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MEMORANDUM FOR: Cecil O. Thomas, Chief
Standardization & Special Project Branch
Division of Licensing, NRR

FROM: James G. Partlow, Acting Director
Division of Quality Assurance,
Safeguards, and Inspection Programs, IE

SUBJECT: QA BRANCH ACCEPTANCE REVIEW, RESAR SP/90

D. G. Eisenhut's memorandum of November 7, 1983 notes the distribution of Westinghouse's application for PDA of RESAR SP/90 and requests that each review branch conduct an acceptance review with comments provided by COB, November 22, 1983. This memorandum is in response to that request.

The QA Branch has reviewed the application and believes that it is significantly deficient in the area of QA. It appears that QA is not scheduled for submittal, as we understand the application, until 2/85. Our position is that the ongoing design work should be controlled in accordance with the pertinent requirements of Appendix B to 10 CFR Part 50. Any testing that may be done to support the design and all other safety-related activities should also have QA applied. Westinghouse should provide such a commitment with or before its next module submittal. An acceptable reference for docketing would be Revision 9 of WCAP 8370.

The QA program for RESAR SP/90 will be reviewed against the acceptance criteria in the latest standard review plan (SRP, NUREG-0800). WCAP 8370 has not been reviewed against the latest version of the SRP. Therefore, Westinghouse should be requested to revise their QA program description for RESAR SP/90 and submit it to the NRC within a reasonable time frame (within 5-6 months). This could be done as a revision to WCAP 8370 or as Section 17 of the PDA application.


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If you, your staff, or Westinghouse have any questions on the above, contact the QA Branch reviewer, Jack Spraul, on x24530.



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Project No. 668

CT 13

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SUBJECT: Advanced Control Room Meeting Slides

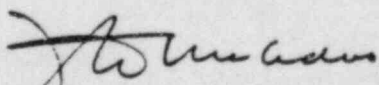
Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

Members of the NRC staff visited Westinghouse on May 17, 1983 to continue their review of the design process for the Advanced Control Room (ACR). This review activity is underway to support the overall NRC review of the Westinghouse Advanced Pressurized Water Reactor (WAPWR). The viewgraphs used for the May 17, 1983 meeting are attached.

Keypoints

1. Part of the documentation for this ACR review will be in the form of Chapter 18 from the Standard Review Plan; however, Chapter 18, as now structured, is not well suited for a first-time control room design. Therefore, Westinghouse proposed an approach for re-structuring Chapter 18 into a format more suitable for review of the ACR. The NRC was in general agreement with the need for a new format, and accepted a short-term action item to develop a detailed outline for Chapter 18 including consideration of the Westinghouse proposed structure.
2. It is necessary to define the scope of this review in order to identify the required NRC resources, i.e., the extent of involvement of the Instrumentation and Control Branch, the Reactor Systems Branch, etc. The staff suggested that the appropriate review focus at this time should be the task analysis.
3. It was proposed that the next review meeting be held in Monroeville in late July or early August to discuss the interpretation and application of the results of the task analysis.

Very truly yours,

for 
E. P. Rahe, Jr., Manager
Nuclear Safety Department

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NS-EPR-2724

February 25, 1983

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Subject: Advanced Control Room Schedule and Meeting Slides
Project Number 668

Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

Attached are the overheads used at our February 1, 1983 meeting on the Advanced Control Room Design for the APWR. As indicated in the future action slide, we would like to establish a plan for NRC review in this area leading to an approval of the overall control room design process, the functional design bases, the functional requirements for the NSSS portion of the plant and the detailed hardware design process. In order to make this review more manageable, we suggest it be conducted in three phases:

Phase I: Review of the process using NUREG-0700 Appendix B as a reference but updated to reflect accumulated experience. This review would include review of the task analysis tools and the functional design bases.

Phase II: Review of functional requirements for the NSSS portion of the plant and the hardware implementation plan.

Phase III: Application of the entire process.

Our preliminary schedule for Phases I & II is attached. Assuming a mutually agreed upon review plan and schedule are established, we suggest the next meeting be held in Pittsburgh in May or June, 1983 to review the task analysis tools and their application.

Very truly yours,

E. P. Rahe, Manager
Nuclear Safety Department

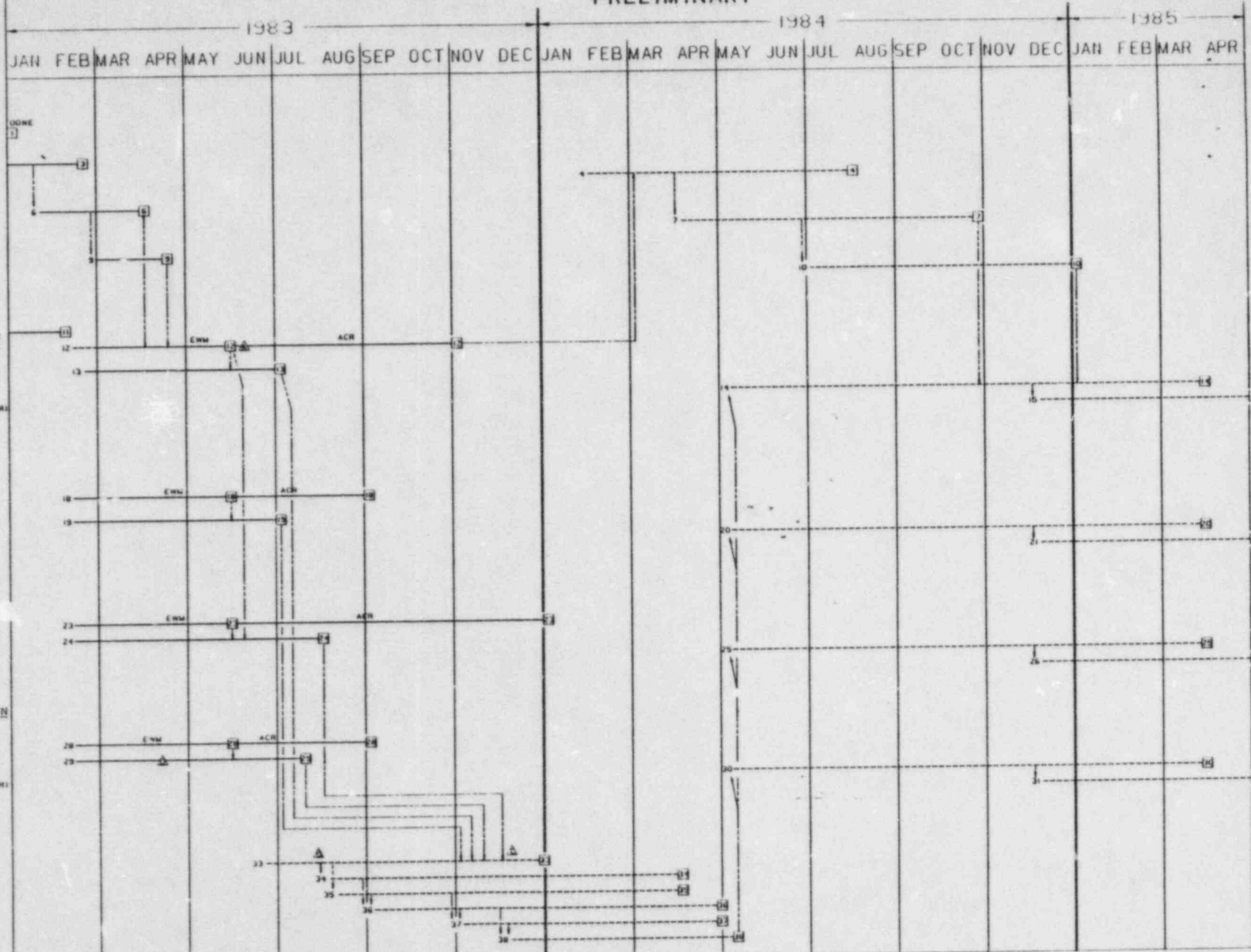
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PRELIMINARY



TASK ANALYSIS

- 1 USER IDENTIFICATION
- 2 ANALYTICAL MODELS
- 3 - IS-1000/SOTR 412 STD
- 4 - IS-1000/SOTR APWR
- 5 COGNITIVE TASK ANALYSIS
- 6 - BORDR CONTROL (IS-1000/SOTR) 412 STD
- 7 - IS-1000/SOTR APWR
- 8 COMPUTATIONS FOR DERIVED DATA
- 9 - BORDR CONTROL (IS-1000/SOTR) 412 STD
- 10 - IS-1000/SOTR APWR

LOCAL INFORMATION STATION DESIGN

- 11 ACQUISITION OF PHASE I DEVELOPMENT TOOL
- 12 INFORMATION SYSTEM (PHASE II TESTING & DEVELOPMENT) (DEVELOP FUNCTIONAL BASES)
- 13 DEVELOP LOCAL INFORMATION STATION FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR EWM BY TASK TEAM
- 14 INFORMATION SYSTEM (PHASE II/EWM) TESTING & DEVELOPMENT
- 15 LOCAL INFO. STATION FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS (ACR)
- 16 ADVANCED MMI TESTING (EG. VOICE I/O)
- 17 DETAILED ACR DESIGN PROCESS

OVERALL ROOM LAYOUT DESIGN

- 18 TASK TEAM TO DEVELOP FUNCTIONAL BASES
- 19 DEVELOP OVERALL ROOM LAYOUT FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR EWM
- 20 PHASE II/EWM TESTING & DEVELOPMENT
- 21 OVERALL LAYOUT FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS (ACR)
- 22 DETAILED ACR DESIGN PROCESS

DBMS DESIGN

- 23 TASK TEAM TO DEVELOP DBMS FUNCTIONAL BASES
- 24 DEVELOP DBMS FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR EWM
- 25 PHASE II (EWM) TESTING & DEVELOPMENT
- 26 DEVELOP DBMS FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR (ACR)
- 27 DETAILED ACR DESIGN PROCESS

DATA PROCESSING (D.P.) SYSTEM DESIGN

- 28 TASK TEAM TO DEVELOP D.P. FUNCTIONAL BASES
- 29 DEVELOP D.P. FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR EWM
- 30 PHASE II (EWM) TESTING & DEVELOPMENT
- 31 DEVELOP DATA PROCESSING FUNCTIONAL REQ. FOR (ACR)
- 32 DETAILED ACR DESIGN PROCESS

ENGINEERING WORKING MODEL

- 33 EVAL & SELECT AVAIL EQUIP TO MEET FUNC. SPECS
- 34 PROCURE EQUIP/MATERIALS
- 35 CONSTRUCT "UNIQUE" HOME
- 36 ASSEMBLE EWM HOME
- 37 TASK SPECIFIC PROGRAMMING ("GLUE")
- 38 MERGE HOME & SW TRARE
- 39 RECONFIGURATION

- COMMITMENTS
- TENTATIVE
- MANAGEMENT DECISION POINTS
- DELIVERABLES

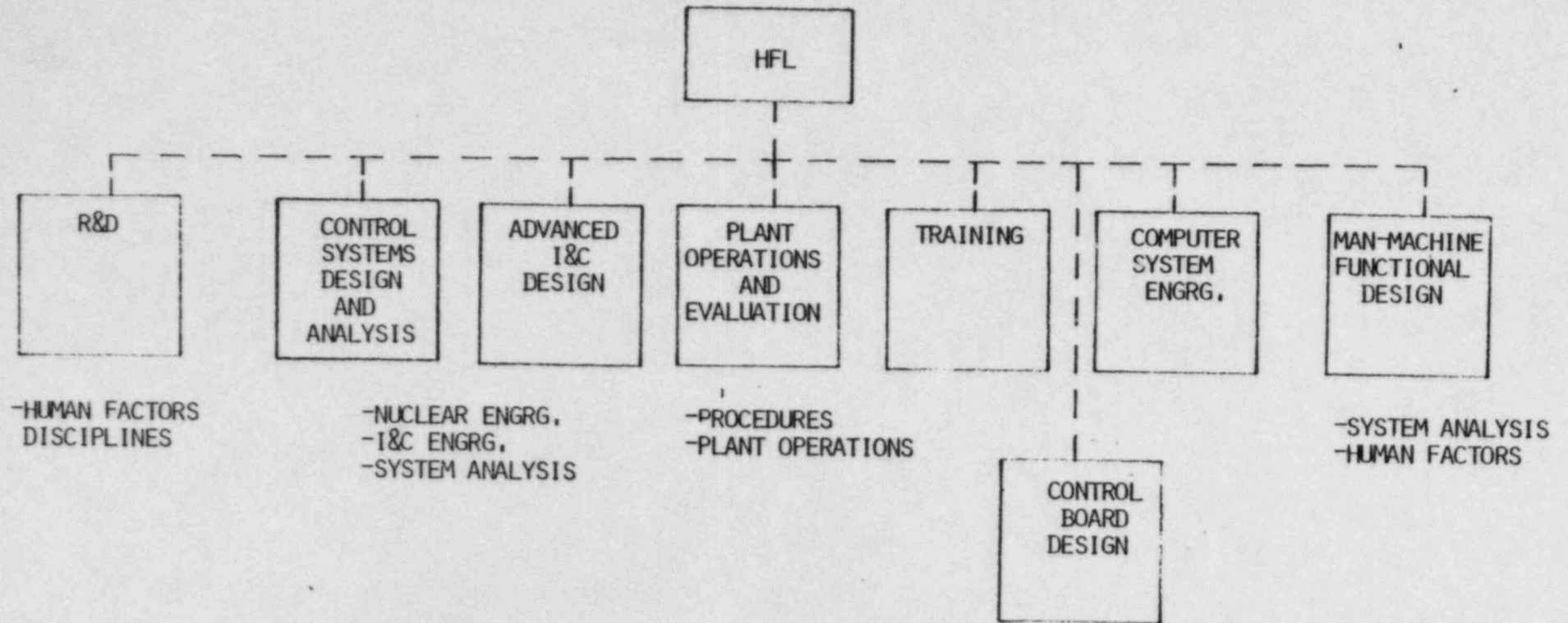
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PRELIMINARY

AGENDA

- OVERVIEW
- W ORGANIZATION FOR HUMAN FACTORS DESIGN OF APWR
- HUMAN FACTORS INTRODUCTION
- HUMAN FACTORS IN THE FLUID/MECHANICAL SYSTEMS
- COGNITIVE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING
- W PROGRAM/DESIGN PROCESS FOR CONTROL ROOM
- ANALYTICAL MODELLING OF PLANT FUNCTIONS
- COGNITIVE TASK ANALYSIS
- SUMMARY - FUTURE ACTIVITIES

HUMAN FACTORS LABORATORY RESOURCE AVAILABILITY



OPERATOR ACTION
CONSIDERATIONS
IN DESIGN

- REVIEW AVAILABLE DATA
 - OPERATING EXPERIENCE (LER)
 - REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS
 - R&D ACTIVITIES

- ESTABLISH SYSTEM/COMPONENT DESIGN CRITERIA OR GOALS

- EVALUATE DESIGNS IN DESIGN REVIEW PROCESS

FLUID SYSTEMS DESIGN

GOAL

"THE POTENTIAL FOR COMMON MODE OPERATOR ERROR SHOULD BE MINIMIZED BY IMPROVING THE HUMAN ENGINEERING OF THE PLANT WITH CONSIDERATION FOR NON-CONTRADICTIONARY INSTRUMENTATION, CONTROL BOARD ARRANGEMENT, AND SYSTEMS WHOSE OPERATION DOES NOT CHALLENGE THE SAFETY OF THE PLANT."

EXAMPLES

- LIMIT ON HHSI TO PROHIBIT LIFTING OF PORV.
- EWST INSIDE CONTAINMENT TO ELIMINATE INJECTION TO RECIRCULATION MANUAL ACTIONS.
- DESIGN OF HHSI AND AFW PUMPS WITH CONSIDERATION FOR MINIFLOW AT EXTENDED OPERATION TIMES.
- DESIGN OF SECONDARY SIDE COOLING SYSTEMS TO PREVENT OVERCOOLING POTENTIAL ON REACTOR TRIP AND ELIMINATE S.G. OVERFILL POTENTIAL.
- INCORPORATION OF AUTOMATIC PROTECTION ON HIGH SECONDARY RADIATION SIGNAL.

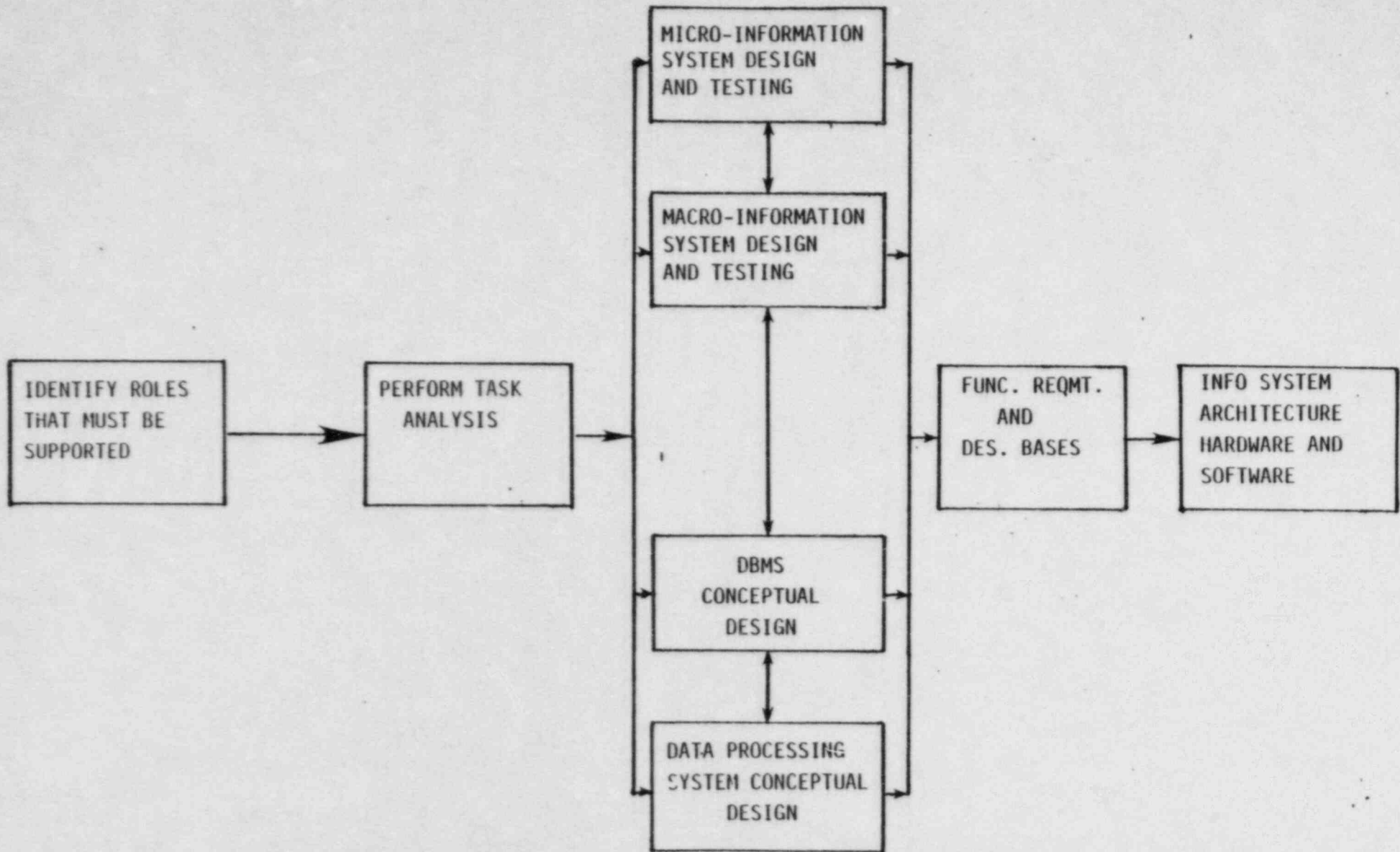
FUTURE ACTIONS

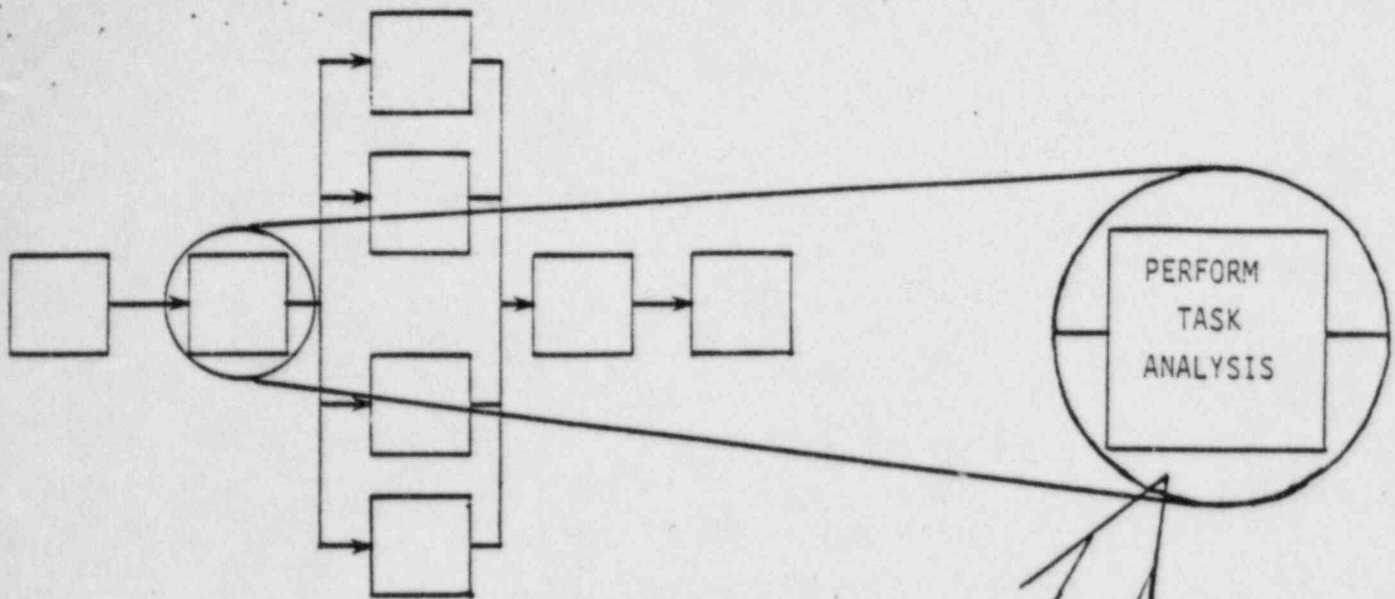
- DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS
 - DETAIL
 - COMPLETENESS
 - CONTENT

- NRC REVIEW PROCESS
 - AUDIT APPROACH

- INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES

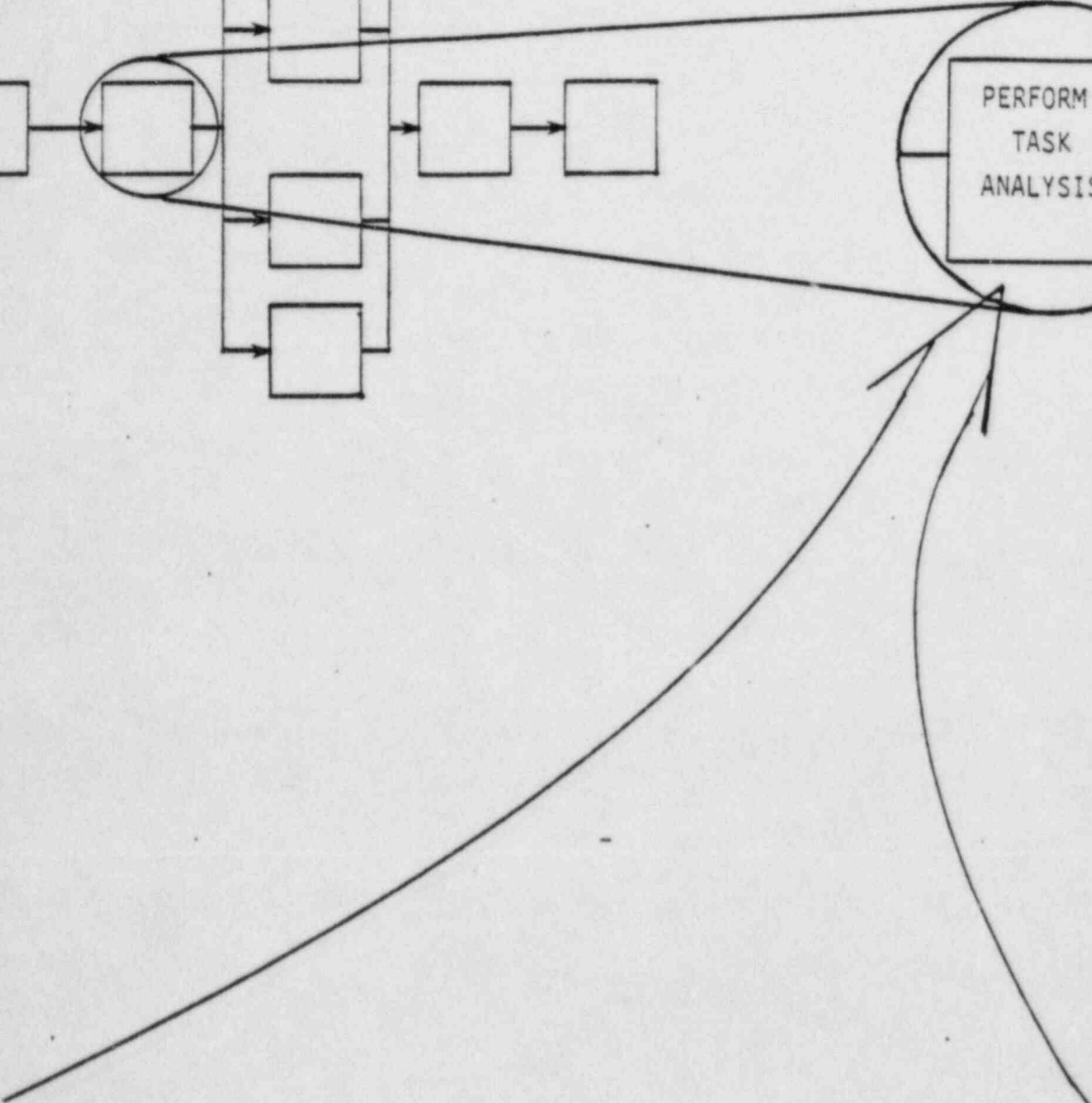
- FURTHER DEVELOPMENT AREAS
 - W PROGRAMS
 - NRC PROGRAMS
 - OTHERS

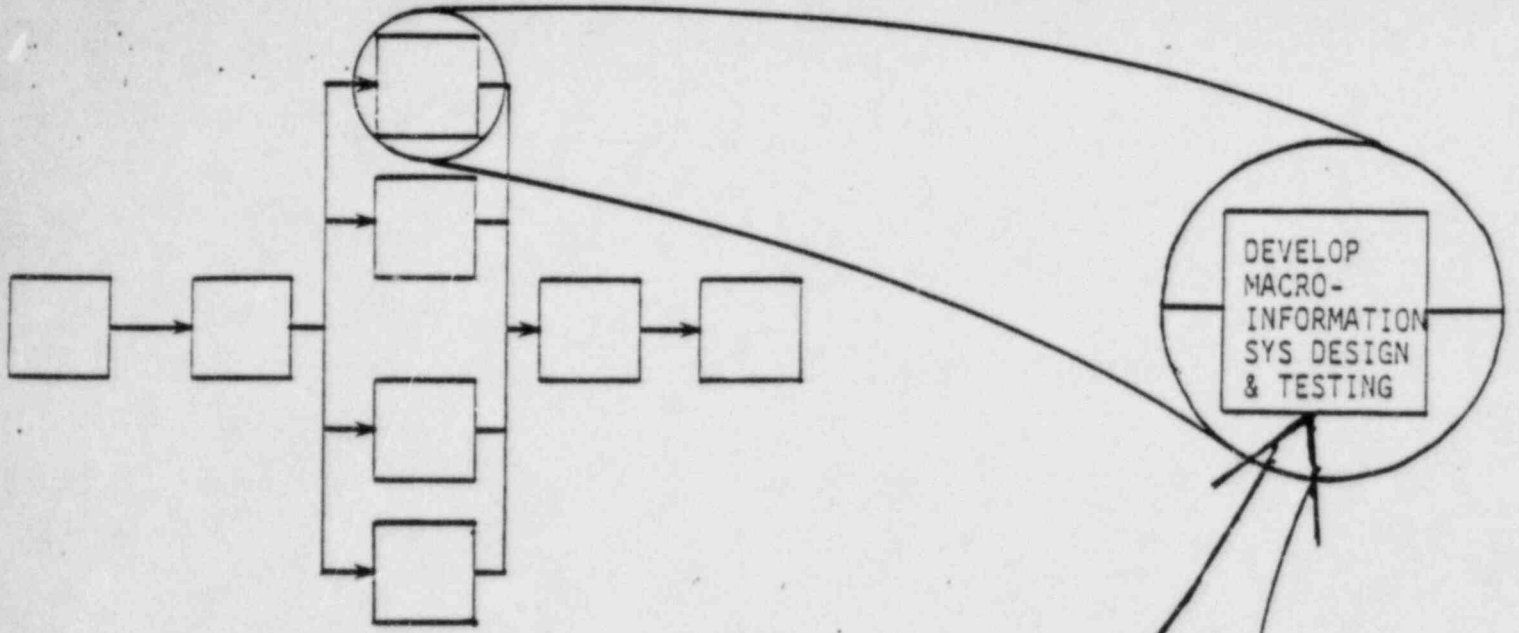




DEVELOP
ANALYTICAL MODELS
OF
PLANT GOALS AND
THEIR RELATIONSHIP

OVERLAY
CONTROL ACTIVITIES
ON
PLANT GOAL STRUCTURE



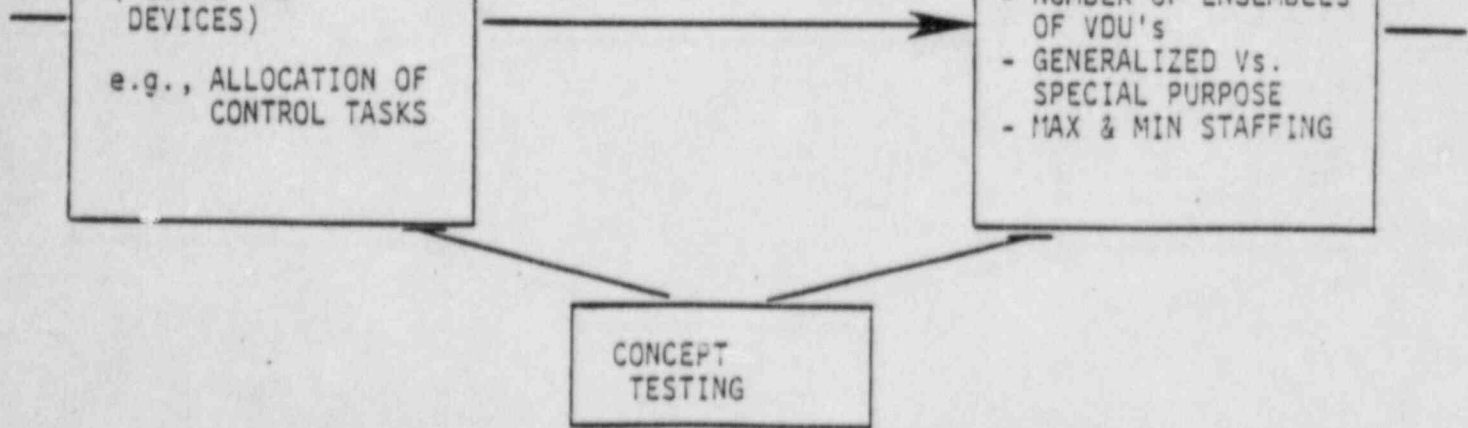


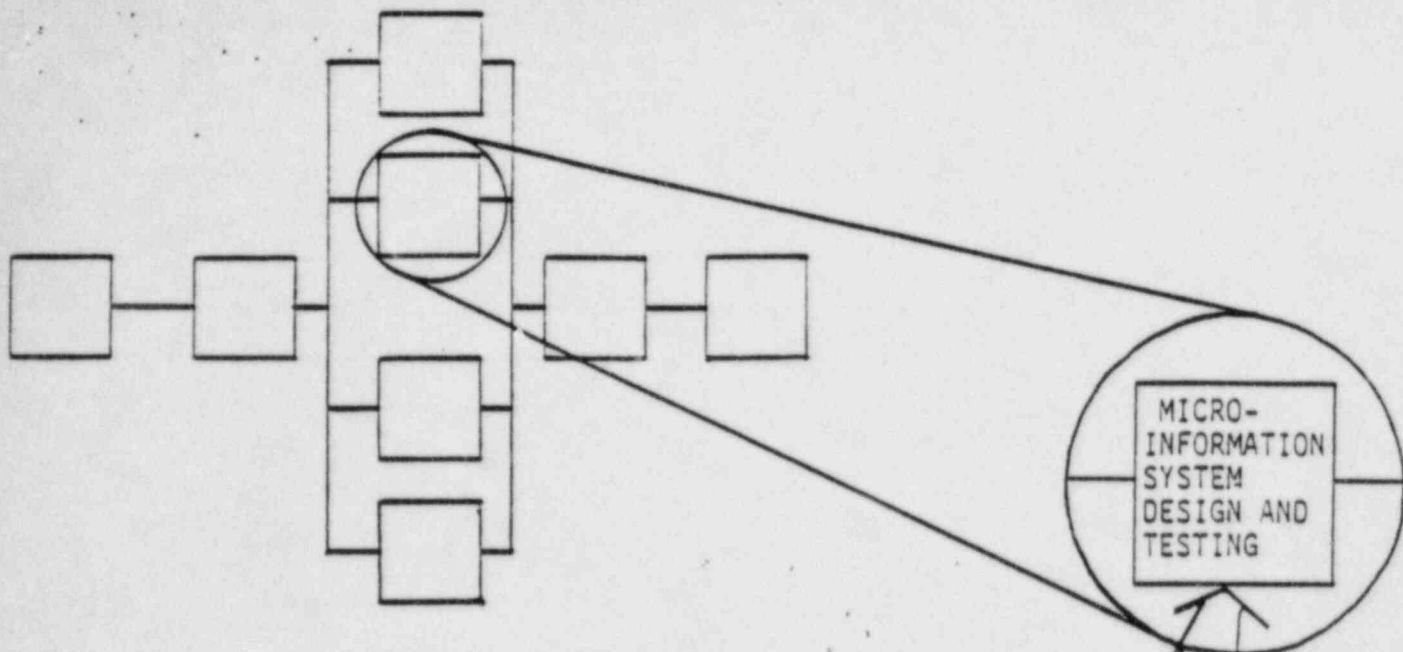
DEVELOP
MACRO-
INFORMATION
SYS DESIGN
& TESTING

DEFINE FUNCTIONAL
ORGANIZATION OF
REQUIRED RESOURCES
(PEOPLE AND
DEVICES)
e.g., ALLOCATION OF
CONTROL TASKS

DEFINE MACRO-
INFORMATION SYSTEM
DISPLAY
- NUMBER OF ENSEMBLES
OF VDU's
- GENERALIZED Vs.
SPECIAL PURPOSE
- MAX & MIN STAFFING

CONCEPT
TESTING



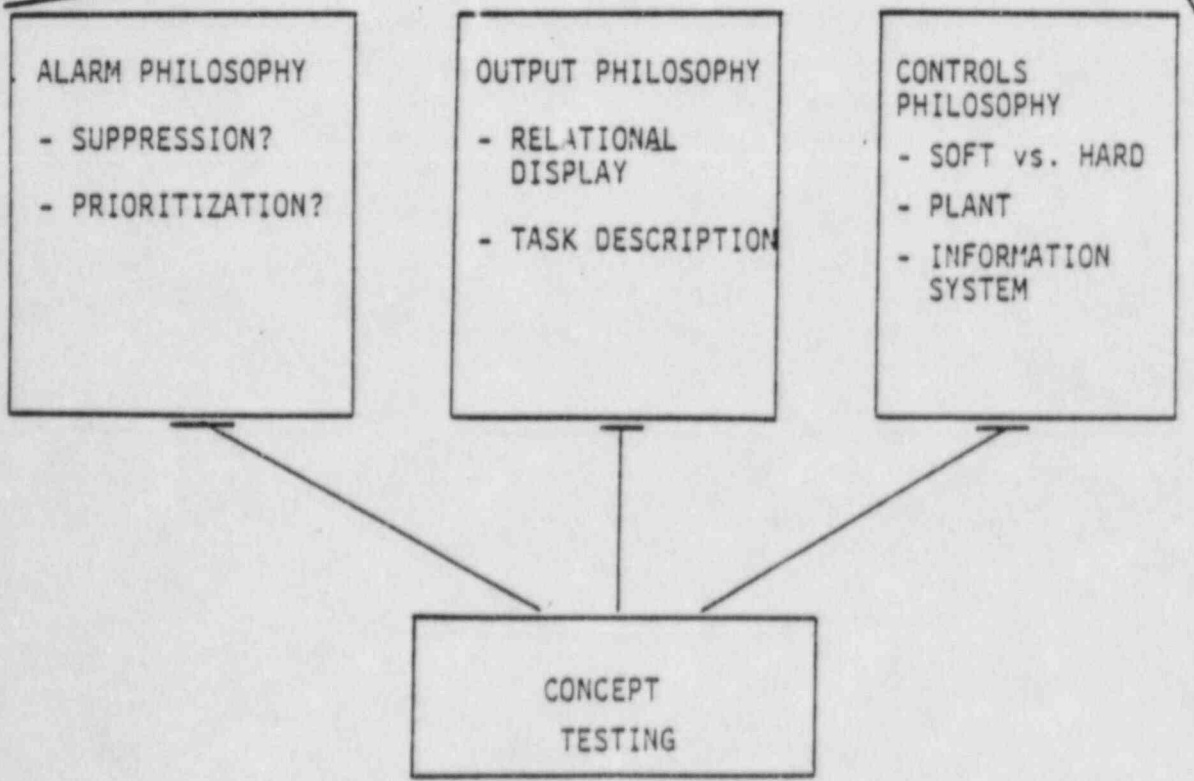


ALARM PHILOSOPHY
- SUPPRESSION?
- PRIORITIZATION?

OUTPUT PHILOSOPHY
- RELATIONAL DISPLAY
- TASK DESCRIPTION

CONTROLS PHILOSOPHY
- SOFT vs. HARD
- PLANT
- INFORMATION SYSTEM

CONCEPT TESTING



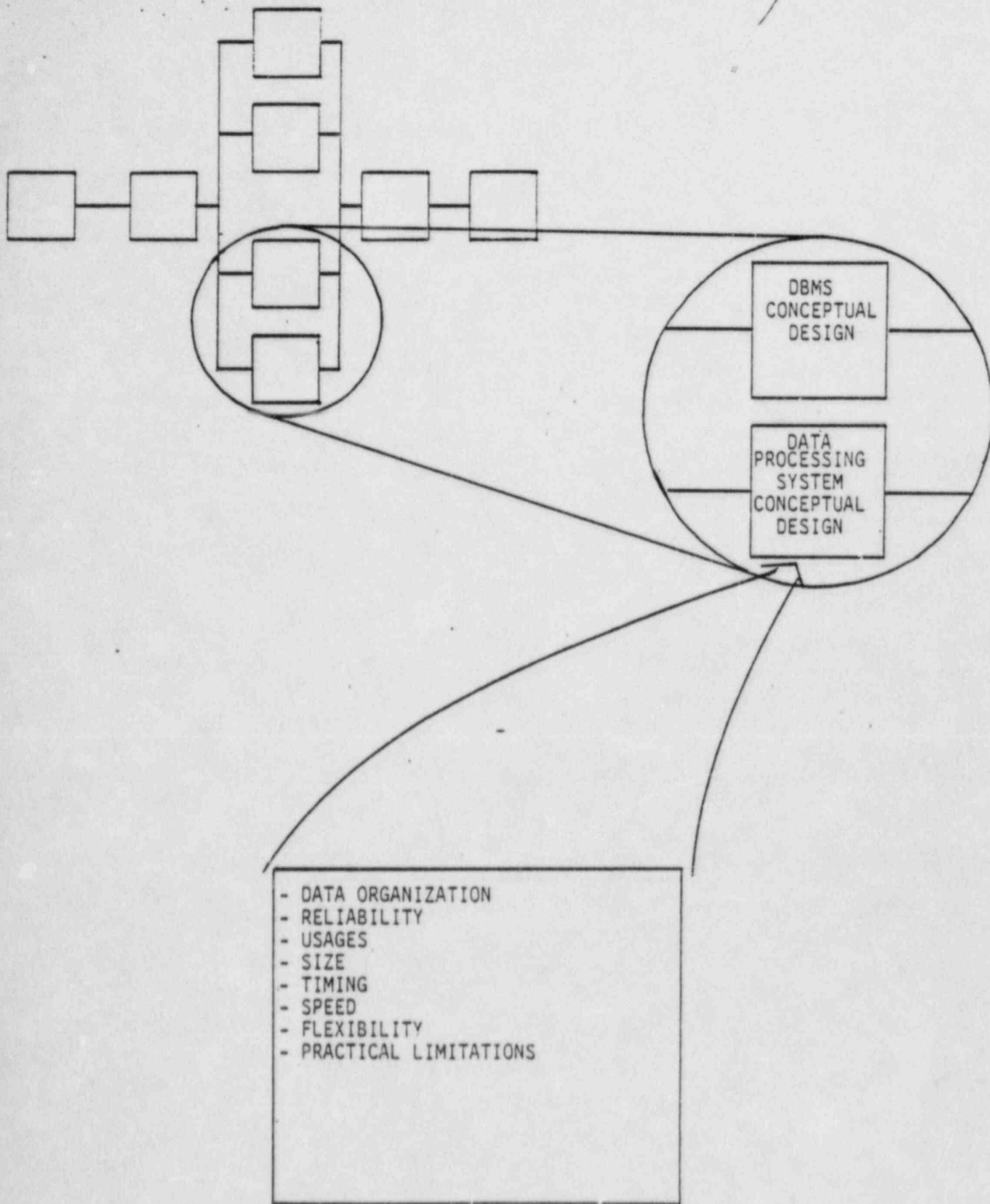
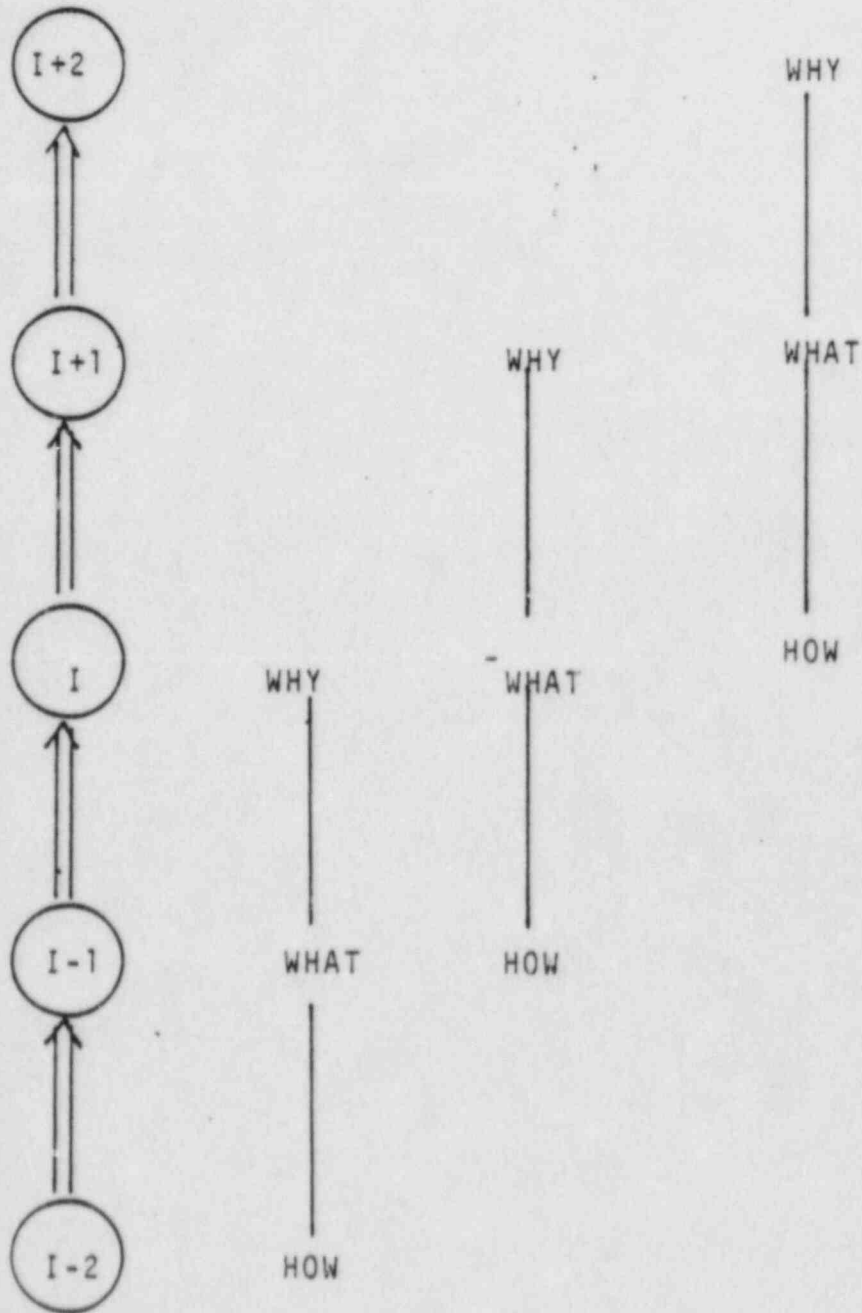
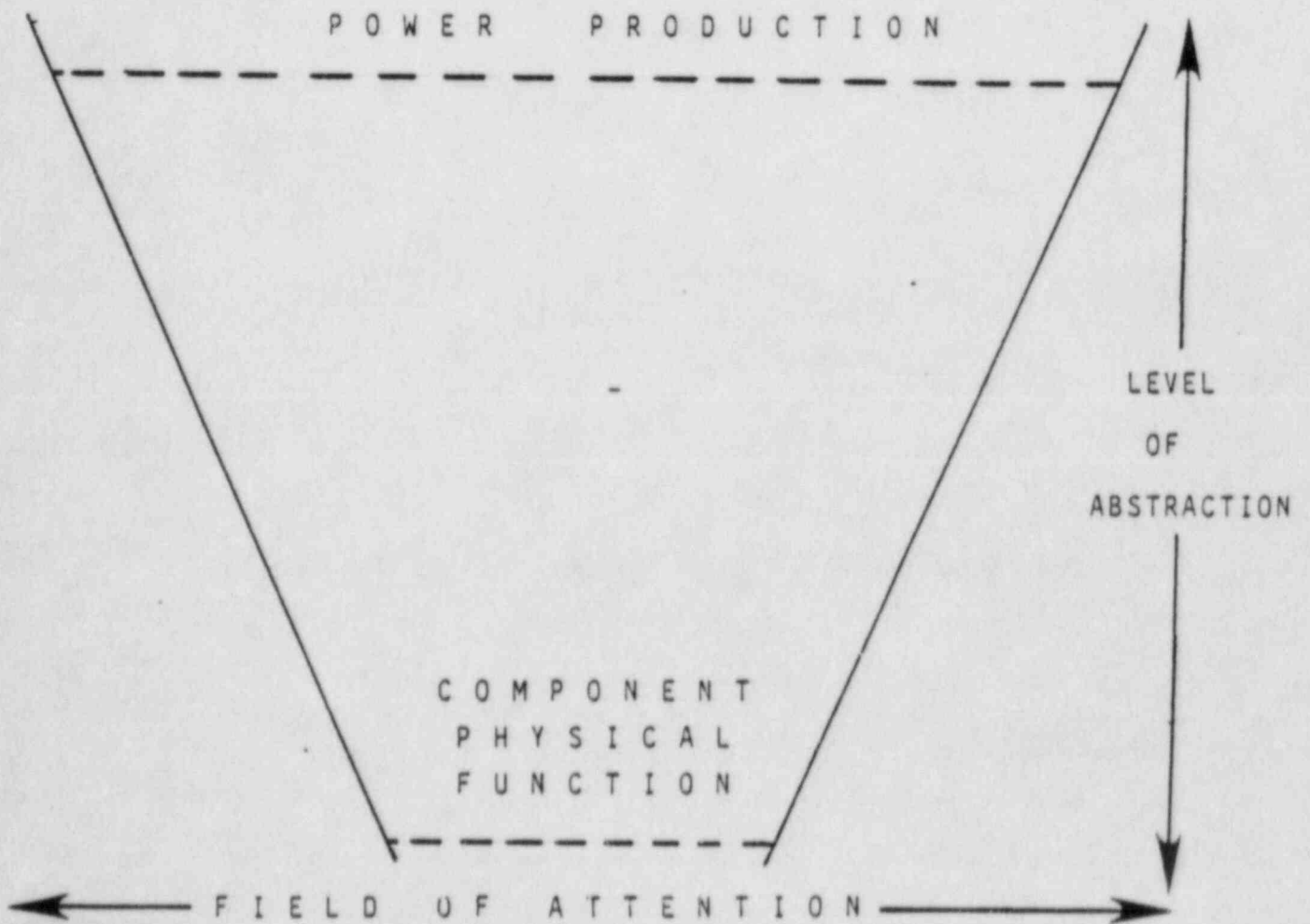


ILLUSTRATION OF RECURSION IN THE HIERARCHY



TYPICAL COUPLING BETWEEN
AGREGATION AND ABSTRACTION



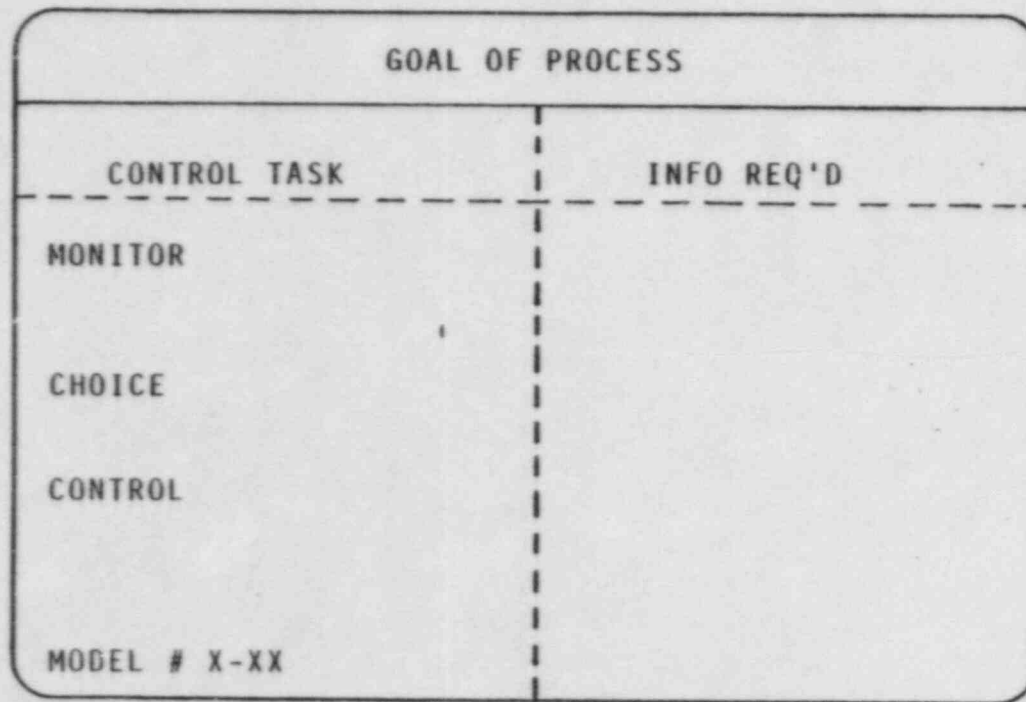


ILLUSTRATION OF GENERIC CONTROL ACTIVITIES

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Mistakes – Errors In The Formation Of An Intention

Slips – Errors In The Execution Of An Intention

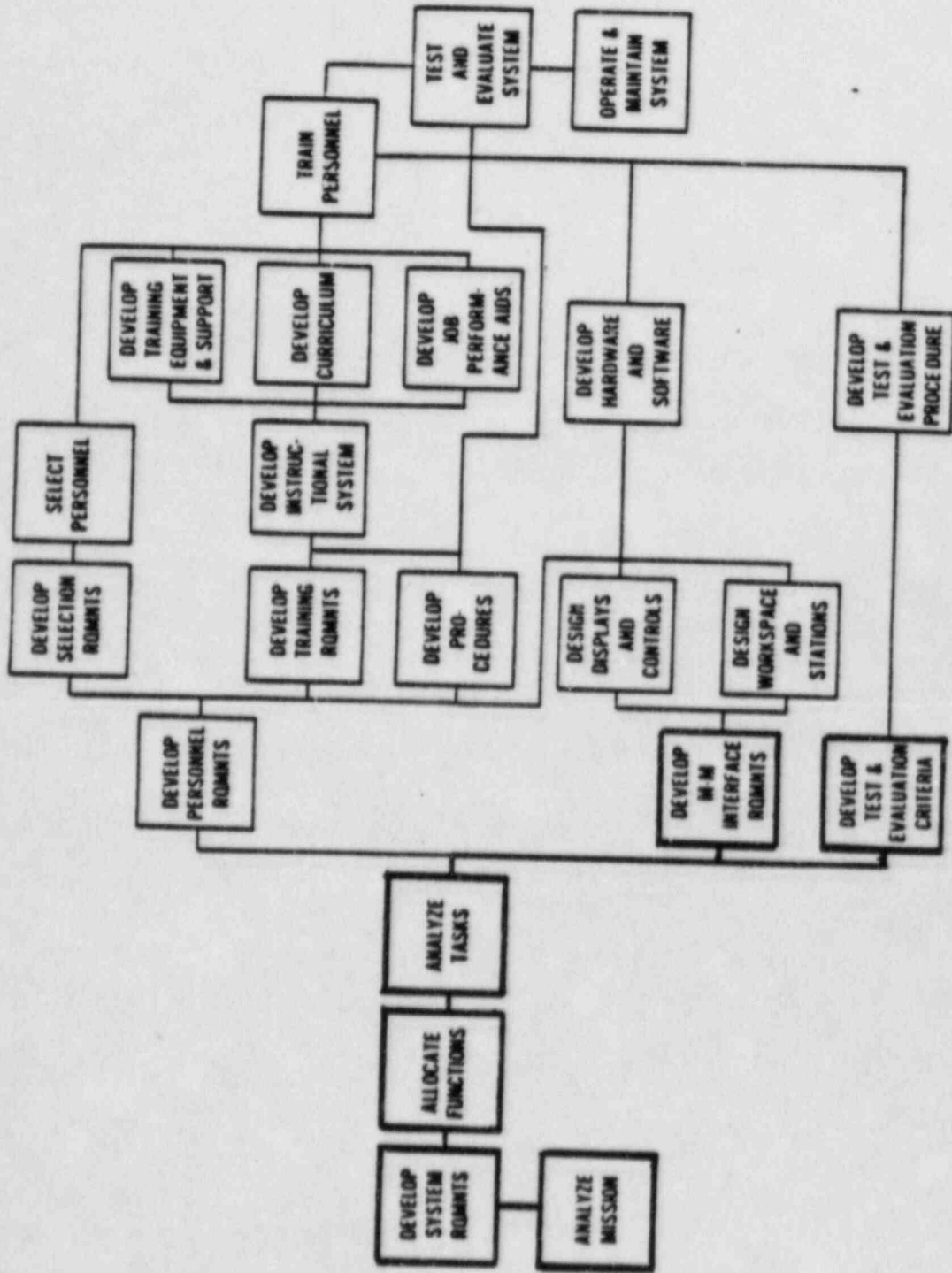


FIGURE 1. IDEAL HUMAN FACTORS SYSTEM APPROACH TO NPP DESIGN.

- HAS SYSTEM, ITS PURPOSES AND BOUNDARIES BEEN IDENTIFIED?
- HAVE FUNCTIONS RELEVANT TO PURPOSE BEEN IDENTIFIED?
- HAVE ROLES(S) OF OPERATORS WITHIN FUNCTIONAL STRUCTURE BEEN IDENTIFIED?
- HAS INFORMATION AND CONTROL NEEDS RELEVANT TO ROLES BEEN IDENTIFIED?
- VERIFICATION OF FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS?

- EXTENSION OF W SPDS DESIGN PROCESS
 - MIL SPEC H-46855/IEE SC 7, WG 7.1
- SUPPORT FOR ACTION EXECUTION
 - RELEVANT ERGONOMIC GUIDELINES AND PRACTICE
- SUPPORT FOR ACTION SELECTION -- COGNITIVE PERFORMANCE
 - ANALYSIS OF DECISION/CONTROL REQUIREMENTS
 - HUMAN ROLE AS PRIMARILY SUPERVISORY CONTROL
 - APPLY MODELS/PRINCIPLES OF MAN-MACHINE INTERACTION
- CONCEPTUAL TESTING AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE DESIGN PROCESS
 - SERVES AS PART OF THE VERIFICATION TASK

HUMAN PERFORMANCE RELIABILITY SHOULD BE MAXIMIZED

THE ACR SHOULD MINIMIZE ERRORS OF EXECUTION

Discussion:

In order to minimize errors of execution, ergonomic principles must be incorporated into all aspects of the physical design of the ACR. This is specifically aimed at errors during the actual execution of an action, not in how that action was determined.

THE ACR SHOULD MINIMIZE ERRORS IN DECISION MAKING

Discussion:

In order to minimize errors of decision making (errors occurring during the thought process), cognitive design principles must be included in both the information content of the ACR, and the structure of the content.

THE CONCEPTS OF HUMAN COGNITIVE DIVERSITY, ERROR CORRECTIVENESS, MAN-MACHINE SYSTEM FAULT TOLERANCE, AND ERROR PREVENTION WILL BE USED TO IMPROVE HUMAN PERFORMANCE

Discussion:

The ACR should allow the user to detect and correct his own errors. In other words, defense-in-depth must be provided with respect to human actions in the same manner as it is for machines. *..In addition*

AGENDA
FOR
NRC MEETING ON THE ADVANCED CONTROL ROOM

MAY 17, 1983

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|-------|--|------------|
| I. | OBJECTIVES (R. J. SERO) | 10:00 AM |
| | A. REVIEW PROGRAM STATUS | |
| | B. DISCUSS FUTURE ACTIVITIES | |
| II. | ACR PROGRAM (R. J. SERO/J. A. RUMANCIK) | 10:15 AM |
| III. | TECHNICAL TOPICS | 10:30 AM |
| | A. REVIEW TASK ANALYSIS (W. C. ELM) | |
| | B. INFORMATION SYSTEM STRUCTURE (J. R. EASTER) | |
| IV. | FUTURE ACTIVITIES | 12:00 NOON |
| | A. REVIEW CRITERIA (J. M. GALLAGHER) | |
| | B. TOPICS FOR NEXT MEETING (J. A. RUMANCIK) | |
| LUNCH | | |
| V. | TOUR R&D FACILITIES | 2:30 PM |

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DESIGN OBJECTIVES INCLUDE

- REDUCED UTILITY FINANCIAL RISK, ENHANCED SAFETY MARGINS
~~PLANT ARRANGEMENT PRECLUDES SMALL LOCA CORE UNCOVERY~~
REDUCED ACCIDENT DOSE RELEASE

- MORE FORGIVENESS, SIMPLICITY
PASSIVE SECONDARY HEAT REMOVAL
ADVANCED CONTROL ROOM
LOWER POWER DENSITY

- REDUCED POWER COSTS
LARGER CORE
SPECTRAL SHIFT

DESIGN PROCESS INCLUDES

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NUCLEAR POWER BLOCK

- SINGLE SOURCE CONTROL
 - QA
 - CONFIGURATION MANAGEMENT
- IMPORTANCE TO SAFETY DESIGN APPROACH
- ALLOWS SYSTEMS INTERACTION DESIGN APPROACH
- ENHANCED LICENSABILITY
- LOWER CONSTRUCTION COSTS

PROBABILISTIC RISK ASSESSMENT

- USED AS DESIGN TOOL
- REGULATORY ARBITER ON DESIGN ADEQUACY

LICENSED SITING ENVELOPE

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WESTINGHOUSE COMMITMENT

- 4 YEARS OF CONCENTRATED DESIGN EFFORT
- HIGH INVESTMENT
- JOINT AGREEMENT WITH FOREIGN VENDOR
- FOREIGN UTILITY INTEREST

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NEED FOR REVIEW

MAINTAIN U.S. TECHNOLOGY LEADERSHIP

- DESIGN
- LICENSING
- STANDARDS

MAINTAIN CADRE OF GOOD TECHNICAL PERSONNEL

MAINTAIN/ENHANCE THE NUCLEAR OPERATION

INTEGRATE OPERATING EXPERIENCE/LESSONS LEARNED INTO
DESIGN PROCESS, I.E., FRESH APPROACH

MAINTAIN U.S. INFLUENCE IN INTERNATIONAL MARKET

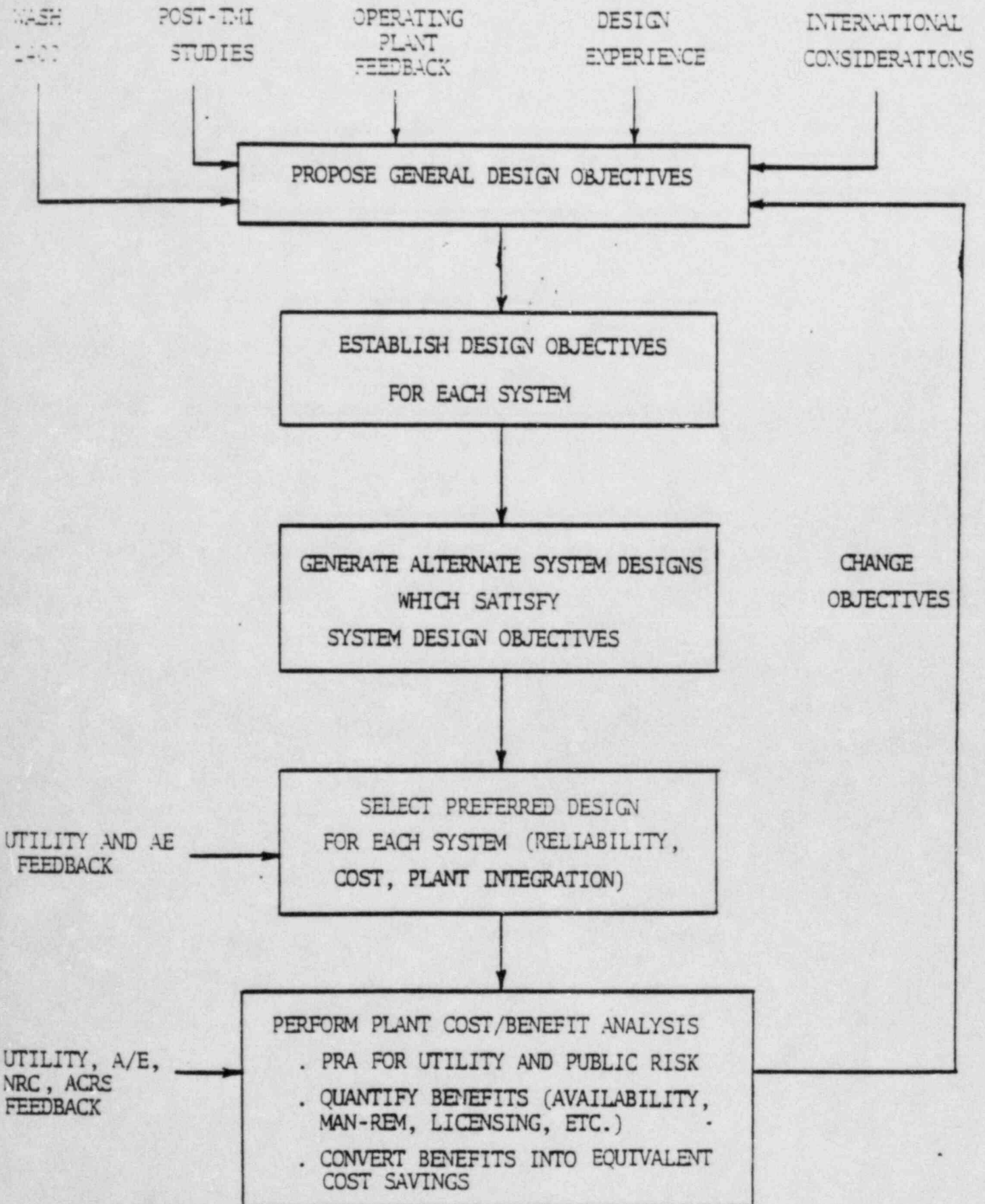
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WESTINGHOUSE REQUESTS

- ACRS COMMITMENT TO REVIEW ON CONTINUING BASIS
- FAVORABLE LETTER REQUESTING NRC REVIEW PRIORITY CONSISTENT WITH PROPOSED END DATES

WESTINGHOUSE APPROACH TO PLANT OPTIMIZATION
CONCEPTUAL DESIGN STAGE

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LESSONS LEARNED FOR PLANT DESIGN OPTIMIZATION

● WASH-1400

- OPERATOR ERROR
- SMALL LOCA
- TRANSIENTS (LOSS OF FEEDWATER, LOSS OF OFFSITE POWER, ETC.)
- SYSTEM TESTABILITY

● POST-TMI

- MAN-MACHINE INTERFACE
- TRANSIENTS
- TRANSPORT OF HIGHLY RADIOACTIVE FLUIDS
OUTSIDE OF CONTAINED AREAS

● OPERATING PLANT FEEDBACK

- PLANT AVAILABILITY
- OCCUPATIONAL RADIATION EXPOSURE
- IMPACT OF AUXILIARY FEEDWATER SYSTEM ON
PLANT OPERATION

● DESIGN EXPERIENCE

- INTERACTION OF SYSTEM DESIGN AND PLANT LAYOUT

GENERAL DESIGN OBJECTIVES
(PUBLIC AND FINANCIAL RISK)

- Reduce the probability of fuel or equipment damage following the more frequent initiating events:
 - Loss of offsite power
 - Loss of main feedwater
 - Spurious reactor trip
- Specifically, ensure adequate core cooling following:
 - Loss of offsite and onsite A.C. power
 - Loss of main and auxiliary feedwater
- Reduce the probability of fuel damage following small LOCA's
- Minimize the potential for radioactive releases outside contained areas
 - Fuel damage plus leaking steam generator tubes
 - Steam generator tube rupture accident
 - Post-LOCA recirculation spills outside containment
 - Breaks in high energy, recirculation lines outside containment

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GENERAL DESIGN OBJECTIVES (NUCLEAR POWER ECONOMICS)

- Reduce "hard-dollar" power generation cost
 - Fuel cost
 - Plant efficiency
 - Plant cost
- improve plant availability
 - Longer fuel cycles
 - Component reliability/maintainability
- Reduce man-rem
 - Component reliability/maintainability
 - Plant/equipment layout

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A-PWR DESIGN FEATURES (OVERVIEW)

o REACTOR

LOW CORE POWER DENSITY
MODERATOR CONTROL

o FLUID SYSTEMS

INTEGRATED SAFEGUARDS SYSTEMS (PRIMARY SIDE)
SECONDARY SIDE SAFEGUARDS SYSTEMS
AUXILIARY FLUID SYSTEMS

o PLANT INTEGRATED CONTROL CENTER

PROTECTION SYSTEM
CONTROL SYSTEM
ADVANCED CONTROL ROOM

o PRIMARY SYSTEM COMPONENTS

o AUXILIARY FLUID SYSTEMS

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LOW POWER DENSITY DESCRIPTION

Parameter	A	B Low Power Density	B/A
Core Thermal Power (MWT)	3800	3800	1.00
Fuel Assemblies	193	193	
Fuel Rods Per F/A	264	303	
Total Fuel Rods	50,952	58,479	
Fuel Rod O.D. (in.)	0.360 ⁽¹⁾	0.374 ⁽²⁾	
Core Loading (MTU)	95.4	119.4	1.25
Equivalent Core Diameter (in.)	133	154	1.16
Active Core Length (in.)	168	168	1.00
Average Linear Power (kw/ft)	5.19	4.52	0.87
Average Specific Power (kw/kg)	39.8	31.8	0.80
Average Heat Flux (BTU/hr-ft ²)	187,900	157,600	0.84

(1) Optimized fuel rod

(2) Standard fuel rod

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LOW POWER DENSITY SUMMARY OF ADVANTAGES

- 6% reduction in fuel cost⁽¹⁾
 - 9% reduction in uranium requirements⁽¹⁾
 - 250°F (139°C) reduction in peak clad temperature for large break LOCA
 - DNB margin equivalent to 15°F (8°C) in core inlet temperature
- (1) Assumes 36,000 MWD/MTU discharge burnup, 18 month cycles and 75% capacity factor

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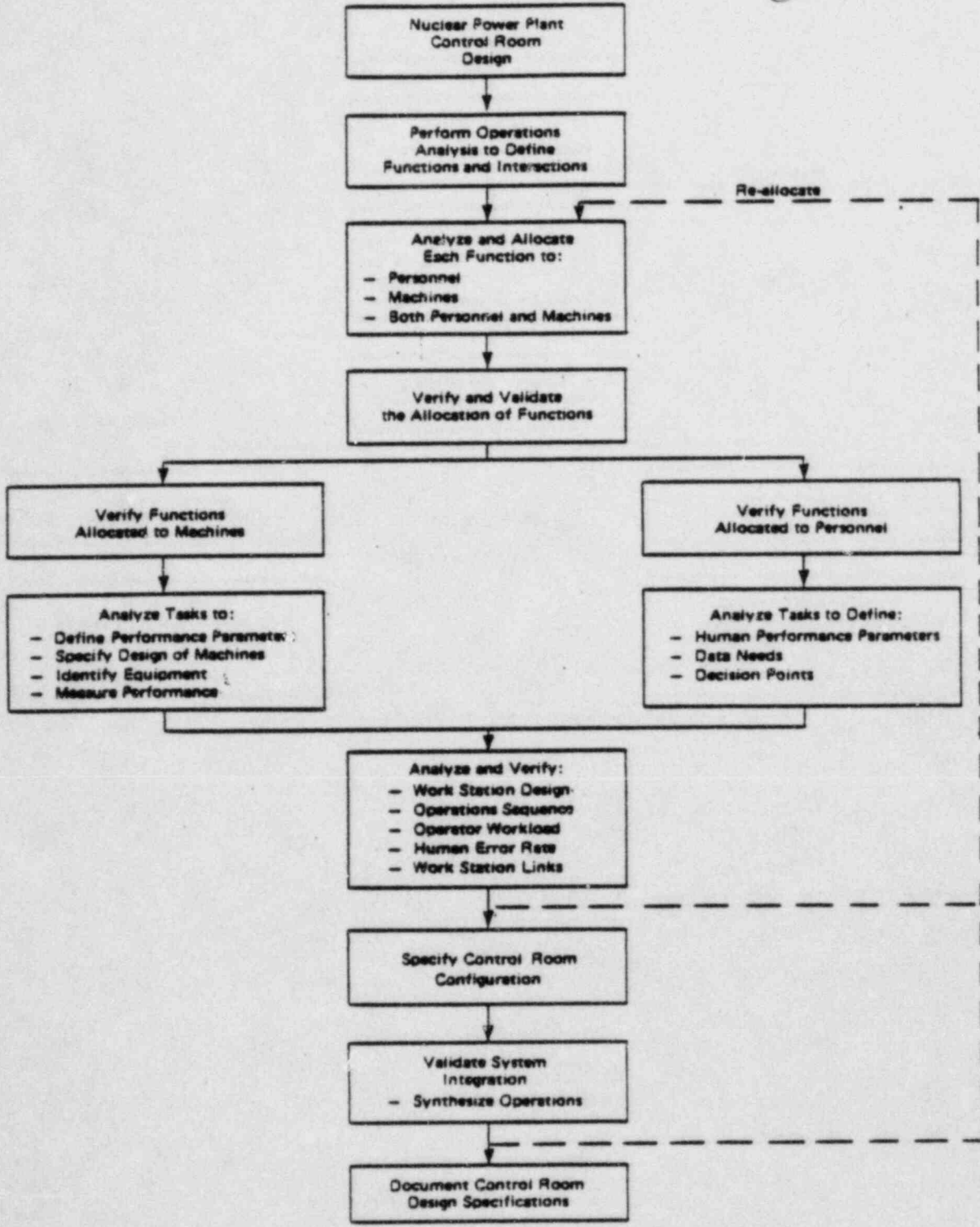
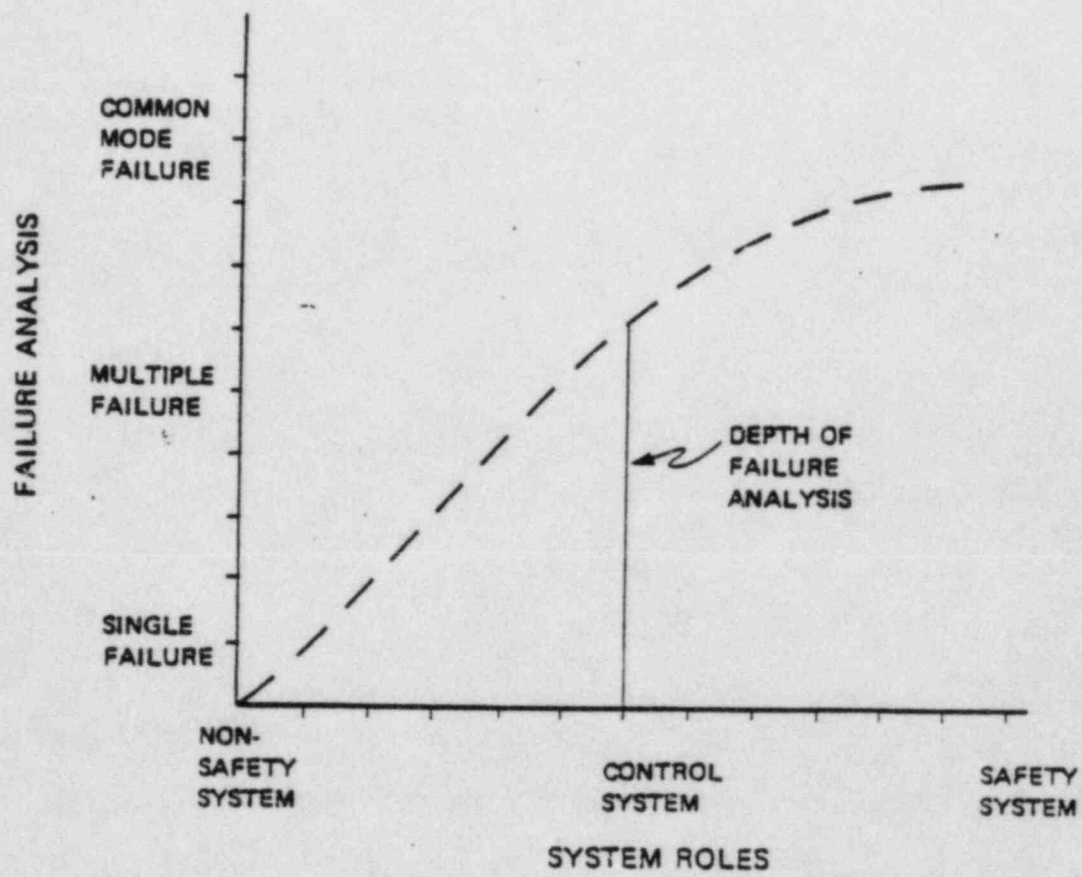


Exhibit B-1. Proposed structure for control room design.

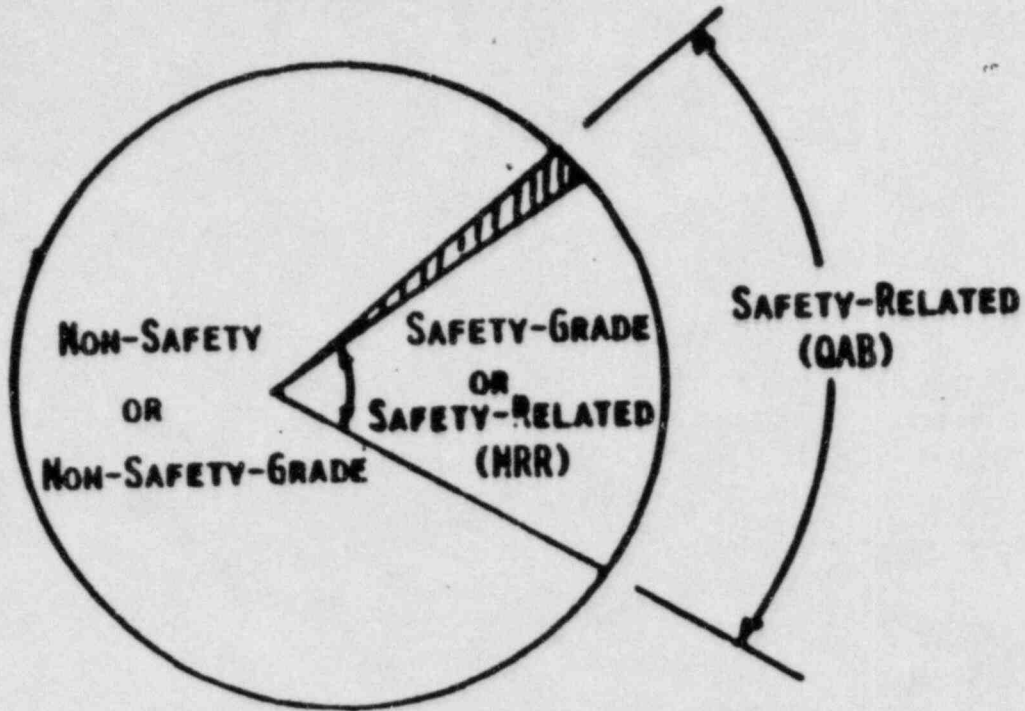
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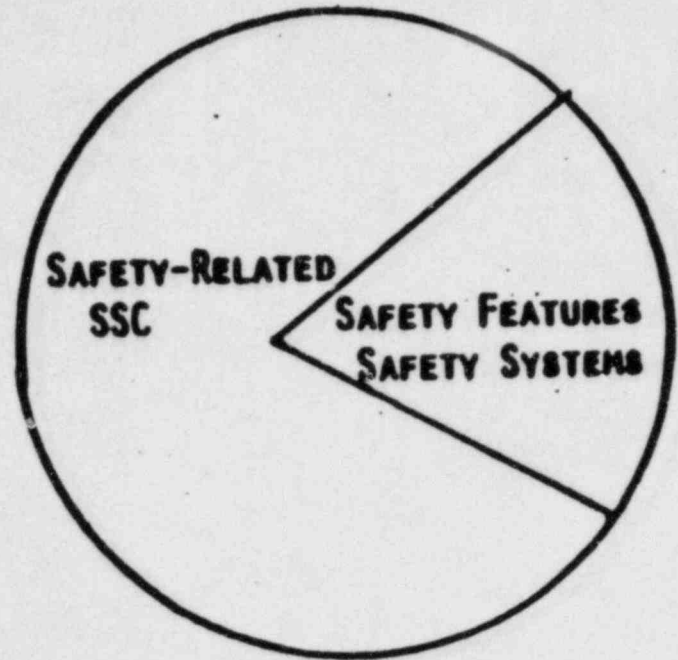
SAFETY CLASSIFICATIONS
NRC vs IAEA

IMPORTANT TO SAFETY
(ENTIRE CIRCLE)



NRR/QAB

IMPORTANT TO SAFETY
(ENTIRE CIRCLE)



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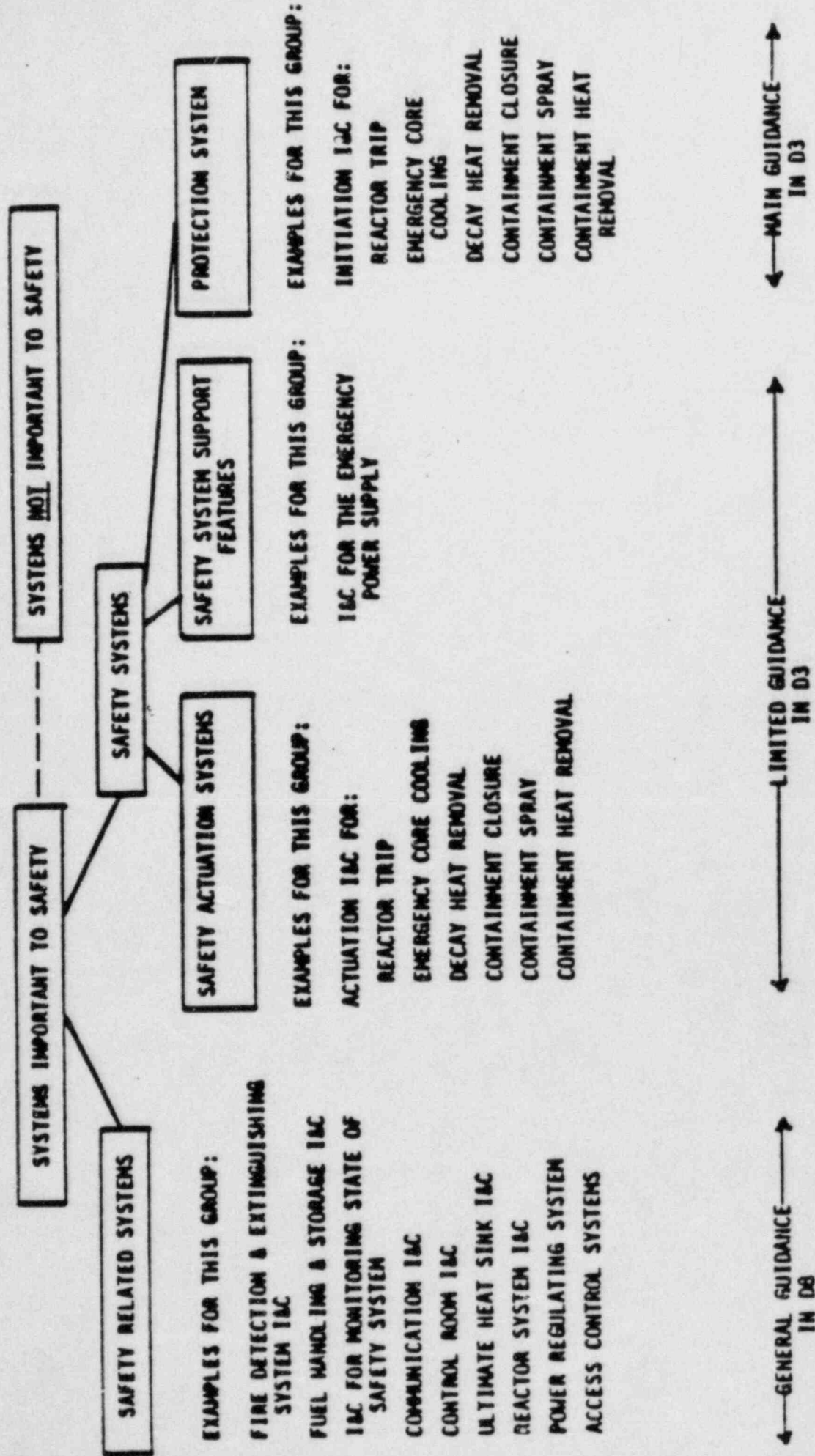
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FIGURE 1

EXAMPLES OF I&C SYSTEMS IMPORTANT TO SAFETY



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