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TABLE 3.2.C.1 (Cont)

INSTRUMENTATION THAT INITIATES ROD BLOCKS

Trip Function	Operable Instrument Channels per Trip Function		Required Operational Conditions	Notes
	Minimum	Available		
SRM Detector not in Startup Position	3	4	Startup/Refuel, except trip is bypassed when SRM count rate is ≥ 100 counts/second or IRMs on Range 3 or above	(1)(4)(6)
SRM Downscale	3	4	Startup/Refuel, except trip is bypassed when IRMs on Range 3 or above	(1)(4)(6)
SRM Upscale	3	4	Startup/Refuel, except trip is by- passed when the IRM range switches are on Range 8 or above (4)	(1)(4)(6)
SRM Inoperative	3	4	Startup/Refuel, except trip is by- passed when the IRM range switches are on Range 8 or above (4)	(1)(4)(6)
Scram Discharge Instrument Volume Water Level - High	2	2	Run/Startup/Refuel	(3)(6)
Scram Discharge Instrument Volume-Scram Trip Bypassed	1	1	Refuel/Shutdown	(3)(6)
Mode Switch in Shutdown	1	1	Shutdown	(7)

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1. With the number of operable channels:
 - a. One less than required by the minimum operable channels per trip function requirement, restore an inoperable channel to operable status within 7 days or place an inoperable channel in the tripped condition within the next hour.
 - b. Two or more less than required by the minimum operable channels per trip function requirement, place at least one inoperable channel in the tripped condition within one hour.
2. a. With one RBM Channel inoperable:
 - (1) restore the inoperable RBM channel to operable status within 24 hours; otherwise, place one rod block monitor channel in the tripped condition within the next hour, and;
 - (2) prior to control rod withdrawal, perform an instrument function test of the operable RBM channel.
- b. With both RBM channels inoperable, place at least one inoperable rod block monitor channel in the tripped condition within one hour.
3. If the number of operable channels is less than required by the minimum operable channels per trip function requirement, place the inoperable channel in the tripped condition within one hour.
4. SRM operability requirements during core alterations are given in Technical Specification 3.10.
5. RBM operability is required in the Run mode in the presence of a limiting rod pattern with reactor power greater than the RBM low power setpoint (LPSP). A limiting rod pattern exists when:
$$\text{MCPR} < 1.40 \text{ for reactor power} \geq 90\%$$
$$\text{MCPR} < 1.70 \text{ for reactor power} < 90\%$$

The allowable value for the LPSP is $\leq 29\%$ of rated core thermal power.
6. When the reactor Mode Switch is in the Refuel position, the reactor vessel head is removed, and control rods are inserted in all core cells containing one or more fuel assemblies, these Rod Block functions are not required.
7. With one or more reactor Mode Switch - Shutdown Position channels inoperable, suspend control rod withdrawal and initiate action to fully insert all insertable control rods in core cells containing one or more fuel assemblies immediately.

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TABLE 3.2.C-2
CONTROL ROD BLOCK INSTRUMENTATION SETPOINTS

<u>Trip Function</u>	<u>Trip Setpoint</u>
APRM Upscale	(1) (2)
APRM Inoperative	Not Applicable
APRM Downscale	≥ 2.5 Indicated on Scale
Rod Block Monitor (Power Dependent)	(1) (3)
Rod Block Monitor Inoperative	Not Applicable
Rod Block Monitor Downscale	(1) (3)
IRM Downscale	$\geq 5/125$ of Full Scale
IRM Detector not in Startup Position	Not Applicable
IRM Upscale	$\leq 108/125$ of Full Scale
IRM Inoperative	Not Applicable
SRM Detector not in Startup Position	Not Applicable
SRM Downscale	≥ 3 counts/second
SRM Upscale	$\leq 10^5$ counts/second
SRM Inoperative	Not Applicable
Scram Discharge Instrument Volume Water Level - High	≤ 17 gallons
Scram Discharge Instrument Volume - Scram Trip Bypassed	Not Applicable
Recirculation Flow Converter - Upscale	$\leq 120/125$ of Full Scale
Recirculation Flow Converter - Inoperative	Not Applicable
Recirculation Flow Converter - Comparator Mismatch	$\leq 8\%$ Flow Deviation
Mode Switch in Shutdown	Not Applicable
<p>(1) The trip level setting shall be as specified in the CORE OPERATING LIMITS REPORT.</p> <p>(2) When the reactor Mode Switch is in the Refuel or Startup positions, the APRM rod block trip setpoint shall be less than or equal to 13% of rated thermal power but always less than the APRM flux scram trip setting.</p> <p>(3) The RBM bypass time delay (t_{d2}) shall be < 2.0 seconds.</p>	

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MINIMUM TEST AND CALIBRATION FREQUENCY FOR CONTROL ROD BLOCKS ACTUATION

<u>Instrument Channel</u>	<u>Instrument Functional Test</u>	<u>Calibration</u>	<u>Instrument Check</u>
APRM - Downscale	Once/3 Months	Once/3 Months	Once/Day
APRM - Upscale	Once/3 Months	Once/3 Months	Once/Day
APRM - Inoperative	Once/3 Months	Not Applicable	Once/Day
IRM - Upscale	(2) (3)	Startup or Control Shutdown	(2)
IRM - Downscale	(2) (3)	Startup or Control Shutdown	(2)
IRM - Inoperative	(2) (3)	Not Applicable	(2)
RBM - Upscale	Once/3 Months	Once/6 Months	Once/Day
RBM - Downscale	Once/3 Months	Once/6 Months	Once/Day
RBM - Inoperative	Once/3 Months	Not Applicable	Once/Day
SRM - Upscale	(2) (3)	Startup or Control Shutdown	(2)
SRM - Inoperative	(2) (3)	Not Applicable	(2)
SRM - Detector Not in Startup Position	(2) (3)	Not Applicable	(2)
SRM - Downscale	(2) (3)	Startup or Control Shutdown	(2)
IRM - Detector Not in Startup Position	(2) (3)	Not Applicable	(2)
Scram Discharge Instrument Volume	Once/3 Months	Retest	Not Applicable
Water Level-High			
Scram Discharge Instrument	Once/Operating Cycle	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Volume-Scram Trip Bypassed			
Recirculation Flow Converter	Not Applicable	Once/Operating Cycle	Once/Day
Recirculation Flow Converter-Upscale	Once/3 Months	Once/3 Months	Once/Day
Recirculation Flow Converter-Inoperative	Once/3 Months	Not Applicable	Once/Day
Recirculation Flow Converter-Comparator	Once/3 Months	Once/3 Months	Once/Day
Off Limits			
Recirculation Flow Process Instruments	Not Applicable	Once/Operating Cycle	Once/Day
Mode Switch in Shutdown	Once/Operating Cycle	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
<u>Logic System Functional Test (4) (6)</u>			
System Logic Check	Once/Operating Cycle		