

May 13, 1988

Docket No.: 50-321

LICENSEE: Georgia Power Company  
FACILITIES: Hatch Unit 1  
SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF MEETING HELD MAY 10 1988, TO DISCUSS HATCH 1  
SEISMIC MARGIN ANALYSIS

On May 10, 1988, the NRC staff met with representatives of the Georgia Power Company at Rockville, Maryland to discuss the seismic margin analysis for Hatch 1. Attendees are listed in Enclosure 1. Enclosure 2 is a copy of the view-graphs used by D. Crowe, GPC and J. Branum, GPC. Enclosure 3 is a copy of the view-graphs used by I. Idriss, Woodward-Clyde Consultants. Enclosure 4 is a copy of the view-graphs used by J. Johnson, EQE, Inc.

GPC indicated that soil structure interaction is the critical path item on the schedule. The proposed schedule is also subject to change due to the walkdown in containment during the Hatch 1 refueling outage. The NRC staff stressed that they needed to be kept informed regarding which sections of the seismic margin analysis would be used to respond to Generic Letter 87-02, "Verification of Seismic Adequacy of Mechanical and Electrical Equipment in Operating Reactors (USI A-46)."

/s/

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PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM  
GEORGIA POWER COMPANY

MAY 10, 1986

AGENDA

PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM OVERVIEW

NRC HEADQUARTERS

ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

MAY 10, 1988

INTRODUCTION	DON CROWE
• INTRODUCE PEOPLE	
• PURPOSE OF MEETING	
INTRODUCTION	NRC
PROGRAM OVERVIEW	JEFF BRANUM
PROJECT TEAM SELECTION	JEFF BRANUM
SCHEDULE	JEFF BRANUM
TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENTS	DON MOORE
COMBINING SEISMIC MARGINS AND USI A-46	DON MOORE
ANTICIPATED RESULTS	DON CROWE
NRC COMMUNICATIONS	DON CROWE
NRC COMMENTS	NRC
SUMMARY	DON CROWE

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# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

## PURPOSE OF MEETING

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM PURPOSE OF MEETING

- PRESENT AN OVERVIEW OF THE HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM
- PRESENT GEORGIA POWER'S METHODOLOGY FOR COMPLETING THE SEISMIC PROGRAM
- PRESENT PROJECT TEAM AND SCHEDULE
- PRESENT THE RESULTS OF ACTIVITIES ACCOMPLISHED TO DATE
- EXPECTED PROGRAM RESULTS
- ESTABLISH NRC INTERFACES

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

## OVERVIEW OF PROGRAM



# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM INDUSTRY SEISMIC ISSUES

- USI A-46, SEISMIC QUALIFICATION OF EQUIPMENT (GENERIC LETTER 87-02)
- EASTERN SEISMICITY
- EXTERNAL EVENTS SEISMIC
- USI A-40 (SEISMIC DESIGN OF TANKS)
- USI A-17 (SEISMIC SYSTEMS INTERACTION ONLY)

# OUTSTANDING SEISMIC TOPICS AT PLANT HATCH

- USI A-46, VERIFICATION OF SEISMIC ADEQUACY OF MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT IN OPERATING REACTORS (G. L. 87-02)
- FLOOR RESPONSE SPECTRA-PEAK BROADENING
- SOIL DYNAMIC PROPERTIES
- CABLE TRAY SUPPORT LOAD ACCOUNTABILITY
- PVRC DAMPING
- REACTOR BUILDING ROOF STRUCTURE

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

- TO IMPLEMENT THE EPRI SEISMIC MARGINS PROGRAM ALONG WITH THE TECHNICAL RESOLUTION TO GENERIC LETTER 87-02 AND USI A-46
  
- TO RESOLVE OUTSTANDING SEISMIC TOPICS FOR PLANT HATCH BY:
  1. DEMONSTRATING A SIGNIFICANT SEISMIC MARGIN AT AN EARTHQUAKE LEVEL HIGHER THAN THE DESIGN BASIS EARTHQUAKE (DBE)
  
  2. IDENTIFYING ANY 'WEAKER LINK' COMPONENTS WHICH REDUCE THE HCLPF VALUE OF THE PLANT
  
- USE RESULTS OF PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM TO ADDRESS INDUSTRY ISSUES

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

PROJECT TEAM

# PROJECT TEAM

- GPC CORPORATE
  - HATCH ENGINEERING AND PROJECTS
  - NUCLEAR SAFETY AND LICENSING
  
- ARCHITECT ENGINEER
  - SOUTHERN COMPANY SERVICES, INC
  - BECHTEL EASTERN POWER COMPANY
  
- INDUSTRY ORGANIZATIONS
  - ELECTRIC POWER RESEARCH INSTITUTE
  - SEISMIC QUALIFICATION UTILITY GROUP
  
- CONSULTANTS
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(GENERAL CONSULTANT)
  
  - DR. JIM JOHNSON  
EQE, INC  
(SOIL-STRUCTURE INTERACTION)
  
  - DR. ED IDRIS  
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(SOIL EVALUATIONS)
  
  - MR. DAVE BUTTERMER AND DR. DENNIS BLEY  
PICKARD, LOWE AND GARRICK, INC  
(SYSTEMS CONSULTANTS)

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

## SCHEDULE

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM SCHEDULE

SELECT SEISMIC MARGIN EARTHQUAKE	COMPLETE
SELECT SEISMIC REVIEW TEAM	COMPLETE
SOIL EVALUATIONS	COMPLETE
SYSTEMS WORK	BEGIN 2/88 COMPLETE 10/88
SOIL-STRUCTURE INTERACTION	BEGIN 4/88 COMPLETE 7/88
PRE-SCREENING ACTIVITIES	BEGIN 2/88
SEISMIC CAPABILITY WALKDOWN	10/88 *
SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT	BEGIN 11/88 COMPLETE 4/89 *
ISSUE FINAL REPORT TO EPRI	6/89 *
ISSUE FINAL REPORT TO NRC	7/89 *
SER ISSUED BY NRC	10/89 *

\* SUBJECT TO PLANT HATCH OUTAGE SCHEDULE

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

## TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENTS



# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- SELECTION OF SEISMIC MARGIN EARTHQUAKE
- SELECTION OF SEISMIC REVIEW TEAM
- SOIL PROFILES WITH VARIABILITY
- SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT OF SOILS
  - SOIL LIQUEFACTION
  - SLOPE STABILITY
- HAVE BEGUN DEVELOPMENT OF THE LIST OF SAFE SHUTDOWN EQUIPMENT AND RELAYS
- PREPARATIONS ARE COMPLETE TO START THE SSI ANALYSIS
- HAVE BEGUN PRE-SCREENING OF CIVIL STRUCTURES, EQUIPMENT, AND SUBSYSTEMS
- SRT MEMBERS HAVE COMPLETED SQUG TRAINING CLASS

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

COMBINING SEISMIC MARGINS  
AND GENERIC LETTER 87-02  
FOR PLANT HATCH UNIT 1

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM PURPOSE OF GL 87-02 AND SMA

- GL 87-02: EVALUATE THE SEISMIC ADEQUACY OF EQUIPMENT NEEDED FOR SAFE SHUTDOWN FOLLOWING A SAFE SHUTDOWN EARTHQUAKE (SSE)
  
- SMA: DETERMINE MARGIN OVER THE SSE WHICH WILL ASSURE PLANT SAFETY AND DETERMINE ANY 'WEAKER LINKS' WHICH MIGHT LIMIT THE PLANT SHUTDOWN CAPACITY TO SAFELY WITHSTAND A SEISMIC EVENT LARGER THAN THE SSE

MAJOR ACTIVITIES FOR  
RESOLUTION OF GENERIC LETTER 87-02  
PLANT HATCH UNIT 1

- SELECTION OF SEISMIC REVIEW TEAM
- SYSTEMS WORK
- SCREENING VERIFICATION AND WALKDOWN
- OUTLIER IDENTIFICATION AND RESOLUTION
- DOCUMENTATION

ALL ACTIVITIES TO FOLLOW THE LATEST REVISION OF SQUG GIP's

# MAJOR ACTIVITIES FOR SEISMIC MARGINS ASSESSMENT PLANT HATCH UNIT 1

- SELECTION OF SME LEVEL
- SELECTION OF THE SEISMIC REVIEW TEAM \*
- SYSTEMS WORK \*
- DEVELOPMENT OF NEW FLOOR RESPONSE SPECTRA
- PRE-WALKDOWN \*
- PRE-SCREENING BEFORE WALKDOWN \*
- SEISMIC CAPABILITY WALKDOWN \*
- SEISMIC MARGINS ASSESSMENT WORK \*
- DOCUMENTATION
- REPORT

ALL ACTIVITIES FOLLOW EPRI METHODOLOGY

\* ACTIVITIES COMBINED WITH GL 87-02

# BASIC DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SEISMIC MARGINS AND G. L. 87-02

## 87-02

ASSUME NO LOCA, SLBA, OR HELB

EVALUATE USING SSE SPECTRA

PERFORM 100% WALKDOWN OF RELAYS, CABLE TRAYS, AND EQUIPMENT ANCHORAGE

DO NOT CONSIDER FLOODING

CONSIDER EQUIPMENT ONLY

## MARGINS

ASSUME SMALL LOCA

EVALUATE USING SMA SPECTRA

PERFORM SAMPLE WALKDOWN OF RELAYS, CABLE TRAYS, AND EQUIPMENT ANCHORAGE

CONSIDER FLOODING

INCLUDES CIVIL STRUCTURES, SUBSTRUCTURES, AND SOIL

PLANT HATCH WILL MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR BOTH PROGRAMS

# RESOLUTION OF UNIT 1 GL 87-02 AS PART OF THE SMA PROGRAM

- COMPLETE SAFE SHUTDOWN EQUIPMENT VERIFICATION
- COMPLETE RELAY EVALUATION TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE BASED ON STATUS OF RELAY GERS
- DEFER CABLE TRAY SUPPORT EVALUATION PENDING RECEIPT OF SER ON SQUG PROCEDURE

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM UNIT 2

- RESOLUTION OF PLANT HATCH UNIT 2  
SEISMIC TOPICS WILL BE BASED ON  
RESULTS OF UNIT 1 ACTIVITIES



# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

RESULTS ANTICIPATED

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM OVERALL RESULTS ANTICIPATED

- RESOLVE SEISMIC TOPICS AT PLANT HATCH
- RECEIVE SER OR OTHER DOCUMENT INDICATING NRC CONCURRENCE THAT PLANT HATCH SEISMIC ISSUES ARE RESOLVED
- SHOW THAT STRUCTURES AND COMPONENTS IN A PREFERRED SHUTDOWN PATH HAVE SEISMIC CAPABILITY MARGINS SUBSTANTIALLY ABOVE THE DESIGN BASIS EARTHQUAKE
- IDENTIFY 'WEAKER LINK' COMPONENTS HAVING LOWEST 'HIGH CONFIDENCE OF LOW PROBABILITY OF FAILURE' (HCLPF)
- DETERMINE DESIRABILITY OF MODIFICATIONS TO IMPROVE HCLPF OF 'WEAKER LINKS'

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM RESULTS ANTICIPATED

- SEISMIC TOPICS AT PLANT HATCH:
  - GENERIC LETTER 87-02 / USI A-46
  - FLOOR RESPONSE SPECTRA PEAK BROADENING ISSUE
  - DYNAMIC SOIL PROPERTIES
  - CABLE TRAY SUPPORTS
  - PVRC DAMPING
  - REACTOR BUILDING ROOF STRUCTURE

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM RESULTS ANTICIPATED

- INDUSTRY SEISMIC ISSUES:
  - USI A-40 (SEISMIC DESIGN OF TANKS)
  - USI A-17 SEISMIC SYSTEMS INTERACTION ONLY
  - EASTERN SEISMICITY
  - EXTERNAL EVENTS - SEISMIC
  
- FUTURE SEISMIC ISSUES

PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

NRC COMMUNICATIONS

# NRC COMMUNICATIONS

WHAT GROUP WITHIN NRC DOES GPC COMMUNICATE WITH?

- FOR GPC SEISMIC PROGRAM
- FOR SEISMIC MARGINS PROGRAM

PROPOSE MILESTONE MEETINGS FOR USI A-46 AND SMA  
BE COMBINED

NRC OVERVIEW

- GPC SEISMIC PROGRAM
  - TYPE OF OVERVIEW
  - ORGANIZATION PERFORMING REVIEW
- SEISMIC MARGINS
  - TYPE OF OVERVIEW
  - ORGANIZATION PERFORMING OVERVIEW
- SCHEDULE OR PLAN FOR OVERVIEW ACTIVITIES

# PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM

## SUMMARY

# SUMMARY

- PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM
  - RESOLVE SEISMIC TOPICS AT PLANT HATCH
  - RESOLVE APPROPRIATE PRESENT AND FUTURE SEISMIC ISSUES
  
- NRC PARTICIPATION
  - WORK WITH GPC IN IMPLEMENTATION OF PROGRAM
  - PROVIDE SER REFLECTING WORK PERFORMED IN PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM



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PLANT HATCH SEISMIC PROGRAM  
GEORGIA POWER COMPANY

MAY 10, 1988

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EPRI/NRC SEISMIC MARGINS MEETING

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ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

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PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES OF MEETING	R. P. KASSAWARA
PROJECT TASK DESCRIPTIONS	D. P. MOORE
PROJECT SCHEDULE	K. D. WOOTEN
DISCUSSION OF PROJECT/NRC INTERFACES	R. P. KASSAWARA
STATUS OF PROJECT EFFORTS TO DATE:	
• SELECTION OF SEISMIC MARGIN EARTHQUAKE	I. M. IDRIS
• SOIL LIQUEFACTION	I. M. IDRIS
• SLOPE STABILITY	I. M. IDRIS
• SOIL PROFILES	I. M. IDRIS
• SOIL STRUCTURE INTERACTION	J. J. JOHNSON
• GENERATION OF IN-STRUCTURE SPECTRA	J. J. JOHNSON
DISCUSSION OF ACTION ITEMS AND NEXT INTERFACE	D. M. CROWE

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SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT

BACKGROUND

# EPRI-NRC Seismic Margins Interactions

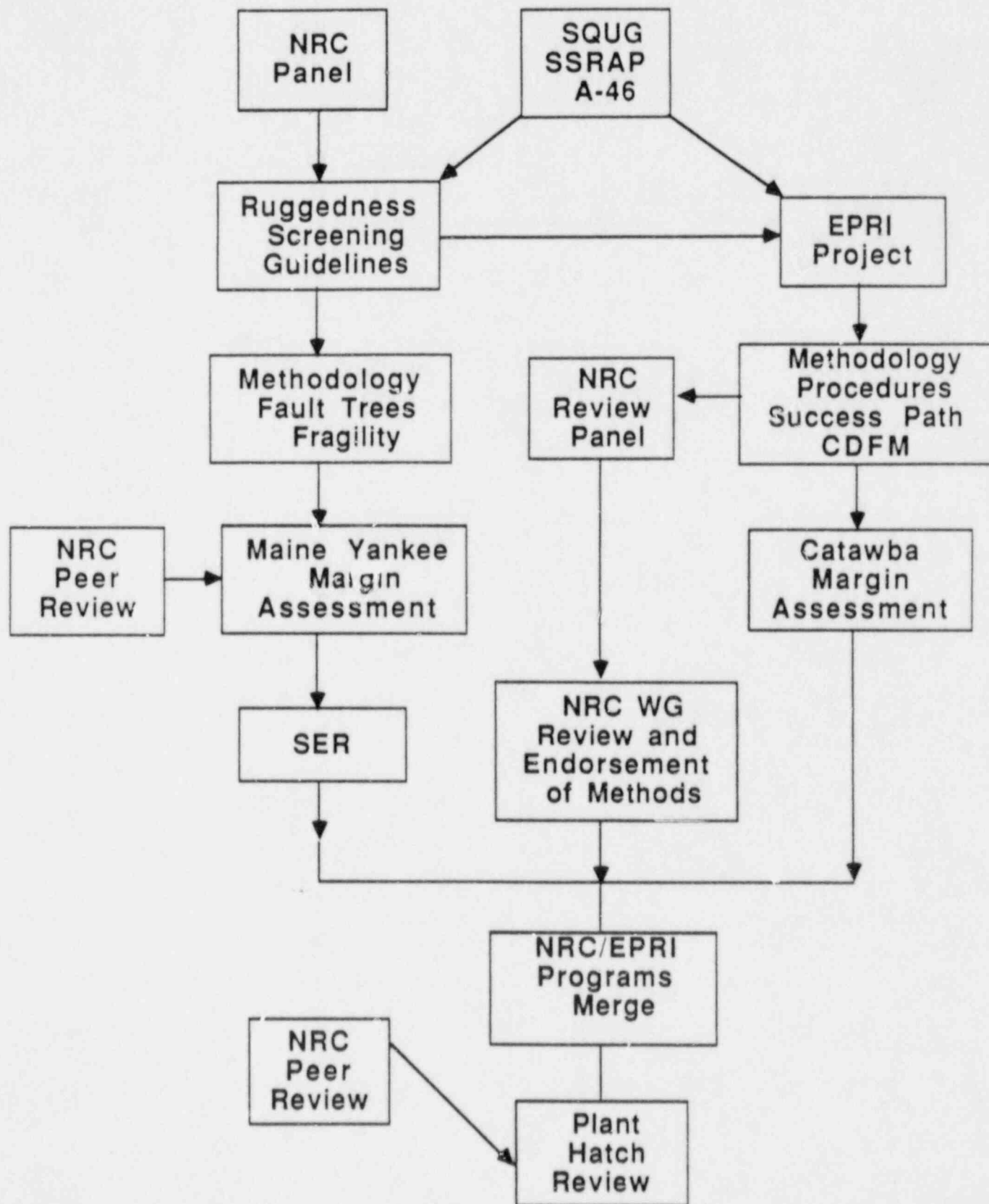
## Methods

- NRC review of methods
  - Review Panel
  - Merging of different approaches
    - Success path vs. fault tree/cut sets
    - CDFM vs. fragility
  - Basic agreement on success path/CDFM
  - Plant vulnerabilities -- severe accident policy
- NRC Seismic Design Margins Working Group endorsement of methodology

## BWR Review

- Programs merge
  - EPRI does plant evaluation
  - NRC reviews, does substantiating research
- Schedule
  - Methods document to NRC April 87
  - Review completed June 87
  - BWR Review Starts Jan. 88
  - NRC Kickoff Meeting May 88
  - Complete Mid 89

# Research Efforts on Seismic Margin



# OUTLIERS NEEDING UPGRADE OR JUSTIFICATION

## Maine Yankee

Lead Antimony  
Batteries

Diesel Generator Day  
Tanks

Station Service  
Transformers

Block Wall

Chillers

## Catawba

Several Seismic Interactions

Pipe Support Thermal Failures

Valve/Adjacent Pipe  
Supports

Slack in Armor Cable to  
Valve

Diesel Room Battery Racks

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PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES  
OF MEETING

## Meeting Objectives

- Convey Project Schedules, time constraints
- Discussion of Interfaces
- Summarize Project Efforts to Date
  - Results
  - Status



EPRI/NRC  
SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT

PROJECT TASK DESCRIPTION

# MAJOR ACTIVITIES FOR SEISMIC MARGINS ASSESSMENT PLANT HATCH UNIT 1

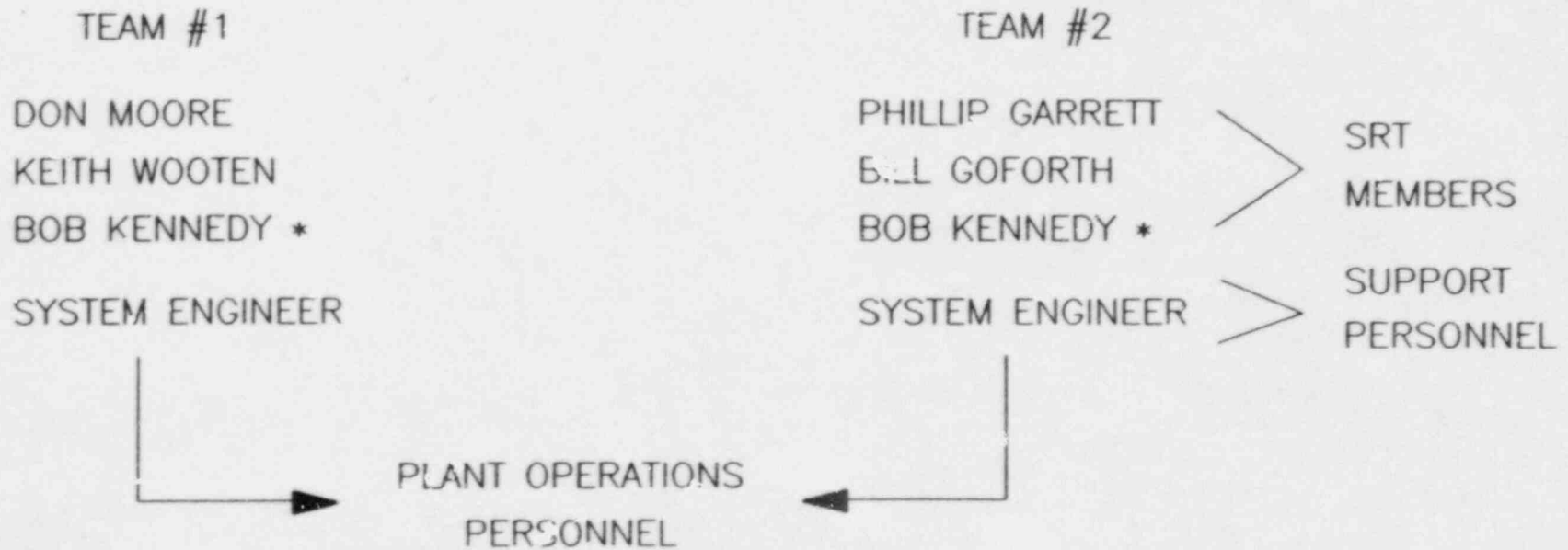
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ALL ACTIVITIES FOLLOW EPRI METHODOLOGY

# SELECTION OF SME LEVEL

- PGA 0.3g
- FOURTH ALTERNATIVE OF THE SMA METHODOLOGY

# SELECTION OF THE SEISMIC REVIEW TEAM



\* BOB KENNEDY'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ASSURE THE SCREENING IS FOLLOWING THE EPRI METHODOLOGY
- ASSIST ON BOTH WALKDOWN TEAMS

# SYSTEMS WORK

- IDENTIFY PREFERRED SUCCESS PATH AND ONE ALTERNATE PATH TO BRING THE PLANT TO SAFE SHUTDOWN AND MAINTAIN THAT CONDITION FOR 72 HOURS

- LEAD SYSTEMS ENGINEERS:

FLUID-MECHANICAL

ELECTRICAL

TOM BARR

RON BAILEY

- ROLE OF PICKARD, LOWE AND GARRICK:
  - REVIEW SUCCESS PATH LOGIC DIAGRAMS
  - REVIEW COMPONENT LIST FOR REPRESENTATIVE SYSTEM
  - REVIEW RELAY LIST AND RELAY EVALUATION FOR REPRESENTATIVE SYSTEM
  - PROVIDE ASSURANCE FOR:
    - TECHNICAL ACCURACY
    - ADHERENCE TO EPRI METHODOLOGY
    - CONSISTENCY WITH CATAWBA SMA

# DEVELOPMENT OF NEW FLOOR RESPONSE SPECTRA

- ORIGINAL UNIT 1 SEISMIC ANALYSIS IS VERY CONSERVATIVE, THEREFORE, SCALING PROCEDURES ARE NOT APPROPRIATE
- NEW FLOOR RESPONSE SPECTRA WILL BE DEVELOPED REQUIRING NEW SOIL-STRUCTURE INTERACTION ANALYSIS (SSI)
- SSI ANALYSIS WILL INCLUDE:
  - ENHANCED BUILDING MODELS
  - STRAIN-COMPATIBLE SOIL PROFILES
- SSI ANALYSIS TO BE PERFORMED BY EQE, INC.

## PRE-WALKDOWN

- PURPOSE IS TO ORGANIZE FOR THE SEISMIC CAPABILITY WALKDOWN
- PRE-WALKDOWN INCLUDES:
  - LOCATING EQUIPMENT IN THE PLANT
  - IDENTIFYING ANY AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT MOUNTED SEPARATELY
  - EVALUATING RADIATION LEVELS, LOGISTICS, SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS NEEDED FOR INSPECTIONS, ETC.

## PRE-SCREENING PRIOR TO WALKDOWN

- REVIEW OF PLANT HATCH SEISMIC DESIGN DOCUMENTS
- PREPARE SUMMARY REPORT OF PLANT HATCH SEISMIC DESIGN BASIS
- OBTAIN DATA NEEDED TO SCREEN OUT CIVIL STRUCTURES, SUBSYSTEMS, AND EQUIPMENT
- PRE-SCREEN CIVIL STRUCTURES, SUBSYSTEMS, AND EQUIPMENT USING TABLES 2-3 AND 2-4 OF THE EPRI METHODOLOGY
- ORGANIZE INFORMATION ON EACH ITEM OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE SEISMIC CAPABILITY WALKDOWN



# SEISMIC CAPABILITY WALKDOWN

- TWO SRT's FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS
- 100% 'WALK-BY' OF ALL ACCESSIBLE EQUIPMENT
- INSPECTION OF SUBSYSTEMS ON A SAMPLING BASIS
- ANCHORAGE
- SEISMIC SPATIAL SYSTEM INTERACTION:
  - PROXIMITY EFFECTS
  - II/I
  - FLEXIBILITY OF ATTACHED LINES
  - FLOODING FROM RUPTURED TANKS OR PIPING

# SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT

- ALL ITEMS WHICH CAN NOT BE SCREENED OUT DURING THE WALKDOWN WILL BE RESOLVED IN THE SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT PORTION OF THE PROJECT
- POSSIBLE APPROACHES:
  - GENERIC EQUIPMENT QUALIFICATION
  - CONSERVATIVE DETERMINISTIC FAILURE MARGIN
  - IN-SITU TESTING
  - SHAKE TABLE TESTING
  - EXPAND EARTHQUAKE EXPERIENCE DATA BASE
- DR. ROBERT P. KENNEDY WILL PARTICIPATE

# DOCUMENTATION

- SAMPLE OF ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED:
  - BASIS FOR SME
  - LISTING OF EACH ITEM OF THE SUCCESS PATHS
  - NEW FRS
  - LIST OF RELAYS FOR WHICH CHATTER MUST BE PREVENTED
  - SRT DOCUMENTATION OF EACH ITEM REVIEWED
  - COMPLETED WALKDOWN FORMS
  - ALL SMA REVIEWS DOCUMENTED

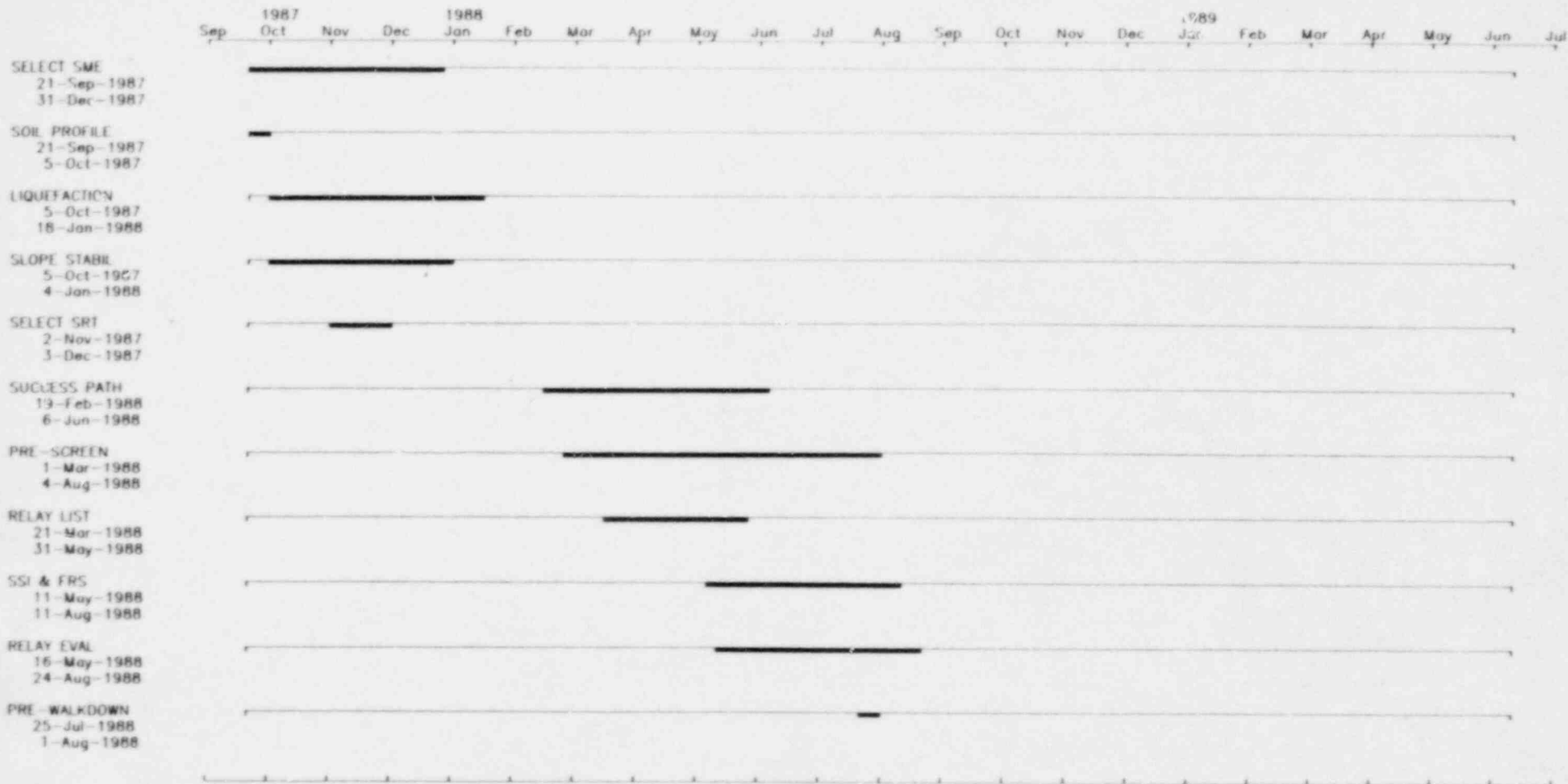
# FINAL REPORT

- SAMPLE OF ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED:
  - PLANT DESCRIPTION
  - ORIGINAL PLANT SEISMIC DESIGN BASIS
  - SELECTION OF SME
  - DEVELOPMENT OF FRS
  - WALKDOWN RESULTS
  - ASSESSMENT OF ELEMENTS NOT SCREENED OUT
  - EVALUATION OF RELAYS
  - SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

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SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT

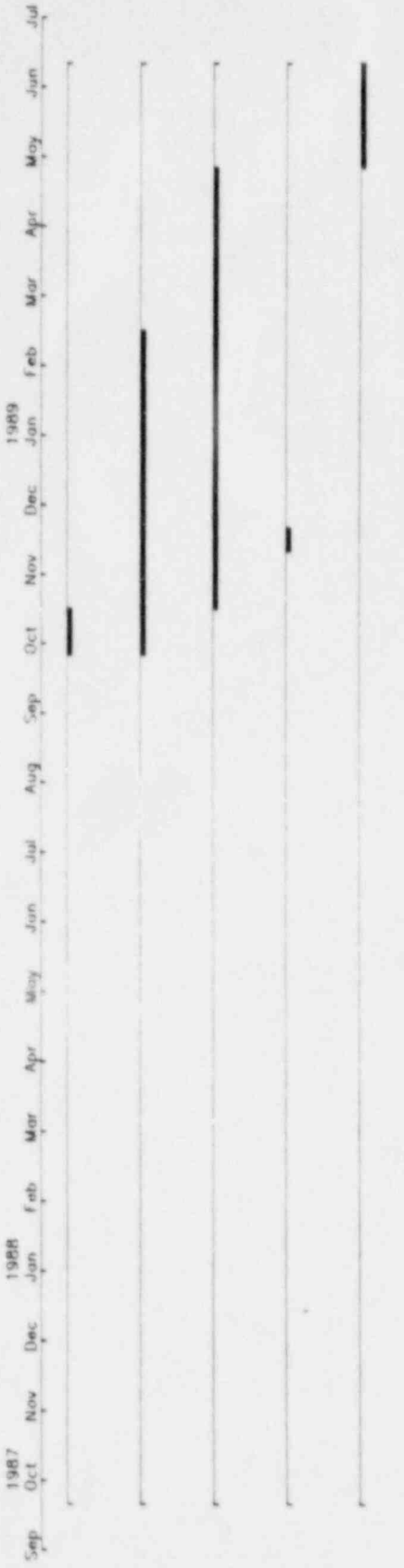
PROJECT SCHEDULE

PLANT HATCH SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT PROJECT  
Gantt Chart Project: SMAS



PLANT HATCH SEISMIC ASSESSMENT PROJECT  
Project: SMAS

Gantt Chart



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SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT

PROJECT/NRC INTERFACES



## Discussion of Interfaces

- Paths of Communication
- Role of the NRC Peer Group
- Project Interface with the Peer Group
  - Mode of Interaction
  - Schedules (times to interface)
- Information Requirements
- Plant Outage Schedules and Requirements
- NRC Studies

# Peer Group Interfaces

- Mode of interface

- Information packages -- by mail
- Peer Group review
- Peer Group consensus
- Peer Group response -- by mail
- Meetings, if resolution required

- Milestones

- Soil/SSI May 10, 1988
- Success path decisions June 6, 1988
- Floor response spectra Aug 11, 1988
- Relay chatter Aug 24, 1988
- (systems screen)
- Walkdown Oct 1, 1988
- Postwalkdown assessment April 1989
- Final report June 1989

# SEISMIC MARGIN ASSESSMENT (SMA)

GEORGIA POWER COMPANY'S  
E. I. HATCH NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
APPLING COUNTY, GEORGIA

Issues Related to Soils  
and  
Earthquake Ground Motions

Presentation to NRC  
10 May 1988

Woodward-Clyde Consultants

# General Philosophy of the SMA Methodology

- The Seismic Margin Earthquake (SME) is conservatively specified.
- The response of earth structures (eg, soil profile, slope ...) to the SME is median centered.
- The capacity (eg, shear stress required to cause liquefaction ...) assessment for a given response is selected conservatively.

## General Philosophy of the SMA Methodology (Cont'd)

- The Trial SME Level should be set sufficiently high so that some plant components in the success path are found to have HCLPF SME capacity levels less than this trial SME level.
- Then both the components which control the HCLPF SME capacity level of the plant and the plant's HCLPF SME capacity level can be established.
- On the other hand, the trial SME level should not be set so high as to result in a substantial increase in the workload for the SMA.

## Selection of Earthquake Ground Motions for use in a Seismic Margin Assessment

In accordance of the methodology developed by EPRI and approved by the US NRC, there are four alternate ways by which these ground motions can be specified.

1. A Selected PGA (or ZPA) multiplied by the 84% non-exceedance probability (NEP) response spectral amplification factors (eg,NUREG 0098, RG 1.60).
2. A spectrum is selected to have essentially uniform hazard throughout the frequency range.

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## Selection of Earthquake Ground Motions for use in a Seismic Margin Assessment

(Cont'd)

3. The hazard is specified in terms of a specific magnitude range and a specified distance from the site. Using a sufficient number of appropriately scaled real (and possibly synthetically derived) time histories, the 84% NEP spectrum is obtained.
4. A standard (non-site specific) trial SME spectrum may be negotiated with the NRC. For example, the median NUREG 0098 spectral shape may be selected and anchored to the desired PGA (or ZPA) .

# E. I. HATCH NPP -- SMA

## Earthquake Ground Motions - Plant Area

### SEISMIC MARGIN EARTHQUAKE (SME) :

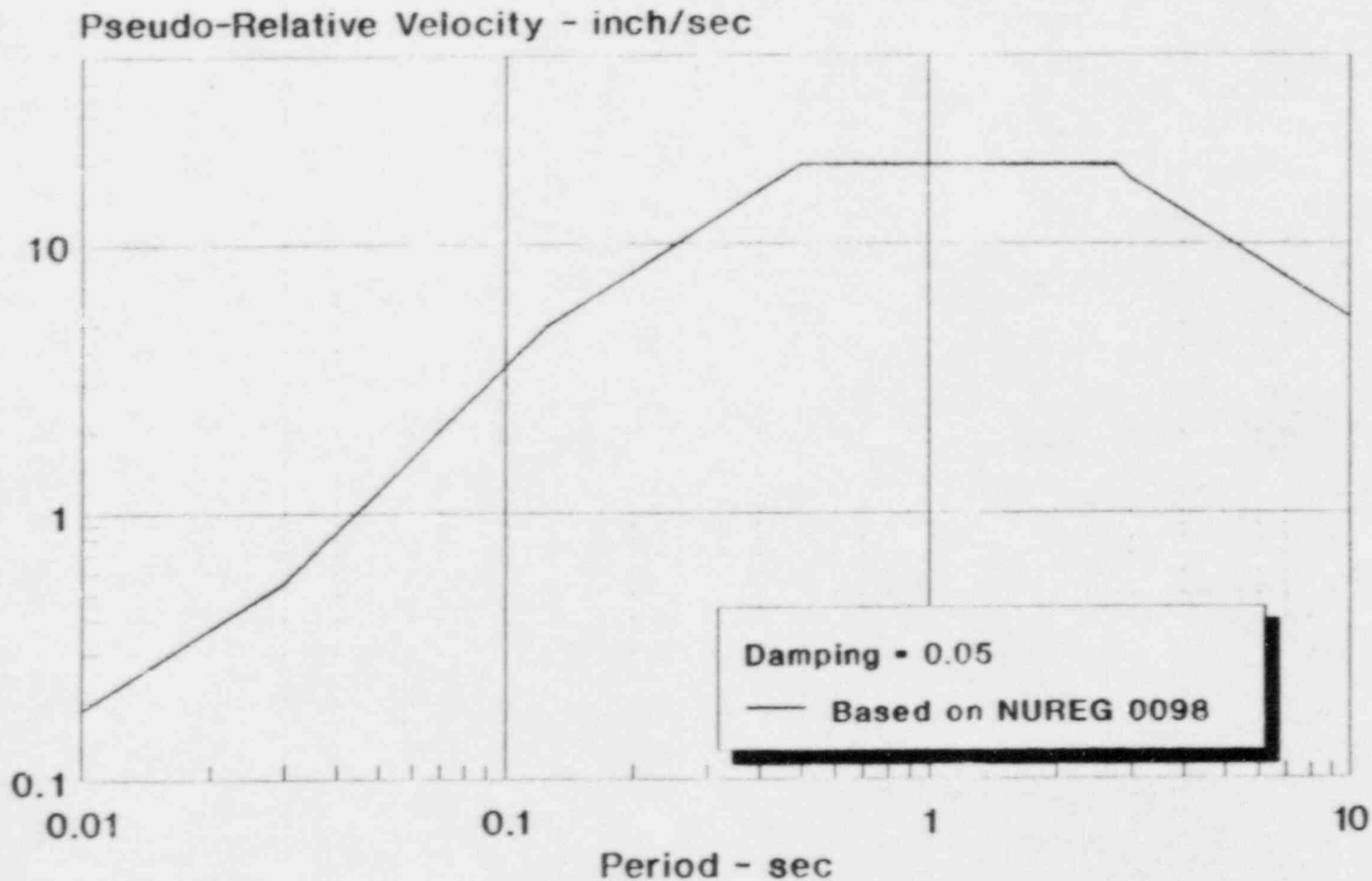
- . Magnitude of about 6-1/4
- . Within Distance of about 25 km of the Site

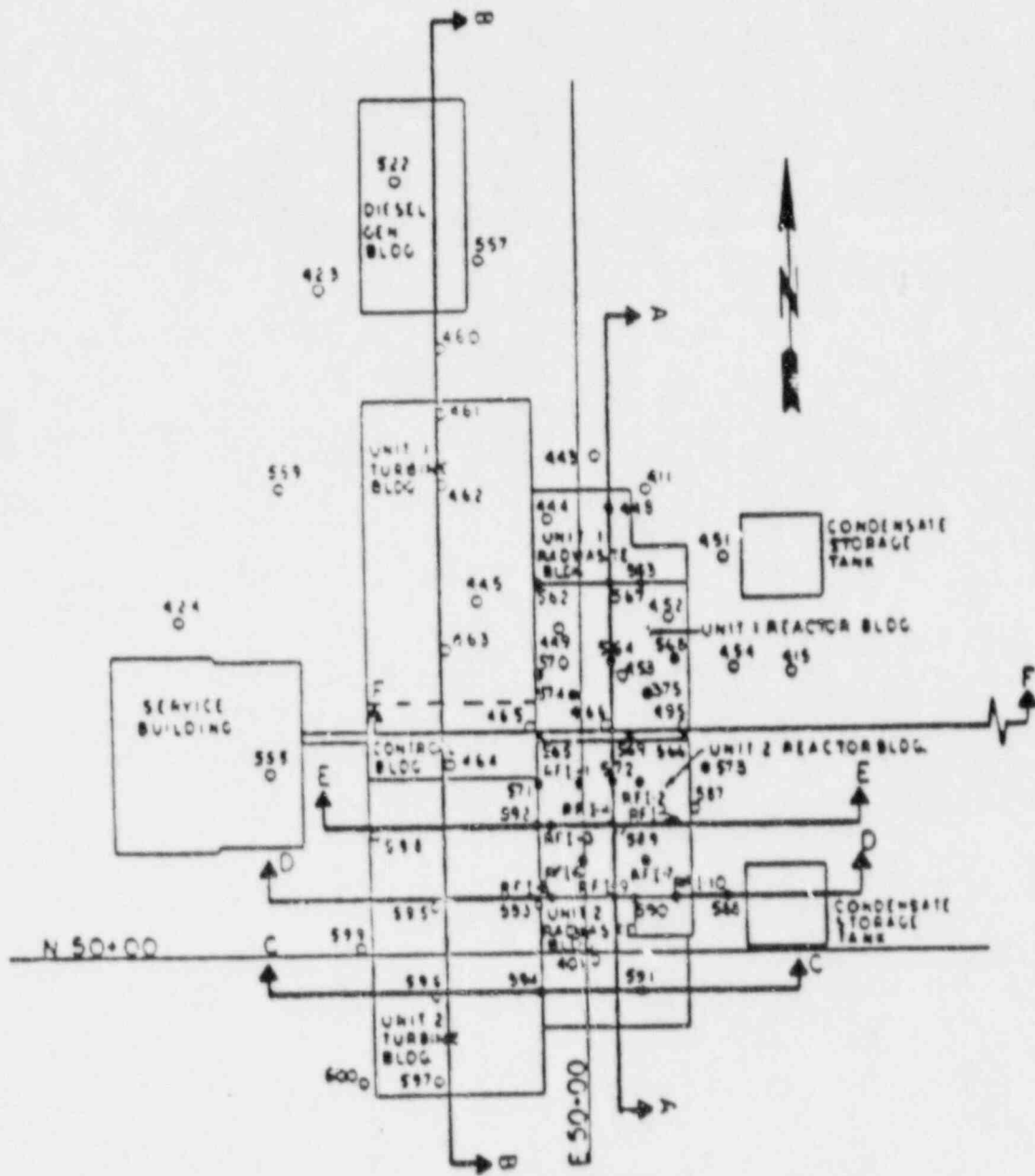
### CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SELECTED SME :

- .  $v/a = 100 \text{ cm/sec/g}$  (39.4 in/sec/g)
- .  $ad/v^2 = 5$



HATCH NPP -- SMA  
Spectral Ordinates for Target Ground  
Motion -- ZPA = 0.3 g





**LEGEND**

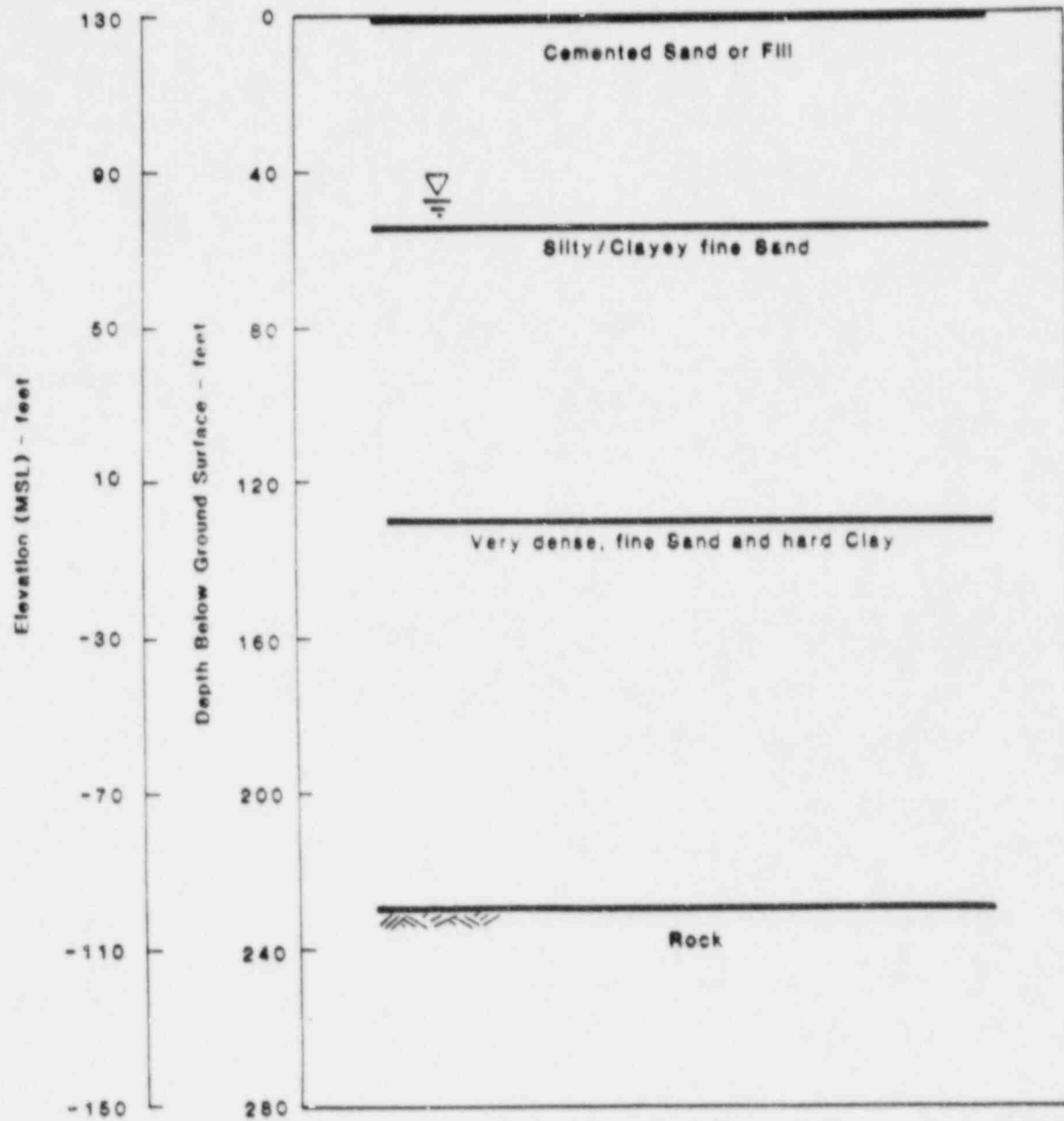
- PRE CONSTRUCTION TEST BORING
- CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION BORING

SCALE



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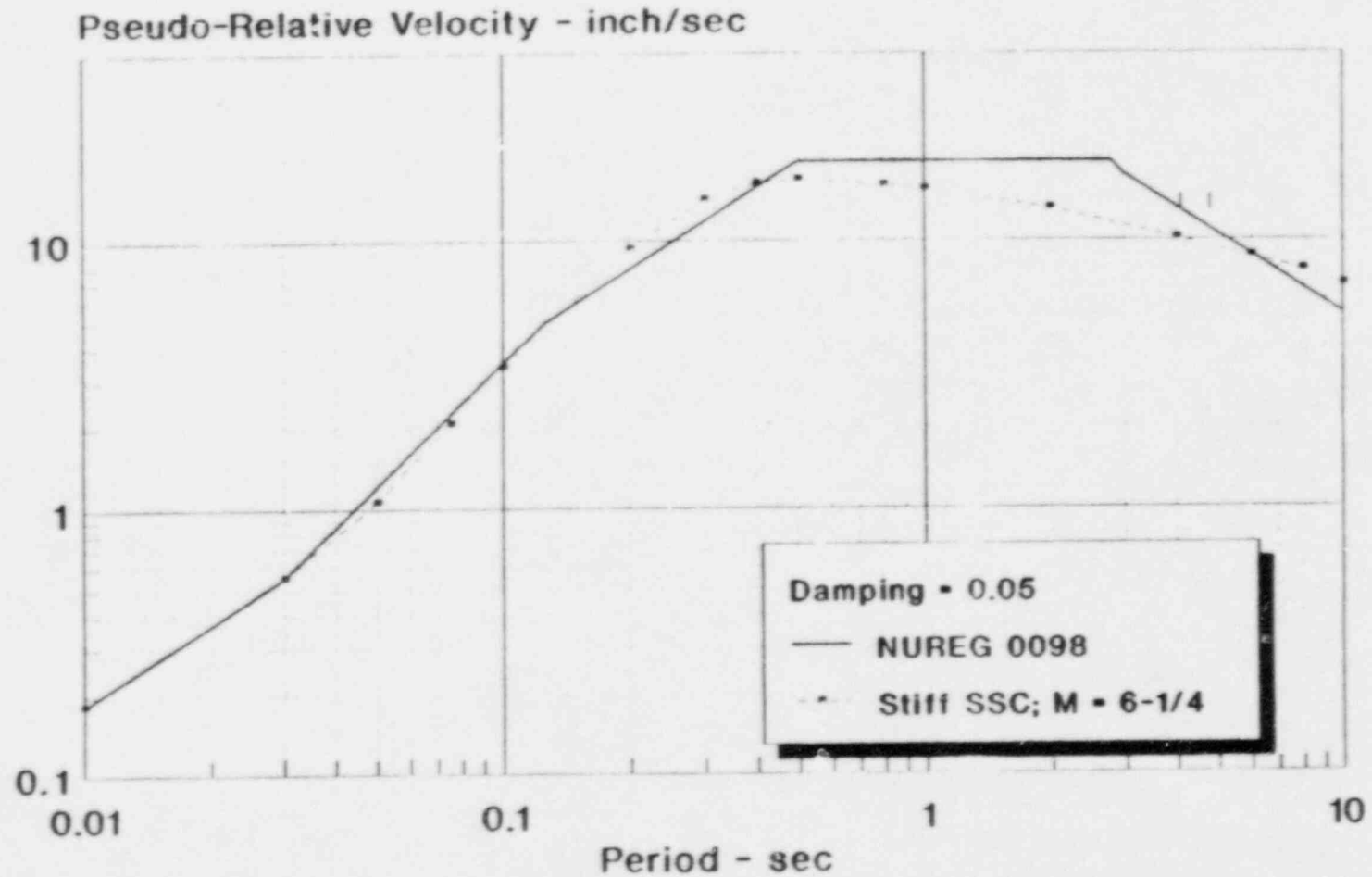
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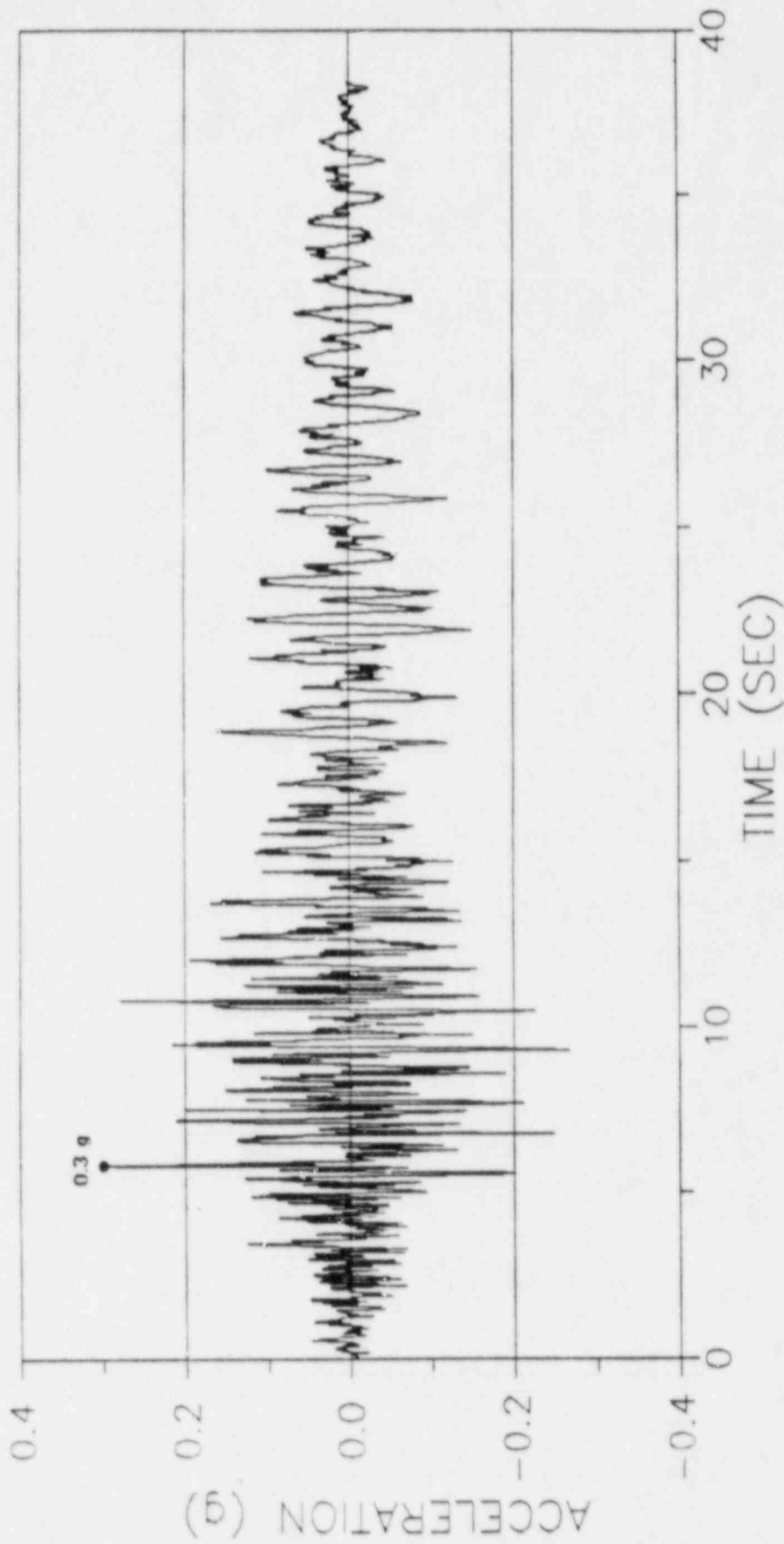
GENERALIZED SOIL PROFILE -  
 PLANT AREA

FIG  
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# HATCH NPP -- SMA

Ordinates Based on NUREG 0098 Spectral  
Shape & Those for Stiff SSC & M = 6-1/4





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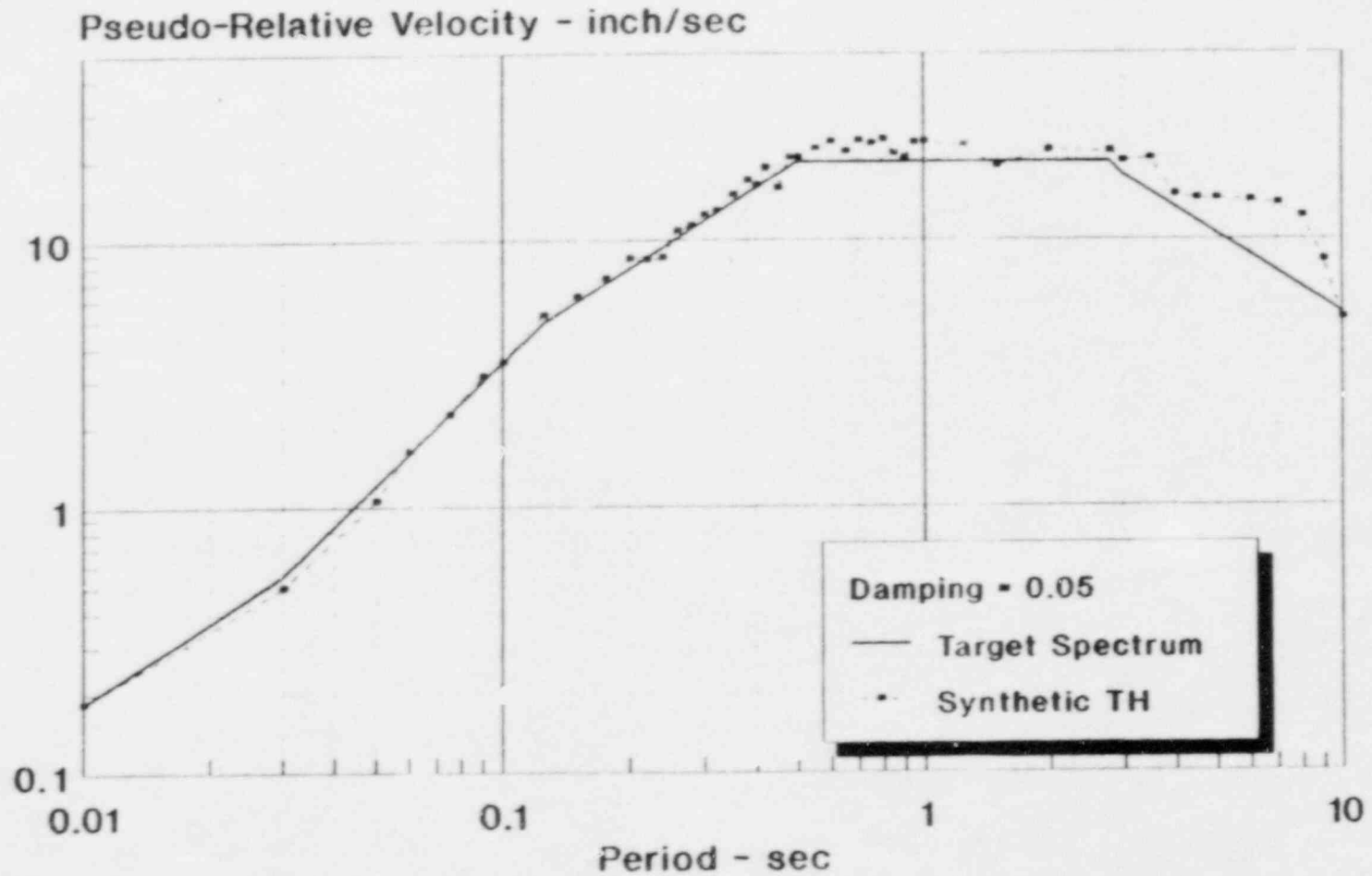
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SYNTHETIC ACCELEROGRAM FOR SELECTED SME

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# HATCH NPP -- SMA

Spectral Ordinates for Target Ground Motion & for Synthetic Time History



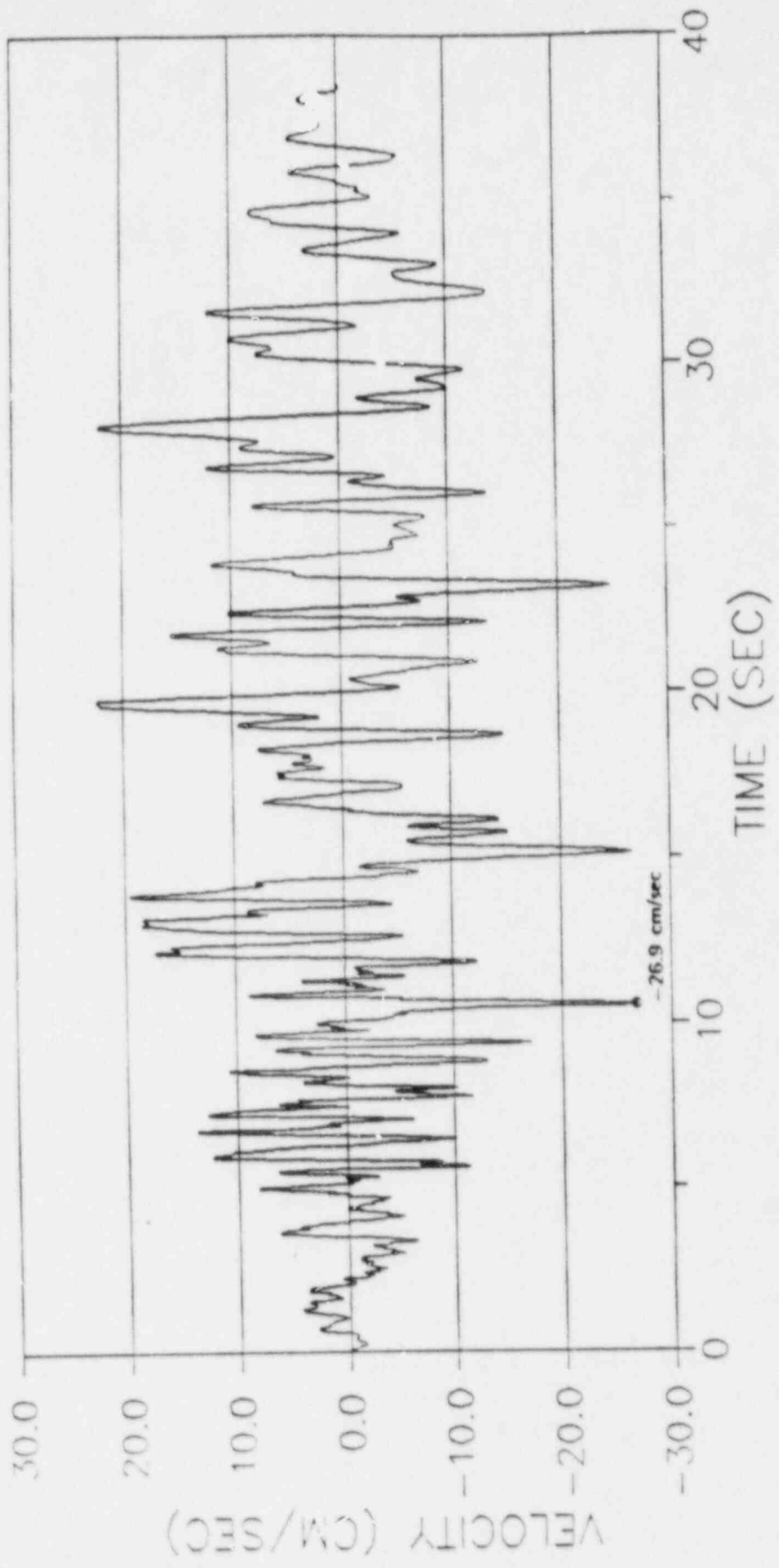
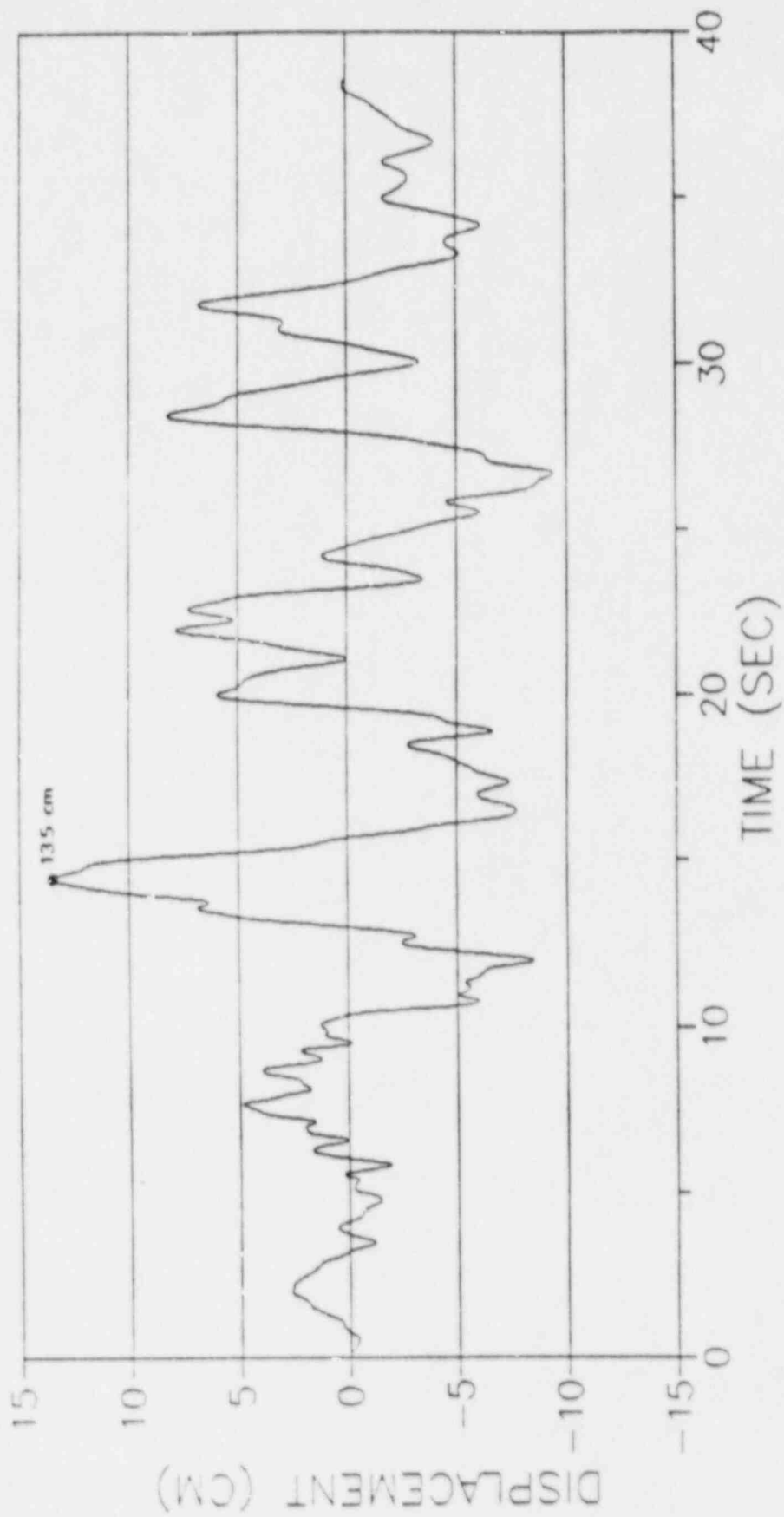


Fig 11

CALCULATED VELOCITY FOR SYNTHETIC ACCELEROGRAM

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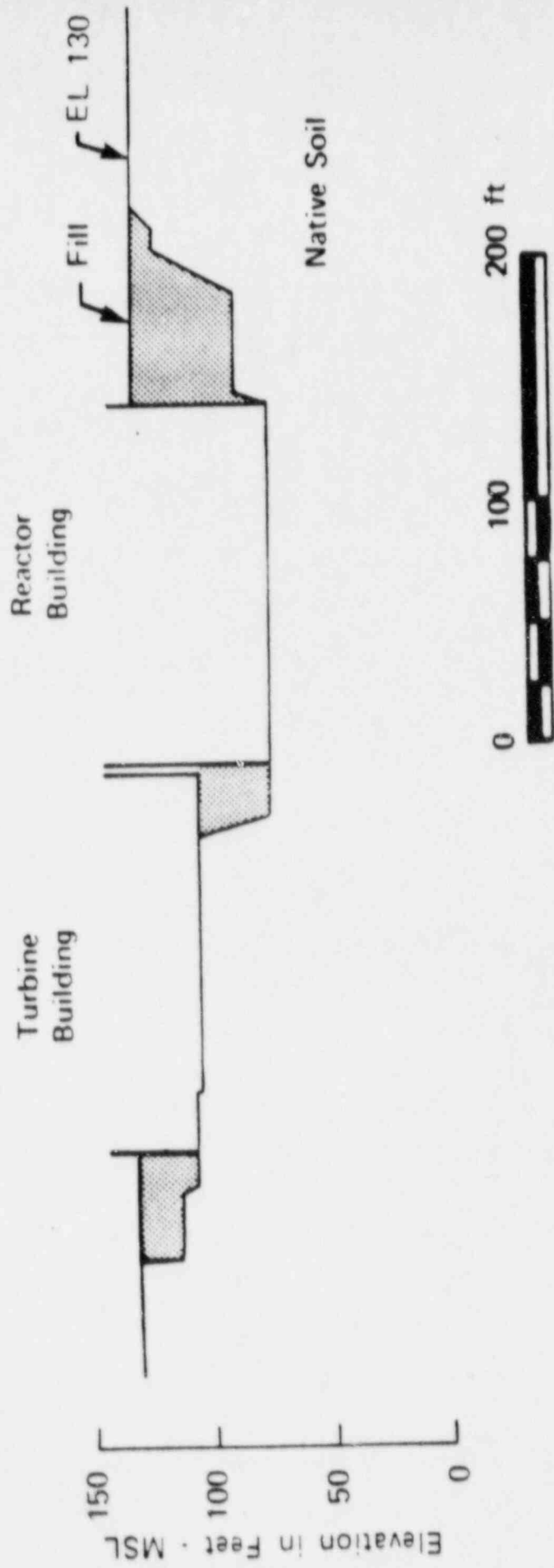
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CALCULATED DISPLACEMENT FOR SYNTHETIC ACCELEROGRAM

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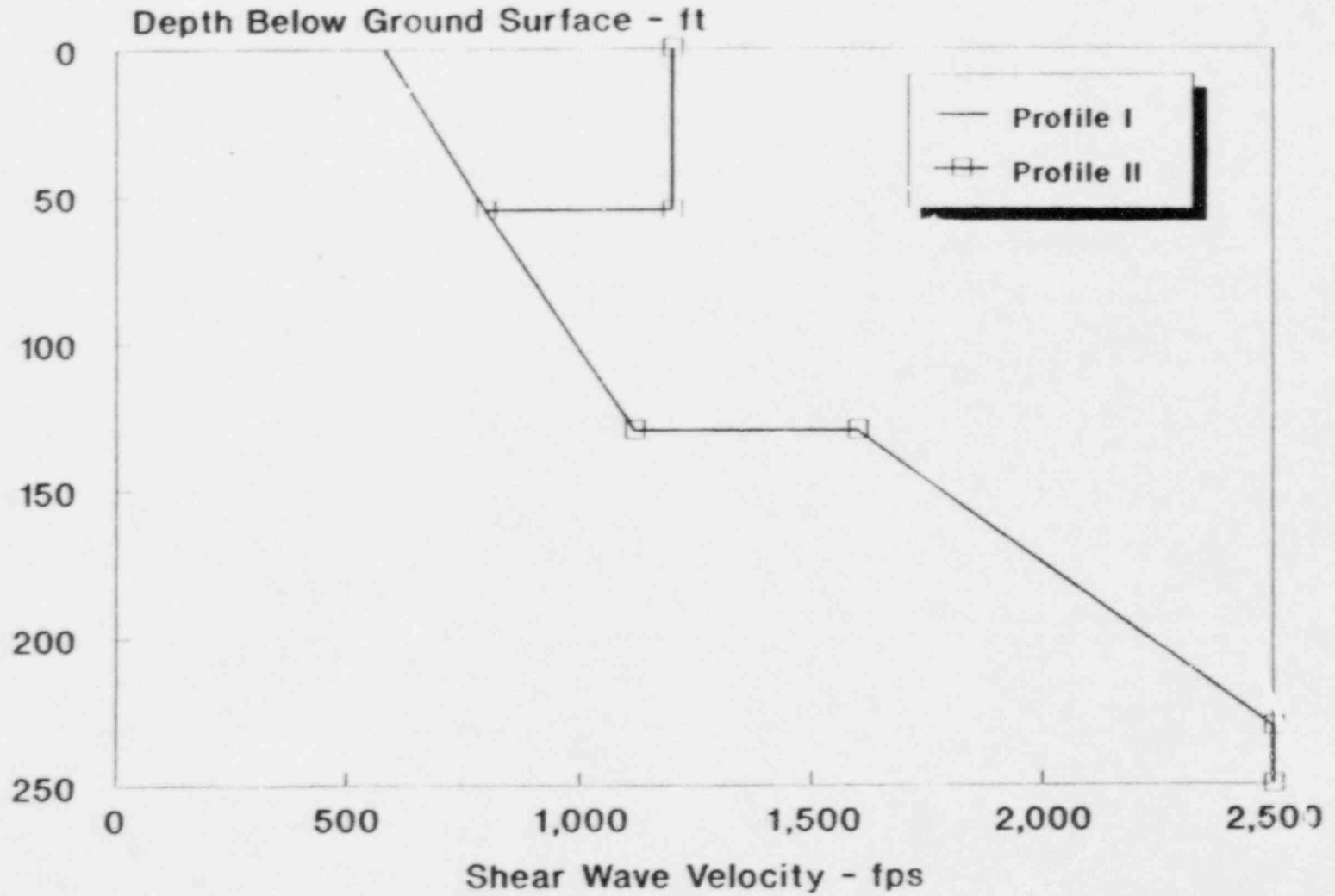


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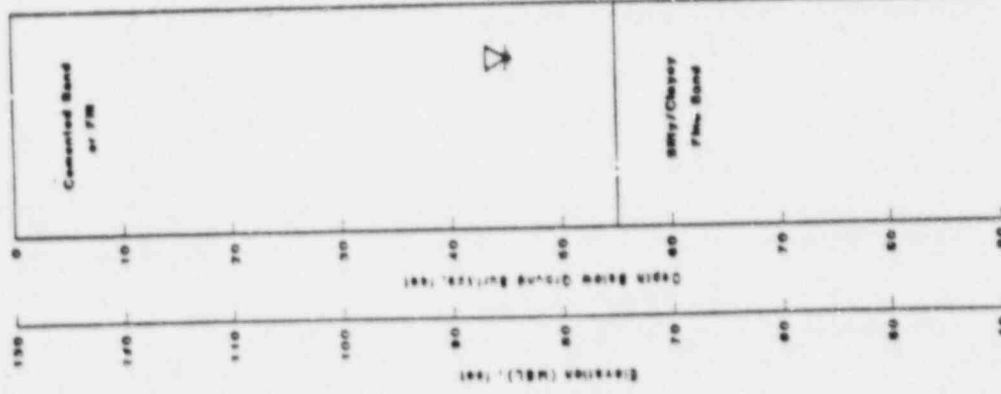
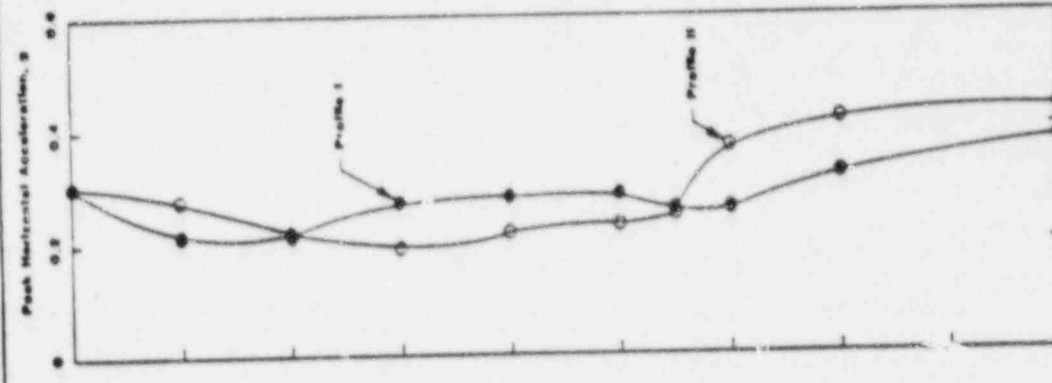
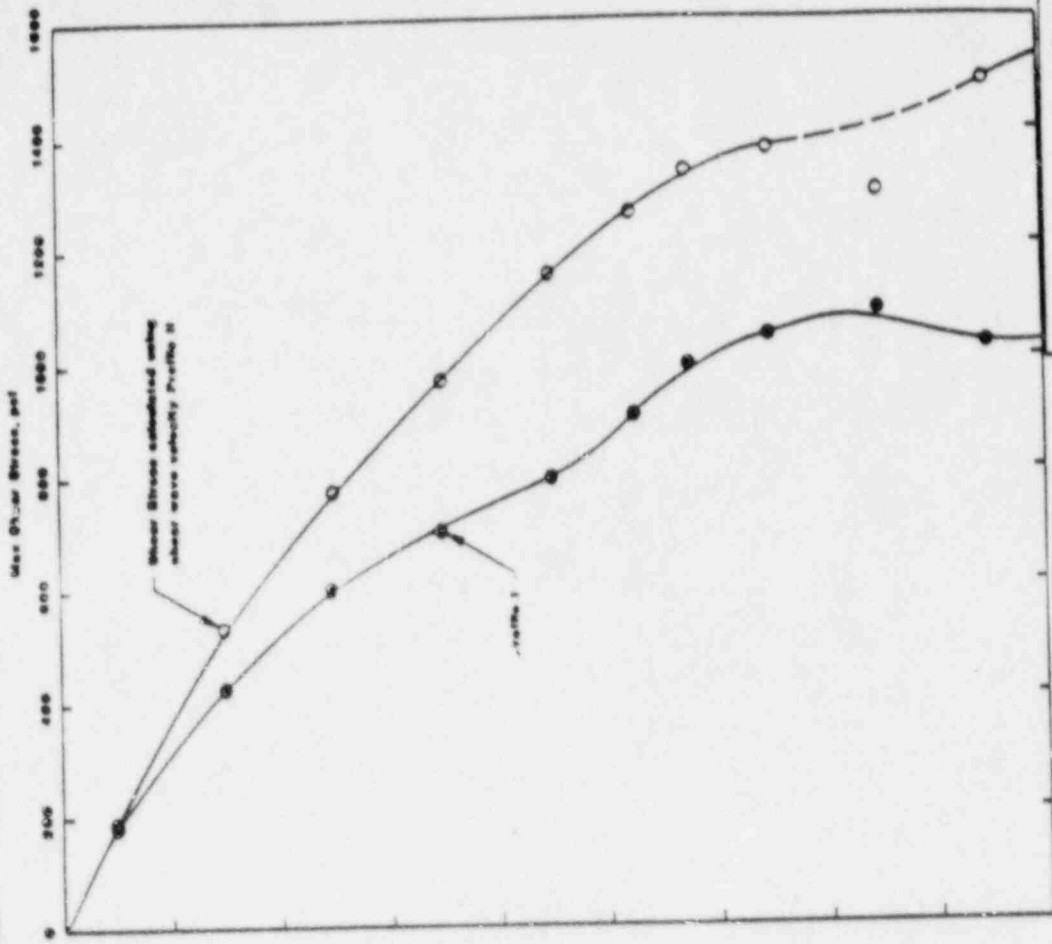
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# Low Strain Shear Wave Velocity Profiles

Plant Area -- HATCH NPP



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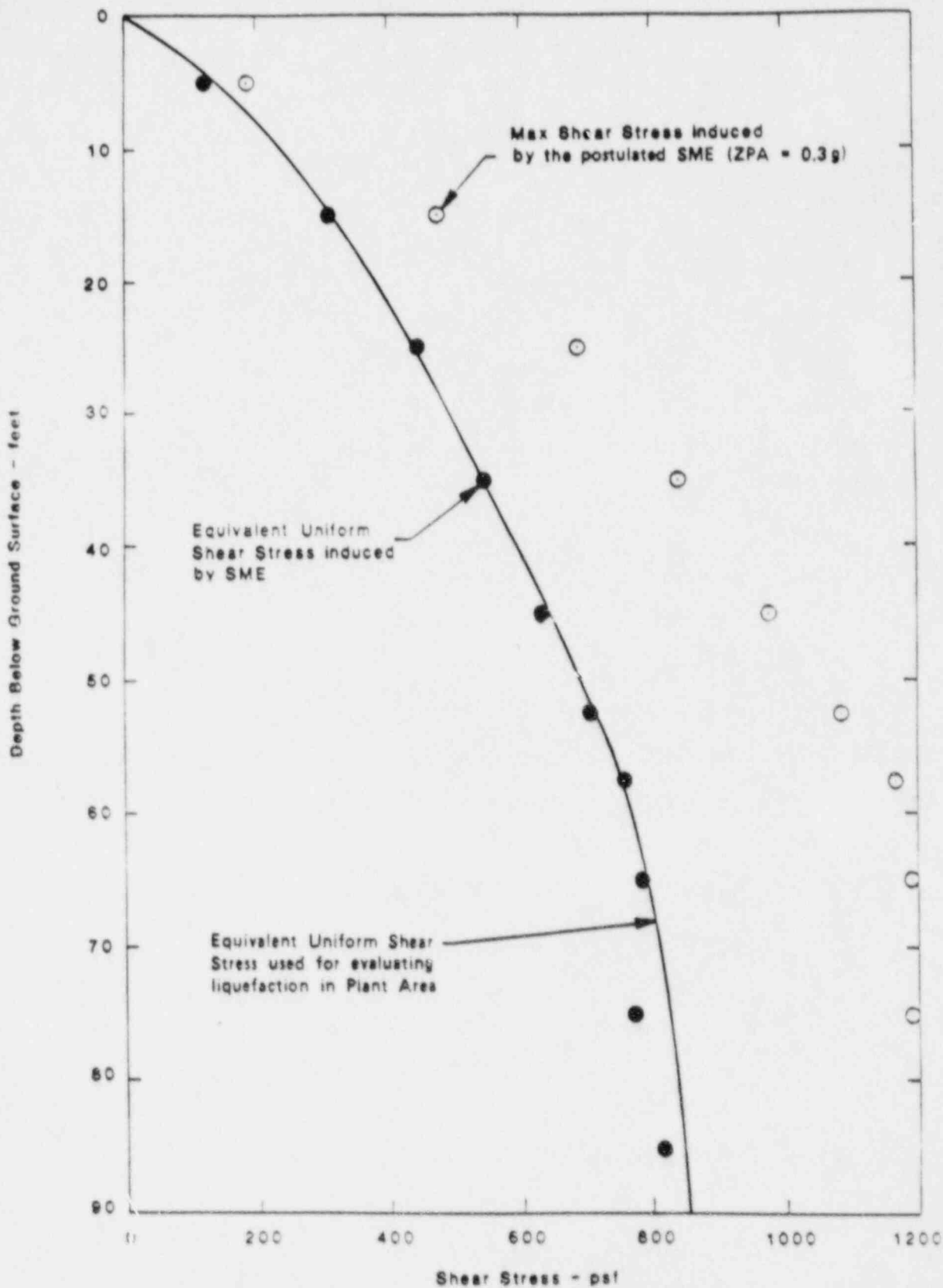
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RANGE OF CALCULATED ACCELERATIONS AND SHEAR STRESSES - PLANT AREA

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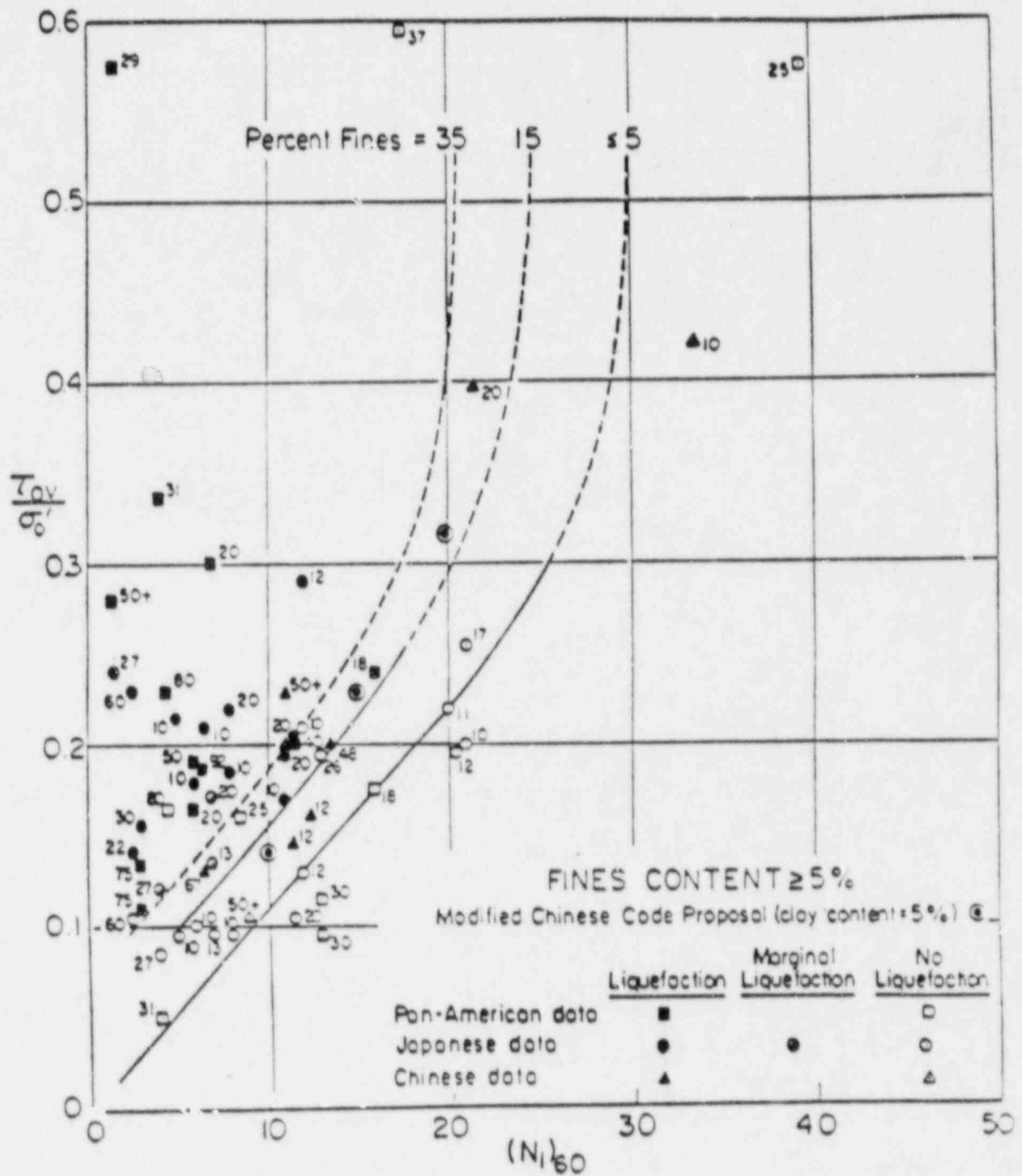
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MAX AND EQUIVALENT UNIFORM STRESSES  
 USED IN LIQUEFACTION EVALUATION-  
 PLANT AREA

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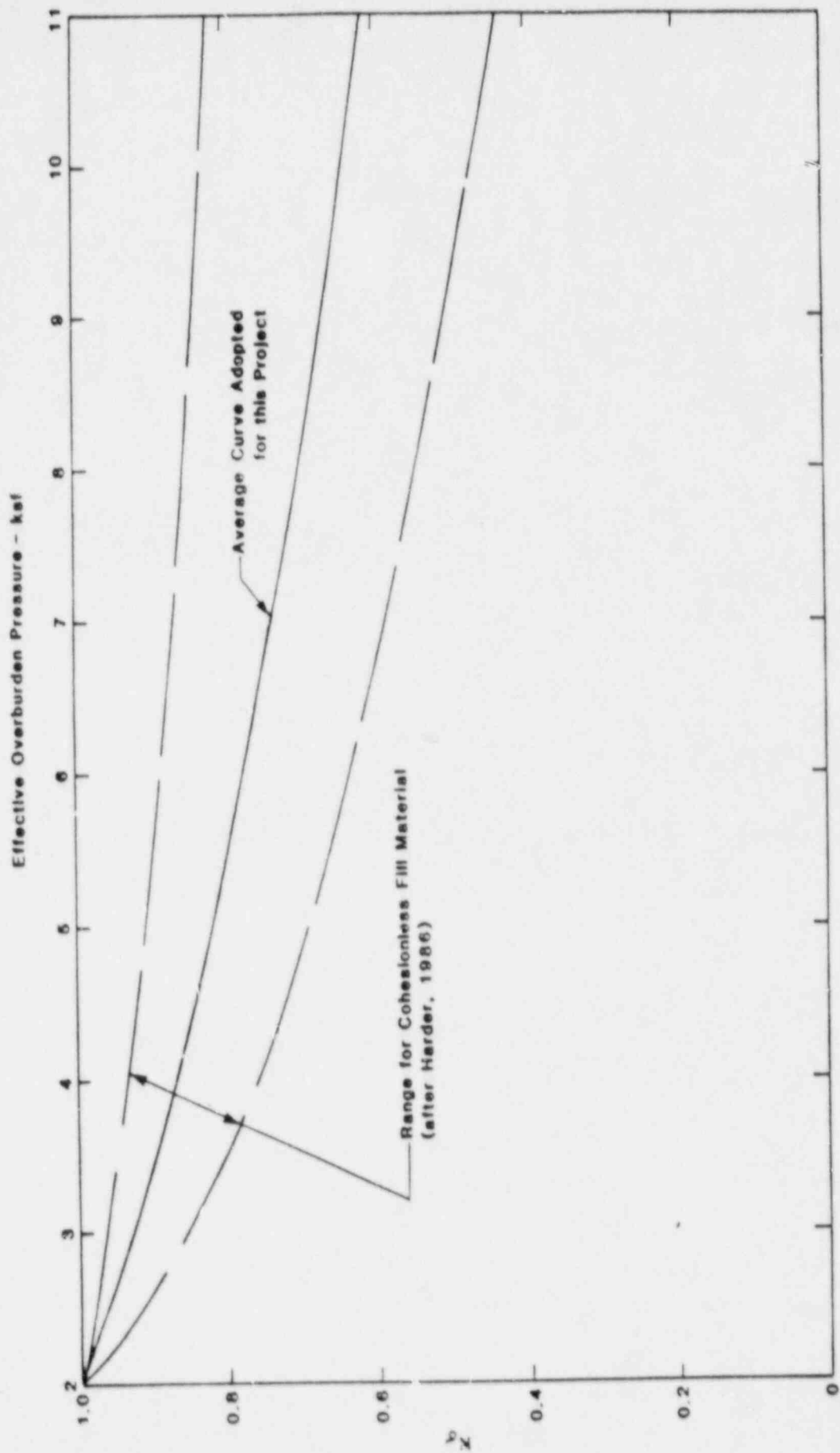


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CYCLIC STRESS RATIO VERSUS  $(N_1)_{60}$   
M = 7 1/2

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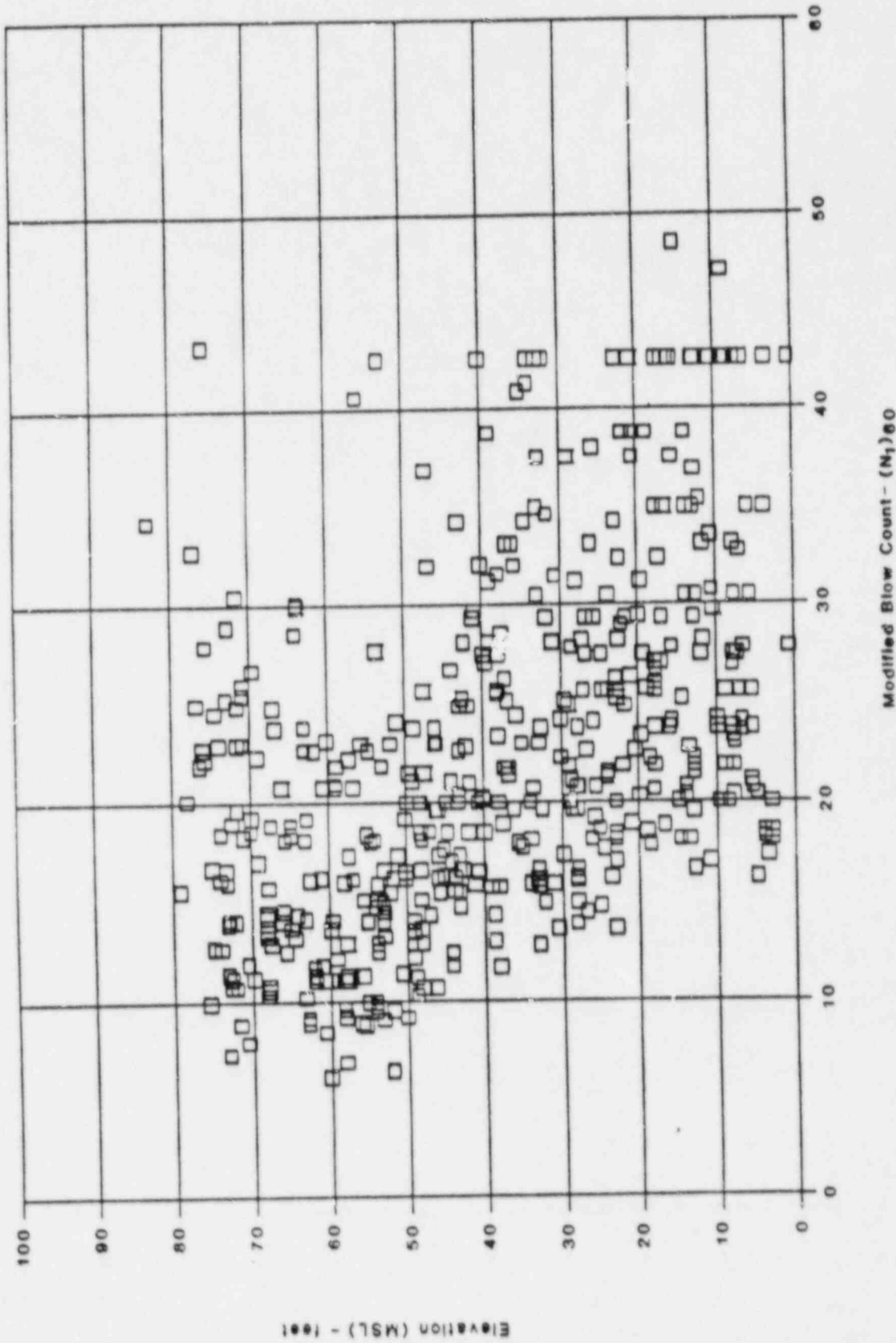
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EFFECTS OF INITIAL CONFINING PRESSURE  
ON CYCLIC STRESS RATIO

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PLANT AREA  
Pre Construction Borings



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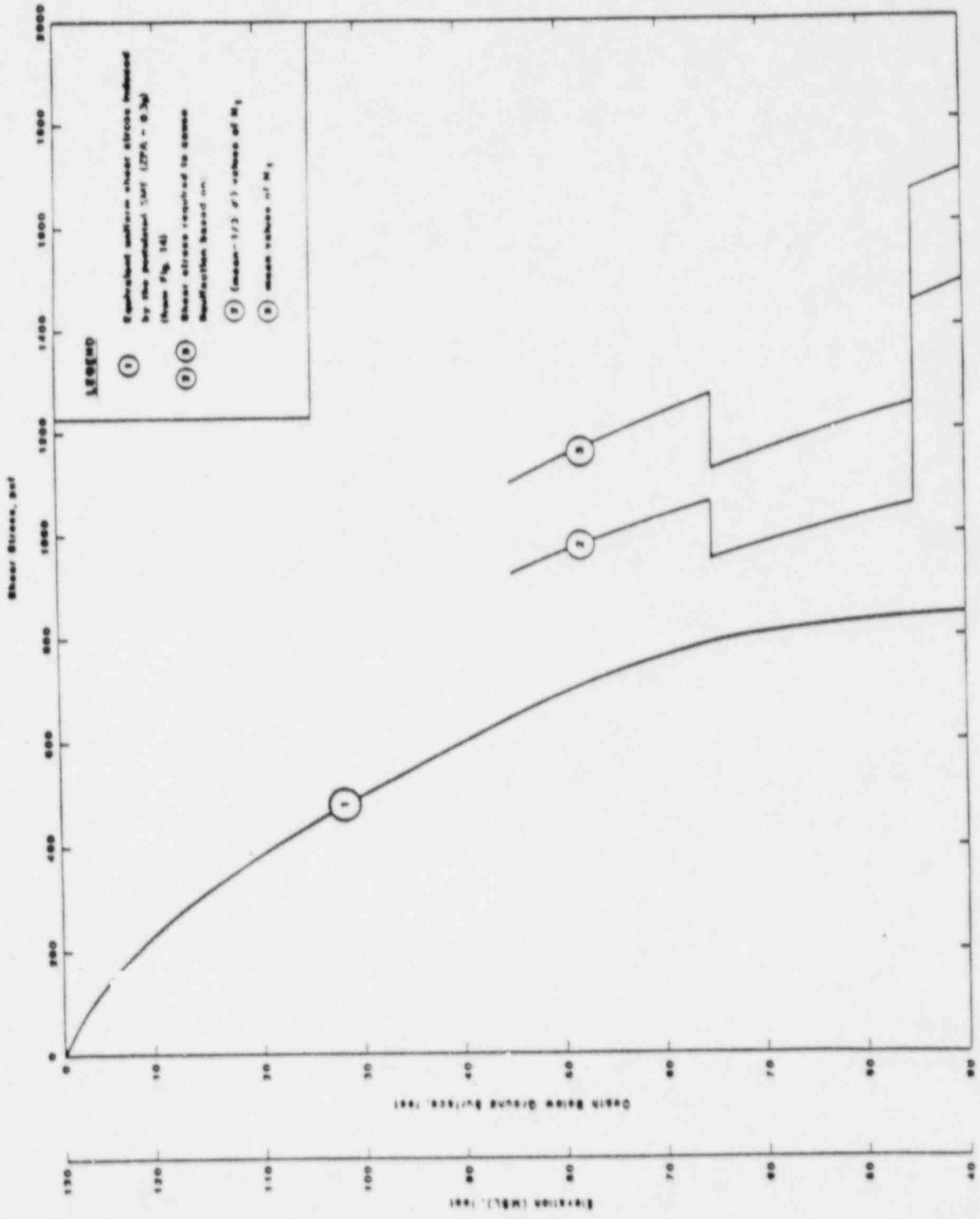
SUMMARY OF SPT BLOW COUNT - PLANT AREA

Fig  
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E. I. HATCH NPP -- SMA  
SPT Blowcounts -- Plant Area

<u>Elevation</u>	<u>Mean Blowcount</u>	<u>Standard Deviation</u>
65 to 80	17.3	5.6
45 to 65	15.3	4.7
40 to 45	20.3	5.2
30 to 40	23.5	7.0
20 to 30	23.9	6.4
0 to 20	25.5	6.3

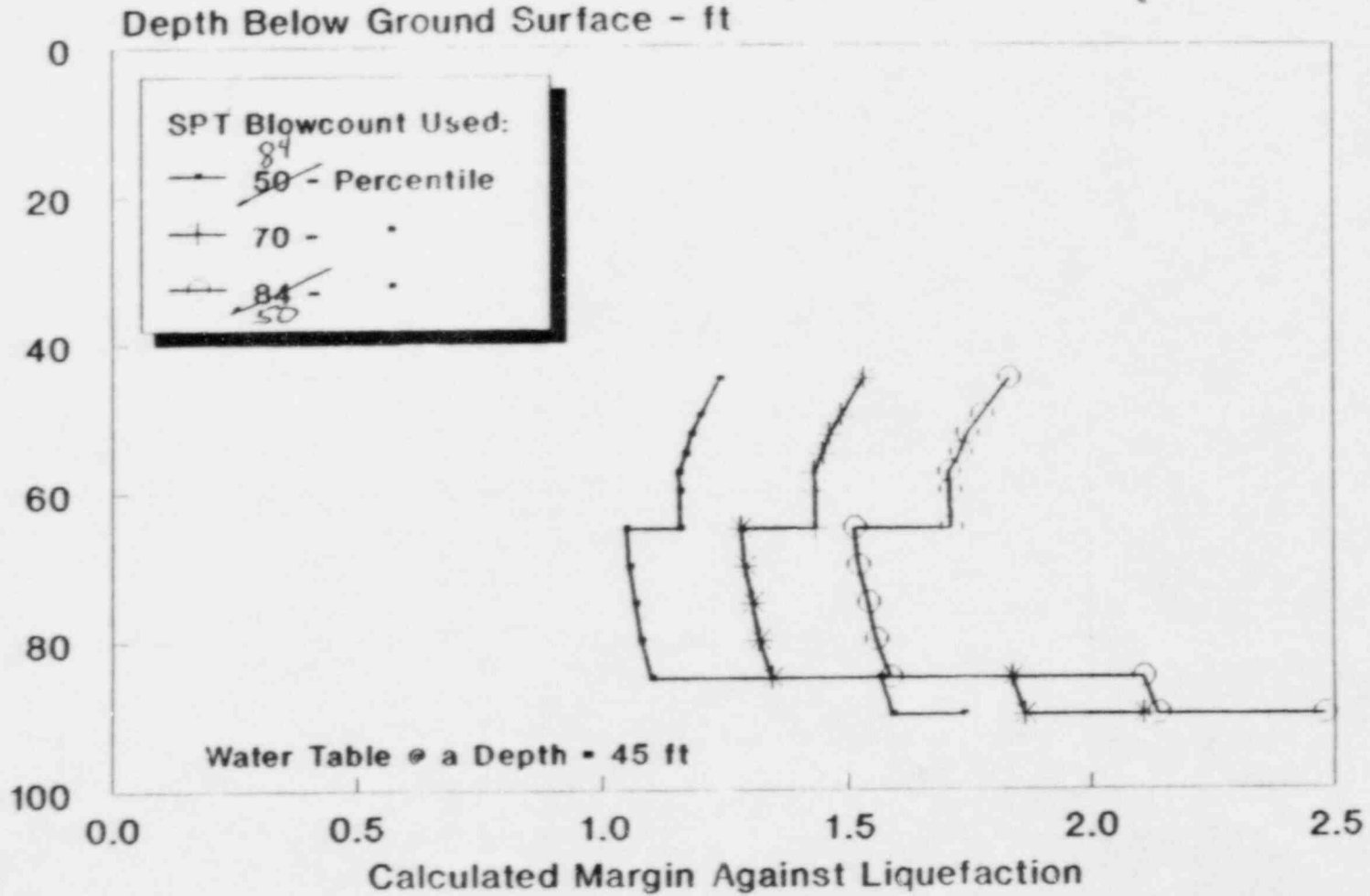




# Calculated Margins Against Liquefaction

Plant Area -- Hatch NPP

Based on ZPA = 0.28 g



ALTAMAHA  
RIVER

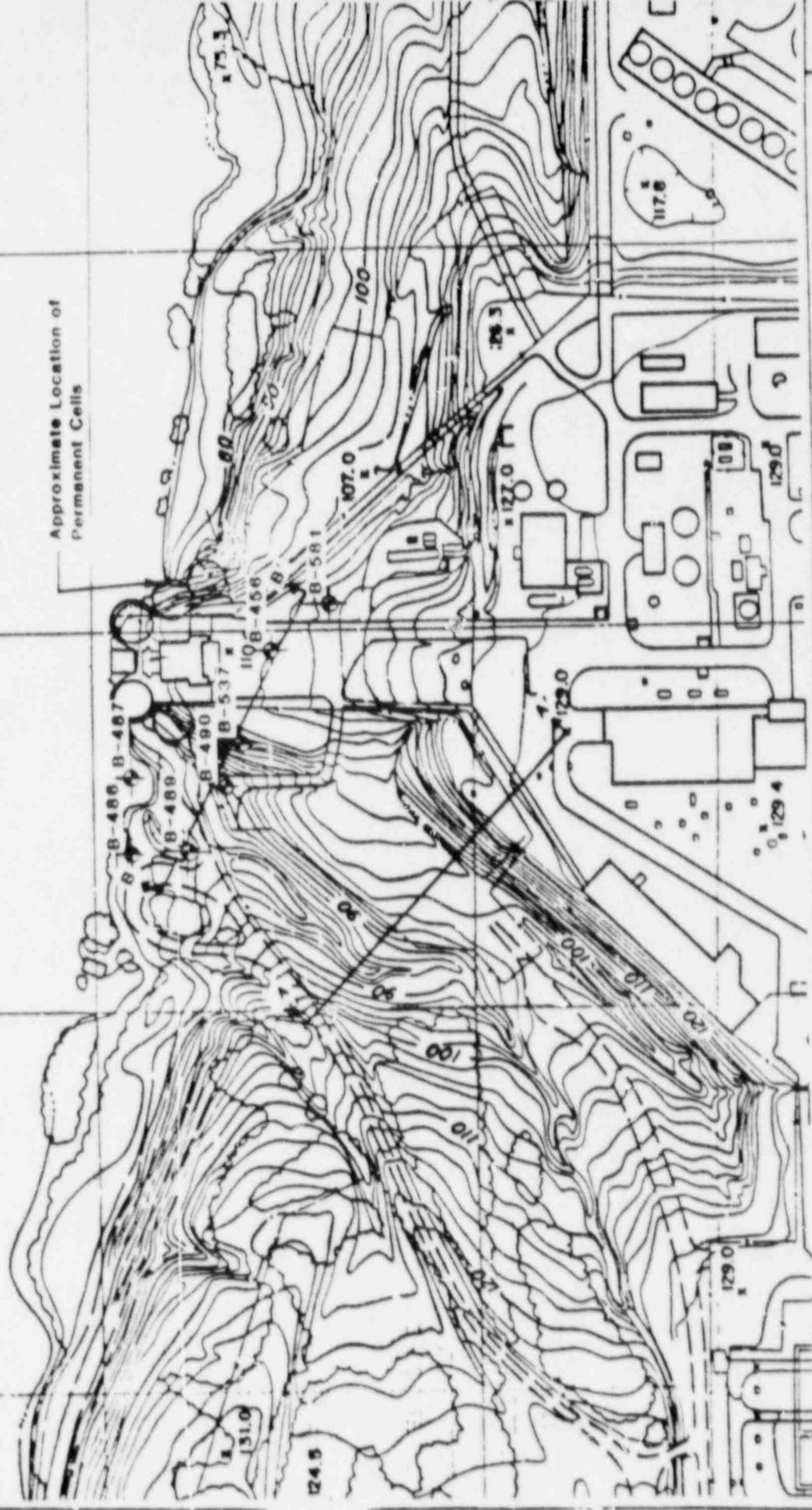
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Dated 1983.  
Cell Location from Georgia Power Co.  
plan Dated 1970.



**LEGEND**

Approximate Location of  
Borings for Section B-B'

Approximate Location of  
Permanent Cells



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BORING LOCATIONS - WATER INTAKE AREA



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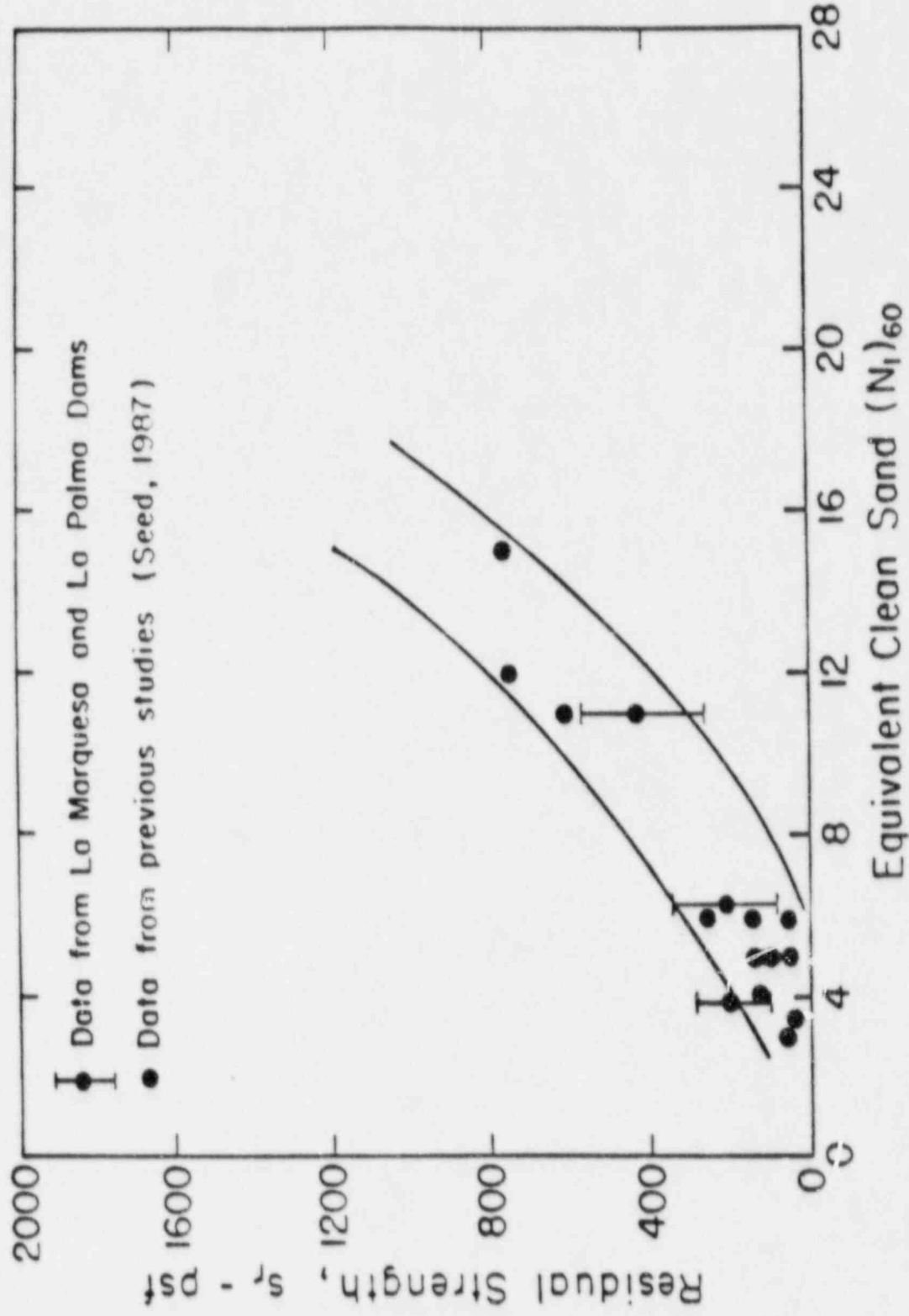
- ∨ Top of Borings
- 36 (H<sub>100</sub>) Blowcount - No Phase Correction
- Consolidated Sand
- Clay

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SPT BLOW COUNT - SECTION B-B'

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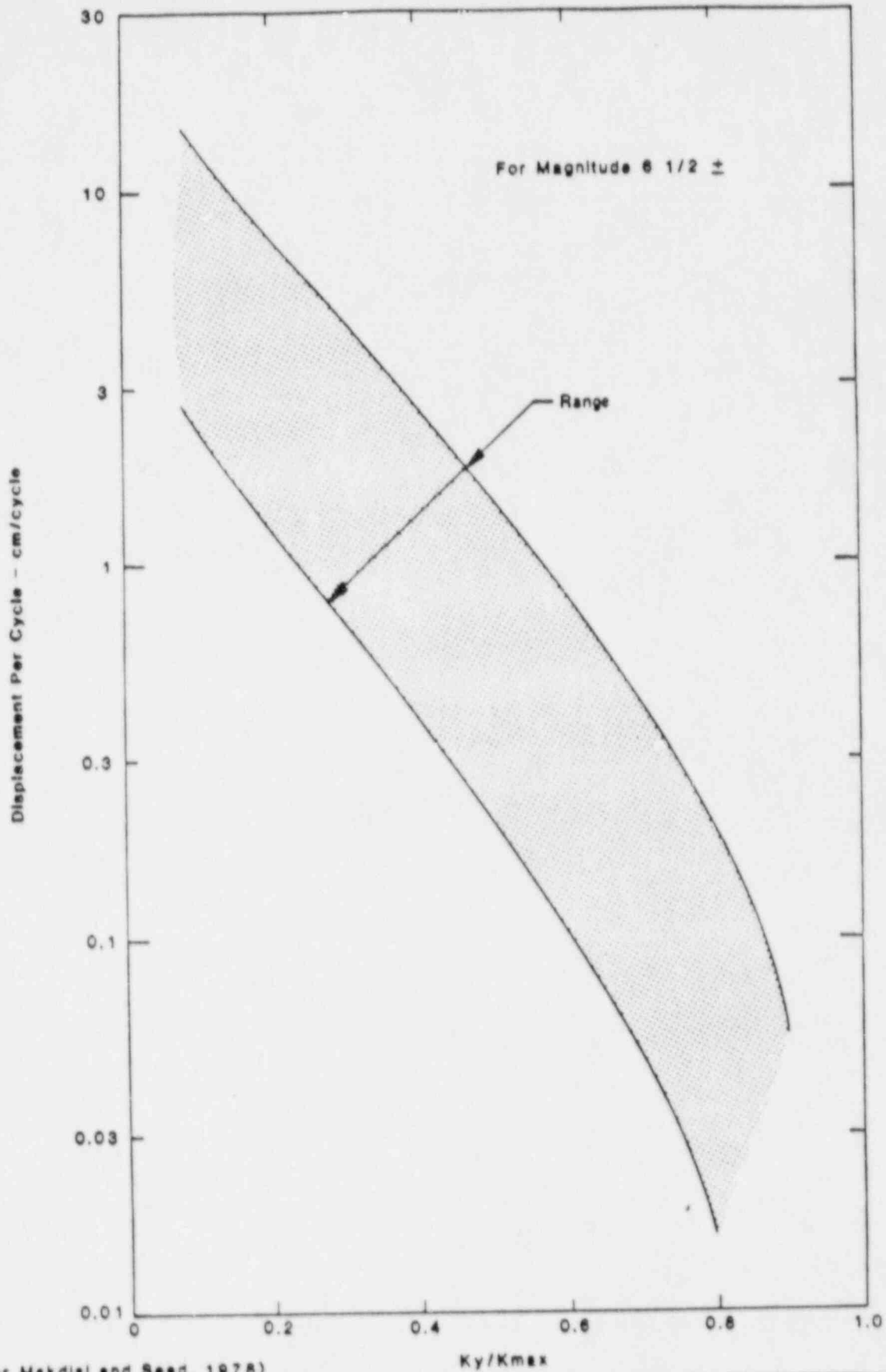


(From Seed et al, 1987)

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RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN RESIDUAL STRENGTH AND EQUIVALENT  
CLEAN SAND VALUE OF  $(N_1)_{60}$

Fig 22



(After Makdisi and Seed, 1978)

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SEISMICALLY-INDUCED DISPLACEMENT  
 PER CYCLE

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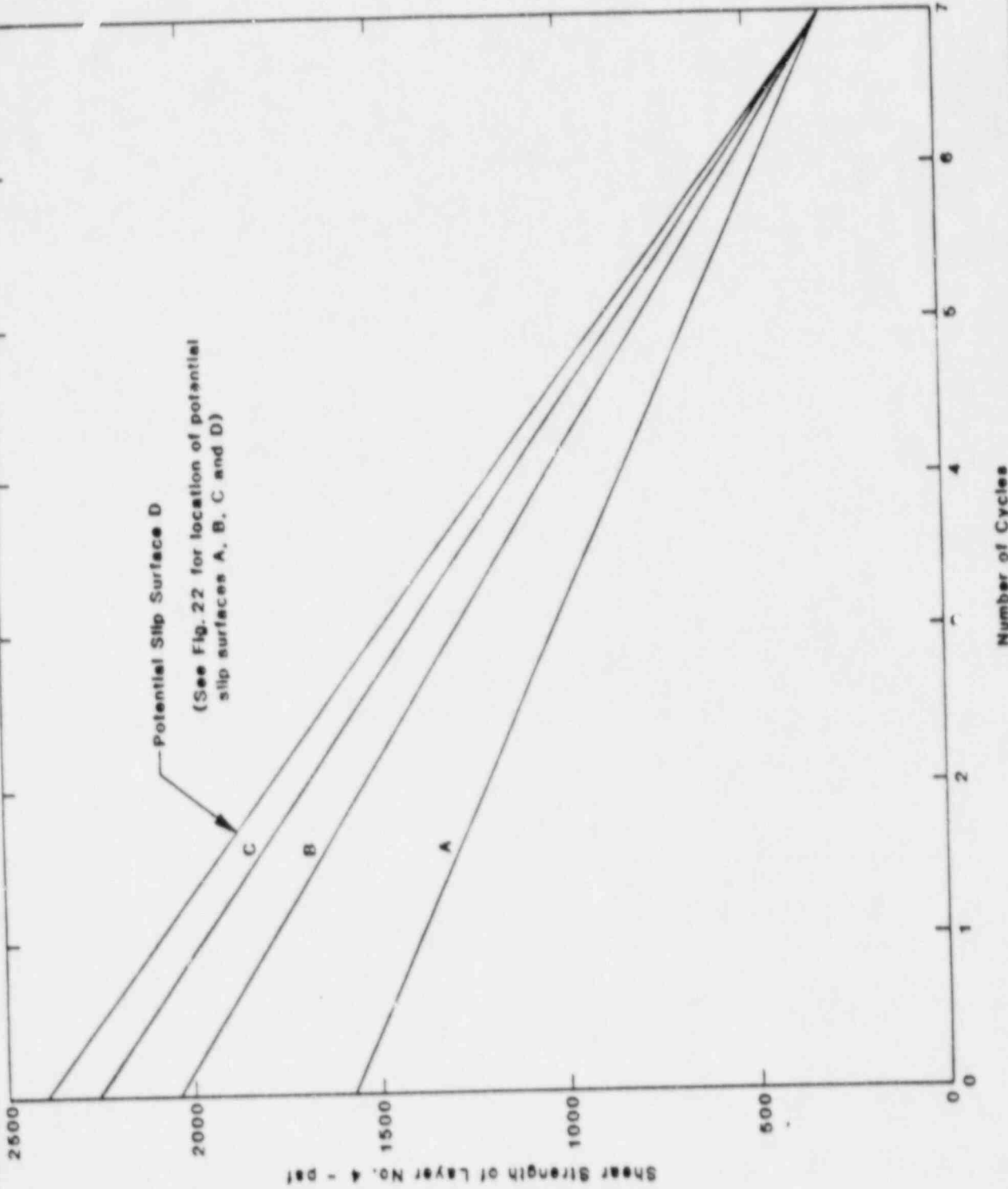
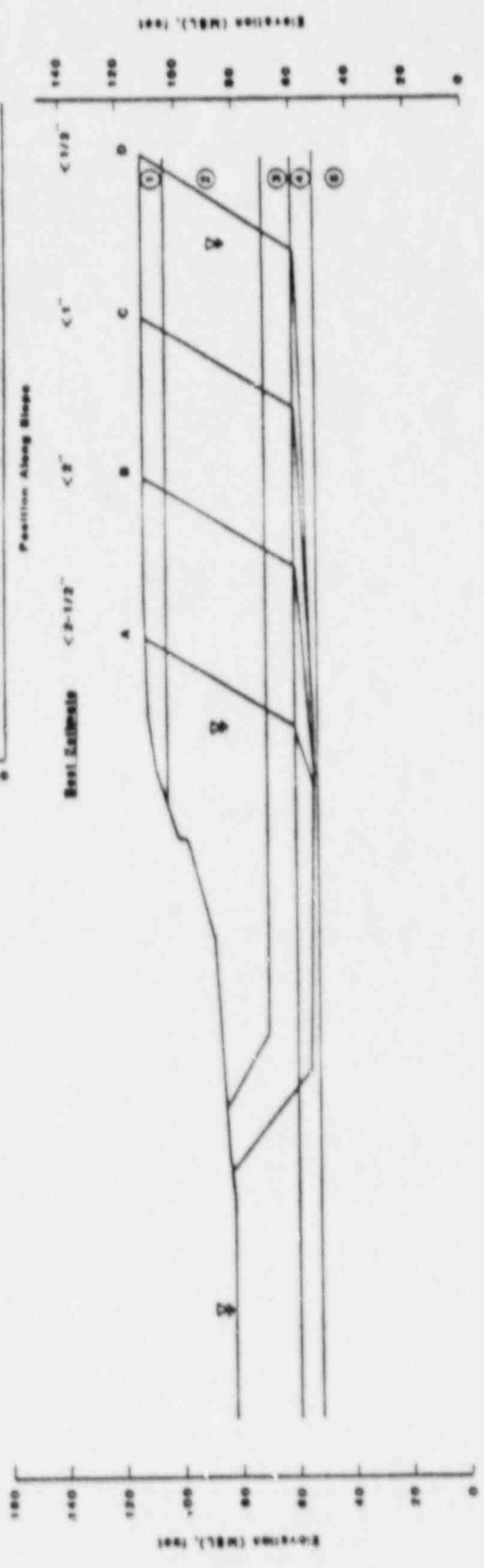
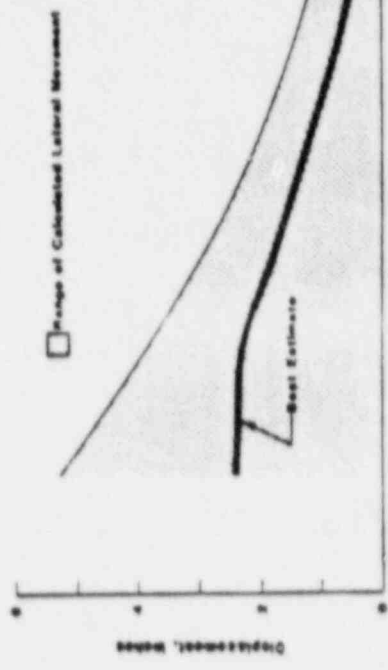


Fig 25

VARIATION OF SHEAR STRENGTH WITH NUMBER OF CYCLES IN LAYER NO. 4 - SECTION B-B'

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**STRUCTURAL RESPONSE ANALYSIS FOR THE  
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**SSI/STRUCTURAL RESPONSE ANALYSES  
OF THE HATCH UNIT 1 STRUCTURES  
WILL BE PERFORMED USING THE  
METHODOLOGY DEVELOPED BY EPRI  
AND APPROVED BY THE NRC**

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- **Median - Centered Analysis Procedures and  
Parameter Values**
- **Uncertainties in System Properties  
Accounted for by Varying Soil Properties**

**THE STRUCTURAL RESPONSE ANALYSIS FOR  
THE HATCH SMA WILL BE PERFORMED USING  
THE SUBSTRUCTURE APPROACH**

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- **Free-Field Ground Motion**
  - **Control motion defined by ground response spectra**
  - **PGA = about 0.3g horizontal direction, about 0.2g vertical direction**
  - **Three components of motion**
  - **Artificial time histories generated to closely match the ground response spectra**
  - **Control point on the free surface at finished grade**
  - **Spatial variation of motion defined by vertically propagating waves**
  - **Provided by WCC**

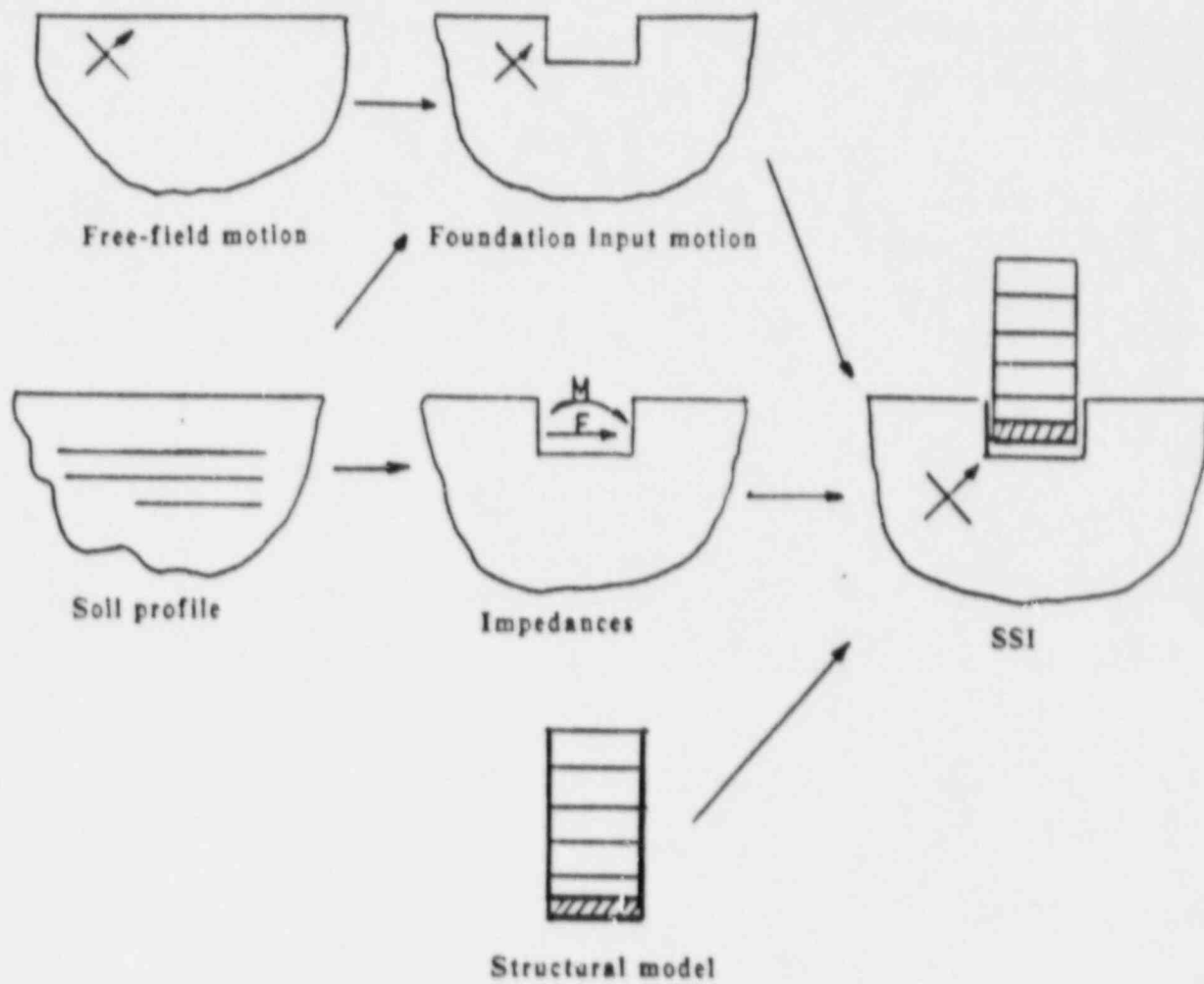
**THE STRUCTURAL RESPONSE ANALYSIS FOR  
THE HATCH SMA WILL BE PERFORMED USING  
THE SUBSTRUCTURE APPROACH (CONT)**

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- **Soil Profile**
  - **Strain - dependent equivalent linear soil properties specified for each structure**
  - **Uncertainties defined by shifting of soil stiffness**
- **Foundation Input Motion**
  - **For embedded and partially embedded structures, kinematic interaction effects are included.**
- **Foundation Impedances**
- **Structural Models**
  - **Provided by GPC/SCS**

# ELEMENTS OF THE SUBSTRUCTURE SSI ANALYSIS

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**SSI/STRUCTURAL RESPONSE ANALYSES OF  
FOUR HATCH UNIT 1 STRUCTURES WILL BE  
PERFORMED**

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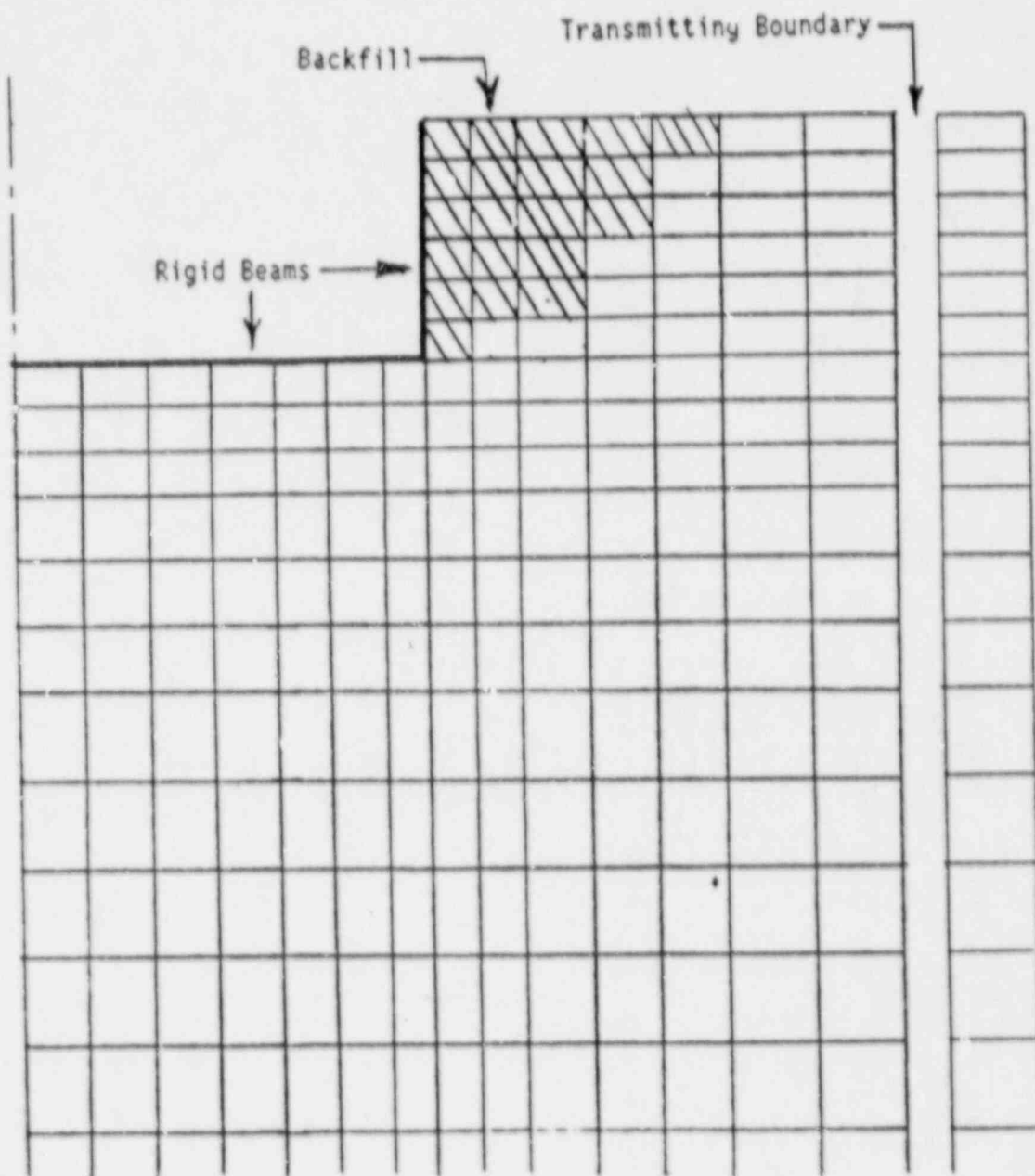
- **Reactor Building**
- **Control Building**
- **Diesel Generator Building**
- **Intake Structure**

## REACTOR BUILDING

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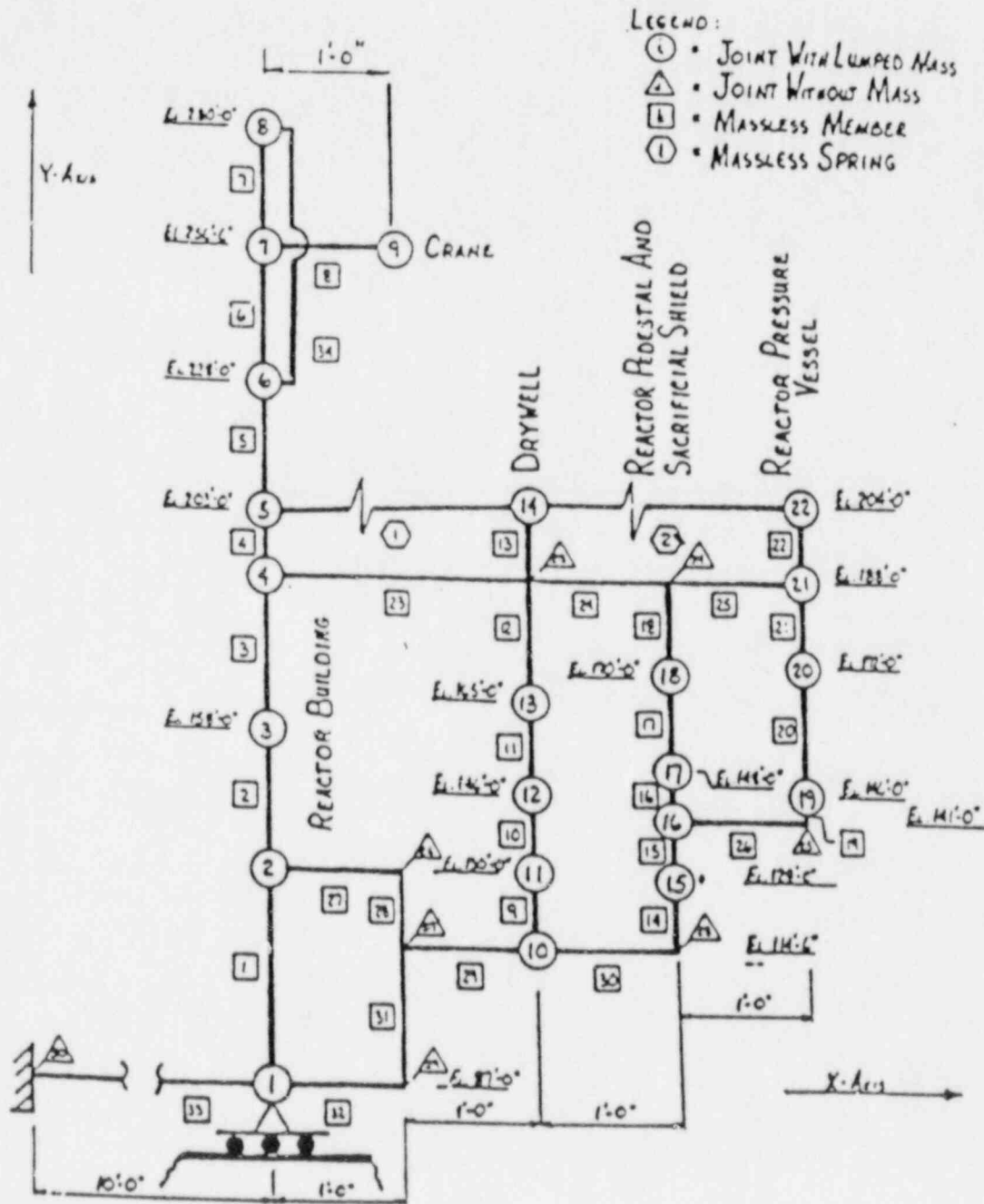
- **Soil Profile**
  - **Combination of Soil Profiles I and II**
  - **Soil property variation (0.75, 1.5)**
- **Soil/Foundation Model**
  - **Sensitivity study for embedment effects**
  - **Foundation input motion and foundation impedances calculated with SUPERALUSH**
  - **Possible additional soil property variation**
- **Structure Model**
  - **N-S, E-W, and vertical models by GPC/SCS**

# TYPICAL SUPERALUSH FOUNDATION MODEL OF REACTOR BUILDING





# REACTOR BUILDING SEISMIC MODEL

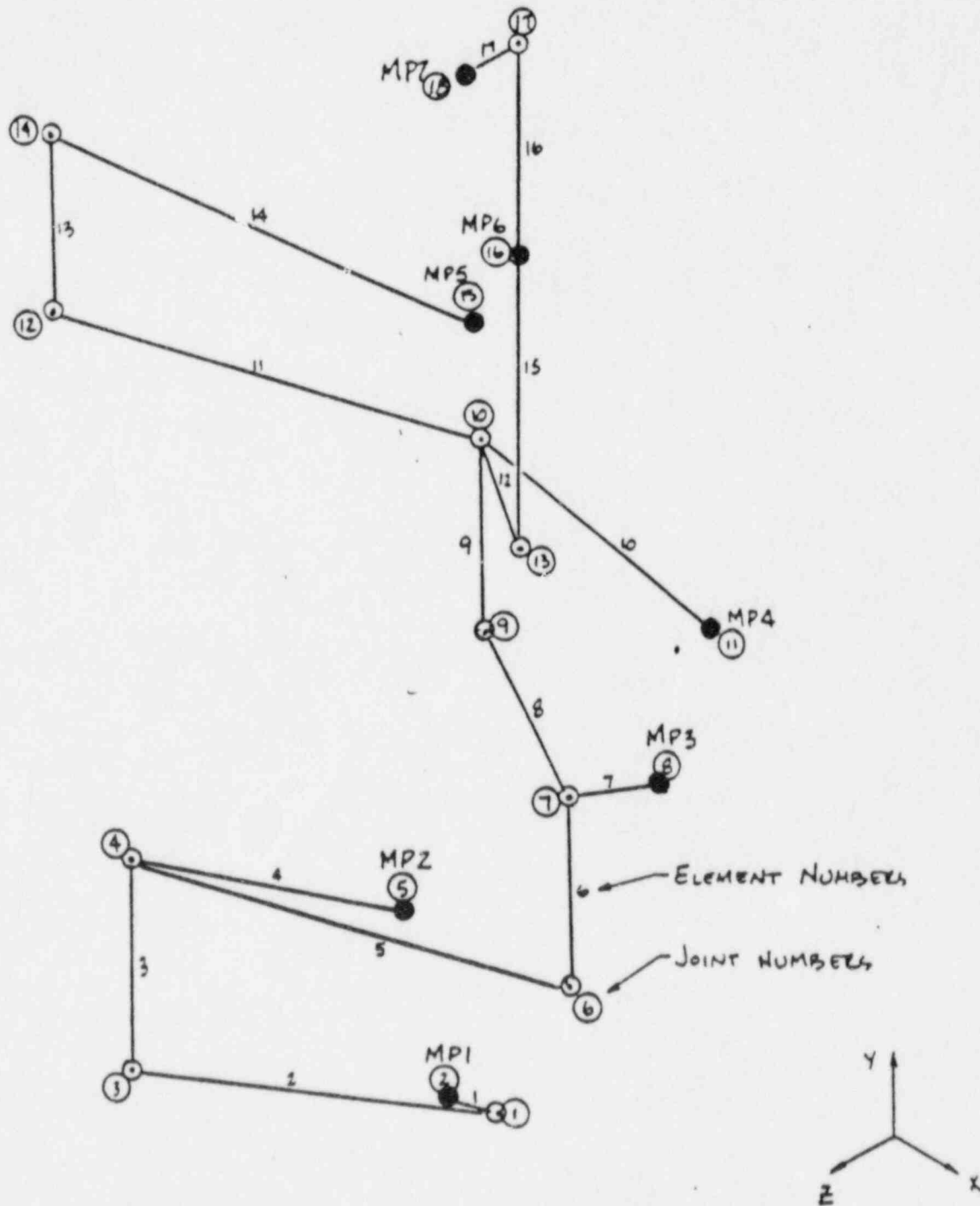


## CONTROL BUILDING

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- **Soil Profile**
  - **Soil Profile II**
  - **Soil property variations (0.60, 1.5)**
  
- **Soil/Foundation Model**
  - **Embedded, no sidewall contact with soil**
  - **Foundation input motion calculated with SUPERFLUSH or SHAKE**
  - **Foundation impedances calculated with CLASSI**
  
- **Structure Model**
  - **Three-dimensional model by GPC/SCS**

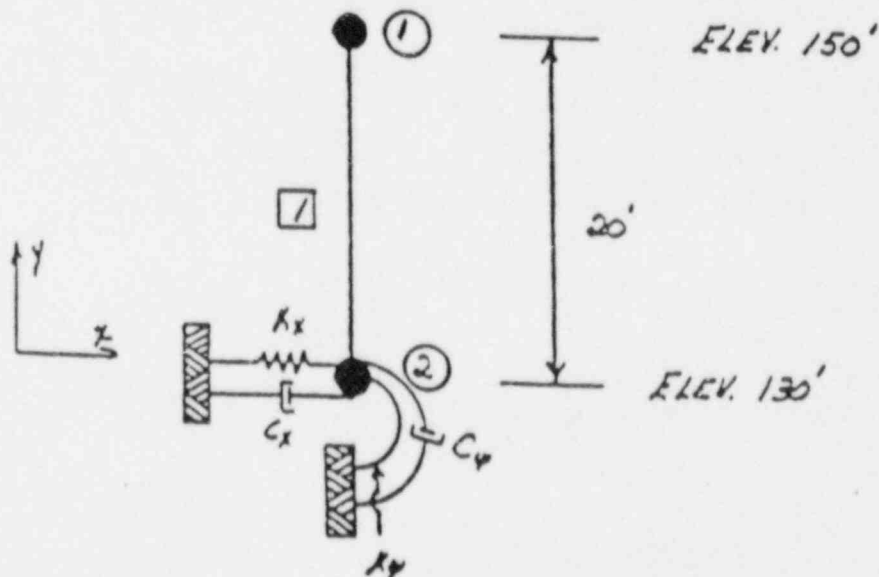
# CONTROL BUILDING 3-D SEISMIC MODEL



# DIESEL GENERATOR BUILDING

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- Soil Profile
  - Soil Profile I
  - Soil property variations (0.8, 2.5)
- Soil/Foundation Model
  - Surfaced - founded
  - Foundation input motion equals free-field ground motion
  - Foundation impedances calculated with CLASSI
- Structure Model
  - N-S, E-W, and vertical models by GPC/SCS

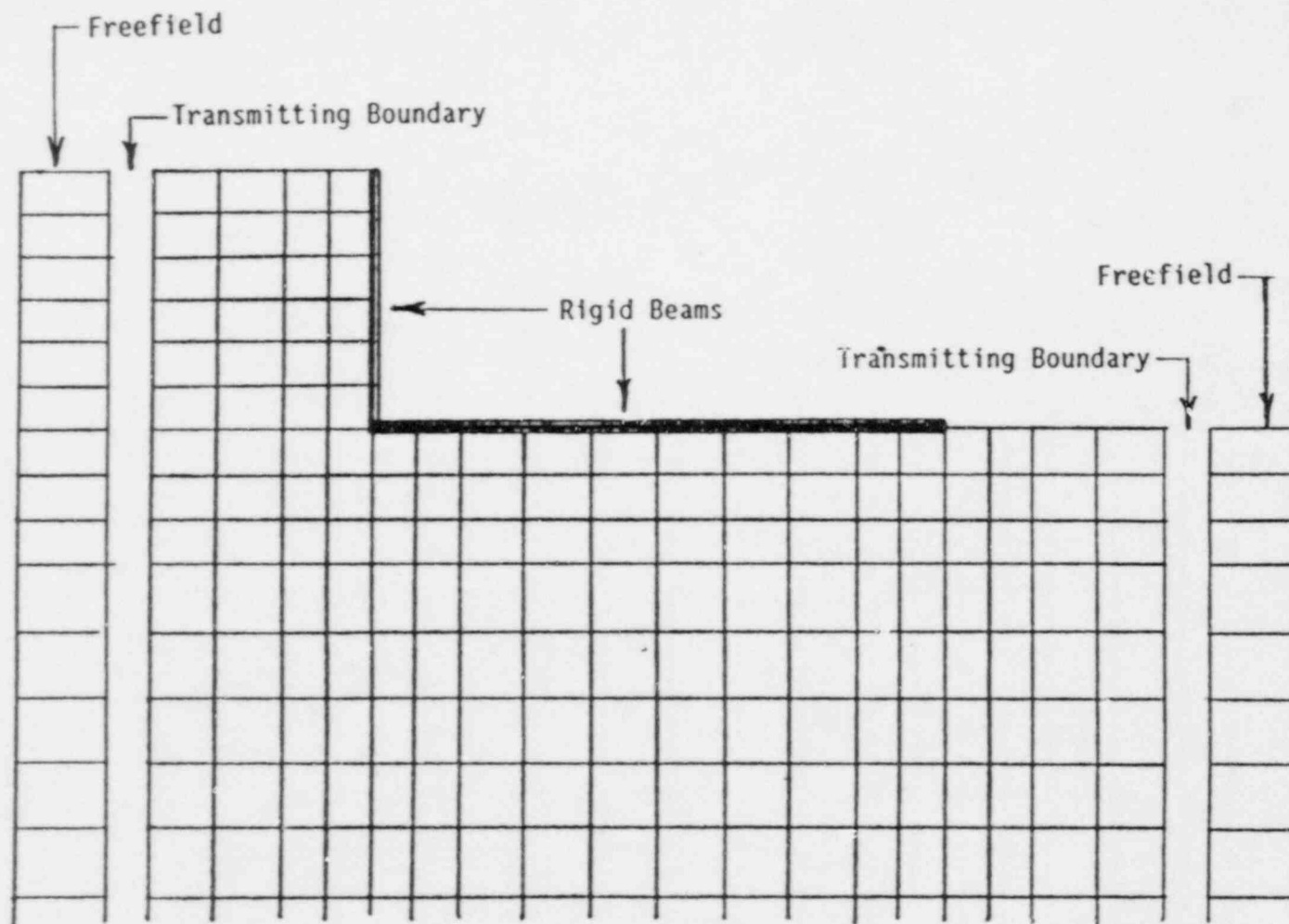


## INTAKE STRUCTURE

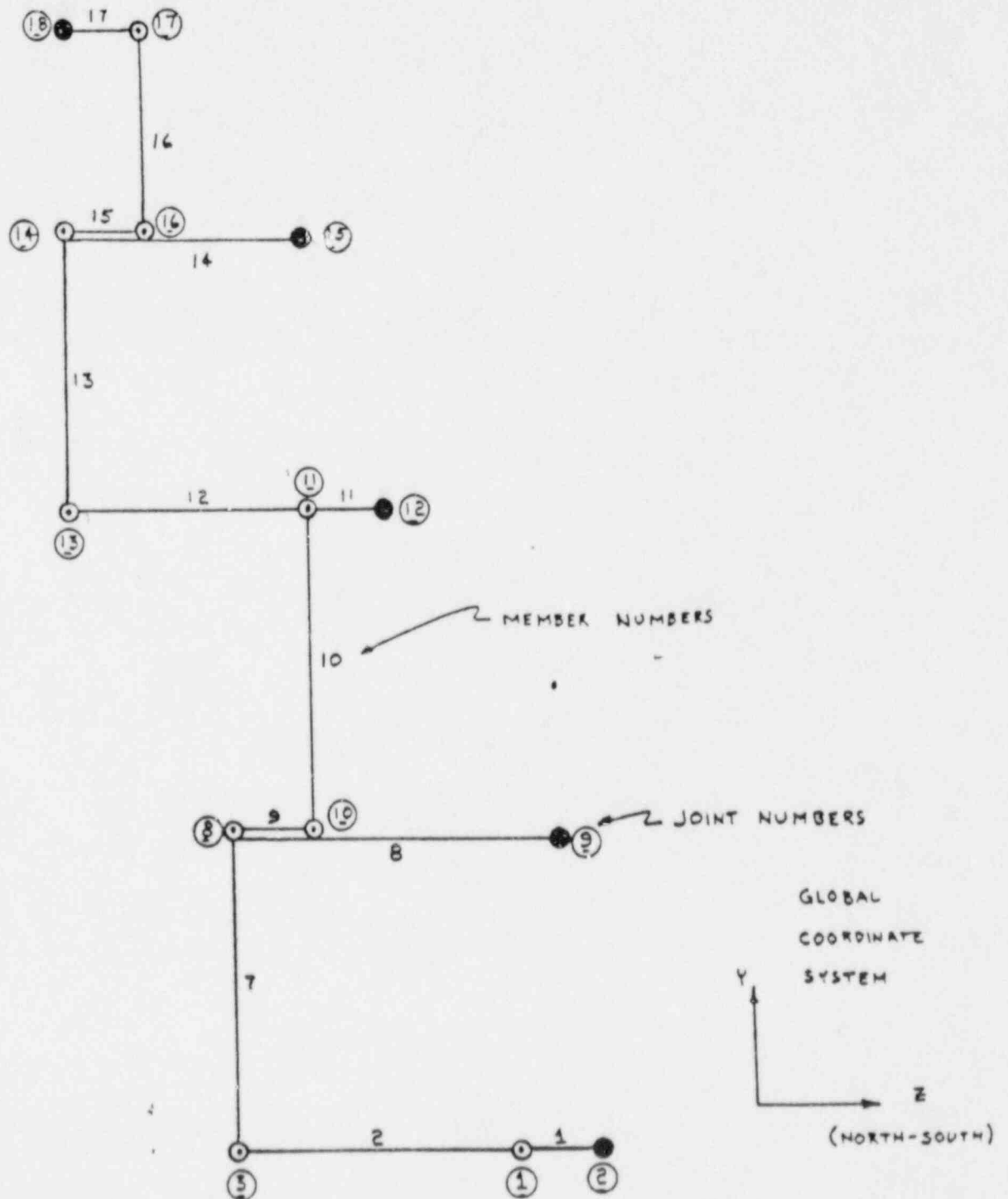
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- **Soil Profile**
  - **Profile accounting for excavation and K - Krete**
  - **Soil property variations (0.75, 1.5)**
  
- **Soil/Foundation Model**
  - **Partially embedded**
  - **Foundation input motion calculated with SUPERFLUSH**
  - **Foundation impedances calculated with CLASSI and corrected for partial embedment**
  
- **Structure Model**
  - **Three-dimensional model by GPC/SCS**

# TYPICAL SUPERFLUSH FOUNDATION MODEL OF INTAKE STRUCTURE



# INTAKE STRUCTURE 3-D SEISMIC MODEL



**RESPONSE WILL BE OBTAINED AT ALL MASS  
POINTS OF EACH STRUCTURAL MODEL**

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- **Response spectra for 3%, 5%, and 10% damping**
- **Maximum accelerations**
- **Maximum relative displacements**