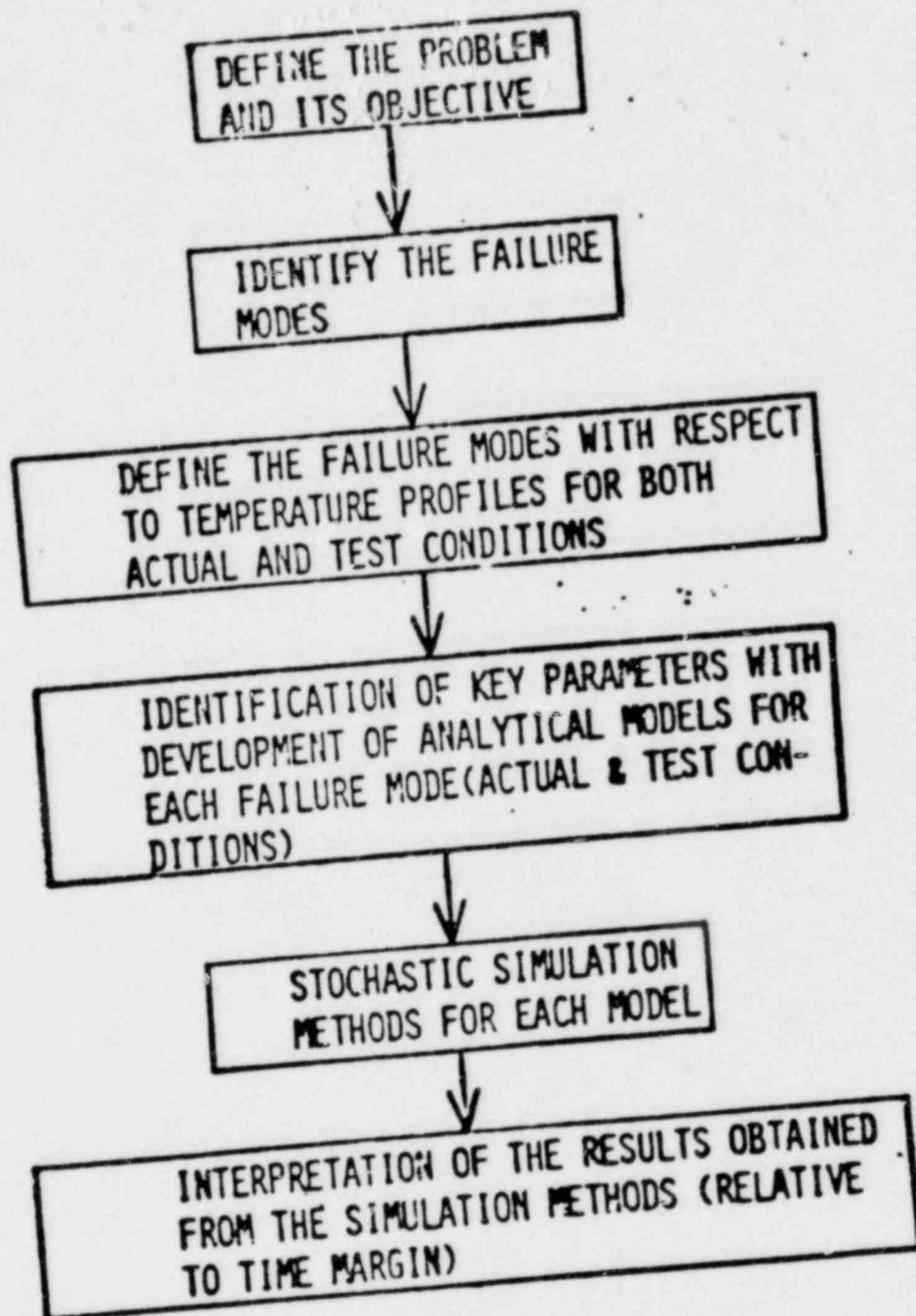
C-E HAS PERFORMED A STOCHASTIC SIMULATION OF THE TEST COMPONENT FAILURE MODELS IN ANTICIPATED OPERATION AND TESTING MODES. MARGIN TO FAILURE WAS QUANTITATIVELY EVALUATED IN EACH CASE.

RESULTS

TEST PERIODS ON THE ORDER OF 10 MINUTES ARE MORE THAN ADEQUATE TO DEMONSTRATE THE SELECTED COMPONENT WILL FUNCTION AS REQUIRED.

FAILURE MODE MODEL DEVELOPMENT CRITERIA

1. CONSERVATIVE
2. CALCULABLE



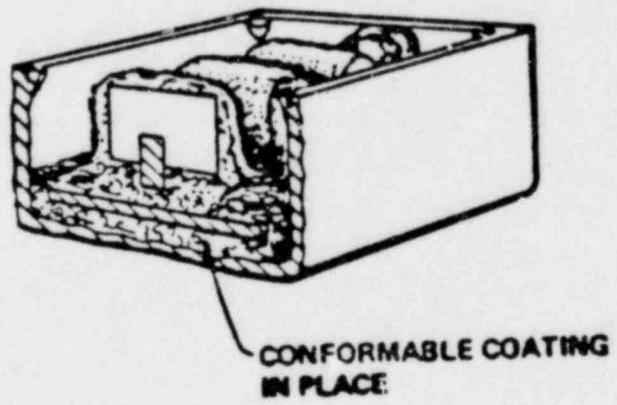
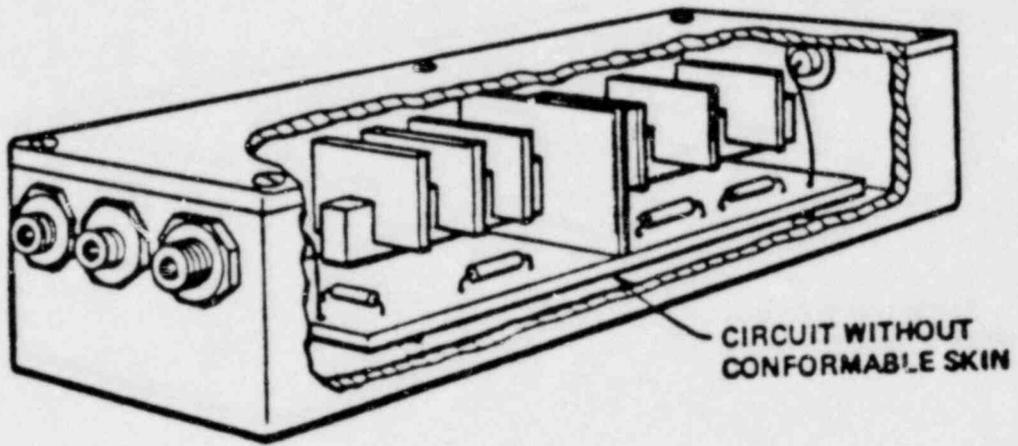


FIGURE 11
INTERIOR VIEWS OF THE CIRCUIT BOARD HOUSING

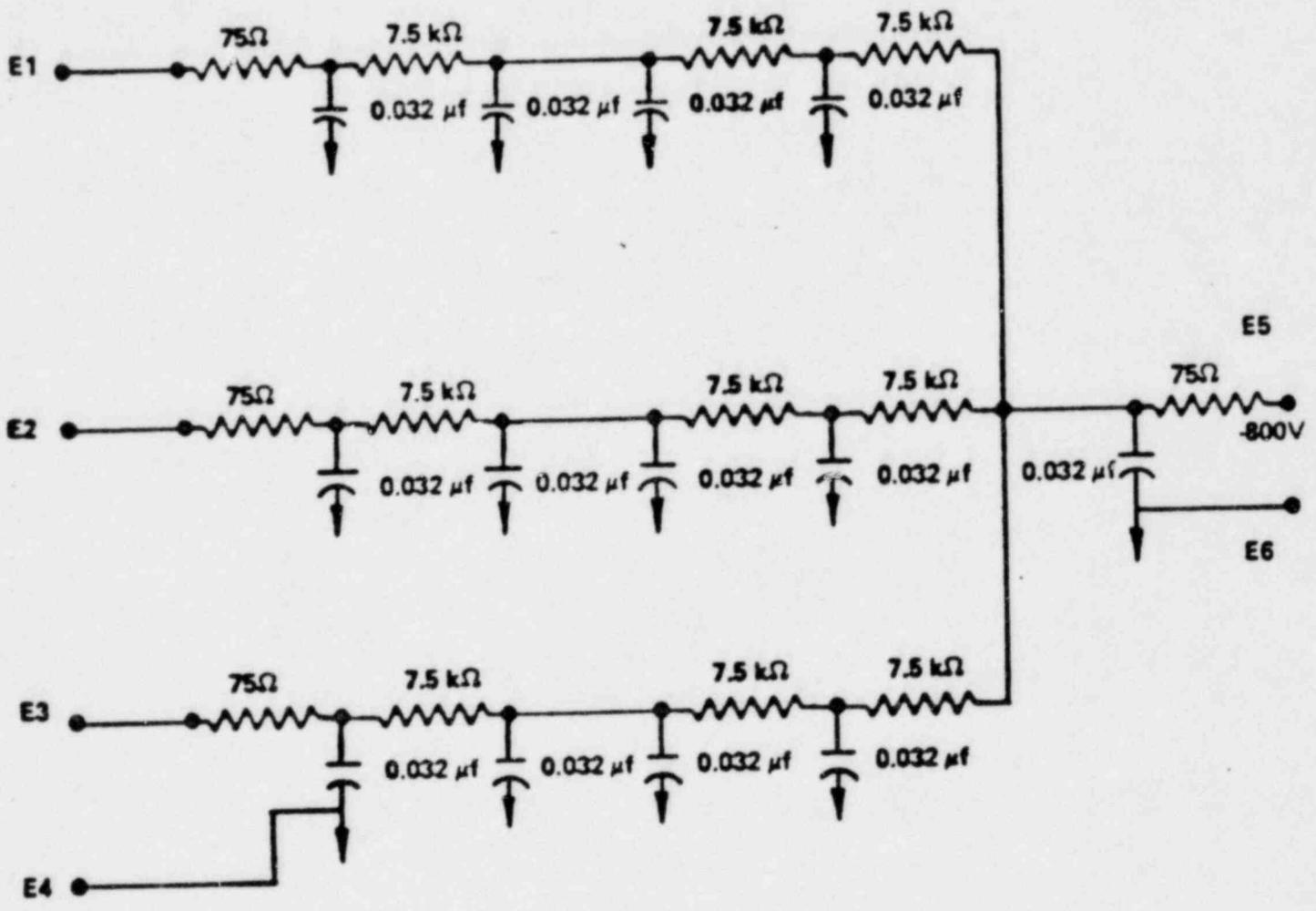


FIGURE 10
CIRCUIT SCHEMATIC FOR THE LOW PASS FILTER

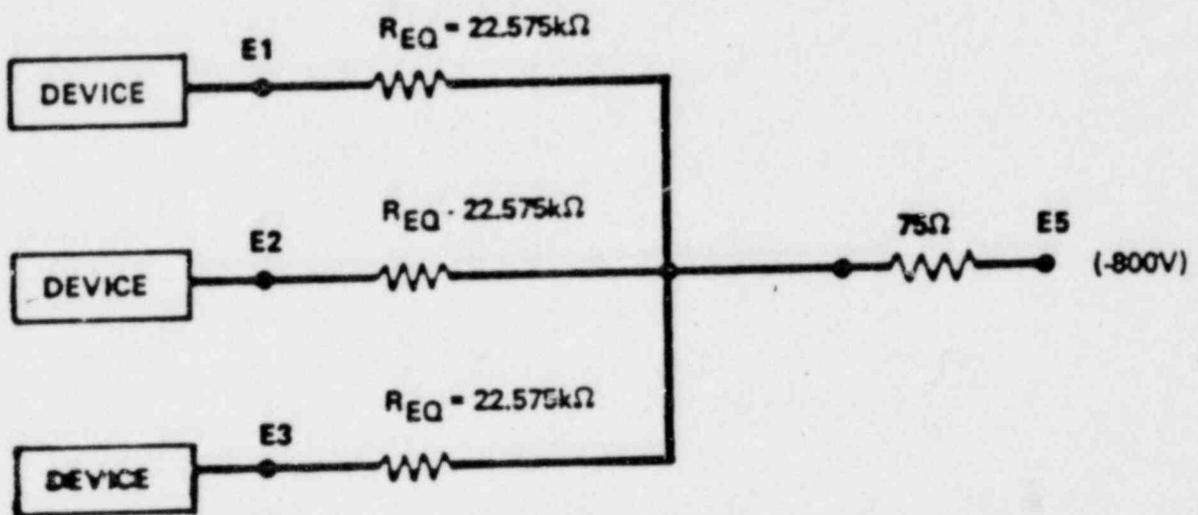


FIGURE 12

SIMPLIFIED HIGH VOLTAGE FILTER SCHEMATIC

TEMPERATURE EFFECTS ON ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES

MODEL INFORMATION

FAILURE CRITERION

CIRCUIT OUTPUT VOLTAGE DROPS BENEATH
500

CONSERVATIVE ASSUMPTIONS

1. CIRCUIT COMPONENTS OPERATE AT THE SURFACE TEMPERATURE EXPERIENCED BY THE COMPONENT ENCLOSURE BOX. NO CONDUCTION OR CONVECTION LOSSES ARE INCORPORATED IN THE ANALYSIS.
2. UNCERTAINTIES UTILIZED ARE CONSISTENT WITH MAXIMUM VALUES SUPPLIED BY THE MANUFACTURER OVER THE ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS CONSIDERED IN THE ANALYSIS.
3. THE THERMAL RESISTANCE OF THE ENCLOSURE OUTSIDE THE CIRCUIT BOX IS NOT INCORPORATED.
4. THE THERMAL CAPACITANCE OF THE STRUCTURE TO WHICH THE COMPONENT ENCLOSURE BOX IS ATTACHED IS NOT INCORPORATED.
5. THE THERMAL CAPACITANCE OF THE CONFORMABLE COATING AND THE RESISTANCE TO HEAT FLOW ARE CONSIDERED NEGLIGIBLE.

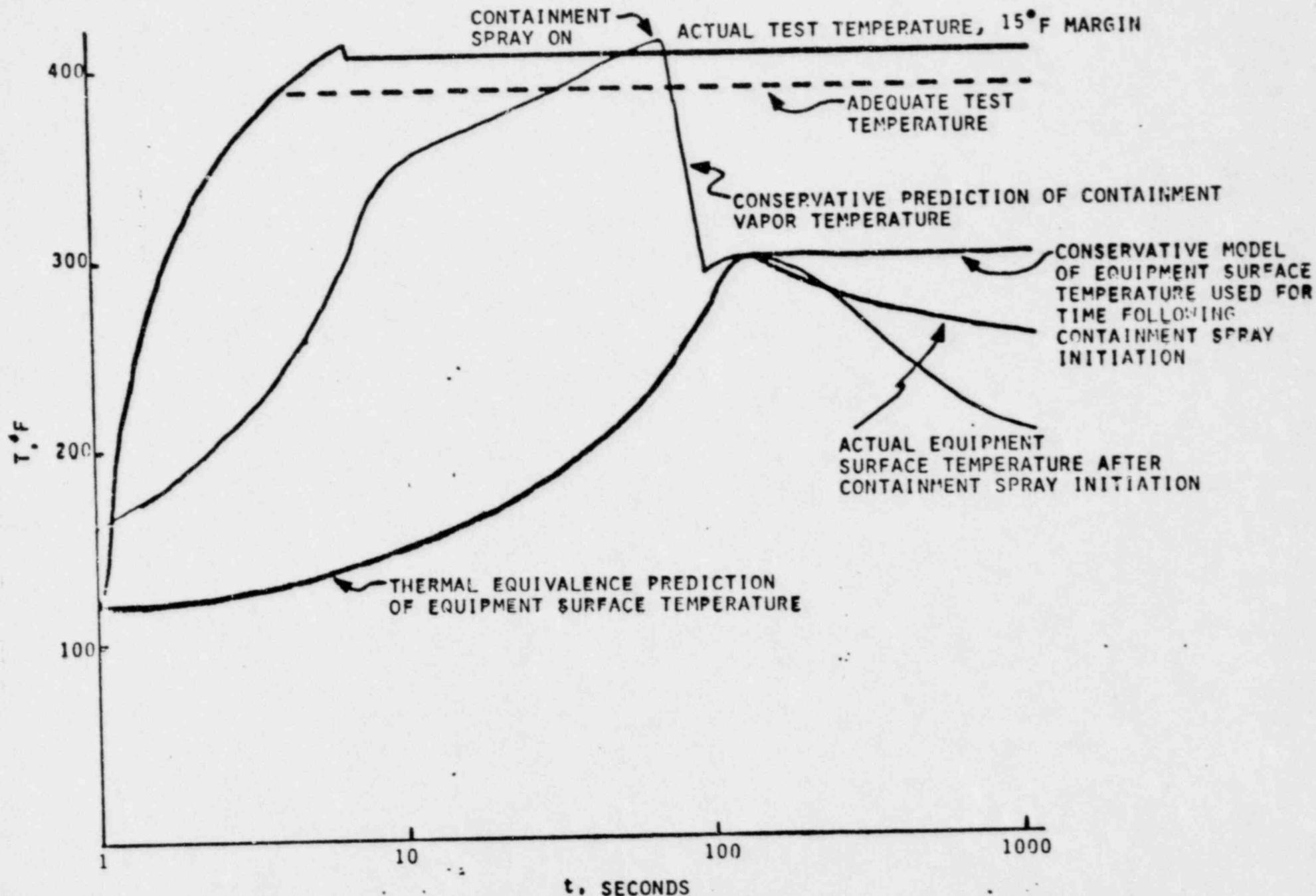


FIGURE 2

TYPICAL TEMPERATURE PROFILES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALIFICATION TESTS

MOISTURE EFFECTS ON CIRCUIT OPERATION

MODEL INFORMATION

FAILURE CRITERION

CIRCUIT BOARD TEMPERATURE DROPS BENEATH
DEW POINT TEMPERATURE IN CAVITY.

CONSERVATIVE ASSUMPTIONS

1. FAILED OUTER SEAL ASSUMED ON
COMPONENT ENCLOSURE BOX.
2. ALL MOISTURE DIFFUSION THROUGH
CONFORMABLE COATING BARRIER GOES INTO
CIRCUIT BOARD CAVITY.
3. NO BENEFIT FOR THE OUTER ENCLOSURE
AROUND THE COMPONENT ENCLOSURE BOX
WAS INCORPORATED.

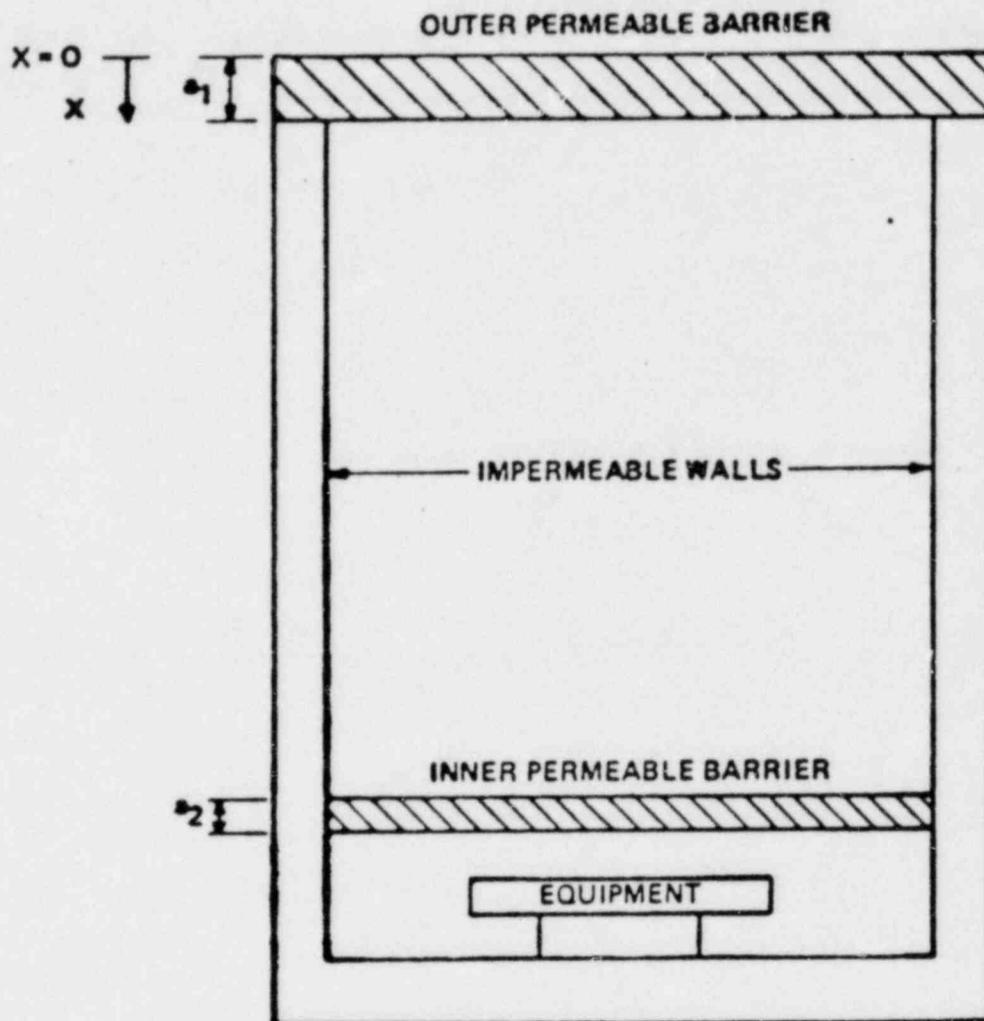


FIGURE 3

SIMPLIFIED MODEL OF EQUIPMENT PROTECTION
AGAINST MOISTURE DIFFUSION

TEMPERATURE EFFECTS ON INDUCED
MECHANICAL STRAIN, MODEL INFORMATION

FAILURE CRITERION

A STRAIN LEVEL OF 1%

CONSERVATIVE ASSUMPTIONS

1. ANY STRAIN OVER THE FAILURE STRAIN CAUSES CIRCUIT FAILURE, IN REALITY EVEN IF CIRCUIT BOARD TEARS AT STANDOFFS - NO CIRCUIT FAILURE IS ANTICIPATED.
2. STANDOFFS ARE ASSUMED NOT TO BEND OR DEFORM.
3. TOLERANCE ON CIRCUIT BOARD PENETRATIONS FOR STANDOFFS ARE ASSUMED NOT TO EXIST.
4. CREDIT IS NOT TAKEN FOR THE THERMAL CAPACITANCE OF THE STRUCTURE TO WHICH THE COMPONENT ENCLOSURE IS FIXED.

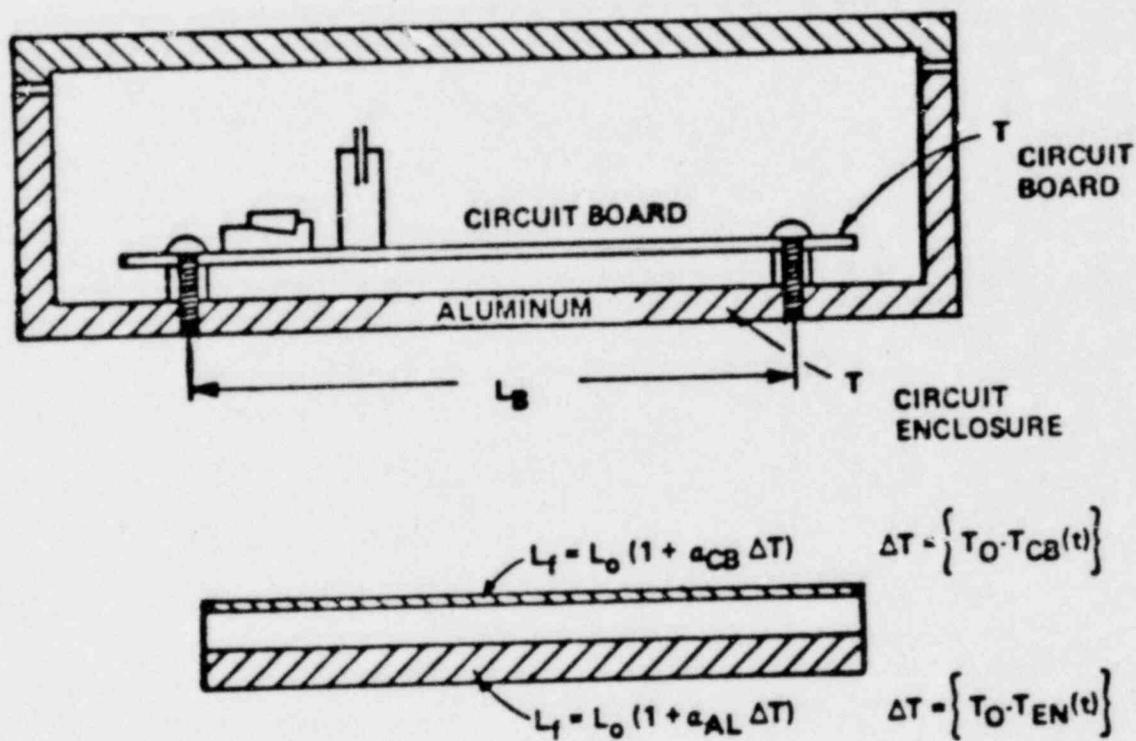
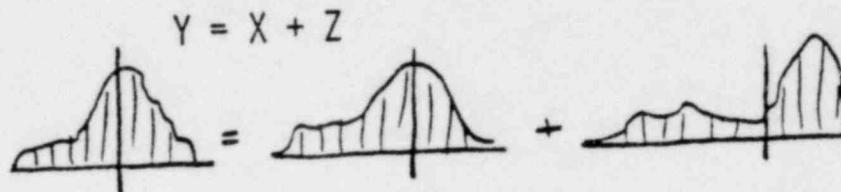


FIGURE 5
SIMPLIFIED THERMAL STRAIN SCHEMATIC

STOCHASTIC SIMULATION TECHNIQUES EMPLOYED



BENEFITS

1. REALISTIC RESULTS
2. NO SENSITIVITY ASSUMPTIONS ARE REQUIRED
3. NO LIMITATIONS ON FUNCTION FORM

APPLICATIONS TO LICENSED UNCERTAINTY ANALYSES

1. CALVERT CLIFFS RELOAD FUEL SAFETY ANALYSIS
2. ST. LUCIE RELOAD FUEL SAFETY ANALYSIS
3. ARKANSAS RELOAD FUEL SAFETY ANALYSIS
4. ROD BOW TOPICAL REPORT

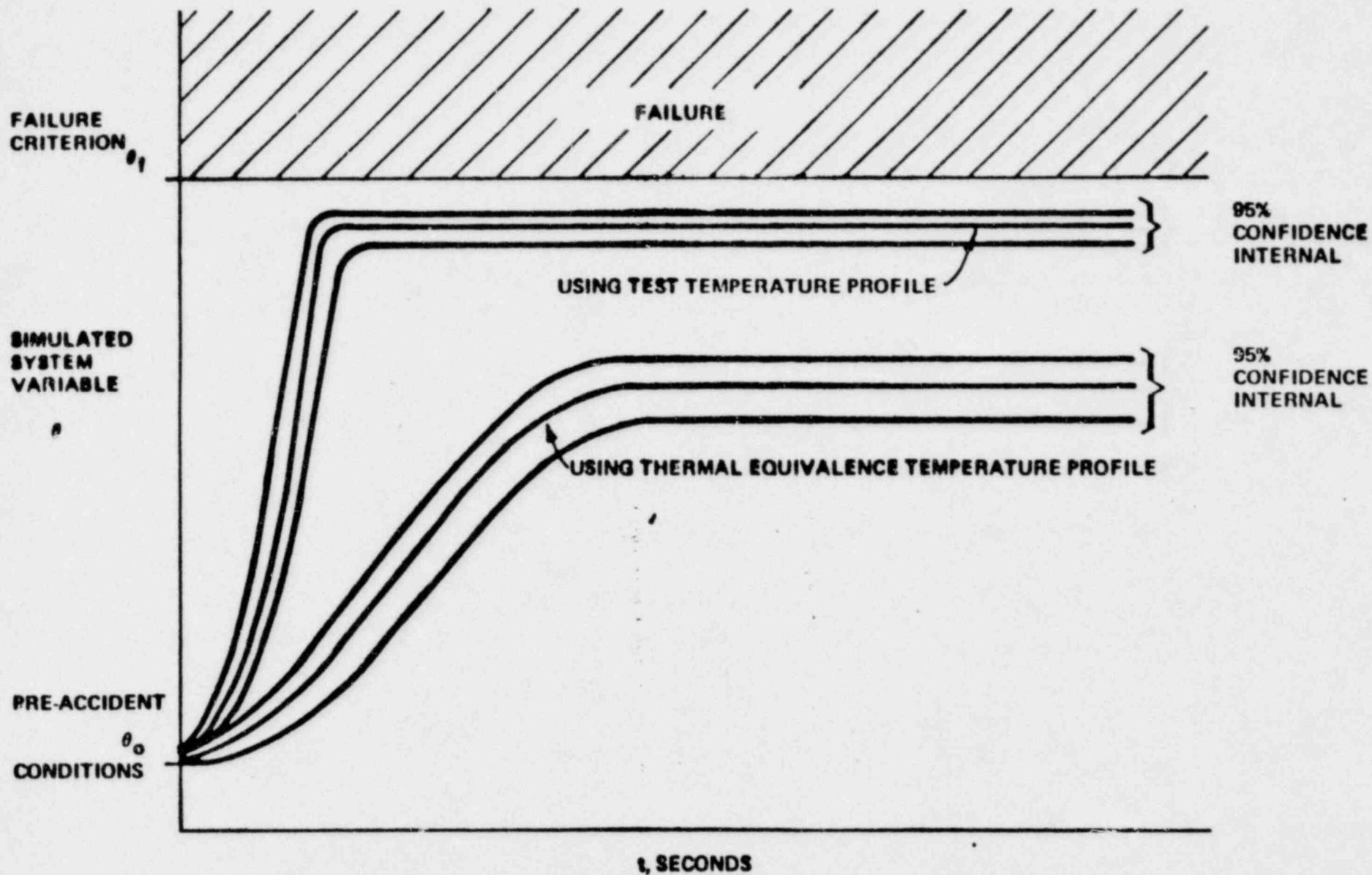


FIGURE 9

PROFILES OF A TYPICAL EQUIPMENT CHARACTERISTIC FOR THERMAL EQUIVALENCE AND TEST TEMPERATURE PROFILES

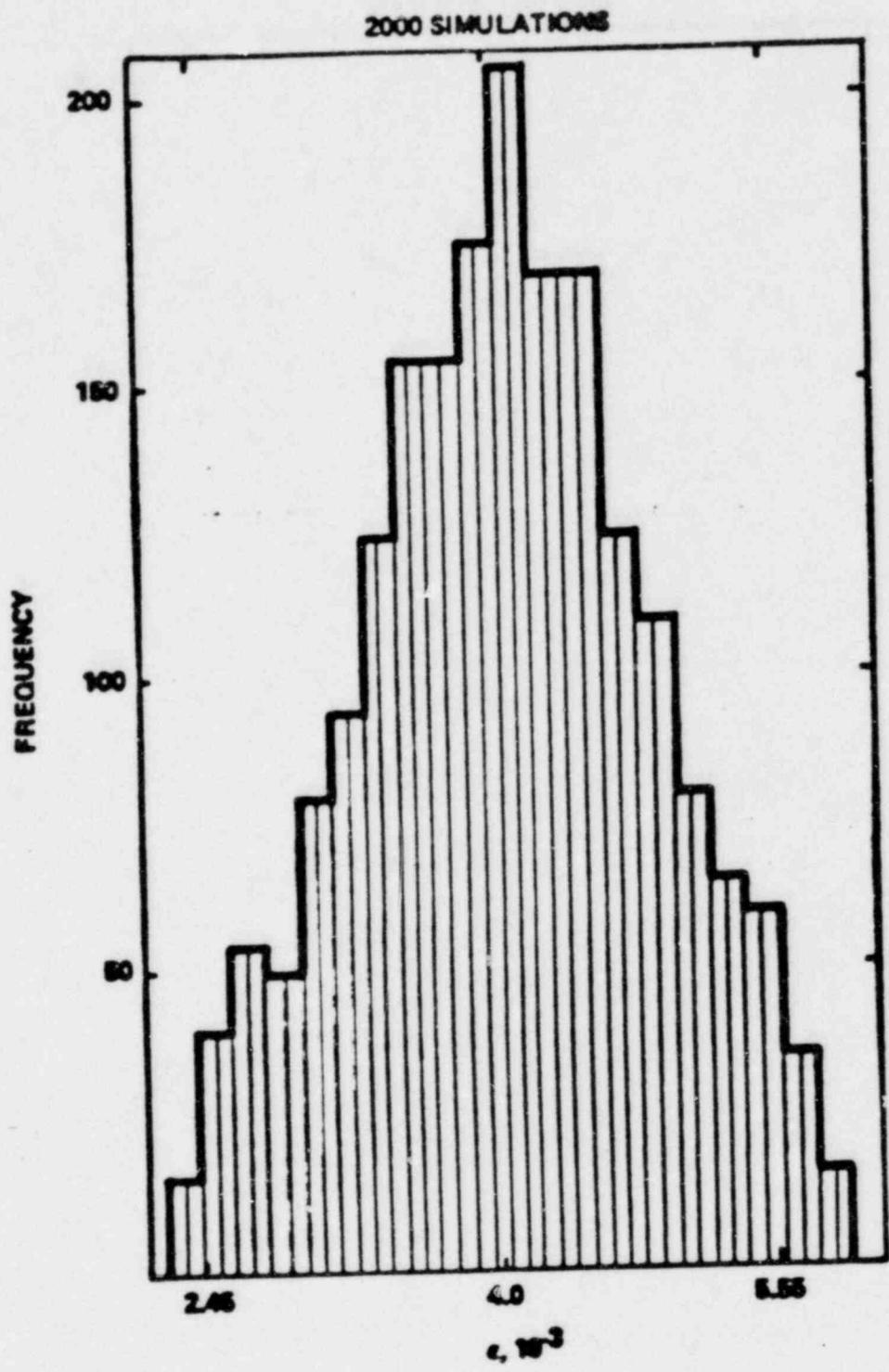


FIGURE 20

TYPICAL HISTOGRAM OUTPUT FROM SIGMA

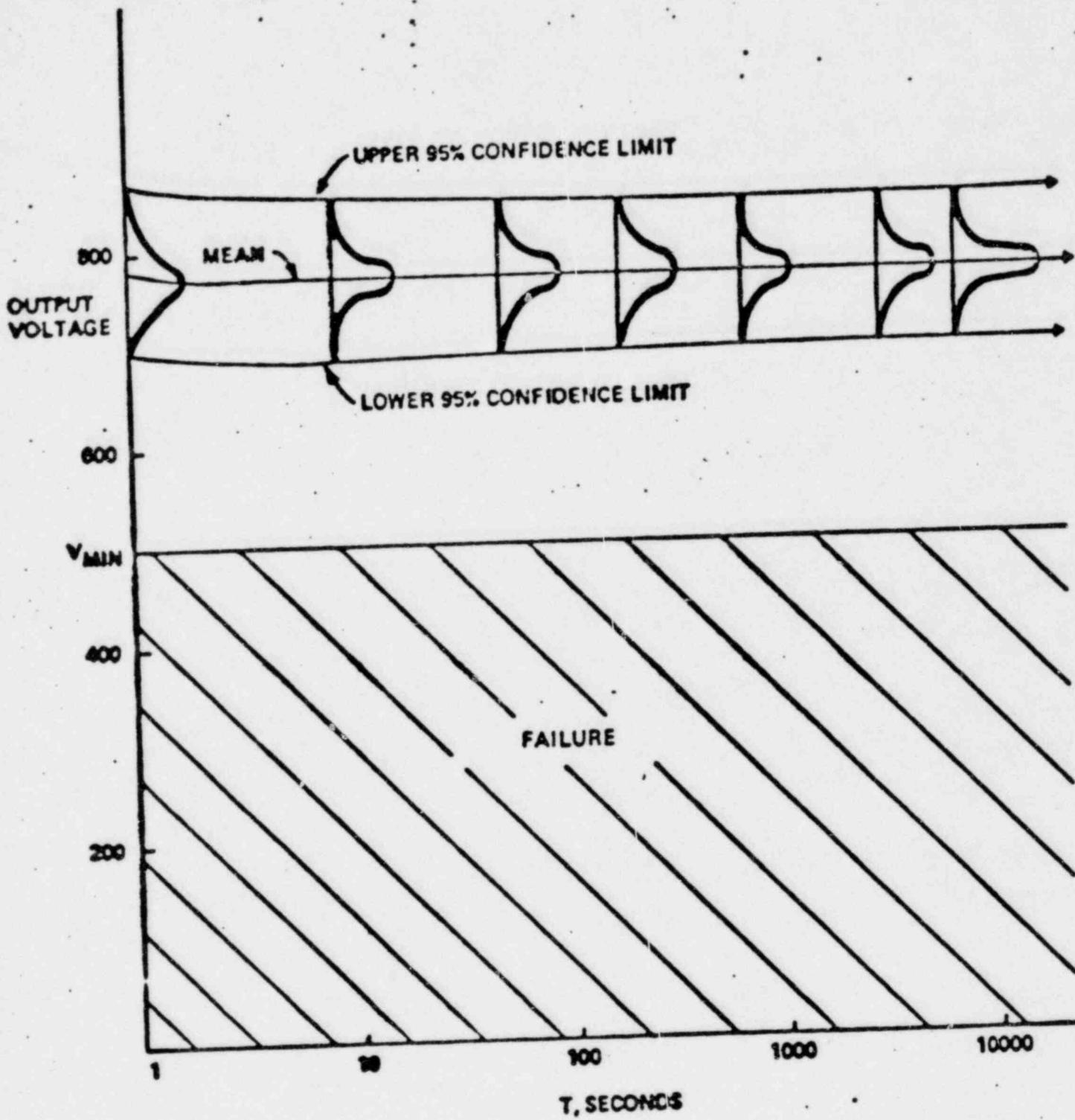


FIGURE 14
SIMULATED OUTPUT VOLTAGE AS A FUNCTION OF TIME

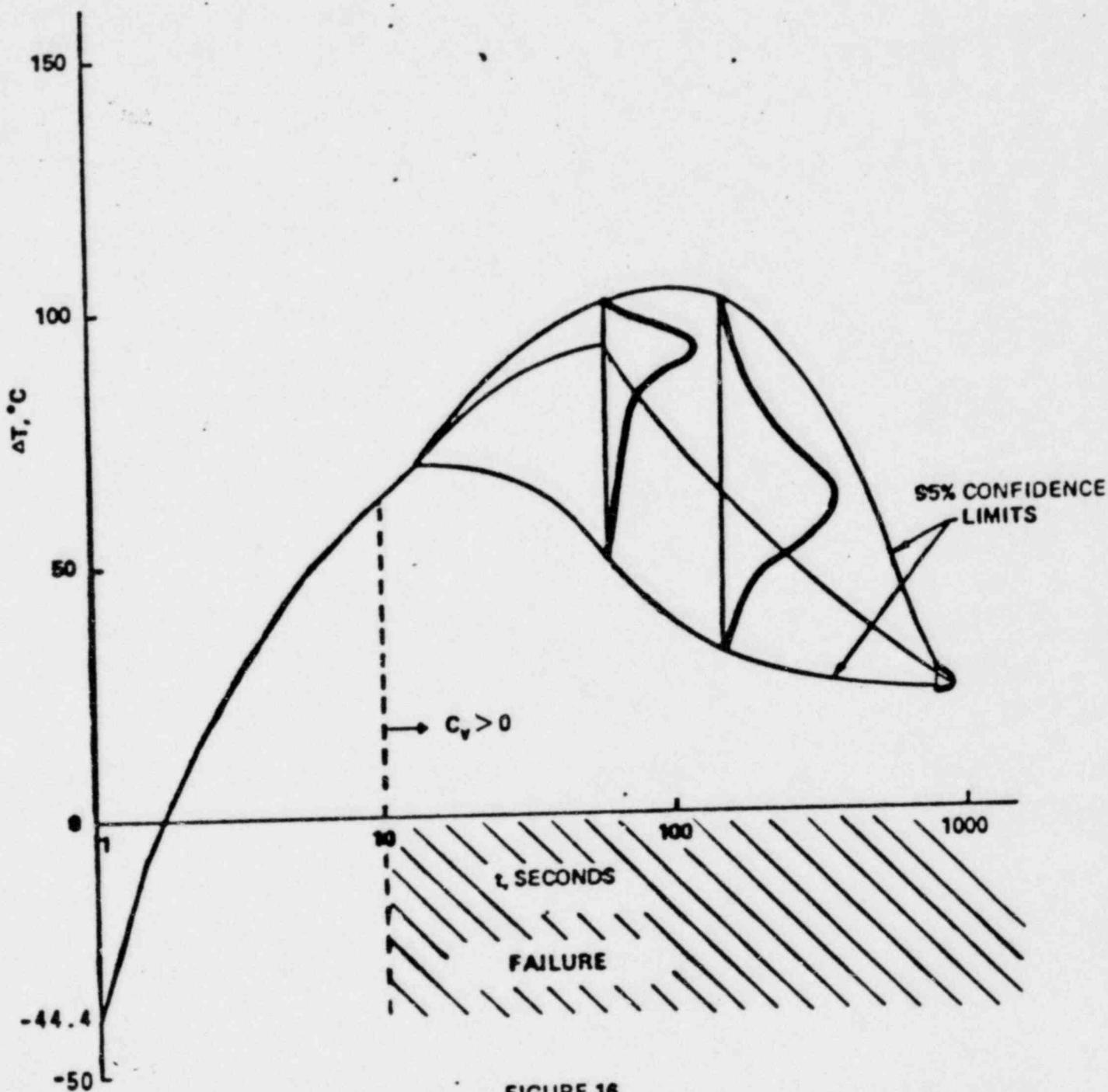


FIGURE 16
 SIMULATED DISTRIBUTION OF MOISTURE EFFECTS (ΔT) AS A FUNCTION OF TIME
 (ONE MOISTURE BARRIER - THERMAL EQUIVALENCE TEMPERATURE MODEL)

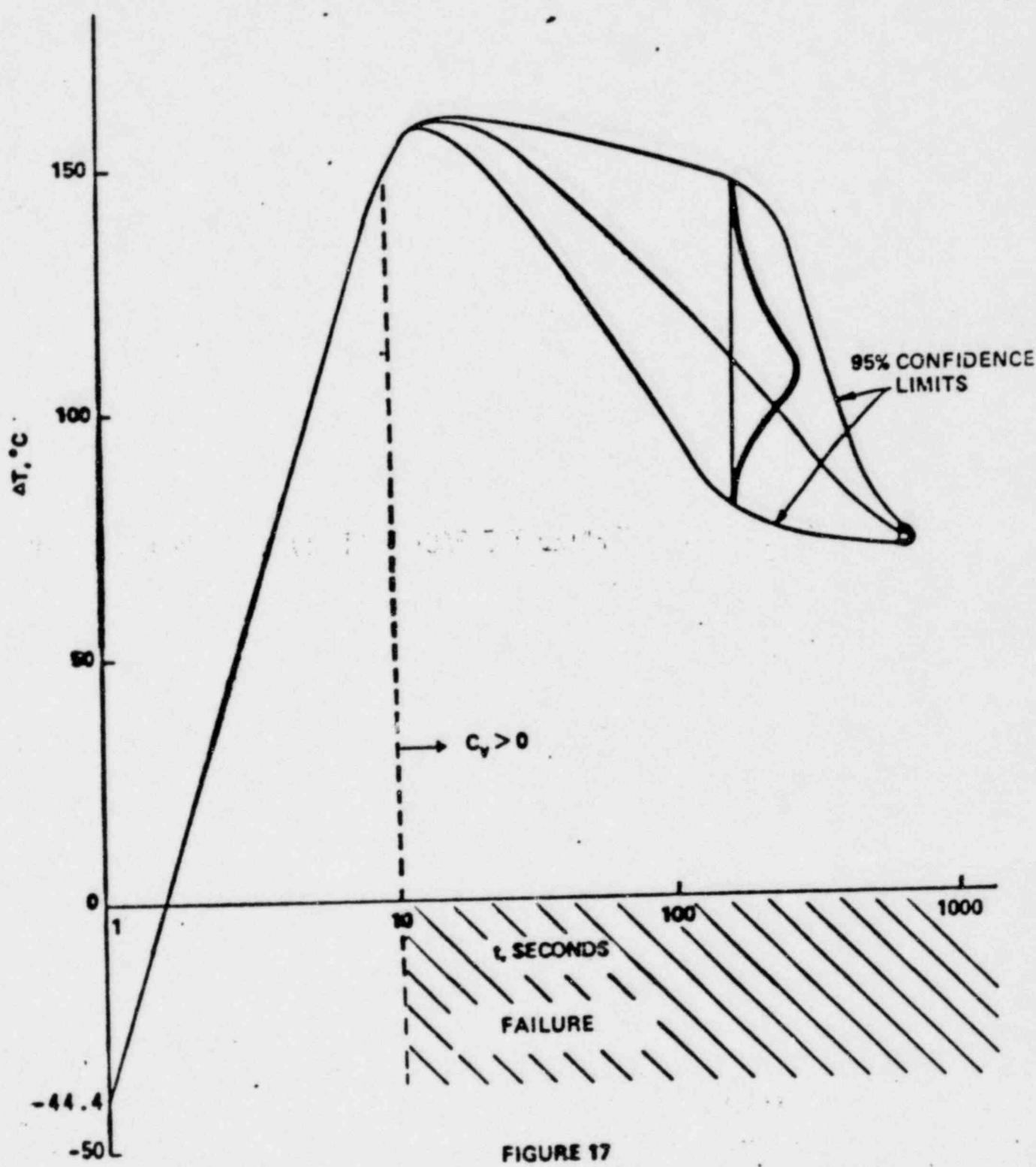


FIGURE 17
 SIMULATED DISTRIBUTION OF MOISTURE EFFECTS (ΔT) AS A FUNCTION OF TIME
 (ONE MOISTURE BARRIER - TEST TEMPERATURE MODEL)

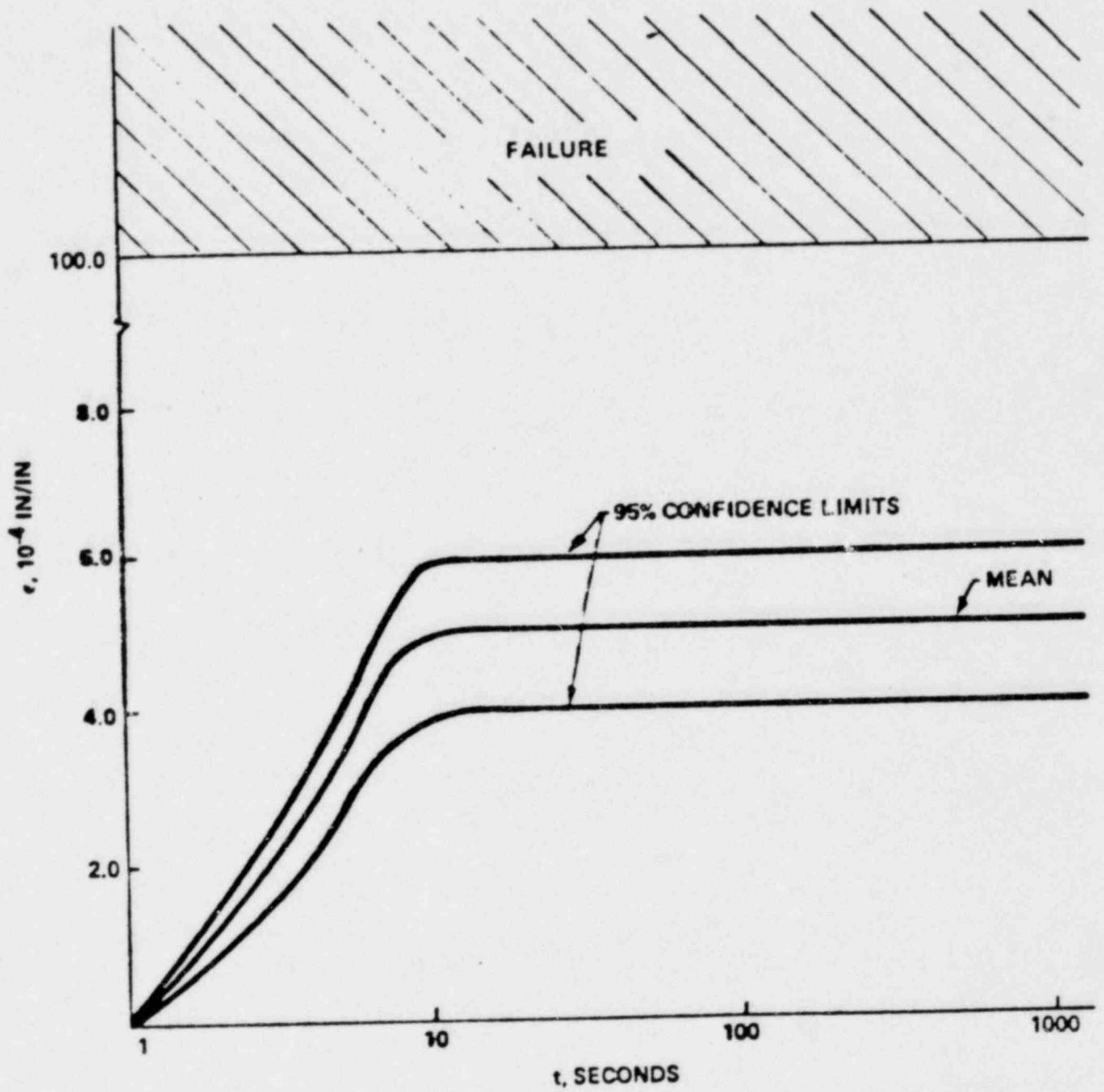


FIGURE 22

SIMULATED CIRCUIT BOARD STRAIN AS A FUNCTION OF TIME
 (2000 SIMULATIONS - TEST TEMPERATURE PROFILE)

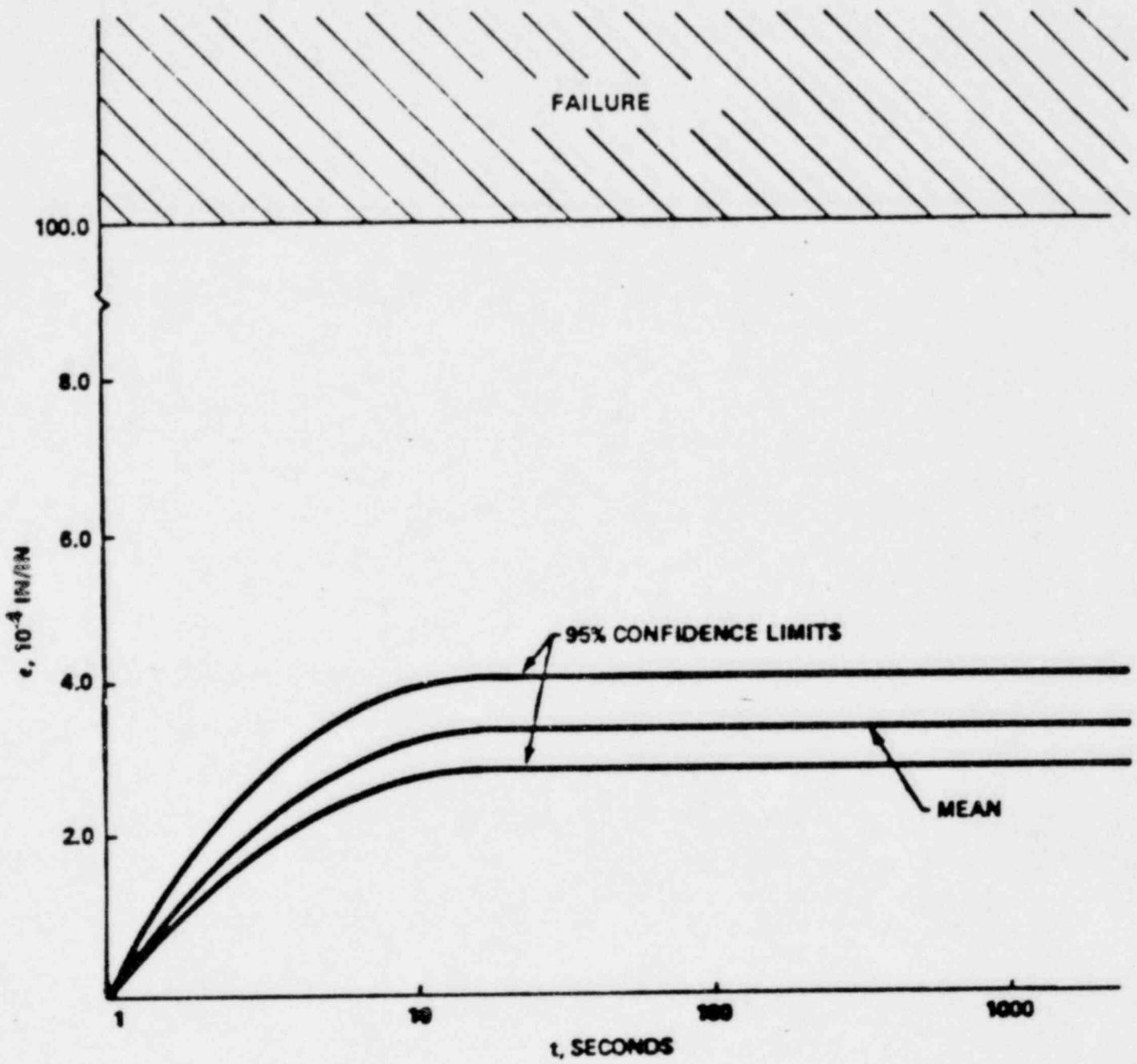


FIGURE 21

SIMULATED CIRCUIT BOARD STRAIN AS A FUNCTION OF TIME
 (2000 SIMULATIONS - THERMAL EQUIVALENCE TEMPERATURE PROFILE)

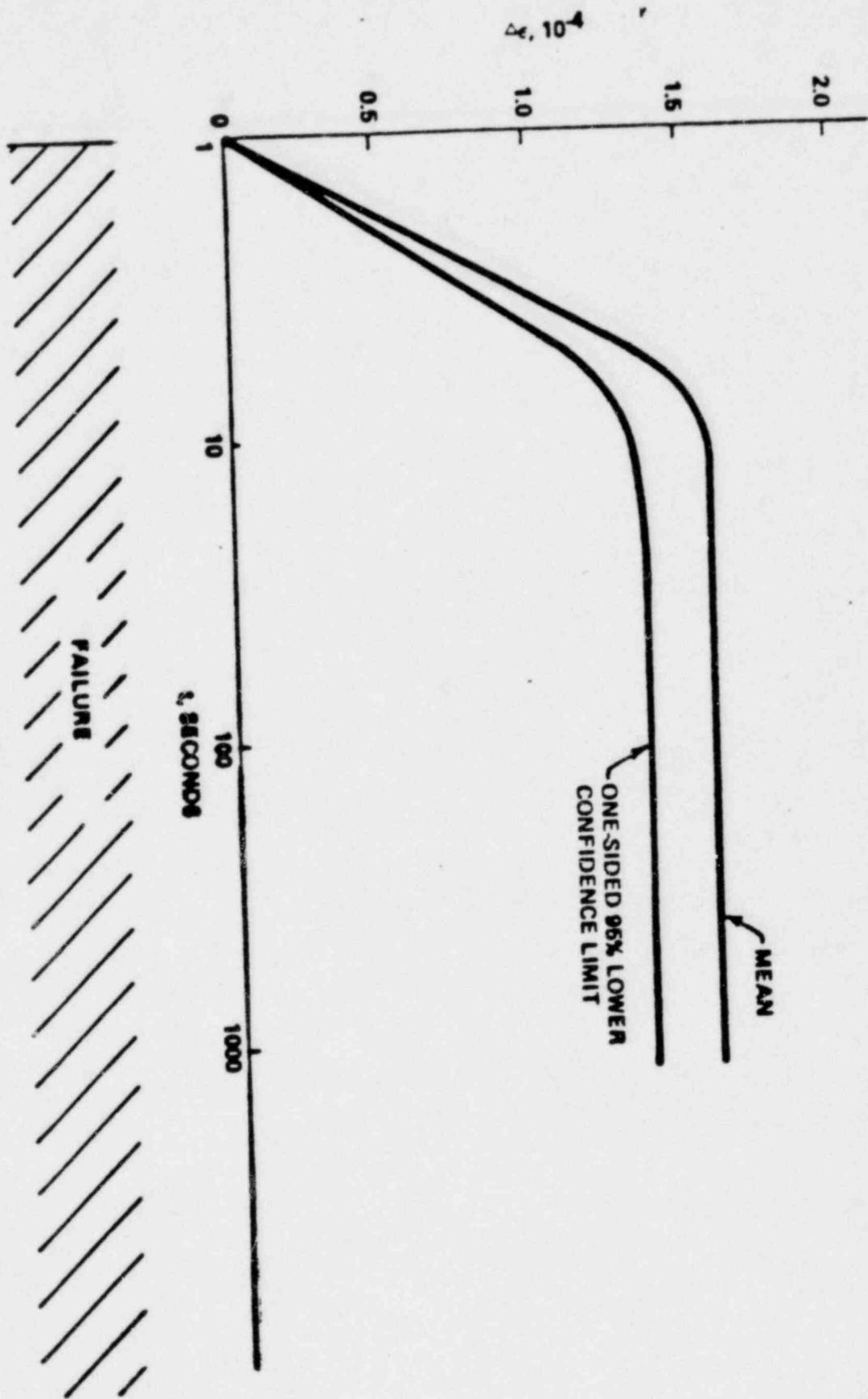


FIGURE 23

MEAN AND ONE-SIDED 96% CONFIDENCE LIMITS
FOR Δt AS A FUNCTION OF TIME

CONCLUSIONS

1. THE ANALYSIS FORMS THE BASIS FOR JUSTIFYING THE ENVIRONMENTAL TEST CONDITIONS AND THE TEST PERIOD UTILIZED.
2. EACH ANALYTICAL TEST RESULT WAS SUBSTANTIATED BY ACTUAL COMPONENT TEST DATA IN HARSH ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS.
3. THE ANALYSIS ILLUSTRATED THE FACT THAT REALITY WAS ENVELOPED BY THE TEST CONDITIONS UTILIZED.
4. TEST CONDITIONS WERE MORE SEVERE THAN EVEN A CONSERVATIVE CALCULATION OF REALITY WOULD INDICATE.